

THOUSANDS HOMELESS

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At a conference at Senator Foster's office to-day, participated in by practically the whole Louisiana, Mississippi and part of the Arkansas delegations, it was decided not to start a movement to appropriate \$1,500,000 for repair of the levees after the flood subsides, as was planned yesterday. More than this sum may be needed, and it is believed best to wait and find out the sum which may be necessary.

NOTICE TO CONTESTANTS.

Perhaps one of the greatest assets possessed by a candidate in a big prize contest, such as the Farmer is conducting, is enthusiasm. No success, either great or small, was ever achieved without a great deal of enthusiasm. Some people are born with this desirable characteristic so predominant that they come to be known as optimists, but there is nothing to it; it is enthusiasm pure and simple.

History is full of achievements of men and women who possessed a solitary idea, backed by words of enthusiasm which they themselves generated among their friends and supporters. The same condition exists in a contest. The eager, jubilant lady who is bubbling over with enthusiasm of her campaign is the person who soon has her friends feeling the same way. She feels that she is going to win. There is not the slightest doubt in her mind, and the natural result is that every friend becomes a booster and right away would seem to be the time to apply every ounce of enthusiasm available.

Contestants should never allow discouragement to affect them. Have confidence in yourself and you will feel the infection of your confidence. Despondency is more contagious than the grip. Who is going to believe in you if you don't believe in yourself? Be sure of yourself, then your friends will feel sure of you, and know that they are not wasting their votes on some faint-hearted person who might in a moment of dejection drop out of the contest and make all of their efforts count for nothing. No one works to the best advantage while uncertain of their work. If any question occurs to you that you do not understand do not hesitate to call at the office and have it fully explained.

Luck will not win in a popularity contest. Ladies who have been named by their friends as popular and energetic should not disappoint them by depending upon luck. Contestants should remember that every yearly subscription has a big vote. I would be wise to study a little and try to remember a possible subscriber. "I never was lucky in anything, and I know I could not win." Such was the remark made by a young lady to the Contest Manager who approached by him in regard to her campaign in the contest. How many ladies whose names appear on the list hope to win by luck? If you have the least thought in that direction consider this a little personal talk with you.

Sometimes you meet a man who ranks high among those who know him as a man of more than ordinary intelligence and talent. I accented him unceremoniously, perhaps, upon which he quickly raised himself erect and seeing who it was, his face beamed with a confession as if he had been caught in a silly act of which he was half ashamed. His embarrassment was apparent as he partly turned his head away and answered, "I was looking for a four leaf clover."

"What do you want with it after you find it?" I inquired. "It is of no scientific value."

"Well I have heard often from a person of knowledge, that finding a four leaf clover was an indication of good luck and assurance of successful enterprise, that I have been trying to find out myself if there was any truth in it."

I inquired if he had ever tried the experiment before. "Well, yes," was his hesitating reply. "I did up on several occasions when I had a doubtful speculation."

"What was the result?" I inquired. "The first time I found one my investment was a successful one, but afterwards I met with failure."

The first time, he had planned and worked up the object in pursuit, and his own careful work had brought him success. Afterwards, he depended upon the clover to bring him success and was disappointed.

Luck isn't going to win prizes, persistent hard work is, and when the contest closes you will find that the winners will be the ones who were not afraid to work and not the ones who waited for the votes to come to them. DO NOT DEPEND UPON A FOUR-LEAF CLOVER in this race for there is nothing to it.

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All persons are hereby warned and prohibited from cutting, burning, deadening, carrying or floating away, or otherwise injuring or destroying any trees, timber or wood growing or lying upon the lands of the St. Tammany Brick and Lumber Company, Limited. Any person so doing will be prosecuted under the provisions of Act No. 193, of the laws of this State. Salmen Brick & Lumber Co. Ltd. my25-1v 1902.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Covington, April 8, 1912.

The council met on above date pursuant to adjournment. Present: F. G. Marrero mayor, and Aldermen J. L. Smith, R. L. Aubert, P. J. Lacroix, Emile Beaucoudray, Leon Hebert and M. P. Planche. The following resolution was then read:

Resolution No. 5, New Series. Calling a special election to be held in the town of Covington, in the parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, for the purpose of submitting to the property taxpayers of said town, qualified to vote therein, a proposition as to whether or not they will incur debt and issue negotiable bonds therefor, for the purpose of purchasing, or erecting, constructing and installing a system of waterworks within and throughout the corporate limits of the town of Covington, the title to which shall be vested in the public.

Be it resolved by the Mayor and Town Council of the town of Covington, in regular session convened, that a special election be called and is hereby called, to be held within the corporate limits of the town of Covington, for the purpose of submitting to the taxpayers thereof, who are authorized to vote at such elections, under the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, the proposition as to whether or not they will incur debt to the sum or amount of sixty thousand dollars, and issue negotiable bonds therefor; the object for which said debt is to be incurred is to purchase, or construct, erect, install, regulate, maintain and operate a system of waterworks within and throughout the corporate limits of said town of Covington, the title to which shall be vested in the public.

