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The District Court, Judge Perrault presiding, will open at Crowley next Monday.

The remains of ex-President Davis were finally interred at Richmond, Va., last Wednesday.

The ice factory broke down on Thursday but it is hoped that it will be in ful operation to-day.

Middling cotton sold in New Orleans last Wednesday at 7 1|4 and rough rice at $1.25 to $2.80 per sack.

Walter Chacheré repairs sewing machines and guarantees satisfaction. Give him a trial.

Rt. Rev. Davis Sessums, Episcopal Bishop of Louisiana, held services at the church of the Epiphany yesterday.

Parties having oats to cut should see Henry Chacheré. His rates are low—only $2 per acre for cutting and raking.

The State Court of Appeals, Judges Blackman and Perry presiding, will convene here next Tuesday. The docket is a little heavier than usual.

J. B. Sandoz has an extensive assortment of buggies, carriages, &c., and his prices are probably a little lower than the lowest. Better see him about it.

The St. Landry Homestead and Loan Association is an important factor in the upbuilding of Opelousas. Take a few shares, benefit yourself and assist in the good work.

At the sale of money by the St. Landry Homestead and Loan Association, last Monday night, Mr. T. H. Lewis, Jr., secured $600 at 32 per cent and Mr. L. M. Firnberg $400 at 39| per cent.

Prof. Mayer takes photographs by the new instantaneous process and in any kind of weather. Drop in and see specimens of his elegant work at his well appointed gallery on Main Street, near J. Meyers & Co.'s warehouse.

Attention is called to the notice published in another column by the Institute Committee, concerning reduced rates for board and transportation for those who will attend the Institute at Opelousas June 12 to 16.

District Attorney Dubuisson is developing into a champion euchre player. Some weeks ago he got the first prize at a progressive euchre party here and last week he was again successful, winning a fine silk umbrella.

The telegraph office has been removed to the bank building, and we understand that the telephone exchange will be transferred to the same office, so that one person can attend to the business of both. This will be a great convenience to the people.

Fishing in the creeks in the neighborhood is pretty good and Charley Pefferkorn is still the champion fisherman. The *habitues* of his Landry street establishment wish him a continuation of the best kind of luck, for they are frequently the beneficiaries of both his piscatorial ability and Millie's culinary skill.

The Opelousas Female Institute, Mrs. M. M. Hayes principal, closed its term last Friday, when Miss Nannie Randle, the eldest daughter of our esteemed Methodist minister, graduated with distinguished honors. We understand that the exercises were quite interesting and regret that we could not attend, Friday being our busy day.

And now the men who "didn't want office" in the last campaign and who after all stooped very low to get the State offices are casting longing eyes at the municipal offices of New Orleans. They want to repeal the city charter and inaugurate a system similar to that in existence in Memphis—and gobble up all the offices. And if they are let alone they will do it, too.

The glory of life insurance is that it clothes the individual with the strength of an army against fate, while it does not impair his independence. The savings banks give no contingent right in the common fund beyond the actual deposit and its own interest. Do not delay, but insure now in the Home Life Insurance Co. of New York, Clements & Lewis, agents.

The Bloch warehouse and property near the depot has been purchased by the rice elevator company for $9,500 and an elevator will soon be erected there. This company is represented here by Mr. A. Levy and is composed principally of foreign capitalists. The elevator will obviate the use of sacks and consequent loss and expense and will be a boon to our planters. The proposed mill will not be erected for some time.

At a meeting of delegates of the various Camps in the State held in New Orleans last week Gen. Geo. O. Watts, of Alexandria, was elected Major General of the Louisiana division of the United Confederate Veterans—a deserved tribute to a gallant soldier and gentlemen and a graceful compliment to the country Camps, whose membership is as yet much smaller than that of the city Camps. Gen. Watts succeeds Gen. John Glynn, of New Orleans, who has proved himself an excellent officer.

Don't allow the servant to throw your trash or garbage into the street. Burn it.

Fresh parched and ground coffee always on hand at Vilaseca's.

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Against the Levee Tax.

A meeting of the citizens of Morrow Station, Rosa and Big Cane was held on May 20, for the purpose, as declared in the minutes of the meeting, of organizing themselves in order to save their property from confiscation and to rid themselves of "the enormous levee tax now trying to be imposed upon them by the commissioners of the Red River, Atchafalaya and Bayou Bœuf Levee District."

