

TRAVELERS CARRY GRIPS IN PARADE

National T. P. A. Demonstrates that It Has Sent Many Live Members to Omaha.

SOUTH OMAHA COWBOYS A HIT

The Travelers' Protective Association of America delegates branded themselves as a real "live bunch" right from the start of their national convention, which opened Monday morning with a big parade.

The Fontenelle hotel and surrounding streets were alive with the men, most of them in the linen suits, white hats and shoes of summer time, and looking especially gay with canes and the handsome badges supplied them by the Commercial club.

Governor's Staff Gaily Decked.

The parade formed on Douglas street between Seventeenth and Twenty-second streets. Governor Morehead and his staff were there, some fifteen strong, and Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. The governor, in his plain clothes, was marked out from among the others, loaded with gold brain and buttons and seated upon prancing steeds.

Right back of the leading platoon of police rode two little girls in cowboy array. They were Miss Ruth Griffith, daughter of J. S. Griffin, marsh of the parade, and Miss Mildred Wohlford, daughter of O. L. Wohlford, chairman of the publicity committee.

While the parade formed, a bunch of cowboys from the South Omaha yards rode up and down the line terrifying the delegates from the peaceful eastern cities with their shrill yells and revolver shots. These desperate characters went to the Fontenelle bar and there discharging their guns, sparing the big mirrors only after an appeal from the barkeep. Then they came out and mounted their horses and continued their wild demonstration throughout the parade.

Fair Virginia Drum Corps.

Every state delegation had some distinguished feature as it marched. The men from old "Virginia" called Virginia hams and the "Missouri" drum corps made up of three slim fair beauties from the old state.

The men from Indiana all wore straw hats, linen suits and blue ties. The lads from Texas wore white hats, pants, shoes and blue coats.

Tennessee was distinguished by a dozen banners, each inscribed with a boost for one Bass, who has a fine campaign organization in the national director. The world's record by writing 33 applications for membership in one year. In one great day, Bass took off his coat, rolled up his sleeves, grasped his pen and wrote fifty-eight applications. All this was set forth in the banners. One even pleaded thus: "Give Us Police Protection to Keep Bass of Tennessee from Writing Applications in Omaha for His Post."

Shining "My Maryland."

The Marylanders wore white faces with blue tassels and sang the most famous song of their state. About the white hats of the Illinois delegation were blue silk bands inscribed "Illinois." The chaps from down Missouri way were all in white with blue bands on one arm marked with the name of the "Show-Me" state.

And here comes Pennsylvania, big men and fat, most of them, bearing testimony to the ples and scruffe of the Keystone state. They are garbed all in white and wore white helmets. They were headed by a "band" playing an imaginary tune on pasteboard instruments.

Iowa was headed by a gentleman driving two horses, tandem style, to a Stanhope. And last came the Nebraska and Wyoming divisions, wearing white hats with blue bands.

Ak-Sar-Ben was well represented, his cohorts distinguished by white hats with bands of Ak-Sar-Ben colors.

Servants of the People.

Let not the servants of the people be overlooked. Congressman Lobeck, Senator Hitchcock and Mayor Dahlman were all in line. They were on the job early, in fact, shaking hands and welcoming the visitors. The reception committee was there in force and the visitors were made to feel that Omaha is mighty glad to have them here.

The ladies were also present in force and added not a little to the gaiety of the day.

Expect Big Crowd at Butchers' and Grocers' Picnic

"If 10,000 people don't attend the annual Grocers' and Butchers' picnic at Krug park Thursday it will be a surprise to us," declares J. J. Cameron, secretary of the association, who is in charge of the plans for the big event.

"We have prepared a number of interesting events and stunts," continued Mr. Cameron. "We will have ladies' races, girls' races, races for fat men, lean men and other similar stunts. We expect to hold the biggest picnic in our history."

Mayor James C. Dahlman will be on hand and will contribute a speech, as will several other good speakers. Grocery stores and butcher shops will be closed all day in honor of the event. Housewives are advised to do their purchasing on Wednesday.

Police to Guard Liberty Bell Here

City Commissioner Kugel, chairman of the committee having in charge arrangements for the reception of the Liberty bell on July 9, reports that on Sunday he thought he would start this week to plan for this important event.

The famous bell will arrive about 3 a. m. and will be here until 11 a. m. It is expected that thousands of people of this city and surrounding country will want to see the bell which rang out for freedom in 1776.

