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Boque Palaya Grove, No. 21 Meets on the first and third Saturdays in the month, at 7:30 P. M., at Castle Hall, K. of P., Covington, La.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. J. M. Williams, Pastor, will hold services in Covington on the 1st and 3rd Sundays, Madisonville 2nd Sunday, Sibley 4th Sunday.

We learn that the price of electric lights will be increased next month.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones are the happy parents of a fine son. Born Sunday, Jan. 24, 1904.

Middling cotton is quoted at 15 3-16 and Good Middling at 15 7-16.

The U. F. B. A., of Madisonville, will give a masquerade ball at their hall, on Saturday, Feb. 13.

Last Sunday was one of the coldest days of the season. Ice formed half an inch thick.

James Henry Taylor, a well-known colored citizen died last Thursday. He was born Dec. 23, 1873.

STRAYED—A Red Calf, with white spots on head and back, 18 months old. Branded H L. Reward will be paid for its return to Frederick Nagel, Abita Springs.

The Grand Jury met last Monday. Mr. P. H. Hansborough was chosen foreman. The jury adjourned Wednesday, and returned fifteen true bills.

Our neighboring town of Abita Springs is improving right along, quite a number of residences and store buildings being in course of erection.

We advise our readers to get all the enjoyment they can out of the freezing weather, for it will not be many weeks before they will long for some of that "Good Old Winter Time."

New houses continue to go up in Old and New Covington at a rate that it is difficult to keep count of them, still we are not having any boom just sold, substantial improvement.

Prof. Herrie and his mother arrived from Galveston, last week, and are stopping at the Glockner house. The Professor is here for the benefit of his health, and we hope he will soon be benefited by a sojourn in our healthy town.

Olive oil, taken in doses of about two tablespoonful three times a day, is said to be a good tonic after suffering with the grip or pneumonia. It is an old German remedy, and has proved a sure cure to convalescents in many cases.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. J. Schopp and daughter, of New Orleans, accompanied by Misses L. and K. Bokenfohn, Mary Maher, M. L. Markel and Messrs. M. Appleby and Astredo, spent Sunday at their summer home in Covington.

An enjoyable dance was given at the residence of Mrs. Everhardt, near Covington, last Wednesday night, in which a number of young men from Covington participated, and report having had a most enjoyable time.

There is no grazing in the woods, owing to the fact that the grass has been burned throughout the entire parish. The outlook for live stock is gloomy for the next six or eight weeks, when we usually have the severest weather of the winter season.

The Dixon Academy basket ball team will give an exhibition game at the Academy grounds next week Wednesday. Two rival teams will contest for the championship of the school and a good game is assured. The game will be called at 4:30, to which the public is invited.

Mr. Oswald advertised a milch cow and calf for sale in the FARMER last Saturday, and received five applicants the same day. He sold them to the first caller, and was persuaded to part with another cow, although not desirous of doing so. This shows that advertising pays, even more than expected.

The Cumberland Telephone Co. will soon make extensive improvements in its service, putting up a large cable wire on the Avenue, and with a large increase in the number of phones, additional operators, etc., the result will be a decided improvement.

We learn that a fatal shooting affray occurred in Washington Parish last Saturday night, when Lewis Brown shot and killed Wilton Burch. Both are well connected, Brown being a son of ex-sheriff F. M. Brown, and Burch was a son of ex-Treasurer, John R. Burch. At last report Brown had not been arrested.

Judge Robt. K. Reid is seriously ill in Amite City, and the District Court there was adjourned last Monday, the jury being discharged for the term. Judge Reid has been sick for some weeks, and the hard campaigning prior to the election afforded little opportunity to recuperate. He is threatened with pneumonia.

Clavaria's Syrup of White Pine and Tar will cure that cough.

Rev. E. O. Ware, Corresponding Secretary of the Louisiana Baptist Convention, who resides at Alexandria, La., and Rev. E. H. Garner, of Franklinton, spent last Sunday in Covington, and will organize a Baptist Church here. Dr. Ware preached to a large congregation in the Methodist Church in the morning, and met a number of the leading Baptists in the afternoon. The prospects are that a church will be organized with about fifty members.

