

VETERANS' BODIES WILL AMALGAMATE

Toronto Union of West End G. A. U. V. and Parkdale G. W. V. A. Under Way.

(Toronto Mail and Empire) The initial steps towards the amalgamation of the West End Branch of the G. A. U. V. and the Parkdale Branch of the G. W. V. A. were taken at a largely attended and enthusiastic meeting of the former organization, held last night in St. Leger's Hall and attended by practically the whole executive of the Parkdale Branch, G. W. V. A. The movement, which is in accordance with the instructions of the Dominion Veterans' Alliance, favoring local amalgamation of branches of the different veterans' bodies has been under way for some time.

The meeting last night was addressed by J. Fred Marsh, Dominion secretary of the G. A. U. V.; the president of the Parkdale G. W. V. A., and S. J. Kelly, assistant Dominion secretary of the G. A. U. V. In his address, Mr. Marsh referred to the financial statement of the G. A. U. V. Dominion body, which was submitted last Wednesday, and showed over \$30,000 in the Dominion treasury of the organization.

THE FEAST OF UNLEAVENED BREAD

The Feast of Unleavened Bread, otherwise known as Passover, begins this year on Wednesday, April 12, and will be observed by all Jewish people for a

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period of seven or eight days, according to their interpretation of the Biblical injunction in Exodus 23:14.

During the Passover week all Jewish families abstain from eating leaven in any form and in its stead use the Matzo, concluding the festival on April 19th.

The first and last days are days of holy convocation. That is, services are held on these days in the synagogues.

The evening of the first day of Passover is particularly important.

This evening is known in Jewish circles as "Seder Night." Its intent is to unite members of a household about the festive board and there read together the ritual compiled for the occasion and known as the "Haggadah." This liturgical composition recites the chief events of the Exodus of the Children of Israel from Egypt and with many a quaint song and story revives memories of hardship in ancient times from which the people of Israel were delivered by a strong hand and an outstretched arm.

Passover, it will readily be seen, reaches back to remote antiquity when it was observed by the Hebrew tribes in the dawn of history as an agricultural festival incident to spring. At an early period in the history of these tribes they attained a degree of self-consciousness and associated historical events with their career. The Exodus from Egyptian bondage was commemorated in this Pesach feast. An entirely new content was invested in the feast which became a message of freedom and a memorial of deliverance from slavery and oppression.

The festival of Pesach was used by the synagogues as a means of consecrating the Jewish home to God, the Redeemer and Protector of Israel. The story of the deliverance of their forefathers from bondage and slavery reminded the Jews of God's providential guidance and gave them confidence in the final redemption of all humanity from tyranny and injustice.

The Passover Feast is keyed to this dominant thought of liberty and redemption from bigotry, ignorance and oppression. The importance of the feast lodges in the emphasis placed on the quality of freedom announced for all who are near or far away. Each one is to regard himself as if he came forth from the house of Egyptian bondage.

That American Israel may be the better imbued with the high purposes of the feast, the Conference of American Rabbis is preparing a new edition

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of the Haggadah to be used in the homes of American Jews.

The Seder celebration radiates an exuberant spirit of thankfulness and joy. The symbolism of the festival which is elaborate and utilizes several unique recipes reflects the circumstances of the enslavement of the Children of Israel in Egypt as well as the hopeful outlook for the final triumph of freedom for all mankind.

The third of a series of Masonic lectures was delivered last evening to a large gathering of Masons in their temple by Dr. H. S. Bridges, his subject being "Landmarks in Masonic History." The address was deeply interesting and hearty appreciation was expressed to Dr. Bridges at the conclusion. Grand Master J. D. P. B. MacKenzie, of Chatham, accompanied by R. A. Loggie, was present at the meeting.

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MANY HALIGONIANS GOING TO EUROPE

(Halifax Echo) The new White Star-Dominion liner Regina will carry away many Haligonians when she sails from here on Sunday afternoon for Liverpool. Of the number who will join the steamer here will be included about forty persons from this city and other Nova Scotia points. Among them are the following: Mrs. J. W. Allison, Mrs. M. A. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John McKeen, Mrs. L. H. Currie, Mrs. Gerald Grant, Mrs. A. W. Bisset, Miss A. M. Van Sittart, Mrs. C. H. Mercer, Master Eric Mercer, Miss Louise Romans, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Smith and child, Mr. Gerald Bolleau, Miss Alice Turner, Mrs. H. McKinnon, and Miss Sarah McGregor and Miss Jean M. McGregor of New Glasgow.

At present it is not known how many passengers will join the Regina here, and, in addition to taking passengers, will take mails.

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