

St. Tammany Farmer

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SUDDENLY ILLUMINATED SLIDELL, BUT CAN'T FIND OUT WHO APPLIED THE MATCH.

Out of the stillness that precedes the storm comes the small piping voice of the Slidell American. It is laden with anxiety as to the fate of Slidell should Mr. Morgan be elected to Congress, and it voices its own sentiments, and, as far as we can find out, those of one other citizen. The broad scope of this paper's name would indicate the liberality of thought that gives the average American distinction and entitles his opinions to thoughtful consideration; but the American seems to have been awakened from its slumbers by a nightmare of pictorial horrors, with views of Covington as the arch-enemy of Slidell, about to destroy it through the machinations of a congressman to be elected from the said town of Covington. After quietly nodding until the eve of election it has suddenly become aroused by the probability of Mr. Morgan's election, after Mr. Jones had spent a day in Slidell, and the fate of Slidell, in that event, is appalling to it. Probably if the American had waited until it was awake good it would have stopped to consider that Slidell was solidly for Mr. Morgan, and that the whole parish is almost solid for him, and that "Pearl River, Madisonville, Folsom and Abita Springs" would spurn its suggestion that they should vote for anybody else. But it did not do this. Under the influence of the spirit of Benedict Arnold, with the whispers of Andre in its ears, it proceeded to knife the interests of its home people by the publication of an editorial, of which the following is an extract:

"We have nothing to gain by Mr. Morgan's election. We have nothing to fear by voting solidly against him. Slidell's position will be just the same whether we all vote for or against Mr. Morgan."

"Suppose we give Judge Jones a good vote and thereby incur the displeasure of Mr. Morgan and his Covington friends?"

"If we do, and Mr. Morgan wins, we have lost nothing. If we do, and Judge Jones wins, we will be in a position to have a voice in the affairs of the District."

"As things stand now we are not even recognized politically as a part of this parish. Shall we try to improve conditions? Do we have to jump when Covington pulls the string, or are we a free people and entitled to look after the interests of this vicinity? Come on boys, let's boost Slidell! Everybody's doing it."

"All that has been said above is equally applicable to Pearl River, Madisonville, Folsom and Abita Springs."

"Isn't it imbecile? Did anyone ever hear of such arguments? Does anyone believe for a minute that Slidell would have shouldered upon her such sentiments as are contained in the above? Never! Slidell knows how to take her own part, how to fight her own battles; how to work for her own interest. But Slidell knows, too, how to stand shoulder to shoulder and fight for a brother, how to honor her own flesh and blood, and how to show her appreciation of an honored citizen of St. Tammany parish, regardless of whether he comes from one town or another."

Having full confidence in Slidell, the editor of this paper, upon seeing the editorial in question, telephoned to Mayor Gardere and to Ex-Mayor Bourgeois and asked them if the article in question represented the sentiments of Slidell, and was assured most emphatically by both gentlemen that it did not. That Slidell would go solidly for Morgan. One knew of but one man who was opposed to him; the other knew of two who had been opposed to him, one of whom was going to vote for him. Mayor Gardere said that a mass meeting would be called and that resolutions would be passed showing what the people of Slidell thought of Mr. Morgan. That the town was solid for him.

All the efforts to win votes from Mr. Morgan by showing that he was opposed in his own parish have only strengthened him throughout the district. All of the schemes that have been sprung for this purpose have shown that seldom in history has a man proved himself to be so strong and highly honored by his own people, and it is reasonable to conclude that such a man must have ability and be trustworthy. The people cannot be fooled by speeches. Facts appeal to them. There is no doubt in the world that Mr. Morgan will be elected, and Slidell is going to help to elect him.

Slidell has been suddenly illuminated, but it can't be found out who applied the match.

TO MAKE THE FAIR A SUCCESS.

Secretary N. H. FitzSimons of the Park Commission has addressed a letter to the Mayors of all the towns asking them to appoint committees to see that exhibits from their respective towns and neighborhoods are entered at the parish fair, to take place in November. This is a matter of great importance. The success of the fair means a great deal to the parish, and its success depends upon the interest taken by the people. If the Mayors of the towns appoint men on these committees who will exert themselves for a thorough representation of their districts in the fair, a display can be made that will astonish those people who are not aware of the great advancement that has been made in late years, both as to agricultural products and live stock, to say nothing of the feathered family. Let everybody pull for a good fair this fall.

