

Knights Templar Conclave Soon

Grand Commandery to Meet in Omaha April 22, 23, 24.

The 53rd annual convocation of the grand commandery, Knights Templar of Nebraska, will meet at the Masonic temple, Omaha, April 22, 23 and 24. Official headquarters will be at Hotel Fontenelle.

There will be an informal reception at the hotel Wednesday, April 23, in the afternoon. In the evening an informal dinner will be given for the knights and their ladies, following which there will be a theater party.

Thursday morning the grand commandery opening will be held at the Mt. Calvary commandery asylum and the traveling beaumont will be returned to Grand Commander Charles H. Green by the Mt. Zion commandery No. 5, Plattsmouth.

Parade in Afternoon.
All the knights will participate in a parade in the afternoon. A formal dinner will be given at the Masonic temple in the evening.

An automobile tour about Omaha will occupy Friday morning. Public installation of commandery officers will take place in the afternoon and Sir Charles H. Green will present the traveling beaumont to the grand commandery.

At the annual dinner Friday night Sir Charles H. Green will confer the order of the temple on a knight of Malta for Mt. Calvary commandery No. 1.

Grand Officers.
Grand commandery officers are Charles H. Green, Fremont, grand commander; Herbert A. Senter, Omaha, deputy grand commander; James M. Robertson, Plattsmouth, grand generalissimo; George T. Sprecher, Lincoln, grand captain general; Lewis E. Smith, Omaha, grand senior warden; Wilbur W. Day, Lincoln, grand junior warden; Ralph M. Frazier, St. Paul, grand prelate; George H. Thummel, Omaha, grand recorder; Francis E. White, Omaha, grand secretary; Henry E. Culbertson, McCook, grand standard bearer; Francis A. Mitchell, Hastings, grand sword bearer; Salmon H. Burrows, Kearney, grand warden; J. Harvey Mettlen, Bloomfield, grand captain of the guard; Wyman S. Clapp, Kearney, inspector general.

Mt. Calvary commandery of Omaha will host to the convention. Daniel A. Johnson is eminent commander of the local chapter.

Pawnee City Man Goes to Venezuela

Pawnee City, March 27.—Don Brown of this city, graduate of the engineering college of the University of Nebraska, is on his way to Maracibo, Venezuela, where he will be associated with the Lago Petroleum company. Brown was taking post graduate work at Lincoln when he received the appointment to the South American post on a three-year contract. Four other university engineers accompanied him.

Pair Sentenced for Theft, One for Forgery at Auburn

Auburn, March 27.—District court session here has closed. Arthur Duffer, Jr., and Leslie Heath were found guilty of theft of wheat at the farm of Fremont Jody north of Auburn. Duffer was sentenced to the state reformatory at Kearney and Heath was sentenced to one and a half to two and a half years in the state reformatory at Lincoln. Frank Smith was found guilty of forgery on two counts and was given a year in the penitentiary on each count.

Mrs. Minnie Cox, 70, Dies at Hay Springs

Table Rock, March 27.—News has reached here of the death at the home of her son, St. Paul, of Hay Springs, Neb., of Mrs. Minnie Cox, a long-time resident of Table Rock. She was a daughter of Dr. Cook, one of the earliest of the pioneers at Nebraska City. Funeral services and interment were at Hay Springs. She is survived by two sons and two daughters. She was 70.

Platte County Takes Lead in Tornado Relief Fund

Columbus, March 27.—With total cash donations of \$52,04 received and more coming in daily, Platte county leaped into the lead among all the counties of the state in the amount raised toward the relief of sufferers in the tornado area of Illinois and Indiana in response to the general call issued from central division headquarters of the American Red Cross.

Boy Scout Movement Sunday School All, Says Rev. T. M. Pyle

Columbus, March 27.—"The Boy Scout movement is the Sunday school's greatest ally," declares Rev. T. M. Pyle, pastor of the First Baptist church here, and father of the scout organization in Columbus. Mr. Pyle is commending the daily Platte county launching movement to interest every one of the 300 Baptist churches in Nebraska in forming at least one troop of Boy Scouts in connection with its Sunday school.

When he organized Scout Troop No. 3 here two years ago, there were only 200 boys of ages 12 to 14, inclusive, identified with his Sunday school. He now has 22 in one class, the largest class of boys of that age in any Baptist church in the state.

"The scout troop did it," Rev. Mr. Pyle declared. Since he formed troop No. 1, other churches and the Y. M. C. A. have formed three other troops, so that Columbus now has a scout battalion.

