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ST. TAMMANY IS NOW A FARM BUREAU PARISH

Organization Is Completed and By-laws Adopted At Meeting June 21

STATE CONVENTION REPORT READ

F. L. Dutsch, President; E. J. Frederick, Secretary; John King, Treasurer

The organization meeting of the Parish Farm Bureau took place at the courthouse in Covington Wednesday, June 21, at 11 o'clock a. m. Warren Thomas, president of the Parish Truck Growers Association in the chair, and E. J. Frederick, secretary, 31 members answered roll call.

George W. Delesdormier, delegate to the convention at Baton Rouge, reported as follows:

A State Convention consisting of one delegate from each of the 31 Parish Farm Bureaus met at Baton Rouge, June 12 and 13, and effected permanent organization of the Louisiana Farm Bureau Federation. A. L. Smith, of Ouachita, was chosen president; Frank Dimmick, St. Landry, vice-president; Harry F. Kapp, formerly of Arkansas, secretary-manager, and W. E. Hopper, of East Baton Rouge, treasurer.

St. Tammany parish was ably represented by Mr. George W. Delesdormier who reports an enthusiastic meeting, from which all of the delegates departed eager to take up the work of organization.

The meeting was called to order by J. H. Carpenter of Rosepine, president of the temporary organization, with Guy C. Tanner acting as secretary. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted, and acting duly moved and seconded, committees on ways and means, constitution and by-laws, executive committee, board of managers, permanent organization, finance, etc., were appointed.

Harry F. Kapp gave a talk on the progress of the Farm Bureau in Louisiana. He said that he was more than pleased with the progress made and with the attitude of the farmers in joining the bureau, and with the hundreds who have already joined, which can be built an impregnable organization.

Mr. Kapp told of the many drawbacks encountered; the high water situation in a number of parishes prevented organization work from progressing as it should and the continual rains in many other places made it hard for the workers to reach the farmers. A special marketing bill, similar to the one that is now in use in every southern state except Louisiana and Florida had to be prepared. This was presented at the meeting of the Legislature by Messrs. Parent and Schell, and was unanimously passed by the House on June 12th. A check on the Senate has shown that it will meet with equal success.

Mr. Kapp said that the co-operative rice commodity contract has been printed and is now being presented in the rice sections with much success, the same being the case with the cotton and sweet potato contracts.

Mr. Kapp closed his informal talk by thanking the members of the Extension Department of the Louisiana State University for their wholehearted support in this great move, and expressed a desire that the pleasant relationship should continue.

Perhaps Explains Attitude of Extension Department. "I sincerely believe that the Farm Bureau offers the only means of relief to the farmer," said W. R. Perkins, director of extension of the Louisiana State University. "The bureau has proved a success in forty-seven of the forty-eight states in the Union and I am willing to give my support and aid the county agents to support a move that will lift the farmer from this present slough of despondency."

W. C. Abbott, state club leader, told the members present that the boys and girls of Louisiana were doing efficient work along the exact lines laid down by the farm bureau and he said that within a few years there would be several thousand young men and women fully cognizant of the aims of the bureau and would not have to be educated, as is now the case of the present generation, to the value of organized marketing of farm products.

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WHAT THE F. G. C. AUTO CO. SAYS.

The F. G. C. Auto Company carries on its front window, in white letters, the slogan, "Let's Build the Bridge." In the center of this slogan is a design of the great suspension bridge that is to span the Hudson River at New York. It only costs 130 millions of dollars to build it, but it saves the difference between \$228, the present cost per ton, and 50 cents, the cost when the bridge is built.

TO THE FARMERS OF ST. TAMMANY PARISH.

During the membership drive of the Farm Bureau you heard some say they had nothing to join the Farm Bureau for. Now let us consider the offer made the St. Tammany Farm Bureau last Wednesday by Miss Elmer Wilson, poultry ex-

REVERIE PUT IN SERVICE FOR TRIPS ACROSS THE LAKE

Will Make Daily Trips Between Madisonville, West End and Mandeville

SUNDAY BIG DAY IN MADISONVILLE

Baseball, Music, Professional Dancers, Etc., Personal Notes

By Staff Correspondent. Madisonville, June 22.—The steam yacht, Reverie, of New Orleans, after thorough overhauling and inspection, has recently been put into trans-lake service, plying daily between West End and Madisonville, touching at Mandeville.

