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A MANDEVILLE GIRL WEDDED QUIETLY IN ORLEANS

Ceremony Is Performed By Rev. Reider in St. Cecilia's Church

GIRL SCOUTS VISIT MANDEVILLE

Attend Mandeville Picture Show. Social Doings and Personals

By Staff Correspondent

Mandeville, Aug. 2.—Miss Ruby Dubourg and Mr. James Thriffley were quietly married on last Saturday, July 29, 1922, in New Orleans, at 11 o'clock a. m., Rev. Reider of St. Cecilia's Church officiating. Miss Dubourg had as her attendants Miss Dorothy Band, an intimate friend, who was gorgeously attired in flesh colored georgette, and Miss Leahy Thriffley, sister of the groom, beautifully adorned in old lace georgette. Mr. Thriffley had as his best man, Mr. Arthur P. Burke, and as groomsmen, Mr. Rene Dubourg.

Miss Dubourg entered with her father who gave her away, and was strikingly beautiful in a navy georgette frock over grey, with cape effect, and hat to correspond.

Miss Dubourg was a popular and attractive young lady of Mandeville and a great favorite in her set. Her many friends will miss her greatly. Mr. Thriffley is a prominent and well-known young man of New Orleans, and has been employed for some time by A. C. Williams, recorder of mortgages.

Mrs. L. Swoboda, sister of the groom, entertained at a delightful dinner at 2 o'clock in honor of the newly married couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Thriffley received the congratulations of their numerous friends who wished them a happy married career. Mr. and Mrs. Thriffley will reside in a recently constructed bungalow on St. Roch.

Miss Stillman wishes to thank the friends who attended the program at Rest Awhile, Monday night, and who contributed so generously to the children's play fund. About fifty people responded to the "bird invitation" sent out, and an offering of \$6.30 was given, which will aid materially in buying a few more amusements for the kiddies. They are already enjoying the three swings recently donated by one of the committee from an Orleans area.

Tuesday night a crowd of sixty-seven from New Orleans arrived, which included thirty children, who will be trained for a program to be given at the end of their two weeks' vacation.

A troop of New Orleans Girl Scouts, who are camping near the Bogue Falaya river at Covington, were in Mandeville last Monday to attend the pictures show at the Elk Theatre given for their benefit. The girls were all of life and lived up things considerably. After the show they went through their daily exercises and showed the people the correct way in which exercise should be taken. Dancing terminated the evening amusement, which was a great success.

In the strictest sense of the word, Mandeville is crowded. On Sunday, July 23, there was one vacant house but the following Monday about thirty-seven applied for rental, so now every house is occupied. Houses that were never before considered suitable for renting are at present filled. The hotels are packed to capacity and even the private boarding houses are refusing people, being compelled to do so.

Mr. Kenneth King has returned from McComb where he spent several weeks. Mr. Faure Sharp is at home for the summer.

Mr. L. Busby, of the Times-Picayune, is a few days here with Mr. Herbert Smith.

The Priscilla Club was last entertained by Mrs. W. P. O'Neill on July 9th. Mrs. J. E. Lemieux will be the hostess of the club at its next meeting.

Mr. Lewis Smith, of Lafayette, visited friends and relatives here last week. Miss Claire Gusman was in Mandeville last Friday visiting her grand mother, Mrs. J. N. Miller.

Mrs. F. P. Worthington left Sunday for the North. During her trip she will visit Chicago and other leading cities in that section. She will return in about a month.

Mrs. F. B. Wise spent the past week with her parents. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Weber and daughter, Peggy, will arrive next week and be the guests of Mrs. F. P. Worthington.

Miss Margaret Nugent is spending her vacation in Mandeville as the guest of Misses Blanche and Estelle Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Dubourg and little daughter, Dorothy Band, Mrs. J. N. Miller and Mr. Rene Dubourg attended the Dubourg-Thriffley wedding in New Orleans last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Parlay and son are the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Farley.

