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ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR CORONER.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of coroner of the parish of Ascension, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the primary election. E. S. KYES, M. D.

"WELCOME SOLDIER BOYS."

By Miss Josephia C. Judice of Barton, La.

Welcome dears Ascension boys,
Our hearts go out to you,
Since we have found you all so true,
You gave up your all for freedom's cause.
So now we greet you with loud applause.
You have shown what red blood flowed in your veins.
So much so, that it checked the kaiser's reign,
We little know the strife you've been,
Altho' it was our hopeful dream,
That some day back to us you'd come,
With scores of honors won.
Sons of Ascension, brave and true,
May ever our memory be with you,
For you have gallantly proven yourselves to be
As staunch as other heroes who have set nations free.
Each day brings back to our shores,
One or more of our noble heroes,
And still others remain across the foam,
Their every thought of mother and home.
But the day shall soon dawn once more,
When all shall be reunited as of yore,
And braves of Ascension, when you are old and gray,
Then shall we be proud again to hail you as veterans of the fray.
But those of you who have so nobly gave your life,
In this great struggle of human strife,
Tho' sleeping under the lillies of France,
You shall always be alive in our remembrance.
And mothers of Ascension,
Who so nobly gave your sons,
Be proud that they died defending a just and noble cause,
That protected humanity all.
And let us remind you,
That our prayers all, shall be for your patriots true,
Who so gallantly responded to the call.
Once again, welcome, dear Ascension boys, welcome!

Fordson Dealers in Session.

The first annual convention of the dealers and agents, who sell the Fordson tractor in Louisiana and Mississippi, was held in Lake Charles on the 16th inst. More than a hundred of the [illegible] from all parts of both states were present and the meting proved a notable and significant one. The purpose of the convention was to educate the farmers to use the tractor intelligently at the least cost. Addresses were delivered by a number of well posted speakers, followed by a general discussion in which many of the agents took part. K. A. Aucoin, agent for the Fordson tractor at this place, attended the gathering. He expressed the opinion that much good will result to both the dealers and the farmers as a result of the convention.

May Revive Base Ball.

A movement is on foot having for its object the revival of base ball, a sport which held sway in this city in the good old days of the past, and which attracted to Donaldsonville large crowds of people from the surrounding country. A list is being circulated by Louis Denino, the Mississippi street barber, among the business men and lovers of the game soliciting contributions to a fund to be used in defraying the expense of organizing and equipping a team. Several hundred dollars have already been subscribed. Henry Dugas, a well-known rice planter of the fourth ward heads the list with $200. His brother, Alcee Dugas of this city, comes next with $50. Besides these the names of several business men appear for handsome sums, and the present indications are that no difficulty will be experienced in financing the proposition. Base ball is a sport which is both interesting and exciting and there are many enthusiastic lovers of the game in Donaldsonville and the adjacent country who would be delighted to have the national game revived here. To be successful, however, the team must be organized with first-class players, otherwise the enterprise will be doomed to failure. Big crowds will turn out to witness good ballplaying; but to insure good playing the personnel of the team must be of the highest order of excellence. Another important matter is that of management. A competent manager will make a success, but under incompetent control, nothing but disappointment can be expected. These suggestions are made in the kindliest spirit, and based upon a sincere desire to insure the success of the enterprise, which everyone knows will mean a great deal to this city.

THE PLEASURE OF KNOWING

THAT YOU CAN SEND YOUR FINE CLOTHING AWAY AND HAVE THEM CAREFULLY CLEANED OR DYED AND RETURNED TO YOU THE SAME WEEK IS A GREAT CONSOLATION. WE MAKE THIS SERVICE POSSIBLE. WE ALSO PAY RETURN PARCEL POST.

KING'S KLEANERY
NEW MANAGEMENT
BATON ROUGE, LA.

A GOOD ORDINANCE.

