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Why microfilm?



Digitizing Louisiana Newspapers Overview

- ❖ What is the Digitizing Louisiana Newspapers Project (DLNP)?
- ❖ How are the titles selected?
- ❖ What's next?



What is DLNP?

❖ To fulfill the grant specification of the National Digital Newspaper Program (NDNP)

To make freely accessible digitized historical newspapers (100,000 pages / grant)

- 1836-1922
- Historically significant
- Longevity*

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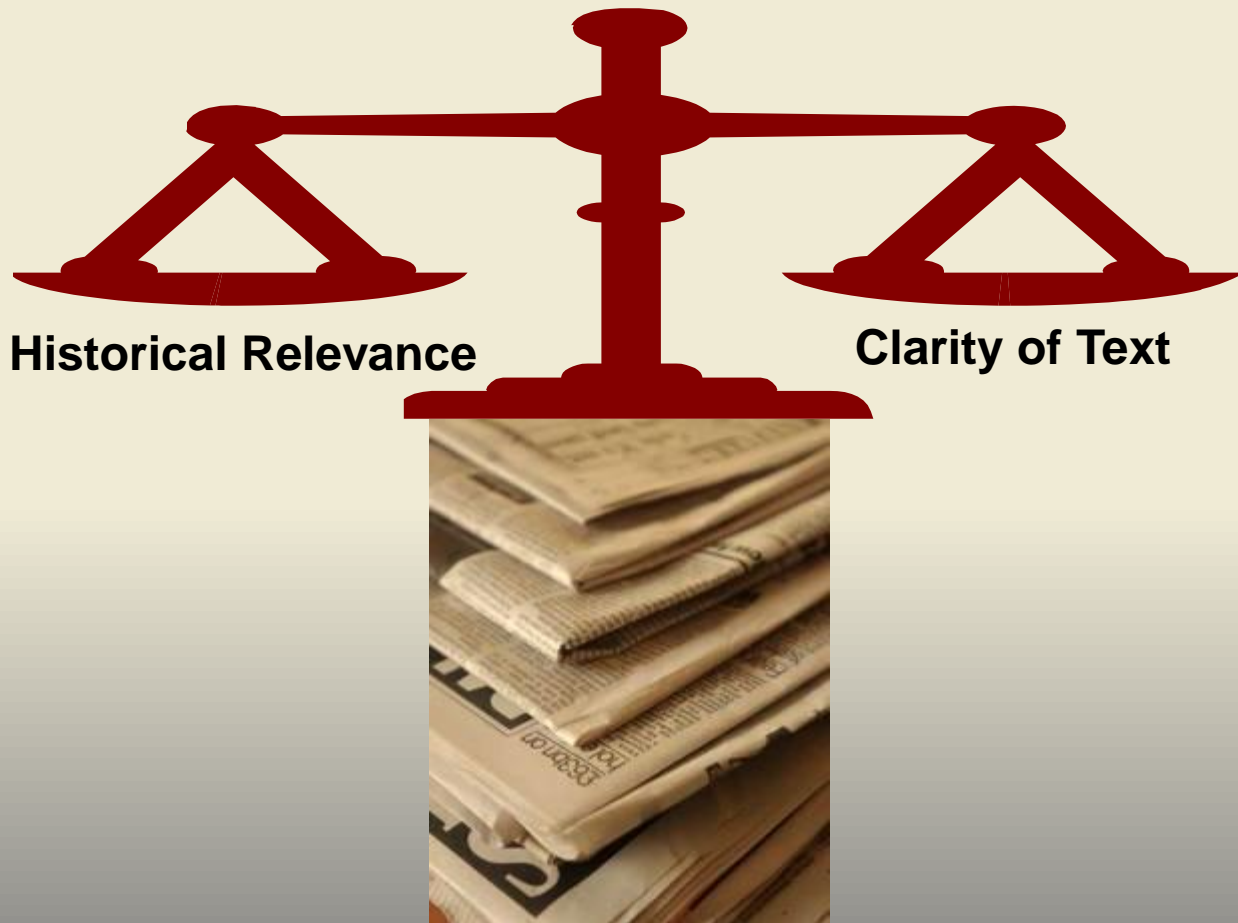
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28 states have received 1 or more NDNP grants

