

Extract from the Proceedings of the Police Jury of February 7th, 1887.

The Police Jury then in a Committee of the whole, proceeds under sect. 2745 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Louisiana to make out an estimate exhibiting the various items of expenditures of the Parish of St. Martin for the year 1887 as follows:

For Criminal Expenses
Fees of Justices & Constables \$250.
" Sheriff in Criminal matters 500.
" attending on Courts 500.
" Jurors and Witnesses 1500.
" Expenses of Prisoners in jail 1350.
Amount required to meet the current criminal expenses during the year 1887 \$3,900

Salary of the Assessor \$450
" Clerk Police Jury 250
" Accountant 100
" Coroner 200
" Official Journals 250
" Police Jurors per diem & mileage 600
" Keepers of Bridges 150
" Jury Commissioners 50
" Clerk of Court for Indexes 200

To the Sheriff his Commission as Tax Coll. 650
To the Treasurer 300
" Paupers 100
" Porter 100

Bal. due on building bridge at St. Martinsville 600
" on Debt of 1885 750
" " 1886 1000
" the Funded Warrants 1500
" Roads & Bridges 1800
" Incidental expenses 350

Amount required to meet the current expenses for the year 1887. \$9400

Total estimate of the expenditures of the Parish during the year 1887, thirteen thousand three hundred dollars. \$13,300.

An ordinance to redistrict the Parish of St. Martin into Police Jury wards and into Justices of the Peace wards and to better define the boundaries thereof.

Sec. 1. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Martin in regular meeting assembled, that the parish of St. Martin shall be divided and are by this ordinance and resolution divided in five wards, with and counting to the boundaries and lines below described to wit:

1st ward to embrace all that portion of the territory extending from the dividing lines of St. Martin and Iberia on the South from Lafayette on the west and from the West line of 2nd Ward, herein fixed to the junction of Bayou Tortue and Capucin from that point following Bayou Capucin, to the coulee known as Cypress Island coulee, then following said coulee to the place known as Gilbert Amy bridge near lower line of sect. 109 then following lower line of sect. 109 T. 10 S. R. 6 E. N 65 E to the road back of the 40 arpents from Teche, then following said road to the government canal then following said canal, being northern limit of corporation of St. Martinsville, to the Teche then following the Teche to lower line of Henry Dittmann then following said lower line to 40 arpents, then following road back of 40 arpents to the lower line of G. W. Banker, then following lower line of G. W. Banker to the edge of Grand Bois then following edge of Grand Bois to road known as the Durand road then following said road to the end of said road, then in a straight line to Lake Round, then following the Lake to Bayou Grand Geule then following Grand Geule Bayou to Lake Dauterive then following lake Dauterive to Bayou Portage where the Parish of St. Martin and Iberia meet. The territory embraced within the described limits is known as the 1st ward.

2nd ward. To begin on Lake Round where the northern line of 1st ward strikes said lake, then in a straight line to northern line of T 10 S R 8 E at 3 miles east of Catahoula lake then in a straight line to strike the West township line of T 9 S R 8 E at three miles north of Catahoula lake then in a straight line to reach the middle of North line of T 9 S R 7 E, then due north to northern line of T 8 S R 7 E being south boundary of St. Landry parish then following said line to Atchafalaya River. The 2nd ward comprising all the territory situated between this line presently described and the parish of St. Landry, Pointe Coupee, Iberville and Iberia. Also all the territory bounded north by Iberia Parish East by Assumption and St. Mary on West.

3rd ward.—The 3rd ward beginning at the junction of Bayou Capucin and Tortue to northern line of T 10 S R 5 E then due East to lower line of land formerly belonging to Sidney Mouton, then following Sidney Mouton lower line to Bayou Teche, then following the Bayou Teche to the land of Joseph Potier, then following land of Joseph Potier to upper line of Albert Broussard, then following upper line of Albert Broussard to 40 arpents, then following same course R 50 1/2 E to West boundary line of 2nd ward. The 3rd ward comprising all the territory North of 1st ward, west of 2nd ward east of Bayou Tortue and South of line dividing ward 3rd and 4th wards above described.

4th. ward.—The northern limit of the 4th. ward begin at S. E. corner of Sec. 30 T. 8 S. N. 5 E. or limit between St. Martin and Lafayette from that line across the land of S. V. Martin, to west end of coulee Latiolais; then following said coulee Latiolais to the N E corner of Lou LeBlanc land; then following Lou LeBlanc to the lower line of Declouet's Magnolia plantation; then, following the lower line of the Magnolia plantation to Bayou Teche, then following Bayou Teche to the upper line of the land of Mrs. Felix Broussard formerly Vve Pierre Broussard, then following upper line of Felix Broussard to the 40 arpents then in an easterly direction following the bank line of 40 arpents from Teche to the eastern line of Arcade Patin then following the eastern line of Arcade Patin to the North line of T 9 S R 6 E, then East to the west line of the 2nd ward, the 4th ward comprising all the territory North of 3rd ward, West of 2nd ward East of Lafayette and South of line presently described between Wards 4th. and 5th.

5th. ward.—To comprise all the territory North of 4th ward, west of 2nd. ward South of St Landry Parish, and West of Lafayette Parish.

A plat made by S. V. Martin, showing the territory of St. Martin Parish divided in Wards is also accepted as an illustration of the division of the Parish in wards.

There being no further business to deliberate upon, the meeting was adjourned. A true copy from the Minutes.

A. MARAIST, Clerk P. J.

Regular Meeting of the Police Jury of the Parish of St. Martin held on this 7th. day of March 1887.

The Meeting was called to order by the President. The following members were present: Hon F. Berard and Messrs. Duchamp, Patin and Gillard. Absent: Mr. Chs. Gutekunst.

The Minutes of last meeting were read and previous to being approved were amended and changed as regards resolutions referring to checks and evidences of indebtedness prior to the year 1885, limiting same to date not to extend beyond July 11th. 1883, time at which the funds warrants were issued.

The clerk reports, as accountant of the Police Jury, that he has issued to date 455 checks on the Parish Treasurer, against appropriations of the schedule of 1886, said checks amounting in total to the sum of nine thousand, one hundred and twenty 451/100 dollars, as shown by his books found correct and approved. He further reports that he has delivered to the Sheriff, Tax Collector blank Parish Licenses for the year 1887, amounting to the sum of fifteen hundred dollars as stipulated and detailed by receipt detail and signed Feb. 17th 1887.

Mr. C. Smedes, chairman of committee appointed at last Meeting tenders a written report of said Committee said report is accepted and the President to act upon same.

The President as member of Committee on the building of bridge at Coulee Pointe Claire submits a written report which is accepted and said committee authorized to have said work executed in time and according to verbal instructions given.

The Clerk was authorized to issue checks against appropriations in the schedule of 1887 for all amounts presented and approved this day on and after the 14th. inst. at which date the schedule of said year will become legal. He was also authorized to issue checks for such proportion of the Funded warrants payable this year as per resolution passed at the last meeting.

There being no further business before the Police Jury the Meeting was adjourned.

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