At a recent meeting of the commission council, an ordinance was introduced having for its object the protection of the bitulithic pavement in Railroad avenue and Mississippi street from destruction by the traffic of heavy iron-wheeled tractors. The ordinance makes it unlawful to drive tractors or other heavy iron-wheeled machines or vehicles, having on the circumference of their wheels lugs, spikes, fins or other mechanical devices for traction purposes, whether propelled by motive power or otherwise, in Railroad avenue or Mississippi street, or any other street which may hereafter be paved with asphalt or bitulithic. Each violation of the ordinance is made punishable by a fine of from $5 to $25, or imprisonment not exceeding thirty days, or both at the discretion of the court. The ordinance was allowed to lie over until the next meeting for final disposition.

It is very much to be hoped that this law, which is an exceptionally good one, will be adopted at the next meeting of the council and that it will be strictly enforced after its adoption. These two streets were paved only a few years ago, at great expense to the town and taxpayers, and the heavy traffic to which they were subjected before the advent of the ponderous iron-wheeled machines damaged them considerably, by causing depressions and breaks and holes in the pavement in very many places. These holes can be filled and the breaks repaired, and the former smoothness of the surface of the pavement restored to some extent, but should the heavy iron-wheeled machines be permitted to continue the use of these streets, not only will repair be made impossible, but it is only a question of time when there will be no more pavement left either to use or repair. By all means, let the ordinance be adopted, and let it be enforced when it becomes law.

May Run for Senate.

Sidney A. Marchand, a rising young attorney of this city, is prominently mentioned as a prospective candidate for senator from the ninth senatorial district, composed of the parishes of Ascension and St. James, and it is said that at the proper time he will make formal announcement of his candidacy. Mr. Marchand is a native of New River and has resided in this parish all of his life. He is well acquainted throughout the district and has many well-wishing friends who will no doubt give him warm support if he decides to make the race. Having served four years in the house of representatives, from 1912 to 1916, he is fully qualified by experience to discharge the duties of senator, and if elected he may be relied upon to serve his constituents in a most creditable and satisfactory manner.

Bargain Sale a Success.

The bargain sale at the Fair store, which opened up last Monday, attracted large crowds of people daily in spite of the inclemency of the weather which made the roads in the interior almost impassable. The sale will come to a close next Wednesday. Leon Bloch, manager of this big emporium, is highly elated over the splendid results of this sale. This as well as other bargain sales which he has put on in the past, have proven successful because the bargains offered were invariably real bargains, and the people have learned to look forward to these events with anticipations of pleasure as well as profit. The sale will come to a close next Wednesday, and those who have not taken advantage of the exceptional bargains offered should do so before that date.

K. of C. Big Meeting.

Ascension Council No. 1087 K. of C., held a largely attended and rousing meeting last Tuesday night, at which considerable business was transacted. Nine applications for membership were favorably balloted upon and nine new applications were received. A special meeting will be held next Monday to receive additional applications. Preparations for the big initiation which will be held here on Sunday, June 15, are progressing satisfactorily and the indications are that the event will prove one of the grandest of its kind in the history of the council.

The knights will attend the penny party at St. Vincent Institute tomorrow evening and will partake of the maccaroni supper in a body at 8:30 p. m.

Changes in L. S. U. Dates.

Slight changes in the dates of the farmers' short course or farmers week and of the summer short course for boys' and girls' club members at the Louisiana State University have been announced by the University authorities. Farmers week will begin July 31 and extend through to Aug. 9, instead of Aug. 6 as announced in the summer school bulletin. Between Aug. 6 and Aug. 9 will be held a series of livestock meetings and livestock sales at Baton Rouge by several livestock associations, co-operating with the Louisiana State University. The short course for boys' and girls' club members will begin Monday, Aug. 11, and close at noon Saturday, Aug. 16.

SOLDIERS WHO HAVE RETURNED

Boys Honorably Discharged from the Army at Home Again.

