PORTLAND OASIS OF SHRINER CARAVANS

More Than 500 Nobles Cross Burning Sand to Participate in Auditorium Ceremonies.

NILE PATROL NUMBERS 125

Imperial Potentate Ovenshire Duly Impressed by Multnomah Falls and Columbia River Highway. Dinner at Multnomah Hotel.

With Portland as the oasis toward which all caravans turn, more than 500 nobles of the Mystic Shrine have crossed the burning sands to participate in the semi-annual ceremonials which will be held in high state at the Auditorium today.

From all points of the Northwest came the caravans yesterday, bringing delegations and candidates to the ceremonial center. Last night the Nile patrol, of Seattle, with its renowned all-star band, wafted into the city—125 nobles in all. British Columbia sent half a dozen, and Tacoma a delegation of more than a score. Pendleton and The Dalles are represented by delegates and candidates.

Columbia Highway Visited.

In a tour of the Columbia Highway, conducted by Mayor Baker and others of the reception and entertainment committee, Charles E. Ovenshire, imperial potentate of the Mystic Shrine, accompanied by Mrs. Ovenshire, saw Multnomah Falls plunge in thunderous spray yesterday afternoon, looked down at the tireless Columbia from lofty Crown Point, and spent an hour at the trout and salmon kindergarten at Bonneville.

"The Highway is foremost among all scenic drives," said the imperial potentate upon his return. "I am surprised that its fame is not more widely known throughout the East. We had heard of it, but in a hazy way. Then Judge Stapleton, on a recent visit to Minneapolis, gave me one of the fine booklets that describe its beauties, and I heartily desired to inspect it at close range. It is wonderful."

High Office Interferes With Business.

Before the honor of his high office came to him, Mr. Ovenshire devoted his time to managing a large industrial enterprise, of which he is the owner, in Minneapolis. Since that day, he laughingly asserts, he has been in touch with business only at long distance, having visited 30 states in pursuit of the duties of his office.

"Back in Minneapolis," said Mr. Ovenshire, "we have a high regard for Portland. It is the general impression that Portland is a solid, substantial city, not at all of the 'boom' order, that is forging ahead on its own merits, in steady, permanent growth.

"I cannot but be enthusiastic over the prospects for Portland and other Pacific Coast cities. Your resources and opportunities are so manifest that the future is enticingly rosy. Take your shipbuilding industry, for instance. Though it sprang into being at the behest of war, I do not believe that it will cease when peace returns. It is destined to continue, adding immeasurably to the permanency of Portland's prosperity."

Fuel Order Not Opposed.

Then the imperial potentate talked Minneapolis for a spell. He expatiated on the manifold advantages of the lustiest twin of the celebrated Minnesota children, of its desirability as a place of residence, and, above all, of its sane and constructive loyalty under the test of war. He spoke of the conservation order of the Federal Fuel Administration, which struck Minneapolis full force.

"My factory is shut down, as are all others," said Mr. Ovenshire, "but I am content with the order. We could not let those ships lie idle at tidewater with their bunkers empty of coal when our boys across the ocean needed the things we promised to send them. I am confident that, so far as Minneapolis is concerned, the fuel order is met with just this sentiment."

Al Kader Temple will hold its business session at the Auditorium this morning at 10:30 o'clock, while the actual ceremonials will begin at 3 o'clock in the Auditorium. At night the final ceremonial will be held.

Spectacle to Be Impressive.

No more brilliant or impressive spectacle has ever been held in the history of Portland, say the initiate, than will be the ritual of the Mystic Shrine, staged in a setting of special scenery and with many candidates from all sections of Oregon.

Following the afternoon ceremonials a dinner, for which 1400 covers will be laid, will be given at the Multnomah Hotel, employing four dining-rooms and as many toastmasters. The toastmasters will be George L. Baker, George W. Stapleton, William Davis and E. V. Littlefield.

The drum-major of Nile Temple's band, of Seattle, is none other than William G. McGuire, born and reared in Portland, a former business man of this city, who now is engaged in the real estate business at Seattle. The Nile Temple band, which i s the guest of Al Kader Temple, gave a concert in the lobby of the Multnomah upon its arrival last night.

SOLDIER HELD FOR THEFT

Cavalryman Accused of Taking Gem From Officer's Victim.

