

The St. Tammany Farmer

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THE COME-BACK OF J. Y.

There are two things that appeal strongly to the American: Courage and the square deal. The man whom you know you can trust; the man whose promise you may depend upon; the man who has the courage to fight his battles undiminished to the end is well fortified in public esteem.

When J. Y. Sanders announced for the Senate, we endorsed him, believing he would bring credit to Louisiana and believing he would be able to accomplish as much for Louisiana as any man we could send to Washington. We have watched his course since then, and our convictions are even stronger than ever, on the eve of election, that we did not make a mistake.

Mr. Sanders' loyalty to our interests, while in Congress, the strength and ability with which he fought for them, is the very best proof of what may be expected of him in the Senate; and we believe a large majority of the voters of St. Tammany parish will vote for him next Tuesday, and that there is no reasonable doubt of his election.

THE CENSUS FOR THE PAST TEN YEARS.

The public has been taught to believe that the figures given out by the United States Government were about as correct as possible, but the howl that has gone up in every direction against the census for 1920 is rather discouraging. No section will cheerfully receive unsatisfactory information as to the increase of its population during the past ten years. It is human to protest. But when the reasons for that protest are good and sufficient, it creates a lack of consideration for all figures and becomes a menace to a system that has won world-wide confidence for its accuracy. Of course, the war upset everything. Census enumerators were difficult to get and competent supervisors were scarce. The government, also, in its efforts for economical management, failed to put paid advertisements in the country press, but depended upon free service in their advertisement for enumerators. The country press bore more than its share of free advertising during the war. It got to a point where its life was threatened. Paper rose to enormous prices, its postage was increased and all its operating expenses were increased. It could not afford to continue after the war the service it had given free during the war, and which the government tried in every way to continue with unwarranted waste of paper in bushels of "released" matter of all descriptions and requests of all kinds.

It is too late now to remedy matters, but the Covington census is a joke. It is believed here that Covington has much nearer 4000 than 3000, while the census gives 2942. There are numerous persons who say they were not visited, and a recount would no doubt bring more to light. But leaving this aside there are many indications of growth much in excess of the census returns.

In 1910 anybody could find an office to rent. To-day, notwithstanding the new buildings that have gone up, you cannot rent an office, a store or residence. Automobiles through the streets, there are more merchants in business, there are hundreds of thousands more money in the banks (there being \$481,000 in 1910 and \$1,486,000 for year ending 1920.) and the postoffice receipts have gone from \$8154.85 to \$15,178.20 in last year, and with still greater receipts coming for the year 1920.

About \$1500 may be deducted from the receipts with reference to their value as showing increased business because of the increasing postage to 3 cents during part of the ten years.

While the census gives 31611 above Covington, Covington has 531 registered voters, which according to the census returns would make about one voter in each family of five, and 31611 has 486 registered voters which according to the census would make about one voter for every family of six, and all this in two towns about thirty miles apart. What peculiar conditions would make such an alarming distinction. What town has more girls than Covington? And we add with pride, what town has more pretty girls than Covington? And they'll soon be voters. Then the average of registered voters to the family will be increased, because they say they will register. And by the way, we notice that Clerk of Court Blossman has addressed his schedule of appointments for registration to "The Ladies."

However, we congratulate Sidel on the good work of its census taker and will take our medicine pleasantly. We do not believe that Sidel has less, but that Covington has more. But oh! boy, what a difference in 1930.

The difference in the third ward between 1910 and 1920 is due to the fact that then Abita Springs was in the third ward. It is now in the 10th. With the old lines there would be an increase instead of a decrease in the third ward.

TOWN COUNCIL.

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Assembly of the State of Louisiana, for the year 1916, and Article 232 and Paragraph Four of Article 231 of the Constitution of the State of Louisiana, seventy-five serial, negotiable, interest bearing coupon bonds of the denomination of \$100.00 each, numbered from one to seventy-five, both inclusive, and maturing from seven to ten years in an increasing ratio, until paid.

Be it further ordained, etc., That said bonds shall bear five per cent per annum interest, payable semi-annually on the 1st day of June and the 1st day of December in each year.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the serial number, amount and maturity of each of the said seventy-five bonds shall be as follows, to-wit:

Serial No.	Amount	Maturity
1 to 20	\$100 each	Dec. 1, 1923
21 to 45	\$100 each	Dec. 1, 1924
46 to 75	\$100 each	Dec. 1, 1925

Be it further ordained, etc., That the said bonds shall have attached coupons representing interest thereon at the rate of five per cent per annum from the first day of December, 1920, payable semi-annually on the first day of June and the first day of December of each year.

