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PROCEEDINGS OF ST. TAMMANY IS POLICE JURY MEETING OF NOV. 9TH

Go Into Session as Board of Reviewers, Then In Regular Session.

ROAD DIST. NO. 2, 8TH AND 9TH WARDS
Dr. Griffith, Chairman; Salmen, Grant, Watts and Spiers, Members.

Covington, La., Nov. 9, 1920.
The Police Jury met on the above date with the following members present: Theodore Dendinger, Jr., C. M. Poole, J. M. Smith, R. C. Davis, Emile Singletary, W. H. Howze, M. P. Schneider, J. E. Howze, Emile Burkenstock. Absent, H. N. Feud lason.
It was moved by Mr. Dendinger seconded by Mr. Schneider, that the minutes of last meeting be read, which was done, and they were accepted as read.
It was moved and seconded that Mrs. W. J. Davis receive \$25.00 in addition to her salary per month to help her in paying her expenses on her automobile, making her salary, as Home Demonstration Agent \$75 per month. Carried.
It was moved by Emile Singletary and seconded by Emile Burkenstock, that the police jury appoint a committee to see Mr. Duncan Bule, State Highway Engineer, the committee to be composed of C. M. Poole, Theo. Dendinger, M. P. Schneider and L. L. Morgan, to confer with him in regard to Federal Aid and to report to the police jury at their meeting on November 16, 1920.
Carried.
The meeting then adjourned until 1:30 p. m.

Afternoon Session.

The police jury adjourned to meet as a Board of Reviewers.
The Police Jury of the Parish of St. Tammany, after having resolved itself into a Board of Reviewers, carefully considered all matters in relation to the valuations and assessments fixed by the State Board of Affairs, and in connection therewith made the following recommendations:

- We recommend that all farm lands be reduced from \$20 to \$12 per acre.
- We recommend that all denuded pine lands in the parish be reduced from \$5 to \$4 per acre.
- We recommend that box timber be reduced \$1.00 per thousand stumps.
- We recommend that the assessment of S. T. Alcus Co. manufacturing plant be fixed at \$2,838.
- We recommend that the railroad and logging equipment of the S. T. Alcus Co. be fixed at \$57,489.
- We recommend that the assessment of the lumber of the S. T. Alcus Co. be fixed at \$83,029.
- We recommend that the assessment of the Smith Hardware Company's merchandise be fixed at \$15,000, and that the \$5,000 credits be cancelled entirely.
- We recommend that the assessment of the Politevent-Favre Lumber Company's manufacturing plant be fixed at \$57,489.
- We recommend that the assessment of Joseph E. Brugers and others be fixed at \$45,000.

On motion, duly seconded, the above suggestions were duly adopted.
The Police Jury then adjourned as a Board of Reviewers to meet as a Board of Police Jurors.
It was moved by M. P. Schneider, seconded by Emile Burkenstock, that the St. Tammany Good Roads Commission instruct Mr. M. C. Huckaby, engineer, to inspect the St. Tammany and Abita Springs road, and report to the police jury at their next regular meeting. Carried.
The St. Tammany Parish Good Roads Commission appeared before the board and asked that their contract with Mr. Huckaby, parish highway engineer, as to his salary of \$450 per month, starting October 1, and in six months his salary to be made \$500 per month, be ratified by the board. It was moved and seconded that it be put to a vote, which resulted as follows:
Yeas, 7; nays, 2.

It was moved and seconded that two prisoners in jail by name of Tip McGary and Joe Perkins be hired out at \$8.00 per month, the money to be turned into the parish fund.
Carried.
On motion, duly seconded, the following ordinance was unanimously adopted:

AN ORDINANCE establishing Road District Number Two (2) for the Parish of St. Tammany.
Section 1. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana, that it does hereby create what shall be hereafter known and designated as Road District No. 2 for the Parish of St. Tammany; said Road District No. 2 shall consist of and embrace and include Wards Eight and Nine of the Parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, in their entirety.
Section 2. Be it further ordained etc. That Covington, Louisiana, the county seat of the Parish of St. Tammany, is hereby designated as the domicile of said Road District No. 2 of the Parish of St. Tammany, Louisiana.

ST. TAMMANY IS WINNER FIFTH PLACE, STATE FAIR EXHIB.

Some of the Prize Winners Exhibiting in the Poultry Department.

A FIRST WON BY C. W. BROWN

Bachemin To Be Congratulated Manner of Handling Exhibit.