Mrs. R. B. Paine returned from Shreveport last Saturday after visiting her son, Dr. R. B. Paine, Jr., in that city.

Mrs. Alice Cruice and Miss Constance Caplecome were Mandeville visitors last Sunday.

Mr. Robert Valley and four friends spent the week in Mandeville with Miss Caroline Smith.

Miss Beulah Hartman came to

SLIDELL NOTES.

(By Staff Correspondent)

Slidell, Aug. 3.—The Crosoats team lost last Thursday to the strong Slidell Stores team in a hard fought game by a score of 13 to 6.

The Slidell Stores team defeated the Canulette Shipbuilding team, Thursday, by a score of 11 to 0.

Miss Sibyl Wharton, of Verona, Miss., is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Wharton for some time.

Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Folsie have as their guest Miss Douglas, of Hillsboro, Ill.

Mr. James Tate, of Poplarville, is the guest of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Varnado.

Miss Helen Dunham is entertaining Misses Helen Moreau and Germaine Dusan, of Latcher, and gave a lake party last Monday night in their honor.

Mr. Parker Folsie, of Pattison, was a week end guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Folsie.

Mr. W. C. Wharton, of Gulfport, was a recent visitor to his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. V. Wharton.

A fishing party composed of Judge Bourgeois, T. K. Busby of the Times-Picayune, and M. P. Simmons spent last Saturday at Grand Lagoon and secured a number of fine trout.

Mr. T. L. Provoost, of the Jas. Provoost & Sons Insurance Agency, has moved his family to Slidell and will reside here.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Reed motored to Poplarville, Miss., Sunday, returning Monday.

Miss Mildred Gill has returned to Lumberton after a pleasant visit to Mrs. Miller Simmons and her sister, Miss Sykes.

Miss Francis Howze returned last Friday from a three weeks visit to Columbia and Crystal Springs, Miss.

Miss Gladys Crockett is spending several days in New Orleans.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Reid and little daughter, Misses Alma Wallman, Willard Varnado and Mr. Enoch Tate motored to Poplarville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Neuhauer and son left Wednesday on a trip through Louisiana and Mississippi.

Miss Janie Williams, of Meridian, Miss., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank M. Comfort.

Miss Nell Fritcher, who has been visiting her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Murray for several weeks, returned to her home in Mobile last Sunday.

Misses Pomie Dunham, Flo Dunham, Hazel Martin, Grace Larrabee and Mr. T. J. Eddins motored to Poplarville Thursday.

Mrs. B. P. Dunham entertained at Bridge last Saturday afternoon. Her guests included Misses Frances Howze, Grace Larrabee, Helen and Flo Dunham, Sally Haley and Pomie Dunham, Messsages James Carter, W. A. Parker, J. W. Thompson. The hostess was assisted in serving by her daughter, Miss Gladys Nell Dunham.

Mr. S. J. Folsie, of Pattison, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Folsie for several days.

Mrs. Guy Bourgeois, of New Orleans, is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mrs. M. J. Graves and children, of Bogalusa, were week end guests of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Varnado.

Mrs. C. B. Behnke, after spending several days in Meridian, has returned home.

Mrs. Will Baden spent Thursday in New Orleans.

Mr. J. H. Robert spent several days this week in Covington.

Miss Urrel Smith, of Purvis, Miss., is the guest of her cousin, Miss Bernice Crockett.

Mrs. Everitt returned last Thursday from Bogalusa.

Mrs. Smith, of Purvis, Miss., is visiting Mr. Wallace Crockett.

The Angel of Death visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Panks, Sr., and claimed their infant child, Thursday morning at 4 o'clock. The bereaved family has the sympathy of their many friends. Rev. W. H. Giles conducted the last sad rites. Interment was made in the Methodist Cemetery.

DANCE AT LACOMBE. There will be a dance given at the Lacombe hall for the benefit of the Lacombe Community Hall fund, Saturday, August 5. Admission 25c.

