

CATTLE THIEVES CAPTURED NEAR TOWN OF MANDEVILLE AND CARCASS OF BEEF FOUND BURIED ON THIEVES' PREMISES

Ernest Prietto, Acting On Clew Furnished by Negro Woman, Reports Matter to Sheriff Brewster, and Posse of Mandeville Citizens Find Buried Carcass.

"Be sure your sins will find you out." Perhaps Perkins and Hines never heard of this trite saying, but they will have time to realize its truth, while they lie in jail awaiting trial, heard of again. A year ago the rem-

ture that he was soon wringing wet. Finally a big shout announced that there had been a find of some consequence, and when Brewster said: "It looks like they've got you now, Perkins," Perkins answered: "If they've found it, they've done got me."

In fact, the searchers had found enough of men who had butchered were on the right track. The exclamations or shouts came from discovering here and there in the corn field small pieces of beef. Finally they found the head, lights, gullet and liver. Perkins claimed that he had bought a goat from Fritz Brown and that he had killed it in front of the house. But the searchers were composed of men who had butchered heaves and could not be fooled when they saw the meat. They knew goat meat from beef.

JULY FOURTH CELEBRATED IN SOME SAINT TAMMANY PARISH TOWNS

The Fourth of July was celebrated in several towns in St. Tammany parish, with considerable preparation for a general good time. The usual rainy 4th of July weather prevailed and succeeded in discouraging many of those who had anticipated attending one or the other of the celebrations. Nevertheless the occasions drew pretty fair crowds. At Slidell, the speakers were Judge Jos. B. Lancaster and Representative F. J. Heinz. Sheriff T. E. Brewster, Coroner L. C. Heintz, Dr. B. B. Warren, and T. Gabriel were among Covington visitors.

Proceedings of Town Council of Covington

The town council met in special session on this day on call of Mayor P. J. Lacroix, all members having been duly notified of said meeting. Present: P. J. Lacroix, mayor, D. I. Addison, J. E. Nilson, D. J. Sanders, H. J. Smith. Absent: M. P. Planche, F. J. Martindale. The object of this meeting being to receive the report of the returns by the commissioners of the regular election held pursuant to the charter of the town of Covington, for the purpose of electing a mayor, six aldermen and a day and night marshal on the 23d day of June, 1915, together with a poll list of persons voting at said election and the tally sheet showing the number of votes each candidate received at said election.

Efforts Being Made to Reconcile the Factional Differences in Abita With Chances for a Hot Election

The political situation in Abita Springs does not seem to have cleared much since the termination of the contest suit, notwithstanding the correspondence to the Daily States announcing that all differences had been patched up and that there had been a general shaking of hands. The States quotes ex-Mayor Glisson as follows: "I shook hands with Mr. Bordes, and I told him that at any time that I could help him work for the betterment of the town I wished he would call on me. I told him that everything is forgotten now, and that we will, I hope, devote our efforts to working for a greater Abita. I take this opportunity of thanking my friends for their support and earnestly request that they join me in assisting Mr. Bordes' administration."

N. H. FitzSimons Slips Away With One of Covington's Most Charming Young Girls and Flees to Galveston

Mr. N. H. FitzSimons, president of the school board and a partner in the F. C. FitzSimons Grocery Co., one of Covington's prominent business houses, stole a march on his Covington friends and carried off a charming young lady, well known in social circles here. The whole affair was planned very nicely, and even the father of the young lady, who by the way could not be trusted to keep the matter a secret any more than he can be trusted to pass a checker board without considering how many moves it would take him to defeat the champion, was not apprised of the fact that the minister was expected at the house that night, and that some questions might be asked and answered in a few hours that would change his authority and responsibility as a father to a considerable extent. However, Mr. L. A. Perreand is a good guesser, and he smelt a mouse when he went home to supper and the atmosphere

seemed impregnated with a subtle something that made it different from usual. In fact, in vulgar phraseology, he caught on to what was doing, and if his better half and the young lady in question had not captured him as he was attempting to escape from the window, the young social set of Covington would have been gathered in from the four winds, and Miss Bertha Perreand would have been called upon to entertain and receive the congratulations of her many friends on the eve of her wedding. As it was, however, Rev. Spurgeon Wingo, the Baptist minister, was called upon to perform the wedding ceremony in the very early hours of Wednesday, July 7, 1915, (5:30 o'clock) immediately after which the happy young couple were rushed to Claiborne in an auto, where they caught the 6:25 train on their way to Galveston. They will be gone a week, after which they will reside in Covington. There is some



