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## PREFACE

The building of a collection of manuscripts and other archival materials, especially those that illuminated the history of Natchitoches was long a goal of Dr. Eugene P. Watson. As Library Director of Russell Library he set the course and selected the persons to achieve these ends. Nobody played a more significant role in the initial building of the collection than Miss Katherine Bridges whose brilliance and determination Dr. Watson recognized and utilized. After his death she continued until 1972 to build resources in the Louisiana Room and in the Archives. Some of our most important and largest acquisitions, for example the Dorman and Melrose collections, were made at this time. After her retirement John M. Price, as Head of the Cammie G. Henry Louisiana Room and Archives in the new Eugene P. Watson Memorial Library, created greater public awareness of the richness of the collections held by Northwestern State University. As he acquired significant new collections, he also brought wider national recognition to Northwestern through his role as Editor-in-Chief of *Southern Studies, an Interdisciplinary Journal of the South* and his headship of the Northwestern State University Press. These expanded operations could not have been undertaken were it not for the welcome addition to the department of Mrs. Tom Wells, whose enterprise, ability, and hard work have produced the present work. It is hoped that it will be useful to a wide circle of scholars, students, and other citizens and that it will help to increase the public awareness of the important role played by librarians and archives in the preservation of our heritage.

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## INTRODUCTION

They knew the post of Natchitoches, that straggling village of mud huts on islands in the changeable channel of the Red River, a month's journey from its seaport, without overland transportation to the other French colonies, its nearest neighbor its closest rival, Spain. Therein lay the post's reason for being: trade. The founder of Natchitoches himself, Louis Juchereau de Saint Denis, had brought the Spanish to a convenient trading distance from the French Fort, and the undetermined border lay somewhere between the two posts, somewhere along a deep gully or a high hill. A common church connected the colonists, marriage ties bound them; kinship, business, fear, and politics both separated and united them. And Natchitoches, which had been French, added to its culture the Spanish and the Anglo-American, blended them with the Indian and Negro, both free and slave, in a community sprawled along the watercourse of the Red and already on its way to becoming a city distinguished for its unique blend of cultures and its ancient roots.

Currents of life—hopes, tears, trade, disappointments, trials, worries, the furtive and the frank, then as now—were reflected in the stylized phrasing of legal documents. Persons of large holdings and persons who died wearing their entire estates, the noble and the desperate, all were upheld, shaped, and bound by the law. The essential pieces of paper were the treasures that survived the years: the promissory notes; the land conveyances; the marriage contracts; the manumissions; the mortgages. Where are the gold buttons, the silver buckles, the rings set with stones? Where the love letters, the business letters, the iron forks and the pewter spoons? Scattered! Lost! Gone!

The abstracts contained in the present work are of original documents which are preserved in the Archives Collection of the Cammie G. Henry Louisiana Room and Archives of Watson Library and which are dated on or before May, 1804, the time when the American flag was raised over the Post of Natchitoches. In fact, the last entry in the collection is the entry in the judge's book recording the transfer of power. Not all the documents in this collection originated in Natchitoches. A few reflect the origins of families who were in Ireland, South Carolina, Alabama, or elsewhere and who came to Natchitoches.

Since this work presents abstracts of original documents, it does not contain items which have been loaned for microfilming or which exist in the Eugene P. Watson Library only in microform. However, in the interest of scholarship and wider use all the documents in the present work were microfilmed in the order of their presentation and the microfilm is available to those who would like to consult it.

Inasmuch as this work involved the reading and in some cases translation of hundreds of handwritten documents, many of poor legibility, it is likely that

errors have occurred. The user who has doubts about any item is urged to consult the microfilm edition or the original.

The original documents are preserved in folders, with the folders in each named collection in numerical order. The index therefore refers first to the collection by name and then to the folder number in that collection. In abstracting, names are printed as they were spelled. In case of doubt, two renditions of the name may be given. No attempt has been made to supply first names where they were not mentioned. Some "dit" names are indicated in the Index. Names of wives and widows are indexed as they appear in the document.

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Registration with Etienne DeVaugine by Marie Louise Toutin widow of Pierre Dolet of a bill of exchange made out to Louis Boisdore of New Orleans for 8000 livres by Madame Brun, drawn on —Blareau, witnessed by Jean Bte. Roujot and Joseph Marie Armant. 27 July 1781. folder 578

Some supporting documents in a land claim case (name of claimant not specified). Petition to Governor Galvez from Bouet Laffitte, claim for land on Bayou de las Piedras; mentions Athanaze Demézières; decree by Gov. Galvez to Cdt. Vaugine. 30 July 1781.

Petitions and depositions: Marcel DeSoto, younger; Marcel DeSoto, sindic; Andre Rambin; Cocais Zayte(?); witnesses Pierre Dolet, Pierre Laffitte, Poisot. Dated 1801-1803. Also an undated fragment of a succession inventory—apparently, of François Grappe—giving details of land ownership; land purchased in 1778 from Camte by Emanuel Trichel and François Grappe, and part sold by Grappe to Benoit Montanary his son-in-law. Other land bounded by Emanuel Prudhomme, Michel Chaignon and Pierre Badin, and Louis LaMalathie. Also a sale from the late Durant. Endorsement mentions claim of Andre Valentin. folder 579

In the presence of Etienne DeVaugine, the sale of a Negress by Andre Vannoy, Anglois-ameriquain, resident in this colony, at present in the Post of Natchitoches, to Jean d'Jarnat. Witnesses Ailhaud Ste. Anne, Jn. Bte. Roujot.

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folder 580

Legal proceedings by Ailhaud Sainte Anne against Jean Baptiste Dupre and sentence; depositions, statements, and other data, names of deponents and witnesses incl. Joseph Pavie; Andre David, huissier; Baptiste Dupree, LeDoux of Opelousas, Filipe Fonteno (Fonteneaux) of Opelousas; Louis Monet; Bte. Dubois; —Demouy; Pierre de la Renaudiere, witness, —DeBlanc, witness; decree by Etienne DeVaugine. 27 August 1781 and other dates.

folder 581

Inventory of the community property of the late Jean Baptiste Dupre and his widow Marie Louise LeConte; copy of Dupre's will; inventory of effects and debts and assets; manumission to Balthazard and Cecile, children of his Indian servant; inventory of slaves; debts to Bouet Laffitte; Lebrun; LaCaze; Marcolay; Jacques Lambre; Remy Poisot; Athanaze Poisot; Ailhaud Sainte Anne; Vilard; Dupain; Metoyer; Chaigneau; Laignon. Dupre was son of Jacques Dupre of Paris and Marie Philippe of Germany. Witnesses Marin Grillet; Jean Bte. Dubois; Jean Bte. Roujot; Remy Poisot pere; Louis Monet; Ballio; Louis Rachal, Etienne DeVaugine.

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Before Etienne DeVaugine, sale of a Negro formerly property of Gaspard Fiole by Jean Baptiste Anty to Louis Verchaire. Witnesses Jean Bte. Roujot and Louis Diard. 11 September 1781.

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Sale before Etienne DeVaugine of a farm on Cane River by François Pajot to Pierre Cotton, adjoining Michel Robin, witnessed by Pierre François Roze and Jean Baptiste Roujot. 18 September 1781.

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Complaint arising from the rental of a Negro creole by Remy Poisot and his wife Marie Anne Philipe to his son Athanaze Poisot, sworn before Etienne DeVaugine, witnesses Pierre François Roze and Jean Baptiste Roujot.

20 September 1781.

folder 586

Guillaume Lebrun's statement before Etienne DeVaugine about finding the body of Joseph Desnoiers, drowned; mentions Guillaume L'Estage. Witnesses L. Diard, J. Bte. Roujot. Proceedings in 1781 include Joseph Jeanson, Nicolas Pont, Zacharie Raymond, Dr. François LaCaze. Public Notice. List of estate assets and debts. Debts owed to Ignace Maillioux (Mayou), Metoyer, Ailhaud Ste. Anne, Demouy. Sales to Etienne Ganier, Foret, François Grappe, Jean Baptiste Armant, Jean Varangue, Ailhaud Sainte Anne, Bte. Loiset; witnesses:

Barbaroux; B. Dortolant. 1783 statement by Pierre Larenodiére witnessed by Demouy. Promissory note by Joseph Moschoto Denoyer signed Joseph Moschoto. 21 September 1781. folder 587

Sale of a Negress by Paul Bouet Laffitte to Antoine Gil y Barbo of Nacogdoches. Signed before Etienne DeVaugine by "Bouet Laffitte" and "Anto. Gil y Barvo;" witnessed by Jean Baptiste Roujot and Pierre François Roze. 22 September 1781. folder 588

Proceedings in succession of Anne Marie Philippe wife of Remy Poisot, formerly wife of Jacques Dupre. Heirs listed include Catherine Dupre wife of Jean Lalande; Joseph Dupre; Marie Dupre and Cecile Dupre representing their late father Robert Dupre; the late Elisabeth Dupre by her husband Charles LeMoyne and children Charles, Antoine, Jean Baptiste, Marie and Louise; and children of the second marriage: Marie Anne Poisot wife of Jacques Lambre; Marie Françoise Poisot wife of Jean Baptiste Brevel; the late Catherine Poisot by her husband Pierre Baillet and her minor children Pierre, Marie, and Pelagie Baillet; Remy and Athanaze Poisot. Proceedings before Etienne DeVaugine witnessed by Jean Bte. Dubois, Marin Grillet, and Jean Bte. Roujot; signed by some heirs, Jean Pomier(?), Roujot and David. Opening of will, signatories present: Borme, Roujot, Jean Bte. Prudhomme, Dartigaux, and not present Joseph Pavie, Antoine Charbonnet, and LeMee. Inventory by Baptiste Dubois. Debts: Guillaume Lebrun, Perrault, Diard, Pierre Bernard; Mention of Athanaze Poisot, fils; buyers at auction of community property include Rd. pere Louis, Dartigaux, Bernard Pipe, Gaspard Vagarre, Joseph Dupre, Pierre Brosset, Jacques Rachal, Joseph Lattier, Jean Massis, Barwick, Bte. Plaisance, Pommier, Joseph Dupre fils, Etienne Verger, Andre David, Metoyer, Madame Buart, Bouet Laffitte, Louis Buart with security Sautrelle, Armant, Durand, Arnaud Roman, Philippe Frederic, Cadet Lestage; Jean Massis, Jacob Lambre, Bte. Armant, Jean Jacques David, Jacques Christill. Inventory by names and ages of slaves. 24 September 1781 and continuing. folder 589

