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Official Proceedings of the POLICE JURY

Parish of St. John the Baptist, Edgard, La., December 1, 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, Songy, Montegut, and Duke. Absent, Mr. Bourgeois.

The minutes of the meeting held in November were read and on motion of Mr. Barre, seconded by Mr. Duhe and carried, said minutes were approved as read.

The budget for the year 1922 as prepared by the Finance Committee and as published in the official journal was read, and on motion of Mr. Barre seconded by Mr. Duhe, said budget was finally adopted with the following: Years: Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut, and Duhe. Nays, None. Absent, Mr. Bourgeois.

The report of the Finance Committee showing a total of \$1,375.04, for salaries of officers and bills incurred during November was read and on motion of Mr. Reynaud, seconded by Mr. Montegut and carried, said report was ordered accepted, and the President, Mr. P. G. Songy was authorized to borrow from the Bank of St. John the sum of \$1,300.00 (Thirteen Hundred Dollars) to meet said indebtedness.

A communication from the Bank of Edgard requesting the privilege of handling the Parish accounts, was read and it was moved by Mr. Reynaud, seconded by Mr. Montegut and carried, that the Police Jury advertise for bids for fiscal agents, and the district attorney was authorized to draw up necessary form for publication in the parish official journal.

Due to the refusal of the Y. & M. V. R. R. to install proper warning signals at the Woodland and Belle Point crossings on the Jefferson Highway, it was moved by Mr. Montegut, and seconded by Mr. Duhe that the district attorney be and is hereby authorized to file necessary petition with the Public Service Commission to have said signals installed.

Vote on same resulted as follows: Years: Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut and Duhe. Nays none. Absent, Mr. Bourgeois.

The report of the parish treasurer showing the following balances in the different funds was then read and on motion duly seconded and carried, or doved accepted.

Cash balance in General Fund after adding loan made this date, and deducting checks issued this date, \$80.21. Cash Balance Special Road Fund \$7,567.22.

Cash balance in Assessor's Salary Fund, 10 Cents. Cash Balance, Sheriff's Salary Fund, \$2,086.25.

The Finance Committee reported favorably on the following bills which were ordered paid.

1245 Assessor's Salary Fund,	\$ 270.83
Loan	
1247 Ben Dufresne, Salary	50.00
Parish Treasurer	
1243 Henry Maurin, Salary	50.00
Secretary Police Jury	
1249 Louis Rodrigue, Road Man	90.00
District No. 2,	
1250 Cyrille Duhe, Road Man	75.00
District No. 1,	

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

P. G. SONGY, President.

HENRY MAURIN, Secretary.

QUINN'S ROAD SHOW IS GOOD

The Quinn's Moving Picture Road Show is stationed at Lucy since last week and shows daily to large crowds. The show starts at 7:30 P. M. sharp and all who attended claim that the show is first class in every respect. The admission price is only 22 Cents including war tax.

Big Dance At Lucy To-night.

MUSIC BY THE CELEBRATED CLAIBORNE WILLIAMS BAND

A Grand Dance will take place at the LUCY SCHOOL TO-NIGHT, and a record-breaking is expected to be present.

Music will be furnished by the famous CLAIBORNE WILLIAMS band of Donaldsonville, La.

Dancing starts at 8:30 P. M. sharp. The Lucy Ferry will operate. Don't miss it. It promises to be a Grand affair and a rare treat.

POLICE JURY SELECTS JULES G. HAYDEL AS REGISTRAR OF VOTERS.

The Police Jury of this Parish met at the Court House in special session on Tuesday for the purpose of naming a Registrar of voters. Mr. Jules G. Haydel, a prominent merchant of Lyons, La., and a native and life-long resident of St. John Parish was named to act as Registrar of Voters beginning January 1, 1922.

This new position falls on very able and deserving shoulders and we take this means to felicitate our good friend on his recent selection as Registrar of Voters.

The position was created by the last Constitution and carries a salary of \$800 a year.

