

St. Tammany Farmer.

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One Dollar a Year.

Terms, CASH IN ADVANCE

When the spirit leaves the body, Quite the husk of yellow clay, When we drift into the darkness, When we quit it all, I say Will you ask me, there in Hades Where we'll surely get our due, Will you ask in blazing torment, "Is it hot enough for you?"

St. Tammany Excursion.

The St. Tammany Health Homes Company Limited, gave a complimentary excursion by special trains to their patrons, the purchasers of lots and property, and their friends, Thursday.

The purpose of the excursion is to sales of lots, blocks and small show the purchasers what the Company is doing in improving the property.

The East Louisiana R. R. has contracted for the handsome Depot in the State, and the company is building a beautiful pavilion, with restaurant attached, also beautifying the parks, grading streets, doing sanitary drainage and building cottages.

The company has had surprising acre tracts. The sales have been made at extremely low prices, because the Company wishes every purchaser of St. Tammany property to make money.

Mr. J. E. Walker bought, in March, four lots for \$5 each. He sold, in May, to Mr. Jos. F. Edwards for \$10 each, and Mr. Edwards sold three of the lots for \$25 each and one for \$15.

Mr. H. L. Huntington bought six lots for \$5 and \$10 each, and sold them at a net profit of 100 per cent.

Mrs. S. Robertson bought a block of twenty-four lots. She sold it May 19 for 100 per cent. profit, and bought two blocks.

Purchasers of acre tracts are as follows: Joseph F. Edwards, twenty acres; Miss M. E. O'Neal, ten acres; W. A. Watt, of Dallas, Tex., twelve ten-acre tracts; W. B. Oldenburg, fifteen acres; Hon. C. J. Bell, ten acres; Elias Landaur, ten acres.

The company has an experienced professional gardener and horticulturist in charge of the work it is doing to demonstrate the fertility of its soil and its adaptability to truck farming and fruit raising. They are now laying out one hundred forty-acre truck and rice farms. Thirty acres in rice and ten acres in truck will make an industrious family independent of the Beef Trust or panics.

Flooding artesian wells and splendid drainage give everything needed for profitable rice farming without expensive pumping plants.

The New Orleans and Northeastern Railroad Company furnished their elegant new coaches for the trip and drove the train from New Orleans to St. Tammany in one hour and seven minutes.

General Manager N. G. Pearsall, of the East Louisiana Railroad personally conducted the train and delighted a party of purchasers in describing to them the handsome new depot his road had ordered to be built at St. Tammany.

Happy Time in Old Town.

"We felt very happy," writes R. N. Revill, Old Town, Va., "when Buckle's Arnica Salve wholly cured our daughter of a bad case of scold head." It delights all who use it for Cuts, Corns, Burses, Boils, Ulcers, Eruptions, Infidelity for Piles. Only 25c at the City Drug Store, J. L. Watkins, proprietor.

Mr. Jules Manand, of Mandeville, sent us last Monday some fine specimens of broom corn. The stalks are 12 feet long and well headed. He has seven acres planted in broom corn, and the crop has turned out remarkably well. It is now fully matured and ready for the curing process. There is no better paying crop, the price ranging from \$120 to \$240 per ton, according to demand and supply, and the average yield is one ton to the acre. This beats cotton, or any other product of the farm.

Virulent Cancer Cured.

Starching proof of a wonderful advance in medicine is given by druggist G. W. Roberts of Elizabeth, W. Va. An old man there had long suffered with what good doctors pronounced incurable cancer. They believed his case hopeless till he used Electric Bitters and applied Buckle's Arnica Salve, which treatment completely cured him. When Electric Bitters are used to expel bilious, kidney and microbe poisons at the same time this salve exerts its matchless healing power, blood diseases, skin eruptions, ulcers and sores vanish. Bitters 50c, Salve 25c at the City Drug Store, J. L. Watkins, proprietor.

TARO CULTURE.

Plant from Which "Poi" is Made, Grows in Louisiana.

