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Masonic Affairs.

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that an appropriation be made for that purpose. A mistaken idea of the ultimate object of this association seemed to be prevalent among some of our grand jurisdictions, in thinking that the object was to provide a local lodge room for our Masonic brethren in Alexandria, when the primary and controlling idea is to provide a safe and secure depositary for the priceless Masonic relics now the individual property of our Alexandria brethren.

"A conservative value of these relics was stated to be between $1,500,000 and $2,000,000, and it was stated that an offer approximating those amounts had been received from one of our large Masonic jurisdictions if a sale would be made.

"A personal and Masonic pride forbade the parting with these mementoes, and the belief that the great Masonic fraternity of this country would desire these treasures, dear to the hearts of us all, should be securely protected, both from fire and theft, has induced our brethren of the lodge in which our illustrious brother held his membership to appeal to the craft at large for subscriptions to build this memorial. Considerable progress has already been made, and with the added impetus of the official participation of grand chapters and grand commanderies the success of the undertaking seems to be assured."

Knights of the Maccabees.

Calendar.

May 18—National Tent, No. 1, Old Masonic Temple; Mount Vernon Tent, No. 4, Northeast Temple, Twelfth and H streets northeast; Anacostia Tent, No. 7, Masonic Hall, Anacostia.

May 19—Brightwood Tent, No. 5, Maccabee Hall, Georgia avenue and Longfellow street, Brightwood; Metropolitan Tent, No. 12, Fifth and G streets northwest.

May 21—Georgetown Tent, No. 6, Wisconsin avenue and M streets northwest; District Tent, No. 8, Four-and-a-half and G streets southwest.

State Commander D. W. Gall has spent the week on official visits to tents in Virginia, and reports large meetings and a royal reception extended to him. He visited Richmond, Newport News, and Norfolk, and on Monday night, at Norfolk, a joint meeting of the tents in the city was held, and a crowded house greeted him. The meeting was held under the auspices of Brambleton Tent, No. 25, and the reception given the official was an index of the high esteem in which he is held by the members of the association.

Mr. L. W. Williamson, of Brambleton, introduced Mr. Gall. He took occasion to extend not only his personal pleasure in having the presence of the State commander, but he voiced "warm feelings of friendship and fraternity" of his tent and the entire brotherhood in that city.

Mr. Gall responded in a very feeling way to the good-fellowship of his membership in Norfolk, and pointed out the duty of the members to their fellow-man.

Responses to call were made by many of the members present, and refreshments were served.

Tuesday night Mr. Gall met with Tidewater Division, No. 1, Uniform Rank, and on Wednesday visited Newport News, appointing local deputies in each of the cities. He visited Richmond, both going and returning.

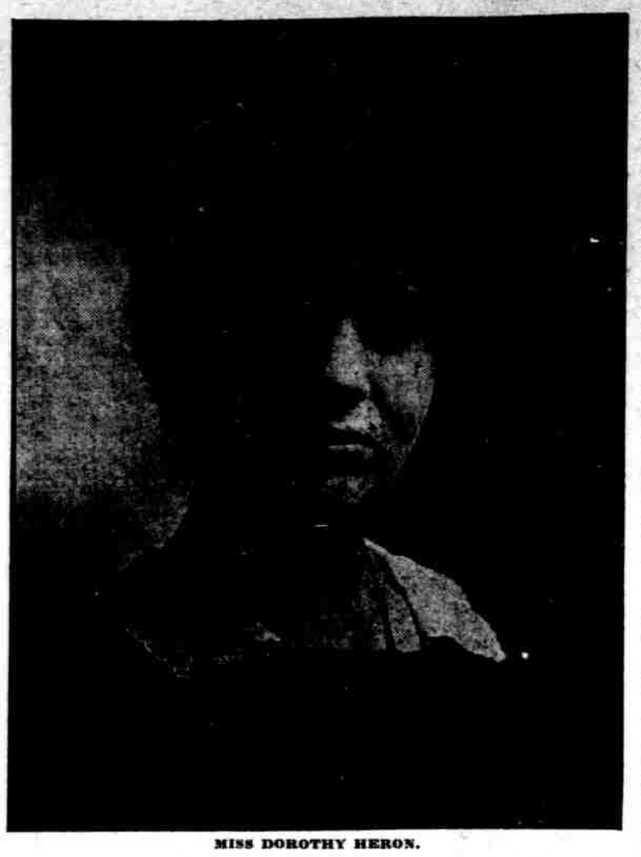
Charlottesville Tent, No. 27, is making an enviable record this month, but Norfolk and Richmond are not lagging far behind.

