

St. Tammany Farmer

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FOR LOVE OF OUR DEMOCRATIC GOVERNMENT OR FOR THE MONEY THAT IS IN IT

Some eight or nine years ago A. Marcus came to this country and by judicious management accumulated enough to establish himself in business in Covington. He and Mrs. Marcus opened a five, ten and twenty-five cent store in the building formerly occupied by the Leon Hobart grocery.

This is beautiful in its idealistic patriotism, but it is not pleasant to contemplate in its relation to the obligations of immigrants to this country. We would like to feel that a residence of eight or ten years here with the privileges of citizenship and the engagement in business would bring to us some fealty or sense of obligation.

CONNECTING LAKE PONCHARTRAIN WITH THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER

The question of building a ship canal connecting Lake Ponchartrain and the Mississippi River is one that affects not only New Orleans but the whole State of Louisiana. We cannot escape the fact that the State at large and the city are interdependent.

The greatest question of the day, in a commercial sense, is cheap transportation, and the cheapest transportation is by water. The building of the Panama Canal has given opportunities for shipping by water that are being taken advantage of, and the building of manufacturing plants must follow the development of new waterway transportation.

An exhaustive report on this subject has been submitted to the Board of Commissioners of the Port of New Orleans by Ford, Bacon & Davis, engineers.

Mrs. Jos. Dyer, of Morgan City, La., is stopping at Dr. Geo. R. Tolson's.

Miss Marie Parsinger spent last Saturday in New Orleans.

Miss Lucille Roy, of New Orleans, is spending some time here as the guest of Miss Ethel Bouger.

Miss Lois Christoffer, of New Orleans, arrived Sunday and while here is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Frederick and family.

Miss Lucy Oliver, of New Orleans, is the guest of Misses Annie and Mabel French.

Mrs. E. J. Lacroix and two children, Thelma and E. J. Jr., are spending a few days in New Orleans as the guest of Mrs. Lacroix's parents.

Mrs. S. V. Kentzel left last Sunday for Bogalusa, where she will spend awhile with her daughter, Mrs. G. F. Poole.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Burkenstock and little daughter, Yvonne, have gone to New Orleans for the winter.

A hunting party, composed of Messrs. Emile Frederick, L. Beaucaudray, D. H. Weaver, Ned Barringer and A. E. Smith, left Thursday morning for Lake Maurepas, where they will spend four days in an effort to induce all the game in that country to come back with them—dead or alive.

Mrs. Wm. Bodebender entertained a few friends at Five Hundred last Friday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. Jos. Dyer of Morgan City, who is one of the social leaders of that place.

Miss Dora Sanchez, of Baton Rouge, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sanchez and Mrs. Blanche Sanchez.

Mr. A. L. Bear was a New Orleans visitor Tuesday.

Miss Mildred Barker, of New Orleans, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. O'Donnell.

Mrs. G. H. Evans and daughter, Miss Estelle, left Saturday morning for Vicksburg, Miss., where they will spend some time.

Mrs. W. L. Stevenson and daughter, Marie Louise and Laurence, have returned from New Orleans, where they spent several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Henderson and daughter, Miss Dencie, have returned to their home in New Orleans.



A column appointed to be read at the weekly councils of the sect.

".....The Pharisees sit in Moses' seat: All therefore whatsoever they bid you observe, that observe and do."—Matt. xxiii, 2-3.

THE PHARISEE'S WEEKLY DISCOURSE

"One of the problems of youth," remarked a prominent lawyer as he cut the following clipping from an issue of the Times-Picayune this week to inclose to his son, "is the almost insurmountable task to apologize for his mistakes." The writer mentioned says:

"The ability to apologize is a precious gift. It means a broad mind that is willing to be corrected graciously. Any person that takes the stand that he or she is perfect, never makes a mistake, is a pitiable specimen indeed.

"If you are wrong do not be afraid to admit it. Do not be ashamed of having erred. Be ashamed if you are so little, so lacking in broad-mindedness that you can't own up to your mistakes. Then indeed do you need pity.

"The first apology is, perhaps, hard to make, but the feeling of having made reparations, of having set yourself in a right relation to others, counterbalances the first embarrassment."

GHOSTS

Dumb on my cold, wet hearth Their Peace I durst not stir—
The velvet ashes lie These cinders, silent, numb:
Wrath-like, in plushy hills Last night, your dreams and mine
Of pearl and brown Were embers here.

Daily Lessons From the Talmud.

Be careful when you go to bury the hatchet that you don't dig up a cork-screw.

Don't worry how the fellow regards you who stands on the platform looking up at the canopy. Remember Omar, or someone, says that we only strike this station once, and the stop is for a very little space.

Don't wear a 1913 straw hat, and drive a 1914 Packard Eight.

A word to the wise is sufficient—not if he knows it.

Foibles are constantly ignoring the "No Trespass" signs in cases where constables would have pinched the angels long since.

If you don't mind waiting a great deal, make it a habit to keep appointments.

