

# St. Tammany Farmer.

W. G. KENTZEL,  
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR

November 21, 1903.

## Announcements.

Our terms for announcements will be as follows: For parish and district offices, \$5 00. Ward offices, \$3 50. We shall require the cash in advance in all cases and shall not deviate from this rule.

### For State Senator

We are authorized to announce U. S. E. BABINGTON, of St. Tammany Parish, as a candidate for re-election as Senator from the Nineteenth Senatorial District of Louisiana, composed of the parishes of St. Tammany, Washington, Tangipahoa, St. Helena and Livingston, subject to the Democratic Primary election, to be held November 21, 1903.

### We are authorized to announce

THOS. E. BENNETT, of Washington Parish, as a candidate for Senator from the Nineteenth Senatorial District of Louisiana, composed of the parishes of St. Tammany, Washington, Tangipahoa, St. Helena and Livingston, subject to the Democratic Primary election, to be held November 21, 1903.

### We are authorized to announce

J. B. SETTOON, of Livingston Parish, as a candidate for re-election as Senator from the Nineteenth Senatorial District of Louisiana, composed of the parishes of St. Tammany, Washington, Tangipahoa, St. Helena and Livingston, subject to the Democratic Primary election, to be held Nov. 21, 1903.

We are authorized to announce the following candidates for Parish officers, subject to the primary election, Nov. 21, 1903:

**For Representative**  
LANCASTER, JOS. B.  
MULLINS, P. D.  
SALMEN, FRITZ.

**For Clerk of Court**  
WARREN, H. R.

**For Sheriff**  
BREWSTER, T. E.

**For Coroner**  
HEINTZ, DR. F. JULIUS  
MARRERO, DR. F. G.

**For Assessor**  
SMITH, CHAS. L.  
THOMAS, WARREN  
VERRET, H. A.

**For Police Juror**  
First Ward.  
KOEPP, GEO. JR.

**Second Ward.**  
BRUHL, WILLIAM  
FITZGERALD, MARK  
ROGERS, JAMES L.

**Third Ward.**  
ALEXIS, G. C.  
DAY, M. C.  
HEBERT, DR. N. M.  
LEMONS, JOHN  
MATTHIES, FRITZ

**Fourth Ward.**  
BIERHORST, GEORGE  
SMITH, JOS. M.

**Fifth Ward.**  
GRANTHAM, LOUIS  
STATTMAN, OTTO  
WILLIAMS, J. C.

**Sixth Ward.**  
PARKER, H. Q.  
RICHARDSON, DAVID  
WILSON, S. R.

**Seventh Ward.**  
TODD, JOHN A.

**Eighth Ward.**  
POW, W. G.  
SWINSON, JOHN  
WILLIS, H. J.

**Ninth Ward.**  
MILES, L. T.

**For Justice of the Peace**  
Second Ward.  
BURNS, MILTON.

**Third Ward.**  
COOLEY, A. A.  
MARTINDALE, F. B.  
PONS, A. O.

**For Constable.**  
Fifth Ward.  
CRAWFORD, O. D.

**Thanksgiving.**

Some have meat that canna eat, An some would eat that canna eat, But we has meat, and we can eat, See let the Lord be thankit.

—Robert Burns.

There was ice half an inch thick in the ponds Thursday morning, and many pump wells and cisterns were frozen tight.

## Reward Offered for Sheep-killing Wolf.

During the past few months the farmers of Eastern Tangipahoa and Western St. Tammany parishes, who own flocks of sheep that range between the Tangipahoa and Bedico rivers, have had at least 800 sheep killed. At first it was supposed to be the work of worthless dogs, but after a great majority of the worthless curs in that section had been killed it was discovered that the damage was being done by a wolf. A. M. Edwards, one of the leading sheep owners of that section, has offered a reward of \$100 for the capture of the wolf, dead or alive. A party of hunters are arranging to go from Covington soon in the hope of capturing the wolf and the reward.

## Extra Session

A conference of the cotton men, who are making a fight against the invasion of our State by the terrible Mexican boll weevil, met in Shreveport last week and appointed a committee to go to Baton Rouge and confer with Gov. Heard on the advisability of convening the State legislature in special session to consider the problem of the boll weevil, and adopt means of preventing his invasion of the State. Prof. W. C. Stubbs, government scientist in the Agricultural Department, will cooperate with the committee, and strong pressure will be brought to bear on the Governor to induce him to take the proposed step.