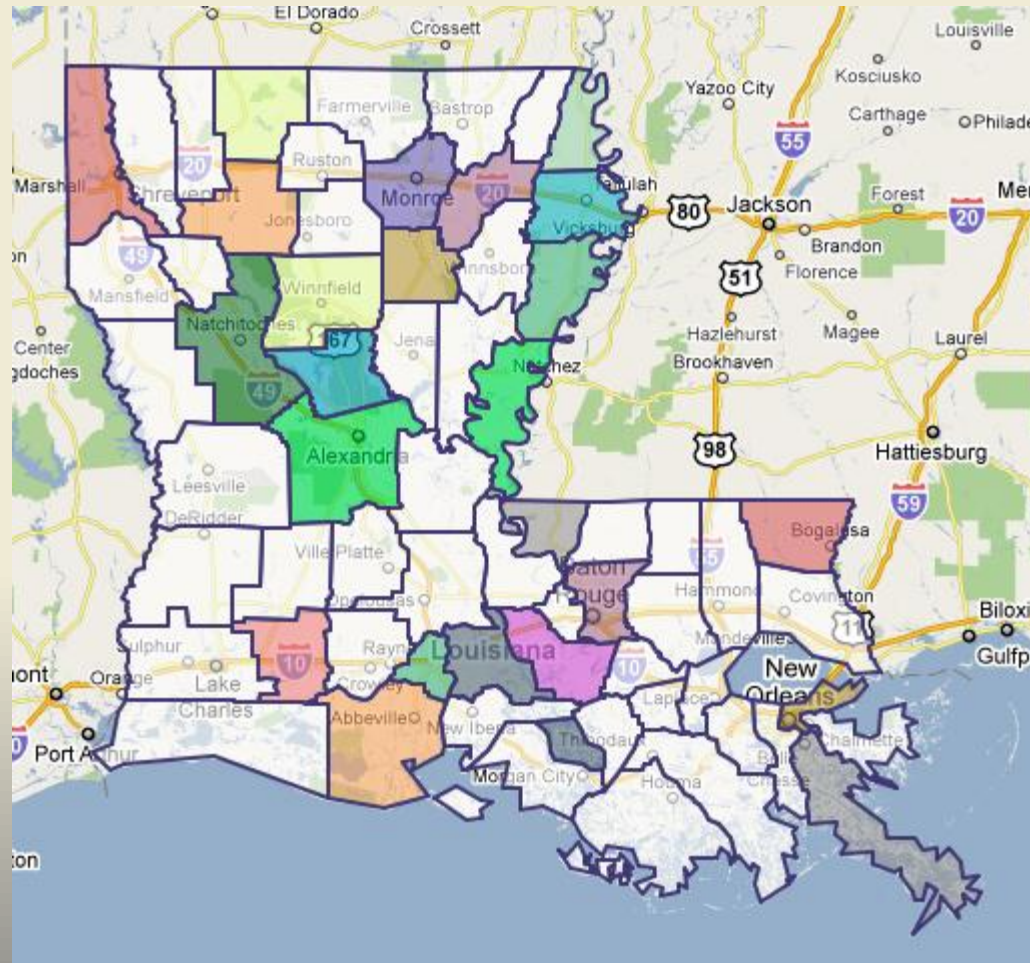
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 - CA, FL, KY, NY, UT, VA
- 2007 (100,000 pages published between 1880-1910)
 - CA, KY, MN, NE, NY, TX, UT, VA
- 2008 (100,000 pages published between 1880-1922)
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- 2009 (100,000 pages published between 1860-1922)
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- 2010 (100,000 pages published between 1836-1922)
 - AZ, HI, MO, NM, OH, PA, TN, VT, WA
- 2011 (100,000 pages published between 1836-1922)
 - IL, KS, KY, LA, MN, MT, ND, OK, OR, SC, TX, WV

How are titles selected?

(1860 – 1922)



2009-2011 Title List Regional Coverage



DLNP Title List

2009-2010

Abbeville progress	Homer guardian	Semi-weekly Louisianian	The Era-leader
Bogalusa enterprise	Louisiana capitolian	Semi-weekly news	The Jennings daily record
Claiborne guardian	Louisiana Democrat (Alexandria, La. : 1845)	Shreveport daily news	The Lafayette gazette
The Colfax chronicle	The Louisianian	Shreveport news	The Louisiana populist
The Colfax chronicle	Lower coast gazette	Shreveport semi-weekly news	The morning star and Catholic messenger
The Comrade	The Lumberjack	Shreveport semi-weekly news	The New Orleans crescent
The Concordia eagle	The Madison journal	Shreveport weekly news	The Rice belt journal
The Concordia sentinel	Madison times	Shreveport weekly news	The Semi-weekly Natchitoches times
The Constitutional	Natchitoches spectator	The Shreveport weekly news	The Semi-weekly Shreveport news
Daily gazette and comet	Ouachita telegraph (Monroe, La. : 1865)	Tensas gazette	The true Democrat
The Daily telegraph	The People's vindicator	The Banner-Democrat	The Voice of the people
Feliciana sentinel	The Progress	The Bienville Democrat	The Weekly messenger
Gazette and sentinel	Rapides gazette	The Caldwell watchman	West Feliciana sentinel
The Herald	Richland beacon	The Carrollton sun	Woman's enterprise

What's Next?

Of the 578 total titles in the original list, only about 60 were chosen for the 2009-2011 DLNP = ~100,000



What's Inside?

Historical Coverage

- Civil War
- Reconstruction
- Industrial Development
- Modern America
- World War I

Content Interest

- Political
- Social
- Economic

Political Items

- Public records
- Police jury proceedings
- Election proceedings
- Communications
- Jury duty roll
- Sheriff sales
- Probate/estate listings
- Tax delinquencies/sales

WAITED LONG FOR PROBATE

After Twenty years Son Produces Father's Will—Testator's Instructions Had Been Obeyed.

Undiscovered for nearly twenty years after his death, the will of Johann Michael Muller has been offered for probate at Baltimore by his son, John G. A. Muller. The testator died March 13, 1896, having made his will on May 31, 1889.

The paper, yellow and musty with age, left all Mr. Muller's property to his wife Elizabeth Barbara Muller. She died April 30, 1915, and her son was appointed administrator of her estate. He had known of the existence of the will for several months prior to his mother's death, but since all the property had been enjoyed by Mrs. Muller as her husband had desired, it was not thought necessary to probate the will at that time.