Itemized medical bill from Dr. François Lacaze, Post of Natchitoches, to Bois-saux (Borderaux?). 26 September 1781. folder 590

Petition from Remy Poisot about problems arising in settling the estate of his late wife Anne Marie Philippe; DeVaugine's decree. 26 September 1781. folder 591

Incomplete papers dealing with the partition of the estate of Anne Verger, widow of Jean Baptiste Boulet deceased and later the wife of Joseph Lattier; also partition of goods of the late Jean Baptiste Boulet. The partition was made in 1781 before Etienne DeVaugine. Accounts show the names of Dupain, Borme, E. Pavie, Prudhomme, Joseph Boulet, Roujot, Marcollay, Hubert, Armant, Mouy, N. Laignon, Dartigaux, Delaroche, Auret. Jean Baptiste Prudhomme conducted sale; witnesses Etienne Pavie, François LeDoux, Veuve

Buart, Andre Sclavon, Joseph Lacour, Jean Louis Borme. Heirs were Boulet children: Jean Joseph who died after his mother, Marie Louise represented by her minor children Anne and Marie Roze, Michel Robin and Marie Jeanne; and her children with Joseph Lattier: Catherine, Joseph, Jean Baptiste and François. Anne Verger wife of Joseph Lattier died about 1779 (date of petition to sell animals) and goods were partitioned. 26 September 1781. folder 592

Public notice signed by DeVaugine: sale of effects of Mme. Poisot to be held 1 October after mass at the fort. 30 September 1781. folder 593

Sale of slave registered before Etienne DeVaugine by Barvik and sold to Gaspard Fiole; witnessed by Jean Baptiste Roujot and Pierre François Roze and signed by DeVaugine and Thos. Berwick. 3 October 1781. folder 594

Public notice signed by DeVaugine: sale of lands of Mme. Poisot to be held at her late residence. 4 October 1781. folder 595

Manumission of Etienne, Mulatto of the succession of Mme. Poisot; his payment of his value to the heirs; his security Father Louis Quintanilla. Documents signed by heirs, Etienne De Vaugine, and Louis de Quintanilla. 8 October 1781. folder 596

Registration before Etienne DeVaugine of the sale of a Negro by Jean Baptiste Dubois to Bouet Laffitte; witnessed by Jean Baptiste Roujot and Pierre François Roze. 12 October 1781. folder 597

Sale of land by the wife of Etienne Ganier to Louis DeBlanc; the adjoining owners are Jean Baptiste Armant, fils, and Pierre Alorge. Sworn before Etienne DeVaugine and witnessed by Pierre François Roze and Jean Bte. Roujot. 15 October 1781. folder 598

Registration by Joseph Marie Armant of four promissory notes signed by Delachaise de St. Denis before Etienne DeVaugine and witnesses Jean Bte. Roujot and Pierre François Roze. 15 October 1781. folder 599

Inventory of the effects of the widow Allorge, deceased, made by Etienne DeVaugine with the help of Sebastien Prudhomme son of the deceased, Etienne Pavie, and Ailhaud Ste. Anne; mentions heirs François Prudhomme, Jean Bte. Prudhomme, and —Dupain. 19 October 1781. folder 600

Sale by Louis DeBlanc by power of attorney from Demacarty of New Orleans and the Chv. Devilliers, fils, of house and land adjoining Andre Rambin to Joseph Jeanson; registered before Etienne DeVaugine, witnesses Pierre François Rose and Jean Baptiste Roujot. 23 October 1781. folder 601

Inspection of bayou between Prudhomme and widow Baptiste Trichele by Jean

Bte. LaBerry and Etienne Pavie with view to having a bridge built; decree by Vaugine and rejection by widow. 28 October 1781. folder 602

Discharge of Jean Bte. Prudhomme as security for goods of minor children of the late Jean Bte. Clozeaux and wife Marie Anne Daublin; security Jean Lambre appointed. Done before Etienne DeVaugine; witnesses Jn. Bte. Roujot and Pr. Fs. Roze. 8 November 1781. folder 603

Receipt that François Toutin received from his father-in-law Jean Baptiste LaBerry the inheritance due him from the succession of his father Charles Toutin; done before Etienne DeVaugine, witnesses Jn. Bte. Roujot and Pr. Fs. Rose. 9 November 1781. folder 604

Sale of house and land in town of Natchitoches by François Prud'homme to Paul Marcollay; house was acquired from Piseros, faces the road, is bounded by Pierre Metoyer's bayou and land, is of post-in-earth construction with bark roof. Sale made before Etienne DeVaugine in presence of J. B. Roujot and Pierre François Roze. 9 November 1781. folder 605

Sale by Paul Bouet Laffitte with Power of Attorney of Julien Besson to Barthelémy Rachal of point of land called "Deserts" adjoining Jacques Lambre, which Besson acquired from sale of effects of late Widow Henry Trichele; before Etienne DeVaugine in the presence of Jean Bte. Roujot and Pierre Fs. Roze. 12 November 1781. folder 606

Sale of land adjoining Guillaume Roubbou by Antoine Sainte Anne to Antoine Plauché (Plauchieres), acquired by Ste. Anne from the late Jeanne Lamalathie wife of Andre David; Sale before Etienne DeVaugine in the presence of Jean Bte. Roujot and Pierre François Roze, witnesses. 22 November 1781. folder 607

Auction of land, Negro, goods of Antoine Ste. Anne; list of items sold, buyers, prices; includes names of LaCaze; Diard; Jean Lambre; Deblanc; Vaugine; Rambin; Laffitte; Marly; Lebrun; Pere Louis; Roujot; E. Pavie; Devaugine fils; Dortolant; Antoine Plauches; Prudhomme; Bernard Pipe; Tessiers. Witnesses Rouquier and Dartigaux. 26 November 1781. folder 608

Complaint from Father Louis de Quintanilla about a debt owed him by Bouet Laffitte; report from Andre David; Laffite's reply; Etienne De Vaugine's decree. 1 December 1781. folder 609

Suit against Paul Bouet Laffitte for assault and battery brought by François Lacaze, member of the Cabildo of the Province of Louisiana, resident of Natchitoches. Testimony by Guillaume Lebrun [age 39, native of Provence]; François Lacaze [age 40, native of LaRochele]; Jean Baptiste Ailhaud Ste. Anne [age 25, native of Dauphine]; by Antoine delachaise de St. Denis [age 44, native of the post]; by the Chev. Devilliers; by Jean Lambre; by Paul Bouet Laffitte [age 40, native of Bordeaux]; mention of Manuel De Mora of Nacogdoches, and Louis

Diard. Trip to New Orleans in Lebrun's bateau. In the presence of Jean Bte. Roujot, Lefevre, E. Pavie, Demouy, Marcollay, Rouquier. Decree of Etienne DeVaugine, Andre David, huissier. 4-15 December 1781. folder 610

Complaint of Louis Diard against the Chevalier Louis Devilliers heard before Etienne DeVaugine accompanied by Jean Louis Borme, Etienne Pavie, and Jean Bte. Roujot and witnesses Maurice Demouy and Paul Marcollay. Testimony of François Lacaze, surgeon; Interrogations of Paul Bouet Laffitte, Antoine Delachaise de St. Denis, Jean Baptiste Ailhaud Ste. Anne, and Louis Diard; mention of Lebrun and Marly. Louis Diard is age 41, native of La Rochelle; Louis [middle name illeg.] Devilliers, age 31, gentleman. 4 December 1781.

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Sale of land in the presence of Etienne DeVaugine, Louis Borme, and Paul Marcollay. This land was bought by Louis Fortin at the sale of goods of his late father-in-law Charles LaRenaudierre and was sold by Fortin to Widow Hubert with Fortin as security; they are now selling to François Levasseur. Jean Lambre and —Prudhomme, securities. 10 December 1781.

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Sale of land by Jean Massis to Antoine Frenier, land adjoining Guillaume Lestage. Done in the presence of Etienne DeVaugine, Louis Borme and Jn. Bte. Roujot. 12 December 1781.

folder 613

Agreement between Widow Buard and her son Louis Buard about a Negro in the succession of his father Gabriel Buard, done before Etienne DeVaugine, Etienne Pavie and Jean Baptiste Roujot. 15 December 1781.

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[a contemporary French copy of the original French and Spanish document] 1782 claim by Paul Bouet Laffitte against the goods of —St. Denis which are in the care of Bte. Prudhomme. Unsigned Decree to DeVaugine to release the goods assigned by DelaChaise to Laffitte. 9 February 1782.

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Sale by Jean Baptiste Dubois to Jean Pommier of land adjoining—Pavie which Dubois received in 1760 from Kerlerrec and Rochemore; then sold to Etienne Pavie; release dated 1785. Witnesses: Etienne DeVaugine, Louis Borme, Jean Baptiste Roujot; Paul Marcollay, Maurice Demouy.

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1782 letter from Paul Bouet Laffitte to Etienne DeVaugine. 13 April 1782 (sends the document now in folder 615)

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Pierre Sorel dit Marly to Commandant DeVaugine: complaint against Antoine St. Denis, hunter, who stole Sorel's horse and went to Opelousas.

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Requests from Marin Grillet for confirmation of title to land he has occupied for

over ten years adjoining Dubois and Verchaire; from Jean Bte. Dubois for land he has occupied for over twenty-five years adjoining DeVaugine fils and Sautrelle; and from Louis Verchaire for land adjoining Sautrelle and Breuvel. Confirmations by Gov. Miro, certified by Louis DeBlanc, witnesses Jean Bte. Roujot, J. J. David, and Vaugine. 19 June 1782. folder 619

Agreement of Jacques Lambre with Remy Poisot his father-in-law and with Athanaze Poisot about the community property of Remy Poisot and Marie his wife. Witnesses Jean Baptiste Laberry, Etienne Pavie, Julien Besson, before Vaugine. 1 July 1782. folder 620

Statement by Etienne Vergay, Jean Baptiste Denis, and Pierre Baillio about their survey of the lands of Pierre Darbay. 5 July 1782. folder 621

1782 promissory note of Listour to L. Diard witnessed by Borme, fils. 12 July 1782.

