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Women who reach the age of 100 years exceed men by a ratio of 5 to 3.

Wood from the bamboo tree is used for more than 300 known purposes. The oldest national flag in the world is that of Denmark which has been in use since 1219.

A woman holding the position of lieutenant in the Turkish National Army is an innovation in the history of Turkey.

Under an act of 1884, all farmers sustaining losses thru the floods and crevasses this spring do not have to pay their 1922 taxes for a year. Any sufferers who availed themselves of this extension, however, must file a sworn statement with tax collector setting forth the nature and extent of the overflow or calamity as affecting his property.

Writing was an art practiced in Crete, 2,000 years B. C.

Sheriff's Sale

11th Judicial District Court within and for the Parish of Natchitoches State of Louisiana

W. F. Johnson vs Phillis Edwards Cause No. 16992

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale issued out of the 11th Judicial District Court within and for the parish of Natchitoches Louisiana in the above entitled and numbered cause and dated May 4th 1922, I have seized and taken into my possession and will offer for sale at the front door of the Court House in the City of Natchitoches on

SATURDAY JUNE 17th 1922 at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property to-wit: That certain lot of ground in the city of Natchitoches in the Parish of Natchitoches in the State of Louisiana, measuring 120 feet front on Lake Street and running south between parallel lines 300 feet bounded by Lake Street South by property of P. T. Hodges, East by property of Richard blount and West by Peter Weatherford and others together with all buildings thereon, the same being the separate paraphernal property of Phillis Edwards.

Terms of Sale: Cash for what it will bring.

J. W. PAYNE, Sheriff Natchitoches Parish, La. M-11th

PROCLAMATION

Pursuant to a resolution passed by the Natchitoches Parish School Board of Natchitoches Parish, Louisiana, at a meeting held on the 11th day of April, 1922, I, Z. T. Gallion, Jr., President of the said Parish School Board, do hereby give notice that a special election will be held in the Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, on the 23rd day of May, 1922, for the purpose of submitting to the property taxpayers qualified under the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana to vote at said election, the following proposition to-wit:

To levy a special tax of two and one-half mills on the dollar on all the property in Natchitoches Parish, Louisiana, subject to State taxation, annually, for a period of two years, beginning with the year 1922 and ending with the year 1923, for the purpose of giving additional aid to the public schools.

For the purpose of said special election the polling places will be Natchitoches Precinct 1, Natchitoches Precinct 2, Ashland, Chestnut, Goldonna, Strange, Mesick, Powhatan, Grappes Bluff, Campi, Clarence, Marchville, Beulah, Ajax, Spanish Lake, Robeline, Shady Grove, Provencal, Vowels Mills, Kistachie, Mora, Gorum, Natches, Cypress, Montrose, Chopin, Cloutierville, Marco, and the following three commis-

sioners and clerks of election are appointed to each respective polling place: Natchitoches Precinct 1. John H. Keyser, A. T. Ortmyer, Miss Gladys Breasale, Miss Addie Tausin and Mrs. Ada Jack Carver.

Natchitoches Precinct 2. Miss Carmen Breasale, Mrs. Emma J. Cunningham, Mrs. Bessie Levy Suddath, D. J. Hyams.

Ashland: R. W. Wagley, D. D. Weaver, W. W. Rigdon, Pat. Coffey. Chestnut: W. W. Weaver, Chas. S. Weaver, C. J. Pullin, Henry W. Woolley. Goldonna: W. A. Godwin, E. E. Easley, W. A. Harris, E. L. Brewton.

Strange: J. H. Johnson, M. J. Region, Albert Williams, S. R. Weaver. Mesick: J. H. Ross, W. I. Williams, O. J. Weaver, J. A. Wafer.

Powhatan: R. W. Yarbrough, Bob Clark, P. W. Williams, W. A. Chamberger. Grappes Bluff: J. J. Copelliar, W. T. Young, E. A. Grappes, Willis Dees.

Campi: F. C. Reschmer, Mrs. Ida B. Tear, A. M. Gilles, H. O. Wimberley. Clarence: E. E. Arledge, John H. Cockran, Leo Dunkelmann, A. A. Ragan.

Marchville: A. S. Hogan, B. T. Locke, Julius Dixon, E. M. Campbell. Beulah: Frank Sanders, Frank James, Carl Knott, Peter Olive.

Ajax: C. J. Walker, Mac. Thompson, H. H. Parker, Robert J. Durr. Spanish Lake: Crit. Flores, Mitchell O'conn, Tony Solice, Bennie Flores.

Robeline: G. C. English, Luther, Page J. V. Winn, T. B. Sellers. Shady Grove: J. A. Beasley, George Leach, S. L. O'Bannon, P. A. Roonca.

Provencal: W. L. Hawthorne, H. R. Hawthorne, S. L. Donaho, L. A. Treadway. Vowels Mill: J. N. Norworthy, John Cannady, G. W. Cobb, J. E. Holland.

Kistachie: R. J. Volentine, S. W. Dowden, Ben Key, G. A. Kile. Mora: W. S. Wise, I. H. Bolton, F. H. Bolton, Jr., J. M. Marshall.

Gorum: E. M. Rachal, B. D. Hogan, J. D. Basco, W. C. Kelly. Natches: Ed. C. Prudhomme, Isadore Friedman, Louis Rachal, B. H. Sandlin.

