

Everybody is using Brown's Iron Bitters, and everybody is astonished at its many marvelous cures where all others have failed.

When the Senate, called in extra session, on 10th inst., meets we hope there will be no hickering, but an honest, straightforward discharge of duty.

In a counting room the following notice was once stuck in a conspicuous place: "Persons having no business in this office will get through with it as soon as possible and leave."

Some young clergyman preach sermons that come from their heads and hearts; others use those that come from Chicago, lithographed and sold to the profession for thirty cents each.

Official notice is given by the Russian authorities that the importation of galvanic batteries, induction coils and insulated wires will be subject to the same rules as the importation of arms.

"Gentlemen, a toast. Fill your glasses. May the rich sparkle of the wine, the delicate flavor—" "Be continued in our necks," suggested one of the guests, and the toast was imbibed slowly.

Frederick Franks, jailer at Bloomington, Illinois, was murdered Saturday by a prisoner named Pierce. The news spread and a crowd of five thousand people burst into the jail, and taking Pierce out, lynched him.

Good-looking women are generally weaker and less capable of getting along than plain ones. By watching the horse car conductors, we have observed that a pretty girl requires twice as much assistance to get on a car as does a homely one.—Boston Post.

Discussing a friend: "Oh, I grant you he has some good points, but he is so awfully violent. Why, he yesterday called his uncle a brigand, a robber, and said he would end his days on the scaffold." "Yes, but he wouldn't have talked so about a stranger."—Le Figaro.

This, from the New York Herald, is a truism the farmers of the South would do well to lay at heart: "The greater the variety of the products of a region the more independent will be its inhabitants of those of other regions, and the less serious will be the failure of a single crop."

A South Carolina paper says that the wife of Congressman Tilman, of that State, notwithstanding the cares of a numerous family, mounts her horse daily and personally superintends every detail of her husband's extensive planting interest, and is considered one of the most successful managers of a farm in Edgefield county.

John Monroe packed his household effects in a wagon and started from Illinois to Missouri. His wife accompanied him, and there was scant room for two in the vehicle. When she fell ill on the way and required space to lie down John was puzzled what to do. He finally laid her by the roadside and went on. She died there alone.

Arthur Stern's wife disappeared unaccountably, in Chicago, and, after several days of unavailing search, the husband said that he had murdered her. He described to the police a spot where her body might be found buried; but they had only just begun to dig when the woman appeared alive and well. Stern says he dearly loves a joke.

An aged man afflicted with cataplexy, has been placed in jail at Hadlyme, Conn., on the complaint of two married daughters, for failing to support his family, the youngest member of which is twenty-four. His case arouses a good deal of sympathy and indignation in the town, and he would be instantly released, if he did not decline to be liberated by anybody but his daughters.

Whoever would keep his promises must be cautious in making them. In one minute a man can make an engagement involving, to perform it properly, a month's labor. Men who are stigmatized as unfaithful, and commonly believed to be liars, are often victims of hastily-made promises. But when a promise is made, an honorable man will strain every nerve to keep it.

In Tennessee live William Nye, his fair daughter Isabel and Walker Pendergrast, a young man of the mountains, to-wit, a moonshiner, bold and brave. As much as he likes whisky, Mr. Nye doesn't favor the moonshine brand—he wants it straight or not at all. So when young Pendergrast came to his house a courting, Mr. Nye warned him to keep away. On the 12th instant Pendergrast suddenly appeared on the back porch of the Nye house, where Mr. Nye was taking his noon-day nod, and pinioned him to his chair. Then Isabel tied her father's feet, hands and body with a rope, her lover holding a revolver at his head, and mounting horses, the daring runaways fled to the mountains.

THE NEEDED EXTRA SESSION.

The New Orleans Democrat, in an article which does not favor an extra session of the Legislature, has for its strongest argument the matter of its cost, which it says, will amount to probably fifty thousand dollars. It also doubts the ability of that body to frame the required legislation within the twenty days prescribed by the constitution.

If the Assembly is called to meet at New Orleans, we concur with the views of our contemporary. As usual, the chambers will be called to order at 12 m., amid the bee-hive of interested lobbyists. Adjourning at four, the members will go to their fine dinners. Later on, instead of going to the committee room where most of the work is done, they'll go to the theatres or other places of amusement.

The State can't afford to give any more holidays to her legislators. Honest, patriotic work is absolutely demanded by the exigencies of the situation.

State warrants are at fifty cents on the dollar.

After January 1st, the public institutions of the State, will be without funds to maintain their inmates who will have to be sent home, or thrown upon the cold charity of the world.

The levees will be unprovided for. State officials and employees, Judges etc., will have no other recourse than to pledge vouchers at a heavy discount to the brokers of Carondelet Street.

The rebuilding of the Capitol will have to be suspended, as soon as the loan of fifty cents on the dollar, on State warrants has been exhausted.

