

Knights of Pythias Game Dinner Thoroughly Enjoyed by Guests

Fully 200 gentlemen—members of the local lodge of Knights of Pythias and their friends—last evening sat before a banquet board that fairly creaked with the weight of good things to eat, and enjoyed the results of the hunt. Ducks and chickens were aplenty, with all the other accessories that go to make a dinner fit for a king—mashed potatoes, baked beans, salad, cranberry sauce, green vegetables and every other delicacy known to culinary art, all served in admirable style.

For several days the knights had invaded the hunting fields with but one event in mind, their opening dinner. Birds were brought in by the score, prepared in the most savory manner, and last night the full fruition of their efforts were realized and they have reason to feel proud of the success of so large an undertaking.

After a score of waiters, selected from the membership ranks, had served helpings a second and a third time and the banqueters leaned back in satisfaction, Chancellor Commander I. J. Moe, introduced Dr. C. E. Hunt, who sang two appropriate songs with Dr. Laughlin as accompanist.

Atty. Herman Winterer, Past Chancellor Commander, told something of the early history of the lodge and reviewed its growth, being also prophetic of the future.

Atty. Lee Combs, also Past Chancellor Commander of the local lodge told of the ideals and purposes of the order, as did A. P. Paulson.

Atty. M. J. Engert was then called upon, and he indulged in pointed humor in a manner to put the genial states attorney in a class by himself.

J. J. Earley commended the undertaking of the lodge in the proposed new home and paid tribute to the progressive work of the members affiliated with the order.

Mayor L. S. Platon responded in an appreciation of the work of the lodge and the sumptuous repast and its "get-together" spirit.

Dr. E. A. Pray, as the last speaker to be called upon, told a number of pointed stories that made further for the enjoyment of the evening.

In closing, Chancellor Commander Moe explained the purpose of the dinner as being in keeping with the "get-together" ideal of the K. of P. lodge and in behalf of the order thanked the hunters, the waiters, the chefs and all those who were directly instrumental in the success of the evening.

To the many young men present the spirit of the evening and the ideals of the order as alluded to by the several speakers must have been intensely impressive, and such that any young man can well afford to affiliate himself with. Our hats off to the K. of P.'s on the success of their undertaking.

Mrs. Frank Ployhar entertained about 15 ladies at 500 at her home on North Fourth avenue Friday afternoon. A turkey dinner was served and the ladies were loth to leave so hospitable a hostess.

Miss Beatrice Sorem spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting at Fargo and Dilworth, Minn., returning to the city on Thursday morning.

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Board of Equalization Has Another Session

Bismarck, Oct. 28.—The state board of equalization re-assembled last Saturday at which time they considered the re-assessment of the Hughes Electric Light, Heat & Power company, located at Bismarck, which company has been previously assessed at \$43,380. The board of equalization reduced it on Saturday to \$39,000. The board was unanimous in this action with the exception of State Treasurer Steen, who voted against it. Within a few weeks the tax commission will bring action in the courts to test the power of the state board of equalization to reduce the valuation on one electric light plant and not on others in the same county. The contention of the tax commission is that the state board of equalization in their action Saturday acted as a town board of review and not as a state board of equalization and that their action on Saturday was unconstitutional without warrant in law or equity.

The reduction in the assessment of the Hughes Heat & Power company is regarded as a test case as to the powers of the state board of equalization, John Steen and the tax commission agreeing that the state board have only the power to equalize between counties and cannot equalize between individuals.

Dokey Temple Moved From Fargo to Lisbon

Local members of the Knights of Pythias will be interested in the following from the Lisbon paper:

After several months of negotiation by prominent Pythians of this city, final official sanction has been secured to the removal of El Tizri temple No. 8, Dramatic Order Knights of Khorassan, from Fargo to Lisbon.

This fraternal organization is widely known among the Knights of Pythias as the "Playground of Pythianism." Lisbon now has the honor of having the only temple in the state of North Dakota, including in its jurisdiction all K. of P. lodges in the state.

The first ceremonial under Lisbon management was held at the meeting of the grand lodge at Fargo on June 23, last. At that time 24 candidates joined the caravan amid hilarious rejoicing. On Oct. 23, next, a grand ceremonial will be held at Lisbon, immediately following the annual K. of P. duck supper. Some 30 Tyros are expected from Edgeley, Oakes, Ellendale and Valley City, besides a large local contingent. The following ceremonial will be held at the meeting of the grand lodge, K. of P., at Carrington next June.

