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Definite Purpose In Life.

It is a fact that many women have no definite desire to get anywhere in the work they are doing. They consider their job as the least important thing in their lives, and rarely have a plan ending toward ultimate expansion and a time when they can feel they have accomplished what they started to do.

Men have quite another point of view. The boy in his teens is already thinking and planning some path in life that will take him somehow to the top. He is perhaps deeply interested in some profession or trade; he means to "be something."

Work toward something fixed. Maybe it is a small place of your own some time in the beyond, out in the green country. Maybe it is the top of the work you are now doing. Maybe it is an independent business of your own. Whatever it may be, keep your mind turned toward it, put your effort into realizing it, into saving for it into the necessary study and growth that must accompany it.

Your life will be far more interesting and worth while if you do work with some definite mark. Possibly your ideal may change later, you may decide that there is something else that seems more worth your endeavor. But go ahead at present toward what you now desire.

Fair and Concert October 18th benefit of Cemetery.

On Sunday October 18th, 1914, a grand Fair and Concert will be given in St. Martinville for the benefit of the Cemetery. A splendid program is being prepared for the occasion, and a good time is assured for all. We will publish the program in our next paper.

Since Sunday the New Orleans train is due here at 12:45 P. M. This change of schedule give us our mail 30 minutes earlier than before.

The Lafayette Fair take place October 8-9-10-11-1914. Excursion from here Sunday Oct. 11th.

RICE LAND FOR RENT.

500 acres Rice land on Bayou Teche and on Rail Road, good flat land easy to irrigate easy to drain, near Parks station.

91 acres of the Amselmo's near the Garbarini's plantation, having house, stable.

350 acres 1/4 mile from St. Martinville on Bayou Teche and on Railroad, with all Levees and Canal necessary.

240 acres Rice Land near St. Martinville, will put down a well on a 2 or 3 years contract.

50 acre farm near refinery, tenant house, stable and etc.

One peddler hack, one deliver wagon, two small horses, must be sold this week.

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LOCAL NEWS.

The rain Sunday was a big help to the Sweet Potato crop.

—Mr. T. J. Labbe attended the Fair in Franklin Sunday.

Mrs. J. B. Ferran is spending a few days in New Orleans.

—Mr. Lionel Bienvenu of Opelousas was in town Thursday.

—Mr. C. C. Martin of Anse-la-Butte was on a visit here Thursday.

J. F. Ferran and Slim Ellefson made a trip to New Orleans this week.

Mr. Edgar Halphen of Orange, Texas, is spending a few days with relatives here.

—Miss Camiola Bienvenu left Sunday to enter the Lafayette Industrial Institute.

School Suits for Boys, I have a good line, come and see them—K. Schwartz.

Prof. Sidney Durand left Sunday for Donaldsonville where he will be assistant principal.

—A Grand and Pettit Jury was drawn last Friday for the October criminal term of court. The list is published in this issue.

—Prof. and Mrs. S. W. Plauche arrived here this week. Prof. Plauche will be Assistant Principal at the High School this year.

—Xavier Jenkin a colored man living in St. Martinville was found drowned in Bayou Teche here Tuesday. It is not known how Jenkin drowned.

Mr. Albert Bienvenu spent several days in New Orleans this week with his daughter Miss Octavia, who underwent an operation for appendicitis.

The Concert given by our young people last Sunday for benefit of our new Brass Band was a complete success. All taking parts did very well, and the nice sum of \$72.00 was realized.

—We have the complaint from several of our planters living along the Bayou Teche; that the Acid put on the Water Lillies by the Government boat to destroy them, has caused the death of a large number of cattle. The cattle eat the Lillies and die from the effect of the poison.

When in need of Fancy Groceries, telephone J. B. Ferran's Grocery.

TAX SALES.

State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Martin, CORPORATION OF PARKS.

vs

DELINQUENT TAX DEBTORS.

