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MAY DAY CELEBRATION WAS A GREAT SUCCESS

Hundreds Enjoy Pretty Event Under Auspices Of The Schools.

Before we chronicle the events of the Play-Festival of Bogalusa's eleven hundred school children on Friday, May 14th, thanks must be given to the parents who co-operated so wonderfully with the school in making the play-festival a day long to be remembered for the joy it brought to those who in any way took part in the program of the day. To the mothers who made the little costumes for those taking special part; to the mothers who gave for the refreshments that were sold for the purpose of defraying expenses and making ready for May-Day; to the women who served the refreshments; to the Y. M. C. A. Directors for the use of the building; to the genial Secretary, Mr. Hoppen, who so cheerfully held open house and placed his force at the disposal of the school; to Mr. Heckman, our new pleological director, who so carefully prepared the mass drills and the athletic events; to the Great Southern Lumber Co., the Railroad officials and the business men who made it possible for Bogalusa's splendid band to add greatly to the enjoyment of the people and to the members of the band personally; to the teachers and to Mrs. Brumfield, Mrs. Gremillon and Miss Blanchard who assisted with the music for the folk dances the school board and the superintendent wish to express publicly their sincere thanks.

Long before nine on Friday, a perfect May morning, teachers and children were to be found in the school building. The trinkel of the school bell "announced form ranks" and the pageant was soon marching in well formed lines to the beautiful grounds of the Y. M. C. A. building, its forest background adding to the setting of a beautiful picture. The massed drill in which five hundred children took part, was well executed. Then came the queen's return and the children taking part in folk-dances and in the dramatization of the Pied Piper of Hamelin. Little Miss Leonora Yeager was chosen queen of the May-day festivities and a sweeter, gentler more dignified little Miss would be hard to find. She came in her equipage, a bower of flowers, followed by tiny tots in their pretty frocks, scattering roses that the queen's path might be truly a bed of roses, then came the tots with their garlands of roses then the children who were in costumes suitable for the parts they were to play later on. The queen was led to a pretty throne, artistically and beautifully designed, the forest background adding much to its attractiveness. The crowning of the queen, its pretty ceremony was so sweet, so natural, so dignified, so beautiful that there were tears not only in those mothers' eyes but in others as well. The beauty of it, the purity and sweetness portrayed made a deep impression on many. The gifts to the queen from the friends who chose her was a beautiful lavalier, a souvenir that may be kept through all the years. Then came the Virginia Reel danced in costumes and such a pretty sight it was out on the green; how well the dear little feet kept time. Then came the Cap Dance, a folk dance well executed and well costumed. Just here—much credit is due to mothers and teachers for this part of the work. Then came the dance of the flower girls, graceful and beautiful in its movements. Then came the dramatization of the Pied Piper and who was not thrilled with the interpretation of its wonderful legend, with its humor and its paths that have given joy to thousands before us, with its main

MAYOR TO GIVE FINE LOVING CUP AWAY

Interest In Big Fourth Celebration Growing And Committees Named

The executive Committee for the Fourth of July Celebration have announced the chairmen of the various committees, who are already working to give Bogalusa a celebration superior to any other city of this size in the state.

The first thing that will be done will be secure subscriptions for the celebration. A large committee, of business men were placed on the Finance committee, J. B. Lindsley is chairman and J. A. Spekenhier is treasurer. Mayor Sullivan has announced that he will present to the person securing the largest amount of funds, exclusive of voluntary donations by corporations, a beautiful loving cup. The presentation will be made on the day of the celebration at Goodyear park. There promises to be some lively competition for this cup and will encourage the men that on are this important work.

The public, even to the smallest wage earner, is asked to give something towards this celebration, even though it be only 5 or 10cts. Its going to be Bogalusa's birthday and every citizen will want to assist in this big event.

Executive Committee M. Marx Chairman. A. N. Dobbs, Z. A. Davis, J. A. Spekenhier, M. K. Pearce.

Finance J. B. Lindsley chairman, J. A. Spekenhier Treas. Program M. L. Wuescher chairman.

Amusements J. Y. Sanders chairman, L. F. Guerre, and H. E. Hoppen. Reception H. J. Cowgill.

Decorations W. C. Lonnergan Transportation C. J. Wade.

Parade Chas. E. Petrie, Grand Marshal. A. N. Dobbs chairman, J. C. Mills, H. L. Porter, H. Greenberg, J. P. Starns.

Speakers Stands and Grounds W. G. Dorsey chairman.

Refreshment Stands and Ice Water M. K. Pearce chairman.

Ambulance Service Dr. H. C. Cole chairman, G. C. Freret.

Publicity Clyde S. Moss chairman.

