

# St. Tammany Farmer

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## SCIENTIFIC INVESTIGATION VS. APPEARANCES.

The visit of the Health Exhibit Train to Covington has opened the eyes of the people to the fact that appearances are often deceitful, and the lesson through the inspection made by Dr. Dowling will be of benefit to those engaged in various occupations as well as to the general public. We have reason to be proud of the achievement of Mr. Jos. Schnyder in giving to St. Tammany parish a dairy that ranks second to any in the State so far inspected, because no portion of the State attracts more people who are dependent upon milk as a food to sustain them while they receive the benefits of our wonderfully pure air and water. He has shown himself progressive and up-to-date in his methods, familiarizing himself with modern requirements for the preservation of milk from hurtful extraneous influences and taking advantage of profitable details in the handling that have not only protected its purity but have added to the efficiency of the business.

Having accompanied Dr. Dowling on his tour of inspection, we wish to say, and we believe the doctor will agree with us, that in no dairy visited was there any indication of wanton neglect or uncleanness. There seemed to be an effort on the part of all to have clean vessels and clean stalls, and some which were not rated very high were so clean and sweet that not a foul odor could be detected. The reasons for the low rating were various and of a nature that in most instances could be overcome with little expense. For instance, points were lost by not using the narrow-mouth milk cans; by having dirt floors instead of cement or wood; by not having wooden floors tongue and grooved; by not having a separate room for cooling the milk; by not cooling to a temperature of 70 degrees or less; by not having water sufficiently near the cooling room; by not washing the cow's udder and then drying it, instead of simply wiping it off with a damp cloth; by not having the manure removed from the yard or at least 125 feet from the building; by not screening from flies; by not currying the cows; by not wearing a special white suit while milking; by having cracks in the loft where hay was stored; by not having enough or having too much air space per animal. While all these conditions are required for sanitary reasons, their nonobservance does not indicate uncleanness; but they render the milk liable to contamination and for that reason place it under suspicion and detract from its value. It will be safe to predict that when the doctor makes his next inspection of dairies here not one will be found that will not come up to the requirements of the Board of Health. The great trouble with many is that they do not read enough to become familiar with what is going on in the world—to learn advanced methods and to take advantage of precautionary measures that have been found necessary.

Dr. Dowling seemed conscientious in his work, and while adhering strictly to the rules laid down for bringing dairies into a sanitary condition, he was painstaking in pointing out where improvements could be made that would bring the dairy up to the standard required by the Board of Health, and his work here will be of great benefit, not alone in securing the marketing of pure milk, clean meat and wholesome food, but in arousing the public to a realization that sanitation should command their attention.

The visit to the health car by over five hundred school children, members of the Progressive Union and School Improvement League and numerous people in the town and parish cannot fail to have spread knowledge that will be of great benefit in lessening the difficulties of enacting and enforcing sanitary laws. Dr. Dowling laid special stress upon the necessity of sanitary closets and good drainage. If the town council would take this matter up the system might be adopted without any greater expense to the people than is the present outdoor closet.

Miss Agnes Morris, instructor of home and school hygiene, is also state organizer of school improvement leagues, and lectures intelligently and interestingly. She seems devoted to her work, made many friends among the women workers of Covington and accomplished much good in the encouragement of those women of Covington who have worked so hard and done so much for the advancement of the schools and for public improvement.

# NEW SOUTHERN HOTEL COMPANY

For some days the Southern Hotel has been the busy scene of much alteration and repairing. Rumor had it that a new company had taken over and the name of Harvey E. Ellis was mentioned in connection with it. It was not publicly known until Thursday in just what relation he had to the company or what improvements would be made in the hotel.

The new company is known as the New Southern Hotel Company, capitalized at \$50,000.00, represented by 500 shares, with Harvey E. Ellis president; W. A. White, vice president; W. A. Hood, secretary-treasurer. These names stand as a guarantee that there will be something doing in the hotel business in Covington. Confidence in the future of Covington and confidence in the success of a hotel properly equipped and properly managed, makes Mr. Ellis peculiarly fitted for the undertaking which he has in hand, and he will now have an opportunity for developing his pet scheme of making Covington not only celebrated as a health resort, but a place where hotel accommodations will be such as to give comfort and enjoyment to the transient as well as the permanent guest.