Governor Heard has addressed a circular letter to police juries, calling attention to the Convention in New Orleans Nov. 30, which discusses the boll weevil situation, and to determine whether a request should be made for an extra session of the Legislature.

## Wreck at Kentwood.

The railroad wreck which occurred Saturday night at Kentwood, a small town in Tangipahoa Parish, was in every respect a shocking affair.

Briefly told, the facts are these: The fast Illinois Central mail train, a through train, making only two regular stops between New Orleans and McComb City, Miss., while running at a high rate of speed, crashed into the rear end of an accommodation train standing on the main line of the railroad at Kentwood station, completely destroying the two rear coaches of the latter train, killing more than thirty persons and wounding many more. After the collision, fire completed the destruction and added to the horror of the affair.

All but two of the unfortunates killed were negroes, who had been paid off on Saturday and were on their way to McComb to spend Sunday. Had the rear coach, as is usually the case, been occupied by white people, they would have been killed, just as the negroes were, as the engine of the mail train crashed through the entire length of the coach, crushing into shapeless masses all the passengers in the coach.

### JUST WHAT YOU NEED.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. When you feel dull after eating. When you have no appetite. When you have a bad taste in the mouth. When your liver is torpid. When your bowels are constipated. When you have a headache. They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach, and regulate your liver and bowels. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by V. H. Frederick.

## Pay Your Poll Taxes

Only a month and a week remain in which the poll taxes of 1903 may be paid. Unless this tax be paid before Jan. 1, the voter will be shut out of the Democratic primary to be held Jan. 19, out of the State election in April, and out of the Presidential, Congressional, city and town elections. He will completely disfranchise himself and surrender all interest in the city or town, State and nation, placing himself, as far as the duties of citizenship are concerned, on an equality with the illiterate tramp negro.

### Notice to Voters.

All members of the Third Ward Democratic Club and all voters of this section are requested to meet at their hall at Abita Springs on SATURDAY, Nov. 21, 1903, at 8:30 o'clock A. M., as conveniences will be in readiness to take them to Covington, to cast their vote for their respective choice.

By order  
DR. F. JULIUS HEINTZ,  
President.

RICHARD H. HALL,  
Secretary.

### List of Letters

Remaining in the Post Office at Covington, La. Nov. 16, 1903:  
Clark A. E. Middleton Minnie B. Dyes B. Folson James S. Eustis Allan Mrs. Miss Mary Hager John Hon. Tycer W. G. Magee J. L.  
If not called for in thirty days from date, the above letters will be sent to the Dead-Letter Office.  
Persons calling for the same will please say advertised.  
A fee of one cent additional postage is required on all advertised letters.  
Post Office opens at 8 A. M. and closes at 7:15 P. M. sharp.  
LOUISE ALVAREZ, P. M.

**FOR SALE.**—A new racing sulky. Great reduction. Apply to E. J. Frederick.

## The Toy Pistol.

The blank cartridge toy pistol is at last receiving the attention which should have been given it some years since, said Secretary Mayo, of the New Orleans' Progressive Union.

Several of the cities north of the Ohio River, and notably the City of Chicago, have adopted more or less drastic measures for the complete suppression of the traffic in blank cartridge pistols.

The objection to this particular toy is in the fact that a very large proportion of wounds caused by blank cartridge pistols result in tetanus or lockjaw, and there is no record of a single person contracting this fearful disease, in the manner suggested, having recovered.

The statistics covering the last Fourth of July celebration show that throughout the United States nearly 400 children died from lockjaw, resulting from powder burns caused by the careless handling and explosion of these blank cartridge pistols, and it has been demonstrated that, as an instrument of death, this toy will compare favorably with any of the weapons now on sale in the markets of the world.

Investigation has, unfortunately, not resulted in the isolation of the particular poison, although an exhaustive examination has been made, both of the pistols and the ingredients forming the blank cartridge, and the adoption of the ordinances or laws referred to was a precautionary measure, adopted in the hopes of lessening the frightful mortality attendant upon past holiday seasons.

A number of the leading merchants of New Orleans have agreed not to deal in these dangerous toys, and we hope the merchants of Covington will do the same, in the interest of humanity. Let the holiday season pass as one of joy and merriment, unmarred by a single event of sorrow, and the elimination of the sale of the blank cartridge pistol, even at the sacrifice of the small profit there is in it, will do much to secure this desired result.

