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Marriage Licenses.

Rossie Hammond to Alma Dillar, Bogalusa.

Dewey Mitchell to addie Singletary, Bogalusa.

Ted Pittman to Pansy Balaskie, Bogalusa.

Jerry Bennett to Viola Gale, Bogalusa.

Elmer Roger to Mary Morris, Bogalusa.

K. C. Rester to Marie Adams, Bogalusa.

Mack McKenney to Mariah Peters, Bogalusa.

Edward. M. Adams, Jacksonville, Fla., to Lucille Mackie, Bogalusa.

A. C. Williams, Zona, to Amy Simmons, Franklinton.

Hosie Warren to Jessie Burkhalter, Franklinton.

Dolphen Moore to Edna Thomas, Franklinton.

O. E. Briggs, Kansas City, Mo., to Lois Strokes, New Orleans.

W. E. Pope, Angie, to Bessie Boone, Varnado, La.

F. W. King to Nancy Smith, Warnerton.

Will Roberts, Angie, to Annie Walker, Varnado.

Allen Cooper to Lillian James, Bogalusa.

J. A. Ball, Angie, to Mildred Brown, Bogalusa.

E. B. Curry to Victoria Lee, Bogalusa,

Charlie Earl to Mattie Brooker, Bogalusa.

Clifton Baham, Franklinton, to Ollie May Miller, Mt. Hermon.

Wm. Singley, Columbus, Miss., to Neva Rester, Varnado, La.

Wm. M. Fareman, to Ruby J. Slave, Bagalusa.

Carlos W. Knight to Lucy Thomas, Hackley.

Arther Adams to Laura Nobles, Bogalusa.

Ora Bickham to Effie Warner, Hackley.

Herbert A. Bickham, Warnerton, to Alberta Valliant, Mt. Herman.

Cubans are the world's champion sugar eaters. The annual per capita consumption of the republic is 112 pounds. Australia's per capita ecnsumption is 100 pounds. Each year Americans use more sugar, the per capita consumption having increased from 50 pounds in 1885 to 90 pounds in 1921.

Real Estate Deals.

L. E. Schilling to J. W. Schilling, 35 acres of land, Sec. 17-1-9, $900.

Wm. Bailey to Wm. Granger, one acre of land in Sec. 11-3-13, $75.00.

Wm Granger to W. G. Dorsey, one acre of land in Sec. 11-3-13, $150.00

Joe Messina to Leon Fontano, lot 10, block 1, in S E. Richardson Addition to Bogalusa, $20.

A. L. Morgan to R. M, Ritchey, 296 acres of land, Sec. 15-3-13, $350.

Bogalusa Lodge No. 1338, B. P. O. E. to J. H. Cassidy, a lot of land situated in Northeast Bogalusa, $1000.

J. H. Cassidy to Bogalusa Lodge No. 1338 B. P. O. E., lots 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30, block 64, $30,000.00.

First State Bank to Lillie G. Blanchard, a lot of land situated in City of Bogalusa, $30,000.00.

First State Bank to Lillie G. Blanchard, a lot of land situated in City of Bogalusa.

R. Blanchard to First State Band, a lot of land situated in City of Bogalusa, $1000.

Great Southern Lumber Co., to First State Bank, a lot of land in City of Bogalusa, $1500.

W. D. Mages and wife to Mrs. Bertha G. Stafford, a portion of land, Sec. 3-4-11 and headright 54-4-11, $600.

L. A. Pierce to R. C, Breland, lot 3, block 20, of the L. A. Pietce addition to Bogalusa, $140.

J. W. Caraway to Dr. C. F. Amacker, lot 1, block 57, in the City of Bogalusa, $3750.00.

G. W. Seal to Mrs. K. Seal, lot 260 and 261 in Village of Varnado, $75.00.

H. G. Johnston to Consolidated Gravel and Supply Corporation, Inc., a certain tract situated near Varnado, La., $44,000.

I. M. Duncan to Lampton Bros., Co., Sec. 35.1-9, $1200.

M. W. Ott to J. H. Helmers to P. W. Lindsley, a portion of land in headright 45-3 12 and Sec. 45-3-12, $1326.80.

Great Southern Lumber Co., to D. R. Johnson a lot of ground in Northwest Bogalusa, $1500.

Sill Herring to N. B. Ford, lot 31, Village of Angie, $200.

Tanlac, the celebrated medicine, is sold by Babington's Drug Store.

December Cotton Report.

The Crop Reporting Board of the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates of the United States Department of Agriculture estimates, from the reports of the correspondents and agents of the Bureau, that the total production of cotton in the United States for the season 1921-22 will amount to 3,989,403,000 pounds (not including linters), equivalent to 8,340,000 bales of 500 pounds, gross weight (478.3 pounds lint and 21.7 bagging and ties estimated per 500-pound gross weight bale.)

Total production in 1920 was 13439,603 bales; in 1919, 11,420,763 bales; in 1918, 12,040,532 bales; in 1917, 11,302,375 bales, in 1916, 11,449,930 bales; in 1915, 11,191,820 bales; and in 1914, 16,134,930 bales.

The average weight per running bale is estimated at 497.8 pounds gross, compared with 506.4 pounds in 1920, 504.2 pounds in 1919, 505.6 pounds in 1918, and 505 0 pounds, the average for the preceding five years.

Reports of the Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates do not include "linters", which are a product obtained at mills from the seed. The production of "linters" is about 8.6 per cent as much as the lint production.

The total production in Louisiana in 1921 is estimated at 295,000 bales; total production in 1920 was 387,663 bales; in 1919, 279-681 bales; in 1918 587,717 bales; in 1919, 638,729 bales; in 1916, 443,182 bales; in 1915, 341,063 bales. The five year average of production is 461,674 bales.