N. H. FitzSimons talk of giving them that rice shower when they return.

Increased Growth in Postal Business in Towns Covington and Mandeville

The following press dispatch places Covington and Mandeville among the few Louisiana towns that have been allowed increased pay in their postal department. As many towns have been decreased, as will appear by the list, we accept this as another evidence that St. Tammany is making a sure and steady advancement:

Proceedings of Association of Commerce

orable progress in the matter of express delivery. Mr. Davis mentioned that he was of the opinion that arrangements with the express officials would be arranged satisfactorily in the near future. Mr. Barrow, surveyor, attended the meeting and offered plans and surveys in regard to waterworks and sewerage. Mr. Barrow was invited to confer with the committee, previously appointed, who have charge of the proposition. The brass band committee reported progress and asked for further time. The rice milling plant proposition was also discussed and Mr. H. E. Ellis reported favorable progress. A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. R. L. Aubert, vice president, for his prompt actions and defense in an article published in the Times-Picayune, and written by Mr. Mire, complaining of the poor motor car service in the parish. Mr. Aubert's article in defense of this complaint is a worthy and additional link to his already long chain of good deeds for Covington and St. Tammany parish. Mr. G. C. Lewis discussed the necessities of St. Tammany parish in sending representations of our parish products to the next State fair, taking place at Shreveport, La. There being no further business the meeting adjourned. J. H. WARNER, President. J. R. BARRIOS, Secretary.

from antrax. It is also obviously unsafe to have such vaccine injected by a layman, instead, it should be handled only by a competent veterinarian. 2. Kill and exterminate all buzzards, carrion crows and opossums, and eliminate all stray dogs and stray hogs, and also keep your stock as much as possible away from low swampy places, avoiding cutting any grass for hay in such low swampy places where stagnated water may be found or has been standing for a long time. The foregoing are the main causes of the spread of the disease. 3. Burn all dead carcasses of all animals where they drop, if possible. Do not drag them over the ground without carefully disinfecting ground dragged over. 4. And the most important to assist in stamping out the disease. In the early spring, March preferably, in localities where previous outbreaks have occurred, all owners of live stock should hand together and have all of their live stock inoculated against charbon. By this banding together for early inoculation work can be done more cheaply and more effectively in the stamping out of the dread disease; this should be done every spring for a few years, and charbon will practically have been eliminated from St. Tammany parish. Under the present day system of scientific research it would be no more of a disgrace for a person to have body lice than to allow his live stock to be infested and infected with Texas tick, charbon and hog-cholera. While it is part of the parish farm demonstrator's work to assist in the eradication and stamping out of the above mentioned evils, much valuable time and valuable stock is often lost, owing partly to the inability of the demonstrator to be at every place when needed, but the gravest error can perhaps be attributed to live stock owners themselves in giving but little heed and being indifferent of action until just at the last minute. A great deal of trouble could be avoided by heeding some of the above suggestions. M. NIELSEN, D. V. M. & B. G. C. LEWIS, Demonstrator Agent.

each of the following offices: Bernice reduced to \$1200; Bon Ami to \$1100; Clarks to \$1100; Clinton to \$1300; Donaldsonville to \$2000; Eros to \$1000; Farmerville to \$1700; Gibbland to \$1100; Homer to \$1700; Kentwood to \$1800; Kinder to \$1200; Logansport to \$1400; Many to \$1400; Maryville to \$1400; Poncechartraine to \$1400; Rayville to \$1600; St. Francisville to \$1200; St. Joseph to \$1300; Washington to \$1300; Welsh to \$1500; West Lake to \$1100; West Monroe to \$1300. Other decreases were: Longville from \$1400 to \$1200; Winnfield from \$2200 to \$2000. Cottonport, Fisher, Natchitau, South Mansfield and Ville Platte were reduced to fourth class postoffices.

