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Proclamation

By Police Jury, Natchitoches, Louisiana

By Page, seconded by Tauzin—Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches,

Section I. That a special election is hereby ordered to be held in Ward 6, of the Parish of Natchitoches, on the

24TH DAY OF MAY, 1919,

to take the sense of the tax-payers of said ward entitled to vote at said election as to whether or not a special tax of five mills on the dollar of the total assessment of said ward shall be imposed for five years, and a per capita tax of $1.00 on each able bodied male citizen between the ages of 18 and 55 years, and a vehicle tax on all vehicles, graded as follows:

For log wagon.....$1.00
For 2-horse wagon or carriage..... 50c
For 2-horse wagon, buggy, or cart.. 25c
For automobile 2.00
For bicycle, steam or gas 50c

Said property, per capita and vehicle tax to exist for five years, towit: For the years 1919 1920, 1921, 1922, and 1923, and shall be in aid of the construction, improvement and maintenance of the public roads and bridges of said ward.

Sec. II. Said election shall be held at the regular polling place in said ward and shall be conducted under the general election laws of the State governing special elections.

Sec. III. The returns of said election shall be promulgated and proclamation made by the Police Jury, as required by law.

Sec. IV. The ticket voted at such election shall be prepared and furnished the commissioners of election as provided by law and shall contain the words:

For Said Property, Per Capita and Vehicle Tax,	
Against said Property, Per Capita and Vehicle Tax	

Sec. V. In event such tax is carried, the assessor is hereby required to extend on the assessment rolls of Ward 6, for said period of time, said 5 mills tax and per capita tax and vehicle tax, and the tax collector is hereby authorized and instructed to collect said taxes in time.

Sec. VI. When collected the tax collector shall pay same to the parish treasurer, as required by law, and this money to be disbursed by order of the road commissioners, and the member the Police Jury from said ward, as ex-officio chairman of said commission.

Sec. VII. In the event of the failure to pay the per capita tax or vehicle tax by any citizen of Ward 6 liable therefore, the road commission of the said ward shall have authority to collect same by civil process, and in addition to pay per capita tax, shall be liable to be prosecuted criminally, and upon conviction shall be sentenced to the payment of a fine of $5.00, together with all cost of prosecution, and in default of payment shall be sentenced to imprisonment in the parish jail for 10 days, subject to work on the public roads of Ward 6 for 10 days.

Yeas—Messrs. Tauzin, Joyner, Hunt, Raphiel, Furlow, Page, Sanders, Marshall, Salter and Charleville. Nays, none. Carried unanimously.

PROCLAMATION

Pursuant to a resolution passed by the Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana at its session held on the 8th, day of April 1919, I, Jas. F. Salter, President of the Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches, La. hereby give notice in compliance with said resolution. That a special election will be held in Ward Six of the Parish of Natchitoches, for the purpose of taking the sense of the tax payers of of Ward six as to whether or not a special tax of five mills be imposed for five years on property owners, and a per capita tax of $1.00 on each able bodied male between the ages of 18 and 55 both inclusive and a vehicle tax on all vehicles as graded in resolution ordering election.

Said election shall be held at the regular polling place in Ward 6 and under the regulations governing such elections.

The following are appointed commissioners and clerks of said election, L. Page, Joseph Welch, Sr. and E. M. Winn, commissioners; T. B. Sellers, clerk.

Notice is hereby given that the said Police Jury of the Parish of Natchitoches will meet at its regular meeting place in the Court House in the city of Natchitoches Monday a. m. the 7th, day of July 1919 in open session open the ballot boxes and count the ballots in number and amount and declare the result of the election.

Natchitoches, La., this 11th, day of April 1919.

Jas. F. Salter,
President Police Jury Parish of Natchitoches, Louisiana.

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TUESDAY, MAY 20, 1919

for the building of about five miles of dirt road, with fills, cuts and culverts, according to plans and specifications to be seen at the Post Office at Provencal, La. said road to run from the end of the present graded road extending south of Provencal, and known as the Leesville road, to the hill in front of Bellwood school, also an additional two miles on the Shady Grove road from end of present grading.

Bids will be opened at 12 M. Tuesday, May 20, 1919. Right to reject all bids reserved.

Any commissioner will show prospective bidders over route.

C. C. SANDERS,
Ex-Office Chmn., Road Commissioners, Ward 7, Natchitoches, La.

Notice for Bids

Contracts will be let for six negro school buildings in Natchitoches parish

SATURDAY, MAY 17th.

Rights reserved to reject any or all bids.

Places and specifications may be seen my office at Natchitoches.

L. E. HUDSON,
Supt. Parish School

NOTICE

Clyde T. Knott,
Vs.
District Attorney 11th D. C. for Parish Natchitoches, La. 11th D. C.
No. —

In this case and considering the law, Act 106 of the General Assembly, for the year 1877, E. S., and upon hearing the facts of the case, and finding the reasons assigned justifiable, and the applicant above the age of twenty-one, it is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed that the name of Clyde T Knott is hereby changed to the name of Clyde T. Glass, which will be his just and lawful name hereafter.

It is further ordered this judgment be published in the official journal of the Parish in the city of Natchitoches, for 15 days, and that a fee of ten dollars ($10.00) in favor of the District Attorney, together with the costs of court is taxed to the applicant

This done, read and signed in open court, this May 6th, 1919.

W. T. CUNNINGHAM,
Judge 11th D. C., La.

I certify the above to be a true and corrected copy of the judgment on file for record in my office.

Witness my hand and seal this May 6, 1919.

(Signed) A. H. LECOMTE,
Deptuy Clerk 11th D. C., La.

May 8, 1919-3t.

NOTICE

SUCCESSION OF GUSTAVE LACAZE AND ELIZA LACASE, 11TH D. C., No. 2962.

Attrell Lacase, administrator of above successions, having this day filed his final account of administration, notice is hereby given to all persons interested to show cause why same should not be promulgated and the bond canceled.

J. H. HYAMS,
Clerk 11th D. C., La.

May 1, 1919-3t

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