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State Tax Sale

STATE OF LOUISIANA
AND
PARISH OF ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST
VERSUS
DELINQUENT TAX DEBTORS
Parish of St. John the Baptist.

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, SEPTEMBER 3, 1921.

and continuing on and 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 St. John the Baptist, to enforce collection of taxes assessed in the year 1920, together with interest thereon from the 1st day of March, 1921 until paid, and all costs. The names of said delinquent tax payers, the amount of taxes due by each for the assessment of said year and the immovable property assessed to each to be here for sale, as follows, to wit:

THIRD WARD

Aurelia Washington: One Building \$2.97

FOURTH WARD

Mrs. Gustave Cicet: One building and two cows \$3.12

Mrs. Clement Catoire: 61' x 120', north by Chas. St. Martin South by Miss. Valley R. R., east by Woodland Plantation, west by lot No. 25 \$2.47

Charles Ernest: One House and One Horse \$4.39

Joseph Evariste: Lot 35' x 85', in front & below by a certain right of way, above and rear by A. N. Hotard and others \$1.48

Haller Foster: One Lot .50

Elphege Gendron: One Pumping Outfit \$17.75

Edward Roussel: One Building \$3.94

Victor Ruffins: One Building \$3.41

Lundy Smith: One Building \$3.90

Est. P. Vicnair: Bounded above by C. & C. Alexandre below by J. Narcisse or Assigns \$4.88

FIFTH WARD

Paul Booker: One Building \$2.95

Adolph Delanville: One Building \$2.13

William Gauff: One Building \$1.95

Ernest Millet: One Building \$16.60

Dick Ricker: One Building \$2.46

Adele Watkins: One Lot & House \$2.47

Arthur Voisin & Co., One Pumping Outfit \$37.05

SIXTH WARD

Burnett & Warfield: 30 Acres, bounded above by E. H. Duhme below by A. Lasseigne \$26.91

Bank of St. John & Mrs. Oscar Turner: Lot 5, bounded north by lot 6, south by lot 4, east by 8' strip, west by Main St. situated at Little Hope \$2.93

E. H. Duhme: 220 Acres bounded above by J. V. Chenet below by A. Lasseigne or Assigns, 2 Mules, Tools etc. \$200.09

George Hebert: Lot No. 2 Sq. 1, north by lot 19, east by 8' strip, west by Main St. \$8.82

Hope Benevolent Association: Lot 6, north by cross St. south by lot 5, east by 8' strip, west by Main Street \$1.97

Est. Even Robson: Lot 13, north by lot 15 south by lot 11, east by 8' strip, west by Main Street \$10.80

Joseph (Valley) Evariste: One Building \$3.91

Alexis Raphael: Lot 14, 17 & 20, bounded north by lot 11, south by lot 23, east by Main St. west by L. Poche or Assigns \$26.39

George Washington: Part of lot 20 \$6.87

NON-RESIDENTS:

SECOND & THIRD WARDS

Gaston Becnel & Others: Lots 3 & 4, Section 80 T. 12 S. R. 18 E being all cut-over lands 160 acres \$10.80

SIXTH WARD

A. Marx & Sons: Machinery \$8.03

On said day of sale, I will sell such portions of 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 costs due by said debtor.

The sale will be without appraisal, first 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, with Twenty per cent and costs and penalty added. Sheriff's Office, Parish of St. John the Baptist, August 10th, 1921.

EMILE A. PICOU
Sheriff & Ex-Officio Tax Collector.

NOTICE

Bids will be received by the School Board until 11:00 A. M., Thursday, September 1, 1921, for the erection of a one-room schoolhouse, all lumber and material to be furnished by the School Board, the Board reserving the right to reject any or all bids. Plans and specifications may be obtained from L. F. Laurent, Edgard, La.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE School Board

Parish of St. John the Baptist.
Edgard, La., August 8th, 1921.

The School Board assembled this day in regular monthly session with President E. O. Abadie, in the Chair, and the following members present: Messrs. Alexander, Gendron, Millet, Bourgeois and Tassin.

The President called the meeting to order and asked for the reading of the minutes. It was moved by Mr. Gendron, seconded by Mr. Alexandre, and carried, that the reading of the minutes be dispensed with.

Miss Blanche Perilloux appeared before the Board to show cause why she should be reappointed as teacher in the Ory School. After hearing Miss Perilloux the Superintendent recommended Miss Perilloux for appointment as teacher in the Ory School.

Miss Perilloux again appeared before the Board to show cause why Mr. Thompson should not be reappointed Principal of the Ory School. After hearing Miss Perilloux the Superintendent recommended Mr. Thompson, because, as he said, he had given his word to Mr. Thompson and he would not go back on his word in the absence of Mr. Thompson. It was moved by Mr. Gendron, seconded by Mr. Tassin that Mr. Thompson be not appointed Principal of the Ory School. A call for a vote resulted as follows: For the motion: Messrs. Abadie, Millet, Bourgeois, Tassin and Gendron.

