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## COTTON MARKET

Office of The Caucasian,  
Shreveport, La., June 12, 1913.

**Shreveport Market.**  
The market closed dull.  
Receipts none.  
Low middling 10 3-4  
Middling 11 1-2  
Good middling 11 7-8

**Shreveport Receipts**  
Stock on hand Sept. 1.....1,287  
Received this day 0  
Rec'd previously 140,705 140,705  
Total stock to date.....141,992  
Shipments to date.....138,542  
Net stock on hand 3,450  
Same day last year 3,918

**Comparative Statement.**  
This yr. Last yr.  
Since yesterday 0  
Same day last year 13  
Thus far this week 29  
Thus far last year 94  
Since September 1.....140,705 142,498  
Net stock on hand.....3,450 3,918

**Local Receipts.**  
This week  
1913 1912 1911  
Saturday 0 15 0  
Monday 0 29 0  
Tuesday 29 15 0  
Wed'day 0 22 0  
Thursday 0 13 0  
Friday 0 63 0  
Total 29 157 0

## A HOMICIDE.

**W. F. Adair Accidentally Killed in  
Trying to Batter a Door.**

Last night at about 10:45 o'clock  
W. F. Adair shot himself fatally as  
he was battering a door leading to  
the room of B. H. Beard, at the resi-  
dence, No. 1246 Jordan street.

Adair is a cousin of Mrs. Beard,  
who had a "family jar" with her  
husband over one of the children.  
They had retired to their respective  
rooms when Adair came in, and  
feeling resentful she complained to  
Adair of her treatment. Enraged  
over Mrs. Beard's complaint, Adair  
seized a sawed-off shotgun loaded  
with buckshot, intending to kill  
Beard, but the door to his room was  
locked. As Adair hammered at the  
door with the butt of the gun, the  
gun was discharged and the con-  
tents struck Adair in the face.

The only witness to the tragedy is  
Mrs. Beard, who had pleaded in  
vain with Adair to desist from his  
intent. In her extremity Mrs. Beard  
attempted to kill herself, but was  
restrained by V. Leggio, who was  
the first of the neighbors to enter  
the house.

Adair was aged about 29 years and  
was employed as a chauffeur for a  
local transfer company. He was  
from Westdale, La.

Baird was employed at Bob  
Hughes, the grocer on Jordan street.  
He was married at Volton Point  
thirteen years ago.

This homicide carries with it an  
admonition plainly evident, and  
over which comment is unneces-  
sary.

## State Dental Association.

The annual convention of the  
State Dental Association is in ses-  
sion at the City Hall. The proceed-  
ings were opened at 10 o'clock this  
morning by S. J. Bourgeois, presi-  
dent of the association. He was fol-  
lowed by Rev. Jasper K. Smith with  
an eloquent and fervent invocation.

As programmed for today:  
Address of Welcome—Mayor J. H.  
Eastham.

In Behalf of Chamber of Com-  
merce—Mr. F. D. Lee.  
Address—Dr. R. D. Tilly, president  
Fourth District Dental Society.

Annual Address of President—Dr.  
S. J. Bourgeois.  
Thursday—2 p.m. "Enamel, Car-  
ries and Cavity Preparation." Dr. S.  
H. McAfee, New Orleans.

"Gold Inlays"—Dr. H. D. Shehee,  
Arcadia.

"Stop Cavity-fad"—Dr. J. R. Oli-  
ver, St. Martinsville.

Thursday—8 p.m. Oral Hygiene  
Lecture, illustrated by stereopticon  
as used in the New Orleans public  
schools—Dr. C. S. Fuller, New Or-  
leans.

Visit to the Queen Theater. Oral  
hygiene film.

Talk by Secretary State Fair As-  
sociation—Louis S. Brueggerhoff.

"Treatment of Fractures of Max-  
illary Bones, Upper and Lower"—  
Dr. A. G. Friedrichs, New Orleans.

"Eugenics"—Dr. Randell Hunt.

"Practical Application of Euge-  
nics"—Prof. G. C. Huckabay, principal  
Shreveport high school.

Friday—8 p.m. "Radiography as  
an Aid to the Dental Surgeon"—Dr.  
S. C. Barrow, Shreveport.

"Further Investigations of Bacte-  
rial Vaccines Therapy"—Dr. A. Ber-  
nard, Morgan City.

"Porcelain"—Dr. F. Ratzburg of  
Shreveport.

At the session tonight the lecture  
on "Oral Hygiene" will be illustrat-  
ed, which should attract a large  
number of the citizens of Shreve-  
port.

