TURNED DOWN AMERICANS.

Consular Corps, Among Which is Dr. Virgil Reynolds, Get Boot of Honduras' Pres.

The official recognition of consular representatives of the various nations at Ceiba, Honduras, has been withdrawn by President Davila because the former intervened in behalf of the noncombatants in the troubles in that country.

Among the American consular corps is Dr. Virgilo C. Reynolds, lately of St. Landry parish, who went to Honduras shortly after the '96 campaign in this parish under indictment for killing a negro incident upon the white supremacy agitation. He is the Vice-Consul representing America at Ceiba. The other members of the consular corps are Consul Linard, and Dr. Allen Jumel, Marine Hospital Inspector. The latter is also a Louisiana man, the son of Gen. Allen Jumel.

The activity of the consuls occurred just preceding the revolutionary attack upon Ceiba, about ten days ago, when the revolutionists were repulsed by the government troops.

It is a well settled principle of international practice that a government may refuse to issue an exequatur to any person appointed to a consular position, and also to cancel an exequator after it is granted, for good reasons. This privilege has been exercised by this Government on more than one occasion.

Word reached the Department last week that considerable dissatisfaction existed at Ceiba with the foreigh consuls there, but later reports indicated that the tirade against them by the local newspapers had ceased.

MR. PUJO TO THE RESCUE.

Seventh Distict Congressman Secures Federal Aid for Charbon Sufferers.

Crowley, La., July 28.—Through the prompt efforts of Congressman A. P. Pujo of the Seventh Louisiana district, Secretary James Wilson of the United States department of agriculture, to-day detailed Dr. Buckley, an expert in charbonus diseases, to proceed to soutwest Louisiana for the purpose of investigating the charbon epidemic and to endeavor to relieve the situation. Dr. Buckley will be here in a short time. The information concerning the detail was received in the following telegram received from Mr. Pujo late this afternoon:

"Washington, D. C., July 28, 1908.
"To Frank Randolph, Crowley, La.
"Upon information furnished by you with reference to the prevalence of charbon in your section, I made application to the secretary of agriculture for special detail of an expert to investigate conditions and endeavor to relieve the situation. Dr. Buckley has been assigned to the work and will be here in the near future. (Signed.) A. P. PUJO."

Mr. Pujo was informed of the charbon situation here less than a week ago. He was attending to his duties as member of the Monetary Commission at Narragansette Pier. He was advised that the situation needed attention and that no fund exists for furnishing relief by the state. On his way home from Narragansette Pier he stopped at Washington and called on Secretary Wilson with the above result.

FARMERS ORGANIZING.

Eunice Tillers of the Soil Form Themselves Into Truck Growers Association.

Eunice, July 26.—There was a meeting of farmers held to-day in Reed's Hall for the purpose of organizing a truck growers' association. A temporary organization was effected, with W. O. Hammers Temporary Chairman, and Fred Voorhies Temporary Secretary. A committee of three was appointed to draft a constitution and rules to submit to the permanent organization, which they hope to effect at the next meeting two weeks hence.

Overton Cade, representing this district as Railroad Commissioner, was here yesterday looking after the interchange of freights in the various roads entering Eunice, at present there being no way of transfering cars from one road to another. Incidentally, also, Mr. Cade is shaking hands with the people in the interest of his renomination.

The first load of rice for the season, fifteen sacks, came in yesterday, and was bought by Louis Mayer for the National Rice Milling Company, of New Orleans. The quality of this load was good, and brought $3.75 per barrel, or $65.15 for the load. Alibe Bertrand produced the rice. He will bring in more the coming week. This is fifteen days earlier than it has ever been brought in before. There is considerable other rice threshed, which will come in next week.

Supt. Flanders Better.

The many friends of Superintendent Harry Flanders, of the Opelousas, Gulf & Northeastern Railroad, who was taken to Marshall, Texas, last Sunday, suffering with pneumonia, will be glad to know that the esteemed official is better, and it is believed that he will recover speedily.

