

ECHOES OF THE ANTE-ROOM

State Lodge of Odd Fellows to Put On Initiation.

TRAVELERS' MEMORIAL SERVICES

Hibernians to Hold a Smoker—Fraternal Union Celebrates Anniversary—Spanish War Veterans to Smoke.

State Lodge No. 19 will put on the initiatory degree Monday night.

The anniversary celebration committee of the Omaha lodges held a meeting at Odd Fellows' hall last Wednesday evening and disposed of considerable preliminary work.

Beacon Lodge No. 25 will have work in the initiatory degree next Tuesday evening.

Grand Patriarch Millard P. Corrick, editor of the Nebraska Out-look, Judge A. L. Sutton and Tr. Patton delivered addresses.

Wasa Lodge No. 18 has two candidates for the initiatory degree next Wednesday night.

Hesperian Encampment No. 2 will have twelve candidates for the Royal Purple degree next Thursday night.

Canton Etter No. 13 mustered in six candidates last Friday night.

Danabrog Lodge No. 26 will put on the initiatory degree next Friday night.

Canton Ezra Millard No. 1 mustered in one candidate last night.

The Hall association expects to start work on the repairing of the Odd Fellows hall building in a few days.

Mrs. Alice McLaughlin and her little daughter, who were so badly burned in the fire that destroyed their home on March 22, are getting along nicely, but it is feared that the little girl will be blind.

State Lodge No. 19 celebrated the forty-fourth anniversary of its institution last Monday night.

Grand Patriarch Marks presided over the meeting; Frank P. Corrick, editor of the Nebraska Out-look, Judge A. L. Sutton and Tr. Patton delivered addresses.

The program was interspersed with music, after which a supper was served.

The members of Omaha Lodge No. 2 will go in a body to visit South Omaha Lodge No. 148 tomorrow night.

Omaha Lodge No. 1 will confer the first degree next Friday night.

Modern Woodmen of America.

The triennial convention of the Modern Woodmen of America camps of Douglas county will be held in Modern Woodmen hall Wednesday at 10 a. m.

Representatives will be present from every city and village in the county.

The principal business of the convention will be the selection of delegates to the meeting of the state camp at Fremont, May 3.

This county will send ten delegates.

In addition to delegates many members of the society from this county will attend the state camp meeting.

On the evening preceding the meeting a great Modern Woodmen rally will be held, and thousands of Woodmen are expected to take part.

A feature will be the initiation of a class of several hundred candidates.

B. & M. Camp No. 945 will have an entertainment Tuesday evening for its members and friends.

No admission will be charged and an elaborate program has been arranged.

Much interest is being manifested by local members of the society in the forthcoming head camp meeting at Buffalo, N. Y., in June.

A national encampment of foresters, the drill teams of the camps, will be held in connection with the head camp meeting.

The teams of Omaha Camp 139, B. & M. 946 and South Omaha 1066 will attend and take part in the drill.

U. C. T. Memorial Services.

Omaha council No. 118, United Commercial Travelers of America, will hold memorial services Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at the First Baptist church.

Corner of Park avenue and Harney street, Rev. John Matthews will deliver the sermon and all commercial travelers, their families and friends are invited to attend the services.

Hibernians at Smoker.

The Ancient Order of Hibernians of Omaha are preparing to give a smoker to take place in their hall, Arlington block, Monday evening.

The Hibernians of Douglas county and Council Bluffs recently inaugurated a movement to raise a large class of candidates for initiation about the first of May.

The work to be performed by a special degree team, which the national president of the order, J. J. Reagan, will bring with him from St. Paul.

This smoker is for the purpose of formulating ways and means to better facilitate the work of raising the required number of candidates.

Representatives from the South Omaha division and from Council Bluffs will be present.

Fraternal Union of America.

Banner lodge No. 11 will celebrate their anniversary on Thursday evening, April 6, at Myrtle hall, Fifteenth and Douglas streets, with a program.

The Banner lodge and the Modern Woodmen No. 945, will give their fancy drill, followed by dancing. Members of the order and their friends are cordially invited at 8 o'clock sharp.

Miscellaneous.

Omaha court No. 116, Tribe of Ben Hur, will give its monthly social on next Friday evening. On April 14 this court will give a card party.

The Women's Relief Corps, U. S. Grant post, will hold its regular meeting at Darlight's hall Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

A smoker, to which all veterans of the Spanish war, are invited, will be given at Darlight's hall, Nineteenth and Farnam streets, Monday night, Camp Lee Forby No. 1 is sponsoring the event.

