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RENEW NOW!

RAILROAD SCHEDULE

Time of Arrival and Departure of Passenger Trains from the Opelousas Station

GULF COAST LINES Eastbound Westbound 2:24 a. m. California Spec. 2:10 a. m. 2:03 p. m. Daylight Express. 1:07 p. m.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC LINES Eastbound Westbound 9:37 a. m. Local Passenger 2:44 p. m. 6:56 a. m. Local Passenger 4:54 p. m.

TEXAS AND PACIFIC Eastbound Westbound 8:05 a. m. Local Passenger 3:00 p. m.

MORE PAY FOR TEACHERS

Unless the request of the state school authorities for more money is complied with, the educational system of Louisiana is going to receive a serious blow.

The teaching profession does not hold the same attraction for men and women of ability it held several years ago.

That there is a great paucity of teachers is evident from this. The surplus—if there ever was a surplus—has taken to other work, and a great number of teachers who are really needed are following.

Only recently the Opelousas school suffered the loss of another of its best teachers, who found more profitable employment in one of the local railroad offices.

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that their legislators vote the funds needed for the maintenance of our schools, and a serious blow to the system will be averted.

PLANT MORE FOOD CROPS

The warning has been given to the South that she must feed herself. The national leaders in the agricultural work have expressed the fear the people of this section may not only seriously hamper the feeding of our soldiers and allies by failing to heed this warning, but may also suffer for the want of bare necessities.

Men who are in a position to know have said plainly that a famine will come to us if our farmers do not heed this advice and direct their energies to the production of more food.

The greatest act of folly our farmers could be guilty of would be the cultivation of an enormous acreage in cotton to the exclusion of corn, rice, and other food crops, and unquestionably it is this fear that has prompted the warning from the Department of Agriculture.

The question of raising more food crops is not only a duty, but it is a necessity. Moreover, viewed in the light of a sound business proposition, it must appeal to the judgment of sensible people.

Don't plant your whole field in cotton. See to it, insofar as you are concerned, that St. Landry's bumper cotton crop of over 30,000 bales in 1917 has been wisely diminished and you have food for yourself your farm needs, and some to spare.

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Princess Theatre

The House of Better Photoplays Cooled by Giant Typhoon Zepherus

Success comes to the nation that believes it's going to win the war. Sitting in a corner and worrying is just as dangerous as German submarines.

PROGRAM WEEK MONDAY MARCH 4

Monday, March 4—Wm. Fox presents FOX KIDDIES in the wonder picture, "Babes in the Woods," the gigantic film production of the famous fairy tale.

Tuesday, March 5—Triangle presents WM. DESMOND and CLAIRE McDOWELL in "Fighting Back," a big story of the Mexican border that will thrill you immensely.

Wednesday, March 6—Wm. Brady presents MADGE EVANS and LEW FIELDS in "The Corner Grocer," a good drama with much humor and pathos.

Thursday, March 7—Triangle presents GEO. HERNANDEZ, an all-star Triangle in "Up or Down," a drama that will live up to the Triangle standard.

Friday and Saturday, March 8 and 9—Wm. Fox presents FRANCES CARPENTER and VIRGINIA CORBIN, with 1600 other Fox Kiddies in the 8-reel standard picture, "Aladdin and His Wonderful Lamp."

Sunday, March 10—Wm. Brady presents MONTAGUE LOVE and DOROTHY KELLY in "The Awakening," a strong drama of society and its ways.

Coming soon: FATTY ARBUCKLE in "Out West," W. S. HART in "The Silent Man."

ber, however, that the government of this great republic has as much right to say to you as a farmer; plant so many acres of corn, potatoes, etc., as it has to say to men between the 21 and 31 years of age: come boys, we need you for the army.

INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTE ACTIVE IN WAR WORK

Radio Class Progressing Nicely, as is School in Cabinet Making—All Interested in Red Cross

The class in Radio or Buzzer telegraphy for drafted men conducted at Southwestern Louisiana Industrial Institute in response to the War Department's request for 15,000 trained operators, has completed its fourth week of instruction and practice.

A like response has been made by Southern Institute to the War Department's call for the training of drafted men in cabinet making and carpenter work, for service in building airplanes.

Southwestern Institute went 100 per cent "over the top" last week at the conclusion of the drive for membership in the Junior Red Cross, winning a place on the honor roll of the state, by having every student in school and every member of the faculty join.

Many so-called remedies for anaemia are only so in name. Their makers are afraid to prove their claims by telling what their medicines contain.

derived from the 25c membership fees of students joining the French Red Cross will be expended in the purchase of materials to be sent to France—in the same manner as in the case of the American Red Cross.

