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## Police Jury Proceedings.

OPELOUSAS, Jan. 17, 1898.

The Police Jury met pursuant to adjournment.  
Present: E. H. McGee, president; Messrs. Fontenot, Durio, Guidry, E. T. Lafleur, Quebedeau.

No quorum being present, the police jury adjourned until 2:30 o'clock p. m. EVENING SESSION.

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Present: E. H. McGee, president; Messrs. Fontenot, Durio, Chachere, Guidry, E. T. Lafleur, Quebedeau, Manuel, Saizan, Haas.

On motion of Mr. Guidry—Resolved, that the petition from citizens of Grand Coteau and Sunset, praying for a change of public road leading from Jas. Burleigh, Jr., to Jas. Burleigh, Sr., be tabled until next regular meeting.

Mr. Chachere in the chair.  
On motion of Mr. McGee—Resolved, that the sheriff of St. Landry parish be and is hereby authorized to refund to Oliver Derbanne the sum of four dollars and ten cents (\$4.10) for taxes erroneously paid on property that he does not own, for the year 1897.

Mr. McGee in the chair.  
On motion of Mr. Manuel—Resolved, that the petition from Edward Dejean, a resident of Mamou, praying for a change of public road leading from Fruge Bridge to Point-à-Tigre, be tabled until next regular meeting.

On motion of Mr. E. T. Lafleur—Resolved, that Neville Guillory, Jr., be placed on the indigent list.

On motion of Dr. Saizan—Resolved, that the request as made by Capt. H. L. Garland, in his communication to this body, and placed on file, be granted, and that when the bridge mentioned in said communication be completed by him without any cost to the parish, to be accepted as a public bridge for the parish.

On motion of Dr. J. P. Saizan—Resolved, that the police jury adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

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On motion of Mr. Haas—Resolved, that Mr. O. H. Deshotel be added to the committee appointed for the purpose of ascertaining the probable cost of building an iron fence around the courthouse square.

On motion of Mr. Haas—Resolved, that two more members of the police jury be added to the committee previously appointed to settle with O. H. Deshotel, deputy tax collector, Chair appointed Messrs. E. T. Lafleur and Jas. O. Chachere.

On motion of Mr. Quebedeau—Resolved, that the petition of Mr. Alphonse Quebedeau praying for a change of road, be granted as prayed for in said petition, without cost to the parish, and that the road be received when completed by Messrs. A. A. Quebedeau and G. DeKerlegrand.

On motion of Dr. J. P. Saizan—Resolved, that Messrs. Jas. O. Chachere, J. J. Thompson and Sam Haas, be appointed as delegates to represent the parish of St. Landry at the meeting of the State Agricultural Society, to be held at Crowley, La., January 25, 27, 28, 1898.

On motion of Mr. Guidry—Resolved, that a committee of six, composed of Ovide Guidry, Felice Begnaud, Amade Richard, Alcide Guidry, Jeff Miller and August Royer, be appointed to lay out a public road commencing from public road on Bayou Carenco running west and intersecting public road.

On motion of Mr. Guidry—Resolved, that a certain road starting from Zephiria Logoy's southeast corner running north, thence west, thence north, intersecting the public road on north line of Honore Meche; and, Whereas, it being the desire of the citizens of Coulee Croche that the road be declared a public road,  
Be it resolved, that the above mentioned road be declared a public road.

Resolved further, that Burk Gardiner be appointed road overseer for said road.

On motion of Mr. Saizan—Resolved, that the following road overseers be appointed for the 1st ward:  
L. V. Meginsky, from Opelousas to King's Bridge.  
Adam Carriere, from King's Bridge to Poplar Grove bridge.  
Jos. Devillers, from Moriahivog's store to Wible's bridge.  
Alexandre Fontenot, from Paillet to Coulee Croche.  
Placide Robin, from Poplar Grove to Moullet's bridge.  
L. Perroux, from Valin's gin to Coulee bridge.

On motion of Mr. Guidry—Resolved, that Larley Sumner be placed on the indigent list.

On motion of Mr. E. T. Lafleur—The police jury adjourned until 2:30 o'clock p. m. EVENING SESSION.

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On motion of Mr. E. T. Lafleur—Resolved, that a committee of two be appointed to examine the statement of, and settle with the Washington State Bank, fiscal agent. Chair appointed Messrs. Clopton and Prescott.

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Present: E. H. McGee, President; Messrs. Fontenot, Guidry, E. T. Lafleur, Quebedeau, Haas, Clopton, Durio, Manuel.

