# Klux Builds \$1,500,000 Palace

Atlanta Promoters Undertake \$100,000 Advertising Campaign and Talk of Other Projects Meaning Millions— Costly Homes Acquired by Leaders -Lanier University Taken Over and **Emperor Simmons Made President.** 

#### PROFITABLE SALES OF EQUIPMENT FOLLOW \$10 DONATIONS FROM OVER HALF MILLION MEMBERS

Imperial Wizard Has a Wizard-like Financial Adviser in Imperial Kleagle Clarke, to Whom, by "a Sort of Gentlemen's Agree-· ment," Lump Sums Are Voted Regularly Marines Guarding by Supreme Committee as Pay - Leaders Openly Boast of Commercializing Klan.

lected groups of American citizens, ican life. Ku Klux Klan has been burrowing | manifestly paid well.

Singing a hymn of hate against se- | tortuously under the surface of Amer-

employing on a commission basis al Not the least revolting aspect of large and would-be hidden force of the activities of incorporated Ku expert organizers, promoted by adroit Kluxism uncovered by the investigaand not over-scrupulous methods, re- tion is the fact that all this has been viving a tradition of secretive and undertaken and managed as a revenue cowardly violence and lawlessners, the producing business enterprise, and has

### FLOOD OF MONEY IS POURING IN; KLAN'S CHIEF TALKS IN MILLIONS

"donation" at the invisible box office which flanks the portal of the Invisible Empire, and in ordinary routine this sum is "split" as follows:

Pocketing \$4, the Kleagle who signs the candidate on the dotted line forwards the remaining \$6 to his King Kleagle, who keeps \$1 and forwards \$5 to his Grand Goblin. The Grand Goblin, according to a statement officially given out in New York recently by Mrs. Elizabeth Tyler, head of the newly created body of female Ku Kluxers, retains 50 cents, so that of every "donation" \$4.50 goes to the "Imperial" treasury.

But if a higher ranking salesman obligates a new member the division is different. A King Kleagle thus selling directly keeps \$5 of the fee, a Grand Goblin keeps \$5.50, while if Emperor Simmons himself leans over the counter and personally baptizes a cuytomer the \$10 reaches the imperial pocket intact.

Disregarding the Imperial Wizard's own sales, which necessarily form but a small part of the volume of business done, each new Klansman means \$4.50 added to the Ku Klux bank roll. Conservatively discounting the Klan's own claims as to total membership and making the present number \$500,000, the Ku Klux sales campaigan; has so far brought its managers a gross profit of \$2,250,000. To this income must be added receipts from other sources which will be mentioned later in this article. Altogether, propagating incorporated Ku Kluxism with patriotic trimmings has proved a paying undertaking, as there is plenty of evidence to show.

Lanier University, named for the famous southern poet, was launched a number of years ago under the auspices of the Southern Baptist association, and was at first housed in a business building in Atlanta. Later it moved far out on the north side of the city, near the fashionable Druid Hills residential section and Emery university, one of the south's largest educational institutions. The Lanler property consists of three acres of ground and three buildings, only one of which is completed.

The enrolment is not heavy, and recently one of the teachers gave out s statement that nine faculty members and several scores of students had gone "on strike" because the institution had not met its contractural obligations to them in regard to board and other matters, though these charges were afterward denied by those in charge.

But since the Ku Klux Klan entered the educational field and Emperor Simmons became a college president. Lanier University must have taken on a new lease of life, to judge from advertisements clipped from southern newspapers. According to these ad-

ment and faculty. A school laying

unusual stress upon Christian prin-

vertisements. Lanier is: "A school that is distinctive Opens under entirely new manage-

Every Klansman parts with a \$10 ciples, as the foundation of our civilization, and the ideals of pure Ameri-

> A staff correspondent at Atlanta wrote as follows about Mrs. Tyler:

"She was born on a farm near Atlanta 35 or 40 years ago, and by sheer energy and determination has made her way to financial success. She is large, strong, ruddy of complexion and attractive. Those who have clashed wits with her consider her very clever. She has been with Mr. Clarke through all of his publicity campaigns for six years. Starting without any education except what she picked up at a country school as a child. she has become learned in the ways of the world, and is now well equipped mentally to be press agent for the Ku Klux Klan and allied movements. Her ambition now is to become a civic leader. Those who have known her since childhood assert that there neer was a day she did not try to improve her condition, and as the years have passed her mode of speech has im-

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"The Big Three in the K. K. K. movement at the present titme are Simmons, Clarke and Mrs. Tyler. 'Colonel' Simmons beats the drum and does the sob work, while Clarke and Mrs. Tyler increase the membership and fill the coffers."

Further facts connected with the control and management of the property-owning and money-making corporation whose legal title is Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, Inc., will be printed tomorrow in the next article

## U. S. Mails Here Stop at Y.M.C.A.

in this series.

The marines assigned to guard duty over the United States mails while in railroad transit and while being taken to and from postoffices, are being quartered, during their stay in Tucson at the Y. M. C. A.

Sergeant Ackley, who is in charge of the marines, is located here permanently. As one relay comes in with a shipment of mail from El Paso or Los Angeles this group is relieved and its place taken by a fresh guard. The guard alternates in sleeping during the day and night, it was stated by Secretary R. L. Cushing of the "Y."

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## WILDCATS PLAY UNIVERSITY N. **MEXICO TODAY**

The University of Arizona football squad left the city yesterday morning en route to Albuquerque, N. M., where they play the University of New Mexico this afternoon. The players were given a rousing sendoff in yesterday morning's assembly. which was mainly devoted to the display of school spirit which always precedes athletic contests in which the varsity participates. The students were led in several yells and listened to speeches by members of the team.

The game this afternoon between the varsity and U. N. M. will virtually decide the southwestern

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