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## SHERIFF'S SALE.

Hyman Hiller & Co., Ltd.,

vs

St. Martin Oil Works Ltd., and  
Frank T. Gullibea

No. 11577

State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Martin.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri-Facias issued out of the 19th Judicial District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Martin, State of Louisiana, in the above entitled and numbered suit, dated this 8th day of March A. D. 1917.

I have seized and will proceed to sale at Public Auction to the last and highest bidder at the front door of the Court House, between the legal sale hours (11 a. m. to 4 p. m.) in the Town of St. Martinville, on

Saturday April 28, 1917,

the following mentioned and described property, to-wit:

58 46-100 acres

Lots Five and Eight (5 and 8) Section Six (6) T. 10 S. R. 7 East and Eleven superficial arpents of land situated in same locality, in the Parish of St. Martin, La., and described as bounded North and South by lands formerly belonging to Mrs. Lucy Millot, wife of F. Rousseau now to J. A. Breaux, East by land of Marcel Francois and West by land formerly belonging to Daniel Neu. Seized to satisfy above writ.

Terms Cash.

Sheriff's office, parish of St. Martin, this 14th day of March A. D. 1917.

WADE O. MARTIN, Sheriff.

## Catarrhal Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarrhal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarrhal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarrh, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Catarrhal Deafness that can not be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Circulars free. All druggists, 75c.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

Bank of St. Martinville

vs

Robert F. Barra

No. 11460

19th Judicial District Court

Parish of St. Martin, State of St. Martin.

By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of the 19th Judicial District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Martin, State of Louisiana, in the above entitled and numbered suit, dated this 23rd day of March 1917.

I have seized and will proceed to sell at public auction to the last and highest bidder at the front door of the Court House, between the legal sale hours (11 a. m. to 4 p. m.) in the Town of St. Martinville, La., on

Saturday April 28, 1917,

the following mentioned and described property, to-wit:

That certain lot of ground situated in the Corporation of St. Martinville, in the Parish of St. Martin, La., with the buildings and improvements thereon and appurtenances thereto belonging, and together with all rights and servitudes thereto appertaining, having One hundred and one (101) feet on Madison street (or Clinton street) by a depth of 140 feet, more or less, Bounded North by the property of Estate of Klodie Dugrest, East by Columbus street, South by Madison street, and West by the property of the late Ernest Bienvenu & als. Seized to satisfy above writ.

Terms and conditions—cash.

Sheriff's office this 20th day of March A. D. 1917.

WADE O. MARTIN, Sheriff.

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## The Odds Against Germany.

Considering wealth, population and territory, more than 90 per cent of the world is at war.

Roughly speaking, 80 per cent represents the allies and 10 per cent the central powers.

The remaining 10 per cent represent the neutrals.

The total wealth of the world is estimated at \$700,000,000,000. Quite a snug sum!

About 550,000,000,000 belong to the allies, \$110,000,000,000 to the neutrals.

The wealth of the United States is about \$250,000,000,000, nearly half of the total wealth of the allies, and more than one-third of the total wealth of the whole world.

The total population of the world in round numbers is 1,750,000,000.

The allied nations have about 1,410,000,000 people, the central powers, 1,640,000,000, the neutrals 176,000,000.

The allies control upwards of 40,000,000 square miles of territory, the central powers a little less than 3,000,000 square miles, the neutrals a little less than 10,000,000 square miles.

—Banner-Democrat.

## Don't Let Your Cough Hang On

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## GARDEN SHOULD HAVE SULPHUR FOR CANNING

Many of the more common vegetables, including string beans, egg plant, okra, English peas, corn, lima beans, tomatoes and carrots are adapted to canning; and when canned properly vegetables should retain their attractive color and lose very little of their flavor. These facts deserve especial consideration at this time when food prices are soaring and the high price level not yet reached. The foresighted gardener will include in his plans a liberal amount of such vegetables as may be canned for winter use, and thus fortify himself against any condition that may arise in the food situation.

Extension Division, Louisiana State University.

The St. Martinville brass band being disorganized and the public concerts discontinued, the music stand near the Evangeline park was removed.

## Appeals to The Farmers

BY WOODROW WILSON.

I take the liberty, therefore, of addressing this word to the farmers of the country and to all who work on the farms: The supreme need of our own nation and of the nations with which we are co-operating is an abundance of supplies, and especially of foodstuffs. The importance of an adequate food supply, especially for the present year, is superlative. Without abundant food, alike for the armies and the peoples now at war, the whole great enterprise upon which we have embarked will break down and fall. The world's food reserves are low. Not only during the present emergency, but for some time after peace shall have come both our own people and a large proportions of the people of Europe must rely upon the harvests in America. Upon the farmers of this country, therefore, in large measure, rests the fate of the war and the fate of the nations. May the nation not count upon them to omit no step that will increase the production of their land or that will bring about the most effectual co-operation in the sale and distribution of their products? The time is short. It is of the most imperative importance that everything possible be done and done immediately to make sure of large harvest. I call upon young men and old alike and upon the able bodied boys of the land to accept and act upon this duty—to turn in hosts to the farms and make certain that no pains and no labor is lacking in this great matter.

I particularly appeal to the farmers of the South to plant abundant foodstuffs as well as cotton. They can show their patriotism in no better or more convincing way than by resisting the great temptation of the present price of cotton and helping, helping upon a great scale, to feed the nation and the peoples everywhere who are fighting for their liberties and for our own. The variety of their crops will be the visible measure of their comprehension of their national duty.

## Federal Tires

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