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PROCEEDINGS OF THE POLICE JURY.

ALEXANDRIA, July 18, 1859.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Police Jury met. Members present—G. Baillio, President, Swann, Helm, Clark, Hynson, Davidson, Boyce, Eddleman, Goynes and Tison.

On motion of Mr. Swann,

Resolved, That Stephen Squires be and he is hereby appointed Syndic of road district No. 80, 3d division, from Flat Hollow to Mrs. Mary Strauder's residence.

On motion of Mr. Eddleman,

Resolved, That the Presedent be and he is hereby authorized to issue a warrant in favor of Isaac W. Midkiff, for the sum of fifteen dollars, being the amount due him for repairing the bridge across Annacoco, near John Miller's.

On motion of Dr. Clark,

Resolved, That the sum of three hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated for the purpose of building a bridge across Calcasieu river where the Ten Mile road crosses, near Joseph Wingart's; and that John Strauder, J. C. Simmons and Joseph Wingart, be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to let out said bridge to the lowest bidder: provided said bid does not exceed the sum appropriated. And provided further, that the contractor shall guarantee that the bridge shall stand five years from its completion.

On motion of Mr. Goynes,

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars be appropriated to build a bridge across the Calcasieu and bridges across two sloughs. Also, the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars for a bridge across the Comerad, and a bridge across a slough; also fifty dollars for building a bridge across Bayou Ceper. The said bridges to be built on the road leading from John Palmer's to the White Hills. Also, fifty dollars to repair the bridge across the Calcasieu on the old Alexandria road; and that J. Parker, W. W. Goynes and L. Mimms, be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to let out the building of the aforesaid bridges and the repair of the Calcasieu bridge to the lowest bidder: provided the bid does not exceed the appropriation. And provided further, that the contractor shall give a bond with good and sufficient security that the bridges, which are to be built, shall stand for five years from their completion.

On motion of C. W. Boyce,

Resolved, That the sum of forty dollars be and is hereby appropriated for the purpose of constructing a trunk on the public road at the ferry landing on the bank of Red River; and that F. Peussin, James Graham and D. Armstrong be appointed to let out the same to the lowest bidder.

Be it further resolved, That the sum of one hundred dollars be appropriated for the purpose of building a bridge across Dyson's creek; and that Anthony Belgard, J. B. Belgard and Michel Deville be appointed Commissiners to let out the building of said bridge to the lowest bidder: provided the bid does not exceed the appropriation. And provided further, that the contractor shall give a bond with good and sufficient security that the bridge shall stand for five years from its completion.

On motion of G. Baillio,

Resolved that the sum of seventy-five dollars be appropriated out of the road and levee funds for the purpose of paying the hands ordered out last April twelve months ago, by Samuel L. Compton, Syndic of levee district No. 4, and appointed by the Police Jury.

On motion of Mr. Tyson,

Resolved, That Wm. Roe be and he is hereby appointed Syndic of road district No. 32, in the place of of J. Wilkinson.

On motion of Mr. Helm,

Resolved, That a warrant issue in favor of Peter Tanner for the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars, being for building a bridge across the Rober Canal.

On motion of Mr. Davidson,

Resolved, That the Commiesioners apointed by the Police Jury to let out the building of a bridge across Hemphill's creek, be authorized to have said bridge covered with puncheons instead of plank, as previously required.

On motion of Mr. Hynson, the following resolution was unanimously passed:

Resolved, That from and after this date, a tax of five hundred dollars in addition to the present tax, be levied on each and all peddling carts, wagons or vehicles of any kind trading in the parish; and that whoever shall inform the sheriff of any person or persons trading without having paid such tax, shall, on conviction of said person or persons, be entitled to half of the tax.

On montion of Mr. Helm,

Resolved, That ten dollars be paid to David Calliham, as coroner, and ten dollars be paid to Dr. F. W. Marshall, for their services over the dead body of Paul M'Neely, on the 15th June last.

On motion of Mr. Helm,

Resolved, That one thousand dollars be and is hereby appropriated for the rebuilding of the bridge across Bayou Bœuf at Cheneyville: and that Jabez Tanner, Walter Baily and Leroy Stafford be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to let out said bridge to the lowest bidder: provided the bid does not exceed the appropriation. And provided further, that the builder shall enter into a bond with good and sufficient security that the bridge shall stand good five years.

