HAPPENINGS IN SECRET CIRCLES

Week's News Gathered From Local Lodges—Calendar of Events for Future Meetings—Odd Fellows' Anniversary.

Protected Home Circle.

Social League, No. 186, will have a large class for initiation October 7. October 25 the annual ball will be given in the Odeon, fourth floor. This will be one of the finest ever given, and members of the circle and visiting members have been invited to come and bring their friends.

Rainbow, No. 415, gave a fine entertainment. The programme consisted of vocal solos, duets, violin solo by the son of Past President Leibner. The Gesenwindner family orchestra was a feature and Sister Guerin and President Tate gave comical sketches, creating merriment. Cake and cream were served at the close, after which a general promenade was enjoyed. President Geschwindner won distinction as an entertaining presiding officer, keeping everybody happy.

Paragon, No. 628, had a splendid meeting Tuesday night and a large list of new names was added to the membership. President Irwin handled matters and kept all in good humor, and then the music and promenade at the close gave pleasure to all. The first grand ball will be given by this circle October 26 at Amher Hall, Jefferson and Park avenues.

Carondelet, No. 464, has on the working harness and many new names have been enrolled for the next meeting. Last Tuesday's meeting was an enthusiastic affair. President King, with Brothers Grimson, Heinecke, Schelbe and others, with the loyal sisters, have great plans for the success of this circle in the coming months.

Hope, No. 168, held an interesting meeting, with lots of fun, guided by Guardian Foote. President Beckman urged everybody "to get a hustle on, 'as the eighteen circles of the city are booming. Hope members will see that President Beckman is not disappointed.

Compton, No. 222, held an interesting meeting Tuesday night, with much business of importance transacted, Doctor Herchenroeder presiding. A list of new names was enrolled at the meeting before, and the initiation of a large class is looked for at the coming meeting.

Officers' Association had a good time, with a big house Tuesday night at Panama. No. 650, President Dale had charge of the programme, which all enjoyed, after which the large company was conducted to the fourth floor dining-rooms, where cake and cream were served. Music and dancing were kept up until a late hour. President Tate had charge of affairs, with a company of the elect sisters, who showed their tact in entertaining. Three candidates received the obligation, and a dozen names are on the list for medical examination. Chaplain Miller spoke particularly of the large jubilee class which was coming into all the eighteen circles of the city, in honor of the nineteenth anniversary of the P. H. C.

"Court of Honor."

St. Louis Court of Honor, at the next meeting will initiate a large class of candidates, at which time the supreme chancellor will present to the court the State banner. The degree team from Springfield, Ill., will put on the work and give an exhibition drill, after which there will be dancing.

Brother Francis W. Hereford, who has been ill for several months, died at Mullanphy Hospital Tuesday afternoon. He leaves a wife and son. The funeral took place from his residence, No. 2202 Franklin avenue, Thursday, at 2:30 p. m., and was under the auspices of the Court of Honor, which turned out in a body.

Mount City Court will, at its next meeting Saturday evening, September 30, initiate another class of candidates and will serve refreshments after which there will be dancing.

Hermosa Court, No. 437, will, at its next meeting, have a class of candidates. The court has secured the services of Brother Quillian as deputy, and he is securing a large number of applications.

Carondelet Court of East St. Louis, at its last meeting, gave a male party, and served refreshments to its members, several candidates were initiated.

Supreme Chancellor A. L. Hereford of Springfield, Ill., is spending Sunday in the city.

Knights of Honor.

Columbia Lodge had a good attendance and interesting meeting, when six applications were received. Grand Reporter L. F. Borntrager, to request, submitted the new table rates to the members. John E. Amende, Special Deputy H. Heckman and Mr. Fay spoke for the good of the order. The next meeting will be held Thursday, October 28.

Oak Leaf Lodge had an interesting meeting. Grand Dictator Hall paid a fraternal visit. Messrs. Hunt, Moll, Buchanan, Abel, Russ and others spoke. The lodge resolved to give a euchre at its next meeting, October 5.