In the District of Columbia the work has been, since the first class in October, on the forward movement, and with the two following classes in December and March, the several tents have added largely to their membership, and now the contest is on for the District banner, which will be awarded the ist of July to the tent putting in the largest number of members between January 1 and July 1, 1914, and the race is between National Tent, No. 1; Mount Vernon Tent, No. 4, and District Tent, No. 8.

HOUSEWARMING IS PLANNED.

At the meeting of Washington Camp Friday evening, the entertainment committee reported that arrangements had been made to have a house warming at the new lodge room, Old Masonic Temple, on next Friday evening, May 22. A. M. Coulter presented the camp an attachment for the urn station, made from brass secured from the "Maine." After a rising vote of thanks to Neighbor Coulter, the first pebble was cast in

Fairest Women In Pageant



MISS DOROTHY HERON.

"The Fire Regained," the Grecian pageant-drama, opened at Sixteenth and V streets last Saturday and was a great success in every way, and it was immediately seen by the readers of The Herald that the "beauty contest" for the selection of the nine most attractive young ladies was well worth the keen competition that has been started in these columns. Out of the 1,500 participants about 800 are young ladies, fully half the number comely enough to be entered as representative Washingtonians. Save The Heralds and send your nine selections to The Herald Contest Editor not later than Saturday morning. The last reproduction will be published on Friday of this week.

same by former Advisor H. B. Shurtleff. Three applications for membership were reported on favorably. Notice was given that at the meeting in two weeks a motion would be made appropriating sufficient money to give the uniformed team a two weeks' outing at some place they will decide on in the meantime. It was decided to send Van W. Roberts, clerk of the camp, to Toledo in June to participate in the National Clerks' convention that will convene at that time.

B. P. O. Elks.

A regular meeting of Washington Lodge was held on Wednesday evening with the usual large attendance, regardless of the weather. Many new applications for membership were presented.

F. J. Mersheimer, chairman of the flag day committee, made a full report to the lodge as to the program for the celebration of this occasion. The affair will be conducted at the Elks' Club on Monday evening, June 15. Congressman O'Reilly, of Connecticut, has consented to honor the lodge with his presence as speaker of the evening, and a number of Washington's local talent have proffered their aid. After the services, the lodge will be entertained by the board of stewards. This, in itself, and the past good work already done by this committee, ought to insure a very large attendance.

Samuel Richards, as chairman of the committee for visiting the sick, reported that all members who had been confined to their homes or hospitals during the past week or ten days are improving.

Brother W. J. Thorpe, one of the younger members of the lodge, entertained with a very interesting talk in connection with his travels in the West, especially his experiences in Pueblo, Colo.

A very fitting tribute was paid by the lodge to the memory of the sailors and marines who gave up their lives in the defense of their country and the honor of their flag at the occupation of Vera Cruz.

The oyster committee, after having passed through a very successful winter's entertainment with the bivalves and also during the early spring with clams, are anticipating having a crab feast in the near future on the roof garden, which will be made a ladies' affair.

A beautiful pair of Elks' antlers has been placed in the library of the club by consent of Mr. Burdine, They are said to be the finest specimen of antlers in this section of the country.

Past Exalted Ruler Hugh F. Harvey, with very eloquent remarks, presented to the retiring exalted ruler, J. J. Gorman, a life membership in the order, and Brother Gorman expressed his thanks and appreciation in fitting terms.

The lodge was entertained by interesting talks from the following visiting brethren: Brother B. M. Moore, of New York Lodge, No. 1, and Brother Blockson, of Pueblo, Colo., Lodge, No. 90.