Louisiana can easily meet her necessary expenses of government, if intelligent legislation is had.

The people are tired of this disgusting brokerage business with their State warrants, and they want to see the dollar they pay, go to the person who is entitled to it instead of seeing half of it go to the brokers.

To do that the extra session should be called to meet at Baton Rouge, the constitutional seat of government, where the members of the legislature will not be drawn away from the committee room.

'Tis true that the Capitol is unfinished, yet it is under roof and all necessary rooms are floored. In sixty days the building can be made amply comfortable.

In fact, a set of men who have the public welfare at heart could legislate within its walls now. The members of the Press, who attended the meeting held on the 5th of September last will surely sustain us in that.

Though Baton Rouge has not the gorgeous hotels and restaurants of New Orleans, yet she can give the members comfortable accommodations.

The blandishments of the Babylon of the Southwest must be shaken off, and brave, honest work, for twenty days, must be given at Baton Rouge for Louisiana's rehabilitation.

BRINGING DESTITUTE SICK TO TOWN.

On Sunday, a sick and destitute colored woman, was brought into the city, in a wagon controlled by Justice A. H. Miller. The wagon was standing near the Court House when the Mayor reached it. A halt sister of the poor woman declared her inability and unwillingness to take her to her house, so that no alternative was left the Mayor but to send the very sick woman to the city hospital, else to order the driver to take her back over the nine miles of road over which she had been brought.

The Mayor followed the promptings of humanity and instructed Administrator of Police, Hillen, to have her taken to the hospital and to hold the wagon and team till the owner would appear.

On yesterday Justice A. H. Miller appeared before the Mayor and stated that he had control of the team and wagon.

The examination, while it showed that the parties who brought the woman to the city, had been induced to believe that she would be received by relatives, also showed that Mr. Miller knew that the wagon would be used for the purpose of bringing her to this city, an act which is in contravention with its ordinance, which makes the owner or driver of any conveyance, liable to pay a fine of twenty-five dollars, who brings a destitute sick person within the city limits.

The Mayor stated that Mr. Miller, being the party most responsible for the payment of the fine, he would, finding him in contravention with the ordinance, sentence him to pay all ex-

penses up to the amount of twenty-five dollars, adding that hard as this might seem, it would be still harder were he to decide that the tax-payers of Baton Rouge were to pay them.

The city hospital is maintained by Baton Rouge alone, and cannot be expected to receive destitute persons from other communities.

The Mayor is determined to enforce the ordinance relating to this subject.

THE CIRCUS BAMBOOZZLE.

According to advertisement, Shelby, Pullman & Hamilton's circus performed here Saturday afternoon and night. From the many favorable notices given it by the press of the country through which it passed some months ago, we were justified in the belief that our people would be highly entertained; yet to be right and just we strictly refrained from making any favorable mention on our own responsibility until the papers of the towns and cities near us gave in their reports. The New Orleans papers pronounced the ring performance passably good, but represented the manager to be of trifling importance, and that the public should be on the watch, as there were a lot of thieves following it around who seemed to be under the fostering care of the managers, they declining to discharge them. However this may have been, the authorities of New Orleans came near prohibiting their concluding performances from this or some other cause.

Just as the circus boat reached the landing at this place the Mayor of this city received a letter from Donaldsonville, which pronounced the whole thing a humbug and cautioning him to be on the lookout for thieves, as several robberies were committed. So it will be seen that the concern reached here with very poor recommendation as to honesty and morality. Still there were hundreds of people in readiness to attend, as the fare was advertised at 50 cents. But what was their surprise when they approached the grounds to find the ticket wagon intentionally closed and a lot of roughs promenading around offering tickets for sale at 60 cents advance. The price of tickets had suddenly sprung up to one dollar and ten cents for adults and sixty cents for children.

At first the people believed the percentage roughs to be cheats, and refused to buy, but when the ticket wagon opened its treasured doors and the sales began at one dollar for adults and fifty cents for children, the verdict was general, that the proprietors were a party to the fraud, and the whole affair was a swindle—proprietors, managers and all.

There was some good acting in the ring, but the impolite, brutal bearing of not only bigoted managers, but half drunken employees, towards our people was intolerable, and offset what little attractions there were in this respect. Such a thing will not be tolerated again by the people of Baton Rouge.

As to their treatment of us, we can not do otherwise than return thanks, but still when a traveling troupe perpetrates a fraud upon a community which comes under our surveillance, we ignore such obligations and show them up in their true light.

Therefore, in common with our community, individually and collectively, and in justice to those who are yet in danger of becoming victims to their open-handed system of robbery, we raise the voice of warning.

Residents of this city who attended the concern's performance while they were in New Orleans, say that the performance at this place was nothing to compare with that they had previously witnessed.

