

SANDERS WILL BE CANDIDATE

As Delegate To Constitutional Convention From This Parish

URGED BY HIS FRIENDS

To Make Race And Assist In Framing The Constitutional Of State

Gov. J. Y. Sanders will make the race for the Constitutional Convention from this Parish.

As we are about to go to press information to the above effect comes in to us from all parts of the parish. It is stated that such pressure has been brought to bear upon the Ex-Governor by his friends that he can no longer fail to heed the popular demand.

The Governor is to day out of the city and we are therefore unable to quote him but we have interviewed several of his personal friends and they state without reservation that he will be a candidate.

From the numerous authoritative sources from which this information has been gleaned we believe that we can state positively that the Ex-Governor has consented to run.

There have been no official announcements of the candidacies of any political aspirants for the constitutional convention from Washington Parish and it is generally believed that if the Governor runs he will be unopposed.

BOGALUSA LOST FIRST GAME OF SEASON SUNDAY

The Bogalusa baseball team sustained their first defeat of the season Sunday when Eberhard's Semi professional team from New Orleans won by the score of 3 to 4. The game was the largest attended of the season and the winners received the entire gate receipts.

The defeat of the local team was due to two errors and a bad play in the fourth inning. The errors occurred at a critical time when an error meant a run. The Eberhard's will most likely return to Bogalusa on July 11th.

The Eddys will return for a game with the locals next Sunday.

Small Wind Storm.

A young wind storm visited Bogalusa Tuesday night and came as a relief after a sweltering day. Aside from the fact that a few awnings and window glasses were broken no other damage was reported.

Always Call By Number

Most people, when they ring up central, want prompt service, yet there are some who defeat this very object by asking for Mr. Smith or Mr. Jones' number. If you happen to strike an operator who is familiar with this number, and who is willing to violate the rules of the office, you may get prompt service. But you are answered by an operator who will not violate the rules or who does not know Mr. Smith or Mr. Jones' number, then you are not only delayed yourself, but you delay the business of the office and become a nuisance generally which you could have easily avoided by looking in the directory which every phone has and finding the number for yourself.

The operator sits before a switch board which contains all the numbers, and when calls are made by number, as they should be, the connection is practically equivalent to automatic. Always call by number.

SPY AT WORK CAUSES U. S. TO BE ON GUARD

New Orleans Station Reported To Be On Semi-war Basis

That the New Orleans Naval Station is being run on a semi-war basis and that the order which affected the local station affected all other naval stations throughout the country, as well as Uncle Sam's navy yards, were matters brought to light Sunday.

The putting out of commission of several large guns at the Brooklyn navy yard Thursday by mysterious agents, and the tampering with guns at the Puget Sound navy yard a week ago, are said to be responsible for the new orders.

Not since the Spanish-American war has there been so much activity at the Algiers station. Armed guards—marine—with bullets in their rifles—have all corners. This includes automobiles and carriages. Before they are permitted to pass persons and conveyances are searched for packages which, like cameras, are taken up at the gate before admittance is allowed to the reservation.

That the spies which are feared, will have little opportunity to operate at the Algiers station, there appeared little doubt following a visit there Monday. Every possible precaution has been taken.

LADIES COMMITTEE TO MEET FRIDAY AFTERNOON

The Baby Show, one of the principal attractions of the big celebration here on Monday July 5th, has been turned over to the ladies of Bogalusa and they promise to make the feature more interesting than anything else during the big day. A meeting will be held at the Y. M. C. A. Friday afternoon to formulate plans and every mother in the city of Bogalusa is asked to attend this meeting.

The committee is composed of Mesdames Wolf, chairman, Spekenhiser, Landen, Archer and Roach.

FALLS FROM WINDOW AND BREAKS HIS WOODEN LEG

Thomas Doyle, better known as "Shoestring" Doyle, fell from the window of his third-story room in the Orpheum Hotel, St. Charles and Poydras streets, while asleep last night, and broke his wooden leg. Otherwise he was unhurt says the N. O. American.

Doyle, who makes a living peddling shoestrings, had been on a spree, the police say, and went to sleep on the window sill. Fortunately for Doyle, he landed on the second story balcony instead of the street below.

Bunkie To Celebrate

July 4 coming on Sunday this year, the Bunkie Business League and the Bunkie Amusement Company will celebrate Independence Day on Saturday, July 3, at Bunkie La. Among the speakers will be Attorney-general Pleasant, Dr. Clarence Pierson, Lieut. Gov. T. C. Berger, D. D. Moore, and others.

Lancaster A Candidate

Hon. J. B. Lancaster, judge of this circuit, has announced that he will be a candidate for the honor of delegate to the Constitutional Convention from St. Tammany Parish.

