

THE TENSAS GAZETTE

ST. JOSEPH, - - - LA.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1917.



LOCAL BRANCH ORGANIZED.

St. Joseph, La., Sept. 19th, 1917.

In response to the proclamation of the Governor, a mass meeting was held at the Court House last Saturday to organize a branch of the State Council of Defense. Hon. G. H. Clinton was elected Chairman of the meeting and Dr. L. A. Murdock Secretary. The meeting was addressed by Senator Norris L. Williamson of East Carroll, who explained the object of the meeting and the great importance of the organization.

On motion the Chairman was authorized to appoint the General Parish Committee and fix the time and place for the Committee to meet to perfect its organization, the Chairman and Secretary to be members of the Committee, and the following members were appointed: F. H. Curry, Thos. M. Wade, S. W. Vance, Mrs. W. M. Davidson, E. H. R. Kimbrough, Miss Clara Whitney, Hon. F. L. Guthrie, Martin Jacoby, W. M. Davidson, S. W. Smith, C. L. Belsel, R. E. Fulton, E. D. Coleman, G. H. Clinton, L. A. Murdock, John Hughes, Joseph Curry, E. F. Young, O. L. Watson, D. A. O'Kelley, H. C. Miller, W. W. Burnside, K. B. McMillan, N. B. Hunter, G. C. Goldman, M. Kullman, Geo. D. Bland, Wm. Poe, A. H. Anderson and D. V. Edwards.

The Committee will meet at the Court House on Friday, September 21st, to perfect its organization and appoint its sub-committees.

There being no further business the mass meeting adjourned.

G. H. CLINTON, Chairman.
L. A. MURDOCK, Secretary.

BOOKS FOR INSTITUTE READING COURSE

To the Parish Superintendents:

The following books will be adopted for use in the Institute Reading Course for the session of 1917-18:

Nicholas Murray Butler's "The Meaning of Education", Chas. Scribner's Sons, New York, N. Y., \$1.00 post paid.

Paul Klapper's "The Teaching of Arithmetic", D. Appleton & Company, New York, N. Y., \$1.18 post paid.

John Mason Tyler's "Growth and Education", Houghton, Mifflin Company, Boston, Mass., \$1.35 post paid.

Thomas Nixon Carver's "Principles of Rural Economics", Ginn & Co., Atlanta, Ga., \$1.04 post paid.

These books may be secured by the individual teacher from Messrs. F. F. Hansell & Bro., New Orleans, La., at the above prices, or in lots by the parish superintendents.

"The Meaning of Education" is intended for use by the high school teacher; "The Teaching of Arithmetic" for use by elementary teachers; "The Principles of Rural Economics" for use by rural school teachers; and "Growth and Education" for use by all the teachers.

To earn an institute certificate of credit, teachers will be required to submit satisfactory papers upon the subject matter of two books of the Reading Course. An institute credit will be given the value of one college hour in the rating of high school teachers, three and one-half per cent credit upon an examination for a teacher's certificate, or it may be used in the extension of a teacher's certificate for one year.

JNO. R. CONNIF, Institute Conductor.

POLICE JURY PROCEEDINGS.

STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF TENSAS.

Tuesday, September 18th, 1917

Be it known and remembered, that on this Tuesday, the 18th day of September, A. D. 1917, pursuant to call of the President thereof, the Police Jury of the above parish and State, met at the Court House in St. Joseph, La.

There were present: Mr. F. H. Curry, President, and Messrs. L. T. Hunter, D. H. O'Kelley, E. C. Grace, W. H. Aly and E. D. Coleman, members.

Mr. Wiley Cavin, newly appointed member from the 4th ward of the parish, presented his commission as a member of the Board, and having taken the oath, took his seat as a member, making a full meeting of the Board.

On motion, duly seconded, reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed.

And the Police Jury adjourned until October 2nd, 1917.

F. H. CURRY, President.
E. F. NEWELL, Clerk.

Our tonsorial artist, Mr. Salvador Oglio, is on the sick list this week. His friends home to see him out soon.

Your Wife Can Use It.

If you are away from home and one of your horses takes the colic your wife can treat him if she has Farris' Colic Remedy in the house. It is easy to use. Just drop it on the horse's tongue and in thirty minutes he is relieved. Get it to-day. You may need it tomorrow.

CHEVROLET

COMFORT AND ECONOMY

Twenty-five Miles to the gallon of Gasoline.

The new CHEVROLET Car which was placed on the market August 1st, 1917, is the lowest priced Electrically Equipped car on the market.

