

# THE CAUCASIAN

TUESDAY, FEB. 18, 1919.

## PROVISION MARKET.

Quotations Carefully Revised and Corrected.

### Hog Products.

MEAT—Dry salt ribs 29c; dry salt plates 24c.  
HAMS—Per lb. 39 to 41c.  
LARD—Per lb.: "Fierce compound 24 1-2c; pure lard 30c.

### Flour and Meal.

FLOUR—High wheel, \$12.75.  
MEAL—Standard 24-lb. sack 95c; cream meal, \$1.05.  
GRITS—Per barrel \$10.00.

### Feedstuffs.

CORN—Per bushel \$2.10.  
CHOPS—Per sack, \$3.50.  
BRAN—Per sack, \$2.95.  
SHORTS—\$3.10.  
HAY—Per ton: Arkansas \$16.00; Timothy \$20.00; native alfalfa \$42.00; Mexican alfalfa \$44.00.

### Sugar and Molasses.

SUGAR—Standard granulated per 100 lbs. \$9.60; yellow clarified, \$9.30; yellow clarified, prime \$9.10.  
MOLASSES—Per gal: Choice 90c; prime 85c; common 80c; pure sugar house 95c.

### Dairy Products.

BUTTER—Country good to choice 25c; fancy creamery 65c; one-pound bricks 65c.  
CHEESE—Per lb. 40c.

### Coffee.

COFFEE—Per lb., fair, 26c; medium, 23c; better grade, 30c.

### Poultry and Eggs.

CHICKENS—Fryers \$7.00; broilers \$4.00-\$4.50; hens 25c per lb.  
TURKEYS—Per pound 25c.  
COCKS, guineas and culls \$3.00.  
DUCKS—Per dozen \$4.50.  
EGGS—Per dozen 40c.

### Vegetables.

CABBAGE—Per lb. 3 1-4c.  
ONIONS—Per lb., 3 1-2c.  
POTATOES—Per lb., 3c.  
LIMA BEANS—Per lb., 4c.  
NAVY BEANS—Per lb., 12c.  
BLACK-EYED PEAS—8 1-2c.

### Fruits and Nuts.

APPLES—Per box \$3.75.  
CALIFORNIA ORANGES—Medium to small size, box, \$5.00-\$5.50.  
LEMONS—Per box, \$6.00 to \$6.50.  
ALMONDS—Per pound 30c.  
WALNUTS—Per lb. 34c-35c.  
PEANUTS—Raw hand picked per pound, 14 1-2c; roasted, 18c.  
COCOANUTS—Per 100 \$10.00.  
BRAZIL NUTS—Per lb. 29c.  
PECANS—Per lb. 18c-35c.  
CALIFORNIA ORANGES—Large to medium, \$4.00.

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# SALVATION ARMY LASSIES BRAVE BATTLE PERILS

## Heroic Women Carry Doughnuts and Pie Where Bombs Are Smashing.

## PROUD RECORD OF SERVICE

### Earn Admiration and Gratitude of Armies They Serve—Day After Day They Serve to Their Posts, Ministering to the Boys in Front.

Paris.—Tales of bravery and extraordinary courage shown by women working with the American and British armies continue to interest us at every turn over here.

Day after day and month after month, women stuck to their posts in hospitals, in advanced dressing stations, in work of ministering to the boys behind the lines, without the slightest show of fear or hysteria, while falling shells and bursting bombs tore up the earth about them.

These women have earned the admiration and gratitude of the armies they served. Among this big number of courageous women are two young members of the Salvation Army, Capt. Louise Young and Lieut. Stella Young of New York city. They shared the hardships and dangers of the American doughboy in the battle zones of France and are now continuing their work of sewing on his buttons, mending his clothes, baking pies and doughnuts, writing letters home and being a sister in service with the First American army division, now on German soil.

Their record of work is a remarkable one not alone for the wonderful assistance they were able to give but because of the opportunity they had by reason of the confidence placed in them by the military authorities for service in the furthest advanced positions permitted to women.

### Born into Salvation Army.

These two young women were virtually born into Salvation Army work, for their parents for years were working members of this great peace army. They went to France last February. The following notes of their work, jotted down in diary form, gives in part the interesting story of work done by these two plucky American girls:

"February.—At last we are in France! We have a quaint old house for our canteen, and where do you suppose we sleep? In a dugout under the house next door. I say sleep, but for several nights after we arrived here we didn't sleep much. The village is bombed almost every night.