When two years ago some of our friends of that section were passing resolutions against the Lottery Company which sounded strangely like those adopted at this meeting, we told them that if the despised "lottery gold" was not accepted they would be heavily taxed. Our words have come true. But as we were willing to help them then we are willing to help them now, and agreeably to their request we cheerfully reprint gratis the preamble and resolutions adopted by the meeting, which were transmitted to us through the job printer here who was doubtless paid for printing them in the shape of circulars headed "Organizing Against the Levee Tax." They read as follows:

Whereas, the tax levied by the Red River, Atchafalaya and Bayou Bœuf Levee Board, as now imposed, has reached the attitude of confiscation of the property of this Northeastern St. Landry; and

Whereas, Citizens now owning swamp lands that are worthless except for what timber is on them, and they may not be able to utilize said timber for 8 or 10 years to come, and the collection of the levee tax at present rate of taxation in addition to State and parish taxes for a period of ten years will more than equal the purchase price of some of said lands, thereby rendering it impossible for the present owners to retain possession of their land, and also depriving the rising generation of the inheritance of any property left by parents or relatives; and

Whereas, There is a small proportion of the lands of Northeastern St. Landry that is subject to overflow, thereby operating a burdensome tax upon citizens who derive no benefit whatever therefrom; and

Whereas, Act No. 46 of 1892, amending Act No. 79 of 1890, authorizes the Board of Levee Commissioners of the Red River, Atchafalaya and Bayou Bœuf Levee District to issue Bonds against our lands to the extent of $250,000.00 and by said act executing a mortgage against our lands for above amount; and

Whereas, The statement of Secretary of the above Levee Board has shown that the revenues of said Levee District are insufficient to meet the demands made by caving banks, crevasses, raising and enlarging and all necessary expenses to keep up said Levee District; and

Whereas, If said Levee Board continues to issue said bonds to meet expenses of the Levee District where are we to land and what will our little land in actual cultivation be worth with a mortgage of 20 years against us? And we see several thousand acres of land sold almost every week by the Tax Collector on account of the parties not being able to pay taxes; and

Whereas, If the same proportion of lands are sold in future for taxes in this parish, that have been sold for taxes in the last two years, where will the revenues of said Red River, Atchafalaya and Bayou Bœuf Levee District come from? therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the people of Morrow Station, Rosa, Big Cane and vicinity, in mass meeting assembled, on this the 20th day of May 1893, do hereby enter our solemn protest against said iniquitous and unjust taxation, and pledge ourselves each, individually, to wage continued and unrelenting warfare against said tax until this monster shall have been conquered and driven from our borders.

Resolved, further, That we call upon all citizens in this parish, Rapides and Avoyelles parishes, respectively, to have mass meetings, organize in each ward in each parish, and at some future day to have a District Convention with in the bounds of the Red River, Atchafalaya and Bayou Bœuf Levee District.

Resolved, further, That the chair appoint the following corresponding committee, to-wit: C. W. Ward, J. A. Boyd, W. C. Fleshman, Willie Jackson, T. A. Hicks, J. J. Scott, Capt. L. S. Bavard and Dr. A. E. Arnold, whose duty it shall be to communicate with parties within the bounds of above levee district and arrange time and place for holding a District Convention.

Resolved, further, That the Farmer's Union are specially requested to act in concert with us in this move.

Dr. Henry O. Read.

Dr. Read, whose death at Chataignier we announced last week, was a native of Avoyelles, born in 1833. He was a brother of Judge Stephen D. Read, of Calcasieu, who, of a family of nine children, alone survives him.

The Dr. received his early education in the schools of this parish, where he began the study of medicine in 1851 under the late Dr. C. D. Tatman, of Ville Plate. He matriculated in the University of Louisiana in 1853, graduating and receiving his degree in 1854. The next year he began practicing medicine at Morgan City, remaining there some years, when he removed to Abbeville where he married Miss Mary E. Guégnon, a half sister to the late Judge A. Bailey, of Opelousas. In 1863 he enlisted in the Confederate army as surgeon and served one year. For several years after the war Dr. Read practiced his profession at Abbeville as a partner with Dr. White, and was twice elected mayor of that town.

For many years the old doctor resided at Chataignier, where he was universally esteemed, and was for a long time a regular contributor to the New Orleans Medical Journal, and many of his articles are of value to the profession. He was buried at Bayou Chicot.

