

ordinance adopted September 8th., 1915;

BE IT ORDAINED, that the Ordinance adopted November 5th., 1913,
creating road

district Number Three out of that portion of the Parish, known as Grand Isle be and the same is hereby repealed, and the appointment of said commissioners for the said road district is hereby set aside.

On motion of Mr. Hock seconded by Mr. Terrebonne, the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, there are certain navigable streams to cross in construction of the Barataria Road, and whereas the committee appointed by this Jury to construct said road wish to make an effort to raise funds to construct necessary draw bridges by private subscription, and WHEREAS, it will be necessary to apply to the Federal Government for permission to construct said Bridges;

BE IT RESOLVED, that the District Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to make application to the war department for permission to build such bridges over the navigable streams necessary; provided that the Parish pays no portion of the cost of the construction of such bridges and that any bridges built shall be free to the public and immediately become the property of the parish.

Bids for Drugs and Toilet Articles awarded

Bids of A. C. Stumps, E. J. Vicknair, and Joseph Oplatek to supply Courthouse and Parish jail, with soap and toilet articles and to furnish prisoners at Parish jail with medicens were opened and the bid of Joseph Oplatek being the lowest, the contract was awarded to him, provided he include in his bid, toilet articles and soap to be furnished to the Courthouse and Jail as per advertisement for bids.

The Jury then adjourned.

F. L. St. Martin
President.

Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson, La.,
May 3rd., 1916.

The Police Jury met this day in special session.
Members present: F. L. St., Martin, R. B. Hock, J. D. Terrebonne, L. Guidry, H. Gardey, Paul Ristroph, Chas. R. Reimann.

The President announced that the special meeting was called for the purpose of opening and considering bids for the purchase of the Thirteen Thousand Dollars issue of bonds of Road District Number Three.

Bid on
Bonds of
Dist. No 3
Rejected

Only one bid was presented, that of J. R. South-erland and Company and the terms of the said bid not being satisfactory, it was moved, seconded and carried that the bid be rejected and that the Certified check accompanying same be returned to the bidder.

The Jury then adjourned.

Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

F. L. St. Martin
President.

Office of the Police Jury
Parish of Jefferson

Gretna, La., June 7th., 1916.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present:- F. L. St. Martin, president; R. B. Hock, J. D. Terrebonne, L. Guidry, Chas. Reimann:-

Absent:- Paul Ristroph.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read, and on motion duly seconded they were approved-.

On Motion duly seconded the Jury then adjourned sine die.

The following recently-elected and duly commissioned members of the Police Jury then assembled: A. Rouprich 1st., ward., Wm. E. Strehle, 2nd., ward., E. Stritzinger, 3rd., ward., J. D. Terrebonne 4th., ward., H. P. Burbank 5th., ward, Jules G. Fisher 6th., ward; Wm. E. Luke 7th., ward A. S. Thompson 8th., ward, John Clancy 9th., ward.,

Permanent organization being in order, on Motion of Mr. Thompson, duly seconded; Mr. Jules G. Fisher was elected President by acclamation.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger, duly seconded, Mr. H. P. Burbank was elected vice chairman by acclamation.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger duly seconded, Mr. Wm. Hepting was elected Secretary by acclamation.

On Motion of Mr. Terrebonne, duly seconded Mr. Ed. M. Hubert was elected treasurer by acclamation.

On Motion of Mr. Burbank duly seconded; Dr. Earl M. Brown was elected physician for the parish jail at a salary of \$20.00 per month.

The President then announced the appointment of the following standing committees of the Police Jury:

Finance:- A. S. Thompson, chairman; H. P. Burbank, E. Stritzinger. Jail and Courthouse; J. D. Terrebonne, chairman E. Stritzinger, Wm. E. Strehle.

Ferries and Franchises:- H. P. Burbank, chairman; A. Rouprich, Wm. Luke.

JUDICIARY;-Wm. E. Strehle, chairman, H. P. Burbank, John Clancy.

On motion duly seconded permission was granted to Dunbar, Dukate Company to lay a pipe line in the ditch on Salaville Avenue, to the

river and across the Street on said Avenue to the levee, Provided: that the said Company will restore in first class condition the Street from which ground has been taken.

The Jury then adjourned to meet again on Saturday June 10th., at 11 o'clock as a board of reviewers of the assessment rolls.

President.

Secretary.

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Office of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La., June 10th., 1916.

The Police Jury met this day pursuant to adjournment.

Members present- - Jules G. Fisher, President, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger J. D. Terrebonne, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy. Absent:- A. Rouprich, Hugh P. Burbank.

The President announced that the Jury had met as a board of reviewers of the assessment rolls for the year 1916.

The assessment rolls were duly presented by Assessor J. B. Dauenhauer Jr., when, after discussion, the Jury adjourned to meet again on June 20th., 1916 in special session as a board of reviewers.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La., June 20th., 1916.

The Police Jury met this day in special session as a board of reviewers of the assessment rolls for 1916.

Members present- - Jules G. Fisher president:- A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

After inspection of the assessment rolls for the year 1916 as presented by Assessor J. B. Dauenhauer Jr., it was resolved;

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger duly seconded, that the rolls as compiled and submitted by the assessor be approved and adopted.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:-

YEAS:- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS:-NONE.

The Board then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La., July 5th., 1916.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session,

Members present:- Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last Regular Meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the Official Journal.

The following reports of the Treasurer were received and approved:
Gretna, La., June 7th., 1916.

Honorable President and Members of
the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson.
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Parish Treasurer take leave to submit this my report for the Month of May 1916.

RECEIPTS.

Taxes and interest less commission.....	\$ 715.39
Business license less commission.....	29.70
Cart license less commission.....	10.88
Automobile license less commission	265.94
Total receipts.....	\$ 1021.92

DISBURSEMENTS.

Overdraught balance.....	\$ 33,521.80
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4335.....	75.00
William Hepting, V. 4336.....	75.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 4337.....	40.00
H. Bartholomew, V. 4338.....	45.00
John Romero, V. 4339.....	45.00
O. B. Stiles, V. 4340.....	10.00
Henry Weigel, V. 4341.....	10.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 4342.....	15.00
G. J. Vincent, V. 4343.....	6.60
George Burnaster, V. 4344.....	3.00
Theodore Burgas, V. 4345.....	3.00
Joseph Grantz, V. 4346.....	3.00
Julia Landry, V. 4347.....	3.00
James J. Keller, V. 4348.....	3.00
Renaud Perrin, V. 4349.....	3.00
Victor Kerner, Jr. V. 4350.....	3.00
J. B. Landry, V. 4351.....	13.95
Gretna Feed Store, V. 4352.....	123.75
W. U. Tel. & Tel. Co. V. 4353.....	2.00
Interstate Electric Co., V. 4354.....	6.88
Royal Type Co. V. 4355.....	60.00
Borum & O'Toole Co. V. 4356.....	63.49
C. M. Hale, V. 4357.....	200.00
William Hamilton, V. 4358.....	56.60
H. P. Burbank, V. 4359.....	110.00
Texas Oil Co. V. 4360.....	14.94
Joseph Oplatek V. 4361.....	12.50
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 4362.....	25.00

Cumberland T. & T Co., V. 4363.....	\$ 42.41
E. Ristroph, V. 4364.....	\$ 27.50
Jeff. Shell and Con. Co., V. 4365.....	\$ 84.28
Felix Gardey, V. 4366.....	\$ 18.00
O. P. H. Gugal, V. 4367.....	\$ 188.50
TOTAL.....	\$34,914.10
O-D Balance.....	\$33,892.18

Respectfully
E. M. Hubert,

Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., June 7th., 1916

Honorable President and Members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned treasurer of the First Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of May 1916,

May 1 st ., 1916 Balance on hand,	\$ 4,639.73
RECEIPTS	
May 1 st ., 1916, Taxes and interest less commission,	\$ 199.48
TOTAL RECEIPTS and balance	\$ 4,839.21
NO DISBURSEMENTS	00.00
BALANCE	\$ 4,839.21

Respectfully
E. M. Hubert

Treasurer First Good Road District.

Gretna, La., June 7th., 1916

Honorable President and members of the Police Jury Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Second Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of May 1916,

May 1 st ., 1916, BALANCE on hand	\$ 6,678.07
RECEIPTS	
May 1 st ., 1916, Taxes and Interest less comm.	\$ 9.40
TOTAL receipts and balance,	\$ 6,687.47
NO DISBURSEMENTS	00.00
BALANCE on hand	\$ 6,687.47

Respectfully
E. M. Hubert

Treasurer, Second Good Road District.

Gretna, La., July 1st., 1916

To the President and members of the Police Jury,
Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the month of June 1916,

CASH RECEIVED	
Taxes less comm.	247.21
Business License	39.60

Cart Licenses	8.41
TOTAL	295.22
CASH DISBURSED	
Overdraft Balance JUNE 30 th ., 1916,	\$ 33,892.18
Wm. Hepting, V. 4368,	75.00
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4369	75.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie V. 4370	40.00
C. J. Tassin V. 4371	15.00
H. Bartholomew V. 4372	45.00
Jno. Romero V. 4373	45.00
O. B. Stiles, V. 4374	10.00
Henry Weigel, V. 4375	10.00
TOTAL	\$ 34,207.18
OVERDRAFT BALANCE	\$ 33,911.96

E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., July 5th., 1916

To the President and members of the Police Jury,
Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report as Treasurer of the First Good Road District for the month of June 1916.

Balance June 1 st ., 1916.	4,839.21
CASH RECEIVED	
Taxes less comm.	39.33
Interest on deposits,	67.50
TOTAL	4,946.04
CASH DISBURSED	
NONE.	
BALANCE July 1 st ., 1916	4,946.04

E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer

Gretna, La., July 5th., 1916

To the President and members of the Police Jury,

Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report as Treasurer of the 2nd., Good Road District for the month of June 1916.

BALANCE June 1 st ., 1916,	6,361.83
CASH RECEIVED	
Taxes less commission,	34.28
Interest on deposits,	90.00
TOTAL	6,486.11
CASH DISBURSED	
NONE.	
BALANCE July 1 st ., 1916,	\$ 6,486.11

E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid. The report of the Parish Auditor was received and ordered filed.

The report of the Engineer of Road District Nos. 1 and 2 relative to abandonment of Road work by receiver H. J. Malochee was referred to the District Attorney for an opinion as to what legal steps the Police Jury may take in the matter.

Report of the Parish Engineer on survey and plan of the Riverside of Metairie Subdivision was received and the petition of property owners of Metairie Ridge was laid over to the next meeting for action.

Communication from Jefferson Highway Association was read and ordered filed.

Communication from John A. Fox regarding flood bills now before Congress was read and ordered filed.

Communication from Peter Stiffert complaining of cattle roaming at large on Metairie Ridge was referred to the District Attorney for action.

Communication from Louisiana State Board of Health urging the Jury to co-operate with the State Health Board to exterminate rats in the Parish was on motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Strehle laid over until next meeting.

Bills of the Cumberland T. & T. Co., for phone service of \$8.50, \$10.25 and \$8.16 were on motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Luke approved and ordered paid.

Bills of Algiers R. & L. Co., for light service at Courthouse \$3.95 at Parish Prison \$7.93, at Police Station \$1.00, were on motion of Mr. Burbank, seconded by Mr. Luke approved and ordered paid.

Bill of L. W. Wilkinson farm demonstrator for \$25.00 for month of June and bill of Joseph Oplatek for \$7.50 for month of June as per contract were approved and ordered paid.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burbank the bill of the Board of Supervisors of election for \$200.00 for service at election August 31, 1915, and January 18th, 1916 and the bill of Dr. G. Rossner and M. Earle Brown for examination of interdicted persons were referred to the District Attorney for an opinion.

The bill of R. J. Langridge for \$7.60 were merchandise for jail

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was laid over, bill of M. Rosenstock for \$25.70 for merchandise for jail was referred to the sheriff for approval.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the bill of Louisiana Cypress Lumber Company for \$52.97 for lumber furnished to jail was ordered paid.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson the Freiberg Lumber Company was granted permission to cross the public road in front of their mill site near Harahan with an overhead structure as per drawing submitted subject to the approval of the Parish Engineer.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke permission was granted to Henry Walter to operate a saloon at Corner of Public Road and Seventeenth Street Canal at East End under transferred State and Parish license issued to John Ross.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Luke permission was granted to P. Rando to operate a saloon at Camp Parapet under the transfer State and Parish License issued to Ellis Toups.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Strehle permission was

granted to John E. Davis to operate a saloon at Copernicus avenue and Third Street, Gretna under transfer licenses for State issued to Frank Rawle.

Notice having been received of the resignation of Mr. Peter Betz as a Member of the Board of Commissioners of Fourth Jefferson Drainage District, on motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson it was resolved that Mr. M. Alexander of Kenner be appointed to fill said vacancy.

Mr. Fred A. Middleton appeared before the jury and submitted a form of application for state aid from the State Highway department for the Jury's consideration and on motion of MR. Terrebonne seconded by MR. Strehle the matter was referred to the District Attorney.

Communication was received from Conrad Buchler Attorney-at-law on behalf of the General Realty Company asking the Police Jury to create a sub-road district to be known as sub-road district "A" of Road District No. 1 also to call a special election to vote on the proposition to create an indebtedness of \$3000.00 and to issue bonds to cover payment of same said amount to be expended in constructing the maintaining and improving the public road within said sub-road district "A",

On Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson the following ordinance was adopted.

AN ORDINANCE.

Special
Election
Call for
Sub A of
Road Dis-
trict # (1)

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish Jefferson acting as the Governing authority of Road District No. One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson that a special election be and the same is hereby called and ordered to be held in Sub-road district "A" of road district Number One (1) on Tuesday August 8th, 1916 between the hours of 7 A. M. and 5 P. M.

Be it further ordained etc., that at the said special election there be submitted to the property tax-paying electors qualified to vote under the constitution and laws of this State a proposition to determine whether or not it is the sense of the said electors to authorize the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson acting as

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the governing authority of Road District Number One (1) sub-road district "A" of the Parish of Jefferson to incur an indebtedness of Three Thousand (\$3000.00) Dollars and to issue and sell negotiable semi-annual interest bearing coupons to evidence the said indebtedness the amount of said indebtedness being less than 10% of the assessed valuation of the property within the said sub-road district "A" of road district Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson the said bonds

to bear interest at the rate of 5% per centum per annum payable semi-annually and the interest and principal to be payable in such amounts and in such places and time as the governing authority may determine the whole issue however to be paid within a space of 40 years from the date of the bonds and both the principal and interest to be secured and paid by a sufficient tax to be levied and collected each year in accordance with the provisions of Article 281 of the Constitution of Louisiana the said indebtedness and the proceeds of the said bonds to be realized from their sale according to law to be used in constructing improving and maintaining the public roads and highways within the said sub-road district "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson.

Be it further ordained, etc., that a notice of this special election be duly advertised for 30 days in the Jefferson Democrat the Official Journal of the Parish of Jefferson the said Notice of Election to embrace substantially all things above set forth and further that the Police Jury will meet in open session of the Ninth (9th) day of August at the District Courthouse in Gretna La., at 12 o'clock Noon as the governing Authority of road district Number One (1) sub-road district "A" of the Parish of Jefferson and will then and there proceed to open and examine the ballot box and count the ballots in Numbers and amounts examine and canvass the returns and declare the results of the election.

Be it further ordained, etc., that the President of this Police Jury be and he is hereby empowered to provide for all the paraphernalia necessary for the carrying on of the within special election.

Be it further ordained etc., that the Clerk of Court and the Ex-Officio Register of Voters and the Assessor of election a list of the persons qualified to vote and the amount of their assessment.

Be it further ordained etc., that the Polling place for the conducting of the within election shall be located at the depot of the Orleans Kenner Electric Railway Company located at Harahan La., within sub-road district "A" of Road district No. One (1) and the following named parties are hereby appointed as Officers of election to-wit: Messrs. E. B. Anthony, Robert Prados, and T. L. Butcher, Commissioners Mr. John Rodgandant clerk the said Officers of election shall make due returns of the election at the meeting to be held August 9th, 1916 and they shall be paid for their services according to law.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote

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resulted as follows: Yeas-Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS-NONE.

Telegram relative to bond issue in road district Number Three (3) was referred to the District Attorney.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Strehle it was resolved that George A. Cox be elected as Parish printer for one year from date at a salary of \$500.00 per annum.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger, seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following were appointed to constitute the Parish Board of Health Dr. G. Rossner, President, L. R. Lapeyronnie Secretary, William E. Strehle and Jules G. Fisher.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Thompson Police Juror Clancy was authorized to repair bridges and roads in the Ninth (9th) Ward at a cost not to exceed \$40.00

On motion of Mr. Burbank, seconded by Mr. Thompson the bill of Dr. G. L. Odom, former Coroner for professional services at Parish Jail for Months of January, February, March, April and May 1916, was ordered paid.

On motion of Mr. Strintzinger, seconded by Mr. Burbank Miss Virgie L. Tillotson was appointed to the scholarship at the State Normal School Natchitoches the Jury to defray her expenses.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the salary of L. W. Wilkinson farm demonstrator was raised to Fifty dollars per month.

Dr. J. Buschong of Baton Rouge addressed the jury on cattle tick eradication urging the building of dipping vats and on motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the matter was laid over until the next meeting.

The Jury then adjourned, until August 9th, 1916.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Wm. Hepting,
Secretary.

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Office of the Police Jury
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., August 9th, 1916

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present:- Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the official journal:

On Motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Luke, the regular order of business was deferred and the Jury convened as the Governing authority of Sub-Road District "A" of Road District Number One of the Parish of Jefferson, in accordance with an Ordinance of July 5th, 1916, to canvass the returns and declare the result of the special election held in said sub-road district "A" on August 8th, 1916.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy the Police Jury proceeded to open the ballot box wherein the votes were cast in the special election held in sub-road district "A", Road District Number One and after the same was done the following ordinance was offered by Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy:

ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, the Police Jury in pursuant of and in accordance with an ordinance previously passed and notice duly published for thirty days, and acting in the name and as the Governing authority of sub-road district "A" of road district No. One of the Parish of Jefferson,

Canvas of Election of Sub A Road Dist # (1)

did meet on this 9th., day of August A. D. 1916, in open session at the District Court house in Gretna, Parish of Jefferson, at 12 o'clock noon; and, WHEREAS, this Police Jury did then and there proceed to open the Ballot Box returned by the officers of election serveing at the polling place designated by this Police Jury in the said road district did count the ballots cast at the said poll, both in number and amount and did find the following results to-wit:-

Table with 2 columns: Number of Votes, Taxable valuation. Rows: For Five (5), Against (none). Values: Twelve hundred and fifty Dollars, None.

Be it Ordained, by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that the result of the said special election be and is hereby declared to be that the majority in number and amount of the qualified electors Voteing at the said election are in favor of the proposition submitted.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED etc., that the Secretary of this Police Jury be and he is hereby ordered to prepare a process verbal of the manner in which the ballot box was opened, the returns canvassed and the result of the election ascertained; that he forward a copy of the said proces verbal to the

Secretary of the State, for recordation another copy to the Clerk of the District Court, for recordation in the Mortgage records of this Parish, and the remaining copy shall be kept in the archives of this Police Jury for referenco.

Be it further Ordained, etc., that the President of this Police Jury and its Secretary be and they are horoby ordered to have the result of this special election duly promulgated by the publication in one issue of the Jefferson Democrat the official Journal of the Parish of Jefferson.

Be it further ordained, etc., that the Secretary of this Police Jury be and he is horoby ordered to preserve, for the space of three months from the date of promulgation the ballots and other returns of election.

The roll being called, the voteing resulted as follows:- Yeas:- Fisher, Roupnich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy. NAYS:-None.

And the ordinance was thereupon declared adopted.

On Motion of Mr. Luke seconded by Mr. Strehle, the Jury then proceeded with the regular order of business.

The following reports of the Treasurer were received and approved; Gretna, La., August 8th., 1916

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I beg herewith to submit this my report for the month of July 1916, Taxes and interest less commission, \$ 732.50

Business licenses less commission, 9.90
Cart licenses less comm. 2.23
Interest on deposits. 43.75
TOTAL \$ 778.38

DISBURSEMENTS
To O. D. balance \$ 33,911.96
Wm. Hepting, Voucher 4376 75.00
E. M. Hubert, V. 4377 75.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 4378 40.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 4379 15.00
O. B. Stiles, 4380 10.00
Henry Weigel, 4381 10.00
Daily States Pub. Co., 4382 13.50
Matthew Schurb, 4383 12.00
Lawrence Pfeiffer, 4384 25.00
Gould Steam Fire Co., 4385 10.00
Mrs. F. J. Bailey, 4386 12.00
Mrs. Victor Kerner, 4387 10.00
E. J. Deshautreaux, 4388 21.00
Lee Benevolent Assn. 4389 10.00
Louis Guillotte 4390 15.00
Mrs. B. Withrow 4391 5.00
Schroder, Blithman S. M. W orks, 4392 366.00
Joseph Oplatek, 4393 7.50
Frank Gardey, 4394 15.00
L. W. Wilkinson, 4395 25.00
H. Brunias, 4396 24.00
M. Rosenstock, 4397 5.25
Burrough Adding Mch. Co., 4399 2.20
J. F. Terregrossa, 4399 43.20
Lawrence Pfeiffer, 4400 9.50
Fritz Jahncke, 4401 6.40
N. O. and Western R. R. 4402 40.85
Elliott Fisher Co., 4403 2.13
Borum & O'Toole Co., 4404 33.98
R. J. Landgridge, 4405 70.45
Western Union Telegraph Co., 4406 6.00
Richard Courcier, 4407 21.75

Edward T. Crawford, 4408 5.00
Cumberland T. & T. Co., 4409 43.80
Algiers Railway and light Co., 4410 24.78
A. J. Bourgeois, 4411 37.60
Chas Grandjean, 4412 3.00
Isadore Fisher, 4413 12.00
Henry Kerner, 4414 8.00
Edward Rawl, 4415 2.00
Aristide Boudeaux, 4416 3.00
Texas Oil Co., 4417 8.11
H. Bartholomew, 4419 45.00

John Romero, 4420	45.00
Cumberland T. & C. Co., 4421	26.39
Joseph Oplatek, 4422	7.50
Algiers Railway and Light Co., 4423	12.88
L. W. Wilkinson, 4424	25.00
La., Cypress Lumber Co., 4425	51.91
Dr. G. L. Odom, 4426	342.00
TOTAL	\$ 35,652.66
Overdraft Balance,	\$ 34,864.28

Respectfully

E. M. Hubert,

Treasurer.

Gretna, La., August 8th., 1916

Honorable President and Members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Treasurer of the First Good Road

District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of July 1916;

TO Balance on hand, \$ 4,946.04

CASH RECEIPTS

To taxes and interest less commission, 174.93

TOTAL, \$ 5,120.97

DISBURSEMENTS

None. 00.00

BALANCE on hand, \$ 5,120.97

Respectfully

E. M. Hubert

Treasurer 1st., Good Roads Dist.

Gretna, La., August 8th., 1916,

Honorable President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Treasurer of the Second Good Road

District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of July 1916.

To balance on hand, \$ 6,486.11

Cash Receipts

To taxes and interest less comm. 88.71

TOTAL \$ 6,574.82

DISBURSEMENTS

NONE. 00.00

BALANCE on hand \$ 6,574.82

Respectfully

E. M. Hubert,

Treasurer 2nd., Good Roads District

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following was adopted:

Whereas, the Sheriff and ex-Officio Tax Collector in and for the Parish of Jefferson, through his bookkeeper has erroneously posted and paid the amount of Sixty-eight Dollars and Thirty three cents to Road District Number Two, which amount should have been posted and paid to the account of the Jefferson-Plaquemine Drainage District for taxes collected for the year 1915;

RESOLVED, That the Jefferson-Plaquemine Drainage District be reimbursed the amount of \$68.33 erroneously paid to Road District Number Two. The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.

Farm Demonstration Agent L. W. Wilkinson submitted a report of his work for the month of July, 1916, and same was approved and ordered filed.

Bill of the Standard Oil Company for \$117.00 was referred to receiver H. J. Malochee.

Bills of the Jefferson Shell and Construction Company and the American Disinfecting Company were referred to the Finance Committee.

Bills of Paul E. Mortimier Clerk of the Supreme Court was referred to the District Attorney.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Jim Zito emergency road work, 9 th ., ward.,	\$ 39.90
Cumberland T. & T. Co., 271 A. June and July,	10.18
Cumberland T. & T. Co., 306 A. June	5.00
Cumberland T. & T. Co., 244 A. June,	12.59
Cumberland T. & T. Co., 46 A. June,	8.00
L. W. Wilkinson Farm Demonstrating Agent Salary July	25.00
J. Oplatek, Drugs and Toilet Articles July	7.50
H. J. Conrad, Repair of Courthouse and Jail	52.25
Underwood Typewriter Co., Repairs to Mch. in Clerks Office	6.50
P. Potaw Repairing Bridge and Furnishing Lumber W. Carronton,	6.50
Algiers Ry. and Light Co., Elec. Consumed at C. H. Jail & Police Station	12.18
Texas Oil Co., Gas and Oil for Harvey Bridge	3.34
Western Union T. & T. Co., to service to Courthouse Two	
Clocks	2.00

J. W. Minnich, Registrar of Vital Statistics Grand Isle,	1.00
M. Rosenstock, Merchandise furnished to Jail	20.45
Drs. G. Rossner and M. Earl Brown services in interdiction of Four persons before District Court	80.00
Board of Supervisors of Elections, Services rendered in elections of August 1915 and January 1916	100.00

Communication from Culver and Kid offering prices on chemicals for cattle dipping solutions was received and ordered filed.

Communication from J. T. Fitzgerald complaining of condition of side walks at Harahan was referred to the Finance Committee, as was also communication from W. H. Patterson.

Communication from National Farm and Live Stock show was received and ordered filed.

Communication from the Amsterdam Casualty Company; nameing rates for insurance to protect the Parish under the workimgmens Compensation Act was referred to the District Attorney for opinion.

Proposition from Albert Fabacher, through L. W. Wilkinson agreeing to allow the Parish of use his dipping vat under certain conditions was laid over.

Communication was read from the State Board of Health informing the

Jury rodent plague exists in the Parish and urging that the necessary precautions be taken; and on Motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Burbank it was resolved that the President appoint a committee of three to confer with the Board of Health and report at the next meeting. The President thereupon appointed the following as members of the Committee; Messrs A. Rouprich, E. Stritzinger and J. D. Terrebonne.

On Motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Clancy the following was adopted:

WHEREAS the People of McDonoghville are drowned out whenever there is a hard rain, due to the fact that drain ditch on Herchell Street from Hancock Street to Verrett Canal, is closed; RESOLVED that the Board of commissioners of the Jefferson Plaquemine Drainage District be and it is hereby requested to have said drainage opened at once.

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On Motion of Mr. Luke seconded by Mr. Clancy the following was adopted;

WHEREAS, the drainage of the public highways at the intersection of the Orleans-Kenner Railroad and Protection Levee is obstructive on account of the fact that the culvert of said Railroad Company is too high;

RESOLVED That the Orleans-Kenner Railroad Co., be and they are hereby requested to lower said culvert.

On Motion of Mr. Strehle seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the following was adopted:-

WHEREAS, There is no drainage back of Lafayette Avenue and property owners in this section of the Parish are drowned out at every hard rain;

RESOLVED That the board of commissioners of the Jefferson Plaquemine Drainage District be and it is hereby requested to provide the necessary drainage to release these conditions.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following was adopted;

Resolved, That the Highland Farms Co., be and it is hereby given permission to use dirt on road or river side of the Orleans-Kenner Railroad tracks, to fill crossings of said tracks and the main road running through their property.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burbank the following was adopted;

WHEREAS the weeds along the right of way of the Metairie loop have grown so high as to be unsightly and in other ways objectionable to the best interest of the Metairie section; and

WHEREAS the citizens of that section have complained to this jury of these conditions;

RESOLVED that the Secretary be and he is hereby instructed to write to the New Orleans Railway Company requesting it to have the weeds along its right of way cleared.

On Motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Clancy the following was adopted:

WHEREAS complaint has been made to this Jury that the New Orleans Railway Company be and it is hereby requested to comply with its franchise and that the Secretary be instructed to forward a copy of this resolution to the said Company.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Thompson the following was adopted:

WHEREAS, the interest on road bonds in road districts Nos. One and Two amounting to Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars in each district will be due on September 1st., RESOLVED That the Secretary and Treasurer be and they are hereby instructed to draw the necessary checks to pay said interest when due.

On Motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Thompson, the following

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was adopted;

WHEREAS the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank through its cashier has offered to charge only six per cent on overdraft beginning August 1st., 1916 provided the interest now due be paid at the rate of eight per cent to August 1st., 1916;

RESOLVED That the Secretary and Treasurer be and they are hereby instructed to draw a check in favor of the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank for the interest due the said Bank at the rate of eight per cent to August 1st., 1916, provided that the interest be six per cent from said date.

On Motion of Mr. Luke seconded by Mr. Clancy the following was adopted;

RESOLVED, That the Parish Engineer be and he is hereby instructed to open Geranium Street, in Metairieville from Stolla Street to Friedrichsruhe; This to be done at no expense to the Parish.

ROLL called on the adoption of the above resolution, resulted as follows;

YEAS;-Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke Thompson, Clancy.

Nays:-None.

On Motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Burbank the following was adopted:-

WHEREAS, the Public roads in road district Number One are rapidly deteriorating; and

Whereas, the residents and property holders of the left bank of the Mississippi River are desirous of securing water and electric light service and

Whereas this section of the Parish is rapidly developing and these improvements are necessary in order to keep step with the times and progress of the Parish;

RESOLVED That it is the sense of a mass meeting duly called and held at Harahan City that a Committee be appointed by the Chairman to present these resolutions to the Police Jury and to urge said Jury to make provisions for the immediate repair and maintenance of the public roads and to evolve some scheme by which the people of the left bank of the River may be supplied with water from the filtration plant of the city of New Orleans and Electric lights.

Request of Woodman of the World Camp 605 to operate a fair at Westwego was granted so far as the Parish is concerned.

Request of Jim Baron to peddle fruit and vegetables in the Parish under license in name of A. Carona was granted.

Request of Gaetano Misuraco to operate a grocery at Corner of Jefferson and Second Streets, Gretna, under license of B. Jordano was granted.

Request of Southern Shell Fish Company to lay pipe line through drain pipe in the shall road about 500 feet above Harveys Canal, also under public road above Harvey Ferry Landing, was granted, with the understanding that the said Company is to put the Public Street back in first class condition.

Request of W. L. Snider to operate a small boat as a ferry from May 15th., to November 15th., and the large boat from November 15th., to May 15th., was Granted.

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Protest from Residents and property owners from Metairie Ridge calling attention to the negligence of the upkeep of the Metairie road was received and on MOTION duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to Notify the Sheriff to work the Prisoners on said road.

The opinion of the District Attorney in the matter of the Vivian Land Company's complaint regarding cattle roaming at large on Metairie road was received and on motion duly seconded the matter was laid over.

On Motion duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to notify the Sheriff that the Jury will not pay for any long distant phone messages over phone 244 Algiers, on and after August 1st.,

On Motion duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to request the Sheriff to send Prisoners to repair shell road in road districts One and Two immediately the expense of same to be defrayed out of the funds of said Road Districts; Also to repair the Public road near Harvey's Canal from the Saw Mill road to the approach of the Public bridge.

On Motion duly seconded the sum of Five hundred Dollars was donated to the Jefferson Parish Fair Association, out of the revenues of 1917.

On Motion duly seconded the following budget and tableau of probable expenses for the year 1916 was adopted;

Public Schools	\$32,000.00
Sheriff's Fees,	4,500.00
Justices of Peace & Constables	7,776.00
Coroner's Fees,	1,350.00
Jury Scripts, Coroner's Jury	200.00
Secretary's Salary	810.00
Treasurer's Salary	810.00
Official Printing	500.00
Assessor's Commission	1,800.00
Bridge Tenders	1,080.00
Board of Health	1,440.00
Coroner's Salary, Attending Jail	216.00
Public Roads	3,000.00
Grand & Petit Juries	1,500.00
District Attorney's Commission	1,800.00
Farm Demonstrator	540.00
Auditor	180.00

Total
PROBABLE EXPENSE. \$59,880.00

Sheriff	4,500.00
Coroner	1,350.00
Secretary	810.00
Treasurer	810.00
Official Printing	500.00
District Attorney	1,800.00
Assessor	1,800.00
Janitor	540.00
Bridge Tenders	1,080.00
First Justice of Peace	1,080.00
Second Justice of Peace	405.00
Third Justice of Peace	378.00
Fourth Justice of Peace	378.00
Fifth Justice of Peace	756.00
Sixth Justice of Peace	810.00
Constable First Justice of Peace Court	918.00
Constable, 2nd., Justice of Peace Court	729.00
Constable, 3rd., Justice of Peace Court	378.00
Constable, 4th., Justice of Peace Court	378.00
Constable, 5th., Justice of Peace Court	756.00
Constable, 6th Justice of Peace Court	810.00
Farm Demonstrator	540.00
Auditor	180.00
Total	<u>\$ 21,308.00</u>

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The roll being called on the adoption of the above budget, the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas:- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy. NAYS:- None.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

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Office of the Police Jury
Parish of Jefferson.

Gretna, La., September 13th., 1916.

The Police Jury met this day in Regular Session.

Members Present:- Jules G. Fisher President A. Rouprich, William E. Strehle E. Stritzinger J. D. Terrebonne H. P. Burbank William Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the Official Journal.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger duly seconded the Jury deferred the regular order of business to allow Attorney H. P. Dart Jr., to give his opinion on the question of rat proofing in the City of Gretna and certain

parts of Jefferson Parish.

At the conclusion of Mr. Dart's statement on motion of Mr. Stritzinger Seconded by Mr. Thompson the president appointed a committee of Four to confer with the City Council of Gretna to arrange a joint meeting with the Police Jury, the manufacturing interests and property owners to determine what steps should be taken in the matter of the supposed infected rodent plague district.

The Jury then proceeded with the regular order of business, The following reports of the Treasurer were received and approved. Gretna, La., September 13th., 1916.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report for the month of August 1916.

RECEIPTS.

8/3/16	To business licenses		
	less commission.....	\$	1,083.00
"	To cart licenses.		
	less commission.....	\$	4.04
"	To ferry franchise		
	from M. & P. Ferry.....	\$	375.63
"	To auto licenses		
	from Secretary of State.....	\$	287.69
	Total receipts.....	\$	1,750.36

LESS DISBURSEMENTS.

8/1/16	To overdraught balance.....	\$	34,864.28
8/9/16	To William Hepting V. #4427.....	\$	75.00
"	To Ed. M. Hubert V. #4428.....	\$	75.00
"	To L. R. Lapeyronnie V. #4429.....	\$	40.00
"	To C. J. Tassin, V. #4430.....	\$	15.00
"	To H. Bartholomew, V. #4431.....	\$	45.00
"	To John Romero, V. #4432.....	\$	45.00
"	To O. B. Stiles, V. #4433.....	\$	10.00
"	To J. J. Keller V. #4434.....	\$	8.00
"	To R. O'Dwyer, V. #4435.....	\$	12.00
"	To J. L. Walter, V. #4436.....	\$	10.00
"	To Jim Zito, V. #4437.....	\$	39.90
"	To P. Potin, V. #4438.....	\$	6.50
"	To Cumberland Tel & Tel Co. V. #4439.....	\$	15.18
"	To Underwood Typewriter Co. V. #4440.....	\$	6.50
"	To H. J. Conrad, V. 4441.....	\$	52.25
"	To Jos. Oplatek, V. #4442.....	\$	7.50
"	To Algiers Railway & Light Co. V, #4443.....	\$	12.16
"	To T. S. Landry, V. #4444.....	\$	38.50

8/9/16.	To Texas Oil Co, V. #4445.....	\$	3.34
"	To Western Union Tel Co. V. #4446.....	\$	2.00
"	To John Minnich, V. #4447.....	\$	8.00

"	To M. Rosenstock V. #4448.....	\$	20.45
"	To Dr. Geo Rossner, V. #4449.....	\$	40.00
"	To Dr. M. E. Brown, V. #4450.....	\$	40.00
"	To Board of Supervisors of El., V. #4451..	\$	10.00
"	To American Surety Co. V. #4452.....	\$	50.00
"	To L. W. Wilkinson, V. #4453.....	\$	25.00
8/9/16	To Cumberland Tel & Tel Co.,V. #4454.....	\$	30.59
	Total O. D. Balance and Disb....	\$	35,686.15
	Over Draft balance.....	\$	33,935.79

Respectfully

E. M. Hubert

Parish Treasurer.

On motion duly seconded report was accepted. Gretna., La., Sept., 13th., 1916.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:- I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Good Road District Number One, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of August 1916

August 1, 1916. Balance	\$	5,120.97
No. Receipts.....		
Total.....	\$	5 120.97

DISBURSEMENTS.

8/9/16	Interstate Trust and Bank Co. V. #119J.....	\$	2,500.00
"	Tom Favalora, V. 120J.....	\$	6.45
"	Jeff Plaquemines D. Dist V. 121J.....	\$	68.33
	Total Disbursements	\$	2,574.78
	Balance.....	\$	2,546.19

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert, Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Sept., 13th., 1916.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:- I, the undersigned, Treasurer of the Good Road District Number Two beg leave to submit this my report for the month of August, 1916.

August 1, 1916. to Balance.....	\$	6,574.82
No receipts.....		
Total	\$	6,574.82

DISBURSEMENTS.....

9/8/16	To Interstate Trust & Bank Co., V. 122J..	\$	2,500.00
	Total Disbursements.....	\$	2,500.00
	Balance.....	\$	4,074.32

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert, Treasurer.

Farm demonstration [agent] Wilkinson submitted his report of work in his department during the Month of August and the same was ordered filed.

Parish Engineer H. L. Zander submitted a report informing the

jury of the continued abandonment of work in Road Districts Numbers One (1) and Two (2) and the report was referred to the District Attorney for action.

Parish Engineer H. L. Zander, also reported that he had staked off the line of Geranium Street in Metairieville as per plan of September 1st., 1916.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury;

Cumberland T & T. Co., Phone A. #306, A. #244, #46,.....	\$22.90
Dr. M. Earle Brown, burying two paupers,.....	\$24.90
Algiers R. & L. Co, Lights at Courthouse, Jail & P. Station	\$14.70
E. M. Hall, burying pauper	\$12.00
E. J. Deshautreaux, erecting polling booth 9th Ward & rent	\$7.50
W. P. Carey, repairs to motor truck (to be paid out of Road District Number Two(2)).	\$5.00
L. W. Wilkinson, salary August	\$50.00
J. W. Minnich, Registering vital statistics	\$1.00
W. U. Tel Company time service for courthouse	\$2.00
New Orleans Tent & Awning Co. Mdse. for jail	\$ 8.78
Ruddock Orleans Cypress Co. Lumber 17th st., Canal	\$19.96
J. Oplatek, medicine and toilet articles C. H. & jail	\$ 7.50
Texas Oil Co., gas and oil for Harvey Bridge	\$ 3.19
Jeff C. & S. Bank interest on overdraught	\$1,739.05
L. Guillotte, rent polling booth and erection of same Fifth (5th) Ward	\$10.00
C. Betz, emergency road work, 8th Ward	\$14.00
M. Terrebonne, Emergency road work 4th Ward	\$38.50
American Disfectant Company Mdse. for jail	\$360.00
Jefferson S. & C. Co., shells for Road District One (1) and Two (2) (To be paid out of road district fund)	\$ 90.70

Check of \$160.88 was received from the Secretary of State for funds collected from automobile and motor cycle licenses under Act 260 of 1914.

Communication from Standard oil company was referred to the District Attorney.

Communication from National Fair and Live Stock show was received and ordered filed.

Communication from Jefferson Highway Association was received and ordered filed.

Communication from Department of Agriculture and immigration from the Interstate Inland Water League, from the Irrigation Congress and from the New Orleans Association of Commerce was received and ordered filed.

Communication from the Jefferson Parish Fair Association was received, extending invitations to the members to attend the opening ceremonies and on motion duly seconded the invitation was accepted, and the following proclamations issued by President Jules G. Fisher on behalf of the Police Jury,

WHEREAS, Wednesday, September 27th., 1916 marks the opening of the

Jefferson Parish Fair of Gretna, and

WHEREAS, this great civic undertaking promises to signalize the inauguration of a new era in the industrial history of Jefferson, by bringing to the notice not only of this State but of the whole country with unsurpassed advantages and facilities of this Parish as an Agricultural and manufacturing center, and

WHEREAS, it is expected that countless visitors will attend the opening of the Fair on September 27th., and it is the desire of our own people to co-operate in every manner to make the inaugural day of this event one long to be remembered in the history of the Parish; Therefore,

Be it known, that acting under the authority vested in me as President of the Police Jury of Jefferson Parish, I hereby declare Wednesday September 27th., 1916 to be a holiday and specially request all manufacturing plants and other business places to close on that day in order that their employees may be given an opportunity to participate in the grand opening, and I further request that at the hour of 10 A. M. there be general recognition of the opening of the Fair by the blowing of whistles at the various plants and by the various crafts in the harbor.

Be it known, that no circus, street fairs, or traveling shows, will be allowed to be hold within the limits of the Parish of Jefferson, during the fair or within a period of ten days proceeding or following the Fair.

Witness my hand this 13th day of Sept., A. D. 1916-

Jules G. Fisher,

President Police Jury
Jefferson Parish.

Communication was received from the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank acknowledging acceptance of interest arrangement covering indebtedness due the bank by the Parish.

The proposition of Albert Fabacher to allow the Parish to use his

cattle dipping vat on certain conditions was laid over without action.

Permission was granted to Jack Bailey and others to sell refreshments for the benefit of Mt. Olive Baptist Church Baratavia, for one month in so far as the Parish is concerned.

Request of the Texas Oil Company to lay two, two inch pipe lines under the public road at Harvey was granted subject to the approval of the Parish Engineer.

Petition was received from the property owners at East End Metairieville asking the Jury to repair the bridge over the the 17th., Street Canal, and on motion duly seconded \$50.00 was appropriated for same, the work to be done under the supervision of the Police Juror of the 8th., Ward.

Petition of residents of Waggaman to appoint Theodore Yeagle Special Officer of said place was laid over without action.

5 mill
tax Levied
on Road
Dist (1)

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the following ordinance was adopted;

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that a special tax of 5 mills on the dollar be and the same is hereby levied for the current year 1916 on all assessable property within Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson, in order to pay the principal and interest on Good Road bonds that may be due and to improve and maintain the public roads and highways within said road district.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows;

Yeas:- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays:- NONE.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne, seconded by Mr. Burbank, the following ordinance was adopted;

5 Mill
Tax Levied
on Road
Dist #2

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson that a special tax of 5 mills on the dollar be and the same is hereby levied for the current year 1916 on the assessable property within road district Number Two (2) of the Parish of Jefferson in order to pay the principal and interest on the good road bonds that may be due and to improve and maintain the Public roads and highways within said road district

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows;

YEAS:- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS:- NONE.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Luke the following ordinance was adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, in regular meeting assembled after publication for a space of Thirty (30) days in the Jefferson Democrat, the Official Journal of the Parish of Jefferson of the budget adopted by the Police Jury for the fiscal year 1916-1917, a tax of Ten (10) mills on the dollar be and the same is hereby levied on all assessable property situated in the Parish of

Jefferson;

Be it further ordained, that the assessor of the Parish of Jefferson be and is hereby instructed to extend on the rolls for the year 1916 the said tax of Ten (10) mills;

Be it further ordained, that the sheriff of the Parish of Jefferson be and he is hereby instructed and authorized to collect, according to law, the said tax of Ten (10) mills on the dollar;

Be it further ordained, that Four and One-half (4½) mills of the above Ten (10) mill tax be and the same is hereby appropriated and ordered

paid to the Board of School Directors of Jefferson for school purposes, the balance of said tax to be used for general Parish purpose.

The roll being called on the Adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:-

YEAS:- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS:- NONE.

The ordinance was thereupon declared adopted.

On motion duly seconded the following ordinance was adopted:

AN ORDINANCE.

WHEREAS, By an ordinance of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson adopted on the 29th., day of February 1916 sub-road district "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson, was duly created and its limits defined.

Sub A Road
Dist # 1

WHEREAS, in accordance with the provisions of article 281 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and Act 256 of the General Assembly of Louisiana for the year 1910, the said Police Jury, acting in the name and as the governing authority of sub-road district "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson did adopt an ordinance calling and providing for a special election to be held in the aforesaid road district on August 8th., 1916 for the purpose of determining whether or not it was the sense of the majority of the property tax paying electors, qualified to vote under the Constitution and laws of this State to authorize the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson acting as the governing authority or the aforesaid sub-road district, to incur an indebtedness of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3,000.00) and to issue and sell negotiable semi-annual interest bearing coupon bonds to evidence the said indebtedness, the said bonds to bear interest at the rate of 5% payable semi-annually, and the interest and principal to be payable in such amounts and in such places and times as the governing authority may determine the whole issue, however, to be paid within a space of Forty years (40) years from the date of the bonds, and both the principal and interest to be secured and paid by a sufficient tax to be levied and collected each year in accordance with the provisions of article 281 of the Constitution of Louisiana; The said indebtedness and the proceeds of the said bonds realized from their sale according

to law, to be used in constructing, improving, and maintaining the public roads and highways within the aforesaid sub-road district;

WHEREAS, said election was duly held and conducted in accordance with law and the ordinance of this Police Jury on August 8th, 1916;

WHEREAS, in accordance with notice previously advertised, the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson did meet as the governing authority of sub-road District "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson in open session on the 9th, day of August 1916 at the District Courthouse in Gretna, La., and having opened the ballot boxes returned by the officers of the Special Election held August 8th, 1916 having examined and canvassed the returns and having counted the ballots cast, both in Number and amount, did find the result to be that five votes with a taxable valuation of Twelve Hundred & Fifty (\$1250.00) Dollars had been cast in favor of the proposition above mentioned, and that no votes of taxable valuation had been cast against the said proposition, and having made a process verbal, in triplicate of the matter of opening the boxes and of the result found, the secretary was instructed to and did file one with the Secretary of State at Baton Rouge, Louisiana, which was duly recorded in book of Special Elections No. Four (4) kept by him another was filed with the Clerk of Court for the Parish of Jefferson and the same was duly recorded according to law in Mortgage Book

folios _____ while the third was preserved among the archives of this Police Jury; and

Whereas, the result of said Special Election was duly promulgated by the President and Secretary of this Police Jury, by due publication on Saturday _____ in the Jefferson Democrat the Official Journal for the Parish of Jefferson; and

Whereas, the taxable valuation used in the said Special election were based upon the assessment roll for the year 1916, and as said assessment roll for the year 1916 shows an assessed valuation in Sub-Road District "S" ["A"] of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson of over Thirty Two Thousand (\$32,000.00) Dollars, of which \$3,000.00 is less than ten (10%) per cent.

Therefore, be it Ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson Acting in the name and as the governing authority of Sub-Road District "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson that by virtue of and under the authority granted and vested in this Police Jury by law and the Special Election heretofore mentioned, it does hereby authorize the incurring of an indebtedness of Three Thousand (\$3,000.00 Dollars for the purpose of building good roads as above stated and to evidence and represent the said indebtedness the said Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, does hereby authorize the issuance of Thirty (30) negotiable bonds to be numbered One (1) to Thirty (30), both inclusive, said bonds shall be each of One Hundred (\$100.00) dollar denomination. The said bonds shall be dated September 1st, 1916, and bear interest at the rate of Five (5%) per cent per annum from date until paid, and there shall be attached to each of said bonds of semi-annual interest bearing coupons to represent the said interest, which coupons shall and are hereby made payable on the first day of September and the first day of March of each year, while the

bonds are outstanding, upon the presentation and surrender of the coupons

as the same shall mature.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the said bonds shall be signed by the President and Secretary of the Police Jury for and on behalf of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson as the governing authority of Sub-Road District "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson and that the coupons shall have fac-similes of the signature of the said President and Secretary engraved or lithographed thereon, and that the bonds shall be substantially as follows:-

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.
STATE OF LOUISIANA.
PARISH OF JEFFERSON.

NO. \$100.00
PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT BOND.

of
SUB ROAD DISTRICT "A" OF ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER ONE (1)
OF THE PARISH OF JEFFERSON, STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Sub-Road District "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana for value received hereby promises to pay to the bearer on September 1st One Thousand nine hundred and .. the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS lawful money of the United States of America, with interest thereon at the rate of Five Per Cent (5%) per annum from September 1st, 1916, payable semi-annually on the first day of March and on the First day of September of each and every year, upon the presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached, as the same shall mature.

The principal and interest of this bond is made payable at ..

This bond is one of a series of Thirty (30) bonds numbered One (1) to Thirty (30) inclusive, being each of the denomination of One Hundred, (\$100) Dollars aggregating Three Thousand (\$3,000.00) Dollars issued by Sub-Road District "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana for the purpose of road construction improvement and maintenance under and by virtue of the authority conferred by Article 281 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana and Act 256 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana for the year 1910, and all of the said bonds including this One, were especially authorized at an election held in Sub-Road District "A" of the Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson, on the 8th day of August 1916 the returns of which said Special Election were duly promulgated by the said Police Jury as the governing authority of Sub-Road district Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson.

The debt represented by the said Thirty (30) bonds was incurred and the bonds were issued by virtue of the authority and the bonds were issued by the Constitution and Acts referred to and the election held by the property tax paying electors qualified to vote at the election held the 8th, day of August 1916 who authorized the governing authority of the said Sub-Road district "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of

Jefferson, to levy each year a tax sufficient to pay the principal and

interest on the said bonds in accordance with law, and it is certified that all the acts, conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to the issuance of this bond and the other bonds of this series in order to make them legal, binding and valid obligations of the said Sub-Road District "A" of the Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson, have been performed in due form as required by law, and that the indebtedness of the said Road District, including this issue of bonds, does not exceed the constitutional or statutory limitations of indebtedness.

IN WITNESS whereof the said Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson as the governing authority of Sub-Road District Number "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson, as the governing authority of the said Sub-Road District "A" all of which are affixed hereto by its President and Secretary on behalf of the said Sub Road District "A" this 1st day of September 1916.

SUB ROAD DISTRICT "A" OF ROAD DISTRICT NUMBER ONE (1) OF THE PARISH OF JEFFERSON.

Jules G. Fisher
President
Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

(Form of Coupon)

On the first day of March 19.....

On the first day of September 19.....

Sub-Road District "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, will pay to bearer \$..... at..... at the option of the holder being the semi-annual interest due on bond No.....

President

Secretary.

Be it further ordained, etc., That these bonds shall begin their maturities on the first day of September, 1917, and on the same day each year thereafter as follows:.....

Bonds.	Maturity.	Amount of bond.
1	1917.....	\$100
2-3.....	1918	\$200
4-5.....	1919.....	\$200
6-7.....	1920.....	\$200
8-9.....	1921.....	\$200
10-11-12.....	1922.....	\$300
13-14.....	1923.....	\$200
15-16.....	1924.....	\$200
17-18-19.....	1925.....	\$300
20-21-22.....	1926.....	\$300
23-24.....	1927.....	\$200
25-26-27.....	1928.....	\$300
28-29-30.....	1929.....	\$300

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, ETC.,

That the President and Secretary are hereby instructed to have the said bonds executed and signed in accordance with-law, after legal delays have elapsed they shall see to it that the said bonds are endorsed with the following words:

"This Bond is secured by a tax"

Registered on this day of191.

Secretary.

that the said bonds are signed by the Secretary of State and impressed with the Great Seal of the State of Louisiana.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED ETC., That when the said bonds are thus issued as herein provided the same shall be sold by the President of the Police Jury as the needs of Sub-Road District "A" of Road District Number One (1) may require, according to law, and the proceeds, realized from their sale, shall constitute a trust fund for the construction, improvement and maintenance of the public roads and highways as hereinabove mentioned in Sub-road District "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, Etc., That in order to pay the interest due on said bonds on the first (1st) day of March, 1916, and in order to pay the actual expenses necessary to accomplish the assessment and collection of taxes herein provided for the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson acting as the governing authority of Sub-Road District "A" of Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson, and by virtue of the authority conferred by the property tax-paying electors at the election held on the 18th day of August 1916, hereby authorizes and directs the assessment and levy and collection of a special road tax of ten (10) Ten Mills on every dollar of assessed valuation in Sub-Road District Number One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson for the year 1916 and the Assessor and Tax Collector for the Parish of Jefferson are hereby instructed and empowered to assess and collect this special road tax.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, ETC., That the Sheriff and Ex-Officio Tax Collector for the Parish of Jefferson shall turn over to the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson the proceeds of the special road tax herein assessed as the same may be collected by him and the said Parish Treasurer shall deposit same with the fiscal agency for the Parish of Jefferson or any other bank this police Jury may determine upon in the credit of a fund to be known as the Road Fund of Sub-Road District "A" of Road District Number One of the Parish of Jefferson, which shall constitute a trust fund for the payment of the interest and principal on the bonds herein issued as the same may mature.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS:- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS:- NONE.

On Motion duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to notify S. P. and the T. & P. Rwy. Cos. to place at once a crossing at the intersection of the public road at Avenue, A. Westwego, over the tracks of the said companies.

On Motion duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids on the \$3000 bond issue in Sub-Road District "A" of Road District Number 1.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher

Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

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Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson, Gretna,
Louisiana, October 4th., 1916

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present:- Jules G. Fisher President, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, A. S. Thompson,
Absent:- H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the official journal.