## Abita Fire Company No. 2

The regular monthly meeting of the Abita Fire Company No. 2 will be held in their hall on Monday, Dec. 7, 1903, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. All members are requested to be present, as the election of officers for the ensuing year takes place.  
RICHARD H. HALL,  
Secretary.

## OBITUARY.

Fell asleep in Jesus, Nov. 7, 1903, Mrs. Chas. F. McMahon, nee Katie Sadler.

Like the passing away of a summer breeze  
Her soul was wadded to Heaven;  
Like the noiseless fall of the autumn leaves,  
No struggle of pain was given.

After two weeks of sickness and pain, death came quietly and claimed from our midst a wife, a mother, and a friend to many, for few are the families in Slidell but can remember some kindness shown to one of their members at the hands of Mrs. McMahon. How often has she knelt at the bedside of those who were sick unto death and repeated the litany of the dying. Deceased was a member of the Catholic Church, and died fortified by the last beautiful rites of her beloved church. Rev. Father Dorbin officiated at the funeral, which took place Sunday, Nov. 8, and was one of the largest funerals ever witnessed in our town. Mrs. McMahon was the mother of twelve children, nine of whom survive her. As a wife, she was all one could desire; as a mother, she was ever watchful and self-sacrificing; as a friend, to know her was to love her.

Mr. McMahon and his children have the sympathy of their many friends. May her soul rest in peace.  
M. M. Slidell, La. Nov. 13, 1903.

**DOESN'T RESPECT OLD AGE.**  
It's shameful when youth fails to show proper respect for old age, but just the contrary in the case of Dr. King's New Life Pills. They cut off ailments, no matter how severe, and irrespective of old age, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Fever, constipation, all yield to this perfect pill. 25c at the City Drug Store, 4 1/2, Walkins, Proprietor.

**WANTED.—FAITHFUL PERSONS** to call on retail trade and agents for manufacturing house having well established business; local territory; straight salary \$30 paid weekly and expense money advanced; previous experience unnecessary; position permanent; business successful; enclose self-addressed envelope. Superintendent Travelers, 605 Moon Blg. Chicago.

**FOR A BAD GOLD.**  
If you have a cold you need a good reliable medicine like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to loosen and relieve it, and to allay the irritation and inflammation of the throat and lungs. For sale by Jos. S. Claverly, Druggist.

## Pearl River Items.

Editor St. Tammany Farmer:  
The Planche & Willis lumber and shingle mill is running in full blast and turning out A 1 goods, with Judge Comb at the lever.

Mr. Coleman, lumber merchant, of New Orleans, was here this week taking contracts for the cuts of Planche & Willis mill, and also P. W. Schneider of St. Joe. Mr. Coleman is a fine business man to deal with.

Hon. E. A. J. Comb and Geo. S. Brooks are contemplating going on a big deer hunt soon. Look out, deers, when they come.

All vote for H. J. Willis for police juror for the Eighth Ward, and be happy.

Little Willie Edmondson, son of Thomas Edmondson, broke his arm above the elbow last Saturday while playing base ball. Dr. Polk, of Shinnell, placed the arm in shape and the boy is doing well.

Senators settoon and Babington were here last week in their interest. Hon. H. R. Warren accompanied them around. They are good men.

Mr. J. J. Willis is still on the sick list. We hope he will soon recover.

Mr. Lewis Talley, chief clerk in J. J. Willis' store, killed a fine wild turkey this week. He reports lots of them in Honey Island. The writer saw the turkey.

There was an Epworth League social at the school house last week. A good time is reported.

Mr. M. C. Day, of Covington, was a pleasant visitor here with H. J. Willis, this week. Come again, Mac.

Mrs. E. A. J. Comb is not expected to recover from her long illness at the hospital, in New Orleans.

Mrs. Dolph Garrison is on the sick list with a sprained ankle. Hope she will soon recover.

Our ozone well is a beauty, with a fine flow of water, and we drink it freely.

All subscribe for the St. Tammany Farmer and hear all the news and be happy.

Mr. James Henley and Miss Dora Bennett, both of Pearl River, La., were married at Slidell on Nov. 6. The writer wishes them a long and happy life.

