

The Bossier Banner

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Governor Pleasant, Leader.

Governor Ruffin G. Pleasant's recent inaugural address struck the right note, and we believe he struck with a sincere hand and heart.

The answer to that question rests with Gov. Pleasant more than any other man in the State. If there is a failure to redeem Democratic pledges, the failure will lie largely at his door.

Thanks to the example of Woodrow Wilson, Governors are now supposed to be leaders of their parties and their people.

We have great confidence in his sincerity and moral force, and we shall not lose it until he compels us to do so.

What an opportunity for wise, firm and public-spirited leadership, for the exhibition of the qualities that make men great and communities proud of them.

One of the greatest nuisances a newspaper man has to deal with is the stuff sent to him by press agents of various organizations and agencies who want to "help fill up the paper."

We suppose every country editor in the State is gratuitously bombarded by brazen deadbeats with "stuff" of the class above complained of—sugar-coated advertising—but it is a sorry editor, whose space is of no value, who will bite at such transparent bait.

"President Wilson drove invisible government out of Washington, and uncovered the mightiest lobby that ever ramified a republic or had its rendezvous in its capital. He drove the lobbyist out; he turned the American people in," said Senator Ollie M. James in an address to the Democratic State Convention at Lexington, Ky., Wednesday of last week.

We have advocated the passing of a law by the Legislature making parish superintendents of education elective by the people and would rejoice to see Mr. Lewis' bill providing for this reform become a law; but it will not. The school ring will not permit any interference with its political pull.

The aggregate German losses before Verdun are set at \$50,000,000.

Late News Paragraphs.

New York has over two billion dollars in her saving banks, says a financial review.

War business has made New York the world's busiest port, exceeding London by \$200,000,000 for the year.

Col. John S. Mosby, a famous Confederate raider during the Civil War, died in Washington last Tuesday, after a long illness.

Four men met their deaths during a heavy rain and electrical storm which passed over Louisville, Ky., just at nightfall Monday.

The situation in Mexico, instead of growing better, seems to be growing worse. Peace is impossible in this unfortunate land of murder, arson and robbery.

Gen. Joseph Simeon Gallieni, adored by France as "the savior or Paris" because of his great part in the battle of the Marne, died last Saturday at Versailles.

After a fight lasting three weeks the Senate last Monday passed the Rivers and Harbors Appropriation Bill, carrying approximately \$43,000,000, by a vote of 35 to 32.

Eighteen persons were killed and a score wounded in an aeroplane raid on Bari, on the Italian Adriatic coast, last Friday. The victims were largely women and children.

Washington, May 28.—Half a billion dollars will be the government's internal revenue toll for the fiscal year ending June 30th next. This sum will be made up substantially as follows: Taxes on whisky, beer, cigars, cigarettes and tobacco, \$303,000,000; taxes on the incomes of individuals and corporations, \$115,000,000; emergency tax collections, \$83,000,000.

James Jerome Hill, railroad builder, capitalist and most widely known figure in the Northwest, died of blood poisoning, as the result of an operation, in St. Paul, Minn., last Tuesday morning. He was born in Ontario, Canada in 1838; came of poor Irish and Scotch farmer stock, and by his own genius he rose to the top of the ladder, became one of the mentors of the world and amassed a fortune of \$200,000,000.

Washington, May 26.—The United States, denouncing interference with neutral mails, has informed Great Britain and France that it can no longer tolerate the wrongs which American citizens have suffered and continue to suffer through the "lawless practice" those governments have indulged in and that only a radical change in policy, restoring the United States to its full rights as a neutral power, will be satisfactory.

The naval appropriation bill, reported to the House recently, carries a total of \$241,000,000. A total of \$98,853,378 is provided for new ships, including five battle cruisers, and to continue ships now building. Among other items the bill provides \$140,000 to repair and reconstruct certain public works at the New Orleans naval station, damaged by hurricane last September. The report of experts to Congress says: "The consensus of expert naval opinion seems to be that in the case of a naval engagement between the United States and a foreign foe the most probable theater of war would be the Caribbean Sea."

