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INSTANT POSTUM

PROCEEDINGS OF THE POLICE JURY

Opelousas, La., Nov. 4, 1918.

The police jury met in regular session this fourth day of November, with the following members present: Mr. J. T. St. Cyr, president pro tem, presiding; Messrs. Larcade, Evans, Mills, Dalley, Beaugh, Lancelos, Catlett, Martin, Doucet.

Motion by Mr. Larcade, that the city authorities of the city of Opelousas be granted the privilege of placing hitch posts around the court house square, as per request of the mayor and street commissioner; provided that said posts be placed not higher than two inches above ground.

Yeas—Messrs. Larcade, Beaugh, Lancelos, Catlett, 4 yeas. Nays—Messrs. St. Cyr, Evans, Mills, Dalley, Martin, 5 nays. Motion lost.

Opelousas, La., Nov. 4, 1918. To the Honorable President and Members of the Police Jury:

Gentlemen—We, the undersigned committee appointed to examine statement of the St. Landry State Bank, fiscal agent, beg leave to report that we have examined said statement and found same correct, and recommend that a warrant for the sum of one hundred and fifty-nine dollars (\$159.00) be issued to said fiscal agent for salary interest month of October, 1918; interest deducted on deposits as per contract.

JOS. T. ST. CYR, J. E. DALEY, Committee.

Motion by Mr. Martin, that the report of committee on fiscal agency be accepted and that a warrant be issued to the fiscal agent, as per committee report.

On motion of Mr. Catlett, the police jury adjourned until 1:30 o'clock p. m.

EVENING SESSION

The police jury met pursuant to adjournment. Present—Mr. J. T. St. Cyr, president pro tem, presiding; Messrs. Larcade, Evans, Mills, Dalley, Beaugh, Lancelos, Catlett, W. F. Brown, Doucet, Martin.

Motion by Mr. Doucet, that the president and clerk of this body be and they are hereby authorized to issue warrants for salaries of the road building crew when said salaries shall become due, out of the fund set aside for maintaining the gravel roads. Motion carried.

Motion by Mr. K. T. Catlett, duly seconded and carried, that the budget of expenses required for the parish of St. Landry for the year 1919, and adopted by this body on October 8, 1918, be spread upon the minutes of this meeting so as to conform with the requirements of an ordinance to be adopted this day, providing for the issuance of bonds of St. Landry parish, La. in the sum of \$45,000.00 for the purpose of constructing highways in said parish. Said budget is as follows:

BUDGET PARISH OF ST. LANDRY, YEAR 1919:

Table with 2 columns: Item and Amount. Includes Officers and members, Assessor's salary, Dist. atty. salary, Sheriff's salary, etc.

for rd bldg. outfit 2,319.20

22 Account certif. of in. for build. the Bayou Courtableau bldg. 2,817.60

23 Account of one-fourth one mill for \$45,000.00 bond issue 2,250.00

24 Acct. exist. debt 5,000.00

25 Acct. maintenance of gravel roads 2,000.00

26 Acct. defense council 3,000.00

Total \$134,930.34

Adopted October 8, 1918.

F. OCTAVE PAVY, President.

Attest—J. J. HEALEY, Clerk.

Mr. F. P. Martin offered the following ordinance, duly seconded, to-wit: AN ORDINANCE Providing for the issuance of bonds of St. Landry Parish, Louisiana, in the sum of \$45,000.00, for the purpose of constructing highways in said parish.

Whereas, St. Landry parish having proposed to fund the avails of the ten mill tax provided for by Article 232 of the constitution into bonds, under and by virtue of the provisions of Paragraph 4 of Article 231 of the constitution, the police jury of said parish, being the governing authority of said parish, gave notice of its intention to do so by publication in the Star-Progress, the official journal of said parish, in its issues of October 12 and 19, 1918, the following notice, viz.:

"Notice is hereby given that the police jury of St. Landry parish, Louisiana, proposes to fund the avails of the ten mill tax provided for by Article 232 of the constitution into bonds, for the purpose of constructing highways in said parish; and that on Monday, the fourth day of November, 1918, at 2 o'clock p. m., said police jury proposes to issue bonds in the sum of \$45,000.00 for such purpose, under authority of Paragraph 4 of Article 231 of the constitution, and that it is proposed to use the avails of said tax for that purpose to the extent of one-fourth of one mill for each of the years 1919 to 1924, inclusive, and two mills for each of the years 1925 to 1927, inclusive.

"By order of the police jury of St. Landry parish, Louisiana. J. J. HEALEY, Clerk of the Police Jury. "October 8, 1918."

