

SCHOOL BELLS RINGING

ADOLPH MEYER SCHOOL.

Among the visitors this week were Mrs. C. D. Buck, Supervisor of the Lunch Department, and Mrs. N. C. Lester, General Manager of the Lunch Department. They inspected the kitchen and found everything in readiness for hot lunch which will be served in the near future.

trimmings of holly and greens and thought of Xmas trees. For the little ones in the secret corners—Santa Claus' agents—are making wonderful things for these trees.

The following is the Christmas program, which will be rendered by our pupils tomorrow:

- Fourth Grade, "New Year's Eve," H. Brechtel. "Christmas Secrets," Fifth Grade. "I'd Like to Know," Althea Moffet.

Those who did not attend the minstrel performance given by the Eighth Grade B last Thursday evening missed a real treat.

The central figure on the stage was a classy dude, Joseph Koenig. His regalia and his make-up presented quite a handsome gentleman to the audience.

A number of parents were present and Mrs. William Short, president of the Co-operative Club, gave a short talk to those assembled.

There is a great amount of social service and civic pride being displayed by the various classes.

The nurse and the doctor visited the school and examined the throats of the children.

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The school is full of the Christmas spirit. The rooms are all prettily decorated and each pupil is busily engaged in the making of some article which speaks of that great holiday.

The kindergarten children were very happy this week both with the Christmas spirit and the lovely gifts given by several grades.

The little children have nearly completed their gifts for the parents and teachers, and will soon start on toys for the First Grade.

The First A and B Grades' "Drug Store Projects" are steadily progressing. They are nearly completed and the children are greatly interested.

The following children of the Third Grade made 100 per cent in arithmetic test: Ione Boyer, Laura Chauvin, Emily Fears and Florence Wingerter.

The Fourth Grade B pupils thank

poem by UNCLE JOHN

You've made yer mind up, Jenny, so there's nothin' left to say, that I reckon would impress ye to do some other way. . . . You never was a stubborn child, or one that don't behave,—but you're mighty sot, I've noticed, on the little things you crave. . . . So, you're goin' to the City—where there's heaps of fine "careers" and worlds of "opportunities" around ye everywhere—

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AND it is written that the miners shall go back to work and that the miners shall strike again, and that the miners shall go to work again, and that they shall continue these backward and forward movements until they shall come to see the folly of it all and understand that that which has a beginning must have an end, and that the sooner man shall avoid the beginning, when the beginning spells disaster and trouble, the better for mankind, the miners included.

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Weddings of New Orleans Folks

WEST SIDE COUPLES WHO ENTERED THE STATE OF MATRIMONY DURING WEEK.

DUPUIS—TUFTS

A quiet but pretty wedding of the past week was that of Miss Irma Elizabeth Tufts, daughter of Mrs. L. Tufts, to Mr. Thomas Dupuis, which was celebrated Monday evening at 5 o'clock at Mount Olivet Episcopal Church, Rev. N. Rightor officiating.

The church was prettily decorated and was filled with relatives and friends of the young couple. At the appointed hour, to the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs. George L. Cunningham, the bride party entered. The bride, a petite blonde, looked charming in a classy high brown vamp in "her" flesh-colored Georgette, but little Preston Delcazel wasn't slow when it came to holding her hand.

Miss Inez Dupuis, a sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. Her dress was blue velvet and she wore a corsage of pink roses. The groom was attended by Mr. George Hoffman.

During the signing Mr. George L. Cunningham rendered "Ave Maria." After the ceremony a reception limited to the bride party, relatives and immediate friends was held at the home of the bride's mother in Belleville street.

The young couple are both well known and popular in our town. They were the recipients of many handsome and costly presents. They left the same evening for Brown's Wells to spend their honeymoon.

JUNIOR ORDER OF MACCABEES

Junior Order of the Rose of Maccabees No. 5 will have a social meeting on Saturday evening, Dec. 23, at 2 p. m., at Pythian Hall. There will be games for children and refreshments will be served. Let all Juniors be present and have a good time.

FLOATER FOUND IN RIVER

The body of an unidentified white man, about 50 years old, was taken from the river at the foot of Vallette street, Tuesday afternoon, by Edmond Fremont and Edward Sanders, Dock Board policemen.

FIREMEN GET PAY EARLY

In compliance with instructions issued by Mayor McShane, the members of the New Orleans fire department will receive their checks Dec. 21 instead of the regular pay day, Dec. 25.

Ursula Jeansonne, Mildred Richardson, Frances Calderonne and Anna Louise Hindelang for the Xmas decorations which they brought for their classroom.