Attend This Business College during Summer.

There will be a Special Session of the Commercial College of Kentucky University for Clerks, Merchants, Teachers and others during the summer. This College is situated in the beautiful, healthy, and society-renowned city of Lexington, Ky., and received the highest honor at World's Exposition. Students can complete the business course and receive the Kentucky University Diploma during the summer.

For particulars see advertisement in another column, or address its President, Wilbur R. Smith, Lexington, Ky.

Drummond's Lightning

Remedy done great work for H. J. Lewis, of Anderson's Mills, S. C. He had sciatic rheumatism in the left hip and leg, and for six weeks was not able to sit up or walk a step; and suffered untold agonies when the pains darted up and down his leg. After using Drummond's Lightning Remedy for Rheumatism for two weeks, he wrote that he could walk and that the pain was gone. If you suffer from rheumatism and wish to be cured, ask your druggist for Drummond's Lightning Remedy, and if he has not got it, write to the Drummond Medicine Co., 48-50 Maiden Lane, New York. Agents wanted.

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General Notes.

It is rumored that the Czar of Russia is suffering from cancer.

The contract for the new Presbyterian church at Crowley has been let for $1800.

Large peach growers in New Jersey give assurances that the crop this year will be abundant.

Seven lives were lost last Wednesday by the explosion of a generator in a glucose factory in Geneva, Ill.

Gov. Flower, of New York, has signed a new anti-trust bill, making it a misdemeanor to combine to raise the price of any of the necessaries of life.

Advices from Japan via Shanghai state that the volcano Bandaisan has become active, and that widespread disaster has been caused by its eruptions.

The Southern Pacific is the biggest railroad corporation on earth, its capital stock being one hundred and eighteen million dollars.—Attakapas Vindicator.

Attakapas Vindicator: The whisky trust has gone to pieces, but the old stuff retails at the same price. Many of our red-nosed readers will, no doubt be glad to hear the news.

It is said the Pacific Coast Chinese, who followed the advice of the Six Companies and did not register are much incensed against the leaders for getting them into trouble.

A young woman of Berwick, Pa., collected a million stamps on the supposition that she could obtain $500 for them, and the failure to find a purchaser has, it is feared, unbalanced her mind.

The sugar season in Cuba is ended; the estimated yield of the whole island is from 750,000 to 800,000 tons, which would be a very large decrease from the average total production.

Dr. Talmage will remain at the head of the Brooklyn Tabernacle. The floating debt has been settled, the unsecured creditors accepting twenty-three cents on the dollar in settlement of their claims.

A New York paper says that the *chef* (cook) of the Hotel Waldorf is to receive $10,000 a year for knowing only one thing, while President Dwight, of Yale, receives $5,000 for "knowing it all."

A lady of Richmond, Va., has obtained a verdict of $15,000 against a dry-goods firm in Washington, D. C., for accusing, detaining and searching her on the suspicion that she had stolen a silver napkin ring.

Mrs. James G. Blaine, Jr., will, it is said, soon marry Dr. Wm. T. Bull, of New York, the physician who cured her of of a terrible attack of rheumatism incurred just after she secured a divorce from Mr. Blaine, and as she was about to go on the stage.

Crowley Signal: A mere glance at the reformation needed in Louisiana is sufficient to convince one that the next session of the Legislature will have a golden opportunity to distinguish itself. Will it embrace the chance thus presented?

No wonder the English insurance companies are interested in the health of the young Earl of Dudley. They have placed £1,200,000 (about $6,000,000) insurance on his life, which is said to be the heaviest insurance on a single life on record.

The clerk has completed the list of the next congress, and of the 365 seats, there is but one vacancy, which is for the seat made vacant by the election of H. Cabot Lodge, of Mass., to the senate. There are 232 Democrats, 127 Republicans and 8 Third Party, giving the Democrats a clear majority of 83.

An exchange truly says: "The statesman is interested in the progress of the fraternities, because they are schools of law and order; the philanthropist, because they care for the needy; the tax-payer, because they avert poverty and pauperism; the nation, because they protect the home, the foundation of America's happiness and prosperity."

The appointment of police jurors by the Governor is not at all in unison with the primary laws of the great American republic. The people should be permitted to say whom should constitute this important body of their local government. There is entirely too much of this one-man power in Louisiana for the well-being and prosperity of the State.—Crowley Signal.