PERSONAL AND LOCAL

—Mr. P. A. Rutledge left for a visit to his old home last Friday.

—Dr. J. P. Saizan has gone to Waukesha, Wis., where he will join his wife and daughter.

—Mr. Gilbert L. Dupre, Jr., a rising young New Orleans lawyer, spent several days with his parents here this week.

—The Clarion is glad to see Mr. F. N. Dupre on the streets again, after a severe illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Frost, of Lafayette, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Wallior.

—Misses Aline, Jennie and Eunice Dezauche returned to Melville Monday, after a week's stay with their brothers, Messrs. J. F. and Louis Dezauche.

—Hon. Overton Cade, Railroad Commissioner from this District, and candidate for re-election, was here Friday last interviewing the voters.

—Supreme Judge O. O. Provosty, candidate for re-election, spent several days in Opelousas this week.

—Mr. E. K. Wallior and fnmily spent several days with friends in Lafayette.

—Mrs. H. M. Gordon, of Melville, spent a couple days with relatives here. Mrs. Gordon is a sister of the Dezauche brothers, of our city.

—Mr. and Mrs. Octave Durio and children and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Breaux and children spent several days at Second Lake this week, at the Club house.

—The venerable Capt. H. L. Garland is, we are glad to say, much improved.

—Mr. M. Perrault, of Fordoche, Point Coupee parish, was in Opelousas Thursday last. He came to see his son, who is in jail for the killing of Laborde at Port Barre last week. The elder Perrault, we are told, is a very good, peaceful, hardworking man, and has never been in a law suit in his life.

Denies Having Coerced Negro Prisoner.

Editor Clarion.—Allow me to put forth the facts in connection with the news article in your issue of July 18th, pertaining to the court sentences and particularly that portion which referred to the sentence of Gilbert Laviolette, a negro, who plead guilty of larceny and was sentenced to six months in the parish jail.

It was stated in your report that the negro informed the court that he pleaded guilty because he had been threatened "by the deputy sheriff who had brought him to Opelousas." I will say that it was not a deputy sheriff who conveyed him to Opelousas, but the constable of the 16th justice's ward, who arrested him on a warrant issued by Hon. Rene Dossmann, J. P. The warrant was brought to me by Drew Guillory, plaintiff, and Mr. Guillory showed me the defendant and identified him as the coon who had broken into his store and stolen goods therefrom. I arrested the negro Laviolette in the presence of Messrs. Drew and Nerius Guillory and the young son of the venerable D. H. Quirk, at about 9 o'clock that same night. I kept the darkey home, in my custody, in the presence of Mr. Oneal Mayeaux, until morning. In the morning I conveyed him to the Ville Platte jail, as I could not go on to Opelousas on account of a trial at the 16th justice's court. The morning after I took him to Opelousas, and all during the time he was in my custody I treated him as I do others under the same circumstances, with the regard due a prisoner by an officer.

On my way from Ville Platte to Opelousas I made one stop, and that was at the request of the prisoner, who wanted to ask Mr. Mason Chapman to bail him out. At the time Laviolette spoke to Mr. Chapman he said "I only took the knife, and not the money, of Mr. Drew Guillory." Myself I did not ask a single question of the prisioner. On arresting him I found in his pocket a small white-handle knife, which Mr. Drew Guillory said was his. Mr. Guillory asked the darkey where he had got the knife, and the latter's answer was "On the chair, Mr. Drew."

A few days after the prisoner's uncle, Albert Charles, gave Mr. Drew Guillory a pair of suspenders, saying, "These are yours, the Laviolette boy stole them from you." For these articles you may look in the sheriff's office in Opelousas and call Mr. Drew Guillory to identify them. A plea of guilty was not hurtful to the darkey.

Laviolette stated in court that he was afraid I would kill him if he did not plead guilty. I have never killed any one, nor have I made any attempt or threat to do so.

Judge E. T. Lewis stated that he was told by a "good white man" of this section that the darkey was unfairly handled by the man who arrested him. I think Judge Lewis should name that good white man, that that good white man should be able to prove things before uttering them. I claim to be a white man and a citizen of this country, and half good myself, and I imagined I was also a half truthful man. Concerning the unfair handling of the darkey in any manner, I hereby brand any one who might have said so—plainly, a liar!