Spare your crocodile tears over "England's heartless blockade," and take a backward glance into the early sixties, when the brutal North had its bloody hands on the throat of the Southern Confederacy, and with the whole cowardly world looking on, was blockading and starving the men and women of the Southern Confederacy. Or, take a glance at France in the early seventies, when the sabre-rattling, land-grabbing, indemnity-waging German nation was starving Paris into submission. The Bully of Europe made a miscalculation this time when he let slip his well-trained dogs of war. He should now be forced to "take his medicine" until he is so thoroughly purged of his bloodthirstiness that he will allow the world to rest in peace—for a few years, at least.

Prof. Keeney wants just only \$120,000 for his little Industrial Institute at Ruston, but there are seven reasons why he can't get it, the first one is that the State has not got the money—well, never mind about the other reasons.—Mansfield Enterprise.

And then there is the President of the State University who wants "only" a few hundred thousand, and he generally gets what he goes after. Alas, poor tax payer, he must grin and endure it.

Well said by the Mansfield Enterprise: The Louisiana good roads association will go before the Legislature and urge a \$3,000,000 bond issue for the benefit of the Jefferson Highway. This is another little joke, and reminds us of the time when Warmoth and Kellogg occupied the Governor's chair, and when the Legislature was about the color of a spade flush.

Don't grumble at your butchers' bill; meat (for sale only on every fifth day) is selling at \$1 a pound in Berlin, Germany, and eggs at ten cents a piece.

From Over Our Great State.

The Supreme Court held invalid the election in Rapides Parish in which the prohibitions had a majority vote.

Georgia, with 561, heads the list of establishments devoted to the manufacture of turpentine. Louisiana has only twenty-seven.

By a vote of six to three, the House Judiciary Committee, Section C, yesterday reported the Woman's suffrage bill unfavorably.

Forty years a teacher at one school at New Orleans was the record of Miss Martha Riley, a native of Scotland, who died last Monday.

The Enterprise says all the reports from DeSoto Parish indicate that the acreage in corn has been diminished by about 20 per cent, as compared with last year.

Jefferson Davis Parish last Monday voted by an overwhelming majority a bond issue of half a million dollars for the construction of permanent highways.

The proposition to vote \$500,000 worth of bonds to construct good roads in all of Ouachita Parish east of the Ouachita River was almost unanimously carried at an election held last Monday.

Joseph B. Lancaster, Judge of the Twenty-sixth Judicial District Court of Washington and St. Tammany parishes, dropped dead at Franklinton soon after eating his dinner. Death was caused by acute indigestion and heart failure.

Louisiana Planter, May 27th: The crop prospect throughout every sugar parish in Louisiana is now reported to be fine and because of the advanced growth and the abundance of moisture put in the ground by the recent rains the planters generally feel that the crop is comparatively safe from any disaster, barring an early freeze.

What the Papers Are Saying.

Mansfield Enterprise: In the lower house, a Mr. Schmit, wants compulsory school attendance, but the idea was accepted as a joker, as we have not the schools for all the kids, and no money to establish them with.

Mansfield Enterprise: The greatest piece of news of recent date is that W. J. Bryan has been defeated as a delegate to the next Democratic National Convention. With his absence, the success of the party seems to be reasonably sure.

Mansfield Enterprise: The best type of citizen is he that feels a personal responsibility in seeing that the laws are enforced. Don't leave everything to the officers, and then abuse them for not doing things that you help to conceal from their knowledge.

Says the Birmingham Leader: Gov. Ferguson of Texas has become one of the pardoners. It costs the people heavily to convict even a percentage of the criminals, and it is discouraging to have those few pardoned or paroled, as experiments in humanities.

Vivian Times: As president of the Louisiana Board of Health Dr. Dowling has given this State a wonderful and favorable advertisement and has himself become a figure of national prominence. In our opinion the failure to reappoint Dr. Dowling would be a public calamity.

Louisiana Democrat: The great American sin is profanity. The use of profane language is not confined to the street loafer, the thug and sot; men who move in good society, business men of standing and reputation, young men and old men, and even boys of tender age, are addicted to this inexcusable habit and sin. There is nothing more disgusting than to hear a man punctuate his every utterance with lurid oaths.

