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PROCEEDINGS OF THE POLICE JURY of the Parish of Terrebonne.

Conformably to law the Police Jury of the Parish of Terrebonne met this day, the 1st September, 1856.

On motion Mr. J. Aycock was appointed chairman for the purpose of organizing.

The roll being called, the following old members answered to their names.

3d Ward. A. McCollam; 4th ward, Isidore Dupré; 6th ward, J. Aycock; 12th J. D. Umberfield.

On motion a committee composed of Messrs. McCollam, Dupré and Umberfield were appointed to examine the credentials of newly elected members, and reported that the following persons had been duly elected as members of this body, to wit:

2d Ward, J. C. Potts; 5th ward, A. Lirette; 7th ward, E. Hotard; 10th ward, Peter Welsh; 11th ward, François Thériot.

The newly elected members with the exception of Mr. Hotard (who was absent) were duly sworn in and took their seats.

On motion the Police Jury proceeded to the election of a President.

Mr Welsh nominated Mr. Aycock.

On counting the votes it was found that Mr. Aycock had received seven votes, and Mr. Thériot one. Consequently Mr. Aycock was declared elected president.

The Police Jury then proceeded to the election of a Clerk.

Mr. Potts nominated George L. Lester, who received seven votes, and Mr. E. N. Duteil one vote. Mr. Lester was consequently elected Clerk, and was sworn in.

On motion a committee was appointed to examine the Treasurer's semi-annual report. The president appointed Messrs. Lirette, Umberfield and McCollam as members of said Committee.

The Police Jury then proceeded to the election of a Treasurer:

Mr. G. L. Lester received eight votes and was declared unanimously elected to that office.

The election of a Parish Attorney was then proceeded to.

Mr. Thériot nominated Mr. G. F. Connely, who received eight votes and was declared unanimously elected.

The following report was then read:

To the President of the Police Jury:

[illegible] appointed by the Hon. Board of Police of the Parish of Terrebonne to examine and lay off a road from the village to the Grand Caillou, after having performed the duty assigned us, do respectfully report, that in our opinion the best point commence at the Bayou [illegible] at Bayou Guillaume and continue on the left bank of said bayou forty arpents and then cross said bayou and continue on the left bank to the Grand Caillou [illegible] to a good bridge put up. Course [illegible] and connect with the road now used on the Grand Caillou going to Houma, and [illegible] a road leading from the line of Mr. [illegible] to the crossing of Bayou Guillaume on the Grand Caillou.

[illegible] we have not our hands.

[illegible] would further represent that the cost of the road above referred to would be of about [illegible] dollars, it being understood that it shall be [illegible] (signed) W. S. Shepherd, Ad. Hatchard, [illegible] Prévost, F. F. Michel.

On motion it was

Resolved, That the above report be referred back to the committee with instruction to consider the difference between, where said road may be laid out, and report in the next session of this body, together with the probable cost of making the same.

On motion it was

Resolved, That a committee of three persons be appointed to serve during the present term, whose duty it shall be to receive all claims that have already accrued against the Parish as well as all those that may accrue during the year, and report at every session of this Board the amount or amounts of all such claims, with their qualifications.

The President appointed Messrs. Welsh, Hotard and Potts on said committee.

The petition of E. W. Blake, refusing to take Parish Printing, was then read and on motion, a committee composed of Messrs. Lirette, Thériot and Potts were appointed to confer with said Blake on the subject.

The following report was then read and unanimously adopted:

We the undersigned committee appointed to examine the accounts of F. Gagné, Treasurer of the Parish, do hereby certify that we have examined the books and vouchers, and find them to be correct, and we take great pleasure in certifying to the neat and businesslike manner in which the business has been transacted by him.

We beg leave further to report that the Treasurer of the Parish is exofficio Treasurer of the School funds, and that the said Treasurer requested to have his accounts examined, which we have done and find that there is in the Treasury, $4688,62 as fully appears from the books and vouchers exhibited to your committee.

Your committee were in doubt as to their power to make this examination. If your Honorable body think the committee have exceeded their authority in this examination we will withdraw the same.

(Signed.) A. Lirette. J. D. Umberfield. Andrew McCollam.