CAMP FUNSTON, Kan., Jan. 20.—A cavalryman was arrested here last night by Army officials in connection with the theft of a diamond ring from the hand of John W. Jewell, one of the men killed by Captain Lewis Whisler when the Army bank was robbed by him here. Fellow soldiers told intelligence officers that they saw the man wearing a diamond ring shortly after Jewell's body had been taken to the morgue.

The prisoner denied knowledge of the ring. He is being held in the guardhouse pending further investigation.

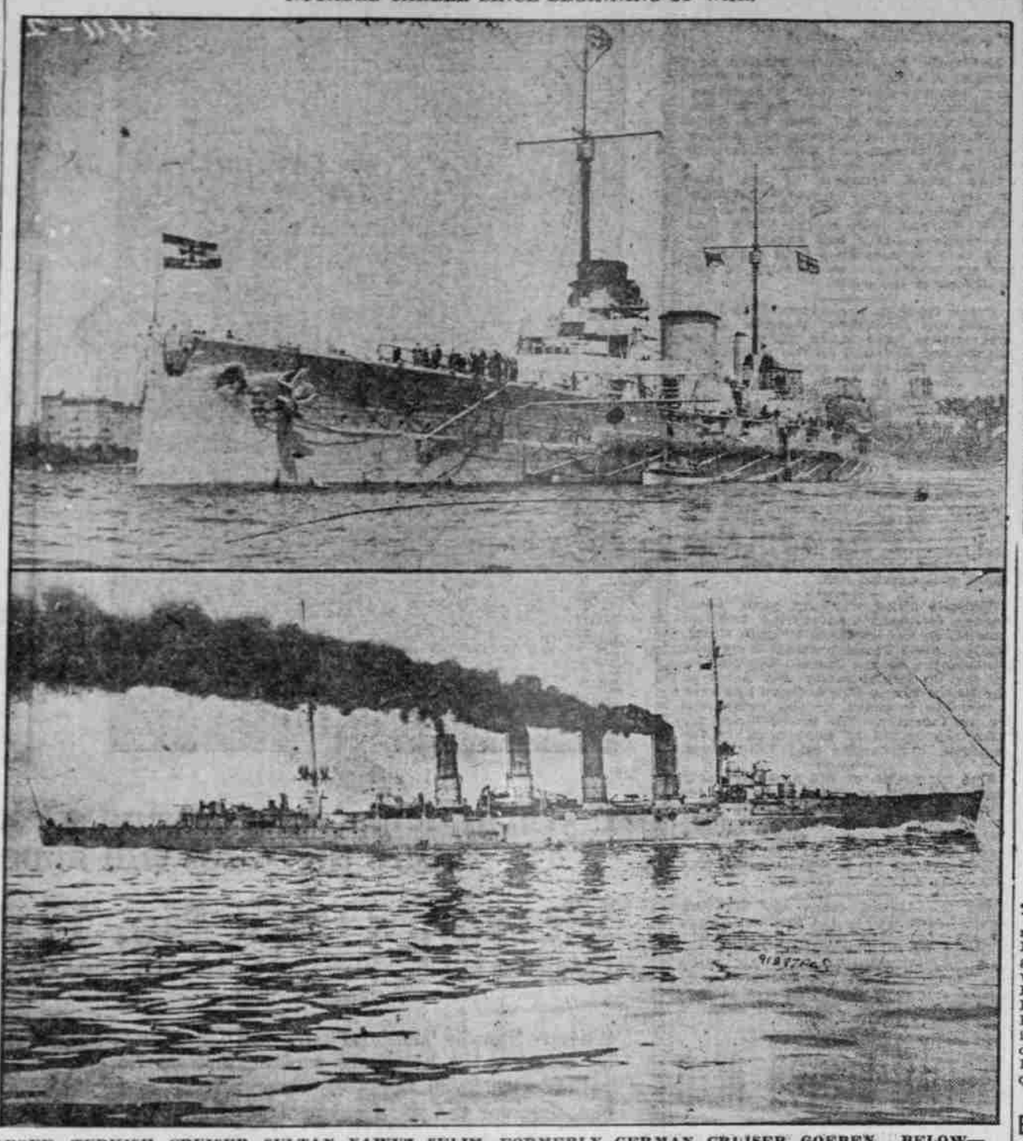
Timberman Visits West.

