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SATURDAY, FEB. 10, 1894.

Local News.

-Miss Coralie Rousseau arrived from the city Monday evening

-Messrs. Felix Bienvenu and Albert Rousseau and Miss Corinne Winchester arrived here Tuesday evening to witness our carnival parade and ball.

 A conservative estimate of the number of people who witness-ed our beautiful Mardi Gras celebration, is put down to eigh thousand people.

-Owing to the full and complete details of the Mardi Gras pageant our local news and other interesting matter was crowded out of this issue.

While firing the canon on Mardi Gras evening Messrs. Chas. Gutekunst, Willie Hadley and B. Friedly were burnt on the hands and face. Their injuries are painful, but nothing serious.

Misses M. and J. Mignone Robicheaux of Lafayette, who came to witness our Mardi Gras festivities, remained here a few days, with their grand mother Mrs. F. C. Aubert.

-It seems now, that the only hope of the sugar industry is in the Senate. The House has passed the bill finally by a large majority. Congressman Price, Meyer, Davy and Robertson voted against the bill; for this noble action, they have the unamnious approval of the people of Louisiana. Boatner and Blanchard have fallen under the party lash, and voted for the bill. It seems that they bokl dearer to their adherence to the Democratic party than to the interest of the people of their state. Such legislators may be put down as politicians, and not as true statesmen representing their people and their interest. What good is a party to a people if that party crushes their industries out of existence and starve them to death? Our people cannot, like politicians, live on the party, as only politicians get in fat offices, the people must live on the fruit of their labor and on the output of their industries. Can they submit to this without protestation? We would suggest that our people, or at least, our board of trade pass strong resolutions upholding the course of our representatives who so nobly stood by their people notwithstanding the party lash applied on their back, and condemn Boatner and Blanchard who sacrified the interest of the people of their great state to fall in line with the

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A CORRECTION.

St. Martinville, La., Feb. 3, 1893, Editor Messenger.

I see in this morning's paper, that I was under the infl nence of liquor when was cut by Mr. P. Dwyer.

Permit me, dear sir, to tell you the one, or the ones that informed you to that effect, are mistaken, as I have the following gentlemen, Geo. Lovas, Jos. Lovas, Ernest Bienveuu and F. E. Clementto prove the contrary.

Hoping that the above will receive due consideration, I remain yours respectfully, L. Davenport.

Mr. and Mrs. Hebert Billaud of Lafayette, after enjoying the sights of our carnival pageant spent a few days on the plantation of Mr. L. C. Gauthier.

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I had a malignant breaking out on my let below the knee, and wascured sound and well with two and a half bottles of Other blood medicines had failed WILL C. BEATY,

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