The hotel will be refitted and undergo many alterations. Mr. C. Chapman, the New Orleans decorator, has charge of the decoration work and now has a large force employed. Mr. Lawrence M. Bourgeois, of Covington, will attend to the refurnishing. The extent of this work, with the large amount of repairs that will be made, will necessitate the hotel being closed to guests until March 1.

Mr. W. E. Woods will be manager. The dining room will be in charge of Monsieur Dufour, a French chef of splendid reputation, and special attention will be devoted to this department that the cuisine of the hotel may class with the very best to be found.

It is also purposed to have tennis courts on the lawn and to otherwise make it convenient for guests who are fond of physical exercise.

## FOR BENEFIT OF KARNIVAL CLUB.

The Women's Progressive Union will give a euchre at the parlors of the M. C. B. Library on Tuesday, February 21, at 3:30 p. m., for the benefit of the Covington Carnival Club. There will be four prizes.

If troubled with indigestion, constipation, no appetite or feel bilious, give Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets a trial and you will be pleased with the result. These tablets invigorate the stomach and liver and strengthen the digestion. Sold by all druggists.

## POLICE JURY.

The Police Jury will meet in regular session next Monday, February 20, 1911.

E. D. KENTZEL, Secretary.

## A TWENTY-FIVE POUND CATFISH

Many people are attracted to the Bogue Falaya River for the sport afforded by its fine fishing. Among those who are visitors and are fond of fishing are Arthur L. Zap and Dr. F. E. Hays, of Louisville, Ky. They are guests of Dr. Tolson, and frequently take an outing on the river, both for the pleasure of the fine boating and their fondness for the rod and line. They were made proud and happy last Friday, February 10, by landing a catfish that weighed twenty-four pounds. This is a pretty good achievement, considering the fact that it was made with the rod and line. These gentlemen are members of the South Park Fishing Club, of Louisville, Ky., and are novices in the art of fishing. They claim that fish of this size are not infrequently found in the waters at home.

The large catfish is not much prized here for table use, but the little blue cat is favored by some as among the best fish.

## Accused of Stealing.

E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton Mo., boldly accuses Bukken's Arnica Salve of stealing—the sting from burns or scalds—the pain from sores of all kinds—the distress from boils or plies. "It robs cuts, corns, bruises, sprains and injuries of their torment," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 25c at all druggists.

## NOTICE.

It is desired that all members of the K. K. K. shall report to the secretary of the names of those whom they desire to honor with invitations should be presented as soon as possible to be passed upon by the Committee on Invitations. This is an important matter and should not be neglected.

## DIED.

THOMAS—At his residence near Covington, on Friday, February 10, 1911, L. H. Thomas. The funeral took place from the residence Saturday, Rev. A. A. Bernard, of the Methodist Church, officiating. Interment in Covington Cemetery.

## STAFFORD—At Abita Springs, February 10, 1911, Alice Stafford, wife of Robt. S. McIntyre, aged 30 years, 10 months, 11 days.

The funeral took place from the family residence at Abita Springs, at 2 o'clock p. m. Saturday, Rev. F. Matthes officiating. Interment in the Hickory Grove Cemetery.

She is survived by her husband, four children, three brothers and three sisters. She was a good mother and a fond wife, and her death will be mourned by many friends.

## EGGS FOR SETTING.

From thoroughbred Rhode Island Reds; \$1.00 per 13. MRS. GEO. E. SEARS, Phone 241.

## A King Left Home

set the world to talking, but Paul Mathulka, of Buffalo, N. Y., says he always keeps at home the king of all laxatives, Dr. King's New Life Pills—and that they're a blessing to all his family. Cure constipation, headache, indigestion, dyspepsia. Only 25c at all druggists.

ALWAYS BOOST COVINGTON

# CHAMBERBERG'S PHARMACY

WHY Have That Cold? Just What You Have Been Looking For—A Sure and Speedy Cure

For That Cold. Schenberg's White Pine Cough Syrup "Mentholated." With Tar.

Whatever a good drug store ought to have—you will find here. Quick delivery any where in town.

Schenberg's Pharmacy. SOUTHERN HOTEL BUILDING COVINGTON

# SODA WATER ICE CREAM

EVERY SATURDAY and SUNDAY AT CHAMPAGNE'S DRUG STORE.