Bridgeport, March 27.—With but one opposing vote, the Bridgeport council of Boy Scouts voted to withdraw from the Platte valley area of scouts, at the end of the present fiscal year, June 30, and continue activity of the two troops here independent of outside assistance. There are now 80 boys ready for active scout work in the two troops.

Girl's Back Broken as Auto Turtles, She Smiles, Talks of Others, Though She's Paralyzed From Waist Down

Without a moment's warning, a small but vital part of the steering gear of an automobile snapped. The next moment a small but vital part of a girl's spinal cord snapped.

That was last Sunday. Friday morning, five days later, the girl, Tillie Kacin, 29, parted her lips in a smile of hope as her pretty eyes danced about her ivory-white ward in Nicholas Seun hospital.

While it was a smile born in the bosom of hope, it also carried a message of a high-spirited girl's bravery in the face of odds not any too encouraging.

Almost entirely paralyzed from the waistline down Miss Kacin, daughter of a retired farmer, Frank Kacin, of Clarkson, lies in her bed and thinks of her relatives and friends. Seldom she asks a question concerning her own condition. She frequently asks for her brother. But the brother cannot answer. The physicians forbid that.

M'COY GIVEN 3 NEW SENTENCES

Los Angeles, March 27.—"Kid" McCoy, ex-convict, had three more penitentiary sentences added to his list in superior court here today. He already is under sentence of from one to 10 years in prison as a result of his conviction of manslaughter in the shooting of Mrs. Theresa Mors here last August.

Today he received two sentences of from one to 14 years each on two counts of assault with intent to commit murder, and one sentence of from six months to 10 years on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. The sentences today followed his recent conviction in his shooting ork last August in a business district the day Mrs. Mors' body was discovered in her apartment with a bullet in the brain.

Farmer Dead After Having Sleeping Sickness 3 Years

Columbia, March 27.—Sleeping sickness is ascribed by the attending physicians as the cause of the death of Sam Imhof, prominent farmer of the Gruett neighborhood in Platte county. He had been ill with the peculiar malady nearly three years and every known method of combating the disease had been tried without results other than temporary prolongation of life. For months past he was entirely helpless. Funeral services were held Friday at the Gruett Reformed church. Mr. Imhof leaves a wife, three sons and four daughters.

Wymore Couple Steal Over to Iowa to Marry

Wymore, March 27.—Jay W. Hayden, clerk in the Burlington railway superintendent's office at Wymore, and Miss Jessie Campbell of the same office, were married yesterday at the home of the groom's parents at Ruthven, Ia. They quietly slipped away from their friends at Wymore the previous day by train. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Campbell, old residents of Wymore. Hayden is an ex-resident man, a member of the Wymore Gun club and prominent in American Legion affairs.

Former Plattsmouth Girl Winner in Essay Contest

Plattsmouth, March 27.—Mrs. Evelyn S. Bellville of Tracy, Minn., winner of first prize of \$1,000 in the Country Gentleman's essay contest on "Why I Like to Live in the Country," is a former Plattsmouth girl.

Wesleyan Student Gets Position as Instructor

Table Rock, March 27.—Harold Barnett, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Barnett, living five miles south of Table Rock, senior at Nebraska Wesleyan university, who graduates with the 1925 class, has accepted an appointment as graduate instructor in chemistry at a Minnesota university.

Band Heralds Spring

Harvard, March 27.—Confident that spring has arrived, the Saronville (Neb.) band opened the season Wednesday night with a concert in street. The band, comprised of two dozen players, gave a short advertising concert in the business section of this city after which their spokesmen invited all Harvard to the village east of here for its first band concert.

S. Y. A. Graveling Delayed

York, March 27.—As the federal engineer wishes to change the routing of the S. Y. A. at York and York county people object, graveling of the S. Y. A. east and west of York has been approved of the graveling and M. G. McLaughlin, congressman for this district, has been appealed to get quick action on the project.

Teachers Engaged at Odell

Beatrice, March 27.—The board of education at Odell has engaged the following teachers for the coming year: K. H. Loomis, superintendent; Miss Clara Combs, first and second grades; Miss Martha Schoenbeck, third and fourth grades.

