
FRENCH TRANSLATIONS

July 1726 - December 1726

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#26-95

YEAR 1726

JULY 1

Petition of recovery by Flourance
Douvillier, who moves to summon Sr.
Gaulas security of Mr. Clairfon-
taine for an overdue note.

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terly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page
409.

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

JULY 1

FILE 25/96

In Re: Disappearance of
Francois Monager, Surgeon of the Swiss
Company of Merveilleux

July 1, 1726 - 25/96

" 1, 1726 - 25/97

25/96

YEAR 1726

JULY 1

IN RE: DISAPPEARANCE OF

FRANCOIS MONAGER, SURGEON OF THE SWISS
COMPANY OF MERVEILLEUX

Return on service of notice on the following:

Jacques Rozier,
Jacquet,
Rodolphe Guillaume,
David Billon

to make deposition in the matter of the disappearance of Monager.

(Signed) Vincent

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YEAR 1726

JULY 1

IN RE: DISAPPEARANCE OF

FRANCOIS MONAGER, SURGEON OF THE SWISS
COMPANY OF MERVEILLEUX

Depositions

Before Jacques Delachaise, Commissioner of the
King, on petition of the Procurator General

- 1- Jacques Francois Jacquet, resident and
former Sergeant of the Swiss Company of
Merveilleux.

He deposed and said that around New Year's
Day last (either before or after), Monager
left for a hunting trip on the Lake.

He is under the impression Monager had no
companion with him.

This is all he knows.

(Signed) Delachaise
Rossard
Jacquet

- 2- Jacques Rozier, formerly of the Swiss Co.
Deposition, the same.

(Signed) Delachaise
Rossard

Rozier, being an illiterate, does not sign.

- 3- Rodolph Guillaume, soldier of the same Company.
Deposition, the same.

(Signed) Delachaise
Rossard
Rodolph Guillaume

(cont 'd)

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85/97 cont'd.
No. 201

- 4- David Billon, former soldier of the
same Company.
Deposition, the same.
(Signed) David Billon
Delachaise
Rossard

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YEAR 1726

JULY 3

Petition of recovery by Officer
Marest de Latour, who moves to
collect a debt from Coupart.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920, Page
410.

YEAR 1726JULY 6

CIVIL

In Re: Property left by Gaujoux
in this province.

Certificate

Undersigned De la Goublaye, Pellerin, Michel, Jacob and Broy, certify that they are aware and heard it said by Gaujoux, Company's employe, that if he died in this Colony he meant to leave whatever he had with him, to Mr. Clairfontaine in token of friendship.

(Signed) De la Goublaye
Pellerin
Michel
Jacob
Brou

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BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

JULY 6

FILE 26/100

CIVIL

In Re: Property left by Gaujoux
in this province.

July 6, 1726 - 26/100

" 6, 1726 - 26/99

YEAR 1726JULY 6

CIVIL

In Re: Property left by Gaujoux
in this province.

Petition

Clairfontaine alleges that deceased Sr. Gaujoux had, prior to his death, repeatedly expressed himself in the presence of witnesses, that as a mark of the esteem and friendship he had for Clairfontaine, all of deceased's effects in this country would go to plaintiff.

Clairfontaine therefore submits a certificate signed by these witnesses testifying to the truth of his assertion and prays the Court that he be put in possession of these effects.

(Signed) Clairfontaine

July 10, Referred to the Procurator General
for his conclusions.

(Signed) Brusle

July 10, Conclusions of the Procurator General
recommending that the claim be declared
null and void, since deceased knew how to write and
a notary was available. Goods shall go to pay debts,
and surplus, if any, to the treasury.

(Signed) Fleuriau

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#26-101

YEAR 1726

JULY 6

PETITION OF RECOVERY.

Francois Duval claims 750 livres
from Sr. Bian.

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terly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page
410.

26/102

YEAR 1726

JULY 8

This instrument will be found in

File 26/82

June 6, 1726

Civil Suit

Antoine Loue, alias Langlois
vs.
Cadot
(26 livres)

YEAR 1726

JULY 8

CIVIL SUIT

Antoine Loue, alias Langlois
vs.
Cadot
(26 livres)

Return on sheriff's service of notice on
Cadot to appear in response to demand of
Langlois.

(Signed) Vincent

On reverse side is Cadot's answer, showing
that illness prevents him from appearing.

(Signed) Cadot

Note: Langlois vs. Cadot
in #26/106, July 11, 1726
but it does not show the decision.

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No. 3, July 1920, Page 410

#26-103

YEAR 1726

JULY 9

Petition of recovery by Antoine
Malon from Duval.

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Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920,
Page 410.

YEAR 1726

JULY 9

DECISIONS IN CIVIL SUITS.

Duchesne and Harmon vs Delery.

Duval vs Bian.

Duval vs Madame Coupart.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page 410.

#26-105

YEAR 1726

JULY 9

Petition for independent service by Marianne St. Aubin, who came to this colony hired by De Moran and wife and was hired by De Moran to the Company. Let the second "contract" be voided.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page 410.

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YEAR 1726

JULY 10

This document
will be found in

File #26/73

Succession of Sr. George Desfontaines

March 14, 1726

26/107

YEAR 1726

JULY 10

SUCCESSION OF SR. DESFONTAINES
(or Defontaines)

Receipt of Rev. Father Raphael,
Capuchin, in favor of Sr. Rossard,
Clerk of Court, for account of said
Succession, in the sum of 96 livres,
covering offerings for Masses and
prayers in accordance with the last
will and testament of decedent.

(Signed) F. Raphael,
Capuchin Superior,
Rector.

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#26-106

YEAR 1726

JULY 11

DECISION IN CIVIL SUIT.

St. Aubin vs De Moran.

Florence vs Goulas.

Gamy (Lariviere) vs Bourbault. (*Bourcalier*)

Malon vs Duval.

Love (Langlois) vs Cadot.

Brusle vs Cariton.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, page 411.

#26-108

YEAR 1726

JULY 15

Petition of recovery by Francois Lemelle
alias Bellegarde vs Quidort.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page 411.

#26-109

YEAR 1726

JULY 16

Petition of recovery by Louis Brouet vs
L^s Blanc grant.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page 411.

#26-110

YEAR 1726

JULY 16

Petition of recovery by Denis Fosse vs
Clairfontaine.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page 411.

YEAR 1726

JULY 29

Petition of recovery by Chauvin de la
Freniere vs the estate of the late Mr.
De Pauger.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page 411.

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 1

Petition of recovery by Bilard alias
Le France vs. Pitarche for a note of
past March.

Entered in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol.3, No.3, July 1920, page 412.

#26-113

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 1

Petition of recovery by Prevost
vs Jarry.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920,
Page 412.

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 3

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido,
vs.
Renaud d'Hautrive
(2000 livres)

Return on second service of notice on Captain
d'Hautrive. The notice was served on his
Savagess Catherine.

