

# St. Tammany Farmer

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## NO HIDDEN MEANING IN OUR PRAISE OF SIDDELL

We were somewhat amused, on looking over the Slidell American, last week, to read a tirade against the Farmer because it had praised Slidell's energy in suppressing crime, yet we are at a loss, to understand the motive. Could it be that in its own domicile the American must needs strengthen itself by fastening upon the Farmer, a suspicion that, in an hyperbole it had expressed a meaning not conveyed in the language used? That when it said Slidell was white is really meant that Slidell was black, and that this obverse use of the English language made the Farmer the greatest traitor since the time of Caesar? It appears that the editor of the American finds it strange that we should say nice things of Slidell. Evidently, in his own mind, our words of praise were not merited, for we would be loath to attribute to him a willingness to use such small means to discredit the Farmer, among its patrons in his own home.

However, we meant every word we wrote. There is no reason why the editor of the American should presume otherwise. We have always boosted Slidell because we believed she deserved it. We have been proud of the support she gave to education, to church work and to good roads. We believe she is on the road to success and that she has a bright future. Our files are open to the editor, of the American, and if he will come and examine them he will find that we have been a friend to Slidell. The people know this, and we believe they appreciate it. We are surprised that the editor of the American does not seem to realize that our friendship and support, only makes easier for him the carrying out of the obligation of every newspaper—that of building up home interests and increasing the field of opportunities.

The Farmer has no iconoclastic tendencies. It wishes to build up and not to tear down, and it looks to every town in the parish for its support and tries to merit that support. There are few country papers in the State that have the large circulation the Farmer has, and it furnishes its advertisers with affidavit of circulation when they wish it. It is big enough and generous enough to be fair and honest in its judgment, and it ambiguously makes it necessary to interpret some one's meaning, it will give the best interpretation possible—the nearest it can to the meaning intended by the writer, presuming he knows the meaning of the words he uses.

## SOME SIGNS THAT LOOK GOOD.

The almost unanimous sentiment, in favor of the school tax, as expressed at the polls last Wednesday, is particularly gratifying. It is but one of the signs indicating future progress in Covington and in the parish. There is hardly a school district in the parish that has not made some advance in the cause of education, due largely to the earnest work of Superintendent Lyon and the school board, assisted by the school leagues in the inculcation of a knowledge of the benefits to the children of preparedness to meet the battle of life, and the advancement of communities due to keeping abreast with modern means of progress.

This is not the only sign of a waking up to the importance of putting brains into the development of opportunities. Indifference is becoming a thing of the past. The means that have accomplished things in other places are being recognized and adopted, and interest in civic affairs is growing stronger each day. Efforts are now being made to establish a canning factory and support is more easily obtained in business ventures in which the public should be interested.

Another important movement is the taking over by the Covington Carnival Club the responsibility of getting up the parish fair this fall. At a meeting of the board of directors, held in Attorney Bear's office Thursday evening, final arrangements were made. Mr. D. J. Sanders was elected director general, with full power to act, and Mr. N. H. Fitzsimons was elected secretary. This gives to the fair the experience gained by these officers in handling the other fairs, and also brings to its support all the influence and help that may be given by the Carnival Club. In fact there are many indications of growing interest in matters of public importance. The signs look good.

## BUY AT HOME.

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And help the town to grow.

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That's under heaven's dome;  
Just buy a bit to brighten it—  
Buy, and buy at home.

If you'd like a town to strike  
All comfort and content;  
It will be the town, you see,  
In which your money is spent.

If you'd find the finest kind  
Of town, you need a room;  
Just boost a bit—and live in it  
Buy-and-by at home!

—T. P. A. Magazine.

## W. P. U. MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the Women's Progressive Union, Monday, April 14, 1913, at the M. C. B. rooms. There is much important business. Receiving the report of the delegates to the Shreveport Convention; Clean-Up-Day and Cemetery matters. All members are requested to be present.

Mrs. F. J. O'Keefe, of Chicago will address the Union on club work.

MRS. W. M. BODEBENDEL, President.

MRS. J. C. BURNS, Secretary.

## U. A. O. D. PICTURE SHOW.

The United Ancient Order of Druids will have a picture show at the New Covington Theatre, opposite the depot, next Wednesday night. Special pictures will be shown. Admission will be the same as usual, 5 and 10 cents.

