

# The St. Tammany Farmer

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## EDITORIAL COMMENT BY D. H. MASON

### LET GO THE LAKE SHORE LAND AND BUILD ACROSS THE LAKE.

New Orleans seems to have adopted the maxim, "To him that hath, more shall be given." It is a very seductive motto for a big, powerful city, and seems to have hit New York in the right spot, too, as the St. Lawrence ship channel doesn't appeal to that city. This maxim is a fine and mighty idea for the big fellow, all around, but it's bad for the little fellow; and there were so many little fellows that in course of civilization they combined and made laws to protect themselves. And since voting came into vogue there were so many little fellows that the big ones had to adopt new tactics and even submit to the Sherman Act.

New Orleans is a big city and a fine city, and the little towns and the farmers throughout the state love to see it grow and expand, and the nearby expect some day to be able to peep over the fence into the back yard of this second greatest port of America. Those who are further away will travel the good roads and occasionally get a glimpse of this great city, if the cost of the roads don't prohibit the owning of a car. The shore drive on the Hammond connection with New Orleans would no doubt be attractive to the merchant visiting that city on trade days and during carnivals and races and operas and banquets and parades, and the farmer and his family would enjoy it, too. But they would like to be able to build some roads leading to this beautiful and expensive drive, so the mud on their wheels might not dirty it up; and they would also like to have charge enough in their pockets to buy gas and lubricate a little. We know this shore road went cost as much as the Industrial Canal and that it would be a big thing for those owning property along the line. We are not stingy about it, and we agree with The Item that it would be a wonderful thing for New Orleans and would entice all the people of Hammond into the city. Instead of shipping her strawberries and truck to Chicago, Tangipahoa could haul them in by truck to New Orleans and sell them to the commission merchants—and there would be no notice sent to growers to remit to pay freight charges. And there would be no necessity for reserving anything for the local market, because the people of the towns could run over to New Orleans and buy for the table and ride on the beautiful road at the same time. O, no; you don't catch us denying any of the good points of the Shore Road proposition. We'd be willing to impeach Governor Parker if we thought he'd do such a thing. If we had soviet money and a flat machine we are sure he would not oppose it. But if it comes to a question of doing without the agricultural college or the Shore Road, we've got to stand by the Governor. It's simply a question of putting all the eggs in one basket.

If the people of New Orleans believe the Shore Road is of such importance as to warrant the expenditure to build it, as a business proposition it could reclaim the land and build the road at the same time without much loss or perhaps some profit, but it is not right to ask that it be built by the state. Schools, roads and state institutions are absolutely necessary and the people are willing to pay for them, but they are not willing to shoulder unnecessary expense or do without roads in one section as a matter of accommodation of another section. It is true that New Orleans pays a lot of money into the road fund, but it should remember that it gets trade from all over the state. That its drummers are using the roads to solicit this trade. Trucks are using them to haul freight from the railroad stations and distribute it to customers. That the more good roads there are in the country and the more the country develops, the greater is the opportunity of New Orleans to secure more business. Every big city drains the surrounding country, and it is the very value of this trade that puts New Orleans in the position where she has to pay more taxes. The bigger the individual property-holder the more taxes he has to pay. It would be ridiculous if New Orleans did not have to pay this money into the road fund. That such a road is practical at less than prohibitive cost is doubtful. It is certain that it will cost more than the Ory connection. From two to twenty million was a big jump for the Industrial Canal.

It is to be hoped that there will be no bitter feeling between New Orleans and the state at large. There should be no feeling that New Orleans is willing to prosper at the expense of the rest of the state. But this bitterness will certainly arise if the fight for the Shore Road is won, and the state at large will stand by Governor Parker in his defense of their interests.

We suggest that instead of draining the lake shore land, a bigger proposition would be the building of a causeway across the lake. Plenty of high land over here that don't need levying.

### NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

The listing of the assessments for the Parish of St. Tammany are complete, and are open for inspection for the next twenty (20) days.  
WARRANT THOMAS, Assessor.

### "DO DROPS."

Do drop a line to the Mayor asking suggestions and complaints, but do not forget to sign your name.

Do drop the custom of calling up city officials at their homes, outside of office hours, except in emergency cases.

Do drop in and make the City Treasurer glad by squaring up old accounts, if you owe the city money.

Do drop the idea that the police can make and keep the town clean morally, without your help.

Do drop a line to the Mayor, when you suspect law violation; your confidence will be respected if requested.

Do drop your garbage and other trash in proper places to burn, and not in the alley or over the river bank.

Do drop over on Boston street and see our "central fire station." Then work for one we need not be ashamed of.

Do drop in at the Public Library some afternoon and see what we have and what we need.

Do drop your "hammer" and pick up your "saw" and "paint brush" and "let's go."

