

St. Tammany Farmer

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WHY BIG LEAGUE BASEBALL IS SO IMPORTANT TO US.

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Hon. Harvey E. Ellis of the Southern Hotel and Coach Foster Comptroller of St. Paul's College pulled the deal through. They have been backed by a strong sentiment of the people, made apparent by the proclamation of Mayor Lacroix declaring the afternoons of March 23 and 24 half holidays and asking that all places of business be closed on these afternoons, so that every one may have an opportunity to attend the games.

So it is not a wonderful, after all, that the mayor should issue this proclamation and that the people of Covington should feel that they are vitally interested in seeing that large crowds turn out to witness the ball games. People from all over the parish should be glad of the opportunity to see the celebrated Cincinnati team in the ball playing that draws thousands of people to the game in the Northern cities.

Personal and Local

BORN—To Mrs. Emile Martin, on Wednesday, March 17, 1915, a girl.

Mrs. Laura Fridgen was a visitor to Mandeville last Wednesday.

Mrs. M. Kirshberg has been entertaining as her guest for the past three weeks Mrs. M. Harris, of New Orleans.

Miss Edith Donnelly returned last Sunday morning to her home in Meridian, Miss., after several weeks spent here as the guest of Misses Linn and Ruth Frederick.

Miss Eva Kennedy returned on last Sunday morning from New Orleans where she spent several weeks.

Mr. Alton Smith spent last Sunday in New Orleans as the guest of his sister, Miss Alma Smith.

Mr. B. B. Harrell, of Bogalusa, spent last Sunday here as the guest of Mr. Frank Boudousquale.

Mr. Arthur Leo Bear spent the week-end in New Orleans.

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Miss Eugenia Hubert, of New Orleans, spent several days here during the week as the guest of Misses Belle and Eva Kennedy.

Mrs. Robt. L. Aubert and baby, Richard, returned last Sunday from New Orleans, where they spent several days.

Mrs. Robt. Babington and children returned last Monday from Franklinton, where they spent several days.

Judge Thos. M. Burns spent last Monday in Franklinton.

Congressman and Mrs. Lewis L. Morgan and children have returned from Washington, and are now in Mandeville, where they will spend some time before taking possession of their home here.

Mr. Chas. M. Kerr, of New Orleans, State Highway Engineer, spent several days here during the week.

Mr. Henry J. Bonnaudet, of New Orleans, road contractor, was the guest last Wednesday of Mrs. J. Boudousquale and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hardie and children and Miss Kate Coleman, of New Orleans, arrived Thursday night and will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Leovall for several days.

Mrs. M. McDougall, of Edita, La., is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. F. J. Martindale.

Mrs. R. G. Hadden and daughter, Mrs. E. Gazin, of New Orleans, are spending awhile here at their summer home.

Miss Carrie Frederick left on Wednesday for New Orleans, where she will spend sometime.

Mrs. H. R. Singleton, of El Paso, Texas, is visiting relatives in Covington, and will be here for a week or so.

Mrs. Joseph Delery has returned from Alexandria, where she went as a delegate to the Woodmen Circle Convention. Mrs. Delery is Guardian of Pine Grove No. 212.

Mrs. S. V. Kentzel and Mrs. S. D. Anderson spent last Sunday and Monday in New Orleans.

Misses Kate and Elizabeth Lancaster and Mrs. M. Collins, of New Orleans, spent last Sunday here as the guests of their brother and sister-in-law, Judge and Mrs. J. B. Lancaster, in order to be present at the christening of the infant daughter of Judge and Mrs. Lancaster.

Judge and Mrs. Thos. M. Burns entertained at a St. Patrick's Party last Wednesday afternoon, in honor of the seventh birthday of their little daughter, Kathrine. After numerous games, the children enjoyed the delectable refreshments, all carried out in true St. Patrick style. The following ladies served refreshments: Misses Ethel Fisher, Elmore Lawrence and Rebecca Thomas. The children were each presented with St. Patrick souvenirs.

AS YOU LIKE IT CLUB ENTERTAINED AT "BALL AND JACK" PARTY.

