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Council Proceedings.

Opelousas, La., Nov. 3 1913.

To the Members of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Opelousas, La.

Gentlemen:
You are hereby notified that there will be a special meeting of your Honorable Body this Monday afternoon, November 3, 1913, at 5:00 o'clock, for the purpose of adopting a resolution ratifying the former proceedings of this Board relative to advertising for bids and awarding contract for paving with gravel, and authorizing the Mayor to enter into a contract with the successful bidder, H. T. Clark, of Alexandria, La., in accordance with his accepted bid and the plans and specifications of the City Engineer, and designating on what streets and between what points on each street said gravel paving shall be laid, how payment for said work shall be made, and fixing the time within which said contract shall be signed and bond furnished thereunder.
(Signed) E. L. LOEB, Mayor.

Attest:
(Signed) J. B. A. STAGG, City Clerk.

Received the above notice on the 3d day of November, 1913, and on the same day and date, at least three hours before the time set for the meeting, I served a copy thereof on each member of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Opelousas, La., in person in said city, as follows:

- On D. P. Blacksher at 11:40 o'clock, a. m.
- On Louis L. Danel at 11:35 o'clock, a. m.
- On C. P. Dunbar at 11:25 a. m.
- On Dr. J. A. Shaw at 11:55 o'clock, a. m.
- On Simon Stelly at 11:30 o'clock, a. m.

(Signed) C. L. HAYES, City Marshal.

Opelousas, La., Nov. 3, 1913.
The Board of Aldermen met in special session pursuant to the above call; present, E. L. Loeb, Mayor, presiding; Aldermen, Shaw, Blacksher, Danel, Stelly, and Dunbar.

All the members being present the meeting was called to order.

Resolution by Mr. Stelly—

Whereas, by resolution duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of this city held on the 7th day of October, 1913, the Mayor was authorized to advertise for bids for paving with gravel approximately 40,000 square yards of the streets of this city, as per plans and specifications on file in

the office of the city engineer, and

Whereas, in pursuance to said authority the Mayor did advertise for bids as the law directs, and

Whereas, at a called meeting of this Board held on October 21st, 1913, the bids received were duly opened and that of Mr. H. T. Clark, of Alexandria, La., was found to be the lowest, and on motion duly adopted, was accepted;

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Opelousas in special session convened:

First. That the action of the Mayor and this Board in ad-

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

DR. B. S. JOSEPH vs. CARLO NAPOLI
No. 1882, Civil Docket, Sixteenth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of a writ of seizure and sale issued out of the Honorable 16th Judicial District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, La., in the above entitled and numbered suit, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale, for cash, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House of St. Landry Parish, at Opelousas, La., on

Saturday, Dec. 13, 1913,

at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:
A certain tract, lot or parcel of ground situated in the town of Melville, St. Landry Parish, La., together with all the improvements thereon, bounded north by property of Thos. Gagnepain and J. E. Hill, south by property of Thos. Gagnepain and J. E. Hill, east by the Atchafalaya River, and west by Mrs. K. S. Howe and E. F. Stang, hill and J. E. Hill, and being a portion of the same property acquired of J. S. Church, as per act of sale before Jno. W. Lewis, J. P., this said tract, as recorded in Clerk's office, St. Landry Parish, La., Terms: Cash, to pay and satisfy the sum of \$600.00.

M. L. SWORDS, Sheriff.

Call for Bids.

In conformity with an ordinance adopted by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Opelousas, La., at a special meeting held Wednesday, October 22, 1913, the undersigned Mayor of said City will receive sealed bids for approximately 40,000 square yards of Creosoted Wood Block Pavement as per plans and specifications on file with the City Engineer, to be laid on the following streets in said City, to-wit:

- On Main Street from Landry Street to Little Street.
- On Landry Street from Main Street to Market Street.
- On Bellevue Street from Main Street to Market Street.
- On Court Street from Landry Street to Bellevue Street.

These bids will be received and the contract for said work let in conformity with the terms and provisions of Act 241 of the General Assembly of Louisiana of the year 1912.

Bids will be received up to twelve o'clock noon, on November 4th, 1913, and each bid must be accompanied with a certified check for \$1000 as an evidence of good faith.