Edmond Esneault of Faubourg la Pipe, returned yesterday from Camp Travis, San Antonio, Tex., where he was honorably discharged from the army. He was a member of Headquarters Company, Signal Corps, 43rd Infantry. He is looking as fine as a peacock and expresses himself as having been well satisfied with army life. His relatives and friends are glad to welcome him back home.

Lee J. Fortier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Fortier of Faubourg la Pipe, returned home Tuesday from Camp Shelby, Miss., where he was honorably discharged from the army. He enlisted in New Orleans April 19, 1917, and was sent to Camp Beauregard, from which place he left for Europe Aug. 22, 1918, as a member of the 156th Infantry band. He was later transferred to the 305th Infantry band, 77th New York Division. His relatives and friends are glad to have him with them again.

Frank Reiger, the gallant young son of Mrs. Frank Reiger, Sr., returned home Wednesday from Camp Shelby, Miss., where he was honorably discharged from the army on the 26th inst. Young Reiger was with the army in France fourteen months and was on the battle front six months. He took part in the battles of the Vosges, Chateau-Thierry and Mount St. Mihiel, as a member of the 161st Field Hospital Corps. He is looking the picture of good health and is glad to be back with his relatives and friends again.

Sidney Acosta, son of Deputy Sheriff and Jailer Lucien Acosta, returned home Tuesday after being honorably discharged from the army. He was a member of Co. B, Machine Gun Bn., 82nd Division and was in France nine months, and in active service nine days when the armistice was signed. He is looking hale and hearty and is glad to be home again.

The Chief is in receipt of a letter from its friend, W. L. Tearney of New Orleans, in which he says that his son, Patrick L. Tearney, returned home May 28 from Camp Shelby, Miss., where he was honorably discharged from the army after twelve months overseas.

Dave McCormick, son-in-law of J. E. Weldon, superintendent of the logging department of the Bowie Lumber Company in St. James parish, having been honorably discharged from the army after serving with the Marine corps, returned to his home from Paris Island, S. C., a few weeks ago. Mr. McCormick at the time he volunteered for service was the chief bookkeeper and general manager of the Bowie Lumber Company's plant at St. James, and he is again at his post of duty. His only regret is that he did not get a chance for active service.

Earl M. Marchand of Darrow, who was recently honorably discharged from the army, returned home a few days ago. As a member of the 80th Co., 6th Regiment Marines, he spent one year in France, and for eight weeks was on the battle front in the Chateau Thierry sector. He was wounded in the shoulder on June 8 last, and spent three months in a hospital, and was convalescing when the armistice was signed. Upon his return to the United States he was sent to Quantico, Va., near the Potomac river, from which place he was discharged. He has made application for admission to one of the vocational schools provided by the government. The relatives and friends of the young soldier are glad to have him in their midst and hope that his application for admission to the vocational school will be favorably received and that he will soon enter upon the studies which will qualify him for his chosen profession.

Sidney LeBlanc, the gallant young son of N. B. LeBlanc of Port Barrow, arrived home last Monday, after having been honorably discharged from the army. Young LeBlanc enlisted for service at Flint, Mich., where he was employed at the time, Sept. 22, 1917. He was sent to Camp Bowie, Fort Worth, Texas, for training on Oct. 22. From there he was sent to Camp Merritt, N. J., Jan. 16, 1918, and sailed for France about one month later. He arrived overseas Feb. 24, and after training for about three months went into the trenches in Alsace on May 17. He remained fourteen months on the battle line, and saw active and thrilling service in the Vosges sector. He sailed for the states May 2; arrived in New York on the 9th, and was discharged from Battle Creek, Mich., a few days later. Young LeBlanc was wounded in the left arm by a piece of steel from a high explosive German shell. The piece of metal, about one inch square, was imbeded in the fleshy part of his arm, and when removed left a large scar. He carries this fragment of steel with him as a souvenir of thr great war. His safe return home is a source of much gratification to his parents and many friends.