Against the motion: None. Blank, Mr. Alexander.

The Secretary reported that no bids had been received for the erection of a one-room school. It was moved by Mr. Tassin, seconded by Mr. Bourgeois, and carried that bids be received until 11:00 a. m., Thursday, Sept. 1st, for the erection of a one-room school, all lumber and material to be furnished by the School Board, the Board reserving the right to reject any and all bids.

Mrs. C. Schexnaydre having paid her taxes twice, filed her double receipts with the Secretary and asked to be refunded the amount overpaid. It was moved by Mr. Alexandre, seconded by Mr. Tassin, and carried, that the taxes overpaid by Mrs. C. Schexnaydre, in the amount of \$2.49 be refunded.

Mr. P. Barre operator of the Edgard-Wallace Transfer asked the Board for a contract to operate his transfer, for mutual protection. It was moved by Mr. Tassin, seconded by Mr. Gendron, and carried, that the President be authorized to sign a contract for two years with Mr. Barre for the operation of his transfer.

The Secretary read a petition from the Sodality of the Children of Mary requesting the School Board to stop the Public Balls in the Edgard High School. The petition was received and action upon same deferred to the next meeting of the Board.

The Superintendent recommended the following teachers for appointment: GODCHAUX HIGH SCHOOL
J. O. Montegut, Principal; Mr. V. J. Roux, Assistant Principal; Miss Eleanor Marionneaux, Mr. J. Kline, Miss Inez Hart, Miss Noelle Hart, Mr. Charles Reine, Miss Edna Boutin, Miss Edith Cuny, Miss Urieu Mire, Miss Maria LeBrun, Miss Jeanne Perret, Miss May LeBrun; Commercial teacher to be supplied.

EDGARD HIGH SCHOOL
Mr. Chas. Broussard, Principal, Mr. Harry Braud, Assistant Principal; Miss Lorraine Webre, Mr. J. Kline, Miss Noelle Hart, Miss Inez Hart, Miss Mary Hamilton, Miss Irma Perret, Miss Philomene Roussel, Miss Annette Hymel. Commercial teacher to be supplied.

GARYVILLE SCHOOL
Mr. W. S. Frazee, Principal, Miss Hortense DeLamotte, Miss Sadie Fort, Miss Germaine Ganier, Miss Ethel White, Miss Virgie Delery, two teachers to be supplied.

FRISCO SCHOOL
Mr. M. H. Poole, Principal, Miss Honorine Millet, one teacher to be supplied.

ANGELINA SCHOOL
Miss Jeanne Judice, Principal; Miss Beunice Cambre.

VACHERIE SCHOOL
Miss Addie Cuny.

WALLACE SCHOOL
Principal to be supplied. Miss Rita Perret.

EVERGREEN SCHOOL
Miss Amelie Brou, Principal; Miss Eva Lorio.

LUCY SCHOOL
Miss Alma Cambre; Principal to be supplied.

ORY SCHOOL
Mr. B. L. Mestayer, Principal; Miss Denise Millet, Miss Lucille Maurin, Miss Ruth Cambre, Miss Blanche Perilloux.

The Superintendent read the proposed budget and on motion of Mr. Bourgeois, seconded by Mr. Tassin that the following budget be adopted for the fiscal year 1921-1922:

RECEIPTS

Current School Fund... \$ 28,268.00

Police Jury Appropriation 13,623.00

Special School Tax..... 13,722.00

State Tax..... 13,623.00

Poll Tax..... 1,414.00

Fines and Forfeitures..... 176.00

Interest 16th. Section..... 440.00

Smith-Hughes Fund..... 1,075.00

TOTAL: \$ 72,341.00

DISBURSEMENTS

White Teachers..... \$ 44,496.00

Colored Schools..... 2,550.00

Janitors..... 832.00

Superintendent..... 2,700.00

Repairs..... 1,100.00

Office expenses..... 762.00

Furnishings..... 3,000.00

Mileage and per diem..... 396.00

Transfers..... 7,065.00

Libraries..... 150.00

Rent..... 180.00

Buildings..... 9,110.00

TOTAL: \$ 72,341.00

The following bills were approved by the Finance Committee and on motion of Mr. Alexandre seconded by Mr. Gendron and carried, they were ordered paid:

Lasseigne Printery, books \$ 12.00

E. J. Caire, furnishings 9.28

L. F. Laurent, office expenses 11.86

Times-Picayune, advertising 4.00

Willow Grove Benevolent Ass'n 25.00

There being no further business, on motion duly seconded, and carried, the Board adjourned.

