

**January**

**December 31, 1904.**

**U. A. O. D.**

Beque Palace Grove, No. 21  
 Meets on the first and third Saturdays  
 in the month, at 7:30 p. m., in the  
 Masonic building, Covington, La.  
 J. L. JENKINS, Noble Arch.  
 F. B. HAZARD, Secretary.

Try Tulane Blend Coffee, 25¢ at  
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The days are gradually getting  
 longer.

Low middling cotton was quoted  
 in New Orleans Wednesday at 6¢.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Hadden and  
 family spent the holidays at their  
 summer residence in Covington.

The schools will all open next  
 Monday, much to the delight of  
 the students and teachers.

Mr. L. T. Miter, Police Juror  
 for the Ninth Ward, was a busi-  
 ness visitor to Covington last Mon-  
 day.

Christmas day was the warmest  
 on record, but was followed by the  
 severest cold wave of the season,  
 frost and thick ice being plentiful.

Abe McGeehee and Oscar War-  
 ren, while on a Christmas spree,  
 fought a pistol duel in Washington  
 Parish, La. Both were killed.

The Christmas holidays, with  
 their usual festivals and tragedies,  
 are over for another year, much to  
 the delight and regret of many.

We take this occasion to wish  
 our readers, one and all, a joyful  
 and prosperous New Year, and  
 many happy returns of the day.

Mr. Howard Stonebraker, of  
 St. Charles, Missouri, spent Christ-  
 mas with his uncle, Mr. J. B.  
 Timberlake and family.

Miss Josie Whelpley gave an en-  
 joyable dance and reception to her  
 music pupils of Abita Springs and  
 Covington last Wednesday after-  
 noon.

The members of the Police Jury  
 are doing good work in having the  
 public roads and bridges repaired  
 and put in good condition.

Mrs. L. J. Word's chicken house,  
 at Abita Springs, was destroyed  
 by fire Thursday night. She re-  
 quests us to express her sincere  
 thanks to the members of Abita  
 Fire Co. No. 2, and all who as-  
 sisted in extinguishing the flames,  
 and Oscar Baham for giving the  
 alarm.

A party of young ladies enjoyed  
 an elegant supper at Hotel Richard,  
 Wednesday night, given by the  
 Mistletoe Club. Among those present  
 were: Misses Marie and Pauline  
 Claverie, Clara Smith, Nalome Sei-  
 ler and Jessie Evans, Messrs. Ford  
 and Edmund Stern, Clay Hebert,  
 Archie and Allie Smith, Charlie  
 Weaver, Klennie Ford, John Haller,  
 Francis Keller, Robert Aubert and  
 Louis Claverie. Mrs. Hardy Smith  
 chaperoned the party.

Mr. J. S. Jones, of the firm of  
 Jones & Pickett, gave each of his  
 employees a fine turkey for a  
 Christmas present, and in return  
 the employees, through Mr. W. P.  
 Minkler, presented Mr. and Mrs.  
 Jones with a handsome silver til-  
 ting water pitcher and goblet, suit-  
 ably inscribed. Mutual congratula-  
 tions followed. Such evidences  
 of good feeling between employer  
 and employee are highly commenda-  
 ble, and worthy of emulation.

We acknowledge the receipt of  
 the following Christmas goods,  
 with the compliments of the donors,  
 and return thanks for each to me:  
 From Mr. Emilie Frederick,  
 a bottle of fine anisette, for self,  
 and a bottle of Pure Paul Jones  
 Rye for the ladies.  
 From Mr. R. G. Kleeman, a bot-  
 tle of fine Belmore Rye.  
 From Mr. B. Labati, a bottle of  
 Pure Invincible Rye and a bottle  
 of genuine imported white wine.

We acknowledge the receipt of a  
 very sincere and welcome letter of  
 congratulation and best wishes from  
 the students of Choctawhatchee In-  
 stitute, and also from Bro. A. Kaub,  
 of Hammond, which are duly appre-  
 ciated. We return our sincere thanks  
 for the same, and may you all enjoy  
 a happy and prosperous New Year.

From now on, Lutheran services  
 will be conducted in Abita Springs  
 and Mandeville, on the third Sun-  
 day of each month, instead of the  
 fourth. Also we would like to have  
 an organ, at a reasonable price, and  
 if anyone has one for sale, notify  
 us immediately, at Hammond,  
 A. KAUB.

