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LAZARO DEFEATS BOTH CANDIDATES

St. Landry Man Again Chosen to Represent the Seventh District

ATTORNEY EDWARDS HAS JUDGE BARBE BESTED

Opelousas Figures Give Lazaro Lead of 1,000 Over Both of His Opponents

Hon. L. L. Lazaro of St. Landry, Congressman from the Seventh District of Louisiana, has defeated both of his opponents, Judge Barbe and District Attorney Edwards of the Fifteenth District, by a majority of 1,000 votes, according to figures given out by the Lazaro headquarters. These figures give Lazaro 929 over both opponents.

Lazaro carried every parish in the district with the exception of Calcasieu, the home of Messrs. Barbe and Edwards. Cameron parish has not been heard from at all up to the time of going to press. This, however, should not materially change the result.

The parishes of St. Landry, Evangeline and Acadia gave Lazaro his largest majorities.

The figures given out at the Lazaro headquarters are:

Evangeline, Barbe 310, Edwards 134, Lazaro 1,176.

St. Landry, Barbe 287, Edwards 329, Lazaro 1,633.

Acadia, Barbe 308, Edwards 478, Lazaro 1,489.

Jeff Davis Barbe 116, Edwards 220, Lazaro 314.

Allen, Barbe 236, Edwards 309, Lazaro 284.

Beauregard, Barbe 190, Edwards 316, Lazaro 340.

Calcasieu, Barbe 774, Edwards 724, Lazaro 624.

Lazaro's majority 929.

A CARD

The result of this election was practically foreordained but the campaign has been one of education and enlightenment and the good people of Evangeline and St. Landry will profit at some future time by the issues raised and the questions discussed.

As for myself, I can not feel anything but gratitude and affection for those good men who espoused my candidacy and who stood boldly out in the open against tremendous odds. The only way you can destroy entrenched power and political rings is to create public sentiment that neither money nor official coercion can terrify.

Here in St. Landry the people are encircled with an unbroken ring, and from my observation and experience there is a link connecting Evangeline.

I wish my opponent much success for the next four years. He has both the opportunity and ability to make good, and I see no reason to deter him from a strict performance of his duty. Surely the people have been good to him—giving him one-quarter of a century of office-holding, and he should feel sufficiently grateful to insure both parishes a full measure of peace and tranquility.

JOHN W. LEWIS.

DALY-THOMPSON

Mr. Frank Daly and Miss Ruth Thompson, popular in Opelousas social circles, were married last Thursday at Gulf Port, Miss.

Miss Thompson is the beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mrs. C. J. Thompson. Her father, the late C. J. Thomson was superintendent of education of St. Landry parish. Mr. Daly is the son of Dr. Lawrence Daly, of the Bellevue section of this parish.

The young couple will make Branch, Louisiana, their new home. The Clarion unites with their many friends in extending felicitations.

LOUIS N. BRUEGGERHOFF A FRIEND TO AGRICULTURE

Has Made A Financial Success of A State Fair in the SOUTH

In the sudden demise of Louis N. Brueggerhoff, which occurred a fortnight ago after a brief illness, Louisiana loses one of its staunchest friends to agriculture. As secretary of the State Fair Association since its establishment, to him goes the credit for wonderful accomplishments in the face of great obstacles. He was the indefatigable champion of parish fair development in Louisiana, and his conduct of the State Fair brought him into intimate contact with our leaders in agricultural development with whom it was ever his pleasure to co-operate to the fullest extent.

Having to his credit the unusual record of making a financial success of a State fair in the South, Mr. Brueggerhoff had long been regarded as the foremost secretary-manager in Southern fairdom. Those who had the privilege of seeing him engaged in the arduous duties incident to the opening of a fair session, with a multiplicity of details to handle, could not but be impressed with the exceptional ability and character of the man.

Regardless of cost and personal effort, he ever strove to keep the Louisiana State Fair to the highest standard in every respect. And the State is clearly his debtor in building up the reputation of the fair and giving it the enviable position it now holds. Annually he added materially to the equipment of the fair and its displays. He saw to it that constantly increased premiums each year awarded to agricultural exhibits and to live stock; and such prestige was gained in the latter line that the foremost breeders of live stock life country over freely availed themselves of the privilege of exhibiting at the Shreveport Fair.

Though Brueggerhoff is no more, his achievements live, and as time goes on will prove ever-increasingly valuable to the farming industries of Louisiana. As indicative of how his townsmen appreciate what he has done for the city where the fair is located and for his State, Shreveport business men have started to raise a suitable fountain in his memory for placement on the fair grounds. The amount they aim to provide—five thousand dollars—should be materially augmented by popular subscription from all over Louisiana. Modern Farming will feel privileged to act as the collector of a State-wide memorial fund, to which it will gladly be party, and we hope that numerous responses will come from individuals who feel inclined to contribute to the Brueggerhoff memorial.—Modern Farming.

