

"We shall fight for the things which we have always carried nearest our hearts—for Democracy, for the right of those who submit to authority to have a voice in their own government."

IF YOU ARE A WOMAN, WORK FOR

IF YOU ARE A MAN, VOTE FOR

WOMAN SUFFRAGE

WHICH PRESIDENT WILSON SAYS IS

"A VITALLY NECESSARY WAR MEASURE"

EVERY Person in this State over twenty-one years of age can vote except a lunatic, a convict and a woman.

MEN OF LOUISIANA, are YOU content that your wives, mothers, sisters and daughters be placed in this class; are you willing that they should toil faithfully, bearing every sacrifice and suffering, and yet deny them the rights which they deserve and are justly entitled to?

WOMEN OF LOUISIANA, are you content to remain in the category with convicts and lunatics, do you not want the Ballot which will entitle you to vote on questions affecting the welfare and happiness of yourselves and your children? You are a citizen without the rights of citizenship.

What the Ballot Will Mean to You.

WORKING WOMEN—the ballot will regulate conditions under which you work. (Working men are protected by their right to vote.)

HOUSEKEEPERS—the ballot will regulate the sanitary conditions under which you and your family lives. (Men get what is needed for their district by voting for men that will get it for them.)

MOTHERS—the ballot will regulate the moral conditions under which your children must be brought up. (Men can not

fight against vicious conditions that threaten their children unless they can vote for the men who run their districts.)

TEACHERS—the ballot will secure just wages and influence management of public schools. (Men can only secure better school conditions by electing School Board members genuinely interested in the schools.)

BUSINESS WOMEN—the ballot will secure fair opportunities in business. (Men can not protect themselves against adverse legislation without the vote.)

TAX-PAYING WOMEN—the ballot will protect your property. (Men know that "taxation without representation" is tyranny.)

All women need the ballot because they are concerned equally with men in good and bad government and equally responsible for civic righteousness.

All men need women's help to build a better and juster government, and women need men to help them secure their right to fulfill their civic duties.

Will Louisiana Men Deny Their Women These Privileges on November 5th?

The United States Cannot Remain in the Vanguard of Democracy Unless the Enfranchisement of Women be Secured

THE WOMAN'S REASON

BECAUSE—Women must obey the laws, just as men do. Women pay taxes, just as men do, thus supporting the government.

Women suffer from bad government, just as men do. Mothers want to make their children's surroundings better. Over 8,000,000 women in the United States are wage workers and their health and that of our future citizens are often endangered by evil working conditions that can only be remedied by legislation.

Women of leisure who attempt to serve the public welfare should be able to support their advice by their votes.

Busy housemothers and professional women can not give such public service, and can only serve the state by the same means used by the busy man, namely, by casting a ballot.

Women need to be trained to a higher sense of social and civic responsibility, and such sense develops by use.

Women are consumers, and consumers need fuller representation in politics.

They should vote equally with men.

Does it not seem ridiculous to deny Democracy at home, while waging war for Democracy abroad? Already woman suffrage has been secured in thirteen states of the United States. Great Britain has admitted women to the House of Commons; they share in the governments of Canada, New Zealand, Norway, China, Russia, Australia—even voting in the Hawaiian Islands.

EQUAL SUFFRAGE MEANS:

That ALL the people of the country SHALL BE GIVEN THE RIGHT AND PRIVILEGE OF HELPING TO MAKE THIS COUNTRY UNITED in its determination to give JUSTICE, FREEDOM and OPPORTUNITY to ALL ITS CITIZENS. Women are citizens of a government OF the people, BY the people and FOR the people, AND WOMEN ARE PEOPLE.

ELECTION DAY NOVEMBER 5, 1918

THE MAN'S REASON

"This war could not have been fought, either by the other nations engaged or America, if it had not been for the services of the women—services rendered in every sphere—not merely in the fields of effort in which we had been accustomed to see them work, but wherever men have worked, and upon the very skirts and edges of the battle itself.

"We shall not only be distrusted, but deserve to be distrusted if we do not enfranchise them with the fullest possible enfranchisement, as it is now certain that the other great free nations will enfranchise them. We can not isolate our thought and action in such manner from the thought and action of the rest of the world."

—President Wilson.

"Politics will be cleaner for their influence in the political world. Social and civic problems must become all the clearer for woman's newer, fresher point of view, her grasp of detail and her intuition. Ah, men folks, after we boys have been there have seen, have suffered, have fought—we know. Women in war—women in peace—women victorious."

—Private Harold R. Peat.

MEN OF ST. LANDRY, WE ASK YOUR SUPPORT. VOTE "AYE."