Among the students who returned  
 for the holidays we note the follow-  
 ing:  
 Willie Smith, parish cadet to the  
 State University at Baton Rouge.  
 Barclay Smith and Robert and  
 Charlie Dutach, from the Southern  
 Industrial Institute, of Lafayette.  
 Misses Otera Fussell and Lucy  
 Wadsworth, of Whitworth College,  
 Brookhaven, Miss.  
 Miss Gertrude Mullings, of the  
 State Normal School, of Natchi-  
 toches.  
 Miss Clara Faller, teacher at N. W.  
 Iberia.  
 Miss Mattie Self, of Tuscaloosa,  
 Ala., Female College.  
 Ferdie Stern, of Tulane College,  
 New Orleans.

Misses Alice Lafaye and Eveline  
 Delcroix gave a complimentary  
 German to the members of their  
 Dancing School and the Davening  
 Club, in the Masonic Building last  
 Thursday night, which was one of  
 the most enjoyable events of the  
 holiday season. Miss Emma Col-  
 logue presided at the piano with  
 rare grace and ability.

The following cadet officers have  
 been appointed at Dixon Academy:  
 Captain, Stanhope Jones; First  
 Lieutenant, Edward Caffery; Sec-  
 ond Lieutenant, John Bush; Ser-  
 geants, Henry J. Sanders, James  
 Budley, Ewing Gillis, Bernard Con-  
 nor and Andrew McCallam; Cor-  
 porals, John Dieks, Elliott Dixon,  
 Grenville Meilen and Fred Hansel;  
 Bugler, George L. Miller

We acknowledge the compliment  
 of a visit and cordial greetings from  
 the members of the Mistletoe Club,  
 on Christmas night, their visit be-  
 ing interspersed with vocal and in-  
 strumental music.  
 The membership is composed  
 of some of the most promis-  
 ing young business men of Coving-  
 ton, and those present were Capt.  
 Charles Weaver, Archie and Allie  
 Smith, L. C. Claverie, Edmund  
 Stern, Ferdie Stern, Mr. Ryan, R.  
 Aubert, Clay Hebert, K. Ford  
 Frank Keller, John Claverie.

**Masonic.**

St. John's night was appropri-  
 ately observed in Covington by the  
 members of Covington Lodge No.  
 188, F. and A. M., in their new hall  
 on Columbia street. The following  
 officers were elected and installed  
 for the ensuing year:  
 F. B. Martindale, W. M.  
 A. Theobald, S. W.  
 W. P. Fussell, J. W.  
 J. E. Nilsen, Treasurer.  
 Chas. Heiniz, Jr., Secretary.  
 Robt. Baden, Sr., S. D.  
 E. J. Frederick, J. D.  
 Casimir Segond, Tiler.

After the ceremony the members  
 and invited guests repaired to the  
 Commercial House, where they en-  
 joyed their annual banquet.

Center Lodge No. 224, F and A.  
 M., of Lees Creek, on the 24th  
 elected and installed the following  
 officers: B. M. Richardson, W. M.;  
 L. A. Pierce, S. W.; T. G. D.  
 Richardson, J. W.; D. W. Rich-  
 ards, Treasurer; W. T. McElroy,  
 Secretary; E. E. Keaton, S. D.;  
 H. E. Mitchell, J. D.; W. T.  
 Stewart, Tiler.

The holidays passed pleasantly in  
 Covington. Special services were  
 held in the various churches, and in  
 the homes delight was spread among  
 the little ones through the munif-  
 icence of Santa Claus, while the  
 older ones were made happy by the  
 kind remembrances of relatives and  
 friends, and all joined in doing jus-  
 tice to the grand old bird and ac-  
 companying delicacies that were  
 spread on the festive boards.

The Christmas tree celebrations  
 of the children of the Presbyterian,  
 Baptist and Methodist Sunday  
 Schools, with their recitations and  
 carols, were happy features of the  
 holiday season and will long be re-  
 membered by the little participants.

There were also a number of pri-  
 vate Christmas trees in various parts  
 of town.

