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The Fourth of July
in Covington.

The grand barbecue and celebration in Covington, given by the Regular Democratic Party at Sulphur Springs last Thursday, in celebration of the 31st anniversary of America's independence, was a decided success, and exceeded anything of the kind ever given in the history of the town. The meeting was presided over by Judge Thos. M. Burns, and able and patriotic addresses were delivered by Messrs. H. L. Garland, Jr., Fred. A. Middleton and St. Clair Adams, of New Orleans, and Lewis L. Morgan, of Covington. All were listened to with marked attention and greeted with frequent applause. About 2500 people were present, including many ladies. The Mandeville brass band discoursed sweet music, and there was an abundance of eatables for all present. Owing to the lateness in the week, we are compelled to defer publishing a full account of the meeting and synopsis of the various speeches until our next issue.

An order issued by the United States postoffice department, effective July 1, increases the price of stamped envelopes to postmasters four cents a thousand, while no change is made in the retail price to users.

The St. Tammany Farmer and the Covington News have actually gotten into the same band wagon. Both are supporting Gov. Sanders. We wonder how they feel, and whether or not they will be able to harmoniously peep thru the same field glass until the battle is over.—Washington Leader.

Nearly four years ago the FARMER came out for Jared Y. Sanders for our next Governor. We regret that existing conditions have clouded Brother Brock's usual clearness of perception. It is not only our band wagon, but is owned by the larger part of the people of the State. We also expected to see Brother Brock riding in it. While we are surprised that the News should have shown such good judgment, we certainly shall offer no obstacles to the only right movement we have known it to make.

By the way, we trust Brother Brock is not turning Republican. We notice that he has adopted the Roosevelt spelling.

Slidell's View Of It.

Slidell, La., July 2, 1907.

Dear Sir: Having read in the latest issue of the Covington News, an article originally published in the Washington Leader.

Responding, as far as Slidell and myself are concerned, will say: Is not Mr. Self aware that his own parish has more festering sores than Slidell, if he means the sale of liquor and attending results. Of course, progressive people are, as a general rule, not sensual, and therefore cannot detect anything covered by a sheep's skin.

I would like to ask Mr. Self how much whisky and beer is shipped and sold at Bogalusa, Richardson's Annex and vicinity, and who are the ones allowing the sale of the "infernal stuff?" But even the sale of liquor pales into insignificance against the immoral indulgences practiced there with people of means to back it.

Is there not a field to improve morals? Now Mr. Self must be aware that I am not a whisky dealer; to the contrary, I would like to see the liquor wiped out of existence; but I have this much to say: what effect would high license have in general? would it bring peace to the minds of the progressive? Would it reduce other taxation? Could Washington Parish do without a jail? Do the statistics of Mississippi show that crime is on the decrease since prohibition reigns supreme there?

What would the progressive people say if the sensual people would force a law upon them to indulge in the liquor habit? for one is virtue for another.

We live in a free country, and such it ought to be forever. Don't Mr. Self know that what is food for one is poison to another? If Mr. Self likes to eat cabbage, he has no right to force the habit on his neighbors who detest the smell of it.

The whole thing in a nutshell is, don't worry about Slidell, because Slidell is able to take care of itself.

The way we see it in Slidell. IMPARTIAL.

IN REPLY.

With the exuberance of an overjoyed child, the News proclaims that it has found someone who thinks as it does. From the happy land of blind tigers, where the exhilarating pinetop can be had free from the meddlesome pure food inspectors, comes an echo of the educating influences of the "cheap paper," and with a reasoning capacity only equalled by its typographical appearance, it proceeds to bewail that all the moral element was embodied in the high license advocates, and the rag-tag-and-bobtail constituency of the Regular Democratic Party, with its large majority, was an emulsion of immorality and corruption, with anticlerical proclivities.

How long it will take the News to discover that we are living in a Democratic country, where the will of the majority rules, is a problem unsolved; but it might as well learn now as later that we are of a government "by the people and for the people."

The News knows well enough that its interest in politics lies in the patronage it would receive as the organ of a successful party. The whisky license never troubled the News, and all this cant about its high moral plane is mere subterfuge.