Mr. Kugel said: "I believe we should provide a speaker to make a talk and have a few policemen to watch the bell be not stolen."

Chairman Kugel will be assisted in the arrangements by Commissioners Jardine and Withnell and committees from the Board of Education and Commercial club.

NATIONAL CHAPLAIN OF T. P. A. AT MEMORIAL SERVICES.



A. A. BROOKS, Of Hastings, Neb.

WHEAT CROP TO BE THE GREATEST EVER

Burlington Crop Report on Nebraska Wheat is the Most Optimistic Ever Issued.

CORN IS A LITTLE BACKWARD

The Nebraska crop report issued from the headquarters of the Burlington lines west of the Missouri river, covering the grain belt of the area that includes the whole of the state, and for the week ending last Saturday night, is the most optimistic of the year. It indicates a bumper wheat crop all through Nebraska, and has this to say:

"The harvest is twenty days away, with every field in the district soaked with water. The rain and low temperatures have disposed of chinch bugs, Hessian fly and other pests. And while there is no doubt there may be some damage here and there from one cause or another, the general result is no longer in doubt."

Estimating the condition of the wheat crop at 100 per cent during the past year at this season of the year, by divisions, the average is now placed as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Division, Per Cent, Division, Per Cent. Rows include Omaha, Lincoln, Wymore, McCook.

Estimates Conservative.

Continuing the report adds: "There is no doubt but that the estimates are conservative. On the McCook division, especially is this so. The large crop in the very west end of the Kansas branches and over all other parts of the division would justify a higher estimate. On the Alliance and Sterling divisions, which take in the extreme western and northwestern portions of Nebraska, with the same method of figuring as is adopted for other parts of the state, the condition of the wheat at this time is estimated at 125 per cent."

During last week there were a number of isolated sections, small in extent, where hail did considerable damage. In a section of country five miles west of Broken Bow, an area one-half mile wide and thirty miles in length was visited by a very destructive hailstorm. In a small section just over the line in Colorado and in the vicinity of Hillrose the wheat crop was totally destroyed.

Unfavorable for Corn.

Dealing with corn, the report takes in all the state. It is asserted that last week was decidedly unfavorable for the growth of the plant. Late planted corn rotted and the ground will have to be replanted. On rough land many of the fields are badly washed. Early planted corn is up, but the growth has been slow. By divisions the condition is reported as follows, the basis of figuring being on the ten-year average at this season of the year and for the purpose it being placed at 100.

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Pastures Fine.

Pastures are reported in the best condition ever known. Sugar beets are better than the average. Alfalfa has suffered greatly on account of the rain. The cutting of the first crop had been started when the rain set in and, as a result, the harvest was delayed. The forage that had been cut nearly all rotted, there having not been enough sunshine to permit of its being cured and stacked.

Government Men Are Inspecting Water Craft

Captains Downs and Bower of St. Louis and of the Department of Commerce's steamboat inspection bureau are in Omaha. They, with Collector Taylor of the port of Omaha, are inspecting the river and lake craft in this vicinity that carry passengers and charge a fee for so doing.

According to the government regulations all boats propelled by power and in the business of carrying passengers must pay a license and the men in charge must be regularly examined and licensed. Of such boats, there are a number at Lake Manawa and a couple at Carter Lake. From here the two river captains will go to Sioux City, inspecting boats between here and there and licensing the operators if they can comply with the requirements.

FLAG DAY IS BEING OBSERVED IN SCHOOLS

Monday was observed as Flag day in the public schools. Flags are flying from school yard poles and the lessons of the day include stories of the national banner.

Between Handshakes and Salutations the T. P. A. Boys Are Having a Joyous Visit in Omaha Today

The South Omaha cowboy contingent of the T. P. A. parade broke from the parade as it passed the Merchants hotel. But it did not take them long to do their worst. As night riders from the dark mountains they rode their horses into the merchants hotel office and shot up the place. They rode out into the bar and did not even neglect the grill room. One hungry wild rider corralled Dan Gaines, the proprietor, loaded him on his horse with him and compelled him to finish out the parade with the bunch.

Original moving pictures of the T. P. A. parade were taken in Omaha during the parade and will be shown at the Empress theater Thursday, Friday and Saturday this week, thus giving the delegates a chance to see how they look before they start for their homes.