COUNCIL NAMES THE COMMITTEE

Who Are To Act With Council In Preparing The Statement

MASS MEETING TO BE LATER

When All The Details Will Be Submitted To The People Of Bogalusa

At a meeting of the city council Wednesday afternoon a committee of representative citizens were appointed to meet with the members of the Commission Council and submit at a latter date at a mass meeting the proposition for Bogalusa to own the waterworks and sewerage system, as well as the schools, to erect a modern city hall and jail, and to discuss the improvements of the streets.

The appointing of this committee is in line with the policy of the administration to prepare and submit to the people of Bogalusa all of the details of any important improvement. The committee will be busy formulating the plans and approximate cost and it will require several days. At the time the Enterprise went to press the date of the mass meeting had not been decided upon.

H. B. JACKSON RETURNS WITH BRIDE WHO IS POPULAR LADY

H. B. Jackson, one of the popular employes of the Great Southern, returned Tuesday evening accompanied by Mrs. Jackson, nee Miss Bobbie Alford. The event was kept so quiet in Bogalusa that not even Mr. Jackson's most intimate friends knew that he was to become a benedict. The marriage was performed at the home of the bride in Amite City Monday by Rev. Foster in the presence of near relatives.

The bride is a most popular young lady and is well known to a large number of Bogalusa people. She is a sister to Mrs. E. W. Starns and has often visited in Bogalusa. The happy couple are at home at 502 Ave B, where they are receiving congratulations from their large circle of friends.

The Zobo Band

The Zobo band, organized by the Y. M. C. A. will be one of the features of the big parade here on July 5th. Its one of the five bands of its kind in the United States as you will recognize this musical organization the minute it approaches. The band will be assisted by a well trained drum corps. They have been practicing hard and promise to give the visitors a most agreeable surprise. Several troops of boy soldiers will be in the parade and the boys of Bogalusa are all invited to participate in this event. The practice will be held each Saturday between now and the Fourth. The track and field entries are lining up nicely and fine medals will be awarded the winners. Following is a list of events:

100 yard dash, one mile run, 220 dash, running high jump, one half mile run, pole vault, 220 yard low hurdles, Javelin throw, 120 yard low hurdles, running broad jump, 440 yard run, 440 yard walk. These events promise to eclipse anything similar ever held in the Parish. The Y. M. C. A. have several other things planned for this day and their amusements alone are worth coming miles to see.

GOV. SLATON SAVES FRANK

Commuted Sentence Of A Man, Four Times Sentenced To Die

AND WILD SCENES FOLLOW

And Militia Was Called Out To Protect The Georgia Executive

Leo M. Frank's death sentence was commuted to life imprisonment Monday by Gov. Slaton.

Announcement of the Governor's decision came several hours after Frank had been secretly taken from the jail and hurried to the State prison farm at Milledgeville. Frank was sentenced to be hanged Tuesday for the murder of Mary Phagan in April, 1913.

Gov. Slaton still was at his country home when he announced his decision on the case over the telephone to the Associated Press. In making this announcement the Governor dictated the following brief statement.

"All that I ask is that the people of Georgia read my statement of the reasons why I commuted Leo M. Frank's death sentence to life imprisonment before they pass judgement. "Feeling, as I do about this case I would be a murderer if I allowed this man to hang. It may mean that I must live in obscurity the rest of my days, but I would rather be plowing in the field than to feel for the rest of my life that I had that man's blood on my hands."

With several hundred men and boys clamoring to get into his front gates, which had been barricaded by barbed wire entanglements, and threatening to overpower the twenty policemen, armed with riot guns, Governor Slaton called upon the militia late tonight to protect his home.

Upon arrival of four companies of state guardsmen, which had been held under arms and rushed to the Governor's country home in automobiles, he proclaimed martial law in a district extending half a mile in front of his home, half a mile back and for a distance of about a quarter of a mile on either side.

When the soldiers lined up with fixed bayonets to disperse the crowd, stones, bricks and bottles were thrown at them. A brick struck Lieut. Arnold Parker in the stomach and rendered him unconscious for a short time. A bottle thrown at Private W. W. Foepe, struck his gun and cut his head. The commanding officer, Major Catron, was struck by a stone, as were several of the men.

The governor proclaimed martial law at exactly 11 o'clock and by midnight the crowd had practically been dispersed.

Sheriff Is Ill

The many friends of Sheriff Simmons will regret to know that he has been confined to his home near Franklinton for the past ten days with an attack of fever. His condition was reported to be somewhat improved yesterday.

A Double Header

Monday was the longest day in the year and also the hottest. The government thermometer registered 98 degrees in the shade. The prostrations were reported in New Orleans.

