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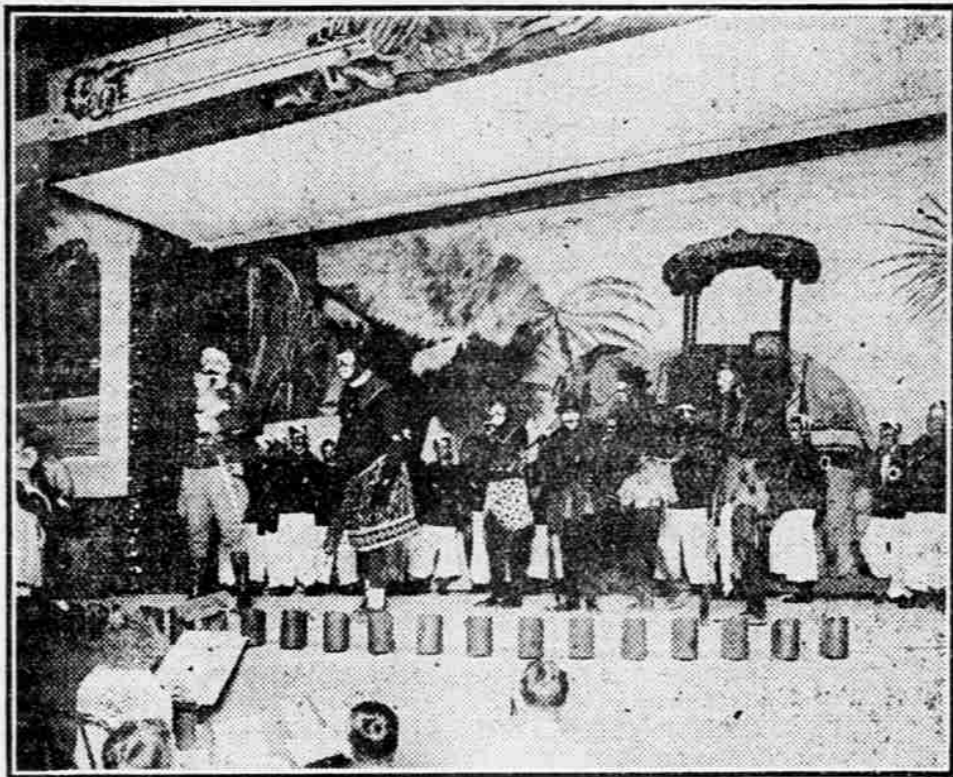
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Nebraska Organization Provides Varied Entertainment for Visitors.

**1911 INITIATION BRAND NEW.**

Many New Features Have Been Added to Program to Be Offered to Members and Friends During the Fall Festivities.

BY E. V. PARRISH.

Go where you will on pleasure bent—to the Mardi Gras in New Orleans in the late winter months; to the Priests of Pallas parade in Kansas City, or to the Veiled Prophets parade and ball in St. Louis—then go to the Ak-Sar-Ben festivities in Omaha, Neb. and you will find a departure, original and unique, in the way of fall festivities.

The Ak-Sar-Ben is distinctly a western institution. It was fostered by the western spirit and developed by the western dash. From purely a local institution, conceived in Omaha it has grown to a national institution numbering among its members such well known personages as former President Theodore Roosevelt, President William H. Taft, members of United States cabinets and governors of states of the east, west, north and south.

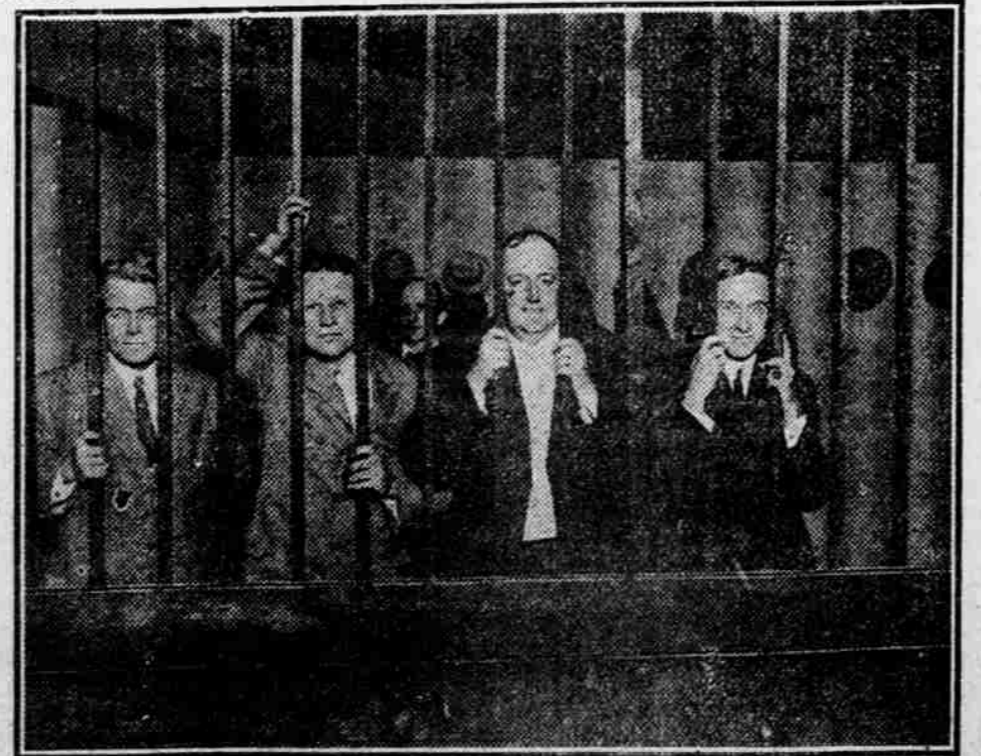
Rare indeed is he who has not visited Omaha during the summer months and has not been inducted into the mysteries of the land of King Samson. And rarer is he who, after having tread the narrow and rocky road which leads to the shrine of King Samson, has not declared that the experience is unique to such extent that he has never before experienced anything like it.

