

EVENING STAR

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THE ELKS MEMORIAL SERVICE

Yesterday afternoon a large number of our citizens attended the Elks' memorial service. The following was the program:

The Presbyterian choir supplied the vocal part of the program and consisted of Messrs. J. J. and A. E. Gerig, Mrs. R. G. Blake and Mrs. Harry Latham, Mrs. D. E. McIver was pianist.

The address of welcome by Rev. Campbell Gray of Grace Episcopal church, was a very earnest and eloquent presentation of the objects of the order and the lesson it should teach us. He spoke of benevolence, which word he said meant well feeling in its truest sense toward your fellows, not a mere casual feeling and regard for the wants and necessities of your brother in distress, but that abiding spirit that not only looks after material needs, but of the real spiritual wants of those towards whom you are drawn and for whose welfare you are willing to be instrumental in obtaining. He emphasized the thought that morality was very well in its way but fell far short of the teachings of the Bible and without the love of Christ in the hearts of men, to strive to live up to the golden rule, their efforts and work failed of its real worth and efficiency. He also referred to the fact there should be one standard of moral worth and conduct for men and women. That God's rule of conduct made this imperative to live a true, honest and righteous life. He spoke beautifully and touchingly that life came with pain to proclaim its birth. He closed by saying that it afforded his pleasure to note the fact that the cardinal principles of the order were for a better, purer and higher life and how each member should feel that those who had gone before were looking down on them and appreciating this fact. These words are a mere intimation of the splendid address made by Rev. Gray, which was listened to with rapt attention and deep appreciation.

The Leon Fishel orchestra rendered several beautiful pieces, of which organization Miss Connor and her sister, Mrs. Benjamin Condon are members. The violin solo by Miss Connor with an accompaniment on the piano by Mrs. Condon was splendidly rendered. The officers of the lodge carried out the parts assigned them beautifully and none more so than the dignified and impressive manner of the exalted ruler, Mr. Bradford C. Webb of Kendrick.

The Elks ought to be congratulated on the manner in which their "Lodge of Sorrow" fulfilled their solemn obligations to their departed brothers and deep and significant impression it left on the minds and hearts of all present, that we live not to ourselves alone on this earth.

A CORRECTION

In some way the Star in mentioning the corn prizes got the awards mixed. The colored boy of Perry Edwards' won the \$15 prize for best and largest exhibit of corn shown by boys, while J. F. Gist of McIntosh, son of Mr. W. M. Gist, won the special \$25 farmers' prize for an exhibit of the best 25 ears of corn.

The census taken Saturday morning has not yet been tabulated, though the Baptists are satisfied there are 600 of their persuasion who are either members of their church and Sunday school or affiliate with them and they will be diligently looked after and efforts made to get them into the Baptist church and Sunday school. The meetings Sunday at the Baptist day school convention were largely attended and an unusually large and interested crowd were present Sunday night at the close of the convention. Mr. Flake of Winona, Miss. preached and Mr. Crossland of Nashville, Tenn., spoke to the questions which had been under discussion and consideration for three days and with great effect. The meetings have been inspirational in the highest degree and an interest aroused in this community which if followed up will bring good results for Sunday school and church attendance.

John T. Lewis, inspector of convict camps, was in town today, having returned from an official visit to Dunnellon. Today he took in the Marion Farms, Silver Springs and Fort McCoy. Mr. Lewis is still suffering from pneumonia, but as his duties are so exacting and much work to do before the new year he can't neglect his business. Mr. Lewis was appointed a delegate to the great Washington waterway convention which assembles in that city this week, but as the invitation does not contain any expense money the honor had to be declined with thanks.

The engagement of Mr. Fred E. Welhe of Ocala and Miss Effie Moore of Tallahassee is announced, the marriage to take place December 9th. Mr. Welhe is the youngest son of Mr. F. G. B. Welhe, jeweler, of this city and Miss Moore is a daughter of Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Moore. Rev. Moore and family were residents of Ocala several years ago when Mr. Moore was pastor of the Methodist church.

Robert Munroe of Anthony, who after looking over the state for a new turpentine location found prices so high for lands that he with his family will return to their old home in North Carolina, at Lumberton Bridge. The Star regrets to lose so good a citizen. He expects to leave Christmas week.

