

STATE DISTRICT MEETINGS SET FOR REBEKAHS

Seventh District Parley Will Be Held Thursday at Lafayette.

Triumph Rebekah Lodge, No. 291, and Star City Rebekah Lodge, No. 292, both of Lafayette, will be hostesses to all Rebekah lodges in the Seventh district, in a district meeting to be held in Lafayette Thursday afternoon and night. The district is composed of Tippecanoe and Carroll counties.

Mrs. Mary Wilson of Delphi, district deputy president of Seventh district, will preside.

Friday, Fountain Rebekah Lodge will be host to other Rebekah lodges in the twenty-seventh district of the order, composed of Benton, Fountain and Warren counties, at a district meeting to be held at Attica in the afternoon and night.

Conduct Instruction School

Mrs. Sadie Johnson of Boswell, district deputy president of the twenty-seventh district, will preside.

Mrs. Revah Pressler, president of the Rebekah assembly of Indiana, will attend both meetings, and will conduct a school of instruction during the afternoon session of each meeting. Mrs. Grace E. Childs of Indianapolis, secretary of the assembly, also will attend both meetings.

The degree staff of Triumph Rebekah Lodge of Lafayette will attend the Friday night meeting at Attica, and will confer the Rebekah degree on candidates during the session.

Hostesses to District

Tuesday, March 28, Sparta Rebekah Lodge No. 716, at Kimmell, Ind., will be hostesses to lodges in the Twenty-ninth district, composed of LaGrange and Noble counties, at a district meeting to be held at Kimball.

Mrs. Fern Parker of Albion, district deputy president of the district, will preside at the meeting and Mrs. Pressler again will stage a school of instruction.

SHRINER MEETING IS TO BE HELD TONIGHT

Chanters and Band Will Entertain at Murat Temple Gathering.

A program, including music by the Chanters under the direction of Arthur W. Mason, and the band under the leadership of Herman Arndt, will be given tonight at the Murat Temple.

A brief business meeting will open the session at 7:30 and the social affairs will follow.

Arrangements are in charge of E. E. Tempeler, chairman; Crawford H. Barker, John O. Bremner, Karl L. Friedrichs, Dudley Gallahue, Lilburn Grayson, Eugene Holland, George Hilgemier Jr., Arthur Kimber, E. S. Larrison, Elize Partlow, Inez H. Riley, John Schumacher, Carl Sindlinger, Ross Smith, Fred Tompkins, Ernest Van Horn and Harold F. Weinmann.

78 TO BE INITIATED BY INDIANAPOLIS CUBS

Services to Be in Charge of Degree Team of 25 Members.

Seventy-eight candidates for membership in the Indianapolis Cubs Recreation Club, Inc., will be initiated at the Rhodius Park community house. Services will be in charge of a degree team composed of twenty-five members. Total membership now is 125.

H. W. Middleworth, city recreation director, will be a guest of honor and will speak. Officers of the club are William E. Hildebrand, president; Arch Brown, vice-president; Edward Branch, secretary; Herbert Bricker, treasurer, and Joseph Smith, financial secretary.

CALVIN PRATHER LODGE WILL CONFER DEGREE

Work to Be Given to Class Friday Night at Meeting.

Calvin W. Prather Lodge, No. 717, F. & A. M., will confer the fellow craft degree on candidates at 7:30 Friday night in the Prather Masonic temple, College Avenue and Forty-second street.

Scott McCoy, senior warden, will preside during the first section of the degree, and Joseph W. Kaercher, worshipful master, will preside during the second section.

Lectures appointed for the degree include A. F. Thomas, Carl G. Winter, Perley Wimmer, Hubert L. Wann and Fred J. Menninger.

COUNCIL TO ENTERTAIN

Pocahontas Group to Hold Euchre Party Saturday Night.

Pocahontas council No. 350 will entertain with a euchre party and buffet dinner at 8 Saturday at the home of Mrs. Mae Thayer, 2447 North Talbot street.

Miss Pauline Wining is chairman of the committee in charge. Others on the committee include: Mrs. Belva L. Wining, Mrs. Ada Barton, Mrs. Hazel Blue and Mrs. Carrie Fobst.

DELAY CONVOCATION

Annual Scottish Rite Reunion Now Set for Tuesday.

F. Elmer Raschig, thrice potent master of Adoniram Grand Lodge of Perfection, Scottish Rite, has announced the annual convocation and reunion of the bodies in the Valley of Indianapolis has been postponed. It will be held Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 25 to 27.

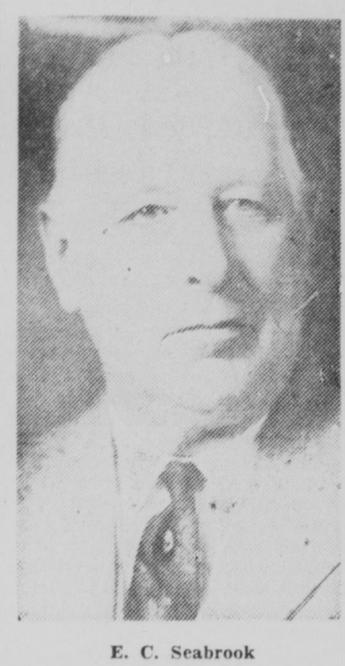
REHEARSAL IS SET

Center Masonic Lodge to Meet Tonight at Temple.

Center Lodge, No. 23, Free and Accepted Masons, will hold a craft rehearsal of both crafts tonight at 7:30 in the Masonic temple, North and Illinois streets.