The semi-tropical plant, known in various parts of the world as taro and cassava, grows with luxuriance in St. Tammany Parish, according to the statement of Major O. W. Crawford, at the St. Charles Hotel. The plant attains its best development in a moist, warm climate such as is afforded by Louisiana, and in tropical countries it forms the basis of the bread food of the natives. It may be prepared for human consumption in a variety of ways, and is largely affected by the foreigners who settle within the tropics on account of the extreme ease with which the stomach assimilates the food prepared from it.

In Hawaii the natives call the plant taro, and make it their main article of diet, poi. Poi is something like bill-poster's paste, and in its raw state tastes like acidulated starch. Cooked into the form of batter cakes it is said to be not only nutritious but very palatable. The cassava or taro grows like beets or sweet potatoes. It has a thick, fleshy foliage, and the yield per acre is said to be about the same as sugar beets, with perhaps a shade in favor of the cassava.

Major Crawford says that his experimental taro patch in St. Tammany presents a very pleasing appearance. "The governmental reports on the subject of cassava show that beef and hogs which are fed on the roots of the plant flourish and get fat. The reports also show that beef may be raised in this way at a cost of one and a quarter cents a pound, and that pork by the same means can be produced at one cent a pound.

"I look for a thorough investigation of the subject by the agriculturists of this State, and will do everything in my power to demonstrate the perfect feasibility of raising the roots in St. Tammany."

Of what does a bad taste in your mouth remind you? It indicates that your stomach is in bad condition and will remind you that there is nothing so good for such a disorder as Chamberlain's Stomach & Liver Tablets after having once used them. They cleanse and invigorate the stomach and regulate the bowels. For sale at 25 cents per box by V. H. Frederick, druggist.

Bogue Falia Notes.

Verger, La., June 7, 1902. Editor St. Tammany Farmer: Hello! How's all this time? All are well up here, as usual, and in good spirits. Farming is moving on to the Queen's taste.

The much dreaded cotton lice have covered the cotton throughout this and adjoining sections of the parish. They will not ruin the crop if they do not hold on too long, but will set it back two or three weeks.

Corn is most all laid by and looks fine. Better prospects for corn were never seen in this section.

Sugar cane is also doing splendid, and other crops accordingly.

The scribbler had the pleasure of attending the closing exercises of the Gorman High School on May 23. Everything moved on with all manner of gayety and good order. That's the way they do things at Gorman. Mr. W. H. Simmons was there, and that was sufficient, as all know Mr. Simmons.

Miss Helen Etheridge, Principal, left for her home at Montgomery, La., on Sunday, and was accompanied by her assistant, Miss Lillie Richardson, and Mr. Luther Richardson, as far as New Orleans.

On Saturday night, May 24, the young folks gave their first ice cream supper at Gorman, at Mr. Richardson's. Quite a number of young folks were present. All enjoyed it greatly, and said "let's do that again."

Messrs. Charlo Wascom and Ben Moore visited friends at Verger last Sunday.

Messrs. Preston and Bill Wood and Jim Fussell passed through these parts with a large drove of beef cattle last week, destined for New Orleans.

Mr. McManis, of Amite City, visited friends in the Blackwell's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Owens visited Mr. A. P. Blackwell's folks last Tuesday.

Miss Ozdie Sylvest will be here to take charge of the Upper Blackwell School Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blackwell visited their folks on the Big Hills Farm last Sunday.

Mrs. John Stevens visited her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mary Core, last Sunday.

Mr. A. P. Blackwell and sons, Ed. and Caudle, have one of the best crops to be seen in these woods.

Mr. B. Stafford, of Richardson, was here looking for a stray horse last Monday.

Mr. J. D. McLain had quite a visit with his mother last Sunday.

Most sign off and fly up. Best wishes to all.

THE CLODHOOPER.

CONSTIPATED BOWELS.