The son says the property will now be divided between his two brothers and himself, since his mother died intestate. The exact value of the estate has not been determined, but it is made up almost entirely of parcels of real estate.

Economic Items

- Industrial development
- Monies
- Fairs
- Advertising
- Urban sprawl
- Homestead Act

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SAT. Nov. 6. - L.S.U. vs. U. of ARK.
RUSTON L.L.E. vs. NORMAL NAUGHTICES.

3 PUBLIC SALES OF CATTLE
HEREFORDS NOV. 4.
JERSEYS NOV. 5.
SHORT HORNS NOV. 6.

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Social Items

- Births/marriages/obits
- Personals
- Gossip columns
- Poetry and serials
- Comics
- Event announcements
- Social Organizations
- Sports, fashion, food

Messrs J. A. and J. E. Bowers
were Jennings business visitors
this week.

WED SECRETLY.

Miss Margaret Howell, a prominent member of the Capital City social set, announced to a gathering of friends at her home that she was now Mrs. Millard W. Baysinger. The marriage ceremony took place in New Orleans, April 15, shortly after Mrs. Baysinger had registered at the Touro Infirmary to study nursing. Mrs. Baysinger returned to her home and at that time told her friends she had changed her mind about being a nurse.

Mrs. Baysinger is the daughter of Mrs. D. A. Decker, who was Miss Kate Chambers of Lindsay, prior to her marriage to Mr. Jos. T. Howell of West Feliciana.

YULETIDE NUPTIALS.

Barrow-Barrow Wedding.

A pretty wedding was celebrated at Grace Episcopal Church, Tuesday morning at nine o'clock. Despite a cold, wintry morning, there was a large attendance in honor of the popular young couple.

Loving hands had likewise decorated the chancel with greenery, a large heart being hung over the altar steps, where the bridal vows were made. Mrs. O. Leonard played Mendelsohn's wedding march, and at this sweetest of all wedding airs, the bride appeared escorted by her father, Capt. B. L. Barrow. She wore a coat suit of handsome brown cloth, trimmed with moire of the same shade. Hat, gloves, shoes and furs all matched and made a pretty contrast with the rosy, blonde comeliness of the handsome young bride. The fine-looking bridegroom, Mr. Gordon Barrow, and his brother, Mr. John T. Barrow as best man, met the bride at the chancel steps. The ceremony was performed by the rector, Rev. R.

How Newspapers Can Help You Climb Your Family Tree

Genealogy

Special thanks to Judy Riffel for these tips!

Friends and Relative Celebrate 80th Birthday of Mrs. Mary A. Drury.

The Cline Bros. home was the place of a very pleasant surprise, Monday when 43 relatives and friends with well filled baskets, walked in just before the dinner hour, to celebrate the 80th birthday anniversary of their mother, Mrs. Mary A. Drury. The day being perfect for such an occasion a long table was placed in the yard from which a bountiful dinner was served.

Mrs. Drury is very active for one of this ripe age, and the afternoon was pleasantly spent after which all returned to their homes, wishing the hostess many happy returns of the day.
—A GUEST.

Obituary of Mrs. L. A. Berry.

Mrs. Lucretia A. Berry died Thursday August, 29, 1912, aged seventy years, her last birthday occurring January 9th, 1912.

Her maiden name was Lucretia A. Ruffner. Her father's name was Noah Ruffner, he was born Jan. 27, 1822, and died June 17, 1844. Her mother's name was Sarah Friend Ruffner, born December 13, 1815, died March 9, 1858. She had one brother, David Ruffner, now deceased.

Mrs. Berry was married in Ohio to Josiah Berry, December, 1st 1867. To this union two children were born, and with the husband survive, Nellie D. Winchell and Rufner A. Berry the

Obituaries: Mrs. Julia A. Butler

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IN MEMORIAM.

DIED in New Orleans on the 1st inst., Mrs. JULIA A. BUTLER, wife of Dr. J. Butler of this parish, where she had gone imbued with hopes of renewing her failing powers and rebuilding her broken constitution, and thus lured with false hopes, she died from home and its sweet surroundings, though not amid strangers and in a strange land, for although separated from a portion of her family, along with her to smooth the pillow of death and cool the feverish brow, was the affectionate hand of a loving and devoted daughter and son. To them was intrusted the charge to bid adieu to father, sisters and brother, and to have the exclusive and melancholy duty to close her dying eyes.

Mrs. Butler was a native of this parish, being the daughter of one of the early pioneers of the forest, who with brave heart and stout hand laid the foundation of his fortune and at his leisure in after years, successfully built the superstructure in becoming one of the largest cotton planters in the parish; and in this secluded place she was wooed and won by her husband, a then young and promising Physician of the neighborhood, and from the day of her marriage she has been the devoted wife, as in time, the

Obituaries: Mrs. Sarah Jane Hooper



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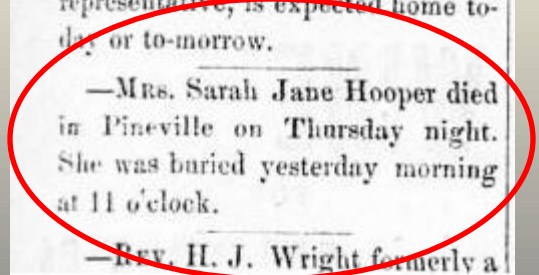


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Town and Parish News.

