

LOCAL MATTERS.

Thursday's Edition.

Our Confederate Veterans.

There was a meeting last night of the Confederate Veterans, mainly for the object of re-organizing the Association, with a view of establishing it on a firmer basis.

In consequence, the Association has been unable to accomplish any other result than to assemble, by the free will of its members, at two or three meetings or reunions, and on the occasion of the visit of the Army of Tennessee to this city.

No organization can be found that will be nearer to the hearts of our people, than one composed of our veterans, some of whom fought on almost every battlefield, from Gettysburg to Mansfield.

While it may be held that the only condition required of a member should be that he served the South faithfully, yet, organizations cannot exist solely on such a foundation.

The Louisiana Division of the Army of Northern Virginia, with its perfect organization, has won the warm affections of the people to such an extent that they have been enabled, in a few years of work, to construct a vault capable of receiving twenty-five hundred of its dead, over which stands a monument surmounted by the statue of the illustrious Stonewall Jackson.

Thus has it bequeathed to New Orleans and to posterity a monument whose value cannot be computed in dollars and cents.

The Army of Tennessee is successfully engaged in a similar undertaking.

It does seem to us that the large number of ex-Confederate soldiers in this city and section ought to remember that across the Mississippi, nearly opposite the Capitol, resided a planter who, when the drums beat the assembly, in 1861, enlisted as a private soldier in the Fourth Louisiana Infantry, of which he soon rose to be the heroic and beloved Colonel; and who, in that capacity, fell desperately wounded at their head, on the field of Baton Rouge, on the 5th of August 1862.

They ought to remember him as the disabled veteran whom the love and confidence of the people elevated to the highest trust, that of Governor of the State of Louisiana, and who, after setting an example of the purest devotion to duty and country, retired, when the cause was lost, to die from his wounds in a foreign land.

They ought to remember that Baton Rouge, the Capital of Louisiana, his home, almost, where he received his death wound, is pre-eminently the spot where an enduring monument should be reared to perpetuate the memory of the patriotic citizen, the heroic soldier and whole-souled Governor, HENRY WATKINS ALLEN.

We are happy to announce that the Veterans appointed a committee on Revision of By-Laws, looking to the formation of their organization on a firm and lasting basis.

Having accomplished that, we doubt not that they will take up some undertaking that will receive the hearty endorsement and support of the people.

All the officers were re-elected by acclamation, namely: Major John J. Wax, President; Captain John McGrath, Vice President; Captain O. P. Skolfield, Secretary; Col. J. E. Blouin, Treasurer; Captain J. W. Bates, Marshal; Dr. L. F. Reynard, Surgeon.

THE MAGNOLIA.—The Board of Trustees of that beautiful cemetery are calling upon those indebted to them for lots, to come up and pay for the same. The Trustees design beautifying the cemetery so as to render it a spot that will attract the visitors to our city. We hope that the debtors will not wait until legal proceedings are instituted against them, ere they pay for the lots they have purchased. See notice.

ST. JOSEPH'S ACADEMY.—Elsewhere will be found the advertisement of this excellent school for young ladies, which has been so successfully conducted by the worthy Sisters of St. Joseph, who are better prepared than in the past to accommodate boarders in their spacious and well appointed buildings. The terms are very moderate and the instruction thorough, both moral and intellectual. The best of care is taken of the pupils placed in the keeping of the good Sisters, who deserve the most liberal patronage.

MORE EXCURSIONISTS.—The N. O. Democrat reports another excursion on Sunday next and still another of colored people from New Orleans, on next Sunday week. Alas, for the poor sinners!

Our youngest "devil" complains that he can't talk as much in the composing room as he can at school.

Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic assists Digestion

POLICE JURY ROOM, PARISH OF EAST BATON ROUGE, August 9th, 1881. Regular meeting of the Jury. Present—Mr. Andrew Jackson, President; and Messrs. Randolph, Davis, Montegado, Fairchild, Huguet, Gardere, Harelson, Stokes and Bogan.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The following reports were read and received:

Treasurer's Report. TREASURER'S OFFICE, EAST BATON ROUGE, August 8th, 1881. To the President and Members of the Police Jury: Gentlemen—Below you will please find my statement from last report to Aug. 8, 1881.

