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Eighteenth Judicial District Court for the parish of St. Tammany—State of Louisiana—No. 149.

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EDWARD P. WEBB, Administrator. Mandeville, La., March 24, 1882.

JOHN CHAFFE & SONS vs. JAMES O. POOLE.

The State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Tammany—Eighteenth Judicial District Court.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias from the honorable the aforesaid court, bearing date May 14, 1881, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the corner of the Courthouse, in the town of Covington, parish and State aforesaid, on SATURDAY, the 6th day of May, 1882, between legal sale hours, the following described property, to-wit:

A tract of land situated in square No. 2, Division of St. John, in the town of Covington, La., commencing at the corner of Vermont and Rutland streets, running thence up Rutland street one hundred and eighty (180) feet; thence at right angles with Rutland street, running back to a point on Vermont street one hundred and twenty (120) feet, in rear of Rutland street, said tract containing lots five (5), six (6) and seven (7) of said square; and on the upper side of lot seven (7) an additional depth of twenty (20) feet, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon.

Terms of sale—Cash.

W. B. COOK, Sheriff. Covington, La., March 22, 1882.

LAND OFFICE, NEW ORLEANS, LA., March 23, 1882.

Notice is hereby given that the following named person has filed notice of her intention to make a general support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the judge or clerk of the court, at Covington, La., on the 8th of May, 1882, viz: Mrs. NANCY WHITE, widow of W. White, Homestead No. 4493, for the northeast quarter of section 2, township 7 south, range 10 east, St. Helena meridian. She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon a cultivation of said land, viz: B. Galatas, W. H. K. Haugen, Th. Washington and Paul Dalton, of St. Tammany parish, La.

ap8 5t GEO. BALDRE, Register.

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ITS LOCATION—HEALTH—PRODUCTS—MANUFACTURING AND AGRICULTURAL ADVANTAGES, ETC.

St. Tammany parish is located twenty-two miles north of New Orleans. Covington, the county site is ten miles further north, in the interior, and is delightfully located on the Cogue Falia.

## IMMIGRANTS.

with a small amount of capital and a fair supply of industry and perseverance, cannot possibly do better than locate in our parish. The climate is as fine as any in the world. The winters are generally mild, and snow rarely falls. Spring opens early in February, with blossoms on the peach and quince trees, and vegetation comes rapidly forward. The heat of summer is moderate, and the unfailing breezes of the evening refresh man and beast after the labors of the day.

## THE SOIL.

is very productive, and admirably adapted for raising sugar cane, cotton, oats, corn, rice, peanuts, etc. The vine is indigenous, and yearly bears large harvests of delicious fruit. Oranges, pears, peach, plums, quinces, figs and peaches thrive well.

## CATTLE AND SHEEP.

graze upon our pine lands throughout the year, and seldom are fed in winter, thus making St. Tammany the stock-growers' home. Farming and stock lands can be purchased at rates varying from \$1 to \$5 per acre, and Government lands to actual settlers.

## WATER POWER.

There is an abundance of water power, already improved, inviting the attention of manufacturers. We have no doubt a small factory, such as already abound in Alabama and Georgia, for the purpose of converting our cotton crop into yarn, would prove a paying investment.

## FIRE CLAY.

is found in abundance, as well as the very finest texture, purely white, and free from sand or grit. Persons having a practical knowledge of such business would soon realize a fortune in manufacturing and shipping such wares to the New Orleans market.

## MANUFACTURE OF GLASS.

Sand suitable for the manufacture of glass is also abundant all along the banks of the Bogue Falia, above the town of Covington. It has been practically tested by Pittsburg manufacturers, and found to contain all the necessary properties to produce the finest glassware.

## COVINGTON.

the county site, contains about eight hundred inhabitants, and is the best business point in the parish, commanding much of the trade of both St. Tammany and Washington parishes. The mail from New Orleans arrives three times a week, per steamer New Camelia, and there is some talk of building a telegraph line.

At present there is no mill or manufactory of any kind in Covington. Building sites for manufacturing purposes can be had on the most favorable terms, and every facility will be offered for immigrants to this parish.

## BADEN-BADEN.

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## A MISSISSIPPI PILOT'S STORY.

SOME FACTS ABOUT ALLIGATORS.

The passenger, who was going down the big river for the first time in his life, secured permission to climb up beside the pilot, a grim old grayback who never told a lie in his life.

"Many alligators in the river?" inquired the stranger.

"Not so many now, since they got to shooting them for their hides and tails," was the reply.

"Used to be lots, eh?"

"I don't want to tell you about 'em, stranger," said the pilot, sighing heavily.

"Why?"

"Cause you'd think I was a-lyin' to you, and that's sumthin' I never do. I can cheat at keards, drink whisky, or claw poor terbacker, but I can't lie."

"Then there used to be lots of them?" inquired the passenger.

"I'm afraid of ye, mister, but I've counted seven hundred alligators to the mile from Vicksburg clear to New Orleans. That was years ago, afore a shot was ever fired at 'em."

"Well, I don't doubt it," replied the passenger.

"And I've counted 3,456 of 'em on one sand-bar," continued the pilot. "It looks big to tell, but a Government surveyor was aboard, and he checked 'em off as I called out."

"I haven't the least doubt of it," said the passenger.

"I'm glad o' that, stranger. Some fellows would think I'm a liar, when I'm telling the solemn truth. This used to be a paradise for alligators, and they were so thick that the wheels of the boat killed an average of forty-nine to the mile."

"Is that so?"

"Sure as gospel, mister. I used to feel sorry for the poor brutes, 'cause they'd cry out 'em most like a human being. We killed lots of 'em, as I said, and we hurt a pile more. I sailed with one captain who always carried a thousand bottles of liniment to throw over to the wounded ones."

"He did?"

"True as you live, he did. I don't expect I'll ever see another such a kind Christian man. And the alligators got to know the Nancy Jane, and to know Captain Tom, and they'd swim out and rub their tails agin the boat an' purr like cats, an' look up and try to smile!"

"They would?"

"Solemn truth, stranger. And once when we grounded on a bar, with an opposition boat right behind, the alligators gathered 'round and got under her stern, and jumped her clean over the bar by a grand push. It looks like a big story, but I never told a lie yet, and I never shall. I wouldn't lie for all the money you could put aboard this boat."

There was a painful pause, and after a while the pilot continued:

"Our ingines give out once, and a crowd of alligators took a tow line and hauled us forty-five miles upstream to Vicksburg."

"They did?"

"And when the new boat got to the river that Captain Tom had every alligator with mud, as you know, and lots of 'em died."

The passenger with the remark about the stateroom gentleman gave and replied:

"That's our own fault, and a good one."

"Truth is, the stateroom gentleman had a good deal to do with it."

"I don't know, mister. I don't know."

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