The convention is open to the  
public.

There is much information of  
practical value which may be ob-  
tained by attending the delibera-  
tions of this convention, whose  
members are welcomed to Shreve-  
port.

**A Guilty Conscience.**

It is a little suspicious that the  
sugarites should so violently resent  
the imputation of President Wilson  
in regard to the lobby that is said  
to have established its quarters at  
Washington. If they are not guilty  
no harm will come to them. In place  
of resenting the charge it should  
have invited investigation and co-  
operated with the President in his  
efforts to investigate the existing  
conditions.—Guardian-Journal.

This is another instance of a  
guilty conscience being a self-ac-  
cuser. The sugarites are interested  
in sugar only, and are bound by no  
principle of party. What would the  
sugarites not do to keep sugar on  
the Republican protection list of  
"infant" industries.

## STARNS CONVICTED

**Of Bootlegging in Vivian, La.—The  
Maximum Penalty.**

In the District Court, Judge John  
R. Land on being tried today, W. M.  
Starns, a bootlegger from Vivian,  
was convicted of violating the pro-  
hibition law. He was sentenced to  
pay a fine of \$500 and serve one year  
at the Parish Farm, and one year  
additional in default of payment.

Lacrouts, convicted of bootleg-  
ging, was sentenced to pay a fine of  
\$500 and serve one year on the Par-  
ish Farm, and one year additional  
in default of payment.

In passing sentence on the ac-  
cused Judge Land remarked that  
Judge Bell and Judge Blanchard  
had imposed the penalty of \$500 fine  
and six months on the farm, and  
that this penalty did not have the  
desired effect on the bootlegger to  
desist and to respect the law, and  
therefore he, as judge, beginning  
now, would impose the maximum  
penalty on all violators of the law  
of prohibition whether they are  
white or black.

Judge Land announced that when  
a question of veracity was raised  
between sworn officers of the law  
and the bootlegger or the bootleg-  
ger's witnesses, he would give cred-  
ence to the officers of the law.

Judge Land's attitude is in keep-  
ing with common sense and is within  
the spirit of law and justice.

As a rule, with very rare excep-  
tions, the experienced judge can  
readily detect the truthfulness or  
the fabrication of witnesses when  
on the stand.

District Attorney Mabry is to be  
commended for his success in se-  
curing convictions in these cases.

## The Sale of Beer in the Restricted District.

At the session of the City Council  
yesterday an ordinance submitted  
by Commissioner Fullilave was  
adopted, which if enforced will  
operate against the keeping of beer  
for alleged personal use in the re-  
stricted district.

Under the guise of "for personal  
use" beer in quantity as well as in-  
toxicants are kept in, which the  
innates of these houses of prostitu-  
tion sell or dispose of to their call-  
ers, and when arrested and held for  
trial secure immunity on the pre-  
tense of for personal use.

In some of these houses there  
have been found kegs of beer and  
gallons of whiskey.

The ordinance provides that it  
shall be unlawful to have or keep  
intoxicating liquors in any place  
within the restricted section, or in  
any house or room used for im-  
moral purposes, "for any purpose  
whatever," and "in any quantity  
whatever," and affects keepers, less-  
ees, owners, agents, inmates, em-  
ployes, watchers, hirelings, habi-  
tues or visitors. There is a maximum  
fine of \$100 and a minimum of \$80.  
In default the fine must be worked  
out on the streets or in other public  
places at the rate of \$1 per day.

This ordinance will become ef-  
fective in about thirty days, when  
"for personal use" will no longer be  
a deliberate intent to evade the law.

This ordinance if enforced rigidly  
will probably deter a number of in-  
dividuals who are attracted not by  
the women but the beer and the in-  
toxicants which, as alleged, have  
been served at exorbitant prices.

## Weather and Crops.

New Orleans Picayune June 11:  
The past week has been a favorable  
period for the cotton crop from the  
weather standpoint. Following the  
soot rains of the preceding week  
there was plenty of sunshine and a  
material rise in temperature. This  
higher temperature enabled the  
speculators to start the cry of dan-  
ger from hot winds and the like, al-  
though the records do not show that  
the hot weather was abnormal for  
this period of the season, and it  
certainly was not as hot as the same  
time the past season.

According to all accounts the cot-  
ton crop is now making good prog-  
ress all over the belt, and the in-  
crease in acreage is known to be  
substantial. In south Texas and in  
southern Georgia cotton is already  
blooming, indicating an early move-  
ment of cotton to market this year.  
Although some districts complain  
of backwardness, the crop as a  
whole appears to be doing very well.  
The corn crop profited by the good  
weather of the past week, as did  
also rice, although rain would now  
be welcome for both crops.

