

STOMACH TROUBLE FOR FIVE YEARS

Majority of Friends Thought Mr. Hughes Would Die, But One Helped Him to Recovery.

Pomeroyton, Ky.—In interesting advices from this place, Mr. A. J. Hughes writes as follows: "I was down with stomach trouble for five (5) years, and would have sick headache so bad, and I tried different treatments, but they did not seem to do me any good. I got so bad, I could not eat or sleep, and all my friends, except one, thought I would die. He advised me to try Thedford's Black-Draught, and quit

taking other medicines. I decided to take his advice, although I did not have any confidence in it.

I have now been taking Black-Draught for three months, and it has cured me—haven't had those awful sick headaches since I began using it.

I am so thankful for what Black-Draught has done for me."

Thedford's Black-Draught has been found a very valuable medicine for derangements of the stomach and liver. It is composed of pure, vegetable herbs, contains no dangerous ingredients, and acts gently, yet surely. It can be freely used by young and old, and should be kept in every family chest.

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DESTROYS COTTON CROP.

W. S. Dawson, in Times-Democrat:

I have just read the article, "The Wealth of Texas," and noted the grand success in regard to the raising of cotton in Texas.

For the past three or four years, cotton in East Feliciana parish has been a complete failure. In spite of picking up the weevils, and trying in other ways to destroy them, they have taken the cotton crop.

We would be pleased to have this note published, so if any one could advise us on the boll weevil question we would highly appreciate it.

Would like to know where we could get some early maturing kind of cotton; the Simpkin will not do at this time; it grows five or six feet and only a few bolls to the stalk.

VOGLER METHOD OF PLANTING COTTON.

J. W. Vogler, in The Times-Democrat:

In response to a letter from W. S. Dawson of Gurley, La., published in your valuable paper under "Letters From the People" of even date, I can not help but sympathize with Mr. Dawson and every other cotton planter in East Feliciana, when he states that for the past three years cotton in East Feliciana has been a complete failure and that in spite of picking up the weevils and trying in other ways to destroy them they have taken the cotton crop.

In a letter addressed to Secretary Houston on March 10, 1913, published in my pamphlet, "The Solution of the Boll Weevil Problem," you will find the following statement:

"That the Department of Agriculture under the administration of your predecessor, has not solved the boll weevil problem, or even reduced the damage from that insect, is now as much a matter of history as is the fact that reasonably late planting, so earnestly advocated and recommended by many people vitally interested in this problem since 1894, and also by Dr. Seaman A. Knapp since 1910, has never been given a single test by the experts of your department."

In the same publication you will also find the following statement:

"It is a well-known fact that the picking up of fallen squares is at best but a Christian Science remedy and the picking of all punctured squares an impossibility, besides, if the planting of all cotton is delayed until the soil is warm enough to produce rapid germination and growth, which is on or after May 1, it is absolutely unnecessary to pick either punctured or fallen squares. The few that possibly could be found upon a minute search do positively not reduce the crop as much as it would cost to pick them."

I have denounced the early planting of cotton based on my own experiments and the corroborated evidence furnished by every entomologist in the United States, since 1905, as absolutely unnatural, illogical and idiotic to prevent or even reduce the damage

from the boll weevil and its advocates, no matter who they are, as men who are utterly devoid of truth or honesty and without the least inclination or regard for the welfare of the South's most important industry.

I am to-day engaged in preparing a prospectus for my next pamphlet, "The Vogler Method of Planting Cotton," which will, by photographic reproductions of my tests for 1913, conclusively prove to Mr. Dawson and to every cotton planter in Louisiana and elsewhere that the early planting of cotton, advocated by the United States Department of Agriculture, under whose directions Mr. Dawson no doubt planted his cotton, was responsible for the complete failure of his or their cotton crops.

I am also now putting myself on record that I shall again petition the Attorney-general of the United States not only to investigate this matter, as I have done before, but to prosecute criminally every man connected with the Department of Agriculture who has advocated the early planting of cotton in the past, and thereby, as I shall prove by their own scientific evidence, has contributed to make the growing of cotton under boll weevil conditions a failure.

My long years of experience in growing cotton under boll weevil conditions has convinced me that any ordinary kind of cotton, big boll preferred, will produce a satisfactory crop if the seed is grown and procured from the northern part of the cotton belt. The East St. Louis Cotton Oil Company, St. Louis, Mo., for instance, is offering planting seed from its gins in Missouri and Kentucky. All of its seed, because northern grown, will mature early in Louisiana, and if you can prevail upon all of your neighbors to adopt my method of planting "uniformly and universally late," you will find that you can grow almost as much cotton with the boll weevil as you formerly did without the boll weevil.

JUDGMENT.

