

# UNION-WALLOWA COUNTIES K. OF P. PLAN FOR BIG SHOWING AT CONVENTION

With the supreme convention of Knights of Pythias which meets at Portland, but a few weeks away, La Grande, Union, Elgin, Wallowa and Enterprise lodges of that order are fast rounding up details looking toward the most pretentious showing of any section of the Northwest outside of Portland at the big show early in August. That a band consisting of La Grande, Elgin, Union and Enterprise musicians who are Knights will be sent down to Portland, and that a special train will be provided with all the luxury that the O.-W. can muster for Eastern Oregon Knights, is now almost an assured fact. In the big parade in Portland, each lodge from this district will have marching clubs, carrying banners advertising this district—Union and Wallowa counties—and the band of some 20 pieces, will be its head.

### Union Woman Presides.

La Grande and Union county has special interest in the Pythian supreme convention which meets at the same time. Mrs. Marian Davis of Union is the supreme officer of the world for Pythian sisters, and she will preside at that convention which meets at the same time the Knights do.

### Some of the High Spots.

Some of the things that will be enjoyed by Knights who go to Portland, Oregon, August 1 to 10, when the

Supreme Lodge of the order holds its biennial session will be:

- A trip over the famous Columbia river highway.
- A trip through the Columbia gorge by boat.
- A salmon dinner out of doors.
- A clam bake on the ocean beach.
- The Supreme Chancellor's ball.
- A night at The Oaks, with pyrotechnic display.
- A council fire on Council Crest.
- The greatest fraternal parade ever made by one fraternity on the Pacific coast.

Two public receptions. Surf bathing at the beach. And auto trips through the most magnificent scenery in America.

Portland is sparing no expense to make this the most memorable session in the history of the Order of Knights of Pythias. It is the first time the highest division of the fraternity has ever come to the Northwest, and it is the time of all times for all sections of the district to make an impression that will produce development later.

### Press Club Keeps Open.

As indicating the character of hospitality that is to be on tap in Oregon during the time of the conventions of the Supreme Lodge and the Supreme Temple the Portland Press club has sent out word that it will keep open house for all visiting Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters between August 1 and 10. Its writing rooms, its library and the conveniences of a large assembly room are to be at the command of individual members, or committees.

The Press club never closes its rooms at Portland. Its members are mostly newspaper men, a portion of whom work at night, and it is a rule that their club home shall be open at all times to receive the weary news gatherer.

As a social organization it occupies a unique place in the city. Its "high jinks" are always attended by hundreds of the most prominent men of the state of Oregon. Just recently the club had the 136 candidates for county offices at Portland on the carpet and grilled them without mercy. When the Supreme Representatives arrive in Portland it is probable that the Press club will have something arranged by which the common, ordinary, subordinate lodge man can see the starch taken out of their dignity.

### New Features in Parade.

The parade committee is positive that they will pull off an unusually interesting stunt when the pageant starts down the street. The program committee is constantly adding new features to the list of daily events, so that every person in attendance will have something to look forward to, even though they are not members of the Supreme Lodge. In this respect Portland hopes to exceed any other city where these bodies have met.

### Mussels at Sea Dinner.

A section of the big sea food dinner at Seaside will be devoted to mussels. They grow nowhere else as they do at Seaside and are a distinct delicacy. In fact the Knights at Astoria are herding and feeding oysters, clams, mussels and salmon to get them into prime condition for the big frolic on the beach.

### Distinguished Speaker Coming.

On the night of August 2 Walter B. Ritchie of Lima, Ohio, will deliver his famous address on "Friendship" at Portland, Oregon.

Mr. Ritchie is coming to Portland for the express purpose of speaking his wonderful message of cheer to the Knights of the West and Northwest, and the largest auditorium in Portland has been engaged for the accommodation of the crowd that is expected.

It is a lecture that has been dedicated to the work of the order of Knights of Pythias, and its author has refused big money to place it on the Chautauqua circuits. No admission charge will be made to hear it.

### Get Tickets to Seaside.

Here is some special advice: First they should purchase railroad tickets to Seaside, Oregon, when the great clam bake is to be held August 5 and 6. Remembering that point will save each visitor \$3.00.

Second, every visitor should put a bathing suit in his or her grip sack. It will be wanted when the 30,000 people who gather at the beach takes a unanimous plunge into the Pacific Ocean.

"There has been no change in the styles of clams and crabs that will be used at the big feed on the beach," said Chairman Gus Moser, "but in bathing suits Dame Fashion has been setting a fast pace. That fact suggests the two reasons why visitors should bring such a garment along.

"It will not take much room in the grip, and the wearer can secure the style that is approved by his or her own conscience."

### Pythians Entertaining Too.

Portland Pythians are preparing to give their visitors the greatest line of entertainment that has ever been experienced by the representatives to the Supreme Lodge, and it will be just as enjoyable for the lay member of the fraternity.

Portland invites every member of the order in the West and Northwest to bring his family to "The Rose City" and spend the summer midst the joys of nature.

Portland, Oregon, is getting ready to "doll up" again. Portland will be decorated from the water front to the hills in red, yellow and blue, not the least portion of which will consist of flowers. Portland has 500 miles of rose hedges from which to cull her decorations, and which are at the disposal of visitors. Portland women even supply their visitors with gloves and shears, as well as the rose bushes to work from.

It is expected that 25,000 Knights of Pythias will attend the convention. The large portion of visitors will be subordinate lodge members who will be taking their vacations from business. For the entire crowd an elaborate entertainment has been prepared.

Special trains will begin arriving in Portland about July 30. These will be carrying Eastern people. Other sections of the Northwest will arrive by special trains in the following two days. Headquarters for the officers of the Supreme Lodge will be at the Hotel Portland, while sessions of that body will be held in the Masonic Temple. The great State Armory, where 1000 men march and counter-march in comfort, will be the scene of the public receptions.

Special committees will meet all trains and secure hotel accommodations for all visitors.

Auto owners are being urged to drive through to Portland. The trip will be delightful, and the machine will be handy in making trips over the wonderful scenic boulevards which Portland has just completed.

### A Bad Strain

"Several horses belonging to A. S. McKinney, Girard liveryman, were stricken the other day with a strange melody." From the Warren Chronicle.

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