

The St. Tammany Farmer.

"The Blessings of Government, Like the Dew from Heaven, Should Descend Alike Upon the Rich and the Poor."

D. H. MASON, Editor

COVINGTON, ST. TAMMANY PARISH, LA., SATURDAY, AUG. 9, 1913

VOL. XXXIX NO. 37

TOWN COUNCIL MONEY FOR REMOVAL OF CROPS OF SOUTH

REPORT OF SECRETARY SHOWS FUNDS DEPOSITED SUFFICIENTLY.

PROGRESSIVE UNION ASKS ORDINANCE BE ENFORCED

Council Orders That the Ordinance Against Vagrancy Be Enforced Strictly.

Covington, La., Aug. 5, 1913. The town council met in regular session on above date with the following members present: F. G. Marrero, Mayor; L. A. Ferreand, Leon Hebert, Louis David, Jr., P. J. Lacroix, M. P. Planche. Absent: Dr. I. Addison.

Moved by P. J. Lacroix, seconded by M. P. Planche, that the secretary's report be received and referred to the Finance Committee.

Mrs. James Hennessey, Mrs. J. J. Prevost, Mrs. M. Combes, Mrs. L. R. Hosner, Mrs. I. B. Hosner, Mrs. W. A. Evans, Miss S. L. Kennedy, Mrs. H. Chavigny, H. E. Gautreaux, M. D. Elias Pallet, Jos. Spielberg, V. Planche.

Moved by L. A. Ferreand, seconded by Leon Hebert, that the petition for a light at the corner of Mississippi and Temperance streets be referred to the Improvement Committee.

Work on streets for week ending July 19, 1913: Sunny York, 5 1-2 days, 7.42; Bob Barney, 5 1-2 days, 7.42; Jessie Jones, 3 days, 4.01.

Work on streets for week ending July 26, 1913: Sunny York, 5 days, 6.75; Bob Barney, 3 1-2 days, 4.72.

SOUTHERN BANKERS VISIT TO WASHINGTON AT INVITATION OF THE SECRETARY.

WILL BE PROVIDED OUT \$50,000,000 FUND

All the Money Will be Deposited in the Banks of New Orleans Used for Louisiana.

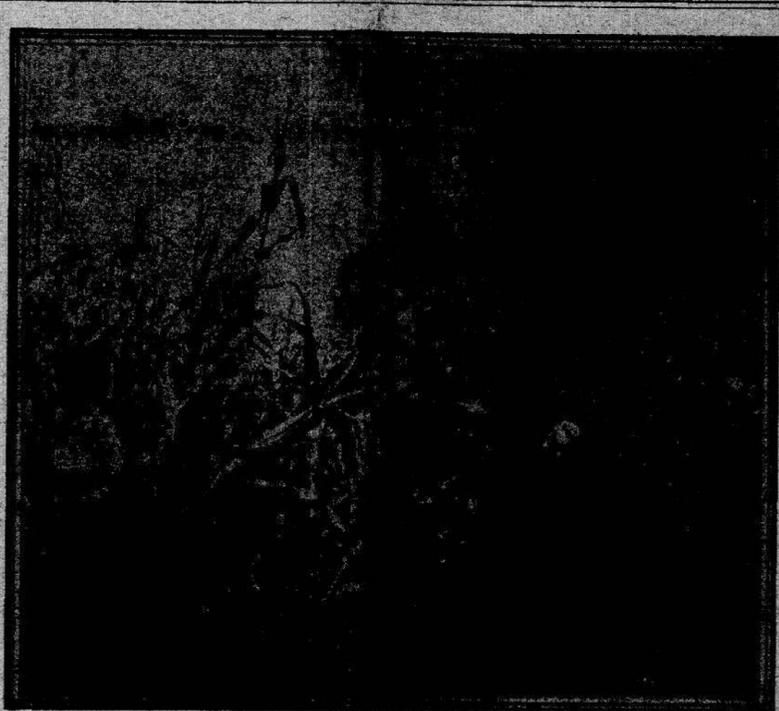
Washington, Aug. 6.—New Orleans banks will get a big slice of the \$50,000,000 the treasury is preparing to distribute to national depositories throughout the country to help in moving the crops.

Representatives of the clearing-houses of sixty-one cities have been invited to discuss the situation with Mr. McAdoo, but only the men from the South are to see him tomorrow.

The Southern bankers who arrived here today showed great interest in Secretary McAdoo's plan, but were somewhat uncertain about the details.

Work on streets for week ending July 31, 1913: Sunny York, 4 days, 5.40; Bob Barney, 4 days, 5.40.

The following bills were approved by the Finance Committee and ordered paid: W. H. Kertzel, 30.50; Nilson-Frederick Co., Ltd., 20.00; Champagne-Frederick Co., 1.00.



