

St. Tammany Farmer.

September 24, 1898.

ISSUED EVERY SATURDAY

Ask for Blue Stamps, at Medal's.

The first frost we had in Covington last year occurred on Wednesday, Nov. 17.

Joseph S. Boze, a well-known and popular drummer, died at his home in New Orleans last Friday.

It is said that a spoonful of powdered charcoal, swallowed every morning, is a safeguard against yellow fever.

The autumn season commenced last Wednesday, bright and fair, with light passing clouds and a refreshing breeze.

The summer season closed last Tuesday evening with a rainbow, which we hope means better weather for a few weeks.

We had excessive rains again Monday night and Tuesday, causing the rivers to rise, and doing much damage to cane and cotton.

The Covington Musical and Dramatic Club celebrated its first anniversary, last Saturday night, with an enjoyable social gathering and dances in the Town Hall.

The first reported death from yellow fever in New Orleans last year was that of Raoul Gelpi, who died Sept. 6. This year the first case of yellow fever reported was on Saturday, Sept. 17.

There will be two judicial sales at the Courthouse to-day, in the cases of A. Pell vs the Hartsville Lumber Co., and A. Pell vs the Southern Brick, Tile & Construction Co. See advertisements in another column.

WANTED, BOARD.—By a young lady, in good family, in or near Covington. Terms \$20 per month. Address, X. Y. Z. Covington, La.

Prof. A. J. Montamat, of Donaldville, has just published a new composition, a two-step, entitled "Viva America," which is very bright, catchy and spirited. We return thanks for a copy, with the compliments of the author.

At the convention held in Covington last Saturday, the following delegates were elected to cast the vote of this parish in the Baton Rouge Convention, to nominate a candidate for Railroad Commissioner: Adolph Frederick, Chas. Hosmer, Alonzo Sharp and James Band.

Health certificates are now required from all persons coming over from the city by rail or steamer. We think the Mayor and Board of Aldermen acted wisely in adopting this mild precautionary measure. The proceedings of the special meeting, held last Tuesday, will be found in another column.

DIED.—Wm. H. Kibart, who had been engaged in merchandising in Covington for a number of years, died at the residence of his aunt, Mrs. L. Wehrli, Sr., last Saturday, of abscess of the liver. He was a member of St. Tammany Lodge, No. 96, K. of P., and was buried Sunday afternoon with Pythian honors.

Keep out of the night air. Meridian, Miss., has adopted a stringent curfew ordinance. All persons caught out after 10 o'clock Saturdays and 8 o'clock on other nights, unless out on business that they can satisfactorily explain, will be locked up. The law will probably be abolished after the first killing frost.

The Covington Graded and High School is being well patronized, and the teachers are giving satisfaction. All who can give this school the benefit of their patronage should do so. A good school is of more value to a town than almost any other enterprise, and we hope to see a liberal patronage accorded our model new High School.

The summer resorts in this parish have been unusually well patronized this year. The bathing and fishing at Mandeville and Madisonville have been splendid, and the superb climatic surroundings of Covington, Abita Springs, etc., have been a source of attraction to both invalids and those in the best of health. Judging from appearances, the East Louisiana Railroad, and the fine Lake steamer New Camelia have had no cause to complain of their summer business.

Malaria is induced by best Physicians and guaranteed to cure Chills, Fever and Ague. All druggists or from Moffit-West Drug Co., St. Louis.

Talisheek Campmeeting.

Campmeeting closed Sunday night. Though not as largely attended as heretofore, much good was done.

Rev. H. Brown, of Madisonville, deserves a vast amount of credit for the work he accomplished. He was untiring in his efforts, and with the confidence and love of all interested in the meeting.

Miss Dottie Hemple, the faithful organist, did all in her power to make the meeting a success. Song service was held every night before preaching. The hymn that seemed to be most enjoyed was, "Life's Highway to Heaven."

The restaurant was in charge of Mr. Otto Stratman. This place was a favorite resort, not only for the good things to be had there, but all seemed to enjoy the company of the jovial proprietor and wife.

The grounds this year were kept in excellent condition by Mr. Fritz Hempel.

Mr. Gardner, the popular teacher of Talisheek school, was a general favorite. Mr. Ernest Dutsch was ever ready to do all duties assigned him.

Although the moon failed to put in an appearance, its absence was not noticed, since we had bright starlight "Kulight."

On Wednesday evening stars were seen, and stripes lit in honor.

To the surprise of all, a certain "Bush" sprang up, bearing "Cracker Jack." It is needless to say that this "Bush" was greatly in demand.