Mrs. Jos. M. Boagni, Mrs. Jno. W. Lewis, Mrs. J. P. Saizan, Mrs. A. A. Anding, Mrs. Mary E. Walker, Mrs. E. M. Boagni, Mrs. L. Austin Fontenot, Mrs. A. L. LaCombe, Mrs. J. Austin Perkins, Mrs. Oscar J. Mistic, Mrs. E. K. Eastham, Mrs. J. M. Sanders, Mrs. Geo. W. Stubbs, Mrs. Rosa Lastrapes Wilson,

Mrs. H. U. Callahan, Mrs. J. G. Lawler, Mrs. H. B. Edwards, Mrs. Geo. T. Edwards, Mrs. J. J. Healey, Mrs. J. W. Jordan, Mrs. Wm. Alex Robertson, Mrs. Marie C. Dupre, Mrs. P. R. Sandoz, Mrs. Dr. G. Richard, Mrs. J. A. Shaw, Mrs. A. I. Castille, Mrs. L. L. Danel, Mrs. J. A. Durio,

Mrs. J. B. Brock, Mrs. J. L. Comeau, Mrs. F. C. Allen, Mrs. Frank Dimmick, Mrs. Marie B. Giesen, Mrs. Walter Brown, Mrs. Leon S. Haas, Mrs. Jos. Firnberg, Mrs. J. Landau, Mrs. Ben Riseman, Mrs. J. N. Brown, Mrs. J. A. Haas, Mrs. Aaron Jacobs, Mrs. Jonas Roos, Mrs. Oscar Fux,

LIST OF GRAND JURORS

Drawn to Serve for the Next Six Months, Beginning November 18, 1918

1. Thomas Quirk Beggs
 2. N. M. Childs Opelousas
 3. Amas Moreau Mallet
 4. A. A. Anding Opelousas
 5. J. B. Brock Opelousas
 6. Henry Stagg Opelousas
 7. Louis Stelly Opelousas
 8. Thurston F. McKinney Opelousas
 9. Henry Lowrey Morrow
 10. Alcee Fontenot Eunice
 11. Athanas Manuel Eunice
 12. Richard Odom Eunice
 13. Geo. W. Kelt Washington
 14. Thos. McCaffery Washington
 15. Paul W. Lafleur Melville
 16. Allotes Thistlethwaite Washington
 17. G. DeKerlegand Arnaudville
 18. William Devalcourt Sunset
 19. A. B. DeBoisblanc Arnaudville
 20. Jean Pettit Grand Coteau
- A true copy—W. D. LASTRAPES, Deputy Clerk of Court.

14. Adam Stagg Dubuison
 15. Willie Derbanne Mallet
 16. Edmond Doucet Palmetto
 17. Clebert Roy Prairie des Femmes
 18. J. A. Haw Opelousas
 19. J. M. Deare Garland
 20. L. E. Evans Barbreeck
 21. Louis Winkler Washington
 22. Lawrence Aycock Melville
 23. Saul Guidry Coulee Croche
 24. A. A. Comeau Opelousas
 25. Clinton Cannon Eunice
 26. C. A. Tatman Opelousas
 27. T. T. McGee Eunice
 28. James A. Goling Washington
 29. Eugene Chachere Opelousas
 30. J. B. Moreau Opelousas
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LIST OF PETIT JURORS FOR THE WEEK COMMENCING DECEMBER 9, 1918.

1. Willie P. Cain near Leonville
2. Plenny Prudhomme Eunice
3. Jno. Boudreau Lawtell
4. J. A. Mallet Leonville
5. L. Pallet Opelousas
6. Leon Campbell Barbreeck
7. Joseph Lavergne Bellevue
8. Geo. Broussard Opelousas
9. Robt. E. Perkins Opelousas
10. Anthony DelBuono Opelousas
11. Willie Stephens Waxia
12. C. H. Comeau Opelousas
13. H. S. O'Quinn Barbreeck
14. Auguste Amy Opelousas
15. A. D. St. Cyr Eunice
16. Evran Fontenot Morrow
17. John Foster Morrow
18. S. S. Bertheaud Opelousas
19. Francois Fuseller Eunice
20. Penot Arceneaux Grand Coteau
21. Sidney Sandoz Opelousas

22. Jules Darby Arnaudville
 23. R. Lee Wilson Bellevue
 24. Felix Chachere Opelousas
 25. Robt. Chachere Opelousas
 26. Jas. S. Bailey Opelousas
 27. Leonce Richard Opelousas
 28. Sidney L. Ducharme Opelousas
 29. A. Moresi Opelousas
 30. J. S. Barry Grand Coteau
- A true copy—W. D. LASTRAPES, Deputy Clerk of Court.

PROCLAMATION

By virtue of the authority vested in us by law, we the undersigned Board of Supervisors of Election in and for the parish of St. Landry, Louisiana, do hereby order an election to be held on November the 5th, A. D., 1918, throughout the limits of the parish of St. Landry, State of Louisiana, at the several polling precincts, for the purpose of electing a United States senator, a Congressman, members of the School Board and voting on proposed constitutional amendments passed at the last session of the general assembly of the State of Louisiana, and we do hereby name, constitute and appoint the following named persons to serve as commissioners and clerks of election at the various polling precincts, to-wit:

- Opelousas—Commissioners: H. D. Littell, C. Freeman Burr, Chas. Thibodeaux; clerk: Ariel Fontenot.
- Plaisance—Commissioners: Edgar T. Dupre, J. D. Bertrand, Jr., Robert Vidrine; clerk: Robert Vidrine.
- Bellevue—Commissioners: Leandre Lavergne, W. G. Mills, C. M. Carson; clerk: R. Lee Wilson.
- Grand Coteau—Commissioners: Simon Levy, O'Brien Elmer, David Meche;

