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## PERSONALS AND OTHERWISE

Little Joseph Burke is visiting in the guest of Mrs. Chas. Kustner, 413 Atlantic Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brauner are the recipients of a cablegram from their son, Joseph, who is in Sunny Italy, stating that he has arrived safely and is enjoying the best of health.

Mrs. Charles Russell returned Monday from St. Francisville, La., where she was the guest of Judge and Mrs. McLaren.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hauer have returned from Pass Christian, Miss., where they have spent their honeymoon.

Mr. Arthur Vanderlinden came in Monday with the Loyola Unit.

The many friends of Miss Lowmyer will regret to learn of her illness.

Miss Mildred Brauner was the guest of Mrs. Annie Rupp, 10 Madison Street, McDonoghville.

Mrs. Muret Giordano of Ironton, Mo., has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Victor Escouse.

Mrs. R. Emmett Huigle and children of Pointe-a-La-Hache, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Borne.

The Thursday Afternoon Euchre Club met at the home of Mrs. J. A. Garland.

The successful players were Mrs. P. O. Cafiero, Mrs. R. A. Tracy and Mrs. A. Graf, Mrs. A. Hart (playing for Mrs. C. V. Frisch) received the consolation. At the next meeting, Miss Sadie Garland will entertain.

Mr. H. T. Malone entertained the Euchre Club last week. The successful players were, Mrs. C. V. Kniff and Mrs. F. Goebel. Mrs. H. Lee Sease received the consolation. Mrs. Sease will entertain this week. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Demuth and children, have returned from Balboa, Panama, and will reside here in the future.

Mrs. Fred Hynes is improving after a serious illness.

Mrs. J. A. Garland entertained the Euchre Club last week. The successful players were, Miss Salome Taylor, Mrs. H. Acker, and Miss Rosa Abratt. Mrs. Garland received the consolation. Miss Katie Wilson will entertain at the next meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Murphy (formerly Miss Annie Rodick) left last week for Tennessee, on a visit to Mr. Murphy's family.

Mrs. Anthony Schiackitano and children of Pascaoula, were weekend visitors to the former's sister, Mrs. Fred Hynes.

The annual picnic of Mt. Olivet Episcopal Sunday School will be held at City Park on Saturday, May 17th. Boxes 43 and 44 have been reserved for the occasion.

Mrs. Geo. W. McDuff, Jr., and little daughter, Doris Fay, are spending a week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stumpf.

Chris L. Stumpf, Jr., left for Memphis, Tenn., last week to spend a while.

Steve Gillen, P. Martinez, Louis Dova and Luke Gillen spent Sunday at Bellechasse. They brought home a lot of blackberries.

Miss Mamie Martinez has returned from Patterson, La., where she was the guest of Mrs. A. C. Handley. She was accompanied home by Mrs. Handley, who will remain here a week.

Mrs. Geo. Hauffe and Miss Mamie Dova of Boyce, La., came in from there to spend a few days with Miss Mamie Martinez.

Mr. Louis W. Peterson spent Sunday at Chatawa, Miss., with her daughter, Evelyn, who is attending college there.

Mayor Behrman left last night for Opelousas, to attend the Victory Day celebration. He will be one of the speakers.

Miss Chae Cassidy entertained the Thursday Night Five Hundred Club. The successful players were Mrs. Alva Salathe and Margaret Gouder. Miss Frederica Stansberry received the consolation. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Mary Collins.

The many friends of Mrs. Harry H. Wilson will regret to learn of her illness.

Mr. Wendolyn Glancey left Saturday for Baton Rouge, La., to spend a few days.

Mr. Jas. Glancey has returned to Mobile, Ala., where he will join his

## ELECTRIC FOUNTAIN WILL BEGIN PLAYING MAY 10

The day for putting the electric fountain at West End in operation has been set.

The displays of colored rays of light through streams of water will begin Monday, May 10.

This fountain will be operated Sunday, Wednesday and Saturday of each week throughout the summer, W. A. Dizell, city electrician, said.

## SHIP AFTER SPENDING A FEW DAYS WITH HIS MOTHER.

Mr. Geo. W. Forrest, of Santa Maria Council, K. of C., was one of the committee to meet the Loyola Unit on arrival at the railroad station last Monday.

## MR. AND MRS. H. L. HOYT AND MRS. C. JOHNSON HAVE AGAIN TAKEN UP THEIR RESIDENCE IN OUR TOWN.

They are residing at 270 Vallette St.