Semi Annual Report of the Treasurer of Terrebonne.

Amounts paid since 1st April 1856, per vouchers.

"	To Thomas Ballard, road Inspector		$75 00
"	L. S. Chauvin, " "		75 00
"	P. H. Darcé " "		200 00
"	O. T. Aycock, " "		100 00
"	F. F. Michel, " "		150 00
"	J. V. Boutelou " "		100 00
"	Clerk Police Jury, salary to 1st Sept.		137 50
	Appropriations.		
"	To Gallaher, making public roads,		68 60
"	P. F. Michel, Tax on suit,		5 00
"	J. C. Potts, J. Pease acting Coroner,		20 00
"	Dr. A. Deslerick,		5 00
"	Grinage, Blahut & Co.		2 20
"	A. J. Delaporte, J. Pease,		80 62
"	J. A. Gagné		103 12
"	Leufroy Barras		15 00
"	For Elections, Com. & Constables,		33 30
"	Police Jurors' services,		64 40
"	Commission to Treasurer for paying out,		60
Amt. paid out as shown per this report,			1,157 74
Amount on hand as shown per report 1st April 1856,			1,144 66
Amount due Treasurer			13 08

F. GAGNE, Parish Treasurer.

Parish of Terrebonne, 1st September, 1856.

I do hereby solemnly swear that I, Frank Gagné, have paid the full amount of all vouchers, herewith presented in money, and that I have not speculated directly or indirectly with the parish funds. F. GAGNE.

Treas. of the Parish of Terrebonne.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of June, A. D., 1856. E. N. Du TREIL, Dept. Clerk.

Report of Treasurer of the School Funds of the Parish of Terrebonne.

Amount on hand as per report made to Sup. Pub. Education, November 1st 1855,		$4,886 79
Amount received from State Treasurer for the quarter ending 1st January 1856,		1,234 00
Amount received from State Treasurer for the quarter ending 31st March, 1856,		1,320 15
		7,443 94
Deduct amount of Treasurer's salary,	216 66	
" for collection paid on $1,320 15,	18 15	
" expense incurred to col. Aug '53,	27 00	—261 82
		$7,181 13

Amt. paid out to the different Districts since 1st Nov'r, '55, as per vouchers, to wit:

1st District, January '56,			$100 00	
"	"	March "	125 00	—225 00
2d "	"	Nov. '55	42 75	
"	"	March '56	87 50	—131 25
4th "	"	January "	150 00	
"	"	March "	150 00	—300 00
5th "	"	May "	100 00	—100 00
6th "	"	May "	44 45	
"	"	"	33 33	—77 78
7th "	"	January "	66 66	
"	"	Feb. "	33 33	
"	"	April "	33 33	
"	"	May "	33 33	—166 65
8th "	"	January "	67 00	
"	"	March "	125 00	—192 00
9th "	"	April "	112 50	
"	"	May "	50 00	—162 50
10th "	"	March "	46 11	
"	"	"	31 82	—77 93
12th "	"	Nov. '55	125 00	
"	"	Jan. '56	135 00	
"	"	May "	125 00	—385 00
13th "	"	March "	150 00	—150 00
14th "	"	March "	105 00	—105 00
15th "	"	March "	150 00	—150 00
16th "	"	March "	65 60	— 65 60
To Balance				4,902 33
				7,181 13
Amt. on hand ben't on—being balance.			$4,902 33	
Amount paid out				
6th District, June 21st '54.			66 70	
"	"	Aug. 7th "	30 00	96 70
6th "	"	"	"	79 85
7th "	"	"	"	66 65
12th "	"	Aug. 4th "	"	100 00
14th "	"	July 12th "	"	112 50
15th "	"	March 31st "	"	112 00
9th "	"	June 30th "	"	125 00
4th "	"	"	"	150 00
Balance on hand 1st Sept. '56				4,092 63

F. GAGNE, Treas. School Funds.

Mr. Welsh offered the following preamble and resolution which were unanimously adopted.

