

St. Tammany Farmer

D. H. Mason, Editor

SLIDELL'S DOING IT.

The Slidell Council of Defense and other war organizations of Slidell have grasped the true meaning of co-operation with the Government in this time of war. Success in the war can be attained only by efficiency of the Nation, and efficiency of the Nation can be attained only by efficiency of its parts. Any part that does not do its share cuts off that much from efficiency, and is a slacker.

Slidell is not only doing its part in the raising of funds, but it is endeavoring to prevent the loss of human effort through hurtful practices and surroundings, and the wasting in idleness of labor that might be available.

If every town would follow the action of the Slidell Council of Defense and give notice that laws must be obeyed and that neither negroes nor whites shall idle away their time or congregate where unlawful practices are engaged in, the results would be beneficial, both in war service and in community health, happiness and prosperity.

THE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT.

The indications are that the prohibition amendment is gaining friends rapidly in the Legislature at Baton Rouge. The stand Governor Pleasant has taken will greatly strengthen the cause, and the people throughout the State are signing petitions in numbers that show a much stronger sentiment for it than was admitted by its opponents. There are many who look upon it as a war measure of importance, both in conservation and moral influence, and while they might otherwise have considered it as a restriction of personal liberty, they do not care to take the chances of being obstructionists.

Governor Pleasant's position now on this question in no way conflicts with the stand he took for local option, because war conditions have made it necessary that laws should be carried out with the least possible friction and expense. Prohibition should be national or not at all, and it seems evident that a majority of the people want it. We are not passing a law simply for Louisiana, but for the Nation. Conservation, also, is an important consideration. Now is the time for such an amendment, because the released labor can be taken up immediately in useful war service. There need be no idle labor, for it is demanded in all fields.

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I am applying for a pardon. m18-31 H. C. CANNON.

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POLICE JURY PROCEEDINGS MEETING OF MAY 14

zons to build a vat at the Widow A. Plot's, on Pearl River Road, and it was moved by Geo. Koepf, seconded by J. M. Smith, that the above petition be granted. Carried.

Moved by Geo. Koepf, seconded by J. M. Smith, that the millage be raised from 55 per cent to 60 per cent on all taxable property, and that 1 mill be taken from the criminal fund and given to the schools of the parish. It being put to a vote the members voted unanimously yes. Carried.

The following communication was read:

Covington, La., April 12, 1918. To the President and Members of the Police Jury of St. Tammany Parish, La.: Gentlemen:—On March 11th the Women's Progressive Union of Covington voted to call your attention to the disgracefully dirty and insanitary condition of the parish jail, courthouse and vault. In obedience to their instructions a letter was written Mr. Howze as president of the police jury, asking that your body take immediate steps to remedy existing conditions. Since the Union has received no reply to their letter, and fearing it may have failed to reach Mr. Howze, it was voted at their meeting on April 8th to write you again, and again call your attention to the necessity of cleaning and disinfecting the building under your care.

The Progressive Union, co-operating with the Board of Health, has set April 25 as "Clean-Up Day" for Covington, to be followed up by a thorough inspection of all houses, stores and yards, while fines are to be imposed upon all failing to observe the day. Now we hope to have your co-operation also in our efforts to make our town cleaner and healthier, and trust we may hear from you in the very near future in regard to it. We would suggest that to be really effective, the cleaning of your buildings should include the washing of all windows and the cleaning away of cob-webs, as well as the cleaning of walls, floors and ceiling coverings, the same to be followed by thorough disinfection. Also properly safeguard the health of yourselves and others using these buildings, such cleaning should be done frequently and regularly.

In order to guard against this letter being lost, a copy of being sent your secretary, Mr. Martindale.

Very sincerely,

MRS. E. C. DAVIS,

Corresponding Secretary.

It was moved by E. J. Domergue, seconded by E. P. Robert, that the above communication be referred to the House Committee. Carried.

The following report was read:

Covington, La., April 8, 1918.

