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Miss Alice Judlin was one of the soloists at a musicale given by Robert Gottschalk last Saturday.

Rev. Thos. B. Clifford preached at St. Paul's church last Sunday morning.

Plans for the dance to be given at Joseph's night at Pythian hall by the Italian Progressive Association of Algiers have been completed and all indications point to a splendid success.

The Friday afternoon Five Hundred Club met last week, the successful players being Mrs. C.V. Kraft, Mrs. P. Grobel, and Mrs. H. Lee.

Mrs. P. O. Caffero entertained the Thursday Afternoon Euchre Club. The successful players were Mrs. P. O. Caffero, Miss Sadie Garland and Mrs. U. J. Lewis.

Mr. Charles Bodenger who has been in New York for the past few years is spending a while here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Bodenger.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nichols, have returned from a honeymoon trip of ten days to Florida, following their wedding late in February.

The Young Ladies Five Hundred Club met Monday night at the home of Miss Mary Collins.

Miss Margaret Garland will entertain at the next meeting.

Mr. Louis Broussard is reported to be at his home in Slidell avenue.

Mrs. A. Bommer of Vallette street was called to Pensacola, Fla., Thursday, to the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Eva Godfrey who is reported critically ill.

Thelma Daniels of Pelican avenue who was to leave Wednesday on the S. S. Pinoto, for Texas City, Texas, Boston, New York, and other points has not left, but will leave shortly.

Mr. Eldred Drumm of Olivier street returned Sunday from France, after an absence of four months.

The many friends of Mr. F. M. McLean of Patterson street are glad to learn that he is slowly improving after an accident that occurred in the S. P. R. lumber yard; seriously spraining his knee.

The friends of Miss Cornelia Murphy of Delaronde street are glad to hear that she has recovered from a short spell of illness. She has resumed her duties at the Naval station.

Mrs. M. Gallagher of Bermuda street is reported better after a short spell of illness.

The regular meeting of Belleville Kindergarten Mothers' Club will be held on Thursday, March 11th, instead of Friday at 3 p. m. All members are urged to be present as this will be our initial meeting. Refreshments will be served.

All students of the Home Nursing Club are requested to be present Friday March 12th at 3:15 o'clock at McDonough No. 4 school. The class will begin at 3:15 sharp.

A social gathering of the Lodge of Masons, Review Hive No. 5 will be held Monday, March 15th, at the home of Mrs. Armand Delcatal, 431 Elysian street. All members are requested to attend. There will be games and refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reed of Pelican avenue, has returned from Abita Springs after spending a very pleasant week, the guest of the latter's sister, Mrs. Fred Cook.

Mr. Fred Cook spent Sunday in Abita Springs with his wife and son, Gerson.

Mrs. David Lee Fink is spending a while with her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Cook at Abita Springs, La.

Mrs. T. C. Sparty of Memphis, Tenn., has gone to Augusta, to spend a while with her daughter, Mrs. A. C. Hathaway.

Mrs. Hathaway who was formerly Miss Libby Johnson, spent three months here with her mother, Mrs. D. Fink, before going to Augusta.

Mr. O. W. Pollock entertained the Thursday Club. The successful players were Mrs. J. C. Lagarde, Mrs. C. Y. Frisch and Mrs. O. Aycock.

Mrs. E. J. Mothe received the next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. C. V. Kraft.

Aycock, Mrs. P. O. Caffero (playing for Mrs. F. Hoogoven), and Mrs. F. Hoffstetter. Mrs. F. Goebel received the consolation.

Mr. Frank Hoogoven came in from Pascagoula, Miss., to spend a few days, returning to Pascagoula last week.

Little Devore Frisch is spending a while in Raceland, La.

Algiers Review No. 22 of the W. B. A. O. T. M., will hold their quarterly meeting, March 14th. All are earnestly requested to attend.