JUDGE ROBT. S. ELLIS. Judge Robt. S. Ellis comes from a family of distinguished lawyers. His announcement as a candidate for the Court of Appeal, this district, will bring to his support quite a following in St. Tammany parish. He has practiced law for twenty-eight years and is a graduate of Tulane University. Judge Ellis has been judge of the 21st District court since 1908.

Baby Wants Name, Not Gold, says mother.



CORNELIUS VANDEBILT WHITNEY

The son of multi-millionaire Harry Payne Whitney, Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, has been asked to give his name to the 18-month-old baby of Miss Evan Burrows Fontaine, noted Oriental dancer of New York.

The action was started when the engagement of young Whitney to Miss Marie Norton, society girl of New York, was announced.

The dancer claims young Whitney wanted to marry her while he was student at Yale but she refused as she didn't want to hurt his career. He grew cold, she says, when she told him of the baby, which she now calls Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, Jr.

It's a name not gold that my baby wants, she says.

Miss Norton says her friendship for young Whitney is unchanged.

MISS EVAN BURROWS FONTAINE

MISS MARIE NORTON

TOWN COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS AUGUST 1

A regular meeting of the Town Council, sometimes described as the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Covington, Louisiana, was held at the Town Council Room on Boston street, its regular meeting place, in said Town of Covington, La., on the 1st day of August, 1922.

There were present, the Hon. Robert W. Baden, mayor, who presides, and the following Aldermen: C. E. Schenberger, H. A. Mackie, Emile Frederick, Chas. H. Sheffield and A. R. Smith. There were absent: M. P. Flanche.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The following ordinance was offered by Alderman C. E. Schenberger, seconded by Alderman A. R. Smith:

AN ORDINANCE Levying a special tax of six mills on the dollar for the year 1922, on all of the taxable property situated within the corporate limits of the Town of Covington, Louisiana, for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of One Hundred and Thirty Thousand (\$130,000.00) Dollars Waterworks and Sewerage Bonds of said Town, authorized at a special election held on May 16, 1922.

Be it ordained by the Town Council, sometimes called the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Covington, Louisiana, in regular session convened, as follows:

THE MANDEVILLE ELECTION. Following is the list of candidates who have filed their names for the municipal election to be held on August 14th in the town of Mandeville.

For Mayor W. E. Van Zant, W. G. Davis.

Board of Aldermen E. H. Baudot, James Band, Steve Josza, W. R. Smith, Wm. A. Griffin, E. Dubourg.

For Marshal Philip Smith, Louis Pizzetta.

BACK EXPLOSIONS OF THE BRAIN. (By the Old Professor, Roland Morgan, Madisonville)

Lots of smart Alecks brag about leaving foot prints in the sands of time, but I find lots of dem foot prints, upon investigation, wid der toes pointin der wrong way. Looks like most of dem guys leavin and draggin bout der foot prints most er bin walkin backwards, by heck!

A Moskveter and family came over on the South East Wind on a flying visit to Madisonville. They enjoyed the delicious refreshments served them and returned to their home in Louisiana Marsh with many souvenirs.

Lonesome Luke wanted to borrow my 10-gauge shot gun to blow his brains out, but I told him he didn't need a shot gun, he could just blow his nose and do that.

What goes into a bottle don't hurt nobody. It's what comes out.

Observing Oscar says dirt daubers in Madisonville are working overtime to catch up. They could not get building material on account of the long dry spell.

COMPLETES 50 YEARS TEACHING AT 81



There are very few persons in Little Rock, Ark., who have not come in contact with this very successful woman. She is Mrs. Bene B. Sterling, who now at 81 years of age has just completed fifty consecutive years of teaching in the public schools there. She started in 1872. It is estimated 6,000 pupils have been in her classes.

FOLSOM NEWS NOTES AND PERSONALS.