Be it further ordained, etc., That said bonds shall be issued for the purpose of shelling the streets of the Town of Covington and making other necessary and indispensable public improvements.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and attested by the Secretary, and shall be in the form and couched in the language and figures as follows, to-wit:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
Public Improvement Bonds of the
Town of Covington,
State of Louisiana.
\$100.00 \$100.00
The municipality of the Town of

Covington, State of Louisiana, for value received hereby promises to pay to bearer on the 1st day of December, 19... the sum of \$100 in gold coin of the United States, of the present standard of coinage, with interest thereon at the rate of five per centum per annum from the 1st day of December of each and every year except the first upon which will be payable one year after date, upon presentation and surrender of the coupons hereto attached as same shall mature. The principal and interest on this bond is made payable at the office of the Commercial Bank & Trust Company, of Covington, Louisiana.

This bond is one of a series of 75 bonds, numbered from one to seventy-five, both inclusive, of the denomination of One Hundred (\$100) Dollars; each, and aggregating Seven-Fifty (\$7500) Dollars, issued by the municipality of the town of Covington, State of Louisiana, for the purpose of shelling the streets of the town of Covington and making other necessary and indispensable public improvements, by virtue of the authority conferred by Article 232 and Paragraph Four of Article 231 of the Constitution, and Act 96 of the General Assembly of the State of Louisiana for the year 1916, and the said bond was especially authorized at a meeting of the Town Council held at Covington, Louisiana, on the 7th day of September, 1920, in accordance with said Act.

The debt represented by the said 75 bonds was incurred and the bonds were issued by virtue of the authority conferred by the Constitution and Act referred to and conforming to the results of an ordinance voted by the Municipal Council of the Town of Covington, on the 7th day of September, 1920, authorizing the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the said Town of Covington to levy each year



from out the taxes the said Board is authorized to impose, under the Constitution, the sum of 1 1/2 mills on the assessment of the property of the Town of Covington, or so much thereof as shall be sufficient to pay the principal and interest on said bonds, in accordance with law, and it is certified that all of the conditions and things necessary to be done precedent to the issuance of this bond and other bonds of this series in order to make them legal, binding and valid obligations of the municipality of the Town of Covington, have been performed in due form as required by law, and that the legal indebtedness of said bonds of the Town of Covington, including this issue of bonds, does not exceed the constitutional and statutory limitations of indebtedness.

In witness whereof the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen, as the governing authority of the said Town, have caused this bond to be signed, signed and sealed with the corporate seal of the said Town of Covington, State of Louisiana, all of which were affixed hereto by its Mayor and Secretary on behalf of the said Town on the ... day of ... 191...

Be it further resolved, etc., That the Town of Covington, La., shall be and remain obligated to the payment of said bonds and indebtedness with the interest thereon and this ordinance authorizing the issuance thereof and shall be and remain irrevocable so long as any of said bonds and interest coupons shall remain outstanding and unpaid and the passage of this ordinance shall constitute a contract between the holder or holders of said bonds and the Town of Covington, La., and shall remain inviolate and no law or ordinance shall ever be passed relieving the governing authority of said town from the obligation of annually levying such millage hereinafter dedicated and pledged and paying the same on the interest and principal of said bonds.

Be it further ordained, etc., That the Mayor and Board of Aldermen hereby irrevocably pledge and dedicate the said surplus of one and three-fourths (1 3/4) mills, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to the payment of the bonds above said, until the same shall be retired in principal and interest, and such pledge and dedication shall be and remain irrevocable by any other

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NOTICE
No trapping or hunting allowed on my land. Any one found trapping on my land will be prosecuted to full extent of the law, and will be held responsible for stock killed or hurt by traps.
ROBT. H. VOSS. mrg

Advertising in The Farmer pays big dividends.

TO THE PUBLIC.
The Board of State Affairs will review the assessment of the Parish of St. Tammany on Wednesday, the 8th day of September, 1920, at its office in the City of Baton Rouge, La. Any taxpayer having a complaint to make or a suggestion to offer is invited to be present on the date fixed, or to write to the Board with reference thereto before the date fixed.

At this time the Board of State Affairs will review the values fixed by the Assessor and the Police Jury, and will fix values for assessment purposes.

G. B. HARRISON, Assessor.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS.
The following amount of lumber and nails to be used in the repairing of the LeCombe steel bridge is as follows, and the police jury asks for new bids on said bridge, bids to be sent sealed to the office of the police jury:
36 pieces 2x8-17, heart, rough stringers, 818 feet.
248 pieces 3x8-16, heart, sized decking, 7936 feet.
304 lineal feet 4x6 heart, riugh railings, 608 feet.
2 kegs 60 penny nails.
F. J. MARTINDALE, Secretary.

WANTED—Colored man and wife to make permanent home, a good house partly furnished, steady employment for both, or if desired, share arrangement. An unusually good proposition. B. W. Brown, Box 577, Covington, La. s4

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