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Official Proceedings of the

POLICE JURY

St. John the Baptist Parish

"To the Honorable president and members of the Police Jury: Gentlemen: I beg to submit the

following report:

Sheriff's Salary Fund, Fo'd 2,307.45 Less vouchess 92 and 93 83.32 get the aforesaid. previously issued

Releipts in August

Checks drawn in August

GOOD ROAD FUND:

Cash forwarded Checks drawn in August GENERAL PARISH FUND:

Checks drawn in August and interest on note Cash Balance \$ 309.10

EMILE PICOU,

the Police Jury to borrow the dollars (\$26,000.00) be and is sum of \$26,000.00 to meet ex- hereby authorized to be borpenses of Good Roads, was rowed from the Bank of St. parish of St. John the Baptist inanimously accepted on mo- John, and in order to pay said is truly and justly indebted tion of Mr. Montegut, secon- sum with interest at the rate unter the BANK OF ST. ded by Mr. Bourgeois, with of seven per cent. per annum, JOHN in the sum of Six thou Buchler represent Mr. Hart. the vote resulting as follows: payable in the years 1921, sand Five Hundred Dollars, Yeas: Messrs. Barre, Songy 1922, 1923 and 1924 in equal which it agrees to pay to said Montegut, Duhe and Bour- installments of Six Thousand Bank at its office, at Reserve geois. Nays, None.

geois and carried that the lars and Sixty-Six Cents President be authorized to (\$6,651.66) is hereby appro-

by Mr. Duhe: AN ORDINANCE: Thousand Dollars (\$26,000.00 fir the repair and maintenance of the graveled public roads of the parish of St. John the Baptist, to be paid in installments of Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars Six Thousand Five Hundred and empowered to issue and Dollars (\$6,500.00) in the year 1922, Six Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$6,500.00) in the year 1923, and Six thousand dollars (\$26,000.00), said certificates in the year 1923, and Six (\$26,000.00), said certificates to be for the sum of six thousand Five Hundred Dil-Thousand Five Hundred Dil-lars (\$6,500.00) in the year 1924 and to bear interest at the talk of seven per cent, per all the talk of seven per cent, per all the rate of seven per cent, per

annum, said interest payable num from their date, said insemi-annually; to issue certi-terest payable semi-annually, ficates of indebtedness there- and to be numbered from one for; to pledge and dedicate to four inclusive; certificate out of the revenues of the No. 1 to be payable on the Edgard, La., Sept. 2, 1920. years 1920, 1921, 1922 and Tenth of January, 1921; certi The Police Jury of the Parish of St. John the Baptist met this day at the Court House in regular session with the following members in attendance? President P. G. Songy; Messrs. Barre. Montegut, Duhe, and Bourgeous. Absent, Mr. Reynaud. On motion by Mr. Barre, seconded by Mr. Duhe, the minutes of the last meeting were approved as read. The Finance Committee's report showing a total of \$1,396.60 against the General Parish Fund, and \$455.43 against the sheriff's Salary Fund was read and on motion of Mr. Duhe, seconded by Mr. Montègut, and carried, said report was accepted. The treasurer's report as follows was submitted, and on motion of Mr. Duhe, seconded by Mr. Montègut, and carried, said report was accepted and ordered spread on the minutes:

The treasurer's report as follows was submitted, and on motion accepted and ordered spread on the minutes:

The Honorable president and or motion accepted and ordered spread on the minutes:

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The Honorable president and a mount sufficient for the pay be payable January 10th. 1923 and certificate No. 2 to be payable January 10th. 1923 and certificate No. 3 to be payable January 10th. 1924.

The treasurer's report as follows was submitted. Selection held in St. John parish ficate No. 2 to be payable January 10th. 1923 and certificate No. 3 to be payable January 10th. 1924 and certificate No. 3 to be payable January 10th. 1924 and certificate No. 3 to be payable January 10th. 1924 are to be payable January 10th. 1924.

Be it further ordained that the best of said certificates shall be signed and dated at Edgard, before Judge Fred A. Middle-ton this week showed that the official ballots from the Secretary and made payable president of Said Police Jury, countersigned by the president of Said Police Jury, countersigned by the Secretary and made payable and ordered spread on the motion of Mr. 1923 and 1924 be in this 1924.

The Honorable president No. 3 to be payable January 10th. 1924.

The treasu being the excess of the an-Secretary and made payable not reach St. John parish unnual revenues of said years, to the Bank of St. John at the til 9:30 a. m., on the day of above statutory, necessary and usual charges; and direc- John, at Reserve, Louisiana. ting the Police Jury to bud-

Baptist has caused to be built hereby dedicated and pledged \$ 2,233.80 Baptist has caused to be built hereby dedicated and pleuged and completed, under cont-out of the excess of the an-Cash balance on hand \$ 1,639.26 ract, gravelled public roads nual revenues of the years in the parish of St. John the atoresaid, above statutory, Baptist, and-

> the parish Treasury to meet payment of said certificates the expense necessary for of indebtedness together their repair and maintenance with the interest, as they ma-

