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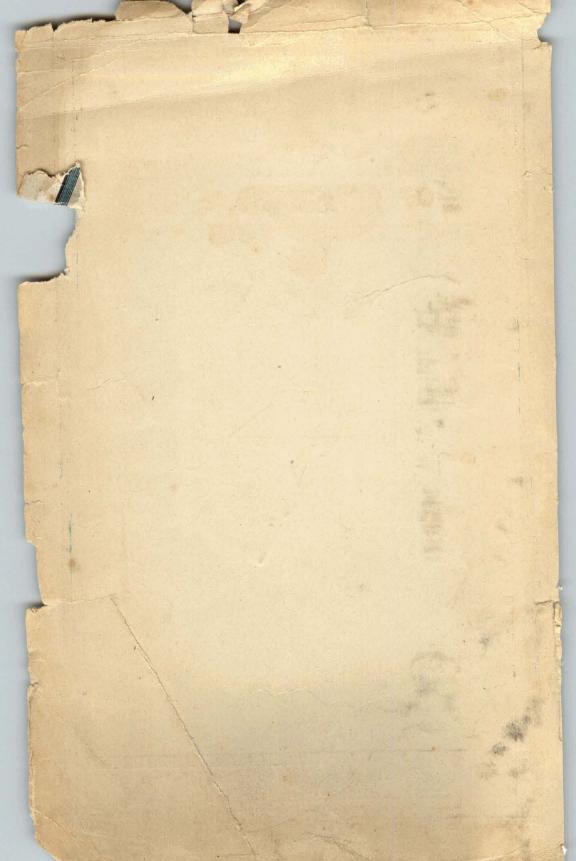
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PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL COMMUNICATION

OF THE

Grand Chapter of the Order Eastern Star

OF THE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

The Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of the State of California convened in Twenty-fifth Annual Session in Golden Gate Hall, 625 Sutter street, in the City of San Francisco, on Tuesday the nineteenth day of October, 1897, at one o'clock P. M. Past Grand Patron James Bestor Merritt in the chair of the presiding officer, called the meeting to order. The Grand Marshal entering with the Grand Officers, Brother Merritt called up the Grand Chapter to receive them. The Grand Officers assumed their respective Stations, Brother James Robert Tapscott, Worthy Grand Patron, receiving the gavel from the hands of Past Grand Patron James Bestor Merritt, seated the Grand Chapter, and requested the Grand Secretary to call the roll of Chapters. There being found a quorum of Chapters represented, the Grand Chapter was called on by the Worthy Grand Patron.

The Grand Chapter was then opened in Ample Form, when after singing, and the offering of prayer by the Grand Chaplain, the Grand Marshal, by direction of the Worthy Grand Patron, proclaimed the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star for the State of California, opened in Twenty-Fifth Annual Session.

Upon calling the roll of members there were found present the following Grand and Past Grand Officers:

JAMES ROBERT TAPSCOTT	Worthy Grand Patron
ELLA TYLER HALL	
KATE JOSEPHINE WILLATS	
ISADORA HORTON	
Polly Martin	
LILY FORBESAsso	
JANE FRANCES RAABE	
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MAURICE PRITCHARD	-

PAST GRAND OFFICERS.

GEORGE JOHN HOBEPast Grand Patron
JOHN NELLES YOUNGPast Grand Patron
JOHN HATFIELD GRAYPast Grand Patron
THOMAS FLINT Past Grand Patron
JACOB FRANKLIN BOLLERPast Grand Patron
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MARY ELLEN GILLESPIE
MARY ANN FLINTPast Grand Matron
MARY JOSEPHINE YOUNGPast Grand Matron
MARY BEAKES MOORE
MARY ELIZABETH PARTRIDGEPast Grand Matron
Annie E. BriggsPast Grand Matron
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JOHN McMurry Past Associate Grand Patron
DAVID BYRON TODD Past Associate Grand Patron
MARTIN JEREMIAH WRIGHT Past Associate Grand Patron
ZACHARY TAYLOR GILPIN Past Associate Grand Patron
HATTIE MAJORPast Associate Grand Matron
SARAH CASSIDY Past Associate Grand Matron

MARY JANE MAYHEW Past Associate Grand Matron
CARRIE AUGUSTA KINGSLEY Past Associate Grand Matron
MARY SOPHRONIA MUNNS Past Associate Grand Matron
ELMIRA FRANCES WESTPast Associate Grand Matron
KATE ELIZABETH BOYD Past Associate Grand Matron
EMMA PERKINS
MARGARET BELVA SEARLES Past Associate Grand Matron
MARY MARGARET HOLTZ
ELLA MARIA HAUNPast Grand Treasurer
ISABEL DENMAN
CALISTA SPAULDING Past Grand Treasurer
LIZZIE WARDWELLPast Grand Treasurer
MARY ANNA SMITHPast Grand Treasurer
MARY T. DEAN Past Grand Treasurer

And the representatives of 116 chartered Chapters and of 6 Chapters under dispensation, with many Past Matrons and Past Patrons entitled to seats.

The reading of the proceedings of the last annual session was dispensed with, members having been furnished with printed copies thereof.

The Grand Warder announced in waiting the Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Partridge. The Grand Conductress was instructed to retire and introduce the distinguished visitor. The Grand Conductress returning presented the Most Worthy Grand Matron, who was escorted to the East and received with Grand Honors.

APPOINTMENTS.

Appointments to fill vacancies, as follows, were made. Mrs. Clara Abbott Giberson, Associate Grand Matron. Lewis Oliver Stephens, Associate Grand Patron. Mrs. Emma Button, Grand Esther. Mrs. Mary E. Woodbury, Grand Martha.

The Worthy Grand Patron, Jas. Robert Tapscott, then read to the Grand Chapter his Annual Address, as follows:

ADDRESS OF THE WORTHY GRAND PATRON.

Sisters and Brothers of the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of California:

In accordance with the regulations of the Order, and the requirements of the Constitution of this Grand Chapter, we have again assembled at this, the twenty-fifth annual communication of this Grand Chapter, to review the work of the Order in this Grand Jurisdiction during the past year; to crystallize and perpetuate that which is good, and to criticise and discountenance that which is harmful; to profit by the mistakes of the past, and to revise our rules and regulations when necessary to avoid similar errors in the future.

In order to accomplish that for which we have laid aside our usual avocations, and in many instances traveled hundreds of miles, it is absolutely essential that each and every delegate to this Grand Chapter co-operate, to the end that whatever action is taken by this Grand Body shall be the result of the best thought and most deliberate judgment of a majority of its members. Let no member of this Grand Chapter hesitate to give expression to the views conscientiously entertained, but be ready at all times to advance the reason for the opinions expressed, and prepared to give due consideration to the suggestions of others.

Nearly a quarter of a century ago, and in compliance with an invitation from Golden Gate Chapter, No. 1, O. E. S., there assembled at Corinthian Hall, in this city, the representatives of the six chartered Chapters then located in this State for the purpose of forming the Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of California, and on May 9th, 1873, this Grand Chapter was organized, and on October 15th, 1873, the first annual communication thereof was held in this city.

At that time the Grand Chapter was composed of the delegates from eight chartered Chapters, representing a membership of a little over five hundred. To-day, at its twenty-fifth annual communication, this Grand Chapter is composed of the representatives of 135 subordinate Chapters, embracing a membership of nearly 10,000—in other words, fully one-half as many members

as we find enrolled by the Grand Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons in this State.

When we stop to reflect that this growth has been experienced and this increased strength gained within a comparatively short period, and under circumstances which at the outset were most discouraging, we may be pardoned for allowing our imagination to dwell for a short time on the future of this Order.

If, in less than twenty-five years, this Grand Chapter has increased from a membership of about 500 to a membership of nearly 10,000, and that increase has been in geometrical progression, who dares predict the numerical strength of this Grand Body a quarter of a century hence.

If, in so short a space, the Order in this Grand Jurisdiction has passed beyond the period of an experiment, has overcome the conservatism of that grand body of men recognizing allegiance to the Grand Lodge, F. & A. M., of California to such extent that its most active, energetic, and devoted leaders are to-day the most efficient workers in this Grand Chapter, may we not reasonably and confidently look forward to the time, and at no distant day, when every Mason will be a member of this Order, and every eligible member of his family a co-worker therein. The day has passed when this Order can be criticised as an experiment. Its influence has been sufficiently great during the past decade to enable the Masonic Fraternity to carefully and deliberately judge its character, and it has done so, and the verdict has been rendered in its favor; and the most thoughtful Masons within this Grand Iurisdiction to-day are enthusiastic advocates of the Order; not only because of its power to do good within its own ranks, but by reason of its direct influence upon Masonry.

We have noticed the marvelous growth of the Order in this Grand Jurisdiction until it has attained twenty times its original strength in nearly the same number of years, and it now becomes us to stop and reflect upon this growth, to the end that we may detect any elements of weakness that may be revealed in the light of this experience.

Are the proceedings of this Grand Chapter conducted from year to year in that fraternal spirit which should characterize the deliberations of the representative body of an Order founded on the underlying principles of the Golden Rule? We are the representatives of an ideal organization. Are we true and faithful exponents of the teachings of that Order in our legislative assemblages; or are we at times guilty of conduct for which we would feel in duty bound to condemn a subordinate Chapter; and if so, can we hope to find that harmony throughout this Grand Jurisdiction which is so essential to a true realization of the benefits of the Order?

Let not this Grand Chapter overlook the fact that its power has increased not only for good, but likewise for evil. Short-comings exposed to but few may at times be overlooked while the same irregularities are almost inexcusable when they are liable to influence injuriously a multitude. Let every member of this Grand Chapter remember that whatever takes place at this session will influence to a greater or less extent every one of the members of the Order within this Grand Jurisdiction, and may affect a multitude of others, and then fewer errors will be committed.

I speak not of these things in the spirit of criticism, but because of the pride which I take in this Grand Chapter, its growth, its influence, and its standing in the Order at home and abroad; and because I desire to see it hold that same enviable position in the Order in the future that it has in the past; and as I glance over this splendid organization and see here and there a member whose connection with the Order is a valuable part of its history, I appreciate the feelings which have prompted them to devote so large a share of their energies to its service, and share with them that loyalty and devotion to this noble cause which necessarily results from an intimate acquaintanceship therewith.

But while we find much pleasure to be derived from a review of the early history of this Grand Chapter, we cannot recall the past without remembering absent ones, whose places are vacant in our ranks to-day. I allude to those whose alarm at the outer door of that Celestial Grand Chapter above has been answered, and who are now residents in that "New Jerusalem, that city not made with hands."

This Grand Chapter has suffered the loss of one of its highest,

most efficient, and most dearly beloved Grand Officers, one whose sweet motherly face and silvery hair made her an attractive figure in each recurring session of this Grand Body, and whose grace and eloquence as Grand Chaplain thereof at our last session called forth many expressions of admiration on the part of those in attendance. I refer to Sister Susan Rucker, Associate Grand Matron of this Grand Jurisdiction, whose sudden and unexpected death on May 16th, 1897, brought tears of genuine sorrow to the eyes of those who were in a position to appreciate her true christian character and moral worth.

Less than a month before her death she was one of the honored guests of Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, O. E. S., in the city of Oakland, on the occasion of the celebration of its twenty-fifth anniversary, and the reception tendered the Grand Officers of this Grand Chapter in connection therewith. How little any of us then realized, as our beloved sister joined in the response "Farewell," in the closing ceremonies of the Chapter that evening, that her work was completed on earth, and even then she stood on the threshold of the Grand Chapter above, waiting admission therein: and as I recall that meeting and remember the touching incidents of that evening, when an old gray haired brother, whose membership in the Chapter dated from its organization a quarter of a century ago, arose and, with quivering voice, eyes moistened with tears, but with his face beaming with joy, said: "This is the happiest night of my life," I am almost persuaded that an Unseen Power furnished the inspiration which characterized the proceedings on this memorable occasion, and caused it to become a fitting scene for the final farewell of our distinguished Sister to the Order wherein she had faithfully labored for so many years.

When the news of Sister Rucker's death was received it was impossible for me to reach San Jose in time for her funeral or to make any arrangements therefor. I therefore sent at elegram to the family expressing to them the sympathy of this Grand Chapter in their affliction, and was pleased to learn later on that a beautiful flower-piece, procured by our Worthy Grand Secretary, was sent on behalf of the Grand Officers, and that all of the Grand Officers who were within reach, besides many other distinguished

members of the Order, were in attendance at the funeral. An appropriate notice of her death was also sent out by the Grand Secretary in the name of the Worthy Grand Patron and Worthy Grand Matron and under the seal of this Grand Chapter to the various subordinate Chapters in this jurisdiction, and to the other Grand Jurisdictions.

I recommend that a committee be appointed from the Past Grand Officers of this Grand Jurisdiction to draft and present to this Grand Chapter appropriate memorial resolutions for its adoption, and that suitable mourning pages be set apart in the record of the proceedings of this session on which to inscribe such resolutions, and that an engrossed copy of said resolutions properly certified be transmitted to the family of our deceased Sister, under the seal of the Grand Chapter, and that our Grand Chapter hall be draped in mourning during the present session.

I also recommend the appointment of a committee to draft suitable resolutions touching the death of those of our members who have during the past year crossed to the other shore, and whose good works while in this life are the best evidence of their present abode in the Supreme Grand Chapter above, and that a permanent record thereof be made in our proceedings.

AUTHORIZATIONS ISSUED TO CONFER DEGREES "AT SIGHT" PRELIMINARY TO THE FORMATION OF NEW CHAPTERS.

I have delegated authority to the following named brothers, all of whom are Past Patrons, to confer the degrees of our Order "at sight" upon a sufficient number of worthy persons at the respective places mentioned, for the purpose of organizing Chapters:

March 5th, 1897—To Bro. J. C. Woodard, at Penryn, Cal. June 5th, 1897—To Bro. William Alford Sackett, at Downey, Cal.

July 13th, 1897-To Bro. John Braly Cory, at Galt, Cal.

DISPENSATIONS ISSUED AND NEW CHAPTERS INSTITUTED.

December 19th, 1896—Conferred the degrees "at sight," issued the dispensation and instituted Mission Chapter, U. D., in the city of San Francisco, Cal., with the following named

officers: Worthy Matron, Sister Mary L. Farmer; Worthy Patron, Brother Henry C. Bunker; and Associate Matron, Sister Virginia Fischer.

March 5th, 1897, authorized Brother J. C. Woodard, Past Patron of Crystal Chapter, No. 57, O. E. S., to institute a new Chapter at Penryn, Placer County, Cal., and on March 20th, 1897, he instituted Penrhyn Chapter, with the following officers: Worthy Matron, Sister Mary S. French; Worthy Patron, Brother Charles Martin; and Associate Matron, Sister Ella A. Owen.

March 9th, 1897, authorized Brother Trenmor Coffin, Past Patron of Esther Chapter, No. 121, O. E. S., to institute a new Chapter, at Virginia City, Nevada, and on March 20th, 1897, he instituted Argenta Chapter, with the following officers: Worthy Matron, Sister Adele Clemons; Worthy Patron, Brother James G. Wood; and Associate Matron, Sister Mary E. Talbot.

April 20th, 1897, conferred the degrees "at sight," issued the Dispensation and instituted King Solomon's Chapter in the city of San Francisco, Cal., with the following named officers: Worthy Matron, Sister Olive H. Schmidt; Worthy Patron, Brother Arthur M. Blade; and Associate Matron, Sister Martha E. Blade.

June 5th, 1897, authorized Brother William Alford Sackett, Worthy Patron of Norwalk Chapter, O. E. S., to institute a new Chapter at Downey, Los Angeles County, Cal., and on June 19th, 1897, he instituted Occident Chapter, with the following officers: Worthy Matron, Sister Lida T. Crawford; Worthy Patron, Brother Delos DeW. DeNure; and Associate Matron, Sister Mary F. DeNure.

July 13th, 1897, authorized Brother John Braly Cory, Past Grand Patron of Woodbridge Chapter, No. 118, to institute a new Chapter at Galt, Sacramento County, Cal., and on August 9th, 1897, he instituted Galt Chapter, with the following officers: Worthy Matron, Sister Alice Latourette; Worthy Patron, Brother Samuel C. McClaughry, and Associate Matron, Sister Lillie Kreeger.

NEW BY-LAWS APPROVED.

February 5th, 1897—Mission Chapter, U. D., O. E. S. April 22d, 1897—Argenta Chapter, U. D., O. E. S. April 22d, 1897—King Solomon's Chapter, U. D., O. E. S.

May 1st, 1897—Penrhyn Chapter, U. D., O. E. S. July 3d, 1897—Occident Chapter, U. D., O. E. S. July 31st, 1897—Oakland Chapter, No. 140, O. E. S. August 23d, 1897—Galt Chapter, U. D., O. E. S. October 6th, 1897—Pomona Chapter, No. 110, O. E. S.

New by-laws forwarded from Adah Chapter, No. 122, O. E. S., of Nevada, were returned without approval on March 22d, 1897, because not regularly adopted; and again on June 13th, 1897, because they were not in accordance with the regulations of the Order, and also because they contained forbidden extracts from the ritual of the Order, and quotations at length from the Constitution of the Grand Chapter, and were otherwise objectionable under the regulations now in force.

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS APPROVED.

December 10th, 1896—Fidelity Chapter, No. 130, O. E. S., changing nights of meeting.

January 18th, 1897—Hermosa Chapter, No. 105, O. E. S., changing nights of meeting; changing dues to \$2.00 per annum; eliminating by-law providing that "not more than two candidates shall be initiated at one time, unless by a two-thirds vote of all the members present."

January 30th, 1897—Marshall Chapter, No. 86, O. E. S., changing dues to \$1.00 per annum.

February 3d, 1897—Lily of the Valley Chapter, No. 18, O. E. S., changing nights of meeting.

February 5th, 1897—Ivy Chapter, No. 27, O. E. S., changing nights of meeting.

February 5th, 1897—Lily of the Lake Chapter, No. 41, O. E. S., changing the initiation fee to \$3.00.

February 11th, 1897—Naomi Chapter, No. 36, O. E. S., requiring Secretary to execute a bond to the Worthy Patron for the faithful performance of her duties. The Chapter to meet the necessary legal fees connected therewith.

March 10th, 1897—Lily of the Lake Chapter, No. 41, O. E. S., eliminating a provision that "Blank ballots or ballots for any brother or sister not regularly nominated shall be counted as blanks." Also, eliminating a provision that "No applicants for

charity shall be relieved out of the funds of the Chapter, except females and orphan children in some way connected with Freemasonry."

March 13th—Bethlehem Chapter, No. 95, O. E. S., increasing the stated meetings of the Chapter to two meetings per month, viz.: first and third Tuesdays.

April 15, 1897, St. John's Chapter, No. 14, O. E. S., fixing compensation of Secretary and Sentinel.

May 1, 1897, Palm Leaf Chapter, No. 114, O. E. S., providing that no affiliation fee shall be charged except where the degrees have been received gratuitously and then three dollars shall be charged.

May 15, 1897, Unity Chapter, No. 65, O. E. S., changing time of stated meetings to the second and fourth Fridays of each month.

June 5, 1897, Athena Chapter, No. 46, O. E. S., revising a number of the provisions contained in the by-laws to make the same conform to the present regulations of the Order.

June 12, Truckee Chapter, No. 116, O. E. S., reducing initiation fee from \$5.00 to \$3.00.

June 19, 1897, making various changes therein in order to cause the same to meet the present requirements of the Chapter.

June 26, 1897, Lily of the Lake Chapter, No. 41, O. E. S., containing an enumeration of the persons qualified to become Chapter members under the constitution.

July 31, 1897, Lily of the Valley Chapter, No. 18, O. E. S., eliminating the provision that "any member whose dues shall remain unpaid for more than six months, shall not be entitled to hold office or vote at the annual election;" and modifying bylaws to include brothers as well as sisters as applicants for charity.

August 28, 1897, Silver Gate Chapter, No. 30, O. E. S., changing stated meetings of the Chapter to the first and third Tuesdays of each month.

October 8th, 1897—Lodi Chapter, No. 150, O. E. S., changing stated meetings of the Chapter to first Thursday after each full of the moon and fixing the hour thereof.

October 8th, 1897—King's Solomon's Chapter, U. D., O. E. S., changing the stated meetings of the Chapter to the second and fourth Thursdays in each month.

AMENDMENTS TO BY-LAWS DISAPPROVED.

January 18th, 1897—Hermosa Chapter, No. 105, O. E. S., providing that "no member in arrears for dues six months shall be allowed to vote or hold office."

January 30th, 1897—Marshall Chapter, No. 86, O. E. S., providing for the payment of dues by a certain time "or they shall not be entitled to vote."

June 5th, 1897—Athena Chapter, No. 46, O. E. S., incorrectly defining the classes of qualified applicants for the degrees.

INVITATIONS FROM OTHER GRAND CHAPTERS.

Invitations to attend this year's session of the following Grand Chapters, O. E. S., have been received, acknowledged, and the cordial greetings of this Grand Jurisdiction extended in return: Minnesota, Oregon, South Dakota, Maine, New Hampshire, Michigan, Illinois, Iowa, Texas, and Missouri.

Numerous invitations have also been received from the various subordinate Chapters in this Grand Jurisdiction, and when it has not been possible to accept them an appropriate recognition thereof has always been made by letter, and it is a cause of sincere regret that I could accept but a comparatively few of them by reason of other demands on my time.

OFFICIAL VISITS.

December 4, 1896—By special invitation I installed the officers of Stella Chapter, No. 39, O. E. S., at Yreka, and attended a reception and banquet tendered me in my official capacity by this, my home Chapter, and enjoyed a most delightful evening with its members in a social and fraternal way. The presence of distinguished members of the Order from other Chapters also adding interest to the occasion.

April 19, 1897—In company with our Most Worthy Grand Matron, Worthy Grand Matron, Past Grand Patron James B. Merritt and other distinguished officers and members of the Order, I visited Semper Fidelis Chapter, No. 135, O. E. S., at Livermore, on the occasion of the official visit of the District Deputy Grand Matron to that Chapter, and spent a most profitable and entertaining evening with the members of this Chapter.

April 22, 1897—In response to a special invitation I was present and participated in the celebration of its twenty-fifth anniversary by Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, O. E. S., in the city of Oakland. This was also the occasion of the official visit of the District Deputy Grand Matron to this Chapter, and of a most delightful reception tendered to the Grand Officers of this Grand Chapter. This is the home Chapter of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, O. E. S., whose presence on this occasion added much to the honor of the event. The Worthy Grand Matron and many of the other Grand and Past Grand Officers, besides over four hundred other officers and members of the Order were present and witnessed one of the most brilliant and successful events within the history of any subordinate Chapter in the Order.

April 24, 1897—I had the pleasure of visiting Mission Chapter, U. D., O. E. S., in the city of San Francisco, and was gratified to find this young Chapter in a very prosperous and harmonious condition, and I look forward to a very bright future for this organization. Our Worthy Grand Matron, Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, Grand Organist and many other interested visitors were present, and the visit was very gratifying to all.

May 23, 1897—I was present on the occasion of the official visit of the District Deputy Grand Matron to Stella Chapter, No. 39, O. E. S., and as usual found a good attendance and an interesting meeting.

June 3, 1897—Having received a most cordial invitation prior thereto to be present on the occasion of the official visit of the District Deputy Grand Matron to Evening Star Chapter, No. 10, O. E. S., accompanied by the Worthy Patron, Associate Matron, Conductress, Associate Conductress, and other officers, Past Officers and members of Stella Chapter, No. 39, O. E. S., I visited said Chapter, having made a thirty-mile drive to do so, and met with a most hospitable reception; found a large number of visitors and members present, and witnessed the work, and afterwards enjoyed a banquet prepared for us. This is one of the oldest Chapters in this Grand Jurisdiction, and is the home Chapter of Past Patron C. W. Nutting and Past Matron Janet

Nutting, his wife, at whose hospitable home we were most delightfully entertained during our stay in Etna.

July 8th, 1897, I paid my official visit to Fidelity Chapter, No. 131, O. E. S., at Dunsmuir, when the District Deputy Grand Matron visited the Chapter officially, and was pleased to find among the visitors present Past Grand Matron M. Josephine-Young, and Past Grand Patron J. N. Young, of Carita Chapter, No. 115, O. E. S. This Chapter deserves especial mention by reason of the noble effort made by its officers and members under circumstances which have been very discouraging at times, but which seem now much improved. Having instituted this Chapter in 1894, I have naturally felt an increased interest therein, and I am pleased to report that it is overcoming all obstacles, and will soon be among the first Chapters in the jurisdiction in point of interest and enthusiasm if not in numbers.

October 11th—I visited Beulah Chapter, No. 99, O. E. S., in this city, and was received with the utmost cordiality, and was gratified to find a large attendance of members and visitors, all of whom manifested an active interest in the welfare of the Chapter.

October 12th—I was present at the regular meeting of Ivy Chapter, No. 27, O. E. S., and witnessed an unusually large amount of business transacted by the Chapter in a manner that indicated a most active interest therein on the part of the members, and a gratifying appreciation of the responsibilities of their positions on the part of its officers. I was pleased to learn that this Chapter is enjoying a season of exceptional prosperity, no small share of which may be attributed to its efficient and earnest presiding officers, and to the united support given them by the membership.

October 13th—I responded to a very cordial invitation and visited Carita Chapter, No. 115, O. E. S., at Alameda, where I found the Chapter Hall one of the most beautiful and conveniently arranged in this Grand Jurisdiction. A large number of members and visitors were present, among whom were the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Mary E. Partridge; the Worthy Grand Matron, Ella T. Hall, and a number of other present and Past Grand Officers. The work was exemplified in a most creditable manner, after which a very enjoyable banquet was served.

October 15th—I received a most cordial welcome to Harmony Chapter, No. 124, O. E. S., where I was pleased to meet, among other distinguished visitors, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron Mary A. Flint and Past Grand Patron Thomas Flint. There was a very large attendance of members and visitors and much interest manifested in the proceedings of the evening. The business of the Chapter was disposed of promptly and in a manner that indicated decided activity on the part of the officers and members in Chapter matters. The receipts of the evening exceeded one hundred dollars, while the spirit which prevailed indicated that the Chapter was properly named.

DECISIONS.

No. r.—Under the present Constitution of the Grand Chapter it is the duty of the Worthy Grand Matron to appoint District Deputies from Past Matrons who reside and hold their membership in the district in which they are to inspect, provided appointees "well versed" in the ritualistic work of the Order and who are in other respects qualified to act, can be found, and if not then such appointments can be made from Past Matrons residing or holding their membership, or both, outside of the district wherein they are to inspect.

No. 2.—An election of officers held by a Chapter which had been granted a charter by the Grand Chapter but which charter had not been actually received by the Chapter at the time of the meeting at which such election was held, was illegal, as was all other proceedings had at such meeting, and no resolution or action thereafter taken by such Chapter could legalize the same, the absence of the charter rendering the entire proceedings wholly null and void.

No. 3.—Under the Constitution as amended in 1895 one special dispensation cannot include both an election and an installation, but separate special dispensations must issue for each and a separate fee be charged therefor.

No. 4.—It is not within the spirit of the Constitution that the officers of a Chapter shall be installed the same evening on which they were elected.

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- No. 5.—A Chapter has no authority to pass a resolution that the funds of the Chapter shall not be used to purchase a "Floral Star" for the funeral of a member.
- No. 6.—A by-law providing that "no applicant for charity shall be relieved out of the funds of a Chapter except females and orphan children in some way connected with Freemasonry," is void because it is in direct conflict with the foundation principles of the Order.
- No. 7.—Any member or officer of a Chapter, whether such Chapter is under dispensation or charter, has the right to dimit therefrom at pleasure, provided such member is clear on the books of the Chapter; and where the Worthy Patron of a Chapter under dispensation dimits therefrom the power to appoint his successor rests in the Grand Patron.
- No. 8.—Where, under the by-laws of the Chapter, it had but one stated meeting each month and that was "on the second Thursday after the full of the moon," and during the month of November, 1896, there being no "second Thursday after the full of the moon," and therefore it being impossible to hold a stated meeting in November, nevertheless as the Constitution required the election of officers to take place "at the first stated meeting in November," it was necessary to apply for and receive a special dispensation in order to elect officers in December or at any time after that specified in the Constitution.
- No. 9.—The wife of a Master Mason residing in Honduras, and holding his lodge membership in Louisiana, could not petition for the degrees of the Order of the Eastern Star in a subordinate Chapter in this Grand Jurisdiction, either with or without a special dispensation, as no authority exists under the Constitution for receiving petitions for the degrees from any one not a bona fide resident in this Grand Jurisdiction.
- No. 10.—The proper method of procedure where from any cause other than death or dimit an officer of a Chapter under dispensation desires to cease performing the duties of such office, she should present to the Chapter her written resignation, which should be thereupon forwarded to the Grand Patron for his acceptance, and he shall thereupon appoint a successor to such re-

tiring officer—the power to appoint all officers of a Chapter U. D. resting with the Worthy Grand Patron.

No. 11.—A secret ballot on such a question as an amendment to the By-Laws of a Chapter is not contemplated by the regulations of the Order, and is to be discountenanced.

No. 12.—The present Constitution of the Grand Chapter, O. E. S., of California, makes no provision for the Worthy Grand Matron to retain for her personal inspection one of the Districts into which this Grand Jurisdiction is divided from time to time, but on the contrary, it contemplates that District Deputies shall be appointed from and for each District, and that the Worthy Grand Matron shall exercise a similar supervision over the entire Grand Jurisdiction, and not be burdened with the duties of a District Deputy as to any particular District, in addition to her duties as Worthy Grand Matron.

No. 13.—The Worthy Matron of a Chapter, being the presiding officer therein, should sign the minutes of each Chapter meeting after they have first been approved by the Chapter.

No. 14.—The person who actually takes the minutes of a Chapter meeting, whether Secretary or Secretary pro tem., should prepare and sign them in the minute book of the Chapter.

No. 15.—No authority exists for issuing a special dispensation to a Chapter to receive a petition for the degrees from a young lady under eighteen years of age—nor from any applicant under the age specified in the Constitution.

No. 16.—It is not essential that an applicant for admission to a Chapter as a visitor be able to repeat from memory the test oath.

No. 17.—A lady who, prior to her marriage, lived beyond the jurisdiction of a subordinate Chapter and upon her marriage to a brother who had resided therein several years, moved to his home therein, could not without a special dispensation authorizing the same, petition such Chapter for the degrees within a month after her marriage.

No. 18.—It is necessary for the Associate Matron to examine the ballot-box before it is used for the purpose of balloting on any candidate, and the ballot-box should be borne to the Asso-

ciate Matron for her examination before every ballot, however many ballots are to be taken the same evening.

No. 19.—Great care should be taken by the Worthy Matron to see that all members present have voted before she declares the ballot closed, but when it is so declared, the action of the Worthy Matron is final, and even though it be afterward ascertained that one member or even more did not in fact vote, the ballot will not be invalidated.

No. 20.—The appropriate response to be given in recognition of the Grand Honors is a slight but well defined bow, and not the response to the Salutation Sign referred to in the Ritual.

No. 21.—Any resolution introduced in a Chapter, if proper to be spread on the minutes thereof at all, should be placed thereon verbatim.

No. 22.—A dimitted member can affiliate only by depositing his or her dimit, accompanying a petition for membership, which must take the regular course; provided, however, that should such dimit be lost or destroyed, or such member be unable to produce the same, then such member shall procure from the Chapter issuing such dimit a duplicate thereof—which shall be marked "duplicate"—said duplicate to be thereafter used in place of the original; and provided further that should such Chapter be no longer in existence then such applicant for affiliation shall only be required to furnish satisfactory proof to the Chapter with which such applicant desires to affiliate to satisfy it that the original dimit has in fact issued and has been lost or destroyed, or that it is beyond the power of the applicant to produce it.

No. 23.—Where a petitioner for the degrees O. E. S. resides within the jurisdiction of a Chapter within this Grand Jurisdiction other than the one to which she petitions it is necessary to receive the consent of the Chapter nearest her place of residence and also a special dispensation from the Worthy Grand Matron in order to authorize action on such petition.

No. 24.—An officer of a Chapter who is not present when in the regular order of business the Secretary proceeds with the roll call should not be marked present thereon, even though such

officer arrives later in the evening, but there is no objection to noting the fact that such officer is in attendance later on.

No. 25.—There is no provision in the regulations now in force whereby a member of the Order who was suspended for non-payment of dues by a Chapter which thereafter became extinct, can be restored to membership and allowed to affiliate with another Chapter in this Grand Jurisdiction.

No. 26.—There is no provision now in force under which a member who has been suspended for two years or more and restored to membership in the Order but not in his Chapter, may affiliate with another Chapter in this Grand Jurisdiction.

No. 27.—When a brother is suspended or expelled from a Masonic Lodge for any other cause than non-payment of dues he is thereby deprived of all the rights of membership in the Order of the Eastern Star until reinstated by the Masonic Body, and upon receiving satisfactory information of such suspension or expulsion it is the duty of the Worthy Matron of the Chapter to which such brother belongs to announce the fact in open Chapter, and by virtue of the constitutional provision relating thereto to declare such brother to be suspended or expelled as the case may be. Suspension of a brother by a Masonic Lodge for non-payment of dues does not affect his standing in the Chapter.

No. 28.—When a sister dimitted from her Chapter in September, 1896, and petitioned for affiliation with another Chapter, paying no dues at the time, and her petition was rejected and she took no further action and paid no further dues within six months she was not in good standing, and, in order to place herself in good standing in the Order, she should present her dimit to some Chapter accompanied by her petition for affiliation fee and six months dues.

No. 29.—Section 15, Article II, of the Constitution of the Grand Chapter, and Decision No. 131, are construed to require a contributing member to pay dues to the Chapter under whose jurisdiction such member resides.

No. 30.—A Chapter is not bound to reballot on a petition theretofore rejected immediately upon the receipt of a special dispensation authorizing such reballot, but the same may be

postponed to a subsequent meeting, but under no circumstances should a ballot be postponed in order to prevent a member of the Chapter from voting thereon.

No. 31.—The standing of a dimitted member is not in any way affected by the fact that the Chapter from which such dimit was issued, afterwards surrendered its charter; nor does the marriage of a sister holding a dimit whereby her name changed in any way interfere with her right to affiliate thereunder.

UNCLASSIFIED OFFICIAL ACTS.

1896.—November 2d, appointed committees of Grand Chapter shown in proceedings of the Grand Chapter for 1896, at page 119 thereof. Said appointments having been made after conference with other Grand Officers and Past Grand Officers, and being so distributed that each of the sixteen Districts into which the Grand Jurisdiction is divided is represented thereon.

November 9th, fixed amount of Grand Treasurer's bond at \$8,000.00 and amount of Grand Secretary's bond at \$5,000.00.

November 11th, authorized the issuance of a charter to Silver State Chapter, O. E. S., at Winnemucca, Nevada, evidence having been received that said Chapter had complied with the requirements of the last Grand Chapter.

November 15th, approved the minutes of the Grand Chapter session held on October 23d, 1896, in accordance with the direction of the Grand Chapter so to do.

December 10th, approved and filed Grand Secretary's bond, which was received on November 19th, 1896.

December 13th, appointed Brother Joseph P. Burbank Worthy Patron of Mt. Shasta Chapter, U. D., O. E. S., to fill vacancy occasioned by resignation.

December 19th, approved and filed Grand Treasurer's bond, which was received on this date.

December 27th, response to Christmas greeting of our Most Worthy Grand Matron, O. E. S., made on behalf of this Grand Jurisdiction.

1897.—January 17th, reply sent to a communication received from the Grand Master, F. & A. M., of California, touching

matters of mutual interest to the Masonic fraternity and the Order of the Eastern Star.

January 30th, appointed officers of Escondido Chapter, U. D. O. E. S. (to fill vacancies occurring by reason of resignations), as follows: Worthy Matron, Sister Eliza Andrew; Worthy Patron, Brother W. E. Steinbach; Associate Matron, Sister Emma L. Steinbach; Conductress, Sister Agnes Shupp, and Associate Conductress, Sister Olie Jenkens.

January 31st, new bond required of Grand Secretary by reason of the death of one of the sureties executing the bond first given by her.

February 28th, advised Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer that the "Home Fund" should not be used for any purpose—even temporarily—other than that for which it was created, and that it should not be encroached upon to meet general expenses of Grand Chapter.

August 17th, joined with our Worthy Grand Matron in designating Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, O. E. S., to exemplify the "Work" before the Grand Chapter at this session, in accordance with the resolution passed by the last Grand Chapter.

