

T. P. A. DELEGATES DOWN TO BUSINESS

After the Fun of Monday Affairs of Importance to the Order Are Taken Up.

BADGER FIGHT ON FOR TODAY

After the jollity and oratory of the opening day the business sessions of the Travelers' Protective association national convention opened Tuesday morning in the American theater and went along with traditional "neatness and dispatch."

The president's message and reports of various national officers formed the order of business, relieved by such pleasant events as presentation of two big spears to the sergeants-at-arms, Stanley Brown of Omaha and R. E. Leutbecher of Maryland.

These were sent direct from the royal court of Sarinon by the imperial order of that monarch himself. It appears, so stated the courier, that the king, after witnessing the manly and robust manner in which these traveling men met all the tortures which were prepared for them in the Den Monday night, decided that where a crowd of brave spirits such as these gather together in one building the suggestions should be armed with something more than soft words. So the royal smith was ordered to prepare the spears. And was to the hapless Tee Pee Aye who doesn't sleep in order.

Year a Record Breaker. President Schoencker led the annual address, showing that the silver jubilee year of the association had been a record breaking one and expressing gratification that this great year has been passed under his administration.

During this year the membership passed the 50,000 mark for the first time. It is now 51,216, a net gain during the year of 1,217.

The reserve fund has increased from \$101,475 to \$113,250, which President Schoencker declared to be "a wonderful achievement." Claims paid amounted to \$22,772. The cost of doing business was only 11.64% per capita, the lowest it has ever been. Applications received at the national office were 1,105, of which 1,733 were accepted, an increase of 1,092 over last year. Sixteen new posts were organized during the year. Total assets are \$224,206, an increase of \$10,000.

The champion application writers of the association were named by the president as follows: J. R. Hane, Tennessee, the big man with the much-fertilized soil; Albert Smith, Georgia, 285; William H. Marx, Maryland, 136; J. E. Scott, Louisiana, 68, and R. C. Strong, Alliance, Neb., 65.

George W. Long of Omaha, majority-voted, was appointed reading clerk for the convention.

The report of Secretary-Treasurer T. S. Logan was read, followed by reading of the reports of the chairman of the various railroad committees, covering the entire country.

Recommendations of President Schoencker to increase the amount apportioned to the national office out of each yearly assessment from the present figure of \$2 to \$3.50 or \$5 was received. The increasing automobile hazard was named as the reason for this increase.

Like Nebraska Hotel Laws. Max Hanner, chairman of the national committee on hotels, declared the Nebraska hotel law to be a model for other states to copy. H. D. McFadden of Omaha, former hotel commissioner, is the author of this law.

Two handsome loving cups were awarded to the prize winning delegations in Monday's parade. To the Missouri men went the cup for being the best appearing delegation, and to Pennsylvania, the big boys with the bacon hand, was awarded the prize for being the most unique. Presentation was made by Rev. A. A. Brooks, national chaplain, and graceful responses were made by representatives of the winners.

Big Fight Staged. Excitement was roused when announcement was made of the big annual event, the badger fight. Two ferocious badgers have been received from Texas and will be pitted in combat with a man-eating building from Indiana. Where? Ah, that's a secret. Police, you know. Plain clothes guys. Gum shoe squad. Can't be tipped off. But those who should know do know where it will be. Wednesday night is the time. Thousands, so they say, have been bet on the outcome, but you can't find a man who will admit that he has bet a dollar. Hat, hist, 'tis a mystery.

Married Watch Feb. Another pleasant feature of the day was the presentation of a handsome watch fob by the Maryland delegation to the president of their division, Alfred E. Sharp of Baltimore. Presentation was made by National President Schoencker. Victoriously spread clear across the stage was a banner marked with this device:

We Welcome You to Lafayette, Indiana, 1915. Post. E. Indiana Div.

The Indiana men seem to consider the question of the next convention settled. However, the Kentucky delegation doesn't admit it and there is a well developed boom for Louisville.

