

St. Tammany Farmer.

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Police Jury.

July 8, 1901.
The Police Jury met on the above date and remained in session five days.

Present—
First ward—Geo. Koepf, Jr.
Second ward—Wm. Bruhl.
Third ward—G. C. Alexius.
Fourth ward—Jos. M. Smith.
Fifth ward—Crawford Williams.
Sixth ward—H. Q. Parker.
Seventh ward—John A. Todd.
Eighth ward—John Swinson.
Ninth ward—W. E. Gause.
The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Mr. Todd moved, seconded by Mr. Smith, that Mr. W. G. Kentzel be re-elected parish printer for the ensuing year, and the motion was unanimously carried.

It was moved, and seconded, that the Clerk's fees for issuing certificates for jurors and witnesses in criminal cases be fixed at 1 1/2 cents each. Carried.

It was moved by Mr. Todd, seconded by Mr. Parker, that the salaries of Justices of the Peace and Constables be fixed as follows, for the year commencing July 1, 1901, and ending June 30, 1902:

First ward—Justices of the Peace and Constables, \$20 00 each.
Second ward—Justice of the Peace and Constables, \$36 00 each.
Third ward—Justices of the Peace and Constables, E. E. Doyle, J. P., \$50 00, C. L. Smith, J. P., \$30 00, Constables, Eugene Dupriest, \$50 00, E. J. Peclon \$30 00.
Fourth ward—Justices of the Peace and Constables, \$15 00 each.
Fifth ward—Justice of the Peace and Constables \$12 50 each.
Seventh ward—Justice of the Peace and Constable, \$10 00 each.
Ninth ward—Justice of the Peace and Constable \$47 50 each.

On motion, duly seconded, the interest due the Bank, \$108 94, was ordered paid.
Mr. Todd moved, seconded by Mr. Alexius, that the sum of \$20 00 be donated to the Covington Fire Co. No. 1, for services in saving the Parish Jail. Carried.

The following communication was then read:
New Orleans, June 24, 1901.
To the honorable President and members of the Police Jury:
Gentlemen—I have the honor to hand you, herewith, the Eleventh Annual Report of the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Hospital of New Orleans, La.

Permit me, at the same time, to call your attention to the work done by this Institution in relieving the poor of the parishes of Louisiana, outside of Orleans.

By reference to the Report, Folio 34, you will see that up to December 31, 1900, we have treated 12,298 poor; and those coming from the parishes are generally the most complicated cases, requiring not only surgical attention, but also to be in our Hospital for days after operation, at a very great expense to us.

In transmitting this report to you, we deem it but proper to lay these facts before your honorable body, and to request that a small annual contribution be allowed us to meet the expenses of the Institution, which are increasing in proportion to its popularity.

The State does nothing for us, and the Institution is supported by contributions, and the officers and surgeons give their valuable time gratuitously.

Trusting to hear from you favorably, I am, Very truly yours,
Jos. A. HINCKS,
Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Todd, seconded by Mr. Gause, the sum of \$100 00 was appropriated for the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Hospital.

The following report from the Louisiana State University and Agricultural and Mechanical College was read and adopted:

Report of W. W. Hutchison, for second term, session of 1900-1901; Freshman Class, Commercial Course of Study:
Algebra, deficient..... 37
Commercial Arithmetic..... 68
Commercial Geography..... 66
English..... 70
Geometry..... 60
Spanish, deficient..... 51
Demerits for term, 47.
Can make up his deficiencies by

studying during the vacation. Should not the Police Jury require their beneficiaries to make satisfactory progress in study?
Thos. D. Boyd, President
Neighborhood of Edwards Bluff, June 1, 1901.