## LIEUT. ROY A. SCHRODER OF PACIFIC AVENUE, HAS BEEN TRANSFERRED FROM NEW YORK TO NEW ORLEANS.

Mrs. H. M. Vallette of Verret Street, accompanied by her mother-in-law Mrs. H. M. Vallette, Sr., spent awhile in Baton Rouge, La., and Addis, La. While at Addis, she was the guest of Mrs. Molaison.

## MR. AND MRS. J. P. VEZIAN ATTENDED THE CONVENTION OF HOMESTEAD LEAGUES HELD IN BOGALUSA, LAST WEEK.

Mr. Roy Claunch has returned from "overseas" and taken up his residence with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Yalets in Delaronde Street.

## THE ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN LAST FRIDAY NIGHT BY THE LADIES' GUILD OF THE MOUNT OLIVET CHURCH PROVED A DECIDED SUCCESS.

The ladies all wish to thank those who kindly assisted and donated toward this entertainment.

## ENSIGN VALLIER JUDIN HAS BEEN HONORABLY DISCHARGED FROM THE U. S. NAVY.

Misses L. G. Daudelin and Zella Huckins took part in the programme and dance given at the Francis T. Nicholls School last Thursday, April 24th. Miss Daudelin danced a minuet while Miss Huckins played one of her selections.

## MRS. C. B. CHERBONNIER OF JACKSONVILLE, FLA., IS HERE ON A VISIT TO HER SON MR. V. CHERBONNIER.

The annual Belleville Kindergarten picnic will take place Wednesday, May 7th at City Park. Teachers and parents will leave the school at 9 a. m. and proceed to the park.

## MR. AND MRS. JOS. ZITO OF KENNER WERE WEEK-END GUESTS OF THE LATTER'S SISTER, MISS AGNES GENDUSA.

On Thursday at St. Joseph's Church, Gretna, there will be a mass sung for the repose of the soul of the late W. D. Kennedy of Gretna, a brother of Mrs. L. C. Hardy of our town.

## MRS. HARDY HAS REMOVED FROM BERMUD STREET, AND TAKEN UP HER RESIDENCE AT 237 MORGAN STREET.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Amuedo and daughter Verna, Mr. Ernest Delucky and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Souque and daughter Myrtle spent Sunday at Ocean Springs, Miss., the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Friar.

## MR. AND MRS. SIDNEY J. ACOSTA LEFT FOR THEIR HOME IN BATON ROUGE AFTER SPENDING THE EASTER HOLIDAYS, WITH THE LATTER'S PARENTS, MR. AND MRS. JAS. MOFFETT OF ELIZA STREET.

The Tuesday Night Euchre Club met at the home of Mrs. Hy. Acker. The successful players were Mrs. J. Owens, Mrs. F. Goebel, and Mrs. G. W. Pollock. The consolation fell to the lot of Mrs. Sam Boylan. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. F. Goebel.

## THE MANY FRIENDS OF MRS. HARRY CLARK WILL REGRET TO LEARN THAT SHE WAS OPERATED ON AT HOTEL DIEU.

Mrs. J. Walter Adams and little daughter Hilda and Miss Marie Tircut have returned from Morganza and Glynn, where they spent ten days.

## MRS. R. C. FAVRETT SPENT A FEW DAYS IN POINTE-A-LA-HACHE THIS WEEK.

Captain and Mrs. L. F. Gisch have returned from Bogalusa, where they attended the homestead convention.

## THE VICTORY PLEASURE CLUB GAVE A DANCE AT THE AVENUE ACADEMY TUESDAY NIGHT.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Hupperich of Olivier Street have as their guests, the latter's parents from McComb City.

## ROY REANEY OF OUR TOWN WAS ONE OF THE BLACK-FACED COMEDIANS WHO TOOK PART IN THE PERFORMANCE STAGED BY THE WASHINGTON ARTILLERY GLEE CLUB AT THE ORPHEUM THEATRE MONDAY AFTERNOON.

Mrs. Numa Tircut and son, Louis, of Morganza, La., are the guests of Mrs. J. Walter Adams of Pelican Avenue.

## MR. B. WILLIAMS IS SPENDING A TEN-DAY FURLOUGH HERE WITH HIS WIFE.

Sergeant Dahir Hanna of the U. S. S. Pittsburg is spending a thirty-day furlough with his family.

## MR. AND MRS. WALTER LILLY ARE RECEIVING CONGRATULATIONS ON THE ARRIVAL OF A FINE BABY BOY AT THEIR HOME.

Mrs. John Ford of Covington, La., was the guest of Miss Erminie Hopper for a few days.