The following pupils made the highest scores in health habits: Grace Campbell, Myrtle Lingoni, Florence Higgins, Oda Gremillion, Howard Smith, Octave Lacoste, Yvonne DeMont, Catherine Seward, Philip Susseri, Claire Willis, Ethelyn Albrecht, Joseph Sunseri, Ursula Jeansonne, Frederick Burs, Bessie Gollmer and Florence Willis.

The Fourth A Grade made very pretty Xmas cards and presented them to the First A Grade. The winners in the Fourth A spelling match were: Catherine Niklaus and Catherine Wagenhausen.

The boys of the Fifth B Grade are keenly interested in their work of toy making. They are working very hard to complete them all before the holidays. Many splendid ones have already been completed.

OBITUARY

MESSNER—On Tuesday, Dec. 12, at 10:50 o'clock p. m., Dave Messner, husband of Emma Larzer, died at the age of fifty-eight years. Deceased was a native of New York, but had resided here for the past forty-five years. The funeral took place Thursday at 3 o'clock from his late residence, 600 Powder street. Interment was in Hook & Ladder cemetery.

RIVERSIDE ELEVEN ISSUES CHALLENGE

The Riverside Eleven, a 115-pound team, defeated Troop 60 recently by a score of 7-0. The game was hard fought and close throughout. The only score of the game was the result of a forward pass with Barnes on the receiving end behind the line. Grundmeyer made the extra point. Barnes playing featured the game for the Riversides. They would like to arrange games with any 115-pound team in the city. Call E. Grundmeyer, Algiers 349 for games.

BODENGER COMPANY SENDS OUT SOUVENIRS

The firm of J. Bodenger Co., 157 Delaronde street, are sending out pretty thermometers to their patrons. The thermometer is of neat design and is an ornament to any room.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gordon were hosts at a most enjoyable birthday party at their home, 621 Slidell avenue, in honor of their sister Ruth. The home was beautifully decorated with Christmas colors. The guest of honor received many beautiful presents.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Gordon, Sr. and Mrs. K. R. Gordon, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. James Gordon, Mrs. L. Fridolin, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gordon, Misses Ruth Fridolin, Carmelite Giepert, Jenora Albert, Mildred Holt, Eleanor Sutton, Vera Muntz, Hazel Ziller; Irene Hazel, Mary, Maydie, Ethel and Ruth Gordon; Messrs. Arlie R. Straus, Nolan Williamson, Earl Roberts, John Bolden, George Barron, Guy Navarre, Henry Walders, Herbert Gordon, Jr., and Alvin Gordon.

TULANE

Coming to the Tulane Theater on Sunday next as the Christmas week attraction is "Tangerine," the outstanding musical play of recent seasons, and which has to its credit a record of more than a solid year at the New York Casino. Guy Bolton adapted a play by Philip Bartholomae and Lawrence Langner to provide the book. Howard Johnson wrote the lyrics and Carlo Sanders wrote the wondrously tuneful music. George Marion staged the work and Carle Carlton gave to every detail of the massive production his personal supervision. Probably the novelty of the theme and its treatment gave to the story of "Tangerine" its impetus and marked it as distinctively novel and well worth while. One of the South Sea Islands serves as locale for important scenes of "Tangerine," and full advantage appears to have been taken of the opportunities for striking and beautiful scenic surroundings. Mr. Carlton has evidently selected his company with uncommon felicity and it includes Sam Critcherson, Lillian Young, George Phelps, Loretta Sheridan, George Elsing, Johnny Fields, Keith; Billy Nunn, Rebekah Weaver, Jack Bruns and the famous Ritz quartette. The music of "Tangerine" comprehends eighteen numbers, and of these at least a dozen are accounted genuine successes that have already found their way to the player piano and phonograph, including "Sweet Lady," "Love Is a Business," "It's Great to be Married," "Listen to Me," and the tinkling "Atta Baby."

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TROOP 32, BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Once Again a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

(By L. J. Schroder) It is an old wish, but one which bears repeating once a twelfth month. It doesn't mean merely may you be merry and happy just the one first day of the year. It rather means may you find happiness all along the way for three hundred and sixty-five days ahead.

What makes happiness anyway? Think back over the past year. What are the hours that stand out from the others in memory as being particularly happy, the kind of hours that left a warm, rosy glow like the warmth and glow of a camp fire. Everyone of you will, no doubt, have a different response to that question, but I venture to believe that nearly all of you would agree that some of the happiest hours you can remember are the ones you spent in camp, living close to nature's heart, in the fine, vigorous, congenial comradeship of scouting. This is as it should be. If a scout isn't happy when he is camping out it doesn't seem likely that he would be happy anywhere, now does it? Any one of my best New Year wishes for you all is that 1923 may bring more and richer and happier hours in the open than any year you have yet known. There is nothing like it for investment in health and fun, and progress in scoutcraft and manhood, and the most heart warming fellowship, so get all you can out of it this happy New Year, and what is even more important, put all you can into it.