(Signed) Vincent

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BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 3

FILE 26/114

CIVIL SUIT

Morisset
vs.
Clairfontaine
(2800 livres)

August 3, 1726 - 26/114

" 9, 1726 - 26/117

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YEAR 1726AUGUST 3

CIVIL SUIT

Morisset
vs.
Clairfontaine
(2800 livres)

Petition

Morisset alleges that he is due for the Treasury, the sum of 2800 livres, by Clairfontaine, that he obtained a judgment against him over 15 months ago, but to date he has not been able to collect; that he has in his possession letters of exchange from Illinois amounting to over 3000 livres which Clairfontaine gave him to cancel the debt.

He therefore prays that defendant be ordered to remit to plaintiff the amount of the letters or that he be permitted to negotiate them.

(Signed) Morisset

Aug. 5, Order.

(Signed) Delachaise

Aug. 6, Return on service of notice on Clairfontaine.

(Signed) Vincent

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No. 3, July 1920, Page 412

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 5

FILE 26/115

Civil Suit

Pierre Sainton

vs.

De Benac

August 5, 1726 - 26/115

" 17, 1726 - 26/120

YEAR 1726AUGUST 5

CIVIL SUIT

Pierre Sainton

vs.

De Benac

Petition

Sainton alleges he sold some horses to De Benac, and also loaned him a negro; that De Benac asked him to take care of the Concession for him during the latter's illness; that to date the horses have not been paid for.

He therefore prays for the purchase price of the horses plus the rental of the negro.

(Signed) Sainton

Aug. 5, Order.

(Signed) Delachaise

Aug. 5, Return on service of notice on De Benac.

(Signed) Vincent

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, page 412 as "Pierre Sainton slurs off a request in pale dirty ink that moves Councillor Delachaise, in good black ink, to sanction a summons; which is delivered by Sheriff Vincent to Chevalier de Benat (and also recorded in Black, respectable ink)".

26/116

No.203

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 9

DECISIONS IN CIVIL SUITS

- 1 - Pierre Sainton vs. De Benac. Defendant in default and sentenced to meet the claim, plus costs.
- 2 - Morisset vs. Clairfontaine. Adjourned to Saturday, August 17. Costs reserved.

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, Page 412

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 9

This instrument will be found in

File 26/114

August 3, 1726

CIVIL SUIT

Morisset
vs.
Clairfontaine
(2800 livres)

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 9

CIVIL SUIT

Morisset
vs.
Clairfontaine
(2800 livres)

Petition in Remonstrance

Mr. Clairfontaine shows that his letters of exchange deposited to secure Morisset, are the Company's own papers; hence they should be accepted as legal tender for debt to the same Company, without exchange loss to debtor. Clairfontaine cannot otherwise meet the claim; he has been damaged by flood and has not yet achieved any business for the Company.

(Signed) Clairfontaine

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No. 3, July 1920, pages 412 & 413

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BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 9

FILE 26/118
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CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido
vs.
Renaud d'Hautrive
(2000 livres)

August 9, 1726	-	26/ <u>118</u> <u>^</u>
" 9, 1726	-	no number
" 9, 1726	-	26/ <u>118</u> <u>^^</u>
No date	-	26/ <u>118</u> <u>^^^</u>
Aug. 30, 1726	-	26/ <u>128</u> <u>^</u>
Dec. 5, 1726	-	26/ <u>170</u> <u>^</u>
" 20, 1726	-	26/ <u>179</u> <u>^</u>
Feb. 19, 1727	-	27/51
" 19, 1727	-	No number
" 22, 1727	-	27/56
" 27, 1727	-	27/57
" 27, 1727	-	27/58
" 28, 1727	-	27/59

No number

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 9

Copy of 26/¹¹⁸/_^

Aug. 9, 1726

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido
vs.
Renaud d' Hautrive
(2000 livres)

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YEAR 1726AUGUST 9

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido
vs.
Renaud d'Hautrive
(2000 livres)

Joseph Bureau, both for himself and as agent for Mr. Crepin, his partner in the trade they proposed to carry on at the place called Chaquechoumas, seeks action against Captain Renaud d'Hautrive for intercepting them at the Yazoux and requiring them to sell their goods to the soldiers of his garrison at a sacrifice.

The traders not only started conformably to the King's law, but had a permit from Boisbriant, General Commandant, dated Nov. 22, 1725, but Captain d'Hautrive denied the latter's authority and jurisdiction at Yazoux post.

The plaintiffs have brought with them 1100 livres worth of merchandise, besides a carriage, etc. necessary to carry on their trade.

Bureau therefore prays that d'Hautrive be ordered to pay 2000 livres - cost of goods plus damages and interests.

(Signed) J. Bureau

Aug. 9, Order.

(Signed) Brusle

(cont'd)

Aug. 9, Return on service of notice on
Reynaud d'Hautrive.

(Signed) Vincent

Note: Quarterly showed "one Captain" as one
of the plaintiffs, but the documents
show "Crepin".

It also shows name of defendant as
"Reynault D'Hauterive", whereas his
signature is Renaud d'Hautrive.

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No number

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 9

Copy of 26/¹¹⁸

Aug. 9, 1726

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido
vs.
Renaud d' Hartrive
(2000 livres)

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YEAR 1726AUGUST 9

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido,

vs.

Renaud d' Hautrive

(2000 livres)

Defense of Captain Renaud d'Hautrive

He disclaims disrespecting the orders of Commander de Boisbriant, but the parties are convicts and untruthful. The mere particular that they rate their stock of goods at 1100 francs and claim 2000 francs for damages, reveals their presumption.

Besides they had traded most of their wares at Natchez, and had only a remnant of inferior goods when they reached Yasoux post. Their bartering there was voluntary. For instance, they traded six measures of limberger for 18 pots of oil.

Then d'Hautrive lists articles he obtained from the plaintiffs, and for which defendant gave 250 chickens, 100 deer hides, 50 pots of oil and 140 pounds of tallow.

He therefore prays that they be non-suited in their demands.

(Signed) Renaud d'Hautrive

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NO YEAR

1726

NO DATE

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CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido
vs.

Renaud d'Hautrive
(2000 livres)

Memorandum of Account

Statements of the goods that we had when we reached the Yazou; which goods we were obliged to trade to Monsieur Renaud and to his garrison because he prevented us from proceeding to Chacoumas.

Items include cloth, guns, copper pots, hardware and sundry tools, seal rings, bells, 200 lbs. of salt, 15 jugs of brandy, etc.

Total trade value, 1438 francs in one column; 666 francs in following column, apparently the prices brought, leaving a loss of 772 livres.

Note: The Quarterly has the reverse note: i. e. 666 as representing sacrifice valuation.

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 9

Petition for full value in fulfillment
of a contract made by the wife of Jean
Pasqual with La Vil de Beau.

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terly, July, 1920, Page 413.

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 16

PETITION OF INDEBTED CAROUSERS.

Duchesne and Chatay had a house of the Company to be paid in money or work.

They were about to sell same to one Brunell, but they drank and spent the money. Brunell sued them, moving that they should pay the Company.

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 17

CIVIL SUIT

Pierre Sainton
vs.
De Benac

Petition in Remonstrance

Chevalier De Benac files opposition to the ruling against him in default, and in favor of Sainton.

