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## K. P.'S ELECT NEXT YEAR'S OFFICERS

BERT AUGER, GRANGEVILLE HEADS ORDER—MOSCOW MAN GIVEN OFFICE AT MEETING

Bert Auger of Grangeville, was today elected grand chancellor for the ensuing year by the delegates to the grand lodge, Knights of Pythias now in session in Moscow.

Other officers elected were George McMahon, of Nampa, grand vice chancellor; E. V. Boughton, Kootenai, grand prelate; Mark Farmer, Blackfoot, grand master of arms; F. William Voightlander, Kellogg, grand keeper of records and seals; Charles W. Culp, Rathdrum, grand master of the exchequer; Henry Hite, Rupert, grand inner guard; Claude Renfrew, Moscow, grand outer guard; J. M. Galloway, Weiser, grand tribune, and J. H. Sherief, Buhl, grand trustee.

**South Team Wins**

The picked team from the south part of the state last night won over a similar team from north Idaho in a competitive initiatory ceremony performed on two candidates. The contest was for the possession of a grand lodge trophy, offered annually to that section of the state making the best appearance at grand lodge, which in turn is contested for by the different districts in that section of the state, and then by the separate lodges in the winning district.

The winning team from the south gave a beautiful exemplification of the work, and won on a strictly point basis by a score of 11,163 to 10,956.

**Personnel of Team**

The winning team was composed of the following Knights: A. W. McNeil, of Nampa, Paul Disney, Rupert; B. F. Sherief, Buhl; George McMahon, Nampa; C. S. Allen, Boise; Alex Boas, Boise; John Cushing, Weiser; Frank Harris, Weiser; Mark Farmer, Blackfoot; Howard Lincoln, Nampa; E. T. Bowler, Twin Falls; J. M. Galloway, Weiser; R. G. Spaulding, Boise; L. T. Johnson and Frank McDaniel, Boise.

The losing north team consisted of E. B. Thornhill, Kellogg; H. Huber, Kellogg; T. Varker, Kellogg; H. Harris, Grangeville; F. William Voightlander, Kellogg; Ben Venetoff, Kellogg; C. D. Yates, Kellogg; Thomas R. Jones, Wardner; E. L. Brown, Wardner; R. S. Brainard, Wardner.

**Many Out of State Judges**

Judges of the contest were: E. W. Sinclair, Shoshone; S. Marchese, Kellogg; J. E. Swaygard, Thomas Neil Pullman; Virgil Canutt, Colfax; J. W. Shilling, Colfax; L. A. Poor, LaCrosse; J. M. Snapp, Malden; H. W. Love, Colfax.

**Lewiston Wins Banner**

Lewiston won a large silk banner from the grand lodge by having had the greatest increase in membership during the past year, with an increase of 106. Payette won a similar banner for having had the largest percentage increase for the year, with an increase of 92 members.

The records of both lodges was excellent, and showed what real Pythian work would do to build up a community and an order of loyal knights.

**Pleasant Trip to Lewiston**

The members of both the Knights of Pythias and Pythian Sisters enjoyed a very pleasant trip down to Lewiston yesterday afternoon, where a picnic supper was served by the visitors from the Lewiston temple, and the return drive made in the early evening.

At four o'clock this afternoon, the visitors were taken on a trip through the University of Idaho and over the farm at the college of agriculture. Trips were made through the various buildings, classrooms and laboratories which Moscow citizens are immensely proud was thoroughly described and explained to them.

Up until The Star-Mirror goes to press, no meeting place for next year's convention had been selected, and it is thought that this matter will be put over until the closing sessions of the convention tomorrow.

## LARGE CROWDS GREET TALENT AT THE CHAUTAUQUA TENT

The largest crowd that has so far attended the chautauqua sessions heard the Maids O' Dundee in "A Joyous Eve of Fun and Frolic," last night, the big tent being filled, and the entertainment being one of exceptional merit.

This evening an all-star cast will play "Cappy Ricks," which promises to be one of the best features of the week. Friday afternoon there will be a musical extravaganza by Loretta's Russian Orchestral Quartet. In the evening there will be a concert by the same company and a humorous lecture, "Make-up Fun Quickly Done," by C. L. Burdger. This is termed "joy night." On Saturday, the final day, there will be an orchestral concert in the afternoon by the Columbia Ladies Orchestra, and in the evening a grand finale by the same talent.

