

St. Tammany Farmer

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Proprietor

THE PARISH FAIR.

President Warner, Manager Fitzsimons and the various Fair Committees have all been working hard to make the Parish Fair a greater demonstration than ever of the wonderful opportunities that are presented in St. Tammany parish for the farmer and stock raiser.

Good roads, too, are making it easier and less expensive to haul. They invite travel and make it pleasant for the farmer and his family to drive over them, encouraging visits from each other that lead to interchange of thoughts and co-operation in many undertakings that might otherwise be fruitless.

The fair will offer an opportunity for friendly rivalry and competition and the numerous and handsome prizes that are being offered will be a spur to ambition. "Nothing succeeds like success," and the winners of these prizes will work with increased vigor to be among the winning class next year, and those who fail will see wherein they failed and will avoid the errors that have proven unproductive of good results.

Getting up a fair is not an easy matter. Those who have tried it realize this thoroughly. But the fact that the fair has increased in attractiveness each succeeding year shows that we are on the right track. Every farmer and every citizen should do his utmost to make it a success; and further than this, every farmer and every citizen should try to make it a better fair, if possible, than is held in other parishes.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

The Constitutional Amendments have been published in The St. Tammany Farmer for a number of weeks. They embrace matters of the gravest importance to the prosperity of the State. We elect a Governor and hold him responsible for his administration. Then in all fairness we should examine his plans and give him assistance in those things which we believe are right.

Every body should read the amendments and give them careful thought. Governor Pleasant has given them much study and no doubt has discussed them thoroughly with the best informed men of the State. Every citizen who shirks his duty in this respect is not only treating the Governor unfairly, but is shirking his duty and responsibility as a citizen. If you haven't time to read them, then you are bound to vote for every one of them, if you are far-sighted, because Governor Pleasant tells us they are of vital importance.

Personal and Local

Mrs. E. E. Lyon was a New Orleans visitor Monday.

Mrs. A. E. Massman and little son returned Sunday from New Orleans, where they spent several days.

Mrs. Wm. C. Grant returned Sunday morning from New Orleans, after several days spent there.

Mr. Jacob Sells left Tuesday for Brown's wells, Miss., where he will spend two weeks.

Mrs. Neemie Alpeunte and Mrs. L. Theriot left Friday for New Orleans, where Mrs. Theriot was operated on at Hotel Dieu.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Clement have returned and taken possession of their home on the Mandeville road, after having spent the summer in California.

Miss Mand Blenvenne, of Baton Rouge, arrived Monday to spend some time here as the guest of her aunt, Miss Judith Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Dutsch and little son spent several days in New Orleans during the past week.

Miss Miriam Lawless, of New Orleans, spent the week-end here as the guest of Mrs. Julian Smith.

Miss Matilde Cases, of New Orleans, returned Monday to her home in New Orleans, after a few days spent here as the guest of her sister, Miss Louise Cases.

J. A. Taylor, Grand Lecturer of the Free and Accepted Masons, of Rayne, La., spent several days here during the week and addressed the Covington Lodge while here.

Miss Clarice Frederick left Friday for Meridian, Miss., where she will visit her aunt, Mrs. J. V. Rhodes, before returning home. Miss Frederick will visit Mrs. Louis Hebert, formerly Miss Ellen Thomas, of Tallahassee, La., at Bude, Miss.

Miss Eva Frederick left Saturday morning for Bogalusa, where she has accepted a position as stenographer with the Bogalusa Grocery & Grain Company.

Miss Anala Boudousque returned Sunday morning from New Orleans where she spent two days as the guest of Mrs. W. D. McEnulty.

Mrs. Leon Beaucaudray and Miss Amy Beaucaudray, after several days spent in New Orleans, returned Sunday morning.

Mrs. Henry Meyer, formerly Miss Guy Guyol, and children, of Washington, D. C., arrived last Monday and will spend the winter here as the guests of their grandmother, Mrs. L. E. Barell.

Miss Lou Peterson returned Monday evening from Goodhue, La., after two weeks spent there as the guest of Mrs. Alice Fuhrmann.