(Signed) De Benac

Aug. 17, Opposition allowed.

(Signed) Fazende

Aug. 19, Return on service of notice on Sainton.

(Signed) Vincent

Note:1-Quarterly shows name as de Benat,
whereas signature is De Benac.

Note:2-Judgment referred to is in Doc. 26/116,
No. 203 of Aug. 9, 1726.

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 17

DECISION IN CIVIL SUITS.

Bureau vs Dauterive.
Antoine Bunel vs Duchesne and Chatay.
Sainton vs De Benat.
De La Renaudas vs Morrisset.

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 17

ATTORNEY GENERAL ON DESERTIONS.

Fleuriau urges the Councillors to take prompt action against runaway slaves.

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 17

This instrument will be found in

File 26/115

Aug. 5, 1726

Civil Suit

Pierre Sainton
vs.
De Benac

#26-121

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 17

Petition for inquest about the disappearance of one Jean Mercier.

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 20

PETITION FOR APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIAN.

Louise Philipeau, widow Lefevre, ^{Noel}* about
to marry again desires to have a guar-
dian appointed for her three minor chil-
dren.

* wds d. Cap Francais

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terly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920, Page
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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 23

DECISIONS IN CIVIL SUITS.

Pierre Sainton vs De Benat.
Marest Dupuy De La Tour vs Jean
Cupart.

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terly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920, Page
415.

May 26, 1724 Draft

Original of draft and
notice on Kolly by
Mr. Ceard.

Kolly received 200 L. worth
of medicines for the

2ft. St. Reine grant but
refuses to pay.

V.P.#3 p. 240

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#26-126

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 26

Petition of recovery by Jean Cou-
part vs Durivage.

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terly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920, Page
415.

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 28

Petition to recover loss of cattle
by Larchevesque against Lagoublaye
or his wife, for the killing of two
cows and a bull.

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terly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920, Page
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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 30

This instrument will be found in

File 26/¹¹⁸_^

August 9, 1726

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido
vs.
Renaud d'Hautrive
(2000 livres)

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 31

DECISION IN SUNDRY SUITS.

Joseph Bureau vs Renaud Dauterive.
Larche vs La Goublaye.
Laurent vs Bonnaud.

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BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

AUGUST 31

26/129

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Manade

vs.

Charles Joly

(200 livres - Defamation of Character)

Aug.

August 31, 1726 - 26/129

Sept. 2, 1726 - 26/130

Sept. 14, 1726 - 26/137

*Cleared
of Robbery
Charge*

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YEAR 1726

AUGUST 31

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Manade

vs.

Charles Joly

(200 livres - Defamation of Character)

Petition

Pierre Manade alleges that Joly publicly denounced him as a thief, but these accusations were later proven false, as was evident by the thorough investigations made; that plaintiff, by order of August 8th last was given permission to pursue his accusers; he therefore prays the Court that Manade be condemned to pay him 200 livres as damage, and in default of such payment, he be arrested.

(Signed) Manade

Note: All the first part of suit is missing.

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YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 2

This instrument will be found in

File 26/129

August 31, 1726

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Manade

vs.

Charles Joly

(200 livres - Defamation of Character)

YEAR 1726SEPTEMBER 2

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Manade

vs.

Charles Joly

(200 livres - Defamation of Character)

Petition

Charles Joly, preparing to sail for France, alleges that Manade owes him for 21 months of salary and for furnishings to Manade's slaves.

He therefore prays that Manade be condemned to pay this amount before plaintiff's departure for France.

(Signed) Joly

Sept. 5, Order.

(Signed) Brusle

Oct. 4, Return on service of notice on Manade, through his negro servant.

(Signed) Vincent

Note: All the intervening documents (from Aug. 31st to this one) are missing.

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, page 416

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#26-131

YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 10

Petition of recovery by Dalcour
against Faucon Dumanoir.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920, Page
416.

#26-132

YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 11

Petition of recovery by Francois Thomas
alias Derivieres versus Tixerout.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page 416.

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 11

FILE 26/133
No. 208

CRIMINAL SUIT

The Hospital
vs.
Caron, baker
(Short weight on breads)

September 11, 1726 - 26/133 No. 208

" 13, 1726 - 26/135

YEAR 1726SEPTEMBER 11

CRIMINAL SUIT

The Hospital

vs.

Caron, baker

(Short weight on breads)

Proces Verbal of Inspection.

Official inspection, prompted by complaint of a hospital attendant, finds that baker Caron furnished short weight loaves of the two-pound size and the five-pound size. At Caron's, inspectors found about twenty loaves of five pounds short from 2 to 3 ounces each.

The scales were defective to extent of one ounce.

Caron will be summoned in order that he be notified that he is subject to confiscation and fine in case of repeated offense.

(Signed) Rossard

The Inspector of Police then went to the bakery of one Bellegrade and he was found short four ounces on the four-pound bread. These loaves were thrown into the Mississippi River. A few of the smaller ones, and the five-pound ones were one ounce short.

(Signed) Rossard

(cont'd)

26/133 cont'd.

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Note: The first and last parts of suit are
missing, thus making^{it} impossible to
say which hospital filed the charges.

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#26-134

YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 11

Petition of recovery by Francois
Nicolas de Knepper from Rivard.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920,
Page 416.

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YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 13

This instrument will be found in

File 26/133 No. 208

CRIMINAL SUIT

The Hospital

vs.

Caron, baker

(Short weight on breads)

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YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 15

CRIMINAL SUIT

The Hospital

vs.

' Caron, baker

(Short weight on breads)

Return on service of notice on Caron.

(Signed) Vincent

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, Page 416

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YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 13

This instrument will be found in

File 26/136a

Civil Suit

Jauriquibery, alias St. Martin

vs.

Arnaud

(For delivery of a heifer)

Guillong ESTATE

May 28, 1726

YEAR 1726SEPTEMBER 13

CIVIL SUIT

Jauriquibery, alias St. Martin

vs.

Arnaud

(For delivery of a heifer)

Memorial

St. Martin exposes that judgment was suspended by reason of opposition formed by Arnaud under date of December 24, 1725.

He shows two reasons why opposition is nul:

- 1 - Since the heifer was given by Arnaud to cancel a note, it should not be included in cattle belonging to Estate of Guillory, moreover it was turned over by Arnaud on order of Guillory which was prior to his death. If plaintiff left the heifer with the herd, it was only on promise of Arnaud to keep it there separate from the other cattle and as a friendly act.
- 2 - The Ordinance of Council of June 12, 1725, can have no effect against plaintiff, since it was issued only 14 months after the heifer was given. The thing appears incontestable since this bargain was made by two honest men and with consent of Arnaud, to whom plaintiff turned over the note. This was on April 5, 1724 and the note was kept by Arnaud until Dec. 24, 1725.

(cont'd)

26/136 cont'd.

If the children of deceased Guillory are drawn into this affair, the plaintiff is willing that Arnaud keep the heifer and pay the face value of the note, i. e., 97 livres in Spanish silver.

