

Police Jury Proceedings

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Police Jury Ward of St. Landry parish, and report to your honorable body its recommendations as to whether or not, said claim should be paid, beg leave to report that a majority of your committee voted to reject the entire claim and the subject matter referred to the court, if claimant so desires, for adjustment.

Respectfully submitted,
W. C. DEJEAN, Chairman.

Opelousas, La., Jan. 3rd, 1921.
To the Honorable President and Members of the Police Jury, St. Landry Parish, La.

"Minority Report"

Gentlemen:—We your committee appointed to consider the claim of C. W. Krotz against the First Road District, Fourth Police Jury Ward of St. Landry parish, and report to your honorable body its recommendation as to whether or not, said claims should be paid, beg to report that a minority of your committee voted to pay the C. W. Krotz claim against the First Road District of the Fourth Police Jury Ward amounting to \$505.00 less the \$205.00 covering his trip and expenses to Baton Rouge, La.

Respectfully submitted,
W. F. BROWN, M. J. GODEAU.

Motion by Mr. Guidroz, duly seconded.

That the majority report of committee appointed to consider claim of Mr. C. W. Krotz, which majority report rejected payment of said claim be received and adopted and committee discharged.

Mr. Cloutier moved as a substitute that the minority report recommending payment of said claim of C. W. Krotz be received and approved. Motion duly seconded.

For the substitute; Messrs. W. F. Brown, Godeau, 2 yeas.
Against Messrs. Mills, Phillips, Dupre, Cummings, Guidroz, Pavy, Moreau, McCaffery, Deshotels, Sylvestre, Dejean, 11 nays. Substitute lost.

The original motion was then voted upon and carried.

On motion of Mr. Guidroz, the Police Jury adjourned until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.
January 5th, 1921.

The police jury met pursuant to adjournment.

Present: Dr. F. O. Pavy, president, presiding; Messrs. Mills, Phillips, Dupre, Guidroz, Moreau, W. F. Brown, McCaffery, Deshotels, Sylvestre, Dejean.

Mr. W. F. Brown offered the following ordinance, duly seconded, to-wit:

An Ordinance
Laying a special tax for the payment of bonds and interest authorized and issued, by virtue of the authority vested in the police jury in the First (1st) Road District, 4th Police Jury Ward of the parish of St. Landry, La., wherein special Road elections were held and bonds authorized issued.

Be it ordained by the police jury of the parish of St. Landry, in lawful session convened, that a tax of five (5) mills on the dollar, be and is hereby levied on all the taxable property situated in the First Road District of the 4th Police Jury ward of St. Landry parish, La., for the purpose of paying the bonds and interest of said road district as same matures.

Be it further ordained, etc., that the assessor of the parish of St. Landry,

be notified of the foregoing tax levy to the end that he may carry said tax on his assessment roll for the year 1920.
The foregoing ordinance was duly read and considered and a majority of the members elect being present, voted as follows, to-wit:
For: Messrs. Mills, Phillips, Dupre, Guidroz, Pavy, Moreau, W. F. Brown, McCaffery, Deshotels, Sylvestre, Dejean.
Against: None.
Adopted January 5th, 1921.
F. OCTAVE PAVY, President.

Attest:—J. J. HEALEY, Clerk.

Motion by Mr. Brown, Whereas, the First Road District of the Fourth Police Jury Ward, in 1918 constructed a bridge on the Krotz Springs Road over and across Darbonne Bayou and the cost of which was paid out of the said Road District funds, and

Whereas, the Board of Commissioners of the Red River and Bayou Boeuf Levee District took up a part of said bridge without the knowledge and consent of the Board of Supervisors of said Road District, and

Whereas, the possession, care and maintenance of said bridge has been and still is in the Police Jury of the parish and it is the duty of the parish through its police jury to replace said bridge out of the parish contingent funds, and

Whereas, the parish is without contingent funds for such purpose at present, and the said Road District has Road funds in its treasury;

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the Board of Supervisors of said Road District is hereby authorized and instructed to replace said bridge at once and pay for the same out of the Road District funds, the amount and cost of which to be refunded to said Road District out of the next parish contingent funds.

Be it further resolved, that the clerk of the police jury is instructed to notify the Board of Commissioners of said Levee Board that said Levee Board will be called upon by this body of reimburse the parish for the amount of money expended to replace said bridge. Motion carried.

On motion of Mr. Phillips, The police resolved itself into a committee of the whole to examine and approve claims.

Mr. Phillips in the chair.

