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DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For President
WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN
of Nebraska.

For Vice President
JOHN WORTH KERN
of Indiana.

THE TICKET.

For Mayor—Dr. J. D. Donald.
For Marshal—J. F. Williams.
For Police Justice—J. E. Davis.
For Treasurer—John Williams.
For City Clerk—A. Fairley.
For Street Commissioner—Owen Reedy.

ALDERMEN.

City-at-Large—M. J. McGrath.
Ward 1—E. L. McGowan and Dr. E. J. Mitchell.
Ward 2—R. A. Cameron and H. C. Greer.
Ward 3—A. T. Powe and C. F. Lassiter.
Ward 4—R. C. McKinzie and N. R. McCullough.

Sworn Circulation

On October 1st.

I, A. B. Hobbs, circulation manager of the Hattiesburg News, certify that the daily circulation of said paper, as shown by the books and records of the office and the press counter, is

1,818

I further certify that the increase for the month of September was more than 300 subscribers.

A. B. HOBBS,
Circulation Manager.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a notary public in and for the City of Hattiesburg, this October 1, 1908.

J. E. DAVIS,
Notary Public.

Religious Faith In Politics.

The Florida Times-Union fears that the intrusion of religion into the domain of politics in this country will be emphasized by a national election this year as well as by the attitude of some prohibitionists. We should regard this contempt of American precedents as a calamity independent of its effect on the fortunes of any party or any candidate, but we are interested in knowing upon what grounds the question of faith is urged against Mr. Taft.

In the current Homiletic Review eleven ministers from different denominations write letters on the subject and all but three insist that Mr. Taft's religious views should not influence the votes of American citizens. Of the three who object to see Mr. Taft president because he is a Unitarian, one is a Presbyterian who says "we cannot afford" to elect any man who denies the Godhead of Christ.

Another is a Methodist who objects because the election of a president who is not a Christian "would be saying to the world that we do not believe in the divinity of Christ" and so would

prove "a terrific blow to Christianity."

The third is a pastor from New York who says:

The discovery, colonization and settlement of the United States of America, as well as the spirit of our presidents from Washington to Roosevelt has been decidedly Christian: and though personally my predilections would favor Mr. Taft, I agree with Mr. Boyer that voters loyal to our Lord Jesus Christ in this Christian land should neither vote for nor encourage others to vote for a man as president who rejects the divinity of Jesus Christ.

Observe that the reasons for objection is different in each case and two suppose that others would make protests not urged by them. Is it possible that American voters can be made to consider the claims of the heathen or of history in the heat of an election where a president is beating the gong and a great orator is giving all opponents a little better than they send? And would these objectors concede orthodoxy to Jefferson and Franklin or be willing to eliminate their work from the wealth of our patrimony?

That Proposed Canning Factory.

The movement recently inaugurated in Hattiesburg for the establishment of a canning factory is taking form, and there is every reason to believe that the new industry will materialize.

It is a notable fact that most of the canned fruits and vegetables sold on the Hattiesburg market are produced in other states, sold through wholesalers and jobbers in New Orleans and other cities and retailed here at many times the cost of original production.

The fact is equally well known that the soil tributary to Hattiesburg is much better adapted to the growth of fruits and vegetables than in many sections where the fruit and vegetable industry has grown to enormous proportions.

One wholesale grocery house in Hattiesburg purchased in another state and sold to the retailers of this territory last year \$250,000 worth of fruits and vegetables, which could just as easily have been raised at home.

It is the purpose of Hattiesburg business men now engaged in the organization of a canning factory, to encourage and foster the fruit and vegetable growing industry in this territory, and to ultimately supply the needs of this territory from the fields adjacent to the city, thus saving to the community the many thousands of dollars now sent to other cities of the country and entirely lost from the channels of local trade.

The effort is certainly worth while, and the News believes that the industry will pay handsomely when once thoroughly established.

Leaving Little Children Alone.

