

WOODLAWN FARM

(J. B. McGEHEE, 1836-1913.)

SUCCESS LIES IN MUTUAL SERVICE.

Plant your oats in the last half of October if possible, covering one to two inches deep the same day the ground is plowed, wherever practicable. Harrow thoroughly. Never "plow in" oats. Sow three bushels per acre.

Mow Lespedeza hay when in bloom and all green. Rake into cocks after 2 or 3 hours of wilting. Rain spoils color for market. Better use cock-covers. They cost \$45 to \$85 per 100, according to size.

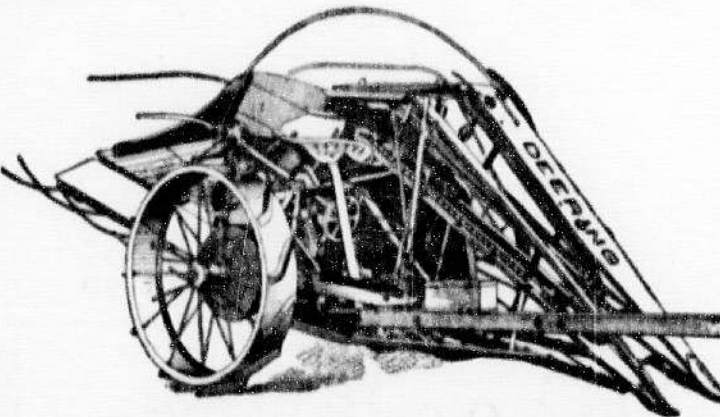
Shipment of straw on sales of hay is simply swindling, as well as assassination of agricultural development.

Correspondence welcomed.

J. S. McGehee, Laurel Hill, La.

SEED OATS; LESPEDEZA SEED; RED POLLED HIGH-GRADE CATTLE.

Mowing Machines, Corn and Grain Binders, Reapers and other farm implements carried in stock, or can be secured on short notice.



CHAS WEYDERT.

HONEST WEIGHTS HONEST MEASURES

GEO. RETTIG
The Grocer.

HONEST VALUES HONEST PRICES

POLICE JURY PROCEEDINGS.

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tion of S. C. Cobb, seconded by A. S. Brasseaux and upon vote taken unanimously carried and adopted, the following Ordinance No. 14 was introduced and being adopted ordered spread upon the records and published according to law:

Whereas, twenty-five per cent and more of the property taxpayers of the First, Second and Ninth wards of the said Parish of West Feliciana, both in total numbers as appearing on the tax rolls and in those qualified to vote in a tax election, have petitioned this body to create a road district within said parish in accordance with Act 183 of the General Assembly of Louisiana of 1914, said district to be composed of that territory comprised and lying within said First, Second and Ninth wards, and

Whereas, it is the voluntary will of this body to create such road district, it being given authority so to do by said Act 183 of 1914, now, therefore,

Sec. 1. Be it ordained, that any and all Road Districts heretofore created or established in said Parish of West Feliciana are hereby discontinued and abolished from and after the promulgation of this ordinance.

Sec. 2. Be it further ordained, that there is hereby established and created within said Parish of West Feliciana a Road District to be known and designated as follows, to-wit:

ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER ONE, the territory and boundaries of which shall be as follows, to-wit: All that territory comprised and lying within the First, Second and Ninth wards of said Parish, the boundaries of which shall include any and all roads and highways, which now constitute the boundaries of any or all of said wards and particularly to extend to the upper or north side of the Upper Jackson Road.

Sec. 3. Be it further ordained, this body having been petitioned by fifty per cent and more of the property owners of said district, that in accordance with the provisions of Act 183 of 1914, there is hereby appointed for said Road District a Supervising Board of five members, property owners in said district, who shall have all the power and authority granted by said Act 183 of 1914, and who shall be the agents of this Police Jury as provided by law. There is hereby appointed as such supervising Board the following, to-wit: Lee O. Lester, James G. Perkins, S. C. Cobb, L. W. Rogers and Max Mann, all property holders within said district.