ROAD DISTRICT CLAIMS
Road District No. 2—Ward 4
Dr. H. S. Joseph, expenses incurred in performance of duty as chairman of board, \$ 150.00

Road District No. 1—Ward 6
Duriel Aguilard, moving fence 31.95
Eron Fontenot, right of way, 250.00
Mrs. Rudolph Savoy, right of way 250.00

Road District No. 14
D. E. Durio, expenses working up notes on Pershing Highway 156.00

Road District No. 1—Ward 4
W. B. Robert, cross sectioning, etc. 124.80
N. A. Dawson, estimate No. 1 1444.25

Lilla Pavy, report of members of board and estimate. 2.00
Road District No. 1—Ward 2
Est. J. B. Sandoz, two kegs of nails 13.55
Albert Andrus, fence and road work 125.00
St. Landry Lumber Co., lumber 976.41
Leo Richard, one keg of nails 8.00

Hopkins Bros. Co., lumber 106.25
Hopkins Bros. Co., lumber 6.70
Hopkins Bros. Co., lumber 8.10
Andrus Bros., estimate No. 1 1805.85
Road District No. 11
T. Solleau additional right of way 10.00
W. A. Robertson, drafting contracts 10.00
D. E. Durio, engineering fee for December 17.60
D. E. Durio, engineering fee for December 78.23
F. P. Martin, nails 56.92
Ole K. Olsen, iron beams 502.95
D. E. Durio, cash paid Deshotels a-c-r-way 25.00
G. W. Prutsman, 4311 tons washed gravel 439.94
E. Fisher, Sr. & Son, estimate for December 1143.93

Road District No. 1—Ward 3
W. A. Robertson, drafting contracts 10.00
D. E. Durio, engineering fee for December 34.45
G. DeKerlegand, right of way Ignace DeKerlegand, right of way 15.00
La. Construction Works, estimate for December 813.66

Public Road Claims
Arlicise Labore, road work, 2 ward 7.00
Maurice Daigle, road work, 2 ward 9.00
Vatiere Ballard, road work, 2 ward 15.00
Moise Guidroz, road work, 2 ward 16.50
Earl Cummings, road work 2 ward 14.00
Maurice Braussaure, road work, 2 ward 7.00
Maurice Richard, road work, 2 ward 6.00
L. A. Guidroz, road work, 2 ward 4.20
L. L. Perrault, notarial service in preparing sale of right of way, 2 ward 5.00
Ovignace Meche, bridge work, 2 ward 1.00
Vessay Smith, bridge work, 2 ward 13.35
Joe Camatello, road work, 4 ward 113.00
J. L. Carter, lumber, 4 ward 229.91
O. C. Foster, bridge work, 4 ward 22.50
Kenneth Quirk, road work, 5 ward 5.00
Felix Lafleur, road work, 5 ward 3.00

Contingent Expense Claims
Cumberland Telephone Co., service and tolls December 19.45
W. F. Brown, expenses attending meeting R. R. comm. 24.25
City of Opelousas light and water, November and December 29.08
Jonas Roos, clothing and shoes for prisoners 15.87
Bennett Stores, Inc., clothing and shoes for prisoners 19.15
McNeel Stationery Co., book of estates for clerk of court Bodemuller, stationery and printing for clerk of court 11.10
Bodemuller, stationery and printing for clerk of court 81.50
Jacobs News Depot, stationery and supplies 7.96
Clarion company, publishing proceedings, etc. 107.00
Dave Hollier, repairing toffets 5.50
Ivy Schwartzberg repairing court house bell 7.50
Andrepont & Dossmann, installing heaters in jail 5.00
Andrepont & Dossmann, repairing lights and materials Henry Lastrapes, registering voters and hats for election 70.65

Henry Lastrapes, ordering and promulgating returns of election held December 14, 1920 15.00
L. A. Gosselin, ordering and promulgating returns of election held December 4, 1920 15.00
L. L. Danel, ordering and promulgating returns of election held December 14, 1920 15.00
Anthony Beutonio, 2 days coroner's jury 4.00
Joseph Anselm, 2 days coroner's jury 4.00
Jno. Nicko, 2 days coroner's jury 4.00
Lestie Harmon, 1 day coroner's jury 2.05
Waldorf Restaurant 3 lamps for sheriff's office 31.89
R. E. Budd, salary for Dec. 75.00
N. W. Davis, burying pauper 12.00
Chas. Thibodeaux, conveying prisoners to jail 4.44
Chas. Thibodeaux, feeding and maintaining prisoners December 188.68

The committee on claims resolved itself into regular session of police jury.
Dr. Pavy in the chair.
The committee on claims reported through Chairman Phillips that they had examined the claims as above detailed and found same correct.

On motion of Mr. Guidroz, The report of committee was accepted and committee discharged.

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

On motion of Mr. Guidroz, The police jury adjourned until the first Monday in February, being the seventh day of said month.