Constipation makes a sallow skin—drive it out with Kellogg's ALL-BRAN

Constipation can ruin your good health. Take no chances. Drive it out—keep it out of your system. Do not let its poisons gather in your body—poisons which lead to forty serious diseases. Unpleasant breath is a warning. So are pimples and blotchy skin. Kellogg's ALL-BRAN brings permanent relief in the most chronic cases, if eaten regularly. It is guaranteed to do so or your grocer returns the purchase price. Only ALL-BRAN is wholly effective—that is what Kellogg's is, 100% bran. That is why doctors recommend it—they know it brings results. It has brought relief to thousands when all else has failed. You will like the nut-like flavor of Kellogg's ALL-BRAN. Eat at least two tablespoonfuls daily—in chronic cases, with every meal. Ready-to-eat with milk or cream. Sprinkle it over other cereals. Fine with fruit. Kellogg's ALL-BRAN is made in Battle Creek, Michigan, and served by leading hotels and restaurants everywhere. Sold by all grocers. Get a package today.



Wheeler Indicted by Federal Jury

Montana Senator Accused of Conspiracy to Get Oil Land Permits.

Washington, March 27.—Senator Burton K. Wheeler of Montana, Gordon Campbell and Edwin S. Booth were indicted here today by a federal grand jury on conspiracy charges.

Mr. Campbell is an oil land operator in Montana. Mr. Booth is a former solicitor of the Interior department.

The new indictments are based on charges relating to the securing of oil land permits in Montana and relate to transactions alleged to have taken place while Booth was in the Interior department.

The indictment is the second returned against Wheeler and Campbell, they having been indicted in Montana on charges involving allegations that Mr. Wheeler improperly represented Campbell before a government department.

Initiation of the grand jury proceedings here some weeks ago caused a flurry in the senate, where some of Senator Wheeler's friends declared an effort was being made to transfer him across the continent for trial after he had been once indicted in his home state on the same set of facts.

Attorney General Stone replied, however, that the new case was entirely independent of the Montana proceeding and related to acts which took place in the District of Columbia. These acts, as detailed by government counsel, included an attempt by Senator Wheeler, acting with Campbell, to secure oil land permits through co-operation with Booth.

A senate committee headed by Senator Borah of Idaho, after hearings in which Booth and others testified, exonerated Senator Wheeler from wrongdoing. The government pressed its case in Montana, however, and a date during April was fixed for the trial.

Headaches From Slight Colds

Laxative EROMO QUININE Tablets relieve the Headache by curing the Cold. A safe, commercial instruction. The box bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 30c.—Advertisement.

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It's Easy—If You Know Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets.

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Dr. Edwards, a well-known physician in Ohio, perfected a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil to act on the liver and bowels which he gave to his patients for years.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, are gentle in their action yet always effective. They bring about the natural buoyancy which all should enjoy by toning up the liver and clearing the system of impurities.

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Finally Found Health by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

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In a recent county-wide canvass of purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound over 200,000 replies were received, and 98 out of every 100 reported they were benefited by its use.

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The first few years of a child's life, how it is nourished and strengthened and with what, often foreshadows the degree of stamina and endurance in the coming man.

Scott's Emulsion

provides the growing child or the adult rundown in body or strength, with an abundance of vital-nourishment to maintain health and strength.

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HAYDEN'S

Men's Khaki Pants \$2.50 Kinds \$1.15

The M. E. Smith & Co. Bankrupt Stocks Placed on Sale Saturday

M. E. Smith & Co. Better Beau Brummel Shirts \$3.50 up to \$4 Beau Brummel SHIRTS

- 75c Men's Silk Hose Pair, 48c
- Men's pure silk hose from the M. E. Smith stock. In a special sale for Saturday.
- 1.50 Men's Union Suits, 95c
- From the M. E. Smith stock. Fine knit, also high grade athletic suits; spring and summer weights. All sizes. \$1.50 and \$1.75 values.
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- Ideal Work Shirts, 70c
- All the men's high grade blue and gray chambray shirts, also khaki colors; from the M. E. Smith stock. Regular \$1.25 values. All in one lot.
- 75c Men's Athletic Union Suits, 39c
- All the men's 75c athletic union suits, nainsook; sizes 34 to 44. All in one lot.
- 48c Men's Fiber Silk Hose, 3 Pairs for \$1.00
- All the high grade fiber silk hose; all colors and all sizes. Regular price 45c a pair.

