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OH! LOOK WHAT'S HERE!

Gonzales Depot Case Subject of Another Court Ruling.

Another chapter in the now famous Gonzales depot case was written on the 24th proximo, when the supreme court of Louisiana handed down its decision denying the writ of prohibition prayed for by Assistant Attorney General W. M. Barrow, representing the state railroad commission, the object of which was to restrain Judge Brunot of the district court of East Baton Rouge from refusing to grant the commission an appeal to the supreme court.

It will be recalled that in November, 1914, the railroad commission ordered William Edenhorn, president of the R. & N. Co., to take down the name "Edenhorn" from the depot at Gonzales, and substitute therefor the original name of the village, as desired by the residents of the community. The order was to become effective Jan. 1, 1915.

Mr. Edenhorn filed suit in the district court of East Baton Rouge March 13, 1915, attacking the order and seeking to have it annulled. In his petition he set forth that it was a man could not name a station along his own railroad after himself without outside interference.

The case came up for trial at Baton Rouge April 1, but the proceedings were halted when Attorney Barrow moved to have the suit dismissed on the ground that proscriptive had set in. Railroads have three months, under the law, in which to bring suits contesting orders of the commission.

The assistant attorney general contended that this period extends from the time the order is issued, whereas the railroad attorneys claimed that the date on which the order becomes effective marks the beginning of the three months' time limit.

Judge Brunot dismissed the motion to have the case thrown out of court. Attorney Barrow then entered an appeal to the supreme court, which was refused, whereupon he applied to the latter tribunal for a writ of prohibition to restrain Judge Brunot from refusing to grant the appeal. This writ was in turn denied by the supreme court, as stated above, and the celebrated case will now come up for trial on its merits before Judge Brunot.

Vigilants to Give Four-Day Fair.

At a well-attended meeting of Vigilant Hose Company Tuesday night, the following young men were admitted to membership in the organization: Roland Binnings, Wallie Higginson, Edwin Gros, Lee Fortier, Hill-Bennard.

The addition of these names to the roster increases the membership of the company to forty-one. The principal object of the meeting was to set a date for the fair which the company proposes to give in order to obtain funds to meet the payments on its auto fire truck as they become due. July 1, 2, 3 and 4, (Saturday to Tuesday, inclusive), were selected as the dates for the entertainment, and the following committee was appointed to make the necessary arrangements: Gordon Gislard, E. L. Boudreaux, Leon Weis, Morris Schneider, Leo Schoeny and Joseph E. Thiac. In view of the company's past efficient services, and the substantial improvement in the fire-fighting facilities of the local department to accrue from the acquisition of a modern auto truck, the gallant Vigilants are confident the people of the community will co-operate with them to make their fair a grand success.

An Office Seeks the Man.

The position of commissioner of finance of the city of Donaldsonville is one that nobody seems to hanker for. An election to fill the vacancy existing in this department was called by Mayor Walter Lemann for Jan. 18 last, but there were no candidates. Another attempt to provide the office with an incumbent was made by the calling of an election to be held today, but again the absence of aspirants for the place rendered the effort of no avail. When the unexpired term of an office of this character is less than one year in duration, the vacancy can be filled by appointment by the governor. This resource can be invoked in the present instance after June 14, and will doubtless be employed in order that the machinery of the municipal administration might be put again in smooth and complete operation.

Local Delegates Attend Conventions.

Messrs. Raphael Singer and Henry Netter represented the local post at the annual state convention of the Travelers' Protective Association, which was held at Monroe April 28 and 29, and the former gentleman was elected as one of the vice presidents of the organization for the current year. Mr. Singer also attended the meeting of the grand lodge of district No. 7 of the Independent Order B'nai B'rith, which convened at Little Rock last Sunday, and will return from this trip today or tomorrow. He represented Ascension Lodge No. 543, of this city. The other delegate from the local lodge, Sol. Klotz, of Napoleonville, was unable to attend the convention on account of illness, being presently under treatment at the Touro Infirmary in New Orleans.

"Neptune's Daughter" Coming.