(Signed) St. Martin

Sept. 13, Order.

(Signed) Prat

Sept. 13, Return on service of notice on Arnaud.

(Signed) Vincent.

Note: Quarterly says "St. Martin offers the magnanimous concession of releasing the original claim, 97 francs in Spanish currency in favor of the children of the late Guillory heirs to the unsettled estate in question"; whereas document shows that in "lieu of the heifer he will accept from the heirs, the 97 francs which is the face value of the note, plus interest".

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, #3, July 1920, Pages 416-417

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YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 14

This instrument will be found in

File 26/129

, August 31, 1726

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Manade

vs.

Charles Joly

(200 livres - Defamation of Character)

YEAR 1726SEPTEMBER 14

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Manade

vs.

Charles Joly

(200 livres - Defamation of Character)

Certified Statement

21 months of salary @ 250 livres			
per year -----	437 #	10 d.	
Clothing which was not received -	250	0	
Supplies to his Slaves -----	100	0	
Total -----	787	10	
Less 5 jugs of brandy @ 20 livres	100	00	
Balance -----	687 $\frac{1}{2}$		

I certify the above to be a true and correct statement.

(Signed) Joly

Oct. 4, Return on service on Manade.

(Signed) Vincent

Note: The Quarterly calls this a "memorandum of Account".

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, Page 417

Note: In Doc. 26/145 of Oct. 12, 1726, is a decision: "Joly vs. Manade" but what the decision is, is not shown.

YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 14

DECISIONS IN SUNDRY SUITS.

Attorney General vs (La) ^{(e) Antoine} Roux. dit la Fleur
Rossard vs Caron.
Dalcour vs Dumanoir.
Francois Le Berger vs Fillar.
F. N. De Knepper vs Rivard.
Coupert vs Durivage.
Francois De Riviere vs Tixerant.
Lemaire vs Broy.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, #3, Page 417, July, 1920.

#26-139

YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 20

Petition in remonstrance by Francois
Chate alias Le Coeur against a ruling
between him and contractors Thomelin
and Dupré.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page 417.

#26-140

YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 27

Petition of recovery by Marie
Gournell against Micoux, car-
penter and calker.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page 417.

#26-141

YEAR 1726

SEPTEMBER 28

DECISION IN SUNDRY SUITS.

Goussier →
De Riviere vs Tixerant.
Marie Tournel vs Micou.
Francois Chate vs Tomelin.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920,
Page 418.

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 3

FILE X26/1

October 3, 1726

CIVIL SUIT

Louis Tixerant
vs.

Durivage
(Collection of note-180 livres)

October 3, 1726	-	X26/1
No date	-	X26/2
" "	-	X26/3
" "	-	X26/4
October 6, 1726	-	X26/5
No date	-	X26/6

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 3

CIVIL SUIT

Louis Tixerant

vs.

Durivage

(Collection of note-180 livres)

Transfer of note by notarial act.

Provenche hereby transfers to Louis Tixerant a note of Sr. Durivage for 180 livres. The note is dated August 11, 1725, and is for the balance of his account.

Act passed before Rossard, Notary, and in presence of Charles Droy and Jean Baptiste Massy, witnesses, who sign, together with

(Signed) Tixerant
Massy
C. Droy
Rossard, N. P.

Provenche, being an illiterate, does not sign.

Not listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly.

Note: All the instruments pertaining to the suit are missing. This is only a collection of some unsigned memorandum and unsigned statements.

X26/2

(Scored in blue pencil "With Oct. 3, 1726")

NO DATE

CIVIL SUIT

Louis Tixerant

vs.

Durivage

(Collection of note-180 livres)

Account - Durivage with Tixerant

The debit side totals 565 livres

and is made up of items

as follows: 2 hogs @ 60#

3 large axes @ 12#

1 small ax @ 10

His note in favor of Provenche, -180

Paid his wife 10

43 days - food for those

who worked on pigeon-house, 86

etc.

The credit side has:

To build the pigeon-house,

43 days @ 5# 215

Work on chimney, 150

3 cabinets 20

300 Oysters 9

For balance of account, 50

Total 446

Balance due by Durivage to Tixerant - 112

(No signature)

Not listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly.

X26/3

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NO YEAR

X
NO DATE

CIVIL SUIT

Louis Tixerant

vs.

Durivage

(Collection of note-180 livres)

Unsigned and undated memorandum
of observations for use of Mr. Massy.

Durivage built me a pigeon-house, charging five livres per day (as per bill attached) for labor, plus a charge of 40 sols per day for food of his laborers, - 14 men for 13 days.

According to our contract he was to furnish everything, consequently he was to feed his own men.

Rafters - Durivage told he would need 40. Instead he unnecessarily separated them by 3 feet, leaving 18 on hand.

Pigs - I gave him two pigs on account as per my certificate attached. He claims he had them appraised by an expert about five years ago and they were worth at that time, 50 sols per pound. Moreover he had the privilege of selecting any from the three that were there, and he did not take the smallest. Mr. Bonneau paid me 60 livres for it.

(No signature)

Not listed in the Louisiana Historical Quarterly.

X26/4

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NO YEAR

NO DATE

CIVIL SUIT

Louis Tixerant

vs.

Durivage

(Collection of note-180 livres)

Unsigned and undated memorandum of what
Tixerant owes Durivage.

Building pigeon-house	
45 days @ 5# per day	215
18 rafters	54
Building chimney	150
3 cabinets	20
Oysters	9
Balance due on cow of Mr. Mauvan	50
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	498

Not listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly.

X26/5

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 6

CIVIL SUIT

Louis Tixerant

vs.

Durivage

(Collection of note-180 livres)

Unsigned list of Debtors from whom to
collect before trip to Natchez.

No signature

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X26/6
(Scored in blue pencil "With Oct. 6, 1726)

NO YEAR

NO DATE

CIVIL SUIT

Louis Tixerant
vs.
Durivage
(Collection of note-180 livres)

Unsigned and undated list of
Names with amounts in livres
and sols opposite each name.

Total is not shown but
it is about 807 livres

*document missing at time
of inventory 6-21-95*

199

Not listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly.

#26-143

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 8

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Petition of recovery by Henry Buquoy
against Sr. Bourbeau.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920, Page 418.

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NO NUMBER

OCT 8 ✓

"État de ce que j'ay mis entre les
mains de Monsieur Lemaire a
vendre pour mon compte dans son
voiage soit au cap françois
st. domingue on a la Louisianne..."
Boilleau 8/oct / 1726

may be related to Kolly
inventory (Dec. 10 1726)

#26-145

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 12

DECISIONS IN CIVIL SUITS.

Painquet vs Raquet.
Joly vs Manade.
Buquoy vs Bourbault.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July,
1920, Page 419.

