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Official Proceedings of the POLICE JURY

St. John the Baptist Parish
Edgard, La., Sept. 2, 1920.

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 Bourgeois. 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 \$455.45 against the sheriff's Salary Fund was read and on motion of Mr. Duhe, seconded by Mr. Montegut, and carried, said report was accepted.

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

"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 vouchers 92 and 93 83.32

previously issued

Receipts in August \$ 2,224.13

9.67

Checks drawn in August \$ 2,233.80

594.54

Cash balance on hand \$ 1,639.26

GOOD ROAD FUND:

Cash forwarded \$ 12,039.92

Checks drawn in August 7,350.00

Cash Balance \$ 4,689.92

GENERAL PARISH FUND:

Cash forwarded \$ 157.82

Note discounted in August 2,200.00

Receipts in August 64.12

Checks drawn in August \$ 2,421.94

and interest on note 2,112.84

Cash Balance \$ 309.10

Signed: EMILE PICOU,

The Ordinance authorizing

the Police Jury to borrow the

sum of \$26,000.00 to meet ex-

penses of Good Roads, was

unanimously accepted on mo-

tion of Mr. Montegut, second-

ed by Mr. Bourgeois, with

the vote resulting as follows:

Yeas: Messrs. Barre, Songy

Montegut, Duhe and Bour-

geois. Nays, None.

It was moved by Mr. Barre

and seconded by Mr. Bour-

geois and carried that the

President be authorized to

borrow the sum of Fifteen

Hundred Dollars from the

Bank of St. John to meet cur-

rent expenses.

It was moved by Mr. Duhe,

seconded by Mr. Montegut

and carried that Mr. Barre

be authorized to have build-

ings and fences around court

house put in first class order

and whitewashed and paint-

ed.

Dr. E. P. Feucht of Gary-

ville explained to the Police

Jury the lack of drainage in

Hopeville, and on motion of

Mr. Barre, seconded by Mr.

Duhe and carried, Mr. Price

Bourgeois was authorized to

take immediate steps to pro-

vide the necessary drainage

so as to give relief sought for

By Mr. Montegut, seconded

by Mr. Duhe:

AN ORDINANCE:

Authorizing the borrow-

ing of the sum of Twenty-six

Thousand Dollars (\$26,000.00

for the repair and mainte-

nance of the graveled public

roads of the parish of St.

John the Baptist, to be paid

in installments of Six Thou-

sand Five Hundred Dollars

(\$6,500.00) in the year 1921,

Six Thousand Five Hundred

Dollars (\$6,500.00) in the

year 1922, Six Thousand Five

Hundred Dollars (\$6,500.00)

in the year 1923, and Six

Thousand Five Hundred Dill-

ars (\$6,500.00) in the year

1924, and to bear interest at

the rate of seven per cent, per

annum, said interest payable

semi-annually; to issue certi-

ficates of indebtedness there-

for; to pledge and dedicate

out of the revenues of the

years 1920, 1921, 1922 and

1923 an amount for the pay-

ment of the interest of said

certificates due in said years

1921, 1922, 1923 and 1924 be-

ing the excess of the revenu-

es of said years above statu-

tory, necessary and usual

charges; to pledge and dedi-

cate the above sums out of

the revenues of years 1920,

1921, 1922 and 1923 an

amount sufficient for the pay-

ment of the principal of said

certificates during said years

being the excess of the an-

nuual revenues of said years,

above statutory, necessary

and usual charges; and direc-

ting the Police Jury to bud-

get the aforesaid.

Whereas the Police Jury of

the parish of St. John the

Baptist has caused to be built

and completed, under con-

tract, graveled public roads

in the parish of St. John the

Baptist, and—

Whereas said public roads

are in need of repair and the

re are no funds available in

the parish Treasury to meet

the expense necessary for

their repair and maintenance

and it becomes necessary to

borrow money for said pur-

pose;

Be It Ordained by the Po-

lice Jury of the parish of St.

John the Baptist, that the

sum of Twenty-six thousand

dollars (\$26,000.00) be and is

hereby authorized to be bor-

rowed from the Bank of St.

John, and in order to pay said

sum with interest at the rate

of seven per cent. per annum,

payable in the years 1921,

1922, 1923 and 1924 in equal

installments of Six Thousand

Five Hundred Dollars, each,

the sum of Six Thousand, Six

Hundred and Sixty-Six Cents

(\$6,651.66) is hereby appro-

propriated out of the budget

of expenses for the year 1920

with which to pay principal

and interest on said certifi-

cates; the sum of Seven thou-

sand five hundred and sixty-

one dollars and sixty-six

cents (\$7,561.66) is hereby

appropriated out of the bud-

get of expenses for the year

1922 with which to pay prin-

cipal and interest on said cer-

tificates; the sum of Eight

thousand and sixteen dollars

and sixty-six cents (\$8,016.66

is hereby appropriated out of

the budget of expenses for

the year 1923 with which to

pay the principal and interest

on said certificates; and such

further sums are hereby ap-

propriated 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

and empowered to issue and

sign certificates of indebted-

ness to represent said sum of

Twenty-Six thousand dollars

(\$26,000.00), said certificates

to be for the sum of six thou-

sand five hundred dollars

each, to bear interest at the

rate of seven per cent, per an-

num from their date, said in-

terest payable semi-annually,

and to be numbered from one

to four inclusive; certificate

No. 1 to be payable on the

Tenth of January, 1921; certi-

ficat No. 2 to be payable Jan-

uary 10th. 1922; Certificate

No. 3 to be payable January

10th. 1923 and certificate No.

4 to be payable January 10th.

1924.

Be it further ordained that

all of said certificates shall be

signed and dated at Edgard,

Louisiana, the day

of September 1920, signed by

the president of said Police

Jury, countersigned by the

Secretary and made payable

to the Bank of St. John at the

Office of the Bank of St.

John, at Reserve, Louisiana.

Be it further ordained that

the amounts aforesaid, to

meet the principal and inter-

est of said certificates are

hereby dedicated and pledged

out of the excess of the an-

nuual revenues of the years

aforesaid, above statutory,

necessary and usual charges,

and that the Police Jury shall

provide annually for the

amount required to meet the

payment of said certificates

of indebtedness together

with the interest, as they ma-

ture, all in accordance with

existing laws of the State of

Louisiana.

State of Louisiana,

Parish of St. John the Bap-

tist

THIS CERTIFIES that the

parish of St. John the Baptist

is truly and justly indebted

unto the BANK OF ST.

JOHN in the sum of Six thou-

sand Five Hundred Dollars,

which it agrees to pay to said

Bank at its office, at Reserve

La., on January 2, 1921, with

seven per cent interest from

date, interest payable semi-

annually, for money loaned

and advanced for the repair

and maintenance of the com-

pleted graveled public roads

of said parish.

This acknowledgment of in-

debtedness and promise to

pay is secured by pledge of

the excess revenues of the pa-

rish out of the parish taxes

to be levied by the Police Ju-

ry for ordinary purposes, in

accordance with an ordinance

of the Police Jury, adopted

at its meeting of Thursday,

September 2, 1920.

In Faith Whereof, this ac-

knowledgment was signed by

the president and Secretary

in behalf of the Police Jury of

the parish of St. John the

Baptist, as the governing au-