August 23d, official information having been received that Fall River Chapter, No. 91, O. E. S., located at Glenburn, Shasta Co., Cal., had held no meetings for more than one year, and it being ascertained that this was occasioned by the membership of said Chapter becoming so scattered that it was not possible to hold a meeting, that the Worthy Grand Patron had on the occasion of his visit to said Chapter on July 1st, 1895, "advised them to consider the question of removal, and if that was not practicable, to surrender their charter at the next session of the Grand Chapter"; and it also being ascertained that the membership of said Chapter realized that it was impossible for it to continue and desired to have its charter recalled, I declared the charter of said Chapter forfeited and directed the Secretary thereof to forward the charter, books, papers and other property of the Chapter to the Grand Patron. The charter has since been received, and is in possession of the Grand Secretary, together with other property forwarded in accordance with said instructions.

August 23d, appointed Brother William Filmer as Chaplain, and Sister Sophie Athearn as Treasurer of King Solomon's Chapter, U. D., O. E. S., to fill vacancies occasioned by resignations therein.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

- No. 1. Whereas, a number of the Grand Chapters of the Order of the Eastern Star throughout the United States have by legislation largely increased the powers of the Worthy Grand Matron, and in many instances have made her the presiding officer of such Grand Chapter when in session; and whereas, a sentiment prevails throughout this Grand Jurisdiction to the effect that the interests of the Order herein might be advanced by somewhat similar legislation; and whereas, so radical a measure should not be acted upon except after the most thorough investigation into the probable effect thereof, and the most mature deliberation thereon: I therefore recommend the appointment of a committee of seven Past Grand Officers of this Grand Jurisdiction, three of whom shall be Past Grand Patrons and four of whom shall be Past Grand Matrons, whose duty it shall be to thoroughly investigate said question, and submit at the next session of this Grand Chapter its report thereon, with such data as will enable said Grand Chapter to act advisedly upon the same.
- No. 2. Whereas, this Grand Chapter has no published guide to which reference can be made for information pertaining to the organization of new Chapters in this Grand Jurisdiction, and a large amount of unnecessary labor on the part of the Grand Officers could be avoided thereby, and many irregularities which from time to time unavoidably characterize such proceedings under the present practice, might be remedied, I recommend the appointment of a committee of three Past Grand Officers of this Grand Jurisdiction, one of whom shall be a Past Grand Patron and two of whom shall be Past Grand Matrons, whose duty it shall be to prepare suitable instructions, fully covering this question, and submit the same to this Grand Chapter at its next session for adoption.

CONCLUSION.

In conclusion, I desire to acknowledge with pleasure my indebtedness to the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Ella T. Hall, for her hearty co-operation with me during the past year, in all matters pertaining to our official duties. Our relations have at all times been most cordial, and our conferences and communications touching the affairs of this Grand Jurisdiction have been invariably characterized by that free interchange of ideas and entire confidence, without which it would have been impossible to satisfactorily administer the affairs of this Order.

It is also gratifying to report to you that I have at all times found the Grand Secretary, Sister Kate J. Willats, not only efficient in the performance of her own duties but ever ready to lighten the burden of her associates by allowing them to draw freely and liberally upon that valuable fund of information which she has accumulated during many years of active participation in the affairs of the Order.

I will also hold in grateful remembrance the many acts of kindness and the noble words of encouragement which have at all times characterized the treatment that I have received at the hands of the Past Grand Officers of this Grand Jurisdiction. No one can satisfactorily administer the affairs of our Order without the cordial support of those whose extensive experience therein especially fit them to render valuable assistance in matters pertaining thereto.

Nor will I ever forget the loyalty to constituted authority which has been evidenced on all occasions by the officers and members of the subordinate Chapters throughout this Grand Jurisdiction when I have come in contact with them, either personally or by a correspondence embracing over 450 letters on subjects pertaining to the Order.

One short year ago this Grand Chapter honored me with the highest office within its gift, that of Worthy Grand Patron of the Order of the Eastern Star in this Grand Jurisdiction. I accepted the office in the spirit in which it was tendered, and during the past year I have given it my best thought and most careful attention. It has been a labor of love conscientiously performed and the result is before you. Soon, very soon, I will return to

you the emblem of authority entrusted to me at the beginning of my administration—such are our regulations—but I am happy to know that the sweet memories of the past year are mine forever.

JAS. R. TAPSCOTT,

Grand Patron.

Which address was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Distribution.

Mrs. Ella Tyler Hall, Worthy Grand Matron, then read to the Grand Chapter her Annual Address, as follows:

ADDRESS OF THE WORTHY GRAND MATRON.

To the Officers and Members

of the Grand Chapter, O. E. S., of California:

It is my privilege and pleasure to welcome you to the twenty-fifth anniversary of the session wherein the subordinate Chapters of this great State ushered into the beautiful world of Fraternity the Grand Chapter of California, an institution to which they pledged loyal allegiance.

That this magnificent assemblage of sisters and brothers represents one hundred and thirty-five subordinate Chapters, with a membership of nearly ten thousand, is a fitting and indisputable testimony of their good faith, and an evidence of that enthusiasm which is especially characteristic of Californians.

To all those faithful ones who are denied the privilege of attending this session of our Grand Chapter, we would send fraternal greetings. May our deliberations, guided by charity and love, be for the best interests of the cause we serve, that, when we have completed the year's labor that marks the close of the first quarter of a century of busy, active life for our Grand Chapter, we may carry with us, on returning to our home Chapters, a riper knowledge of the true meaning of Fraternity.

My first official duty was the signing of warrants for the use of the Grand Secretary.

As authorized by this Grand Chapter, I have re-districted the southern portion of the State, adding districts seventeen and eighteen.

The following is a list of Deputy Grand Matrons appointed in the several districts:

District No. 1-Sister Mary B. McGeorge.

District No. 2-Sister Lottie C. Cahlan.

District No. 3-Sister Angie Atta Adams.

District No. 4—Sister Ida V. Campbell.

District No. 5-Sister Anna M. Erskine.

District No. 6-Sister Annie Blowers.

District No. 7—Sister Clara M. Lemmon.

District No. 8-Sister Clara A. Giberson.

District No. 9-Sister Emma H. Button.

District No. 10—Sister Lillie A. Kimball.

District No. 11-Sister Mary B. Benn.

District No. 12-Sister Mary A. Weaver.

District No. 13—Sister Lida Rousseau.

District No. 14-Sister Maggie J. Wells.

District No. 15-Sister Julia E. Hiller.

District No. 16-Sister Mary A. Woodbury.

District No. 17-Sister E. G. McKelvey.

District No. 18-Sister Mary A. Davis.

Instructions were forwarded to each Deputy Grand Matron.

DISPENSATIONS.

I have signed with the Grand Patron dispensations for six new Chapters: Mission Chapter, at San Francisco; Argenta Chapter, at Virginia City, Nevada; Penrhyn Chapter, at Penryn, Placer County, California; King Solomon's Chapter, at San Francisco, California; Downey Chapter, at Downey, Los Angeles County, California; Galt Chapter, at Galt, Sacramento County, California. I have also signed with our Worthy Grand Patron, attested by our Grand Secretary, (which was sent under seal of our Grand Chapter,) a request that Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, exemplify the work before the Grand Chapter at this session.

SPECIAL DISPENSATIONS.

By unanimous request of the following Chapters, I have granted dispensations as follows. To elect officers:

November 21, 1896-Manzanita Chapter, No. 69.

November 28, 1896—Norwalk Chapter, No. 143. December 5, 1896—Ceanothus Chapter, No. 45. December 5, 1896—Tulare Chapter, No. 94. December 12, 1896—Clear Lake Chapter, No. 137. January 20, 1897—Lodi Chapter, No. 150. February 2, 1897—Del Norte Chapter, No. 149.

To install officers:

December 5, 1896—Ceanothus Chapter, No. 45.
December 5, 1896—Adah Chapter, No. 122.
December 12, 1896—Clear Lake Chapter, No. 137.
December 14, 1896—Palm Leaf Chapter, No. 114.
December 21, 1896—Tulare Chapter, No. 94.
December 27, 1896—Martha Chapter, No. 148.
January 5, 1897—Violet Chapter, No. 102.
January 20, 1897—Lodi Chapter, No. 150.
February 2, 1897—Del Norte Chapter, No. 149.

To reballot on rejected petitions:
January 20, 1897—Mt. Shasta Chapter, U. D.
March 30, 1897—Clear Lake Chapter, No. 137.
March 30, 1897—Mispah Chapter, No. 100.
April 6, 1897—Silver Wave Chapter, No. 75.
April 27, 1897—Naomi Chapter, No. 36.
May 24, 1897—Ivy Chapter, No. 27.
June 21, 1897—Argenta Chapter, U. D.
June 24, 1897—Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8.
June 27, 1897—Golden Gate Chapter, No. 1.
September 24, 1897—Morning Star Chapter, No. 61.

To ballot on petitions the same evening as received: December 21, 1896—Copa del Oro Chapter, No. 142. July 24, 1897—Mission Chapter, U. D.

To ballot on petition of persons not six months in the State:
December 21, 1896—Copa del Oro Chapter, No. 142.
February 2, 1897—Ceanothus Chapter, No. 45.
November 14, 1896, authorized Sister Lucy Barker, Past Matron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Miramonte

Chapter, No. 141.

November 16, 1896, authorized Sister Mary E. Partridge, Past Grand Matron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Oakland Chapter, No. 140.

November 21, 1896, authorized Sister Carrie L. Peaslee, Past Grand Matron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Lyra Chapter, No. 144.

November 21, 1896, authorized Sister Lillie A. Kimball, Past Matron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Norwalk Chapter, No. 143.

November 23, 1896, authorized Brother John A. Gallup, Associate Grand Patron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Jasmine Chapter, No. 145.

November 23, 1896, authorized Sister Marie Leonard, Past Matron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Orestimba Chapter, No. 139.

November 23, 1896, authorized Brother John A. Gallup, Associate Grand Patron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Copa del Oro Chapter, No. 142.

November 23, 1896, authorized Sister Theresa Jamison, Past Matron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Summit Chapter, No. 138.

November 23, 1896, authorized Sister Hettie A. Foree, Worthy Matron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Clear Lake Chapter, No. 137.

November 23, 1896, authorized Sister Elizabeth French, Past Matron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Silver State Chapter, No. 152.

November 23, 1896, authorized Sister Carrie L. Peaslee, Past Grand Matron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Chispa Chapter, No. 152.

November 23, 1896, authorized Sister Libbie C. Booth, Past Matron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Martha Chapter, No. 148.

December 3, 1896, authorized Sister Florence M. Patty, Worthy Matron, and Brother Granville F. Foster, Worthy Patron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Del Norte Chapter, No. 149.

December 5, 1896, authorized Brother Lorenzo A. Rockwell,

Past Patron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Pearl Chapter, No. 147.

January 20, 1897, authorized Brother James B. Merritt, Past Grand Patron, to install the first corps of officers elected of Lodi Chapter, No. 150.

November 18, 1896, by special invitation, I installed the officers of Athena Chapter, No. 46.

December 8, 1896, I installed the first corps of officers elected of Delano Chapter, No. 146.

January 4, 1897, by special invitation, I installed the officers of Tulare Chapter, No. 94.

April 20, 1897, by request of the Worthy Grand Patron, I was present and assisted in instituting King Solomon's Chapter at San Francisco.

PERSONAL VISITS.

Magnolia Chapter, No. 73, Gilroy. Athena Chapter, No. 46, Hollister. Unity Chapter, No. 65, Oakland. Delano Chapter, No. 146, Delano. Norwalk Chapter, No. 143, Norwalk. Jasmine Chapter, No. 145, Azusa. South Gate Chapter, No. 133, Los Angeles. Lyra Chapter, No. 144, Whittier. Acacia Chapter, No. 21, Los Angeles. Silver Wave Chapter, No. 75, San Bernardino. Copa del Oro Chapter, No. 142, Redlands. Ungava Chapter, No. 106, Riverside. Pomona Chapter, No. 110, Pomona. Hermosa Chapter, No. 105, Santa Ana. Santa Monica by the Sea Chapter, No. 113, Santa Monica. Pasadena Chapter, No. 108, Pasadena. Bakersfield Chapter, No. 125, Bakersfield. Semper Fidelis Chapter, No. 135, Livermore. Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, Oakland. Beulah Chapter, No. 99, South San Francisco. Mission Chapter, U. D., San Francisco. Crystal Chapter, No. 57, Auburn. Placer Chapter, No. 49, Dutch Flat.

Martha Chapter, No. 148, Wadsworth, Nev. Adah Chapter, No. 122, Reno, Nev. Truckee Chapter, No. 116, Truckee. Penrhyn Chapter, U. D., Penryn. Yolo Chapter, No. 60, Woodland. Marshall Chapter, No. 86, Willows. Columbus Chapter, 117, Sacramento. Naomi Chapter, No. 36, Sacramento. Elk Grove Chapter, No. 109, Elk Grove. Los Gatos Chapter, No. 128, Los Gatos. Electa Chapter, No. 72, Modesto. Tulare Chapter, No. 94, Tulare. Lucerne Chapter, No. 127, Hanford. Martha Washington Chapter, No. 13, Visalia. Raisina Chapter, No. 89, Fresno. Lily of the Lake Chapter, No. 41, Lemoore. Heliotrope Chapter, No. 93, Selma. King Solomon Chapter, U. D., San Francisco. Harmony Chapter, No. 124, San Francisco. Ivy Chapter, No. 27, San Francisco. Clear Lake Chapter, No. 137, Lakeport. Golden Gate Chapter, No. 1, San Francisco. San Jose Chapter, No. 31, San Jose. Rose Valley Chapter, No. 33, Santa Rosa. Morning Star Chapter, No. 61, Petaluma. Oakland Chapter, No. 140, Oakland. Unity Chapter, No. 65, Oakland. Carita Chapter, No. 115, Alameda.

December 3, 1896, by special invitation, I attended a reception given by Tulare Chapter, No. 94, in honor of the Grand Matron. February 24, 1897, by invitation I attended a reception given by Sister Mattie E. Taggart of South Gate Chapter, in honor of the Grand Matron.

March 6, 1897, by special invitation, I attended a luncheon party given by Sister Abbie E. Johnston, of Acacia Chapter, No. 21, in honor of the Grand Matron.

March 18, 1897, by special invitation, I attended a reception

given by Sister Chlo Rontzahn, Worthy Matron of South Gate Chapter, No. 133, in honor of the Grand Matron.

March 23, 1897, by special invitation, I attended a dinner party given by Sister Ellen B. Tracy, of Bakersfield Chapter, No. 125, in honor of the Grand Matron.

April 28, 1897, by special invitation, I attended a reception given by Sister Maria A. Pierce, Worthy Matron of Oak Leaf Chapter, in honor of the Grand Matron.

Many invitations have been received to attend receptions, anniversary celebrations and Chapter meetings, which I was unable to accept, yet the courtesies were appreciated, and I very much regret that I could not meet the members of each Chapter in their own fraternal home.

Invitations have been received from Oregon, Minnesota, Indian Territory, New Jersey, Maine, Michigan, Rhode Island, Illinois, Iowa, Montana, Texas, Connecticut, Missouri and New Hampshire, to attend the sessions of their Grand Chapter. These have been acknowledged, and greetings of this Grand Chapter extended.

In accordance with the rules of this Grand Chapter, I have issued certificates to the following representatives:

Arkansas, Mrs. J. B. Hopkins; Colorado, Mrs. Mary E. Peirce; Connecticut, Mrs. Ida A. Fisk; Illinois, Mrs. Jennie W. Freeman; Indiana, Mrs. Jennie T. Nye; Iowa, Mrs. Delia Meredith; Kansas, Mrs. Ellen A. Kenner; Maine, Mrs. Annie M. Eaton; Massachusetts, Mrs. Effie M. Carson; Michigan, Mrs. Lida A. Pratt; Minnesota, Mrs. Mary A. McGindley; Missouri, Mrs. Rosa L. Harris; Montana, Mrs. Aida M. Aiken; Nebraska, Mrs. Helen H. Stires; New Hampshire, Mrs. Nancy J. Moody; New Jersey, Mrs. Frances L. Boone; New York, Miss Annie L. Brooks; North Dakota, Sarah C. Gannon; Ohio, Mary J. Stephens; Oregon, Mrs. Frances A. Helm; South Dakota, Mrs. Fannie Roddle; Texas, Mrs. Kate Birch; Vermont, Mrs. Eugenia M. Pettee; Washington, Mrs. Mary C. Fenton; Washington, D. C., Mrs. Alcena Lamond; Wisconsin, Miss Annie Phillips; Pennsylvania, Mrs. Frances Montange; Indian Territory, Mrs. Rebecca M. Swain; Rhode Island, Mrs. Mary F. Phillips.

I have been appointed representative of the Grand Chapters

of Michigan, North Dakota, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Minnesota, Kansas, Arkansas, and Ohio.

New Chapters have been assigned to the following districts: Argenta, to District No. 16; Penrhyn, to District No. 5; Downey, U. D., to District No. 10; Galt, U. D., to District No. 6; Mission, U. D., and King Solomon, U. D., temporarily assigned to District No. 8.

REPORTS OF THE DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS.

In the Chapters visited Deputies, as well as the Grand Matron, have been received with all the courtesy and honor due the representatives of this Grand Chapter, and in the spirit of cordial fraternal friendship which abounds in our jurisdiction. The Chapter homes were decorated with all the art made possible by enthusiastic willing workers, and the bountiful supply of flowers and vines, which California places at the disposal of those who reside within her portals. Guests were entertained with fine musical and literary selections, and banqueted, with the generous hospitality for which our Chapters are noted. For these many courtesies and attentions I desire to express my gratitude to our Sisters and Brothers, and also wish to thank my Deputies for their earnest efforts in behalf of our beloved Order.

Sister Mary B. McGeorge, D. D. G. M.—District No. 1.

This District includes four Chapters: Ferndale, No. 23; Camellia, No. 63; Rohnerville, No. 76; Del Norte, No. 149. All have been visited, and are in a most prosperous condition. In each Chapter I was cordially received and delightfully entertained, and I shall ever hold my sisters and brothers in grateful remembrance for the many courtesies extended me.

Ferndale Chapter, No. 23. Accompanied by several members of my home Chapter, I visited this Chapter on May 15th. We were most cordially received and pleasantly entertained, both in the Chapter and the home of Past Matron Sister Whittier. This Chapter is in a very flourishing condition. Work beautifully rendered, without the use of rituals. They have the hearty support of the Masonic Lodge. Books neatly and correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$100.00.

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Rohnerville Chapter, No. 76. I visited this Chapter June 2d. The work was exemplified in a very satisfactory manner. The Chapter is harmonious and prosperous, the average attendance being half the entire membership. Books correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$251.17.

Camellia Chapter, No. 63. My home Chapter is in excellent condition. On the evening of my official visit the work was exemplified in a very impressive manner. Officers are all proficient. The Worthy Patron deserves great credit, serving the second term as Patron, and has been in attendance every meeting. Books neatly kept. Money in the treasury, \$57.00.

Del Norte Chapter, No. 149. Accompanied by my husband, I visited this Chapter July 24th. Found the Matron, Patron, and Conductress absent. There being no past officers, the chairs were filled by willing workers from among the members, the Associate Matron presiding. All the regular officers present delivered their work without the use of ritual. A few corrections and instructions were necessary, and were kindly received. Books correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$42.00.

Sister LOTTIE C. CAHLAN, D. D. G. M.—District No. 2.

This District is situated in the northeastern part of the State, and comprises six Chapters: Alturas, No. 51; Sincerity, No. 53; Esther, No. 74; Mountain View, No. 88; Fall River, No. 91; Hesperian, No. 112.

All have been visited except Esther and Fall River, which were not able to receive me. Scattered membership and financial depression have done much to dampen the ardor of these Chapters, which would otherwise be earnest and active. In all Chapters I have been most cordially received, and wish to return many thanks for the acts of loving kindness and courtesies extended me.

Hesperian Chapter, No. 112. My first official visit was with my home Chapter, and modesty will not prevent my saying that Hesperian is second to none in the District in point of work and membership, the locality being more favorable to a large membership than that of neighboring Chapters. One candidate was initiated and three elected to receive the degrees. The work was well rendered, each officer striving to make a favorable impression. Very few instructions were necessary. My suggestions were received with a hearty vote of thanks from the Chapter. Books correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$48.00.

Mountain View, No. 88. Arrived in Janesville about noon of May 15th; was received by the Worthy Matron and escorted to the hall, where a bountiful lunch had been prepared. We all enjoyed a social hour while partaking of it, after which we had an afternoon meeting of the Chapter. The membership is scattered over a large country, some coming twenty miles, so that it is hard to get members to fill the chairs. They showed great interest in the work. Many questions were asked and answered, and a few instructions given. This Chapter instituted a "Court of Queen of the South" a year ago, the first in California. I called their attention to proceedings of last Grand Chapter, on the subject of side degrees. Books in order. Money in the treasury, \$43.10.

Alturas Chapter, No. 51. The membership of this Chapter is scattered far and wide. So many have moved away that it is hard to get enough members together to hold the meetings; there is no material for new members, so all praise is due those faithful ones who meet month after month and do the best they can. Although there were only members enough present to fill the offices, they did the work beautifully—some of it would be a credit to any Chapter in the State. The Secretary's books are nicely kept, much credit being due Sister Raker, who has undertaken the herculean task of writing up the black book, which had been neglected for ten years. Money in the treasury, \$49.

Esther Chapter, No. 74. When we arrived in Adin, June 10th, we were met by Brother and Sister Knight, who entertained us in their beautiful home. We feel under many obligations for their kindness and hospitality. I found it was impossible to hold a meeting. Esther Chapter has been one of the most flourishing in Northern California, but "hard times" have so affected the country that many members have removed to other localities, hence the downfall of the Chapter. I met five of the members and inspected the books, which were kept in a

faultless manner; also, the Secretary is writing up the black book which has been neglected for ten years. Money in the treasury, \$14.

As Fall River Chapter, No. 91, is situated forty miles from Adin and would necessitate a ride of eighty miles over a mountainous road with no prospect of a meeting, I did not attempt the journey. I wrote to the Worthy Matron May 1st, but received no answer. When I returned from my other visits I wrote to Sister Mooers of Fall River, and she answered immediately, saying it was well that I did not go as they could not secure a quorum; had not held a meeting since August, 1896, and expect to be called upon by Grand Chapter to surrender their charter. Members have either left the country or live at such a distance that they are obliged to discontinue the Chapter in that place.

Sincerity Chapter, No. 53. I thoroughly enjoyed the ride over Diamond Mountain and through the beautiful Indian Valley to Greenville on June 19th. This is a mining country and at this time of year it is hard to get a full meeting, as the men are at work in the mines and many of their families accompany them during warm weather; however those who were present did their work well, no rituals being used except where the office was being filled pro tem. Much interest was manifested, many questions asked and answered; books in perfect order, except black book, which has been neglected so long that Secretary has filed Grand Secretary's reports. We all enjoyed a social time after Chapter around the lunch table. Money in the treasury, \$44.60.

Sister Angie Alta Adams, D. D. G. M.—District No. 3.

There are nine Chapters in this District, and all have been visited except one. I found the majority of the Chapters in a harmonious and prosperous condition. All but two meet in Masonic halls. In every instance I was cordially received and royally entertained.

Northern Light Chapter, No. 26. A full corps of officers, with but one exception, were in their respective stations. The work was well rendered throughout—the graceful manner in which the Conductress led the candidates through the labyrinth being especially pleasing. Books well kept, but no minute book. Money in the treasury, \$50.00.

Mt. Shasta, U. D., I found greatly discouraged. They exemplified the work, and deserve much praise for their efforts. There is material for an active Chapter, if there could be more of harmony, and a unity of purpose among the members. Books correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$14.90.

Welcome Chapter, No. 17, held a special meeting. Much to our regret, the Worthy Matron was too ill to be present. The work was very well rendered, a sister over eighty years of age acting as Associate Conductress. Books properly kept. Money in the treasury, \$100.00.

St. John's Chapter, No. 14, is harmonious and full of good cheer. The work was well rendered, without the use of the rituals, Past Associate Grand Patron, Brother McMurry, acting as Worthy Patron. Books well kept. Money in the treasury, \$540.00.

Redding Chapter, No. 44. A full attendance of officers and members showed an interest in the work. It is a pleasure to visit this Chapter. The degrees were conferred in a manner so satisfactory that Redding Chapter may well be called the "model Chapter of this District." Among those present were Past Grand Patron, Brother C. C. Bush, Past Associate Grand Matron, Sister Majors, Past Deputies, Sister Ida Bush and Sister Linn Gillespie. Books in order. Money in the treasury, \$47.50.

Stella Chapter, No. 39. The true spirit of fraternity exists here, all working harmoniously. The work was beautifully rendered throughout, that of the Worthy Patron being especially impressive. This is the home Chapter of our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Jas. R. Tapscott, who also made his official visit at this time. The members were very enthusiastic, and the evening one long to be remembered. Books correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$50.00.

Evening Star Chapter, No. 10, is slowly increasing in membership. Two links were added to the golden chain on the evening of

my visit. Hospitality, peace and harmony prevail. The Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Jas. R. Tapscott, was the honored guest of the evening, and was accompanied by several sisters and brothers from Stella Chapter. Books in order. Money in the treasury, \$300.00.

Fidelity Chapter, No. 131, is one of the youngest in the district and has a small but very earnest membership. All were willing to learn, and the needed corrections received in the most kindly spirit. Among the guests of the evening were Brother Jas. R. Tapscott, Worthy Grand Patron, who was officially received, Past Grand Patron, Brother J. N. Young and Past Grand Matron, Sister Josephine M. Young. Books correctly kept. Money in treasury, \$50.00

Vesper Chapter, No. 20. I appointed three different times to meet with this Chapter, but they were unable to receive me at either time.

Sister IDA V. CAMPBELL, D. D. G. M.—District No. 4.

The eight Chapters included in this district have all been visited and are in excellent condition as a whole. All the courtesy due a Grand Officer was shown the Deputy Grand Matron, and a cordial fraternal friendship extended her, for which she is truly grateful.

Amapola Chapter, No. 119, is a comparatively young Chapter, is growing steadily and in a prosperous condition. Although the evening of my visit was a stormy one, there was a fair attendance of members. Owing to sickness several officers were absent, but their stations were ably filled by others. The work was rendered with a degree of earnestness that was truly commendable, no rituals being used. Books neatly kept. Money in the treasury, \$57.15.

Vernon Chapter, No. 35, is not in the growing condition that the zeal and efficiency of its officers merit. The work was exemplified in a very creditable manner. The hall was well filled with members and a goodly number of visitors from Fidelia, who thoroughly enjoyed the work, and did ample justice to the

bounteous banquet prepared for the occasion. This Chapter has no black book. Money in the treasury, \$140.00.

Friendship Chapter, No. 67. I found this a most flourishing Chapter. The Worthy Matron is very energetic, and delivers the work in a very impressive manner. But few corrections were necessary and were kindly received. Books in perfect order. Money in the treasury, \$100.18.

Wheatland Chapter, No. 48. The good Sisters of this Chapter had their Chapter home beautifully decorated on the occasion of my official visit, and I was most cordially received. I found them active, showing much interest in the work. All instructions were kindly received. Books in the hands of a very able secretary, a Brother who has served the Blue Lodge in that capacity for twenty-five years. Money in the treasury, \$90.00.

Molino Chapter, No. 83, is the smallest Chapter in the District, and seems to be working under difficulties; is not properly supported by the Masons. A number of members have moved away, others failed to show a desirable amount of interest, and the work falls on a "faithful few." Great credit is due the Worthy Matron for her perseverance in keeping the Chapter together. Instructions and encouragement were gratefully received. Chapter has no black book. Money in the treasury, \$10.00.

Josephine Chapter, No. 104. This Chapter should congratulate itself on having such a beautiful hall in which to do the work, and a very energetic Matron. The officers are familiar with the work, and the Chapter is harmonious and healthful. Books correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$65.20.

Marysville Chapter, No. 55, is the home Chapter of Sister Emma Hapgood, Past Grand Matron, who takes an active interest in the prosperity of the Order. The Chapter continues to maintain its reputation for excellence in the work. A new link was added to the golden chain in an impressive manner. A large number of visitors from Fidelia Chapter were present, as were visitors from Sacramento and San Francisco. Books in perfect condition. Money in the treasury, \$64.85.

Fidelia Chapter, No. 56. The affairs of this Chapter are in

excellent condition, and it continues to show a healthful growth. Two members were added to our number, and by request of Oakland Chapter, No. 140, the degrees were conferred upon a third candidate. No rituals were used. The cordial relations existing between this Chapter and Marysville, No. 55, was manifested by the large number of visitors from the latter. Books are correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$100.

Sister Annie M. Erskine, D. D. G. M.—District No. 5.

This district embraces eight Chapters. All have been visited with the exception of Mountain Fern, No. 62. In all Chapters visited I have been received in the true spirit of fraternity, and shall ever hold my sisters and brothers in grateful remembrance for the many courtesies and cordial welcome extended me.

Crystal Chapter, No. 57, is the home Chapter of the Grand Marshal, Sister Maud T. McCullough, and is, I believe, conceded to be the "Banner Chapter" of this district. Harmony and good will prevail. The work was almost faultlessly rendered; the evening one long to be remembered. A banquet was served after Chapter closed. Books in excellent condition. Money in the treasury, \$228.35.

Evangeline Chapter, No. 9, has a large membership, the average attendance exceptionally good; work was well rendered, that of the Conductress being very impressive. Instructions and corrections were kindly received. The Chapter is harmonious, and the officers and members appear to have the interest of the Order at heart. Books correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$231.47.

Aurora Chapter, No. 40, is an excellent Chapter. Degrees were conferred upon three candidates in a most satisfactory manner; but few corrections were required, and those gladly received. It is a pleasure to meet with this Chapter, which is harmonious and healthful. Books well kept. Money in the treasury, \$65.

Fallen Leaf Chapter, No. 90, has a large membership, but the attendance was small on the occasion of my official visit; many of the officers being *pro tem.*, yet the work was creditably exemplified. Books well kept. Money in the treasury, \$13.

Placer Chapter, No. 49, is my home Chapter, and was visited officially April 30th, in company with our Worthy Grand Matron, who, at my request, gave the necessary instructions, which were received in the most kindly manner, all being anxious to improve. The Chapter has a small, but very enthusiastic membership; many of whom must attend Chapter under difficulties, some walking several miles (the Chapter being located in the mountains this is no very easy task), while others must drive twelve and fifteen miles, yet the average attendance is fair. Books correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$75.

Truckee Chapter, No. 116, I found laboring under difficulties. Attendance small, and but little interest manifested. They have an excellent Worthy Patron, and the work was exemplified as well as could be expected, with several officers absent. Books neatly kept. Money in the treasury, \$54.00.

Sierra Star Chapter, No. 129, has a small membership, yet the work was well rendered, as all have the interest of the Order at heart. Harmony prevails, and every courtesy possible shown to visitors. Books in excellent condition. Money in the treasury, \$38.76.

Mountain Fern Chapter, No. 62, was unable to receive me on the date assigned them. I received a letter from the Worthy Matron, stating that they would receive me on the first meeting in June, but before that date their town was swept by fire, caused by an explosion, which prevented the meeting. I extend my sympathy for them in their trouble, and trust they may recover their usual prosperity in the near future.

Sister Annie Blowers, D. D. G. M.—District No. 6.

Seven Chapters comprise this District, and all have been visited, are in a very prosperous condition, receive and entertain with cordial friendship and the most bountiful hospitality. Visiting in this District has been a pleasant duty, and I am very grateful for the many courtesies extended me.

Veritas Chapter, No. 84, is prosperous and harmonious, eager to excel in the work, and very cordial to visitors. On the evening of my visit the hall was decorated with choice potted plants and flowers. The degrees were conferred upon two candidates in a very satisfactory manner. This Chapter has a literary and musical programme after the close of each meeting, and thus the average attendance is much improved. Books in perfect order. Money in the treasury, \$29.28.

Marshall Chapter, No. 86, is harmonious and prosperous, the officers and members being devoted to the best interests of the Chapter. I was charmingly entertained by the Worthy Matron, Sister Orr, who is a very earnest worker, untiring in her efforts in behalf of the Chapter. The work was exemplified in a very creditable manner, three candidates receiving the degrees. Books in excellent condition. Money in the treasury, \$44.90.

Columbus Chapter, No. 117, is a very active Chapter, with an excellent corps of officers, supported by an enthusiastic membership. On the occasion of my visit the work was rendered in a very impressive manner. A dainty banquet was served in the most beautifully decorated banquet hall I have ever been privileged to enter, a perfect "dream fairy land." Books in perfect order. Money in the treasury, \$168.40.

Naomi Chapter, No. 36, celebrated her 19th anniversary on the evening of my visit, and the affair was indeed a most brilliant success. The Chapter room was a bower of sweet blossom, and was filled with members and visitors to enjoy the good work for which Naomi is noted and the generous hospitality with which the members entertain and none were disappointed. Naomi more than sustained her reputation for cordial hospitality and the 19th anniversary will be long remembered by all who were privileged to attend. Books in excellent condition. Money in the treasury, \$665.65.

Vacaville Chapter, No. 28, is enthusiastic, harmonious and healthful. The members are working very hard this year to buy a piano for the Masonic Hall. The work was creditably exemplified, that of the Patron being especially impressive. The few corrections necessary were gratefully received, and good will and hospitality prevailed. This Chapter has no black book, otherwise books in order. Money in the treasury, \$61.50.

Yolo Chapter, No. 60, my home Chapter, is not as flourishing as we would wish yet, is in fairly good condition. The work was exemplified in a creditable manner, the Chapter hall was beautifully decorated and the officers supported by a large attendance of members. After the Chapter closed dainty refreshments were served and a social evening enjoyed by all present. Books in order. Money in the treasury.

Elk Grove Chapter, No. 109, is very hospitable, receiving Grand Officers and members in a spirit of cordial fraternal friendship. They have a small membership, but are working for the advancement of the Order. On the evening of my visit the work was nicely done, the hall decorated and many visitors in attendance from Columbus and Naomi Chapters. The Chapter has no black book. Money in the treasury, \$69.00.

Sister Clara M. Lemmon, D. D. G. M.—District No. 7.

The nine Chapters embraced in this District have all been visited. In each I was cordially received and found it a pleasant duty. For the many acts of kindness and courtesies received from officers and members of Chapters in District No. 7 I am truly grateful.

Kingsley Chapter, No. 58. I was received with a most cordial and generous hospitality, both in the Chapter room and in the home of the Worthy Matron. This is one of the best Chapters in the District. The officers are well drilled and proficient. The Conductress, in an easy and graceful manner, led two candidates through the mysteries of initiation. Ritualistic work was beautifully rendered. Some instruction was needed, which was kindly received. Books neatly and correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$94.00.

Sotoyome Chapter, No. 82, I visited May 11th, accompanied by eighteen members of my home Chapter. The work was very well done, prayer by the Chaplain being particularly impressive. Two links were added to the "golden chain." The Chapter is very harmonious, but deserves better Masonic support than it receives. Books well kept. Money in the treasury, \$33.90.

Valley of the Moon Chapter, No. 85, Sonoma, has had but lit-

tle work this year, and is somewhat out of practice, but they are capable of doing excellently. Some instructions were necessary. Three members of my home Chapter were present. Masonic support not the best, still the sisters are not discouraged, and are working resolutely for the good of the Order. Books in order. Money in the treasury, \$47.00.

Clear Lake Chapter, No. 137. I was entertained at the beautiful summer resort, Highland Springs, the home of the Worthy Matron. This Chapter, although the youngest in the District, bids fair to become a banner Chapter. The officers are efficient and supported by an enthusiastic membership. The Worthy Matron is an earnest worker, devoting much of her time to the good of her Chapter. She is supported by an excellent Worthy Patron. Of the seventy-six members fully half are Masons who take great interest in the affairs of the Chapter. The next day the Chapter gave an excursion. The entire day was spent riding upon the waters of beautiful Clear Lake, landing occasionally to visit some point of interest. At noon lunch was spread under grand old fig trees. Books are in the best of order. Money in the treasury, \$192.69.

Ocean View Chapter, No. 111, meets but once a month, and many of the members live at a considerable distance, yet each meeting is looked forward to as an event of much social importance. Half of the members are brothers whom the sisters claim to keep interested by games, amusements and suppers. Four of the offices are filled by brothers. The Worthy Matron is a dear old lady, who has the love and support of her whole Chapter. The work was rendered in a pleasing manner. Some instruction was needed, and I trust received in the same kindly spirit in which it was given. Books properly and neatly kept. Money in the treasury, \$45.00.

