

ECHOES OF THE WOODMEN

Dedication of Woodmen of World Building at Twenty-Fourth and Ames Monday Evening.

MANY WOODMEN ARE EXPECTED

Druid camp No. 24, Woodmen of the World, took possession of its new building, Twenty-fourth street and Ames avenue, Thursday, April 1. An elaborate dedicatory service will be held Monday evening, participated in by some of the prominent representatives of Woodcraft in Omaha. The Woodmen ritual used for dedicatory purposes is very interesting and instructive, and will attract to this service a large representative body of Woodmen.

The entertainment given by Spillway camp No. 204, Woodmen of World, March 28, at the German home, was a great success. The drill exhibition showed great proficiency on the part of the company and was highly appreciated by all present.

Commercial camp No. 274, Woodmen of the World, is meeting with phenomenal success. The large increase in membership during the last six days indicates that the commercial and professional men of Omaha appreciate the Woodmen of the World as a commercial factor in the growth and development of Omaha.

South Omaha Woodmen. The officers of South Omaha camp No. 211, Woodmen of the World, desire all Woodmen of Omaha, South Omaha, and adjacent towns to keep in mind the big event of the season which occurs at its fall April 15. The hall is located at Twenty-fourth and J streets. Officers refuse to divulge the nature of the entertainment, but promise and guarantee all who may attend, an enjoyable evening.

Shows Decided Gain. Kosciuszko camp No. 252, Woodmen of the World, shows decided gain in its membership for the last month. It is in a measure due to the entertainments recently inaugurated by Leo Haeckel, clerk. These entertainments will continue for two months longer.

Woodmen at a Dance. Columbus camp No. 89, Woodmen of the World, gave a dance last Wednesday, which was largely attended by its members. This camp, composed of 123 members, is presided over by J. J. Nametsek, consul commander, and Joseph Spohak, clerk.

New Camp at Florence. The new Woodmen of the World camp recently organized by Severina Schultz at Florence is meeting with great success. Twenty-nine new members have signed their desire to be enrolled as members of the new camp, which assures its success.

Circle Mother Returns. Benson camp No. 28, Woodmen of the World, of Benson, shows an increase in membership for February. Now that Colonel C. E. Mathis, who has returned from official duties in the south, it is thought this camp will increase in membership until it will reach the high standard it has always maintained.

Ancient Order United Workmen. Election of delegates to the Grand lodge session of the Ancient Order of United Workmen to be held in Lincoln in May, will occur in the following lodges this week.

Monday, Fatten lodge, Tuesday, Omaha, Gate City, and South Omaha lodges; Wednesday, Axtell, and North Omaha lodges; Thursday, Bentons, Fremont and Ak-Sar-Ben lodges. Eighty-seven delegates will be sent from Greater Omaha.

Women of Class Gordon. The Ladies auxiliary of Class Gordon No. 63 will hold their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Bryce Crawford, 1815 Lethrop street.

Knights and Ladies of Security. The Knights and Ladies of Security, Omaha council No. 43, will give a dance Thursday evening at the Swedish auditorium.

Knights of Pythias. Monday evening Nebraska lodge No. 1, Knights of Pythias, had the largest social function given by any lodge of that order in the state during the last fifteen years. Dinner was served at 7 o'clock for members and their wives.

Miss Mabel Delridge and Miss Rowland rendered vocal solos. Miss Roberta Coulter entertained with a violin solo, accompanied on the piano by Miss Marion Coulter. Miss Gertrude Snowden sang a solo and was accompanied by Miss Margaret Bright. Entrees were so numerous that they could not be recognized on account of the length of the program.

The special feature of the evening was the country school boys, imitating their beloved achievements in their Friday afternoon recitations. W. W. Babush as "Jeremiah" in an original oration instructed the members as to their duties in the Pythian school. James C. Dahlman as "Plandner Glovefinger" gave a talk upon the rules for the school of life. "Plandner" did not forget to thank the women who supplied him with four bottles of Peruna when he was at "school." Johnnie P. "Johnny" Brown had only to appear in his natural way to create mirth and merriment. He forgot his piece and preferred to stay in fifteen pieces, rather than attempt to recite a piece so carefully memorized and so carefully forgotten. T. Boyd Dypert as "Rocky Pilday" recited his adaptation of "The Deacon and the Cat." This has been his specialty since the old school district days, and his fame has almost spread from sea to sea. L. A. Mangold as "Greenberry Anderson" and A. C. Heath as "Rosario Gladstone Buckingham" were very much admired for the grace with which they conducted themselves.