On motion of Mr. Guidry—Resolved, that the report of committee appointed to examine books, etc., of ex-Sheriff Deshotel, be accepted and ordered spread upon the minutes.

On motion of Mr. Haas—Resolved, that the petition from the parish of St. Landry, praying for a change of public road leading from Fruge Bridge to Point-à-Tigre, be tabled until next regular meeting.

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On motion of Dr. J. P. Saizan—Resolved, that the police jury adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

January 20, 1898.  
The Police Jury met at nine o'clock a. m.

Present: E. H. McGee, President; Messrs. Fontenot, Guidry, E. T. Lafleur, Quebedeau, Haas, Clopton, Durio, Manuel.

On motion of Mr. Haas—Resolved, that the petition from the parish of St. Landry, praying for a change of public road leading from Fruge Bridge to Point-à-Tigre, be tabled until next regular meeting.

and ninety-six \$100 dollars, to cover salary as fiscal agent from December 6, 1897, to January 16, 1898, inclusive.

W. F. Clopton,  
Wm. M. Prescott,  
Committee.

On motion of Mr. Quebedeau—Resolved, that the above report be accepted, committee discharged and the sum of \$366.81 ordered credited to the Washington State Bank, fiscal agent.

On motion of Mr. Guidry—Be it resolved, that a committee of three be appointed for the purpose of contracting with the Washington State Bank, or any other bank, for the year 1898. Chair appointed Messrs. Chachere, Prescott and Dr. J. P. Saizan. Mr. E. B. Dubuisson, parish legal adviser, was added to the above committee by consent.

On motion of Mr. Manuel—Resolved, that the sheriff of St. Landry parish be authorized to correct the assessment of Severne Aguilard, as follows: Forty acres of land instead of eighty acres. Resolved further, that the tax-collector refund the sum of \$1.40, amount paid through erroneous assessment.

On motion of Dr. Clopton—Resolved, that the tax-collector be and is hereby authorized to correct the assessment of E. A. Wallace, so as to include 50 acres of land instead 100 acres.

On motion of Dr. J. P. Saizan—Whereas, by resolution adopted on December 7th, 1897, this body framed a budget of \$51,500.00 as an estimate exhibiting the various items of expenditures which the parish of St. Landry would require for the year 1898; and Whereas, said budget has been published in the St. Landry Clarion, the official newspaper of the parish, for the full period of thirty days, as the law directs; now therefore,

Be it ordained by the police jury of the parish of St. Landry, that a tax of ten mills on the dollar be levied on all the taxable property of the parish on which the State levies a tax, to meet said budget of expenditures.

On motion of Mr. Fontenot—Resolved, that the police jury adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

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On motion of Mr. Quebedeau—Resolved, that the petition of Mr. Alphonse Quebedeau praying for a change of road, be granted as prayed for in said petition, without cost to the parish, and that the road be received when completed by Messrs. A. A. Quebedeau and G. DeKerlegrand.

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On motion of Dr. J. P. Saizan—Resolved, that the police jury adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

January 21, 1898.  
The Police Jury met at nine o'clock a. m.

Present: E. H. McGee, President; Messrs. Fontenot, Guidry, E. T. Lafleur, Quebedeau, Haas, Clopton, Durio, Manuel.

On motion of Mr. Haas—Resolved, that the petition from the parish of St. Landry, praying for a change of public road leading from Fruge Bridge to Point-à-Tigre, be tabled until next regular meeting.

On motion of Mr. Manuel—Resolved, that the petition from Edward Dejean, a resident of Mamou, praying for a change of public road leading from Fruge Bridge to Point-à-Tigre, be tabled until next regular meeting.

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ward  
O. D. Fontenot, lumber, 5 ward 5 00  
Ozemo Fontenot, nails, 5 ward 13 00  
Napoleon Fruge, trees taken from his land to repair public road, 8 ward 3 55  
Mrs. D. P. Saizan, cash paid A. Nezat for building Yellow Jacket bridge, 2d ward 2 00  
Gibbens & Nicholson, lumber, 4th ward 8 60  
Theophile Sollean, lumber labor, 8 ward 5 37  
On motion of Dr. Clopton—The committee on claims resolved itself into police jury.

Mr. McGee in the chair.  
The committee on claims having arison reported through their chairman, Mr. Haas; that they had examined and found correct the bills as above detailed.

