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## NORMAL ALUMNI ASS'N. OF NATCHITOCHE PARISH

It is known by all graduates of the Louisiana State Normal College that the Alumni of this institution maintain a loan fund for the education of deserving and needy students at the Normal. From this fund approximately one hundred and twenty loans are made annually.

At a meeting of the Normal Alumni Association in New Orleans last April, it was decided to raise the loan fund to \$25,000 within the next five years. It now totals \$10,600.

This fund has grown to its present size from the payment of yearly and life dues by some of the Alumni. There are 3,700

graduates of the Normal but only 296 are Life Members—just 8 per cent. When 42 per cent of the ones who are not life members will pay their life dues (\$10) within two years, the goal of \$25,000 will be reached. Yearly dues are \$1.00.

The reasons are obvious why the Alumni of Natchitoches Parish should set the pace in attaining the goal. We give below the names of the ones in this parish who are Life Members. This list together with the names of the others who may pay their dues before the meeting of the Association during the Louisiana Teachers' Association meeting from November 30th to December 2nd, inclusive, will be printed again in the Natchitoches papers.

According to our present mailing list, there are 321 Normal

graduates in Natchitoches Parish. Count the number of Life Members in it.

Dues should be sent or handed to the secretary-treasurer.

L. J. Alleman, Dr. Joe Bath, Carmen Breazeale, Katherine Breazeale, Robt. E. Chapin, C. M. Cuningham, Martha Felts, Maude Funderburk, J. E. Guardia, Bertha Haupt, Verbie Jacob, Bertha Kaffie, Edna Kaffie, Harold Kaffie, Mrs. Joseph Leveque, Elina Levy, Ette Levy, Yolande Melancon, Isa Nellie Nash, Augusta Nelken, Fannie Nelken, Lillian Nelken, Roberts Nelken, Anna Ruth Nuttall, Mrs. N. E. Pearson, E. C. Peters, J. O. Pettiss, Dr. M. H. Phelps, Robt J. Phillips, Una Prudhomme, Julia Rogers, J. D. Rusca, Res-iv V. Russell, Scharlie Russell, Gratia Smith, Mrs. Joseph S. Stephens, Mrs. D. L. Suddath, Mrs. W. W. Tison, W. W. Tison, Mrs. R. A. Wagley, Thelma Zelenka.

W. W. TISON, Sec.-treas., La. State Normal College Alumni Ass'n.

### Catholic Woman's Club Rooms

The Catholic Woman's Club has remodeled the lower story of the historic old Priests' house which has sheltered many notables during the many decades it has stood in the old Bishopric square, into a modern suite of club rooms with every convenience for the many activities in which it is engaged these days. The rooms where the meetings are held are most attractive. Walls, draperies and furnishings in ivory, while the others are fresh and neat in different design and color schemes.

The sale of antiques, furniture, bric-a-brac, jewelry, etc., is carried on in a room set aside for this purpose, while a fully equipped kitchen is the delight of the members, for it will do away with all the trouble and worry and expense incident whenever dinners or lunches are given for benefit purposes.

The remodeling and painting of both Cathedral and club house were under the splendid supervision of Mr. Percy Prudhomme, contractor.

### A Classified Ad.

**WANTED**—One hundred thousand and citizens of the Southwest, men, women or children, to pledge themselves to plant one tree between now and the last of February, nut and fruit trees preferred. Must be vigorous stock, planted properly, watered carefully until able to shift alone. To all such being provident in the best sense, says Holland's, we guarantee the gratitude of rising generations and the song of birds.

### The Crop Balance

The American corn crop this season is valued at more than \$1,000,000,000. So is the cotton crop. So is the hay crop. The wheat crop, of which so much is made, is inferior to all of this royal trio, but should bring three-quarters of a billion. The value of all agricultural crops together is estimated at \$6,600,000,000, which may look small compared with war-time valuations, but is a billion and a quarter larger than last year.

That extra billion and a quarter, put into circulation, is going to be one of the biggest factors in re-establishing American prosperity after the sad slump of the last year or two. That is—if the farmers are able to market their products at the estimated prices. It is going to be very important to do nothing, at home or abroad, tending to increase the difficulties of finding a market.