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Petition from Bernard D'ortolant to Cdt. Borme for Paul Bouet Laffitte to make an accounting of his handling of the estate of the late Magdelaine Grappe his wife and the goods of their minor children; decree by Borme; endorsement by Andre David, huissier. 28 August 1782. folder 625

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Request and order for partition of estate of Louis de St. Denis; Marie Barbier widow; Jean Bte. Prudhomme custodian; signatures of Louis Borme, Etienne de Vaugine, Piernas, Postigo; heirs: Mlle. Felicité Demeziers, Marie St. Denis de Soto, Jacques Antoine de la Chaise, Louis Charles Deblanc. 8 October 1782. folder 629

Request by Jean Massis to repossess the land he sold to Antoine Freniere now a fugitive from the post; Borme's concurrence. 26 November 1782.

folder 630

Itemized list of purchases bought by Negroes and charged to their owners, debts being owed to Gaspard Bagare. Payments made by Ste. Anne, Gagner, Borme, Prudhomme, Dominique, Jacob Lambre, Leblanc, Gabriel, Bayonne, Badeins, St. Denis, Remis Poissot (Poisseau), Jean Lambre, Julien Besson, Pierre Alorge, Pierre Leblanc Mulatre libre, Vaugine, Bapt. Trich, François Prudhomme, Marly, Pierre Darbanne, Metoyer. 1782-1783.

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Contemporary copy of an order from Miro and Postigo to Etienne de Vaugine concerning the settlement of the estate of the late Marie Philipe by her husband Remy Poisot. 20 January 1783.

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Unsigned resolution to have the church and rectory repaired; notification to bidders; specifications and details of work to be done. 26 January 1783.

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Appeal of Remy Poisot to Etienne DeVaugine about settlement of estate of his late wife Anne Marie Philipe. 13 February 1783.

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Petition to Etienne de Vaugine from François and Jacques Levasseur for the settlement of the estate of the late Dominique Monteche their father-in-law by Jean Lambre testamentary tutor. Witnesses: —David, Joseph Simons.

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Receipt signed by Louis Toutin, favor of —Breuvel. Witnesses: —Roujot, —Vaugine, —Pilot(?), fils. 26 March 1783.

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Notice to the debtors to the estate of Anne Marie Philipe signed by Poisot and Vaugine. 27 April 1783.

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Petition of Remi Poisot to DeVaugine: asks collection of debt owed by widow of Joseph Dupré. 28 April 1783.

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Petition from Pelagia Bagnieres; decree from Governor Miró; —Dufausat deceased; debt of Bouet Laffitte. 24 May 1783.

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Request from Louis Diard to Etienne DeVaugine for action against Pierre François Roze, debtor to Diard; mention of Morgan et Mathew of New Orleans; succession of the late Augustin Duchenne. 1 August 1783.

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ery of Post of Natchitoches public expenses for runaway Negroes; mentions funds of Etienne Pavie, Pedro Rousseau the commandant; Maës, sindic.  
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Letter from Gov. Antonio Gil y Barvo to Gov. Pedro Rousseau: problems of conflicting jurisdiction; Luis Monete's application to hunt on Sabine River; killing of king's horses; mentions Santa Barbara, Cuquo, Llano Grande, Napoles, Valle Cillo, San Migel, Las Ormigas, San Patricio; conflicting land claims of Louis Morfil and Dubua (Dubois?) granted by Louis DeBlanc in 1785; claim of Laberry and Pedro Dole (Dolet?). 5 January 1786. folder 655

Petition from Antoine Guichard, Natchitoches merchant, to Cdt. Rousseau seeking action on a bad debt of Paul Bouet Laffitte and of Remis Poisot, fils. An itemized account is enclosed. 20 March 1786. folder 656

Will of the widow Larenaudiere sworn before Cdt. Pedro Rousseau and witnesses Ailhaud Ste. Anne, François Rouquier, François Calle, Maurice Demouy, Joseph Capuran, Marcel DeSoto, Etienne Pavie; bequests to son Baptiste Larenaudiere, daughter Lally, daughter Françoise wife of Jean de Arze, daughter Magdelaine wife of Louis Fortin, daughter Marie wife of Jean Bte. Piedferme; mentions land in town adjoining Pavie and St. Anne; mentions business with Etienne Pavie and Bouet Laffitte. Wrapper. 19 September 1786.  
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Public sale of horse and mare by the succession of Jacob Saint Denis to Messrs. Duparc and Ailhaud Ste. Anne, sale made before Pierre Rousseau and witnesses Joseph Capuran and Nicolas Rousseau. 1 October 1786.  
folder 659

Sale before Pedro Rousseau and witnesses Joseph Capuran (no signature) and A. Monginot, of a Negress by Ailhaud Sainte Anne to Louis Verchaire.  
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Power of attorney from Jean Joseph Martineau to B. Chabus, liquidation of Martineau's property during his absence. Witnesses Pedro Rousseau, Ailhaud Sainte Anne, Joseph Capuran. 12 October 1786. folder 661

Will of Sebastien Prudhomme signed in the presence of Cdt. Pedro Rousseau and witnesses Manuel Prudhomme, Antoine Prudhomme, François Rouquier, Joseph Capuran, Gilbert Clozo, Joseph Lattier. Mentions but does not name his wife and children. Names François Tougine (?) executor, and mentions an Indian lad named Cadetage; describes Prudhomme's land and house.  
13 February 1787 folders 662, 663

Two promissory notes from Danniell Berrier, one to Mr. Augustine & Company which is receipted by Petit Bondieu. 18 February 1787, 3 May 1787.  
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Will of Etienne Pavie sworn before Cdt. Joseph Lopez de la Peña and witnesses François Calle, Paul Marcollay, Michel Ramin, François Ramin, Jean Baptiste Larenaudiere, Andre Ramin, Louis Buard. Refers to business matters with his vacherie at Opelousas, Badin, Michel Robin, Cadet Lestage, Cheletre, Father Barnabe, Widow Hubert, Monginot, Jean de la Haye, father-in-law Louis Buard, Roze, Pierre Bossie, and Edouard Murphy. Mentions a new law about Indians. 29 May 1787. folder 665

Report of a meeting called by Cdt. Joseph Lopez de la Peña at the home of Joseph Capuran to form an organization to carry on the business of building a new church. Commissioners: Pierre Dartigaux, J. B. Laberry. Committee: Ailhaud Sainte Anne, Pierre Joseph Maës, Jean de la Molle, Paul Marcollay. Witnesses: Maurice Demouy, J. B. Capuran. Also signed by Poisot, Dartigaux, Marbe, Louis Rachal pere, Manual Trichelle, Charles Lemoyne, Grillet, Jean Massis, Maurin, Bossie, Guillaume LeBrun, Louis DeBlanc, 6 Sept. 1787. folder 666

Registration of the will of Marie Lepaud wife of Pierre Badin; sworn before Cdt. Joseph Lopez de la Peña and witnesses Louis Chamard, Andre David, Joseph Capuran. 13 December 1787. folder 667

Petition from Antoine Vascocu, fils, who seeks the payment due him from the estate of the late Jean Baptiste Bossié for having made 800 planks for the new church. Joseph Capuran witness; endorsement by Louis DeBlanc. 12 January 1788.

Accounts of the late Jean Baptiste Bossier for construction of the new church (Bossier was entrepreneur for the church) mention the widow Pavie, Lopez de la Peña, Laberry, Pierrit Derbanne, Joseph Bauvais, Louis Charles DeBlanc, Jacque Cassa, François Mercier, Petit Fortin, Antoine Vascocu Jr., Gaspard Fiolle, François Bossier, Capuran, François Levasseur, Louis Buart, Ignasse Belavance (Belavana), Andre David, Ellie Bernard, Louis Vascocu, the late François Magnan, Silvestre Bossier, the late Jean Baptiste Dubois, Jean Baptiste Morin, the widow Frederic, Joseph Lattier, Jean Lalande pere, Rouquier, the widow Lambre, the late Sorel dit Marly, Ailhaud Ste. Anne, Louis Vascocu Jr., Pierre Derbanne, Bouet Laffitte. No date, about 1788. folder 668

Petition from Louis Fortin to Cdt. Louis Charles DeBlanc: seeks payment from Paul Marcolay and Jean Baptiste Morin builder of the rectory. Witness Joseph Capuran. 31 January 1788. folder 669

Official inventory and auction of the effects of the late Andre Lebouf, brother of Marie Jeane Goutiera. Sales to Julien Besson with Dortolant security, and to Joseph Capuran. Done by Cdt. Louis Charles DeBlanc with witnesses Guillaume Delabarre and Andre David. 1 February 1788. folder 670

Sale before Cdt. Louis Charles DeBlanc by Joseph Lopez de la Peña to Louis

Chamard (Chamart): a house potteau en terre . . . across the bridge from the Lac a muler, acquired from Cdt. Borme. Witnesses: Andre David, Joseph Capuran. 12 February 1780. folder 671

Declaration before Louis Charles DeBlanc by Marin Grillet to Guillaume Le-Brun concerning the insolvency of the late Pierre Dolet. Witnesses: Joseph Capuran, François Callé. Also similar declaration by Jean Bte. Dubois pere. 4 February 1788. folder 672

Before Cdt. Louis Charles DeBlanc, sale of land and post-in-earth house by Jean Baptiste Larenaudiere to Louis Vascocu. Terms. Adjoins Jean Bte. Morin and Joseph Marie Armant. Witnesses Joseph Capuran, François Callé. 1791 payment; witnesses Joseph Tauzin, Andre Rambin. 4 February 1788. folder 673

Sale before Cdt. Louis Charles DeBlanc by François Chabus, merchant, to Joseph Capuran, of land and post-in-earth house in town adjoining Jean Baptiste Dubois and Joseph Marie Armant. Witnesses: Guillaume Delabarre, François Callé. 8 February 1788. folder 674

Sale by Joseph Capuran to Louis Charles Deblanc, Cdt., a post-in-earth house facing the river adjoining DeBlanc's land and the land of François Touginet(?). Witnesses Louis Chanard, François Callé. 26 February 1788. folder 675

Two petitions to Cdt. DeBlanc from François Rouquier concerning settlement of the estate of the late widow Prud'homme. Mention of Antoine Prud'homme, Dupain, Mlle. Nanette Prudhomme, Mme. Duprac, and Negresse Sizaine. 4 March 1788; 30 April 1788. folder 676

Petition from Widow Grappe asking for payment for planks she supplied to the late Jean Baptiste Bossie for the new church. Encloses receipts signed by Jean Baptiste Bossie and Dartigaux. Petition written by B. Dortolant and endorsed by Cdt. Louis De Blanc. 6 March 1788. folder 677

Will of Pierre Dartigaux: his brother Jean Dartigaux; his son Jean Baptiste Dartigaux. Bequests to friends in Bayonne: Catiche Partoans(?), Darico, Dubourg, Lafrance, Adelon, Rochbouchmain(?), Varangot, Cluzo, Auget; bequest to — Domengé cadet. Freedom to Negresse Catherine. Witnesses: François Rouquier, Nicolas Rousseau, Emanuel Prudhomme, François Callé, Andre Rambin, Antoine Prudhomme, and Cdt. Louis De Blanc. 13 April 1788. folder 678

Order from Louis DeBlanc to Paul Marcolay for payment of Pierre Gagnon. 14 April 1788. folder 679

Petition from Antoine Prudhomme asking for land about ten leagues below the

Post next to Louis Monet, on the Terre des Habitants as well as the Isle Brevel, both sides of the river. Endorsed by Louis DeBlanc; granted by Carlos Laveau Trudeau and signed by Governor Estevan Miró. 22 April 1788.

folder 680

Petition of Joseph Capuran for payment due him by the estate of the late Daniel Berrier, encloses three promissory notes; decree by Cdt. De Blanc.

