

**THE ST. TAMMANY FARMER**

Covington, December 20, 1879

**LOCAL ITEMS.**

**The Mails.**

**COVINGTON TO NEW ORLEANS.**

ARRIVE.	DEPART.
Tuesday... 7 P. M.	Monday... 7 A. M.
Thursday... 7 P. M.	Wednesday... 7 A. M.
Saturday... 7 P. M.	Friday... 7 A. M.

**PEARL RIVER TO PEARLINGTON.**  
Leaves Pearl River Thursday, at 8 A. M. Arrives at Pearlington by 11 A. M.  
Leaves Pearlington Thursday, at 1 P. M. Arrives at Pearl River by 4 P. M.

**PEARL RIVER TO SHADY GROVE.**  
Leaves Pearl River Monday, at 6 A. M. Arrives at Shady Grove Tuesday, by 6 P. M.  
Leaves Shady Grove Wednesday, at 6 A. M. Arrives at Pearl River Thursday, by 6 P. M.

**PEARL RIVER TO RIGOLETS.**  
Leaves Pearl River Saturday, at 9:30 A. M. Arrives at Rigolets by 1:30 P. M.  
Leaves Rigolets Saturday, at 2 P. M. Arrives at Pearl River by 6 P. M.

**Our Agents.**

The following named gentlemen are our authorized Agents, to collect subscriptions and solicit advertisements for the St. Tammany Farmer:  
Mauville—Joseph L. Dicks.  
Madisonville—R. Galatas.  
Bayou LaCombe—Chas. Aubry.  
New Orleans—John A. Peyroux.

**No PAPER.**—In order to give our numerous employees an opportunity to enjoy the Christmas holidays, and at the same time afford the editor an opportunity to take a short business trip to the city, there will be no paper issued from this office next Saturday. We therefore take this occasion to wish our readers, one and all, "a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year."

**FINE LEATHER.**—We saw a roll of bridle leather yesterday, made by Mr. Louis Wehrli, at his tannery in Covington, which is fully equal, in every respect, to the finest French leather. Mr. Wehrli has recently enlarged and improved his tannery, and is able to produce leather of all kinds, as good as can be had elsewhere. The citizens of Covington and the surrounding country, in need of leather, should patronage Mr. Wehrli, and thus encourage home enterprise. We call attention to his advertisement in another column.

Mr. M. H. Tally changed his residence this week from St. Tammany to Washington parish. He was one of our most industrious and worthy citizens, and during the present year has served as a member of the Police Jury. We commend "Morris" to the citizens of Washington parish, and wish him every success in his new home.

"Santa Claus" has appeared at the stores of Mr. Jules Pechon and Mrs. Vogel. Call early and select your presents for the little folks.

The grinding season is about over in our parish. We learn from several planters that the yield has not been as great as in former years, while the quality of the sugar is much better than usual.

**MARRIED:**

**WELCH-REAGAN.**—On Wednesday, December 17, 1879, at the residence of Mr. S. B. Staples, by Rev. G. T. Vickers, Mr. PAT WELCH, of West Pearl River, to Miss FLORIDA A. REAGAN, of Covington.

**WILLIAMS-WELCH.**—On Thursday, December 18, 1879, at the residence of Mr. Pat Welch, on West Pearl River, Mr. ROBERT WILLIAMS to Miss SARAH C. WELCH.

**DIED:**

**MORTEE.**—At Pearlington, Miss., on Friday, December 12, 1879, after a long and painful illness, Mr. THOMAS J. MORTEE, aged 74 years and 2 months.

Cotton closed quiet in New Orleans last Wednesday, at an advance of  $\frac{1}{4}$ ¢.

We think the Town Council ought to hold a meeting occasionally, if for no other reason than just for the novelty of the thing, you know!

District Court adjourned last Saturday, to meet again in Covington on Monday, the 29th inst.

Blondes are out of fashion in Paris, and dark brunettes are all the rage.

