

Masonic Temple

(Visitors who have not been examined must be in the Temple by seven-fifteen.)

Weekly Calendar

- MONDAY**—Leah Chapter No. 2, O. E. S., stated, 7:30 p. m.
- TUESDAY**—Honolulu Lodge No. 493, special, school of instruction of officers, 7:30 p. m.
- WEDNESDAY**—
- THURSDAY**—Honolulu Commandery No. 1, stated and election of officers, 7:30 p. m.
- FRIDAY**—
- SATURDAY**—
- WEDNESDAY**—Schofield Lodge No. 443, P. & A. M., special meeting at 7:30 o'clock p. m., work in the first degree.
- Saturday, Dec. 22, at 7:30 o'clock p. m., work in the third degree.

Odd Fellows Hall

- WEEKLY CALENDAR**
- MONDAY**—Harmony Lodge No. 2, Regular meeting at 7:30 p. m. The second and third degrees will be conferred on twelve candidates.
- TUESDAY**—Excelsior Lodge No. 1, Regular meeting at 7:30 p. m.
- THURSDAY**—Olive Branch Rebekah Lodge No. 2, Regular meeting at 7:30 p. m. Election of officers, cards and refreshments on the roof garden.
- FRIDAY**—Polynesian Encampment No. 1, Regular meeting at 7:30 p. m. Election of officers.

HONOLULU LODGE NO. 1, MODERN ORDER OF PHOENIX Will meet at their home, corner of Beretania and Fort streets, every Thursday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. J. W. ASCH, Leader. FRANK MURRAY, Secretary.

HONOLULU LODGE 616, B. P. O. E. meets in their hall on King St. near Fort, every Friday evening. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend. JAS. H. FIDDES, E. R. H. DUNSHIE, Sec.

HERMANN'S SOEHNE Honolulu Lodge No. 1, Verasammlungen in K. of P. Hall jeden ersten und dritten Montag: Decbr. 3 und 17, Jan. 7 und 21, Febr. 4 und 18, März 4 und 18. Generalversammlung März 18. EMIL KLEMME, Praes. C. BOLTE, Sekr.

MYSTIC LODGE No. 2, K. of P. Meets in Pythian Hall, corner Fort and Beretania streets, every Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting brothers cordially invited. R. GOSLING, C. C. A. B. ANGUS, P. C. K. H. and S.

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LEGAL NOTICE.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE First Judicial Circuit, Territory of Hawaii—At Chambers—In Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of William H. Healy, Deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

The undersigned, the duly appointed and qualified Administrator of the estate of William H. Healy, deceased, hereby gives notice to all creditors of the deceased to present their claims duly authenticated and with proper vouchers or duly authenticated copies thereof, if any exist, even if the claim is secured by mortgage upon real estate, to the undersigned, James Fenwick, at his office at the Hawaiian Electric Company, Limited, 223-227 King street, Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, within six months from date of the first publication of this notice or such claims will be forever barred.

And all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate settlement with the undersigned administrator as aforesaid, at his said office.

Dated Honolulu, December 5, 1917. JAMES FENWICK, Administrator of the estate of William H. Healy, Deceased. W. L. STANLEY, 214-31F Kaulikeolani Building, Honolulu, Attorney for Administrator. 6969—Dec. 5, 12, 19, 26, 1917; Jan. 2, 9, 1918.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE First Judicial Circuit, Territory of Hawaii—At Chambers—In Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Miya Kishimoto, deceased.

Notice to Creditors.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Administrator of the Estate of Miya Kishimoto, deceased, to all persons having claim against said decedent or her estate to present the same, duly authenticated, and with proper vouchers, if any exist, to the Henry Waterhouse Trust Company, Limited, the duly appointed and qualified Administrator of the estate of said decedent, at their office in Honolulu, City and County of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, whether such claims be secured or unsecured, within six months from the 12th day of December, 1917, (the date of the first publication of this notice) or they will be forever barred.

HENRY WATERHOUSE TRUST COMPANY, LIMITED, Administrator of the estate of Miya Kishimoto, deceased. 6966—Dec. 12, 19, 26, Jan. 2, 9.

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE First Judicial Circuit, Territory of Hawaii.

Notice of Time and Place of the Drawing of Grand Jurors and Trial Jurors for Service During the January, 1918, Term of Said Circuit Court.