That the debt to be incurred and the negotiable bonds to be issued therefor, shall run for a period of forty years, commencing with the year 1912, and bear interest thereon at the rate of five per cent per annum from date of said bonds until paid, interest payable semi-annually.

Be it further resolved, etc., that the election herein called and provided for shall be held thirty days after due and public notice of the same has been given as required by law, and that the polling place for the holding of said election shall be the same place at which State and town elections are held, namely, at the court house in the town of Covington. That the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock a. m. and close at five o'clock p. m.

Be it further resolved, etc., that due and public notice of the calling and holding of said special election, said notice setting forth the date and place of holding of the same, the hours of the opening and closing of the polls, and for that purpose, the mayor is hereby instructed, authorized and empowered to cause said public notice, and in the manner and under the form required by law.

F. G. MARRERO, Mayor. N. M. HEBERT, JR., Secretary.

Moved by J. L. Smith, seconded by Emile Beaucoudray, that the above resolution be adopted as read. Carried.

There being no further business the council adjourned. F. G. MARRERO, Mayor. N. M. HEBERT, JR., Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given to all property taxpayers of the town of Covington, in the parish of St. Tammany, State of Louisiana, that a special election has been called by the mayor and town council of the town of Covington, according to a resolution adopted by them at their regular meeting held on the 8th day of April, 1912, and will be held in said town for the purpose of submitting to the property taxpayers thereof, who are authorized to vote at such elections under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana, the proposition as to whether or not they will incur debt to the sum and in the amount of Sixty Thousand Dollars and issue negotiable bonds therefor. The object for which the debt is to be incurred and the negotiable bonds issued therefor is to purchase, or construct, and to erect, install, maintain and operate a system of waterworks within and throughout the corporate limits of said town of Covington, the title to which shall be vested in the public. That the debt to be incurred and the negotiable bonds to be issued therefor, shall run for a period of forty years, commencing with the year 1912, and shall bear interest thereon at the rate of five per centum per annum from date of said bonds until paid, interest thereon to be paid semi-annually.

That the election herein called will be held on the 14TH DAY OF MAY, 1912, at the court house, within the town of Covington, which is the usual place for the holding of State and town elections. The polls shall be opened from seven o'clock a. m. and close at five o'clock p. m. That all property taxpayers of said town of Covington, qualified as electors under the provisions of the Constitution and laws of the State of Louisiana shall be entitled to vote at said election. The qualifications are, age, residence, registration and poll tax payments for the years 1910 and 1911, except resident women taxpayers, who shall have the right to vote at such special election without registration and poll tax payments, either in person or by their agents authorized in writing, which written authorization shall be attached to such agent's ballots.

Public notice is further given, that on the 16th day of May, 1912, at the hour of eleven o'clock a. m., at the mayor's office, within the town of Covington, the mayor and town council of the town of Covington, will in open session, proceed publicly to open the ballot boxes containing the ballots in number and in amount, and to examine and canvass the returns, and there and then declare publicly the result of said election.

F. G. MARRERO, Mayor. N. M. HEBERT, JR., Secretary.

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We are authorized to announce M. I. VARNADO of Franklinton, as a candidate for District Attorney of the Twenty-sixth Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

We are authorized to announce LINDSAY MCDUGALL as a candidate for Judge of the 26th Judicial District Court, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

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THE VOTING CONTEST. The Voting Contest being conducted by this paper offers to the ladies of St. Tammany and adjoining parishes an opportunity to win a very handsome and valuable prize. The Grand Prize is a \$600 Semitone Player-piano. It is the latest improved player-piano. As a piano alone it is the equal of any \$450 piano on the market. As a player-piano it is superior to some player-pianos selling at considerable higher prices. The second Grand Prize is a \$100 Parlor Cabinet Grand (upright) will be awarded to the contestant receiving the second highest number of votes.

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NOTICE. We, the undersigned, forbid all hunting, trapping and trespassing on our lands. Anyone caught so doing will be punished to the full extent of the law. H. A. DUTSCH, L. L. DUTSCH, C. R. SCHULTZ, G. H. DUTSCH, J. E. CLELAND, A. LAND, L. TALLEY, ROBT. H. VOSS, C. R. DUTSCH, F. MATHIES.

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Table with columns: Trip No. 1, Trip No. 2. Rows: Leave Madisonville, Leave Houllonville, Arrive Covington, Leave Covington, Arrive Houllonville, Arrive Madisonville.

RATES: Between Madisonville and Covington, one way 50 cents. Round trip 75 cents. Between Houllonville and Covington, one way 50 cents. Round trip 75 cents.

EXCURSION Wednesdays and Sundays 50 cents round trip. PETITION. Mandeville, March 27, 1912. To the Honorable Mayor and council:

Gentlemen:—I herewith submit to you a petition signed by the following residents for the purpose to remove my barroom and to operate a restaurant corner of Girod and Lake streets. Respectfully, Signed: Pascal Favaron, Mrs. Alice Bonnet, Mrs. A. F. Zammit, Mrs. Cathrine Favaron, Geo. S. Forster, R. B. Paine, P. H. Hansbrough, J. A. Arceaux, S. C. Escoffier, Mrs. N. and H. H. Levy.

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