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AROUND THE STATE.

Items of Interest Culled From the Louisiana Press.

Fire in the Jennings Oil Field—Bull Weevil Appears in Louisiana—Governor Signs Four Death Warrants.

Increase in Assessments.

Five prostrations from heat, one proving fatal, occurred at Shreveport. Burglars broke into a store at Westlake and purloined goods valued at \$1000.

Vincent Saia, an Italian fruit dealer, was shot and killed at Baton Rouge by Salvatore Rinauro.

Mexicans imported to work in the cotton fields of Concordia parish have proved unsatisfactory.

C. Marceaux, of Gueydan, was drugged and robbed in a questionable resort at Lake Charles.

Another large fire occurred at Franklinton and is supposed to have been started by incendiaries.

In twenty of the parishes of the state the assessments on property show an aggregate increase of \$8,000,000.

The Thibodaux Preserving Company's plant, which was established last year, has been seized for debt.

A fire in Minden destroyed property valued at \$11,000, on which insurance to the amount of \$6,250 was carried.

The police jury of Natchitoches parish accepted the bid of the Pauly Jail Company for the construction of a new parish prison at a cost of \$32,500.

The White & Wheelaw sawmill at Alden Bridge was completely destroyed by fire, inflicting a loss of \$100,000, which is fully covered by insurance.

P. Angelloz and Emile Vico, of Morgan City, who were members of a party of pleasure seekers that went to Last Island, were drowned while in bathing at that resort.

The suspension of H. E. Page & Co., cotton future brokers, was announced on the floor of the New Orleans cotton exchange. The firm settled with their creditors dollar for dollar.

More than thirty arrests for the violation of the Sunday law were made in New Orleans last Sunday.

The police were aided in enforcing the law by women furnishing information.

Prof. H. A. Morgan, state entomologist, admits that the boll weevil has made its appearance in Louisiana. He notifies those who handle cotton seed not to purchase any of it from Oakdale.

While leaning out of the window of a Canal belt car, in New Orleans, Jos. Henningsen was struck by an Esplanade belt car going in the opposite direction and received injuries from which he died.

Fire broke out in the oil fields at Jennings and caused damages amounting to \$30,000. Three gushers in the Arnaud tract were ignited and burned for a couple of days, being finally extinguished with steam.

While Walter Stephens was handling celery bottles in Lake Charles one of them exploded and a piece of flying glass struck Stephens in the throat, inflicting a four-inch gash and just missing the jugular vein.

The death warrants of Henry Johnson, Moses Lewis, Charles Foley and Bill Johnson have been signed by the first three judges of the court.

The date of execution of the first three was fixed for Friday, Sept. 23, and that of Bill Johnson for Friday, Sept. 30.

Work on the locks and dams for the Ouachita river will be commenced within the next sixty days. The contract calls for the building of two locks and dams, one at Roland's Raft, in Arkansas, and the other about one mile below Monroe.

Amelia Brown, a negro woman living in Rapides parish, killed her husband, John Brown, in self defense. The man had threatened the woman with a gun, and was advancing on her with a hoe when she fired on him and inflicted wounds from which he died in a few minutes.

What decision the referee handed down?

If it's true he arrived at the conclusion that Noel had violated the laws of neutrality by attacking the representative of a foreign race in the harbor of a disinterested onlooker?

If the point as to whether Noel and the Nig had the right to hold their little mill in the other fellow's buggy wasn't a vexing one for a time?

If you aren't of the opinion that the point was well taken?

Whether the other fellow's query as to when Noel had come in possession of Mississippi street wasn't a poser?

If there is any truth in the report that Joe Lafargue, Grandpa Spies and Rocks Foley have been requested to act as arbitrators in settling the question of the alleged breach of neutrality?

Why the Blue Store merchant was excluded from the aforesaid board?

If it was because he is looked upon as an interested party?

If you've heard of the new specialty artist who does stunts around Phoenix opera house?

Why it is he prefers not to give publicity to his performances?

If it isn't a shame for him to warble so sweetly for so small an audience?

How would you like to have a picture of the mocking-bird?

If the resemblance between it and a certain embryonic newspaper man wouldn't be startling?

If it has occurred to you that "XXX," "Nuf Sed" and "Vive la Galere" are one and the same, amen?

How it happens that the originator of sobriquets hasn't discovered a new nom for so long a time?

If it is because the appellation of "Thirty Cents" fits him so well?

What you think of the local political situation?

If it isn't a sure fact that some of the things thought by some of the local politicians would be barred from the mails?

Wouldn't you like to hear the gentleman from St. James relieve himself of a few remarks?

If it mightn't also be interesting to learn how the gentleman from down the bayou feels about the matter?

If the two gentlemen from Donaldsonville have any particular kick coming?

What in the world the ridiculously little Jimrack would fill up space with were it not for the edifying ebullitions of "Thirty Cents"?

If the puzzle column on the first page wouldn't have to be padded with six-point slugs should The Boy decide to discontinue the discussion?

If you know that "vogue la galere" means "to hell and damnation with it"?

If that isn't about The Boy's sentiments concerning the whole matter?

When the new school board is going to organize?

When Louisiana Square is going to be redeemed from frogism?—and

When the roadway under the T. and P. culvert is going to be flamed up from the sea of mud where it now reposes?

THE OFFICE BOY WANTS TO KNOW—

If you can imagine what old "Thirty Cents" is gassing about?

Why he doesn't let somebody else in on the secret?

What's the fun in writing a lot of stuff that nobody can understand?

Where in the world he learned to think that he knew how to push a pencil?

If he hadn't better go back and get a fresh start?

What is your opinion of a fellow who says one thing one week and who declares the next week that he said another thing?

If there isn't a world of difference between "Vive la Galere" and "Vogue la Galere"?

If anybody knows this better than the man who said "Vive" when he should have said "Vogue"?

Why he doesn't wait until he gets his French exercises back from the correspondence school before he sticks them in print?

If this course wouldn't save him a great deal of embarrassment and his legion of readers much brain-fag?

If you've struck anybody yet that can tell what the miniature Greeley is spilling about when he flies off into crapaud?

Whether it isn't just as hard to catch the drift of his meaning when he is blowing-off in English?

Why he doesn't annex a few sentences in one or two other outlandish lingoos and complete the general mistiness of his communications?

If you think that he really believes he is talking intelligibly when he puts his wisdom mill to work and grinds out a string of words that make about as much sense as a Russian dictionary on a jag?

If he mustn't have been left at the post when the book learning was handed around?

If Mississippi street isn't becoming strenuous right?

What's the matter with the front street coons that they require such frequent hide-tanning?

If the little Jeffries-Munroe affair out at San Francisco wouldn't be tame compared to the Noel-Nigger contest of the other day?

What rules they were scrapping under, anyway?

If it wasn't a case of hit and run—with Noel doing the hitting and the Nig attending to the running end of the proposition?

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