## SUMMER STUDENTS PLAN TO HOLD FIRST PARTY TONIGHT

A reception and party for summer school students and faculty will be held tonight at Ridenbaugh hall at eight o'clock, and will constitute a real get-together social for the faculty and summer students.

The social committee in charge of the reception has kept a little quiet as to the plans, but promise a lively time to everyone. It is the plan, states Dean Messenger of the summer session, to have these little parties right along. President Upham is expected to be back this afternoon and will attend the reception if possible.

## ISSUES BULLETIN IDAHO PETROLEUM

BOOKLET BY PROF. KIRKHAM CONTAINS INFORMATION ON PROSPECTS IDAHO OIL

The state bureau of mines and geology is now distributing its bulletin on oil possibilities in southeastern Idaho. Areas described in this bulletin were mentioned in a press notice early in the year, and considerable development activity resulted. The bulletin is the work of Virgil R. D. Kirkham, a faculty member of the school of mines, and is entitled "Petroleum Possibilities of Certain Anticlines in Southeastern Idaho."

Three companies are now erecting derricks and "spudding in," in the area described, and it is announced, and many others are preparing to follow suit, awaiting only the conclusions of this bureau publication.

Teton and Caribou counties have the most likely oil possibilities in Idaho, according to this bulletin. Range and township numbers of the most promising areas were announced by the state bureau early in the spring when the bulletin went to press. As a result, the bureau says, "a strong development and leasing movement was begun by various parties after investigation of the region."

Promising areas, as shown by the first map in the bulletin, lie in a broad strip across the lower center of Teton county and in scattered townships along the eastern border of Caribou county.

"It should be emphasized," the author warns, "that in no case of recommendations, does the writer guarantee that petroleum or natural gas will be found at any of the points recommended for testing. Observation and experience make certain, however, that the chance of failure in an unproven area is greatly reduced by a selection of localities for drilling based on geologic investigation."

## WORK STARTED ON LINDLEY HALL ADD

CONSTRUCTION OF THIRD STORY ON MEN'S DORMITORY WILL ACCOMMODATE 50 MORE

Construction work on the addition of a third story to Lindley hall, men's dormitory at the University of Idaho, was started here this morning. Workmen were busy in taking off the cornice work preparatory to actual construction of the third floor. Work will be rushed on the building so as to insure its completion by September 1, when new students will begin to arrive for the fall term.

The contract for the construction has been let to M. C. Conley, a Spokane contractor, and the cost to complete the structure and furnish the rooms, it is estimated will be about \$40,000.

**Local Men Raise Money**

The money, it is understood, was raised by local business men, who were responsible two years ago for the construction of the building, which has been leased since that time to the university to be used as a men's dormitory.

One hundred men have been taken care of during the past two years in the dormitory, and the addition of a third story will increase the number which can be accommodated to one hundred and fifty. A dining room in connection with the hall has accommodations for feeding two hundred.

Large recreation rooms and a parlor will be included in the remodeling of the structure, it was stated, which will make it an ideal dormitory for men at the university.

## VETERAN ENGINEER LEAVES POTLATCH—WILL TOUR WORLD

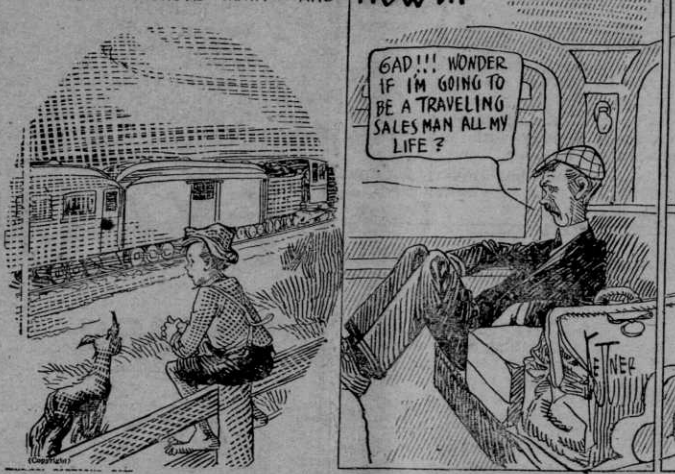
Potlatch—John Yaeger, who has been chief engineer of Power Plant No. 1, of the Potlatch Lumber company, for the past fourteen years, has resigned his position and left on Thursday in his Mitchell for his old home at Winona, Minn. He expects to spend the greater part of the summer on the road and will visit Yellowstone and Glacier parks and the oil fields in Montana. His present plan is to sail early in the fall for his boyhood home in Switzerland, where he will spend the following year. Mr. Yaeger came to Potlatch in June, 1906, and helped to install the machinery in the big mill. That fall he took charge of Power Plant No. 2 and two years later assumed the responsibility of the big engine at Power Plant No. 1, which has been under his direct supervision ever since. As a slight token of appreciation for his long, efficient and faithful service, he was presented by the company with a fine Howard watch appropriately engraved.

