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LEAGUE GAMES BASKETBALL EXCITING, FAST

Hi Trims Snappy Five In Decisive Fashion, 17 to 9 Score

PROVES SCIENCE IS SUPERIOR TO BRAWN

Honors of the Day Won By Duke, Poole and Seiler for Covington Hi

Friday night, Nov. 10th, the Covington Basketball League got well under way in two fast games between the Covington Hi and Snappy Five and the K. of C. vs. Covington Gymnastic Club. The Hi trimmed the Snappy Five in decisive fashion to the tune of 17 to 9, while the K. of C. took the second game in a fast and exciting fray by the score of 16 to 4.

The first game proved to the crowd of spectators that it doesn't take brawn to play the game, for the Hi's were much lighter in weight, but handled themselves well, demonstrating good pass work and accurate goal shooting. Duke, Poole and Seiler played stellar ball for Hi and deserve the honors of the day. Much to the surprise of the C. G. C., the K. of C. walked away with the second game, the first half of which ended 8-0. The game was exciting throughout and brought out Clark and Caserta as stars.

On Tuesday night, Nov. 14th, the second double-header of the season was played between the K. of C. vs. American Legion and the C. G. C. vs. Snappy Five. The K. of C. duplicated their performance of the previous date by tucking away their second victory at the expense of the American Legion by the score of 16 to 12. The game was hard fought from whistle to whistle, at times the outcome being very uncertain, until the final count. For the K. of C., Clark and Frederick played best, while Lansing and R. Menetre starred for the Legion.

The second game found the C. G. C. at the short end of a 25-18 score. The Snappy Five redeemed themselves from the defeat of the previous week, fighting their way to victory in a good game. Both teams played splendid ball, the Snappy Five being able to find the basket at the opportune time.

Referee, Park; timer, G. A. Smith; scorer, W. A. Burris; time of halves, 15 minutes.

Friday, Nov. 10, Games.

| Snappy Five | Field G. | Foul G. |
|------------------------|----------|---------|
| Lacroix, f | 1 | 3 |
| McCormack, f | 0 | 0 |
| Schoen, g | 0 | 0 |
| Vergez, g | 0 | 0 |
| Coltora, g | 2 | 0 |
| | 3 | 3 |

| Cov. Gym. Club | Field G. | Foul G. |
|-----------------------|----------|---------|
| Menetre, f | 0 | 0 |
| Blanchin, f | 1 | 2 |
| Seiler, g | 0 | 0 |
| Cooper, g | 0 | 0 |
| Planche, g | 0 | 0 |
| | 1 | 2 |

| K. of C. | Field G. | Foul G. |
|------------------------|----------|---------|
| Clark, f | 4 | 0 |
| Caserta, f | 2 | 2 |
| Moise, c | 0 | 0 |
| L. Heintz, g | 0 | 0 |
| Frederick, g | 0 | 0 |
| J. Heintz, f | 1 | 0 |
| | 7 | 2 |

| American Legion | Field G. | Foul G. |
|-------------------------|----------|---------|
| B. Burns, f | 0 | 0 |
| Lansing, f | 1 | 0 |
| J. Burns, c | 2 | 0 |
| Smith, g | 0 | 0 |
| R. Menetre, g | 1 | 0 |
| Huddleston, f | 2 | 0 |
| | 6 | 0 |

| K. of C. | Field G. | Foul G. |
|------------------------|----------|---------|
| Clark, f | 5 | 0 |
| J. Heintz, f | 0 | 0 |
| Moise, c | 0 | 0 |
| Caserta, g | 3 | 0 |
| L. Heintz, g | 0 | 0 |
| Frederick, c | 0 | 0 |
| | 8 | 0 |

| Snappy Five | Field G. | Foul G. |
|------------------------|----------|---------|
| Basile, f | 0 | 0 |
| Coltora, f | 6 | 1 |
| McCormack, c | 5 | 2 |
| Schoen, g | 0 | 0 |
| Vergez, g | 0 | 0 |
| | 11 | 3 |

| Cov. Gym. Club | Field G. | Foul G. |
|------------------------|----------|---------|
| Cooper, f | 5 | 0 |
| Champagne, f | 2 | 1 |
| Seiler, c | 5 | 1 |
| Menetre, g | 1 | 0 |
| Planche, g | 0 | 0 |
| Blanchard, f | 0 | 0 |
| | 7 | 2 |