F. OCTAVE PAVY, President.
Attest:—J. J. HEALEY, Clerk.

Promulgation of Result of Election

STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF ST. LANDRY.
By direction of the police jury of the parish of St. Landry, La. notice is hereby given that on Thursday, December 23rd, 1920 an election was held in the Second Road District, 4th Police Jury Ward of the parish of St. Landry, La., to determine the following proposition, to-wit:

"Proposition to incur debt and issue serial negotiable bonds of Road District Number Two (2) of the Fourth (4th) Police Jury Ward of St. Landry parish, state of Louisiana, in addition to the debt previously incurred and bonds previously issued for said district, said additional debt to be incurred and bonds to be issued to the amount of One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars, (\$150,000.00), and said bonds to be serial bonds running from one to thirty (30) years, bearing interest at the rate of five per centum (5) per annum, payable semi-annually, said additional debt to be incurred and bonds issued for the purpose of constructing and maintaining public roads and highways within the territorial limits of said road district, and particularly for the purpose of completing the Melville-Palmetto Highway, and for the construction of a gravel road along the Atchafalaya River and that portion of the Palmotobayou Rouge road lying within the boundaries of the said Second Road District."

The result of said count showed that said proposition was carried in favor of said proposition; and take further notice that the vote in favor of said proposition was as follows, to-wit:

Proposition for the issuance of Bonds:
No. of property taxpayers voting in favor of issuing bonds 27
No. of property taxpayers voting against issuing bonds 1
Majority for 26
Total valuation of property voted in favor of issuing bonds \$78,140.00
Total valuation of property voted against issuing bonds 3,430.00
Majority in favor \$74,710.00

Therefore, said proposition was carried by a majority in favor thereof, as follows:
Majority in favor of issuance of bonds: Twenty-six (26) votes in number, and Seventy-one thousand, Two hundred and eighty dollars (\$71,280.00), in amount of valuation of property.

Therefore, it is hereby publicly announced, proclaimed and promulgated that the proposition submitted and above set forth was duly carried and that said election was therefore favorable to said proposition.

Thus done and signed on the 3rd day of January, A. D. 1921, at Opelousas, St. Landry parish, La.
F. OCTAVE PAVY, President of the Police Jury.
Attest:—J. J. HEALEY, Clerk of the Police Jury.

SHERIFF'S SALE

JOSEPH BOONE Versus LUCIEN LAVERGNE
No. —, Civil Docket, Sixteenth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

By virtue of a writ of fi-fa, issued out of the Honorable Sixteenth Judicial District Court, in and for the parish of St. Landry, Louisiana, in the above entitled and numbered suit and to me directed, I have seized and 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 22, 1921, at 11 o'clock a. m., the following described property to-wit:
1 sorrel mare mule,
1 Black horse mule,
1 bay horse,
1 Buggy,
1 Set of buggy harness,
2 Cows and 2 calves,
1 Cow without calf,
125 Bushels of corn.

TERMS:—CASH.
CHARLES THIBODEAU, Sheriff.
Jan 8 3t

(OFFICIAL)

Board of Aldermen Proceedings
Opelousas, La., Jan. 4 1921.
The Board of Aldermen met this day in regular session. Present: E. L. Loeb, mayor, presiding; Aldermen Moutet, Dejean, Danel, Stelly and Clark. Absent: None.

Meeting called to order.
On motion, duly seconded and carried, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with. The monthly reports of the street commissioner, city clerk and tax-collector and city treasurer were received as read and ordered filed.

On motion of Mr. Clark, seconded by Mr. Dejean, and carried, the bond of H. U. Callahan, as assistant clerk, was fixed at \$1000.00.

Moved by Mr. Clark, duly seconded and carried, that this board constitute itself as a committee of the whole to look into the advisability of converting the city market into a city hall, and to report at some subsequent meeting of this board.

Moved by Mr. Danel, seconded by Mr. Stelly that the question of the fee due P. R. Sandoz for services in connection with the \$250,000 bond issue be submitted to arbitration in the following manner: This board to select one arbitrator, P. R. Sandoz to select one arbitrator, and these two arbitrators to select a third, all of whom are to consider the question of the fee charged, and to determine what fee shall be allowed for the services in question. All three arbitrators are to be selected in advance of the submission to them of the proposition, in the manner above detailed and their decision shall be binding upon the city and the said Sandoz, irrespective of the amount fixed by them.

When the arbitrators have acted upon the question, which it is required shall be within the next ten days, their report shall be submitted to this board in writing, and it is agreed that a special meeting will be called to receive the same.

