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TOO MUCH HATE

We see a press dispatch from Washington to the effect that upon his return from a tour of Europe, Senator McCormick declares that hate, distrust and envy are doing more to hold back nations over there than anything else. Each week sees some new topic sprung from which European nations glean a new spirit of hate for each other.

There are people of the opinion that another great war will be fought within the next five or six years. Others do not agree, but frankly admit the world is a long way from peace. Scarcely any foreign nation is satisfied with the way territory was parcelled out at the peace conference, and each week sees new complications arising. Thousands still believe this would have been adjusted if America had taken a more prominent part in the league, and thousands of others do not think so. It is largely a matter of political opinion.

But no matter how we may think along this line we are forced to agree that war has left the world with too much hate and distrust and envy in its heart. Nations are no different from individuals, and we know that individuals who distrust their fellowman come to no good end. So the nation which refuses to forget its hates, lay aside its envy and trust its neighbors is due for trouble sooner or later. It would seem to be a pretty good time for the United States, in the face of all things now going on in the world, to follow the old adage: "Trust in the Lord and Keep Your Powder Dry."

FARM-TO-TABLE BUYING

More and more the magazines and newspapers of this country are bringing the rural producer into closer touch with the city consumer. We pick up a paper and see where a Kentucky tobacco grower will sell tobacco by parcel post. A grower of pecans in Texas gets better prices by selling in small lots to mail buyers who read his advertisement in magazines and newspapers, while a Wisconsin cheese maker advertises his wares and doesn't have to depend on a middleman to dispose of his stock, at a profit he has to share with said middleman.

All of which leads to the belief that there are producers in the neighborhood who could easily work up a nice business by using a little printer's ink and patience. Orders are not going to flow in for your choice eggs, vegetables, fruits, nuts, honey or whatever you may have to offer. But gradually they will increase in number until it won't be long before you have a parcels post business you can be proud of. Residents of our larger cities would rather buy direct from the farm than to buy the same stuff after it has passed through two to six hands in getting to them. They'll pay more when they get in direct from the producer, and they will encourage their neighbors to follow their example.

We are reaching every week people who read this paper carefully and whom we feel sure would want exactly what you have—if you would only tell them you have it and quote them a price. Come in and let us show you how cheaply you can run these little reading notices, and then you'll understand why "farm-to-table" buying is becoming such a big thing all over the United States.

CURE FOR SNORING

We have just read in an eastern paper a remedy for snoring. The writer says this remedy consists solely in sleeping without a pillow. He doesn't explain why that will cure snoring, and neither does he guarantee it to do so. But he offers the advice, and hopes it will be helpful to the good wife who says her husband snores so much that she can't sleep in the same room with him.

Snoring is a sort of confidential affair. At least it is seldom indulged in in public. But the truth is it is so prevalent hardly a home can be found in which snoring does not play a part in the domestic felicity—or infelicity.

And still you can't find a man or a woman who will openly admit they snore in their sleep. No one is conscious of it, of course, for he is asleep at the time, and in his waking hours he will not believe the statement that he has almost "raised the roof." If he is prodded in the ribs and told to turn over, he grows angry and resents the imputation that he was snoring at all. But if the absence of pillows will, as the eastern writer claims, stop the evil—and it certainly is an evil to those who have to listen to it—then by all means throw the pillows in the trash barrel, or give them to the kids to fight with. The cure would be worth several hundred times the original cost of a few pillows.

NOTICE

Tallulah, La., Feb. 28, 1921. During my absence at Baton Rouge, as Delegate to the Constitutional Convention, I beg to advise my clients that Mr. L. Mason Spencer, attorney of this place, will look after my practice while I am away.

I will be at home at intervals during the next seventy-five days, and will give my personal attention to any matter which may require it. JEFF B. SNYDER.

Man knows just how foolishly he can act until he gets out to a woman's afternoon social party.

An ounce of contentment is worth a ton of gold, but most people who have the contentment would gladly swap it for the gold.

Herbert Hoover now has a cabinet job, so far at least four years we will know what his politics are.

Instead of being over, France talks like she thought the war was just about to begin.

The hardest way to convince a man that you are right is to try to convince him that he is wrong.

That war between Panama and Costa Rica will be interesting if four or five U. S. Marines don't get in a playful mood and step in to stop it.