League Standing.

| Team | Won | Lost | Av. |
|-------------------------------|-----|------|------|
| K. of C. | 2 | 0 | 1000 |
| Covington Hi School | 1 | 0 | 1000 |
| Snappy Five | 1 | 1 | 500 |
| Cov. Gym. Club | 2 | 2 | 0000 |
| American Legion | 0 | 1 | 0000 |

BORN—To Mrs. J. Lesley Rogers, at Blount, La., on Tuesday, Nov. 14, 1922, a 12-pound girl.

FARM BUREAU MEET CALLED COVINGTON NOV. 25

Bachemin Will Give Report Truck Growers' Convention at Birmingham

REPORT OF PROGRESS RICE SELLING ASS'N.

Satsuma Orange Industry in St. Tammany Has Place On the Program

The farmers of St. Tammany parish are invited to meet with all members of the St. Tammany Farm Bureau, Saturday, November 25th, at 10:30 a. m., in the courthouse in Covington, La.

Felix Bachemin, Jr., will be asked to give a report of the truck growers' meeting attended in Birmingham, Ala.

A report of the progress of the rice selling association will be made, also report of cotton sign-up campaign.

The consideration of co-operative buying of fertilizer, lime, seed and bean hampers for spring use will be discussed.

The progress of the Satsuma industry in St. Tammany will also have a place on the program.

F. L. DUTSCH, President.

E. J. FREDERICK, Secretary.

A PALM BEACH COCONUT.

A Palm Beach coconut on exhibition at the St. Tammany Parish Fair was presented to The St. Tammany Farmer by Mr. Lancaster Prague, of Covington, who received it from his sister, Mrs. William Covington Williams, of New Orleans. It originally came from Legion headquarters, Palm Beach East No. 12, West Palm Beach, Fla., and was addressed to Hanford McNider, National Commander American Legion, Grunewald Hotel, New Orleans, and was on exhibition during the convention.

When we received the coconut and heard the gurgle inside as we shook it up, our first thought was of Jack Sheehan, and we wondered why it was that revenue officers should have doubted. But when we recalled the fact that it had passed thru the hands of a Legion commander at the Grunewald—then we knew it was nothing more than a token of the wonderful industry and development of the good people of Florida.

We shall keep it on our desk and shake it once in a while—and think of Jack Sheehan.

Mrs. Hall Poses.



This is the first posed picture of Mrs. Frances Hall, wife of the New Brunswick, N. J., rector, who was found murdered with his pretty chaper, Eleanor Mills.

AUTO GOES INTO CANAL.

Thursday night about 10 o'clock a Buick car, in passing another car on the Mandeville road near the Pontchartraine canal bridge, just at the chatawa canal bridge, just at the curve, jumped into the canal and was almost buried in the mud and water. The driver escaped injury. This is a dangerous curve. Careless driving will mean death of some one in the future at this point in the road.

LUTHERAN SERVICES.

There will be regular Lutheran services in Covington tomorrow at 8 a. m. in Abita Springs the same with holy communion at 8:30 a. m. At these services all envelopes sent out to Lutherans should be turned in. Where it is impossible, a committee will call at the homes after 2 o'clock.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births.
Mrs. Elmer Wilson, a boy, Anthony Edward, November 3.

Deaths.
Gilbert P. Molloy, white, age 37 years, November 8.
Linda Alpeunte Theriot, white, age 30, November 11.
Agnes Vondenstein (Sister Leona) white, age 46, November 11.
Eliza Parker, colored, age 24 years, November 13.

There will be a meeting of the King's Daughters at the M. C. B. Library on Monday, November 20, at 3:30 p. m. All members urged to be present.