Mr. Felix Bachemin, Jr., parish farm agent, to be congratulated upon the success with which he handled the St. Tammany exhibit at the State Fair. St. Tammany took fifth place among fifteen exhibitors and won several first and other prizes. The details were not available at this writing, but will be published next week with a photograph of the exhibit.
We won first prize in ribbon cane, first cockerel R. C. White Wyandottes, exhibited by B. W. Brown, of Chinchuba; Dark Barred Plymouth Rocks, second cockerel, second and third pullet, Henry Roy, Covington; Toulouse geese, first gander, first goose, Mrs. X. Frey, Covington; H. Langenheuing, 6th cockerel and 1st pullet, 4th pullet and 3rd pullet.
We will give the full list of winners next week, and in the meantime we congratulate those who made winnings among the best in this and other states.

Section 3. Be it further ordained,

etc., That inasmuch as more than fifty per cent of the property owners of the Eighth and Ninth Wards of the Parish of St. Tammany, which wards constitute and compose said Road District No. 2, have requested this body to create said Road District, and to appoint and name a Supervising Board in accordance with the provisions of Act 30 of 1917 of the General Assembly, it is hereby ordered that the following named persons shall compose the Supervising Board of said Road District No. 2: Dr. John K. Griffith, chairman; F. Salmen, J. D. Grant, Don F. Watts and W. A. Spiers.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That the said Supervising Board above appointed and named shall have the right to exercise all of the power and authority vested in it by the laws of the State of Louisiana, and especially Act 30 of 1917.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance shall take effect immediately upon its promulgation.

Adopted November 9, 1920.
J. B. HOWZE, President.

F. J. MARTINDALE, Secretary.

Statement of Walter Galatas, tax collector for October, 1920:	
State Tax:	
State	4.41
Veteran tax56
Parish Tax:	
Criminal fund	1.10
Road fund	2.74
School fund	6.58
General fund	3.83
School tax, ward 419
School tax, ward 624
School tax, Abita	6.75
Special road tax	5.46
Per capita tax	26.37
Poll tax	55.10
State license	71.25
State license interest	2.28
Parish license	13.88
Sheriff's costs	180.24
Severance license	181.80
Hunting license, state	131.45
Pink boll-worm license	19.00
Pines	180.00
Sheriff's costs, criminal	10.00
Dist. Attorney's costs	10.00
Clerk's costs, criminal	5.00
Commissions	175.93
	\$3476.55

Amounts available to each fund:

Criminal	11.19
Road, regular	29.11
School	248.88
General	15.71
Sheriff's salary	5.43
Sheriff's salary	316.25
State	2845.06
Clerk of Court	5.00
	\$3476.55

I, Walter Galatas, 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 October, 1920, to the 31st day of October, 1920, inclusive.

WALTER GALATAS, Tax Collector.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3d day of November, 1920.
GUY A. SMITH, Dy. Clerk of Court.

It was moved and seconded that the above report be accepted as read.
Treasurer's report for the month of October, 1920:

Parish Fund:	
Proceeds of loan	9755.78
General	18.59
Criminal	2.04
Leases	51.00
	\$9825.41

Disbursements:

Mileage	96.06
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FOUR U. S. FARM BOYS WIN INTERNATIONAL STOCK-JUDGING CONTEST AND TRIP TO EUROPE



ATLANTA, Ga.—Four farmer boys without any agricultural school training will make a trip to Europe, the reward which goes with the winning of the International Stock Judging championship in south and southeastern competition here. This non-college team came from far off Texas, winning over teams from all parts of the country—including college-trained men. The Texas team finished with 3110 points against 2965 by the Mississippi team which was second. The Texas team were all members of Boys' Club and were coached by Cy W. Evans and W. B. Cook of the Texas Extension Service from the state college. The trip will be first to the Royal Stock Show at London—then to the agricultural districts of France, Holland, Belgium and Isles of Jersey and Guernsey. This is the highest honors ever conferred upon farmer boys in this country. Top row—left to right—W. B. Cook and C. M. Evans, coaches; Alva Deban, Lamesa; lower row—Gorden Gillespie, Coleman, John Tarnag, Hillsboro and G. W. Wetling, Marlin, Texas.