The Reverie is a pretty yacht, constructed on long, graceful lines, of 135 feet dimension. Her average speed is 12 knots per hour and her carrying capacity is 150 passengers. She is operated by the Reverie Transportation Company, of New Orleans, with Captain Jack Shill in charge.

On Sunday and Wednesday double trips have been arranged by the officials, which gives Wednesday shoppers and Sunday excursionists practically an entire day in New Orleans. This schedule has been perfected with the view of giving Covington and immediate vicinity enjoyment of this advantage. Notice in this issue for advertisement of the yacht's daily schedule.

Sunday, June 25, Will Be a Jolly Day in Madisonville.

On Sunday, June 25, Madisonville promises a jolly good time to everybody visiting us and the invitation is extended broadcast. Poncehoulou will be here in full force—for that club clashes with the local Reds on the community diamond at 3 p. m. There will be a dance at the Riverside Pavilion directly after the game to continue until the "wee sma" hours. The famous New York Novelty Orchestra, with Arthur Berlin at the piano, will furnish the very best of music.

The afternoon program will include several attractive numbers, and as a special feature dancing by two widely known American professional dancers.

The baseball game scheduled for Sunday, June 18, between the Madisonville Reds and Poncehoulou, in Poncehoulou, had to be cancelled on account of rain.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Jay, of New Orleans, and Mrs. A. Welden, of Mandeville, visited Mr. Peter Gerolucci and Miss Aline Gentelucci last week.

Mr. F. R. Reenor, special agent (Continued on page 6)

"Let's Build the Bridge."

AN APPEAL TO THE BUDDIES.

The preamble of the American Legion's constitution states that it is dedicated to God and country. The Legion, during its career of only three years has demonstrated that it is the best insurance policy the Nation has.

Our post appeals to all eligible service men in this community to join the Legion and to aid our fight for Americanism. The blue and gold buttons of the American Legion marks its wearer as one who has not thrown away his patriotism with the uniform. It means that he has not "passed the buck" to someone else to see that the sick and disabled buddies get justice and to fulfill all those things that he desired to result from the war.

Every man in the service hoped for better things after the war. More than two million doughboys, gobs and gyrones realized that it was going to be a fight to bring to pass the things that they dreamed of. The result of this prevailing sentiment was the formation of the American Legion.

Legion members are from every branch in the service, from those who were forced to remain at home to men who won the congressional medal at Chateau-Thierry and in the Argonne. It includes all ranks from private to general.

Our Legion post can be the most beneficial organization in this community. Its purposes are high; its ideals are untarnished. It deserves your support and the membership of every war veteran. Join Robert H. Burns Post of the American Legion and make it the best post in the State.

For further information address: Robert H. Burns Post, American Legion, Covington, La.

to cure the poultry of the Farm Bureau members and a co-operative market for same (they do the marketing) if the members would agree to have their poultry culled and the non-profit producer ones disposed of, advertise the campaign, and furnish a car or two to go from member's house to member's house for the culling demonstrations.

This is a good thing. The executive committee should look well into this. Rice, truck and cotton growers have cull poultry which should be marketed to get rid of a heavy feed bill just now and to realize cash from a real liability. Let's go! The Farm Bureau has plenty to do.

I'll help call those hens. Yours very truly, O. G. PRICE, County Agent.

Harem Veil Makes Its Appearance



The latest novelty from Atlantic City is the Harem Veil, worn, they say, as a protection for milady's little nose against the freckle-making sun.

CO'MENCEMENT DEPT. HEADS OF INTERSTATE EXERCISES AT ST. PAUL'S

On Sunday, June 18th, at 1 p. m., St. Paul's College held its fourth commencement exercises in their splendid auditorium, which was beautifully decorated for the occasion. A large audience greeted the players and students.