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Christmas Day Service At Mount Olivet Church

The Rev. Nicholas Rightor announced to his congregation last Sunday that he would hold two services at Mount Olivet Church on Christmas day. The first service will be a celebration of the Christmas Eucharist (without music or sermon) at 6 a. m. The second service will be held at 9 a. m., and will consist of Morning Prayer with the Christmas Te Deum by the splendid choir. From the Te Deum the service will proceed to the second Christmas Eucharist, during which time the Rector will preach the Christmas day sermon.

The offering will be devoted to special parish needs, under the direction of the Vestry. Members of the parish will find special Christmas Offering envelopes in their regular package of Duplex envelopes, and it is requested that these be used.

The general public is cordially invited to these services and all will receive a hearty greeting at the hands of Rector and people. The Rev. Mr. Rightor and Mrs. Rightor take this occasion, through the public press, to wish all members of the parish and other friends in the city a Happy and Peaceful Christmas-tide.

MOUNT OLIVET BOYS' CLUB

of Mount Olivet Church was held Wednesday night in the parish house. Plans for the coming all-day outing were discussed. It has been decided to spend the day, Wednesday, Dec. 27, at Pakenham Oaks, near Chalmette. The boys will leave at 6 a. m. with all the necessary paraphernalia for an outdoor camping party. Let's hope that the weather man will be kind.

GIVEN WATCH.

To show their appreciation of the excellent work done by director-manager Wm. J. Sonnemann, of the Dixie Homestead the directors of that association, as individuals, presented Mr. Sonnemann a handsome open face gold watch and platinum chain. The presentation was made at the board meeting last Wednesday with George Montgomery as spokesman. Mr. Montgomery spoke very feelingly of the confidence and esteem in which Mr. Sonnemann was held and regarded by the membership and the wonderful achievement accomplished by him in the fifteen and one-half years' administration. The association's resources are now over \$2,100,000 and its membership is over 3,800. On behalf of the board, Miss Eichorn, assistant secretary, presented to Mr. Sonnemann for Mrs. Sonnemann a handsome basket of American Beauty roses.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Miss Emma Collins entertained Sunday, Dec. 10, at a miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Olivia Bowers, a bride-elect of the season. The home was beautifully decorated in pink and white and in ferns and poinsettias. When the bride-elect entered she was met at the door by her little nephew, R. E. Cruise, Jr., who led her into the center of the room, where the large wedding bell hung, and the gifts were showered from the bell upon her.

The game "Romance of Age" was played and the winners were Misses Mamie Morrison and May Bowers. When the cake was cut Miss G. Finley received the ring, Miss A. Pujol the thimble, and Miss Mamie Morrison the dime.

Those present were Misses Gertrude and Claire Finley, Claire Cassidy, Hongra Thates, Mabel Comeaux, Gladys Sirey, Imelda and Eloise Schroeder, May Brown, N. Worley, C. Falton, Marlan and Daisy Kramme, Ilda Boylan, Mildred McCauley, Hazel Lauman, Marjorie Blakeman, R. Kenair, Mary Bowers, Fanny Watkins, Maude Bernard, T. Moffet, M. Muntz, E. Rooney, S. Stockflesh, C. Biaggini, Alma Pujol, Mamie Morrison, H. Barrett, L. Labelle, C. M. Giblin, Mary and Emma Collins, Irma Wardrop and Camille Mitchell; Mrs. R. E. Cruise and son, A. Biaggini, M. E. Tackaberry, M. Bowers and J. E. Collins.

FREE BALLOONS

The Piggy-Wigly store in Opelousas avenue is going to give the boys and girls in Algiers a big treat tomorrow and Saturday. Free balloons will be given to the kiddies and, judging from the number of kiddies in Algiers who are always willing, like all kids, to get something free, Friday and Saturday will be Balloon Day in Algiers. Let the kids get their balloon.

CHRISTMAS DANCE.

On Christmas eve, December 24th, there will be a Xmas dance given at the Avenue Academy. Music will be furnished by Brownlee's Famous Orchestra. The price of admission will be 25c. Santa Claus will be there with a present for all who attend. A large Christmas tree will be one of the decorations.

AL TUFTS RESIDENCE ROBBED.

Theft of jewelry valued at \$75 and a suit of clothing valued at \$40 was reported to the police Thursday morning by Alfred G. Tufts, 4520 South Johnson avenue. The burglars entered the house by forcing open a side door while the family were away from the house between 7 and 11 p. m. Wednesday night.