E. O. ABADIE, President

LUBIN F. LAURENT, Secretary.

NOTICE To the Public

The Louisiana Tax Commission will review the assessments of the parish of St. John on Tuesday the 30th day of August at its office in the City of Baton Rouge. Any taxpayer having a complaint to make or a suggestion to offer is invited to be present on the date fixed, or to write to the Commission with reference thereto before the date fixed.

At this time the Louisiana Tax Commission will review the values fixed by the assessor and the parish board of equalization, and will fix values for assessment purposes.

J. O. MILLET
Assessor.

Official Proceedings -Of The-

POLICE JURY

Parish of St. John the Baptist.
Edgard, La., Aug. 18th, 1921.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted at regular meeting of the Police Jury held on July 7th, the secretary of the Police Jury sold at public auction this date to the highest bidder, the ferry plying between LaPlace and Lucy, said highest bidder being Mr. Ignace Rousselle, of Lucy, La., his bid being for \$1.05 per year contract to run for five years.

(Signed) Henry Maurin
Secretary.

Official Proceedings -Of The-

POLICE JURY

Parish of St. John the Baptist.
Edgard, La., August 4th, 1921.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session with Hon. P. G. Songy in the Chair, and the following members present: Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Montegut, Duhe and Bourgeois. Absent, None.

The minutes of meeting held in July were read and on motion of Mr. Reynaud, seconded by Mr. Montegut and carried, said minutes were approved as read.

The report of the Finance Committee showing a total of \$1,835.39 against the General Fund to cover bills and salaries for month of July and a total of \$7,275.00 against the Special Road tax fund to cover bonds and interest on Good roads, was read and on motion of Mr. Reynaud seconded by Mr. Duhe and carried, said report was ordered accepted and filed, and said bills were ordered paid.

The secretary then reported the receipt of the following checks in settlement of different accounts as claimed by the last state auditor's report. Check of \$1,250.00 from the American Surety Company to cover account due by the late Sheriff Wm. J. Hart. Check to cover stationery etc. erroneously paid out of the general funds of the Parish. A check from Nicaisse Duhe, Jr., for old tractor was also received, amounting to \$25.00, and on motion duly seconded and carried, these checks were ordered turned over to the parish treasurer for proper credit.

It was moved by Mr. Bourgeois, and seconded by Mr. Montegut that the New Orleans-Donaldsonville road having been completed and maintained

for 30 days according to specifications of the State Highway Department, that this road be accepted by the Police Jury, and that the secretary be and is hereby notified and instructed to so advise the State Highway Department, and ask said Department to send Inspector for final approval and settlement.

Vote on same resulted as follows: Yeas—Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut, Duhe and Bourgeois. Nays, None.

Mr. John Rodrigue of Reserve appeared before the Police Jury with a complaint that his cow was poisoned by drinking a dipping acid solution left unprotected near the tractor shed at Reserve, and after a thorough discussion of same, it was moved by Mr. Duhe, and seconded by Mr. Reynaud that the claim of Mr. Rodrigue be compromised for the sum of \$30.00, which was satisfactory to Mr. Rodrigue. A vote on same resulted as follows: Yeas—Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut, Duhe and Bourgeois. Nays—None.

The claim of Mrs. C. Schexnaydre of Edgard, for a refund of \$8.33 due her on account of her 1919 taxes having been paid twice to the late tax collector Wm. J. Hart was taken up and on motion of Mr. Reynaud seconded by Mr. Montegut, this refund was authorized, and the secretary was instructed to issue voucher accordingly. A vote on same resulted as follows: Yeas—Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut, Duhe and Bourgeois.

The following resolution was introduced by Mr. Bourgeois, seconded by Mr. Barre:

"Whereas, the property owners abutting the road in Garyville La., known as the 'HOPE ROAD' have petitioned this Police Jury to gravel said road as being for the best interest and advantage of the public and taxpayers in that locality, and—

Whereas, this Police Jury at a regular meeting acted favorably upon said petition and agreed that at the proper time, said road would be gravelled in preference to any other road, and—

Whereas in order to make said road a public road, it is necessary that same be dedicated for public use and that this Police Jury accept the same.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, that Mr. Prudent G. Songy, President of this Police Jury, be and is hereby authorized and empowered to execute for and on behalf of this Police Jury the necessary act in the premises."

Vote on the above resulted as follows: Yeas—Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut, Duhe and Bourgeois. Nays, None.

