

PLAN TO ORGANIZE ELKS ON MAY 27TH

Famous Elks Band Of New Orleans To Give Public Concert

Unless the present plans miscarry, Bogalusa lodge B P O Elks will be organized on Saturday May 26, and Sunday May 27. District Deputy Herman Michel was in Bogalusa Tuesday evening and stated that he believed that all the requirements and details could be arranged by that time.

New Orleans lodge number 30 will send their 40 piece band, recognized as one of the best in the United States. They will be accompanied by about 100 members of number 30. On Saturday evening May 26th the band will give a concert for the citizens of Bogalusa, at a place to be selected later. The band will afterwards furnish music for a dance which will be given at the Pine Tree Inn for Elks, their families and invited guests. Sunday morning visiting Elks and their wives will be shown over the Magic City.

Initiating candidates, organizing the local and the election and installing of the officers will begin promptly at one o'clock.

Social A Success

The social given by the girls of the High School in the Goodyear Park Friday evening was well attended. The suit of clothes, hat and shoes given by leading merchants of the city, to the most popular player in the Basket Ball team was won by Dallas Spring.

A fine cake was awarded to Miss Thelma Harding as the most popular young lady. About thirty-five dollars was cleared which went for the benefit of the Canning Club. Refreshments were served and the social proved to be quite a success.

Progressive Rook Party

One of the most enjoyable events of the week was a Progressive Rook party, given by Miss Pearl Craig at the home of Dr. E. A. Pierce, Thursday evening. Delicious refreshments were served and the guests spent a most delightful evening. The prizes were won by Miss Rosa Mizell and Leon Senac. Among those present were: Misses Rosa Mizell, Eddie Moore, Ettie Mizell, Florence Davis, Jaunita Hasard, Margaret Davis, Mamie Eichelberger, Della Dimoulette, Messrs. Maurice Anouin, Leon Senac, Joe Foret, Donald Quinn, Joe Gill, Tom McDaniel, Gerald Dunstan, Ray Rogers and William Gore.