State of Louisiana, Parish of West Feliciana, 24th Judicial District Court. Mrs. Emily Richardson, wife, vs. No. 946. J. Mentor Barrow, husband.

This cause came on for trial having been duly assigned after answer filed by J. Mentor Barrow, defendant.

When after hearing the pleadings and the evidence, the Court being of the opinion that the law and the evidence was in favor of plaintiff and against defendant, for the reasons orally assigned.

It is ordered, adjudged and decreed that there be judgment in favor of Mrs. Emily Richardson Barrow, plaintiff, and against J. Mentor Barrow, defendant, for the full sum of Ninety dollars (\$90.00) with legal interest from December 15, 1902, until paid.

It is further ordered that the community of acquets and gains heretofore existing between the said J. Mentor Barrow and his said wife Emily Richardson Barrow be dissolved, and that there be a separation of property with a full recognition of plaintiff's rights to the separate management and control of her property, all costs to be paid by defendant.

Judgment rendered in open Court, December 18, 1913. Judgment read and signed in open Court this 19th day of December, 1913.

Jos. L. Golsan, Judge 24th Judicial District Court. Filed for record January 17, 1914, at 10 A. M. Recorded January 17, 1914, in Mortgage Record "S" page 537.

E. S. MUSE, Clerk and Recorder.

A true copy of the original. E. S. MUSE, Clerk and Recorder.

JUDGMENT.

State of Louisiana, Parish of West Feliciana, 24th Judicial District Court. Mrs. Susan M. Barrow, wife, vs. No. 954. Louis West, husband.

This cause came on for trial having been duly assigned after answer filed by Louis West, defendant.

When after hearing the pleadings and the evidence, the Court being of the opinion that the law and the evidence was in favor of plaintiff and against defendant for the reasons orally assigned.

It is ordered, adjudged and decreed that there be judgment in favor of Mrs. Susan Barrow West, plaintiff, and against Louis West, defendant, for the full sum

of One thousand and sixty-five dollars (\$1,065.00), with legal interest from October 20, 1909, until paid.

It is further ordered that the community of acquets and gains existing between the said Louis West and his wife Susan Barrow West, be dissolved, and that there be a separation of property with a full recognition of plaintiff's rights to the separate management and control of her property, all costs to be paid by defendant.

Judgment rendered in open Court December 18, 1913.

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PUBLICITY'S VALUE.

The Progressive Farmer: Publicity is our great remedy for the inequities in our system of taxation—as it is indeed a remedy for perhaps most other inequities. Certainly in the case of land the county should be required to publish the price per acre at which every tract is assessed. Such a procedure would let in the light on many dark places.

JURY VENIRES.

Grand Jury for the February Term 1914, of the 24th Judicial District Court, for the Parish of West Feliciana, La., commencing Monday, February 2, 1914:

R. W. Thoms.	G. H. Simmons.
J. D. Wood.	I. U. Ball.
Jos. Ortis.	J. G. Perkins.
Jos. Peterson.	J. M. Bell.
B. W. Wright.	M. Lego.
E. C. Peterson.	W. C. Howell.
J. W. Dawson.	Jno. A. Ard.
Jas. W. Daniel.	Steve Reed.
J. J. Daniel.	D. M. Hamilton.
W. S. Maryman.	C. H. Argue.

Petit Jury for the 1st week of the February Term 1914, of the 24th Judicial District Court, for the Parish of West Feliciana, La., commencing Monday, February 9, 1914.

Abe Mann.	Sargt. Percy.
L. W. Morris.	W. R. Campbell.
L. E. Morris.	H. H. Pigott.
E. L. Paine.	J. Q. Tempel.
J. A. Thoms.	M. R. Jackson.
W. D. Lavergne.	P. S. Thoms.
Sam Wildblood.	A. P. Smith, Jr.
J. Aschaffenberg.	John Wilcox.
A. C. Gore.	C. M. Davis.
R. D. Harvey.	A. Ellis.
W. B. Davidson.	J. S. Clack.
M. O. Daniel.	Wiley McGraw.
L. Szabo.	W. L. Stirling.
Jacob Kaufman.	F. F. Harvey.
H. C. Kaufman.	L. B. Sadden.

I, E. S. Muse, Clerk of the 24th Judicial District Court, in and for the Parish of West Feliciana, La., do hereby certify the above and foregoing to be a true and correct list of the Grand and Petit Juries for the February Term 1914, of said Court.

In faith whereof witness my hand and seal officially, this 10th day of January, 1914.

E. S. MUSE, Clerk of Said Court.

BANKRUPT SALE.

In the District Court of the United States, for the Eastern District of Louisiana, Baton Rouge Division.

In the matter of Charles Weydert, Bankrupt. In Bankruptcy No. 261.

