

SHRINERS TO HOLD CEREMONIAL

CEREMONIAL PROGRAM

ROSEBURG THANKSGIVING CEREMONIAL

Saturday, November 20, 1948
EARL T. NEWBRY, Illustrious Potentate
WILBUR C. HOLMES, General Chairman of the Ceremonial Committee
SAM J. STINEBAUGH, P. P., General Chairman, Membership Committee
Headquarters: Hotel Rose

11:00 a. m.—Registration of all candidates at Recorder's Desk at Hillah Temple Headquarters, Rose Hotel.
11:45 a. m.—Camel Herders Lunch, Umpqua Hotel.
12:30 p. m.—Camel Herders Initiation, Masonic Temple.
1:30 p. m.—Business Session Hillah Temple, Rose Hotel.
2:00 p. m.—Hospitality Hour, Roseburg Armory.
3:30 p. m.—Parade Forms, Roseburg Armory.
3:45 p. m.—Parade starts from Armory to Hillah Temple Headquarters at Rose Hotel.
4:30 p. m.—Busses and cars leave Rose Hotel immediately after parade for Dutch Mill where Banquet will be served.
5:00 p. m.—Hospitality and Band Concert at Dutch Mill.
5:30 p. m.—Bountiful Turkey banquet at Dutch Mill.
7:00 p. m.—Band Concert in Armory by Hillah Temple Band.
7:30 p. m.—Reception of Hillah Temple Divan, Past Potentates and Distinguished Guests; escorted by Hillah Patrol.
7:45 p. m.—Special drills by all Hillah Temple Uniform Units. Drills will be those used at Ben Ali Ceremonial, Sacramento, December 11, 1948.
8:15 p. m.—Presentation of Colors.
8:30 p. m.—First and Third Sections.
9:10 p. m.—Second Section.
10:15 p. m.—After Ceremonial Refreshments and Hospitality, Armory.
11:00 p. m.—Hospitality at Hillah Headquarters, Rose Hotel and Umpqua Hotel.

Principal Officers of Hillah (Shrine) Temple



Earl T. Newbry
Illustrious Potentate



A. R. Leavitt
High Priest and Prophet



L. C. Taylor
First Ceremonial Master



Oscar F. Kittredge
Chief Rabban



R. E. Detrick
Recorder



P. H. Stansbury
Second Ceremonial Master



H. H. Mayberry
Assistant Rabban



Noble John E. Blair
Orator

State Secretary Is Chief Officer Of Shrine Temple

Heading Hillah Temple officers in attendance at the Thanksgiving Ceremonial in Roseburg Saturday is Illustrious Potentate Earl T. Newbry, who will preside over the day's program.

In addition to holding the principal state office of the Shrine in Oregon, Newbry also stands high in the state's political family, as he was appointed Secretary of State following the death in an airplane crash of the late Robert Farrell, Jr. Newbry was given an overwhelming vote Nov. 2 for election to the office in which he now is serving.

Preceding his appointment to the high state office he had served for a number of years in the state legislature as senator from Jackson county.

As Secretary of State, Newbry has shown a ready grasp on the details of the office and has installed several new and improved services, including a program of local motor vehicle licensing stations which will greatly simplify the task of procuring annual automobile licenses and plates on the part of car owners.

In private life Newbry is an orchardist at Ashland.

Douglas Club Prepares Myrtlewood Souvenirs

Candidates, members of marching units, potentates and visiting dignitaries at Saturday's Shrine Ceremonial will receive beautiful Myrtlewood souvenirs of the Roseburg meeting. The Douglas County Shrine Club has purchased these gifts for distribution to special guests.

MEMBERSHIP GROWING
Approximately 150 candidates are expected to experience the "tender ministrations" of the Wrecking Crew Saturday night at the Roseburg Armory. The class will bring membership of Hillah Temple to approximately 2,000.



DRUM MAJOR—Robert M. Elder, above, drum major of Hillah Temple's colorful band, will head the musical unit in its ceremonial appearances in Roseburg Saturday. He also will lead the band when it attends the Ben Ali ceremonial in Sacramento.

Manufacturing Plants To Receive Inspection

Lumber and plywood mills in the Roseburg area probably will receive inspection Saturday morning, according to W. C. Holmes, general chairman in charge of arrangements for the Thanksgiving Ceremonial in Roseburg Saturday. Holmes reports that several delegations from Northern California as well as from various sections of Oregon have indicated a desire to inspect local timber industry plants.

Shriners to Enjoy Feast At Kennedy's Dutch Mill

Shriners attending the Ceremonial in Roseburg Saturday will feast on several dozen Douglas County turkeys. The committee in charge of the Ceremonial Banquet has arranged to feed more than 1,000 members and candidates at Kennedy's Dutch Mill at 5:30 p. m.

BAND DIRECTOR—Noble Edward C. Root, above is director of Hillah Temple Band, which will parade in Roseburg Saturday and appear in various concerts during the day. He is supervisor of instrumental music in Jackson County public schools.

Senator Cordon to Head Special Hospitality Group

U. S. Senator Guy Cordon of Roseburg, together with Circuit Judge Carl E. Wimberly, Roseburg, and Circuit Judge O. J. Millard, Grants Pass, will be members of a special hospitality committee at Saturday's Shrine Ceremonial. Senator Cordon and Judge Wimberly, together with Attorney A. N. Orcutt made their trip across the desert sands when Hillah Temple visited Roseburg in 1946.