Judge Lewis, and the lawyer at the bar, (the Clarion says) said they would like to get the facts of the monstrous case. Well, I am the man who arrested Laviolette and turned him over to the sheriff in Opelousas, and my actions are open to investigation. Judge Lewis also said that it would serve no purpose to grant a new trial to the negro, as the white man would deny it and the court would have only the "poor devil's word against the white man's word." It seems to me that these parties who stated those so-called facts should be able to back up the negro in his testimony, or if they can not they should close their lips.

It is not surprising that Laviolette should tell a lie, for it is much easier to lie than to break open a dwelling house and steal goods and money therefrom.

If at any time I should do anything wrong in the capacity of arresting officer, or otherwise, I should not leave the door open for the public to suspect some other party of the act, and as there has no doubt been much speculation as to who was meant in the negro and the court's statement, I desire to make it known that it was I who did the arresting and conveying of the darkey, and I dare any one to say that I did not do it like a gentleman, or they will have to prove the same, not to me but to the courts, and I will surrender my commission.

Trusting that no one will again attempt to hurt my honor and feeling,

I am, very truly,
N. GUILLORY, JR.

Way It's Done In Alex.

The Alexandria Town-Talk gives an idea of how they do things in progressive Alexandria in the following editorial:

Our readers will remember that some months ago the Barber Asphalt Company brought suit against the City of Alexandria to restrain the City authorities from selling improvement bonds, until the city paid the Asphalt Company the amount due it for paving.

We are pleased to announce that the matter has been compromised and the suit withdrawn, and some time during September the city authorities will dispose of $55,000 of bonds authorized last year, and $32,000 authorized to be sold this year.

The Town Talk learns that the outlook is that these bonds will bring good prices, considering the present poor market for such securities.

The compromise with the Asphalt Company shows that the city owes that company $44,978.50 for street paving, and the city authorities agree to budget every year the sum of $10,000 in payment of the Asphalt Company until the entire sum is liquidated.

Nothing now stands in the way of commencing the erection of a beautiful city hall building, except the sale of the bonds, and Mayor Turner says that there is no doubt but what they can be disposed of at a satisfactory price.

This is good news to the people of Alexandria, as it means a much needed improvement, and work for a great many idle hands.

They Asked for Wives and Now Want Cradles.

Grey Bull, Wyo., July 20.—This town of 200 inhabitants, which won fame a year ago by advertising through the Grey Bull Commercial Club for wives, is now claiming special commendation from President Roosevelt.

Grey Bull, a little over a year ago, was an Eveless Eden, and the young men were dissatisfied. They wanted wives. Advertisements in the big eastern newspapers brought something like 10,000 offers to the band of 100 husky young ranchers. Soon there was not a bachelor within 100 miles of Grey Bull.

Now the town of Grey Bull asks for cradles, for during the past year 60 babies have been born into 60 families.

A barking dog, so we are told,
Is seldom known to bite;
Likewise a man who talks a lot
Will run before he'll fight.
—Chicago News.

Dr. Clopton in the chair.

To the Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury of the parish of St. Landry:

Your undersigned property taxpayers of St. Landry parish, residents of School District No. One of the second police jury ward, whose limits and bounds by virtue of a resolution of the Board of School Directors of said Parish, passed April 4th, 1908, and defined as follows, to-wit: The territory to be included within the lines and bounds running as follows: To begin at a point one-half mile east of the railroad on the ward line between the 1st and 2d Police Jury Wards to run south parallel with the railroad to the parish line of Lafayette to run west along the ward line between the 1st and 2d Police Jury Wards until the parish of Acadia is reached, the parishes of Lafayette and Acadia to constitute the southern and western boundaries of the district herein created, respectfully petition your honorable body to order a special election throughout said school district for the purpose of submitting to the property taxpayers of said school district entitled to vote at such election the proposition of levying a special tax of three mills on the dollar for a period of ten years on all taxable property in said school district for the following purposes and objects, to-wit:

1st—Said special tax levy to be for the purpose of and used only for the benefits of the public schools of this district and more especially for the purpose of the construction, repair and equipment of each buildings, the prolonging of school session, the paying of salarles of teachers, and the operation, if deemed advisable, of school transfers or wagons.