"Francesco Carrara" was admirably performed by the young men taking part, most of them displaying remarkable histrionic powers. The College Orchestra rendered several selections and showed careful training. Edward A. Meyers sang very sweetly. Henry E. Gautreaux, Andrew J. Reimnuth, James N. Larose and Louis Brady rendered well the Spanish Bolero.

The salutatory was given by Reginald J. Schutzen and the valedictory by John D. Lambert, both distinguishing themselves.

Medals were awarded to the following: The bronze medal for excellence in typewriting, Bartolome D. Barcelo, Olivier E. Margailan, Clifford J. Alexander, Mario A. Diaz, George Brunet, Joseph Morales, Jose Perez, Anthony X. Frey, Theodore Lalande, Bengno R. Pestana, Thos. H. Simmons and Numa M. Gottardi. The gold medal for good conduct: Reginald J. Schutzen and Joachim P. Lafiteau.

The gold medal for composition: Camillus J. Fuchscher and Richard M. Fritman. The gold medal for Christian Doctrine: Jos. J. Morales and Robert L. Lobdell.

The gold medal for elocution: Geo. A. Dullenty, James N. Larose. The gold medal for excellence in public debating: M. A. Broussard. The gold medal for instrumental music: Erwin T. Redmann. The gold medal for regularity in attendance: Chas. D. Lancaster.

The gold medal for general proficiency in their respective classes: Louis R. Richeloup, Joseph J. Morales, Noel P. Kammer, Miguel L. Lobe, Theodore D. Lalande, Charles D. Lancaster, Adrian J. Ennard and Ferdinand H. Schutzen. The gold medal for excellence in typewriting: Bartolome D. Barcelo. Mr. A. J. Finney was instructed by Rev. Fr. Bernard, O. S. B., chaplain of the college, and in a masterly manner won his audience. The point emphasized by Mr. Finney was the necessity of a high school education for the young man and the young woman of today. After giving a few words of advice to the young graduates of the day the speaker turned to the audience and congratulated the parents of the graduates for the benefit they had granted their sons by giving them a thorough education. He also entreated the parents of the younger students to make sacrifices, if necessary, in order to leave their sons at school until they complete their studies.

The following young gentlemen received diplomas from the Academic Department: Steve J. Bruno, Roy A. Chauvin, Allen R. Keatzel, Louis R. Picheloup, John M. Powell, John D. Lambert. The following graduates from the Commercial Department: Arthur B. Adams, Clifford George Brunet, Bartolome D. Barcelo, J. Alexander, Bartolome D. Barcelo, George Brunet, Mario A. Diaz, Adrian J. Garcia, Olivier E. Margailan, Joseph J. Morales, Joseph A. O'Connell, Joseph Perez, Reginald Schutzen and B. James Storm.

St. Paul's College has made many improvements during the past year and is the only college in Louisiana which edits and publishes a monthly magazine, "The Record," entirely managed and gotten up by the students.

The College Alumni held a meeting and election Saturday evening at the college and concluded with a delightful banquet where speeches and toasts were made.

The Rev. Brother Bertrand, director of the college, left on the 21st on an important visit to Europe, and during his absence the Rev. Brother Ernest will discharge his duties.

"Let's Build the Bridge."

Mr. Anthony Frey left Covington Monday morning to attend the summer session of Loyola University.

LOST—Small black leather hand-grip, containing medicines and instruments. Please return to Mrs. F. Schneider, midwife, Phone 258.

FOLSOM NOTES.

(By Staff Correspondent) Folsom, June 21st.—Mr. Norman Fendlasson left last Wednesday for New Orleans, Miss., to be the guest of his grand-daughter, Mrs. P. James, for some time.

Mrs. C. C. Harrelson returned last

DEDICATION OF FOLSOM CHURCH BY ARCHBISHOP SHAW, SUNDAY

A Throng of People Assembled To Witness the Impressive Ceremony

MEMORABLE DAY FOR FOLSOM CATHOLICS

Church is Blessed in Honor of St. John the Baptist, Then High Mass

On Sunday morning, June 11, the beautiful new Catholic Church at Folsom was solemnly dedicated by the Most Rev. Archbishop of New Orleans. A throng of people had assembled to witness the impressive ceremony.