## BISHOP O'DONAHUE VISITS COVINGTON.

Bishop Venis O'Donahue, of Louisville, Ky., was a visitor to Covington this week for a day, where he visited his sister, one of the Benedictine sisters at St. Scholastica's Academy. From here he went to New Orleans, where he will visit another sister at the Holy Trinity Convent. He was accompanied by his secretary, Father Monahan. He was much pleased with Covington, expressing himself as delighted with its beautiful appearance and surroundings.

## BOY, PUNISHED, STAYS TEACHER.

Shreveport, April 9.—Miss Una Jones, teacher in the school at Jewell, La., a mile from here, is suffering from a knife wound in the back inflicted by Walter Lewis, a twelve-year-old boy, who was whipped by the teacher yesterday morning for an infraction of the rules.

At the noon recess, it is said, the boy sharpened his knife and cut Miss Jones and plunged the knife into her back. Then he left school.

Miss Jones did not consider the wound serious, and continued her duties. It is stated, however, that she suffered considerable pain last night and this morning a physician was called.

Miss Jones is a sister of the principal of the school, Miss Addie Jones. Both are from Bossier parish.

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### ST. TAMMANY NOTES.

Mr. A. H. Gooding was a business visitor to New Orleans Saturday.

Miss Elba Smith is spending some time in Lacombe as the guest of her sister, Miss Fannie Smith.

Mr. Jesse Smith was a visitor to Covington Saturday.

Mr. L. W. Crow visited New Orleans Saturday.

Misses Lorena and Annie Esell and Mr. Harry Essar spent Sunday in Lacombe. Miss Lorena was accompanied home by Mr. D. A. Smith.

Miss Anna Bell, of New Orleans, spent Wednesday here as the guest of Mrs. M. F. Adams.

Messrs. H. and S. Esell, of Bonfouca, spent Monday here with home folks.

Mr. F. Parish is home for a while. Mr. W. S. Robertson has been on the sick list for some time.

Miss Lorena Esell has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mr. H. Hansbrough, of Mandeville, was a business visitor here last week.

Little Mollie Hore entertained a few of her little friends Tuesday eve at her birthday party. A jolly time was had by all the little ones. Those present were Edna Welch, Stella Esell, Ruth Gooding and Mollie Hore. Mrs. Adams was assisted in entertaining by Mrs. Allen Welch and Miss Neva Gooding.

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Sheriff T. E. Brewster spent a couple of days in New Orleans this week.

Hon. T. M. Burns spent the day in New Orleans Friday.

Miss Mae Zachery, of New Orleans is the guest of Mrs. F. F. Fancher.

Mr. Geo. Kent and family have moved to Covington for the summer.

Mr. Will Abbott, of New Orleans spent the week end as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith.

Mr. Wm. Connaughton was operated on at the hospital in New Orleans, Friday, for appendicitis, and is reported as doing nicely.

Mr. Coleman Lacroix is now installed as salesman in the FitzSimons Grocery Company, and will be pleased to have his friends call on him at that up-to-date store.

Dr. Bouquet will return Sunday after spending two weeks in New Orleans with his wife who was operated upon at Toussaint infirmary.

Mr. Herbert Stern, of New Orleans spent last Saturday and Sunday in Covington as the guest of his mother and brother.

Miss Luella M. Block, of New Orleans, a shorthand graduate of 1912 from St. Scholastica's Academy, is at present assisting in teaching the shorthand classes of this institution. After successfully undergoing the severe preparation prescribed by the Isaac Pitman system for a teacher of the Isaac Pitman System of Shorthand, Miss Block has been awarded a handsomely engraved teacher's certificate, direct from Isaac Pitman and Sons, official examiners.

## THE MANDEVILLE SCHOOL ENTERTAINMENT.

Don't forget the entertainment at Mandeville on the 19th of April, for the purpose of keeping the school open for the full nine months. There will be enjoyment for all and refreshments a plenty.

## MURDER AT SIDDELL.

Colored Man Shoots Another When He Finds Him in His Wife's Bedroom.

Slidell, La., April 10.—At nine o'clock Saturday night a pistol shot announced the finding of Jim Ribburg, colored, a prisoner by occupation, of Slidell, in the bedroom of the wife of Geo. Mott, colored, who came upon them unexpectedly and opened fire. The shot struck his wife in the lower part of the stomach, and she is not expected to live. Mott is at large and it is expected may be captured at any time, as it is thought he has been surrounded in his hiding place.

BORN—To Mrs. A. R. Smith, on Monday, April 7, 1913, a boy.

We wish to call attention to the card of Dr. L. C. Heintz, who has removed his residence to Covington, but has office hours in both Abita and Covington.