Clover Leaf Chapter, No. 130. I was cordially received and delightfully entertained. A number of visitors from Sotoyome Chapter were present. The Worthy Matron is devoted to her work, and is generously supported by her sisters and brothers. The work was rendered in a very creditable manner. The few suggestions given were kindly received. Books in good order. Money in the treasury, \$15.15.

Augusta Chapter, No. 80. Visited June 19. This Chapter is laboring under some disadvantages. It has a small membership. Some have moved away and others are going, but three members live in town. The rest are scattered through the mountain districts. After driving sixty-five miles, we reached Round Valley, of newspaper fame, only to find an unexpected rain had set in, causing the far-away members to remain at home. There being only seven members in attendance, it was thought undesirable to open the Chapter. The work was discussed, questions asked and answered, and light refreshments served. Past Matron, Sister Marks, and other earnest members, feel very loth to see the Chapter running down, and hope in various ways to revive the interest and increase the membership. I sincerely hope that another year will find them enjoying their former prosperity. Booksproperly and neatly kept. Money in the treasury, \$56.55.

Rose Valley Chapter, No. 33, is the oldest in the district, and having had many years of prosperity, is also the strongest. On the occasion of my official visit every officer answered to roll call. The star points were decorated with flowers and ribbons of appropriate colors. Three candidates received the degrees, and the work was beautifully rendered. New regalia has been recently purchased, said to be the finest in the State. We have strong Masonic support. Books strictly in order. Money in the treasury, \$300.00.

Morning Star Chapter, No. 61. Visited June 22, accompanied by twenty members of my home Chapter. This is one of the strongest Chapters in the district, meets in a fine, large Masonic hall, and has good Masonic support. The hall was beautifully decorated. The degrees were conferred upon three candidates, and three more were elected to membership. The work as rendered was so nearly perfect as to require but one or two corrections, and the music was exceptionally good. Books are in the hands of a secretary who thoroughly understands her business. Money in the treasury, \$214.95.

Sister Clara Abbott Giberson, D. D. G. M.—District No. 8.

The following ten Chapters comprise this district: Golden Gate, No. 1; Oak Leaf, No. 8; Ivy, No. 27; Unity, No. 65;

Beulah, No. 99; Golden Wave, No. 103; Carita, No. 115; Harmony, No. 124; Semper Fidelis, No. 135; Oakland, No. 140. Mission, U. D., and King Solomon's, U. D., were temporarily assigned to this district.

Mission Chapter, U. D., is located in the warm belt of the Yerba Beuna, one of the most historic spots in San Francisco. Although the youngest in the district at that time, by request, the District Deputy paid to it her first official visit. The officers are worthy of commendation for the interest shown in their work, and the manner in which it was executed; the members, for the support given their most faithful Worthy Matron. Blest with Masonic support, they are earnestly working to build up one of the strongest Chapters in the State. Books neatly kept; membership increasing rapidly; \$264 in the treasury.

Golden Wave Chapter, No. 103, is greatly indebted to Sister and Brother Merritt for many acts of kindness and cheerful assistance rendered; the District Deputy, for the generous hospitality extended and received. The community from which this Chapter draws its membership is limited, yet if all past officers and members were more faithful in attendance, the Chapter would present greater strength. Lack of Masonic support is manifest; corrections given were kindly received; candidates initiated; the beautiful decorations and the hospitality in the banquet room were pleasant features of the evening. The interested officers and members are working for the good of the Order. Books in order and \$95 in the treasury.

Semper Fidelis Chapter, No. 135, was honored by the presence of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Partridge, the Worthy Grand Patron, Brother Tapscott, the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Hall, and visitors from Oak Leaf Chapter. The Worthy Grand Patron presided in lieu of the Worthy Patron. With a small membership, the lack of Masonic Brothers in the Order, this Chapter works under many difficulties; but they are faithful, hopeful, sacredly regard their obligation and ever anxious to progress. Sister Savage deserves a word of praise for her devotion to the Order, and a kind remembrance from the District Deputy for the hospitalities of her home. Plentiful re-

freshments were served at the close of the Chapter, and social intercourse continued until the wee small hours. This Chapter is working for what good it can do in the way of charity. Candidates initiated; books in order, and \$55 in the treasury.

Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, celebrated its twenty-fifth anniversary on this night. Surely, years cannot dim the memory of the occasion. The attention and souvenirs bestowed upon the Chapter members and their feeling response, betrayed the secret of the success of this Chapter. This is the home Chapter of the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Partridge, who has ever a kind word for all; also this Chapter claims many Past Grand Officers among its members. The large attendance of Grand Officers, Past Grand Officers, members and visitors told its own story—the story of love given and returned. A beautiful silver vase filled with fragrant carnations, bearing the love of Unity Chapter, was presented by Sister Wilson, Past Grand Matron, and accepted by Sister Pierce, Worthy Matron, in the name of Oak Leaf Chapter. Promptness in opening and the perfect grace in which the Worthy Matron discharged her duties, assisted by her most efficient Worthy Patron, were pleasant features of the evening. The choice decorations and sweet music added to the charm of the occasion. The work was beautifully rendered by well drilled officers; while the entrance to the banquet hall was into a veritable fairyland. When the five hundred guests were seated and had partaken of the feast, when the last strain of the orchestra had died away, many and brilliant were the toasts offered by the happy guests. This Chapter is working for the advancement of truth and love. Books in perfect condition; candidates initiated; \$7,32.90 contributed to the Home Fund; \$390 in the treasury.

Oakland Chapter, No. 140, has steadily advanced in membership and fraternity since its organization. The beautiful new regalia, floor star, altar and Bibles, together with the tasteful arrangement of flowers and the charm of sweet music added greatly to the lessons so impressively taught. The basket of choice roses presented to the District Deputy by Sister Bassett, with the assurance of the warm fraternal love of the Chapter, was a mark of esteem ever to be appreciated. "Flowers are the smiles of God!" May His smile rest upon this Chapter and every member of the Order of the Eastern Star until we meet him face to face. A generous banquet was served at the close of the Chapter. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron have labored faithfully many months, and with their officers and members are working untiringly to increase their membership. Books beautifully kept; candidates initiated; attendance large; \$230 in the treasury.

Beulah Chapter, No. 99. The officers and members of this Chapter were given words of encouragement in their labors, and urged to continue their interest in the Order. Corrections were kindly received and candidates initiated. The cordial hospitality in the banquet room bid the many guests a warm welcome. The Worthy Matron presented the District Deputy with a basket of fragrant roses in remembrance of the event, and also to commemorate her birthday, which fell upon that date; the kindness will ever be remembered. The interested Sisters and Brothers are working for the principles of the Order. Membership, 73; average attendance, 25; books in order; \$73 in the treasury.

Carita Chapter, No. 115. The beauty of the surroundings of this Chapter inspires admiration. The walls, decorated with oil landscape paintings, the ceiling shedding the five-colored electric lights upon each officer, made the ceremony one shifting tableau. Work very well rendered as a whole, and corrections kindly received. This Chapter has strong Masonic support, and the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron loyal to their trust, and maintain that peace and harmony for which this Chapter is noted. The refreshments served were dainty, and the decorations attractive. This is the home Chapter of our Sister and Brother Young. All are working for the good of the Order. Books in order; candidates initiated; \$102 in fund for Widows' and Orphans' Home; \$185 in the treasury.

Harmony Chapter, No. 124. The name of this Chapter suggests very truly the real feeling manifested among themselves and toward all other Chapters. The Worthy Matron sustained an injury some weeks earlier, which had debarred her from perform-

ing all the duties of her office, but her loyal sisters and brothers exemplified toward her the true feeling of fraternity. On this night, however, she was at her station and feelingly expressed her gratitude. Beautiful new regalia added to the beauty of the work, which was creditably rendered. This is the home Chapter of the Grand Treasurer, Sister Horton. The Conductress very proficient; books well kept; a plentiful repast served to the many guests. This Chapter is working to uphold the teachings of the Order and to increase its membership; \$71 in the treasury.

Ivy Chapter, No. 27, the home Chapter of the District Deputy, rendered the work beautifully, the officers being very proficient. Instructions given kindly received; hospitality cordial and the needy not forgotten. The Conductress and Associate Conductress worthy of mention; attendance large; refreshments choice and plentiful. The basket of flowers emblematic of the five colors of the Order presented by Sister Helen M. Patterson, Past Matron, and the ivy-leaf pin of exquisite workmanship, presented by Brother Cyrus T. Dow, from members of Ivy Chapter, together with the sentiment of true fraternity expressed, was, and ever will be, appreciated by the District Deputy. Being in a position to accept the courtesies of Ivy Chapter, it was a pleasure to do so through Sister Graves, who was the playmate and dearest companion of her childhood, and the present most efficient Worthv Matron of her own beloved Chapter. This Chapter is working to follow the teachings of the Order and promote its best Books in order; \$354 in the treasury.

Unity Chapter, No. 65, is the home Chapter of Grand Electa, Past Grand Matron, Sister Wilson, and Past Associate Grand Matron, Sister Perkins, who are faithful workers in the field of progress and love. This, the first meeting in their new hall, which was tastily decorated for the occasion, was an event long to be remembered. The white enameled chairs and altar, which work was executed by the son of the Worthy Matron, spoke meaningly of the interest which this officer carried into her own home, and the desire of all to make whatever pertained to the Chapter room attractive. The work impressively and almost perfectly rendered. The manner in which the Grand Officers

were escorted to the East is worthy of mention. Balloting and formation of golden chain perfectly rendered. An appetizing banquet was served at the close of the Chapter. This Chapter is working for the advancement of the Order. Books in order; \$300 in the treasury; \$100 contributed to home fund.

King Solomon's Chapter, U. D. The third meeting of this Chapter, the baby Chapter of the District was a demonstration of what can be accomplished when desire and will work hand in hand. The work well rendered; the salutation sign better given than any other Chapter; correction and instruction given were kindly and thankfully received; the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are entitled to great praise for their zeal and fidelity; Chapter has strong Masonic support; jewels and regalia already procured. A plentiful banquet refreshed the inner man at the close of the Chapter. La France roses, tied with delicate ribbon, and a most kind letter from the Worthy Matron, were presented to the District Deputy by Brother Harry Baehr, which still remains engraven on memory's wall, among the pleasing recollections of the occasion, as also the gift of sweet pease from the Secretary, presented before the opening of the Chapter. This Chapter is working for the good of the Order and to secure its charter; \$130 in the treasury.

Golden Gate Chapter, No. 1, is always entered with a feeling of reverence, for to it do we owe our life and being. Our mother Chapter on this occasion decorated its hall with the national colors in memory of that most historic date, June 17th, which blended harmoniously with those of our Order. Here we greeted our Grand Secretary, Kate J. Willats, Grand Organist, Sister Darling, also Worthy Matron of Golden Gate, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Flint, and many Past Grand Officers and members of the Order from the various Chapters, who came to pay their annual devoir to this Chapter. During the enforced absence of the Worthy Matron, through many weeks of illness, and that of Brother Brunt, Worthy Patron, on his wedding trip, Sister Susie Willats, Associate Matron, and Brother Darling, Past Worthy Patron, most ably filled the respective stations. It was one of the pleasures of the evening to welcome the return of Sister Darling and Brother Brunt. Work well rendered as a

whole; corrections and instructions kindly received, while a banquet closed the warm hospitalities of the evening. The Worthy Matron presented the District Deputy with a bouquet of choice roses, tied with silken favors, which, though long since faded, are not forgotten. This Chapter is working for the advancement of the Order. Books well kept; \$800 in the treasury.

To the presence and kind words of encouragement from the Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Partridge, the Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer, and the officers and members of District No. 8, I cheerfully acknowledge myself indebted for the ability to approach that most important trust delegated to me by the Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Ella T. Hall. I have striven to follow the line traced by her wisdom and love, and lighted by my own conscience. I recall many useful lessons, many thoughtful attentions, the fragrance of beautiful flowers, the strains of sweet music, and the true meaning of fraternity. My beloved sisters and brothers, I submit my report to the Worthy Grand Matron with the same feeling of gravity which I experienced when entering upon and closing my official visits among you. Accept the love and gratitude of your sister and your friend, and may you speed and prosper.

Sister Emma H. Button, D. D. G. M .- District No. 9.

It was with pleasure that I accepted the appointment of District Deputy for this district, as I had been well acquainted and had visited all of the Chapters in former years. Only five Chapters are included within my district, Laurel, No. 87, at St. Helena having surrendered its charter since the last session of the Grand Chapter. At all of my visits I had the company of my husband, Past Grand Patron Button, who lightened my labors by his words of cheer and encouragement to the several Chapters visited. We were received with uniform courtesy and hospitality, the few suggestions and corrections I had to make being received in the spirit of kindness in which they were made. At all of the Chapters, the work of the Order was exemplified, in nearly every case without the use of rituals. Bountiful collations were spread and entertainments, literary and musical, followed the close of the Chapter work.

Suisun, No. 2, at Suisun. Visited March 18th. Here I had the pleasure of unexpectedly meeting Sister Farmer, of Mission Chapter, U. D., of San Francisco. I found Suisun Chapter in good working condition, keeping up its membership and the interest of its members by frequent social gatherings. The hall was nicely decorated and the work well given, Sister Anderson, Worthy Matron, and Brother Dickie, acting Patron, presiding. One noticeable feature was the lecture of Ruth, which was given in a most impressive manner by a sister who was a recently initiated candidate. Money in the treasury, \$46.40.

Silver Gate, No. 30, at Benicia. Visited March 20th. Although I found a few faithful members, whose interest and zeal are to be highly commended, I regretted to find this Chapter—once among the most flourishing in the State—to be in a depleted condition, both as to membership and attendance. With the addition of new members this year, it is expected, however, that the interest will be revived and the Chapter restored to its former prosperity, and I sincerely hope that such may be the case. The work was well exemplified, one candidate being initiated, Sister Durner, Worthy Matron, and Brother Sanborn, Worthy Patron, presiding. Money in the treasury, \$28.65.

Silver Star Chapter, No. 3, at Vallejo. Visited April 3d. I was glad to find this Chapter in a most flourishing and prosperous condition, in fact, almost a model Chapter; and I wish that the zeal and enthusiasm which prevails here could be imparted to many other Chapters, which are lacking in that important regard. The membership is large, the attendance at this meeting was very large, and the Chapter surely deserves, for it has, the hearty support of the Masonic fraternity. There were present, as active and enthusiastic members, the presiding officers of all four Masonic bodies of the city. Visitors from Napa were present, and the work was given in a most excellent manner, Sister Violet Cooper, W. M., and Brother Huckins, W. P., presiding. Money in the treasury, \$165.76.

Manzanita Chapter, No. 69, at Calistoga. Visited May 10th. I found this Chapter in a harmonious, fairly prosperous condition, but there appears to be a lack of interest and enthusiasm, due-

perhaps to the small membership and the distance at which many of the members reside. The work was given fairly well, Sister Hubbs, W. M., and Brother Ashton, W. P., presiding. Some substitutes were necessary, and the ritual was in use by some of the officers. The social features following the close of the Chapter, showed the spirit of kindness and fraternity to prevail. Money in the treasury, \$44.

Silver Spray Chapter, No. 59, at Napa. Visited May 20th. It was with pleasure that I here renewed my personal and fraternal relations with many friends of former years, when this was my home Chapter, and before a most happy event removed me from its jurisdiction. I found Silver Spray to be in good condition, although lacking in membership and attendance as compared with years ago. The hall was beautifully decorated, and the work well given, Sister Janssen, W. M., and Bro. Isaac Harren, W. P., presiding. The latter gave his work for the first time, and in most excellent manner, although he had never even seen the work given since his own initiation. I was pleased to note the continued interest of Sister Haun, P. M., and her family, as shown by the attendance of three generations, including her mother, daughter, and husband, all officiating as officers. Money in the treasury, \$14.00.

Sister LILLIE A. KIMBALL, D. D. G. M.—District No. 10.

This part of the State having been recently re-districted, No. 10 comprises seven Chapters. All have been visited, and every attention and courtesy possible shown me, for which I am truly thankful.

Pasadena Chapter, No. 108, is the home Chapter of Past Grand Matron Sister Carrie L. Peaslee, and is in very flourishing condition, the work being rendered in a faultless manner, showing that all the officers are striving to attain perfection. The Chapter is harmonious; the brothers attend regularly, and they have the hearty support of the Masonic bodies of Pasadena. I received a very cordial welcome, and will always have a pleasant recollection of my official visit to this Chapter. Books in perfect order. Money in the treasury, \$41.99.

Norwalk Chapter, No. 143. Although very young this Chapter is in fine condition; with a fine corps of officers, a large hall and an enthusiastic membership, their success is assured. Most of the members drive from four to six miles to attend Chapter. Books in good condition. Money in the treasury, \$28.

Santa Monica by the Sea Chapter, No. 113, shows a lack of interest that I very much regret to note. The Worthy Matron, Sister Vawter, who is very earnest and energetic, was too ill to be present on the occasion of my official visit, much to the regret of the Chapter, the work being affected thereby. Instruction was given and kindly received. Books are in good condition, but no black book. Money in the treasury, \$30.

Lyra Chapter, No. 144, is one of our new Chapters, but the ritualistic work was well done, although their hall is so small that it makes the floor work quite difficult. The officers are thoroughly awake and anxious for instruction. The Masonic Lodge here is small, consequently they have not available material for a large membership. Books well kept. Money in the treasury, \$13.05.

South Gate Chapter, No. 133, is very prosperous, enjoying the benefit of an excellent corps of officers, who are earnest and faithful, and an enthusiastic membership, who attend regularly, and are devoted to the best interests of the Chapter. The degrees were conferred upon three candidates in a very satisfactory and impressive manner. Books in splendid condition. I received a royal reception, and wish here to extend to South Gate Chapter my best wishes. Money in the treasury, \$56.50.

Acacia Chapter, No. 21, is my home Chapter, and is in fine condition, financially and socially. The Chapter meets in the new Masonic Temple, has a good corps of officers, who are thoroughly supported by the members. On the evening of my official visit we were honored with a visit from Sister and Brother Flint. The degrees were conferred upon four candidates. I have received many courtesies from Acacia Chapter. The Worthy Matron, in behalf of the Chapter, presented me with a basket of flowers. Books well kept. Money in the treasury, \$143.76.

Pearl Chapter, No. 147, was visited May 3d, and found to be

somewhat depressed. The membership is small, and but little work. There is material for additional membership, but there seems to be a lack of interest. Instruction was given and kindly received. Books in good condition. Money in the treasury, \$19.75.

Sister MARY B. BENN, D. D. G. M .-- District No. 11.

This district embraces ten Chapters, all of which I have visited. I have found them all well up in the work, and anxious to promote the welfare of the Order. Their halls were beautifully decorated, their welcomes heartily shown, and hospitality bounteous. I desire to thank the Worthy Grand Matron for her kindness in giving me the opportunity to visit these Chapters and enjoy their work. To each and all the Chapters I return my grateful thanks for their cordiality and kindly reception of criticisms.

Lily of the Valley Chapter, No. 18. On the 20th of April I made my first official visit. I found this Chapter greatly improved since I visited it, some time ago. The work was beautifully rendered, and the officers and members seemed to feel greatly the solemnity of the ritualistic work, and to endeavor so to impress the candidates. Instructions were given in the balloting. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron may well feel proud of their work and Chapter. There were about a hundred present, and three candidates initiated. Money in the treasury, \$200.00.

San Jose Chapter, No. 3t. I was most cordially received by this Chapter, as were also large numbers of guests from other Chapters, the home Chapter of the Associate Grand Matron, who was present and received with due honors. Four candidates were initiated in an earnest and impressive manner. Their financial condition is excellent, and the Worthy Matron displays wonderful executive ability in so ordering the affairs of such a large Chapter, that all work together for good, and the success and prosperity of the Order is increased. There were about one hundred and fifty present, and their decorations were beautiful. Money in the treasury, \$450.00.

Miramonte Chapter, No. 141. This Chapter is doing good work in its field. The officers are proficient in their work, need-

ing but few corrections. They are anxious to be instructed and learn more of the workings of the Order. The books are well kept and their Masonic support is strong. On the night of my visit the emblems were presented to the Chapter by the Worthy Matron. Money in the treasury, \$31.20.

Los Gatos Chapter, No. 128, was visited on May 17th. I expected from reports to find this Chapter a truly harmonious one, and was not disappointed. The members support their officers most heartily, and they work together for the best interests of the Order. But little instruction was needed, as all had endeavored to arrive as nearly as possible to a perfect rendition of the work. The evening was made most pleasant by the presence and encouragement of the Worthy Grand Matron and Grand Secretary. The announcement of the death of our Associate Grand Matron, Sister Rucker, cast a shadow over us, as we had hoped to meet her there on that evening. Money in the treasury, \$29.00.

Athena Chapter, No. 46. I visited this Chapter in company with a number from my own Chapter, and had a delightful evening. The work was up to their usual standard of excellence, and needed but little correcting. I instructed them in the new system of balloting, which they admired very much. Their hall was beautifully decorated and banquet elegantly served. Their books are in perfect order and finances in most excellent condition. The hospitality and fraternal courtesies of Athena Chapter are well known throughout the District. Money in the treasury, \$750.00.

Reveille Chapter, No. 47, I found in an excellent condition financially and otherwise. The Worthy Matron is a most zealous worker, and assisted as she is, by an excellent Worthy Patron and corps of officers, as well as by an enthusiastic membership, cannot but realize the best of results at the close of this, her second term. The books are accurately kept, dues kept well up, and a large amount of stock taken in the new Masonic Hall, beside money in the treasury. Three candidates were initiated in their usual earnest manner. An evening spent with Reveille Chapter is sure to be a profitable one. Money in the treasury, \$350.00.

Magnolia Chapter, No. 73. On May 27th I made an official visit to my own Chapter. Our hearts were made glad by the presence of visitors from several of our sister Chapters. Sister Flint, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, who instituted our Chapter, was with us and was as welcome as she always is. I have never seen the work rendered better by this Chapter than on that evening. The hall was a bower of beauty and the members vied with each other in making the evening a pleasant one to all. For the many kind and encouraging words and acts of my Chapter I shall always feel deeply grateful. Money in the treasury, \$30.00.

Idlewild Chapter, No. 19. I was pleased to visit this Chapter, as I had never before met with them. I found them a most hospitable and friendly band of sisters and brothers. Two candidates were initiated, one of whom was the wife of the Worthy Patron. Their books are well kept and finances good. Their hall was made beautiful, and at the close of the meeting a banquet was served, and with toasts and speeches a pleasant evening closed. Money in the treasury, \$52.15.

Ceanothus Chapter, No. 45, is a small but enthusiastic Chapter. The Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron are both young, but most excellent in their work. The officers were all correct in the rendition of their parts and the work was well and impressively given. While this Chapter labors under the disadvantage of having a small and scattered membership, it has the advantage of the helpful advice and instruction of Brother and Sister Flint. They entertain as if it were truly a pleasure and their motto was, "a hundred thousand welcomes." Money in the treasury, \$125.00.

Ocean Spray Chapter, No. 68. This was the closing of my official visits. Their cosy home-like hall was made very beautiful by loving hands and their welcome a most cordial one. There were two candidates initiated and the work was finely rendered. The candidates were presented with a tiny emblem at each of the points, which is a pretty custom. The Worthy Matron is serving her second term, and the excellence of the work and prosperity of the Chapter is an evidence of her fitness for the position. This

Chapter has the advantage during the summer months of visits from members from all parts of the State and Eastern States, as many as forty visitors having been present at some of their meetings. Money in the treasury, \$100.00.

Sister MARY A. H. WEAVER, D. D. G. M.-District No. 12.

The following nine Chapters comprise this District: Electa, No. 72; Mercedes, No. 126; Madera, No. 92; Heleotrope, No. 93; Raisina, No. 89; Elaine, No. 101; Centinela, No. 136; Orestimba, No. 139; Chrysanthemum, No. 132. All have been visited by me except Chrysanthemum, which could not get members enough together to hold a meeting, and Heliotrope, visited by the Worthy Grand Matron, as they could not receive me at the time appointed. I found most of the Chapters visited in good condition, and in all I was cordially received and pleasantly entertained, and am truly grateful for all the kindness shown me.

Mercedes, No. 126, is a very prosperous and healthy Chapter, and a fraternal spirit prevails. This is the home Chapter of the Grand Warder, Sister Andrews, who, with other sisters, met me at the train. All appear to have the work of our Order at heart, and are earnest in their desire to make the meetings pleasant and profitable. The necessary instructions were received in a kindly manner. Books are well kept. Money in the treasury, \$99.84.

Electa Chapter, No. 72. The work was exemplified in a very creditable manner, taking into consideration that the Worthy Matron was too ill to be present, and several officers were absent. The Worthy Grand Matron visited the Chapter the same evening, and was received with due honor. The Chapter is harmonious and the books are correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$125.20.

Madera Chapter. No. 92. This Chapter is doing good work, the officers being efficient and earnest. The Worthy Matron being absent, Past Matron Sister Brown presided in a dignified manner. The decorations were lovely and showed much care and attention. Books accurately kept, except the black book. Money in the treasury, \$37.10.

Centinela Chapter, No. 136. Found working under many disadvantages. As the members live at long distances they only meet once a month. This is the home Chapter of Grand Ruth, Sister Marie Leonard, who, much to our regret, was unavoidably detained by home duties on the evening of my visit. The Chapter is harmonious, and much effort is made to interest the Masonic Lodge. Books so neatly kept as to deserve special mention. Money in the treasury, \$51.75.

Orestimba Chapter, No. 139, promises to be the "Banner" Chapter. The work was exemplified in an almost faultless manner, two links added to the "golden chain." I was much impressed by the zeal and enthusiasm of all the members, as well as the officers, who did so well that it is hard to single out any for special mention. My visit to this Chapter will always be pleasantly remembered. Books well kept. Money in the treasury, \$59.50.

Raisina Chapter, No. 89, is an excellent Chapter, the officers and members are earnest and devoted. The Worthy Matron, Sister Williams, Worthy Patron, Brother Stevens, and Conductress, Sister Clark, deserve special mention. The Worthy Grand Matron was received the same evening. The beautiful hall decorations and kindness of the members will long be remembered. Books in the best condition. Money in the treasury, \$127.42.

Chrysanthemum Chapter, No. 132. Owing to a floating population, the membership is small and attendance poor. While several efforts have been made by a few members they have not succeeded in getting enough members together to hold a meeting since last December and have not installed this year's officers. They have not the support and encouragement of the Masonic Lodge, and are very much discouraged. There is some talk of surrendering the charter. Books in order, except black book. Money in the treasury, \$5.

Elaine Chapter, No. 101, my home Chapter, has excellent Masonic support; the average attendance is fifty per cent. of the entire membership, and harmony prevails. On the occasion

of my official visit the work was well rendered by all the officers. Books are well kept. Money in the treasury, \$52.

Heliotrope Chapter, No. 93, was visited by the Grand Matron and found in a very depressed condition. The members are much discouraged, having lost several of their most active workers through change of residence. The Worthy Matron is deserving of much praise for her devotion. We trust that the period of depression may be of short duration, and these faithful members of our Order be rewarded by a return of prosperity to their beloved Chapter. Books are in order. Money in the treasury, \$50.

Sister LIDA ROUSSEAU, D. D. G. M.—District No. 13.

This district comprises seven Chapters: Martha Washington, No. 13; Lily of the Lake, No. 41; Tulare. No. 94; Bakersfield, No. 125; Lucerne, No. 127; Palm Leaf, No. 114; Delano, No. 146. In all of the Chapters visited I was most cordially received, and wish to render many thanks for the acts of loving kindness and courtesies extended me.

Bakersfield Chapter, No. 125, my home Chapter, received me most cordially. The Chapter is steadily improving and increasing in membership. What few corrections were necessary were gratefully received. The Worthy Grand Matron visited us early in May, and we were greatly benefited by her instructions. Books well kept. Money in treasury, \$85.03.

Tulare Chapter, No. 94. This is the home Chapter of our beloved Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Ella T. Hall. The membership is composed of active, enthusiastic workers, who unite with the Worthy Matron in laboring for the success of the Chapter. The work was almost faultlessly rendered and reflected great credit upon the officers. This Chapter has the hearty support of the Masonic Lodge. The evening closed with a fine banquet, at which the spirit of fraternal love abided. The Secretary's books are in perfect order, Money in the treasury, \$94.32.

Lucerne Chapter, No. 127, was visited May 25th, in company with the Worthy Grand Matron, which added not only to my

pleasure, but to the pleasure of the Chapter as well. I found the members of this Chapter united and harmonious. They have work to do, and do it with a zeal and carnestness that reflects credit upon the management of the Worthy Matron. But few corrections were necessary, and were kindly received. The Chapter has strong Masonic support. The books are in good condition. Money in the treasury, \$25.50.

Martha Washington Chapter, No. 13, is the oldest in the district, and is in an unusually prosperous condition. The most perfect harmony exists. On the occasion of my official visit every officer answered to roll call, and all are enthusiastic in their work, and desire to do everything for the advancement of the Order. The work was well done, requiring but few corrections. The decorations were beautiful. I was accompanied by the Worthy Grand Matron, which added greatly to our pleasure. Books well kept. Money in the treasury, \$171.60.

Delano Chapter, No. 146, is the youngest Chapter in the district. Officers and members show a deep interest in all the work of the Chapter. The work was exemplified in a very creditable manner, and necessary corrections gratefully received, as they are working for advancement. Books well kept. Money in the treasury, \$25.00.

Lily of the Lake Chapter, No. 41, was visited by the Grand Matron, who was most cordially received. The Chapter is necessarily small, there being but little material for additional membership, but is very active and interesting, the past officers being untiring in their efforts for the advancement of the Chapter. Books well kept. Money in the treasury, \$46.74.

Palm Leaf Chapter, No. 114, I was unable to visit, owing to illness in the Worthy Matron's family, and at whose request my visit was deferred. Report received by the Grand Matron. Officers punctual in their attendance upon Chapter meetings. Books in good condition. Money in the treasury, \$90.00

Sister MAGGIE J. WELLS, D. D. G. M.-District No. 14.

This district embraces ten Chapters, and I regret that all have not been visited. I arranged to visit all on one trip, excepting Angels and Summit, which each vary one day's ride, and notified the secretaries of my intended visits, giving dates as follows: Woodbridge, May 22d; Ariel, May 24th or 27th; Homo, May 26th; Lodi, May 21st; Queen Esther, May 28th; Golden Star, May 29th; Azalia, May 30th.

From Lodi, Azalia, Queen Esther, Golden Star, and Ariel came notices that the dates were not convenient for them and that I must visit them on regular meeting nights, which, as far as possible, I did.

Woodbridge, Chapter, No. 118, was visited May 22d. This is a fine Chapter, with sixty-eight members, all working in perfect harmony. The work was exemplified and was beautifully and creditably performed. A few corrections were made and gratefully received. I was cordially received and delightfully entertained, as were visitors from Lodi and other Chapters. Books are neatly and correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$288.

Homo Chapter, No. 50, was visited May 26th. This was the sixteenth anniversary of the Chapter and was a brilliant affair. A number of distinguished visitors were present, among them being Mrs. Mann, who instituted the Chapter, which is named in her honor. The large Knights Templar hall was beautifully decorated with our floral emblems. About four hundred were entertained in the large banquet room after the Chapter closed; toasts were many and appropriate, and the responses exceptionally good; the response of Sister Dohrmann to the sentiment, "Auf Weidersen," being the sweetest fraternal speech I ever heard. Work was beautifully rendered and books correctly kept. Money in the treasury, \$310.19.

Angels Chapter, No. 134. I visited this Chapter July 12th; was fraternally welcomed and delightfully entertained, being made to feel that the lot of a Grand Officer of the Eastern Star, when visiting Angels, was indeed "cast in pleasant places." The Chapter is in excellent condition, has a membership of sixty-eight, meets in a Masonic hall, and has the best Masonic support. All the work was beautifully exemplified without the use of rituals. Books are well kept and finances in good condition.

Azalia, No. 77, is comparatively a new Chapter, although the number is misleading; it was formerly located at Campo Seco, and now retains only two of the old Seco members. They are doing very well; all the officers are proficient and very much interested in the work. There are thirty-seven members, all young people, and the membership steadily increasing. The Chapter books, except black book, are well kept in a neat and business-like manner. Money in the treasury, \$50.

Tuolumne Star Chapter, No. 123, is my home Chapter, which I visited officially July 15th. The Chapter meets in a Masonic hall and has Masonic support in every sense of the word. We pay no rent, and when we want anything from Tuolumne Lodge, No. 8, F. & A. M. we have only to ask for it. The books are neatly and correctly kept, but the Chapter has no black book, the notices from the Grand Secretary being placed on file. Money in the treasury, \$138.25.

I regret that I have not visited all of the Chapters in my District. I endeavored to do so, but the remaining Chapters could not receive me at the time I arranged to visit them. I will try to make the visits before the Grand Chapter convenes.

Sister Julia E. Hiller, D. D. G. M.—District No. 15.

This District embraces seven Chapters. All have been visited except Ramona, No. 97, and Violet, No. 102. Owing to protracted illness and unforeseen circumstances, I was unable to visit these Chapters, much to my regret. In all the Chapters visited I was cordially received, and I wish to return thanks for the many acts of loving kindness shown me by each and every one.

Bethlehem Chapter, No. 95, is rapidly improving, great credit being due Sister Bennett and Brother Trussler for their efforts to build up the Chapter. The Chapter has a good corps of officers, meets in a Masonic hall and has good Masonic support. During the past year the books have been put in order and are properly kept. Money in the treasury, \$32.00.

Corona Chapter, No. 107. In company with my husband, I visited this Chapter on the evening of May 10th. The Worthy

Matron being absent on account of illness, Past Matron Sister Garrison presided. Two candidates received the degrees, the work being done in a very creditable manner. I did not see the books of this Chapter, but Sister Goodrich, the very able Secretary, assured me they were in good condition and "up to date." Money in the treasury, \$21.00.

Mispah Chapter, No. 100, is one of the best in the District. All seem anxious to excel in the work, and their efforts have surely been crowned with success. One candidate was initiated, no rituals were used and few suggestions necessary. A beautiful basket of flowers was presented to the District Deputy Grand Matron, which was gratefully accepted. Books in order. Money in the treasury, \$65.00.

Ventura Chapter, No. 79. I made my official visit to this Chapter July 9th, and found them much improved, but in need of a few instructions, which were gratefully received. While rituals were used to some extent in conferring the degrees, there seems to be a desire to do better work, and I hope that in the near future this Chapter will be remembered among the best. I shall always remember my visit with pleasure. Books are neatly kept. Money in the treasury, \$100.00.

Marguerite Chapter, No. 78. This being my home Chapter, I delayed making my official visit as long as possible, hoping our Worthy Grand Matron could visit us. I can truly say that we have a prosperous and growing Chapter. We are devoting our time, talent, and means toward furnishing our new hall, a piano being the main object in view. Past reports in regard to the work of the Chapter are fully maintained. Books in order. Money in the treasury, \$106.95.

Sister Mary E. Woodbury, D. D. G. M.—District No. 16.

The six Chapters in this district have all been visited; in each I was received with every courtesy and attention, for which I wish to render sincere thanks to my sisters and brothers, who will ever be gratefully remembered.

Adah Chapter, No. 122, I found in an excellent condition. The work was most impressively rendered without the use of

rituals. Sister Polly Martin, Grand Conductress, is also Conductress of this, her home Chapter, and although she had been ill for several months, performed her duties in a most faultless manner. The membership of Adah Chapter is steadily increasing, and an earnest effort is made to interest all good Masons. Books are neatly kept. Money in the treasury, \$299.80.

Esther Chapter, No. 121, is doing good work, and I am very proud to be one of its members. Thirty-five of our sisters and brothers left us to form a Chapter in Virginia City, and although we miss them from our circle, yet we are not discouraged. The officers and members work in perfect harmony, and do all in their power to advance the Chapter. Much credit is due the Worthy Matron for her devotion. Books accurately and neatly kept. Money in the treasury, \$280.55.

Martha Chapter, No. 148. This Chapter is young, energetic and filled with the spirit of enthusiasm that marks the most earnest workers. The work was well rendered, the manner in which the Worthy Patron, Brother Bellam, administered the obligation being especially impressive. The Chapter is healthful and harmonious, and has the support of the Masonic Lodge. Books are neatly kept, but no black book. Money in the treasury, \$74.40.

Argenta Chapter, U. D. My visit to this, our "baby" Chapter, will be long remembered as one of the most pleasant of my official visits. It bids fair to be "the banner" Chapter in the district, having the best Masonic support and an enthusiastic membership. Ten candidates were initiated, five of whom were Knight Templars. The work was rendered in a most impressive manner and so nearly perfect that but few corrections were necessary. Books are in the hands of a very efficient secretary; are neatly kept. Money in the treasury, \$115.00.