The Gem Theatre will offer its patrons an attraction of exceptional interest and merit Sunday, May 14, when Annette Kellermann, said to be the most perfectly formed woman in the world, will be seen in "Neptune's Daughter." This famous film is in its seventh reel, and is undoubtedly one of the finest achievements of the motion picture art. It was shown for an entire week at the Crescent Theatre and subsequently at other leading houses in New Orleans, and was pronounced a magnificent production in every respect by press and public. No one should fail to see it on the occasion of its presentation at the Gem, May 14.

A THREE-CORNERED CONTEST IN THE SIXTH DISTRICT.

The sixth district is the first in Louisiana to open the congressional campaign of 1916, and a most spirited fight for the Democratic nomination has been launched this week.

Congressman Lewis L. Morgan of St. Tammany let it be known some time ago that he did not care to return to Washington after the expiration of his present term, and therefore would not be an aspirant for re-nomination this fall.

Fortunately there are several other citizens of the sixth district who do not share Mr. Morgan's feelings in this regard, and three of the number have already checked their metaphorical hares into the arena and are taking off their metaphorical coats with determination to do their level best for themselves and against each other and all other comers in the struggle to capture the designation of Democratic party nominee, which will in the ordinary course of things be regarded as equivalent to an election.

The trio of contestants stripping for the fray is composed of ex-Governor Jared Y. Sanders, who has been elected to the Washington parish; Hon. Amos L. Ponder of Amite City, Tangipahoa parish, who lost the primary nomination four years ago by a very narrow margin, and Hon. Charles A. Holcombe, district attorney of East Baton Rouge parish and a popular citizen of the state capital.

These are all able men, possessing qualifications and merits that would seem to fit them for creditable and efficient service in congress, and it is natural that in the course of the campaign from the standpoint of the kind of experience and ability that will count toward giving the new member from this district the most prominence and influence from the outset of his congressional career, Mr. Sanders is the best equipped of the three aspirants now in the field. He has served in both houses of the Louisiana general assembly, was lieutenant governor one term, governor of the state for four years, was elected United States senator and voluntarily relinquished the high honor because of the conviction on the part of his friends and himself that by retaining the office of governor he could render greater public service, particularly in promoting the struggle then pending to have New Orleans chosen as the site for the Panama Exposition which San Francisco subsequently won. It is natural that in the course of a long period of active participation in political campaigns and public affairs, Mr. Sanders should have made a good many enemies and incurred a vast amount of unfriendly and unfavorable criticism; but it cannot be denied, on the other hand, that he has a legion of devoted friends and admirers ready and willing to "go the limit" in his support; that he is perhaps without a superior in the state as a stump speaker and debator, and that his commanding presence, conspicuous ability and wide range of experience in governmental affairs would insure him a quick ascent to a position of prominence and influence in Washington that could not fail to be of value and benefit to his constituency.

THE PRESS ASSOCIATION AT DONALDSONVILLE. It is the consensus of opinion among the members of the Louisiana Press Association who were fortunate enough to attend the thirty-seventh annual meeting of that body at Baton Rouge on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of the current week, that the reunion was one of the most interesting and important from a practical standpoint that has been held for years.

While the attendance was scarcely as large as usual—comprising some forty-five active and ten honorary members—the gathering was wholly satisfactory as representative of the state press geographically and otherwise, and there can be little question that the actions of the body and the expressions of its sentiments with reference to the various matters it considered will meet with the virtual unanimous concurrence and approval of Louisiana newspapers.

With a single exception all the papers read and subjects discussed pertained directly to newspaper work and the interests and welfare of the press. The exception was a paper on "Louisiana's Needs from a Rural Credit Standpoint," and the intimate relation which must of necessity exist between the well-being of the farmers and the prosperity of the other people and industries of the state, justified the editors in devoting a small share of their time and attention to the elucidation of this important and timely topic. The author of the essay in question is J. L. Wright, president of the recently organized Bankers Loan and Securities Company of New Orleans, but Mr. Wright was called to Havana by a business engagement and his paper was read to the convention by George Advertising Simms of New Orleans, whose middle name, derived from the business in which he has been engaged for many years, indicates the appropriateness of his selection to represent his principal before a body of newspaper folk.