## THE NEW CANNING FACTORY.

The following progressive citizens and residents of the parish have, by their liberal subscriptions, given substantial evidence of their belief that a canning factory located in Covington would make money for its stockholders, as well as benefit the entire community through its pay rolls and its purchase of fruit, vegetables and berries.

E. J. Frederick, H. J. Smith, C. V. Quave, T. E. Brewster, Warren & Hebert, F. P. Marsolon, Smith Hardware Co., Ltd., J. S. Jones, D. I. Addison & Co., Paul J. Lacroix, Pa. ul Dupin, Eugene Bois, T. Gabriel, A. C. McCormack, Arthur F. Elmer, A. Cois, F. F. Planche, H. L. Garland, J. E. Nilson, Alexis Eres, & Co., Covington Grocery and Grain Co., Dr. G. R. Tolson, Henry B. Prudden, W. H. Kentzel, L. M. Bourgeois, M. P. Planche, Miller & Bear, Mat Morgan, Dr. W. L. Stevenson, H. & F. Dutsch, A. B. Kuntzmaacher, St. Tammany Farmer, Chas. T. Bradley, H. R. Warren, R. H. Dutsch, R. W. Badon, J. T. Smith, R. J. Aubert.

Many subscribers have doubted their original subscriptions, and it is expected that this liberal policy will be followed by others. Inquiries concerning the company and applications for stock may be made to the subscription committee, Messrs. Aubert and Richard, or to the chairman of the following committees: Sales Committee, Mr. E. J. Durgemue; Executive Committee, Mr. F. J. Frederick, of Covington, and to Mr. Frank Dutsch, of Waldheim. A canning company, says Dr. Stevenson, would be of more importance in developing the city and surrounding country than a new interurban motor line that would tap the rich agricultural sections nearby, but both are needed, and we shall have both. The names of other subscribers will be published later.

Succession of Samuel J. Talley.

No. —

Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court, St. Tammany Parish, La.

Whereas Mrs. Mary E. Talley has petitioned the court to be appointed administratrix on the estate of the late Samuel J. Talley, deceased.

Notice is hereby given to all whom it may concern to show cause, within ten days, why the prayer of the petition should not be granted.

By order of the court dated March 11, 1913.

N. GILLES, Deputy Clerk of Court.

## ALEXIS SOUZA.

Alexis Souza, who died at Abita Springs, La., Wednesday, April 9, 1913, was the father of Mrs. T. D. Terrebonne, and had been living at her family residence in Abita for the past four years. He was 89 years, 6 months of age at his death, which occurred at 11:30 a. m. A recent fall, received while walking in the yard, hastened his death, as he never fully recovered from the shock. His body was prepared for burial by Mr. Wallace Cook, embalmer, and was taken to New Orleans for burial, interment being in St. Louis Cemetery No. 1.

Mr. Souza was born in New Orleans September 15, 1823. He was the sole survivor of the steamer Evening Star, which was wrecked in 1865, when so many lives were lost. He was fond of travel, and his extensive knowledge of different countries made him a delightful conversationalist and companion. He was particularly proud of his service in the Mexican war, having served with distinction.

He was also in the collapse of the Orleans Opera House, in 1853, and suffered a severe shock three years ago in the disaster at Mandeville, when the steamer Margaret attempted to tie up to a platform at the wharf and precipitated many people into the water. In that accident he lost two grand daughters and one grand son.

Mr. Souza is survived by three daughters and two sons—Mrs. T. P. Pinos, of New Orleans; Mrs. W. R. Hokill, of Paris, Ky.; W. P. Souza, of Portland, Oregon; and V. Souza, of New Orleans. He had 13 grand children and 11 great grand children. Mr. Souza was for many years engaged in the dry goods business, being associated with prominent firms the last being the house of B. Cohn Co., Ltd., from which he retired eight years ago.

He was the 4th Lieutenant in the Orleans Battalion of Artillery being commissioned by Gov. Walker, of Louisiana.

He still had preserved in good shape a red silk badge with heavy gold fringe, bearing the inscription: "Battalion D'Artillerie D'Orleans Association du Toumbeau, 15 Mai 1865."

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## DEPARTMENT OF SCHOOLS

Oral spelling match in fourth grade was won by Roy Lacroix.

Roll of honor in fourth grade for this week, Roy Lacroix, Winner Guide.

The teachers will attend the State Teachers' Association meeting at New Orleans on Thursday and Friday, April 17 and 18, consequently there will be no school on these days.

The regular bi-weekly program will be given on Wednesday afternoon, 16th inst. On account of extra work the past few weeks, the program was postponed until the above date.