Philadelphia Record: Exports to South America for the past eight months have amounted to \$112,000,000 compared with \$52,000,000 a year ago, which does not look as though that branch of trade were suffering seriously from lack of vessels. Still more striking is the fact that our exports to Argentina in eight months increased from \$14,000,000 to \$40,000,000. The increase to Brazil was from \$4,000,000 to \$25,000,000, to Chile from \$6,000,000 to \$16,000,000. There is no indication here of the need of Governmental intervention.

State Tax Sales

Immovable Property.

State of Louisiana vs. Delinquent Tax Debtors, Parish of Bossier.

BY virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, I will sell, at the principal front door of the Court House, in which the Civil District Court of said parish is held, within the legal hours for judicial sales, beginning at 11 o'clock a.m. on

Saturday, June 10, 1916, and continuing on each succeeding day until said sales are completed, all immovable property on which taxes are now due to the State of Louisiana and Parish of Bossier to enforce collection of taxes assessed during the year 1915, together with interest thereon from the 31st day of December, 1915, at the rate of 10 per cent per annum, until paid, and all costs. The names of said delinquent taxpayers, the amount of taxes due by each on the assessment of said year, and the immovable property as-

essed to each to be offered for sale are as follows, to-wit:

Ward One. R. B. E. and W. A. Smith—The n/4 of sw/4, s/4 of sw/4, and that part of n/4 of sw/4 west of Swan Lake, in sec 27, and that part of n/4 of nw/4 and n/4 of e/4 of sec 14 lying north and east of Cypress Brake and west of Swan Lake, in sec 31, and lots 1 and 2 of sec 33, tp 19, r/18, r/12-22 acres. Taxes, \$115.73; interest and cost to be added.

Ward Two. Alice Anderson—2-acre lot N and lot 3 of the Arick Subdivision, Benton. Taxes, 65 cents; interest and cost to be added. Est. John Anthony—14 acres in sec 18, tp 20, r/13, east of Black Bayou. Taxes, 99 cents; interest and cost to be added. Minnie Black—The e/4 of nw/4 of sec 35, tp 19, r/13-80 acres. Taxes, \$10.66; interest and cost to be added. J. P. Clifford—Blk 25 and residence in Benton. Taxes, \$1.61; interest and cost to be added. Millie Hunter—Lots 17 and 18 of the Bulkley Subdivision, Benton. Taxes, 65 cents; interest and cost to be added. U. W. Hutchings—Lot 19, blk 1, Hunter Subdivision, Bossier City. Taxes, \$2.48; interest and cost to be added. Dr. C. H. Irion—The sw/4 of nw/4 of sec 5 and s/4 of nw/4 and ne/4 of nw/4 of sec 6, tp 21, r/12; e/4 of nw/4, w/4 of nw/4 and s/4 of nw/4 of sec 26 (less 15 acres), and n/4 of nw/4 of sec 33, tp 21, r/13; fr 1/2 of s/4 of sec 33, tp 21, r/13; 6 acres in Rocky Mount, in tp 20, r/12; n/4 of sw/4 and fr 1/2 of s/4 of sec 4, tp 20, r/13-40 acres. Taxes, \$13.74; interest and cost to be added. W. G. Kolan—The e/4 of nw/4 of sec 2, n/4 of n/4 of sec 22 and sw/4 of s/4 of sec 27, tp 18, r/12-160 acres. Taxes, \$21.26; interest and cost to be added. Minnie Lane et als—103 acres, lots 2, 3 and 4 in sec 15, tp 21, r/11. Taxes, \$5.51; interest and cost to be added. Est. Charlie Thomas—3 lots in the Bulkley Subdivision, Benton. Taxes, \$1.64; interest and cost to be added. Est. John Young—The sw/4 of nw/4 of sec 14, tp 20, r/13-40 acres. Taxes, \$2.62; interest and cost to be added.

Ward Three. Bank of Plain Dealing (Wilson)—The e/4 of sw/4 of sec 12, tp 23, r/12-80 acres. Taxes, \$2.60; interest and cost to be added. Hannah Bush—The n/4 of s/4 of sec 2, tp 22, r/13-40 acres. Taxes, \$2.18; interest and cost to be added. Est. C. Z. Cochran—Lot and residence from S. J. C., in sec 14, tp 22, r/13-16 acres. Taxes, \$2.45; interest and cost to be added. R. J. T. Herron—Sundry lots in Benton. Taxes, \$2.95; interest and cost to be added. Est. Minnie Johnson—Five-sixth interest in the n/4 of s/4 of sec 14, tp 22, r/13-40 acres. Taxes, \$1.34; interest and cost to be added. Granville Smith—The s/4 of sw/4 of nw/4 of sec 25, tp 22, r/13-20 acres. Taxes, \$1.00; interest and cost to be added.

