

U. A. O. D.
 Bogus Falaya Grove No. 21.
 Meets on the first Saturday and third Friday of each month, at 7:30 p. m., in Masonic Hall, Covington, La.
R. L. AUBERT, Noble Arch.
F. B. MARSOLAN, Sec.
MASONIC LODGE NO. 188.
F. & A. M.
 Meets every second and fourth Tuesdays at 7:30 p. m.
E. G. DAVIS, W. M.
R. H. WHITE, Sec.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.
 Meets first and third Wednesdays of each month in Knights of Columbus Hall, Covington, La.
J. L. SMITH, G. K.
C. C. KORNFIELD, Recorder.

FOR SERVICE—Registered Mare Kentucky Jack, No. 229416, a 500 down and 50-00 when foal came. B. Brunet, at Platts & Perber's saloon, Covington, La. aul6-5me

FOR SERVICE—The pure bred Jersey bull, "Major," formerly owned by G. McHardy. He is in excellent condition. Riverside Farm, Box 635, Covington, La. j3-4t

FOR SERVICE—The pure bred registered Berkshire boar, "Winona Lee Champion 4th," No. 229416, a great breeding son of Laurel Champion No. 166243, greatest breeding Berkshire boar in the world, and his dam a great companionship sow. Riverside Farm, Box 635, Covington, La. j3-4t

BARGAINS IN EGGS—For hatching in S. C. Rhodolands Reds and Barred Plymouth Rocks, 50 cents for 15. L. O. Alexian, Covington, La. ap8-1

MONUMENTS AND MARBLES.
 Monuments and Marbles of every kind and description, from \$12 up and erected. National Monument & Mausoleum Company, O. Cantel, Georgia. N. H. FitzSimons, special representative, Covington, La.

FOR SALE—Mare, buggy and harness; pony trap and harness. Also lately sound and gentle, lady can drive. G. McHardy, Glen Gordon Obichuba. m5t1

FOR SALE—Six fine mules and eight-wheel wagon, cheap. Apply at this office. j10

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred mare work anywhere. T. Dendinger, Jr., Madisonville. m20-4t

FOR SALE—One large and one small horse, work any where, both young and gentle. Address L. E. Botha, Mandeville, Pottevent & Favre sawyer. my27-4t*

LAND BARGAINS.
 Wesley Hill place, Folsom. Thirty acres, \$325.
 Abita Springs, 18 acres, 1 mile from depot, \$10.50 per acre. See Millar, phone 33, Abita Springs, La. Jun3-4t

Sweet potato plants, per thousand, \$1.50; sursy, \$15. Pigs, hogs, furniture, cheap. Dr. Stevenson. j3

FOR SALE—Cheap. A delightful residence site and two and one-half acres of land, fenced, no improvements, on Ramsay road, one mile from courthouse. Apply to E. V. Richard. j10

FOR SALE—Two good horses, two sets of harness and wagon. Apply Covington Grocery & Grain Company, Covington, La. j10-4t

FOR SALE—Complete camping outfit for road building; 2 cars on log trucks, kitchen utensils, mattresses and bedding; also lot of shovels, madox hoes, axes, and 250 feet 3-4 inch cable with blocks. See Millar, Abita Springs, La. j17

FRENCH SANDALS
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 Cool, comfortable, durable, cheap. Mrs. E. R. Morrison, sole agent. Phone 391. j10-1t

FOR SALE—4 incubators, 250 egg capacity, also hooovers and brooders in good condition. Apply at Prieto's grocery in Mandeville, or A. H. Bing 1317 Monroe street, New Orleans. j17-4t

SINGER SEWING MACHINES.
 Cash or easy payments. Repairing. A card will bring me to your residence. H. L. Wood, Agent, Covington, La. j17

TO TRADE—A good wagon and plow mule for a good milk cow or young heifer. Box 635, Covington. j17

FOR SALE—One large horse and buggy. Horse works anywhere. Apply to Mr. Houke, Abita Springs, La. j17-1t*