Sec. 4. Be it further ordained, that said "Road District Number One" and created, shall in accordance with the provisions of the law, have all the powers of a corporation, shall have perpetual existence, shall have the right to sue and be sued, to have a corporate seal and to perform all of the acts in its corporate capacity and in its corporate name, necessary and proper for the purposes of constructing public highways in said district hereby created, and such other powers and obligations as may be necessary to carry out the objects and purposes for which said road district was created according to laws and especially those granted by said Act 183 of 1914.

C. F. HOWELL,
President of Police Jury.
C. T. TOORAEEN,
Clerk of Police Jury.

Moved by Cobb, seconded by Brasseaux, That ordinance calling an election in Road District No. 1 on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November (7th) be adopted. Carried.

ORDINANCE NO. 15.
The Police Jury of the Parish of West Feliciana, being in regular session and all members being present, on this 6th day of September A. D. 1916, upon motion of S. C. Cobb, seconded by A. S. Brasseaux, and upon vote taken only and unanimously carried and adopted the following Ordinance Number 15 was introduced and adopted and ordered spread upon the records and published according to law:

Whereas, twenty-five per cent and more

of the property taxpayers, both in number and in value, of the tax rolls, are eligible to vote in a tax election, have petitioned this body to order an election in Road District Number One of said Parish of West Feliciana to determine the proposition to said District to incur debt of Sixty-seven Thousand Dollars (\$67,000.00), to run for a period of forty years, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, the funds thus derived to be used for the purpose of constructing and maintaining public roads within said District, and

Whereas, Article 281 of the Constitution of 1913 and Act 256 of the Legislature of 1915 as amended by Act 218 of 1912 declares the Police Jury of the Parish of West Feliciana to be the governing authority through which such District may incur debt and issue negotiable bonds for such purposes, when so authorized at an election held in the said District, and

Whereas, the assessed valuation of the said Road District Number One amounts to Six Hundred Eighty-four Thousand One Hundred Eighty-nine (\$684,189.00) dollars, and there is no existing bonded indebtedness in said District incurred under Article 281 of the Constitution of 1898 and 1913, and

Whereas, the special tax necessary to be annually levied to extinguish the proposed indebtedness will approximate five (5) mills, which will not exceed the Constitutional limit of ten mills on the dollar of assessed valuation of the property of said District, now, therefore,

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of West Feliciana, in lawful session convened, that an election shall be, and is hereby called to be held in the said Road District Number One of said Parish of West Feliciana, on Tuesday, the 7th day of November, 1916, at which election the majority of the property taxpayers of the said Road District Number One, in number and amount, eligible to vote, and voting, shall determine the proposition to incur debt and issue bonds of the said Road District Number One to the amount of Sixty-seven Thousand Dollars (\$67,000.00), to run for a period of forty (40) years, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum (5%) per annum, payable semi-annually, the funds thus derived to be used for the purpose of constructing and maintaining public roads within said District.

Sec. 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that the ballot boxes, necessary blanks and other necessary paraphernalia shall be provided by the Secretary of the Police Jury and he shall cause to be printed ballots for the use in said election, in the following form, to-wit:

FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS	
Proposition to incur debt and issue bonds to the amount of \$67,000.00, to run for a period of forty (40) years, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum (5%) per annum, payable semi-annually, for the purpose of constructing and maintaining public roads within Road District Number One.	YES
Taxable Valuation.....	
Signature of Voter.....	
(Notice to Voters): To vote in favor of this proposition submitted upon this ballot, place a cross "X" mark in the square after the word "Yes", to vote against it place a similar mark after the word "No".	
Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., that the election commissioners on Tuesday	

election shall be the same as those acting in the general election to be held on the said date, to-wit: November 7, 1916, and that they shall serve without compensation other than paid them as general election commissioners, and that the said election shall be held at the following places and by the officials named below, each being a registered voter:

At St. Francisville (1st Ward)—Commissioners, F. N. Mageau, G. M. Lester, G. S. Davidson, Clerk, J. Q. Tempel.
At Bayou Sara (2nd Ward)—Commissioners, John Bell, E. H. Leet, Jim R. Auble, Clerk, J. H. Logan.