On motion of Dr. Clopton—The report of committee on claims was accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Prescott—Resolved, that the petition tabled from meeting of December 8, 1897, from citizens of the 12th Magistrate's ward, praying for a repeal of the hog law in said ward, be taken up from table, and the same be and is hereby granted as prayed for.

On motion of Mr. Prescott—Resolved, that the sum of \$800.00, or as much thereof as may be necessary, be appropriated out of the internal improvement funds of the 5th ward, 1898, to repair the long bridge across bayou Carroux at Washington, and that the contract be sold to the lowest bidder and work done under the supervision of the following committee: Leon Wolff, J. J. Carriere and Leon Dupre. The contracting party or parties to furnish bond for said work.

Mr. Manuel offered the following amendments to the road ordinances, which was unanimously adopted, as follows:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Landry, in regular session convened, That Section Sixteen (16) of road ordinances adopted March 2, 1897, be amended and re-ordained so as to read, as follows:

Section 16. Be it further ordained, etc., That road overseers shall not be allowed any compensation for the number of days the road hands are required to work, but they shall be allowed the sum of \$1.50 (one dollar and fifty cents) per day for each day's extra work, and no compensation shall be allowed for notifying the hands. That all road overseers shall receive the same per diem and mileage as witnesses for each and every day they are summoned before the police jury. It shall be the duty of each overseer to summon all male persons of the age of eighteen to fifty, except such as may be exempt from public service by the Legislature of this State, or by the police jury, to meet at such places and times as to them, the said overseers, shall seem convenient, with the necessary tools, for the repairing or making of the public road or roads under their charge; and whoever, without legal excuse, or physical disability certified to by some licensed physician practicing in this parish, shall upon such summons, refuse or neglect to attend, with the tools designated, and do their duty either in person or by sending in their place, and to be accepted by the overseer of the roads, an efficient hand not subject to be called to work on the public roads; shall pay a fine of five dollars and costs of court; said fine to be recovered by civil suit before any Magistrate having jurisdiction of the person offending in the name of the Police Jury and in the event that said fine and costs are not paid in full within twenty-four hours from the finality of the judgment imposing same, the person or persons offending shall be prosecuted by indictment or information in the name of the State, and upon trial and conviction of such neglect or failure to pay such fine and costs, the said person or persons offending shall pay a fine of not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars, or imprisoned not less than ten nor more than ninety days, or both at the discretion of the court; provided, that such prosecution before the District Court shall be no bar to the recovery of the judgment of the Magistrate's Court by writ of *re-fa*, which may proceed concurrently with such prosecution before the District Court.

Provided, That any person so summoned shall be excused from road duty, upon payment to the road overseer by whom he may be summoned, of the sum of \$1.00 (one dollar) for each day he may be so summoned, said sum to be payable within the 24 hours next after the summons may be served upon him, otherwise the penalty provided herein shall be enforced against him; said sum, when so paid over to the overseer, by him to be paid to the Parish Treasurer to be by him disposed of as provided by Section 24 of this ordinance. That any person who shall evade or seek to evade his duty, by giving to the overseer or his deputy when called upon to perform the same, a false age as his own, or who shall refuse to give his name, shall pay a fine of twenty-five dollars and costs, and in default of the payment of said fine and costs, be imprisoned in the parish jail not exceeding thirty days at the discretion of the court, said fine and penalties to be enforced by indictment or information in the name of the State. Provided further, That no person can be compelled to cross a navigable stream to work on a public road when there is a public road on his side of said stream, except by special act of the police jury. The above amendment shall take effect from and after its publication.

E. H. MCGEE, President.  
Attest: J. J. HEALEY, Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Durio—Resolved, That 500 copies of the amendment to the road ordinance be printed and same to be forwarded when printed to the members of the police jury in each ward.

On motion of Mr. Durio—Resolved, That the following committee be appointed to ascertain the probable cost of digging a ditch on road from Opelousas to Ville Platte near Mrs. Louis Fontenot and Edmond Sylvestre. Committee: Oseme Fontenot, Edmond Sylvestre, Alfred Deville, Louis Sylvestre and Benjamin M. Lafleur.

On motion of Mr. Durio—Resolved, That we accept Mr. E. M. Boagni's proposition to give a new road from Foster's corner to the Malveaux heirs; and that Mr. Boagni be required to move his fences at his own cost; provided, however, that the police jury appropriate \$150.00 to make a levee above high water on said road.

