

SAHARA GROTTTO TO GIVE VEILED PROPHET WORK

Entire Degree Ceremonial to
Be Given in City for
First Time.

Sahara Grotto will give the Veiled Prophets degree tonight at 7, at the Athenaeum, in its annual autumn ritualistic presentation. Kenneth E. Yates, ceremonial director, will have charge of the work.

More than 200 candidates were to report to the secretary at 2:30 p. m. for registration. Petitions were to be acted on in a business session at 3:30 p. m. All uninitiated bodies of the Grotto will form for a parade at 4:30 p. m. under direction of Capt. Michael E. Sculley, parade marshal. Charles Apostol, chairman of the banquet committee, has charge of the dinner at 5 o'clock.

Tonight's ceremonial marks initial presentation of the entire ceremonial in Indianapolis. Many scenes heretofore have been given by lectures, but tonight they will be portrayed with full scenes and characters, says Yates.

The Grand Monarch recently commended Yates for his work. The degree team and said Indianapolis Grotto work was second to none in the United States.

The drama of the Ritual portrays in scenes, words and actions the adventurous journey of a neophyte in quest of the priceless jewel of the Enchanted Realm. The picture is drawn in broad sweeps of vivid lines, says Yates, of a grandeur and splendor seldom equaled on the professional stage.

The Grotto ritual consists of five parts and a prolog, requiring more than 100 characters and several carloads of scenery and electrical equipment.

Sahara Revels at 9 p. m., under direction of Past Monarch Chester O. Martin, marks close of the meeting. Monarch Lawrence W. Draper has general charge of the affair.

100 IN K. OF C. CLASS

City Council to Confer
Fourth Degree Work.

Indianapolis council, Knights of Columbus, will confer the fourth degree on a class of 100 candidates Dec. 4 in the Claypool, according to Edward Schroer who has charge of arrangements.

First session of the gymnasium class was held this week at the K. of C. hall, Thirteenth and Delaware Sts., and was in charge of Ralph Dugan, instructor from the North American Gymnastic Normal College. The class meets each Monday night and no "students" are barred. One man weighs 250 pounds and another is six foot three inches tall.

Robert Roberts, chairman of the Indianapolis-Notre Dame Retreat committee, is perfecting plans for a retreat at the Retreat to be held next summer. Chairmen in every parish will be supported by a working committee.

LODGE 104 YEARS OLD

Richmond Masons Celebrate 104th Anniversary.

By Times Special
RICHMOND, Oct. 7.—The 104th anniversary of Webb lodge No. 24, F. & A. M., and the annual Past Masters' night were celebrated Wednesday with degree work and a banquet.

Albert G. Ogden, past master 1889-90, was the oldest of the twenty-two past masters present. Women of Loyal chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, served dinner. The Masonic orchestra and glee club entertained.

Officers in charge of the meeting: James G. Rogers, Robert Watt, Guy Brown, John E. Peck, Albert E. Ewan, E. G. Stegman, Leslie Simpson, Charles Verges, T. O. Thomas and S. B. Gaines.

GIVE TRAVELER DEGREE

Seventy-Five Odd Fellows Lodges to
Take Work at Valparaiso.

By Times Special
VALPARAISO, Oct. 7.—Chequok Lodge No. 56, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, will give the Keystone Traveler degree Oct. 24 to members from seventy-five lodges.

La Porte lodge will present the degree to lodges north south and east of the city. Lodges west of the city will receive the degree from the Valparaiso organization. The Keystone Traveler left the Bethlehem, Pa., lodge four years ago on a twenty-year tour of the country. It moves constantly to the west, never to the east.

LODGE TO HEAR PARSON

Knights of St. George to Meet Monday Night.