If nations had to pay for wars before they fought them you can bet we'd have a long spell of peace.

Most women think that a smart man is the one who agrees with them in everything they say.

There's a movement on to make two-cent pieces, but what most of us would like to see is more five-dollar bills.

We are told that opportunity knock but once—which shows that opportunity is a whole lot different from the human "knocker."

One thing about the man who keeps his mouth shut—he may be just as big a fool as you are but you can't prove it.

Now that home-brewing is very popular, we want to suggest that most any kind of hops can be used in brewing trouble.

After a fellow has studied over an income tax blank for about a week he is tempted to leave it blank.

The world may be getting better, but we heard one man say yesterday he'd hate to lose a twenty dollar bill in church.

If the holdup men keep on they will make a mistake and kill the goose that lays the golden eggs, just as the profiteers did.

Congress claims that 175,000 men in the army will be enough, but it is taking almost that many to guard the whiskey in bonded warehouses.

The man who refers to tobacco as the "filthy weed" also refers to money as the "filthy lucre"—and we notice he's usually willing to take the filth with the lucre.

About the first of the month when bills come due the average man would welcome an attack of that new disease, "sleeping sickness."

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SUCCESSION NOTICE

State of Louisiana, Parish of Madison, Ninth Judicial District Court.

Succession of HANNAH MOORE, deceased.

Whereas, John E. Yerger, Clerk of Court, has presented a petition to said Court, praying for the administration of said succession; under Act 153 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, Now therefore, all persons are required to show cause, if any they have, within ten days from the date hereof, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

Witness the Honorable F. X. Ransdell, Judge of said Court, and the official seal thereof, this 1st day of March, A. D., 1921. (SEAL) JOHN E. YERGER, Clerk

\$100 Reward, \$100

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one divided disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine is taken internally and sets thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have no faith in the curative power of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists, Inc.

TRESPASS NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that all the Singlet Manufacturing Company's land in Madison Parish, Louisiana is posted against camping or trespassing in any manner. Violators will be vigorously prosecuted. POINSETTE LBR. & MFG. CO. V. W. F. JEFFERSON, Timber Warden

CHARTER PEOPLE'S GROCERY COMPANY, INCORPORATED

State of Louisiana, Parish of Madison. BE IT KNOWN That on this 29th day of January, 1921, before me, the undersigned authority, duly commissioned and qualified according to law, and in the presence of the witnesses hereinafter named and undersigned, personally came and appeared M. P. Ward, J. H. Collins, G. H. Ogbourne, E. and F. Bettis, Jas. R. Linton, Florence Pierson, Dr. F. E. Helton, James A. Moberley, W. H. Carroll, E. P. Jones, Chas. W. Sigle, T. B. Lucas, Mrs. L. M. Spencer, Geo. Spencer, Mrs. L. C. Spencer, McIntosh and M. T. Young, all of legal age, and having their post office addresses in Tallulah, Louisiana, all of lawful age, who declared that availing themselves of the laws of the State of Louisiana, they have covenanted and bound themselves, and do by these presents covenant, agree and bind themselves, as well as such other persons as may hereafter become associated with them, to form and constitute a corporation and body politic in law, for the purpose and objects, and under the stipulations, conditions and articles following:

ARTICLE I.

The name and style of the corporation hereby formed shall be PEOPLE'S GROCERY COMPANY, INC., and under such name said corporation shall have power to have and enjoy succession for the term of fifty (50) years from the date hereof, to sue and be sued; to make and use a corporate seal, and the same to break and alter at pleasure; to acquire, hold, lease, exchange, convey, and alienate, as well as to mortgage, pawn, pledge, and in any manner encumber property, real, personal or mixed, corporeal or incorporeal; to borrow money and grant security therefor; to appoint such managers, agents, and officers, and to engage such employees as its business or convenience may require, and to make and amend or abrogate at pleasure, such by-laws, rules and regulations for the conduct of its business as may be necessary and proper.

ARTICLE II.

The objects and purposes for which this corporation is established, and the nature of the business to be carried on by it, are declared to be: To engage in and conduct a general retail grocery business in the Village of Tallulah, Louisiana, and in furtherance thereof to handle groceries, grain, farm products, and such other goods and merchandise as are usually sold in connection with the grocery business; and in general to engage in any business complimentary or incidental to the grocery business.