"Two days after we arrived we had our first introduction to real warfare. We had just finished cleaning up the canteen preparatory to opening up for business the next morning. We used up a scrubbing brush and several pieces of soap and a lot of washing powder, but the place shows it. My arms feel it.

"We have gone to our dugout. There is something about this accommodation reminds one of wild animals encroached in hillside holes. This comparison suggested itself to me as I recalled the thousands of men in the armies in France who live like moles in the earth, in trenches, in dugouts, in shell holes and rifle pits.

### Thankful for Cots.

"But we have army cots and blankets and a wooden box for a dressing table, with a supply of wax candles. The candles and the cots mark the dividing line between civilization and the early cave-man's state.

"How thankful we are for these cots. How tired we are! We feel quite luxurious lying here wrapped in blankets. Hundreds of soldiers passed through here today. I wonder where they are now and what they are doing?

"What is that dreadful noise? I never heard anything like it in all my life except once in the thundering crashes of a tornado out West when I was a girl of ten. I lit the candle and dressed. Perhaps a bomb had killed some of our people. I hurried upstairs, where all was quiet. It is cold and damp outside, but the moon is bright. I walked over to the kitchen. All was peaceful there, so I went through the next room and into the kitchen.

"I could have cried with the sight I saw. The kitchen was, or had been, covered with glass. A bomb had been dropped on that glass and our kitchen, which we had scrubbed to almost snowy whiteness, was now a mass of broken glass and splintered wood.

"The day after we are promised a canvas roof for our kitchen. The debris is cleared away. Two of our men have arrived with a truckload of supplies. At last we are at our real work of baking pies and doughnuts. The men have carried gallons of water from a nearby well and have helped us to prepare the coffee.

"I have seen enough things on wheels today to encircle the globe. They all pass through here on their way to the front. Huge lumbering wagons, carrying tons and tons of ammunition, others carrying tons of food and other supplies; scores of rolling kitchens, ambulances too me-

merous to count, and several cars carrying both French and American officers.

"We are ready to serve. We, too, are now a part of this big program of warfare. I am eager to meet the boys. One feels a queer little thrill of excitement as they come marching up the road, one big picture of moving khaki.

"Our captain has gone down the road a way to inform the commanding officer that we are ready to serve the boys with hot coffee and doughnuts if he would permit them to stop long enough en route to accept this truly American refreshment. He gives his consent.

### Doughnut Surprise Boys.

"Our big tank of coffee is placed on a wooden box outside the canteen. It is boiling hot. Hundreds of freshly baked doughnuts furnish a surprise to the boys as they tilt their tin hats backwards to get a better view of the refreshment counter—a 3/4 of a curiosity in this place. It seems as if this youth from New York observed this big attack on the doughnuts. 'Gee!' he said, 'you girls must have been baking when we started from the States!'

"How did you ever get up here?" one asked. 'Aren't you afraid of the Boche bombs?' When did you leave the States? and dozens of other questions.

"They liked our coffee. They praised our apple pie. Their enthusiasm is infectious. Everybody is cheerful by their presence, and as everyone says, their self-confident manner insures victory.

"The roof of our dugout is covered with sandbags, but the enemy is determined to wreck the town. Our men have news to that effect. We have been told by the authorities that we must leave, as the danger is too great. This has been a busy center for many weeks, and we give it up reluctantly.

"Two weeks later: I thought it was quite an event when I distributed doughnuts to the boys in the trenches, but here we are in the thick of the battle itself. Traveling since six o'clock in the morning, at two we reached a small town from which the Germans had been driven only a few hours before. The earth at times seems to tremble with the vibrations of the guns as we stand before the improvised evacuation hospital.

"While our men unload the big supply of oranges, lemons and sugar we have brought with us, sister and I report to the doctors. I continue moving line of ambulances is bringing in the wounded—Americans, French and German alike. As their wounds are treated and dressed they are placed in other ambulances and sent to the special trains waiting and thence to the base hospitals.

### Doctors Work Like Mad.

"The doctors are working like mad. The chief surgeon scarcely looked at me. 'Yes,' he said, 'get them something cold to drink, and get it quick.'

"We have lemons and sugar," I said. "We can make lemonade."

"Do it quick," he snapped. "And have it cold."

"While we squeezed lemons into a bucket Billy Hale bustled off in the camion in search of water. It didn't take him long to find a spring with water clear and cold as ice. He filled the huge tank and sped back to us. We soon had gallons of lemonade ready to serve to the boys, hot and feverish from the fight.

