

Knights To Give Million For Italy

At Request of Pope Benedict's Knight of Columbus Agree to Start Welfare Work

San Francisco, Aug. 4.—At the request of Pope Benedict XV the Knights of Columbus have decided to raise \$1,000,000 to inaugurate American welfare work in Italy, it was announced at the international convention here today. The fund will be raised by popular subscription through the membership of the order.

"Pope Benedict knows well the needs of the Italian youth and he has requested this activity on the part of the Knights of Columbus to conserve faith and aid in their mental and physical development," said Supreme Advocate Joseph C. Pelletier of Boston in making the announcement. "It is our aim to go into Italy and introduce American welfare work which the Knights of Columbus have been able to perform so successfully at home and abroad."

Mr. Pelletier added that it was improbable the Knights of Columbus would extend its organization proper into Italy, saying that the immediate plans called for the establishment of an American service center in Rome under the patronage of pope Benedict. He emphasized the fact that Knights of Columbus war fund money would not be expended on the new undertaking, but that the knights would raise a new fund for the project. Supreme Knight James A. Flaherty announced that Peter Krantzke of Chicago, consul at Luxembourg, had telegraphed the first donation, one of \$5000.

The closing session of the convention today, Mr. Pelletier added, will dispose of Knights of Columbus internal activities for the ensuing 12 months and would consider the Irish question.

Many Leaders Will Attend McCredie Camp

While but 45 boys are signed up to date for the Boy Scout summer camp at McCredie Springs, with more boys whom are expected, directors and supervisors, the camp will reach a number of about 70 people in all. A majority of the leaders who made arrangements to go when authorities planned on a much larger camp still expect to attend. Following are the boys who have so far signed up for the camp.

Donald Fleming, Raymond W. Nash, Keith Draper, Stewart Kibbie, Paul A. Lee, Robert Drager, Henry F. De Boest, Lindley Edmondson, Roy Hotop, Henry G. Nelson, Carl L. Birdwell, Paul Purvine, Edward Burnside, Clarence Hamilton, John Mochel, Otto M. Engdahl, Harry Esch, Harold Moshberg, Carl Hicks, Donald Edmondson, Ronald S. Haines, John George, Harold Hedlund, Wallace Burton, Earl Drennan, Ross Harris, Ellsworth Smith, Ivan White, Gould Morehouse, Claude A. Grimm, Howard E. Baker, Benjamin Hall, Eugene Chase, Wayne D. Todhunter, Erskine Sandys, Fred Jobleman, James L. Robinson, James Campbell, William Wright, Homer Richards, William Slesion, Dwight Mulkey, Clifford Hulse, Willard M. Cook, Joseph Chenoweth.

Leaders and others who will be at the camp are: George W. Bent, Harold Cook, Clifford Smart, W. W. Craig, Leon Jensen, Lawrence Gale, John Morris, Julian Burroughs, Howard Sanders, S. G. Robinson, C. L. Shotwell, P. E. Fullerton, Mrs. F. W. Cook, and Miss Mina Cook. A number of the local Boy Scout councilmen expect to be there part of the time, and still others are expected to attend the camp a part or all of the two-week's period.

Atlanta Chicken Disrupts Service

Atlanta, Ga. Aug. 4.—There was commotion in a "sanctified" tent where dusky worshippers were conducting services when a chicken—regular feather-covered chicken—walked right into the middle of things. Andrew Banks, of ebony hue, reasoned that it was no place for a chicken unless it was fried, made a grab for the fowl and ran right into the fist of Robert Burns, another negro, who claimed the fowl was his pet and averred that a Gospel tent was no fit place to swipe a chicken anyhow. Burns was fined \$5 and costs and the chicken was returned to its owner with a reprimand.

Family of 55 Has Reunion. Frankfort, N. Y., Aug. 4.—The Theobald family all attended the family reunion here. There were fifty-five of them. They came from many sections of the United States. The Rev. and Mrs. W. V. Theobald of Indianapolis, Ind., were among the family gathering.

Expert Marksman Is Acquitted on Charge Of Attempt to Kill

Prosser, Wash., Aug. 4.—Because he can kill jackrabbits on the run with a six shooter Edward Behn was freed on a charge of second degree assault by Judge James Boyle. Behn was accused of attempting to kill Ed Gordon, but when the bullet he fired at Gordon from a distance of two paces missed its mark the judge decided the shot was only intended to frighten the complainant.

Gordon had bestowed attentions on Behn's niece. Behn objected and followed the couple to their "love nest" about 11:30 p. m., drew his six shooter and told the young man to "beat it while the beating was good," according to one witness, Gordon demurred and Behn, fired a shot which started the youthful wooer on a record-breaking sprint. He swore out information charging Behn tried to kill him.

A number of witnesses testified they had seen Behn pop over jackrabbits on the run with his revolver; that Behn could toss nickels in the air and plug them every shot, and that he always led marksmen at shooting matches or in quest of wild geese. One witness swore he had watched Behn while riding a running horse sink six successive shots in as many fence posts.

Judge Boyle decided that a man who was such a good marksman as Behn was not guilty of attempting to kill a man when he missed him at distance of two paces.

