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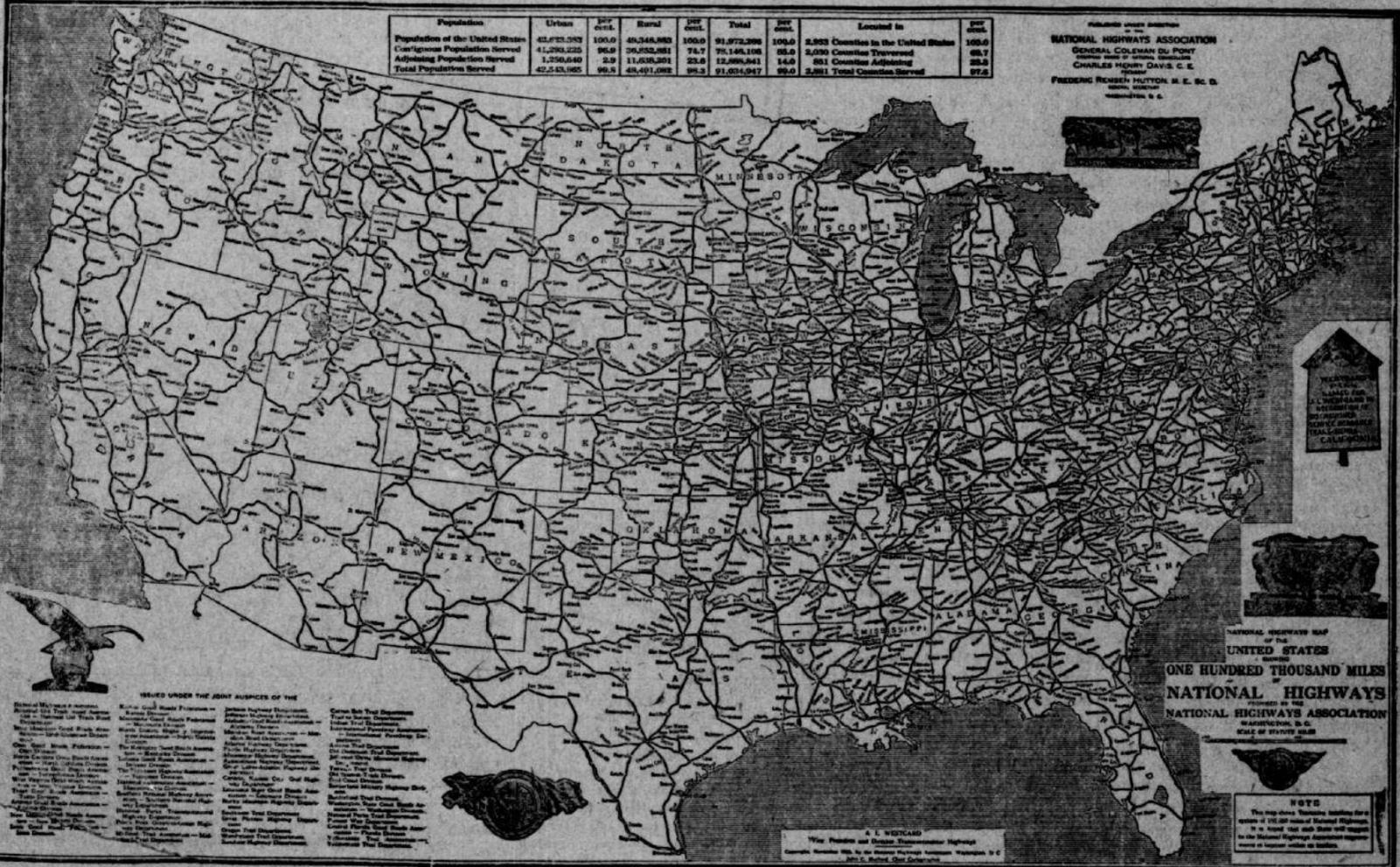
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NATIONAL HIGHWAYS vs. PANAMA CANAL

You own the second. Do you want to own the first? They cost the same. How many people does the second serve? The first will serve 99 per cent of our people! This includes 98.3 per cent of our rural (country) population

FREDERIC REMSEN HUTTON, M. E., S. C. D.
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GENERAL COUNSEL

ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND MILES OF NATIONAL HIGHWAYS PROPOSED BY THE NATIONAL HIGHWAYS ASSOCIATION



Should Sloan's Liniment Go Along?
Of course it should! For after a strenuous day when your muscles have been exercised to the limit an application of Sloan's Liniment will take the soreness and stiffness away and get you in fine shape for the morrow. You should also use it for a sudden attack of toothache, stiff neck, backache, stings, bites and the many accidents that are incidental to a vacation. "We would as soon leave our baggage as go on a vacation or camp out without Sloan's Liniment." Writes one vacationist: "We use it for everything from cramps to toothache." Put a bottle in your bag, be prepared and have no regrets.—Adv.-2.