Notice is hereby given that at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of Thursday, the 27th day of December, 1917, in the Court Room of the First Judge of said Circuit Court, in the City of Honolulu, City and County of Honolulu, Territory of Hawaii, there will be drawn from the Grand Jury Box of said Court, the names of a sufficient number of persons qualified to act as Grand Jurors, to constitute a Grand Jury of and for said Circuit Court, for and during the January, 1918, Term of said Court.

And at the same time and place there will be drawn from the Trial Jury Box of said Court, the names of a sufficient number of persons qualified to act as Trial Jurors, to constitute Panels of Trial Jurors for the First, Second and Third Divisions respectively, of said Circuit Court, for service at and during the January, 1918, Term thereof.

Dated at Honolulu, Hawaii, this 15th day of December, 1917.

By order of the Court: HENRY SMITH, Clerk. 6969—7t

NOTICE.

My check, No. 4852, drawn upon the Henry Waterhouse Trust Co., Ltd., in the sum of \$306.54, has been lost. Payment has been stopped. All persons are hereby warned against negotiating same. K. B. PORTER. 6971—3t

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SMITH COLLEGE GIRLS PROVING ANGELS OF MERCY

(By Associated Press) FRENCH FRONT, October 11.—A small band of Smith college girls is ministering to the distressed populations of those districts of France devastated by the Germans before they were forced to retreat last spring by the victorious French and British troops who had hammered them on the Somme.

The correspondent of the Associated Press passed a day with the young women in the war zone where they have arrived to install themselves in the midst of the stricken people. They have made their headquarters in the grounds of the Chateau of Roberecourt. There they live in shacks and portable houses in sight of the blackened ruins of the castle, burned by the Germans. From this center they go to twelve villages which have been taken over for relief by the American college girls. Before the war they had altogether a population of approximately 4500. Now this has been reduced to about 1200.

The American "angels of mercy," as the Smith college girls are known, brought with them from America or purchased in Paris large stores of articles of first necessity for the people. Many of the peasants had money which they had been able to conceal from the Germans, and these people were quite willing to pay for articles provided by the American girls. Others among the peasants were destitute of both goods and money and for these the American girls made charitable provision.

The girls bought motor trucks, and several of them are motor drivers. Once or twice a week each of the villages in their district receives a visit from a party of the girls in their trucks which are loaded with necessities, and these are sold to the peasants at cost price or less, and thus many of the needs of the people are met. Food, linen, clothing, furniture, kitchen utensils and live chickens and rabbits are most desired.

Other branches of assistance to the people take the form of a traveling dispensary, the giving of medical advice by the two women doctors from Smith college who are members of the squad, the foundation of nurseries for the care of the smaller infants while their mothers are working, and the establishment of playrooms for the other children.

The care of the children is one of the most important parts of the girls' work. In the first place, the little ones have to be retrained to play, for during the German occupation they were not allowed to do so and in most cases had forgotten how to amuse themselves in simple games. It is wonderful how soon they learn under the American girls' encouragement and leadership. Then the neglected little ones are taken in hand and taught the value of cleanliness and neatness. For the women much help is provided in the way of sewing classes and instruction in modern hygiene.

It is hoped here that the work of the Smith college girls forming the first unit, in cheering up and helping these stricken peasants may be an incentive to others to undertake similar labors in the hundreds of villages which have suffered from German occupation. Everywhere in the Somme and Oise and other French departments now partially freed from the German troops there are similar opportunities.

Dr. Alice Weld Tallant of Philadelphia, is the director, and she is assisted by Dr. Maud Kelly, as assistant physician; Miss Lucy O. Mather of Hartford, Conn., as secretary; Miss Marie Wolfs of Newark, N. J., a Belgian refugee, as head of the social service; Miss Anne Chapin of Springfield, Mass., on social service and nursing; Miss Millicent Lewis of Irvington, N. Y., as a chauffeuse and ambulance driver; Miss Catherine Hooper of Montclair, N. J., social service; Miss Marjorie Carr, chauffeuse and social service; Miss Ruth Joslin Bennett, Cambridge, Mass., chauffeuse and social service; Miss Margaret Wood, Pasadena, Cal., as chauffeuse and in care of children; Miss Ruth Gaines, New York City, social service and writer; Miss Elizabeth Bliss, Worcester, Mass., nurse; Miss Elizabeth Dana, Worcester, Mass., nurse; Miss Alice Leavens, Boston, head of children's department; Miss Fahnestock and Miss Harriett Hawes.