There is a lesson in the sad story from Mosele, printed in these columns yesterday.

Four little motherless children were left alone by their father, who had business down town. Hundreds of little ones are left in like manner every day, and little is thought of it. But in this particular case the father returned to find his home in ashes and two of his babies dead—cremated alive in the burning building.

Much has been said about the practice of locking children in doors and leaving them alone, but in this case the house was not barred, and the children perished because, in their excitement, they did not find the door. The lesson is obvious. It is dangerous to leave little children alone.

Business and Brains.

The following terse and timely editorial from the columns of the Mobile Herald is equally applicable to Hattiesburg.

"There never could be a test of real ability, never a genuine try-out of the quality of business brains, in the midst of general prosperity. At a time when everybody succeeds, when mere accident of position or the force of circumstance simply crowds business upon us, men get credit for ability which

often vanishes on the first trial, in the first real test of ability.

"Such a period of winnowing out is now on in Mobile. Business men who 'lay down' now, firms which turn from the approved methods of business-getting, soured on the theory of advertising, are preparing a great success for their competitors.

"Discouragement and despair have no place in the modern business world. Wake up, business men of Mobile! Go to the front and tell the people of your city what you have to offer them. Don't sulk! The world moves, God reigns and children are born every minute. Don't be groggy, soggy and pessimistic. Talk out to your public, be cheerful, send in your advertisements or see a physician."

A meeting is soon to be held in Natchez to reorganize the Cotton States Baseball League, and it has been suggested that Hattiesburg and Brookhaven take the places formerly occupied by Meridian and Monroe. Such an arrangement would make a compact circuit, and a paying one. Hattiesburg should get into the league by all means.

A Birmingham blind tiger man kept his liquor in a big iron safe and turned off the combination when he saw the officers coming. You can depend on Birmingham finding some solution to the arid condition forced on it by the state prohibition law.

Pert paragraphs are hereby warned that the expression "sit up and take notice" is henceforth obsolete. The Augusta Herald is excepted from the ruling, provided it will promise to never again use "Nay, nay, Pauline."

Haskell's appeal to the people of Oklahoma to furnish him funds with which to prosecute Hearst and Roosevelt marks him as a political four-flusher of the first magnitude. He ought to be kicked out of the party.

An exchange inquires: When is a street sprinkler not a street sprinkler? When it is laid up in the barn because there is no money in the treasury to pay a driver.

The street cars are coming before the first of another year. In the meantime Hattiesburg should arrange to have a baseball park and a league team.

There is plenty of business now for the man who goes after it. Prospects were never better for Hattiesburg and the Hattiesburg district.

When pine timber sells for \$55 an acre there is every reason to believe that the lumber business is nearing the normal again.

A real estate deal now and then adds emphasis to the spirit of business enthusiasm now manifest in the community.

Taft has lost his voice. If Roosevelt should take the writers' cramp the g. o. p. would be in a mighty bad fix.

Mr. Hearst hasn't exposed anybody for the past several days. Maybe he is taking a much-needed rest.

It is now said that Mr. Bryan asked the people of Lincoln to give Mr. Taft a generous reception.

Business in Hattiesburg is not waiting until after the election to pick up.

One of the problems about having money is how mean you are if you don't spend it and how foolish if you do.

HOW'S THIS?

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75 cents per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

SPECIAL SERVICES BEGIN OCTOBER 11 IN BAY ST. CHURCH

A series of services will begin in the Bay Street Presbyterian Church on Sunday, October 11, at 11 a. m. Rev. J. E. Jones, D. D., of the First Presbyterian Church of Meridian will do the preaching. The choir is practicing nightly and good music is assured during the services.

WALLER FARM SOLD TO STUBBLEFIELD

The Joseph Waller place, located five miles northeast of Hattiesburg, was sold yesterday through Mr. M. J. Epley to Mr. William Stubblefield. Mr. Stubblefield makes his home in the city, but it is understood that he will have the Waller farm cultivated. It is a desirable piece of farm property.

