

## NEW LIGHT AND WATER ORDINANCES HAVE PASSED THE FIRST READING

Electric Rates For Commercial Purposes Will be 10 Cts Net, No Charge For Meters And City Has Privilege Of Purchasing Plant--Water Rates Will Also be Reduced

Ordinances reducing the rate of water and lowering the rate of commercial lighting were introduced at the regular session of the Commission Council Tuesday afternoon and passed their first reading. Both ordinances will likely come up for action at the next meeting. City Attorney Talley stated that he would possibly recommend some changes in the water ordinance. In the electric light ordinance the city has the right to purchase the part of the system which serves the city and its citizens at any time during the life of the 10 year contract. Mr. Talley wanted to have the number of lights and rates fixed for past services but after much argument he withdrew his objection. The new commercial and residence rate will be 12 cents per kWh with a 2 cent discount if paid within ten days. The minimum charge for the same class of lighting will be \$1 instead of \$2 as heretofore. There will be no charge for meters according to the new ordinance. The rate for power is placed on a flat rate with a secondary charge. The water rates are also changed and patrons will have the preference of using a meter or using a flat rate. The rate for residence will be 14 cents per room with 7 cents for each additional cold water opening. A petition signed by twenty-five merchants on Columbia street asking that the rate be reduced was presented to the Council by A. Berenson.

The recent trouble in the highway department was discussed for a few minutes and Mayor Sullivan stated that at the next meeting he would again open the matter and if any citizen or tax payer had any information to give or suggestions to make that he would be pleased to have them present.

R. E. Keaton asked that the 20 foot alley between Eighth and Ninth streets be closed, and this will be taken up at the next session. An ordinance was passed making it a penalty of not over \$100 for any jitney driver that did not have his name painted on his car and also for not coming to a halt when ordered to do so by the police. Hereafter it will be necessary to secure a permit in case you desire to erect a gallery or awning over the sidewalks. The permits will be furnished free of charge. The resignation of City Engineer Plummer was received and accepted. Commissioner Cowgill announced the appointment of H. E. Willis to fill a vacancy, which was approved by the Council. The finances of the city were discussed and other routine matters were disposed of. An other meeting will be held within the next two weeks when unfinished business will be disposed of.

### Now An Inspector

B. J. Scott, formerly of the Great Southern Lumber Company, but who for the past few months an inspector for the Kettle River Company, one of the largest creosoting plants, left Bogalusa Tuesday afternoon for Madison, Ill. Mr. Scott has been in Bogalusa inspecting a purchase of a million feet of paving block. He will remain at Madison for several weeks inspecting railroad ties. Mr. Scott states that he likes his new work and his many Bogalusa friends will be pleased to know that he is getting along nicely.

## BOGALUSA TROOPS ARE GETTING COMFORTABLE

More And Better Accommodations Reported by Bogalusa boys

The Bogalusa troops who are now located at San Benito report they are now getting comfortably located and while they have made no complaint it is known that the intense heat and lack of tents made it very uncomfortable for them. The first few days they were located in Texas and preparing the camp there were heavy rains, but the Bogalusa troops demonstrated that they were not afraid of the water. The intense heat in that section of Texas and the lack of shade made it necessary for them to seek relief in the tents which are also hot. A large tent is now being sent the troops where they will have more comforts and conveniences. All are reported in good health and fine spirits.

The Patriotic Club in this city is looking after the comforts of those left behind and doing many good acts for the troops. Three letters are mailed the boys each day and they are as well posted with all the news in Bogalusa as well as if they resided here.

## TOWN SUSPENDED BUSINESS TO HEAR GOVERNOR SANDERS

Amite City, La., July 31.—Business was practically suspended in Ponchatoula Saturday evening while former Governor J. Y. Sanders, candidate for Congress, delivered an address to the largest audience that has ever attended a political meeting here. Mr. Sanders drew his audience from the section adjacent to Ponchatoula as well as from the town itself. Mayor Wood was chairman of the meeting, and delivered a short address in which he declared that the election of Mr. Sanders to Congress would be the greatest step towards progress that the Sixth District has experienced in many years.