The City of Opelousas reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

All bids received will be acted upon by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen on said date.

E. L. LOEB, Mayor.

NOTICE OF TABLEAU.

ESTATE OF AMYTHE DEVILLIERS AND DAMONVILLE DEVILLIERS.
No. 650, Probate Docket, 16th Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

Whereas, Clifford C. Devillers, Administrator of the above entitled estate, files a final tableau of classification of debts and distribution of funds, of said succession, accompanied by his petition praying for the homologation of same.

And whereas, notice of said petition has been granted by an order of court bearing date as above.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given to all parties interested to make opposition to said tableau to the same in writing, in my office, within the time required by law why the said tableau should not be homologated and confirmed.

HENRY LASTRAPES, J.P., Clerk of Court.

Taken Up.

Taken up on my place at Palmetto, one pair red cows, unbranded. Has been on my place since last winter.

The owner or owners are hereby notified to come forward, prove property, and take same away, or they will be sold according to the Police Jury ordinance in such cases.

S. W. McSPARDEN, Palmetto, La.

Notice.

I hereby notify the taxpayers of this city that I am ready to collect all taxes, and would wish that they would come as early as convenient and not let their taxes become delinquent.

C. L. HAYES, City Tax Collector.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

DENBO-NICHOLSON CO. LTD. vs. T. S. ISACKS AND L. S. ISACKS.
No. 1731, 16th Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued out of the 16th Judicial District Court of Louisiana in and for the Parish of St. Landry, in the above entitled and numbered suit, and to me directed, I have seized and will offer for sale, for cash, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House of St. Landry Parish, at Opelousas, La., on

Saturday, Nov. 22, 1913,

at 11 o'clock a. m. the following described property, to-wit:
One Meadows corn mill with Bolter for meal and grits, and saoker.

Terms: Cash, to pay and satisfy the sum of \$100.00 and Thirty-two and 2/100 dollars.

M. L. SWORDS, Sheriff of the Parish of St. Landry.

SUCCESSION SALE.

ESTATE OF MARIE IRMA DEVILLE.
No. 684, Probate Docket, 16th Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of an order of the Hon. B. H. Pavy, Judge of the 16th Judicial District Court, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, Louisiana, there will be sold, at public auction, on the last and highest bidder, by the undersigned administrator, or any duly licensed auctioneer, on the premises in Plaquemine, La., on

Saturday, Nov. 22, 1913,

at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:
1st. A certain plantation situated in Plaquemine, Parish of St. Landry, containing one hundred and fifty (150) arpents, more or less, bounded on the north by property of Emil Dupre, south by property of J. E. Schell, east by property belonging to Evariste Dupre, and west by property of J. E. Schell, or the Union Irrigation Co.

2nd. A certain tract of wood land, situated in the same locality, containing one hundred arpents, more or less, bounded north by Bayou Grand Louis, south by property of Emile Dupre, east by same and west by Bayou Grand Louis.

One bedstead and bedding, one armchair. Property herein first described to be subdivided and sold into lots of equal dimensions and the wood land to be sold into lots of equal dimensions, and will be duly shown on plot to be exhibited on day of sale.

Terms and conditions: Movable cash on day of sale; the immovables, 1/3 cash and balance represented by notes of purchaser drawn to his own order and by him endorsed to blank, payable in one year, one year after date, bearing per cent interest from day of adjudication until paid and 10 per cent attorney's fees in case of suit, special mortgage and vendor's lien and privilege to be retained on the property sold until full and final payment.

MICHEL DUPRE, Administrator.

SUCCESSION SALE.

