

TEMPLARS MEET IN ENCAMPMENT

Thirtieth Triennial Conclave of Knights Convenes at Saratoga Springs.

MANY COMMANDERIES TARDY IN ARRIVING

Hundred Thousand Visitors in City—Tomorrow Is Day of Grand Parade, Which Will Be Reviewed by Governor and Supreme Officers.

(Journal Special Service.) Saratoga, N. Y., July 8.—Special and regular trains arriving at short intervals poured thousands of Knights Templar into Saratoga today to attend the thirtieth triennial conclave of the grand encampment. Every section of the country is represented by the arrivals and from present indications the south and far west will be especially well represented at the conclave. Many of the visiting bodies have brought their own bands and drum corps with them, and the scenes at the stations and hotels are those of gayety and pleasing confusion. Delegates are noticeably absent, the delegations arriving in complete numbers in nearly every instance.

Large number of commanderies were several hours late, but they seemed to come in as fast as the tracks could be cleared to make room for them. Early in the morning the streets and public places about town took on a crowded appearance, and everywhere were men wearing straight-cut black coats adorned with metallic insignia and women wearing ribbons and badges of various colors. Scenes of unusual activity were presented in the corridors of the big hotels.

Hundred Thousand Visitors. Great as the capacity of Saratoga for entertaining crowds, all accommodations will doubtless be taxed during the remainder of this week. It is estimated that at least 100,000 visitors will be here before tomorrow morning. Every possible provision has been made for their comfort and entertainment. Many of the delegations that arrived in special cars will continue to occupy the cars as sleeping quarters during their stay. Two of the largest churches have been converted into restaurants to help those who have taken nearby lodgings. Another temporary cafe, capable of feeding 5,000 at one time has been provided.

The encampment program will be ushered in tonight with a reception in honor of Grand Master Moulton and the grand encampment by the grand commandery of New York. Tomorrow will be the day of the great parade. Eleven divisions will constitute the great procession that is to be reviewed by Governor Hughes and other invited guests. The first division will be the officers of the grand encampment and notable visitors, among the latter being Earl of Euston, the supreme grand master of the grand priory of England and Wales, as well as the special representative of King Edward.

Drill at Saratoga Track. The Knights Templar exhibition drill at the famous Saratoga racetrack Wednesday morning is expected to be the best ever given, and next to the parade of tomorrow is the great feature of the triennial conclave. In Convention hall Wednesday night four electric football games will be played between the competitive drills. Thursday will be especially for fraternal visits and the progressive ball is scheduled for the same evening. To open in the Grand Union and United States hotels, Congress hall and Convention hall, simultaneously, by an exhibition drill. These are the first of greater conspicuous events on the week's program as scores of others have been provided, including many band concerts, excursions, constant entertainments in hotels and continuous outdoor vaudeville in the parks.

JAPANESE OFFICERS COMING TO AMERICA

(Journal Special Service.) New York, July 8.—A distinguished party of Japanese naval officers who have been studying the European dockyards, shipyards and other establishments for the production of warship material, are among the passengers to reach New York today on the steamship Carmania. The party is headed by Admiral Baron Yamamoto of the imperial Japanese navy, ex-minister of marine, and includes others are members of his official staff. The party will be in the United States about one month, during which time they will be shown every consideration by the government. Tomorrow they will be received by the president at Oyster Bay and the next day will be guests of the Japan society at luncheon at the Hotel Astor. A visit will be paid to the Jamestown exposition before starting across the continent.

ENGINEERS ASSEMBLE AT CITY OF MEXICO

(Journal Special Service.) City of Mexico, July 8.—Nearly 200 members of the American society of Civil Engineers are gathered here for the society's thirty-ninth annual meeting. They come from all sections of the United States, Canada and Mexico. The meeting will continue about 10 days, the sessions being held in the School of Mines in the city. A program of unusual interest has been prepared, and the speakers will be among the most noted civil engineers of the world.

CATHOLIC EDUCATORS MEET AT MILWAUKEE

(Journal Special Service.) Milwaukee, Wis., July 8.—Many of the most eminent Catholic prelates and educators of the country are in Milwaukee to attend the meeting of the Catholic Educational association of the United States, which will be in session here during the next few days. Prominent among those who are to take part are Archbishop Quayle of Chicago, Archbishop Farley of New York, Archbishop Glennon of St. Louis, and Rt. Rev. Monsignor D. J. O'Connell, president of the Catholic university at Washington, D. C.

