AN ORDINANCE

To Define and Prevent Vagrancy, and to Provide Penalties for the Violation Thereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, That all idle persons who, not having visible means to maintain themselves, live without employment; all persons wandering abroad, and lodging in groceries, bar-rooms, market places, market-houses, sheds, barns, out-houses, uninhabited buildings, railroad depots, public buildings or the open air; all persons wandering about begging, or who go about from door to door, or place themselves in the streets, highways, passages, alleys or other places to beg or receive alms; all tramps; all habitual drunkards; all persons able to work who do not work, but who live upon the wages or personal earnings of their wives or of their minor children; all persons who live by gambling, begging or trading in stolen goods, shall be deemed vagrants.

Sec. 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That it shall be unlawful for any vagrant to be found in the corporate limits of the town, and that it is hereby declared to be the duty of the town marshal, or any police in the employ of the town, whenever requested by any persons, to arrest such vagrant and take him before the Mayor for the purpose of investigation, and if the Mayor be satisfied, from the admissions of the offender, or by other competent testimony, that he is a vagrant within the definition of section 1 of this ordinance, he may fine or imprison the offender, the fine not to be less than five dollars nor more than twenty-five dollars; the imprisonment to be not less than ten days nor more than thirty days.

Sec. 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances in conflict with or on the same subject matter are hereby repealed.

Sec. 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance, for good and sufficient cause, take effect from and after its first publication in the official journal of the town

B. A. LITTELL, Mayor.

L. AUSTIN FONTENOT, Clerk.

Oct. 1, 1904—2t

AN ORDINANCE

Establishing rules for consumers and users of water, electric lights, fans and electric power; fixing the rates to be charged therefor and providing for the installation of the meter system.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, That the Superintendent of the Electric Light and Water Works Plant be and he is hereby authorized and directed to instal meters on all services of both water and light consumers.

Sec. 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That as soon as the meters have been installed on the service of any consumer, either of water or of electric power, the fees to be charged said consumer or consumers are to be ascertained, except in such cases herein otherwise specially provided for, only by the meter system.

Sec. 3. Be it further ordained etc., That the Superintendent of the Electric Light and Water Works Plant shall in no case instal a meter, do any plumbing, or electrical wiring, without first having caused the subscriber or applicant to sign written application made upon a blank to be furnished by the town and addressed, to the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen, in which the applicant agrees to pay for service as registered by meters and to abide by the provisions of this ordinance. Where applicants are lessees the application must be approved in writing by the owner of the premises. All such applications shall be numbered and kept on file at the clerk's office.

Sec. 4 Be it further ordained, etc., That the superintendent of the E. L. & W. W. plant shall have access at all reasonable hours to any premises where electric power, lights, fans or water are being used for the purpose of reading or testing meters, or seeing if the regulations imposed by this ordinance are being carried out.

Sec. 5. Be it further ordained, etc, That the town shall make no charge for hydrants or water outlets used for fire protection, but such hydrants or outlets shall be used only in case of fire.

Sec. 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That all plain lamps which shall burn out while in service are to be renewed by the town free of cost, provided the glass is not broken and the old lamp surrendered before the new one is taken.

Sec. 7. Be it further ordained, etc., That the manipulation of all stop cocks, stop gates and valves shall be by some one in the employ of the town.

Sec. 8. Be it further ordained, etc, That the town will not lay any pipes except mains, and all tapping pipes must be laid and paid for by consumers, provided that all such work must be approved and accepted by the superintendent of the power plant before electric power or water is turned on.

Sec. 9. Be it further ordained, etc., That the charge to be made by the town for tapping water mains and running pipe to the nearest sidewalk, furnishing stop-cock, sidewalk box, and all pipe and fittings necessary to make connection with water main shall be $6 for ½ inch pipe, $7 for ¾-inch pipe, and $8 for 1-inch pipe. Larger sizes special. The above prices are for distances not to exceed forty feet.

Sec. 10. Be it further ordained, etc., That the town reserves the right, at any time and without notice, to shut off water in their mains for the purpose of making repairs, and shall be liable for no damage occasioned thereby.

Sec. 11. Be it further ordained, etc., That under no circumstances shall the town be held responsible for the unavoidable scarcity of water or inability to furnish light or electric power, or for damage caused by defective wiring or water leaks.

Sec. 12. Be it further ordained, etc., That consumers of water shall prevent unnecessary waste of water, and shall keep in perfect condition, at their own expense, all pipes and attachments, so as to avoid leakage. Every service pipe shall be furnished with a stop and waste cock inside the premises and below the action of frosts, and so arranged that the water can be shut off and drained from the pipes, and it is obligatory on consumers to empty and shut off the water whenever the weather is cold enough to freeze.