ESTATE OF LOUIS A. DESHOTELS.
No. 657, Probate Docket, 16th Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of an order of the Hon. the 16th Judicial District Court of Louisiana, in and for the Parish of St. Landry, La., signed by B. H. Pavy, Judge of said Court, and bearing date Nov. 7, 1913, and in pursuance of a commission to me directed, bearing date Nov. 7, 1913, signed by Henry Lastrapes, Jr., Clerk of said Court, there will be sold at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, on the premises at Deshotels, La., in the Parish of St. Landry, on

Saturday, Nov. 22, 1913,

at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:
Contents of a store consisting of dry goods, groceries, hardware, glassware, notions, hats, etc., one iron safe, thirty-one head of horned cattle, undivided one-half interest in and to seven head of horned cattle, half interest in one head of mules, four head of horses, goats one weaver, one bagging machine, one mowing machine, stock-cutter, one disk, half interest in a hay rake, contents of blacksmith shop, agricultural implements consisting of lots of plows, harrows, spades, hoes, one armchair, seven bedsteads and bedding, sewing machine, chairs, one table, three clocks, lots of quilts and blankets, one double-barrel shot gun, one pistol, one planer, one mangle, one iron, one stove, kitchen utensils, lot of notes and accounts against diverse persons.

Terms: Cash.

J. E. PAVY, Auctioneer.

SUCCESSION SALE.

ESTATE OF LOUIS A. DESHOTELS.
No. 657, Probate Docket, District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

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Saturday, Dec. 13, 1913,

at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property to-wit:
1st. Thirty-five arpents of prairie land with all the buildings and improvements thereon consisting of a dwelling house, store, outhouses, cotton gin, and bounded north by Sam'l Haas, east by Mrs. Adeole Ardoin, south by public road leading from Sam'l Haas, and west by Washington and west by Sam'l Haas.

2d. A certain tract of land with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in Faubourg, St. Landry Parish, containing forty arpents more or less, bounded north by public road, south by Zelma Deshotels, Evariste Jambou, and Ozanne Fontenot, east by Francois Lafour and

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west by Zelma Deshotels, being same property acquired by deceased from O. H. Deshotels, Jan. 25, '02, as appears by act No. 4725, duly recorded in conveyance book B 44, page 881, of the Clerk's office of St. Landry Parish.

3d. A certain tract or parcel of land situated in Grand Prairie, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, containing sixty-one arpents more or less, bounded north by property belonging to Therese Fontenot, south by Cyrus Lafour and Dr. L. Lazzaro, west by J. Rene Fontenot and east by Phillip Joubert, being same property acquired by deceased from Achille West, Orleans Fontenot and Alcees Brigras, as appears by acts 4049, 4360, 4780 and 4260, duly recorded in the Clerk's office of St. Landry Parish.

4th. A certain tract of woodland situated on Bayou Cocodrie, containing fifteen arpents more or less, bounded north by Bayou Cocodrie, south, east and west by Sam'l Haas.

5th. The undivided one-half of one hundred and ten arpents more or less, with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in Faubourg, parish of Evangeline, La., bounded north by unknown or Titlewhite, south by Mrs. E. J. Conway, east by estate of Marcellin Julien and west by Mrs. E. J. Conway, being same property acquired by deceased from Francois Lafour, Dec. 9, '05, as appears by act No. 6427, duly recorded in conveyance book D 44, page 881, of the Clerk's office of St. Landry Parish.

6th. A certain tract of land with buildings and improvements thereon, containing twenty arpents situated in Tate's Cove parish of Evangeline, bounded north by Marcellin Julien, south by Mrs. E. J. Conway and north by Francois Lafour, east by Evariste Leduc and west by Mrs. E. J. Conway, acquired by deceased from estate of Valentin Fontenot, Feb. 2, '07, as appears by process verbal of sale duly recorded in conveyance book J 4, page 218 of the Clerk's office of St. Landry Parish.

7th. The undivided one-half of eighty arpents of land with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in Tate's Cove parish of Evangeline, bounded north by public road and Arthur Walker south by Mrs. Zelma Deshotels, east by Louis Walker and west by above property, Pierre McDaniel and being same property acquired by deceased from Pierre Deshotels, Arthur Walker and Cyrien Ardoin as appears by acts Nos. 6346 duly recorded in conveyance book B 44, page 907, act No. 6847 duly recorded in conveyance book B 44, page 868 and act No. 6349, duly recorded in conveyance book B 44, page 870 of the Clerk's office of St. Landry Parish.

8th. A certain tract of prairie land situated in Tate's Cove, containing fifteen arpents, bounded north by public road, south by above described property, east by Arthur Walker and west by above property, acquired by deceased from Cyrien Ardoin. Terms: Cash.