On motion of Mr. Tyson,

Resolved, That the sum of six hundred dollars be appriated for the purpose of building a bridge across the Bayou Rigolette; and that Nathaniel Mitchell, A. Cruikshank and J. B. Hatcher be appointed Commissioners to let out the work to the lowest bidder: provided the bid does not exceed the appropriation. And provided provided further, that the bidder shall give a bond with good and sufficient security that the bridge shall stand for five years from its completion.

Mr. Hynson called for the ayes and nayes on the adoption of the foregoing resolution.

Ayes—Eddleman, Clark, Swann, Tyson, Boyce, Davidson, Helm and Goynes.

Nayes—Hynson.

The resolution was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Tyson,

Resolved, That the sum of four hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated for the purpose of building a bridge across the Bayou Darro at the upper crossing; and that A. Cruikshank, N. Mitchell and J. B. Hatcher be appointed Commissioners to let out the work to the lowest bidder: provided the bid does not exceed the appropriation. And provided further, that the bidder shall give a bond with good and sufficient security that the bridge shall stand for five years from its completion.

Mr. Hynson called for the ayes and nayes on the passage of the foregoing resolution.

Ayes—Tyson, Swann, Clark, Goynes, and Boyce.

Nayes—Eddleman, Hynson, Davidson and Helm.

The resolution was adopted.

An appropriation of fifteen dollars was asked for by Mr. Tyson, to repair the bridge across Fish creek, which was refused.

On motion of Mr. Tyson,

Resolved, That that the sum of three hundred hundred dollars be and is hereby appropriated in addition to the sum of twelve hundred dollars already appropriated, for the purpose of building a bridge across the Bayou Marto, at its mouth; and that J. W. Hadnot, J. H. Longmire and P. T. Hickman be and are hereby appointed Commissioners to let out to the lowest bidder the building of said bridge: provided the bid does not exceed the appropriation. And provided further, that the builder shall give a bond with good and sufficient security that the bridge shall stand good for five years from its completion.

On motion of Mr. Eddleman,

Resolved, That the sum of eighty dollars be appropriated for the purpose of repairing two bridges in the Annacoco swamp, on the Burr's ferry road; and that Geo Stephens, Duncan Hinson and Henry Cooper be appointed Commissioner to let out the work to the lowest bidder, and receive the same when completed.

On motion of Mr. Baillio,

Resolved, That the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollas be and is hereby appropriated for the purpose of repairing the bridge across Bayou Clear on the road leading from Thomas Logan's house to Stephen Cockafar's residence; and that J. B. Reeves be and he is hereby appointed a Commissioner to let out said bridge to the lowest bidder: provided the bid does not exceed the appropriation.

On motion of Mr. Eddleman,

Resolved, that seventy-five dollars be and is hereby appropriated for the purpose of building a bridge across Liberty creek, near the residence Joseph W. Moore; and that J. W. Moore, J. C. Cavanaugh and James Turner be appointed Commissioners to let out the work to the lowest bidder: provided the bid does not exceed the appropriation. And provided further, that the bidder shall give a bond with good and sufficient security that the bridge shall stand good for five years from its completion.

On motion of Mr. Eddleman,

Resolved, That fifty dollars be and is hereby appropriated for repairing the bridge across Annacoco creek near John Miller's; and that Frederick Craft, P. H. Fletcher and John Miller be appointed Commissioners to let out the work to the lowest bidder.

On motion of Mr. Davidson,

Resolved, That the sum $250 be appropriated for the purpose of building a bridge across a Bayou on the stage road leading to Natchitoches; and that C. H. Blanchard, W. C. James and R. M. Henderson be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to let out the work to the lowest bidder: provided the bid does not exceed the appropriation. And provided further, that the builder shall give a bond with good and sufficient security that the bridge shall stand for five years from its completion.

On motion of Mr. Davidson,

Resolved, That thirty dollars be appropriated for the purpose of repairing the bridge across the Bayou Cocodrie; and J. L. Robert, the present Syndic, be authorized to employ some person to make the necessary repairs; and the further sum of seventy-five dollars be appropriated to repair a bridge across a Bayou near Judge Boyce's plantation; and that C. H. Blachard, W. Cruikshank and J. H. Sullivan be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to let out the work and superintend the same.

On motion of Mr. Eddleman.

Resolved, That Thomas Gill, Dempsey Fennel, J. C. Turner and W. W. Goynes be appointed Commissioners to lay off and mark out out a road, beginning at, or leaving the Burr's ferry road at the Masonic Lodge, thence east by Fennell's mill, thence on by W. W. Goynes', and intersect the same road at the Polebranch; and report to the Police Jury at their next meeting.