KELSO, Wash., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—E. S. Collins, head of the Ostrander Railway & Timber Company and the Silver Lake Railway & Lumber Company, is at his old home in Ostrander attending to business matters in connection with his Northwest interests. Mr. Collins resides in Pennsylvania, where he has extensive interests.

Nebraska Aggie Judges Best.

DENVER, Jan. 20.—The team representing the Nebraska State College of Agriculture carried off the first prize in cattle judging Saturday in the opening event of the 1918 National West Stock Show, which will continue for the next week.

REDOUBTABLE FORMER GERMAN CRUISERS WHICH MET DESTRUCTION IN THRILLING NAVAL ACTION AT ENTRANCE TO DARDANELLES WITH BRITISH WARSHIPS, AFTER A NOTABLE CAREER SINCE BEGINNING OF WAR.



ABOVE—TURKISH CRUISER SULTAN YAWUZ SELIM, FORMERLY GERMAN CRUISER GOEBEN. BELOW—TURKISH CRUISER MIDULLU, FORMERLY GERMAN CRUISER BRESLAU.

2 TURK BOATS SUNK

Former German Cruisers Goeben and Breslau Lost.

BRITISH GUNS SPELL DOOM

At Outbreak of War Vessels Get Fame by Battling With and Eluding Pursuing Fleets—Raids in Black Sea Frequent.

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and seek between them and the Russians would go on again until another battle took place, the Turks in the meantime always having been successful in sinking numerous cargo boats, ranging from the smallest fishing craft to good-sized steamers.

Constantinople Is Protected.

The two Turkish vessels also have formed a strong protection for Constantinople from British submarine attacks. Several times British undersea boats penetrated the Dardanelles and Sea of Marmosa to Constantinople, but were unable to bombard the city because of the protection given by the ex-German cruisers.

The latest account of the Sultan Yawuz Selim was in July of last year, when the British Admiralty reported that British airmen had dropped bombs on the vessel during an air attack on the Turkish fleet off Constantinople in the Golden Horn. Direct hits were observed on the Sultan Yawuz Selim and other vessels, aboard which explosions occurred and fires broke out.

The Admiralty report said the former German cruiser was the center of the attack and that it was safe to presume she would be out of action for several months as a result of her injuries. The prediction proved true, as the Sultan Yawuz Selim since then has not been mentioned in any of the reports as being engaged.

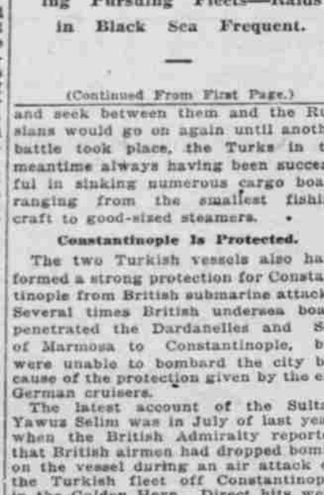
The last account of the Midullu was in June, 1917, when the Turkish War Office reported that vessel in a successful engagement, together with other Turkish units, in the Black Sea against Russian land positions and small war craft.

Allied Commanders Criticised.

Considerable criticism of British and French naval commanders has at times been expressed over their failure to prevent the Goeben and Breslau from getting through the Straits of Messina at the outbreak of the war and reaching a port of safety in Turkey.

The Sultan Yawuz Selim, or Goeben, was a sister ship of the German cruiser Moltke and was launched in 1911 at a cost of £2,200,000. She was of 23,000 tons displacement and ordinarily carried a complement of 1167 men. She was 610 feet long and carried ten 11-inch guns, 12 6-inch guns and a large number of smaller guns.

The Middulu, formerly the Breslau, displaced 4550 tons and carried 370 men. She was 446 feet over all and had a speed of 30 knots. The Breslau was launched in April, 1912, and carried 12 4.1-inch guns.



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RED CROSS NOW READY

AMERICAN SOLDIERS IN FRANCE WILL BE WELL CARED FOR.

If Present Plans Are Carried Out, $35,000,000 Will Have Been Expended in France by May 1.

