FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD.

The peach crop is short.

Eight persons were killed in a violent storm near Phillipsburg, Kans.

Eminent 2d recently sold at T. Cooper's public sale of Jerseys for $10,000.

Nine men were killed and thirteen injured in a dynamite explosion at a powder plant near Emporium, Pa.

Ten million dollars as an endowment for higher education in the United States has been given to the general education Board by John D. Rockfeller.

President Hadley, of Yale, announced that John D. Rockfeller had promised $1,000,000 to the University, and graduates have pledged another million.

In all this affair of war and rumors of war, the Sultan of Turkey seems to take very little part—slaughtering Armenians seems to be all the pasttime he wants.

The Jacksonville Times-Union is skeptical and irreverent enough to observe that the cotton crop (official) estimate, "as usual, seems to be a healthy mass of mendacity."

A white man named Beasly was convicted by a white jury at Waynesboro, Miss., of assault on a negro girl with criminal intent. All the State's witnesses were negroes.

Two miles of right of way for an extension of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley Railroad in Issaquena County (in the Delta) were valued at $10,000 by a jury of eminent domain.

Admiral Alexieff, talking in St. Petersburg for publication, said Russia will cede no territory nor pay indemnity to Japan. Alexieff has developed a great deal Dutch (vodka) courage since he returned from the front.

Big preparations are being made for the Georgia State Fair, to be held in Atlanta this fall. Why not Louisiana have a big blowout of this sort? Our Louisiana is richer and fully as capable of having a State Fair as is Georgia.

Land Commissioner J. J. Terrell of Texas, announces that six million acres of Texas public lands will be placed on sale September 1 at prices ranging from $1 up; terms one-fourth cash, balance forty years time with 3 per cent interest.

Toledo, Ohio, June 30.—One of the most remarkable flights ever made in an air ship was performed to day by A. R. Knabenshue, who sailed through the air a distance of 3 miles, landed on top of a ten story office building in twenty five minutes from the time of starting and then returned to the depot from which he started.

The records in Dr. W. D. Hunters office show that boll weevils are scattered fairly well throughout all parts of North Texas. From Wichita Falls to Texarkana, all the way under Red River the pests established themselves during October and November last fall. The weevil is active as far north as Wills Point, Van Zandt county.

A famous bible, known as the "Blood Bible," has been sold by public auction at Breslau to the descendant of Frederick Von Trenk its original owner, for $200. Frederick von Trenk was imprisoned and confined in chains by Frederick the Great for his temerity in making love to the King's sister, Princess Amelia. During his incarceration, von Trenk inscribed 200 blank pages in this Bible a present of the Princess, with love sonnets in her honor, every word of which was written with his own blood.

News From Bellevue.

To the Editor of the Clarion.—Cotton in this section of rich old St. Landry (commonly called South Bellevue), is in splendid condition. The late rains have not injured it in the least, and the farmers are jubilant over the prospects. Our farmers are not of the sleepy kind at any time. They are wide awake, and never give up.

All are in favor of the railroad in Alton. Even the girls are cheering for it. Three cheers for the Alton girls!

While milking his cow the other day Farmer Wiggins heard the whistle of a railroad engine (on the S. P., of course.) He called out to his wife "Ha, there, lookout, Tom Lewis' train is coming right through our field!"

A very pleasant dance was given at the home of Leon Lavergne Wednesday night. The boys and girls only regretted that the party ended so soon. Miss Winnie Lavergne was undoubtly the belle of the occasion.

Miss Viola McMillen is visiting relatives here. Miss McMillen is a school teacher at Iota.

Mr. Beb Miller went to Opelousas Tuesday, on business.

Our friend, R. C. McBride, purchased a nice track of land near Church Point last week. Mac says that if we get a railroad he will make a speech.

Louis Marcotte, a thriving young blacksmith, was very much disappointed last Sunday, as Plaquemine bayou was so high that he could not cross (and his girl lives on the other side.)

Mr. John M. Ware is just waiting for the water to recede. He has his fishing tackle ready, and everybody knows that the finy tribe is in danger when Ware gets after them.

Miss Nannie Marcotte has returned home from a weeks visit to Branch.

Misses Corrie Childs and Florence Wilson, of Opelousas, had a narrow escape from getting their horse drowned while crossing Plaquemine bridge, on last Tuesday.