2d—Said funds as collected to be deposited with the treasurer of the School Board of St. Landry parish, and to be expended for the purposes above stated under the direction of the Board of School Directors of the parish of St. Landry.

And your memorialists further pray that this petition and the requisite ordinance ordering such election be duly passed and published as provided by law, and as in duty bound your memorialists pray for one and favorable consideration and action in the premises:

V H Sibille, A L Andrus, L'Elie Landry, D D S, F L Guilbeau, Frank Clay, A D Smith, E J Guilbeau, Frank Breaux A J Gaschen, E Boudreau, Jos H Castille, E J Boudreau, J P Sibille, A J Brinkhaus, Frank Richard, Warren Clay, Hypolite Miller, J B Clay, Clement Smith, Wilfred Guidry, A T Burleigh, Fountain Daniel Burleigh, G T Richard, Adolph Burleigh, J D Bernard, Ben deValcourt, C L Richard, Jos H Burleigh, Pat Hession, S D Tinney, John deValcourt, Jr, Ruffus Guidry, Mrs Alex Burleigh, Alcee Boutte, Jos H Veneble, J E Bertinot, Thomas Winn, Onezime Meche, Placide Leger, J M Smith, E A Cummings, Robert Richard, Alex Cummings, Wm deValcourt, Ben Veneble, Augustus Burleigh, Sen Numa Leger, Mrs Jim Meche, Arthur Thibodeau, Louis Boudreau, Prosper Leger, W J Boudreau, Aristide Leger, John deValcourt, Jessie Veneble, J B Sibille, Albert Meche, Jim Burleigh, Edmond Leger, A M Richard, Abraham Smith, G Hornlst, Artemise Leger, Jules Savoie, L A Richard, Jean Leger, Junius Elmer, Wm Smith, J M Burleigh, Jules Sibille, Dudley Wills, L G Sibille, Edgar Courville, Dr C A Gardiner, L F Sibille, Adolph Cazodebat, Prosper Cazodebat, Robert Martin, John Coiligan, F J Votreau, Oscar Daigle, Theodule Daigle, C A Delahoussaye, Thanisias Coiligan, Alsay Guidry, Simon Leger, Noah Leger, Justin Mayer, Adolph Richard, Adam Richard, Lastie Guidry, Adolphe Guidry, Louis A Guidry, M D, Adolph Savoie, Cleophas Comeau, Andre Philosie Menard, Leonard Babineaux, W C Millen, John Hungate, A D Prejean, Jeff Miller, Onezime Babineaux, Walter Guidry, A Lamury, Cleophas Guidry, Ovide Guidry, Morris Bass, Louis Guilbeau, Mrs John Bourque, Mrs Duplex Duplechain, Felix Duhon, Louis Savoie, Arthur Guilbeau, Dominique Roger, Laurent Patin, Caizer Miller, Lastie Smith, Jules Courville, Alexis Guidry, Albert Leger, Oscar Savoie, Leonard Savoie, Joseph Menard, Caeser Miller, Jr, Alexandre Leger, Desire Menard, Edmond Guidry, Leo Guidry, Louis Miller, Laurent Domengeaux, John E. Richard, Deogene Savoie, Deogene Savoie, Jr, Frank Savoie, Moise C Cormier, Romain Cormier, Linval Domengeaux, Ernest Domengeaux, Arthur Castille, Urbin Lavergne, Ignace Meche, J A Cummings, Thomas Veneble, Moise Smith, Lucien Leger, W D Hargroder, Alcide Guidry, Wilfred Guidry, Honore Boudreau, E Roger, Adras Guilbeau, Oge Guilbeau, Saul Guidry.

