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Columbia, La., Feb. 3, 1911.

False Alarm of Fire Creates Panic at Woodmen Meeting.

Magnolia Camp No. 66, Woodmen of the World, publicly installed officers Saturday night in the presence of an audience of 200. The ladies present organized a Woodmen Circle, signing the charter. During the progress of this movement an alarm of fire was given, and at the same moment a reflection of light was seen on the windows of the hall. There was a mad rush for the stairways, but some thoughtful men threw themselves in front of the panic-stricken women and children and held them in check for a moment or two. In the meantime it had been ascertained that some person on the outside had given a false alarm. Order was soon restored and the business of organizing was completed, after which the entire company was invited to the banquet hall, where a feast was spread. The consul commander gave a talk on the object and purposes of Woodcraft. The officers installed are: C. P. Thornhill, consul commander; S. P. Walker, adviser lieutenant; H. H. Rogillio, banker; R. N. T. Lovett, clerk; W. A. Meredith, escort; J. E. Daniels, sentry; T. H. Martin, watchman; B. E. Erskins, manager. H. H. Rogillio, the banker, is serving his fourth term, and C. P. Thornhill, the consul commander, is serving his third. The camp elected C. P. Thornhill delegate to the head camp, which meets at New Iberia in March, and George T. Martin alternate.

The following is a list of the officers and members of Woodmen Circle: Mrs. T. J. Waggoner, guardian; Mrs. H. H. Rogillio, advisor; Mrs. S. P. Walker, clerk; Mrs. W. E. Godfrey, banker; Mrs. J. E. McClanahan, attendant; Mrs. J. R. Roy, chaplain; Miss Mattie Martin, inner sentinel; Mrs. M. Jarrell, outer sentinel; Mrs. May Bridger, Miss Ollie Fisher and Mr. S. P. Walker, managers; I. B. May, physician. Mesdames H. H. Rogillio, S. P. Walker, T. J. Waggoner, C. P. Thornhill, J. E. McClanahan, D. C. Fisher, J. B. Fluit, W. E. Godfrey, J. R. Roy, B. E. Erskins, C. P. Carroll, P. R. Bridger, M. E. Yarborough, A. L. Fisher, A. B. Swift, M. Jarrell, Misses Mattie Martin, Estelle Martin, Ollie Fisher, Messrs. J. E. McClanahan, J. B. Fluit, B. E. Erskins, W. E. Banister, E. W. Martin, G. W. Martin, J. H. Martin and S. P. Walker.

Life Saved at Death's Door.

"I never felt so near my grave," writes W. R. Patterson, of Wellington, Tex., as when a frightful cough and lung trouble pulled me down to 100 pounds, in spite of doctor's treatment for two years. My father, mother and two sisters died of consumption, and that I am alive today is due solely to Dr. King's New Discovery, which completely cured me. Now I weigh 187 pounds and have been well and strong for years." Quick, safe, sure, its the best remedy on earth for coughs, colds, lagrippe, asthma, croup, and all throat and lung troubles. 50c and \$1. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.

Police Jury Proceedings.

(Continued from last week.)

ORDINANCE NO. —

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Caldwell, Louisiana, in regular session convened, that the three steel bridges constructed by the Missouri Valley Bridge and Iron Co. of Leavenworth, Kansas, across Bayou LaFourche, Bayou Crew, and Black Bayou, be and the same are hereby received from the said Bridge Company.

Be it further ordained that the President of the Police Jury and the Clerk of the Police Jury are hereby authorized and empowered to draw on the Parish Treasurer for \$1127.66, being the cash payment to be made on completion of the bridges, and to issue the said company two certificates of indebtedness, as follows: One for \$1262.97, due and payable January 1st 1912, and one for the sum of \$1195.31 due and payable January 1st, 1913, in accordance with the terms of the contract between the Parish of Caldwell and said Bridge Company, of date May 2, 1910.

Be it further ordained that this ordi-

nance take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted this January, 16th, 1911.  
H. H. ROGILLIO, Pres.  
R. R. REDDITT, Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. —

Fixing the license tax in the Parish of Caldwell for the year 1911.