Hon. John Ford of Bayou Sara, La., is spending a few days with Mr. Harry Warren.

Mrs. Sally Ford and nephew, Harry Ford, of Pascagoula, Miss., are visiting her nephew, Mr. Harry Warren.

5 or 6 doses 666 will break any case of chills and fever; and it taken then as a tonic the fever will not return. Price 25 cents.

Miss M. Barres, of New Orleans, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Ed. Menetree.

Mrs. Gwinn, of Port Allen, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Warren.

Miss Queenie Joachim has returned to Ocean Springs, after spending a month as the guest of the Misses Bokenfohr.

Miss Rollie Clement, of New Orleans, is spending some time with the Misses Bokenfohr.

Invitations are abroad for a reception to be given by the School Improvement League in honor of the coming public school faculty of 1912-13, at the residence of Mrs. E. J. Domergue, Saturday, August 31. This function promises to be the success in every way that any affair undertaken by the League always proves to be. This coupled with the gracious hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Domergue and Mrs. Wortham bids fair to bring every enjoyment to the honorees and their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Minuet, of New Orleans, are the guests of Judge and Mrs. T. M. Burns.

The Tuesday afternoon Five Hundred met at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Kuntzel. The first prize was won by Mrs. B. B. Warren and the second fell to Mr. Kuntzel.

Miss Edith Pond returned to New Orleans on Sunday, after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Wm. Bodebender.

The boat ride given Tuesday evening aboard the Lurline by Miss Lurline McMahon in honor of her charming guest, Miss Dorrie Piper, proved a most enjoyable affair. The party went down to Pineland Park, where they disembarked and indulged in games for a merry hour or so. Refreshments were served while on the water, and the guests returned enchanted with their pleasant trip.

The Wednesday afternoon Five Hundred Club met at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Bodebender. The first prize was won by Mrs. Renshaw and the second by Mrs. Prague. Besides the regular members, the guests present were Mrs. Robert Minuet, Mrs. Edmund Stern and sister, Mrs. Jos. Levy, of St. Joseph, La., Mrs. M. L. Allen and Miss Mattie Blossman.

Mrs. R. L. McLeod, of Kenna, was the charming guest of Mrs. Jasper Nison, returning to her home on Saturday. Whenever we think of Mrs. McLeod we think of "Dixie," and everything good to look at, to hear and to know.

Mrs. Jos. Levy, of St. Joseph, La., after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. Edmund Stern, left Covington on Thursday morning.

Miss Magdalen Bokenfohr is spending a while in New Orleans.

Miss Eliza Lancaster is visiting her brother, Mr. Jos. B. Lancaster.

Mr. S. Schonberg, of Donaldsonville, La., returned to his home last Friday, after spending a week here with his brother, Dr. C. E. Schonberg.

Mrs. H. H. Sudduth and children are on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Blattner.

Miss Adrienne Muller gave a hay ride Saturday in honor of her birthday. The guests were Misses Thelma, Virginia and Lillian Bischoff, and Milton and Reba Muller, August Schwartz, chaperoned by Mrs. Chas. Muller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Barrett, of New Orleans, were the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rockenschuh, and other relatives this week.

Mr. Gross and Mrs. Barnett, of New Orleans, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rockenschuh last Monday.

Captain Mott's horse, attached to a surry with two young ladies and a young man driving, ran away Tuesday from Claiborne to Covington, overturning the surry at the new Frederick building. The ladies were very much frightened and somewhat bruised and the young man was kicked by the horse, but fortunately no one was seriously hurt. The horse was cut about the hind legs.

COVINGTON, YEARS AGO.

(By J. M. Tate.)

The Morgan family has given us many able and prominent men. Gen. David B. Morgan, as we all know, figured in the war of 1812 with Great Britain. His first wife was Miss Middleton of Georgia. By this marriage he had two sons and one daughter, Charles and David B. Morgan and Adeline Morgan. Charles Morgan, I think, married a Miss spell of St. Tammany parish. Several children were born to them, one of them Wm. Morgan, the father of Lewis L. Morgan, one of our candidates now for Congress, has made his mark in this world. An able lawyer and serving with distinction as District Attorney. Should the people elect him to Congress he will serve them ably there. He was named for his great uncle, Lewis L. Morgan, who was sheriff of the parish in the 50s and served in the Civil War.