Dr. J. E. Pollock, Mr. T. A. Pollock and Miss Evelyn Pollock are at Indianola, Miss., having been called there by the critical illness of Mrs. T. A. Pollock, who was there visiting her daughter, Mrs. Smith.

The many friends of Capt. Roscoe Spencer will regret to learn that he was stricken with paralysis this week and is critically ill.

Mrs. Kate Rhoades announces the marriage of her daughter, Haleyon, to Mr. Albert L. Marschall, to take place Tuesday, March 16th.

Capt. Jos. Wheatley is on a leave of absence, Sergeant Martin Pusch being in command during his absence.

The Victory Social Club will hold a special meeting Friday night. All members are requested to attend.

Capt. and Mrs. M. W. Geldert and little son, Maurice, Jr., returned Thursday from a three months stay in Havana, Cuba. Capt. Geldert left Sunday for Havana on the S. S. Coosa.

Miss Ethel Glennan of Biloxi, and Miss Maud Hazel Colbert were weekend visitors to Miss Emma Skiffington and sisters.

Mrs. Louise Lecourt has the sympathy of her many friends in the loss of her mother.

Mrs. Geo. Herbert entertained the Tuesday Night Five Hundred Club this week. The successful players were Mrs. J. Garrets, Mrs. R. A. Tansey and Miss Eugenia Herbert (playing for Mrs. E. J. Mothe).

Mrs. A. E. Hotard received the consolation. Mrs. Cora Johnson will entertain at the next meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. L. Higgins entertained at dinner Tuesday evening, Mr. Lobdell, Traffic Manager of the F. & A. Railroad and vice-president of the Sterling Sugar Refinery.

The many friends of little Roy Luft will be glad to see him out again after a spell of sickness.

Mr. Fred Luft of Seguin St., is confined to his bed with lagrip.

The many friends of Miss Alma Luft are glad to see her out again after being ill a few days.

YOUR AUTO—ITS CARE AND ATTENTION.

The automobile is the most used of all twentieth century inventions, not only used for pleasure, but commercially as well, and quite naturally establishments that keep cars in perfect running order are maintained for the service and convenience of auto and truck owners.

The Motor Parts Co., is thoroughly equipped to do all classes of machine work, oxy-acetylene welding, ignition, generator and starter work, in fact any repair work pertaining to the automobile industry.

OPEN FOR BUSINESS AGAIN.

The Modern Cleaners and Dyers is again open for business at the same place, 441 Opelousas Ave., corner Nunez, opposite the Folly Theatre and under the same management.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

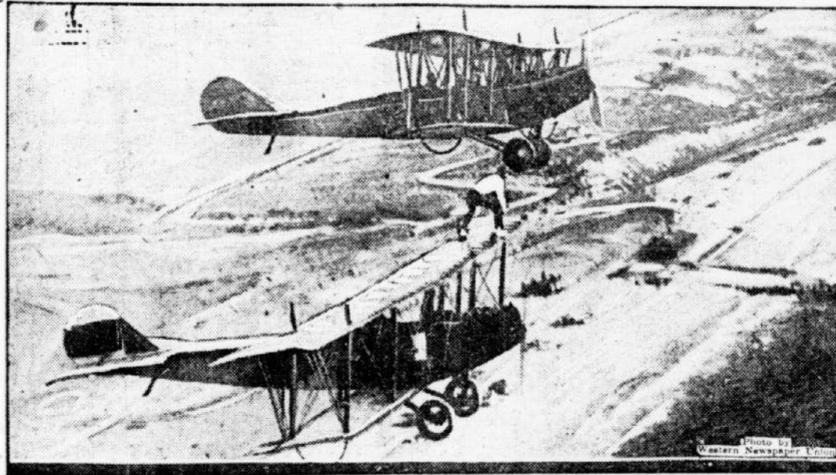
At a regular meeting at Pythian hall, Boiler Scalers and Ship Preservers' Union No. 847, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Charles E. Smith, president; Mike Lambert, vice president; Eugene Lambert, recording secretary; Sidney Allwood, business agent and financial secretary; William Sullivan, treasurer; J. Fonseca, conductor; G. Villavaso, inner guard.