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Jan. 20.—Extraordinary work accomplished by the American Red Cross in Europe, particularly in France, was described by Major Grayson M. P. Murphy, former directing head of the organization abroad, on his arrival here today. He declared that American soldiers in France will lack nothing when the real fighting begins.

"We have erected a line of warehouses back of the front that our boys will take over," he said, "and they are stocked with a tremendous amount of supplies; foods, blankets, beds, tents and all kinds of hospital supplies. We have transportation facilities, so we can deliver wherever needed. We won't be caught napping when our boys get into the fight."

Major Murphy, who is a West Point graduate, will soon return to France to join General Pershing's staff. He will be succeeded in Red Cross work by Major James H. Perkins, now in Europe.

From a contingent of 17 men which arrived in France with five automobiles, the Red Cross force has grown to 2500 workers, with 500 motor ambulances in France and 200 in Italy, Major Murphy said.

Every form of helpful work was embraced in the organization's activities, he declared.

If present plans are carried out, he said, by May 1 the Red Cross will have expended $35,000,000 in France.

He declared he had never seen one American soldier in France under the influence of liquor, their reputation for good behavior being high among the French people.

WOMEN'S AID ENLISTED

LEAGUE TO ENFORCE PEACE ADMITS FAIR SEX TO MEMBERSHIP.

Campaign to Be Conducted to Guard Against Premature Peace—Dr. Anna Shaw Heads List.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—Names of the first women admitted to membership in the executive committee of the League to Enforce Peace were announced today after a meeting of the committee on management of that organization.

They are:

Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, chairman of the women's committee of the Council of National Defense, and honorary president of the National Woman Suffrage Association.

Mrs. Perry Moore, president of the National Council of Women and honorary president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. J. Thomas Preston, of Princeton (formerly Mrs. Grover Cleveland).

Miss M. Carey Thomas, president of Bryn Mawr College.

The league announced that these women were added to its governing board in pursuance of a recent determination to conduct a campaign among the women of the country, first, to strengthen opposition to a premature peace; and, second, to promote the formation, after the war, of a league of nations.

DRY HOPES BRIGHTER

Governors' Replies Do Not Indicate Special Sessions.

OREGON'S EXECUTIVE SURE

Colorado and Nevada Promise to Ratify National Amendment When Legislatures Meet — Governor Lowden's Message Is Curt.

CHICAGO, Jan. 20.—Virgil G. Hinshaw, chairman of the Prohibition National Committee, who recently wrote to the Governor of every state urging special sessions of the Legislatures to ratify the prohibition amendment to the Federal Constitution, today made public the following replies:

Governor Withycombe, of Oregon, wrote:

"I have no hesitancy in saying that the state of Oregon will undoubtedly support prohibition at the time this matter is considered at the next meeting of the Legislature, one year from the present date."

Julius C. Gunter, Governor of Colorado, wrote:

"The next regular session of the Colorado Legislature will convene in less than one year. I have not the slightest doubt but that it will ratify the amendment. I shall so strongly recommend." He added that if it were necessary to call a special session he would include the ratification in the call.

Emmet D. Boyle, Governor of Nevada, wrote:

"I am confident that when the representatives are elected in November of this year in a campaign in which the issue will be fairly presented, we will be able to ratify the amendment with the next Legislature."

Frank O. Lowden, Governor of Illinois, wrote:

"Your letter will have my best consideration."

Keith Neville, of Nebraska, wrote:

"I shall, in my message to the Legislature in 1919 present the matter for action."

Governor W. P. Hobby, of Texas, wrote that the calling of a special session was now under consideration and that if called "this question could perhaps be considered without further authority."

Canby Rebekahs Elect.

CANBY, Or., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—The following officers of Kirk Rebekah Lodge, No. 134, I. O. O. F., have been installed by Elizabeth White, acting district deputy president: Tillie Slyter, N. G.; Alice Bendshadler, V. G.; Harriet Bowlsby, recording secretary; Ida Knight, financial secretary; Hazel Vingard, treasurer; Louise Gastrock, warden; Mattie Bowlsby, conductress; Ella Kocher, chaplain; Elizabeth White, R. S. N. G.; John Eld, L. S. N. G.; Blanche Eccles, R. S. V. G.; Mary Hamilton, L. S. V. G.; Bertha Hurst, guardian; Ralph Swanley, outside guardian. Installation was followed by a banquet.