Be It Ordained by the Police Jury of the parish of St. John the Baptist, that the Parish of St. John the Bap-The Ordinance authorizing sum of Twenty-six thousand tist

borrow the sum of Fifteen priated out of the budget of and maintenance of the com-Hundred Dollars from the expenses for the year 1920 pleted gravelled public roads Bank of St. John to meet cur-rent expenses. with which to pay principal and interest on said certifi-It was moved by Mr. Duhe, cates; the sum of Seven thou debtedness and promise to October 7th., 1920, the Secreseconded by Mr. Montegut sand one hundred and six dol pay is secured by pledge of tary of the Police Jury will pay is secured by pledge of tary of the Police Jury will be a sell to the highest hidden and carried that Mr. Barre lars and sixty-six cents the excess revenues of the pa sell to the highest bidder on be authorized to have build- (\$7,106.66) is hereby appropriate to the parish taxes Saturday, November 13th. be authorized to have build- (\$7,106.66) is hereby approings and fences around court priated out of the budget of
house put in first class order expenses for the year 1921
ry for ordinary purposes, in
ry for ordinary and whitewashed and paint- with which to pay principal accordance with an ordinance and interest on said certifi- of the Police Jury, adopted ing Ferry No. 1, plying be-Dr. E. P. Feucht of Gary-cates; the sum of Seven thou ville explained to the Police sand five hundred and sixty-Jury the lack of drainage in one dollars and sixty-six Hopeville, and on motion of cents (\$7,561.66) is hereby Mr. Barre, seconded by Mr. appropriated out of the bud-Duhe and carried, Mr. Price get of expenses for the year the president and Secretary Bourgeois was authorized to 1922 with which to pay printake immediate steps to procipal and interest on caid cert the parish of St. John the vide the necessary drainage ificates; the sum of Eight Baptist, as the governing auso as to give relief sought for thousand and sixteen dollars thority of the parish of St By Mr. Montegut, seconded and sixty-six cents (\$8,016.66 is hereby appropriated out of the budget of expenses for the year 1923 with which to (Signed:) P. G. SONG ing of the sum of Twenty-six pay the principal and interest further sums are hereby appropriated to pay the interest on deferred payments, if any. Be it further ordained that the president of the Police Jury and its secretary are hereby directed, authorized

Office of the Bank of St. the primary three and one-

Be it further ordained that the amounts aforesaid, to Whereas the Police Jury of meet the principal and inte-the parish of St. John the rest of said certificates are necessary and usual charges. Whereas said public roads are in need of repair and the standard energy and that the Police Jury shall provide annually for the amount required to meet the Louisiana.

State of Louisiana,

THIS CERTIFIES that the A. Middleton late to-day. Five Hundred Dollars, each, La., on January 2, 1921, with It was moved by Mr. Barre the sum of Six Thousand, Six seven per cent interest from and seconded by Mr. Bour- Hundred and Fifty-One Dol- date, interest payable semiof said parish.

of the Police Jury, adopted at its meeting of Thursday, September 2, 1920.

knowledgment was signed by live years. the parish of St. John the John the Baptist, on this 2nd

(Signed:) P. G. SONGY,

President Police Jury.

HENRY C. MAURIN, Secretary Police Jury.

There being no further business, on motion duly seconadjourned.

P. G. SONGY President.

HENRY MAURIN, Secretary.

Picou Wins on Recount of St. John Parish Votes

A court recount of the ballots cast in the recent prima-1923 an amount for the pay- ficate No. 2 to be payable Jan ry election held in St. John pa

> half hours after the pells had opened.

The parish committee had provided ballots when it was found the day before the primary that the official ballots had not reached the chairman of the parish committee. This was the principal ground for the contest instituted by Mr. Hart to prevent Judge Picou's name from going on the official ballot.

There were several contested ballots but no evidence of fraud came out during the Cash forwarded Note discounted in August Receipts Receipts in August Receipts R borrow money for said pur- ture, all in accordance with gard Courthouse Friday at midnight.

Arguments will be heard to-Hay beginning at 10 a. m., at the Gretna Courthouse. A decision will most * probably be handed down by Judge F.

Mr. Picou is represented by Attorneys Dart and Reynaud while Attorneys Gautier and

NOTICE! Sale of Ferry Franchise

Edgard, La. Oct. 9th., 1920. Public Notice is hereby given that in accordance with resolution adopted at the regular meeting of the Police Jury of the Parish of St. John This acknowledgment of in- the Baptist held on Thursday in the said parish of St. John In Faith Whereof, this ac- the Baptist for a period of

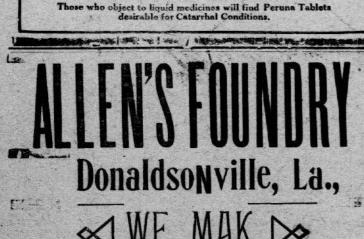
(Signed:) Henry C. Maurin Secretary.

Full information as to the conditions of the lease can be obtained from the secretary or from the official proceedings of the Police Jury of October 7th., 1920.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC!

Notice is hereby given that the Police Jury of this parish will meet on the 21st., day of October 1920, for the purpose of receiving protests and hearing complaints on valuaded and carried, the meeting tion of property for assessment purposes in this parish fixed by the Board of State Affairs. All tax-payers desiring to protest valuations fix ed by the Board of State Af-fairs must file their protest with the Secretary of the Poice Jury on or before the

date of said meeting.
HENRY C. MAURIN
Secretary of Police Jury.



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