

PARTITION SALE

AMELIA ST. ARMAND, Wife et als
versus
ERNESTINE ST. ARMOND, wife

No. 20,670, Sixteenth Judicial District
Court, St. Landry Parish, La.

By virtue of a judgment of the Honorable B. H. Pavy, Judge of the sixteenth judicial district court, holding session in and for the parish of St. Landry, and of date December 20, 1916, and in conformity with a commission issued to me by A. J. T. Little, deputy clerk of said court, of same date, I will proceed to sell at the last residence of the deceased, Marie A. Lambert, widow of Ernest Antoine St. Armand, situated between the city of Opelousas and the town of Washington, commencing at the hour 11 o'clock a. m., on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 1917,
the following described real estate and personal property, to-wit:

OPEN LAND

1. A certain lot or parcel of ground, containing 29.2 arpents, and being lot number one of a plan of survey made by Richard Hollier, parish surveyor, on December 1, 1915.
2. Lot number two of said plan of survey, containing 29.2 arpents.
3. Lot number three of said plan of survey, containing 29.2 arpents.
4. Lot number four of said plan of survey, containing 29.2 arpents.
5. Lot number five of said plan of survey, containing 29.2 arpents.
6. Lot number six of said plan of survey, containing 29.2 arpents.

WOODLAND

- Lot No. 7 of said plan of survey containing 3.22 arpents.
- Lot No. 8 of said plan of survey containing 3.22 arpents.
- Lot No. 9 of said plan of survey containing 3.22 arpents.
- Lot No. 10 of said plan of survey containing 3.22 arpents.
- Lot No. 11 of said plan of survey containing 3.22 arpents.
- Lot No. 12 of said plan of survey containing 3.22 arpents.
- Lot No. 13 of said plan of survey, containing 3.22 arpents.
- Lot No. 14 of said plan of survey, containing 3.22 arpents.

The above fourteen tracts of land constitute the St. Armand plantation, subdivided as aforesaid, the plan of subdivision being on file in the above numbered and entitled suit.

MOVABLES

- Two horses.
- One mare.
- Two mules.
- One cow and calf.
- One three year old bull.
- One wagon.
- One buggy.
- One plow.
- One harrow.
- One side-harrow.
- Seventy-five bales hay.
- One brand "O Z".
- One old disc cultivator.
- One iron swing chair.
- Three ro kers.
- One center table.
- Two dining room tables.
- One safe.
- One sideboard.
- One stove.
- One lot kitchen utensils.
- One lot crockery.
- Two four-post beds (antique furniture).
- Two wardrobes.
- Two dressers.
- One washstand.
- Two dressers.
- One washstand.
- Two clocks.
- One feather mattress.
- Two feather pillows.
- One feather bolster.
- One moss mattress.

TERMS AND CONDITION—Cash.
H. E. ESTORGE,
Auctioneer.
dec 23-6t.

ESTRAY NOTICE

The undersigned has lost the following horses: One black horse, with the following description—both hind feet white, small defect on forehead under hair like a brand, about 16 hands high and with hump back, pacer. One white Norman mare, wide back, short legs and bears mark of fistula. A small sorrel mare, four years old; has three white feet, a small white stripe in forehead and tail nearly touches ground. One horse mule one and half-year old, almost black, never been sheared, tall for age, with long legs, greyish in color. Brown mare mule, about year and half age, wide but low in height. Have been missing for about three weeks. Reward for anyone who discovers and returns these animals to me at the Bennett Hollier Plantation located on Route 1, Opelousas, La. Address B. Bennett or Jack Wyble, Opelousas, La.
dec 23-4t

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Z. T. CARY, JR.,

dec 16-4t. Lewisburg, La.

Council Proceedings

Port Barre, La., Dec. 5, 1916.
Regular meeting of the town council village of Port Barre, Mayor, A. E. Resweber, presiding; Aldermen, A. D. Hanks, F. A. Dejean, present; J. M. Callouet, absent.
There being a quorum, the meeting was called to order.
Motion by Aldermen Dejean, duly seconded by Hanks, that the follow-

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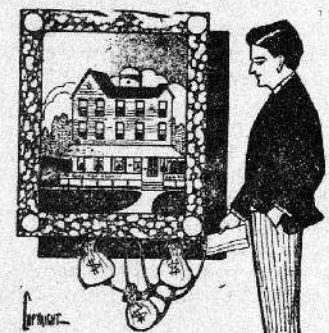
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Phon



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ing budget be accepted for the year 1917.