The Remy Ignition is used on the CHEVROLET, also on the HAYNER, PAIGE, CHALMERS, STUDEBAKER, REO, INTERSTATE and others.

The Auto-L Starting and Lighting System is used on the CHEVROLET, also on the DETROITER, EMPIRE, JACKSON, MOLINE-KNIGHT, PEERLESS, WILLYS-KNIGHT and others.

The Zenith Carburetor is used on the CHEVROLET, also on the AMERICAN, ANDERSON, HUPMOBILE, JACKSON, MERCER, SCRIPPS-BOOTH and others.

Among the other improvements on the new model Chevrolet is a Pump Operated Cooling System, the substitution of a Geared Oil Pump for the pump of plunger type formerly used, an Oil Pressure Gauge on instrument board, new Improved Honey Comb Radiator, Tilted Ventilating Wind Shield, Robe and Foot Rails, Brussels Carpet in the rear of touring car, One-Man Mohair Top with Curtains of improved type, Protection Flaps on the top of doors, Pockets on the inside of each door, a Kick Pad on the rear of the Front Seat, front and rear Fender Skirts, extended to meet radiator and rear splash guards, Demountable Rims, one extra, Goodyear 3 1/2 inch tires all round, non-skid on the rear wheels.

Roadster \$655.00 - Touring Car \$670.00
F. O. B. NEWELLTON

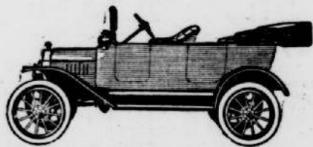
C. L. CLARK,

Newellton, La. Agent for Tensas Parish, La.

F. E. TRACY, Sub Agent, Delta Bridge, La.
L. BUCKNER, JR., Sub Agt., St. Joseph, La.

FORD

The Universal Car



Have You Ordered Yours?

Tensas Auto & Supply Co.

Authorized Ford Dealers

ST. JOSEPH LOUISIANA

Horses and Mules for Sale!

JUST RECEIVED

Several car loads of Mule Colts and young Horses in fine condition, which I am offering at close figures.

DR. GEO. N. CLARKE,

ST. JOSEPH, LOUISIANA

COTTON SEED NOTICE

I wish to notify the public that I have accepted the agency for the Union Seed & Fertilizer Co., of Monroe, La., and will represent this company in Tensas parish and will be prepared to pay highest price for cotton and seed. Office and warehouse in Kershaw Building. For information as to prices, ring on reverse.

D. A. O'KELLEY, - - St. Joseph, La.

Tensas Garage and Ford Service Station

NEWELLTON, LOUISIANA

AUTOMOBILE ACCESSORIES

Ford Special White Star Oil, 50c per gallon in 5 gallon lots.
Also Cup Grease.
Racine Casings in Stock—Guaranteed 5000 Miles.

All Work Guaranteed. - - J. E. RORER, Manager.

Cypress Shingles for Sale!

Best Heart Cypress, - \$4.50
Prime Cypress, - - - 3.50
Economy Cypress, - - 2.75
(F. O. B. St. Joseph)

JOHN G. BLANCHE

Long Distance Phone No. 74. ST. JOSEPH, LA.

Mrs. J. Tullis Watson of Tallulah is visiting her husband at Avondale.

Mr. Mandal Blackman spent the recent Jewish holidays in Vicksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stanton are spending a while at Brown's Wells, Mississippi.

Miss Weisel has returned to her home at Monroe after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. Jno. G. Blanche.

Dr. S. J. Franks, the optician, of Tallulah, was a visitor to St. Joseph this week on professional business.

Mr. Edward Katten is spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. Oscar Levy. His friends are glad to see him again.

Mr. Carl Seab joined the soldiers on the special which passed through on Wednesday night and went to Camp Pike, near Little Rock.

Mr. E. G. Hegley, the Ford agent in Tensas, and who is located at St. Joseph, was joined this week by Mrs. Hegley, and they are stopping at the Losey House for the present.

Mr. L. Blackman has returned from a visit of three weeks to Hot Springs and from thence to St. Louis, where he went to buy his fall and winter goods. He seems very much improved by his trip.

The Baker & McDowell Hardware Co. of Natchez announce to-day that "When You Want Service Come to the House of Serv-U's"—themselves. They boast that all orders are shipped same day received.

Hon. Thos. P. Kell, President of the Fifth Louisiana Levee Board, was a visitor to St. Joseph and Tensas parish to-day. Mr. Kell's sister, Mrs. Scott, was also a guest at the Losey House this week, while here on business.

