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## STATE TAX SALES

Of Immovable Property  
The State of Louisiana vs. Delinquent Tax Debtors.

Parish of Vermilion vs. Delinquent Tax Debtors.

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 of said parish, within the legal hours for judicial sales, beginning at 11 o'clock a. m., on **SATURDAY, JUNE 11, 1892**, 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 Vermilion, to enforce the collection of taxes assessed in the year 1891 together with interest thereon from the thirty-first day of December, 1891, at the rate of two per cent. per month until paid, and all costs.

The names of said delinquent tax payers, the amount of taxes due by each on the assessment of said year, and the immovable property assessed to each, to be offered for sale as follows, to wit:

### First Ward.

Broussard, Nicholas 70 acres bd N by Mrs A. C. Broussard, S by M Dore, W by N. A. Broussard and improvements \$32 68.

Comeaux, Augustin C. Jr. 24 acres, bd N by A. C. Comeaux sr., E by Frank Dixon, S by A. Comeaux, W by bayou Tigre and improvements, \$4 22.  
Leblanc, Elou jr. 100 acres, bd N by Mrs. B. Mouton, S by U Comeaux, E by E Leblanc, sr. W by Ant Broussard, and imp, \$14 20.

Primeaux, Severin 20 acres, bd N by F Primeaux, S by Theogene Richard, \$1 16.

Segura, Odra 150 acres, bd N by P Gary, S by D Leblanc, E by Lake Peigneur, W by L Renard and imp 38 acres frcl sec 30, T 12, SR 5 East, \$18 74.

Savoie, Alcide 40 acres, S part of E<sub>2</sub> of NE<sub>4</sub>, sec 17, T 11, SR 2 E \$4 20.

Wiltz, Anatole 41 acres, in SE<sub>4</sub> & SW<sub>4</sub>, sec 24, T 12, SR 4 E, bd East by Nic Champagne, and imp \$6 42.

### Second Ward.

Bouquet, Emma wife of P Dubois, 39 acres in NE corner of SW qr sec 34, T 13, SR 4 E \$1 87.

Brasseux, Benjamin Mrs. 26 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres, bd N by Cade Bros. S by Lee heirs and imp—160 acres bd N by J N Williams S by Est of Adrien Brasseux—26 $\frac{1}{2}$  acres, bd N by Gds Brasseux, S by Est of Adrien Brasseux, \$17 65.

David, Victor 81 acres, bd N by Ernest Hebert, S by N Landry, E by J B Dronet and imp \$6 57.

Harrington, Francis 40 acres, SW qr of SE qr, sec 23, T 13, SR 4 E and imp \$6 25.

Mouton, Jos C 96 60-100 acres, bd N by T J J Flemming, S by Wm Cade, W by bayou Vermilion and imp \$14 35.

Trahan, Dolze 40 acres, NW qr of SE qr, sec 20, T 13 SR 4 E and imp \$8 41.

### Third Ward.

Anderson, Chas (c) 10 acres, bd N by Jas Joiner, S and E by B F White and imp \$3 96.

Harrington, Edmond 34 65-100 acres, NE qr of SW qr, sec 8, T 12, SR 3 E and imp \$4 55.

Jones, John (c) 10 acres, bd N by O. Bourque, S by L Plowden, E by Ciley Jones and imp \$5 99.

Lege, F D sr. 240 acres SW qr and N<sub>2</sub> of SE qr, sec 9, T 11, SR 2 E \$7 68.

Taxes for 1890 same property, 7 68  
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Leblanc, Severin jr. 84 acres, W portion of SW qr, sec 36, T 11, SR 4 E—47 62-100 acres lots 1 and 2 sec 33, T 11, SR 4 E and imp \$12 13.

Nunez, D and wife 40 acres, lot 2 or SW qr of NW qr sec 32, T 12, SR 3 E, taxes 1890 \$ 1 92

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Nunez, Rose f. w. c. 6 acres bd N by Hortense Nunez, S by F D Lege, E by O & Z Touchet, W by Elize Touchet, 70c.

Ransom, Thos L 80 acres, bd N and E by public road, S by J A Broussard, W by Putnam and imp 14 38.

Small, Jim B Small agent, 43 acres, frcl SE qr, sec 31, T 12, SR 4 E and imp, 4 37.

Wall, D W 29 acres, bd N by T Hoff-S by Ernest Bertrand, 1 39.

### Corporation of Abbeville.

Allen, Clara one lot 9x100 ft bd N by Louisa Johnson, E by St. Charles St, and imp 98c.

Broussard, Blanche Mrs. lot 17 and N<sub>2</sub> of lot 16, Megret's portion and imp 16 90.

Forstal, Anatole J. undivided half of lot 33, corner of Jefferson and Concord streets and imp 6 50.

Labauve, Gabriel (minor) lots 43 & 44 Nixon's addition 98c.

Morrel, W C one lot 90x100 ft bd N by Louisa Johnson, E by St. Charles St, 33c.

White, W D lots 2, 3 and 4 Boete's portion and imp 14 19.