Grocery and Market SALES For Saturday

10 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar for \$1.00
4 lbs. Macaroni for \$1.25
Not Over 12 lbs. to Customer.
Pet Milk, 3 cans for \$2.75
4 lbs. fancy Blue Rose Rice for only \$3.00
Tomatoes, size 2 can for 11c
Diamond H Flour, 48-lb. sack for \$2.45
Omar Wonder Flour, 48-lb. sack for \$2.48

Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps \$1.79
Oxfords, cut out and strap pumps, patent, calf and kid. Colors, tan and black.
350 Pairs of Children's High Shoes \$1.00
Odd pairs Children's high shoes, in broken sizes.

BOYS' TENNIS SHOES

Crep sole, sizes 2 1/2 up. Baseball given free—with purchase of each pair of tennis shoes at \$1.98. Colors white and brown. Special \$1.98

MEN'S OXFORDS

Come in black, brown and tan, calf and kid, new styles, latest cuts. Wonderful values at remarkable savings at the season's beginning \$3.98 TO \$4.95

M. E. Smith's Leather Goods

Leather Bags
Leather bags; all new; regular \$5.00 and \$7.50 values, \$2.29
Leather bags; regular \$3.50 value; pouch and flat bags, at only, each, \$1.79
\$3.50 Jewelry Specials, \$1.00
Pearls, Indestructible; endless pearl chains, 60-inch; pearl and pastel colors; 20-inch necklaces, novelties of the very smartest showing.

Specials in Wall Paper

Exceptional saving opportunity just at the time when you are interested in decorating your home. Papers for halls, dining rooms, parlors, bedrooms and kitchens; stripes, all-overs and two-tones; values to 20c. Sold only with border to match. Per roll, 62c
30-inch oatmeal in all wanted shades; blue, brown, golden gray and tan; regular 15c; beautiful cut-out borders to match. Special at per roll 9c
Better bedroom papers, including bird and chintz patterns; plain and floral stripes; values to 39c. Pretty cut-out borders to match. Per roll, 17c

Boys' Wear Sales for Saturday

Well tailored; for all around wear; Norfolk, belted models; fa- \$6.95
M. E. SMITH'S BOYS' HOSES IN TWO LOW PRICED LOTS
Hundreds of blouses to select from. Light and dark colors; percales, madras and blue chambrays. Sizes 6 to 15. Very specially priced at only 39c and 69c
M. E. SMITH BOYS' "BEARSKIN" HOSIERY
Stockings built for hard wear. Brown and black color. Sizes 6 to 11. Specially priced at per pair 25c
M. E. SMITH "MESCO" BOYS' UNDERWEAR
Medium weight; knit union suits; short sleeves; knee length. Sizes 26 to 34. Very special. 49c

BOYS' WASH SUITS
1,200 boys' wash suits at one low price. Every mother's opportunity to supply her lad with these beautiful wash suits for the boys' present and future needs. These suits are in the Oliver Twist and Middy styles in a large variety of colors and styles. Combination and solid color effects. Neatly trimmed. Sizes 3 to 8. Very special. 95c

M. E. Smith's Sales For Saturday

TOILET GOODS FOR SATURDAY
75c Melba, Love Me Face Powder 59c
50c Melba Boquet Face Powder 39c
50c Mavis Face Powder 29c
1.00 Ramnes Face Powder, for 59c
25c Powder Puffs 9c
25c Assorted Talcum Powder, for 10c
50c Watkins' Shampoo 35c
75c Hospital Cotton, 1-lb., for 45c
\$2.50 Lunch Kits \$1.35
25c Hair Brushes 10c
60c Kotex Sanitary Napkins, for 39c
1.00 Lemon Cream 65c
50c Dr. West Tooth Brush, for 29c
50c Tooth Paste 31c
35c Rouge 18c
1.00 Twin Compacts 59c
50c Single Compact 29c
75c Twin Compact 39c
1.50 Dier Kiss Toilet Water, for 79c
50c Violet Water 59c
\$2.00 Ambre Royal Face Powder 79c
25c Violet Face Powder 10c
M. E. SMITH GLOVE STOCK
ON SALE AT LESS THAN HALF PRICE.
\$1.50 to \$2.25 Gloves on sale in two big lots.
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Long silk, embroidered cuff, chamoise suede and novelty gauntlets, all at 59c
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Sixteen button, plain and fancy tucked silks, white and colored kids, all go at pair 95c
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Extra wide taffeta, satins and heavy moire.

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\$3.50 NEW SILK SCARFS— \$2.95
In fancy printed crepes, and plain colors.
75c COLLAR AND CUFF SETS—39c
In fancy lace and embroidered.

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A new line of fancy collar and jabot ruffings at yard— 59c to \$1.25
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