The Finance Committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved:-
Gretna, La., Oct. 4th., 1916

To the president and members of the Police Jury:-
Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the month of September 1916:

CASH RECEIVED

Ferry Franchise, Nine mile point,	12.00
TOTAL	12.00
CASH DISBURSED	
Overdraft Balance Sept. 1 st .,	\$33,935.75
Wm. Hepting voucher 4455	75.00
Ed. M. Hubert, 4456	75.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, 4457	40.00
H. Bartholomew 4458	45.00
John Romero, 4459	45.00
C. J. Tassin, 4460	15.00
O. B. Stiles, 4461	10.00
Algiers Railway and Light Co., 4462	14.70
Cumberland T. & T. Co., 4463	22.99
Jos. Oplatek 4464	7.50
L. W. Wilkinson, 4465	50.00
Jeff. Com. & Savings Bank, 4466	1,739.05
Texas Oil Co., 4467	3.19
Dr. M. Earl Brown, 4468	24.00
Ruddock Orleans Cyp. Imbr. Co., 4469	19.96
N. O. Tent and Awm. Co., 4470	8.75
W. U. & T. & T. Co., 4471	2.00
J. W. Minnich, 4472	1.00
J. J. Koller, 4473	3.00
Michel Linden, 4474	3.00
W. E. Keller, 4475	3.00
Matthew Schurb, 4476	12.50
Max Constantine, 4474	3.00

Dom. E. Ducos, 4478	3.00
Jos. Petit, 4479	3.00
E. P. Barnes, 4480	3.00
Raoul Legend, 4481	3.00
Louis Guillotte, 4482	10.00
Jefferson Parish Fair Ass'n 4483,	500.00
Clarence Betz, 4484	14.00
American Disinfecting Co., 4485	360.00
M. Terrebonne, 4486	38.50
TOTAL	\$37,092.96
OVERDRAFT BALANCE	37,080.96

E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Oct. 4th., 1916.

To the President and members of the Police Jury.

Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report as Treasurer of the First Good Road District for the month of September 1916:

BALANCE SEPTEMBER 1st., 1916: \$ 2,546.19

CASH DISBURSED

NONE.

Balance Oct 1st., 1916,

E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

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Gretna, La., Oct. 4th., 1916.

To the President and Members of the Police Jury:

Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report as Treasurer of the Second Good Road District for the month of September 1916:

BALANCE SEPTEMBER 1st., 1916; \$ 4,074.82

CASH DISBURSED

W. P. Carey, Voucher 123 J. 5.00

Jefferson Shell and Con. Co., 124 J. 90.07

TOTAL \$ 95.07

Balance October 1st., 1916, \$ 3,979.75

E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury.

La. Cypress Co., \$4.31, J. Oplatek, Medical and Toilet Articles, Ch. and Jail, \$7.50 Texas Oil Co., Gas and Oil, \$3.61, F. C. Duvic, Dry Cells \$1.80, Cum. T. & T. Co., Phone A. 306 A. 244 and A. 46 \$29.44, Algiers Railway and Light Co., Lights at Courthouse, Jail and the Police Station \$13.42, H. Duval decorating Courthouse \$50.00 John Keller distributeing dodgers \$1.50, E. Deshautreaux erecting Poll \$2.50, E. Deshautreaux renting poll \$5.00, H. Gardey, Renting and erecting poll \$7.50 Lawrence Pfeiffer erecting polls 2nd., and 3rd., wards \$15.00, Louisiana State Normal School Scholarship Miss. V. Tillotson, \$72.00, J. W. Minnich Statistics .75cts. Gould Fire Co., rent \$20.00, J. C. Brunning bridge appropriation \$50.00, J. W. Wilkinson, salary \$45.00, J. B. Dauenhauer Jr., Commission \$207.54, J. B. Dauenhauer Jr., Commission \$2330.96;

Communications of the N. O. Ass'n of Commerce, the Motor League and I. C. R. R. Company regarding poor conditions of roads in road district No. 1, were received, and on motion duly seconded the District Attorney was appointed a committee of one to take up the matter with the Jefferson Highway Commission and the State Highway Commissioners and to report on same at the next meeting of the Jury.

Communication from Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank was received advising the Jury of the transfer of Salaries of 1st. J. of P. to said Bank for month of January, February, March, April, May and June, 1916 same was ordered filed.

Communications from Algiers Railway and Light Co., and Interstate inland waterway league and Allen Tupper was received and ordered filed.

Invitation from South Louisiana Fair Association was read and accepted.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Strehle the following resolution was adopted:-

WHEREAS, New Orleans is the Metropolis of the Logical Clearing House for the Great Live Stock and Agricultural interest of the Mississippi Valley and all of the Southern States and the richest Agricultural section of the United States, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That it is the opinion of the Police Jury of Jefferson Parish that the said City of New Orleans should be the location for one of the new Federal Farm and Loan Banks to be established by the United States Government, because of its accessibility to the interior points in this section and being the midst of the South's greatest agricultural territory the development of which is dependent upon such accessibility.

Be it further resolved; that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Senators Representatives of these Southern States at Washington, then to the Committee to secure a Federal Farm Loan Bank at New Orleans.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following ordinance was adopted;

AN ORDINANCE

To prevent and prohibit the driving or running of cattle or any live stock in droves

Prohibiting the Driving of Cattle through the Parish at certain times of the day.

through the public streets, alleys or any public thoroughfare from 6 P. M. until 6 o'clock A. M. and describing a penalty therefor.

Section 1, Be it ordained by the Police Jury of Jefferson Parish in regular session assembled that it shall be unlawful for any person or persons firm or firms, corporation or corporations to drive or assist in the driving or running of cattle or any live stock in droves through the public streets, alleys, or any public thoroughfares of the Parish of Jefferson from the hours of six o'clock in the evening until six o'clock in the morning.

Section 2. Be it further ordained etc., that any person or persons, firm or firms, corporation or corporations violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be charged with the commission of a misdemeanor and upon

conviction therefor before and court of competent jurisdiction shall be fined not less than Twenty five Dollars nor more than fifty dollars or suffer imprisonment in the Parish Prison for not less than thirty days nor more than sixty days or both at the discretion of the court.

Section 3. Be it further ordained etc., that all laws or parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance or contrary thereto be and the same are hereby repealed.

On Motion duly seconded the secretary was instructed to send bill for one half of cost of maintenance of Harvey's bridge from June 1st., 1916., to the Algiers Railway and Light Co.,

On motion duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to notify the L. R. and N. Co., to plank both sides of crossing and fill the crossing with suitable material at the intersection of Railroad with Protection Levee and Labarre Road.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to notify the parties building polling booths at the 1st., 2nd., and 3rd., wards polling places to return and place all material, Lumber etc., in the jail yard after elections.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich duly seconded it was resolved that the Jury appoint a committee of three to wait on the Jefferson-Plaquemine drainage commission relative to improving the drainage in the rear of the City of Gretna, and the following committee was appointed:- A. Rouprich Chairman, E. Stritzinger and Wm. E. Strehle.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Thompson the District Attorney was appointed to draft an Ordinance in conjunction with the City Attorney F. A. Middleton and Attorney H. P. Dart, Sr., relative to ratproofing in the City of Gretna and infected parts of Jefferson Parish.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Terrebonne that a committee of one be appointed to attend the meeting of the live stock show to be hold in New Orleans, the President appointed Mr. A. S. Thompson, to attend said meeting

Dr. Jargo and Dr. Douglas addressed the Jury in regards to cattle tick eradication and on motion duly seconded the matter was laid over until

next meeting.

The Jury then adjourned.
Jules G. Fisher
Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

President.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson, La.,
Gretna, La., November 8th., 1916.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session:-
Members present:- Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle,

E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John Clancy.
Absent:- H. P. Burbank,

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the official journal.

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.

Farm Demonstrator L. W. Wilkinson submitted his report which was received and ordered filed.

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved:-
Gretna, La., Nov. 8th, 1916.

To the President and Members of the Police Jury,
Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the month of October 1916:

CASH RECEIVED

Cart license less commission,	\$1.43
TOTAL	\$1.43

CASH DISBURSED

Overdraft balance Oct. 1 st ., 1916,	\$37,080.96
Wm. Hepting, 4487	67.50
Ed. Hubert, 4488	67.50
L. E. Lapeyronnie, 4489	36.00
H. Bartholomew 4490	45.00
John Romero, 4491	45.00
C. J. Tassin, 4492	15.00
O. B. Stiles, 4493	9.00
L. W. Wilkinson, 4494	45.00
Telesphore Bolsomo, 4495	3.00
Cum. Tel. & Tol. Co., 4496	22.00
Gould Fire Co., 4497	20.00
H. Burmaster 4498	3.00
Aristide Boudroaux 4499	3.90
Victor Boudroaux, 4500	3.00
Henry Verdon, 4501	3.00
Wm. F. Smith, 4502	3.00
Jos. G. Hock, 4503	3.00
E. Daul, 4504	3.00
Jos. Oplatok, 4505	7.50
Texas Oil Co., 4506	3.61
Algiers Railway and Light Co., 4507,	13.42
La. State Normal School 4508	72.00
F. C. Duvic 4509	1.80
J. W. Minnich, 4510	.75
E. Doshautroaux 4512	7.50
F. M. Hall, 4513	12.00
John Koller, 4514	1.50
J. C. Brunning, 4516	50.00
L. Pfeiffer, 4517	15.00
H. Gardore, 4518	7.00
L. Cypress Lumber Co., 4519	- 4.31
TOTAL	\$37,673.35
OVERDRAFT BALANCE	37,671.92

E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Nov. 8th, 1916,

To the President and Members of the Police Jury
Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report as Treasurer of the First

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Good road district for the month of Oct. 1916,	
Balance Oct. 1 st ., 1916,	\$ 2,546.19
CASH DISBURSED	
J. B. Dauenhauer, Jr., 122 J.	270.54
TOTAL,	\$ 270.54
Balance Nov. 1 st ., 1916,	\$ 2,375.65
E. M. Hubert, Treasurer.	

Gretna, La., Nov. 8th, 1916,

To the President and Members of the Police Jury
Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report as Treasurer of the Second Good Road district for the month of Oct. 1916.	
Balance Oct. 1 st ., 1916,	\$ 4,305.39
Cash Disbursed	
J. B. Dauenhauer, Jr., 125. J.	330.96
TOTAL	\$ 330.96
Balance Nov. 1 st ., 1916,	\$ 3,974.43
E. M. Hubert, Treasurer.	

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury.
L. W. Wilkinson, Salary, \$45.00 Algiers Railway and Light Co., Lights at Courthouse Jail and the Police Station, \$10.18, Cumberland Telephone and Telegraph Co., phone service, \$29.60, all other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

The sum of \$2.00 pound fees from 8th. ward was received from John Bordes, and was ordered deposited to the credit of the Parish.

Communication was received from E. H. Keep asking the Jury to have drainage conditions in the rear of Cut-off road in road district No. 2, repaired at once same was referred to the Sheriff.

Communication from Parke-Davis and Co., quoting prices on a disinfectant known as KRESO was referred to the Sheriff for consideration.

Communication from the Jefferson Commercial and Savings bank offering to loan the Parish \$750.00 to \$900.00 at six per cent interest for the purpose of erecting cattle dipping vats was received and ordered filed.

The President was authorized to secure bids for insurance of \$800.00 on building owned by the Parish on Derbigny between 3rd. and 4th. Streets policy on same having expired Nov. 6th. 1916.

On Motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the Secretary was instructed to notify the Lafouche Levee Board to place a ramp at the levee at Anson or Perriander Street in the First Ward.

Resignation of Mr. Philip H. Mentz as a member of the 4th. Drainage District Commission was accepted and On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke on the petition of P.H.Mentz

Member of Tax payers of said District Mr. Frank E. Fagot was appointed as a member of said Drainage Commission to fill the vacancy thus created.
 of 4th Drainage Dist
 Petition of Victor Arndudin to operate a white saloon at Westwego on Canal Bank near Ferry Landing was granted.

Petition of Joseph Bua to operate a colored saloon at Shrewsbury under Parish License No. 47 and State License No. 1031 was granted.

Petition of property holders to have Mr. Fauchaux appointed a deputy sheriff at Waggaman with pay was referred to the Sheriff.

Requisition of John E. Fleury and Constable Jacob Walter were referred to the Finance Committee.

Request of the Jefferson Parish Fair Association asking the Jury to appropriate Five Hundred Dollars to assist in defraying deficit sustained by said Association in the holding of the recent parish fair was read and on Motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Thompson said sum was appropriated.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the Secretary was instructed to notify the Dairymans Association and the members of the several Police Jury wards interested, that the Police Jury agrees to furnish the material to build cattle dipping vats provided they furnish the sites and labor.

Messrs Rouprich, Strehle, and Stritzinger the committee appointed to wait upon the Jefferson Plaquemines Drainage District Commission relative to improvement of drainage conditions in the rear of the City of Gretna reported verbally through the Chairman Mr. Rouprich that they had met the said drainage commission and had asked that Canals be dug in the rear of Gretna but they had been informed that the drainage commission had no funds and that the only way the canals could be dug would be at the City's expense.

[The following notation was handwritten in the margin.]

On Motion of Rouprich seconded by Stritzinger The President was authorized to Employ Council for an opinion relative to Drainage tax imposed by the Jefferson-Plaquemine Drainage District.

[End of handwritten notation.]

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Strehle the following resolution was adopted,

WHEREAS, under the provisions of Act. 199 of 1916 the supervision of the roads in the various road Districts is placed in the hands of a board of supervisors composed of the members of the Police Jury of the ward or wards composing the several road districts, the members of the School Board of the ward or wards composing the road districts and one member to be appointed in each road district by the Police Jury.

BE IT RESOLVED, that the odd member to be appointed by the Police Jury in road District No. One (1) of the Parish of Jefferson be Mr. E. B. Anthony who is hereby appointed.

That Mr. Conrad A. Buchler of Road District No. Two (2) of the Parish of Jefferson be and he is hereby appointed.

That Mr. C. A. Fleming of Road District No. Three (3) of the Parish of Jefferson be and he is hereby appointed.

On Motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Thompson the following resolution was adopted.

RESOLVED That the members of this Jury from the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth Wards are hereby authorized to furnish the Material to build three dipping vats at such points as in the Judgment of the said Jurors is proper provided the location, expenses of construction and maintenance be provided by the property holders.

The Jury then adjourned.
 Jules G. Fisher President

Wm. Hepting
 Secretary

Office of the Police Jury
 Parish of Jefferson
 Gretna, La., Dec. 6th., 1916,

The Police Jury met this day in regular session;
 Members present:- Jules G. Fisher, president; A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the official Journal.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Luke, it was resolved that the Jury take up only important matters requiring immediate consideration, and that all other business be laid over until next meeting.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following ordinance was adopted:-

An Ordinance amending the Franchise granted by the City of New Orleans and the Parish of Jefferson to the Orleans Kenner Electric Railway Company on December 22nd., 1914 so as to provide for transportation in the Parish of Jefferson also of freight and tracks owned by or leased to said Company, its successors or assigns.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the Commission Council of the City of New Orleans and the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that in addition to the privilege of transporting passengers, mail express or baggage granted to the Orleans-Kenner Electric Railway Company, its successors or assigns, as provided in an ordinance Number 1959, Commission Council Series, adopted on November 17th., 1914, the adjudication made on December 18th., 1914 and notarial contract entered into on December 22nd., 1914, that the said Franchise ordinance and contract be so amended so as to provide that the said Orleans-Kenner Electric Railway Company, its successor or assigns, shall have and it is hereby granted the additional right of transporting freight over its own or leased lines within the Parish of Jefferson; nothing herein however, to be construed permitting or allowing the operation of freight cars within the limits of the City of New Orleans.

SECTION 2. Be it further ordained by the Commission Council of the

City of New Orleans and the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that this ordinance shall take effect upon its concurrence in and adoption by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, a certified copy of which ordinance, when adopted by the said body, shall be furnished the City of New Orleans.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:-

YEAS:- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays:- NONE.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy the following resolution was adopted:-

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Whereas there appears in the daily press an advertisement of a franchise to be sold jointly by the City of New Orleans and the City of Gretna, on December 11th., 1916 to operate a ferry from the head of Copernicus Avenue in the City of Gretna, to the head of Jackson Avenue in the City of New Orleans, which said franchise is to extend over a period of fifteen years; and,

WHEREAS it appears that the said parties above mentioned have also advertised the said franchise, that the upper limits of said Ferry Franchise would extend to the lower limits of the Louisiana Avenue Ferry Boat franchise in the Parish of Jefferson; and

Whereas, it appears that the City of Gretna and the City of New Orleans jointly have no jurisdiction over the sale of franchise in the Parish of Jefferson unless the Police Jury of said Parish is a party thereto, and that the City of Gretna cannot sell a franchise of the character beyond its own limits and cannot extend the limits into the Parish of Jefferson; and,

Whereas the Parish of Jefferson has a financial interest and certain property rights in franchises that extend into and operate within the Territory limits of the Parish and steps should be taken to protect its rights; THEREFORE

BE IT RESOLVED, that it is the sense of this Jury that proceedings be instituted on behalf of the Parish of Jefferson and the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson to stop sale, by injunction, of said franchise herein referred to, and that counsel be employed to look after the interest of this Parish;

Be it further resolved, that, owing to the death of our legal adviser and the emergency existing in this matter, the President of this Police Jury be and he is hereby authorized to employ counsel to represent this Jury and the Parish of Jefferson in any proceedings that may be necessary in the matter, and to take any and all necessary proceedings and sign all papers looking to the protection of our interest.

On Motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, the Police Jury considers that the amount of \$60,000.00 fire insurance on the Court Building and fixtures is excessive; and

Whereas there is no storm insurance on same at present;

Be it resolved, that one half of said Fire insurance of \$60,000.00

be cancelled and storm insurance to the amount of \$15,000.00 be placed on said building.

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On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following resolution was adopted:-

WHEREAS, it has pleased an all wise providence to remove from the scenes of earthly labor our esteemed and beloved fellow citizen, Honorable L. H. Marrero, Jr., District Attorney for the Twenty-eighth Judicial District;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in regular session assembled, that in the demise of our honored friend this body realizes the loss of one to whose wise counsel, in matters of public of public administration it was deeply indebted. Inspired by conscientious conception of his duty to his people, he was ever painstaking and careful in his capacity as legal adviser of this body, and the fruits of his counsel are evident in the thoroughness of his labors in our behalf;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the members of this Police Jury while bowing submissibly to the will of the Great Judge who rules the destinies of mankind, yet deeply deplore the loss of one whose work of usefulness as a citizen was yet in its prime, and who bid fair to achieve greater honors with the added years that seemed still before him;

Be it further resolved, that to his bereaved widow and little ones and and to the venerable Father and dear brothers and other relatives who survive to mourn his loss, the members of this Police Jury tender this expression of their deepest and sincerest sympathy in the dark hour that has come upon them;

Be it further resolved that the secretary be instructed to forward a copy of these resolutions to the widow of the lamented official, and that a page of the minute book of this Police Jury be reserved for their inscription.

On Motion duly seconded, the Police Jury, out of respect to the memory of the late District Attorney L. H. Marrero, Jr., then adjourned to Wednesday December 13th., 1916.

Jules G. Fisher
President

Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

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Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., Dec. 13, 1916.

The Police Jury met this day pursuant to adjournment, when on motion duly seconded, the regular order of business, as laid over from the previous meeting, was taken up.

Members present:- Jules G. Fisher, president, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. F. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved:-
Gretna, La., Dec. 6, 1916.

To the President and members of the Police Jury;
Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of November 1916:

CASH RECEIVED ----	
Business licenses less comm.	\$ 4.75
Cart licenses, less comm.	1.43
Pound fees	2.00
TOTAL	\$ 8.18
CASH DISBURSED- - -	
Overdraft balance Nov. 1st.,	\$37,671.92
Wm. Hepting, V. 4520	67.50
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4521,	67.50
C. J. Tassin, 4522	15.00
H. Bartholomew, 4523	45.00
John Romero, 4524	45.00
O. B. Stiles, 4525	9.00
Cum. T. & T. Co., 4526	29.60
Algiers Railway and Light Co., 4527	10.18
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 4528	45.00
TOTAL	38,005.70
OVERDRAFT BALANCE	37,997.52

E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Dec. 6th., 1916,

To the President and members of the Police Jury
Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report as Treasurer of the First Good road District for the month of November 1916:

Balance Nov. 1 st ., 1916,	\$2,275.65
Cash Received "none"	
Cash disbursed "none"	
Balance Dec. 1 st ., 1916,	\$2,275.65

E. M. Hubert
Treasurer

Gretna, La., Dec. 6th., 1916

To the President and members of the Police Jury:
Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report as treasurer of the Second Good Road District for the Month of Nov. 1916,

Balance Nov. 1 st ., 1916,	\$3,648.79
Cash received "none"	
Cash Disbursed "none"	
Balance Dec. 1 st ., 1916,	\$3,648.79

E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.

The report of the Parish auditor was received and ordered filed.

Farm demonstrator L. W. Wilkinson submitted his report, which was received and

ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:-

Borum and O'toole repairs to plumbing at courthouse, \$7.70, H. Brunies meals to commissioners and clerks of election \$24.00, H. Brunies meals, petit jurors \$104.05, Lawrence Pfeiffer erecting and takeing down pool booths 1st., and 2nd., wards, \$15.00 Lawrence hauling material to poll booths and store of same \$5.00 Texas Oil Co., Oil and Gas to Harvey's bridge \$4.97, M. Rosenstock, mdse. to jail, \$17.05, La. State Normal School, tuition Miss. V. Tillotson, \$72.00 L. W. Wilkinson, salary \$45.00 J. W. Minnich, registrar of vital Statistics \$1.00 Edw. Crawford registrar of vital statistics \$1.75, Mrs. F. M. Hall, registrar of vital statistics, \$1.50, L. Guidry, registrar of vital statistics .25cts., P. H. Lane, furnished to 7th., ward., \$3.00 Geir Bros. Lumber Co., material furnished to 7th., ward, \$66.00 Jos. P. Towner, furnishing meals to commissioners and Clerks \$10.00 Louis Guillotte meals furnished to commissioners and clerks \$15.00 Louis Guillotte building polling booth \$5.00 Louis Guillotte rent of polling booth \$5.00 New Orleans Stencil Works stamps furnished to Jury \$1.00 Sinclair & Macmurdo, premium on Insurance, \$13.00 Gould Fire Co., rent of hall \$10.00 J. H. Lange, ex-Officio Coroner inquest at Grand Isle \$5.00 Elliott-Fisher Co., repairing of Machines Clerks office \$10.25 J. T. Fitzgerald expense investigating Schilling murder \$57.60 Jeff. S. and Con. Co., shells for road District No. 2 (road fund) \$316.75.

On request of Dr. M. E. Brown coroner, the secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for the erection of a fence around potters field, said bids to be in the hands of the Secretary at 12 o'clock noon on January 3, 1917.

Request of Constable Jacob Walter for necessaries for Police Station was granted.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Thompson A. C. Bakewell was appointed as bridge tender at Harvey.

On Motion duly seconded the bids for tornado insurance on courthouse were referred to the courthouse and jail committee.

Check of \$4125 from Sinclair & Macmurdo Inc., Insurance agents, for return premium on cancelled policies, was ordered deposited to the credit of the Parish.

On Motion of Mr. Roupnich seconded by Mr. Thompson the following was adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson that in order to regulate the charges and election expenses to be paid by this Police Jury and to make said charges uniform all over the Parish of Jefferson, this police jury hereby fixes the maximum charge that will be paid as follows, to-wit:- To providing meals to commissioners and clerks of election \$10.00; to erecting and takeing down election booths and barriers or fences around election polls, \$10.00.

Erecting
and tak-
ing down
election
Booths
\$10.00

On Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Stritzinger, the following ordinance was adopted:-

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Whereas the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson is indebted unto the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank of Gretna, La., in the full sum of Thirty-eight thousand dollars for monnies advanced and paid on behalf of this Police Jury to various parties firms, corporations and persons for work done, services rendered and material and supplies furnished for the public improvement of the Parish of Jefferson, and

Whereas, it is the purpose of this police Jury to secure the payment of the said indebtedness, and

Whereas, after paying and providing for the payment of all statutory necessary and usual charges there will be an annual excess revenue which can be legally pledged to secure this indebtedness.

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in regular meeting assembeled that the President and Secretary of the Police Jury be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to execute, sign, seal and deliver on behalf of this Police Jury, representing the Parish of Jefferson, Four (4) certificates of indebtedness each for the sum of Nine Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$9,500.00) to evidence the aforesaid indebtedness.

Be it further ordained, etc., that the said certificates of indebtedness shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum from the date of certificates until paid.

Be it further ordained, etc., that the said certificates of indebtedness shall be dated January 10th, 1917 and shall be payable one, (1) year after date of said certificate, The Police Jury hereby specially reserves the right and privilege to cancel any, all or part of the aforesaid certificates, before maturity, upon the payment of the face value thereof, together with accrued interest, if any may be due.

Be it further ordained, etc., That in order to secure the payment of the said certificates of indebtedness, both in principal and interest, the Police Jury does hereby specially bind itself to set aside and to dedicate, out of its excess revenues after paying statutory, necessary and usual expenses, one half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of a mill of the general Parish taxes, which said tax is hereby specially pledged and is to be devoted exclusively to the redemption of the aforesaid certificates of indebtedness, both in principal and interest.

Be it further ordained, etc., that this special dedication of one-half of a mill shall be set aside each year not to exceed ten years until the whole debt herein secured and all of the certificates of indebtedness herein provided for shall be paid both in principal and interest.

Be it further ordained, etc., that this Police Jury hereby specially reserves the right, and the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank hereby agrees that the Police Jury have the right and option, as the necessity may arise, to extend the payment of any or all the aforesaid certificates, after the maturity of the same, this extension, however, not to exceed the legal limit of ten years.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Luke the secretary was instructed to officially notify the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank of adoption of the above ordinance.

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On Motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following ordinance was adopted:-

Whereas, At the last meeting of this Police Jury, held on December 6th, 1916 this Police Jury authorized the President to employ a special attorney to file an injunction suit against the sale of the Jackson Avenue Ferry franchise the said employment being necessary, since the District Attorney, L. H. Marrero Jr., had died; and

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Thompson the following resolution was adopted:-

Whereas, there is a vacancy in the Conservation commission.; and

Whereas, the Parish of Jefferson is more vitally interested in the Conservation of the State's resources than any other Parish in the State, and especially in the conservation of fish, oysters and shrimps.

Be it resolved by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson that we do hereby unanimously recommend the appointment of Mr. Isidore Fisher to fill the said vacancy.

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Burbank it was resolved that Judge Fleury be authorized to make arraignments for the care of the Five Genogo children, namely, Katie, Sam, Angelo, Joseph and Providence for the sum of Twelve Dollars per month.

Whereas the President of this Police Jury has advised this Jury that he has employed Mr. Conrad A. Buchler to file the said suit;

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson that the employment of Mr. Conrad A. Buchler as special attorney, be and it is hereby fixed not to exceed the sum of One hundred dollars.

Be it further ordained that should he be successful in recovering any amount from the sale of the said ferry franchise for the Police Jury, that he should be allowed an additional fee of ten per cent of the amount he shall recover;

Be it further ordained that this ordinance be spread on the minutes and be published in the official journal according to law.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:-

Yeas:- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke Clancy. Nays:- None.

Petition of residents and property owners of Metairie Ridge requesting the Police Jury to order repairs to road at Metairie Ridge was referred to the Board of Supervisors of Road District No. One (1).

On Motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Strehle the petition of property owners at Westwego to have wells for fire purposes installed at Westwego was referred to the Parish Engineer to determine location of same and to furnish specifications for three wells to the Secretary who was instructed to

advertise for bids for the work, bids to be in his hand at 12 o'clock noon on January 3rd, 1917.

Petition of John P. Draube to operate a white saloon at Harahan City was laid over until next meeting.

Protest of Citizens of Harahan City against operating of any saloon at Harahan City was laid over until next meeting.

On Motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Clancy it was resolved that the Jury accept the proposition of attorney C. A. Buchler to enter proceedings against the Jefferson-Plaquemine Drainage District Commission, to enjoin that body from collecting drainage tax from the First, Second and Third Wards in the City of Gretna, on conditions that the Police Jury will defray court expenses not to exceed one hundred dollars, and that all attorneys fees and other expenses above this sum be borne by said Attorney.

By permission of the President, Mr. H. H. Gautier addressed the Jury in behalf of David Crockett Steam Fire Co., No. 1, asking for an appropriation to assist in paying for a tractor for fire emergencies. Action of the request was deferred until next meeting.

By permission of the President, Judge John E. Fleury in behalf of uncarred for children and solicited the aid of the Jury to devise some means to send these abandoned or neglected children to a training school.

Dr. Thomas Agnew also addressed the Jury citing the laws pertaining to the conduct of Juvenile Courts and the custody of delinquent children.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke the Secretary was instructed to notify the Sewerage and water board of New Orleans to restore the Shell road at 17th, Street Canal at its original condition at points where the road had been cut out to lay a pipe line over the Parish property without permission to the Police Jury.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President

Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., January 3, 1917

The Police Jury met this day in regular session;

Members present:- Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the official Journal.

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved:

Gretna, La., January 3, 1917

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, La.,
Gentlemen:

I, the Undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of December 1916.

RECEIPTS:

December 4, 1916,

Taxes loss comm. \$ 5,410.77

Cart Licenses .48

Cancellation of Insurance Policy 41.25

Interest on deposits 28.00

TOTAL receipts;

5,480.50

DISBURSEMENTS:

December 1st, 1916,

Overdraft balance \$37,997.52

Wm. Hepting, V. 4529 67.50

Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4539 67.50

L. R. Lapoyronnie, V. 4531 72.00

C. J. Tassin, V. 4532 15.00

John Romero, V. 4533 45.00

Alfred Bakewell, V. 4534 45.00

O. B. Stiles, V. 4535 9.00

J. J. Keller, V. 4536 30.00

Alonzo Smith, V. 4537 6.50

Henry Gardey, V. 4538 6.00

Mrs. J. G. Greffer, V. 4539, 12.00

J. L. Walter, V. 4540 12.00

Wm. Cole, V. 4541, 3.00

Chas. H. Landry, V. 4542 5.80

Joseph P. Toner, V. 4543, 6.00

Vic. A. Pitre, V. 4544 2.00

R. Guidry, V. 4545 30.20

Western Union Tel. & Tel. V. 4546 6.00

Lee Ben. Ass'n. V. 4547 20.00

Louisiana Cypress Lumber Co., V. 4548 23.47

Texas Oil Co., 4549 8.10

A. Baldwin & Co., V. 4550 2.00

H. Duvall, V. 4551 50.00

Paul E. Mortimer, V. 4552, 20.00

Ed. Varrett, V. 4553 12.00

Kenner Fire Co., 4554, 5.00

T. Belsome, V. 4555, 78.50

Tom. Dauenhauer, V. 4556 29.30

L. W. Wilkinson, V. 4557, 45.00

Joseph Oplatek, V. 4558 15.00

Julius Landry, V. 4559, 3.00

Cumberland T. & T Co., V. 4560 28.78

Algiers Ry. and Light Co., V. 4561 10.24

A. G. Gugel, 4562 22.50

Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4563, 3.00

Theo. Englebach, V. 4564, 3.00

Joseph Fisher, V. 4565 22.50

Mat Schurb, V. 4566, 12.50

Henry Gardey, V. 4567, 18.00

Gretna, Feed Store, V. 4568, 1.50

H. E. Benfield, V. 4569, 10.00

Worrel Mfg. Co., V. 4570, 371.60

J. F. Terregrossa, V. 4571, 17.40

Louisiana State Normal School, V. 4572.	72.00
L. Guidry, V. 4573,	.25
Mrs. F. H. Hale, V. 4574,	1.50
J. W. Minnich, V. 4575	1.00
Ed. F. Crawford, V. 4576,	1.75
Geier Bros. Lmbr. Co., V. 4577	66.00
P. H. Lane, V. 4578,	3.00
Joseph P. Toner, V. 4579,	10.00
Louis Guillotte, V. 4580	25.00
M. O. Stencil Works, V. 4581,	1.00
St. Clair and Mc Murde, V. 4582,	13.00
Gould Steam Fire Co., V. 4583,	10.00
H. Lang, Ex-Officio Coroner, V. 4584,	5.00
Didier Dantin, V. 4585,	2.00
Jean Simon, V. 4587,	2.00
Gustave Jaud, V. 4586	2.00
Forrest Miller, V. 4588,	2.00
Joseph Lawrence, V. 4589	2.00
Elliott-Fisher & Co., V. 4590,	10.25
Borum and O'Toole, V. 4591,	7.70
H. Brunies, V. 4592,	128.05
Lawrence Pfeiffer, V. 4593,	20.00
John T. Fitzgerald, V. 4594	57.60
Texas Oil Co., V. 4595,	4.97
M. Rosenstock, V. 4596,	17.05
TOTAL DISBURSEMENTS,	\$39,735.53
OVERDRAFT	\$34,253.03

Respectfully
E. H. Hubert
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Jan. 3, 1917,

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,
Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Treasurer of the First Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of December 1916.

To balance on hand,	\$2,275.65
RECEIPTS	
December 4, 1916,	
To Taxes less comm.	189.50
Dec. 31, 1916, to interest on deposits	42.50
Total receipts and balances	<u>2,507.65</u>
NO DISBURSEMENTS	
Balance on hand	00.00
	<u>\$2,507.65</u>

Respectfully
E. H. Hubert, Treasurer

First Good District
Gretna, La., Jan. 3, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:

I the undersigned Treasurer of the Second Good Road District,

beg leave to submit this my report for the month of December 1916, December 1st, 1916,

Balance on hand.	\$3,648.79
RECEIPTS;	
Dec. 4, 1916, To taxes less comm.	3,538.02
Dec. 4, 1916, To interest on deposits	50.00
TOTAL balance and receipts	<u>\$ 7,236.81</u>
DISBURSEMENTS:	
Dec. 13, 1916,	
To Jefforson Shell and Cons. Co., V. 126 J.	316.73
TOTAL Disbursements,	<u>\$ 316.73</u>
BALANCE on hand,	<u>\$ 6,920.08</u>

Respectfully
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer 2nd, Good Road District,

The report of the Parish engineer on public work under his direction was received and ordered filed.

The finance committees report was deferred to the special meeting, to be held Jan. 11, 1917.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury; Algiers Ry. and Light Co., Electricity for Jail, C. H. and Police Station \$ 19.87,- Cumberland T. & T. Co., Phones Algiers 46,244, and 306. \$25.87,- Brandao Printing Co., Stationery for Clerk of Court; \$20.00,- Wm. Durr, road work 7th, ward, \$5.00,-Tom Dauenhauer, road work 3rd, ward, \$24.00,- Henry Gardere, meals furnished to commissioners and clerks of election \$6.00, rent of poll \$4.00 Transportation of ballot box to Grand Isle \$7.07,- less \$5.00 paid by Mr. Fisher \$12.00, - - C. Viering, Supplies to P. S. \$3.05,- M. Rosenstock Merchandise to P. S. \$7.50,- Mrs. S. J. Bailey, meals to commissioners and clerks of election \$10.00 Mrs. F. J. Bailey, meals to commissioners and Clerks of election \$10.00, - - E. J. Deshautreaux, meals to commissioners and clerks of election \$10.00,-- E. J. Deshautreaux, erecting poll and rent of same, \$5.00, - - L. Guillotte, erecting of poll and rent of same, \$5.00,-- L. Guillotte rent of poll \$5.00,- L. Guillotte, meals to commissioners and clerks of election, \$10.00,- Joseph Oplatek, medicine to courthouse and jail, \$7.50, \$7.50,-Texas Oil Co., Oil and Gas for Harvey Bridge, \$2.79,-William Hepting, Postoffice Box rent and postage stamps, \$7.00, - C. A. Buchler, Professional service \$25.00,- G. H. Theode, stamps to Judge John E. Fleury, \$1.50,- J. P. Toner, Meals to commissioners and clerks of election, \$10.00,-Jefferson Democrat supplies and stationery for Assessor's office \$13.50,-for Board of Health, \$6.25,-for Police Jury, \$40.15, District Judge, \$29.50,-for Clerk of Court \$409.85,- for Sheriff \$321.50, First Justice of the peace \$71.50,-----\$924.50 M. Schurb, erection and demolishing of poll booth 1st, ward, \$10.00,- all other bills were referred to the finance committee.

Communication from Henry J. Malochee, Receiver relative to conference with Police Jury over road district matters and declining to attend meeting was received and ordered filed.

Communication from the Sewerage and Water Board of New Orleans, was

read and ordered filed.

Requisition of Dr. M. Earle Brown Coroner was referred to the District Attorney for an opinion.

Application of H. H. Gautier Chairman of the Committee for David Crockett Steam Fire Co., #1, soliciting an appropriation of Five hundred Dollars for the purchase of a forty horsepower hose wagon for fire purposes was laid over.

Report of Courthouse and jail committee covering supplies and repairs needed at Parish Jail was read and on Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke, the Jail keeper Desire Braud was authorized to purchase same as recommended under proper requisition.

Voucher of \$103.12 was received from the Algiers Railway and Light Company covering one half of One per cent total receipts from October 31, 1915

to November 1, 1916, and on Motion duly seconded same was accepted and ordered deposited to the credit of the Parish.

Opinion of special counsel C. A. Buchler, relative to the legality of drainage tax imposed by the Jefferson and Plaquemine Drainage District was read and ordered filed.

Seal bids of George Wagner and Alphonse Delery for erection of fence to enclose Potters field in Gretna, were rejected and on Motion duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to re-advertise for bids for this work, same to be in the hands of the Secretary at 12 o'clock noon on February 7, 1917.

Petition was received from the voters of the 6th., ward Second Precinct, requesting the Police Jury to change the voting place and on Motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Burbank, the voting place in said precinct was changed to Public School House No. 1,

Petition of J. P. Draube to operate a saloon for whites on Oak Street between 1st., and 2nd., Streets Harahan City was on Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke granted.

Ordinance providing for the grant of right of way to William Winnan Walls to build a toll road from Gretna, to the line of Plaquemine Parish along the New Orleans and Lower Coast Railroad was laid over until next meeting.

Claim of the American Brewing Association for injuries to mule by Motor Truck was referred to Board of Supervisors of Road District No. Two (2).

Engineer H. L. Zander addressed the Jury relative to the question of fire protection from Harvey to Westwego and after discussion of the subject the President appointed Messrs. J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank and Engineer H. L. Zander as a committee of three to confer relative to the matter and to act in conjunction with Mr. H. H. Gautier and Fire Chief H. J. Rapp.

The Jury then adjourned.

Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., January 11, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in special session;

Members present:- Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. Thompson, John Clancy.

The President announced that the special meeting was called for the purpose of receiving the report of the finance committee and of considering an ordinance authorizing the President and Secretary to sign certificates of indebtedness of the Parish of the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank for a period of ten years.

The report of the finance committee was read and on Motion of Mr. Rouprich duly seconded by Mr. Luke, all bills as approved by the finance committee were ordered paid.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson, duly seconded the following ordinance was adopted.

AN ORDINANCE

WHEREAS, the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in indebtedness to the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank of Gretna, La., in the sum of Thirty eight thousand Dollars, (\$38,000.00) for monies paid and advanced for and on behalf of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, to various parties, firms, corporations and persons for work done services rendered and material and supplies furnished for the public improvement of the Parish of Jefferson, and

WHEREAS, it is the purpose of this Police Jury to secure the payment of the said indebtedness and,

WHEREAS, after paying and providing for the payment of all statutory necessary and usual charges there will be an annual excess revenue which can be legally pledged to secure the payment of this indebtedness.

Section I

THEREFORE be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in special meeting assembled that the President and Secretary of this Police Jury be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to execute, sign, seal and deliver for and on behalf of this Police Jury representing the Parish of Jefferson, Sixty-four (64) bonds or certificates of indebtedness to evidence the aforesaid indebtedness of Thirty-eight Thousand Dollars (\$38,000.00)

Section II

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED etc., that the said Sixty four (64) bonds hereby ordered to be issued shall be divided and distributed as follows to-wit:-

Sixteen (16) bonds of One thousand Dollars denomination,
Forty-three bonds of Five hundred Dollars denomination.
Five bonds of One hundred Dollars denomination.

Said bonds shall be numbered and designated as follows; Bonds numbered from One to Forty-three inclusive, shall be of Five hundred Dollars denomination Bonds numbered from 44 to 59 inclusive shall be of one thousand dollars denomination, bonds numbered from "A" One (1) to "A" Five (5) inclusive shall be of One hundred dollars denomination.

Section III

Be it further ordained etc., that the aforesaid bonds shall be dated February 1st., 1917 and shall begin their maturity on the First day of

February 1918, and on the same day of each year thereafter on the following plan to-wit:-

Bonds	Maturity	Amount	Aug. 1st Int.	Term
1,2,3, Prin. & Int. Feby. 1st	1918	\$ 1500.00		1.
4,5,6,7,	1919	2000.00		2.
8,9,10,11,12 A 1.	1920	2600.00		3.
13,14,15,16,17,18,A".	1921	3100.00	14	4.
19,20,21,22,23,24,25,A.3.	1922	3600.00	1440	5.
26,27,28,29,30,31,32,33.A. 4.	1923	4100.00		6.
34,35,36,37,38,39,40,41,42,A.5.	1924	4600.00		7.
44,45,46,47,48,	1925	5000.00		8.
49,50,51,52,53,43,	1926	5500.00		9.
54,55,56,57,58,59,	1927	6000.00		10.

Section IV.

Be it further ordained that all the aforesaid bonds shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent per annum from date of bond until paid. Said interest being payable semi annually and there shall be attached to each of the said bonds semi annual interest bearing coupons to represent the said interest which said coupons shall and are hereby made payable on the First day of February and the First day of August of each and every year while the bonds herein provided for are outstanding upon the presentation and surrender of the said coupons as they shall mature.

Section V.

Be it further ordained etc., that the principal and interest of the aforesaid bonds are payable at the office of the president of the Parish of Jefferson, or or the fiscal agency of the parish of Jefferson the Interstate Trust and Banking Company of the City of New Orleans, La., or the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank of Gretna, La., or the First National Bank of New York, at the option of the holder or holders of the bonds.

Section VI.

Be it further ordained etc., that the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson does hereby specially reserve the right and option to call in, cancel and retire any or all of the aforesaid bonds before their maturity, on any inter-

est, payment period upon the Police Jury advertising the facts of its intention to so retire and call in the said bonds in the official journal of the Parish of Jefferson at least Thirty days prior to said interest payment period and further upon its depositing with the fiscal agency of the Parish of Jefferson to the credit of the holder or holders of the holds [bonds] herein issued the face value of the bonds so retired and called in together with a premium of two per cent. on the amount of the bond so called in and retired.

Section VII.

Be it Further ordained etc., That in order to secure the Payment of the aforesaid bonds or certificates of indebtedness both in principal and interest, the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, does hereby specially bind itself and its successors in office, to set aside and to decimate out of its excess revenues after providing for the statutory necessary and usual charges and expenses of the Parish of Jefferson the avails

of one mill of the general taxes of the Parish of Jefferson or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay for the principal and interest falling due each year in accordance with the plan of redemption above mentioned, this special dedication of one mill tax or so much as may be necessary shall be done each year not to exceed ten years until the whole debt herein secured and all the bonds herein provided for shall be paid both in principal and interest and this Police Jury hereby specially binds and pledges itself and its successors in office to budget each year after providing for the necessary statutory and usual charges the said amount falling due each year.

Section VIII.

Be it further ordained etc., that the said bonds shall be signed by the President and Secretary of this Police Jury for and on behalf of this Police Jury and for the Parish of Jefferson, and the coupons shall have the facsimilie of the signatures of the said President and Secretary engraved or lithographed thereon and that the bonds shall be substantially as follows, to-wit:-

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF JEFFERSON

NO.- _____ \$ _____
CERTIFICATE OF INDEBTEDNESS OR REFUND BOND OF THE PARISH OF JEFFERSON.

THE POLICE JURY of the Parish of Jefferson acting as the governing authority of the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, for value received hereby promises to pay to the order of the JEFFERSON COMMERCIAL AND SAVINGS BANK, on the 1st., day of February One thousand nine hundred and _____, at the office of the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson, or the fiscal agent of the Parish of Jefferson or the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank or the Interstate Trust and Banking Company of New Orleans, La., or the First National Bank of New York, the sum of _____ Dollars, lawful money of the United States of America with interest at the rate of Five per cent per annum from the First day of February 1917, payable semi annually on the First day of February and First day of August of each and every year upon the presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached as the same shall mature. The principal and interest of this bond is payable at the places above mentioned at the option of the holder.

This bond is one of a series of sixty-four bonds Numbered and designated and of the following denominations.

Bonds Numbered from one to forty-three are of Five Hundred Dollars denomination, Bonds Numbered from Forty-four to Fifty-nine are of one thousand dollars denomination, and Bonds Numbered from A. 1 to A. 5 are of one hundred dollars denomination, all the said sixty-four bonds aggregating the full sum of Thirty-eight thousand Dollars.

The debt represented by this and the other bonds above mentioned is for money advanced and paid by the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank of Gretna, La., for and on behalf of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson to various parties, firms, corporations and persons for work done services rendered, material and supplies furnished for the public improvement of the Parish of Jefferson and this bond as well as all the other bonds are secured by the pledge of this Police

Jury and its successors in the office to budget each year and to set aside each year after providing for the statutory necessary and usual charges and expenses of the Parish of Jefferson, the proceeds of one mill of the general taxes of the Parish of Jefferson or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the principal and interest falling due each year while this bond or any of the other bonds provided for are outstanding in accordance with the plan of redemption adopted in an ordinance of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson enacted on the 11th., day of January 1917, and according to which plan all the bonds herein referred to shall be paid within a space of at least ten years.

The Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson hereby specially reserves the right to call in, cancel and retire this bond or any or all of the other outstanding bonds of this issue on any interest payment period upon advertising the fact of its intention to so call in, cancel and retire this or any other bond or bonds at least thirty days prior to said interest payment period in the official journal of the Parish of Jefferson and upon its depositing with the fiscal agent of the Parish of Jefferson to the credit of the holder or holders of this or any of the other bonds called in to be cancelled, the face value of this or the other of the said bonds together with a premium of two percent of the amount of the face value of the bonds thus called into be cancelled.

The Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson hereby certifies that all the acts conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to the issuance of this bond and the other bonds of this series in order to make them legal, binding and valid obligations of the Parish of Jefferson have been done in due form as required by law and particularly in accordance with the provisions of act No. 32 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana for the year 1902.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We the President and the Secretary of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in accordance with the authorization of the said Police Jury do hereby affix our signatures and the seal of the said Police Jury in and for and on behalf of the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana.

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PRESIDENT.

SECRETARY.

FORM OF COUPON

On the first day of February 19 - - - -

On the first day of August 19 - - - -

The Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, for and on behalf of the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, will pay to bearer \$ - - - - at the office of Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson or Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank or the Interstate Trust and Savings Company of New Orleans, La., or the First National Bank of New York, N. Y. at the option of the holder,

being the semi-annual interest due on bond No. _____

President.

Secretary.

Section 9. Be it further ordained, etc., That all expenses in connection with the getting out of this bond issue, including the costs of printing the bonds and other expenses incident thereto or to be born by the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank.

Section 10. Be it further ordained etc., that on the delivery of the Sixty-four (64) bonds herein provided for, properly signed and executed to the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank, the said Bank shall cancel the overdraft of \$38,000.00 now charged upon the Parish of Jefferson, and the Police Jury shall deliver to the President of this Police Jury all the checks, or vouchers or other evidence of indebtedness held by the said Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank to show the said indebtedness.

Section II. Be it further ordained etc., That all ordinances or part of ordinances, or law or part of laws, and particularly the ordinance adopted by the Police Jury on the 13th., day of December 1916, relative to the issuance of Certificates of Indebtedness to evidence this indebtedness of \$38,000.00 be and the same are hereby repealed.

PLAN OF REDEMPTION

Term.	Year.	Amt.	Int.	Com.	Total.
1.	1918	\$1500	\$1900	\$380	\$3780
2.	1919	2000	1825	365	4190
3.	1920	2600	1725	345	4610
4.	1921	3100	1595	319	5014
5.	1922	3600	1440	288	5328
6.	1923	4100	1260	252	5612
7.	1924	4600	1055	211	5866
8.	1925	5000	825	165	5990
9.	1926	5500	575	115	6190
10.	1927	6000	300	60	6360

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows;

YEAS:- Fisher, Roupnich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS:- "none"

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger duly seconded the following ordinance was adopted:

WHEREAS, the Police Jury has this day authorized the issuance of Sixty-four (64) negotiable interest bearing coupon bonds of various denominations, aggregating in all the full sum of Thirty-Eight Thousand Dollars said bonds to be given to the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank of Gretna, in lieu and in place of and to cancel the overdraft of \$38,000.00 now charged against the Police Jury and do by it to the said Bank; and,

WHEREAS, the cost and expense of getting out this bond issue including the costs of printing and preparting the said bonds, it is to be borne by the said Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank, and

Whereas, it is usual and customary that the said cost should be

born by the body issuing the bonds and ordinarily would and should be paid by this Police Jury;

THEREFORE, Be it Ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in special meeting assembeled that in consideration of the said Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank bearing the initial expense or perfecting the aforesaid bond issue of \$38,000.00 and paying for the printing of the bonds this Police Jury binds and obligates itself and its successors in office to pay the said Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank a commission of One (1) per cent. per annum each year annually on the outstanding indebtedness of the said bond issue of \$38,000.00.

Be it further ordained, etc., that the said commission of one per cent. per annum on the outstanding indebtedness shall be secured and be paid out of the proceeds of one mill of the general Parish Tax, this day pledged and set aside for the payment of the principal and interest of the said bond issue and the same shall mature each year.

After payment of the said principal and interest the excess

of the said one mill tax, or so much thereof as maybe necessary shall be used to pay the Commission of one per cent. herein provided for.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:-

YEAS:- Fisher, Roupri ch, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS:- "nine"

On Motion of Mr. Luke duly seconded the following ordinance was adopted:-

"Whereas, the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson has received from the Sheriff of the Parish of Jefferson the sum of Seven Thousand One hundred and Forty Eight Dollars and sixty-eight cents the same being the proceeds of the special five mill tax imposed by the Police Jury in accordance with the vote of a majority of the qualified electors of the 7th., 8th., and 9th., wards of the Parish of Jefferson, to aid in the construction of the Orleans-Kenner Electric Railway Company, from the City of New Orleans to the City of Kenner, and

WHEREAS, this money is rightfully due to the Orleans-Kenner Electric Railway Company;

Be it further ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson that the Treasurer of this Police Jury who is also the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson, be and he is hereby authorized to draw a voucher, same to be properly signed by the President, the Secretary and the members of the Finance Committee of this Police Jury, to the order of the Orleans-Kenner Electric Railway Company, for whatever funds may now be in the hands of the said Treasurer the said Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson, say the sum of \$7,148.68.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resukted as follows;

YEAS:-Fisher, Roupri ch, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays:- NONE.

On Motion of Mr. Strehle, duly seconded the following ordinance was adopted:

WHEREAS, this Police Jury has been advised that the Board of Supervisors of Road District Number One and the Board of Supervisors of Road District Number Two of the Parish of Jefferson has been duly organized and,

WHEREAS, the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson is prepared to turn over the funds now in his hands to the credit of the said Road Districts,

BE IT ORDAINED by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson that the Treasurer of the Police Jury be and he is hereby authorized to turn over said funds to the respective Treasurers of the said Board of Supervisors of Road Districts Nos. One and Two of the Parish of Jefferson, upon the said Treasurer being satisfied that the Treasurer of the said Road Distticts have qualified by furnishing bond signed by a surety company in the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00).

On Motion of Mr. Stritzinger duly seconded the secretary was instructed to make demands on the Fourth Drainage District for a check for one-half of the charge for rent for the building leased by the Fifth Justice of the Peace and used by the said Drainage District as a meeting place for the said Board for the year 1916.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to make a demand on Lucas E. Moore Fire Insurance Company for the unearned premium on cancelled policies on the District Court Building.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to make request to Planters Fertelizer Company for pyrites rock to allow Henry Bordes a certain amount to be used to build and improve public road on Metairie Ridge known as Lake Avenue.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy duly seconded Henry Bordes was granted permission to open Lake Avenue for the Public Use at his expense.

On Motion of Mr. Luke duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to Notify Mrs. Henry Masset to move back the fence on Lake Avenue that the same may be used as a public road, and on failure to comply with the said notice the work to be done at her expense.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy duly seconded the President was authorized to appoint a scale inspector of Jefferson Parish, vice Dupre Lazarre resigned, the President thereupon appointed John N. Lefort to fill the vacant position.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher

President

Scale Inspector
Appointed

Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

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Office of the Police Jury
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., February 7th., 1917

The Police Jury met this day in regular session;

Members present; Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich,
Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke,
A. S. Thompson John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with
and they were approved as published in the official journal.

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved.
Gretna, La., Feby. 7, 1917

To the president and members of the Police Jury;

Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this as my report as treasurer
of the First Good Road District for the month of January 1917.

Balance January 1, 1917	2,507.65
Cash received-	
Taxes less commission	6,967.77
TOTAL	<u>9,475.42</u>
CASH DISBURSED	
W. F. Marrero, V. 123 J.	1,148.91
Jefferson Democrat V. 124 J.	7.50
TOTAL	<u>1,156.41</u>
Balance	8,319.01

E. M. HUBERT, Treasurer

Gretna, La., Feby. 7, 1917

To the President and members of the Police Jury;

Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report as treasurer of
the 2nd., Good road District for the month of January 1917.