BOY SCOUTS.

Last Sunday afternoon, Scoutmaster, Joseph Skelly and the committee of Troop No. 60, Boy Scouts of America, put twelve candidates through the test of the Tenderfoot class. These boys received their badges and in a few days they will have their uniforms.

Mr. Vic Olivier has been made chairman of this committee. Troop No. 60 meets every Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the H. N. G. C. Hall.

FORMER ARMY FLYER CHANGING PLANES IN MIDAIR



A very unusual photograph showing Al Wilson of Los Angeles, Cal., about to change from plane to plane many hundreds of feet in the air. Standing on the upper wing of the lower plane, Wilson grasped the lower wing of the upper plane and swung himself to it, absolutely unaided.

FIFTEENTH ANNIVERSARY.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lange of Pacific Ave., a jolly crowd of little friends met on March 4th, to celebrate the fifteenth anniversary of the birth of their youngest daughter, Jeanette.

Dancing and games of every kind were indulged in. Refreshments were daintily served. All the little guests gathered around the table to take part in the cutting of the pretty birthday cake, which was decorated with candles and roses.

Those present were Misses Evangeline Petrie, Edna and Ora Chico, Hattie Savoy, Laura Mendoza, Gertrude Babin, Gertrude Mine, Lydia Lange, Katie Grundmeyer, Alethea, Mirian and Adrian Duplan, and Evelyn Messenger, Messrs. Nole Richards, Clyde Hargis, John Curran, Walter Pope, Ernest Burrell, Herman Grundmeyer, Morris Durabbe, George and Matthew Heindel, Jules Messenger, John Ernest and Albert Lange, Leslie Duplan, Harry, John, James and George Lange, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Duplan, Mr. and Mrs. M. Heindel, Jr., Mrs. R. Bass, Mrs. M. Richea, Mrs. J. Messenger, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lange.

INTERESTING TO AUTOISTS.

New Orleans auto owners will be interested in the announcement of the opening for business of the Wall Automotive Accessories Company, at 644 Camp St., corner Girod, who are dealers and distributors of automobile, truck and tractor supplies, and who also have a complete garage equipment.

The stock of this company is bright and clean, including standard automobile and truck supplies. They will handle Ajax tires and tubes, Brilliant Mazda auto lamps, Ever Ready flash lights and batteries, Columbia and Ignition Hot Spot batteries, together with a complete line of oils and greases.

FAREWELL PARTY.

On Sunday night at the home of Mr. Albert LeBlanc in Belleville street, a farewell party was tendered one of our most popular young men, Mr. Tisdale Daniels, by Miss Vivian LeBlanc.

Owing to the recent death of Mrs. LeBlanc, music and dancing were not indulged in, but games were played and a jolly time spent. In the afternoon, the merry crowd went kodaking. Refreshments were served.

Those present were Misses Olga Prosperre, Marie Swessinger, Camille O'Donnell, Pearl Schwarzenbach, Nettie Vettie, Julia Sproll and Vivian LeBlanc. Messrs. Frances Sadler, Eldred Drumm, Milford Pitre, Albert Ward, Ernest Aucoin, Alvin LeBlanc and Tisdale Daniels and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Marcour.

CHAPLAIN SCHLEISSER AND FAMILY IN GERMANY.

Mrs. A. Meyers of 600 Verret St., is in receipt of a card from Mrs. A. J. Schlessler, wife of Chaplain Schlessler of the U. S. Army, who was formerly pastor of the local Lutheran church.

Mrs. Schlessler and sons have recently joined Chaplain Schlessler at Coblenz, Germany, where he is now stationed. They left Hoboken on Dec. 13th, and arrived at Brest, France, on December 24, where the Chaplain joined them. Christmas day was spent in Paris. Mrs. Schlessler asks to be remembered to all her friends.

