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CONVENTION ADJOURNS

New Grand Exalted Ruler Inducted into Office at Closing Session

Atlantic City, July 11.—Patriotism was the keynote here today of the greatest demonstration of the order of Elksdom ever made. Under a smiling sky ten thousand members of the order gathered from every State, Alaska, Porto Rico, Hawaii and the far-away Philippines, to testify to their loyalty to America and its great mission in the world in an inspiring spectacle.

Above and beyond all splendor of raiment, and there was plenty of that, was the splendor of the Star Spangled Banner. A replica of the grand old flag now waving over the trenches in Europe was carried by every parader. It draped handsome floats and waved at the head of every unit and division in the long, spectacular line.

Scores of hands sounded the stirring strains of the whole gamut of America's fighting anthems, as well as the inspiring, if not classic, melodies which a year of American participation in the world strife has evolved.

Service Flags Conspicuous

And next to the Stars and Stripes came the service flags. Every lodge bore as a badge of honor a banner that will challenge the world to question Elksdom's fighting brand of patriotism. Some contain a few stars, others many.

There was one division of the long line comprised entirely of the service flags of distant lodges which could not come to Philadelphia. They were carried by a handful of representatives to testify that the far West and the far South are standing strong in their lodges for the cause of the nation.

Up near the head of the procession was the service flag of Elksdom as a whole, a splendid banner with 20,000 stars, one on the sleeve of every member, the colonels, the majors, the captains, lieutenants and the enlisted men of the army and navy who are on the Kaiser's trail.

Philadelphia Make Hit

Marching to the music of a crack military band, with three handsome floats, the appearance of Philadelphia Lodge, second in seniority in the order, was one of the features of the parade. Four hundred strong, Exalted Ruler Henry J. A. Newton, at their head, the Philadelphia were garbed showily. Their outfit comprised Palm Beach suits, purple ties, white hats, with an American flag badge, white shoes and a gay parade badge with a miniature Liberty Bell attached.

The Philadelphia marched in the fourth division and their float, one of which carried a full-size reproduction of the Liberty Bell at once made them known to the spectators from all parts of the city. The float was decorated with the spirit of '76, and a third of the Philadelphia flag. Thousands acclaimed "Betty Ross" upon her stately march. Betty Ross, the daughter of the Philadelphia, but Receiver of Taxes Kendrick was in line. Master Smith, son of Herman Smith, who has not missed a Grand Lodge convention since he was able to travel, rode his pony "Rufus," also a familiar figure in Elks parades for years.

Other Keystone Lodges

Camden also came in for much laudation. The boys from the Jersey municipality, featuring metropolis were garbed in military uniforms of white serge, piped with purple, high peaked white caps, topped with a dashing plume and carried the American flag.

Millville, No. 580, marched in white trousers and blue coats, under escort of a band with a diminutive leader.

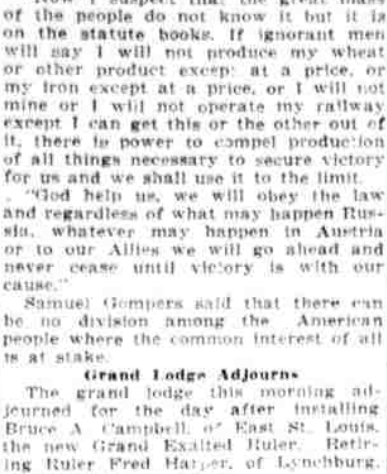
Pennacross, No. 1122, the "Baby Lodge" of the order, having been instituted less than a month ago, made an exceedingly creditable appearance and took a just pride in an exceptionally handsome banner.

There were Keystone State contingents from Harrisburg, Reading, York, Pottsville, Tyrone and Sunbury. Pennsylvania boys were proud of the fact that Oliver K. Cowell, of Sunbury, served as chief of staff to Grand Marshal Sullivan.

The Naval Display

The naval display arranged in honor of Secretary Daniels was one of the features of the procession. It included four companies of jacks from Westborough Barracks, under command of Commander J. H. Reid; a naval band, floats carrying replicas of one of Uncle Sam's newest dreadnoughts and a battle cruiser.

MEET WYNNEWOOD FARMERETTES DURING BREATHING SPELL BETWEEN JOBS



SOLEMN TRIBUTE PAID TO MITCHELL

Thousands Stand Uncovered Along Route of Funeral of Former Mayor

By the United Press

The body of Major John Purroy Mitchell, former Mayor of New York, was borne to its grave today as lines of silent thousands stood uncovered along the route of the impressive procession which escorted the bronze coffin.

The bell in the tower of the City Hall, which tolls the memorable day when Mitchell, then chief executive of the city, welcomed Marshal Joffre and his party, tolled slowly as the parade wound past.

The solemn cortege, led by a military band, followed the line up Fifth avenue, scattering flowers as it went.

The body was taken to St. Patrick's cathedral where a high mass of requiem was celebrated. The service was private, the church, with the exception of a small space which was reserved for friends, being thrown open to the public.

At Woodlawn cemetery, where interment was made the services were private. A squad of soldiers formed the escort, and the body was borne to the grave by the family.