## ELKS TO MEET NEXT MONDAY AND TAKE STEPS FOR HOME

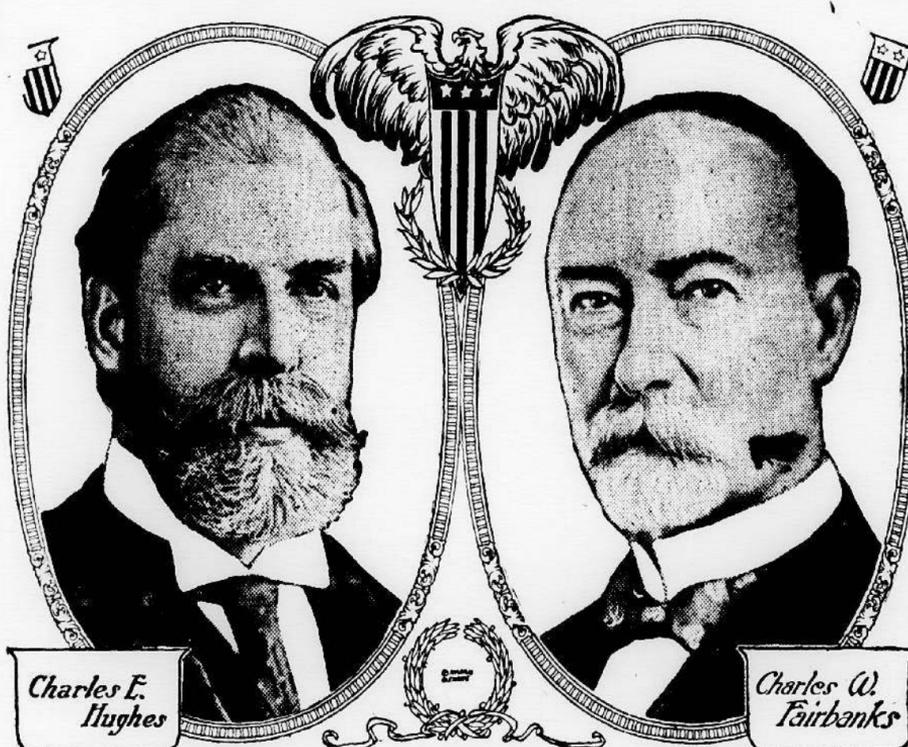
On next Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Stallings Hall in North Bogalusa the Elks will hold a meeting when several candidates will be initiated and a large number balloted upon. At the same meeting steps will be taken towards building an Elks home and every Elk is urged to attend this meeting and be present at 8 o'clock.

### Haggerty Home Robbed

The home of E. A. Haggerty, 531 Ave. B was entered by robbers Monday night and secured silver ware and jewelry valued at about \$125.00. The robbery occurred between 7:30 and 9 o'clock while Mr. Haggerty was working and Mrs. Haggerty was attending the picture show. The police are working on the case but have no clue.

Misses Ray and Bertha Waldo, of Alexandria, are the guests of Mrs. H. Greenberg of Columbia street.

## Hughes Is Officially Notified Of Nomination



Charles E. Hughes

Charles W. Fairbanks

## HUGHES ASSAILS POLICY OF PRESIDENT WILSON

When He Formally Accepts The Republican Nomination

New York, July 31.—Charles E. Hughes tonight pledged himself to "a policy of firmness and consistency" in dealing with Mexico, if elected to the presidency.

Accepting the formality tendered Republican nomination Hughes charged the sinking of the Lusitania, with all loss of American lives in that and subsequent U-boat disasters, together with the loss of national prestige abroad, to the weakness and vacillation of the Wilson administration.

He unequivocally endorsed the extension of suffrage to women.

He denounced "all plots and conspiracies in the interest of any foreign nation."

Declaring the nation to be "shockingly unprepared," he declared "for adequate protection on both our western and eastern coasts."

In this he included both adequate army and greatly reinforced navy.

The present national prosperity Hughes characterized as a "fools paradise" brought about by the "abnormal conditions of war," and he advocates as a needful safeguard against an "energized Europe" which will follow the close of the war "protective upbuilding policies" which shall be applied "fairly, without abuses, in as scientific manner as possible."

## BAND COMMITTEE REPORTS MUCH PROGRESS ALREADY

J. P. Starns and members of his committee who were appointed to assist in enlarging and improving the Y. M. C. A. band report that they have already secured two valuable members who are C. E. Rowan who is a fine cornet player and Luke Bourgeois, a bass player. The band now has 18 members and it is expected to increase this number to 24 within the next few weeks. All members of the band are very enthusiastic and practicing daily.

### Leaves For Vacation

H. E. Hoppen, the popular secretary of the Y. M. C. A., accompanied by Mrs. Hoppen and their sons left Wednesday for Biloxi where they will enjoy a much needed rest on the coast.

## FATS AND LEANS BATTLE WEEK FROM SATURDAY

More Time Is Asked By Fats So That They Can Get In Condition

The victorious Fats have evidently begun to lose confidence in their ability as ball players, despite the fact that a few days ago they defeated a crack team composed of the Leans, for Andrew Dobbs of the Leans has just received a request from the Fats asking that the game be postponed next Saturday until Saturday week. In order that the Fats will be in the best condition and will not disappoint the Leans, their request has been granted. Manager Dobbs states that what the Leans will do to the Fats at this meeting will be almost as disastrous as the explosion in New York Sunday. A big surprise will be sprung by the Leans as they are going to work in a league battery, if necessary.

The game will be called at 4 p. m. and Mayor Sullivan will again umpire the game despite the protests of both sides. The proceeds of the game will be turned over to the Bogalusa Patriotic Club.

## RYKOSKI'S LEAVE CITY AND WILL LOCATE IN TOLEDO, O.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Rykoski, for over nine years residents of Bogalusa, left Tuesday afternoon for New Orleans where they will remain for a few days and then proceed to Toledo O., where they will make their future home. Mr. Rykoski during his long residence here was traveling auditor of the N. O. G. N., railroad and always took interest in any movement for a greater Bogalusa. Mrs. Rykoski took an active part in the city social affairs.