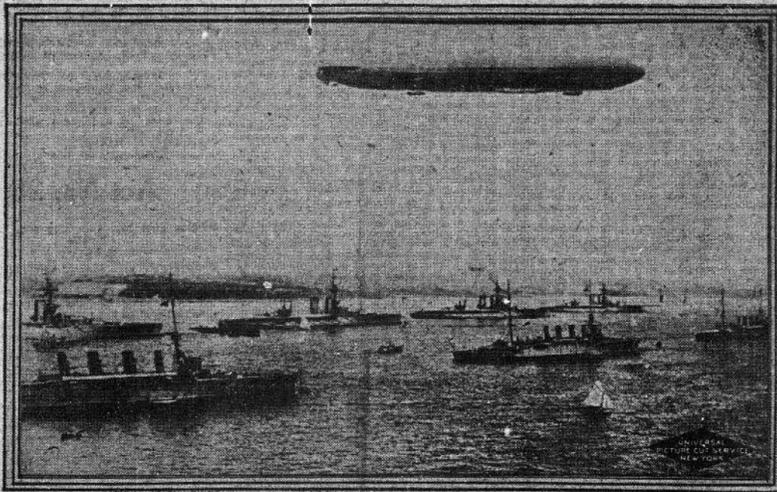
REPUBLICANS WIN LEGAL BATTLE

G. O. P. to Have Recognition in Louisiana Is Advice from Baton Rouge

The mandamus suit, asking that the name of the Republican candidates be placed on the official ballot in the general election, to be held in November, was decided in favor of the G. O. P., according to advice received from Baton Rouge. Judge Ellis, who heard the suit, did not go to Baton Rouge to render his opinion, but reports are that the Judge notified the Clerk of Court Young that it had been sent by mail.

The opinion has not as yet been received, but it is unofficially known that it is favorable to the Republican party.

The contention of the secretary of state was that insofar as the Republican party had not polled ten per centum of the actual vote cast in the last general election that he was unable to place the names of their candidates on the official ballots. On that point hung the fight, and it seems that the Republicans have won out.



GERMAN NAVAL BASE

Warships and Zeppelin manoeuvring about the harbor of Kiel, waiting for an opportunity to dash into open sea.

PARISH FAIR WILL BE WELL ATTENDED

Much Interest Taken in Fair to Be Held Here Soon

RURAL FOLK ARE VERY ENTHUSIASTIC

Fair to Open on 4th and Close on 8th of October—Committee Now Very Busy

Thursday, October 5, is the opening day of the parish fair of St. Landry, which promises to be one of the best attended in this state, as the fact that St. Landry will have a fair this year has been before the attention of the people continuously.

Never before have the rural folk taken so much interest in a parish fair. It is said by those informed that the agricultural displays at the fair to be held in October will equal, if not exceed, those of any parish fair in the state. Last year there was not enough room to display half of the exhibits, but this year the promoters are ready to take care of any amount of produce and the like. There was but a few weeks in which to make preparations for our last annual fair, but it is different this year, and those in charge have had ample time to make all arrangements necessary for that purpose.

Much credit is due President Lillie and the several committees, who have worked untiringly in order that St. Landry might stage the best individual parish fair in the state. A number of prominent speakers, versed in agriculture, stock raising, truck-growing and other subjects pertaining to farm life will address farmers of this parish, and which should be of material advantage to them.

NEW BUILDING IS NEARING COMPLETION

Jacobs News Depot Co. and Candy Kitchen Soon to Move Into New Headquarters

The new building on Landry street, to be occupied by the Jacobs News Depot Company and the Candy Kitchen, is nearing completion. As soon as the building is painted and plastered it will be ready for occupancy.

Contractor McKinney and his force of mechanics have been rushing the building to completion in order that parties who are to occupy same might establish themselves properly for the fall season.

When completed this building will be one of the most modern in the city.

Miss Clyde Lawler left the early part of the week for Ruston, where she will attend the Industrial.

Former Governor L. E. Hall, of New Orleans, was in Opelousas Friday in the interest of the new farm bank, which New Orleans interests are raising a fund to have established in that city.

PAY AND GARLAND ELECTED TUESDAY

Present Judge and District Attorney Will Represent District

INCUMBENTS CARRY BOTH OF THE PARISHES

Lewis and Sandoz Win in Opelousas and Ville Platte by Good Majorities

On last Judge B. H. Pavy and District Attorney R. Lee Garland were elected to serve the people of the Sixteenth Judicial District in their respective capacities for the next four years.

The Judge and District Attorney carried both parishes, but did not fare so well in Evangeline as they did in St. Landry. This is especially true of Judge Pavy. Incomplete returns from that parish show that he carried it by only a majority of thirty.

