

## Proceedings of the Police Jury of Iberia Parish.

New Iberia, Ya., June 17, '20.  
Pursuant to adjournment of date June 8th, 1920 the Police Jury of the Parish of Iberia convened this day in adjourned session with Mr. Clet Girard presiding in the chair and the following members present: Messrs. E. J. Gary, F. Greig, L. Decuir, Z. Boutte, T. David, C. Girard, L. J. Landry, O. Leleu, F. Schexnayder and L. Lyons.

Absent, Mr. L. C. DeBlanc.  
The President declared a quorum and Mr. Landry moved that the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be postponed to the next regular meeting. This motion was duly seconded and unanimously carried.

The formation of a Finance Committee, Road Committee and Jail and Court House Committee being in line Mr. Schexnayder moved that the Finance Committee be composed of Messrs. L. Cyrus DeBlanc, Chairman; E. J. Gary, Leonard Lyons, Zenon Boutte and C. Girard.

And that the Road Committee be composed of Messrs. Leon J. Landry, Chairman; Felix Schexnayder, Frank Greig, Onezippe Leleu and Theo. David.

And that the Jail and Court House Committee be composed of Messrs. Louis Decuir, Chairman; Onezippe Leleu and L. C. DeBlanc.

There being no objection to the above selection and this motion being seconded by Mr. Gary and unanimously voted in favor same is hereby carried.

Mr. Oscar Romero requested the Police Jury to take up the matter of appointing a Board of Supervisors of Road District No. 2 to replace the Board of Supervisors disqualified by a recent order of Court.

Mr. Porteus Burke, representing a certain number of tax payers from the Road District No. 2, filed with the secretary of the Police Jury a petition signed by tax payers residing within Road District No. 2 said petition reciting that Messrs. Oscar Romero, Luzion Sedotal, Sidney Hebert, J. J. Olivier and C. Duplantis be appointed as Board of Supervisors of Road District No. 2 said petition being certified by Messrs. Jules Olivier, O. D. Romero and Sidney Hebert as having more than fifty per cent of the resident tax payers in Road District No. 2. Mr. Burke called the attention of the Police Jury to the fact that, inasmuch as the tax payers of said Road District appears to be divided as to the selection of the proper route for the proposed gravel road and that funds for construction are barely sufficient to build one road, it would be wise that the Police Jury call a special election within said Road District at a future date for the purpose of ascertaining the sense of the qualified voters as to voting an additional Bond Issue which would render the construction of both roads possible.

Mr. Frank Greig presented through his attorney, Mr. Brumbly a petition signed by resident tax payers of Road District No. 2 said petition calling for the appointment of Messrs. Adolph Broussard, J. E. Lewis, Laodice Myers, George Duboin and Louis Pesson as members of the Board of Supervisors of Road District No. 2, said petition being certified by the Assessor as containing more than fifty per cent of the resident tax payers within Road District No. 2. Said petition being also filed with the Secretary of the Police Jury.

Before taking any action on the two petitions the President Mr. C. Girard, called on the District Attorney, Mr. E. Vuillemot for legal advice.

Mr. E. Vuillemot stated that the Police Jury could not proceed

in appointing a Board of Supervisors of Road District No. 2 for the reason that in the recent suit entitled "Laodis Myers et al vs. the Police Jury of Iberia Parish" a suspensive appeal was taken to the Supreme Court and no decision rendered on the subject to date and unless the Attorney for the plaintiff filed a motion for dismissal of the suit with the Supreme Court that the Police Jury was powerless to act in the matter.

At this juncture Messrs. Delahoussaye, Caffery and Brumbly attorney for plaintiff filed a motion for dismissal of the suit, with the secretary of the Police Jury and the Secretary is hereby instructed to forward same to the Clerk of the Supreme Court in New Orleans, La. Whereupon Mr. Leon J. Landry moved that the Police Jury call a special election within Road District No. 2 for an additional Bond Issue within said Road District, said additional bond issue to be within the constitutional limit, and that no Board of Supervisors for Road District No. 2 be appointed until said special election be held within said Road District, this motion was seconded by Mr. Schexnayder when Mr. Frank Greig offered the following substitute to wit: Moved by Mr. Greig that the Police Jury of Iberia now proceed to appoint a Board of Supervisors for Road District No. 2, this petition being seconded by Mr. Leleu and a vote being taken thereon the result was as follows:



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Yeas, Mr. Frank Greig. Nays, Messrs. Gary, Boutte, David, Landry, Schexnayder, Lyon (7).

Not voting, Mr. Decuir and Mr. Leleu (2).

The nays being in majority, the motion is hereby declared lost.

The original motion by Mr. Landry being in line the vote thereon resulted as follows.

Yeas, Messrs. Gary, Boutte, David, Landry, Schexnayder and Lyon (6).

Nays, Mr. Frank Greig (1).

Not voting, (Messrs. Decuir, Leleu, Girard (3).

The Yeas being in majority the motion is hereby declared carried.

Moved by Mr. Frank Greig that a committee composed of Messrs.

Leon J. Landry, Clet Girard and Paul Bassin be appointed to check both petitions now on file with the Secretary of the Police Jury in regard to appointment of a Board of Supervisors of Road District No. 2, and report at the next regular meeting. This motion was duly seconded by Mr. Leleu and unanimously carried.

Mr. Schexnayder moved that the Jail and Court House Committee insert in the official journal of the Parish the following solicitation for bids for the re-roofing of the Court House to-wit:

"Bids are solicited by the Police Jury of Iberia Parish for the re-roofing of the Court House. Sealed bids will be received by the Secretary of the Police Jury up to and including July 24th, 1920. The Police Jury reserve the right to open said bids any time after said date and also to reject any and all bids. Certified check for five per cent of the bid must accompany each bid, said check to be returned to the unsuccessful bidder at once. The check of the successful bidder to be forfeited to the Police Jury if he fail to fulfill the condition of his bid.

JAIL AND COURT HOUSE COMMITTEE,

LOUIS DECUIR,

Chairman.

ONEZIPPE LELEU,

L. C. DEBLANC.

Mr. Lyon seconded that motion which was carried unanimously.

Mr. Lyon moved that the Police Jury in a body visit both proposed routes in Road District No. 2, next Sunday at 9 A. M. Mr. Leleu seconded said motion which was carried unanimously.

Mr. Duncan Buie, State High;

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