By virtue of and in compliance with an order for the sale of the property of the Bankrupt, to me directed in the above styled Bankruptcy, from the Honorable Court aforesaid, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, at the court house in the Town of St. Francisville, Louisiana, at 11 a. m. on

Saturday, February 28, 1914, the following real estate:

Lot and improvements in square 27 in the Town of St. Francisville, Louisiana, known as the Gastrell Store.

The following lots in the Town of Bayou Sara, Louisiana: 132, 133, 134, and improvements, square 13, being the Store and Blacksmith Shop property.

Lots 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 250 in Square 22, being with improvements the homestead of the bankrupt.

Lots 102 and 104, square 9, with improvements.

About 296 acres of land, consisting of Ryland, Walch, Bockel, Andyhood and Edwards Tracts, being further described as 30 acres beginning at the Mississippi River at the Southeast Corner running line North 47 degrees, East 9.5 chains along East boundary Doyle Tract, to point 7.5 chains from gum tree marked XX, continue East boundary of Doyle thence down stream parallel with Mississippi River to intersection of upper line of W. J. Fort land, thence along the line north 87 degrees 15 minutes west 12 chains to River bank; and

264.81 acres fronting on the Mississippi River bounded above by Dr. Sidney Powell, below by McQueen and in the rear by Ball and McQueen, being the same tract acquired by bankrupt from the succession of Julius Freyhan.

A tract of land known as the White Place, containing about 50 acres bounded as follows: 100 acres according to Rec. 28, page 138. Upper side by lands of E. A. Koch, lower side by John F. Irvine Fancy Point Plantation, on back and East by Ball and West by Mississippi River.

A Homestead, owned and occupied by petitioner, together with stock and chattels exempted by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana, same being lots 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, and 250, square 22, in the Town of Bayou Sara, Louisiana.

Household goods and wearing apparel exempted by Civil Code of State of Louisiana.

Terms of sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement. C. T. TOORAEN, Trustee.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of West Feliciana, 24th Judicial District Court. William McCausland vs. Robert S. Bienvenue.

By virtue of a writ of Seizure and Sale to the Sheriff directed by the Honorable, the 24th Judicial District Court for the Parish of West Feliciana, in the matter of the case of William McCausland vs. Robert S. Bienvenue, I have seized and will offer for sale to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the town of St. Francisville, La., at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., on

Saturday, January 24, 1914,

the following property to-wit:

"The upper portion of the lower half of the tract of land confirmed to Joseph Stants, fronting on the Mississippi river, in the Parish of West Feliciana, State of Louisiana, known as Barker's Settlement; which upper portion of said lower half contains One hundred and fifty-six and 37-100 arpents, more or less, the herein upper portion being a part of the said lower half described in a decree rendered in the suit of the Bank of Louisiana vs. Jos. Colville, Intervenor, of date December 20, 1853, of the District Court of the Parish of West Feliciana, State of Louisiana; which land is the lower half of Section 45, Township 2, South Range 5 West, Greensburg District of Louisiana, and has been recently surveyed and subdivided into lots Nos. 1 and 2, as the same will fully appear by reference to a plan drawn by Calvin Goodman, Surveyor, dated West Feliciana Parish, Louisiana, February 28, 1888, annexed to an Act drawn July 5, 1888, together with all the buildings and improvements thereon."

Terms of sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

J. H. CLACK, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of West Feliciana, 24th Judicial District Court. Bellevue Farms Co., Ltd., vs. Garnett C. Howell.

By virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias to the Sheriff directed by the Hon. the 24th Judicial District Court in the above entitled cause I have seized and will offer for sale to the highest bidder at Irvine's warehouse in the town of Bayou Sara, La., at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., on

Saturday, January 24, 1914,

the following property, to-wit: "293 bales of hay, marked G. C. H., 136 bags of corn, marked G. C. H., 2 sacks of potatoes marked G. C. H., 1 sack of meal marked G. C. H., 1 bbl. of syrup marked G. C. H., all at Irvine's warehouse.

Will also offer for sale to the highest bidder at the same hour and on the same date as above stated, on the Layson place in the 10th ward of the Parish of West Feliciana, the following property, to-wit:

300 bales of pea hay, more or less, 350 bales of lespedeza hay, more or less, 9 mules named as follows: Fox, Rabbit, Mack, Maggie, Edith, Hannah, Coot, Red Top and Pistol; 2 horses, Broncho and Robert; 2 sorrel colts; 75 bushels of corn, more or less, 35 bushels of peas, more or less, 2 red oxen, 2 spotted oxen, 1 brown ox with white face, 1 red bull, Jim; 1 brown bull, Tony; 2 mowing machines, 2 rakes, 1 lot of old plows, cultivators and planters, 1 hay press, 1 grain binder, 1 disc cultivator, 2000 bbls of corn, more or less, in brick house, 1 room of unthreshed oats, 2 dump carts, 1 log wagon and 4 farm wagons.