To the honorable President and members of the Police Jury:

Gentlemen—We, the undersigned petitioners and citizens of Tangipahoa parish, who do all of our trading in Covington, wish respectfully to draw the attention of the Police Jury to the bad condition of the bridge over Teche-functa river known as the Edward's bridge, half of which cost is borne by Tangipahoa parish. Also as to the bridge over Widow's branch, about a half a mile below the Edward's bridge, in St. Tammany Parish. The bridge is out of repair and ought to be moved to where the new road is cut. These bridges bring an immense trade to Covington, which if not repaired will be diverted to Amite and other points on the I. C. R. R. We refer the Police Jury to the merchants of Covington.

Signed—J. B. Singletary, B. B. Hughes, sr., George Edwards, Leon Brumfield, I. D. Cox, J. R. Givens, W. M. S. Givens, R. E. Givens, W. S. Givens, C. P. Corkern, Huges Bros., W. M. Corkern, S. G. Corkern, G. W. Corkern, C. C. Purvis, I. M. Corkern, T. J. Schilling and Zaek Brown.

On motion, duly seconded, the above petition was laid over till next meeting.
The following reports were then read and accepted:
SHERIFF'S REPORT.
To the honorable President and members of the Police Jury:
Quarterly statement of all monies collected by T. E. Brewster, Sheriff of the Parish of St. Tammany, for the quarter commencing April 1, 1901, and ending June 30, 1901, inclusive:

Parish tax, \$548 06.
Criminal fund, \$182, 69 less 5 per cent com. 9 18 \$173 56
Road fund, \$121 79, less 5 per cent com. 6 08 115 71
School fund, \$121 79, less 5 per cent com. 6 08 115 71
General Fund, \$121 79, less 5 per cent com. 6 08 115 71
Total \$520 69

Corporation Tax, \$226 94.
Criminal fund, \$97 26, less 5 per cent com. 4 86 92 40
Road fund, \$4 84 less 5 per cent com., 3 24 61 60
School fund, \$64 81, less 5 per cent com. 3 24 61 60
Total \$215 60

Poll tax \$35 00, less 5 per cent com. 1 75 33 25
Per capita tax, \$64 00, less 5 per cent com. \$3 20 60 80
Parish licenses, \$315 00, less 5 per cent com. \$15 75 329 25
License tags, 26 00, less 5 per cent com. \$1 30 24 70
Hire of Prisoners, \$18 00, less 5 per cent commission, .30 \$17 70
Total \$463 60

Grand total \$1199 89
Amounts available to each fund.
Criminal fund..... 283 06
Road fund..... 262 81
School fund..... 210 56
General fund..... 443 46

Total \$1199 89
I certify that the above is a true and exact statement of all monies collected by me, for the quarter ending June 30, 1901.

T. E. BREWSTER,
Sheriff and ex-Officio Tax Collector.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of June, 1901.
H. R. WARREN, Clerk.

On motion, duly seconded, the above report was accepted.

Annual statement of all monies collected by T. E. Brewster, Sheriff and Tax Collector, for the year commencing July 1, 1900, and ending June 30, 1901:

Quarter commencing July 1 1900.
School fund, 30 48
Criminal fund, 17 22
Road fund, 173 93
General fund, 149 71
Total \$371 34

Quarter com. Oct. 1, 1901.
School fund, 3744 77
Criminal fund, 3529 99
Road fund, 2810 75
General fund, 2080 33
Total 12,165 84

Quarter com. Jan. 1, 1901.
School fund, 1204 05
Criminal fund, 1374 24
Road fund, 2182 67
General fund, 2263 69
Total 7028 65

Quarter com. April 1, 1901.
School fund, 210 56
Criminal fund, 283 06
Road fund, 262 81
General fund, 443 46
Total 1199 89

Grand total \$20,765 72
I certify the above amount to be a true and exact statement of all monies collected by me less 5 per cent commission and turned into the Parish treasury for the year commencing July 1, 1900 and ending June 30, 1901, inclusive.

June 30, 1901 and amount of deductions claimed:

State Tax.
Amount of roll \$107,840 44; deductions claimed, 71 21; amount due State, 10,718 23; amount collected, 10,826 75; excess of roll 118 52.