Mr. Sandoz being personally present, in open meeting hereby declares his willingness to accept the decision of the arbitrators as final. The city likewise agrees to accept such decision as the arbitrators may render, as final and binding upon it.

Motion carried by the following vote:
Yes: Moutet, Dejean, Danel, Stelly and Clark.
Nays: None.
I agree to the above.
P. R. SANDOZ.

On motion, duly seconded and carried, the following bills were approved:
W. L. Prud'homme 3.20
D. E. Durio 70.00
Chas. W. Dupre 5.45
Hnas Garage 266.70
R. V. Mites 119.55
H. Bodemuller 12.75
J. A. Dejean 3.20
R. Mornhinveg & Son 20.00
Albert Clary .75
Star-Progress 8.00
Clarion Company, Ltd. 44.80
Chas. Borchers 27.10
Jacobs News Depot Co. 1.75
A. L. Lacombe 40.00
Sonjat & Debleux, Inc. 91.50
W. D. Lastrapes 3.00
St. Landry Wholesale Gro. Co. 12.50
T. Coriel & Co. 1.50
Opelousas Moto Co., Inc. 7.50
St. Landry Lumber Co., Inc. 2,336.98
Oliver H. Van Horn Co., Inc. 11.25
A. W. Faber, Inc. 4.16
A. M. Lockett & Co. 15.08
Garlock Packing Co. 3.75
Anderson & Gustafson, Inc. 576.93
Cargill Company 62.15
Texas Oil Company 496.14
Woodward, Wight & Co., Ltd. 299.23

There being no further business, on motion, duly seconded and carried, the meeting was adjourned.

E. L. LOEB, Mayor.
Attest:—J. J. PERRONIN, City Clerk.

FOR RENT—7 Room house, Eight arpents of land. Apply to D. CONKLEN, Jan 8 It Washington, La.

FOR SALE—One Maxwell touring car, equipped with winter top, cheap, also one Ford truck, with Bosch magneto ignition. Must sell at once as leaving city.
Apply to W. T. STAUTZ, N. Market Street, Opelousas, La. Jan 8 It.

FOR SALE
1 pair large mules—young and perfectly sound.
1 pair small mules, gentle but not broke.
1 Good saddle horse.
350 sacks Blue Rose Seed Rice (get sample).
CHAS. O. DEJEAN, Port Barre, La. Jan 8 3t

LOST—On November 27th, ring with small diamond set, gold slightly worn on inside. Finder return to Leonie Browne at Dardeau & Roberts and receive reward. Jan 8 3t.

FOR SALE
One-horse wagon and hack, in good shape, for sale cheap. Apply to Mrs. O. FUX, Opelousas, La. Jan 8-tf

Charles Dejean and Herbert Guillot attended to business in Eunice during the week.
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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
ESTATE OF ELI EDWARDS
No. 7139, Probate Docket, Sixteenth Judicial District Court, Parish of St. Landry, La.

Whereas, Paul Edwards, has applied to be appointed administrator of the above numbered and entitled estate, and

Therefore, notice is hereby given to any and all interested parties to show cause, if any they can or have, in writing in this office within ten days of the first publication hereof, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted.

By order of said court dated, Jan. 7, 1921.
HENRY LASTRAPES, JR., Clerk of Court.

TRESPASS NOTICE
We, the undersigned, notify the public that, all hunting and trespassing on our properties situated in the Second and Third wards is prohibited. Violators will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

D. J. HIGGINBOTHAM, MISS E. HIGGINBOTHAM, PERRY HIGGINBOTHAM. Jan 8 4t

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SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE

Planters Bank & Trust Co.

OF OPELOUSAS, LOUISIANA

At the Close of Business December 31, 1920.

RESOURCES:

Table with 2 columns: Resource and Amount. Includes Loans and discounts (\$1,042,921.15), Cash on hand and with banks (105,138.54), Banking house, furniture and fixtures (22,000.00), Other bonds (217,185.65), Liberty bonds and other U. S. Bonds (41,550.00), Total (\$1,428,795.34).

LIABILITIES:

Table with 2 columns: Liability and Amount. Includes Capital stock paid in (\$100,000.00), Surplus (20,000.00), Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid (21,745.66), Total deposits (897,258.98), Dividend No. 5 payable January 1, 1921 (4,000.00), Dividend unpaid (104.00), Bills payable (370,845.82), Re-discounts (14,840.88), Total (\$1,428,795.34).

STATE OF LOUISIANA, PARISH OF ST. LANDRY.

I, J. A. Perkins, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. PERKINS, Cashier

Correct-Attest:
ROBERT CHACHERE,
J. P. SAIZAN,
ANDREW MORESI,
Directors.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 31st day of December, 1920.

C. P. DUNBAR, Notary Public