The pupils are now rounding up the year's work preparatory to the final examinations given by the State Department of Education.

Miss Howell was on the sick list on Friday.

The Teachers' Institute held here last Saturday was a success. All the teachers, whose schools are still in session, were present. The next and last session will be held Sunday, the baseball team is anxious for games. Write Joe Caserta.

## L. C. HEINTZ, M. D.

Hours: Abita Springs—7 to 12 a. m.; 2 to 7 p. m. Covington—1:30 to 3:30 p. m. Residence—Harrison and 24th. Phone 344.

"My little son had a severe cold. I was recommended to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and before a small bottle was finished he was as well as ever," writes Mrs. H. Silkes, 29 Downing street, Sydney, Australia. This remedy is for sale by all dealers.

## GUY ZORN.

The unexpected death Saturday morning, April 6th, 1913, at 9:30 o'clock of Guy Frederick Zorn, a popular young fireman of the N. O. G. N. R. R., cast a cloud of profound sorrow over his many friends here and elsewhere.

Mr. Zorn was 28 years old, and was born and reared in Covington. He was the only son of Mr. G. F. Zorn, one of Covington's oldest residents.

Mr. Zorn was well known in the railroad world where he was considered a man of integrity and honor and he was also a popular member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen of Lodge No. 780.

He leaves a father, mother and three sisters, Misses Rachel and Camille Zorn and Mrs. N. J. Seltor. The funeral was largely attended and the floral offerings were numerous and beautiful, especially a large wreath of white roses sent by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Enginemen, Ozone Lodge No. 777.

Engineers Geo. Fisher, F. E. Heintz and Spencer Smith representing the B. of L. E. of Ozone Lodge No. 777, also were pall bearers. The firemen were W. M. Carroll, G. C. Freeman, J. H. Acosta, T. Simmons, C. M. Talley, B. Weatherby, J. Rosquette, O. V. Planche, J. D. Hopwood, E. Crawford, J. Crawford and A. Fontenberry.

## MANDEVILLE NOTES.

Mrs. Crozal and Mrs. Latapie, both of New Orleans, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Miller, Sunday.

Mrs. Demaree, accompanied by Mrs. White, arrived Sunday, for a few days.

Mrs. Galbraith is training the pupils of the Mandeville school for an entertainment, which takes place next Saturday, for the benefit of their school.

The family of Mr. Chas. Morgan arrived from Mount Olive. They will make Mandeville their future home.

Misses Mary and Sarah Morgan spent Wednesday in Abita Springs, visiting their sister, Mrs. L. Smith.

The young ladies had a social gathering a few evenings ago. Those present were Misses Marietta Toledo, Gertrude Smith, Marie Labat, Celine Smith, Madeline M. Labat, M. Smith, Messrs. George Smith, Murphy and Nicholas Smith.

Mr. Alex Smith spent Tuesday in Covington.

Hon. Geo. F. Bierhorst and Mr. H. Levy spent the day in New Orleans Wednesday.

Mrs. B. Rosenthal spent Saturday in Covington, the guest of his brother, Mr. Leopold Levy.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Barlett and little daughter, Marie Antonette, arrived in Mandeville to spend the summer.

Mr. Geo. Pitcher is spending a few days in Mandeville, being called here by the severe illness of his brother Clarence Pitcher.

Mrs. Pauline Levy spent a few days in New Orleans last week.

## MADISONVILLE NOTES.

Mrs. B. T. Goldate, who has been in New Orleans receiving medical attention for her eyes, has returned home.

Mr. J. A. Valander, after spending a few days in New Orleans on business, has returned.

Mrs. D. Canulette, of Slidell, spent a few days here last week with relatives.

Dr. K. W. Ney visited Covington Wednesday on business.

Mr. Oscar Goldate is home from the Hotel Dear, after having a serious

operation performed.

Rev. Orchner Bleil visited Houltonville Sunday on religious duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oulliber, of New Orleans, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Miss Estelle LeBlanc is in New Orleans spending a few days as the guest of her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Buils, of Algiers spent Sunday here with their mother. Mr. George Seymour, of New Orleans, visited here Sunday.

Mr. Andrew Canulette, of Slidell spent Sunday here on business.

Mr. Ferdinand Capdeville, after spending a week in New Orleans with friends, has returned.

Mr. F. Davaun left Sunday for New Orleans, where he will take up the study of telegraphy.

Mr. Percy Smith, of Covington spent Sunday here with friends.

