

### 3,000 Expected for Ceremonial

**Pilgrims to Cross Burning Sands at Auditorium Tuesday.**

James S. McCandless of Honolulu, imperial potentate of the Ancient Arabic Order Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, will be on the Oasis of Omaha, Desert of Nebraska, next Tuesday for the spring season ceremonial when the National Capital class of more than 100 will cross the burning sands in the City Auditorium.

Nobles from far and wide in great numbers will be in Omaha for the occasion. It is expected that 3,000 will be here.

Candidates will assemble at 2 for registration in the Masonic temple, Nineteenth and Douglas streets, and at 3:30 there will be a business meeting for reception of and action on petitions.

At 7 the candidates will assemble again in the temple and at 7:30 the parade will start to the Auditorium. The imperial potentate and his official escort will head it with the divan, patrol, band, nobility and candidates.

The grand entré will be at 8, followed by a drill by Tangier Temple Arab patrol and a concert by the Tangier Temple band after which the initiatory ceremonies will take place. An elaborate program for the occasion has been issued. It contains among other things a portrait of President Warren G. Harding as "the first president of the United States to wear the fez of an Arab."

The official divan of Tangier temple consists of Howard M. Goulding, potentate; H. O. Wilhelm, chief rahan; J. E. Fitzgerald, assistant rahan; A. D. Falconer, high priest; T. W. McCullough, oriental guide; W. E. Rhoades, treasurer; W. T. Bourke, recorder.

**Pershing Will Inspect Army Headquarters Here**  
Gen. John Pershing will arrive in Omaha tomorrow from Lincoln to inspect the Seventh army corps. He will be the guest of Gen. George P. Duncan at luncheon at the Omaha club at 12:30.

**Mayor Recovering.**  
Mayor Dahlman is recovering from injuries he suffered Wednesday night when he slipped to the first landing of the stairway at his home. His right knee was severely bruised and right hand slightly injured. His physician has advised him to rest for several days.

### Imperial Potentate of Shrine to Visit Omaha



### Pet Owners of State Organize

**Humane Society Forms Organization to Encourage Kindness to Animals.**

Promotion of pet ownership and encouragement of kindness to animals are the twin objects of the Pet Owners' association of Nebraska which is being organized by the Nebraska Humane society.

Particularly active organizers in Omaha are Edwin Brodsky, 9, and Rose Kushner, also 9. Membership in the association is open to all children on payment of a fee of 10 cents, which entitles the applicant to a membership card and badge.

"Aunt Patty," the patron saint of the organization, holds open house every Saturday morning from 9 to 11 in the assembly room of the Humane society building at Twenty-first and Izard streets.

The ordinary nut-cracker frequently comes in handy as a wrench for opening obstinate cans and bottles with screw tops.

### "Woman Pays" Is Proven at Dance

**Mrs. George Brandeis Bids \$500; Fred Hamilton Pays \$350.**

The woman always pays. Though Fred Hamilton bid \$350 to dance with Miss Ina Claire at the Christ Child benefit supper party, Brandeis restaurants, Thursday night, Mrs. George Brandeis gave \$500 to dance with Miss Claire's leading man, Bruce McRae. Miss Claire and Mr. McRae had appeared earlier in the evening in "The Awful Truth" at the Brandeis theater benefit performance for the society.

Ward M. Burgess bought the privilege of dancing with Mrs. Sidney Drew, week's Orpheum headliner, for \$300. Frank Judson swelled the Christ Child exchequer by \$100 to dance with Mrs. Henry Bohling and Fred Hamilton, again, was high bidder, this time for a few steps with Mrs. Lewis Burgess, formerly Miss Rosie Quinn, Century Roof Garden star of New York. The price was \$200. Luther Kuntze bought the hand of Mrs. Alan Tukey for a dance at \$200. Charles Gardner was the auctioneer who sold the high priced dances.

**Charity Nets \$2,500.**

Other dancers on the floor during these numbers paid \$1 per couple. The supper dance will net the charity more than \$1,800, it was estimated last night. With \$500 from the theater, the evening will give the Christ Child society a fund of \$2,500 or more for carrying on their work.

The supper dance was attended by 600 people, and the theater held almost a capacity house. Mrs. A. V. Kinsler and Mrs. George Brandeis have chaired the affair.

Golden gates entwined with apple blossoms made veritable Maypoles of the dining room posts. A rainbow swept across the orchestra platform. On one side was a pot of gold and on the other a child. A surprise dessert was an ice cream baby resting in its cradle.

**New Fashions Shown.**

Gowns at the supper-dance struck many of the new fashion notes. Jewels were in abundance. Mrs. George Brandeis wore an imported Boue Scours lingerie evening gown. The overdress was an elaborate combination of real laces and hand-embroidered net, with a full skirt made over cloth of gold. A pink and blue sash embroidered with French flowers passed under the lace about her waist to form a large double bow. A lavalliere watch on a

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