Marshal salary	\$360.00
Clerk	84.00
Fire engine tender	12.00
Attorney fees	25.00
Internal improvements	34.00
Printing	25.00
Street commissioner	50.00
Office rent	30.00

Signed: A. E. Resweber, Mayor, F. A. Dejean, A. D. Hanks, aldermen.

AN ORDINANCE, NO. 1, OF 1916

Providing for the levying of license tax upon all persons, associations of persons, firms or corporations, conducting the business of liquor dealers within the corporate limits of the Village of Port Barre, La., for the year 1917, grading same and providing penalties for violation hereof.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, Village of Port Barre, La., that there shall be and there is hereby fined upon all persons, firms corporations or associations of persons engaged in the retail liquor business for the year 1917 the following license, to-wit:

Class A. When the gross annual receipts shall be one hundred thousand dollars and over seventy-five thousand dollars, the annual license shall be three thousand dollars.

Class B. When the gross annual receipts shall be seventy thousand and over forty thousand, the annual license shall be two thousand dollars.

Class C. When the gross annual receipts are less than forty thousand dollars the annual license shall be eight hundred dollars. Provided that no license shall be issued under this ordinance for less than eight hundred dollars, except as provided by existing state laws, to dealers in malt and vinous liquors.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith, or contrary hereto, be and the same are

tution and laws of the state, and particularly of Act 136 of 1898 and laws mandatory thereto.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, that this ordinance shall take effect after publication in the official journal.

Attest:
H. P. WEBER.
Signed: A. E. RESWEBER, Mayor.

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply to the mayor and members of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Opelousas, La., for a permit and license to continue the operation of a saloon for colored people, at my present place of business on North Market street in the city of Opelousas, La., during the year 1917.

—James J. Lewis of Eunice was an Opelousas visitor last Wednesday evening.

SHERIFF'S SALE

PEOPLES STATE BANK

Versus

GEO. W. THOMPSON

No. 20558, Civil Docket, Sixteenth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Honorable Sixteenth Judicial District Court, in and for the parish of St. Landry, La., in the above entitled and numbered suit, and to me directed, I will proceed to offer for sale, 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, JANUARY 13, 1917, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land situated in the parish of St. Landry, state of Louisiana, being the southwest quarter of northeast quarter of Lot No. 7 (seven) of Section sixty-four (64), Township four (4) south, Range four (4) east (Sw 1/4 of Ne 1/4 of Section 64, Tp. 4 S., R. 4 E.), Southwestern Louisiana Land District, and containing forty (40) acres, and being the same property which Geo. W. Thompson acquired from L. E. Little on October 1, 1910, as per act of sale executed before Gps. E. Dupre, notary public, duly recorded in Conveyance Book "F-4 1-2," page 204, clerk's St. Landry.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS—Cash to pay and satisfy the sum of Three Hundred and Ninety Dollars (\$390.00), with six (6) per cent interest from December 4, 1912, until paid, subject to a credit of Ninety-four and 30-100 Dollars (\$94.30) paid April 8, 1916, and costs, unless the same is immediately paid.

D. M. FONTENOT,
dec 9-4tds Sheriff.

PARTITION SALE

B. BENNETT, ET ALS

VERSUS

R. LEE GARLAND,

No. 20680 16 th. Jud. Dist. Court, St. Landry Parish, La.

By virtue of a judgement rendered by the Honorable B. H. Pavy, Judge of said Court, bearing date of November 10, 1916, and in pursuance of a commission to me directed by Hy. Lastrapes, Jr., Clerk of Court, there will be sold by the undersigned auctioneer for the purpose of effecting a partition, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, at the principal front door of the Court House, at Opelousas, St. Landry Parish, Louisiana, on

Saturday, December 30, 1916,
at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property, to-wit:

A certain tract of land containing thirty-five and 32-100 (35.32) arpents, situated near the City of Opelousas, Parish of St. Landry, Louisiana, bounded on the north by Conklin, and Colorado Southern, New Orleans and Pacific Railway Company south by continuation of Boagni Avenue or Grolee Street, east by Conklin and B. Bennett and west by James O. Chachere.