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Why not learn more about this rapidly growing and natural practice? The "J. B. L. Cascade" is produced by Chas. A. Tyrrell, M. D., of New York, who is a specialist on internal baths, and it is now being shown and explained by Woodard, Clarke & Co., Portland, Or., who will give you—free on request—an interesting booklet on the subject called "Why Man of Today Is Only 50% Efficient."—Adv.

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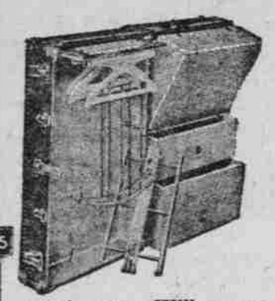

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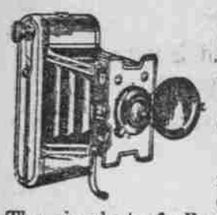

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ALL ARE TO BE CLASSIFIED

Psychological Examinations to Find Caliber of Men Expected to Aid Commanders in Placing of Soldiers to Advantage.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Application of the new psychological test to all enlisted men and newly appointed officers of the Army has been ordered by the War Department to aid in the task of weeding out the mentally unfit and classifying officers and men for special service or promotion. It was announced today that the chief of staff had approved the recommendation of the plan by Surgeon-General Gorgas and that it would be carried out at once.

Special buildings will be provided at each of the 31 divisional training camps for the psychology experts.

The plan is the outgrowth of psychological examinations conducted at Camps Lee and Devens, where 80,000 men and 5000 officers were subjected to tests devised by Major Yerkes, of the Medical Corps, to determine their military suitability. Summarizing the results, the Department announcement says:

"Approximately 2 per cent of the drafted men, as they appear in the camp, are so seriously defective in mental development that they are either menaces or nuisances in military organization.

"The intelligence ratings of the men supplied to company commanders greatly assist the latter in properly placing and effectually using men."

Correspondent Dies in London.

LONDON, Jan. 20.—Louis Herbert Moore, general manager of the American Press Telegram Company and London correspondent of the Washington Star, died Saturday. He was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., November 1, 1860.

BLUEJACKETS ARE PRAISED

Secretary Daniels Commends Action of Armenia's Men.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 20.—Secretary Daniels announced tonight that he had commended for devotion to duty Chief Boatswain's Mate Stief Homiak and his men of the armed naval guard aboard the American steamer Armenia, which was torpedoed early in December but was taken safely to port, the naval personnel aiding materially in saving the ship.

The bluejackets stood fast at their guns after the explosion.

Hawaiian Sweet Spuds Barred.

HONOLULU, T. H., Jan. 20.—(Special.)—No more Hawaiian sweet potatoes for mainland consumption. Notice that a Federal quarantine against sweet potatoes from Hawaii into the United States had been placed has been received from D. F. Houston, Secretary of Agriculture.

Germans Sent to Internment Camp.

NEW YORK, Jan. 20.—A group of Germans from New York, Boston, Providence, Rochester, Scranton and Hartford, many of them classed as dangerous enemy aliens, left here yesterday under heavy guard of United States soldiers for the internment camp at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

La Grande Man Victim.

OTTAWA, Jan. 20.—The following names of Americans appear in tonight's casualty list: Wounded, P. Jeffries and D. McKenzie, both of Seattle, Wash.; wounded and missing, C. D. Fitzgerald, La Grande, Or.

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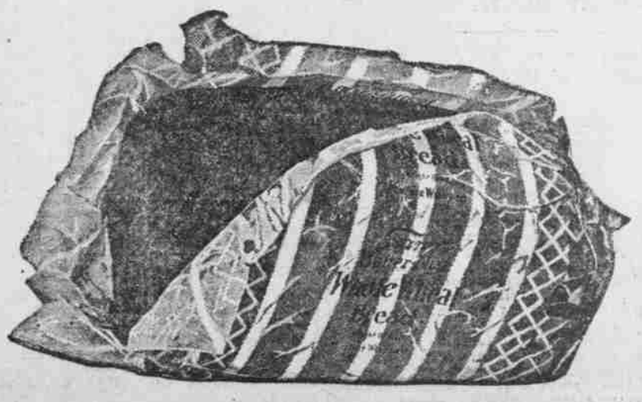
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