Whereas, Mr. F. Gagné has voluntarily declined being a candidate for Treasurer of the Parish of Terrebonne,

Therefore, Be it resolved, that the thanks of the Police Jury be given to Mr. Gagné for the able, efficient, and exemplary manner in which he has discharged the duties of said office during the long term which he has held the same.

A report of the Grand Jury as well as a communication from the Sheriff respecting the condition of the Parish Prison were read, and on motion it was

Resolved, That a committee of three members of the Police Jury be appointed whose duty it shall be to examine the Parish Prison, and report if in their opinion any repairs are necessary, and if so, what those repairs should be, and their probable cost, and make their report as soon as practicable.

Messrs. Umberfield, Theriot, and Potts were appointed on said committee.

Resolved, That the President of the Police Jury be authorized to notify the Police Jury of the Parish of Lafourche that the Police Jury of Terrebonne in future will not make any appropriation to keep in order that portion of the public road leading from Houma to Thibodaux which is within the boundary of the Parish of Lafourche.

The following report was read and adopted:

To the Police Jury of the Parish of Terrebonne.

The committee appointed by your Hon. body to examine and report on the best manner of preventing the filling up of Bayou Black, from washing of rains etc., beg leave to report that they have examined the matter committed to their charge, and find that in from of many plantations and farms, and particularly at places kept for watering stock, the Bayou is being rapidly filled up by the washing in of earth during heavy rains. They recommend as a remedy that the different proprietors of lands on Bayou Black be required to make a good ditch on the side of the road next to the Bayou in front of their property, in all cases where any work is taking place, and where a ditch above will not be sufficient then they also make a levee or other works to catch and retain the wash. They further recommend that the above works be placed under the charge of the road inspector, in the same manner as the public roads.

All which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) W. Mixon. Wm. A. Shaffer. Andrew McCollam. G. F. Connor.

The Police Jury adjourned till to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

On Tuesday morning, the 2d day of September, 1856, the Police Jury of the Parish of Terrebonne met according to adjournment.

Members present as before.

The committee appinted to take into consideration of legalizing the Cherokee rose fence made their report which was adopted, and on motion it was

Resolved, That a hedge of the Cherokee rose shall be a lawful fence, provided that it be made thick and close so as to resist cattle and hogs, and provided that it be made with not less than six feet base and five feet in hight, and provided that it be kept trimmed so as not to encroach on the public road.

Further Resolved, That any person failing to fulfil the above requirements after notification by the road inspector, shall be liable to a fine of twenty dollars for each neglect, to be sued for by the road inspector in the same manner as other fines for obstructing public roads.

The committee appointed to confer with E. W. Blake, Esq., on the subject of the Parish Printing, made the following report which was adopted:

STATE OF LOUISIANA, Parish of Terrebonne.

The Committee to whom was referred the communication of E. W. Blake on the subject of printing the proceedings of the Police Jury of this Parish beg leave to report,

That they have received from that gentleman a bill of specifications of the labor performed by him, and which is hereunto annexed, by which it would appear that if the printing had been done in detail it would have cost the parish six hundred and eighty-nine dollars, ($689)

The communication addressed to your honorable body by Mr. Blake, and which is the foundation of this investigation, shows that through his authorized agent, Mr. Lindsey, he made an agreement to do the Parish printing for ($150,) one hundred and fifty dollars.

Your committee would state that upon a careful view of the above premises which the claim of Mr. Blake presents they have come to the conclusion that although one hundred and fifty dollars may be somewhat too low a price for the labor performed, six hundred and eighty-nine dollars is unreasonably high, and no one in making a bargain for wholesale printing would ever consent to agree to charges based upon a retail basis.

Your committee are of opinion that Mr. Blake would be amply compensated by increasing his compensation to two hundred dollars. They, therefore, report the following resolution:

Resolved, That the compensation given to Mr. E. W. Blake be two hundred dollars instead of one hundred and fifty dollars, as heretofore agreed upon.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) Jno. C. Potts, A. Lirette, F. Theriot.

Resolved, That a committee of three persons be appointed to confer with Mr. L. F. Anderson, the editor of the Houma Ceres, and ascertain from him what he would agree to do the Parish printing for, per year.

Messrs. McCollam, Potts, and Dupré were appointed on said committee.

