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LOUISIANA STATE BOARD OF HEALTH.

New Orleans, Dec. 8, 1916.
Hon. H. S. Sealy, Mayor, New Iberia, La.:

Dear Sir—You may recall that during the month of November the State Board of Health made a survey of your City in order to determine the principal breeding places of the malaria-bearing mosquito.

The details of these inspections have been verified and I am sending you a summary of same, together with recommendations. You will note that there are a large number of breeding areas, and that the measures recommended do not require a large expenditure, but may be carried out in the main by the cooperation of the City authorities and the residents. If this cooperative effort could be put into effect before the warm season of 1917, it would add greatly to the comfort of the citizens and the health of your community.

The findings are as follows:

(1) Depression—An area approximately 60'x100' crossing Henry St. about 200' west of Horne St. Contains lilies and floatage. Minnows present.

It is recommended that this depression be either cleared of lilies and floatage, and properly drained or filled in to level of ground surface.

(2) Ditch—An area approximately 3'x200' on south side of Robertson St. near and west of Jefferson Street. Contain grasses.

It is recommended that this ditch be cleared of vegetation, regarded and properly drained.

(3) Possible Breeding Areas—(a) An area approximately 70' x 200' on north side of Jane St., about 100' east of drainage canal, used as a hog wallow.

(b) Ditch, area approximately 1' x 50' on west side of Chestnut St. near and south of Jane St.

(c) Ditch, area approximately 2' x 150' on east side of Hopkins St. near and north of St. Peter Street.

(d) Ditch, area approximately 2' x 100' on south side of Washington St. near and north of Hopkins St.

(e) Depression, an area approximately 300' x 800' on north side of North St., near and west of Fulton St.

(f) Depression, an area approximately 400' x 1000' on north side of drainage canal, near and west of Washington St.

(g) Depression, an area approximately 30' x 60' on east side of Anderson St. near and south of Washington St.

(h) Ditch, area approximately 3' x 100' on north side of Second St., near and west of Lasalle St.

(i) Ditch, area approximately 2' x 10' on south side of First St. near and east of Lasalle St.

(j) Ditch, area approximately 2' x 800' on south side of St. Peter Street near and west of St. Peter Street.

(k) Ditch, area approximately 200' on west side of Iberia St. near and north of Washington St.

(l) Ditch, area approximately 200' on north side of Washington St. near and west of Julia St.

(m) Ditch, area approximately 200' on east side of Iberia St. near and south of St. Peter Street.

(n) Ditch, area approximately 200' on west side of Iberia St. near and south of Madison St.

(o) Ditch, area approximately 200' on south side of Iberia St. near and east of Iberia St.

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(p) Ditch, area approximately 3' x 4000' on east side of Ann St., starting at Main Street and crossing south.

(q) Depression, area approximately 15' x 300' on north side of S. P. Railroad, near and east of Lewis Ave.

(r) Depression, area approximately 4' x 400' on north side of S. P. Railroad, near eastern city limits.

(s) Depression, area, approximately 10' x 600' on south side of S. P. Railroad, near eastern city limits.

It is recommended that the above ditches be regarded and properly drained, and depressions filled in to level of ground surface.

(4) Culex: Culex larvae were noted in the following ditch: Area approximately 3' x 300' on east side of Vine St. near and south of Jane St. Floatage present.

It is recommended that this ditch be regarded and properly drained.

I wish also to call your attention to the large number of un-screened cisterns, and to recommend that these cisterns be properly protected with 18 mesh wire screens.

Assuring you of our appreciation of your cooperation in our efforts for better sanitary conditions, and higher health standards, I am,

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PROCEEDINGS BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

New Iberia, Dec. 11th, 1916.
The Board of Trustees of the City of New Iberia convened this day in regular session, with Mayor H. S. Sealy presiding, Messrs. Suberbielle and Villerman present.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved motion of Mr. Villerman, seconded by Mr. Suberbielle.

The following License Ordinance was introduced by Mr. Suberbielle, seconded by Mr. Villerman and adopted unanimously, and ordered published thirty days in accordance with the City Charter.

On motion of Mr. Villerman, seconded by Mr. Sealy the meeting adjourned.

H. S. SEALY, Mayor.
L. F. VILLERMIN, Clk.

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VILLA TERRATEN LOOT AND BURN IN U. S.