Balance, January 1, 1917,	6,920.08
CASH RECEIVED:-	
Taxes less commission	6,728.96
Total	<u>13,649.04</u>
Cash Disbursed	
W. F. Marrero, Voucher 127 J.	1,326.08
Jeff. Shell and Con. Co., V. 128 J.	152.55
TOTAL	<u>1,478.63</u>
Balance	12,170.41

E. M. HUBERT, Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Feby. 7, 1917

Honorable President and members of the Police, Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
La.,

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit
this my report for the month of January 1917,

RECEIPTS

January 1, 1917	
Parish Tax Less Commission	27,924.54
January 4, 1917, Algiers Ry and Light Co., 1/2 of 1 per cent. of gross earnings for year 1916	103.12
January 4, 1917, Refund for cancelled Insurance	20.28
Total Receipts.	<u>28,047.94</u>
DISBURSEMENTS;	
To overdraft Balance,	34,253.03
Wm. Hepting, V. 4597	67.50
Ed. M. Hubert	67.50
L. R. Lapeyronnie V. 4599	36.00
C. J. Tassin V. 4600	15.00
Alfred Bakewell V. 4601	45.00
John Romero V. 4602	45.00
Octave B. Stiles 4603	9.00
J. B. Dauenhauer, Jr., 4604	2,017.15
C. W. Rossner 4605	11.20
C. W. Rossner 4606	127.50
La. Cypress Lumber Co., V. 4607	21.92
Dr. Geo Rossner 4608	45.00

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Lawrence Pfeiffer 4609	295.00
" " 4610	986.00
Geo. A. Cox 4611	333.33
F. M. Hall 4612	67.50
A. M. Alexander 4613	352.50
Chas. Root 4614	812.00
L. E. Arnoult 4615	812.00
Jno. T. Fitzgerald 4616	67.50
Henry Lang 4617	406.00
Geo. J. Trauth 4618	660.00
Miller Wall 4619	187.50
A. B. Treadway 4620	238.50
Victor Wysocky 4621	2.50
Alfred Crowley 4622	9.00
A. J. Louvier 4623	5.00
S. M. Meyer 4624	7.80
Isidore Fisher 4625	3.00
W. J. Kleinpeter 4626	3.00
Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank 4627	74.00
4628	42.00
4629	63.00
4630	62.00
4631	69.00
4632	25.60
4633	231.55
4634	326.10
4635	500.00
4636	166.66

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4637	240.00
4638	500.00
4639	802.50
4640	450.00
4641	25.80
Jules G. Fisher, 4642	192.00
A. Rouprieh 4643	28.80
Wm. E. Strehle 4644	36.00
E. Stritzinger 4645	48.00
J.D.Terrebbonne 4646	84.00
H. P. Burbank 4647	50.00
Wm. Luke 4648	39.60
A. S. Thompson 4649	65.00
John Clancy 4650	50.40
L. Guidry 4651	50.00
Henry Gardey 4652	210.00
Paul Ristroph 4653	39.60
Chas. F. Reimann 4654	45.00
Schneider & Boudreaux	4655 93.30
	4656 63.00
	4657 45.00
	4658 94.00
	4659 373.95
	4660 406.00
	4661 305.00
	4662 59.20
DO DO	10.00
Victor Kerner 4663	10.00
Andre Arnaudin 4664	783.00
Alfred Polkey 4665	406.00
Est. L. H. Marrero, Jr., 4666	2,055.00
Dr. M. E. Brown, 4667	227.00
O. B. Stiles, 4668	580.00
Isidore Fisher 4669	406.00
Geo. L. O'Dwyer 4670	73.20
Geo. L. O'Dwyer 4671	27.00
W. F. Marrero 4672	86.00
W. F. Marrero 4673	352.57
L. W. Wilkinson 4674	45.00
Thomas Dauenhauer 4675	24.00
Jefferson Democrat 4676	924.50
Algiers.Ry. & Light Co, 4677	19.87
Cum. Tel. & Tel. Co., 4678	25.82
Chas. Daul. 4679.	3.00
Henry Gardey 4680	12.00
E. C. Foss 4681	4.00
Emile Geisenheimer 4682	3.60
J. J. Keller 4683	12.00
M. Fried Sr., 4684,	3.00
A. M. Ricks, 4685,	3.00
J. L. Walter 4686	6.00
E. L. Barnes, 4687	3.00
R. Legendre 4688	3.00
Henry Guillette 4689	3.00
Jos. P. Toner, 4690	3.00

August Muller, 4691	3.00
Victor Kerner, 4692	19.00
George W. Charbonnet 4693	3.00
F. T. Fleury 4694	3.00

Wm. Rebentich 4695	22.70
Brandao Printing Co., 4696	20.00
Wm. Durr 4697	5.00
Henry Gardey 4698	5.00
Henry Gardey 4699	12.00
C. Viering 4700	3.05
Mrs. F. J. Bailey 4701	20.00
E. J. Deshautreaux 4702	15.00
Louis Guillote 4703	20.00
Joseph Oplatek 4704	7.50
Wm. Hepting 4705	7.45
Western Union T. & T. Co. 4706	2.00
G. H. Thoede 4707	1.50
C. A. Buchler 4708	25.00
Jos. P. Toner 4709	10.00
Mat. Schurb 4710	10.00
Ed. M. Hubert 4711	3.00
Texas Oil Co., 4712	2.79
Jefferson Commercial and Savings 4713	84.96
W. F. Marrero 4714	16.64
L. H. Marrero Sheriff	4715 805.00
	4716 809.50
	4717 463.32
DO DO	4718 7,531.12
M. Rosenstock 4719	7.50
H. H. Sharp 4720	3.00
Gracien Granier, 4721	8.10
Max Charbonnet 4722	2.50
O. P. H. Gugel 4723	35.00
John Ehret 4724	47.10
Bart. J. Tucker 4725	3.00
Lawrence Pfeiffer 4726	20.00
Gould Steam Fire Co. #1. 4727	10.00
Ed. M. Reim 4728	18.00
Lee Ben. Ass'n. 4729	20.00
Frank E. Fagot	3.00
Board of Supervisors of Election. 4731	100.00
TOTAL OVERDRAFT & DISBURSEMENTS	\$ 64,276.27
Over draft Balance	\$ 36,228.33

Respectfully
Ed. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and were ordered paid. The report of the parish auditor was received and ordered filed. The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:

E. Rein, repairs to jail - - - - -	12.00
L. W. Wilkinson, salary	45.00
Cumberland T. & T. Co., phones Alg. 46, 224 and 306	23.76
Alg. Ry. & L. Co., electricity for jail, C. H., Police STA.	22.37
Jos. Oplatek, medicine to Courthouse and jail	7.50
Hy. Keller, road wks., 2 nd W.	8.25
Mat Fried Sr., road wk., 3 rd W.	38.50
St. Joseph Orphanage, for care of four Gengo children	12.00

All other bills were referred to the finance committee.

The estimate of storm damage occasioned to the district Courthouse approximately \$82, as fixed by R. McCarthy, Jr., and covered by the policy with the Lucas E. Moor Insurance Agency, was excepted.

Communication from M. D. Kostmayer, complaining of flooded condition of Metairie Bayou, was referred to the Supervisors of Fourth Drainage District.

Communications from J. W. Thompson, New Orleans Real Estate Board and Motor League of were received and ordered filed.

Communication from Penick & Ford, Ltd., was referred to Supervisors Road District No. 2.

Communication from William W. Wall, Jos. M. Lefort and L. W. Wilkinson were received and ordered filed.

Communication from Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank was read; and on motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Thompson, the following ordinance was adopted;

Whereas, this Police Jury at its last session held January 11, 1916, authorized the issuance of certificates of the indebtedness to evidence the floating indebtedness of the Parish of Jefferson amounting to \$38,000; and,

Whereas, the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank, which had agreed to take the said certificates, has notified this Police Jury that it desires to have said certificates issued, in accordance with the provisions of act No. 277 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, for the year 1916, instead of under the provisions of Act. No. 32 of 1902; and,

Whereas, under the provisions of said Act. No. 277 of 1916, it is necessary that the certificates of indebtedness be based upon a judgment of Court first obtained; and,

Whereas, all of the floating indebtedness of the Parish of Jefferson was legally incurred prior to May 1, 1916;

Therefore, be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that this Police Jury does hereby admit and acknowledge its indebtedness to Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank in the full sum of \$38,000 and does hereby authorize and empower its President to answer the suit that may be filed by the said Bank against the Police Jury for the aforesaid amount, and he is further authorized in order to save further cost and delays to confess judgment for the said amount.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas-Fisher, Rourprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays-None.

Resignation of E. B. Anthony as a member of the Board of Supervisors of Road District No. 1 was received and expected, and on motion of Mr. Thompson, duly seconded, Holmes Harrison was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Request of Texas Oil Co. for return of property of said company was referred to the operator of the shell truck.

Report of Messrs. W. A. Duck and J. A. Salmen, appraisers, fixing value of Union Ferry Company's property, including Jackson Avenue ferry boat A. Baldwin and all improvements, appurtenances, etc., pertaining to the operation of said ferry franchise between New Orleans and Gretna at the sum of \$55,930.53 was received and ordered filed.

On motion duly seconded the bid of Al. Delery to build fence around Potters field according to specifications, for the sum of \$185.00, was expected,

and he was awarded contract for said work.

Petition from property owners of Metairie Ridge asking the Jury to open up Iona Street was presented, and on motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy the petitioners were granted the right to open up Iona Street and the Secretary was instructed to notify the property owners, Mr. V. Betz and the heirs of the late L. H. Marrero Jr., to move back their fences obstructing said street, so that same may be used as a public road, otherwise the work will be done by the Police Jury at the expense of the owners.

Petition of property owners at the lower line of South Kenner, complaining of the conditions of public road in that section, was referred to the board of Supervisors of Road district No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger, duly seconded the President was authorized to enter into an agreement with the Treasurer of the school board to assist Professor L. W. Wilkinson, Farm Demonstrator to negotiate a loan of \$385.00 for the purchase of an Automobile, under certain terms and conditions covering this transaction.

Messrs. A. H. Johness, and N. J. Clesi, and Leo A. Marrero, appeared before the Jury to complain of the conditions of the public road in road districts 1 and 2 and requested the Police Jury to appropriate \$1500.00 for each district for the building and upkeep of the said roads.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Stritzinger it was resolved that, as the Police Jury favors a plan to complete the good roads in the Parish, a committee of five be appointed to confer with the Committee of the New Orleans Real Estate Board to effect a method to finance the completion of the road.

The President appointed the following committee: Messrs. Clancy, Luke, and Thompson of Road District No. 1 and Messrs Burbank, and Terrebonne of Road District 2, the committee to report at the next meeting of the Jury,

Check for \$375.00 for Merchants and Planters Ferry Co., due on sale of franchise, was received and ordered deposited to the credit of the general fund,

500.00 Appropriated to David Crockett Steam Fire Co.

On motion of Mr. Strehle seconded by Mr. Terrebonne, the sum of \$500.00 was appropriated to David Crockett Steam Fire Company No. 1 out of the revenues of 1918 to assist in the purchase of a road tractor for fire purposes.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Strehle, the Secretary was instructed to notify the New Orleans Western Railway Co., to fill in between the tracks with some suitable material from Harvey to Gretna.

On motion of Mr. Clancy, seconded by Mr. Thompson, John Ledoux was appointed pound keeper of the 9th Ward.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger, seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the Secretary was requested to notify the Algiers Railway and Light Co., and the New Orleans Western Railway Co., to erect a passenger waiting station at the head of Copernicus Avenue.

On motion of Mr. ~~Thompson~~ ^{Thompson} seconded by Mr. ~~Burbank~~ ^{Burbank} the following ordinance was adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson:

Section 1. That there is hereby levied an annual license tax for the Parish of

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Jefferson for the year 1917 upon each person, association of persons, or business or corporation purchasing any trade, profession, vocation, calling or business conducted, carried on or operated within the limit of the Parish of Jefferson, Louisiana, which may be subject to such license tax under Article 229 of the Constitution of Louisiana.

Section 2, That the annual license hereby levied is declared to be the same as to be graduated in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana now in force, and is hereby declared to be the same as to be graduated in accordance with the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana now in force, and is hereby declared to be the same as to graduation and amount as the license laws of the State of Louisiana now in force provided for State purposes, and are to be determined in accordance therewith to wit: Act III of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana of the session of 1898 and the subsequent acts of the General Assembly of Louisiana. It is hereby declared to be the intention of this body to herein levy the same license tax for the parochial purposes, both as to graduation and the amount, as is now imposed by the General Assembly for the State purposes, to which laws special reference is hereby made as being part hereof for the purpose aforesaid: provided further, that hereafter for every business of conducting, a Barroom, Cabaret, Coffee house, Cafe, Beer Saloon, Liquor exchange, drinking saloon Grog Shop, Beer house, beer garden, or any place where spirituous, vinous or liquor, or intoxicating beverages, bitters or medical preparations of any kinds, are sold directly or indirectly in quantities or less than five gallons, the license shall be based on annual gross receipts of said business as follows; to-wit:-

First Class: When said gross annual receipts are Fifty Thousand Dollars or more the license shall be two thousand dollars.

Second Class: Where said gross annual receipts are forty thousand dollars or more and less than fifty thousand dollars, the license shall be One thousand eight hundred dollars.

Third Class: When said gross annual receipts are thirty thousand or more and less than forty thousand the license shall be one thousand five hundred dollars.

Fourth Class: When said gross annual receipts are twenty thousand or more and less than thirty thousand the license shall be one thousand two hundred dollars:

Fifth Class: When said gross annual receipts are ten thousand dollars or more and less than twenty thousand the license shall be one thousand dollars.

Sixth Class: When said gross annual receipts are five thousand dollars or more and less than ten thousand dollars the license shall be eight hundred dollars.

Seventh Class: When said gross annual receipts are less than five thousand; the license shall be five hundred dollars.

Provided that the license shall be charged for selling refreshments for charitable or religious purposes; provided, further that no establishment selling or giving away, or otherwise disposing of spirits, wines, alcoholic or malt liquors in less quantities than five gallons shall pay a license less than \$500.00; provided further that for the business of selling malt and vinous exclusively in quantities of less than five gallons the license shall be one-half of that provided for the general sale of alcoholic beverages; provided that nothing in this ordinance shall be so construed as to exempt druggist who sell alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors or other intoxicating beverages on the prescription of a physician or otherwise from the payment of the license herein imposed: provided further that this ordinance shall not apply to the

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sale by druggist of tinctures or drug compounds in the preparations of which such liquors or intoxicating beverages are used and sold on the proscripton of a physician or otherwise, and which tinctures and compounds are not intoxicating beverages prepared in the ovasion of this ordinance nor of the local option laws; provided further, that in all other respects the provisions of act 176 of 1908 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, are hereby adopted as part of the ordinance and the penalties and procedures relative to the collection of said licenses therein provided are hereby adopted and made a part of the ordinance.

Section 3. That for all traveling shows, giving performances in this Parish a tax of five dollars shall be paid for each and every day performances are givon.

Section 4. That for every automobile operated publicly as a jitney, an annual tax of ten dollars shall be paid by the owner or operator thereof.

Section 5. Be it further ordained that the procedures in the collection of parochial licenses herein levied and that ascertain the amount due for same by the tax collector shall be same as is now provided by the law for State purposes and particularly in act 171 of the General

Assembly of the State of Louisiana of the Scession of 1898 as amended by Subsequent acts of the said General Assembly and at subsequent sessissons and the penalties imposed upon and interest and costs to be collected from delinquents are declared to be the same and to be collected in the same manner as provided by said act of the General Assembly as amended by subsequent acts for State purposes.

Section 6. Be it further ordained that the Parochial Licenses which are herein levied are declared to be for the purposes which may be required by the Constitution and laws of this State for parochial purposes. Be it further ordained that from and after the adoption of this ordinance the tax collector shall begin to collect from each of the persons and firms, associations of persons and corporations pursueing within the limits of said Parish, any trade, calling, profession, vocation or business a license tax as herein provided. All licenses are due and collected on or after the first two months of each year, and all unpaid licenses shall become delinquent on the 1st., day of each year, and all firms, who commence business after that date shall become delinquent unless the license is paid within ten days.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:-

Yeas:- Fisher, Rouprieh, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy. NAYS:-NONE.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher,
President.

Wm. Hepting,
Secretary.

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Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., March 7, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present:- Jules G. Fisher, President; A. Rouprieh, Wm. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the official journal.

The following report of the treasurer was received and approved.
Gretna, La., March 7, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of February, 1917:

RECEIPTS.

Feb. 2, 1917-To taxes and interest less commission	\$931.69
Feb. 2, 1917-To business license, less commission	\$163.35
Feb. 2, 1917-To Cart license, less commission	\$ 17.57
Feb. 2, 1917-To ferry franchise, Merchant and Planters Ferry Co.	375.65
Total receipts	\$1,488.26

DISBURSEMENTS

Feb. 1, 1917-To over draft balance	\$ 36,228.33
William Hepting, V. 4732	67.50
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4733	67.50
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 4734	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 4735	15.00
John Romero, V. 4736	45.00
Alfred Bakewell, V. 4737	45.00
O. B. Stiles, V. 4738	9.00
A. V. Treadaway, V. 4740	9.00
St. Joseph Orphanage, V. 4741	12.00
Isidore Fisher, V. 4742	3.00
Alcide Chighizola, V. 4743	6.00
Robert Erlinger, V. 4744	6.00
J. J. Keller, V. 4745.	10.00
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4746	3.00
Gretna Exchange & Savings Bank, V. 4747	208.00
G. H. Reynolds, V. 4748	2.00
Algiers Ry & L. Co., V. 4749	21.37
Cum. Tel. & Tel. Co., V. 4750	23.76
Mat. Fried, Sr., V. 4751	38.50

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John M. Lotz, V. 4752	2.00
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 4753	45.00
Joseph Oplatek, V. 4754	7.50
W. F. Marrero, V. 4755	120.00
Mrs. J. G. Greffer, V. 4756	6.00
Jeff. Com. & S. Bk. V. 4757	2.00
Henry Keller, V. 4758	8.25
Ed. Rein, V. 4759	12.50
Gretna Feed Store, V. 4760	84.00
C. W. Rossner, V. 4761	126.07
Total Overdraft Balance and disbursements	\$37,269.28
Total Receipts	1,488.26
Overdraft Balance	\$ 35,781.02

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., March 7, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the second unit of the First Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the Month of February, 1917:

RECEIPTS

Feb. 1, 1917-To taxes received	\$ 43.69
No disbursements	00.00
Balance	\$ 43.69

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.
Gretna, La., March, 7, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Third Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of February, 1917:

RECEIPTS	
Feb. 1, 1917-To taxes received	\$289.09
no disbursements	00.00
Balance	<u>\$289.09</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., March, 7, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Orleans-Kenner Electric R. R. taxes, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of Feb. 1917.

RECEIPTS.	
Feb. 1, 1917-To taxes collected:	\$7,607.70
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Jan. 11, 1917-To O. K. Railroad Co., V. 1	1,148.68
Balance on hand	<u>\$ 459.02</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., March, 7, 1917.

Hon. President of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the First Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of Feb. 1917:

Feb. 1, 1917-To balance.	\$8,319.01
RECEIPTS	
Feb., 2-To taxes and interest	459.02
Total balance and receipts	<u>\$8,778.03</u>
DISBURSEMENTS	
Feb. 7, 1917-interstate T. and Banking Co., V. 125 J.	\$2,500.00
Balance	<u>\$6,278.03</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., March 7, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Second Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of Feb. 1917:
Feb. 1, 1917-To balance

RECEIPTS	
Feb. 2, 1917-To taxes and interest	\$ 41.82
Cancelled outstanding checks	325.64
Total balance and receipts	<u>\$12,537.87</u>

DISBURSEMENTS	
Feb. 2, 1917-Vic A. Pitre, Treasurer Board of Supervisors Second Good Road District	\$ 12,496.05
Balance	<u>\$41.82</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.

The report of the Parish auditor was received and ordered filed.

The good roads committee submitted a report covering their investigation of road conditions throughout the parish and offering suggestions for the improvement of same, and on motion duly seconded the report was ordered received and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:

Board of Health watching small pox patients \$70.00, Dr. M. Earl Brown burying paupers \$24.00, J. P. Reinhardt bridge repairs, \$5.00, Pittsburg Plate Glass Co., \$23.11, Wm. Bei repairs to jail, \$5.00 Muller Cont. Co., Shells \$8.34, Lucas E. Moore Insurance Co., premiums \$7.12 Krauss Co., Merchandise C. H. & Jail, \$46.70 Jos. Oplatek medicine to Courthouse and jail, \$7.50 W. U. T. Co., time service \$2.00 La., State Normal School, tuition Miss V. Tillotson, \$72.00 A. Delery, Fence Potters Field, \$185.00 Algiers Railway and Light Co., electricity for jail Court house and Police St. \$16.69 Cumberland Tel. and Tel. Co., Phones Algiers 46, 244, and 306 \$29.22 Mat Fried St., Road Work 3rd., ward \$31.75 L. W. Wilkinson Salary \$45.00.

All other bills were referred to the finance committee.

The following communication from the State Board of Affairs was received and ordered spread on the minutes:

Baton Rouge, La., Feb. 15, 1917.

Hon. Jules G. Fisher,
President Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson.

Dear Sir:

The separation values for State purposes from local taxes will place a much larger responsibility upon your body acting as a Board of Review, when you convene on the first Monday in June next, We have nothing whatever to do with your local taxes, hence we would impress the necessity of a closer inspection of all assessments and beg your earnest co-operation in the matter of equalization between individual tax payers.

The need of suitable maps with which to check lands and city property is a crying need and will prevent the omission of much valuable property from the tax rolls.

We are doing every thing in our power to see that the Revenue Laws of the State are properly carried out, and if much property finds its way on the tax roll, your Parish will receive a much larger share of the benefit to be derived therefrom, It is not our desire to raise any assessment this year on account of the high tax rates but as soon as the mileage rate can be reduced we will place the assessment something like what is correct without increasing burdens on the people.

Unless your parish is free from heavy local or special taxes do not undertake to follow values this Board might fix for State purposes, otherwise you will materially increase taxes on your people. We want to give you this timely thought for your consideration. We shall just a little later visit your Parish and will be pleased to discuss with the jury any matters you may desire to have clarified, in order that we may understand each other.

Please have this read at your next meeting and spread on the minutes for reference.

Trusting we may have your cordial co-operation, I remain,

Very truly yours

BOARD OF STATE AFFAIRS,

L. E. Thomas Chairman.

On motion duly seconded the application of Elias Fisher to operate a dance every Saturday at Barataria and to serve refreshments at same was granted.

Bid of E. J. Kerner to furnish and lay 37 yards of lineloum in the district courthouse was referred to the finance committee.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the following ordinance was adopted:-

WHEREAS The Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, is indebted unto the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank of Gretna, La., in the full sum of (\$38,000.00) for money paid for and advanced for and on behalf of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, to various parties, firms, corporations and persons for work done, services rendered and material and supplies furnished prior to May 1st., 1916 for the public improvement of the Parish of Jefferson; and

WHEREAS, it is the purpose of this Police Jury to secure the payment of the said indebtedness; and

Whereas after paying and providing for the payment of all statutory and necessary and usual charges there will be an annual excess revenue which can be legally pledged to secure the payment of the indebtedness, and

Whereas, the said amount of \$38,000.00 has been reduced to a Judgment of Court in accordance with the provisions of act 277 of 1916 in the matter No. 2346 of the docket of the 28th., Judicial District Court, Parish of Jefferson entitled Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank vs Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson:

Section 1. Therefore be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of

Jefferson in meeting assembled; that the President and the Secretary of this Police Jury be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to execute, sign, seal and deliver for and on behalf of this Police Jury representing the Parish of Jefferson, Sixty-four (64) certificates of indebtedness to evidence the aforesaid indebtedness of \$38,000.00.

Section 2. Be it further ordained etc., that the said sixty-four (64) certificates of indebtedness hereby ordered to be issued shall be divided and distributed as follows, to-wit:-

Sixteen (16) certificates of one thousand dollars denomination. Forty-three (43) certificates of five hundred dollars denomination. Five certificates of one hundred dollars denomination. The said certificates shall be numbered and designated as follows: Certificates numbered from One (1) to Forty-three (43) inclusive shall be \$500.00 denomination; Certificates numbered from Forty-four to Fifty-nine (50) inclusive shall be of one thousand dollar denomination, Certificates numbered from A. One (A. 1) to A Five (A. 5) shall be of one hundred dollar denomination.

Section 3. Be it further ordained etc., That the aforesaid certificates shall be dated March 15, 1917, and shall begin their maturity on the 15th., day of March 1918; and on the same day each year thereafter on the following plan to-wit:-

CERTIFICATES	MATURITY	AMOUNT	TERM
1-2-3-	1918	\$1500.	1
4.5.6.7.	1919	2000.	2
8. 9. 10. 11. 12. A. 1.	1920	2600.	3
13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. A. 2.	1921	3100.	4
19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24. 25. A. 3.	1922	3600.	5
26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31. 32. 33. A.4.	1923	4100.	6
34. 35. 36. 37. 38. 40. 41. 42. A.5.	1924	4600.	7
44. 45. 46. 47. 48.	1925	5000.	8
49. 50. 51. 52. 53. 43.	1926	5500.	9
54. 55. 56. 57. 58. 59.	1927	6000.	10

Section 4. Be it further ordained that all the aforesaid certificates shall bear interest at the rate of five per cent. (5%) per annum from the date of certificates until paid, said interest being payable semi-annually, and there shall be attached to each of the said certificates semi-annual interest bearing coupons to represent the said interest which said coupons shall and are hereby made payable on the 5th., day of March, and the 5th., day of September of each and every year, while the certificates herein provided for are outstanding, upon the presentation and surrender of the said coupons as they shall mature.

Section 5. Be it further ordained etc., That the principal and interest of the aforesaid certificates are payable at the office of the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson or the fiscal agency of the Parish of Jefferson (or the Interstate Trust & Banking Company of the City of New Orleans, New Orleans, La., or the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank of Gretna, La., of the First National Bank of New York,) at the option of the holder or holders of the certificates.

Section 6. Be it further ordained etc., That the Police Jury of the

Parish of Jefferson does hereby specially reserve the right and option to call in, cancel and retire any or all of the aforesaid certificates before their maturity on interest payment. Upon the Police Jury advertising the fact of its intention to so retire and call in the said certificates in the official Journal of the Parish of Jefferson, at least Thirty days prior to said interest payment period, and further upon its depositing with the fiscal agency of the Parish of Jefferson, to the credit of the holder or holders of the certificates herein issued, the face value of the certificates so retired and called in together with a premium of two per cent. (2%) on the amount of the certificates so called in and retired.

1 mill of tax to Pay principal & Interest

Section 7. Be it further ordained etc., that in order to secure the payment of the aforesaid certificates of indebtedness, both principal and interest, the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson does hereby specially bind itself and its successors in office to set aside and to dedicate out of its excess revenues, after providing for the statutory necessary and usual charges and expenses of the Parish of Jefferson, the avails of one mill of the general taxes of the Parish of Jefferson, or so much

much thereof as may be necessary to pay for the principal and interests falling due each year in accordance with the plans of redemption above mentioned. This special dedication of the one mill tax or so much as may be necessary shall be done each year not to exceed Ten years, until the whole debt herein secured and all the certificates herein provided for shall be paid both in principal and interest and this Police Jury hereby specially binds and pledges itself and its successors in office to budget each year after providing for the necessary, statutory and usual charges, the said amount falling due each year.

Section 8. Be it further ordained etc., That the said certificates shall be signed by the President and Secretary of this Police Jury for and on behalf of this Police Jury and of the Parish of Jefferson, and the Coupons shall have the facsimile of the signatures of the said President and Secretary engraved or lithographed thereon, and that the certificates shall be non negotiable and shall be substantially as follows, to-wit:-

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
PARISH OF JEFFERSON.

NO. \$
CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS OF THE PARISH OF JEFFERSON.

The Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, acting as the governing authority of the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, for value received hereby promises to pay to the order of the JEFFERSON COMMERCIAL AND SAVINGS BANK, on the Fifteenth day of March, One thousand nine

hundred and at the office of the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson or the fiscal agency of the Parish of Jefferson or the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank, or the Interstate Trust and Banking Company of New Orleans, La., or the First National Bank of New York, the sum of Dollars, lawful money of the United States of America with interest at the rate of Five per cent. per annum from the 15th., day of March 1917, payable semi-annually on the fifteenth day of March and Fifteenth day of September of each and every year upon the presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached as the same shall mature.

The principal and the interest of this certificate is payable at the places above mentioned at the option of the holder.

This certificate of one of a series of Sixty-Four numbered and designated and of the following denominations to-wit:-

Certificates Numbered from One to Forty-three are of Five hundred dollars denomination; Certificates Numbered from Forty-Four to Fifty-Nine are of One thousand Dollars denomination; and certificates numbered from A.1. to A.5. are of one hundred dollars denomination, all the said 64 certificates aggregating the full sum of Thirty-eight thousand Dollars \$38,000.00.

The debt represented by this and the other certificates above mentioned is for money advanced and paid by the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank of Gretna, La., for and on behalf of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, to various parties, firms, corporations, and persons, prior to May 1st., 1916 for

done, services, rendered, material and supplies furnished for the public improvement of the Parish of Jefferson, and this certificate as well as all the other certificates are secured by the pledge of this Police Jury and its successors in office to budget each year and to set aside each year, after providing for the statutory necessary and usual charges and expenses of the Parish of Jefferson, the proceeds of One Mill of the general taxes of the Parish of Jefferson, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the principal and the interest falling due each year while this certificate or any of the other certificates provided for are outstanding in accordance with the plan of redemption, adopted in an ordinance of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, enacted on the 7th., day of March 1917, and according to which plan, all the certificates are herein referred to shall be paid with a space of at least ten years.

The Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson hereby specially reserves the right to call in, cancel and retire this certificate or any or all of the other outstanding certificates of this issue or any interest payment period upon advertising the fact of its intention to so call in, cancel and retire, this or any other certificates at least Thirty days prior to said interest payment period, in the Official Journal of the Parish of Jefferson and upon its depositing with the fiscal agent of the Parish of Jefferson to the credit of the holder or holders of any of the other certificates called in to be cancelled the face value of this or the other of the said certificates together

with a premium of two per cent of the amount of the face value of the certificates thus called in to be cancelled:

The Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson hereby certifies that all the acts, conditions, and things necessary to be done precedent to the issuance of this Certificate and the other Certificates of this series in order to make them legal, binding and valid obligations of the Parish of Jefferson have been done in due form as required by Law and particularly in accordance with the provisions of Act 277 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, for the year 1916.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we, the President and Secretary of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in accordance with authorization of the said Police Jury do hereby affix our signatures and the seal of the said Police Jury in and for and on behalf of the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana.

PRESIDENT.

Secretary.

FORM OF COUPON.

On the fifteenth day of March 19.....

On the fifteenth day of September 19.....

The Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, for and on behalf of the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, will pay to bearer \$- - - - - at office of the Parish of Jefferson or fiscal agency of the Parish of Jefferson, or Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank or the Interstate Trust and Banking Company, New Orleans, or the First National Bank of New York, at the option of the holder being the semi-annual interest due on certificate No. - - - - -

PRESIDENT

SECRETARY

Section 9. Be it further ordained etc., That all expenses in connection with the getting out of these Certificates, including the Cost of Printing the Certificates and other expenses incident thereto are to be borne by the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank.

Section 10. Be it further ordained etc., That upon the Delivery of the 64 Certificates herein provided for properly signed and executed, to the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank, the said Bank shall cancel the indebtedness of Thirty eight thousand Dollars now charged up against the Parish of Jefferson and the Police Jury shall deliver to the President of this Police Jury all the Checks, Vouchers or other evidence of indebtedness held by the said Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank to show the said indebtedness.

Section 11. Be it further ordained etc., that all ordinance or parts of ordinances or laws or parts of laws and particularly the Ordinances adopted by this Police Jury on the 11th. day of January 1917, relative to the issuance of certificates of Indebtedness to evidence this Indebtedness of Thirty eight Thousand Dollars be and the same are hereby

repealed.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS: Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy. NAYS:- NONE.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke the following ordinance was adopted:

WHEREAS, This Police Jury has this day authorized the Issuance of Negotiable Interest Bearing Coupon Certificates of Indebtedness 64 of various denominations aggregating in the full sum of Thirty eight thousand dollars, said certificates to be given to the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank of Gretna, La., in lieu and in place of and to cancel the over draft of Thirty eight Thousand Dollars, charges up against the Police Jury, and do by it to the said Bank: and

WHEREAS, the cost of expense including the cost of printing and preparing the said Certificates as well as the costs of court and attorneys fees are to be borne by the said Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank and;

WHEREAS; It is usual and customary that the said cost should be borne by the said Body issuing the certificates and ordinarily and would and should be paid by this Police Jury;

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, in regular meeting assemboled. That in consideration of the said Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank bearing the initial expense of perfecting the aforesaid certificates of Thirty Eight Thousand Dollars and paying for the printing of the Certificates and other expenses this Police Jury binds and obligates itself

and its successors in office to pay the said Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank a commission of One per cent. per annum each year annually, on the outstanding indebtedness of said Certificates of Thirty eight Thousand Dollars.

Commission
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Be it further ordained etc., that this commission of one per cent per annum on the outstanding indebtedness shall be secured and be paid out of the proceeds of the one mill of the General Parish Tax, this day pledged and set aside for the payment of the principal and interest of the said certificates as the same shall mature each year. After payment of said principal and interest the excess of the said one mill tax or so much thereof as may be necessary shall be used to pay said commission of one per cent, herein provided for.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows,

YEAS:- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS: NONE.

On Motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Burbank

Ordinance
Instructing
the Sheriff
to turn over
funds Collect-
ed from Road
Dist. to the
said Dist.

the following ordinance was adopted:
WHEREAS, The funds to the credit of Road Districts
Numbers One, Two and Three of the Parish of Jefferson,
have been ordered turned over to the Treasurer of the
Board of Supervisors of the aforesaid Road Districts,
and this Police Jury has no further interest in the said
funds:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of
Jefferson, that the Sheriff of the Parish of Jefferson
be and he is hereby instructed to turn over the proceeds
of special taxes collected in the various road districts
direct to the Board of Supervisors of the various road
district.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above
ordinance the vote resulted as follows;

YEAS:- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Ter-
rebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson and Clancy.

Nays:-NONE.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy
the following ordinance was adopted;

WHEREAS: Application has been made to this Police
Jury to close Villars Street in the village of Shrewsbury
by Mr. Christ Hoppe since the same is presently closed
and, not used by the public and he has by mistake con-
structed part of his house over the said Street;

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of
Jefferson, that the Parish Engineer be and he is hereby
instructed to investigate this matter, and report back
to the Police Jury at its next meeting.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above
ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS:- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Ter-
rebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy, NAYS:- NONE.

Proposition of the Louisiana Live Stock Association, Inc., to establish
a state breeding bureau and to locate, construct and operate a farm and race
course in Jefferson Parish, was on Motion duly seconded, referred to the
district attorney for an opinion as to its legality.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the matter of the
raising funds to complete constructions of good roads in Road Districts
Nos. 1 and 2 was referred to the district attorney to take up the matter
with the attorneys of the respective road districts.

Mr. Wilson of Shreveport, addressed the Jury on behalf of the State
at Shreveport, extending an invitation to the Jury to place a Parish exhibi-
bit at said Fair. The president expressed the thanks of the Jury for the
invitation, saying he believed the Parish would be represented.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burbank, it was resolved
that application be made to the State Highway for the construction of
three additional miles of good roads, and the application was ordered for-
warded to the department.

Pond Keep-
er appointed
4th Ward.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Strehle,
Dr. Vornheder was authorized to purchase the necessary
material for the Parish dipping vats.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr.
Burbank a pond keeper was ordered appointed for the
4th ward and the president appointed Edward LeBlanc
to fill the position.

On motion of Mr. Luke seconded by Mr. Thompson,
Joseph Stentilles was appointed pond-keeper of the
7th ward.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson
the secretary was instructed to notify Mr. Cleary to
move his house back from the public road.

The president appointed the following committee
to confer with the Council of the City of Gretna in
reference to effecting a compromise in the matter of
the Jackson Avenue Ferry franchise, viz: A. Rouprich
and W. Strehle, with the president added.

Mr. Rouprich stated that the N. O., F. J. & G.
I. R. R. Co. is not abiding by the terms of its
franchise, and on motion of Mr. Stritzinger second-
ed by Mr. Strehle the district attorney was instruct-
ed to take up the matter with said company.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher

President

Wm. Hepting
Secretary

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., April 4, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present-Jules G. Fisher president, A. Rouprich, Wm. E.
Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke,
A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

District Attorney L. Robert Rivarde was also present.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed
with and they were approved as published in the official journal.

The following [report] of the treasurer was received and approved:

Gretna, La., April 4, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit
this my report for the Month of March, 1917:

CASH RECEIPTS.

March 3, 1917, to taxes and interest, less Com.	\$598.85
March 3, 1917, to business license, less com.	8,553.60
March 3, 1917, to cart license, less com.	91.33

March 3, 1917, to cancel insurance	82.00
Total receipts	<u>\$9,325.58</u>
DISBURSEMENTS.	
To overdraft balance	\$35,781.02
Wm. Hepting, V. 4761,	67.50
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4762,	67.50
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 4763,	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 4764,	15.00
John Romero, V. 4765,	45.00
Alfred Bakewell, V. 4766,	45.00
O. B. Stiles, V. 4767,	9.00
Joseph Oplatek, V. 4768,	7.50
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 4769	45.00
St. Joseph Orphanage, V. 4770,	12.00
Lucas E. Moore & Co. V. 4771,	7.12
Mat. Fried Sr., V. 4772,	31.75
Cumberland Tel. Tel. Co. V. 4773,	29.22
Algiers Rwy. & Lt. Co. V. 4774,	16.69
Alphonse Delery, V. 4775,	185.00
La. State Normal School, V. 4776,	72.00
Western Union Tel Co., V. 4777,	2.00
Krauss Co., Ltd. V. 4778,	46.70
Jefferson C. & S. B. V. 4779,	1,140.00
Muller Shell & Construction Co., V. 4780	70.84
William Vanderbrook, V. 4781,	6.95

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Texas Oil Co., V. 4782,	\$5.42
Underwood Typewriter Co. V. 4783,	7.00
Miss F. M. Hall, V. 4784,	1.25
Charity Hospital, V. 4785,	4.50
H. Brunies V. 4786,	20.00
H. J. Conrad, V. 4787	.50
Dr. M. Earle Brown, V. 4788,	22.00
C. V. Unsworth, V. 4789,	10.00
La. Cypress Lumber Co. V. 4790,	22.49
Board of School Directors, V. 4791,	47.00
M. Rosenstock, V. 4792,	114.15
Woodward Wight & Co. V. 4793,	1.65
P. Hausmann, & Sons V. 4794,	99.00
Champion Supply Co., V. 4795,	93.00
Muller Shell & Construction Co., V. 4797,	8.34
William Bei, V. 4798	5.00
Pittsburg Plate Glass Co. V. 4800,	23.11
Dr. M. Earle Brown, V. 4801,	24.00
Bruno Behler, V. 4802,	6.25
G. W. Charbonnet, 4803,	2.50
James Allo, V. 4804,	31.25
John M. Lotz, V. 4805,	30.00
Total O. D. and disbursements.	<u>\$38,322.20</u>
Overdraft balance,	<u>\$28,996.42</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. HUBERT
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., April 4th., 1917.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the First Good Road District second unit beg leave to submit this my report for the Month of March 1917,

To balance on hand	\$43.69
No. receipts and disbursements	0.00
Balance	<u>\$43.69</u>

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer

Gretna, La., April 4th., 1917.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen :

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I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Third Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for the Month of March 1917.
To balance
 \$289.09 |

RECEIPTS.	
To taxes and interest, less commission.	12.51
Total balance and receipts	<u>\$301.60</u>
No disbursements.	00.00
Balance.	<u>\$301.60</u>

Respectfully
E. M. HUBERT,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., April 4th., 1917.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the Orleans Kenner R. R. Tax for the month of March, 1917.

March 1, 1917, to balance on hand.	\$459.02
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RECEIPTS.	
Taxes and interest less Commission.	343.85
Total balance and receipts.	<u>\$802.87</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.	
J. B. Dauenhauer, Jr., V. 2. \$270.54	\$270.54
Total disbursements	<u>\$270.54</u>
Balance,	<u>\$532.33</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., April 4th., 1917.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:--

I beg herewith to submit this my report for the First Good Road District for the Month of March 1917.

To Balance on hand.	\$6,278.03
RECEIPTS.	
Taxes and interest less commission	343.85
Total balance and receipts.	<u>\$6,621.88</u>
DISBURSEMENTS.	
H. Harrison, V. 126,	\$6,621.88
Total disbursements	<u>\$6,621.88</u>
Balance	<u>00.00</u>

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Respectfully,
E. M. HUBERT,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., April 4, 1917.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:

I beg herewith to submit this my report for the Second Good Road District for the Month of March 1917,

To balance on hand	\$41.82
RECEIPTS.	
To taxes and interest less commission.	64.19
Total receipts and balance	<u>\$106.01</u>
DISBURSEMENTS.	
To Vic. A. Pitre, V. 130	\$ 41.82
Total disbursements	<u>\$41.82</u>
Balance	<u>\$ 64.19</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. HUBERT,
Parish Treasurer,

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid the report of the Parish Auditor was received and ordered filed.

The report of the Parish Engineer on public works under his direction was received and ordered filed.

Farm Demonstrator, L. W. Wilkinson, submitted his report which was received and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:

Woodward Wight & Co., Material furnished to jail.	\$9.25
Albert Machine Co., material furnished to jail.	8.20

Alg. Rwy. & Lt. Co., electricity furnished to jail; C. H. Police Station.	11.36
Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co., Phones 46, 244, and 306.	27.98
A. Lehrman, cleaning jail vaults.	50.70
E. J. Kerner, repairing jail,	8.00
Wilson Pellegrain, repairs to C. H.	18.00
Mat Fried, Sr., road wk. 3rd Ward.	42.75
Krauss Co., Mdse. C. H. & Jail.	2.70
W. U. T. Co., time service	6.00
Texas Oil Co., Oil and Gas, Harvey Bridge.	4.84
J. W. Roupnich, plumbing to Jail.	49.50
All other bills were referred to the finance committee.	

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Communication from the Charity Hospital of New Orleans was read, and on motion duly seconded action was deferred until next meeting.

Communication from the State Traffic association was read and ordered filed.

Communication from the American Red Cross for a base hospital was read and ordered filed.

Communication relative to opening of Iona Street, in Metairie sub-division were referred to the parish engineer.

Bids to build six cattle dipping vats were then opened. The Cattle Dipping Vat Construction Company of New Orleans, being the lowest bidder was awarded the contract to build said vats at \$225 each, work to be done in accordance with specifications furnished.

Bids to repair certain plumbing in district courthouse were opened. Borum & O'Toole being the lowest bidders, were awarded the contract at the sum of \$87, work to be done according to specifications.

Check for \$92.50 from the treasurer of the City of Gretna, representing one-half cost of building fence around potter's field, as per agreement, was received and ordered deposited to the credit of the parish.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas the powder magazine on Seventeenth Street Canal is not properly guarded; therefore,

Be it resolved, that the sheriff of the parish communicate with the Dupont Powder Company and request them to place adequate guards to protect said powder magazine numbering not less than three at day and three at night.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Thompson the following ordinance was adopted:

Whereas, it appears that Chris Hoppe, of the Parish of Jefferson, is the owner of squares Nos. 111, 114, 115, 116 and 119 on the upper side of the Shrewsbury Road or Seventh Ave, and squares Nos. 117 and 120 on lower side of said road; and,

Whereas, he has erroneously constructed his home on what is known as Villars Street, of the said Village, but has on the other hand donated for the public road a part of square No. 117 of equal area as that occupied by Villars Street from Seven Avenue. to Plauche or Arnoult road; and,

Whereas the said Villars Street has never been opened to the public and may be closed without any inconvenience to the public; therefore,

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that Villars Street, in the Village of Shrewsbury, from Seventh Ave. on Shrewsbury Road to Plauche Street or Arnoult Road be and the same is hereby ordered closed;

Be it further ordained etc., that the president of this Police Jury be and he is hereby authorized to sign an act of exchange for the land given by said Chris Hoppe for public purposes: in consideration of the land contained in the said Villars Street, all the expenses of Chris Hoppe.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinances the vote resulted as follows;

YEAS- Fisher, Rouprich, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne.

NAYS-NONE.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Strehle, the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for medicines for jail and toilet articles for jail and courthouse for the year 1917, all bids to be in his hand not later than 12 M. on May 2nd., 1917.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Stritzinger, Mr. F. L. St. Martin was appointed inspector of cattle dipping vats at a salary of Sixty Dollars per month, his services to begin April 9th., 1917.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Burbank the parish engineer was instructed to draw plans and specification for the digging of two ditches in the rear of the City of Gretna, for drainage purposes.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the Secretary was instructed to notify the T. & P. Ry.Co., to fence in the passenger depot at Waggaman.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Rouprich the following resolution was offered:

Be it resolved that the special counsel employed in the suit against the City of Gretna in the matter of the Jackson Avenue Ferry Franchise, be and he is ordered to discontinue the suit in said matter.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows;

Yeas:- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger.

Nays:- Fisher, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

The Motion was therefore declared lost.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke, the following resolution was offered:

Be it resolved, that John Ernst be and he is hereby appointed a member of the Fourth Jefferson Drainage District, vice A. H. Ahten, removed for cause.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas:- Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Luke, Thompson.

Nays:- Fisher, Strehle and Clancy.

Jno Ernst appointed Com. on 4th drainage Dist. Board.

Blank:- Rouprich.

The motion was therefore declared carried.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher, President.

Wm. Hepting, Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La., May 2, 1917,

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members Present: Jules G. Fisher, President A. Rouprich, William E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. B. Burbank, William Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

District Attorney, L. Robert Rivarde was also present.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the Official Journal.

On motion of Mr. Burbank, duly seconded the regular order of business was suspended to allow Mr. R. W. Riordan of the State Board of Affairs, to address the Jury on the matter of property assessments; also Mr. McCaleb to address the Jury relative to the extension of the line of the West N. O. Lt. and Traction Co., to Westwego, the said Company offering to repair the bridge at Harvey, which proposition was accepted by the Jury.

Mrs. M. E. Brown and Mrs. A. L. Levin, appeared before the Jury to solicit aid for the local auxiliary to the Red Cross, and on motion of Mr. Stritzinger, duly seconded the sum of \$100.00 was appropriated therefor.

Mr. I. B. Rennyson addressed the Jury that the L. R. & N. R. R. Co., be required to open Central Avenue at Suburban Acres and intersection of Railway Crossing and place same in proper condition for use of vehicles and pedestrians. On motion of Mr. Clancy, the Secretary was instructed to notify said Railroad Company to comply with the terms of this request.

The regular order of business was then resumed.

On motion of Mr. Thompson, duly seconded the bid of A. C. Stumpf of \$80.00 to furnish drugs and toilet articles to Courthouse and Jail, was accepted.

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved. Gretna, La., May 2, 1917.

Honorable President and Members of the Police Jury. Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the month of April 1917.

RECEIPTS.

April 1st., 1917, To taxes and interest.....\$565.19
April 1st., 1917, To business License.....\$ 1,165.82

April 1 st ., 1917, To insurance.....	\$ 92.50
Total receipts.....	\$ 1,823.51
DISBURSEMENTS.	
To overdraught balance.....	\$ 28,996.42
William Hepting, V. 4806.....	67.50

Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4807,	\$ 67.50
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 4808	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 4809.....	15.00
John Romero, V. 4810	45.00
A. Bakewell, V. 4811	45.00
O. B. Stiles, V. 4812	9.00
L.W. Wilkinson, V. 4813	45.00
Joseph Oplatek, V. 4814	7.50
St. Joseph's Orphanage, V. 4815	12.00
Cumberland T. & T. Co., V. 4816.....	27.98
Algiers Rwy. & Lt. Co., V. 4817.....	11.36
James J. Keller, V. 4818	4.00
West. Union Tel. Co., V. 4819	6.00
O. P. H. Gugel, V. 4820	11.00
David Crockett D. Co., V. 4821	500.00
Charles Vering, V. 4822.....	47.33
L. H. Marrero & Sons, V. 4823.....	262.22
Ed. C. Crawford, V. 2824.....	6.25
John Ludwig, V. 4825.....	.50
P. H. Lane, V. 4826.....	33.50
Geier Bros. Lum., Co., V. 4827.....	164.41
Texas Oil Co., V. 4828.....	3.94
Chas. J. Larkin, Jr. V. 4829.....	260.00
A. Lehmann, V. 4830.....	0.70
E. J. Kerner, V. 4831.....	8.00
Wilson Pellegrin, V. 4832.....	18.00
Mat. Fried, Sr., V. 4833	8.20
Albert Mackie Co. V. 4834.....	2.70
Krauss Co. Ltd., V. 4835.....	2.00
H. L. St. Martin, V. 4836.....	2.00
J. W. Roupnich, V. 4837.....	49.00
Total O. D. and Disb'mts.....	\$ 30,830.26
Overdraft balance.....	\$ 29,006.75

Respectfully

E. M. Hubert,

Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., May 2, 1917.

Hon. president and members of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the First Good Road District for the month of April 1917:

RECEIPTS	
To taxes and interest, less comm.....	\$558.67
Total receipts.....	\$558.67
DISBURSEMENTS	
Board of Supervisors Road Dist. V. 127 J.....	\$355.19
Total disbursements.....	\$355.19
Balance.....	\$203.48

Respectfully,

Ed. M. Hubert,

Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., May 2, 1917.

Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the Second Good Road District for the month of April:

RECEIPTS	
To taxes and interest, less com.....	\$357.02
Balance	\$ 64.09
Total receipts and balance.....	\$421.21
DISBURSEMENTS	
Board of Supervisors Road Dist. No. 2. V. 131, J.....	\$420.99
Total disbursements.....	\$420.99
Balance .....	.22

Respectfully,

Ed. M. Hubert, Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., May 2, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the First Good Road District, Second Unit, for the month of April, 1917:

To balance on hand.....	\$ 43.69
RECEIPTS	
To taxes and interest, less Com.....	\$ 2.85
Total balance and receipts.....	\$ 46.54
No disbursements.....	\$000.00
Balance	\$ 46.54

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert, Parish Treasurer,

Gretna, La., May, 1917.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the

Third Good Road District for the month of April, 1917:

To balance.....	\$301.60
RECEIPTS	
Taxes and interest less Com.....	\$ 45.96
Total balance and receipts.....	\$347.56
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Board of Supervisors Road Dist. 3. V. 1 - - - - -	\$347.20
Total disbursements - - - - -	\$347.20
Balance - - - - -	\$.36

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., May 2, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the Orleans Kenner R. R. Tax for the month of April, 1917.

RECEIPTS.	
Balance on hand.....	\$ 532.33
Taxes and interest, less Com.....	\$ 366.72
Total balance and receipts.....	\$ 899.05
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Orleans Kenner Railroad, V. 3.....	\$ 532.33
Total disbursements.....	\$ 532.33
Balance on hand..	\$ 366.72

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

The report of the Parish Auditor was received and ordered filed.
Farm demonstrator L. W. Wilkinson submitted his report, which was received and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:

Cattle Dipping Construction Co., Constructing 2 vats.....	\$ 450.00
City of Gretna water service.....	\$ 8.99
Cumberland T. & T. Co., phones Alg. 46, 244, and 306.....	\$ 25.00
Alg. Ry. & L. Co. electricity for jail and Courthouse Police Station.....	\$ 8.89
Finley Dicks Co., material for dipping vats.....	\$ 126.62
Board of Supervisors, compiling election returns.....	\$ 100.00
John Mahler, road work 2 nd . wd.....	\$ 10.50
Mat. Fried Sr. road work 3 rd . wd.....	\$ 22.00

L. W. Wilkinson, salary.....	\$ 45.00
Sinclair & Macmurdo 1/2 ins. prem.....	\$ 6.25
J. W. Rouprieh, plumbing to jail.....	\$ 22.50
Jos. Oplatek, medicine to Courthouse and jail.....	\$ 7.50
F. L. St. Martin, expense cattle dipping vats.....	\$ 8.35
Mrs. F. C. Bailey, meals to coms. and clerks 1 st . wd.....	\$ 20.00

Fabre Adam, meals to coms. and clerks 6 th . wd.....	\$ 20.00
H. Brunies, meals to coms. and clerks 2 nd and 3 rd wd.....	\$ 40.00
J. P. Toner, meals to coms. and clerks 6 th wd.....	\$ 20.00
Victor Kerner, meals to Coms. and clerks 6 th . wd.....	\$ 20.00
L. Pfeiffer, erecting poll 2 nd & 3 rd . wd.....	\$ 40.00
M. Schurb, erecting poll 1 st . wd.....	\$ 20.00
Gould Hall rent	\$ 10.00
Lee Hall, rent.....	\$ 20.00

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Communications from the State Board of Affairs and State Food Preparedness Commission were received and ordered filed.

The Secretary was ordered to answer inquiries submitted by the Highway Commission of Louisiana relative to road building in Jefferson Parish.

Request of McDonogh Hook and Ladder Hose Co. No. 2 was referred to the Finance Committee.

Communications from Lafourche Levee Board was received, and the secretary was instructed to inform the Board that in the sense of the Police Jury that the expense referred to therein should be borne by the Levee Board.

Petition of property owners of Metairie Ridge was referred to the District Attorney.

Permission was granted to George Cousin to operate a commissary at the place known as Camp Floce under State license No. 1662.

Petition of G. S. Washington asking endorsement of the Police Jury in his work of interesting the negroes in the work of agricultural development, was on Motion duly seconded, approved.

Petition of property owners of Marrero, La., was referred to the Sheriff.

Petition of property owners of Fourth Jefferson Drainage District was laid over.

Petition of F. Lauricolla to operate a saloon for whites at Harahan City was laid over.

Protest of A. H. Johness and others against removal of A. H. Athen as member of the Fourth Jefferson Drainage Board was ordered filed.

On Motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Terrebonne, the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, the Jefferson Parish Fair Association, during the year of 1916 held a most creditable Parish Fair, which rebounded to the credit of the Parish, demonstrating not only the productivity of the Parish but its capacity for diversification and industrial developments. The wonderful impetus imparted to Scientific agriculture in its

broadest sense has materially had a reflect effect upon all other phases of activity and progress and so may be seen to-day all over the Parish, not only better Crops, standard bred pigs, poultry and live stock generally, but better homes of prosperous and contented farmers: and, Whereas, the Fair has in countless ways proven of immense educational value and has been a potent factor in the material development of the Parish; and

Whereas, we the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson look forward in full faith and assurance that the management of the Jefferson Parish Fair Association make another important epoch in the history and development of the Parish:

Be it resolved, by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, this day assembled, that it is the sense of this body that any race course held in the Parish of Jefferson, other than held under the auspices of the Parish of Jefferson Fair Association, will be looked upon by this body as a detriment to the future success of the Jefferson Parish Fair Association and will be an obstacle in the way of the rapid progress of this Parish and its upbuildings and against the interest of its citizens.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas---Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson the following resolution was adopted;

Whereas, it has been brought to the knowledge and attention of this Police Jury that the residents, citizens and property holders of the City of Kenner, and other parties residing on the left bank of the Mississippi River in the Parish of Jefferson have protested the proposed sale and transfer of the Orleans Kenner Electric Railway Company to the New Orleans Railway and Light Company; and,

Whereas, there are certain parties who have large interest in the Parish of Jefferson who have subscribed to the reorganization of the Orleans Kenner Electric Railway Company in order to prevent the New Orleans Railway and Light Company from getting control of this independent line;

Be it resolved by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, in regular meeting assembled, that we hereby endorse the objections and protest of the citizens of Kenner and on the left bank of the Mississippi River in the Parish of Jefferson, and pledge our hearty support to the new plan to reorganize the Orleans Kenner Electric Railway Company by the aforesaid Parties.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS - - Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Fisher, Burbank, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS - - NONE.