Miss Jennie Smith entertained the Club on last Tuesday at a unique entertainment. At "Ball and Jack," the first prize was awarded Miss Anais Boudousquale; second, Miss Estelle Evans; booby, Miss Gable Boudousquale; consolation, Mrs. C. S. A. Fuhrmann; and guest prize, Mrs. Claude Smith.

Everything was carried out in true picnic style, the parlor being decorated with pine trees and branches, and the refreshments served under the trees. The tally cards for the game were of bay leaves tied with red ribbons.

Among the guests of the Club were Misses Ethel Bougers, Ellen Roy, Joyce White, Hettie Brewster, Mrs. Claude Smith and Mrs. L. A. White. The Club will be entertained at its next meeting by Miss Estelle Evans. Surprises are again in store for the Club and their guests.

Don't forget to attend the ball game at St. Paul's grounds, every day of the week, commencing Monday, March 22. Cincinnati, National League; New Orleans, Southern League; Tulane, Tulane College; St. Paul's, St. Paul's College.

ABADIE-CONNAUGHTON.

Miss Lilly Connaughton and Hyacinthe Abadie were married at St. Peter's Church, in Covington, Friday morning at 5 o'clock. Rev. Jos. Koeger officiating. They left on the morning train for New Orleans, where they will make their future home.

See the rabbit and his large assortment of Easter goods at the People's Bakery. There are Easter bunnies, marbles, eaglets, nursing bottles, hens and rabbits of every description, market baskets, chicken coops and birds' nests imported French creams in attractive designs, chocolate and decorated cream eggs and a large assortment of penny goods that are necessary to make an attractive Easter basket. With every five cent purchase of Easter eggs a ticket will be given; the boy or girl bringing in the largest amount of tickets Easter morning will win the beautiful pair of curley rabbits now on exhibition at the bakery. m13-2t

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M. C. B. NOTES.

Next Tuesday will be the final game of the series of Five Hundred parties given at the M. C. B. Library during the Lenten season. Two of the contestants are quite close on their scores and it will be interesting to watch and see which one is the winner of the capital prize.

The winners the past week were Miss Lillie Allain, first, a hand embroidered underwaist, donated by Mrs. Juliette H. Smith; Mrs. Harry Piquet, second, a beautifully framed picture, donated by Miss Anais Boudousquale; consolation, Mr. Moran, a box of handkerchiefs, donated by Mr. P. J. Lacroix. The scores were as follows: Miss Lillie Allain 4240, Mrs. Harry Piquet 3610, Mrs. W. M. Poole 3520, Mrs. W. A. Hood 3360, Mrs. E. D. Kentzel 3330, Mrs. Julian H. Smith 3050, Mrs. B. B. Warren 2380, Mrs. L. Levinson 2360, Miss Jeanne Piquet 2330, Mrs. Alice 2230, Mrs. Lambert 2170, Miss Hazel Dossa 2160, Miss Anna Gray 2080, Mrs. W. J. Warren 2000, Mrs. Moran 1850, Mrs. W. H. Kentzel 1820, Mrs. W. G. Ellis 1240, Mrs. Tully 950.

There are several prizes to be awarded next week at the final game, among them a very pretty fountain pen donated by Mr. L. E. Watkins. The children at the dancing school are doing beautifully and the mothers are delighted with the progress. Last Saturday Miss Mickie divided them into two classes, the younger ones to come from 2 p. m. until 3:30, and the larger at 3:30 to stay until closing time.

We are pleased to note that the Firemen's Association has taken a new lease in Covington. The financial reports secretary reports some good collections made during the week just ended, and is looking forward to double those payments next week.

It is gratifying to learn that the secretary has several new applications for membership to be presented at the next meeting.

We call attention to a special meeting called for next Monday, March 22. All are urgently requested to be present as matters of great importance will be discussed. "I'll be there" is the pass word.