By virtue of the authority in me vested by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Louisiana, I will offer for sale, at the front door of the Town Hall of Parks, this Parish, in Parks, La., within the legal hours for Judicial Sales, beginning at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., on

Saturday Oct. 31, 1914,

and continuing on each succeeding day until said sales are completed, all immovable and movable on which taxes are now due to the Corporation of Parks, as per assessment for the year 1913, together with interest from January 1st 1913 at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum until paid and all costs, as follows, to wit:

Albert Solari, bounded Road, Berard, Vendor, Same.....\$1.05

Wm. Dwer, bounded Meuton, Lots 32, Lots 95x95, Lot 29.....\$1.25

Sam Ogbon, bounded Lots 88x89.....\$1.25

Louis Roy, bounded Melanson, Same, Bridge street, Barras

Louis Roy, bounded Potier, Teche, Diron Road, Potier, Teche, Roy self.. \$4.55

Mrs. Martin Thibodeaux, bounded Solari, Teche, Potier, Road.....\$2.55

Secretary's Office this 23rd day of Sept. 1914.

LOUIS DELAUREAL, Secretary.

Oil Helps Dirt Roads.

In some portions of the West oil is being used on dirt roads to advantage, the benefits depending largely on the character of the soil.

An organization has been formed in Clay county, Mo., for the purpose of making some experiments in this line. The Kansas City Star says that some years ago the roads in Swope Park, Kansas City, were oiled and that they gave good service for two or three years until they were macadamized.

Oil has been used very largely on macadam roads and in most cases has proved beneficial. Its advantages on dirt roads are not so well understood. Among these advantages as set forth by the advocates of oiled dirt roads are the elimination of dust and weeds and the minimization of the damage resulting from rainfall. The surface, it is said, is tenacious both in wet and dry weather, though heavy wagons in time will make ruts. The road does not get muddy so long as the oil surface holds.

The Kansas City Star quotes a man who has had much experience in such work as saying that the road should first be ditched and covered with grades and scrapers. A harrow should then be run over it, and about one-half gallon of oil applied to every square yard. A roller should follow on the wet surface of the oil. "For an eighteen-foot roadway the cost of oil is about \$316 a mile and the cost of grading, harrowing, spreading and rolling should not exceed \$75 or \$100 a mile." The spreading, it is stated, can be done conveniently and economically with an ordinary sprinkling cart.

The oiled dirt road is not as good as the oiled macadam road, but when the soil and other conditions are favorable it has been found to be well worth its cost. Of course, it cannot be used anywhere and everywhere and experiments in localities where there is doubt as to results should be on a limited basis.

See my fine line of Samples before ordering your Fall and Winter Suits



Good Clothes

K. SCHWARTZ.

—The session for the Public Schools of St. Martin Parish will begin Sept. 28. At 10 a. m., Monday Sept. 28, there will be a preliminary institute at the High School in St. Martinville. All teachers must report. Material and information for the year's work will be furnished. At 9 a. m. Tuesday Sept. 29, the actual teaching of classes-school work proper will begin.

JURY LIST.

State of Louisiana, Parish of St. Martin.

Drawing of the Jury for the terms of Court 1914 month of October, drawn on the 18th day of September 1914, We the undersigned Jury Commissioners, A. A. Ransonnet, Anthony Thibodeaux, Amede Champagne and Geo. S. Eastin in and for the Parish of St. Martin, La., and as such duly sworn and qualified, pursuant to an order of Court dated Sept. 11th, 1914, and in accordance with the summons issued by the Clerk of Court, conveying the Jury Commissioners for this date, repairs to the Court House of the Parish of St. Martin at the Clerk of Court office in the Town of St. Martinville, La., for the purpose of replenishing the Venire Box and selecting a Grand Jury and drawing of a Petit Jury for the October term of Court as required by law and then and there having arrived we proceed in accordance with Section 6 of Act 135 of 1898 and in presence of J. O. Halphen, Sr., and A. D. Roy witnesses known and hereunto required and qualified electors of this Parish together with A. F. Domengeaux Clerk of Court Ex-Officio Chairman of the Jury Commissioners to replenish the General Venire Box.

Having been furnished by the Clerk of Court with the Original Venire List we proceed in accordance with Sec. 6 of Act No. 135 of 1898, to examine said list and to strike therefrom the names of those who had served as Grand and Petit Jurors since last replenishment and found remaining in the box 250 names and after throwing out and striking from said list the names of those who were known to have died, removed from the Parish became exempt or disqualified to serve as Jurors amounting to 2 leaving therein 248 names we proceed to replenish and supplement the Grand Venire box by adding 52 names from among the qualified electors of the Parish.