The public roads in this section need immediate attention. It is a hard matter to keep the roads in order in this section owing to lack of drainage. When it rains the roads are perfect lakes of water. Mr. Road Man, call aud see this. Your visit will be much appreciated

With best wishes to the Clarion and Old Opelousas, I am, truly,

ALTON.

Ways of Preparing Green Peppers.

BY JULIET HITE GALLAHER.

Pepper Fish Puffs.—Chop together one teacupful each of cold fish, mashed potatoes and stewed green peppers; season with salt, pepper and two large tablespoonfuls of butter. Form into balls by mixing with two well-beaten eggs. Dip into egg, roll in breadcrumbs, and bake thirty minutes in a hot oven.

Pepper Sandwiches.—Remove the seeds from four or five green peppers, chop fine, and simmer in two tablespoonfuls of butter for eight or ten minutes, without allowing them to brown; add salt to taste. When cold, spread between slices of bread, cover the layer of pepper with grated creamcheese, and serve.

A Mexican Indian Wedding-Dish.—Stew together a chicken and three or four pounds of fresh pork with several hot dried chili peppers and three large onions. Salt, and serve hot.

Stuffed Peppers.—Select peppers of uniform size, cut off the stem-end, and remove the seeds and partitions. Parboll in water for five minutes, then fill each with equal parts of chopped tomatoes and cold meat; flavor with salt, butter and onion-juice. Place in a baking dish with water half an inch deep, and bake thirty-five minutes.

Green Peppers and Rice.—Smooth off the stem end of the peppers so they will stand, extract the membrane, and fill with boiled rice and minced veal. Place in a baking pan, and add stock to half their depth. Bake one hour. Then add cream to the gravy in which the peppers were baked, thicken, and pour over them.

Red Pepper Catchup.—Take one dozen red peppers, one quart of vinegar, two tablespoonfuls of grated horseradish and four sliced onions. Boil ten minutes, then strain. Add one teacupful of brown sugar, an ounce of celery seed, one ounce of mace and one-pint of cider vinegar. Boil one hour, and bottle.

Pepper Mangoes.—Extract the seeds from large green peppers by cutting a slit in each side. Lay in brine for twenty-four hours. Make a stuffing of five tablespoonfuls each of green tomatoes and chopped cabbage, four tablespoonfuls of English mustard seed, one tablespoonful of celery seed, three teaspoonfuls of chopped onion and one teaspoonful of grated mace, one heaping teaspoonful of ground mustard and three tablespoonfuls of brown sugar. Moisten to a paste with salad oil, and stuff the peppers with it, closing the slit and wrapping with a string. Pack in stone or glass jars. Pour over it scalding vinegar to which has been added one teacupful of brown sugar to each quart. Cover, and let stand several months before using.

Pepper Salad.—Take one cupful of tender, chopped green peppers, one cupful of chopped celery and two cupfuls of chicken. Add two chopped hardboiled eggs, one cucumber pickle and salt to taste. Set away to chill. When ready to serve, pour over it a rich cream mayonnaise dressing. Garnish with parsley and olives.

The Farm, the Household, the Stock.

Hog Lice.

The Texas Farm & Ranch prescribes creolin from 2 per cent to 3 per cent, i. e. from 33 1-3 to 50 times as much water as creolin.

Barb Wire Cut.

For a horse cut by wire, Farm and Ranch tells you to use 2 per cent creolin solution on the sore two or three times daily. This will keep the sore healthy and the flies away from it. A little iodoform dusted on the sore occasionally will also stimulate it to heal.

The Horse's Sunday Feed.

When a horse is working hard and highly fed all the week he should have his food reduce on Sunday, and one meal should be a bran mash. If he gets his regular amount of food he should have some exercise.—Ontario Institute Bulletin.

Hen Manures.

Such strong manures (hen manures) are best adapted when applied to any leaf crops, such as spinach, cabbage, kale and Swiss chard. Being highly nitrogenous, they induce growth of leaf. They should be applied sparingly to fruit crops, such as tomatoes, peppers and strawberries, says an exchange.

Buying A Horse.

Never accept a horse with leather sole on foot. Have him unshod before deciding that there is nothing wrong. This applies to fore and hind feet, and, as a general rule, it is safest to have the shoes removed when the horse is valuable.—Dr. A. S. Alexander, Wisconsin Experiment Station.

Diversification.

Only a few years since, a farmer was considered fool-hardy who dared diversify his crops. Public sentiment has changed in a majority of our countries, so that he who does not attempt to raise some new crops or stock, is looked upon as "old fogy."