(By Staff Correspondent)

Folsom, Aug. 3.—The ladies of Folsom will give an entertainment at the Community House August 12. Everybody is invited to come and see the "beauties and intellect" of Folsom display their charms and talent in the dramatization of "My Aunt's Heiress."

Birthday Party for Little Dorothy Capelle. A very pleasant time was spent last Sunday by the children at the home of Mrs. Thos. Gasman, who entertained in honor of the eighth birthday of Dorothy Capelle, of New Orleans, who is spending the summer here. The children rendered an interesting program of songs and recitations, after which delicious ice cream, cake and candy were served.

Little Dorothy was the recipient of many nice presents. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Moxley and children, of Abita Springs, visited friends here last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Verger and Mr. and Mrs. J. Carroll motored to Mandeville last Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Maulin.

Miss Emma Fendaison spent last Saturday and Sunday at Baton Rouge.

Mrs. Grace Brown, of New Orleans, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. York and children motored to Abita Springs last Sunday.

Mrs. W. T. Wallis left last week for Lafayette, where she will visit friends for some time.

Mmes. Thos. Gasman and J. W. York and children motored to Covington, Wednesday, in the interest of the entertainment to be given soon.

Messrs. Johnson and Rayne, of Covington, were the guests of Miss Ruby Spring last Friday.

Mr. R. Folk, of New Orleans, is a guest at China Grove.

Misses Ruby Spring, Emma and Eula Fendaison and Messrs. Ludy and Ralph Green attended church at Baton Rouge, Wednesday night.

Quite a crowd gathered at the home of Miss Claire Gusman and tendered her a surprise party. Games and dancing were indulged in. Delicious punch was served.

Mrs. H. Collins, of Onvill, was the guest of Mrs. J. W. York, Thursday.

Mrs. Virginia Capelle and Mr. C. Sheyfer, of New Orleans, were guests of Mrs. Thos. Gasman, Sunday.

Mr. Lawrence M. Bourgeois this week started remodeling and repairing the house on Vermont street, formerly occupied by Mrs. L. Miles, and it's safe to say that when he finishes the job it will materially add to the looks of the "Bourgeois Neighborhood," as that section of the town is becoming to be known.

Mr. Bourgeois has the knack of turning an old barn into a veritable fairy home. Wish we had a lot more Bourgeois in this town.

MISS REULAH WORD.

The following from the Webster Signal, Minden, La., will be of interest to Covington people:

"Cards announcing the graduation from the Conservatory of Higher Art in Little Rock, Ark., of Miss Reulah Word, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hammett of this city occurred on May 27. Miss Word has completed the study of dramatic arts after three years hard study. She will immediately go to the Elizabeth Merse University, St. Louis, for a six weeks course in that noted institution before coming to Minden to join her parents. As a member of the Business and Progressive Women's Clubs and being an active worker in the Young Women's Christian Association and other important activities in the city, the departure of Miss Word will be keenly felt. Minden will be glad to welcome this talented young lady."

COURTHOUSE NEWS.

July 23, John Parker was brought in from Tallisheek, charged with stealing \$102 from Mr. Smith. He had \$49 of the money left after buying clothing.

July 26, Louise Mizette was captured in New Orleans. She is charged with shooting a woman at Mandeville a year ago.

July 27, Robert Bray, colored, charged by affidavit in the Second Ward Justice Court with beating his wife, was released on bond.

The Lutheran ladies of Abita are giving their annual sale at the Pavilion to-day at 2 p. m. Fine values in fancy work and home-made cakes will be displayed.

JAHNCKE SHIP YARD LAUNCHES FINE YACHT FOR LICHENSTEIN

The Jetta is 70 Feet Long, With 12 Staterooms All Modernly Equipped

LARGE CROWD WITNESS LAUNCH

Come From New Orleans in Yachts; Personal Notes and News Items

Madisonville, Aug. 3.—Madisonville was again thrilled at the familiar crash of the bottle and then the glittering splash of champagne as it was heedlessly crushed against the prow of a craft.