Report Treasurer of School Board. BATON ROUGE, LA., Aug. 8th, 1881. To the President and Members of the Police Jury: GENTLEMEN—Below you will please find my statement of collections of Poll Tax for the quarter ending June 30th, 1881.

Auditor's Report. AUDITOR'S OFFICE, Aug. 8th, 1881. To the President and Members of the Police Jury: GENTLEMEN—Below I hand you a statement of warrants issued since my last report.

Ranger's Report. BATON ROUGE, Aug. 8th, 1881. To the President and Members of the Police Jury: GENTLEMEN—Below you will please find my statement of sales of strays.

The president reported having, at the sale of the property belonging to the creditors of Hart & Hebert, purchased two judgments against the parish, amounting in all to \$5069.60, principal and interest for the sum of \$455, whereupon the Auditor was notified to issue a warrant to cover the said \$445, the action of the president being endorsed by the jury.

The application of Leah Johnson to be placed on the pauper list, was reported upon favorably by the president, to whom it was referred, and her name was ordered enrolled upon the list of indigent poor.

The petition of certain citizens relation to a change in the Kent road was granted, to be opened as laid out by the commissioners mentioned in said petition; and Messrs. Frank Valentine, Syd Byers, Chas. White, Mac Valentine and John Kent retained temporarily on said road.

Messrs. Stokes and Harelson, special Bridge Committee, reported having contracted with Messrs. David & Babin for the erection of three bridges, two in the Charlotte lane and one known as the King bridge, for the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars. The report of the committee was received, their action approved and \$120 appropriated out of the Bridge Fund, to pay for said bridges.

On recommendation of the same committee, lumber for an entire new bridge over Ward's Creek near Mr. Heard's was appropriated together with \$150, the lumber taken from this bridge to be used in repairing two bridges near the Mansur place.

On motion of Mr. Harelson the accounts of Mr. J. G. Bree were laid on the table.

Relative to the bills presented by Dr. B. Duchin, coroner, the president stated there had been an appropriation of \$300, in the Budget for satisfying the claims of the coroner and suggested the propriety of paying him a salary of \$25 per month.

Mr. Gardere moved the adoption of the suggestion the same to include all charges as jail physician, inquests etc. Motion Adopted.

The bill of Mr. G. A. Bozeman (referred to District Attorney,) was approved \$13.00.

Sheriff's bill for services outside the parish, conveying prisoners to penitentiary, feeding jurors etc., for \$72.35 was allowed.

By Mr. Davis—Resolved, That three hundred feet of lumber be appropriated to repair Cypress Bayou Bridge, on what is known as the Strickland road.

Seventy planks were granted for repairs to the bridge on the Frenchtown road.

Five hundred feet of lumber was ap-

propriated for bridges on the Greenwell Springs road.

By Mr. Montegado—Resolved, That the sum of \$100 be appropriated out of the Road and Bridge fund or any other funds not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of building a bridge across White's Bayou, on the Greenwell Springs and Port Hudson road, and that the same be payable to the Committee on Internal Improvements—adopted.

By Mr. Davis—Resolved, That twelve bridge planks be appropriated for the Bayou Sara road—adopted.

By Dr. Huguet—Resolved, That 2500 feet of lumber be appropriated for the use of the Highland and Middle roads, 6th ward.

A communication from Mr. R. Brown, road overseer, relative to the road and hands of his District, was received and laid on the table.

A petition to have Road District No. 14 of the 7th Ward re-established, was read and granted. Same extending from Quin and Dixon place to the Clay Gut road.

There being but one bid for the building of Joor's bridge across the Comite river the same was opened in presence of the jury and found to contain a proposal from Mr. R. L. Prunyn (accompanied by a plan) offering to build the bridge for the sum of fifteen hundred and seventy-five dollars, and to guarantee the same against high water for the period of five years.