Blank-Thompson.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following resolution was adopted.

Resolved, that in compliance with the request of the Food Preparedness Commission of Jefferson Parish, the Police Jury agrees to furnish seed for planting of any lands whether in lots or acres provided the planting of said land come under the supervision of the Preparedness Commission and that the order for said seed be approved by the local members of the Commission in the community or ward where such plantings are to be made.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Burbank the following ordinance was adopted:

Whereas, under and by virtue of an ordinance granting a franchise for the Construction, maintenance and operation of a railway on the public roads and streets of the Parish between Gretna and Waggaman, now owned, possessed and exercised by the West New Orleans Light & Traction Company, duly transferred and assigned to it by means of conveyance, it is provided in paragraph eight, of said ordinance that said railway shall be built and in operation to the Barataria Road within Twenty-four (24) months from the execution of the notarial act, and the remainder of said railway to be constructed within five (5) years thereafter, and further providing that any portion of the Railway not constructed within said five years may be eliminated from said franchise, but failure to Construct any portion shall not effect the franchise for any part of said railway, already constructed within five years; and,

Whereas, said railway has been constructed, maintained, and in operation from Gretna to Barataria Road, in accordance with said ordinance and franchise and said Company having five years within which to construct, maintain and operate the railway for any portion of said route from Barataria Road to Waggaman, commencing Twenty-Four (24) months from the execution of the Notarial Act of date June 6th., 1912, that is to say until June 6th., 1919; and,

Whereas, by ordinance duly adopted the route from Barataria Boulevard commencing from the present terminis of said railway to Westwego has been changed so as to construct on a 30 feet strip neutral ground beginning at Barataria Road or Boulevard about 1500 feet west of Morgan's Louisiana and Texas Railroad & Steamship Company, and Texas & Pacific Railroad Company's tracks extending to Westwego and the Mississippi River which strip or portion thereof extends across the Southside Plantation, and other property according to a plan of survey designated by the Number 213, drawn by H. L. Zander, Engineer of this Police Jury and on file in the possession of this Police Jury, here referred to and made part hereof and greater Certainty: and,

Whereas, by reason of the time required for said Company grantee and assignee of said Franchise, to acquire said private rights of way necessary to carry out and complete extension from Barataria Boulevard, at the present terminis of said Railway at Amesville to Westwego, and by reason of present conditions constituting difficulties in securing prompt delivery of material supplies, rails, poles, wires, etc., thereof,

Be it ordained, that the West New Orleans Light & Traction Company, transferee, assignee, owner and possessor of the railway franchise under said original

and amendatory ordinances, evidencing the same, be and is hereby authorized to construct, maintain, and operate said railway extension from Barataria Boulevard at the present terminis in Amesville to Westwego, under and by virtue of said Ordinances and Franchises, and that said railway extension be completed on or before December 6th., 1917 without prejudice to any of its rights under the original ordinance granting said franchise, requiring completion within five years from June 6th.,

1914 that is to say on or before June 6th., 1919.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above Ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas:- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays:- None.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Stritzinger, the following ordinance was adopted:

Whereas, there is pending in the 28th., Judicial District Court of the Parish of Jefferson the matter Number 2326, entitled *Ciro Zito vs L. H. Marrero, Sheriff et als*, wherein this Police Jury has been made a party defendant: and,

Whorcas, the Honorable L. Robert Rivardo, District Attorney and legal advisor of this Police Jury, is unable to act in that matter and represent this Police Jury, for the reason that while Judge of the 28th. Judicial District Court be assigned the order for a writ of Mandamus in the said Case;

Be it Ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that Mr. C. A. Buchler, be and he is hereby retained as special counsel for the purpose of representing this Police Jury in the above matter, it being understood that his fee is to be paid by the Orleans Kenner Electric Railway, the real party in interest.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above Ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas: Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays: None.

On motion of Mr. Burbank, seconded by Mr. Thompson the following ordinance was adopted:

Whereas, the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana is authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana to levy and collect a 10 Mill tax on the dollar of the assessed valuation on all the taxable property within the said Parish for general purposes of revenue; and,

Whereas, during the fiscal years of 1912, 1913, 1914 and 1915, and prior to May 1st., A. D. 1916, the Parish of Jefferson, La., incurred certain legal indebtedness which indebtedness was liquidated and a Judgment rendered by the 28th. Judicial District Court in the said Parish on the 23rd., day of February 1917, in favor of the Jefferson Commercial & Savings Bank and

others for the sum of THIRTY EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$38,000.00) plus legal interest from judicial demand until paid; and,

Whereas, after a thorough canvass of the financial needs and requirements of said Parish it has been found and is now ascertained and declared that nine (9) mills of the constitutional Ten (10) mill tax will provide ample funds to pay all statutory annual, usual and necessary charges in the year of 1917 to 1927 both inclusive leaving an excess revenue of 1 mill on all the taxable property within said parish available, and,

Whorcas, under authority of Act Number 227 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana for the year of 1916 Parishes and Municipal

Corporations are given the right and authority to dedicate appropriate and pledge not more than Two & one-half mills of their general revenue taxed for a period not exceeding 25 years for the payment of any indebtedness matured or unmatured exclusive of bondage indebtedness which such Parishes and Municipal Corporations may have lawfully incurred Prior to May 1st., 1916, PROVIDED, that such Parishes and Municipal Corporations through their governing authorities shall issue Certificates only after their indebtedness for which they are to be issued shall have been liquidated and reduced to Judgment in a Court of Competent jurisdiction; and,

Whereas, the assessed valuation of said Parish for the year 1917 is 7, 211, 912.00 and the total indebtedness of said Parish, including the certificates herein authorized to be issued is 38,000.00 and,

Whereas, said indebtedness has been incurred in former years it constitutes a legal and binding obligation of said Parish and which by reason of said Judgment the interest of which is increasing the indebtedness of said Parish operates as an emergency which is hereby declared to exist;

Therefore be it resolved by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, in the State of Louisiana;

That certificates of indebtedness of the Parish of Jefferson, Louisiana, are hereby authorized and directed to be issued in the aggregate amount of THIRTY EIGHT THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$38,000.00). Said certificates of indebtedness to be date of February 23rd., 1917, to be interest at the rate of Five per centum (5%) per annum payable semi-annually on the 1st., day of February and of August, of each year. Both principal and interest payable in lawful money of the United States of America, at the office of the Treasurer of Jefferson Parish, at Gretna, La., the option of the holder thereof at the banking house of the Interstate Trust & Banking Company, in the City of New Orleans, La; To be numbered consecutively from One to Fifty-nine (1-59) inclusive, and from A.-1 to A.-5, inclusive to be of the denominations as follows:

Numbers 1 to 43, inclusive, to be of \$500.00 each.

Numbers 44 to 59 inclusive, to be of \$1,000.00 each.

Numbers A.-1 to A.-5, inclusive, to be of \$100.00 each.

Said Certificates shall be payable to bearer and become due and payable in their consecutive order, as follows, to-wit:

Number	Amount.	Maturity.
1-2-3.	\$1500.00	Feb. 1 st ., 1918.

4-5-6-7	\$2,000.00	February 1 st , 1919.
8 to 12, inc, A.-1.	\$2,600.00	February 1 st , 1920.
13 to 18 inc, A.-2.	\$3,100.00	February 1 st , 1921.
19 to 25, inc. A.-3.	\$3,600.00	February 1 st , 1922.
26 to 33, inc. A.-4.	\$4,100.00	February 1 st , 1923.
34 to 42, inc. A.-5.	\$4,600.00	February 1 st , 1924.
44 to 48 inc.	\$5,000.00	February 1 st , 1925.
49 to 53, inc. 43	\$5,500.00	February 1 st , 1926.
54 to 59, inc.	\$6,000.00	February 1 st , 1927.

Be it further resolved that the Parish of Jefferson does hereby reserve the right and option to call in, cancel, and retire any or all of the aforesaid certificates before their respective maturities on any interest payment period by paying a premium of Two per cent (2%) of the principal of said certificates so called and in the accrued interest thereon payable on such interest payment period.

Be it further resolved, that the said certificates of indebtedness shall have attached thereto suitable interest coupons representing the interest thereon, payable as it falls due which said interest coupons shall be executed by the lithograph fac-simile signatures of the President and Secretary of the Police Jury of said Parish respectively. Said certificates of indebtedness shall be signed by the President and Secretary of the Police Jury respectively and sealed with the Corporate seal of said Parish. The President and Secretary respectively, are hereby authorized and directed to cause to be printed suitable Certificates of Indebtedness and after their execution, as above provided delivered the same to the Jefferson Commercial and Savings Bank simultaneously with the satisfaction of the judgment to be funded by said Certificates of Indebtedness herein authorized to be issued.

Be it further resolved that said Certificates of indebtedness shall be substantially in the following forms, except with the necessary variations to indicate the different numbers, denominations and maturities to-wit:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF LOUISIANA
PARISH OF JEFFERSON.
FUNDING CERTIFICATE OF INDEBTEDNESS.

NO.....
\$1,000.00
\$ 500.00
\$ 100.00

Know all men by these presents that the Parish of Jefferson in the State of Louisiana acknowledges itself to owe and to value received hereby promises to pay bearer.

ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS.
FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS.
ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS.

in lawful current money of the United States of America on the First (1st) day of February A. D. 19.....together with the interest thereof from the date hereof.

at the rate of five per centum (5%) per annum payable semi-annually on the First day of February and of August of each year, as evidenced by and payable upon presentation and surrender of the annexed interest coupon as they severally become due. Both principal and interest of this certificate are both payable at the office of the Treasurer of said Parish in the City of Gretna, La., or at the option of the holder thereof at the Banking House of the Interstate Trust & Banking Company in the City of New Orleans, Louisiana.

This Certificate is one of a series of certificates of like date tenor and effect except as to Numbers, denominations and maturities

issued by the Parish of Jefferson, Louisiana for the purpose of funding its valid and legal outstanding indebtedness represented by a Judgment, which debt has been liquidated and reduced to judgment in a Court of Competent jurisdiction under and by virtue or and in full compliance with the constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, including the provisions of Act 277 of the General Assembly of Louisiana of 1916; and of a resolution duly, regularly and legally passed and adopted by the Police Jury of said Parish of Jefferson. Said Parish is hereby firmly bound and held, in its full faith, credit and resources are hereby irrevocable pledged for the prompt payment of the principal and of the installments of interest hereof, as they, respectively become payable.

The Parish of Jefferson Louisiana however, reserve the right and option to call in, cancel and retire any or all of the aforesaid certificates before their respective maturities, on any interest payment period, by paying a premium of Two Per cent (2%) of the principal of said certificate, so called in and the accrued interest thereon payable on such interest payment period,

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that the duly constituted governing authorities of said Parish have made provision for the payment of all estimated statutory and usual and necessary charges of said Parish for each of the Years 1917 to 1927, both inclusive. That after making such provision there will remain and there has been and is hereby pledged and dedicated an excess or residue tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest on all certificates of this issue at maturity; that the avails of one mill of the ten mills constitutional revenue tax of the fiscal years 1917 to 1927, both inclusive, have been set aside, dedicated, appropriated and irrevocably pledge for the payment of said certificates and the interest accruing thereon, as the installment thereon respectively, become payable.

It is further certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things required to be done, to happen or be preformed precedent to and in the issuance of the certificate have been legally and preformed in regular and due form, time and manner as required by law; that the total indebtedness of said Parish, including this Certificate, does not exceed any constitutional or statutory eliminations.

In testimony whereof, the Parish of Jefferson, in the State of Louisiana, by its Police Jury, has caused its corporate seal to be hereto attached, and this certificate to be signed by the President attested by the Secretary thereof, and the coupon hereto annexed to be executed with the lithograph fac-simile signatures of said officials and this certificate to be dated the Twenty-third day of February A. D. 1917.

PARISH OF JEFFERSON, LOUISIANA.
By.....President of Police Jury.

Attest.....
Secretary of Police Jury.
(FORM OF INTEREST COUPONS)

NO.
\$25.00
\$12.00
\$ 2.50

On the First day of August, (February) A. D. 19... The Parish of Jefferson, in the State of Louisiana, promises to pay bearer the sum of..... Dollars lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the Treasurer of said Parish, in the City of Gretna, Louisiana, or at the option of the holder hereof, at the banking house of the Interstate Trust and Banking Company, in the City of New Orleans, Louisiana, being interest due that day on its funding certificate of indebtedness, Number..... dated February 23rd., A. D. 1917.

PARISH OF JEFFERSON, LOUISIANA.

By.....
President of Police Jury.

Attest:.....

Secretary of Police Jury.

Be it further resolved, that simultaneously with the issuance and delivery of the Certificates of indebtedness to be issued by this resolution, an equal amount of indebtedness to be funded by this resolution, represented by the judgment hereinabove named, shall be duly satisfied of record by the fund realized from the sale of said certificates.

Be it further resolved that in and for each of these years 1917, to 1927 both inclusive, there shall be levied and collected the full Ten mill tax authorized by Article 232 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, and that for the payment of the principal and interest of the certificates herein provided for, there shall be and there is irrevocably dedicated, appropriated and pledged to the avails of one mill of the ten mills Constitutional revenue tax to be so levied by the Parish for each of the above named years under authority of said Act 232 of the Constitution of said State, and Act 277 of the laws of Louisiana for the Year 1916, which One mill tax without any deduction whatever, shall be pledged and used exclusively to the payment of the principal and interest of the certificates, the issuance of which is hereby provided for.

Be it further resolved, that the proceeds from the sale of said certificates shall be used solely for the purpose of funding the outstanding indebtedness of said Parish, represented by the Judgment rendered on the 23rd., day of February, 1917, in the 28th., Judicial District Court of said Parish.

Be it further resolved, that all other ordinances, resolutions or orders heretofore adopted that are inconsistent or at variance with this resolution are to the extent of any such inconsistency hereby amended so as to conform to the provisions of this resolution.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas:-Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays: None,

On motion of Mr. Rouprich, duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to notify the T. & P. Rwy. Co., to grade Adams Street from Anson to Virgil, from edge of ditch to top of track, or to lower track to grade

of Street.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger duly seconded Albert Linden was appointed bridge tender at Harvey, Vice A. Bakewell, removed for cause.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President

Wm. Hepting
Secretary

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., June 6, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in special session as a board of reviewers of the assessments rolls of Jefferson Parish, for 1917, as complied by the assessor.

Members present:- Jules G. Fisher, president; A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

After hearing applications of a number of persons for reduction of their assessments, the jury adjourned.

William Hepting
Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., June 12, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in special session as a board of reviewers of the assessments rolls of Jefferson Parish, for 1917, as complied by the assessor.

Members present:- Jules G. Fisher, president; A. Rouprich, Wm. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, William Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

After hearing the application of a number of persons for reduction of their assessments the Jury then adjourned,

(Signed) Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., June 13, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members Present:- Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich, William E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, William Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the Official Journal.

The following report of the treasurer was received and approved:

Gretna, La., June 12, 1917.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit
this my report for the month of May 1917,

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RECEIPTS.

May 30 th , 1917 to taxes and interest.....	\$1,251.67
To business licenses.....	540.14
To cart licenses.....	46.29
Total receipts.....	<u>\$1,838.10</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

May 1 st , 1917 to overdraft balance.....	\$ 29,006.75
William Hepting, V. 4838.....	67.50
E. M. Hubert, V. 4839.....	67.50
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 4840.....	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 4841.....	15.00
John Romero, V. 4842.....	45.00
A. Blakewell, V. 4843.....	45.00
L.W.Wilkinson V. 4844.....	45.00
Joseph Oplatek, V. 4845.....	7.50
O. B. Stiles, V. 4846.....	9.00
St. Joseph's Orphanage Asylum, V. 4847,.....	12.00
F. L. St. Martin, V. 4848.....	58.35
Victor Boudreaux, V. 4849.....	3.00
L. Delimon, V. 4850.....	3.00
Joseph B. Toner, V. 4851.....	3.00
Joseph Com. & Savings Bank. V. 4852.....	3.00
C. E. Tharpe, V. 4853.....	6.00
George L. O'Dwyer V. 4854.....	41.00
E. Fink, V. 4855.....	14.00
E. M. Hubert, V. 4856.....	3.00
Theodore Englebach, V. 4857.....	6.00
J. J. Keller, V. 4858.....	56.80
Harvey Trading Co. V. 4859.....	7.97
Gretna Pharmacy, V. 4860.....	21.80
Underwood Typewriter Co., V. 4861.....	325.02
Miss S. Christina, V. 4862.....	15.00
Borum & O'Toole, Co., V. 4863.....	90.60
Gould Fire Co., V. 4864.....	10.60
Louis Guillotte, V. 4865.....	20.00
Louis Guillotte, V. 4866.....	20.00
Texas Oil Co., V. 4867.....	3.39
J. W. Minnich, V. 4868.....	.25
R. Courier V. 4869.....	10.00
Albert Mackie Co., V. 4870.....	17.85
M. Rosenstock, V. 4871.....	15.75
Dr. M. Earle Brown, V. 4872.....	<u>36.00</u>

J. L. Walter, V. 4873.....	6.00
Algiers Railway & Light Co. V.4874.....	8.89

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Cumberland T. & T. Co., V. 4875.....	\$ 25.00
City of Gretna, V. 4876.....	8.99
G. Gomez, V. 4877.....	4.00
C. F. Kerner, V. 4878.....	16.00
E. Conzelman, V. 4879.....	21.00
Matt Fried, Sr. V. 4880.....	22.00
Lee Benevolent Assn., V. 4881.....	20.00
Mrs. F. J. Bailey, V. 4882.....	20.00
John Mahler, V. 4883.....	18.50
Finlay Dicks, & Co, V. 4884.....	126.62
Cattle Dippers Vat Cons. Co. V. 4885.....	450.00
Victor Kerner, Jr. V. 4886.....	Void
Frank E. Fagot, V. 4887.....	3.00
Dan Eismann, V. 4888.....	6.00
Sinclair & Macmurdo Co. V. 4889.....	6.25
J. P. Toner, V. 4890.....	20.00
Matt Schurb, V. 4891.....	20.00
Lawrence Pfeiffer V. 4892.....	40.00
Herman Brunies, V. 4893.....	40.00
J. W. Roupnich V. 4894.....	10.00
Gould Steam Fire Co. V. 4895.....	10.00
Fabre Adams, V. 4896.....	20.00
Board of Supervisors of El. V. 4897.....	100.00
Victor Kerner, Jr. V. 4898.....	20.00
Total O. D. balance & Disb.....	<u>\$ 31,193.68</u>
Overdraft balance.....	<u>\$ 29,355.58</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,

Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., June 12, 1917.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report for the Orleans
Kenner Railroad Taxes for the month of May 1917,

May 1, 1917, to balance.....	\$366.72
May 1, 1917, to taxes and interest less commission.....	376.68
Total balance and receipts.....	<u>\$743.40</u>
No disbursements.....	00.00
Balance on hand.....	<u>\$743.40</u>

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert,

Parish Treasurer.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury,

L. W. Wilkinson, salary.....	\$ 45.00
Joseph Oplatek, Medicine to Courthouse & Jail.....	7.50
W. U. Tel. & Tel. Co., time service.....	2.00
City of Gretna, water service.....	6.20
South New Orleans L. & T. Co., lights jail, courthouse C. H. Police Station.....	13.29
Cumberland T. & T. Co., Phones, Algiers 46, 244, & 306.....	25.00
F. L. St. Martin, expense cattle dipping vat & salary.....	70.45
William Gruhler, repairs to jail.....	15.50
J. Mayronne cart hire.....	6.40
Cattle dipping Cons. Co., Constructing 3 vats.....	675.00
W. F. Marrero, transferred pay roll 2 nd . Ward road work.	22.00

All other bills were referred to the finance Committee. Report of F. L. St. Martin, Inspector of cattle dipping Vats was received and ordered filed.

Extracts from the report of the Grand Jury were received and ordered filed for reference.

Communications from State traffic relief Association, Louisiana Meadows, Co., and St. Vincent's Hotel Association, were received and ordered filed.

Communications from Fire Board of the Gretna Fire Department was received and on Motion of Mr. Strehle, duly seconded the following ordinance was adopted.

Be it Ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that the Fire Department of the City of Gretna, be and it is hereby given the right of way over public roads and highways of the Parish in going and returning from all fires in this Parish and vicinity.

Report of Committee of David Crockett Fire Co., appointed to solicit funds for fire apparatus was received and ordered filed.

Bid of E. J. Kerner, to paint jail was rejected.

Invitation to the Jury to attend flag raising at St. Joseph's Church grounds on July 4th, was read, and on Motion duly seconded a Committee Composed of the President and Messrs. Strehle and Burbank was appointed to represent the Jury at this occasion.

Check for \$419.40 from Secretary of State for automobile and motorcycle license was received and ordered deposited to the credit of the Parish.

Check of \$5.00 for Pittsburgh plate glass Co., amount overpaid them by error was received and ordered deposited to the credit of Parish,

Cattle roaming at large

Petition of property owners of Metairie Ridge Section asking the Police Jury to take steps to remedy the nuisance of Cattle and other live stock roaming at large was read, and on motion of Mr. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Clancy the following ordinance was adopted.

AN ORDINANCE.

Making it a misdemeanor for any person to permit any animal belonging to them to be upon the public road of the Parish of Jefferson, providing the penalty thereof

and the method of collecting said penalty.

Section 1, Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, in regular session assembled that it shall be unlawful for any person or corporation to wilfully permit any animal belonging to them or it to be upon any public road of the Parish of Jefferson, except such animal be actual use at the time, or under the proper restraint in being taken from one place to another; that no loose or stray horses, goats, hogs, Cows, or other animals of any description shall be permitted upon the public roads of the Parish of Jefferson at any time, and all persons violating this Section of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction before any court of competent jurisdiction shall pay the fine of not less than one nor more than ten dollars for each animal, or suffer imprisonment in the Parish jail for not less than five or more than twenty days.

Section 2, Be it further ordained, that the constables and deputy sheriffs of the Parish of Jefferson are hereby empowered to seize any animal found loose or astray upon the public roads and restrain the same in their possession until the owner pays the fine and cost assessed against him, and said animal shall be thus held as security for said fine and costs, and in the event said fine and costs are not paid within two days after said fine is assessed, then the said constable shall have the right to then and there auction the said animal off and sell it to the highest bidder for cash.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc, that in all cases arising under this ordinance the owner of the Animal shall have right to obtain possession of his property by paying the minimum fine of one dollar to the Justice of the Peace of the ward which the animal was taken, together with two dollars to the constable and two dollars to the Justice of the Peace as costs; provided in all cases where the owner of the Animal fails or refuses to pay that case shall be tried before the District Court.

Section 4, Be it further ordained, that whenever any officer shall take into his possession any animal astray or loose upon the public roads he shall immediately give the owner of said animal notice of said seizure, and if the owner fails or refuses to pay the fine and costs provided for in Section 3 of this ordinance, then the said officer shall make an affidavit against him for violating the provisions of this ordinance, place the said owner of the said animal under arrest, and forward the record to the District Court for action; provided that if said officer cannot ascertain who owns said animal by due inquiry then he shall post a notice of such seizure, together with a description of said animal at the office of the Justice of the Peace for that ward for four days, and if no one appears or claims said animal, then such officer shall immediately auction said animal to the last and highest bidder for cash to pay costs, fine, and expenses.

Section 5, Be it further ordained etc., that all fines collected under this ordinance shall be turned over to the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson and by him credited to the Road Funds, and each Justice of the Peace of Jefferson

Parish, shall report to the District Attorney of this Judicial District

on; the First of each month the number of arrests made under this ordinance, the amount of the fines collected, the number of animals sold and the price obtained thereof; provided that when animals for which no owner can be found are sold, the excess of the sale price over and above the fine and costs shall be remitted to the Parish Treasury and shall be spent on the Public roads.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, etc., that any Justice of the Peace failing to report to the District Attorney as provided in Section 5, of this Ordinance shall not be paid his salary until such report and remittance is made.

Section 7, Be it further Ordained, etc., that when ever any animals belonging to a Corporation shall stray upon the public road the person in charge of said animal shall be held liable under this ordinance, but the animal shall at all times be held to secure the payment of fine costs, and expenses.

Section 8, Be it further Ordained, etc., that all ordinances in conflict herewith or on the same subject matter be and the same are hereby repealed.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS:- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Fisher, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS:- NONE.

Petition of Officials of the Parish asking that their salaries be restored to what they were during the previous year was laid over.

Petition of Atlas Powder Co., requesting that Numbers of Deputy Sheriffs Acting as guards at their powder magazines in rear of Metairie Ridge be reduced, was received and on motion duly seconded the Sheriff was instructed to place Two deputies at night and one at day instead of three at night and three at day.

Specifications submitted by Parish Engineer to repair, regrade, re-surface ditch and culvert drain on road on Fourth Street between Harvey and Gretna were accepted

On Motion of Mr. Burbank, seconded by Mr. Luke, the following was Adopted:

Whereas, it is the intention of this Police Jury to issue excess revenue bonds for the purpose of constructing and improving the public roads and highways in the Parish of Jefferson, by funding the avails of the Ten mill tax provided for by Article 232 of the Constitution under and by virtue of the provisions of Paragraph 4 of Article 281 of the constitution, and;

Whereas, the said bonds are to be issued in an amount not to exceed \$30,000. for the term of Ten years and are to be paid by the pledge of one mill or so much thereof as may be necessary of the ten mill tax above mentioned.

Be it Ordained, that in accordance with the Provisions of Act 96 of the General Assembly for the year 1916 that Notice of our intention to issue the aforesaid revenue bonds for the amount not exceeding \$30,000.00 for the term of 10 years and to be secured by the pledge of one mill of the general Parish taxes or so much thereof as may be necessary, be given by due publication in the Jefferson Democrat, the official Journal of the Parish of Jefferson.

Be it further Ordained, that the said Notice shall state that this Police Jury will meet on the 5th, day of July, 1917, at which time it will adopt this budget for the current year, and after submitting said budget for inspection and consideration, the terming the exact surface available from the ten mill tax, and further, that the aforesaid excess revenue bonds are to bear interest at the rate of 5% per annum payable semi-annually and to be secured by the pledge of one mill of the general ten mill tax or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the principal and interest falling due each year while the bonds are outstanding.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS:- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS:- NONE.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich, seconded of Mr. Stritzinger the following ordinance was adopted:

AN ORDINANCE.

Fixing the location of the track of the New Orleans and Lower Coast Railway Co., successor to and assignee of all franchises of New Orleans, Fort Jackson & Grand Isle, Railway Co., now located on Madison in the City of Gretna,

Be it Ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson:

Whereas, the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, held in regular session on June 5th, 1889 adopted the following ordinance:

An ordinance granting rights of way etc., to the New Orleans, Fort Jackson & Grand Isle Railroad Company.

Be it ordained, that the New Orleans Fort Jackson & Grand Isle Railroad Company and its assigns be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to construct, maintain and operate a railroad by steam or other motor power, with necessary tracks and bridges on Madison Street, from the lowerline of the Parish of Jefferson, Village of McDonoghville, as far as Hamilton Street, then across Hamilton Street, and then to enter from the rear of Copernicus Avenue, in the Village of Mechanickham and build a double track to the river on said street with the privilege to build all necessary switches and passenger depots, the specifications of same to be decided hereafter at the head of said Street necessary to operate said road, provided that the tract on Madison Street from the lower line of the Parish of Jefferson be laid on stringers to the intersection of this road with the Southern Pacific tracks and the streets through which they run be properly graded, repaired and kept in good order, with all necessary bridges and culverts, under the direction of the Parish authority, provided further that the double track on Copernicus Avonue be built on the Public neutral ground nearest the lower gutter, said gutter to be kept open to a width and a depth of two feet and a half and to be kept open and in good condition; and

Whereas, a controversy has arisen between the Police Jury and the City Council of the City of Gretna, and the New Orleans and Lower Coast Railroad

Co., as to:(1) the size and number of the culverts under their tracks

running through Madison Street.

(2) The grading of Madison Street.

(3) The removal of said tracks from the river side of Madison Street to the center thereof.

(4) The construction of said tracks on stringers.

Whereas, the New Orleans & Lower Coast Railroad Co., does not admit any legal obligation upon its part to remove said tracks or to cause same to be laid upon stringer, or otherwise to comply with the demand made on it by the Police Jury for the Parish of Jefferson and the City Council of the City of Gretna; and

Whereas, for the purpose of settling their difference and avoiding litigation, the Police Jury for the Parish of Jefferson, The City Council of the City of Gretna, and the New Orleans and Lower Coast Railroad Co., have compromised their differences and have agreed that said New Orleans and Lower Coast Railroad Co., its successors and assigns, shall do and perform the work hereinafter, referred to and described in full and complete satisfaction of all obligations assumed by and pertaining to it as the successor and assignee of the New Orleans, Fort Jackson & Grand Isle Railroad Co., and particularly all obligations of said New Orleans, Fort Jackson & Grand Isle Railroad Co., under the ordinance hereinabove set forth:

Now, therefore, be it ordained, The New Orleans and Lower Coast Railroad Company its successors and assigns, shall be and it is hereby permitted to maintain its tracks now on Madison Street in its present location and construction, but said Company shall remove its track on Madison Street between Virgil and Americus Streets from its present location to the point at or above the middle of the street and relay same with proper railroad construction, but not on stringers as provided in said original ordinance;

Be it further ordained, that said New Orleans and Lower Coast Railroad Company, its successors and assigns, shall, with reasonable promptness, make all repairs necessary to the Culverts under its track on Madison Street, and that it be required to grade said street within the limits hereinabove mentioned, namely, between Virgil and Americus Street.

Be it further ordained, that the performance by the New Orleans and Lower Coast Railroad Company, its successors and assigns of the above and foregoing conditions shall be in satisfaction of its obligations as the successor and assignee of the New Orleans, Fort Jackson, and Grand Isle Railroad Company of the franchise granted in the foregoing ordinance.

All Culverts, grading and removals to be made subject to the approval of the Parish Engineer.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS:- Rouprich, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS-NONE.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Thompson the regular order of business was suspended to allow I. B. Rennyson and others to address the Jury.

place a crossing at Surburan Acres, as instructed by the Jury, and on Motion duly seconded the matter was referred to the district attorney.

Mayor Gelbke of the City of Gretna, addressed the Jury, requesting that this body act in conjunction with the Board of Aldermen of Gretna to build a public road from Gretna to the outfall canal; and on Motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Strehle a committee of three was appointed to take the matter up with the Board of Aldermen of Gretna and property owners in that vicinity. The President appointed this committee Messrs. Rouprich, Burbank, Strehle.

School superintendent I. C. Ellis requested a donation of \$50.00 for the purpose of a canning outfit to demonstrate the canning of vegetable product of the Parish, and motion duly seconded the amount asked for was appropriated.

City Alderman A. G. Gugel asked the Jury to agree to pay on-half salary of \$60.00 per month for the chauffeur of David Crockett Fire Company to operate the fire tractor, and on motion of Mr. Strehle seconded by Mr. Thompson a committee composed of Messrs. Terrebonne, Thompson and Burbank was appointed by the president to take up the matter with the Board of Aldermen of Gretna.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy the secretary was instructed to have 500 cards printed warning owners of cattle and live stock roaming at large they will be prosecuted according to law.

Dr. Vinheder addressed the Jury relative to cattle dipping and advised the suspension of operation until the spring of 1918, but on motion duly seconded the doctor was instructed to continue dipping operations.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson the following ordinance was adopted:

AN ORDINANCE.

To regulate the Police of cattle in the Parish of Jefferson; to regulate live stock sanitary matters; to prevent the introduction and spread of Texas fever, or any infectious or contagious diseases of live stock; to provide for the appointment of two live stock sanitary inspectors for the Parish, prescribing their powers, duties and qualifications, to clothes all sanitary inspectors appointed by the Louisiana State Live Stock Board for this Parish with the same authority as the two inspectors created under this ordinance; and to prescribe penalties for the violation of this ordinance, and to repeal all ordinances or resolutions of this Jury in Conflict herewith.

Section 1, Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson State of Louisiana, in regular session convened. That, in order to carry out the proper measures concerning the Police of cattle, as well as all other live stock in the Parish of Jefferson, Louisiana, there shall be, from and after the passage of this ordinance, two live stock inspectors for the Parish of Jefferson, each of said inspectors shall be appointed by the president of the Police Jury immediately after the promulgation of this ordinance; they shall each receive a salary of \$60.00 per month while actual engaged in the work they shall be required to do

as hereinafter provided, payable out of the funds heretofore set aside by this Police Jury for cattle tick eradication in the Parish of Jefferson; and the said inspectors shall be residents of this Parish and State.

Section 2, Be it further ordained, That this Police Jury does hereby accept from the Louisiana State Live Stock Sanitary Board and the United States Governor such finance and other assistance as the said Board and the said United States Government may offer for the eradication of cattle fever tick and other infectious and contagious diseases among cattle and other live stock in this Parish, and to that end, and all live stock sanitary inspectors appointed by the Louisiana State Live Stock Board for this Parish are hereby clothed with the same authority as the two inspectors created under Section 1, of this Ordinance, with full power and authority to carry out the provisions of this Ordinance in this Parish, provided that all inspectors thus appointed by said Board, for this Parish shall not be paid any salary or other Compensation for their services by the Police Jury of this Parish unless it be out of funds contributed by said Board to this Parish for the purpose of paying said State inspectors, in which event, the said inspectors shall be paid only such amounts as may be designated by the Louisiana State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Section 3. Be it further ordained, etc., that it shall be the duty of said Parish Live Stock Sanitary inspectors to carry out the provisions of this Ordinance relative to the Compulsory disinfecting of cattle in the Parish of Jefferson and the proper disinfecting of other live stock as hereinafter provided, and to do all other things required then by the rules and regulations of the Louisiana State Live Stock Sanitary Board for the eradication of cattle fever tick and other contagious diseases among cattle and other live stock in the Parish of Jefferson.

The said two inspectors shall serve during such periods of time as may be designated by the Chief Executive Officer of the Louisiana State Live Stock Sanitary Board, and as aforesaid, receive their compensation as above provided for the months in which they are actually occupied as inspectors under this ordinance.

Section 4; Be it further ordained, etc., that from and after the passage of this Ordinance, no cattle shall be driven, allowed to drift or move by rail, boat or other carrier into the Parish of Jefferson, Louisiana, from area in the United States that is Quarantined by the United States Secretary of Agriculture to prevent the spread of splenic or tick fever in cattle until they have been dipped in an approved manner in the standard medical solution or otherwise disinfected under the supervision of a duly authorized inspector of the Louisiana Live Stock Sanitary Board or a veterinary inspector of the United States Bureau of Animal Industry duly commissioned as an inspector of the Louisiana Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Section 5, Be it further ordained, That from and after the passage of this ordinance, Horses and mules entering the Parish of Jefferson shall be free of cattle ticks (*Narharopus annulatus*). When any cattle horses or mules are received at a railroad station in this Parish at any point in the United States that is quarantined by the United States Secretary of Agriculture to prevent the spread of splenic or tick fever in cattle, it shall be the duty of the said railroad agents

to notify the nearest

live stock sanitary inspector, and the cattle, horses or mules, must not be removed from the station stock-pen until permission has been received from the live stock sanitary inspector of this Parish, who may be nearest to the said railroad stock-pen or from a duly authorized inspector from the Louisiana State Live Stock Sanitary Board.

Section 6. Be it further ordained, that from and after the passage of this ordinance all persons owning or having in their charge as owners, agents or otherwise, cattle in the Parish of Jefferson, Louisiana, that they are infected with or exposed to cattle fever tick, shall have all or such cattle at a regular disinfecting station situated in the Ward in which said person may reside, or in which his cattle may be, at such times as may be designated by the Parish Live Stock Sanitary Inspector or infected or by any of the inspectors appointed by the Louisiana Live Stock Sanitary Board working in this Parish for the purpose of having said cattle properly disinfected, provided, that all such persons shall, when said inspector intends to disinfect said cattle for the first time after the passage of this ordinance, receive a written notice from said inspector or inspectors, stating the day and date and place at which said cattle are to be brought and thereafter all of said persons shall be required, without further notice, to bring all of their cattle to the same station (unless another station be designated by the inspector in writing), for the purpose of having said cattle properly disinfected every 14 days after the date of the first disinfecting, provided that if the 14th day fall on Sunday, said cattle shall be brought to said station for the purpose stated on the Monday following the said Sunday. That the words "Properly disinfected" within the meaning of the Section of this ordinance is intended to mean that said cattle shall be dipped in the standard arsenical solution provided for that purpose by the Parish of Jefferson.

Section 7. Be it further ordained. That from and after the passage of this ordinance, all persons owning or having in charge, as agents or otherwise in the Parish of Jefferson, any horses or mules that are infected with the said cattle tick, (*Nargarepus Annalutus*), shall have all of said horses and mules at regular disinfecting station in this Parish, situated in the ward in which said horses or mules may be at such times as may be designated by the Parish Live Stock Sanitary Inspector or Inspectors in the manner prescribed in Section 6 of this ordinance for the purpose of having said horses or mules properly disinfected, provided, that in the sense of this section "Properly disinfected" are intended to mean that said horses and mules shall be dipped in the standard arsenical solution provided for that purpose.

Section 8. Be it further ordained, that should any cattle horses or mules from any infected area drift, swim, or otherwise enter this Parish in violation of this ordinance, the same shall be quarantined and disinfected at the expense of the owner or owners thereof. Any infected cattle horses or mules within the Parish of Jefferson, the owner or owners of which, after due notice shall fail to disinfect in a manner

satisfactory to the inspector of this Parish,

shall be placed in quarantine and disinfected at the expense of the owner or owners and if the owner or owners, of said animals be unknown to the said inspectors, such animals shall be quarantined, disinfected, cared for, and any expense incurred shall be paid by the owner of such animals before the same are released by the inspector; all money thus collected shall be turned over to the Parish Treasurer and placed in the set aside for the eradication of cattle tick and other contagious diseases of cattle.

Section 9, Be it further ordained, That nothing in this ordinance shall be construed to amend, alter or modify any of the rules of Louisiana Live Stock Sanitary Board with reference to the authority to appoint inspectors, or the power of authority of said inspectors granted by the Statutes of the State of Louisiana, it being intended that the provisions of this ordinance shall be applied in conjunction with said Louisiana Live Stock Sanitary Board and the United States Bureau of Animal Industry.

Section 10, Be it further ordained, That any person, persons, individual, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction shall, for the first offense be fined the sum of not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$20.00, or shall be imprisoned in the Parish jail subject to work on the public roads of the Parish for a term not less than 10 or more than 15 days, and on conviction of the second or subsequent offense shall be fined in the sum of not less than \$25.00, nor more than \$100.00, or imprisoned in the Parish Jail, Subject to work on the public roads of the Parish for a term not less than 20 days nor more than thirty days, or both such fine and imprisonment, in the discretion of the court.

Section 11, be it further ordained, That all ordinances or resolutions previously passed by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in conflict with ordinance, be and the same are hereby revoked, especially a resolution previously adopting the rules and regulations of the Louisiana Live Stock Sanitary Board.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS - - - Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS - - NONE.

On Motion duly seconded the Jury then proceeded to the election of two inspectors of cattle dipping vats for Jefferson Parish, whereupon after a ballot, Messrs, F. L. St. Martin and John Ernst were duly elected to said positions.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Rouprich the president was authorized to subscribe to \$200.00 of Liberty Loan bonds on behalf of the Parish.

The Jury then went into executive session as a board of reviewers of the assessment rolls of 1917.

After inspection of the assessment rolls as compiled by Assessor J. B. Dauenhauer, Jr., it was resolved on motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Stritzinger that the rolls as submitted by the assessor be

approved and adopted, subject to the changes made in same.

The roll being of the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS - - - Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS - NONE.

The Jury then adjourned.

Secretary

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., July 5, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present-Jules G. Fisher, president, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger; J. D. Terrebonne, H.P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson, John Clancy.

Absent- A. Rouprich.

District Attorney L. Robert Rivarde was also present.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they were approved as published in the Official Journal.

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was suspended to allow various parties to address the Jury.

Mr. M. J. Harton, on behalf of the Charity Hospital Sprinkler fund, appealed for aid, but no action was taken on this petition.

Capt. R. R. Baorow submitted plans and specifications for repairs to the Barataria and Lafourche Canal Company's locks at Westwego, and on motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Luke the plans and specifications were accepted subject to the approval of the State Engineer and the Lafourche Levee Board.

Alderman A. G. Gugel, of the City of Gretna, addressed the the Jury soliciting an appropriation of \$30.00 per month to defray one-half the cost of operating the fire tractor of David Crockett Steam Fire Company, of the City of Gretna having agreed to appropriate a like sum, and on motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Luke the Jury agreed to appropriate the sum requested, \$30.00 per month.

Superintendent J. C. Ellis, on behalf of the Parish School Board, asked for additional revenue from the the Police Jury to meet the increased needs of the School operation, building and repairs and on motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy it was agreed that an additional one-quarter mill will be appropriated for the School purposes in the current year's budget.

On motion duly seconded the Jury then resumed the regular order of business.

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved:
Gretna, La., June 30, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury July, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit
this my report for the month of June, 1917:

RECEIPTS.

June 4 th .1917--Parish taxes and interest.....	\$210.75
June 4 th .1917--Parish license.....	767.75
June 4 th .1917--Parish cart licenses.....	4.45
June 4 th .1917--Parish automobile licenses.....	419.40
June 4 th .1917- Refund and overpaid bill to Pittsburgh Plate	
Glass Company.....	5.00
Total receipts.....	<u>\$1,407.35</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

June 1, 1917-Overdraft balance.....	\$29,355.58
William Hepting, V. 4899	67.50
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4900.....	67.50
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 4901.....	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 4902.....	15.00
John Romero, V. 4903.....	45.00
Albert Linden, V. 4904	45.00
L.W. Wilkinson, V. 4905.....	45.00
Joseph Oplatek, V. 4906.....	7.50
St. Joseph's Orphanage, V. 4907.....	12.00
O. B. Stiles, V. 4908	9.00
Henry Walter, V. 4909.....	19.80
J. J. Keller, V. 4910	44.30
Gretna Exc. & S.Bk., V. 4911.....	7.50
Rene A. Fauchaux, V. 4912	36.00
George Taylor, V. 4913	3.20
Julio Landry, V. 4914	3.00
Adrien Adam V. 4915	3.00
John Burke V. 4916.....	5.00
Victor Boudrezux V. 4917.....	3.00
B. J. Tucker V. 4918	3.00
Fred W. Betz V. 4919	7.50
Edw. Thomassie V. 4920.....	13.10
Turner & Brown V. 4921.....	16.60
Covington Duffel, V. 4922.....	6.80
Wm. F. Keller, V. 4923.....	2.50
Gretna Branch N. O. Red Cross, V. 4924,	100.00
Henry Walter, V. 4925.....	7.50
J. M. Rollison, V. 4926.....	26.00
Albert Richard, V. 4927.....	6.50
Louis C. Fos V. 4928.....	52.00
City of Gretna Waterworks V. 4929.....	6.20

Cum. T. and T. Co. V. 4930.....	25.00
South N. O. Light and Trac. Co. V. 4931.....	13.22
Robert Martland V. 4932.....	9.10
Mrs. J. J. Goldman V. 4933.....	9.10
Kenner Fire Co. V. 4934.....	5.00
F. L. St. Martin 4935.....	70.45
A. J. Bourgeois 4936.....	25.10
G. P. H. Gugel, V. 4937.....	3.00
Fergus Gardere 4938.....	25.10
T. S. Landry V. 4939.....	4.00
Holmes Harrison V. 4940.....	7.50

W. F. Marrero, V. 4941.....	77.60
John Ernst V. 4942.....	26.00
Paul Sentilles V. 4943.....	26.00
E. B. Anthony V. 4944.....	26.00
Jules Mayronne V. 4945.....	6.40
Wm. Gruhler V. 4946.....	15.50
Fred Miltenhauser V. 4947.....	5.00
Cattle Dipping Vat Con. Co., V. 4948.....	675.00
Total O. D. Balance and Disbursements.....	<u>31,131.65</u>
Overdraft Balance	<u>29,724.30</u>

Respectfully

E. M. Hubert, Treasurer.

Gretna, La., June 30, 1917.

To the Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
La.

Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Treasurer of the Orleans-Kenner taxes beg
leave to make this my report for the month of June 1917.

June 1, 1917, To balance on hand	743.40
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RECEIPTS

June 4, 1917 To taxes and interest	21.44
Total balance and receipts	<u>764.84</u>
June 30, 1917, No disbursements	00.00
BALANCE	<u>764.84</u>

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert, Treasurer.

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved and on
motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.

The report of the Parish Auditor was received and ordered filed.

Farm Demonstrator L. W. Wilkinson, submitted his report; which was
received and ordered filed.

Report of F. L. St. Martin dipping vat inspector for June 1917 was
received and ordered filed.

Following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury: Wm. Gruhler
repairs to Jail \$2.00 Western U. Tel. Co., time service \$4.00. Texas Oil
Co., Oil and Gas to Harvey Bridge, \$17.13, South N. O. L. & T. Co.,
lights Jail, Courthouse, Police Station \$12.28, Cumberland T. & T. Co.,
Phones 46, 244, and 306, \$31.15, City of Gretna Water Service \$7.00,

Wm. Hepting Postage and Box Rent \$10.55 J. L. Keller Installing water lines to dipping vats \$22.00, Dr. M. E. Brown Burying paupers \$24.00 Bill of August Iver for \$10.50 for emergency Road Work 2nd ward was ordered paid. Other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Communication from Baratavia and Lafourche Coal Co., Association of Louisiana Transportation Assairs and Dr. A. W. Vornheder, were received and ordored filed.

Bids for painting of the interior of the Parish Jail were opened and the bid of E. J. Korner for \$90.00 being the lowest, the contract was awarded to him.

Opinion of the District Attorney Covering questions submitted to him by the President of the Jury was received and ordered filed.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Burbank, George A. Cox was elcted Parish Printer for the fiscal year from July 1, 1917 to July 1, 1918 at a salary of \$500.00.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Luke, O. B. Stiles was authorized to have the necessary repairs made to the roof of the District Court House building.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke, Dr. George Rossner, President of the Parish Board of Health was removed for cause.

The President then announced that nominations to fill the vacancy were in order; Mr. Clancy nominated Dr. A. Kopfler and Mr. Terrebonne nominated Dr. A. J. K. Genella, a vote being taken Dr. Kopfler received one vote and Dr. Genella five votes. Dr. Genella was therefore declared elcted as President of the Parish Board of health.

The Jury then adjourned.

Approved:

Jules G. Fisher

President:

Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jofferson,
Gretna, La., Aug. 1, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in regular sossion.

Mombors president-Jules G. Fisher, president; A. Rouprich, E. Stritzinger, Wm. Luko, A. S. Thompson, J. D. Terrebonne, John Clancy.

Absent-Wm. E. Strohle, H. P. Burbank.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they were approved as published in the official journal.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger duly seconded the regular order of business was deferred.

Bids for building of road from Harvey to Gretna were open, but, on motion of Mr. Terrebonne duly seconded, action on same was deferred until the meeting of the Police Jury to be held on August 8, 1917.

On motion of Mr. Thompson duly seconded a committee of three, with the

president added, was appointed to confer with the engineer and propect-ive bidders relative to the proposed road from Harvey to Gretna. The following committee was appointed: A. Rouprich, chairman; J. D. Terrebonne, E. Stritzinger.

The bids of A. A. Hargis to build a cattle dipping vat at Waggaman for the sum of \$225, according to plans and specifications on file was accepted.

The Jury then went into executive session.

After re-assembling in open session the following budget of probable revenue and tableau of expenditures for the year of 1917 was adopted:

PROBABLE REVENUE.

55% of assessment.....	\$94,000.00
License.....	5,000.00
Unknown revenue.....	1,500.00
Total revenue.....	\$100,500.00

BUDGET OF EXPENSE.

Public Schools.....	\$ 42,000.00
Sheriffs salary.....	4,200.00
Justice of the peace and Constables.....	7,776.00
Corners fees.....	1,350.00
Corner's Jury Scrips.....	200.00
Secretary's salary.....	900.00
Treasurers salary.....	900.00
Official printer.....	500.00
Assessor's commission.....	2,300.00
Bridge Tenders.....	\$ 1,080.00
Board of Health.....	1,440.00
Corners salary attending jail	216.00
Public Roads.....	5,000.00
Grand and Petit Juror's Scrips.....	1,500.00
District Attorney's Fees.....	1,800.00

Farm Demonstrator.....	\$ 720.00
Auditor.....	360.00
Total.....	\$ 73,982.00

PROBABLE EXPENSE

Sheriffs Office.....	\$ 4,000.00
Maintainance of Prisoners.....	4,000.00
Corners Office.....	100.00
Office of the Police Jury.....	1,350.00
District Attorneys Office.....	800.00
Assessor's Office.....	100.00
Janitor of Court House.....	150.00
Operating bridge at Harvey.....	200.00
Justice of the Peace and Constables.....	900.00
Farm Demonstrator's Office.....	195.00
Cattle Dipping vat inspectors.....	360.00
Total.....	\$ 12,155.00

MISCELLANEOUS ACCOUNTS

David Crockett Steam Fire Co.....	\$ 360.00
Interest to Bank.....	2,280.00
Incidentals to operating Court House and Jail.....	1,500.00
Incidentals of Clerks in Sheriffs Office.....	500.00
Denominations and unknown expenses.....	\$ 5,000.00
Total.....	\$ 9,640.00

Grand total and expenditures.....\$ 95,777.00

The Roll being called on the adoption of the above budget the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Fisher, Rouprich, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

Absent- - Strehle, Burbank.

On motion of Mr. Clancy Seconded by Mr. Luke, the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, it is necessary for the Police Jury, under the law, to fix the proportion of the actual cash value of all taxable property located in the Parish of Jefferson for general Parish purposes and,

Whereas, taking into Consideration the actual cash value of all taxable property in the Parish of Jefferson as fixed by the assessor of this Parish and approved by the Police Jury as a board of reviewers, it is necessary, to raise sufficient revenues for the general Parish purposes as specified in the budget adopted this day, that the proportion of the actual cash value be fixed at least Fifty-five (55) per cent of said value;

55% Assessed of value

Be it resolved, that the assessor of the Parish of Jefferson be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to fix the taxable valuation of all

properties subject to taxation in the Parish of Jefferson for general Parish purposes at Fifty-five (55) per cent of the actual cash value of said taxable property, as approved by this Police Jury sitting as a Board of Reviewers:

Be it further resolved that a certified copy of this resolution be given to the Assessor of this Parish as his authority for levying the proportion of the actual cash value as herein specified.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS-Fisher, Rouprich, Stritzinger, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

The Jury then adjourned to meet on Wednesday, August 8, 1917.

Jules G. Fisher

Secretary

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., Aug. 8, 1917

The Jury met this day pursuant to adjournment.

Members present- - Jules G. Fisher, president, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John Clancy

Absent- - NONE

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was suspended to allow Senator Louque to address the Jury in behalf of Mrs. Valle of Westwego, whose house is in the line of the new levee at that point. Senator Louque asked for an appropriation for a certain amount to purchase a new site for the location of Mrs. Valle's House, but on motion of Mr. Burbank duly seconded the request was denied.

The regular order of business was then resumed.

The following report of the treasurer was received and approved:

Gretna, La., Aug. 8, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of July, 1917.

RECEIPTS.

July 1, 1917- Received from bond issue.....	\$38,765.28
July 1, 1917- taxes and interest, less commission.....	739.49
July 1, 1917- interest on deposits.....	96.25
Total receipts.....	\$39,601.02

DISBURSEMENTS.

Over draft balance.....	\$29,724.30
William Hepting, V. 4949.....	67.50
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4950.....	67.50
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 4951.....	36.00

C. J. Tassin, V. 4952.....	\$ 15.00
John Romero, V. 4953.....	45.00
Albert Linden, V. 4954.....	45.00
L.W. Wilkinson, V. 4955.....	45.00
St. Joseph Orphanage, V. 4956.....	12.00
O. B. Stiles, V. 4957.....	9.00
The Worrell Mfg. Co. V. 4958.....	371.60
William Hepting, V. 4959.....	10.55
James J. Keller, V. 4960.....	22.00
Cum. T. & T. Co., V. 4961.....	31.15
South N. O. Light & T. Co., V. 4962.....	12.28
Albert Mackie, Co., V. 4963.....	12.58
Woodward Wight, Co., V. 4964.....	9.25
Atlas Powder Co., V. 4965.....	6.52
Archie C. Stumpf, V. 4966.....	1.25
Elliott Fisher, V. 4967.....	12.16
City of Gretna Water Works, V. 4968.....	7.10

M. Rosenstock, V. 4969.....	2:15
Ed. F. Crawford, V. 4970.....	4.75
Mrs. F. M. Hall, V. 4971	1.00
Theo. O. Hotard, V. 4972.....	34:37
Jules Mayronne, V. 4973.....	4.00
Western Union Tel. Co., V. 4974	4.00
Texas Oil Co., V. 4974	17.13
Dr. M. E. Brown, V. 4976.....	24.00
F. L. St. Martin, V. 4977.....	70:60
Henry Gardey, V. 4978	4.00
Felix, V. 4979	8.00
William Gruhler, V. 4980	2.00
August Iver, V. 4981.....	10.50
Jefferson Com. & Sav. Bank, V. 4982.....	917.21
Total O. D. Bal. and Receipts.....	\$ 31,666.35
Balance.....	\$ 7,934.67

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer,

Gretna, La., Aug. 8, 1917.

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned treasurer of the Parish, beg leave to submit, this my report for the Orleans Kenner R. R. Tax for the Month of July, 1917:

July 1, 1917-To balance.....	\$ 764.84
July 5, 1917-Taxes and interest, less com.....	111.56

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Total balance and receipts.....	\$ 876.40
No. disbursements.....	00.00
Balance	\$ 876.40

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Report of F. L. St. Martin, cattle dipping vat inspector, for month of July was received and ordered filed.

Report of L. W. Wilkinson, farm demonstrator, was received and ordered filed.