Sulliver Lodge initiated two candidates at the last meeting. Grand Reporter L. F. Borntrager and Special Deputy John E. Amende assisting in the ceremonies. At the next meeting, September 26, several officers are to be elected and installed for the term.

Mount Olive Lodge had a large attendance of members and friends at the open meeting. A music programme was rendered interspersed with dancing. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening spent.

Lincoln Lodge will initiate several candidates at the next meeting, September 27.

Supreme Reporter N. M. Sivan and Supreme Treasurer F. W. Sliger have attended the Grand Lodge sessions of New Hampshire, Minnesota and Wisconsin in the last ten days.

A. W. Winter of the Supreme Lodge clerical force is at his desk again, after a brief vacation. He has taken unto himself a wife to enjoy with him the pleasures and troubles of life in adjusting new rates, etc.

Royal League.

The following councils meet this week: South Side, Greeley, Eureka and West End.

West End Council initiated one candidate, one application was presented, which promises to be the starter of the good work that is to follow during the fall. Archon Archon Stanley gave an interesting talk on matters pertaining to the work that is to be done.

Considerable enthusiasm was displayed at the meeting of Hamilton Council, which was given its Staff of Night Fighters degree. Applications were presented. Euchre was indulged in by about sixty-five ladies and gentlemen until 11 p. m., at which time cross word puzzles were given, a handsome piece of cut glass was awarded to Miss Jordan. An order for a hat, which was the men's first prize, was won by Doctor V. B. Cosby. Other prize winners were as follows: Mrs. T. J. Mrs. C. P. Barnes, Leo C. Lippett and Fine. A banquet followed the euchre, which was partaken of by eighty-six persons. Speeches were made by various members and guests, among whom were Archon Archon Stanley, Mr. Smith and Archon Stafford. Orator J. McD. Jones acted as toastmaster.

St. Louis Council initiated one candidate and one application was presented.

Prairie Council had quite an interesting meeting. One candidate was initiated and one application read. Five members were chosen captains over the membership to round up applications during the fall campaign. All every Archon F. J. Stanley visited the council.

Knights and Ladies of Security.

Security Council met in Phoenix Hall, corner of Cass and Jefferson avenues, last Monday evening, with a good attendance, officers being present at roll call. After initiating two candidates and reading several applications the matter of renewing interest in the degree team was taken under advisement. While the team claims a wonderful degree, greater things are expected of it. Captain Dale and Brother Bell promise that nothing shall be wanting to make it the challenge team of the West. The minutes are trailing up and may be heard any soon. Brother and Sister Taylor were visitors. A regular meeting will be held next Monday evening. It will be the last this quarter. A large attendance is expected.

Knights and Ladies of Honor.

The Missouri delegation to the Supreme Lodge, comprising Grand Protector John D. O'Keefe, Supreme Representative Lemas Ayres, Grand Chancellor George T. Motley and Grand Secretary J. J. Kennedy, will return to St. Louis from the session held at Indianapolis, Ind., at which Missouri received two elected officers, John D. O'Keefe being selected as supreme chancellor and George T. Motley as supreme sentinel. Among other changes made it was decided to issue certificates for life.

Vision Lodge held a meeting last Tuesday evening. Many visitors were present from other lodges. The degree team made its initial appearance, and its drill was highly complimented. A telegram was received from supreme representatives, announcing the election of two of the officers, so important offices. Two candidates received the degree, and at the close of the meeting, refreshments were served. Music was arranged by Protector J. J. James, Robert O'Connor and Joe Mooney.

Victoria Lodge received one application for relief fund membership at their last meeting, the attendance gave evidence that the members are again taking up the work of propagating the order, and the interest in the lodge was at a short time.

Capital Lodge's members are arranging for the next meeting, Friday evening, September 29, to be held at Jamie Hall, Blackwell and Olive streets. After the initiation of candidates, a box party and musical entertainment will be given. Members at large are invited to attend.

Mystic Lodge received one application for relief fund membership at its last meeting. It was decided to hold a celebration at the next meeting, Wednesday, October 4, at which time the grand officers have been invited to be present.

Lincoln Lodge, at their last meeting, initiated two candidates and received one application for relief fund membership. The degree team conferred by Protector Margaret Berwald.