The teachers of our school were presented with a nice map of the United States by Mr. Martin Behrman, of New Orleans, our candidate for State Auditor, and it is appreciated by the good lady teachers of our school. It was delivered by Mr. W. H. Brooks, our townsman, who is a friend of Mr. Behrman.

Rev. Lancaster preached last Sunday night at Mr. Francis Hardman's villa. The writer was in attendance and heard his sermon.

Mr. Harry Norton and family, of New Orleans, spent Sunday at their villa here.

Miss Stella Brooks is the organist of our Sunday School. She is a fine musician.

There was a children's party at Mr. and Mrs. John Hartman's last Friday evening for their little daughter Maggie. The children report a good time.

## OLD SLEUTH.

Editor St. Tammany Farmer:  
This Sunny Southland is attracting more and more those who are seeking homes and health. Many already have come to find summer homes and others will soon come to stay.

Mr. Ralph McCracken has a pretty home not far from the depot. He comes from the city every night. There is room for more, and strangers are welcome to our piney woods country.

The public schools are going on well, and some are larger than ever before. Miss Lida Simpson sent in this honor roll of her department:

Third Grade—Laura Brooks, Lewis Hager.  
Second Grade—Claude Schneider, Katie Bennett, Val Hager.  
First Grade—Lydia Brown, Sophie Penton, Ophie Henley.

First Primer—Myrtle Brooks, Carrie Bell Garretson.

Mr. J. J. Willis is out again, after a severe spell of sickness. Many city folks were out Sunday rustroating.

With best wishes for FARMER.  
—SCRIBBLER.

**FOR A BAD GOLD.**  
If you have a cold you need a good reliable medicine like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to loosen and relieve it, and to allay the irritation and inflammation of the throat and lungs. For sale by Jos. S. Claverly, Druggist.

## Thanksgiving Services

There will be Union Thanksgiving Services at the Presbyterian and Methodist churches Thursday, Nov. 26, 1903. At 11 o'clock, Rev. P. H. Fontaine will preach at the Presbyterian Church, and a collection will be taken for Presbyterian orphanage. At 7:30 o'clock P. M. Rev. Jno. M. Williams will preach at the Methodist Church and a collection will be taken for old Methodist preachers of the Louisiana Conference. A choice musical program will be rendered. The public are cordially invited to attend.

## Tupelo Gum Lumber

N. Cousin, of St. Tammany Parish, who was at the Denechand last night, speaks interestingly of the growth of the Tupelo gum lumber industry, in which the Lacombe Land and Lumber Company, with which he is connected, has been operating extensively. Mr. Cousin said that experiments with this wood, which had previously been declared as unfit for any commercial use, had demonstrated that it possessed great strength and durability. Mr. Cousin says that with the decrease in the amount of ash and kindred woods, that he believes that the Tupelo gum will come into greater demand in the future. One circumstance in the handling of this tree, he added, was the fact that it reproduced very rapidly, and that where the timber men were cutting, the swamps were soon again thick with the new growth of the timber.—Picayune.

The official rice report shows that 3,370,138 sacks were received from Louisiana and Texas during the month of October.

## THE BEST REMEDY FOR COUGHS.

[From the Atchafalaya, Kan., Daily Globe.]  
This is the season when the woman who knows the best remedy for coughs is in demand in every neighborhood. One of the most terrible things in the world is to be awakened in the middle of the night by a whoop from one of the children. The cough remedies are almost as sure to be lost in case of coughs as a revolver is sure to be lost in case of burglars. There used to be an old-fashioned remedy for cough known as live sassafras and oil, but some modern medicine say that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is better, and does not cost so much. It cures the patient to "throw up the pole" quite or and gives relief in a shorter time. Give this remedy as soon as the cough appears and it will prevent the attack. It never fails and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Jos. S. Claverly, Druggist.

United States Land Office,  
New Orleans, La., Nov. 13, 1903.

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 Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1903, viz:

WILLIAM BADON,  
Who made locust entry No. 30,868 for the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 32, township 8, south range 15 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Columbus Porter, Chas. W. Crawford, W. A. Crawford and Martin McKinney, all of Slidell, La.  
2021-St. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La.,  
Nov. 13, 1903.

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W. M. A. PARKEE,  
Who made locust entry No. 32,400 for the east half of the southeast quarter of section 32, township 8, south range 15 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Henry Bercegey, Oliver Parker and Geo. Uimer, of Thomsville, and A. Bush of Tallsheek, La.  
2021-St. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La.,  
Nov. 13, 1903.