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 12

FILE 26/144

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Louis de Verteuil

vs

Dominique Doua De Sanson, Surgeon
(Insubordination and sedition)

Oct. 12, 1726	- 26/144
" 13, 1726	- 26/146 ✓
" 19, 1726	- 26/150
" 13 thru' Nov. 27, 1726	- No number
Dec. 28, 1726	- 26/181
March 4, 1727	- 27/62
" 8, 1727	- 27/70
" 27, 1727	- 27/92
April 5, 1727	- 27/100
" 19, 1727	- 27/113

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 12

FILE 26/144

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Louis De Verteuil
vs.
Dominique Doua De Sanson, Surgeon
(Insubordination and sedition)

Oct. 12, 1726	- 26/144
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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 12

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Louis De Verteuil

vs.

Dominique Doua De Sanson, Surgeon
(Insubordination and Sedition)

Memorial of De Verteuil, Partner in the
Buisson Concession at Bayagoulas, Louisiana,
on Sanson, Surgeon.

Narrative of injured dignity in face of an
"odiously" proud bearing and "seditious" acts on
the part of a subordinate.

The immediate quarrel grew out of a supper incident.
The surgeon, by accident, was to sup by himself and
he resented the fact that a napkin was used on the
table instead of a table-cloth.

Plaintiff charges the surgeon with entering his
room and swearing at and threatening him and when
plaintiff, in order to avoid an argument, left the
room, Sanson grabbed a stick and pursued him, call-
ing him such names as "old dog", "black-guard", etc.
Dr. Sanson left in a dugout bound presumably for
New Orleans, but he was found at "Oumas" by
Lieutenant Petit, who thought that he might oblige
Mr. De Verteuil by escorting the surgeon back to
the Dubuisson grant (former village of Bayagoulas).

Plaintiff prays that Sanson be ordered to embark
for France and he (the plaintiff) is willing to
pay for the transportation.

(Signed) De Verteuil-

Doc filed under A26111501

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Nov. 15, Return on
Deposited with Clerk of Court by
Raguet who has power-of-attorney for
De Verteuil.
The original act was signed by Charles
Droy as Clerk and Jean Bpte. Massy as
witness.

(Signed) Raguet

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, Pages 418 and 419.

Note: Since all the first part of the document
is missing it is difficult to say who
filed the suit. From the context of the
first two instruments it would seem that
De Verteuil was the plaintiff and from
others it appears De Verteuil was de-
fendant.

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 13

This instrument will be found in

File 26/ $\frac{144}{\wedge}$

October 12, 1726

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Louis De Verteuil

vs.

Dominique Doua De Sanson, Surgeon
(Insubordination and Sedition)

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 13

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Louis De Verteuil.

vs.

Dominique Doua De Sanson, Surgeon
(Insubordination and Sedition)

Edouard?

Answer of de Sanson.

De Sanson, Major Surgeon of the Concession of Messrs. Paris and Duvernay, alleges that on Sept. 4th last, De Verteuil, director of this concession, mistreated a savage; that De Verteuil is overbearing and irascible, believing himself to be the most absolute of all men.

Sanson denies the charge of seditious behavior and shows that De Verteuil threatened him with irons and punishment at the hands of negroes, all because he (the Surgeon) remained away too long on an errand of treating a negro for rattlesnake bite.

He prays that De Verteuil be ordered to pay him his salary.

(Signed) Vincent for the plaintiff

Oct. 14, Order.

(Signed) Delachaise

Nov. 27, Return on service of notice on De Verteuil.

(Signed) Vincent

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Box 4 Fr. Sup. Court Records

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 13
" 14
" 19
NOVEMBER 4
" 27

This instrument is scored in blue pencil

"Duplicate of 21/¹⁴⁶/_^, also of 26/¹⁵⁰/_^". ← 10-19-

It is not a duplicate, but a copy of these instruments.

The first date appearing is October 13th, but since it contains copy of instruments up to and including November 27th this date of the 13th cannot be assigned to it, because how can anyone copy on the 13th something that is not written until the 19th and the 4th and 27th of the subsequent month.

description of document?

Note: The Quarterly calls it a duplicate and has it listed under dates of October 13th and October 19th.

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filed at 1726112701

No Document Number

YEAR 1726

OCT. 13 thru' NOV. 27

This instrument will be found in

File 26/ $\frac{144}{\ast}$

October 12, 1726

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Louis De Verteuil
vs.
Dominique Doua De Sanson, Surgeon
(Insubordination and Sedition)

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 14

PETITION OF RECOVERY.

Jacque Perrier and Jean Tellier
against Bellegarde.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page
419.

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 14

This instrument will be found in

File 24/3

February 3, 1724

CIVIL SUIT

Adrien de Pauger

vs.

Bienville

(In re: Repossession of Plantation)

YEAR 1726OCTOBER 14

CIVIL SUIT

Adrien de Pauger

vs.

Bienville

(In re: Repossession of Plantation)

Memorial of Mr. Delachaise

In his office as testamentary executor of the estate of the late Mr. de Pauger, Councillor Delachaise recalls the land suit between Monsieur de Bienville and Mr. de Pauger, wherein Mr. de Pauger was worsted regarding compensation for his improvements on the land at issue.

Delachaise therefore prays that in the absence of Bienville, his nephew, De Noyan, be ordered to represent the Proces Verbal of the experts' appraisal of the cost of clearance and that the 1000 livres at which said appraisal was set, be placed to the credit of the de Pauger estate with the Company of the Indies; in case of contestation, Bienville to be liable for all costs.

(Signed) Delachaise

Oct. 14, Order.

(Signed) Fazende

Oct. 15, Return on service of notice on De Noyan.

(Signed) Vincent

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 18

This instrument will be found in

File 24/3

February 3, 1724

CIVIL SUIT

Adrien de Pauger

vs.

Bienville

(In re: Repossession of Plantation)

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 18

Petition of recovery by Antoine
Auffere that bought from Melik
a negro, not knowing that he
was epileptic.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July,
1920, Page 420.

#26-150

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 19

DECISIONS IN CIVIL SUITS.

Letellier and Perier vs Bellegarde.
Delachaise vs de Noyan.
Aufière vs Melick.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920, Page 420.

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 19

This instrument will be found in

File 26/ ¹⁴⁴_^

October 12, 1726

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Louis De Verteuil

vs.

Dominique Doua De Sanson, Surgeon
(Insubordination and Sedition)



YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 19

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Louis De Verteuil

vs.

Dominique Doua De Sanson, Surgeon
(Insubordination and Sedition)

Petition in Reconvention
(For partial writ of seizure)

Surgeon D. Doua de Sanson alleges that since he filed a petition against De Verteuil on the 13th of the month (copy of which is attached hereto) De Verteuil has renewed his threats against this plaintiff: drubbing, shooting, everything instrumental to destruction of human life.

De Sanson further alleges that he begged De Verteuil to take possession of the Surgeon's chest in the Concession but the latter refused to do this and upon this refusal the Surgeon sealed the said chest and then embarked for New Orleans to submit his complaint to the Court.

He therefore prays for a partial writ of seizure against the Concession up to 1316 livres to cover his salary for the past 21 months, at rate of 600 livres per year, plus 340 livres 2 sols which he advanced the concession.

(Signed) D. Doua De Sanson

Oct. 19, Order.

