

LOCAL ITEMS.

Our Agents.

The following named gentlemen are our authorized Agents, to collect subscriptions and solicit advertisements for the St. Tammany Farmer:

Mandeville—W. G. Davis.
Madisonville—R. Galatas.
Bayou LaCombe—Chas. Aubry.
New Orleans—John A. Peyroux.

RELIGIOUS.—Rev. I. L. Peebles will preach in the Methodist Church in Covington to-night. Services to commence at 7 o'clock.

Also tomorrow morning and evening, at the usual hours.

The public are respectfully invited to attend.

Parish Court will meet next Monday.

John Davis Brown, colored, who was badly burned last week, while drawing charcoal, is still in a precarious condition. His recovery is doubtful.

NEW STORE.—Mrs. Arsene Kennedy, widow of the late George Kennedy, has opened a small store in Covington.

SUDDEN DEATH.—Mrs. Ernest, aged sixty-five years, died suddenly last Thursday, at her residence on Pearl River. She was stricken speechless and blind, while at dinner, and died about 10 o'clock at night. She was apparently in good health, and her sudden death will be sorrowful news to the many warm friends of herself and family throughout the parish. Her funeral took place yesterday.

There will be a regular meeting of the Town Council next Tuesday night.

We will state, for the information of those interested in the question of the proposed new steamboat line between New Orleans and Covington, that we know nothing about it.

THE MARDI GRAS BALL.—At the meeting held last Monday night, in the Royal Palace, a committee of fifteen was appointed to take charge of the grand masquerade and fancy dress ball, to be given at the Courthouse on Mardi Gras night.

After adjournment the ball committee held a meeting and organized, by electing Mr. J. O. Poole, President, and Mr. H. H. Smith, Secretary. A Floor Committee was then appointed, consisting of ten members, and an Invitation Committee, consisting of five members, with Mr. Poole as President.

Three hundred invitations were ordered printed. These will be issued by the Invitation Committee, who will see that no improper persons gain admission to the ball room. It is the intention of the committees to make this ball one of the finest ever witnessed in Covington. Nothing calculated to shock the senses of the most fastidious will be permitted, either in the character or conduct of those present.

Proclamation

By the
KING OF THE CARNIVAL.

To all to whom these presents shall come greeting:

His Gracious Majesty and suite will arrive on MONDAY, February 9, 1880, at 2 P. M., at Ponchatoula.

He will be received by a band of native Warriors, and escorted to his apartments at the Palace St. Tammany, in the town of COVINGTON, where his Honor the Mayor and Town Council will be present to tender their respects and loyalty to his Most Gracious Majesty, the King.

ORDER OF PROCESSION:

ESCORT.

HIS MAJESTY KING REX AND SUITE.

ROUTE:

The procession will move from the station at Ponchatoula immediately upon the arrival of the train, and upon reaching COVINGTON, will march through all the principal streets of the town, and thence to the Palace St. Tammany, where his Majesty will give audience during the evening to such of his subjects as may desire to be presented for that purpose by his Honor the Mayor.

In honor of his Most Blessed Majesty's safe arrival in this his favorite Capital, and in appreciation of the true loyal spirit and allegiance of his loving subjects, there will be a

Grand Carnival Procession

On TUESDAY, February 10, 1879, and the 1009th of his Majesty's reign.

The Pageant will appear at about 12 o'clock M., and march through all the streets of the town, and thence proceed to the Courthouse, where a Grand Mask and Fancy Dress Ball will be given in honor of the occasion.

General Orders.

I. No improper or indecent displays will be allowed in the Pageant. The Marshal of Covington, General Reagan, is especially charged with the execution of this provision.

II. All Independent Maskers desirous of participating in the procession are ordered to report to the Earl of Warwick, who will assign them to proper positions in the ranks.

III. All houses and galleries throughout the town are ordered to be decorated, or display some sign of allegiance to the King.

IV. The town authorities are hereby ordered to remove all obstructions from the highways on which the Pageant will pass.

V. All malicious mischief on the part of subjects, such as throwing stones or flour, is interdicted and forbidden, under the severest penalty.

And now, enjoining strict obedience on the part of all submissive and loyal subjects, his Majesty's unswerving determination is announced to enforce all and every provision of this edict, in order that his brief reign may leave only smiles and pleasant recollections behind.

GOD SAVE THE KING!