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Rev. Mr. Whiddon states that there were fifteen additions made to the church in Mandeville at the recent revival meetings and nineteen at the camp grounds. As a result of these meetings the Camp Ground buildings will be repaired by contributions of labor and material. The meetings were held at Tallhook at the new church Sunday. In addition to preaching Mr. Whiddon is establishing circulating libraries in the churches. He is also giving lectures on the "Horrors of White Slavery," "Good Citizenship," to men only, and "Women's Advancement from 5000 years before Christ to the Present."

Mrs. Chas. Hentz is at home again with her little son Jared, who has been in New Orleans for four weeks at the Sanitarium in a serious condition from the effects of a fall.

Mr. B. T. Bascot, representing the Pan-American Life Insurance Co., of New Orleans, and Mr. E. C. French, special agent of the Aetna Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn., were in Covington Friday. Mr. Bascot says the Pan-American has done one million one hundred thousand dollars business this month. Good for the Pan-American.

On Saturday afternoon Oak Ridge Villa entertained at a most enjoyable Five Hundred in honor of their guests. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Abe Levy, Mrs. Chas. Williams, Mrs. J. Pilkington, Mrs. J. Epey, Mr. and Mrs. H. Piquet, Mrs. J. Mannus, Miss Irene Morris, Miss Jennie Piquet, Miss Anna Mannus, Miss M. Pilkington, Miss Anne Amber Williams, Mr. J. Monte, Masters M. and L. Levy. The first prize for gentlemen was won by Mr. H. Piquet; the first prize for ladies by Miss J. Piquet; the booby prize by Mrs. Chas. Williams. Refreshments were served, after which many beautiful musical selections were rendered.

See our 3W guaranteed rings—if stones come out they are replaced free of charge. L. W. Alford, the Jeweler.

The tennis court of the Southern Hotel presents a most pleasing picture these summer evenings and gladdens the eye of all passers with its gay assembly of pretty girls and stalwart boys battling the tennis ball from side to side of the grass-green, flower bordered court.

More of these scenes of beauty, pleasure and sport would mean a lot in attractiveness to our town, and we extend a vote of thanks to Dr. Young and his sons for setting so good an example.

If Mr. Morgan goes to Congress he takes with him, in his fair spouse a charming representative of our Southern women, and one we may safely and gladly send to show what St. Tammany can produce. All luck and prosperity attend Mr. and Mrs. Morgan! We are sorry indeed to lose them, but our deep regret is buried deep under this pride we feel in sending to our nation's capitol as able a man as Mr. Morgan to stand for our district, and so lovingly a woman to represent our women.

Rub-My-Tism will cure you.

What a bevy of pretty girls there are in Covington this summer! To get a good look at them one has only to go down to the train on Sunday evening, and there behold them like Solomon in all their glory. This Sunday evening train-gang, if one may so call it, has become almost a social feature of the place, and is the medium of many pleasant gatherings. Among the visiting girls may be seen the Misses Renshaw, Clark, McMahon, Collins, and many numerous others. The home girls are also there and one gets a bright and pleasant word from the Misses Frederick, Warren, Brewster, Roy, Poole, Evans, and a host of others.

The picture show and vaudeville to be given on Wednesday night at the Air Dome for the benefit of St. Peter's Parochial school promises to be a success socially as well as otherwise. It is given under the direct patronage of Messames Warren, Lancaster, E. J. Frederick, L. L. Morgan, Wm. Bodebender, Felix Bachemin, W. J. Warren and C. F. Hardie. All the Catholic ladies are interested in making the affair a great success financially, and no doubt all the members of St. Peter's church, especially those having children at the school will be well represented at its benefit.

Fine fobs, belt pins, cuff links, brooches, the pins, lockets and neck chains—a nice selection at L. W. Alford's, the Jeweler.

Mrs. H. H. Smith has gone to New Orleans for a short visit, after which she will join Mr. Smith and go with him to some northern point for several weeks.

