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## THE Landry State Bank

of Opelousas, La.

Surplus and Undivided  
\$290,000.00.

THIS BANK IS PLEASED TO  
PLACE AT THE DISPOSAL  
OF ITS CUSTOMERS THE  
FACILITIES OF A STRONG  
AND CONSERVATIVELY  
MANAGED BANK : : : :

### DIRECTORS:

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## The Peoples State Bank

OF OPELOUSAS, LA.

CAPITAL STOCK \$30,000.

### WE PAY

3% per annum interest on Savings Ac-  
counts and time certificates of deposit

### OFFICERS:

David Roos, President. Samuel Haas, Vice-President.  
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### BOARD OF DIRECTORS:

David Roos, Samuel Haas, J. A. Haas  
 Leon S. Haas, Lawrence Larcade

## COULD SCARCELY WALK ABOUT

And For Three Summers Mrs. Vin-  
cent Was Unable to Attend to  
Any of Her Housework.

Pleasant Hill, N. C.—"I suffered for  
three summers," writes Mrs. Walter  
Vincent, of this town, "and the third and  
last time, worst."

I had dreadful nervous headaches and  
prostration, and was scarcely able to  
walk about. Could not do any of my  
housework.

I also had dreadful pains in my back  
and sides and when one of those weak,  
shaking spells would come on me, I  
would have to give up and lie down,  
until it wore off.

I was certainly in a dreadful state of  
health, when I finally decided to try  
Cardui, the women's tonic, and I finally

believe I would have died if I hadn't  
taken it.

After I began taking Cardui, I was  
greatly helped, and all three bottles re-  
lieved me entirely.

I fattened up, and grew so much  
stronger in three months, I felt like an-  
other person altogether."

Cardui is purely vegetable and gentle-  
acting. Its ingredients have a mild, tonic  
effect, on the womanly constitution.

Cardui makes for increased strength,  
improves the appetite, tones up the ner-  
vous system, and helps to make pale,  
sallow cheeks, fresh and rosy.

Cardui has helped more than a million  
weak women, during the past 50 years.  
It will surely do for you, what it has  
done for them. Try Cardui today.

Write for: Chamberlain Medicine Co., Ladies' Ad-  
visory Dept., Chas. H. Town, for Strongest Ad-  
vice on Cardui at 25c per bottle and 10c per box. Men-  
tion "The Women's Tonic" in plain wrapper. Sold

### LICENSE ORDINANCE

An ordinance for the levying  
and collecting of Parish  
Licenses for the year 1916:  
Be it ordained by the Police  
Jury of the Parish of St. Landry  
in regular session con-  
vened:

Section 1. That the license  
laws of the State of Louisiana  
now in force shall in so far as  
applicable be the license ordi-  
nance of the Parish of St.  
Landry for the year 1916, ex-  
cept as hereinafter modified  
and changed:

Section 2. That the annual  
license for peddlers and  
hawkers in one and two horse  
vehicles shall be \$15.00 and  
\$20.00 respectively;

Section 3. That the amount  
to be paid as an annual license  
tax by retail dealers in dis-  
tilled, alcoholic and malt  
liquors shall be graded as fol-  
lows:

First Class: When the  
gross annual sales shall be  
\$30,000.00 or more, the li-  
cense shall be \$2,500.00;

Second Class: When the  
gross annual sales shall be  
less than \$30,000.00 and not  
more than \$20,000.00 the li-  
cense shall be \$2,000.00;

Third Class: When the  
gross annual sales shall be  
less than \$20,000.00 and not  
more than \$10,000.00, the  
license shall be \$1,500.00;

Fourth Class: When the  
gross annual sales shall be  
\$10,000.00 or less, the license  
shall be \$800.00;

Section 4. That this ordi-  
nance shall take effect on  
and after January 1st, 1916.  
Adopted Dec. 6th, 1915.

FRANK DIMMICK,

President.

Attest:  
J. J. HEALEY,  
Clerk.