The D. O. K. K. seems destined to advertise Lisbon throughout the state as the home of a live and enthusiastic brotherhood.

M. W. Kiszor, of White Lake, S. D., passed through this city Thursday in a Ford car on his way to Page where he will visit Henry Gusham, a relative. Mr. Kiszor reported crops good in his locality. He left White Lake at 8 a. m. Oct. 27, arriving in Valley City Oct. 28 at noon.

E. L. McGee returned to the city on Tuesday from Michigan, where he bought several cars of apples which will follow soon.

SUMMONS

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, County of Barnes. In District Court, Third Judicial District.

Olive R. Odermann, Plaintiff,

vs.

Matthew J. Odermann, Defendant

The State of North Dakota to the Above Named Defendant:

You are hereby summoned to answer the Complaint in this action, which is filed in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of said Barnes County, North Dakota, and to serve a copy of your answer upon the subscriber within thirty days after the service of this summons upon you, exclusive of the day of such service; and in case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the Complaint.

Dated October 18th, 1915.

A. A. TWICHELL,

Plaintiff's attorney,

Office and Post Office address, Tower City, North Dakota.

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THE CITY

Mayor and Mrs. Platon went to Fargo on No. 4 Friday afternoon to attend the reception given there for Secretary and Mrs. McAdoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Neumann returned Friday morning from Minneapolis, where they have spent the last few days.

Miss Martha Steinke entertained the lady clerks of the John D. Gray store Thursday evening. Lunch was served at the close of a delightful evening.

Mrs. W. C. Lyon left Friday afternoon on No. 4 for Fargo to see her sister, Mrs. F. E. Bell, who has been quite seriously ill.

Mrs. Bertha Roth has returned to her home at Casselton, after a week's visit in the city at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herman Stern, on Tenth avenue.

Ben Hoyer, of Duluth, Minn., who was here to attend the Belknap-Peterson wedding, left on No. 4 Thursday for his home, going by way of Minneapolis.

On Tuesday Mrs. C. G. Nickells, of Milnor, visited in Valley City on her way home from Miles City, Mont. While here Mrs. Nickells was visiting with friends at the Hotel Klondike.

Miss Hermione Winterer was an over-Sunday visitor in the city at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Winterer, coming up from Minneapolis on Saturday with Miss Lella Tracy.

Wm. Germain, of Waupun, Wis., returned to Clark City on Wednesday, after spending the fore part of the week in the city. After he finishes threshing on his farm near Clark City he will return to Waupun.

Mrs. A. A. Gad and her mother, Mrs. Donovan, and two children, are now pleasantly settled in Long Beach, Cal., for the winter, and have met some friends from Valley City. They are delighted with the climate and anticipate an enjoyable stay.

The new teachers of the Ritchie school entertained the ones who were here last year with a launch ride up the river Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Carr, who have been staying at the Rudolf hotel while in the city, expect to get settled for the winter in the Geo. M. Young bungalow on North Fifth avenue next week.

H. J. Kennedy, accompanied by Mrs. George Burroughs, Mrs. Walton Zorn and Mrs. R. O. Smith, came up from Oakes in the automobile Thursday and spent a short time in the city. They were joined by Mrs. A. Kennedy, of the millinery department of Gray's store, and went on to Cuba where they visited at the Richard Kennedy home.

Kathryn Recorder: Some thoughtless person east of the river, in the Storie neighborhood, started to burn off some stubble Monday of this week. It worked fine, burning off about 100 acres of grain in shock belonging to Mr. Storie, besides considerable hay in stack.

Sanborn Enterprise: Cashier and Mrs. P. S. Hanna left Wednesday night to be present at home coming day of the University of Illinois, of which institution Mr. Hanna is a graduate, Saturday, Oct. 30, on which date the great Illinois-Minnesota football game will be played.

Charles Mason, of Rogers, was in the city Tuesday. Mr. Mason recently met with an injury to his hand, which he unfortunately caught in the chain on the feeder of the separator, but the hand is doing nicely now. Mr. Mason is a half-brother of the Mason brothers of this city. He expects to return to Wisconsin after Nov. 1.