Water For Horses.

The amount of water required by horses varies more than for any other animal. It is greatly affected by work and feed, being about twice as great when horse is at hard work and much greater when fed on dry roughage than when fed on a concentrated ration. In one experiment a horse while walking required 27.5 pounds of water daily, while trotting and performing he required fifty pounds.—Farm and Live Stock Journal.

Fried Green Tomatoes.

Fried green tomatoes are good with steak, and are said by those who have tried them to form a particularly happy combination. They are cut in rather thick slice, salted and peppered and fried slowly in hot butter. They may be served in the platter with the stake, or as a side vegetable. Creamed green tomatoes are also commended. In this case they are cut in slices, boiled in salted water for about fifteen minutes, then served with a rich cream sauce.

The Horse Fly.

J. S. Hines, professor of etomology in the State University of Ohio, visited the Gulf Biologic Station at Cameron La., for the purpose of making an investigation of the horse fly, which is causing trouble to cattle and annoyance to people of the Gulf parishes of the State. The horse flies have become so pugnacious this year that it was deemed advisable by the Biologic Station to secure the aid of an expert in making an investigation, with a view of finding a remedy for the evil which is fast injuring the stock and cattle industry of the State.

Sore Head on Chicken.

Our readers are still writing us for information about sore head, which appears to be distinctively a disease of the Southern States, says Home and Farm.

We have had several letters giving remidies but few, if any of them strike at the foundation and give remedies that will prevent it.

The disease is strictly a blood affliction and must be treated constitutionally, though local application of coal tar, kerosene and similar products, will give relief to those already afflicted.

Iron, sulphur, etc. will purify the blood and prevent the first attacks. A few drops of tincture of iron should be put daily in the drinking water and you will never see a sore head.

Mr. Muller offered the following ordinance, duly seconded, to-wit:

AN ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE FOR THE FINAL ACCEPTANCE OF THE NEW PARISH JAIL.

Section 1. Whereas, The PAULY JAIL BUILDING COMPANY have notified the Police Jury that they have finished the parish jail and desire full acquittal of further obligation to the parish on account of the contract to erect said jail, and

Whereas, The Police Jury, in an ordinance adopted on September 15th, 1904, entitled, "An ordinance to provide for the erection of a parish jail for the parish of St. Landry, Louisiana, at the town of Opelousas, to make a contract therefor, and to provide for the payment of the price thereof, and to issue certificates representing the contract price," appointed Messrs. Favrot and Livaudais, of New Orleans, supervising architects of said building, with full power to act for and in behalf of the Police Jury of said parish in the inspection and acceptance of material and workmanship, with full power and authority to supervise and direct and accept the work as shall be provided for in the contract entered into in pursuance of said ordinance, and to issue to said contractor from time to time certificates to the president or trustee of the Police Jury, and

Whereas, Said architects have reported to the Police July that said building had been completed in a most satisfactory manner in strict accordance with the drawings and specifications forming a part of the contract between said Pauly Jail Building Company and the Police Jury, as per the following report, to-wit:

Opelousas, La., May 18th, 1905.

To the Hon. Police Jury of the parish of St. Landry, Opelousas, La:

Gentlemen:—

We beg to advise you that we have this day inspected the new jail erected by the Pauly Jail Company, in the town of Opelousas for your parish, and we find that same has been completed in a most satisfactory manner in strict accordance with the drawings and specifications forming a part of their contract.

In accepting this building, the Pauly Jail Company claim that they are entitled to an extra for certain electric fixtures which they consider they have furnished, which said fixtures they claim are not called for in Article 13 of the addenda to the specification. This matter is left open for further discussion, the Pauly Jail Company to allow said fixtures to remain in position and to be used until proper action shall have been taken by your Honorable Body.

The jail building was to be completed on May 1st, 1905, which would show that the Pauly Jail Company had lapsed their time eighteen days. You will, however, note that you were to turn over the site to them on or about the 25th of September, 1904, when as a matter of fact this said site was only turned over to them on the 26th of October, 1904, your Honorable Body, therefore, having caused a delay of thirty days, which said delay we have to grant in accordance with article 8 of the contract.

We have this day issued all the certificates to the Pauly Jail Company in accordance with the terms of the contract.

Yours respectfully,

Signed: FAVROT & LIVAUDAIS.

A true copy of a report addressed to the Police Jury of St. Landry parish, by Messrs. Favrot & Livaudais.