Report of Dr. A. J. K. Genella, president of the Board of Health, was received, and the secretary was instructed to communicate with Dr. Genella and compliment him on his effective work, also to request him to appear at the next meeting of the Jury to discuss the advisability of appointing a health inspector.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:

Jos. Robinson, Wk. on dipping vat.....	\$ 16.00
Cumberland T. & T. Co., phones, Alg. 46, 244 and 306.....	25.00
South N. O. L. & T. Co. lights jail court house Police Sta.,..	13.48
J. L. Keller Plumbing Wk. at jail.....	7.00

W. U. T. Co., time service.....	2.00
E. J. Kerner, repainting Jail.....	90.00
Frank Grabile, road work.....	9.00

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Communications from the State Board of Health was received and ordered filed.

Communications from W. C. Mosley was referred to the commissioners of Road District No. 3.

Communications from C. C. Crook relative to opening of Iona Street, Metairie Ridge, was referred to the District Attorney for an opinion.

Communications from Highland Farms Co., Inc. was received and on Motion of Mr. Thompson duly seconded the secretary was instructed to notify the Orleans Kenner R. R. Co. to fix crossing at Orchard, Citrus, Poultry and Garden Street, at intersection with said Company's track.

Communications from Anchor Sawmill Co., was received and ordered filed.

The resignation of John Ernst as cattle dipping vat inspector was received and on motion duly seconded same was accepted.

Petition of Joseph Menzer to operate a saloon for colored trade at Waggaman was on motion duly seconded, granted.

On motion of Mr. Burbank, seconded by Mr. Thompson the following ordinance was adopted:

Whereas, it has been brought to the knowledge of this Police Jury that the Board of Commissioners of the Lafourche Basin Levee District are about to construct a new levee at Westwego in this Parish.

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Be it ordained, that the syndic and all others it authority be and they are hereby authorized, instructed and empowered to construct a new road along the base of the new levee to be constructed and leading to the Company Canal.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Fisher, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS-NONE:

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, it is now necessary that the Police Jury make negotiation for the loan of approximately six thousand dollars for the purposes of paying the salary and expenses of the office of the sheriff and ex-officio Tax collector for the month of July, August, September, October, November, and December, 1917;

Be it resolved, that the President of the Police Jury be and he is hereby authorized and empowered and instructed, for and on behalf of the Police Jury for the Parish of Jefferson, to negotiate with the Jefferson Commercial and savings Bank of Gretna, La., for the loan of the sum of money not to exceed Six Thousand Dollars, for the purpose of paying the salary and expenses of the office of Sheriff and ex-officio Tax Collector for the months of July, August, September, October, November and December, 1917.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

Communications from Louisiana Realty Co., Ltd., was received and read and on motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the following resolution was adopted:

Be it resolved, that the ordinance adopted by the Police Jury at its session of June 13, 1917, granting to the New Orleans and Lower Coast R. R. Co., successors to New Orleans Fort Jackson and Grand Isle R. R. Co., certain rights of way through Copernicus avenue, Gretna, and providing for the removal and grading of its tracks on Madison Street, McDonoghville, be and the same is hereby abrogated, only in so far as it grants any rights or privileges to said railroad company effecting Copernicus Avenue, Gretna:

Be it further resolved, that in all other respects said ordinance adopted June 13, 1917, shall remain in full force and effect.

Bids for regrading, resurfacing and ditching public road on fourth street between Harvey and Gretna were submitted to the Jury and the bid of A. C. Keller of \$1074 being the lowest was accepted; and on motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson a committee of two was appointed, with the president added.

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to negotiate for the construction and maintainance of said road.

On motion of Mr. Thompson, seconded by Mr. Burbank it was resolved that it is the sense of the Police Jury that the Parish engineer in authorized to make approaches to the present levee at East End.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Stritzinger, Louis Fos was appointed cattle-dipping vat inspector of the right bank, vice, John Ernst, resigned said appointment to be made at once.

On motion of Mr. Burbank duly seconded the secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for the enlarging of the clerk of court's office, according to specifications on file, bids to be submitted not later than 11 A. M. on Wednesday September 5, 1917.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Secretary.

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Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., Sept 5, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present- - Jules G. Fisher president; Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. E. Luke, A. S. Thompson,

John Clancy.

Absent- - A. Rouprich.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they were approved as published on the official journal.

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was deferred to allow Mrs. Middleton to address the Jury in behalf of of the Charity Hospital sprinkler fund, and on motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Terrebonne, \$100.00 was appropriated to said fund.

Prof. L. W. Wilkinson addressed the Jury relative to the organization of a Parish branch of the Council of National Defence, and on motion of Mr. Terrebonne, it was resolved that the president be authorized to issue a proclamation declaring Sept, 15, 1917, a legal holiday and requesting all patriotic citizens to join said council.

The regular order of business was then resumed.

On motion duly seconded M. Strauss was authorized to transfer his saloon license to D. Courcier to operate a saloon at Marrero.

The following report of the treasurer were read and approved:

Gretna La., Sept. 4, 1917.

Honorable President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.:

Gentlemen:- I, The undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of August, 1917:

Aug. 1, 1917, Balance..... \$7,924.67

RECEIPTS.

Aug. 4, 1917, Business license, less commission..... \$ 261.25

Aug. 4, 1917, Cart license, less commission..... 2.37

Aug. 30, 1917, Merchants and Planters Ferry Co. 375.63

Total receipts and balance..... \$8,573.92

DISBURSEMENTS.

William Hepting, V. 4982..... \$ 67.50

Ed. M. Hubert, V. 4983..... 67.50

L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 4984..... 36.00

C. J. Tassin, V. 4985..... 15.00

John Romero, V. 4986..... 45.00

Albert Linden, V. 4987..... 45.00

O. B. Stiles, V. 4988..... 9.00

L. W. Wilkinson, V. 4989..... 45.00

F. L. St. Martin, V. 4990..... 70.15

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St. Joseph's Orphanage, V. 4991.....\$ 12.00

Jefferson Com. and Sav. Bank; V. 4992..... 1,140.00

C. W. Rossner, V. 4993..... 80.00

L. H. Marrero, V. 4994..... 3,096.33

G. Pitard & Sons, V. 4995..... 3.60

Gretna Feed Store, V. 4996..... 82.50

Dr. J. R. Fernandez, Fy. Coroner, V. 4997..... 22.00

American Surety Co., V. 4998..... 50.00

Geier Bros. Co., V. 4999..... 14.30

Gretna Ex. and Sav. Bank, V. 5000..... 3.00

L. A. Chighizola, V. 5001..... 3.00

L. A. Chighizola, V. 5002.....	3.00
David Crocket Fire Co., V. 5003.....	30.00
Western Union Tel. Co., 5004.....	2.00
City of Gretna Water works, V. 5005.....	6.50
Com. T. & T. Co., V. 5006.....	25.00
E. J. Kerner, V. 5007.....	90.00
So. N. O. LT. & T. Co., V. 5008.....	13.48
Jos. L. Keller, V. 5009.....	7.00
Murphy, Allo, V. 5010.....	7.00
Joseph Robinson, V. 5011.....	16.00
Paul E. Mortimer, V. 5012.....	10.00
Frank Gabriel, V. 5013.....	9.00
Total Disbursements.....	<u>\$5,125.86</u>
Balance.....	<u>\$3,448.06</u>

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Sept 4, 1917.

Honorable President and Members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.:

Gentlemen:- I, the undersigned, Treasurer of the Orleans Kenner Railroad Tax Fund, beg leave to submit this my report for the Month of August, 1917:

Aug. 1, 1917, to balance.....	\$ 876.40
No receipts and no disbursements.....	00.00
Balance on hand.....	<u>\$ 876.40</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

The Finance Committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were paid.

Report of F. L. St. Martin, cattle dipping vat inspector, for month of

Aug. was received and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:

L. W. Wilkinson Farm demonstrator agent.....	\$ 60.00
A. A. G. Hargis, build of dipping vats.....	225.00
T & P. Co., freight and switch gravel to road.....	63.96
O. Bechtel, repairing dipping vats.....	101.10

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee

Communications from Texas Oil Co., State Fair association, Bank of Beaver C. C. Crook, Mrs. I. J. Botto, W. C. Morsely and J. LeBlanc were received and ordered filed.

Request of D. B. Gore Co., to remove bridge at 7th, street canal to allow dredge to pass was granted, subject to approval of the police juror of the 8th ward.

Checks from the following corporations, as donation to repair the public road from Gretna to Harvey on fourth street, were received and

ordered deposited to the credit of the road fund, as follows: Southern Cotton Oil Co.\$200.00
Gulf Refining Co., 100.00
Texas Oil Co., 50.00
Union Stave Co., 50.00
Seaboard Refining Co., 50.00

Check for \$314.55 from Secretary of State for automobile license collected was received and ordered deposited to the credit of the general fund.

Check for \$12.00 from E. Geisenhiemer for ferry franchise at Nine Mile Point from Aug. 1, 1916, to Aug. 1, 1917, was received and ordered deposited to the credit of the general fund.

On motion duly seconded the secretary was instructed to notify all secretaries of road districts to meet at Police Jury room Sept. 21, 1917, at ten o'clock sharp and to bring all books and records of their respective districts in order to have same audited and turned over to the Police Jury as the governing authority.

On motion duly seconded the secretary was instructed to advertise for the construction of two cattle-dipping vats at Baratavia and one at Elmwood Plantation in 7th ward.

On motion duly seconded the secretary was instructed to notify the N. O. T. Ry. Co., to place a culvert at Lake Avenue and the main line of said railway company, in Metairieville, to be located about 350 feet west of the pumping station No. 6, on out fall canal.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Strehle it was resolved that the president be and he is hereby instructed to deal with the district attorney relative to his failure to attend meetings of the Police Jury as legal advisor of said Jury, the president to take up said matter with the proper authorities in accordance with the above.

Bids of A. A. Hargis and W. Pellegrin to enlarge Clerk of Court's office

were opened and on motion duly seconded were referred to the Court-house and jail Committee with full power to act.

Dr. A. J. K. Gennela, president of the Board of Health, asked for assistant health inspector, on motion duly seconded the matter was laid over until next meeting.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Strehle the following was adopted:

Resolved, that it is the sense of the Police Jury, in session assembled September 5, 1917, that this body act as a Central Co-operative Board to assist the Farm Demonstration Agent in community organization for the general betterment of the Parish of Jefferson, agriculturally, socially and industrially.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke the following was adopted:

Resolved, that an appropriation of \$9 per month to be made to aid in payment of the expense of L. W. Wilkinson, Farm Demonstration Agent of Jefferson Parish.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the

following was adopted.

Be it resolved, that the Parish Engineer is hereby instructed to open up Monteford street in the Village of Shrewsbury from Severn Avenue to Arnoult road, as the same is necessary for public use, in the building of the Jefferson Parish Fair.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of same be forwarded to A. H. Ahten, the owner of the two adjacent squares who shall at once remove the fence line to proper location of the squares owned by him and remove the crop, etc., from the public highway.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr. Burbank, seconded by Mr. Terrebonne, the following was adopted:

Resolved, that in the sense of the Police Jury that the Levee Board place at the disposal of the School Board, for the use and benefit of Kenner School, a certain lot of ground, containing 7 acres more or less, and situated in the City of Kenner, same to be done without charge for use of said land.

On motion of Mr. Strehle seconded by Mr. Luke, the following resolution was adopted:

10 Mill tax
Levy 1917

Whereas, it is necessary for this Police Jury to levy the annual Parish taxes, in order to obtain the necessary revenue to pay the necessary usual and ordinary expenses, as well as other charges or claims that may be due by the Parish of Jefferson.

Be it resolved, that a tax of ten mills on the dollar be and the same is hereby levied on all property subject to taxation in the Parish of Jefferson.

Be it further resolved, that a copy of this resolution be given to the assessor of the Parish of Jefferson as his authority for extending the said tax on the assessment rolls in the Parish of Jefferson, and a copy be given to the sheriff of the Parish of Jefferson as evidence to his authority to collect said tax.

Be it further resolved, That the said Sheriff be and he is hereby authorized to pay to the Treasurer of the Board of School Directors of this Parish four and a half (4½) mills of the general parish taxes collected by him, and the balance to the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson.

On motion of Mr. Strehle, seconded by M. Luke, the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, it is necessary for this Police Jury, as governing authority of Road District Nos, One, Two, and three and Sub-road District "A" of Road District No. One, to annually levy on all property subject to taxation in the aforesaid road District and Sub-road District, a tax sufficient to pay primarily the principal and interest falling due within the next year on bonds heretofore issued in the aforesaid subdivision and also for maintenance purposes.

Be it resolved, That, considering the assessed valuation located within the aforesaid respective subdivision, the following tax be and the same is hereby levied in said subdivision, to-wit: Road District Number One, five mills; Road District Number Two, Five mills, Road District Number Three, five mills; Sub-road District "A" Road District Number One, Ten mills.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of this resolution be given to the assessor of this Parish as his authority for extending the aforesaid tax on the assessment rolls for the Parish of Jefferson, and that a copy be given to the Sheriff of this Parish as his authority for collecting said tax in the aforesaid subdivision.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson, the following ordinance was adopted:

Whereas, it is the intention of this Police Jury to issue Excess Revenue Bonds for the construction and improvement of the public roads of the Parish of Jefferson and to secure the payment of said bonds in principal and interest by the pledge of the avails of the ten(10) mill tax provided for by Artical 232 of the Constitution, and fund same under and by virtue of the provisions of paragraph four of Artical 281 of the Constitution; and

Whereas, it is the intention of this Police Jury to issue said bonds in an amount not to exceed thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars, which bonds are to bear interest at the rate of (5%) per cent per annum, payable semi-annually same to be redeemed within a space of ten (10) years and to be secured by the pledge of one mill or so much thereof as may be necessary of the general Parish tax above referred to;

Be it ordained, That, in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 96 of 1916, notice to the Police Jury's intension to issue the aforesaid bonds be published in the Official Journal of the Parish of Jefferson, the said notice to contain all of the above facts and statements and shall further state that this Police Jury will meet on Wednesday, October 3, 1917, at 1 o'clock p. m. at the District Court-house, in Gretna, at which time the proper proceedings will be taken for the issuance of the aforesaid bonds.

The roll being called on the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr. Clancy, seconded by Mr. Stritzinger, the following

resolution was adopted:

Whereas, it is expedient and necessary that this Police Jury employ special counsel in the matter of drawing up the proper proceedings of this issuance of an Excess Revenue Bond issue of thirty thousand (\$30,000.00) dollars for public road purposes, since this matter requires special care and attention, such as the District Attorney is presently unable to give, being engaged in other public matters at this time;

Be it resolved, That, C. A. Buchler be and he is hereby retained and employed as Special Attorney in this matter, his fee being fixed at one-half of one percent of the total bond issue, to be paid out of the proceeds of the said bonds when sold.

On motion of Mr. Clancy duly seconded the secretary was instructed to write to several constables throughout the Parish and inform that it is the sense of this Police Jury that they are required to enforce all laws and ordinance passed by this Police Jury.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson, the petition of Mr. Eastman, endorsed by citizens of the 8th, ward, to conduct picnics and adnces ar Eastman Park, was granted.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President

SECRETARY

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., Oct. 3, 1917.

The Police Jury was called to order this day by President Jules G. Fisher. Members present: J. G. Fisher Pres. A. Rouprich, Wm. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson, Jno. Clancy.

The president announced that due to the fact that the assessment rolls of the Parish must be open to public inspection for at least 30 days, and as this delay will not expire until October 7, 1917, the regular meeting of the Police Jury, which was to be held this day, will be postponed until Monday, October 8, 1917, at 1 o'clock p.m.

Secretary,

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., Oct. 8, 1917.

The Jury met this day in regular session,

Mombers present - - Jules G. Fisher, President; A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John, Clancy.

Absent - - NONE.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they

were approved as published in the Official Journal.

The following of the Treasurer was received and approved.

Gretna, La., Oct. 7, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of September, 1917:

GENERAL FUNDS.

9-1-17- - To balance on hand.....\$ 3,448.06

RECEIPTS.

9-4-17- - Parish license and interest..... 10.64

9-4-17- - Donation to Public Road to Harvey..... 714.55

Total receipts and balances.

\$ 4,173.25

DISBURSEMENTS.

William Hepting, V. 5014.....\$ 75.00

Ed. M. Hubert, V. 5015..... 75.00

L. R. Lapcyronnie, V. 5016..... 36.00

C. J. Tassin, V. 5017..... 15.00

John Romero, V. 5018..... 45.00

Albert Linden, V. 5019..... 45.00

O. B. Stiles, V. 5020..... 9.00

St. Joseph Orphanage, V. 5021..... 12.00

L. W. Wilkinson, V. 5022..... 45.00

Cum. T. & T. Co., V. 5023..... 25.00

F. L. St. Martin, V. 5024..... 93.60

David Crocket, S. F. Co., V. 5025..... 30.00

Marrero L. & Lmp. Co., V. 5026..... 127.71

National Supply Co., V. 5027..... 13.31

C. Vehring, V. 5028..... 5.70

Dr. M. E. Brown, V. 5029..... 15.00

A. A. Hargis, V. 5030..... 4.00

Cresent Moss Factory, V. 5031..... 21.60

Schroder Blattman Sheet works, V. 5032..... 87.20

H. Brunies, V. 5033..... 31.75

Texas Oil Co., V. 5034..... 4.62

Jos Levy Bros. & Co., V. 5035..... 14.40

J. Steckler & Co., V. 5036..... 2.45

A. W. Hyatt Stationery Co., V. 5037..... 315.10

O. Bechtel, V. 5038..... 101.10

John E. Boudreaux, V. 5039..... 55.00

A. A. Hargis, V. 5040..... 170.00

South N. O. Light & Power Co., V. 5041..... 16.45

City of Gretna Water Dept, V. 5042..... 11.15

A. H. Fagot, V. 5043..... 5.00

C. E. Brenholtz, V. 5044..... 15.95

M. Rosenstock, V. 5045..... 15.25

W. F. Marrero, V. 5046..... 4.00

J. J. Keller, V. 5047..... 4.00

Henry Walter V. 5048.....	2.00
B. J. Tucker, V. 5049.....	4.00
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 5050.....	15.00
T. & P. R. R. Co., V. 5051.....	63.96
Charity Hospital Spri. Fund, V. 5052.....	100.00
L. C. Fos, V. 5053.....	60.00
Am. Disinfection Co., V. 5054.....	360.00
Jefferson T. & S. Bk., V. 5055.....	195.00
J. D. Dauenhauer, Jr., V. 5056.....	500.00
Total Disbursed.....	\$2,846.30
Cash Balance in Bank.....	\$1,326.95

SHERIFF SALARY FUND.

RECEIPTS.

To commission of license and taxes.....	29.07
Note in Jefferson T. & S. Bank for 6 months \$1000 less 6% Dis.\$	970.00
To commission and license less tax	2.67
Note in Jefferson T. & S. Bank for 5 months \$1000 less 6% Dis.	975.00

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Total Receipts.....\$1,976.74

DISBURSEMENTS.

Sheriff's Salary and expense, V. No. 1.....	856.09
V. No. 2.....	991.84
Total Disbursed.....	\$1,847.93
Balance.....	\$ 128.81

CLERK OF COURT FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Issuing certificates of mortgage.....	\$ 70.00
All additional fees collected.....	789.45
Issuing certificates of mortgage.....	62.00
All Additional fees collected.....	\$ 639.60
Total Receipts.....	\$1,561.05

DISBURSEMENTS.

C. W. Rossner, V. 1.....	\$ 291.66
Frank J. Tillison, V. 2.....	100.00
James J. Keller, V. 3.....	75.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 4.....	40.00
William Fleury, V. 5.....	40.00
C. W. Rossner, V. 6.....	6.00
F. J. Tillison, V. 7.....	25.80
Wm. J. Fleury, V. 8.....	40.00
Louis R. Lapeyronnie, V. 9.....	40.00
James J. Keller, V. 10.....	75.00
C. W. Rossner, V. 11.....	291.66
Total Disbursements.....	\$1,025.12
Cash Balance.....	\$ 535.93

Respectfully,

Parish Treasurer.

The Finance Committee submits its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid. The report of the Parish Auditor was received and ordered filed.

Parish Engineer H. L. Zander submitted his report, which was received and ordered filed.

Report of F. L. St. Martin, Cattle Dipping vat Inspector, for month of September was received and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:

M. Terrebonne buying horse.....	\$ 3.25
C. Ricks, wagon hire & labor.....	7.50
M. L. T. Ry. Co., freight charges.....	212.00
C. Betz, road work 8th., ward.....	30.00
J. Steckler, Garden seeds.....	1.70
F. Gabriel road work 2nd. ward.....	10.50

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F. Bartholomew, road work 2 nd Ward.....	\$ 8.00
H. Clay, " " ".....	10.50
Metairie Nursery, rd. wk. wd.....	15.00
B. J. Tucker, Flag for C. H.	25.00
Finley Dicks Co., Chemicals.....	10.32
I. L. Lyons Co., chemicals.....	60.13
La. State Normal School, Scholarship Miss V. Tillison.....	77.00
City of Gretna Water service.....	\$ 8.78
South N. O. Light & Traction Co. lights C. H. Jail & Police Sta.	12.58
Cumberland T. & T. Co., phones Alg. 46, 244, and 306.....	25.00
Alg. Ry. & L. Co., lights to C. H. and jail.....	12.96
W. U. T. Co., time service.....	2.00
L. H. Marrero, salary and expenses month of September.....	1052.60

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Communications U. S. Department of Agriculture, City Attorney L. H. Gosserand, Louisiana Realty Co., District Attorney L. R. Rivarde and State traffic Relief Association were received and ordered filed.

Communications from the Orleans Kenner Electric Railway Co., and from Jefferson Trust and Saving Bank were referred to the Parish Treasurer.

Communications from W. C. Morsely was referred to the District Attorney.

Request of N. J. Feth to have license of B. Soulant transferred to him to operate a saloon for colored trade on Front street at upper end of Gretna was granted.

Request of Geo. C. Ehret and Herbert Fink to have license of Herbert Fink transferred to Geo. Ehret to operate a saloon for colored trade at Eight and Derbegny streets was granted.

Petition of Ralph T. Levy to operate a cafe and restaurant for white trade at Suburan Acres was granted.

On motion duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to secure a freight indemnity bond in the sum of \$1000.00 to facilitate prompt delivery of road work material via railroads.

On motion of Mr. Thompson duly seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following ordinance was adopted:

Whereas, this Police Jury is desirous of issuing excess revenue bonds for the public road purposes, and it is necessary, according to law, that the propable revenues and expenses of the parish be determined; and

Whereas, the assessment for the Parish of Jefferson has been definitely determined and is equal to the sum of \$10,670.00;

Be it further ordained, that the budget for the fiscal year 1917-18 be redrafted and fixed as follows, to-wit:

PROBABLE REVENUES.

55% of Assessments.....	\$106,700.00
License.....	5,000.00
Sheriff's office.....	6,000.00

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Clerk of Court Office.....	\$ 1,500.00
Other Revenues.....	1,500.00
Total.....	\$120,700.00

BUDGET OF EXPENSE.

Public Schools.....	\$ 42,000.00
Sheriff's Salary.....	4,200.00
Sheriff's Office Exp. Ac't.....	4,000.00
Justice of the Peace & Constable Salaries and Exp.....	8,000.00
Corners fees and Exp.....	1,400.00
Corner's Jury Scrips.....	200.00
Maintaining Prisoners.....	4,000.00
Secretary's Salary.....	900.00
Treasurer's Salary.....	900.00
Official Printer.....	500.00
Assessor's Com. and Exp.....	2,300.00
Bridge tenders salary.....	1,300.00
Grand and petit Juror's Scrips.....	1,500.00
Board of Health.....	1,440.00
Dist Att'y fees and Exp.....	2,000.00
Farm Demonstrator's salary and expenses.....	850.00
Auditor's salary.....	360.00
Janitor's salary and Exp.....	900.00
Dipping Vat Inspector's.....	1,540.00
Inspector Board Of Health Salary and Exp.....	300.00
David Crockett Fire Co.....	360.00
Interest to Bank.....	2,380.00
Incidentals, Court and Jail.....	1,500.00
Clerk and Sheriff Office.....	500.00
Donations, other Exp.....	5,000.00
Public Roads.....	5,000.00
	\$ 93,230.00
Excess Revenue.....	27,470.00
Total.....	\$120,700.00

A true copy,

Sect'y Police Jury,

Be it further ordained, that this budget be published in the Official journal according to law, and that all ordinances or resolutions in in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Fisher, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

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On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Clancy the following ordinance was adopted:

AN ORDINANCE.

Whereas, the Parish of Jefferson through its Police Jury is authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana to levy and collect the ten mill tax on the dollar of the assessed valuation on all taxable property within the said Parish for general revenue purposes; and

Whereas, after a thorough canvass of the financial needs and requirements of of the Parish of Jefferson it has been found and it is hereby ascertained and declared that eight (8) mills of the constitutional Ten (10) mill tax will provide ample funds to pay all annual statutory, usual and necessary charges for the fiscal years of 1917-1918 to 1927-1928 both inclusive, leaving an excess revenue of Two (2) Mills on all taxable property within said parish available; and,

Whereas, under and by virtue of the authority of paragraph four of Article 281 of the Constitution the Parish of Jefferson is authorized to fund into the bonds the avails of the said Ten (10) Mill tax after providing for the payment of the statutory, usual and necessary charges of said Parish, the proceeds of said bonds to be used on constructing and improving the public road and highways of said parish; and,

Whereas, in accordance with the provision of Act. No. 96 of 1916 notice of intention to issue the within bonds has been published in the Official Journal of the Parish of Jefferson; and,

Whereas, according to the budget previously adopted and submitted for inspection and consideration it has been determined that Eight (8) Mills on the dollar will be sufficient to provide for the current expenses of the parish, leaving Two (2) Mills available to be pledged; and,

Whereas, One (1) Mill of said available surplus has already been pledged to secure the payment of the principal and interest of a bond equal to Thirty Eight Thousand (\$38,000.00) Dollars making the total bonded indebtedness of the Parish of Jefferson, including this issue equal to the sum of Sixty Eight Thousand (\$68,000.00) Dollars, which is within the Constitutional limitation.

Therefore, be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in the State of Louisiana, in regular meeting assembled; That public improvement bonds of the Parish of Jefferson Louisiana, are hereby authorized and directed to be issued in the aggregate amount of Thirty Thousand (\$30,000.00) Dollars; said bonds to be dated December 1st. 1917, to bear interest at the rate of five (5%) percent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of June and the first day of December of each year. Both principal and interest payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson, at Gretna Louisiana, or at the option of the holder thereof at the Banking house of the - - - - - Bank of the City of New Orleans, Louisiana, and are to be numbered consecutively

from One (1) to Four Hundred and Twenty (420) inclusive, and be of the denominations as follows, To-Wit:

Bonds numbered from One (1) to Three Hundred (300) inclusive to be Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars each.

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Bonds numbered from Three Hundred and one (301) to Three Hundred and Ninety (390) inclusive to be One Hundred (100.00) Dollars each.

Bonds numbered from Three Hundred and Ninety One (391) to Four Hundred and Twenty (420) inclusive to be Two Hundred (\$200.00) Dollars each,

Said bonds shall be payable to bearer and become due and payable in the following order, to-wit:

MATURITY	AMOUNT	NO. OF BONDS.
1918.....	\$600.00	..... 1 to 12 inc.
1919.....	1,100.00	..... 13 to 32 inc. & 301
1920.....	1,600.00	..... 33 to 58 inc. & 302 & 391
1921.....	2,300.00	..... 59 to 98 inc. & 303 & 392
1922.....	2,800.00	..... 99 to 138 inc. & 304 to 307 inc. 393 & 394
1923.....	3,300.00	.....139 to 188 inc. 308 to 311 inc. & 395 & 396
1924	3,800.00	.....198 to 238 inc. & 312 to 316 inc 397 to 400 inc.
1925	4,300.00	.....239 to 258 inc. & 317 to 329 inc. 401 to 410 inc.
1926	4,800.00	.....259 to 258 inc. 330 to 357 inc & 411 to 415 inc.
1927.....	5,400.00	.....279 to 300 inc. & 358 to 390 inc. & 416 to 420 inc.

The Parish of Jefferson does Hereby reserve the right and option to call in, cancel, and retire any or all of the foregoing bonds before their respective maturities on any interestpayment period, by paying a premium Two (2%) per cent of the principal of said bonds so called in and the accrued interest. Said bonds shall have attached hereto suitable interest coupons representing the interest thereon, payable as it falls due, which said interest coupons shall be executed by the lithograph, fac-simile signatures of the President and Secretary of the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson respectively.

Said bonds shall be signed by the President and Secretary of the Police Jury and sealed with the corporate seal of the Parish of Jefferson. The President and Secretary are hereby respectively authorized and directed to cause to be printed suitable bonds and, after their execution as above provided, deliver same to the duly and legal purchaser or purchasers thereof.

Said bonds shall be substantially in the following form, except with the necessary variations to indicate the different numbers, denominations and maturities, to-wit:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF LOUISIANA,
PARISH OF JEFFERSON,

PUBLIC IMPROVEMENT ROAD BOND.

NO.	\$50.00
.....	100.00
.....	200.00

KNOW ALL MEN, by these presents that the Parish of Jefferson, in the State of Louisiana, acknowledges itself to owe and for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer FIFTY DOLLARS.

ONE HUNDRED (100.00) DOLLARS.

TWO HUNDRED (\$200.00) DOLLARS.

in lawful currency of the United States of America on the - - - - - DAY of December 19- - - together with the interest thereon from date hereof at the rate of Five (5%) percent per annum, payable semi-annually on the First Day of June and the First Day of December of each year, as evidence by and payable upon presentation and surrender of the annexed interest coupons as they severally become due. Both Principal and interest of this bond are payable at the Office of the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson, at Gretna Louisiana, or at the option of the holder hereof at the Banking House of the - - - - - Bank.

This bond is one of the series of bonds of like date, tenor and effect, except as to number, denomination and maturities, issued by the Parish of Jefferson, Louisiana, for the purpose of constructing, improving and maintaining the public roads and Highways in the Parish of Jefferson. Said Parish of Jefferson is hereby firmly bounden and held and its faith, credit and resources are hereby irrevocably pledged for the purpose of paying the principal and the installments of interest hereof as they respectively become due and payable.

The Parish of Jefferson, Louisiana, hereby specially reserves the right and option to call in, cancel and retire any or all of the aforesaid bonds before their respective maturities on any interest payment period by paying a premium of Two (2%) per cent on the principal of said bonds so called in and the accrued interest thereon.

It is hereby certified, recited and declared that the duly constituted, given authority of said parish has made provision for for the payment of all estimated statutory, usual and necessary charges due by said parish and for the years 1917 to 1927 both inclusive. That after making such provisions there will remain and there has been and is hereby pledged and dedicated an excess residue tax sufficient to pay the principal and interest on all the bonds of this issue at their maturity. That the avails of One (1) Mill of the Ten (10) Mill Constitutional revenue tax of the fiscal years 1917-1918 to 1927-1928 both inclusive, have been set aside, dedicated appropriated, and irrevocably pledged for the payment of said bonds and interest accruing thereon as the installments thereof respectively become payable.

It is further certified and recited that all acts, conditions and things

required to be done, to happen and to be performed precedent to and in the issuance of this bond have been legally performed and in regular and due form and manner as required by law; that the total indebtedness of the Parish of Jefferson including this bond and others of this issue, does not exceed any constitutional or Statutory limitations.

In faith whereof the Parish of Jefferson, in the State of Louisiana, by its Police Jury, has caused its corporate seal to be hereto attached and this Bond is signed by the President and attested by the Secretary thereof, and the coupons hereto annexed to be executed by the lithograph fac-simile signature of said officers and this bond to be dated this - - - day of - - - - - , 1917.

PARISH OF JEFFERSON, LOUISIANA,

BY - - - - -
President of POLICE JURY.

Attest - - - - -
Secretary POLICE JURY.

FORM OF COUPON.

NO. \$1.25
..... 2.50
..... 5.00

On the - - - - - day of - - - - -
- - - - - 191- - - - - the Parish of Jefferson, Louisiana, will pay to the bearer the sum of - - - - - Dollars legal currency of the United States of America at the Office of the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson or at the banking house of the - - - - - Bank, same being interest due that day on public improvement road bond No. - - - - - , Dated - - - - - day of - - - - - 1917.

PARISH OF JEFFERSON, LOUISIANA.

BY - - - - -
President of POLICE JURY.

Attest: - - - - -
Secretary of Police Jury.

That in and for each of the fiscal years 1917-1918 to 1927-1928 both inclusive, there shall be levied and collected the full Ten (10) Mill tax authorized by Artical 232 of the Constitution of Louisiana, and in order to secure and pay the principal and interest of the bond herein provided for, there shall be and there is hereby irrevocably dedicated, appropriated and pledged the avails of One (1) Mill of the said (10) Mill Constitutional revenue tax, or so much thereof as may be necessary, the said tax to be levied and set aside for the Parish of Jefferson for each of the above named years under the authority of said Artical 232 and Artical 281 of the Constitution of this State, and which said One (1) Mill tax or so much thereof as may be necessary, herein pledged shall be used exclusively and solely for the purpose of paying the principal and interest of the bonds herein provided for.

That all ordinances or resolutions heretofore adopted that are inconsistent or at variance with the ordinance are to that extent hereby specially

repealed.

That all resolutions or ordinances heretofore adopted that are inconsistent or at variance with the ordinance or to that extent hereby specially repealed.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

Request of the Atlas Powder Company to discontinue guards at its magazines was referred to the Sheriff.

Opinion of District Attorney Rivarde, relative to salary of Frank Hall, constable, was received and ordered filed.

Bid to Construct 3 Dip vats by C. W Belcher

Bids of C. W. Belcher to build three dipping vats as advertised and according to specifications for the sum of \$700.00 was accepted, contractor to furnish bond of \$1000.00 for faithful compliance with terms of contract.

Applications of Sol. Fink and Ernest Deshautreaux for appointment of sanitary inspector of Board of Health were received and a ballot being taken on same Sol. Fink received 4 votes and E. Deshautreaux 3 votes Sol. Fink was thereupon appointed as sanitary inspector for a period of 4 months at a salary of \$50.00 per month, his duties to begin from this date.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich, seconded by Mr. Burbank, contractor A. C. Keller was granted an extension of Fourteen more working days from October 8, to Complete the road on Fourth Street between Harvey and Gretna, according to specifications and supervision of the Parish Engineer.

On Motion of Mr. Terrebonne Seconded by Mr. Luke Dr. A. W. Vonheder, U. S. Inspector, was authorized to make purchase from Sherwin and Williams of the necessary amount of "Kiltick" for the year of 1918, under terms of Thirty days, 1 per cent off, deliveries as requested during the year.

On Motion duly seconded the regular order of business was suspended to allow Dr. Wilson, representing the Parke Davis & Co., to address the Jury in regards to disinfecting, after which On Motion of Mr. Burbank duly seconded the Sheriff was authorized to purchase from Parke Davis & Company the quantity of Disinfectant for use in the Parish Jail and Courthouse for the year 1918 at .70 Cts. per gallon in fifty gallon lots January Delivery.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Burbank the proposition of the Louisiana Meadows Company relative to handling road work in Road District No. 3, in accordance with the terms of said Company's letter datete Oct 8, 1917 was accepted, the President of the Police Jury being vested with full power to act in the premises.

The Jury then adjourned to meet on Tuesday October 9th., 1917

President.

Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury, Parish of
Jefferson, Gretna, La., Oct. 9, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day pursuant to adjournment.

Members present: Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, and John Clancy.

Absent:- E. Stritzinger.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, It has come to the attention of this Police Jury that it is now necessary to better certain roads within Road District No. one and Two of this Parish, and

WHEREAS, to carry on said work it is necessary that funds be advanced by the Police Jury of this Parish;

Therefore, BE IT RESOLVED by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in meeting assembeled, that this Police Jury advance out of the funds to the credit of the Police Jury the sum of Three Thousand Dollars, the sum to act as a debt against the said road districts and to be repaid out of the funds of Road Districts Nos. One and Two and such time when said road districts has sufficient funds to their credit.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows;

Yeas:-Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy; Nays:-None.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Strehle, the following ordinance was adopted;

WHEREAS; It is necessary in order to meet the necessary and usual expense of the Parish; that the Police Jury borrow a sum of Money not to exceed Eight thousand Dollars;

BE IT ORDAINED, that the President of this Police Jury be and he is hereby authorized to make a loan for and on behalf of the Parish of Jefferson, through this Police Jury for a sum of Money not to exceed Eight thousand dollars, the said amount to be repaid as soon as the taxes for the year of 1917 are collected.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows;

Yeas: Fisher, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays:- None.

On Motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Strehle the following ordinance was adopted:

WHEREAS, according to recent act of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana, all the funds and affairs of the respective Road Districts of this Parish have been placed under the charge and control of this Police Jury; and

WHEREAS, the Auditor of this Parish has been instructed to look over

and check the accounts of the Officials of the various Boards of Supervisors of the sad Road Districts:

Be it ordained, that the Treasurer of this Parish be and he is hereby authorized to take over the accounts from the Treasurer of the various

Road Districts upon receiving a favorable report from the Auditor.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas: Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays:- None.

On Motion of Mr. Luke seconded by Mr. Strehle the following ordinance was adopted:

WHEREAS: This Police Jury has been informed that Holmes Harrison Secretary-Treasurer of Road District No. One and Vic A. Pitre Treasurer of Road District No. Two have had their accounts duly audited and found correct and that the aforesaid officials have had proper vouchers drawn to cover the balances to the balance of said road district;

Be it ordained, that the said Holmes Harrison of Road District No. 1 and Vic A. Pitre of Road District No. 2, be and they are hereby given a quietus, and that accordingly, their bonds as such are hereby ordered cancelled.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas: Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays: None.

The Jury then adjourned, but immediately re-convened as a Board of Reviewers of the Assessment Rolls.

On Motion of Mr. Luke, seconded by Mr. Terrebonne, the following ordinance was adopted;

WHEREAS; The Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, met this day as a Board of Reviewers, and

WHEREAS, the Assessment Rolls of this Parish were opened to the Public for the past Twenty days and no protests or objections have been filed;

Be it ordained that the valuation of all property in the Parish of Jefferson for State purposes as fixed by the Assessor and approved by the State Board of affairs be accepted by this Police Jury; and that a copy of this ordinance be forwarded to the Secretary of the State Board of affairs.

The roll being called on the Adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas; Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays: None.

On Motion of of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burbank it was resolved that the Jury purchase a Five Hundred Dollar Liberty Bond in the name of the Parish of Jefferson, and by unanimous agreement each member, including the Secretary and Treasurer pledged himself to purchase individually a bond, of the same denomination.

The Jury then adjourned.
Jules G. Fisher
President.

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Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La., Nov., 7, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present-Jules G. Fisher, president; Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke John Clancy.

ABSENT- - A. Rouprich, H. P. Burbank.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they were approved as published in the Official Journal.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the regular order of business was deferred, and the matter of considering the manner in which the constables throughout the parish perform their duties was taken up and discussed. President Fisher yielded the chair to Mr. Thompson. On motion of Mr. Fisher seconded by Mr. Clancy it was resolved that, owing to the fact that Grand Isle has no public roads, the question of whether or not it is a violation of the ordinances for poeipel to allow their cattle to roam at large on the public highways be referred to the district attorney for an opinion.

The regular ordered of business was resumed.

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved:
Gretna, La., Nov, 6, 1917.

Hon President and members of the Polcie Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La.,
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Terasurer, beh leave to submit this my report for the month of October, 1917.

GENERAL FUNDS.

Oct. 1, 1917-To Balance- - - - -	\$1,326.95
Oct. 1, 1917-To Ferry Franchise - - - - -	62.00
Oct. 5, 1917-Parish license less commision- - - - -	2,522.44
Total receipts and balances - - - - -	<u>\$3,911.39</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

William Hepting, V. 5057- - - - -	\$ 75.00
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 5058- - - - -	75.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 5059- - - - -	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 5060- - - - -	30.00
John Romero, V. 5061 - - - - -	45.00
A. Linden, V. 5062- - - - -	45.00
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 5063- - - - -	60.00
St. Joseph Orphanage, V. 5064- - - - -	12.00
J.J. Keller, V. 5065- - - - -	4.00
South N. O. L. & Trac. Co., V. 5066- - - - -	12.58
L. C. Foss, V. 5067 - - - - -	4.00
David Crockett Steam Fire Co., V. 5068 - - - - -	30.00
F. L. St. Martin, V. 5059- - - - -	66.65

L. C. Fos, V-5070 - - - - -	\$ 60.00
Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co., V. 5071 - - - - -	25.00
City of Gretna Water Works, V. 5072- - - - -	8.78
Leo H. Marrero, V. 5073 - - - - -	212.00
Texas Oil Co., V. 5074 - - - - -	13.49
C. Vehring, V. 5075 - - - - -	13.50
F. E. Fagot, V. 5076 - - - - -	6.50
Edw. F. Crawford, V. 5077- - - - -	6.00
John Ludwig, V. 5078 - - - - -	1.00
Charles Ricks, V. 5079- - - - -	3.50
Algiers Railway and Light Co., V. 5080 - - - - -	2.04
Marrero L. and I. Ass'n., V. 5081 - - - - -	93.75
Harvey Trading Co., Ltd., V. 5082 - - - - -	3.00
J. J. Keller, V. 5083, - - - - -	4.00
Kenner Lumber Co., V. 5084 - - - - -	21.50
Geo. L. O'Dwyer, V. 5085 - - - - -	68.00
La. State Normal School, V. 5086 - - - - -	77.00
Frank Bartholomew, V. 5087 - - - - -	7.00
Henry Clay, V. 5088 - - - - -	10.50
Frank Garriel, V. 5089 - - - - -	10.50
Charles Ricks, V. 5090 - - - - -	7.50
Clarence Betz, V. 5091 - - - - -	30.00
J. Steckler seed Co., V. 5092 - - - - -	1.70
Algeirs Ry. & L. Co., V. 5093 - - - - -	12.96
Western Union Tel., Co., V. 5094- - - - -	2.00
M. Terrebonne, V. 5095 - - - - -	3.25
Metairie Nursery, V. 5096 - - - - -	15.00
B. J. Tucker, V. 5097 - - - - -	25.00
Finley Dicks, Co., V. 5098 - - - - -	10.32
I. L. Lyons & Co., V. 5099 - - - - -	60.13
J. W. Thompson, V. 5100 - - - - -	128.89
Antonella & Brown, V. 5101 - - - - -	10.00
A. C. Keller, V. 5102 - - - - -	674.14
Sheriff Salary fund, V. 5103 - - - - -	-1,052.63
Jefferson Trust & Saving Bank, V. 5104 - - - - -	202.50
Jefferson Trust & Sav. Bk., V. 5104 - - - - -	500.00
Total Disbursements - - - - -	<u>\$3,879.39</u>
Balance- - - - -	\$32.00

E. M. HUBERT, Treasurer

The report of the Parish Auditor was received and ordered filed. Report of F. L. St Martin, cattle dipping vat instector, for the month of October was received and ordered filed.

The Finance Committee Submitted its report of bills approved, and on

motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:

South N. O. L. & Trac. Co., Lights for jail and court house- - -	\$11.32
J. B. Dauenhauer, proportion of salary and expenses- - - - -	771.21
J. B. Dauenhauer, proportion salary O. K. R. R. fund- - - - -	203.61

Jas. McLaglan, wk. dipping vats 7th, 8th and 9th wards - - - -	9.00
G. Boudreaux, electrical reparis to jail - - - - -	2.50
F. Gabriel, Road wk. 2nd. ward. - - - - -	10.50
F. L. St. Martin, expenses dipping vat instector - - - - -	8.60
L. W. Wilkinson, farm Demonstration, agent. - - - - -	69.00
W. U. T. Time service - - - - -	2.00
J. Steckler, garden seed - - - - -	2.90
C. W. Rosner, interdiction proceedings - - - - -	2.60
Wm. Kundert, auto hire - - - - -	8.00
E. Conzelmann service in interdiction proceedings - - - - -	15.00
Texas Oil Co., gas and oil - - - - -	8.75
C. A. Keller, bal. Harvey road - - - - -	946.72

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 1-

Dart Kernan, Dart, fee in case No. 2328 docket 28th Judicial District Court- - - - -	26.00
Same proceedings, sub A of Road District No. 1 - - - - -	46.00
C. A. Buchler, drawing contract in sub A Road District No. 1--	10.00
C. A. Buchler services in case of H. T. Cotam and R. D. No. 1-	20.00
W. L. Laque, pay roll R. D. No. 1 - - - - -	671.75

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 2=

W. L. Laque pay roll for R. D. 2 - - - - -	\$336.68
T. B. Sellers work in - - - - -	15.00

ROAD DISTRICT NO. 3- - -

International Harvester Co., for road wagons, etc., R. D. 3- -	552.00
J. S. Webb pay roll, R. D. 3 - - - - -	182.48

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Communications from Highway Department of Board of State Engineers was received and was referred to a committee appointed by the President to confer with the department, viz: Messrs. Clancy Thompson Terrebonne, with the Parish Engineer and the President of the Jury.

Communications from Sherwin Williams Co., State Traffic Relief Association; South Louisiana Fair Association; J. Watkins White; Dr A. W. Vonheder; Corpus Christi Commercial Association and Interstate Waterway League was received and ordered filed.

Communications from C. C. Crook and W. A. Russell were referred to the District Attorney.

Communications from New Orleans Railway and Light Co., was referred to the Constables of each ward for action.

Communications from the Louisianan Meadows Co., informing the Jury of the

dedication by said Company of two ferry pontoons for use in Road District No. 3. was received, and on motion duly seconded the secretary was instructed to forward a letter of thanks to said company on behalf of the Jury.

Communications was read from the American Cotton Oil Co., requesting the permission of the Police Jury to place new pipes through the levee at or near its plant in Gretna, and on motion of Mr Strehle seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the following ordinance was adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that

the American Cotton Oil Company be and it is hereby granted the right and privilege of constructing through the levee at or near its plant, in City of Gretna, certain pipes of conduits, necessary fro the cinduct of its manufacturing business as per bule print hereto attached, which is made a part of this ordinance;

Be it further ordained, that proir to the construction of such pipes, or conduits, plans for same and all accessories or protective work in connection therewith must be made, or approved by the Board of State Engineers of the State of Louisiana, and said pipes, conduits, etc., must be erected and maintained in strict conformity with said plans.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance to vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.
NAYS- - NONE.

On motion duly seconded the secretary was instructed to make settlement with Datr, Kernan and Dart, attorneys in the settlement of the judgment in the matter of the garnishment proceedings against Joseph Lauricella.

Request of Paul Majoue to operate a saloon under license issued to Joseph Bua was refused; as was also request of Joseph Bua to transfer license to Paul Majoue.

Permission was granted to P. Bertucci & Sons to operate a saloon at same place and under same license formely issued to Gus Fazande.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the salary of Louis Schieffler, Constable of the 6th ward, 1st precinct, was raised to Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars per month, begining November, 1, 1917.

Petition of Jefferson Trust and Savings Bank seeking to recover the amount of per diem of ex-members of the Police Jury, paid by the bank in 1916 was refused

On motion duly seconded it was resolved to pay the danotion od \$500.00 toward the auto motor of David Crocket Stean Fire Company No. 1 out of the funds of 1917 instead of 1918, and the secretary was instructed to notify Mr. Jas. J. O'Rourke, of the White Motor Co., to present a new bill for same in January 1918.

On motion duly seconded the salaries of John Romero and Albert Linden bridge tenders at Harvey's Canal, were raised ti Fifty (\$50.00) Dollars per month each begining November, 1917.

On motion of Mr. Luke seconded By Mr. Clancy the followinf was adopted:

Whereas, this Police Jury at its meeting held on the 7th day of May, 1915, did adopt a resolution authorizing its President to sign an act of exchange with certain parties owing property in the Village of Shrewsbury and Harlem, in consideration of these parties giving right-of-way for publis road along the O. K. Line of Jefferson to close one-half of Carrollton Street, which is one-hundred foot in width, and deed same to owners of property giving right-of-way; and

Whereas, the said exchange of property was never consumated and the Police Jury is desirous of opening a raod Shrewsbury to the City

of New Orleans;

Be it resolved, that the resolution previously adopted by this Police Jury be now confirmed and retified and accordingly that the President of this Jury be and he is authorized to sign the proper notarial Act of Exchange of porperty, the costs of said Acts to be paid by the parties with whom exchange is made.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Luke Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr Terrebonne the following was adopted.

Whereas, this Police Jury has been requested by a number or property holders to open up a new public road to be located between the Village of Shrewsbury and the Town of Kenner along the Lakewiew of Louisiana Railway & Navigation Company right-of-way; and

Whereas, the opening of this new road would be to the general public interest and materially shonten the distance by road between the Village of Shrewsbury and the Town of Kenner;

Be it resolved, that the Parish Engineer be and he is hereby authorized to obtain grants of right-of-way for said public road from the various property owners along said road and prepare lines and levels for the said raod and report back to this Police Jury the results of his efforts, at the next regular meeting.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Clancy the following was adopted:

Resulved, that the Jefferson Parish Fair Association, from the period on November 19th to 27th. inclusive, be granted the sola permission to operate a jitney line or issue permits to automobiles to run a jitney from the limite os the City of New Orleans to the Fair Grounds; it being the sense of this Jury that no automobiles are to be licensed for this period unles permission is secured from the Fair Association to operate said jitneys;

Be it further resolved, any violation of this ordinance is hereby punishable by a fine not to exceed ten dollars or imprisonment not ot exceed ten days in the Parish prison.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote

resultes as follows:

YEAS- - Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following ordinance was adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in regular session assembled, that at each turn and curve in and on the

public roads throughout this parish the following signs shall be placed, "Danger! Sound Warning!"

Be it further ordained, that each and every person or persons operating or having under control any automobile or automobile trucks or any other vehicle capable of traveling more than ten miles per hour, unless engaged in an emergency call, shall, upon approaching said curves and signs in said curve or turn, solw up to a speed of ten miles an hour and sound a warning of the approach of said vehicle;

Be it further ordained, that any person or persons violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than one dollar or more than twenty-five dollars or maybe imprisoned for not less than ten days, or both, at the discretion of the Court;

Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or part of ordinances inconsistent or in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Luke the following ordinance was adopted:

Ferry at
Wagners
Place
Barataria .

Be it ordained, by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, in regular meeting assembled, that the ferry flat located on Bayou Barataria, known as Wahmer's Crossing, be and the same is hereby declared a public ferry;

Be it further ordained, that the puvlic is and shall be at liberty at all times to cross any and all vehicles, cattle and stock which the ferry can safely carry across said stream, free of charge;

Be it further ordained, that the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) per year and the same is hereby appropriated and set aside out of the general fund to pay the salary of the ferryman employed at Wagner's Crossing in this Parish.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr Terrebonne seconded by Mr Thompson the Sheriff was instructed to enforce the tire ordinance.

On motion of Mr. Luke, seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the sum of (\$200) was ordered to be advanced to J. S. Webb for the construction of roads in Road District No. 3. The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La., Dec. 5, 1917.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present- Jules G. Fisher President; Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger- A. Rouprich, H. P. Burbank.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting were dispensed with, and they were approved as published as in the official journal.

In calling the meeting to order President Fisher took occasion to review the work done by the Jury during the year and to congratulate the members of the body for the efficiency displayed in the performances of their official duties.

The regular order of business was deferred to allow Alderman Gugel and Flesch, of the City of Gretna, to address the Jury, relative to securing co-operation of the Jury in the improvements of the streets of the City and to consider the question of refunding to the City of Gretna the equivalent of 2 mills of taxation for road purposes for four years.

On motion duly seconded the matter was deferred until next meeting, and the district attorney was requested to take it up with the City attorney of Gretna.

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved:
Gretna La., Dec. 5, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the month of November, 1917:

Nov. 1, 1917, To balance	-\$ 32.00
To Parish License, less commission	195.13
Loan from Jefferson Com. & Sav. Bank	3,000.00
Loan from Jules G. Fisher	500.00
Total receipts and Balance	<u>\$3,727.13</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Wm. Hepting, V. 5105	\$ 75.00
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 5106	75.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 5107	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 5108	30.00
John Romero, V. 5109	45.00
Albert Linde, V. 5110	45.00
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 5111	78.00
F. L. St. Martin, V. 5112	68.60
L. C. Fos, V. 5113	60.00

S. Fink, V 5114	50.00
St. Joseph's Orphanage, V. 5115	12.00
Cumberland Tel. & Tel Co., V. 5116	25.00
Edgard Fauchaux, V. 5117	4.00
Adam Carbo, V. 5118	3.30
Alonzo J. Bourgeois, V. 5119	3.10
J. M. Rollison, V. 5120	3.60

E. M. Conzelman, V. 5121	15.00
Wm. Kundert, V. 5122	8.00
C. Viering, V. 5123	12.60
M. Rosenstock, V. 5124	18.40
Algiers Ry. & Light Co., V. 5125	5.80
Duvic Hardware, Co., 5126	2.40
L. Cypress Lumber Co., 5127	11.60
Texas Oil Co., V. 5128	17.06
William Hepting, V. 5129	9.45
Allen Tupper, V. 5130	173.41
C. Viering, V. 5131	47.25
W. W. Johnson, V. 5132	9.85
J. B. Dauenhauer Jr., V. 5133	771.21
J. Steckler Seed Co., V. 5134	2.90
Western Union Tel Co., V. 5135	2.00
James McLochlan, V. 5136	9.00
C. W. Rossner, V. 5137	2.60
Alexander Gravel Co., V. 5138	140.60
South N. O. Light & Trac. Co., 5139	11.32
J. B. Dauenhauer Jr., V. 5140	203.61
David Crockett Fire Co., V. 5141	30.00
C. A. Keller, V. 5142	946.72
Frank Gabriel, V. 5143	10.50
George Boudreaux, V. 5144	2.50
Texas Oil Co., V. 5145	8.75
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 3,086.12</u>
Balance	<u>\$ 641.00</u>

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert,

Treasurer.

Gretna, La. Dec. 5, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Good Road District Number One, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of November, 1917,

Nov. 1, 1917, to balance	\$ 359.03
RECEIPTS.	
Oct. 15, 1917, To note Jefferson Com. & Sav. Bank, discounted	\$ 1,970.00
Total	<u>\$ 2,329.03</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

J. B. Dauenhauer Jr., V. 129-J	203.61
American Security Co., V. 130-J	40.00
W. L. Loque, V. 131-J	671.75
Dart, Korman & Dart, V. 132-J	26.00
C. A. Buchler, V. 133-J	20.00
C. A. Buchler, V. 3	10.00
C. A. Buchler, V. 4	48.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 1,019.30</u>

Balance - - - - - \$1,309.67

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer,

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson
Gretna La.
Gentlemen:-

I the undersigned Treasurer of the Good Road District No Two,
beg leave to submit this my report for November, 1917:
Nov. 1, 1917, To Balance - - - - - \$1,214.20

RECEIPTS.