And having thus replenished and completed the General Venire box and list according to law, we proceeded to the selecting of a Grand Jury, the slips containing the names of the Jurors were then placed in the General Venire Box, Then we proceeded to the selecting of the Twenty Jurors to serve as Grand Jurors in accordance with the order of Court to serve for the term of six months beginning on Monday October 5, 1914.

The names thus selected are as follows:

- 1 Jos. Peschier.....1 ward
- 2 L. J. Duchamp....1 ward
- 3 Laurent Ducrest.. 3 ward
- 4 Numa Durio..... 4 ward
- 5 Amand Broussard .4 ward
- 6 Omer Champagne .5 ward
- 7 Fernand Fournet ..1 ward
- 8 H. P. Olivier.....1 ward
- 9 Jean Domec5 ward
- 10 Albert Durand1 ward
- 11 Chas. Gauthier....3 ward
- 12 Collins Conrad4 ward
- 13 Scott Kelso.....1 ward
- 14 B. C. Kidder.....4 ward
- 15 J. K. Melancon....4 ward
- 16 A. J. Olivier.....5 ward
- 17 Aug. Guirard.....1 ward

- 18 Ellis Hebert1 ward
- 19 Louis Barras.....3 ward
- 20 Remy Angelle.....4 ward

The names thus selected being written on separate slips of paper were placed by us in an envelope which was sealed and endorsed: — "List of Grand Jurors."

Thus done we proceeded to draw from said Venire Box the names of Thirty Jurors to serve as Petit Jurors for the week beginning Monday October 19th, 1914.

The names thus drawn are as follows to-wit:

- 1 B. R. Martet.....5 ward
- 2 Emile Dautreuil...3 ward
- 3 Chas. Bernard.....1 ward
- 4 Alcee Castille5 ward
- 5 Leonce Breaux....1 ward
- 6 Chas. Barras.....3 ward
- 7 Maurice Melancon.1 ward
- 8 Jules Nectoux.....1 ward
- 9 Amede Demurger..1 ward
- 10 Martin Dautreuil..1 ward
- 11 Martin Wiltz.....3 ward
- 12 Lazar Bourque....1 ward
- 13 Terville Bienvenu..1 ward
- 14 J. G. Duplantis ..1 ward
- 15 Armand Patin.....5 ward
- 16 J. Gadiel Bienvenu1 ward
- 17 John B. DeLaloire.1 ward
- 18 Sidney Beslin....1 ward
- 19 Erar Robichaud...3 ward
- 20 Felix E. Keller....1 ward
- 21 Joseph Molire....4 ward
- 22 J. B. Fournet1 ward
- 23 H. D. Smedes, Jr..1 ward
- 24 Adolp Resweber Jr 1 ward
- 25 Prudent Hollier ..4 ward
- 26 F. B. Devellier5 ward
- 27 Ivan T. Power.....1 ward
- 28 Armand Clement..1 ward
- 29 Albert Olivier....1 ward
- 30 John Castille.....4 ward

Which names thus drawn were written on separate slips of paper and placed by us in an envelope which was sealed and endorsed, List of Jurors No. 1 and placed in the Jury Box.

Having thus completed the drawing of the Jury we have sealed the General Venire box placed the envelopes containing the list of Grand Jurors and List No. 1 of Petit Jurors in the Jury box which was also sealed by us and the whole delivered to the Clerk of Court, Ex-Officio Chairman of Jury Commissioners as custodian thereof.

In faith whereof witness our hand and seal of the Court at St. Martinville, La., this 18th day of September 1914 in presence of the hereinabove named witnesses.

Witnesses:
J. O. HALPHEN, SR
A. D. ROY.

GEO. S. EASTIN
A. A. RANSONET
A. CHAMPAGNE
A. THIBODEAUX.

A. F. DOMENFEAUX,
Clerk of Court, Ex-Officio Chairman Jury Commissioners.

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