Good luck to our new Registrar of Voters.

BORN:

HATTIE MAY BADEAUX

To Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Badeaux, of Lucy, La., on November 28th, a dainty little girl, Hattie May.

Our congratulations to the happy parents and many long years of good luck and happiness to the new heir of the "Badeaux" household.

RICE PLANTERS ATTENTION!

FOR SALE by Empire Rice Mill Co. Ltd., New Orleans, La., reliable seed rice.

PASS-A-LOUTRE

HUNTING GROUNDS

New Orleans.—The Pass-a-Loutre Public Hunting Grounds, opened Nov. 1, have already demonstrated the wisdom of the Louisiana Department of Conservation in dedicating this immense tract of marsh land to the recreation and pleasure of citizens of the State who are constrained of out-door life and the sport of the gun. Hunters returning after the first week were enthusiastic in respect of the accommodations furnished in the lodge provided for those hunters who do not wish to look out for themselves. The lodge is spacious and very good and has accommodations for twenty guests, the charge being a nominal one, to cover cost only. Reservations for quarters in this lodge must be made in advance, to prevent overcrowding, and to assure the comfort of those who have quarters there. The grounds are open to any one having a hunting license and stopping at the lodge is entirely optional, though all hunters who use the tract of 60,000 acres must register there before beginning the hunt.

PROGRESSIVE TRAPPING SEASON IS INDICATED

New Orleans.—The fur trapping season in Louisiana opened Nov. 1, and reports to the Department of Conservation indicate that the season will be a prosperous one. The value of the annual yield of furs in the State is about \$5,000,000, and there is no reason to believe the sum realized this year will fall below that figure. Raccoon and muskrat furnish the bulk of this sum, with mink a bad third. Coon, skunk and the other varieties of furs do not go far to swell the total.

One trapper in Tangipahoa Parish had success in the season. He was worth of prize—the killing of which did not cost him a penny. His only investment was the cage he already had on hand, and yet he took in \$1,100 a month, which he could not have realized in any other business, even though he had considerable capital invested in it. This was an exceptional case, to be sure, but there were other trappers who did as well or nearly as well.

How a Rat Nearly Destroyed Mrs. L. Bowen's (R. I.) House

For months we wouldn't go into the cellar, fearing a big rat. One night it got our whole kitchen on fire by chewing matches. The next day, we got the ugly thing with Rat-Snap—just one cake. Rats dry up and leave no smell. Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by ST. CHARLES PHARMACY KILLONA, LA.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE School Board

Parish of St. John the Baptist Edgard, La., December 1, 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. Alexandre, Bourgeois, Tassin and Gendron. Absent, Mr. Millet.

Miss Urdien Mre appeared before the Board with the complaint that she should be reimbursed the salary lost during the time that she was suspended by the Superintendent. After getting the advice of the District Attorney, the Board unanimously agreed that Miss Mre had accepted the loss of a month's salary as a final compromise and in preference to being discharged as a teacher, and that therefore she was not entitled to the said month's salary.

Mrs. Andre Perilloux appeared before the Board with a quantity of gossip about the schools all of which was proven to be incorrect and unfounded. The Board advised Mrs. Perilloux not to come before the Board with gossip of that sort as the Board had serious business to transact.

It was moved by Mr. Alexandre, seconded by Mr. Gendron and carried, that the 8th of December be declared a holiday in this Parish.

The Superintendent inquired as to the Xmas Holidays. It was moved by Mr. Bourgeois, seconded by Mr. Gendron, and carried, that the Xmas Holidays begin Saturday, December 24th, and end Sunday January 1st.

The Superintendent explained that it was customary to open the negro schools on the first Monday in January. It was moved by Mr. Alexandre, seconded by Mr. Gendron, and carried, that the colored schools be opened on Monday, January 2, and that the Superintendent consult with the Board Members as to the appointment of the teachers.