And, whereas, this being the day and time fixed in said notice, the police jury having met, in open session, did first spread upon the minutes of its proceedings the budget for its current year, and submitted said budget for inspection and consideration; now, therefore,

Be it ordained by the police jury of St. Landry parish, Louisiana, that it be and it hereby is declared and determined that there is a surplus of one-fourth of one mill for each of the years 1919 to 1924, inclusive, and a surplus of two mills for each of the years 1925 to 1927, inclusive, available from the ten mill tax, and that nine and three-fourth mills for each of the years 1919 to 1924, inclusive, and eight mills for each of the years 1925 to 1927, inclusive, together with other available sources of revenue provided for in the budget, will be amply sufficient to provide for the current expenses and for the payment of all statutory and ordinary charges for such years, including the payment of all bonds issued in anticipation of the avails of the residue of said ten mill tax, as based on the last assessment roll filed.

Be it further ordained and ordered, that said available surplus of one-fourth of one mill for each of the years 1919 to 1924, inclusive, and two mills for each of the years 1924 to 1927, inclusive, be funded into bonds for the purpose of constructing highways in said parish, and that for that purpose there be issued bonds of the parish in the sum of \$45,000.00. Said issue shall consist of forty-five bonds of the denomination of \$1,000.00 each,

numbered consecutively from 1 to 45, inclusive, dated November 4, 1918, due and payable \$15,000.00 on February 1 in each of the years 1926 to 1928, inclusive, and bearing interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, on the first day of February and August in each year, the several installments of interest to be evidenced by coupons attached to said bonds, and both principal and interest shall be payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the office of the treasurer of said parish, in Opelousas, Louisiana, or at the National Park Bank, in the city of New York, state of New York, at the option of the holder.

Said bonds shall be issued substantially the following form: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, STATE OF LOUISIANA, ST. LANDRY PARISH, ROAD IMPROVEMENT BOND. No. 1,000 Dollars. Know all men by these presents, that St. Landry parish, Louisiana, is indebted to and for value received hereby promises to pay the bearer One Thousand Dollars, lawful money of the United States of America, on the 1st day of February, A. D. 19—, with interest thereon at the rate of five per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first of February and August in each year, on presentation and surrender of the annexed coupons bearing facsimiles of the signatures of the president and clerk of the police jury of said parish, as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable at the office of the treasurer of said parish, in Opelousas, Louisiana, or at the National Park Bank, in the city of New York, state of New York, at the option of the holder, and the said parish is hereby held and firmly bound, and the available surplus of the ten mill tax provided for by Article 232 of the constitution is hereby pledged and dedicated to the payment of the principal and interest at maturity.

This bond is one of a series of bonds of like date, tenor and effect, except as to maturity, aggregating \$45,000.00, issued by the governing authorities of said parish, for the purpose of constructing highways in said parish under authority of Paragraph 4 of Article 231 of the constitution of Louisiana, Act No. 96, approved July 5, 1916, and an ordinance duly and regularly passed and adopted by the police jury of said parish on November 4, 1918.

And it is hereby certified, recited and declared that all acts, conditions and things required to be done precedent to and in the issuing of said bonds have been properly done, have happened and have been performed, in regular and due form, as required by law, and that said indebtedness does not exceed any statutory or constitutional limitation.

In witness whereof, we, the undersigned president and clerk of the police jury of St. Landry parish, Louisiana, being duly authorized to execute this obligation on behalf of said parish, have hereunto set our official signatures and caused the corporate seal of said parish to be hereunto affixed, as of the 4th day of November, A. D. 1918.

President of the Police Jury.

Clerk of the Police Jury.

Balance of coupons will be for \$25 each.

On the back of each of said bonds shall be printed the following certificate: "Incontestable. Secured by a tax of one-fourth of a mill on the dollar valuation in the parish of St. Landry, for each of the years 1919 to 1924, inclusive, and two mills on the dollar valuation in said parish for each of the years 1925 to 1927, inclusive."

Registered this — day of 19—

Secretary of State.

(Seal.)

The president and clerk of the police jury are hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds and affix thereto the official seal of said parish.

Be it further ordained and ordered, that the said surplus of the ten mill tax for the years 1919 to 1927, inclusive, be and the same is hereby irrevocably pledged and dedicated to the payment of said bonds. When said bonds shall have been executed, same shall be offered for sale, by calling for sealed bids after fifteen days' advertisement, and shall be sold at not less than par.

Be it further ordained and ordered, that a certified copy of this ordinance together with the proceedings of the police jury in its passage and adoption shall be recorded in the mortgage records of the parish, registered with the secretary of state, and promulgated in one issue of the official journal of the parish.

Passed and adopted November 4, 1918.

JOS. T. ST. CYR, President Pro Tem.

