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STATEMENT

—OF THE—

GARY STATE BANK,

LOCATED AT

GARYVILLE, LA., PARISH OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST.

Report furnished to the Examiner of State Banks by the above Bank at the close of business on September 15, 1922.

F. REYNAUD, President. J. J. GEBELIN, Cashier.
O. J. ORY, Vice-President

RESOURCES

Demand loans	$ 300.00
Loans secured by mortgage	2,250.00
Other loans and disciunts	75,219.17
Overdrafts unsecured	61.00
United States binds	10,800.00
Louisiana State bonds	1,087.50
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.	45,570.10
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures	3,000.00
Cash items	2,049.29
Due from banks and bankers	11,131.84
Silver, nickel and copper coin	951.06
National bank notes and all issues U. S. Government	6,226.00
TOTAL:	$ 158,595.96

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$ 10,000.00
Surplus	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	7,434.26
Individual deposits subject to check	77,322.19
Time certificate of deposit	48 839.51
Bonds borrowed	5,000.00
TOTAL:	$ 158,595.96

I, F. REYNAUD, President, and I, J. J. GEBELIN, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. REYNAUD, President.
J. J. GEBELIN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of September 1922.

LEON A. PICOU
Justice of the Peace.

STATEMENT

—OF THE—

ST. JAMES BANK

LOCATED AT LUTCHER, LA., Parish of Saint James

F. REYNAUD, President. L. WAGUESPACK, Vice-President
A. H. MEARS, Cashier.
G. E. WHITNEY, Ass't Cashier.

Report furnished to the Examiner of State Banks by the above Bank at close of business on September 15th, 1922.

—RESOURCES—

Loans secured by mortgage	$ 103,223.81
Other loans & discounts	234,156.94
Overdrafts, unsecured	929.25
United States Bonds	51,356.00
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc.	445,909.54
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	2,501.00
Cash items	56.28
Due from banks and bankers	112,126.76
Gold Coin	1,382.50
Silver, nickel and copper coin	7,484.51
National bank notes and all issues U. S. Government	23,000.00
TOTAL: $	[illegible]

—LIABILITIES—

Capital Stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
Surplus	70,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	47,151.91
Due to other banks and bankers	2,956.27
[illegible]	10.00
[illegible]	[illegible]797.02
[illegible]	[illegible]867.86
[illegible]	[illegible]355.11
[illegible]	[illegible]11.00
TOTAL:	$ [illegible]

State of Louisiana Parish of Saint James.

I, F. REYNAUD, President and I, A. H. MEARS, Cashier of the above named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge & belief.

F. REYNAUD, President.
A. H. MEARS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 21st. day of September 1922.

JOHN EMILE CHENET
Notary Public.

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Cincinnati man tells how to shrivel up corns or calluses so they lift off with fingers.

Ouch ! ! ! ! ! ! This kind of rough talk will be heard less here in town if people troubled with corns will follow the simple advice of this Cincinnati authority, who claims that a few drops of a drug called freezone when applied to a tender, aching corn or hardened callus stops soreness at once, and soon the corn or callus dries up and lifts right off without pain.

He says freezone dries immediately and never inflames or even irritates the surrounding skin. A small bottle of freezone will cost very little at any drug store, but will positively remove every hard or soft corn or callus from one's feet. Millions of American women will welcome this announcement since the inauguration of the high heels. If your druggist doesn't have freezone tell him to order a small bottle for you.

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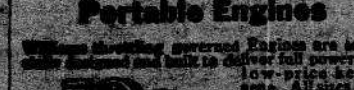

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Baby as Luggage.

The latest style of baby carriage was seen in the Union depot recently. It is a simple affair—the baby, a board and several straps. At first glance the baby might be mistaken for a bunch of clothing bound together in an old fashioned shawl strap, but on looking closer you see that on the child's back a board was placed, and three stout straps bound the youngster to it. A feather added to its convenience.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

SHERIFF'S SALE

STATE OF LOUISIANA

Twenty-Eighth Judicial District Court,

Parish of St. John the Baptist.

NO. 802

FAUCHEUX-NOBILE MOTOR CO.

VS

HEIRS OF BERNARD SALVAGGIO

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale issued by the Honorable Twenty-Eight Judicial District Court in and for the Parish of St. John the Baptist, State of Louisiana, in the obove entitled and numbered cause, and to me directed for execution, I have seized and will offer for sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the principal front door of the Courthouse of this Parish, at Edgard, on—

SATURDAY, THE 30TH. DAY OF DECEMBER, 1922, AT 11 O'clock A. M.

the following described property, to-wit:

A certain lot of ground, or tract of land, situated in the Parish of St. John the Baptist, on the left bank of the Mississippi river, measuring seventy-eght feet on the said river by forty arpents in depth; bounded on the upper lint by the property of Salvatore Salvaggio and on the lower line by the property of John Frank; together with all the rights, ways, servitudes privileges and advantagts thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Being same property acquired by the mortgagor in an act of partition registered in tht Conveyance Office of this Parish in Book "Y" (n. s.) folio 176 et seq.

TERMS: CASH.

Sheriff's Office, Parish of St. John the Baptist this 24th. day of November, 1922.

EMILE A. PICOU.
Sheriff.

Dec. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30.

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Official Proceedings —Of The—

POLICE JURY

Parish of St. John the Baptist.

Edgard La., December 7, 1922.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session with Hon. P. G. Songy in the Chair, and the following members present: Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut, Duhe and Bourgeois. Absent— None.

The minutes of the last meeting held in November, were read, and on motiin of Mr. Duhe, seconded by Mr. Barre and carried said minutes were ordered approved as read.