Opelousas, La., May 19, '05. Signed:

(Seal). J. J. HEALEY,

Clerk of the Police Jury, Parish of St. Landry.

And Whereas, The said Police Jury had heretofore appointed a building committee, composed of the following members of the Police Jury of said parish, to-wit:

N. M. Richard, A. Lafleur, J. E. Daily, which building committee were appointed and directed to examine said parish jail as it now stands and report the facts as to whether same had been completed according to contract and whether to receive the same for the parish and give it the final approval of the Police Jury, the said committee do now come before the said Police Jury and make their report and beg to be discharged as follows:

Section 2.—

STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF ST. LANDRY.

To the Police Jury of said Parish:

We the undersigned committee, heretofore duly appointed to act in the matter of the acceptance of the new jail, do hereby report to you as follows:

We have made a complete examination of the new parish jail, which the Parish contracted with the Pauly Jail Building Company of St. Louis, Mo., to build for the Parish, and we have examined the plans and specifications thereof and the nature and character of the labor, work and materials used on and in the building. We have examined the foundation, roof, interior and exterior of the building carefully, and we find said jail to be practically fire proof, all done in good workmanlike manner and that said jail has been completed according to contract and according to plans and specifications, and that the same meets with our approval and we recommend that the same be accepted by the parish and approved by you. We further find that the contractors of the Pauly Jail Building Company have complied with all the stipulations contained in the contract with the parish of St. Landry.

We further find that said Pauly Jail Building Company have justly earned and are legally entitled to all of the certificates of debts or payments drawing 5% interest which said parish agreed to give said company for erecting said jail.

Witness our hands this 6th day of June A. D. 1905.

Committee Signed.

J. E. DAILEY,
N. M. RICHARD,
A. LAFLEUR.

Section 3. Now Therefore, The said Police Jury having received the foregoing report in writing and upon considering it and all evidences before it in regard to ascertaining as to whether the Pauly Jail Building Company had complied with the stipulations contained in the contract with the Parish to erect a Parish Jail, and whether said Company were entitled to receive all of the five per cent (5%) interest bearing coupon building certificates provided for in said contract, and the Police Jury being fully advised in the premises, do therefore hereby declare and ordain as follows:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Landry, in the State of Louisiana, that the parish of St. Landry do receive and accept and that the Police Jury do finally receive and accept the parish jail erected for said parish by the said Pauly Jail Building Company, of St. Louis, Mo. under their contract made the 15th day of September, 1904, and that the President of this body be and he is hereby authorized to cancel the bond furnished by the Pauly Jail Building Company and return same to said Company.

Be it further ordained and declared by said Police Jury, That said jail is in all respects erected and built in conformity to all the stipulations contained in said contract.

Be it further ordained, That said Pauly Jail Building Company are now justly, fully and legally entitled to receive all of the (5%) five per cent interest bearing coupon building certificates of St. Landry Parish, La., which said Parish agreed to issue, and to deliver to the Pauly Jail Company in payment of said jail, and that the said ordinance is fully read and approved and adopted by said Police Jury this the 6th day of June 1905, and ordered spread down upon the minutes of the Police Jury and recorded as required by law, and that certified copies of the same as asked for by the contractor be furnished him duly sealed and certified to at the expenses of the Parish.

Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance take effect from and after its passage.

Ordinance duly read and adopted unanimously.

W. F. CLOPTON, President.

Attest: J. J. HEALEY, Clerk.

CHARTER OF THE

ARNAUDVILLE BANK,

of Arnaudville, Louisiana.
United States of America.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, }
Parish of St. Landry. }

BE IT KNOWN, That on this 16th day of April, A. D. 1905, before me, Geo. L. Rogers, a Notary Public, duly commissioned and qualified, in and for said parish and State, and in the presence of the undersigned witnesses of age, personally came and appeared the herein-named and undersigned persons, who declared that they did and do by these presents organize themselves for the purpose of carrying on a general banking business under the laws of the State of Louisiana, and they declare the following to be their charter, viz:

ARTICLE I.

The name of this corporation shall be the "ARNAUDVILLE BANK," with its domicile at Arnaudville, Louisiana. Citation in event of suit shall be served on the President, and in case of his absence, on the Vice-President, and in the case of the latter's absence, on the Cashier.

ARTICLE II.

