

# NEW ORLEANS IS HOT AFTER EXPOSITION

One Hundred and Fifty Louisianans  
March on Washington Where They  
Will Urge Claims for Whole Week.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Headed by  
Governor Jared Y. Sanders, of Louisiana  
and Mayor Behrman, of New Orleans, 150  
of Louisiana's most prominent citizens  
came to Washington today in a special  
train to present their claims for New  
Orleans as the place to hold the exposi-  
tion marking the opening of the Panama  
canal in 1915.

They stormed the white house where  
they urged the Crescent City's claims on  
President Taft and then proceeded to the  
capitol, where they took up the matter  
with senators and congressmen. The  
party will remain in Washington a week.