Ward Five. J. H. Boddie—The s/4 of n/4 and 10 acres in the northeast corner of n/4 of s/4 of sec 21, tp 20, r/12-50 acres. Taxes, \$1.91; interest and cost to be added. J. D. Boddie—The n/4, n/2 of nw/4 of sec 14, and 10 acres off the north side of n/4 of nw/4 of sec 21, tp 20, r/12-71 acres. Taxes, \$2.31; interest and cost to be added. J. H. and J. D. Boddie—71 acres in sec 21, tp 20, r/12. (See records, vol. 33, p. 491.) Taxes, \$2.76; interest and cost to be added. Jesse Goodwin—The n/4 of s/4 of sec 17, tp 21, r/11-40 acres. Taxes, \$3.10; interest and cost to be added. Rachel Smith—The s/4 of nw/4 and n/4 of s/4 of sec 17, tp 20, r/12-80 acres. Taxes, \$3.40; interest and cost to be added. Est. Cora Tate—The nw/4 of n/4 and n/4 of nw/4 of sec 9, tp 20, r/11-80 acres. Taxes, \$4.20; interest and cost to be added. Est. G. B. Wilson—The n/2 of sw/4 and n/2 of sw/4 of sec 31, n/4 of s/4 of sec 34, tp 22, r/12-190 acres. Taxes, \$5.69; interest and cost to be added.

Ward Six. John Brown—The n/4 of s/4 of sec 25, tp 17, r/11-10 acres. Taxes, \$1.55; interest and cost to be added. F. M. Brown—The e/4 of sw/4 of sec 28 and e/4 of s/4 of sec 29, tp 18, r/11 (less 5 acres)—155 acres. Taxes, \$8.61; interest and cost to be added. V. Dondarewicz—The n/4 of n/2 of s/4 of sec 22, tp 18, r/12-40 acres. Taxes, \$1.69; interest and cost to be added. Est. Henry Bubose—The sw/4 of n/4 of sec 36, tp 19, r/12 (less 10 acres off the south side)—30 acres. Taxes, \$1.38; interest and cost to be added. O. E. Giddens—The s/4 of nw/4 of sec 19, tp 15, r/10-80 acres. Taxes, \$15.35; interest and cost to be added. Heirs John Gladney and heirs of sec 13, tp 20, r/11-40 acres. Taxes, \$2.51; interest and cost to be added. Alexander Graczk—60 acres off the south side of s/4 of sec 22 and 20 acres off the north side of n/4 of sec 27, tp 18, r/12-80 acres. Taxes, \$8.78; interest and cost to be added. Est. William Hughes—The s/4 of sw/4 of sec 14, tp 18, r/12-40 acres. Taxes, \$2.16; interest and cost to be added. Mrs. E. J. Ivey—Two lots and improvements in the town of Haughton, in sec 21, tp 18, r/11. Taxes, \$8.92; interest and cost to be added. Joe Jablonski—A strip of land 660 feet wide beginning 330 feet from the north boundary line, extending to within 330 feet of the south boundary line and running east and west through the n/2 of sec 27, tp 18, r/12. Taxes, \$5.62; interest and cost to be added. Tony Mizwa—20 acres off the south side of n/4 of n/4 and 60 acres off the north side of s/4 of sec 27, tp 18, r/12-80 acres. Taxes, \$8.08; interest and cost to be added. John Mordyi—The nw/4 of sw/4 of sec 27, tp 18, r/12-40 acres. Taxes, \$4.69; interest and cost to be added. Est. Charlotte Porter—The nw/4 of n/4 and n/4 of n/4 of sec 28, tp 18, r/12-60 acres. Taxes, \$3.49; interest and cost to be added.