### MORE STRINGENT SANITARY REGULATIONS IN EFFECT.

(By Dr. W. L. Stevenson)

On complaint of the Women's Progressive Union, and individual citizens, and to better protect the public health, the Covington Board of Health announces a policy of more rigid enforcement of sanitary laws. Milk regulations will be more closely watched, rooms wherein infectious diseases have occurred will be sanitized, building permits will be demanded for all new buildings to insure that they are not erected on damp ground, that no open privies are built, and that proper ventilation is provided, and realty owners and agents are notified that they must bear the expense of disinfecting premises following recovery or death from consumption and infectious diseases.

To aid in the enforcement of the regulations, Mr. J. E. Glisson, inspector for State Board of Health, has been appointed inspector for the Covington board, and will assume his duties Monday.

### AN ORDINANCE

Be it ordained by the Police Jury in legal session convened, that it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to pile, stack or cord any material of any nature or

kind on the shoulders of the public roads of the Parish of St. Tammany, or to drive any automobile, truck or vehicle of any kind across the ditches on either side of the roads of the Parish of St. Tammany.

Be it further ordained, That any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be fined in the sum not less than \$10 nor more than \$50, or imprisonment in the parish jail not less than ten days nor exceeding sixty days, or both, at the discretion of the Court.

Be it further ordained, That all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith be hereby repealed.

Be it further ordained, That this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Dated this April 11th, 1922.  
J. B. HOWZE, President.

F. J. MARTINDALE, Secretary.

### SUCCESSION SALE.

Succession of Mrs. C. Fredrica Carl, No. 212.

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

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of sale issued out of the honorable aforesaid Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court, and to me directed, bearing date the 18th day of April, 1922, I will offer for sale to the last and highest bidder, at the principal front door of the courthouse in the Town of Covington, La., between legal sale hours for judicial sales, on

Saturday, May 27, 1922, the following described property, to-wit:

One hundred acres of land and improvements, east side of Bayou Lacombe, situated in H. R. 39 and 43, and commonly known as the Toussaint Duane tract, St. Tammany parish, Louisiana.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

WALTER GALATAS, ap22-6t Sheriff.

"And There Wasn't the Slightest Smell from Dead Rats."

Writes John Simpkins, farmer o Annandale, N. J.: "Rats were eating me hundreds yearly; tried dozens ferrets, poison, could not get rid of them. Bought \$1.25 pkg. of RAT-SNAP (5 cakes). Used half, not a live rat since. Dead ones plenty. I like RAT-SNAP because after killing rats it dries them up—leaves no smell." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Schonberg's Pharmacy and Smith Hardware Co.

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"There is both good and bad jazz music," says a former director of music. What he means is that there is both good and bad jazz, but you have to have a keen nose to distinguish one from the other.

It takes about two to three hundred years of time to eliminate the fellow that remembers a lot of compromising stuff about the guy that really became great.

There's been no movie scandal about Ben Turpin yet, but he does look crooked.

"Madame Galli-Curci robbed of \$100,000 in gems." Yep, but it took a mighty slick press agent to put it across!

The wife: Isn't that your eye doctor?  
The husband: I thought so until he sent me his bill. He's a skin specialist.

An Iowa man reports finding in his cellar a mouse that sings like a canary bird. He got off easy. The last time I visited a cellar I saw a green elephant that flew like a humming bird.

Verbal Barrage.  
"Shall I go over the top?" asked a talkative barber, posing his shears. "Yes, as soon as your gas attack is over," answered the weary customer.

Everybody is talking about the problems of marketing nowadays. Might there not be a lesson taken from the bees? Just see how they sell their honey.

Common sense is the most talked of, and least used, of any of the human senses.

Right in Her Line.  
"Would you convict a man on circumstantial evidence?" they asked the lady juror.  
"I would," she replied. "I've convicted my husband that way dozens of times."

A Cozy Time Was Had.  
Wanted—A wardrobe large enough to accommodate two persons.—Ad in Cleveland News.

Below her bosom—  
Above her knee—  
Her new suit fits her perfectly.  
Above her bosom—  
Below her knee—  
All that one could see was she.

Getting to the bottom of things the fact is: The discouraged and dissatisfied American farmer is likely to produce some hungry cities.

"I do the very best I know how; the very best I can; and I mean to keep doing so until the end. If the end brings me out all right, what is said against me won't amount to anything. If the end brings me out wrong, ten angels swearing I was right would make no difference—Abraham Lincoln.

"The baby is crying because he can't pull the fur out of your muff, mother. What shall I do?"  
"Give him the cat."

"Even a stopped clock is right twice in twenty-four hours." That is a fact well worth bearing in mind when the stock salesman recites his memorized list of fortunes made by buyers of stocks of new ventures, which in comparison with those who lost would make the percentage of five-legged calves look formidable.

Have you ever noticed that soul mates often turn out to be skippers?

No Time For Sittin'.  
"Maybe," said Uncle Eben, "do sun do move an' maybe it don't. I am giner sit down an' argue 'bout it when I ought to be movin' myse'f."

