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### PROMULGATION OF GOOD ROADS ELECTION BY POLICE JURY

Votes For, 545; Against, 109; \$1,222,004 For; \$139,203 Against.

### FULL PROCEEDINGS OF MEETING 17TH No. and Amount of Bonds and the Order of Their Maturity Fixed.

Covington, La., April 17, 1919. Minutes of the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Tammany, held Thursday, April 17, 1919, for the purpose of promulgating the result of the special road election of April 15th, and passing an ordinance fixing the bonds and maturities thereof, and to advise for bids on the same.

The Police Jury of the Parish of St. Tammany, acting as the governing authority of said parish, met in special session at the District Court house in Covington, Louisiana, on the 17th day of April, 1919, at ten o'clock a. m. pursuant to the provisions of the ordinance of said Police Jury dated March 11, 1919, and the proclamation of election by J. B. Howze, president of the Police Jury, also of date March 11, 1919. Present: Messrs. Abney, Dendinger, Domergue, Davis, Crawford, Cowart, Fendliason, Howze, Robert, Smith. Absent: Norfe.

The Police Jury having been duly convened it was moved by Mr. J. M. Smith, seconded by Mr. R. C. Abney, that:

Whereas, a special election was called by this Police Jury to be held on April 15th, 1919, in the Parish of St. Tammany, and

Whereas, it is the duty of this Police Jury to open the ballot boxes used at said special election, examine and count the ballots and canvass the result of said election, therefore

Be it ordained, That this Police Jury do now proceed to open the ballot boxes used at the said special election, examine and count the ballots in number and amount, examine and canvass the returns and declare the result of the said election; and that the President appoint two tellers to count the votes and compile the result.

And be it further ordained, That a process verbal of the opening of the said ballot boxes be made and that the canvass of the returns and result thereof be shown on the said process verbal and that the said process verbal be signed by all the members of the Police Jury, the tellers and the officers thereof.

This motion being put to a vote, the result was: Yes, ten. Nays, none.

And the motion was duly carried, and the ordinance adopted.

Whereupon the President announced the appointment of Messrs. Theodore Dendinger, Jr., and J. M. Smith as tellers; and in open session the said tellers, in the presence of all of the members of the Police Jury, proceeded to open the ballot boxes and count the votes cast at the election held April 15th, 1919, in the Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana; each box from each polling place in the said Parish being opened separately and thereupon proceeded to examine and count the ballots in each box, and examined and canvassed the returns made by the officers of the said special election at each polling place and verified the said returns with the result, which is declared as follows:

At Ward One (1), Madisonville, La., there were found 55 votes, representing an assessed valuation of Two Hundred Fourteen Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty-three Dollars (\$214,953.00) cast in favor of the proposition:

To authorize the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Tammany to incur debt on behalf of and in the name of the Parish of St. Tammany to the amount of Seven Hundred Fifty Thousand (\$750,000) Dollars, and to issue and sell negotiable semi-annual interest bearing coupon bonds evidencing the said indebtedness (the amount of said indebtedness being less than ten per cent. of the assessed valuation of the property in the said Parish); said bonds to bear interest at the rate of five (5) per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually, the interest and principal of said bonds to be payable in such amounts and at such places as the said Police Jury may determine, and within twenty-six years from the date of the bonds; and both the principal and interest of said bonds to be secured by a sufficient tax to be levied and collected each year in accordance with Article 281 of the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana; the proceeds from the sale of the said

bonds not less than par to be used in constructing and improving the public roads and highways in the Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana. And there were found no votes representing an assessed valuation of no dollars cast against the proposition above set forth.

### LAST PHOTOGRAPH OF WILLIAM WHILE HE WAS KAISER



What is no doubt the last photograph of the German Kaiser while in power was sent to the International Film service by Robert J. Dalton, M. T. Co., 337th F. M., 2-11 R. M., American mission. In this photograph is seen the crown prince, wearing the helmet of the Death Head regiment. The Kaiser is seen decorating a soldier in the foreground.

### VICTORY LOAN WILL BE PUT THROUGH

While the Victory Loan Campaign will be more extended than such campaigns have usually been in this parish, this is not due to any lack of sentiment in support of the loan, but because many people who are desirous of buying as much as they can were not prepared to say just what they could take at the time. Many are still paying on their last bonds and have not yet decided just what they can do now. Those who have bought as a matter of investment have taken larger amounts even than before, while those who are buying in patriotic support of the Government and have put all the money they could spare into previous loans will not invest so much as before.