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Senator Broussard, who has been the guest of Mr. H. B. Praden and family for several days, at Grace-land, has returned to his home in New Iberia, where he has been making extensive improvements.

Last Sunday Mr. J. E. Stanga, in his car, a King 8, made the trip from Covington to Slidell in 48 minutes, using four gallons of oil. Albert L. Borde, Chris. Schultz, M. Cooper and Ed. Sanchez rode with him.

The W. H. Kentzel printing house has issued some very attractively printed blotters, that are both convenient for use and nice to look at. He is "The Prompt Printer," and the prompt deliverer of blotters, on which he tells you that it don't pay to kick.

Mr. H. B. Schlessinger, of the Atlanta branch of the Hamilton Rubber Mfg. Co., has just made a trip in his car from Atlanta to Birmingham, Montgomery, Selma, and Meridian, by way of New Orleans and Baton Rouge, landing in Covington in good shape. He is the guest of Mr. W. E. Favende.

Mrs. W. H. Kentzel visited her parents in New Orleans, Thursday, to be present at the celebration of her father's birthday.

Messrs. Gilbert Molloy, W. H. Kentzel and J. M. Simmons spent last Sunday in New Orleans, having gone over to attend the consolidated lodges of the F. & A. M., the Hammond Lodge and the Perfect Union Lodge confer degrees at the Scottish Rite Cathedral, and in the afternoon the Mason's Banquet at Spanish Fort.

AS YOU LIKE IT CLUB.

The club met during the past week at the home of Mrs. Leon Beaucaudray. The first prize was awarded Miss Estelle Evans, second Mrs. Rudolph Schultz, booby Mrs. Claud Smith, consolation Miss Gahle Boudousque, and guest prize Miss Lillie Beaucaudray.

The guests of the club were Misses Norma Weaver, Amy and Lillie Beaucaudray.

Miss Julie Charrovin will entertain the club at its next meeting. Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ferguson and children have returned to their home in Sumner, Miss., after having spent the past year here where they came in search of Mr. Ferguson's return to health. Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson made many friends while here who regret to hear of their departure.

Mrs. E. G. Davis returned Friday night from New Orleans, after several days spent there with relatives.

Among the Knights of Columbus who went to New Orleans Sunday to attend the monster initiation that took place there that day were A. D. Schwartz, J. V. Connaughton, Aug. Coig, Thos. Champagne, Leslie Menece, Jos. Delery, Theo. Dendinger and Geo. Mier, of Madisonville.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Blum and little daughter are guests of their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lopez.

DIED—At Abita Springs, September 25, 1916, Mrs. Sebastian Durr, aged 62 years. She is survived by four children, two daughters and two sons, and nineteen grandchildren and two great grandchildren. She was a daughter of J. Spears.

One of the nicest affairs of the week was the Five Hundred and Pitt Party given last Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Jones, by the ladies of the Catholic congregation for the benefit of the Catholic Church.

The first prize at Five Hundred was awarded Miss Inez Mazarat, second Mrs. Julian H. Smith, third Miss Leah Alpeunte, booby Mrs. Walter Molloy. The first prize at Pitt was awarded Mrs. Maurice Planche, second Mrs. A. J. Planche, booby Mrs. Quitman Kohne. Entrance prize was awarded Miss Genella.

Ophelia buys her school supplies from us. You do likewise.

Schonberg's Pharmacy

LIST OF DEAD LETTERS.

Following is the list of dead letters:

Edith Alexander, Bennet Elliot, Sam Hulet, Miss Bessie Barnes, John Delk, George Gaudin, John H. Granger, Miss Julie J. Hayes, Mrs. Ira Jordan, Adorff Names, Mrs. Cealie Smith, Miss Ila Smith, Mrs. Mattie Stanord, Chapman Tarey, sid Washington, Miss Keia Whittington, L. L. Wilks, Mrs. Reber William.

JACOB SELLER, Postmaster.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Plancher, at Bogalusa, La., on October 10, 1916, a girl.

DR. MAYLE WILL HAVE OFFICES IN COVINGTON.

Dr. A. G. Mayle will hereafter have offices in the Southern Hotel building, where he may be found on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, from 10 a. m. to 1 p. m., after the 10th of October.