The many friends of Mr. Yaeger wish him a pleasant journey and look forward to the pleasure of a visit from him which he promises them on his return from Switzerland in the fall of 1923.

Mr. Yaeger is succeeded by Frank Bock of Spokane who was employed for some time by the Hedlund Lumber company of Spokane and also has spent some time with the Washington Water Power company, besides ten years' experience with large concerns in the east.

## Remember

WHEN IT WAS YOUR AMBITION TO RIDE ON A RAILROAD TRAIN—AND NOW!!!



## 75 KILLED IN FIGHT BETWEEN UNION AND NON-UNION MINERS IN ILLINOIS

Springfield, Ill., (A. P.)—Hal Trevillion, member of the Illinois commerce commission, and editor and publisher of the Heroin News, says that the managing editor of his newspaper told him this afternoon over the long distance telephone, that the number of dead in the fight between the union and non-union men in the coal fields, will exceed 75 when all are accounted for.

**Think Known Dead Over 30**

Herrin, Ill., (A. P.)—A check-up made at noon today, by the Associated Press, showed that 26 men are known to be dead and indications are that the total will be over 30, in hostilities between striking union miners and non-union employees of the Strip mines, of the Southern Illinois Coal company near here. The bodies are spread over an area 15 miles square and some are bullet riddled. Others were beaten to death and three were hanging by ropes from trees.

**Fighting Has Ceased**

Herrin, Ill., (A. P.)—Fighting has ceased and the only signs of the fight at the Strip mine are occasional spent bullets. Groups of the strikers are on all corners of Johnson City, Marion, West Frankfort and Herron. The strikers surrounded the Strip mine in an attack this morning, "went over the top" of the high coal embankment surrounding the surface colliery in union, and took the mine employees prisoners. The prisoners were divided among groups of strikers and taken in different directions.

**Killings Mark Strikers Rioting**

Merrin, Ill., (A. P.)—Unconfirmed reports today stated that between eighty and one hundred employees of the Southern Illinois Coal company had been captured by striking union miners and sympathizers. It is definitely known that the company's non-union camp had been abandoned. Nine men are known to be dead and an authentic report said that the union sympathizers are preparing to hang three other prisoners.

**Labor Federation Would Curb Courts**

Cincinnati—(A. P.)—By an overwhelming vote the American Federation of Labor convention today adopted a program centering around four proposed constitutional amendments, the repeal of the Sherman anti-trust law and other legislation as a means of curbing the courts, on account of the decision adverse to labor. The program was drafted by a special policy committee and accepted without change by the convention.

**Chief of British Staff Killed**

London—(A. P.)—Field Marshal Sir Henry Hughes Wilson, chief of the British imperial general staff, and lately military adviser to the Ulster government, was assassinated today near the door of his home, in Eaton Place, London. Mr. Wilson was shot by two men while alighting from an automobile after attending a war memorial unveiling, where he delivered a speech. He was struck by two bullets. He was carried into his home, but died before physicians arrived. Assassins fled and were pursued by the police, who had been guarding Wilson, on information that his life would likely be attempted. Both assassins were captured and one is reported to have attempted suicide and inflicted serious injuries on himself with his own revolver. The names were given as Connelly and O'Brien. Policeman Marsh, who was near Marshal Wilson when he was fired upon, died later in a hospital, from the wounds.

