

ECHOES OF THE ANTE-ROOM

Lodges Busy with Lodge Matters and Social Events.

A MEMORIAL FOR MANDESON

Services will be conducted by U. S. Grant Post and All Other Posts and the Public Are Invited to Attend.

Omaha lodge No. 2, Danneberg lodge No. 216, Jonathan lodge No. 23 of Florence and Danneberg lodge 23 of South Omaha will elect officers at their meetings this week to serve for the first six months of the year 1912.

Omaha lodge No. 2 will have work in the third degree next Friday evening.

Heperian encampment No. 2 elected the following officers for the ensuing term last Thursday evening: C. A. Grim, chief patriarch; C. W. Anderson, secretary; W. S. Holman, high priest; J. H. Nelson, junior warden; C. M. Coffin, w. scribe; R. F. Bryant, treasurer; George Turkington, Darius Hartman and G. Striffler, trustees.

Wasa lodge No. 18, will put on the third degree work next Wednesday evening.

Park City lodge (No. 98 of Council Bluffs) has extended an invitation to the members of Omaha lodge No. 2 and to Omaha Odd Fellows to go to Council Bluffs and take part in their meeting on Tuesday evening, November 28. Park City will have five candidates for the initiatory degree on that night.

South Omaha lodge No. 185 will have work in the second degree tomorrow night.

J. S. Cornell of State lodge No. 19, expects to move to Edmonton, Alberta, some time next month.

Danneberg lodge No. 216 will confer the third degree on four candidates next Friday evening.

A crowd of Council Bluffs Odd Fellows, principally members of Park City lodge No. 98, visited Omaha lodge No. 2 last Friday evening.

Ruth Rebekah lodge No. 1 held a successful party at Odd Fellows hall last evening.

Danneberg lodge No. 216 of South Omaha will have work in the third degree next Saturday night.

Annual Election of Officers.

Hansen lodge No. 11, Fraternal Union of America, will hold its annual election of officers Thursday night at the Paxton block, third floor, entrance on Sixteenth street. All members please attend.

Royal Neighbors Play High Five.

The promotion committee of the Royal Neighbors of America will give a consolation high five party Tuesday afternoon in Woodmen hall, Fifteenth and Douglas streets.

Getysburg circle will meet at 2 o'clock Wednesday at Fraternity hall, Sixteenth and Harney streets, in regular session.

Memorial for Manderson.

Memorial services for the late General Manderson will be conducted Tuesday evening at Baright's hall by U. S. Grant post, Grand Army of the Republic, General Grenville M. Dodge of Council Bluffs is not well at present, but if his health permits, he will attend the memorial exercises, but will not participate.

Other posts and the general public are invited. The following program will be given:

Prelude..... Chopin
Funeral March..... Chopin
Responsive Service..... The Vacant Chair.....
T. K. Quartet
Address.....
John Lee Webster.
Sweet Remembrances..... Mendelssohn
Jean G. Jones.
Address.....
Closing Response, "The Flag Without a Stain".....
T. K. Quartet.
Taps.....
Postlude..... Chopin
Prelude, Op. 28, No. 9..... Chopin

Maccabees Card Party.

Gate City lodge No. 5, Ladies of the Maccabees, will give a card party next Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Continental building, Fifteenth and Douglas streets.

POLICE BOARD GETS FUNDS

Collects Two Thousand Dollars from Douglas County Commissioners.

PAY FOR HEATING THE JAIL

Wappich Says This Will Provide Plenty of Money So the Board May Pay the Police for Full Time This Year.

W. F. Wappich, secretary of the Fire and Police Board, went before the county commissioners with a request that the county pay the Fire and Police Board \$2,000, due them for the heating of the county jail for the last year. Without discussion a resolution was submitted and passed granting the request.

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