Philippic Lodge received one application for relief fund membership and initiated one candidate at their last meeting. Secretary Chris Diehl has addressed the meeting.

Chouteau Lodge will meet next Tuesday evening. It is planned to initiate a class of ten candidates.

Brookwood (Mo.) Lodge received two applications for relief fund membership at their last meeting, the work of propagation being directed by Protector Martin Sifford and Secretary A. B. Lane.

Jefferson Lodge's hall was crowded last Wednesday evening, the occasion being a joint party given by the Knights of Honor and Ladies of Security, Captain Paul Shulman and his drill team gave an exhibition drill.

Portageville (Mo.) Lodge met on Thursday evening. A full attendance was in evidence. An address on the good of the lodge was delivered by Deputy Grand Protector Martin Kingsbury. Doctor Edwin Alsop also addressed the meeting. Ten candidates received the degree.

Magnolia Lodge met last Monday evening. The usual monthly euchre followed the close of the meeting. These entertainments have proven very beneficial to the lodge and are propagating the order and, also, the attendance of the members.

Lily Lodge's last meeting was up to the usual standard in attendance. The degree was conferred upon four candidates and five applications for relief fund membership were received. Speeches on the good of the order were delivered by Michael Forrest and D. W. Wood. The Entertainment Committee prepared a musical programme, which followed the close of the meeting. Refreshments were also served.

Columbia Lodge initiated candidates at its last meeting. It was decided to meet hereafter at Lierle's Hall, Fourteenth and Benton streets, the first and third Tuesdays of each month. The initial meeting in the new location will be held Tuesday evening, October 3.

Clover Leaf Lodge received four card members at its last meeting. Messrs. F. Goldsmith and Fred Bergman were appointed as a committee to secure prizes and refreshments for the euchre party, which will be held at the lodge's hall, Mineritrid and Chouteau, Wednesday evening, September 27. The Entertainment committee has made arrangements for a dance to be given at Benton Park Hall Saturday evening, October 21.

West Gate Lodge's members are attending its meetings in large numbers in the new location of its meeting place, at No. 3819 Finney avenue.

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Royal Arcanum.

Grand Regent E. A. Barbour has issued official circular No. 7, which is a plea for interest and activity in the fall work.

Past Supreme Regent A. S. Robinson and Past Grand Regent Jere Haldeman will visit Kach-Ma-Ha Council at its meeting to-morrow evening. Their visit will be made the occasion of a mass gathering of all the members of the Kansas City councils.

Past Grand Regent F. H. Bacon and Regent F. S. Delaplane of O'J Guard Council will visit Joachim Council, De Soto, at its meeting to-morrow evening.

Chevalier Council elected and installed the following officers: Regent, F. E. Becker; vice regent, Charles W. Seaman; chaplain, H. A. Garland. The death of Past Regent James P. Brennan was announced and suitable action taken. Memorial addresses were made by J. A. Lavin, William H. Miller, A. J. Lange, E. F. Miller, F. E. Becker, Dr. E. F. Brady and Charles W. Seaman. Much sympathy was expressed for Past Regent Edward H. Bickley in his illness and earnest hopes for his recovery.

Ivy Lane Council's entertainment at its last meeting was successful and was enjoyed by the members and their guests who filled the large hall. Doctor R. C. Blackmer's lecture on the Yellowstone Park was entertaining and highly instructive, and was illustrated by colored photographs. Miss Kessler's singing contributed greatly to the enjoyment. Orator J. H. Settgone is arranging another programme for the next meeting.

Elk Council was entertained with songs by W. J. Moran and A. J. McAllister. Professor H. P. Walton gave instrumental selections and addresses were made by Deputy E. E. Brown, Past Regents Jo. Huber, H. D. Dussman and others. Refreshments were served.

Forest Park Council had a large attendance and transacted quite a volume of routine business. Past Regent George A. Mead appealed to the members to lend their best efforts and enthusiastic support to the order, which is now better and stronger than ever. Past Regent W. H. Miller of Chevalier Council entertained the meeting with an attractive talk. The evening concluded with a pleasing music programme, rendered by Miss Williams.