The Superintendent read a letter from the Bank of Edgard asking for bids upon the Fiscal Agency of the Board. It was moved by Mr. Gendron, seconded by Mr. Bourgeois, and carried, that bids be received at the next meeting of the Board for the Fiscal Agency of the Board, and that a notice to that effect be published in the newspapers.

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

Chas. Reine, books	\$ 10.14
J. O. Montegut, freight and furnishing	11.36
Chas. Broussard, books and furnishing	18.46
Miss Noelle Hart, books	22.40
L. F. Laurent, office expenses and express	12.18
Olivier Wehre, crossings	1.55
E. J. Carre, furnishing	22.51
Lutcher & Moore Co., lumber	21.34
Godchaux Eugars Inc., furg.	9.85
Reserve Tractor Garage, repairs	13.50
C. Maurin & Son, furnishing	31.46
Lyon Lumber Co., lumber	18.87
Chas. Allmont & Bros., furg.	10.00
D. P. Jennings, repair	80.00
Sony Plasting Co., furg.	24.55
Angela Planting and Mfg. Co., furnishing	2.60
F. P. Hansell, furnishing	44.88
George Bourgeois, furnishing	12.98

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

E. O. ABADIE, President.

L. F. LAURENT, Secretary.

W.S.S.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that "sealed bids" will be received by the undersigned for the deposit of the School Board of the Parish of St. John the Baptist in accordance with the provisions of fiscal agencies, Act 205, 1912 as amended.

All bidders must agree to comply with the provisions of said fiscal agency, acts and bids will be open in public meeting at 12 o'clock noon on Thursday, January 12th, 1922, at the Court House, Edgard, La.

The School Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

SCHOOL BOARD, Parish of St. John the Baptist.

E. O. ABADIE, President.
L. F. LAURENT, Secretary.

Subscribe to the Meschacebe and get the local News. Only \$2.00 a Year.

As Angels Give.
If instead of a gem or even a fower we could cast the gift of a lovely thought into the heart of a friend, that would be giving as the angels give.—George MacDonald.

Content to Do Little.
Let us be content to do little, if God sets us at little tasks. It is but pride and self-will which says: "Give me something huge to fight, and I should enjoy that; but why make me sweep the dust?"—Charles Kingsley.

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Official Proceedings SPECIAL MEETING —Of The— POLICE JURY

Parish of St. John the Baptist, Edgard, La., December 1st, 1921.

Pursuant to call by the President, the Police Jury met this day in special session for the purpose of electing a Parish Registrar of Voters in accordance with the last Constitution creating said office. Hon. P. G. Songy, president called the meeting to order with the following members answering roll call: Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Montegut, Jacques Duhe and Pricc Bourgeois. Absent, Mr. C. F. Montegut.

A communication from the Governor calling the Police Jury's attention to the necessity of making this appointment before December 15th, was read, and the secretary reported the receipt of one application for said position, said application, being that of Mr. Jules G. Haydel. It was moved by Mr. Bourgeois and seconded by Mr. Reynaud, that Mr. Jules Haydel be appointed Registrar of voters for this Parish of St. John the Baptist.

There being no other applicants and no other nomination, a vote on Mr. Bourgeois' motion was taken with the following result: For Mr. Jules Haydel: Years: Messrs. Reynaud, Barre, Songy, Duhe and Bourgeois. Nays, None. Absent, Mr. C. F. Montegut.

There being no further business on motion of Mr. Reynaud, seconded by Mr. Barre, and carried the meeting adjourned.

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HENRY MAURIN, Secretary.

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POLICE JURY, Parish of St. John the Baptist.

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HENRY MAURIN, Secretary.

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"It's the Cheapest Thing I Ever Bought," Writes Mrs. J. Mason, Va.
"I paid \$1.25 for five cakes of Rat-Snap and judging by the large number of dead rats we've picked up, I reckon we've saved hundreds of dollars in chickens, eggs and food. Your pets won't touch it. Rats dry up and leave no smell. 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by ST. CHARLES PHARMACY KILLONA, LA.