WALK-OVER SHOES DRAW FIRST PRIZE AT PANAMA FAIR

The Walk-Over shoe shop of this city received a wire Monday from San Francisco to the effect that Walk-Over shoes had been awarded the first prize at the Panama exposition. Shoe manufacturers from all over the country have displays at the fair and Messrs. Slaughter and Thompson, proprietors of the local Walk-Over shop, are delighted to know that the shoes they sell have been judged the finest in the land.

PROTEST AGAINST PLACE OWNED BY MARTIN LANGDON

The city council received from thirty-two citizens a protest against an alleged dilapidated building at 1228 South Thirty-fourth street, owned by Martin Langdon. It is charged that this old structure is a rendezvous of undesirable people. The city building department will condemn the building.

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Traveling Men Capture Town and Are Having the Time of Their Lives

A quiet looking youth wearing the T. P. A. badge of Maryland excitedly snatched his small kodak as the cowboys who were "shooting up the town" in front of the Fontenelle Monday for the benefit of the moving picture men. One of the cowboys executed a flank movement and approached the youth from the rear, discharged his .46 within six inches of the young man's head, and the youth was about to snap an exciting scene showing two cowboys in a pistol battle with a "bad man." The youth probably broke the world's record for the impromptu high jump and dropped his camera on the asphalt. He was "game," though, and laughed at his discomfort. He will have some pictures to show and some stories to tell the folks when he gets back to peaceful Maryland, his Maryland.

Bert Hoel of Omaha is laying off a week to do justice to the T. P. A. convention, for he has worked like a walrus for months on local arrangements.

George Rogers of Richmond, Va., one of the national directors, was in charge of the big parade. He was the handsome man in the carriage with the national president. There were other handsome men in the same carriage, too, but, anyway, that is the way Bagrow is described. He is the man who is responsible for getting the highbrows into the parade, such as the governor and staff, the city officials and the governors of Ak-Sar-Ben.

Otto Wolford, president of Post A of Omaha, has taken a week off to see that everyone has a good time. Wolford is another beaver that worked unfalteringly for months on local arrangements and publicity to see that this convention should be all that it is now proving itself.

Walter G. White of Fremont, president of the Nebraska division, is wearing the smile that grew there when Nebraska first landed this big convention.

Nebraska had 200 traveling men in line at the parade. That is no mean delegation. The cowboy delegation from South Omaha was an auxiliary merely and not a part of the delegation. No, these cowboys are not traveling men; they travel from the gates to the chutes in the stock yards. Then, too, Doc Frye, the king cowboy, travels around the tables in his big dining room at the Exchange building in South Omaha. Honestly, his gun was not loaded at all.

United States Senator Sheppard of Texas was one of the marchers in the T. P. A. parade yesterday. He is here making his report as national banker of the Woodmen of the World.

While the Virginia delegation of traveling men at the T. P. A. convention admits that Omaha is one of the greatest meat packing centers in the world, this delegation is very proud of the famous Smithfield ham, carved from the hind-quarters of the razorback hogs of the southern mountains. They admit that Nebraska raises sleek, well bred hogs and that the hams from these are delicious, yet they declare that their own hams produce a ham in the Smithfield ham that has a peculiar delectable flavor of its own. For this reason they brought a quarter of these hams with them to Omaha and expect to give Omahans a taste of them before they go back. In the parade they carried sawdust dummy hams in imitation of the long, slender ham of the razorback. George W. Rogers, president of the Virginia division of the T. P. A., is proud of his delegation in plain beach suits, blue ties and white hats, but he is no less proud of the famous razorback hams.

R. A. Broyles of Georgia is not only a T. P. A., but is chairman of the southwestern district of the Passenger association. He is a member of the State Railway commission of his state also. As a public speaker he is a rapid fire talker and a great lover of the post Burns. He proved it at the Den show Monday night.