Paul J. Lacroix in his corn field in the Suburbs of Covington, La. J. H. Mason in his corn field two miles from Abita Springs, La.

CORN GROWING IN ST. TAMMANY PARISH

We publish the above photographs of corn raised in St. Tammany parish, because there seems to be an impression in some sections that the pressure in some sections that the suitable for corn raising.

BELGIAN FARMERS TO SETTLE

Plan to Colonize 170,000 Acres in Jackson and Harrison Counties.

Gulport, Miss., Aug. 3.—A big colonization plan, wherein a corporation has been formed and capitalized to purchase and colonize 170,000 acres of land in Harrison and Jackson counties, has been made public.

Work on streets for week ending August 2, 1913: Sunny York, 5 days, 6.75; Bob Barney, 3 1-2 days, 4.72.

Work on streets for week ending August 9, 1913: Sunny York, 5 days, 6.75; Bob Barney, 3 1-2 days, 4.72.

BACK TO COUNTRY IS MORGAN'S PLAN

Urges Establishment of Agricultural Experimental Farms in Every County in Nation.

Washington, Aug. 1.—Representative Lewis L. Morgan, who is receiving requests from many sections of the country for copies of his bill which provides establishment of agricultural experiment farms in every county in the United States, has issued a statement on the bill as follows:

"Upon those farms could be conducted experimental work of every conceivable nature pertaining to agriculture, dairying, horticulture, drainage and farm management."

Motion by Mr. Liddle and seconded by Mr. Currie, that the council adjourn subject to call.

Work on streets for week ending August 16, 1913: Sunny York, 5 days, 6.75; Bob Barney, 3 1-2 days, 4.72.

MEETING OF TOWN COUNCIL OF SLIDELL

Slidell, La., Aug. 6, 1913. Regular meeting of the town council was called to order with the following members present: Paul Gardere, Mayor; Councilmen J. T. Liddle, P. A. Hursey, J. M. Currie.

Motion by Mr. Liddle and seconded by Mr. Hursey, that the minutes of last meeting be adopted as corrected.

Motion by Mr. Liddle and seconded by Mr. Hursey, that Mr. Lawrence Bertha be appointed a member of the Board of Health, in place of Mr. J. J. Dubuisson.

Motion by Mr. Currie and seconded by Mr. Hursey, that Mr. George Gelger be appointed a member of the Town Board of Health in place of Mr. John Peterson.

Work on streets for week ending August 23, 1913: Sunny York, 5 days, 6.75; Bob Barney, 3 1-2 days, 4.72.

BIRMINGHAM EXPRESS HELD UP AT HEAD OF LARGE ARMY

ROBBERS LOOT MAIL BAGS AND GET AWAY WITH THE CONTENTS.

CLERKS FOUND TIED AND HANDCUFFED

Holdup Made by Seemingly Young Men, Who Went About Their Work Methodically.

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 5.—The mail car on the fast Louisville and Nashville train No. 4, from New Orleans, was robbed early tonight by two unknown white men. All of the registered mail was taken, but no estimate could be made tonight of the amount secured.

The train reached Birmingham on time at 8:37 p. m. and two of the mail clerks, George Hoover and E. G. York, were found handcuffed.

The robbers boarded the mail car at Calera on the dark side after the train had begun to move.

The robbers pulled the emergency signal on the outside of the Birmingham, and as the train slowed down they made off in the darkness.

The first to know about the robbery was Engineer Wisneger, who walked back to the mail car to inquire the cause of the stop.

Work on streets for week ending August 30, 1913: Sunny York, 5 days, 6.75; Bob Barney, 3 1-2 days, 4.72.

IS LEADING 12,000 MEN AGAINST THE FORCES OF PRESIDENT GOMEZ

SAYS THAT HE IS ENTHUSIASTICALLY RECEIVED

Castro Seeks to Overthrow the Gomez Administration and Regain Power

Caracas, Venezuela, Aug. 6.—An army of 7000 men, comprising three brigades divided into seventeen regiments of infantry and one of artillery, left Caracas today to operate against the rebel followers of ex-President Cipriano Castro.

President Juan Vicente Gomez will leave no capital troops and lead the army to Maracay, fifty miles southwest of Caracas.

Castro is reported to have been received enthusiastically when he landed at Coro, in the State of Falcon.

Two of Castro's adherents, Gen. Rosario Gonzalez and Gen. Penuela, who crossed into Venezuelan territory from the Colombian frontier with 3000 followers, are reported to be proceeding through the inland town of Gona, Maracaibo and Araya, to the State of Zulia.

Work on streets for week ending September 6, 1913: Sunny York, 5 days, 6.75; Bob Barney, 3 1-2 days, 4.72.

Work on streets for week ending September 13, 1913: Sunny York, 5 days, 6.75; Bob Barney, 3 1-2 days, 4.72.