Knights of Pythias.

Calendar.

May 18—Equal Lodge, No. 17, rank of knight; Amaranth, No. 28, business; Century, No. 30, rank of esquire.

May 19—Webster, No. 7, rank of knight; Excelsior, No. 14, rank of page; Capital, No. 24, rank of esquire; Myrtle, No. 25, rank of esquire.

May 20—Mount Vernon, No. 5, business; Union, No. 22, grand visitation.

May 21—Hermione, No. 12; Franklin, No. 2, business.

May 22—Syracusians, No. 10, business.

PYTHIAN SISTERS.

May 20—Friendship Temple, No. 9, degree work; Rathbone Temple, No. 8, business.

PAST CHIEFS' ASSOCIATION.

May 22—Box party, Pythian Temple.

MISCELLANEOUS.

May 19—Knight rank team of Syracusians Lodge, No. 10, confers rank of knight for Oriental Lodge, No. 6, of Alexandria, Va.

Officials Visit Harmony Lodge.

Grand Chancellor H. M. Vandervort and his associate Grand Lodge officers paid Harmony Lodge No. 21 their annual visitation last Thursday evening and were greeted with a large attendance of the membership of the domain. Representatives from all of the Pythian bodies in the domain were present with the exception of one. The reports of the Grand Lodge officers showed the lodge to be in a flourishing condition.

The secret work of the order was exemplified in a very impressive manner by Grand Lecturer James N. Kline. At the conclusion of the official portion of the visitation a very interesting address was delivered by Hon. W. E. Andrews, of the Treasury Department, a member of Amaranth Lodge No. 28. The program included: Piano solo, Joseph Stein, of Century Lodge No. 30; vocal solo, Mr. Melville D. Hensey, accompanied by W. E. Dentinger, of Century Lodge No. 30, at the piano.

Calanthe Lodge Confers Ranks.

Calanthe Lodge No. 11, conferred the rank of esquire on one candidate, and the rank of knight on two at their convention of last Monday, and will confer the ranks of page and esquire at their convention of the 25th.

Box Party to Be Given.

The Past Chiefs' Association of the Pythian Sisters of this Domain will hold a box party in the hall of Rathbone Temple No. 8 at Pythian Temple on next Friday evening.

Death Takes Three Members.

The grim reaper, Death, entered three of the lodges in this domain during the past week and called from their earthly labors three of the older members of the order, in the persons of Past Chancellor B. D. Thomson, of Webster Lodge, No. 7; Past Chancellor A. D. Shaw, of Franklin, No. 2; and Knight J. W. Childs, of Myrtle, No. 25.

Drill Company Enters Competition.

At a meeting of Washington Company, No. 1, Military Department, at its armory at Pythian Temple on last Wednesday evening, eight new members were initiated and Capt. Fred M. Pelzman was directed to notify Maj. Gen. Arthur J. Stobbart, commanding the military department of the formal entry of the drill team of that company in Class A, for the competitive drill of the organization to be held during the biennial encampment of the rank at Terre Haute, Ind., in July. The captain also announced that hereafter, weather permitting, the drill team would hold outdoor drills triweekly.

Representative McKenzie to Speak.

On next Wednesday evening the series of spring visitations by the grand chancellor and his associate Grand Lodge officers to the subordinate lodges of this domain will be brought to a close, when they will visit Union Lodge, No. 22, at Pythian Temple, at which time Representative McKenzie, of Illinois, will deliver the principal address.

Local Team to Confer Rank in Alexandria.

The knight rank team of Syracusians Lodge, No. 10, of this domain, which has become second to none in the rendition of that rank, will journey to Oriental Lodge, No. 6, Alexandria, Va., on next Tuesday evening, to confer the rank of knight on a class of twenty-five at the request of Oriental Lodge. A cordial invitation is extended all members of the fraternity to join them on the trip, leaving Twelfth street and Pennsylvania avenue northwest at 6:45 p. m.

National Union Events.

Calendar.

May 18—Potomac Council, Pythian Temple; Central Council, Perpetual Building Hall.