At Daniel's Store (3rd Ward)—Commissioners, L. P. Hall, M. D. Daniel, R. D. Harvey, Clerk, J. G. Perkins.
At Stewart's Store (4th Ward)—Commissioners, H. H. Connell Jr., W. S. Maryman, W. R. Daniel, Clerk, A. C. Patterson.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., that notice of this election, containing the proposition herein submitted to the voters, shall be prepared and signed by the President and Secretary of the Police Jury and shall be published by the Secretary in the official journal of the Parish, by four weeks' insertion, the date of the first insertion to be not less than thirty (30) days before the date of the election. The said notice shall further recite that on Wednesday, the 8th day of November, 1916, the first day following the election, at 12:00 o'clock M. the Police Jury will meet at the Court Clerk's A. C. Patterson, in said Parish and there in public session open the ballot boxes, examine and count the ballot, both as to number and amount, and examine and canvass the returns, and declare the result of said election, and promulgate the same.

C. F. HOWELL,
President of Police Jury.
C. T. TOORAEEN,
Clerk of Police Jury.

Budget for 1916-17 read and approved.

ORDINANCE NO. 16.

State of Louisiana, Parish of West Feliciana.

St. Francisville, La., Sept. 6, 1916.

Budget of said Parish for the year 1917.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of West Feliciana, in the State of Louisiana, that the annual expenses, taxes and revenues of said Parish for said year are estimated and apportioned and dedicated, based on total assessment of \$2,987,313.00 and vehicle, per capita, and license tax, authorized and ordered collected by law of \$4,355.00, as follows, to-wit:

1. Grand and Petit Juries.....	\$ 800.00
2. Coroner and Jurors.....	100.00
3. Paupers.....	100.00
4. Sheriff and Criminal Expense.....	200.00
5. Sheriff and Attending Court.....	200.00
6. Magistrates.....	190.00
7. Constables.....	275.00
8. Police Jury.....	600.00
9. Clerk of Police Jury.....	150.00
10. Clerk of Treasurer.....	150.00
11. Official Journal.....	200.00
12. Care Court House Clock.....	72.00
13. Care Court House.....	120.00
14. Jail Physician.....	500.00
15. Maintaining Prisoners.....	500.00
16. District Attorney.....	200.00
17. Assessor.....	800.00
18. Electric Lights and Water.....	125.00
19. Turnpike fees.....	500.00
20. Public Education.....	6271.94
21. For Principal and Interest on bridge bonds heretofore issued maturing in 1917.....	5218.28
22. For principal and interest on bonds of \$4,000.00 and interest until paid (contract and ordinance adopted July, 1914, to pay Austin Brothers and additional bridge work).....	2087.31
23. Contingent Fund and surplus, one-half mill of 10-mill levy per capita, licenses and vehicles.....	1043.65
Total budgeted.....	\$24,988.18

Section 2. Be it further ordained that the ten-mill parochial tax authorized by law is hereby levied and dedicated, divided and pledged as follows, to-wit:

1. For Public Education, three (3) mills..... \$6271.94
 2. For statutory, usual and ordinary expenses, three (3) mills..... 6271.94
 3. For Principal and Interest on highway construction bonds heretofore issued, two and one-half mills..... 5218.28
 4. For \$4,000.00 of highway construction bonds, sufficient to pay said bonds, both principal and interest, by the levy of an annual tax deterring the life of said debt and five per cent per annum interest thereon for eight years (maturities in 1917) 1 mill..... 2087.31
 5. For surplus and contingent fund, one-half mill..... 1043.65
- Total tax to be levied for 1917, Ten Mills.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that the ordinance published thirty full days in the official journal of the Parish, and that it have full force and effect from and after its publication, according to law. Read and adopted on this 6th day of September, 1916, at the regular meeting of the Police Jury of said Parish.
C. F. HOWELL,
C. T. TOORAEEN.