Nov. 9, 1917 To loan from Jules G. Fisher 200.00
Total receipts & balance \$1,441.20

DISBURSEMENTS.

W. F. Marrero, V. 9, A..... \$ 164.21
J. B. Dauenhauer, Jr., V. 10-A..... 221.91
Muller Shell & Con. Co., V. 11-A..... 121.29
American Surety Co., of N. Y. V. 12-A..... 40.00
Texas Oil Co., V. 13-A..... 141.90
B. F. Avery, & Son. V. 14-A..... 218.50
T. B. Sellers, V. 15-A..... 15.00
W. F. Loque, V. 16-A..... 336.68
Total Disbursements..... \$ 1,259.55
Balance \$ 154.65

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna La., Dec. 5, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La.
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Good Road District No.
One "Sub District A", beg leave to submit this my report for the month
of November, 1917.

Nov. 1, 1917, To Balance \$ 2,373.42
Total \$ 2,373.42

RECEIPTS.

T. M. Johnson, V. 1..... \$ 1,759.09
J. B. Dauenhauer, Jr., V. 2..... 6.78
Total \$ 1,765.87
Balance \$ 607.55

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna La., Dec. 5, 1917.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Good Road District No.
Three, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of November,
1917;

Nov. 1, 1917 To Balance \$ 7,214.67
Total \$ 7,214.67

DISBURSEMENTS.

J. B. Dauenhauer Jr., V.1..... \$ 13.85
International Harvester Co., V. 2..... 540.40
C. Viering, V. 3..... 16.05
C. E. Thomassie, V.4..... 19.00
Isidore Fisher, V.5..... 27.00
W. F. Marrero, V.6..... 356.73
La. Meadows, Co., V.7..... 415.00
James S. Webb, V.8..... 182.48
Victor Kerner, V.9..... 102.50
Total..... \$ 1,656.74
Balance..... \$ 5,557.03

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna La., Dec. 5, 1917.

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna,
La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this
my report for the funds of the Orleans Kenner Electric R. R. funds, for
the month of Nov. 1917.

Nov. 1st, 1917, To Balance..... \$ 876.40
No. receipts and no disbursements.....
BALANCE..... \$ 876.40

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved, and
on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.
The report of the Parish engineer was received and ordered filed.
Report of F. L. St. Martin, Cattle dipping Vat Inspector for the
Month of November were received and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:
City of Gretna Water Service \$ 11.20
South New Orleans L. & T. Co., for electricity C. H.
and Jail..... 16.69
Item Co., subscription to Agriculture section 100.00

Texas Oil Co., Gas and oil	4.92
C. T. and T. Co., time service	2.00
Gretna Ex. & Sav. Bnk., Transfer of bills and jury scripts.....	32.60
James McLaughlin, charging dipping vat left bank.....	6.00
F. L. St. Martin, dipping vat inspector and expenses.	6.20

----- Road District No.1-----

A. Maggiore road work.....	24.00
P. Potin, oil furnished.....	3.00
Felix & Block, for supplies.....	37.25
Mat Fried, Sr., Making signs.....	36.03

----- Road District No.3 -----

James S. Webb, road work.....	486.26
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All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Nine Mile Point ferry To render better services

The 5th Justice of the Peace returned the sum of \$13 as fines collected which was ordered to be deposited to the credit of the Parish.

Communications were received from E. H. Keep complaining of the service rendered by Ferry at Nine Mile Point, and on motion duly seconded the secretary were instructed to notify the lessee to give better, service otherwise steps would be taken to have the Franchise annuled.

Communications from E. Botto, complaining of drainage at Iona Street was ordered to be refered to the Metairie Realty Co.

Communication from State Traffic relief Association was referred to the finance

committee, but no action was reported upon same.

Communication from American Cresote Works was referred to the Jefferson Race Association.

Petition of residents of Westwego for the erection of a cattle dipping vat in that section, was received and on motion duly seconded the Secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for the construction of same.

Opinion of District Attorney in matter referred to him were read and ordered filed.

On motion duly seconded the request of the Morrere, of South Port, to lay a Pipe line across the public road at Morrere property was granted, subject to the approval to the Parish engineer.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Strehle it was resolved that the members of the jury from the 7th and 8th wards be authorized to appoint one man each to police Metairie Road, and river side road and Shrewsbury at a salary of \$50 per mth.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following resolutions were adopted:

Be it resolved, that the President of this Jury be and he is hereby authorized to borrow from the fiscal agent bank, The Jefferson Trust and Saving Bank of Gretna, La., and on behalf of the Parish of Jefferson the sum of Six thousand dollars for thirty five days at the rate of 6% per annum or such portion of the above amount as may be necessary to defray the exponsos of the Parish until January 9th., 1918 or until such time as the tax money is available in January 1918.

And to secure the amount so borrowed, we hereby pledge a corresponding amount and interest from the excess revenue as shown in our budget for 1918.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS-Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.
Nays-NONE.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Stritzinger, the following resolution was adopted.

Whereas, Mr. Charles Carroll, Attorney for Bolger, Moser, and Willaman, has offered to compromise, in so far as this Police Jury is concerned, the case of Bolger, Moser and Willaman vs, Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson et als., now pending in the District Court for the eastern District of Louisiana, upon pyment to the said Bolger, Moser and Willaman, through thoir attorney, 15% of the amount now in the hands of the receiver to the credit of this Police Jury, so that this police jury would get 85% of the whole amount to spend as it may see fit in the respective road districts from which the money will be obtained.

Be it resolved, that the District Attorney, as the legal advisor of the police jury, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to enter into a compromise agreement with the attorney for Bolger, Moser, Willaman in accordance with the terms and conditions of this resolution as above stated.

Roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas - Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

Nays - None.

On motion of Mr. Thompson Seconded by Mr. Luke, the following ordinance was adopted:

Auto speed Limit 16 miles per hour.

Be it ordained, that it shall be unlawful for any person firm or corporation operating an automobile, automobile truck or any other motor vehicle on the public road of the Parish of Jefferson, to attain a greater speed than 16 miles per hour.

Be it further ordained etc. that any person, firm or corporation violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined not less than One Dollar or more than Twenty Five Dollars or may be imprisoned for

not less than Ten days or both at the discretion of the court.

Be it further ordained, that all ordinances or part of ordinances inconsistent of or in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Roll being called upon adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas:- Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Thompson, Luke and Clancy.

Nays:- None.

On motion of Mr Stritzinger, seconded by Mr. Strehle, the following ordinance was adopted:

Franchise of The West N. O. L & T Co. to extend electric road to Westwego.

Whereas, by reason of the industrial manufacturing and transportation condition, resulting from the present war and the several embargos placed on the transportation on those commodities necessary in the construction of Electric railroad; and it appearing that the west New Orleans Light and Traction Co., has been unable to obtain delivery of material, principally steel rails, copper, copper wire, electric appliances and electric wares, and said Company being desirous of building the extension of the present system from its terminus at Baratavia Boulevard to Westwego, but has been delayed from so doing because above recited and extraordinary conditions, and the company by and under its franchise is given until June 6th, 1919, to complete said extensions,

Therefore, be it ordained that a building of said extension be completed on or before January 1st, 1920.

Roll being called on adoption of the above ordinance, the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas - Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

Nays - None.

On motion of Mr Stritzinger seconded by Mr Clancy it was resolved that the secretary notify Mr. F. L. St Martin that his services as cattle dipping vat inspector is discontinued until further notice.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke it was resolved that the sum of \$300 be advanced to road contractor James S. Webb for road work to be

done in December, 1917, out of the funds of road district No 3.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Clancy it was resolved that the secretary be authorized to have a phone installed in his residence.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Strehle, D. H. Roussel was appointed road superintendent of all roads in the parish at a salary of \$150 month beginning Jan. 1st., 1918.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President

Secretary

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., Jan., 9, 1918

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present - Jules G. Fisher, president; A. Rouprich, Wm. Strehle, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John Clancy.

Absent - E. Stritzinger.

District Attorney L. R. Rivarde was also present.

On motion of Mr. Burbank duly seconded the regular order of business was deferred to allow various parties to address the Jury.

Mr. Geo. A. Hero addressed the jury and offered the use of the dredge-boat of the Jefferson and Plaquemines Drainage District at cost, approximately \$4000, to dig a canal from the Outfall canal to Verret's canal provided that the dirt from said canal be used to build a good public road. Mr. Hero suggested that the Jury make a request of the Jefferson Plaquemines Drainage Commission in the line with his proposal.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke the committee previously appointed on drainage and good roads in that section was instructed to take up the matter with the Jefferson, Plaquemines Drainage District and the property owners in that vicinity of the proposed work.

Mr. Holmes Harrison addressed the Jury in behalf of the property owners on Lake Avenue and asked for an appropriation of \$58.60 toward the construction of a good road on Lake Avenue, Metairieville, stating that the property, owners would defray the balance of the expenses.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke the sum of \$60 was appropriated for said road, and Mr. Harrison was authorized to purchase necessary material for said work, not exceed the amount appropriated.

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was resumed. Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they were approved as published in the Official Journal.

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved:
Gretna, La., Jan. 9, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La.
Gentlemen:

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of December, 1917:

Dec. 1, 1917 To Balance\$ 641.00

RECEIPTS.

Dec 4, 1917-To Parish Business License.....\$ 239.87

" To pound Fees -4th ward..... 6.00

" Justice of the Peace - Fines 13.00

" Interest on deposits..... 7.50

Dec. 4, 1917, Loan form Jefferson Com. & Savings Bank .. 3,000.00

Total balance and Receipts..... 3,910.37

DISBURSEMENTS.

Wm. Hepting, V. 5146..... \$ 75.00

Ed. M. Hubert, V. 5147..... 75.00

L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 5148.....	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 5149.....	30.00
John Romero, V. 5150.....	50.00
Albert Linden, V. 5151.....	50.00
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 5152.....	69.00
F. L. St. Martin, V. 5153.....	66.20
David Crocket Fire Co., V. 5154.....	30.00
Sol. Fink, V. 5155.....	50.00
St. Joseph's Orphanage, V. 5156.....	12.00
H. T. Kenner, V. 5157.....	12.00
Paul Duvic, V. 5158.....	2.00
City of Gretna Water Works, V 5159.....	11.20
Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co., V,5160.....	25.00
South N. O. Light & T. Co., V. 5161.....	16.69
J. Callahan, V. 5162.....	25.00
Geo. Folger, V. 5163.....	10.00
C. E. Thomassie, V. 5164.....	51.25
Jefferson T. & S. Bank., V. 5165.....	30.00
J. J. Keller, V. 5166.....	2.00
R. F. Erlinger, V. 5167.....	22.50
William Maus, V. 5168.....	2.60
Gretna Exchange & Savings Bank V. 5169.....	32.50
The Item Co., V. 5170.....	100.00
Texas Oil Co., V. 5171.....	4.92
James McLaughlin, V. 5172.....	6.00
R. A. Legendre, V. 5173.....	2.00
Jefferson T. & Savings Bank, V. 5174.....	46.00
Jules G. Fisher, V. 5175.....	372.00
A. Rouprich, V. 5176.....	59.60
William E. Strehle, V. 5177.....	81.00
E. Stritzinger, V. 5178.....	102.00
J. D. Terrebonne, V. 5179.....	92.80
H. P. Burbank, V. 5180.....	134.00
William Luke, V. 5181.....	88.40
A. S. Thompson, V. 5182.....	139.00
John Clancy-V. 5183.....	113.20
Jefferson T. & Savings Bank, V. 5184.....	1.20
C. W. Bechler, V. 5185.....	233.33

A. Lehman, V. 5187.....	\$ 18.00
H. L. Zander, V. 5188.....	350.00
Clarence Betz, V. 5189.....	96.00
A. C. Stumpf, V. 5190.....	17.15
A. A. Hargis, V. 5191.....	270.00
Total Disbursements.....	\$ 3,112.83
Balance.....	\$ 797.83

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna La., Jan. 9.1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the First Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of December 1917:

Dec. 1, 1917.-To Balance.....\$1,309.67

RECEIPTS.

Dec. 6, 1917-To Disc. Jefferson Com. & Sav. Bk..... 1,000.00

" -- Interest on deposits..... 20.50

Total Balance and Receipts.....\$2,330.17

Disbursements.

C. J. Tassin, V. 134-J.....\$ 52.50

M. Fried Sr., V. 135-J..... 36.03

P. Potin, V. 136-J..... 3.00

Felix and Block, V. 137-J..... 37.25

A. Majorie, V. 138-J..... 24.00

W. L. Loque, V. 139-J..... 350.00

W. L. Loque, V. 140-J..... 926.17

A. E. Bonneble, V. 141-J..... 86.00

Total Disbursements.....\$ 1,514.95

Balance.....\$ 815.22

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert,

Treasurer.

Gretna La., Jan.9, 1918.

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the second Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of December, 1917:

Dec. 1, 1917, To balance..... \$ 154.65

RECEIPTS.

Dec. 6, 1917.-To Loan Jefferson Com. & Sav. Bk.....\$1,000.00

" -- To interest on deposits..... 9.25

Total Balance and Receipts..... \$1,163.90

DISBURSEMENTS.

C. J. Tassin, V.17-A. \$ 52.50

C. J. Tassin, V.18-A. 50.00

W. L. Loque, V.19-A. 350.00

W. F. Marrero, V.20-A. 178.25

Mat. Fried Sr.,V.21-A. 36.03

Allen Tupper, V.22-A. 78.30

Texas Oil Co., V. 23-A. 37.19

Jefferson Democrat, V.24-A. 98.00

Total Disbursements..... \$ 880.27

Balance.....\$ 283.83

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna La., Jan. 9, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Third Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of December, 1917:-
Dec. 1, 1917-To Balance.....\$5,557.93

RECEIPTS.

Doc. 1, 1917-To interest on deposits..... 44.20
Total receipts and Balance.....\$5,602.13

DISBURSEMENTS.

C. J. Tassin, V.10.....\$ 52.50
M. Fried Sr., V.11..... 36.03
J. C. Webb, V. 12..... 300.00
International Harvester Co., V. 13. 18.28
J. C. Webb, V. 14, 486.26
Texas Oil Co., V. 15..... 161.11
Total Disbursements.....\$1,057.18
Balance.....\$4,544.95

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna La., Jan. 9, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson.

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Gretna La.

Gentlemen:

I, the undersigned Treasurer, of the First Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the Sub District A. of said Road District for the month of December, 1917:

Dec. 1, 1917- - To Balance on hand.....\$ 607.55
No receipts or disbursements.
Balance on hand..... \$ 607.55

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna La., Jan. 9, 1918.

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this

my report for the taxes on the Orleans-Kenner Electric R. R. for the month of December, 1917:

Dec. 1, 1917 - To Balance.....\$876.40
No receipts or disbursements.....
Balance on hand.....\$765.40

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer,

The Finance Committee submitted its report of bills approved and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.

Report of Judge L. E. Arnoult, 5th Justice of the Peace, was read and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:

District Attorney, Fees.....\$1,565.00
La., State Normal, tuition, Miss V. Tillotson..... 61.50
J. R. Fernandez, coroner..... 275.00
Silig Co., sanitary supplies..... 23.03
South N. O. L. & T. Co., electricity C. H. and Jail 19.42
C. T. & T.Co., Phone service..... 29.95
City of Gretna, Water service..... 5.42
Jefferson Democrat Commission..... 79.88
" " Stat'y and supplies to Parish..... 431.85
M. Rosenstock, Mdse. Jail..... 7.50
Gretna Feed store, coal..... 213.75
John Ehret, ice for C. H..... 48.13
C. E. Brenholts, supplies jail..... 25.40

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American Disinfecting Co., - - - - - \$ 330.00
R. Courcier, Vital statistics- - - - - 7.75
D. Gomez " " - - - - - 1.50
F. M. Jan, " " - - - - - .50
Mrs. F. Hall, " " - - - - - 1.00
E. Crawford, " " - - - - - 12.00
C. Vering, supplies, jail- - - - - 13.45
Automobile Insurance Co. Premium - - - - - 45.00
E. Coulon, Road work, Dist. 3 - - - - - 50.00
G. Henry, " " " 3 - - - - - 43.00
C. A. Buchler and W. C. Dufore, for service in case of Bolger,
Moser & Williams vs Police Jury - - - - - 361.30

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Communications from Jefferson Distilling Co., Swift & Co., Standard Drug Co. D. H. Roussel and Jas. J. Bailey, Secretary of State, were received and ordered filed.

Communications from I. L. Lyons & Co., Ltd., was referred to the corner.

Communications from State Relief Association was received and action of same was deferred.

On motion duly seconded the request of the Marrero Land and investment Association Ltd., for permission to build a fence across the old abandoned public road on the lower part of Fairfield plantation was

granted, owners agreeing to construct large gates opening on each end on said road for the use of the public at any time.

Communication was received from Dr. Theo. Englebach, relative to the making an official map of Grand Isle, and on motion the Secretary was instructed to advertise for estimates or bids from civil engineers for a map of the Parish of Jefferson in book form.

Request of A. Arnondin, constable of the 2nd J. of P. court for an increase of his salary to \$75.00 per month, was granted.

Request of officers of the McDonogh Hook & Ladder & Hose Co., No. 2, of McDonoghville, for Financial aid for said Company, and on motion duly seconded the sum of \$100.00 was appropriated therefor.

Bids from A. A. Hargis and C. Melling for building of a dipping vat at Westwego, were received, and the bid of A. A. Hargis being the lowest, was accepted.

Bids of Emanuel Fink for purchasing of four filters and one tank was laid over.

The Secretary was instructed to demand itemized bill from the Standard Oil Co., of La. relative to its claims for \$26.05.

Relative to the complaints of property owners and residents of Harahan City and the protest of Mr. W. R. Toledano regarding the condition of Oak and Hickory avenues in said city, the secretary was instructed, on motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy, to notify Mr. Theo. Johnson, the contractor to complete the unfinished road work at once, otherwise the matter will be placed in the hands of the District Attorney for action.

On motion duly seconded the secretary was instructed to notify the S. P. Railway Co., to straighten the public road under the incline at Avondale.

Aldermen Gugel and Flesch, of the City of Gretna, appeared before the Jury in behalf of the 2-mills road tax collected by the tax collector for the past five years, which had been previously referred to the district attorney for an opinion. The district attorney personally reported to the Jury that owing to the press of official duties he had been unable to give the matter proper attention, and asked for further time to report, which request, on motion duly seconded was granted.

Superintendent J.C. Ellis of the public schools, appeared before the Jury in behalf on the thrift stamp campaign being conducted by the public school pupils, and on motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy the secretary was authorized to purchase stamps to the amount of \$200.00, same to be distributed proportionately among the schools.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Burbank a committee composed of Messrs. Rouprich, Burbank, and Thompson, with Sheriff, L. H. Marrero, was appointed to purchase road trucks for the Road Districts.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Burbank, W. L. Loque was appointed road superintendent at \$150.00, per month and traveling expenses, beginning Jan. 15, 1918, same to be paid out of the funds of Road Districts.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Luke the secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for the fiscal agency of the parish.

Bill of T. & P. Ry. Co., for demurrage of two cars of shells amounting to \$73.00, was referred to the district attorney.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Terrebonne a committee composed of Messrs. Burbank and Terrebonne was appointed to confer with the Westwego Ferry Co., to have guard rails placed on the approach of the ramp leading to the ferry landing.

On motion duly seconded the sum of \$750.00 was advanced to W. L. Loque for road work under way in the 5th ward, this amount to be deducted out of the next estimate.

On motion of Mr. Strehle duly seconded the sum of \$45.00 was appropriated to pay premium on insurance of old court building at Third and Newton Streets.

On motion of Mr. Burbank duly seconded the secretary was instructed to notify E. Geiaaenheimer, lessee of Nine Mile point ferry, that the complaints against the operation of said ferry renders it imperative that proper transportation be given, otherwise the franchise will be revoked by the Jury.

Judgments of claims against A. C. Belcher by N. Morris for \$29.65 and C. Baldwin for \$76.79 was referred to the district attorney for legal advice.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Strehle the check of the South N. O. L. & T. Co., for \$139.50, as one half of one percent of gross receipts for 1917, as per franchise, was received and ordered deposited to the credit of the general funds

credit of the general funds.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Clancy the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas Mr. Henry L. Zander, Parish Engineer, has presented a map or plans of Sub-division known as Friedrichsruhe, which comprises all of the property between the Metairie Ridge Road, Northline Street, the Protection Levee and the Metairie Suburbs subdivision., and,

Whereas, new streets has been opened in said subdivision in lieu of the old streets of the original plan of Metairieville the amount of land in new streets being equal to amounts in the old streets,

Streets in
Metairieville
opened

Be it, resolved, that the plan of said Henry L. Zander be and the same is hereby accepted, and the streets thereon be declared public highways, and further that according to law, all of the old streets of Metairieville within the said subdivision be and they are hereby declared closed.

Be it further resolved, that an act of deposit be made and duly recorded in the office of the Clerk of Court, all at the expense of the owners of the property.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Luke the following ordinance was adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish

of Jefferson in regular meeting assembled, that the cart and wagon license plates which were heretofore fixed at \$.25 per set, be and the same are hereby fixed at \$.50 per set;

Be it further ordained, etc., that all laws and ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

THE JURY THEN ADJOURNED.

Jules G. Fisher
PRESIDENT.

SECRETARY.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La., Feb. 6, 1918.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.
Members present-Jules G. Fisher President, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John Clancy.
Absent-J. D. Terrebonne.

District Atty L. R. Rivarde was also present.
Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they were approved as published in the Official Journal.

Fiscal Agency

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was deferred in order to consider bids for the parish fiscal agency, also bids for construction of two cattle dipping vats, and to allow certain parties to address the Jury.

The bid of the Jefferson Trust and Saving Bank, of Gretna, offered to pay (\$.3 1/16%) per annum on daily balances for the entire amount of the Parish funds, being the only bid presented, was on motion duly seconded, accepted, to take effect March 1, 1918, according to terms of agreement

The bid of A. A. Hargis to construct two cattle dipping vats at Barataria, one at Fleming's Place, and one at Eric place, for (\$550.00) was on motion duly seconded, accepted, work to be strictly according to plans and specifications.

Mr. F. A. Nassus, addressed the Jury in behalf of the property owners of Shrewsbury, relative to improving of Shrewsbury Road, and on motion of Mr. Thompson, seconded Mr. Burbank to open up Shrewsbury Road at Harlem to full width from Metairie Road to the edge of the woods and North line Street from Protection Levee to Shrewsbury Road; and the Secretary was instructed to notify all the property owners to move all

fences and other obstructions in said road to their proper lines.

District attorney L. R. Rivarde submitted a proposition Of Mr. Dennis O'Day be made Parish stenographer at a salary of (\$1,800.00) per year.

On Motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Burbank the proposition was refused.

Prof. J. C. Ellis, in be-half of the Local Council of Defense, solicited a donation to aid and cover the work of the Council throughout the Parish

On motion of Mr. Rouprich Seconded by Mr. Burbank the sum of (\$100.00) was donated toward this purpose by the Jury.

On Motion duly seconded the regular order of business was resumed.
The following report of the Treasurer, was received and approved:
Gretna La., Feb. 6, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for Jan. 1918;

Jan. 1, 1918-To Balance	\$ 797.83
RECEIPTS.	
Jan. 5, 1918-To taxes, less com.	\$ 46,667.22
Jan. 5, 1918-To South N. O. Light and T. Co.,	139.50
Jan. 11, 1918-To La. Cypress Lbr. Co.,	300.00
Jan. 11, 1918-To First Good Road District	3,200.00
Jan. 11, 1918-To Second Good Road District	2,000.00
Balance and receipts	\$ 53,104.55
DISBURSEMENTS	
William Hepting, V. 5192	\$ 75.00
Ed. M. Hubert, -V. 5193	75.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 6194	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 5195	30.00
John Romero, V. 5196	50.00
Albert Linden, V. 5197	50.00
L.W. Wilkinson, V. 5198	69.00
David Crockett Fire Co., V. 5199	30.00
St. Joseph's Orphanage, V. 5200	12.00
J. Callahan, V. 5201.	25.00
A. J. K. Genella, V. 5202	225.00
L. R. Rivarde, V. 5203	1,550.00
Geo. J. Trauth, V. 5204	1,080.00
Victor Treadaway, V. 5205	405.00
Henry Lange, V. 5206	378.00
L. E. Arnoult, V. 5207	756.00
Lawrence Pfeiffer, V. 5208	918.00
Andre Arnaudin, V. 5209	729.00
Louis Sheffler, V. 5210.	415.00
Alfred Polkey (Estate), V. 5211	31.50
Aristide Boudreaux, V. 5212	346.50

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Chas. Root, V. 5213	756.00
State Normal School, V. 5214	61.50
Alonzo J. Boudreaux, V. 5215	3.10
C. W. Bakewell, V. 5216	2.50
O. P. H. Gugel, V. 5217	59.60
Clovice Thomassie, V. 5218	12.10
Antonella, & Brown, V. 5219	14.70
Schneider & Boudreaux, V. 5220	92.60
Schneider & Boudreaux, V. 5221	40.60
Schneider & Boudreaux, V. 5222	256.20
Schneider & Boudreaux, V. 5223	33.00
Schneider & Boudreaux, V. 5224	155.00
Schneider & Boudreaux, V. 5225	378.00

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Schneider & Boudreaux, V. 5226	475.00
Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank, V. 5227	58.00
Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank, V. 5228	36.60
Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank, 5229	362.95
Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank, V. 5230	365.00
Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank, V. 5231	810.00
Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank, V. 5232	87.50
Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank, V. 5233	270.00
Louis Dauenhauer, V. 5234	67.50
A. M. Alexander, V. 5235	405.00
C. V. Miller, V. 5236	6.50
W. J. Simpson, V. 5237	6.80
Justin Parque, V. 5238	6.70
C. A. Stranton, V. 5239	2.00
John Ledoux, V. 5240	2.00
C. D. Thomas, V. 5241	2.00
Peter Strauss, V. 5242	2.00
H. E. Benefiel, V. 5243	2.00
Adam Carbo, V. 5244	2.30
C. H. Kerner, V. 5245	2.00
Hy. Walker, V. 5246	2.00
Joseph Gallo, V. 5247	50.00
James J. O'Roke, V. 5248	500.00
Edwin Riviere, V. 5249	50.00
Clarence Betz, V. 5250	50.00
Antonelli & Brown, V. 5251	18.75
Gretna Exch., & Saving Bank, V. 5252	170.26
Geo. A. Cox, V. 5253	333.34
The Sekig Co., V. 5254	23.03
South N. O. Light, & Traction Co., 5255	19.42
Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co., V. 5256	29.95
City of Gretna, Water Works, V. 5257	5.42
Western Union Tel. Co., V. 5258	2.00
McDonoghville H. L. Hose Co., V. 5259	100.00
J. R. Fernandez, V. 5260,	275.00
Jefferson Democrat, V. 5261	79.88
Jefferson Democrat, V. 5262,	461.20

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L. R. Rivarde, V. [5263]	65.00
M. Rosenstock, V. 5264	7.50
Gretna Feed Store V. 5265	213.75
John Ehret, V. 5266	48.30
C. E. Brenholtz, V. 5267	25.40
American Disinfecting Co., V. 5268	330.00

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Richard Courcier, V. 5269	1.75
Dennis Gomez, V. 5270	7.25
Rev. F. M. Jan. V. 5271	.50
Mrs F. M. Hall, V. 5272	1.00
C. Viering, V. 5273	17.35
Ed. F. Crawford, V. 5274	12.00
The Automobile Insurance Company, V. 5275	45.00
J. C. Ellis Supt. Schools, V. 5276	200.88
Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank, V. 5277	16,000.00
Total Disbursements	\$31,249.68
Balance on hand,	\$21,845.87

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna La., Feb 6, 1918.

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer of the First Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of Jan. 1918.
Jan. 1, 1918- - To Balance \$ 815.22

RECEIPTS.

Jan. 5, 1918- - To Taxes less commission	\$14,541.11
Jan. 11, 1918- - To Reimbursement from receiver	94.50
Total Balance and receipts	\$15,450.87

DISBURSEMENTS

W. L. Loque, V. 142 J.	\$ 245.62
Orleans-Kenner E. R. R. Co., V. 143 J.	10.00
C. Viering, V. 144 J.	3.07
The Barret Co., 145, J.	572.39
N. O. Silica Brick Co., V. 146 J.	169.20
Jefferson Democrat, V. 147 J.	.55
La. Cypress Co., C. 148 J.	14.85
C. A. Buchler, V. 149 J.	4.72
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 150 J.	3,200.00
Total Disbursements	\$ 4,220.40
Balance	\$ 11,230.47

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna La., Feb. 6, 1918,

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna La.

Gentlemen:-

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I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Second Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of Jan. 1918.

Jan. 1, 1918- - To Balance	\$ 283.63
RECEIPTS.	
Jan. 9, 1918- - To Taxes less commission	\$16,242.75
Jan. 11, 1918- - Refund from receiver	7,131.72
Total receipts and Balance.	<u>\$23,658.10</u>
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Jefferson Democrat, V. 25-A	\$ 11.00
B. F. Avery, V. 26-A.	13.80
Muller Shell & Const. Co., V. 27-A	296.00
W. F. Marrero, V. 28-A	282.41
La. Cypress Lbr Co., V. 29-A	14.85
C. Viering, V. 30-A	3.07
W. L. Loque, V. 31-A	750.00
W. F. Marrero, V. 32-A	178.25
C. A. Buchler, V. 33-A	356.38
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 34-A., Parish Treasurer.	2,000.00
Total disbursements	<u>\$ 4,006.76</u>
Balance	\$ 19,651.34

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna La., Feb. 6, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I beg herewith to submit this my report for the funds of the Third Good Road District for the month of Jan. 1918.

Jan. 1, 1918- - To Balance	\$ 4,544.95
RECEIPTS	
Jan. 5, 1918- - Taxes collected less commission	\$ 418.78
Total Receipts and Balance	<u>\$ 4,963.73</u>
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Mrs. H. A. Bond, V. 16	\$ 60.00
C. Viering, V. 17	3.07
W. Coulon, V. 18	50.00
Henry Godlet, V. 19	43.50
John Calahan, V. 20	20.05
Richard Biaggie, V. 21	25.00
J. S. Webb, V. 22	47.04
La. Cypress Lumber Co., V. 23	14.85
Jefferson Democrat, V. 24	5.50

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Total Disbursements \$ 269.21

Balance

\$ 4,694.52

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna La., Feb. 6, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I beg herewith to submit this my report for the funds of the First Good Road District Sub. "A" for the month of Jan. 1918.

Jan. 1, 1918- - To Balance	\$ 607.55
RECEIPTS.	
Jan. 5, 1918- - To Taxes less commission	\$ 308.59
Total receipts and disbursements.	<u>\$ 916.14</u>
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Jefferson Democrat, V. 1	\$ 5.50
Citizens Bank and Trust Co., V. 2	175.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 180.50</u>
Balance	\$ 735.64

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Feb. 6, 1918

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Parish, beg leave to submit this my report of the Orleans-Kenner, Electric Railway Tax for the month of Jan. 1918.

Jan. 1, 1918- - To Balance	\$ 876.40
RECEIPTS.	
Jan. 5, 1918- To Taxes less commission	\$ 14,219.31
Total Receipts and Balance	<u>\$ 15,095.71</u>
DISBURSEMENTS	
Orleans-Kenner-Electric Railway Co., V. 4	\$ 7,700.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 7,700.00</u>
Balance	\$ 7,395.71

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills ordered paid. Report of Farm Demonstrator L. W. Wilkinson was received and ordered filed.

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Mr. F. L. St Martin, cattle dipping vat inspector, reported verbally that the vat at Sentilles plantation has been repaired and is now in good condition.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Police Jury:
Alg. Cornice & Plumb. Wks. repairs to C. H. and Jail \$ 41.75

Alg. Cornice & Plumb. Wks. repairs to C. H. and Jail.	21.00
G. Boudreaux, electrical rep.	12.00
Peerless Handcuff Co., cuffs.	64.00
M. Hudson, bridge repairs.	5.00
South N. O. Light & Traction Co., for electricity C. H. and Jail	26.14
City of Gretna water service	5.90
C. T. & T. Co., phone service	29.00
G. Boudreaux, electrical rep.	25.80
W. Pelegrin, electrical, rep.	3.00
A. C. Stumpf, drugs.	16.85
L. E. Arnoult, rent one year	120.00
Mercht. Supply Co., auto hire	8.00
F. Bartholomew, road work	39.00
La. Cyp. L. Co., lumber	6.25
Brunies Rest. meals to jurors	104.25
Wm. Hepting, postage, etc.	11.45
Wonell Mfg. Co., Disinfectant	248.20
C. Viering, supplies to jail	3.75
Wid. Jos Fisher, wood to jail	8.25
C. Tassin, road work	8.00
W. L. Loque, road work	40.00

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Communications from La., Meadows Co., Groff & Calzada, Farm Demonstration Agent L. W. Wilkinson, and Frank T. Payne were received and ordered filed.

Communication from Mrs Otto Katz, complaining of cattle roaming at large at Kenner, was ordered referred to the District Attorney.

Request of Mrs Annie Marrero, chairman of the Jefferson Parish Committee to solicit funds for Hope Haven Industrial Farm was received, and on motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr Clancy the sum of \$25.00 was donated for said purpose.

Request of Mrs C. W. Rossner, chairman for the Jefferson Parish of the Women's Committee of the Council of Defense, soliciting financial aid was received and on motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Rouprich, the sum of

(\$25.00) was appropriated toward the cause.

Request of the executive committee in charge of the work of establishing a hospital in New Orleans for the care of the colored race was received, and on motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Thompson the sum of (\$25.00) was donated to the project.

Request of District Attorney L. R. Rivarde for an advance of (\$600.00) on his salary for 1918, was received, and on motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr Burbank the request was granted.

Request of Suburban Acres Catering Company to be permitted to operate a cafe and saloon and restaurant under permit previously issued to Ralph J. Levy, was, on motion of Mr. Luke seconded by Mr. Burbank, granted, and the Sheriff was authorized to issue license for same in the name of the Suburban Acres Catering Company.

The resignation of L. C. Fos as cattle dipping vat inspector for the

1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th wards, was received, and on motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the resignation was accepted, Applications for the position were received from Sol. Fink, G. J. Mayronne and M. M. Pitre, and on election to fill said vacancy, M. M. Pitre received the greatest number of votes and was declared elected his salary being fixed at \$60 per month.

Proposition of H. L. Zander, parish engineer, to repair the present map of Jefferson Parish for \$150, was on motion duly seconded accepted.

Check for \$14, covering unearned premium on bonds of Holmes Harrison and Vic. A. Pitre, as treasures of Road Districts No. 1 and No. 2, respectively, was received from Lucas E. Moore & Co., and this amount was ordered to be deposited to the credit of each district proportionately.

Agreement proposed by Messrs. Conselmann & Larkin, attorneys, to settle claims of A. Baldwin & Co., and Nicole Morice for (\$30), and the Kenner Lumber Co., through C. A. Buchlor, attorney, for (\$203.33), against C. W. Belcher, in matter of construction of dipping vat at Santillos plantation, was on motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson accepted, and checks were ordered drawn for the above claimants as per agreement.

Petition of property holders of the 7th ward to increase salary of 5th Justice of the Peace L. E. Arnoult to \$80 per month was laid over.

Complaints of Frank E. Fagot relative to schedule of New Orleans Railways duly seconded referred to the District Attorney.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke the Secretary was instructed to communicate with the American Creosote Works to ascertain that Company's attitude toward the project of furnishing water from its plant to the residents in the neighborhood of Protection Levee for fire extinguishing purposes, an appeal to secure such an agreement from said company having been made to the Police Jury.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burbank the following ordinance was adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson:

Section 1. That there is hereby levied an annual license tax for the Parish of Jefferson for the year of 1918 upon each person, association of persons, or business firms or corporations pursuing any trade, profession, Vocation, calling or business

conducted, pursued, or carried on or operated within the limits of the Parish of Jefferson, Louisiana, which may be subject to such license tax under article 229 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana.

Section 2. That the annual license hereby levied is declared to be the same as and to be graduated in accordance with the constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana now in force, and is hereby declared to be the same as to graduation and amount as the license laws of the State of Louisiana now in force provided for State purposes, and are to be determined in accordance herewith, to wit: Act 171 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana of the session of 1898 and the subsequent acts of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana. It is hereby declared to be the intention of this body to herein levy the same

Annual tax
Levee

license tax for parochial purposes, both as to graduation and amount, as is now imposed by the General Assembly for State purposes, to which laws special reference is hereby made as being part hereof for the same purposes aforesaid; provided, further, that hereinafter for every business conducting a barroom, cabaret, coffee house, cafe, beer saloon, liquor exchange drinking saloon, grog shop, beer house, beer garden or other places where spirituous vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating beverages, bitters or medical preparations of any kinds, are sold, directly or indirectly, in quantities of less than five gallons, the license shall be based on the annual gross receipts of said business as follows, to wit:

First Class- - When said gross annual receipts are \$50,000 or more, the license shall be \$2,000.

Second Class- - When said gross annual receipts are \$40,000 or more, and less than \$50,000, the license shall be \$1,800.

Third Class- - When said gross annual receipts are \$30,000 or more and less than \$40,000, the license shall be \$1,500.

Fourth Class- - When said gross annual receipts are \$20,000 or more, and less than \$30,000, the license shall be \$1,200.

Fifth Class- - When, said gross annual receipts are \$10,000 or more, and less than \$20,000, the license shall be \$1,000.

Sixth Class- - When said gross annual receipts are \$5,000 or more, and less than \$10,000, the license shall be \$800.

Seventh Class - When said gross annual receipts are less than \$5,000 the license shall be \$500. provided that no license shall be charged for selling refreshments for charitable or religious purposes; provided, further, that no establishment selling or giving away or otherwise disposing of spirits wines, alcoholic or malt liquors in less quantities than five gallons shall pay a license less than \$500; provided further, that for the business of selling malt and vinous liquors exclusively in quantities of less than five gallons the license shall be one-half of that provided for the general sale of alcoholic beverages; provided, further, that nothing in this ordinance shall be construed as to exempt druggist who sell alcoholic, vinous or malt liquors or other intoxicating beverages on the prescription of a physician or otherwise from the payment of the license herein imposed; provided, further that this ordinance shall not apply to the sale by druggist of tinctures or drug compounds in the preparation of which such liquors or intoxicating beverages are used and sold on the prescription of a physician or otherwise, and which tinctures and compounds are not intoxicating beverages

prepared in the evasion of this ordinance, nor of the local option laws; provided, further, that in all other respects the provisions of Act 176 of 1908 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana are hereby adopted as part of the ordinance and the penalties and procedure relative to the collection of said license therein provided are hereby adopted and made a part of the ordinance.

Section 3. That for all traveling shows giving performances in this Parish a tax of \$5 shall be paid for each and every day performances are given.

Section 4. That for every automobile operated publicly as a jitney" an annual tax of \$10. shall be paid by the owner or operator thereof.

Section 5 - - Be it further ordained that the procedure in the collection of parochial license herein levied, and that to ascertain the amounts due for same by the tax Collector, shall be the same as is now provided by the law for the State purposes, and particularly in Act 171 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana of the session of 1898, as amended by the subsequent acts of the said General Assembly and at subsequent sessions; and the penalties imposed upon and interest and costs to be collected from delinquents are declared to be the same and to be collected in the same manner as provided by said Act of the General Assembly as amended by subsequent acts, for State purposes.

Section 6 -- Be it further ordained, that the parochial license which are herein levied are declared to be for the purposes which may be required by the Constitution and laws of this State for the parochial purposes. Be it further ordained that from and after the adoption of this ordinance the tax collector shall begin to collect from each of the persons and firms, associations of persons and corporations pursuing within the limits of said Parish any trade calling, profession, vocation or business a license tax as herein provided. All license are due and collectable during the first two months of each year, and all unpaid license shall become delinquent on the first day of March of each year, and all firms who commence business after that date shall become delinquent unless the license is paid within ten days.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS-- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank.

Luke, Thompson, Clancy.

Nays-- None

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President

Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., March 6, 1918.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.
Members present: Jules G. Fisher President: A.
Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehlo J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank,
A. S. Thompson, Wm Luke, John Clancy.

Absent- E. Stritzinger.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dis-
pensed with, and they were approved as published in the
official Journal.

On motion duly seconded the regular order of busi-
ness was deferred to allow various parties to address the
Jury.

Dr. Chas. F. Gelbke and Mr. W. W. Wall, appealed to
the Jury to concur with the City of Gretna and property
owners to have a drainage canal and a public road con-
structed with the dirt excavated therefrom in the rear
of Gretna, from Lafayette avenue to Verret's canal.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke it
was resolved that the committee recently appointed com-
posed of Messrs. Rouprich and Burbank, with Mr. Strehle
added, be instructed to concur with the City Council of
Gretna relative to a drainage Canal 20 ft. wide and 6 ft
deep, and a public road to constructed with the dirt
therefrom; said committee to have full power to act; and
the Attorney for the Board be and is hereby instructed
to acquire the right of way for the above mentioned ca-
nal and road, either by dedication or exproptiation, in
accordance with lines to be fixed by H. L. Zander, Parish
Engineer.

A. H. Johness, representing property owners of the
left bank, appealed to the Jury to obtain, if possible,
city water and drainage facilities, to prevent the roam-
ing of cattle, and to advocate the repair and completion
of road from New Orleans line to Konner. Mr. Johness al-
so requested that the Jury caused the opening of a new
road way from Shrowsbury to Konner on the lake side of L.
R. & N. Co's tracks, after which, on motion of Mr. Thomp-
son seconded by Mr. Luke, the following ordinance was
adopted:

Whereas, a number of property holders have requested
this Police Jury to open a new road beginning at the in-
tersection of Northline Street and Protection levee and
ending at the Town of Konner, Iona Street from Northline
to Metairie Ridge and Jefferson Highway from Shrowsbury
to Parish line of Orleans:

Whereas, a large number of property owners have of-
fered to donate the right-of-way necessary for said road,
but there are some who have not as yet expressed their
willingness to do so:

Be it ordained, by the Police Jury of the Parish of
Jefferson, in regular meeting assembled, that in accordance

Com. app to
Concur with
the City
Council to
Dig Canal in
rear of
Gretna

Open up now
Road on Lake
side of L.R.N.
Ry. Co. from
Shrowsbury to
Konner

Jury free
holders

with Section 3369 of the Revised Statutes of the State of Louisiana, a
jury of freeholders consisting of six inhabitants of the Parish be and
the following named parties are hereby

appointed to constitute said jury of freeholders, which
jury shall have the power to trace and lay out the pro-
posed road to the greatest advantage of the inhabitants
and as little as may be to the prejudice of enclosures,
and to assess such damages as any person may sustain
and may claim.

The said jury of freeholders to be composed of the
following named parties to wit: Paul Felix, E. Geisen-
heimer, Frank Fagot, E. B. Anthony, G. L. Vincent and
Peter Buchler.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above
ordinance, the vote resulted as follows:

Yeas Rouprich, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank Luke
Thompson, and Clancy.

Nays - None.

Dr. A. W. Vornheder reported the good progress
made in the dipping of cattle and requested the enlarge-
ment of the vats at Marrero.

On motion duly seconded the sum of \$75.00 was ap-
propriated for the enlargement of said vat.

A. H. Ahten addressed the jury relative to notice
served on property owners at Harlem Avenue and Shrows-
bury, as ordered by the Police Jury at its previous
meeting to open certain streets in that section, and
stated that such a move would be detrimental instead of
advantageous. Mr. Ahten recommended the opening up of
the public road on both sides of the O. K. line from
Shrowsbury to Protection Levee, and on motion of Mr.
Clancy seconded by Mr. Rouprich the Police Jurors of the
7th and 8th wards instructed to act as a committee, with
the parish engineer, to cause the opening up of such
streets as they deem necessary to improve conditions at
Harlem avenue and Shrowsbury.

On motion duly seconded, the regular order of busi-
ness was resumed. The following report of the Treasurer
was received and approved.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish
of Jefferson.

Gretna La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg
leave to submit this my report for the month of Febru-
ary, 1918:

Feb. 1, 1918 - To balance \$21,863.62

RECEIPTS

Open up
streets
Harlem Ave
and Shrows-
bury

Feb. 4, 1918- To taxes and interest less commission.	2,716.60
Total balance and receipts	\$ 24,580.22
DISBURSEMENTS	
William Hepting, V. 5278.....	\$ 75.00
E. M. Hubert, V. 5279.....	75.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 5280.....	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 5281.....	30.00
Albert Linden, V. 5283.....	50.00
John Romero, V. 5282.....	50.00
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 5284.....	69.00
David Crockett Fire Co. V. 5295.....	30.00
St. Joseph Orphanage, 5286.....	12.00

Algiers Cor. & Plum. Co., V. 5287.....	41.75
Andre Adams V. 5288.....	5.00
Geo. Boudreaux, V. 5289.....	12.00
Peerless Handcuff Co., V. 5290.....	64.00
Marcus Hudson, V. 5291.....	5.00
T. Callegan, V. 5292.....	2.80
T. Callegan, V. 5293.....	4.00
L. Gautreaux, V. 5294.....	2.80
A. Ruix, V. 5295.....	2.80
T. Bartolo, V. 5296.....	4.30
Wm. Fleury, V. 5297.....	2.50
South N. O. L. & T. Co., V. 5298.....	26.14
City of Gretna Water Works, V. 5299.....	5.90
Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co. V. 5300.....	29.00
Jefferson T. & S. Bank, V. 5301.....	63.30
Fred. Anderson, V. 5302.....	3.50
Peter Buchler, V. 5303.....	3.10
O. B. Stiles, V. 5304.....	540.00
Geo. Boudreaux, V. 5305.....	25.80
Wilson Pellegrin, V. 5306.....	3.00
R. Beauvais, V. 5307.....	5.30
George Erwin, V. 5309.....	5.30
M. Strauss, V. 5308.....	5.30
A. Callegan, V. 5310.....	5.30
Jos. Hecker, V. 5311.....	2.80
Zach Gomez, V. 5312.....	6.80
R. Courcier, V. 5313.....	2.80
A. Cantrella, V. 5314.....	7.80
W. J. Simpson, V. 5315.....	7.80
M. Boudreaux, V. 5316.....	2.80
Jos. Hildago, V. 5317.....	7.80
J. Carbo, V. 5318.....	5.30
E. Parique, V. 5319.....	2.80
L. LeBlanc, V. 5320.....	2.80
D. Courcier, V. 5321.....	5.30
L. Gomez, V. 5322.....	5.30
A. Gomez, V. 5323.....	7.80

Arthur Herbert, V. 5324	2.00
Antonella & Brown, V. 5325.....	22.20
W. J. Feth, V. 5326.....	2.20
Chas. A. Hazel, V. 5327.....	5.70
Barney Crawley, V. 5328	2.70
Henry Kerner, V. 5329	11.00
Emanuel Fink, V. 5330	4.30

Algiers C. & P. Wks, V. 5331.....	21.25
A. C. Stumpf, V. 5332	16.85
L. E. Arnoult, V. 5333	120.00
Merchant Supply Co., V. 5334.....	8.00
Frank Bartholomew, V. 5335	39.00
La. Cypress Lbr. Co., V. 5336.....	6.25
H. Brunesi, V. 5337.....	104.25
Wm. Hepting, V. 5338.....	11.45
J. C. Ellis, V. 5339.....	1.00
Leo. A. Marrero, V. 5340.....	3.50
Fred. Cross, V. 5341.....	4.00
Mrs. E. M. Hubert, V. 5342.....	5.00
R. F. Erlinger, V. 5343.....	6.80
D. D. Cooper, V. 5344.....	2.00
Worrell Mfg. Co.,.....	240.00
Ernest Rivier, V. 5346.....	3.50
Paul Terrebonne, V. 5347.....	15.80
Gretna Ex. & S. Bank, V. 5348.....	10.00
Henry Kerner, V. 5349.....	10.00
C. Viering, V. 5350.....	2.00
Widow Jos. Fisher, V. 5351.....	8.25
Octave Tassin, V. 5325.....	8.00
Kerner Lbr. Co. V. 5353.....	203.33
L. R. Rivarde, V. 5355.....	600.00
Worrell Mfg. Co. V. 5356	8.20
W. L. Laque, V. 5357	40.00
Mrs. Annic Marrero, V. 5358.....	25.00
J. Callahan, V. 5359.....	25.00
Chas H. Hamilton, V. 5360.....	25.00
J. C. Ellis, V. 5362	100.00
Total disbursements.....	\$3,103.57
Balance.....	21,476.65

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., March 6, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I. the undersigned Treasurer of the Third Good Road District,
beg leave to submit this my report for the month of February, 1918.

Feb. 1, 1918. Balance..... \$4,694.52

RECEIPTS

Feb. 4, 1918. To taxes and interest less commission \$ 41.63
 Total balance and receipts \$4,735.15

DISBURSEMENTS

James S. Webb, V. 25..... \$ 181.84
 St. Vincent Hotel Ass'n, V. 26..... 192.00
 Total disbursements..... \$ 373.84
 Balance.....\$ 4,361.31

Respectfully,
 E. M. Hubert, Treasurer.

Gretna La., March 6, 1918

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
 Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the First Good Road District,
 beg leave to submit this my report for Sub "A" for the month of February,
 1918:

Feb. 1, 1918 To Balance.....\$ 735.64

RECEIPTS

Feb. 6, 1918- -To taxes and interest..... 30.93
 Refund on bonds..... 8.00

Balance and receipts..... \$774.57

No disbursements

Balance..... 774.57

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert,
 Treasurer.

Gretna, La., March 6, 1918

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
 Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the First Good Road District
 beg leave to submit this my report for the month of February, 1918:

Feb. 1, 1918- To balance..... \$11,230.47

RECEIPTS

Feb. 4, 1918- -To taxes and interest less commission. \$ 599.36
 Total receipts and balance..... \$11,820.83

DISBURSEMENTS.

Feb. 28, 1918. Interstate T. & S. Banking, Co.,
 V. 151-J..... \$ 2,500.00

Total disbursements..... \$ 2,500.00

Balance.....

\$ 9,329.83

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert, Treasurer.

Gretna, La., March 6, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
 Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Second Good Road District,
 beg leave to submit this my report for the month of February, 1918:

Feb. 1, 1918. To balance..... \$19,651.34

RECEIPTS

Feb. 4, 1918- To taxes and interest \$ 1,615.98

Feb. 4, 1918- To rebate on bonds..... 6.00

Total receipts and balance..... \$ 21,273.32

DISBURSEMENTS

Vic, A. Pitre, V. 35-A..... \$ 11.25

Fritz Jahncke, V. 36-A..... 419.37

Albert Paillie, V. 37-A..... 27.15

W. L. Loque, V. 38-A..... 66.00

L. H. Marrero, V-39-A..... 773.79

W. L. Loque, V. 40-A..... 1,500.00

Interstate T. & S. Bank Co., V. 41-A..... 2,500.00

Total disbursements..... \$ 5,297.56

Balance.....

\$15,975.76

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert, Treasurer.

Gretna, La. March 6, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
 Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit
 this my report for the O. K. R. R. tax for the month of February,
 1918:

Feb. 1, 1918. To balance.....\$7,395.71

RECEIPTS

Feb. 6, 1918. To taxes and interest

less commission\$ 593.43

Total balance and receipts.....\$7,989.14

No disbursements

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert, Treasurer.

The Finance Committee submitted its report of bills approved,
 and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered
 paid.

The report of the Parish Engineer was received and ordered filed.
 Report of Farm Demonstrator L. W. Wilkinson was received and
 ordered filed. The superintendent of Public Roads submitted his re-
 port, which was received and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Jury.

J. L. Keller, repairs to jail..... \$9.50

C. Sewers, water to dipping vats..... 6.00

W. L. Loque, road work	77.20
E. B. Anthony, road work	16.00
M. Rosenstock, mdse.	5.90
Dr. Vonherder, Stationery	3.50
M. M. Pitre, Supplies,	12.12
N. O. R. & L. Co., cinders	60.00
Kenner Lbr. Co., cinders	44.71
F. L. St. Martin Salary	67.30
A. A. Hargis, building vats	260.00
J. Steckler, seeds	4.85
L. Schurb, repairs to jail	11.00
W. U. time service	6.00
City of Gretna, water service	5.90
C. T. & T. Co., phone service	29.00
South N. O. L. & T. Co., for electricity C. H. and Jail	14.66
W. L. Loque, expenses.	63.34
F. Bartholomew, rd. wk.	26.00
Duvic Hdw, Co., Batteries	2.40
Texas Oil Co., oil and Gas	4.92
W. Vanderbrook, freight	8.24
La. Cyp. Lbr. Co., lumber.	68.00
Ed. Crawford, vital statistics	5.75
L.W. Wilkinson, seeds	6.05
C. J. Dorethy, bloodhounds	160.00
J. S. Webb, road payroll	128.00
W. L. Loque "	93.50
W. L. Loque "	538.00
W. F. Marrero, road work	189.00

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Communications from Watson Williams & Co., A. H. Johness, war department fuel Conservation Commission W. E. Morrison, M. D. Kotsmaysion, U. S. Department of Agriculture, A. W. Vonherder, and R. W. Mayronne were received and ordered filed. Communications from State Traffic Relief Association were referred to the District Attorney.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Strehle the salary of O. B. Stiles, janitor of the court building, was raised to \$75. per month, beginning april 1, 1918.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke the salaries of the secretary and treasurer were raised \$15 per month each, beginning March 1, 1918, this increase to be paid out of the funds of Road Districts Nos 1 and 2, in view of the clerical work necessary to be done by those officers on account of said Road Districts.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Thompson the salary of M. M. Pitre, dipping vat inspector for the first bank, was raised to \$75. per month

with expenses not to exceed \$25 per month, to take effect March 1, 1918. On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke, the salary of the dipping vat inspector of the 7th, 8th and 9th wards was raised to \$75 per month, to take effect March 1, 1918.