- clerk: Dr. E. S. Barry.
- Coulee Croche—Commissioners: Dr. L. A. Guidry, Dr. C. A. Gardner, Oscar Savoie; clerk: Remi Sibille.
- Leonville—Commissioners: Arthur Lahaye, Frank Moreau, Tilden Meche; clerk: Lucius Steuts.
- Notleyville—Commissioners: C. C. Devilliers, Hamme Devilliers, D. P. Moreau; clerk: Adam McBride.
- Arnaudville—Commissioners: Louis Guidroz, Frank Morrough, A. B. DeBoisblanc; clerk: G. De Kerlegand.
- Bayou Current—Commissioners: W. E. Harmon, A. J. Brown, W. S. Gordon; clerk: W. A. White, Jr.
- Melville—Commissioners: F. B. Cason, S. J. Deloach, Dr. Chas. A. Goudchaux; clerk: W. A. Miles.
- Waxia—Commissioners: R. Lee Hawkins, S. W. Dunbar, Chas. E. Duckworth; clerk: R. A. Winfield.
- Palmetto—Commissioners: Wesley Budden, F. E. Charles, Chas. Meyer; clerk: Ulyse Solleau.
- Big Cane—Commissioners: Thos. L. Kelley, Sol H. Meyer, Ralph Walker; clerk: James W. Keller.
- Morrow—Commissioners: H. E. Lowrey, R. A. Pickett, U. S. Fisher; clerk: O. Q. Fisher.
- Port Barre—Commissioners: A. J. Cormier, Adam Moulle, James A. Mahon; clerk: Chas. O. Dejean.
- Krotz Springs—Commissioners: J. D. Sledge, F. N. Wascom, Ben Willis; clerk: A. W. Krotz.
- Washington—Commissioners: F. W. McCaffery, Sam Pionsky, L. A. W. Quirk; clerk: Julius S. Reese.
- Garland—Commissioners: W. B. Baker, W. M. Culbertson, W. W. Daniel; clerk: Isaac Goetz.
- Whiteville—Commissioners: J. E.

- Bacon, F. P. Butler, J. P. Savant; clerk: Isaac Stagg.
- Grand Prairie—Commissioners: R. C. Fontenot, Marshall J. Doucet, Fred Robert; clerk: Juste Lafleur.
- Barbreck—Commissioners: Jas. F. Milburn, W. P. Baldrige, J. H. Lewis; clerk: Leon Campbell.
- Faquetalque—Commissioners: Peter Brown, Willie Duplechain, Martin McGee; clerk: Louis V. Savoie.
- Mallet—Commissioners: J. D. Bertrand, Sr., C. T. Bihm, Arthur Prejean; clerk: Robert E. McClelland.
- Plaquemine Point—Commissioners: Joseph Boone, Z. T. Cary, Jr., Thomas Thibodeaux; clerk: Jos. Dejean.
- Eunice—Commissioners: John S. Fitzpatrick, Armand Fuseller, H. G. Holbrook; clerk: F. J. Launey.

We have molasses barrels and syrup cans. Buy them now. oct5-4t Estate J. B. SANDOZ.

CITY OR COUNTRY PROPERTY FOR SALE CHEAP

If you want to buy or sell improved or unimproved city or country property, write to me or come to see me. I can buy or sell for you on reasonable cash or credit terms. GUS E. DUPRE, Opelousas.

CHRISTMAS PARCELS TO SOLDIER BOYS

Mrs. W. J. Sandoz, chairman of the committee on Christmas parcels, Home Section, sends this timely article to The Clarion with the request that it be published: Arrangements have been completed between the war department, the post office and the Red Cross to provide overseas men with Christmas parcels. It is the wish of the war department that each man receive only one parcel, and that to be of a standard size and weight, the government furnishing the box.

The men overseas will forward to their families or friends in this country a coupon or label, which will be filed with the box. When the box is filled it must be in the Home Service section not later than the morning of November 18. MRS. W. J. SANDOZ, Chairman Committee Christmas Parcels Home Service Section.

fact that these boxes will only be given out to the ones who receive labels from the men overseas, and great care should be taken that these are not lost as they can not be replaced and the Home Service section will accept no parcel without this label.

Certain articles are barred by the postal authorities; a list of these will be given with the box. When the box is filled it must be in the Home Service section not later than the morning of November 18.

Lands For Sale.

One of the best improved farms in this parish, located a short distance from the corporate limits of the City of Opelousas, containing 125 arpents; large two-story residence; four cabins, two large barns and smaller ones; twenty-five or more bearing pecan trees. This property is known as the Chanove Plantation. Also, 123 arpents of rice land, one mile above Port Barre; irrigated from the Bayou Courtableau. In rice this year. For prices on the above, address the undersigned. Don't communicate unless you mean business. J. J. HEALEY, Opelousas, La. oct13-4t

Grove's Tasteless chili Tonic restores vitality and energy by purifying and enriching the blood. You can soon feel its strengthening, invigorating effect. Price 50c.