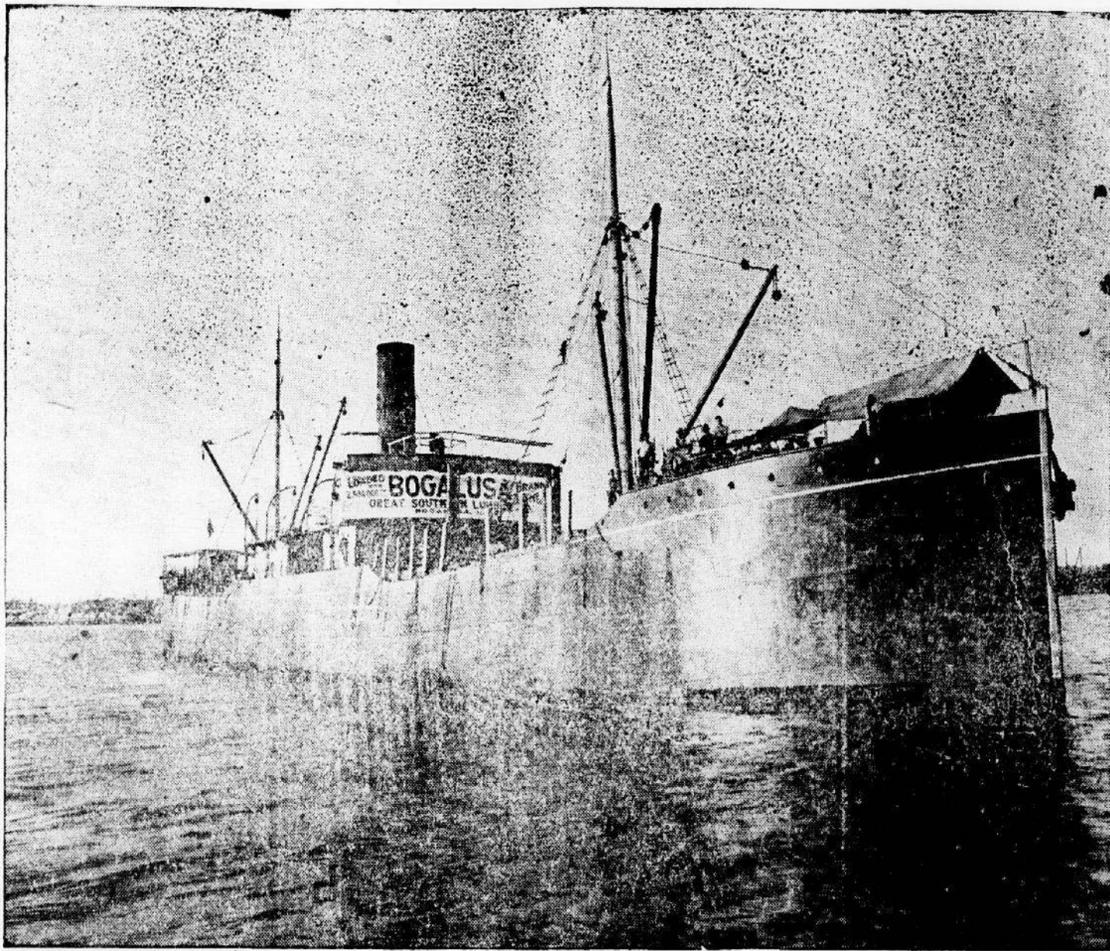
Mrs. Spekenhier Entertains

One of the most delightful parties of the season was given Friday afternoon at the Pine Tree Inn when Mrs. J. A. Spekenhier entertained a large number of ladies at Bridge. The parlors were beautiful with spring flowers in every available space. The prizes were dainty handkerchiefs and were won by Mrs. Melville Gillette and Mrs. W. S. Stanley. Delicious refreshments were served at the card tables after the games.

Old Building Burned

An old building in Richardson which was owned by M. R. Chesney, and used a few years ago as a bottling plant was destroyed by fire early Saturday morning. The origin of the fire is unknown. The loss was about \$50 and no insurance was carried.

Sailing Under Sealed Orders With 2,500,000 Feet Of Bogalusa Lumber



Above is a picture taken at Gulfport a few days ago when the S. S. Ariel, a steamer of 2209 tons, had completed loading and clearing for parts unknown with a cargo of two million and a half feet of "Bogalusa Brand" Long Leaf Yellow

Pine railroad sleepers and crossings. This gigantic boat was loaded by the shippers in six days and is one of the finest cargoes of sleepers and crossings that has ever left the Gulf. While the sale of this stock was made to English parties, on account

of the war it was necessary for her to sail with sealed orders, same not to be opened until the high seas were reached, and a specified longitude and latitude passed. This is one of the largest shipments of lumber made to Europe for several

months and goes to show that, even in Europe, when good lumber is wanted that they send to Bogalusa for it. The Great Southern Lumber Company announces that they will shortly load a second steamer containing a similar "Bogalusa Brand" stock.

"EVERY YOUTH" TO BE PRESENTED THIS EVENING

No small number of Bogalusians have witnessed "Everywoman" one of the greatest productions of the age, and those who have not seen the show, know something of it. Tonight at the Y. M. C. A. a similar production will be given, and is known as "Every Youth" and will be the most elaborate play ever attempted on the local stage. The music of the play alone is said to be worth twice the price of admission. Symbol music will be furnished by Miss Warlick, and the characters of the play are as follows:

- Every Youth, L. Searcy Young.
- Work, J. H. McBroom.
- Pleasure, Julian Willoughby.
- Reason, R. W. Taylor.
- Vice, Clyde Hamilton.
- Care, W. I. Gore.
- Truth, W. J. Willoughby.
- Happiness, Miss Abbie Jackson.
- Temptation, Miss Elizabeth Sullivan.
- Vanity, Miss Kibbie Cottrell.
- Conceit, Miss Margaret Cottrell.
- Trouble, Mrs. T. C. Griffith.
- Love, Miss Inez Blanchard.

The event will be given under the auspices of the Chaminade Music Club, and the proceeds will go towards paying for the piano which the club owns at the Y. M. C. A.

Motor Car Delivery

M. Marx has purchased a Ford truck which he will use for delivery in the city and states that no matter how large or small your purchases may be that he will guarantee rapid delivery.

To Discuss Excursion

At the "Get To Gather Meeting" which will be held at the Y M C A Friday evening, the plans for running an excursion to the inauguration of Col Pleasant at Baton Rouge on May 15 will be discussed. Those who contemplate making the trip should attend this meeting.

ROBERT A. LANSING TO BE NEXT PRESIDENT

Robert A. Lansing will be the next President of the United States. President Wilson's term expires at noon on March 4, 1917, which is on Sunday. His successor (or he himself perhaps) can not be inaugurated until noon on Monday. Therefore, the secretary of state will become President at noon on March 4 and so continue for 24 hours. Had W. J. Bryan not resigned, the constitution and the almanac would have fulfilled his ambition of being President... if only for a day. But now Mr. Lansing will be the lucky man.

Heintz Enters Campaign

Fred J. Heintz, of Covington, was in Bogalusa last week telling his friends that he was an announced candidate for District Attorney. He will most likely be opposed by J. Vol. Brock, of Franklinton, the present District Attorney. Both men have strong friends in Bogalusa, and if Norman Walker, of the Times Picayune was on the Enterprise staff, he would predict that this race will be the most interesting of any at the coming election.

Literary Program

The Bogalusa High School Literary Society held its regular monthly program Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The following numbers were rendered:

- Song, High School.
- Paper, Editor.
- Piano Duet, Myrtle Ball, and Maud Ard.
- Play, "Alice Goes to College," Junior Class.
- Song, High School.
- Address, Professor Peters.

Dr. Slaughter Out

Dr. J. H. Slaughter, of the Bogalusa Hospital staff, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, is able to be out again, though still weak.