9 May 1788.

folder 681

Petition from François Monginot, surgeon, seeking payment of debt due him by the estate of the late Daniel Berrier; encloses promissory note; decree by Cdt. De Blanc. 9 May 1788.

folder 682

Louis Boisdore's affidavit mentioning Jean Pierre Dolez, Ailhaud Ste. Anne, Joseph Capuran, Jean Bte. Larenaudiere, Juan Delvaux curé, Francois Callé.

13 June 1788.

folder 683

Opening of the will of Dame Lepaud (Serpaud?) wife of Pierre Badin before Louis Charles DeBlanc (mentioning Joseph Lopez de la Peña his predecessor) and before witnesses Emanuel Prud'homme, Remy Lambre, Antoine Vascocu, Pierre Metoyer, André Rambin. 16 September 1788.

folder 684

Two Petitions to Louis DeBlanc about claims against the estate of the late Pierrot Dauphine, Indian, made by Louis Fontenau and Jean Baptiste Ailhaud Saint Anne. Witness: Benoit Pescio. 11 January 1789.

folder 685

Petition from Pierre Joseph Maës to collect sum due him from the estate of the late Zacharie Raymond; encloses promissory note witnessed by François Margot and Pr. Bailais(?). Decree by Louis DeBlanc. 4 February 1789.

folder 686

Petition from Jacques Levasseur to collect sum due him from the estate of Daniel Berrier witnessed by Joseph Capuran, enclosing notes of Fr. Naigle and a note written by Rambin for Augustin Buard; decree of Louis DeBlanc.

11 February 1789.

folder 687

Petition from Joseph Capuran: seeks to collect a sum due the estate of the late Pierre Dartigaux by the estate of Zacharie Raymond; encloses a promissory note signed by Jacques Zacari and witnessed by Joseph Capuran; decree by Louis De Blanc. 19 February 1789.

folder 688

Petition from Jean Baptiste Ailhaud Sainte Anne seeking to collect debt owed him by the estate of the late Zacharie Raymond; encloses 1786 promissory note signed by "Jaquaire" and witnessed by Marcollay and Roujot; decree by Louis DeBlanc. 19 February 1789.

folder 689

Petition from Jean Baptiste Ailhaud Sainte Anne: seeks to collect debt owed him by the estate of the late Jacob Rachal; decree by Louis DeBlanc; accounts paid and receipts enclosed; witness 1784 Marcollay. 20 February 1789.

folder 690

- Petition of Jean Baptiste Ailhaud Sainte Anne enclosing promissory note signed by Louis Toutain dated 1787 witnessed by Monginot and Armant. Mentions slaves rented by Toutain to Capuran; ruling by Louis DeBlanc: debt to be paid by Remy Totin. 4 March 1789. folder 691
- Power of Attorney to sell slaves given by Nicolas Rousseau to Ailhaud Ste. Anne. 8 December 1789. Sale of Rousseau's Negroes to widow Dartigaux, done before Louis DeBlanc and witnessed by Marcel DeSoto and François Callé. 30 January 1790. folder 692
- Sale of three Negroes by Laurent Rebequy of New Orleans to Widow Dartigaux. Sworn before Louis Charles DeBlanc and witnesses Ailhaud Sainte Anne and François Callé. 12 January 1790. folder 693
- Sale of Negro named Jacques aged about 25 by Zacarie Martin to Gaspard Fiole. Sworn before Louis Charles DeBlanc in presence of François Callé and François Grappe. 26 March 1790. folder 694
- Sale of house and land adjoining DeVaugine pere by Jean Baptiste Maurin to Marin Grillet. Terms. Done before Louis Charles DeBlanc, François Callé, and Marcel DeSoto. 23 April 1790. folder 695
- Report drawn up by Jean Baptiste Maurin aboard the schooner *Louise* about an accident to his vessel which took place off Pomier's place. Witnesses: Tauzin, Chamard, Louis Bertelois(?) 27 April 1790. folder 696
- Petition to Cdt. Louis Charles DeBlanc from Andre David to collect money due to the succession of Daniel Berrier from Pasqual Turgeon; encloses Turgeon's 1787 promissory note witnessed by Pierre Gottary (Graciale). 14 January 1791. folder 698
- Complaint by Andre David to Cdt. DeBlanc against François Hugues dit Tonnant who owes money to the estate of Daniel Berrier. Encloses an itemized account and a promissory note witnessed by P. Gottard. 14 January 1791. folder 698
- Petition of Paul Marcollay, executor of the succession of Jean Baptiste Bossier, requesting DeBlanc to ask for the assistance of the commandant at Opelousas in the collection of debts owed by the deceased's brother Nemezie Bossier. 20 January 1792. folder 699
- Copy signed in 1792 by Andres Lopez Armesto of a Resolucion from Madrid directing prompt execution of wills. 14 May 1792. folder 700
- Petition to commandant DeBlanc from Paul Marcollay, exr. Jean Baptiste Bossier, asking help in collecting debt owed the estate by François Lavespere; encloses itemized account. 24 February 1792. folder 701
- List made by Metoyer for syndic Maës giving names of persons who have not paid their assessment to Jean Baptiste Maurin for the elongation of the rectory

storehouse (some of these names are marked excused for one reason or another, and others paid): François Lacaze, Jean Hornie, Louis Rachal pere and his son Simeon; Frs. Bossie and his brothers, J. Jhe. Martinaut, Athanaze Poisot, Fis. Mongenaut, Jhe. Capurant, Pierre Gannie and his two sons, Guilhome Vardet, Charle Duret, Antoine Ploché, Manuel Trichle, Michel Vinsant chez M. Fontenaut, Bte. Brevel and his son, Antoine Remy Poisot, Jaque Jeuin dit Jame Langles, Silveste Bossié. 30 November 1793. folder 702

List of church assessments as of 30 November 1793 showing heads of families and men age fourteen and upward with quantity of land owned. Signed by Maës, Sindic. 3 February 1794. DeMeziere and his brother Jacq., François Rouquier senior, François Rouquier junior, Dominique Prudhomme, François Lacaze, Louis Chamart, Paul Marcollay, Gaspard Fiol or his succession, J. Bte. David nephew of Gaspard Fiol; the widow Longlois dit Sans Regret, Pedro Alamand, Pedro Ramire, François Lemaitre Bedeau, Luc Marly, Genevieve Marly, Dominique Marly, J. Bte. Bartpar(?), Louis Fortin le petit, the widow Rambint the mother, the widow Rambint the younger, André Frederic (crossed off), Andre Rambint, Joseph Marie Armant, Antoine DuBois, Joseph Tauzin, the widow or the succession of the widow Frederic, Michel Chaniot, Jh. Capuran, François Levasseur, Jean François Levasseur Jr., Charles Duret, Ignace Mailloux father, Laurent Mailloux, Pierre Mailloux, Michel Rambint, Antoine Lenoir dit Liston, Marie L de Soto, Joseph Janris, Antoine Vastcocu father, Louis Vastcocu son, Andre Vastcocu, Gme. Barberousse, Bernard Dortholant officer, François Prudhomme, François Mercier, Louis Mercier, Nas. Mercier, the widow Roblot, Pierre Roblot, Joseph Roy, the widow Grenoble, Pierre Tournier, Louis Davion, Etienne Gagnez, Bazile Gagnez, J. Bte. Davion the elder, Dominique Davion, Louis Bertrand, J. Bte. Davion the younger, François Vastcocu, Pierre alorge, Elie Bernard, Pierre Bernard, Jh. Martin, François Dubois, Ante. Vastcocu elder son, Antoine Plauchet, the widow J. Bte. Trichel, Gilbert Clauso, Louis Clauso, Demoiselle Marie Jhe. Trichel, J. Bte. Trichel, Gme. Chevert, Bertrand Plaisance, Louis Plaisance, Pierre Gagnez father, Pierre Gagnez son, Joseph Gagnez, the succession of widow Remy Tautin, Pierre Badin, Louis Buard, Jh. Lambre, the widow St. Denis, Jacq. Prudhomme, Joseph Malige, the widow of Gme. Ward, Louis Vigé, Marie Anne Buard, Denis Buard, J. Bte. Buard, Augustin Buard, J. Baptiste Anty, Marin Grillet, Antoine Grillet, François Monginot, Athanas Poisot father, Athanas Poisot son, Edouard Murphy, Antoine Bourdelon, François Lavespere, Pierre Derbanne father, Joseph Derbanne, Louis Derbanne, Manuel Derbanne, the widow Barthemy Rachal, Noel Rachal, Pierritte Derbanne, François Bossié, Placide Bossié, Antoine Lambre, Soulange Bossié, Silvestre Bossié, Louis Rachal son of Louis, Louis Monet, Louis Rachal father, Barthmy. Rachal son of Louis, François Tautin dit Guinoche, J. Bte. Rachal son of Louis, J. Baptiste LaBerry, Louis Tautin, Gme. Lestage, François Gouin, François Leconte, Barnabé Chelette, the succession of the widow Chelette, Paul Fois. Chelette, the widow Dartigaux, Jean Bte. Dartigaux offi-

