

Notice of Election.

St. Martinville, La., Aug. 13, 1912.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Pursuant to the authority vested in us by the general election laws of the State of Louisiana, and also at the request of the Mayor and Council of the Town of St. Martinville, we, the members of the Board of Supervisors of the Parish of St. Martin, Louisiana, hereby give notice that a special election of the property tax payers residing in the corporate limits of the Town of St. Martinville, qualified to vote under the constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, will be held on the 20th day of September A. D. 1912, to vote for or against a proposition to impose, levy and collect a special tax of five mills on all of the assessable property situated within said town of St. Martinville in aid of a railway enterprise, and in favor, for the benefit and in aid of the Southwestern Traction and Power Company its successors or assigns, said tax to be levied and collected beginning with the year 1913 and extending to and including the year 1922 and to realize the aggregate amount of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars, provided that in case the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) be collected and turned over to said company before the expiration of ten (10) years, that the said tax shall cease and terminate as soon as this sum is collected and turned over, all of which will be more readily ascertained by reference to the ordinance of the Mayor and Council adopted on the 13th day of August, 1912.

Said election shall be held in accordance with the ordinance of the Mayor and Council of the Town of St. Martinville, adopted on the 13th day of August, 1912, and in the manner provided by the general election laws of the State of Louisiana.

Said tax to be voted, levied, imposed and collected in accordance with the terms and conditions set forth in the petition or more than one third (1-3) of the property tax payers qualified to vote under the constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, filed with the Mayor and Council on the 6th day of August, 1912, and the ordinance of the Mayor and Council of the Town of St. Martinville calling said election, adopted on the 13th of Aug. 1912. Said election shall be held throughout the town of St. Martinville, the polling place of said election being the Court House in the town of St. Martinville, Parish of St. Martin, Louisiana the place at which the last preceding general election was held, and the hours of said election shall be from six (6) a. m. to seven (7) p. m. The following is the form of ballot to be used at said election.

FOR a special tax of five mills on the dollar, per annum, to be imposed, and collected in aid of a railway enterprise, and in favor of, for the benefit of and in aid of the Southwestern Traction and Power Company, its successors or assigns, said tax to be imposed, levied and collected beginning with the year 1913 and extending to and including the year 1922, so as to realize the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00), provided that in case the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) be collected and turned over to said company before the expiration of the ten (10) years that the said tax shall cease as soon as this sum is collected and turned over to the Southwestern Traction and Power Company, its successors or assigns.

AGAINST a special tax of five mills on the dollar, per annum, to be imposed and levied and collected in aid of a railway enterprise, and in favor of, for the benefit of and in aid of the Southwestern Traction and Power Company, its successors or assigns, said tax to be imposed, levied and collected beginning with the year 1913 and extending to and including the year 1922 so as to realize the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00), provided that in case the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars (\$25,000.00) be collected and turned over to the said company before the expiration of the ten (10) years that the said tax shall cease as soon as this sum is collected and turned over to the Southwestern Traction and Power Company, its successors or assigns.

Taxable Valuation \$.....
Signature of Voter.....

The following registered voters be and they are hereby appointed commissioners of said election:

- IGNACE BIENVENU,
- F. Z. POWER,
- A. G. GOULAS,
- J. G. BROUSSARD,

Notice is further given that the Board of Supervisors of the Parish of St. Martin, Louisiana, will meet in open session in the Town of St. Martinville, on Friday the 27th of September, 1912, at Eleven (11) A. M., proceed to open the ballot box, examine and count the ballots therein, in number and amount, examine and canvass the returns, draw up a process-verbal declaring the result of the election and make due return of said election to the Mayor and Council of the Town of St. Martinville in the manner provided by law.

- A. D. ROY,
- J. C. BIENVENU,
- ALBERT DANTREUIL,

Oats, Hay, Bran at L. Bienvenu.

LOCAL NEWS.

—Mr. Wm. Bourdier of Breaux Bridge is visiting here.

Mrs. A. J. Azar of New Orleans is visiting relatives here.

—Shoes, Hauen, Bostonian and others grades at K. Schwartz.

—Mr. and Mrs. Bud Thomas of Breaux Bridge spent the week here.

Prof. P. L. Guilbeau of Ebenezer, La., was here for a few days this week.

—Prof. Arthur J. Cormier of Breaux Bridge was visiting here this week.