"They are wonderful, these boys of ours. Being an American, this moment thrills me with pride. Battered and broken in the fight, and surely suffering terribly from the awful wounds that war has inflicted, these boys are marvellously brave. Lying there on blood-stained stretchers, calmly, patiently waiting the doctor's hand, no complaint is uttered. There is no outcry from these young heroes, almost superhuman, it seems to me, in their super self-control."

### Rural Mail Carrier Is Popular Among Farmers

Warrensburg, Mo.—H. J. Lyon, a rural mail carrier on route 1, is the most popular carrier on a rural route in the state, it is believed here. After every heavy fall of snow—there have been a number this year—the farmers on his route break ground for a hot dinner by the farmer who is nearest to him at noontime every day.

### TRIBUTE TO U. S. SOLDIERS

German Writes to Brother in This Country That Yankees Are "Fine Bunch."

St. Louis, Mo.—A remarkable tribute to the American troops in Germany is paid by a German woman whose husband and son served three years and a half in the German army. In a letter just received here.

The writer is Mrs. Joseph Schwelech, Hayingen, Lorraine, and the letter is addressed to her brother, Fred Wuchelheim of this city.

"At the present writing we have quite a few Americans. Very fine people. The children talk to them in English, the little that they know. They also play musical instruments together. Apparently the gentlemen who are stopping with us are well placed here, but it is no surprise; they are all very fine gentlemen and unusually good-looking soldiers. It is a pleasure to us to have them with us."

## Ideas Worth Fortunes Are at the Disposal of Those of Inventive Turn of Mind

A soldier was once tramping along a country road on his way to rejoin his unit. Hearing that a casual friend put him rather down, a casual friend put him up for the night at an inn, and on parting with him in the morning gave him some tobacco. To show his gratitude, the soldier parted with the only thing he had which he thought would be of service to his benefactor, the recipe for making bootblacking. Out of that simple recipe was born a great polish firm.

"I was singing to the mouthpiece of a telephone," said Edison, "when the vibrations of my voice caused a fine steel point to pierce one of my fingers. This set me to thinking. If I could record the motions of the point and send it over the same surface afterward, I saw no reason why the thing should not talk. That's the story."

It was a passing idea which gave the world the discovery of galvanic electricity, so useful in transmitting local and written language. Mme. Galvani simply happened to notice the contraction of the muscles of a skinned frog accidentally touched at the moment her husband took a spark from an electric machine. That was the whole thing.

### Chinese Use Ancient Method Of Printing and Engraving

The Chinese follow the primitive way of printing from engraved wooden blocks. The matter to be printed is first written, by means of ink, upon paper, which is pasted face downward upon a block of a pear or plum tree. After the paper becomes dry it is rubbed until an inverted impression of the characters is left. Then the blank spaces are cut away and the block is turned over to the printer, who works by hand. He takes care to ink the characters equally and to avoid tearing the impression.

### Wireless Telephony Is in Infancy and Distance May Be No Barrier in Future

Telephoning may be said to have reached the height of its power when the latest accomplishment is related. Already, observes the Bee Holmes Capital, we have heard that communication has been had from the ground with airplanes going at considerable speed. The distance of communication has been that of only two miles and then with the engine cut off.

Now the unprecedented record has been made of talking with a machine 100 miles away. Lieutenant Commander G. D. Murray talked to a naval airplane which was on its way from Washington to Hampton Roads; and the aviator heard what was said distinctly and even recognized the voice of the speaker.

The prediction is made that wireless telephony is in its infancy and the successful experiment just conducted leads to the belief that eventually it will be possible to talk at almost any distance with an airplane in full flight.

## HOUSE POULTRY COMFORTABLY

Comfortable quarters should be furnished the pullets as soon as they are ready to start laying. The poultry house is both the home of the hen and the factory where winter eggs are produced. Unless it provides suitable living and working conditions the hen cannot accomplish satisfactory results, says T. B. Townsley of the University of Missouri college of agriculture. Comfort is the important essential of a poultry house. To provide comfort the house must be dry, well lighted and well ventilated and have sufficient floor space to furnish exercise by scratching. It must also contain sleeping quarters that are clean, well ventilated and yet free from drafts. All these conditions can be met in one room, thus economizing in the expense of building.