The charge of D. A. Self that the FARMER is owned and controlled by saloon men is not only untrue, but shows the statement was made without any attempt to ascertain its truthfulness, and with a bitterness of feeling that is illustrative of the refining effects of prohibition and religious training upon some minds.

The News (the high license organ) has been carrying three times the number of saloon ads, but not half the amount of other kinds of advertising that the FARMER has. Place the two papers side by side and compare them.

That D. A. Self should have written such a communication indicates his fitness to have lived in the times when witches were burned and opinions antagonistic to the church in power were whispered in fear and trepidation.

Merely being a member of a church does not make a man moral nor a good citizen. Some of the biggest rascals nbnang would not taste a drop of liquor, and conversely the only two men under the influence of intoxicants at the polls last June were high license men.

Now, Mr. Selph, we presume, is strictly a prohibitionist, and according to his reasoning everybody who is not a prohibitionist either belongs to the immoral element or is a nincompoop idiot—in this accordance with his "black and white, saloon-and-church" argument; and to the same category must be relegated every man who voted the high license ticket, for it was especially denied at their meetings and from the platform that the high license people wished to be interpreted as favoring prohibition. They wanted high license, they asserted, to obtain money to improve Covington.

The dives that they claimed existed would be the ones that could afford to pay the high license; and in fact the particular one against which the hue and cry was raised was approached by a high license man with the proposition that its proprietor should vote the high license ticket for that very reason.

It is not proven that high license would accomplish what is claimed for it, either as a producer of revenue or as a successful means of subduing the evil tendencies of the wayward portion of the community. In fact, conditions in our sister parish of Washington are not such as to incline us to the belief that the change would be beneficial. Stringent laws governing the conduct of places where intoxicants are sold and a strict enforcement of same seems to us the proper key to the situation.

We do not claim that all the best people of the town voted the Regular Democratic ticket; but we do claim to have had a majority of them, and the result of the election showed that a very large majority of all the people expressed their confidence in the representatives of that party, and we believe that their confidence will be strengthened and reinforced at the expiration of their present terms of office.

The News also works itself into

a high dudgeon because an invalid who stole a suit of clothes was released from jail and given a ticket to his home in Michigan. Physicians stated that the man could live but a few days. As a matter of humanity he was sent to die, that his last moments might be spent with his family.

The tendency of the present day is to make punishment for crime not simply retributive or retaliatory, but reformatory, and where depravity is not so deep-seated as to make reformation impossible, good results have followed. In this case, God will soon judge the man for whatever crimes he may have committed.

BEST MEDICINE IN THE WORLD FOR COLIC AND DIARRHŒA.

"I find Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera, and Diarrhœa Remedy to be the best remedy in the world," says Mr. L. C. Carter, of Skirum, Ala. "I am subject to cholera and diarrhœa. Last Spring it seemed as though I would die, and I think I would if I hadn't taken Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. I haven't been troubled with it since until this week, when I had a very severe attack and took half a bottle of the 25c size Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy, and this morning I feel like a new man."

For sale by C. C. Champagne & Co., druggists, and J. L. Watkins' City Drug Store.

Special Delivery Stamps.

No special delivery stamp will be needed after July 1 to insure the immediate delivery of a letter.

Pursuant to an act of the last session of Congress, Postmaster General Mayer has issued an order that on and after July 1, if there be attached to any letter or package of mail matter ten cents worth of stamps of any denomination, with the words "special delivery" printed or written on the envelope or covering, in addition to the postage required for ordinary delivery, the article will be handled as if it bore a special delivery stamp.

The postmaster general has decided also in the interest of expediting special delivery to recommend to Congress an enactment to the present law whereby such letters may be left at their destination without procuring receipts in all cases. Until Congress can act, a broader construction of the present law will be given, so that receipt may be accepted of any one occupying the premises to whom ordinary mail might be given.