On motion of Mr. Davidson,

Resolved, That a public road be established to commence at Mrs. Howard's, passing by Dr. Myers' residence and Mrs. Neal's summer house, and by Francois Villain's, to intersect the old Burr's ferry road within two and a half miles of Clifton's; and that the following hands be placed on said road, to-wit: Andrew J. Davis, Daniel Walker, Joe. Dewell, and hands of Mr. Hickman, Mr. Pierce, Thomas Richardson and hand, Benjamin Sheffield, Louis Porcy, Mr. Malone, Francois Villain, Lewis Taylor, Mr. Bean, Thos. Daniel, Syndic, John G. Myers, Capt. patrol, Joe Dewell.

On motion of Mr. Eddleman,

Resolved, That the President issue a warrant in favor of James R. Swain for the sum of twenty-five dollars, being for building a bridge across Bayou Big Six Miles.

The parish attorney reported that the Police Jury have the power to raise the loan contemplated, provided in the ordinance creating the debt, they also include provision for its discharge, both principal and interest. (See his written report on file.)

On motion of Mr. Hynson,

Resolved, That six hundred and forty dollars be and is hereby appropriated out of the road and levee fund, in addition to the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars appropriated last year; and also the sum of one hundred and ten dollars be appropriated out of the general fund of the parish, for the purpose of repairing and sanding the plank road above the town of Alexandria; and that W. J. Beatty, R. C. Hynson and G. W. Compton, S. K. Johnson and W. M. Sasser be and they are hereby appointed to let out and superintend the work.

The Jury adjourned until to-morrow morning at nine o'clock.

JULY, 19, 1859.

Pursuant to adjournment, the Jury met. Same members present as on yesterday.

On motion of Mr. Tyson,

Resolved that the sum of twenty-five dollars, the amount estimated for Wm. Saffold, and invalid child, be and the same is hereby appropriated for the benefit of the remaining children of Mrs. Saffold; the aforesaid Wm. Saffold being now dead. Also the sum of fifty dollars be appropriated for the benefit of Francois DeGlendon, an invalid.

On motion of Mr. Boyce,

Resolved, That a public road be and is hereby established, commencing at the Muster Ground on the road leading from Pineville to Holloway's Prairie, and extending to the parish line; and that Gentille Belgard be and he is hereby appointed Syndic thereof.

On motion of N. Villain,

Resolved, That the sum of fifty dollars be appropriated for repair of the Bayou Darro bridge at Dr. Bush's; and that P. T. Hickman and M. Layssard be appointed to let out the work to the lowest bidder.

On motion of Mr. Tyson,

Resolved, That Albert Hawthorn, Thos. West and William Hawthorn be and they are hereby appointed Commissioners to let out the building of a bridge across Little creek, in accordance with the ordinance of the Police Jury, and that the bid shall not exceed the sum of forty dollars appropriated for that purpose last July.

On montion of G. Baillio,

Resolved, That A. Duffield be and he is hereby placed on road district No. 80, 1st division.

ORDINANCE—

To authorize the President of the Police Jury of the parish of Rapides to borrow, for account of the same, ten thousand dollars, to be applied toward the erection and construction of a new Court House, and further, to provide for the repayment of the said loan and all interest.

Resolved, That the President of the Police Jury be authorized to borrow, in the name and on behalf of the said Jury, from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1860, the sum ten thousand dollars, which sum of money, or so much thereof as shall be borrowed, shall be at once placed in the Treasury of the parish, and shall be by the Treasurer carried to the account of Court House Construction account.

Resolved, That as evidence of the indebtness of the Police Jury, for the amount so borrowed, the President shall issue the bonds or obligation of the parish in sums of five hundred dollars each, to be dated first of January, A. D. 1865, with interest thereon at the rate of eight per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, to wit: on the 1st day of July and the 1st day of January thereafter, until the said bonds shall be fully paid and fully satisfied, and to each of the said bonds twenty interest coupons shall be attached, worded in the usual form. The said bonds shall be payable to the order of the Treasurer, and shall be by him endorsed; he shall also countersign the said bonds and coupons, is addition to the President's signature, but neither the President nor the Treasurer will be required to sign the interest coupons in full—their accostomed initals thereon will be sufficient warrant to the Treasurer for the time being to pay the same.

Resolved, That the President and Treasurer be required to have prepared, engraved in suitable form and with suitable devices, blank bonds, with coupons attached, and the President is authorized to draw on the Treasurer for the cost of the same.