**Implicate Irish Republicans**

London—(A. P.)—Scotland Yard stated this evening that correspondence was found in possession of James Connelly, one of the men arrested in connection with the murder of Field Marshal Wilson, proving beyond doubt that he is a member of the Irish republican army.

**Says 18th Amendment Bought**

Washington—(A. P.)—Renewing his attack on the Anti-Saloon League, Congressman Tamm, republican, of Massachusetts, declared in the house today that the prohibition amendment was bought and paid for, and according to reports worthy of belief, Wayne B. Wheeler, the league's general counsel, and interests which he controls, "expended from \$100,000,000 to \$150,000,000 in a series of years preceding its adoption."

**Japanese Approve Yap Treaty**

Tokyo, (A. P.)—The Yap treaty with the United States was approved by the privy council and the prince regent here today.

**Field Marshall Wilson Assassinated**

London, (A. P.)—Field Marshal Sir Henry Hughes Wilson was shot and killed outside his home on Eaton Place, London, this afternoon. Two assailants were arrested.

**Can't Urge Philippine Freedom**

Washington, (A. P.)—President Harding told members of the Philippine parliamentary commission here today that he could not yet urge upon congress the desirability of Philippine independence.

## STEELE DEAN OF STATE'S JURISTS

VETERAN DISTRICT JUDGE FILES FOR SEVENTH TERM—WILL HAVE NO OPPOSITION

Judge Edgar C. Steele of this city has filed his declaration of candidacy for judge in the Second judicial district with the secretary of state, on the republican ticket, and so far as is known now, will be nominated and elected, without opposition, either in his own party or the democratic party. That his seventh election to this important judicial office will come to him without opposition, is a fact that the veteran jurist may well be proud of.

Judge Steele is now serving his 24th consecutive year as judge of the district court, completing, with this year, his sixth consecutive term. He has the distinction of being the oldest jurist, in point of service in the state of Idaho.

When Judge Steele was first elected to the judgeship in 1898, the Second judicial district contained Latah, Nez Perce and Idaho counties. The district was composed of three counties for some eight years after his election, when two more counties, Lewis and Clearwater, were carved out of the same territory, making five counties in the district. Judge Steele presided over the district court in these five counties for some ten years, when the legislature divided the district, creating the Tenth district out of Nez Perce, Idaho and Lewis counties, and leaving Latah and Clearwater counties in the Second district, reducing somewhat the duties of the district judge, which had become arduous with the development of the district and the growth in population.

**Tries 25,000 Cases**

A conservative estimate, based on the number of cases tried before Judge Steele in the past few years, which will run more than 1000 per year, places the number of cases over which he has presided, at 25,000, embracing everything from the most atrocious murder to the most trivial cases which could be brought before the district court. The number of reversals from the state supreme court have been comparatively few.

Aside from his first campaign, in 1898, Judge Steele has never had opposition in either party, in Latah county, his home county. In 1898, as each succeeding time, he was elected on the republican ticket. In that first campaign he was opposed by Frank L. Moore, well known local democrat, on the democratic ticket, and Willis Sweet, a former congressman, on the silver republican ticket.

Prior to his election to the district judgeship, Judge Steele practiced law in Latah county for seven years.

**Bride Well Known in Moscow**

Cards have been received in Moscow announcing the marriage of Mrs. Ellen Mutton to George Buchanan on Thursday, June 15, in Portland, Ore. Mrs. Buchanan is quite well known in Moscow, having often visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Nisbet. Mr. Buchanan is superintendent of the schools at New Powder, Ore., where they will reside. They have the best wishes of many Moscow friends.

## ELECT CHIEF FROM NEZ PERCE TODAY

MRS. MITCHELL CHOSEN HEAD OF PYTHIAN SISTERS IN STATE SESSION HERE

At the sessions of the Pythian Sisters today, officers for the ensuing term were elected, and Mrs. Myrtle Mitchell of Nez Perce was elected grand chief, succeeding Mrs. Olive Wilson of Mountain Home. Other officers elected were: Lela Jain of Genesee, grand senior; Matilda Marckle, Craigmont, grand junior; Martha Wells, Rupert, grand manager; Grace Cook, grand master of records and correspondence; Julia Hayes, Lewiston, grand master of finance; Clemence Elder, Twin Falls, grand protector; Anna Ohmes, Payette, grand guard and Lottie Roberts, Boise, grand correspondent.