On motion of Mr. Reynaud, seconded by Mr. Duhe, the following resolution was introduced:

"Be it ordained by the Police Jury of St. John the Baptist that all applicants for appointments as beneficiary student to the State Normal School at Natchitoches be requested to take a competitive examination, said examination to be held under the supervision of the Parish Superintendent, BUT the questions to be submitted by aforesaid institution, and all papers to be corrected and marked by the authorities of the aforesaid institution, and returns made to the Parish Superintendent who will immediately forward same to the Police Jury.

Be it further ordained that the party receiving the highest mark in said competitive examination, shall be recommended and appointed as the beneficiary student to the said State Normal School.

The vote on same resulted as follows: Yeas—Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut, Duhe and Bourgeois. Nays—None.

It was moved by Mr. Bourgeois that the selection of a beneficiary cadet to the State University at Baton Rouge be made by a vote of the Jury according to law, whereupon the President ordered a vote taken on the following applicants, Messrs. Odell Barre, Hubert Duhe and Henry J. Tregre, Jr., with the following result:

Mr. Reynaud,.....Odell Barre

Mr. Barre (Not voting)

Mr. Songy,.....Odell Barre

Mr. Montegut, (Refusing to vote)

Mr. Duhe, (Not voting)

Mr. Bourgeois,.....Odell Barre

Mr. Odell Barre was declared elected as beneficiary cadet to the Louisiana State University.

The report of Ben Dufresne, parish treasurer, showing a cash balance of 10 Cents in the Assessor's salary fund, \$7,492.46 cash balance in the Special Good Road Fund; \$3,636.11 cash balance in the Sheriff's Salary Fund and \$328.34 cash balance in the General Fund, after deducting all checks drawn this day; was read and on motion of Mr. Reynaud, seconded by Mr. Duhe and carried, said report was accepted.

It was moved by Mr. Duhe and seconded by Mr. Montegut that the sum of \$200.00 be contributed towards defraying expenses of gravelling the road leading from the Mississippi River levee to station at Reserve, on the Reserve Plantation.

Vote on same resulted as follows: Yeas, Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut, Duhe and Bourgeois. Nays, None.

There being no further business, on motion duly seconded and carried, the meeting adjourned.

P. G. SONGY,
President.

HENRY MAURIN
Secretary.



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---: We solicit your Account ---: *****

OFFICERS: George E. Burch, President; Leo A. Marrero, Vice-President; Henry I. Landry, Cashier; Miss Beatrice Joseph, Assistant Cashier.

***** DIRECTORS: George E. Burch, P. G. Songy, George Gendron, L. Maurice Reynaud, Leo A. Marrero, J. B. Landry, Louis F. Abadie, Henry I. Landry.

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LOCAL PERSONALS



Miss Emily Chazex returned to her home at Lucy this week after a pleasant stay in New Orleans.

For Sale or Rent

FARM, tractor, mules, carts, drills, press, hay, etc. For further particulars apply to E. H. DUHME Garyville, La.

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JURY VENIRE

LIST OF NAMES OF PERSONS selected to serve as GRAND JURORS for the Term of Court to be held and begun on the Second Monday in September 1921.

NO.	NAMES	WARD.
1.	Maurice Charpentier	1st
2.	Theodore J. Nagel	1st
3.	Francis Chazex	1st
4.	Drauzin Berthelot	2nd
5.	Sidney G. Roussel	2nd
6.	Sidney Caire	2nd
7.	Frank Schexnaydre	3rd
8.	Paul Ganier	3rd
9.	Henry Granier	3rd
10.	James Haydel	4th
11.	Joseph Millet	4th
12.	Willie Melancon, Jr.	4th
13.	Sidney Maurin	4th
14.	Jules Haydel	5th
15.	Edward Jacob	5th
16.	A. L. Delaneville	5th
17.	Heman Cotham	6th
18.	P. A. Beemel	6th
19.	M. A. Bienvenue	6th
20.	J. P. Laurent	6th

LIST OF NAMES OF PERSONS drawn to serve as PETIT JURORS for the week beginning Monday September 19, 1921.

NO.	NAMES	WARD.
1.	Ozeme Hitard, Jr.	4th
2.	Fergus Fauchoux	3rd
3.	Hirace Maurin	5th
4.	Aubert Zeringue	3rd
5.	Drauzin Waguespack, Jr.	3rd
6.	Adolphe Darenbourg	1st
7.	Alece Heltz	5th
8.	Raymond Hotard	4th
9.	Charles Bailey, Jr.	4th
10.	Norman L. Ory	1st
11.	Alton Lemoine	5th
12.	Henry E. Tassin	3rd
13.	Henry Webre	1st
14.	Rene Keller	2nd
15.	Aracade Zeringue	3rd
16.	Sidney Clement	6th
17.	Sidney Tassin	5th
18.	Edgard Haydel	4th
19.	George Borne	6th
20.	Louis Tassin	6th
21.	Omer Ory	6th</