Ansil N. Simmons, attorney at law, shot and killed Arthur D. Varnado, a barber, in Franklinton, last Friday morning. Simmons shot three times, but only one shot took effect, which entered the stomach, producing death in thirty minutes. The killing happened at the depot just as the morning train was pulling in, and several people were present, but none seemed to be able to give any account of how the killing occurred. It seems that Simmons and Varnado were off a few feet from the depot engaged in a conversation, and were not noticed until they clinched together and the shots were fired. Marshal Silas W. Magee immediately arrested Simmons and lodged him in the Parish Jail. Simmons was taken to the city on the evening train and lodged in the Parish Prison for safe keeping. It is stated that Simmons and Varnado quarreled over a blind tiger case.

The coroner's jury held an inquest on the body of Varnado last Saturday and returned a verdict of murder.

The police jury of Caddo parish will expend \$10,000 in building an experimental good road of oil and sand, as an extension of Texas avenue, at Shreveport.

Go and see the finest stock of jewelry ever brought to Covington, at J. F. Doty's.

Essay on Pants.

Pants are made for men and not for women. Women are made for man and not for pants. When a man pants for a woman and a woman pants for a man, they are a pair of pants. Such pants don't last. Pants are like molasses. They are thinner in hot weather and thicker in cold. Men are often mistaken in pants; such mistakes are breeches of promise. There has been much dissonance whether pants is singular or plural. Seems to me when men wear pants it is plural and when they don't it is singular. Men go on a tear in their pants and it is all right, when the pants go on a tear it is all wrong. If you want to make pants last, made the coat first.—Ex.

The records of the State Board of Pensions Office in the State Capitol show that 167 applications have been received since the last meeting of the board and that there are fifty nine applications for re-hearing pending. The warrants for the second quarter of the current pension year will be issued in the first part of July.

TAKE THE POSTMASTER'S WORD FOR IT.

Mr. E. M. Hamilton, postmaster at Cherryvale, Ind., keeps also a stock of general merchandise and patent medicines. He says: "Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy is standard here in its line. It never fails to give satisfaction, and we could hardly afford to be without it."

This remedy is for sale by C. C. Champagne & Co., druggists, and J. L. Watkins' City Drug Store.

Championship Games
New Orleans Hotel Baseball League Series
FREE GATE
Enterprise Park Saturday July 20
COMMERCIALS vs. NEW DENECHAUDS
Game called at 1:30 p. m.
COSMOPOLITANS vs. ST. CHARLES
Game called at 3 p. m.
Come and be a Fan!

Police Jury.

Covington, La. July 1, 1907. The Police Jury met on the above date as a Board of Reviewers, to examine the assessment rolls.

Present: First ward—Geo. Koeppe, Jr. Second ward—Mark Fitzgerald Third ward—M. C. Day. Fourth ward—Geo. Bierhorst. Fifth ward—Louis Grantham. Sixth ward—S. R. Wilson. Eighth ward—B. A. Schneider. Absent: Seventh ward—J. J. Cussach Ninth ward—L. T. Miles. On motion, duly seconded, Mr. L. C. Moise, deputy assessor, was employed to assist the Board in examining the rolls.

It was moved and seconded that the regular business of the day be taken up, and after hearing all parties present in regard to their assessments, and after consideration of the same, the following changes were made:

It was moved by Mr. Bierhorst, seconded by Mr. Grantham, that the assessment on the property of W. G. Boylan, situated in the town of Mandeville, be reduced from \$7,500 to 4,500. Carried.

It was moved by Mr. Schneider, seconded by Mr. Fitzgerald, that the assessment on the property of Mr. August Heitkamp, and the assessment upon his stock of merchandise be reduced, as follows: Upon the land from \$3,000 to \$2,900. Upon the merchandise from \$1,000 to \$500. Carried.

Poitevent and Favre Lumber Co. was next taken up, and upon motion of Mr. Wilson, seconded by Mr. Dav. all cut-off lands, consisting of 42,878 acres were reduced from \$6.00 an acre to \$3.50 an acre, and all virgin timbered lands reduced from 20 00 an acre to \$12.00 an acre.

Upon motion of Mr. Day, seconded by Mr. Bierhorst, the lands of Mr. Hutchinson were raised to \$3.50 an acre. It was moved by Mr. Day, seconded by Mr. Bierhorst, that the 86,505.70 acres of land owned by the Great Southern Lumber Co. be reduced from 20 00 an acre to \$12 an acre. Carried.