A most enjoyable evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Burns, grown-ups and children joining in the fun, the occasion being the seventh birthday of dear little Kathrine. Mrs. Burns, assisted by Mrs. Rennie, entertained the little guests by playing games, such as ring around rosy, clap in, clap out, etc. There was quite an exciting time when the bean bags were thrown, also at the pinning on of the donkey's tail. Elise Galatas and Jack Burns won the prizes. After playing a few games, the children were formed in line and a march was played by Mrs. Schonberg, the folding doors thrown open, and behold! a beautifully decorated table. Everything green to carry out the St. Patrick's day color scheme. In the center of the table a green beaver, Kewpie on top, reins in hand, driving a rabbit. From ceiling to chandelier and on to the table green streamers. The shamrock all over the linen, green candles in glistening glass dishes, the beautiful white birthday cake, seven green candles burning thereon, the favors, either a hat, a book or a heart shaped box filled with green candies, a place card on each. Delicious ice cream, candy, angel food, sunshine and pound cake were served by the Misses Ethel Fisher, Elmore Lawrence and Rebecca Thomas, becomingly attired as waitresses, in white with green sashes and caps with green ribbon bands. After playing awhile longer the guests left for their homes, wishing their little hostess many happy returns of the day.

The guests were as follows: Margaret Rennie, Margaret Barrow, Ine Dutoir, Mildred Davis, Josie Fredrick, Elise Galatas, Chloette Blossman, Emilda Smith, Marion Smith, Irvin Schonberg, Rami Galatas, Beverly Lobdell, Robert Lobdell, Alfred Smith, Charles Dillon, Jack Burns, Fritz Burns, Miss Cases and Miss O'Brien.

Little Kathrine received quite a number of presents. Altogether the little dear is well pleased with her party. May God bless her. A GUEST.

Folsom Incorporated.

Folsom is now an incorporated town and will hereafter be maintained in due form with a mayor, councilmen and a town marshal. It may be expected that we shall soon hear that it has a board of health and has organized a civic league and done other things that indicate a determination to be placed prominently on the map of progress. The present officials are: Geo. Fenderson, mayor; P. M. Reed and Paul Verger, councilmen; B. T. Spring, marshal.

MORE INTEREST IS NEEDED IN SCHOOL CHILDREN'S CLUB WORK.

Covington, La., March 18, 1915. Editor St. Tammany Farmer, Covington, La.

Dear Sir:—I believe this to be the time of the year when we should take special pains to urge upon the patrons and pupils as well as the teachers the matter of helping to organize Club Work in the schools of the parish. We are all aware that according to agreement when the parish secured the services of a Demonstration Agent he was to give one-half of his time to this work. I fear that the farmers are more insistent upon getting their half than the schools, and if this is true it is up to the school children to enlist in the work enough energy and spend enough time so that we may be certain the School Club work receives its share of attention.

The above is not given as a criticism of the Demonstration Agent who I am certain is willing to help any one he can, but I feel that unless we school people take more than the usual interest in the work and call upon Mr. Lewis often, as the adults are doing, his time will have more demands upon it for the farmers than for the club members. Very truly, ELMER E. LYON, Superintendent.

MANDEVILLE NOTES.

Mr. Jos. Gutierrez, of New Orleans, visited Mandeville last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Durel spent Sunday in Mandeville.

Mr. Frank Orfila spent a few days in Mandeville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bauman visited Mandeville the past week end.

Miss Laura Griffin and brother, Walter, were Covington visitors last Wednesday.

Mrs. Hopkins spent Wednesday in Covington.

Mr. L. Bonnacaze was a visitor to Mandeville last Sunday.

The last news received from New Orleans is to the effect that Mr. Gus Mugnier is improving.

Mr. A. Bonnacaze, of New Orleans, was a guest of the Mugnier Hotel.

Hon. Lewis L. Morgan and family are registered at the Mugnier Hotel.

The friends of Mrs. E. Prudhomme will be glad to hear that she is rapidly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Daussat spent Sunday with their grand parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. Givens.

Mr. E. Gutierrez is spending a few weeks in Mandeville.

Mr. Chas. David has recovered from his recent illness and his many friends are glad to see him out.

Mrs. Marie Dyer spent Sunday in New Orleans, accompanied by her son, Marcelin Hestrest.

