

St. Tammany Farmer. January 17, 1903.

REV. CARLISLE P. B. MARTIN, L. L. D. Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first rising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm, which produces a cough, and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horchmond Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung troubles." Price 25c, 50c, \$1.00 bottle at V. H. Frederick's Drug Store.

Beautiful Bed Comforts, only \$1.75 at the Notion Store, Madisonville, also Fire Dogs, Tongs, etc.

Police Jury.

Covington, La., Jan. 15, 1903. The Police Jury met on the above date and remained in session three days.

Present—First ward—Geo. Koepf, Jr. Second ward—Wm. Bruhl. 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.

Absent—Third ward—C. Alexius. On motion, duly seconded, the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

It was moved by Joe. M. Smith, seconded by H. Q. Parker, that the Justice of the Peace of the Fourth Ward, Jas. Phillips, be allowed \$300 a year, for the year 1902. Constable, F. J. Phillips \$25. Carried.

It was moved by Mr. Todd, seconded by Mr. Bruhl, that all stock cattle be assessed at \$8 per head. Carried.

The petition of K. A. Orr and others, requesting the Police Jury to open up Gum Bayou for public use, came up for discussion, and after consulting the law, the Police Jury failed to find where they were authorized to declare said bayou open for public use, consequently the matter was laid over till the next meeting.

It was moved, and seconded, that Mr. J. E. Gaines be allowed the sum of ten dollars, for protecting and moving logs at Bogue Falas bridge. Carried.

It was moved by Mr. Parker, seconded by Mr. Williams, that Jefferson Smith be allowed the sum of twenty dollars toward his support, as he is sick and in a helpless condition. Carried.

The following communication was then read: Slidell, La., Jan. 13, 1903.

To the honorable president and members of the Police Jury. Gentlemen—The Town of Slidell has adopted by a majority of votes at an election held Dec. 27, 1902, the provisions of Act No. 188 of the General Assembly of 1898, and also the amendments to said Act passed by the general assembly of 1902.

Your special attention is called to said amendments which exempt the town of Slidell hereafter from Parish License Taxes, and this is to notify you that the Town of Slidell claims said exemption from Parish License Taxes from date of adoption of said Act. No. 188.

Yours truly, OSCAR L. DITTMAN, Mayor. JOHN FREDERICK, Clerk.

On motion, duly seconded, the above communication was referred to the Sheriff for investigation.

The following Budget and License Ordinance was adopted for the year ending Dec. 31, 1903.

BUDGET. Secretary and Parish printer \$300. Parish Treasurer 400. Assessor's fees 1500. Commission of Tax Collector 1000. Sheriff's salary 1000. Conveying convicts to penitentiary and insane people to the Insane Asylum 750. Witnesses in criminal cases 2500. Other and general criminal expenses 5000. Coroner and Coroner's Jury Grand and Petit Jurors 1000. Police Jury 1000. Repairing and constructing roads and bridges 5000. Beneficiary cadet to State University 2000. Divers, incidental and contingent expenses 2000. Total \$22,400.

LICENSE ORDINANCE. 1. Be it ordained, by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana, that a license be and is hereby levied for the year 1903 upon each person, corporation, firm or association pursuing any occupation, business or calling in this parish, which is subject to State License.

2. Be it further ordained, etc., that the amount of Licensee due this parish for each trade, occupation, business or calling carried on or conducted in this parish, subject to a License, is hereby fixed at the same as is now levied and collected by the State for such trade, occupation, business or calling in this Parish.

3. Be it further ordained, etc., that the Licensee due this parish shall be and are hereby due and collectible at the same time and in the same manner as the Licensee due the State, and in the event the same are not paid when due, it is ordered that the Tax Collector who is hereby authorized and instructed to forthwith institute legal proceedings to enforce the payment of the same.

PER CAPITA TAX. 1. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of St. Tammany Parish, that besides the two mill tax heretofore set aside for public work purposes, there is hereby levied for the year 1903 a per capita tax of \$1.00 upon each male inhabitant of the parish between the ages of 15 and 55 years, except such parties who live in cities and towns that keep up their own streets, this tax to be collected as provided by law, and to be paid by the 31st of December, 1903, and each year thereafter, and that any person failing to pay his per capita tax as above levied, shall be fined in the sum of not less than \$5 nor more than \$15, and in default of the payment of the fine and costs, he shall be sentenced to work on the public road for a period of time not to exceed 30 days at the discretion of the court.

