

HOMAGE TO THE KING

Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben Pave the Coming of a Ruler.

THOUSANDS PAY HOMAGE TO MONARCH

Unconfined Joy Prevails in the Great Central City of Quivera.

PAGEANT PASSES OVER THE STREETS

Thousands of Bright Lights Convert Night Into Midday Brilliance.

LOYAL GREETING TO THE ROYAL KNIGHTS

People of the City and Country Enthusiastically Welcome the Scenery of Beauty and Give Full Vent to Their Feelings.

Although it was more than 250 years ago that the members of the Ancient Order of the Knights of Ak-Sar-Ben paid their first visit to the plains of the Kingdom of Quivera, now known as Nebraska, the followers of the then mighty king, Tatarax, built up a dynasty that has withstood the onslaught of the intervening centuries.

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Omaha has had the reputation of being a city, the people of which never enthuse over a good thing. However, that is a statement that is engraved upon the tablets of the dim and misty past.

Burn Red Fire. On nearly every corner huge piles of red fire burned during the passing of the floats, while from windows and cupolas hung banners of tri-colored bunting and the familiar red, green and yellow flags of the knights.

The arrangements for handling the crowds were perfect. Police by the hundreds were every street intersection in the downtown district and at no time did the officers permit the great throngs of people to break into the parade to impede the movements of the floats.

The Parade Moves. The starting place of the parade was from Sixteenth and Cumma streets and the bands, nine in number, congregated. While waiting they rendered several popular airs and thus kept the people good natured.

One new feature that the people introduced was the throwing of confetti. Everywhere along the line of march this was thrown. It was thrown at the participants on the sidewalks and at those in the grandstands, and after the parade had passed the streets had the appearance of being carpeted with red, white and green bits of paper.

Like all Ak-Sar-Ben parades, the one last night was handled by the members of the Board of Governors, who presented a striking appearance, clad in their suits, consisting of bright scarlet coats embroidered with gold lace, white pants, red caps and black riding boots.

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The first in the line was the title float which carried upon either side the inscription: "Quant and Merrie Sports and Pastimes for Ye Young and Ye Old. By Ye King's Command." That the parade was to be along spurious lines was apparent, and the title float prepared the thousands of spectators who were coming later.

GRIGGS CORRECTS PINGREE

No Opinion Given That Congress Cannot Enact a Law to Suppress Trusts.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 26.—Attorney General Griggs has written the following reply to a receipt of your letter of the 21st instant asking me to send you a copy of my opinion to the effect that under the constitution of the United States congress cannot enact a law which would be effective in suppressing trusts, so-called.

You may possibly have reference to a letter of mine to a private citizen published several months ago in the newspapers where I called attention to the fact that the only jurisdiction that congress has over combinations or contracts in restraint of trade was in relation to those which directly affected interstate commerce.

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COLLISION ON DEPEW'S ROAD

Three Dead and Others Injured in a Meeting of Two Trains Near New York City.

AUBURN, N. Y., Sept. 26.—A head-on collision between a New York Central passenger train and a freight train occurred this morning at 6 o'clock just west of Old Flat-bottom bridge, about half a mile west of the city, and as a result three people are dead, two fatally injured and four seriously injured.

The dead are: EMMET LANCELOT of Rochester, engineer of the freight train. J. G. CURRY of Rochester, fireman on the freight train.

IRRIGATORS IN CONVENTION Seventeen States and Territories Are Represented and Meeting is Full of Interest.

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ASSUMES A WARLIKE PHASE

British Relations with the Transvaal Almost Prohibit Peaceful Settlement.

CAUSED BY CHAMBERLAIN'S DISPATCHES

Oom Paul's Government Practically Put in a Place Where It Will Be Compelled to Resort to Arms.

(Copyright, 1899, by Press Publishing Co.) LONDON, Sept. 26.—(New York World Cablegram—Special Telegram.)—The two dispatches lately sent by Joseph Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, have destroyed the last lingering hope of the peace party here.

The president said he desired to see the military organizations which have brought lustre to the American arms and the men who returned crowned with glory from the Philippines.

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withstanding, passed the resolution, which was supported by two justices of the peace. The indications at the agency of the Transvaal government in this city point to the belief that war is inevitable.

Mr. Montague White, the consul general of the South African republic in London, wished to return to Pretoria, but was informed by the government that in the event of war he would be more useful at Brussels.

INVITE PRESIDENT TO COME Delegation of Nebraskans Ask Mr. McKinley to Visit Omaha on His Western Tour.

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HONOR THE NATION'S HERO

United States Consuls Abroad Will Celebrate Dewey Day in a Style Befitting the Occasion.

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MANILA HERO HOME

Admiral Dewey Delighted to Reach His Native Shores Again.

OLYMPIA'S ARRIVAL A BIG SURPRISE

Reaches Port Two Days Ahead of the Time Scheduled for It.

REAR ADMIRAL SAMPSON VISITS DEWEY

Sir Thomas Lipton and Several Englishmen Call and Pay Respects.

ELEVEN OF CREW HAVE TYPHOID FEVER

SOME OF THE CASES ARE CONVALESCENT AND ALL ARE OF A MILD TYPE—WITH THIS EXCEPTION SAILED AND MARINES AWELL.

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