A large part of the success of the evening is due to the women, who assisted in the preparation and serving of the

NATIONAL HEAD OF THE MACCABEES IS COMING



D.P. Markey

With the Maccabees. Omaha tent No. 75, Maccabees have made special preparations to entertain the delegates and supreme state officers Monday and Tuesday when the state convention meets. There will be a smoker Monday evening. Tuesday noon a luncheon will be given at the Commercial club rooms and in the evening a large class initiation will be held, after which the members will be addressed by Dr. L. E. Sleser, supreme record keeper, and Colonel A. L. Lee, deputy supreme commander for Nebraska and Iowa. C. O. Lobeck will preside at the luncheon Tuesday at the Commercial club.

The dinner was given under the direction of Edward Arnold. The reception committee was composed of R. Brannon, T. Rowland, T. B. Dymart and Dr. Gladstone Derby.

Next Monday evening the rank of page will be conferred upon a large class. This degree will be conferred in the amplified form by the team from St. Albans lodge in Council Bluffs.

American Yeomen. The Brotherhood of American Yeomen, Omaha homestead No. 144, gave a card party last Wednesday evening. The prizes were hand-painted china and eight were awarded. At the last business meeting there were moving pictures shown by Captain Rackley. The pictures consisted of phases of interest in Omaha and scenes along the Panama canal. The business meeting adjourned prior to the showing of the pictures and many members of other lodges who were convening in other halls at the same time came in to enjoy the pictures.

Captain Rackley promises that he will have other scenes of interest in the near future.

Wednesday evening there will be initiation of the class, in which the women's drill team will participate.

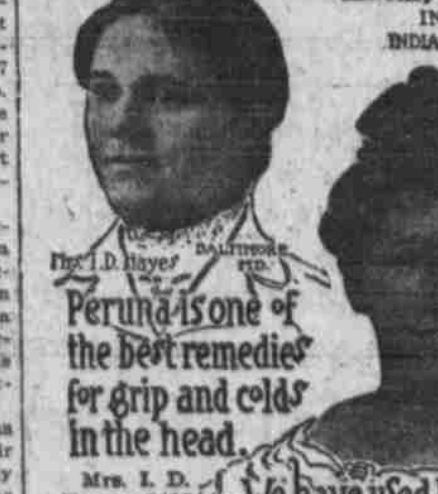
The funeral benefit fund which the benevolent is considering adopting is a topic of interest at the present time and the members generally seem to be in favor of it. It is expected that a large membership will be present at the coming meeting in order that the lodge may have the benefit of the ideas as to just what plan should be pursued.

Garfield Circle, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, will meet at the home of Mrs. C. Peters, 1306 South Twenty-eighth street, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. E. Haarmann, leader of the music department of the Omaha Woman's club, will be in charge of the program on "Parafal" that will be given Wednesday at 2:15 p. m. Mrs. A. R. Knodes will tell the story of the opera and will be followed by Mrs. Haarmann, who will make a brief talk. The musicians who will participate are Misses Madge West, Vivian West and Hazel Wilcox, Mesdames T. J. Mahoney and Charles Wright. Mrs. Henry Cox and Mrs. Haarmann will be the accompanists.

Tribute of Ben Hur. Mecca court, Tribe of Ben Hur, will hold an open meeting next Thursday evening for the members and their friends, entertaining in honor of one of the members. Dancing and refreshments.

Old Friends of Peruna



Peruna is one of the best remedies for grip and colds in the head. We have been greatly benefited by your wonderful medicine. We wish to express our thanks. We have used Peruna in the family for a number of years. A few doses relieve colds.

Mrs. Mary O. Miller, Chaplain of Patriotic Daughters of America, Indianapolis, Ind., writes: "I have found Peruna of especial benefit in cases of irregularity and weakness. It restores the strength in a very short time and is pleasant to take. Its action on the whole system is very mild, but sure. We have used it in the family for a number of years, and when any of us take a cold it is the first remedy we take, and a few doses will generally cure. If the cold has not been neglected. But the persistent use of Peruna will cure a cold of even long standing."

TRIP FOR CANADA IN ELKS' ROOMS

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toward the north, going to Cairo, Ill., where he found employment as a clerk in a store. Though but 18 years of age, next year he secured a position as traveling salesman for a Cairo wholesale house, following this line of work several months. It was not the kind of work that appealed to him and in 1896 he started north, landing in Nebraska City. He secured a job driving a team, but only continued at this for a few weeks. He heard that a railroad was being built in the vicinity of Omaha and here he came. He drove team, helped the surveyors, and being intelligent and possessed of good judgment, fitted in most any place where an active man was needed.