Request of Geo. Cousins to operate a saloon from Jan 1. to May 31, 1918, was referred to the Sheriff.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Burbank it was resolved that C. A. Buchler, attorney, be and he is hereby authorized to continue the prosecution of the suit of the Police Jury against the City of Gretna and others to final judgment, and that the Jury stand the costs of court to the extent of \$75.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Thompson, it was resolved that the President shall appoint a committee of six for the purpose of determining whether gravel or shell should be used for completion of the roads in the Parish, with full power to act. The following committee was appointed: Messrs. Thompson, Rouprich, Burbank, Clancy, Terrebonne and Luke.

On motion duly seconded the secretary was instructed to advertise for sale the Avery tractor of Road District No. 1.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Thompson, Mr. Burbank was authorized to turn over the road truck to Mr. A. Catchler for repairs to dispose of same.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke the secretary was instructed to notify the constables of the 7th, 8th, and 9th wards, that owing to general complaints coming to the Police Jury, it becomes necessary for said constables to enforce the law relative to cattle roaming at large, and to keep a record of all cattle impounded and submit same to the Jury at its regular meeting; also strictly enforce the cattle roaming ordinance, in accordance with their duty, otherwise they will be held accountable to the Police Jury.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne the Parish Engineer was instructed to furnish a list of the property owned parish, to the member of the Legislature from this parish and the Police Jury, for the May session of the General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Clancy the following ordinance was adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that owing to the present condition of the records and books, and etc., and the indexes and filing system in the office of the Clerk of Court and ex-officio Recorder of mortgages and register of Conveyances in and for the Parish of Jefferson, that we advertise for bids for the purpose of indexing the records as may be required;

Be it further ordained, that an advertisement be inserted in the official journal of the Parish calling for such bids, and after the lapse of time required by the law for the advertising for bids, pursuant to Act No. 90 of 1882, the president of this jury be and he is authorized on behalf of this jury to let the bid of the lowest bidder and sign a contract with the successful bidder pursuant to said Act.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Rouprich, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy. NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burbank, the following

was adopted:

Resolved, that no vehicles of any kind or character shall be permitted to be parked at the Bucktown Bridge so as to obstruct the highway in Jefferson Parish, near and oposite New Orleans, known as West End; and any one guilty of the violation or in fraction of the resolution shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon a conviction shall be fined not exceeding \$5, in default he shall be incarcerated in the parish jail for a term not exceeding ten days.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Rouprich, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr Clancy the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved that the member of the House of Representatives of Louisiana from the Parish of Jefferson be requested to introduce an act in the next session of the General Assembly giving the Police Jury of Jefferson Parish full power to sell any and all property it may own, and particularly such property as appears upon the assessment rolls of this parish:

Resolved further, that a copy of this resolution be sent to the members of the House of Representatives from this parish.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Rouprich, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Clancy the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, on account of the small salary of \$3000.00 presently paid to the District Judges of the State, one of the District Judges of the 28th Judicial District, whereof this parish is a part, has resigned, or is about resign, thereby causing a vacancy to exit in said office which must be filled by an election by the people, and,

WHEREAS, it is a well known fact, that out of the salary of \$3000. paid to our District Judges, their are compelled to pay their personal expenses, such as railroad fare, hach hire, and other incidental expenses in traveling from one parish to another in this District in the preformance of their duties, which leaves them a small income, for themselves and their families to live on, which income is not commensurate with the ability and learning on the men nor

does it comfort with the importance and dignity of the office; and,

WHEREAS, the present salary of \$3000.00 paid to our District Judges was fixed twenty years ago, in the year 1898, and has never been changed, although the purchasing power of said salary has decreased, while liti-gations has increased and the expenses of said Judges has correspondingly become heavier as time elapsed:

WHEREAS, we understand that the stenographers of the Civil District Court in the City of New Orleans; certain employees of the Dock Board, a large number of the Clerks of Court throughout the State, and in fact

numerous other clerical employees of public Boards in the State of Louisiana; equipped with nothing more than an ordinary literary education, are paid far more salary than the Judges of the District Court in the county Parishes, which said clerical Positions do not require the study or special training as is required of Judges of the District Courts; and,

WHEREAS, we believe their is a present necessity for a rearrangement and reorgainzation of the entire Judiciary system of the State of Louisiana, looking to a more efficient administration of the Courts of Justice, in order that able and efficient lawyers may remain in these positions or that some inducement may be held out to them to obtain the services of high class lawyers for these Judicial positions; and,

WHEREAS, we believe that although we have two District Judges in this 28th Judicial District, each of whom receive \$3000.00, per annum, one of them could handle this entire district and give the people a very efficient Administration of the Courts of this District and at the same time save money for the State and Tax-payers, provided that the salary of the one Judge be increased to the sum of \$5000.00, at least and that the term of office be increased to not less than eight years therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, That it is the sense of this Jury, that the 28th Judicial District of Louisiana, Comprising the Parishes of Jefferson, St. Charles, and St. John the Baptist, be placed upon a one Judge basis; that one of the Judgeships, in this District, be abolished entirely and the other Judgeship be placed upon a salary basis of not less than (\$5000.00) per annum, and that the office be filed by and through an election by the people and the term of said office be increased to not less than eight years; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we recommend to the Governor of Louisiana, the State Board of Affairs, the Louisiana Bar Association and the General Assembly of Louisiana, that some joint action be suggested or taken by them with a view of adopting an amendment to the Constitution of this State, reorganizing and re-arranging the Judicial system of Louisiana and the 28th Judicial District of Louisiana in particular, said action we hope, will be such as to carry into effect the object and purpose of this resolution, otherwise, if no relief is available or obtainable, then we suggest that the antiquated system now prevailing be continued and the paltry salary now paid to our District Judges be allowed to stand as at present.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of this Jury be and he is hereby instructed to forward a certain copy of this resolution to the Governor of Louisiana, the State Board of Affairs, the Louisiana Bar Association and the General Assembly of Louisiana.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution, the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Rouprich, Strehle, Terrebonne, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

The Jury then Adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
PRESIDENT

SECRETARY.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., April 3, 1918.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present- - Jules G. Fisher, president; A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with and they were approved as published in the official journal.

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was deferred to allow various parties to address the Jury.

J. D. Cathey, representing Federal Motor Truck Co., requested the Jury to have the proper signatures attached to the four notes against Road Districts Nos. 1, and 2 on account of motors purchased for said Districts, and on motion duly seconded the following was Adopted:

RESOLVED by the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, that Jules G. Fisher, President, and H. P. Burbank, Chairman of the purchasing committee of the Police Jury, be and they are hereby authorized to sign and execute act of sale on behalf of this Jury for the purchase of two Federal Tractor Motors, Nos. 13168 and 13169, from Jas. D. Cathey, of the City of New Orleans, for the and sum of \$6010.00, of which amount the sum of \$2,000.00 is to be paid in cash; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that they are further authorized on behalf of this Police Jury to sign and endorse four certain promissory notes for the sum of \$1,002.50 each, payable respectively as follows: One on June 14, 1918; one on September 14, 1918; one on December 14, 1918 and one on March 14, 1919, all dated April 3, 1918, and to bear 6% per annum interest; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that they are further authorized to execute vendor's lien and mortgage on said trucks for the balance of said balance price in favor of the vendor or the future holder or holders of said notes.

Mr. Toledano asked the Jury to take action to have contractor Thos. Johnston to complete road at Harahan, and on motion of Mr. Burbank duly seconded the secretary was instructed to notify said contractor that unless he completes road in conformity with contract the Police Jury will hold him in default.

On request of Mr. Gussin, representating the Home Building Association, the Parish Engineer was instructed to confer with the Police Juror of the 8th ward and to open up the public road from Seventeenth street canal to the pumping station at East End for the use of the Public.

Creation of
Navigation
District
Grand Isle

Dr. Theo Engelbach, on behalf of the property owners of the sixth ward, submitted a signed petition requesting the creation of a navigation district composed of Grand Isle and certain surrounding properties as outlined in the petition, and on motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following ordinance was adopted:

WHEREAS, this Police Jury has been petitioned by the majority in number of acres and to the residents of the lands hereinafter described, there being more than

five land owners within the area, to form and create a navigation district

to be composed of Grand Isle and surrounding properties and said petitioners have recommended the appointment of the parties hereinafter named as commissioners for the said Navigation District.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson in regular meeting assembled that a Navigation District be and the same is hereby created and designated by the name "Grand Isle Navigation District." The said District to be composed and shall comprise that portion of Ward Six, Precinct Two, of the Parish of Jefferson, known as Grand Isle, Petite Isle, including Fisher's Settlement and and the whole of Cheriere Caminada up to the Goble Canal which forms the western boundary line. The Petite Isle and Grand Isle being islands, their limits are defined on the official map of the Parish of Jefferson.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, etc., that the following parties are hereby appointed to form the first Board of Commissioners to-wit: Louis Alcide Chighizola for a term of four years, John Ludwig for a term of two years, and Eraste Vidrine for a term of two years, and this Police Jury hereby recommends for the appointment by the Governor, for a term of four years each, Horace H. Harvey and Theodore Englebach, M. D.

BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, that the domicile of said Board be and the same is hereby fixed at Grand Isle, Louisiana, and the said Board of Commissioners shall meet on the 20th day of April, 1918, for the purpose of organizing and proceeding with work-herein contemplated, said meeting to be held at Grand [Isle] La.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.
NAYS - NONE.

The Silica Brick Co., through its agent, having submitted prices on mixed and sand gravel, on motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Terrebonne it was resolved that the Police Jury enter into contract with the Silica Brick Company, to purchase of 1800 yards of mixed and sand gravel at \$1.65 per Cu. Yd., f. o. b. Metairie switch on N. O. T. Ry. Co.,

tracks, deliveries to start April 15, 1918, and to average not less than 180 yds, per week; terms 45 days to conform with regular pay days of Police Jury. Grade of mixed gravel to run approximately 45% gravel.

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was resumed. The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved:
Gretna, La., April 3, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.,
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of March, 1918.
March 1, 1918. To Balance \$21,463.15

RECEIPTS	
March 5, 1918. To taxes and interest, less commission	\$ 1,657.96
March 5, 1918. To license, less commission	11,102.85
Total balance and receipts	\$ 34,223.96

DISBURSEMENTS.

William Hepting, V. 5364,	\$	75.00
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 5365,		75.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 5366		36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 5367		36.00
John Romero, V. 5468		50.00
Albert Lindon, V. 5369		50.00
L. W. Wilkinson, V, 5370		69.00
F. L. St. Martin, V. 5371		67.50
M. Pitre, V. 5372		30.00
J. Calahan, V. 5373		25.00
David Crockett S. Fire Co., V. 5374		30.00
St. Joseph Orphanage, V. 5375		12.00
John Draube, V. 5376		14.00
Joseph Landgridge, V. 5377		2.50
South N. O. Light and Trac. Co., V. 5378		14.66
City of Gretna, W. W. Dpt., 5379		5.90
Western Union Tel., Co., V. 5380		6.00
Jos. P. Toner, V. 5381		2.00
O. Bornard, V. 5382		2.70
Cumberland Tel. & Tel., Co. V. 5383		29.00
Lawrence Pfeiffer V. 5384		3.00
Conzelmann & Larkin, V. 5385		30.00
Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank, V. 5386	\$	2,815.00
L. C. Fos. V. 5387		14.00
Marchant Calculating Mach., Co., V. 5388		250.00
Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank, V. 5389		23.80
T. Hausmann & Sons, Ltd., V. 5390		155.00
W. L. Loque, V. 5391		75.00
W. L. Loque, V. 5392		93.50
L. Schurb, V. 5393		11.00
J. Steckler Seed Co., V. 5394		4.85
A. A. Hargis, V. 5395		260.00
Kenner Lumber Co., V. 5396		44.71
Albert W. Vonherder, V. 5397		3.50
M. M. Pitre, V. 5398		12.12
M. Rosenstock, V. 5399		5.90
Duvic Hardware Co., V. 5400		2.40
Gretna Feed Store, V. 5401		95.80
Ed. F. Crawford, V. 5402		5.75

Texas Oil Company. V. 5403	\$	4.92
W. L. Loque, V. 5404		63.34
Jim Clark, V. 5405		6.00
Frank Gabriel, V. 5406		8.00
Frank Bartholomew, V. 5407		12.00
C. J. Dorethy, V. 5408		160.00
W. L. Loque, V. 5409		77.30
Jos. J. Keller, V. 5410		9.50
Charles Suveres, V. 5411		6.00
Total Disbursements	\$	4,878.45

Balance

\$29,345.51

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Report of Veterinary Inspector A. W. Vonherder was read and ordered filed.

Report of 6th J. of P. and Constable of 6th J. of P. court were read and ordered filed.

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Jury:

L. C. Fos, Repairs to vats	\$	59.95
Felix & Block, Mat. vat.		12.20
C. Bentz, team hire.		7.00
Konner Lumber Co., lumber		76.26
O. Bechtel, repairing vats.		76.00
Sherwin & Williams, Chemicals		666.13
A. A. Hargis, building vats.		578.00
E. L. Fagot, auto hire		10.50
A. H. Fagot, auto hire		12.00
T. S. Landry, labor furnished		21.75
Road Supt. pay roll		778.06
Parke Davis, Co., Disinfect		49.00
J. D. Cathey, 2 tractors		6,019.00
City of Gretna Water Service		12.62
C. T. and T. Co., Phone Service		29.75
C. E. Brenholts, Supplies		21.85
Dr. J. R. Fernandez, service in interdiction proceedings		30.00
Dr. G. Rossner, prof. sorv.		15.00
Dr. A. Gonolla, " "		15.00
South N. O. L. & T. Co., for electricity C. H. and Jail		14.82
Mrs. O. B. Stiles, maintaining parish trailers		7.30
Jos. Stockler, seeds		3.80
State Normal School, tuition Miss V. Tillotson.		60.50
Samuel Bros Mdse.		4.50

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Communications from U. S. Food Administrator, Board of State Affairs State Council of Defense, M. D. Kostmayer and Thomas Johnston were received and ordered filed.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Clancy the sum of \$500 was donated to Gould Steam Fire Co., No. 2 to aid in the purchase of a fire tractor for said Company.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne duly seconded, on the request of Constable A. Armondin, it was resolved that a jail or lockup be built at Westwego, and bids for the erection of same was authorized to be advertised for.

On motion duly seconded Leo A. Marrero was granted permission to lay a 6-in water main across public road back of T. & P. Station at Harvey, also to lay main on Second avenue, in Marrero Division, back of

Swift's Plant, work to be subject to approval of the road superintendent. On motion duly seconded the salary of Prof L. W. Wilkinson, farm demonstrator, was raised to \$100 per month to begin April 1, 1918.

Bids of J. L. Keller to install new urinal and furnish all material, also repair other plumbing at court building for sum of \$29, was accepted. On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr Rouprich it was resolved that the Police Jury accept the proposition of the Parish School Board to bear one-half the expense of employing an expert canner for a period of two months and the cost of a complete canning outfit to can such products as may be grown by the school children or all other persons throughout the parish desiring to preserve food products for home consumption.

On motion of Mr. Luke seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the secretary was instructed to advertise for bids to furnish the courthouse and jail with toilet articles and medicines.

M. Terrebonne, poundkeeper, 4th ward, returned \$3 as pound fees collected Sixth J. of P. L. E. Arnoult returned \$9 as fines collected from violators of cattle roaming ordinance. A check for \$33.60 from American Alcohol Co., Inc. for shells purchased, was received and ordered deposited to credit of road district No. 2. Check for \$114.66 from Secretary of State on account of automobile was received and ordered deposited to credit of general funds.

The secretary was instructed to wrad a voucher for \$550 in favor of Edward R. Greenlaw to cover note due by Road District No. 1 for tractor purchased by former Board of Supervisors of said District.

Veterinary Inspector Vonherder recommended the construction of dipping vats of Kerner's place Barataria, and at Grand Isle.

Bids of P. J. Thala and S. J. McCune to index books and records in vault of clerk of Court's office were referred to the President to accept or reject.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke, James Toranto was appointed to assist Constables Hall and Root at a salary of \$35 per month for two months, beginning April, 1, 1918.

The committee appointed to concur with the Board of Alderman of Gretna to build a road and drainage canal in the rear of Gretna, from Lafayette Avenue to the Outfall canal, reported through chairman Rouprich that a route had been selected and approved and that the committee had also agreed to pay one half the cost of work from intersection of Lafayette avenue to the Oakdale land Company's property line.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Burbank the following was adopted:

WHEREAS, some of the daily newspapers in the City of New Orleans, in publishing the proceedings of the last meeting of this Police Jury, stated that Mr. J. M. Rolloson had been appointed one of the Jury of freeholders, and and the name of Mr. Gilbert J. Vincent had been omitted.

Report of Committee to Dig a Canal from Lafayette Ave to Outfall Canal

North Line Street Freeholders appointed

THEREFORE be it ordained by this Police Jury, that there may be no question of the appointment of said Jury of freeholders, the following named parties are hereby appointed to constitute said jury of freeholders to-wit: Paul Felix, Gilbert J. Vincent, Emile Geisenheimer, E. B. Anthony, Frank E. Pagot, Sr., and Peter Buchler The said jury of freeholders shall lay out the new road beginning at the intersection of the protection levee and Northline Street and running to Shrewsbury, and then from Shrewsbury to the City of Kenner also open up Iona Street and the prolongation of the Jefferson Highway along the O. K. Line from Shrewsbury to the Protection Levee.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Clancy the following was adopted:

Be It resolved by the Police Jury, that the two streets by the name of Ouida and Everard Streets in the town of Crown Point, this Parish, be open to public traffic, and be it further resolved that Toby Gaines, who has a house built on Everard Street, and Mose Wilson, who has a house built on Ouida Street be given ten days from date hereof, to have the said houses removed from the said two streets; and be it further resolved that if the said Gaines and the said Wilson do not have same removed after the ten days that the Police Jury have same removed at their expense. Secretary to be instructed to notify the parties to move said house.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS- - NONE.

The jury then adjourned,

Jules G. Fishor

PRESIDENT.

SECRETARY.

Office of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La., May 1, 1918.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present- - Jules G. Fishor President; A. Rouprich, Wm. E Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luko, John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with, and they were approved as published in the official journal.

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was deferred to allow various parties to address the Jury.

Mrs. O. V. Waggner and Mrs. John Stumpf appealed to the Jury for

aid for the upkeep of the Gretna Playgrounds, and on motion of Mr. Stritzinger, seconded by Mr. Strehle, a donation of \$100.00 was made for the purpose.

J. K. Gaudet, representing the Canadian Oil Co., petition for a franchise to dispose of Natural gas in the Parish, and after discussion of the subject it was moved by Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burbank that the president appoint a committee to be composed of members of the Jury and representative citizens with the president added, to investigate the advantages of the proposition and report its findings.

The following committee was thereupon appointed; Judge John E. Fleury, Prof. J. C. Ellis, Sheriff L. H. Marrero, Messrs. T. S. Landry and C. E. Snyppe and Police Jurors A. Rouprich, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson and President Jules G. Fisher.

E. J. Keep complained of the drainage and road condition in the 4th ward and 5th ward, from Fairfield to Westwego and on motion duly seconded the road superintendent was instructed to take steps to remedy same at once.

H. V. Deckbar requested that some provision be made to have the road opened alongside the Orleans Traction Railway Co's., line from Shrewsbury to Protection levee, and on suggestion of Parish Engineer Zander it was resolved that the secretary be and he is hereby instructed to notify Messrs. A. H. Ahten, D. Mumphrey and E. Geisenheimer to move their fences to the proper line, in accordance with the law and in conformity with their titles.

The following report of the treasurer was received and approved: Gretna, La., May 1, 1918.

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson. Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the month of April, 1918:

April 1, 1918. To Balance \$29,580.84

RECEIPTS.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Taxes and interest, License and interest less commission, Pound fees, and Automobile license.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Merchants & Planters' Ferry Franchise, Refund from Sheriff Salary Fund, and Refund Third Good Road District.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Includes Wm. Hepting, Ed. M. Hubert, L. R. Lapeyronnie, John. Romero, Albert Linden, C. J. Tassin, and F. L. St. Martin.

Table with 2 columns: Description and Amount. Lists various individuals and organizations with their respective amounts, including M. M. Petrie, John Callahan, L. W. Wilkinson, St. Joseph Orphanage, etc.

Total disbursements.....\$2,825.63
Balance.....\$28,683.57

Respectfully,

E. M. Hubert, Parish Treas.

The Finance committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid. The report of the Parish Engineer was received and ordered filed. Report of Animal Bureau, U. S. Department of Agriculture, was received and ordered filed.

Report of Farm demonstrator L. W. Wilkinson was received and ordered filed.

Reports of 1st, 5th, 6th, J. of P. and Constables 5th, J. of P. Court and report of Special Officer J. Toronto were received and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Jury.

Dr. J. R. Fernandez, fee.....	\$ 115.00
Jos. Keller, plumbing.....	29.00
A. A. Hargis, building Vats.....	285.00

F. E. Fagot, vital statistics.....	5.00
Dan. Walter, road work.....	30.00
A. F. Rouprich, repair jail.....	750.93
Mrs. O. B. Stiles, maintaining parish trailers.....	9.00
Jno. Betat, flag for C. H.....	3.50
Board of Supervisors, election.....	100.00
A. C. Stumpf, drugs 1 year.....	80.00
H. Hof, special officer.....	47.50
Geo. A. Cox, indexing binding books in clerk's office.....	120.00
Texas Oil Co., gas and oil.....	3.79
Times Picayune, adv.....	.88
C. T. & T. Co., phone service.....	31.80
W. Hepting freight.....	167.04
W. Gruhler repair to locks.....	2.50
City of Gretna Water service.....	6.02
South N. O. L & T. Co., for electricity C. H. and jail.....	10.76
Chronicle Pub. Co., Staty. asses'r.....	53.11
J. P. Toner, meals for election.....	10.00
L. Guilotte, " " ".....	10.00
Mrs. L. Troque, " " ".....	10.00
V. Kerner, " " ".....	10.00
H. Brunies, " " ".....	20.00
Miss T. M. Adam, " " ".....	10.00
" " " poll rent.....	3.00
L. Guilotte, " " ".....	5.00
Kenner Fire Co.,.....	5.00
Lee B. A.....	10.00
L. Pfeiffer, erecting poll.....	20.00
L. Guilotte, " " ".....	5.00
H. Gardey, election exp.....	8.00
Metairie W. W. water.....	2.00
S. E. Pantz wk. on vats.....	4.50
C. Bentz, " " ".....	41.50
F. L. St Martin, inspector.....	9.45
M. Petri, ".....	13.60
A. H. Fagot, auto hire.....	6.00
Feliz & Block, mat vat.....	1.25
O. Bechtel repairing vats.....	12.00
J. W. Thompson, gravel.....	126.80
Silica Brick Co., gravel.....	395.11
Road Supt., payroll.....	785.43

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

Communications were received from R. W. Mayronne relative to the coal situation, and the secretary was instructed to order 30 tons of coal for the coming winter.

Communications from the Police Jury of Allen Parish was referred

to the representative from this parish, with the request that he support the legislation referred to, relative to compensating Police Juries.

Communications from the Police Jury of East Baton Rouge Parish was referred to the representative of this Parish with the request that he oppose the proposed legislation to divert the auto license fund now received by the several parishes to the State Highway Department.

Communications were received and ordered filed from the Louisiana State Firemen's Association, M. E. Botto, C. C. Crook, Lucas E. Moore & Co., Eli Watson, Board of State Affairs, Sussell Grader Mfg. Co., Jos. LeBlanc, W. A. Russell, and Dr. A. Mary.

A. C. Stumpf was awarded contract to furnish the Courthouse and jail with toilet articles and drugs for the sum of \$90, his bid being the lowest.

On motion duly seconded permission was granted to the National Petroleum Co., to construct a 6-in pipe line across the overhead at Shrewsbury, to be located on North side of levee to a point near the batture work to be subject of approval of the Parish Engineer.

The petition of various residents and property owners of the Parish to

modify the cattle-roaming ordinance was laid over until next meeting.

On motion duly seconded a 10% increase in salary was allowed to each of the following Justices of the peace and constables:

Justices Victor Kerner, L. E. Arnoult and J. Fitzgerald and Constables C. Root, and Frank E. Hall. Same to Take Effect May 1st 1918

Permission was granted to Joseph Loveless to operate a saloon at Westwego under State and Parish Licenses previously held in the name of Harrison Clivens.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the invitation extended to the Jury by Cypress Grove No. 47 U. A. O. D., to participate in the festival on May 26, 1918, and requesting the president of the Jury to extend a fitting welcome to the guests of the lodge, was accepted. and the secretary was instructed to acknowledge receipt of same and to express the thanks of the Jury and its President for the kind invitation.

Agreement with the Hyams Planting Co.

On motion duly seconded the agreement entered into between Police Juror Rouprich and the Hyams Planting Co., relative to lease of certain ground in 1st ward, to be utilized in planting of war corn was ratified and accepted by the Jury.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke, the following was adopted:

WHEREAS, this Police Jury, in order to complete the public roads in this Parish, has contracted for

road material with which to do this work and may have to borrow money in order to meet said indebtedness; and,

WHEREAS, the Jefferson Trust & Savings Bank has agreed to advance this Police Jury whatever amount it will need up to the sum of \$25,000.00:

Authorizing President to sign notes for loan of 25,000.00 for Road Purposes.

BE IT ORDAINED by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, in regular meeting assembled, that the President of this Police Jury be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to execute and sign for and on behalf of this Police Jury all the necessary notes or other papers that it may be necessary to sign in order to evidence whatever amount it may be necessary to borrow, from time to time, in order to meet the obligations for road material as above stated.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS-None

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following was adopted:

WHEREAS, This Police Jury did contract with one C. W. Belcher for the construction of three dipping vats and were compelled to have same constructed by other parties because of the failure of said Belcher to carry out his contract; and,

WHEREAS, the said dipping vats have been completed and accepted by the Police Jury;

BY IT RESOLVED, that the President of this Police Jury be and he is hereby authorized to file written acceptance of said vats with the Clerk of Court, according to law, and after the expiration of forty-five days pay whatever amount the Police Jury may have to the various claims if any.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS-Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS-NONE.

Notice of acceptance of three dipping vats originally contracted for by C. W. Belcher on Oct. 3, 1918, was filed by the President of the Police Jury, the Jury not acknowledging itself to be indebted to C. W. Belcher or any other claimant.

Notice of Judgment of the 2^d J. of P. Court in the suits entitled A. Baldwin & Co., Ltd., vs. C. W. Belcher, and Nicola Morice vs. C. W. Belcher having been filed with the Jury, it was moved and seconded that the secretary be authorized to draw a voucher in favor of Messrs. Conzelmann & Larkin, attorneys for plaintiff, in the sum of \$131.40 to cover amounts of judgments.

The Jury then adjourned, to meet Thursday, May 2, 1918.

Jules G Fisher
President

Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., May 2, 1918.

The Police Jury met this day pursuant to adjournment. Members present- - Jules G. Fisher President, A. Rouprich, Wm. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John Clancy.

On motion of Mr. Burbank duly seconded the regular order of business was proceeded with.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Clancy the following ordinance was adopted:

AN ORDINANCE.

Permits to Lay pipe across public Road.

Prohibiting the construction of culverts, rice, flumes, syphons, water trunks, boxes, pipes or other conduits across the public roads of the Parish of Jefferson without permission being first obtained from the Police Jury, and requiring a deposit of \$25.00 to be made with the secretary of the Police Jury as a requisit for obtaining the permit; requiring the grantee of said permit to remove said culverts,

rice flumes, syphons, water trunks, boxes, pipes or conduits and requiring said grantee to replace said road in the same condition as previous to the construction of said works, or on his default providing for replacing of said road by the Police Jury at the expense of the grantee and providing a penalty for the violation of this ordinance.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, that from and after the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, to construct any culvert, rice flumes, syphon, water trunks, box, pipe or other conduit under or across the public road in the Parish of Jefferson without permission being previously obtained from the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson.

SECTION 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that any person, firm or corporation desiring to construct any culvert, rice flumes, syphon, water trunks box, pipe or other conduits under or across a public road shall first make application, either to the Police Jury in regular or special session, or to the Police Juror of the ward in which the work is to be done, for a permit to cross said road with said work, and at the time of making said application for such permit shall deposit the sum of twenty five (\$25.00) dollars, which deposit shall be turned over to the Secretary of this Jury and on receipt of said deposit together with the approval of this Police Jury or the approval of the Police Juror in whose ward the work is to be constructed, the secretary

of this Police Jury shall issue a permit authorizing the construction of said work under or across the public road, and the secretary shall retain the deposit until such time as the Police Jury shall authorize him to refund same to the grantee of the permit.

SECTION 3. Be it further ordained, etc., that in the construction of said culvert, rice flumes, syphon, water trunk, box, pipe or other conduit across or under the public road, the grantee shall, after the laying and completion of said work repair and replace the said public road in the same shape and condition in which it was before any excavations were made or the construction work started, and shall be incumbent on said grantee to keep said road in good serviceable and passable condition and to so replace it as to eliminate holes and ruts and at the same time avoid the construction of a hill in said road until such time as the said culvert, rice flume, syphon, water trunk, box pipe or other conduit shall have been removed, and in case of the failure of the grantee to comply with the provisions of this ordinance, then and in that event the Police Juror in whose ward the work has been done, or the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson shall have the right to have said road repaired and replaced in the former condition and kept in shape at the expense of the grantee, and the expense therefore, shall be deducted from the deposit made by the grantee with this Jury.

SECTION 4. Be it further ordained, etc., that the said sum of Twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars shall remain on deposit with the secretary of this Police Jury as long as the culvert, rice, flume, water trunk, syphon, box, pipe

or other conduit remain under or across the public road, and before the grantee shall be entitled to the return of said deposit it shall be incumbent, as a condition precedent for the return of said deposit, to remove said culvert, rice flume, syphon, water trunk, box, pipe or other conduit and repair the said public road and replace it in the same condition as it was before the said work was laid across or under said road, and the repair and replacement of said public road shall be made with the same or likewise material, approved by this Jury, in a manner satisfactory to the Police Juror in whose ward said work is done, and in the event the grantee fails to comply with the provisions of this section within a reasonable time, say not exceeding thirty days after said work shall have been removed from under or across said road or should said works be abandoned by the grantee, then and in that event, the Police Jury shall have the right to remove said culvert, rice flumes, syphon, water trunk, box, pipe or other conduit and repair and replace said road in its former condition, and the expense for doing same shall be deducted from the deposit of the grantee, after which the balance, if any, shall be returned to the grantee.

SECTION 5. Be it further ordained, etc., that any one violating the provisions of Section 1, of this ordinance shall, upon conviction in court of competent jurisdiction, be fined not less than (\$5.00) nor more than twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars, or be imprisoned in the Parish Jail for not less than ten nor more than thirty days, or both in the discretion of the court.

SECTION 6. Be it further ordained, etc., that all ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be and they are hereby repealed, provided that this ordinance shall not apply to any franchise pursuant to law.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance, the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS-Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Thompson, and Clancy.

NAYS-NONE.

The Secretary was instructed to notify the L. R & N. Co., and the I. C. R. R. Co., to clean out culvert at the intersection of Protection Levee and the railroad tracks.

The secretary was instructed to advertise for bids for the construction of a jail at Shrewsbury, according to the plans and specifications in the hands of the secretary, all bids to be submitted not later than 12 m. on June 5, 1918.

The Jury then adjourned and immediately reconvened in executive session as a board of reviewers of the assessment rolls for the year 1918. After inspection of assessment rolls as compiled by Assessor J. B. Dauenhauer, Jr., it was resolved, on motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Terrebonne, that the rolls as submitted by the assessor be approved and adopted, subject to the corrections offered by the members of the Police Jury.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Secretary.

Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., May 16, 1918.

The Police Jury met this day in special session.

Members present- - Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich, Wm E. Strehle E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, Wm. Luke, A. S. Thompson.

Absent- - John Clancy.

The president announced that the purpose of the meeting was to consider the application for a natural gas franchise from the Canadian Oil Company. After discussing the matter the following report of the investigating committee, appointed at the previous meeting of the Police Jury, was read:

Gretna, La., May 16, 1918.

To the Honorable President and members of the Police Jury Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen :

Your committee appointed to consider the question of granting to the Canadian Oil Company a franchise for the purpose of furnishing natural gas to manufacturers and residents of the Parish of Jefferson

beg leave to report: That the proposed franchise was duly considered and after due deliberation, discussion and consideration of all parties interested, it was moved by L. H. Marrero, Sr., and seconded by John E. Fleury, that the Canadian Oil Company be granted a franchise to furnish natural gas as above set forth, which motion was unanimously concurred in by all of the members of said committee, and your committee begs herewith to return a new franchise with certain provisions not contained in the franchise proposed to this Jury, and we recommend that the attached franchise be considered as our report and that same be passed by this Police Jury.

Respectfully submitted
JULES G. FISHER
 CHAIRMAN.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Stritzinger, the following ordinance was thereupon adopted.

AN ORDINANCE

Granting to the CANADIAN OIL COMPANY, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, the right and privilege of laying in, through, and under the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, its streets alleys, bridges, highways, and other public ways and places, mains, pipes, conduits, paraphernalia, and other adjuncts and appurtenances, necessary, pertinent and convenient to vending and delivering, and to vend and deliver natural gas and gas fuel to consumers thereof, in the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, and any addition which may be hereafter made thereto, and prescribing the methods of exercising said rights and privileges.

SECTION I. Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson State of Louisiana, that the CANADIAN OIL COMPANY, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, be and it is hereby granted the privilege, right, power and authority to erect, construct and maintain at its own expense in, through and under the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, its streets, alleys, highways, bridges, and other public ways and places, mains pipes, conduits, manholes holders reducers, paraphernalia and other adjuncts and appurtenances necessary, pertinent and convenient to vending and delivering, and to vend and to deliver, natural gas and fuel gas, and to establish and to extend the same as may be required to furnish and vend natural gas and fuel gas to customers there-

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of in said Parish of Jefferson, and any additions which may hereafter be made thereto and, also, to construct, maintain and operate one or more mains across the Mississippi River, and across any water or channel within the limits and jurisdiction of said Parish, and, also, to construct, maintain and operate reducers, generators, retorts, purifiers, condensers, and holders, boilers, engines, and such other necessary machinery and do all the things that become necessary to carry out the purpose and objects of said grantee, subject always to the limitations and conditions contained in the ordinance, or any other that may be in force at the time of the approval of this ordinance, and which affects the same, providing that his grant shall be limited to a period of twenty-five (25) years from the date of the acceptance by the

said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, by Notarial Act, and herein after prescribed and provided further, that this privilege is granted upon the following terms and conditions, to wit:

(A) That the said grantee, its survivors, lessees successors and assigns, shall pay semi-annually unto the Treasury of said Parish of Jefferson, three (3) per cent of the gross receipts from all sales of natural gas in said Parish, the amount of sales to be determined from the meter readings, and said semi-annual payments to begin six (6) months after the delivery of gas to consumers and patrons will have commenced, and to continue during the life of this franchise, and to be made each six months thereafter, each payment to be for gross receipts for the period of six (6) months then ending,

(B) That all connections with gas mains shall be made at the cost of said grantee, its survivors lessees, successors and assigns, from the gas mains of the edge of the foundation of the building on the property line, then to the property line itself, and from that point on they shall be made at the cost and expense of the owner of the property, provided, however, that the meters and other appliances for ascertaining the quantity of gas consumed by patrons, shall be installed and furnished the consumers and patrons, by the grantee, its survivors lessees, successors and assigns, without cost to said consumers and patron or patrons. Provided however that the said meter and appliances for ascertaining the quantity of gas consumed shall remain the property of said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns; and that said grantee, its survivors lessees successors and assigns, shall vend and deliver gas along the line of any of the gas mains, to all responsible consumers, who are willing to pay therefor, and shall be obligated to make extensions to their mains when an average of one responsible customer to each 200 feet of such extensions enter into a written contract to purchase gas; the natural gas to be supplied under the ordinance shall be pure natural gas, and shall contain not less than eight hundred (800) British Thermal Units; to each cubic foot, measured at standard pressure temperature; and that it shall be the duty of the Parish Engineer, or other officer or officers, designated by the Sheriff and Police Jury of said Parish of Jefferson, to analyze from time to time, said natural gas, in order that the same may, at all times, be maintained at the standard herein provided for.

(C) That the said Grantee, its survivors, successors, lessees and assigns shall construct, acquire or acquire the use of gas in said Parish of Jefferson, and to be ready to supply has in one year from the acceptance of this ordinance, as hereinafter prescribed, provided, however, that any delays in operations caused by injunctions or other legal proceedings, or by conditions produced or growing out of the war, and by any causes not due to the default or negligence of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, shall not be counted as a part of the period herein specified, but that the said period shall be extended for period of such delays.

SECTION II. Be it further ordained, etc., That all work to be done in the streets, alleys, highways and other public ways, and places, of said Parish of Jefferson by the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, under the provision of this ordinance, including all excavation for the purpose of relaying, repairing, removing and replacing any of the mains and service pipes or portions thereof, and of making connections for consumers, shall be done under the supervision, and to the

satisfaction of the Parish Engineer, or such officer or officers, as may be designated by the Sheriff and Police Jury of said Parish; provided that no street or alley shall be disturbed without the written consent and permission of said Parish Engineer, or other officer or officers, as the case may be; that all excavations shall within Thirty (30) days after the completion of the work or the accomplishment of the purpose for which same were made, be refilled, and the street, alley, or other public way or place, restored to the grantee its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns with the same character of material or a like material to as good condition as it was before the excavations were made, and that in the event the street, alley or other public way or place, shall have not been restored within such time, through the fault or negligence of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, the said Parish shall have the right in the event the work of making the repairs shall have not begun within eight (8) days after written notice and demand, to make or cause such repairs to be made at the cost of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, and in anything done under the provisions of this ordinance shall result in injury or damage to any person or persons, or to public or private property, the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, shall hold the said Parish harmless as against all loss arising to it from such injury or damage.

SECTION III. Be it further ordained, etc., That the grantee, its survivors lessees, successors, and assigns, shall during the life of this franchise vend and deliver natural gas and fuel gas, for general use for domestic and manufacturing purposes and the generation of power, at the following prices per month to each customer and patron, to-wit:
Forty cents per one thousand cubic feet for first 100,000 feet.

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Thirty-five cents per thousand cubic feet for next 900,000 cubic feet
Twenty-five cents per one thousand cubic feet for next 4,000,000 cubic feet. Fifteen cents per one thousand cubic feet for next 5,000,000 cubic feet, per month, delivered to him; provided that if payment of gas by consumers and patrons shall be made within ten days after presentation of monthly bills - all consumers and patrons, paying an amount in excess of twenty cents per thousand cubic feet, shall be entitled to a rebate of five cents per thousand cubic feet.

SECTION IV. Be it Further Ordained, etc., That the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns, shall be permitted to make special rates to consumers of gas for manufacturing purposes, or for generation of power, on such terms as may be mutually agreed upon; provided, that the said rates shall not exceed the maximum rates provided for.

SECTION FIVE. Be it Further Ordained, etc., That for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of any statement of gross receipts rendered by the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, and the amount or amounts due the Parish of Jefferson as provided for in Paragraph "A" of Section 1, the Sheriff and Police Jury of said Parish, or such officer or officers as may be designated, shall have the right at such time as they may deem desirable and through such person or persons as they may from time to time be designated for the purpose, to have access to all the meters or other appliances for the determination of gas sold and delivered

and to all the books, accounts and papers of the Grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns showing the quantity of gas sold and delivered and the gross receipts therefore provided, that said right shall be exercised at such reasonable times and hours as not seriously to interfere with the ordinary conduct of the business of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns.

SECTION VI. Be it further Ordained, etc., That the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, shall be ready, as herein provided, to supply gas in said Parish of Jefferson, within one year from the date of acceptance hereof, and it will hold said Parish harmless against all loss arising from injury or damage to private property, which may be caused in the construction of mains and other works.

SECTION VII. Be it Further Ordained, etc; That as a condition precedent to the exercise by the grantee its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns to the rights under the franchise, the said grantee, its survivors lessees, successors and assigns, bind and obligate itself to furnish to and deposit with the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, within three months after the date of the passage of this ordinance and on the date of acceptance of this franchise a surety amounting to the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) represented either in cash or Liberty Bonds of the United States of America as an evidence of good faith and to guarantee the faithful performance of this contract; provided, that the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, shall be prohibited from exercising the rights herein granted under this ordinance until the acceptance hereof and the deposit of the amount of the surety as herein provided for; and, provided further, that in the event of the failure of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, to deliver gas in the Parish of Jefferson within twelve months from the date of acceptance of this franchise, then and in that event the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns shall ipso facto forfeit said Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) so deposited as hereinabove provided for, to the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson.

SECTION VIII. Be it Further Ordained, etc. That the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns shall at all times maintain sufficient pipe lines from gas well, or wells to furnish a maximum supply of thirty million cubic feet per day, for the requirements of the said Parish of Jefferson; provided, however, that until the said Parish requirements shall have reached the maximum of thirty million cubic feet per day, the said grantee, its survivors, lessees successors and assigns, shall have the right and privilege to vend the surplus of the unconsumed maximum of the thirty million cubic feet of gas per day to other consumers and patrons.

SECTION IX. Be it Further Ordained, etc; That expenses incurred in the printing and promulgation of said franchise herein shall be borne by the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns herein.

SECTION X. Be it Further Ordained etc; That this ordinance shall have full force and effect from and after its promulgation, and that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed, insofar as they conflict therewith.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance, the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS-Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Luke,
NAYS- NONE.
Voting Blank-Burbank, Thompson.

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The ordinance was thereupon adopted.

The committee appointed by the mayor of the City of Gretna composed of Aldermen Gugel, Flesch and Tusson, appeared before the Jury to solicit co-operation with the City of Gretna to provide improved drainage in the rear of that city by the digging of a canal or ditch in the rear section.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Strehle, it was resolved that the Jury appropriate \$250 for said purpose, this amount to be tendered to the Gretna Board of Aldermen, and the work to be approved by the Parish Engineer.

On appeal of Mrs. G. L. Odom and Miss Cecile Gardere, the Jury appropriated \$25 to assist the Child's Welfare Work in Jefferson Parish.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President

Secretary

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Office of Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., June 5, 1918.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present- - Jules G. Fisher, president; A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John Clancy

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they were approved as published in the official journal.

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was deferred to allow various parties to address the Jury.

Attorney Frank J. Clancy appeared in behalf of the property owners of Kenner and complained of condition of the public roads, and on motion duly seconded the matter was referred to the road superintendent, with instructions to afford relief at once.

Sheriff Marrero and Mr. Stephens, representing the Ames Farm Co., of Marrero, offered to dedicate a portion of a certain ridge in the rear of said property, in Road District No. 2, for the purpose of a new public road, instead of the old road from Cousin's camp to Pecan Grove road; and on motion duly seconded the parish engineer was instructed to lay out the proposed new route and report the approximate cost to the jury.

The regular order of business was then resumed.

The following report of the treasurer was received and approved:

Gretna, La., June 5, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of May, 1918:

May 1, 1918- - To balance. \$28,683.57

RECEIPTS

May 4, 1918- - Taxes and interest, less commission \$ 547.63

May 4, 1918- - Business license less commission 35.05

May 4, 1918 Fines and Pound Fees 88.00

May 4, 1918 Reimbursement water bill from Jefferson Parish Fair Association 96.00

May 4, 1918 Franchise 130.00

Total balance and receipts \$29,580.25

DISBURSEMENTS

William Hepting, V. 5457 15.00

William Hepting, V. 5458 75.00

E. M. Hubert, V. 5459 15.00

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E. M. Hubert, V. 5460 75.00

L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 5461 36.00

C. J. Tassin, V. 5462 30.00

John Romero, V. 5463 50.00

Albert Linden, V. 5464 50.00

C. Calahan, V. 5465 25.00

F. L. St. Martin, V. 5466 75.00

M. M. Pitre, V. 5467 75.00

L. W. Wilkinson V. 5468 100.00

David Crockett Steam F. Co., 5469 30.00

St. Joseph's Orphanage, V. 5470 12.00

L. W. Wilkinson V. 5471 6.25

Gould Steam Fire Co., V. 5472 500.00

S. F. Cristina, V. 5473 6.00

Victor Kerner, V. 5474 6.00

Emanuel Fink, V. 5475 9.00

Jos. P. Toner, V. 5476 18.00

James Keller, V. 5477 2.00

L. Lapeyronnie, V. 5478 2.00

Harry E. Pettigrew, V. 5479 3.50

Alonzo Bourgeois, V. 5480 3.20

Louis Guilliot, V. 5481 20.00

Mrs. Lee Tigri, V. 5482 10.00

Mrs. T. M. Adams, V. 5483 13.00

Board of Supervisors V. 5484 100.00

E. M. Hubert, V. 5485 3.00

Harry Verdon, V. 5486 3.00

Henry Gardey, V. 5487 8.00

A. C. Stumpf, V. 5488 80.00

Henry Hoff, V. 5489 47.00

Jos. Koller, V. 5490 29.00

Jos. A. Betat, V. 5491 3.50

Lawrence Pfeiffer, V. 5492 23.00

Chronical Pub. Co., V. 5493	48.00
Henry Kerner, V. 5494	3.00
F. E. Fagot, V. 5495	3.50
School Board, P. of J. V. 5496	48.00
M. Rosenstock, V. 5497	16.80
Texas Oil Co., V. 5498	4.52
Jefferson, T. & S. Bk., V. 5499	42.10
Geo. A. Cox, V. 5500	120.00
The Sherman-William Co., V. 5501	498.76
Metairie Ridge Water Co., V. 5502	2.00
Allen H. Fagot, V. 5503	6.00
Felix & Block, V. 5504	1.25
Clarence Betz, V. 5505	41.50
S. E. Patz, V. 5506	4.50
William Gruhler, V. 5507	2.50
Underwood Typewriting Co., V. 5508	129.25
Chronical Pub. Co., V. 5510	5.11
Mrs. O. B. Stiles, V. 5511	9.00
The Times Picayune, V. 5512	.88
William Hepting, V. 5513	167.04
W. L. Laque, V. 5514	533.80
New Orleans Silica Co., V. 5515	339.86
J. W. Thompson, V. 5516	126.80
M. Rosenstock, V. 5517	16.85
Dr. J. R. Fernandez, V. 5518	115.00
M. M. Pitre, V. 5519	35.85
J. B. Dauenhauer, Jr. V. 5520	500.00
Antonella & Brown, V. 5521	32.20
Kenner Fire Co., V. 5522	5.00
Victor Korner, V. 5523	10.00
Lee Ben. Ass'n V. 5524	10.00
O. Bechtel, V. 5525	12.00
H. Brunies, V. 5526	20.00
Joseph Toranto, V. 5527	35.00
Dan. Walter, V. 5528	30.00
Civic League City of Gretna, V. 5529	100.00
Dan. Eastman, V. 5530	5.00
A. A. Hargis, V. 5531	285.00
W. L. Laque, V. 5532	50.00
Cumberland T. & T. Co., V. 5533	31.45
City of Gretna W. W. V. 5534	6.02
South N. O. L. & T. Co., V. 5535	10.66
A. F. Rouprich, V. 5536	750.93
C. W. Rossner, V. 5537	3.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 5,774.58</u>
Balance	<u>\$23,805.67</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., June 5, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-
I, the undersigned treasurer of the First Good Road District, beg leave
to submit this my report for the month of May, 1918:

May 1, 1918- - To balance	\$731.28
RECEIPTS.	
May 4, 1918- - To Taxes and interest	\$ 40.09
Total balance and receipts	<u>\$771.37</u>
DISBURSEMENTS.	
W. L. Laque, V. 8	\$ 50.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 50.00</u>
Balance	<u>\$721.37</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert, Parish Treasurer,

Gretna, La., June 5, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-
I, the undersigned treasurer of the third Good Road District, beg leave
to submit this my report for the month of May, 1918:

May 1, 1918- - To balance	\$3,982.81
Taxes and interest	3.39
Total balance and receipts	<u>\$3,986.20</u>
DISBURSEMENTS	
W. L. Laque, V. 35	\$ 19.15
A. Baldwin, V. 36	4.30
Total Disbursements	<u>23.45</u>
Balance	<u>\$3,962.75</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La. June 5, 1918

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.,
Gentlemen:-
I, the undersigned Parish treasurer beg leave to submit this my report
for the O. K. R. R. Tax for the month of May, 1918:

May 1, 1918 - - To balance	\$8,870.25
RECEIPTS.	
May 4, 1918- - To taxes and interest	\$ 215.63
Total receipts and balance	<u>\$9,085.88</u>
DISBURSEMENTS	
No. Disbursements.	<u>\$9,085.99</u>
Balance	<u>\$9,085.99</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert, Parish Treasurer.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,
Gentlemen:-
I beg leave to submit this my report for the Good Road District No. 1 for the month of May, 1918:

May 1, 1918- - To balance	\$ 7,689.20
Receipts	
May 4, 1918- - Taxes and interest, less commission	217.59
Total balance and receipts	<u>\$ 7,906.79</u>

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DISBURSEMENTS.

W. L. Laque, V. 164-J	\$ 174.14
N. O. Silica Brick Co., V. 165-J.	55.24
Total Disbursements	<u>229.38</u>
Balance	<u>\$ 7,677.41</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., June 5, 1918.

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson. Gretna, La.,
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned treasurer of the Second Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of May, 1918:

May 1, 1918- - To balance	\$ 13,642.53
RECEIPTS	
May 4, 1918- - To taxes and interest	210.20
Total	<u>\$ 13,852.73</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

W. L. Laque, V. 52-A	\$ 77.89
Muller Shell & Con. Co., V. 53 A	145.00
W. L. Laque, V. 54-A	50.00
Total disbursements	<u>272.98</u>
Balance	<u>\$ 13,579.84</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

The Finance Committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.

Parish Engineer H. L. Zander submitted his report, and on motion duly seconded the district attorney was instructed to notify each property owner who fails to comply with the law that proceedings will be instituted to effect enforcement.

Reports of Constable Chas. Luke and Special Officer Jos. Taranto were received and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Jury.

F. E. Fagot, oil and gas	\$ 113.44
A. Vonherder, expenses	7.50
Texas Oil Co., gas and oil	9.81
Mrs. O. Stiles, feeding dogs,	10.10

J. E. Cahn, electrical works	11.50
L. J. Bernard, supplying vats	10.85
O. Betchel, repairing vats	46.00
Dr. J. R. Fernandez, fees	159.00
Jules Mayronne, hauling	3.00
La. Cypress Co., lumber	11.38
Lucas E. Moore, premium	40.00
Chronical Pub. Co., Staty. assess'r	4.00
C. Viering supplies	15.10
C. V. Unsworth, prof. Serv.	15.00
Kenner Lumber Co., lumber	1.68
V. Kerner, expenses	2.75
Dennis Gomez, vital statistics	12.50
Ed. Crawford " "	4.25
J. J. Paquett " "	10.75
J. Ludwig " "	3.50
F. E. Fagot " "	7.00
Union Electric Co., fan	22.00
J. D. Cathey truck repairs	25.00
J. S. Webb road work	40.00
L. Cintanni Co., road work	54.50
A. F. Rouprich road work	70.77
A. F. Rauptich repair work	31.68
A. J. Schmitt, Jr. vat work	6.00

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A. A. Hargis, building vat	353.05
A. A. Hargis, Repr. to vats	35.75
W. Hepting expenses	6.54
C. T. & T. Co., phone service	29.85
South N. O. L. & T. Co., for electricity C. H. and Jail	9.63
City of Gretna water service	8.66
J. W. Thompson gravel	304.85
H. L. Zander, prof serv.	35.00
Muller Shell Co.,	67.20
E. Chaperon, road work	20.00
M. Seivers, filling vat	4.00
C. Bentz, work on vat	53.00
Marrero Land & Imp. Co., pay roll and material	70.90
L. Buscham, ditching	25.00
Road Supt. Pay roll R. D. No. 2	590.25
Road Supt. pay roll, Gretna	341.51

All other bills were referred to the finance Committee.

Communication from State Traffic relief association was received and ordered filed.

Communication was read from State Board of Affairs relative to proposed legislation to create a local board of equalization in each parish, and on motion duly seconded it was resolved that the Police Jury go on record as opposing this plan and instruct the parish representative and the senator from this district to vote against the bill.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Stritzinger, the

application of Miss Marguerite Westermann approved by the Principal of McDonogh-Jefferson High School, for appointment to scholarship at the State Normal school at Natchitoches, La., was approved and granted.

The request of Marrero Division Volunteer Fire Co., for a donation of \$500.00 for hose for fire purposes was, on motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Strehle, granted, and the secretary instructed to draw a voucher for this amount.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the salary of bridge tenders at Harvey was raised to \$60.00 per month, effective June 1, 1918; and the salaries of the First J. of P., constable of First J. of P. court and the secretary of the Parish Board of Health, which had been reduced 10% in 1917, were re-instated at the original figures. Beginning July 1st, 1918.

The amount of \$50.00 returned by Jos. Sentilles, as proceeds from pound fees and sale of mule at 7th ward pound was received and ordered deposited to the credit of the general fund.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Clancy, Babe Rigaud was appointed cattle dipping vat inspector at Grand Isle at a salary of \$15.00 a month effective June 1, 1918.

On motion of Mr. Luke seconded by Mr. Thompson the following resolution was adopted:

Be it resolved, that the line located on the plan of the Parish Engineer and known as the North Line Street Extension, starting from the Protection levee to Labarre Road in the second unit of the Fourth Drainage District, all of said area between said above points 75 feet is hereby condemned for a public high way, and the property holders are to transfer said area as described on the map over to the Police Jury for the public use of the Parish as a highway.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS- NONE.

On motion of Mr. Burbank duly seconded by Mr. Rouprich the following resolution was adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, in regular session assembled, that the salary of the Road Superintendent be and the same is hereby fixed at the price and sum of \$2400.00 per annum, payable annually.

Be it further ordained, etc., that this salary shall commence after the first day of July 1918.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Burbank, Terrebonne, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS- -NONE.

On motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Stritzinger the following ordinance was adopted:

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Whereas, this parish has adopted certain cattle ordinances which are effective in this parish, for the purpose of preventing cattle from roaming at large upon the public highways; and

Whereas, it is necessary for the proper enforcement of the said ordinances that the officers be employed to carry said ordinances into effect,

Resolved that Harry Wingfield be and he is hereby appointed special pound officer for the purpose of enforcing said cattle ordinances in the parish of Jefferson on the right bank of the Mississippi River in the third and fourth wards:

Resolved further, that said special pound officer be and he shall receive a salary of \$15.00 per month for the services he renders in the enforcement of this ordinance payable monthly.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Terrebonne, Burbank, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS- NONE.