May 19—State, War and Navy Council, Pythian Temple.

May 20—Treasury Council, G. A. R. Hall; Congressional Council, Typographical Temple.

May 21—The National Union Male Quartet at Eagles' Hall; National Council, Eagles' Hall; Mount Vernon Council, Eagles' Hall; Nonpariel Council, Schmidt's Hall.

May 22—East Washington Council, Weller's Hall; McKinley Council, Washington Hall.

May 25—Federal Council, Perpetual Building Hall.

Pressmen's Council met Monday evening in their council chamber at Eagle's Hall. A large and enthusiastic attendance of members and visiting friends were present. The degree work, led by Friend Elmer Johnson, as president, was exemplified in a very splendid manner. Two candidates were initiated. Friends Fred Strickrott and Schulte were elected as representatives to the assembly. Friend Brown, president of the cabinet, was present and addressed the meeting on "Fraternalism;" also Friend Dunbar, former president of Congressional Council, addressed the meeting relative to the minstrel show which is to be given by the Draamtic Club of Congressional Council, on Thursday, May 28, at Gonzaga College Theater. The thanks of the council was expressed to the degree team for their work and also the appreciation of the council was shown for Friends Brown and Dunbar's work for the cause of national union work. Dr. Glushak and William Smith officiated at the piano. After the regular business was over a banquet was erved.

The minstrel show to be given by the Dramatic Club of Congressional Council will be held at Gonzaga College Theater Thursday, May 28. After the show there will be a dance. Tickets may be purchased from any of the members of Congressional Council or at National Union headquarters, 615 Bond Building. The object of this entertainment is to earn enough to help replenish the treasury toward fraternalism, for which Congressional Council has been highly commended from time to time.

Friend Elmere, of Toledo, Ohio, has been transferred from that city to Washington, and is now employed by the Interstate Commerce Commission. Friend Elmere came into headquarters last Wednesday and expressed his happiness that Washington had such a large membership, and that he would be delighted to visit the various councils.

The membership of this jurisdiction is grieved to learn of the illness of Friend Goldstein's daughter and hopes for her speedy recovery.

Doings of the Odd Fellows.

Calendar.

SUBORDINATE LODGES.

May 18—Union, No. 11, degree; Covenant, No. 13; Beacon, No. 15, and Langdon, No. 26, business.

May 19—Washington, No. 6, business and social; Amity, No. 27, degree; Golden Rule, No. 21, business.

May 20—Eastern, No. 7; Harmony, No. 9, and Friendship, No. 12, degree; Federal City, No. 20, business.

May 21—Columbia, No. 10; Excelsior, No. 17, and Salem, No. 22, business.

May 22—Central, No. 1, and Metropolis, No. 16, business; Phoenix, No. 28, degree.

ENCAMPMENTS.

May 20—Mount Nebo, No. 6, degree.

REBEKAH LODGES.

May 18—Naomi, No. 1, business; Ruth, No. 2, degree.

May 22—Martha Washington, No. 3, and Dorcas, No. 4, degree.

PATRIARCHS MILITANT.

May 25—Canton Washington, No. 1, social and drill.

Ask Charter for New Rebekah Lodge.

Grand Master Frank E. Rapp has called a special session of the Grand Lodge for Friday evening, May 22, in the encampment room, Odd Fellows Hall, to receive and act upon an application made for a charter for a new Rebekah Lodge to be located at Langdon, D. C. It is hoped that all representatives will assemble promptly at 8 o'clock, that there may be no delay in acting upon the application.

Joint Memorial Committee Elects Officers.

Last Tuesday evening the representatives from nearly all of the subordinate and Rebekah Lodges, and encampments assembled in the blue room, Odd Fellows Hall, and formed a joint memorial committee, electing Grand Warden William J. Hope, chairman; Matthew E. O'Brien, secretary, and H. C. Lybrand, treasurer. The committee decided to hold the memorial exercises in the auditorium of Odd Fellows Hall, Sunday evening, June 14, and selected Past Grand Harry L. Andresen chairman of the program committee. There will be another meeting of the committee Tuesday evening in the blue room to receive reports of committees and complete the arrangements.