Messrs. Lewis and Sandoz carried both Opelousas and Ville Platte by the same majorities—96 votes. Mr. Lewis carried Opelousas by 41 votes and Ville Platte by sixty odd majority.

MEMBER OF PROMINENT FAMILY PASSES AWAY

Mrs. John N. Ogden Dies at Opelousas Home on Friday Night at 11:30 O'clock

Mrs. John N. Ogden, nee Celeste Minerva Thompson, died Friday at 11:40 o'clock, at her home in this city.

Mrs. Ogden is well known in this section, having lived here nearly all her life. She is a member of one of the most popular and best known families in this section of Louisiana, and her death was a shock to the entire community.

She leaves to mourn her loss besides a number of friends and relatives, her husband, J. N. Ogden, Sr., this city, J. N. Ogden, Jr., New Orleans, Carlton Ogden, Houston, Texas, Mrs. Sanford White, Alexandria, Mrs. Emile Carmouche, and Percy T. Ogden, of Crowley, Mrs. Peyton Spahn, Washington, Misses Lessie and Floy, Opelousas.

The Clarion joins hands with the many friends of the Ogden family in extending to them deep sympathy in this, their hour of bereavement.

Hon. L. L. Lazaro, after receiving the returns of the election, returned to his home in Grand Prairie. The Doctor has been a very busy man for the past few months. He is now receiving a much needed rest.

Mrs. Marie C. Dupre, who has been the guest of her son, Congressman Dupre, at Washington City, returned to her home the past week.

FOR SALE 93 acres on Bayou Cocodrie; 26 in cultivation, rest choice woodland. For particulars apply to L. A. Andrepoint. aug 26 16

SANDERS ELECTED OVER PONDER

Late Governor Goes to Congress to Represent Sixth District

WINS THE RACE BY A GOOD MAJORITY

Ponder Carries Seven Parishes out of Twelve—East Baton Rouge Elects Sanders

Jared Y. Sanders, former Governor of Louisiana, was elected on Tuesday of this week to represent the Sixth District of Louisiana in the United States Congress. The early returns indicated that the former Governor would defeat Amos L. Ponder by a majority of nearly one thousand votes, but later returns showed that Ponder came within 391 votes of landing the Sixth District seat in Congress.

Mr. Sanders has many well-wishers in St. Landry who were very much interested in his campaign. The former Governor has a large number of friends and admirers here, and is very popular from one end of the parish to the other.

Mr. Sanders is a finished orator and should make Louisiana an able representative.

The returns as published in the New Orleans papers, are as follows:

Parish:	PONDER	SANDERS
Ascension	706	589
East Baton Rouge	751	1567
East Feliciana	234	319
Iberville	561	510
Livingston	594	509
Pointe Coupee	434	522
St. Helena	352	186
St. Tammas	456	851
Tangipahoa	1186	672
Washington	870	747
West Baton Rouge	108	178
West Feliciana	112	177

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Sanders' Majority 391

In the District Court of the United States for the Western District of Louisiana.

To Court Officers, Attorneys of Record and all parties in interest.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of an Order of the Honorable Don A. Pardee, Judge of the Circuit Court of Appeals, for the Fifth Circuit, dated September 7th, 1916, the Honorable Rufus E. Foster, United States Judge of the Eastern District of Louisiana, has been designated and appointed to hold the Courts and perform the duties of Judge in said Western District of Louisiana, in accordance with the provisions of Section 49 of the Judicial Code.

The business of the Clerk's office, at Shreveport, Louisiana, will be continued as heretofore without interruption.

GEORGE S. TAYLOR, Referee in Bankruptcy.

MOVE ON FOOT TO SECURE A FEDERAL LOAN BANK FOR N. O.

A Meeting to Further This Cause Will Be Held Wednesday, Sept. 20, at 10:30 A. M. at Courthouse

The establishment of one of the Federal Loan Banks in New Orleans will mean the passing of the short time heavy interest bearing paper and the farmers' nightmare—foreclosure proceedings. Thoroughly appreciating the benefits that will follow the selection of New Orleans, farmers, bankers and business men over the State of Louisiana and other territory contiguous to New Orleans have joined in an effort to impress upon the members of the Federal Farm Loan Board the wisdom of making the Southern Metropolis as a Farm Bank site.

With an executive committee, the membership of which is composed of the leading Louisianians, a consistent campaign is being waged to secure recognition for New Orleans. This battle is participated in by Hon. Harry B. Wilson, Commissioner of Agriculture, and Justin F. Denechaud, secretary of the immigration division of that department. The preliminary work comprises a campaign of education so that the farmer may become familiar with the rural credit system that will aid so materially in the development of Louisiana and the entire Southland.