Mt. Charles Council had a pleasant meeting. Charles E. Daudt was elected and installed vice regent and Karl H. F. Schlegel as orator. Past Regents John F. Meier of Benton was a visitor and made an enthusiastic address.

De Hallmann Council had an encouraging meeting. Regent W. H. Lahr's inviting one application was received and one candidate initiated. The degree was impressively exemplified by a selected corps of officers, consisting of Past Regents Jack Doctor M. B. Windsor, F. S. Schlueter, John F. Kershaw, William A. Shaw, Samuel H. Overholt, H. W. Southan, Wainwright Jenkins and J. G. McAdoo, several of whom also made helpful addresses.

City Brilliants Council had a large attendance and received two applications. Orator M. J. Kelleher presented a pleasing entertainment, consisting of vocal duets by Brothers Llewellyn and Jones, and recitations by John Goodhart. Refreshments were served.

Regent Jacob Dixon of South End Council has returned from his vacation, which was spent in Michigan.

Regent Theodore S. Koch of Cabanne Council has returned from a visit to the Thousand Islands, Montreal, Quebec and other parts of interest.

Deputy Council officers will hold their semi-monthly conference at the Grand Council office to-morrow (Monday) evening. Several matters of more than ordinary importance will be considered.

Council meetings this week: Monday—Park, Tuesday—Kach-Ma-Ha, Jackson, Old Guard, Jewel, Bright Shield, Shekanah, Valley, Sedalia, East Side, Forest Park, Kossuth, Prairie, Mt. Charles, Northwood, Jefferson, Meramec Valley, Kirkwood and Overland. Chance four City. No meetings Friday and Saturday evening.

Ancient Order United Workmen.

Henry L. Jost, grand master workman of Missouri, will address a special meeting of the German Workmen's Association, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, at Skakopee Hall, on Gravois avenue and Texas avenue. All workmen, Knights of Honor and Knights of Security, are invited to attend.

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Modern Woodmen of America.

Camp No. 350, meets every Thursday night in Fraternal Hall, Eleventh street and Franklin avenue.

Lafayette Lodge, No. 291, met last Thursday evening and held a very interesting meeting. Reports are very favorable, and Lafayette Lodge intends to do her share in getting new material this fall and winter.

Degree of Honor, A. O. U. W.

North End Lodge met last Tuesday night with a large attendance. Clara Belle Merrell and a delegation from Murred Lodge were present. Talks were made by several visitors and an interesting appeal to the members to do their best to increase the members of the degree was made by former Grand Recorder Mrs. Murrell. A euchre and tea party was given at the home of Mrs. Soders recently. The next euchre will be held at Mrs. Spowe's residence, No. 919 Garth avenue, the receipts to be placed in the lodge general fund.

Bell Lodge celebrated its third anniversary September 20 and was surprised with a visit from the grand chief of honor, Mrs. Almaretta Morgan, of Kansas City. Miss Marguerite entertained with several recitations and Miss Ruby Kuhlmann rendered several musical selections. A donkey party was also held, the prize being won by Miss Maggie Morrison.

West End Lodge, No. 9, held a meeting Friday evening, September 22, at which nine candidates were elected to membership, eight were initiated and four made application for remedial certificates. Mrs. Almaretta Morgan of Kansas City, Mo., grand chief of honor, and Mrs. Matilda Whitehouse, grand outer sentinel, were among the visitors, and both gave talks on the good of the order. Chief of Honor Anna Brett enjoys the distinction of having drawn first prize on the lucky drawing night, as the Tyrolean Alps, which was an order on Scruggs, Vandervoort & Barney Dry Goods company, for $25. Musical selections were rendered by the Misses Grace and Edith McPherson. Refreshments were served, followed by dancing.

Phoenix Lodge, No. 46, will meet next Tuesday evening, September 26. All members are requested to be present and witness the initiation of five new candidates, which promises to be the finest of applications presented at both regular and special meetings of the Board of Directors.

Order of Columbian Knights.