### Fourth Ward.

Broussard, Elou 77 acres, bd N by Jno Duhon, E by Ozea Duhon, S by T Meaux, W by Adam Daigle and imp 7 24.

Chargois, Cesar (c) 80 acres in sec 11, T 11, SR 3 E, bd N by Mrs C Chargois, E by Broussard, W by Remy Broussard and S by Jules Guidry and imp, 6 63.

### Fifth Ward.

Broussard, N T heirs of 161 91-100 acres, NE qr, sec 23, T 11, SR 2 E, 7 73.

Foreman, Parker 156 acres, SE qr, sec 6, T 11 SR 3 East, and imp—2 acres in NE qr of SW qr, sec 6, S 11, SR 3 East, 13 05.

Harrington, Eulalie Mrs. wife of R Perry 40 acres, SW qr of NE qr sec 30, T eleven, SR 2 E, 1 92.

Miguez, Clet 80 acres, N<sub>2</sub> of S<sub>2</sub> of NE qr and S<sub>2</sub> of N<sub>2</sub> of NE qr sec 17, T eleven, SR 3 E, and imp 11 08.

Perry, John E (Mach) 43 60-100 acres W portion of SW qr of NE qr, W portion of NW qr of NE qr, sec 5, T 11, SR 3 E—40 60-100 acres, SW qr of NW qr, sec 5, T eleven, SR 3 E and imp—98 acres in S portion of SW qr, sec 2, T ten, SR 3 E 11 22.

Trahan, P Bte heirs Alex Simon, agent, 162 15-100 acres, SW qr, sec 23, T 11, SR one E—42 acres, bd N by school lands, S by Thibodeaux, E by widow Pierre Trahan, 9 78.

### Sixth Ward.

Bonillon, Jules 40 acres, bd M by Joe Boudreaux, S by D Romero, W by Jos Richard, E by F Gary and imp 5 80.

Bourque, Cesaire 80 49-100 N<sub>2</sub> of NW qr, sec 26, T 12, SR 2 E and imp 11 00.

Broussard, Julia Mrs Thos O Harrington, agent, 40 acres in sec 7, T 14, SR 2 E, bd N by P R Broussard, E by Felix Broussard, 1 28.

Faulk, Marie wid Onez Gaspard, 40 SW qr of NW, sec 12, T 14, SR one E—3 acres bd W by Onez Gaspard, S by J B Hebert, W by Joachim Leblanc, E by Coulee Kinney and imp 15 12.

Harrington, Robt 75 acres, bd W by A C Harrington, S by Jos Hoffpauir and imp, 12 84.

Mendier, Elphage 25 acres, bd N by J Revillon, S by Albert Montom, W by Ant Broussard—45 acres in SW qr sec 32, T 11, SR 3 W and imp 7 02.

Primeaux, J Aurelien 72 acres N<sub>2</sub> of SE qr, sec 9, T 11, SR 2 W—72 acres on Bayou Queue Tortue, bds unknown, \$11 75.

Place, Elizabeth C Mrs 161 95-100 acres S<sub>2</sub> of SW<sub>4</sub>, sec 25, and N<sub>2</sub> of SW<sub>4</sub>, sec 36, T 11, SR 2 E, 5 15.

Schexnailder, Ernest 40 acres, nw qr of sw qr, sec 31, T 12, SR 2 E and imp 4 52.

Trahan, Placide 50 acres, w<sub>2</sub> of nw<sub>4</sub>, sec 33, tp 11, sr 1 east and imp 3 51.

### Seventh Ward.

Carr, Romero 40 acres, bd N by Therzime Hebert, S by S Wise, E by L T Briggs, sr. and als and imp 4 20.

Hebert, Louis and Aurelien heirs of 48 90-100 acres, lots 1 and 2, sec 29, T 13, SR 3 E, 2 50.

Hebert, Evariste 50 acres, bd N by Mrs M Leblanc, S by Hebert, E by B. Becker and imp 5 00.

Mathews, Westley 50 acres, bd N by Alex Cade, S by Wm Cade, E by I. Mathews and imp 7 16.

Parish, Henry 80 acres, S<sub>2</sub> of SE<sub>4</sub>, sec 8, T 13, SR 3 E and imp 8 42.

Thibeaux, Telephone jr., 30 46-100 acres, undivided interest, bd N by Dave Castro, S by T Thibeaux, E by Mrs Putnam, W by D. Paul, 5 21.

### Non-Residents.

Broussard, Ambroise 20 acres in nw<sub>4</sub> of sec 19, tp 11, sr 2 east bd w by Hebrard Girouard. 96c.

Baldwin, E 30 acres, bd N by Lake Arthur, E by Alex Ross, S by public road, 2 80.

Cormier, Sylvain 172 acres, bd N by A J Porter and al E by school land 8 19.

Comeaux, Edmond 105 acres, bd by Mrs D Blanchet, east by A Reaux west by H Toups; 6 72.