Sec. 13. Be it further ordained, etc., That the following is established to be the rate to be charged to consumers of water from the town waterworks, to-wit:

5,000 gallons or less per month,					20c per 1,000 gals		
10,000	"	"	"	"	19c	"	"
20,000	"	"	"	"	18c	"	"
30,000	"	"	"	"	17c	"	"
40,000	"	"	"	"	16c	"	"
50,000	"	"	"	"	15c	"	"
Over 50,000 gallons per month, 14c							

In no case where meter is used shall any monthly bill be rendered for less than—

40 cents where ½ inch pipe is used;
50 " " ¾ " " "
75 " " 1 " " "
5 per cent cost of meter for larger sizes.

Sec. 14. Be it further ordained, etc., That in all cases where it is impossible to instal meters or where the water is only to be used temporarily, the superintendent is authorized to give a flat rate, which in no case shall be less than the regular meter rate.

Sec. 15. Be it further ordained, etc., That the following is established to be the rate to be charged consumers and users of electire lights, fans, power, etc., from the town plant, to-wit: 12½ cents per kilowatt; subject, however, to the following discounts, viz: On bills of $1. 1 per cent discount; discount to be increased in proportion to the size of the bill at the rate of 1 per cent for every $1 additional until discounts have reached 35 per cent. All bills larger than $35 subject to 35 per cent discount.

In no case where a meter is used for electric lights, fans, power, etc., shall a monthly bill be rendered for less than—

50 cents where 1 to 10 lights are used;
75 " " 10 to 20 " " "
$1 00 " 20 or more " " "

Temporary lighting may be arranged for by agreement with the superintendent, but in no case shall the flat rate be less than the meter rate.

Sec. 16. Be it further ordained, etc., That in the event that any meter fails to register correctly, the consumer is to be charged according to the daily average of consumption as shown by meter when in working order.

Sec. 17. Be it further ordained, etc., That all bills of the town for water, electric lights, fans, electric power, or materials used in connection therewith, shall be due and payable on the first day of each month for all work, materials, light, water, or power furnished up to the 27th of the previous month. The said bills shall be payable at the collector's office, and a failure to settle all indebtedness by the 10th of the month shall be sufficient cause for the cutting off of the service furnished delinquent and the removal of meters, lamps, and other property of the town.

Sec. 18. Be it further ordained, etc., That the superintendent shall refuse to instal any meter or connect light or water for any subscriber who has failed to pay the town all amounts due for past services, unless otherwise ordered by the Board of Aldermen.

Sec. 20. Be it further ordained, etc., That the superintendent is hereby authorized and directed to cut off the service of any consumer who, after his contract under the flat rate service has expired, refuses to sign application for meter service as required by section three of this ordinance.

Sec. 21. Be it further ordained, etc, That the Collector of the Electric Light and Water Works Plant shall receive and receipt for all money due the town for water, light, fans, electric power, materials, etc. The receipts issued by the Collector shall be upon blanks with stubs to be kept in book form, and which stubs must be properly numbered and filled.

Sec. 22 Be it further ordained, etc., That the Collector shall turn over to the town Treasurer once a month all sums collected for account of the town, and at each regular meeting he shall be required to make a detailed report of all his collections to the Board of Aldermen.

Sec. 23. Be it further ordained, etc., That the Collector of the Electric Light and Water Works Plant be required to furnish a bond of $2000 to the Board of Aldermen of Opelousas for the faithful performance of his duties.

Sec. 24. Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances, or parts of ordinances, in conflict herewith be and they are hereby repealed.

Sec. 25. Be it further ordained, etc., That for good and sufficient cause this ordinance is to take effect after its first publication in the official journal of the town.

Adopted Sept. 12, 1904.

L. AUSTIN FONTENOT, Clerk Pro Tem. B. A. LITTELL, Mayor.

Oct. 1, 1904—2t

AN ORDINANCE

To levy a Special Assessment on the property abutting the sidewalks on Main street, Cheney street, Court street, Landry street, Grolee street, Bellevue street and Market street, constructed under contract of June 6th, 1904, entered into between the Mayor and Board of Aldermen and R. E. Reynolds & Company, for the purpose of paying the PRO RATA of the costs of said construction due by the proprietors of said abutting property and to provide how said levy shall be enforced.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Opelousas, That a special assessment be levied on the following described property in the amount set forth after the description of each respective piece of property for the purpose of defraying the proportion of the cost due by the owners thereof for the construction of sidewalks abutting said properties under contract entered into by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of this town, with R. E. Reynolds & Company, on the 6th day of June, A. D., 1904, viz:

SECOND CLASS.