The largest sum ever won by an owner in the course of a single racing season in England was won by the Duke of Portland with his two horses, Donovan and Ayrshire. The amount was in excess of \$365,000.

## SCHOOL BOARD PROCEEDINGS

Proceedings of the Natchitoches Parish School Board at a special meeting, held in the city of Natchitoches, Louisiana, on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1922, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m.

The Natchitoches Parish School Board met in special session in the city of Natchitoches, Louisiana, on Wednesday, the 18th day of October, 1922, in the office of the said board, with the following members present: Z. T. Gallion, Jr., R. I. Pullin, A. L. Messick, C. C. Hattaway, J. W. Ingram and J. S. Rachal. There were absent: L. W. Jacob, J. E. Hawthorne, Sam'l Friedman, M. Barron.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Hattaway, seconded by Mr. Ingram:

That the Assessor of Natchitoches Parish, Mr. E. L. Scarborough be directed to extend the special school taxes of Natchitoches Parish on his roll of 1922, as follows:

Parish Wide	2 mills
District No. 9 (Bond)	5 "
Ashland Building Tax	5 "
District No. 3 (Bond)	4 "
District No. 5 (Marthaville Bond)	12 "
Provincial Building Tax	34 "
Bellwood	5 "
Vowells Mill	5 "
Kisatchie	34 "
District No. 6 (Flora Bond)	4 "
District No. 2 (Cypress Bond)	6 "
District No. 2 (Maintenance)	2 "
Readhimer Special Tax	24 "
District No. 11, Maintenance	24 "
District No. 12	5 "
District No. 13	5 "
District No. 14	3 "
District No. 28	5 "
District No. 29	5 "
District No. 30	5 "
District No. 32	5 "
District No. 16	5 "
District No. 17	5 "
District No. 18	24 "
District No. 19	11 "
District No. 33	5 "
District No. 34	3 "
District No. 35	34 "
District No. 13	5 "
District No. 36	34 "
District No. 37	31 "
District No. 38	9 "
District No. 8 (Ajax Bond)	9 "

Carried unanimously. Resolution by Mr. Hattaway, seconded by Mr. Ingram:

That the following gentlemen Messrs L. Rapier, E. C. Readhimer and W. B. Few, with ward director, C. Hattaway, be appointed to serve as building committee for the new brick building which will soon begin to be erected for the Campitt High School in Campitt.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Ingram, seconded by Mr. Hattaway:

That the school at Allen, in ward 5, be restored and that the Superintendent provide a teacher for the school without delay.

Carried unanimously. Resolution by Mr. Ingram, seconded by Mr. Pullin:

That the action of the building committee for the Kisatchie School District No. 35, for the erection of an auditorium for the Kisatchie school, as per plans and specifications on file in the School Board office, be ratified and that the bid of Mr. L. H. Spears, amounting to \$2550.00 be accepted, and that he be required to furnish bond in the amount of 50 per cent of the contract price.

Resolved further: That the President and the Secretary be, and they are hereby authorized to negotiate loans from the Exchange Bank, the Peoples Bank and the Merchants & Farmers Bank, for the sum of \$250,000 and that the taxes accruing from said district No. 35, be pledged to pay said loan. Carried unanimously.

Resolution by Mr. Messick, seconded by Mr. Pullin:

That as it is now 12 o'clock m., that the Board proceed to canvass the returns of the three elections which were held in School District Nos. 36, 37 and 38, ward 8. Carried unanimously.

### FORM OF PROCES VERBAL OF CANVASS OF RETURNS

Be it known and remembered, That on this the 18th day of October, 1922, at 12 o'clock m., in accordance with Ordinance No. of the Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, enacted on the 29th day of Aug., 1922, notice of which was issued and published according to law, the undersigned members of the Natchitoches Parish School Board of Natchitoches Parish, Louisiana, being a quorum thereof, met in public session in the office of said board in said parish and according to law opened the ballot boxes used in, and which were received from the commissioners of the election held on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, 1922, in School District No. 36, in accordance with said ordinance, and there proceeded to count the ballots both in number and amount, for and against, to determine the proposition to levy a 3 1/2 mills (\$0.034) special tax on all the property subject to taxation in School District No. 36, parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, annually, for a period of five years, for the purpose of giving additional aid to the public schools of the said school district.