It may be considered certain, however, that this parish will raise its quota without depending so largely upon the banks as was considered probable. Aside from patriotic duty, the loan is a good investment, as it pays 4-3-4 per cent interest.

Committees have been pretty well organized and both men and women are working hard for a successful campaign.

### TO THE CITIZENSHIP OF COVINGTON.

In due time I shall make the regular announcement of my candidacy for the office of Mayor at the election to be held in June. As the time fixed for nomination is considerably ahead, I desire to invite a careful investigation of my record as Alderman during the last two years so that the voters will be fully informed as to my qualifications as a candidate.

Respectfully,  
ADRIAN D. SCHWARTZ.

### THE THRIFT CAMPAIGN.

John B. Prados, representative for banks and postoffices of the Sixth Federal Reserve District, was in Covington, Tuesday, and says he is meeting with full co-operation from the banks and postoffices. Mr. Prados is highly pleased with the outlook throughout the district and says:

"It is our desire to conduct the Savings Campaign on a strictly, even severely, impartial basis, with a view to establishing the sale of small government securities to people of moderate means as a permanent government activity. In order to do this effectively we are limiting our appeal to the motives of enlightened self-interest and peace time citizenship, and are making our appeal to all people as citizens of the country and not as members of any particular class or group."

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### GOLD WEDDING MR. AND MRS. JAS. PREVOST

St. Peter's Catholic Church was thronged to its utmost capacity Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock with relatives and friends to witness the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. James Prevost, which was celebrated at nuptial high mass, Rev. Father John Burger officiating, assisted by Rev. Father Baselo, Deacon; Rev. Martin Barriere, Sub-Deacon; Rev. Father Emilian, Master of Ceremonies, while Rev. Father Columban delivered a most eloquent sermon. The handsome edifice was decorated with ferns and glad flowers in honor of the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Prevost entered the church preceded by the ring bearers, Masters James and Francis Prevost, and Misses Olga Bertus, Mildred DeBen, Marguerite DeBen and Adelaide Prevost, to the strains of LeProphet. The mass was sung by the choir of the church, assisted by Mrs. Jacques de Tarnosky, of New Orleans, who sang Sancta Maria during the offertory.

The celebration at the church was followed by a reception at the home, at which the following ladies received the many visitors who called throughout the day to offer their congratulations to the jubilarians who stood under a canopy of bamboo and golden morning glories: Mrs. Gaston Bertus, Mrs. Albert DeBen, Mrs. Harry Prevost, Mrs. Thos. Prevost, Mrs. Wm. Prevost, Mrs. Q. Kolinke, Mrs. Leonce Burthe, Miss Jessie Evans, Miss Mimi Prevost and Miss Gabrielle Boudousque.

The color scheme of gold and white was carried out in all of the decorations, the dining room being particularly attractive, the golden and white wedding cake, in the shape of a heart, around which was banked beautiful yellow jasmamines, occupying the center of the dining table, the punch bowls being presided over by Misses Daisy Bertus and Louise Burthe.

Mrs. Prevost, previous to her marriage, was Miss Eugenie Bragg, of New Orleans, and both she and her estimable husband are connected with some of the best known families of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Prevost were the recipients of a number of handsome and costly presents, one of them being a solid gold salad bowl, presented by the insurance companies of New York City, which Mr. Prevost has represented for so many years; also a number of telegrams of congratulation.

Among the out-of-town guests were Mrs. J. de Tarnosky, Miss Lucy Olivier, Misses Marie and Emma Thiberge, Inez Mazarat, Gladys Jones, Juanita Cousin, Carmen Pellerin, Cecile Roublon, Clara Garidal, and Mrs. C. L. de Fuentes, Mrs. Chas. Buck, Jr., and daughter, Mrs. Grandier, Mrs. Kaufman, Mrs. Vignaud, Mrs. Coleman, Mrs. J. Campbell, Mrs. A. Claudel, Mrs. Deynood, Sister Mary Augustine, Sister Mary Genevieve, and Messrs. Larose, H. Viosca, A. Clavarie, S. Vignaud, Harry Barker and Lionel Fleuret.