PIGGY-WIGGLE TO OPEN—LOCATED ON OPELOUSAS AVE., NEAR OLIVIER.

The long looked for is shortly to happen in Algiers, the Piggy-Wiggle Co., has just completed arrangements for the erection of a building on Opelousas Ave., joining the Beninate place, corner of Olivier Street. Thomas A. Pollock, the contractor, is making arrangements for this building. The Piggy-Wiggle Groceries have become sensationally popular, due to the high prices which have been prevailing in food stuff since the beginning of the war.

There are several of these stores located in the city.

CHURCH OF HOLY NAME OF MARY SECOND IN COLLECTION.

Collections in the different Catholic churches of New Orleans and throughout the state for the benefit of the Negro and Indian missions, netted \$3,163.88, of which \$2,078.98 was collected in New Orleans. The Jesuit Church in Baronne street led in collections with \$230.15. The Holy Name of Mary Church, Algiers, was next with \$195.00.

ORGANIZE HARDWARE FIRM.

Messrs. Clayton J. Borne and John H. Norris have organized the Borne-Norris Hardware Co., doing business at 2700 Tulane Ave. Both young men are well and favorably known here and have the best wishes of their many friends for a successful business career.

DANCES ST. JOSEPH NIGHT.

Martin Behrman Tent of Maccabees will give a Masquerade Ball on St. Joseph night at the Academy. This is a popular organization, and a large crowd is expected there on March 19th.

The members of the Knights of Columbus are giving a character dance on St. Joseph Night, March 19th. The affair will be for members only, and their lady guests.

The Wonders of America

By T. T. MAXEY

THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION.

JAMES SMITHSON, an Englishman, who died in Italy in 1823, left his property to the United States "to found at Washington, under the name of the Smithsonian Institution, an establishment for the increase and diffusion of knowledge among men."

"A consultative library of objects" rather than an institution of learning in the nature of a college with a faculty and students, its educational activities are of the very broadest character. The several buildings are located in 88-acre Smithsonian park, the institution also maintaining stations at other widely separated points.

The Smithsonian park buildings contain collections of the belongings of Presidents Washington, Lincoln and Grant, and the heroes of our army and navy; the costumes worn by the ladies of the white house from 1789; the most complete collection of firearms in the country; extensive exhibits of medals, coins and stamps of historic value; time keeping and musical instruments, graphic arts, textiles, embroideries and what aots; several millions of natural history specimens; more than a million specimens of the world's flora and upwards of 5,000 exhibits of art—while the zoological park, occupying 167 acres in Rock Creek valley (Washington), contains more than 1,400 individual mammals, birds and reptiles.

It is needless to say that this great institution is well, and favorably known to men of science the world over, and that those who come to study its wondrous collections are numbered in the millions.



BELLEVILLE NOTES.

The preparation for the lawn party is now going on, and the response of friends and patrons continues to be most gratifying.

Among the features of the affair will be the fancy work table. Orders are being taken for the making of underwear, and children's wearing apparel. These are brought in daily in most attractive patterns and dainty material; and they are being sold at reasonable prices. Orders for other articles of fancy work are also being placed so that one may secure same by ordering ahead just that particular bit that has been wanting, and yet in the hurry of every day affairs, not made at home.

Belleville is among those fortunate schools, who have been adequately supplied with coal during the severe weather. Their school rooms were at the temperature of between 69 and 70 degrees, when the mercury outside was dropping into the thirties.

Parents appreciating this sent their children to school where in comfortable surroundings they received the daily instructions.

Twenty-five pupils in Belleville are going to take part in the Historic Pageant, which will take place in the City Park, April 7 and 8.

McDONOUGH No. 5 SCHOOL.

A number of books have been added to the school library and the children are doing reading at home and at school.

