

MURAT HOST TO NOTED SHRINERS AT CEREMONIAL

Elaborate Plans Are Made for Anniversary Celebration at Temple Next Friday.

Murat Shrine will use the entire Temple next Friday for its fortieth anniversary celebration.

A class of 500 novices, to be brought from the desert of Indiana and shown the true light, will be conducted into the mysteries. Everything will be done "for" them after they have filed their petition. The last opportunity to get under the Moslem tent with further petitions will be afforded on ceremonial day, if filed with Recorder Barker not later than 8 p.m. This enables Knights Templar and Scottish Rite Masons a splendid opportunity to "take" the Shrine.

This ceremonial will be graced by the presence of Conrad V. Dykeman of All Ben Temple, Brooklyn, Imperial potentate of the Shrine in America. He will make Murat an official visitation, accompanied by James C. Burger, El Jebel Temple, Denver, Imperial chief rabbi; David W. Crossland, Alcazar Temple, Montgomery, Imperial assistant rabbi; Thomas J. Houston, Medinah Temple, Chicago, Imperial marshal; Earl C. Mills, Za-Ga-Zig Temple, Des Moines, Imperial captain of the guard, and Clifford Ireland, Mohammed Temple, Peoria, Congressman. He is the Imperial outer guard.

Cincinnati Delegation Expected

Albert A. Kuntler, potentate of Syrian Temple, Cincinnati, the mother temple of Murat, will attend with several officers.

Reservations for hotel accommodations, places in the work and on visitations have been received from nearly every Shrine Temple in the country and the Canal Zone.

Horace Mitchell, director of the work, and Paul Ritchie have had new scenery and settings constructed for the ceremonial, with special features to be introduced wherever the ritual permits.

Honor for Pioneers
Special attention will be given to special features of forty years ago, four of whom are living. They are Chambers Brown, dean of Murat's potentates; Charles P. Meyer, who has been Murat's only treasurer; Gen. William J. McKee, and William S. Rich, the latter living in Brookline, Mass., but has promised to be "among those present." The late John T. Brush was Murat's first potentate, and is honored in memory by every Indiana Shriner.

Social features have not been overlooked. Edward J. Gausepohl heads the entertainment committee; Andrew A. Fendrick the banquet committee and Earl Gentry the reception committee. Each has a host of assistants.

A Busy Day
The program:
10:00 a.m.—Band and patrol ready for escort.
11:00 a.m.—Imperial reception committee and Imperial guests assemble at Hotel Sevier to meet Imperial potentate.
11:30 a.m.—Parade downtown to Murat Temple.
12:00 noon—All petitions must be received by 12:00 noon.
12:30 p.m.—Luncheon for imperial visitors and invited guests.
1:00 p.m.—Candidates report at Michigan St. entrance.
2:00 p.m.—Business meeting in Egyptian room.
2:30 p.m.—Potentate's reception to nobility in Egyptian room.
3:00 p.m.—Banquet room opens for Moslem feast.
3:30 p.m.—Potentate's reception to the class.
4:00 p.m.—Band concerts and entertainment in theater and Egyptian room.
5:00 p.m.—Ceremonial starts promptly.
5:15 p.m.—Fortieth anniversary ceremony.
7:30 p.m.—"Second section" in theater for out-of-town candidates; city candidates in Egyptian room.

SNOW IS ABOVE AVERAGE

Total Fall for Season 21.3 Inches—Flood Danger Is Remote.

There is little chance for more snow this spring, according to the local weather bureau. Clouds will disappear before evening, it was forecast. The possibility of a flood on account of the unusually heavy snow fall is remote, J. H. Armstrong, meteorologist, said. The river stood at 6.4 feet at 6 a. m. and while a rise is expected, there is no occasion for alarm.

Snow in Indianapolis this winter totaled 24.3 inches, 2.4 inches above average.

EUGENE FOSTER ELECTED

"Padded Cell Invention of Devil," Speaker/Tells Social Workers.