SHERIFF'S REPORT.

Statement of T. E. Brewster, Tax Collector, for the quarter ending December 31, 1902.

Parish Tax, \$10,761 85. Criminal Fund, 5,380 95 less 5 per cent com. 269 04 = \$5,111 89. Road Fund, 1614 27, less 5 per cent com. 80 71 = 1,533 56. School fund, 1614 27, less 5 per cent com., 80 71 = 1,533 56. General fund, 2152 37, less 5 per cent com., 107 61 = 2,044 76. Total \$10,228 76.

Total \$13,768 12. I certify the above to be a true and correct statement of all amounts collected by me, from Oct. 1, 1902, to Dec. 31, 1902, inclusive.

T. E. BREWSTER, Tax Collector. Sworn and subscribed before me this 13th day of January, A. D. 1903.

H. B. WARREN, Clerk. On motion, duly seconded, the above report was adopted.

TREASURER'S REPORT. Statement of A. A. Frederick, Parish Treasurer for the quarter ending Dec. 31, 1902.

General Fund. Balance on hand Oct. 1, 1902 1 54. Warrants paid out to Dec. 31 8,408 86. Amount rec'd from Sheriff 8,408 87. By Overdraft 75. Total \$1,076 86.

Respectfully submitted this 13th day of January, 1903.

ADOLPH FREDERICK, Parish Treasurer.

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

FINANCE COMMITTEE. To the honorable President and members of the Police Jury:

General Fund. Balance on hand, Oct. 1, 1902 1 54. Warrants paid to Dec. 31 8,408 86. Am't rec'd from Sheriff 8,408 87. By Overdraft 75. Total \$1,076 86.

We also approved bills amounting to \$1,100 98.

Respectfully submitted, JOHN H. TODD, JOS. M. SMITH, H. Q. PARKER, Finance Committee.

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

The following amounts were paid to Deputy Sheriffs, Clerks and Commissioners, for holding the Congressional election, Nov. 4, 1902:

P. C. Smith \$15. Thos. O'Keefe 15. H. E. Barton 15. Dave Richardson 15. Thos. P. Crawford 15. J. J. Casaus 15. John Peterson 15. Geo. R. Dutsch 15. H. B. Cook 15. Alfred Founti 15. James Hand 15. John Hager 15. G. A. Perreand 15. G. M. Fendison 15. J. C. Burns 15. T. N. Gallaway 15. Edward Frederick 15. H. Colbertson 15. L. B. Lott 15. Harry Szymotr 15. Jos. Fasnia 15. W. J. Mayfield 15. E. B. Thomas 15. J. H. Davis 15. S. J. Talley 15. B. Y. Carroll 15. Isaac Talley 15. S. R. Wilson 15. H. Q. Parker 15. Chas. Penton 15. John West 15. Louis J. Heintz 15. Emile Norman 15. M. Hestrest 15. E. Theriot 15. John J. Schneider 15. F. Ribava 15. John Dendinger 15. Felix Currow 15. Walter Pierce 15. L. L. Crow 15. Jno. A. Todd 15. Thos. O'Keefe 15. John Hager 15.00.

The following bills were then read and approved: Covington House, C. M. Poole, for feeding and lodging 12 jurors Oct. 16 and feeding 12 jurors Oct. 17 and Dec. 15, \$35 00.

Guaves Dupart, J. P., First Ward, to six months salary ending Dec. 31, \$10.

G. R. Dutsch, J. P., First Ward, to six months salary ending Dec. 31, \$10.

Chas. L. Olsen, constable, First Ward, to six months salary ending Dec. 31, \$10.

WONDERFUL NERVE.

Is displayed by many a man enduring pains of accidental Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Sore feet or stiff joints. But there is no need for it. Bucklen's Arnica Salve will kill the pain and cure the trouble. It's the best cure on earth for piles, too, 25c, at J. L. Watkins, City Drug Store.

Bargains in Violins and Mandolins at Madisonville Drug Store.

Notice to License Payers.

TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE. Parish of St. Tammany. The licenses for the year 1903, are now due and the payment thereof will become delinquent on the first day of March, 1903, after which date penalties at the rate of two percent per month and attorney fees will accrue. All unpaid licenses on the first day of March, 1903, will be turned over to the attorney to add to the tax collector. Parties wishing to avoid the payment of penalties will do well to make payment before that date.