Mr. Bogan moved that \$375, in addition to the \$1200 already appropriated, be set aside out of the contingent fund, to cover Mr. Prunyn's bid and that the proposition of Mr. Prunyn be accepted.

This motion being seconded was duly adopted.

The Jury then adjourned. ANDREW JACKSON, President. O. P. SKOLFIELD, Clerk.

Proceedings of the City Council.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, CITY OF BATON ROUGE, Tuesday, August 9, 1881. Adjourned meeting.

Present—Hon. L. Jastremski, Mayor; and Messrs. Wieck, Wax, Duggan, McCabe and Ginler—Councilmen.

The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The following bills were examined and allowed: M. Chambers, Administrator... \$135 15 N. Wax... 4 65 C. Cremonini... 10 40 N. Barnton... 40 J. D. Fisher, lessee, 2 bills... 52 75 A. R. Sanchez... 31 40 James Murphy... 5 00 Special Police... 13 00 P. Favre... 4 00 Rachel Hall... 17 45 John Corcoran... 2 00 Total... \$274 20

The report of officers was then presented as follows:

Auditor's Report. GENTLEMEN—During the month of July I issued warrants as follows: Fire Department... \$375 30 Streets and Landings... 235 00 Contingent Expenses... 53 45 Charities... 193 90 Salaries... 503 50 Total... \$1479 84

The Contingent Account consists of Bill for jail fees... \$11 70 Cleaning offices... 6 00 Special police... 6 00 M. Chambers, Adm... 29 75 Total... \$53 45 Respectfully submitted, GEO. HENDERSON, Auditor.

Report of Administrator of Finance. GENTLEMEN—The movements of my office last month were as follows: Collections as per statement... \$117 65 Warrants redeemed... 1050 20 Warrants deposited in sinking fund... 64 86 Remitted Fiscal Agent... 463 45 Respectfully, M. CHAMBERS, Administrator of Finance.

On motion, duly seconded, the reports were received and approved.

The reports of the Administrator of Improvement and Administrator of Police were read, received and filed.

The report of the City Physician was read, and, on motion, received and ordered published.

Report of City Physician. BATON ROUGE, Aug. 2, 1881. To His Honor, the Mayor, and Members of City Council: GENTLEMEN—I have nothing to report requiring your special attention. Lee Campbell, colored, remaining in Hospital at last report, was discharged on the evening of the 9th of July.

Esle Reitz, white, a native of Germany, was admitted on Friday morning, the 30th of July, and was discharged on Sunday morning, July 31st. Joseph Canha, white, a native of France, and August H. Meier, white, a native of Germany, were both admitted yesterday morning, August 1st, and are still in Hospital. As to the health bulletin for July, I am pleased to state that it is much more favorable than that for the previous month, showing a decrease of six in the number of deaths on the mortality list.

We have been spared, so far, the visitation of contagious and malignant diseases in an epidemic form, and indications point to a continuation of improvement in the sanitary condition of our city. With a little attention toward facilitating the drainage of our streets and gutters, we might boast of the healthiest city in the State. I am, very respectfully, your obedient servant, L. F. REYNARD, M. D., City Physician.

Report of Committees. The committee on procuring a set of colors for the steamer City of Baton Rouge, reported that they had made arrangements to get some at a cost of one hundred dollars. Report received.

Messrs. Duggan and McCabe, after explanation, stated their wish to withdraw their opposition to the presentation of the colors to the new steamer, and now expressed their full co-operation with the Council in that matter and that their action be placed on record.

The Committee on Streets and Landings reported having inspected the city wharf, and recommended that it be either demolished or thoroughly repaired.

It was moved, by Mr. Wax, and duly seconded, That the question be left at the disposal of the Street Committee with power to act. Adopted.

Messrs. Sanchez, Day and Finck, Committee of Independence Fire Co. No. 2, presented a written report and copy of resolution, receiving and approving of the new bell and belfry. Ordered filed.