Mr. Jules Hannah, who for some time has been working for the Rentz mill at Fort McCoy, was in town today on his way home to North Carolina.

Mr. John Trantham who has been living for some time on the Caloosahatchee river above Fort Myers, has moved to Ocala to reside. He is the father of Mrs. F. W. Kunze and Mr. Paul Trantham.

Mr. Jules Cohen who recently returned from a trip across to Germany and New York City, said in the latter place he met up with Charles Pope, a young attorney from Jacksonville and son of Attorney Frank Pope, who is holding a very responsible position in the advertising department of William Morris' theatrical business.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Hamrick of Atlanta, who spent a few days with Mrs. M. C. Looney, Mrs. Hamrick's sister, went to Jacksonville Sunday.

I. O. O. F. THANKSGIVING

Rev. W. H. Coleman preached a special Thanksgiving sermon at the Christian church Sunday morning for the members of the Tuluja Lodge I. O. O. F. There was a good attendance, the members of the lodge wearing their regalia occupying the front seats in the middle tier. The music was good. The special orchestra for the occasion was composed of Messrs. H. W. Tucker, J. A. Bouvier, Charles Blair, Mr. Simmons and Miss Myrtle Whitfield. Mrs. C. E. Winston sang very beautifully a solo, "I'm Your Shepherd." The sermon was so excellent and deeply appreciated by those present that we print a synopsis of the same.

Scriptures read; Dan 4:29-30; 1:15-16 and Psalm 23. The first scripture presents to us Nebuchadnezzar the great Babylonian emperor, a man who never suffered a defeat. He was a world conqueror. Drawing treasures from a conquered world he made Babylon one of the wonders of the ancient world. The city was four square miles, the combined length of the walls sixty miles. These walls were 136 1/2 feet at the base, rose 300 or 333 feet in height and were 84 feet wide on the top and at this dizzy height they were able to drive and turn a four-horse chariot. Great hanging gardens 400 feet square and 75 feet from the earth were marvels of beauty and covered with tropical trees and flowers. According to the text in Daniel Nebuchadnezzar declared that he did this all by his own power—giving God no thanks or glory but rather deifying himself. For his terrible curse the first brought upon him. At last in his desperation he acknowledged the true God, Jehovah.

The lesson from Habbakuk tells us of the fishermen worshipping their nets and drag and offering sacrifice to them, thus deifying the implements of their trade. This same form of religion is found today in pagan countries where Brahimism prevails. It is said the barber worships his razor, the farmer his plow and the mechanic his tools.

To a large extent the intense commercialism and Mammonism have led us as a people to indifference in religion and to the offering of ourselves, our time and all of the best within us to our trades, business and professions. And for this reason showing little gratitude to God and to a larger extent than we are willing to admit practicing the principals of the pagans, who accept Brahimanism.

In the 23rd Psalm we have set forth the great shepherd, king and sweet singer of Israel, who acknowledges all life and all life's blessings as coming from the divine source, teaching us the truth of our own helplessness and our dependence upon God. And this conception of life and life's conditions lead us to the principle of thankfulness and gratitude, as in contrast with the man who lives wrapped up in the cocoon of selfishness.

In principle gratitude leads to better service, and is the expression of a noble soul. Gratitude tenders the heart and opens the fountains of love. In its expression we erect memorials in the way of eleemosynary institutions that will exist when we are gone.

At this time the I. O. O. F. and the Rebekahs have special reasons for gratitude. Odd Fellowship in her 91st year is not decrepit, but in vigorous, youthful life with the promise of a great future. The last figures now available gave the membership as 1,236,312; sick benefits for the year \$2,782,922; aid to widows \$173,580.80; expended for orphans \$149,845.10, and for funeral benefits \$1,106,253.74, making the total benefactions for the year \$5,112,993.75. Nor the dollars alone tell of the help rendered. In times of trouble, sorrow and death Odd Fellowship comes as the friend in need with loving counsel and tender sympathy. The Rebekahs have a membership of 371,687 sisters and 199,513 brothers or a total of 571,200 and the aggregate of the whole body is thus seen to be about 2,800,000.

In Florida Odd Fellowship is enjoying a spirit of revival and growth. There appears to be but one decadent lodge in the state, and it is lately showing signs of recuperation. We emphasize to every initiate that the lodge is no substitute for his church and forcefully remind him that he cannot be an Odd Fellow unless he is a good citizen.

