

Personal and Local

Mrs. M. M. Hayes, of Opelousas, La., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White.

Miss Grace Lennox, of Algiers, is the guest of Miss Ruby Anderson.

Miss Edna Heintz, of New Orleans, is among the guests at the Pharis Cottage.

Mrs. Milton Burns, of the Second Ward, is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. V. Ketzler.

Miss Irene Givens, of Mandeville, was the guest this week of Mrs. H. J. Smith.

Miss Edith Donerly, of Meridian, Miss., is visiting Misses Pauline Ruth, and Anna Frederick.

Hon. L. L. Morgan was a visitor to Franklinton this week.

Mr. A. L. Bear was a visitor to Franklinton this week.

Mrs. C. Z. Williams and son, Quin, and daughter, Eva, left Wednesday morning to spend a few days in Hattiesburg, Miss.

Miss Eugenie Heintz returned on Wednesday morning after a few days spent with friends and relatives in New Orleans.

Miss Renie Samuel and Miss George Huddleston visited Abita and Mandeville last week. Mr. G. P. Huddleston spent the week-end with his family.

The guests of Edgar Cottage are: Mr. and Mrs. J. Glass and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. W. Posory, Mrs. A. Weinfurter and baby, Mrs. F. Samuel, Miss Renie Samuel, Miss R. Valle, and Mr. Walter Brand.

Mr. Sol Levy, the hustling representative of the Murray Hill Whiskey people was in Covington this week. Everybody knows "Sol," and nobody disputes him when he says "Murray Hill" is the best over.

Mrs. Jules Lataxes and little son, Chester, Miss Celeste Drouet, and Mrs. O. Druet, are the guests of Mrs. Octave Legier on the Military Road.

Mr. Jules Lataxes was the guest Sunday of Mr. Octave Legier.

Miss Dedie Miles, Gravo Duke, and Misses Nellie, Ada, and Blanche Badon spent last Friday in Mandeville.

Miss Fanny Cook and Miss Dedie Miles left Friday morning for Ocean Springs, Miss., where they will spend some time.

Miss Angie Addison is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stanley Spencer, of Jennings, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Spencer and children, and Miss Angie Addison will leave shortly for Galveston, Tex., where they will enjoy a stay of a month.

Mrs. A. H. Hammett, daughter, Beulah, and brother, Frank Ketzler, returned to Meridian, Miss., Wednesday, after a few weeks' stay with her mother, Mrs. S. V. Ketzler. Frank will complete his business course at the college at that place.

Miss Edith Donnelly will be the guest of Miss Ruth Frederick for some time.

Miss Dorothy Duncan has returned to her home in New Orleans after a month's visit to her cousins, Misses Josie and Blanche Frederick.

Misses Blanche and Josie Frederick are in New Orleans visiting Miss Dorothy Duncan.

Miss Ruth Frederick entertained her friends at a watermelon party Tuesday night, in honor of her guests, Miss Edith Donnelly, of Meridian, Miss., and Miss Dorothy Duncan, of New Orleans, La.

Mrs. Max Mendow and Miss Constance and Miss Helen Chase, of New Orleans, are over for a stay of two weeks.

Misses Mamie and Mildred Conway are spending a while here, the guests of Mrs. Wm. Moran.

Miss Madeline Bokenfohr has returned from a pleasant visit in Ocean Springs.

Misses Rosemary and Adelaide Schmidt, of New Orleans, are guests of Mrs. Kate Hennessey in Mississippi street.

Mrs. F. F. Becker, of Brookhaven, Miss., is the guest of Mrs. Seaman.

The regular monthly meeting of the Daughters of Isabella was held at the Knights of Columbus' Hall on Thursday evening. Important matters were discussed.

Miss Alice Hawthorne, of New Orleans, is the guest of Mrs. Jos. Delery.

Mrs. A. P. Boh and Miss Rosalie Boh, of New Orleans, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bokenfohr.

Miss Maggie Grimmer has returned from a delightful visit in New Orleans.

Miss Letitia Delery is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Delery.

Mr. Lawrence White is visiting his parents in 19th Avenue.

Mrs. Jas. Schmidt and granddaughter, Mildred Billet, were visitors to the Misses Hennessey on Wednesday.

Mrs. H. H. Sudduth and daughter returned this week from a pleasant visit to Lake Charles.