And just to think, Myrtina, that she should make that remark after all I did for her!

We prophesy a fortune for the genius who will institute a jitney system for baby-carriages—to say nothing regarding lawn mowers.

Myrtina was remarking last night that some of our relatives acted toward us more as if they were real friends.

We have been looking over our books on International Law and Equity to see if there was anything against the women wearing copper-colored boots with the strings running up the sides.

We bought a horse-blanket overcoat this autumn for \$28.50. Brown green and yellow plaid effect. Will sell same for \$2.50. Never has been used.

We don't know which peevish we most on the N. O. G. N. train Tuesday evening. The lady who put the milk bottle in the water-cooler or the gentleman who found a place for his tobacco-jules through the window on the windy side of the train.

Don't clean your false teeth on the family towel.

We are offering a prize of one year's subscription, and \$10 in gold for a new Ford joke. The Board of Directors has not ratified this as yet, but we are sure they will. Don't all joke at once.

Although we have a hundred virtues that no one acknowledges, yet the one or two that we have confessed a hundred times is thrown up somewhere every five minutes.

We wrote a paragraph as to how much happier we are since getting married than we were before, but for Truth's sake we blushed, and declined to print it.

Dr. Bouquet told us the other day that the brain of the average man in Covington contains about six trillion cells. This may be true, but he forgot to tell us who the turkey was.

If St. Tammany goes dry we'll wager the increase of coffin shipments to Covington will increase 500 per cent a month.

Harvey Ellis told us how to vote for State Auditor this week, but it's none of your darned business. Just the same Washington parish has nominated Dyon Booty for parish treasurer, and they are thinking very strongly of supporting O. U. Steele for the auditorship.

Looking over one of last month's newspapers, we noticed that England through both houses or parliament approved the loan of half a billion from the Americans. The English can be very nice to the Yankees sometimes.

Phil Husky wants Bud's job. St. Tammany elected Buddy over three opponents just one term ago, and the account he has given of himself is more than satisfactory. If every young man born and raised in St. Tammany parish, will give the account of himself to his countrymen that the youthful, straightforward Fred J. Heintz has done between \$6 and \$8, the parish will do well to honor him with its commission a second time. The efforts he has made for juvenile protection and reform, and the good already accomplished by him in this much neglected state, where the interests of delinquent youth are involved makes it almost imperative that Mr. Heintz should be returned to the legislature in 1916. We don't know much about Phil. His predecessor in campaign politics, Mr. Jollinger, has disappeared. We suppose Phil's all right, but why not keep Buddy on the job for another term. We paid enough to have him learn it. May be when Phil's here long enough it won't hurt to "send him up" too, that is if we still have the legislature habit. By that time, however, it's possible a new constitution will have provided for a practical commission form of government for the State, which will be about as easy to elect as a supreme court or a governor. Let us hope so any way.

STRICTLY LADIES—OUR WEEKLY SOCIETY REPORT.

Notes and Personal of Covington Coming and Going, Principally Going—Retrospected by the Pharisee.....

The editor is indebted to Mr. Harvey Ellis for a sack of spineless sweet potatoes, burbanked on Mr. Ellis' farm. Nat, kindly renew the Ellis subscription for one year.

Mr. A. J. Planche visited Sun, Bush, Sandy Ford and other points of interest this week.

Myrtina, ourselves and the children were Crescent City visitors in September of this year.

Brooms at McCormack's, including the handle, 35c. Warranted not to moult on carpets.

The "Votes for Ladies Club" announces a straw ballot contest to settle the clerk's and sheriff's primaries. No bets taken.

Messrs. Geo. Heck and Charlie Davis were dinner guests of Mr. A. P. Schwartz at the New Southern on Thanksgiving Day.

In addition to the usual menu occurring, sliced cold turkey was on the bill of fare at the New Southern Hotel Thursday evening.

We are offering a few slightly disabled Roquesforts at reduced prices while they last.—PittSimons & Bro.

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Two cans Desert Peaches for 35c.
Two large cans Hominy for 15c.
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Graham Flour, 5 pounds for 35c.
Dill Pickles, 20c dozen.
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Quality, weight and measure guaranteed.
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The CLANG of the Engine!
The SHOUTS of Firemen!
The HOOF BEATS of Horses!
The CRACKLING of Flames!
The SMASHING of Glass!
The CRASH of Timbers!
The SWISH of Water!
All Are Terrifying, BUT NOT
So Heart-rending As The Thought
That The Home Was Not Insured!
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TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.
The next teachers' examination will be held in my office on November 29, 30, December 1, for whites, and December 2, 3, 4, for colored. The conditions governing the issuance of certificates to applicants will remain the same as in the last examination for teachers' certificates.
Examination questions in special high school subjects will be prepared by the State Examining Committee and forwarded to this parish only upon making application. This request I must make before November 17th. Any one desiring to stand such an examination will therefore notify me at once.
ELMER E. LYON,
Superintendent.

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