(Signed) Brusle

(cont'd)

Nov. 14, Return on service of notice on De
Verteuil at Bayagoulas.

(Signed) Vincent

Nov. 27, Answer of De Verteuil to service of
notice.

He parries the sheriff's writ on the ground that the surgeon has no case; he broke his formal contract expiring only in March, 1728, by deserting his hospital patients on post, October 5th. Said contract was drawn up on October 25, 1724, at Ste. Croix, Isle of Teneriff, in presence of Mr. Portier, Consul for France in the Canary Islands, and of Mr. Galiber, his Chancellor.

This answer was filed in the presence of the Sheriff and Messrs. Jacques Gallier and Jacques Darelou, who sign, together with De Verteuil.

(Signed) De Verteuil
Gallier
Darelou
Vincent

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BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 21

FILE 26/151

Oct. 21, 1726

CIVIL SUIT

Bertrand Dufresne

vs.

Melique

(700 livres)

Oct. 21, 1726 - 26/151

" 21, 1726 - 26/152

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 21

CIVIL SUIT

Bertrand Dufresne

vs.

Melique

(700 livres)

Petition for attachment of Funds.

Bertrand Dufresne, resident of Arcansas, alleges that Mr. Melique owes him 700 livres on his note of June 15, 1725, and that Mr. Aufrere is debtor to Mr. Melique.

He therefore prays for a writ of seizure against the funds in the hands of Mr. Aufrere which he owes Melique, and that Melique be notified.

(Signed) Dufresne

Oct. 21, Order.

(Signed) Fazende

Oct. 21, Return on service of notice on Melique.

(Signed) Vincent

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YEAR 1726OCTOBER 21

CIVIL SUIT

Bertrand Dufresne

vs.

Melique

(700 livres)

Attachment of Funds.

At the instance of Bertrand Dufresne, settler in Arcansas, but now domiciled with Mr. Tronquidy, Sheriff Vincent seizes funds of Mr. Aufrere, and forbids him to pay what he owes Mr. Melique until Dufresne be satisfied in his claim of 700 francs, due him by Melick.

(Signed) Vincent

Note: Quarterly shows Du Fresne and Melick. Signature is Dufresne and document shows Melique.

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, pages 420 and 421.

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 23

This instrument will be found in

File 25/183

May 8, 1725

CIVIL SUIT

Jean Coupert

vs.

Pierre Manade
(192 livres)

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 23

CIVIL SUIT

Jean Coupart
vs.
Pierre Manade
(192 livres)

Return on service of notice on Manade to pay Coupart the 192 livres which he owes the latter, in default of which Manade's goods will be seized and sold in satisfaction of said claim.

(Signed) Vincent

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, Page 421 as
"Notice of Seizure".

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 23

DECISION BY (SCRAWL)

Attorney General vs Massy.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920,
Page 421.

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 23

1. Subject: I promise to pay to Mr. Le Boul-
lenger the sum of 136 francs payable in
merchandise or processes at the prevailing
Illinois market, August, 1727. This done
in the presence of Mr. Le Boulenger,
Jesuit, this 23rd day of November, 1726,
at Illinois.

(Signed)

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Vieu
Le Boulenger,
witness.

Not printed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly.

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 24

Petition of recovery by Surgeon
Major Alexandre Vieil from Sr.
Chaperon.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, Page 421,
July, 1920.

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 24

PETITION OF RECOVERY BY SEIZURE.

Dreux freres from Pousset, amount
due them and to certain Le Bastet.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page
421.

filed under 1726122401

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YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 25

Marine inspection report-At instance
of Capt. Joseph Viguad the brigantine
Marie Elizabeth is inspected, and
declared unseaworthy.

*Sac. misdated - filed in proper
sequence at 25th OCT 1736 (1) or*

1736102501

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terly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page
421.

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 26

SUBJECT

JUDGMENTS AS FOLLOWS

In favor of Du Buisson, - Plaintiff, and
against Du Verteuil, Defendant, in the
sum of 900 livres.

In favor of Meliquet, - Plaintiff,

and

Against Aufrere, - Defendant in the sum of _____
livres, on account of his promissory note for
700 livres, dated May 5, 1725.

(Signed)

Perault,

Delachaise,

Rossard,

*seems to be a 3d case
Antoine KAMBRE + Blarbe? -?-,
his wife, vs. Esteve?
RAGOUT? No decision recorded,*

Synopsis to be found in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol.3, #3, 1920-21, Page 421,
Document 7.

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#26-159

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 26

Petition of recovery by De La
Villetteabauld versus Sieur
Dreux.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July,
1920, Page 422.

#26-161

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 31

Demand for certified accounting by
Attorney General Fleuriau, on the
settlement of the estate of the
late Sister Grissot.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, #, July, 1920, Page 422.

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 31

Executive Session of the
Superior Council.

Laville Thibaut versus Dameron.
Defendant sentenced to pay claim (amount torn)
plus cost.

Laville Thibaut versus De Chavanne and Rossard.
Further in process - Cost reserved.

Laville Thibaut versus Dumas dit Lempileur.
Defendant sentenced to pay plaintiff the sum of
two hundred livres and costs.

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3,
No. 3, page 418, July, 1920.

Document dated (the last day of October) on
Louisiana Historical Quarterly, October 1st.

YEAR 1726

OCTOBER 31

RESIGNATION OF EXECUTOR'S
CHARGE.

Mr. George Tesson, named executor of
the late Joseph Moreau asks to resign.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page
422.

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#26-162

YEAR 1726

NOVEMBER 7

Petition of recovery by soldier
Jacques Robert against Coupard.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page
422.

#26-163

YEAR 1726

NOVEMBER 9

REVISION OF JUDGMENT.

A certain act of November 5, is voided
by Attorney General's decision of Nov.
9,- Negro shall be auctioned to the
highest bidder.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page
422.

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

NOVEMBER 12

FILE 26/144

November 12, 1726

CIVIL SUIT

Francois Duval

vs.

Labbe

(125 livres)

November 12, 1726 - 26/144

" 16, 1726 - 26/164

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YEAR 1726

NOVEMBER 12

CIVIL SUIT

Francois Duval
vs.
Labbe
(125 livres)

Petition of Francois Duval in which he alleges that he has made repeated efforts to collect from Labbe the sum of 125 livres.

He therefore prays that Labbe be ordered to pay this amount, plus costs.

(Signed) Fr. Duval

Note: The petition does not show how the debt was incurred.

Nov. 12, Order.

(Signed) Fleuriau

Nov. 12, Return on service of notice on Labbe.

(Signed) Vincent

Not listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly.

26/164
No.218

YEAR 1726

NOVEMBER 16

CIVIL SUIT

Francois Duval
vs.
Labbe
(125 livres)

Judgment

Defendant Labbe is condemned to pay plaintiff the sum of 123 livres six sols, balance due on a larger sum, for furniture sold to him, plus costs.

(Signed) Boisbriant
Delachaise
Brusle
Fazende
Perrault

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, Page 422

Note: The Quarterly says that Duval is to pay; whereas the Judgment says "Defendant to pay plaintiff".