Mrs. Wm. Bodebender entertained a euchre Wednesday afternoon at her pretty home in Nineteenth Avenue. The prize winners were: First, Mrs. Geo. Sears, a cut glass vase; second prize, Mrs. Dr. Dillon, auty pins; Mrs. Edmund Stern, returned the consolation prize.

A large number of guests were entertained by Miss Ellen Clarke in aliborne last Monday evening, where was dancing and games, and delightful time was had by all.

Mr. T. Gabriel got quite a neat sum for the Chemical outing in donations of money, ice cream, etc., personally hustling for contributions.

ATHLETIC CONTEST.

The boys at Dixon Academy have engaged for an athletic contest between themselves to be held on theampus Tuesday afternoon, August 1, at 4:30 p. m., to which they cordially invite the people of Covington witness. The home has some very good athletes, one of the boys having the world's record for high jumping for a boy of his age and height, at the P. S. A. last year. A small assistance fee of ten cents will be charged, the proceeds of which will be used for some means of entertainment for the boys. Come and see the fun.

The people of Covington will rejoice to learn of the illness of Rev. M. Buley, of the Plaquemine Methodist church, who was taken to the Orleans Sanitarium Friday, July 29th, suffering from a complete nervous breakdown. Mr. Buley was

very popular in Covington when he occupied the Methodist pulpit here several years ago.

The Daughters of Isabella gave an excellent entertainment at the Covington Theater Saturday.

Eugene St. Martin who is stopping at the Mutti's Hotel, Abita Springs, says that he knows a man who can box Johnson, and who should box him. Who? Why, the undertaker, of course.

BAYOU LACOMB.

Bayou Lacomb, La., Aug. 1, 1910. The most exciting event of the past week was the fire at the sawmill of Messrs. J. H. Davis & Son, Saturday, at noon, July 30, while all were at dinner. The fire originated in a spark coming from the smokestack. The mill was saved from destruction through the presence of mind of Mr. Riley Miller, who was at the mill waiting for lumber. Upon discovering the blaze, he sounded an alarm from the whistle, which assembled a force of fire-fighters with buckets and hose, who extinguished the flames before much damage was done.

Misses Irene and Winnie Davis, Mrs. Nora Walker John Miller and I. Keller made a pleasant trip to Mandeville Sunday. They spent the day on the beach, enjoying the delightful breeze from the lake, partaking of a basket dinner provided for the occasion.

Mr. Davis is extending his switch-making arrangements more convenient for handling the output of the mill. He is also having excellent success with his tobacco growing and will harvest a large quantity of good-grade Havana tobacco, which he will manufacture into cigars. These cigars have met with favor by users of the weed, and show what can be done on St. Tammany soil in the tobacco line. Mr. Davis deserves credit for the manner in which he has promoted this industry, and his success should induce others to take up the planting of this tobacco.

Mr. John J. Smith is making good progress with his new house, and he expects to move in by the last of next week.

The plant for the manufacture of charcoal and alcohol is making good headway. Pine wood and waste used in this manufacture, and the result will be the turning into valuable products the material that has hitherto been relegated to the waste pile.

There has been great difficulty in securing sufficient labor in the mills, owing to the extremely warm weather.

Mr. Davis has started up the Cousin mill and will need more workmen.

I. H. K.

THAT PUMPKIN AGAIN.

A Lesson for Those Who Believe Newspaper Readers Only See Big Headlines and Read Murder Cases.

The placing of the big pumpkin in the show window of J. Stern & Son was thought of only as a scheme for attracting local attention, and securing the little money to add to the funds of the Covington Carnival Klub.

The result has been that the town of Covington has added to its many other advantages the enviable reputation of growing enormous pumpkins.

Those who are inclined to smile at the importance laid upon this distinctive winter product, when they learn that the Eastern population is very fond of pumpkin pie, and the only reason that the South has failed to draw emigrants from that section is that they were afraid they could not raise enough pumpkins here to satisfy their appetite for this wholesome, easily chewed, and inexpensive product of Yankee ingenuity. The pumpkin pie habit is no slouch of a habit, and is just as hard to break as any other habit. Therefore we may look for an exodus of immigrants from the pumpkin district to the winter freezees in no small item in the cost of manufacturing pies. And whom have we to thank for this great boom but Ulysses Depriest! He has become an agricultural hero. His name will ever be associated with pumpkins, and he will be entitled to a statue in Statuary Hall alongside of Robert E. Lee, Jefferson Davis and others, since the boycott has been called off, and we don't have to ask what his name, who didn't want Confederate veterans to use Union tents.