His Honor, the Mayor, informed the Council of a proposition of Mr. Joseph

McKitrick in regard to repairing streets near his place of business.

Moved by Mr. Wax and seconded that same be left to the Street Committee. Adopted.

Petitions.

A petition from the Baton Rouge Oil Works for permission to erect a shed across the street and place a pair of soles under same, was read, received and referred to the Streets and Landings Committee.

A petition from Messrs. Nachman, Capdeville, Ahern and Williams, to remedy cutting of batture and deposit of filth between Laurel and Main Streets, was read, received and referred to proper committee.

A petition from Mr. W. Garig, to repair gutter in front of his warehouse, was read, received and referred to the Streets and Landings Committee.

A communication from Mr. W. Garig, suggesting the appointment of a suitable person or persons to represent the city of Baton Rouge at the Exposition at Atlanta, Georgia, in October next, was read, received and action thereon deferred until next meeting.

By Mr. Wieck—Resolved, That the Scavenger cart be placed under the control of the Administrator of Police for Sanitary purposes, and whenever the Administrator of Improvements cannot obtain the use of same, he be, and is hereby authorized to hire some other conveyance. Adopted.

By Mr. McCabe—Resolved that the Administrator of Improvements take immediate steps to strengthen the walls, supporting the belfry in building of Independence Fire Co. No. 2. On call of yeas and nays the motion was lost.

It was moved and seconded that the Council adjourn. Adopted.

LEON JASTREMSKI, Mayor. GEO. HENDERSON, Secretary.

Meeting of the Press.

We would call the attention of our citizens to the fact that the members of the Press of Louisiana, at their last meeting in New Orleans, selected Baton Rouge for their next reunion which takes place on Monday, September 5th, proximo.

A conference will be held this week by the representatives of the Sugar Planter, Advocate and CAPITOLIAN, with a view of arranging a programme for the reception of the members of the Press of the State, on the occasion above mentioned.

We doubt not that our public-spirited citizens will assist in welcoming the editorial fraternity, which has shown in various ways, its great friendship for Baton Rouge.

Captain John McGrath, a member of the Committee of Arrangements of the Army of Tennessee, desires us to express his thanks, to the merchants who were kind enough to sell tickets for last Sunday's Concert, particularly to Dr. J. Steensen, our Third Street druggist who, having twenty-five tickets unsold, generously kept them and paid over the amount in lieu thereof \$12.50, which he thus contributes to the Tomb Fund.

The rains ended on yesterday, Wednesday, and were replaced by an after taste of the hot weather of the month of June. Crops of all kinds were greatly benefited by the late showers and we hear that cane is growing splendidly since then. The sky is clear as a whistle to-day, but the atmosphere devilishly hot.

SORGHUM.—We are indebted to Mr. L. W. Conerly, instructor in Agriculture at the University, for splendid specimens of the early amber and early orange varieties of Chinese sugar cane, which can be seen at our office.

PIANO FOR SALE.—We call attention to the advertisement of Mr. Dejan, in another column, where he offers for sale the splendid Mathushek piano, which was used at the Concert of the Army of Tennessee.

Will the Postmaster

Be kind enough to explain why the mail for the 2:30 o'clock P. M., train is closed at 12:30 o'clock, or ONE and ONE HALF hours before the ferry leaves for the depot?

A Rosenfield proposes to collar and cuff his customers in the most approved and latest style. For further particulars see his advertisement.

See advertisement colored boy wanted.

Saturday's Edition.

Confederate Veterans.

HEADQUARTERS CONFEDERATE VETERAN ASSN., EAST BATON ROUGE, Aug. 10, 1881. The Association met pursuant to adjournment.

After roll call, the reading of the minutes was dispensed with, and the application of C. H. Dickinson for membership was read, and on motion the rules were suspended and Mr. Dickinson elected a member by acclamation.

The Secretary then presented bills on file amounting to \$306.56 which were allowed and ordered paid.