It was moved by Mr. Schneider, seconded by Mr. Bierhorst, that the lands of Houlton Bros. and Salmen Brick and Lumber Co. be also reduced from 20 00 an acre to 12 00 an acre, this including only the virgin timbered lands, and also the virgin timbered lands of J. Pellot be likewise reduced accordingly. Carried.

Upon motion of Mr. Day, seconded by Mr. Bierhorst, the lands of Mr. Wunderlich were reduced from \$10,000 to \$4,000. Carried.

It was moved by Mr. Bierhorst, seconded by Mr. Day, that the property owned by Mr. Goodyear, in the town of Mandeville be reduced from \$10,000 to \$4,500. Carried.

Whereupon it was moved by Mr. Grantham, seconded by Mr. Day, that the roll of 1907, showing the assessments for 1907, be accepted as a whole, with the exception of those properties herein mentioned, that action was taken reducing or increasing the same.

Upon being put to a vote same was carried, and the roll of 1907 was adopted.

Upon motion, duly seconded, the Board of Reviewers having completed their labors, adjourned finally.

GEO. KOEPP, JR., President Police Jury. L. C. MOISE, Secretary pro tem.

Of course, the talk about bosses is mere campaign rot that will not entertain much less catch the merest tyro in politics. "My supporters and sponsors are public spirited and disinterested citizens, while yours are bums and bosses." This has been the slogan of the weak ever since politicians politicized.—Baton Rouge Truth.

THE DOCTOR AWAY FROM HOME WHEN MOST NEEDED.

People are very often much disappointed to find that their family physician is away from home when they most need his services. Diseases like cramp colic and cholera morbus require prompt treatment, and have in many instances proven fatal before medicine could be procured or a physician summoned. The right way is to keep at hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy. No physician can prescribe a better medicine for these diseases. By having it in the house you escape much pain and suffering and all risk. Buy it now; it may save life.

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Card of Thanks.

We desire to thank our friends and relatives who so kindly aided us in the sickness and death of our little son. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kocksenschuh.

DISTRICT COURT.

The following cases were tried and judgments rendered at the last term of the District Court, Judge Thos. M. Burns on the bench and District Attorney Joseph B. Lancaster prosecuting:

CRIMINAL CASES. State vs. Lyncion Robertson, carrying a concealed weapon: \$200 and costs, or sixty days. State vs. Rube Smith, selling and retailing liquor without a license: \$200 and costs or sixty days. State vs. Will Davis, carrying a concealed weapon: \$200 and costs, or sixty days. State vs. J. W. McDonald, embezzlement: sixty days and costs, or ten days. State vs. Romeo Davis and Lonzo Crawford, disturbing a peaceable assembly: \$25 each and costs, or thirty days. State vs. Preston Willis, no prof. State vs. Tom Gasser, carrying a concealed weapon: \$200 and costs, or sixty days. State vs. Joe Marallas, manslaughter: guilty. State vs. T. B. Barrett, violating Sunday law: \$100 and costs, or sixty days. State vs. T. B. Barrett, violating Sunday law: \$75 and costs, or sixty days. State vs. A. S. Neuhouser, two cases, violating the Sunday law: no prof. State vs. E. G. Neuhouser, two cases, violating the Sunday law: no prof. State vs. Preston Willis, disturbing the peace: \$50 and costs, or thirty days. State vs. George Washington, no prof. State vs. Madlyn Jenkins, carrying a concealed weapon: \$200 and costs, or sixty days. State vs. Ed. Brown, enticing, including, detaining a female of chaste character; state penitentiary for one year.