MAKE CIGARS FOR TROOPS

Ninth District Factories to Supply Demand of U. S. Soldiers

Lancaster, Pa., July 11.—The ninth internal revenue district factories have been selected by the Government to supply the demand for cigars which are to be distributed to our boys.

DEVICE AIMS AIR BOMBS

Two Other American Aviation Inventions Approved in Washington

Washington, July 11.—American inventions apparently have overcome three more problems with which the Allies have been struggling since the beginning of the war. As a result of the perfection of these new airplane devices the aviation forces will be far more effective than in the past.

NO MEDICAL SHORTAGE

Daniels Says Funds for Ship Supplies Are Not Wanted

Washington, July 11.—Rumors of a shortage of supplies on navy ships were vigorously denied today by Secretary Daniels, who issued a statement that the navy has ample supplies, and that a day and night force of men was maintained at all times to determine accurately his distance from the ground in feet.

FRENCH AND BRITISH MAKE GAINS

By the Associated Press

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Government Plan for Using Despised Curs in Laboratory Tests of Asphyxiating Gases May Be Extended to Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, July 11.—A dog of low degree, who has been found to be a martyr to war and science, is being used in laboratory tests of asphyxiating gases.

Miss Clara Middleton, of the city, found the dog in the Philadelphia branch of the society, said today that she had been looking for a dog of this kind for some time.

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JEWIS VISIT PALESTINE

Commission Will Make Report on Founding of Homeland

By the Associated Press

New York, July 11.—A commission of Jewish leaders, to study the conditions in Palestine, is expected to report to the Jewish people in a few days.

BEST MEN IN ENEMY ARMIES NOW READY FOR GREAT BLOW

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London, July 11.—The British and French forces in the West have been preparing for a long time for a great blow against the German forces.

NEW OFFICERS FOR NAVY

Norfolk, Va., July 11.—Eighty-five new officers were graduated from the United States Naval Academy today.

MADE RABBITS OF PRUSSIANS

I said in my message yesterday that the Canadians have been playing fierce games with the Germans around Neuville-Vitasse, near Arras.

QUEEN'S WRESTLERS, THE KENNINGTONS

The Queen's wrestlers, the Kenningtons, have been especially successful in their matches.

U.S. TAKES OVER JERSEY CANALS

Delaware and Raritan Included in Announcement of Acquisition

TOMLINSON IN CHARGE

General Manager of New York Section Is Placed in Control

Formal announcement that the Government has taken over the New Jersey canals and the Delaware and Raritan Canal, was made today in Washington.

G. A. Tomlinson, general manager of the New York canal section of the railroad administration, has been placed in control of the Government-controlled waterways.

Closer co-operation between these inland waterways was found necessary, and the management was ordered combined under one head.

The Delaware and Raritan Canal, which is the connecting waterway between the Delaware River and New York harbor, is under lease to the Pennsylvania Railroad, and therefore is considered a part of the Pennsylvania's vast transportation system.

It extends from Bordentown, N. J., to New Brunswick, a distance of forty miles. It is understood that the Government will begin operation of a line of tows and barges, the same as is now being operated on the Erie Canal, which was recently taken over by the railroad administration.

This is expected to bring about a greater utilization of the inland waterway between New York and Philadelphia, and to relieve some of the rail congestion between those points.

PRISONERS ARE SENT TO ATLANTA QUIETLY

Usual Dramatic Scenes at Railroad Station Avoided by Strategy

The dramatic scenes usually enacted at Broad Street station when prisoners are sent to the Atlanta penitentiary were avoided today through a little strategy by United States marshals who directed the departure of thirty-two "dope peddlers" and users.

As a rule the prisoners get word in advance as to when they will be sent south. In this case the time of departure was kept secret. The men did not know that they were to be transported to the Federal prison until they were lined up at Alexander's Prison today.

SAIORS TO ACT AS USHERS

One hundred sailors eloped from the United States Naval Academy today to act as ushers at the Fish-Park Club-Tender boat at Shiloh Park on July 16.

COAL MARKED "RUSH"

Railroad Director Speeds Up Seaboard Movement

By the Associated Press

New York, July 11.—A drive for speedier movement of coal to the Atlantic seaboard was inaugurated today by A. H. Smith, regional director of eastern railroads.

In a message to Federal managers and general managers of carriers in the eastern district, Mr. Smith said the usual summer slump in coal movement must be avoided.

Coal production during the fortnight ending June 15 was the largest in the country's history, Mr. Smith said, but there has since been a rapid drop, due to decreased car supply caused by sluggish movement of coal cars, both loaded and empty.

Advertisement for Keds shoes, featuring the text 'Keds For Comfort This Summer' and 'Boys' & Girls' \$1.25. It includes an illustration of a man and a woman wearing Keds shoes.

Large advertisement for Palm Beach fabric, featuring the text 'I THOUGHT PALM BEACH WAS THAT ODD SHADE OF TAN' and 'PALM BEACH is the world's summer-time suit'. It includes an illustration of a man and a woman in Palm Beach attire.