

ANTE ROOM ECHOES.

Several Very Pleasant Social Entertainments Mark This Week.

The Mystic Shrine Meets Next Week— I. O. O. F. and K. of P. Show Activity— A. O. U. W. and Other Orders.

General activity marked the week in secret society circles. The orders held their ordinary meetings and a fair amount of degree work was done.

The Mystic Shrine meets next week on Tuesday evening and conferred the most excellent degree on several brethren.

The stated convention of Utah chapter was held on Wednesday evening. The business was of a routine character and no special work came up.

The commandery held the stated convocation on Thursday evening, at which the knight templar degree was conferred, and last evening the chapter held a special meeting for work, which was well attended and a great deal of interest in the proceedings manifested.

This afternoon the officers of the grand lodge, together with a number of the faithful and a delegation from Weber lodge, of Ogden, will pay an official visit to Corinne lodge No. 5 at Corinne.

Matters have been very active in the Masonic order all the week, and the meeting of the shrine next week is looked forward to with a great deal of interest and promises to be a very successful session.

I. O. O. F. The work among the Odd Fellows has been of a routine character this week.

On Monday evening Jordan lodge held its usual meeting, at which the first degree was conferred on two candidates and the regular routine business transacted.

Miriam Rebekah lodge will meet this evening and will confer the degree on twelve candidates. The supper and social entertainment given by the Rebekahs last Saturday evening was a great success.

The new ritual has occupied a great deal of the attention of all the lodges this week. It is very fine, and when the members become thoroughly proficient in its workings will be very beautiful.

Calantha lodge on Monday night enjoyed a very good meeting with a large attendance. There was no degree work, and most of the time was occupied in practicing the new ritual.

Myrtle lodge had a large meeting on Tuesday evening. Several applications for membership were received and placed in the hands of the proper committees for investigation.

The uniform rank held a business meeting last evening and installed the officers for the ensuing term, whose names have already been published in THE HERALD.

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Temple lodge transacted the usual routine business on last Monday evening. The organization of a third A. O. U. W. lodge in this city was considered and addresses made by Deputy Grand Master Workman Stone of Ogden and District Deputy Grand Master Workman Fuller.

lating the lodge on its prosperity and gave some good counsel in regard to the future. The question of building an A. O. U. W. temple in Salt Lake is being agitated and is making satisfactory progress.

"That, should sufficient interest be shown, an enough subscriptions be guaranteed, this order shall construct a temple for its own use. The details of an organization, and the amount of assistance to be expected was invested in a committee of six, consisting of the regular trustees of Salt Lake Valley lodge, Messrs. G. A. Hill, J. B. Taylor and Joseph William Taylor, and also W. H. Culmer, J. Boehmer and George Teasdale, with power to act.

The subject was submitted to the members of the order of Salt Lake city, by circulars, with a pledge to be returned, filed out. We will report progress as the scheme matures."

The ball given under the auspices of the order on Wednesday evening is the subject of pleasant recollections, it being an affair of unusual interest and success. The program being such a long one, yet in the opinion of the audience, showing the delight of the audience at being treated to such splendid talent. The worthy president, who presided at the lodge, wishing everyone to feel as if they were at home by their own fireside, enjoying a comfortable and a restful evening, by helping them in every possible manner both financially and by cheering the sorrowful by sympathizing with them in all their troubles and imparting fresh hopes.

Miss Crissie Lawson favored the audience by rendering very splendidly on the organ the piece, "Angel's of Dawn," as the opening.

Miss Lillie Sears sang very beautifully in a rich full voice, "The Little Fisherman," which took so well with everyone that an encore was demanded, for which she gave them "Madeline."

Recitation, Miss Maude Pratt, "Whistling in Heaven," which was applauded very much for the pathetic manner in which it was delivered.

The next item treat the audience received was a grand one, a quartette by the Arion Glee club, consisting of the Edmunds brothers, Alvin Owen and James McCurdy, who rendered "What Beams So Bright," with such excellent taste and finish that the hearers were enraptured and demanded another encore, to which they cheerfully responded by giving "Farewell My Own True Love," in the most perfect tone, their voices harmonizing in a splendid manner.

quite captivated, everyone joining in the chorus with all their heart; encore, "Bridal Soldier," coming very appropriately.

Mr. W. Coburn started the second part of the programme by rendering a grand old piece from Mozart's Twelfth Mass, with a dash and finish that fairly electrified the audience.

The Arion Glee club again favored the company by giving them in most artistic style the programme of exercises known as the "Hill."

The Salt Lake Temple of Honor No. 1 gave the fourth monthly entertainment at its hall over the Deseret National bank on Thursday evening to a large and appreciative audience which filled the house.

The programme of exercises was effectively rendered: Opening remarks by W. V. T., Fred R. Poll.

The gentlemen present were cordially invited to become members of the order, the initiatory fee being reduced to \$5 for a limited time, one-half in advance.

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