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TURSDAY, JULY 9th, 1921.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Henry C. Sevier has become associated with me in the practice of law and the firm name will be Snyder & Sevier.

J. B. SNYDER,  
Tallulah, La., June 22, 1921.

WHY THE PUBLIC KICKS

Listen to the big Chicago meat men. They would think every last of them is going to starve to death before the year is over. In fact, if there was even one citizen who would put up as much of a fight as the meat packers are putting up, they would feel like ordering the tar feathers for him right away.

The packers claim there's making one-fifth of a cent on each dollar of meat. And yet they have so crowded the meat business of the country that no one else can get into it on a big scale, even if they were allowed to. They are trying to overlook the fact that the public generally doesn't care if they get a reasonable profit. What they do care about is that the packers have been content to stick to the meat business, but have, after sewing it up so tight that competition was completely stamped out, sought to enter other lines. They have attempted to reach out to such an extent that they would have controlled in a few years various other forms of food, such as vegetables and fruits.

It is where the public registers its protest against the packers, and that is where the public demands stern action on the part of congress.

The packers are giving good service, and the public appreciates it. They are entitled to a fair profit, the same as anyone else, and the public has a right to have it. But when they seek to monopolize other lines of business—that is where the public kicks—and has a perfect right to kick.

A LEADER NEEDED

Over 14,000 Missouri boys and girls are now enrolled in boys and girls clubs, and organization is going steadily ahead during the summer months. Missouri has learned the value of these organizations, and it is time citizens of this community follow her example. Usually these clubs can be formed by a bank or county official. All that is necessary is to issue a call for a meeting of boys and girls of the community, explain the purpose of the club to them and select them in naming officers. We believe everyone would donate something toward the necessary prizes for the best logs, the best corn and the best cans of fruit and vegetables brought into town to be displayed on a specified date in the fall. It is a movement that not only benefits the boys and girls but the community at large. Isn't there some public-spirited citizen here who would like to help the entire community by working up a boys and girls club?

So many of them are getting jobs under the new administration a fellow doesn't have to apologize any more for being an editor.

As long as a girl can wear short skirts she needn't worry about a waist on her neck.

And still another form of tax that is dangerous is a tax on the patient.

When the average politician can't think of anything else to do he starts in to coo-dle the farmer.

Some men are best known, by the way that precedes them down the street.

Our idea of a coward is a man who knows he is wrong but refuses to admit it.

And if it hadn't been for moonshine John Barleycorn would by this time have been in his grave.

It's difficult to convince the man who has been up against it for a long time that he has a lot of good luck coming to him.

An exchange says the war served to bring a lot of historical books into general use. Yes, and a lot of trash books, too.

We read in an eastern paper that the war was won by the gas. What started them in the past.

We sometimes feel that if we could be made from wood it wouldn't be so long until the price of wood would go up.

It's the good old days—a fellow who can't remember an event—

SOME QUIZ AND QUIZZICALS

By the Inevitable A. L. KATZ

Happiness, like health, is man's divine heritage. Don't be cheated of your birthright. The idea that sorrow is the normal condition, spring from the same mind which imagined that if a man were not sick occasionally, there was something the matter with him.

Little acts of kindness and thoughtfulness day by day are really greater than one immense act of goodness once a year.

The state of the world reminds us that the prodigal didn't begin to mend his ways until he became a mendicant.

A man never realizes how insignificant he is until he makes the acquaintance of the stars. And he never realizes how important he is until he makes his acquaintance of moonshine.

Modesty: The quality that permits her to reveal everything north and south of the fortieth parallel, and then worry because her petticoat shows.

It is admitted that the Chinese are more honest than other people, but they are rapidly learning Western culture.

Dinkelheimer: Say Poompernickel, if a Limberg and a half cost a cent and a half what will two cost?

Poompernickel: Two cents, of course, you Dutchman!

A few lines to the mosquito: Summer time's here in all its glory Mosquitoes too, and plus their song, Zing-bizz-zing to make one worry Summer time you stay too long.

Oh, for a clime without this pest Why, oh why, were you created, To pestificate with our nightly rest? Then shall we be elated.

Oh, for a blast that will annihilate you You good for nothing pestiferous bird, Let's pray for that blast—you will sadly rue

And joy over the land, will be heard, will be heard.

COUNTERFEIT

Virginia Griswold, the only child of a famous old Southern house, has been educated in schools abroad. Recalled by the sudden death of her father, she returns home to find that practically all her parent's fortune had been lost through speculation. Colonel Harrington, a typical Southern gentleman of the old school, informs Virginia that the news must be kept from her mother, already ill from the shock of her husband's death. As the bills keep piling in, Virginia wonders what can be done to secure funds to meet them. The morning brings an idea.