Eugene C. Foster, is new president of the Indianapolis chapter of the American Association of Social Workers. He was elected at a meeting at the Spink-Arms, succeeding Dr. E. Nott. Miss Isabelle Somerville was elected vice president, and Charles O. Lee, secretary treasurer.

The padded cell is an invention of the devil," Dr. E. E. Smith, provost of Indiana University school of medicine, declared in urging facilities for early care of mental disorders.



A quality cigarette at a quantity price—aristocratic flavor at a democratic cost.

Potentate Garbed in Anniversary Regalia



CHARLES J. ORBLISON

Charles J. Orblison, potentate of Murat Shrine, is shown in the new robes he will wear at the celebration of the fortieth anniversary of the founding of the Shrine here March 28.

LONDON WALKS AS TROLLEY MEN QUIT

Strikers Demand Wage Increase—40,000 Out.

By United Press
LONDON, March 22.—London scrambled to work today in crowded subways and on foot, following a strike of 40,000 tram and bus workers. Thousands were late to their posts.

The strikers demand a wage increase of about \$1.95 a week. Court inquiry into the strike was started this afternoon. Simultaneously Secretary Bevan of the Transport Workers, issued a statement upholding the strike.

Very few street cars or buses were running, throwing a tremendous burden on the subways and there were reports the subway men might call a sympathetic strike before night.

Today's Best Radio Features

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WJZ, New York (455 M), 7:45 p. m.—Debate the virgin birth, between Dr. Charles Francis Potter and John Roach Straton, direct from Carnegie Hall.
WSAI, Cincinnati (309 M), 10:15 p. m. (C. S. T.)—Program by the Cincinnati Conservatory of Music.
WSB, Atlanta (429 M), 10:45 u. m. (C. S. T.)—Concert by the University George Glee Club.
KDKA, Pittsburgh (356 M), 8:30 p. m. (E. S. T.)—Concert by the Westinghouse Band.
WOAW, Omaha (426 M), 9 p. m. (C. S. T.)—Program by the Omaha B. P. O. Elks.
Sunday
WEAF, New York (432 M) "A" 3:45 p. m. E. S. T.—Dr. S. Sparks Cadden and Brooklyn Y. M. C. A. conference.
"B" 7:20 p. m. (E. S. T.)—Musical program from the Capital Theater.
WWJ, Detroit (517 M), 11 a. m. (E. S. T.)—Services from St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral.
WDAP, Kansas City (411 M) 8 p. m. C. S. T.—Program by Baker University Glee Club.
WJAZ, Chicago (448 M) 6 to 9 p. m. (C. S. T.)—Artist series program, courtesy Northwestern School of Music.

Radio Programs

SUNDAY
Scheneberty, N. Y.—WGY (Eastern, 380)
10:30 A. M.—Methodist Church services.
Louisville, Ky.—WHAS (Central, 440)
9:57 A. M.—Organ music. 10 A. M.—Baptist Church services. 4 to 5 P. M.—Sacred concert.
Cincinnati, Ohio—WLW (Central, 309)
9:30 A. M.—Sunday school lesson. 11 A. M.—Services of Church of the Covenant. 3 P. M.—Special program.
Davenport, Iowa—WOC (Central, 434)
9 A. M.—Sacred chimes. 1:30 P. M.—Orchestra. 7 P. M.—Organ recital. 8 P. M.—Church services. 9:30 P. M.—Orchestra.
Detroit, Mich.—WWJ (Central, 517)
2 P. M.—Orchestra. 7:30 P. M.—Service, Episcopal Church.
Scheneberty, N. Y.—WGY (Eastern, 380)
2 P. M.—Garden talk. 7:45 P. M.—Musical program.
Louisville, Ky.—WHAS (Central, 440)
4 to 5 P. M.—Orchestra talk, "The Labor Aspect of World Affairs."
Cincinnati, Ohio—WLW (Central, 309)
8 P. M.—Concert. 9:15 P. M.—Orchestra.
Davenport, Iowa—WOC
12 M. (Noon)—Chimes. 8:30 P. M.—Educational lecture. 5:45 P. M.—Chimes. 6:30 P. M.—Sandman's visit. 8 P. M.—Musical program. 10 P. M.—Musical program.