MAIN STREET.

1. Convent of the Immaculate Conception.

Boundaries: North Church st., east Union st., south Convent st., west Main st; 453 feet, $340.20.

2. Convent of St. Joseph's School.

Boundaries: North Convent st., east Union st., south St. Joseph's School, west Main st; 98 feet, $73.60.

3. St. Joseph's School.

Boundaries: North Convent, east Union st., south Lachapelle, west Main st; 335 feet, $251.58.

4. Jos. Lachapelle.

Boundaries: North St. Joseph's School, east Union st., south W. M. Thompson, west Main st; 59 feet, $44.30.

5. Dr. W. M. Thompson.

Boundaries: North Lachapelle, east Union st., south Thompson st., west Main st; 191.5 feet, $143.81.

6. L. A. Gosselin.

Boundaries: North Thompson st., east Union st., south P. Gosselin, west Main st; 166 feet, $124.66.

7. P. Gosselin.

Boundaries: North L. A. Gosselin, east Union st., south V. Lastrapes, west Main st; 120 feet, $90.12.

8. V. Lastrapes.

Boundaries: North P. Gosselin, east Union st., south Cheney st., west Main st; 120 feet, $90.12.

CHENEY STREET.

9. A. Perry.

Boundaries: North Lesassier, east Main st., south Cheney st., west Belle Mayo; 173 feet, $159.33.

10. Belle Mayo.

Boundaries: North Rogers, east Lesassier and Perry, south Cheney st., west M. Acher; 84 feet, $77.36.

11. M. Acher.

Boundaries: North Rogers, east Mayo, south Cheney st., west Court st; 86 feet, $79.21.

12. F. Lesassier.

Boundaries: North Cahanin, east Court st., south Cheney st., west Market st; 340 feet, $262.82.

COURT STREET.

13. T. Hollier.

Boundaries: North Cheney st., east Court st., south P. A. Sandoz, west ——; 122 feet, $130.16.

14. P. A. Sandoz.

Boundaries: North Hollier, east Court st., south Bloch st., west Firnberg; 126.5 feet, $136.15.

15. E. B. Dubuisson.

Boundaries: North Bloch st., east Court st., south Littell st., west Market st; 246.4 feet, $227.08.

16. A. B. Pickett.

Boundaries: North Littell st., east Court st., south Mrs. Ventre, west Mrs. Delarue; 125.7 feet, $115.88.

17. Mrs. A. Ventre.

Boundaries: North Pickett, east Court st., south Grolee st., west Lacombe; 119 feet, $109.67.

18. E. A. Bodemuller.

Boundaries: North Grolee st., east Court st., south Bodemuller, west Dejean; 80 feet, $61.84.

19. H. Bodemuller.

Boundaries: North E. A. Bodemuller, east Court st., south L. Mornhinveg, west R. Bodemuller, 82.5 feet, $63.77.

20. Lorenzo Mornhinveg.

Boundaries: North H. Bodemuller, east Court st., south R. Bodemuller, west R. Mornhinveg; 80 feet, $61.84.

21. R. Bodemuller.

Boundaries: North L. Mornhinveg, east Court st., south North st., west R. Mornhinveg; 120.5 feet, $93.15.

LANDRY STREET.

22. Miss Effie Ealer.

Boundaries: North Landry st., east Moseley, south Vine st., west Union st; 119 feet, $104.84.

23. M. C. Moseley.

Boundaries: North Landry st., east E. T. Lewis, south Vine st., west Miss Ealer; 81.3 feet, $71.62.

24. E. T. Lewis.

Boundaries: North Landry st., east Walnut st., south ——, west Moseley; 140.4 feet, $123.69.

25. H. Comeau.

Boundaries: North Landry st., east Mrs. McGinnis, south Vine st., west Walnut st; 174.2 feet, $153.47.

26. Mrs. F. McGinnis.

Boundaries: North Landry st., east J. T. Dupre, south Vine st., west Comeau; 82.5 feet, $72.68.

27. J. T. Dupre.

Boundaries: North Landry st., east Lombard st., south Vine st., west Mrs. McGinnis; 82 feet, $72.24.

28. C. F. Boagni.

Boundaries: North Landry, east Oak st., south Vine st., west Lombard st; 257.5 feet sidewalk, $89.86; 215.3 feet curb, $114.64; total $204.50.