FOR SALE—A good sursy, \$25. Apply to Chas. W. Schmidt, Abita Springs, La. j17

FOR SALE—14 acres improved land, house, 2 wells, barn, 3 large screened chicken houses, growing crop, fruit of all kinds, grapes, pears, peaches, plums, berries; good wire fence; 40 acres suitable for pasture, has some pine, gum, cypress; also 1 good sound work mule, 1 lot farming implements and tools, 1 lot of household goods, 1 new incubator and brooder. Above will be sold cheap for a quick sale. H. M. Hoare St. Tammany, La. j17

CHAMBERLAIN'S COLIC, CHOLERA AND DIARRHOEA REMEDY.

This is a remedy that every family should be provided with, and especially during the summer months. Think of the pain and suffering that must be endured when medicine must be sent for or before relief can be obtained. This remedy is thoroughly reliable. Ask anyone who has used it. Obtainable at City Drug Store.

FARMERS' DEPARTMENT Edited By G. C. Lewis

PLANT CORN IN ALL CORN AND OAT OR TURF LAND.

With the price of peas this season no farmer can afford to "lay by" his corn without sowing peas down the rows. When we consider that a bushel of peas sown on average soil will collect and place into the soil six dollars worth of nitrogen, without considering the vegetable matter and other ways of doing good, we can see the importance of getting it sowed and planting them. Even if the corn has already been cultivated the last time sow peas any way and pass down the row with cultivator to cover them. The corn will not be injured as many of us lay by our corn too early any way. Get the seed now and plant every acre available, then save all the hay you have house-room for carrying the cattle through the winter in prime condition and return the manure to the soil. In this way we can hope to make money farming with general crops and in no other. We must cut out so much high price ammoniated commercial fertilizers.



Did you plant your garden for the bugs and beetles or for yourself and family? If for the bugs just let them go ahead and when they have finished feed them on for next season so there will be plenty on hand to clean up the garden quicker than this season. If for the garden is for yourself and family then take pains to spray and kill out the beetles and bugs in order to save this crop as well as to hold them in check for next year. Every bug killed now means several hundred less for next season, as we all know they multiply rapidly. Some of them, the Irish potato beetle for instance, will grow from a pair in first week in April to ten thousand by the end of May. Boll weevils will increase from two in May to as high as one hundred thousand by frost, and more too, according to the government officials. **KILL THE BUGS NOW.** Do not wait for them to disappear. I gave the formula a few weeks ago for spraying, but if you did not see it ask for spraying information.

NOTICE TO CATTLE OWNERS.

Due to the presence of "blackleg" in one section of the parish I think it wise to give the fall symptoms of the disease. One man has already lost some seven or eight head and had to have his entire herd vaccinated with blackleg vaccine. According to Dr. E. M. Ranck, State Veterinarian for Texas, where the disease has been for years, blackleg can be found or diagnosed in the following manner: There is usually a large swelling in either the front or hind leg, involving the entire quarter. This swelling will crackle under pressure due to the presence of gas, generated by the bacteria which causes the disease. As a rule the swelling does not extend below the knee or hock if the calf dies very suddenly of this disease without swelling, a post mortem examination will show the blood and muscles to be black and frothy and a foul odor will be given off, due to the accumulation of gas in the tissues. This disease cannot be cured, and when a pasture becomes infected preventative measures must be taken at once. All young animals running on pastures exposed should be vaccinated every spring against blackleg by the injection of a small pellet containing the virus under the skin on the side of the neck. These pellets may be bought from New Orleans druggists and may be used by any farmer by following instructions on package. All animals that die of the disease should be burned. Notice your cattle and the first one seen limping around and later dies have the blood tested.

THE 1916 STRAWBERRY CROP.