Mr. Dailey offered the following ordinance, seconded by Mr. Doucet, and upon being duly read, was adopted unanimously, to-wit:

AN ORDINANCE

Ordering a special election at which shall be submitted to the property tax payers qualified under the Constitution and laws of this state, of School District No. One (1) of the Second Police Jury Ward of the Parish of St. Landry, hereinafter more fully described, the question of levying a special tax of Three (3) mills on the dollar for a period of Ten (10) years for the purpose of and to be used only for the benefit of the public schools of said district, and more especially for the purpose of constructing, repairing and equipping school buildings, prolonging of school sessions, the paying of salaries of teachers, and the operation, if deemed advisable, of school transfers or wagons, in pursuance to law in such cases made and provided, and in conformity to the petition of more than one-fifth of the property tax payers of said school district hereto annexed and made a part hereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Landry in regular session convened. That a special election be held in School District No. 1 of the Second Police Jury Ward of the Parish of St. Landry, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: To begin at a point one-half mile east of the railroad, on the ward line between the First and Second Police Jury Wards, to run South parallel with the railroad to the Parish line of Lafayette, to run West along the ward line between the First and Second Police Jury Wards until the Parish of Acadia is reached, the parishes of Lafayette Acadia to constitute the Southern and Western boundaries of the District herein created; said election to be held on Tuesday, the 18th day of August, 1908, at which shall be submitted to the property tax payers of said district entitled to vote under the Constitution and laws of this state, the question of levying on all of the taxable property situated in said district a tax of Three (3) mills on the dollar per annum for a period of Ten (10) years, for the purpose of constructing, repairing and equipping school buildings, the prolonging of school sessions, the paying of salaries of teachers, and the operation, if deemed advisable, of school transfers or wagons, in pursuance to law in such cases made and provided, and in conformity to the petition of more than one-fifth of the property tax payers of said school district hereto annexed and made a part hereof; said tax, to be levied and collected in pursuance to and in accordance with law, beginning with the year 1909.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that said special election shall be held under the general election laws of this state at the polling place established by law in said district, and that the ballots to be used shall be printed in the form provided under said general election laws, and shall have printed thereon:

FOR a special tax of three (3) mills on the dollar per annum for the period ten (10) years, for the purpose of constructing, repairing and equipping school buildings, the prolonging of school sessions, the paying of salaries of teachers, and the operation, if deemed advisable, of school transfers or wagons, in pursuance to law in such cases made and provided, and

AGAINST a special tax of three (3) mills on the dollar per annum for the period of ten (10) years, for the purpose of constructing, repairing and equipping school buildings, the prolonging of school sessions, the paying of salaries of teachers, and the operation, if deemed advisable, of school transfers or wagons, in pursuance to law in such cases made and provided.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That the Board of Supervisors of Election of the Parish of St. Landry be and they are hereby requested and directed to appoint three commissioners and a clerk of election to serve and hold said election at the place established by law in said district, to give due notice of said appointment, and of the time and place of holding said election, and to make returns of said election to the President of the Police Jury, who announce and promulgate the result of said election according to law.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That the Board of Supervisors of Elections of the Parish of St. Landry shall have 500 ballots printed in accordance with the provisions of the general election laws of this State and of this ordinance, to be sent to said school district by the Sheriff of this parish, with the ballot box and other election paraphernalia.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That each voter voting at said election shall endorse his ballot by signing his name thereon, and indicate the amount of his assessment of property situated in said school district.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That the commissioners of election shall receive the ballots of all property tax payer of said school district entitled to vote under the Constitution and laws of this state, and when the polls are closed, shall count said ballots and make returns of the votes cast at said election both in number and amount of assessed value of property of those who voted for said tax, and of those who voted against the same.

Section 7. Be it further ordained etc., That this ordinance and annexed petition of the property tax payers of said school district be published in the St. Landry Clarion, the official journal of this parish, for the full period of thirty clear days previous to the date of holding said election, and that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

Adopted July 7th, 1908.
W. C. CLOPTON, President.
Attest: J. J. HEALEY, Clerk.