Ward Seven. Mrs. E. B. Besse—Lot 235 of the Heilperin Addition, Bossier City. Taxes, 62 cents; interest and cost to be added. Fannie McD. Bolding—The sw/4 of nw/4 and nw/4 of sw/4 of sec 8, tp 23, r/11-80 acres. Taxes, \$2.60; interest and cost to be added. Will Bongs—Lot 4 of blk R, Haughton. Taxes, 61 cents; interest and cost to be added. Mrs. Er. D. Burgess—The n/4, e/4 of sec 14, s/4 of nw/4 and sw/4 of sw/4 of sec 2, tp 23, r/13-40 acres. Taxes, \$28.90; interest and cost to be added. P. P. Cook—Lot 37 of the East Shreveport Subdivision of Bossier City, and store house. Taxes, \$9.68; interest and cost to be added. W. R. Dicks—Lot 42 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 62 cents; interest and cost to be added. Est. A. R. Dillard—10 acres in front of the levee at the Dillard place, north of and adjoining the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, \$6.25; interest and cost to be added. Mrs. E. Neal Douglas—The n/2 of nw/4 and nw/4 of n/4 of sec 21, tp 19, r/13-120 acres. Taxes, \$27.39; interest and cost to be added. S. R. Elliott—Lot 71 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 62 cents; interest and cost to be added. Mike Elgin—Lot 32 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 62 cents; interest and cost to be added. Joseph Elgin—Lot 210 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 62 cents; interest and cost to be added. W. C. Glover & Lovine Co.—Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 of blk Q and lots 7 and 8 (less the north half of lot 7) blk X of the Cumberland Subdivision, Bossier City. Taxes, \$21.87; interest and cost to be added. F. F. Green—One-half interest in the s/4 of s/4 of sec 10, tp 22, r/11-20 acres. Taxes, 80 cents; interest and cost to be added. J. M. Griggs—Lot 211 of the Heilperin Addition, Bossier City. Taxes, 62 cents; interest and cost to be added. E. L. Hagens—Lot 251 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 62 cents; interest and cost to be added. Mrs. A. P. Ham—Lot 168 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 62 cents; interest and cost to be added. W. E. Hamilton—Lots 10, 11, 17 and 18 of the Dillard Subdivision, Bossier City—19 acres. Taxes, \$64.57; interest and cost to be added. Est. W. B. Hamilton—The sw/4 of s/4 of sec 25, tp 20, r/12 (less 10 acres in the northwest side)—30 acres. Taxes, \$1.28; interest and cost to be added. S. P. Harrell—98 acres in secs 1 and 9, tp 23, r/14 (vol. 31, p. 413) less 30 acres. Taxes, \$41.59; interest and cost to be added. I. N. Houston—Half-acre lot adjoining state levee and S. J. Harmon farm, in sec 20, tp 18, r/13. Taxes, 82 cents; interest and cost to be added. Dr. G. H. Huckaby—Lots 1 and 2 of blk 16 of the McCormick Annex and lots 50 and 51 of the Heilperin Addition, Bossier City. Taxes, \$14.00; interest and cost to be added. International Land and Petroleum Co.—Lots 1, 2, 3 and 6 of blk 25, Benton (less front half of lot 1). Taxes, \$2.81; interest and cost to be added. G. T. Lancaster—Lot 237 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 48 cents; interest and cost to be added. C. W. Lindsey—The n/4 of s/4 of sec 30, tp 18, r/11-40 acres. Taxes, \$2.46; interest and cost to be added. Louisiana Land and Immigration Co.—The s/4 of sw/4 of sec 28, tp 18, r/12. Taxes \$22.25; interest and cost to be added. E. R. Madjng—The n/2 of lot 11, blk W of the Cumberland Subdivision, Bossier City. Taxes, \$1.65; interest and cost to be added. Leo Melancon—Lots 8 and 9, blk ZZ of the Cumberland Subdivision, Bossier City. Taxes, \$5.78; interest and cost to be added. Mrs. L. B. Montgomery—The w/4 of nw/4 of sw/4 of sec 36 and e/4 of n/4 of s/4 and e/4 of w/4 of n/4 of sec 35, tp 20, r/13-50 acres. Taxes, \$3.28; interest and cost to be added. E. P. Mills—Lots 7 and 8, blk Y of the Cumberland Subdivision, Bossier City. Taxes, \$5.78; interest and cost to be added. A. E. Morgan—The n/4 of n/4 of sec 16, tp 20, r/11-40 acres. Taxes, \$1.70; interest and cost to be added. J. T. Mulhaupt—The e/4 of sec 13, tp 17, r/13 and sw/4 of sec 18, tp 17, r/12-480 acres. Taxes, \$197.43; interest and cost to be added. R. N. McDonald—Lot 8 (less 25 feet off the front end), Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 32 cents; interest and cost to be added. Oliff, McCormick Brick Co.—25 acres in the nw/4 of sec 29, tp 18, r/13, being 10 acres formerly owned by the Oliff-McCormick Company and 15 acres by the Bossier Brick Company. Taxes, \$24.28; interest and cost to be added. M. V. T. B. and Blonnie Page—Lots 21, 20, 23 and 22 of sec 32, tp 15, r/10-65 acres. Taxes, \$20.00; interest and cost to be added. F. W. Palis—Lot 2, blk V of the Cumberland Subdivision, Bossier City. Taxes, \$3.07; interest and cost to be added. Georanna Papa—Lots 5 and 6, blk 1 of the Hunter Subdivision, Bossier City. Taxes, \$3.75; interest and cost to be added. E. Phelps, sr.—The n/4 of n/4 of sec 26, tp 17, r/11 and e/4 of n/4 of sec 17, tp 17, r/12-120 acres. Taxes, \$32.08; interest and cost to be added. Judy Phipps—Lot 196 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 62 cents; interest and cost to be added. A. B. Pickett—The north half of the following: E/4 of sec 16, tp 22, r/12 acres. Taxes, \$1.98; interest and cost to be added. P. G. Pye—Lot 180 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 62 cents; interest and cost to be added. Robert Releford—The n/4 of nw/4 of sec 18, tp 15, r/10-80 acres. Taxes, \$7.78; interest and cost to be added. E. J. Reynolds—21 acres lying between the road and Red River, and south of bridge. Taxes, \$14.38; interest and cost to be added. E. B. Russell—Lots 170 and 177 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, \$1.25; interest and cost to be added. Susan Simon—Lot 12 of blk 1, Oak Park. Taxes, 31 cents; interest and cost to be added. Fannie Small—Lot 16 of blk 2 of the East McCormick Annex to Bossier City. Taxes, \$4.13; interest and cost to be added. L. E. Smith—The west half of lot 114 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, 32 cents; interest and cost to be added. L. E. Smith—The n/2 of nw/4 of sw/4 and sw/4 of nw/4 of sec 4, tp 20, r/12-60 acres. Taxes, \$2.55; interest and cost to be added. Charles Stoer—One-half interest in the s/4 of sec 26, tp 12 (less 15