The Treasury at Washington has been trying for a long time to discover the source of the large amount of counterfeit money that has suddenly come into circulation. Secret Service operatives have traced certain clues to Newport, but have been forced to stop for lack of further evidence. Thomas Allen, the big financier, has offered a hundred thousand dollars reward for the apprehension of the counterfeiters.

Virginia determines to win the reward and persuades Colonel Harrington to take her to Washington and introduce her to the Secret Service authorities. After a long session the idea of putting a beautiful and intelligent young woman on the trail eventually appeals to them and she is equipped with proper credentials and despatched to Newport. There the letters which the Government has furnished her are sufficient to gain her entrance into the home of the rich, where she quickly takes society by storm.

After a few weeks Virginia stumbles by chance upon an interesting clue. Mrs. Palmer, wife of one of the prominent summer residents, is heavily in debt. Her husband, after warning her time and again about her extravagances and extending her allowance to the limit, refuses to help her out further. Her creditors are hot on her heels and her plight becomes so desperate that she decides to end it all by killing herself. She has the pistol raised to her forehead when Vincent Cortez, a foreign adventurer and society hanger-on visiting the Palmer home, rushes in and averts the tragedy. He is an agent of counterfeiters and when he hears Mrs. Palmer's story he sees a chance to further his game. On the pretense of helping her out her promises her a large sum of money in exchange for a check and Mrs. Palmer agrees to the proposal.

Virginia has been a silent witness to this scene. A few evenings later a representative of Tiffany's calls on Mr. Palmer and tells him that his wife's last bill contracted at that establishment was paid with counterfeit money. Mr. Palmer is greatly agitated, but gives the man a check for the amount to keep the matter hushed up.

Mrs. Palmer has been nervously watching this transaction from behind a curtain and when her husband leaves the room quickly takes the rejected forged bills and places them in a safe. Again Virginia is a witness and late that night while a party is in progress in the kitchen she steals into a room where Mrs. Palmer keeps a book with the combination of the safe in it. She has opened the safe and is about to take the money when she is discovered by her husband.

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Lyric Theatre

MONDAY JULY 11, 1921

ELSIE FERGUSON in  
"Counterfeit"  
A Paramount Picture  
COMEDY & SELZNICK NEWS  
Admission.....20 & 30c.

WEDNESDAY JULY 13, 1921

FOURTEENTH EPISODE OF  
"The Avenging Arrow"  
WITH RUTH ROLAND  
TWO-REEL WESTERN, NEWS AND  
SNUB POLLARD COMEDY

FRIDAY JULY 15, 1921

"TRILBY"  
6 Reel Republic Special  
With CLARA KIMBALL YOUNG  
AND COMEDY  
Admission.....20 & 30c.

the room and comes upon her. She is unable to explain her action, but begs him to trust her, and say nothing about it to the others. Though unable to comprehend what it is all about, he agrees and lets her go.

The next day Virginia and her Secret Service accomplice, named Graham, who is disguised as the butler, lay their plans. Virginia sends a note to Cortez saying that she is desperately in need of money and nothing on which to raise funds except an emerald. She begs that he, as a man of seeming wealth, assist her and come to her at once. Cortez takes the jewel and promises to bring her money the following day. He is secretly infatuated with Virginia and before he leaves tries to take her in his arms. The girl struggles with him. Stuart Kent comes to her rescue, but realizing that she must not antagonize Cortez, Virginia turns on Kent—and tells him to leave instantly.

On the morning following a veiled lady delivers a package of counterfeit money to Virginia. Graham is after bigger game and lets her go unmolested. Late that night Virginia catches glimpses of flashes from a yacht in the harbor directed toward the Graham house and, connecting them with Cortez, gets the inspiration that the boat is the headquarters of the counterfeiters. With Graham and some detectives, she boards the yacht and rounds up the entire crowd, including Cortez. They were just about to flee the country.

Virginia wins the reward and is the object of congratulations from every one. But she's hurt over the misunderstanding between herself and Stuart Kent. But once back in the sunny South old Colonel Harrington learns how matters stand and, sending for Kent and explaining the whole situation to him, sends him into the garden to "Counterfeit" is a Paramount-Artcraft Pictures, featuring Elsie Ferguson and will be presented at The Lyric Theatre, Monday, July 11.