AN INTERESTING PRIZE WINNERS MEETING, GAME AMONG THE BABIES COMMISSION

An enthusiastic meeting of the St. Tammany Game & Fish Protective Association was held at the courthouse Monday night, Nov. 8th, being its regular monthly meeting, and much interest was shown by the members. The situation was fully discussed and plans are being worked out by the Association to further improve and build up game and fish reserves.
The Association plans to obtain, if possible, the passage of necessary laws to create a closed season for turkey and deer in this parish for a few years, in order to re-stock the parish with game.
Much stress was laid upon the fact that the law prohibits the sale of quail and the Association proposes to aid in every way possible the enforcement of this law.
The re-stocking of our streams with game fish was discussed and definite action taken in regard to it. The minutes of the meeting are as follows:
Meeting called to order by A. S. Burns.
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Stationery	88.50
Printing	96.99
Jurors and witnesses	16.00
Transportation	66.13
Feeding prisoners	293.25
Maintenance	71.15
Coroner, etc.,	8.75
Board of Health	375.00
Justices of Peace	64.00
Election expenses	95.00
Agriculture	125.00
Beneficiary students	363.65
Paupers	30.00
Treasurer's salary	100.00
Secretary's salary	100.00
Janitor & stenographer	75.00
Transfer to road fund	1529.58
Red Cross	45.00
Loan to Assessor	325.00
Roads and bridges	687.00
Miscellaneous	50.00

Overdraft October 1	\$3786.18
Regular Road Fund:	
Balance Oct. 1	1823.19
Tax receipts	38.34
Recd. from parish fund	1529.58
	\$3514.60

Disbursements	811.21
Balance Oct. 31	2703.39
Special Road Fund Dist. No. 9:	
Balance Oct. 1	438.77
Disbursements	97.07
Balance Oct. 31	341.70

St. Tammany Good Roads Fund:	
Balance Oct. 1	10647.23
Receipts	9.67
Balance Oct. 31	10656.92

St. Tammany Good Roads Bond Tax Account:	
Balance Oct. 1	2344.87
Receipts	2.03
Balance Oct. 31	2346.93

Clerk's Salary Fund:	
Balance Oct. 1	125.63
Receipts	637.67
Disbursements	604.41
Balance Oct. 31	158.89

Sheriff's Salary Fund:	
Balance Oct. 1	258.50
Receipts	07.58
Disbursements	356.08
Balance Oct. 31	1027.50

Overdraft Oct 31	671.45
	GEO. KOEPP, JR., Parish Treasurer.

THE RED CROSS IN PEACE

Some people seem to think that as the war is over the Red Cross is out of a job. This is not true. When we cease to care for the welfare of the children of the poor. When we look upon the helpless sick without emotion or thought. When we are ready to let the soldier without means get what he has a right to if he can and do without if he can't. When we are ready to let child mothers and babies wreck their future in ignorance of the help we can give. When we are willing to do without all these helps to the helpless rather than contribute a dollar, if we are able to give that dollar, then truly the Red Cross of peace will be done. BUT NOT UNTIL THEN.
Look at it in this way. Then YOU will give your dollar with pleasure, and the Red Cross will live.

FAMOUS SCREEN STAR RETURNS TO STAGE



The lovely Madge Kennedy, the famous screen star, is returning to the speaking stage which she left for the movies a few years ago. Miss Kennedy is returning with a wealth of knowledge that will undoubtedly help her in her work on the stage. A great deal of her spare time in the movies was spent in interior decorating, which will be very valuable to her. She also studied singing with the idea that possibly she might some day be behind the footlights once more.

CASES DECIDED IN DISTRICT COURT UP TO THURSDAY.

Crandall-Brown Lbr. Co., vs. Klein Rogers Co. Judgment dismissing the intervention and third opposition at intervenor's costs.
State vs. Jos. W. Provost. Accused present and previous forfeiture of bond set aside. Accused arraigned and plead not guilty to shooting with intent to murder, and case assigned for the first day of the next regular or special jury term.
State vs. Link Wilson. Accused plead guilty to breaking and entering in night time, and sentenced to serve in the state penitentiary at hard labor for not less than two nor more than three years.
Georgiana Dupart vs. Camille Angello. Case tried and submitted and taken under advisement.
Covington Bank & Trust Co. vs. A. Bechac & Co. Intervention tried and judgment in favor of intervenor as prayed for.
Philip Werlein, Ltd., vs. Westley Camp. Case tried and judgment in favor of plaintiff as prayed for, maintaining the sequestration.
James Killilea vs. American Pine Products Co. Case tried and judgment in favor of plaintiff as prayed for.
Thomas McCoy vs. Martha Stokes. Judgment of divorce in favor of the plaintiff.
Succession of J. E. Smith. Final account of administrator homologated and funds ordered distributed in accordance therewith.
David S. Gordon vs. G. H. Koeppe, Inc. Case settled by mutual consent of parties.
Pedro Baham vs. Florence Sardy. Tried and submitted and taken under advisement.
State vs. Marcus McReel and Gordon Jenkins. Accused plead guilty of disturbing the peace.
State vs. Joshua E. Williams. Tried and taken under advisement.
State vs. Constant Felix. Trial and verdict of guilty of assault and battery.
State vs. The Howard. Tried and verdict of not guilty of carrying concealed weapons.
State vs. Geo. Washington. Case tried and taken under advisement.
Hammond Lumber Co. vs. Emma Hillner. Motion to dissolve the sequestration sustained.