The other papers heard at this session included the president's annual address, by Leo DeCoux of the Kentwood newspaper; "Forty Years in the Newspaper," by Dr. C. J. Edwards of the Abbeville Meridian; "Co-operating with Advertising Agencies," by S. O. Landry, business manager of the Chambers Agency, Inc., New Orleans; "Survey of the Louisiana Press," by the senior class of the Louisiana State University's department of journalism, with suggestions by Prof. H. M. Blain; "Views of a Washington Correspondent," by Paul Wootton of the New Orleans Times-Picayune, read by H. H. Ahrens of the same newspaper; "Publicity Legislation," by Edward C. Johnston of the Arkansas Press Association and Western Newspaper Union, Little Rock, and "The Value of Agricultural Publications," by M. G. Osborne of the University Press News, Baton Rouge.

The reports of the legislative committee and committee on resolutions embodied the meat of the association's deliberations and discussions, and we shall endeavor to give space to the full text of these documents in next week's issue of the Chief. The recommendations of the committees were adopted without dissent, and those pertaining to state legislation will be presented to the Louisiana general assembly by a committee to be composed of Chas. P. Manship of Baton Rouge, W. D. Robinson of New Orleans and the members of the association who are also members of

the senate or house of representatives to assemble in biennial session at Baton Rouge next Monday. The Louisiana senators and representatives at Washington are to be officially advised of the request of the press association that they seek to have the postal and interstate commerce laws so amended as to prohibit government competition in the business of printing envelopes and permit railroads to make newspaper advertising contracts payable in transportation.

The welcome addresses at the opening session of the press association on Monday were delivered by Chas. P. Manship of the Baton Rouge State Times, representing Mayor Grouchy, who was presiding over the convention of Louisiana mayors, and by President T. D. Boyd of the Louisiana State University. Responses on behalf of the press were made by Hon. John Dymond of the Louisiana Planters and W. T. Holland of the St. Helena Echo.

The entertainment program included a tour of the city in automobiles Monday afternoon, with visits to the great Standard Oil Company's plant, the school for the blind and other state institutions; a reception and entertainment at the Elks' Club Monday night, visits to Louisiana State University and other points of interest Tuesday afternoon, and a river ride that night, with dancing and refreshments on the boat. One of the motion picture theatres admitted the press people on their badges, the hotels gave them reduced rates and the weather was on its best behavior, hence there seemed to be no reason why the visitors shouldn't have a good time, and no doubt they all did.

In the election of officers the association set a new precedent by choosing a lady to head the organization, Mrs. J. Vol Brock of the Franklinton Era-Leader, a practical newspaper woman, was promoted from first vice president to president by acclamation; Savery M. Lewis of the Ruston Leader was pushed up a peg from second to first vice president; James N. Turner of the Lake Providence Banner-Democrat was chosen second vice president; Secretary L. E. Bentley of the Donaldsonville Chief and Treasurer L. Lipp of the West Carroll Gazette were unanimously re-elected. The association was strengthened numerically and otherwise by the election of eight new active members, while four worthy eligibles were added to the honorary roll. Among the latter are two of the oldest newspaper men in the state, Gen. John McGrath of Baton Rouge and Thos. F. Mangham of Ruston, both of whom held active membership in the organization many years ago. Gen. McGrath was, we believe, one of the organizers of the association, and he served for several terms as its president.

Alexandria bombarded the convention with telegrams asking for the 1917 meeting, and this persistence, coupled with the fact that in location and accessibility the central Louisiana city offers superior inducements as a rendezvous for state-wide bodies, resulted in the choice by acclamation of Alexandria as the place where the press association will assemble next year. The dates for the holding of the convention are to be named by the president and executive committee at the event in question, and confident anticipation that it will set a new mark for the Louisiana Press Association in the matter of attendance.

COMMITTEE MEETING CALLED.

New Democratic Body to Assemble at Courthouse May 12.