The public school term in Covington will probably be brought to a close in March. There are over 250 pupils in attendance, and with a small fee from each one, the school can be continued till the end of the term. There are five teachers, hence it will require only a sum of about one dollar a month from each pupil, which would not be felt by the parents, while the advantage to the children would be infinitely greater than the small outlay, and can not be computed in dollars and cents.

We had a pleasant visit last Monday afternoon from Prof. Lyndon, of Dixon Academy. He informs us that the number of patrons, especially boarding students, is greater this year than ever before. As a recreation, they take a lively interest in the daily drill on the campus, and are becoming experts at the fascinating game of basket ball. The Professor is an adept with the camera, and showed us a number of very fine views taken from various points of interest in the Crescent City. We are pleased to learn that the Academy is in a prosperous condition, as there is no better appointed preparatory school in the State.

One of the most enjoyable events of the season was the leap year party given by the young ladies at the Pavilion last Friday night, complimentary to young gentlemen of Covington and vicinity. The monogram, M. K. O. N., in large letters, was suspended over the front of the stage. We are not at liberty to tell what these letters signify. The opening number was a grand march by the young ladies, who wore pink masks and pink silk empire suits, and was charmingly executed. Then the young gentlemen, who were seated on the stage, were called out by their fair entertainers, to participate in the mazy dance. After four dances the young ladies unmasked, and the dancing became general, and was enjoyed till a late hour. Hon. Jos. B. Lancaster acted as master of ceremonies, in his usual happy style, and Miss Dora Delcroix presided at the piano with rare grace and ability.

We learn that the young gentlemen will give a return dance next Friday night, Feb. 5.

NOTICE.—There will be a called meeting of the M. C. B., at the residence of Mr. S. M. Whelpley, Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. All members are requested to attend.

FOR RENT.—A handsomely furnished residence. One of the most desirable locations in Covington. Apply to E. E. Smith.

LOST.—Cow lost her cud. The finder will please return it to this office, and get reward. ja30-11.

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SAM SING, Proprietor.

Quarterly Conference.
Rev. Dr. LaPrade, Presiding Elder of this district of the Methodist Conference, will be in Covington this week to hold his first quarterly conference for the current year. Dr. LaPrade will preach at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and again Sunday night. He is ranked as one of the best preachers in this section, and our people should not fail to hear him.

The raffle of the piano belonging to Mr. P. D. Mullins took place last Sunday, and it was won by little Irma Beaucaudray. A large wheel was arranged with the numbers on it, and Mr. S. D. Bulloch fired a load of small shot at it, while revolving at a rapid rate. The lucky number receiving a shot was 153.

List of Letters
Remain in the Post Office at Covington, La., Jan. 25, 1904:
Beckner John Webb E A
Middlebrook L L Worth John
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.

Dress Overcoats, Cheap.
At Babington & Co's.
DIED.—In Covington, La., Friday, Jan. 22, 1904, Charles Edwin Day, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Day, aged three months and one day.
The funeral took place Saturday afternoon, Rev. V. G. Evans officiating. The bereaved parents have the sympathy of the entire community in their affliction.

DIED.—Wednesday, Jan. 27, at the residence of his niece, Mrs. Thos. O'Connor, Jr., Michael A. Torpie, aged 75 years. The remains were taken to New Orleans for interment.

DISLOCATED HER SHOULDER.
Mrs. Johanna Soderholm, of Ferguson Falls, Minn., fell and dislocated her shoulder. She had a su upon get it back in place as soon as possible, but it was quite sore and pained her very much. Her son mentioned that he had seen Chamberlain's Pain Balm advertised for such cases, and he asked him to buy her a bottle of it, which he did. It quickly relieved her and enabled her to sleep, which she had not done for several days. The son was so much pleased with the relief it gave his mother that he has recommended it to many others. For sale by J. S. de Witt, drug gist.