To have good health, the body should be kept in a laxative condition, and the bowels move at least once a day, so that all the poisonous wastes are expelled daily. Mr. G. L. Edwards, 142 N. Main St. Wichita, Kansas, writes: "I have used Hermeto to regulate the liver and bowels for the past ten years, and found it a reliable remedy." 50c at V. H. Frederick's drug store.

My little son had an attack of whooping cough and was threatened with pneumonia; but for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy we would have a serious time of it. It also saved him from several severe attacks of croup.—H. J. Strickfaden, editor World Herald, Fair Haven, Wash. For sale by V. H. Frederick, druggist.

Items from Along the Military Road.

Rain is very much needed, as the gardens are suffering, and the dust along the road has become quite a nuisance. Considerable improvement is going on in our midst.

Mr. Brulout's handsome cottage has been completed, and is now one of the ornaments to Military road.

Mr. J. B. Cofalu is having a home built near the Alexander House, under the skillful management of Mr. Gabe Spahr, of New Orleans.

Work will soon be started on a cottage for Miss Elize Sauter, in square No. 1.

Mrs. Edgar's cottages are filled with guests.

Mrs. E. Sauter's house is well supplied with patrons.

Mr. Cundall's wind mill is an attractive addition to that neighborhood.

Mr. S. Mitchell has enclosed his poultry yard with a fine woven wire fence. The Garden District school, on Mr. Thos. O'Connor's place has closed for the vacation season.

Mrs. Kittredge and family have returned to their summer home, "Tanglewood."

Mr. V. McEnany has concluded to make his permanent home in our midst.

Mrs. Clarke and family are comfortably located in their new home.

Mr. Wm Oswald and wife contemplate an extended trip to Europe in the near future.

Mr. J. R. Legier and family have returned for the summer.

Mr. J. Mellen has leased Mr. Young's farm, and is comfortably located.

Mrs. John Eberhardt's house is well supplied with guests from the city. Alexander's house is well patronized. We need more summer boarding houses.

Mr. Louis Voss made a crop of Irish potatoes that is hard to beat.

Mr. Ferrer and family have returned for the summer to their handsome home.

A surprise party was given at the residence of Mrs. John Eberhardt on Friday, June 6. It was a most enjoyable affair. The music was furnished by Hagan's string band and by Mr. Amédée Goyol and others on the piano. Among those present were:

Messrs. Edna and Corinne Legier, Abbie and Edna Marrero, Jennie Marshall, Millie Alexander, Gessie Wehrmann, Bertie Zeitvogel, Thessa Beck, Manie Mayne, Agnes Church, Mary and Bertha Eberhardt, Misses Badon and Pechon, Florence and Rosena Young, Mrs. John Eberhardt, Mrs. John Young, Mr. J. Biery and wife, Chas. Eberhardt and wife, Gabe Spahr and wife, Mrs. Masson, Mrs. W. Ellis, Mrs. Church, Messrs. John and Max Edgar, Frank Norquist, Ernest Alexander, Ed. Marrero, Jeff McAlpin, Henry Roekenschub, Robert, Zeno and Warren Badon, Chas. Zeitvogel, Louis Beck, M. Blauche, J. Harney, W. Kennedy, A. Courtney, Paul Segond, W. and F. Poole, Paul Lacroix, J. and B. Barrere, T. G. McLain and Thos. Young.

BOGUE FALLA.

QUESTION ANSWERED.

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers and grandmothers never thought of using anything else for indigestion or biliousness. Doctors were scarce, and they seldom heard of Appendicitis, Nervous Prostration, Heart Failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form, to make you think there is nothing serious the matter with you. You can get this reliable remedy at V. H. Frederick's drug store. Get Green's Special Almanac.

Succession of Mrs. Susanna Mundy.

Twenty-sixth Judicial District Court of Louisiana, in and for the Parish of St. Tammany.

Mrs. Matilda Galves, having filed application to be appointed administratrix of the succession of Mrs. S. Mundy, deceased, and the following description and valuation of her estate, to-wit: Eighty and thirty-five one-hundredths acres of land, being the southeast quarter of section 18, township 8, south range 13 east, and improvements. Appraised at \$200 00.