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of Parish of Caldwell in regular session convened that the license now fixed by the State of Louisiana on each and every kind of business shall be the license tax of the Parish of Caldwell for the year 1911.

Be it further ordained that this ordinance take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted this Jan. 16, 1911.  
H. H. ROGILLIO, Pres.  
R. R. REDDITT, Clerk.

ORDINANCE NO. —

An ordinance fixing the budget of probable expenses for the Parish of Caldwell for the year 1911

Be it ordained by the Police of the Parish of Caldwell in regular session convened, that the following is hereby fixed as a budget of probable expenses to be borne by the parish of Caldwell for the year 1911 to-wit:

Sheriff's salary	8 500 00
Sheriff expenses, and janitor	500 00
Court, witnesses and jury expenses	1500 00
Parish Treasurers salary	250 00
Clerk Police Jury	500 00
Incidental expenses	500 00
Paupers	500 00
Justice of the piece and constable	300 00
Assessors' salary	500 00
Public improvements	2500 00
Public printing	250 00
Steel bridges	5000 00
Total	\$13,000.00

Be it further ordained that this ordinance take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted this January 16, 1911.  
H. H. ROGILLIO, Pres. P. J.  
R. R. REDDITT, Clk. P. J.

ORDINANCE NO. —

An ordinance levying an ad valorem tax of ten mills on all taxable property in the parish of Caldwell for the year 1911.

Be it ordained by the police jury of the parish of Caldwell in regular session convened, that an ad valorem tax of ten mills on the dollar be and the same is hereby levied on the assessed valuation of taxable property situated in the parish of Caldwell, Louisiana, to pay the current expenses of the parish of Caldwell for the year 1911.

Be it further ordained that said ten mills is hereby apportioned as follows: General Fund; Ouachita Steel Bridge Fund; School Fund.

Be it further ordained, that this ordinance take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted this Jan. 16th, 1911.  
H. H. ROGILLIO, Pres.  
R. R. REDDITT, Clerk P. J.

ORDINANCE NO. —

An ordinance appointing road overseers throughout the parish of Caldwell, State of Louisiana, for the year 1911.

Be it ordained by the police jury of the parish of Caldwell in regular session convened, that the following overseers are hereby appointed for the respective road districts for the year 1911.

Columbia and Monroe road, east bank; first division—G. Warren Martin; second division, Will A. Davis; third division, E. T. Mix.

New Cut Off Road—F. H. Rossiter.

Columbia and Harrisonburg Road, east bank, first division—J. A. Sanders; second division, C. C. James; third division S. H. Thompson; fourth division C. M. Harelson.

Winnboro Road—D. D. Pool.

Mouth of La Fourche Road.—C. A. Hebert.

Cane Hill Road.—Bowen Beitzel, J. C.

Columbia and Girod Road, 1st. division—James Reed; 2nd division—3rd division Oliver N. Howard; 4th division E. W. Pool; 5th division F. I. Girod.

Grayson Road 1st Division. H. H. Roark; 2nd division, J. M. Crockett; 3rd division T. M. Fitzgerald.

Kentucky road, first division—M. E. Yarborough; 2nd division, J. D. Nethery; 3rd division, Ira Cruise; 4th division, A. L. Grevett.

Columbia and Harrisonburg road, west bank—1st div, W. O. Humphries; 2nd div, E. E. Volentine; 3rd div, Thompson Lively; 4th div, J. A. Hudson.

Columbia and Alexandria road—1st div, I. D. Meredith; 2nd div, Wiley Wade; 3rd div, James Gandy.

Columbia and Vernon road—1st div, Joe Whittington; 2nd div, B. L. Fisher; 3rd div, Brumby Coates; 4th div, B. V. Jarrell; 5th div, A. M. Cook.

Bucksbin road—1st div, S. H. Butler; 2nd div, W. P. Fussell.

Marengo road—A. B. Puckett.

