

RULES FOR EXHIBITING CORN AT LOUISIANA STATE FAIR.

Superintendent, A. F. Kidder, Baton Rouge, La.; Judge, Leigh F. Macey, Curran, Ill.

- All exhibits in the ten-ear contest shall consist of ten ears only.
- All bushel exhibits shall consist of one hundred ears.
- Ten ears shall constitute the number for entry in the shelling contest.
- Any exhibit shown out of class is disqualified.
- All corn displayed for competition must be placed within the space provided for corn. This includes the samples for the special Caddo parish premiums.
- One ten-ear sample only of each variety of corn grown on one farm may be submitted for competition.
- Every sample entered for competition shall be under the control of the superintendent, but the State

Fair Association will in no case be held responsible for any loss or damage that may occur.

- All corn shown for competition remains the property of the exhibitor, but unless called for becomes the property of the State Fair Association.
- Entries close October 24, 1914.
- It will be advisable to ship all ten-ear exhibits in the ten-ear cartons furnished free by the State Fair Association. Write early so as to procure one of these cartons, then ship your corn either by parcel post or express. Full information will be sent you on receipt of your entry blank, and the corn carton will be sent in ample time. If you desire further information, write the Secretary of the State Fair Association.
- Corn will be scored by the Judge on the scale of points adopted by the Louisiana Corn Growers' Association, on a per acre card printed in their catalogue.
- The following varieties of corn have been recognized by the Louisiana Corn Growers' Association:

Variety	Length Inches	Circumference Inches	Proportion of grain to ear
1. Yellow Creole	8 - 8	6 1/2 - 7	82
2. Stewart's Yellow Dent	7 1/2 - 8 1/2	7 - 7 1/2	88
3. Calhoun Red Cob	8 - 9	7 - 7 1/2	86
4. Shaw's Improved	9 - 10	7 1/2 - 7 3/4	90
5. Munson's White Dent	9 - 10	7 - 7 1/2	86
6. Hembree's Semi-Flint	8 1/2 - 9 1/2	6 3/4 - 7 1/4	88
7. Stewart's White Shoepeg	8 - 9	7 1/4 - 7 3/4	90
8. Square Deal	8 - 9	7 1/4 - 7 3/4	88
9. Hickory King	8 - 9	5 1/2 - 6	90
10. Mosby's Prolific	7 - 8	5 1/4 - 5 3/4	90
11. Hastings' Prolific	7 - 8	6 - 6 1/2	88
12. Gandy's Prolific	8 - 9	7 - 7 1/2	88
13. Sentell's White Dent	9 - 10	7 - 7 1/2	88
14. Mexican June (Laguna)	8 - 9	7 - 7 1/2	84

Score card adopted by the Louisiana Corn Growers' Association:

1. Uniformity of exhibit	5 points
2. Shape of ear	10 points
3. Length of ear	10 points
4. Circumference of ear	5 points
5. Tip of ear	5 points
6. Butt of ear	5 points
7. Kernel uniformity	5 points
8. Kernel shape	10 points
9. Color in grain and cob	5 points
10. Space between rows	5 points
11. Space between kernels at cob	15 points
12. Variety and market condition	10 points
13. Trueness to type	10 points
14. Proportion of grain to ear	5 points
Total	100

Premiums—Ten-Ear Exhibits.

Ten ears	First	Second	Third
Ten ears Yellow Creole corn	\$10.00	\$5.00	\$3.00
Ten ears Calhoun Red Cob corn	10.00	5.00	3.00
Ten ears Shaw's Improved corn	10.00	5.00	3.00
Ten ears Hembree's Semi-Flint corn	10.00	5.00	3.00
Ten ears Stewart's White Shoepeg corn	10.00	5.00	3.00
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Ten ears Gandy's Prolific corn	10.00	5.00	3.00
Ten ears Sentell's White Dent corn	10.00	5.00	3.00
Ten ears Mexican June corn (Laguna)	10.00	5.00	3.00
Ten ears any other large one-year variety	10.00	5.00	3.00
Ten ears any other prolific variety	10.00	5.00	3.00

Sweepstakes.