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Police Jury Proceedings.

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ained, etc. That all ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance, be and the same are hereby repealed, and this ordinance take effect from and after its promulgation.

J. T. ST. CYR, President pro tem.
J. J. HEALEY, Clerk.

Messrs. St. Cyr, Durio, Dimmick, Guillory, Dailey, Pavy, Fisette, Dunbar, Walters, Beall, McCaffery, Foster, Gournay, voting yes.

To the President and Members of the Police Jury, St. Landry Parish.

Your committee appointed to draft suitable ordinances providing for the funding into bonds, running for a period not exceeding ten years, the avails of the residue of the ten mill tax authorized by Article 232 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, after due provision will have been made for the payment of all Statutory and ordinary charges, beg to report:

That it has prepared no ordinance to submit to this Honorable Body for the reason that all companies, firms and persons who are in the market for the purchase of bonds, require ordinances adopted in conformity with certain forms approved by their attorneys, your committee respectfully suggest the adoption of the resolution hereto attached, believing that such a course will save much unnecessary wrangle and delay.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANK DIMMICK,
R. LEE GARLAND.

Messrs. St. Cyr, Durio, Dimmick, Guillory, Dailey, Pavy, Fisette, Dunbar, Walters, Beall, McCaffery, Foster, and Gournay voting yes. Motion carried.

Chair appointed Messrs. Dimmick, Gournay and Dr. Pavy.

Opelousas, La., Nov. 4, 1913.

To the Honorable President and Members of the Police Jury.

Gentlemen: We, your committee, appointed some months back to pass upon and examine the claim of H. C. Null from the Dominion of Canada, respectfully beg leave to report that, the amount approved at our March, 1913, meeting, is all that this committee feels should be paid.

F. O. PAVY, Chairman.

Motion by Mr. Dailey—

That the report of Chairman Pavy be received and accepted, committee discharged and the report ordered spread upon the minutes. Motion carried.

Motion by Dr. Foster—

That a committee of three, including the Road Supervisor, be appointed to inspect the Bayous Plaquemine and Mallet for their respective heads to parish line, and report at next regular meeting of this body as to what is necessary to be done in order to promote better drainage through these two bayous. Motion carried. Chair appointed Messrs. P. Foster and Ad. Guillory.

Dr. Pavy moved that the Police Jury go into executive session. Carried.

On motion the Police Jury resolved itself into regular session. On motion of Mr. Dimmick—

The reading of the minutes was dispensed with and stand approved. Motion carried.

On motion of Dr. Pavy—

The Police Jury adjourned until the first Monday in December, being the first day of said month.

W. F. CLOPTON, President
J. J. HEALEY, Clerk.

S. A. GOURNAY, F. OCTAVE PAVY, JOS. T. ST. CYR.

Mr. F. Dimmick offered the following resolution:

Providing for the appointment of a committee of three persons to negotiate the sale of the one hundred thousand dollar bond issue, the proceeds to be used for the building and maintenance of the public roads of this parish.

Authorizing said committee to negotiate with some brokerage firm for the sale of said bonds, on a commission basis of not more than five per centum.

Be it resolved by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Landry, in regular session convened: That a committee of three be appointed by the President of this Body, with authority to negotiate for the sale of the road bonds which this body contemplates issuing, under and by virtue of the power vested in it by law, and more especially by Act 132 of the Acts of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana for the year 1912.

Be it further resolved, etc., that said committee be and it is hereby vested with authority to negotiate and contract with some reputable brokerage firm for the sale of said bonds on a commission basis of not more than five per centum on the total amount of said entire bond issue.

Be it further resolved, etc., that said committee will report back to this body such negotiation and contract as it may enter into, to be ratified and confirmed by this body, and if confirmed and ratified, for the adoption of such ordinances or resolutions as may be necessary to legally provide for the issuance of said bond, and the payment and redemption of the same.

Messrs. St. Cyr, Durio, Dimmick, Guillory, Dailey, Pavy, Fisette, Dunbar, Walters, Beall, McCaffery, Foster, and Gournay voting yes. Motion carried.

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