B. J. Vega, chairman of the present Democratic parish executive committee, has called a meeting of the new committee to be held at the courthouse next Friday, the 12th inst., at 11 o'clock a. m. Organization of the committee will be effected at this time by the election of officers, and delegates will be named to represent Ascension at the Democratic state convention to be held in Baton Rouge May 23. The personnel of the new committee is as follows: First ward—Camille Daigle, Emile Dugas. Second ward—Joseph Ourso, Camille Sanchez. Third ward—Dr. E. K. Sims, B. J. Vega. Fourth ward—Louis N. Boston, Ulysses L. Rodriguez. Fifth ward—Henry C. Braud, Dr. D. C. Brumfield. Sixth ward—J. A. Lorio, W. B. Stuart. Seventh ward—C. R. Gauthreaux, U. P. Savoy. Eighth ward—Sidney Cooper, D. B. Miller, Jr. At large—L. A. Ambeau, J. Rumsey Duke, L. A. Duplessis, Clement Gauthreaux, Edmond Richard.

Prominent Visitors.

Mayor Alex. Grouchy, H. Payne Breazeale, Louis U. Babin, J. B. Rucker, Selby Keen and T. S. Shields constituted a party of prominent Baton Rougeans who visited Donaldsonville Thursday to appear before the police jury in behalf of the movement to secure state aid in the construction of the gravel roads in Road District No. 2 of this parish. Mr. Grouchy is one of the vice presidents of the Jefferson Highway Association; Mr. Breazeale is president and Mr. Rucker, traffic manager of the Baton Rouge Chamber of Commerce; Mr. Shields is connected with the State Highway Department, with headquarters at Baton Rouge; and Messrs. Babin and Keen are leading business men and good roads enthusiasts of the capital city. After hearing talks by the members of the delegation, the police jury adopted a resolution, making application to the State Highway Department for aid in the construction of the gravel roads in the second district, and requesting the department to make an immediate survey of the proposed roads.

Excursion for Inauguration.

The Texas & Pacific Railway Company has issued the rate and schedule for the excursion to Baton Rouge on Monday, May 15, on the occasion of the inauguration of Governor Ruffin G. Pleasant, as follows: Special train will leave Donaldsonville at 8:10 a. m. and arrive at Port Allen, opposite Baton Rouge, at 9:15 a. m. Returning, the train will leave Port Allen on the gravel road from Baton Rouge at 6:20 p. m., and arrive in Donaldsonville at 8:45 p. m. Passengers from Bayou Lafourche points will be handled by the regular branch trains to and from Donaldsonville. A rate of one and one-third fare will prevail.

DIPPING ORDINANCE REPEALED.

Enforcement of Regulation Would Impose Hardship on People of New River Section Under Existing Conditions—Measure Still in Effect on West Bank of River—Funds Advanced to School Board.

Donaldsonville, La., May 4, 1916. The police jury of the parish of Ascension met this day in special session and was called to order at 12 o'clock p. m., at the courthouse. Present—Adolphe Netter, president, third ward; Geo. B. Reuss, first ward; Felix Acosta, second ward; C. H. Landry, fourth ward; L. W. Armitage, fifth ward; Leon Newman, sixth ward; C. N. Gautreau, seventh ward; Z. J. Causey, eighth ward.

President Netter stated that the object of this special meeting was to consider matters in connection with Road District No. 2; matters pertaining to the dipping of cattle in the parish, and the ordinances adopted at a meeting of the police jury on April 19, 1916, in connection with compulsory dipping and other subjects relating thereto; and matters pertaining to the public schools of the parish.

The resignation of Dr. W. P. Miles as a member of the board of supervisors of Road District No. 2 was read and received, and on motion of Mr. Newman, seconded by Mr. Gautreau, was ordered accepted.

Mr. Newman offered the following resolution: Be it resolved, that Dr. J. T. Bringer be and he is hereby appointed a member of the board of supervisors of Road District No. 2 vice Dr. W. P. Miles, resigned.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. Landry, and on roll-call adopted by a vote of 8 yeas and no nays.