T. E. BREWSTER, Sheriff and Ex-Officio Tax Collector.

For Sale.

A large young bay mare, double-jointed. Will work anywhere. Perfectly gentle. Can be driven by women and children. Will be sold under a guarantee. Apply to B. LABAT.

FOR SALE—Choice corner lot, with good dwelling house, in Covington, La. Address inquiry to 50 Oak Street, Mobile, Ala.

Notice.

Any one trespassing and cutting timber on my land, and such lands as are in my charge, without the authority of the law, shall be liable to a fine of \$100. DORVILLE COUSIN.

NOTICE OF SALE OF SCHOOL LAND.

STATE OF LOUISIANA. Parish of St. Tammany. Under and by virtue of an order issued by the Hon. W. S. Frazee, Auditor of Public Accounts of said State, dated Dec. 20, 1902, I will proceed to sell, according to law, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the courthouse, in the town of Covington, Parish and State aforesaid, on SATURDAY, January 31, 1903, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described school land, viz:

- Section sixteen, township eight, south range fifteen east, in St. Tammany Parish, in quantities of not less than 40 acres nor more than 160 acres, as per plat of survey to be exhibited on the day of sale, after due appraisal. Terms—Ten per cent of the purchase price cash, and the balance in nine annual installments, the interest to be paid on the whole amount annually, at the rate of eight per cent. The notes to be made payable to the Auditor of Public Accounts, secured by special mortgage on the land sold, and personal security in solidio, until final payment of principal and interest. Or if the purchaser prefers, he can pay the whole amount of the bid in cash, deducting the interest the credit would otherwise draw. In the event of the purchaser neglecting or refusing to pay any of these installments or interest, at maturity, the land sold shall be forthwith closed and the land resold. Given at Covington, in said Parish and State, this 23rd day of December, 1902. ADOLPH FREDERICK, Treasurer of St. Tammany Parish, La. de27-61.

Succession of Levisa Zachary, wife of Andrew Wasson.—No. 250.

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

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale from the honorable aforesaid court, and in and directed, in the above entitled and numbered suit, bearing date Jan. 6, 1903—

I will proceed to sell at public auction, at the door of the courthouse, in the town of Covington, Parish and State aforesaid, on SATURDAY, Jan. 24, 1903, between legal sale hours, the following described property to-wit: The northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 19, township 5 south range 10 east, St. Helena Meridian, and will offer proof to show that the land is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of this office at New Orleans, La., on Saturday, the 24th day of January, 1903.

He names as witnesses: John D. Reed, Willie Macon, Walter Du Faur and Moses McKay, all of Covington, La. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 24th day of January, 1903.

Notarized by: ANDREW J. WASCON, Administrator.

Anna Olsen vs. Jean P. Falloot—No. 79.

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

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias from the honorable aforesaid court, and in and directed, in the above entitled suit bearing date January 6, 1903—

I will proceed to sell at public auction at the front door of the Courthouse in the town of Covington, La., on SATURDAY, February 14, 1903, between the legal sale hours, the following described property, to-wit: Lots Nos. eight (8), nine (9) and ten (10), in square 20, which are bounded by Pine, Cedar, St. Paul and St. John streets, situated in the town of Madisonville, St. Tammany Parish, La., together with all the improvements thereon. 2. The entire square No. 21, on the plan of Madisonville, St. Tammany Parish, La. Said square is situated in said town of Madisonville, and is triangular in form and fronting the Covington road, St. Paul and Cedar streets, together with all the improvements thereon. 3. A certain tract of land situated in the Parish of St. Tammany, La., designated as the south half of the southwest quarter of section 1, township 7, south range, 10 east, St. Helena Meridian, containing 85.00 acres. Terms cash—with the benefit of appraisal. j10-61. T. E. BREWSTER, Sheriff.

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U. S. Land Office, New Orleans, La., Jan. 3, 1903.

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 H. B. Warren, clerk of the district court at Covington, La., on Saturday, February 14, 1903, viz:

SIMON P. LEWIS, Who made homestead entry No. 20,896 for the west half of the northeast quarter and northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 5, township 6, south range 10 east, St. Helena Meridian.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: George Corne, Louis Per, E. B. Jones and Ish Daniels, all of Adams P. O., La. j10-61. WALTER L. COHEN, Register.

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