Done at Carnival Palace, and with the Royal Seal hereunto attached, this 24th day of January, in the year of our Lord 1880, and the 1009th of his Majesty's reign.

REX

BY THE KING HIMSELF.

[Signed] **WARWICK,**
Prime Minister.

MARDI GRAS EXCURSION TO THE CITY.—The large and handsome Lake steamer New Camelia will make an excursion trip to the city, for the benefit of those who desire to attend the Mardi Gras festivities in New Orleans. The excursionists will start from the Old Landing on Monday morning, February 9, at 7 o'clock. Fare for the round trip, one dollar. The tickets will be good for one week, and excursionists can return either on Thursday or Saturday night.

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	140
J. E. Smith	317
W. Magee	9
R. Babington	184
W. H. Jones	48
B. Lampton & Sons	338
A. S. Kottwitz	152
M. F. Poole	44
J. Cahier	22
H. J. Smith	29
Chas. Heintz	4
R. Daniels	14
H. G. Magee	11
J. L. Beaucaudray	6
W. J. McElveen	62
John A. Ryals	28
J. W. Brumfield	8
J. M. Core	28
C. M. Bickham	9
J. P. Fussell	5
H. H. Bilbo	5
A. McMillon	2
J. O. Magee	2
C. Jenkins	1
Sandifer & Collins	8
R. Magee	8
J. M. Foxworth	6
Frank Sylvest	3
G. H. Crow	2
Fortenberry & Willis	2
Total	1517

State of Louisiana, parish of St. Tammany—Parish Court.

MRS. M. F. POOLE vs. RICHARDSON AND WALKER.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed by the aforesaid court, bearing date January 8, 1880, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the door of the Courthouse, in the town of Covington, parish and State aforesaid, on SATURDAY, the 7th day of February, 1880, between legal sale hours, the following described property, to-wit:

THIRTY-SEVEN PINE SAW-LOGS, more or less, lying in East Middle River, in this parish and State, marked as follows: "XIV."

Seized in the above entitled suit. Terms of sale—Cash. W. B. COOK, Sheriff. Covington, Jan. 10, 1880.

State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Tammany, Parish Court—No. 130.

SUCCESSION OF LOUIS DUMONTIER.

By virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the honorable the Parish Court of the Parish of St. Tammany, La., in the above entitled succession, bearing date January 16, 1880, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Courthouse door, in the town of Covington, parish and State aforesaid, between legal sale hours, on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of February, 1880, the following described claim, to-wit:

THE RIGHT OF INDEMNITY OR RECOURSE, belonging to the above named succession, against the United States, for satisfaction of the located part of the claim of the deceased, for about three thousand two hundred arpents of land, which claim had been located in part on section sixty-two, township nine, east of range six west, containing thirteen hundred and forty-eight and 41-100 acres, but which location has been set aside and annulled by the United States, in consequence of which said succession has the right of indemnity, as aforesaid, for said amount of 1348 41-100 acres, and which right of reclamation is above sold, with all and singular the incidents and privileges thereunto annexed or in any wise appertaining. Terms of sale—Cash. W. B. COOK, Sheriff. Covington, Jan. 17, 1880.

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. del 17

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.

State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Tammany, Parish Court—No. 131.

SUCCESSION OF VALENTINE HAMPSON.

By virtue of an order of sale to me directed from the honorable the Parish Court of the Parish St. Tammany, La., in the above entitled succession, bearing date January 16, 1880, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the Courthouse door, in the town of Covington, in the Parish and State aforesaid, between legal sale hours, on WEDNESDAY, the 18th day of February, 1880, the following described property, to-wit:

THE NORTHWEST QUARTER OF Section thirty-four, in Township eight, south of range thirteen east, St. Helena meridian, containing one hundred and sixty-five and 46-100 acres. Terms of sale—Cash. W. B. COOK, Sheriff. Covington, Jan. 17, 1880.

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

suited to this market.

The Highest Price paid for

Country Produce.

JUST RECEIVED

22 tons Bone Dust

Which I offer to sell

CHEAP FOR CASH.

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

General Merchandise.

Groceries, Hardware, Boots, Shoes, Hats,

Saddlery, Clothing, Dry Goods, etc.

Will pay the highest market price for Cotton, Hides, Wool and Country Produce, 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.

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.

de20 **LOUIS WEF**