The following resolutions adopted at meetings of the citizens of the seventh and eighth wards were ordered read and received: Whereas, the police jury of the parish of Ascension, called in special session at Donaldsonville, April 19, 1916, passed an act known as the "compulsory cattle dipping ordinance," and

Whereas, under this ordinance every citizen is required to dip his cattle every twenty-one days, under penalty for violations thereof; and Whereas, in view of the present isolated condition of the country, and the absence of dipping vats conveniently located, we find it absolutely impossible to comply with the provisions of this ordinance; therefore be it

Resolved, that under the circumstances above enumerated, we, as American citizens in the exercise of our constitutional rights: First. Refuse absolutely to attempt to comply with the provisions of this ordinance.

Second. We will not encourage or tolerate any outlawry or violence.

Third. We will appeal to the police jury for a reconsideration of this ordinance, and repeal or modification of same.

Fourth. We will exhaust every honorable means to maintain our position until we can pay only a last resort.

Fifth. In the event of any litigation we will each bear our proportionate share of the expense.

Respectfully submitted. NAMES OF SIGNERS OMITTED. The question of the dipping of cattle now being taken up, Mr. Gautreau stated that under existing conditions the people of the east bank of the river were unable to comply with the compulsory dipping ordinance adopted by this jury April 19, 1916; that the cattle owned by the people of his section were at some places more than five to ten miles from the dipping vats, making it almost impossible for owners to get their cattle to the vats on dipping days; that the people of his section were at this time opposed to the compulsory feature of the dipping ordinance, and urged the jury to repeal the ordinance insofar as the same applied to the east bank of the river in the parish. A general discussion of the matter was then engaged in, which was participated in by Messrs. S. S. Ferguson, Jos. Sevario, E. N. Pugh and others, after which Mr. Gautreau offered the following ordinance:

An ordinance repealing the compulsory dipping ordinance adopted at the meeting of the police jury held April 19, 1916, insofar as the same applies to that portion of the parish situated on the east bank of the Mississippi river.

Section 1. Be it ordained by the police jury of the parish of Ascension, in special session called for said purpose, that the ordinance adopted by this police jury April 19, 1916, and known as the "compulsory dipping ordinance," be and the same is hereby repealed insofar as the same applies to that portion of the parish of Ascension situated on the east bank of the Mississippi river.

Section 2. Be it further ordained, etc., that all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

The motion for the adoption of the ordinance was seconded by Mr. Causey, and on roll-call carried by the following vote: Yeas—Reuss, Acosta, Netter, Landry, Armitage, Gautreau, Causey; nay—Newman.

In voting for the repeal of the ordinance on the east side of the river, the jurors voting in the affirmative gave as their reasons for so doing the following explanation of vote by Juror Reuss: By Mr. Reuss: I am in favor of the dipping of cattle, but cannot ask the people to do the impossible. I, therefore, vote "yea."

Mr. Newman offered the following resolution: Be it resolved, that the resolution adopted by this police jury April 19, 1916, appointing Messrs. Causey and Gautreau a committee of two for the purpose of locating an additional vat at a point to be selected by them between the St. Amant and Galvez vats, and making an appropriation therefor by authorizing said committee to create the indebtedness for its payment, be and the same is hereby repealed.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. Gautreau, and on roll-call adopted by the following vote: Yeas—Reuss, Acosta, Netter, Landry, Armitage, Newman, Gautreau; nays—0; voting blank—Causey.

Mr. Newman offered the following resolution: Be it resolved, that the resolution adopted by this police jury at its

special meeting of April 19, 1916, creating the offices of dipping vat inspectors on the east bank of the river in the parish, and appointing Messrs. Albert Muller and Robert Jones dipping vat inspectors, be and the same is hereby repealed; and Be it further resolved, that the secretary be instructed to notify Messrs. Muller and Jones of the discontinuance of said offices by sending to them a certified copy of this ordinance.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. Gautreau, and on roll-call adopted by the following vote: Yeas—Reuss, Acosta, Netter, Landry, Newman, Gautreau, Armitage; nay—Causey.