—Mrs. A. B. Terrou of Breaux Bridge spent several days here this week.

—Miss Octavie Bienvenu spent several days with relatives at Cade this week.

—The Sisters of Mercy will reopen their schools Monday September 2nd.

Mohair and Pongee Suits are offered at real Bargain Prices at K. Schwartz.

Voters should all remember that the primary election will take place next Tuesday.

—Miss Lilian Neal of New Orleans is visiting here, the guest of Miss Lucy Bulliard.

Mrs. Felix Broussard of Breaux Bridge was here several days this week, visiting relatives.

Mr. C. L. Delahoussaye of Patoutville spent several days here this week visiting relatives.

Miss Paola Moutou of Lafayette spent several days here this week, guest of Miss Helen Simon.

—Mrs. Jas. E. Moutou returned from New Orleans Thursday, where hee spent several days.

—Messrs. A. A. Raïsonet, John Comeaux and L. C. St. Germain of Breaux Bridge were here Monday.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Patin of Orange, Texas, are here guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Eastin.

Corn in shucks for sale by the barrels, can supply you with corn in small or large quantities, Bienvenu's feed store.

Prof. Jas. F. Broussard of Baton Rouge spent several days here this week, guest of his brother, Mr. J. G. Broussard.

Mr. Joseph Bienvenu of Broussard spent the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Bienvenu on their plantation.

Mr. Alphonse Ducrest of Valparaiso, Ind., arrived here the latter part of last week to spend a few days with relatives.

—Mr. W. J. Bailey, traveling freight agent of the Missouri Pacific and Iron Mountain railroads was in town this week in the interest of his roads.

A dance was given at the home of Mr. B. S. Dessence Monday night in honor of Miss Vivian Lyall of Gibson, who is here on a visit to Miss Eva Salles.

Mrs. Henry Hebert of New Iberia spent several days here this week, having been summoned to the sick bed of the baby of her daughter, Mrs. Claud Thomas.

Rub-My-Tism will cure you. 25 cent.

—Mr. K. Schwartz has just returned from the North where he bought a big stock of goods and in order to make room for the large stock to arrive soon, is offering all his summer goods at very low prices.

For Justice of the Supreme Court.

I take pleasure in presenting myself to the voters of the Fourth Supreme Court, for re-election, and solicit their support.

JOS. A. BREAUX.

Constable Emile Martin made a trip to Jeanerette Thursday and returned with two young negro fugitives, one on a charge of petty larceny and the other having escaped while serving a sentence from the Mayor's Court.

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Mr. Ubald Melancon and Miss Gabrielle Ducrest of Parks were married at the St. Louis Cathedral in New Orleans, Monday evening the 26th inst., Mr. and Mrs. Melancon will spend a few days in New Orleans and Biloxi before returning to Parks where they will make their home.

The assessment for the Parish of St. Martin as made up by the Assessor for the year 1912, is \$3,447,657.

Mrs. Ozomé Oubre, née Berthe Parcellle, died on the plantation of her husband, Fausse Pointe, at 9 o'clock Wednesday and was buried here Thursday evening at 5 o'clock. Mrs. Oubre was 59 years of age. She was a sister of Mrs. M. L. Broussard and Mrs. Adolphe Bienvenu of this town.

We have been having showers almost every day during the past few days. They are not injurious to the crops except cotton and hay making, and keep the road in bad condition.

We direct the attention of our readers to the rules and ordinances adopted by the Town Board of Health which will be strictly enforced. We would like to request our people to immediately comply with said rules.

—Mr. and Mrs. Claude Thomas had the misfortune to lose their little boy, Leslie Thomas, who died at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at the age of 14 months and 18 days. He was buried at six o'clock the same evening.

Teach the boys and girls to plant and tend a tree or flower and it will afford them not alone experience, but it will inspire within them a new sense of ownership, thereby increasing their self-respect and heightening their capacity to enjoy.

If parents could be brought to reflect that the child is but the man or woman in miniature, what a gain would be made. If they might but realize how accurately the boy reflects the father and the girl the mother, in habits, manner and speech, how much more careful they would be.

HOW TO LIVE.

“Worry less and work more,
Ride less and walk more,
Frown less and laugh more,
Drink less and breathe more,
Eat less and chew more.
Preach less and practice more.
—Excell.

Uncle Ezra Says

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