cer, Joseph Connand, André Frederic, the succession of the widow Baillou épouse Frederic, Pierre Chelette, the succession of Gme(?) Frederic father, François Frederic, Etn. Frederic son, Jacq. Faure, the widow Himel, Pre. Metoyer, Nas. Augustin Mtre. libre, Marie Therese Negresse libre, Pierre son fils Mulatre libre (crossed off), Jn. Baptiste Ailhaud Ste. Anne officer, Jean Bonnet son engage (crossed off), Louis Thomassine, Michel Hernande, Jean Paul Coutié, Nicolas ou Daniles Negre libre, Louis Verchere father, Jn. Louis Verchere his son died in November, Louis Barthelemy Rachal son of Bmy., Barthmy. Rachal son of Barthmy., Pierre Superville, Jacq. Levasseur, Pierre Chalaire dit Versaille, Pierre Lacour father, Pierre Lacour son, Gaspard Lacour, Louis Anty, Antoine Prudhomme, J. Bte. Prudhomme, Manuel Prudhomme, the widow Jacquot Lambre, Remy Lambre, Auguste Langlois, Yves Lissillour, Remy Poisot, Joseph Rabalet, J. Bte. Rachal son of Barthmy., Dominique Rachal, Charles Lemoine father, Charles Lemoine son, Antoine Rachal, Antoine Lemoine, Ja. Varangue, Athanas Dupré, Pierre Dupré, Etienne Vergé, Etienne Rachal, Pierre Larenodiére, Julien Rachal, Simeon Rachal, Jean Massis, J. Bte. Lemoine, Augustin Fredieu, Jean Pommier, Jacq. Lacasse, the widow Malbert, J. Bte. Lavigne, widow Philipe Phrederique, Pierre Baulieu, Jn. Baptiste Lattier, Joseph Lattier father, François Lattier, Jn. Bte. Deslouches, Gil Ysquierdo, Pierre Brosset, Gme. LeBrun, Jean Horn, Nas. Martin Baudin, Margueritte Negresse libre, Pierre Cazeau dit Fautevaus, J. Bte. Denis, Nas. Baudouin, Pierre Baudouin, Antoine Berjon, Mariotte Negresse libre, François Hugues dit Tonnant, Nas. Galien, Athanas Lecour, Barthmy. Lecour, the widow Leconte, Ambroise Leconte, Pierre Charpentier, Jn. Pierre Cloutier, Alexis Cloutier, François Davion, Joseph Torres, Joanutke Davion, Pierre Coutant, Antoine Coindé, Simon Gouet, Louis Lambre, André St. André, the widow Alexis Grape, François Grape, J. Bte. Grape, Benoit Montanary, the widow or the succession of Manuel Trichel, Henry Trichel, Jh. Trichel, Louis Lamalate, Louis David his nephew, Jn. Palvadot, Louis Fontenau, Julien Besson, Pierre Baudin, J. Bte. Pieferme, Pierre Carles, Jacques orphan, Jean Adlet, Jean Lalande, Remy Perrau, Jn. Pierre Lalande, François Perrau, Jacq. Christil, Christostom Perrau, Gasparitte Derbanne, Etienne Duguette, Gme. Snodey, Michel Vincent, J. Bte. Brevel, Balthazard Brevel, Jn. Bapte. Brevel Jr., Jn. Baptiste Derbanne, Sebastien Prudhomme, Antoine Luissier.

folder 703

Will of Gaspard Fiol. Wife Therese La Malathie whose first husband was Ignace Anty; executor François Rouquier. Describes trade with Nacogdoches; mentions business with Dupain, Gerome LaChapelle, Pavie, with Sarpy of New Orleans, and with Jean, Antoine, and Louis Diard. Witnesses Louis Charles DeBlanc, François Monginot, Emanuel Prudhomme, Antoine Prudhomme, Pierre Cannes, Vincent Michel, Jean Baptiste Anty, François Rouquier.

19 December 1793.

folder 704

List of church assessments still unpaid by inhabitants of Isle Brevel, signed by



Maës, sindic. Names of Simeon Raçal, Augustin Frederic, Athanas Dupre, Jean Massis, Pierre Baulieu, Jean Deslouché, Gme. Lebrun, Soulange Bossié, Jean Horn, Nicholas Martin Baudin, Margueritte Negresse libre, Nicolas Baudouin, Antoine Berjou, Mariotte Negresse libre, François Hugues dit Tonnant, Nicolas Galien, Athanas Lecour, Bathelemy Lecour, Pierre Charpentier, Jn. Pierre Cloutier, Joseph Tores, Pierre Coutant, Louis Rachal pere, Louis Lambre, André St. André. 17 January 1794. folder 705

Petition to Louis Deblanc from Badin relative to his wife's will. 23 February 1794. folder 706

Petition to Louis Charles DeBlanc from François Bossié about the interests of the minor Lambre children for whom he and Pierre LaCour are curators, action taken by Andre David, huissier. 10 March 1794. folder 707

Will of Catherine Bardon wife of Bernard Dortolant, made before Louis Charles DeBlanc and witnesses Ignace Mayoux (Maillioux), Louis Vascoçu, Pierre Ternier, Guillaume Barbarroux, Joseph Marie Armant. Testatrice was born in New Orleans, mentions her parents Raymond Bardon and Marianne Derneville; bequest to niece Marie Manette daughter of Joseph Malige and Marianne Bardon. Executors are Joseph Malige her brother-in-law and Joseph Tazuin her nephew. 6 September 1794

The opening of the will. 22 September 1794. folders 708-709

Petition from Bertrand Mailloche: difficulties in tobacco business with free Negresse Mariotte because of arrangements made in French and English with Edouard Murphy and Richard Sims of Cane River which she does not understand; DeBlanc's order. 10 October 1794. folder 710

Petition from Bertrand Mailloche asking that William Brown be ordered to pay his debt as established by the decision of the Superior Tribunal. Encloses decree signed by the Baron de Carondelet to DeBlanc in the case of Belem Brown; and the 1793 promissory note of Guillaume Brown made in Rapides and witnessed by Pavier, Wilm Bario, and Layssard. Brown lives with Edouard Murphy. 24 July 1794; 22 October 1794. folder 711

Will of Jeanne Guedon and codicil, made before Louis Charles DeBlanc and witnesses François Bossié, Pierre Metoyer, Michel Duffy, Silvestre Bossié, Louis Derbanne, Jean Baptiste Buard, and Jean Valentin Duforest. Debt to Louis Monet. Heirs are Louis Totin, François Totin, Marie Louise Totin, Remy Totin, Jeanne Marguerite Totin all children of her first marriage with Charles Totin; and children of her second marriage to Jean Bte. Laberry, Louis Laberry, Marie Laberry, Jeanne Laberry, Françoise Laberry, Magdelaine Laberry. Bequest to Nakzar Gagnon son of the late Pierre Gagnon; to Magdelaine Laberry; wife of Jean Martineau, to Madame Guillaume Chevert; indigo business with Louis Fonteneau. 4 and 13 March 1795. folders 712-713

Petition to Interim Commandant Bernardo Dortolant: Louis Totin seeks payment for sale of house, land, and horse to his brother-in-law Louis Rachal fils; Rachal sold the horse before witnesses Jean Valentin Duforest, Emanuel Prudhomme, François Perot; asks cancellation of the sale. Endorsements by Andre David and B. Dortolant. 13 April 1795. folder 714

List of assessments of inhabitants of the district ascending the river from above Bayou Plat and including the lake, sums paid to Julien Besson, syndic; list made by Bossié, syndic. August 1795. François Grape, Benoit Montanary, the widow or the succession Grape, the widow or the succession of Mme. Trichel, J. Btiste. Grape, Henry Trichel, Joseph Trichel, Louis Lamalaty, Louis David, Btiste. David, Louis Fontenau, Julien Besson, Pierre Badin, Btiste. Pieferme, Pierre Carles, Jaque l'orphelin, Guillaume Senauday, Jean Patrado, Etienne Duquette, Michelle Chaigneau, the widow François Rambin, the widow or the succession Lalande, Remy Pero, Jean Pierre Lalande, Gaspard Derbanne, Jaque Clisty, Antoine Poiso, Jean Dessaute, Joseph Ingrim. folder 715

List of inhabitants and assessments, district of Bayou Brevelle descending the river, Remy Lambre, syndic; list made by Bossié, syndic. August 1795. Sivestre Bossié, Jaque Le Vasseur, Antoine Prudhomme, Auguste Langlois, Emanuelle Prudhomme, Widow Jaque Lambre, Remy Lambre, Remy Poisso, J. Btiste Berthelmy Rachale, Jean Varangue, Athanase Dupré, Pierre Larnaudiere, Julien Rachale, Jean Massis, Jaque Lacaze, Yves Lissillours, Antoine Negre libre, Pierre Beaulieu, Soulange Bossié, Gil Isquierdo, Jean Delouche, Guillaume LeBrun, Charles Le Moine fils, Marguerite Negresse libre, Jean Horn, Antoine Bergeon, Mariote Negresse libre, Pierre Caseau, Nicolas Beaudouin, Btiste. Denis, Pierre Beaudouin, Pierre Lacour pere, Capitaine Indien civilisé habitant, Jean Laurent Bodin, Nicolas Bodin, François Hugues, Berthelmy Le Cour, Joseph Laures, Joachim Davion, Pierre Coutan, Gabrielle Laures, Simeon Rachale, Berthelmy Rachale fils de Louis, Louis Rachale pere, Louis Monette, Louis Lambre, André St. André. folder 716

List of inhabitants and assessments: district from Bayou Portage to Bayou Brevelle; Dartigaux, syndic; list made by Bossié, syndic. August 1795. François Lavespere, Pierre Derbanne pere, Joseph Derbanne, Louis Derbanne, Emanuelle Derbanne, the widow Berthelmy Rachale, Emanuelle Rachale, Pierre Derbanne fils, François Totin, François Gonin, the succession Chelayte, the succession of the widow Baillon, Joseph Conand, the succession of Philippe Frederic, Jaque Fort, the widow Himel, Jean Btiste Ailhaud Ste. Anne, Louis Tomassino, Nicolas Doela Negre libre, Louis Berthelmy Rachale, Antoine Bordelon. folder 717

Petition to Louis Charles DeBlanc from Alexandre Ennesse (Innis): pleads ignorance of French language caused him to lose funds of his wife's parents' succession. Asks help in recovering funds for benefit of minor orphans. 25 November 1795. folder 718

Petition to commandant from Andre David about a debt due David by Louis Rachal pere since 1789. Mentions Louis Monnet. Enclosure referred to is not herewith. 15 March 1796. folder 719

Partial papers from the auction sale of an estate, decedent not named. Plantation had belonged to the Indian Sayona or Sayouin Camté. Gives brief description of the house, terms of sale; payable in 1797. Sold to brothers Henry and Joseph or Emanuel and Joseph Trichel, with security Louis Fontenau; François Grappe tutor of minor children (not named). Witnesses Louis Lamalathie and Andre David. No date. folder 720

Petition from Antoine Conde (Antonio Coende) and three affidavits testifying that Carle Davion sold three arpents of land on Cane River to Antoine Conde. Signed by Pierre Contan, Manouel Sainpret, and Simon Goul, and witnessed by Jean Bontand. 3 October 1797; 10 November 1797. folder 721

Petition from Pierre Joseph Maës asking governor to authorize the commandant to enforce payment of debts due to the estate of Jean Baptiste Dartigaux and his widow Maria Connand, endorsed by Governor Gayoso de Lemos and Pedro—, *sindico publico*. 5 June 1799.