## MRS. CHARLES DRURY AND MRS. JOSEPH CHOTAN OF BERWICK, LA., ARE VISITING MRS. ALEX CHOTAN OF BATON ROUGE IS VISITING MRS. CHARLES WATKINS OF ALIX STREET.

Miss Pansy Watkins is spending a few days at the home of Mrs. A. Chotan in Baton Rouge.

## MR. CHARLES WATKINS IS ON A VISIT TO HIS MOTHER, MRS. C. WATKINS, OF BERWICK, LA.

Mrs. R. Scott of Berwick is spending a few days here, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. Gouner of Seguin Street.

## MRS. CHARLES WATKINS HAS AS HER GUEST MRS. BURKE CHOTAN OF BERWICK.

Mr. John Ford of Covington, La., had the misfortune to break his arm when cranking an automobile. He was the guest of relatives here while in the city for treatment.

## MR. AND MRS. E. J. KILNE AND CHILDREN, MR. AND MRS. W. HORNOSKY AND BABY, AND MR. AND MRS. HAUER MOTORED TO WAGGAMAN AND SPENT A MOST DELICIOUS DAY.

Mr. Albert Bourgeois is spending a week at Paulina, La., the guest of Father Cassagne.

## NINETEENTH ANNIVERSARY

On Tuesday, April 23, a most enjoyable time was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hildebrand, the occasion being the nineteenth anniversary of the birth of their daughter, Vera. The young hostess was charmingly dressed in pink voile. She received many beautiful and appropriate presents.

The parlor was tastefully decorated in pink roses and pink and green crepe paper. The other rooms were decorated in red, white and blue, and the yard was decorated in Japanese torchlights and Japanese umbrellas with small colored electric lights.

Dancing and singing were indulged in until a very late hour. Music was furnished by Misses Carrie and Bernadine Hildebrand, Mildred Hausknecht, Mrs. M. M. Glancey, Messrs. William J. Hildebrand and Fortmeyer. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Vera and Bernadine Hildebrand, Katie Voneye, Frances, Ethel and Helen Covell, Alma, Carrie, Mildred and Rita Hildebrand, Mildred and Verna Robknecht, Annie Goff, Meltrics Schroder, Josephine Folsie, Messrs. William J. Hildebrand, Burnett and James Glancey, Theodore Mussachia, Charles and Philip Hoz, Robert Smith, Morris Robknecht, Robert Gallingshouse, William Donner, Magnus Harper, Louis Hildebrand, John Jackson, Payne Crowley, Henry Voneye and Fortmeyer; Mr. and Mrs. William Hildebrand, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hildebrand, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Covell, Mr. and Mrs. John Hunn, Mr. and Mrs. August Hunn, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Hildebrand, Mr. and Mrs. A. Milan, Mr. and Mrs. William Goff, Mr. and Mrs. L. Serria, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Hymel, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Glancey, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. William Hupperich, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kopp, Mr. and Mrs. D. Jeanfreau, Mrs. John Goff and Mr. William Spencer.

The following children were present: Elvera Hunn, Madeline Spencer, John, Lillian, Irving, Wilfred and Harold Hunn, Lillian, Ethel, Charles and John Hildebrand, Helen May and Roland Hymel, Orin Hupperich, Betty May Kopp, Camille Glancey, Lillian, Rene, Vallery and Alvin Jeanfreau and Walter Graham.

## HIT WITH BAT.

Standing too close behind his cousin, who was at the bat in a baseball game, August Woolvorton, 12, of 938 Vallette street, son of Policeman J. Woolvorton, was struck over the left eye with the bat wielded by William Woolvorton, 15, of the same address.

Young Woolvorton was sent to the Charity Hospital, where his injury was bandaged.

## BODY RECOVERED.

The body of Theodore E. Perrin, 42, of 106 Deslonde street, in the city, who was drowned just outside of the Naval station wharf, when his skiff was hit by a steam launch April 11, was found floating 60 miles below the city. The body was brought to New Orleans by the U. S. lightship tender Davey and turned over to relatives.

## MAYOR'S NIECES TO BE OVER SEAS WORKERS.

The Mayor's two nieces, Misses Agnes and Margaret Collins, are going to France within the next few weeks to engage in Red Cross canteen work. They have received orders to report to Washington for training and instructions and will leave in a few days. Mayor Behrman said Wednesday. They will work together.