By arrangement with the British commission, 23,000 tons of sugar stored in New York awaiting shipment have been allowed to go on the American market in order to relieve the scarcity in the eastern part of the United States. The consignment is to be replaced when the new crop of sugar arrives.

HUN INVASION OF ENGLAND IS NOW REGARDED AS AN IMPOSSIBILITY

Officer of Cycling Patrol Said Britain's Shores Guarded With Utmost Caution

(By Associated Press) HEADQUARTERS OF BRITISH HOME DEFENSE ARMIES, England. Since the beginning of the war the coasts of the United Kingdom have been guarded by the British bicycle militia or "Cyclist Patrol," and today the cyclists still are on guard against German invasion. But the golden opportunity for a German assault in force upon Britain's shores has now passed. No longer do a few cyclists stand guard alone over important landing places, as they did for many days after war was declared.

"The danger of invasion appeared very great to us in those days," said the commander of one of the cyclists' battalions the other day. "We had to put forth the most colossal efforts to get our defense organization up to adequate pitch. "If the German regarded an invasion of England as a feasible task then, he must regard it as a hopeless impossibility now. Where we formerly had only a small detachment of cyclist troops to guard a possible landing place, there are now thousands of trained soldiers living in sand dunes, trenches, and dugouts all along the coast, and plenty of support also from aeroplanes, observation balloons, submarines and coast defense vessels. In 1914 the German invader would have been opposed largely by half-trained troops straight from work shops and offices, while today he would have to meet men the equal in physique and fighting ability of anything the world has ever seen."

The actual work of protecting landing places has long since been taken over by the hands of the cyclist battalions, who have become more purely a coast patrol. Their duties nowadays occasionally are varied by the capturing of various objects of interest washed up by the sea, such as mines, bodies, wreckage, and life buoys. The mines are destroyed by punctation, affording a few moments of pleasant excitement for the patrol.

Most of the cyclist forces hope one day to be called across the channel. The day for which they look is the time when a great mobile force will be required in Belgium and Germany to pursue a retreating and demoralized enemy.

FOOD BUYING FOR WAR AND NEUTRALS TO BE CENTRALIZED

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 27.—Centralization in the food administration of all purchases of staple foodstuffs by the army and navy and by allied and neutral buyers for the purpose of stabilizing prices and controlling supplies was announced tonight by Food Administrator Hoover. Such purchases will be handled by a newly created division of coordination of purchases, he said, and added: "The necessity for such an organization grows out of the governmental consolidation all over the world of the buying of certain commodities into such large orders as to extend beyond the ability of any one manufacturer to supply and the failure to coordinate which may affect price levels and supplies to the civil population. Army and navy supplies will be handled by a committee, representing the army, naval, federal trade commission and the food administration, allied supplies by their various purchasing agencies through the food administration, and neutral purchases by their agents, the war trade board and the food administration."

PLATTSBURG OPEN TO POLISH-AMERICANS BOSTON, Mass.—Secretary of War Baker has shown America's appreciation of the new army of 200,000 Polish-American young men being raised in the United States to fight on the side of the entente allies by offering the use of the camp at Plattsburg for the training of Polish officers, Ignace Padnerewski, the famous pianist, announced at a patriotic mass meeting of Polish people.

The meeting, which was held in Tremont Temple, was the concluding event on the day's program of the celebration commemorating the 100th anniversary of the death of Thaddeus Kosciusko, the Polish patriot. Delegates from various sections of New England took part.

DAUGHTER OF BANKER KAHN DRIVES DESPATCH CAR Miss Maud Kahn, daughter of Otto H. Kahn, banker, is now driving a despatch car for the British government, according to Miss Jessie M. Lawson of New York city, who has arrived at an Atlantic port from England. In the spring Miss Kahn will go to France to engage in the same work close to the battle line.

Miss Kahn bought a car and contributed it with her services to the English government. Unless she is carrying despatches she cannot use the car because of the strict rules for conserving petrol.

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