AMUSEMENTS.

Attractions Tonight.

New Gem—Vaudeville, moving pictures, tableaux and illustrated song. Pictures: "The Romance of an Old Mill," and a comic one, "Papa's Wife." Patriotic song, with living picture tableaux, trained animals.

New Empire—Light vaudeville, moving pictures and illustrated song. The Mason Sisters in singing and dancing specialties. Moving picture: "Water Is Thicker Than Blood," a Confederate war picture. Illustrated song: "Last Night."

Casino—Special Saturday night program of new moving pictures and catchy illustrated songs.

Coming Events.

Auditorium—Monday night, October 5, "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway."

We will do your plumbing for the next 60 days for absolute cost—we need money. See W. R. Williams manager of the Sanitary Plumbing Co. 9 29 12t

PROGRESSIVE CHAFING DISH PARTIES GIVEN

The ladies of the Main Street Methodist Church gave a series of unique entertainments yesterday afternoon and last night. The character of the entertainments was progressive chafing dish parties, and they were given from 3:30 to 6 in the afternoon and from 8 to 10 in the evening.

The entertainments were given in three different homes, at the residence of Mrs. T. B. Holloman, Mrs. S. L. Heidelberg and Mrs. T. E. Ross. Delicious refreshments were served and there was special music at each home. Many enjoyed the unique entertainment.

LUSITANIA HAS ENORMOUS MAIL

London, October 3.—The Lusitania left for America today with the largest mail on record, due to the recent reduction of postage between England and the United States.

The Cotton Market.

Liverpool, October 3.—2 p. m.—October-November 4.67d; December-January 4.62d.

New Orleans Market.

New Orleans, October 3.—9:45 a. m.—October 8.74c, December 8.58. Closing, 12 noon, October 8:63, December 8.44c.

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MISS ANNIE CATRON.



CATARRH MADE LIFE A BURDEN TO ME.

MISS ANNIE CATRON, 927 Main St., Cincinnati, Ohio, writes: "As I have found Peruna a blessing for a severe case of catarrh of the head and throat which I suffered from for a number of years, I am only too pleased to give it my personal endorsement. "Catarrh, such as I suffered from, made life a burden to me, my breath was offensive, stomach bad, and my head stopped up so that I was usually troubled with a headache, and although I tried many so-called remedies, nothing gave me permanent relief. I was rather discouraged with all medicines when Peruna was suggested to me. "However, I did buy a bottle, and before that was finished there was a marked change in my condition. Much encouraged I kept on until I was completely cured in a month's time, and I find that my general health is also excellent." "People who prefer solid medicines should try Peruna tablets. Each tablet represents one average dose of Peruna. Man-a-lin the Ideal Laxative."

DAILY NEWS ECHOES.

Governor Noel was the guest of Leonard Hume, president of the big corporation known as the Cumberland Telephone Company, while in Nashville last week, which leads the Hattiesburg News to the query: "Did Joseph Foraker ever do worse?"—Newton Record.

There is no denying the fact that Laurel is a good town, and the Chronicle is right in boosting it along. A local newspaper can do lots of good by intelligent boosting. It isn't good policy to exaggerate conditions, but most Mississippi towns have good points enough without resorting to imaginative speculation.—Hattiesburg News.

The News is too liberal minded to mean anything by the above. For fear his finely spun rhetoric may convey a different impression however, the Chronicle deems it pertinent to say that when a court house is nearing completion, a school building is half built, sites have been purchased for a federal building and a city hall, the railroad commission has ordered a union depot built, a mammoth saw mill has purchased a site and drafted plans for its construction, a railroad is building steadily in this direction,

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THE BANK, Dr.

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The community is aided indirectly by our service. YOU will be helped directly if you are one of our customers.

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J. C. BALLARD, Cashier.

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