Public Safety, E. R. Cassidy chairman.

Athletics, Geo. J. Heckman chairman.

Music E. L. Middleton chairman.

The above committees are expected to appoint their assistants and make their public selection in the next few days.

truth, the joylessness of a home without children. The May Pole dance was a wonderfully pretty dance, as the children of the primary grades wound and unwound the May Pole with its varied colorings. The closing of the morning program was a dramatization of Shakespeare's "as you like it," first scene in fourth act. From behind a bower of green branches came strains of music from the High School boys and girls; then came Miss Maud Jopes as Rosalind in befitting costume and Miss Ruth Gentry as Celia her cousin, a regal beauty, Master Walter Picard as Jaques and Master Carly C. Voss as Orlando. These four young people represent a fine type of our boys and girls, from whom we hope to hear as the years go on. Truly our man-made theatres and places of amusement, beautiful as they often are, can not excel the grand outdoors and our own natural scenery right at our very doors. A setting for Shakespeare's beautiful scene like the one in our own Bogalusa would be hard to find.

The athletic events all must discuss at another time. Our boys covered themselves with glory as usual. In the school building many interested parents saw the results of daily work in the different class rooms, the clothing and food

NOW HEADS THE A. OF C.



Bogalusa lays claim to one of the youngest bank presidents in the South in the person of J. B. Lindsley, president of the Washington Bank & Trust Co. of Bogalusa Franklin and Angie and besides being president of this institution he is also the newly elected president of the Bogalusa Association of Commerce, a member of the Executive committee of the Louisiana Bankers Association, a director of the Y. M. C. A., President of the Washington Parish Co-operative Committee, a member of the Democrat Executive Committee of this parish and has a string of honorable positions than many bankers would be proud to enjoy at the end of 49 years—and the nice part about Mr. Lindsley's positions is that he takes an active part in all of them.

representing the work of the Home Economic Department. The number of parents who saw these exhibits gave encouragement to the faculty; and if this play and work festival will only be a means towards bringing the school and the home closer together, the dreams of our Board of Education and of our Superintendent will be sure to come true for this is the grand ultimate purpose of our yearly play times.

Sutton Child Dead.

Lester, the one year old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sutton, died last Thursday of pneumonia. The funeral services were held Friday, the remains being sent to McDoughdenville, where burial was made.

Frank's Hearing May 31.

The Georgia Prison commission has set May 31 as the date for beginning the hearing of Leo M. Frank's petition asking that sentence of death be commuted to life imprisonment.

To Stop Service.

The Street Railway Co. of Alexandria will discontinue operation of street cars as the result of the heavy costs of paving.

Pythians State Meet.

At a meeting of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, in session at

Mr. Lindsley began his banking career as a "runner" for the Interstate Bank of New Orleans when a strip of a boy and his club was a steady one. He became head book-keeper of the same bank and was later placed in charge of the Port Barre Lumber Co. plants the Interstate bank, being receiver. He remained in that position until 1913 when he organized the Washington Bank & Trust Co. Mr. Lindsley has taken an active part in everything for the welfare and betterment of Bogalusa and Washington Parish and has built up a fine clientele despite the times when conditions were abnormal.

Mr. Lindsley is a member of the Masons and Elks and besides being a keen business man is a gentleman that anyone would be proud to have as a friend.

Mason Leaves City.

W. G. Mason and family have gone to North Carolina where Mr. Mason will do railroad work for the North Carolina and Tennessee Railroad. No announcement has been made as to who will succeed him as special agent of the N. O. G. N., it being reported that the office will be discontinued for the present.

Brock In City.

J. S. Brock, Jr., one of the State bank examiners, was in Bogalusa Tuesday looking after interests connected with the state banking department. Mr. Brock likes his new work and his many Bogalusa friends hopes that he will visit us often.

Shot By Negro.

D. Cannon, of Covington, forest rider for the St Tammany Naval stores, had a narrow escape from death yesterday when a negro named Johnson attacked him with a revolver. One shot took effect. The negro escaped.

Ex-Gov. J. Y. Sanders is in Baton Rouge attending the special session of the legislature. He is expected to return home Friday.

GRADUATING EXERCISES OF GRAMMAR SCHOOL

Will Be Held On Next Wednesday Evening At The Y. M. C. A.

On next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock the graduating exercises of the Bogalusa Grammar School will be held at the Y. M. C. A. Prof Peters will deliver an address and give out the diplomas. The class is large and one of the strongest ever graduating from the school. Following are those who are in the class.

