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We Told You So!

If you will kindly refer back to our advertising in the local papers as far back as six months ago, you will read where we predicted "lower prices" for all Dry Goods, Ready-to-wear and kindred lines. This prediction has come true. We, on our part, bought most of our goods at the lower prices and are now in position to sell goods accordingly.

Our Contribution

Recognizing that when goods were advancing we followed the market, we now believe that it is nothing but right that we should follow the market in the decline. We therefore have concluded to re-mark every item in our store, basing our prices on what goods are worth today.

Your Opportunity

This, then, is a great opportunity for Man, Woman and Child to purchase what you need at prices you can afford to pay. If you need a Ladies' Coat Suit, Coat or Dress, Hat or Shoes, Underwear or Top Wear, Piece Goods in Wool, Silk or Satin or Velvet or Cotton. Or be it Men's and Boys' Suits, Hats, Shoes, Overalls, in short every item mentioned or not mentioned, ours is the store for you to visit.

A Seventy-Five Thousand Dollar Stock

We carry a stock of Ladies' and Men's wear and piece goods of all kinds, anything ready for Man, Woman and Child. It is therefore readily understood that it is impossible to describe and price every item separately.

This Sale Begins at Once and Continues until further notice

OUR TERMS ARE CASH, AS USUAL.

If you want to do yourself justice, it will be best to come to the store in person, as it is impossible to send out goods with any degree of satisfaction to seller or buyer. No goods on approval.

J. Weill & Brother

Visit Our Store. We Sell for Cash Only.
Opposite Catholic Church. Port Street.
Phone No. 47.

FOR SALE
COTTON SEED HULLS
HIGH GRADE
COTTON SEED MEAL
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
BROUSSARD OIL MILL
BROUSSARD, LA.

FERNAND MOUTON, President. A. J. GASCHEN, Soc. Treas.

Stop and Think

Genuine values require no "inducements" or "concessions". They effect their own sales.

That's the reason we are never looking around for extraordinary means of disposing of our stock. We sell groceries—not things—and a dollar's worth of them will always bring a dollar in return without throwing in an elephant as an "inducement".

We have the goods—the "real" goods—and the customers who buy them. Are you one of them?

WE GIVE 16 OUNCES TO THE POUND

DUTEL & LAPORTE

Phones 58 and 68. State and Lafayette.

Prizes Awarded at the Fair

The following shows the prize winners at the fair held on Saturday, November 15th, at Abbeville:

Jersey Bulls: J. S. Ewell, first prize; Jean Trahan, second prize.

Jersey Cows: Marcellus Harrington, first prize; Jean Trahan, second and third prize.

Jersey Heifers: Wills Trahan, first prize; Cleveland Trahan, second prize.

Holstein Bulls: A. C. Derouen, first prize; Nesoon Burt, second prize.

Holstein Cows: R. P. LeBlanc, first prize.

Holstein Heifer: R. P. LeBlanc, first prize.

Herford Bulls: Russel Greene, first prize; W. S. Nilson, second prize; Jos. Broussard, third prize.

Grade Herford Cow: Russell Greene, first prize.

Grade Herford Bull: Jos. Broussard, first prize.

Shorthorn Bulls: Felix Trahan, first prize; J. F. McPherson, second prize; Jos. Broussard, third prize.

Angus Bull: Will Rose, first prize.

Grade Shorthorn Cows: Russel Greene, first prize; Jos. Broussard, second prize.

O. I. C. Hogs—Boar: Joe Gooch, first prize.

Sow: Joe Gooch, first prize.

Duroc Boar: Clephade Hebert, first prize.

Sow and Pigs: J. F. McPherson, first prize.

Gill: O. V. Kibbe, first prize.

Poland China Boar: O. V. Kibbe, first prize.

Wyandotes: Mrs. Joe Gooch, first prize; Mrs. Jewell Simon, second prize; Mrs. O. V. Kibbe, third prize.

R. I. Reds: Mrs. Joe Gooch, first prize.

Cornish: Bert Hartman, first prize.

Stock Association Members; Officers

The following is a list of the officers and members of the Vermilion Parish Pure Bred Live Stock Association.