## Partition Sale.

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

Hardy H. Smith vs. Violet Post, Margaret Hart and Harriet Woods, No. 326.

Under and by virtue of a judgment of partition and sale ordered in the above entitled action, on the 8th day of November, 1903, I will sell at public auction, to the highest and last bidder, for cash, at the front door of the courthouse in the town of Covington, La., on SATURDAY, Dec. 26, during legal sale hours, the following described lands to wit:

The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter, of section 29, in township 4, south of range 10 east, containing 85 acres.

Term: 1 year—cash, the purchaser to pay for the title.

T. E. BREWSTER, Sheriff.  
2021-St.

## Bank of Covington.

CAPITAL STOCK \$50,000. SURPLUS \$9,000 OFFICERS

C. Z. WILLIAMS, President.  
J. S. JONES, Vice-President.  
JOS. DELREY, Cashier.

We do a general banking business. Buy and sell exchange. Give us your deposits, large or small, and we extend to you facilities for safe and conservative banking.

## HERE IS YOUR CHANCE!

To Buy Lots in New Claiborne and New Covington.

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 of the Abita wagon road, which forms 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. Lots in New Covington \$40 00 and up, according to location.

Titles will be Given Purchasers FREE, Purchasers to pay for the Recording.

Lots and squares are being sold in New Covington rapidly, and all wishing desirable location had better hurry up and purchase.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION APPLY TO

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COVINGTON, LA.

Room 3, Frederick Building.

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Teething Powders  
Cure Cholera Infantum, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, the Bowel Troubles of Children of Any Age, Aids Digestion, Relieves the Stomach, Improves the Teeth and Teething Easiness.  
Costs Only 25 cents at Drugists.  
Or mail 25 cents to G. J. MOFFETT, M. D., ST. LOUIS, MO.

Cure Eruptions, Sores, Colic, Hives, Thrush. Removes and Prevents Worms. TEETHINA COUNTERACTS AND OVERCOMES THE EFFECTS OF THE SUMMER'S HEAT UPON TEETHING CHILDREN.

**STEPPED AGAINST A HOT STOVE.**  
A child of Mrs. Geo. T. Benson, when taking his usual Saturday night bath, stepped back against a hot stove, which burned him severely. The child was in great agony, and his mother could do nothing to soothe him. Remembering that she had a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Remedy in the house, she thought she would try it. In less than half an hour after applying it the child was quiet and asleep, and in less than two weeks was well. Mrs. Benson is a well known resident of Bolivar, Va. Pain Remedy is an antiseptic liniment and especially valuable for burns, cuts, bruises and sprains. For sale by Jos. S. Claverly, Druggist.

Succession of Bonard Pettibien.

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

Notice is hereby given to all creditors and all parties concerned to show cause, if any they have, within ten days from the first publication of this notice, why the final account of E. E. Warren, administrator, should not be approved and homologated and the funds distributed according to law.

By order of the court, this 11th day of Nov. 1903.

H. K. WARREN, Administrator.

**White Cross Cough Drops.**  
For the cure of all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, Bronchitis, croup, Hoarseness, Hacking Cough and Whooping Cough. We absolutely guarantee this remedy to cure any case of Croup, and makes Whooping Cough so easy that it is almost a pleasure to have it, and know that you went through it with so little trouble.

May 30, 1899.

My Dear Sir:—Your White Cross Cough Syrup cured me of an obstinate and hacking cough, which failed to yield to several other remedies. I heartily recommend it. Yours truly,  
E. W. BROWN,  
Manager Cigna Department,  
Albert Mackie Grocery Co., Ltd.

It does not constipate. It does not cause headache. It does not affect the appetite. It does not impair digestion. But, it stops a cough. It will cure croup. It will clear the throat. It will cure any cold. It will make whooping cough easy.

**PRICE 25 CTS.**

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La.,  
Nov. 17, 1903.

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HAYARD R. McCLEAN,  
Who made locust entry No. 23,636 for the southeast quarter of section 29, township 8, south range 10 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Edwards, Emile Fuhrman, Arthur Stange and Ernest Goodbee, all of St. Tammany Parish, La.  
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A Cure For All Throat and Croup: Lung Troubles.  
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