

SHRINERS TO ELECT A NEW POTENTATE



J. P. Stevens

J. Putnam Stevens of Portland, Me., who will become imperial potentate when the imperial council ancient Arabic order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, meets in annual convention in Seattle, July 13 to 15.

FARMER THE GOAT IN MOST PECULIAR CASE

Evansville, Ind., July 15.—George Kingston, an Illinois farmer, today served his seventieth day in the Vanderburg county jail.

The "crime" Kingston committed was that he complained to the police that Henry Trainum robbed him of \$300.

Since the \$300 Kingston lost represented his savings, he was unable to give the \$300 bond required to insure that he appear as a witness against Trainum.

Trainum may be innocent. However, he gave the \$300 bond required of him and then disappeared. Kingston believes Trainum's bond was paid with stolen money.

Meanwhile, Kingston is losing his

crops because he cannot tend them. Physicians fear he is losing his mind because he fearfully resents what he believes is an outrage against him.

The Kangaroo court took a dislike to Kingston because he considered himself other than a criminal and has heaped petty indignities on the Illinois farmer.

HE HAD NONE

John quarrelled with winsome Grace last night.

While owning freely she's a "bird." He "spoke his mind" to her all right, By sauntering home without a word!

BITS OF NEWS

Andrew Simpson, Naperville, excused from jury duty. Told Federal Judge Landis he had to milk 30 cows every day.

NOTED ENGLISHMAN HERE TO PURCHASE MUNITIONS



D. A. Thomas

D. A. Thomas, the great Welsh coal producer, who arrived in New York recently. He was appointed by David Lloyd-George, England's minister of munitions, to supervise purchases of munitions in this country and Canada.