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"The Blessings of Government, Like the Dew from Heaven, Should Descend Alike upon the Rich and the Poor."

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Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana.

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Succession of M. L. LeBlanc.

Eighteenth Judicial District Court for the parish of St. Tammany—State of Louisiana—No. 152.

Whereas, Francis A. Guyol has petitioned the court for letters of administration on the estate of the late Montpensier L. LeBlanc—
Notice is hereby given, to all whom it may concern, to show cause, within ten days from the first publication hereof, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted.
By order of the court, this 23d day of June, 1882.
Wm. C. MORGAN, Clerk.

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Face intellectual—
Color and tone—
All the accomplishments
Really home-grown.
Eyes—here I hesitate—
Rather like blue;
Black not an obstacle;
Hazel would do.
Nose of the Grecian type;
Not to seem proud,
Some little latitude
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Figure that's squeeze-able—
Plump, but not fat—
Steer clear of scragginess,
Could not stand that.
Quiet and lady-like,
Dresses with taste;
Ankle displayable,
Neat little waist;
Round of home duties;
Her element quite;
Pie-crust especially
Warranted light.
Common accomplishments;
But, in a word,
Those of the useful kind
Greatly preferred.
Little bit musical,
Able to sing
Claribel, Gabriel—
That sort of thing.
Chatty and sociable,
Likes a cigar;
Pleasant old people, pa-
re and mamma.
Pious, devotional,
Gentle and kind;
Teach in the Sunday School
If she's a mind.
Lady of such a stamp,
Wanting a bean,
Strictly in confidence,
Knows where to go.
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A great desideratum in the preparation of medicine is that it should be palatable without losing its efficacy. This is the case with Prickly Ash Bitters, and being graded as regards their cathartic properties, they are better adapted for general use than any other similar article. A trial will convince the most skeptical.

COVINGTON,
The Police Jury met at the courthouse on the above date.
Present—Messrs. Allison Purns, G. L. Fatas, Rogers, Aubry, Cousin, Welch, Parker and Cray.
Absent—J. W. Smith.
The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.
On motion, all fines due by members in arrearance, up to the present date, were remitted.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.
The Police Jury, in committee of the whole, examined the assessment rolls for the present year, and found them to be as follows:
Parish, including the incorporated towns of Covington and Mandeville..... \$615,383
Poll tax..... 1,188
Total..... \$616,571

On motion of Mr. Cousin, the rolls were received, and the Tax Collector was instructed to assess all persons who have not been assessed, keep a separate roll of the same, and attach it to his books.
The committee on estimate of expenses for year ending December 31, 1882, presented their report, as follows:
Grand and Petit Jurors..... \$700
Police Jury..... 206
Printer and Secretary..... 150
Parish Treasurer..... 100
Coroner and coroner's jury..... 150
Assessor's fees..... 250
Commissions of Tax Collector..... 130
Contingent fund..... 300
Sheriff in criminal matters..... 500
Witnesses..... 500
Total..... \$2,980

AN ORDINANCE.
The following ordinance was then adopted:
Be it ordained, by the Police Jury of St. Tammany Parish, That there shall be levied for the year 1882, a tax of two mills on the dollar for the Public School fund; a further tax of two mills on the dollar for expenses in criminal matters; a tax of one-half mill on the dollar for repairs to the court house, and a tax of five and one-half mills on the dollar for the general expenses of the parish.

Be it further ordained, That the Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector be and is hereby instructed to collect, on all the taxable property of the parish, the corporations of Covington and Mandeville included, the two mill tax levied for the school fund, the two mill tax levied for expenses in criminal matters, and the one-half mill tax for repairing the court house; and that said taxes be collected in currency and paid into the hands of the parish treasurer.

Be it further ordained, That the tax collector shall receive, in payment of the five and one-half mill tax levied for general expenses of the parish, the certificates of grand and petit jurors, witnesses in criminal cases, and all approved bills of the Police Jury, of the current year 1882.

On motion of Mr. Burns, the tax collector was instructed to proceed at once with the collection of the taxes, in accordance with the above ordinance.

The committee appointed to examine the books of Mr. Poole, ex-parish treasurer, reported as follows:

COVINGTON, LA., June 5, 1882.
To the President and members of the Police Jury:
Gentlemen:—The undersigned committee, appointed to investigate the books of Mr. J. O. Poole, ex-parish treasurer, beg leave to report as follows:
We find the said books very much mixed, and were unable to comprehend the same. We also beg leave to report that we find many discrepancies and cross entries, which shows that Mr. Poole has paid himself his salary for the year 1880. A committee of experts is necessary to arrive at a just conclusion of the standing of the said Mr. Poole with the parish.
Signed,
W. B. ROGERS,
MILTON BURNS,
W. E. PARKER,
R. GALLATAS.
On motion, the report was received and committee discharged.
Sheriff Cook requested that an expert be appointed to examine his books and the State and parish tax rolls.
On motion, the President appointed Mr. F. A. Guyol an expert to make said examination; also, to examine the books of the Tax Collector, the State and Parish tax rolls, and the books of Mr. Poole, ex-parish Treasurer, and to issue a warrant to pay the expert for his services.
By request of Messrs. Chaffie & Sons, the assessment of their property in Covington, formerly the residence of Mr. Poole, was reduced from \$2000 to \$1000.
BILLS PRESENTED.
W. B. Cook, to purchasing one pair of blankets for the jail, \$4; to cash paid for blank licenses, \$5; to feeding prisoners, as follows: Frank Archer, from March 15 till discharged, \$9; John Willy, 33 days, \$16 50; Bull Green, 63 days, \$31 50; Little Green, 63 days, \$31 50; Indian Joe, 4 days, \$2; repairing fence around courthouse and table in courtroom, \$5; total, \$104 50. Approved.
Wm. Kennedy, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of parish vs. Edmund Willis and wife, \$10 64. Approved.
Wm. Kennedy, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of the State vs. Wm. Kennedy, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of the State vs. Herman Michaels, \$3 12. Approved.
F. A. Guyol, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of the State vs. Jas. O. Poole, \$5 50. Approved.
F. A. Guyol, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of the parish vs. Jules Cahier, \$7 75. Approved.
F. A. Guyol, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of the parish vs. Alf. LeBlanc, \$9. Approved.
S. B. Staples, constable, to services in case of parish vs. Alf. LeBlanc, \$8 30; advertisement, \$3; total \$11 30. Approved.
S. B. Staples, constable, to services in case of parish vs. Jules Cahier, \$4 10; advertisement, \$4; total \$8 10. Approved.
Jas. O. Poole, to services in case of parish treasurer, to January 23, 1882, \$400. Laid over till next meeting.
PUBLIC ROADS AND OVERSEERS.
Mr. Terrance Suddler was appointed overseer of the road from Mrs. Stroder's to Deer Island and Salt Bayou, in place of Herbert Snider, excused.
Thos. Crawford was appointed overseer of the road from Little Gum creek to the west bank of Pearl river.
Bills were issued to the members of the Police Jury as follows:
R. Gallatas, 1 day and mileage, 14 miles..... \$3 70
Milton Burns, 1 day and mileage, 15 miles..... 3 80
J. M. Allison, 1 day and mileage, 14 miles..... 3 70
W. B. Rogers, 1 day and mileage, 24 miles..... 4 20
W. E. Parker, 1 day and mileage, 32 miles..... 4 60
P. Welch, 1 day and mileage, 40 miles..... 5 00
M. H. Cray, 1 day and mileage, 30 miles..... 4 50
Chas. Aubry, 1 day and mileage, 40 miles..... 5 00
A. Cousin, 1 day and mileage, 60 miles..... 6 00
Total..... \$43 50
On motion, the Police Jury then adjourned, to meet on the first Monday in September, 1882.
J. M. ALLISON, President.
W. G. BENTZEL, Secretary.

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Signed,
W. B. ROGERS,
MILTON BURNS,
W. E. PARKER,
R. GALLATAS.

On motion, the report was received and committee discharged.
Sheriff Cook requested that an expert be appointed to examine his books and the State and parish tax rolls.
On motion, the President appointed Mr. F. A. Guyol an expert to make said examination; also, to examine the books of the Tax Collector, the State and Parish tax rolls, and the books of Mr. Poole, ex-parish Treasurer, and to issue a warrant to pay the expert for his services.

By request of Messrs. Chaffie & Sons, the assessment of their property in Covington, formerly the residence of Mr. Poole, was reduced from \$2000 to \$1000.

BILLS PRESENTED.
W. B. Cook, to purchasing one pair of blankets for the jail, \$4; to cash paid for blank licenses, \$5; to feeding prisoners, as follows: Frank Archer, from March 15 till discharged, \$9; John Willy, 33 days, \$16 50; Bull Green, 63 days, \$31 50; Little Green, 63 days, \$31 50; Indian Joe, 4 days, \$2; repairing fence around courthouse and table in courtroom, \$5; total, \$104 50. Approved.

Wm. Kennedy, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of parish vs. Edmund Willis and wife, \$10 64. Approved.
Wm. Kennedy, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of the State vs. Wm. Kennedy, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of the State vs. Herman Michaels, \$3 12. Approved.

F. A. Guyol, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of the State vs. Jas. O. Poole, \$5 50. Approved.
F. A. Guyol, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of the parish vs. Jules Cahier, \$7 75. Approved.
F. A. Guyol, Justice of the Peace, to services in the case of the parish vs. Alf. LeBlanc, \$9. Approved.

S. B. Staples, constable, to services in case of parish vs. Alf. LeBlanc, \$8 30; advertisement, \$3; total \$11 30. Approved.
S. B. Staples, constable, to services in case of parish vs. Jules Cahier, \$4 10; advertisement, \$4; total \$8 10. Approved.

Jas. O. Poole, to services in case of parish treasurer, to January 23, 1882, \$400. Laid over till next meeting.

PUBLIC ROADS AND OVERSEERS.
Mr. Terrance Suddler was appointed overseer of the road from Mrs. Stroder's to Deer Island and Salt Bayou, in place of Herbert Snider, excused.
Thos. Crawford was appointed overseer of the road from Little Gum creek to the west bank of Pearl river.

Bills were issued to the members of the Police Jury as follows:
R. Gallatas, 1 day and mileage, 14 miles..... \$3 70
Milton Burns, 1 day and mileage, 15 miles..... 3 80
J. M. Allison, 1 day and mileage, 14 miles..... 3 70
W. B. Rogers, 1 day and mileage, 24 miles..... 4 20
W. E. Parker, 1 day and mileage, 32 miles..... 4 60
P. Welch, 1 day and mileage, 40 miles..... 5 00
M. H. Cray, 1 day and mileage, 30 miles..... 4 50
Chas. Aubry, 1 day and mileage, 40 miles..... 5 00
A. Cousin, 1 day and mileage, 60 miles..... 6 00
Total..... \$43 50

On motion, the Police Jury then adjourned, to meet on the first Monday in September, 1882.

J. M. ALLISON, President.
W. G. BENTZEL, Secretary.

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