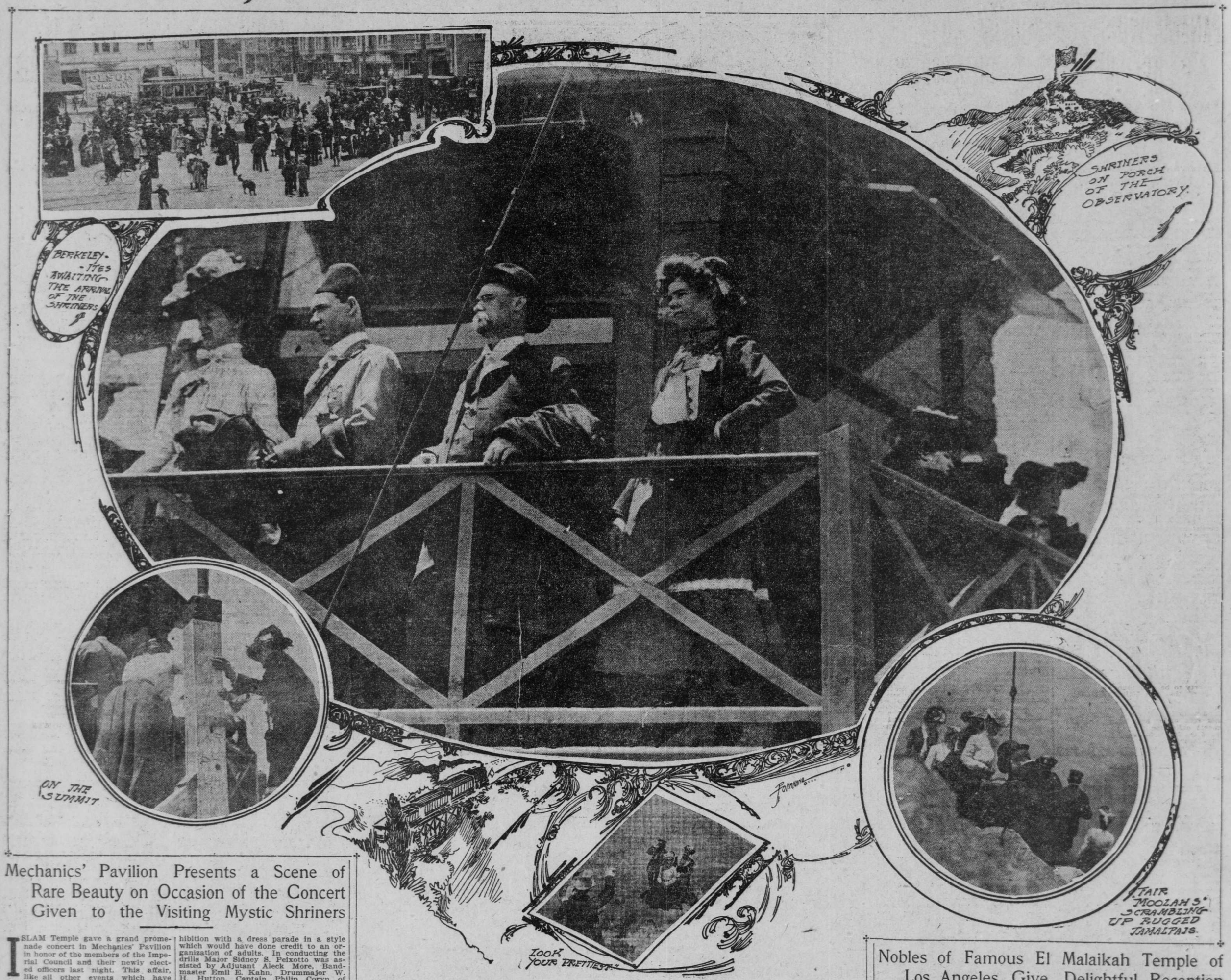
PILGRIMS AND THEIR LADIES ASCEND MOUNT TAMALPAIS AND ENJOY VIEW OF SCENERY ABOUT SAN FRANCISCO BAY



VIEWS OF THE SHRINER TRIPS TO TAMALPAIS AND BERKELEY.

Mechanics' Pavilion Presents a Scene of Rare Beauty on Occasion of the Concert Given to the Visiting Mystic Shriners

ISLAM Temple gave a grand promenade concert in Mechanics' Pavilion in honor of the members of the Imperial Council and their newly elected officers last night. This affair, like all other events which have occurred since the first caravan of Shriners wended its way into this western oasis, was a thing of rare beauty. As the Imperial Council had concluded its labors for this year during the afternoon the Noble representatives were free to lay aside all thought of business and enjoy the promenade and music to their hearts' content.