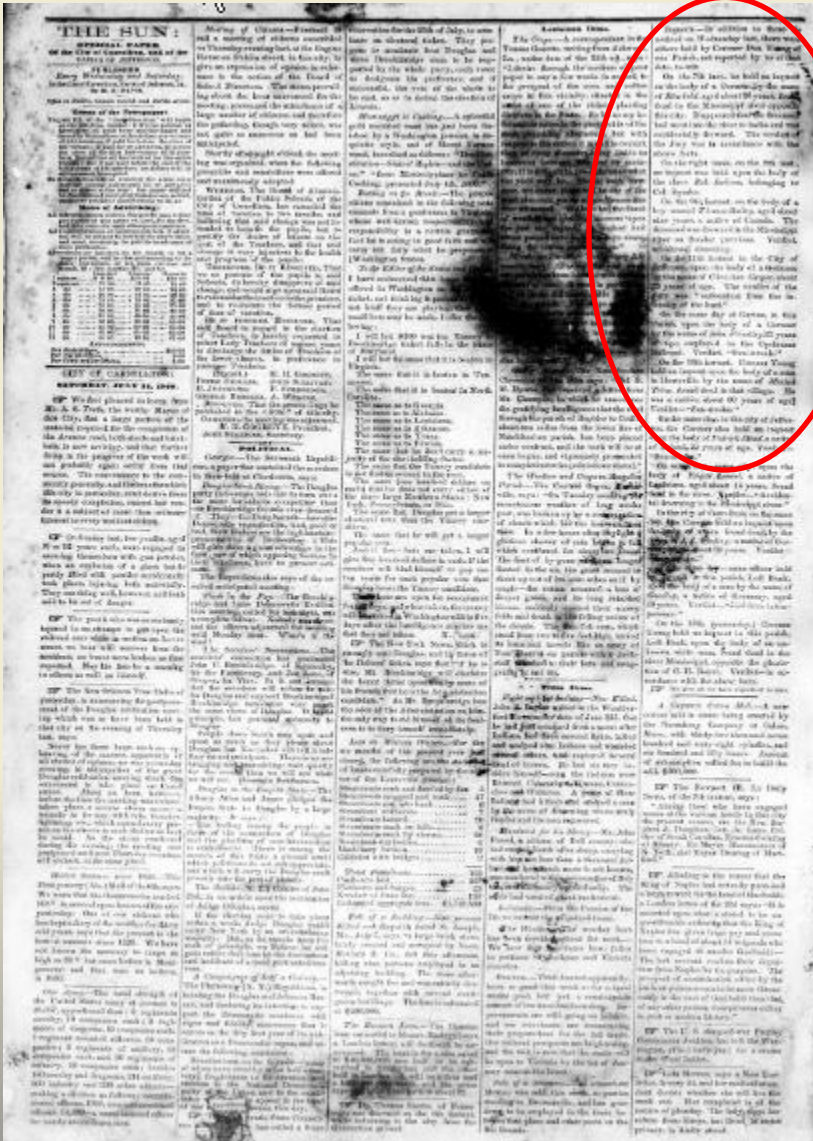
—READ the notice of Mayor McGimsey.
 —JOB Printing neatly executed at this office.
 —THE dust is becoming very troublesome.
 —As yet we have heard of no one being injured by the heat.
 —Hon. R. P. Hunter, our able representative, is expected home today or to-morrow.
 —Mrs. Sarah Jane Hooper died in Pineville on Thursday night. She was buried yesterday morning at 11 o'clock.
 —Rev. H. J. Wright formerly a



Tips for Finding Obituaries

- Start with first/last name and “died”
- If too few results, remove first name
- If too many results, narrow date range and specific locations
- Try initials or abbreviations – Jno. Wm. Chas.
- Use other terms such as obituary, buried, cemetery, death

Beyond Obituaries: Coroner's Inquests



Inquests.—In addition to those we noticed on Wednesday last, there were others held by Coroner Dan Young of our Parish, not reported by us at that date, to-wit:

On the 7th inst., he held an inquest on the body of a German by the name of *Rinebold*, aged about 26 years, found dead in the Mississippi river opposite this city. It appeared that the deceased had went into the river to bathe and was accidentally drowned. The verdict of the Jury was in accordance with the above facts.

On the right bank, on the 8th inst., an inquest was held upon the body of the slave *Bob Jackson*, belonging to Col. Sparks.

On the 9th instant, on the body of a boy named *Thomas Bailey*, aged about nine years, a native of Canada. The deceased was drowned in the Mississippi river on Sunday previous. Verdict, accidental drowning.

On the 11th instant in the City of Jefferson, upon the body of a German; by the name of *Christian Casper*, about 25 years of age. The verdict of the Jury was, "suffocation from the intensity of the heat."

On the same day at Gretna, in this Parish, upon the body of a German by the name of *John Priestley*, 25 years of age; employed on the Opelousas Railroad. Verdict, "Sun-struck."

On the 12th instant, Coroner Young held an inquest upon the body of a man in Huntsville, by the name of *John*...