The capital stock of this corporation is hereby fixed at Fifteen Thousand Dollars ($15,000.00), divided into one hundred and fifty (150) shares of one hundred dollars ($100.00) each. Twenty-five (25%) per cent of the said stock shall be paid in cash, upon organization, and the balance thereof at such time as the Board of Directors may call for the same. Any stockholder failing to pay the balance due on his share or shares when called for, shall forfeit said share or shares to the bank, without recourse for any paid portion thereof.

ARTICLE III.

This corporation shall commence business as soon as 50% of the stock shall have been subscribed for, or as soon thereafter as the Board of Directors may direct, and remain a Body Politic for the term of fifty (50) years from date.

The affairs of the bank shall be managed by a Board of Seven (7) Directors who shall be elected annually by the stockholders at an election held for that purpose. Each share is entitled to one vote. Said Directors shall appoint all the officers and employees of said bank, fix their salaries and bond, and make and ordain all necessary by-laws for the proper management of the bank.

ARTICLE IV.

The Board of Directors is composed of E. C. Rogers, Daniel P. Martin, George Greig, George L. Rogers, J. A Durio, L. C. Guidry and J. M. Olivier, who shall serve until their successors are elected.

ARTICLE V.

Every increase or decrease, modification, alteration, or addition to the capital or of the number of the shares, shall be submitted to a general meeting of the stockholders, held after thirty (30) day's notice by publication in a newspaper published in the parish of St. Landry, Louisiana, and by mail, and shall be approved by two-thirds of the amount of the capital stock.

ARTICLE VI.

This corporation shall be liquidated at the end of its term, or sooner, by a two-third vote of the capital stock at a meeting held for that purpose, after thirty day's written notice to the stockholders, mailed to their address, and also after thirty days' publication in a newspaper published in the parish of St. Landry, Louisiana. This liquidation shall be made by three commissioners to have all necessary power therefor.

Thus done and passed at Arnaudville, La., on the day and date first above written, in the presence of J. L. Smith and Dr. A. C. Durio, competent witnesses, who have signed with the contracting parties and me, said notary, after due reading hereof.

Signed:

NAME	ADDRESS	NO. SHARES
Geo. Greig,	Arnaudville,	five
Geo. L. Rogers,	"	five
D. P. Martin,	"	five
J. A. Durio,	"	five
Dr. J. R. Melancon,	"	five
J. F. Dezauche,	"	one
Noe Breaux,	"	two
J. M. Oliver,	St. Martin,	ten
F. E. Delahoussaye	"	four
T. J. Labbe,	"	five
per J. M. Olivier.		
Father J. B. Morin,	Arnaudville,	three
L. C. Guidry,	"	five
per D. P. Martin		
Father A. Blanc,	"	ten
per D. P. Martin		
E. C. Rogers,	"	five
L. Darby,	"	one
H. A. Guidry,	"	five
Anatole Cormier,	Duchamp,	two
Moise Levy,	New Orleans,	five
per J. M. Olivier		

GEO. L. ROGERS,
Notary Public.

Witnesses:
DR. A. C. DURIO,
J. L. SMITH.

Opelousas, La., May 28, 1905.

I, the undersigned District Attorney, hereby certify that I have examined the above charter of the Arnaudville Bank, of Arnaudville, La., and find nothing therein contained contrary to the laws of Louisiana.

R. LEE GARLAND,
District Attorney.

STATE OF LOUISIANA, }
Parish of St. Landry. }

I, Alfred Pavy, Deputy-Clerk of the 16th Judicial Court of Louisiana, in and for the parish of St. Landry, and Deputy Recorder of said parish, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original No. 55,314 on file and of record in my office in Miscellaneous Book No. 12, Page ——, date May 27, A. D. 1905.

{SEAL} Witness my hand and seal of office at Opelousas, La., this 27th day of May, A. D. 1905.

ALFRED PAVY,
Deputy Clerk.

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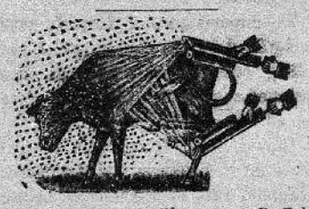

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J. M. SANDERS,
Special Agent for St. Landry Parish.

The preparations will be found for sale by the **Opelousas Mercantile Co. Limited.**

This is to certify that I purchased five gallons of the above described Fly and Germ Killer from J. M. Sanders about one year ago, and have used it with great satisfaction on my cows.

J. M. BOAGNI.

Opelousas, May 6th, 1905.

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