Federal Lodge to Make Another Visit.

Next Tuesday evening, Federal City Lodge, No. 20, will pay Washington Lodge, No. 6, a fraternal visit, and the lodge is making arrangements to give the visiting lodge a hearty welcome, and provide a suitable program for the occasion. All members of the order are cordially invited to be present, and aid in making the occasion one of the most enjoyable of the series of visits Federal City Lodge is making to each of the other subordinate lodges in this jurisdiction.

Harmony Lodge to Confer Second Degree.

Harmony Lodge, No. 9, held an interesting and well attended session Wednesday evening. The first degree was conferred in good form, and next Wednesday evening the second degree will be conferred. All members of sister lodges are cordially invited to be present.

Eastern Lodge to Confer Degree in Maryland.

Eastern Lodge, No. 7, held a well-attended session Wednesday evening, but had no degree work. The lodge accepted an invitation from Oriole Lodge, No. 47, of Hyattsville, Md., to attend said lodge Thursday evening, May 28, and confer the third degree upon a class of candidates for said lodge. Members of sister lodges are cordially invited to accompany Eastern Lodge on its trip to Hyattsville. A special car for the occasion has been provided, and will leave at 7:30 p. m. of said date.

Excelsior Lodge Gives Reception.

Last Thursday evening Excelsior Lodge, No. 17, held the best attended session of the lodge that has been held in many months. The occasion was a reception and entertainment tendered Grand Master Frank E. Rapp, Grand Warden William J. Hope, Grand Chaplain H. S. Petty, and Past Grand W. B. Randall, in view of the constant and helpful attention paid Excelsior Lodge for many months, and the aid rendered the lodge in the conferring of degrees, and awakening the interest of the members in lodge work. The program, as rendered, was as follows: Address of welcome, S. Weisenberg; piano solo, Miss Sarah Becker; address, Grand Master Frank E. Rapp; vocal solo, Miss S. Krupsaw, accompanied by Mrs. Ferguson; address, Grand Warden William J. Hope; recitation, Miss Blanche Levy; address, Grand Chaplain H. S. Petty; dramatic declamation, C. Geisenfeld; whistling specialty, Bert Rose; address, Past Grand Walter S. Raidall; violin solo, J. Friedman, accompanist, E. Lester Mann; selections by "Those Singing Boys," Weisenberg, Kraus, West, and Williams; selections by Friedman's Orchestra. A bounteous repast was served in the blue room, and the assembly broke up near midnight, all feeling well repaid for having been present.

Esther Rebekah Lodge Entertains Baltimore Guests.

Last Monday evening, Esther Rebekah Lodge, No. 5, I. O. O. F., held its biggest event of the year and it will be one to be remembered by those who were present for some time to come.

Esther Rebekah Lodge, of Baltimore, had been invited as guests of Esther Lodge, of this city. Over fifty members of the Baltimore lodge arrived at Union Station at 4:50 p. m., and were met by a large delegation of members of Esther Lodge, No. 5. They were escorted to Odd Fellows' Hall where they were received and welcomed by the noble grand. At 6 p. m. they were escorted to the banquet room, and with the members of the local lodge, were seated at rows of long tables profusely decorated with beautiful flowers and colors of the Rebekah degree, and laden with all the good things to eat. A splendid supper was served by the supper committee during which time several addresses were made.

Following the supper all were taken to the reception room and there entertained until 7:30 o'clock, when the visiting members with members of the local lodge went to the lodge room which was opened for a regular session of Esther Lodge. The routine was quickly expedited. Several applications were received. Upon motion, a letter of condolence and sympathy was sent to Brother Winter R. Swart, one of the recently initiated members, whose father had committed suicide. The lodge session was closed after which the meeting was turned over to the chairman of the entertainment committee, Vice Grand Mallie E. Plymale.