•El Paso, Tex., Dec. 13.—Villa announced in Chihuahua City he intended to divide his men into groups of twenty-five and distribute them along the American border and in the United States to loot and burn property under his instructions, a letter from a prominent Chihuahua City business man today stated.

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Written for The Enterprise.] PLEASANT NIGHT STROLLS.

A most delightful impromptu banquet given by the Billeau brothers at their immense sugar factory boarding house at Broussardville on Tuesday night, Dec. 12th was highly enjoyed by a small New Iberia delegation, who through the kindness of Hon. Edward Estorge were enabled to be a part of the festivities. The celebration commemorated the highly successful and profitable sugar cane season and highly satisfactory and remunerative work of the factory. What might be considered a very respectable and representative crowd represented an attendance of four parishes. Wit and humor were the principal features of the toasts delivered in most happy and felicitous style by the different post brandial orators. Such names as Father Grace and Father Dwellmeyer of Grand Coteau College, Dr. Moss and Mr. Parkerson and several Bouton's with different front names from Lafayette; a few kicking Broussard's from Broussardville; some Comeaux's, one Peter Hans, who is not only chemically, but some time physically connected with all the best sugars concentrated at that spot, Mr. Chenute who furnishes the chemicals and the analysis of the smoke, the only thing lost in the factory, Herman Simon the veteran machine artist who by a language of his own discovered by himself, can make machinery and pumps and other kind of crunching implements do any kind of stunts and work, Dr. Delaurel and a host of his associates from Broussardville, Walter Burke and Robt. J. Perry, Jules Dreyfus and Ed. Estorge from New Iberia; Albert Levert and Dr. D. C. Labbe of St. Martinsville representing the material and romantic parts of the activities of their parish, made up the material and the plot of the melodrama. No more instructive and delightful brace of hours could man imagine to have passed anywhere else in the world.

The diversification of thoughts flowing from those different sources and temperaments and angles have soothed the anger of the God of thunder and lightning. The wider and higher conception of life of the Billeau brothers, the happy and capable hosts of the occasion and their intercourse of genuine thorough friendship with their neighbors, friends and acquaintances gave occasion for the happiest expression of those who participated in the vocal part and strains of the ceremony. A bright page of a happy incident of life has been added to our book of memory.

NEW YEAR GIFTS.

The custom of New Year gift giving has grown until it has gained general favor. It provides an opportunity to give something to the overlooked friend or to send a return present to someone who remembered you at Christmas time.

SEGURA'S DRUG STORE, J. S. SEGURA, Phg., Mgr.

GERMANS ENTER BUCHAREST; RUMANIANS OUT OFF.

Berlin, Dec. 6, via Sayville.—Bucharest, capital of Rumania, has been captured, it was officially announced today. Ploechti, the important railway junction town 36 miles northwest of Bucharest, also has been taken. The capture of Ploechti on the main railway line running north from Bucharest cuts the main railway line of retreat for the Rumanian armies operating in the Bucharest region.

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BRYAN SUGGESTS WAR REFERENDUM

Washington, Dec. 7.—At a dinner given in his honor here Wednesday night William Jennings Bryan outlined reforms to which he hopes to commit the Democratic party and departed from the prepared text of his speech to advocate a referendum on proposed declarations of war.

"The experience through which Europe is passing," he said, "suggests the adoption of a constitutional amendment providing for a referendum on any declaration of war except when the country is actually invaded. This will not only be a safeguard to us but it will be an example to the nations of Europe where the right to declare war is vested in the executive instead of with the legislative body as here."

Prohibition and Woman Suffrage Indorsed.

Mr. Bryan's advocacy of nationwide prohibition and woman suffrage was loudly applauded.

Representative Bailey of Pennsylvania, a life-long friend of Mr. Bryan, launched a 1920 presidential boom for the former secretary of state amid great applause. Mr. Bryan only smiled in acknowledgement.

All of the speakers, including Senators Walsh, Phelan and Hollis and Representative Slayden of Texas, gave Mr. Bryan credit for the recent Democratic victory.

Several members of the cabinet, including Secretaries Lansing, Houston and Daniels, were present, as well as a large delegation from Congress.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, also was present.

Bryan Opposes Centralized Railroad Control.

Bryan appeared today before the joint congressional committee investigating transportation problems and opposed centralization of power in the federal government in connection with railroad suggestions for federal incorporation and the proposal to lessen the power of state railroad commissions by lodging greater power of regulation in the Interstate Commerce Commission.

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