ABITA DEMOCRATIC CLUB ENDORES HEINTZ FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

At a meeting of the Tenth Ward Social Democratic Club of Abita Springs, held October 10, 1916, it was unanimously resolved, that we endorse the Hon. Fred J. (Bud) Heintz for District Attorney for the Twenty-Sixth Judicial District section on the 17th day of October, 1916; also that we cordially request the voters of Washington parish to rally to his support. Victory is assured and a grand smoker on the taps. Adv.

CENTRAL NOTES.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith, October 4th, in honor of their daughter, Mary. Among the guests present were Miss Cora Neelis, Miss Louise Peterson, Misses Tona and Ivy Evans, Misses Aline and Lucile Smith, Miss Effie Bouman, Messrs. E. G. Laffeur, D. Evans, Earl Singleton and several others. Games were played after which cake, lemonade and hot chocolate were served.

Miss Lena Moran returned Sunday from Bay St. Louis, where she spent an enjoyable week with relatives. He cousin came home with her and took the country line. Mr. Chas. Smith and little daughter, Ida, are visiting relatives in Bogalusa this week.

Miss Cora Neelis returned from her home Sunday night where she spent an enjoyable week-end with friends and relatives.

Misses Mary and Beulah Smith visited the Moran girls Sunday.

We have a splendid school this year. Ninety-three pupils are enrolled and expecting more. The teachers are Mr. E. G. Laffeur, principal; Miss Cora Neelis, intermediate, and Miss Louise Peterson, primary. We have a good basketball team this year. The court is being cleaned and new goals are being put up. A literary society was organized in the school the past week, with the following officers: Lena Moran, a president; Barlow Leggit, vice-president; Ella Moran, secretary; Julia Oberly, Heintz Sylvest and Alico Sherry, critics.

We are expecting a most successful school term this year.

SCHOOL BOARD

Covington, La., Oct. 5, 1916. The St. Tammany Parish School Board met in regular session in the office of the school board on the above date. The following members were present: Geo. R. Dutsch, first ward; T. J. O'Keefe, second ward; N. H. Fitzsimons, third ward; Chas. H. Wills, fourth ward; W. H. Kahditz, fifth ward; H. Q. Parker, sixth ward; T. P. Crawford, eighth ward; C. N. Liddell, ninth ward; G. E. Millar, tenth ward. Absent: Dr. C. F. Farmer, seventh ward. On motion of Mr. Parker, seconded by Mr. Kahditz, the minutes of the last two meetings were approved as printed in the St. Tammany Farmer. The following report was read by the Superintendent and upon motion of Mr. Kahditz, seconded by Mr. Parker, it was resolved:

Covington, La., Oct. 5, 1916. The Honorable President and Members of St. Tammany Parish School Board: Gentlemen:—One of the most encouraging conditions of our school to come to our notice since the opening on September 4th, has been the increased enrollment, and I desire to give below some of the enrollments and compare them with that at the end of the first month a year ago:

Table with 2 columns: School Name, 1915-16, 1916-17. Rows include Slidell, Central, Folsom, Covington, Pilgrim Rest, Tallisheek, Audubon, Oak Grove.

My opinion is that the new compulsory school attendance law is responsible for a large per cent of this increase. If we consider that the children who represent the difference between these numbers have been out of school, we can but acknowledge the good this new law is doing already. In the Pilgrim Rest school where we had an average attendance below 30 for some months last year we now have over 100, which is an attendance far above that ever dreamed of.

(Continued next week.) Subscribe for the ST. TAMMANY FARMER One Dollar a Year

ST. TAMMANY'S BIG BANK invites your bank account, whether it is large or small. We are in position to serve our patrons to the best advantage at all times. COVINGTON BANK & TRUST CO. Resources Over \$750,000.00.

No. Six-Sixty-Six

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c

CARD OF THANKS.

Slidell, La., Oct. 10, 1916. I take this method of thanking the Southern Industrial and Burial Association of Covington, La., for their promptness at the funeral of my daughter, Bertha M. Keys, on Oct. 6th, 1916. I also wish to thank Mr. J. Meyers and Mr. Bousquet for their courteous attention and friends and neighbors for their kindness. Sincerely, MRS. MAGGIE KEYSER.