#26-165

YEAR 1726

NOVEMBER 18

Petition for removal of seals by Mr. Rossard, who asks that seals be removed from property of late Chevreuil Du Val.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920, Page 423.

#26-166

YEAR 1726

NOVEMBER 19

Petition to forestall trespassing
by Capt. Francois de Mandeville
against Mr. Raquet.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920,
Page 423.

YEAR 1726

NOVEMBER 27

Copy of petition of Dreux Brothers,
against Administrator of Vacant Suc-
cessions for payment of sum original-
ly due by Delorme, payment assumed by
Ceard, who subsequently died without
having paid said sum; order and re-
turn of Clerk re service on defendant.

(Signed) According to copy
original petition was signed "Dreux";
order was signed "Delachaise".

Copy and return signed "Vincent".

filed under 1726/21001

Not printed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly.

#26-168.

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER

Receipt by Charles Roger to Sieur
Pasquier.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920,
Page 423.

filed under 1726 122101

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 2

File 26/169

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Verret

vs

Nicolas Chauvin de Lafreniere

(Exchange of slaves)

1726	Dec. 2	-	26/169
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	" 2	-	26/169a
	" 11	-	26/174

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER [2]?

Ex. employee

1000 l.

Receipt by Charles Roger ~~to~~ Sieur
Pasquier.

from

Roger

Massy

Droy

Rossard

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, #3, July, 1920,
Page 423.

filed under 1726122101

YEAR 1726DECEMBER 2CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Verret
 vs
 Nicolas Chauvin de Lafreniere
 (Exchange of slaves)

Petition.

Joseph Verret, about two months ago, exchanged a negro of his for a negress of Mr. Lafreniere. Lafreniere now tries to set aside the bargain by sending back the negro on the ground of age and disability, and by taking back the negress. The original trade was explicit and well understood.

Verret prays that defendant be ordered to keep his negro and return the negress.

(Signed) Verret

Dec. 2.

Order.

(Signed) Delachaise

Dec. 4.

Return on service of notice on Lafreniere.

(Signed) Vincent.

NOTE: Quarterly shows "La Fresniere," whereas his signature is "Lafreniere."

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, Page 423.

No Number

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 2

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Verret
vs
Nicolas Chauvin de Lafreniere
(Exchange of slaves)

Scored in blue pencil as "Duplicate of 26/169" but it is a copy and not a duplicate of 26/169.

Not listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly.

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 2

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Verret

vs

Nicolas Chauvin de Lafreniere
(Exchange of slaves)

At Chapitoulas

Certified statement of account - Verret with
Chauvin de Lafreniere.

Balance debit against Verret - 394 livres 6 sols

Certified to by

(Signed) Lafreniere

NOTE: Quarterly transposes the figures making
it read - 349 instead of 394.

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3,
No. 3, July 1920, Page 423.

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 4

Not printed in L. H. Q.

SUBJECT

RECEIPTS OF BRUSLÉ AND ROSSARD.

Receipts of Bruslé and Rossard for costs
and fees in Succession of Claude Trepag-
nier.

(Signed)

Bruslé,

Rossard.

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 5

This instrument will be found in

File 26/ ¹¹⁸^

August 9, 1728

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido
vs.
Renaud d'Hautrive
(2000 livres)

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 5

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido
vs.
Renaud d'Hautrive
(2000 livres)

Petition for discharge

Captain Renaud d'Hautrive, recalling a Court sentence of past August 31, which required Bureau to prove that his movements were forcibly intercepted (at Yazou post) by Captain d'Hautrive, prays that since Bureau has furnished no proof in all this time, that he (Bureau) be non-suited and that defendant be discharged.

(Signed) Renaud d'Hautrive

Dec. 5, Order.

(Signed) Brusle

Dec. 6, Return on service of notice on Bureau.

(Signed) Vincent

Dec. 18, Return on second service of notice on Bureau.

Judgment will be rendered irrespectively, should he fail to appear.

(Signed) Vincent

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, Page 423

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 6

FILE 26/170

CIVIL SUIT

Renandays Gaultier
vs.
Geard Estate
(100 livres)

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YEAR 1726DECEMBER 6

CIVIL SUIT

Renaudays Gaultier
vs.
Geard Estate
(100 livres)

Sieur Renaudays Gaultier, 2nd Captain of the Vessel La Loire, holds a note of 100 livres against the late Geard, former director of the Concession Ste. Reine. The note is dated December 10, 1718 and was made at St. Malo, in favor of Delavilleneuveaux. This latter endorsed it over to one Matlet, who in turn endorsed it over to Jolince. Jolince then endorsed it over to Gaultier.

Gaultier now wishes to collect the note and since the debt was of a personal nature contracted prior to his affiliation with the Concession and to those contracted later, plaintiff, as preferred creditor, prays that Rossard, as Administrator of Vacant Estates be ordered to pay him the sum from proceeds of sale of effects and clothing which proceeds are now in his hands and are mortgaged in favor of creditors.

(Signed) Renaudays Gaultier

Dec. 6, Order.

(Signed) Delachaise

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Dec. 6, Return on service of notice on
Rossard.

(Signed) Vincent

Note: Quarterly shows name as de la Renaudays
Gauttier, whereas his signature is
Renaudays Gaultier.

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3,
No. 3, July 1920, Page 424

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 77

DECISIONS IN CIVIL SUITS.

De La Renaudais vs Rosard.
Verret vs La Fresniere.
Dauterive vs Bureau.
Prevost vs Didier.

Synopsis to be found in Louisiana
Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3,
1720-21, Page 424, Doc. 2.

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 10

Summons to testify served to Mr. De
Chavaunes, Secretary of the Council,
at the instance of Captain Pierre
Clement of "La Loire."

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quar-
terly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920, Page
424.

filed under 1726/2/701

#26-173

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 10

INVENTORY OF KOLLY PRO-
PERTY.

Itemized miscellany of personal ef-
fects and business papers.

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical
Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920,
Page 424.

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 11

This instrument will be found in

File 26/169

Dec. 2, 1726

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Verret

vs

Nicolas Chauvin de Lafreniere
(Exchange of slaves)

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CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Verret

vs

Nicolas Chauvin de Lafreniere
(Exchange of slaves)

Answer of Lafreniere showing cause why he should not be held to the terms of the bargain. He alleges that Verret deceived him in regard to the disputed negro by pretending that the negro had no fault but a disposition to run away, whereas Lafreniere was willing to waive that weakness provided he had no physical defects. But the negro was sick, as is evidenced by a doctor's certificate he has.

Lafreniere also produces a certified statement of the account with Verret, copy of which statement, showing a balance due of 394 livres 6 sols, was given to Verret.

He therefore prays that Verret be ordered to pay the debt and that he (Lafreniere) be not held to the bargain.

(Signed)

Lafreniere

Dec. 11

Return on service of notice on Verret.

(Signed)

Vincent.

NOTE: Here again Quarterly shows "La Fresniere"

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3,
July 1920, page 424.