When the band struck up the opening selection the immense hall was completely filled with visiting Shriners accompanied by their wives and sweethearts. The interior of the hall with its brilliant illumination, its fluttering flags and its streamers of red, white and blue draped along the rails of the gallery and with its floral decorations shedding their sweet fragrance over the gay assemblage, presented a scene of splendor that will linger in the memory of all who were present. Members of the local temple were on hand and gave their guests a cordial reception.

LEADING NOBLES ATTEND.

Prominent among those who attended was Henry C. Akin, of Omaha, Neb., who had the honor of being elected Imperial Potentate to succeed Philip C. Shaffer. The retiring potentate was also present as were almost all the officers of the Imperial Council. The Shriners wore their Arab costumes which, with the handsome gowns of the women, materially added to the picturesqueness of the surroundings. The reserve which was slightly noticeable at the first few entertainments and receptions has completely disappeared as the Shriners have become better acquainted with each other and last night the visiting Nobles were en rapport with the occasion.

The programme of the evening was appropriately inaugurated by the rendering of Mayor Schmitz's latest march, "The Yankee Hustler," by the band. One of the most notable features and the one which was most heartily enjoyed by the visitors, was the exhibition drills of the Columbia Park Boys' Club under the command of Major Sidney S. Peixotto. This prize aggregation of juvenile soldiers has frequently drilled in public but it is safe to say it has never performed to better advantage than last night. On the previous evening the Shriners were surprised and delighted by the precision with which Moolah Patrol executed sundry maneuvers and again last night they were treated to an enjoyable surprise by the drilling of these little California boys.

MILITARY MANOUVERS.

The Columbia Boys' Club is a complete organization and has its own band, buglers and drum corps. The exhibition was started by Company C, winner of the championship trophy of 1902, under the command of Captain George Morse. The boys marched and counter-marched up and down the long hall, wheeled and turned in a manner that won for them hearty applause. The maneuvers of Company C were followed by a marching drill by the drum and bugle corps. The army setting-up exercise by the battalion proved the crowning feature of the boys' performance. In this exhibition the boys went through all manner of athletic exercise calculated to develop muscles and lungs. Their physical culture exercise was rather a novelty and was greatly enjoyed by the Shriners.

The young soldiers concluded their exhibition with a dress parade in a style which would have done credit to an organization of adults. In conducting the drills Major Sidney S. Peixotto was assisted by Adjutant Aleck More, Bandmaster Emil E. Kahn, Drummajor W. H. Hutton, Captain Philip Coryn of Company A, Captain Louis Holm of Company B, and Captain George More of Company C.

After the bands had rendered a couple of selections boxers, wrestlers and fencers from the Olympic Club, under the direction of Noble John A. Hammersmith, held the attention of the assemblage while they executed a number of athletic events. The programme was concluded with selections from the bands which were under the direction of Noble George W. Bennett and Alfred Roncovieri.

TOY CAMEL AT FISCHER'S CREATES MERRIMENT

Shriners Enjoy Performance of "Fiddle Dee Dee" and Laugh at Appropriate Sallies.

When Messrs. Kolb and Dill made their entrance at Fischer's Theater last evening hauling after them a toy camel the audience, which was composed of Shriners, grew enthusiastic. It was fully ten minutes before the fun-makers could go on with their dialogue. Their witticisms about the Nobles created great merriment. However, their reception was not a marker to that tendered Barney Bernard when he burst on the stage and proceeded to walk on his heels. Bernard as Moses Lichinski is garbed in Turkish costume, which is given a finishing touch by the fez he wears. The Hebrew impersonator tried to explain to the audience that he was a "trick," and not a Shriner, but they would not let him proceed until their merriment had ceased. Bernard explained that he walked on his heels to keep his soul from being burned when walking over the hot sands.

Every member of the company wore a fez, and a touch of orientalism was added to the performance in honor of the visitors. The Los Angeles delegation occupied the two boxes, and in the audience were members of the order who wore their red fezes throughout the performance.

In the afternoon the Pollard Juvenile Opera Company gave its final performance in America. The clever children presented "Pinafore" and sang it in a manner that would have been worthy an organization of older people.

Scobie Leaves Much Realty.

The estate of James Scobie has been appraised at $375,675 48. The report of the appraisers, filed yesterday, shows that the estate consisted of $19,755 98 cash, stocks and bonds worth $76,580, real estate in this city, Sonoma, Siskiyou and San Mateo counties worth $261,739 50, and a promissory note for $17,500 secured by a mortgage on the Church of the Advent.

Workmen's Picnic.