Mr. E. Edwards and Mr. S. Fuhrmann of Goodbee, visited here Sunday.

Miss Eugenia Oulliber, entertained Sunday afternoon a number of her friends. Music and singing was enjoyed by all.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Blanchard, on Tuesday evening, a fine son.

The ball game played Sunday between the St. Tammany's and Unsedus was quite amusing. The score was only 15 to 6, in favor of the St. Tammany's.

## POLSOM NOTES.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Reed, on Friday, April 4, 1913, a fine boy.

Mr. Freeman, of New Orleans, spent Sunday here.

Mr. Vanzandt, of Columbia, Miss., spent Sunday in Polson, the guest of his brother, Mr. J. E. Vanzandt.

Mrs. E. Heintz and Miss Genevieve Everett, of New Orleans, are spending several weeks with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Everett.

Mr. Claude Smith, of Covington was a visitor to Polson, Sunday.

Misses Irene Smith and Girlie Law were in Covington, Sunday.

Mrs. P. Presley, of Columbia Miss., was the guest of Mrs. T. G. Newman Sunday.

Mr. H. L. Webb, of Westlake, Miss., has moved his family here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Jenkins and Miss Vanda Fendlasson and Mr. Claud Smith spent Sunday afternoon at Mandeville.

Messrs. Robt. Weatherby and M. Talley attended the funeral of Mr. Guy Zorn in Covington, last Sunday.

Mrs. Fye and Mrs. A. S. Norrid made a business trip to Covington last Saturday.

Mr. Robinson, of Hammond, was the guest of Mr. N. Fendlasson, Sunday.

Miss Ethel Jenkins spent the day in Covington Monday.

Mr. M. Carroll spent several days last week with his family.

Mr. Morgan Wallace was a visitor to Covington Sunday.

Messrs. Ois and V. Summers spent the week end with home folks in Abita Springs.

Mrs. S. Poole and children spent several days, as the guests of Mrs. Gussman.

Mr. Geo. M. Fendlasson spent the day in Covington last Wednesday.

Mr. L. A. Jenkins spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Covington.

Miss Neva LeBlanc, of Covington spent the week end here with friends.

Little Miss Clara Gussman left Sunday for a several weeks stay with her aunt, Mrs. J. Presley, in Columbia, Miss.

SLIDELL NOTES.

Messrs. Dan and John Mahoney, of New Orleans, spent Sunday here as guests of Frank L. Mesa.

Mr. Jack O'Neill, of Sun, was a visitor here Sunday.

Mrs. Canulette, Stella and Mary spent Sunday here with friends at Mandeville.

Misses Eva and Thelma Porter, of New Orleans, spent Sunday here as the guests of Miss Nora Whitchard.

Mr. Harry Hoyle, of New Orleans, spent Sunday here in the interest of his place of business.

Miss Ollie Swanson, of Biloxi, is visiting here, the guest of relatives.

Mr. J. O. Pritchard, of Piquette, spent Tuesday here.

Miss Lillian Dubourg is in New Orleans receiving medical treatment for her eyes.

Mrs. S. C. Dubourg spent Saturday in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Stewart and daughter, Mollie of Stewart's Camp, were here Tuesday.

Mrs. M. McDonald visited New Orleans Tuesday.

Dr. Rhomer, of Tallmadge, was here this week.

Mrs. M. J. Radotich was in New Orleans, Tuesday.

Mr. Joe Murphy, of Floriville, spent Sunday here.

Miss Marie Garcia spent Tuesday in Piquette.

The most interesting event of the past week was the wedding Sunday afternoon of Miss Annie Leonard and Mr. Ben Calhoun, of Hattiesburg, Miss. They were married at 8:30 p. m. by the Rev. L. W. Sloan, of the First Baptist Church of Slidell. It was a quiet but very impressive ceremony. The happy couple left on the evening train for New Orleans. They will make their future home in Hattiesburg, Miss. We wish them a long and happy wedded life.

Miss Eva Leonard, formerly of Slidell, now of New Orleans, was here Sunday to witness the wedding of her sister, Annie.

Mr. Frank Canulette spent Saturday in New Orleans on business.

Miss Louise Mesa, of New Orleans, was here Sunday, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Francis Meza.

Mr. E. E. Colmer, of Covington, was here Saturday.

The many friends of Miss Jeanie Canulette are glad to see her out again after a very severe spell of monies.

Mr. Julius Mira spent Sunday at Bayou Genie, the guest of his mother, Mrs. Chas. Mira, of New Orleans, who was here Friday.