

DIRECTORS OF G. S. L. CO. INSPECT THE MODEL BOGUE CHITTO FARM

Witnessed Removing Of Stumps, Saw Fine Cattle And Stock And Wonderful Transformation That Has Taken Place.

Had officials and directors of the Great Southern Lumber Co. submitted to a vote on which trip they enjoyed the most during their weeks stay in Bogalusa, the Enterprise is of the opinion that the honors would have fallen to the Bogue Chitto Stock farm. Few, if any, of the directors have visited this place since it was transformed from a 2600 acre cut over land to one of the most modern and the most talked of farm in the state. D. T. Cushing, to whom most credit is due for the remarkable progress of the farm and the fine stock and equipment on it, had charge of the party. It required 11 automobiles to carry the parties to the Bogue Chitto farm. On the arrival at the farm the cars first stopped in the fields where raw cut over land was being placed in cultivation. Here an engine and a force of men were removing stumps and logs at the rate of an acre and a quarter a day. It was an interesting sight and the crowd remained for half an hour watching large stumps being removed by the roots. Mr. Cushing stated the cost of this method was a fraction less than \$20.00 per day.

Next the bungalow, which is built of Yellow Pine, was visited and the directors were shown a modern farmer's home with all conveniences. The fine Herford cattle then attracted the attention of the party and finer cattle was never seen in the South. Next the Duroc Jersey Hog department was visited where a large number of the finest hogs known were found. Everything for the health of the hogs was found on this section of the farm. Conveniences were not overlooked, for patented posts had been erected where they could scratch themselves to their hearts content.

Next the grainery and outhouses were visited and no building was overlooked and reasons given as to why it was there and why it was built exactly as it was. Every building had its convenience not found in ordinary farm buildings.

The Registered Herford Bulls, the Registered Jack and the Percheron Stallion were viewed by the parties which pronounced them equal to any ever seen and there were several experienced stockmen in the party. Growing crops of various kinds, specimens of crops that had been raised and the concrete silos attracted much attention.

There was not a single member in the party that did not thoroughly enjoy the trip and realize that what was being done at the Bogue Chitto farm was the greatest possible thing to induce farmers to come here and locate. And the expression on the faces of the directors of the Great Southern admitted that the progress has exceeded their expectations.

The officers and directors present were: Walter P Cooke, Jerry Cravy, Ganson Depew, Frank H Goodyear, Chas. W Goodyear, Orlo J Hamlin, Horace H Redfield, F L Peck, Fred A Lehr, W H Sullivan, and Major Lane S Hart. Among the guests were, Mesdames W H Sullivan, and Ganson Depew, Messrs. C S Moss, E H Rowan, L O Piersal, J D Browning, J T Rabb, J B Redhead, B M Miller, M L Weuscher, Geo. B Wright, Geo. B Wright Jr., G A Townsend, J K Johnson, C R Howard, D T Cushing, W E Farris, M J McMahon, W S Hanley, W G Dorsey, M K Pearce, A M Cesario, G. J. Manson and M. D. Cravy. Mr. Cushing wishes to extend to Messrs. W G Dorsey, M K Pearce, George Wright Jr., and A. M. Cesario, his heartfelt thanks, for the use of their cars in making the trip.

HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS OF CHRISTMAS MONEY

Will Be Sent To Bogalusa People Saturday Or Monday

Bogalusa people are going to have more Christmas money this year than ever before and on Saturday or Monday, the Washington Bank and Trust Company will mail out checks to exceed \$2000.00 as a result of the Christmas Club which they started last January. This \$2000 added to what Bogalusa people have laid aside to spend during the holidays will make business exceptionally good.

J. B. Lindsley, president of the Washington Bank and Trust Co. stated that he was more than pleased with the success of the first Christmas Club and that it surpassed his expectations. "The Christmas Club will give everyone who carries out the plan plenty of Christmas money that comes at a good time and it also teaches people the habit of saving and they actually see their money working for them. "So successful has our First Christmas Club been that we propose to start another shortly after the first of the year and we expect that it will even surpass the record made by the 1915."

SANTA GETS MANY LETTERS FROM BOGALUSA CHILDREN

Santa Claus was swamped with letters from the good little boys and girls of Bogalusa which were sent in care of the Enterprise. In fact there were so many letters that he was unable to read all of them and as a result he announces that it will be impossible to publish them this week, but that they will appear in next week's issue of the Enterprise. He desires to request that all these children who have written to him through the Enterprise, to be sure and be at the Y. M. C. A., on Christmas eve.

B. H. S. Literary Society

Friday Dec. 10 at 3 o'clock the Bogalusa High School assembled in the auditorium, which was very beautiful decorated with evergreens and cut flowers. The purpose of the meeting was to render the regular monthly program which consisted of the following numbers: Song High School. Debate: Resolved that-"The U. S. Did not make a mistake in the Loan of One Half Million Dollars to France."

Aff.- Robert Collins Neg Verna Ratcliff, Ethel Overstreet, Frank Sullivan, Dorothy Mullings, Folk Lore Story, Margery Beall, Piano Duet, Mattie Lea Watson, High School paper, Jeanette Pierce, Violin Solo, Willie Heslin, acc. by Irene Heslin.