The lodge will hold another meeting at 7:30 Wednesday night in the Masonic temple and will confer the Master Mason degree on candidates.

Great Sachem of Red Men to Speak at District Meetings



E. C. Seabrook



H. J. Patterson



Arch H. Hobbs

MASONIC LODGE TO GIVE DANCE

Brookside Affair Will Be Held Saturday Night at Temple.

Entertainment committee of Brookside Lodge, No. 720, F. & A. M., is sponsoring a dance to be given in the Masonic temple at Gray and East Tenth streets, Saturday night for master Masons and their friends.

Music will be furnished by Roy and his orchestra and the entertainment will include circle dances, refreshments and a floor show by Charles Eberle and Jimmie Commons.

Houston H. Meyers is chairman of the entertainment committee. Other members include Frank Wegener and Manual H. Robinson.

On Wednesday, March 29, the entertainment committee will sponsor a stag banquet for master Masons and their friends. Dinner reservations will be given by the entertainment committee until noon of Tuesday, March 28.

Archibald Hall, the speaker, will address those present on "Masons Address to Cope With Today."

GETS NEW MEMBERS; WINS WRIST WATCH

Mary K. Kerr, 11, Honored for Jr. Maccabees Work.

Mary K. Kerr, 11, of 2942 Olden street, junior member of local court, No. 406, the Maccabees, recently won a wrist watch which is given by the Maccabees to all juniors getting ten or more new members.

Prizes are offered to all juniors obtaining additional members. A Maccabee signet ring is given for obtaining five new members and a gold boy's or girl's wrist watch is awarded to junior members obtaining ten new members.

Mary was the first of a number of juniors trying for the awards to obtain the ten new members. She was assisted by F. L. Cross, district manager of the Maccabees.

The local court is planning an Easter party and those who have obtained enough new members will receive their awards at that time.

CHAPTER TO INITIATE

O. E. S. Group to give Work to Six Candidates Tonight.

Prospect chapter, No. 452, Order of Eastern Star, will initiate six candidates at a meeting at 8 tonight in the Masonic Temple, State Avenue and Prospect streets. Members from other O. E. S. chapters have been invited to attend.

Veterans to Give Party

The Frank T. Strayer Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will give a card party for the public at 8:30 Saturday, in the post hall, Twenty-fifth and Station streets.

Contract Bridge

BY W. E. MCKENNEY

Secretary American Bridge League

In the one-over-one system of contract bidding, when either side feels that the bidding has progressed far enough, and that a game is unlikely, he should convey that information to his partner by a sign-off bid.

To pass in that situation is often undesirable, because the partner may have considerably more strength than he has already shown, and may be expecting an opportunity to rebid.

The sign-off simply means that the bidder has already shown his entire strength, and has no desire to continue bidding. He has nothing further to offer, and if his partner continues the bidding from that point he must do so entirely upon his own hand.

Sign Off Bids

Some of the more common sign-off bids are as follows:

A bid of one no trump in response to an opening bid of one in a suit when there has been no intervening bid. Example: South one heart, West pass, North two spades, East pass, South two no trump.

A bid of one no trump in response to a one-over-one bid. Example: South one diamond, West pass, North one spade, West pass, North two spades, East pass, South two no trump.

A single raise of an original bid whether or not there is an intervening bid. Example: South one heart, West pass, North two hearts, South one spade, West two diamonds, North two spades.

A minimum re-bid of the original suit when it has not been supported by partner. Example: South one heart, West pass, North one spade, East pass, South two hearts.

The bidding should proceed game only when there are definite indications that a slam is probable.

A minimum re-bid of a suit already mentioned by either partner.

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M. W. A. CAMP WILL BE HOST

Fortville Delegation to Be Guests Friday of Ironwood Lodge.

The degree staff, officers and a delegation of members of Fortville camp, No. 7137, Modern Woodmen of America, will visit Ironwood camp, No. 6984, Friday night at the Modern Woodmen hall, East Tenth and Rural streets. The visiting lodge will confer the dramatic degree on a class of candidates.

Following the initiation service, refreshments will be served and a banquet will be given. George E. Hopkins, state deputy, will speak.

J. Raymond Trout, district deputy of Marion and Hancock counties, Wednesday invited the forty-five M. W. A. camps in Marion and surrounding counties, to attend the Christian Men Builders, class of the Third Christian church, Seventeenth and Broadway, Sunday, April 30. The Woodmen will make their annual visit to that organization.

David Killion is chairman of arrangements for the visit. William B. Conner and Trout also are on the committee.

Featured during that morning's service will be several selections by the Modern Woodmen quartet.

City Elks to Celebrate 53d Birthday of Lodge

Old-Timers Will Hold Dinner, Social Session Tonight.

Celebration of the fifty-third birthday anniversary of Indianapolis Lodge, No. 13, Benevolent Protective Order of Elks, will be held at 8 tonight in the assembly rooms of the lodge in the Antlers by the "Boys of Auld Lang Syne."

The celebration will start with a dinner and social session, "In Memory of the Happy Days of Long Ago." Each member attending can have a part in the program, by Thursday evening.

Members of the Pythian home board of directors who will convene at 1 the same day in Lafayette for a two-day courtly business session will attend the meeting, and then will meet again Thursday for an all-day session.

Ceremonies will start at 6:30 with the Pythian Home band playing a one-hour concert. Ritualistic services will start at 7:30 and will be followed by Thomas' address. A business session and roll call of all lodges present will close the meeting.

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