BOGALUSA LOST GAME TO COLUMBIAN'S SUNDAY

The Columbians, of New Orleans, kept their word regarding the baseball game Sunday and defeated the locals by the score of 4 to 2. They could not have accomplished the act however without errors by the locals for the four runs were a result of errors. Bogalusa was less fortunate than the visitors however and earned the only two runs they received during the game. With a man on base, Holley, a professional imported here for the game, put a long drive over the left field fence and scored the only two runs. All the "fire works" and the errors occurred in the third inning. Aside from this inning, Bogalusa played in her usual splendid form, Ivans pitched a great game, and aside from the fatal third was given excellent support.

The Columbian's will return later in the season for another game when the locals expect to return the compliment.

Lumbermen Visit Here

A party of Northern lumbermen visited Bogalusa Monday and were taken to the Bogue Chitto stock farm and other places of interests. While here they were the guests of the Great Southern Lumber Co.

Consult Specialists

Dr. and Mrs. O. W. Alford left Tuesday afternoon for New Orleans where Mrs. Alford will consult a specialist. Her condition is not necessarily serious but she has not been getting along as well as was expected.

Britton Out On Bond

James Britton, who is charged with the killing of C. F. Moss, has returned to Bogalusa. He was removed to the Parish Prison and his bond placed at \$2000 which was furnished.

GOOD FELLOWSHIP MEETING AT Y. M. C. A. TOMORROW EVE

Some one suggested the other day that it was about time to have one of those goodfellowship meetings when citizens could get together and talk over things while enjoying a good cigar and a nice lunch. No sooner had the word reached Mayor Sullivan than he decided that it was the proper thing and that he was in favor of holding the meeting while Mr. Cooke and other officials of the Great Southern were in the city. It has been decided to hold the event this Friday evening at the Y. M. C. A., starting at 8 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend the meeting and five minutes speeches will be made by several well known citizens and possibly Mr. Cooke and the other gentlemen in his party will have some good things to tell. Music will be furnished by the band, good cigars will be plentiful and a dainty lunch will be served.

Takes Victor Agency

G. N. Rogers, the well known North Bogalusa furniture dealer, has purchased the stock of Victrola machines and records from the Bogalusa Mill Supply Co., and are now the exclusive agent for Bogalusa. Mr. Rogers announces that he also has purchased a number of the latest records for both the Victrola and Columbia, and will carry in stock at all times the various priced machines.

Coming On Special

Walter P. Cooke and party who will arrive in the city today are coming on a special train from the Jackson division instead of through New Orleans.

M. L. Middleton, W. P. Strattman and wife, Misses Vaden Cross and Estelle Strattman went to Peters Lake Thursday on a fishing trip and returned Friday. They report good luck.

BOGALUSIANS LOSE IN COLUMBIA FIRE

Pearl Theatre Owned By R. Blanchard Burned - No Insurance

Fire at Columbia early Saturday morning destroyed three business buildings and resulted in a loss of between \$1,100 and \$1,500 to R. Blanchard, of this city, who operated the Pearl Theatre at Columbia. He carried no insurance, and the only articles saved from the building was a piano and part of the motion picture machine. Everything could have been saved had he thought the flames would reach his place of business.

The fire started in the office of the Marion County Progress and then spread to the K. of P. building and then to the Pearl Theatre. The total loss will be about \$10,000 and insurance to about half that amount was carried. The fire is said to have been of an incendiary origin, and a youth is being held while an investigation is being made.

Mr. Blanchard will most likely build an airdome in Columbia to operate this summer and probably build or find suitable quarters in the fall.

Pel Crackers Coming

The Pelican Crackers of New Orleans, said to be as good or a little better ball team than the Columbians, will play the locals next Sunday. The game will be called at 2:15 and the fans are expected to turn out in large numbers. The Columbians will likely return for a game the following Sunday.

Davis Goes Into Business

Z. A. Davis, who for some time has been manager of the Middleton store in Northwest Bogalusa, has purchased the stock from Mr. Middleton. Mr. Davis has built up a fine business in that section of the city and already has a splendid trade.

Making Improvements

The store of Robinson & Roberts, in North Bogalusa, is undergoing some extensive improvements which will give the proprietors much more room. The growth of the business of this concern has been unusually large.

Grand Chapter Meeting

Mesdames A. N. Dobbs, D. W. Richardson and J. C. Lee will leave next Wednesday morning for New Orleans where they will attend the Grand Chapter meeting of the Order of Eastern Star. They will return home Saturday evening.

No Council Meeting

The regular session of the Commission Council which was to have been held Tuesday afternoon was postponed, due to the fact that only three Commissioners were in the city, and four constitutes a quorum.

Mrs. Cassidy Improving

The many friends of Mrs. J. H. Cassidy, who several days ago underwent an operation at the Bogalusa Hospital, is reported to be rapidly recovering and will be out again in a few days.

Return From Camp

The members of Company "G" who attended the Officer's Training School at Monroe, have returned to Bogalusa, and besides reporting a nice trip, state that they received some very valuable instruction.