29. C. F. Boagni.

Boundaries: North Landry st., east Cane st., south Vine st., west Oak st; 307.7 feet sidewalk, $107.39; 319 feet curb, $169.71; total $277.10.

30. Mrs. Clara Breaux.

Boundaries: North Landry st., east Academy st., south Vine st., west Cane st; 335 feet, $295.13.

GROLEE STREET.

31. Jules Perrodin.

Boundaries: North Grolee st., east Union st., south Milstead, west Main st; 175 feet, $132.48.

32. Cliff Allen.

Boundaries: North Grolee st., east Lawler, south Perkins, west Union st; 172.1 feet, $130.28.

33. J. G. Lawler.

Boundaries: North Grolee st., east Walnut st., south Jennings, west Allen; 172.1 feet, $130.28.

34. Emile Donato.

Boundaries: North Grolee st., east Mrs. Brooks, south Pulford, west Walnut st; 156.3 feet, $118.32.

35. Mrs. Brooks.

Boundaries: North Grolee st., east Birotte, south Pulford, west Donato, 70.6 feet, $53.44.

36. S. Birotte.

Boundaries: North Grolee st., east Lombard st., south Pulford, west Mrs. Brooks; 113 feet, $85.54.

37. Emile Chevis.

Boundaries: north Grolee street, east Halphen, south ——, west Lombard street; 139.8 feet, $105.45.

38. Louis Halphen.

Boundaries: north Grolee street, east M. Halphen, south——, west E. Chevis; 119.8 feet $90.69.

39. M. Halphen.

Boundaries: north Grolee street, east Oak street, south ——, west Halphen; 125 feet, $94.62.

40. L. Rogers.

Boundaries: north Grolee street, east Chas. Chachere, south——, west Oak street; 94 ft., $71.16.

41. Chas. Chachere.

Boundaries: north Grolee street, east J. O. Chachere, south ——, west L. Rogers; 94 feet, $71.16.

42. J. O. Chachere.

Boundaries: north Grolee street, east Cane street, south ——, west Chas. Chachere; 94 feet, $71.16.

FIRST CLASS.

MAIN STREET.

43. Remi Mornhinveg.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street, east Main street, south L. Sandoz, west R. Bodemuller; 70 feet, $64.14.

44. Leonce Sandoz.

Boundaries: R. Mornhinveg and R. Bodemuller, east Main street, south P. T. Blacksher, west Mrs. B. Moock; 61.7 feet, $74.47.

45. P. T. Blacksher.

Boundaries: north L. Sandoz and Mrs. B. Moock, east Main street, south L. Sandoz, west J. Perrodin; 95 feet, $114.66.

46. Leonce Sandoz.

Boundaries: north P. T. Blacksher, east Main street, south Miss Effie Ealer, west J. Perrodin; 95 feet, $42.25.

47. Miss Effie Ealer.

Boundaries; north L. Sandoz, east Main street, south Landry Street, west J. Perrodin 80.5 feet, $97.16.

LANDRY STREET.

48. Ike Roos.

Boundaries: north Landry Street, east Union street, south D. Roos, west Main st.; 175.6, $206.78.

49. Miss Effie Ealer.

Boundaries: north L. Sandoz, east Main street, south Landry street, west J. Perrodin; 151 feet, $147.98.

50. Jules Perrodin.

Boundaries: north Lacombe, Haas and Littell, east Blacksher, Sandoz and Miss Ealer, south U. S. C. H. and Landry street, west Lacombe, U. S. C. H., and Court street; 82.2 feet, $80.56.

BELLEVUE STREET.

51. Remi Mornhinveg.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street, east Main street, south L. Sandoz, west R. Bodemuller; 58 feet, $58.12.

52. Rudolph Bodemuller.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street, east R. Mornhinveg, south L. Sandoz, west Mrs. B. Moock; 44 feet, $44.09.

53. Mrs. B. Moock.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street, east R. Bodemuller and L. Sandoz, south P. T. Blacksher, west L. E. Littell; 63 feet, $69.11.

54. L. E. Littell.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street and R. Bodemuller, east Mrs. B. Moock, south J. Perrodin, west Bodemuller, Haas and Perrodin; 58.5, $58.62.

55. Emile Bodemuller.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street, east L. E. Littell, south L. E. Littell, west G. W. Moriarty; 25.5 feet $25.55.

56. Geo. W. Moriarty.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street, east Bodemuller and Littell, south J. Perrodin, west J. A. Haas; 23 feet, $23.05.