Ho Hum, Have You a License?
With few crimes reported, police turned their eyes toward violation of the city ordinance requiring rooming house keepers, hucksters, gasoline stations, etc., to have license. Sixteen men and four women were slated at city prison.

ELABORATE MUSIC TO BE RENDERED AT CONSECRATION

Large Male Choir Will Sing at Elevation Service of Rev. Alphonso J. Smith.

The occasion of the Rev. Alphonso J. Smith's elevation to the episcopacy at St. Peter and Paul Cathedral, Tuesday morning, March 25, will bring together one of the largest Catholic male choirs ever assembled in this city.

The singers selected from the various parishes, and numbering over sixty voices, will assist the Schola Cantorum of the cathedral in presenting Pietro Yon's "Missa Regina Pacis," in honor of St. Vincent Ferrer, scored for three-part chorus and unison choir, with organ and orchestral accompaniment.

The final rehearsal will be conducted at the cathedral on next Sunday, following the 10:30 a. m. high mass. Those wishing to hear the consecration music will be admitted to the cathedral for this rehearsal.

Splendid Program Planned
The program is as follows:
"Corpus Pontificale".....Monar
"Ecce Sacerdos Magnus".....Reyl Op. 81
Note: The Proper of the Mass in Latin and antiphons will be sung in Plain Chant by the Glee Choir.
"Missa Regina Pacis".....Yon
In six movements:
"Kyrie".....Andante
"Gloria".....Allegro
"Ave Maria".....Vittoria
(OFFERTORIUM)
"XVI century motet for double male quartet, a cappella, from the repertoire of Chantiers de St. Gervais."
"Credo".....Allegro maestoso.
"Sanctus".....Andante
"Benedictus".....Andante pastorale.
"Agnus Dei".....Andante
"Hallelujah Chorus".....Handel
From the "Messiah"—arrangement for four-part male chorus.
ENSEMBLE.

Personnel of Choirs
Solo Quartet—George A. Smith, H. E. Schand, Humbert P. Pagan, Edward La Shell.
Double Quartet—Bernard Zimmer, William B. Foxworth, Francis O'Brien, Paul J. Smith, Thomas Sullivan, Joseph Brand, Ralph Leonard, Dr. H. R. Alburger.
First Chorus—Joseph Swallow, Rev. Francis Melton, Michael Bradley, George E. Schmidt, Rev. Bernard Sheridan, John Merl, David P. Lawlor, Rev. A. Fuesenberger.
Second Chorus—Belcher, R. Block, Stephen Budnik, A. Berberich, Dr. Cyril Carr, Paul Des Jean, Fred Doerr, Gene Doerr, J. S. Pugh, Joseph D. Schaefer, L. Stein, William Falvey, Joseph A. Gindling, Rev. John Quinn, Louis H. Goodrich, Nace Goodrich, J. J. Dauterman, John Harrington, Raymond B. Hauser, R. Kearney, Howard Hugo Sommer, Ted Smith, Walter Belau, Clarence Morrow, Joseph Hope, Fred Lutz, Frank Cure, Paul Whittaker, W. H. Schumacher, Jr., L. Schaefer, L. P. Schumacher, C. R. Robinson, Raymond Steffen, George R. Shipman, Dr. A. L. Schumacher, Jr., J. J. Dauterman, John Harrington, Bernard Zimmer, William B. Foxworth, Francis O'Brien, Paul J. Smith, Thomas Sullivan, Joseph Brand, Ralph Leonard, Dr. H. R. Alburger.
Orchestra—George Curtis, Guy Montani, Herman Arnold, William Grevling, John Howard, Hugo Sommer, Ted Smith, Walter Belau, Clarence Morrow, Joseph Hope, Fred Lutz, Frank Cure, Paul Whittaker, W. H. Schumacher, Jr., L. Schaefer, L. P. Schumacher, C. R. Robinson, Raymond Steffen, George R. Shipman, Dr. A. L. Schumacher, Jr., J. J. Dauterman, John Harrington, Bernard Zimmer, William B. Foxworth, Francis O'Brien, Paul J. Smith, Thomas Sullivan, Joseph Brand, Ralph Leonard, Dr. H. R. Alburger.
Director—Elmer Andrew Steffen, director.