The average price paid in Louisiana in 1921 was 15 cents per pound and in 1920 a little less, 14.8 cents per pound.

Auction and Sale to be Held Farmers Week.

A beef cattle sale and corn auction will be the features on the closing day of the State Corn Show and Farmers' Week at the Louisiana State University, January 9-14, 1922.

The corn sale will be in charge of F. W. Spencer, corn club agent of the University extension department, who has asked growers of the leading varities of seed corn to bring five bushel samples of ear corn to the show. It is thought that with such a large number of promiuent farmers and breeders present a great deal of good seed corn will be sold, and many orders booked for future delivery.

The consignment sale of beef cattle will be handled by C. C. Chapman, beef cattle specialist of the University extension division, who states that a great deal of interest has been taken by growers of the three leading beef cattle breeds. It is expected that a large number of cattle will change hands. Mr. Chapman is of the opinion that there was never a more propitious time to buy purebred beef cattle, as a foundation herd can be secured at half the price the animals are worth.

According to estimates of the conptroller of the treasury, American savings banks deposits now total $6,500,000,000, as against $300,000,000 before the World War. But in the last year there has been a decline of billion dollars. The government is paying almost a billion dollars a year interest on Liberty and Victory Bonds, and thirty-two million dollars a year interest on war saving stamps.

Shipment of buggies just received.

M. I. Hennessy.

New Treasury Certificates Now Ready.

Demand for the new issue of Treasury Savings Certificates has far exceeded the expectations of the Saving Division of the Treasury Department. W. Irving Glover, Third Assistant Postmaster General, announced today that he had received requests by telegraph and mail from more than 150 first and second class offices calling for additional supplies of the Saving Certificate of the three denominations of $25, $100 and $1,000.

The new certificates are issued on a discount basis, and have been placed on sale in the 800 first-class and 2800 second class offices. The selling prices which have been announced are $20 for the $25 certificates, $80 for the $100 and $800 for the $1,000. The certificates will mature in five years from date of sale, and if held to maturity yield interest at the rate of about 4 1-2 % per annum, compounded semi annually. One of the attractive features is the fact that the certificates can be redeemed at any time upon presentation and surrender at the Treasury Department, and in that event yield interest at the rate of about 3 1-2% per annum, compounded semi-annually. The limit of holding has been increased from $1,000 to $5,000 maturity value of certificates purchased in any one calendar year,

The Postoffice Department announces that the new issue of certificats will be on sale in 12,000 postoffices before January 1, 1922. Postmasters throughont the country are most enthusiastic over the new securities, third assistant Postmaster General Glover said, and the Stamp Division with its large staff of clerks is kept busy supplying the demands for additional supplies of the certificates.

The Crucial Test.

A man isn't really henpecked until his wife can make him go upstairs and change his socks after he has put on his hat to go out.—Arkansaw Thomas Cat.

Indigestion

Many persons, otherwise vigorous and healthy, are bothered occasionally with indigestion. The effects of a disordered stomach on the system are dangerous, and prompt treatment of indigestion is important. "The only medicine I have needed has been something to aid digestion and clean the liver," writes Mr. Fred Ashby, a McKinney, Texas, farmer. "My medicine is

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Notice.

I, John Sutton, having been convicted on a charge of murder without capital punishment on June 25, 1919 and sentenced to the State Penitentiary, expect to make application for a pardon before the Pardon Board of this state.

John Sutton.

General News In Brief.

Wolf Lindenfeld, held in in Poland for implicity in the Wall street bomb outrage, denied his guilt and said revenge caused his arrest.

Bishop Henry Clay Morrison of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South once of New Orleans, died at Leesburg, Fla.

Representative Aswell of Louisiana scored the proposed anti-lynching bill as unconstitutional, and declared it would incite mob rule.

The Mississippi Supreme Court granted a supersedea in the fire insurance cases, the verdict being a victory for the companies.

Attorney General Daugherty ordered a federal probe of retail prices in food, fuel, shoes and clothing.

Six Gulfport, Miss., residents were rescued near the mouth of the Rio Grande river after being adrift on a yacht eight days.

Wreaths of Christmas holly were laid on ihe graves of all unidentified American dead.

Continuation of an American force in Haiti was urged unanimously by the Senate committee of investigation.

Bolivia demanded of Chile that Chile and Peru, in solving their geographical dispute, allow Bolivia free access to the sea.

Colonel Henry Watterson, famed editor of the old school, died in Florida after a brief illness.

Eugene V. Debs was released from prison and left for Washing to see Attorney Daugherty.

No state had power to prohibit the courts from enjoining picketing during strikes, the Supreme Court held in deciding an Arizona case.

The government won its suit to compel members of the American Hardwood Manufactures' Association to cease monopolistic practices.

Treasury officials announced that business conditions in the United States and Europe showed continued improvement.

Seven negroes and one white man were reported killed and a score of persons injured when a tornado struck Clarkedale, Ark.

President Harding granted clemency to Eugene V. Debs and twenty three others, effective Christmas Day.

Governor Parket granted pardons to several convicts upon recommendation of the State Pardon Board.

The outstanding Liberty bonds increased in market value nearly $1,750,000,000 during 1921, it was estimated.

Sixteen persons were reported dead and scores injured when a tornado swept North Louisiana and Mississippi Saturday.

Governor Parker announced he would propose, if necessary, that the state construct gas pipe lines as public utilities.

The Dail Eireann suspended debate on the British till January 3, the vote showing a majority in favor of ratification.

Purchases of 20,000,000 worth of food for starving Russians under the congressional appropriation would begin at once, Secretary Hoover said.

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