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 13

FILE 26/175

Dec. 13, 1726

CRIMINAL SUIT

Captain La Salle
vs.
Brusle, Fazende et al
(Calumny)

Dec. 13, 1726 - 26/175

" 20, 1726 - 26/179

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 13

CRIMINAL SUIT

Captain La Salle
vs.
Brusle, Fazende et al.
(Calumny)

Captain La Salle, of the Ship Sr. Andre,
alleges that he has been calumniated and
moves for citation of those implicated.

(Signed) La Salle

Note: The document is so faded and stained
that it is impossible to find out the
names of the defendant, if any are given,
but from answer of Fazende, one is led
to believe that he and Brusle are among
those being sued.

(Signed) La Salle

Dec. 14, Referred to Mr. Fazende.

(Signed) Brusle

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, page 424

Note: Quarterly shows name as "de La Salle"
whereas signature is "La Salle".

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 18

This instrument will be found in

File 25/183

May 8, 1725

CIVIL SUIT

Jean Coupart
vs.
Pierre Manade
(192 livres)

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 18

CIVIL SUIT

Jean Coupert
vs.
Pierre Manade
(192 livres)

Attachment of Funds

Sheriff Vincent seizes one Babas to the amount of 192 livres claimed by Jean Coupert on "what Babas may owe to Sieur Manade".

(Signed) Vincent

Jan. 3, Return on service of notice on Babas to appear on Saturday, Jan. 4, and "see himself condemned to empty his hands into those of the said Coupert, of what he (Babas) may owe to Manade"; to the sum of 192 livres.

(Signed) Vincent

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, page 425

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 19

Petition for clear title by Magdelaine Fauveau alias St. Jean, from "old man Moreau."

Synopsis in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, July, 1920, Page 425.

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 20

DECISIONS IN SUNDRY SUITS.

Dauterive vs Bureau.
Carriere vs Rossard.
De Mandeville vs Raquet. ✓
Delachaise vs Delagoublaye.
Dame Fauveau vs Moreau. ✓

Synopsis to be found in Louisiana His-
torical Quarterly, Vol. 3, No. 3, 1920-
21, Page 425, Doc. 3.

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 20

This instrument will be found in

FILE 26/179

Dec. 13, 1726

CRIMINAL SUIT

Captain La Salle
vs.
Brusle, Fazende et al
(Calumny)

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CRIMINAL SUIT

Captain La Salle
 vs.
 Brusle, Fazende et al
 (Calumny)

Remonstrance on Officious Tattling.

Councillor Fazende reminds the Council that it was out of order to call him to account in the suit filed by Captain La Salle.

Mr. Fazende, in a supposed secret session of the Council, told it for a mere "tip" of precaution that he had heard, on rather direct lines, that Captain La Salle had "oiled" his brandy with that of cargo.

Mr. Fazende made no charge at all; it was a private remark and had no warrant for getting openly utilized in the way of capital for virtual defendants, if the report were true, whereby to turn the tables as injured plaintiffs. Whoever spread the remark, did a blameworthy act and merits the censure of the Council.

(Signed) Fazende

1726

Dec. 20, To be deposited with Clerk of Court.

(Signed) Fazende

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 No. 3, July 1920, page 425

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 20

This instrument will be found in

File 26/ ¹¹⁸/_^

August 9, 1726

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(2000 livres)

26/ ¹⁷⁹/_^

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 20

CIVIL SUIT

Joseph Bureau and Mr. Crepin, in solido
vs.
Renaud d'Hautrive
(2000 livres)

Copy of Judgment.

Since Bureau has failed to render his proof
as required by order of August 31, he is
non-suited and must pay costs.

By the Council
(Signed) Rossard, Clerk

1727

Feb. 12, Return on service of notice of
Judgment on Bureau.

(Signed) Vincent

Note: Quarterly does not refer to it as a Copy.

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly, Vol. 3,
No. 3, July 1920, pages 425 and 426

Note: In Doc. 26/171 of Dec. 7, 1726, is listed
among the decisions: "Dauterive vs. Bureau".

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 23

Petition of Recovery.

Lassis de Marsilly, overseer for "La Compagnie des Indes", having married widow Trepanier, petitions to compel Durivage, contractor, to pay him the value of 600 pieces of bark at the rate of 50 francs per hundred which suppliant sold and delivered to said Durivage.

Entered in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, No. 3, Jan. 1920, Page 426.

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 28

This instrument will be found in

File 26/¹⁴⁴/_^

October 12, 1726

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Louis De Verteuil

vs.

Dominique Doua De Sanson, Surgeon
(Insubordination and Sedition)

YEAR 1726DECEMBER 28

CRIMINAL SUIT

Pierre Louis De Verteuil

vs.

Dominique Doua De Sanson, Surgeon
(Insubordination and Sedition)

Remonstrance at Summons.

Mr. De Verteuil asks to be discharged from the proceedings moved by Surgeon Dominique Doua De Sanson. The latter has broken his explicit contract and according to an order of the Council all who absent themselves from the Concession without a valid reason are to forfeit the salary for the time they are absent.

De Verteuil disclaims the report that he is intractable; he is only too indulgent and enjoys the reputation of being an honest man.

(Signed) Raguet, attorney-in-fact
for De Verteuil

1724

Oct. 25, Certified Copy of Contract.

Surgeon De Sanson is described as "native of Bagnères en Bigorre, surgeon and apothecary by profession". He hires himself to the Concession Le Buisson for a period of three years, beginning at the time he disembarks in Louisiana. Salary - 600 livres per year - plus quarters, subsistence and laundry.

Made in duplicate at Ste. Crois, Isle de Theneriffe, in presence of Portier, French Consul in the Canary Islands, who signed, together with De Verteuil and Mr. Galiber, his Chancellor.

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This copy is certified to by

(Signed) De Verteuil

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, page 426

Note 1: Quarterly shows name as "Dominique
Douat de Sanson" whereas his signature
is Doua De Sanson.

Note 2: Decision Sanson vs. De Verteuil is in-
corporated in Doc. 27/24 of Jan. 22,
1727, but it does not show what the
decision is.

BOX NO. 2

YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 30

FILE 26/182

December 30, 1726

CIVIL SUIT

Antoine Love
vs.
De Nolan Estate
(140 livres)

April 18, 1726 - 26/62
Dec. 30, 1726 - 26/182
Jan. 7, 1727 - 27/8

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YEAR 1726

DECEMBER 30

CIVIL SUIT

Antoine Love
vs.
De Nolan Estate
(140 livres)

Petition

Antoine Love, English tailor, alleges that he is bearer of a note for 140 livres, dated April 18, 1726, and payable by De Nolan who is now dead. This note was to cover a bill for suits of clothing.

He therefore prays that Rossard, Administrator of Vacant Estates, be ordered to pay this note from the estate of De Nolan.

(Signed) Love

Jan. 1, Order.

(Signed) Delachaise

Jan. 8, Return on service of notice on Rossard.

(Signed) Vincent

Note: Quarterly shows "Lowe" and document shows "Love".

Listed in Louisiana Historical Quarterly,
Vol. 3, No. 3, July 1920, page 426

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