- J. N. Greene, President.
- J. H. Williams, Vice President.
- T. H. Cassanova, Secretary.
- J. P. Gooch, Treasurer.
- J. O. Broussard, director.
- G. G. Tannoy, director.
- J. C. LeBlanc, director.
- J. E. Broussard, director.
- A. L. Derouen.
- A. C. Derouen.
- F. B. Williams.
- Laurent Dartez.
- W. L. Rose.
- Felix Trahan.
- J. S. Ewell.
- O. A. Broussard.
- R. J. Hollier.
- E. P. Putnam.
- Russel Greene.
- P. G. Greig.
- Theo. LeBlanc.
- Edward Himel.
- H. A. Baegnie.
- Alpha Hebert.
- J. P. Vincent.
- Elesin Trahan.
- C. C. Broussard.
- Babilas LeBlanc.
- Augustin Pickard.
- Augustin Stelly.
- Clephade Hebert.
- Severin Frederick.
- A. W. Richardson.
- J. W. Faulk.
- Jean Trahan.
- H. J. David.
- O. V. Kibbe.
- R. P. LeBlanc.
- E. W. Henry.
- Marcellus Harrington.
- J. F. McPherson.
- Onetime Vincent.
- Claffey Meaux.
- Salle LaCour.
- Claude Broussard.

—Reading the right kind of books makes one wise. There is lots of wisdom on the shelves of the Public Library.

U. S. CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

An open competitive examination under the rules of the U. S. Civil Service Commission for the position of Clerk in the Post Office Abbeville, La. will be held on November 27, 1920 commencing at 9 o'clock A. M.

Applications for this examination must be made on the prescribed form, which, with necessary instructions, may be obtained from the Commission's local representative, Local Secretary at the Abbeville, La., Post Office, or from the undersigned.

All persons wishing to take this examination should secure blanks and file their applications with the undersigned at once in order to allow time for any necessary corrections and to arrange for the examination.

Secretary Tenth Civil Service District. J. O. LEBLANC, Local Examiner.

BUY "DIAMOND DYES" DON'T RISK MATERIAL

Each package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple that any woman can dye any material without streaking, fading or running. Dyeing has color card—take no other dye!

—Ask your Grocer for "Bull Dog" Flour.

Christmas Circus



Crepe paper offers any number of good opportunities for making Christmas gifts, especially for the children. Printed figures of wild, or of domestic animals, are cut out, to make menageries or familiar barnyard friends, that delight the youngsters. The pictures are pasted over stiff cardboard and then cut out, following the outline of the animal, but leaving a straight piece to provide a support.

Pretty Breakfast Caps



Every dear lady, young or old, has a right to expect a Santa Claus will bring her a pretty new breakfast cap. Three of this year's models, all easy to make, are shown in the picture and they employ ribbons, net laces and flowers, as usual.

The Christmas Candle



Every Christmas brings its new candle and lamp shades that do so much to make the house gay and please their recipients. Parchment, silk, ribbons and crepe paper are used for making these gifts. The lovely shade pictured is made of crepe paper.

Gift Bags of Ribbons



Plain satin, satin with pleat edges and handsome brocaded ribbons in great variety, or silks go to make up the lovely shopping and opera bags designed for the holidays. Mountings of metal or composition, to harmonize with the patterns, and ornaments, including silk cord, beads, pendants and silk-covered forms, are all at hand to help in the finishing of these gifts.



THE UNIVERSAL CAR

FOR thirty-five years Henry Ford, a farmer's boy, has been working on the problem of a successful tractor for the farm, and for the past fourteen years has devoted much time and a vast amount of money to the development of the present Fordson Tractor. Today that Tractor is in use on nearly 200,000 farms and if you have any doubt as to the satisfaction it gives to those who are using it, call in and get the booklet, just issued by the Ford Motor Company, and called "The Fordson at Work" and read the testimony which is there given by the multitude of owners of Fordson Tractors. No evidence can be more conclusive than that of the man who actually knows by personal experience and this is the line of testimony carried in this little booklet. There is no cost for this booklet. If you cannot call for it, write, drop us a postal, and we will mail it to you without charge. It is so valuable you ought to have it because it is the open door through which the farmer will pass from the hard working drudge to the comparative comfort of the manufacturer. The Fordson makes it possible for the farmer to plan and direct, while the machine will do the work. It presents the widest latitude for the farmer to exercise his brain power and plan how he can get the most from the soil, knowing that the Tractor will do the hard work, do it better, do it quicker, and therefore do it more profitably. This means not alone in the cultivation of the soil, in the harvesting of the crops, but in a hundred and one different demands that are made for labor, cutting of ensilage and the filling of the silo; cutting of wood; operation of the washing machine; in the lighting of the house with electricity; supplying the house with running water; bringing to the farmer's wife and daughters the conveniences of the city, relieving them of much of the hard, unpleasant part of housework.