On motion of Mr. Chachere—Resolved, That an appropriation of \$150.00 be made out of the internal improvement funds of the 1st ward, to make a levee on proposed new road from Foster's corner to Malveaux heirs, and that said appropriation be placed in hands of Mr. D. Durio, to have said levee built.

On motion of Mr. Prescott—Resolved, That the report of committee appointed to ascertain the probable cost of building fences around the court house square, be received and accepted and committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Chachere—Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to examine the Hardesty road machine which will be on trial at Eunice, on the 29th, instant, and make report at next regular meeting. Committee: Messrs. J. E. Jeik, Olibe Manuel and E. H. McGee.

On motion of Mr. Haas—Resolved, That warrants be issued to the Parish Treasurer, covering contracts for next regular meeting, as follows: One against the Grand and Petit Jurors fund for \$2300.00, and one against the District Court Witness fund for \$1500.00.

On motion of Dr. Clopton—Resolved, That an appropriation of \$100.00, or as much thereof as may be necessary, be made out of the internal improvement funds of the 4th ward, 1898, to build a bridge across Waxia slough at Dunbar's place, and that G. T. Hawkins, W. S. Reynolds and Peter Reynolds be appointed to let out contract to the lowest bidder.

On motion of Mr. Chachere—Resolved, That a committee composed of Dr. J. P. Saizan and Messrs. D. Durio and J. J. Thompson, be appointed for the purpose of giving the blood hounds belonging to W. Barr, a thorough trial and report at next regular meeting.

Received of Joseph Fassler, the sum of \$23.25, net proceeds for sale of unbranded stock, 7th ward.

Received of L. O. Bourgeois, the sum of \$67.75, net proceeds for sale of unbranded stock, 8th ward.

Received of O. D. Fontenot, the sum of \$4, net proceeds for sale of unbranded stock, 5th ward.

Received of Achille Vidrine, the sum of \$4, net proceeds for sale of unbranded stock, 5th ward.

The above amounts received for sale of unbranded stock have all been turned over to the Parish Treasurer.

On motion of Mr. Quebedeau—Resolved, That the following road overseers be and are hereby appointed for the 3rd ward, as follows:

Ovide Baillens, from Pierre Mistrick's store to Thesmar Richard's—west bayou Teche.  
Alphonse Quebedeau, from Thesmar Richard's to the upper line of Arnauldville corporation line—west bayou Teche.  
Clebert Roy, from D J Higginbotham's to Gerasin Richard.  
John Anraud, from Robin's bridge to the upper line of corporation of Arnauldville—east bayou Teche.  
Andre H. Mallet, from Camy's bridge to Robin's bridge—east bayou Teche.  
Beverly Willingham, from Alexandre Moreau's to wayou Teche.  
Charles Brown, from N C Devillers to Coulee bridge.  
Matt Woodson, from bridge, east bayou Teche to Coulee bridge.  
Frank Quebedeau, from Camy's bridge to N C Devillers.  
Jean Baptiste Marks, from the corporation line of Arnauldville to the road leading to Grand Coteau through Prairie Laurent.  
Honore Miller, from Numa Hebert to bayou Teche.  
C V Dejean, from Port Barro to Chachere saw mill.  
Juste Arenaud, from N C Devillers to Port Barro.  
Arthur Darby, from Mark's bridge to Camy's bridge.  
Albert Boudreau, from Mark's bridge to Frozard bridge, thence from Frozard bridge to Arnauldville.  
Frank Courville, from Ernest Zorinque to bayou Teche.  
Rene Darby, from J D Quebedeau's store to Lastrapes place.  
Alexis Moreau, Jr., from Coulee Carriere to Antoine Lancois' land.  
Horace Meche, from the corporation of Arnauldville to the Big Woods.

On motion of Mr. Manuel—Resolved, That the following road overseers be appointed for the 8th ward, namely:

Olivier Guillory, from Eunice to Theophile Vidrine.  
Valmon Fusilier, from Theophile Vidrine to Point Dural.  
Orter Guillory, from Ed Dardeau to Sackett gully.  
Francis Johnson, from Eunice corporation, thence to Fruge's bridge.  
J B Vidrine, from Fruge's bridge to Point-à-Tigre.  
Zephiria Fruge, from Point-à-Tigre to Nezpique bridge.  
Damonville Savol, from northeast corner of T W Young, to main road, thence to Michel Legor.  
Thosé Rozas, from Coulee Tete-de-Vache to Johnny Fruge's bridge.  
Loranzo B Young, from F W Young's northeast corner to W M Rozas.  
Basil Rougeau, from F W Young to Johnny Fruge's bridge.  
Thelasma F Fontenot, from Theodore Rozas to W M Rozas.  
Lucius Young, from Coulee Tete-de-