They have disposed of their home on Mississippi Ave. to William E. Page. The Enterprise joins their friends in wishing them happiness and success in their new home and hope that they will be frequent visitors to this city.

### In New Location

Mrs. W. G. Henry has moved her stock to the room occupied by the Owl Cafe on Columbia street. The building has undergone extensive repairs and Mrs. Henry now has even a better store than before. Within a few days many of the new styles in millinery will be shown at this store.

## GREATEST POLITICAL RALLY EVER AT CAPITAL

Will Be Sanders Meeting On Next Tuesday Night.

The Sanders headquarters announced that there will be a Sanders rally in Baton Rouge on Tuesday, August 8th, at 8 p. m., at the Elks Theatre, at which time ex-Governor Sanders, candidate for Congress from the Sixth Congressional District, promises to answer the charges made against him by Mr. Ponder in his recent speech at Baton Rouge.

In addition to this, Mr. Sanders will devote the greater part of his speech to detailing his views on the real issues of the campaign.

The meeting promises to be one of the largest political gatherings ever held in Baton Rouge, for the reason that for the first time in many years all factions have laid aside their parish differences and have united solidly for ex-Governor Sanders. Indications are already in evidence that the meeting will be largely attended by Sanders supporters from all over the Sixth District, as it is understood that Mr. Sanders is going to "open up" at that time.—Baton Rouge State-Advocate-Times, July 27, 1916.

## MASS MEETING TO BE HELD IN PARK SUNDAY AFTERNOON

The mass meeting which was to have been held at Goodyear Park last Sunday afternoon and which was postponed until Sunday August 6th will be held in Goodyear Park at 4 p. m., the weather permitting. In case of rain the meeting will be held at the Y. M. C. A., and every citizen of Bogalusa is not only invited but requested to attend the meeting at which time the Society of Prevention of Cruelty to Children will be organized. Much interest is being manifested in this work and it is hoped that a large crowd will attend the meeting Sunday.

### Returns From Vacation

Meyer Heiman, owner of the Fair and a partner in Heiman Bros., returned to Bogalusa Sunday from a three weeks vacation which was spent on the Texas coast. He visited Galveston, Houston, Beaumont, Dallas, and other southwestern cities and gained six pounds in three weeks.

## DOPE SHOP RAIDED AND THREE IN JAIL

Victim Got An Overdose And Police Get Plenty Of Evidence.

Ramira Elias, a Mexican who, for the past several months, has been selling hot tamales on the streets of Bogalusa, and who was thought to be addicted to the drug habit, got an overdose, which came very near causing his death and at the same time resulted in the place being raided when the den was broken up by the police last Wednesday. Elias is said to have been a frequent visitor to the place which the police have been watching and on Wednesday Elias received an overdose. Officer Wallace Smith reported the matter and the victim was removed to the hospital. Thursday Chief Magee went to the house, corner of Fourth street and Third avenue, where he found 16 bottles of morphine, several tubes of tablets supposed to be morphine, and other paraphernalia used in such dens.

The occupants of the house, Bennie and Alice Johnson, both colored, were arrested and United States Marshal Sanders, of New Orleans, came Thursday and returned with the prisoners and victim, who will be held as a witness. They are charged with violating the federal anti-narcotic act.

## CARTER WITHOUT OPPOSITION ATTORNEYS RACE HOT ONE

Judge Prentiss B. Carter will have the distinction of being one of the two judges of this district that was elected without opposition. Saturday was the last day that candidates could qualify for the primary on September 12th and Mr. Carter was the only candidate for judge to do so.

The race for District Attorney, however, promises to make up for the lack of interest in the judgeship as there are three candidates, J. Vol Brock of Franklinton, Fred Heintz and L. C. Moise, of St. Tammany Parish. According to those who are watching this contest it will be necessary for a second primary.

Magee W. Ott, Herman E. Gayer and C. Ellis Ott, of Washington Parish, and Warren R. Badon, S. W. Provinsal and M. R. Newhauser, of St. Tammany, will be the new members of the district judiciary committee.

### Dance

Leon and Dunstan Senac entertained at a dance at the home of Dr. J. E. Pierce Thursday evening. Refreshments were served and the evening was spent most pleasantly. Those present were: Misses Eva May Mizell, Thelma and Lee McDonald, Sara Pearce, Bertha Simmons, Jeanette and Amanda Pierce, Hallie DeLoney, Inez Blanchard and Lillian Neal, Messrs. Robert Collins, Floyd Manning, George Gardiner, Jimmie Becker, Donald Quinn, Snellings Pearce, Darby Gilmer, Searcy Young, Albert DeLoney, A. L. Neal, Black, Zachary and DeMark.

### Mallam Leaves City

Guy H. Mallam and family who have resided in Bogalusa for the past several months left Monday afternoon for Alexandria La., where they will make their future home. Mr. Mallam was engaged in the insurance business.

### Slayer At Large

Helaine Carriere, slayer of Sheriff Marion Swords is still at large. It is said that the desperado is hiding in a cave near Big Cane, La.