Venison road—1st div, L. R. Meredith; 2nd div, H. M. Walker.

Three Notch road—E. Joiner.

Kelly road—1st div, Bryan Roland; 2nd div, W. S. Humphries; 3rd div, S. G. Gore.

Copengang road—1st div, D. C. Humphries; 2nd div, Rush Vincent; 3rd div, Ernest Cruise.

Holum road—J. W. Horn.

Kelly and Newport road—W. E. Newell.

Shirly road—1st div, D. G. Mayes; 2nd div, Joseph Whitten; 3rd div, E. U. Kelley.

Newport and Cotton Plant road—R. A. Rogers.

Smithland road—1st div, Robt Gore; 2nd div, N. C. Noble.

Four Notch road—1st div, J. L. Clewman; 2nd div, B. F. McHenry; 3rd div, J. M. Sherrod.

Wall road—1st div, J. L. Estess; 2nd div, Dan L. Fisher; 3rd div, David Fluit.

Jackson road—D. M. May.

May road—R. I. May.

Columbia and Ouachita road—1st div, Rufus Price; 2nd div, N. A. Ray; 3rd div, H. W. Furlow.

Vixen and Monroe road—B. B. Banister.

Lively road—Cane Lively.  
Montgomery Point road—G. L. Shipp.  
Vixen and Pine Bluff road—S. M. Taylor.

Hawkins road—Ira McDaniel.  
Marsh's Landing road—A. L. Winn.  
Bailey road—Tom C. Hamilton.

Be it further ordained, etc., That this ordinance take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted this January 16, 1911.  
H. H. ROGILLIO, Pres.  
R. R. REDDITT, Clerk.

A certified copy of a resolution adopted by the Parish School Board at its meeting Dec. 31, 1910, was presented and read, and no action taken.

On motion carried, the following road hands were assigned for road duty for the year 1911, and until further notice:

Reub Braddock to work the Three Notch road; W. Benton Cook to work the first division Columbia and Alexandria road; Sam Cole to work fourth division Columbia and Vernon road; Luther Dunn to work the Kelly and Newport road; J. Henry Stamper to work the first division of Bucksbin road.

On motion carried, ordinance No. —, fixing the per diem and mileage of witnesses in attendance at court, was unanimously adopted.

ORDINANCE NO. —

Fixing the per diem and mileage of witnesses in attendance at court and repealing all laws in conflict therewith.

Be it ordained by the police jury of the parish of Caldwell, in regular session convened, that the compensation of all witnesses in attendance at court in the parish of Caldwell, shall be as follows: One dollar for each day in attendance, and three cents per mile each way in traveling to and from court.

Be it further ordained, that all laws in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed, and that this ordinance take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted this January 16, 1911.  
H. H. ROGILLIO, Pres.  
R. R. REDDITT, Clerk.

The committee on finance made their report, which, on motion carried, was adopted.

The committee on claims made their report, which on motion carried, was adopted.

On motion carried, the sum of Two Thousand Six Hundred and Forty-two and 78-100 Dollars (\$2642.78) is hereby appropriated out of the funds now in the parish treasury to the credit of the general fund and the steel bridge fund.

On motion carried, the following resolution granting a quit claim and release of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 of square No. 9, as shown by map in the office of the clerk and recorder for the parish of Caldwell, Louisiana, was adopted, as follows:

Resolution.  
State of Louisiana,  
Parish of Caldwell.

Be it resolved by the Police Jury of the Parish of Caldwell, in regular session convened, that there appears to be of record in the Clerk and Recorder's office in and for the Parish of Caldwell, an act of donation from Richard King, Henry M. Hyams, et als., donating to the Parish of Caldwell a certain square of ground designated as the Court House Square, now laid off, as shown by map attached to and made a part of said act of donation, but the map referred to is not attached to the act of donation, nor can it be found. That it would appear from said act of donation that the entire square of ground as now laid off was included in said act of donation, when in reality, certain portions, to-wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 of said square, which is now designated as square No. 9, had been previously sold and transferred by the donor, which acts of sale and transfer are not all of record in the Parish of Caldwell, said sales and transfers having been made by said donors previous to the creation of the Parish of Caldwell, were recorded at that time in the Parish of Catahoula, La., which then embraced what is now the Parish of Caldwell. That J. D. Yarborough and W. H. Waggoner are now the owners of the aforesaid lots, and have applied to the Police Jury in view of the above named conditions to quiet them in their titles to said property, and the Police Jury, having sufficient evidence thereof, therefore