1600 CONVICTS RISE IN ILLINOIS PRISON

As Result Of Warden's Wife Being Killed By Two Negroes

Joliet, Ill., June 21.—Fearing a repetition of the demonstration by 1600 convicts against Joe Campbell and Walter Edwards, negro convicts suspected of slaying the wife of Edmund Allen, warden of the state penitentiary here, prison officials saw that each convict was locked in his cell tonight and special pains were taken to prevent an outbreak. Even the trustees were locked up, for the first time in the history of the prison.

In spite of the watchfulness of the day guards, 1300 convicts rose in the main dining hall at dinner and shouted threats against Campbell, then the only suspect. One hundred guards rushed the convicts and with clubs quited the uproar.

EXCURSION FOR SHOP MEN TO MANDEVILLE TOMORROW

Indications are that one of the largest crowds that ever left Bogalusa on an excursion will be tomorrow (Friday) morning when the men employed at the N. O. G. N. Shops accompanied by their families, will leave for Mandeville where the annual outing will be held. A special train has been chartered and between 800 and 1000 people are expected to make the trip. The train will leave the Bogalusa depot at 7 a. m. and the fare for the round trip will be \$1. The public is invited to take advantage of the low rates.

SHOULD HAVE BRAVE AND LOYAL FOLLOWING NOW

"I have been willing to let the State run the saloons, but by the eternal gods, I have never been willing to let the saloons run the State," says Ex-Gov. J. Y. Sanders, of Louisiana.

This is modern day "evangelism," with a vengeance. Thank Heaven it has reached our sister State!

Gov. Sanders does not favor a constitutional convention because of the ring politics that seek to control and in spite of warnings and threats of even losing the Federal position he holds he spoke his mind at Baton Rouge in a theatre he hired for the purpose. The speech marks an epoch in Louisiana history and shows the spirit that triumphs in spite of defeat.

"Whiskey is the one sacred bird in Louisiana politics and must not be touched," says the ex-governor sarcastically.

May the "touch" of Sanders poison its breath and break its wings. It's a long way to Tipperary—but Sanders has started and he should have a brave and loyal following—Brookhaven (Miss.) Leader.

Gets Gold Medal.

The Great Southern Lumber Co. of Bogalusa, has been awarded a gold medal at the Frisco exhibition for pine tree for turpentine orchards. The display of pine sent by this concern also received praise and it is expected that an award will be made for this exhibit later.

Club Gives Ride.

The Columbia street Social Club gave their first outing on Monday night when a large number of young folks enjoyed a hay ride. The club is composed of well known young men and ladies and the members are looking forward to many pleasant events.

STRATTMAN IS THE NEW CHIEF

Commission Council Names Successor To E. R. Cassidy, Resigned

IS A FEARLESS OFFICER

Will Assume New Duties On July 3, Many Applicants For Position

O. C. Strattman has been selected as Chief of Police to succeed E. R. Cassidy, who tendered his resignation last week. The appointment of Mr. Strattman was made at a special session of the city council on Tuesday afternoon. There were many applicants for the position and the appointment of Mr. Strattman comes as a reward for his efficient service, being promoted from the ranks of the police department. He will assume his new duties July 3.

The new chief has served as a patrolman since the city was incorporated and has made a splendid record. He is brave and fearless and well qualified for the position.

Mr. Strattman has announced as a candidate for sheriff of this parish and the election to the office of chief of police to the city will most likely result in his withdrawal from the race however Mr. Strattman has not authorized such a statement and an effort to locate him yesterday morning was unsuccessful.

DELEGATE TO CONVENTION MUST BE SELECTED JULY 27

With the passage of the constitutional convention bill by the Louisiana Legislature in their extra session the past week and the extra session coming to a close Wednesday, the members of both the House of Representatives and Senate have returned to their various homes, and a few of the legislators are preparing to become candidates to represent the people in the convention which opens in New Orleans on Sept. 14.

The primary election for the nomination of delegates will take place all over the State on July 27. Candidates are bound to file their declarations on or before July 20. Where run-overs are necessary, the second primary will be held on August 10.

Special election for selection of delegates and to vote on holding of the convention will take place August 30.

Cure For Epilepsy.

At a meeting of the Pan American Medical Congress, now in session at Frisco, it is stated that a cure has been found for epilepsy. Heretofore it was thought that the disease was caused from the brain but the new discovery shows that it is caused from the intestines and has been operated on successfully.

Health Officers To Meet.

Dr. Dowling, president of the State Board of Health will call a conference of the parish and city health officers of the state at New Orleans July 15th. Each parish and city is expected to send a health officer to this meeting.

Bishop Coming Sunday.

The Bishop of this diocese will say mass at the Catholic church next Sunday. The first Mass will be at 7 a. m. and the second at 9 a. m.