It is time to purify the ballot. Let the next legislature pass a law by which every vote cast shall be counted, and a correct return made of the same. The negro craze is one of the by-gones. It is the white Democratic candidate for favors that feels the injustice of the present law. It is him who is now counted out. A change is necessary, and must finally come.—Morgan City Review.

The contract for the transfer of the Cherokee Strip to the United States was signed on Wednesday by Secretary Smith and Chief Harris and other agents of the Cherokee nation. For 6,022,754 acres the Government pays $8,595,736, $295,736 in cash and the balance in five equal annual payments, with 4 per cent. interest. Bonds will be issued by the United States, for the $8,300,000 which will be due them, and the bonds will be put upon the market.

Very heavy rains have done much damage in Western Pennsylvania and parts of Ohio, houses have been carried away, mills destroyed, railroad bridges and tracks washed away, and traffic impeded. Several vessels were carried out on Lake Erie by the high waters in the rivers, and five persons were drowned by the capsizing of a dredger.

The Chinese Minister has assured Secretary Gresham that he believes his government will take no retaliatory measures on account of the Geary Act, and will do nothing to disturb the present friendly relations between the two nations. Secretary Carlisle says he will enforce the Geary law as far as the means at his command will permit. The worst class of Chinese, and those who are illegally in the country in contravention of the law of 1884, will no doubt be the first to go.

Don't forget to call on the DEMOCRAT when you want any bill heads, letter heads, etc., printed.

Don't buy a gig, buggy or phaeton until you have examined and priced those that J. B. Sandoz has for sale.

"He who by his trade would thrive,
Must not neglect to advertise."
—P. T. Barnum.

Personal.

Mr. E. S. Clements, of Oberlin, spent Monday in town.

Miss Ada Butler is on a visit to relatives in Baton Rouge.

Mr. R. Chacheré spent most of the week in New Orleans.

Miss Eva David, of Notleyville, was in town several days last week.

Dr. Theog. Chachere, of Plaquemine Ridge, was in town on Saturday last.

Mr. T. C. Chacheré and lady, of Prud'homme City, were in town on Monday.

Miss May Pefferkorn returned on Tuesday from a visit to relatives in Lafayette.

Mrs. John Fahey left on Sunday last for Bay St. Louis, where she will remain some time.

Messrs. Sam and Howard Butler visited relatives in Moreland during the early part of the week.

Misses Mary Littell and Sidonie Bayhi and Messrs. Stuart Sandoz and Theo Littell visited Washington on Monday evening.

President A. C. Hutchinson, of the Southern Pacific, has donated $2,000 toward defraying the expenses of the rice exhibit at the World's Fair.

Crowley Signal, May 27: Mr. B. F. Meginley, of Opelousas, spent several days in town this week.—Mrs. J. Frankel returned on Sunday from a visit to friends and relatives in Opelousas.

Mrs. Martin J. Andrus, of Crowley, spent several days this week with her foster parents at the old home in Plaquemine Brulee. Lefebvre and his little brother were along, and the Doctor and his "godwife" were rejuvenated and delighted.

Two of our young friends who wisely concluded to give up smoking have braced themselves up to the task by exchanging their notes for $25.00, payable at sight by the party who first takes a smoke in the next six months. An easy way to quit, boys. Try it.

Effect of Tobacco on Boys.

The boy who smokes tobacco does so because of a belief that it adds to his importance and hastens him forward to manhood. It is useless to tell him that the practice is offensive and dirty, and that it causes ladies to look upon him with disfavor, that it may open the way to habits and associations that bring shame and ruin; he will not be moved by such reasoning. There is one argument, however, that moves him, and that is growing more potent and persuasive every day. Tell him that it saps his phisical strength, and he listens. Tell him that in boat races, and games of baseball, cricket, bicyling and other athletics the habitually smoker stands no chance against the young man of pure, cleanly and temperate habits and he feels the stirring of another ambition. He hopes some day to be an athlete and to win in trials of physical strength and skill.

Some investigations have recently been made which convey a startling warning to smoking boys. From measurements of 187 students in Yale College it was found that those who let tobacco alone gained over those who used it during the college year 1892, 22 per cent in weight, 25 per cent in height, 19 per cent in girth of chest, and 66 per cent in lung capacity. Measurements at Amherst College showed even greater difference in favor of those who did not use tobacco. With such evidence as this before him, no sensible boy is likely to try to cultivate the tobacco habit, or to cling to it if he has already acquired it. Give the boys more opportunities for athletics, and they will require less tobacco.