In our mention last week of the class confirmed at Christ Church by Bishop Sessums on Sunday the 9th inst., we inadvertently omitted the name of Miss Janie Newell, who was also confirmed, and make this notation as apology to the young lady for the oversight.

Mr. E. F. Miller, who has made his home at St. Joseph for the past several months, while engaged in writing life and accident insurance, left this week for Jackson, Miss., where he will engage in other business. Another man will take his place in this territory, but will make Natchez headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Farrar of "Hollywood" are receiving congratulations on the coming of Stephen Duncan Farrar, Jr. The young American has already applied for membership in the officers' reserve training camp as one of Uncle Sam's fighting men, but is just now engaged in training his yotes.

The Chamberlain & Patterson Co. of Natchez will have a formal display at the Losey House on Monday and Tuesday next, of new apparel for fall, consisting of Ladies' and Misses' suits, dresses, skirts, coats, blouses, silk underwear, etc., and extend invitation to our people to visit the show room and examine the merchandise.

Mr. Claude Darden comes to the front this week with a big display advertisement, setting forth in no uncertain terms that he is in business to buy cotton, cotton seed, pecans and peas, guaranteeing best prices and fair treatment. His warehouse and office are just north of the plank road on the corner of Newton and Pansola sts. His phone is No. 15; P. O. Box No. 333.

The Vicksburg Auto & Supply Co. is to the front to-day with a display advertisement, in which they tell the people of Tensas parish that they handle everything in the motor field, including among their leading lines, Smith form-a-tractor, farm tractors, Republic motor trucks and automobiles and all accessories. They are a reliable firm and cater to the trade from this parish.

Miss Lena Baragons returned Thursday from Natchez where she has been for couple weeks at the Sanatorium under treatment for her recent operation for appendicitis, and from which she has suffered considerably. Her improvement has not been as great as was hoped and she has been compelled to miss school since the opening. Her friends hope she will soon recover and shortly be able to take up her studies.

The Gazette is in receipt of a souvenir folder of Mackinac Island, sent us by Mr. H. C. Elder, the well-known life insurance agent, who with his daughter is spending a few weeks at that popular summer resort. Mackinac Island is in Michigan, situated in the Straits of Mackinac, which divides the Upper and Lower Peninsulas and connects Lake Huron and Lake Michigan. It is as historical as it is beautiful and Mr. Elder always enjoys a visit to this very interesting place.

The Gazette acknowledges receipt of the following invitation:

Mr. and Mrs. Napoleon B. Hunter request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Lila Turner to Mr. W. Thompson Lanus on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. twenty-sixth, nineteen hundred and seventeen at five thirty of the clock Methodist Church at Waterproof, La.

The bride-elect, Miss Hunter, is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Hunter of Waterproof, and who are among our oldest and most prominent citizens. She is a cultured and intelligent young lady and has long been a favorite in the social circles of Tensas parish. Mr. Lanus is a sterling and progressive young man and is universally popular wherever known. He has made his home in this parish for a number of years and has always enjoyed the respect and esteem of our people. We extend him congratulations in advance on his good fortune in winning such a splendid young lady for his bride.

Lakeside Farm Duroc-Jersey Boar Sale!

Tallulah, La., Oct. 3rd, 1917

Ten Boars ready for service will be sold for the high dollar. Five are sired by "Garnet Defender", first prize under year pig at the Louisiana Delta Fair, 1916. Five are sired by "Sensational Defender", grand champion of four State Fairs in 1916—Indiana, Tennessee, Alabama and Georgia. This lot of boars will be in ordinary growing condition. They will not be loaded with fat as I do not think it best for a Herd Boar to be forced too much. If you are in need of an Extra Herd Boar be on the Sale Grounds when sale starts at 2 o'clock, p. m. October 3rd.

For further information, write D. A. O'KELLEY, St. Joseph, Louisiana.

OUR SEMI-ANNUAL

CLEARANCE SALE

Began Monday, July 23

All Men's and Boys' Suits and Odd Trousers, including Palm Beach, Kool Kloth, Mohairs, Silks, Poplins, Crash, Seersuckers, along with all Wool Suits, including BLUE SERGES, go at the reduction of

25 PER CENT OFF

Exclusive Agents for Keep Kool Clothing

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| \$ 5.00 Suits at \$ 3.75 | \$10.00 Suits at \$ 7.50 | \$20.00 Suits at \$15.00 |
| 6.00 Suits at 4.50 | 12.00 Suits at 9.00 | 22.00 Suits at 16.50 |
| 7.50 Suits at 5.65 | 15.00 Suits at 11.25 | 25.00 Suits at 18.75 |
| 8.00 Suits at 6.00 | 18.00 Suits at 13.50 | 27.50 Suits at 20.65 |
| 9.00 Suits at 6.75 | | |

Stain-Block, Schloss Bros. and Fashion Park Clothes Included.