The Association then proceeded to the election of officers, and on motion, the following named comrades were elected without opposition:

President, Jno. J. Wax. Vice-President, Jno. McGrath. Secretary, O. P. Skolfield. Treasurer, J. E. Blouin. Surgeon, L. F. Reynard.

Mr. McGrath moved that a committee of five be appointed, whose duty shall be to revise the constitution and by-laws of the Association. Carried.

The President appointed Capt. Jno. McGrath, chairman, and comrades L. Jastremski, G. D. Waddill, F. W. Heroman and E. Droz.

The President stated that the neces-

sary standing committees would be appointed and published in due course of time.

The application for membership of Mr. Chas. Bergeron was withdrawn at his own request.

The following communication from the corresponding Secretary of the Army of Tennessee Association was ordered spread upon the minutes and the Secretary instructed to acknowledge receipt of some with thanks.

HEADQUARTERS ASSOCIATION OF THE ARMY OF TENNESSEE, LOUISIANA DIVISION, New Orleans, August 6th, 1881.

To the Secretary of the Confederate Veteran Association of the Parish of East Baton Rouge: MY FELLOW COMRADE—Your communication of July 27th, 1881, enclosing a roll of the Confederate Veteran Association of the Parish of East Baton Rouge duly received.

I am instructed by the President of the Association of the Army of Tennessee Louisiana Division, to convey to you the thanks of said Association, for the kind spirit shown us, and to inform you that your roll will be placed among the most honored of the archives of this Association.

In response to your request, I herewith send a complete roll of the members of the Association of the Army of Tennessee Louisiana Division. Again thanking you, I remain,

Fraternally yours, EUGENE MAY, Corresponding Secretary.

On motion of Gen. Jastremski, the Association adjourned, to meet again at the Hall of Hook and Ladder Company, on Wednesday the 24th inst., at 8 o'clock, P. M.

JOHN J. WAX, President. O. P. SKOLFIELD, Secretary.

Rev. Father Berthel, of Pointe Coupee Parish, after a short visit to his many friends, departed for home on yesterday morning. He is in fine health and spirits and represents the situation in his section as most encouraging. The crops generally are good, and in consequence everybody is happy.

We were pleased to see in our city, Senator Mayer Caben, of the Lafourche District, who, in company with Mr. Vicknair, took advantage of Railway communication to pay a visit to the Capital. These gentlemen are much pleased with its general appearance and indications of rapid growth.

DRAINING CATFISHTOWN.—The Committee of the City Council appointed, for the purpose of effecting this long needed work, have decided to take action by causing a conduit to be laid under the levee and extending to the river edge. They examined the place on last Wednesday.

Mothers, Mothers, Mothers!

Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at once and get a bottle of Mrs. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere. 25 cents a bottle. [Daily]



Pratt, Houston County, Ga., Jan. 28, 1880. In the year 1872, there were two negro prisoners confined in the jail of this county, who were very badly afflicted with that loathsome disease Syphilis. In my official capacity as Ordinary, I employed Capt. C. T. Swift, then a resident of this place, to cure them, under a contract, "no cure, no pay." He administered to them his celebrated Syphilitic Specific, and in a few weeks I felt bound, under my contract, to pay him out of the county treasury, as he had effected a complete and radical cure.

In testimony I herewith set my official signature and seal. A. S. GILES, CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., February, 14, 1879.

We take pleasure in saying that the S. S. S. is giving good satisfaction. We have had excellent results from a number of cases. One gentleman who had been confined to his bed six weeks with Syphilitic Rheumatism has been cured entirely and speaks in the highest praise of it. It also acts as well in primary as in secondary and tertiary cases.

CHILES & BERRY THE SWIFT SPECIFIC COMPANY, Proprietors, Atlanta, Ga. Sold by W. T. CLUVERIUS. Call for a copy of "Young Men's Friend."