Mr. Denechaud arrived here this morning to complete arrangements for a meeting of the farmers of the vicinity of Opelousas to be held here Wednesday, September 20, 10:30 A. M., at the Court House. This meeting will be addressed by Mr. W. J. Leppert, one of the traveling representatives of the state committee conducting the campaign to secure the location of one of the banks at New Orleans. Mr. Denechaud will confer with the leading business men of this city with a view of encouraging a large attendance and to create the proper interest in the matter of the Farm Loan Bank which is of such vital importance to the farmers of Louisiana and the territory contiguous to the City of New Orleans.

In connection with this campaign, it might be well to give the more essential features of the act creating the Federal Farm Loan Board which is to administer the Federal Loan System in the same way that the Federal Reserve Board administered the Federal Reserve Banking System.

The act provides that ten or more farmers in any community may incorporate as a National Farm Loan Association. The loans they apply for must aggregate not less than \$20,000.00. Each individual loan must be not less than \$100.00 and not more than \$10,000.00. The loan may not exceed one-half of the fair appraised value of the borrower's land, plus one-fifth of the insured value of his buildings. Each member of the association agrees to purchase one share of location association stock at a par value of \$5.00 for each \$100.00 borrowed. His liability for the debts of the association is limited to double the amount of his stock or \$10.00 per \$100.00 borrowed. There is no other joint and several liability.

Under the present borrowing facilities available to the farmers of the United States, the average of \$1,000 is \$8.50 per year taking the country as a whole, or 8.1-2 per cent interest. At this rate a borrower in 33 years will pay \$2,805 interest on a thousand dollar loan. The compound interest on this interest, which the lender gets is \$3,595. Thus a thousand dollar loan for 33 years, under present facilities, costs the farmer \$2,805 in interest paid out and costs him \$3,595 in compound interest lost, or a total of \$6,400. At the end of 33 years the borrower still owed the principal of \$1,000, making his total \$7,400.00

Under the system provided by the Federal Loan Act, the farmer's total cost on a \$1,000 loan for 33

RICE ASSOCIATION STARTS CAMPAIGN

Sou. Planters' Assn. to Wage Nation Wide Publicity Campaign

MILLERS ASK TO SHARE THE EXPENSE

Action to Be Taken Immediately To Vigorously Advertise Southern Product

At a meeting of the Southern Growers' Association held at Beaumont, Texas, on Thursday, action was taken to initiate a nation-wide campaign to call attention to the value of rice as a food. All directors at the meeting voted in favor of the campaign, and it was decided that millers be asked to co-operate with the planters in this matter, and that they be asked to bear part of the expense.

The proposal to advertise rice as an attractive article of food was first broached at the meeting of the association last July. At that time a committee was appointed by the association to study this proposition. It included President F. B. Dunlap of Beaumont, H. C. Chalkey of Lake Charles and Secretary E. A. Eignus of Beaumont. This committee is expected with the millers to bring their association into the plan of the growers' association.

The association also fixed the prices for the sale of rice by its members. The list follows:

No. 1, fancy Honduras, \$3.50; No. 1, Honduras, \$3.35; Blue Rose, \$3.25; No. 2, Honduras, \$3.20; No. 3 Honduras, \$3; No. 4 Honduras, \$2.80; No. 2 Blue Rose, \$3.15; No. 3 Blue Rose, \$3; No. 4 Blue Rose, \$2.80.

Although the topic was discussed at some length, no estimate was placed on the amount of rice the growers expect to market this season.

Dr. Hudson, in charge of the camp at El Campo, made a report to the association in connection with the proposed advertising campaign. He has been at work among the soldiers, demonstrating to them the value of rice as a food. Every day a cook prepares rice at the camp in the most appetizing manner, and already most of the boys on the border are delighted with rice as a food. Orders for rice have been doubled on the border since the demonstration work began, and it is believed that the men will return to their homes in the North and East convinced of the value of rice.

Members of the Southern Rice Growers' Association representing every section of Louisiana attended the meeting.

PERCY T. OGDEN IS AN EASY WINNER

Former Opelousas Boy Is Elected District Attorney of Acadia-Lafayette District

Hon. Percy T. Ogden, former Opelousas boy, but now of Crowley, was elected district attorney to represent the Acadia-Lafayette district, over the incumbent, DeBellevue, by something over three hundred majority.

Mr. Ogden was reared in Opelousas, but moved to Crowley a number of years ago, where he has been practicing law. He has been prominently connected in politics, both local and state, for a number of years. He is the son of Hon. Jno. N. Ogden of Opelousas and has many relatives and friends in this section who were glad to learn of his success.

years, figuring interest at a maximum of 6 per cent, allowed by the act, will be \$2,310 which covers both the principal and interest and thereby saves him \$5,090. Thus the farmer will readily see the advantage he will enjoy soon after the location and operation of one of the Federal Banks in Louisiana.—NEW ORLEANS THE DESIGNATED POINT FOR THE BANK.