For best ten ears \$15.00

Bushel of ear corn (100 ears of any variety) \$25.00 \$15.00 \$10.00

Division of points in the bushel contests will be as follows:

Market condition	25 per cent
Appearance, including trueness to type	25 per cent
Percentage of shelled corn	50 per cent

Pop Corn.

Ten ears any variety	\$3.00	\$2.00	\$1.00
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Corn Products

One-fourth bushel corn meal	\$5.00	\$2.50
One-fourth bushel corn grits	5.00	2.50
One-fourth bushel corn chops	5.00	2.50
One-fourth bushel corn and cob chops	5.00	2.50

Ten-Acre Yield Contest.

This contest is for the purpose of increasing the yield of corn in the State, when the cost of production and quality of corn are taken into consideration.

Rules for Ten-Acre Contest.

- The ten acres must be in one field, and if the field should measure less than nine and three-quarters acres the contestant will be disqualified.
- Any variety of corn may be grown.
- A certified record of the cost of production and yield must be sent to the Secretary of the State Fair before October 24, 1914.
- The land must be measured by Mr. Mason Snowden, State Agent, United States Department of Agriculture, Baton Rouge, La., or a party appointed by him, and two citizens selected by Mr. Snowden or the appointed party.
- A bushel of the corn (100 ears) must be exhibited at the State Fair. This bushel of corn cannot be used for any other entry.
- Demonstration agents cannot compete for this premium.
- Ten-acre yield contest for corn—first, \$75.00; second, \$50.00; third, \$25.00.
- Awards will be made on the following basis:
 - One half point will be given for each bushel of corn, using the average yield per acre as the basis.
 - If the cost of production be thirty cents per bushel, the contestant will be allowed to enter, but one point will be given for every cent that the cost of production is less than thirty cents. If the cost of production is over thirty cents the contestant will be disqualified.
 - The quality of the corn will be judged from the bushel (100 ears) of corn submitted, and one point will be given for each five ears that are selected by the Judge to be nearest perfect.
- All those desiring to compete in the ten-acre contest should not write the Secretary of the State Fair Association as soon as possible, so forms for keeping the cost of production and the amount of work put in on crop may be sent out.
- Corn Growers' Futurity Contest.

In order to encourage the growing of more and better corn in the State, the Louisiana State Fair Association has decided to open a Corn Growers' Futurity on ten-ear exhibits and one-bushel (100 ears) exhibits.

Rules for Entry.

- Any corn grower in the State is allowed to compete for the prizes

offered.

- The entry fee on ten-ear exhibits is 25 cents, and bushel lots of 100 ears is 50 cents.
- Entries for the Futurity close September 1, 1914.
- All parties entering the Futurity must also enter the same corn to compete for the State Fair prizes.
- The money received from the Futurity will be given to the Sweepstakes winner in the ten-ear contest and the bushel contest. The larger the list of entries the more money there will be divided. All money in the ten-ear contest goes for the first premium in the Sweepstakes ten-ear class, and all money received in the 100-ear class contest will be added to the Sweepstakes 100-ear contest.
- These premiums do not apply to any specific variety, but all varieties are eligible for competition.
- Nominations will not be accepted after September 1, 1914, and the money must accompany application of entry.

Shelling Contest.

This contest is for the purpose of seeing what corn gives the largest amount of grain.

Ten ears of any variety may be entered for this premium, but this same corn cannot compete for other premiums.

Premium.

Shelling contest—first, \$15.00; second, \$10.00; third, \$5.00.

LOUISIANA CORN GROWERS' ASSOCIATION SPECIAL PREMIUMS.

Five Stalks of Corn (With Roots and Ears Attached.)

Five stalks of corn, with ears and main roots attached, any variety—first, \$5.00; second, \$3.00; third, \$2.00.

One-Bushel Prize.

One bushel of ear corn (100 ears of any variety)—first, \$25.00; second, \$15.00; third, \$10.00.