Graduating from a grading camp, Canada went to Nebraska City and there entered the employ of Ballentine & Sons, dealers in lumber, remaining a few years and securing an interest in the business, selling out when he was elected sheriff of Otoe county. Though a strong democrat and though the county was republican by a good sized majority, Canada was re-elected and declined the unanimous nomination for a third term.

More than thirty years ago the Union Pacific felt the need of a dare-devil sort of a fellow, one with a cool head, plenty of nerve and unflinching courage to take charge of its secret service department. The country along the line from central Nebraska west to Colorado was infested with numerous bands of robbers of every kind. They were made up of the outlaws and dregs of the worst of the cities of the east and of the outlaw sections of the south and west. Train robberies were frequent and time and again murders followed in their wake. They had the money to equip a force of bandit hunters, but they were unable to find a man who could successfully direct the movements of the force.

Edward Dickinson in the days when bandits and train robbers were most troublesome was selected as head of the Union Pacific. He had had scores of applications for the position of chief of the secret service, but none of the applicants quite filled the bill. One day William T. Canada, then a young man, visited the office and modestly told the general manager that he could do the job better than any other man in the state. Dickinson asked for specifications and by Canada was informed that the only way to stop train robbery was to kill the train robbers. The two men had a lengthy conference and later another, the result of which was that William T. Canada was appointed chief of the secret service department and given power that was so supreme that not even the president of the road questioned his acts.

Started Right in to Work. Canada did not sit down and wait for something to happen. He made it happen. Around him he gathered a band of tried and trusty plainmen, who were accustomed to hardships, men who did not know the meaning of the word fear and men who were dead shots with both shotgun, rifle and revolver. Then he secured the finest band of horses that money could buy. The horses he stationed at North Platte, Cheyenne and Rawlins. Stable men who were as expert with guns as the man hunters were, employed to care for the animals, and the understanding was that the animals were always ready to be saddled and bridled at a moment's notice.

The man hunters, who were in the employ of Canada, were stationed in squads, one squad at Omaha, one at North Platte, one at Cheyenne and another at Rawlins. Had it been during war times, they would have been known as minute men, for they were under orders to be ready to start for the front at a minute's notice.

Accepted First Deal. It was not long after the appointment of Canada that George Curry and his gang, better known as the Flat Nose George band, held up a train and secured several thousand dollars. This was a duty to Canada, who took it, and at once started after George. The members of the gang separated, but before Canada had done with the members, they were all killed or sent to the penitentiary.

Subsequently there was the Plum Creek robbery in central Nebraska. The bandits held up an express train, rolled the

safe out onto the prairie, broke it open and secured some \$40,000 of gold that was being shipped east from California. Canada put his man hunters on the trail and the outcome was that the robbers were all killed, but the gold was never found.

Later there were numerous train robberies along the line in Wyoming, organized bands working down out of the Jackson hole country and back again, the civil officers not daring to follow them. Canada soon stopped this, for after one of the robberies he followed the bandits to their stronghold, shooting several and arresting and sending the others to the penitentiary.

Bringing order out of chaos, Canada put a stop to train robbery along the lines of the Union Pacific, the last job being that when a train was robbed at the Lano Cut-off several years ago, Canada ran the culprits down and succeeded in landing them in the penitentiary.

After retirement on pension a few years ago, on account of past valuable and faithful services, Canada's duties were of a sort of an executive nature. He directed the men of the force, but did little of the hard work. However, no move of any importance in the conduct of the department was taken without his advice and approval of the plan.

Mr. Canada was past exalted ruler of lodge No. 29, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, a member of the International Association of Chiefs of Police and a member of the Railway Special Agents' Association of the United States and Canada. During the earlier days of his life he was active in politics, though he never applied to office after serving as sheriff of Otoe county.

Surviving Mr. Canada is his aged widow, one son and one daughter.

APPOMATTOX DAY TO BE OBSERVED

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We formed a new line to protect our position. The morning of April 3, finding that Lee had abandoned Petersburg and Richmond, we started in pursuit of his army. April 6 we fought the battle of Sailor's Creek, the last battle of any consequence of the war, and captured most of Ewell's troops. This put us in the rear of the army, so on April 7 we were the last corps of the army to come up.

About noon we camped for dinner and heard rumors from the front that Lee was about to surrender. While eating our dinner we saw General Meade and his staff coming down the road, Meade with his hat off and swinging it over his head. We knew from this that Lee had surrendered.

