

St. Tammany Farmer

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THE ELECTION.

The election passed off peaceably in Covington and the surrounding towns, as well as throughout the whole parish, as far as we have learned at this writing. In this respect we believe St. Tammany parish is entitled to commendation, and as the primary system becomes better understood, tolerance of the views of others will be a factor of great value in expressing the absolute choice of the people in nominations.

The result of the election shows the impossibility of forecasting the outcome even where large majorities are given in the first primary. None of the candidates who received majorities in the first primary were elected in the second, and the usual indication of the trend of public opinion, the willingness to stake money on the result and the opinion of those supposed to be in a position to make a correct estimate, failed to give an insight into the true state of affairs.

The newly elected clerk of court, E. J. Frederick, takes charge of an office that has been in the hands of Harry R. Warren for twenty years. It is second to none in importance in the parish and its proper conduct demands the highest attention to its duties and an unpartisan management of its affairs. All this has been promised by Mr. Frederick and there is no reason to doubt that he will fulfill his promise.

E. V. Richard made a hard fight for the office, and the result of the first primary and subsequent indications pointed to him as a probable winner. He has shown himself to be a politician that is to be reckoned with in the affairs of the parish and has made many friends during his campaign.

Warren Thomas was re-elected to the assessor's office, which he has held for twelve years, his majority being much larger than was to be expected, considering the lead that Mr. Day had in the first primary and the indications that he would poll a very large vote in the second.

F. J. Helms was elected for the legislature by the largest majority of any candidate in the first or second primary, and this notwithstanding Mr. Bollinger received a plurality in the first. All these incidents show the uncertainty of forecasting elections with the primary system. In first primaries combinations and line-ups are difficult to handle without being uncovered in the second; but in the second this handicap is removed. With the expected decision from the Supreme Court that no voter can ask assistance unless physically disabled or unable to read, however, the primary system, with secrecy of the ballot, promises to remain in public favor; yet it is to be hoped that public sentiment will blot out alliances that destroy the individual strength of candidates, but perhaps this is the hope of the idealist.

Now that the election is over, it is to be hoped that no ill-feeling will be allowed to prevent united efforts for the advancement of Covington and the parish. The battle has been fought. Some had to win and some had to lose. It is presumed that all had the interest of the parish at heart and that they still are willing to do all in their power for progress and improvement. Then hands should be joined and labors united for the best that is in the future.

SCIENTIFIC METHODS OF GROWING CROPS.

The report of Mr. Mason Snowden, State agent of the Farmers' Co-operative Demonstration Work of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, shows the wonderful advancement that can be made in farming operations under scientific management. It is shown that even the dread boll weevil cannot prevent the raising of profitable crops of cotton, when methods of the department are adopted.

But the wonderful increase per acre in bushels of corn raised, ranging as high as 200 per cent, is most interesting to St. Tammany parish. Being a country suitable to dairying and stock-raising, the fact that land producing fifteen bushels of corn per acre can be made to produce forty bushels is of great importance, especially as Louisiana stands at the head of the hay-growing States, with a production of two tons to the acre, the highest producing northern State being Iowa, with 1.42 tons per acre.

St. Tammany parish has demonstrated its ability to raise vegetables and small fruits to perfection. Add to this profitable farming the growing of feed stuffs and the raising of stock and millions of dollars will be added to land values, and the parish will become one of the most prosperous in the State. The cost of feeding has militated against farmers keeping more horses and cattle on hand than could be profitably worked or used for supplying the family needs, except the few who were conveniently near winter ranges or cane brakes, where cattle could plod through the winter and afterwards fatten on the tender grass in the spring and early summer ranges without further expense. The result is that Western stock, which has to be grain fed, has a preference on the market and has won a reputation that secures prices we have failed to obtain.

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STEAM ROLLER READY TO FLATTEN WIGHT AND OTHER ROOSEVELT MEN.

Washington, Feb. 27.—Any further recognition Pearl Wight gets as Republican national committeeman from Louisiana will be wholly unintentional on the part of the occupant of the White House. Victor Lohsel and Emilie Kuntz will take his place, and when a new national committeeman is chosen from Louisiana, his name is more likely to be Lohsel than Wight. In addition, the President may take a notion to look into the charges made by C. J. Bell and the members of the anti-Wight organization.