All Straw Hats

Including Panamas, Bankoks, Leghorns and Sennets.

Less 33 1-3

ALTERATIONS FREE

No Goods Sent on Approval.

Terms of Sale Strictly Cash.

M. M. ULLMAN & CO.

MAIN STREET "GOOD CLOTHES SINCE 1878" NATCHEZ, MISS.

GRAND JURY.

To Appear Monday, October 15th, 1917, at 10 O'Clock A. M.

- E. A. Buelow.....St. Joseph
- R. C. Lancaster.....Waterproof
- L. R. Ading....."
- L. Blackman.....St. Joseph
- W. R. Baker....."
- G. C. Goldman, Jr.....Soudan
- D. Stone.....Pecan
- A. S. McDaniel.....Ranch
- Burch Campbell.....Moss Grove
- W. W. Middleton.....Newellton
- J. M. Smiths.....St. Joseph
- S. Chas. Young....."
- Emile Mayer....."
- C. A. Loring.....Elk Ridge
- E. W. Harring.....Stella
- A. M. Shelton.....Waterproof
- G. A. Jones....."
- John Mitchell.....Monclova
- J. G. Blanche.....St. Joseph
- S. D. Farrar.....Hollywood

PETIT JURY.

To Appear Monday, October 22nd, 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M.

- D. M. Lynch.....Mound Bayou
- W. I. Etzel.....Waterproof
- H. Goldberg....."
- G. N. Hunter....."
- Jno. J. Serio....."
- Chas. Seddon....."
- C. F. Bailey.....Aubrey
- W. W. Stripling.....Cross Keys
- A. Mayer.....St. Joseph
- S. W. Haslip....."
- J. S. Johnston....."
- J. C. Macpherson....."
- E. J. Walton....."
- D. A. O'Kelley....."
- John D. Fultz.....Newellton
- Henry Kaufman....."
- J. B. Abbott.....L'Argent
- Robt. Griggs.....Venusela
- J. W. Scott.....Somerset
- E. C. Grace.....Richland
- Henry Metcalf.....Duckpond
- M. D. Adams.....Locust Ridge
- James Bowman.....Alphenia
- Henry Bettle.....Income
- M. W. Washington.....Donegal
- Ram Morris.....Evergreen
- B. F. Ford.....Cypress
- J. D. Chatman.....Johnson Bend
- Geo. Myles.....Lake 29
- Henry Isaacs.....Bertha Villa.

It's Your Fair!

SO BE THERE

The Louisiana Delta Fair Association, composed of the Parishes of East Carroll, Tensas and Madison, announces

The Third Annual Fair

Tallulah, La., October 3, 4, 5, 1917

Opens with a Decorated Automobile Parade, Wednesday morning, October 3rd.

\$2,000 IN PREMIUMS!

For Agricultural, Live Stock, Domestic and School Exhibits. Splendid Amusements, Interesting and Entertaining Attractions Daily.

ALL FREE!

Two Fine Brass Bands will furnish music. The Grand Ball at the Opera House Wednesday Night. Tallulah Baseball Club Games Wednesday and Thursday Afternoons against First Class Clubs.

Friday, October 5th,

Set aside for Colored Exhibitors. Colored Baseball Games in the Afternoon.

No Entrance Fee to the Fair!
Open Air Performance Free!

Come! Exhibit!

Show the World what your Delta has and what it can do!

J. B. SNYDER, Secretary. J. V. WRIGHT, President.

Hotel "Natchez" MRS. JAS. G. SMITH Proprietress

Has all the best features in a first-class hotel. BARBER SHOP, BATH ROOMS, AND AN EXCELLENT DINING ROOM—EUROPEAN PLAN. A favorite stopping place for Tensas people.

SINGER SEWING MACHINES

L. KULLMAN, Agent

Full line of Singer Sewing Machines and accessories, including needles, shuttles, belts, etc. always in stock.

KULLMAN MERC. CO.
NEWELLTON, LA.

Better Own Than Rent Land

Better take some of that cotton money and make a payment on a farm home of your own. Having more land than we care to cultivate we would sell about 250 acres out of the well and favorably known Belle Eile and Troy plantations in tracts to suit from 40 acres up. On the Texas road in Tensas parish, about five miles from Waterproof. Let us tell you about it. EDGAR W. WHITTEMORE, Waterproof, La.