Subsequent petition from Maës seeking the commandant's help in collecting debts owed by Barthelmy Rachal and Louis Toutin. 27 July 1799. folder 722

Will of Marie Conand, age thirty-four, daughter of Joseph Conand and his wife Louise Sauvenir Toujaran of Bayonne, formerly was widow of Jean Baptiste Dartigaux; mentions stepchildren Agathe Maës, Pierre Joseph Maës, and Louise Josephine Maës; bequest to Nanette daughter of Jean Baptiste Denis; frees her Negresse Marianne Maniga but not the woman's children; executor Pierre Joseph Maës, and in case of his death Pierre Metoyer. (not probated) 26 August 1799. Witnessing of the will before Felix Trudeau commandant, in presence of François Dubois, Joseph Tausin, François Chabus, Joseph Armant, Alexandre Guerbois, Louis Chamart, Joseph Malige. 17 September 1799. folder 723

Will of Pierre Joseph Maës, son of Jean Baptiste Maës and Genevieve Victoire Gillart, age 42, of Flanders; second wife Marie Conand executrix; first wife was Marianne Dartigaux who died 26 February 1797. Children Pierre Joseph Maës age 11½; Genevieve Victoria Agathe Maës age 8, Louise Josephine Maës age 6. Executors François Bossié if Pierre Metoyer unable to serve. Tutor of children Lavau Trudeau. Mentions Thomas Clause, father-in-law Pierre Dartigaux, his only sister Magdelaine Victoire Maës in Flanders. 27 August 1799 (not probated)

Witnessing of the will before Felix Trudeau, witnesses François Dubois, Joseph Tausin, François Chabus, Joseph Malige, Joseph Armant, Alexandre Guerbois, Louis Chamart. 17 September 1799. folder 724

Succession of the late Marie Jeanne Guedon, wife firstly of Charles Toutin and secondly of the late Jean Baptiste Laberry; accounts made by Pierre Metoyer, executor. Payments to Louis Monet, François Perau, Louis Rachal fils, Louis Fonteneau, Joseph Martineaux, François Bossié, surgeon Joseph Connand, Father Delvaut, Rouquier marguillier of the church, Commandant DeBlanc, André David, Commandant Felix Trudeau. Mentions Pierre Maës. Sale of effects was held 20 March 1795; mentions indigo business with Jean François Girod of New Orleans. Partition of assets, 10 February 1800. Deceased's daughter Marie Louise Toutin, now deceased, married first Pierre Dolet; son of marriage is Pierre Dolet fils; married second to André Valentin, son André Valentin and daughter of the late Therese Valentin who married Pierre Ganion and had children Marie Louise Ganion and Nazare Ganion. The deceased's third marriage was to Guilhaume LeBrun; their daughters Jeanne Lebrun, wife of Charles LeMoine, and Zabelle LeBrun, wife of Mr. Joseph. Other children of the deceased who received shares were Louis Toutin, François Toutin, Remy Toutin, Jeanne Marguerite wife of Guilhomme Chevert, Louise Laberry wife of François Pereaue, Marie Laberry wife of Louis Rachal fils, Jeanne Laberry wife of Pierre Larenaudiere, Françoise Laberry wife of Bertelmy Rachal, Madelaine Laberry wife of Joseph Martineau. Endorsement by Cdt. Felix Trudeau and witnesses Louis Derbanne and Nicolas Lauve. Receipt signed 5 May 1801 by Rouquier; receipt signed 4 March 1805 by Samuel Davinport and Marie Louise Gañon his wife witnessed (in English) by Commandant E. D. Turner, and receipt signed 22 July 1806 by Edward Murphy guardian of Pierre Gagnon, witnessed by Edw. D. Turner, Judge of Probate. folder 725

Settlement of accounts and partition of the estate of Marie Leclair, widow of Pierre Derbanne, by her son Louis Derbanne, executor. Manumission granted to Negro Pacale; evaluations of two other slaves. Payments made to Lauve and Lauve cadet, Canpanel, Jean Bonet, Donay, Murphy, Pantaleon, Baussie, Curé Pierre Pavie, Metoyer, Jean Baptiste Anty, Andre David, Dubois, Athanaze Poisot pere, Tozin marguillier. Partition: Heirs: executor's brother Pierre Derbanne. Deceased brother Jean Baptiste Derbanne represented by Pierre Chaler his brother-in-law tutor of minor children. Sister Marie Louise Derbanne wife of François Lavespere. Deceased sister Marie Victoire represented by Pierre Chaler her husband and tutor of their minor children. Brother Joseph Derbanne. Himself Louis Derbanne. His brother Emanuel Derbanne. Endorsement by Commandant Felix Trudeau, and witnesses Francois Brignier younger, and François Dubois. 14 March 1801. folder 726

Will of Jean Baptiste Ailhaud Sainte Anne, son of Antoine Ailhaud Sainte Anne and his wife Marie Carnier; native of Dauphine; age 46; wife Louise Buard; heir is his daughter Marie Therese Ailhaud Sainte Anne age eleven. Tutor wife; in case of death of wife tutor will be Pierre Joseph Maës; Pierre Metoyer curator. Bequests to his sisters in France, Marianne and Françoise. Signed 13 April 1801. Placed for safekeeping in the hands of Commandant Felix Trudeau,

and witnessed by Armant pere, Louis Chamard, Pierre Joseph Maës, Joseph Tausin, Paul Marcollay, Simphorin Lauve, Bt. Dubois. (not probated)  
15 April 1801. folder 727

Will of Claude Thomas Pierre Metoyer. Parents François Nicolas Metoyer and Marie Anne Drapron, Rochelle, France. Age 57. Wife Therese Buard. Children Pierre Victorin age 11½, Marie Therese Elizabeth age 10, François Benjamin age 7½. Executors his brothers-in-law Edouard Murphy, Jean Baptiste Ailhaud Sainte Anne, Louis Buard, Jean Baptiste Buard, Denis Buard, and François Rouquier jeune. Mentions his wife's deceased mother and brother François Augustine Buard. Wife's son Jean Baptiste Etienne Pavie and wife's daughter Marie Louise Elene Euphasie Pavie wife of Athanaze Poisot fils. Tutor of children Jean Baptiste Buard; curator Denis Buard. Gifts of Negroes Catiche dau. of Madeline, Nanette dau. of Babet, Victoire dau. of Marie (Congo). Mentions Marie Therese dite Coincoin and her Negro and Mulatto children Nicolas Augustine, Marie Susanne, Louis, Pierre, Dominique, Marie Eulalie deceased, Antoine Joseph, Pierre Toussaint, François, Marie Susanne and her children Jean Baptiste Florantin, Marie Susanne dite Susette, and Marie Aspazie. Terms of annuity and manumission. Mentions his sister the widow Micou, his uncle George Metoyer, and Jean Louis Pavie of La Rochelle. Disposition of inheritances, silver, and books. 27 April 1801.

The sealed will witnessed before Felix Trudeau in the presence of Joseph M. Armant, François Rouquier jeune, Andre Rambin, Jean Baptiste Buard, Joseph Tausin, Edward Murphy, and François Dubois, and signed by Claude Tomas Pierre Metoyer. 5 May 1801. folder 728

Itemized bill from Metoyer to Jaque Fort for blacksmith work of various types for indigo seed. Paid by Remy Lambre for the succession of Jaque Fort on 8 April 1802. folder 729

Will of Philippe Frederic. Wife Barbe Chelaite, deceased; five children: André Frederic age 22, Marie Barbe Frederic age 20, Marie Pelagie age 17, Philippe Frederic age 14, Marguerite Frederic age 10. Debts due estate from Jean Baptiste Bonet, Pierre Beaulieu, Pierre Gonsales. Executor Pierre Chelaite. Witnesses: Jean Baptiste Buard, François Bossié, and Bernabe Chelaite, Antoine Himil, Pedro Gonzales, André Frederic, Daniel Bedle, Baptiste Buard, Bossié. Envelope signed by some of the witnesses. 1 September 1802.

folder 730

Will of Charlotte Mercier, daughter of Jean Victor Mercier and his wife Jeanne Morchillac (Morelittae?). Age 52 years; is wife of Joseph Capuran, has no children. Bequests to Godchildren Noeleste Prudhomme; Constance Laffitte; Charlotte natural daughter of Mme. Pedro. Mentions Mlle. Maës. 10 September 1802. Signed before Felix Trudeau, and witnessed by Pierre Josef Maës, Louis Beltremieux, Louis Chamard, Joseph Armant, Paul Marcollay, Michel Chamard, Jean Horn. 3 November 1802. folder 731