Victor Kerner was appointed cattle dipping vat inspector at Barataria by A. W. Vonherder, supervising inspector, and his salary was fixed at \$15.00 per month. Petition was received from property owners and residents of the 7th, 8th and 9th wards relative to car service of the N. O. Railway and Light Co's O-K. line, and on motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke it was resolved that the legal advisor of the Jury be instructed to take up the matter with the said railways company at once.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher

PRESIDENT

SECRETARY

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Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., July 3, 1918.

The Police Jury met this Day in regular session.
Members present-Jules G. Fisher, president; Wm. E. Strehle, Stritzinger, J. D. Terrebonne, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John Clancy.
Absent- A. Rouprich.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they

North
Line
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were approved as published in the official journal.

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was deferred to allow various parties to address the Jury.

Capt. H. H. Harvey on behalf of the Harvey Canal Land and Improvement Co., requested that some alteration be made in the hoist bridge at Harvey's Canal in order that the bridge might clear the right of way and not prove an obstruction to the passage of water crafts and on motion duly seconded the parish engineer was instructed to co-operate with the South N. O. L. & T. Co., to provide the necessary repairs to said bridge to clear the right of way.

Mr. Stevens of the Ames Farm Land Co., appealed to the Jury to change the route of Barataria road in Road District No. 2, and on motion of Mr. Terrebonne seconded by Mr. Burbank the following was adopted:

Be it resolved that the report of H. L. Zander, parish engineer, covering proposed changes of location of Barataria road be approved and adopted, and the president be authorized to sign the deed of transfer of property having the engineer's recommendation embodied therein.

The regular order of business was then resumed.

The following report of the treasurer was received and approved:

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La;
Gentlemen:-

I, The Undersigned Parish Treasurer beg leave to submit this my report for the month ending June 30, 1918:

June 1, 1918- To Balance \$23,805.77

RECEIPTS.

To taxes and interest, less commission	1,984.28
To refund from Road District No. 2.	1,000.00
To Refund from O. K. R. R.	203.61
To Pound fees	50.00
To void check cancelled	3.00
To interest on deposits	352.50
Total Balance and receipts	<u>\$27,441.43</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Mrs. G. L. Odom, V. 5537	\$ 25.00
Mrs. G. L. Odom, V. 5538	25.00
Wm. Hepting, V. 5538	75.00

E. M. Hubert, V. 5539	75.00
Wm. Hepting, V. 5540	15.00
E. M. Hubert, V. 5541	15.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 5542	36.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 5543	30.00
John Romero, V. 5544	50.00
Albert Linded, V. 5545	50.00
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 5546	100.00
F. L. St. Martin, V. 5547	93.10
M. M. Pitre, V. 5548	112.65
Victor Kerner, V. 5549	15.00
C. Calahan, V. 5550	25.00

David Crockett Steam Fire Co., V. 5551	30.00
St. Joseph's Orphanage, V. 5552	12.00
John E. Boudreaux, V. 5553	55.70
Emanuel Fink, V. 5554	318.30
Louis Lapeyronnie, V. 5555	4.00
J. J. Keller, V. 5556	2.00
Henry Kerner V. 5557	34.00
F. E. Fagot, Sr. V. 5558	11.00
John Hepting, Sr. V. 5559	10.00
J. M. Rollison, V. 5560	3.80
Theo. Enhelbach, V. 5561	3.00
Victor Kerner, V. 5562	3.00
Jos. Toner, V. 5563	30.00
Cumber T. & T. Co., V. 5564	29.85
The South N. O. L. & T. Co., V. 5565	9.63
City of Gretna, W. W. Dept. V. 5566	8.66
William Hepting, V. 5567	6.54
Frank Fleury, Sr. V. 5568	10.00
William Keiffer, V. 5569	7.50
Frank Fleury, V. 5570	2.00
J. W. Thompson, V. 5571	304.85
F. E. Fagot, V. 5572	7.00
John Ludwig, V. 5573	3.50
Edw. F. Crawford, V. 5574	4.25
J. J. Paquette, V. 5575	10.75
Dennis Gomez V. 5576	12.50
Lucas E. Moore, V. 5577	40.00
Chronical Publishing Co., V. 5578	2.94
C. Viering V. 5579	15.10
Kemner Lumber Co., V. 5580	1.68
C. V. Unsworth, V. 5581	15.00
Victor Kerner, V. 5582	2.75
Jules Mayronne, V. 5583	3.00
Albert V. Vonherder, V. 5584	7.50
Union Electric Co., V. 5585	22.00
Texas Oil Co., V. 5586	9.81
L. J. Bernard & Bros. V. 5587	10.85
Jas. E. Cahn. V. 5588	11.50
Mrs. O. B. Stiles, V. 5589	10.10
O. Betchel, V. 5590	46.00
Dr. J. R. Fernandez, V. 5591	159.00
Joseph Toranto, V. 5592	35.00
W. L. Laque, V. 5593	341.51
Jefferson T. & S. Bank, V. 5594	92.15
Ignattus Fabre, V. 5595	2.00
Road District No. 1, V. 5596	200.00
Road District No. 2, V. 5597	98.00
H. L. Zander, V. 5598	35.00
A. J. Schmitt, Jr., V. 5599	6.00
A. F. Rouprich, V. 5600	31.68
A. F. Rouprich, V. 5601	70.77
A. A. Hargis, V. 5602	388.00
Clarence Betz, V. 5603	53.00

C. Severs, V. 5604	4.00
Sheriff's Salary fund V. 5605	3,000.00
F. E. Fagot, V. 5606	113.44
Conzelman & Larkin, V. 5607	101.40
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 6,579.76</u>
Balance on hand	<u>\$20,861.67</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La. June 30, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,

Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-

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I, the undersigned treasurer of the Third Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of June 1918:

RECEIPTS.	
To Balance on hand	\$3,962.75
To taxes and interest	297.93
Total receipts and balance	<u>\$4,260.68</u>
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Road District No. 2, V. 37	\$ 128.48
James S. Webb, V. 38	40.20
Eugene Chaprone, V. 39	20.00
Muller Shell & Const Co., V. 40	67.20
W. L. Laque, V. 41	50.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 305.88</u>
Balance	<u>\$3,954.80</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert
Treasurer Third Good Road District,

Gretna, La., June 30, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson.

Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned treasurer of the First Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of June, 1918:

RECEIPTS.	
To Balance	\$721.37
To taxes and interest	203.32
Total	<u>\$ 924.69</u>
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Road District No. 1 V. 9	\$ 58.00
Total disbursements	58.00
To balance	<u>\$ 956.69</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer of the First Good Road District.

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned treasurer of the First Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of June 1918:
June 1, 1918 - To Balance \$7,677.41

RECEIPTS.	
To taxes and interest	\$ 965.48
To interest on deposits	123.50
To refund for Sub Road "A"	58.00

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To Refund from Parish Gen Fund	200.00
Total Receipts and balance	<u>\$9,024.39</u>

DISBURSEMENTS:	
James D. Cathey, V. 166-J	\$ 509.27
" " " V. 167-J	12.50
L. Centanni, V. 168-J	44.50
" " , V. 169-J	10.00
L. Burcham, V. 170-J	25.00
W. L. Laque, V. 171-J	50.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 651.27</u>
Balance	<u>\$8,373.12</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer First Good Road District.

Gretna, La., July 3, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned treasurer of the Second Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of June, 1918:-
June 1, 1918:- To Balance \$13,579.84

RECEIPTS.	
To taxes and interest	\$ 317.82
To Refund from Parish	98.00
To Refund from third Good Road	128.48
To interest on deposits	202.50
Total Receipts and Balance	<u>\$ 14,326.64</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.	
W. L. Laque, V. 55-A	\$ 590.23
James D. Cathey, V. 57-A	509.27
La. Cypress Lumber Co., V. 57-A	11.38
James D. Cathey V. 58-A	12.50
Jules G. Fisher, V. 59-A	200.00
Parish Gen. Fund V. 60-A	1,000.00
W. L. Laque, V. 61-A	50.00
Marrero Land & Imp. Co., V. 62-A	700.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ 3,074.28</u>
Balance	<u>\$11,252.36</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

The finance committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid. Report of 5th J. of P. and constable 5th J. of P. Court, Jos. Toranto, dipping vat inspector, F. L. St Martin and M. M. Pitre, road superintendent W. Laque and Parish engineer H. L. Zander were received and ordered filed.

The following bills were ordered paid by the Jury:

Lucas E. Moore, premium	35.06
F. E. Fagot, oil and gas	68.39
H. L. Zander, Prof. Sdrv.	50.00
Felix & Block, Mat vat	15.30
H. Gomez Material truck,	6.25
City of Gretna, Water serv.	7.70
O. Betchel, building jail	418.28
A. Currault, building jail	360.00
S. J. McCune, Notary fees	23.00
La. Rd. Mac. Co.,	524.00
F. E. Fagot, Mdse	24.00
Town of Kenner, Gravel	1,527.94
W. U. T. & T. Co., Time	8.50

J. D. Cathey, supplies truck,	6.00
Silica Brick Co., Gravel	129.32
South N. O. L. & T. Co., Electricity for C.H. Jail	10.53
C. Betz work on Vats	51.00
E. Nathan, water to vats	4.00
M. Rosenstock, Mdse	6.00
E. R. Greenlaw, truck repairs	34.95
Mrs. O. B. Stiles, maintaining Parish trailers	9.10
J. Steckler, insect destroyer	.70
H. Randazzo, labor	4.00
Dr. J. R. Fernandez, fees	100.00
Road Supt. Pay roll R. D. 1	815.45
Road Supt. Pay roll R. D. 2	43.75
Road Supt. Expenses	79.40

All other bills were referred to the Finance Committee.

On recommendation of Supt. J. C. Ellis, it was resolved that the Police Jury provide for the appointment of a beneficiary from this Parish to the State University at Baton Rouge and that application therefore be received and the appointment be given to the applicant who successfully passes the competitive examination required.

Communications from Julius F. Funk offering sum of \$200 for Avery tractor was laid over.

Communications from N. O. Association of Commerce State Board of Affairs, and Miss. M. Westermann were received and ordered filed.

Communications from Judge John E. Fleury was received and on motion duly seconded it was resolved that the Police Jury pay to St. Josephs

Orphanage the sum of \$12 per month for the care of two Keller children of Gretna, beginning Aug. 1, 1918. Request of Prof. W. L. Wilkinson for an increase of \$25 per month in his salary was refused.

Request of 4th J. P. and Constables of 4th J. P. for an increase of 10% in salary was granted, beginning Aug. 1st. 1918

Request of Dr. A. J. K. Genella, President of Parish Board of Health, for increase of 10% in salary was granted, beginning Aug. 1st. 1918.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Clancy, Geo. A. Cox was elected Parish Printer for fiscal year July 1, 1918 to July 1, 1919 on same terms as heretofore at annual salary of \$600.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Burbank it was resolved that the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson do hereby accept the report of the Jury of freeholders, appointed to lay out and trace new public roads from the intersection of the Protection Levee and Northline Street in the Town of Kenner, and to open Iona Street from Northline Street to Frisco Avenue, and hereby declares the said new roads to be public highways and same are hereby dedicated to the public for road purposes.

Report of
Jury of
Freeholders
accepted.

Be it further resolved, that the amounts assessed by said Jury of freeholders, for damages suffered by parties who were unwilling to donate a right-of-way, be and the same are hereby ordered paid by the Police Jury, the transfer of property to be made within the next 60 days and the Police Jury reserves the rights to abandon the whole or part of the project should the cost of the right-of-way exceed the amount the Police Jury is willing to pay beyond the amount recommended by the Jury of freeholders.

On motion of Mr. Strehle, seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following was adopted:

Be it resolved, that commencing the month of July 1918, the appropriation of \$30 per month made for the operation, upkeep and maintenance of the fire fighting apparatus of the David Crockett Steam Fire Company of Gretna, La. be increased to the sum of \$40 per month and the Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to issue voucher check for the sum of \$40 per month instead of \$30 per month as heretofore.

On motion of Mr. Strehle seconded by Mr. Terrebonne the following was adopted:

WHEREAS, under section 5 of Act 192 of 1916, it is provided that should there remain any unconsumed fees in the clerk's salary fund received from the granting of mortgage certificates, the said balance if any, shall be turned over to the Parish Treasurer, and,

WHEREAS, it appears that after paying all expenses there remains a balance in unconsumed fees in the Clerk's salary fund amounting to the sum of \$1300, the said year commencing July 1917 and ending June 1918, which amount when transferred will become a part of the general fund.

Therefore be it resolved that the said balance of unconsumed fees remaining in the Clerk's salary fund and amounting to the sum of \$1300.00 be and it is hereby transferred from the Clerk's Salary fund into the Parish Treasury of the Parish of Jefferson and the Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to make said transfer, as herein provided for.

Be it further resolved, that the contract made by the President of the Police Jury on behalf of this Jury with Geo. A. Cox, for the purposes of renewing the indexes and records in the office of the clerk of Court and for binding the books in said office and the same is hereby approved and ratified and in order to meet the payments due under said contract so made on the 6th of April, 1918.

Be it further resolved, that the said sum of \$1300.00 transferred from the Clerk's Salary Fund into the General fund of the Parish is and should be considered as a surplus over the revenues of this Jury and the same is hereby appropriated out of the General fund for the purpose of paying the amounts due and to become due under the contract heretofore recited for indexing and binding the books and records in the office of the clerk and ex-officio Recorder of this Parish.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, complaints has been made to this Police Jury through the Parish Board of Health that one of the citizens of this Parish died as a result of Typhoid Fever, which was caused by germs of said fever coming into the Parish from the City of New Orleans through the drainage canal known as Seventeenth Street Canal, at a place known as Bucktown:

Be it resolved, that the president of this Jury be and he is

hereby requested to direct and instruct the secretary of this body to write a letter of complaint to the Commission Council of the City of New Orleans as well as to the City Board of Health of the City of New Orleans requesting those two bodies to take steps looking to the abatement of such nuisance and in a measure prevent the spreading of disease.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Terrebonne, Dr. A. W. Vonherder was authorized to have a cattle dipping vat constructed at

Contract of Geo. A. Cox, to Index and Bind Books in the Clerk of Courts office

Lafitte, according to the agreement with the Louisiana Meadows Co., the Jury to donate \$100.00 therefore.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke, the service of Jos. Toranto a special officer to enforce the cattle roaming ordinance were ordered discontinued from date, as per terms of appointment.

On motion duly seconded the sum of \$8 received from the 5th J. of P. as fines collected from violation of cattle roaming ordinance was ordered to be deposited to the credit of the general fund.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Secretary.

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Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La. Aug. 7, 1918.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members Present - Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, E. M. Conzelmann, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John Clancy

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they were approved as published in the official journal.

On motion duly seconded the regular order of business was deferred, and on motion of Mr. Thompson the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS, it has pleased an all-wise Providence to remove from the scenes of earthly labor our esteemed and beloved member, J. D. Terrebonne, Police Juror of the Forth Ward;

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, in regular session assembled, that in the demise of our honored member this body realizes the loss of one whose wise counsel in the matters of public administration, it was deeply indebted; inspired by conscientious conception of his duty to the people he was ever painstaking and careful in his capacity as a member of this body, and the fruits of his counsel are evident in the thoroughness of his labors in our behalf;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the members of this Police Jury, while bowing submissively to the will of the Great Judge who rules the destinies of mankind yet deeply deplore the loss of one whose work and usefulness as an official was yet in its prime and who bid fair to achieve greater honors with the added years that seemed still before him;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that his bereaved widow and son, and to the brothers and sisters, and other relatives who survive to mourn his loss, the members of this Police Jury tender this expression of their deepest and sincere sympathy, in the dark hour that has come upon them;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the secretary be instructed to forward a copy of these resolutions to the widow of the lamented Police Juror and that a page of the minute book of this Police Jury be reserved for their inscription.

Eulogies on the life and public service of the late J. Dupre Terrebonne were delivered by President Jules G. Fisher and Attorneys C. A. Buchler and E. M. Conzelman.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Wm. Hepting
Secretary.

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Office of the Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La., Aug. 7, 1918.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session.

Members present - Jules G. Fisher, President, A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last regular meeting was dispensed with, and were approved as published in the official journal.

Mr. E. M. Conzelmann presented his commission as member of the Jury from the fourth ward, appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. J. D. Terrebonne.

On motion duly seconded he was seated. The regular order of business was then resumed.

The following report of the Treasurer was received and approved:
Gretna, La. Aug. 7, 1918.

Hon. members and president of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of July

1918:

July 1, 1918 - To balance..... \$20,858.67

RECEIPTS.

July 8, 1918 - Taxes and interest, less commissions..... \$ 299.56

July 8, 1918 - Parish license, less commission..... 249.97

July 8, 1918 - Pound fees..... 8.00

July 8, 1918 - Ferry franchise, M. & P. Ferry..... 375.63

Total balance and receipts..... \$21,791.83

DISBURSEMENTS.

William Hepting, V. 5608 \$ 75.00

William Hepting, V. 5609 15.00

E. M. Hubert, V. 5610 75.00

E. M. Hubert, V. 5611 15.00

L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 5612 40.00

C. J. Tassin, V. 5613 30.00

John Romero, V. 5614 60.00

Albert Linden, V. 5615 60.00

J. W. Caranham, V. 5616 25.00

F. L. St. Martin, V. 5617	85.35
M. M. Pitre, V. 5618	106.15
Victor Kerner, Jr. V. 5619	23.50
Babe Rigaud, V. 5620	15.00
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 5621	100.00
Joseph Toranto, V. 5622	35.00
Harry Wingfield, V. 5623	15.00
David Crocket Steam Fire Company, V. 5624	30.00
St. Joseph's Orphanage, V. 5625	12.00
Antonella & Brown, V. 5626	4.00
Roy Terrebonne, V. 5627	7.10
Texas Oil Co., V. 5628	9.86
John Abadie, V. 5629	2.50
R. M. Denoux, V. 5630	10.10
Roy Terrebonne, V. 5631	14.00
Gretna, Exchange & Savings Bank, V. 5632	55.15
Frank T. Fleury, V. 5633	4.00
M. Rosenstock, V. 5634	6.00
A. Green, V. 5635	94.50
Mrs. O. B. Stiles, V. 5636	9.10
J. Steckler Seed Co., V. 5637	.70
Henry Randazzo, V. 5638	4.00
John R. Fernandez, 5639	100.00
E. Nathan, V. 5640	4.00
Clarence Betz, V. 5641	51.00
South N. O. Light & Traction Co., V. 5642	10.53
Western Union Tel. & Tel. Co., 5643	8.00
Sherwin Williams, V. 5644	114.38
S. J. McCune, V. 5645	23.00
O. Betchel, V. 5646	418.26
Antonella & Brown V. 5647	2.00
Adrien Caurralt, V. 5648	360.00
City of Gretna, Water Dept. V. 5649	7.70
Cumberland Tel. & Tel. Co.,	29.00
George A. Cox, V. 5651	150.00
Felix & Block, V. 5652	1.80
Lucas E. Moore, V. 5653	35.06
Frank E. Fagot, V. 5654	24.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$2,376.74</u>

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Balance \$19,415.09

Respectfully,
Ed. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Aug. 6, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I beg leave to submit this my report for the First Good Road District for the month of July, 1918.

July 1, 1918- - To balance \$ 8,373.12

RECEIPTS.

July 5, 1918, To taxes and interest less commissions \$ 182.27

Total receipts and balance \$ 8,555.39

DISBURSEMENTS.

Edward R. Greenlaw, V. 172 34.95

La. Road Machine Co., V. 173 262.00

N. O. Silica Brick Co., V. 174 129.00

W. L. Loque, V. 175 855.15

Marrero L. & Imp. Co., V. 176 140.00

Felix & Block, V. 177 13.50

Henry Gomez, V. 178 6.25

F. E. Fagot, V. 179 68.39

W. L. Loque, V. 180 75.00

Town of Kenner, V. 1,527.94

Total Disbursements \$3,112.20

Balance \$5,443.19

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Aug. 7, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-
I beg leave to submit this my report for the Second Good Road District
for the month of July 1918:
July 1, 1918- - To balance \$11,252.36

RECEIPTS.

July 5, 1918- - To taxes and interest less commission 8.59

Total Balance and receipts \$11,260.25

DISBURSEMENTS.

Texas oil Co., V. 63 23.00

La. Road Machine Co., V. 64 262.00

W. L. Loque, V. 65 83.45

H. L. Zander, V. 66 50.00

W. L. Laque V. 67 75.00

Total Disbursements 493.45

Balance \$10,767.50

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Aug. 6, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-
I, the undersigned treasurer of the Third Good Road District, beg leave
to submit this my report for the month of July 1918.
July 1, 1918- - To balance \$ 3,954.80

RECEIPTS.

July 5, 1918- - To taxes and interest less commissions 88.98

Total receipts and Balance \$ 4,043.78

DISBURSEMENTS.

James D. Cathey, V. 42. 6.00

Marrero Land & Imp. Assn. V. 43 118.50

Total Disbursements 114.28

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Aug. 7, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson
Gentlemen:-
I, the undersigned treasurer of the First Good Road District, beg leave
to submit this my report for the second Unit for Month of July, 1918;
July 1, 1918. To balance \$866.69

RECEIPTS.

July 6, 1918. To taxes and interest less commissions 57.64

Balance and receipts \$924.33

DISBURSEMENTS.

No Disbursements

Balance \$924.33

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Aug. 7, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.
Gentlemen:-
I, the undersigned Parish treasurer beg leave to submit this my report
for the O. K. R. R. Fund for the month of July 1918:
July 1, 1918 To balance \$9,839.00

RECEIPTS.

July 6, 1918- To taxes and interest less commissions 180.65

Total balance and receipts \$10,019.65

DISBURSEMENTS.

No Disbursements

Balance \$10,019.65

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert
Treasurer.

The Finance Committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on mo-
tion duly seconded same was adopted and bills were ordered paid.
Report of the Parish Autor was received and ordered filed.
The report of the Parish Engineer was received and ordered filed.
The bill of M. Rosenstock for merchandise was referred to the Finance
Committee.

The bill of T. Tregre for burying dead animals and fumigating infected
places was referred to the Finance committee.
All other bills were ordered paid.
Communication from State Traffic Relief Association, Louisiana Railway
and Navigation Co., Alfred E. Bonnabel, J. W. Sheldon and St. Joseph's
Orphan Asylum were read and ordered filed.

On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Thompson an extension of
of thirty days was granted to the Canadian Oil Company to furnish bond
to cover Natural Gas franchise. until Sept. 16, 1918.
Request of Ames Farm Land Company to move a number of cabins on

their property over the public shell road was received, and on motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Conzelmann the request was granted in accordance with the Company's proposal, the work to be done under the supervision of the Road Superintendent.

The sum of \$12 received from E. Goissonheimer, for ferry Franchise at Nine Mile Point, was ordered to be deposited to the credit of the general fund. The following agreement between the Jefferson Plaquemines Drainage District, represented by Geo. A. Hero, president, and the Police Jury, represented by Jules G. Fisher, president was read:

Agreement with the Jeff. P. Drainage Dist. to Dig Canal from out fall Canal to Verett's

This agreement entered into this 7th day of August 1918 by and between the Jefferson Plaquemines Drainage district herein represented by Geo. A. Hero, President, Duly authorized by resolution of the Board, and the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, herein represented by Jules G. Fisher, its President, duly authorized by resolution of said Police Jury witnesseth:

The said Drainage District agrees to build, dig and construct a certain drainage Canal from the Outfall canal to and connecting the Verett Canal for the actual cost of construction not to exceed the sum of \$3,000.00, of which the sum of \$375.72 has been paid for work already done and receipt of which is acknowledged, and the balance is to be paid as follows:

- \$624.28 when one third of the work is completed.
- \$1,000.00 when two-thirds of the work is completed.
- \$1,000.00 when the whole work is finally completed and accepted.

The above amounts are to be paid by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson. Should the cost not be equal to the sum of \$3,000.00 the said Police is to pay of construction

The Drainage District agrees to keep their dredge boat continuously on this work and not remove same until work is completed.

It is further agreed that the Drainage District shall dig a Canal from the Verret Canal, to about Lafayette Street, in the City of Gretna, for actual cost of construction, to be paid by the Police Jury, and after completing the work provided for in previous paragraph, said Drainage District shall continue to use their dredge boat on the work herein provided for and shall not remove same until both canals are completed.

Agreement to Dig Canal from Verett Canal to Lafayette Street.

On motion of Mr. Conzelmann seconded by Mr. Strehle the following resolution was adopted: Be it resolved, that the president of this Police Jury be and he is hereby authorized to sign the agreement entered into this day Jefferson and Plaquemines Drainage

District relative to constructing canals in the rear of Gretna.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Conselmann, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, and Clancy.

NAYS-NONE.

On motion of Mr. Conzelmann seconded by Mr. Thompson the following resolution was adopted:

WHEREAS there is now on deposit with the Parish treasurer sufficient to pay the annual contribution due to Orleans-Kenner Electric Railway Company for the year 1918:

Be it resolved, that the assessor of the Parish of Jefferson be and he is hereby requested not to extend on the assessment roll for the year 1918 the special tax for the benefit of the said railway company.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Conselmann, Burbank, Thompson Luke, Clancy.

Nays-NONE.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Luke the following resolution was adopted:

Be it ordained by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, in regular meeting assembled, that it shall be unlawful for any railway corporation, its officers, agents, and employers to block or otherwise obstruct with its trains or cars, the public road crossings in this Parish for a longer period than ten minutes;

Be it further ordained, that any person, firm or corporation convicted of violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be liable to a fine of \$25 or imprisonment in the Parish prison not exceeding thirty days, or both at the discretion of the court.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance resulted as follows-

YEAS- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Conselmann, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS-NONE.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Thompson it was resolved that the Parish property at the corner of Newton and Third Streets, in Gretna, be advertised for sale, offers to be received at the next meeting of the Jury Sept. 12, 1918.

Request of C. Viering to have bridge restored that spans Bayou des Familles to connect public road at Peach Orchard and Crown Point and Bohm, was referred to the Parish Engineer to investigate and report same at next meeting of the Jury.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke the secretary was instructed to notify Constables Hall and Root to cause the dumping of garbage on the public road to be stopped.

On motion duly seconded the salary of J. W. Callahan ferryman at Wagner Ferry Baratavia, was increased \$10 per month. Beginning Aug. 7, 1918.

On motion duly seconded the following budget of expenses for the year 1918 was adopted:

BUDGET OF EXPENSE.	
Public Schools	\$50,000.00
Sheriff's salary	4,250.00
Justices of Peace and Constables	8,850.00
Coroner's fee and salary	1,600.00
Secretary's salary	1,200.00
Treasurer's salary	1,200.00
Bridge-tenders, Harvey canal	1,440.00
Pontoon ferry-tenders Baratavia auditor	840.00
Dipping vat inspector	360.00
Official printer	2,200.00
Board of Health	500.00
Public Roads	1,400.00
Grand and Petit Jurors	5,000.00
Districts Attorney's fees	1,500.00
Indexing, rebinding books clerk of Court's Office	1,800.00
Police Jurors per diem and mil'g	1,900.00
Bonded debts	950.00
Jailors salary	3,100.00
Janitors salary	900.00
Fire Companies	900.00
Corners Jury Scrip	480.00
TOTAL	200.00
	\$98,970.00

PROBABLE EXPENSE.	
Sheriff's Office	4,000.00
Maintainance of Prisoners	4,000.00
Coroner's Office	25.00
Dist. Atty's Office	100.00
Assessor's Office	100.00
Harvey Bridge	400.00
J. of P. Constables	250.00
Farm Demonstrator	25.00
Cattle Dipping vats	500.00
C. H. and Jail supplies	2,300.00
Parish Eng. Service	800.00
Drainage canals	4,000.00
Incidentals	500.00
Office Police Jury	100.00
Dipping vat chemicals	2,000.00
Dipping vat repairs	500.00
TOTAL	\$19,600.00

The roll being called on the adoption of the above budget the vote resulted as follows.
YEAS- Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Conzelmann, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.

NAYS-NONE.

The Jury then adjourned Sept. 12, 1918 at 11 o'clock.

Jules G. Fisher
President.

Secretary.

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Office of Police Jury,
Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La. Sept. 18, 1918.

The Police Jury met this day in regular session,
Members present- - Jules G. Fisher, president; A. Rouprich, Wm. E. Strehle, E. Stritzinger, E. M. Conzelmann, H. P. Burbank, A. S. Thompson, Wm. Luke, John Clancy.

Reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with, and they were approved as published in the Official Journal.

The regular order of business was deferred with to allow various parties to address the Jury.

On the request of Prof. L. W. Wilkinson, it was resolved, on motion of Mr. Conzelmann duly seconded, that the Police Jury appropriate \$50 per month to assist the Parish Council of Defense to provide Stenographers and clerical help to the Council.

D. H. Theard, representing the Canadian Oil Company, whose franchise to furnish Natural gas throughout Jefferson Parish had become void after Sept. 16 through failure of the company to furnish bond submitted a proposition to the Police Jury offering full paid capital stock of the Gulf State-Corporation to the amount of \$10,000 in lieu of a bond.

On motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke the proposition was rejected and the company required to furnish a bond.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Burbank, the following ordinance was adopted:

AN ORDINANCE.

Granting the Canadian Oil Company, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, the right and privilege of laying in, through, and under the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, its streets, alleys, bridges, highways, and other public ways and places, mains, pipes, conduits, paraphernalia, and other adjuncts and appurtenances, necessary, pertinent and convenient to vending and delivering, and to vend and deliver, natural gas, and fuel gas to consumers thereof, in the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, and any additions which may be hereinafter made thereto, and prescribing the methods of exercising said rights and privileges.

SECTION 1. BE IT ORDAINED by the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson State of Louisiana, that the CANADIAN OIL COMPANY, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, be and it is hereby granted the privileges, right, power and authority to erect, construct and maintain at its own expense, in, through, and under the Parish of Jefferson, State of Louisiana, its streets, alleys, highways bridges and other places, mains conduits, pipes, manholes, holders, reducers, paraphernalia and other adjuncts and appurtenances necessary, pertinent and convenient to vending and delivering, and to vend and deliver, natural gas and fuel gas, and to establish and extend the same as may be required to furnish and vend natural gas and fuel gas to customers thereof in said Parish of Jefferson, and any additions which may be hereinafter made thereto, and, also, to construct and maintain and operate one or more

mains across the Mississippi River, and across any other water or channel within the limits and jurisdiction of said Parish, and, also, to construct, maintain, and operate reducers, generators, retorts, purifiers, condensers, and holders, boilers, engines, and such other machinery, and do all the things that become necessary and expedient to carry out the purpose and object of said grantee, subject always to the limitations and conditions contained in the Ordinance, or any other that may be in force at the time of the approval of this Ordinance and which affects the same, providing, that this grant shall be limited to a period of twenty-five years (25), from the date of the acceptance by the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns, by Notarial Act, as hereinafter prescribed, and provided further, that this privilege is granted upon the following terms and conditions, to-wit:

(A) That the said grantee, its successors, survivors lessees, and assigns, shall pay semi-annually unto the Treasury of said Parish of Jefferson, three percent of the gross receipts for all sales of Natural gas in said Parish, the amount of sales to be determined from the meter readings and said semi-annual payments to begin six (6) months after the delivery of gas to consumers and patrons will have commenced and to continue during the life of this franchise, and to be made each six months thereafter, each payment to be for gross receipts for the period of six (6) months then ending.

(B) That all connections with gas mains shall be made at the cost of said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, from the gas mains to the edge of the foundation of the building on the property line, or if there are no foundations of the building on the property line, than the property line itself, and from that point on they shall be made at the cost and expense of the owner of the property, provided, however, that the meters and other appliances for ascertaining the quantity of gas consumed by patrons, shall be installed and furnished to the consumers and patrons, by the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns without cost to the consumers and patrons, or patron. Provided, however, that the said meter and appliances for ascertaining the quantity of gas consumed shall remain the property of said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns; that the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns shall vend and deliver gas along the line of any of the gas mains, to all responsible consumers, who are willing to pay thereof, and shall be obliged to make extensions to their mains when on:

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average of one responsible customer to each two-hundred (200) feet of such extensions enter into a written contract to purchase gas, the natural gas to be supplied under the ordinance, shall be pure natural gas, and shall contain no less than eight-hundred (800) British Thermal Units to each cubic foot, measured at standard pressure temperature; and that it shall be the duty of the Parish Engineer, or other officer or officers, designated by the Sheriff and Police Jury of said Parish of Jefferson, to analyze from time to time said natural gas, in order that the same may at all times, be maintained at the standard herein provided for.

(C) That the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns

shall construct, acquire or acquire the use of gas mains in said Parish of Jefferson, and be ready to supply gas in one year from the acceptance of this ordinance, as hereinafter prescribed, provided, however that any delays in operation caused by injunctions, or other legal proceedings, or by conditions produced or growing out of the war, and by causes not due to the fault or negligence of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns shall not be counted as part of the period herein specified, but that the said period shall be extended of such delays.

SECTION (II) BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, etc, that all work to be done in the streets, alleys, highways, and other public ways, and places, of said Parish of Jefferson by the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, under the provisions of this ordinance, including all excavations for the purpose of relaying, repairing, removing and replacing any of the mains, and service pipes or portions thereof, and of making connections for consumers shall be done under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Parish Engineer, or such officer or officers, as may be designated by the Sheriff and Police Jury of said Parish; provided that no street or alley, or other public ways or places shall be disturbed without the written consent and permission of said Parish Engineer, or other officer or officers, as the case may be; that all excavations shall within thirty (30) days after completion of the works or the accomplishment of the purpose for which same were made, be refilled, and the street, alley, or other public way or place, restored by the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, with the same character of material or a like material to as good conditions as it was before the excavations were made, and that in the event the street, alley, or other public ways or places, shall have not been restored within such time, through the fault or negligence of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns the said Parish shall have the right in the event the work of making the repairs shall have been begun within eight (8) days after written notice and demand, to make or cause such repairs to be made at the cost of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, and if any thing done under the provisions of this ordinance shall result in injury or damage to any person or persons or to public or private property, the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, shall hold the said Parish harmless as against all loss arising to it from such inquiry or damage.

SECTION (III) BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, etc; that the grantee, its survivors lessees, successors and assigns, shall during the life of this franchise vend and deliver gas and fuel gas, for general use for domestic and manufacturing purposes, and for generation of power, at the following prices per month to each customer and patron or patrons, to-wit:

Forty cents per one thousand cubic feet for first 100,000 cubic feet.
Thirty five cents per one thousand for next 900,000 cubic feet.
Twenty five cents per one thousand cubic feet for next 4,000,000 cubic feet

Fifteen cents per one thousand cubic feet for next 5,000,000 cubic feet

Twelve cents per one thousand cubic feet for next 5,000,000 cubic feet

Ten cents per one thousand cubic feet for next 5,000,000 cubic feet per

month delivered to him; provided that if payment of gas by consumers and patrons shall be made within ten days after presentation of monthly bills, and consumers and patrons, paying an amount in excess of twenty-cents per thousand cubic feet, shall be entitled to a rebate of five cents per thousand cubic feet.

SECTION (IV). BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, etc., that the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns shall be permitted to make special rates to consumers of gas for manufacturing purposes, or for generation of power, on such terms as may be mutually agreed upon; provided, that the said rates shall not exceed the maximum rates herein provided for.

SECTION (V) BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, etc., that for the purpose of ascertaining the correctness of any statement of gross receipts rendered by the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns and the amount or amounts due the Parish of Jefferson as provided for in "Parahrag" A" of Section 1, the Sheriff and Police Jury of said Parish, or such officer or officers, as may be designated, shall have the right as such time or times as they may deem desirable and through such person or persons as they may from time to time be designated for the purpose to have access to all the meters or other appliances for the determination of gas sold and delivered and to all the books, accounts and papers of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns showing the quantity of gas sold and delivered and the gross receipts therefore, provided, that said right shall be exercised at such reasonable times and hours as not seriously to interfere with the ordinary conduct of the business of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns.

SECTION (VI) BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, etc., that the grantee, its survivors lessees, successors and assigns, shall be ready, as herein provided, to supply gas in said Parish of Jefferson, within nine months from the date of acceptance here of, and it will hold said Parish harmless against all loss arising from inquiry or

damage to private property, which may be caused in the construction of mains and other works.

SECTION (VII). BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, etc., that as a condition precedent to the exercise by the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns, of the right under this franchise, the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns binds and obligates its self to furnish to and deposit with the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson, within three months after date of the passage of this ordinance and on the date of acceptance of this franchise, a surety amounting to the sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) represented either by a bond or in cash or in Liberty Bonds of the United States of America as an evidence of good fate and to guarantee the faithful performance of this contract; provided, that the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns shall be prohibited from exercising the rights herein granted under this ordinance until the acceptance hereof and the deposit of the amount of the surety as herein provided for; and provided, further, that in the event of the

failure of the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns to deliver gas in the Parish of Jefferson, within nine months from the date of acceptance of this franchise, then and in that event the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns shall also forfeit said Five Thousand Dollars, (\$5,000.00) so deposited as hereinabove provided for, to the Police Jury of the Parish of Jefferson.

SECTION (VIII). BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, etc., that the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns shall at all times maintain sufficient pipe lines, from gas well or wells to furnish a maximum supply of thirty million cubic feet per day, for the requirement of the said Parish of Jefferson; provided, however, that until the said Parish requirements shall have been reached the maximum of thirty million cubic feet per day, the said grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors and assigns, shall have the right and privilege to vend the surplus of the unconsumed maximum of thirty million cubic feet of gas per day to other consumers and patrons.

SECTION (IX). BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, etc., that any expense incurred in the printing and promulgation of said franchise herein shall be borne by the grantee, its survivors, lessees, successors, and assigns herein.

SECTION (X). BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED, etc., that this ordinance shall have full force and effect from and after its promulgation, and that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed, in so far as they conflict therewith.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above ordinance the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- - Rouprich , Strehle, Stritzinger, Conzelmann, Burbank, Thompson, Luke and Clancy.
NAYS- - NONE.

Dr. A. W. Vonherder addressed the Jury in regard to cattle tick eradication and stated that dipping would continue until December 26, by which time the tick would be practically eradicated. The regular order of business was then resumed.

The following report of the treasurer was received and approved:
Gretna, La., Sept. 18, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury Parish of Jefferson,
Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-
I, the undersigned treasurer of the First Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of August,
Aug. 1, 1918 to Balance \$5,443.19

RECEIPTS.
Aug. 8, 1918 to taxes and interest less commission 498.86
Total Balance and receipts \$5,942.05

DISBURSEMENTS.
Stauffer Ashleman & Co., V. 182 J. 33.40
W. L. Laque, V. 183 J. 990.08
Marrero Land and Imp. Co., V. 184 J. 106.00
James D. Cathey, V. 185 J. 4.69
Texas Oil Co., V. 186 J. 46.44
N. O. Silica Brick Co., V. 187 J. 572.04
W. L. Laque, V. 189 J. 60.00
Interstate T. & S. Co., V. 190 J. 2,500.00

T. M. Johnson V. 191 J.	117.00
F. E. Fagot, V. 192 J.	29.22
Interstate T. & S. Bank, V. 193 J.	1,000.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$5,558.86</u>
Balance,	\$ 383.19

Respectfully,
E. M. HUBERT,
Treas. First Good Road District.

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Gretna, La., Sept. 18, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I, the under signed treasurer of the Second Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for the month of August 1918.

Aug. 1, to balance \$ 10,767.50

RECEIPTS.

Aug. 8, 1918, to taxes and interest less commission	56.61
Total Balance and receipts	<u>\$ 10,824.10</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Stauffer Ashleman, V. 68 A	\$ 33.40
Muller Shell Co., V. 69 A	377.40
Gretna, Exch. & S. Bank, V. 70 A	247.65
W. L. Laque, V. 71 A	110.50
Marrero Land & Imp. Co., V. 72 A.	85.50
James D. Cathey, V. 73 A.	4.68
Texas Oil Co., V. 74 A.	36.34
La. Road Machine Co., V. 75 A.	262.00
International Harvester Co., V. 76 A.	31.35
Interstate T & S. Bank, V. 77 A.	2,500.00
Interstate T. & S. Bank, V. 78 A.	1,000.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$4,688.82</u>
Balance	<u>\$6,135.19</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Sept. 18, 1918

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of August, 1918.

Aug. 1, 1918 To Balance \$19,415.09

RECEIPTS.

Taxes and interest less commission	1,063.89
License, Less Com.	361.95
12 Mile Point Ferry	12.00
Clerk's salary fund	1,910.91
Sheriff's Salary Fund	943.59
Total Balance and Receipts	<u>\$ 23,707.43</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Jefferson T. & S. Bank, V. 5655	\$ 912.50
David Crockett Steam Fire Co., V. 5656	40.00
St. Joseph's Orphanage, V. 5657	12.00
L. W. Wilkinson, V. 5658	100.00
Babe Rigaud, V. 5659	22.10
Victor Kerner, V. 5660	20.10
M. M. Pitre, V. 5661	110.00
F. L. St. Martin, V. 5662	85.35
J. W. Calahan, V. 5663	25.00
Albert Linder, V. 5664	60.00
John Romero, V. 5665	60.00
C. J. Tassin, V. 5666	30.00
L. R. Lapeyronnie, V. 5667	40.00
Ed. M. Hubert, V. 5668	100.00
Wm. Hepting, V. 5669	100.00
Robert Langridge, V. 5670	2.00
James J. Keller, V. 5671	8.00
Jefferson T. & S. Bank V. 5672	4.00
W. L. Laque, V. 5673	35.93
A. A. Hargis, V. 5674	46.00
Geo. A. Cox, V. 5675	150.00
M. Rosentock, V. 5676	3.00
E. Nathan, V. 5677	18.00
Duvic Hardware, C. V. 5678	2.40
L. J. Bernard, V. 5679	3.34
Dr. J. R. Fernandez, V. 5680	67.00
Dr. Geo. Rossner, V. 5681	30.00
Dr. J. R. Fernandez, V. 5682	30.00
City of Gretna, W. W. Dept., V. 5683	10.46
South N. O. L. & Power Co., V. 5684	12.27
Cumberland. Tel. & Tel. Co., V. 5685	30.20

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C. Vering, V. 5686	15.45
Clarence Betz, V. 5687	52.00
Texas Oil Co., V. 5688	13.49
J. W. Thompson, V. 5689	56.14
C. E. Brenholts, V. 5690	60.30
Mrs. O. B. Stiles, V. 5691	9.55
The Automobile Ins. Co., V. 5692	13.60
E. Perry, V. 5693	28.00
Louis Guillot, V. 5694	26.00
H. L. Zander, V. 5695	50.00
F. E. Fagot, V. 5696	2.65
C. Trannchaud, V. 5697	2.00
Prudomme, Trege, V. 5698	62.00
Felix & Block V. 5699	6.00
Jeff. Plaquemines, Drainage Dist. V. 5700	375.72
Mrs. J. D. Terrebonne, V. 5701	50.40
J. D. Dauenhauer, Jr., V. 5703	500.00

American Surety Co., V. 5702	50.00
Miss Margrate Westermann, V. 5704 "A"	15.00
L.H. Marrero, Sheriff, V. 5704 "B"	506.79
Total	<u>\$4,066.74</u>
Balance	

\$19,640.69

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Sept. 18, 1918.

Hon President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna. La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the Third Good Road District, beg leave to submit this my report for the month of August 1918.

Aug. 1, 1918 To Balance	3, 919.28
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RECEIPTS.

Aug. 8, 1918, To taxes and interest less commission.	166.19
Total Balance and Receipts,	<u>\$4,086.19</u>

DISBURSEMENTS .

Muller Shell & Cont Co., V. 44	97.20
Marrero Land & Imp. Co., V. 45	56.06
Victor Kerner, V. 46	18.00
Texas Oil Co., V. 47	54.09
Total Disbursements	<u>\$225.35</u>
Balance	<u>\$4,086.19</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer.

Gretna, La., Sept. 18, 1918.

Hon. President and Members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Treasurer of the First Good Road District beg leave to submit this my report for Sub "A" for the Month of August, 1918.

Aug. 1, 1918 To Balance	\$924.33
To taxes and interest less commission	5.72
Total Balance and Receipts	<u>\$930.05</u>

DISBURSEMENTS.

Aug. 7, 1918 T. M. Johnson, V. 10	\$ 320.41
Citizens Bank, V. 11	345.00
Total Disbursements	<u>\$ - 635.41</u>
Balance	<u>\$ 294.64</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Treasurer
Gretna, La. Sept. 18, 1918.

Hon. President and members of the Police Jury, Parish of Jefferson, Gretna, La.,

Gentlemen:-

I, the undersigned Parish Treasurer, beg leave to submit this my report for the O. K. R. R. Tax for the month of Aug., 1918.

Aug. 1, 1918 - To Balance	\$ 10,019.69
To taxes and interest less com.	474.44
Total Balance and receipts	<u>\$ 10,494.13</u>
No Disbursements	000.00
Balance	<u>\$10,494.13</u>

Respectfully,
E. M. Hubert,
Parish Treasurer.

The Finance Committee submitted its report of bills approved, and on motion duly seconded same was adopted and bills ordered filed.

The report of the Parish Engineer was received and ordered filed.

Reports of cattle dipping vat inspectors was received and ordered filed. All bills approved by the Finance Committee were ordered paid by the Jury.

Communications from Howard McCabel, attorney, complaining of service car operated by Melling Bros., between Gretna and Marrero was referred to the District Attorney.

Communications from H. A. Tesdard, U. S. R. R. Administration and State Traffic Relief Association were read and ordered filed.

On motion of Mr. Conzelmann seconded by Mr. Clancy it was resolved that the use of the tractor in Road District No. 1, be granted to St. Vincent Hotel Association, operating Hope Haven Farm, for the term of one year without charge.

The offer of Murray Phillips to dedicate a certain road across property in Road District No. 3, was accepted and on motion duly seconded the secretary was instructed to have the necessary act drawn up and the president was authorized to sign same.

The offer of James Hubert Blank Council No.1905, Knights of Columbus of Gretna, represented by Leo A. Marrero, to purchase the property of the Parish located at the corner of Newton and Third Streets, Gretna, known as the old Court House, for the sum of \$1500, was on motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Conzelmann, accepted.

Sale of old Court building corner of 3rd & Newton St.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resulted as follows:
YEAS- -Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Conzelmann, Burbank, Thompson, Luke, Clancy.
NAYS: None.

Prof. J. C. Ellis recommended Walter Landry, of Waggaman, for appointment as beneficiary student to Louisiana State University, on condition if released by the Government during the war he will give his time

to the Parish as required. On motion of Mr. Burbank seconded by Mr. Thompson the appointment was thereupon made, the expense to be defrayed by the Parish not to exceed \$250, per year.

Albion L. Middleton was awarded the insurance on Parish trucks and on other items of liability under terms of his bids submitted.

Check of \$1199.70 from the Secretary of State as the Parishes part of the licenses collected from automobiles and motorcycles, was received and deposited to the credit of the general fund.

On motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Burbank it was resolved that the sum of \$30. be paid to John Mongonia for the loss of one cow injured by the Parish truck.

On motion of Mr. Conzelmann seconded by Mr. Thompson permission was granted to E. M. Gorden to operate a retail liquor saloon formerly operated by Ellis Touts under Parish License No. 52 and State License 1653. Petition was received from residents and voters of Harahan, requesting that precinct and polling booth be located at Harahan, and on motion of Mr. Clancy seconded by Mr. Luke the secretary was instructed to ascertain the boundaries of said precinct and polling booth.

Certified copy of resolution of the Jefferson and Plaquemines Drainage District authorizing its president to sign the agreement of Aug. 7, 1918, with the Police Jury for construction of drainage canal, was received and ordered filed.

On request of Prof. L. W. Wilkinson the Police Jury appropriated the sum of \$100.00 to defray the expense of the Parish exhibit at the fair to be held Oct 3-6, 1918 at Donaldsonville, La.

On motion of Mr. Stritzinger seconded by Mr. Luke, the sum of \$50. was appropriated for membership of the Parish in the State Traffic Relief association.

On Motion of Mr. Thompson seconded by Mr. Luke, the following was adopted.

Whereas, there is a deficiency in the funds to the credit of Road District No. 1, of the Parish of Jefferson, and

Whereas, there is a sufficient funds to the credit of the general fund of the Parish of Jefferson.

Be it resolved, that the President Secretary Treasurer and other officials be and they are hereby authorized to transfer from the general fund to the credit of Road District No. 1, the sum of \$3,000.00, the same to be refunded and repaid to the general fund out of the first proceeds collected from Road District No. 1. of the Parish of Jefferson.

On motion of Mr. Rouprich seconded by Mr. Burbank

Polling booth created in 9th ward.

55% assessment fixed on cash value of property.

the following resolution was adopted.

Whereas, taking into consideration the actual cash value of all taxable property in the Parish of Jefferson, as fixed by the assessor of this Parish and approved by the Police jury as a board of Reveiwers, it is necessary to raise sufficient revenues for general Parish purposes as specified in the budget adopted this day, that the proportion of the actual cash value be fixed at least 55% of said value.

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Be it resolved, that the assessor of the Parish be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to fix the taxable value of all property subject to taxation in the Parish of Jefferson for general Parish purposes, at 55% of the actual cash value of said taxable property, as approved by the Police Jury sitting as A Board of Reviewers;

Be it further resolved, that a certified copy of this resolution be given to the Assessor of this Parish as his authority for levying the proportion of the actual value as herein specified.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution, the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- Fisher, Rouprich, Strehle, Stritzinger, Conzelmann, Burbank, Thompson, Luke Clancy.

NAYS- None.

On motion of Mr. Strehle, seconded by Mr. Luke, the following resolution was adopted:

Whereas, it is necessary for this Police Jury to levy the annual Parish taxes in order to obtain the necessary revenue to pay the necessary and usual expense as well as all other charges or claims that may be due by the Parish of Jefferson.

Be it resolved, That a tax of ten mills on the dollar be and the same is hereby levied on all property subject to taxation in the Parish of Jefferson.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of this resolution be given to the assessor of the Parish of Jefferson as his authority for extending the said tax on the assessment rolls in the Parish of Jefferson and a copy be given to the Sheriff of the Parish of Jefferson as evidence of his authority to collect said tax.

Be it further resolved, That the said Sheriff be and he is hereby authorized to pay to the Board of School Direedters of this Parish four and one half (4½) mills of the general parish taxes collected by him, and the balance to the Treasurer of the Parish of Jefferson.

Whereas, it is necessary for this Police Jury as governing authority of Road Districts Nos. One, two and three and Sub road District "A" of Road District No. 1 to annually levy on all property subject to taxation in the aforesaid Road Districts, and Sub Road District, a tax sufficient to pay primarily the principal and interest falling due within the next year on the bonds heretofore issued in the aforesaid subdivisions and also on maintainance purposes.

Be it resolved, That considering the assessed valuation located within the aforesaid respective subdivisions, the following tax be and the same is hereby levied in said subdivisions, to-wit: Road District Number One, Five mills, Road District No. Two, five mills, Road District

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No. Three, five mills; Sub Road District "A" No. One, Ten mills.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of this resolution be given to the Assessor of this Parish as his authority for extending tax on the assessment rolls for the Parish of Jefferson, and that a copy be given to the Sheriff of this Parish as his authority for collecting said tax in the aforesaid subdivision.

The roll being called on the adoption of the above resolution, the vote resulted as follows:

YEAS- Fisher, Rouprich, Strohle, Stritzinger, Conzelmann, Burbank, Thompson, Luke Clancy.

NAYS- None.

The Jury then adjourned.

Jules G. Fisher
PRESIDENT.

SECRETARY.

Police Jury Members

Jefferson Parish

1912 - 1918

1912

Betz, V.
Ehret, John
Gardey, Henry
Guidry, Louis
Hock, R. B.
Hubert, E. M., treasurer
Marrero, L. H., president

Marrero, L. H., Jr., attorney
Martin, Wm. B., secretary
Ristroph, Paul
St. Martin, F. L., president
Schurb, Frank
Terrebonne, J. D.

1913

Betz, V.
Ehret, John
Gardey, Henry
Guidry, Louis
Hepting, Wm., secretary
Hock, R. B.

Hubert, E. M., treasurer
Marrero, L. H., Jr., attorney
Ristroph, Paul
St. Martin, F. L., president
Schurb, Frank
Terrebonne, J. D.

1914

Betz, V.
Ehret, John
Gardey, Henry
Guidry, Louis
Hepting, Wm., secretary
Hock, R. B.

Hubert, E. M., treasurer
Marrero, L. H., Jr., attorney
Ristroph, Paul
St. Martin, F. L., president
Schurb, Frank
Terrebonne, J. D.

1915

Betz, V.
Ehret, John
Gardey, Henry
Guidry, Louis
Hepting, Wm., secretary
Hock, R. B.
Hubert, E. M., treasurer

Marrero, L. H., Jr., attorney
Reimann, Charles F.
Ristroph, Paul
St. Martin, F. L., president
Schurb, Frank
Terrebonne, J. D.

Police Jury Members

Jefferson Parish

1912 - 1918

1916

Burbank, H. P.
Clancy, John
Fisher, Jules G., president
Gardey, Henry
Guidry, Louis
Hepting, Wm., secretary
Hock, R. B.
Hubert, E. M., treasurer
Luke, Wm.

Marrero, L. H., Jr., attorney
Reimann, Charles F.
Ristroph, Paul
Rouprich, A.
St. Martin, F. L., president
Strehle, Wm. E.
Stritzinger, E.
Terrebonne, J. D., treasurer
Thompson, A. S.

1917

Burbank, H. P.
Clancy, John
Fisher, Jules G., president
Hepting, Wm., secretary
Hubert, E. M., treasurer
Luke, Wm.

Rouprich, A.
Strehle, Wm. E.
Stritzinger, E.
Terrebonne, J. D.
Thompson, A. S.

1918

Burbank, H. P.
Clancy, John
Conzelman, E. M.
Fisher, Jules G., president
Hubert, E. M., treasurer
Luke, Wm.

Rouprich, A.
Strehle, Wm. E.
Stritzinger, E.
Terrebonne, J. D.
Thompson, A. S.

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