BABY PRIZES ARE AWARDED

Brandels Stores Announce the Winners in the Baby Beauty Show.

We announce the awards for the most beautiful babies in Brandels' baby show March 14-16, in our Pompeian room:

First Prize—Won by Paul, son of R. B. Allen, 650 Harney, Prize, diamond locket.

Second Prize—Won by Max, son of C. W. Melick, 2608 Ames avenue, Prize, diamond ring.

Third Prize—Won by Frances, daughter of F. H. Gagnebin, 619 Parker street, Prize, silver spoon.

Honorable Mention—Baby of Mrs. Carl Hsa, 1235 South Twenty-second street, Prize, silver fork and spoon.

First Prize, Twins—Won by Torjal and Anton, sons of A. Sanderf, 208 Half Cass street.

The three judges were the society editors of the World-Herald, Bee and News. Every mother who exhibited her baby will please call for the photograph, which we have taken. It has been attractively mounted and will be presented free of charge.

J. L. BRANDEIS & SONS.

The Key to the Situation—Bee Want Ads.

Irrigation Building Up Idaho Industries

Investments Already Made Give Incentive for Further Work, Says Ingersoll.

"The inter-mountain country is developing rapidly," said Colonel J. M. Ingersoll of Pocatello, at the Henshaw Saturday, "and this is particularly true of Idaho. Millions invested by private parties and the government along the Snake river valley and its tributaries in southern Idaho and the resulting results in the few short years that they have had from irrigation seem to furnish an incentive for greater efforts in the same line. Hence Idaho is doubling up in population, industry and wealth."

The Oregon Short Line Railroad company is busy to the limit building extensions of old lines and new branch lines, while it is double tracking its main trunk line through the Snake river valley, and, of course, this is causing Pocatello to double up in population and business, Pocatello being the railroad center of all trunk and branch lines in southern Idaho. This is all Union Pacific territory; hence it is Omaha territory.

"The Oregon Short Line has plans and specifications for improvements at Pocatello that will cost \$1,000,000 and it has set aside \$700,000 for this year and work is now progressing."

Mrs. Sara Cohn is Named as Executrix

Interests of Late Merchant to Be Held in Trust by Her for Her Sons.

Mrs. Sarah Cohn, widow of the late Herman Cohn, who was murdered by highwaymen last Saturday night, is to have absolute control of the estate of her husband. The will, which has been opened privately, directs that she serve as executrix and hold in trust stocks and moneys which shall go to her sons at maturity.

Among the Cohn interests are large holdings in the Nebraska Clothing company, sole ownership in the Hotel Loyal and the \$25,000 life insurance. The will is to be filed for probate the first of next week.

A UNIQUE DISPLAY BY THE REGAL SHOE COMPANY

In Nebraska Clothing Company's Windows Commencing Tuesday, April 4.

The crowns are faithful reproductions of the originals, and although made of plaster and imitation jewels, they represent an expenditure of \$27,000. It required an infinite amount of perseverance and patience to secure the paintings and drawings from which they were copied. Distinct to be made to the capitals of the several nations and permission secured for an artist to sketch the individual crowns. Often this permission was refused by the official guardians of these treasures and all sorts of schemes had to be adopted to obtain the desired privilege.

The collection as it stands today is of special interest to every student of the world's history. If one desired to see the originals he would be compelled to travel many thousands of miles, spend a large sum of money for traveling expenses, and even then he would have his troubles, for the crown of an important monarch is so carefully guarded from the public gaze that only the favored few get a sight of it.

Most superb of all the crowns shown and the most valuable in the collection is the crown of Germany. It is simply a basket work of gems, containing 1,350 diamonds and a sapphire crown in front. Around the border are the imperial eagles. The original is valued at \$2,500,000.

Most interesting of all, however, is the replica of the crown which was placed on the head of King Edward VII in London at his coronation. It is of gold, with a cushion of royal purple, and a border of ermine. Each rib of the crown is studded with a row of magnificent pearls, while every other point blazes with sapphires, rubies and diamonds. The top is surmounted by an orb and cross.

Russia's czar wears a huge affair twice as bulky as England's, set with huge rubies and sapphires. Sweden's is conspicuous for its immense pearls, though the crown itself is one of the smallest of the lot.