On the following terms and conditions, to-wit: One third, or more cash; balance, if any, in one, two and three years, at the option of the purchaser; the credit portion of said price to be evidenced by notes secured by vendor's lien and privilege and special mortgage on the property, said notes to bear 8 per cent interest from date of adjudication until paid and to contain a stipulation for the payment of Attorney's fees fixed at 10 per cent if said notes are placed in the hands of an Attorney for collection or suit after maturity.

L. L. PERRAULT,
Auctioneer.

Ordinances Town of Melville

Melville, La., Dec. 6, 1916.
The following ordinances were passed by the mayor and board of aldermen of the town of Melville, La., in regular session convened:

ORDINANCE NO. 58

To provide an annual revenue for the Town of Melville, La., for the year 1917, by levying an annual tax upon all property situated in the corporate limits of the said town not exempt from taxation under the laws and constitution of the state, for the year 1917, and providing for the enforced collection of the same; and to provide for the payment of interest on light bonds maturing during the year 1918 and the interest on bonds during said year, by levying a special tax for the year 1917 upon all property situated in the corporate limits of the said town not exempt from taxation, and providing the manner of enforcing collection of same.

Section 1.—Be it Ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Melville, La., That for the year 1917 there is hereby levied a tax of ten mills on the dollars of the assessed valuation of all property situated within the corporate limits of the said town, except such as is exempt from taxation under the constitution and existing laws of the state.

Section 2.—Be it further Ordained, etc., That there is hereby levied on all property in the said town of Melville, La., subject to taxation by the said town a special tax of eight mills on the dollar of the assessed value for the year 1917 for the purpose of paying principal and interest of the electric light bonds maturing during the year of 1918.

Section 3.—Be it further ordained etc., That said special tax, when collected, shall be applied first to the payment of principal and interest of said bonds maturing during the year 1918, and any sum remaining shall constitute a sinking fund and be held separate and apart from all other funds of the said town for the purpose of paying principal and interest of bonds thereafter maturing.

Section 4.—Be it further ordained, etc., That the taxes hereby levied shall be due and payable at the office of the town tax-collector as soon as the tax roll of said town shall have been completed and filed in the office of said town tax-collector and after this ordinance shall become effective.

Section 5.—Be it further ordained, etc., That notorced collection of taxes due upon movable or immovable property shall be made before the time or date set apart for the forcible collection of state taxes.

Section 6.—Be it further ordained,

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C. V. LASTRAPES, Prop

shall be, for the year 1917 and each succeeding year, the sum of thirty dollars each, to be paid monthly at the rate of \$2.50 per month each.

Be it further ordained, etc., That all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Thus done and passed in regular session convened on this, the 6th day of December, A. D., 1916.
Attest:
J. H. MONTGOMERY, Clerk.
C. W. STONE, Mayor.

ORDINANCE NO. 63
An ordinance authorizing the mayor to contract a loan of (\$250.00) to the Merchants and Farmers Bank of Melville, La., for the following purpose: To pay expenses of furthering the interest of the citizens of Melville and vicinity in the Jefferson Highway, and providing for the payment of the same, by anticipating the excess of the city's revenues over and above the necessary, usual and statutory charges.

Section 1.—Be it ordained by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Town of Melville, La., That in view of obtaining the Jefferson Highway through these efforts, the mayor be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to borrow from the Mer-

chants and Farmers Bank of Melville the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00), to be used in part or whole for the above stated purpose; and to represent which he is further authorized to execute by and on behalf of the town of Melville a promissory note in favor of said bank, payable twelve months from date, bearing eight per cent per annum interest from maturity until paid, and to contain other usual clauses.

Section 2.—Be it further ordained, etc., That in order to secure the payment of said note in principal, interest and attorney's fees, there is hereby appropriated, attributed and set apart all of the excess revenues of the municipality of Melville over and above the usual customary and statutory charges of said municipality, such excess being as per the budget of the year 1916, and which is hereby taken as the basis of the anticipation and dedication the sum of 1903.

Section 3.—Be it further ordained, etc., That for good and sufficient cause this ordinance shall take effect immediately after its passage.

Thus done and passed in special meeting called for the above purpose, October 18th day, A. D. 1916.
Attest:
J. H. MONTGOMERY, Clerk.
C. W. STONE, Mayor.