Mr. Depriest has received a letter from Mr. J. W. Morgan, of "The Morgan Brothers' Co., Ltd.," of Kentwood, La., offering to pay expenses of shipment to the "Ohio Valley Fair," which will be open this month, and to pay all expenses of its safe return to Covington, and if he is allowed to exhibit it, and, furthermore, to give him any prize it may win. This is Southern patriotism of the right kind and Mr. Depriest should show his appreciation by letting him have it.

Dr. W. L. Stevenson, of New Orleans, also writes asking if he may have a few seeds of this pumpkin. Newspaper notices are responsible for this notoriety. Who says advertising doesn't pay?

ABITA COUNCIL MEETS.

Abita Springs La., Aug. 2, 1910. The Board of Aldermen met on the above date in regular session. Present—A. Mutti, Mayor; J. Clairain, A. A. DuVernay, J. Destruel.

A quorum being present, the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The following bills were read and ordered paid: W. H. Ketzler, printing, \$8.25; J. Lamoussin, two day's work on streets, \$3.00; J. Byers, 1 day's work on streets, \$1.50; Total, \$12.75.

The bond of G. S. Strain was read and approved. Bond of H. Oalman, read and approved. Bond of A. O. Pons was read and approved.

It was moved by Mr. Destruel, seconded by Mr. DuVernay, that an invitation be extended to the Mayor and Council of Covington for the 13th and 14th of August. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Clairain, seconded by Mr. DuVernay, that a surveyor be appointed to survey the streets where the trees are being cut. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Destruel, seconded by Mr. DuVernay, that the president of the Board of Health be paid full pay for last quarter. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Clairain, seconded by Mr. DuVernay, that the Clerk

write Mr. E. A. Koch that his gallery post is in a dangerous condition. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Destruel, seconded by Mr. DuVernay, that Mr. J. Lamoussin repair the street in front of J. P. Rauch's dwelling. Carried.

The Secretary was ordered to purchase five gallons of alcohol.

The Hon. Mayor vacated the chair and Mayor pro tem Clairain assumed the chair. It was moved by Mr. Mutti, and seconded by Mr. Destruel, that \$3.00 be paid for permits without lights. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Destruel, seconded by Mr. DuVernay, that all permits hereafter for "balls" be \$5.00 with lights. Carried.

It was moved by Mr. Mutti, seconded by Mr. DuVernay, that J. Lamoussin be employed to light and put out the lights at the Pavilion whenever a ball is given. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Mutti, seconded by Mr. DuVernay, that the mayor have the privilege to grant or refuse permits for the use of the Pavilion. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Mutti, seconded by Mr. Destruel, that the council meet next Tuesday in special session for the purpose of verifying the census. Carried.

The Clerk was instructed to write Mr. J. B. Lancaster, attorney, to attend said meeting.

There being no further business, the Board adjourned until Tuesday, August 9th, at 2 p. m.

A. O. PONS, Clerk.

MANDEVILLE TOWN COUNCIL MEETS.

Mandeville, La., Aug. 2, 1910. The Town Council met in regular session August 1, at 6:30 p. m., Mayor H. Borey presiding. Present—George Bierhorst, Jas. Brand, Jas. M. Smith, A. Depre, Emile Dubourg.

Moved by Jas. Brand seconded by J. Smith, that minutes of previous meeting be adopted.

Moved by George Bierhorst, seconded by Jas. Brand, that the treasurer's report be accepted and spread on the minutes.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

June 30th to July 31, 1910.

Cash on hand June 30th, 1910 \$1,213.60

RECEIPTS.

Licenses for 1910 22.50
Fines 10.00
Permits 2.50
Bath House Privileges 15.00
Wharfage for Camella 38.75

Total Cash \$1,302.35

DISBURSEMENTS.

Sundry expenses 1.65
Marshal's salary for June 25.00
Secretary's salary for June 10.00
Board of Health Secretary 10.00
Overpaid tax 3.59
Tax Collector's Commis. 4.43

Total \$54.77

Bal. on hand July 31, 1910 \$1,247.58

Moved by J. Smith, seconded by J. Brand, that the street commissioner's report be accepted.