SLIDELL NOTES.

The King's Daughters held a called meeting last Saturday at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Summerville, Miss Kate Eastman and Mrs. J. B. Wortham were present. All seem to be delighted with the results.

Mrs. Grace Lawler has returned from Beaumont, Texas, where she has been visiting friends.

The many friends of Mr. Harry Peterson regret to learn of his illness, and trust he will soon recover.

Mrs. Halley will entertain the ladies Friday at a card party.

Mr. Adolph Dubourg and wife are rejoicing over the arrival of a twelve pound baby boy, who arrived Friday, March 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Keller visited here last Sunday. Mr. Adolph Dubourg, Sunday.

Mr. B. Pinchot is still on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Handsbrough visited New Orleans Tuesday to be present at their daughters bedside.

Mr. Storey, of Hattiesburg, visited here last week.

Mr. L. Beathley, of Mandeville, was a Slidell visitor Sunday.

Mr. B. Fucaine, of New Orleans, visited his brother Sunday.

Mr. Strutter, of Pineville, was here on business, Tuesday.

Mr. Eugene Ray, of Covington, was in Slidell Thursday on business.

Mrs. Hugh Headley has returned to her home in Slidell.

Mr. Robert Huff, of Pearl River, visited here Sunday.

Mrs. Minton entertained Mrs. Sommersville Saturday night.

Mrs. J. Crawford, of Pearl River, visited Slidell Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Fogg has recovered from a recent operation and will return home Sunday.

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On Wednesday, March 17, 1915, at 11:30, Ethel Mandian, beloved wife of Eugene Hickman, aged 23 years, 6 months. She leaves a father and three little boys as well as her grieving husband. They have the sympathy of the entire community. Med.

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On Thursday morning at 8:30 Mr. Werner, a native of New Orleans and a resident of Slidell for about ten years. He leaves one daughter and two sons to mourn his loss.

SLIDELL HIGH SCHOOL.

The Slidell High School Improvement League held its regular monthly meeting at the school building Tuesday afternoon, March 17th.

The play, "Diamonds and Hearts," which is to be given under the auspices of the League for the benefit of the school, is progressing nicely and the public is looking forward with eager anticipation to the treat in store for them. The play will be staged Friday evening, March 19th, at the K. of P. Hall.

The efficient stage manager, Mrs. Comfort, has selected the characters with much care and each player is especially adapted to his part.

Supt. E. E. Lyon, accompanied by Messrs. Ballis and Richardson, of the La State University, were here Thursday, March 11th, and rendered a very interesting and instructive lecture at the K. of P. Hall. A large and appreciative audience was in attendance.

Misses Comfort, Porrier and Membre spent Saturday in New Orleans.

The many friends of Mr. A. T. Bond are rejoiced to learn that he is rapidly recovering from his attack of la grippe.

Mrs. Wigginton was a pleasant visitor to the school this week. Both teachers and pupils enjoyed her visit.

Rev. Spurgeon Wingo visited the pupils of the fifth grade and related to them an interesting account of his trip to Niagra Falls. The pupils enjoyed the treat, and were sorry when the time came for him to depart for home.

Mr. Liddle manifested his usual interest in our welfare by paying us a visit this week.

Little Rosa Lenatre enrolled as a pupil in the first grade this week.

The High School Band will assist with the music to be rendered at the School Improvement League's play next Friday evening.

COVINGTON HIGH SCHOOL.

Program for Literary Society on April 8, 1915, is as follows:

Song—

Declaration—Henry Artus.

Vocal Duet—Theresa Langworthy and Olga Plancharde.

Recitation—Grace Menetre.

Quartet—"Punkin Pie."

Debate—Resolved, That we should have government ownership of telephones.

Affirmative, Lee Newman, James Burns. Negative, Rebecca Thomas, Ethel Fisher.

Address—Fred Kuhlman.

"Old Gold and White"—Elise Ray.

Contributors, Alice Oxtendorff, Isabel Ellis and Henrietta Russell.

President, Clifton Keen.

Secretary, Ruby Reeder.

Critic, Miss O'Brien.

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