

St. Tammany Farmer

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Covington Society and Local Notes

Mrs. A. Lilly spent Friday in New Orleans.

Mrs. J. C. Dodd has as her guest Mrs. K. Krebs, of New Orleans.

Mr. R. F. Buckley spent several days in Covington last week.

Mrs. Leo Wainwright, of Hammond, spent the week end here visiting friends.

Mrs. Terrehonne and Mrs. Thompson visited Mrs. J. C. Burns last Monday in the interest of the Fair.

Miss Laurie Penn, of Brookhaven, Miss., is the guest of Miss Estelle Evans.

We have bought a BALE. Have you? St. Tammany Banking Co. & Savings Bank.

Mayor J. H. Logan and sister, Mrs. M. Schenck, of Bayou Sara, are visiting Frank T. Gorney and family, of Abita Springs for several days.

Mrs. Preston Burns took her son Jack to New Orleans Friday evening for an operation for adenoids.

Mrs. M. Mercader and little daughter, Avis, returned Friday afternoon to their home in New Orleans, after having spent the summer here.

Mrs. Hunter Greenlaw and little daughters have come to Covington for the winter, and are located at Mrs. Combs's.

Mrs. D. J. Addison went to New Orleans Friday of last week to attend a meeting of the board of directors of the King's Daughters.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Russel was baptized in the Presbyterian church Sunday, Sept. 30th—Edward Hampden Russel.

The penny party given for the benefit of the Ladies' Auxiliary has been postponed, on account of the recent bereavement in the family of Mr. Talmage.

Mrs. Eileen Collins and daughter, Miss Ruth, left Wednesday morning for Lake Charles, where they will make their future home.

Dr. Will Pettit, of New Orleans, and Mrs. Lucille B. Guyot are the guests of Mrs. L. B. Barell and family.

Miss Lucille Bloch has returned to her home in New Orleans, after several days spent here as the guest of Miss Nina Cantrell.

Miss Laura Saunders left Wednesday afternoon for her home in New Orleans, after having spent the summer here as the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. L. B. Barell and family.

Mr. E. J. Domergue has been appointed by Governor Hall a delegate to the Good Roads Convention, to be held at Atlanta, Ga., during the week of November 3, 1914.

Mr. Carl Bougere left on Friday morning for Wisconsin where he has gone to take a course in scientific farming and gas engineering at the university there.

Mrs. Genevieve and Loretta returned on Saturday morning to their home in New Orleans, after having spent two months here as the guests of their brother, Mr. A. D. Schwartz.

Mrs. S. G. Peterson and granddaughter, Miss Fannie Johnson, returned Sunday from New Orleans, after several days spent there as the guests of Mrs. Lilla Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griner.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Green and family, of New Orleans, have taken possession of the Smith Cottage on Jackson street, and will make their future home here.

Miss Carrie Addison has left for Natchitoches where she is taking a course at the State Normal. Her brother, Kenneth, has also left for New Orleans, where he is a student at Soule's.

The Five Hundred card games to be given for the M. C. B.'s to be held at their library rooms were postponed, and will be held Saturday afternoon from 4 to 6 p. m.

Boys blue serge suit, Norfolk coats, full nickerbocker pants, full lined, sizes 9 to 17—\$40.00. At H. J. Ostendorf, Covington Bank Building.

The game of Five Hundred, for the benefit of the M. C. B. Library, which was to have been held Thursday, has been postponed to Saturday, Sept. 26th (to-day), at 4 p. m., at the library rooms.

The many friends of Mrs. J. B. Wortham regret her continued illness. She has been forced to resign from any committee work for the fair, and she will be greatly missed. We hope she will soon be entirely recovered.

Dr. J. F. Pigott and family left Covington last week to make their home in Bogalusa. As a resident family of Covington for years they were held in high esteem. Dr. Pigott in his professional services, gave much to charity. Their friends regret their departure but wish them success.

R. H. Howard, general manager; Jno. L. Davis, superintendent; W. S. Hanley, chief engineer; T. D. Blue, claim agent; J. W. James, supervision; Frank Bourgeois, superintendent of bridges and buildings; M. A. Terry, southern route agent Southern Express Co., and W. G. Mason, special agent, all of the New Orleans Great Northern Railroad, were in Covington this week on a tour of inspection. They traveled in their handsome motor car.

To relieve pain try BLUE LABEL ANTI-SEPTIC, ask J. L. WATKINS, Agent.