## CHILD INJURED.

Mary Mayville, 8 years old, of 420 Alix street, was run into and knocked down by an unknown negro child in Verret street, near Alix, while on a message for her mother at 5:30 Monday morning. She sustained a fracture of the right arm above the wrist and was taken home after receiving medical attention.

## PICNIC.

Misses Mabel and Orleans Allen and Claire Hogan entertained the following little tots at a picnic at City Park last Sunday: Loraine and Catherine Lampton, Merlin, Gerald and Jeanne Rantz, Allen Vinet, Yvonne Salathe, Mercedes, Harry, Noel and Catherine Tompson, Helen Skelly and Joseph Culver.

## LOCAL BOYS IN LOYOLA UNIT.

Among the boys who were in town Monday with the Loyola Unit, were the following from our town: Albert Amann, Anthony Castrogiovanni, Francis Meagher, A. Rumore, and Arthur Vanderlinden.

## LOCAL BOYS HERE MONDAY.

Among those who arrived with troops from "over-seas" last Monday were the following from our town: Augustin Gerrets, Jefferson Gerrets, Peter Clement, Alexander Sperier, P. Bush, Roy Reaney, Gaston M. Canton, Chas. Krogh, George Cassagne, Louis McCormack, Thos. Torres, Owen Lindquist, Treadaway and Jos. C. Galanti.

If there are any names omitted, it is not the fault of The Herald, as an effort has been made to obtain all names. However, we will gladly publish any names that are furnished us next week.

## SALOON MAN USES BEER BOTTLE

Alleging he resented the curses and abuse heaped upon him, Charles Beninate, proprietor of a saloon at 400 Vallette street, struck John Johnson, 35 years old, a machinist's helper, living at 317 Vallette street, on the head with a beer bottle.

When sent to the Charity Hospital Johnson, who was alleged to have been under the influence of liquor was said to have suffered a slight scalp wound.

# Proof of Patriotism

# Invest!

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS TO INITIATE BIG CLASS.

All preparations have been completed for the initiation ceremonies to be held by Santa Maria Council 1724 to-night. A class of more than 100 members will be initiated.

All candidates and members are requested to report at the K. of C. Home on Alix and Olivier Streets no later than 7 o'clock p. m., where a procession will form and march through the principal streets of Algiers, celebrating the honor of the first Knights of Columbus initiation to be held in Algiers. After parading the streets, the members and candidates will proceed to the Holy Name of Mary Church, where they will attend services; thence to the Holy Name of Mary Hall, where the exemplification of the three degrees will be held.

A large delegation from New Orleans Council No. 1714 and from Gretna Council will be present.

## CAPTAIN WALLACE H. HEBERT.

Death claimed Capt. Wallace H. Hebert this week after an illness of several months. Capt Hebert was one of the best known pilots in our section of the country. For many years, he has been in charge of the local ferries; his last employment being with the Union Ferry Co., at the Third District.

Capt. Hebert was born in Baton Rouge sixty-two years ago, but had resided here for many years. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Elizabeth Wood and by three sons and by two daughters. He was a member of Crescent Lodge No. 3, Knights of Pythias and of Sts. John Lodge, No. 153, F & A M. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from his late residence, 204 Delaronde Street. Interment was in McDonoghville Cemetery.

## L. E. IMBAU FOR CONSTABLE.

In the election soon to be held in our district for minor offices L. E. Imbau will be a candidate for constable, to succeed the late George Kobolt, who resigned this office shortly before his death. Mr. Imbau is at present our pound keeper, and he states he will be able to better look after the duties of pound keeper in his capacity as constable, which will keep him on the streets much of the time. Mr. Imbau resides at 911 Vallette Street.

## TWO MESSENGER BOYS ARE HELD ON CHARGE.

Charged with breaking and entering and with grand larceny, two boys, the police said Tuesday night, admitted they were responsible for a number of thefts during the last few months. They are John Newcomb, 18, 934 Terpsichore street, and Edward L. Tilton, 17, 156 Pelican avenue, Algiers. Both boys are employed by the Western Union. Newcomb as a messenger and Tilton as file clerk. Charles Benedetto, 34 years of age, 4806 Cleveland avenue, employed in the supply department of the Western Union, was arrested on the charge of buying stolen property, and knowing it to be stolen.

The boys Tuesday night confessed breaking into the store of A. Vittur and Company, 307 St. Charles street; the Clapp shoe store, 214 St. Charles street, and the tailor shop of Frank Retzler, at the same address.