Be it further resolved, That in consideration of the premises herein above set forth, the Parish of Caldwell, herein represented by the Police Jury in regular session convened, does hereby release, remise, and for-

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ever relinquish and quit-claim unto the said J. D. Yarborough and W. H. Waggoner, and their vendors as their interest appears, the aforesaid lots, to-wit: 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 of square No. 9, in the town of Columbia, La., as shown by a map in the office of the Clerk and Recorder of Caldwell Parish, Louisiana.

Be it further resolved, That this resolution take effect from and after its adoption.

Adopted this Jan. 16, 1911.  
H. H. Rogillio, Pres.  
R. R. Redditt, Clerk.

The Board of Supervisors of Election in and for the Parish of Caldwell, submitted their report on the recent special road tax election which was on motion, ordered spread on the minutes and published.

State of Louisiana,  
Parish of Caldwell.

Be it remembered, That we, the undersigned members of the board of supervisors of election of the parish of Caldwell, did this day repair to the court house of said parish for the purpose of compiling the returns sent by the commissioners of election at the several polling places in the said parish, of an election held therein on the 8th day of November, 1910, for the purpose of taking the sense of the qualified voters on the proposition of voting a special three (3) mills tax for two years and two mills for three years road tax, agreeably to the ordinances of the police jury ordering said election and in pursuance to the proclamation of the board of supervisors of election, and then and there having arrived, we proceeded in the presence of S. P. Walker and R. N. T. Lovett witnesses, to compile said returns, and having ascertained from said compilation that the votes cast in the several polling places in this parish at said election, for the said road tax, and against the said road tax, are as follows, to-wit:

For Special Road Tax, 118 votes. Amount of property \$142,235.00.

Against the Special Road Tax, 145 votes. Amount of property \$112,290.00.

Majority of votes against the special road tax 27. Majority of property for the special road tax \$29,945.00.

And having made public proc-

lamation of the above results, we have closed this process verbal of compilation of votes, which is made in the triplicate, as required by law. This 11th day of Nov. 1910.

Signed in presence of S. P. Walker and R. N. T. Lovett.  
E. J. Langham,  
R. R. Redditt,  
T. J. Waggoner,  
Board of Supervisors of Election Parish of Caldwell, La.

On motion carried, the Police Jury adjourned until its next regular meeting, the first Monday in March, 1911.

H. H. Rogillio, Pres.  
R. R. Redditt, Clerk.

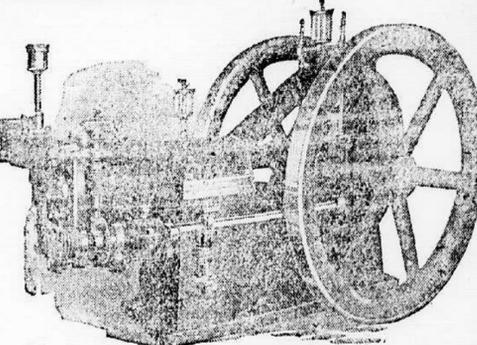
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Notice for Publication.  
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at New Orleans, La., January 7, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that Frederick Roloff, of Columbia, La., who, on January 3, 1906, made Homestead Entry No. 27167, Serial No. 01690, for n.w. 1/4 and lots 1 and 2 of section 13, and n.e. 1/4 section 14, township 18 north, range 3 east, Louisiana Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of Court, at Columbia, La. on the 20 day of February, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: Sam Gore, Robert Gore, Thomas Spillers, Alfred W. Wagner, of Columbia, La. Jan 13 Walter L. Cohen, Register

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