Phoenix Lodge held its regular meeting Thursday evening, September 21, at Oriental Hall, Adams street and Jefferson avenue, the event being the celebration of its sixth anniversary. A short business session was held preceding the entertainment. Four applications were received and six candidates initiated. President William Mulen presided. The meeting was opened for visiting members and their friends. Delegations from Chicago and all the local lodges were present. A vaudeville programme was rendered, consisting of an overture by Professor Raymond's orchestra of eight pieces, recitation by Professor Callahan; vocal selections by the Element Quartet; Hebrew dialect comedian, M. Kaiser; vocal solo, F. Craven; recitation, Miss A. Braun; piano solo, F. Boyle; good of the order, Supreme Organizer W. L. Wessels. Cigars and souvenirs were distributed by the committee, Messrs. Quite and Cunningham. Orator Theodore Sue acted as toastmaster.

St. Louis Lodge will meet Monday evening, in old Fellows Hall, No. 816 Olive street. A large class of candidates will be ready for initiation at the close of the business session. An old-time smoker will be held for members only.

Plymouth Lodge holds its regular meeting Tuesday evening in Louisiana Hall, No. 911 North Vandeventer avenue. The regular order of business will be transacted and other important matters will be discussed and arrangements completed for the initiation of a class of fifty candidates, which will take place at the first regular meeting in October.

Express Lodge, No. 73, will meet Thursday evening in Whitmore Hall, Fourth street and Franklin avenue. Class initiation and regular order of business will be transacted, delegations from all the branches of the order will attend. A vaudeville bill will be presented.

Bond Lodge will meet Friday evening. President L. N. Bonham reports great activity among the members and a large class of candidates will be ready for admission at their first regular meeting in October.

Mound City Lodge will hold its regular meeting Friday evening. Business of great importance will be transacted. President Charles Gregory will preside.

Cheltenham Lodge will hold its next regular meeting Thursday evening at Old Fellows Hall. Regular order of business will be transacted.

Odd Fellows.

Mechanics' Lodge had five applications for membership, four candidates for the First degree and three for initiation at the last meeting. This lodge will initiate 100 candidates the first week in January. There are nine applications on the list now. Mechanics' degree staff conferred degrees for Arcadian Lodge on Tuesday night.

Martha Washington Lodge had 119 Rebekahs present at its last meeting, which was coincident with the anniversary of the institution of the Rebekah degree. One member was added to the roster, making the membership 336. Two candidates were balloted for and five petitions for membership were received. The lodge ordered a letter of condolence sent to Miss Lena Broder on the recent death of her mother. A letter was read from St. Louis Rebekah Lodge inviting Martha Washington Lodge to be present Wednesday night and participate in the anniversary exercises. Invitations from Dorcas and Choral lodges were also read. The programme was: Piano solo, Miss Dollie Franklin; duet, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Bennett; address, Frank C. Hall; vocal solo, Miss Marie Smetzer; piano solo, Miss Adele Smetzer; recitation, Miss Laura Cunningham. Ice cream and cake were served.

St. Louis Rebekah Lodge celebrated the fifty-fourth anniversary of institution of the Rebekah degree. There were present 165 persons. Routine business occupied, of three applications two candidates were balloted for, the next meeting there will be nine candidates for initiation. The lodge adjourned and opened for anniversary exercises. The officers were: Mrs. Josephine Thiele, noble grand; Mrs. Sarah Flynn, vice grand; Mrs. H. E. Rea, past grand; Mrs. J. Kepler, chaplain; Miss R. Clark, secretary; Mrs. Stella Boyer, orator. The chairs were filled by members of all the lodges. The welcome was cordial, an address to the degree of the Sovereign Grand Lodge Mrs. Stella Boyer made the address, which was applauded. Mrs. Rea gave a history of the starting of the branch of the order. The programme was as follows: Piano duet by Mrs. Catherine Maire and Miss Esther Kline, song by Mrs. Lillian B. Reine of Choral Lodge, with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Harry Skelber; recitation, Mrs. Newman Streets; duet of Nightingales, song by Anna Phelfer of Arcadia Lodge. Others taking part were: Miss Frances Farrum, Master Milton Holderman, Master Harry Johnson, Master Wilbur Graves, Miss Olga Banks, Miss Alice Thiele, Mrs. Margaret Hinkelmann, by request, Mrs. Katherine Mann recited "Trouble in the Amen Corner." Ice cream and cake were served.