Notice to Stockholders.
There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Building and Loan Association on Wednesday, Feb. 2, 1904.
Dr. C. Z. WILLIAMS, Sec'y.

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

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A gentle horse, will work anywhere, good under the saddle.
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Notice to License Payers.
TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, Parish of St. Tammany, Covington, La., January 14, 1904.
The Licenses for the year 1904, are now due and the payment thereon will become delinquent on the first day of March 1904, after which date penalties at the rate of two per cent will be added to the amount of the license. All unpaid licenses on the first day of March, 1904, will be turned over to the attorney to sue the tax collector. Parties wishing to avoid the payment of penalties will do well to make payment before the date.

BUDGET.
Secretary and Parish printer 5 300
Parish Treasurer 400
Assessor's fees 1500
Commission of Tax Collector 1250
Sheriff's salary 500
Carrying convicts to penitentiary and insane people to the State Prison 1000
Witnesses in criminal cases 3000
Other and general anti-criminal Expenses 7000
Coroner and Coroner's Jury 2000
Grand and Petit Jurors 2500
Police Jury 1400
Repairing and constructing bridges 7000
Emblematic cadet to State University 100
Beneficiary cadet to State Normal School 125
Divers, incidental and contingent expenses 2000
Total \$29,775

1. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana, That a license be and is hereby levied for the year 1904, upon each person, corporate body, or association pursuing any occupation, business or calling in this parish, which is subject of a State License.
2. Be it further ordained, etc., That the amount of License due to the Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana, on or collected in this parish, subject to a license, is hereby levied on the same as is now levied and collected by the State for such trade, occupation, business or calling in this Parish.
3. Be it further ordained, etc., That the License due this parish shall be and is hereby due and collectible at the same time and in the same manner as Licenses due the State, and in the event the same are not paid when due, it is ordered that the tax collector report the same to his attorney, who is hereby authorized and instructed to forthwith institute legal proceedings to enforce the payment of the same.

1. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of St. Tammany Parish, that besides the two mill tax heretofore set aside for public work purposes, there is hereby levied for the year 1904 a par capita tax of \$1.00 upon each male inhabitant of the parish between the ages of 18 and 55 years, except parties who live in cities and towns that keep up their own streets, this tax to be collected as provided by law, and to be paid by the 31st of December, 1904, and such year hereafter, and that any person liable to pay is per capita tax as above levied, shall be deemed to be in default of the same if he has not paid the same by the 31st day of the month of December, 1904, and the amount of the same shall be collected as provided by law, and to be paid by the 31st day of the month of December, 1904.
2. Be it further ordained, etc., That said prosecution shall be conducted before the District Court.
Geo. Koery, Jr., President
W. G. KENTZEL, Secretary
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Succession of Andrew J. Core.
Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court of Louisiana, in and for the Parish of St. Tammany.
By virtue of an order of sale from the honorable the aforesaid court and to me directed, bearing date Dec. 23, 1903.
I will proceed to sell at public auction, on the premises of the deceased, Andrew J. Core, about 12 miles northwest of Covington, on SATURDAY, Feb. 6, 1904, between legal sale hours the following described property, to-wit:
Real Estate.
A certain piece or parcel of land, lying and being situated in the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, and being in the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 15, township 5 south range 10 east, containing seven acres of land.
Movable.
One saw mill, consisting of machinery and fixtures for running a saw mill, cotton gin and grist mill, one log wagon and one horse wagon.
Live Stock.
Sixteen head of cattle, three yoke of oxen, one hundred head of sheep, one horse and eight mules (two grown and three colts).
One lot of household furniture, consisting of four bedsteads, one bureau, one desk, half a dozen chairs, three tables, one set of kitchen furniture consisting of one cooking stove, pots and pans.
Terms of sale—cash, for the purpose of paying the debts of the above succession.
T. E. BREWSTER, Sheriff.
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