Beyond Obituaries: Crime Reports



E. K. Judson, Inmate of Asylum at Jackson, Horribly Murdered--Dr. E. C. McKowen Arrested and Charged With the Crime.

Hundrum existence in the Felicianas was broken into by a startling occurrence that came to public knowledge, last Monday morning, and which has been the chief topic of conversation ever since. At an early hour on that day, a negro laborer at Wakefield, going to his work discovered the figure of a man lying against the embankment in front of Wakefield post-office and about 50 yards away from that building. He called to Mr. Louis G. found the rig at his door when he opened his shop that morning, but identified it as being the property of Dr. E. C. McKowen. The deputies went at once to Dr. McKowen's residence and placed him under arrest. Dr. McKowen showed a willingness to talk but was advised not to do so by the officers, who showed him every consideration possible in the circumstances. They accorded him an interview with his family and friends and then sending improper letters through the mails. The commissioner promptly dismissed the case and turned the accused McKowen on the night of the 17th or the morning of the 18th of October, 1909.

"In testimony whereof, the coroner and jurors of this inquest have subscribed their names, the day and year above stated. And, from evidence, we find that E. K. Judson was killed either in East or West Feliciana parish.

Beyond Obituaries: Marriage Notices

import measure the serious attention and assistance that is so necessary.

A "fifty-cent" collar in the pocket of the freezing poor is better than a 200-cent dollar in the vault of the rich.—*Wilton Advocate.*

What do you mean by 50-cent collar, Jim?

Like Crowley, Kayce is burdened with an ever sufficiency of workless dollars, some of which have grown too impudant for toleration. The citizens of our sister town last Saturday waited upon one of the most obstinate of the sons of Ethiopia and gave him an hour in which to leave the parlor, after a second threatening had been administered. This town harbors several negroes without whom we would be better off. They are not only themselves worthless but succeed in making about nine-tenths of the colored population especially vobiscum with themselves. The negro, or white, who will not work but depends upon begging or other questionable means for a living is an individual for whom we have no need.—*Crowley Signal.*

We are sorry to hear the report that Rev. H. M. Merrill, who preached in Colfax last summer, was accidentally shot and killed at some point in Texas a few weeks ago. The report lacks confirmation, and we hope there is nothing in it.—*Colfax Chronicle.*

GETTING IN SHAPE.

The entertainment committee for the Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., are getting things in shape for the session here in March. A program has been sketched which includes a reception on March 21, at the opera-house, the Mardi Gras ball at Odd Fellows' hall, the excelsior-ification of the invitation was on Wednesday night, March 22, and a boat ride and banquet on March 23. Details are not yet fully arranged, but the above sketch will serve as a foundation, and will be elaborated later. The meeting and entertainments will be liberally for Odd Fellows except the reception, at which all will be welcome.

A great deal of work yet remains to be done, and the several committees owe it to themselves that nothing is left undone. The completed program will appear in these columns as soon as decided upon as will the program and several committees for the Mardi Gras ball.—*Lake Charles Echo.*

A bill has recently passed the Tennessee legislature requiring constables in gubernatorial elections to give bond for most of the contest, to be paid if the contest is lost. A similar law adopted by Congress would rid that body of chronic office suckers like Benjamin and Howell.—*Shreveville South.*

Let us quit stealing so wantonly at the ballot box, and then maybe there will be less contesting and expense of same.

The Shreveport Progress has

caused Bro. Tabor, of the Banner of Liberty, to be exceeding wroth, by stating that comments copied from the Banner were not true. It is to be hoped the two editors will keep in view the late unfortunate occurrence in Mississippi and guide themselves accordingly. It is not good taste to use such language against whom the party attacked is in a wheel-chair or on crutches.—*Peoples Tribune.*

Neither need rough or unsmooth language that we know of, neither Hunkle; and while the Progress is unjust and unskillful for remarks, still we do not apprehend any such serious consequences as happened in Mississippi. Our editor is not even thinking that there might be a difficulty, and we guess that of Banner of Liberty is in the same way of thinking.

But we don't understand the reference to the crutches and wheel-chair.

The hotel and restaurant of Mr. Frank Sorwich on Market street, is fast becoming the most popular resort in Shreveport. The hotel is supplied with all the modern improvements, neat and cleanly rooms, cozy and comfortable. The restaurant contains all that the markets of the Basin can afford, and one can get rooms without board or board without rooms. Whoever came there or at his lunch counter always says he is well fed.

KOB SALE.

One animal, one horse and half a ham. Cheap. Appeal to the office.

To Be Married.

Cards are out announcing the coming marriage of Mr. John N. Birdwell and Miss Louise Jeter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jeter, all of Bossier parish.

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The marriage will take place at the residence of the brides parents on the 17th inst.

Our editor acknowledges the receipt of an invitation.

TO OUR READERS.

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COLFAX, NINTH PARISH, LA., NOVEMBER 9, 1877.

The Colfax Chronicle.
RAGAN & BASH, Proprietors.
No. 100, COLOMBO STREET,
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
State of Louisiana, Parish Court,
Parish of Grant.
Renshaw Cammack & Co.
vs. [No. 431.]
Phillip Usury and Hiram Williamson.

