

Locals.

Mr. Wm. Lindsay, of Gillsburg, was here Tuesday morning.

Judge T. E. Tate, of Osyka, was in town Tuesday and honored this office with his genial presence.

Girls get too old for Easter eggs, but never too old for Lowney's candy. For sale at Corner Drug Store.

We regret very much that Mrs. Mary Ulmer has been on the sick list for several days, but she is now much better.

Hons. J. H. Price and R. W. Cutrer are engaged in a murder case before the Amite county court this this week.

Mrs. W. W. Brice of Gainesville, Florida, was in town this week. She is a first cousin of Hon. W. J. Bryan, of Nebraska, of whom a few of our people have heard.

Mrs. A. P. Lagroue desires to see the ladies of Magnolia at her residence any time they may find it convenient to call. She has something interesting, instructive and useful to show them.

The charter of the local chapter of Daughters of the Confederacy has arrived, and we are authorized to announce that a meeting will be held at the residence of Dr. A. P. Sparkman Thursday at 3 p. m.

Public improvements should be municipal as well as private. While we are discussing private enterprises let us look into the question of municipal improvements. Streets and sidewalks should be well worked and well kept, and all sanitary laws rigidly enforced.

A delightful party from Magnolia went to New Orleans Saturday to witness Marlowe's justly famous production of "When Knighthood was in Flower." It was composed of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lampton, Mrs. McDavitt, Miss Reid, Miss Mat Lampton and Mr. Leslie B. Lampton.

The sooner we realize that only harm for our community will come of despicable jealousy and malicious envy the better it will be for all of us. There are a few characters in Magnolia who are actually afraid to give their aid to a new enterprise lest it be of slightly more benefit to some one else than they would like to see.

A jolly crowd of Masons went down to Amite City Saturday evening to participate in a special meeting of the lodge there. The Grand Master of Louisiana was present beside a number of P. G. M's. Those who went to Magnolia were: G. W. Curtis, Sam and Levee, G. W. Curran, N. G. Webb, W. W. Leggett and L. H. Hungate.

The millinery openings at Lapton's and Mrs. Pendarvis Tuesday were splendid successes if beautiful creations in feminine headgear and hosts of prey women in attendance count for anything. We are poor judges of his and hence cannot venture upon an expert dissertation of the merits of intricate adornments displayed at both these popular establishments. It is decidedly more than enough for us to know that they cost like holy smoke.

Tuesday's dispatches from Washington contain the news that the President has re-appointed Mrs. Sarah K. Travis postmistress of Magnolia. Mrs. Travis' re-appointment will be received with satisfaction by everyone having business with the postoffice. She and her assistants have kept the affairs of the office strictly in accordance with governmental regulations and yet at the same time they have been uniformly courteous and accommodating to the public.

Some excitement was occasioned at Osyka directly after midnight Sunday morning by the rapid discharge of fire arms on the streets. Investigation developed the disturbance to have been caused by a lot of boys who were out on a "lark" and found amusement in shooting their pistols. Somebody in Osyka was badly frightened and telephoned Sheriff Leggett and Marshal Miller to come at once. Mr. Leggett went down on the first morning train but found everything quiet.

THE WAY TO BUILD IT.

The Gazette is glad to note a marked increase in interest among the people of Magnolia on the question of providing employment for those of our citizens who are at irregularly at work as well as creating a demand for labor which will be answered by the coming of people to swell our population. We hear much talk of some sort of a manufacturing enterprise, and it is a source of much gratification to us to note that some of our most prominent business men are discussing the matter with much earnestness. The necessity of some kind of industry in our town is most keenly felt. As this paper has time and again pointed out, we are depending almost solely upon our agricultural friends for our trade. That this trade is fine and flourishing does not by any means afford an argument against manufactures. If we desire to have a town which will be able to sustain itself upon its own population, then we must provide some means whereby that population can feed and clothe itself. To illustrate: not every boy now enjoying the advantages of our public school, will want to be, or will be fit for a clerk when he grows to manhood. Yet to our shame be it said, that is the only avocation in Magnolia in which a young man can be assured of regular employment. It is therefore inevitable that as these boys grow to be men they will be forced to leave the home of their youth and seek other fields of labor. The idea expands itself almost without limit when we come to consider it. Given a strong manufacturing enterprise in our town and we shall furnish employment to labor which is ours already, we shall be able to invite new citizens to make a home with us, and the new enterprise will send a current of new blood through every artery of our local industrial life.