At one thirty this afternoon the Pythian Sisters held their customary memorial service, open to all Pythian Sisters and Knights of Pythias. The ceremony is ritualistic in nature and very impressive. The work was put on by the officers of the grand lodge, aided by local Pythian Sisters and delegates. The Knights attended in a body.

Fidelity temple No. 24, local order of Pythian Sisters, this evening at six o'clock served a banquet in the Masonic temple for all visiting delegates, which was greatly appreciated by the visiting ladies.

The Pythian Sisters report that they had a very enjoyable and profitable session. The convention will come to a close with the business meeting tomorrow morning.

## WOULD PROTECT SCOUTS IN CAMP

DEAN THOMSON WRITES SCOUT EXECUTIVE OF DANGER FROM WOOD TICK BITE

In view of the number of deaths in the Inland Empire recently from spotted fever, resulting from tick bites, Dean Francis A. Thomson, of the University of Idaho, has addressed the following letter to Scout Executive F. D. Hawley, at Camp Grizzly, calling attention to the danger, and suggesting treatment in case of tick bite. The letter follows:

"In view of the great prevalence of wood ticks this spring, and of the grave danger from infection by 'spotted fever' to any one who is bitten by a tick, I want to take the liberty of calling your attention to the need for extreme care in connection with the Boy Scout Camp Grizzly, shortly to be opened on the Potlatch river.

"As a constructive measure I would urge that each Scout Master be instructed to inspect each member of his troop carefully at swimming time, which I understand will be twice daily, paying particular attention to the scalp around the edges of the hair where these ticks are particularly likely to lodge. This inspection is necessary, as no bodily discomfort whatever is experienced from the presence of a tick who has planted his feelers or tentacles on the surface of the body.

"As to treatment in case such ticks are found, I have no doubt the local physicians would be able to give adequate instructions, however, from a recent personal experience in western Montana, I can follow up the procedure, which I understand has been agreed upon by the physicians of that locality.

"A piece of cotton is saturated with ether and placed over the tick who has entrenched himself; this causes him to withdraw his tentacles and he can then be appropriately disposed of. (Gasoline I understand may be substituted for ether). The tick is then rounded the point at which the tick has punctured is painted with iodine and a slight incision is made with a clean sterilized knife or scalpel. The incision thus made is swabbed with carbolic acid by means of a small piece of cotton twisted about the end of a wire or tooth-pick. The carbolic acid produces a slight local anesthesia, and the incision is then slightly enlarged and again swabbed with carbolic acid. The area is then covered with a gauze pad secured by strips of adhesive plaster.

"The treatment may sound severe, but is quite painless and may be carried out by anyone skilled in first-aid in a few minutes.

"The Montana doctors tell me that in no case has anyone so treated been infected with spotted fever.

"The recent death of Mrs. Dyer, in Spokane, of two persons in Coeur d'Alene City, of several in the Big Bend country, and of a number of fatalities in the Bitter Root valley this spring justifies every possible precaution for preventing any of our laddies in Whitman or Latah county from falling victims to this terrible scourge. 'It is better to be sure than sorry.'

"With every good wish for the success of the Scout camp, which I hope to visit while my son is there, I am, Francis A. Thomson."

**Returns From Coast Trip**

Max Griffith and his mother, Mrs. B. P. Griffith, arrived at home Thursday morning from a two weeks' trip to Portland and other coast points, going via the Columbia highway and returning by a northern route through Washington. They report a most delightful trip.

## STOCK RAISERS ON ANNUAL EXCURSION

SHORTHORN BREEDERS ASSOCIATION OUT ON PICNIC IN LATAH AND WHITMAN COUNTIES

The Whitman and Latah counties Shorthorn Breeders Association is holding its third annual picnic and trip of inspection of Shorthorn herds in the two counties today and tomorrow, and visited the herd at the University of Idaho here this morning.

The association was organized three years ago primarily to encourage and extend the influence of Shorthorn breeding, and to safeguard the interests of its members by creating better trade opportunities, and to arrange for exhibits at the various fairs and stock shows in the northwest.