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The foregoing ordinance was duly read and considered and a majority of the members being present, upon roll call voted as follows:

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Nays—none. Absent—Messrs. W. Rushing, Alex Sylvestre, W. C. Dejean, Allen McCoy and Dr. F. O. Pavy, 5 absent. Ordinance declared adopted.

On motion of Mr. Dalley, the police jury resolved itself into a committee of the whole to examine and approve claims. Mr. Dalley in the chair.

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Cum. Tel. serv. October 11.17

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St. Landry Lumber Co., lumber, 1 ward 27.33

V. Bordonel, clean gully 1 w 10.00

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A. Amy, bid bldg and mate. 166.44

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M. Noel, clean ditch 2 w 3.00

L. Guilbeau, rd wk 2 w 5.00

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A. L. Andrus, assessor, refad. due under Act 102, 1918 392.34

On motion of Mr. Evans, the committee on claims resolved itself into regular session of the police jury.

Mr. J. T. St. Cyr in the chair.

The committee on claims reported through Chairman Dalley that they had examined the claims as above detailed and found same correct.

On motion of Mr. Mills, the report of the committee on claims was accepted and the committee discharged.

Motion by Mr. Mills, resolved that the resolution offered by Mr. Larcade on October 8, 1918, to the effect that dipping of cattle shall be continued throughout this parish, be reconsidered and dipping of cattle shall be continued as follows: Once in November and once in December, and that a committee be appointed to arrange for a loan to cover expenses of said work.

Life Was a Misery Mrs. F. M. Jones, of Palmer, Okla., writes: "From the time I entered into womanhood... I looked with dread from one month to the next. I suffered with my back and bearing-down pain, until life to me was a misery, I would think I could not endure the pain any longer, and I gradually got worse. Nothing seemed to help me until, one day, I decided to

TAKE CARDUI The Woman's Tonic "I took four bottles," Mrs. Jones goes on to say, "and was not only greatly relieved, but can truthfully say that I have not a pain. It has now been two years since I took Cardui, and I am still in good health. I would advise any woman or girl to use Cardui who is a sufferer from any female trouble." If you suffer pain caused from womanly trouble, or if you feel the need of a good strengthening tonic to build up your run-down system, take the advice of Mrs. Jones. Try Cardui. It helped her. We believe it will help you. All Druggists

Yeas—Messrs. St. Cyr, Larcade, Evans, Mills, Dalley, Lancelos, Catlett, Doucet, Martin; 9 yeas. Nays—none. Motion carried. Chair appointed Messrs. J. J. Healey and Theo. Doucet.

On motion of Mr. Martin, the reading of the minutes was dispensed with and stand approved.

On motion of Mr. Mills, the police jury adjourned until the first Monday in December, being the second day of said month.

JOS. T. ST. CYR, President Pro Tem. Attest—J. J. HEALEY, Clerk.

CRYING NEED FOR GREAT BIG FUND

Special Bulletin Explains Need for Money Asked in the United War Work Campaign

The following special bulletin, entitled "Why We Need More Than \$170,500,000," issued by John R. Mott, National director general, United War Work Campaign, has been handed The St. Landry Clarion with the request that it be published:

First—Because of the remarkable increase of the American army and its inevitable continued increase, the present budget is outlined on the basis of the work with one million American soldiers in France by November 1, and a total number of three million in the whole American army. Before the end of the year we will have between four and five million.

Second—Because of the marvelous expansion of the American army and navy. Relatively the organizations which are united in this campaign have neglected the navy. If we are to serve the united purpose of this campaign a much larger sum of money must be included in the respective budgets.

Third—Because this war, unlike others, is not alone a war of armies and navies, but an entire people. Industry is being militarized. Millions of men and women are at work in arsenals, navy yards and countless other indispensable war industries.

Fourth—Because the burden of this war falls so heavily upon the women of America and the Allies. They have released millions of the men for the fighting forces. Many are engaged in making munitions and other essential war activities. The needs of these women affected by war conditions convince us that a larger financial provision should be made for them.

Fifth—Because of the comprehensiveness of the ministry being rendered the American army and navy and the forces of our Allies. We are trying to represent to them the American home, school, library, religious institutions and the best American ideals. A large expenditure in this direction is necessary because of the growth of the army and navy.

Sixth—Because of the continuity of the service we are seeking to render. We are following increasing numbers of soldiers and sailors from the time they leave their homes, while they are in transit, in training camps, at ports

of embarkation, while on shipboard, and during their stay at the ports of debarkation, as well as in their training overseas, and in the actual zone of combat.

Seventh—Because of the imperative need of placing all of these helpful facilities at the service of the Allied armies, whose claims were not sufficiently recognized in framing our budget.

Eighth—Because of the indescribable need of millions of