INSIDE FACTS ABOUT HOGS

are that 99% of them are infested with worms and the owners never suspect it until they show signs of sickness or when butchered, clusters of small white worms are found about the kidneys and bolus on the liver. Why not prevent or cure this? DR. BLACKMAN'S MEDICATED SALT BRICK is guaranteed to do that. Others have proven it. George B. Winters, of Seta 200, Ill., wrote us on Oct. 18, '15, that two of his customers cured their hogs with our remedy in six or seven days after several of the herd had died, and another merchant, Mr. W. T. Dodd, of Downs, Ill., wrote us on Nov. 11, '15, that a number of his customers had kept their hogs healthy by the use of our remedy, while other hogs were dying all around them. Why not try it? It not only ridges hogs of worms, but they take on fat more rapidly and when butchered, their meat will be clean, tasty and nutritious, possessing a rich and natural flavor that can come only with healthy, properly-fed and well-conditioned hogs.

BLACKMAN STOCK REMEDY CO., Champaign, Tenn.

ORDINANCE NO. 2502
By Mr. Faraldo—
An ordinance making it unlawful for any rider of bicycles, motorcycles, or other vehicles, (baby carriages, carts, and tricycles excepted), to ride on the sidewalks of the town of Colfax, La., and fixing penalties therefor.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Colfax, Louisiana, in regular session convened, That it shall be unlawful for any rider of a bicycle, motorcycle, or other vehicle, (baby carriage, carts or tricycles excepted), to ride upon the sidewalks of the town of Colfax, Louisiana.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That any one violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable to arrest, and upon conviction before the mayor shall be fined in a sum of not less than one dollar nor more than five dollars at the discretion of the mayor, and in default of payment of fine and costs to be imprisoned in the town lockup for a period of not less than one day nor more than five days, subject to work on the streets.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That all laws or parts of laws in conflict with any of the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Adopted unanimously this June 6, 1916, by sections and as a whole.

Yeas—Carnahan, Dean, Faraldo, Williams, Goodwyn—5. Nays—0.

J. Q. LONG, Mayor.
A. M. GOODWYN, Secretary.

PREPAREDNESS WE ARE ALL FOR IT. SOME FOR WAR! SOME FOR DEFENSE!! SOME FOR PEACE!!! THERE CAN BE NO REAL PREPAREDNESS, FOR WAR, FOR DEFENSE, OR FOR PEACE, WITHOUT NATIONAL HIGHWAYS AND GOOD ROADS EVERYWHERE PREPAREDNESS

We present herewith the official map of the good roads system of the National Highways Association. This organization has no entangling political, sectional or commercial alliances. It is strictly organized for business, and lives up to its motto, "Good Roads Everywhere." It embraces in its membership the governors of nearly every State

in the Union, besides thousands of the best representative citizens of all the States. In the last few years this Association has systematized and unified the entire country so that the established State highways and tentative roads of all the different highway associations have been woven into a perfect system of which the map above is an au-

thoritative and official presentation. We hope to see Grant parish maintain the prominent place she has occupied in the good roads column, and fully expect within the next year or so to see her duly connected up with the splendid system of roads now being built in Louisiana, which is also a part of the National high-

way system. Grant parish has about ninety miles of model roads within her borders at this time, with the prospect of fifteen or twenty additional miles to be built within a short while. Twelve miles of our roads have been graveled, and the proposition to gravel all of the roads of the parish is now being discussed and we believe it will be an ac-

complished fact within the next two or three years. This matter is especially referred to our incoming police jury, which we believe will take hold of the proposition in a progressive spirit and arrange for an issue of bonds to complete the roads of Grant parish and put us in line with the State's most progressive communities.