Approved,
W. C. HOWELL,
S. C. COBB,
Finance Committee.

W. C. Howell instructed to have road from store to Sage Hill church worked, cost not to exceed \$25.00.

There being no further business the meeting adjourned.
C. F. HOWELL, President.
C. T. TOORAEEN, Clerk.

ANIMALS RESPOND TO HUMANE TREATMENT. A FEW DON'TS TO BE OBSERVED.

Leaving out the humane side of the question it is good business from the standpoint of economy and efficiency to be considerate in the treatment of farm animals. They will more than repay in better service and longer life for such treatment.

A few "Don'ts" in the handling of farm animals, compiled by the editor of Extension Farm-News, North Carolina Agricultural College, are worthy of consideration.

WORK

Don't work or ride a horse with ill-fitting or unsuitable harness or saddle.
Don't use animals with sore shoulders and back, unless they can be protected from further injury.

Don't work lame or sick animals to keep them from getting stiff; turn them in pasture or lot and allow voluntary exercise. Forced exercise will nearly always do harm.

Don't work a soft horse like you would a well-hardened one. Season him gradually.

DISEASE

Don't fail to prevent many diseases by good hygienic and sanitary measures. "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure."

Don't forget that a correct diagnosis is essential to good treatment. Guess-work and "hit or miss" methods are poor policies.

Don't give medicines when you don't know the nature of the disease or the action of the drug. Most patients recover in spite of treatment rather than because of it. Give nature a chance unless you know what to do.

Don't ever drench through the nose; the dose will be liable to go into the lungs instead of the stomach.

Don't expose young or susceptible animals to infectious diseases. Quarantine infected animals and premises.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN PROCEEDINGS.

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The Mayor appoint a committee of two to investigate issuing bonds and make arrangement to borrow \$500 and the Mayor is hereby authorized to sign note for same. Carried.

The Clerk was authorized to notify all delinquent water and light subscribers, also license and taxpayers, that unless their accounts were settled by October 1, the Board would take necessary steps to collect said accounts.

The Clerk submitted statement of receipts and disbursements for August and same was ordered published.

Receipts—	
G. S. Davidson, Marshal.....	\$ 36.00
Light and Water account.....	316.44
License.....	5.00
Interest.....	.35
Notices.....	.05
Taxes, 1915.....	6.00
Total.....	\$357.84

Disbursements—	
Plant Maintenance.....	\$ 31.40
Plant Operating Cost.....	294.29
Plant Expense.....	15.48
Corporation Expense.....	176.15
Total.....	\$517.32

Recapitulation—
Total receipts..... \$357.84
Total disbursements..... 517.32
Cash on hand, last report..... 45.22
Overdraft on Treasury, Sept. 1..... \$112.37

Collected since—
Water and Light..... \$128.43
G. S. Davidson..... 22.50
Total..... \$151.13

MARYLAND CASUALTY COMPANY

B-1380—INTERNAL, Boiler No. 2 (Right to Left).

Town of St. Francisville, La.

St. Francisville, La.

Gentlemen: We beg to advise that on August 10, 1916, your boiler No. 2 (right to left), insured under Policy No. 199097, was internally inspected by our inspector, Mr. George Schwesinger, who advises that it may be operated at a maximum pressure of 160 lbs. and reports there is some scale and sediment throughout the boiler which is not considered serious.

The inspector suggested, however, that in order that the boiler may be kept in good condition it should be let down and thoroughly cleaned at regular and frequent intervals.

With the above exception the boiler and appurtenances are in a satisfactory condition and considered safe for the pressure specified.
Yours truly,
J. W. RAUSCH, Manager.

MARYLAND CASUALTY COMPANY

Baltimore, August 16, 1916.

B-1380—EXTERNAL, Safety Valve Load 110 lbs. Pressure Allowed, 125 lbs.