Parish Tax.
Amount of roll 16,176 67; deductions claimed, 800 67; amount due parish, 15,376 10; amount collected 15,574 49; excess of roll, 198 39.

Poll Tax.
Amount of roll, 1188 09; deductions claimed 139 28; amount due parish, 1049; amount collected, 1289 00; excess of roll, 240 00.

I certify the above to be a true and correct account of all the amounts collected by me and claimed on the rolls, also amount of deductions claimed from July 1, 1900 to June 30, 1901.

T. E. BREWSTER,
Sheriff and Ex-Officio Tax Collector.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of July, 1901.

H. R. WARREN, Clerk.

RECAPITULATION

Of Deduction List on Taxes of 1900:

	Parish	State
Errors and Insolvencies and no property found	56 32	38 36
Double assessments	32 09	21 93
Taxes omitted from advertisement will sell in 1902.	12 13	8 10
Taxes on property sold to the State, year 1901 and continued on roll	4 63	2 82
Total credits	105 17	71 21

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct list of taxes due and not collected on the tax roll of 1900 and the amount of Parish tax \$39 57, tax claimed by me as deductions for said year, are correct, and that I have exhausted all legal remedies required by the laws of the State to collect the same. T. E. BREWSTER, Sheriff and ex-Officio Tax Collector. Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of July, 1901.

H. R. WARREN, Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Statement of Adolph Frederick, Parish Treasurer, for the quarter ending June 30, 1901.

General Fund.
To balance on hand April 1, 1901 1 44
To amount received from T. E. Brewster 726 52
Total 727 96
By warrants paid out of general fund 737 19
Balance on hand June 30, 1901 77

Road Fund.
To balance on hand, April 1st, 1901 \$4653 06
To settlement from T. E. Brewster, for quarter 262 81
Total \$4915 87
By warrants paid out same fund 1846 25
To balance on hand April 1, 1901 3070 62

Total \$4915 87
To amount due Bank of Covington for warrants paid by them up to June 30, 1901 \$5,089 42
Respectfully submitted, this 9th day of July, 1901.

A. FREDERICK, Parish Treasurer.

On motion, duly seconded, the above report was accepted.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the honorable President and members of the Police Jury:
Gentlemen—We your Finance Committee have examined the Parish Treasurer's books, and find them correct, to-wit:

General Fund.
Amount on hand April 1, 1901..... \$1 44
Received from Sheriff..... 726 52
Total 727 96
Warrants paid out of said fund 737 19
Balance on hand 77

We also report that we have examined and approved bills amounting to \$804 06.

JNO. A. TODD,
JOS. M. SMITH,
H. Q. PARKER.

On motion, duly seconded, the above report was accepted, and the cancelled warrants were destroyed by burning.

The Finance Committee reported the following bills approved:
T. E. Brewster, Sheriff, to conveying John Spencer to New Orleans, 5 00, sheriff traveling to New Orleans, 120 miles, 12 00, incidental expenses on trip, 2 00, to conveying Luke Cyprian to Asylum, 15 00, to two sheriff's, traveling 188 miles 75 20, to incidental expenses on trip, 4 00, to services rendered W. Johnson by Dr. Smith, 1 00, total 115 00.

Adam Perrilloux, to feeding Mat Mizell 17 days 8 50, William Johnson 30 days 15 00, Charley Randolph 3 days 1 50, Many Sharp 5 days 2 50, William Johnson 31 days 15 50, Sam Smith 13 days 6 51, Geo. Spencer 4 days 2 04, William Johnson 30 days 15 00, Luke Cyprian 17 days 8 50, John Grice 5 days 4 50, total 79 00.

