



Photo added by Shawn Bohannon



Added by Scout Finch

Harney Skolfield Bogan

BIRTH	18 Apr 1896 Prudhomme, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, USA
DEATH	18 Feb 1983 (aged 86) Shreveport, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, USA
BURIAL	Greenwood Cemetery Shreveport, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, USA
PLOT	Resub, Lot 26
MEMORIAL ID	55665977 · View Source

Obituary from the Shreveport Times newspaper, Feb. 19, 1983, Saturday, p. 8-A:

SHREVEPORT – Services for Mr. Harney Skolfield Bogan, 86, of Shreveport will be held at 2:30 p.m. Saturday Feb. 19 at the Osborn Funeral Home Chapel. Dr. D. L. Dykes, Pastor of First United Methodist Church, will officiate. Interment, under the auspices of the American Legion Post 14, will be at Greenwood Cemetery in Shreveport.

He died at 1:58 a.m. Friday Feb. 18, 1983 at Schumpert Medical Center.

He is survived by his wife, Lucille Foster Bogan of Shreveport; two daughters, Lucille Bogan Urbas of

Washington D.C. and Virginia Bogan Gilmore of La Jolla Calif.; one son, Harney Skolfield Bogan, Jr. of Washington D.C. and Palm Beach, Fla.; two grandsons, William Bickham Shackleford and John Harney Daly; one granddaughter, Virginia Gilmore Bickford; three great-grandchildren and seven surviving brothers and sisters.

Mr. Bogan, born April 18, 1896 in Prudhomme City, La., the son of Samuel Skolfield Bogan and Margaret Virginia Whatley Bogan, was descended from a long list of Methodist ministers of his mother's family. Mr. Bogan helped spearhead the organization of the Methodist church of Summer Grove, where his father was the first pastor and preached until his retirement. He came to Shreveport to make his home in 1916, worked for Shreveport Drug Store, and, in the fall of 1917, volunteered for the U.S. Army Signal Corps, serving in the United States and France until honorably discharged in 1919. He returned to Shreveport Drug for a while, then became engaged in the real estate business with his partner Zack Lawhon. In June of 1920, he married the former Lucille Foster, descendant of a prominent North Louisiana family of cotton planters.

In 1928, Mr. Bogan was elected to the Louisiana House of Representatives, serving four years. He did not choose to run for reelection but always maintained an active interest in politics. He enjoyed

a favorable connection with members of the Louisiana Legislature, where he received a number of standing ovations as a popular lobbyist in the House of Representatives. He was elected an Honorary Member of the Louisiana Senate.

Mr. Bogan was active in the oil business many years, was employed by a group of major oil companies, and formed the Legislative Information Service which he operated until he retired in 1971.

Mr. Bogan was a life member and past commander of the Lowe-McFarlane Post [14] of the American Legion and was responsible for the construction of the American Legion Clubhouse on Cross Lake. It was under his leadership that the first Salvation Army home was built in Shreveport in the early 1930's.

He was a member of the Shreveport Country Club, a former member of the Petroleum Club of Shreveport, and was a retired member of the Masons and Shriners.

Pallbearers will be Ben Coleman, Pike Hall, Jr., Calhoun Allen, Bill Cook, Gordan White Van Hoose and Ruben Egan.

Memorial contributions may be made to the charity of donor's choice.

Family Members

Spouse



Lucile Foster
Bogan
1900-1986

Created by: Shawn Bohannon

Added: 31 Jul 2010

Find A Grave Memorial **55665977**

Find A Grave, database and images
(<https://www.findagrave.com> : accessed 27 August 2018), memorial page for Harney Skolfield Bogan (18 Apr 1896-18 Feb 1983), Find A Grave Memorial no. 55665977, citing Greenwood Cemetery, Shreveport, Caddo Parish, Louisiana, USA ; Maintained by Shawn Bohannon (contributor 47062096) .

Copyright © 2018 Find A Grave · Privacy Statement · Terms of Service