CIVIL CASES. Babington Brothers, Ltd. vs. Fenderson & Son; judgment for plaintiff. Succession of Bessie Clark Whitely; judgment homologating final account. Succession of James Clark; judgment homologating final account. Succession of Victoria Dejean; judgment homologating final account. Security Brewing Co. vs. Gaston Rondeau; judgment for plaintiff. Mary Jenkins vs. David B. Sharp; judgment for plaintiff. Burnam Magee & Co., Ltd. vs. B. C. Williams; judgment for plaintiff. Alex Bush vs. Rosemond Quave; judgment for plaintiff. Dimetry E. Jacob vs. Elias Baik; judgment for plaintiff. Siscoen Brick and Lumber Co. vs. Richard Dawson; judgment for plaintiff. Barton Parker Mfg. Co. vs. Edgar J. Pichon; judgment for plaintiff. Parker Park Grocery Co., Ltd. vs. Harrison & Pichon; judgment for plaintiff. Schmidt & Zeigler Co., Ltd. vs. Edgar J. Pichon; judgment for plaintiff. Geo. Allalieu Co., Ltd. vs. Edgar J. Pichon; judgment for plaintiff. Covington and St. Tammany Land and Imp. Co. vs. Charles Ormstead; judgment for plaintiff. Berkson Grocery Co., Ltd. vs. Jas. R. Bradley; judgment for plaintiff. Joseph Smith vs. St. Tammany and New Orleans Railways and Ferry Co.; judgment for plaintiff. Joseph Schwartz Co., Ltd. vs. Edgar J. Pichon; judgment for plaintiff. Ernest and Antonio Prieto vs. Margaret Sharp et al.; judgment for partition of property. H. O. Parker vs. Isham E. Mitchell et al.; judgment for plaintiff.

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Meeting of Directors.

People's Bldg and Loan Assn.

There will be a meeting of the Directors of the People's Building and Loan Association, on Wednesday, July 10, 1907, at 9:30 a. m., in the Clerk's office at the Courthouse.

Barbers Give Notice.

By mutual agreement the barbers of Covington have decided to close their shops on Sundays, after July 14, 1907.

FOR SALE

Four lots of ground, with new six room house, seven foot hall in center, large galleries front and back, large barn with two additions, three stalls, best kind of water. All under fence. High land, good drainage. Half way between Abita Springs and Covington. Price \$2500 00. Apply at this office. jyg-1f

SCHOOL BOARD

The Parish School Board will hold its regular meeting in the Court House at Covington on Saturday, July 13, at 9:30 a. m.

FOR SALE

Fifteen good, heavy oxen, 9 wide tire, low wheel, double truck (8 wheels) timber wagons in line order. Can be seen working at Ponchatoula, La. Apply to A. P. Marmouget, 816 Delery St., New Orleans. jg29-3L

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HEINTZ & BOLLINGER, Attorneys at Law.
Ernest Prieto and Antonio Prieto vs Margaret Sharp, wife of John Duffy, et al.—No. 872.
Twenty-sixth Judicial District Court of Louisiana, in and for the Parish of St. Tammany.
Pursuant to a judgment of partition and a sale rendered by this honorable court, dated June 29, 1907, in the above entitled action, I will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder, at the front door of the Courthouse, in Covington, La. on SATURDAY, August 10, 1907, the following described property, to-wit:
1st. A certain tract of land, situated in the town of Mandeville, St. Tammany Parish, Louisiana, and more fully described as the Northwest quarter of double square 34.
2nd. A lot of ground situated in the town of Mandeville, this Parish and State, measuring 59 feet front on LaLitte St. by a depth of 262 feet, between parallel lines. Said lot is taken out of the Northeast corner of South half of double square 34.
3rd. Lots 8, 9 and 10 in square 25 of the town of Mandeville, this Parish and Parish.
4th. A certain lot of ground in square No. 10, of the town of Mandeville, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon. Said lot has a front of 60 feet on LaLitte street by a depth of 105 feet more or less, and adjoins the property of Mrs. Isidore Levy, on the north.
5th. Two hundred and fifty (250) head of cattle.
Terms of sale, cash, with the right to any of the parties to the suit to purchase at such sale, reserving from the purchase price the amount of their interest in such lands, in the manner prescribed by law.
jyg-6t. T. E. BREWSTER, Sheriff.

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Dissolution Notice.
The firm of Penn & Patrick of the Stag Cafe, is this day dissolved, the undersigned having purchased the interest of Mr. J. E. Penn, and assumed all debts and liabilities.
W. N. PATRICK, J. E. PENN.