Awards will be made on the following basis:

Appearance	25 per cent
Market condition	25 per cent
Percentage shelled corn	50 per cent

Entries in this class can compete for the general premiums offered on open bushel lots.

Note.—Only members of the Louisiana Corn Growers' Association can compete for these two premiums. Any one not a member and desiring to compete for these two premiums can do so by joining the association. Write A. F. Kidder, Secretary and Treasurer, Baton Rouge, La., and remit one dollar or annual dues.

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DISLOYAL TELEGRAM IS READ IN COURT.

Chicago, March 3.—Counsel for Wm. C. Ellis, on trial for killing his wife in a hotel here last October, sought to have his case taken from the jury today, on the ground that Ellis was insane when he killed the woman, but the court overruled their motion.

Ellis took the court ruling as a matter of course.

"I am willing that my case be decided by the twelve men selected," he said.

The defense rested after introducing as evidence a telegram from Mrs. Ellis to Fred G. Caldwell, of Bradford, Ontario.

Ellis burst into tears when the copy of the message was read by Judge Pettit. This was the telegram: "Fred Caldwell, Bradford Ont., 7 a. m. Pennsylvania. Cousin meets train."

"I know it! I know it!" sobbed Ellis. "I knew that my suspicions were well founded. My whole life is ruined."

Physicians testified for the State today that Ellis could distinguish between right and wrong at the time he killed his wife, contradicting testimony for the defense that Ellis was insane when he committed the murder.

Arguments will be begun tomorrow, and the case is expected to reach the jury Thursday.

Teachers' Examination.

The next State examination of applicants for teachers' certificate in this parish will be held in my office April 6, 7, 8, (white); and 9, 10, 11, (negro). The subjects for examination and conditions governing the issuance of certificates to applicants will be the same as those of last State examination.

The questions of the examination in Theory and Art of Teaching will not be based upon any particular text-book on that subject, but will be general and comprehensive in character.

ELMER E. LYON, Superintendent.

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Warren Thomas vs. Babington Bros. Limited, Robt. Babington, Receiver.

No. 2103.

Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale from the honorable the aforesaid Court, and to me directed, bearing date the 19th day of December, 1913, I will proceed to sell at auction at the front door of the courthouse in the town of Covington, La., between legal sale hours, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1914.

the following described property, to-wit:

- 110.12 acres, being the southwest fractional quarter of section 9 township 6 south, range 11 east, St. Helena Meridian.
- 160.20 acres, being the northwest quarter of section 29, township 6 south, range 11 east.
- 83.54 acres, being the north half of the southeast quarter of section 22, township 5 south, range 11 east, St. Helena Meridian.
- 70.22 acres, being south half of northeast quarter section 11, township 6 south, range 11 east, St. Helena Meridian.
- 79.91 acres, being an undivided one-fourth interest in the northwest quarter of northwest quarter, section 6, and the northeast quarter of section 6, and the fractional northeast quarter of section 29, all in township 6 south, range 11 east, St. Helena Meridian.
- 120 acres, in section 38, township 6 south, range 14 east, and 160 acres known as the lower half of the S. R. Wilson tract, and a piece of land described as being a part of section 28, in township 6 south, range 14 east, commencing at the southeast corner of said section 38, thence north 55 degrees west 83.2 feet, thence south 70 degrees and thence north 16 degrees west 2310 30 minutes west 269 feet, thence south 61 degrees 30 minutes west 2160 feet, thence south 28 degrees 30 minutes 2352 feet, thence north 61 degrees 30 minutes east 82 feet to the public road, thence along said public road 985 feet to the south boundary line of said section 38, thence north 61 degrees 30 minutes east 2065 feet to the point of beginning, containing 240.31 acres, more or less, according to a map and survey made by Preston Herndon, surveyor.
- And also a parcel of land, being a part of section 38, township 6 south, range 14 east, beginning at the south west corner of said section 38, in township 6 south, range 14 east, beginning at the southwest corner of said section 38, thence running north 61 degrees 30 minutes east 613 feet along the south boundary line of said section 38, thence running north 28 degrees 30 minutes west 792 feet, thence south 61 deg. 30 min. west 613 feet to the west boundary line of section 38, thence south 28 degrees

JUDICIAL ADVERTISEMENT.