Ventilation in a poultry house is secured by leaving the south side relatively open and making the other sides tight. This provides plenty of fresh air without drafts. Where possible, light should be admitted from all sides. This prevents dark corners and eliminates the nuisance of having the litter all scratched to one side, which occurs when light is secured from only one direction. Exercise is insured by keeping the floor covered with several inches of straw, and feeding all grain in this litter. The roosting quarters should be compact and comfortable. They can be made easy to clean by placing all roosts on a level at the north side of the house and by arranging a platform underneath the roosts to catch the night droppings.

### Enough Candles to Keep One Burning for 5,250 Years

The signing of the armistice left the American expeditionary forces in France with enough candles to keep one burning continuously without interruption for 5,250 years, according to an official statement from the office of purchase and storage of the war department. The primary use of the candles was to furnish lights in the trenches and dugouts.

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## CHARTER

of The A. L. Weiss Company, Inc.

State of Louisiana, Parish of Cadejo.

Before me, the undersigned authority, duly qualified, came and appeared the parties whose names are enumerated hereto who declared that availing themselves of the laws of the State of Louisiana they have formed and constituted themselves as well as all other persons who may hereafter become associated with them into a private corporation under the following articles of incorporation to-wit:

### ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation shall be A. L. WEISS COMPANY, INC., and under said corporate name shall have and enjoy succession for a period of twenty-five years.

### ARTICLE II.

The domicile of this corporation shall be in the City of Shreveport, La.

### ARTICLE III.

The purpose and objects for which this corporation is organized is for the purpose of carrying on a general retail dry goods business, to buy and sell dry goods, boots, shoes, hats, notions, and all things generally handled by dry goods establishments, to buy and sell real estate necessary to the conduct of said business and to open branch stores in all cities, towns, and villages in the State of Louisiana; to sue and be sued in its corporate name, to make contracts for its government, and to have and use a corporate seal.

### ARTICLE IV.

The capital stock of this corporation shall be Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars divided into three hundred shares of a par value of one hundred (\$100.00) Dollars per share, and the said capital stock may be increased according to law to one hundred thousand (\$100,000.00) Dollars. All stock may be paid for as allowed by law, provided that no stock shall be issued until fully paid for at which time it shall become fully paid up and non-assessable. And this corporation shall commence to engage in business when Twenty Thousand (\$20,000.00) Dollars of this stock at least has been subscribed for and paid in.

### ARTICLE V.

The affairs of this corporation shall be managed and controlled by a Board of Directors consisting of four directors, who shall hold office for one year, or until their successors are elected by a stockholders' meeting, and a stockholders' meeting shall be held on the first Tuesday in April of each year, beginning with Tuesday, April 9, 1919, and the first Board of Directors shall be A. L. Weiss, Arthur Weiss, Mrs. Rosa Weiss and Mrs. Helma Weiss.

### ARTICLE VI.

The executive officers of the corporation shall be a President, who shall also be Secretary and a Vice-President, who shall also be Treasurer, and the officers for the first year shall be A. L. Weiss, Arthur Weiss, Mrs. Rosa Weiss and Mrs. Helma Weiss.

### ARTICLE VII.

No stockholder shall ever be held liable or responsible for the contracts or debts of this corporation in any further sum than an amount equal to the unpaid balance due on his stock, nor shall any mere informality in organization have the effect of rendering this charter null or exposing any stockholder to any liability other than as above provided.

Done and passed at my office in the city of Shreveport, Cadejo parish, La., in the presence of attesting witnesses on this, the 18th day of February, 1919.

A. L. WEISS, Shreveport, La., 297 shares.  
ARTHUR WEISS, Shreveport, La., 99 shares.  
ROSA WEISS, Shreveport, La., 99 shares.  
MRS. HELMA WEISS, Shreveport, La., 99 shares.

ATTEST:  
A. C. GAYLE,  
Notary Public.  
GEORGE THURBERG,  
Notary Public.  
15, 1919.

Deputy Clerk and Ex-officio Deputy Recorder,  
State of Louisiana,  
Parish of Cadejo:  
I hereby certify that the above

## SUCCESSION NOTICE.

No. 2005. First District Court of Louisiana, State of Louisiana, Parish of Cadejo. Succession of Theodore and Mrs. Addie A. Owen.

Notice is hereby given that James J. Stockhouse has this day applied to be appointed administrator of said succession, and unless opposition be made thereto within the time specified by law he will be appointed as prayed for.

Witness the Honorable J. R. Land, Judge of said court, this 17th day of February, 1919.

A. S. HARTIN,  
Deputy Clerk.

## SUBJECT'S SALE.

No. 2003. In the First Judicial District Court of Louisiana, Joseph K. Herold vs. Heirs of Abram Hufschmidt.