To the Honorable President and Members of the Police Jury of St. Tammany Parish, La.:

Gentlemen:—I beg to submit this my report for the month of April, 1918:

Balance on hand, April 1, general fund, \$8,130.10; road fund, \$1,824.48; special road fund, \$5,105.52. Receipts from T. E. Brewster, general fund, \$2,147.39; road fund, \$1,037.66; special road fund \$953.90. From Sam Cowart, general fund \$50; special road fund, \$3,762.50 (transferred from general fund). From Fletcher Crawford, for dipping vat, general fund, \$50. Total, general fund, \$10,377.49; road fund, \$2,862.14; special road fund, \$9,821.92. Less disbursements, general fund, \$7,526.95; road fund, \$835.79; spl. road fund, none.

Balance on hand April 30, 1918, general fund, \$2,850.54; road fund, \$2,026.36; special road fund, \$9,821.92.

Respectfully,

Geo. F. BIERHORST,

Parish Treasurer.

It was moved and seconded that the report of the treasurer be accepted. Carried.

Statement of T. E. Brewster, Tax Collector, for month of April, 1918:

Parish Tax—	
Criminal fund	414.12
Road fund	552.16
School fund	966.27
General fund	828.23
Corporation Tax—	
Criminal fund	110.12
Road fund	146.84
School fund	256.98
State tax	1578.13
Veteran tax	319.73
Good roads tax	709.78
Special road tax	721.10
School tax, ward 1	49.91
School tax, ward 2	594.24
School tax, ward 3	210.12
School tax, ward 4	37.57
School tax, ward 5	32.62
School tax, ward 6	106.34
School tax, ward 7	100.27
School tax, ward 8	17.55
School tax, ward 9	485.63
Special Railroad tax	79.84
School tax, Abita	39.00
Poll tax	33.66
Interest on state tax	140.58
Cost of notices	124.00
State license	366.30
Parish license	29.70
Costs, fees, etc.	507.29
Fines	18.00

Amount available 9760.68

Amounts available to each fund:	
Criminal fund, regular	524.25
Road fund, regular	732.68
School fund	2330.41
General fund	857.93
Road fund, special	709.78
Railroad fund	485.63
Sheriff's salary	735.13
State	2484.89

Total 9760.68

T. E. Brewster, tax collector for the parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, do solemnly swear that the above is a correct statement of all taxes, etc., collected by me for the above mentioned funds from the 1st day of April, 1918, to the 30th day of April, 1918, inclusive.

T. E. BREWSTER,

Tax Collector.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of May, 1918.

W. E. BLOSSMAN,

Dy. Clerk of Court.

The sheriff's report was accepted as read.

General Fund.

Horace Abney, filling vat at Cook's three times, \$5.00.

Henry Pons, repairing vat at Flot's \$2.00.

Sherwin-Williams Co., kill-tick, \$1423.97.

Ira Todd, work on vats, \$13.97.

A. J. Dutruach, lumber for Dutruach vat, \$12.54.

R. Fitzgerald, work on Dutruach vat, \$16.20.

L. Pilaud, work on Pilaud vat, \$12.00.

Jules Flot, filling vat at Flot's \$6.00.

W. Blackburn, work on Sun vat, \$7.75.

J. H. Woods, work on Sun vat, \$3.84.

S. D. Flot, work on Flot vat, \$12.

S. D. Flot, building Kerr vat, \$57.50.

Cowan-Kerr Lumber Co., lumber for vats, \$85.23.

Tom Rout, filling vat at Heintz place and work, \$17.00.

Wm. James, filling vat at Heintz place and work, \$5.50.

T. M. Galloway, filling vat at Abney place, \$3.00.

Ben Williams, filling and repairing Waldheim vat, \$9.50.

Henry Keller, building vat at Du-

buison's place, \$165.00.

Henry Keller, repairing vats and furnishing material, \$68.33.

H. S. Wesson, one barrel kill-tick for Honey Island, \$64.11.

E. B. Anderson, work and material for Alton and Honey Island vats, \$39.90.

Onville Mercantile Co., materials for Onville vat, \$3.14.