But while it is distinctly a step forward that our people are interested in the matter, it is indisputably true that mere street talk will not accomplish results. Street talk is all one-sided; if defamatory, nothing can hurt a town more; but all the talk all of us can do, all talking altogether, will never result in any actual benefit unless it is followed up by ACTING. So we say now let the talk be followed by earnest, concerted action on the part of our citizens, and we shall most assuredly attain that which we desire.

It has not been so long ago that a famous American when asked how this government could resume specie payment replied: "The way to resume is to resume." Following that independent spirit in this instance we beg to say: The way to build a factory of any kind is to BUILD it.

A BELATED SPECIAL.

Under the caption, "Killed Her Lover," the Clarion-Ledger of Monday, publishes a special March 24th, telling how Ella Hart, a young colored woman living near Gillsburg, shot her lover, Milas Magee, with a pistol which she didn't know was loaded. As we have not been able to verify the report, we conclude this is the same Ella Hart who shot and killed her lover, Milas Magee, near Waterhole, in Marion county, a few days prior to the 15th of February. On that day the Gazette published a full account of the tragedy, which was obtained from an eye witness. The Clarion-Ledger apparently has got hold of an item of news some forty days old.

DALLAS REUNION.

Capt. J. J. White, commander of Stockdale Camp, U. C. V., has appointed Drs. W. W. Moore and W. M. Wroten and Mr. W. C. Vaught delegates to the Confederate reunion in Dallas next month.

Dr. W. W. Moore was a member of the 7th Mississippi Infantry, and participated in every engagement of this regiment, which at the close of the war only had men enough to form one company.

Dr. Wroten and W. C. Vaught were in the 4th Mississippi Cavalry under Gen. Forrest, and served with honor and distinction.

Capt. White always knows whereof he speaks.

E. W. Leggett

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A. T. GUY.

On the 20th inst., Mr. A. T. Guy, living seven miles west of Magnolia, passed peacefully away after a protracted illness of several months, in the 65th year of his age. He was buried in the family cemetery at Mr. E. B. Mixon's on the following day. A large assembly of people from the surrounding country and friends from Magnolia, Chatawa and Osyka being in attendance.

The funeral services were conducted in a very solemn and impressive manner by Rev. J. M. Cook, after which the Osyka Masonic Lodge, of which he had been a member for a great number of years, performed their funeral services.

He was born in Marion its most prominent citizens. He joined the Methodist church when quite young and has been a faithful and consistent member for more than forty-five years.

Early during the civil war he joined the 39th U. S. Colored Infantry, and served with distinction until the close of hostilities. A loving husband, an indulgent father, a faithful Christian, a kind neighbor and friend, and a good citizen has passed away. We will not forget him.

DIED.

At her home near Gillsburg, at 8 p. m. March 13, 1902, Mrs. Ophelia McMillan Wall, wife of E. S. Wall, and daughter of Archie McMillan. In early life she united with Silver Springs church in Pike county, where she remained a member until death. She leaves an infant a few days old. Burial at Wall cemetery March 15th. T. C. S.

BACK TAX NOTICE.

I am now ready to collect the back taxes from all persons who have agreed with the Revenue Agent as to their back tax assessments, and under orders from the Revenue Agent this tax must be paid this month.

W. W. LEGGETT, Sheriff. March 17, 1902.

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C. Loch,

The Painter. The Paints which occurred lately.

Miss Will Brumfield has been appointed maid of honor to sponsor of Miss, Division U. C. V., which meets in Dallas April 22nd. She will be designated as maid of honor of 1st brigade commanded by Brigadier General Webb.

No better selection from all of Pike's fair daughters could have been made. We congratulate Miss Will, and anticipate for her a pleasant trip. On the return of all old vets from the Dallas reunion, we shall hear them say, we were proud of our little maid, she did full honor and graced the occasion like a queen.

FOR SALE.

On refrigerator in first-class condition. Good as new. Five dollars gets it. Apply at Gazette office, or at my residence. E. D. SAFFORD.

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