TO FLY TUESDAY.

Lieut. Higgins has had his aeroplane fixed and was flying above Covington Friday. He will be back Tuesday.
LOST—Last Sunday night, Nov. 7, one Red Top Fish Fire, mounted on rim, badly worn. Return to C. S. A. Fuhrman, Covington, La., and receive reward. n13

FOR SALE—A good horse, works anywhere, plow, farm, work or general service, perfectly gentle. Apply at Labat's store, Covington.

Tuesday, November 16, 1920, to discuss road matters.
J. B. HOWZE, President.
F. J. MARTINDALE, Secretary.

ROAD BUILDING EVERYBODY HAS GOOD TIME AT COMMUNITY HOUSE

\$50,000 Needed to Cover Amount of Bids as They Now Stand.

MORGAN PLANS TO RAISE SUM

Can We Afford To Lose Federal Aid By Further Delay?

At the meeting of the Police Jury, Tuesday, considerable interest was manifested in anticipated action in the matter of road building. Some of the contractors were present as well as members of the Road Commission. While discussion brought out some of the matters most importantly affecting the awarding of contracts and the carrying out of the road program, no definite action was taken and the meeting adjourned to the 16th in order to get further information from Mr. Bule as to his attitude in the matter.
The question as to whether it was best to award the contracts on the bids as they stand or to risk getting federal aid out of the 1921 funds was somewhat shaken up by the statement that there were not funds enough to carry out these contracts by about \$50,000. It is said that Mr. Morgan has a plan by which this \$50,000 can be raised by the Police Jury without interfering with the budget. It was stated that Mr. Bule would not wait longer and asked that the contracts be immediately awarded. Otherwise he would be compelled to drop federal aid from the 1920 fund. It was suggested that this did not prevent us from getting federal aid from the fund of 1921, but there was no assurance that Mr. Bule would carry out the same agreement entered into for 1920, and there was a possibility of losing \$221,000.00 thereby.
The salary paid Engineer Huckaby was discussed and some contented that he was being paid too highly for his services. This discussion was brought up by the announcement that Mr. Huckaby's salary had been increased from \$400 to \$450 per month. In explanation, Mr. Grant of the Board of Reviewers, Mr. Huckaby was to start in with \$350 per month and to increase the salary \$50 per month every six months until \$500 a month had been reached. Hence Mr. Huckaby would ultimately receive \$500 a month. He said the Commission had the privilege of conducting its office affairs, and believed that in Mr. Huckaby they had a man who would save them far in excess of any increase in the salary under the agreement with Mr. Huckaby. The Commission explained that the agreement with Mr. Huckaby was to start in with \$350 per month and to increase the salary \$50 per month every six months until \$500 a month had been reached. Hence Mr. Huckaby would ultimately receive \$500 a month. He said the Commission had the privilege of conducting its office affairs, and believed that in Mr. Huckaby they had a man who would save them far in excess of any increase in the salary under the agreement with Mr. Huckaby. The Commission explained that the agreement with Mr. Huckaby was to start in with \$350 per month and to increase the salary \$50 per month every six months until \$500 a month had been reached. Hence Mr. Huckaby would ultimately receive \$500 a month. He said the Commission had the privilege of conducting its office affairs, and believed that in Mr. Huckaby they had a man who would save them far in excess of any increase in the salary under the agreement with Mr. Huckaby.

VETERAN NEWSPAPER MAN PASSES AWAY.

After a few weeks illness Mr. H. G. Goodwyn, for forty-eight years editor of the Colfax (La.) Chronicle, died in that city November 7, 1920. His death will be a loss sorely felt in his community. In politics he was a consistent Democrat, and as a citizen the purity of his life and his fidelity to his convictions gave him a value that was highly estimated and appreciated. He was a Mason, founder of the Methodist Sunday School of Colfax, a charter member of the Methodist Church of that place and a charter member of the Methodist Episcopal annual conference. Interested in public affairs and devoted to his editorial work, he was active in civic matters up to the time of his illness. His refusal to retire from active work at an earlier date probably lessened his chances of combating the disease that overcame him.
Mr. Goodwyn was 70 years of age, and had a family of ten children, all of whom are living. One of them, Mr. H. K. Goodwyn, is foreman of The St. Tammany Farmer and left his duties here to attend the funeral of his father, which took place Monday afternoon.
Besides his ten children Mr. Goodwyn is survived by his widow, who was before her marriage Miss Luella D. Lewis.
Interment was made at the Colfax cemetery with Masonic honors.