David, Hilaire Mrs 6 acres, bd n by Mrs Treville David, south by Aur Duhon, sr. 48c.

Frost, S. R. Est of 322, w<sub>2</sub> of sec 21, tp 13, sr 3 east, 15 46.

Foreman, John P 40 acres, e<sub>2</sub> of w<sub>2</sub> of nw<sub>4</sub>, sec 6, tp 11, sr 3 east, 1 92.

Foreman, Valentine 40 acres, se qr of sw qr, sec 6, tp 11, sr 3 e—36 acres in ne qr of sw qr sec 6, tp 11 sr 3 e 3 33.

Foreman, Oneal 80 acres in n portion of sec 41, tp 10, sr 2 east, 3 84.

Frederick, Cleophas 15 acres, bd n by Mrs D Meaux, jr. s by Mrs Palambo, e by B Levy, w by public road 72c.

Gibson, Jas L & Chas P 5 acres in Revillon tract bought from W C Leonard, 40c.

Haggerty, J D 81 acres, n half of se qr, sec 31, tp 11, sr 2 e, 2 59.

Hicks, Mary & Bertha E 100 acres, undivided interest in Slater tract, 4 80.

Lapene & Fere, 40 46-100 ne qr of nw qr, sec 14, tp 13, sr 2 e 1 92

Taxes '90 on same property 1 92

Leblanc, Aristide 60 acres, n half of n

half and n half of s half of sw qr, sec 3, tp 13, sr 2 east, 3 55.

Manseaux, Sylvestre 13 acres, bd n by Thos Hoffpauir s & e by Ernest Bertrand, 62c.

Norris, Arnel agent for heirs of J V Guinary, 160 acres bd n by public road, e by D L Prejean, w by Oscar Landry, 7 68.

Pew, Jno & Son 40 acres, se qr of sw qr, sec 25, tp 12, sr 1 east, 1 28.

Sandos, Jean 124 acres in south portion of nw qr of se qr, sec 5, tp 11, sr 3 east, 58c.

Spell, Columbus 40 acres, se qr of se qr sec 1, tp 11, sr 2 east, 1 92.

Simon, Alex 195 acres, bd n by G Bernard, s by A. Landry, 7 78.

On said day of sale I will sell such portions of said property as each debtor will point out, and in case the debtor will not point 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 within one year from the date of sale, by paying the price given with twenty per cent. and costs and penalty added.

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### Country Roads.

The problem of how to procure good roads has engrossed the attention of the lawmaking powers ever since this country has been settled; and as the country gets older and the necessity for roads becomes greater the problem grows more and more complicated. Various expedients have been tried, more or less successful, principally less and today in most parts of the country the public roads are nightmares, dust in the dry weather, impassable bogs in wet.

The introduction of the bicycle has done much to improve the roads in the North and East, but the use of the machines is not so extensive in the South, and consequently the roads have not received the attention they have in the sections referred to above. But even if we have not the same use for the roads for purposes of pleasure, we need them as much, if not more, for business. We have not as many lines of railroad as there are in the more thickly settled localities, and consequently our products have to be hauled a longer distance to reach these public carriers. The sugar and cotton growers know what bad roads mean at the time they market their crops.

Lately there has been an effort in Louisiana in the direction of better roads. In many parts of the State they still cling to the old style of turning out the "hands" who are assigned to duty on a certain road and working (?) it by this means. If anybody ever saw a road properly worked by such means we never heard of him. Such a summons generally means a day's picnic and frolic, with, maybe, a few fights thrown in, and the road is no better off than it was before it was "worked." This style of taking care of the public highways is about on a par with keeping up the militia by means of the old-fashioned muster once a year of all the men of militia age in the county.

Some of the parishes in Louisiana are becoming dissatisfied with this time-honored method of not keeping the roads in repair and are trying new ones, among them the parish of St. Mary. That parish has recently, through its policy jury, come to the very sensible conclusion that road working, like all other species of public work, can best be done by contract. It has accordingly made a contract for the working of the public roads of that parish and keeping them in good order for a term of years for a certain sum. This seems to us to be the best way in which to attend to the highways properly, and we venture the prediction that soon St. Mary parish will have the best roads in the State. We think her example could well be followed by other parishes and the roads all over the State put in a proper condition.—New Delta.

Mr. Bailey, an Angora goat raiser of California, has been in Washington trying to stir up the departments to do something towards obtaining from the Turkish Government permission to export from its territories a few hundred Angora goats for breeding purposes. Mr. Bailey owns 10,000 Angora goats, 1000 of them pure-blooded, all of which have been bred from an original importation of four, but he says there is great need of some fresh blood in the stock. It appears, from the statistics gathered in view of the effort to set up a government goat farm, that the Angora goat industry now exists in thirty States and all the territories. Six hundred thousand pounds of hair a year are raised here, supplying five plushes for the Pullman Car Company and other large consumers; yet the industry is still in its infancy, and we import ten pounds of mohair for every pound we produce. The suitability of this important industry to our coast climate is not yet widely enough recognized.

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