Mrs. W. A. White has returned from a visit of several weeks to friends and relatives in Abbeville, Mrs. White's many Covington friends are glad to have her back again in their midst.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Favre and son, of Aiton, La., and Miss C. M. Favre, of Kilm, Miss., spent the day here Wednesday.

PIANOS

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

I HAVE been appointed local agent for Covington and surrounding territory for the well known firm of Junius Hart Piano House, and I will take pleasure in calling and giving you prices and terms on anything in this line you may desire.

Kimball, Emerson, Conway, Hal-et & Davis and Junius Hart Pianos.

On any of above instruments I can give very low figures. Second-hand instruments taken as part payment.

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Covington, La.

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\$6,000 Worth of Magnificent Prizes

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NEW ORLEANS PIGAYUNE

TO THE WINNERS IN ITS NEW

BOOKLOVERS' CONTEST

THE FIRST PRIZE IS \$1,000 IN GOLD



This contest is a picture-puzzle game. Seventy-seven pictures, each representing the title of a book, are being published daily in The Pigayune. All you have to do is to guess the answer to as many of the pictures as you can and send your answers to The Pigayune.

You do not have to solicit subscriptions. You do not even have to be a Pigayune subscriber.

All you need do is to send in your answer to the 77 pictures and you may win one of the elegant prizes.

The contest is now on. You can enter at any time and have an equal chance with those who started at the beginning, as the prizes will be awarded to the ones sending in the most correct answers, without reference to the time of entering.

Write The Pigayune for particulars.

BOOKLOVERS' CONTEST EDITOR,

The Pigayune, New Orleans, La.

Please send me a list of the prizes you are offering and full particulars concerning your \$6,000 Booklovers' game.

Name
Town
State

(Only residents of Louisiana and Mississippi are eligible to enter)

BENEVOLENT KNIGHTS OF AMERICA.

Ozone Lodge of the Benevolent Knights of America publicly installed officers before a fair sized crowd at the Park Pavilion Wednesday night by visiting officers from the Grand Lodge.

The officers installed were: D. J. Sanders, Commander; E. R. Moses, Vice Commander; J. A. Domergue, Past Commander; L. P. Delcroix, Secretary; E. D. Kuntzel, Treasurer; Adam Seiler, Conductor; A. E. Eimer, Sentry.

After the installation several of the officers of the Grand Lodge gave an outline of the benefits of being a Benevolent Knight of America, after which dancing and refreshments were served.

CHANGE IN POSTAL SERVICE.

The first announcement to Postmaster Theriot that under the new regulations of the postoffice department there would be no delivery of mail Sunday, and that even if it would not be distributed to the postboxes, has been somewhat modified. There will be no general delivery of mail on Sunday, but those who have boxes will be able to get the morning papers and such other mail as distributed. It will probably be a week or so before the new system can be so modified as to meet the actual requirements of mail service, but it is intended to be so arranged that postal clerks will not be compelled to work on Sunday.

Ring 316 for anything in the drug line and see how quick you get it. Schenberg's Pharmacy.

ITEM NO. 5.

"THE PROOF OF THE PUDDING."

A few days ago a gentleman came into our store and bought a bolt of sheeting. Nothing strange about that. But when it was wrapped up and the bill given him, he said, "I have saved more than my fare on this one purchase." Then he made other purchases and very frankly told us our prices were far below what he was accustomed to paying in his home town, in another State.

This is not an isolated case, but one of many who are mailing us the cash with their orders, and saving money or coming to the town that is fast becoming famous for its large trade.

We are not wholesalers to the trade. We are large buyers for cash, and our business is supplying families, and log and lumber camps, who buy a week or a month's supply at a time.

We are rapidly building up a great mail order and shipping business, and the reason is simple.

We buy in quantities salable goods, have one of the best locations in the South for a business of this kind, make shipments the day we receive orders, make prices as low as they can be made.

We started out with the idea that it is better to do \$200,000.00 worth of business at a profit of 10 per cent than to do \$100,000.00 at 15 per cent. We have learned that we struck the key note and as soon as the people learned what we were doing, they gave us their business and in the seven years we have been in business we have increased our floor space and volume of business more than 700 per cent or 100 per cent per year.