Felicien Adams, a brave and gallant young soldier boy, returned to his home from overseas recently. He was a member of the famous Rainbow division, which covered itself with glory on the battlefields of France. He was wounded in the right foot in one of the battles. He brought as a souvenir a match box to which is attached a German iron cross, bearing a crown of Wilhelm and the figures 1914. This match box, together with a watch and chain, was taken from a German officer whom Mr. Adams killed in a hand-to-hand fight. Mr. Adams presented these relics of the war, to his employer, J. E. Weldon, superintendent of the logging camp of the big Bowie sawmill in St. James, and member of the Lafourche levee board from that parish. Young Adams was employed in the logging camp of this company when drafted into the army and has resumed his former position since his honorable discharge.

For a Weak Stomach.

As a general rule all you need to do is to adopt a diet suited to your age and occupation and to keep your bowels regular. When you feel that you have eaten too much and when constipated, take one of Chamberlain's Tablets.—(Adv.)

STORE ROBBED AGAIN.

Thieves Break Into Building and Carry Away $300 Worth of Goods.

For the second time within three months the "Banner" store of the Fashion Company, situated at the corner of Railroad avenue and Williams street, one block from the T. & P. passenger depot, has been burglarized. The burglary occurred sometime last night. The thief or thieves effected an entrance into the building by breaking the large show window of the millinery department, facing Railroad avenue, and made their escape through a back door of the establishment, which was found open.

A. Bloch, president of the corporation which owns and operates the store, was apprised of the robbery by a neighbor, who called him up by telephone at 6:30 o'clock this morning and informed him that the large glass show case window of his store was broken. Mr. Bloch hurried to the place, and upon investigation found things in considerable disorder in his store. He and the other members of the firm made a careful examination of the situation, and found that fourteen men's suits, several suit cases, many pairs of shoes and considerable jewelry were missing, the value of which is estimated at about $300.

Every effort has been made to apprehend the culprits, but so far no clue to their identity has been discovered. This same store was broken into about three months ago, and $400 worth of merchandise was carried away. No part of these goods was ever recovered nor were the thieves captured. Mr. Bloch strongly suspects that last night's robbery was committed by the same persons who perpetrated the first crime, and who, he believes, were embolden by the success of their first effort to try their hand at the game a second time.

On the occasion of the burglaries committed at the Banner and New Orleans Bargain stores some months ago, the Chief took occasion to suggest that better night police protection should be given to the business section of the city. Last night's bold burglary is a strong argument in favor of the suggestion made, at that time, and should be given prompt attention by the city authorities. Either the burglars must be put behind the bars, or a close watch kept so as to make it impossible for them to ply their trade.

SCHOOL ELECTION CARRIES.

People of New River Vote in Favor of New $60,000 Structure.

The special election held in School District No. 4 in the New River section last Tuesday, carried by a handsome majority both in number of votes and valuation of property.

The election was held to take the sense of the property taxpayers on the proposition to incur a debt of $35,000 to cover a part of the cost of erecting a high school building at Gonzales, and at the same time to levy a tax not to exceed two mills per year, for a period not to exceed 20 years, to liquidate the said indebtedness.

A vigorous campaign was conducted by both, those who favored and those who opposed the proposition. Henry L. McPuck of this city, a member of the parish school board, spent several days in that section addressing meetings and urging the people to vote for the proposition. He was accompanied by H. P. Broussard, parish superintendent of education, and others, who also took an active interest in favor of the measure. T. H. Harris, state superintendent of public education, spent the day in the district last Sunday and delivered addresses in favor of the proposition at Gonzales and St. Amant. Several prominent citizens of New River devoted much time and effort to the campaign, and the result of the election is generally considered a splendid victory for progress in public education in this parish.