The large lodge room was packed to the doors, and when the meeting was opened to outsiders, many were forced to stay outside the room. The entertainment was opened with a solo by William L. Thornton, followed by a recitation by Miss Mary A. Newcombe. The next feature made the hit of the evening. A tableaux was presented entitled "Reveries of a Bachelor." A scene was presented showing a bachelor's den with all its furnishings complete. Mr. H. John Hatton took the part of the bachelor. During the bachelor's dream, his former sweethearts in all their characteristic pose and dress were shown in a large frame in the rear of the room. Chorus of the latest songs were sung by Brothers Thornton, Kelly, and Andresen, in keeping with the character of the parts presented. The members of the lodge, who took part, were Mrs. S. Rabe, posing, as Mother; Miss Caroline Rabe, as Summer Girl; Miss Morrison, as School Girl; Miss Laura Johnston, as His Western Girl; Miss Mabel Staley, as His Sporting Girl; Mrs. Maud K. Brooks, as His Irish Girl; Miss Marion Bosworth, as His Japanese Girl; Miss Eleanor Wilson, as His Southern Girl; Miss Josephine Jarboe, as His Chorus Girl; Miss Bertha Williams, as His Dream Girl; Mrs. O. Taylor, as His Country Girl; Mrs. T. H. Green, as His Merry Widow; Miss Elsie Carey, as His Flirting Girl; Miss Flossie Newbombe, as His Old-Fashioned Girl; Miss Anna Metler, as His Salvation Army Girl; Miss L. Virginia White, as His Gypsy Girl, and Miss Mary A. Newcombe, as His Right Girl, who appeared as the bride. Each character was splendidly portrayed and applauded. At its conclusion a tremendous outburst of applause easily proved that it was one of the best things that had been given by Esther Lodge members.

Following this, Miss Ethel Minot, who was the pianist for the music and songs in the tableaux, and members of the committee, in behalf of Esther Lodge, presented Brother Harry L. Andresen with a rose and a beautiful seal grained pocket-book filled with money and tickets, tendering the same in a well-chosen speech showing the appreciation of the members of Esther Lodge for his work in the lodge. The presentation was a complete surprise to him, and in the acceptance of the same, endeavored to tell the members of his gratefulness for their kind remembrance and beautiful token, and assured them that what little he had done was more than repaid by their kind proof of affection and regard for him. Several addresses followed this presentation, after which the Baltimore members were escorted to Union Station, all declaring that they had the best time of their lives.

Funeral of Mrs. Beahm to Be Held Tomorrow.

Dorcas Rebekah Lodge, No. 4, announces the death of Mrs. Beahm, 111 Fourth street southeast, mother of the noble grand. Funeral will be held Monday.

Union Lodge to Confer Third Degree.

A good attendance was present last Monday evening at Union Lodge, No. 11, and witnessed the confering of the second degree, which was well done by a team from Federal City Lodge, after which refreshments were served.

Tomorrow evening the third degree will be conferred by the home team.

WASHINGTON CAMP MEETS.

Washington Camp, S. C. V., held their monthly business meeting Tuesday evening at 1322 Vermont avenue northwest. J. R. Price was recommended to general headquarters for appointment as commander of the District of Columbia. Maj. E. W. R. Ewing was made chairman of a committee to arrange a program of work for the ensuing year and have printed a phamplet descriptive of these plans. An effort will be made to increase the membership of the camp in order to send a large delegation of young men to the Richmond reunion in 1915. The

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FASHIONABLE BACK.

This season as much attention is paid to back as to the front view of a fashionable frock. The effect produced in this design is, therefore, interesting, since it is typical of that shown on the latest French creations. The dress is made of crinkled silk crepe, which comes at $1.50 a yard and upward, trimmed with a Japanese collar and girdle of satin. About 4 yards of 44-inch crepe and 2 yards of 27-inch satin will be needed to make the dress.

Wait, No. 5668—Sizes, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, and 44 bust.

Skirt, No. 5646—Sizes, 21, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, and 32 waist—Pictorial Review Patterns.

brilliant social features of these reunions always attract thousands of young men and women.

Modern Woodmen.