Appointment Of Attorney Is Due Soon

Much interest has been aroused in local American Legion circles concerning the coming appointment of a lawyer who shall pass on the abstract and title to all land on which loans will be made in accordance with the state law passed by the last legislature. The appointment of an attorney and three appraisers for each county is expected within the next month.

According to the provisions, the attorney will receive \$10 for each title passed on, and the appraisers \$5 each for placing a value on the land. It has been estimated that at least 1500 ex-service men will apply for loans within the next few years in the county. It is a foregone conclusion that one of the lawyers in the local legion post will receive the appointment for Marion county. Among the lawyers of the local post are: Max Page, Alfian Bynon, Robin Day, Brazier Small, Millar McGilchrist and Merrill Lampert.

Contract Water For Lone Pine

A tentative contract covering the sale of water for the irrigation

of a possible 5000 acres in the Lone Pine irrigation district in Crook county has been submitted to State Engineer Cupper by the Central Oregon Irrigation company. Only 1750 acres would be irrigated at the present time but the contract covers the additional acreage up to the maximum possible of reclamation in the district. Water would be taken from the Deschutes river. The contract price for the delivery of the water is given as \$75,000.

Berry Pack Barred Price On Increase

Prices on barreled berries have taken a decided jump over those quoted a month ago for last year's pack, according to information received here by local packers from northern and eastern markets.

Four weeks ago last year's pack of raspberries and loganberries in barrels was quoted at five cents a pound. Today the price of barreled raspberries is 12 1/2 cents a pound, an increase of nearly 125 per cent, while barreled loganberries are quoted at nine cents a pound, giving an increase of over almost 100 per cent.

The strawberry barrel pack is now quoted at 15 cents. Last year this pack was well cleaned up at a somewhat increase in price. When the present season opened, barreled strawberries were worth only 5 cents a pound. Shortage of fruit in the east and northern horticultural districts is given as the reason for the demand for Oregon produce. At the close of the strawberry season, it is said, that there was not enough packed to supply the market, and that the offices of packing houses were flooded with orders unable to be filled.

The loganberry situation is much the same, with a large demand, but growers and canneries who have put up barrel packs are holding for a higher price than is now being offered and with every prospect of securing it.

Oregon Troops Ordered to Wear Sam Browne's

Oregon citizen soldiers will don the epic and span Sam Browne belt, already worn by the Regular Army, as the result of orders issued today by National Guard headquarters here. Adjutant General White admitted having held the orders up for more than a month since General Pershing's order prescribing the Same Brown belt and said he had delayed in the hope of finding some authority or way of omitting the ornament from the Oregon soldierly because the Sam Browne is "altogether too European."

During the World War overseas officers were required to buy and wear the Sam Brown belt which had been in use abroad by European armies since the Crimean war. Officers on duty in the United States were not permitted to wear the belt under penalty of court martial and officers returning from overseas were made to remove the European belt the moment they landed in the United States. Almost the first act of General Pershing when he became

head of the Army recently was to order the Sam Browne for all officers and inquiry develops that this includes the National Guard under the new National Defense act passed by Congress last year.

Plans Reclaiming Central Oregon

Reclamation of 27,000 acres in the north canal unit of the Central Oregon Irrigation project in Deschutes is proposed in a contract submitted to state Engineer Cupper today by the North Canal company, which has just been organized to take over the interests of the Central Oregon Irrigation company. The state land board some time ago refused to sanction the transfer of the interests of the Central Oregon company to the Title & Trust company of Portland on the ground that the interest of present settlers on the project were not properly safeguarded in the proposed deal.

St. Paul Gets Bout. Denver, Aug. 5.—Harry Schuman, local welterweight, has been matched with Cal Delaney of Cleveland to box ten rounds in St. Paul on August 15.

Couple Quarrelled Again; Live For 3 Days Together

Married, divorced, married again, suit for second divorce filed, agreement to kiss and make up, then separation. Such in brief is the marital history of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Price.

Hardly before the pen was out of Judge Kelly's hand with which he signed a motio dismissing the last divorce suit of the Prices, Mr. Price had left his wife with \$3.50 with which to pay her grocery bill and advertised in the papers that she had left him and that he was not responsible for her bills.

Last Thursday the couple thru their attorneys signified their intentions of living together again for the sake of their child, and because the judge was out of town the official papers were not signed. Judge Kelly did not return until Monday and with scarcely a moment's notice Price packed his trunk.

Last night Mrs. Price received

five newspapers from her former creditors with marked articles. The couple were married first in Portland in 1910, secured a divorce in June, 1917. In November of the same year they remarried again in Vancouver, Wash. Mrs. Price charged cruel and inhuman treatment in her second divorce, Price having no objections to the dismissal of the case.

Columbia Cargoes Are Below Normal

Astoria, Or., Aug. 4.—Cargo lumber shipments from the Columbia river during the month of July while slightly larger than for the preceding 30 days were not up to normal and this is accounted for by the marine strike.

According to statistics prepared by Deputy Collector Korman, vessels loaded at the mills in the lower river district during the month and their combined cargo totalled 15,218,273 feet of lumber.

Speeding Charged To Motorcyclist

T. C. Waters, an employe of the Postal Telegram company here, was arrested this morning on a charge of speeding. Waters is charged with speeding on the race in the police court at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Officers last night tagged a Marion hotel bus which was allowed to stand on the streets at night.

Martinelli To Succeed Caruso

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