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The Wednesday and Sunday excursions have been discontinued, owing to the existence of yellow fever in New Orleans. The railroad train arrives every evening and leaves every morning, as usual, and the schooners will continue to make their regular trips.

The Registration office is now open again, for the purpose of revising the roll, and to register those who have become of age or otherwise entitled to vote.

Those who should register can do so by calling at the Courthouse, otherwise they will not be able to vote in the November election for Congressman and Railroad Commissioner.

Soule's Commercial College, for over 41 years one of the leading educational institutions in New Orleans, admits students at any time, and the instructions are all personal. Graduates of this celebrated College hold important positions all over the United States.

We call attention to their advertisement, in another column.

PERSONALS

Miss Eva Jay, a popular young lady of Madisonville, left Monday, after a delightful visit to Miss Myra Richard.

Mrs. James Mason and sweet little daughter, "Loom," left for their home in New Orleans last Tuesday, after a pleasant visit to relatives.

Miss Annie Hanley returned after her home in the city, last Sunday, after a week's visit to friends.

Mr. Heziah Balloch left last Monday to attend the State University at Baton Rouge.

Col. and Mrs. Poole left last Tuesday for Hattiesburg, Miss.

Mr. Clay Richard left for Houma last Monday.

Miss Lou Peterson, of New Orleans, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith.

Miss Laura Hosmer has returned from Summit, Miss., where she attended the wedding of her niece, Miss Ruby Hosmer, and Mr. Jas. S. Lea.

Mr. Steve Bateman and wife have returned from a visit to relatives in Franklinton.

Miss Ida Sadler, who was on a visit to the Misses Abney, left for her home at Pearl River Station last Wednesday.

Wanted, at Babington Bros. & Co., 50,000 claspboards.

Blue Stamps given and redeemed at Medal's.

Go to Babington Bros. & Co. for all kinds of Bicycle Material. They have just received a full assortment of Bicycle Goods. Call and See. Leave your wheel with them for repairs.

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NOTICE.—You can save 3 per cent. on every cash purchase by asking for Blue Stamps at Medal's.

BABINGTON BROS. & CO.

Carry the Largest and Most Varied Assortment of GENERAL MERCHANDISE IN TOWN. Largest buyers. Largest sellers. Leaders in Low Prices and Choice Goods. Complete Stock in Every Detail.

C. Z. WILLIAMS, President. J. S. JONES and O. M. NILSON, Vice Presidents. W. F. DEGAIMO, Cashier.

Bank of Covington.

IS NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS.

Board of Directors: H. J. Smith, H. H. Smith, C. S. E. Babington, M. C. Day, C. H. Bickham, E. J. Frederick, Emilie Frederick, J. S. Jones, C. Z. Williams, O. M. Nilson, O. V. Richard.

We receive and take as much pains with Small as Large Deposits. We do a General Banking Business, and solicit the Patronage of St. Tammany Parish. Foreign Exchange sold on any city in Europe.

The State Board of Health, has granted permission to the towns of Mandeville, Abita Springs and Covington, to hold communication with New Orleans, and has declared quarantine against said towns.

A CRITICAL TIME.

During the Battle of Santiago. SICK OR WELL, A RUSSIAN NIGHT AND DAY.

The Packers at the Battle of Santiago de Cuba were all Heroes. Their Heroic Efforts in Getting Ammunition and Rations to the Front Saved the Day.

P. E. Butler, of pack-train No. 3, writing from Santiago de Cuba, on July 23, says: "We all had diarrhoea in more or less violent form, and when we landed we had no time to see a doctor, for it was a case of rush and rush night and day to keep the troops supplied with ammunition and rations, but thanks to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, we were able to keep at work and keep our health; in fact, I sincerely believe that on our critical time this medicine was the indirect savior of our army, for if the packers had been unable to work there would have been no way of getting supplies to the front. There were no roads that a wagon train could use. My comrade and myself had the good fortune to lay in a supply of this medicine for our pack-train before we left Tampa, and I know in four cases it absolutely saved life."

The above letter was written to the manufacturers of this medicine, the Chamberlain Medicine Co., Des Moines, Iowa.

For sale by V. H. Frederick, Covington, and R. B. Paine, Mandeville.

For a full line of Fruit Jars, call at Babington Bros. & Co.

When you go to New Orleans, stop at Penn's Hotel, corner of St. Charles and Poydras streets. All front rooms, newly furnished throughout. Charges reasonable, by the day or week.

A handsome and complete assortment of Clothing for Spring and Summer wear has just been received at Babington Bros. & Co., who carry the largest and most complete stock to be found in Covington.

Private Board, by the day, week or month, at Home Cottage, north of the Farmer's office. Mrs. Victor Labat.