POLICE JURY PROCEEDINGS

Tallulah, La., July 6, 1921.  
Regular meeting of the Police Jury. The meeting was called to order by Hon. Alex Clark, President, at 11:25 A. M. The roll was called and the following members answered present: Hon. Alex Clark, Messrs. W. H. Hewes, W. T. Oakes, J. V. Wright, J. B. Galloway, Sr., A. S. Holloway, W. B. Wallace and V. W. F. Jefferson.

The minutes of the regular meeting held on June 1st and the minutes of the called meeting on June 22 were read and adopted as read.

Mr. Wright moved that the road plane bought from Western Wheeler Scrapper Co., on trial, be accepted and paid for. Motion seconded by Mr. Oakes. Motion passed.

On motion of Mr. Wright seconded by Mr. Hewes, the Secretary was authorized to appoint a responsible party in the neighborhood of Quimby to take charge of the burning of stock and cattle that are dying of charbon and to instruct the person put in charge of the burning of the animals to ascertain definitely to whom the dead animals belonged and to make affidavit against the owner so he can be prosecuted criminally for not having complied with the law regarding animals that die of charbon. The parish is to pay the cost of burning the dead animals. The motion passed unanimously.

The Secretary appointed Mr. B. F. Garrett, of Quimby to look after the burning animals that die in the vicinity of Quimby.

Mr. Jeff Kent came before the Police Jury to make application for the granting of a public road from the Tallulah-Delhi road just west of Lake One, to his property on Eagle Lake a distance of about half a mile.

It was moved by Mr. Wright and seconded by Mr. Oakes, that the President appoint a committee of free holders to act with the road committee to lay off the road to Mr. Kent's property. Seconded and passed.

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Mr. Hewes made a motion seconded by Mr. Wright that the Police Jury

give a scholarship to Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, at Ruston, La., and that all applicants for the scholarship must apply in writing to the Police Jury before Wednesday, August 3. And that Prof. Linton, Prof. Byrd and Mr. G. P. Blair be appointed a committee to examine the applicants and decide to whom the scholarship shall be given. Motion passed.

Bids for the painting of the Parish Jail were opened and read.

The bid of Mr. J. E. Bethea, the only bid received, was rejected because it was deemed too high.

The Secretary was instructed to re-advertise for bids for painting the jail, in the Madison Journal and the Vicksburg Herald.

Mr. John H. Devine reported for the Tick Inspectors, that there are no fever ticks in Madison Parish and that the employment of the Tick Inspectors be discontinued.

Mr. Hewes motion seconded by Mr. Holloway, that Mr. Devine be authorized to issue stock certificates when requested. Motion passed.

The Finance Committee reported the following bills approved and ordered paid:

Dave Howard.....	\$ 6.00
Jacob Ransom.....	31.90
Percy Cornis.....	7.50
J. E. Bethea.....	341.60
Standard Oil Co.....	300.00
Cudlip Belt & Mch. Co.....	34.55
Village of Tallulah.....	62.50
Tallulah Hdw. & Furn. Co.....	62.07
The Madison Journal.....	24.50
Isiah Claiborn.....	25.00
Pelican Lumber Co.....	69.84
Waverly Plantation.....	9.00
The Selig Company.....	44.81
Tallulah Motor Co.....	1.40
H. H. Henderson.....	23.40
Tallulah State Bank.....	27.25
W. E. Bratton.....	2.00
Julius Welch.....	15.75
S. B. Bettis.....	51.50
Dave Anderson.....	2.00
Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co.....	19.55
P. O. Benjamin Secretary.....	399.00
Tallulah Supply Co.....	42.59
Guenard-Lucas Drug Co.....	23.70
Madison Auto Service Co.....	19.50
Tallulah Cotton Oil Co.....	5.10
Austin West. Road Mch. Co.....	375.00
Jno. P. Gates Road Mch. Co.....	4.55
Tendal Lumber Co.....	61.04
A. J. Sevier.....	42.80
G. S. Blanche.....	586.51
J. E. Bethea.....	13.30
W. B. Wallace.....	12.00
Jennie Whitfield.....	114.65
Dr. G. H. Ogbourne.....	10.00

The report of the Treasurer was received and read. (Published in another column.)

There being no further business, the Police Jury adjourned.  
ALEX CLARK, President.  
P. O. BENJAMIN, Secretary.

SHERIFF SALE

State of Louisiana, Parish of Madison  
Ninth Judicial District Court  
ROSE SARTORIOUS DRUG CO.  
Vs.  
No. —

H. H. BURDEEN  
By virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias, to me directed from the Honorable Ninth Judicial District Court for the Parish of Madison, aforesaid, in the above entitled cause, I will proceed to sell, at public auction, at the principal front door of the Courthouse in the town of Tallulah, in Madison Parish, La., on the fourth Saturday, the 23rd Day of July, A. D., 1921, between the hours 11 o'clock and 12 o'clock, the property described by law, all the right, title and interest of H. H. Burdeen in and to the following described property, to-wit:

One second hand Ford Automobile, seized in the above suit.  
Terms of Sale: Cash with benefit of Appraisement.