ORDINANCE NO. 2, N. E.

Be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Mandeville, Louisiana, that the following shall be adopted as the budget of receipts and expenditures for the year 1917:

Receipts: Ten mill tax on a property assessment value of \$293,200.00 2932.00 Licenses 2744.00 Graves, cemetery lots, etc 75.00 \$5751.00

Disbursements: Salary of mayor 120.00 Salary of secty-treas. 210.00 Salary of town marshal 720.00 Salary of Sexton 40.00 Salary of town attorney 150.00 St. Tammany & New Orleans Ry. & Ferry Co. for town lights 1711.00 Annual payment, (2nd note) for fire engine and equipment 500.00 Street improvement and repairs 1100.00 Publication of official proceedings in official journal 100.00 Reserve sea wall fund 600.00 Improvement of neutral ground between sea wall and street 250.00 General fund 250.00 \$5751.00

Moved by Dr. Mayle, seconded by Mr. Smith, that the above ordinance be adopted. Yeas: Mayle, Smith, Hartman, Depra. Nays: None. Absent: Band. W. G. DAVIS, Mayor.

JAS. M. HUTCHINSON, 014-St. Secty-Treas.

FIGS AND PUMPKINS.

Their Local Cultivation To Be Encouraged. Figs must lead in this State. Once figs, always figs. Figs to have, to can, to ship, is to have fortune on the hip. These terse expressions by authorities on fig culture tell the whole tale of the fig. Our farm demonstrator urges the cultivation of this fruit as a quick maturing and every profitable orchard crop, and we hope to see extensive orchards spring up in the near future.

Among the vegetables coming into prominence locally is the pumpkin. This grows well on our soil and attains enormous size. The canning company is anxious to add both the fig and the pumpkin to its list of canned foods, and will encourage their cultivation.

I KNOW NOT.

I know not why I like the woods so much. And long to stray amid its silent path; It is because its life, my heart doth touch. Or in its charms, a spell it hath? It seems to me some spirits haunt each tree, And long to whisper words into my ear. They softly cry and beg to be let free, While stealing zently ever to me near. The Angels once within the forests dwelt, When man first walked in peace in paradise. So now, the ground is sacred where they kneel, And still they chant their praises to the skies. The wind blows echoes of the far-off land, And sings its tale unto the lightning tree, Whose message strange, we can not understand. But here, God spreads His wealth for every man to see. RIXFORD J. LINCOLN, St. Tammany Parish.

TOWN OF MANDEVILLE SUFFERS PARISH.

Hon. Lewis L. Morgan, city attorney of the town of Mandeville, has filed suit in the name of that town against the parish, to enjoin the collection of the 3-mill general tax. It is claimed that the town of Mandeville is exempt from the payment of

this tax, being liable only to the school and criminal tax.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

Bids will be received until eleven o'clock a. m., November 1, 1916, by the Police Jury, for putting shells on the clay cuts at Bayou Castin and Big Branch, on the Covington-Slidell road. Shells will be furnished by the Police Jury. For any information see C. R. SCHULTZ, Road Supervisor. oc7-4t

NOTICE

Office of Pineland Spring Bottling Company. Covington, La., Sept. 25, 1916. Notice is hereby given that the Pineland Spring Bottling Company has been dissolved by unanimous consent of all of the stockholders, at a meeting held on the 20th day of September, A. D. 1916. ALICE A. FURMANN, President. C. S. A. FUHRMANN, Secretary-Treasurer. oc7-3t

CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY.

This is a medicine that every family should be provided with. Colic and diarrhoea often come on suddenly and it is of the greatest importance that they be treated promptly. Consider the suffering that must be endured until a physician arrives or medicine can be obtained. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has a reputation second to none for the quick relief which it affords. Obtainable everywhere.

Piano lessons at your home or at my residence, by experienced instructor. Terms reasonable. Address Mrs. J. Wanger, 219 Boston street, Covington. oc7-1t

LAST—Bay horse with white mark on head, broke away from steamer landing, Covington. Please send information to E. Nelson, Columbia Road, Covington, La.

