

The Democrat-Star

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LOCAL NEWS.

TIME-TABLE L. & N. R. R.

New Time-Table, Louisville and Nashville Railroad, which took effect Sunday November 11, 1888.

GOING EAST.

No. 4.—Leaves New Orleans at 7:00 a.m. Arrives at Scranton at 10:22 a.m. Arrives at Mobile at 11:50 p.m.

No. 2.—Leaves New Orleans at 3:05 p.m. Arrives at Scranton at 6:09 p.m. Arrives at Mobile at 7:27 p.m.

GOING WEST.

No. 1.—Leaves Mobile at 2:10 p.m. Arrives at Scranton at 3:25 p.m. Arrives at New Orleans at 7:30 p.m.

No. 3.—Leaves Mobile at 2:20 a.m. Arrives at Scranton at 3:30 a.m. Arrives in New Orleans at 7:00 a.m.

Geo. J. SANTA CRUZ, Station Agt.

Last Notice 10 Cents a Line for Each Insertion.

RELIGIOUS DIRECTORY.

Services at the Catholic Church from the 1st of October to the 1st of May.

1st SUNDAY.

First mass 7:30 a. m., St. Peter's Chapel. Second mass 10 a. m., Scranton.

2nd SUNDAY.

First mass 8 a. m., Moss Point. Second mass 10:30 a. m., Scranton.

3rd SUNDAY.

First mass 7:30 a. m., Scranton. Second mass 10:30 a. m., Moss Point.

4th SUNDAY.

First mass 8 a. m., Scranton. Second mass 10:30 a. m., Moss Point.

C. A. OLIVER, Pastor.

—Leap year is giving a glimmering.

—Christmas comes on Tuesday this year.

—Heavy frost several mornings this week.

—Oysters are fat, fine and very cheap.

—The sawmills of our town are now running.

—Wreckless driving on our streets should be stopped.

—The public school at this place is being well attended.

—Rev. J. J. Lovett, of Vancleave, gave us a call Monday.

—Mr. J. W. Laurendine, of St. Elmo, Ala., was in town Monday.

—Some krait pigs feet, sausage and everything good to be had at Casper's.

—Midnight howlers should be set down upon, metaphorically speaking.

—Don't forget that the best bargains in town are to be found at W. M. Canty's.

—Notwithstanding this is the latter part of November we have snip beans in the market.

—Mince meat, currants, citron, raisins, strawberry and apple jelly at Casper's.

—Mrs. R. E. Boquerie, of Portersville, Ala., was here Tuesday looking after her landed estate.

—Butterfats, hazelnuts, walnuts, almonds, apples, oranges and cranberries at Casper's.

—Two new stores to be opened soon at Pascagoula. The buildings are being erected.

—Road cars. Road cars. All grades and prices can be had of Sam D. Bloch, Mobile, Ala.

—Gents, if you want your money's worth, try a pair of those St. Louis shoes at W. M. Canty's.

—What beauty there is in the autumn woods—the singing brooks and the sighing pines.

—Mr. Duncan Nix, of Lake Charles, La., is visiting his brother, Alderman W. H. Nix, on Pascagoula street.

—Now is the time to make your cakes for Christmas, and the place to get your ingredients is at Casper's.

—Rev. O. D. Bowen will preach in the old Firemen's Hall Sunday night at 7:15. All are invited.

—Write to Sam D. Bloch for illustrated catalogue of buggies, harness and wagons.

—Ladies, if you have not made your fruit cake yet, send to W. M. Canty for the fruit.

—Mrs. S. Booth, of Biloxi, was here Saturday visiting the family of Mr. C. H. Alley, on Ker street.

—I have a large supply of Louisiana moss on hand for sale.

A. BLUMER, Moss Point.

—Capt. S. R. Thompson was made happy Wednesday evening. The boy weighed thirteen and a half pounds.

—Mr. Geo. W. Wilkes, of the Biloxi Heron, popped in on us yesterday, looking happy, though the goose hung high.

—Lightning rods have been put on the new Lutheran Church, the Catholic Church and J. M. Frank's livery stable.

—Rev. J. J. Lovett will preach in the Methodist church at Ocean Springs Sunday at 11 o'clock, a. m. and at night.

—A sailor under the influence of whiskey was thrown or fell from a horse last Saturday evening, in front of Mr. Allan's butcher shop and knocked senseless and painfully bruised about the face. His injuries were dressed by Dr. Moore.

—Mr. E. T. Cowart, of the firm of E. T. Cowart & Bro., Commission Merchants, Mobile, was in town Wednesday on business.