That all parties interested are hereby required to show cause on or before June 23, 1902, why said application should not be granted, and that said description and valuation of said estate be not approved and homologated.

This done and signed this 11th day of June, A. D., 1902.

H. R. WARREN, Clerk of Court.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La.

June 8, 1902.

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 that said proof will be made before the clerk of the district court, at Covington, La., on Monday, July 14, 1902, viz:

WILLIAM LOYD.

Who made homestead entry No. 24,563 for the east half of the northeast quarter, northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 9, township 6, south range 13 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Oliver Parker, William A. Parker, W. H. Cook and John Tisdale, jr., all of Thomsville, P. O., La.

may 17-59 WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

HERE IS YOUR CHANCE!

Lots Sold in New Claiborne and New Covington on Installment Plan.

New Covington is too well known to go into any particulars in regard to the tract. The East Louisiana Railroad runs through the center of New Claiborne. Lots can be purchased fronting the Railroad or the north boundary of the tract, and on the Arthur road which also leads to Abita Springs and which bounds the tract on the south.

These Lots are Five Minutes Walk from Claiborne Station

Lots in New Claiborne will be sold for \$35 00 each. First payment to be \$5 00, and each month thereafter \$5 00 until paid for.

Lots in New Covington \$50 00 each, terms of payment same as in New Claiborne.

Titles will be Given Purchasers FREE OF A C O S T S.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION APPLY TO

F. B. Martindale, COVINGTON, LA. Room 9, Frederick Building.

Or to R. S. PICKETT, NEW ORLEANS, 613 Poydras Street.

Notice of Contest.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La. June 4, 1902. Complaint having been entered at this office by Thos. K. Crawford against Monroe B. Penton, for abandoning his homestead entry No. 18,669, dated July 23, 1895, upon the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter, section 25, and the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter section 36, township 8, south range 14 east, St. Helena Meridian, St. Tammany Parish, La., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office, on the 16th day of June, 1902, at 10 o'clock A. M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

CHARLES P. JOHNSTON, Receiver. je14-4t.

Notice of Contest.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La. May 14, 1902. Complaint having been entered at this office by Thos. K. Crawford against Samuel Cooper for abandoning his homestead entry No. 17,846, dated November 21, 1896, upon the east half of the northwest quarter, section 19, township 8, south range 11 east, St. Helena Meridian, in St. Tammany Parish, La., with a view to the cancellation of said entry, the said parties are hereby summoned to appear at Covington, La., before H. R. Warren, Clerk of Court, on the 25th day of June, 1902, at 9 o'clock A. M. to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

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HENRY STAFFORD.

Who made homestead entry No. 17,364 for the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter, section 18, and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 17, township 7, south range 12 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Jeff. Strain, Jesse Faus Abita Springs, La., and Thos. Strain and Geo. S. Strain, Covington, La., P. O. je14-5t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

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ALPHONSE SCHORITZEN.

Who made homestead entry No. 17,996 for the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter, section 8, and the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, section 8, and north half of the southwest quarter, section 9, township 6, south range 13 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Warren Thomas, Thompson Parker, Walter Parker, William Parker, all of Thomsville, P. O., La. je14-5t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La.

June 6, 1902.

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ALBERT N. STEVENSON.

Who made homestead entry No. 22,173 for the southwest quarter of section 7, township 8, south range 14 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: H. J. Anderson, James Bennett, W. D. Penn, of Floreville La. P. O. and Henry Keller, of Little La. P. O. je14-5t. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

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Anything you call for in the way of Mixed or Straight Drinks, Fine Wines, Cold Beer, Good Cigars, Fresh Tobacco and Cigarettes Can be supplied at the well-stocked.....

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For Sale or Rent. Improved and unimproved property, in Old and New Covington. Also farms and unimproved property in the vicinity of Covington. For further information apply to F. B. Martindale, Room 9, Frederick Building, Covington, La.