ARTICLE III.

The domicile of this corporation shall be in the Village of Tallulah, Madison Parish, State of Louisiana, and citation and other legal process shall be served upon the President, and in his absence upon the Secretary-Treasurer thereof.

ARTICLE IV.

The capital stock of this corporation is hereby fixed at the sum of FIVE THOUSAND, TWO HUNDRED AND FIFTY DOLLARS (\$5,250.00) represented by one hundred and fifty shares of the par value of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) each, but it is understood that the corporation shall be authorized to commence business as soon as one hundred shares of stock is subscribed and paid for. It is understood further that this corporation is to purchase and take over the stock of the Bynn Yann Company and that stock of same is to be accepted in part in exchange for stock of this corporation. The Directors of this company having inventoried the stock and merchandise of said Bynn Yann Company and having declared the stock thereof to be worth par, the exchange of stock certificates to be made in such manner as may be deemed best by the Directors of this corporation.

Stock of this corporation may be issued at par in payment of exchange for labor done, or for money or property actually received by the corporation.

No certificate of stock shall be issued until the stock conveyed thereby has been fully paid for, nor shall any certificate for less than one (1) share of stock be issued or transferred.

Any stockholder may sell, assign, or transfer his stock in this corporation, provided thirty (30) days prior notice of such intention to sell, assign or transfer the same to be given the company, and the other stockholders thereof shall have the first privilege of purchasing same; after thirty (30) days notice the said stock may be sold in open market.

This corporation shall recognize the exclusive right of a person registered on its books as the owner of shares of stock to receive dividends, and to vote at such owner, and shall hold liable for calls and assessments all persons registered on its books as the owner of shares.

ARTICLE V.

The Board of Directors of this corporation shall be composed of five (5) stockholders thereof, who, except those named herein to compose the first board, or elected by the board to fill vacancies therein, shall be elected by the stockholders on the first Monday of January in each calendar year and shall hold and exercise the duties of their office until their successors have been duly elected and qualified.

All meetings of stockholders or directors must be held at the domicile of said corporation; provided that with the written consent of all directors valid meetings of directors may be held outside of the State, or within the State elsewhere than at its domicile.

At all meetings of the board each director shall have one vote; and three (3) directors present, in person or by proxy shall constitute a quorum provided that a less number shall have power to fill vacancies in the board for its unexpired time.

Each director shall have power to appoint in writing a stockholder as proxy to represent such director at any meeting of the board, such proxy and powers of such director.

The board of directors shall be vested with the power to hold and exercise all the powers enumerated in Article I hereof, as well as all powers conferred by law upon the corporation, except such as may be required by law or by this charter to be held and exercised by the stockholders or some officer of this corporation.

ARTICLE VI.

The stockholders shall meet on the first Monday of January, A. D., 1922, to elect directors to succeed those chosen and named in this charter, and so annually thereafter; and such meeting to transact any other business, and to do all acts required or authorized by law. Notice of all stockholders' meetings other than adjourned meetings

shall be given in the manner prescribed for stockholders' meetings, for the election of directors, unless such notice be waived by unanimous consent; provided that no notice is required where a meeting is adjourned to a given day.

ARTICLE VII.

The officers of this corporation shall be a President, a Vice-President and a Secretary-Treasurer. The board of directors shall annually elect from their board such officers, all of whom shall hold office until their successors are duly elected and qualified.

The directors may appoint other agents and employees, who shall respectively have such power and perform such duties as may be prescribed by the by-laws, and who may be removed as provided in said by-laws.

Vacancies of agents and employees shall be filled as provided by the by-laws.

ARTICLE VIII.

No stockholder shall ever be held liable or responsible for the contracts or faults of this corporation in any further sum than the amount equal to the unpaid balance of the stock subscribed for by him in this corporation, nor shall any mere informality in organization have the effect of rendering this charter null, or exposing the stockholder to any further liability.

ARTICLE IX.

J. H. Collins, G. H. Ogbourne, J. R. Linton, J. C. Bettis and T. B. Lucas shall constitute the first board of directors to serve until the first Monday in January, 1922, and until their successors are elected and qualified, each of said directors being the owner of at least one (1) share of fully paid unpledged stock.