Each number was duly enjoyed by everyone present and especially the closing address given by Prof. J. F. Peters, was an interesting feature.

Entertain For Guest

Mrs. A. S. Anderson entertained a large crowd of young folks at her home Thursday night in honor of her guest Miss Ethel Anderson, of Covington. Dancing was the principal pastime, music being furnished by a string band. Dainty refreshments were served.

DIRECTORS OF G. S. L. COMPANY AND GUESTS



PHOTO BY MEADE

Above is shown the officers and directors of the Great Southern Lumber Company and their guests which was taken last week while on an inspection trip.

From left to right: Top Row. Ganson Depew, Major L S Hart. Bottom Row W H Sullivan, M D Cravy, M L Wuescher, Horace Redfield, Orlo Hamlin, F A Lehr, James Whalen, Chas I James, F L Peck, Mrs Ganson Depew, Walter P Cooke, Jerry Cravy, Frank H Goodyear, W S Hanley, J H Cassidy, G J Manson and D T Chushing

DATES AND PLACES OF PLEASANT MEETINGS ANNOUNCED

Ruffian G. Pleasant, candidate for Governor will come to Bogalusa week after next for a two days speaking campaign when all parts of the Parish will be visited. Other prominent speakers will accompany Mr. Pleasant. Following is the itinerary.

- Rio School House, 9:45 a. m., Monday, Dec. 27th, 1915.
- Isabel School House, 11:00 a. m., Monday, Dec. 27th, 1915.
- Enon School House, 12:00 noon, Monday, Dec. 27th, 1915.
- Mt. Herman School House, 2:30 p. m., Monday, Dec. 27th, 1915.
- Sunny Hill School House, 4:00 p. m., Monday, Dec. 27th, 1915.
- Franklinton Courthouse, 7:30 p. m., Monday, Dec. 27th, 1915.
- Hackley School House, 10:00 a. m., Tuesday, Dec. 28th, 1915.
- Pine School House, 12:00 noon, Tuesday, Dec. 28th 1915.
- Angie School House, 2:30 p. m., Tuesday, Dec. 28th, 1915.
- Varnado School House, 4:00 p. m. Tuesday, Dec. 28th, 1915.
- Bogalusa Y M C. A., 8:00 p. m., Tuesday, Dec. 28th, 1915.

HENPECKED HENRY AND OTHER BIG ATTRACTIONS THIS WEEK

The Magic City Theatre start their holiday attractions this evening and judging from the several fine shows that will appear at this popular playhouse during the next week all records will be broken from a standpoint of high class shows.

Tonight the great picture "A Message From Mars," will be presented under the auspices of the Woodmen of the World. It is said to be one of the greatest pictures of its kind ever produced.

Friday night the big musical comedy, with a pretty chorus that can sing and comedians that will more than surpass your expectations, "Henpecked Henry" will appear. This is the first time that a big road show has visited Bogalusa. The company is the same that played at the Crescent Theater in New Orleans last week and more than gave satisfaction. Reserved seats can be secured at the Magic City box office any hour during the day. Indications are that the company will play to S. R. O. For the remainder of this week and the first of next week, extra fine pictures will be presented. For complete program see page 2 of this issue.

Hunter Mills left Monday to spend Christmas with his parents at Medina, Tenn.

DIRECTORS DEPART AFTER AN ENJOYABLE MEETING

Did Not Have An Idle Minute During Their Stay In The Magic City

The annual meeting of the directors of the Great Southern Lumber Co., which was held last week will go down as the most enjoyable gathering of the directors since the organization of the company. The gentlemen remained in Bogalusa for a week and during the entire visit they did not have an idle minute. Side trips to the various enterprises were made, nothing was left undone for their pleasure and comfort and there was something new and interesting for them to see. Visits were made to the Shore Line, the Bogue Chitto Stock Farm, the Columbia camp, the Bogue Chitto lines and all parts of Bogalusa were visited. The officials expressed themselves as being greatly pleased with the appearance of the Magic City and they also commented on its growth. Gen. Mgr. Sullivan proved to be as capable an entertainer as he is in running the Worlds Greatest Lumber Mill.

Masons Elect Officers

At a meeting of Centere Lodge No. 244 F & A M the following officers were elected. W M Jno C Lee, Senior Warden, DeWitt Richardson, Junior Warden, A N Dobbs, Treas., D W Richardson, Secy., L C Denny Senior Deacon, L D Burke, Junior Deacon, B B Schwartz, Master of Ceremonies, A F Ramser, Tyler, A A Sumrall, Chaplin, F L Scott.

Coming Home For Holidays

Miss Elizabeth Sullivan daughter of Mayor and Mrs W H Sullivan, who is attending school at Philadelphia and Miss Sarah Ellen and J Snellings Pearce, who are attending school in Georgia, will arrive home in a few days to spend the Holidays with homefolks.