The committee appointed to examine the Parish Prison and report on the repairs necessary to be made, presented their report which was read, and on motion it was

Resolved, That the sheriff be authorized to have the repairs made to the two windows in the room where the negroes are confined, not to exceed the amount of one hundred and twenty-five dollars, according to the plan specified in report of committee.

Further Resolved, That the said sheriff be authorized to purchase shackles, hand cuffs, chains, etc., necessary to secure prisoners under his charge.

Further Resolved, That Messrs. Lirette and Aycock be requested to assist the said sheriff in contracting for said repairs etc.

Mr. Eugène Fils, the member from the 8th Ward, appeared and took his seat.

The Police Jury then proceeded to appoint the Captains of Patrols for the year ending on the 1st Monday of September, 1857, which resulted as follows:

Ward.

1st—Onesime Babin, N. H. Smith, Furci Thibodaux.
2nd—John Benoit, W. C. Holleman, G. W. Watkins.
3rd—W. L. Shaffer, J. McCollam, Jos. Dusky.
4th—Narcisse Boudreau, Jos. O' Leblanc, Lezin Daigle.
5th—J. B. Bergeron, Maxilleine Hebert, Edotard Savoie.
6th—W. H. White, H. Loewenstein, Celestin Bergeron.
7th—Thos. Welsh, Richard Peters, E. Hotard, Jr.
8th—Jean Lebeuf, J. N. Robicheau, Charles Lebeuf.
9th—Pierre Blanchard, Léon Oxis, Francois Picou.
10th—L. M. Thibodaux, Edouard Leblanc, Eloi Chauvin.
11th—J. L. Rodgers, Edwin Field, Kilsge Michel.
12th—T. O. Gautreau, J. Jackson, B. F. Hains.
13th—A. Kendall, David Phipps, H. Bonvillain.

The Police Jury then proceeded to the election of Commissioners of election to serve during the year ending 1st Monday of September, 1857, which resulted as follows:

Ward.

1st—B. D. Jordan, F. L. Mead, Furci Thibodaux.
2nd—J. C. Potts, Euxitius Gautreau, L. Barras.
3rd—E. Slattery, M. H. Dunnis, Jos. Leblanc, dit Moise.
4th—A. F. Aycock, St. Ville Dugas, O. T. Aycock.
5th—P. H. Darcé, J. M. Daigle, Pierre Daigle.
6th—J. B. Bond, N. [illegible] Rightor, J. B. Dunn.
7th—J. Guiso, Joseph Toups, W. A. Bisland.
8th—Newville Fils, J. N. Robicheau, W. S. Campbell.
9th—H. Collins, H. Roddy, J. M. Sanders
10th—Peter Welsh, Edmond Leblanc, Paul Foret.
11th—Ursin Prevost, Edwin Field, St. James Faigout.
12th—W. Hatch, H. Wright, H. S. Hancock.
13th—J. V. Boutelou, A. Kendall, W. Wallis.

The Police Jury then proceeded to the election of door-keeper, and Mr. P. H. Darcé was unanimously elected to that office.

On motion it was

Resolved, That the sum of seven thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby levied on all taxable property in this parish, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the parish for the ensuing year, and that the tax on licenses, trades, and professions be and remain the same as it is at present by existing laws.

Resolved, That the name of Mr. A. Lirette be substituted in lieu of that of Mr J. C. Potts, on the committee appointed at the session of 7th April 1856, to confer with Mr. W. J. Minor respecting the road and bridge, crossing his plantation.

Further Resolved, That the name of the President be added to said committee.

The Committee on claims report as follows:

The bill presented by J. Aycock for	$12 50
The bill presented by T. Glenn for	6 00
The bill presented by W. S. Campbell, Coroner for	15 00

are commended to be paid.

There are various bills presented of which we have no evidence. They may or may not be correct. The committee cannot report on them. There are, also, various accounts for services of Clerks, Sheriffs witnesses etc., which by a standing rule of the committee, are referred to the Parish Attorney to report on

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) Jno. C. Potts, P. Welsh.