By virtue of a commission to sell, to me directed from the Honorable First Judicial District Court of Cadejo Parish, Louisiana, in the above numbered and entitled cause, I will sell at public auction for cash, according to law, at the principal front door of the courthouse of Cadejo Parish, Louisiana, during the legal hours of sale, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 22, 1919.

The east fourteen acres of the north seventeen (17) acres of the west half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 14, Township 7, Range 12, an eighth parish, La., together with all buildings and improvements thereon; an undivided one-fourth interest in an undivided one-fourteenth interest in the defendants.

Said property to be sold for cash and without appraisal, in order to effect a partition thereof.

T. R. HUGHES,  
Sheriff and Ex-officio Auctioneer,  
Cadejo, La., Feb. 18, 1919.

## SIXTY DAYS AT THE FARM

Durant Thomland, who, head of the parish farm for forty years, has been assigned to the duty of the parish farm for forty years.

W. S. W.

## MONROE BOY SCOUTS.

(Webster Signal.)  
Monroe Boy Scouts are to have a home of their own, through the generosity of Herman Medicine who has donated the use of the necessary ground and contributed the logs to be used in the construction of the hut, which will consist of three rooms, a hall and two galleries.

## A WORKING COMMITTEE.

President G. St. Leatham of the Shreveport Real Estate Board, has appointed S. D. Sigon, Robert R. Emery and A. C. Steere a committee to work in connection with the national association in its present efforts to encourage the release of available funds for the resumption of construction in line with the present demand for rental property. This is an active committee who will secure results of at all obtainable.

## RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, the parish of Cadejo has a number of tuberculosis patients which are now being treated by the Shreveport Anti-Tuberculosis League, said institution being situated in the parish of Cadejo and, Whereas, the parish of Cadejo has no institution in which said patients can be treated, and Whereas, it is agreed by all authorities that tuberculosis is an infectious and communicable disease, dangerous to the public health and to care for the tuberculosis patients of said parish and to prevent the spread of said disease it becomes necessary for the parish to make arrangements for the treatment of said patients.

Therefore be it Resolved, That the sum of fifteen thousand (\$15,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and is hereby appropriated out of the resources of 1919, 1920, 1921, five thousand (\$5,000) dollars, or as much thereof as may be necessary to be paid annually to the Shreveport Anti-Tuberculosis League to enable it to care for and treat the tuberculosis patients of Cadejo parish for a period of ten years, beginning January 1, 1919; said sum to be used and expended under the directions and supervision of the Police Jury, and that the president of the Police Jury be and is hereby authorized to draw said sum to pay same over to the said Shreveport Anti-Tuberculosis League at such times and in such amounts as he may deem expedient.

Adopted February 13, 1919.

W. T. CRAWFORD,  
President.

A. L. BURINGER, Clerk.

## CONSTABLE SALE.

No. 10. In the First Ward Justice of the Peace Court, Parish of Cadejo, State of Louisiana.—P. P. Hollis vs. Joe, diabolical and wife.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias to me directed from the Justice of the Peace Court, Ward One, Cadejo Parish, La., in the above numbered and entitled cause, I have seized and will sell at public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, according to law, at the front door of the justice court, Cadejo, La., without appraisal, during the legal hours of sale, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 1919.

Following described property to-wit: One Bureau, 1 wooden bed, 2 mattresses, 2 quilts, 2 blankets, 1 sewing machine, one dining room cabinet, one kitchen cabinet, one wardrobe, one dining table, two rocking chairs, one baby chair, one washstand, one gas heater, one bowl and pitcher and stove jar, glassware and dishes and cooking utensils, one dining chair, one mirror.

The said property will be sold to pay and satisfy the debt as specified in said writ together with costs.

J. H. SIDEN, Constable,  
Cadejo, La., Feb. 18, 1919.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.

No. 23,324.—First District Court of Louisiana. Succession of Samuel Bryson.

By virtue of a commission issued to me by the Honorable First Judicial District Court of Cadejo Parish, Louisiana in the above numbered and entitled suit, I will offer for sale at the store in the town of Greenwood, Cadejo Parish, Louisiana, on the 1st day of March, 1919, all the personal property belonging to above succession as shown by inventory on file in said succession to be sold for cash, according to law to pay debts.

MARTHA BRYSON,  
Administratrix,  
Cadejo, La., Feb. 18, 1919.

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