Murat Chanters to Furnish Anniversary Music



MURAT CHANTERS

Murat Chanters will furnish all of the music at the fortieth anniversary celebration of Murat Temple Shrine March 28. Arnold Spencer, director, is shown in the middle foreground with his baton.

MINER BOARD TO MEET

Further Organization of Non-Union Fields to Be Considered.

A meeting of the international executive board of the United Mine Workers of America will be held here April 3. Plans for further unionizing of nonunion fields will be considered. Tabulations from seventeen districts on the vote on acceptance of the Jacksonville wage contract in the bituminous fields indicate an overwhelming majority in favor. The new agreement extends for three years, dating from April 1.

SEVEN IN GANG HELD

Alleged Counterfeiters Captured by Dozen Federal Agents.

By United Press
CHICAGO, March 22.—Seven men, the last of a gang of counterfeiters charged with passing \$10,000,000 in spurious \$10 bills during the past six months, were under arrest today. Large batches of bills were palmed off in Denver, Chicago, Detroit and Cleveland. The men, heavily armed, were captured in a saloon by a dozen federal agents and police.

B'nai B'rith Initiation March 30

Approximately 100 candidates will be initiated by the Independent Order of B'nai B'rith Sunday, March 30, at the Indianapolis Club. Indianapolis Lodge No. 58 will have charge. The initiation will be given by a degree team from Terre Haute. Dinner will follow.

Jack Johnson An Editor

By Times Special
MONTREAL, March 22.—Jack Johnson, former heavyweight champion, has been appointed sports editor of the Canadian Monitor, a newspaper published here in interest of the negro race.

Rotarians to Hear Canadian

F. G. Foster of Canada will address the Rotary Club Tuesday noon at the Claypool on the Canadian National Park system.

'Magic' Wilbur Returns to Navy, His First Love, as Boss of the Works—Dreamed of Sailor's Life

Judge Has Written Several Books on Bedtime Stories.

By A. H. FRIDERICK
NEA Service Writer
SAN FRANCISCO, March 22.—The "Middles" used to call him "Magic."

And among his old cronies at Annapolis—most of them rear admirals today—Curtis D. Wilbur still wears that moniker.

The name has meant considerable to him. Something almost magic finally has sent him back to the life he's always loved.

"Magic," the mathematics shark at the Naval Academy and left tackle on the Navy eleven in the 80's, is returning to the service, not as a green ensign, but as the Navy's boss.

"My earliest dream," he says, "was of a sailor's life. But who could have guessed my career as a lawyer and jurist was fitting me to return to my first love?"

Lawyer and Judge
Wilbur left the Navy four months after his graduation from Annapolis. His father was a lawyer and wanted his son to be a lawyer, too.

For a year he taught school in Los Angeles, studying law at night. In 1890 he was admitted to the bar. Nine years later he became district attorney. And another four years saw him elected superior judge.

He inaugurated the first juvenile court in Los Angeles and drafted bills that formed the basis for California's juvenile laws.

Followed his transfer to the criminal courts. The same thoroughness marked his work there.

Verdict and sentence did not close a case for him. He made frequent visits to "his boys" at San Quentin penitentiary. More than one convict owes a fresh start in the world to Curtis D. Wilbur, the judge who sentenced him.

Wilbur was named a supreme court justice in 1919. Four years later he was chosen chief justice.

The year before he entered the district attorney's office, Judge Wilbur married Miss Olive Doolittle. The wedding was the culmination of a romance begun in the high school at Jamestown, N. D.