All arrangements have been completed for the reunion and picnic of the Ancient Order of United Workmen at Glenwood Park on the 17th inst. There will be a good programme of games and races, for which there will be a number of prizes. There will also be many gate prizes.

Cloud-Capped Mountain Peak the Enjoyable Mecca to Which Hundreds of Nobles Journey---Owing to a Misunderstanding the Excursion to Berkeley Proves to Be a Slight Disappointment

MOUNT TAMALPAIS was the Mecca to which the Mystic Shriners journeyed yesterday. More than 300 Nobles and their families made a pilgrimage to the pleasure resort. Another crowd journeyed up the mountains in the afternoon and remained over night with a view to seeing sunrise on the mountains.

The visitors were accorded every accommodation by the Mill Valley and Mount Tamalpais Scenic Railway Company. Special cars were reserved and the engines were tastefully decorated in their honor. The Shriners were delighted with their ride up the mountain. They viewed the surrounding scenery and marveled at the engineering feat in building "the crookedest railroad in the world."

No special programme was made for the entertainment of the visitors. The keepers of the tavern were prepared to serve the guests and reaped a harvest from the hungry ones. Many of the Shriners climbed to the topmost peak of the mountain and visited the observation station of the United States Weather Bureau.

"The double bow knot," caused by the track of the railroad paralleling itself five times within a distance of 300 feet proved very interesting, as did the view from the lofty peak. The fog that hung over the mountain in the early hours of the morning was dissipated by the hot sun and by the time the Nobles arrived not a vestige remained to mar their view.

The excursion was voted a success. Many thought the ride and the view surpassed that obtained at Mount Lowe and Pikes Peak.

Shriners at Berkeley.

BERKELEY, June 11.—Owing to an evident misapprehension on the part of the visiting Shriners in San Francisco, due to the sudden change of their scheduled trip to Berkeley from Friday to this morning, only a handful of thirty-five appeared before the reception committee this morning. These, however, were cordially received and the original programme of sight-seeing for the visitors was carried out unchanged.

The Board of Trade had provided conveyances at the depot for at least 200 of the expected Shriners. Many of these were decorated with flowers and flags in expectation of the guests of honor. The Shriners who did arrive were driven through the university grounds, Claremont, Peralta and the residence portion of Berkeley. They were then entertained at luncheon by Captain Newcomb and returned to San Francisco on a late afternoon train.

The committee of the Board of Trade who entertained the visitors consisted of W. H. Waste, F. W. Richardson, F. W. Durgin and R. C. Staats.

SHRINERS IN OAKLAND.

Drill at Racetrack To-Day Arouses Interest of the Public.

OAKLAND, June 11.—To-morrow a most unique and interesting feature of the Mystic Shriners' visit to the Pacific Coast will be the competitive drill at the racetrack at Emeryville of six Arab patrols. A prize will be awarded the patrol performing the evolutions with the greatest precision and correctness. Several bands and drum corps will lend stirring melody and time to the maneuvers. There is considerable fraternal rivalry between the various patrols, and this spirit will make the entire affair more interesting to the participants and spectators. Special cars will be run to the racetrack to accommodate the public.

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS OF SHRINER WEEK

TO-DAY.

10 a. m.—Drive from the Palace to the Presidio, Cliff House and Ocean Beach. Lunch at Cliff House and drive through the Park and visit to the Park Museum.

2 p. m.—Prize drill of Arab patrols for valuable trophies at the Oakland Racetrack.

8 p. m.—Distribution of prizes by Islam Temple at Mechanics' Pavilion, drill by winning teams, promenade concert and reception.

FRIDAY.

8 a. m.—Shriners' "wishbone" excursion to Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home at Decoto, Palo Alto and San Jose, via Oakland ferry, returning at 4 p. m.

9 p. m.—Grand ball for Shriners and the public at the Pavilion.

SATURDAY.

9:30 a. m.—Excursion on the bay, when all points of interest, including the Golden Gate, Goat Island and Mare Island Navy Yard, will be visited.

8:30 p. m.—Banquet at the Pavilion.

Nobles of Famous El Malaikah Temple of Los Angeles Give Delightful Reception to Thousands of the Guild at the Palace

THE Al Malaikahs of Los Angeles did themselves proud yesterday afternoon at the reception to their fellow Shriners in the Maple room of the Palace Hotel.

Fully 2000 people were entertained by the Southern Nobles in a sumptuous manner. Every Al Malaikah was a committee of one to see that his fellow Shriners enjoyed themselves to the fullest possible extent.

Chairman Charles Campbell and other members of the reception committee gave the glad hand in profusion. Everybody was welcome, aye, to put it in the language of the Al Malaikahs, "thrice welcome."