ARTICLE X.

The first officers of this corporation to serve until the first Monday in January, 1922, and until their successors are elected and qualified, are hereby chosen and appointed, to-wit: J. H. Collins, President; G. H. Ogbourne, Vice-President; T. F. Ward, Secretary-Treasurer.

ARTICLE XI.

The names and subscribers, whose post-office address is set forth above, and the number of shares of stock which each subscriber has taken in this corporation, and which he has paid for in cash, are as follows:

- Mrs. M. P. Ward.....20 Shares
- J. H. Collins.....5 Shares
- Miss Florence Pierson.....1 Share
- W. G. McIntosh.....2 Shares
- J. C. Bettis.....10 Shares
- Dr. F. E. Helton.....10 Shares
- M. T. Young.....5 Shares
- W. H. Carroll.....2 Shares
- Dr. G. H. Ogbourne.....6 Shares
- Chas. W. Sigle.....5 Shares
- J. R. Linton.....10 Shares
- E. & F. Bettis.....10 Shares
- T. B. Lucas.....10 Shares
- Mrs. L. M. Spencer.....2 Shares
- Mrs. G. Spencer.....2 Shares
- J. A. Moberley.....1 Share
- E. P. Jones.....1 Share

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, said appearers have signed this act of incorporation, at my office in Tallulah, Madison Parish, Louisiana, in the presence of O. W. Campbell and Mary P. Lake, competent witnesses, who sign as such, together with said parties and me, as Notary, on the date first herein written.

M. P. WARD
J. H. COLLINS
G. H. OGBOURNE
E. & F. BETTIS
By G. C. Bettis
JAS. R. LINTON
FLORENCE PIERSON
DR. F. E. HELTON
JAMES A. MOBERLEY
W. H. CARROLL
E. P. JONES
CHAS. W. SIGLE
T. B. LUCAS
MRS. L. M. SPENCER
MRS. GEORGE SPENCER
J. C. BETTIS
W. G. MCINTOSH
By Mrs. Hill
M. T. YOUNG
By J. R. Linton

Attest:
O. W. CAMPBELL
MARY P. LAKE
JOHN E. YERGER,
Clerk 9th Dist. Court & Ex-Officio Notary Public,
State of Louisiana,
Parish of Madison.

I, John E. Yerger, Clerk of the Ninth District Court and Ex-Officio Recorder in and for said Parish and State, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original Charter of the People's Grocery Company, Inc., which is on file in my office and of record in Incorporation Record "A" page 87, on date of February 3 1921.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this 3rd day of February, 1921.

JOHN E. YERGER,
Clerk & Ex-Officio Recorder

SHERIFF SALE

State of Louisiana, Parish of Madison, Ninth Judicial District Court

THOMAS P. KELL, VS. No. 2232. W. B. WALLACE & W. M. GORDON

By virtue of a Writ of Seizure and Sale to me directed from the Honorable Ninth Judicial District Court in the Parish of Madison aforesaid, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell, at public auction, at the door of the Court House in the town of Tallulah, in Madison Parish, Louisiana, on the third Saturday the 19th day of March A. D., 1921, between the hours prescribed by law, all the right, title and interest of W. B. Wallace and W. M. Gordon in and to the following described property, to-wit:

All of Lots or fractional sections 34, 35, 36 and 37, and the East half of lot or fractional section 38, and Lots 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of section 100, and that part of the "House" place, containing Fifteen and 25-100 (15.25) acres as described in deed from Mengis to Kell, of record in Conveyance Book "R" page 178, all being in Township Fifteen (15) North, Range Thirteen (13) East, and the whole containing, according to United States surveys, One Thousand Three Hundred Forty-nine and 36-100 (1349.36) acres.

Also 25 head of mules and horses, 16 head of cattle; all farming implements, including wagons and tools, and all the bogs on said property estimated at about 50 head; together with the buildings and improvements on said property, and all rights, ways and appurtenances thereto belonging, or in any manner appurtenant seized in the above mentioned cause.

TERMS OF SALE: Cash Without Appraisal.

A. J. SEVIER,
Sheriff Madison Parish, La.
Sheriff's Office, Tallulah, Louisiana,
February 11th, 1921.

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