### ANNUAL TAX ORDINANCE

Whereas, by resolution  
adopted on October 4th, 1915,  
this body framed a budget of  
Eighty-One Thousand Three  
Hundred and Twenty-Six and  
20-100 Dollars, (\$81,326.20),  
as an estimate exhibiting the  
various items of expenditure  
that the parish of St. Landry  
would require for the year  
1916, and

Whereas, said budget has  
been published in the St. Landry  
Clarion, the official news-  
paper of this parish, for the  
full term of thirty (30) days  
as the law directs, and

Whereas, an ad valorem  
tax of ten (10) mills on the  
dollar of the taxable property  
of this parish will be required  
in addition to the revenues to  
be derived under the license  
ordinance adopted to meet  
said budget;

Now therefore, Be it ordained-  
by the Police Jury of the  
Parish of St. Landry, that a  
tax of ten (10) mills on the  
dollar be, and is hereby, levied  
on all taxable property situ-  
ated within this parish on  
which the State levies a tax,  
to meet said budget of expendi-  
tures for the year 1916.

Adopted Dec. 6th, 1915.  
FRANK DIMMICK,

President.

Attest:  
J. J. HEALEY,  
Clerk.

### AN ORDINANCE

Section 1. Be it ordained  
by the Police Jury of the Par-  
ish of St. Landry in regular  
session convened: That the  
polling place in Election Pre-  
cinct No. 4, of the Sixth Police  
Jury Ward of the Parish of  
St. Landry, known as the  
Plaquemine Point Precinct, be  
changed from A. W. Dejean's  
store in said ward to the store  
of Joseph Boone & Co. in said  
precinct and ward, and that  
all elections be held at said  
polling place.

Sec. 2. Be it further or-  
dained, etc., That all ordi-  
nances and resolutions in con-  
flict with this ordinance be  
and the same are hereby re-  
pealed.

Adopted Dec. 7, 1915.  
FRANK DIMMICK,

President.

Attest:  
J. J. HEALEY,  
Clerk.

### NOTICE

Sealed proposals will be re-  
ceived by the Mayor and  
Board of Aldermen of Opelousas,  
La., from any bank or in-  
dividual for the fiscal agency  
of said city for the next two  
years. Proposals will be re-  
ceived to Tuesday, Dec. 21st,  
inst., at 12 o'clock M. For  
any information inquire at  
Mayor's office. E. L. LOEB.

GEO. B. COOKE

Surveyor

Office with Littell & Lawler.

### ORDINANCE NO. 5

An Ordinance  
Ordering a special election to  
be held in School District  
No. 1 of the 1st Police Jury  
Ward of the Parish of St.  
Landry, La., for the pur-  
pose of submitting to the  
qualified electors of said  
school district the question  
of the levy of a special tax  
of two and one-half mills  
(\$0.025) for the purpose of  
providing additional aid  
to the public schools of said  
school district.

Section 1. Be it ordained by  
the Parish Board of School  
Directors of the Parish of St.  
Landry, La., That a special  
election be, and is hereby or-  
dered to be held in School  
District No. 1 of the 1st Police  
Jury Ward of the Parish of  
St. Landry, La., on the 11th  
day of January, 1916, for the  
purpose of submitting to the  
qualified electors of the said  
school district entitled to vote  
thereat the question of a levy  
of a special tax of two and  
one-half mills (\$0.025) on the  
dollar on all property subject  
to State taxation, for a period  
of five years, the proceeds of  
said tax to be used in giving  
additional aid to the public  
schools of the said school dis-  
trict.

Section 2. Be it further or-  
dained by the Parish Board of  
School Directors of the Parish  
of St. Landry, La., That the  
ballots to be used at said elec-  
tion shall be prepared by the  
Secretary of the Parish Board  
of School Directors, and shall  
be in the following form:

Proposition to levy a two and one-half mills (\$0.025) special tax on all the property subject to taxation in School District No. 1 of the 1st Police Jury Ward of the Parish of St. Landry, La., annually, for a period of five years, for the purpose of giving additional aid to the public schools of said school district.	Yes.
	No.

Notice to Voters: To vote  
in favor of the proposition  
submitted upon this ballot,  
place a cross (x) mark in  
the square after the word  
"Yes;" to vote against it,  
place a similar mark after the  
word "No."

Signature of the Voter.

Section 3. Be it further or-  
dained by the Parish Board of  
School Directors of the Parish  
of St. Landry, La., That the  
Secretary of the Parish Board  
of School Directors be, and he  
is hereby ordered to cause to  
be prepared for use at said  
election the tally sheets, lists  
of qualified electors, assessed  
valuation of property, blank  
statements for the compila-  
tion of the vote, in number and  
amount, and other election  
blanks that may be required  
for the purpose of holding  
the said election, to cause the  
same to be placed in the bal-  
lot box for the use at the pre-  
cinct, and to make provision  
for the transmission of the  
box to the precinct at which  
the election is to be held.