Throughout the afternoon the Shriners, their friends and families from all over the United States crowded the Maple and adjoining rooms and enjoyed the lavish hospitality of the Southern California pilgrims.

The visitors as they entered the doors were seized by friendly hands and forwarded to the Maple room, where refreshments were served. In the absence of Zem Zem water, champagne, liberally served, was substituted with pleasing results. Potentate Fred Hines, who was arrayed in all the glory of his office, welcomed the visitors, and he was assisted by George H. Stewart, prophet; William B. Stevens, chief raban, and W. W. Lovett.

The reception committee was composed of Charles Campbell (chairman), Speaker C. W. Pendleton, R. N. Bulla, Senator Fred M. Smith, F. A. Conant, Ferd K. Rule, J. R. Paul, Simon Conradi, Frank Pfaffinger, J. B. Lankershim, W. Bonfillio, Fred Johnson, Charles Lehman, George H. Ballou, A. G. Stearns, F. M. Boswell, H. B. Gleason and S. R. Newbauer.

The following members and ladies of the party took part in the reception:

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. F. Adair, Miss E. Adair, Mr. Bonfilio, Senator and Mrs. R. N. Bulla, Senator and Mrs. Fred M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bair, W. T. Booth, Walter Brodé, E. H. Bagley, R. Burr, D. E. Barclay, A. C. Bagley, G. H. Ballou, P. W. Bresee, P. N. Black, T. M. Boswell, John Breiner, William Breiner, Otto Brodtbeck, Dr. and Mrs. Bechel, H. Bartlett, John Barron, Dr. Bryant, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Cocksey, Mr. and Mrs. S. Conradi, J. L. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Major Carr, the Misses Annie and Mary Chapman, B. H. Dyer, Walter Dugan, A. B. Cass, F. F. Devoe, E. W. Davis, J. H. Demey, Mr. Doughty, R. Eichelberger, F. W. Enderly, G. Esberger, Mrs. George Fitch, H. W. Frank, H. B. Ferris, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fife, H. B. Gleason, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gunther, J. P. Greely, W. J. Hollingsworth, R. G. Hubert, F. D. Herron, C. Haydock, J. Wentz, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson, W. P. Jeffries, Dr. and Mrs. Beckett, H. Bram, H. E. Bartlett, M. L. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Carhart, J. K. Carson, Dr. D. J. Carson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Deyer, Mr. and Mrs. L. Deck, J. I. Herron, E. L. Hathway, P. King, Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Luger, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mackay, S. N. Munson, P. Newmark, A. R. Pierce, Hon. and Mrs. C. W. Pendleton, W. L. Patten, B. A. Packard, G. E. Preble, Mr. Skilten, Mr. and Mrs. O. Smeet, H. Shaffer, William Sherwood, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Short, H. F. Starbuck, A. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Whitney, H. J. Wallett, J. Yates, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kinney, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Kerckhoff, L. Kimble, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Lovett, H. J. Lehman, Mr. and Mrs. R. Logan, Mr. Lankershim, Mr. Llewellyn, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mann, Nathaniel W. Mynot, R. H. Miller, G. F. Mott, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McDonald, E. W. Davis, Dr. Frank W. Miller, S. M. Munson, E. M. Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McCutcheon, C. F. Noyes, G. B. Ochiltree, Miss M. Pfaffinger, the Misses Poehler, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pfaffinger, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Parker, J. R. Paul, G. E. Preble, Mrs. Rader, Mr. and Mrs. Ferd K. Rule, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rouse, George Stewart, William Steckel, Dr. and Mrs. W. S. Spinks, Charles Sexton, Dr. W. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Short, C. M. Seely, J. C. Talmage, W. L. Valentine, Mrs. Wankowski, Captain W. Wankowski, P. W. Weidner, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Wandling, J. T. Wooley, M. A. Warren, Mr. and Mrs. C. Mohini Wood, H. J. Woolacott, J. M. Wilson, J. A. Wright, L. V. Youngworth, J. P. Yates.

All Shriners are invited to be present at the first official reception tendered by Al Malaikah Temple, A. A. O. N. M. S., to Imperial Potentate Henry C. Akin on the evening of Monday, June 16, at the Masonic Temple, Los Angeles.

An imperial potentate's special train, carrying the imperial potentate and suite, visiting Nobles and friends, will be run by the Southern Pacific Company, leaving Third and Townsend street depot at 3 p. m., Sunday, June 15, arriving at Los Angeles 7 a. m., Monday, June 16.

Custom-House Appointments.

Customs Collector Stratton yesterday appointed J. F. Bagley and Charles G. Reay openers and packers in the appraiser's department in the Custom-house at a salary of $840 per annum. Both men were taken from the Civil Service eligible list. Reay is a war veteran.

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