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List of persons who have not yet paid their assessments, taken by Maës. No date. Simeon Rachale, Athanase Dupré, Pierre Beaulieu, Nicolas Martin Bodin, Margueritte Negresse libre, Nicolas Beaudouin, Mariote Negresse libre, Antoine Berjon, François Hugues dit Tonnay, Barthelmy Le Cour, Joseph Tores, Pierre Coutant, Louis Lambre, André St. André, Louis Berthelmy Rachale, François Totin, Pierite Derbanne, Joseph Derbanne, François Lavespere, Antoine Bordelon, Louis Vigé, Louis Plaisance mort, Bertran Plaisance, Pierre Gagné et son deux fils, Btiste Brevelle pere, Baltazard Brevelle, James vacher de Me. Rouquier, Gaspard Firole, La ve. Longlois dit Sans Regret, Pedro Alemand, Pedro Ramire caporal, Joseph Marie Armant, Antoine Dubois, La succession de la ve. François Frederic, Pascale Turgeon, Ignace Mailloux et ses deux fils, François Prudhomme, François Mercier, Louis Mercier, La ve. Roblo, Batiste Davion cadet, Pierre Alorge, François Dubois, the widow Grape, François Grape, Btiste. Grape, Benoit Montanary, the widow or the succession of Manuelle Trichel, Henry Trichel, Joseph Trichel, Louis Lamalaty, Louis David, Btiste. David, Jean Palvado, Louis Fontenau, Julien Besson, Pierre Bodin, Btiste. Pieferme, Pierre Cartes, Jaque orphelin, Jean Lalande, Remy Pero, François Pero, Jaque Cristy, Gaspard Derbanne, Bastienitte Prudhomme, Etienne Duquete, Gme. Senoday, Antoine Poisot, Michele Vincent, DeBlanc, Antoine Rachal, Dartigaux, widow Dartigaux, Dartigaux, Tauzin, Métoyé, Remy Totin, Dartigaux, Tauzin, Bossié. folder 735

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- 4 Sale of land in the city by Josef M. Armant power of attorney to Felix Trudeau.
- 4 Sale of land by Guillaume Chevert to Bertran Plaisance.
- 6 Will of Jacques Lacase and Marie Lse. Dupre his wife.
- 22 Relinquishment of Dominique Prudhomme in favor of his brother Emanl. Prudhomme.

June

- 25 Sale of Negress by Athanase Poissot to Francs. Chabus.
- 26 Inventory of the goods of the late François Leconte and the sale.

July

- 25 Power of Attorney from Sr. Dubois to Pedro Proceta.

August

- 4 Judicial sale of a piece of land of Francs. Toutin by Superior Court Decree.
- 20 Marriage contract between Pierre Fernier and Rose Gagné.
- 22 Sale of land by Josef Petit to Josef Ferrier.
- 29 Sale of land by the widow St. Denis to Edouard Murphy.

September

- 26 Liberty of a little Mulattress accorded by Jean Bte. Rachal.
- 27 Succession of the late Martinaux and the sale.

November

- 6 Sale of billiard table by Horn to Teal.
- 12 Inventory of the effects of Louis Vigée.

December

- 13 Power of Attorney of Sr. Metoyer to Sr. Josef Pavie.

September

- 17 Will of Sr. Pierre Joseph Maës.
- 17 Will of Dame Marie Conand wife of Sr. Pierre Maës.

Year 1800

January

- 4 Opening of the will of the late Davion.
- 11 Marriage contract between Christian Messer(?) and Marie Fde. Adelayde Ramin.

February

- 8 Power of Attorney of Sieur Athanase Demeziere to Sr. Chabus.
- 19 Donation of land by Sieur Pierre Maës and his wife to Bapte. Armant.

- 19 Declaration of the Mulatresse slave on the subject of a Mulatto her son belonging to Pantaleon.
- 24 Sale of slaves by Bartellemy Rachal to Eduard Murphy.
- 25 Receipt of Mr. Rouquier elder favor of Louis Fonteneau.

#### March

- 9 Judicial sale of a Negro and a mule belonging to the succession of the late Dame Lalande.
- 11 Sale of billiard table by Gimes Teal to Placide Bossié.

#### April

- 28 Power of Attorney given by Louis Mercier and his wife to Sr. Frans. Rouquier.
- 30 Power of Attorney of Sr. Frans. Davion to Sieur Lauve, Sr., for him to sell a Negro at New Orleans.

#### May

- 3 Sale of Negress by Dame widow Monginot to Frans. Dubois, merchant.
- 4 Sale of billiard table by Placide Bossié to Daniel Bedle.
- 10 Power of Attorney and arrangement in favor of Sr. Pierre Maës by the Sieurs Pavie, Tausin, and Bossié.
- 12 Power of Attorney of Sr. Nicolas Lauve in favor of Sr. Lauve his father.

#### August

- 11 Power of Attorney of Vinzent Michely in favor of Sr. Pierre Petit of New Orleans.
- 11 Mortgage of the claim of Sr. Jacques DeMezierre in favor of Sr. Dubois, merchant.

#### September

- 4 Power of Attorney of Sr. Laffitte to Sr. Josef Piernas.

#### October

- 2 Will of Jean Bte. Davion. [Added: See Succession 1821.]
- 3 Succession of the late Dame Marie Poissot in community with Jean Bte. Brevelle her husband.

#### November

- 8 Sale of Negro by Dame Varangue to Sieur Athanase her son.

#### December

- 7 Power of Attorney of Sr. Emanuel Prudhomme to Antonio Baca de St. Antoine.
- 8 Liberty to Marie Rose by Augustin Metoyer, free Mulatto.
- 23 Sale of Negress and the children by the widow Bartellemy to Sieur Villaret.



Year 1801

March

- 1 Sale of land by Rouquier elder to Sieur Durcy.
- 15 Judicial sale to creditors of several horses belonging to Vinzent Michely.
- 25 Sale of Negress by Francs. Chabus to Dame Gertrude de los Santos.
- 26 Liberty sale of a small Mulatress by Gil Isquierdo.
- 30 Donation of a small Negresse Denaige(?) by Dame widow Leconte to her small son.

April

- 1 Sale of slaves by Demoiselle Felicite Demeziere to Francs. Chabus.
- 2 Power of Attorney of Sr. Malige in favor of Sr. Maës.
- 12 Judicial sale of a Mulatress at the order of Sr. Maës adjudged to Josef Latier, Jr.
- 14 Sale of a small Mulatress by Louis Toutin to Simon Rachal.
- 15 Will of Sr. Aliau St. Anne.
- 22 Sale of three slaves by Louis Toutin to Sr. Eduard Murphy.

May

- 5 Marriage contract between Pierre Pagne and Mlle. Jeanne Lalande.
- 5 Will of Sr. Pierre Metoyer.
- 5 Will of Dame Therese Buard wife of Metoyer.
- 6 Marriage contract between Simion Levasseur and Mlle. Adelayde Mercier.
- 27 Receipt of Sr. Josef Lambre in favor of Sr. Francs. Bossié his guardian.
- 27 Sale of Negro by Francs. Bossie to Sr. Joseph Lambre.

July

- 13 Sale of slaves by Francs. Levasseur to Manuel Levasseur.

August

- 17 Sale of slaves by Francs. Levasseur to Louis Levasseur his son.
- 19 Liberty granted by Louis Monet and Manl. Derbanne to Mulatresse Dorothé.
- 22 Sale of slaves by Manl. Derbanne to Bertelley Lecour.
- 24 Liberty granted by Ambroise Leconte to the Mulatress named Pairine.
- 24 Registration of a bond and account against Migl. Hernandez.

September

- 5 Receipt of Jean Bte. Rachal and Gabriel Torres to Sr. Julien Rachal.
- 5 Marriage contract of Sr. Remy Perrau and the widow Louis Davion, daughter of Gagné.
- 5 Sale of slaves by Manl. Derbanne to free Mulatto Balthasar.
- 11 Sale of land by Jean Bte. Denis to Roger McPek.
- 26 Guardianship of the minors of the late Jacques Fort by Remy Lambre.

October

- 2 Receipt of Sieurs Dominique, Jean Bte. and Berthelley Rachal to their mother.

- 7 Sale of land by Jean Bonnet to Sr. Daniel Bedle.
- 10 Mortgage of a farm at Grand Ecore by Antne. Lenoir to the succession of the late Augustin Leclere; receipt.
- 29 Receipt and discharge of Christian Weser and his wife to Sr. Andre Rambin.
- 29 Power of Attorney of Sr. Bapte. Barkar to Bertellemy Campanely at New Orleans.

#### May

- 3 Power of Attorney of Madame Capuran to Mr. Jh. Tauzin.
- 10 Power of Attorney of Sr. Remy Perreau favor Mr. Remy Lambre.
- 21 Sale of Negro by Dme. Alorn(?) (Morn?) and his wife to Dominique Coincoin for the free Negress Margueritte.
- 24 Sale of a slave by Pierre Metoyer to free Mulatto Dominique Coincoin.
- 24 Will of Sr. Nicolas Lauve.
- 25 Power of Attorney of free Negress Coincoin in favor of Pantaleon.
- 28 Receipt of Madame widow Grillet for François Levasseur.

#### July

- 12 Power of Attorney given to Sr. Landreaux by Mr. Maës and his wife.
- 20 Act of emancipation of Manuel Triche.
- 20 Agreement between Madame widow Triche and her children.

#### September

- 20 Sale of land by Mr. Maës to Jean Delouche.
- 24 Retrocession of land at Opelousas by Nicolas Lauve to Chevalier Poiret.
- 27 Sale of a farm by Madame Fernandes to Berthellemy Rachal.

#### October

- 11 Sale of farm by Louis Tomasino to free Negro Docras.
- 28 Exchange of land between Remy Lambre and Manl. Prudhomme in exchange for Pierre Derbanne's.
- 29 Sale of land by Pierre Derbanne to J. Bte. Anty, Jr.

#### November

- 3 Will of Dame Charlotte Mercier wife of Sr. Josef Capuran.
- 20 Agreement by creditors of the late Fiol.
- 28 Marriage contract between Josef Derbanne and Catherine Brosset
- 29 Liberty granted by Josef Triche to little Mulatto L'azard.

#### December

- 8 Mortgage of land at New Orleans by Jacques Ferrier to Francs. Dubois.

#### Year 1803

##### January

- 10 Sale of land by Joseph Lambre to Pierre Quiery.
- 10 Sale of land by Bernabe Cheleter to Josef Lambre.

- 11 Sale of land by Josef Lambre to Daniel Bedle.
- 15 Sale of land by Soulange Bossié to François Latier.
- 15 Sale of land by Jean Delouche to Soulange Bossie.
- 17 Inventory and sale of goods of the late Philippe Frederic.
- 27 Inventory of goods of the late Denis Buard in community with Victoire Poissot his widow, and the accounts.