BY virtue of a writ of fi. fa., issued in the above numbered and entitled suit, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale, to the last and highest bidder, at the Courthouse door, at Colfax, parish of Grant, between the hours prescribed by law, on

Saturday, November 10, 1877,

the following described property, seized as the property of defendant, Hiram Williamson, to-wit:

Twenty (20) bushels of corn,
One black horse.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

CHARLES R. NUGENT,
Sheriff.

Colfax, October 25, 1877.

SHERIFF'S SALE.
State of Louisiana, Parish Court,
Parish of Grant.
L. Bloom and Jno. I. Adams & Co.
vs. [No. 77.]
Edison & Moore vs. William Bush et al.—No. 22.

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Saturday, the 10th day of November, 1877,

the following described property, seized as the property of the defendant, to-wit:

One sorrel horse.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

C. R. NUGENT,
Sheriff.

Colfax, Oct. 27, 1877.

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C. R. NUGENT,
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Colfax, Oct. 27, 1877.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, Parish Court,
Parish of Grant.

Renshaw Cammack & Co.

vs. [No. 431.]

Phillip Usury and Hiram Williamson.

BY virtue of a writ of fi. fa., issued in the above numbered and entitled suit, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale, to the last and highest bidder, at the Courthouse door, at Colfax, parish of Grant, between the hours prescribed by law, on

Saturday, November 10, 1877,

the following described property, seized as the property of defendant, Hiram Williamson, to-wit:

Twenty (20) bushels of corn,
One black horse.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

CHARLES R. NUGENT,
Sheriff.

Colfax, October 25, 1877.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, Parish Court,
Parish of Grant.

L. Bloom and Jno. I. Adams & Co.

vs.

Abram and Sarah Singleton.

BY virtue of a writ of fi. fa., issued in the above numbered and styled suit, from the Parish Court in and for the parish of Grant, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale, at public auction, at the Courthouse door of Grant parish, at Colfax, during the hours prescribed by law, on

Saturday, the 10th day of November, 1877,

the following described property, seized as the property of the defendant, to-wit:

One sorrel horse.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

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Saturday, November 10, 1877,

the following described property:

One gray mare,
Six bales of cotton,
One hundred (100) bushels of corn,
A lot of cotton in patch (about 6 bales.)

Terms of Sale—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement.

C. R. NUGENT,
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Colfax, October 25, 1877.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

A. L. Grow vs. J. T. Lewis et al.
No. 386.

Ninth Judicial District Court Parish of Grant.

BY virtue of a writ of fi. fa., issued and to me directed in the above entitled suit, I have seized and will offer for sale, on

SATURDAY, the 17th day of November, A. D. 1877,

in front of the Court House, in the town of Colfax, between the hours of 12 o'clock M. and 4 o'clock P. M. the following described property, viz: The improvements known as the John M. Lewis old place, or entry, now in possession of the defendant, J. T. Lewis, and on which he now resides—seized as the property of the defendant.

Terms of sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

C. R. NUGENT,
Sheriff Parish of Grant.

Colfax, Oct. 6, '77. p. f. 9

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Ninth District Court—Parish of Grant.

lands of Strother, containing five hundred acres, more or less.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

CHAS. R. NUGENT,
Sheriff Parish of Grant.
Colfax, Oct. 6, '77-5t. p. f. 15

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Ninth Judicial District Court,
Parish of Grant.

Bush and Levert vs. Thorn Bush.—
No. 154.

BY virtue of a writ of fi. fa., issued and directed to me in the above entitled suit, I have seized and will offer for sale, on