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**MARRIED** — Thursday, Dec  
 29, 1904, at 6 a. m., Dr. W. S.  
 Petit, of New Orleans, and Miss  
 Roberta Guyol, of Covington, at  
 the residence of the bride's grand-  
 mother, Mrs. L. E. Barelli, Rev.  
 Amedee Guyol, S. J., uncle of the  
 bride, officiating.

The happy couple left on the  
 morning train, bearing with them  
 the best wishes of a large circle  
 of friends. We extend congratu-  
 lations, and hope their future will  
 be one of unalloyed happiness.

Mr. H. E. Gayer, of Franklinton  
 and Miss Alice Yates, daughter of  
 Mr. J. M. Yates, Parish Survivor,  
 were married at the home of the  
 bride's father, in the Second Ward,  
 on Wednesday, Dec. 21, and left  
 on the evening train for a bridal  
 tour.

The FARMER extends congratu-  
 lations, and wishes them a joyful and  
 prosperous future.

**DIED**—Miss Irma Saunders Levy,  
 known and loved by many in New  
 Orleans and Covington, died last  
 Monday, at the country home of  
 her adoptive father, Judge Fred  
 D. King, whose wife was Miss  
 Levy's aunt. Miss Levy was the  
 daughter of the late Columbus Levy  
 of New Orleans. Left an orphan  
 when only four years old, she was  
 adopted into the family of Judge  
 King, and with these friends and  
 relatives spent the years from her  
 infancy to the time of her death just  
 at the age of young womanhood.

The funeral services were held  
 Monday afternoon, the Rev. Royal  
 K. Tucker officiating. The inter-  
 ment took place Tuesday morn-  
 ing in Metairie Cemetery, on the ar-  
 rival of the 8:30 train over the  
 Northeastern Railroad.

News of the death came as a  
 shock poignant and terrible to the  
 family and to hundreds of those  
 who had been thrown with Miss  
 Levy.  
 Miss Levy was educated in New  
 Orleans at the public schools and  
 private seminaries, and completed  
 her preparation with a course in  
 the State Normal School in Natchi-  
 toches. She was prominent in  
 Episcopal Church circles, always  
 interested in the Parish work, and  
 an earnest member of the Congre-  
 gation. For one year she taught  
 in the public schools of Covington,  
 and spent the summers here with  
 her adoptive family.

In New Orleans and in Covington  
 she was loved by all who knew her—  
 loved not only for the traits of  
 gentleness and kindness that dis-  
 tinguished her twenty-two years,  
 but admired for the qualities of  
 keen intelligence and rare taste that  
 rendered her an exception in a cir-  
 cle of culture and discrimination.

Miss Levy was a musician of con-  
 siderable ability and was gifted  
 with a charming voice. She was  
 an artist of great talent. In the  
 social set of the parish and Coving-  
 ton she was the center of a large  
 circle of friends, who deplore her  
 untimely death, and sincerely sym-  
 pathize with her bereaved relatives  
 in their affliction.

**DIED**—Ella Jane Penton, nee  
 Bush, Dec. 16, 1904, aged 18 years,  
 9 months, 16 days. She left her  
 husband, father and mother, seven  
 brothers and three sisters to mourn  
 her loss, and every one of her ac-  
 quaintances to wonder that so mild  
 and sweet a person could not live  
 to bless all around her and com-  
 fort her family. There are many  
 things that we cannot see or divine  
 the cause of, yet we know that we  
 all must go into the unknown.

Few, we think, can ever give so  
 good account for the deeds done in  
 the body as sweet Ella. It is not  
 all of death to die—nor all of life  
 to live. 'Tis the answer we'll have  
 to give in the hereafter concerning  
 our actions here. Therefore, wife  
 and daughter, we joy with thy joy;  
 rest with thy rest. We hope to  
 meet thee in that rest, and rejoice  
 with thee evermore.

**DIED**—In New Orleans, on  
 Wednesday Dec. 28, 1904, at 4 a.  
 m., William Sanford Bier, son of  
 William G. Bier and Olivia Fitz-  
 gerald, aged 6 years, 11 months  
 and 24 days.  
 The funeral took place Thursday  
 morning at 11 o'clock, at the res-  
 idence of John I. Fitzgerald, in Co-  
 vington. Rev. F. Matthews, offici-  
 ating, and the remains were inter-  
 red in the Garden District Cem-  
 etery.

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