The Vittur store is in the building adjoining the Western Union office. The boys explained they gained entrance from the roof of their own building. Newcomb, they said, kept guard while Tilton broke a hole in the wall. The first of the breaks in the Vittur store occurred about Christmas. Since then there have been several others. A pistol taken from the store and pawned by Newcomb gave the police the clue that led to the boys' arrest. The store and the tailor shop were entered only a few nights ago. At that time \$100 worth of shoes were stolen and clothing and cloth valued at several hundred dollars.

## SEVENTIETH ANNIVERSARY.

On Thursday, April 24th, 1919, Ora Lodge No. 7 Rebecca's entertained Columbus Lodge No. 24, Odd Fellows at the residence of Mrs. Wagner in Gretna, it being the anniversary of their 70th year. The following toast was rendered:

Here's to Columbus No. 24, they are faithful honest men.

Who have on this anniversary, reached three score years and ten.

The ones who met in years gone by, and they the work begun.

Have passed into the great beyond, they have left you one by one.

The good work still continues by the ever faithful few.

When at each meeting they gather to plan the work they do.

Columbus No. 24 is their refuge, and they will always do their best.

We welcome you on your birthday, and may you ever be.

Faithful to the triple link, and its motto F. L. T.

## SCHOOL NOTES

### BELLEVILLE NOTES.

The Belleville School children are very successful in their home gardens and crops. Little Miss Gladys Legendre, of Belleville St., brought to the school five pounds of snap-beans last Tuesday that were gathered from the crop that she had planted. This child is only 12 years old and raised these beans in her own yard, on 3-five foot rows.

Miss Averill's room has already gathered twelve ounces of green peas from their home garden. Little Miss Elizabeth Watts brought in a prize head of lettuce. The first Grade A, Miss Judin's room brought in a bunch of radish, remarkable for uniformity as well as excellency, during the past week.

Miss A. M. Harte, principal of the school, is indeed very proud of this showing by the school.

### MCDONOUGH 5.

On last Friday, the penny party was held. Quite a large number of parents and friends came and helped to make the affair the splendid success that it was. The amount of \$35.20 was realized.

On next Wednesday, the annual school picnic will be held at City Park. The usual large number of pupils and teachers is expected, and all parents and interested friends are invited. We hope it to be as enjoyable as the many annual picnics we have had before.

### MCDONOUGH No. 4.

Don't forget to attend the fine dance to be held in the Avenue Dancing Academy, Saturday, May 10th. It is for a worthy cause, and we promise you a most enjoyable time.

McDonogh No. 4's hard-working 59 in. team, succeeded in coping both games of the preliminary series. In both games, our team faced fine teams but owing to the nifty managing of the captain, Alfred Peterson, and the fine team work of his men, we won both games and we are very proud of this fact.

The first game was played Thursday, April 24th, at 4 o'clock in City Park. A large crowd of rooters, including both teachers and boys attended and helped to add some "pep" to the players.

McDonogh No. 12 was the opposing team, and the game was a very tight one, the score being 5-4, in favor of our home team. Runs were made by the following: Treadaway, Peterson, Schroder, Roberts, and Ruiz.

Saturday, April 26th, in City Park, this same team played the corresponding team of the S. J. Peters School. These are some of the special features of the game, the slugging the pill by "Ir" Treadaway and the fine receiving of "Pete" Peterson, the catcher and their steady manager, "Pickles" Schroder caught a long drive towards third, thereby keeping the opposing team from scoring again, with two men on base and two out, John Ruiz succeeded in catching a drive towards right field and in a very "heady" play, he delivered it to first, shutting out two runs. The batting and fielding of all of McDonogh No. 4's team are worthy of special mention.

The score stood 11-6, in favor of McDonogh No. 4. Runs were made by the following: Perez, Treadaway, Peterson, Talbot, Richards, and Schroder. The lineup for both games was as follows: "Beans" Perez, shortstop; "Ir" Treadaway, pitcher; "Pete" Peterson, catcher; "Bob" Talbot, second base; "Noie" Richards, first base; "Pickles" Schroder, third base; "Yellow" Mothe, left field; John Roberts, center field, and John Ruiz, right field.

We hope this team will be as lucky in the next series. Wouldn't it be fine if they would win the championship of that class?

We wish to thank Mr. Oscar Marcour for the fine coaching he gave our boys at both games. We also appreciate the fact that several of our former pupils attended and gave the boys encouragement.

The boys stayed in the park all day and enjoyed a picnic, given them by Miss L. Averill.