## River Forecast.

The change will be unimportant  
at Fulton and Shreveport during  
the next 48 hours.

## PARISH BUDGET.

**Report of the Finance Committee of  
Police Jury of Caddo Parish.**

Shreveport, La., June 12, 1913.—To  
the President and Members of the  
Caddo Parish Police Jury, Shreve-  
port, Louisiana: Gentlemen—We,  
your finance committee, herewith  
offer for your approval the budget  
for 1913, and with it a desire to offer  
a few words of explanation.

Ere investigation, we had hoped  
to lessen the rate of taxation due to  
an increase of the assessment. How-  
ever, we are confronted with the  
fact that the constitutional provi-  
sion, a three (3) mill rate for school  
purposes and which we can not ig-  
nore. In addition thereto the five  
(5) mills voted by the taxpayers for  
hard surface roads, precludes any  
diminution in the rate of five (5)  
mills.

In consequence it will be observed  
that we have simply made a rate of  
four and one-half (4½) mills to  
cover all general purposes or such  
that come or are at our disposition.

In preparing the budget we are  
governed by the experiences of the  
past, and we regret to say, that the  
criminal expense of the parish, em-  
bracing the criminal court proceed-  
ings, jurors and witnesses fees, are  
yearly becoming more and more ex-  
pensive and we are powerless to  
suggest the remedy. Respectfully  
submitted.

**WILLIAM WINTER,  
GEORGE THURBER,  
R. H. GULLEDGE,  
Committee.**

## Budget 1913.

**Resources—**  
3 mills school on assess-  
ment of \$29,636,382, less  
commissions ..... \$ 87,130.96  
5 mills permanent roads..... 145,218.28  
4½ mills general fund..... 130,696.44  
Licenses ..... 2,000.00  
Vehicle and per capita..... 6,000.00

**Total ..... \$371,045.68**

**Disbursements—**  
Schools 3 mills less com-  
missions ..... \$ 87,130.96  
Permanent roads, 5 mills  
less commissions ..... 145,218.28  
Good roads ..... 25,000.00  
Bridges ..... 7,500.00  
Ferries ..... 3,000.00  
Elections ..... 2,000.00  
Parish Farm, maintenance  
Parish Farm, house, etc.,  
for juveniles ..... 4,500.00  
Parish Farm, sewerage  
and water system ..... 3,000.00  
Salaries ..... 10,000.00  
District attorney ..... 6,000.00  
Assessor ..... 7,500.00  
Criminal ..... 15,000.00  
Jurors and witnesses..... 10,000.00  
Repairs ..... 2,000.00  
Health and sanitation ..... 3,000.00  
District clerk ..... 1,000.00  
Louisiana State Fair, Cad-  
do exhibits ..... 1,250.00  
Louisiana State Fair,  
general exhibits ..... 1,250.00  
Louisiana State Fair,  
horse and cow barns..... 8,000.00  
Incidentals ..... 24,196.44  
**Total ..... \$371,045.68**

## Real Estate Market.

**Record of transfers of real estate  
as furnished by the Caddo Abstract  
Company, office in Commercial Na-  
tional Bank building.**

B. F. Kelley to W. G. Faries, lots  
12 and 13 block 1 Queensborough  
subdivision; \$625.

W. G. Faries to B. F. Kelley, lots  
27 and 28 Bellaire; \$2,300.

Dr. J. K. Shepherd to Dr. J. E.  
Henderson, lots in Belcher; \$4,250.

T. L. Hammett to R. R. Emery,  
lots 50, 51, 52 Samford Place; \$6,000.

B. F. Kelley to J. F. Fort et al, lot  
15 block 12 Queensborough; \$1,400.

Home Land Co. to Annie Gibbs, lot  
85 Greenlawn Terrace; \$750.

J. M. Montgomery to P. W. Mc-  
Cann Sr., lots 12 and 13 block 8 Wa-  
terside subdivision; \$2,800.

Pierre Lacrouts to J. J. Lagier,  
s 1-2 of s 1-2 of nw 1-4 section 18,  
17, 13; \$7,000.

Leo Melancon to J. E. Peyton, lots  
64 and 65 Fairmount; \$4,300.

Wesley E. Whelless to Norman E.  
Dawson, lot 4 T. B. Jordan subdi-  
vision; \$2,800.