We are living in the world's best era; times are prosperous, no famine or plague has come upon us. We are thankful for our Southland now so glorious coming into her own. We should be thankful for Florida and we as a lodge thankful that only one member out of 90 has died. In all we have special reasons for gratitude and shall go into the new year full of hope, facing a bright future and with a set purpose to make our lodge ideal.

NOTICE TO U. D. C.

A call meeting will be had by the Daughters of the Confederacy to elect officers for the management of the Fannie R. Gary memorial hall. A full report is required for this and a ball vote, as the handling of the funds of so important an undertaking is important and each daughter has an interest in it. Probably this will come up at their January meeting.

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STEM-END ROT OF CITRUS TREES

Press Bulletin No. 131 of the Florida Agricultural Experiment Station.

(By H. S. Fawcett)

A new soft-rot has this year made its appearance in a serious form, on grapefruit, oranges and tangerines. In a number of counties in Florida. At the present time it appears to be a disease which, if not checked, will destroy large quantities of fruit.

Description

This disease appears to attack full-sized fruits on the trees, after they have colored, and to cause them to drop. In some groves many of the grapefruit have been reported as dropping from this cause. The disease may also develop on the fruit after it is packed.

The fruit first begins to soften and sink a little at the stem end, without the rind changing color. There is no blackening nor moulding at first, and the softened peel remains intact over the softened interior. The softening proceeds inward along the fibers of the rag, and then outward into the pulp cells. At first the inside of the rind remains almost unchanged in color; but, as the softening goes on, the diseased pulp turns dull brown.

Other Citrus Fruit-Rots

This rotting or softening is quite different from the well known citrus fruit-rot, due to the withered fungus, of to common molds. In the rotting of mature fruit due to the withered fungus, the rind becomes darkened in brown sunken spots before the inside of the fruit is injured, if it is injured at all.

In the rotting of citrus fruits due to the Penicillium fungi, or molds, as they are usually called, a softening takes place, but it is not confined to the stem-end. A moldy odor is perceptible; and, as the rotting progresses, a green or blue mat of fungus spores is produced.

Cause

Microscopical examination of the diseased fruits showed that the softened tissue was filled with colorless fungus threads, which branched many times. This fungus is different from that found in connection with rotting citrus fruits, and it appears to be the cause of the peculiar softening. Infection experiments are in progress to prove this point.

A Suggestion as to Treatment

As the pathologist has not yet had an opportunity to make experiments in the control of this disease, he can only give a suggestion as to treatment. If the fungus enters while the fruit is on the tree, as seems probable it is possible that spraying with ammoniacal solution of copper carbonate would be fairly effective in checking the dropping of fruit from this cause.

Specimens Wanted

In order to make a study of this disease, and to ascertain its severity and distribution, the Plant Pathologist desires to have specimens from as many localities as possible, and to receive all the information he can in regard to it. Any grower who is troubled with such a rotting of citrus fruits, is requested to send two or three affected fruits to the Plant Pathologist, Agricultural Experiment Station, Gainesville, Fla. Everyone who will be advised what to do for the trouble, as soon as results of the work are available.

NOTICE

The registration books of the city were revised November 2nd, 1909, by the city council, and the following names stricken:

Ward No. 1 C. H. Shaw, W. W. Stripling, W. H. Clark.

Ward No. 2 L. Dozier, E. C. Dorsey, F. C. Dorsey, E. P. Guerrant, J. C. Geiger, Sam Hoffman, W. J. Lohrig, F. J. Lovell, H. E. Leavengood, E. E. McLin, H. D. Palmer, W. H. Powers, S. A. Rawis, Robert Taylor.

Ward No. 3 S. L. Bittling, A. L. Eichenberger, E. L. Freyermuth, W. A. Kallenberger, C. L. Moore, W. O. Massey, C. V. Roberts, Edward Sweet, R. A. Witter.

Ward No. 4 S. J. Jones, W. C. Moore, J. T. Moore. Council will hear complaints December 7th for the restoration of names stricken. H. C. Sistrunk, Clerk and Supervisor of Registration of the City of Ocala.

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DOG LICENSE DUE

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