**Covington Price Current.**

**COTTON**—Selling at 11 to 11 $\frac{1}{4}$ ¢.  
**SUGAR**—Choice brown 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; choice white 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.  
**FLOUR**—Common \$6 to \$7; choice family \$8 50.  
**BACON**—Choice clear sides 10¢; clear rib 10¢; smoked shoulders 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; dry salted 7¢.  
**MESS PORK**—Per bbl., \$11 00.  
**LARD**—Choice 10¢ per lb.  
**COFFEE**—Prime 25¢; good 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢; ordinary 15¢ per lb.  
**RICE**—Prime 8¢; common 6¢; rough rice \$1 00 per bushel.  
**COW HIDES**—Dry salted 10; flint 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ .  
**BEEFWAX**—Per lb., 20¢.  
**TALLOW**—Per lb., 8¢.  
**POULTRY**—Grown chickens \$3 00; half-grown \$1 75 to \$2 50 per dozen; turkeys 75¢ to \$1 00.  
**CORN**—Mixed 80¢; choice white 80¢ per bushel.  
**CORN MEAL**—\$1 00 per bushel.  
**OATS**—Choice black 70¢; rust proof 90¢ per bushel.  
**HRAN**—\$1 00 to \$1 25 per cwt.  
**EGGS**—Per doz., 20¢.

**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**New Tannery.**

I am now prepared to supply the public with all kinds of leather, best quality, of my own manufacture, at prices that defy competition.

**Harness Leather, Bridle Leather, Sole and Upper Leather.**

Call at the Tannery, in Covington, and examine my stock, before sending your orders to the city.

I will give leather in exchange for hides.  
**LOUIS WEHRLI.**

LAND OFFICE, NEW ORLEANS, LA., }  
December 13, 1879. }

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 secure final entry thereof at the expiration of thirty days from the date of this notice, viz:

WHIR MORRIS ERWIN, of Washington Parish, Louisiana, who made Homestead application No. 3855, for the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter, of section twenty-two, and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter, and northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty-seven, township three, south, range one east, Greensburg District, La., and names the following as his witnesses, viz: William Ramsay and John Tison, both of Washington parish, La.

W. M. BURWELL,  
de20 j17 Register.

Bachelors between the ages of 25 and 40 are taxed five dollars a head by the Paraguayan government. After forty they are sown up in a bag and thrown into the river.

**Cotton Statement.**

The following is a statement of the amount of cotton shipped from Covington during the present commercial year, commencing Sept. 1st, 1879:

W. C. Warren	116
J. E. Smith	210
W. Magee	5
R. Babington	148
W. H. Jones	40
B. Lampton & Sons	252
A. S. Kottwitz	91
M. F. Poole	36
J. Cahier	17
H. J. Smith	16
Chas. Heintz	4
R. Daniels	14
H. G. Magee	8
J. L. Beaucoudray	6
W. J. McElveen	51
John A. Ryals	24
J. W. Brumfield	8
J. M. Core	28
C. M. Bickham	9
J. P. Fussell	4
H. H. Bilbo	5
A. McMillon	2
J. O. Magee	2
C. Jenkins	1
Sandifer & Collins	8

Total.....1095

**OMNIBUS LINE.**

BY W. H. DAVENPORT.  
Leaves Covington for the Old Landing, connecting with the steamer New Camelia, carrying the U. S. Mail and thereby enabled to distance all opposition. Every one is treated courteously, and charges are uniform, and no delay on account of old horses and other vexation. Travelers desirous of speed and safety, will look out for Mr. Davenport.

COVINGTON, Sept. 15, 1877.

**Hack Line!**

BY ROBERT BADON.

This old and popular carrier, connecting with the Steamer *Camelia*, at Mandeville, Madisonville and Old Landing, is carrying the U. S. Mail and thereby enabled to distance all opposition. Every one is treated courteously, and charges are uniform, and no delay on account of old horses and other vexation. Travelers desirous of speed and safety, will look out for Mr. Badon.

COVINGTON, Sept. 15, 1877.

**NOTICE.**

The undersigned will pay no debts contracted for account of his property, in the parish of St. Tammany, unless authorized by himself in writing.  
A. THOMSON.

