

THE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS Will Be Welcomed in Frisco With Great Ecstacy.

(Journal Special Service.)
SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—When the thousands of Knights of Pythias embark from the trains here next August to attend the National biennial gathering of that order it will be to gaze upon a scene of rarest splendor. Not alone the people of this city, but the people of the entire Coast have joined to make this gathering the most notable in Pythian history. Requests already received for accommodations indicate that the gathering will eclipse all former attempts, so that the attendance is concerned. Everything possible is being arranged for the accommodation and entertainment of the expected guests. The interest is not confined to the members of the order, but extends to the ranks of merchants, manufacturers, farmers and miners. All are interested in making the affair a glorious one for California and pleasant for the visitors. The city is to be transformed into a fairyland and the night is to be turned into day. Carloads of the choicest fruits will be sent each day from different sections for free distribution. The giants of California's famous forests will be planted at convenient points for visitors to gaze at. Bearing trees from the citrus belt will be set along the curbs. Quarts and hydraulic mining will be seen in full operation as an object lesson to visitors, and oil wells will be bored to show the operation to those who cannot visit every section of the state to behold its wonders and glories. Fifteen thousand Knights of the Uniform Rank will be in the parade, escorted by the militia of California and the United States troops stationed at the Government reservation and the forts in the vicinity of San Francisco. Trophies made of California gold and silver, the most valuable ever offered, will be given to the citizens for the competitive drill. For the accommodation of the visiting knights Congress has authorized the Secretary of War to issue 1000 wall tents for use during the encampment, and as many more tents will be issued as may be required. These and the 5000 bunks to be placed in the great pavilion will be at the disposal of the visiting Knights who prefer outdoor life during the encampment.

WORK OF RED FIENDS The Fearful Death of an Aged Indian.

CONCORDIA, Wash., June 2.—Word has been received of the murder of Blind Billy, an old Indian living on the Colville reservation. The details of the affair were brought in by a squaw, an eye-witness. During the recent trial of the two Indians, Quessikan and Sam Miller, for killing Chelan Willie, Blind Billy was a witness. Although the murder of Chelan Willie had taken place at his cabin, the Indians declared that a blind person had no right to testify as to what he heard. After the trial, which resulted in conviction, friends and relatives swore vengeance on those who had testified. On reaching Brewster, the entire crowd got drunk and in the evening went to the camp of Blind Billy. One of the Indians placed his knee on Blind Billy's back and putting his hands around his forehead, bent him backwards, breaking his neck and neck and tearing the muscular tissue apart in the front. Then they went away. The squaw fled in terror to the county seat.

SCOT FREE BIG DRUNK SLASHED TO STRIPS

(Scripps-McRae News Association.)
STAPLETON, N. Y., June 2.—A coroner's jury yesterday exonerated W. C. Baker and C. E. Deuser from all blame for the death of Andrew Featherstone and John Boyert, who were run down by Baker's touring automobile on Saturday. The jury held it was an unavoidable accident.

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A VOLCANO IN ALASKA

SEATTLE, June 2.—Passengers from Cook Inlet who arrived by the Chicco confirm previous rumors of another eruption of Redoubt volcano, which is situated on the west side, about 40 miles northeast of Iliamna. Among them was A. C. Losey of Tacoma, who has been in the employ of the Trans-Alaska Company, who saw the present eruption. He sailed from Iliamna on the morning of the 8th of May, at which point only heavy smoke was to be seen in the direction of Redoubt, but which they knew meant that the volcano was at it again. Precipitous mountains shut off the view until the Chicco reached 20 miles or so on the trip up the inlet, when the show became quite thrilling. Dense black clouds covered the entire region, spreading entirely over Cook Inlet, which is there upward of 40 miles across. At times the smoke directly over the volcano region was lighted to a dark gray, but no flames were seen during the day, and no ashes reached the ship; but when evening fell, bright flames flashed up and lighted the whole sky in that direction. The ship's course out of the inlet left the volcano directly to the westward, at which point Mr. Losey says there seemed a continuous sheet of fire rising, it seemed but a few hundred feet in the air, but which at this distance was doubtless miles high. The scene was watched until shut out by the horizon.

BIG SHOOT AT CLEVELAND

Sharp Shooters Will be Busy for Three Days.

(Journal Special Service.)
CLEVELAND, O., June 2.—Representatives of nearly 20 clubs are taking part in the 18th annual tournament of the Ohio Trapshooters' League, which began under auspicious conditions today on the grounds of the Cleveland Gun Club. The program covers three days and provides for 21 open events in addition to the competitions for the five special cups offered to members of the league.

CONFEDERATE STATUE.

(Journal Special Service.)
MONROE, La., June 2.—Confederate Memorial day was observed here by the dedication of a handsome monument in the cemetery. The attendant ceremonies were of an interesting character and were participated in by veterans of the local camp, the Monroe Chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy and other patriotic societies.