Henry A. Hamilton, Charles T. Webster, John W. Black, Hiram Lloyd and Grand Master Lodge attended the Sovereign Grand Lodge at Philadelphia last week.

Rebekah Lodge will celebrate its sixth anniversary Tuesday evening at its hall, Manchester and Bilon avenues, the tenham.

Naomi Lodge had two applications for membership. The members were called upon for remarks on anniversary, and all responded. Mrs. Graves, the vice grand, suggested that the lodge prepare a Christmas box for the home. The boxes are to be sent in December.

Dorcas Lodge celebrated the fifty-fourth anniversary by giving a progressive euchre and hop.

Laclede Lodge met Thursday night. Two candidates received the third degree. A new Odd Fellow paper, printed at Kansas City, by Miss Mamie Stewart, formerly of Tripp Tent at Springfield, Mo., was on the secretary's desk. The Relief Board reports fourteen sick visitors now on the list.

On the day of the consolidation of Templar and Cosmos-De Soto lodges, a good programme was rendered. The lodge will bear the name of Templar. A quartet composed of W. B. Allen, Melvin Hirsch, Elias Dannenbaum and Mr. Mosbeck participated in the exercises. Cigars and lemonade and other refreshments were served.

Woodmen of the World.

Chopper Camp had one of the best meetings of the year last Thursday evening, and the prospects are bright for a large increase during the coming winter. Doctor De Groat of Oakland Camp was a visitor and told of the work done by his camp. Sovereign George Purdy spoke of his visits to various camps and of the improvement shown in their work.

Committees were appointed to arrange for the erection of monuments in memory of the late Sovereign John Strout and J. G. Romer. Arrangements were made to visit Oakland Camp to-morrow at Debrecht's Hall. The Entertainment Committee has been active of late, and as a result many of the members are showing evidence of good living.

Ladies of the Maccabees.

Chelle Hive has been making large gains for several months. It now has a membership of 300. The leaders, Mrs. Beach and Mrs. Doering, have been successful in planting many features for the benefit of the order. All of these will be an open meeting Tuesday, when each member is expected to bring a friend. Mrs. May A. C. Baikie, State commander, will speak.

The regular review of Anderson Hive took place Saturday evening with a large attendance. Business of importance was transacted. A euchre was given at Suburban Garden last night.

New Century Hive gave an entertainment Tuesday evening. It was attended by the Maccabees of the various hives and their friends. A literary programme was rendered, dancing was indulged in by the young people and refreshments were served. At one of the recent meetings several applications were received. The hive will give a ball in Tribp's Hall November 1. All members and friends of the order are invited.

American Hive was honored by a visit from the State commander, Mrs. May A. C. Baikie, Thursday evening, when one of the most impressive class initiations ever conducted in the State took place. American Hive has made the largest percentage of gain in the city and is working hard for the city banner. Twenty-two candidates have taken the obligation and pledged themselves to bring at least one member before January 1. Lady Tompkins filled the chair creditably as lady commander, and Lady Coffenberger assisted in the initiatory work. A team of guards was organized, with Lady Pipes as captain. Mrs. Oberck is leader of column 1 and Miss Pulley is leader of column 2. The team is to begin drilling at once, and expects to appear in public soon. Visitors were present from Queen Bee and St. Louis hives.

Ad Astra Hive reports a successful gathering at Hart's Hall Thursday evening. The hall was tastefully decorated. Dancing and euchre provided entertainment for young and old. Several prizes were captured by the visiting ladies, the fine trophy being carried off by Mrs. Scanlon. Visitors from all the hives in the city were present. Two members of the committee, Mrs. O'Neil and Miss Dueber, received particular mention for their work.

Lady Commander Mrs. Risdon was present and assisted in receiving the guests. Ad Astra Hive has opened its fall campaign, and, with all its members in the city, expects to do effective work.