Silver State Chapter, No. 152, was instituted last year and had never been favored by a visit from an inspecting officer. Many little corrections were necessary, but all were anxious to learn and received instructions kindly. Rituals were used by all but the star officers. The Chapter is fortunate in having an exceptionally good secretary, who keeps the books in perfect order. They

have good Masonic support and peace and harmony prevail. Money in the treasury, \$55.50.

Electra Chapter, No. 120. It requires a long, tedious and expensive journey to visit this Chapter, and they have not, therefore, received the attention from Grand Officers that is so desirable and beneficial. I found them very much depressed and discouraged, and did all in my power to assist and advise. The Worthy Matron is very earnest and untiring in her efforts. Although there is material for additional membership, up to the date of my visit there had been no initiation this year. I have since learned that eight applications were received shortly after my visit, and trust that renewed interest has been awakened. Books neatly kept, but incomplete, as there is neither black book or register. Money in the treasury, \$28.38.

Sister ELIZABETH G. McKelvey, D. D. G. M.—District No. 17.

The following four Chapters comprise this district: Southern Star, No. 96; Hermosa, No. 105; Chispa, No. 151, and Escondido, U.D. All have been visited. My visits have been very pleasant and profitable, and I have been treated with the utmost kindness and courtesy by all the Chapters in the district and I shall ever hold them in grateful remembrance.

Hermosa Chapter, No. 105, is my home Chapter and was visited officially May 3d. The hall was beautifully decorated, a floral piece, emblematic of the Order, in the East. The degrees were impressively conferred upon four candidates, every officer being present and showing by their work their zeal and interest in the Chapter. Hermoso Chapter has an enviable reputation, which the present corps of officers are capable of sustaining and excelling. The books of the Secretary and Treasurer are models of neatness and correctness. Money in the treasury, \$96.06.

Escondido Chapter, U. D., is working hard, and considering the adverse circumstances, is doing good work. The membership is small, and six of their officers left town, leaving their stations to be filled by members who are unfamiliar with the work. The officers and members are zealous, and very anxious to receive a charter from the Grand Chapter. The Secretary is

new in the work, but anxious to receive instruction. Work was exemplified, and all suggestions thankfully received. Money in the treasury, \$24.57.

Chispa Chapter, No. 151. The officers and members of this Chapter show an earnest desire to perfect themselves in the work, and give evidence of much study. The Worthy Matron, Sister McFadden, is doing her own work and part of the Worthy Patron's. The regular attendance, as given, is more than half the entire membership, which is evidence of a more than usual interest. The books are in good condition, the Secretary being a brother who is also Secretary of the Blue Lodge. Money in the treasury, \$16.00.

Southern Star Chapter, No. 96. The reputation of this Chapter is exceptionally good. The courteous attention and generous hospitality extended to Grand Officers renders an evening spent in their Chapter home long to be remembered. The degrees were conferred, in a very satisfactory manner, upon two candidates, the chants by the choir adding much to the impressive work. Sister Matfield was present, and contributed to the enjoyment of the evening by her well-chosen words of encouragement. The books are in perfect order, and would be an excellent object lesson to the secretaries of some new Chapters. Money in the treasury, \$98.77.

Sister Mary A. Davis, D. D. G. M.—District No. 18.

The five Chapters in this district have all been visited, and found to be in excellent condition. In each I was most cordially received, and am grateful for the courtesies shown me.

Silver Wave Chapter, No. 75, is my home Chapter, and on the occasion of my official visit the hall was beautifully decorated. We were honored with the presence of the Associate Grand Patron, Brother J. A. Gallup, and many visitors from neighboring Chapters. Although his increasing years prevented our aged and revered Brother Lord from being with us, we were reminded of his generosity by a substantial contribution to the good things on our banquet table. The work was well done, and the books in good condition. Money in the treasury, \$71.50.

Ungava Chapter, No. 106, is in a fairly prosperous condition, although the membership is not as large or enthusiastic as one would hope to find in Riverside, the Masonic Lodge being reported as flourishing, with a large membership. The ritualistic work was well rendered. The books, in charge of Sister Allen, are in fine condition. Money in the treasury, \$90.00.

Pomona Chapter, No. 110, the home Chapter of the Associate Grand Patron, is steadily increasing in membership, and its aim is to keep the work up to the highest standard of perfection. The work was exemplified in a very satisfactory manner. We were much impressed with the earnestness of the officers, and the evident interest of the members. Books are in order. The Chapter has the respect and support of the Masonic Lodge. Money in the treasury, \$133.74.

Copa del Oro Chapter, No. 142, is a young Chapter, and I found them laboring at some disadvantage. The Masons do not own the hall, and the Chapter can only secure it once a month. The Matron, Sister Deck, is untiring in her efforts to improve their work and maintain peace and harmony in the Chapter. They have good Masonic support. The books are well kept. Money in the treasury, \$40.00.

Jasmine Chapter, No. 145, is the smallest and youngest Chapter in the district, but the members are very much in earnest. They have an excellent corps of officers, and harmony prevails. The books are beautifully kept. Money in the treasury, \$27.40.

RECOMMENDATIONS.

- I. That Section 2 of Article II of the Constitution, first paragraph, be amended by striking out all after the words "may determine."
- II. That the amounts paid for special dispensations by Clear Lake Chapter, No. 137, Del Norte Chapter, No. 149, and Lodi Chapter, No. 150, to elect and install their officers, be refunded them.
- III. That charters be granted to the Chapters now working under dispensation, which have conformed to the laws and regulations of our Order, and give evidence of competency to dothe work.

THE HOME.

Since our last annual session more has been accomplished in behalf of the Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home than for several years past. Many Chapters have most generously contributed to the Home fund, others are preparing to do so as soon as possible, and we trust that the amount necessary to furnish the Home may be available before another year has come and gone.

QUR DEAD.

During the past year many Chapters have been called upon to perform the last service for a beloved member. Tender, loving hearts have been made to feel that the angel who softly treads our halls has borne a best loved friend away, "and then we call them dead," but they have only entered the life beyond.

To the bereaved ones we extend our deepest sympathy, and recommend that a memorial page in our proceedings be dedicated to the memory of the departed.

Our Grand Chapter suffered the loss of one whose gentle nature and fraternal disposition had long endeared her to the hearts of us all, Sister Susan Rucker, Associate Grand Matron The familiar face and kindly greeting of our beloved sister has been seen and heard for the last time in this life. It is balm to the heart of affliction that in the honor bestowed upon her at our last annual session our sister so deservedly received from this Grand Body an expression of confidence and esteem.

"It is well.
God's ways are always right,
And love is over them all,
Tho' far above our sight."

I recommend that a memorial page be set apart in our proceedings and a committee be appointed to draft resolutions.

OUR ORDER.

It gives me great pleasure to report the continued prosperity and increase of membership during the past year, which has so marked the progress of our predecessors. The work of the Chapters is constantly improving, both in excellence and uniformity, an evidence that the book of instructions issued last year has been of invaluable assistance.

Our relations with the Masonic bodies are most gratifying; doors of Masonic Halls and Temples, which have heretofore been closed, have been opened to us, and we are receiving the recognition so essential to our success.

We find that where the relations between Chapters and their respective Masonic Lodges are unfraternal, the cause may generally be traced to the misuse of the ballot.

While every Chapter has a right to decide from amoug eligible candidates who shall be admitted to membership, that right is derived from the high standard of honor and justice taught by our Order, and the principle that whatever benefits are due by Masons to the wives, daughters, mothers, widows and sisters of Masons, reciprocal duties are due from them to the brotherhood. It is inconsistent with this principle that an honored and esteemed member of that noble fraternity should be denied admission to our Order, or that an Eastern Star member, in the name of an Easfern Star Chapter, instituted for the benefit of those most closely related to Masons, should be the first to cast reproach upon one who is justly entitled to its privileges, and is in direct opposition to the best interests of our Order. The ballot is necessary for our protection, and should be too sacred to be used for personal or unworthy reasons; to what extent these tenets are exemplified, depend our prosperity, then shall the noble influence of our Order broaden, and deepen, far down into the remote future.

CONCLUSION.

I appreciate most fully the high honor conferred upon me at our last annual session, and shall ever be grateful for your confidence and the privilege of having entered the enlarged field of usefulness afforded the Grand Matron of this Grand Jurisdiction. That I have seen so much more to do than I have been able to accomplish is a source of great regret.

I desire to acknowledge my indebtedness, and thus express my gratitude to the Worthy Grand Patron for his kindly counsel and the many evidences of his generous confidence.

My heartfelt thanks are due our esteemed Grand Secretary for her many kind acts, words of encouragement, and ready assistance.

We have for our guide through life's uncertain pathway that light which announced to the world the birth of the Great Nazarine, who exemplified through His life and crucifixion the beautiful lesson of love. As every leaflet receives from the divine hand its precious drop of dew, so every human life should receive through the divine in mankind a full measure of love. "Despair not" that we have failed to attain a higher degree of perfection, each effort brings us nearer the desired end.

"Tis coming up the steep of time,
And this dark world is growing brighter;
We may not see the dawn sublime,
But high hopes make our hearts throb lighter.

"Rifle and lance may aid the right,
But acts of love are weapons stronger;
We'll win the battle by their might,
And calmly wait a little longer."

ELLA T. HALL, Grand Matron.

Which address was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Distribution.

Letters of regret were read, and filed from John Adam Gallup, Associate Grand Patron; Past Grand Matron Georgia A. Matfield, chairman of the Committee on Appeals and Grievances; Past Grand Patron Chauncy C. Bush, chairman of the Committee on Constitutions and Laws; Edward M. Preston, chairman of the Committee on Returns; and Lillie A. Kimball, of the Committee on Finance.

On motion of Past Grand Matron Augusta D. Wilson, it was ordered that a telegram be sent to Past Grand Matron Emma Hapgood, expressing to her the sympathy of this Grand Chapter in her misfortune, she having had two severe falls this year, breaking many bones and badly crippling her.

Letters of condolence on the death of Sister Susan Rucker, our Associate Grand Matron, were read and filed, from the Grand Matron of Missouri, and from Adah Chapter of Reno, and Argenta Chapter of Virginia City, Nevada.

An invitation was extended to all present to attend a reception to be given by the Chapters of the Eighth District to the members of the Grand Chapter, at the Baldwin Hotel, from 8 to 12 o'clock this evening.

The Grand Chapter was then called off until ten o'clock Wednesday morning.

In Grand Chapter.

MORNING SESSION.

WEDNESDAY, October 20th, A. D. 1897.

The Grand Chapter was called on at ten o'clock, the Worthy Grand Patron presiding.

An ode was sung and prayer was offered up by the Grand Chaplain.

The minutes of Tuesday's session were read and were approved.

The Worthy Grand Patron, announced appointments to fill vacancies on Committees, as follows:

Committee on Credentials—Past Patron William E. J. Baughman, of Columbus, No. 117.

Committee on Distribution—Worthy Matron Mrs. Frances A. Felton, of Lucerne, No. 127.

Committee on Jurisprudence—Past Grand Associate Matron Elmira F. West, of Homo, No. 50.

Committee on Returns, Past Grand Patron John H. Gray, of Ivy, No. 27; Past Associate Grand Matron Carrie A. Kingsley, of Vesper, No. 20.

Committee on Appeals and Grievances-Past Associate Grand

Patron John McMurry, of St. Johns, No. 14; Past Matron Emma J. Prewett, of Crystal, No. 57.

Committee on Warrants and Dispensations—Past Matron Julia C. Pyburn, of Reveille, No. 47; Worthy Matron Kate S. Craig, of Clear Lake, No. 137.

Committee on Finance—Past Associate Grand Matron Kate E. Boyd, of Naomi, No. 36.

Committee on Constitution and Laws—Worthy Patron Robert A. Long, of Marshall Chapter, No. 86; Worthy Matron Lydia T. McKee, of San Jose Chapter, No. 31.

Committee on Pay of Members—Worthy Matron May Ellis, of Los Gatos, No. 128.

The Grand Secretary then read to the Grand Chapter her annual report, as follows:

REPORT OF THE GRAND SECRETARY.

SISTERS AND BROTHERS—Your Grand Secretary herewith presents her tifteenth annual report to the Grand Chapter of California.

At the close of the last session ten hundred copies of the proceedings thereof were printed and distributed in the order heretofore many times mentioned.

CHARTERS ISSUED.

Charters have been issued to the sixteen Chapters to which they had been granted at the last annual session, and they are now numbered as follows:

Clear Lake, No. 137.
Summit, No. 138.
Orestimba, No. 139.
Oakland, No. 140.
Miramonte, No. 141.
Copa Del Oro, No. 142.
Norwalk, No. 143.
Lyra, No. 144.
Jasmine, No. 145.
Delano, No. 146.
Pearl, No. 147.
Martha, No. 148, of Nevada.
Del Norte, No. 149.
Lodi, No. 150.

Chispa, No. 151.

Silver State, No. 152, of Nevada.

The first corps of officers of each of the above Chapters were installed by our Worthy Grand Matron or by one of her appointed deputies.

DISPENSATIONS ISSUED.

By direction of our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother James Robert Tapscott, dispensations for six new Chapters, as follows, have issued from this office:

December 19th, 1896-Mission Chapter, U. D., at San Francisco.

March 20th, 1897—Argenta Chapter, U. D., at Virginia City, Nevada.

March 20th, 1897-Penrhyn Chapter, U. D., at Penryn, California.

April 20th, 1897—King Solomon Chapter, U. D., at San Francisco, Calif. June 19th, 1897—Occident Chapter, U. D., at Downey, California.

August 9th, 1897-Galt Chapter, U. D., at Galt, California.

The books and dispensations of the above-named Chapters (with the exception of Occident, at Downey) have been received, and have been referred to the Committee on Warrants and Dispensations, with this exception, viz.: the books of By-Laws, which have been referred to the Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

SPECIAL DISPENSATIONS.

Thirty special dispensations have been issued by our Worthy Grand Matron during the year, viz.: seven to elect officers at other than the time named in the constitution, nine to install officers at other than the time named in the constitution, ten to re-ballot upon rejected petitions for membership, two to receive and act upon petitions same evening received, two to receive petitions of persons within six months residence under their jurisdiction.

ANNUAL REPORTS.

Copies of the annual proceedings of the Grand Chapters of twenty-nine States for the year ending 1896, viz.: Arkansas, Colorado, Connecticut, District of Columbia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Indian Territory, Kansas, Maine, Massachusetts, Missouri, Montana, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Texas, Vermont, Washington, Wisconsin, have been received at this office, and copies of the same placed in the hands of the chairman of your Committee on Foreign Correspondence, Past Grand Matron Mrs. Carrie L. Peaslee.

CERTIFICATES TO REPRESENTATIVES.

By direction of our Worthy Grand Matron certificates to Representatives of the Grand Chapter of California near other Grand Chapters have been issued to the following named sisters:

Colorado-Mrs. Mary E. Pierce.

Connecticut-Mrs. Ida A. Fisk. District of Columbia-Mrs. Alcena Lamond. Illinois-Mrs. Jennie W. Freeman. Indiana-Mrs. Jennie T. Nye. Indian Territory—Mrs. Rebecca M. Swain. Iowa-Mrs. Delia Meredith. Kansas-Mrs. Ellen A. Kenner. Maine-Mrs. Annie M. Eaton. Massachusetts-Mrs. Effie M. Carson. Michigan-Mrs. Lida A. Pratt. Minnesota-Mrs. Mary L. McGuidley. Missouri-Mrs. Rosa L. Harris. Montana-Mrs. Ada M. Aiken. Nebraska-Mrs. Helen H. Stires. New Hampshire-Mrs. Mary J. Moody. New Jersey-Mrs. Frances L. Boone. New York-Miss Anna L. Brooks. North Dakota-Mrs, Sarah C. Gannon. Ohio-Mrs. Mary J. Stephens. Oregon-Mrs. Frances A. Helm. Pennsylvania-Mrs. Frances Montanye. Rhode Island-Mrs. Mary F. Phillips. South Dakota-Mrs. Fannie Roddle. Texas-Mrs. Kate Birch. Vermont-Mrs. Eugenia M. Pettee. Washington-Mrs. Mary L. Fenton. Wisconsin-Miss Annie Phillips.

REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER GRAND CHAPTERS.

Certificates of the representatives of other Grand Chapters near the Grand Chapter of California as follows have been received at this office:

Mrs. Ella T. Hall, our Worthy Grand Matron, as the representative of the Grand Chapters of Arkansas, Illinois, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, North Dakota, New Hampshire, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Mrs. Carrie L. Peaslee, as the representative of the Grand Chapters of Missouri and Nebraska.

Mrs. Mary E. Partridge, Past Grand Matron, as the representative of the Grand Chapters of New York, Connecticut, Rhode Island, District of Columbia and Montana.

Grand Secretary Kate J. Willats as the representative of the Grand Chapters of Maine and Colorado.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS.

By direction of our Worthy Grand Matron, commissions to her deputies for the eighteen districts in this Jurisdiction have been issued from this office under seal of our Grand Chapter, and duly attested by your Grand Secretary.

GRAND CHAPTER DIMITS.

Upon application therefor, and the payment of dues due the Chapter at date of recall of the Charter, Grand Chapter dimits have been issued from this office under seal of Grand Chapter to the following sisters, late members of California Chapter, No. 4, whose charter was recalled October 18, 1893, they paying dues up to date of recall of charter: Sister Isabella Garriapy Morey, \$4.00; Sister Mabel Thrall, \$4.00; Sister Julia E. Wise, \$4.00.

DELINQUENT RETURNS.

September 1, 1897, nineteen Chapters were delinquent in this office. This may be accounted for by the change of close of fiscal year from August 31 to July 31, many of the Chapters possibly not having become accestomed to the change. October 1st returns had been received from all but four Chapters, viz.: Sincerity, No. 53; Ramona, No. 97; Electa, No. 120, of Nevada; and Pearl, No. 147. With the delinquent Chapters and the eight Chapters under dispensation there are under the jurisdiction of the Grand Chapter of California one hundred and thirty-five Chapters, with a total membership of nine thousand three hundred and eighty-nine. The usual statement is presented, giving increase and decrease in membership for the eleven months ending July 31, as follows:

INCREASE.

August 31, 1896, total membership was	8,723
Initiated since that date	1,120
Affiliated since that date	230
Reinstated	39
Contributing	6
Total	10,118
DECREASE.	
Dimitted 364	
Suspended	
Deceased	
Ceased contributing	
Expelled 2	
Lost by surrender and recall of charters	
Error in last year's reports	729
Leaving a membership July 31, 1897	9,389

Amount	due	for G1	rand Chapter dues	\$ 2,952	40
Amount	recei	ived		2,910	49
Balance	due.			\$ 41	91
Amount	Ana	for Re	epresentative Fund	R3 404	75
			or Representative Fund		
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Balance	due.			\$20	75
			FINANCIAL STATEMENT.		
· T (1	. 1 (1)	L 4	RECEIPTS.	മറ വാദ	40
			dues	180	
			for six new Chapters		00
			pensations		00
			ins issued		00
				132	
			nce 1894, 5, and 6, General Fund	148	
			ance 1894, Representative Fund		95
			ating members		00
			ender of charter Laurel, No. 87		17
			Fund	1,384	
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	To	otal		\$4,975	35
Which a	mou	nt has	s been turned over to our Grand Treasurer.		
			DISBURSEMENTS.		
Warrant	No.	113,	Jennie Holmes, D. D. G. M	\$ 37	15
	F 6	114,	Catherine Merritt, D. D. G. M		00
	4.4	1143,	Mary T. Deane, Grand Treasurer, Rep. Fund.	1,124	55
	"	115,	Carrie L. Peaslee, G. M		00
		116,	Carrie L. Peaslee, G. M	35	00
	4.6	117,	Carrie L. Peaslee, G. M	19	15
• •	"	118,	Geo. H. Root, rent of hall	30	00
1.6	4 6	119,	Mary H. Lewis, Grand Sentinel	12	00
	1 4	120,	M. Sanderson, janitor	5	00
	"	121,	Gallaway & Co	25	00
**	4.4	122,	J. O. Jephson, printers	84	80
4.6		123,	S. M. Willats, Assistant Secretary	-	00
, 6		124,	Office rent and allowance		50
4.4	6.6	125,	Kate J. Willats, G. S	•	00
		126,	P. A. Espina, engraving charters		60
	"	127,	Office rent and allowance		50
* 6	"	128,	S. M. Willats, A. S.		00
÷ 6	14	129,	Kate J. Willats, G. S		00
		130,	Office rent and allowance	30	50

Warrant	No.	131.	S. M. Willats, A. S.	\$2 5	00
4.6	"	132.	Frances Hart, D. D. G. M.	8	00
		133,	J. O. Jephson, printing	84	80
44	"	134.	Ella T. Hall, G. M	75	00
**	61	135,	L. J. Pitkin, supplies Gen. Gr. Ch	107	77
66		136,	Kate J. Willats, G. S		00
44	44	137.	Office rent and allowance	30	50
64	6.6	138.	S. M. Willats, A. S	25	00
4+		139,	Ella T. Hall, G. M	15	00
"	44	140,	Kate J. Willats, G. S	75	00
"	66	141.	Geo. Spaulding & Co., printing	559	65
66	66	142,	Office rent and allowance	30	50
"	46	143.	S. M. Willats, A. S	25	00
44	4,4	144,	Stamps for mailing annual proceedings	59	31
**	**	145,	S. P. Taylor Co., envelopes for proceedings	5	00
"	66	146,	Kate J. Willats, G. S	75	00
44	6.6	147,	Office rent and allowance	30	50
46		148,	S. M. Willats, A. S	25	00
"	"	149,	Kate J. Willats, G. S	75	00
14	6.6	150,	Office rent and allowance	30	50
41	* *	151,	S. M. Willats, A. S	25	00
64	"	152,	Lillie Kimball, D. D. G. M	4	50
5.6	"	153,	Kate J. Willats, G. S	75	00
1.6	"	154,	Office rent and allowance	30	50
"		155,	S. M. Willats, A. S	25	00
	4.6	156,	Kate J. Willats, G. S	75	00
"	44	157,	Office rent and allowance	30	50
16	66	158,	S. M. Willats, A. S	25	00
**		159,	Kate J. Willats, Grand Secretary	75	00
6.6	44	160,	Office rent and allowance	30	50
* *	"	161,	S. M. Willats, A. S	25	00
64	44	162,	Lida Rosseau, D. D. G. M	10	30
44	**	163,	Mary A. H. Weaver	21	75
64	6 6	164,	Clara M. Lemmon	55	40
5.6	66	165,	Julia E. Hiller	26	05
6 6		166,	Mary B. Benn	20	30
46	6.6	167,	Mary E. Woodbury	45	45
4.6	, "	168,	E. G. McKelvey	12	35
"	41	169,	Mary A. Davis	4	70
44	**	170,	J. O. Jephson, printing	162	50
**	4.6	171,	Ella T. Hall, G. M	10	00
"		172,	Kate J. Willats, G. S	75	00
64.	66	173,	Office rent and allowance	30	50
4.6	6 6	174,	S. M. Willats, A. S	25	00

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ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR.

Warrant	No.	175,	Angie A. Adams, D. D. G. M	\$60	55
	"	176,	Annie M. Erskine, D. D. G. M	32	80
6.6	4.6	177,	Grand Secretary	75	00
44		178,	Lottie C. Cohlan, D. D. G. M	50	00
		179,	Isadora Horton, Grand Treasurer	10	00
4.4	6.6	180,	Mary B. McGeorge, D. D. G. M	36	00
4.6	"	181,	S. M. Willats, A. S	25	00
• •	4.6	182,	Office rent and allowance	30	$\bar{50}$
	44	183,	Kate J. Willats, G. S	75	00
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	\mathbf{T}	tal d	isbursements	\$4,49 4	4 3
	To	otal d	isbursements	\$4,49 4	43
Balance				. ,	
	on h	and a	WIDOWS' AND OBPHANS' HOME FUND.	\$ 1,902	
Received	on h froi	and a n Ver	widows' and orphans' home fund.	\$1,902 10	10
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CHARTER SURRENDERED.

September 18, 1896, Laurel Chapter voted to surrender their charter.

January 30 their charter and part of effects were received at this office.

July 3, 1897, received the ledger and receipt books.

CHARTER RECALLED.

Our Grand Patron has recalled the charter of Fall River Chapter, No. 91, no meeting having been held for one year. The charter and effects he has turned over to this office, and both cases have been referred to your Committee on Warrants and Dispensations.

INVITATIONS TO OTHER GRAND CHAPTERS.

By direction of our Worthy Grand Patron and Worthy Grand Matron, invitations to attend this session of our Grand Chapter have issued from this office to the officers of the General Grand Chapter and to the Grand Matrons, Grand Patrons and Grand Secretaries of sister Grand Jurisdictions.

INVITATIONS FROM OTHER GRAND CHAPTERS.

Invitations to attend annual sessions of sister Grand Chapters have been received at this office from the following States, viz.: Colorado, Connecticut, Illinois, Iowa, Indian Territory, Kansas, Maine, Michigan, Missouri, Minnesota, Montana, New Hampshire, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, Oregon, Rhode Island, South Dakota, Texas, Washington.

COMMUNICATIONS

In reference to matters they wish brought before you at this session have been received from the Grand Chapters of the District of Columbia, Indian Territory, Oregon, and Texas.

CONCLUSION.

Your Grand Secretary would respectfully request-

- I. That this Grand Body define the *status* of members suspended for more than two years, who have been restored to membership in the Order, but not in their Chapter.
- II. That members of extinct Chapters be permitted to reinstate themselves in the Order (that they may be able to present themselves for membership in a subordinate Chapter) upon the payment of the amount of one year's dues of the Chapter of which last a member. Upon the receipt of which at this office, a Grand Chapter dimit may issue.
- III. That the balance due from Ventura Chapter, No. 79, at time of surrender of the charter, be remitted.

SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT OF GRAND SECRETARY.

Since October 1st, 1897, additional amounts of money with reports from Chapters have been received, as follows:

October 5, 1897, Brother C. H. Gibbons, late a member of Adah Chapter, No. 37, Grand Chapter dimit, \$4.50.

October 13, 1897, Amapola Chapter, No. 119, fee for special dispensation, \$3.

October 13, 1897, William Halstead, late a member of California Chapter, No. 4, Grand Chapter dimit, \$1.

October 13, 1897, Pomona Chapter, No. 97, Grand Chapter dues, \$7.25; Representative Fund, \$4.05.

October 13, 1897, Madera Chapter, No. 92, Grand Chapter dues, \$10.50; Representative Fund, \$5.70.

October 14, 1897, Morning Star Chapter, No. 61, fee for special dispensation, \$3.

October 16, 1897, Rohnerville Chapter, No. 76, balance of Grand Chapter dues, 25 cents; Representative Fund, 15 cents.

At this date, October 19th, returns and dues from all but three Chapters, viz.: Sincerity, No. 53, of Greenville, Plumas County; Electa, No. 120, of Austin, Nevada, and Pearl, No. 147, of Compton, Los Angeles County, have been received.

Additional contributions to the Home Fund, as follows, have been received:

From Past Grand Matron Mary Ann Flint, account of sale of tidy donated by Past Matron Arabella Singleton Lord, of Silver Wave Chapter,
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No. 75 \$18 50
From Josephine Chapter, No. 104
From Placer Chapter, No. 49
From Raisina Chapter, No. 89
From Palm Leaf Chapter, No. 114
Total

October 22, 1897. The annual returns, together with the money for Grand Chapter dues and Representative Fund, were received from Sincerity Chapter, No. 53, and from Electa Chapter, No. 120, of Austin, Nevada.

Respectfully submitted,

KATE JOSEPHINE WILLATS,

Grand Secretary.

Which reports were ordered to be referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Grand Treasurer then read to the Grand Chapter her annual report, as follows:

GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT.

To the Grand Chapter, O. E. S., of California:

Your Grand Treasurer submits the following as her report for the fiscal year:

RECEIPTS.

1896—Cash received from Past Grand Treasurer. \$933 99 3 Vouchers received as eash from P. G. T. 1,205 70 Amount of Loan 2,500 00				
\$4,639 69 1896–1897—Received from Grand Secretary				
Total re	eceipts\$9,615 04			
DISBURSEMENTS.				
1896-Oct. 23, Warrants	113, 114, $114\frac{1}{2}$			
· · 28, · · ·	115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 122, 123 230 95			
Nov. 1, Warrant	124			
" 16, Warrants	125, 126 80 60			
Dec. 1, Warrant	127 30 50			
	121 25 00			
1897—Jan. 5, Warrants	128, 129, 130, 131			

Jan. 12,	Warrant	133	\$84	80
" 13.	(1	132	8	00
" 15,	6.6	136	75	00
" 18,	6.6	134	75	00
Feb. 1,	Warrants	137, 138	55	50
" 12,	Warrant	135	107	77
" 15,	Warrants	139, 140	90	00
Mar. 1,	"	142, 143, 144	114	81
Apr. 1,	4+	147, 148	55	50
" 20,	41	145, 146	80	00
July 29,	6.6	149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155	265	50
Aug. 4,	44	156, 158	100	00
" 6,	Warrant	166	20	30
" 9,	Warrants	164, 168	67	75
·· 10,	Warrant	167	45	45
" 12,	Warrants	141, 165, 170	748	20
" 16,	"	162, 171	20	
" 19,	Warrant	163	21	
·· 23,		157, 159, 160, 161, 169, 172	240	
Sept. 2,	4.6	173, 174	55	
·· 15,	Warrant	177	75	
" 20,	"	175	60	
" 21,	**	176	32	
Oct. 1,	Warrants	178, 179, 181, 182, 183	199	50
	Total di	sbursements\$	1,458	43
•		cash on hand		
	Total		9 615	04
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		Treasurer's hands		
Amount of Los	ın	.,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	2,500	00
	Total ar	nount in General Fund	5, 156	61
	Res	pectfully submitted,		
		ISADORA HORTON	₹,	
		Grand Trea	surer	
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MONEY RECEIVED ON ACCOUNT OF HOME FUND.				
Total amount in Home Fund 1896\$1,902 10				
1897—April 21		from Mary B. Moore, Treasurer		
		ne Committee, for—		
		Chapter, No. 14		
		Star Chapter, No. 66		
		eaf Chapter, No. 130 5 00		
	Stella Ch	apter, No. 39		

April 21,	Ocean View Chapter, No. 111 \$5 00
	Mizpah Chapter, No. 100 10 00
	Evangeline Chapter, No. 9
	Mercedes Chapter, No. 126
May 7,	Summit Chapter, No. 138 10 00
	Sierra Star Chapter, No. 129 20 00
June 17,	Vernon Chapter, No. 35
	Yolo Chapter, No. 60
	Ariel Chapter, No. 42 35 25
Aug. 4,	Received from Grand Secretary for—
	Veritas Chapter, No. 84 10 00
31,	Received from Mary B. Moore, Treasurer
	of Home Committee, for—
	Electa Chapter, No. 72
	Tulare Chapter, No. 94 40 00
	Hesperian Chapter, No. 112 5 00
	Ocean Spray Chapter, No. 68 10 00
	Sotoyome Chapter, No. 82 5 00
Sept. 20,	Received from Grand Secretary for-
	Copa del Oro Chapter, No. 142 5 00
	
	Total, \$2,301 35
Rolonge in Pear	ole's Home Savings Bank
	and No. 3 in liquidation
	er's hands
Cash in Licasui	
	Total amount in Home Fund \$2,301 35
	Total amount in General Fund 5,158 61
	Total amount in all Funds
	Respectfully submitted,
	ISADOBA HORTON

ISADORA HORTON, Grand Treasurer.

Which report was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Finance.

On motion of Past Patron Harrison D. Rowe, it was ordered that the hours of the daily sessions of this Grand Chapter be from 10 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M.

Past Grand Patron James B. Merritt, chairman of the Committee on Finance, then read the report from that Committee, as follows:

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your committee have carefully examined the books, papers, and accounts of the Grand Secretary and Grand Treasurer and find them correct. The following is the financial condition of the Grand Chapter:

Balance on hand from last year	4,639	69
Received during the year	4,975	35
Total		\$9,615 04
DISBURSEMENTS.		
Salary of Grand Secretary	900	00
Salary of Assistant Grand Secretary	300	00
Contingent expenses of Grand Secretary's Office	375	00
Allowance to Grand Matron	100	00
" " Treasurer	10	00
Sentinel	12	00
" " Janitor	5	00
Paid for Hall Rent	30	00
" " Printing	891	75
" " Expenses of D. D. G. Matrons	488	30
" " Mileage of Representatives	1,124	55
" " Postage and envelopes on Proceedings	64	31
" " Charters and engrossing same	30	60
" " Postage and express for Grand Matron	19	15
" General Grand Chapter for supplies	107	77
Total disbursements		\$4,458 43

This leaves a balance on hand of \$5,156.61, of which \$2,500 is invested as per reports of 1895 and 1896, and \$2,656.61 is deposited in the Bank of California.

There was at the last report in the Widows' and Orphans' Home Fund the sum of \$1,902.10. During the year the Grand Treasurer has received on account of said fund the sum of \$399.25, making a total of \$2,301 35. Of this \$852.19 remains in the People's Home Savings Bank, and the balance is in the hands of the Grand Treasurer.

Your committee find that many of the bills of the D. D. G. Matrons are not properly itemized. Some of them have been returned for correction, others have been passed although not exactly in form.

The business of this Grand Body should be transacted with exactness, and it is no reflection on any one to demand the fullest information regarding charges against it. We find also many small balances against Chapters on the books of the Grand Secretary. This ought not so to be,

and we hope that Secretaries of Chapters will hereafter be more exact in their remittances.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES B. MERRITT, M. LANG FARMER, KATE E. BOYD, Committee.

Which report was adopted, with the exception of that portion relating to the loan of \$2,500, which was referred back to the committee for further consideration.

The following resolution was offered by the Finance Committee:

Resolved, That the charge of \$6.75 now standing upon the books of the Grand Secretary against Ventura Chapter, No. 79, be and hereby is re-JAMES B. MERRITT, mitted.

KATE E. BOYD. MARY LANG FARMER.

Committee.

Which resolution was adopted unanimously.

A communication from the Grand Chapter of Texas relative to the recall of the ritual now in use, was read and referred to the committee of five Past Grand Matrons having in charge the book of instructions.

Communications from the Grand Chapters of the District of Columbia, and of Indian Territory, relative to the Grand Chapter of New York, were read and ordered to be placed on file.

A copy of the report of the Committee on Appeals and Grievances of the Grand Chapter of Oregon, relative to the McDermott case, was read and ordered to be placed on file.

Bills as follows were read and referred to the Finance Committee:

Walter N. Brunt, three hundred and fifty badges	\$10	00
Golden Gate Building Association, rent of hall for this session	40	00
J. O. Jephson Company, printing	44	35
General Grand Chapter, supplies	41	08
Ella T. Hall, Grand Matron, expenditures in excess of appropria-		
tion allowed	43	00
Ella T. Hall, Grand Matron, postage, expressage, etc.	22	00

The Grand Secretary presented letters of regret from Grand and Past Grand Officers of Sister Jurisdictions, as follows: Worthy Grand Matrons Mrs. Delia B. Meredith of Iowa, Mrs. Sallie M. Scott of Indian Territory, Mrs. Mamie Conrad of Indiana, Mrs. Ida E. Harrigan of New York, Mrs. Madaleine B. Conkling of Oregon, Mrs. Jeannette Herreid of South Dakota; Worthy Grand Patrons D. R. Calloway of Colorado, Wm. B. Hall of Connecticut, Edward F. Barnes of New York, David B. Howard of Nebraska; Mrs. Nellie M. Towner of Wisconsin, Grand Secretaries Mrs. Eliza S. Cohen of Colorado, Mrs. Nettie Ransford of Indiana, Mrs. Carrie M. Perkins of Indian Territory, Mrs. Maria Jackson of Iowa, Mrs. Annette H. Hooper of Maine, Mrs. A. A. Mattison of Michigan, Mrs. Sallie Dillon of Missouri, Mrs. Elva Bordman of Montana, Mrs. Amelia E. Leads of Connecticut, Mrs. Jessie L. Cavana of Oregon, Mrs. A. A. McAllister of South Dakota, Mrs. Lorraine J. Pitkin, R.: W.: Grand Secretary of the General Grand Chapter; Past Grand Matrons Mrs. Nancy J. Moody of New Hampshire, Mrs. Rebecca M. Swain of Indian Territory, Mrs. Annie Phillips of Wisconsin, Mrs. Mary C. Taylor of Minnesota, Mrs. Martha D. Ross of Wisconsin, F. A. Helm of Oregon.