## La Grippe Coughs

Strain and weaken the system and if not checked may develop into pneumonia. No danger of this when Foley's Honey and Tar is taken promptly. It is the northwest family medicine for all coughs and colds, and acts quickly and effectively in cases of croup. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Theo. Strain & Son.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

On February 14, 1911 Mrs. Pauline Manint to Mrs. Seth F. H. Harvey, 160 50-100 acres of land and improvements, northwest quarter of section 22, township 6, south range 12 east, Parish of St. Tammany, for the sum of \$2000.

On February 14, 1911, Ella Walker to Mrs. Clara Crow, one lot in square 13, town of Sun, La., for \$35.00.

On February 14, 1911, John Knight to Mrs. R. C. Meyers, 4 acres of land in section 43 township 5, range 13 east, for the sum of \$10.00. Leases.

Mrs. E. K. Paderas and husband to Ezekiel L. Busby, a lease on the following land: Part of the south half of the northwest quarter of section 26, township 6, south range 10 east, a lease for one year from Dec. 15, 1910, with a privilege of another year's lease at the rate of \$65.00 per year.

Vincent B. Busby and Ezekiel L. Busby to Hazelhurst Lumber Co., a lease on the following property: Part of the south half of the northwest quarter of section 26, township 6, south range 10 east; also one Adams boiler and appurtenances, one Skinner engine, saw mill apparatus and fixtures complete, one edger all shafting and property used in the operation of said saw mill, and situated on or about said leased premises, about 120,000 feet of lumber, and the saw boys now on or about said premises, for the sum of \$3,500.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, New Orleans, La., Feb. 16, 1911. Notice is hereby given that Thos. Ezell, of St. Tammany, La., who, on March 18, 1909, made homestead entry No. 02429, for east half of southeast quarter, section 34, township 7 south, range 13 east, St. Helena Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before clerk of court, at Covington, La., on the 27th day of March, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: Berry Todd, of Bayou LaCombe, La.; John T. Keller, L. W. Crow, R. W. Ezell, of St. Tammany, La. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, New Orleans, La., Feb. 16, 1911. Notice is hereby given that Joseph Moran, of Violin, La., who, on July 6, 1909, made homestead entry No. 02656, for west half of northeast quarter and east half of northeast quarter, section 35, township 7 south, range 13 east, St. Helena Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make final commutation proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before clerk of court, at Covington, La., on the 27th day of March, 1911.

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## STRAYED.

Strayed from my place, two miles from Folsom, one horse colt, two years and half old; color, light sorrel, blaze face down as far as nose and turns cross ways three white feet, one black; branded on right shoulder, "C. T." To any one finding such colt, I will pay a liberal reward (say five dollars) delivered at my place near Folsom.

LOUIS DAWSON.

## Remember the Name

Foley's Honey and Tar for all coughs and colds, for croup, bronchitis, hoarseness and for racking la-grippe coughs. No opiates. Refuse substitutes. Sold by Theo. Strain & Son.

# NEW ORLEANS GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD COMPANY.

Double Daily Service, Except Sunday Between COVINGTON And NEW ORLEANS MANDEVILLE SHIDELL BOGALUSA COLUMBIA FRANKLINTON TYLERTOWN.

SCHEDULE Effective December 18, 1910. Daily, Except Sunday. Southbound. Northbound. Leaves Covington Arrives No. 61, 6:43 a. m. No. 52, 9:27 a. m. No. 53, 3:35 p. m. No. 60, 6:45 p. m. Sundays only. No. 57, 5:10 p. m. No. 56, 10 a. m. For information apply to Ticket Agent, or M. J. McMAHON, G. P. A., G. B. AUBURTN, A. G. P. A., No. 941 Maison Blanche, New Orleans. Long Distance Phone, Main 488.