Home Land Co. to Henry Woods,  
lot 66 Greenlawn Terrace; \$878.40.

Home Land Co. to Columbus  
Brown, lots 94 and 95 Greenlawn  
Terrace; \$922.25.

L. C. Butler to Dovie Richardson,  
lot 14 block 7 Talbot & Perrin sub-  
division; \$235.

J. W. Atkins et al to Caddo Lake  
Oil Co., ne 1-4 of sw 1-4, fractional  
nw 1-4 of se 1-4 and fractional ne  
1-4 of se 1-4 ec. 8, 20, 15; \$50,000.

Miss Olive Montgomery to F. C.  
Banahan, lot 29 block 28 Queens-  
borough; \$450.

## Summer Time

EVERYTHING FOR SUMMER WEAR AND USE

Summer Silks, Sheer Wash Goods and White Goods.  
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plete Stock in North Louisiana

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## THE POLICE JURY.

**The Officials Elected for the Eas-  
ting Year.**

At the session of the Police Jury  
of Caddo Parish held today the of-  
ficials of that body were re-elected  
for the ensuing years as follows:

Capt. W. T. Crawford, president.

A. L. Durringer, clerk.

Board of Control: Capt. W. T.  
Crawford, L. R. Phillips and R. T.  
Douglas.

C. E. Perroncel is treasurer. He  
was elected last year for the term  
of two years as fixed by law.

Juror William Winter presided.

The re-election of Mrs. Durringer  
is not only complimentary but is a  
recognition of her ability, diligence  
and faithful performance of her du-  
ties.

The various committees will be  
announced by the president, Captain  
Crawford, and will most probably be  
as they are now.

## Sugar Lobby the Blackest.

As reported from Washington the  
inquiry into the "pernicious lobby"  
is developing a condition which  
fully sustains the suspicions of  
President Wilson. There is appar-  
ently a combination of active men,  
with money a plenty, whose pur-  
pose is to overwhelm in defeat the  
pledge of the Democracy to revise  
the tariff downward. The "sugar  
lobby" is said to be the blackest,  
"will be worse than all the other  
parts of the insidious and insidious  
body," if the probers have their  
way.

## AUCTION SALE.

I will sell show car No. 5 con-  
signed to Bill Smith, at 11 a.m.  
June 17, 1912, near H. E. & W. T.  
freight depot. **W. W. OTTS,**  
June 8, 1913. Auctioneer.

## Bone from Leg Is Used to Patch Spinal Column.

Los Angeles, Cal., June 10.—With  
a section of bone from his left leg  
substituted for a diseased portion of  
his spine, Frederick Loring of this  
city, aged 17, is reported today to  
be on the road to recovery from an  
ailment that has afflicted him from  
birth. Surgeons believe the trans-  
planted bone will fill all the func-  
tions of the vertebrae destroyed by  
a tubercular infection.

## PREDICTS MORE TRADE.

**Sir Charles Wright Macara Praises  
Wilson Tariff Plans.**

Times-Democrat special in a tele-  
gram dated New York, June 10,  
states that the International Cotton  
Congress opened at Schevevingen  
on Monday. Sir Charles Wright Ma-  
cara, president of the English Fed-  
eration of Master Cotton Spinners,  
said there was no doubt that with  
the revision of the American tariff  
and the probable reduction of a  
considerable amount in the price of  
cotton goods, trade between Europe  
and America would show a consid-  
erable amount in the price of cotton  
goods, trade between Europe and  
America would show a considerable  
increase.

President Wilson's action regard-  
ing "gambling" in foodstuffs and  
raw materials, said Sir Charles, was  
commendable, as the price of the  
world's cotton crop so largely de-  
pended on the price of American  
cotton. He praised President Wilson  
for "having rid the market of the  
violent fluctuations that have  
been so detrimental to the welfare  
of the cotton industry and the  
world."

Jonkherr Terkuile, president of  
the Dutch Manufacturers Associa-  
tion, who presided, spoke of the  
strained relations between employ-  
ers and their workmen. He showed  
that the profits of the cotton indus-  
try did not exceed 5 per cent, and,  
as the consumption of cotton goods  
depended largely on the cost of pro-  
duction, the raising of wages would  
damage greatly the cotton industry  
and the working classes.

## Weather Forecast.

Local forecast for Shreveport and  
vicinity: Unsettled and warmer to-  
night and Friday.

## Important to Ginners

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us why we do not deserve it.  
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We carry more cars in stock to sell than all others. We have the  
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where TELL US.

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