Ike Fewclothes Heard From.
Fordyce, Ark., June 5.
No doubt my many friends, and enemies too, for that matter, will be surprised to hear from me in this far off strange land, and some of them may feel uneasy for my safety so far away from my native parish of Grant, but I am getting accustomed to the ways of the people of this country and like it fine. I am getting the Chronicle and notice that everything is moving along nicely. That is one good provision in the Louisiana constitution, which provides ways and means for everything to be carried on all right without any serious hitch over the loss of prominent men who move to other States. I was afraid that there would be trouble along all lines of public endeavor when I left down there, but I have been a little surprised to note that there has been little change, and really it appears that the vacancy which my disappearance created has proved to be for the general good, the same being satisfactory, as I like to be a public benefactor one way or another. If I can't serve the people heroically by remaining with them, I will prove myself patriotic by leaving, thus winning the esteem of the public in this way.

Arkansas is a great State in some ways, but when anybody tells you that it has the edge on old Louisiana, just tell them that they have another guess coming. One way that Arkansas is ahead

of Louisiana is in the production of fruits. They are shipping many car loads of peaches, strawberries, cantaloupes, etc., from many points and the returns are good. Louisiana should grow more fruits.

In the matter of laws, I find after tireless study on the subject that Louisiana is far ahead of this State. A lawyer here is not looked upon as being any more important than a member of the lower house of the legislature, while in Louisiana he is held to be the same as the Egyptian idol of old. There is no such thing here as a police jury. The justice of the peace from each township (called wards in Louisiana) acts in the same capacity as the Louisiana member of the police jury. They meet at the court house now and then and transact business much after the fashion of the Grant parish police jury, but not nearly so thorough or business-like, and the gentleman called the "county judge" is the boss of the county, so far as the general business is concerned. He presides like the president of the police jury in Louisiana, and if there is anything to be bought he does the buying. I don't like this quite so well. Then comes the worst feature of it all, that of the court arrangements. Court is held at intervals of every six months. There is a circuit judge and prosecuting attorney, who have about six counties to preside over and they can only get around about twice annually.

Thus, if a man commits a lawless deed which does not admit of bail, he reclines in the county jail at public expense for six months, as the case may be. This is a bad feature of the legal machinery here and makes it hard on that contingency of the population known as legal talent. Another thing noticeable here is the issuance of parish scrip or warrants in payment for indebtedness against the county. I do not know if this prevails all over this State, but it does in this county, one of the wealthiest of the State, and there is much trading and trafficking in this paper. One company here makes a business of buying up these county warrants at a low price and collecting face value from them a year or two years later, when the county judge "calls them in." This is also an error. Later on I hope to be able to arrange for a few reforms in the running gear of this commonwealth, but, of course, will have to get acquainted before I proceed very radically.

Respectfully,
IKE FEWCLOTHES.

Bowel Complaints in India.
In a lecture at one of the Des Moines, Iowa, churches a missionary from India told of going into the interior of India, where he was taken sick, that he had a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with him and believed that it saved his life. This remedy is used successfully in India both as a preventative and cure for cholera. You may know from this that it can be depended upon for the milder forms of bowel complaint that occur in this country. Obtainable Everywhere.—Adv.

Regular Church Services.
Services at the Colfax M. E. church South at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. every Sunday, Rev. H. B. Perritt, pastor in charge. Also Sunday School every Sunday at 9:30 a. m., and prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Services at Colfax Baptist church on the first and third Sundays in each month, at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., Rev. J. A. Alford pastor. Sunday school every Sunday at 9:30.

Services at Methodist Protestant church every third Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. J. W. Lee pastor.

Why Endure Summer Colds?
It isn't necessary to have a stuffed head, running nose. To cough your head off as it were. All you need do is to use Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. The soothing and healing balsams open the clogged air passages and in a short time you get relief and start on the road to recovery. Your nose stops running, you cough less and you know you are getting better. Get a bottle, use as directed. Keep what is left as a cough and cold insurance.—Adv.-2.

Have you paid for your Chronicle?

Sealed Proposals for Road Building.
Highway Department of the Board of State Engineers, Room 104, New Orleans Court Building—
Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the Highway Department of the Board of State Engineers of Louisiana, Room 104 New Orleans Court Building, New Orleans, La., up to 12 o'clock noon, Monday, June 12, 1916, for the construction, with earth, of about 12 miles of road in the Parish of Grant, Louisiana.

Information as to location, character of work, extent and class of material, regulations governing manner of submitting proposals and executing contract, may, on application, be obtained at the office of the Highway Department.

W. E. ATKINSON,
State Highway Engineer.
FRANK M. KERR,
Chief State Engineer and President of Board of State Engineers.

Cut This Out—It Is Worth Money.
Don't miss this. Cut out this slip, enclose with 5c to Foley & Co., Chicago, Illinois, writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for lagrippe coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills, and Foley Cathartic Tablets. J. W. Duncan Co.—Adv.

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