Last week's prices hold good except the following: Oats, 5 bushel sacks, now \$2.50; Bran, 100 pound sacks, now \$1.50; Lard, 9c per pound; Choice head rice, new crop, 6 1-2c per pound.

We sell everything "Your money back if not satisfied," so you take no risk in sending us your orders.

Let us have your orders, or write us for prices on your wants.

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FURNISHERS AND SHIPPERS OF EVERYTHING FOR THE HOME AND FARM.

BEN FRANKLIN SAID



Save

a little of thy income and thy hide bound pocket will soon begin to thrive and will never again cry with the empty belly-ache, neither will creditors insult thee, nor want oppress, nor hunger bite—nor will nakedness freeze thee. The whole hemisphere will shine brighter, and pleasure spring up in every corner of thy heart.

HE WAS RIGHT

Just plain, common horse-sense ought to teach every man that Franklin was absolutely right, just as sure as two and two make four. Creditors cannot insult you, nor can want press you if you have prepared for them by having something in the bank; besides, your money is SAFE in the bank, not only from fire or burglars, but from your own extravagance.

Do YOUR banking with US.

4 PER CENT INTEREST ON SAVINGS ACCOUNTS

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SLIDELL DEPARTMENT.

News Gathered by our Correspondent, Social Events, Etc.

Mrs. Mason, of Shreveport, has been the charming guest of her sister, Mrs. Byce, for a few days.

Mrs. Sam Solberger visited in New Orleans Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Clara Seybold of New Orleans, is the guest of Miss Elise Solberger.

Miss Marie Garcia spent a few days this week in New Orleans.

Miss Louise Meza spent the week end here as the guest of her sister, Miss Frances Meza.

Miss Estelle Faciane visited in New Orleans recently.

Mr. A. Rosh of New Orleans, spent Wednesday as the guest of friends.

Miss Irene Husser of New Orleans, is the guest of Miss Florence Guzman.

Mr. Theo. McRee left this week for Lemonsville, Texas, where he will remain for the present.

A number of Mr. McRee's friends gave a surprise party in his honor last Friday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. P. McRee. All had a very enjoyable time.

The Jolly Club meets next Friday, Sept. 28th, at the home of Mrs. Lillian Dubourg. The members are requested to attend as it will be a business meeting.

Messrs. Andrew and Walter Canulette spent the week end in Madisonville on business.

Mrs. Kelly visited in New Orleans this week, the guest of relatives.

Mr. J. G. Abel is still in Hot Springs, Ark., for the benefit of his health, which has been failing for a good while. We all hope that Mr. Abel will come home in the best of health.

Mr. Edgar Dubourg spent the week end in Madisonville.

Misses Dolores Jordan and Annie Navo returned to New Orleans Sunday after having spent quite an enjoyable time here as the guests of

their aunt, Miss Frances Meza.

Mr. E. R. Moses of Covington, representative of A. Adler & Co., of New Orleans, was here on business Monday.

Mr. Massman, of New Orleans, made a business trip here Wednesday.

Master Noel Dubourg returned home Sunday, after a three weeks stay in McDonoughville, the guest of Mrs. Dan O'Driscoll.

The Slidell public school opens next Monday, September 2. Parents should see that their children are entered at the beginning so as to get the benefit of an early start.

Catholic schools open September 9th, under the management of Miss Eva Petrich, of Texas.

Mr. Hart, of New Orleans, was here this week.

Miss Eva Lenard, of New Orleans, visited her relatives here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lenard, of New Orleans, visited here recently, the guests of their sister, Mrs. Sebastian.

Mr. Max Faciane was a visitor to New Orleans this week.

Mrs. A. Millard and Miss Barbara Englehardt, of Madisonville, are the guests of Miss Janie Canulette.

Miss Ella Guzman returned home this week after spending a while in Covington, the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Hardee returned home after having spent a few months vacation in Florida and various other places.

The social event of the week was the wedding of Miss Mollie Guzman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Guzman, to Mr. Willard Martin Moore, on Wednesday evening, August 28, 1912, at 8:30, at the First Baptist Church, Slidell, La. Quite a number of friends were present. We wish the happy couple health, wealth and happiness.