**Trip Extensive One**

The trip taken this year is rather extensive and includes during the two days, visits to nearly all of the larger breeders of Shorthorn cattle in the nearby territory.

The itinerary of the excursion is as follows: Thursday—Start at Washington State college, Pullman, Washington, at 8:00 a. m., proceeding to the Earl F. Harper farm at Johnson, and thence to Carl A. Grief of Uniontown; from there to the Nordby brothers ranch at Genesee, Idaho, and J. F. Papineau, Moscow, and thence to Palouse, Washington for lunch.

**Go North in Afternoon**

In the afternoon they will go to the farms of J. E. Trimble, J. H. McCroskey, and George Imler, all near Garfield. They will then go to the farms of H. E. Goldsworthy, of Rosalia, and Albert Owens of Amber, Washington, and thence to Sprague, where they will spend the night.

**Spend Friday at Sprague**

Friday will be spent at the J. H. McCroskey and the Day & Rothrock farms at Sprague, Washington, both of which are large stock farms, and which contain large herds of exceptionally fine Shorthorns.

Present officers of the association are: J. Houston McCroskey, of Garfield, president; J. F. Papineau of Moscow, vice president; C. W. Hickman, professor of animal husbandry at the University of Idaho, secretary-treasurer. The executive board consists of C. A. Grief, J. Houston McCroskey, H. Hackedorn, J. E. Trimble, F. M. Hickman and H. E. Goldsworthy.

**Those on Excursion**

Members of the association making the excursion are: H. Hackedorn, professor of animal husbandry, W. S. C., G. W. Hickman, professor of animal husbandry, University of Idaho, J. G. Edmiston, Garfield; C. H. Nordby, Genesee; Carl A. Grief, Uniontown; R. Hanna, Pullman; J. H. McCroskey, Garfield; Joe P. McCroskey, Sprague; W. T. O'Brien, representing the Western Royal Stock Show of Spokane; F. J. Taylor, Sunnyside; A. E. Lawson, Spokane; Carl C. Davis, Spokane; George G. Gehrke, Edwall; P. E. Nordby, Genesee; Geo. N. Lamphere, Moscow; J. E. Trimble, Garfield; R. J. McBride, Garfield; Rev. C. B. Fockler, Milwaukee, Wis.; F. M. Raltrick, Spokane; John Napier, Sprague; Albert Owens, Amber; T. Hinchliff, Dayton; R. E. Nordby, Genesee; Fred Bayless, University of Idaho; Earl F. Harper, Johnson; N. Williamson, Moscow; Sandy Keith, Davenport; J. F. Papineau, Moscow; E. F. Rinehart, Boise; M. J. Sisley, H. A. Stone, C. E. Hunter, O. S. Fletcher, Comade Heid, Davenport; R. L. Gøwen, University of Idaho; A. W. Grayson, Garfield; Henry Delany, Starbuck, Washington; A. R. Mahan; H. E. Goldsworthy, Rosalia.

## DOKKIE PARADE IS ON SLATE TONIGHT

LEWISTON TEMPLE TEAM AND BAND ON HAND FOR BIG CEREMONIAL

With the blare of bands and the roar of the Bengal tigers ready to devour the thirty-some tigers obtained for the initiatory ceremonies of the Dramatic Order of the Knights of Khorassan, the Dokkies will tonight stage their big conclave in Moscow as a part of the grand lodge sessions of the Knight of Pythias being held here this week.

Led by the Lewiston thirty-piece temple band and uniformed drill team of husky Khorassans from the desert sands, the tyros will be dragged through the streets of Moscow, guarded by loyal members of the order attending the state convention here and by many others from the Palouse country who are expected to be on hand for the big ceremonial.

The parade will start at seven-thirty, and will leave the Elk's temple, from whence it will proceed through the business streets of Moscow and back to the hall, where the fun making will be held, and where the victims of circumstances will be made to walk the hot sands of the Sahara by the Phazed tyrants and followers of the Bengal tiger.

**Veteran Republicans Visit Moscow**

B. J. Jones and E. A. McClellan, two veteran republican partisans in the Cove district, in northern Latah county, were in Moscow Thursday afternoon on business and incidentally talking politics. They report the crop conditions better in northern Latah than in the Moscow district.