PARTITION SALE.

MRS. ELIZABETH LEVEILLIER, Widow et als.
vs.
CELESTIN LAZARE.

No. 18,324, Probate Docket, District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of a judgment dated July 1st 1908, rendered by the Honorable E. T. Lewis, Judge of the 16th Judicial District Court of the State of Louisiana, in and for the parish of St. Landry, rendered in the above numbered and entitled suit, there will be sold, by the undersigned auctioneer or any duly qualified auctioneer, at last residence of Francois Lazare dec'd, on Bayou Teche, on

Tuesday, August 4, 1908,

at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of effecting a partition, the following described property, to-wit:

1st. A certain tract or parcel of land situated on Bayou Teche in said parish and State, fronting one and a quarter (1¼) arpents on said Bayou on the right descending bank, by fifty-four (54) arpents more or less in depth, bounded above by lands of Serant Williams, in the rear by lands unknown, below by lands of Augustin Lazare, and in front by said Bayou. Being the same property that Francois Lazare acquired from Augustin Lazare, Jan 3, 1874, as per act recorded in Conveyance Book "B" No. 2, page 749, Records of St. Landry parish, La.

2d. A tract of land situated in Prairie Laurent on the right bank of Bayou Teche, adjoining a tract sold by Lange Marcel in the act of sale made on the 9th day of May 1881, before Laurent Dupre, Notary Public for this parish of St. Landry, purchased from Josephine Lesassier who is an emancipated minor, having the front of one and a quarter (1¼) arpents with a depth of fifty-five (55) arpents for part and fifty (50) for balance, bounded on one side by the tract above referred to sold to Lange Marcel, and on the other side by lands of Alphonse Meuillon. Being the same property that Francois Lazare acquired from Simon Lazare, Feb. 7th, 1884, as per act of sale duly recorded in Conveyance Book "P" No. 2, page 438 and 439, Records of St. Landry Parish, La.

Terms—Cash.

july4-5t B. H. PAVY, Auctioneer.

SUCCESSION SALE.

ESTATE OF FRANCOIS TAYLOR AND WIFE.

No. 6302, Probate Docket, District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of an order of the Hon. E. T. Lewis, Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, State of Louisiana, there will be sold at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, by the undersigned administrator, or any duly qualified auctioneer, at the last residence of the deceased at Arnaudville, St. Landry Parish, on

Saturday, August 1, 1908,

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

Article 1, in the name of Francois Taylor: That certain lot of land situated at the east end of the Teche bridge, in the town of Arnaudville, with all the buildings thereon, and bounded as follows: On the north by Canal street (as per map of the corporation of Arnaudville, La.) on the south by the canal recognized as the division line between the parishes of St. Landry and St. Martin, on the east by the property of the Estate of D. L. Taylor, and on the west by Bayou Teche.

Article 2: That certain tract of land in the name of Virginia LeBlanc, and situated in the town of Arnaudville, La., better known as the southern half of block fourteen (14) of and as per plat of the corporation of Arnaudville, and bounded as follows: North by property of Oscar Roy, south by East street of said corporation, east by Market street, and west by Bayou Teche, with all the buildings thereon, consisting of dwelling, corn crib and other outhouses.

Terms—Cash.

WADE E. HIGGINBOTHAM,
june27-6t Administrator.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

E. GORDY RICHARD
vs.
ROBT. E. WALLING.

No. 18341, 16th Judicial District Court, St. Landry Parish, La.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale issued out of the Hon. 16th Judicial District Court, in and for the parish of St. Landry, in the above entitled and numbered suit, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House of St. Landry parish, at Opelousas, La., on

Saturday, August 15, '08,

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

Lots Nos. One and Two, in Block No. Seven, in Krotz's Addition to the Town of Melville, with buildings and improvements thereon.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS.