And this Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, when the "Jetta," pretty yacht of the long graceful type was launched here at the Jahnccke Ship Yard where she has undergone recent construction.

The yacht formed a picture beautiful to witness as she slowly and gracefully left the cradle and slid into the waiting waters of the picturesque Tchoufouca—and was one that undoubtedly left a pleasing impression on the several hundred spectators present, especially the din and glamour from the heavy anvils and whistles and sirens that marked her entrance into the water.

The Jetta is owned by Mr. S. M. Lichenstein, of New Orleans, and is a good looking craft of 70 feet dimension with 12 staterooms and every modern convenience and carrying a powerful Murray and Tregurtha engine.

Andrew Gunter, young son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Gunter, of New Orleans, stood sponsor, and was natty in an appropriate seaman's costume.

An exceptionally large crowd of New Orleans people came over on yachts for the event. The Rowena, with a select party, was the center of a real celebration after the launching, with Mr. Lichenstein the delightful host that he always is, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Gunter.

Miss Pearl Holly and Mrs. Roy Forson returned Saturday from a delightful visit with Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Holly in Waynesboro, Miss., and Mrs. M. F. McBride in Mobile, Ala. They were joined at Hattiesburg by Miss Nora Holly, who has been attending summer normal.

Dr. Chas. Lippus has as his guests for the week his two charming daughters, Misses Consuelo and Carlotta Lopez, of New Orleans.

Miss Lillian Meyers, after a delightful visit with Mrs. E. K. Haas and Misses Mamie and Theodora Milloitt, has returned to her home in New Orleans.

Mrs. L. Carson Miles and lovely little daughter, Lydia Joyce, of Slidell, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Oulliber.

Mr. Leslie Badaux, of New Orleans, is visiting the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Lions.

Miss Bonnie Mae Smith returned Saturday evening from Slidell where she spent a fortnight with the Boy and Girl Scouts at the Salmen Club House. She was joined at Covington by Miss Della Parent who will be her guest for several weeks.

Miss Peggy Caulfield, of New Orleans, is the very interesting guest of Miss Pinkie Colleton.

Miss Lena Varnad arrived Saturday evening from New Orleans to be the guest for two weeks of Miss Dania Chatelier.

Mrs. M. Morgan and daughter, Miss Alma, returned Wednesday from New Orleans where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Lee Morgan.

Mrs. Roy Forson left Monday to join Mr. Forson in Houston, Texas, after an extended visit here with her sisters, Misses Pearl and Nora Holly.

Mr. Francis Zellers and Mr. Victor Varnad arrived Saturday afternoon from New Orleans to be guests for several weeks at the home of Mrs. Valentine Hoeko, Sr.

Misses Stella, Violet and Hazel Heughan and Mr. Jean Spohrer, of New Orleans, are the interesting guests of Mrs. Earl Galatas.

Miss Alime Gentucci returned recently from a pleasant visit to Miss Mary Lauder in New Orleans.

Mr. Meyer Varnad and Mr. Joseph Mustachia, of New Orleans, are spending several weeks here.

Mrs. Andrew Messina and Mr. J. Messina returned Sunday afternoon to New Orleans after a delightful visit with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Hayden.

Miss Elmere Rousseau, of New Orleans, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. E. Koopp, Sr., and Miss Corinne Koopp.

Miss Florence Mayer was the week end guest of Mrs. John Barnett, leaving Sunday afternoon. She was accompanied to New Orleans by Miss Irene Goodspeed for several weeks.

Mr. Emile B. Oulliber, Sr., was a business visitor to New Orleans last Saturday.

Mr. Felix Currow left Monday for Atlanta, Ga. He was accompanied by Mr. Joseph Stein, Jr., who has accepted a position at the Morris Ice Plant.