Section 4. Be it further or-  
dained by the Parish Board of  
School Directors of the Parish  
of St. Landry, La., That the  
polling place at said election  
shall be at the Courthouse at  
Opelousas, La., and H. D.  
Larcade, Sr., F. J. Hardy and  
J. H. Harmanson are appoint-  
ed commissioners and Ludovic  
Fontenot, clerk of election.

Section 5. Be it further or-  
dained by the Parish Board of  
School Directors of the Parish  
of St. Landry, La., That the  
Parish Board of School Di-  
rectors of the Parish of St.  
Landry, La., shall meet at  
11:00 o'clock A. M. on the  
13th day of January, 1916,  
for the purpose, in open ses-  
sion, of examining and count-  
ing the ballots and canvassing  
the returns and declaring the  
result of said election.

Section 6. Be it further or-  
dained by the Parish Board of  
School Directors of the Parish  
of St. Landry, La., That the  
President of the Parish Board  
of School Directors be, and he  
is hereby instructed to give  
public notice of said election  
by proclamation to be duly  
published, according to law  
in the following form:

Unanimously carried:

Pursuant to a resolution  
passed by the Parish Board of  
School Directors of the Parish  
of St. Landry, La., at a spe-  
cial meeting held on the 6th  
day of December, 1915, I,  
J. G. Carriere, Vice  
President of said Parish  
Board of School Directors,  
hereby give notice that in  
compliance with said resolu-  
tion, a special election will be  
held in School District No. 1  
of the 1st Police Jury Ward of  
the Parish of St. Landry, La.,

for the purpose of submitting  
to the property taxpayers  
qualified under the constitu-  
tion and laws of the State of  
Louisiana to vote at said elec-  
tion, the following proposi-  
tion, to-wit:

To levy a special tax of  
two and one-half mills  
(\$0.025) on the dollar on all  
the property in school District  
No. 1 of the 1st Police Jury  
Ward of the Parish of St.  
Landry, La., subject to State  
taxation, annually, for a peri-  
od of five years, for the pur-  
pose of giving additional aid  
to the public schools of said  
school district.

For the purpose of said  
election the polling place will  
be at the Court House at Ope-  
lousas, La., and the following  
commissioners and clerks have  
been appointed to serve at  
said election, H. D. Larcade,  
Sr., F. J. Hardy, J. H. Har-  
manson; Ludovic Fontenot.

At said election the poll  
will open at seven o'clock A.  
M. and will close at five  
o'clock P. M., and the election  
will be conducted in accord-  
ance with the laws of Louisi-  
ana applicable thereto.

Notice is also given that at  
11 o'clock A. M., on the 13th  
day of January, 1916, the  
said Parish Board of School  
Directors of the Parish of St.  
Landry, La., will meet at the  
School Board Office, Opelousas,  
La., and in open session  
proceed to open the ballot  
box, examine and count the  
ballots in number and amount,  
examine and canvass the re-  
turns, and declare the result  
of said special election.

This 6th day of December,  
1915.

J. G. CARRIERE,  
Vice-President of Parish  
Board of School Directors.

Section 7. Be it further or-  
dained by the Parish Board of  
School Directors of the Parish  
of St. Landry, La., That the  
special election herein and  
herein provided for shall be  
held and conducted and the  
returns thereof shall be made  
under the provisions of Act  
256 of 1910 and amendments  
thereof, and such other laws  
as may be applicable.

J. G. CARRIERE,  
Vice-President of Parish  
Board of School Directors.

W. B. PRESCOTT,  
Secretary Pro. Tem.

### SUCCESSION SALE

ESTATE OF CYPRIEN DES-  
HOTELS AND WIFE

No. 6761, 16th Judicial Dis-  
trict Court, St. Landry  
Parish Louisiana.

By virtue of an order of the  
Honorable the Sixteenth Ju-  
dicial District Court of Louisi-  
ana, in and for the Parish of  
St. Landry, signed by B. H.  
Pavy, Judge of said Court, and  
in pursuance of a commission  
to me directed, I will sell at  
public auction, to the last and  
highest bidder, on the premises  
in Faubourg, La., on

SATURDAY, JAN. 15, 1916,  
at 11 o'clock a. m., the follow-  
ing described property, to-wit:  
A certain tract of land, be-  
ing the last residence of the  
deceased situated in Faubourg,  
containing seventy-eight ar-  
pents and bounded on the  
north by Bayou Cocodrie,  
south by land of Deshotels,  
on the east by land of Samuel  
Haas and on the west by land  
of Mrs. Zelma Deshotels.