The commanders of St. Louis held their regular fall meeting at the State commander's office Friday afternoon. Reports of the meeting were deferred.

Ladies of the Maccabees of St. Louis welcome home Mrs. Daisy Westfall, a member of Union Hive, who has resided in New York City for some time.

Lady Aldrich Hive had its regular review Thursday afternoon with a large attendance. This hive has voted to adopt the plan for the reinstatement of suspended members. This hive expects to celebrate with a literary programme the thirteenth anniversary of the order at the next review.

Emmett Hive held a meeting Saturday evening and entertained State Commander Mrs. May A. C. Baikie, and Supreme Representative Mrs. Risdon. The State commander occupied most of the time with schools of instruction. This hive expects to take a new interest in the order's affairs this autumn.

Jewel Hive is arranging for a box social in connection with Hall Tent. Ladies will be admitted free. This party will be held at Fischer's Hall, Coleman and North Market streets, September 29. Many members of the order and their friends are expected to attend.

At the recent review of Lillian Hive, three candidates were initiated. Mrs. Paras, the new commander, was complimented on her work. The hive served refreshments at every review.

Lady Foster Hive held its regular review September 21.

The two hives having the least number of suspensions for the year beginning July 1, 1904, and ending August 31, 1905, are Utopian and Alvine. The hive having the smallest percentage of suspensions is Oak Hill, which had also the largest attendance of any hive in Missouri.

Alvine Hive will celebrate the thirteenth anniversary of the order October 2 by holding an open meeting. An interesting programme is promised, including a fraternal speech by State Commander Mrs. May A. C. Baikie. All members of the order are invited. The hall is at Bowen street and Michigan avenue.

Tower Grove Hive will meet in regular review to-morrow afternoon and several applications for membership will be considered.

Liberty Hive met at the Odeon Tuesday evening with an attendance of about 250. Three members were initiated and several applications were received. The business meeting was shortened to allow time for the entertainment, which this month took the form of a mock trial. A large number of visitors attended the meeting and the hall was filled at the trial. Several members of Queen Bee Hive, headed by Mrs. Parker, R. K., announced their arrival by hearty cheers for the "Liberty Hustlers." The guards will give a social party at Anchor Hall, Park and Jefferson avenues, the evening of October 7. The date of the euchre to be given by the hive in October will be announced later.

Maccabees.

Owing to the disagreeable weather the attendance at the last review of Anderson Tent was not as good as usual, but several applications were received and much enthusiasm was manifested. This tent is making arrangements for a series of open meetings during the fall and winter to increase the membership. The great commander made some interesting remarks under the good of the order.

Hall Tent, No. 8, held its regular review in the Fraternal building Thursday night. A large percentage of the members was present, including the great commander, who was cordially received. Three applications were presented for membership. Thursday this tent will give a social and box party in connection with Jewel Hive in Fischer's Hall, North Market and Newman streets. Under the good of the order interesting talks were made by the great commander and others. Sir Knight Honig of Maplewood entertained with several vocal selections.

Imperial Tent held a well-attended review Thursday night. Several applications were presented and arrangements made for a vigorous fall campaign for new members.

Denton Tent held a well-attended review Thursday night. Three applications were presented, and the tent expects to have quite a number to initiate at its next review.

Fern Glen is gradually forging ahead. At its last review it initiated three candidates and expects to duplicate it at the review to-morrow night. A cordial invitation is extended all members of the order to be present at the review of this tent.

Missouri Tent is holding its own right along, making a splendid record for having so few suspensions. The record keeper, Sir Knight Goodman, who was in the West on a vacation for some time, recently returned, and is now ready to take up the duty of record keeper once more.

Macks Tent lost by death its record keeper, Sir Knight MacKenzie. The funeral took place at his residence, No. 1203 Hoyle avenue, Tuesday afternoon. The services were conducted by the great commander by request.

The ball given by Crystal Tent Thursday was a success, and reflects great credit on the committee in charge. To each woman attending the ball a pair of statuettes were presented.