Camel Herders to Feast And Hold Initiations

The Camel Herders, a special order within the Shrine, will be much in evidence at Saturday's ceremonial. Members will lunch at the Umpqua Hotel at 11:45 a. m. and will conduct their initiation ceremony at the Masonic Temple at 12:30 p. m.

Candidates Will Take Long Journey Over Desert Sands

More than 1000 Members In Jurisdiction of Hillah Temple Are Expected

With a large class of trembling candidates awaiting the long trek across hot and tortuous sands of the desert, under the guiding hand of an expert "recking" Crew, Hillah Temple officers, Nobles and Uniformed Units will gather in Roseburg Saturday for their Thanksgiving Ceremonial. More than 1000 Shriners from all parts of Oregon and Northern California are expected to be in attendance at the Roseburg Shrine. Candidates will be brought by the various clubs for the initiation ceremony, which will be one of the highlights of the program.

The Roseburg celebration is the first of its kind to be staged by the Temple in paying honor to its Uniformed Units. One of the features of the program will be the massing of all units on the floor of the Roseburg Armory.

The program will be under the supervision of Illustrious Potentate Earl T. Newbry. Local arrangements are headed by more than a score of committees under the general chairmanship of W. C. Holmes.

Participating will be the Patrol, Drum Corps, Band, Wrecking Crew and Camel Herders.

Registration headquarters are to be located in the Rose hotel.

Reservations have been made in hotels, camp grounds, and private homes for more than 500 Shriners. It is reported, while an equal number of members is expected from neighboring towns. The latter visitors will return home following the Ceremonial and will not remain overnight.

The banquet will be held at Kennedy's Dutch Mill.

Ceremonial work and initiation will be conducted at the Armory. In addition to customary street antics, the general public will witness a parade from the Armory to the Rose hotel at 3:45 p. m. Saturday.

Movies to be Provided For Hospital Patients

A special program whereby motion pictures will be provided to entertain children in Shriners hospitals has been inaugurated by Imperial Potentate Charles Galloway Calhoun. Cooperation is being given by the motion picture industry. Members of the directing committee include: Harold Lloyd, Clark Gable, Joe E. Brown, Dick Powell, Victor MacLaglen, Bud Abbott, Red Skelton, Gene Autry, Warner Baxter, Eddie Cantor, Hoot Gibson, Monte Blue, Lyle Talbot, Al Jolson, Raymond Hatton, Cecil B. DeMille, Louis B. Mayer, Jack Warner, Darryl Zanuck, Cliff Work, Mervyn Leroy and Scotty Dunlop.

City Officials Extend Welcome to Shriners

The City of Roseburg has officially extended its welcome to visiting Shriners, attending the Thanksgiving Ceremonial Saturday, through letters by Mayor Al Flegel, City Manager Matt Slankard and Chief of Police C. H. Baird. Roy Bellows, secretary of the Douglas County Shrine Club, also has extended formal welcome from the host club, together with a few hints concerning Oasis hospitality.

FEAST PREPARED

Thirty-two of Douglas County's largest tom turkeys have been ordered for the Shrine banquet Saturday evening at Kennedy's Dutch Mill. In addition, the banquet committee has ordered 200 pumpkin pies to feed the 1000 or more members expected to be in attendance.

VISITORS EXPECTED

Among visitors to Saturday's Shrine program in Roseburg will be delegations from Al Kader Temple, Portland; Aahmes Temple, Oakland, Calif.; and Ben Ali Temple, Sacramento.

CEREMONIAL LEADERS—Pictured above are some of the key figures in charge of arrangements for Hillah Temple's Uniform Unit Ceremonial to be held in Roseburg Saturday. Top left: Bill Holmes, general chairman, and right: Bill Oerding, assistant general chairman. Center left: Past Potentate Sam J. Stinebaugh, director of Temple membership and activities of Uniform Units. Right center: Ceremonial Director E. C. "Jerry" Jerome, a past potentate of Hillah Temple. Lower left: Noble Bruce Elliott, active in organization of Uniform Units' role in ceremonial. Lower right: Past Potentate Paul B. Rynning, assistant ceremonial director.

Hillah Units Going to Sacramento For Homecoming Ceremonial, Dec. 11

Hillah Divan and approximately 175 uniformed units of the Temple will go to Sacramento to attend the Homecoming celebration of Ben Ali Temple Dec. 11.

Oregon Shriners will leave Grants Pass by special train at 6 a. m. on the date of Friday, Dec. 10. Members north and west of Grants Pass are to board the train at that city. Stops will be made at Medford and Ashland to pick up Nobles and Uniformed Units, while two coaches from the Klamath area will be switched to the Hillah Special at Dunsmuir. The return trip will be made Dec. 12.

All Nobles are invited by Temple officers to make the trip, which is in appreciation of Ben Ali Temple's participation in the Spring Ceremonial by Hillah Temple at Medford. The Sacramento Ceremonial is expected to be one of the largest and best of the year.

Roy Bellows is in charge of transportation ticket sales for the Roseburg area.

These Nobles Head Committees For Hillah's Roseburg Ceremonial



Noble Bill Evans
Chairman Housing Committee



Noble Otto Harrah
Chairman Hospitality Committee



Noble Roy Bellows
Chairman Parade Committee



Noble Robert W. Bellows
Chairman Publicity Committee



Noble Earl Bielo
Chairman Banquet Committee



Noble Dallen Jones
Chairman Camel Herders



Noble Robert Gile
Chairman Potentates Breakfast



Noble Frank Burr
Chairman Candidates Committee