acres off the south side of s/4 of s/4 of sec 26, tp 12, r/12-15 acres. Taxes, \$2.76; interest and cost to be added. J. M. Tomlin—Lots 91, 92 and 93 of the Heilperin Addition to Bossier City. Taxes, \$1.88; interest and cost to be added. Guissipia Trombetta—Lots 1, 2, 25 and 26, blk 6 of the Hunter Subdivision, Bossier City. Taxes, \$16.92; interest and cost to be added. Margaret Bell—The n/4 of sw/4 (less 10 acres off the south side) sec 23, tp 22, r/11; also, less 15 acres off the north side. Taxes, 49 cents; interest and cost to be added. Malissa Darling—Fr 1/2 nw/4 (less s/4 of nw/4) of sec 1, tp 23, r/14-90 acres. Taxes, \$19.31; interest and cost to be added. Abbie E. McStea—The w/4 of n/4 (less 15 acres off the east side of sw/4 of n/4) of sec 19, tp 23, r/13, being 65 acres; also, less 5 acres off the east side of nw/4 of n/4-60 acres. Taxes, \$3.27; interest and cost to be added. On said day of sale I will sell such portion of said property as each debtor will point out, and in case the debtor will not point out sufficient property, I will at once and without further delay, sell the least quantity of said property of any debtor which any bidder will buy for the amount of taxes, interest and cost due by said debtor. The sale will be without appraisal, for cash, in legal tender money of the United States, and the property sold shall be redeemable at any time for the space of one year by paying the price given, including costs, and 20 per cent thereon. J. F. EDWARDS, Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector, Bossier Parish, Benton, La., May 1, 1916. jun 8