General Pershing Goes And Gets 'em



Gen. John J. Pershing would have been quite a boy in the front line trenches with a rifle—had he not been busy bossing our A. E. F. in France. Last week on the lower Mississippi he went duck hunting with Gov. Parker and Bernard Baruch, using a 10-gauge gun, dropping his first eight birds without a miss. Then he posed for this exclusive photo.

MADISONVILLE BEACH ROAD IS WINNING OUT

(By Staff Correspondent)

Madisonville, Nov. 16.—Precedent to this comment, sponsoring the absolute necessity for the proposed road to Lake Pontchartrain—nothing has been definitely stated publicly in either negative or affirmative tendency.

It has rather seemingly lain dormant, like a fine old volume in any library, to be taken down occasionally, dusted off and touched up a bit—serving generally the fit purpose of loquacity for a trivial subject at any of the crepe hangers' conventions.

But the general tone of the silent interested committees adds quite a bit of color—with the announcement of abridged statements and perspective proposals going into effect to the scene as it shifts to a more ardent, prelatial public of which Madisonville boasts the majority in this special case.

For Madisonville wants this road and is "going to get it." 'Tis true, for a short time, thru erroneous statements, many of the co-workers were disheartened. Later reaction however, has discredited all prejudices centering concisely on the energy thus far expended, tempering new impetus that bids fair for the road becoming a reality.

The theory has been advanced that by building this road to the lake shore, it would have tendency to build up the lake shore and deaden the town of Madisonville. This theory is exploded, however, of its own volition as one figures the utter impossibility of the fallacious advancement. The mere fact of the non-existence of high land between the town and lake disproves the theory. And now, although fears of "negative flurry" have proved so groundless, technical conditions seem to invite "what's the good of it any more" pressure—so to right the wrong here's just a few reasons why we must have our road:

Because—
It will be the only accessible automobile road on the west side of Lake Pontchartrain, between the Tchecumeta River and West End, New Orleans, La.

It will attract from all sections west of the Tchecumeta River to one of the oldest towns in the State.

It will develop a section of the Orange Belt which has never been thoroughly explored.

It will draw people to one of the finest deep water harbors in the State.

It will drain a strip of land which will be worth a great deal for agriculture purposes.

It will afford the extended use of one of the finest bodies of water in the South—Lake Pontchartrain.

It will also furnish one of the most sanitary beaches on the lake shore. It will attract campers for fishing and hunting, not to mention the outing parties.

The bond election for this road will be held December 19, 1922.

Madisonville Bank Will Mail Xmas Savings Checks.
The Madisonville Branch of the Covington Bank & Trust Company will shortly mail out \$5000 in Xmas savings checks, according to the statement given out Saturday by Mr. W. J. Herrmann, cashier.

Personals.
Mr. and Mrs. Glen Pritchard, of New Orleans, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Herrmann.

Miss Mamie Millett has returned to her studies at Gulf Park Academy, after a week end visit here with her mother, Mrs. E. R. Haas.

Capt. L. F. Ballam spent a fortnight here with his family, returning to New Orleans Monday morning. Cadet Victor Oulliber, of L. S. U., spent several days of last week here with his mother, Mrs. Paul Oulliber. Miss Lula Davenport returned last week from Ponchartraine where she visited relatives.

Miss Lillian Badeaux left Wednesday afternoon for a short visit to her cousins, Misses Lutz and Corinne Pelhoat, in New Orleans.

MADISONVILLE COMMUNITY FAIR, SLIDELL ATTRACTIVE

(By Staff Correspondent)

Slidell, Nov. 17.—The first day of the Community Fair was a grand success. The Community House was divided into booths which were sold to the merchants of Slidell, and who decorated them most attractively.

An automobile parade in the afternoon of Thursday was a delightful affair. A prize was offered for the best decorated novel car, Ford car, advertising car, oldest car and for the car holding the most people. The following owners of cars won prizes:

Mrs. R. L. Murray, 1st, best decorated Ford touring car.

Mrs. F. D. Miller, 1st, best decorated Ford touring car.