Mrs. Preston Burns, as chairman of the cemetery work, has been employed cutting the weeds and grass and using this means of letting the owners of plots in the cemetery know that it would facilitate the work—make it less hard—if they would come forward and have same cleaned at once, so that all grass and weeds could be carted away.

MISS KATE EASTMAN. It is with great pleasure that the friends of Miss Kate Eastman welcome her to Covington as her permanent home.

WOODMEN CIRCLE. Friday night, Sept. 18th, the ladies Woodmen Circle gave their annual moving picture show. With their usual energy they made this one a success, as they have always done, about 500 tickets having been sold.

MRS. JOS. DELERY, Guardian. The vaudeville by four of our "coming stars," the Misses Mildred and Aline Bernard, was enjoyed by all, and the Circle wishes to extend sincere thanks to them, and to all of their friends who assisted for their benefit.

BASEBALL. The Covington baseball team was defeated by the Ponchatoula team at Ponchatoula last Sunday to the tune of 3 to 2, in an eleven inning game. Each team scored two runs in the first inning and could score no more until the latter half of the eleventh, when, by a scratch hit, Ponchatoula scored one run, winning the game.

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The table will be entertained on next Monday by Mrs. J. C. Dodd.

SLIDELL NOTES.

Misses Ethel and Louise Peterson and Florence Dunham left last week for Lafayette to attend school.

Mr. E. Ray, of Covington, spent Wednesday here on business.

Mrs. Henry Hodson spent Monday in New Orleans.

Master George Ouder, who is attending Spencers' College in New Orleans spent Sunday here as the guest of his parents.

Mrs. McGinty spent Tuesday in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kotch, of New Orleans, spent Sunday here as the guests of Mrs. Kotch's cousin, Miss Aurora Whitchard.

Miss Amelia Levy left this week for New Orleans where she will attend Newcomb College.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dubourg and children spent Sunday in Lacombe and Mandeville.

Mrs. Steve Coleman and her sons, Cecil, Parker and Steve, also Noel Dubourg, spent the week-end in Pearl River as the guests of the friend of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Farmer, of Lacombe, spent Tuesday here as the guests of Dr. Farmer's sister, Mrs. Polk.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Levy and children attended a family reunion at his mother's home in Mandeville, Sunday.

Mrs. S. C. Dubourg spent the week-end in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moran returned this week from a visit to McHenry and Gulfport, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Abel left Sunday for an extended visit to Cincinnati, Cleveland and Middletown, Ohio. They spent a while in Louisville, Ky., en route.

A linen shower Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. J. A. Salmon by the ladies of the Presbyterian church for the benefit of the Presbyterian Hospital in New Orleans.

Mr. N. Delaune spent some time in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Frits Salmen and their daughter, Miss Ella, returned last Friday after an extended trip through New York and other states.

Mr. Ed. Gause spent several days in Gulfport.

Wednesday night, Sept. 3d, a supper was given in Mr. S. C. Dubourg's new store building by a number of Slidell ladies for the purpose of obtaining a sewing machine for Mrs. Coleman.

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The fourth grade is busy beginning their weather reports.

In the high school department the girls are busy weaving purses, and the boys making mechanical drawings of various articles which they hope to make later.

The senior class has organized for the session with the following as officers: President, Gus Fritchie; vice president, Rose Perlioux; secretary, Emile Joachim. They have chosen as their colors maroon and gold, and as their motto: "Diligence Leads to Victory." They are now planning how to make their class-room the most attractive in the State.

Mr. C. M. Liddle, school board director of the ninth ward, has made the school quite a number of calls since the opening day, looking after the interests of both pupils and the teachers. We are always glad to have teachers. We are always glad to see Mr. Liddle.

CORRESPONDENT.

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THE STRENGTH OF A BANK. Leaving out the relative merits of the management of banks, the strength of a bank depends upon the amount of capital and surplus. The capital and surplus is an amount that is due to the stockholders and cannot be withdrawn by them, but must be kept to protect the depositors from any possible loss and as long as there is one dollar left in the capital account, the depositors are safe. In other words, before the depositors of a bank can lose anything the bank must have sustained losses aggregating more than the capital and surplus amounts to. During the course of the past sixteen years, this bank has paid its stockholders large and regular dividends and aside from its capital stock of \$100,000 has accumulated a surplus and profits account of over \$40,000, all of which is held to protect its depositors. In other words, it would be necessary for us to lose \$140,000 before the depositors would be harmed. We think our conservative management makes this practically impossible. If you are not already a customer of ours you have this pleasure to look forward to -- and so have we. COVINGTON BANK & TRUST CO. Capital and Surplus Over \$140,000.00

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the School Board Saturday, Sept. 26.