The result of said count was 8 ballots and \$3,965.00 dollars in favor of said proposition, and no ballots and no dollars against said proposition; and therefore, the majority in both number and amount cast by the property taxpayers of the said school district No. 36 in the parish of Natchitoches Parish, Louisiana, being in favor thereof; and

At the same time and place we did examine and canvass the returns as evidenced by the duplicate tally sheets and duplicate compiled statements, the correctness of both being sworn to by the commissioners, according to law, and finding also that the returns indicated a majority both in number and amount of property in favor of said proposition.

Therefore, we declare that the result of the said election is in favor of the proposition to levy a 3 1/2 mills (\$0.034) special tax on all the property subject to taxation in School District No. 36, Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, annually, for a period of five years, for the purpose of giving additional aid to the public schools of the said school district.

And, in accordance with law, a promulgation of the aforesaid results was prepared, and the Secretary of the Natchitoches Parish School Board was ordered to have a copy of the same signed by the President, published in one issue of the official journal.

And likewise we did order that one copy of this proces verbal be sent to the Secretary of State to be recorded in the archives of the State of Louisiana; that one copy be sent to the recorder of mortgages to be recorded in the mortgage records; and that one copy be kept in the records of said school board.

This done and signed in the presence of J. A. Tarver, E. M. Rachal and A. J. Hargis, competent witnesses and electors, on this 18th day of October, 1922, at the office of the Parish School Board of Natchitoches Parish, by the undersigned members of the Parish School Board of said parish, present and participating in the canvass of the said election.

Signed by members of the Parish School Board present and voting:

Z. T. GALLION, JR.  
J. W. INGRAM  
J. S. RACHAL  
R. I. PULLIN  
C. C. HATTAWAY  
A. L. MESSICK

And the canvass of the returns of said election having been made, the result thereof was ascertained and declared to be as follows:

For said proposition	No. 8	\$3,965.00
Against said proposition	0	00.00

Majority in favor of said proposition 8 3,965.00

And the result of said election was declared to be in favor of said proposition. Thereupon, on motion of C. C. Hattaway, seconded by R. I. Pullin, the following ordinance was adopted:

### ORDINANCE OF PROMULGATION

Whereas, on the 17th day of October, 1922, an election was held in School District No. 36, in the parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, to determine the proposition to levy a 3 1/2 mills (\$0.034) special tax on all the property subject to taxation in School District No. 36, parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, annually, for a period of five years, for the purpose of giving additional aid to the public schools of the said school district. And,

Whereas, said election was held and the returns thereof were canvassed by the Parish School Board of the parish of Natchitoches according to law and notice on the 29th day of Aug., 1922, and the result of said election was declared to be as follows:

That a majority in number and amount of the taxpayers of said school district No. 36, in the parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, voted in favor of said proposition; now, therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Parish School Board of the parish of Natchitoches, in lawful session convened, that the proposition to levy a 3 1/2 mills (\$0.034) special tax on all the property subject to taxation in school district No. 36 parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, annually, for a period of five years, for the purpose of giving additional aid to the public schools of the said school district. Carried.

And said tax, as proposed, is authorized and required by law to be proceeded with and collected on all the property of said school district No. 36, in the parish of Natchitoches, La.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That the result of said election shall be promulgated by the president and secretary of the School Board by publication in one issue of the official journal of Natchitoches parish, signed by said president and secretary.

### PROMULGATION OF ELECTION

State of Louisiana, Parish of Natchitoches. By the direction of the School Board notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 17th day of October, 1922, an election was held in school district No. 36, in the parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, to determine the

Proposition to levy a 3 1/2 mills (\$0.034) special tax on all property subject to taxation in School District No. 36, parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, annually, for a period of five years, for the purpose of giving additional aid to the public schools of the said school district.

That the majority of the taxpayers voting at said election in favor of said proposition was 8 in number and \$3,965.00 dollars in amount; and that therefore said proposition was carried.

This done and signed on this the 18th day of October, 1922, at Natchitoches, Louisiana, in the parish of Natchitoches.