Miss Kate Abel, 2d, Ford touring.

Cus Fritchie and Alonzo O'Brien, 1st for best decorated Ford roadster.

Curtis Fasko, 1st, for most novel decorated Ford car.

Slidell Garage, 2d, novel Ford car.

Slidell Grocery & Grain Co., 1st, for best decorated business truck.

H. Cornale, 1st, for best decorated Ford truck.

C. Carrola, 2d, decorated Ford truck.

Slidell Grocery & Grain Co., 1st, for truck carrying most people, with Mrs. B. P. Dunham, chief engineer, and Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. R. L. Smith and Mrs. C. Cunningham as members of the crew.

First, on mule, O. Bile.

Thursday night the great Harum & Fallure Circus came all the way from Australia to visit Slidell. The circus (composed of local talent) delighted everyone, first by the troop of midgets who sang and danced for us, and secondly, by the ballet dancers, who charmingly sang and danced. The negro minstrel kept everyone in peals of laughter. The singing, cake-walking, juggling and telling of "what's the good of it any more" stories was delightful, and lastly Mr. Frank Beavers entertained. He told us a story, recited some very sad poetry and sang a still sadder song. As a whole the Harum & Fallure Circus was a grand success.

A list of the prizes will be announced next week.

Friday is the day of the school parade. A prize is offered for the grade appearing best.

Saturday, the closing day of the fair, bids fair to be a big day, when it is expected that throngs will visit our community fair.

Baptist Sunday School Rally Day.
The Baptist Sunday School will have a Rally Day, Sunday. Each member is expected to come and bring someone with him. Come and help swell the crowd.

Teeny Miles' Breaks His Leg.
All of the friends of Teeny Miles join us in expressing our sympathy and hoping for his speedy recovery. His leg was broken last Wednesday afternoon when the radius rod of a car, driven by Frank McMahon, Jr., broke, and the driver lost control of the car which plunged through a

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Wednesday afternoon for a short visit to her cousins, Misses Lutz and Corinne Pelhoat, in New Orleans.

Mrs. Walter Lopez and daughters, Misses Irene and Stella deGruy, have returned to New Orleans, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. V. deGruy.

Miss Nannie Gollehon spent the week end in Covington with Miss Daisy Ward.

Mrs. Harry K. Anthony, of Ponchartraine, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Theo. Dendinger, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Morgan spent Sunday in Abita Springs with Mrs. Alfred Aubert.

Mr. Walter Heughan, Mr. Lloyd Heughan and Misses Aline and Beryl Heughan returned last week from Shreveport where they visited Mrs. R. H. Ebelme.

Miss Pinkie Gollehon attended the American Legion dance at the Armory in Bogalusa, Saturday evening.

Mr. E. Vernon Heughan, of New Orleans, was a week end visitor at the home of Mrs. Paul Oulliber.

MAKING SYRUP KEEP; NO SUGAR SETTLEMENT; PROCESS

Demonstration by Mr. C. F. Walton, Jr., in Making Cane Syrup

INVERTASE PROCESS REQUIRES TWO DAYS

All Attending Demonstration Will Have Time to Talk to Mr. Walton

Covington, La., Nov. 13, 1922.

Editor St. Tammany Farmer:

Referring to the demonstration in making cane syrup by C. F. Walton, Jr., by the use of the Invertase Process, I wish to state that two days are required for the completion of the demonstration since semi-syrup must be prepared, say on the afternoon of the first day and allowed to stand over-night with invertase, then be nished to a final density on the second day.

The interested parties should let me have their name and address so they will be notified just what day the demonstration will start and at what place or mill. They should be present on the first day, and if they cannot attend the second day the samples of finished products can be passed to them later. All that will be done the second day will be to cook the semi-syrup with the invertase in it to the final density. One can of syrup made from the mill used in the usual way and a can of the invertase syrup is taken to Washington for further studies.

Those attending the demonstration will have ample time to talk to Mr. Walton about the central syrup plant owned and operated by the Texas Farm Bureau Cane Growers' Association at Lufkin, Texas, as well as go into all details as to how to use the invertase in making syrup in our small mills.