Terms: One-third cash, bal-  
ance if any, on a credit of one  
and two years.

ADAM DESHOTELS,  
Administrator.



## Talk plus-

The salesman who is a sel-  
ler and not an order-taker  
is backed by a certain per-  
sonal force—and appear-  
ance.

There is something to him  
besides mere talk.

We'll give the proper ap-  
pearance—and add this certain per-  
sonal force—to your private  
matter so that it will—

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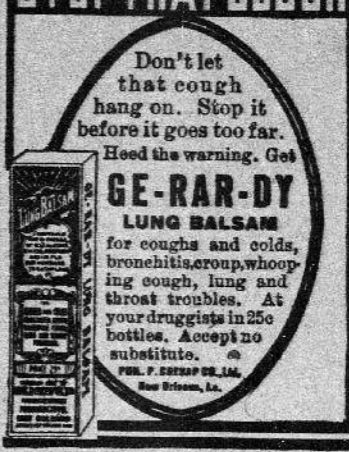
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The Old Standard general strengthening  
GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives  
malarial parasites from the blood, and builds up the  
system. A true tonic. For adults and children.

## STOP THAT COUGH



Shute's Drug Store

The Mayor appoints the  
Board as a whole on the  
Budget Committee, who rec-  
ommended the following as  
the Budget for 1916:

Mayor	\$750.00
City Clerk and As- sessor	750.00
Marshal	1000.00
Street Commissioner	900.00
City Attorney	300.00
City Physician	100.00
Aldermen	300.00
Court Constable	600.00
Night Police	1440.00
Janitor	100.00
Fire Department	1500.00
City Judge	600.00
Indigent	250.00
Board of Health	900.00
City Hall rent	450.00
Printing	400.00
Cemetery	416.00
Prin. and int. on street imm. bond issue, three mills.	4784.92
Contingent fund	408.72
	\$15949.64

Signed:  
E. L. Loeb, Chairman,  
S. Stelly,  
M. A. Fields,  
L. A. Gosselin,  
L. L. Danel,  
E. K. Eastham.

## RHEUMATISM

CURE BY  
OUR FAMOUS BATHS  
Testimonials of  
Those We Have Cured  
LAKE ARTHUR SANITARIUM  
LAKE ARTHUR, LA.

### NOTICE FOR BIDS

Notice is hereby given that  
in pursuance of a resolution  
of the Police Jury of St. Lan-  
dry Parish, adopted on De-  
cember 6th, 1915, the under-  
signed committee  
will receive up to  
12 o'clock noon, on Monday,  
January 3rd, 1916, sealed  
bids from any bank or banks  
chartered under the laws of  
the State of Louisiana, or of  
the United States and domici-  
led in this parish to act as  
fiscal agent of the parish of St.  
Landry for the two (2) years  
beginning on the first day of  
February, 1916.

All bidders must make their  
bids in conformity with the  
provisions of Act No. 205 of  
1912, of the Acts of the Gen-  
eral Assembly of the State of  
Louisiana, and are required  
to state separately and dis-  
tinctly, first: what rate of in-  
terest they are willing to al-  
low to the parish for such  
sums as it may have on depos-  
it during the existence of the  
contract; secondly: what rate  
of interest they propose to  
charge the parish for such  
loans or advances as may be  
required to meet its annual  
budget appropriations in an-  
ticipation and in advance of  
the collection of its annual  
revenues.

All bids must be sealed and  
addressed to the "Police Jury  
of St. Landry," and must have  
legibly written or typewritten  
on the outside of the envelope  
and on the same side as the  
address; the words, "Fiscal  
Agents Bids."

All bids must be delivered  
at Opelousas, La., to the Clerk  
or some member of the under-  
signed committee, on or be-  
fore 12 o'clock noon, on Mon-  
day, January 3rd, 1916, at  
which time they will be open-  
ed and the fiscal agent design-  
ated and the amount of its  
bond fixed by the Police Jury.

J. E. DAILEY,  
J. T. ST. CYR,  
DR. F. O. PAVY,  
Committee.

Opelousas, La., Dec. 9, 1915.