C. F. Tomlinson of High Point, N. C., is a candidate for the national presidency and has the entire delegation back of him. He has been a member of the order for the last twelve years and has been a national director for the last five years. He also has held the office of national membership chairman for several years and has been one of the hardest workers in increasing the membership of the association, which has shown a gain of 9,000 members in the last three years. His friends say that he has been reluctant to make the race for this office, but under strong pressure from his friends and his state division has stepped forth.

At midnight Thursday of Omaha the Union Pacific will run a special train, an exact counterpart of No. 1. This will be made up and run for the accommodation of members of the Travelers' Protective association here attending the convention and desire to continue their journey on to the Pacific coast. While the train will be for the traveling men accommodations will be furnished for all others who desire to ride on it.

George Armstrong of Philadelphia, ex-president of the association, is as proud of his big delegation as though they meant a million dollars to him, and the dumb band that came with the delegation is no slouch, at that.

Two thousand five hundred pounds of human brawn all embodied in ten men—that is the record of the Maryland delegation. The Pennsylvania delegation is full of big, sturdy fellows, but their average by no means equals that of the Maryland bunch. The Maryland crowd challenges any delegation to outweigh them. But never mind—the cruel bear at Ak-Sar-Ben den is fairly starved for fat men.

W. O. Hudson of New Orleans, a member of the national directors, the man who never smiles, is carrying his own genial yet smileless face about the convention floor.

Maylin J. Jickering of New York is one of the few delegates of the present convention who attended the convention at Denver twenty-five years ago. He was president then, and was the man who turned the old Travelers' Protective Association of the United States over to the Travelers' Protective Association of America when the name was changed and the scope was enlarged. He was offered the secretaryship of the Interstate Commerce commission when the commission was created, but passed it up, for the road.

W. W. Welch of Peoria is another delegate who attended the convention at Denver a quarter of a century ago. He and Jickering have been trying to get together ever since the delegations arrived in Omaha. They want to talk over old times.

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Ray Kingsley High Gun at the Sunday Gun Club Shoot

Ray C. Kingsley was high gun at the Omaha Gun club shoot Sunday, breaking forty-seven out of a possible fifty targets. Kingsley, by his victory, gets his name inscribed on the second bar of the Class A medal which will be awarded to the shooter turning in the greatest number of high scores during eight weeks of shooting.

C. C. Hall was high in Class B with a score of forty-five and H. D. Sobotker copped the honors in Class C with forty breaks.

The shoot Sunday was the second of the series of eight for the class medals. A week ago Don McCown, T. E. Stewart, and Ben Gallagher won the right to have their names inscribed on the first bar. Scores Sunday were as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Score. Rows include Ray Kingsley, Don McCown, Henry McDonald, etc.

Tickets for the Stecher-Cutler Match Are On Sale

Blue prints of Rourke park have been prepared by Promoter Melady for the sale of seats for the big Stecher-Cutler match, which is to be staged there on the evening of July 5. Tickets are now on sale at the Merchants hotel, which is headquarters for the match. They may also be secured at the Schiltz, Her Grand, Mike Gibson's, Charlie Lewis' and at Stoddard & Meredith's.

Rourkes Return for Three-Game Series With Lincoln Club

Marty Krug and his squad of hopefuls will wander into Omaha today to start a three-game series with Lincoln for the benefit of the T. P. A. crew, now visiting among us. The games will be called at 3 o'clock. Line-up of the teams:

Table with 2 columns: Position, Name. Rows include First base, Second base, etc.

SWIMMING POOL AT PARK TO HAVE VARYING DEPTHS

Plans being drawn by the city engineer for the swimming pool in Riverview park indicate that this improvement will meet the needs of the various kinds of swimmers who will patronize this new park feature.

PITCHER HOLMES GIVEN GATE BY MANAGER KRUG

Mr. Otter Wendell Holmes, one of the pitchers Pa Rourke got from the Venice, Cal. club, has been given the gate. Otter Wendell used to be a good pitcher, but his brief career with Omaha, which

nothing like laying your wires early in the game, and Thompson is known as the politician of the association.

"Dad" Rhoads of Bloomington, Ill., is 77 years old, but he marched in the parade and carried his grip with as much spirit as the rest.

F. J. Johnson of Racine, Wis., is an old-timer in the association, but has just whistled at the mile post of three score and ten. He marched up well in the parade and carried his grip with as much spirit as the rest.