A. J. SEVIER,  
Sheriff of Madison Parish, La.  
Sheriff's Office, Tallulah, La., July 9th, 1921.

TAX NOTICE

To owners and non-resident owners, whose post-office is unknown, take notice:

That all taxes due the Village of Tallulah for the year 1920 are delinquent and if not paid by or before the expiration of twenty days from the date of this publication, together with penalty, at the rate of ten per cent per annum from December 31, 1921, I will advertise for sale, according to law, the least amount of the following properties any one will take and pay taxes, interest and costs, under provisions of Sections 50 and 51 of Act 170 of year 1898; said delinquent tax debtors being as follows: Estate T. C. Tyler, 2 lots on Chestnut Street, Tallulah, La.

Taxes, 1920.....\$3.25  
Interest and costs to be added.

A. H. HURD,  
Tax Collector, Village of Tallulah,  
Tallulah, La., June 20, 1921.

LOST OR MISLAID

Public notice is hereby given that a certain promissory note signed by H. & J. P. McCain, in favor of M. S. and Jack McCaffrey, endorsed by M. S. and Jack McCaffrey, dated September 18, 1918, and due November 15, 1919, for the principal sum of \$2,750.00, and bearing interest at the rate of 8% per annum from its maturity until paid, and providing for 10% attorney's fees, has been lost or mislaid.

The following credits appear upon the reverse of said note:  
\$688.12 paid April 17, 1920;  
\$403.19 paid April 26, 1920; \$328.17 paid July 9, 1920; \$85.80 paid August 4, 1920; \$84.47 paid August 13, 1920; \$17.16 paid October 26, 1920; \$66.70 paid November 11, 1920.

The said note is the property of this bank, and all persons are warned and cautioned against negotiating for the same.

Tallulah, Louisiana, June 22, 1921.  
TALLULAH STATE BANK  
By W. S. CRAIG, Cashier.

Quality Merchandise, Coupled with Prompt Service and Moderate Prices

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DRY GOODS COMPANY  
MISSISSIPPI'S GREATEST DEPARTMENT STORE  
ONE PRICE TO ALL

# SALES

Sale—A word whose significance has been considerably dulled by indiscriminate usage and an unfortunate association in the minds of many with tawdry cheapness. This store has always used the word cautiously. A Sale with us implies increased benefit to our patrons throughout the sale period, involving an obligation on our part to supply the best at the lowest price. To preserve the impression this word was originally intended to impart, we shall continue to use it sparingly and only when a great event warrants it.

Increased protection is assured you in our use of "ONE PRICE TO ALL."

## Madison Grocery & Grain Co., Inc.

### WHOLESALE!

#### Tallulah : Louisiana

### FRANKS' Eyeglasses And Spectacles

Everybody wants his Glasses Right and wants them Promptly. The Power of the Lense Must be Right. No care is too great. No trouble too much. No test too severe to insure the correctness of our Lenses. We reject them for trifling errors.

**S. J. Franks**  
REGISTERED OPTOMETRIST  
Snyder Block Tallulah, La.

## East Arkansas Lbr. Co.

### While Prices Are Down

Now is the time for you to give us that order for Building Material

Tell us what you want to build and let us make an estimate

## East Arkansas Lumber Co.

W. H. Carroll Manager Phone 133 Tallulah, Louisiana

### STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Tallulah State Bank will be held at the Bank on Tuesday, July 12, 1921, at 11 A. M., for the purpose of electing Directors for the ensuing year, and for transacting such other business as may come before the meeting.

W. S. CRAIG Secretary.

**\$100 Reward, \$100**

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded 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 acts through the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the system and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative power of Hall's Catarrh Medicine that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address: J. C. GIBNEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all Druggists.

### TRESPASS NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that all the Singer Manufacturing Company's land in Madison Parish Louisiana is posted against camping or trespassing in any manner. Violators will be vigorously prosecuted.

POINSETT LBR. & MFG. CO.  
V. W. F. JEFFERSON,  
Timber Warden.

### TRESPASS NOTICE

Public notice is hereby given that trespassing in any manner on the land of the Hester Plantation in Madison Parish is prohibited. Any one found so doing will be vigorously prosecuted. This applies especially to hunters and trappers.

G. S. BLANCHARD