The iron crown of Lombardy is the oldest of all European crowns. It was made in 547. It is a heavy circlet of gold three inches high, set with brilliant gems. Within is a narrow band, said to have been made from nails from the true cross.

Beautiful indeed are reports with sentiment are the two crowns worn by Napoleon and Josephine. The empress's was a simple tiara of royal pearls set in a network of diamonds. In each interstice hung a pearl-shaped diamond, vibrating with every movement. Napoleon's was a crown of golden eagles, surmounted by a cross and set with sapphires and rubies.

OTTO RINGLING SHOWMAN DIES

Member of Firm Passes Away as Circus is Giving Evening Performance at Madison Square.

NEW YORK, April 1.—Otto Ringling of circus fame died here tonight at the home of his brother, John, as the big show of which he was joint owner with his four brothers was giving its evening performance at Madison Square Garden. He was 51 years old. Death was due to uremic poisoning. He will be buried Sunday afternoon at Baraboo, Wis., his birth place.

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Starving Family is Saved



MRS. L. W. BALL AND HER CHILDREN.

Another destitute family—mother and four little children—has been rescued from starvation by the Child Saving Institute. Saturday morning Field Agent Gray brought in from Decatur, Burt county, Mrs. L. W. Ball, a widow, with her little brood, and placed them under the protecting roof of the institute. The photograph was taken upon arrival of the party at the Webster street station.

Three years ago the husband and father was murdered in Decatur, leaving the family penniless. The widow took up the battle bravely and eked out a miserable living by service as washerwoman, working most of the time in a hotel and carrying water a distance of four blocks. The strain became too great and the woman broke down. As if she had not enough to bear, typhoid fever attacked her, rendering her helpless for months. Neighbors and county officials did what they could, but the vi-

lages lacked facilities for caring for dependent children and finally an appeal was made to the Child Saving Institute. As usual, the response was prompt. Mr. Gray brought the family down, accompanied by one of the county commissioners. Mr. Gray says he found the distressed family trying to live in an old shack about 1616, boarded up, without plaster, with wide cracks in the door, which was fastened only with a large wooden button. The structure was simply a granary, utterly unfit for the habitation of a human being. During the cold winter months the mother and little ones suffered intensely from cold and hunger, the neighbors being able to help only to a limited degree. When mother and children were brought to the institute they were dazed and could not realize that the place was to be their home for a time at least. Employment will be found for the mother and care given the children such as they have never had.

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Their Attorneys Attack Sherman Law Under Which Bills Are Filed as Not Defining Any Crime.

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The basis for this contention is: "That the statute does not define any offense against the United States with sufficient certainty to inform the defendants of the nature of the crime or offense with which they are charged; and the same insofar as it undertakes to create a crime is invalid, void and contrary to the United States constitution."

The demurrer, along this same line, says: "The description of the offense contained in this section, on which the indictment is based, is not one by which the defendants were or are able to know, in advance, whether the acts were criminal or not."

Indictments also are attacked as of faulty preparation.

QUEST OF SLAYER FRUITLESS

Officers Find Little in Cohn Case Promising Captures.

THREE BOYS ARE YET IN JAIL

Twigs, Steingger and DeLand Must Answer Other Charges—Investigation is Centered on Clark and Carr.

Little evidence of a tangible character has been unearthed by the police working on the Cohn murder mystery. Every clue in connection with the identification of the revolver dropped by the assassin has been run down without success.

Detectives Maloney and Van Deusen are still working on the case, but unable to report new developments. Superintendent Rosser and his confreres, Lowell Spence, of the Pinkertons, will remain in the city in an endeavor to clear up the murder of Cohn.

While no new evidence in the case points to the guilt of the three boys, Carl DeLand, Henry Steingger and Lemuel Twigs, they are being held for other misdeeds.

Attention has shifted to the two ex-convicts, Clark and Carr, who stubbornly refuse to enlighten the police as to their movements and whereabouts on the night of the murder. Detective Stewart of the Northwestern railroad has obtained a picture of the men and is sending copies about the country for identification. He expects to connect the men with the robbery of the Northwestern train near DeLeon. An officer from Lincoln is expected to identify the men.

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Bottom Prices on Rugs

Tapestry Brussels rugs from our surplus lines will be sold Monday-Monday only—for prices that give us their cost. They are in floral and oriental designs and are 9x12 feet. Worth as high as \$20, Monday prices are \$10.50, \$11.50, and \$12.50.

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