When the berry shipping season closed this year more farmers were disgusted with the crop than ever before. Not much profit was made last season (1915), as the crop was ruined by the prolonged drought. This season when we had the fruit of good quality, apparently, we received poor prices for it. Fruit leaving Hammond in good condition in many cases arrived in Chicago in bad condition and had to be dumped into the lake. There is a cause for conditions like this. One of the main reasons is for the past two seasons we have tried to get along without could not get it. The Tangipahoa any potash due to the fact that we growers have never experienced such conditions before on as big a scale and they too think it was a shortage of potash in the soil that caused the berry to carry bad. A berry rich in potash will look glossy, or as the boy would say "greasy," and will hold this appearance for at least three days. Fruit when about half ripe without this glossy shine will not keep long enough for the commission merchant to receive them and reship to smaller towns in the North. We must have some potash next season or not grow the crop—one or the other. Land that has been fertilized heavy for ten or more years with a mixture containing potash salt will make a good crop, but where the land is new or only been in cultivation a few years failure is almost certain as far as a shipping berry is concerned. I believe the fertilizer companies will be able to raise the potash content of their mixtures next season, and if they do that will relieve us to a great extent.

I give below a letter from Dr. W. L. Stevenson, president of the St. Tammany Canning Co., about sweet potatoes. I have not space in this issue for an article to accompany the letter from Dr. Stevenson. I will have some comments on this subject next week. Watch for it. The canning company is trying to do something to help the farmer and the farmer should know what to expect in price and best variety of potato to grow for canning purposes. Following is the article:

A NEGLECTED OPPORTUNITY.

It is an incontrovertible fact that agriculture is the basis of all prosperity, and our parish has wisely provided a farm demonstrator to show you how to raise bigger and better crops. But there must be a market for the produce that cannot be used at home, else the crops become an expense. To take care of the increased yield co-operative methods of marketing and home canning clubs are encouraged by our state and federal agricultural departments. Something is being done in our parish along these lines. We have canning clubs. We also have a Farmers' Association. But as yet the activity and usefulness of either is limited. Probably less than 10 per cent of the produce grown locally finds a profitable market. There is a temptation to feed the unsold crops unwisely to stock, and even to use them too largely on the family table. Often this diet is lacking in variety and is poorly balanced in food ingredients. The result ultimately is a condition of lowered vitality that unites both man and beast for the highest grade of work and encourages sickliness. The logical outlet for crops that the producer cannot profitably dispose of in the open market is a commercial cannery. This parish is fortunate in having a cannery, but it is claimed that it does not receive sufficient support either from the investor, the farmer or the consumer to keep it alive, yet it has shown that each of these share in the benefits—the farmer through the sale of his produce, the investor in the profits of the business, and the consumer, in the cheaper price at which locally packed goods can be purchased. To illustrate: The cannery pays 40 cents a bushel for sweet potatoes sells the consumer canned beans at 5 cents, and has shown, it is claimed that it can pack goods at a profit if this is true, why do we not support it. Can you point out an enterprise that would benefit more people—farmers, investors, merchants, employees, consumers? Ask your progressive farmers what are the most profitable local crops and the answer will be sweet potatoes and cane. Now it is with sweet potatoes that the cannery is most concerned, and it is a crop that is known to be sure and the least liable to drought or other unfavorable conditions, but it is not generally known that it can be grown for about 15 cents a bushel. The secret of cheap production is to use improved varieties, to grow large acreages and to employ proper cultural and harvesting methods. The canning company is reported to have just purchased new machinery that will enable it to do more and better work, and it now makes its final appeal to farmers to grow the necessary potatoes for the coming crop and for the financial support of the enterprise.

This article will be followed at an early date by directions for the culture of sweet potatoes. In general the yellow varieties are desired for canning purposes.

Another reason why we do not get better prices for the berries that do not arrive in good condition was the great acreage put in this crop. According to the latest report of the United States Department of Agriculture the strawberry acreage in the United States has increased this season nearly 20 per cent or 18,388 acres more than last season. When we consider that fourteen Southern States alone grew one hundred thousand acres we can begin to grasp the importance of the above stated increase in acreage. Tennessee leads in the number of acres with 17,479; Louisiana second with 16,540, and Arkansas third with 13,880. I am no prophet but I would wager that next year will be the year to grow berries if we can get the fertilizer. Hundreds of small, as well as large, farmers are so much disgusted with the crop that the acreage will be reduced much more next season than it was increased this. When everybody seems to be tired of a crop and thinks of quitting then it is time to make an effort to grow more of that crop than ever. Those who had Irish potatoes this season made good money. They received good prices and the yield was good. Next year will be the year to grow potatoes in two years and as seed was high this past spring the acreage was cut nearly 50 per cent. The same thing will happen next season in the berry crop. Make preparations to put in a small acreage and catch up what you have lost the past two seasons.