It was a memorable day for the Catholics at Folsom and the surrounding country, because for many years they had been without a church. But now, thanks to the indefatigable zeal of Rev. Father Odilo A. O. S. B., of St. Benedict, who is in charge of this new parish, and to the kind assistance of several benefactors, they have the prettiest church in this section of St. Tammany parish. The mellow tones of a large bell, bearing some appropriate inscriptions, will henceforth announce to the settlers the divine service. Father Odilo's work and achievements deserve great praise.

The Most Rev. Archbishop arrived in Folsom at 10 a. m., accompanied by Very Rev. Father Adalbert, O. S. B., Prior of St. Joseph's Abbey, and the Rev. Fathers Basil and Athanasius. His Grace, assisted by the Rev. Fathers, performed the impressive ceremonies, blessing the church in honor of St. John the Baptist. A high mass, celebrated by Rev. Fr. Odilo, followed the blessing of the church. Mr. B. Scallan, of St. Joseph's Seminary, presided at the organ and several young seminarians rendered the sacred chant. After mass His Grace delivered a beautiful and impressive sermon, showing his audience the necessity of serving God and making God the great goal of our earthly prayer. His convincing words reached the hearts and minds of all present with conviction.

The distinguished Prelate then proceeded, accompanied by the Rev. Fathers, to Unedus, where they enjoyed the greatest hospitality at the home of Mr. D. Brennan. The Seminarians were waited upon by the good people of Folsom, for whom it was a day of great joy and happiness. The visit of the Most Rev. Archbishop and the blessing of the church was an event long to be remembered by the people of Folsom.

A FRIEND.

PAUL ENGLISH PLAYERS COMING TO COVINGTON NEXT WEEK.

Mr. Paul English and his popular players will open a week's engagement here under their big waterproofed tent theatre—the show with a million friends justly earned—having played seven months in the heart of Shreveport and to the very best people in the city. Mr. English has a wonderful lay-out in this season, new and up-to-date scenery, electrical effects, fine band and orchestra, playing the jazziest airs ever heard in Covington. Mr. English's show is different from all other so-called tent theatres—none of that cheap and shabby rough stuff, but he opens with one of his feature plays with no extra charge, Monday night, with one of New York's latest successes, "Which One Shall I Marry?" If you miss this one you miss one of the best nights.

No doubt the people of Covington and near-by towns will give the popular players the glad hand the same as they did last season. They are a clean bunch, on the square, and deserve the support of the amusement loving people.

Mr. English has a baseball team that plays real baseball, nicely uniformed.—Adv.

about to complete a beautiful bungalow. Mr. B. F. Carey has just finished painting his store.

Mr. Jos. Rausch has enlarged his store, which is a sign of good business. Mr. Chas. Spitzfaden and family are over for the summer months. Bids are being asked for the new Catholic Church, which will soon be erected, and will be a credit to the town.

We will soon have an election for a \$30,000 bond issue to erect a new school building, which is sadly needed, and it is to be hoped that the election will be carried.

The Abita School League will give a dance, July 2, for the benefit of the Abita school, and it should be well patronized.

Mr. A. Perez and family are now occupying their home for the summer months. The administration is doing lots of improvements around town, and we hope the new administration will keep it up when they take office, which will be in July.

Owing to the scarcity of mail boxes, our postmaster opens every evening for an hour, which is greatly appreciated by the public. Voters, be sure to vote for the school tax in July. And don't forget July 2d for a good time.

The Druid are going to have a grand outing July 16th at Abita. Everybody is welcome, and an enjoyable time is assured all who attend.