Boiler No. 1 (Right to Left).

Town of St. Francisville, La.

St. Francisville, La.

Gentlemen: We beg to advise that on August 10, 1916, our inspector, Mr. Geo. Schwesinger, made an external examination of your boiler No. 1 (right to left), insured under Policy No. 199099, and reports that boiler was examined while under a steam pressure of 100 lbs. and showed no evidence of leakage or distress. All appurtenances were in good working order.

Yours truly,
J. W. RAUSCH, Manager.

Motion made, seconded and carried, That the following recess warrants be approved:
Kemp Smith, brick work on boiler \$ 3.75
L. W. Rogers, freight on coal..... 88.41
Booze Jackson, road work..... 15.00
Booze Jackson, two weeks' salary..... 12.00

Motion made, seconded and carried, That meeting adjourn upon call of Mayor, until the 12th day of September, 1916.
G. L. FLETTERINGER, Clerk.

ELECTION OFFICERS.

First Ward, St. Francisville Precinct—Commissioners, John Wilcox, Marx Neustadtter, Ben Stern; Clerks, J. A. Lawson, McKown Smith; Special Deputy, W. D. Wills.

First Ward, Bayou Sara Precinct—Commissioners, C. W. Leet, H. A. Binning, J. A. Kaufman; Clerks, Harris Irvine, Willie Gosson. Special Deputy, A. F. Sweetman.

Second Ward—Commissioners, C. W. Simmons, A. R. Daniel, I. C. Cobb; Clerks, J. C. Ball, S. M. Cotton; Special Deputy, I. D. Harvey.

Third Ward—Commissioners, W. J. Ryder, Matt Gilmore, R. H. Barrow; Clerks, F. F. Converse, W. S. Maryman; Special Deputy, A. W. Wilcox.

Fourth Ward—Commissioners, David Taylor Jr., S. C. Roberts, W. J. Griffin; Clerks, Tom Walker, Ernest Dampf; Special Deputy, W. L. Stirling.

Fifth Ward, Grange Hall Precinct—Commissioners, J. F. Rogillo, D. M. Pharis, J. A. Spillman; Clerks, Jones Lee, E. C. Peterson; Special Deputy, L. P. Wright.

Sixth Ward, Poplar Springs Precinct—Commissioners, Wiley McGraw, J. A. Beckham, Perry Smith; Clerks, J. A. Thom, W. P. Gore; Special Deputy, J. S. McCartney.

Seventh Ward, Wilhelm Precinct—Commissioners, J. L. Jeffries, B. P. McWaters, B. K. Gunn; Clerks, L. N. Walton, C. M. Davis; Special Deputy, Ovide Row.

Eighth Ward, Angola Precinct—Commissioners, D. C. Curtin, W. E. Hilton, T. F. Larrigan; Clerks, J. A. Tucker, W. L. Geter; Special Deputy, E. R. Davis.

Ninth Ward—Commissioners, E. E. McGehee, B. I. Barrow, D. I. Norwood; Clerks, L. M. Martin, J. T. Lesassier; Special Deputy, T. O. Woods Jr.

Tenth Ward—Commissioners, W. C. Carney, A. C. Patterson, J. J. Daniel; Clerks, J. W. Daniel, D. W. Ard; Special Deputy, John Newton.

There being no further business, the meeting, on motion duly seconded, adjourned.

CHARLES H. ARGUE, Chairman.
JAMES H. KILBOURNE, Sec'y.

A SILO ON EVERY FARM.

Saves the whole crop.
Insures "June Pasture" in winter.
Saves labor and storage space.
Doubles farm capacity for live stock.
Prevents waste in feeding.
Provides most economical dairy feed.
Makes better use of grain feed possible.

Let nothing disturb thee;
Nothing fright thee;
All things are passing;
God never changeth;
Patient endurance
Attaineth to all things;
Who God possesseth
In nothing is wanting;
Alone God sufficeth.