FOR SALE—Or exchange, one 10-foot galvanized syrup pan, used one season. In good order. \$8.00 cash, or will trade for pigs, sheep, etc. Phone 118. A. F. Eimer, Covington, La.

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Apply 1916 Columbia Street, Covington, La. oc14-3t

LOST—Light red milk cow, white under stomach, short and stocky; sharp horns. Reward, Ella Williams, Military Road.

FOR SALE—A good horse, surrey and harness. Apply 1805 Jackson street, Covington.

FOR SALE—One Poland China brood sow, 2 years old, and 7 and 8 months old pigs, in splendid condition. Apply Elton Ransom, Helen-burg.

WANTED—To buy old 4- and 8-wheel wagons. Address Covington Grocery & Grain Co., Covington, La. oc14-2t

LOST—On Lee Road, between the three and five mile post, a bundle of soiled clothes. Finder will please leave at The Farmer office and receive reward.

WANTED—Yellow sweet potatoes, any quantity. Ready Nov. 6. St. Tammany Canning Co., Covington, phone 123. oc14-1t

1000 fig trees, vigorous stock, 10c up. Plant an orchard. Big demand for figs. Dr. Stevenson. oc14-1t

FOR SALE—Oyster bar and counter. Apply Uzone Belt Saloon, Covington, La. oc13-4t

Singer Sewing Machines, Junius Hart and Kimball pianos, organs and inner players. Office P. J. Lacroix's store, residence 1102 19th Avenue, Covington, La. H. L. Wood. oc7-4t

RYAN'S

Naturally fine candies—sounds good—tastes good. Come on boys! Your best girls are waiting for you to bring them a box. RYAN.

No. 666

This is a prescription prepared especially for MALARIA or CHILLS & FEVER. Five or six doses will break any case, and if taken then as a tonic the Fever will not return. It acts on the liver better than Calomel and does not gripe or sicken. 25c

REDUCED FARES

NEW ORLEANS GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD

FRANKLINTON, LA., AND RETURN

From ALL STATIONS IN LOUISIANA INCLUDING TYLERTOWN AND LEXIE, MISS.

Account of WASHINGTON PARISH FAIR OCTOBER 19 to 21, 1916. One and One Third Fare For Round Trip.

DATES OF SALE: October 19 to 21, 1916, inclusive. Return Limit Oct. 23, 1916.

SPECIAL EXCURSION TRAIN Bogalusa to Franklinton and return, also Special Excursion Fare from all stations in Louisiana (except New Orleans) including Tylerstown and Lexie, Miss.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1916. Passengers to and from Angle and Varnado will travel on regular trains to and from Bogalusa and board the Special Excursion Train leaving Bogalusa at 8:00 a. m., returning leaves Franklinton at 5:00 p. m.

For further information apply to Ticket Agents, or M. J. McMahon, Traffic Manager, New Orleans, La.

NEW ORLEANS GREAT NORTHERN RAILROAD

WEDNESDAY EXCURSIONS

From NEW ORLEANS

To ST. TAMMANY POINTS

Will be discontinued after operation of train October 4, 1916.

SUNDAY EXCURSIONS

To ST. TAMMANY RESORTS

Including Bogalusa, La., will be continued throughout the year as usual.

M. J. McMAHON, Traffic Manager.



Underwear

Stout men, slender men, short men, tall men—we can fit them all perfectly in underwear. Our stock comprises a line of sizes that will fit anybody.

We carry the advertised brands in union suits and two-piece suits in your favorite weight for the season—underwear that will give you comfort and service.

Whatever you can best afford to buy—wool, cotton, merino, silk or the popular mixtures—you'll find here at prices you can afford to pay.

FRANK PATECEK



Delicious Drinks

Our pure ice cream and real fruit flavors make the refreshments that you get at our fountain really nourishing food. And we try to keep our serving dishes and receptacles as clean and wholesome as the best housewife in this town keeps her kitchen.

Stop In Here and get a thirst-quencher; then take a pail of cream or sherbet home to the family.

LEON'S PHARMACY