The vote was as follows:

	For	Against
Gonzales	121	20
St. Amant	20	56
Sorrento	1	26
	142	102

Property valuation:

	For	Against
Gonzales	$109,491.60	$11,218.00
St. Amant	25,746.00	44,950.00
Sorrento	180.00	11,356.00
Totals	$135,417.60	$67,524.00

The majorities in favor of the measure were: Votes, 30, property valuation, $67,893.60.

As a result of this election, a new $60,000 brick high school building at Gonzales is assured, since the police jury stands pledged to supplement the amount of $35,000 just voted upon with an appropriation of $25,000.

Plans for the new building will now be secured and bids advertised for and the work started on the structure as soon as these have been accepted.

A Splendid Lecture.

A large and appreciative audience greeted Jos. E. Morcombe, the distinguished orator of Storm Lake, Iowa, when he appeared in the lodge room of the Masonic Temple Monday night of last week, to deliver an address on "The Evolution and Present Place of Freemasonry." Mr. Marcombe, who is the editor of the American Freemason, is an able and eloquent speaker, and throughout his lecture held the audience spellbound by the force of his eloquence. His laudatory references to President Wilson and the part taken by the Americans in the great war, elicited much applause. The lecture proved a genuine treat to all those who had the good fortune to hear it.

While here Mr. Marcombe paid a very much appreciated call at the Chief office. His visit was doubly welcomed because of the fact that Mr. Marcombe is himself a newspaper man.

River Rising Rapidly.

The rapid rise of the river during the past several days and the high stage which the water has reached, has enabled the rice planters along the stream to close down their pumping plants and to operate their syphons without the aid of pumps. This means a big savings to the planters as the expense connected with "pumping" water for irrigation usually amounts to a considerable item of cost in the production of the crop. The water has not attained a dangerous stage, however, nor is it believed that it will reach a height sufficient to cause apprehension for the safety of the levees.

U-BOAT FIGHTERS PASS.

Flotilla of Ships and Flying Machines Given Noisy Greeting Here.

The flotilla of ships and flying machines of the kind used against the German U-boats in the great war, which arrived in New Orleans on the 22nd inst., passed Donaldsonville last Tuesday on its way up the Mississippi river and its tributaries. It is being sent by the navy department on a trip through the rivers of the great middle west to give the people of that section an opportunity to have a close view of the vessels, guns and equipment which the navy used in clearing the sea of the enemy submarine. The flotilla consists of the U. S. S. Isabel, a destroyer type; the submarine K-5, three submarine chasers and three flying boats, all of which, with their officers and crews have seen active service in the war zone.

The three flying boats, traveling at a high rate of speed and at a distance of about 1000 feet above the ground, and following the course of the river, passed at about 8:30 o'clock on their way to Baton Rouge, where they made their first stop. The noise made by their propellers could be heard miles away, and attracted great interest and curiosity all along the route. As they approached the city the whistles of the boats in the harbor tooted greetings.

Shortly after 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the first division of destroyers, submarine and chasers rounded the Hermitage point and hove in sight. Their coming was expected and was awaited by a large number of people who gathered on the levee to see the plucky little sea fighters go by. As they neared the city every boat and craft in the river whistled hearty greetings. The vessels, although small, presented a formidable fighting appearance as they plowed slowly through the waters of the great river, following one behind the other as in battle array. The last of the boats passed at 5 o'clock p. m., and were accorded the same noisy greeting as the first.

These ships together with the flying boats will go up the Mississippi and its tributaries, stopping only when necessary to secure fuel, provisions, etc., and on their return will make stops at every city, town and village along the river, to be seen and inspected by the people.

This is the first time that a flotilla of this kind has ever ascended the Mississippi river, and it is needless to say that on its return people from far and wide will flock to its stopping places to secure a close view of these wonderful fighting machines. Ample notice will be given of the time of the return of the vessels with the places where they will stop and the date and hour of their arrival.

Good Work Quickly Done.