"What is the coroner's verdict on the deceased?"  
"Death from acute indigestion, your honor."

"Acute indigestion? Why, the evidence states that the victim had the plainest of suppers?"  
"I forgot to state, your honor, that the meal consisted of English mutton and Irish potatoes."

Social evil is like the old fashion pole-vit: sort of a cross between a running sore and certain death.

How About the Bug?  
History Prof.—Mr. Green, will you describe the charge in which the Russians took the Oder?  
Green—Why, I didn't know they took it; I thought they always had it.

Words sometimes fall a man, but nothing like that ever happens to a woman until she is ready to attend her own funeral.

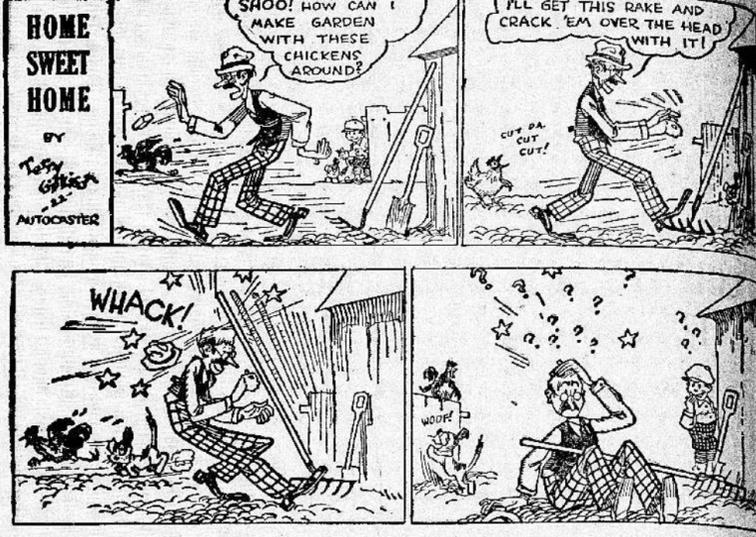
A man never needs a friend more than when he feels as independent as a hog on ice.

A Matter of Taste.  
She—What color is best for a bride?  
He—I prefer a white one, myself.

A man can get all he wants in life if he can learn to get along without the things he can't get.

Remember the days when we used to worry about the boys being blown up in the trenches? Now we worry

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**FOR SALE**—Good milk cow with young calf. Can be seen at Glen Gordon, B. W. Brown, Mandeville Road. ap1\*

**HATCHING EGGS** from pure bred White Leghorns and Barred Plymouth Rocks, \$1.50 for 15. Sam Shortridge, 1011 Jahnske ave. al-4t

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**STRAYED**—Brown dehorned part Jersey cow. Reward for return to Dr. Stevenson, Covla Park.

**STRAYED**—From depot, a male white poodle, tan neck and ears. Answers to name of Billy. Reward, 101 Boston street, near bridge.

**ROOM and BOARD**—Meals also served on premises or at your home; Creole cooking at cheap rates. Apply Mrs. H. Buisson, at Madison and 24th Avenue, or phone 252. f14t

**FOR SALE**—We have a complete line of second-hand furniture—beds, armchairs, dressers, washstands, chairs, armchairs, rockers, etc. BURNS FURNITURE CO., Covington. j7

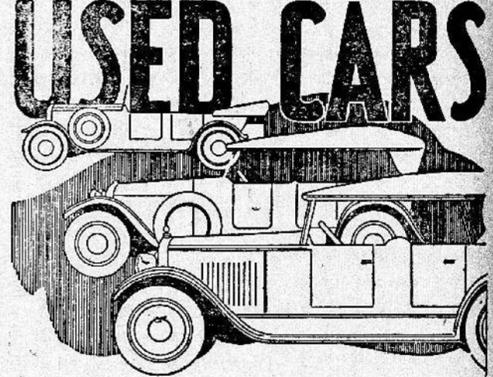
**Rub-My-Tism**, antiseptic and pain killer, for infected sores, eczema, sprains, neuralgia, rheumatism. Adv. n25-16t

**ESTRAY NOTICE**—Came to my place last August, about 3 miles northwest of Folsom, La., one high brown bull about 2 years old, with out mark or brand. Owner can have same by proving property and paying costs. Adolph Warren. mr16-

**FOR SALE**—10-acre farm, cleared and ready to plant, good fence, splendid 7-room house with all necessary out-houses, good barn, saw wagon, farm implements, etc. Three miles from Covington, for \$1500.00. House alone worth \$2000. Richard & Riggs, Covington, La. mr16-

**FOR RENT**—Upper floor of Seale Building, 12 rooms in all. Fully furnished. Formerly occupied as a hotel. Apply to Jacob Seale, Covington, La. ap14-

**FOR SALE**—One milk cow and young calf; few springs, bring calf in two or three weeks. Apply to Aouella Bakery. d17



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