The tents in Southeast Missouri are still forging to the front under the management of Sir Knight Speidel, deputy great commander. All are in excellent condition and expect to add many members this fall.

Knights of Father Mathew.

The organization of St. Patrick's Council, Knights of Father Mathew, will be commemorated Wednesday evening, October 11, in Westminster Hall, No. 356 Olive street. Preparations for the celebration indicate that it will be one of the most imposing affairs given by the Knights of Father Mathew recently.

Only 500 invitations will be issued and admission will be by card only. One of the following young ladies, prominent in Catholic circles, is being considered by the Committee of Arrangements for the honor of being queen: Misses Mamie Flaherty, Roberta Steodeman, Mamie Brady, Margaret O'Brien, Mollie Curran, Annie McAdam, Sadie Igoe, Mary Nestor, Agnes McGinley, Mamie Dorsey, Kathryn O'Malley, Mamie Lynne, Lonie Conley, Carrie Kulage, Annie Metloff, Othelia Heltig, Mary Troy, Mamie Begley, Annie Cheey. The young lady chosen by the committee will, on the evening of the celebration, receive a beautiful gold medal, designed from the original medal Father Mathew distributed among those he pledged to the cause of total abstinence.

Ladies of the G. A. R.

Members of the order heard that the department president, Mrs. Sue Brentnell Arend, is convalescent. Mrs. Arend is still seriously ill.

Mrs. Susan E. Sackett of Colonel William Henry Stark Circle, No. 2, is ill at her residence, No. 2211 Bates avenue.

Lizbeth Neale Circle, No. 4, will give a progressive euchre Tuesday afternoon in the hall, corner of Taylor and Easton avenues.

Colonel William Henry Stark Circle, No. 2, will celebrate the anniversary of its organization Wednesday evening at No. 4042 Kossuth avenue. Members of the order are welcome.

National Union.

Standard Council, National Union, held its regular meeting last Monday night and received visitors from Log Cabin Council. Doctor A. H. Jones was initiated, and two applications were received and filed. Friends Godfrey, Godfrey and Shafer of Log Cabin, and Ohrendorf and Fuber of Standard spoke on subjects of interest to the order. Friend Rainey invited the members of Standard to a social euchre to be given soon. After the meeting the visitors were entertained with refreshments.

National Union.

The meeting of Log Cabin Council last Wednesday evening was fairly well attended. One candidate was initiated and one application received. Friend Shafer reported that arrangements had been made to hold a social October 19.

K. F. M. Anniversary.

St. Patrick's Council, Knights of Father Mathew, have issued cards of invitation to the twenty-fourth anniversary celebration of the council at Westminster Hall, No. 356 Olive street, Wednesday evening, October 11.

RUN OVER BY MILK WAGON.

Tired Driver Sleeps in Road and Is Driven Over.

While sleeping in the road at Bircher street and Broadway, yesterday morning at 2:30 o'clock, Henry Wessel was run over by a milk wagon and painfully bruised. He was taken to the City Hospital.

Wessell was employed by the Kleinhans Dairy Company at No. 6236 North Broadway. While on his way home yesterday morning he became sleepy and fell in the road.

An hour later William Klausing Jr. came along in a milk wagon. He did not see Wessell lying in the road and the wagon wheels passed over him.

Nomination for Congress.

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 23.—A certificate of nomination for Congress in the Fourteenth Congressional District was filed today with Secretary of State Rose by Homer L. Darby, candidate of the Socialist party. This is the first nomination certified in the district.

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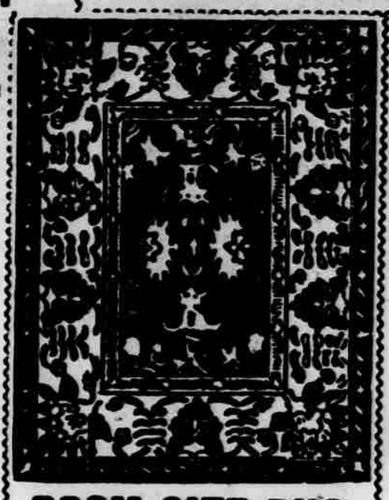

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