**NOTICE.**

ABITA SPRINGS, November 7, 1879.  
The public are hereby notified that what is known as the Boyd tract of land, situated and lying in the parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, and adjoining the Abita Springs tract, is the property of the heirs of David Boyd, and that the undersigned holds possession of said property for said heirs, and that any claim that Mr. A. Bohn may make to said property is worthless, and that all parties are cautioned against purchasing any such claim from the said A. Bohn.  
nov8 5t J. S. BOSSIER.

**GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY.**

Positively No Humbug.

**NO CAPITAL REQUIRED.**  
MONEY made during the winter months at home. Male or female; no peddling; nice business; sure pay; suits anyone; can't explain here; send a three cent stamp and you will get a beautiful specimen of ore from one of our gold mines, by mail, free, and full particulars of business. Address: "HOME MIRROR," Longmont, Colo.

**For Service.**

At the Sulphur Springs Plantation, a pure Alderney Bull, and genuine imported Berkshire Boar.  
not

**J. CAHIER,**

DEALER IN

Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware,

Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Etc.

Columbia, street, cor. Boston.

COVINGTON, LA.

Has also on hand a full line of

Ready-Made Clothing.

Highest price paid for Cotton, Hides, Wool, and all kinds of country produce.

**H. J. SMITH'S**

RETAIL GROCERY STORE.

DRY GOODS,

HATS,

SHOES,

CROCKERY

And a General Assortment for City and Country use, at the lowest cash prices.

Covington, La.

Highest prices paid for Wool, Hides,

Chickens, etc. &c., &c.

**JULES PECHON,**

DEALER IN

Groceries, Dry Goods, Hats, Etc.,

Covington, La.

The highest price paid for country produce.

Feb. 1, 1877. JULES PECHON.

**F. Losset,**

Blacksmith & Wheelright,

—Will do all sorts of work in—

WOOD and IRON, at short notice

and on accommodating terms.

COVINGTON, LA.

**MRS. C. VOGEL,**

RETAIL DEALER

IN

GROCERIES, DRY GOODS,

HATS, SHOES,

WINES, LIQUORS, &c. &c.

COVINGTON, LA.

**Farm for Sale.**

169 Acres of Good Land.

WITH OR WITHOUT STOCK.

THIRTY ACRES UNDER FENCE

Call and examine the premises. There are abundant Fruit Trees on the place. Splendid Residence and good water in the yard. Out-houses of every kind that are needed in this country, and a small Sugar Mill, in good order. The place is on the Columbia road, eight miles and a half from Covington. Apply to

CHAS. STRATTMAN.

**J. E. SMITH,**

COVINGTON, LA.—DEALER IN

General Merchandise.

Consisting of all the great staple articles of

DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES,

Hardware and Crockery,

And indeed every article in demand as

sued to this market.

The Highest Price paid for

Country Produce.

**JUST RECEIVED**

AND IN STORE,

A NICE ASSORTMENT OF NEW

**FURNITURE,**

Which I offer to sell at

CITY PRICES.

Call at once and suit yourself.

J. E. SMITH.

**Wm. C. Warren.**

DRY GOODS & GROCERY

MERCHANT.

Is always on hand and prompt to

accommodate customers.

COVINGTON, LA.

**A. S. KOTTWITZ,**

(Formerly of Monticello, Miss.)

DEALER IN

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Groceries, Hardware, Boots, Shoes, Hats,

Saddlery, Clothing, Dry Goods, etc.

Will pay the highest market price for

Cotton, Hides, Wool and Country Pro-

duce, or liberal advances made on same.

COVINGTON, La.

**CHARLES HEINTZ,**

(Agent.)

MERCHANT.

Receives continual supplies of well selected DRY GOODS and choice

FAMILY GROCERIES.

Which will be sold at low figures.

Country produce taken in exchange for goods, at market price.

In connection with the general Mercantile business of this house, the proprietor has established a neat BAR ROOM, where he will keep the finest of Wines, Liquors, Lager Beer, Cigars, etc. constantly on hand and at prices to suit the times.

COVINGTON, LA.