We have bought a BALE. Have you? St. Tammany Banking Co. & Savings Bank.

Men's suits in blue serge, worsted and fancy cassimores, made on 1914 fall model—\$10, 12.50 and \$15.

At H. J. Ostendorf, Covington Bank Building.

For new and second-hand Diebold iron safes see H. K. Goodwyn, Agent. Liberal terms.

Men's bleached elastic seam drawers. Good quality, bleached twill jeans, double bleached jean shaped band, long crotch, three pearl buttons, double suspender loops, sewed on back straps, with eyelets and tapes, elastic web seams and ankles well made. Only 35 cents.

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MADISONVILLE SCHOOL NOTES.

The pupils from Miss Smith and Miss Carter's room met Monday afternoon for the purpose of reorganizing their Literary Society. The following officers were elected: President, Vivian Oulibier; vice president, Marshall Badaux; secretary, Denis Chastellier; treasurer, Annie Pennington; critic, Charles Mugnier; editor, Wallace Ballam; program committee, Jos. F. Young, Bertha Warning, Esther Cooper. Name of society is "Busy Bees." Colors, black and gold. Flower, rose.

The society will meet every third Friday of each month at 3:45 p. m.

Members of the school board, trustees, Supt. Lyon, and our home folks are cordially invited to each and every program. Don't forget the day.

The boys' and girls' basketball teams elected the following officers: Wallace Ballam, manager; Marshall Badaux, captain; Annie Pennington, manager; Esther Cooper, captain.

Supt. Lyon and Mr. John Foote, assistant rural school inspector, were visitors to our town last Thursday.

Misses Mildred Smith and Adele Perrand visited their home town Saturday and Sunday.

Five new pupils were enrolled this week.

A PUPIL.

OF INTEREST TO FARMERS.

New Orleans, Sept. 3, 1914. Editor St. Tammany Farmer:

Dear Sir:—As one of the means of following up the splendid advertisement Louisiana has received from the tour of the agricultural editors through this State last June and July, the Agricultural and Immigration Department of the State out of the funds appropriated by the legislature for the maintenance of the Immigration Division was decided to send a display of Louisiana's agricultural products to the forth-coming International Dry Farming Congress and Agricultural Exposition at Wichita, Kansas, October 7 to 17.

Commissioner E. O. Bruner has placed this matter in the hands of Hon. Harry D. Wilson and myself, and we would be pleased if you would make mention of the fact that we are to have this display at Wichita, as we are desirous of having every section of the State represented by samples of this year's products at the tour of the agricultural editors to send us at the Louisiana State Museum, Chartres and St. Ann streets, New Orleans, La., whatever products they desire to have included in the exhibit. We especially solicit the sending of corn and other grains, soy beans, sugar cane, potatoes, peanuts and any other variety of farm products.

We would ask that you be so kind as to advise us at the earliest possible date as to what we may expect from your locality of the State. All products are to be sent charges collect not later than Sept. 26th. The funds at our command will not permit us to purchase any of the exhibits, but we will be able to pay express charges on same.

It is understood that the exhibit is to be returned to the State to be shown at other exhibitions this year. This movement will no doubt result in considerable good coming to the people of the State, and we should receive all possible assistance in gathering a creditable exhibit.

Yours very truly,

JUSTIN F. DEMECHAUD, Secty, Immigration Division.

ST. TAMMANY SCHOOL NOTES.

We are very glad to say that our new school building is completed with a full set of desks for both pupils and teachers.

School opened here Monday with Miss M. Gillis as principal and Miss Edna Mizell, of Sun, as assistant. We are all sure of having a most successful term.

Mrs. Robertson, of Paducah, Ky., is spending the winter with her aunt, Mrs. M. F. Adams.

Misses Mamie Braig, Corina Crawford and Alzada Craddock visited St. Tammany Sunday.

Miss Edna Mizell, of Sun, has arrived to assist in the school here.

Miss M. Gillis spent the week with friends at Audubon.

Miss Mabel Dickey, of Lacombe, was a St. Tammany visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Perry Keller spent Sunday at home.

MANDEVILLE NOTES.

Mr. Max Queyrouse, a prominent lawyer of New Orleans, was a guest at the Mugnier Hotel Wednesday.

Mrs. Bonnet de Marigny spent last Wednesday with Mrs. M. Dyer.