—Our friend, W. M. Canty, says he will not be undersold, and guarantees all those who favor him with their trade satisfaction.

—Our old and esteemed friend, Mr. The W. Grayson, of Ocean Springs, dropped in on us Monday morning to chat us a spell.

—“Coal Oil Johnny,” after an absence of several months, turned up in our town Monday and celebrated the occasion by an old-time hurrah.

—Oatmeal, barley, green peas, white beans, red kidney beans and everything kept in a first-class grocery to be had at Casper's.

—Prof. D. D. Cowan, of our neighboring town, Ocean Springs, dropped in on us for a few minutes last Saturday. He reports his town onward and upward.

—Lost.—On Pascagoula street, last Friday, a tripod belonging to a photographic camera. Please leave at this office or Mrs. O'Connell, and claim reward.

—Our country friends who owe the Democrat-Star anything, will find some one in the office ready and willing to write receipts for dues. Please call and see us.

—Dr. E. A. Portis and Mr. W. J. Taylor, of Vancleave, gave us a pop call yesterday. They report the Bluff Creek country in a healthy and prosperous condition.

—Oyster planting is very profitable hereabouts. It costs about eighteen cents a barrel to plant the oysters, and in less than a year they can be sold for \$1.50 to \$2 a barrel.

—There will be a W. C. T. U. meeting at the Methodist Church to-day (Friday) at 3 o'clock, p. m. All who are interested in the cause of temperance are requested to attend.

—The celebrated Studebaker and “Little Daisy” wagons used so extensively in Scranton, Pascagoula and Moss Point are to be had only of Sam D. Bloch, Sole Agent, Mobile, Ala.

—A Democrat was heard to remark the other day that he was dogged glad that he didn't hold any government office that old Harrison might have the gratification of turning him out.

—Mr. Jos. F. Bourges, of Chattanooga, Tenn., dropped in Wednesday morning, looking as fresh and fine as a daisy. He likes to visit his old home occasionally, and we are always glad to see him.

—The rooster on the Lutheran Church is not the Democrat-Star's chicken. Our chick is laid up, on account of the land slide on the 6th inst. He will be ready to do service in 1892. Mark our prediction.

—Mr. U. G. Dault, former station agent at this place, now of Decatur, Ala., gave us a pleasant call yesterday. Although he had a tussle with “yellow jack,” is looking healthy now. His many friends here gave him a cordial welcome.

—If you are in need of any grade or style of vehicle call on or write to Sam D. Bloch, at Mobile, for the latest line of carriages, barouches, surreys, jump seats, top buggies, o. m. buggies, road cars, and Studebaker wagons ever offered for sale in the South.

—Last Saturday night, as usual, was made hideous by drunken men on our streets. Some arrests were made Monday morning and the parties made to plunk down some cash. A special police should be appointed for Saturday night, in order to preserve order in our town.

—There was a gathering of young people at the hospitable residence of Mrs. M. Pol Wednesday night, for the purpose of indulging in a sociable dance. Those who were favored with an invitation express themselves as highly pleased with the manner in which they were received, and when the hour came for departure all seemed to regret that time was so short.

—Bargains for everybody! Dress goods, clothing, boots, shoes, hats, oil clothing. Men's suits \$3 and up; children suits \$1.25 and up. Men's shoes 90 cents and up; ladies shoes 75 cents and up. Hats 25 cents and up. Trunks 75 cents and up, at Marx's Bargain Store, 8 and 10 Dauphin St., Mobile, Ala. Samples sent.

—The regular fall term of the Circuit Court for this county will convene at this place on Monday. There is not much business on the docket for trial, but we presume the grand jury will have considerable to do. It is their sworn duty to make a true presentment of all violations of the criminal law that they may have knowledge of, or information from others who may come before them.

—The foreshadowing of the approaching winter, as it is read from the dots and the lines on the goose home, is not a cheerful story. The promise given forth of sleet, snow and cold, is indeed a gloomy picture for the poor to look upon, and the many whose short purse will not permit them to lay in a bountiful supply of fuel will shiver at the thought of the kind of weather that the little home foretells for the next two or three months.

ANNUAL HUNT OF THE PAS-CAGOULA GUN CLUB.

The annual hunt of this club, which took place November 22, 1888, resulted as follows:

LEWIS' TEAM.

F. H. Lewis (1st prize, gold medal).....1200
Henry Gantier.....200
O. C. Cowan.....200
W. Gantier.....100
A. D. Krebs.....25
B. F. Pickett (2nd prize, \$10).....1200
J. W. Stewart.....100
F. M. Collins.....55
R. D. Smith.....270
Simon George.....325
Total.....5455

BILBO'S TEAM.