The work of repairing the big government dredgeboat No. 3, which has been under way at this place for about five weeks, was completed last Saturday, and on Monday morning, the vessel was towed to St. James parish, where it will be engaged in levee building. The repairs to the machinery was done by Allen's Foundry, while the Stakelum Boiler Works had the contract for repairs to the steel frame work of the boat. The contracts were awarded to the local firms by the government, on sealed bids in competition with New Orleans firms. The prices named by the Donaldsonville shops having proven to be the lowest, the big boat, which was moored to the river banks in New Orleans at the time, was taken to this place to receive the necessary overhauling. Both of the local firms began immediately, each on the class of work covered by its contract and the jobs were completed in record-breaking time. Pat. Stakelum, proprietor of the Stakelum Boiler Works, used 1552 rivets and 469 machine bolts in the execution of his part of the work.

Both of the local contractors were highly complimented by the government inspectors upon the thoroughness and satisfactory condition of their work and for the swiftness with which it was completed. They finished their jobs ahead of New Orleans contractors, who began, at about the same time, work of a similar character on other boats of the same kind.

The thoroughness and expedition with which the local contractors completed this job, and the reasonable prices charged may prove an eye-opener to the government, and may lead to the sending of othr boats here in the future to be repaired. And there is no reason why this should not be done. The local men having proven themselves fully equipped and competent to do the work satisfactorily, at prices below that asked by others, it is to the government's interest to take notice, and have a reasonable portion of its boat-repairing done here. The adoption of such a policy by the government might give birth to a new industry here, which if reasonably patronized, would soon develop to large proportions, and by furnishing employment to a vast number of skilled mechanics as well as unskilled labor, prove a great boom to this city.

Hotel Donaldson.

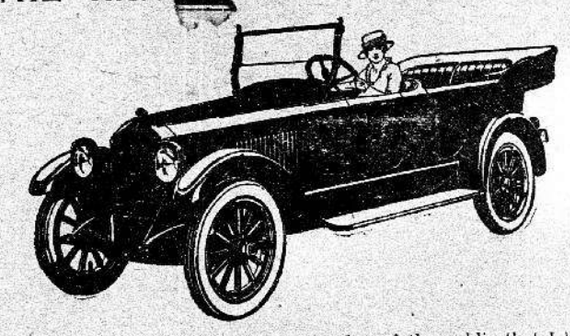
A meeting of the stockholders of the Donaldsonville Hotel Company was held at the hotel recently and the following directors were elected to serve for the ensuing year: Myer Lemann, Emil Sunberry, J. E. Blum, H. L. Weil, W. A. Dill, Jos. A. Dalferes, A. Netter, Mrs. J. J. Lafargue, Jos. N. Gisclard, P. A. Lemann, Walter Lemann, Fred Rogge, Sol. Klotz and Leon Kessler. The board of directors re-elected its present officers, to-wit: President Myer Lemann; vice president, Emil Sundberry; secretary-treasurer, J. E. Blum. It was decided to paint and screen the entire property and this work has already begun. A lease was entered into with the operating company which in turn has subleased the property to C. C. White for a term of one year with privilege of renewal for two years. Under the management of Mr. White there is every promise that the hotel will be a great credit to the community.

$10,500 in Cash Prizes.

For the best yield of corn, cotton, potatoes, oats, wheat or alfalfa, first prize $1000; second prize $500; third prize $250. For rules governing the contests for the above big cash prizes which are offered by the Farm Journal of Philadelphia, write to R. S. Vickers, Secretary-Manager of the Seventh South La. Fair, Donaldsonville, Oct. 2-5.

Call and See the New Studebakers

THE HANDSOMEST OF ALL CARS



I WISH TO ANNOUNCE to my friends and the public that I have opened a sales agency for the CELEBRATED STUDEBAKER AUTOMOBILES in the building at the corner of Mississippi and St. Patrick streets, and extend a cordial invitation to everybody to call and see these unusually distinctive and attractive 1919 model cars.