CURRI MARKET PRICES FOR NEXT WEEK

Eggs, per doz.	25c
Chickens, per lb.	25c, 35c
Butter, per lb.	40c
Cream Cheese, each	10c
Corn	20c up
Tomatoes per doz.	15c up
Egg Plants	.05c up
Peas, bunch	.05c
Beans, per quart	.10c
Watermelons, each	.15c up
Okra, quart	.05c
Butterbeans, 2 quarts	15c
Peppers, dozen	20c
Snapbeans, per lb.	.05c
Cabbage	.05c up
Onions, per lb.	.05
Irish potatoes, per lb.	.04c
Cucumbers, per doz.	.15c

LIVING PICTURES OF COVINGTON BUSINESS GETS WILD APPLAUSE

First Prize for Prettiest Picture Is Voted To Lambert & Smith

CASERTA'S GARAGE MOST APPROPRIATE

Award for the Funniest Advertisement Went To Smith Hardware Co

(By Mrs. J. Louis Smith) Covingtonians, when on pleasure bent, evidently leave "shop" entirely behind. This was fully illustrated by the lack of pencils at the Living Picture Show, which was given for the benefit of the Episcopal Church, Tuesday night, at the Park Pavilion.

A number of people could not vote because they had no pencils, but judging from the oral expressions regarding the pictures, the judgment of everyone would have been taxed to its fullest capacity in order to make a fair decision among so many beautiful and appropriate pictures. However, from the number of votes cast the following results were obtained:

Lambert and Smith, fruit and vegetable stand, was given first place as the prettiest picture. This was posed by Miss Hazel Warren, holding a tray of fruit in one hand and a single piece of fruit held aloft in the other. Little Miss Muriel Gautreaux was reaching up for the piece of fruit.

The second place in the prettiest class was voted a tie between the Covington Grocery & Grain Company, posed by little Miss Dorothy White, as a white lily, advertising Lilly White Flour, and the Burgi Jewelry Store, posed by Miss Dorothy Blossman and Mr. Lawrence Frederick.

By a unanimous vote the award for the funniest ad. was given to our Mayor who posed for Smith Hardware Company. His capacious yet graceful figure was profusely hung with a supply of aluminum kitchen utensils. Mayor Badon was truly a thing of beauty and a joy forever, for he kept the audience convulsed with laughter.

The most appropriate picture was voted as the ad. for Joe Caserta's Garage. Master C. M. Pools was a typical chauffeur, and he portrayed his part with dignity and grace.

Second place in this class is held jointly by four contestants, as follows: Hobbs's Grocery, posed by Master Brandon Fuhrmann and "Memphis" Johnson, the original dispenser of Cream of Wheat; the Covington Bank & Trust Company, posed by Mr. E. G. Davis, as the King in (Continued on page 5)

"Let's Build the Bridge."

MR. VICTOR PIANCHE ENTERS PRACTICE OF LAW AT LOCAL BAR.

It is with pleasure that we note the entry into the law field of Mr. Victor Planche, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Planche, of Covington, who graduated in the Law Department of Louisiana State University. He will open offices in Covington in the near future. Mr. Planche is another of the finished products of the Covington High School, he having graduated here with high honors a few years ago. Mr. Planche is a popular and very industrious young man and we predict for him much success in his chosen field of endeavor. On Thursday of last week he was presented to the Court and Judge Carter welcomed him with congratulations and well wishes.

SUCCESSION SALE

Succession of Mrs. Julia Pechon No. 222

Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana.

By virtue of a writ of sale from the honorable aforesaid court and to me directed, bearing date the 19th day of June, 1922, and to me directed, I will offer for sale to the last and highest bidder, at the principal front door of the courthouse in the Town of Covington, St. Tammany Parish, Louisiana, between legal sale hours for judicial sales, on Saturday, July 8, 1922, the following described property, to-wit:

- One (1) lot of furniture and household effects, as per inventory on file in sheriff's office.
- One (1) small diamond ring.
- One (1) diamond S. S. stud.
- One (1) wedding ring.
- Two (2) other small rings.
- Four (4) gold U. S. coins.
- One (1) small cross.
- One (1) Lady's gold watch.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisal. WALTER GALATAS, Sheriff. A. J. Finney, Atty. for Administrator

after which a recess was taken and everybody present invited to partake of a southerly lunch which was spread on the lower floor of the hall, and to which everyone present did full justice.

The afternoon session was taken up in conferring Royal Arch degrees, talks for the good of the order, etc.