Resolved, That the Treasurer be authorized to pay the claims referred to in the report of the committee on claims as having been submitted to the consideration of the Parish Attorney, as soon as they shall have been recognized and the amounts to be paid fixed by said attorney, with the concurrence of said committee.

Resolved, That Messrs. Aycock, Connely, and Lirette be appointed a committee to form a fee bill for this Parish, and report at the next regular meeting.

Resolved, That that part of a report adopted by the Police Jury on the 12th of November, 1855, granting a piece of land for a burying ground, which reads as follows: "Wherefore your committee recommend that half of said tract of land above described, commencing forty feet in front of the church and running back the depth of the tract etc.," be amended so as to read as follows: Wherefore your committee reccommend that half of said tract of land above described, commencing at about four arpents from the Bayou, to wit., at a street known on a plan drawn by V. Soulakwoski as Verret street, and running back the depth of the tract, etc.

The committee appointed to confer with Mr. L. F. Anderson, the editor of the Houma Ceres, on the subject of the Parish Printing, presented the following proposition from that gentleman, which was read:

To the Police Jury of the Parish of Terrebonne.

I propose to publish the proceedings of the Police Jury and all necessary election notices or other advertisements for the benefit of the Parish, for one year, for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars, payable semi-annually, immediately after the first publication of the regular half-yearly sessions.

Respectfully submitted.

(Signed) L. F. Anderson.

On motion it was

Resolved, That the above proposition of Mr. L. F. Anderson concerning the Parish printing be and is hereby accepted.

The following persons were proposed as school teacher's examiners, to wit. F. S. Goode, N. H. Rightor, F. Gagnè, Geo. Lester, who were unanimously elected to serve in that capacity during the year ending on the first Monday of September 1857.

Resolved, That A. Lirette, Esq., be authorized to cause the necessary repairs to be made on the public bridge across Bayou Cane, and present his bill for payment.

On motion, the Police Jury adjourned *sine die*

J. AYCOCK President.

G. LESTER Clerk.

Fashionable Tailoring.

Fall and Winter Styles.

☞ Frederick would most respectfully remind his friends and patrons, that he has just received a superior lot of fashionable fabrics, suitable for making pants, &c., for this season of the year He is now ready to accommodate all who stand in need of his services. [my 15

☞ PHALON'S Paphian Lotion or Floral Beautifier—infallibe as a preservative of the skin and complexion, and as a means of eradicating or curing freckles, tan, pimples, chapped hands, lips and face; blotches, sunburns, scalds, burns, etc., and all diseases appertaining to the skin. Manufactured by E. PHALON, perfumer, 517 Broadway, New York—and for sale at the

mh-27] HOUMA DRUG STORE.

A Perfumed Breath.

☞ What lady or gentleman would remain under the curse of a disagreeable breath when by using the "Balm of a Thousand Flowers" as a dentrifice would not only render it sweet but leave the teeth white as alabaster? Many persons do not know their breath is bad, and the subject is so delicate their friends will never mention it. Pour a single drop of the "Balm" on your tooth-brush and wash the teeth night and morning. A fifty cent bottle will last a year.

A Beautiful Complexion may easily be acquired by using the "Balm of a Thousand Flowers." It will remove tan, pimples, and freckles from the skin, leaving it of a soft and roseate hue. Wet a towel, pour on two or three drops, and wash the face night and morning.

Shaving Made Easy.—Wet your shaving-brush in either warm or cold water, pour on two or three drops of "Balm of a Thousand Flowers," rub the beard well and it will make a beautiful soft lather, much facilitating the operation of shaving. Price only fifty cents.

For sale at the HOUMA DRUG STORE.

Purchasers will be careful to ask for Dr. M'Lane's Celebrated Vermifuge, manufactured by Fleming Bros. of Pittsburg, Pa. All other Vermifuges in comparison are worthless. Dr. M'Lane's genuine Vermifuge, also his celebrated Liver Pills, can now be had at all respectable drug stores. None genuine without the signature of FLEMING BROS.

SCOVIL & MEAD, New Orleans, La., General Wholesale Agents for the Southern States.

FRIZELL & BROOKS, Houma, La.

E. L. LASHBROOKE, Thibodaux, La.

E. W. Blake,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

PLAQUEMINE, LA.,

WILL practice in the courts of the 6th Judicial district, comprising the parishes of Iberville East and West Baton Rouge—and in the Supreme and Federal Courts in New Orleans. feb28

John Larkin,

COPPER, ZINC, TIN, SHEET-IRON, BRASS AND LEAD MANUFACTURER, Jackson Street, Thibodaux, La.,

Has on hand every variety of

Cooking and other Stoves and Grates.

Also—manufactures Cheifiers, Granulators, Gasometers, Sheet iron Juice-Boxes, and everything connected with his business, at the shortest notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

Hoping Planters will see it is to their own interest to encourage home-tic manufactures, he is determined to do everything in the very best manner.

ALSO—Agent for the parishes of Lafourche and Terrebonne for the sale of C. LEVITT'S CORN and COB CRUSHING MILL for Planters.

—ALSO—

SPRATT'S PATENT LIGHTNING ROD, the best in the world. All on the most reasonable terms jy14-1y

SMITH & Co.,

FAMILY GROCERS, AND DEALERS IN WESTERN PRODUCE, ETC.,

—Terrebonne Crossing—

☞ LUNCH ready at all times for passengers. They will also attend to the transportation of Freight to and from New Orleans. mh20-tf

Dr. J. L. JENNINGS,

OFFERS HIS SERVICES to the citizens of Terrebonne. Residence and Office at the former residence of Dr. B. A. Prewitt.

He is prepared with rooms and comfortable accommodations for six or eight patients, which he will attend on reasonable terms. [n1-tf.]

Edward O. Gagne,

GENERAL COLLECTOR AND AUCTIONEER—Office IN HOUMA—Will attend strictly to all business entrusted to him, in this and the adjoining parishes. 26-tf.

Saddles and Harness

MADE AND REPAIRED, AND

CARRIAGE TRIMMING done in the best manner. The undersigned having employed a competent workman is now prepared to execute any work in the above line at short notice and on reasonable terms.

Houma, July 26, 1856. JOHN BERGER.

Railroad, Expresses, &c.

NEW ORLEANS, OPELOUSAS & G. W. R. R.

WINTER ARRANGEMENTS.—On and after the 10th of September next, the Passenger trains of this road will Leave the Depot at Algiers as follows:

Algiers every day at	8:30 A. M.
Gretna every day at	8:40 A. M.
Arrive at Bayou Boeuf every day at	12:30 A. M.

RETURNING.

Leave Bayou Boeuf	1:30 P. M.
Arrive at Gretna	5:20 P. M.
at Algiers	5:30 P. M.

Excursion tickets to go to the regular stations and back the same day will be issued as follows:

To Boutte, $1 25; to Bayou des Allemands, $1 50; to Breeland, Lafourche Crossing and Terrebonne, $2 50, to Tigerville, $3; to Bayou Boeuf, $3 50. Between intermediate regular stations, prices proportional.

A Ferry Boat will connect with the Passenger Trains, leaving the foot of St. Ann street every morning, at 8 o'clock precisely.

Frieght will be received for B. Boeuf and intermediate Stations by the Company on the wharf at the foot of St Louis street every day until 3 o'clock P. M. All up freight must be paid by the shippers, and frieght to be delivered at all other Stations than Bayou des Allemands, Raceland, Lafourche Crossing, Terrebonne, Tigerville and Bayou Boeuf, (where the Company has Agents) must be prepaid.

Printed Rules and Rates of Frieght in pamphlet form for circulation, to be had on application at the office of the Company.. A. B. SEGER, Vice President.

HO! FOR THE RAILROAD!

JOHN BERGER has placed a Stage and Express, upon the line from Houma to the Railroad Crossing, Terrebonne Depot, capable of carrying twelve passengers. The Express will leave Houma every morning at eight o'clock, and returning to Houma, will leave the Depot immediately on the arrival of the cars from the City, say at half past 11.

FARE EACH WAY, - - - - $1 00

He hopes, by attending to wants and convenience of the traveling public to merit a share of their patronage.

He has constantly on hand conveyances of kinds at Houma to convey passengers in any direction.

Hotel and Stable.

The undersigned would also inform his friends anp the public that he is prepared to accommodate all who may call upon him, with comfortable lodgings, and his table is always well supplied with the best that can be procured in in the market. Every exertion will be made to administer to comfort and convenience of his guests.

His stables are well stocked, and means of conveyance may be procured at all times. Travelers conveyed to any part of the country, at all times, and on the most accommodating terms.

Dec 6tf JOHN BERGER.

HOUMA EXPRESS.

B. F. HOLDEN has now placed upon the line from the Railroad Crossing, Terrebonne Depot, to Houma, a Stage and Express, capable of carrying eight passengers. Express packages of light merchandise will be carried at reasonable rates. The Express Stage will leave Houma every morning at 9 to half past 9 o'clock and returning to Houma, will leave the Depot immediately after the arrival of the train from the city, say half pa 11 to 12 M.

Fare each way.....$1 00

N. B.—All persons expecting packages by the Express must be prepared, (by themselves or agents) with the cash to pay charges on delivery, as it will be impossible to conduct such business on any other principle.

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STABLING!

MY NEW STABLE is now about complete, and I am prepared to carry on the Livery business in all its branches. Horses and vehicles of every kind needed, ready at short notice.

Prices of stabling either by the day or month has been reduced since feed has cheapened. Customers can rely upon having their horses well fed and taken care of. Give me a trial. B F. HOLDEN.

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Ploughs! Ploughs!

THE SUBSCRIBER has on hand about one hundred Ploughs, A. J. Young & McClanahan's Manufacture, of Maysville, Ky., sizes from No. 1 to No. 4, which (for the sake of closing the consignment,) he offers for sale on March credit, from 50 to $1 per plough lower than he has ever before sold in this market, prices from $5 00 to $11 00. A few Bull Tongues or Shovel Ploughs at $7 00 Planters would do well to embrace this opportunity to supply themselves with good and cheap ploughs.

Respectfully, B. F. HOLDEN.

Thibodaux, November 1st, 1855—n16-y.

SCOTT'S "LITTLE GIANT" CORN AND COB MILL,

Patented May 16th, 1854.

THE attentention of Planters, Farmers and Stock-feeders in general is respectfully called to this mill as the most important article of the kind now in use; not only well adapted for grinding cob meal for stock, but Frits for the table, and especially Bread Meal from corn not fully ripe or dry in the fall.

In setting this mill, no mechanic or frame work is wanted, only requiring to be fastened to a floor or platform. Easily adjusted and used by anybody, even a child.

The Little Giant has received the first premiums at the late Agricultural Fairs in Missouri, Kentucky, Maryland and other States; and that in the most complimentary manner; as well as the ready commendations of the thousands witnessing its performance.

These mills are guaranteed in the most positive manner; and No. 2 warranted to grind 10 bushels of feed per hour with one horse, and offered at the low price of $60, a 1 complete, ready for attaching the team—No. 4 at $75, grinds 20 bushels per hour with two horses.

Manufactured by Scott & Burt, St. Louis; Scott & Kockbee, Baltimore; Scott & Hedges, Cincinnati.

From the Cincinnati Daily Times.

"THE LITTLE GIANT."—By invitation we called at the establishment of Scott & Hedges, yesterday, to witness the operations of what the inventor has denominated the "Little Giant Corn and Corn Cob Mill." If ever name was well applied, it is in the present instance. The mill weighs only about three hundred pounds, and with a single horse attached to a ten foot shaft, it eats up corn and cob "with a vengeance." It is got up on an improvement on the best patent of this kind ever attained, and is so simple in its construction that it can be put together and set in motion in twenty minutes, and afterwards be adjusted and used with ease by anybody. It will grind with ease from 12 to 14 bushels per hour.

To the farmer, this mill, so simple in its construction, occupying so little space, propelled by power always on hand, and furnished at the exceeding low price of $60, affords one of the greatest conveniences we have ever seen. Wherever they have been introduced; they have universal favor. Let every one interested in agricultural pursuits call in at Scott & Hedges, No. 9 Water Street, examine and see it in operation.

For sale in Thibodaux by the undersigned, who has one in operation, which he will be pleased to exhibit.

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