Public Installation

Centre Lodge No 244, F & A M will have a public installation of the newly elected officers Monday December 27th at 8 o'clock P M to which the public is cordially invited. Refreshments will be served and a pleasant time assured all.

M B Richardson, candidate for Representative, has been spending the week in Fifth Ward in the interest of his candidacy.

SCHOOLS ADJOURN NEXT WEDNESDAY FOR HOLIDAYS

The Bogalusa schools will close on next Wednesday evening for the holidays and the pupils will be given a 10 days vacation. Next Wednesday will close the first term which has been one of the most successful in the history of the city. Some of the teachers will spend the holidays at home, while the remainder will remain in Bogalusa. Prof. Peters goes to attend the state meeting of principals which will be held in New Orleans and he is on the program for two addresses.

OUTLOOK FOR BOGALUSA IS MORE ENCOURAGING

I want to congratulate you on and thank you very heartily for the fine condition of the City, in front of your property, while our visitors were here.

Everybody was impressed with the good order and cleanliness of the City, and this reflects credit not only on the citizens, but also on the officials of the city.

I want you to know that our visitors have in mind the erection of a plant sometime during the year 1916 to use some of the waste from the mill. A little later, as the plans develop, I will keep you advised; but from my standpoint the outlook for the city of Bogalusa for 1916 and for future years is becoming more encouraging.

Yours very truly,
W. H. Sullivan.

Hattaway Child Dead

Willie Hattaway, only child of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hattaway of Meridian, Miss., died here in the hospital Monday Dec. 6th. Little Willie was taken sick while visiting his grand-parents in Richardson town. The remains was taken to Oloh, Miss., Wednesday for burial.

Unusual Weather

Bogalusa is still enjoying unusually warm weather, in fact the weather is so warm that a large number of citizens have contracted a cold.

Ladies Thank All

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church desire to thank those who assisted in making their Bazaar such a great success.

Ernest Ledoux of Bush, spent Sunday in Bogalusa.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSTALL OFFICERS

Following Which A Smoker Was Held At The Pine Tree Inn

The installation of officers of Bogalusa Council No. 1819, Knights of Columbus, Sunday afternoon, December 12th, by District Deputy W. J. Schriever, assisted by W. J. Wall, Warden of New Orleans Council No. 714, was very interesting and impressive. The officers installed were: Past Grand Knight, W. S. Hanley; Grand Knight, W. A. DePhillips; Deputy Grand Knight, Frank Taaffe; Chancellor, O. H. Engerran; Recorder, A. E. Aycock; Financial Secretary, O. J. Richard; Treasurer, W. S. Gardiner; Lecturer, P. O. LeBlanc; Advocate, J. E. Guidry; Warden, R. J. Molony; Inner Guard, R. J. Foret; Outer Guard, E. R. Belton; Trustees, E. R. Cassidy, J. O. LeBlanc, Jr., and F. J. Walsh; Chaplin, Rev. John Burger.

Following the installation, an informal luncheon and smoker was held at the Pine Tree Inn in honor of the visiting Knights.

During the course of the evening plans for the future were discussed by members of the local Council, and, from all accounts, there is considerable in store for the Council.

New K. Of P. Officers.

At a meeting of the Knights of Pythias held last Thursday evening the officers for the ensuing year were elected.

The installation of officers will be held one week from tonight. Following are the new new officers. Geo. Schrimpf, C. C.; B. R. Rainey, V. C.; G. D. Lagard, P.; C. E. Elington, M. of W.; E. W. Seldner, K. of R. and S. and M. of F.; W. H. Jennings, M. of E.; J. J. Rogers, M. of A.; Frank Bourgeois, I. G., R. L. Robinson, O. G.; Frank Bourgeois, Representative; C. E. Petrie, Alternate.

After Silver Medal

The High School boys held a field meeting Friday afternoon to select candidates to compete for the silver medal which will be awarded by the mes Picayune. All students who attain 4 ft., 4 inches in a running high jump and 220 yards within 27 seconds are eligible for the contest. Harold Ball, Hobson Williams, F. Gayner, Virgil Underwood, R Collins, Bebe Yeager, Dallas Springs, D Gilmer and C Tisdale were the successful candidates.

Eastern Star Elects Officers

The election of the officers of the Order of Eastern Star was held Monday evening when the following officers were elected: W M Mrs J I Waller, M P Mrs C E Ott, Associate Matron Mrs Jno C Lee, Treas Miss Cordelia Kent, Secty Miss Eulah Collins, Conductoress Mrs J M McCabe, Associate Conductoress Mrs J N Ball.

Royal Arch Officers

Royal Arch Chapter No. 61 elected the following officers for the ensuing year at a meeting held last Thursday evening. H P, P E Welch, King J A Wadsworth, Scribe W M Babington, C H, L O Taylor, Treas., C Ellis Ott, Secy., K I Bean.

Many Dividend Checks

A. N. Dobbs of the Bogalusa Building and Loan Association has been busy the past few days sending out dividend checks to stockholders of that company. A dividend of 5 per cent was paid, the second one of that size this year. The checks will reach the stockholders during the next few days.