Balzora Alford, Katie Bender, Dorcas Bush, Betty Busby, May Ella Bankston, Blanche Greenberg, Ethel Hart, Edna Hughes, Eloise Hurst, Josie James, Bessie Labrettonne, Helen Larsen, Elizabeth Mullings, Julia Nye, Lela Paul, Celeste Sibley, Martha Terry, Charline Wilcox, Sarah Wadworth, Maggie Wille Myrtle Cross, Lizzie Beeson, Joseph Blackwell, Harold Ball, Ellis Copeland, Harvey Davis, Louis Gayer, Norlin Gilmer, Julius Kaufman, Louis Layrison, Robert Lambright, Willie Magee, David Marx, Edwin Magee, Elvin Mizell, Horace Pevey, Thomas Quick Cecil Underwood, Clarence Ramey, Hobson Williams, Willie Bender, Bertha Lawrence.

LUMBER CONDITIONS CONTINUE TO IMPROVE

Steady Increase In Demand And Mills Are Working Good

Lumber conditions are showing a marked improvement and mills in the Ozone belt which have been closed for some time are preparing to reopen. The demand has increased considerably during the past few weeks and another raise in price is expected.

All of the mills have advanced their prices from 50cts to a \$1.00 per thousand, and these advances are being maintained. The general conditions throughout the country are favorable to a greatly increased volume of business. Crop reports indicate that an abnormally large amount of acreage is under cultivation and the crops are all that can be desired.

Mills in this territory are feeling perceptibly an improvement in market conditions. Inquiries are much more voluminous, and orders are coming in greater volume than at any other time since the first of the year. Common stocks are especially in good demand, as are many items of car material, particularly decking and sills.

Building permits in all the large cities are increasing, and all conditions on which future business can be based, maintain the advance in prices they have already made, but that the increase in demand should in the very near future justify another advance in prices.

Good Game Sunday.

A good game of the National sports will be offered the Bogalusa fans next Sunday, when the Eddys from New Orleans will play the local team. The game will be called at 2 o'clock sharp. A large crowd is expected to turn out and root for the home team and give them the support they are entitled to.

Jopes Child Dead.

Hunter Jr., the 13 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Jopes died Sunday evening as the result of stomach trouble. The funeral services were conducted Monday and burial was in the Bogalusa cemetery.

MORE HONORS COME TO MAYOR AND BOGALUSA

Elected As Board Of Governor's At National Lumber Meeting

At the annual meeting of the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association held in San Francisco, California, on May 13th, W. H. Sullivan, Vice-President and General Manager of the Great Southern Lumber Company of Bogalusa, was elected to the Board of Governors. This Association is an organization to promote and look after the welfare of the lumber industry throughout the country, and is therefore of national importance.

Mr. Sullivan's appointment is a fitting recognition of the prominent part which he is taking in the manufacture and exploitation of yellow pine lumber, which is one of the most important industries throughout the entire south.

BOGALUSA HAS \$23,800 IN POSTAL SAVING BANK

That the people of Bogalusa are believers in saving money is best evidenced by the fact that approximately \$23,800 is deposited with the Postal saving banks through the local postoffice. This is said to be the second largest deposit of any postoffice in the state and Postmaster Wilcox believes that he will be able to increase this amount to \$30,000 in a very short time as the result of a new ruling which will go into effect on July 1 where anyone can deposit with the Postal savings. Heretofore the postoffice could only open accounts with patrons of the office. This will permit people from small nearby towns, where no regularly designated postal saving bank is located, to take advantage of the Postal Savings System.

Dr. Gill Arrives.

Dr. C. E. Gill, who recently purchased the office and good will of Dr. C. E. Amacker, has taken possession of the office and is making several changes. Dr. Gill comes to Bogalusa highly recommended as a dentist and good citizen. He has had extensive practice in both Mississippi and Louisiana, coming here from Natalbany. He is a brother to Grady Gill of the G. S. L. Co.

Has Many Engagements.

Rev. R. A. Bolling, of Columbia, will arrive in Bogalusa and be kept on the move until Monday. Saturday evening he will deliver a sermon at 8 o'clock in the hall over Brock and Co., in N Bogalusa. Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, in the Y. M. C. A. he will deliver an address to the members of the B H S senior class. Sunday evening he will deliver a sermon at the M. E. church at 8 p. m. The public are invited to all the services.

Was A Walkaway.

The game of baseball between the locals and the Schroders of New Orleans proved a swat feast for the locals and the visitors were returned to the Crescent City without the satisfaction of making a single run. The final score was 10 to 0 and as the score indicates the Bogalusa boys played great ball every second of the game.

Will Be Speaker.

Ex-Gov. J. Y. Sanders will make the address to the Slidell graduating class on Friday evening. The class is one of the largest ever graduating from that school.