An Ordinance. Ordering an election in Road District No. 2 of Bossier Parish, Louisiana, as created by the Police Jury of said parish April 13, 1915, to take the sense of the property taxpayers of said district on the question of levying a special 3-mill tax for a period of five years, beginning with the year 1916 and ending with the year 1920, inclusive, for the purpose of building, constructing and repairing bridges and building, constructing and repairing public roads in said road district, except the gravel roads, constructed or to be constructed in said district. Section 1. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of Bossier Parish, in legal and special session convened, That under the authority of the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, and pursuant thereto, a special election is hereby ordered to be held in Road District No. 2 of Bossier Parish, Louisiana, as now created, on Saturday, the 24th day of June, 1916, to take the sense of the property taxpayers qualified to vote at such election, as provided by law, on a question of levying annually a special road tax of 4 mills on the dollar of the assessed valuation of all assessable property in Road District No. 2 for the period of five years, beginning with the year 1916 and ending with and including the year 1920, and according to law. Sec. 2. Be it further ordained, etc., That the purpose for which this said tax is to be voted and levied and the use for which said proceeds are to be used are

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declared to be: For the purpose of building, constructing and repairing bridges and building, repairing and maintaining public roads in Road District No. 2 of Bossier Parish, Louisiana, except the gravel roads, constructed or to be constructed in said road district. Sec. 3. Be it further ordained, etc., That said election be held at Benton, Louisiana, at a public meeting, the regular polling places in said district, if now established by law, on Saturday, June 24, 1916. Sec. 4. Be it further ordained, etc., That said election be held under the general election laws of the State of Louisiana, except as hereinbefore modified. Sec. 5. Be it further ordained, etc., That the ballots to be used in said election, shall be printed or written, and shall read: "For a 4-mill special road tax for a period of five years," or "No" (n/4) of sec 19, tp 23, r/13, being 65 acres; also, less 5 acres off the east side of nw/4 of n/4-60 acres. Taxes, \$3.27; interest and cost to be added. On said day of sale I will sell such portion of said property as each debtor will point out, and in case the debtor will not point out sufficient property, I will at once and without further delay, sell the least quantity of said property of any debtor which any bidder will buy for the amount of taxes, interest and cost due by said debtor. The sale will be without appraisal, for cash, in legal tender money of the United States, and the property sold shall be redeemable at any time for the space of one year by paying the price given, including costs, and 20 per cent thereon. J. F. EDWARDS, Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector, Bossier Parish, Benton, La., May 1, 1916. jun 8

Sec. 6. Be it further ordained, etc., That all legal voters who are property taxpayers in said district shall be entitled to vote, provided women who are property taxpayers in their own right shall be entitled to vote, either in person or by proxy. Sec. 7. Be it further ordained, etc., That notice of election herein called shall be given by proclamation of the President of the Police Jury, and published for thirty clear days in the official journal of Bossier Parish, as required by law, and a proclamation shall be forth that this Police Jury will meet in open session on the 11th day of July, 1916, at the Court House, in the town of Benton, Bossier Parish, Louisiana, and will then and there proceed to open the ballot boxes, examine and count the ballots in number and amount, examine and canvass the returns, and declare the result of the election, and such meeting of the Police Jury for said purpose is hereby called. Sec. 8. Be it further ordained, etc., That the returns of said election shall be made to the Police Jury of Bossier Parish, at its meeting to be held July 11, 1916, on which date the canvass of said returns will be had, as aforesaid. Sec. 9. Be it further ordained, etc., That the following named commissioners and clerks shall conduct said election: Precinct 1—Bellevue: L. C. Biggs and W. M. McVay, Jr., C. G. Rounsavall, Alex. Shaw and R. O. Busby, commissioners; J. R. Snider, clerk. Precinct 2—Haughton: A. G. Nelson, C. N. Jones and A. E. Nelson, commissioners; T. H. Lawrence, clerk. Precinct 3—Koran: J. A. Cawthon, Phillip Brown and J. C. Palmer, commissioners; E. R. Connell, clerk. Precinct 4—Bellevue: S. S. Rounsavall, Alex. Shaw and R. O. Bus