### HIDDEN TREASURE.

A man with a gold-finding apparatus has succeeded in arousing interest of a group of people who are digging for hidden treasure at the route of an old cedar tree on Florida street. We wonder if this will pay as well as working for \$2.50 a day.

### MILK THAT CAN STAND THE TEST

Food experts of the United States Government give milk a very important place in the diet, attributing to it qualities difficult to be found in substitutes. It is nature's standard food, and except in cases of idiosyncrasy is always beneficial, performing functions that decrease tendency to arterial hardening and beckoning youth to remain with you.

On the other hand, it is admitted that milk may become one of the most dangerous of foods, if contaminated by improper handling or unsanitary surroundings. In fact, may become a regular incubator of disease germs.

Recognizing both these facts, Mr. Felix Bachemin, proprietor of the Military Road Dairy Farm, has decided to meet a public demand by placing his milk on sale at the store of Gus Burton, on New Hampshire street, Covington, under such sanitary conditions as to win the approbation of the most fastidious. Milk from the Military Road Dairy Farm has won a reputation that makes its standard hard to reach. Close study of the value of stock foods, the maintenance of healthy stock and the production of a high percentage of cream or butter fat has resulted in his ability to place on the market milk that every lover of pure, rich milk will be delighted with. It will be put in sanitary bottles of sizes to suit the customer and will be served fresh from the cleanest of refrigerators, either to be drunk at the store or taken home for family use.

See the advertisement on page 5.

### MORE INTEREST IN REED CASE.

New interest has been awakened in the Edna Reed murder by the order of Judge Carter to have the overalls said to belong to Reed and found in the car, which are stained either with blood or paint, given an expert examination by Dr. Coats, dean of the chemistry department of L. S. U. Dr. Coats, in response to a request, has agreed to make an analysis of these stains, and by order of Court Dr. Bulloch sent the overalls to Baton Rouge for this purpose. Sheriff Brewster detailing Deputy Quatrevaux to this duty. Instead of \$500 asked by the New Orleans chemist, the work will cost the parish but \$100. This is a big saving in the expense of the case.

### RICHTERS-HOLHAUSER.

Mr. Francis H. Richters and Mrs. Viola Holhauser were married at the residence of Mrs. Holhauser on Gibson street, Tuesday, April 22, 1919. Judge Robt. Badon officiating.

Mr. Richters is a native of New Orleans, but for the past year has been foreman of the Kentzel Printing House, Covington. The bride is also a native of New Orleans, but has lived in Covington some time.

After the wedding the happy couple spent a few days in New Orleans, returning to permanently reside in Covington.

### TOWN COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS OF MEETING APRIL 23

The Matters of License Tax for Motor and Vehicles Is Discussed.

### CEMETERY, OTHER MATTERS TAKEN UP Committee Appointed To Rebuild Bogue Falaya Park Pavilion.

Covington, La., April 23, 1919. The council met in special session on the above date to consider the cemetery proposition, the enforcement of the auto, truck and vehicle license tax and the building of a pavilion in Bogue Falaya Park.

Present: P. J. Lacroix, Mayor; A. H. Smith, H. A. Mackie, A. D. Schwartz, C. E. Schonberg, M. P. Planche.

Absent: Emile Frederick. The matter of drainage of the old cemetery is to be attended to by the Mayor and Street Commission.

The new cemetery proposition was then discussed. It was moved by C. E. Schonberg, seconded by M. P. Planche, that a new proposition was to be submitted and as Mr. Stanga was not present, that nothing be done at this meeting and that the same committee be empowered to act.

Discussed the building of a pavilion in Bogue Falaya Park. It was decided to advertise for bids and the Mayor to appoint a new Park Commission. The Mayor then appointed the following gentlemen to act as such: H. A. Mackie, A. D. Schwartz, C. E. Schonberg, L. M. Bourgeois, A. R. Smith, Emile Frederick, M. P. Planche, P. J. Lacroix.

It was moved by H. A. Mackie, seconded by A. D. Schwartz, that the Town of Covington release any claim they have against the Municipal Band instruments. Carried.

The secretary was instructed to publish notice in The St. Tammany Farmer, calling attention to the street and vehicle license tax.

There being no further business, the council adjourned.

### CLEAN-UP DAY MAY 2-3.

Clean-Up Day has been fixed for May 1, and W. P. U. women and the town administration are busy to make it a success. The Mayor has issued the following proclamation:

### PROCLAMATION.

The Clean-Up movement has become one of national importance and is observed in all municipalities. Aside from its importance in the observation of cleanliness and the pursuance of a constructive business policy, its value in the protection of health is so pronounced as to justify its legal enforcement.