If you want a Bicycle cheap, see Babington's new line of wheels.

New and Improved Abita Springs Hotel OPEN.

Hot and Cold Sulphur Baths.

In the midst of a Pine Grove, this Hotel offers to its Guests shady Grounds, 800 feet of Covered Gallery, plenty of Milk and a Cuisine Unrivalled.

ABITA SPRINGS WATER served at the table. Correspondence Solicited.

Mrs. O. Aubert, Proprietress.

Glen Cottage, COVINGTON, LA.

Select Private Boarding, F. A. ALLAIN, PROPRIETOR.

CONFECTIONERY AND RESTAURANT.

VICTOR PLANCHE, Proprietor. In the Pechon building, near the Depot.

MEALS AT ALL HOURS, at Pechon's out the times.

DR. J. L. POPE, DENTIST. Office over Frederick's Drug Store. First-class Dental Work, will be done on short notice.

Tax Collector's Notice. The taxes assessed for the year 1898 are set forth in the tax roll now on file in my office, and in the mortgage office of this parish. They are now due, and if not paid, will become delinquent on the 31st day of December, 1898, and will draw one per cent. per month interest from that date until paid, in accordance with Article 211 of the Constitution. The tax on all real estate property must be paid immediately.

J. J. STROBLE, Chief and S. J. STROBLE, Tax-Collector.

Hardy H. Smith.

Successor to J. E. Smith & Sons. COVINGTON, LA. DEALER IN General Merchandise. Consisting of all household articles and DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES. LAKEWARE AND "CRACKERS", and indeed every article in demand as sold in this market. Highest Price paid for Country Produce.

O. V. Richard.

COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF Seasonable Goods ALWAYS ON HAND.

H. J. SMITH'S RETAIL GROCERY STORE

Dry Goods, Hats, Shoes, Groceries. And a General Assortment for City and Country use, at the LOWEST CASH PRICES.

COVINGTON, LA. Highest prices paid for Wool, Hides, Chickens, etc.

CHARLES HEINTZ, (Agent.) Merchant.

Receives occasional supplies of well selected Dry Goods and Choice Family Groceries, which will be sold at low prices.

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 RESTAURANT, 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.

P. E. THERIOT, Covington, La. Has a full and fresh line of Summer Goods, Notions, Millinery, Groceries, Shoes, Etc.

Gents' and Boys' Suits and Hats. Which are sold at prices that defy competition. Call and be convinced. No trouble so show goods.

COSMOPOLITAN BAR-ROOM.

B. LABAT, Proprietor. Covington, La. Opposite the Town Hall.

JUST RECEIVED. A FRESH STOCK OF Choice Family and Fancy GROCERIES, CANNED GOODS, ETC.

ALSO A FIRST CLASS BAR-ROOM, Well stocked with the finest of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

Country orders promptly attended to. B. LABAT, Opposite Town Hall, Covington, La.

Private and Select Board — AT THE — Bossier Cottage, ABITA SPRINGS, LA.

Mrs. Widow Harry Bossier has opened her house at the celebrated Abita Springs. No more beautifully shaded grounds in the parish, with fine water, and in addition a Sulphur Well. Plenty of milk, chickens and fresh eggs. Table and cooking will be first class.

The place is immune from yellow fever, cholera and malaria. We never quarantine. As healthy as any spot on earth. So pronounced by the United States Government Health reports, now on file at Washington, D. C. The Abita Springs is world-renowned for its miraculous curative properties.

Terms \$1.50 per day, \$10 per week, \$25 per month. Servants, and children under 12 years of age, half price rates for families. Railroad Depot, Postoffice, Telegraph Station, and in a few days money order office.

For further particulars, address: MRS. HARRY BOSSIER, Abita Springs, La.

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MANUFACTURERS OF SASH, DOORS AND BLINDS. All kinds of Store and Office Fittings. ROUGH AND DRESSED LUMBER. Office and Factory, Corner Howard Avenue and Dryades Street, Head of New Basin. NEW ORLEANS. James J. Hosholm, Dealers & Lumber 1209 1/2 Exchange St. P. O. Box 868 Telephone 1272.

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HANDSOME AND STYLISH TURMOURS. Special inducements to Drummers. Unexcelled service to patrons. Prices moderate; conveniences furnished for balls, parties, funerals, etc.

We have a SURE REPAIRER and give our personal attention to funerals. A select assortment of Caskets and Coffins always on hand. Madisonville Agent—V. FAURIA.

This is What You Want. SQUARE DEAL FRUIT AND VEGETABLE Headquarters.

— ALSO — CHOICE CAKES, CANDIES AND FANCY GROCERIES. AT CITY PRICES. MAKE NO MISTAKE. Louis Medal, Columbia street, between H. J. Smith and Louis Wehrli stores, COVINGTON, LA.

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At reasonable prices. First-class work guaranteed. Office at Paul's Exchange, in Mandeville, and at C. Segond's, in Covington. In New Orleans, 504 Bourbon St.

ABITA SPRINGS STORE. Opposite the Railroad Depot, ABITA SPRINGS, LA.

GROCERIES, CANNED GOODS Clothing, Notions, Hosiery, Crockery, Hardware.

And everything usually kept in a first class establishment. The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

Finest Goods. Lowest Prices. MRS. V. SCHMIDT, Proprietor.

Pineland Park HOTEL. Located on one of the highest and most picturesque spots on the Tchefuncte River, about one mile below Madisonville. Newly erected, finished and well furnished Cottages. Fine Artisan Well Water. Beautiful Grounds and Surroundings. Boating, Fishing and Bathing. Vehicles and Horses for hire.

The Steam Boat New Camelia leaves Wednesday and Sunday at the place. Daily Communication by Carriage from Mandeville, six Miles Distance. Resident Physician, Dr. Theo. Englebach. Rates per Day: \$1.50; per Week: \$10; per Month: \$25.

Address: F. H. SAMORY, Proprietor. Pineland Park, Chinchuba P. O. St. Tammany Parish, La.

J. A. PARISY, Champion Horse-Shoer and Veterinary Surgeon. Special attention paid to the treatment of sick or maimed horses. Terms reasonable.

Pianos & Organs TUNED AND REPAIRED. Also All Kinds of Musical Instruments Repaired.

Lessons given on the Mandolin, Violin, etc. Terms moderate. Watches, Clocks and Jewelry Repaired.

Sleep at Smith & Anderson's Store. All orders by mail will receive prompt attention.

H. F. MELLEUR, Covington, La.

DR. S. A. SMITH, DENTIST. Office and residence rooms—in the north side of Heiler's Drug Store, where he can be found, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday of every week.

ROUSSIER & STROBLE, Real Estate Agent. COVINGTON, LA. Desirable Farms and Town Property for sale or rent. Also lots at Abita Springs. Office at Courthouse.

FOR SALE. A first-class family carriage and saddle horse, sixteen hands high, sound and gentle. Apply at this office.

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Mandeville, Madisonville and Old Landung. THE STEAMER NEW CAMELIA

Commencing April 2, 1888. Will leave Mandeville, on the arrival of cars from Pontchartrain Depot, Head of Elysian Fields street, DAILY, (except Sundays and Wednesdays,) 4 p. m. train. Returning, leaves Madisonville, DAILY, at 4:45 a. m. Water and weather permitting.

Excursions. Mandeville, Lewisburg, Madisonville and Old Landung. SUNDAYS and WEDNESDAYS, 8 a. m. train.

Freight received daily at the Louisville and Nashville Railroad depot, head of Girod street. W. G. COYLE & CO., Agents, No. 223 Canal street, corner Union for Madisonville and Covington.

The Schooner JOSIE WEAVER

B. T. G. WEAVER, MANAGER. Will leave head of New Basin, New Orleans, every SATURDAY, 3:30 p. m. Returning, will leave Covington every WEDNESDAY, at 12 m.

RATES OF FREIGHT: Cotton, per bale, 30 cents; Dry Barrels, 15 cents; Sacks, 10 cents. Other rates in proportion. J. J. CLARK, Agent, Head of New Basin, New Orleans.

For Madisonville and Covington. The Schooner JOHN F. POPP

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For Madisonville and Covington. The Schooner ROSA A.

Will leave head of New Basin, New Orleans, every THURSDAY, at 4 p. m. Returning, will leave Covington every Monday, at 10 a. m.

J. S. JONES, AGENT. RATES OF FREIGHT: Cotton, per bale, 30 cents; Dry Barrels, 15 cents; Sacks, 10 cents. Other rates in proportion. JONES & PICKETT, owners, Office in Covington, on Columbia street.

For Madisonville and Covington. The Schooner J. R. O'BORKE.

L. P. DELBOIX, MANAGER. Will leave head of New Basin, New Orleans, every TUESDAY, 3:30 p. m. Returning, will leave Covington every FRIDAY at 12 m.

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J. M. YATES, PARISH SURVEYOR, COVINGTON, LA. All orders left with H. R. Warren, Clerk of Court, or addressed to J. M. Yates, Verger Postoffice, La., will receive prompt attention.

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