Z. T. GALLION, JR.  
President of Natchitoches Parish School Board.  
C. E. HOOPER,  
Secretary of Natchitoches Parish School Board.

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The result of said count was 21 bal-

lots and \$13,290.00 dollars in favor of said proposition, and — ballots and \$30.00 dollars against said proposition; and, therefore, the majority in both number and amount cast by the property taxpayers of the said School District No. 37, in the Parish of Natchitoches in said election being in favor thereof; and

At the same time and place we did examine and canvass the returns as evidenced by the duplicate tally sheets and duplicate compiled statement, the correctness of both being sworn to by the commissioners, according to law, and finding also that the returns indicated a majority both in number and amount of property in favor of said proposition.

Therefore, we declare that the result of said election is in favor of the Proposition to levy a 3 1/2 mills (\$0.034) special tax on all the property subject to taxation in School District No. 37, Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, annually, for a period of five years, for the purpose of giving additional aid to the public schools of the said school district.

And, in accordance with law, a promulgation of the aforesaid result was prepared, and the Secretary of the Natchitoches Parish School Board was ordered to have a copy of the same signed by the President, published in one issue of the official journal.

And likewise we did order that one copy of this proces verbal be sent to the Secretary of State to be recorded in the archives of the State of Louisiana; that one copy be sent to the recorder of mortgages to be recorded in the mortgage records; and that one copy be kept in the records of said school board.

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And the canvass of the returns of said election having been made, the result thereof was ascertained and declared to be as follows:

For said proposition	No. 21	\$13,290.00
Against said proposition	1	30.00

Majority in favor of said proposition 21 13,290.00

And the result of said election was declared to be in favor of said proposition. Thereupon, on motion of J. W. Ingram, seconded by J. S. Rachal, the following ordinance was adopted:

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Whereas, said election was held and the returns thereof were canvassed by the Parish School Board of the Parish of Natchitoches, according to law and notice, on the 29th day of August, 1922, and the result of said election was declared to be as follows:

That a majority in number and amount of the taxpayers of said School District No. 37, in the Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana, voted in favor of said proposition; now, therefore,

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And said tax, as proposed, is authorized and required by law to be proceeded with and collected on all the property of said school district, carried.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That the result of said election shall be promulgated by the president and secretary of the School Board by publication in one issue of the official journal of Natchitoches parish, signed by said president and secretary.

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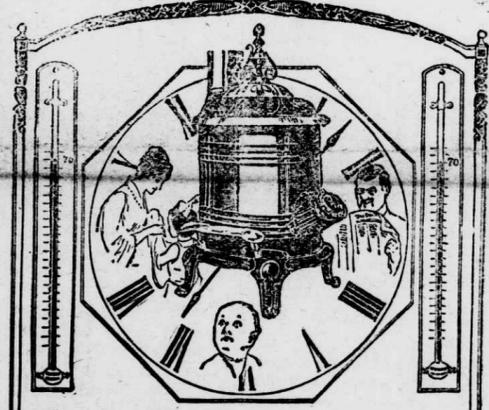
(Signed by members of the Parish School Board present and voting.)

Z. T. GALLION, JR.  
C. C. HATTAWAY  
R. I. PULLIN

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Now That School is Open  
Do You Know That You  
Can get EVERYTHING  
Boys and Girls Need  
Tablets, Paper, Stationery, Pen  
Points, Pencils, Erasers, Edison &  
Waterman Ideal Fountain Pens  
AT THE  
**City Drug Store**  
Natchitoches, La.  
Near High School and  
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SPRING**  
At Last  
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Ford front 3.50  
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Ford front 6.50  
8 PLATE  
Ford front 7.50  
9 PLATE  
**The SERVICE Garage**  
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Warm rooms to dress in—steady even heat all day—fire never out.  
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Original Air-Tight Wood Heater  
is made Air-Tight and is guaranteed to stay Air-Tight. Every joint is double sealed. That's why the fire never goes out—the perfect control gained by eliminating air leakage.  
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Made by the Company who originated the Air-Tight and Hot Blast Principles of combustion. There's a style and class to suit your needs.

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**SMART  
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ANY AND EVERY  
STYLE  
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