In view of these facts the town is co-operating with its health board and other organizations to make Clean-Up days valuable and effective.

It is therefore ordered that teams will call for all rubbish and waste matter on May 2 and 3, and to facilitate matters it is requested that residents have this trash placed at convenient places where it may be gathered up by the garbage teams and hauled away.

All who do not comply with this order will be notified after inspection and penalized under continued violation.

### FIREMEN'S FESTIVAL MAY 18.

The Covington Fire Department is expecting big things at the festival, May 18th. Citizens are vitally interested in the success of the festival because there is much to be done to make the department efficient, and there should be a liberal patronage. Let's all go over the top for our fire department. We have gone over for every thing else.

### SALVATION ARMY CAMPAIGN.

Mr. W. T. Hays, of New Orleans, was in Covington this week appointing chairmanships for the Salvation Army campaign to commence at the close of the Victory Loan campaign. He found the sentiment here for the Salvationists. Mr. P. R. Galbraith, 201 Metropolitan Bank Building, New Orleans, is zone director.

### ITEMS OF INTEREST AT JAHNCKE SHIPYARDS IN MADISONVILLE

Items of interest to the shipbuilders and public in general will be published in this column each week, and those who have interesting news and local notes can forward same to the Editorial Department Jahncke Shipbuilding Corporation, and they will be handled by them. Notes should be in so as to be mailed every Wednesday, otherwise they will be held over until the next week.

D. H. VINET, Editor-in-Chief.

Mr. J. E. Brogan, detailed by the U. S. Emergency Fleet Corporation as inspector at the Jahncke shipyard, has been associated in his services to the government here with such men as Messrs. Bell, Clark, Moore, Capt. Carlson, and last but not least, with Messrs. Williams and Pump, and they all unite in pronouncing him a faithful and conscientious officer. In fact his qualities of heart and mind are admired and praised by all classes in the shipyard. This war has brought many strangers to Madisonville, but none will be missed more than Mr. Brogan when duty calls him elsewhere.

Mr. P. T. Burke, Southern District Fire Marshal for the U. S. Emergency Fleet Corporation, visited the Jahncke yard on the 21st. He was conducted through the yard by Mr. Louis Stockfeth, Plant Guard Marshal, where he found all fire appliances in excellent condition. Mr. Burke has a large territory to cover, extending from Wilmington, N. C., on the Atlantic Coast, to Mobile and Pensacola, on the Gulf Coast, and then to Morgan City. Mr. Burke prides this yard in the highest terms and says its efficiency is recognized and that there is every reason to believe the future will justify his judgment.

The readers of The Farmer doubtless know that Madisonville is on the map of Louisiana in box-car letters. She stands preeminently in a class her own, from an industrial and economic standpoint, because of her adaptability to modern progress and the aptitude of her citizens to cope with emergencies. I need not go into details, suffice it to say that she has won her place in the sun. There have been many contributing factors to bring this about, and while I think of it, wish to say Mr. Theo. Dendinger, with his hustling boy, worked overtime to bring about this happy consummation. Mr. Dendinger, Sr., for over forty years, has been a merchant here, and during all this time has worked unselfishly and with civic pride unsurpassed, in upbuilding this historic town. Mr. Dendinger has retired from active business affairs, having turned over the same to his sons, John, George and Theo. Dendinger, Jr.

Mr. Dendinger, Sr., is president of the Madisonville Bank, one of the most substantial financial institutions in the state. In addition to operating the Madisonville Saw & Planing Mill, which furnishes high grade lumber for domestic purposes and a very large quantity for export trade, they conduct the Madisonville Exchange (for thirsty people) and a large general merchandise store. Mr. Dendinger is certainly a philanthropist in the truest sense of the word—many are the beneficiaries of his kindness of heart and benevolence of spirit.

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### THE TOWN ELECTION.

At an election held in the town of Madisonville, Tuesday, April 22, Mayor Octave J. Oulliber, with the same aldermen who served the preceding year, were elected without opposition. This administration served throughout the period of the war and they can always feel proud of their services to the people of the town and the best evidence that the people appreciate their services and are proud of them is found in the fact of their unanimous election.

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