# ST. TAMMANY AND NEW ORLEANS RAILWAYS AND FERRY CO.

SCHEDULE. Leave MANDEVILLE Leave COVINGTON 7:00 a. m. 8:00 a. m. 10:00 a. m. 12:00 Noon 3:00 p. m. 5:00 p. m. 7:00 p. m. 8:00 p. m. On Mondays, Wednesdays and Saturdays an early car will leave Mandeville at 4:35 a. m. and Covington at 5:30 a. m., to connect with boat for West End, as usual. On Sundays the usual two hour schedule is maintained; leaving Mandeville at 7:00 a. m. and every two hours thereafter; leaving Covington at 8:00 a. m., and every two hours thereafter. Last car on Sundays leaves Mandeville at 7:00 p. m., and Covington at 8:00 p. m.

# ST. TAMMANY STEAMSHIP COMPANY

## STEAMER OSSING

Monday, Wednesdays and Saturdays leaves Houltonville at 5 a. m., Mandeville 6:20 a. m. Returning leaves West End at 4:30 p. m. SUNDAYS. Leave Houltonville 5 a. m. for West End direct, leave West End 9 a. m. for Mandeville, Madisonville and Houltonville. Leave Houltonville at 3:30 p. m., touching Madisonville and Mandeville, for West End. Returning leaves West End at 7:30 p. m., for Houltonville direct. All boats stop a Lewisburg when hailed or to land passengers. On Sundays and Wednesdays the round trip fare is \$1.00.

# LISTEN FOR THE WHISTLE OF THE Steamer JOSIE

Regular NEW ORLEANS, MADISONVILLE, HOULTONVILLE, COVINGTON Packet. Built exclusively for the trade. Leaves Glover's Warehouse landing every Saturday at 4 p. m., weather permitting. Rates Low. H. T. G. WEAVER, Owner and Manager. Office Phone 21. Landing 29-2.

# ROSA A

Will leave head of New Basin, New Orleans, every Thursday, at 4 p. m. Returning, will leave Covington, every Monday, at 10 a. m. RATES OF FREIGHT. Cotton, per bale, .50 Cents. Dry barrels, .15 Cents. Sacks, .10 Cents. Other rates in proportion. JONES & PICKETT, Owners. Warehouse in Covington, Phone 61-3. Office in Covington, Phone 61-2. Warehouse in New Orleans, Galvez and New Basin, Phone, Main 4782. Office, New Orleans, 206 Board of Trade Building, Phone Main 1034

# WANTED, FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One heavy single wagon, one buggy, one old wagon, cheap, one lot of harness and a pair of mules, one portable forge. Call at Covington Grocery and Grain Company, in Covington. Jan14-17

FOR SALE—A new sewing machine, small walnut sideboard, automatic parlor rocker, bird's eye maple bedroom set, 3 pieces. 217 Vermont street. feb11-21

FOR SALE—Merchandise store, in good location, principally colored trade, will take stock and sell property. Retirement cause for selling. Address P. O. Box 481, Covington, La. Jan28-17.

WANTED—To buy 100 head of young stock cattle, 50 head of cows for stock purposes. Delivered to DON F. WATTS, Pearl River, La. feb4-17.

\$80.00 per month straight salary and expenses, to men with rig, to introduce our Poultry Remedies. Don't answer unless you mean business. Eureka Poultry Food Mfg. Co. (Incorporated.) East St. Louis, Ill. feb4-17.

# PICAYUNE CIGARETTE COUPONS

SAVED ARE GOOD AS MONEY

# COME ONE! COME ALL!

## Grand Masquerade and Calico Ball

FEBRUARY 25, 1911 BY The Funny Forty Fellows Carnival Club At the Town Hall - Abita Springs 2 PRIZES GOOD MUSIC ADMISSION 25c

# IT SPEAKS FOR ITSELF.

ON AUGUST 2, 1910, WE WERE FIVE YEARS OLD.

# DEPOSITS WERE:

\$58,508.36 on August 22, 1905.  
105,037.51 on August 22, 1906.  
157,770.83 on August 22, 1907.  
168,311.63 on August 22, 1908.  
197,333.00 on August 22, 1909.  
210,898.32 on August 22, 1910.

WE CHALLENGE ANY OF THE BANKS OF THE FLORIDA PARISHES TO SHOW A PROPORTIONATE INCREASE IN THEIR DEPOSITS DURING THE PAST FIVE YEARS.

St. Tammany Banking Co. and Covington Savings Bank, Mandeville

# L. W. ALFORD JEWELER

RAILROAD WATCH INSPECTORS. PHONE 315. SOUTHERN HOTEL BUILDING - COVINGTON LA.