H. E. Coney, material for Onville vat, \$23.03.

R. B. McKee, material and work on Onville vat, \$15.00.

B. M. Bryant, material and work on Onville vat, \$24.45.

Ellis Lee, material and work on Folsom vat, \$14.23.

Zack Sharp, lumber for Brown's vat, \$15.40.

Robt. Smith, Mandeville dipping vat, \$13.28.

E. Esquinance, material for Lewisburg vat, \$69.50.

A. Smith, repairing different vats in 4th ward, \$59.10.

E. Prieto, materials for vats in fourth ward, \$43.00.

A. A. Parker, repairing Bontouca vat, \$10.50.

J. D. Thomas, repairing Bush vat, \$16.55.

Steve Abney, Sharp's vat, \$2.50.

A. Grantham, filling vat at Bush, \$5.00.

Charles Mizell, work on Sun vat, \$6.00.

L. Finiston, work on Talliebeck vat, \$5.00.

J. D. Thomas, building dipping vat at Bush, \$165.00.

J. D. Thomas, putting down pumps, \$119.60.

Warren Thomas, filling vat at Bush, \$5.00.

Alexis Bros., material for vats, \$83.56.

Polette & Favre Lumber Co., paid watchman at small pox cases, \$1.50.

Dr. L. C. Helms, taking family from second ward to city, \$10.70.

Dr. H. D. Bulloch, taking C. Boyd to city, and services, \$25.00.

Felix Currow, vital statistics, \$2.

Norvell Bush, vital statistics, \$2.

Houltonville Store, groceries for small pox patients, in Jan. and Feb., \$46.49.

John Franklinton, watchman for small pox cases Jan. and Feb., \$36.10.

Josie Keller, vital statistics, \$4.25.

H. J. Smith's Sons, clothes for prisoners, \$5.65.

F. J. Martindale, telephone messages, freight and stamps, \$7.89.

Chamberlain Telephone Co., service for April, \$5.75.

St. Tammany Ice & Mfg. Co., service for April, \$24.14.

McNeil Stationery Co., for clerk's office, \$89.50.

Mrs. Coltra, feeding jury, \$14.50.

Tom Galloway, feeding road gang, \$53.12.

P. E. Mortimer, transcript State vs. Penton et al., \$10.00.

Moses Purlost, guarding prisoners, \$10.00.

J. D. Talley, attending Mrs. Doolittle, \$26.00.

S. L. Phillips, caring for G. A. Blood, pauper, \$22.40.

Robt. Badon, auto for sheriff, \$17.00.

T. E. Brewster, feeding prisoners, \$77; telephone, \$1.15.

T. E. Brewster, sheriff, attending court, etc., \$18.00.

L. Beck, auto for sheriff, \$12.00.

Rudolph Parker, conveying prisoners and auto, \$5.00.

J. R. Elliott, conveying prisoners Slidell to Covington, \$29.00.

James Galouye, auto for paupers taken to city, \$6.00.

Fred Watkins, auto for paupers taken to city, \$6.00.

Moses Purlost, watching sick prisoners, \$10.00.

St. Tammany Farmer, publishing proceedings, notices, etc., \$35.35.

Road Fund.

Harry Lemons, work on Abita road, \$4.00.

Jos. Schnyder, lumber for bridges on Stafford road, \$11.77.

Slidell Grocery & Grain Co., feed for mules, \$200.95.

St. Tammany Hay & Grain Warehouse, feed for mules, \$153.20.

Aug. Verrez, blacksmith work for teams, \$26.85.

Warren Evans, work on road, \$4.

Geo. Bittle, building fence, \$30.05.

Jas. Fussell, ten days work with teams, \$26.50.

J. D. McLain, material for road teams, \$27.00.

Horace Abney, cutting trees on road, \$3.00.

E. Smith, work on Slidell road, \$7.00.

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Sasmen Brick & Lumber Co., 9th ward, \$12.48. We, the finance committee, have examined bills to the amount of \$558.41 for road fund, and \$2043.24 for general fund. Robt. L. Aubert, insurance work- men's policy, \$67.53. J. M. SMITH, E. J. DOMERGUE, Finance Committee. It was moved and seconded that (Continued on page 4.)