KNOCKERS MEET

(Journal Special Service.)
PEORIA, Ill., June 2.—Peoria is entertaining several hundred men noted for their ability to "knock down," but no trouble is anticipated as they are all jolly members of the Illinois Association and are here for their fourth annual convention. The gathering was called to order in the City Hall this afternoon by President H. O. Correll, and the opening session was devoted to addresses of welcome, the enrollment of new members and discussions of the welfare of the organization. Reports showed that the association now has 100 members and is in a flourishing condition. The annual banquet takes place tonight and officers for the year will be chosen tomorrow.

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The new directory just issued by the Columbia Telephone Company shows that company to be growing.

EYES LIKE A FERRET

Why Peter Finlay Was Always Broke.

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SEATTLE, June 2.—The excuses given by vagrants in the police court to account for their being "broke," would, if collected for a week, fill a large-sized volume.

A novel one was given yesterday by Peter Finlay, who was charged with the usual "being habitually idle and having no visible means of support."

"Are you guilty or not?" asked City Attorney DeBruer in his most threatening voice.

Finlay never wincing, which showed plainly that he was an old-timer. "I suppose I am guilty," Finally answered the prisoner.

"What did you do with your money?" asked the attorney.

"Well, that is easily explained," said Finlay, as he straightened up to tell the yarn he had probably figured out a week before. "It's all due to my wife. In a few words, she was so very successful in finding the hiding places of my money that I finally threw up the sponge, gave her all my coin and started out alone."

"I tried my shoes, socks and the inside of my vest lining. Even my old favorite, the hat band trick, went wrong. Finally I decided on the umbrella gag. That looked good to me and I placed some money inside of one in order to hide it from my better half. One rainy morning I ran to catch a car and hurriedly raised my "mush." My wife saw the shower of money from the front window and soon after that I left home."

"Where did that occur?" asked Mr. DeBruer.

"Way back in Illinois in a little town named LaSalle," concluded the prisoner as he settled down as if a good job had been done.

The court didn't actually believe the story, but let the fellow go on the condition that he would get to work.

MET DEATH BY HAZING

(Journal Special Service.)
PLATTSBURG, N. Y., June 2.—As a result of class war and rushes, Nelson Pease Bond of Burlington, Vt., class of 1905, at the University of Vermont, met death by drowning. He was being pursued by Harry Percival and George Ross of the sophomore class of the same college. They were trying to capture him, presumably to kidnap him and prevent his attendance at the freshman banquet at the Cumberland house. He ran from his pursuers and jumped into the lake from a dock in an out-of-the-way place on the North Water Front. He swam out fifty feet, was evidently seized with cramps, and almost instantly sank from view.

DETROIT MISS WEDS COUNT

(Journal Special Service.)
DETROIT, Mich., June 2.—Elaborate arrangements have been completed for the wedding of Miss Martha Palm and the Count Laurent de Champeaux, of Paris, which takes place this evening in the bishop's chapel on Washington avenue. The ceremony will be witnessed by members of the family and very intimate friends only, but more than 500 invitations have been issued for the reception to be held at the home of the bride's parents after the wedding ceremony. The bride will be attended by her sister, Miss Violet Palma while the Count Louis de Champeaux will act as best man. Count and Countess de Champeaux will make their future home in Paris.

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To the most popular young woman in Portland The Journal will give a ten days trip to the seaside and pay her expenses down and back, and her hotel bill while there. To determine her popularity a vote will be taken and the one receiving the most votes will get the trip. The one getting the next highest number will be given a trip lasting from Saturday to Monday, all free. The one who is third in the list will receive a trip up the lordly Columbia and return. This is a chance for the worthy young women who fill busy places in the city to take a vacation trip.

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RANCHER AND THE EDITOR

A Warm Episode in a Washington Town.

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BUCKLEY, Wash., June 2.—Yesterday was an exciting day for the editor of the Buckley Banner, the Town Marshal and a few others, due to the desire of a rancher, Thomas Dunbar, to tell the editor what he thought of him. An article appeared recently in the Banner, which Dunbar considered reflected on him, so he came town armed with a small arsenal. He found the editor, B. N. Kernigan, shoved an old-fashioned Colt's about the size of a modern four-pound gun under his nose and for 20 minutes told him what he thought of him and debated whether or not to pull the trigger. The Marshal and Constable attempted to arrest the rancher, but he covered and held them at bay while discoursing volubly. A crowd gathered, but his display of arms overawed all comers and he finally left town master of the situation. Later he gave himself up and is now under arrest.

DEAD HEROES

(Journal Special Service.)
SAVANNAH, Ga., June 2.—Handsome monuments to General Francis S. Barton and General Lafayette McLaws were unveiled today in Chippewa Square. Addresses were delivered by several prominent speakers and there were other ceremonies of an interesting character.