# Richard & Riggs REAL ESTATE AGENTS

COVINGTON, LA. Phone 300

# JOHN L. HALL

PIANO TUNER AND REPAIRER. LEAVE ORDERS AT BOURGEOIS' FURNITURE STORE.

# Personal and Local

## BORN—To Mrs. Louis Pechon, on Monday, February 13, 1911, a boy.

BORN—Mrs. E. J. Gandet, of Folsom, February 13, 1911, a boy.

Miss Georgia Carter left Thursday morning for Baton Rouge and Chamberlain, La., where she will be the guest of friends for several weeks.

Mrs. A. B. Holliday and children, of Folsom, spent the day in Covington last Saturday, the guest of Mrs. Holliday's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Blattner, in Boston street.

Mrs. Earnest Domergue and Mrs. Wortham were Bogalusa visitors the past week.

Miss Almee Seawell, of New Orleans, is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. E. Gautreaux.

Mrs. Judge Milton Burns, of Folsom, La., is spending a few days in Covington, the guest of her sister, Mrs. S. V. Kentzel.

Miss Lillian Watkins, after a visit to Houston, Texas, has returned to her home in Covington.

There will be a congregational meeting of the Episcopal Church, on Wednesday, February 22, 1911, at 7:30 p. m.

Miss L. R. Blackmar spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Wallis.

Miss Ogden, of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting her niece, Mrs. Geo. Sears.

Miss Dede Miles is visiting Abita. Miss Mae Poole spent Thursday in the Crescent City.

Miss Cecille Cantrelle is visiting in Folsom, La.

Mrs. Carson, of Natchez, Miss., is the guest of Miss Lily Allain.

Mrs. Sarah Burns was the guest of Mrs. S. V. Kentzel, Thursday.

Mr. D. J. Sanders was a New Orleans visitor Friday.

## HEALTHBOARD NOTES.

Dr. B. B. Warren was called to Sun as health officer Thursday to look into the reported prevalence of small pox there. He found one fully developed case at the McCarey saw mill, that of a negro named G. Westley. This case he isolated. He also vaccinated thirty people.

## KING'S DAUGHTERS.

There will be a regular monthly meeting of the King's Daughters at the M. C. B. Library, at 4 p. m., Monday, February 20.

## FITZGERALD-GALLOWAY.

Mr. Rankin Fitzgerald and Miss Rachel Galloway were married at the home of the bride's parents on Wednesday, February 8, 1911, at 11 a. m., Rev. J. M. Fussell, officiating.

## RAY-CANTRELLE.

Mr. W. D. Ray and Miss Hettie Cantrelle were married on Thursday, February 16, 1911, at 5:30 a. m., at St. Peter's Church, Rev. Joseph Koegerl, officiating.

Jack Johnson, 15 years of age, while playing with some other children, Wednesday broke his collar bone. He was attended by a physician and is doing nicely.

The Covington Steam Laundry is making rapid progress toward getting all the business of the town. Satisfactory work is guaranteed. Phone 108 and 131. Work called for and delivered.

The euchre given by the Daughter of Isabella last Thursday was a very enjoyable affair. The rooms were very artistically and beautifully decorated. After two hours interesting playing, the prizes fell to Miss Nellie Hennessey, Miss T. Hennessey, Miss Salome Sells, Mrs. Wallis, consolation, and Miss Queenie Joachim, booby.

## THE MATINEE BOAT.

The offer of the St. Tammany Steamship Company to accommodate theatre parties of fifteen or more by remaining at West End until 5:30 p. m., when requested to do so, was taken advantage of by a party of fifteen Wednesday, February 15, which was supplemented by the addition of a number of passengers on board who also took advantage of the opportunity to attend the matinee. The opportunity was highly appreciated, and these parties promise to become very popular, both by reason of the pleasant ride across the lake in the healthful invigorating atmosphere, without the dust, crush and worry of railroad travel, and because of the leisure time that is given in attending the theatre.

The company finds it necessary, however, that notice of these layovers be made at least one day in advance, so that proper arrangements can be made with the motor line to run a car to Covington, leaving Mandeville at 3 o'clock in the evening, the time the boat gets in.