Terms of sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

J. H. CLACK, Sheriff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of West Feliciana, 24th Judicial District Court. V. M. Jackson vs. Richardson & Percy Milling and Mercantile Co.

By virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias to the Sheriff directed by the Hon., the 24th Judicial District Court, in the above entitled cause, I have seized and will offer for sale to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House in the town of St. Francisville, La., at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., on

Saturday, January 24, 1914,

the following property, to-wit:

"One two story building and engine shed situated in the town of Bayou Sara, and being on the La. Ry. and Nav. Co.'s property, one 45 horse power stationary boiler, one 40 horse power Atlas automatic engine, one force pump, one heater, one injector, one water meter, one corn sheller and shucker, one 10 ton Fairbanks Standard wagon scales, shafting, pulleys, electric wires and fixtures."

Terms of sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

J. H. CLACK, Sheriff.

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The following are my cattle brands: P, Circle P, Circle F, P7.

The public is hereby warned against buying or trading for cattle bearing these brands from irresponsible people.

F. S. PERCY.

My brand is a spade. The public is warned against buying cattle with this brand, without my consent.

J. C. MAGEARL.

BRAND CLAIMED.

We claim that brand on either side. We will esteem it a favor if any one having cattle with this brand on their premises, will notify us at Wilcox, La.

BELLEVUE FARMS CO., Ltd. By A. S. Bowman, Pres.

CATTLE BRAND.

My brand is a diamond with R in center. The public is asked not to buy stock with that brand from irresponsible parties. My stock are at large in the 4th, 5th and 9th wards.

MISS NELLIE RICHARDSON, 12-13-4m) Baton Rouge, La.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

On and after this date, hunting of all kinds on my part of Starhill plantation is prohibited under penalty of trespass.

J. M. DANIEL, M. D. Aug. 16, 1913—1 yr.

TRESPASS NOTICE.

Hunting and fishing are strictly prohibited, under penalty of trespass, on the following named places: Afton Villa, Oak Grove, Layson, Maxwell, Flower Hill and Shirley.

The Bellevue Farms Co., Ltd., A. S. BOWMAN, President.

W. W. MONTFORT, Dentist.

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NOTICE

I have taken over my shop, and am preparing to take care of all work in the blacksmith and machinery repairing line. I will appreciate your patronage.

R. YUNKES.

COMPRESS STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

A meeting of the Stockholders of the Bayou Sara Compress Company is called for Thursday, the 29th day of January, 1914, at the office of M. & E. Wolf in St. Francisville, La., at 11 o'clock a. m. Business of greatest importance in connection with the affairs of the Company will be transacted and all parties interested are urged to attend.

A. H. MOSES, Secretary. Bayou Sara, La., Dec. 24, 1913.

(John White & Co., LOUISVILLE, KY. Established 1867. Highest market price paid for FURS and HIDES. WOOL by commission.)



TRESPASS NOTICES.

All hunting with dog or gun, or driving through or off of any cattle, on the "Rosale" plantation without special permission, is positively prohibited. All such acts will be regarded as trespassing and prosecuted as such.

MRS. C. R. BARROW.

From and after this date all hunting of any kind on Ambrosia and Independence plantation is positively prohibited under penalty of trespassing. Any one found on these places without permission will be considered trespassing, and prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

MRS. S. H. BARROW.

From and after this date all hunting of any kind on the Greenwood plantation is positively prohibited under penalty of trespassing. Any one found on this place without permission will be considered trespassing and prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

MRS. J. A. VENTRESS.

We regret we have to forbid all trespassing of every kind including passing through Woodlawn Farm.

J. S. McGEHEE.

All parties are hereby notified not to trespass on the following places: the Green Oak, and the Tanglewild places, with dog, rod or gun. All permissions heretofore granted are hereby revoked.

MRS. C. B. HAMILTON.

Hunting of any kind, cattle driving or fishing on Mt. Vernon plantation is positively prohibited under penalty of the law of trespass. No exceptions.

C. W. BALL, MISS ELLA BALL, MRS. E. HAMILTON

From and after this date all hunting of any kind on Rosdown, Hazlewood and Inheritance plantations is positively prohibited under penalty of trespassing.

The public is warned against buying fire wood, post or timber from tenants on Rosdown, Texas, Hazlewood and Inheritance plantations.

JAS. P. BOWMAN.

No trespassing with gun or dog or passing through my place located between Layson and Flower Hill plantations is hereby prohibited under penalty of the law against trespass.

D. B. FAITHORN.