This is the sort of political brew concocted at the White House to-day by President Taft, Secretary Lillies, Victor Lohsel and Emilie Kuntz. They are to have another conference to-morrow. If they can think of any other unpleasantness to hand to Mr. Wight, they will prepare it. Diligence of like character is to be shown in dealing with Col. Cecil

KLOPED WITH GIRL WHO NURSED HIM; BOGALUSA FATHER SECURES ARREST

New Orleans, Feb. 28.—Wearing a massive Tiffany wedding ring upon his middle finger, which he twined about one of the iron bars in the First Precinct Police Station that prevented him from stepping out in the cool night air, and ever and anon voicing a seemingly endless tirade against "them in general," E. J. Kuhlman, Jr., a beardless youth, of No. 1733 Euterpe street, who was arrested yesterday evening charged with enticing an unmarried female away from her father's home for immoral purposes, gave an interview to a Picayune reporter in which romance and pathos are the chief factors.

Kuhlman was arrested at his home by Detective James A. Brewer on a warrant from Washington parish, where he is wanted on the charge of having enticed Ula Mae Hutson, aged 10 years, away from her father's hearthstone at Bogalusa. Last night Special Officer McGee, of Bogalusa, came to take the prisoner away. They will leave this morning.

"I have been arrested and accused just because Ula Mae's father cannot understand. She is at my home with my mother right at this very minute, and I love her dearly," said young Kuhlman as he walked his cell with the tread of a panther.

"No, what's the use asking that? We are not married, but were to have been just as soon as I was able to take care of her the way she should be taken care of."

"Why are you wearing that wedding ring?" was asked the prisoner.

"I am supposed to be married to

the girl," he quickly responded, "and she wears another ring just like this one."

"No one can understand the proposition better than we two can ourselves," he continued. "Old Hutson is foolish to try to flim-flam me, because I won't stand for it. I did not steal his daughter away by force. She loved me, and when I told her some weeks ago that I was going to Texas she told me that she would follow me. Hutson never took care of the girl, and she had to work for her own living."

"It was a case of love at first sight with us two. I have been working at Bogalusa for some time as clerk for the Great Northern Railroad, and it was while I was working in that position that I was stricken with appendicitis. I was taken to the hospital and operated on."

"My recovery from the operation was phenomenal, for it was Ula Mae who nursed me back to health. It is the old, old story about the nurse girl and the patient. I fell in love with her and she with me. We promised each other that we would marry, and would have been wedded some time ago had I not been called away to Texas."

"My mother knows that we are not married, she being one of the few who are in the secret that was."

Kuhlman says that he is confident that he will be freed, and says that he will immediately proceed to marry the girl.

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Huntsville, Ala., Feb. 27.—After numerous attempts to kill himself, James Weaver, a cotton mill operative, succeeded late last night in drinking himself to death, his beverage being pure spring water. Standing at a hydrant in a cell in the county jail, in which he has been confined on a charge of insanity, Weaver helped himself to dipper after dipper of water in plain sight of the officers, and before they realized his object he fell in a stupor. Some weeks ago the man attempted to end his life by leaping from a moving train, and later by cutting his throat. He was possessed of a religious mania, and claimed that John the Baptist was making his life "hell on earth."

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Our Lady of the Lake.—Rev. L. M. Roth, pastor. Hours of holy mass: Sundays at 7 and 8:30 a. m. Week days at 6:30 a. m. Benediction on Sundays and holy days at 5 p. m.

St. John's Church.—Hours of Holy Mass: 1st, 3d, and 5th Sunday of the month at 8 a. m.; 3d and 4th Sunday at 10 a. m.; Every Wednesday at 8 a. m.

Rev. Jos. Koegerl, Rector.
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Second Sunday of each month—Morning prayer and holy communion at 11 o'clock.

Third Sunday in each month—Morning prayer and holy communion at 11 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon at 8 o'clock.

Fourth Sunday of each month—Holy communion at 7:30 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon at 11 o'clock.

Slidell.
First Sunday in each month—Evening prayer and sermon at 8 o'clock.

Bogalusa.
First Sunday in each month—Morning prayer and holy communion at 11 o'clock.

Franklinton.
Every fifth Sunday—Morning Prayer and holy communion at 11 o'clock. Evening prayer and sermon at 8 o'clock.

THE METHODIST CHURCH.

Rev. T. D. Lipscomb will hold services in the Methodist church morning and evening on every second and fourth Sunday in Covington, and every first and third Sunday at Slidell. There will be Sunday school every Sunday morning at 9:30. The Ladies Aid Society will meet every first Tuesday in each month.

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Services second and fourth Sabbath of every month at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Sunday School, Elder R. L. Smith, Superintendent, every Sunday morning at 8 p. m.

New Home
Services every first Sunday afternoon at 3:30.

Houltonville
Services every third Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Mandeville
Services every fifth Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

LUTHERAN SERVICES.

Lutheran services will be held at the Baptist church in Covington every first and third Sunday at 4 o'clock p. m.

Bogalusa—10:30 a. m. German; 7:30 p. m. English, on the 4th Sunday. Services in the Y. M. C. A.

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