STREET COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

July 5, 1910, Cash in Bank, \$103.90

July 5, 1910, to July 30, 1910

Public Work—Streets, Bridges, Wharf and Bills—

E. L. Sharp, 1.50
A. Rancoon, 10.50
Nick Smith, 5.00
W. W. Smith, 15.75
A. C. Gardache, 9.00
H. Polson, 9.00
Drayage and Bills—J. T. Davis for Lumber, 5.80
N. O. G. N. R. R. for freight, 8.85
E. Esquinasse, 14.90

Total \$78.30

Balance in Bank, \$25.60

Moved by J. Brand, seconded by J. Smith, that warrants be drawn to pay bills.

Moved by Geo. Bierhorst, seconded by J. Brand, that the school committee be in full power to transfer public school property upon receiving legal advice from the town attorney.

Moved by J. Smith, seconded by J. Brand, that an appropriation of \$50.00 be made to the street commissioner for general improvement.

Moved and duly seconded to adjourn subject to call.

H. BOREY, Mayor.
N. O. MUGNIER, Secretary.

PEARL RIVER COUNCIL.

The Mayor and Board of Aldermen met to-day, with full quorum present.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

The following bills were approved and ordered paid:

S. B. Coleman, Marshal, salary, 12 trials, \$50.00
S. B. Coleman, commission on 12 trials, 12.00
S. B. Coleman, for 73 meals at 20 cents per meal, 14.60
S. B. Coleman, commission on working 3 prisoners, 1.50
S. G. Seal, telephone message to Covington, .40
J. J. McQuay, expenses of St. Tammany, printing, 1.50
G. F. Banks, Clerk, salary, 5.00
McNichols, erecting water basin, 8.00
J. A. Singleton, commission 12 trials, 12.00
J. A. Singleton, expenses of Mayor and Board of Aldermen to Covington on village business, 16.70

Total, \$123.20

Moved, duly seconded and carried that the street from the South end of Corporation line be worked with the road machine, at a cost of \$13.00 per day.

Moved, seconded and carried that the opening of North street be postponed until some future time.

Moved, seconded and carried that First Street, Second Street, Church Street, and Bell Street be ditched on each side, and that Church Street and Second Street be opened up for public travel as soon as possible.

An ordinance relative to carrying concealed weapons in the village of Pearl River was passed.

An ordinance fixing the time and place for Council meetings was amended, and future meetings will be held at 1 p. m. instead of 7:30 p. m.

J. A. SINGLETARY, Mayor.
G. F. BANCKS, Village Clerk.

MADISONVILLE NOTES.

Miss Florence Burns has returned to New Orleans after spending several weeks with her cousin, Miss Edith Cooper.

Miss Barbara Englehardt has returned home after spending some time in New Orleans at the Normal school.

Miss Thompson and Mrs. Call, of New Orleans, are visiting the Misses Perkins for a few days.

Miss Janie Canulette entertained a few of her friends on her little launch, U. N. O. The guests were: Misses E. Cooper, Florence Burns, Piano Koopp, Lillian Delatour, of New Orleans, Lizzie Davenport, Stella LeBlanc, Julia Mormon, of New Orleans; Mrs. L. Camelette acted as chaperon and Andrew and Frank Canulette as engineers. It was a real hen party, but what a good time we did have!

Miss May Delrey and Julia Moran are the guests of Mrs. E. Mugnier.

Miss Lillian Delatour has returned to New Orleans after spending some time with her cousin, Mrs. Goldate.

Mr. Geo. Dutch visited Covington Monday.

Miss Tillie Breur is visiting Miss Blonda Klotz.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Selpia of Algiers, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. LeBlanc.

Mr. Elmo Castleberry was over for the dance given by the young men of Madisonville Saturday evening, the place where every one enjoyed themselves. Hope that they will have another soon.

Miss Janie Camelette and Mr. D. Cooper spent Monday in Covington.

Mr. George Dendinger spent several days in New Orleans lately.

Dr. Ney visited New Orleans Friday.

Mrs. Pennington is spending some time in Hammond.

Mr. Andrew Canulette paid a visit to New Orleans last week.

Mr. F. Bullinger was over Monday, the guest of Miss J. Camelette.

One of the grandest complimentary balls of the season was given on Saturday, July 30th, at the U. F. B. Hall, by the young men of this place. It afforded a great deal of pleasure to all. The hall was crowded, and while the weather was warm, the refreshments served helped to keep the people cool.

Professor Laine, of New Orleans, furnished music for the occasion.

There is a lot of work here, but we would like to see Mr. Merchandise stumble and fall. I don't mean break his neck, but pick up his feet and meet us half way.