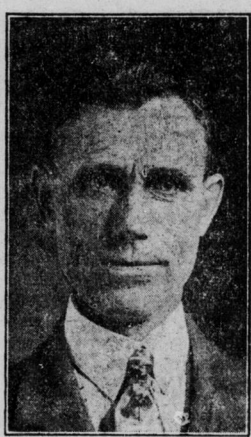
The Rev. John Joseph Brogger, O. F. M., will speak Monday night at the monthly meeting of the Knights of St. George in Sacred Heart school.

MISS COLBERT SPEAKS

Dean of Teachers' College Gives Address at Monticello.

Miss Emma Colbert, dean of the Indianapolis Teachers' college, spoke on modern methods in elementary education at Monticello. This was the first of a series of eight monthly lectures under direction of the extension department of Teachers' College, which Miss Colbert will give to teachers of White County. She also will give a lecture course for teachers at Auburn, Ind.

Officers Are Elected by Hibernians



Left to Right: Harry McMahon, Eugene O'Sullivan, James H. Deery. (Below): Michael J. Mannix.

Eugene O'Sullivan was elected county president of the Ancient Order of Hibernians at the fifty-first convention. Other officers elected: James H. Deery, vice president; Dennis Delaney, financial secretary; Michael Cummins, recording secretary; and Michael J. Mannix, treasurer.

Harry J. McMahon has been head of the county group for four years and was not a candidate for re-election.

Calendar of City Lodges

AMERICAN INSURANCE UNION
Indianapolis Chapter 433, A. I. U., every Friday, Moose Hall, 115 N. Delaware St.
BE-HUR
Artistic Court No. 5, Tribe of Ben-Hur, 138 N. Delaware St., every Monday.

DAUGHTERS OF AMERICA
Daughters of America, Brightwood Hall on Station St., first and third Fridays each month.
D. O. K. K.
Shambah Temple No. 123, D. O. K. K., at 230 E. Ohio St., first Friday of month.

DRUIDS
Meridian Grove No. 28, meets at 8 p. m., Monday at Druids Hall, 122 S. Meridian St., first and third Fridays each month.
Maple Circle No. 7, meets at 8 p. m., Monday at Druids Hall, 29 S. Delaware St., second and fourth Mondays, Tuesday, Thursday at Red Men's Hall, Lee and Morris Sts.

EASTERN STAR
Germania Circle No. 1, meets 2 p. m., second and fourth Mondays, Druids Hall, 29 S. Delaware St.
Capital City Circle No. 6, meets 8 p. m., second and fourth Thursdays, 116 E. Maryland St.

ELKS
Indianapolis lodge No. 13, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Elks Club, Meridian and St. Clair Sts., Tuesday.
F. O. E.
Fraternal Order of Eagles, Indianapolis, Arrie No. 21, 413 W. Vermont St., meets Mondays.

F. & A. M.
Monument lodge No. 657, Thursday, Marion lodge No. 35, Wednesday.
Loyal lodge No. 658, Monday.
Irvington lodge No. 659, Monday.
Evergreen lodge No. 713, Tuesday.
Prospect lodge No. 715, Wednesday.
Beech Grove lodge No. 84, Thursday.
Pentapolis lodge No. 564, Thursday.
Oriental lodge No. 806, Tuesday.
North Park lodge No. 84, Thursday.
Millerville lodge No. 723, Friday.
Lynchburg lodge No. 723, Friday.
Ancient Landmark lodge No. 319, Monday.
Calvin W. Prather lodge No. 717, Friday.

MOOSE
Indianapolis lodge No. 17, Moose Temple, 135 N. Delaware St., every Tuesday.
Wendell's Moose lodge No. 1, 135 N. Delaware St., every Tuesday.
Men's Mooseheart lodge, 135 N. Delaware St., every first and third Wednesdays.
Junior League, 135 N. Delaware St., second and fourth Saturdays.

PATRIOTIC ORDER
Washington Camp No. 33, Patriotic Order of Sons of America, 115 E. Maryland St., first and third Mondays.
Washington Camp No. 12, Patriotic Order of Sons of America, 115 E. Maryland St., first and third Mondays.
Camp No. 2, second and fourth Fridays.

