

Our Great SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

COMMENCED

FRIDAY, JANUARY 2, '14

—and will continue for 30 days. In all departments great reductions have been made. My stock needs no description as the public knows that I carry nothing but standard and up-to-date goods, and satisfaction guaranteed or your money refunded, so I will just mention a few of the many bargains:

All our Worsted and Cashmere Pants, were good values at \$3.50, in this sale will go at \$2.85
 All our \$5 Pants at . . . 3.85
 All our Hart, Schaffner & Marx Pants, sold at \$6.50 and \$7.50, will go at . . . \$4.95 and \$5.95
 All Knee Pants, sold at \$1.50 and \$1.75. in this sale . . . \$1.25
 The \$1 Knee Pants at . . . 75c
 In Boys' Suits will be given the greatest values:
 \$8 and \$9 Boys' Suits at . . . \$6.90
 5 and 6 " " . . . 3.95
 3 and 3.50 " " . . . 2.45
 2 and 2.50 " " . . . 1.90
 Boys' Overcoats, convertible collars will go in this sale at following prices:
 The \$7.50 and \$8.00 at . . . \$5.85
 " 5.00 and 6.00 at . . . 4.25
 " 3.50 and 4.00 at . . . 2.50
 Men's Cravantes:
 \$15.00 and \$16.50 kind at . . . 12.50
 12.50 and 13.50 " " . . . 9.75
 8.00 and 10.00 " " . . . 7.75

All our \$5.50 and \$6 Overcoats will go at . . . \$3.95
 Slip-on Coats, sold at \$12.50 and \$15, will go at \$9.75 and \$11.75
 I have about 125 Suits of Worsted and Cashmere, Blue Serges included, in this sale will go at following prices:
 \$22.50 Suits at . . . \$18.50
 18.00 and 20.00 Suits at . . . 15.00
 13.50 and \$15 Suits at . . . 11.75
 All \$12.50 Suits at . . . 9.75
 All our stock of Shoes will go at the following prices:
 The Stetson Shoes, Oxfords and High Top, the 5.50-6.00 . . . \$4.90
 All Howard and Foster Shoes; 4.00 and 4.50 at . . . \$3.55
 3.50 Shoes at . . . 3.10
 2.50 Shoes at . . . 2.10
 On Hats we give 20% reduction on any hat except the Stetson.
 Notaseme Hosiery in all colors, the 25c kind, at . . . 21c
 All Silk Socks, 50c kind, at . . . 39c
 I have 10 doz. Queen City Shirts regular 1.00 values, at . . . 69c
 All Boys' 50c Shirts at . . . 39c

Undershirts and Drawers, the \$1.00 kind, at 79c per garment. All 75c Underwear at 59c. All 50c Underwear, ribbed and fleeced, at 39c. All Boys' Union Suits, were 50c, now 39c. All Boys' Shirts and Drawers, fleeced and ribbed goods, 25c and 35c kind, at 21c. All Jersey Sweaters and Coat Sweaters at great reductions. Flannel Top Shirts at very greatly reduced prices: The \$2.50 Shirts at \$1.90, the \$2.00 Shirts at \$1.59, the \$1.50 Shirts at \$1.10. 60 pairs Kahki Overall Pants, sold at \$1.00, will go at 85c. All other goods, too numerous to mention, will go at equally reduced prices. REMEMBER THE PLACE—AT

M. WINSBERG'S

The Reliable Clothier.

Myself or a representative of my department attended nearly every parish fair in the state.

The field work on truck growing, dairying and silo building, has been active and satisfactory.

We have made some headway in eradicating the cattle tick through the dipping vat system, but not as rapidly as I should like to see. This is due to a great degree to the lack of funds at our command, and the lack of cooperation of the farmers.

The Entomologist has met with some difficulty in getting rid of trees and shrubbery infested with the San Jose scale, chaff scale, etc, and in some instances the trees had to be destroyed, however this was an exception rather than a rule.

I have devoted my whole time to looking after each branch of my department, seeing that the work was properly done and that the monies were properly and economically spent.

I attended and addressed as many agricultural and immigration meetings in and out of the state as I possibly could. To the outsiders I preached Louisiana's greatness; her possibilities and advantages; to the farmers I talked good drainage, deep plowing, shallow cultivation, good seed, good fertilizers, early and quick harvest and to the city and town people, a good market for everything the farmers raise.

The people of Louisiana have much to be thankful for. Our corn crop exceeded last year's crop by several million bushels. Our cotton crop about the same as last year, with better prices. The rice crop has been large and brought a fairly good price. The cane crop is excellent. The other crops such as vegetables, berries, hays, etc. have been very good.

The health of the state is splendid, consequently we all have so much to be grateful for and so little to complain about.

Missionary Notes

Christmas is upon us and every one is planning how they can gladden the hearts of friends and loved ones by giving them gifts, but have we given any thought as to what our gift will be to the One whose birth we commemorate? He gave his life that we may have life more abundantly. Shall we at this time forget Him, knowing that He careth for us and is ever mindful of our needs.

Shall we give Him our love, our service, our money and our hearts? Any one of these given in the right spirit would make His heart glad.

There is great need for these gifts in the world to-day, knowing that anything we do for Him must needs be done for others. China is pleading for help in her day schools, while Korea, Brazil, India, Africa and others are sounding the 'Macedonian' cry 'Come over and help us'. Our own land is calling for volunteers for service.

"Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature," is His command to you and to me.

THE OPELOUSAS NATIONAL BANK



DIRECTORS:

Chas. F. Bogal
 E. B. Dubuisson
 A. Leon Dupre
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 3% On Time Certificates of Deposit }
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Here are a few selections from our stock, such as:

Diamonds, Jewelry, Watches, Clocks, Rings, Wedding Rings, Cut Glass, Bracelets, Fountain Pens, Umbrellas and many other things that go to make a complete Jewelry Store

Located in the Larcade Building

QUININE AND IRON—THE MOST EFFECTUAL GENERAL TONIC RELIEVES PAIN AND HEAD AT THE SAME TIME

Grove's Tasteless chill Tonic Combines both in Tasteless form. The Quinine drives out Malaria and the Iron builds up the System. For Adults and Children.

The Wonderful, Old Reliable Dr. Porter's Antiseptic Healing Oil. An Antiseptic Surgical Dressing discovered by an Old R. R. Surgeon. Prevents Blood Poisoning.

You know what you are taking when you take GROVE'S TASTELESS chill TONIC, recognized for 30 years throughout the South as the standard Malaria, Chill and Fever Remedy and General Strengthening Tonic. It is as strong as the strongest bitter tonic, but you do not taste the bitter because the ingredients do not dissolve in the mouth but do dissolve readily in the acids of the stomach. Guaranteed by your Druggist. We mean \$1.50c.

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There is Only One "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for signature of E. W. GROVE on every box. Cures a Cold in One Day. 25c.

Commissioner Bruner Is Kept Busy.

Commission of Agriculture and Immigration E. O. Bruner, in speaking of the Agricultural and Immigration department, and Louisiana generally said: Every branch of my department has been active and busy throughout the year.

The Immigration division has done much good work. We have brought in many immigrants and thousands and thousands of acres of land have changed hands this year.

If Louisiana and her many advantages are not known, it's not our fault, as we are constantly sending out literature all over the United States and to foreign countries. It keeps us busy answering inquiries from people from all over this and foreign countries.

Six months ago we established a branch office on the Canal Zone. Our object was to thoroughly advertise Louisiana on the Zone, and to induce people who had saved up their earnings, and desired a home of their own, to come to Louisiana and invest. The inspection branch has done more and better work than ever before. We inspected fifty

previous year of fertilizers and feed stuffs, and after paying all the expenses of the inspections such as salaries for the inspectors, stenographers, clerks and all traveling expenses, we turned over for analytical and experimental work, twenty-three thousand dollars, hence you will see that my department is not

only self sustaining but a revenue producer, and under our mode of inspecting, the farmers and consumers are thoroughly protected. We have so systemized the work that it makes it almost impossible to get spurious goods on the market. There were two or three attempts, and in each instance the party was caught

and prosecuted. The Parish Fairs through the state were not up to the standard, on account of the excessive rains in the fall, but the parish fair spirit has gotten a hold to the people and the number is constantly increasing. The State Fair was splendid and worthy of commendation.

ANNUAL STATEMENT

...OF...

The Peoples State Bank

OF OPELOUSAS, LA.,

At the Close of Business, Dec. 31, 1913.

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	\$170,819.85
Bonds and Stocks	13,750.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,500.00
Real Estate owned	8,058.12
Cash on hand and with banks	71,497.50

\$263,620.27

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$ 30,000.00
Surplus	6,000.00
Undivided Profits, less expenses, taxes and dividends paid	4,002.79
Dividends now payable (\$20.00 per share)	6,000.00
Deposits	217,610.48

\$263,620.27

I, DAVID ROOS, President, and I, LAWRENCE LARCADE, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LAWRENCE LARCADE, CASHIER.

DAVID ROOS, PRESIDENT.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, 1913.

WM. ALEX. ROBERTSON, Notary Public.

RECEIVER'S SALE.

In the matter of the AUGUSTA SUGAR CO. LTD., Receiver'ship.

Twenty-Third Judicial District Court of Louisiana, Parish of St. Mary.

Intervention of the DOUGLAS ELECTRIC CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, LIMITED.

By virtue of an order and decree of the Honorable, the Twenty-third Judicial District Court of Louisiana, sitting in and for the Parish of St. Mary, in the above and foregoing cause, rendered in favor of the intervenor, the Douglas Electric Construction Co., Ltd., I, W. D. Haas, Receiver of the Augusta Sugar Co., Ltd., will offer for sale at public auction, to the last and highest bidder for cash and subject to appraisal, as the principal part of the property of the court-house in the City of Opelousas, St. Landry Parish, on

Saturday, January 31st, 1914,

between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 p. m., to pay intervenor's claim as per judgment rendered in said cause, to which reference is made, all the rights, titles and interest of the Augusta Sugar Co., Ltd., in and to the following described property, to-wit:

The electric light plant of the said Augusta Sugar Co., Ltd., installed in its mill and factory at or near Barbreeck, in the Parish of St. Landry, consisting of:

1-121-2 E. W. 125 V. 1350 rpm. C. & C. Dynamo.

1-No. 4 Jewel Automatic Nonz Engine.

1-No. 4 Circuit Switch Board.

Terms: Cash.

St. Landry, La., December 23, 1913.

W. D. HAAS, Receiver.

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