Mr. H. L. Nick has his family over for the summer, at his summer home here.

Mr. Sidney Chambers and wife are at their summer home here.

We were delighted to see Messrs. Mason and Ketzler, of the St. Tammany Farmer, in our burg, as we see them so seldom. Had it been one of the parish officers, it would make us think that election was near.

Miss Barlett Englehardt has returned home from the summer Normal school, and will accept a position as teacher in the public school here. She has a great many friends and will no doubt make a good teacher.

All the boarding houses and hotels are crowded this summer, and lots of private families have relatives spending the summer.

The most interesting baseball game of the season is expected next Sunday at 1 p. m., when the Parker Blakes, of New Orleans, and St. Tammany's, of this place, will meet at the Madisonville baseball park. The breeze will begin when Pelloat begins fanning the druggists.

Miss Messina is visiting friends in New Orleans.

Miss Lovely has been the charming guest of Mrs. B. Gallahan for the past month.

Messrs. Dendinger & Sons are having electric lights placed in their store and barroom. The work is being done by Mr. Del Fosse, of Covington. The power will come from their mill.

Mrs. C. Galle is visiting her granddaughter, Mrs. B. T. Goldate, Jr., and family, are spending the summer here.

Mr. C. Oullier and Misses Mamie Douglas and H. Robernack were the guests of Miss Rosie Oullier.

Mr. Dr. Pennington and children returned after spending a delightful time in Hammond.

Dr. Ney visited New Orleans this week.

Miss B. Olivier has been appointed postmistress here.

Dr. Rowding, of Chicago, is associated with Dr. Ney.

Miss Dauphine Galatas is on an extended visit to the Crescent City.

Miss Burns, of New Orleans, has left, after spending a lengthened time with Miss Edith Cooper.

Little Miss Annie Oullier has returned home from New Orleans, where she had a very serious operation performed.

Messrs. Geo. Dutsch, Ed. Haas, Mrs. L. Haas, and Mrs. Dutsch act as witnesses in the marriage of their niece and cousin, Miss Marie Dulton, of Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. James Selp spent last Sunday here, the guests of her mother, Mrs. I. LaBlanc.

Mrs. Marie Hockey, of New Orleans, is on an extended visit to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Badaux, of New Orleans, is spending the summer months in her mother's residence on the river front.

Mrs. Etlier and charming daughter, Aline, and little son, Eugene, and also their little friend, Rosa, of New Orleans, are spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Demont.

Mrs. V. C. Brown and her two charming daughters, of New Orleans, are spending a while with her sister, Mrs. L. Galatas.

Miss Loolies, of Virginia, is spending the summer months with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Galthorn.

Miss Love, of New Orleans, and Mrs. Dell, of Covington, are also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Galthorn for a few days.

Mr. Robert Fleitas, of Ponchatoula, is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. O. J. Oullier.

Mrs. E. P. Ballard and children left the past week to spend the balance of the summer in Virginia.

Miss Trudeau, of Patterson, La., is the guest of her nephew, R. T. Penny.

Mrs. W. O. W. Annual Encampment, which will be held at Gulfport August 8th to 14th, will be attended by the following from here, Cypress Camp: G. C. Moore, W. M. Moore, E. Gause, F. Corbire, R. F. Buckley, and J. L. Gells.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid Society met

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Special coaches for white and colored.

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First-class cane seats, gas light, full vestibule coaches used on this special train.

Full particulars will be furnished by SAM MARYT, Excursion Agent, G. B. AUBURTIN, A. G. P. A., 941 Maison Blanche.

Miss Aline Etler, and little friend, Rosa, spent the evening, Tuesday, with SAM MARYT, Excursion Agent, which they enjoyed very much, playing the piano and singing.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Goldate have just returned after a short stay in New Orleans with her mother, Mrs. C. Mugnier.

Miss May Daltry, of New Orleans, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. E. Mugnier.

MADISONVILLE MAYOR'S COURT.

Judicial Advertisement.

Succession of Mrs. A. J. Kieran.

Civil District Court for the Parish of Orleans, Division E.—No. 89796.

On Tuesday, August 16th, 1910, at twelve o'clock noon, at the Real Estate Exchange, No. 311 Baronne St., New Orleans, La., will be sold:

A single cottage with about 13

acres of land, in St. Tammany Parish near Abita Springs, La. For further particulars see advertisement in the New Orleans Picayune of Sunday, August 7th and 14th, and Tuesday, August 16th.

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