For cash to pay and satisfy the sum of three hundred and twelve and 50-100 dollars and interest on the sum of six hundred and twenty-five dollars from April 11, 1907, and ten per cent attorney's fees on $625 and interest to date, as also the cost of this proceeding. For the balance of the purchase price, purchaser to assume, up to the amount of his bid, a note for $312.50, dated April 11, 1907, with interest to its maturity, and the remainder of his bid, if any, to be paid in cash, or, in lieu of said assumption, he pay all cash.

july11-6t M. L. SWORDS, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

DAVID ROOS
vs.
ELLEN COLLINS Widow, et als

No. 18337, Probate Docket, District Court Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the Honorable Sixteenth Judicial District Court, in and for the parish of St. Landry, in the above entitled and numbered suit, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale, for cash, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House of St. Landry parish, in Opelousas, La., on

Saturday, August 15, 1908,

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

A certain tract of woodland, situated at Mallet woods, in the parish of St. Landry, containing twenty-five arpents, more or less, and bounded (then) as follows: north by Antoine St. Andre, south by David Roos, east by Eugene Bellow and Ambroise Godeau, and west by I. R. Guidry and Emile Holloway. Being the same property which Martial Guillory acquired from David Roos Nov. 3rd, 1904, by act recorded in Conveyance Book Z, No. 3½ pages 523-524.

Terms—Cash.

july11-6t M. L. SWORDS, Sheriff.

Notice. I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by any member of my family, or anybody else, except myself or my wife, or our signatures.
M. L. SWORDS.
Opelousas, La., January 15, 1907.

Goods Below New York Cost!

Such an assertion, to be believed, must be backed by reasons. Read the reasons:

Mr. L. Wright, Proprietor of the Opelousas Bargain House, left for New York Sunday morning, July 26, to buy his Fall and Winter stock, which will consist of a large assortment of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Hats, and Notions; Ladies' and Gents' Furnishings; Ladies' Tailor-Made Suits, Skirts and Jackets. To make room for this tremendous stock, we must get rid of our present stock of Summer Goods, and to do this we will dispose of it at Less Than New York Cost!

This is a bona fide offer, and the greatest ever offered you. Remember the place:

The Opelousas Bargain House

MAIN STREET, CORNER GROLEE, OPPOSITE J. B. SANDOZ.

L. WRIGHT

PROPRIETOR.

ARE YOUR SOCKS INSURED?

If not we can insure them Free of Chorge, if you will wear the Everwear and Holeproof Hosiery.

THE SOCKS YOU CAN'T WEAR OUT.

If there is anything that is uncomfortable it is a sock with a hole in it.

If there is one thing on earth that is unnecessary it's that same "Sock with a Hole in it."

If there is one unnecessary sort or drudgery with which the house wife has to contend it's "darning."

Because—There are Socks You Can Procure that Do Not Develop Holes—They are

EVERWEAR AND HOLEPROOF.

This famous "Everwear" Hosiery is sold under a positive, steel-ribbed guarantee to wear yon for six months without developing the slightest hole, rip or tear. Here is the way this guarantee reads:

THIS GUARANTEE IS ABSOLUTE.

We unreservedly guarantee that these six pairs of socks, if worn alternately for six months, will wear absolutely free from holes or rips for that length of time. If, for any reason, they should require any darning during that period return each damaged pair and they will be replaced immediately by new ones. It is, also, imperative that the damaged socks be returned within the time limit of six months from the date of sale. For sale by

BEN RISEMAN, Opelousas

The Opelousas National Bank

Capital and Surplus $75,000.00

E. B. DUBUISSON, President
J. B. SANDOZ, Vice-President
A. LEON DUPRE, Cashier
J. A. PERKINS, Asst. Cashier

.....Accounts Solicited.....

The Peoples State Bank

OF OPELOUSAS, LA.

BEGAN BUSINESS SEPTEMBER 9, 1895.
GROWTH:

	SURPLUS AND UNDIVIDED PROFITS.	DEPOSITS.
March 31, 1896	$ 5,518.02	$ 56,308.98
March 30, 1901	17,383.02	141,224.17
March 29, 1906	41,300.22	274,245.16
March 16, 1907	53,625.01	395,200.54

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