57. J. A. Haas.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street, east Geo. W. Moriarty, south, Lacombe, west C. Pitre and Court Street; 8 feet, $8 02.

58. C. Pitre.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street, east J. A. Haas, south J. A. Haas, west Court st.; 59.5 feet, $59.62.

MARKET STREET.

59. M. Vilaseca.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street, east Market street, south E. D. Estilette, west Bayou Tesson; 171.1 feet, $201.36.

60. E. D. Estilette.

Boundaries: north M. Vilaseca, east Market street, south J. Skinner, west Bayou Tesson; 105.1 feet. $123.70.

61. Jos. Skinner.

Boundaries: north E. D. Estilette, east Market street, south Landry street, west Bayou Tesson; 66 feet, $77.68.

COURT STREET.

62. C. Pitre.

Boundaries: north Bellevue street, east J. A. Haas, south J. A. Haas, west Court st; 78.8 feet, $77.54.

63. J. A. Haas.

Boundaries: north Pitre, east Moriarty and Perrodin, south Perrodin and Lacombe, west Pitre and Court street; 46 feet, $45.56.

64. A. L. Lacombe.

Boundaries: north J. A. Haas, east Perrodin, south Perrodin, west Court street; 42 ft, $41.33.

65. Jules Perrodin.

Boundaries: north Lacombe, Haas, Moriarty and Littell, east Blacksher, Sandoz and Miss Ealer, south U. S. C. H. and Landry st., west Lacombe, Haas, U. S. C. H. and Court street; 42.5 feet, $41.82.

66. L. J. Dossmann.

Boundaries: north R. Dunbar, east Court street, south Bellevue street, west Garland and Dupre; 172 feet. $170.97.

67. Robert Dunbar.

Boundaries: north Evans, east Court st., south Dossmann and Garland, west Mrs. Meginley; 69.5 feet, $69.08.

68. Sam Evans.

Boundaries: north North street, east Court street, south R. Dunbar, west Mrs. Meginley; 100 feet pavement, $61.10; 54.5 feet curb $20.87; bullnose brick, $8.67; total $90.64.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That the amounts assessed as aforesaid shall be due and collectable within ten days from the acceptance of the work constructed under the contract aforesaid.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That the Mayor shall give notice of the acceptance of said work by publication in the official journal of the town, and if the assessments aforesaid be not paid within ten days from such publication by the proprietors of the property abutting such accepted work, then the town attorney shall immediately proceed by suit to enforce payment in the manner provided by section 4 of act No. 147 of the General Assembly of the State for the year 1902.

Section 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That the Clerk of the Board of Aldermen be and he is hereby directed to cause the above assessment and ordinance to be recorded in the mortgage records of the Recorder's Office of the Parish of St. Landry.

Section 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That for good and sufficient cause this ordinance take effect from and after its publication in the official journal.

Adopted Sept. 12th, 1904.

B. A. LITTELL, MAYOR.

L. AUSTIN FONTENOT, Clerk Pro Tem.

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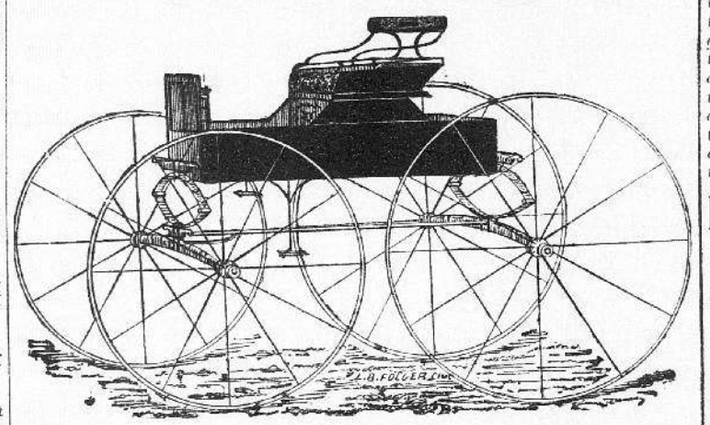

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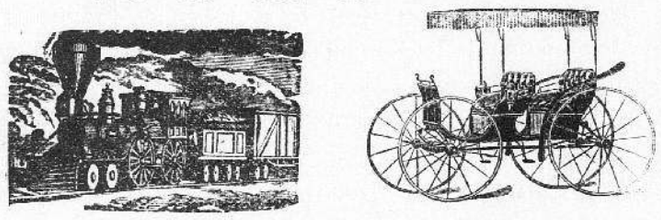

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