Mrs. Edward Badaux, daughters, Misses Althea and Ethelyn Badaux, have returned to their home in New Orleans after a sojourn of several months at their summer home here. BORN TO Mr. and Mrs. Emile B. Oulliber (nee Carmelite Canulette), on Monday, July 16, 1922, a son, Walter Leroy.

HOW VISITORS VIEW THE GOOD ROADS, THIS PARISH

Extend Compliments To Good Road Commission For Splendid Roads

ST. TAMMANY TO THE FRONT

"If You Appreciate This Good Road, Tell Others" Should Be Signboard

The St. Tammany Parish Good Roads Commission is in receipt of the following letter, which goes to show that outsiders appreciate our roads:

New Orleans, July 27, 1922. St. Tammany Parish Good Roads Commission, Covington, La.

Gentlemen:—Permit me, through this epistle, to extend my highest regards to the Good Roads Commission of St. Tammany Parish for their beautiful roads leading from Slidell to Mandeville, Covington and Abita Springs.

I had occasion to visit Mandeville July 23d for the week end, and after motoring over these roads, which lead to the different health resorts, I cannot but praise the efforts of your commission in endeavoring to bring St. Tammany parish to the front, as it now seems.

It would be wise, if you will permit me to say, to place signs on this beautiful road, as follows: "If you appreciate this good road, tell others what St. Tammany Parish is doing, and you will help us."

I assure you I will boost your roads everywhere.

Yours truly, C. V. LOT. JUDGE ROBT. B. REID.

Judge Robert B. Reid has announced his candidacy for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court from this district. His legal attainments and high standing are unquestionable. In Tangipahoa parish, where he has practiced law and presided as judge of the District Court, he has been endorsed by resolutions of the Bar Association. Throughout the state he has won distinction as an able lawyer and jurist. He has many warm friends in St. Tammany parish.

Capt. G. E. Millar is spending a few days at his home in Abita. He will leave again next week to take charge of an ocean-going vessel.

Mr. B. Fontain, of New Orleans, was in Covington yesterday shaking hands with old friends here. All were glad to see him.

This has been candidates' week in St. Tammany. Robt. B. Reid and F. F. Brunot, candidates for the supreme bench, and Robt. S. Ellis and Clay Elliott, candidates for Court of Appeal, Third District, were busy shaking hands with old friends and new acquaintances.

OLD COVINGTON. Once again I find myself strolling along the streets of the old town, hoping to meet some old remembered face, but none appear to give me welcome. At last I come to the corner where once stood the large and busy wheelwright shop once owned by Nathan Page. In its place I now see an up to date dry goods store in whose large glass windows are displayed many beautiful things so dear to the female heart. On the opposite corner, once familiarly known as "Heintz's Corner," from the fact that it was the lounging place of many old cronies who loved to meet there and discuss the topics of the day while enjoying the "rest" and comfort afforded by the hard but hospitable old bench. The store, a general merchandise store, was owned and operated by Mr. Chas. Heintz, who was also the postmaster. Gone is the old bench, also the postmaster, and in their place appear the large department store of Frank Patecek.

All the old buildings on what was once known as "Up Street" when we started out to do any little errand, have disappeared, and the street is now known as Columbia street.

Passing on, at last, I come to an old familiar friend peeping out from between the Patecek building and the F. C. C. Auto Shop, and away back from the sidewalk, as if a horse of its antiquity, is a little house once used as a school, and presided over by an elderly lady named Mrs. Tate. She was not an up-to-date teacher, as she wore her skirts long enough to hide her feet and her hearing was dignified. She won the hearts of all her pupils for she had a fund of humor, and the scholars she turned out showed the thoroughness of her training. She rests now in the cemetery in Amite. Passing on by the courthouse, a much finer building than the old one, and a credit to the town, I see where once was a large brick house, the home of the Italian consul, Mr. Rocchi, whose wife was said to have realized a large fortune raising silk worms. In its place I see a large and flourishing looking bank, the Commercial

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