Each child above the third grade has made a booklet of stories "I have read," and in this booklet they keep a record of the story and the author.

Five large blackboards have arrived at the school. They are to be installed in the five upper grade rooms.

Mr. Bloch was a visitor to the school Tuesday.

School was dismissed yesterday, due to shortage of coal.

ADOLPH MEYER.

Mr. Frank Beier, Chief Supervisor of Physical Education in the Public School, accompanied by Miss Nan Griffith, spent the greater part of the day last Tuesday in our school. As this was Mr. Beier's first visit to our school, he was shown through the various departments by the principal. Later, he observed the work of several departments and expressed himself as highly pleased with all he observed.

Especially did he compliment the work of the Seventh and Eighth Grades, because he considered that it was the best work he had ever seen. After intermission, he addressed all the boys, in all grades above the first, and invited them to participate in the "Annual Athletic Meet", which will take place on the first Saturday of May. About seventy boys accepted the invitation, then the work of measuring began, this over, the first rudiments were given each class.

Mr. Beier worked up quite an amount of enthusiasm among the boys and we hope they will make a creditable showing on May 1st.

The regular monthly meeting of the Co-operative Club, was held last Wednesday afternoon. It was decided to give a dance at the school grounds on Friday, April 10, 1920. All committees were formed and work will begin very shortly. Everything points to success, and as all our previous affairs were recorded as a "Grand Success", we feel that this one, too, will certainly be the same.

In the regular weekly tests in Spelling and rapid Arithmetic, the following pupils were perfect:

- Spelling—Eighth Grade A.—James Scott, Lee Cauvin, Peter Rouse, Louis Cronan, Arthur Kulp, Louis DeRoche, Irwin Campbell, Myrtle Gregory, Nora Gillespie, Mirza Trist, Olivier Wattigny, Margaret Moseley, Ralph Umbach. Eighth Grade B.—Charles Smith, Stello Cronan, Floyd Hoffstetter, Julius Gillich, Aubrey Serpas, Henry Gregory, Inez Bourgeois, Isabel Lewis, Lucille LeCourt, Grace Cazaubon, Irma Gillich, William Gerrets. Seventh Grade A.—Elika Sullivan, Clifford Angelo, Irma Arago, Thelma Wille, Alice Serpas, Christine Bieber. Sixth Grade A.—William, Zeringue, Marion Edgecomb, Charles Carona, Peter Ferrari. Seventh Grade B.—Elmer Grundmeyer, Anatole Landry, ames Gillich, Frank Lawson, Ora Brown, Mildred Sutton. Sixth Grade B.—Myrtle Beaudreau, Leola Umbach, Thelma Schaefer, John Crabtree, Joe Castello, Elmo Scott. Fifth Grade A.—Jennie Scott. Fifth Grade B.—Eleonora Steel, George Tierney, Thelma Sutherland. Fourth Grade—Mary Louise Cantin. Third Grade A.—Dixie Edgecomb, Thelma Arago, Prosper Bernoil, Lydia Campbell. Third Grade B.—Annie Dubler, Lionel Landry, Floyd Guillot, Aaron Edgecomb, Albert Gillespie. Perfect in Arithmetic—Eighth Grade A.—James Scott, Lee Cauvin, Lee Steel, Peter Rouse, Warren Good-

SPECIAL OFFICERS ARREST NEGRO.

Zach Hamilton, negro laborer employed at the Texas and Pacific Railway yards in McDonoughville was arrested by Special Officers P. J. Murtagh and James Leddy, detailed at the yard Saturday forenoon and charged in an affidavit sworn by Murtagh before Justice of the Peace George J. Trauth with shooting at with intent to kill. Hamilton fired a revolver at Sam Manuel, with whom he had a fight in the yards, but his aim was bad and Manuel escaped injury. Justice Trauth committed the accused to the district court for trial.