W. R. Bilbo.....375
S. G. Ramsey.....210
G. Gantier.....210
H. F. Krebs.....165
C. H. Wood.....175
W. M. Canty.....400
J. M. Polham (duck prize, \$10).....120
C. Pickett.....50
A. E. Krebs.....25
C. Bromm.....270
S. M. Bilbo.....300
Total.....3060

1495 majority for Lewis' Team.

The supper, which was prepared by Mr. B. J. Jane, took place on November 24th, and the boys had a glorious good time.

BRICK! BRICK!

Mr. A. Blumer has brick for sale in quantities to suit purchasers. Apply to Chas. H. Delmas, at the Delmas old store, Pascagoula river.

—Mr. E. D. Laurendine, of Portersville, Ala., is here this week the guest of Mr. John H. Adams. We are glad to see Mr. Laurendine looking so well.

—Mr. C. H. Potter and wife, of Nebraska, and F. B. Morse and wife, of Michigan are at Pascagoula. They are there to escape the rigors of winter in those latitudes from whence they hail. We welcome them among us and hope that our mild and genial climate may so favorably impress them that they will be induced to take up their citizenship here permanently. They are for the present located at Mrs. L. W. O'Connell's.

—Miss Alice Hightower, after spending some time here with friends, left for her home, Vancleave, on Monday. Miss Alice was born in Scranton and has many friends here who regret her departure. While here she stood an examination for the purpose of teaching school, which vocation she will soon assume somewhere in the county. Her absence will no doubt cause a certain young man to become Adick's-tied to singing: “I'm lonely since she's left me.”

CISTERS.

A. RIGGS & BROS., 217 Delord street, near Dryades, New Orleans. Send for price list.

THE STAR STABLES.

For good teams, prompt attention and one price to all, call at the Star Livery Stables, B. E. Pickett, proprietor, foot of Krebs avenue, Scranton. In sight of the depot and hotel, and especially equipped for the accommodation of the traveling public. This is the old reliable of seventeen years standing, and has always enjoyed a large patronage which cannot be taken away by competition, for, to successfully compete is to excel, and Pickett will not be overreached.

A nice glass enclosed hearth is also kept at the Star Livery Stables, as elegant as can usually be found in a country town, always at the service of our citizens, with careful driver, on short notice.

The patronage of both the resident and traveling public is respectfully solicited.

—Rev. C. N. A. Yonce will preach at the following times and places until further notice. Scranton, 1st Sunday in each month at 3 p. m.; Escatawpa, 3d Sunday in each month at 3 p. m.; Seashore, 4th Sunday in each month at 7 p. m.

LAND NOTICE.

LAND OFFICE AT JACKSON, Miss., November 19, 1888.

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 Judge, or in his absence the Circuit Clerk of Greene county at Leesville, Miss., on November 27, 1888, viz: Bonnaville, for the southeast quarter section 24, township 1, south range 5 west.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: H. M. Enslin, of Vernal, Greene county, Miss.; J. M. Holland, James Reeves and Charles Pipkins, of Cross Roads Jackson county, Miss.

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MOSS POINT DEPARTMENT.

LOCAL DIRECTORY.

Churches.

METHODIST.—Rev. J. P. Drake, pastor. Preaching every Sunday. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

PREBYTERIAN.—Rev. D. O. Byers, pastor. Preaching every Sabbath. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

Preaching at Scranton every third Sunday at 4 p. m.

Postoffice and Mails.

Postoffice open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. every day.

On Sundays open from 9 to 10 a. m. and from 1 to 2 p. m.

Letters for register will be received during the week from 8 a. m. till 3:30 p. m. No letters registered on Sundays, nor after hours on week days.

ARRIVAL AND DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

From Scranton—Arrives at 8:25 a. m. and 1:15 p. m. Departs at 10 a. m. and 2:15 p. m.

Leaves for Moss Point—Arrives on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 11 a. m. Departs on Wednesdays and Saturdays at 12 m.

A. BLUMER, P. M.

Moss Point Lumber Market.