The artillery of our corps was parked across the road from us and immediately it commenced to fire a salute. The appearance of Meade under these circumstances was the occasion for great rejoicing throughout the ranks of soldiers, who had been fighting many days. We considered this event as the beginning of the end of the long struggle. Our corps proceeded to Burke's Junction, then to Danville, being discharged at Washington in June.

TO TURN STATE'S EVIDENCE

Sioux City Saloon Keeper Will Testify for Prosecution in Graft Case.

A PROMISE OF IMMUNITY

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Terre Haute Man Pleads Guilty. INDIANAPOLIS, April 3.—Fred Morrison, one of the twenty-eight defendants in the trial of the Terre Haute election fraud case in the federal court, asked today to be permitted to plead guilty. Judge Anderson ordered the change and instructed Morrison to return home and that he would be sent for when wanted. Morrison was a city employe and had served as election inspector. Government witnesses testified he operated the lever on the voting machine and went behind the machine with the voters. The defendant on the stand denied both charges.

BLACKHEADS AND PIMPLES ON FACE

Kept Getting Worse. Very Sore, Inflamed and Unsightly. Itched and Burned. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. In Short Time Well.

Route No. 2, Box 27, Frederic, Wis.—"About a year ago, pimples and blackheads broke out on my face and kept getting worse and worse. At first my face was covered with blackheads and in a short time small red spots appeared here and there which increased very rapidly. My face became very sore and inflamed. The eruptions were very unsightly and disfigured me badly. At times they itched and burned so I had to scratch them and after that they got still worse.

I used two different remedies but got no good results. I wrote for a free sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and that seemed to give good results so I bought three cakes of Cuticura Soap and a box of Cuticura Ointment. They stopped the burning at once, and in a short time I was entirely well, and all disfigurement was gone." (Signed) Gunder Friberg, November 6, '14. Beauty of skin and hair promoted and maintained by daily use of Cuticura Soap and Cuticura Ointment.

Sample Each Free by Mail. With 32-p. Skin Book on request. Address post-card "Cuticura, Dept. T, Boston." Sold throughout the world.

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From a complete new stock, excellent the assortments we have ever had, we have selected these specials for Monday. New patterns, in a wide variety, at prices greatly reduced. Bedroom and Kitchen Papers—Light and dark shades, with borders to match. Regular 5c grade; very special for Monday, 3c a roll. 1915 Bedroom Papers—With cutout borders. Chamber, floral, stripe and silver patterns. Worth to 25c. Monday, in two lots, a roll, 8c and 12c. New Gold Papers—Suitable for living room, library and reception halls. New shades of tan, brown, green, gray and putty. Worth to 20c. Special, 12c a roll. Plain and Plured Imported Oatmeal Papers—All this season's goods. 50 patterns to select from. Monday in two big lots, a roll 12 1/2c and 25c.

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DAVEY IS THE CHOICE FOR PONCA OFFICIAL

PONCA, Neb., April 2.—(Special.)—Homer Davey was the choice at the popular election for postmaster held here yesterday. Davey's majority over H. H. Millie was 174, with 200 votes cast. Congressman Stephens will immediately recommend Davey to the office.



Silk Dresses for Misses and Women

Monday offers an exceptional opportunity for making selections from styles that are different and above the average at prices that are positively minimum and considerably below the usual.

Charming afternoon dresses that will be appreciated for many occasions—the kind women call USEFUL. Silk poplins and crepe de chimes in sand, putty, Reseda, battleship gray, black and navy. Many new foulards in Polka Dot and black and white checks. Pongee—the coming dress material in the new black and white stripe combinations so much in demand.

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1516-18-20 FARNAM STREET.

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Already much interest is being manifested locally as to just what Akoz is. Mr. Mackenzie, the discoverer of the remarkable mineral, has the following to say regarding it: "Man's search for gold resulted in the discovery of this mineral which I believe is destined to bring far greater happiness to mankind than all the gold that has ever been produced. A prospector came upon a ledge in the Sierras that showed a trace of gold. Much to his surprise, after handling the ore as prospectors will, the rheumatism left his hands. Being a Harvard graduate, he sought the reason. He suspected the rock had worked the cure, but he was not convinced until he had also relieved ailments of his friends.

"In time I learned of the wonders of Akoz and personally had numerous tests of the mineral made. After three years of experimenting I felt certain that Akoz was destined to be a great boon to humanity and so I organized the Natura company of San Francisco, which is now putting the Akoz remedies on the market. It seems that the Indians were also aware of the curative powers of the rock in early days."

Beginning Tuesday morning the Akoz man will be on hand at Sherman & McConnell's, 16th and Dodge Sts., to give further information regarding this advertisement.

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