F. J. Schencker of Milwaukee, president of the national association, is not only a politician in the Travelers' Protective association of America, but in affairs at home. He was a candidate for mayor of Milwaukee a few years ago, but was defeated by the socialist, Berger.

W. A. Ryan of Terre Haute, Ind., is known as the poet laureate of the association. He writes poetry in his personal letters. No, it is not the usual which people hate to see coming their way, but it is put in such a way that every member that ever got one of his poetic letters treasures that letter as though it were a long lost friend.

Charles Hopper, secretary of the Nebraska division, and a former president of the national association, knows so many delegates that he didn't get to do a single lick but shake hands and call fellows by their first name all day. Hopper can call more first names in the swarm of delegates than any man besides Roosevelt, and he isn't running for office either, so it is said.

Frank Holbrook of Omaha, chairman of the transportation committee, is especially proud of his committee, which succeeded in securing the excursion rates to Omaha. This is said to be the first time that Omaha was the terminal on an excursion ticket that sold all over the United States.

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Urge High Grads to Attend the Reunion

In order to urge graduates of the Omaha High school to attend the annual reunion which will be held at the Happy Hollow club June 21, President Stuart Gould has appointed a hustling committee to solicit the members of his own class. Brower McCague of the class of 1911 heads the committee, which is composed of Stanley Rosewater, '09; Harry Koch, '08; Ralph Dowd, '08; B. A. Nelson, '09; Chandler Trimble, Will Wentworth and Ray Reel, '10; Emil Willrodt and Edgar May, '11; Henry Howes, '12; Jack Yeiser, '13; Mark Havens and Perry Singles, '14.

Women Watch the Clock

In our stores and factories for that blessed hour when the day's work ends. The reason is readily seen, as the nature of their duties too often drifts them into the horrors of all kinds of organic troubles peculiar to women, causing headache, nervousness and irritability. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a simple remedy, made from roots and herbs, may be relied upon to overcome these troubles.—Advertisement.

Quintet of Con Men Nipped by the Law

C. E. Jennings, A. Sebastian, John Phillips, William Thompson and George Hall were arraigned in police court and each sentenced from thirty to ninety days in the county jail. They were arrested Sunday by Special Officers Finn and Tugal and Detectives Dunn and Kenelso, who assert that are a well known crowd of shoplifters, pickpockets and con men.

SECRETARY-TREASURER MARYLAND DIVISION T. P. A.



President Marshall of the Theological Seminary Married

The marriage of Miss Mary Elizabeth Hallock of Rochester, N. Y., and President Albert B. Marshall of the Omaha Theological seminary, was solemnized June 12 in the home of Rev. Gerard B. F. Hallock, D. D., of Rochester. The officiating ministers were Drs. G. B. F. Hallock and Robert C. Hallock, both brothers of the bride.

Dr. and Mrs. Marshall are on a bridal tour which will include a visit to Oberlin college, from which Mrs. Marshall received the masters degree; a trip across the Great Lakes and a run through Glacier park. They hope to reach Omaha early in August and make their home in the "President's" home at Twenty-first and Spencer streets.

Lone Robber at the Burlington Station Makes a \$312 Haul

A burglar at 8 o'clock Monday morning sawed the screen from a back window at the Burlington lunch counter at the Burlington station and held up the porter, William Johnson, securing \$312. The lunch room is operated by Miss E. Johnson.

OMAHA'S LOST AND FOUND MEDIUM

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TODAY'S BEAUTY SUGGESTIONS

Face powder simply covers up an unattractive complexion and leaves no lasting benefits. Those who have tried a simple spumax face lotion find it much better, as it removes skin discolorations, such as freckles and tan, and makes the skin smooth, white and velvety. This lotion is made by dissolving four ounces of spumax in one-half pint hot water, then adding two teaspoonfuls glycerin. This complexion beautifier does not rub off or show like powder, and gives a more refined appearance. It removes both shininess and sallowness, rapidly giving the skin a permanent healthy, youthful appearance.

An especially fine shampoo for this weather can be had at trifling expense by dissolving a teaspoonful of canthox in a cup of hot water. Pour slowly on scalp and massage briskly. This creates a soothing, cooling lather that dissolves and removes all dandruff, excess oil and dirt. Rinsing leaves the scalp spotlessly clean, soft and pliant, while the hair takes on a glossy richness of natural color, also a fluffiness which makes it seem very much heavier than it is. After a canthox shampoo arranging the hair is a pleasure.—Advertisement.

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