Billy Hudson's oil was the subject of a bogus telegram sent him by tin can wireless at the Den. His brand of oil was recommended but whether reference was had to the kind he sells or the kind with which he saves his customers, no mention was made.

C. A. Worley, although he came here with the Texas delegation and is a real

Jardine Appoints Six New Inspectors

J. J. Conlon, one of the unsuccessful candidates at the city primary election on April 6, and W. S. Sheldon, former city councilman, have been appointed by Commissioner Jardine as inspectors of public improvements at \$10 per day. The council confirmed the appointments.

Other inspectors appointed and confirmed for similar positions and pay are: N. W. Miller, Louis Rubin, M. H. Bliss and C. J. Karsbach.

MILWAUKEE FORCED TO ADD ONE MORE FAST TRAIN

On account of the rapid increase in westbound passenger business, the Milwaukee has been forced to add one more and additional train out of Chicago. The additional service will start June 20, the first train leaving Chicago at 9:30 in the evening and reaching Omaha at 10:30 the next morning. It will be known as No. 17.

Here the Milwaukee's new train will remain twenty minutes, leaving at 10:50. It will carry through standard and tourist sleeper and chair car equipment, reaching San Francisco at 8:30 p. m., the second day out from Omaha. Eastbound, the train will carry the same class of equipment as westbound and will leave Omaha at 1:15 in the morning, reaching Chicago at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Train No. 11, on the Milwaukee, will carry through sleeping car equipment from Chicago to Denver, this equipment heretofore having been dropped off at Omaha.

Under the new arrangement, the Milwaukee will have the same representation on the Union Pacific trains, both to and from the coast, as that given the North western, with the exception of on the Overland and the Los Angeles Limited, which is offset by the Pacific Limited, which is an exclusive through train by way of the Milwaukee and the Union Pacific.

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George Brandeis

T. P. A. Delegates at Big Reunion of a Virginia Family

One of the pleasant features in connection with the traveling men's convention occurred Monday night, when at the Paxton hotel was held a reunion of the descendants of the Jackson Buckner family, twenty-five men and women being present. It concluded with a banquet, after which reminiscences concerning the family were recited.

Jackson Buckner was of Virginia stock, and came to Nebraska, seventeen years ago, locating in Lincoln and living there until his death in 1901. He was the father of eleven children, all of whom lived to be married, raising families.

At the reunion last night there were relatives from Indiana, Iowa and Nebraska, those present including children and grandchildren. Among the number were two sons. One of the nephews present was J. D. Counts, president of the Indiana State Traveling Men's association.

At a reunion of the Buckner family held fourteen years ago there were present sixty-five relatives.

Julia Expected to Heave Into Port This Afternoon

"Ship ahoy! The Julia, towing its barge loaded with a cargo of some ten tons, is expected to heave into Omaha waters Wednesday afternoon some time, if it runs not a torpedo, or crosses not the path of a submarine within the next twenty-four hours."

It put to "sea" from the port of Nebraska City early this morning, and is even now kicking the waters of the Missouri gulfward in its efforts to ride the wave into Omaha by Wednesday.

It will be received in Omaha by a band and a big delegation of Commercial club men, as well as a delegation of business men, from Decatur, which city it is to touch regularly in the future in its plying up and down the river.

See Want Ads Produce Results.

RIVERS OF THE STATE ARE FILLED WITH WATER

T. C. Menger, judge, and H. C. Hoyt, clerk, are back from North Platte, where they went to hold a session of federal court. The court was in session one day and two equity cases were tried. Said Mr. Hoyt: "I never saw as much water as there

is up the Platte river valley at this time. The river is out of its banks and all the smaller streams are bank full. The ground all through the western part of the state is soaked and with the exception of corn, prospects for bumper crops were never as good as at this time. Corn is late, but with warm weather, farmers tell me that it will make a full crop." See Want Ads Produce Results.

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