POCAHONTAS
Itasca Council, No. 37, 115 E. Maryland St., first and third Mondays.
PYTHIAN SISTERS
Pythian Sisters, Bannockburn Temple No. 37, 115 E. Ohio St., Wednesday, 8 p. m.
Winamac Tribe No. 279, O. R. M., Twenty-Ninth and Clifton Sts., Wednesday.

RED MEN
Newass Tribe No. 190, I. O. R. M., Capitol Ave. and North St., Thursday.
Polarte Tribe No. 190, I. O. R. M., Red Men's Wigwam, 137 W. North, Fridays.

REBEKAH
Progress lodge No. 39, I. O. O. F. Hall, Pershing Ave. and Michigan St., second and fourth Tuesdays.
Center Camp No. 1397, Modern Woodmen Hall, second and fourth Mondays.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS
Ironwood Camp No. 2430, Red Men's Hall, Capitol Ave. and North St., second and fourth Tuesdays.
Cloverleaf Camp No. 3997, W. W. A. Hall, Lawrence, Ind., fourth Tuesdays.

T. P. A. DRIVE SPEEDS UP
Special Meeting of Volunteers Is Called for Saturday.

Replies to questionnaires sent out by the Travelers' Protective Association in connection with its October membership drive are being turned in steadily by candidates, says Charles M. Zink, secretary-treasurer of Post B.

Rally squads are being supplied with names of definite prospects, enabling them to economize their time. Volunteer workers are covering other parts of the city.

Clarence J. Traugott, chairman of the membership committee, has called a special meeting of volunteer workers for Saturday at the T. P. A. clubhouse, Tenth and Pennsylvania Sts., where he will assign works to districts.

FALL REUNION NOV. 22

Michigan and Indiana Scottish Rite Masons to Meet.

By Times Special
SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 7.—Northern Indiana and Southern Michigan Scottish Rite Masons will meet here Nov. 22 for the annual fall reunion.

Fourth through the eighteenth degree will be conferred, work of the day climaxed in presentation of the Rose Croix. Gaylor Leslie, Ft. Wayne, thirty-third degree Mason, who recently was appointed Indiana deputy, will speak at the banquet.

Indianapolis council No. 37, Knights of Columbus, K. of C. Hall, Delaware and Thirteenth Sts., Monday.
Indianapolis Council No. 8, Tuesdays, Noble Hall, 24 S. Delaware St.
Brightwood Council No. 24, Mondays, 1 O. F. Hall, Beech Grove, Thursday.
West Park Council No. 24, Thursdays, 1 O. F. Hall, W. Washington and Addison Sts.
Washington Council No. 36, Thursdays, Red Men's Hall, Morris and Lee Sts.
Capital City Council No. 6, Mondays, Pennsylvania and New York Sts.

K. OF C.
Indianapolis council No. 37, Knights of Columbus, K. of C. Hall, Delaware and Thirteenth Sts., Monday.
Meeting, Olive Branch Lodge No. 2, Knights of Fraternity, Castle Hall, 230 E. Ohio St., Saturday.
Meeting, Capital City Lodge No. 6, Knights of Fraternity, Castle Hall, 230 E. Ohio St., Monday.



SCOTTISH RITE CLASS TO MEET

Reunion of 1907 Candidates to Be Held Here.

Scottish Rite class of 1927 will hold a twentieth annual reunion Saturday night at the Columbia Club. Members have met twice each year since their initiation.

George F. H. Schreiber, one of the members, is the architect for the new Scottish Rite Cathedral.

Members who will attend the banquet: Henry C. Thornton, most wise master of the Rose Croix chapter of the Masonic Lodge and past master of the Mystic Tie Lodge, F. and A. M., and president of the class; Otto F. Allig, secretary; Paul R. Jones, treasurer; Charles C. Kuerst, Lewis P. Horton, Frank W. McDougall, Alfred Morley, Earl Guy Robbins, Clifford L. Lambert, Edgar W. Rine and Walter J. Wilson.