LIST OF DEAD LETTERS.

Following is the list of dead letters remaining in the Covington post-office:
Grover C. Behrnes, Mrs. Ethel E. Boyd, Chas. Berder, Miss Cilla Candler, Mrs. A. H. Dorn, Miss Jessie L. Garrett, Estlin, Wm. H. Fowler, Miss E. M. Garthwaite, Henderson, Keney, Miss Alice Palmer, Ozellier, Mrs. D. M. Raynaud, Miss Maud McManus, Miss Evelyn Sibby, Mrs. S. Seldon, L. M. Tyler, H. L. Wright, Miss Sallie Wright.
JACOB SEILER, Postmaster.

EVERYBODY HAS GOOD TIME AT COMMUNITY HOUSE

Large Gathering Enjoys the Hospitality of Community House.

MRS. ELMER E. LYON HOSTESS OF EVENING

Old and Young Join In the Games and Have Real Big Evening.

The Community House is becoming one of the most popular resorts here, nearly every evening a number of both the married and younger set gathering there for diversion, at which time different ladies of the town act as hostess. One of the most pleasant evenings spent there was Tuesday night when Mrs. Elmer E. Lyon entertained in a most interesting and novel way, the games "Nose and Toe" and the Tree Contest being participated in by the grown-ups as well as the younger set and children. The first prize was awarded Miss Josie Dossat. Following the games music and dancing was enjoyed. Mrs. Lyon served her guests with hot chocolate and cakes. Among those present were Mrs. H. C. Mackie, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mackie, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cappell, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Burns, Mrs. C. E. Schonberg, Mrs. J. C. Burns, Mrs. P. Burns, Mrs. Philip Burns, Mrs. T. M. Burns, Mrs. F. M. Kramp, Mrs. F. J. Martindale, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Smith, Dr. A. G. Naylie, Misses Josie and Ethel Dossat, Wessie Lansing, Mary Sugg, Pearl Grantham, Misses Weldys, Elsie Galatas, Catherine Burns, Josie Frederick, Anna Alchalt, besides a number of boys and girls.
The public is cordially invited to participate in the nightly entertainments which take place at the Community House, each evening finding a different hostess, who will do her best to make her guests enjoy the hospitality of the House.

A NEW SCHOLARSHIP FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL.

Superintendent Elmer E. Lyon of St. Tammany parish has announced that the Washington and Lee University of Lexington, Va., has granted his request for a prize scholarship. The scholarship is worth \$80. Contestants are rated for moral character, scholarship, social leadership, athletic prowess, each of the four elements giving equal weight. This scholarship will be another incentive for hard work, and Superintendent Lyon is to be congratulated for the success of his efforts in obtaining it.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. B. Dickson to C. O. Trest, lot 6 and 7 square 35, in Mandeville, \$1200.00.
Henrietta Mack to Sophie Grohmann, lot 11 square 18, Mandeville, \$475.00.
Benedictine Sisters to Richard & Reges, sq or of sq r sec 15 tp 6, range 11, \$700.00.
A. E. Manint to E. H. Jacob, part of lot 30, Lewisburg, \$1000.00.
D. I. Addison to Claude J. Barrioleux, lots 9 and 10 square 260-B, New Covington, \$3000.00.
Mrs. Belle Domergue to Leo C. DeVan, 19 acres in sec 13 tp 6 range 11, \$2900.00.
A. J. Bennett to Mrs. Elizabeth Strain, lots 7 and 8 square 17, \$200.

NOTICE TO HUNTERS.

We, the undersigned Conservation Agents (Game Wardens) give notice that the sale of game, other than squirrel and rabbits, is prohibited by law.
We propose to enforce this law rigidly and without fear or favor. We have full authority from the State to search for game at any time or place and to make arrests of all violators. We propose to do this to the letter.
The open season for quail begins November 15th.
We understand in previous years quail have been bought and sold extensively in this parish. We use this means of serving notice on the public that we shall enforce this law, so there can be no excuse for any one.
Persons buying game, the sale of which is prohibited, are as guilty as those selling same. We propose to watch just as closely the buyer as the seller.
The bag limit on quail is fifteen per day per person. Hunters can expect to have their bags searched after a day's hunt at any time.
J. L. WATKINS, ALLEN BURNS, Conservation Agents.