ADMIRAL BROWNSON RETIRES AFTER FORTY YEARS IN NAVY

(Journal Special Service.) Washington, July 8.—After being in active service since civil war days, Rear-Admiral Willard H. Brownson, at present in charge of the bureau of navigation at the navy department, reached the age for statutory retirement today. Admiral Brownson is one of the most popular officers of the navy and in his long career he has been the central figure in a number of stirring adventures. One of these occurred in 1893, when Rear-Admiral de Mello, of Brazil, with a small fleet, consisting of one ironclad cruiser, two torpedo boats and several merchant vessels, seized the harbor of Rio Janeiro. No vessels could pass in or reach the piers in the harbor, and much distress was occasioned. A small fleet of American warships was in the neighborhood. Among them the Detroit, in command of Admiral Brownson, then a commander. An American merchantman was also there with a cargo to discharge, but was prevented from landing

by Mello's fleet. Her captain appealed to the commander in command of the American warships with the result that the Detroit was detailed to act as an escort to the American vessel and to see that her captain had an opportunity to discharge her cargo. Clearing decks for action and with every man at his post, Commander Brownson sent word to Admiral de Mello of what he intended to do, and then gave the command that sent the Detroit and the smaller vessel on their perilous way. Through a lane formed by the Mello navy they sailed. Some gunner of the Brazilian fleet fired a shot at the merchantman, and before the smoke had cleared away one of the big guns of the Detroit belched forth. Brownson shouted from the bridge to the Brazilian admiral that if another shot was fired he would deliver a broadside. This had the effect of alarming the Brazilians and the vessel discharged her cargo in peace and retired in good order.

CANADA SEEKING JAP IMMIGRANTS

Twenty-Five Dollar a Head Tax Against Mikado's Subjects to Be Taken Off.

(Journal Special Service.) Ottawa, Ont., July 8.—The \$25 per head tax which the British Columbia legislature is putting on all Japanese entering British Columbia will not remain in force long. The Dominion government will veto or disallow it, as on former occasions, for four reasons. First, a head tax imposition can only be by statute, and at present Chinese are the only people so discriminated against. Second, this cannot be done according to terms of the British-Japanese treaty. Third, many of the Japanese coming from Honolulu to Canada are already United States citizens and consequently free to enter Canada. Fourth, grand trunk Pacific officials need Japanese to rush work on their railway or it will not be finished within contract time. Up to present Japanese immigration to Canada has been small, but it is expected it will be much larger.

NO MORE STEEL TIES TO BE USED

Pennsylvania Road Abandons Metal and Goes Back to Georgia Pine.

(Journal Special Service.) Pittsburgh, July 8.—The Pennsylvania railroad has abandoned all efforts to utilize steel ties instead of wooden ties. It is alleged that steel ties have not sufficient resiliency to stand heavy travel and are too rigid, especially at curves. Pittsburgh mills making steel have been notified that the Pennsylvania railroad will not make any more experiments with steel ties, as none yet invented has made proper showing. A large order has been placed for Georgia pine, and all the steel ties have been ordered removed. After the Mineral Point wreck, which was proved to have been caused by the rails tearing loose from the steel ties, the Carnegie Steel company installed that steel ties would yet prove superior to wooden ties. The Pennsylvania company had a commission examine all phases of the steel tie. It reported that steel ties might prove durable on a straight line, but not on curves.

OIL KING KEEPS 68TH BIRTHDAY

John D. Rockefeller Observes Anniversary—Some Doubt as to Year of Birth.

(Journal Special Service.) Chicago, July 8.—John D. Rockefeller, whose whereabouts recently has been a cause for speculation among process-servers, and who was forced to appear in court Saturday where he pleaded ignorance of the Standard business, has a birthday anniversary today. It seems to be about as difficult to fix the oil magnate's exact age as it usually is to light upon his exact whereabouts. Some authorities say it is that Mr. Rockefeller was born July 8, 1838, while others declare that it was in 1839 that he first saw the light of day and began to accumulate millions and millions. The latter date is usually accepted. However, this may be it is certain that Mr. Rockefeller finds himself on his sixty-eighth or sixty-ninth, the possessor of more money than any other known individual in this or any other country. And it is a pretty safe guess that the more birthdays he has the more money he will possess, despite the fact that he scatters quite a few millions yearly among American colleges and charities. Three or four years ago, when Mr. Rockefeller did not have very much more than a half a billion dollars to his name, his income was two dollars and a few cents over every second of the day. The average man earning \$2 a day can appreciate the difference there is between \$2 a day for six days a week and \$2 a second for seven days a week. It is impossible for the human mind to comprehend the vastness of Mr. Rockefeller's wealth, should the oil magnate live to reach his one hundredth birthday and should his fortune continue to increase at the present rate.

CIGARETTES TO MATCH COSTUME

Latest Foible Among London's Smart Set Is Shown in Smoking Styles.