Potomac Camp, No. 16140, Modern Woodmen of America, celebrated its anniversary on Tuesday evening by an entertainment and smoker. The camp is the youngest in the city, but is making a rapid gain in membership. Eight new applications were accepted at the meeting. The entertainment was in charge of Dr. S. H. Rosenthal, who presided. Other members of the committee were J. J. Hughes and F. M. Tate.

The "I Should Worry" Orchestra, consisting of Messrs. John P. Labofish, violin; J. Stoddart, piano; J. L. Schick, guitar, and Roy Jackson, mandolin, contributed to the pleasures of the evening. Other musical numbers were tenor solo, Joseph Jacobs, assisted by Dr. Benjamin Newhouse, piano; baritone solo, Maurice Abraham, Mr. J. Stoddart, accompanist; violin solo, Mr. John P. Labofish, Mr. Stoddart assisting.

State Deputy William McCaffrey, delivered an interesting address on "The Young Man—His Duty as a Citizen."

District Deputy N. H. Millard spoke on the subject "Demonstrative Fraternity." A buffet luncheon was served by the refreshment committee, Neighbors Engle, Bryant and Grady. A class initiation is contemplated for the first meeting in June.

Central Camp, No. 16015, proposes to be in the race for the coveted State banner now held by A. R. Talbot Camp, which is annually awarded to the camp making the largest gain in membership. Five applications for membership were presented, and an active campaign launched for additional members, Mr. J. A. Moody promoting the plans.

The entertainment committee, headed by Dr. J. W. Sutherin, is arranging for a celebration in honor of the first anniversary of the camp. A membership of 150 is pledged by that time.

Several camps of Woodmen and Royal Neighbors have accepted the invitation extended by A. R. Talbot Camp to join them in its annual excursion to Chesapeake Beach to be held on July 31. Reports from the sanatorium show that more than 1,100 members have been successfully treated for tuberculosis in five years. Several District members were among the number. A number of the members will attend the Head Camp at Toledo in June.

Improved Order of Red Men.

Sioux Tribe met in its wigwam Thursday night. Brother Pedrie presented the sachem a beautiful sachem's sash. Every brother present had a few remarks to make about the class of May 12 and of its grand success. Brothers Caton, Evans, Jeanette and Chipman spoke about the good of the order. Previous to opening the meeting Brother Hochheimer rendered several selections on the piano. Sioux Tribe is still gathering in the palefaces and hopes in the course of a few months to have its membership pass the century mark. The sachem told the brothers that Sioux Tribe made a fine showing Tuesday night, there being about forty of its membership present.

Osage Tribe held a brief session Monday night at their hall, Fifth and G streets northwest, in order to let the hustling committee of the Great Council meet to make their final arrangements for the class on Tuesday night. The tribe balloted on five candidates for membership. Past Great Shachem Shepard was present.

The Red Men of the District of Columbia had a great time on Tuesday under the auspices of the Great Council.

The tribes of the District, headed by their sachems, are as follows: Osceola Tribe, No. 1, of Alexandria; Osage, No. 6; Logan, No. 8; Seneca, No. 11; Mineola, No. 14; Idaho, No. 15; Sioux, No. 18; Osceola, No. 19; Redwing, No. 20, of the District, and the Baltimore delegation, headed by Representative Charles W. Townsend, of Aztec Tribe; Tecumseh Tribe's Band, Aztec Tribe and Tecumseh Tribe.

Great Sachem Gartrell and the great chief through the Great Council thank all the members of the Improved Order of Red Men who took part at both the parade and ball on behalf of the splendid showing they made.

A regular meeting of Logan Tribe was held Thursday night. Past Great Sachem James A. Madison, jr., captain of the degree team of the tribe, congratulated them upon the splendid showing the team made at the class initiation. Various visiting members were present at the meeting and gave some interesting talks.

Seneca Tribe No. 11 met at Bank Hall, 216 Pennsylvania avenue nowthwest, last Friday. All chiefs were present, and Brother Jacobson spoke in reference to the Red Men when he first filed his application ten years ago, and also in reference to the celebration of the Fourth of July in the District. He said that he hoped that the Red Men and all similar societies would take the proper step to see that this Fourth of July and also future ones would have races, parades, and public speeches on these great occasions. The tribe and all other brothers present indorsed his sentiments and pledged him their support. The matter of making this Fourth of July Red men's Day at the ball park was taken up. Eleven candidates were balloted on.