Vache to T Johnson.  
Fremon Ardoin, from main road to B Lafleur.  
Adolphe Lavergne, from Dejean's bridge to John Boudreau.  
Eraste Prud'homme, from T Johnson to Mallet bridge.  
Louis Bihm, from Dejean's bridge to John Boudreau.  
Joseph Anselin, from Martin's pasture to Victor Jomelle.  
Wally Dejean, from Plaquemine Point bridge to Brooks' bridge.  
Theophile Sollean, from Plaquemine Point bridge to Dutch Richard's corner.  
Eugene Richard, Sr., from Lucius David's southwest corner to Blink Lastrape.  
Theophile F Richard, from Alex Bourque to parish line.  
L O Bourgeois, from Dejean's bridge to Mallet bridge, thence to John Boudreau.  
Theophile Sollean, from Sackett gully to Frage's bridge.  
M G Wilkins, from northeast corner of L H Guidry to Boudreau's bridge.  
T Bihm, from John Boudreau to parish line.  
R R Guidry, from southeast corner of Martin's pasture to Victor Jomelle.  
Louis Courville, Jr., from parish line to Eunice corporation.  
Josime Gohreaux, from Albert Dejean to Church Point and Opelousas roads.  
Babe Beaugh, from Alex Bourque to Jos C Bourque to parish line.

On motion of Mr. E. T. Lafleur—Resolved, That the following road overseers be appointed for the 7th ward, to-wit:

Jas Saucier, from Israel Guillory's bridge, intersecting Ville Platte public road near Jean Tait.  
André Jeansonne, from Ville Platte to Laiz's bayou.  
Nuna Morain, from Ville Platte public road to D H Quirk's bridge.  
Prosper Landrean, from D H Quirk's bridge to John Warner.  
Oscar Fontenot, from John Warner to Nezpique bridge, via Gustin Bellair.  
E M Miller, from John Warner to Nezpique bridge on Pine Prairie road.  
Alexandre Fontenot, from John Warner to Adole McCauley.  
Honore Fusilier, Jr., from Point Grand Louis to Theophile Vidrine.  
Lestie Grange, from Johnnie Fruge's bridge to Frosin Fontenot's point.  
Louis Andreaun, from Frosin Fontenot's point to William M Fontenot's bridge.  
Dasyras Fontenot, from Wm Fontenot's bridge to intersect Ville Platte road, near L J Dossmann.  
Denis LaJaque, from Point Grand Louis to Nezpique bridge, via Anse Johnson.  
Simon Fontenot, from Point Chataignier to Point Manuel.  
Private Lafleur, from ward line to school house.  
Christoval Smith, from Martin Pommiere's corner to Dr A Lafleur.  
Adre Fontenot, from Dr A Lafleur's bridge to Frotot's bridge.  
Adam B Fontenot, from Frotot bridge to Ville Platte corporation.  
Paul Pearson, from Ville Platte road to Martin Pommiere's corner.  
Florance Jeansonne, from Ville Platte road, Guillory bridge—Cane bayou.  
Edmond Sylvestre, from Wm Barker's lane to Dr Debaillon's bridge.  
Edgar Lafleur, from Fremont Fusilier's bridge to Petite Passe bridge.  
Pierre Anselin, from school house to Doraston Lafleur.  
Dimas Ardoin, from Doraston Lafleur to Gustave Foster's bridge.  
Martin Pommiere, from Gustave Foster's bridge to Martin Pommiere's corner.  
R J Dossmann, from Point Manuel to Ville Platte corporation.  
Romis Vidrine, from Ville Platte corporation to ward line at Point Lazar gully.  
Magnus Pitre, from Aristide Bouillard to ward line at the bridge.  
Resolved, That the following be appointed as road overseers for the 1st ward, namely:

B M Lafleur, from Chataignier road to Debaillon's bridge.  
Edgar Dupre, from Chataignier road to Garrigue's bridge.  
Terrebonne Dupre, from Garrigue's bridge to Washington road.  
Adolphe Hollier, from Washington road to Opelousas.  
D Durio, from Louis Christ to D Durio.  
Eraste Reer, from D Durio to Paul Young.  
Eimas Andrepoint, from Paul Young to Erdeman Lafleur.

On motion of Mr. Haas—The following road overseers were appointed for the 8th ward, namely:

Edward McDonaud, from