SATURDAY, the 17th day of November, A. D. 1877,

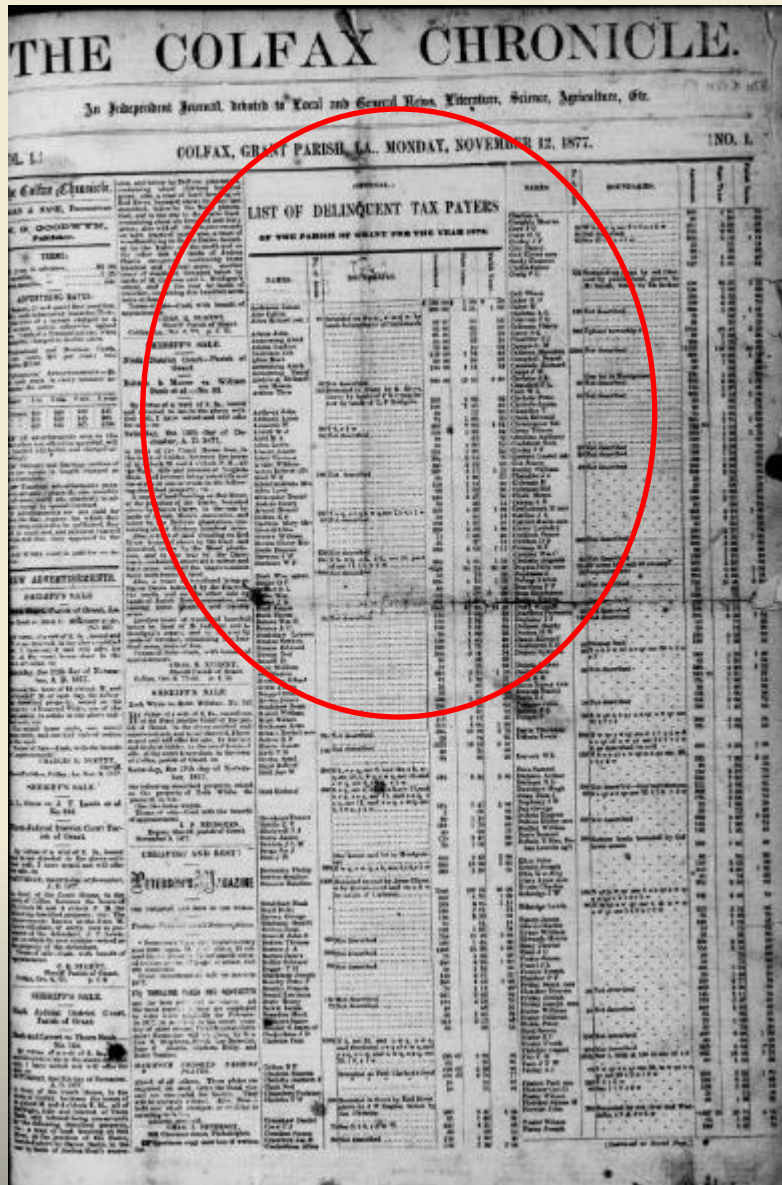
in front of the Court House, in the town of Colfax, between the hours of 12 o'clock M. and 4 o'clock P. M., all of the right, title and interest of Thom Bush, said interest being one-seventh in the following described property, viz: a tract of land fronting on Red River, at the junction of the Darro, bounded above by Bayou Darro, in the rear by lands of Joshua Huef's succession, and below by Bellvue plantation, containing about thirteen hundred acres; also, tract of land fronting on Red River, bounded above by tract last described, below by the Mead plantation, and in the rear by the Darro tract, containing about six hundred and forty acres; also with all the improvements on both tracts of land; also, a tract of woodland lying on Bayou Darro, bounded by the Darro on the north and on the other side by lands of Joshua Huef's succession, containing three hundred and twenty acres; another tract of woodland, bounded below by lands of M. Calhoun and L. Bouligny's estate, and in the rear by lands of Strother, containing five hundred acres more or less.

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Beyond Obituaries: Delinquent Taxpayers

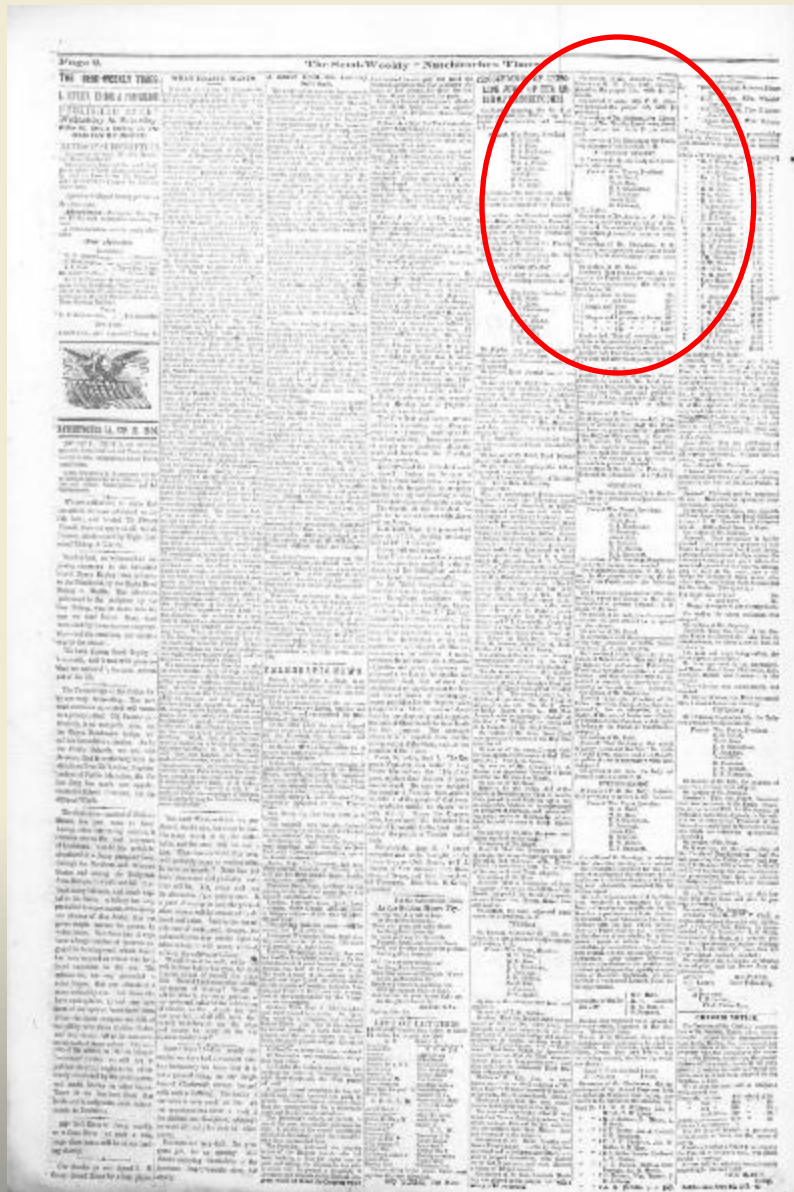


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LIST OF DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS OF THE PARISH OF GRANT FOR THE YEAR 1876.