ONE BOAT ONLY ON MONDAY

CANAL STREET FERRY SYSTEM RUES IT IN ON ALGIERS PUBLIC AND ALGIERS BUSINESS.

Citizens of Algiers were indignant on Monday morning when the Southern Improvement and Ferry Company, loaded on the last straw that broke the camel's back, when they allowed the Algiers traffic, but one ferry boat to operate across the river. With this performance, our ferry transportation reached the climax of degeneration; from a system of three ferry lines operating five boats, down to a service of one boat only. The Southern Improvement and Ferry Company, on Monday, gave Algiers an example of what it would be with but one single ferry running.

Inquiry made from some of the ferry attendants disclosed the startling fact that one of the ferries was pulled off Monday morning to wash out the boilers of one of the big boats, which had been laid up 8 or 10 days. All of this was done in violation of their franchise, and at the discomfort, and hardship to the Algiers public, and to the discredit of our commerce.

During the time that the ferry company was using one of the boats, (which should have been running) to wash out the boilers of the other boat, autos, wagons and trucks were waiting on the other side eager to deliver their goods to the Algiers people. The same congestion occurred on the Algiers side of the river.

The Herald is reliably informed that when one of the big boats of the Canal Street Ferry was tied up for repairs, the steamboat, Martin Behrman, of the Union Ferry Co., was offered to the Southern Improvement and Ferry Co., on charter to help relieve the congestion, which was sure to follow the use of the small boat, but we are told that the Canal Street Ferries refused the offer of the Union Ferry Co. Thus ends another chapter of our Ferry retrogression.

wynne, Louis Cronan, Louis DeRoche, Irvin Campbell, Corinne Bommer, Margaret Moseley, Nora Gillespie, Mirza Trist, Myrtle Gregory, Olivier Wattigny, Ralph Umbach. Eighth Grade B.—Henry Gregory. Seventh Grade A.—Gertrude Bommer, Ruth Zeringue, Thelma Wille. Fifth Grade A.—William Sullivan, Dan Milan, Marguerite Rogers, Jennie Scott, Eula May Kenny. Fifth Grade B.—Mary Louise Wall.

McDONOUGH No. 4. The class in "Home Nursing" will begin on Friday March 12, at 3:15 p. m. A large number of the ladies of our district have already enrolled and still more are expected to do so. One of our large class rooms is being splendidly equipped for the use of the class and an excellent instructor is in charge.

In the future the class will meet on Wednesday and Friday of each week at 3:15 p. m. A small matriculation fee will be charged. For further information, consult the Principal of this school, Miss A. J. Poncet, or Mrs. A. J. Amuedo, 407 Pelican.

The Agricultural Bureau of the Association of Commerce is planning a tour of the Middle West for "Louisiana Farm Boys". This trip will be under the auspices of the State Department of Education, and the Live Stock Extension Service of the United States Department of Agriculture, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, La. The trip will take place some time in August, starting from New Orleans; it will be of two or three weeks duration, through the agricultural states of the middle west.

Two boys will be sent on this tour as the guests of the Association of Commerce, one school boy from the Parish of Orleans and one school boy from the state at large. The means of selecting these two boys will be through an essay contest. The boys who submit the best essay on the subject, "What New Orleans Can Do To Aid in the Agricultural Development of the State of Louisiana," will be selected.

The essay must not contain more than five hundred words. The contest will close on July first, and on July fifteenth the names of two successful contestants will be announced. committee of Business Men interested in the agricultural development of Louisiana, the personnel of which will be announced later, will pass upon the essays submitted.

It is suggested to contestants that information which will be of help to them in preparing essays may be obtained by consulting some of the business men in their communities, who are active in farm development or Chamber of Commerce work. Essays must be written on one side of the paper only, and must give the name, address and age of the sender and the name of the school he is attending.

All essays should be sent to the Agricultural Bureau, New Orleans Association of Commerce, New Orleans.