Mr. Armitage offered the following resolution: Be it resolved, that all dipping vats situated on the east bank of the Mississippi river in this parish, and which are owned or controlled by the parish of Ascension, be and the same are hereby declared to be public dipping vats, and the use thereof allowed to all owners of cattle desiring the use of the same; and Be it further resolved, that the public use of said vats shall be under the direction of the police jurors in whose wards said vats are situated, and said police jurors are hereby authorized and empowered to make such regulations for the public use thereof as they may deem necessary.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. Landry, and on roll-call adopted by a vote of 8 yeas and no nays.

A large delegation of citizens and taxpayers from the east bank of the river in the parish was present at this meeting seeking the repeal of the compulsory dipping ordinance as affecting their portion of the parish.

Mr. Landry offered the following resolution: Be it resolved, that the finance committee of the police jury of this parish be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to advance to the school board of this parish, to be charged against its appropriation for the fiscal year 1915-1916, the sum of one thousand dollars; and Be it further resolved, that said finance committee be and is further authorized to advance to said school board the additional sum of fifteen hundred dollars, as a loan to assist said board in meeting its pay-roll for the month ending May 5, 1916, which said amount is to be refunded to this jury by said school board out of its appropriation from the State Board of Education due said school board from the current school fund; and

Be it further resolved, that in view of the fact that the police jury has not in its treasury at this time sufficient funds with which to make said advances to said school board, the finance committee of the police jury be and it is hereby authorized and empowered to issue a certificate of indebtedness for the said sum of two thousand dollars to the bank of Ascension or order, sixty days after date, with interest thereon at the rate of eight per cent per annum from maturity until paid.

The resolution was seconded by Mr. Gautreau, and on roll-call adopted by a vote of 8 yeas and no nays.

The jury adjourned. C. C. WEBER, Clerk.

Proceedings of Police Jury as Governing Authority of Road District No. 2.

Donaldsonville, La., May 4, 1916. The police jury of the parish of Ascension met this day at the courthouse, as the governing authority of Road District No. 2, and was called to order at 2 o'clock p. m. Present—Adolphe Netter, president, third ward; Geo. B. Reuss, first ward; Felix Acosta, second ward; C. H. Landry, fourth ward; L. W. Armitage, fifth ward; Leon Newman, sixth ward; C. N. Gautreau, seventh ward; Z. J. Causey, eighth ward.

The meeting was called for the purpose of discussing matters connected with the building of the gravel road in the district. The following prominent citizens appeared before the jury advocating the building of the proposed road under the supervision of the State Highway Department: Hon. Alex. Grouchy, mayor of Baton Rouge; H. Payne Breazeale, president of the Baton Rouge Chamber of Commerce; J. E. Rucker, traffic manager of the Baton Rouge Chamber of Commerce; L. E. Babin, and S. S. Shields, engineer connected with the State Highway Department. All of these gentlemen addressed the jury and gave much helpful advice.

Mr. Newman offered the following resolution: Whereas, the police jury of Ascension parish has been notified by the State Highway Department, Board of State Engineers, under date of January 13, 1916, that on the 1st day of January, 1917, the state highway fund collected during the year 1916 will be apportioned among the parishes applying and qualifying for state aid on or before that date; and Whereas, the parish of Ascension is urgently requested by the State Highway Department, Board of State Engineers, to fill out, adopt and file this application for state aid as soon as possible so that the Highway Department, Board of State Engineers, may have ample time in which to make the necessary surveys, maps, plans, investigations, reports, etc., and so that the parish may also have ample time after said surveys, maps, plans, investigations, reports, etc., have been made by the State Highway Department, Board of State Engineers, in which to create any necessary road districts, to authorize the issuance and sale of bonds, or to vote special taxes or otherwise, before January 1, 1917, that may be necessary for carrying out and constructing the proposed projects herein applied for; and

Whereas, the State Highway Department, Board of State Engineers, requires the parish to advance the estimated cost of making said surveys, maps, plans, investigations, reports, etc., on the basis of twenty (\$20) dollars per mile for each mile of road applied for; and Whereas, the State Highway Department, Board of State Engineers, agrees to refund to the parish any of the above fund over and above the amount necessary to cover the cost of said surveys, maps, plans, investi-

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