—Longfellow.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

State of Louisiana, Parish of West Feliciana, 24th Judicial District Court—Lev. M. Walker vs. Lucinda Minor, Widow, and Ben Minor et als, Heirs of William Minor, Deceased. No. 1149.

By virtue of a Writ of Seizure and Sale to the Sheriff directed, by the Honorable the Twenty-fourth Judicial District Court for the Parish of West Feliciana, in the above numbered and 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, Louisiana, at the hour of Eleven O'clock A. M., on

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1916, the following described property of the defendants, to-wit:

A certain piece or parcel of land with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in the Parish of West Feliciana, State of Louisiana, containing eighty-nine acres, more or less, bounded on the North by Elijah Ford, South by White Tract, East by Walker and Irvine, and West by Jackson and Laurel Hill public road.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with benefit of appraisement.

J. H. CLACK, Sheriff.

CATTLE REGULATION.

Be it resolved by the Police Jury, in regular session convened, That it shall be unlawful to bring into the Parish of West Feliciana any cattle or other stock from adjoining parishes without a clean bill of health. Any person or persons violating this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and punished as the law directs.

C. F. HOWELL, President.
C. T. TOORAEEN, Clerk.

NOTICE OF ESTRAY.

Taken up and estrayed before me by Bat Haralson one light red and white spotted heifer. Appraised by R. E. Barrow and F. B. Haralson to be worth eight dollars. If not claimed and costs paid will after fifteen days' advertisement be advertised and sold as the law directs.

R. S. TOWLES,
Magistrate, 10th Ward.

My cattle mark is W. M. on hip and tag in one ear. Public is warned not to purchase or drive off any cattle so marked. (Aug. 12—1 yr.)
LUCY L. MATTHEWS.

BIDS WANTED.

Bids will be received for working road from Mulford's graveyard to Cedars place and to Mississippi line in 7th ward, about 4 miles, contractor to furnish bond and keep said road in good condition for 1 year.
C. T. TOORAEEN, Clerk.

LIST YOUR FARM LANDS FOR SALE WITH N. K. KNOX, Reymond Building BATON ROUGE, LA.

J. S. Butler
Agent for
Dodge Cars

T. W. Raynham
Groceries and
Notions.

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ST. FRANCISVILLE, LA.

GRABER & YUNKES
makers of
Tubular Wells

JOB WORK PROMPTLY DONE.

We will gladly furnish estimates on all work in our line.

ST. FRANCISVILLE, LA.

HIGHEST PRICES PAID FOR HIDES, MOSS AND COUNTRY PRODUCE

M. NEWSTADTER,
OFFICE AND TELEPHONE AT REAR MAX MANN'S SALOON

R. YUNKES
Machinist

Blacksmith, Wheelwright and Horse Shoeing Shop—Plumbing and Pipe Fitting—General Repair Work on Gasoline and Steam Engines—All Work Guaranteed.

ST. FRANCISVILLE, LA.

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.

Trespassing of all kinds is hereby prohibited, under penalty of the law, on my lands in the ninth ward, recently purchased from Dr. W. H. Taylor.

ALBERT L. SOULE.

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,
MRS. E. HAMILTON.

Crossing the rear of property below True Democrat office in St. Francisville is hereby prohibited under penalty of trespass. Persons found crossing these premises or damaging the fences will be prosecuted.

MRS. M. E. ROBINSON.

All trespassing is prohibited on Hill and Slaughter, Lake Breeze, Grayfield, and Glass-Place plantations, such as hunting, peccan gathering, etc., and will be prosecuted to full extent of the law.

RACOURT COMPANY,
Per S. L. Doherty, Agent,
Smithland Ldg. and P. O., La.

My place is hereby posted against all forms of trespassing, hunting, fishing, agents of all descriptions, and all cattle driving.

D. F. MERWIN.

The public is hereby warned that the said and Forest plantations are posted against hunting, fishing, wood-cutting and all other forms of trespass, agents of every description included.

M. R. JACKSON.

All cattle driving and other trespassing of