

St. Tammany Farmer

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CO-OPERATION OF CITY AND STATE AND THE PRESS.

W. P. Thompson, in his address before the New Orleans Press Club a few days ago, made a strong appeal for co-ordination and co-operation of city and state.

We have read much about the necessity of preparedness for war, and we believe a majority of the people consider that preparedness is the safest way of keeping peace.

Now the city of New Orleans is a big organization of capital and brains and business ability. Heretofore it has sent everything out of the country with very little return.

We venture that not another city half the size of New Orleans provides a poorer market for country produce or has taken less interest in the welfare of the farmer.

Now, then, the country has been preparing for war during the past few years and country newspapers have been cheering the movement along to beat the band.

But there must be no politics in it and no attempt to control the press of the state. The big papers already have quite a following that shouts every time the big paper hollers.

Miss Lou Lyons will arrive Friday morning to spend the holidays at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Anderson and little daughter, Joyce Mae, of Bogalusa, are spending the holidays here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. White and family.

Miss Louise Cases left Thursday for her home in Port Allen to spend the holidays at her home there.

Our line of Xmas and New Year Cards is now on sale. Schoenberg's Pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Dittmar and little daughter, of Bogalusa, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Brewster and family.

Miss Kate Eastman, of New Orleans, is spending the Christmas season at her home here.

Misses Lucy and Elise Ray, of New Orleans, were the week-end guests of Miss Jeanne Piquet.

Mr. B. M. Miller will leave Sunday afternoon for Berkeley, Cal., where he will visit his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Durand, the latter formerly Miss Nina Cantrelle of New Orleans, spent several days here during the past week.

Miss Annie Smith returned Tuesday morning from Slidell, where she spent a few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Solberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griner and Mrs. Lilla Thompson, of New Orleans, were the guests last Sunday of Mrs. S. G. Peterson and family.

Miss Mimi Prevost has returned from New Orleans, after several days spent there.

Miss Virgie Doesat, of Bush, arrived Wednesday evening to spend the holidays at her home here.

Prof. and Mrs. Elmer E. Lyon entertained a few friends informally Tuesday evening at cards, the prize being awarded Miss Myra Melancon.

A Kodak for Xmas is an acceptable gift—we have them. Schoenberg's Pharmacy.

Mr. Samuels, of New Orleans, arrived Thursday morning to spend the holidays here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Bear.

Miss Myra Melancon left Wednesday afternoon for her home in New Orleans, where she will spend the holidays.



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.

A Covington Christmas Eve.

Ten o'clock. The pine-knot fire is a glow of crimson embers in our study. The silent books about the walls are full of speech. They are telling of past years too plainly to be comfortable with them alone.

We are traveling somewhere. These Christmas times are only milestones on the road! Yesterday, we remember a far-off country, lying toward the snows.

The electric dome overhead the library table is too strong for the wonderful shadows that creep in from without. We dispose of this. Up-ton, some racking powder-cracker has been discharged, and a clarion toots merrily through Louisiana street—we mean "Yonkey Avenue."

"Sh—sh—!" says Myrtina as she slips beside us on a daydream. "Thank goodness, I have her quiet at last!"

"Now, what have you for mother?"

"Also for Daddy, and Uncle Jim? I bought all of the other things, dear. Frank's bicycle came in by express, tonight. Will you write to your mother and your own folks tomorrow?"

"Myrtina," we said, "do you remember the sleigh-ride from Wilton's to New London, some while back, and the way Tim Gannighan cut up at the dance at Mrs. Aldrich's?"

Europe has war for Christmas—America has politics. Mr. Wilson has a honeymoon. Anyway, life seems to be the same old proposition.

A man is known by the company he keeps, a woman is found out by the company she gets away from.

Next to one's religion, the most sacred thing we believe is his tooth brush and shaving soap.

Whenever you meet a satisfied, self-possessed looking woman, past thirty, remember she belongs to some man.

This is the Pharisee's first Christmas. We believe that many of our friends agree with us that the man who tells you a pleasant lie is your enemy, but he who tells you the unpleasant truth can oft be reckoned with as a friend.

While there are many of use who seem to be hanging on the dizzy edge of circumstance with bleeding nails, whilst gnawing holes in hope, yet in the final analysis, there is still much strength in the maxim of Goethe that "alles comes recht." So far every thing has come right.

We believe a real Christmas gift is coming to Covington in the shape of sewerage and waterworks. We wish all of the primary candidates a Merry Christmas, and trust they will not be kept too busy, and that some future generation will plan to have the primary some time about December 1st.

In fact, we wish all of our readers, including those who have paid their 1915 subscription, a thrice happy time.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION OF TAX DEED.

Whereas the undersigned has purchased at tax collector's sale for the taxes of 1914, for the town of New Covington, La., on the 26th day of June, 1915, the following described property, to-wit:

State of square 2204 in the town of New Covington, La., situated in Ward Three of the parish of St. Tammany, La., the same having been seized for the payment of taxes due by Mrs. Elizabeth Moran, as owner thereof, according to the tableau and assessment roll for the year 1914.

Notice is hereby given to whom it may concern that I have caused the said deed to be registered in Conveyance Book 65, page 196, of the official records of St. Tammany parish, a per tax deed executed by T. E. Brewster, sheriff and ex-officio tax collector.

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McCormack's Grocery Pure Maple Syrup, 50c bottles. Maple and Cane Syrup, 30c per bottle. Two cans Desert Peaches for 35c. Two large cans Hominny for 15c. Spanish Pimientos, 2 cans for 15c. Graham Flour, 5 pounds for 25c. Dill Pickles, 20c dozen. Develped Crab Meat, 10c can. Fresh line of Fruit Cake ingredients. Quality, weight and measure guaranteed. Best Mince Meat, 15c pound. 7 bars Lenox Soap for 25c. Fresh line cakes just received.

The Midnight Cry of Fire! 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! It Costs Little, See To It! NILSON-FREDERICK CO. LTD., Covington La.

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Schonberg's Pharmacy Southern Hotel Building M. C. B. LIBRARY. The M. C. B. Library will be open every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 3 to 5 p. m. GLADYS SMITH, Librarian. There will be a regular monthly meeting of the King's Daughters on Monday, Dec. 20, at the M. C. B. Library. As this will be the last meeting in this year, we hope all members will be present. MRS. D. I. ADDISON, Leader. MRS. W. H. KENTZEL, Secretary.

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