WOOD MOTOR COMPANY
AUTHORIZED DEALERS
ABBEVILLE, LA. East of Postoffice.
Phone No. 56.

School News

BELLE LEBLANC, School Editor

Mr. Williams visited our School on Tuesday and Wednesday.

The ladies of the town, who did not attend the Home Economics shower, are still sending presents to the department. The presents are thoroughly appreciated.

The Foot Ball game played on Thanks giving day was played in Morgan City. Our boys held down the Morgan City boys in the first half, but could not succeed in doing so in the second half. We feel sure that if our boys had not had such hard luck on the trip, we could have held the Morgan City team down throughout the game.

The trip was an awful one. Our boys left here at 5 a. m. Thursday morning and three cars reached Morgan City about 11, but one car did not reach there before 4 in the afternoon. So, after all the pushing and pulling those boys had to do, we feel just as satisfied as though they had won the game.

The A. H. S. boys have organized their Basket Ball team. Conrad LeBlanc was elected captain and A. O. Landry student manager. The boys expect to have some splendid games, but unless they are aided by financial support, not very many games will be played.

The monthly examinations of the A. H. S. were held Thursday and Friday, Dec. 2nd and 3rd.

The School Improvement League will hold a regular meeting in the A. H. S. Study Hall, Thursday, Dec. 11. Visitors are always welcome.

Plans are being made to take care of mid-term promotions. One or more teachers will be necessary to take care of these promoted pupils.

SHERIFF'S SALE

State of Louisiana, Parish of Vermilion, 17th Judicial District Court.—No. 5867.
A. Kaplan vs. Ed. Broussard.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias to me issued out of the Honorable Seventeenth Judicial District Court, in and for the Parish of Vermilion, State of Louisiana, in the above numbered and captioned suit, fully authorizing and empowering me in the premises, I have this day seized and taken into my possession, to satisfy said writ, and I will proceed to sell, at public auction, to the last and highest responsible bidder, at the principal front door of the Court House, in Abbeville, Vermilion Parish, La., on Saturday, December 18th, 1920, within the legal hours prescribed by law for judicial sales, the following described property, to-wit:

- One brown mule, 3 years old.
- One brown mare mule 3 years old.
- One black horse, 8 years old, named

ATLAS TRACTOR OIL

What is it: Atlas Tractor Oil is made from clean oil compounded with pure and sweet, acidless tallow. Why you should use it: It stands the enormous heat that the cylinder develops. It affords the best protection against destructive friction. It does not go to pieces under any condition. It eliminates costly overhauling and repairs. It keeps the tractor on the job when needed. It prevents poor compression; scored cylinders and walls; wasted power and impaired efficiency. It is correct in body. It does not permit of great dilation by the fuel used. It keeps bearings tight. It prevents over-heating. It keeps carbon deposits to an absolute minimum. It forestalls engine-knocking. Are you going to use the best Tractor Oil, or a fair one or a poor brand? It's up to you.

THE ATLAS OIL CO., Cleveland, Ohio.
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to keep in mind the fact that in addition to printing this newspaper we do job work of any kind. When in need of anything in this line be sure

To See Us

Wood Motor Co. for Ford Cars and repairs.

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A. Kaplan vs. Sarazin Broussard.

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- 1 1/2 H. P. Garr-Scott Engine.
- 1 Bay Horse, named Dalvi, 6 years old.
- 1 Bay Mare named Grl, 6 years old.
- 1 Sorrel Mare named Dora, 7 yrs old.
- 1 Sorrel Mule named Bob, 7 yrs old.
- 1 Gray Mule named George, 8 years old.

Some Time

You will be in need of printing of some kind. Whether it be letter-heads, statements wedding invitations or public sale bills, remember we can turn out the work at the lowest cost consistent with good work.