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CHARTER

of the

POOLE AND STANGA UNDERTAKING COMPANY, INC.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
 Parish of St. Tammany.
 Before me, Adrian D. Schwartz, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and qualified in and for the Parish and State, and in the presence of the witnesses hereinafter named and undesignated, personally came and appeared the persons who are hereunto subscribed, residents of this State, who severally declared that, availing themselves of the provisions of the Legislature of this State, known as Act 267 of 1914, they do by these presents agree and bind themselves as well as all other such persons as may hereafter become associated with them, in order to form and constitute a corporation for the objects and purposes hereinafter set forth and under the following conditions to-wit:

ARTICLE I.
 The name of this corporation shall be The Poole and Stanga Undertaking Company, (Inc.) and it shall enjoy all rights, privileges, and immunities guaranteed to corporations under the law.

ARTICLE II.
 The domicile of this corporation shall be Covington, Louisiana, where all service of legal process shall be made, according to laws now, or which may hereafter be established relative to the service of citation or

other legal process on corporations.
 ARTICLE III.
 The objects and purposes for which this corporation is organized and the nature of the business to be carried on by it are hereby declared to be: a general undertaking, embalming, garage, and livery business, and to trust and it may acquire by purchase or otherwise all manner of real or personal property, and the same to mortgage, pledge, or lease, according to law, and so to do all things necessary or incidental to the purposes aforesaid.

ARTICLE IV.
 The capital stock of this corporation is hereby declared to be fixed at the sum of \$5,000, divided into five hundred (500) shares of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars each, and this corporation shall be operative and go into business when fifty per cent of the said amount shall have been subscribed and paid for. No transfer of stock shall be binding upon this corporation, unless same appears upon the books thereof. No stockholder shall have the right to assign or transfer any share or shares held by him, unless he shall have first tendered same in writing to the Board of Directors.
 The corporate power of this corporation shall be vested in a Board of three Directors, to be elected by the stockholders, which election is to be held on the first Saturday of August, of each year. Stockholders of this corporation shall vote either in person or by proxy; the Board of Directors shall have the power to make all by-laws, rules and regulations necessary for the conduct of the affairs of this corporation, and shall elect from their Board a president, a vice president, and a secretary.

ARTICLE V.
 The subscriptions to capital stock in this corporation are hereby declared to be as follows: W. M. Poole, 25 shares; Jno. A. Stanga, 24 shares; J. Elliott Stanga, 1 share. All shares fully paid up in cash.
 No incorporator or stockholder of this company shall ever be held liable for any debts of this company or by reason of any informalities in the organization of this company under the laws beyond the unpaid balance due on its stock subscription herein.
 ARTICLES VI-VI.
 The capital stock of this corporation may be increased to \$10,000 upon the compliance with the provisions of law.
 There shall be no preferred stock.
 Thus done and passed at my office in Covington, Louisiana, on this 5th day of June, 1916, in the presence of Karl J. Kohinke and Irene Barrios, who have hereunto signed their names with the said subscribers, and me, Notary, after due reading of the whole.
WALLACE M. POOLE.
J. A. STANGA.
J. ELLIOTT STANGA.
 Witnesses:
KARL J. KOHNKE.
IRENE BARRIOS.
ADRIAN D. SCHWARTZ,
 Jun10-16 Notary Public.
 I certify that this instrument was filed for record June 8, 1916, and recorded June 8, 1916, in Charter Book 1, page 78, of the official records.
W. E. BLOSSMAN,
 Dy. Clerk and Ex-Officio Recorder.
 Jun10-16
PILLS BEST FOR LIVER.
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