The Chinese will Stay.

N. O. Daily Item.

The administration has concluded to allow the Chinese residents to remain in this country unmolested. It is a sort of "Hobson's choice" conclusion. The government could not do otherwise. While it is true that the President has no right or power to suspend any law or to modify its operation in any way, unless that power is especially delegated to him in the law itself, still, as in the case of an attempt to enforce the Geary law, money is needed to pay for the unavoidable expense of deporting such Chinese as may be subject to its provisions, and that money has not been provided for. Therefore, nothing can be done until Congress meets, and then it is anticipted the law will be promptly repealed.

"There's a vast difference in Northern and Southern girls," writes a Northern girl in the Chicago Record. "Southern girls are much more attractive to men. Every once in awhile a Southern girl comes up here and fairly walks away with every eligible man she meets. She is usually prettier but rarely as stylish as her Northern sister. The former cares more for prettiness than style, though, and wears more dainty little curls and bows than a Northern girl would in a life time. It isn't exactly good form, we think, but she doesn't know that, and if she did she wouldn't care, for 'the boys like it' and then her voice is so soft, and the Southern pronunciation is simply delicious. Her manners are charming, never coldly conventional or indifferent as ours often are. And she does make such a fuss over the men. She exerts herself so to please them, and lays herself out to be charming to every man who comes along, be he old or young, rich or poor, married or unmarried."

A country editor is one who reads newspapers, writes on any subject, sets type, works the hand press, "kicks" the job press, makes up "forms," folds papers, "makes" up mail, runs errands, saws wood, carries coal—when he can find it loose, is blamed for a thousand things he cannot do, is accused of things he never thought of, works sixteen hours in the day, helps people into office and gets "cussed" for pay, "puffs" everybody, gets cheated out of of his dues, does more to build up the town and country than any one else in it, whose opinion must be in accord with every subscriber he has and the miserly old fogies who are most benefitted by his work refuse to take or patronize his paper, but go every week and borrow it from a progressive neighbor. Reader are you a fogy?

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Cleveland's Southern Blood.

Putnam's Historical Magazine, a monthly published at Salem, Mass., contains in its September issue a pedigree of President Cleveland.

It is shown in this record that Mr. Cleveland on his mother's side—the Neals—is of Southern decent. Naturally, millions of people in the United States would be interested in seeing this line pursued by the compiler of the pedigree, but as the Magazine is presumably for New England readers only a mere mention of the fact is made, while the paternal lines direct and collateral are extensively worked out and chattered with brief biographical notices. His Northern ancestors, it seems, were notable people, but it is perhaps fortunate for Mr. Cleveland that some of their Puritan traits have been modified in his person by a strain of Southern blood. In many things he shows his Southern instincts. When he was threatened with the loss of votes because he wrote a sympathetic letter in reply to an epistle from Col. H. Clay King's aunt, he said that if it would injure him politically to treat a distressed woman courteously, then he was willing to suffer the consequences. Again, when the condition of Mrs. Harrison became critical and prevented the president from attending the dedicatory exercises at Chicago, Mr. Cleveland declined to go, and as far as possible withdrew from any active participation in the campaign.

In all this there is the true spirit of chivalry, and it reminds one of some knightly Southerner of the old school. Undoubtedly, the Democratic standard bearer is a firm and positive man, and he knows when to be strong and aggressive, but under the fierce white light of publicity, many of his softer characteristics have been revealed, and good men and women of every shade of political belief are growing stronger in their admiration for Grover Cleveland as a statesman and as a man.—Atlanta Constitution.

The lawyers and business men of Lafayette played a game of base ball last Sunday for the benefit of the High School fund.

Persons who desire insurance should investigate the methods of the American Legion of Honor.

DIED:

LEWIS—At the family residence, near Opelousas, May 27, 1893, Mrs. Alphonstae Lastrapes, wife of Hon. E. T. Lewis, aged 52 years, 8 months.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

PUBLIC Schools will close June 16th, 1893. Any teacher whose month does not end on that day may complete it by teaching the following week.

Schools will close from June 12th to the 16th, to enable teachers to attend the Institute to be held at Opelousas, during which time salaries of teachers in attendance will continue. Attendance upon the part of every teacher in the parish is compulsory, and reduced rates of board, travel, &c., will be secured for them if possible.