The Grand Chapter was then called off until 2 o'clock P. M.

In Grand Chapter.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Wednesday, October 20, A. D. 1897.

The Grand Chapter was called on at two o'clock, the Worthy Grand Patron presiding.

Past Patron William Elias John Baughman, chairman of the Committee on Credentials, presented the following:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS.

To the Grand Chapter, O. E. S .:

Your Committee on Credentials would respectfully report that they find the following Grand Officers, Past Grand Officers, Officers and Representatives of chartered Chapters, delegates from Chapters under dispensation, and Past Matrons and Past Patrons by service in this jurisdiction, as present and entitled to seats, viz.:

GRAND OFFICERS.

JAMES ROBERT TAPSCOTT	
ELLA TYLER HALL	Worthy Grand Matron
KATE JOSEPHINE WILLATS	
ISABELLA HORTON	Grand Treasurer
POLLY MARTIN	Grand Conductress
LILY FORBES	Associate Grand Conductress
JANE FRANCES RAABE	Grand Chaplain
MAUD T. McCollough	Grand Marshal
FLORENCE POTTS	Grand Adah
MARIE LEONARD	Grand Ruth
MARY LITTLER	Grand Electa
NELLIE AUGUSTA DARLING	Grand Organist
MAURICE PRITCHARD	Grand Sentinel

PAST GRAND OFFICERS.

PAST GRAND OFF	CIMINO.
JOHN NELLES YOUNG	
George John Hobe	Past Grand Patron
JOHN HATFIELD GRAY	Past Grand Patron
THOMAS FLINT	Past Grand Patron
FRED. LAURENCE BUTTON	Past Grand Patron
JACOB FRANKLIN BOLLER	Past Grand Patron
JAMES BESTOR MERRITT	Past Grand Patron
ALLEN BOSLEY LEMMON	Past Grand Patron
MARY ELLEN GILLESPIE	Past Grand Matron
MARY ANN FLINT	Past Grand Matron
MARY JOSEPHINE YOUNG	Past Grand Matron
MARY BEAKES MOORE	Past Grand Matron
MARY ELIZABETH PARTRIDGE	Past Grand Matron
ANNIE ELIZABETH BRIGGS	Past Grand Matron
AUGUSTA DUNN WILSON	Past Grand Matron
CARRIE LOUISE PEASLEE	Past Grand Matron
ELEANOR MARIE OWENS	Past Grand Matron
JOHN McMurry	Past Associate Grand Patron
DAVID BYRON TODD	Past Associate Grand Patron
GEORGE WASHINGTON STOUT	Past Associate Grand Patron
ZACHARY TAYLOR GILPIN	Past Associate Grand Patron
MARTIN JEREMIAH WRIGHT	Past Associate Grand Patron
HATTIE MAJOR,	Past Associate Grand Matron
SARAH CASSIDY	Past Associate Grand Matron
MARY JANE MAYHEW	Past Associate Grand Matron
CARRIE AUGUSTA KINGSLEY	Past Associate Grand Matron
MARY SOPHRONIA MUNNS	Past Associate Grand Matron

ELMIRA FRANCES WEST	nd Mai	tron
KATE ELIZABETH BOYD	nd Mat	tron
EMMA PERKINSPast Associate Gra	nd Mat	tron
MARGARET BELVA SEARLES	nd Mat	tron
ELIZABETH PHILLIPS Past Associate Gra	nd Mat	tron
Anna Maria Elliott	Secre	tary
KATE JOSEPHINE WILLATS Past Grand	Treas	urer
MARY MATILDA HOLTZ Past Grand	Treas	urer
ELLA MARIA HAUNPast Grand	Treas	urer
ISABEL DENMANPast Grand	Treas	urer
LIZZIE WARDWELLPast Grand	Treas	urer
MARY ANN SMITH	Treas	urer
SARAH ISABELLE HUBBARDPast Grand	Treas	urer
MARY T. DEANPast Grand	Treas	urer
DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS.		
Anna M. Erskine Dis	trict N	o. 5
CLARA LEMMON	6 4	' 7
CLARA ABBOTT GIBERSON		6 8
EMMA HOWLAND BUTTON		. 9
Maggie Josephine Wells	. 4	' 14
MARY E. WOODBURY		16
MARY ANNA DAVIS	•	' 18

REPRESENTATIVES.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS—CONTINUED.

No.	NAME OF CHAPTER.	NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE.
3	SILVER STAR	Jennie Wilson, Associate Matron. Aunie Roney, Past Matron. Lillian Bond, Past Matron.
8	Oak Leaf	Maria A. Pierce, Worthy Matron. Gilbert B. Daniels, Worthy Patron. Kate S. Rowe, Associate Matron. Mary E. Partridge, Past Matron. Martha A. Pearce, Past Matron. Clelen R. Wheeler, Past Matron. Cora A. Merritt, Past Matron. May B. Gilpin, Past Matron. Emma H. Button, Past Matron. Carrie Kercheval, Past Matron. Carrie Kercheval, Past Matron. Lena Hamilton, Past Matron. Lena Hamilton, Past Matron. Catherine E. Merritt, Past Matron. Zachary T. Gilpin, Past Patron. Fred. L. Button, Past Patron. James B. Merritt, Past Patron. Henry P. Dalton, Past Patron. Harrison D. Rowe, Past Patron. Webb N. Pearce, Past Patron.
9	Evangeline	Lucy Gray. Worthy Matron. Jennie E. Holmes, Past Matron.
10	EVENING STAR	Janet Nutting, Past Matron and Rep. Charles W. Nutting, Past Patron.
13	MARTHA WASHINGTON	Marietta Gray, Worthy Matron.
14	St. Johns	John McMurry, Patron and Past Patron.
17	Welcome	Cora V. McKesg, Past Matron and Rep.
18	LILY OF THE VALLEY	Louise Kidder, Worthy Matron. Charlotte Wood, Past Matron.
19	IDLEWILD	Annie E. Howard, Worthy Matron. Rebecca Schwartz, Past Matron. Benj. A. Plant, Past Patron.
20	VESPER	Carrie A. Kingsley, Past Matron and Rep.
21	Acacia	Minnie J. Greenman, Worthy Matron. Susan A. Wright, Past Matron.
23	FERNDALE	Frank Hanley, Worthy Patron. Frances L. Hart, Past Matron.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS—CONTINUED.

No.	Name of Chapter.	Name of Representative.
26	Nobthern Light	George W. Thacher, Patron & P. Patron.
27	Ivy	Jennie A. Graves, Worthy Matron. Susie Dow, Associate Matron. Jennie Blake. Past Matron. Tilda J. Leland. Past Matron. Kate Maxson, Past Matron. Susan Allen, Past Matron. Clara A. Giberson, Past Matron. Cornelia L. Grav. Past Matron. Helen M. Patterson, Past Matron. Bessie Johnson. Past Matron. Mai L. Malgren, Past Matron. John H. Gray, Past Patron. Geo. W. H. Patterson, Past Patron.
31	SAN JOSE.	Lydia T. McKee, Worthy Matron. Susie J. Hale, Associate Matron. Sarah F. Horne, Past Matron. Sarah J. Morse, Past Matron. Lucy Barker, Past Matron. Lulu B. Blanchard, Past Matron. Sallie A. Potts, Past Matron. Lucy Barker, Past Matron. Lucy Barker, Past Matron. Josephine V. V. Bromley, Past Matron. Agnes Conant, Past Matron.
33	Rose Valley	Eva M. Simpson, Worthy Matron. Lu L. Wines. Associate Matron. Mattie Ross, Past Matron. Mary J. Hutchinson, Past Matron. Clara Lemmon, Past Matron. Mary C. Devereaux, Past Matron. Dora M. Stofen, Past Matron. Peter N. Stofen, Past Patron.
35	VERNON	Harriet L. Smith, Worthy Matron. Cynthia A. Moore, Associate Matron. Esther Mould, Past Matron.
36	NAOMI	Agnes S. Hall, Worthy Matron. Kate E. Boyd, Past Matron. Mary J. Mayhew, Past Matron. Alicia C. Stanton, Past Matron. Robert O. Cravens, Past Patron. John W. Boyd, Past Patron.
39	STELLA	George A. Tebbe, Worthy Patron. Dora Larison, Past Matron. James R. Tapscott, Past Patron.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS-CONTINUED.

No.	Name of Chapter.	Name of Representative.
40	Aurora	Harriet Carr, Worthy Matron. Maria Young, Past Matron.
41	LILY OF THE LAKE	Emma C. Ritchie, Matron & P. Matron. Julius H. Fox, Patron and Past Patron. Sarah A. Sanborn, Past Matron. Angie D. Sanborn, Past Matron. Lucretia S. Docker, Past Matron.
42	ARIEL	Alice E. Harkinson, Worthy Matron.
44	Redding	Jennie P. Dean, Worthy Matron. Hattie E. Major, Past Matron.
45	CEANOTHUS	Isabella W. Willson, Worthy Matron. Mary A. Flint, Past Matron. Thomas Flint, Past Patron.
46	ATHENA	Sarah D. Eastman, Worthy Matron. Erminnie M. Hollingberry, Associate M. Aunie E. Briggs, Past Matron. Mary J. McCloskey, Past Matron.
47	REVEILLE	Julia C. Pyburn, Matron and Past Matron. Eva M. Porter, Past Matron.
48	WHEATLAND	Lizzie R. Roddan, Worthy Matron. Linnie Berry, Past Matron.
49	PLACER	Helen M. Smith, Worthy Matron. Abbie Banvard, Past Matron. Anna M. Erskine, Past Matron.
50	Номо	Marie L. Eaton, Worthy Matron. George W. Langridge, Worthy Patron. Sarah J. Davis, Associate Matron. Hannah J. Thresher, Past Matron. Elmira F. West, Past Matron. Fidelia W. Brown, Past Matron. Belle Smith, Past Matron. Nellie W. Keniston, Worthy Matron. Minrod S. Thresher, Past Patron.
51	ALTURAS	Ella Pepperdine, Worthy Matron,
58	SINCERITY	Nettie Drury, Worthy Matron.
55	MARYSVILLE	William T. Phipps, Worthy Patron.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS-CONTINUED.

No.	Name of Chapter.	Name of Representative.
56	Fidelia	Mary S. Smith, Worthy Matron. Hattie S. Walton, Past Matron. Benj. F. Walton, Past Patron.
57	Crystal	Marguerite Chamberlain, Worthy Matron. Emma J. Prewett, Past Matron. Maud T. McCollough, Past Matron. John C. Woodard, Past Patron.
58	Kingsley	Annie Babcock, Worthy Matron. Fannie McCowen, Past Matron. George W. Stout, Past Patron.
59	Silver Spray	Karen Jensen, Worthy Matron. Isaac G. Harron, Worthy Patron. Ella M. Haun, Past Matron.
6 0	Yolo	Nellie M. Thorp, Worthy Matron.
61	Morning Star	Augusta Hall, Matron and Past Matron. Isabel Denman, Past Matron. Mary E. Lovejoy, Past Matron. Rose Kahn, Past Matron.
63	CAMELLIA	Henrietta L. Chapman, Past Matron & R.
65	Unity	Hattie Hall, Worthy Matron. Joseph Umphred, Patron & Past Patron. Josephine Velsir, Associate Matron. Mary McGuire, Past Matron. Augusta D. Wilson, Past Matron. Emma Perkins, Past Matron. Mary Littler, Past Matron. Lulu Anderson, Past Matron. Jamesie Monck, Past Matron. Mary Moore. Past Matron. Rolla Monck, Past Patron.
66	GOLDEN STAR	Annie R. Harvey, Worthy Matron.
67	FRIENDSHIP,	Ida M. Hill, Past Matron and Rep.
68	OCEAN SPRAY	Matilda V. Fifield, Matron & Past Matron. Martha A. Patrick, Past Matron. Angeline Sutton, Past Matron. William Sutton, Past Patron.
69	Manzanita	Martha Hubbs, Worthy Matron. Aurelia Bennett, Past Matron.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS—CONTINUED.

No.	NAME OF CHAPTER.	NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE.
71	Queen Esther	Esther Katz, Worthy Matron.
72	ELECTA	Margaret Wakefield, Past Matron & Rep.
73	Magnolia	Fannie S. Pettit, Associate Matron.
74	ESTHER	Jessie D. Knight, Past Matron and Rep.
75	SILVER WAVE	Sylvia A. Terrass, Worthy Matron. Mary A. Davis, Past Matron.
76	Rohnerville	Olive M. Brewer, Worthy Matron.
77	Azalia	Ella S. Wyllie, Matron and Past Matron. Hattie E. Creighton, Past Matron.
78	MARGUERITE	Celia C. George, Matron and Past Matron.
79	VENTURA	Willis P. Lincoln, Patron and Past Patron.
82	Sоточоме	Jane F. Raabe, Past Matron. Fannie Meyer, Past Matron. Anna B. Barnes, Past Matron.
83	Molino,	Hanchen Gyle, Matron and Past Matron.
84	VERITAS	Virginia H. Beville, Worthy Matron. Mary T. Dean, Past Matron.
85	VALLEY OF THE MOON	Elizabeth Burris, Worthy Matron. Mary J. Akers, Past Matron. Cynthia Goedman, Past Matron. Eveldine Thompson, Past Matron.
86	Marshall	Alice Orr, Worthy Matron. Robert A. Long, Worthy Patron. Harriet L. Fleeman, Associate Matron.
88	MOUNTAIN VIEW	Hattie Sharp, Worthy Matron.
89	RAISINA	Ada B. Williams, Worthy Matron. Lewis O. Stephens, Patron and P. Patron. Margaret Eames, Associate Matron.
90	FALLEN LEAF	Mary A. Waters. Matron and Past Matron. George H. Burnham, Patron and P. P. Mabel B. Swisler, Associate Matron. Chas. H. Weatherwax, Past Patron.
92	Madera	Jennie Mace, Past Matron and Rep.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS—CONTINUED.

No.	NAME OF CHAPTER.	Name of Representative.
93	HELIOTROPE	Mary C. Blackman, Associate Matron. Virginia L. Chappell, Past Matron. Walter L. Chappell, Past Patron.
94	Tulare	Belle R. Carruthers, Worthy Matron. Ella T. Hall, Past Matron. Rachel Bartholomew, Past Matron. Mary E. Zartman, Past Matron.
95	Ветніенем	Charles J. Trussler, Patron and P. Patron.
96	SOUTHERN STAR	Anna E. Kooken, Worthy Matron. Gertrude Brobeck, Past Matron. Segra L. Hartwicksen, Past Matron.
99	Beulah	Rose Kispert, Worthy Matron. Adolph F. Fitschen, Worthy Patron. Nellie A. Brown, Associate Matron. Phoebe M. Mangels, Past Matron. Amanda Brown, Past Matron. Emma C. Malgren, Past Matron. David B. Todd, Past Patron.
100	MIZPAH	Belle Goodwin, Worthy Matron.
101	ELAINE	Anna Winnes, Associate Matron.
102	VIOLET	Mary E. Nelson, Worthy Matron.
103	GOLDEN WAVE	Mary M. Cowell, Worthy Matron. Albert H. Merritt, Worthy Patron. Hattie C. Marin, Associate Matron. Lucy C. Walrath, Past Matron.
104	Josephine	Edna W. Taylor, Worthy Matron. Mary A. Bicknell, Past Matron. Mary M. Faulkner, Past Matron. Mary A. Warren, Past Matron. Cyrus G. Warren, Past Patron.
106	Ungava	Louise E. Allen, Past Matron and Rep.
107	CORONA	Almira Fiedler, Worthy Matron.
108	Pasadena	Lizzie Drake, Worthy Matron. Carrie L. Peaslee, Past Matron.
109	Elk Grove	Sarah G. Bradford, Worthy Matron.
110	Pomona	Emma E. Sanders, Matron and P. Matron. William H. Sanders, Past Patron.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS-CONTINUED.

No.	Name of Chapter.	NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE.
112	Hesperian	Atawa McKinsey, Matron and P. Matron.
113	Santa Monica by the Sea	Isabelle L. Vawter, Worthy Matron. Josephine A. Dexter, Past Matron.
114	PALM LEAF	Nellie M. Baker, Worthy Matron, Luella Boller, Past Matron. Jacob F. Boller, Past Patron.
115	Carita	Theresa J. Mervin, Worthy Matron. James B. Barber, Worthy Patron. Augusta T. Fletter, Associate Matron. Magdalene Nobman, Past Matron. Mary J. Young, Past Matron. Benj. S. McFarland, Past Patron. John N. Young, Past Patron.
116	TRUCEEE	Mary Burckhalter, Past Matron and Rep.
117	COLUMBUS	Mary A. Caselli, Worthy Matron. Amelia Burnett, Associate Matron. Lillie A. Forbes, Past Matron. Hattie A. Baughman, Past Matron. William E. J. Baughman, Past Patron.
118	Woodbridge	Catherine M. Langford, Worthy Matron. Carrie R. Carleton, Associate Matron.
119	ÅMAPOLA	Hattie M. Guidery, Worthy Matron. Kate H. Boynton, Past Matron.
121	ESTHER, OF NEVADA.	Marie L. Coffin, Worthy Matron. Malvina Platt. Associate Matron. Mary E. Woodbury, Past Matron.
122	Adah, of Nevada	Mary D. Summerfield, Worthy Matron. Polly Martin, Past Matron.
123	TUOLUMNE STAR	Rosa Kahl, Worthy Matron. Maggie J. Wells, Past Matron. Edward Keil, Patron and Past Patron.
124	Harmony	Sallie H. Millberry, Worthy Matron. William H. Wharff, Worthy Patron. Elizabeth D. Wetjen, Associate Matron. Annie E. Peterson, Past Matron. Isadora Horton, Past Matron. Lydia J. Wharff, Past Matron. Bertha B. Linnell, Past Matron. Arthur H. Millberry, Past Patron.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS—CONTINUED.

No.	Name of Chapter.	NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE
125	Bakersfield	Mary E. Reavis, Associate Matron.
127	LUCERNE	Frances A. Felton, Worthy Matron.
128	Los Gatos	May Eilis, Worthy Matron. Margaret Miller, Associate Matron.
129	SIERRA STAR	Mary H. Rousseau, Worthy Matron. George Wood, Worthy Patron. Maurice Pritchard, Past Patron.
130	CLOVER LEAF	Lizzie Kleiser, Worthy Matron. Mary J. Field, Past Matron.
131	FIDELITY	Tillie E. Van Fossen, Worthy Matron.
133	SOUTH GATE	Chlo Rontzahn, Worthy Matron. Florence Potts, Past Matron.
134	Angels	Jennie Garrard, Worthy Matron.
135	SEMPER FIDELIS	Laura J. Barker, Associate Matron.
136	Centinela	Florence E. Harris, Worthy Matron. Adelaide R. Wade, Associate Matron. Marie Leonard, Past Matron.
137	CLEAR LAKE	Kate S. Craig, Worthy Matron. Curtis J. Monroe, Worthy Patron. Hattie A. Foree, Past Matron. Louis Pedrazzini, Past Patron.
138	SUMMIT	Roma A. Tulloch, Worthy Matron.
139	ORESTIMBA	Sarah Yancey, Worthy Matron.
140	Oarland	Lillian Warner, Worthy Matron. Abel W. Baker, Jr., Worthy Patron. Eunice D. Kitchener, Associate Matron. Sarah Cassidy, Past Matron. Kate R. Pierson, Past Matron. Mary A. Vance, Past Matron. Carrie H. Bassett, Past Matron. Elizabeth Wardwell, Past Matron. Henry Haven, Past Patron.
141	MIRAMONTE	Mary A. Berry, Worthv Matron. Mary E. Gorton, Associate Matron.
142	COPA DEL ORO	Sarah M. Deck, Worthy Matron.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS-CONTINUED.

No.	Name of Chapter.	NAME OF REPRESENTATIVE.
143	Norwalk	Eudolphia Johnston, Associate Matron.
144	LYRA	Fannie C. Thompson, Worthy Matron.
145	JASMINE	Edith M. Lee, Representative.
146	DELANO	Anna M. Metzger, Matron and P. Matron.
147	MARTHA, OF NEVADA	Josephine Beemer, Worthy Matron.
149	Del Norte	Laura E. Shipman, Associate Matron.
150	Lodi	Nellie F. Norton, Worthy Matron.
151	Снівра	Sarah J. McFadden, Worthy Matron.
υ. D.	Мт. Shasta	Agnes J. Muller, Associate M. & P. Matron.
U.D.	Escondido	Henry C. Ray, Representative.
U. D.	Mission	Mary L. Farmer, Matron and Past Matron, Henry C. Bunker, Worthy Patron, Mary G. Foster, Past Matron. Elizabeth Phillips, Past Matron. Emma E. Goodman, Past Matron. Margaret B. Searles, Past Matron. Frederick W. Foster, Past Patron.
U.D.	ARGENTA, OF NEVADA	Adele C. Clemous, Matron & Past Matron.
U. D.	King Solomon's	Olive H. Schmidt, Worthy Matron. Arthur M. Blade, Worthy Patron. Martha E. Blade, Associate Matron.
U. D.	GALT	Alice Latourette, Worthy Matron.

Respectfully submitted,

W. E. J. BAUGHMAN, M. AGNES VANCE, Committee.

Which report was adopted.

Past Patron Charles Wilber Nutting, Chairman of the Committee on Distribution, presented the following:

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REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON DISTRIBUTION.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

The Committee on Distribution, to whom was referred the addresses of the Worthy Grand Patron and Worthy Grand Matron, submit the following report:

That so much of the reports of the Worthy Grand Patron and Worthy Grand Matron as recommend the appointment of Memorial Committees and the setting apart of Memorial Pages in our proceedings, commemorative of deceased members, be adopted.

That so much of the reports as refer to Dispensations and New Chapters instituted be referred to the Committee on Warrants and Dispensations.

That so much as refers to new By-Laws and amendments to By-Laws approved and disapproved, be referred to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

That so much as refers to decisions be referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

That the official acts of the Worthy Grand Patron and Worthy Grand Matron other than above be approved.

That in the Worthy Grand Matron's report her recommendation No. 1, be referred to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

That recommendation No. 2 be referred to Finance Committee.

That recommendation No. 3 be referred to Committee on Warrants and Dispensations.

That recommendations Nos. 1 and 2 in the report of the Worthy Grand Patron be adopted by the Grand Chapter.

We commend the zeal of the Worthy Grand Patron and Worthy Grand Matron as shown by their admirable and very full reports, and feel that the interests of the Order have been fully conserved by their intelligent and careful attention.

C. W. NUTTING, FRANCES A. FELTON, FRANCES L. HART,

Committee.

Which report was adopted.

Past Grand Patron John Hatfield Gray, Chairman of the Committee on Returns, presented and read the report of his committee as follows:

REFORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RETURNS.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

The Committee on Returns have examined the reports of the subordinate Chapters and would submit the following report:

There are one hundred and twenty-seven chartered Chapters, including five in Nevada, and eight Chapters under Dispensation, including one in Nevada.

MEMBERSHIP.

Whole number of members August 31, 1896	8,723
	1,120
Affiliated during the year	230
Reinstated during the year	39
Contributing members.	6
Constituting memocras	
Total	0,118
Lost during the year:	
Dimitted	
Suspended235	
Deceased 82	
Ceased contributing 7	
Expelled 2	
Error in last year's reports	
Lost by surrendered and recalled Charters 37-	729
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Total members July 31, 1897	9,389
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Making a net gain in membership for eleven months of	666
Chapters having a membership of over 300	1
Chapters having a membership of over 200 and less than 300	3
Chapters having a membership of over 100 and less than 200	15
Chapters having a membership of over 50 and less than 100	64
Chapters having a membership under 50	52

The committee note the following omissions in the reports:

The Secretaries have failed to give their names and addresses in the proper place in the following: 1, 41, 59, 65, 80, 93, 96, 100, 148 and Mount Shasta, U. D.

The following are not dated: 2, 56, 58, 63, 75, 76, 95, 100, 116, 118, 119, 124, 130, 131, 133, 140 and Galt, U. D.

The Patrons have failed to sign the following: 61, 67, 74 and 135.

The following are without seal: 2, 56, 76, 107 and 132.

The railroad fare is not given in 28, 33, 69, 88, 93, 97.

There were nineteen Chapters delinquent on September 1st, of which fifteen reported before October 1st, leaving four delinquent on the latter date, viz.: 53, 97, 120 and 147.

The circular sent by the Grand Secretary to the Secretary of every Chapter with the blank reports contains explicit instructions for filling them out, and there is no excuse for the long list of omissions which this committee has to report year after year. If every Worthy Matron would see that the report of her Chapter is absolutely correct before she signs it,

she would not have the mortification of seeing it mentioned in these annual lists.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. GRAY, CARRIE A. KINGSLEY,

Committee.

Which report was adopted as read.

The following amendment to the constitution, offered by Past Patron Harrison D Rowe, was referred to the Committee on Constitution and Laws:

Resolved, That the Constitution of the Grand Chapter of California be and the same is hereby amended as follows: By striking out all of Section 7 in Article I, and substituting the following in lieu thereof: "It shall be the duty of the Matrons, Patrons and Associate Matrons to attend all meetings of the Grand Chapter. Representatives for that purpose may be elected by the Chapter when neither the Matron, Patron nor Associate Matron can attend. Said Representatives must be members of the Chapter they represent, and must file with the Grand Secretary a certificate of their election duly anthenticated."

Past Grand Patron John Hatfield Gray presented an amendment to Section 15 of Article II of the Constitution, striking out the word August and inserting in lieu thereof the word July, which was referred to the Committee on Constitution and Laws.

The Grand Warder announced in waiting Past Most Worthy Grand Matron Mary Ann Flint. The Grand Conductress was instructed to retire and introduce the distinguished visitor. The Grand Conductress returning presented Mrs. Mary Ann Flint, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron of the General Grand Chapter. The Sister was then escorted to the East and received with Grand Honors.

Representatives of other Grand Chapters near the Grand Chapter of California were announced in waiting. The Grand Conductress was directed to retire and introduce the several Representatives of Sister Grand Jurisdictions near the jurisdiction of California. The Grand Conductress returning presented the following named Sisters:

Worthy Grand Matron Ella Tyler Hall, as the accredited Representative near the Grand Chapter of California of the Grand Chapters of Arkansas, Illinois, Kansas, Michigan, Minnesota, North Dakota, New Hampshire, Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Past Grand Matron Mary Elizabeth Partridge, as the accredited Representative of the Grand Chapters of Connecticut, District of Columbia, Montana, New York and Rhode Island.

Past Grand Matron Augusta Dunn Wilson, as the accredited Representative of the Grand Chapters of Oregon and Vermont.

Past Grand Matron Carrie Louise Peaslee, as the accredited Representative of the Grand Chapters of Missouri and Nebraska.

Grand Secretary Kate Josephine Willats, as the accredited Representative of the Grand Chapters of Colorado and Maine.

The distinguished visitors were cordially welcomed by Past Grand Matron Mary Ann Flint, and invited by the Worthy Grand Patron to seats in the East, where they received the Grand Honors.

The Associate Grand Matron of the Grand Chapter of Oregon Mrs. Margaret Lutke, was noted present, and was invited by the Worthy Grand Patron to a seat in the East.

Past Grand Patron James Bestor Merritt, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented the following:

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your committee have taken into consideration the recommendation of the Grand Matron relative to refunding the amounts paid for special dispensations to elect and install officers of Clear Lake Chapter, No. 137; Del Norte Chapter, No. 149, and Lodi Chapter, No. 150, and beg leave to report:

That the circumstances necessitating such dispensations were unavoidable and the Chapters were in no wise responsible therefor; we, therefore, recommend the following resolution:

Resoved, That Clear Lake Chapter, No. 137; Del Norte Chapter, No. 141, and Lodi Chapter, No. 150, be credited with the sum of six (\$6) dollars each upon the books of the Grand Secretary, such sum being the amounts paid by them for special dispensation to elect and install officers at a time other than that provided in the Constitution of the Grand Chapter.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES B. MERRITT, KATE E. BOYD, MARY L. FARMER, Committee. The report was concurred in, and the accompanying resolution was adopted.

Past Grand Matron Mary Josephine Young, Chairman of the Committee on Jurisprudence, presented the following:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred that portion of the Grand Patron's address relating to the decisions made by him, respectfully recommend:

That Decisions Nos. 1 and 2 be approved.

That in place of Decision No. 3 the following be adopted as a substitute, to wit:

If on account of the failure of any Chapter to elect its officers at the time of its first stated meeting in November, it shall be unable to install on or before its first stated meeting in December, and it shall desire to elect and install on the same evening, it may include in an application for a dispensation to elect officers permission also to install such officers, and the dispensation therefor may include both permission to elect and install, for which a single fee of \$3 shall be charged. But if a dispensation is asked for to elect officers on one evening, and to install on another, separate dispensations must issue and a separate fee be charged therefor.

That Decision No. 4 be not approved. The Constitution provides for an annual election at a stated time, and an installation to follow "as soon thereafter as the Chapter may determine." The officers having been elected, if the best interests of the Chapter will be subserved thereby, they may be installed the same evening, if the Chapter so determines.

That Decisions Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 be approved.

That Decision No. 10 be amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

The proper method of procedure where from any cause other than death or demit an officer of a Chapter under dispensation desires to cease performing the duties of such office, she shall present to the Chapter her written resignation, which shall be thereupon forwarded to the Grand Patron for his acceptance, or such resignation may be made orally in open Chapter and reported to the Grand Patron by the Secretary, and he shall thereupon appoint a successor to such retiring officer. The power to appoint all officers U. D. resting with the Worthy Grand Patron.

That for Decision No. 11 the following be adopted as a substitute, to wit: The usual sign of voting in a subordinate Chapter is by ayes and nays, yet it is competent for a Chapter to determine for itself that the vote upon any particular matter may be taken by paper ballot.

That Decisions Nos. 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 be approved.

That Decision No. 18 be amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

The ballot box should be borne to the Associate Matron for her examina-

tion before every ballot, however many ballots are to be taken the same evening.

That Decisions Nos. 19, 20, 21 be approved.

That Decision No. 22 be amended so as to read as follows:

A dimitted member can affiliate only by depositing his or her dimit, accompanying a petition for membership, which must take the regular course, provided, however, that should such dimit be lost or destroyed, or such member be unable to produce the same, then such member shall procure from the Chapter issuing such dimit a certificate thereof, which shall be marked "duplicate;" said duplicate to be thereafter used in place of the original, and provided further that should such Chapter be no longer in existence, then such applicant for affiliation shall only be required to furnish satisfactory proof to the Chapter with which such applicant desires to affiliate, that the original dimit was in fact issued and has been lost or destroyed, or that it is beyond the power of the applicant to procure it.

That Decision No. 23 beamended so as to read as follows, to wit:

Where a petitioner for the degrees O. E. S. resides within the jurisdiction of a Chapter within this Grand Jurisdiction, other than the one to which he or she petitions, it is necessary for such petitioner to procure the consent of the Chapter nearest the place of his or her residence, and a special dispensation from the Worthy Grand Matron must be obtained by the Chapter in order to receive such petition.

That Decision No. 24 be approved.

That Decision No. 25 be not approved for the reason that Decision No. 162, Digest of Decisions, provides a rule of procedure in such cases.

That Decisions Nos. 26 and 27 be approved.

That Decision No. 28 be amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

Where a sister dimitted from her Chapter, and within six months thereafter petitioned for affiliation with another Chapter, paying no dues at the time, and her petition was rejected, and she took no further action and paid no further dues within six months, she was not in good standing, and, in order to place herself in good standing in the Order, she should present her dimit to some Chapter accompanied by her petition for affiliation and six months dues in addition to the affiliation fee, or become a contributing member as provided for in Sec. 15, Art. II, of the Constitution of the Grand Chapter.

That Decision No. 29 be approved.

That Decision No. 30 be not approved, for the reason that it conflicts with a Decision of 1894 (No. 6) which provides a rule of procedure in such cases, and there appears no sufficient reason for a change.

That Decision No. 31 be approved.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

M. JOSEPHINE YOUNG, FRED. LAURENCE BUTTON, ELMIRA F. WEST,

Committee.

Which report was ordered to be taken up seriatim, and was finally adopted with the exception of that part relating to decision No. 3, which was not adopted.

On motion of Past Patron William E. Baughman, Decision No. 3 in the report of the Worthy Grand Patron was approved.

Past Grand Patron John H. Gray offered an amendment to the Constitution defining the status of a member of the Order suspended for more than two years under article II, section 14, of the Constitution, which was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Constitution and Laws.

Amendments to Article II, Section 9, and Article II, Section 15, of the Constitution, were offered by Past Grand Matron M. Josephine Young, which, after reading, were ordered to be referred to the Committee on Constitution and Laws.

The Grand Secretary read a copy of the telegram sent to Past Grand Matron Emma Hapgood, under instructions of this Grand Chapter.

Worthy Patron of Marysville Chapter, No. 55, Wm. E. Phipps, stated that he was the bearer of greetings and regrets to this Grand Chapter from Past Grand Matron Hapgood; at her inability to be present at this session.

A sister propounded the following query: How is a Chapter to know when a brother is suspended or expelled from his Masonic Lodge?

The Grand Patron replied: It is the duty of the Worthy Patron to secure such information.

Past Grand Matron Annie E. Briggs, Chairman of the Committee on Book of Instructions, presented the report of the Committee with a request that Past Grand Matron Mary A. Flint read the same. Consideration of the report was made a special order for Thursday morning, immediately following the reading of the minutes.

The Worthy Grand Patron announced the appointment of the following Committee on Memorial:

Committee on Memorial-Past Grand Matron Augusta Dunn

Wilson, Past Grand Matron Carrie Louise Peaslee, Past Grand Patron Allen Bosley Lemmon.

The Grand Chapter was then called off until ten o'clock Thursday morning.

In Grand Chapter.

MORNING SESSION.

THURSDAY, October 21, A. D. 1897.

The Grand Chapter was called on at ten o'clock, the Worthy Grand Patron presiding.

After prayer by the Grand Chaptain, and the singing of an ode, the minutes of Wednesday's session were read and were approved.

The special order set for this hour, viz.: consideration of the report of the Committee on the Book of Instructions was then taken up.

Past Grand Patron James Bestor Merritt presented a resolution recommending that the consideration and adoption of this report be laid over for one year. The Worthy Grand Patron ruled the resolution out of order, consideration of the report having been made the special order for this hour.

On motion of Past Patron Benj. A. Plant, the report was then ordered to be taken up section by section, and Past Grand Matron Mary Ann Flint of the committee proceeded with the reading of the report.

The hour for noon recess approaching before the completion of the reading of the report, it was ordered that further consideration of the report be deferred until immediately following the election of Grand Officers.

Past Patron Benj. A. Plant, Chairman of the Committee on Warrants and Dispensations, presented the report of that committee as follows:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WARRANTS AND DISPENSATIONS.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your Committee on Warrants and Dispensations have considered the work assigned to it and respectfully report as follows:

We have carefully examined all books and records submitted to us from seven Chapters U. D., and have also listened to reports from the Representatives from such Chapters; we therefore recommend that charters be granted to the following:

Escondido Chapter, Escondido; Argenta Chapter, Virginia City, Nevada; Mission Chapter, San Francisco; King Solomon Chapter, San Francisco; Galt Chapter, Galt.

We would recommend that Occident Chapter, of Downey, and Penrhyn Chapter, of Penryn, be continued U. D. for another year, satisfactory evidence of the progress of these Chapters not having been furnished this committee.

As to Fall River Chapter and Laurel Chapter we find that the surrondered charters and other property are in possession of the Grand Secretary.

BENJ. A. PLANT, JULIA C. PYBURN, KATE S. CRAIG,

Committee.

Which report was adopted as read.

On motion of Past Patron Benj. A. Plant, which was duly seconded and carried unanimously, the Representatives of the Chapters, to which charters had been granted by the adoption of the foregoing report, were then given voice and vote in the Grand Chapter and were accorded recognition as delegates thereto.

The Grand Chapter was then called off until 2 o'clock P. M.

In Grand Chapter.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

THURSDAY, October 21, A. D. 1897.

The Grand Chapter was called on at two o'clock, the Worthy Grand Patron presiding.

Past Grand Treasurer Sarah Isabelle Hubbard offered the fol-

lowing resolutions, which were referred to the Committee on Memorials:

WHEREAS, This Grand Chapter, in annual session assembled, has learned with profound regret of the sad fate of Brother Wm. A. Radford, late a member of Stella Chapter, No. 39, who, while in the faithful discharge of official duty, sacrificed his life; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the presence of this heartfelt sorrow, as a Grand Chapter and as individuals, we express our sorrow at this sad event and extend our sympathy to the bereaved widow, Sister Mary A. Radford, Past Matron of the Chapter, with the hope that the "God of the fatherless" will hold her in his holy keeping, and, casting all her burden of sorrow and loneliness on Him who doeth all things well, her burden will be lightened until that "raptured greeting on Canaan's happy shore;" and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to our grief-stricken sister, Mary A. Radford.

Respectfully,

S. ISABELLE HUBBARD.

The Worthy Grand Patron observing that Mrs. Carrie Siperly, the Right Worthy Grand Warder of the Grand Chapter of the State of New York was present, she was invited to a seat in the East. The Sister delivered quite an address to the Grand Chapter of California, bearing congratulations and greetings from the Grand Chapter of New York State.

The hour for action under special rule No. 13, the election of Grand Officers, having arrived, the Grand Patron named as Tellers Past Grand Patron Allen B. Lemmon, Past Patron Benj. A. Plant, Past Grand Matron Augusta D. Wilson. The election was then gone into with the following result:

Harrison D. Rowe, of Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, was elected Worthy Grand Patron.

Mrs. Eva M. Porter, of Reveille Chapter, No. 47, was elected Worthy Grand Matron.

Lewis Oliver Stephens, of Raisina Chapter, No. 89, was elected Associate Grand Patron.

Mrs. Belle Smith, of Homo Chapter, No. 30, was elected Associate Grand Matron.

Mrs. Kate Josephine Willats, of Golden Gate Chapter, No. 1, was elected Grand Secretary.

Mrs. Jane Frances Raabe, of Sotoyome Chapter, No. 82, was elected Grand Treasurer.

The Grand Patron announced that Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, would exemplify the work before the Grand Chapter in King Solomon's Hall, Masonic Temple, this evening at eight o'clock, and requested all to attend.

The Grand Chapter was then called off until 7:30 P. M., to meet in Masonic Temple for exemplification of the work.

In Grand Chapter.

EVENING SESSION.

MASONIC TEMPLE, THURSDAY, October 21, A. D. 1897.

The Grand Chapter was called on in the Masonic Temple at half-past seven o'clock, the Worthy Grand Patron presiding.

The Worthy Grand Patron made the announcement that Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, had been selected by the Grand Officers, in accordance with the resolution adopted at the last annual session, to exemplify the work before the Grand Chapter at this session this evening, he therefore requested the officers of Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, to take charge.

EXEMPLIFICATION OF THE WORK.

Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, was then regularly opened for the conferring of the degrees. Two candidates were announced in waiting—Miss Mabel Pierce, daughter of the Worthy Matron, and Miss Alice Daniels, daughter of the Worthy Patron of Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8. They were admitted and regularly initiated, when, after signing the By-Laws, they were declared to be members of Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8. After the conferring of degrees, the Worthy Grand Matron thanked the officers of Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, for their perfect rendition of the work, saying it was in accord with her conception of how it should be given, as well as in conformity with the instructions sent to her deputies during the year.

Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, was then closed in due form.

The Grand Chapter was then called off until ten o'clock Friday morning in Golden Gate Hall, 629 Sutter street.

In Grand Chapter.

MORNING SESSION.

FRIDAY, October 22, A. D. 1897.

The Grand Chapter was called on at ten o'clock, the Worthy Grand Patron presiding. After prayer by the Grand Chaplain and the singing of an ode, the reading of the minutes of Thursday's session was dispensed with, the approval of the same being left to the Worthy Grand Patron.

The special order of business, the continuation of the reading of the report of the Committee on the Book of Instructions, was then taken up.

On motion of Past Grand Patron Fred L. Button, section 7 of the report as read yesterday was adopted.

Past Grand Patron James B. Merritt moved that the work as exemplified by Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, last evening, be adopted as the work of the Order, as continual changes are detrimental. Which motion the Worthy Grand Patron declared to be out of order.

The reading of the report of the committee was then continued by Past Grand Matron Mary Ann Flint.

At the conclusion of the reading, on motion of Past Grand Patron John H. Gray, which was duly seconded and carried, the report and book as a whole as read was adopted.

Worthy Patron Robert A. Long, Chairman of the Committee on Constitution and Laws, presented the following reports from that committee:

REPORTS OF COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND LAWS.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

We, your Committee on Constitution and Laws, to whem was referred that portion of the Grand Patron's address relative to his action in the approval of By-Laws and amendments to By-Laws, and disapproval of amendments to By-Laws, submitted by the various Chapters, beg leave to report that we concur in his action relating thereto, and recommend that his action thereon be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. LONG,
MARY B. MOORE,
LYDIA T. McKEE.
Committee.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

We, your Committee on Constitution and Laws, to whom was referred that portion of the Grand Matron's address, recommending that Section 2 of Article II of the Constitution, first paragraph, be amended by striking out all after the words "may determine," beg leave to report that we have considered the same and that we concur in the recommendation. We, therefore, approve the same, and offer the following resolution upon the subject and recommend its adoption:

Resolved, That Section 2 of Article II of the Constitution, first paragraph, be amended by striking out all after the words "may determine."

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. LONG,

MARY B. MOORE,

LYDIA T. McKEE,

Committee.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your Committee on Constitution and Laws, to whom was referred the proposed amendment of Brother John H. Gray to the Constitution, suggesting that Section 15 of Article II be changed to the extent of striking out the word August and inserting in lieu thereof the word July, beg leave to report that we have considered said proposed amendment and believe the same to be a proper one. This clause relates to the reception of dues by subordinate Chapters from non-affiliates and this amendment will bring Section 15 in accord with Section 17 of Article II as amended by the last annual session of the Grand Chapter. We, therefore, approve the same, and recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Section 15 of Article II of the Constitution of the Grand Chapter be amended by striking out the word August wherever the same occurs and substituting in lieu thereof the word July.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. LONG,
MARY B. MOORE,
LYDIA T. McKEE,
Committee.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

We, your Committee on Constitution and Laws, to whom was referred the resolution of Past Grand Matron Sister Young, beg leave to report that we concur in the following proposed amendment and resolution: Resolved, That Sec. 15, Art. II, of the Constitution of the Grand Chapter be amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

SEC. 15. Members of the Order not connected with any subordinate Chapter, may retain their good standing in the Order by contributing a sum equal to the dues of the Chapter nearest their places of residence; but no Chapter shall receive such contributions from non-affiliates unless accompanied by a proper dimit from the Chapter of which the applicant was last a member, or a satisfactory explanation in writing of his or her inability to furnish such dimit; nor shall any Chapter receive a greater or less sum than the regular dues which would accrue from the date of payment up to the 31st day of July of each year. Provided, that any Chapter, by a majority vote, upon a ballot taken, may decline to receive the contributions above mentioned; and by the like action, may decline to admit, as a visitor, a member of any other Chapter or any non-affiliated member. Upon the full compliance with the foregoing requirements, the parties shall be considered in good standing.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. LONG,
MARY B. MOORE,
LYDIA T. McKEE,
Committee.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

We, your Committee on Constitution and Laws, to whom was referred the By-Laws of Adah Chapter, No. 122, O. E. S., of Reno, Nevada, which were received by the Grand Patron too late to be acknowledged in his report to this Grand Communication, beg leave to report that we have examined the same and recommend their approval by this Grand Body.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. LONG,
MARY B. MOORE,
LYDIA T. McKEE,
Committee.

*Which reports were unanimously adopted, and the several recommendations therein contained were concurred in.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your Committee on Constitution and Laws, to whom was referred the resolution of Brother H. D. Rowe, suggesting a change in Section 7, Article I, so that any member in good standing of a subordinate Chapter may be elected Representative to the Grand Chapter when neither the Matron, Patron nor Associate Matron can attend, beg leave to report that we have considered the same and recommend that the proposed amendment be not concurred in.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. LONG,
MARY B. MOORE,
LYDIA T. McKEE,
Committee.

Past Grand Patron Jacob Franklin Boller offered the following as a substitute for the foregoing report of the Committee on Constitution and Laws:

Resolved, That Section 7 in Article I of the Constitution of the Grand Chapter be amended to read as follows:

- "It shall be the duty of the Matrons, Patrons, and Associate Matrons to attend all meetings of the Grand Chapter. Representatives for that purpose may be elected by that Chapter, when neither the Matron, Patron, nor Associate Matron can attend; said Representatives must file with the Grand Secretary a certificate of their election, duly authenticated.
- "Representatives must be either Past Matrons or Past Patrons, except in cases where a Chapter has no Past Officers; or, in case no Past Officer can attend, they may elect a member of their Chapter, in good standing, when neither of the first three officers can attend the Grand Chapter."

I move the foregoing as a substitute for the report of the Committee on Constitution and Laws on this point.

J. F. BOLLER.

Which substitute was unanimously adopted in lieu of the report of the committee.

Past Patron Benj. Anthony Plant, Chairman of the Committee on Warrants and Dispensations, presented the following report from that committee:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON WARRANTS AND DISPENSA-TIONS.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your Committee on Warrants and Dispensations respectfully recommend that a charter be granted to Mt. Shasta Chapter of Anderson.

BENJ. A. PLANT, JULIA C. PYBURN, . KATE S. CRAIG.

Chairman.

Past Grand Patron Jacob Franklin Boller, Chairman of the Committee on Mileage, presented the report from that committee:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON MILEAGE.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your Committee on Pay of Members, to whom is ascribed the duty of ascertaining the exact cost of first class transportation to San Francisco, from the location of the Chapter represented, for one person, beg leave to submit the following report, viz.:

From such data as we have had at our command, we have carefully

computed the fare for transportation from the locations of the various Chapters throughout this jurisdiction to San Francisco. This has not always been entirely satisfactory to the committee for several reasons. chief of which is that in many instances the Secretaries of the respective Chapters are not sufficiently careful in reporting the correct fare, and in estimating the amount to which the delegate is entitled from the report of the Secretary, errors are made, and in most cases prejudicial to the delegate. Again, quite a number of Chapters are so situated as to make it necessary to travel by stage, and the Secretary fails to add that amount to the railroad fare, and state them separately, for stage lines do not give reduced rates, and of course the delegate is entitled to full fare both ways on the stage, while only one and one-third rate is allowed on the railroad; and unless the committee can have the amount correct, unintentional injury will be the result in ascertaining and allowing the proper amount. We, therefore, recommend that all Secretaries take particular pains in seeing that the through fare be correctly reported.

We append herewith an abstract of the names and members of each Chapter in the jurisdiction, showing the amount paid into the Representative fund by each Chapter, the amount allowed each delegate or Representative, the amount allowed the appointed Grand Officers, and the chairmen of standing committees; also the date of attendance of each, as follows:

NAME AND NUMBER OF CHAPTER,	Dues to Rep- resentative Fund.	Date of Attendance, Oct., 1897.	Amount Allowed.
Golden Gate, No. 1.	\$22 65	19	
Suisun, No. 2	9 15	19	\$2 00
Silver Star, No. 3	13 35	19	
Oak Leaf, No. 8	49 35	19	
Evangeline, No. 9	13 50	19	8 35
Evening Star, No. 10	9 45	19	28 90
Martha Washington, No. 13	8 40	19	6 70
St. Johns, No. 14	8 70	19	
Welcome, No. 17	5 40	19	10 80
Lily of the Valley, No. 18	11 55	19	3 75
Idlewild, No. 19	8 40	19	3 75
Vesper, No. 20	7 05	19	8 60
Acacia No. 21	44 70	19	25 00
Ferndale, No. 23	13 50	19	19 00
Northern Light, No. 26	7 50	19	11 50
Ivy No. 27	21 30	19	
Ivy, No. 27	9 15	l l	
Silver Gate, No. 30	4 80		
San Jose, No. 31		19	1 65
Rose Valley, No. 33		19	2 00
Vernon, No. 35	11 70	19	6 15
Naomi, No. 36		19	3 35

NAME AND NUMBER OF CHAPTER.	Dues to Rep- resentative Fund.	Date of At- tendance, Oct., 1897.	Amount Allowed.
Stella, No. 39	11 40	19	21 05
Aurora, No. 40		19	9 15
Lily of the Lake, No. 41		19	6 55
Ariel, No. 42	6 90	19	2 00
Redding, No. 44	1	19	9 40
Deanothus, No. 45	4.00	19	3 80
Athena, No. 46	14 = ^	19	3 55
Reveille, No. 47	14 55	19	4 35
Wheatland, No. 48		19	3 70
Placer, No. 49	1 4 4 4 4	19	6 85
Homo, No. 50	1 0 00	19	2 00
Alturas, No. 51	1	19	47 60
Sincerity, No. 53	1 4 5 -	19	24 65
Marysville, No. 55	20 85	19	5 00
Marysyme, No. 50	10.00	19	5 00
Fidelia, No. 56	7 05	l 19	4 80
Crystal, No. 57	4	iš	6 00
Kingsley, No. 58	1 2.5	1 19	2 00
Silver Spray, No. 59	1 - : =-	19	3 45
Yolo, No. 60	10.05	19	1 35
Morning Star, No. 61	1 7 7 7 7	1 19	1 00
Mountain Fern, No. 62	1	iġ	15 00
Camellia, No. 63		19	15 00
Unity, No. 65		19	7 35
Golden Star, No. 66	1 7 00	19	4 55
Friendship, No. 67	'	19	4 20
Ocean Spray, No. 68		19	3 05
Manzanita, No. 69		19	7 35
Queen Esther, No. 71	10.00	19	2 80
Electa, No. 72	1 6 65	19	2 95 2 95
Magnolia, No. 73	1 - 55		29 35
Esther, No. 74		19	22 35
Silver Wave, No. 75	10 95	19	17 50
Rohnerville, No. 76	5 85	19	8 10
Azalia, No. 77	·1	19	,
Marguerite, No. 78		19	20 00
Ventura, No. 79	. 7 65	19	20 00
Augusta, No. 80	. 3 90		• • • • • •
Sotoyome, No. 82	. 8 85	1 42	
Molino, No. 83	. 4 95	19	7 55
Veritas, No. 84	. 12 90	19	7 45
Valley of the Moou, No. 85	. 7 20	19	
Marshall, No. 86	. 14 25	19	6 70
Mountain View, No. 88		19	26 10
Raisina, No. 89		19	5 00
Fallen Leaf, No. 90	. 14 40	19	6 30
Madera, No. 92	. 5 70	19	7 00
Heliotrope, No. 93	. 6 90	19	5 70
Tulare, No. 94		19	6 70
Bethlehem, No. 95	. 4 05	19	8 25
Southern Star, No. 96	. 15 45	19	30 00

NAME AND NUMBER OF CHAPTER,	Dues to Representative Fund.	Date of Attendance, Oct., 1897.	Amount Allowed.
Ramona, No. 97	4 05		
Beulah, No. 99	10 95	i i	
Mizpah, No. 100.	11 55	19	13 50
Elaine, No. 101	6 45	19	_
Violet, No. 102	5 85	19	7 95
Golden Wave, No. 103	8 25	19	7 80
Josephine, No. 104.	10 35	19	7 90
Hermosa, No. 105	14 25		
Ungava, No. 106	9 45	19	22 35
Corona, No. 107	6 75	19	10 20
Pasadena, No. 108	32 10	19	22 85
Elk Grove, No. 109	4 50	19	4 40
Pomona, No. 110	13 80	19	21 35
Ocean View, No. 111	6 30		
Hesperian, No. 112	10 35	19	26 85
Santa Monica by the Sea, No. 113	8 85	19	2 5 00
Palm Leaf, No. 114	11 85	19	7 80
Carita, No. 115	15 30	19	******
Truckee, No. 116.	8 10	19	10 40
Columbus, No. 117	23 55	19	3 35
Woodbridge, No. 118	10 80	19	4 15
Amapola, No. 119.	10 95	19	8 15
Electa, of Nevada, No. 120.	4 50	iá	00.40
Esther, of Nevada, No. 121 Adah, of Nevada, No. 122.	10 35	19	20 40
	16 50 10 20	19 19	16 40
Tuolumne Star, No. 123 Harmony, No. 124	11 55	19	11 00
Bakersfield, No. 125.	8 10	19	
Mercedes, No. 126	9 00	10	•••••
Lucerne, No. 127	9 60	19	6 20
Los Gatos, No. 128.	6 75	19	2 20
Sierra Star, No. 129	4 50	19	$1\overline{3}$ $\overline{75}$
Clover Leaf, No. 130	6 45	19	4 00
Fidelity, No. 131	4 05	19	
Chrysanthemum, No. 132	2 85		
South Gate, No. 133	18 30	19	25 00
Angels, No. 134	9 30	19	11 10
Semper Fidelis, No. 135	4 80	19	
Centinela, No. 136	4 20	19	*****
Clear Lake, No. 137	11 55	19	6 65
Summit, No. 138	4 50	19	6 80
Orestimba, No. 139	6 60	19	4 70
Oakland, No. 140.	15 90 L	19	
Miramonte, No. 141	6 60	19	, <u>1 55</u>
Copa del Oro, No. 142	7 20	19	22 75
Norwalk, No. 143.	7 05	19	25 60
Lyra, No. 144. Jasmine, No. 145	5 55 5 10	19 19	20 55
	4 50	19	20 95 10 85
Delano, No. 146			
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	ues to Rep- resentative Fund.	Date of At- tendance, Oct., 1897.	Amount Allowed.
Martha, of Nevada, No. 148	5 40	19	13 65
Del Norte, No. 149	7 50	19	20 00
Lodi, No. 150	7 35	19	
Chispa. No. 151	4 05	19	19 15
Silver State, of Nevada, 152	8 70	}	
Mt. Shasta, U. D Escondido, U. D	2 70	19	9 55
Escondido, U. D	3 60	19	27 50
Mission, U. D	14 55	19	•••••
Argenta, of Nevada, U. D.	9 00	19	22 40
Penrhyn, U. D	2 85	ا نند ا	
King Solomon's, U. D	5 55	19	
Occident, U. D.	2 85	1 ::	
Galt, U.D.		19	
APPOINTED GRAND OFFICERS.			
Mr. Dally Martin Grand Conductions		19	16 40
Mrs. Polly Martin, Grand Conductress Mrs. Jane Frances Raabe, Grand Chaplain		19	3 00
Mrs. Maud T. McCollough, Grand Marshal		19	4 80
Mrs. Florence Potts, Grand Adah		19	25 00
Mrs. Marie Leonard, Grand Ruth		19	6 75
Mrs. Nancy J. Andrews, Grand Warder		19	2 90
Dr. Maurice Pritchard, Grand Sentiuel		19	15 40
Standing Committees.			10 10
		19	28 90
Dr. Chas. Wilber Nutting, Com. on Distribu			20 90
Dr. Benj. Anthony Plant, Com. on War			3 75
Dispensations	ian Corra		0 10
			22 85
spondence			7 80
Mrs. Mary Ann Flint, Com. on Masonic Wi	idowa' and	10	1 30
Orohans' Home.		19	3 80
Orphans' Home	k of In-		J 05
struction		19	3 55
struction		19	<u> </u>
Amount on hand in Representative Fund. Total amount of dues paid into the Repre			
Total Representative Fund			\$1.588
Total amount allowed to Representatives, cers, and Chairmen of Standing Commi	Appointed	l Grand Of	fi-
Balance to credit of Representative	rund		. ≱ 309 €

be carried over to the credit of said fund for the ensuing year, we think a

per capita fee of fifteen cents upon the total membership of each Chapter will be sufficient. We, therefore, offer the following resolution, and recommend its adoption:

Resolved, That there be levied upon the Chapters of this jurisdiction, for the current fiscal year, the sum of fifteen cents for each member carried upon the roll at the date of their annual reports, for account of the Representative Fund, which amount shall be paid at the same time as the annual dues.

All of which is respectively submitted,

J. F. BOLLER,
MAY C. ELLIS,
MARY E. WOODBURY,
Committee.

Which report was adopted.

The Chairman of the Committee on Mileage stated that he had been approached by several deputies as to whether they were entitled to mileage for attendance at Grand Chapter, and asked for a ruling upon the subject.

The matter of paying Deputy Grand Matrons mileage when attending Grand Chapter was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Past Grand Patron James B. Merritt, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented the following report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your committee, to whom was referred the inquiry of Brother Boller respecting the payment of expenses of District Deputy Grand Matrons, beg leave to report that provision has been made for the payment of the actual expenses of the District Deputy Grand Matrons in visiting Chapters, but we find no authorization for any payment to them on account of attendance at the sessions of this Grand Chapter.

JAMES B. MERRITT, KATE E. BOYD.

Committee.

Which report was adopted as read.

Past Grand Patron James Bestor Merritt, Chairman of the Committee on Finance, presented the following report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your Committee on Finance beg leave to submit the following estimate of receipts and disbursements of the Grand Chapter for the ensuing year:

ESTIMATED RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand	\$5,156	61
Per capita tax on 9,400 members		
Per capita tax on 9,400 members, Representative fund	1,410	00
Per capita tax on 500 initiates	250	
Five new Chapters	150	00
Total receipts	\$9,316	61
ESTIMATED EXPENSES.		
Salary of Grand Secretary	\$ 900	00
Salary of Assistant Grand Secretary	300	00
Rent of Grand Secretary's office	250	00
Contingent expenses of Secretary's office	150	00
Printing	900	00
Expenses of Grand Matron	100	00
Allowance to Grand Treasurer	10	00
Allowance to Grand Sentinel	12	00
Allowance to Janitor	5	00
Mileage to Representatives	1,347	95
J. O. Jephson		15
Expenses of Grand Matron	65	00
Expenses of District Deputies	400	00
General Grand Chapter, for supplies	41	08
Rent of Hall	40	00
W. N. Brunt, badges	10	00
Total avnenses	\$ 4 575	18

Your committee would respectfully submit the following resolution and recommend its adoption:

Resolved, That the sum of \$4,575.18 be and hereby is appropriated from the funds of this Grand Chapter for the payment of its expenses for the ensuing year, and that the Grand Matron and Grand Secretary be and they are hereby authorized to draw warrants on the Grand Treasurer in such sums as may be necessary to pay the items as above mentioned.

JAMES B. MERRITT, KATE E. BOYD,

Committee.

Which report was adopted.

Past Grand Patron James B. Merritt, Chairman of the Finance Committee, presented the report of that committee on the matter of the \$2,500 loan, which had been referred back to the committee.

Which report was concurred in, and the request of the committee therein contained was granted.

On motion of Past Grand Patron Fred Lawrence Button, the matter of the \$2,500 loan was left to a committee of three, consisting of Past Grand Patrons Allen Bosley Lemmon, John Hatfield Gray, and the incoming Grand Patron, Harrison "D" Rowe with full power to act and report at the next session.

Past Grand Patron Fred L. Button presented the following resolution:

Resolved, That the report of the Committee on Revision be not printed in the proceedings, but that 700 copies of the same be at once printed in book form by the Committee on Printing, under the supervision of the said Committee on Revision, together with a diagram to be prepared by the committee; and that three copies of such book be sent to each Chapter in the jurisdiction.

Which resolution was adopted.

On motion of Worthy Matron Mrs. Lizzie Drake of Pasadena Chapter, No. 108, which was duly seconded and carried, it was ordered that Past Matrons and Past Patrons may purchase for a nominal sum copies of the book of instructions without the diagram.

Past Grand Matron Mary Ann Flint, Chairman of the Committee on Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home, presented the following report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MASONIC WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' HOME.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

The Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home Committee beg leave to submit the following report:

Shortly after the last session of this Grand Chapter your committee sent to all the Chapters within its jurisdiction a circular, calling attention to the importance of taking action in the matter of raising funds in order to successfully carry out the purpose of the resolution passed at the last session of this Grand Chapter, which empowered this committee "to solicit subscriptions in aid of this beneficent enterprise, and to receive, receipt for, and disburse, at its discretion all moneys now in the Home Fund, or which may hereafter be paid in aid of the Home."

The committee acknowledged with thanks the following receipts, viz.:

From Sister Lord, Past Matron of Silver Wave Chapter, No. 75\$18 5	0
Evangeline Chapter, No. 9	0
St. John's Chapter, No. 14	0
Vernon Chapter, No. 35 52 0	0
Stella Chapter, No. 39	0
Ariel Chapter, No. 42 35 2	5
Redding Chapter, No. 44	0
Yolo Chapter, No. 60	0
Golden Star Chapter, No. 66 20 0	0
Ocean Spray Chapter, No. 68	Ю
Electa Chapter, No. 72 43 0	Ю
Sotoyome Chapter, No. 82 5 0	Ю
Tulare Chapter, No. 94	0
Mispah Chapter, No. 100	0
Hermosa Chapter, No. 105 25 0	0
Ocean View Chapter, No. 111 5 0	0
Hesperian Chapter, No. 112 5 0	0
Mercedes Chapter, No. 126 25 (0(
Sierra Star Chapter, No. 129	0
Clover Leaf Chapter, No. 130 5 0	Ю
Summit Chapter, No. 138 10 (0
Placer Chapter, No. 49	25
Raisina Chapter, No. 89	0
Palm Leaf Chapter, No. 114)()
Josephine Chapter, No. 104)0

The following Chapters have reported funds on hand which will be placed at the disposal of the committee when needed, viz.: Oak Leaf, No. 8; Evangeline, No. 9; Acacia, No. 21; Rose Valley, No. 33; Naomi, No. 36; Homo, No. 50; Kingsley, No. 58; Elk Grove, No. 109; Carita, No. 115; Lucerne, No. 127; Los Gatos, No. 128; South Gate, No. 133.

Communications pledging assistance have been received from Silver Star, No. 3; San Jose, No. 31; Magnolia, No. 73; Molino, No. 83; Adah of Nevada, No. 122; Fidelity, No. 131; Mission, U. D.

Personally and from information otherwise received, your committee have received encouragement from most of the Chapters in the jurisdiction, and feel justified in saying that the fund will be largely increased by during the ensuing year.

The Grand Lodge F. & A. M. has provided for the completion of the

building; it is now incumbent upon the members of the Order of the Eastern Star to continue their interest, that the assistance tendered at the last session may be fully carried into effect.

MARY A. FLINT,
M. JOSEPHINE YOUNG,
MARY B. MOORE,
MARY E. PARTRIDGE,
Committee.

Which report was adopted as read.

Past Grand Matron Mary Ann Flint, from the Committee on Book of Instructions, to which committee had been referred the memorial from the Grand Chapter of Texas, presented the following report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BOOK OF INSTRUCTIONS.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your committee, to whom was referred the accompanying circular, beg leave to report that being a special committee appointed for a specific purpose it is not their province to consider the questions involved in its consideration, and, therefore, refer the matter back to this Grand Chapter.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE E. BRIGGS,
MARY A. FLINT,
M. JOSEPHINE YOUNG,
CARRIE L. PEASLEE,
Committee.

Which report was adopted.

The Grand Chapter was then called off until 2:30 P. M.

In Grand Chapter.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Friday, October 22, A. D. 1897.

The Grand Chapter was called on pursuant to adjournment at two o'clock, the Worthy Grand Patron presiding.

On motion of Past Grand Patron John H. Gray, which was duly seconded and carried, Recommendation No. 1 in the report

of the Grand Secretary was referred to the Committee on Juris-prudence.

Past Grand Patron James B. Merritt offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That a member under suspension for non-payment of dues at the date of the recall, or surrender of the charter of a Chapter, may petition any Chapter within whose jurisdiction he resides for membership therein, upon payment of such sum as the Chapter may by vote require.

(Signed)

J. B. MERRITT.

Which resolution was referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence.

Past Matron Clara A. Giberson of Ivy Chapter, No. 27, offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That the installation of the Grand Officers-elect shall take place at the hour of 7:30 P. M. of the last day of the session of the Grand Chapter. That this resolution shall take effect from and after this session of the Grand Chapter.

CLARA ABBOTT GIBERSON.

Which resolution was not adopted.

Past Grand Matron Carrie L. Peaslee, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence, presented the report of that committee, which was adopted without reading, members having been furnished with printed copies thereof. The report was ordered printed with the annual proceedings.

Worthy Patron Robert A. Long, Chairman of the Committee on Constitution and Laws, presented the following report:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND LAWS.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

We, your Committee on Constitution and Laws, to whom was referred the resolution of Past Grand Matron Sister M. Josephine Young, suggesting an amendment to Section 9, Article II, of the Constitution, which pertains to the steps precedent to affiliation, beg leave to report we have considered and concur in the same. We, therefore, offer the following resolution and recommend its adoption:

Resolved, That Section 9, Article II of the Constitution of the Grand Chapter be amended so as to read as follows, to wit:

INITIATION AND AFFILIATION.

SEC. 9. No Chapter under this jurisdiction shall confer the degrees of the Order of the Eastern Star for a less sum than three dollars. The affiliation fee shall not exceed two dollars and fifty cents where the candidate has previously paid for and received the degrees in another Chapter, and not less than three dollars when the candidate has received the degrees gratuitously.

No Chapter shall receive an application for affiliation unless it be accompanied by a proper dimit from the Chapter of which the applicant was last a member, or a satisfactory explanation in writing of his or her inability to furnish such dimit.

No applicant for initiation or affiliation can be received in any Chapter without the unanimous consent of the members present; nor shall any Chapter or member require any of its members to assign his or her reasons for voting against any person who may apply for initiation or membership therein.

Nor shall a Chapter receive an application for affiliation from any person who has not been a member of any Chapter for more than six months preceding such application, nor been a contributing member for six months or more, unless the applicant shall pay to the Chapter six months' dues in addition to the affiliation fee.

If the application for affiliation be rejected, the amount paid for dues shall be retained by the Chapter, and the applicant thereby shall be in good standing in the Order for six months thereafter. If the applicant be elected, he shall pay dues from the date of such election.

Applicants elected to receive the dogrees must present themselves for initiation within sixty days from the date of such election, or said election shall be deemed void, and the fee forfeited to the Chapter, unless for good and sufficient reasons shown the Chapter shall order otherwise.

R. A. LONG, MARY B. MOORE, LYDIA F. McKEE,

Committee.

Which report was adopted as read.

The Finance Committee approving the following bills, they, on motion of Past Patron Harrison Rowe, were ordered paid by warrants drawn on the Treasurer for the several amounts:

Walter N. Brunt, badges furnished	\$ 10	00
Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Ella T. Hall	65	00
Rent of Golden Gate Hall for annual session	4 0	00
J. O. Jephson, printing as per bill	44	35
General Grand Chapter, supplies furnished	41	08

The Grand Secretary read the report of the Committee on Printing, as follows:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PRINTING.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your Committee on Printing, appointed by our Worthy Grand Patron, Brother James R. Tapscott, beg leave to submit the following report: Requests for bids to seven of the principal printing houses in San Francisco were sent out; from three of these bids have been received, viz.: Spaulding & Co., H. S. Crocker Co. and Hicks & Judd. Geo. Spaulding & Co. having been the lowest bidder, the printing of proceedings for annual session of 1897 was awarded to that house.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. FLINT, JR., Chairman, KATE J. WILLATS.

Committee.

Which report was adopted.

Past Grand Matron Augusta Dunn Wilson, from the Committee on District Deputy System, presented the following report:

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON DISTRICT DEPUTY SYSTEM.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your committee to whom was referred the fourth recommendation of Past Worthy Grand Matron Sister Carrie L. Peaslee, in regard to the increasing objections to the district deputy system as now existing, found that after due consideration that the time allowed the committee was inadequate to formulate any plan that might be acceptable to the Grand Chapter. Therefore they asked for further time, and the committee was increased to five, and now submit the following:

- (1) Recommend that the State be redistricted into eight districts; these being formed with a view to geographical fitness and schools of instruction to be held in the central part of each district, the Worthy Grand Matron presiding therein, assisted by the District Deputy Grand Matron. The necessary traveling expenses of the Worthy Grand Matron to be met by this Grand Chapter.
- (2) Recommend the following arrangement of Chapters into the several districts, subject to the approval or amendment of the incoming Grand Officers:

District No. 1-Golden Gate, Oak Leaf, Unity, Ivy, Beulah, Golden Wave, Carita, Harmony, Semper Fidelis, Oakland, Suisun, Silver Star,

Silver Gate, Silver Spray, Manzanita, Mission, King Solomon's—17 Chapters

District No. 2—Ferndale, Camellia, Rohnerville, Del Norte, Rose Valley, Kingsley, Morning Star, Augusta, Sotoyome, Valley of the Moon, Ocean View, Clover Leaf, Clear Lake—13 Chapters.

District No. 3—Lily of the Valley, Idlewild, San Jose, Ceanothus, Athena, Reveille, Ocean Spray, Magnolia, Miramonte, Marguerite, Ventura, Bethlehem, Ramona, Mizpah, Violet, Corona—16 Chapters.

District No. 4—Acacia, Pasadona, Santa Monica by the Sea, South Gate, Norwalk, Lyra, Pearl, Southern Star, Hermosa, Chispa, Escondido, Silver Wave, Ungava, Pomona, Copa del Oro, Jasmine, Occident—17 Chapters.

District No. 5—Electa, Raisina, Madera, Heliotrope, Mercedes, Chrysanthemum, Centinela, Orestimba, Martha Washington, Lily of the Lake, Tulare, Palm Leaf, Bakerstield, Lucerne, Delano—16 Chapters.

District No. 6—Evangeline, Aurora, Placer, Crystal, Mountain Fern, Fallen Leaf, Truckee, Sierra Star, Electa, Nevada; Esther, Nevada; Adah, Nevada; Martha, Nevada; Silver State, Nevada; Argenta, Nevada; Alturas, Sincerity, Esther, Mountain View, Hesperian—19 Chapters.

District No. 7—Evening Star, St. Johns, Welcome, Vesper, Northern Light, Stella, Redding, Fidelity, Mt. Shasta, Molino, Vernon, Friendship, Josephine, Amapola, Fidelia, Wheatland, Marysville—17 Chapters.

District No. 8—Vacaville, Yolo, Naomi, Veritas, Marshall, Elk Grove, Columbus, Ariel, Homo, Golden Star, Queen Esther, Azalia, Woodbridge, Tuolumne Star, Angels, Summit, Lodi, Galt, Penrhyn—19 Chapters.

- (3) Recommend that the deputies be chosen from the representatives in attendance at the Grand Chapter, thereby giving the Worthy Grand Matron an opportunity of personally meeting her appointees and conferring with and instructing the same.
- (4) Recommend that in the selection of the deputies, particular attention be paid to their special fitness for the position, and that they be required to thoroughly qualify themselves, to inspect, instruct and lecture the Chapters in every department of the work, reporting the same, in proper form, to the Worthy Grand Matron.
- (5) Recommend that these deputies be continued in office for a term of years or as long as is practicable, so as to secure uniformity of work.
- (6) Recommend that proper constitutional legislation be made to meet these requirements.

All of which we respectfully submit.

EMMA HAPGOOD, Chairman, AUGUSTA D. WILSON, ANNIE E. BRIGGS, CARRIE L. PEASLEE,

Committee.

Which report was ordered to be referred to the Committee on Constitution and Laws.

Worthy Patron Robert A. Long, Chairman of the Committee on Constitution and Laws, presented the following report:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND LAWS.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

Your Committee on Constitution and Laws, to whom was referred the resolution of Brother John H. Gray to amend Section 14, Article II of the Constitution, relative to suspended members, begs leave to report that we have examined the same and concur in the proposed amendment. We, therefore, offer the following resolution and ask that it be adopted:

Resolved, That the last paragraph of Section 14, Article II of the Constitution, be amended to read as follows:

Members who shall remain suspended for two or more years shall be restored to membership in the Order only, but not to membership in the Chapter, except by a unanimous ballot (should the ballot not be unanimous, the member shall be entitled to a certificate stating the facts of such restoration, and such certificate shall be regarded as a legal dimit, sufficient for all the purposes thereof). A suspended brother shall not be restored unless he be in good standing in a Masonic Lodge at the date of such restoration.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. LONG, MARY B. MOORE, LYDIA T. McKEE,

Committee.

Which report was adopted.

The Worthy Grand Patron appointed Past Grand Matron Abbie Elvenia Krebs to fill vacancy on Committee on Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home, vice herself, term expired.

Worthy Patron Robert A. Long, Chairman of Committee on Constitution and Laws, read the following report:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND LAWS.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

We, your Committee on Constitution and Laws, to whom was referred the report of the special committee on the district deputy system, beg leave to report that said report was acted upon at such a late hour of this session of the Grand Chapter and the subject is of such vital importance to the Order that this committee deems it unwise to attempt any constitutional legislation within the short space of time to which we are limited for its consideration. We, therefore, offer the following resolution and recommend its adoption:

Resolved, That all constitutional legislation looking to a change of the

district deputy system be deferred until the next annual session of the Grand Chapter.

Respectfully submitted,

R. A. LONG,
M. B. MOORE,
LYDIA T. McKEE,
Committee,

Past Grand Matron Mary Josephine Young, Chairman of the Committee on Jurisprudence, presented the following report from that committee:

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE.

Your Committee on Jurisprudence, to whom was referred the resolutions of Brothers Gray and Merritt in relation to restoration of former members of extinct Chapters, respectfully recommend the following, the same to be a substitute for Decisions 161 and 162: (Proc. 1887, p. 11, and Proc. 1889, p. 121.)

All former members of extinct Chapters, whether suspended for non-payment of dues or in good standing at the time of such suspension or arrest of Charter, shall be entitled to receive dimits from the Grand Secretary upon payment to her of a sum equal to one year's dues of such Chapter, and may keep themselves in good standing in the Order until affiliation as provided in Section 15, Article II, of the Constitution.

M. JOSEPHINE YOUNG, FRED LAURENCE BUTTON, ELMIRA F. WEST,

Committee.

Which report was adopted.

Past Grand Matron Augusta Dunn Wilson, Chairman of the Committee on Memorial, presented the following report from that committee:

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MEMORIAL.

To the Worthy Grand Patron, Officers and Members of the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California:

The committee appointed to draft suitable resolutions on the death of the Associate Grand Matron, Sister Susan Rucker, also Past Associate Grand Matron Mary L. Grohs, and other members who have passed beyond the reach of praise or touch of censure, respectfully report the following:

WHEREAS, For the first time in the history of our Grand Chapter the unbidden and unwelcome messenger of Death has entered its portals and summoned from our midst the present Associate Grand Matron, Sister

Susan Rucker and Past Associate Grand Matron Sister Mary L. Grohs. Sister Susan Rucker entered into the higher life May 16, 1897. To-day we miss her genial face and kindly voice that have greeted us for so many years at our annual sessions. As a tribute of sympathy and love we offer these resolutions:

Resolved, That in the death of our beloved sister, this Order has lost a worker who has served its best interest faithfully, lovingly and well; the church, a devoted and consistent member, and her family an affectionate mother.

Resolved, That we shall ever hold in grateful remembrance our delightful associations with her, and feel assured that the memory of her "loving presence will be a perpetual inspiration, calling us to a higher, moral, and spiritual life."

Resolved, That we tender to her sorrowing family our heartfelt sympathy, and commend them to the loving care of our Heavenly Father with the assurance that

"Far beyond this world of changes,
Far beyond this world of care,
They shall find their missing, loved one,
In our Father's mansion fair."

Resolved, That in token of respect and sympathy that these resolutions be recorded upon the minutes of this Grand Chapter, and that a copy suitably engressed be sent to the family of our deceased sister.

AUGUSTA D. WILSON, Chairman.

Died in Auburn, January 27th, 1897, Past Associate Grand Matron Mary Louisa Grohs, a member of Crystal Chapter, No. 57.

WHEREAS, in the providence of God our sister has crossed over the dark river of death and entered into the Beulah land, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Sister Mary Louisa Grohs our Order has lost an earnest, kind and faithful member, one who will be greatly missed. Yet, realizing that all things are under His will "who is too wise to err, too good to be unkind," we bow in humble submission and trust that our sister is now enjoying the blessings of life eternal.

Resolved, That our sympathies be extended to the bereaved family, and that a copy of these resolutions suitably engrossed be fowarded to them.

AUGUSTA D. WILSON, Chairman.

"Whereas, This Grand Chapter, in annual session assembled, has learned with profound regret of the sad fate of Brother William Arundle Radford, late a member of Stella Chapter, No. 39, who, while in the faithful discharge of official duty, freely sacrificed his life; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in the presence of this heartfelt sorrow, as a Grand Chapter and as individuals, we express our sorrow at this sad event and extend our sympathy to the bereaved widow, Sister Mary Augusta Radford,

Past Matron of Stella Chapter, with the hope that the "God of the fatherless" will hold her in his holy keeping and, casting all her burden of sorrow and loneliness on Him who doeth all things well, her burden will be lightened until that raptured greeting on Canaan's happy shore. And be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to our grief-stricken Sister, Mary A. Radford.

Respectfully submitted,

S. ISABELLE HUBBARD."

Of the members of the Order, who have entered into rest since last we met, we shall cherish their memories and extend our sympathy and love to every sister and brother "whose households have been broken by this providence."

"One by one our loved ones fall;
No one hears the door that opens
When they pass beyond our call,
Soft as loosened leaves of roses
One by one our loved ones fall."

AUGUSTA D. WILSON, Chairman, CARRIE L. PEASLEE, ALLEN B. LEMMON,

Committee.

Which report was concurred in and the accompanying resolutions adopted by a rising vote.

On motion of Past Grand Associate Patron Zachary Taylor Gilpin, which was duly seconded and carried, it was ordered that the Grand Patron elect appoint the special committees made necessary by the adoption by this Grand Chapter of Recommendations 1 and 2 in the annual address of the Worthy Grand Patron.

The Worthy Grand Patron declared the installation of Grand Officers in order, and at the request of the Worthy Grand Matron-elect her appointments for the ensuing year were read by the Grand Secretary, as follows:

Grand Conductress, Mrs. Minnie Juliet Greenman, of Los Angeles.

Associate Grand Conductress, Mrs. Agnes S. Hall, of Sacramento.

Grand Chaplain, Mrs. Nancy Jane-Andrews, of Merced.

Grand Marshal, Mrs. Cora Victoria McKeag, of Shasta.
Grand Adah, Miss Louise Kidder, of Watsonville.
Grand Ruth, Mrs. Angie Daisy Sanborn, of Lemoore.
Grand Esther, Mrs. Helen May Patterson, of San Francisco.
Grand Martha, Mrs. Lizzie Drake, of Pasadena.
Grand Electa, Mrs. Mary Jane McCloskey, of Hollister.
Grand Warder, Mrs. Marie Coffin, of Carson City, Nevada.
Grand Organist, Mrs. Theresa Josephine Merwin, of Alameda.
Grand Sentinel, Chas. T. Trussler, of Paso Robles.

The Grand Officers were then regularly installed in their respective stations by the retiring Grand Patron, Jas. Robert Tapscott, assisted by the retiring Grand Marshal, Mrs. Maud T. McCollough.

The following resolution was offered by Worthy Patron Robert A. Long, of Marshall Chapter, No. 86:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Grand Chapter be and are hereby tendered to all of the Chapters of the Eighth District for the cordial hospitality, fraternal reception, and bounteous banquet extended and given to the Representatives of the Grand Chapter during the present session held in this city.

R. A. LONG.

PRESENTATIONS.

On behalf of the members of the Grand Chapter, Past Grand Matron Mary Elizabeth Partridge presented the retiring Grand Patron, Jas. Robert Tapscott, with a lamp of exquisite workmanship.

The brother thanked the Grand Chapter for the gift, as well as for the honor conferred upon him one year since, in electing him to the position from which he now retires.

On behalf of the members of the Grand Chapter, Past Grand Patron Allen Bosley Lemmon presented our retiring Grand Matron, Ellen Tyler Hall, with a costly and beautiful china jardiniere and pedestal. The sister thanked the brothers and sisters for their gift, as well as for the many acts of loving kindness received at their hands during the year of her service as Grand Matron.

On behalf of Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, Past Grand Patron

Fred Laurence Button, in a felicitous manner, presented the Worthy Grand Patron, Harrison "D" Rowe, with a bouquet of gorgeous chrysanthemums. The brother, although nearly speechless with surprise, collected his thoughts sufficiently to express his high appreciation of the honor conferred upon him and his earnest desire to serve the Order to the best of his ability.

Past Grand Matron Mary Ann Flint (on behalf of Past Matron Clara Abbott Giberson), presented in her own charming manner the Worthy Grand Matron, Mrs. Eva "M" Porter, with a bouquet of lovely chrysanthemums.

The sister expressed her appreciation of the floral token from her beloved friend of many years standing, and her sincere wishes for the continued prosperity of the Order, whose loving kindness had placed her in the exalted position of Grand Matron.

Past Grand Matron Mary Josephine Young offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That seldom has it been the good fortune of this Grand Chapter to have for its chief executive officers a Worthy Grand Patron and a Worthy Grand Matron of such marked ability and faithful devotion to the interests of our Order as our retiring Grand Patron, James R. Tapscott, and our retiring Grand Matron, Ella T. Hall, and we avail ourselves of this opportunity to express to them our cordial appreciation of the uniform courtesy and self-sacrificing devotion with which they have discharged their official duties.

This Grand Chapter will long bear in remembrance the past year as one in which the elevating influences of the administration imparted new and increasing energy throughout our entire Grand Jurisdiction.

M. JOSEPHINE YOUNG.

Which resolution on motion of Past Grand Patron Allen Bosley Lemmon was adopted by a rising vote.

On motion of Past Grand Patron James Robert Tapscott, which was regularly moved, seconded and carried, a vote of thanks was given the officers of Oak Leaf Chapter, No. 8, for their beautiful rendition of the work before the Grand Chapter, Thursday evening, in the Masonic Temple.

On motion of Past Grand Patron Fred Laurence Button the reading of the minutes of the sessions of Thursday and Friday was dispensed with, and the approval of the same was left to the Grand Patron.

After prayer by the Grand Chaplain and the singing of "America," the twenty-fifth annual session of the Grand Chapter, O. E. S., of the State of California, was closed in Ample Form.

HARRISON "D" ROWE, Worthy Grand Patron.

KATE JOSEPHINE WILLATS, Grand Secretary.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

1897 - 1898.

Committee on Credentials—Arthur H. Millberry, of No. 124; Mrs. Mary S. Smith, of No. 56; Mrs. Sarah M. Deck, of No. 142.

Committee on Distribution-Mrs. Fannie T. McCowen, of No. 58; Mrs. Olive H. Schmidt, of No. 157; William H. Sanders, of No. 110.

Committee on Jurisprudence—Mrs. Mary J. Young, of No. 115; Miss Eleanor M. Owens, of No. 27; Mrs. Ella Pepperdine, of No. 51.

Committee on Returns—David B. Todd, of No. 99; Mrs. Mary G. Foster, of No. 155; Mrs. Jennie C. Mace, of No. 92.

Committee on Appeals and Grievances—Robert A. Long, of No. 86; Mrs. Emma Hapgood, of No. 55; Mrs. Mary E. Nelson, of No. 102.

Committee on Warrants and Dispensations—James R. Tapscott, of No. 39; Mrs. Mary McGuire, of No. 65; Mrs. Nellie Francis Norton, of No. 150.

Committee on Finance—Allen B. Lemmon, of No. 33; Miss Lillian Bond, of No. 3; Mrs. Kate R. Pierson, of No. 140.

Committee on Constitution and Laws—Jacob F. Boller, of No. 114; Mrs. Mary T. Dean, of No. 84; Mrs. Mattie Taggart, of No. 133.

Committee on Foreign Correspondence—Mrs. Ella T. Hall, of No. 94; Mrs. Isabelle L. Vawter, of No. 113; Mrs. Margaret Wakefield, of No. 72.

Committee on Mileage—Benjamin A. Plant, of No. 19; Mrs. Kate H. Boynton, of No. 119; Mrs. Kate S. Craig, of No. 137.

Committee on Printing—Albert H. Merritt, of No. 103; Mrs. Emma C. Malgren, of No. 99; Mrs. Kate J. Willats, of No. 1.

The Masonic Widows' and Orphans' Home Committee—Mrs. Mary A. Flint, of No. 45; Mrs. Abbie E. Krebs, of No. 27; Mrs. Mary E. Partridge, of No. 8; Mrs. M. Josephine Young, of No. 115; Mrs. Mary B. Moore, of No. 1.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

On Grand Matron Presiding—Mrs. Mary Ann Flint, of No. 45; Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Partridge, of No. 8; Mrs. Mary Beakes Moore, of No. 1; Mrs. Carrie Louise Peaslee, of No. 108; Anderson Corbin Hartley, of No. 42; Fred Wm. Gustave Moebus, of No. 1; Chauncey Carroll Bush, of No. 44.

On Form for Organizing New Chapters—John Hatfield Gray, of No. 27; Mrs. Georgia Anna Matfield, of No. 96; Mrs. Augusta Dunn Wilson, of No. 65.

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LIST OF PAST OFFICERS OF THE GRAND CHAPTER.

PAST GRAND PATRONS.

GEORGE JOHN HOBE, *JEREMIAH E. WHITCHER. *ROLLIN CORRALUS GASKILL, IANTHUS JEROME ROLFE, *CHARLES LEWIS THOMAS. *JEROME BANKS, EDWARD SWIFT WEST. REV. ABRAM FARR HITCHCOCK. ANDERSON CORBIN HARTLEY, FRED, WM. GUSTAVE MOEBUS, *EDMUND WILSON ROBERTS,

JOHN NELLES YOUNG, JOHN HATFIELD GRAY, THOMAS FLINT, M. D., JESSE BEACH FULLER. FRED LAURENCE BUTTON. HON, CHAUNCEY CARROLL BUSH, JACOB FRANKLIN BOLLER, ALLEN BOSLEY LEMMON. THOMAS FLINT, JR., JAMES BESTOR MERRITT, JAMES ROBERT TAPSCOTT.

PAST GRAND MATRONS.

MARIA ANDERSON, MARY ELLEN GILLESPIE, *HENRIETTA WHITCHER, EMILY ROLFE. "ANNIE ELIZABETH DOUGLAS. FENA WOODS FORD, ELEANOR MARIE OWENS, SARAH JENNIE MANN. FRANCES ELLEN RYDER. MARY ANN FLINT, MARY JOSEPHINE YOUNG,

ABBIE ELVENIA KREBS, MARY BEAKES MOORE, GERTRUDE SWAIN FREEMAN. MARY ELIZABETH PARTRIDGE, ANNIE ELIZABETH BRIGGS, MARY JEANNIE PARKER, GEORGIA ANNA MATFIELD, EMMA HAPGOOD. AUGUSTA DUNN WILSON, CARRIE LOUISE PEASLEE, ELLA TYLER HALL,

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND PATRONS.

*J. BRADFORD COX. *DARWIN DEGOLIA, MARTIN JEREMIAH WRIGHT, *BENJAMIN FRANKLIN BAGLEY, JOHN MCMURRY, REV J. AVERY SHEPHERD.

DAVID BYRON TODD, M. D., GEO. WASHINGTON STOUT, M. D., ZACHARY TAYLOR GILPIN, POWELL SAMUEL LAWSON, GEORGE THOMAS SHAW, ROSCOE EDWIN HEWITT.

JOHN ADAM GALLUP.

EMILIE CARTWRIGHT SWAIN, MARY SOPHRONIA MUNNS, *HARRIET N. NORCROSS, MALINDA CHARLOTTE PARKER, HATTIE MAJOR. *ELEANOR BECK FARRINGTON. SARAH CASSIDY, MARY JANE MAYHEW, *LUCIA MARIA SINGLETARY, CARRIE AUGUSTA KINGSLEY.

ELIZABETH FERRIS PHILLIPS.

PAST ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRONS. ELMIRA FRANCES WEST, *MARY LOUISA GROHS, MARY LOVINA SOUTHWORTH, KATE ELIZABETH BOYD. EMMA PERKINS, MARGARET BELVA SEARLES. HATTIE ELIZABETH ALEXANDER, FLORENCE MILLER. *SUSAN RUCKER.

PAST GRAND SECRETARY. ANNA MARIA ELLIOT. PAST GRAND TREASURERS.

KATE RICHARDSON, KATE JOSEPHINE WILLATS, MARY ANN SPRINGER KNOX, *LIZZIE J. HOLMES, *ANNA L. THOMAS. SARAH ELIZABETH BARKER, MARY MATILDA HOLTZ, ELLA MARIA HAUN,

LORA VIRGINIA REAM,

ISABEL DENMAN. CALISTA SPAULDING, LIZZIE WARDWELL, MELISSA MOREY, MARY ANNA SMITH, ARVILLA MCHARVEY, SARAH ISABELLE HUBBARD. JULIA MARIA LUBECK, MARY T. DEAN,

ISADORA HORTON.

^{*} Deceased.

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR.

DISTRICTS AND NAMES OF DEPUTIES.

Distr	icts.	DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS.	CHAPTERS.
District N	No. 1	Mrs. OLIVE M. BREWER Of Rohnerville, No. 76.	Ferndale, No. 23. Camellia, No. 63. Rohnerville, No. 76. Del Norie, No. 149.
District 1	No. 2	MIS. JESSIE DANA KNIGHT Of Esther, No. 74.	Alturas, No. 51. Sincerity, No. 53. Esther, No. 74. Mountain View, No. 88. Hesperian, No. 112.
District 1	No. 3	Mrs. Mary P. Creighton Of Redding, No. 44.	Evening Star, No. 10. St. Johns, No. 14. Welcome, No. 17. Vesper, No. 20. Northern Light, No. 26. Stella, No. 39. Redding, No. 44. Pidelity, No. 131. Mt. Shasta, No. 153.
District 1	No. 4	Mrs. Addie L. Stafford Of Vernou, No. 35.	Vernon, No. 35. Wheatland, No. 48. Marysville, No. 55. Fidelia, No. 56. Friendship, No. 67. Molino, No. 83. Josephine, No. 104. Amapola, No. 119.
District N	No. 5	Mrs. Mollie Carpenter Of Fallen Leaf, No. 90.	Evangeline, No. 9. Aurora, No. 40. Placer, No. 49. Crystal, No. 57. Mountain Fern, No. 62. Fallen Leaf, No. 90. Truckee, No. 116. Sierra Star, No. 129. Penrhyn, U. D.
District N	Vo. 6	Mrs. Alice Seadler, Of Columbus, No. 117.	Vacaville, No. 25. Naomi, No. 36. Yolo, No. 60. Veritas, No. 84. Marshall, No. 86. Etk Grove, No. 109. Columbus, No. 117. Galt, No. 158.

DISTRICTS AND NAMES OF DEPUTIES .- CONTINUED.

Districts.	DEPUTY GRAND MATBONS.	CHAPTERS.
District No. 7	Mrs. Mary J. Field Of Clover Leaf, No. 130.	Rose Valley, No. 33. Kingsley, No. 58. Morning Star, No. 61. Augusta, No. 80. Sotoyome, No. 82. Valley of the Moon, No. 85. Ocean View, No. 111. Clover Leaf, No. 130. Clear Lake, No. 137.
District No. 8	Mrs. Dell. C. Savage Of Semper Fidelis, No. 135	Golden Gate, No. 1. Oak Leaf, No. 8. Ivy, No. 27. Unity, No. 65. Beulah, No. 99. Golden Wave, No. 103. Carita, No. 115. Harmony, No. 124. Semper Fidelis, No. 135. Oakland, No. 140. Mission, No. 155. King Solomon's, No. 157.
District No. 9	Mrs. Effie R. Thompson Of Silver Gate, No. 30.	Suisun, No. 2 Silver Star, No. 3. Silver Gate, No. 30. Silver Spray, No. 59. Manzanita, No. 69.
District No. 10,	Mrs. MARY J. WILEY Of Pasadena, No. 108.	Acacia, No. 21. Pasadena, No. 108. Santa Monica by the Sea, No. 113. South Gate, No. 133. Norwalk, No. 143. Lyra, No. 144. Pearl, No. 147. Occident, U. D.
District No. 11	Mrs. Lulu Blanchard Of San Jose, No. 31.	Lily of the Valley, No. 18. Idlewild No. 19. San Jose, No. 31. Ceanothus, No. 45. Athena, No. 46. Reveille, No. 47. Ocean Spray, No. 68. Magnolia, No. 73. Los Gatos, No. 128. Miramonte, No. 141.

DISTRICTS AND NAMES OF DEPUTIES .- CONCLUDED.

DISTRICTS.	DEPUTY GRAND MATRONS.	CHAPTERS.
District No. 12	Mrs. ALIDA W. TERRILL Of Heliotrope, No. 93.	Electa, No. 72. Raisina, No. 89. Madera, No. 92. Heliotrope, No. 93. Elaine, No. 101. Mercedes, No. 126. Chrysanthemum, No. 132. Centinela, No. 136. Orestimba, No. 139.
District No. 13	Mrs. Frances A. Felton Of Lucerne, No. 127.	Martha Washington, No. 13. Lily of the Lake, No. 41. Tulare, No. 94. Palm Leaf, No. 114. Bakersfield, No. 125. Lucerne. No. 127. Delano, No. 146.
District No. 14	Mrs. Agnes M. Morgans Of Angels, No. 134.	Ariel, No. 42. Homo, No. 50. Golden Star, No. 66. Queen Esther, No. 71. Azalia, No. 77. Woodbridge, No. 118. Tuolumne Star, No. 123. Angels, No. 134. Summit, No. 138. Lodi, No. 150.
District No. 15	Mrs. Belle Goodwin Of Mizpah, No. 100.	Marguerite, No. 78. Ventura, No. 79. Bethlehem. No. 95. Kamona, No. 97. Mizpah. No. 100. Violet, No. 102. Corona, No. 107.
District No. 16	Mrs. Adele C. Clemons. Of Argenta, No. 156, Nev.	Electa, No. 120, Nevada. Esther, No. 121, Nevada. Adah, No. 122, Nevada. Martha, No. 148, Nevada. Silver State, No. 152, Nev. Argenta, No. 156, Nevada.
District No. 17	Mrs. Louise Wellsch Of Southern Star, No. 96	Southern Star, No. 96. Hermosa, No. 105. Chispa, No. 151. Escondido, No. 154.
District No. 18	Mrs. Susan E. Cunningham Of Ungava, No. 106.	Silver Wave, No. 75. Ungava, No. 106. Pomona, No. 110. Copa del Oro, No. 142. Jasmine, No. 145.

In Memoriam.

This Mourning Page

BY ORDER OF THE

GRAND CHAPTER OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

IS GIVEN TO THE MEMORY OF OUR BELOVED SISTER,





Who was born on the fifteenth day of July, 1839, in Platte County, Missouri, and who died at San Jose, in the State of California, on the sixteenth day of May, 1897.

SISTER RUCKER WAS A CHERISHED CHARTER MEMBER OF

San Jose Chapter, No. 31,

Of which Chapter in 1881 she was elected the Worthy Matron, and when called from earth-life she was

ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRON

OF THE

GRAND CHAPTER OF CALIFORNIA.

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"In the economy of God there is no death; forms change but the spirit survives."

In Memoriam.

This Mourning Page

BY ORDER OF THE

GRAND CHAPTER OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

IS GIVEN TO THE MEMORY OF OUR BELOVED SISTER,

Mary Louisa Grohs,

Who was born on the eleventh day of November, 1842, in the city of New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana, and who died at Auburn,
Placer County, in the State of California, on the twenty-seventh day of January, 1897.

SISTER GROHS HAD BEEN

ASSOCIATE GRAND MATRON

OF THE

GRAND CHAPTER OF CALIFORNIA

AND A

Past Matron of Crystal Chapter, No. 57, O. E. S.,

OF AUBURN, CALIFORNIA,

Of which Chapter she was a beloved and honored member at the time of her summons to a higher life.

Our sister has passed over the river to that "silent shore where billows never break nor tempests roar."

IN MEMORIAM.

Entered into Rest.

JAMES LAFAYETTE HAISTEADGolden Gate, No. 1
MARY MAGDALENE THOMSONGolden Gate, No. 1
Past Patron Moses Dinkelspiel Suisun, No. 2
JOHN HENRY COLLIER Oak Leaf, No. 8
Dora MosbacherOak Leaf, No. 8
ENOCH HOMER PARDEEOak Leaf, No. 8
MARY JANE FLEMING Evangeline, No. 9
SARAH E. EVENS Martha Washington, No. 13
CLAY WEBSTER TAYLOR
Past Patron Belon SARGENT ANDREWSLily of the Valley, No. 18
Past Matron Carrie BurbeckLily of the Valley, No. 18
ENOCH GEORGE FARNHAM
MINNIE DIFFENBACHER Acacia, No. 21
HARRIET DAVIS
EDWARD S. M. JUDSON
CHARLES ADELBERT TEEL
Past Matron Susan RuckerSan Jose, No. 31
MARY MACKENZIE San Jose, No. 31
DELIA DAVISSan Jose, No. 31
MARY HENDERSON
JAMES MADISON BUTIN
LEWIS CHARLES STONE
Aaron Pugh
Past Patron Wm. Buchanan Miller
HENRY HUDSON PIERSON
EDWARD LYON
MYRA ESTELLA McBride Stella, No. 39

IN MEMORIAM.

Entered into Rest.

Past Patron James Clymo Noel
Past Patron John Newton Major
Bertha HerronRedding, No. 44
HENRY BEYER
Past Patron Adams Barrett
Eva Margaret Kopp
OLIVER D. WELLER
CATHERINE JENKINS
ORTIS FREDERICK LEE
Past Matron Mary Louisa Grohs
CLARA WAGONSELLERKingsley, No. 58
James Clinton Cook
CLARA MARCH ARMSTRONG
SARAH WILSEY McGrew
JANE ELIZA CORBETT
Jane McGeorge
Samuel Prothers
GAVIN NAISMITH
ELIZA JANE CULBERTGolden Star, No. 66
EMMA PRICE BROWN
ETTA N. TRANER Electa, No. 72
ALMA LULA GANN Esther, No. 74
EDWARD BAKER PRATT
CHRISTOPHER MAXWELL ROBINSONVentura, No. 79
Ann Jane MontagueAugusta, No. 80
Past Patron Robert Monroe Wood
HENRY WEYMANN

IN MEMORIAM.

Entered into Rest.

JESSE MASON HOBSON
Past Patron EPHRAIM PIERCE CUTTER. Valley of the Moon, No. 85
Rosa Mathews Marshall, No. 86
HIRAM WINCHELL Mountain View, No. 88
John Lacy Pierson Southern Star, No. 96
JEAN PEYRE Beulah, No. 99
NINA ELLIOTMizpah, No. 100
WILLIAM HULBERTGolden Wave, No. 103
EDWARD ADOLPH LIEDELGolden Wave, No. 103
KELITA DAVIS SHUGART
MARY D. J. WILLIAMS
PIERRE HIPPOLYTE DALLIDET
DAISY JOHNSON SALTER
JOHN HANSEN MARKS Hesperian, No. 112
MARY C. KNOWLES
JENNIE SARAH BRONSON
Erastus Nelson Foote
JOHN KONSTANTINE MITCHELL
EMMA WILLIAMS Electa (of Nevada), No. 120
MARY ANN MOSHER
Mary Jane Sherman
HILAND HULBURD WORDEN
Francis Algene Blakeley Lucerne, No. 127
Andrew Jackson Lenox
THOMAS LEE
SAMUEL GILE TUCKEROakland, No. 140
Susan Smellie PearseOakland, No. 140
JENNIE GRAHAM TREWICK Silver State (of Nevada), No. 152

AMENDMENTS

TO THE

CONSTITUTION OF THE GRAND CHAPTER.

ARTICLE I.

REPRESENTATIVES.

SECTION 7. It shall be the duty of the Matrons, Patrons, and Associate Matrons to attend all meetings of the Grand Chapter. Representatives for that purpose may be elected by the Chapter, when neither the Matron, Patron, nor Associate Matron can attend; said Representatives must file with the Grand Secretary a certificate of their election, duly authenticated.

Representatives must be either Past Matrons or Past Patrons, except in cases where a Chapter has no Past Officers; or in case no Past Officer can attend, they may elect a member of their Chapter, in good standing, when neither of the first three officers can attend the Grand Chapter.

ARTICLE II.

OFFICERS OF A CHAPTER.

SEC. 2. The elective officers of a Chapter shall consist of: 1st, Worthy Matron; 2d, Worthy Patron; 3d, Associate Matron; 4th, Secretary; 5th, Treasurer; 6th, Conductress; 7th, Associate Conductress, who shall be elected annually by ballot, by a majority vote of the members present, at the first stated meeting in November, and installed as soon thereafter as the Chapter may determine.

The appointed officers are: 1st, Adah; 2d, Ruth; 3d, Esther; 4th, Martha; 5th, Electa; 6th, Warder; 7th, Sentinel; 8th, Chaplain (if the Chapter desire), who shall be appointed by the Worthy Matron at the time of her installation.

INITIATION AND AFFILIATION FEE.

SEC. 9. No Chapter under this jurisdiction shall confer the degrees of the Order of the Eastern Star for a less sum than three dollars. The affiliation fee shall not exceed two dollars and fifty cents where the candidate has previously paid for and received the degrees in another Chapter, and not less than three dollars when the candidate has received the degrees gratuitously.

No Chapter shall receive an application for affiliation unless it be accompanied by a proper dimit from the Chapter of which the applicant was last a member, or a satisfactory explanation in writing of his or her inability to furnish such dimit.

No applicant for initiation or affiliation can be received in any Chapter without the unanimous consent of the members present; nor shall any Chapter or member require any of its members to assign his or her reasons for voting against any person who may apply for initiation or membership therein.

Nor shall a Chapter receive an application for affiliation from any person who has not been a member of any Chapter for morethan six months preceding such application, nor been a contributing member for six months or more, unless the applicant shall pay to the Chapter six months' dues in addition to the affiliation fee.

If the application for affiliation be rejected, the amount paid for dues shall be retained by the Chapter, and the applicant thereby shall be in good standing in the Order for six months thereafter. If the applicant be elected, he shall pay dues from the date of such election.

Applicants elected to receive the degrees must present themselves for initiation within sixty days from the date of such election, or said election shall be deemed void, and the fee forfeited to the Chapter, unless for good and sufficient reasons shown the: Chapter shall order otherwise.

PROHIBITIONS.

SEC. 13. No Chapter shall receive a petition from a non-resident, except by consent of the Chapter within whose jurisdiction he resides.

No Chapter shall expel members for the non-pay-SEC. 14. ment of dues; but in case members shall have refused or neglected to pay their regular dues during a period of one year, they shall be notified by the Secretary that, unless at the next regular meeting (after one month from said notification) either their dues be paid or good and satisfactory reasons be shown as the cause of such refusal or neglect, such members will be suspended from all the rights and privileges of the Order. neither of these things be done, the Worthy Matron shall at such regular meeting declare them suspended, unless for special reasons shown the Chapter may otherwise determine; but members thus suspended, who shall at any time within two years from the date of such suspension, pay the arrearages due at the time of such suspension, together with the additional dues which would have accrued against them to the date of such payment had they retained their membership, shall by such act be restored.

Members who shall remain suspended for two or more years shall be restored to membership in the Order only, but not to membership in the Chapter, except by a unanimous ballot (should the ballot not be unanimous, the member shall be entitled to a certificate stating the facts of such restoration, and such certificate shall be regarded as a legal dimit, sufficient for all the purposes thereof). A suspended brother shall not be restored unless he be in good standing in a Masonic Lodge at the date of such restoration.

SEC. 15. Members of the Order not connected with any subordinate Chapter, may retain their good standing in the Order by contributing a sum equal to the dues of the Chapter nearest their places of residence; but no Chapter shall receive such contributions from non-affiliates unless accompanied by a proper dimit from the Chapter of which the applicant was last a member, or a satisfactory explanation in writing of his or her inability to furnish such dimit; nor shall any Chapter receive a greater or less sum than the regular dues which would accrue from the date of payment up to the 31st day of July of each year. Provided, that any Chapter, by a majority vote, upon a ballot taken, may decline to receive the contributions above mentioned; and by the like action, may decline to admit, as a visitor, a member of any other Chapter or any non-affiliated member. Upon the full compliance with the foregoing requirements, the parties shall be considered in good standing.

RETURNS

OF THE

SUBORDINATE CHAPTERS

TO THE

GRAND CHAPTER OF CALIFORNIA.

GOLDEN GATE CHAPTER, No. 1.

San Francisco, San Francisco County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Thursday of each Month, in Golden Gate Hall, No. 629 Sutter Street.

OFFICERS. Emily Randall Eastman.....Secretary Ellen Condon.....Treasurer Maggie Ella Bradley Associate Conductress Kate Linne.....Ruth Minnie Jellinek Esther Clara Augusta Curtis..... Martha Mary Jane Berry Electa Jennie Augusta Daley......Warder Mary Hammond Lewis Sentinel William Schuyler Moses..... Chaplain Henrietta Heuer......Marshal Louise Burns Stephenson......Organist

PAST MATEONS.
Addie Warren Moses,
Maria Anderson,
Mary Matilda Holtz,
Sarah Jennie Mann,
Kate Josephine Willats,
Mary Anna Smith,
Georgia Washburn,

PAST PATRONS

Wm. Schuyler Moses,
George John Hobe,
Fred. Wm. Gustave Moebus,
George Louis Darling,
William Edmund Price,
Franklin Pettingell Bull,
Milton Alverd Wheaton.

Mary Sophronia Munns, Sarah Isabelle Hubbard, Mary Elizabeth Pendleton, Henrietta Heuer, Margaret Wallace Evans, Mary Beakes Moore, Julia Mary Fisher, Franc Henley Morgan, Carrie Heuer, Victorine Francesca Anthony, Emily Pardee Duren.

Joseph Oliver Jephson, Joseph Henry Scott, George Washington Daywalt.

MEMBERS.

Ash. Robert Ballou, Addie Luca Bearley, Mary E. Boulon, Noonie Boyd, Nancy Bradley, Hester Bradley, Eliza Ann Bradley, Mary Brady, Ada Augusta Browning, Jeremiah Butler, Mary Jane Callaghan, Sarah Calimberti, Kate Calimberti, Vincent Canham, Elizabeth Canham, Mary Jane Casev. Sophia Chamberlin, Eliza J. Chambers, Annie Christesen, Anne Emelia Christesen, Martin August C. Connelly, Alice Paullyn Courneen, Lillie Rebecca Irwin, William Daywalt, Fannie Delaney Johnson, Katherine Dewey, Daniel L. Downing, Fannie Smith Duncan, Ada Roxy Farnsworth, David Locke Johnson, Naomi Fernbach, Ella Louise Folger, Annie Frances Foltz, Clara Shortridge Friis, Kate

Friis, Mary Friis, Rosa Garneau, Florence Gilberts, Catherine Gleason, May Goddard, Ada Emily Gray, Lizzie Carleton Griffiths, Marietta Halstead, Mary Eliza Harrison, Cora Harrold, Bessie Hawley, Mary Anna Heuer, Doris Hill, Thomas Locke Hobe, Harriet Augusta Hobe, Augusta Wright Homer, James Lord Hotchkiss, Daisy Hubbard, Adolphus Skin-Robertson, Margarette Hughes, Mabel DeLucy Humphrey, Charles Franklin Johnson, Sarah Jane Johnston, Lizzie Julian, Eliza Julian, Madeline Key, Eva Jeanette

King, Margarette Belle Langley, Virginia Lee, Elvira Missouri Linniken, Millie McNulty, Hattie Coral Miller, Mary M. Blood Montgomery, Emma Moody, Mary Moses, Delia Murphy, Clara Mynster, Sophia Seip Neilson, Elizabeth Allan Noble, Georgia Nye, Margaret Ellen Peck, Annie Serepta Peters, Francis Porter, Margaret Reading, Maria Elizabeth Rulison, Helen May Scott, Mathilde Seely, Mack Jay Seely, Lizzie H. Seymour, Jane Johnson, Robley Dungle-Smith, Jennie Singleton Spaulding, Mary Theresa Spaulding, NathanWeston Starrett, Ada N. Stephens, Claudia Merlin Stephenson, Phebe Taber, Lottie Taylor, Laura

Thomson, Thomas Tuttle, Augusta Finderson Wheaton, Dora Thompson, Viola Crandell Tuttle, John Williams, Emma Duncan Toothaker, Lurana Maria Umbsen, Ida Ashcroft Toudy, Mollie Jane Weiss, Anna Teresa Wilson, Louisa Tower, Frances Perkins Westphal, Edward Williams

REINSTATED.

Taber, Lottie

Duncan, Ada Roxy

DIMITTED.

Burns, Mary Augusta

Goddard, Ida Elvenia Warner, Charles

Morse, James Johnson

DECEASED.

Halstead, Jas. LaFayette

Thomson, Mary Magdalene

SUISUN CHAPTER, No. 2.

Suisun, Solano County.

Stated Meetings, Thursday of each Month on or before the Full Moon.

OFFICERS.	
Carrie Lois Anderson	. Worthy Matron
John Alden Anderson	Worthy Patron
Mary Dickie	. Associate Matron
Lottie Mae Bauman	Secretary
Ellen Rittenhouse Perkins	Treasurer
Caroline Dinkelspiel	Conductress
Rebecca LewisAss	ociate Conductress
Elvira Lewis	
Malwine Bronson	Ruth
Lena Dinkelspiel	Esther
Kate Richardson	
Caroline Hitchcock	
Sarah Matilda Chrisler	Warder
Jerome Bonaparte Richardson	Sentinel
Abraham Farr Hitchcock	Chaplain
Mary Angeline McCreary	
Ella Cohn	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Kate Richardson,
Mary Ellen Gillespie,
Ellen Rittenhouse Perkins,
Mary Amelia Bauman,
Lena Dinkelspiel,
Mary Angeline McCreary,

PAST PATRONS.