REBEKAH LODGE WILL OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

District Meeting Set for Oct. 20 at Beech Grove.

Temple Rebekah lodge, No. 591, will celebrate the seventy-sixth anniversary of Rebekah Odd Fellowship Monday night at its hall, 23½ Capital Ave. Members and families of Meridian lodge, No. 480, will be guests.

Rebekah district meeting will be held Oct. 20 at Beech Grove. Action degree staff will confer the work.

Marion County Rebekah degree league will inaugurate its fall work this month and arrange a meeting schedule.

Harris lodge, No. 644, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, is planning a social event for Oct. 15.

HONOR POST PATRONS

O. E. S. Also Celebrates Day for Matrons of Order.

Fifteen Indianapolis chapters of the Order of Eastern Star observed Past Matrons and Past Patrons' day Thursday night in the Masonic Temple, North and Illinois Sts., under direction of Mrs. Nettie Ransford, grand secretary.

Past matrons and patrons present were called on for short talks. Dinner was served.

Naomi chapter, No. 131, will observe the special day tonight with a 6 o'clock dinner at Masonic Temple. Following the meeting, the degrees will be conferred by past officers of the chapter.

DRUIDS HONOR LINDY

Aviator Made Honorary Life Member of Order.

Col. Charles A. Lindbergh has been made an honorary life member of the California United Ancient Order of Druids, in recognition of his flight to Paris and his work in aviation, according to Charles G. N. Geider, grand secretary, who received official notice of the event this week.

Colonel Lindbergh was the first honorary member of the California order and was presented with a gold plated membership card.

PICK VICE - COMMANDER

Powell Given Office at Veterans of Foreign Wars Session.

Gus Powell was named junior vice commander of Hoosier Post, No. 624, Veterans of Foreign Wars, at a meeting this week. Installation services followed election. Two other elections are to be held at the Monday night meeting in Castle Hall, 230 E. Ohio St.

DRUIDS TO GIVE PARTY

Cards Affair Is Planned by Capital City Circle.

Capital City Circle No. 6, United Ancient Order of Druids, will give a card party Oct. 13, at its hall, 116 E. Maryland St. Mrs. Bertha Lynch is secretary.

REBEKAHS HOLD DISTRICT PARLEY

Semi-Annual Convention on At Vernon.

By Times Special
VERNON, Oct. 7.—Rebekah lodges of the sixteenth district met here today in the semi-annual convention. Jackson, Jefferson and Jennings Counties comprise the district and delegates from Vernon, Madison, North Madison, Scipio, Hayden, Deputy, Dupont and Seymour attended.

Registration and lodge business was transacted in the morning and afternoon until 4 when a school of instruction was to be held under Mrs. Jessie Robson, Terre Haute, president of Rebekah State assembly. The silver loving cup for the lodge having the best attendance will be awarded. Seymour lodge now holds the trophy.

Dinner will be served at 6 p. m. by the hostess lodge. Unwritten work will be conferred at 7:30 p. m. by officers and degree staff of the Milan lodge.

District officers in charge are Mrs. Almada Welker, Vernon, president; Miss Minnie Husted, Seymour, vice president; Mrs. Anna J. Trapp, Vernon, secretary; and Miss Mary Simmons, Hayden, treasurer.

DISPUTES AGE RECORD

Greensburg Man Claims He Is Oldest Mason.

By Times Special
GREENSBURG, Oct. 7.—The claim of Josiah M. Stahl, Van Buren, Ark., that he is the oldest living Mason is contested by the Rev. James B. Lathrop, this city.

Stahl is only ninety-five years and joined the order in Mishawaka, Ind., seventy-four years ago, while the Rev. Mr. Lathrop is 102 and joined the Masons in Franklin, Ind., seventy-six years ago.