This school had a visit from some "overseas" men last week. One gave the boys a very interesting talk, which was thoroughly enjoyed. They were all from Co. E, 364 Infantry, 91st Division. Among those who visited us were Sergeant Thos. W. LaMonte, Corporal H. A. Dustin, and Sergeant R. L. Vooraks. After being treated to some soft drinks and some cakes, they departed well pleased with their visit.

Roy Drumm, a pupil of the Eight Grade, presented his room and his teacher, Miss L. Averill, with a framed picture of President Woodrow Wilson. The portrait is a fine one of our chief executive and this gift is very highly appreciated by all parties concerned. We extend our heartiest thanks to Roy.

Our Unlimited Teams plays McDonogh No. 31, Thursday, May 1st, on the Boy's High School Court at 4 o'clock.

In the "Welcome Home" Parade, we were glad to see the familiar faces of a number of our former pupils, who left our district to do "overseas" service. We are proud of each one of them, and we are more than glad that they have all returned well and strong after doing "their bit" for Uncle Sam.

DON'T FORGET TO ATTEND OUR DANCE SATURDAY, MAY 10.

## EDGAR CAYARD HEADS EPWORTH LEAGUE.

The Orleans District Epworth League installed new officers at a special service held in the Rayne Memorial Methodist Church Sunday at 4 p. m., which ended an annual meeting lasting three days.

Mr. Edgar E. Cayard was installed as president.

## RETURNS FOR TICKETS.

Father Larkin gratefully acknowledges returns for tickets from:

Miss Aline Brodman, Mrs. Bailey, Mrs. J. E. Collins, Mrs. J. Gallagher, Miss Guey, Mrs. F. Hymel, Mrs. Hibben, Mrs. Hausnecht, Mr. W. L. Lampton, Mrs. Ledum, Mrs. Stenger, Mr. J. P. Williams, Mrs. Jos. Zatarain.

## JOHNSON COMPANY LAUNCH DOGOLIA

First of Six Tugs for U. S. Shipping Board Goes Into Water.

While Mayor Behrman, members of the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation and hundreds of Orleansians looked on, the hull of the Dogolia, recently completed tug of the United States Shipping Board, slid from the ways in the hull yard of the Johnson Iron Works, Scott and Bayou St. John, into the water at 2:30 p. m. Tuesday.

This marked the launching of the first tugboat hull for the United States Shipping Board to be completed by the Johnson Iron Works. Following an address by Mayor Behrman in which he congratulated the Johnson Iron Works for the pleasant relationship existing between it and the workmen, Miss Bessie Johnson, daughter of Warren Johnson, secretary and treasurer of the company, smashed a bottle of American champagne over the boat and christened it Dogolia.

The name Dogolia had been given the tug by Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, who has the names of all the Emergency Fleet Corporation's ships.

The launching was entirely informal. Hundreds of people on both banks of the bayou cheered as the hull slid into the water. W. P. Nelson, district supervisor of the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation; A. M. Haley, district officer, and W. M. Mitchell, senior hull inspector, occupied places of honor at the launching.

Work on the hull of the Dogolia was started about the middle of last October and was completed recently. The tug is to be used in harbor service by the Shipping Board and is the first of six tugboat hulls being built by the Johnson Company. It is expected that the engine and other equipment soon will be installed and the tugboat will be in service by July.

The keel of the second of the five remaining tugboats already has been laid, and within the next few weeks the hull will be launched. Three hundred and fifty men are employed in the hull yard of the Johnson Iron Works on Bayou St. John and 450 men are employed in the Algiers yard of the company.

Following the launching everyone was invited to the cafeteria, where refreshments were served.

## ST. MARGARET'S DAUGHTERS.

A special meeting of the James H. Blenk Memorial Circle St. Margaret's daughters will take place in the Presbytery parlor, Saturday, May 3, at 7:30.

All members are earnestly requested to be present.

The object of this meeting is to name committees and formulate plans for the May party which will take place Thursday, May 23, 1919.

The roll, consists of 130 members, both active and passive members paying 10 cents per month.

The work of this Circle is to maintain a home where working girls can find rest and recreation during the summer months.

If both active and passive members would come forward and lend a helping hand the Circle would be able to carry on this noble work in a manner worthy of the Algiers people, therefore a prompt and large attendance is urged.

## CAPTAIN STANLEY BEHRMAN RETURNS.

Captain William Stanley Behrman, son of the mayor, who has been overseas for more than sixteen months, arrived in New Orleans at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday.