

To Display Their Buttons

"Who's got the button" will be an easy game Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Some 30 members of the Kansas Button Society will compare collections at a three-day convention in the Baker Hotel.

Some 6,875 buttons will be on display 1 to 5 p.m. Saturday and 1 to 4 p.m. Sunday. Collections will be arranged and judged Friday.

Society member, Mrs. Clement Strong, 1208 Prairie, said all kinds of buttons will be shown.

Some of the buttons have held up famous trousers, and others have been linked with historical events. There will be antique buttons, black buttons, modern buttons, wooden buttons and fancy old metal buttons.

Mrs. Strong said 80 Kansans belong to the state society. The hobby is the third in popularity in the nation, exceeded only by stamp and coin collecting.

Business meeting for the convention will be at 10 a.m. Sunday. A dinner will be Saturday night.