H. R. Warren, Clerk of Court, to conveying book Y 12 50, index 2 50, express .30, stationary for quarter ending June 30, 1901, 12 50, inquests of Samuel Cox, Samuel Smith, Manual Moore, Ransen Brown, and Sampson Murphy, 1 50 each, entering order appointing Sam Talley jury commissioner 25, notice and swearing S. J. Talley 25, issuing pay to jury and witnesses, 22 2 75. Total, \$38 55.

salary for quarter ending June 30, 1901, 25 00.

Geo. E. Dutsch, to half year salary, as Constable, to July 1, 1901, \$10 00.
Geo. E. Dutsch, to holding inquest or body of Samuel Smith, at Jay's will, 5 00.

Gustave Dupert, J. P., to six months salary, to June 30 10 00.
E. J. Frederick, to clothing and supplies for parish jail, 7 50.
W. E. Kimble, to repairing brick walk in rear of courthouse, 5 45.

George Williams, to excess over contract for 18 feet over the length of bridge bank, 32 95.
T. M. Burns, attorney at law, to services rendered from Jan. 1, to July 1, 50 00.
Babington & Co., 1 mattress, 1 50.
W. E. Dupriest, deputy sheriff, to guarding jurors, 1 day 2 00.
O. J. Oulliber, Constable, to six months salary, to July 1, 10 00.

Geo. J. Olsen, Constable, to six months salary, to July 1, 10 00.
Dendinger & Co., to 417 feet of bridge lumber, 5 81.
P. C. Smith, Constable, fourth ward, to six months salary, to July 1, 7 50.
W. F. Crockett, to one small house burned, in which small negro was kept, and ground to bury negro, 10 00.
S. F. Phillips, J. P., to six months salary, to July 1, 7 50.
E. H. Doyle, J. P., to three months salary, to July 1, 8 75.

Adolph Frederick, to salary for quarter ending June 30, 75 00.
H. R. Warren, Clerk of Court, to issuing 167 witness and jury certificates, 20 87.
Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Co. to telephone services for the months of April, May and June, 10 50.
V. H. Frederick, to medicine for prisoners 1 20.

H. B. Cook, deputy sheriff, to guarding July 1 day, 2 00.
E. J. Frederick, Constable, third ward, to three months salary, to July 1, 8 75.
Eugene Dupriest, Constable, to salary for quarter ending June 30, 8 75.
J. G. Mizell, J. P., fifth ward, to six months salary, to July 1, 12 50.
Dr. F. J. Heintz, Coroner, to inquest of Ransom Brown, and railroad fare, 12 60.

B. A. Schmidt, H. J. Willis, H. B. Cook, C. Penion and John Swinson, Jurors on the above inquest, two days, 4 00 each.
Dr. F. J. Heintz, Coroner, to inquest of Manual Murphy, and railroad fare, 11 20.
C. Penion, F. Hartmann, Thomas Crawford, Ang. Planche and Ben. Schmidt, jurors on above inquest 2 00 each.

Dr. F. J. Heintz, Coroner, to viewing body of Sump on Moore, 5 00. To expenses on inquest of Emile Morgan, 3 20 total, 8 20.
J. F. Crow, J. P., sixth ward, to nine months salary, to June 30, 19 37 1/2.
W. G. Kentzel, Secretary, salary for quarter ending June 30, 1901, and publishing proceedings and advertisements and job printing, as per itemized bills, \$40 00.

On motion, duly seconded, the Board then adjourned as a Police Jury and organized as a Board of Reviewers.

It was moved, and duly seconded, that the assessment roll, as made out by the Assessor, be accepted.

Yes—3.
Nays—4.

And the motion was lost.

The board then proceeded to review the assessment rolls, and the work was completed Friday afternoon.

It was then moved, and duly seconded, that the tax roll for the year 1901 be accepted after having reviewed the same. Carried.

The reviewing of the assessment roll being completed, the Board of Reviewers adjourned, and the Police Jury assembled for regular business.

On motion of Mr. Smith, seconded by Mr. Alexius, the following

TAX ORDINANCE.

was then adopted:

1. Be it enacted, by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Tammany Louisiana, that there be and is hereby levied for the year A. D. 1901, a tax of ten mills upon the dollar upon all taxable property in the parish.

2. Be it further enacted, etc., That four mills is hereby appropriated therefrom for criminal expenses, two mills for the benefit of public schools, two mills for the general expenses of the parish and two mills for the benefit of public roads; and that the sheriff and tax collector do collect the amount appropriated therefrom for Criminal Expenses, and for the benefit of the Public Schools and Public Roads, upon all property in the parish subject to taxation, including that situated in the towns of Mandeville and Covington.

3. Be it further enacted, etc., That the Sheriff and ex-Officio Tax Collector shall receive in payment of parish taxes, (the amount appropriated for the public schools excepted,) the duly approved certificates of the Grand and Petit Jurors for per diem and mileage, and certificates of members of the Police Jury for per diem and mileage, and that he proceed with the collection of the taxes now levied according to law.

Adopted July 12, 1901.
A number of gentlemen appeared before the Police Jury in the interest of building a bridge across the Bogue Chitto river, at the old Steve Mizell Ferry.

It was moved by Mr. Todd, seconded by Mr. Alexius, that the Police Jury of St. Tammany Parish hereby appropriate the sum of eight hundred dollars toward building the above named bridge. Carried.

The President appointed Messrs. H. Q. Parker and Crawford Wil-

liams, on the part of the Police Jury, and Messrs. J. S. Jones and H. J. Smith, on the part of the business men to draw up plans and specifications for said bridge, the committee to furnish the plans and specifications as soon as possible.

The President also appointed the following committee to receive the bids, after due advertisement, or reject the same. Messrs Crawford Williams, H. Q. Parker, G. C. Alexius, Jos. M. Smith, Geo. Koepf, Jr., Ex-officio.

The following warrants were issued to members for mileage and per diem:
Geo. Koepf, Jr. \$20 00
Wm. Bruhl 16 60
G. C. Alexius 16 50
Jos. M. Smith 20 00
Crawford Williams 18 20
H. Q. Parker 21 00
John A. Todd 23 00
John Swinson 20 60
W. E. Gause 9 40

On motion, duly seconded, the Police Jury then adjourned to meet Monday, July 8, 1901.
GEO. KOEPP, JR.,
President.

W. G. KENTZEL, Secretary.

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But her beauty was completely hidden by sores, blotches and pimples till she used Bucklin's Arnica Salve. Then they vanished as will all Eruptions, Fever Sores, Boils, Ulcers, Carbuncles and Felons from its use. Infallible for Cuts, Corns, Burns, Scalds and Piles. Cure guaranteed. 25c. at the City Drug Store, J. L. Watkins proprietor.

EAST LOUISIANA Railroad.

HEADQUARTERS NOW LOCATED AT COVINGTON, LA.

Offers a safe, quick and convenient service to the traveling public.

Schedule.

Daily Limited No. 8, will
Leave New Orleans 4:20 P. M.
Arrive in Covington 6:25 P. M.
No. 7 will leave Covington 6:00 A. M.
Arrive in New Orleans 8:05 A. M.

EXCURSION TRAINS SUNDAYS AND WEDNESDAYS.

Leave New Orleans 7:45 A. M.
Arrive in Covington 10:00 A. M.
Leave Covington 5:25 P. M.
Arrive in New Orleans 7:50 P. M.

Mixed Train (Passenger and Freight)
This train will make connection with passenger train leaving New Orleans 6:00 A. M.
leave Pearl River 7:30 A. M.
arrive in Covington 9:30 A. M.
leave Covington 1:25 P. M.
arrive in Pearl River 3:05 P. M.

This train makes connection at Pearl River with passenger train on N O & N E R R, due at New Orleans 4:45 P. M.
In addition to the above the New Orleans & Northeastern Railroad Co. will permit, on Saturdays, passengers from New Orleans on their limited train No. 2, (leaving New Orleans 7:30 p. m.) for Abita Springs and Covington. This train due at Pearl River 8:55 p. m. The East Louisiana Railroad Co. will run a train from there on arrival of No. 2, arriving at Covington 9:35 p. m.

Will also run a passenger train from Covington to Pearl River, leaving Covington 7 p. m., and arrive at Pearl River 7:55 p. m.

From the above it will be seen that the East Louisiana Railroad Co. has arranged a schedule of trains to give its patrons through passenger service between New Orleans and Covington, either way, twice a day Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays, and three times a day on Wednesdays and Saturdays, and hope that same may be appreciated in an increased patronage.

The above schedule will improve freight service into Covington, the through freight train being due at Covington at 9:30 a. m., which will allow merchants to receive and put away their goods the same day received.

We are looking out for the interests and convenience of the public and if we find at any time we can improve on this new service we shall be glad to do so.

NOTICE.—The attention of the public is hereby called to the conditions under which the new form of thirty and ten trip tickets are sold. These tickets will be honored for passage only when in the hands of the original purchaser who signs the contract and members of his immediate family, whose names appear on the ticket. If presented by any other than those whose names appear on the ticket, the same will not be honored for passage and full fare collected from holder.

NOTICE is hereby given to the public that the Round Trip Excursion Tickets sold by the New Orleans and Northeastern Railroad in the city of New Orleans, on Sunday and Wednesday, good to stations on the East Louisiana Railroad

ARE NOT TRANSFERABLE, And will be honored for return passage only in the hands of the ORIGINAL PURCHASER.

Such tickets, when presented by others than the original purchasers, will be taken up by the Conductor, and the full fare collected. This Notice also applies to all Round Trip Tickets sold by the East Louisiana Railroad Company or those sold by any Railroad which read good over the East Louisiana Railroad.

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The Mutual Life is the Largest, Strongest and most Progressive Life Insurance Company in the World. Its Policies are Liberal, free from Technicalities and meet every Requirement of Protection and Investment.

Prices and full information will be furnished upon request to PHIL. J. RYAN, Special Agent, Box 13, Covington, La.

Succession of Francis V. De Gruy.

Twenty-sixth Judicial District Court of Louisiana, in and for the Parish of St. Tammany.

John Harter having applied for appointment as administrator of the succession of Francis V. De Gruy, deceased, it is ordered that all persons desiring to make opposition to such appointment show cause within ten days from the first publication of this notice why such appointment should not be made.

H. R. WARREN, Clerk of Court.
July 13, 1901.

Succession of Jessie Heidelberg.

Twenty-sixth Judicial District Court of Louisiana, in and for the Parish of St. Tammany.

Notice is hereby given to the heirs, creditors and all parties concerned, to show cause, if any they have, within ten days from this notice, why the final account filed by John H. Benson, administrator, should not be approved and homologated. H. R. WARREN, Clerk of Court, July 13, 1901.

Succession of Edward B. Benton.

Twenty-Sixth Judicial District Court of Louisiana, in and for the Parish of St. Tammany.

Rachal B. Petral having applied for appointment as adative testamentary executor, of the succession of Edward B. Benton, deceased, it is ordered that all persons desiring to make opposition to such appointment show cause within ten days from the first publication of this notice why such appointment should not be made.

H. R. WARREN, Clerk of Court.
July 13, 1901.

NOTICE.

A reward is offered by the undersigned for any party or parties caught trespassing or cutting any timber on my land, (known as the Crossman's land,) situated three miles from Abita Springs. They will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

MRS. A. S. P. GUINAULT,
718 Esplanade street, New Orleans.

U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La. June 17, 1901.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Clerk of the District Court, at Covington, La., on WEDNESDAY, July 31, 1901, viz:

WILLIAM A. PARKER,
Who made homestead entry No. 15,234, for the east half of the southeast quarter, section 3, township 6, south range 13 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Warren Thomas, E. B. Thomas, T. H. Carpenter and J.