Yorktown Day to Be Observed

Indiana Society, Sons of the Revolution, will celebrate "Yorktown day" Monday night with a banquet at the Woodstock Country Club. Dr. William J. Hutchins, president of Berea College, is scheduled to speak.

City Fraternities Group Votes to Remain Active

Clearing Center for Lodge Problems Will Be Maintained.

Voting to keep alive the organization, delegates to the Associated Fraternities met Thursday night at the Modern Woodmen of America hall, 322 E. New York St.

The group, composed of twenty-eight lodges, was recently organized and the question was whether they should meet but once a year to organize the annual fraternal celebration or become a clearing center was fraternal problems.

With the decision to continue, a resolution was passed to complete the constitution and by-laws and strengthen the association. E. H. Palmer, president, spoke on "Closer Relation to Fraternal Organization." M. T. Wright, representative of the Modern Woodmen, outlined plans for bringing together the groups through cooperation and social gatherings. Louis Mills, representative of Ben-Hur, also spoke.

Fraternal bodies attending: Women's Benefit Association No. 140, Maccabees and Lady Maccabees, Pocahontas and Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Veterans of Foreign Wars post No. 624, Ben-Hur, Royal Neighbors of America, Modern Woodmen of America, Yoemen and Degree of Honor.

Conflicting fraternal meetings and business engagements lowered attendance, but it was planned to hold the next meeting Nov. 17 at the Redmen's hall, North St. and Capitol Ave. Delegates will be given an opportunity to vote on the new measures.

New Chairman

Arthur G. Gresham Has Been Selected as General Chairman of the twenty-ninth annual encampment of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, to be held in Indianapolis in August, 1928.

Gresham is a World War veteran, having served fourteen months with the Nineteenth division in France and Germany. He is a member of the National Americanization committee and has served two terms as chief of staff of the Indiana department.

FACULTY HEAD NAMED

Elizabeth Downhour Is President at Teachers' College.

Miss Elizabeth Downhour was elected president of the faculty organization of the Indianapolis Teachers' College at the first meeting of the year. Miss Mae Engle was re-elected secretary treasurer. Miss Downhour, who succeeds Miss Alta L. Smith as president, is an instructor in nature study at the college.

Outline Rite Plans

A banquet will open the meeting. Speakers will acquaint members with the new \$3,500,000 Cathedral progress and outline details of the corner stone laying ceremonies. Active support of members will be asked, and speakers will outline advantages for taking the higher degree work.

Meetings have been held at Bedford, Terre Haute, Lafayette and Muncie. A meeting will be held at Greensburg Oct. 14 and one at Kokomo Oct. 21.

SCOTTISH RITE BODIES PUSH REUNION PLANS

Cathedral Cornerstone Laying Attracting Nationwide Attention.

State and nation-wide interest is being developed in the dedication and corner stone laying ceremonies for the new Scottish Rite cathedral Nov. 29.

Regional meetings are being held over the State each week by Rite bodies to increase interest in the affair.

Nearly 150 Master Masons meet each Wednesday at the local Scottish Rite temple for examination and registration by Robert G. McClure, secretary, for the special exemplification of Masonic degrees climaxed in the corner stone ceremonies.

Feature of Reunion

The special first section class started work Sept. 28 and will join with the convocation candidates for final ceremonies to be marked by an elaborate banquet at the new temple. Both sides will have the honorary title of "corner stone class."

The final rites will be the feature of the sixty-second semi-annual convocation and reunion of the Valley of Indianapolis to be held Nov. 28 through Dec. 2.

The fifth regional meeting will be held tonight at Richmond, Ind., for Scottish Rite Masons from Fayette, Union and Wayne Counties. Fred T. Willis, thrice potent master of Adoniram Grand Lodge of Perfection; Robert G. McClure, secretary; and the Rev. Lewis Brown, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, are to be guests of honor.

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