Resolved, That the bonds shall be numbered from one to twenty, and each coupon on each bond shall be numbered from one to twenty; and the Treasurer is hereby directed to open a book, wherein he shall enter in numerical orders each bond, showing the date, when issued, to whom issued, and the amount received therefor.

Resolved, That none of the said bonds shall be sold below par, and if any person should offer to purchase the whole or part of the said loan, the person who offers the highest premium, shall be awarded the loan.

Resolved, That the principal and interest of the said bonds shall be paid at the time specified, at the office of the parish Treasurer in Alexandria.

Resolved, That the faith of the parish of Rapides be pledged for the full and punctual payment of the said bonds and interest.

Resolved, That an annual tax be levied in the same manner as all other parish taxes are levied, to pay and discharge the annual am't of interest chargeable on the said bonds, and also a further amount to be equal to one-fifth part of the principal of the sum borrowed, which said sum shall be applied to the purchase of so many bonds as the Treasurer may be able to buy, provided, however, no premium shall be paid for the said purchase, without the consent of the Police Jury, and provided further that due notice shall be given in the town papers by the Treasurer that he will receive proposals for the sale of bonds.

Resolved, That no bonds once taken up shall be re-issued, but on the face thereof the Treasurer shall write paid, and due entry shall be made thereof in his books of the same and the amount so paid.

Resolved, That the President shall advertise in the town papers a reasonable time prior to the first of January, 1860, for proposals for a loan of ten thousand dollars, conditioned agreeably to the present ordinance.

On motion of Mr. Hynson,

Resolved, That the sum of ten thousand dollars be raised by taxation this year to make up the residue of the twenty thousand dollars needed for the erection of the Court House.

Resolved, That a sufficient amount of the ten thousand dollars appropriated for the building of the Court House, be reserved in the hands of the Treasurer to pay the interest on the bonds due 1st July next.

On motion of C. W. Boyce,

Resolved, That the bond to be given by the Treasurer for the safe disbursement of tax for the year 1859, shall be for the sum of $15,000.

On motion of Mr. Hynson,

Resolved, That the Parish Treasurer be required to give a separate bond for the am't of money to be raised by the sale of bonds, the amount of which shall be ten thousand dollars, to be given on or before the 1st day of January next, 1860.

On motion of Mr. Boyce,

Resolved, That when the Parish Treasurer shall give bond to the satisfaction of the President of the Police Jury, and shall be accepted by him, his old bond as Parish Treasurer shall be cancelled.

On motion of G. Bailllio,

Resolved, That a sum, not exceeding seventy-five Dollars be and the same is hereby specially appropriated for the building and repairs of the several bridges crossing the public road within the road district No. 49, and that John K. Elgee be and he is hereby appointed superintendent to let out and receive the same.

Resolved, That the Parish tax for the year 1859, be twenty-nine thousand five hundred dollars, and that the Parish Collector be and he is authorized and required to levy a sufficient per centage upon the State tax for 1859, to make up that amount.

Acc'ts paid D. W. Shaw, Constable fees.....11 00
" " W. Waters, Jr., Lumber bill.....44 50
Am't $55 50

Resolved that the report of the Commissioners appointed by the Police Jury to review the road from the store of J. P. Eddleman, through Sandersville, intersecting the Hineston residence of Mr. Spronce, on Little Six Mile, and recommending the adoption of the road where it now runs, be and the same is hereby accepted.

The President was authorized to issue a warrant in favor of Wm. Brewer for the sum of seventy-six dollars and fifty cents for building a bridge across a slough in the Calcasieu swamp.

On motion of Mr. Eddleman,

Resolved, That Road district No. 85 be so changed as to begin at Whiskachitta bridge, running west to where it intersects the Hineston road, near Drake's Creek, and that Jas. Philips remain syndic thereof.

On motion, the Jury adjourned until the 1st Monday in Janury next, 1860.

G. BAILLIO, PRES'T.
G. LABAT, Clerk P. Jury.

☞ It is reported that Charles Sumner, the absent Senator of Massachusetts, now in Paris, is about to be married to Mrs. Thayer, (*nee* Granger,) widow of the late John E. Thayer, of Boston. It seems that it is his heart that has been softening instead of his brain as reported.

A FLASH IN THE PAN.—Our Know Nothing friends who assembled at Jackson yesterday, to nominate candidates for State offices, made a grand failure. No nominations were made.
[Vicksburg Southron, and Sun, 11th inst.