At 'C. E.' Convention
Wilbur's departure for Annapolis and Miss Doolittle's matriculation at a boarding school in Fairbairn, N. D., interrupted their courtship—save for frequent letters. It was renewed when Miss Doolittle came to San Francisco to attend a Christian Endeavor convention. Wilbur met her at the depot.

The Willburs have four children. They are Edna May, a teacher in the Chico (Cal.) high school; Lyman D., a civil engineer at Redwood, Cal.; Paul Curtis, a senior at the University of California, and Leonard, 17, in high school here.

Judge Wilbur's chief hobby is his home. He's never passed the responsibility in rearing his children to his wife.

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Teaches Bible
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one of the boys away from home is using it.

The judge is a regular church-goer. He also teaches a Bible class.

Mrs. Wilbur is president of the parent-teacher's association of the school her youngest boy attends. She's a director of the Board of Missions of the Pacific, a director of the Y. M. C. A., and a member of the Y. M. C. A.'s Mothers' Club.

Her household duties, however, occupy most of her attention.

"Yes, I do my own housework," she confesses. "The children, of course, help me a great deal."

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UPPER LEFT, MRS. WILBUR. UPPER RIGHT, THE NEW SECRETARY OF NAVY, IN INSETS FROM LEFT TO RIGHT, THE WILBUR CHILDREN, LYMAN, EDNA, PAUL AND LEONARD.

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RECEIVER ASKED FOR FIERY CROSS BY FIRM HEAD

E. W. Reichard Alleges Ku-Klux Klan Paper Troubled by Internal Differences.

Alleging that the Fiery Cross Publishing Company, publisher of the Fiery Cross, Ku-Klux Klan paper in Indiana, is in imminent danger of insolvency, Ernest W. Reichard, 3360 W. Michigan St., president and a director of the company, today brought suit in the Superior Court of Judge Clinton H. Givan for a receivership for his firm. Interference by the Knights of the Ku-Klux Klan, a Georgia corporation, which chartered the Indiana Klans, in whose interest the paper is maintained, is given as the cause of the paper's trouble.

Reichard, who founded the paper, alleges that the other two directors, Walter Brossert, vice president, and Harry E. Bloom, secretary-treasurer and business manager, ignore him, and have allowed the paper to become indebted to the national organization in a "large sum." Income from the Fiery Cross has been diverted from the paper to propaganda work outside Indiana, he charges, but wholly within twenty-one States in which Brossert is paid on a basis of so much per recruit.

Conspiracy Is Alleged

Brossert's income from the propaganda work "has been and is very lucrative," Reichard states. Bloom and Brossert, being in the majority, refuse to make any effort to collect from the national organization, "for their personal and individual interests are wholly inimicable to their so doing," he charges. Further, according to Reichard's complaint, the officers of the national organization are deliberately conspiring to wreck the finances of the Fiery Cross, acquire it through receivership sale or otherwise and then carry on propaganda work with it.

According to the complaint the publishing company is capitalized at \$10,000. Of 100 shares, ninety-seven are held in trust for charity under direction of the Klans of Indiana, which have been chartered by the Knights of the Ku-Klux Klan. The three directors each own one share.

Salary Promise Cited

Reichard asserts that only the interest of the national organization is served and that the trust created for the chartered Indiana Klans is rendered useless and of no effect; that unless a receiver is appointed further acts of mismanagement will occur that he cannot get his salary, which was promised as \$500 a month for life, due to alleged shortage of funds; that the publishing company has had to issue checks in payment of bills with no money in the bank to cover them. "This is no attempt to arouse a fight with the circulation of the Fiery Cross," said Sumner Clancy, Reichard's attorney. "It is merely an effort to get the finances straightened, and get justice for the local corporation. This is what might be termed a friendly suit."

Reichard explained that the trouble arose when the circulation of the Fiery Cross was limited to Indiana. Mailing lists of subscribers in another given State would be used by the national organization as the nucleus for a new paper in that State