Idaho Tribe No. 15 held a very brief session on Tuesday night at their hall at Northeast Temple and adjourned to attend the class initiation at old Masonic Temple.

Osceola Tribe No. 19, of Tennallytown, D. C., held a very interesting meeting at Masonic Hall on Wednesday night.

Daughters of America.

Mizpah Council, No. 3, met on Friday evening at the Odd Fellows' Hall in Georgetown and entertained the State Council inside sentinel, Mrs. Mamie Howell; past councilors, J. Harry Howell, and Harry S. Stow, all members of Victory Council, No. 7.

Martha Dandridge Council, No. 1, on Wednesday night was visited by a number of members of other councils who gave addresses, which were enjoyed by all present.

Esther Council, No. 39, the infant council of the order, at its meeting, held in the Masonic Temple, Tennallytown, last Thursday evening, received six applications for membership.

It has been announced by the chairman, J. Harry Howell, of the entertainment and dance which will be conducted on Tuesday night at the Masonic Temple, Ninth and F streets northwest, that all arrangements have been completed. Invitations have been extended to every member of the order to be present and also the Junior Order United American Mechanics.

Knights of Columbus.

Local Team Confers Degree in West Virginia.

The members of the local degree team who visited Parkersburg, W. Va., last Saturday for the purpose of exemplifying the fourth degree, had a most interesting and busy time during their stay. The following members took part in the ceremonies from the local jurisdiction: Frank P. Sheehy, past State deputy; State Deputy Edward P. Harrington, Rev. Dr. George A. Dougherty, D. A. Edwards, Dr. William B. Daly, Harry Hagarty, Thomas J. Trodden, Elbert E. Werner, James F. Meegan, and Maurice Fitzgerald. The exemplification was under the direction of Dr. E. A. Gorman, of Alexandria, master of the Virginias. A solemn high mass was celebrated at St. Francis Xavier's Church, at which the members and candidates attended in a body. One hundred candidates were initiated in the fourth degree in the afternoon. Solemn vespers were sung in the evening at the church, after which a banquet was served to 200 persons at the Chancellor Hotel. State Deputy Dan B. Leonard, of West Virginia, acted as toastmaster, and responses were made by several members of the order, including State Deputy Harrington and Past State Deputy Sheehy.

Ladies Entertained by Potomac Council.

Potomac Council held its regular meeting on Monday evening, at which Grand Knight F. L. Hewitt presided. The council held a "ladies' night" at Rauscher's on Wednesday evening.

Councils to Confer Degrees.

The honors of the first and second degrees will be conferred upon candidates from Washington and Carroll councils on May 22, and the third degree on May 24.

State Council Holds Annual Session.

The sixteenth annual convention of the State Council was called to order at 5 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon by State Deputy Edward P. Harrington for the election of officers for the year beginning June 1, and the transaction of other business. After prayer by the State chaplain, Rev. P. J. O'Connell, and the appointment of committees, the reports of the State officers were read. The report of the State secretary indicated a net increase of membership of 122.

The reports from all the councils in this jurisdiction showed a very prosperous condition of the order. The elections for State officers passed off very harmoniously. Edward P. Harrington, who has held the office of State deputy for three terms, was not a candidate for re-election, and District Deputy William P. Normoyle, who has held the position of district deputy for the past four years, was elected State deputy. Robert E. McNamara was elected State secretary; J. D. Mori-

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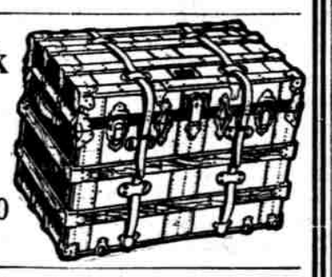

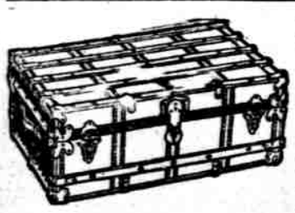

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