C. E. Mortrude has returned to his home at Seattle, Wash., after spending the past four months in Barnes county attending to his farming interests on his farm near Nome. Mrs. Mortrude, who accompanied Mr. Mortrude here, returned to Seattle a few weeks ago.

Miss Elizabeth Green left Friday for Seattle after six weeks' visit at her home on North Fifth avenue. She is employed in the offices of the Milwaukee railway company in Seattle, as stenographer, and will resume her duties there.

Sanborn Enterprise: Nick Hoffart, an old resident of western Barnes county, has left his farm and moved into town, occupying the Dr. Lang residence, corner First and Coe streets, which he recently bought.

Oscar Olson, of Cooperstown, was in the city Thursday, en route from Montana, where he has been farming this summer on his claim. While in the city he was the guest of C. A. Olson and family. He left on No. 7 Friday morning for his home in Cooperstown, where he expects to spend the winter.

Sanborn Enterprise: Mrs. R. E. Kee went to Spiritwood last Monday morning, where she joined with the other children, relatives and friends and neighbors in celebrating the golden wedding of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bronson. Other guests from here were Robert Kee, Sr., and Mrs. T. B. Swartout.

Phone it in to the Times-Record.

This Little Pig Going to Market and be Sold

(Farm Information Service. N. D. Experiment Station.)

This is the time of the year that the pigs owner is thinking of putting piggy in shape for a trip to town. Corn is the greatest food for putting pigs in condition for the town trip. According to circular No. 9, of the North Dakota experiment station, barley is the next best feed. Oats can also be used, but should not form more than one-third of the ration for the fattening hog. For the growing pig it can form as much as one-half of the feed. According to this circular the best prices are paid for hogs weighing 180 to 225 pounds and the most profit will be made on the hog that can be made to reach this weight by Dec. 1. This can be done with the 125 to 150 pound hog by pushing it.

The 50 to 100 pound hog will need to be fed a growing ration for at least two months before starting to fatten it. A good growing ration can be made up of one-third barley, one-third oats and one-third shorts. If the shorts are not available, barley and oats can be used half and half. At the present prices of grain better returns can be secured from feeding it to hogs than by marketing it direct. The circular discusses the best ways of finishing and marketing the 1915 hog crop.

MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Michael Baumgartner and Maria Baumgartner, his wife, mortgagors, to T. A. Quirk, mortgagee, dated the 2nd day of December, 1907, and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Barnes and State of North Dakota on the 18th day of December, 1907, at 11:05 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book "35" of Mortgages at page 283, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Court House in the City of Valley City, in the County of Barnes and State of North Dakota, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., on the 7th day of December, 1915, to satisfy the amount due upon such mortgage on the day of sale.

The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are situate in the County of Barnes and State of North Dakota and described as follows: The South West quarter (S. W. ¼) of Section number Twelve (12) in Township number One hundred thirty-eight (138) North, of Range number Fifty-six (56) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the Government survey thereof.

And Whereas default has been made in the payment of the sum of \$140.00 interest which became due December 1st, 1912, and \$140.00 interest which became due December 1st, 1913, and \$140.00 interest which became due December 1st, 1914 thereunder, and no part paid, the said T. A. Quirk, mortgagee and holder of said mortgage, has duly elected and does hereby elect to declare the whole principal sum of said mortgage due and payable at the date of this notice under the terms and conditions of said mortgage and the power of sale therein contained.

There will be due on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of Twenty-six Hundred Sixty-four and 25-100 Dollars (\$2,664.25), besides the costs and disbursements of this proceeding, including attorney's fees as provided by law.

Dated October 20, 1915.

T. A. QUIRK,

Mortgagee.

WILLIAM J. CLAPP,

Attorney for Mortgagee,

Fargo, N. D.

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Law In Force November 16

Under the trapping law which goes into force, special trapping licenses are required and the regular hunting license is not good for trapping. County auditors sell trapping licenses, and all who trap must purchase a trapping license, except boys under 16, or parties trapping on land upon which they live. Resident trapping licenses cost \$1 and non-resident licenses cost \$25.

The trapping season opens November 16, but the chicken season closes November 1, at sunset.