Hon. W. H. Pipes, of Clinton, member of the Board of Supervisors of the State University, put in an appearance just after the Board had been called to order. Mr. Pipes takes so deep an interest in the welfare of that institution, that he never fails to be present at the meetings.

Prof. J. W. Nicholson, the able mathematician and accomplished gentleman, arrived here with his family, on Sunday, to take charge of what promises to be a large class at the State University. Though the crops of North Louisiana have pretty generally failed, the Professor states that a considerable number of cadets are coming from that section.

Col. Junnel, our public spirited and genial State Auditor, was here Monday with his son, a bright lad of 15, whom he has entered for the coming session at the State University. If the Auditor's laudable example is followed to any extent, Louisiana will soon have one of the most flourishing Universities in the South.

Prisoners received at the State Penitentiary October 1st: Nine prisoners—3 white men, 7 colored. John Miller, white, charge not specified, Assumption parish, 2 years; William Young, colored, charge not specified, Assumption parish, 2 years. October 2nd. Alex Harris, colored, Iberville Parish, indicted wrong less than mayhem, 2 years; Simon Gray, colored, Iberville parish, Larceny, 6 months. October 3rd., Stephen Place, white, Sabine Parish, intent to commit rape 2 years.

Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic Regulates the Bowels.

Died.

RANDOLPH.—In Baton Rouge, La., on Sunday, October 3d, 1881, at half past ten o'clock, M. WILLIAM WALKER RANDOLPH, aged son of J. H. Randolph and Sarah Walker—aged 4 years and 11 months.

ROBERTSON.—On Tuesday, September 13th, 1881, at nine o'clock, P. M., RATTIE ROBERTIA, daughter of D. A. Robertson and Tennessee Hinson—aged 6 years, 2 months and 17 days.

Our little darling was cheerfully ascending the rough and perilous ladder of life, winning the love and admiration of all who knew her by her sweet sunny smiles, and kind affectionate ways. But so tender and pure a blossom could not remain upon this cold earth. The angels plucked and bore it to that bright land, where, in fadeless beauty, it will bloom for eternity near the mighty throne of God.

Bright as the morning, As sweet as its breath; How sad at life's dawning To pass unto death.

Our home is so lonely; The glad words unaid; The tear-drops flow only Since our darling is dead.

We laid her to sleep 'Neath the cold, heavy sod, But why should we weep? Her soul is with God.

And while we survive, Her past is to be A bud still alive In our memory. M. E. C.

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A PRIVATE Family desires to take several Boarders. Single gentlemen preferred. For further information, apply to "M," at the Capitolian office.

NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS!

STATE OF LOUISIANA—Parish of East Baton Rouge, Tax Collector's Office. Baton Rouge, September 30th, 1881. According to Section 25, Act No. 77, of 1880, notice is hereby given, that the State and Parish Taxes of 1881 are set forth in the Tax Rolls on file in this office and in the mortgage office of the parish; that they are now due; that they will become delinquent on the 31st day of December next, and will draw eight per cent per annum interest from that date until sold, in accordance with Article 316 of the Constitution. J. W. BATES, Sheriff and Tax Collector.

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FALL NOVELTIES

NEW STOCK AT MISS P. BERTRAND'S Millinery Establishment

Main Street, Baton Rouge. Miss P. Bertrand takes pleasure in announcing to her patrons that she has received an extensive supply of FANCY and MILLINERY GOODS, of the very latest fall styles. She respectfully solicits a call from her friends, believing that they will be pleased with her selections.

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NOTICE TO COTTON PLANTERS

WE the undersigned, proprietors of Cotton Gins in the city of Baton Rouge, have this day fixed the following rates for the season until further notice: Gin for the Seed or 3-4 ct. per pound. Bagging and Ties.....\$1.40 Hauling, inside of city limits..... 50 six miles..... 1.00 every additional mile..... 25 We would respectfully suggest to the cotton planters to bring their cotton to the Gins in a dry state, which will not only enable us to make a better sample of cotton, but will enhance the value, from one to three cents per pound, as there will be a very low price for wet and dirty cotton. Respectfully, J. T. McKITTRICK, Agent. H. S. GIMLER, ANDREW H. THIELMAN, BALLETT L. LANGE. Baton Rouge, August 22, 1881. 3M

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Just opened and for sale at retail at Family Grocery of JOSHUA BEAL. Shoe Polish! Day & Martin's and Bixby's, in supply at Store of JOSHUA BEAL. Concentrated Lye! 98 percent Lye 15 cents per can. 60 percent Lye 10 cents per can. At Family Grocery of JOSHUA BEAL. Scouring Soap! "Pride of the Kitchen," now in stock at Family Grocery of JOSHUA BEAL. Magazines for October New York Fashion Bazar and the Delicestor. Just received at CHAMBERS' Bookstore, Third street, next door to Pike's Hall.

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