SUCCESSION SALE

ESTATE OF HERMINA GALLOTT No. 6276. Probate Docket, Sixteenth Judicial District Court, St. Landry Parish, La.

By virtue of an order of the Honorable B. H. Pavy, Judge of the Sixteenth Judicial District Court, St. Landry Parish, La., bearing date January 29th, 1918, and in pursuance to a commission to me directed by the Clerk of said Court, there will be sold, at Public Auction, to the last and highest bidder, by the undersigned, at the front door of the Court House of the City of Opelousas, La., on

SATURDAY, MARCH 9, 1918, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit: A certain tract or parcel of land situated in Inlet, in this parish, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, containing seventy five (75) arpents.

FOR SALE At a bargain on account of making changes. One 50-horse power boiler and one 25-horse power center crank Erie City Engine with two driving pulleys, suitable for driving irrigation pumps or any other purpose.

TAKEN UP—One bay mare between five and six years of age taken up by the undersigned on his premises in Bellevue, near Shuteston, about three weeks ago.

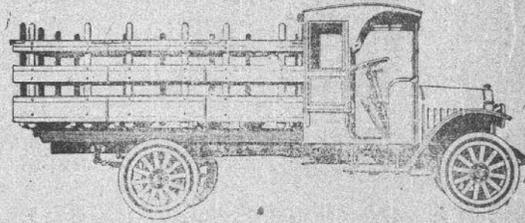
TRUMEN RICHARD, Bellevue, near Shuteston. feb-23-3t

VINOL MAKES GOOD BLOOD Positive—Convincing Proof Many so-called remedies for anaemia are only so in name.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC No hunting or trespassing allowed on the Atwood or Splane Plantation, 2 miles Southwest of Opelousas.

DR. J. A. SHAW, Opelousas, La. feb 2 4t

You Save \$400 When You Buy a Maxwell Truck



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For it is that much less than any other truck of similar capacity in the world. See what you get, too, in the Maxwell: not only a rugged, sturdy, tug-boat truck, but one that weighs only 2400 pounds.

\$985, chassis only, f. o. b. Detroit. Electric lights. Electric generator. Worm drive. 10-foot loading space. 2400 pounds.

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This Corn Will Peel Right Off!

"Gets-It" Makes Corns Come Off The "Banana-Peel" Way!



Opelousas Drug Store.

LOCAL ADS

FOR SALE CHEAP—A good second-hand piano. Address P. O. Box 82, City. sep22ft

LAND FOR SALE—If you want to buy or sell land or town property write me, or come and see me. I can either buy or sell your land, or town property. GUS E. DUPRE, Opelousas, La. feb 3

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN FOR CASH—One soda fountain, almost new, carbonator, stools, tables, chairs and show cases. In fact complete outfit. Phone or write The Candy Kitchen, Opelousas, La. feb 3 2t.

If you want a beautiful piano in exchange for \$50.00 and a good milk cow, phone 359. Will also give three months music lessons free to a beginner in the trade. Phone 359.

WANTED AT ONCE—25 wood choppers. Will pay \$1.25 per cord. Apply to Lawrence Morrhineer, at the Opelousas Ice and Bottling Works. feb 9ft

WANTED TO PURCHASE—From four to eight yoke work oxen. Write this office or P. O. Box 482, Opelousas, La. feb-23-3t

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC Anyone caught cutting or hauling wood off Mrs. Antoine Close's wood land, situated on Bayou Teche, will be dealt with according to law. JOS. LAFOND, Jan 19 2mo Opelousas, La.

Reading of the minutes of last meeting dispensed with. On motion of Max Budden, seconded by Jim Charles, be it ordained by the Board of Aldermen in regular session that budget for the year 1918, for the village of Palmetto, La., be adopted as follows, to-wit: Mayor \$30.00 Marshal 240.00 Aldermen 72.00 Treasurer 24.00 Clerk 60.00 Street Commissioner 72.00 Emergency fund 50.00 Street and Sidewalks 150.00 Attorney 30.00 Adopted December 4th, 1917. R. W. CLARK, Mayor. Attest:

The Quinine That Does Not Affect the Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE BRONCO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in the head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of H. W. GROVE, Sec.

Stockholders' Meeting. Notice is hereby given, that in accordance with the provisions of the charter of The Clarion Company, Limited, a meeting of the stockholders of this corporation will be held on Monday, March 11, 1918, at the office of the said company, in the city of Opelousas, La., for the purpose of electing five directors to serve for the ensuing twelve months, and to transact such other business as may come before the meeting. JOHN W. LEWIS, President.