Mr. Wm. Everett, of Sorrento, visited Mandeville with the prospect of buying property here.

Mrs. M. Duffour spent last Wednesday in New Orleans.

Miss Anita Crozat is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Demarre.

Mr. Jules Zatarain and family returned to their home in New Orleans.

Miss Anna Davey, after spending the summer as the guest of Miss Aline Zatarain, returned to New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Verrett and family returned to the Crescent City.

Miss Vivian Kinler, of Sandy Hill school, passed through Mandeville for New Orleans, where she visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kinler.

Mrs. M. Dyer resumed the teaching of music at the Poitevain mill.

The beautiful new bungalow of E. H. Koptner, in Mandeville, was bought by Mr. O. C. Bridges for the neat sum of \$2,000. Mr. Bridges and family took possession of the bungalow last week.

CHRISTENING.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lambert was christened Flora Theresa, at St. Peter's Church, Sunday, Rev. Jos. Koeger officiating. The sponsors were Mrs. W. H. Kentzel and Mr. Fred Kuhlman, brother to Mrs. Lambert.

BLUE LABEL ANTISEPTIC is often imitated but not yet equalled. Ask J. L. WATKINS, drug store.

Colds should be "slipped in the bud," for if allowed to run unchecked, serious results may follow. Numerous cases of consumption, pneumonia, and other fatal diseases, can be traced back to a cold. At the first sign of a cold, protect yourself by thoroughly cleansing your system with a few doses of THE DRAUGHT. THE DRAUGHT is the old reliable, vegetable liver powder. Mr. Chas. A. Ragland, of Madison Heights, Va., says: "I have been using The Draught for stomach troubles, indigestion, and colds, and find it to be the very best medicine I ever used. It makes an old man feel like a young one." Insist on The Draught's original and genuine. E-67

Picture In Your Mind by aid of our illustration a residence street, lined on either side with homes about thirty feet apart, and extending from Chicago to New York City! Two thousand miles of homes! Imagine all these Homes In Ruin. Blackened, Smoking, Desolate Destroyed By Fire! The picture is not overdrawn. The buildings destroyed by fire in United States each year would form such a street! Is Your Home Insured? NILSON-FREDERICK CO., LTD. Covington, La.

War News (Continued from page 1) vanced from Lemberg by the southern route to cut off the retreat of the Austrian army through the Carpathians to Hungary. It also is another link in the chain which the Russians are drawing around the fortresses of Przemysl and Cracow. On the German frontier the Russians are in touch with the German forces, according to their report, but no fighting has occurred. The Servians record almost daily successes. This time it is the capture of Lubovis, on the river Drava. Aeroplanes Drop Bombs. The event of the day has been the flight of British naval aeroplanes from Antwerp to Durseldorf, approximately a distance of 500 miles, in the course of which they dropped bombs on the Zeppelin sheds of the German aerial fleet which would cooperate with the German navy in case of a raid on England. The official bureau intimates that the flight was undertaken as a warning to the Germans that if any more bombs are dropped on unfortified towns in Belgium or France, the allies can retaliate. It is likely the warning also is intended to include London, which has been expecting a visit from the Zeppelins. Paris, Sept. 23.—The French official communication issued tonight, after announcing that there has been no change in the situation on the battle front since the issuance of the previous communication, comments on the battle of the Aisne. The text of the announcement is as follows: "There has been no change in the situation since the last communication. "The battle in progress along the Aisne has extended over eight days, but it should cause no surprise if one recalls the Russo-Japanese war. "The battle of the Aisne was an action undertaken in the open field, which began with a general resumption by the French army against the enemy, who did not expect it and had not had time seriously to organize defensive positions. The same cannot be said of the battle of the Aisne, where the adversary, who was retreating, stopped and took positions, which, by nature of the ground, are substantial in themselves in many places, and which he gradually has improved as to organization. "This battle of the Aisne, therefore, presents, on a large part of its front, the character of war by assault similar to the operations in Manchuria. "It might be added that the exceptional power of the artillery fighting each other—the heavy German artillery against the French 7.5 centimeter cannons—gives a particular value to the temporary fortifications which the two adversaries have drawn up. "The task is, therefore, to take whole rows of entrenchments, each one protected by close defenses, particularly rows of barbed wire, with mitrailleuses in concealed positions. "In these circumstances progress is slow. It often happens that the progress of the attack only amounts to 500 meters to one kilometer a day. ONE MOTHER.