The following are the prices of the various classes and sizes of yellow pine lumber, dressed and undressed, also Cypress Shingles:

Fencing.....1x4 6 and 8.....\$5.00
Ceiling Rough.....1x3 4, 5 & 6.....5.00
Boards.....1x12.....\$8.00 to 12.00
Sawing.....2x12 to 6x6.....9.00
Special Sizes.....2x5 to 12x12.....11.00
.....1x4 & 2x12.....10.00 to 12.00

CEILING.....T and G.....\$ 9.00
.....T and G 2d class.....5.00
Heart Face.....T and G.....13.00
Weather boards.....1x12.....12.00

Boards.....S. D. 1x12.....12.00
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Flooring.....14 to 14.....15.00
.....2d class.....\$10.00 to 12.00

Heart Shingles.....2x5 to 3x6.....1.75
Sap Shingles.....S. D. 1x12.....8.00
Boards.....D. D. 1x12.....9.00

NEW TIMBER.

New classification. Timber placed on the market will bring 9 to 10 c. per cubic foot for 100 feet average, and classing B. 1 wood. Common and poorly manufactured not wanted.

SAWN TIMBER.
Sawn Timber brings 10 to 12 cents per cubic foot, on basis of 40 feet average, average quality.

PERSONAL, GENERAL

And Other Notes Gathered From Various Sources.

Our merchants are getting ready for their Christmas goodies.

Mrs. W. C. McQuiston is about to move to Birmingham, Ala.

Next week being Circuit Court some of the boys have business in the up country.

Quite a foreign demand for lumber, but prices rather low.

Rev. O. D. Bowen will preach in the Baptist Church Saturday night and Sunday at 11 o'clock, a. m.

Bro. Dan McLeod now drives a grey Mustang team. He had better have his life insured for the benefit of his family.

A Scranton rooster was up before Judge Wood for trying to paint the town red Saturday night. He paid \$4.95 and went off sulking.

SEED PECANS FOR SALE.

I have a fine lot of large pecans for planting for sale at 25 cents a pound.

Mrs. J. M. SALESBURY,
Moss Point.

Dr. E. D. Bragg, of Cross Roads, was down this week, visiting his parents. He is looking splendid, and we understand is doing well in his profession.

A choice line of dry goods, notions, shoes, hardware, choice family groceries, candles, cakes, toys and fancy goods will be received about the 10th of December, by John F. Krebs.

Several of our business men, who have but little to do now, went hunting up the Pascagoula river Tuesday on the steam tug Pic.

The following schooners are loading at the L. N. Dantzer Lumber Company's mills this week: The Cecilia, 20,000 feet of lumber; the Ursula Minor, 20,000 feet of lumber; for the Mississippi River. The Mills Williams, 120,000 feet lumber for Key West; the J. W. Frost, 45,000 feet lumber for New Orleans.

The meetings of the Chautauqua are growing in interest. Quite a crowd were present at the meeting Monday night. The members responded to roll call by giving the name of some Greek god and telling something about him. This feature of the exercises was very instructive. The music, which was well rendered, consisted of a vocal solo by Miss Emma Denny, a motet by Mrs. Huntington, Miss Hyatt and Messrs. Huntington and Manahan, and a vocal solo by Geo. W. O'Neill. The five minutes' papers by Miss Kate Salisbury and Messrs. Jas. Fisher and Wm. Coulson were a new feature. These papers were of unusual merit and deserved the applause which they received. The table talk on capital punishment was participated in by quite a number of the members. Mrs. Huntington, the orator, did full justice to the occasion. Visitors are welcomed to any of the meetings, and any one can spend both a pleasant and profitable evening at the Chautauqua society.

PECAN TREES FOR SALE.

I have about three hundred young pecan trees two, three and four years old, grown from the celebrated “Table Land of Mexico Seed,” very large, soft shell and fine flavored nuts. Sample of nuts can be seen at W. A. DODSON, Pascagoula, Miss.

November 3, 1888. 36-11

Fruit Trees!

Fruit Trees!!

Shannondate Nursery.

OCEAN SPRINGS, MISS.

All persons in need of Fruit Trees, Grape Vines, etc., this fall can get the best varieties at very low figures from the above Nursery right here at home. This is a home industry, and as such the patronage of the Gulf Coast is solicited, feeling confident our fruit trees will give entire satisfaction. We make the Pear and Grape our specialties, and could not ask better results than we have had this year. Address A. H. SHANNON, Prop't.

August 10, 1888. 24-3m

LAND NOTICE.

LAND OFFICE AT JACKSON, Miss., November 2, 1888.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: J. S. Wilkerson, Harmon Wilson, Jefferson Lott and J. B. Coleman, all of Vancleave P. O., Jackson county, Miss.

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He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of said land, viz: J. S. Wilkerson, J. Harmon Lott, Wm. Carter and George H. Bilbo, all of Vancleave P. O., Jackson county, Miss.

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LAND NOTICE.

LAND OFFICE AT JACKSON, Miss., October 26, 1888.