Like all similar institutions, Ak-Sar-Ben has its queen and its king and the customary retinue of attendants. The king, always one of the leading business or professional men of the city, holds forth for a year. He in turn is permitted to name his queen to whom the fair western women do honor for the ensuing year.

Unlike other institutions, class distinction has nothing to do with the selection of the king or the queen. They are chosen from all walks of life. In no other place is talent, ability and beauty recognized more than it is in this modern land of Quivera.

Ak-Sar-Ben goes farther than similar institutions. Its activities do not begin and end with one week of feast and merrymaking as in others. For

six months, the Ak-Sar-Ben promoters plan and work out the details. The October schedule is but the perfection of a half year's work. To properly realize this ambition, weekly meetings are held for a half year preceding the fall festivities, during which numerous schemes are tried out. Some stand the acid test. They are few in comparison with the great number of features that are cast by the wayside with the label, "Not Good Enough for the Residents of the Ak-Sar-Ben World."



A FEW VICTIMS.



A ROYAL ARTILLERYMAN.

flavor injected into the name. The Syrian Ak, meaning head of the family; Sar, Arabic, the household, and Ben, Hebrew, meaning brothers in the household, combine to give the true meaning of the organization, the king, the body of knights, and the household—in short, all.

Its colors, red, green and yellow, are symbolic of the chief products of the city and state, and give a combination which is appropriate for the fall festival season, which the organization celebrates. Red is for the beef, for Omaha is one of the largest packing centers in the United States; yellow for the corn which grows in the fertile lands in abundance, and green for the alfalfa, which vies with the corn in putting the great fields of Nebraska to the front as a producer.

Every loyal son of Nebraska heartily indorses the sentiment, "Sweet are the uses of adversity," for out of this grew the Ak-Sar-Ben. If the wave of hard times and trade depressions had not swept over the state in the early '90s; if there had not been the resulting depleted values in real estate and tightness of money, there might have never been an Ak-Sar-Ben to enjoy in these days of prosperity. For Ak-Sar-Ben is the development of the deliberations of a sturdy band of men, who early in the spring of 1895 looked conditions squarely in the face, and met them with true western spirit by deciding that only some strenuous action could shake off the lethargy that



THE IMPERIAL BANDMASTER.

was killing the trade activities of the city and bring about co-operation and concerted interest among the business men. The ambitions have been realized to an extent that is beyond the fondest hopes of even the most sanguine of that determined little body of men, who worked long and hard for the ultimate result. The Ak-Sar-Ben boosters have added many features to their 1911 initiation. The initiatory season proper will open on Sept. 18, while the fall festivities will begin nine days later and continue until Saturday night, Oct. 7.

Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 3, the manufacturers of the city and state will give a parade of live floats, which will demonstrate that Nebraska is a manufacturing center as well as a jobbing and industrial center. Nearly half a hundred manufacturers have already provided for floats in this affair.

On Wednesday night, Oct. 4, Ak-Sar-Ben's great electrical pageant, "Dreams of Other Years," will wind its way up and down the streets, across the thoroughfares. The parade this year will be a review of former years, when twenty floats will reproduce the themes of the parades of the last sixteen years.

Two regiments of the Nebraska national guard will furnish the part of the program of the week for Wednesday afternoon, when the gigantic military procession will make its way here and there about the city.

The season festivities will wind up Friday night when the grand coronation ball will be given in the royal castle, "The Den," where King Ak-Sar-Ben XVII and his noble consort will receive the crowns before a brilliant assemblage of royal subjects.

The naming of the king and his selection of his queen are the pieces de resistance of the season's triumphs. Everett Buckingham, superintendent of the Union stock yards, the present king, will give way to his illustrious successor, and Her Royal Highness, Miss Frances Nash, the queen, will gracefully bow to the new queen.

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Then the grand ball will be on and when the myriads of lights, which glitter among the profuse decorations, wink the last wink in the early morning hours, another successful year in the Ak-Sar-Ben will pass into history.



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