Will be sold at public auction on **MONDAY, MARCH 16, 1914,** at 12 o'clock m., at front door of the courthouse at Covington, St. Tammany Parish, La., by virtue of an order of the Honorable William A. Bell, Referee in Bankruptcy, dated February 4, 1914, for account of the above named bankrupt, the following described real estate, viz: First—All that certain lot or parcel of land situated in the parish of St. Tammany, in section 24, township 9 south, range 14 east of St. Helena Meridian in Louisiana, being the south half of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the north half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 24, township 9 south, range 14 east of St. Helena Meridian, containing

30 minutes east 792 feet along the said west boundary line of section 38, to point of beginning, containing 11.14 acres, according to map and plan of survey made by Preston Herndon, surveyor, dated July 24, 1907, making a total acreage in section 38 township 6 south, range 14 east, of 531.45 acres, more or less.

- 400 acres in the southwest portion of section 43 township 5 south, range 12 east, on the south side of Bogue Chitto river, described as follows: Commencing at a stake set on section line at southeast corner of section 43 and one chain north of the southwest corner of section 44, which stake was found standing according to U. S. notes, thence from section corner, being southeast corner of 43, between sections 43 and 44, thirty-six chains on division line north 26 degrees 30 minutes west 32 chains and 36 links to a point on western boundary of section 43 and eastern boundary of section 38, thence down section line between sections 43 and 38, 83 chains and 92 links to the southwest corner of section 43, thence south 65 degrees east 80 chains to place of commencement.
- 121.91 acres, described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of the William Dykes Headright No. 40, township 5 south, range 12 east, and

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forty (40) acres or more.

Second—A certain lot or portion of ground with all improvements thereon, within the corporate limits of the town of Slidell, parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, described as follows: Beginning on Second (2nd) Street, 100 feet north of the southwest corner of square seven (7); thence due east a distance of 150 feet, along the north boundary line of the Attaway property to a post; thence north a distance of 50 feet; thence west a distance of 150 feet to Second street; thence south 50 feet to the point of commencement, as per survey made and filed by Edward Burns, C. E., on August 25, 1912, and the official map of Slidell, La., being a portion of lot five (5) in square seven (7) of the Brugier Addition to the town of Slidell, La. Square seven (7) is bounded east by Third (3rd) street, south by Fremaux avenue, west by Second (2nd) street, and north by Teddy avenue, as per the official map of Slidell, La. The improvements comprise the one-story frame building, nicely subdivided into store, with necessary shelves, etc. In a choice and central location.

Terms—Cash. Acts of Sale and the costs of all certificates at the expense of the purchaser before Gabriel Fernandez, Jr., Notary Public. Purchaser to assume the 1914 taxes over and above the price of adjudication.

A deposit of 10 per cent exacted at the moment of adjudication.

By Albert Paul, representing E. Pillsbury, Trustee.

CLAUDE L. JOHNSON, Attorney for Trustee.

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mortgage 2034.43 acres, more or less.

Less the following described property which has been released since the execution of said mortgage by partial cancellation inscribed on the margin of the Mortgage Records of St. Tammany parish, La., in book Q, page 233, etc., as shown by a certificate of W. E. Blossman, Deputy Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder, hereto annexed and made part hereof, to-wit:

- All of the standing and lying timber only, on the south half of northeast quarter section 11, and southwest fractional quarter section 9 township 6 south, range 11 east, containing 180.34 acres.
- The following described property and no further, to-wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of Wm. Dykes Headright No. 40 township 5 south, range 12 east, run south 65 3-4 degrees east 5.63 chains, thence north 24 degrees 50 minutes east 105 chains, thence north 65 3-4 degrees west 5.63 chains to west line of said Headright, thence south 24 degrees 50 minutes west along Headright line to point of beginning, containing 60.95 acres as set before Edw. H. Richard, Notary Public, dated October 20th, 1910.

Terms of Sale—Cash.

T. E. BREWSTER, Sheriff.

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