Days of Bidding  
if PAID  
of Bidding  
6 to 14 days.  
Test. 3m.

### PARTITION SALE

ESTATE OF ELLEN E. FO-  
LAND

No. 6611, Probate Docket,  
16th Judicial District  
Court, St. Landry Par-  
ish, La.

By virtue of a judgment  
rendered by the Hon. B. H.  
Pavy, Judge of the 16th Judi-  
cial District Court of the State  
of Louisiana, in and for the  
Parish of St. Landry, on the  
30th day of November, A. D.  
1915, in the partition proceed-  
ings filed in the above num-  
bered and entitled succession,  
and pursuant to a commission  
to me directed by A. J. T. Lit-  
tell, Deputy Clerk of said  
Court, bearing date Decem-  
ber 8th, 1915, I will proceed  
to sell at public auction, to  
the last and highest bidder,  
for cash, for the purpose of  
effecting a partition, at the  
last residence of said deced-  
ent near Morrow Station in  
this parish, on

SATURDAY, JAN. 15, 1916,  
at 11 o'clock A. M., the follow-  
ing described property, to-wit:  
A certain plantation togeth-  
er with all the buildings and  
improvements thereon and  
appurtenances thereto belong-  
ing, situated in the Parish of  
St. Landry, State of Louisiana,  
about two miles South of Mor-  
row Station on the Texas &  
Pacific Railway, containing  
Seven Hundred and Forty-Six  
and 55-100 (747.55) acres,  
of which about one hundred  
and forty (140) acres are  
open land, and the balance  
denuded wood land; and  
bounded North by lands be-  
longing to Mrs. F. W. Cason  
et als., South by lands belong-  
ing to the Estate of Mrs. J. C.  
Vannoy, and Joseph Bottman,  
East by public road and the  
Estate of Charles Mixer, and  
West by property belonging  
to unknown owners.

Said property has been sub-  
divided and will be sold in  
three lots as directed in said  
judgment, as per plat of W.  
B. Robert, Surveyor, made  
Dec. 3rd and 4th, 1915, which  
will be exhibited at the sale,  
and which prospective bidders  
may examine at my office at  
any time prior thereto. Said  
lots are described as follows:

Lot 1, situated in Sec. 16,  
T. 3 S., R. 4 E., bounded  
North by Section 9 or land of  
Mrs. F. W. Cason, South by  
Lot 2, East by public road, and  
West by Section 17 or Lot 3,  
and containing 188.7 acres,  
more or less, of which about  
100 acres fronting on the pub-  
lic road is cleared land, and  
the balance wood land;

Lot 2, also situated in Sec.  
16, T. 3 S., R. 4 E., bounded  
North by Lot 1, South by land  
of the Estate of Mrs. J. C.  
Vannoy, East by public road  
and Estate of Charles Mixer,  
and West by Section 17 or Lot  
3, containing 188.7 acres,  
more or less, of which about  
90 acres fronting on the pub-  
lic road is cleared land, and  
the balance wood land;

Lot 3, situated in Sec. 17, T.  
3 S., R. 4 E., bounded North  
by Section 8 or property of  
Bottmann, Logan and Moore,  
South by property of Bot-  
tman and of the Estate of  
Mrs. J. C. Vannoy, East by sec-  
tion 16 or Lots 1 and 2, and  
West by property belonging  
to owners unknown, or Sec-  
tion 18, said lot containing  
378.00 acres, more or less, all  
wood land;

TERMS: CASH.  
WM. ALEX. ROBERTSON,  
Auctioneer.

dec 11-6t

NOTICE is hereby given that  
I will apply to the Mayor and  
Board of Aldermen of the  
town of Melville, La., for a  
license or permit to operate a  
saloon for colored people, at  
my former place of business,  
for the year 1916.

PAUL ARTALL.

### FOR RENT VERY CHEAP

2 houses with barns and  
other outhouses in Garland  
Addition to the town of Ope-  
lousas. Those two houses are  
situated on a lot 610 ft. long  
by 200 ft. wide. The place  
for the party who may have a  
horse or cow. Will rent cheap.  
For further particulars apply  
to Alfred Vidrine, Mail Car-  
rier, Opelousas, La. nov 20

MULES FOR SALE—A nice  
lot of young mules for sale.  
Some of them are gentle and  
like. W. S. Ringrose, Ope-  
lousas, La. dec 11-4t

NOTICE