#### February

- 7 Inventory of goods left by the late Dame St. Denis together with her will.
- 15 Act of emancipation of the Sieurs Auguste Baillot and Jean Louis, and the receipt for accrued amounts in the succession of their father and mother, and a receipt from Mr. Alexdre. Enes.
- 28 Sale of farm by Paul Poissot to Auguste Longlois.

#### March

- 7 Sale of land in the city by Rouquier, younger, by power of attorney, to Mr. Chamard.
- 7 Inventory and partition to the heirs of the late Dame widow Triche.
- 15 Liberty granted to the Negresses Francoise and Marie Jeanne by the Triche heirs.
- 15 Sale of land by Atanaze Poissot to Jean Adelet.
- 16 Receipt of Michel Bridhome and his wife Cidonise Derbanne by Power of Attorney, in favor of Louis Derbanne.
- 18 Sale of farm by Pierre Joseph Maës to the widow Denis Buard.
- 22 Sale of land by the widow Jacques Fort to Dominique Sorel dit Marly.
- 28 Sale of land in the city by Louis Bertellemy for the succession of the late Leclere to Doctor Sybly.

#### April

- 13 Sale of a Negress by the widow Gagné to her son Pierre Gagné.
- 16 Sale of land by Paul Poissot to free Negro Pacalé.
- 16 Sale of land by Nicolas. Beaudoin to Pierre Lacour, Jr.
- 26 Sale of farm by Guillaume LeBrun to Augustin, Mulatto.

#### May

- 6 Sale of land by Ambroise Leconte to Louis Buard.
- 7 Sale of land by Remy Lambre to Francs. Chabus.
- 9 Sale of farm by Joseph Derbanne to Filipe Minor.
- 13 Sale of land in the city by Dame Armand and her husband to Nicolas Lauve. [interlineated later: Withdrawn by consent of parties and another made in its stead. John C. Carr. See folio 4 towards the end of the book]
- 21 Sale of land by Louis Buard to Francs. Levasseur retroceded by Levasseur to Louis Buard.

#### June

- 4 Letters of exchange deposited in this office by Sr. Belremieux.

- 4 Sale of three slaves by Siphorien Lauve to Nicolas, his brother.
- 14 Sale of land by Antoine Lemoine to Antoine Rachal.
- 15 Sale of slaves by Poissot to Antoine Rachal.
- 16 Mortgage of a Negress named Ortance by Habraam Villaret to Mr. Maës.
- 17 Received from Mr. Fredieu with power of attorney from Bartolome Campanel a sum of money from Mr. Panteleon.
- 20 Liberty granted by Simeon Rachal and his wife to the griffe Marie Jeanne.

#### July

- 12 Sale of land by Pierre Cajot to Bte. Agen.

#### August

- 3 Sale of a Negress Brutte by Manl. Prudhomme to J. Bte. Latier.
- 3 Sale of land by Louis Vasocu to Andres Vacocu (sic).
- 7 Sale of an old Negro by Emanuel Prudhomme to Andrez de St. Andrez.
- 8 Power of attorney by Mr. Duforet to Mr. Rafael Perdhomme (sic).
- 12 Sale of three slaves by Mr. Paillet to Pierre Cloutier.
- 26 Sale of land by Louis Bertrand to J. Bte. Davion.
- 29 Receipt from Marie Silvie wife Toutin to Jacques Bastien and his wife for her part of the succession of the late Madm. widow St. Denis.
- 30 Sale of a Mulatress by Mr. Emanuel Prudhomme to Andrez de St. Andrez.

#### September

- 7 Sale of a Negro brutte by Manuel Prudhomme to J. Bte. Anty.
- 26 Sale of a Negro brutte by Manuel Prudhomme to Nicole Docras.

#### October

- 3 Sale of land by Remy Perreau to Pierre Ternier.
- 29 Sale of goods of the late Dame widow Etienne Gagné.
- 29 Sale of horses belonging to the succession Fioul (sic) at the request of the creditors.

#### November

- 7 Marriage contract between Jean Bte. Paillet and Marie Victoire Poissot widow of Denis Buard.
- 14 Sale of land by Francs. Geroux to Sr. Jean Sybly.
- 21 Sale of farm by J. Bte. Paillet to Paul Poissot.

#### December

- 17 Sale of Negro brutte by Manuel Prudhomme to Josef Derbanne.
- 17 Sale of cattle ranch by Josef Derbanne to J. Bte. Paillet.

#### Year 1804

##### January

- 9 Sale of a little Mulatress by the Dame Varangue to Sr. Remy Lambre.
- 14 Sale of land by Jacques Prudhomme to Sr. Jean Sorbier.

- 14 Inventory of the goods left by the late Simion Rachal in community with Madelaine Laberie who continues trustee.
- 15 Judicial sale of the house and land of Sr. Durey (Darcy?) by Superior Court Decree.
- 17 Sale of slaves by the widow Athanaze Poissot to Antoine Coindee.
- 17 Mortgage of a Mulatto by Manuel Derbanne to Josef Derbanne his brother.

#### February

- 3 Agreement between the creditors of Vinzent Michely of this Post and dit Michely.
- 3 Inventory and sale of the goods of the late Doctor Duffy.
- 4 Sale of Negresse brute by Martinaux & Landros to Soulange Bossié.
- 4 Sale of two Negroes brute by Martinaux & Landraux to Pierre Lacour, Jr.
- 4 Sale of Negroes brute by Martinaux & Landraux to Barthelemy Rachal.
- 6 Sale of Negroes brute by Martinaux & Landraux to Antn. Grillet.
- 10 Mortgage of two little slaves by Habraham Villaret to Sr. Remy Lambre.
- 11 Sale of slave by the widow Atanaze Poissot to Alexis Cloutier.
- 17 Guardianship of Jean Bte. Buard for his niece Marie Marcellite Poissot.
- 21 Sale of farm by Josef Ferrier to free Mulatto Dominique Coincoin.
- 22 Sale of land by Antoine Prudhomme to François Chabus.
- 27 Sale of slaves by François Levasseur to his son Jean Francs. Levasseur.

#### March

- 3 Power of attorney given by Jean Bte. Paillet to Sr. Charles Duffau (Duffan?) at New Orleans.
- 6 Sale of land by Pierre Quierry to Sr. Jean Bte. Paillet.
- 7 Sale of land by Jean Adelet to Habraham Villaret.
- 10 Will of Dame Thereze Lamalathie widow Gaspart Phiol deposited in this office.
- 11 Mortgage of three slaves by Dame widow Pierre Gagné to Sr. Remy Lambre.
- 17 Sale of slaves by Manl. Levasseur to Louis Buard.
- 20 Mortgage of a house, land, and farm by Alexis Onalet to Sr. Rouquier, elder.
- 21 Inventory of the effects left by the late Jacques Herrier.
- 22 Mortgage of a Negro by Paul Poissot to Sr. Maës.
- 22 Sale of a Negro by Sr. Paillet to Rouquier, younger.
- 22 Sale of slaves by Manuel Prudhomme to Jean Bte. Leconte.
- 24 Mortgage of a farm and a Negro by Antoine Lenoir to Eduard Murphy.
- 27 Sale of land by Pierre Ternier to Doctor Jean Sybly.

#### April

- 5 Sale of slaves by the heirs of the late Dame Leconte to Jean Bte. Rachal.
- 6 Guardianship of children of the late Mariquette Dupre by Jacques Lacase, and judicial sale of the Mulatto Madelaine, sold to said Lacase.

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Triche, Josef	Melrose	738 (year 1802)
Triche, Manuel	Melrose	738 (year 1802)
Trichel, ———	Melrose	715
Trichel, Emanuel	Melrose	579, 720
Trichel, Henry	Melrose	703, 715, 720, 735
Trichel, Jean Baptiste	Melrose	703
Trichel, Joseph	Melrose	524, 703, 715, 720, 735
Trichel, Manuel (Manuelle)	Melrose	703, 735
Trichel, Marie Jhe.	Melrose	703
Trichele, Baptiste	Melrose	547, 602
Trichele, Henry	Melrose	606
Trichele, Joseph	Melrose	547, 554, 573, 650
Trichele, Manuel (Trichelle)	Melrose	547, 666, 702
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Trudeau, Felix	Melrose	723-28, 731, 738 (years 1799, 1804)
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Valentin, Andre (Valantin)	Melrose	579, 725
Valentin, Father	Melrose	505
Valentin, Therese	Melrose	725
Valle Cillo, La.	Melrose	655
Vandal, ———	Melrose	502, 503
Vannoy, Andre	Melrose	580
Varangot, ———	Melrose	678
Varangue, ———	Melrose	738 (years 1800, 1802, 1804)
Varangue, Jean	Melrose	587, 649, 650, 703, 716, 736, 745
Vardet, Guillaume (Vardette, William Ward, Wardes?)	Melrose	525, 702
Vascocu, ———	Melrose	733, 738 (year 1803)
Vascocu, Antoine (Vascocu, Vastcoqu)	Melrose	516, 519, 533, 650, 668, 684, 703
Vascocu, Antoine, Jr.	DeVille Melrose	1 668
Vascocu, Louis (Vascocu)	Melrose	668, 673, 703, 708, 738 (year 1803)
Vascocu, Louis, Jr.	Melrose	668
Vastcocu, François	Melrose	703
Vaudal, ———	Melrose	502
Vaugine, ———	Melrose	608, 631
Vaugine, ———, Jr.	Melrose	567, 608, 619
Vaugine, ———, Sr.	Melrose	695
Vaugine, Etienne de (Estevan)	Melrose	535, 537, 539-47, 549-68, 570-72, 578-89, 591-620, 622, 629, 632, 634-40, 642-50
Verchaire, Louis	Melrose	558, 583, 619, 660
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Verchere, Louis	Melrose	703
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Verger, ———	Melrose	738 (year 1802)
Verger, Anne	Melrose	592
Verger, Etienne	Melrose	557, 589
Versaille. Dit of Pierre Chalaire	Melrose	703
Victoire, dau. of Marie (Congo)	Melrose	728
Vigé, Louis (Vigée)	Melrose	703, 735, 738 (year 1799)
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Ysquerdo, Gil (Isquierdo)	Melrose	703
Zacari, Jacques	Melrose	688
Zayte, Cocais	Melrose	579