Mrs. P. A. Henrickson and Mrs. C. J. Olson very pleasantly entertained 16 ladies at the home of Mrs. Henrickson on North Tenth avenue. The afternoon was passed in sewing and at 5 o'clock refreshments were served at small tables.

Mrs. Edwin Mayland is enjoying a ten days' visit with friends and relatives at Minneapolis and Cokato, Minn.

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Six States to Join in "All Northwest Day"

San Francisco, Oct. 26.—Accepting the truth of the old saw "In union there is strength," the six northwestern states—Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Washington and Oregon—are to join hands in the production of a great "All Northwest Day" at the Panama-Pacific International exposition. The date selected is Friday, Nov. 5.

This celebration is to be known on the Jewel City calendar as "Zone of Plenty Day," and as planned it promises to outshine any state effort yet made at the big exposition. It is the purpose of the six state commissions to convince the thousands of visitors that the northwest is, as James J. Hill has said, "a Zone of Plenty."

To accomplish this it is proposed to give away immense quantities of prize products. Each of the six states is to feature one or two great staples. Sample sacks of flour will be Minnesota's gift to the exposition visitors. North Dakota will give away Larimore potatoes; Montana will contribute cereals and cereal products; Idaho, preserved prunes; Washington, apples; and Oregon, Tillamook cheese and logan berry juice. In addition to these, "Zone of Plenty" souvenirs will be given away by the Great Northern railroad.

"Zone of Plenty Day" falls in "Live Stock week," and on this day the much anticipated live stock show will

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be in full swing, with the big harness races on the exposition mile track. The week also is shown as "Agricultural week," and it is expected that more of the tillers of the soil will be present at this time than on any previous week of the entire exposition period. Thus it is assured that many of those who will join in the northwest's celebration will be men genuinely interesting in farming opportunities.

The scene of the open air celebration on "Zone of Plenty Day," is states circle which several of the state buildings face. Also there will be exercises in the buildings of Oregon, Washington, Idaho, Montana and North Dakota and in the building of the Great Northern railroad in which Minnesota has her exhibit.

The committee in charge of the arrangements is composed of E. A. Hazebaker of Montana; Mrs. W. A. Holzheimer and Charles J. Heitner of Washington; William Blonder and Henry O'Neill, of Minnesota; W. E. Holbein of North Dakota; George M. Hyland and N. R. Moore of Oregon; and J. A. Cziele of Idaho.

AUTO IS STOLEN

Brinsmade, N. D., Oct. 29.—Ole Erhart, who lives out near Harlow, had his Maxwell automobile stolen from his shed. The authorities were notified and the sheriff set out on the trail.

ENGINE FALLS OFF FLAT CAR

Dickinson, Oct. 27.—While loading a large Case traction engine onto a flat car in the yards here, D. W. Friesen, local manager for the Sace company, very narrowly escaped serious injury and a possible death. Mr. Friesen was controlling the engine, but while watching one side, he ran a little too close to the other side and before he realized what had happened, the front wheel had slipped off of the car and the engine toppled over on its side and down onto the ground. Fortunately Mr. Friesen was thrown clear of the machine and thus escaped being hurt. The engine was damaged to the extent of about \$100, the N. P. wrecker was out and the large tractor righted and repairs put in. The engine was to be shipped to Bowden, N. D.

DENIES REPORTS OF 30 DEATH SENTENCES

Berlin, Oct. 28.—Denials of a report printed in Holland that 30 or more death sentences against Belgians charged with espionage and treason, had been pronounced by court martial at Liege, is made to the Overseas News agency today.

"As a matter of fact," it says, "there has been in Liege recently, no death sentence imposed upon persons for assisting Belgians to escape and join enemy armies nor are proceedings in cases of that nature now pending. The report is a pure invention."

SERIOUSLY HURT IN RUNAWAY

Rolla, Oct. 27.—Gust J. Fagerlund met with a serious accident. He was driving a team hitched to a buggy when the horses, becoming frightened, tried to run away. Mr. Fagerlund in his efforts to hold them was dragged over the dash board and in falling he dislocated his right arm and lacerated some of the muscles. He was taken at once to a doctor and the dislocation was reduced under the influence of chloroform. Mr. Fagerlund will be laid up for several weeks with the painful accident.

Mrs. V. G. McLeod and two children, who reside at McLeod, N. D., were Valley City visitors on Monday.

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