Abita Springs Woman Attempts Suicide by the Tincture Iodide Route

When Mrs. Pellegrini refused to be separated from her husband and occupied the jail with him when he was locked up last Sunday, upon being arrested by a New Orleans detective, there was no intimation that life was anything but a bright dream of happiness, except for the fact that they were reported to have had frequent quarrels before this. Mrs. Pellegrini a short time ago was in the fruit business in the Kotwich building. She had one child with her, nine or ten years of age. She and her husband took fruit around in the wagon in the morning and sold it at the store in the day time, but did not mingle much with the people of the town. According to the following account of the couple published in the Daily States, in its write-up of the attempted suicide, there is some romance attached to the case: Abita Springs, La., July 7.—In an ounce of poison slipped from a bottle through a soda water straw, Mrs. Angelo Pellegrini, 18, and disconsolate, sought to perial the melancholy memories of her brief experience as the second wife of a man whom New Orleans courts have been pursuing for neglect of his first wife's children. Mrs. Pellegrini made the attempt on her life in her home here Tuesday night, 24 hours after her husband returned from New Orleans, where he faced charges of jumping a bond that guaranteed his alimony payments to his former wife. The draught of poison drove Mrs. Pellegrini frantic; she threw herself across a bed, screaming and writhing, while her husband and one of his former wife's children admin-

deceased, the majority of one would still be maintained if their man was elected, of which they felt confident. On the other hand, should this prove true Mayor Bordes has the power of vetoing all action, and there would not be sufficient strength to pass measures over his veto. This would leave Abita Springs in the same embarrassing situation that has interfered with municipal management heretofore. If, however, a Bordes councilman should be elected, this would mean a decided defeat for the old Glisson faction and place the full management of the town in the hands of the Bordes faction. Hence, it may be expected that the coming election for councilman will see a recurrence in Abita of the same old bitter struggle for supremacy by two factions. There is just one chance that the Bordes faction may assume control immediately, and that is, the Governor may have the power to fill both vacancies in the council by appointment. This would settle matters for the present, if he appointed a Bordes man; but as the next election is but a short time off, there may be a repetition of the old conflict. The best thing that could happen for the town would be a harmonious joining of hands. If the people are tired of the situation, it is up to them to make the issue in the election purely a question of the qualification of candidates, regardless of factional differences.

And having inspected said poll list and tally sheet which set forth the votes received by the candidates for the offices of Mayor, Aldermen, Day Marshal and Night Marshal, to be as follows: For Mayor: P. J. Lacroix, 166. F. G. Marrero, 129. For Aldermen: Pete S. Barell, 77. D. I. Addison, 179. A. Rockenshub, Sr., 113. J. E. Nilson, 176. Preston Burns, 104. M. P. Planche, 186. Bennie Commenge, 160. C. E. Schonberg, 163. Archie R. Smith, 164. D. J. Sanders, 171. Emile Frederick, 136. For Day Marshal: Paul J. Dullon, 125. Herman Schultz, 164. For Night Marshal: G. Max Loyd, 214. Eddie W. Jones, 77. Total votes cast, 297. And we having found that said P. J. Lacroix had received the greatest number of votes cast for the office of mayor, do hereby declare him to be elected mayor of the town of Covington, La.; and having found that the said D. I. Addison, J. E. Nilson, M. P. Planche, Archie R. Smith, D. J. Sanders and Emile Frederick had received the greatest number of votes cast for the office of aldermen, do hereby declare them elected aldermen of the town of Covington, La.; and having found that the said Herman Schultz had received the greatest number of votes cast for the office of day marshal, do hereby declare him elected day marshal of the town of Covington, La.; and having further found that the said G. Max Loyd had received the greatest number of votes cast for the office of night marshal, do hereby declare him elected night marshal of the town of Covington, La.; the above persons so declared elected to qualify, enter upon the discharge of the duties of their respective offices, and serve from the first day of the month of July, 1915, for a period of two years thereafter, and until their successors are duly elected and qualified. Given under our hands at Covington, La., this 25th day of the month of June, 1915, A. D. A. BEAUCCOUDRAY, JULIAN H. SMITH, C. L. SMITH, Commissioners of election. J. R. BARRIOS, Clerk. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of June, 1915, at Covington, St. Tammany parish, La. J. M. SIMMONS, Notary Public.

ANETTE KELLERMAN



Anette Kellerman, who will appear at the Parkview Theatre July 23 in Neptune's Daughter, is said to be the most perfectly formed woman in the United States, having been awarded that honor by a board of experts in human physiology. The costumes in this performance are said to give very realistic representations in the under-sea scenes, the troop having made a special trip to the Bermuda Islands especially to take the pictures. Lithe and full of grace, Miss Kellerman has proved an attraction in the movies that has drawn immense audiences in the big cities.