If you want to attend this demonstration please let me have your name and address. All syrup makers should attend.

Yours very truly,

O. G. PRICE,

County Agent.

MR. DOMERGUE SAYS KEEP THE FAIR GOING.

(By Staff Correspondent)

I noticed the editorial in your last issue of The Farmer, headed "Shall We Give Up Our Parish Fair?"

This, I believe, would be regretted. It is true as you have stated that the burden of management has fallen on a possible few, which is, of course, unfair, and I do not blame them for wanting to get out of harness. But, there is plenty of good material in the parish that I feel would be willing to give their time and energy to the management of the fair.

I sincerely hope that the good people of St. Tammany parish will continue the fair as surely it has proven a success in many ways. We now have permanent buildings and plenty of grounds and I believe that we should utilize it so it would be enjoyed all thru the year by the people of the parish by having at different times social gatherings. It could be used as a tourists camp, also.

Of course, Hammond has a great fair and they have spent a great deal of money in doing what they did. I believe that we should help them all we possibly can, but I do not believe that we ought to give up our fair.

The showing St. Tammany made at Hammond was very creditable and I heard quite a good many nice remarks about the booth of St. Tammany parish. If there is anything I can do to help keep the St. Tammany parish fair going, I am at your command.

With personal regards, I remain,

Yours very truly,

E. J. DOMERGUE.

MISSION BEGINS NEXT SUNDAY AT THE ABITA SPRINGS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Mission from Sunday, November 19th to the 26th at St. Jane's Catholic Church at Abita Springs.

A series of vital and timely subjects will be treated by the well known Redemptorist Missionary, Father H. Beckner, C. S. S. R. The general Mission opens at the eight o'clock mass Sunday morning. Children's mass begins at 8:30 p. m., Monday, Nov. 20th. Every evening at 7:30, Sermon and Benediction.

The general public is invited to attend these exercises.

PROCEEDINGS OF POLICE JURY MEETING OF NOV. 14

C. M. Poole, Emile Singletary, Theo. Dendinger, Com. on Courthouse

\$1000 GIVEN FOR CAUSEWAY SURVEY

Budget for 1923 Adopted; Reports and Other Business of Meeting

Covington, La., Nov. 14, 1922.

The Police Jury met in regular session on this date with the following members present: Theo. Dendinger, Jr., H. N. Fenderson, C. M. Poole, J. M. Smith, R. C. Cooper, Emile Singletary, M. P. Schneider, J. B. Howze, Emile Burkenstock.

The reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

It was moved by M. P. Schneider, seconded by Emile Burkenstock, that the secretary of the Good Roads Commission be authorized to mail to Salmen Brick & Lumber Co. a check for the freight for gravel that was shipped to Abita. Carried.

It was moved by C. M. Poole, seconded by Emile Singletary, that the Police Jury hereby agree to contribute \$1000 to help defray the expenses to be incurred in making a preliminary survey of Lake Pontchartrain, with a view of constructing a causeway across said lake. Carried.

It was moved by C. M. Poole, seconded by Emile Burkenstock, that Lewis L. Morgan and Thos. M. Burns (Continued on page 5)

New Farm Loans or Bankruptcy



H. W. Moorehouse, of the American Farm Bureau Federation, says a new credit arrangement must be adopted immediately if we are to prevent wholesale bankruptcy of mid-western farmers on March 1.

WILL PUT UP SIGNS ON ROADS.

Alderman H. A. Mackle states that "The Town Council has let a contract with Mr. F. N. Boudousque for the erection of eight signs properly lettered and placed at suitable locations to serve as guides to motorists approaching and leaving Covington. This is a long-desired accomplishment," said Mr. Mackle, and I am pleased to announce it."

JOSEPH SINGLETARY.

Mr. Joseph Singletary died at his residence near Tallisheh Saturday, November 11, 1922, at 11 o'clock p. m., and interment was made in the Magee Cemetery Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.