The Budget of probable receipts and expenditures for the year 1923, as prepared by the Finance Committee was read, and the following resilution was introduced:-

Be it Ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. John the Baptist in regular meeting assembled, that this Budget of Receipts and Expenditures submitted at the last regular meeting by the Finance Committee was read, and the following resolution was introduced:

Be it Ordaintd by the Pilice Jury of tht Parish of St. John the Baptist, In regular meeting assembled, that this Budget of Receipts and Expenditures submitted at the last regular meeting by the Finance Committee, be amended by reducing the item of $4,960.00 rontingent expense, to the sum of $3,460.00 and that the item if Tick Eradication for the sum of $1,500.00 be added to said budget; and that, as thus amended, the said budget as appears below properly amended, be and the same is hereby approved and adopted.

Be it further ordained etc., that the appropriation of $1,500.00 for tick eradication, ismade with the understanding that the Pilice Jury reserve the right to designate and name the local inspector who shall be a resident of the Parish of St. John the Baptist.

A vote on the above resulted as follows:- Yeas: Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut Duhe and Biurgeois. Nays, None.

PARISH BUDGET OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1923.

as Amended this 7th., day of December, 1922.

RECEIPTS:

4 mills on estimated assessment of $7,750,000.00 for ordinary and current expenses	$ 31,000.00
Parish Licenses	3,000.00
1½ mills for Special Good Roads Tax	11,625.00
Amount due by State Highway Commission as admitted by said Cimmission	13 000.00
Total Estimated Receipts	$58,625.00

EXPENDITURES:

Salary of Par. Trea.	$ 600 00
Salary of Secretary Police Jury	600.00
Mileage and Per Diem of Police Jurors	900.00
Stationery and office supplies	500.00
Official Printer	600.00
Assessor's Compensation	900.00
Salary Sheriff Fund fir one representative	500.00
Court Expenses	150.00
Jurors and witnesses	1,000.00
District Attorney	300.00
Transporting priisoners and insanes	300.00
Feeding and maintaining prisoners	750.00
Maintaining Court House and Jail	1,000.00
For enlarging vault in Clerk's office	3,000.00
Coroner's Jury and expenses	1,000.00
Board of Health	2 000.00
Justices of the Peace	3,420.00
Riads and Bridges	7,000.00
Election Expenses	700.00
Registrar of Voters	400.00
Beneficiary Students	500.00
Mither's Pension Fund	1,500.00
County Agent	3,150.00
For Excess Revenue Bonds	3,860.00
Note to Bank of St. John, and interest on notes	7,410.00
Tick Eradication	1,500.00
Contingent	3,460.00
1½ mill ti retire Good Road Bonds and Coupons	11,625.00
Total Expenditures	$ 58,625.00

The Secretary read notice of judgment in favor of Mrs. Laurt Tassin for the sum of $35.00 ptr month, under Act 209 of 1920, and the secretary was instructtd to issue necessary voucher to cinform with said judgment.

The following RESOLUTION was then introduced:

Be it ordained by this Police Jury of the Parish of St. John the Baptist in regular session assembled that a General Parish Tax of 3 mills on the dollar be and the same is hereby levied on all taxable property in the parish of St. John the Baptist for the use and benefit of the public schools of the said parish; said tax to be collected by the Sheriff and ex-officio tax collector, and turned over to the School Board direct in accordanct to law.

A Vote on same resulted as follows: Yeas: Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Mintegut, Duhe and Bourgeois. Nays— None.

Efforts to have tht Western Union Telegraph Campany operate a regular ttlegraph station at Montegut, having not been successful; it was moved by Mr. Montegut seconded by Mr. Duhe and carried that the Louisiana Public Service Commission be and is hereby petitioned to issue necessary orders directing the Louisiana Railway and Navigation Company to maintain proper telegraph communication at Montegut station to enable the agest at said statiin to keep the public posted as to the lateness of passenger trains on said line.

The report of the Finance Committee showing a total of $717.66 drawn against the Bank of Edgard, and a total of $1,842.11 drawn against the Bank of St. John, to pay salaries and bills incurred during month of November, was read, and on motion of Mr. Reynaud seconded by Ms. Duhe and carried, said report was ordered approved, and said bills were ordered paid.

The treasurer having repirted insufficient funds on hand to meet above mentioned indebtedness, it was moved by Mr. Duhe and seconded by Mr. Reynaud, that the President be and is hereby authorized to borrow from tre Bank of Edgard, the sum of $600, and from the Bank of St. John the sum of $1,700.000 to meet said indebtedness.

A vote on this motion resulted as follows:-

Yeas: Messrs. Reynaud Barre, Songy, Montegut, Duhe and Bourgeois.

Nays, None.

The residtnts of the upper end of the First Ward having requested a deputy syndic in that vicinity; it was moved by Mr. Reynaud, seconded by Mr. Duhe and carried, that said request be granted and that Mr. Stanley P. Haydel be appointed Dtputy Syndis Keeper.

There being no further business, on motion duly seconded and carried the meeting adjourned.

P. G. SONGY
President.

HENRY MAURIN,
Secretary.

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2—A deposit of $100 must be made to guarantee clearing within the time specified, which $100 will be returned in full as soon as clearing is completed in accordance with contract.

3—A crop of berries, vegetables or any other crop which necessitates plowing of the land, must be raised on at least 7 acres of the cleared land within two years from date of contract.

4—When crop is raised a special warranty deed, reserving all mineral rights, will be given without charge.

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NOTICE

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE BANK OF EDGARD

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the BANK OF EDGARD. to elect Directors to serve during the ensuing year, will be held in the Banking House of said Bank on TUESDAY, JANUARY 23rd. 1923, between the hours of 10 A. M., and 12 Noon.

P. R. JACOB,
Cashier.

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—W.S.S.—

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