Every detailed unit of their construction reflects the painstaking skill of experts whose experience is available only to great organizations. It was determined, long ago, to summarize in this New Series the very best that men knew. And so one mechanical detail after another was weighed and considered; tested and accepted or rejected upon a purely quality basis. For the cost-element had no part in the design. The price was never even figured until after the preliminary models had been completed, tested, accepted.

PRICES—LIGHT FOUR, $1225. LIGHT SIX, $1585.
BIG SIX, $1985. F. O. B. FACTORY.

ASCENSION GARAGE
FRED ROGGE, JR., Prop., Donaldsonville, La.

Corrugated Iron Roofing

One carload just received and to be offered at a special low price . .

We also carry a full line of Sherwin-Williams Paint, Marine Paint, Turpentine, Linseed Oil Coal Tar, Reeves' Wood Preserver, Zinc, Graining in Oil, White Lead, Etc.

ASCENSION LUMBER YARD
A. WILBERT'S SONS' LUMBER AND SHINGLE CO., Props.
DONALDSONVILLE, LA.

SPRING IS HERE ONCE MORE!

AND OUR LINE OF SPRING DRESS GOODS HAS ALSO ARRIVED!

A complete assortment of the latest styles and patterns at the right prices. Call and let us show you better than we can tell it. . . . . .

Keeping step with the changing seasons our line of Hats and Clothing is also very attractive. Mr. Man, give yourself the pleasure of inspecting the new Easter styles now on display. . . . . .

B. Lemann & Bro., Inc.
Donaldsonville, La.

Where Soldiers Should Write.

Discharged soldiers entitled to the sixty dollar bonus who have not received it should write the Zone Finance Officer, Lemon Building, Washington. In applying for this bonus it is necessary that some evidence of service accompany the request, preferably the discharge, or a copy of this important certificate. For insurance information write Bureau of War Risk Insurance, Treasury Department, Washington. Regarding allotments (voluntary) write Quartermaster General's Office, Washington. Compulsory allotments come through the Bureau of War Risk Insurance. For back pay and personal effects write Auditor, War Department, Washington. The auditor should also be addressed in regard to the cent and a half travel expenses to which soldiers discharged between Nov. 11 and Feb. 26 who have not been paid same are entitled. Regarding Liberty bonds write Director of Finance, Liberty Bonds Section, War Department, Washington.

Remember the Fair.

When you cut your oats, lespedeza, wheat or peanut hay, or other forage crops don't forget to lap aside three sheaves for exhibit at the Seventh South Louisiana Fair at Donaldsonville, October 2-5. If alfalfa, red clover or crimson clover, put aside one bundle only. Sheaves or bundles should be approximately four inches in diameter. The new fair catalogue and premium list will be out the latter part of June. Write to R. S. Vickers, Secretary-Manaker for a free copy.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana—Parish of Ascension—Twenty-Seventh Judicial District Court.

Ronaldson & Puckett Co., Ltd.,
Vs. No. 2581
Prudent Bourque

BY VIRTUE OF and in obedience to an order of seizure and sale, issued by the above named court in the above entitled and numbered cause, and to me directed, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale at public auction to the last and highest bidder, according to law, at the principal front door of the courthouse of the parish of Ascension, in the city of Donaldsonville, on

SATURDAY, JUNE 21, 1919,

at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

A certain parcel of real estate in the parish of Ascension, being a fractional portion of the southeast quarter of section 29, township 9 south, range 3 east, southeastern district east of river, St. Helena meridian in Louisiana, containing twenty-eight (28) arpents; bounded east by heirs of Joseph D. Eliser, and west by Elie Bourque.

Terms and conditions—Cash in United States currency.

E. C. HANSON,
Sheriff, Parish of Ascension.
Donaldsonville, La., May 16, 1919.

APPLYING FOR PARDON.

I, the undersigned, convicted of breaking and entering July 31, 1917, am applying for a parole.

Signed: ALBERT PATTERSON.