Cypress: J. D. Salter, Ernest Melincan, Henry Simpson, T. L. Weaver. Marco: M. L. DeLacerda, Frank B. Dean, Fred Huthchance, E. DeLacerda.

At said special election polls will open at seven o'clock a. m. and close at six o'clock p. m. and the election will be conducted in accordance with the laws of Louisiana applicable thereto.

Notice is also given that at 12:00 o'clock M. of the 16th day of May, 1922, the said Parish School Board of the Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, will meet at Natchitoches, Louisiana and in open session proceed to open the ballot boxes, examine and count the ballots in number and amount, examine and canvass the returns, and declare the result of said special election.

This 17th day of April, 1922. (Signed) Z. T. GALLION, JR., President.

Section 7. Be it further ordained etc., That the special election herein

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and hereby provided for shall be held and conducted and the returns thereof shall be made under the provisions of Act 256 of 1910 and amendments thereof, and such other laws as may be applicable. Upon motion, duly seconded, the Board adjourned.
Z. T. GALLION, JR., President.
C. E. HOOPER, Secretary.

Succession Sale

Succession W. L. McKnight 11th D. C. 3148
By virtue of an order of the Honorable 11th District Court of date May 5, 1922 issued in the above succession to me directed and to that effect I will sell at succession sale at public auction at 11 o'clock A. M. on SATURDAY, JUNE 17th, 1922, the following property belonging to

said succession viz: Lot 5 described on a map recorded in clerk's office in book 123 P 442 which lot is bounded north by Fleming Lake, south by Red River, east by lot 8 on said map assigned to Brizalie McKnight Cloutier and west by lot 4 on said map assigned to Jesse McKnight Prudhomme, containing 68.17 acres together with all sand bar and accretions to which said lot may be entitled. Terms of sale, cash for not less than two thirds (2-3) of appraisement.
MRS. L. C. MCKNIGHT, Administratrix.

Farming methods change like styles and if you don't adopt yourself to the style you are out of date, says a successful farmer, and being out of date in farming spells failure. Farming doesn't require all brawn and muscle; it requires intelligence and judgment chiefly.

Mr. Aswell and the Senate

Though the election still is more than two years off political gossip in the country begins to concern itself with the senatorial contest of November, 1924, when a successor to Mr. Ransdell is to be elected.

There has been frequent mention of the name of Representative J. B. Aswell of the Eighth district and many of his admirers have been pressing him to indicate a willingness to be a candidate.

We are glad, however, to note from Alexandria dispatches that Mr. Aswell has no intention at this time to run for the Senate, confirming our own information from him. We commend his decision.

The Eighth district representative is one of the ablest members of the Louisiana delegation, and, indeed, one of the leaders of the House. He has made a fine record of attentiveness to his duties, service to his constituents and devotion to the interests of the Democratic party. If elected, he would adorn the Senate. Still young, in the maturity of his powers, we hope eventually to see him rewarded by transference to the higher body of Congress.

But we think in his present position he is placed to render infinitely more service to Louisiana and the South than if he became Mr. Ransdell's successor.

If the current of American public opinion based on the pathetic failure of the Republican party to live up to its pledges, is to be relied on there is every reason to expect the next House, to be elected in November, will be Democratic.

In that event Mr. Aswell, almost certainly, will become the chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, of which he is the ranking Democratic member. This committee is recognized as one of the most important of Congress, and Mr. Aswell at its head would have a rare opportunity to render inestimable service not only to his district and state but to the South as a whole. We think he feels that, even at the sacrifice of a not unworthy ambition, he owes a duty to the Democratic party of the South not to deprive it of this important chairmanship.

Mr. Aswell can afford to wait the greater reward of his unusually capable public service. His career has been one of steady progress. He was born a poor boy in the hills of Jackson parish. He began to earn his own living even before he reached his teens, first in his native parish and later in the adjoining parish of Lincoln. With an ambition for education he worked his way through the Grammar School of his section and then worked his own way through Vanderbilt University, returning to Louisiana each summer and teaching school in the Pine Hills. After taking a post graduate course at Vanderbilt he returned to Louisiana to teach school, eventually rising to the presidency of the Industrial Institute of Ruston, of which he made a success despite the poverty of the appropriations provided for it.

In 1904 at the solicitation of Senator Foster, Gov. Blanchard drafted him for the State Superintendentcy of Education and he served more progressively or efficiently in that office to which he was re-elected in 1908. Still later Gov. Sanders persuaded him, in a crisis in the affairs of the State Normal School, to resign the position and accept the presidency of that institution, and at Natchitoches, with over 2000 pupils, he repeated his success of Ruston, with never a breath of scandal attaching to his administration. Subsequently, in 1912, running as an independent Democrat in a party primary for Governor, with the support of neither political organization, he polled a phenomenal vote among the people who knew him best and was defeated without dishonor.

Since 1913 he has been in Congress and risen there to a commanding position in his party, having the respect not only of his party colleagues but those of opposite faith and the officials of all the departments of the Government service.

With such a record he is entitled to promotion. But with the prospect of Democratic success in the nation in November, we should prefer not to see him enter a campaign for the Senate in 1924 when by remaining in Congress he will have such an opportunity as rarely comes to a Louisianian to serve his people, and indeed, the farming element of the entire country.—States.

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