NAMES.	No. of Acres.	BOUNDARIES.	Assessment	State taxes	Parish Taxes	NAMES.	No. of Acres
Anderson James			\$ 130 00	\$ 1 88	\$ 52	Cherina A	
Ates Calvin			380 00	5 51	1 50	Creighly Marcus	
Allen Robert (est.)	40	Bounded on the n., s and w. by lands belonging to ACruikshank	40 00	58	16	Crew J C	80 W h n w
Adams John			45 00	65	18	Crew G W	80 Not descr
Armstrong Aleck			25 00	37	10	Cooley J F	60 Sec 23 t 7
Atkins Isadore			10 00	15	04	Clay Henry	
Anderson Job			119 00	1 74	48	Cox Elvira mrs	
Allen Mark			68 00	99	28	Conly Clement	
Armstrong Aleck			104 00	1 51	42	Curtis James	
Armstrong Nancy						Craig F L	331 Bounded rear by Mr Smith
Anders & Richardson Messrs			900 00	13 15	3 60	Call Wince	
Arthur Thos	80	Not described.				Caker R D	
	143	Bounded in front by R. River, above by lands of F S Craig, below by lands of L P Bridgers..	203	2 95	82	Caker M	
Anthony John			100	1 45	40	Chelette A C	160 Not descr
Anthony Amos			50	73	20	Coleman T C	
Ammons W			75	1 09	30	Coleman Henry	
Atwell W J	80	T 9, r 1 w	485	7 04	1 91	Curry S C	600 Upland t
Auld M A	80	Not described	130	1 88	52	Chandler T J	
Allen Lewis			30	43	12	Campbell M	
Absent James			80	1 86	32	Calhoun Meredith	5500 Not descr
Adair Thomas			130	1 88	52	Campbell Daniel	
Archie William			195	2 54	78	Cameady Richard	
			145	2 13	58	Capps J W	
						Chelette J L	One lot i
						Chandler C L	60 Not descr
						Carr W L	40 Not descr
						Chelette Peter	
						Chelette James	
						Chandler T	
						Cluk Edward	
						Christopher Kit	
						Casey Tilmn	
						Chereno Anthony	
						Cockfield Nick	
						Corley J F	60 Not descr
						Corbett Luster adr	40 Not descr
						Cox James	40 Not descr

Beyond Obituaries: Police Jury Minutes



On motion of Mr. Jennings, Thomas Castro and G. W. Fox, were similarly placed on the pauper list, with \$5 per month.

On motion of same, Mrs. T. H. Allen was placed on the pauper list, with \$5 per month.

On motion of Mr. Addison, Mrs. Litton Cook and Mrs. Martha Lynch were placed on the pauper list, with \$5 per month each.

On motion of Mr. Blackstone the Police Jury adjourned 'till 3 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

At 3 o'clock P. M., the Body met pursuant to adjournment.

Present Wm. Payne, President.
B. H. Baird,
W. C. Ross,
E. S. Blackstone,
F. Jennings,
Jacob Kile,
G. Fontenot,

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OUR SUCCESS

L. LACOSTE, The Hardware and Buggy Man.

Lafayette Oil and Mineral Co., of Lafayette, La.

Is now equipped and ready for business, and covers the following statement of facts for the thoughtful consideration of capitalist and investor... The capital stock of the company is \$1,000,000 divided into 100,000 shares of the par value of \$10.00 each.

The Officers of the Company are as follows:

DIRECTORS:

- M. E. FREDERICK, Cashier of the First National Bank of Lafayette.
J. M. FORD, Member of the Board of L. L. Levee Co., absolute majority and majority, of New Orleans.
JULIE JOHN CAHILL, Member of the New York of Cigar & Queens, of New Orleans.
W. H. LAFAYETTE, Mayor of the City of Lafayette.

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MORRIS KROOK, Memphis, Tenn.

LOOKS LIKE BUSINESS. Captain's Rating Progression in New Orleans on the Ground.

Capt. James of the Lafayette Company, who is in the city, is reported to have been in the city for some time, and is expected to be in the city for some time.

It was added in connection with the foregoing that the Lafayette Company has received all its business in such a short period. The figures in regard to the building erected has been reported to the city.

Mr. J. J. Beckwith's residence in the city is reported to be in the city for some time, and is expected to be in the city for some time.

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Destroyed by Fire.

The home of Mr. Ralph W. Elliott, about two miles from town, was completely destroyed by fire last Thursday. It is believed that the fire originated on the roof and that it was caused by a spark from the chimney. The loss is a very heavy one to Mr. Elliott as not only the house but all its contents were burned. Among the articles consumed by the flames were a number of relics that were highly prized by the Elliott family. The property destroyed was one of the most comfortable homes in this section.

Welsh, Louisiana

SUPPLEMENT TO THE RICE BELT JOURNAL

Saturday, August 23, 1919

LATE PERSONAL MENTION

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The Willing Workers and Baraca classes of the Methodist Sunday School met last Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Carlisle, enjoying a social session.

The evening was devoted to entertainment and refreshments, with about twenty-five of the members of the classes present.

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



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