(Journal Special Service.) London, July 8.—The latest decree that every item in a woman's toilette that is harmonious in coloring, has affected upon the convivial cigarette. The new cigarette for the fair sex has no cork or gold tip, but is fitted with a tiny cylinder of taffeta silk to match the gown. These cigarettes de lux are enclosed in a case of brocade silk, scented with the owner's favorite perfume. Dainty silk-covered boxes to match the cases are provided, which contain one of the new silver electric cigarette lighters. An enterprising west end firm has created the woman's slip-on smoking gown. It is an extraordinary thing that although cigarette smoking has been fashionable among ladies for years nobody has a smoking-room toilette, the manager said. "Tea gowns have been a woman's only standby, and they have hardly suitable for a smoking costume. Slip-on smoking robes are made of colored tussore silk for the summer, and are worn for the winter. The garment has to be put on over the head. "The 'freside' slippers are made of quilted satin to tone with the gown, and are tied across the instep with satin ribbons."

SERIOUS FIRECRACKER FIRE AT HARRISBURG

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Harrisburg, Or., July 8.—Small boys, while lighting firecrackers in L. G. Kelsey's barn Saturday afternoon, started a blaze which consumed it in a few minutes. While the barn was burning some of the sparks from it ignited the residence of John Kellers, situated just south of the barn, and it, together with a woodshed, were soon burned to the ground. Sparks from the residence were carried by the wind to Nate Windom's residence and barn and Mrs. S. Holt's residence. Windom's dwelling had several large holes burned in the roof but no serious damage was done. The need of ample fire protection has again been emphasized.

ACCUSED OF LYNCHING INSANE WHITE MAN

(Journal Special Service.) Raleigh, N. C., July 8.—Pursuant to the order of the superior court meets at Monroe, Union county, today for the trial of men known as "Anson county lynchings." The defendants, more than 20 in number, are alleged to have lynched a white man named Johnson whose friends were insane last year, creating great excitement at the time. The defendants were brought to trial last fall, but at that time the case was dismissed because the indictment was defective. Most of the defendants are prominent farmers and business men.

LITTLE BOY BADLY BITTEN BY MASTIFF

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Hood River, July 8.—Alarmed by the screams of his 7-year-old son, Edward Thornton, of Underwood, Wash., ran to him yesterday to discover that he had been dangerously bitten by a mastiff which he owns. It is thought the dog and boy were playing together and that the brute became angered by something the boy did and attacked him. The animal made a big gash in the boy's throat and it was at first feared he would not recover. After an examination by a physician it is thought he will recover.

OSAGE LAND DRAWING IS HELD AT TULSA

(Journal Special Service.) Tulsa, I. T., July 8.—The Osage land drawing, which was to have taken place in April, but which was held up pending an investigation of the tribal rolls, was commenced today. The drawings will begin at the rate of 50 names a day on August 8. No preference in the selection of lands will be given because of improvements, but members of the tribe will be given an opportunity to exchange selections under the supervision of the commissioner.

WILLIAM FRIEDLAY DROWNS IN SANDY

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Hood River, July 8.—Willard Friedlay, aged 17, was drowned near Troutdale Saturday while swimming with several companions in the Sandy river. It is thought he was taken with cramp, as he sank before assistance could reach him. The body was brought to Hood River, his home yesterday, where the funeral was held.

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THEVES SECURE CROWN JEWELRY

Gems Worth Quarter of Million Stolen From Strong Room of Dublin Castle.

(Journal Special Service.) London, July 8.—The Express says that on the eve of the departure of the King and queen for their state visit to Ireland, it has been found that the jewels of the Order of St. Patrick, valued at \$250,000 had been stolen from the strong room of Dublin Castle, where they were kept. The robbery was discovered, owing to the jewels being wanted for use at the state reception. Particulars of the missing jewels have been telegraphed throughout the world to prevent them from being sold. They consist of a star, studded with large Brazilian diamonds, with a cross of rubies and emeralds, and other stones, of the value of \$150,000. A diamond badge set in silver, with designs

DEVOTEES OF WHIST MEET AT CHICAGO

(Journal Special Service.) Chicago, Ill., July 8.—The large assembly room of the Auditorium hotel swarmed this afternoon with whist devotees from every section of the country to take part in the seventeenth annual meeting and tournament of the American Whist league. The tournament will continue all through the week. Play for the Brooklyn trophy occupies this afternoon and evening. The contest for the Hamilton club trophy, to be played for this year under the knockout system, each club retiring from the contest as soon as defeated in a match, will occupy the afternoons of Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. The Minneapolis trophy match for pairs will be played Wednesday evening, Thursday afternoon and evening and Friday afternoon.

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