With the Anti-Malaria. CURES Chills and Fever, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaints, Kidney Affections, Neuralgia, Constipation, Sick Headache, Female Complaints, Biliousness, Puffiness, and all Malarial Diseases without medicine. No Dosing—no inconvenience, and a positive cure, including Borelli's Anti-Malaria, \$2.00. Sent by mail to any address upon receipt of price. Principal Depot, 92 German St., Baltimore, Md. Sold by Druggists generally. Buy none but Flag's Patent Liver and Stomach Pad, others are bulky, hard and troublesome to wear.

All of Dr. Flag's Preparations are sold by DR. BROOKS, Baton Rouge.



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BEAL'S READY REFERENCE.

CANDY—Stick and fancy candies, standard and extra fine.

NUTS—Pecans, almonds, Brazil nuts, peanuts and filberts.

GREEN FRUITS—Apples, peaches, lemons, limes.

CANNED FRUITS—Apples, oranges, pears, egg-plums, Green Grapes, Muscat Grapes, Blackberries, Strawberries and Pine Apples.

DRIED FRUITS—Figs, dates, prunes, raisins, currants, citron, apples and peaches.

PRESERVED FRUITS—Plums, quinces, strawberries, pine apple, raspberries, blackberries, tamarinds, and Turkish roses, tin and glass.

MARMALADES—Tin and glass, assorted.

FRUIT BUTTERS—Peach, quince, apple, plum, raspberry and blackberry.

JELLIES—Standard and extra fine; glass tumblers.

JELLY—Clear apple jelly, fine goods.

APPLE SAUCE—3 pound tins.

CRANBERRIES—Best and cultivated, Cape Cod.

PICKLES—C. & B. onions, Chow Chow and Picnic.

PICKLES—Domestic, glass and fruit.

OLIVES AND CAPERS—Choice fruit; new crop.

STUFFED OLIVES—Finest quality; French.

TRUFFLES—Small cans, choice.

BRANDY FRUITS—Peaches and cherries.

SAUCE AND CATSUPS—Worcestershire, Halford's, diamond, tomato, walnut and pepper.

OLIVE OIL—Standard and extra; pure goods.

CELESTY SALT—Royal, small sifting top castors.

GELATINE—Best English.

EXTRACTS—Lemon, vanilla and ginger; standard and extra.

PLUM BUTTER—One and two pound tins.

POTTED MEATS—Ham, tongue, turkey and chicken.

PATES—De Fois Gras and Partridge.

CURRIED OYSTERS—Superior oysters in curry sauce, fine.

CANNED OYSTERS—Full weight, good quality.

CANNED MEATS—Corned and roast beef and pork sausage.

OX TONGUES—Whole tongues, finest quality; 30 pound cans.

SARDINES—Boneless tomato sauce.

SARDINES—In olive oil, 1 and 1/2 boxes.

SARDINES—Domestic, spiced, and with mustard, 1/2 boxes.

CANNED FISH—Salmon, Lobster, Crab-Meat and clams.

CANNED VEGETABLES—Asparagus, corn, peas, tomatoes and okra, okra, muscat, pumpkin, squash and mushrooms.

CANNED MILK—Eagle, Crown and Diamond.

BUTTER—Fine creamery; dairy and cooking.

CHEESE—Fancy domestic, Holland, Roquefort, Gouda, Emmentaler and Swiss.

MACARONI—Finest imported, and domestic.

VERMICELLI—Best domestic.

CHOCOLATE—Sweet and plain, standard and fine.

COCOA—Finest London, 1 pound sealed cans.

TEA—Japan, Oolong, Eng. Breakfast, Young Hyson, Gunpowder and Mixed. Can please any taste.

COFFEE—Rio, Cordova, Java, Maracibo and fancy Santos.

ROAST COFFEE—Good quality; whole bean.

RICE—Best new crop Louisiana.

SUGARS—Cane and powdered loaf, coffee A, light brown and brown.

BARLEY—Choice new crop; pearled.

SAGO AND TAPIOCA—Best new, pearled.

CORN STARCH—Hecker's improved, culinary.

STARCH—Best laundry; Cincinnati.