

# St. Tammany Lumber Manufacturing Company

Manufacturers of

## Long Leaf Yellow Pine Lumber

Daily Capacity 100,000 Feet

RAMSAY, LOUISIANA



### WHAT HAVE YOU DONE?

What have you given? Will you give  
A little more, and give again,  
And with the giving help to ease  
The burden of the Great War's pain?

If you should say, "I'll give no more,"  
A weary outcast you will roam;  
How can you face your Boy and mine  
When they come marching home?

# Madisonville Bank

Of Madisonville, La.

### Statement at the Close of Business June 29, 1918

| RESOURCES:                         |                     | LIABILITIES:                       |                     |
|------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Loans and discounts .....          | \$112,208.57        | Capital stock (paid in) .....      | \$12,000.00         |
| U. B. bonds .....                  | 41,150.00           | Surplus (profits) .....            | 12,000.00           |
| Banking house, furniture, fixtures | 3,800.00            | Reserved for interest .....        | 282.56              |
| Cash on hand and due from banks    | 77,355.29           | Reserved for taxes .....           | 300.00              |
| Overdrafts .....                   | 865.74              | Dividends unpaid .....             | 40.00               |
| Suspense account .....             | 20.16               | Cashier's checks outstanding ..... | 2,577.96            |
|                                    |                     | Deposits .....                     | 208,199.24          |
|                                    | <b>\$235,399.76</b> |                                    | <b>\$235,399.76</b> |

Save, be thrifty, help your Government and the starving women and children who cannot live without your help. Buy War Savings Stamps all the time.



### AMERICAN AIRMAN TELLS OF FIGHTING EXPERIENCE.

A committee on public information representative in London says: There are no better sportsmen in the world than the allied airmen, and American aviators now fighting in Europe always play a fair game, as they learn it from the allies. F. P. Magoun, a former Harvard student, now a member of the Royal air force, recently wounded, tells how the lives of German observers escaping from balloons have been spared.

"We caught three Hun balloons above the allied grounds in a mist, which prevented their gunners seeing us," said he. "It was a cinch. You should have seen them hustle out parachutes and abandon the balloons. As they came falling through the air we circled about closely but, of course, didn't open fire, as that's against the rules of the game. As soon as they touched ground they took cover like rabbits."

Magoun is the only American in his squadron, having joined in February of last year. He has bagged five German planes. While carrying bombs for low attack in the recent offensive he received a bullet through his left arm, but managed to return to his own lines. Magoun tells of a companion in his squadron who had one of the luckiest escapes, during the war. He was put out of action at 1,000 feet in the air when a bullet perforated his gasoline tank. He was rendered unconscious by the fumes and his machine took a nose dive to earth, but he escaped without a scratch.

A section of the Royal air force operating in the Ypres salient had lost its only American member (June 7th), who had been with the squadron only ten days when he went on a bombing raid at low elevation. He was hit by a machine-gun bullet and his plane fell in flames. He was taken prisoner.

The efforts of newspapers to promote good feeling between the people of England and the thousands of Americans received official backing when Sir Randolph Baker, member of Parliament, offered to take charge of the American troops welfare department of the British Government. His plans contemplate a continuous program of healthful recreation in every American camp and training camp in England. Special London theatrical companies will be sent out. An organization known as "Sammy's Blighty League" is being formed.

### AMERICAN INFANTRYMAN HAS ADVANTAGE OF AMMUNITION EQUIPMENT.

The American infantryman in the Expeditionary Forces carry two hundred rounds of ammunition in the

pockets of his light canvas web belt and his bandoleers. The German soldier has only 120 rounds, and 30 of these are in his knapsack. To secure them at a critical moment he must lose valuable time.

The American web belts, according to the War Department, are far superior to the German leather bandoleers. They are not affected by prolonged rains nor torrid weather. The manufacture of these belts is one of the most intricate of the operations in the textile field. U. S. Army belts are made almost entirely of cotton.

The exact weight of the 220 rounds carried by the American soldier in France is 12 pounds. With the Springfield rifle 23 aimed shots can be fired each minute. Firing from the hip 40 shots can be fired a minute. The new United States model 1917 (modified Enfield) does even better.

### MEN IN TRAINING CAMPS HAVE EQUIPMENT FOR MANY SPORTS.

At every training camp in the country plans of the Commission on Training Camp Activities have been carried out to provide athletic facilities for the men. Baseball heads the list in popularity, and full equipment has been placed in the camps. More than 70,000 baseballs and 3,000 bats have been sent. At Camp Lewis, Washington, there are 16 baseball fields in use. Practically every company in each camp division throughout the country has its team, and there are company, battalion, regimental and inter-regimental leagues.

Every form of track athletics occupies the attention of men training at the camps. As many as 800 men have taken part in divisional contests, and track meets have been witnessed by more than 20,000 spectators.

Where facilities permit, instruction in swimming is given. Men are first given land instructions and then sent into the water. Tennis courts have been built in every camp, one having 40 courts, and the sport is rapidly gaining in popularity. Through the generosity of golf clubs located near the camps, the demand for golf courses is partly being met. Polo matches are frequently held, and competition for places on the teams is keen.

### CITIES BEING ASKED TO SUPPLY FARM LABOR.

To interest commercial organizations in the problem of supplying farmers in surrounding communities with sufficient help to harvest their crops, the Department of Agriculture, in co-operation with the Department

of Labor, has placed trained men in numerous states to call meetings of business men and present the situation to them. Ten men are at work in Illinois, three in Indiana, three in Kansas, two in Virginia, and two in Vermont, and additional appointments are to be made soon. These men will tell the city organizations that, although farmers have planted larger acreages than during the normal year, they will need additional assistance in connection with the harvest, and that each local community should strive to solve its own labor problems. Factories and business houses are being asked to release at least a part of their employees, if necessary, for a few days in order that the farmers may have enough help to save their crops.

### DRIVING CATTLE TICK FROM SOUTH CAROLINA.

The entire State of Carolina will be freed December 1 from quarantine against the cattle fever-tick, it is believed by officials of the tick-eradication division of the Bureau of Animal Industry. Tick-eradication work is progressing favorably throughout all the other Southern States. The number of dipping vats available on May 1 numbered 22,879.

### PROTECTING FIGHTERS FROM RAD MEAT.

Sixty-seven inspectors of the Bureau of Animal Industry are now with the Army inspecting the meat and meat products supplied for the soldiers and 30 others are similarly engaged with the Navy. Operations are under Federal supervision from the time the live animals are driven into the slaughtering houses until the finished product is delivered in good condition to the mess cooks.

### PIG CLUB MEMBERSHIP INCREASES.

One hundred thousand boys and girls are now members of pig clubs. This is more than twice the number enrolled last year, when 45,000 members produced approximately 10,000,000 pounds of dressed pork. These boys and girls are raising pigs under the supervision of local pig club leaders who are co-operating with the State colleges and the United States Department of Agriculture.

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Notice is hereby given that no bills will be paid by the St. Tammany Parish School Board, unless orders are given by the undersigned, who is their sole purchasing agent.  
ELMER E. LYON,  
Superintendent.