Arrangements are being made to make the session of the Institute instructive and entertaining.

The Public are cordially invited to attend.

A. L. FONTENOT, President.
W. S. FRAZEE, Secty.

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JUDGMENT.

ELVINA TATE, WIFE, VS. JOHN L. GUILLORY, HUSBAND.

DISTRICT COURT, PARISH OF ST. LANDRY
No. 15225.

This is a suit brought by Mrs. Elvina Tate, wife, against her husband, John L. Guillory, to recover from him the sum of ten thousand five hundred and seventy and 59|100 dollars, with 5 ojo interest per annum from judicial demand until paid, less the sum of nineteen hundred and sixty dollars paid her as per dation en paiement before Jules Gil, notary public of St. Landry, and also for judgment against her said husband, dissolving the community of acquets and gains heretofore existing between them, and to have the control and management of all property owned by her, or which she may hereafter acquire, free and apart from the interference of her said husband. The case was regularly tried after answer filed by defendant and on the trial of said case plaintiff having proven to the satisfaction of the court by competent proof that her demand is well founded in the law and the evidence being in favor of plaintiff, Elvina Tate, wife, and against her husband, John L. Guillory, it is for these reasons, hereby ordered, adjudged and decreed that Elvina Tate, wife, plaintiff herein, do have judgment against defendant, John L. Guillory, in the full sum of ten thousand five hundred and seventy and 59|100 dollars, with 5 ojo per ann. interest from judicial demand, less the sum of nineteen hundred and sixty dollars paid her as per dation en paiement before Jules Gil, notary public of St. Landry.

It is further ordered, adjudged and decreed that the community of acquets and gains heretofore existing between them be dissolved, that plaintiff do have the control and management of all property now owned by her or which she may hereafter acquire, free and apart from the interference of her husband; and it is ordered and decreed that defendant pay all costs of suit.

Done, read and signed in open Court at Opelousas, La., this 23d day of May, 1893.

W. C. PERRAULT,
Judge 11th Jud. Dist. La.
Filed May 23, 1893.
(Signed) C. M. THOMPSON, Clerk.
May 27, 1893. 2t

NOTICE.

LAND OFFICE AT NEW ORLEANS, LA., May 20, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, under Section 2291 R. S., and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Opelousas, La., on Wednesday, July 5th, 1893, viz:

WILLIAM H. HUMBLE.

who made Homestead Entry No. 11886 for the north ½ of northeast ¼ southwest ¼ of northeast ¼ and northwest ¼ of southeast ¼, Sec. 36, township 3 south range 1 west, Louisiana Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Gustave Fuscher, Daniel Sittig, Ben Pierrotti and Edgar Aguillard, all of St. Landry Parish Louisiana.

CHAS. C. PALFREY,
May 27, 1893. 6t Register

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HYPOLITE BOGAR.

who made Homestead Entry No. 1089 for the northwest ¼ of sect. 3, township 3, S R 1 west, La. Mer.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land viz:

Hildevert Granger, Ambroise Granger, Israel Deshotels, Auguste Sonrier and Lefrour Jacko Fontenot, all of St. Landry parish, Louisiana.

CHAS. C. PALFREY,
May 20, 1893. 6t Register.

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UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, New Orleans, La., May 17, 1893.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court at Opelousas, La., on Wednesday, July 5th, 1893, viz:

ELOIR BOGAR,

who made Homestead Entry No. 14079 for the southwest ¼ section 5, township 3, south range 1 west, Louisiana meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz:

Hildevert Granger, Ambroise Granger, Israel Deshotels, Auguste Sonrier and Lefrour Jacko Fontenot, all of St. Landry parish, Louisiana.

CHAS. C. PALFREY,
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EDMOND P. JENNER,

who made Homestead Entry No. 9233 for the SE ¼ Sec. 31 Tp 6 south range 1 east, Louisiana Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz:

Augustin Ledoux, O. Ledoux, Auguste Fruge and Edgar Aguillard, all of St. Landry parish Louisiana.

CHAS. C. PALFREY,
May 20-6t. Register.

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And, whereas, the prayer of said petition has been granted by an order of court bearing date June 1, 1893.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given to all persons interested to make opposition to said tableau, to file same in writing, in my office in the town of Opelousas, within the time required by law, why the said tableau should not be homologated and confirmed.

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