Allen Charles Miller, Abram Farr Hitchcock, JeromeBonaparteRichardson, Albert Alexander Dickie, John Alden Anderson.

Mary Emmeline Dickie, Frances Davisson Waugh, Mary Redfern Dobbins, Elna Morton, Lois Minerya Sheldon.

MEMBERS.

Anderson, Maggie
Bauman, Jacob Henry
Burhmeister, Henry
Franklin
Butterfield, Helen
Cohn, Rachel
Cohn, Rose
Davisson, Della
Davisson, William Gustavus
Dickie, Nellie
Downing, Clara
Gapen, Aryenette

Hoyt, Hannah Elizabeth Oberti, Joseph Judie, nee McCreary, SarahOberti, Edith Junken, James Noble Perkins, Herman Perkins, Jessie Lemon, Mamie Lemon, Mary Perkins, Nellie Lewis, John Grove Sheldon, William Caryden Lewis, Sarah Juliette Shorey Cornelia Losh, Grace Stephens, Sina Losh, Matilda Stewart, Samuel Malchi, John Stewart, Jane Waugh, Benjamin James Malchi, Nancy McMahon, Amanda B. Wetmore, Chester Morrill, nee Stewart, Josephine

DIMITTED.

Wilson, Sarah Chrisler

DECEASED.

Dinkelspiel, Moses

SILVER STAR CHAPTER, No. 3.

Vallejo, Solano County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Saturdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Violet E. Cooper	Worthy Matron
Albertine Huckins	
Jennie Wilson	Associate Matron
Flora Winchell Andres	Secretary
Amos E. Barbour	
Isabell Roney	Conductress
Julia McDonell	Associate Conductress
Lizzie Greenwood	
Mamie Daly	Ruth
Fannie Carpenter	
Jennie Small	Martha
Aggie Bergwall	Electa

Susan Edgcombe	der
James FordSent	inel
George Rounds	lain
Jeanie GreigOrga	nist

Fena Woods Ford. Dorothea Faust. Jennie Richardson, Emma Frey O'Hara, Annie Elizabeth Roney, Lillian Bond. S. Ada Ford, Estelle Farrington, Mamie Daly, Alice Emma Gillard. Minerva McPike.

PAST PATRONS.

John Wilton Winton, Lewis Garibaldi Harrier, George Rounds, Johnston Hillard Cooper, Isaac Rutan, Albertine Huckins. Andrew McPike.

Aden, Joseph Remmer Aden, Catherine Aden, Johanna Armstrong, Louise Bell, Ella Bertoscki, Sophia Bond, Mary Brown, Jennie Carter, George Valentine Jones, L. Jennie Carpenter, Lewis Cassady, Florence Dick, Susan Dick, Thomas Emms, Charles Farrington, Sarah Ford, Minnie Gillard, Thomas. Greenwood, Edna Greenwood, James Guffy, Mary Jane

MEMBERS. Hanson, Eugene Harding, John Harrier, Maria Hassler, Pauline Heath, Chas. Richard Heath, Hattie Huckins, Millicent Johnson, Otto Jones, Thomas Jones, William Major, Minnie Mann, Orville Mead, Ella Melvin, Fannie Mini, Damiano Nord. Johan ()'Hara, John Henry Richardson, Mabel

Robinson, Alvin Robinson, Katie Roney, James Rossow, Ernst Rounds, Maud Sanford, Farmer Schlott, Oswald Small, Frederick Springborg, Emily Springborg, Peter Stahl, Tena Thisler, Charles Warford, Sarah M. Warford, Sylvester Wilson, Sylvester Wilson, Lavonia Winchell, Frank Winchell, Theresa Winton, Harriet

DIMITTED.

Farmer, Mary

McDonald, Letitia Rounds, Emma

Plymire, Lizzie

OAK LEAF CHAPTER, No. 8.

Oakland, Alameda County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Thursdays of each Month, in Masonic Temple, Cor. 12th and Washington Streets.

	OFFICERS.
Maria Akers Pierce	Worthy Matron
Gilbert Barber Daniels	Worthy Patron
	Associate Matron
Cynthia Catherine Nelson Walter	Secretary
	Conductress
Evelyn Fay Mayon	Associate Conductress
Esther Jane Macdonald	
Emma Estelle Stimpson	Ruth
Gertrude Fleming Shankland	Esther
Clara Roberta Patterson	
Salo Lowell Beckwith	Electa
May Beeny Fortin	.,
Chas. Edwin Gillett	Sentinel
	Chaplain
Adeline Johnson Wight	Organist

PAST MATRONS,

Cynthia Catherine Nelson Walter, Mary Elizabeth Partridge, Frances Ellen Ryder, Bettie Ann Gaskill, Martha Pearce, Martha Baker, Amelia Margaret Emery, Ellen Russell Wheeler, Cora Andrews Merritt, May Babbit Gilpin, Emma Howland Button, Carrie Kercheval, Dora Eugenia Craig, Anna Maria Elliott, Jane Smith Patterson, Lena Hamilton, Catherine Elizabeth Merritt, Annie Sayer Dunbar.

PAST PATRONS.

James Lentell,
Alvah Kittridge Clark
James Todd Gardiner,
Zachary Taylor Gilpin,
Fred Laurence Button,
James Bestor Merritt,
Edward Constant Robinson,
Charles Franklin Burnham,
George Patterson,
Charles Warner Wilkins,
Henry Philip Dalton,
Harrison "D" Rowe,
John Hereford Kercheval,
Webb Nicholas Pearce,
Dwight Lucien Davis.

MEMBERS.

Alden, Alma Priscilla Crabtree, Eunice Graceful Fortin, Mary Rene Andrews, Mary Craig, Albert William Fowler, Douglas Thomas Andrus, Mabel Billings Craig, Dora Louise Fowler, Lizzie Frances Anderson, Salome Craig, Homer Alexander Fox, Charles Nelson Avery, Lodierisco Creed, Georgie Hindman Fox, Frances Ida Baker, Alfred Septimus Ellis Frazer, Hattie Lord Baker, Lillie Cron, William Jr. Frazer, Hugh Baumgarten, Sophie Cumming, Annie Del-Fredrickson, Lillie Beckwith, John A. phine French, Nell Kelsey Benner, Harry Cumming, Geo. Gordon Fronk. George Martin Blake, Harriet Anna Cornow, Ann Gage, Annie Edward Blethen, Albion Keith Curtiss, Linnie Belle Gage, Vivia Medora Paris Dalton, Frank Norris Gardiner, Jennie Owen-Bliss, Elizabeth Anna Dalton, Mattie Gardiner, Julia Ann Bliss, John Adams Daniels, Emily Augusta Gifford, William " M" Bliss, Julia Davie, John Leslie Gifford, Olive Elsie Bortree, David "E" Davis, Eleanor Gilbertson, Grace Effie Breed, Arthur Hastings Davis, Fred. Wm. Gilbertson, John Brooke, Erminie Davis, Hattie Helen Glasscock, Bertha Brooke, Lillian DeBell, Catherine Mid-Goff, Abbie Helen Brown, Albert dleton Goff, Henry Franklin Brown, Mary DeBell, Mary Elizabeth Goff, Lucius Marion Bruce, Samuel James Deming, Sarah Worcester Greenman, Ella Wheelan Bruce, Nellie Dodge, Nellie Amanda Haelke, Augusta Burckhalter, Brownie DuBois, Irene Esther Haelke, Clara Burnham, Helen Malissa Dunbar, Sylvanus Gil-Haelke, Helwig Leopold Burnham, Ozro Hill man Sargent Haley, Ellen Franklin Burnham, Polly Maria Edgar, Robert Wilson Burrell, Alfred William Edwards, Rowena Mitchell Haley, William Wallace Burrell, Florence Cornelia Elliott, Jennie "B" Hall, Samuel Pike Cahill, Emma Frances Emery, Joseph Stickney Hall, Charlotte Whipple-Cahill, Patrick Emigh, Nellie Maud Halsey, Emma Wesley Chamberlain, Anna Vin-Emigh, Rachel Hamilton, William Emigh, Thos. Powell Thomas ette Chamberlain, Chas. Syl- Evans, Robert Griffith Handy, Brayton Evering'n. Falvey, John Richard Handy, Lucien Harvey vester Chandler, Jos. Fontain Farrington, Elvin Dunn Harrison, Addie Hunt Child, Edward Favor, Nellie Imogene Hess, Kate Eugenia Clark, Benjamin Ferguson, Ernest Maltr'v's Hess, Luther Pleasant Clark, Charlotte Mary Fisher, Anna Catherine Hewitt, Robert Ethelbert Clark, Cynthia Rebecca Fitz, Ellen Mary Hill, Mary Jane Clift, Jean Fletcher, Francis Alden Hill, Robert Lewis Clift, William Fortin, Agnes Julie Hooe, Isabel May Collier, Alice Fortin, Damon Edmont Hume, Kate Lizzie Covert, Jennie Gilkey Fortin, Octave Victor Hunt, Elizabeth Edna

Hunt, Thomas Edward Ingham, Jean Isabel James, Sarah Mason Johnson, Catherine Johnson, Catherine May Morse, Fred Wellington Johnson, James Johnson, William Kent, Alice Kerr, Anna Belle Kerr, Clara Amy Kerr, Louis Carmack Kirby, Harry Harrison Kirby, Louise Kirby, Mattie Kline, Amelia Koser, Newton Alexander O'Donnell, Florence Lare, Marie Antoinette Lemmon, Sara Allen Lentell, Susie Macdonald, John Archibald Campbell Macdonald, Mary Antoi- Osgood, Adeen Murdock nette Makius, Arvilla Ruggles Ott, Annie Polly Makins, Elizabeth Lucy Ott, August Louis Makins, James Nicholas Owen, Edwin Warner Marchand, François Xav- Owen, Wm. Henry ier Zephirin Marchand, Mary Elizabeth Marcuse, Emmy Marcuse, Max Martin, John Martin, Abbie Mather, Mary Mayon, James Lenox Metson, Josephine Ker-Pierce, Edward cheval McClymonds, John Wm. Pierce, Maybel McClymonds, Virginia McDonald, Charles McDonald, Elizabeth McKenzie, Carrie Clement Randall, Chas. Wells McKenzie, Susan McKusick, Julia

McKusick, Helen Ford

McMahan, Rhoda Mitchell, Lelia Agnes Mitchell, Nettie Ella Morey, Lillian Morris, Moses Morgan, Anna Hendrickgon Morgan, Edward Harrison Rosenberg, Therese Naismith, Jennie Semple Rust, Mary Nelson, James Wesley Nelson, Lizzie Cook Norris, Victoria Louise O'Donnell, Francis Henry Etherington Dunwell Ogden, Laura Irene Oliver, Charlotte Amelia Schaackey, May Orr, Susan Osgood, Earnest "J" Pardee, George Cooper Pardee, Helen Newhall Park, Edith Park, John Allen Pearce, Nellie TrowbridgeSmith, Mary Ann Petty, Emma Philips, John Watterman Smith, Wm. Clay Pierce, Charles Lewis Jonathan Warden Pierce, Lena Christine Pierce, William Frank Potter, Jennie York Rand, Sarah Randall, Nancy Reed, Eliza Malinda Reed, William Jesse

Richards, John Callahan Richards, Adelaide Caroline Richardson, Mary Elvira Roach, James Vincent Robinson, Sarah Theodosia Merritt Rosenberg, Morris Rutherford, Charles Boardman Rutherford, David Rutherford, Ellen Travers Rutherford, Mary Eliz'h Rutherford, Nellie Travers Sabin, John Murray Ogden, Frank Burroughs Sabin, Effigene Roberts Schaackey, John Daniel Schmidt, Sophie Shaw, Lent Hamlin Sheldon, Grace Hume Smilie, Mary Smilie, Robert Smith, Albert Lippett Smith, Benjamin John Smith, Clara Louise Smith, Etta Loring Smith, George Henry Smith, Jennie Stewart Smith, Mary Louise Southard, Clare O'Brien Southard, Wm. Freeman Stackhouse, May Eliza-Stimpson, Geo. Washing'n Stone, Emma Mills Stone, Louis Stanwood Swasey, Alice Jane Taggart, Carrie Mary Taggart, Grant Isaac Tate, Dora Frances Tate, Samuel Patton, Jr.

Thorpe, Jennie Louise Walsh, Edward Marion Tobriner, Alice Watson, Franklin Gran- Wilkins, Emma Ellis Tobriner, Ida ville Tucker, Nancy Maria Watson, Mittie Lucille Vincent, James Ellsworth Reed Vineyard, nee Hersey, Weilbye, Jennie Lenora Ellen Rebecca Weilbye, Wm. Henry Voorhees, Eugenia Nellie Weymouth, Almira Hoit Woodworth, Jennie Stacy Voorhees, Fred Duane Wheeler, Roscoe, Jr. Walsh, Hattie Brown Whitcher, Jean

Wight, Fredrick Gordon Wilson, William Wixsom, Kate Wixson, Julius Stanton Wixson, Sarah Ella Wonderlich, Martha Woolsey, Helene Johnson Woolsey, Frank Reeve

CONTRIBUTING.

Ford, Harriet

Partridge, Abram P.

CEASED CONTRIBUTING Tucker, Nancy Maria

DIMITTED.

Dodge, Ezekiel Goddard Hewes, Charles Wesley Gray, Mary Fox Hewes, Fannie Helen Gray, Roscoe Spaulding

Hewes, Lillie Florine Miller, Ida Chamberlain

DECEASED.

Collier, John Henry

Mosbacker, Dora

Pardee, Enoch Homer

EVANGELINE CHAPTER, No. 9.

Nevada City, Nevada County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month. OFFICERS.

Jennie Elizabeth Holmes..... Secretary Jennie Hall......Conductress Elizabeth Gribble Associate Conductress Mary ConleyRuth Mary Elizabeth Richards..... Esther Kate Reynolds......Warder Alice Locklin.....Sentinel Pauline Cohn......Marshal Edith Wyn Edwards Organist

Emily Rolfe. Alice Locklin, Zarelda Ruth Hunter, Maria Whiting Stinson, Jennie Elizabeth Holmes, Hannah Elizabeth Stansfield, Emily Alice Williams, Elinora Mary Floyd, Eliza Jane McCutchan, Pauline Cohu, Mary Ophelia Davenport, Emily Hoskins, Louisa Plummer Margaret Salter, Isabella Butler.

PAST PATRONS.

Thomas Hubbard Caswell, Ianthus Jerome Rolfe. Edward Myers Preston, William Holmes, Thomas Benton Gray.

MEMBERS.

Bigelow, Ashley Bigelow, Emma Chegwidden, Mary Ann Cohen, Fannie Cohen, Lottie Craig, Florence R. Curnow, Florence Daniel, Mary Jane Douglass, Joanna T. English, Lucinda Floyd, William Giffin, Sarah Jane Giles, Sarah Gluvas, Kate Gray, Josephine Henricks, Alice B. Hoskins, Henry Rablin Hunt, Charity Jane Ismert, Mary Amelia Jepson, Christian Otto

Jones, Marie Christine Kendricks, Susie Nelson Plummer, Richard Landsburg, Ada Langley, Exile Henry Lean, Elizabeth Mary Legg, Hattie Fidelia Levy, Etta Little, Dr. Mary Marsh, Sherman Marsh, Francis Marshall, nee Ribble, Lillie Tremain, Anna Marion, Ida Isabella Martin, Jennie Hicks Mason, May McMurray, Hattie Bigelow Medlin, Susan Meservey, Emma Mitchell, Mary

Pare, Catherine Rich, Daniel Alexander Richards, Jane Richards, Wm. Gilbert Robbins, Mary Ellen Stenger, Joseph Floyd Stenger, Henry Agusta Tam, Antonio Thomas, Hattie Tremain, Catherine Tremain, Kate Ennor Weisenberger, Conrad Weisenberger, Catherine-Wetzel, Laura Wetzel, Theodore White, Fannie White, Francis

DIMITTED.

Oates, Lewis Davis

Adair, Nellie Martin

Hadley, Alice

DECEASED.

Flemming, Mary Jane

EVENING STAR CHAPTER, No. 10.

Etns, Siskiyon County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Thursdays of each Month.

OFFICERS. Lizzie Belle Taylor......Worthy Matron Angie Atta Adams.....Secretary Margaret Ann Davidson......Ruth Anna Laura Grant Esther Susie Hughes..... Electa Lizzie Kist, Warder John Parker Sentinel Janet Nutting Chaplain May Ella Parker.....Organist

PAST MATRONS,

Abby Ann Green,
Elvira Ann Glendenving,
Annie Maria Diggles,
Sarah Frances Marx,
Lizzie Kist,
Angie Atta Adams,
Helen Melva Smith,
Janet Nutting,
Ella Bussell Taylor,
Margaret Ann Davidson.

PAST PATRONS.

Orson Valentine Green, Charles Wilber Nutting, Alexander Parker, Jr., Fred George Smith, John Parker, John Howe Adams.

MEMBERS.

Barnum, Dolly Taylor	Glendenning, Kate Bliss	Knackstedt, Emma
Bathurst, Anna Mary	Goodale, Louisa	Luttrell, Lillie
Bathurst, Edwin William	Goodale, Oliver William	Messner, Maggie
Bayless, Sam Irwin	Grant, Emma	Mullis, Rebecca Anna
Beem, Martin Custer	Hansen, Hans	Neilson, Orpha Jane
Camp, James	Hansen, Fannie Baker	Parrott, Charles B.
Eaton, Eliza Jane	Hamilton, nee Connor,	Pierce, Albert Howe
Fry, nee Fletcher, Mary	Gabriel	Root, Irene Jane
Glendenning, Walter El-	Hamilton, John	Root, Jessie Pearl
liott	Hughes, Christina	Robarts, Abbie
Glendenning, William 11	Hughes, Lewis	Robarts, Dora May

Rostetter, George Smith, George Shelley, William Dean Spooner, George Cum-

Walker, Cora Edith Williams, Margaret Ann Spooner, May Williams Woodcock, Elzora

MARTHA WASHINGTON CHAPTER, No. 13.

Visalia, Tulare County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Fridays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

OFFICERS.	
Marietta Gray	
John L. Rhodes	
Saliie Wells	Associate Matron
John Lub Johnson	Secretary
Marie Harter	
Etta Chatten	Conductress
Helen "L" Hough	Associate Conductress
Thalia Houston	
Edd Douglass	Ruth
Frances Chatten	
Anna Mills Johnston	
Georgia Cleona Chatten	
Charles H. Kinkler	Sentinel
Virginia Neill	
Eliza McVeagh	
Helen Mar Creighton	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Malinda Charlotte Parker, Ida Amanda Markham, Carrie Thoms. Thalia Houston, Alice Louise Jordan, Virginia Neill.

PAST PATRONS.

Leon Levis. Edward McDonald Graham, Fielding "A" Combs.

MEMBERS.

Baird, Mary Frances Balaam, Elizabeth Burland, Mollie Eaton, Frutilla Graham, Jeffie Virginia Kettner, William Gray, Minnie Gray, Wheaton Andrew Messer, Clara Eveline Hall, Myrtle Caroline Hough, Richmond Nolly Nuttall, Hasalom

Johns, Zacharias David Johns, Ida Jane Jordan, John "F" Kettner, Ida Kinkler, Mary Messer, Harry F.

Parker, Basil Gaither Patterson, Thomas Jeff-Reed, George Victor Reed, Mary S. Rhodes, Helen Robertson, Helen Lee Seligman, Louis Sorrells, Rosanna

Spangler, Mary "A" Stoneman, Ellen Stouseland, Estelle Thompson, Susan Wallace, Mary Ann Wentworth, Catherine Whitten, Zacharias J.

REINSTATED.
Burland, Mollie

DIMITTED.

McFadzean, Daniel

McFadzean, Nellie

Patterson, Nettie

SUSPENDED.

Chatten, Thomas Househ, Christiana Househ, Christian McVeagh, Edward Erastus

DECEASED.

Evens, Sarah E.

ST. JOHN'S CHAPTER, No. 14.

Weaverville, Trinity County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Wednesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Louisa Hansen Brady	Worthy Matron
John McMurry	
Ella Wood McMurry, Jr	
Gertrude Mary Flagg	Secretary
Dorothea, Hansen	
Anna Barbara Paulsen	
Rebecca Harvey	. Associate Conductress
Flora Loraine Guthrie	
Hannah Pauline Paulsen	Ruth
Mabel Clara Georing	Esther
Gussie Louise Stiller	
Minnie Sophia Shurtleff	
Anna Barbara Bush	
August Frederick Bremer	Sentinel
Detlef Hansen	Chaplain
Ella Wood McMurry	Marshal
Nellie Zelita Smith	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Dorothea Hansen, Ella Wood McMurry, Anna Barbara Paulsen, Nellie Zelita Smith, Anna Barnickel, PAST PATRONS.

Detlef Hansen, John McMurry, Moses Wm. Personette, August Frederick Bremer.

Minnie Sophia Shurtleff, Encie May Blake, Jennie Flagg, Gussie Louise Stiller.

MEMBERS.

Barnickel, Anna	Guthrie, Adah	Paulsen, Peter Minot
Blake, Seldon Lafayette	Guthrie, Susan	Peterson, Nellie M.
Bowie, James	Haskins, Albert P.	Reed, Benjamin Hayden
Bremer, John Henry	Leonard, Henrietta	Rowles, James
Bremer, Louisa	Leonard, Mary Elizabeth	
Dannenbrink, Augusta	Leonard, Henry William	Smith, Champlain W.
Ann	Martin, Jane	Smith, John Huron
Fisher, John Stuart	Mason, John Clinton	Stiller, Richard William
Flagg, Clara May	McDonald, Gertrude	Swift, Edward Dexter
Flowers, Amanda	Augusta	Thayer, Sarah Elona
Given, Caroline August	aNorcross, Ellen Pratt	Timmerman, Emily
Given, Horace Robert		Vollmers, Kate
Given, William Cushma	nPaulsen, Louisa	Williams, Capitola

DIMITTED,

Burns, Eliza W. Jones, Clara Isabel Jones, Theodore Elden Wenrick, Anna J.

WELCOME CHAPTER, No. 17.

Shasta, Shasta County.

Stated Meetings, Saturday of each Month succeeding the Full of the Moon.

•	OFFICERS.
Emma Strode	Worthy Matron
William A. Boswell	
Martha E. Blair	
Cora Victoria McKeag	Secretary
Mary Ellen Boswell	Treasurer
Nellie J. Lord	
Maria Andrews	
Lillie Starr Swain	.,,
Olive Lord Fish	Ruth
Augusta Strode, nee Schroter	Esther
Margaret Bell	Martha
	Electa
Eunice Frances Blair	Warder
Daniel Potter Bystle	Sentinel
Mary Bell	Chaplain
Jennie Blanche Bell	
Rosaline Bell	Organist

Viola Taylor, Maria Andrews, Louisa Richardson. Cora Victoria McKeag, Jennie Blanche Bell, Mary Bell, Rosaline Bell. Olive Lord Fish.

PAST PATRONS.

John Wm. Garden. Daniel Potter Bystle, Jewett Scranton, William A. Boswell.

MEMBERS.

Andrews, William Bell, Christiana Blair, Eunice Jeanette Dunn, Sarah Forschler, Amelia

Forschler, Frankie Jones, Eva

Le Bonte, Francis XavierPenyman, Ida Lord, Nancy J. Mahon, Morris

McKeag, William Penyman, Thomas J.

Strode, George Strode, John Sales

DECEASED.

Taylor, Clay Webster

LILY OF THE VALLEY CHAPTER, No. 18.

Watsonville, Santa Cruz County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.					
Louise Kidder	Worthy Matron				
Edward F. Wyckoff	Worthy Patron				
Margaret Brewington	Associate Matron				
Edmonia Smith	Secretary				
Louise Watters					
Minnie Kenney	Conductress				
Laura Kittridge, nee Hutchings	Associate Conductress				
Jennie Linscott					
Cora Bixby	Ruth				
Lillie Wright, nee Nagle	Esther				
Zinie Kidder					
Lena Chapman	Electa				
Annie Lennard					
Charlotte Amelia Wood	Sentinel				
Mary Beebe					
Florence Burland	Marshal				
Ida Gunther	Organist				

Charlotte Amelia Wood, Sarah Ann Cox. Sarah Jane Kidder, Melissa Trafton. Antoinette Davis Kidder. Jane Chalmers. Lougenia Rubel, Edmonia Smith. Belle May Jenkins, Mary Kirstina Brassel. Kate Smith King, Mary Jane Clark, Susan Jane Brewington.

PAST PATRONS.

George Washington Hursh, Aaron William Bixby, George Seitz. Edward F. Wyckoff.

MEMBERS.

Andrews, Fannie Austin, Emily Austin, Fred Beebe, Charles Bixby, Ella Brewington, George Brown, Alice Brown, Fannie Bradner Mauk, Nellie Burbeck, Harvena Burbeck, Julius Lee Burbeck, William Burland, Edward Grant Palmtag, Fredericka Cooper, neeChapman, AmyPorter, Warren Clark, Edgar Cox, Rebecca Fowler, Bertha

Hart, Ida Harvey, Elizabeth Hedgepeth, Sadie Hedgepeth, Matt MarshalRogers, Robert Hetherington, Mattie Leland, Philena Lennard, Frederick McGowan, Louisa Morey, Winnifred Palmtag, Charles Rea, Bert Rea, Mamie

Rider, Cordelia Rodgers, Cordelia Rodgers, Eva Seitz, Mary Shaver, Gussie Sterling, Alexander Swevingen, Frank Cordy Thompson, Dora Thompson, Narcissa Thorwoldson, Horace Waters, Adelle Waters, Malinda Watters, Peter Wyckoff, Jane

DIMITTED,

Thompson, Samuel Holleck

SUSPENDED,

Cox, Robert

Thayer, James

DECEASED.

Andrews, Beloh Sargent

Burbeck, Carrie

IDLEWILD CHAPTER, No. 19.

Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Wednesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Annie Elizabeth Howard	
Thompson Wilson Drullard	
Rosetta Louisa Tucker	Associate Matron
Carrie Rose Steinmetz	Secretary
Clara Lorenzen	Treasurer
Bertha Elizabeth Spedding	Conductress
Clara Tibbetts, nee Lincoln	Associate Conductress
Minerva Georgia Dyer	
Rose Ella Reed	
Louisa Lavinia Steinmetz	Esther
Jennie Steen	
Daisie Fox	Electa
Matilda Ann Longley	
Bernard Wise	Sentinel
Perry Clark Tucker	Chaplain
Rebecca Schwartz	
Ida Mary Folsom	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Rebecca Schwartz,
Georgie Adell Smith,
Emeline Louise Folsom,
Cordelia Tilden,
Carrie Rose Steinmetz,
Matilda Ann Longley,
Bertha Barnet,
Mary Belle Wheeler,
Jennie Steen,
Jessie Sarah Rice,
Lottie May Thompson,
Ella Merrill Morris.

PAST PATRONS.

Cathers Drummond Folsom,
Samuel Barnet,
Charles Steinmetz,
Leonard Curtis,
Edward Swift West,
Benj. Anthony Plant,
Perry Clark Tucker.

MEMBERS.

Bailey, Frederick Linwood	lDutton, James Marshall	Rice, Coffee Adams
Bailey, Jennie H.	Farnham, Emma Rice	Spedding, Joseph Mathias
Bowen, Rosanna	Harrington, George Henr	ySteen, Lena
Brooks, Joseph Terry	Lorenzen, Lawrence	Still, Arthur
Cohen, Hannah	Makinney, Astoria	Taylor, Ella Hattie
Curtis, Hattie	Martin, Hannah	Taylor, John Moss
Drullard, Coralinn Eliza	-Moses, Emma Charlotte	Thurber, Anna Rebecca
beth	Peters, Mary Lorenzen	Van Sickle, Ada Eleanor
Dutton Abbie E.	Reed. William	

REINSTATED.

Morris, Ella Merrill

DIMITTED.

Elmes, Mabel Elizabeth

SUSPENDED.

Dutton, James Lewis

DECEASED.

Farnham, Enoch George

VESPER CHAPTER, No. 20.

Red Bluff, Tehama County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Mary Harriet Spann	
Charles Henry Darrough	Worthy Patron
Josephine Callen Johnson	Associate Matron
Laura Bettis Gardner	Secretary
Carrie Augusta Kingsley	Treasurer
Alice Lelia Bransford	Conductress
Saloma Jones	Associate Conductress
Mary Marsh	
Isabel Duncan Hall	Ruth
Helena Schoenfeld	Esther
Hattie Muth McCoy	
Amanda Brown	Electa
Nathaniel I. Boone	
Samuel Lewis	Sentinel
William Robert Hall	
Leo Lewis McCoy	Marshal
Laura Bettis Gardner	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Carrie Augusta Kingsley, Isabel Duncan Hall, Mary Isabel Chipman, Hattie Muth McCoy, Mary Isabel Schofield, Emma Bofinger McCoy, Amanda Brown.

PAST PATRONS.

Henry Withers Brown,
John Wesley Brown,
William Robert Hall,
Leo Lewis McCoy,
Nathaniel I. Boone,
William Preston Johnson.

MEMBERS.

Barham, Georgia Barham, James Louis Boatman, Hannah Ann Brown, Lydia Ellen Chipman, Norton Parker Miller, Belle Coffman, Lucy Doane Fickert, Nellie Agnes Fickert, William Charles Puls, George Fish, William Andrew

Jones, George Thomas Lee, Adelaide Titus McCoy, Alexander Mc. Kean Norvell, Alta Peden, Albert Oliver

Puls, Mary

Schofield, John A. Spann, Walter Cromwell Thureson, Elia Ganong Vestal, Samira Way, Lydia P. Wilson, Aggie Jamieson Worley, Addie Worley, William Henry

ACACIA CHAPTER, No. 21,

Los Angeles, Los Angeles County.

\$ Stated Meetings, First and Third Saturdays of each Month; in Masonic Temple.

officers.				
Minnie Juliet Greenman	Worthy Matron			
Will Ammon Knighten	Worthy Patron			
Maggie Bodman	Associate Matron			
Louise Elise Lembcke	Secretary			
Grace Gertrude Pease				
Minnie Delta Brown	Conductress			
Fidelia Anderson	Associate Conductress			
Grace Anderson				
Mary Anna McCowan				
Daisy Belle Fuller	Esther			
Leola Flodia Orr				
Lizzie A. McKenzie	Electa			
Carrie Paul	Warder			
Isaac Alexander McMillan	Sentinel			
Allie Hewitt	Chaplain			
Susan Sherman				
May Livingston	Organist			

PAST MATRONS.

Margaret Hiviling Heaver, Lizzie Mary Cunningham, Cordelia Penfield Bradfield, Mary Jeannie Parker, Hattie Elizabeth Alexander, Julia Emma Bard, Cora May Getchell, Mary A. Ferguson, Lillie A. Kimball,

PAST PATRONS.

Chas. Wilson Bush, Simon Stoll, John Caleb Salisbury, George Mortimer Holton, Robert Gilmore Cunningham, Frank J. Cooper, William Hurd White, Joseph Martin Lawrance, Joseph Edgar Brown,

Louisa Rockwell, Susan Amelia Wright, Clarissa Hinman, Eugenia King, Henrietta Fulton, Carrie Turner. PAST PATRONS.

Lorenzo D. Rockwell, Elkariah P. Tresslar, Roscoe Edwin Hewitt, Andrew Nichols, Martin Jeremiah Wright.

MEMBERS.

Alexander, Edmund Chappelle, Mary Earl. Victoria Kimball Cherry, Maud Eason, Charles Horace Anderson, Albert F. Clapp, nee Knighten, Eason, Sybil Anderson, Julia Estella Eudora Ferguson, Matilda Lizzie Babcock, Ivah Hall Clark, Helen Ferguson, William Baird, Francis H. Clauser, Anna Fiscus, Joseph Baird, George Stewart Cole, Alice Fowler, Clara B. Bard, Hampton Victor Francis, John W. Cole, Walter Jarette Barnes, Imogene Conradi, Simon Francis, Parmelia Barrows, Thomas Martien Cook, Benjamin Franklin, Eva Rockwood Barrows, Vesta Cook, Emma Imogene Fredericks, nee Blakeley, Bartlett, Josephine Cooper, Nannie Lucretia Agnes Bemis, Frank Crank, Mary E. Fugard, Dora Bemis, Marguerite Crawford, James S. Garber, Claudia Besch, Edna Katherine Crawford, Mary Augusta George, Frances A. Bixel, Elizabeth Cunningham, John Cal- Getchell, Nettie Blakeley, James Oscar vin Getz. Keturah Bodman, Richard Stewart Curl, Grace Ellen Gibson, Frank A. Bonynge, Mary A. Cuzner, James Gilbert, Nancy Bonynge, Walter Alfred Cuzner, Mary R. Gilkey, Rachel Bowles, Alice S. Davis, Elizabeth Glass, Norma Brady, Lina Dawson, Lottie D. Glass, Henry Brooks, Eliza J. Dean, Louise Glass, Lydia Brooks, James Marion Dick, Emma Greer, Isabella Murray Bullis, nee Marden, LuellaDick, Nettie M. Habel, George Henry Diffenbacher, Annie Etta Haberkorn, Ema Foster Burr, Caroline Burgess, Leuta Diffenbacher, Lulu Hagan, Clara Burns, Harriet Dixon, Regina Mast Hall. Ardella Frances Burns, John Dixon, Willis Milnor Hall, Charles Butler, Belle Dodge, Emma Hamilton, nee Scott D'esta Campbell, Electa Sher-Donaldson, Mary E. Hanchette, Emma Amelia Donicken, August H. Harkness, Lillian Carey, Fannie C. Donicken, Sarah Hartrop, Edmund I. Carroll, Kate Downie, Carrie Hatch, Ida Carroll, Jane Downie, William Heartt, Chas, Lawrance Carrick, Ida Eleanor Dunn, nee Green Jennie Hinman, Clifford Chaney, Helen M. Earl, Mary Rachel Hodge, Jacob S.

Horner, Catherine Cowles Marble, Ruth F. Horner, John Marden, Elsie B. Howard, Nettie Marden, William Henry Hurlburt, Elizabeth Marshall, Fannie Jeffries, Richard Hoy Martien, Susan Jeffries, William Thomas Maxwell, Minnie W. Jeffries, William Parrish May, Annie Johnson, Christine McEvers, John W. Johnson, Etta McIntyre, Anna Johnson, Peter F. McIntyre, Chas. W. Johnston, Abbie E. McKenzie, Belle Johnston, John M. McMichals, A. J. Jones, Algernon Sidney McMillan, Mary W. Jordan, Elizabeth Moore, Emma Jordan, Robert Collins Moore, Sidney Howard Judd. Eva Maud Morris, Annie Webster Judd, Helen May Morrisson, Anna F. Judson, Mary L. Morrisson, Edward M. Keeler, Cora Morrisson, Maria Keepers, Lucinda Myers, Melissa Akin King, Villa Niemeyer, Nettie Knighten, Nannie Northrop, Emma Knighten, William C. Off, Louise Knotts, Alice M. Orr, George Patterson Knox, Maria Regina Orr, Lottie Kyle, May Parker, Etta Yager Patterson, Peter F. Lambert, Alma Allie Lambourn, Fred Pattison, James Paul, John Rink Lambourn, Georgiana Lamphar, Gaudalupe de Pavkovich, John Luke Lamphar, William Vaughn Pease, Jessie Frances Lampton, James Lewis Pease, Niles Last, Carl Fred'k August Pease, Sherman Lawrance, Martha Peasley, Andrew Lawson, Lewis B. Plotts, Louise Lembeke, Frida Powell, David Light, Sarah Elizabeth Price, Anna Lincicum, Edith WhitsonPritchard, Evelyn Livingston, Lottie Luella Pritchard, William Elvin Wackerbarth, August Llewellyn, Reece Pugh, James Llewellyn, William Redican, Mary Ann Long, James William Renshaw, Fred. Madden, Michael Rhodes, Kate Sarah Madden, Wilhelmina M. Rice, Elizabeth Ann Richmond, Adah Jane Marble, Byron M.

Richmond, Georgia Bell Richmond, Stanley Rockwood, John Rogers, Eleanor Jane Rogers, Florence Caroline Roley, Mary Rose, Ida Whitson Salisbury, Ellen Alice Sanford, Emma Seekatz, George Philip Schaefer, Emma Schaefer, Henry Scholes, Christine Scott, Luna Scoville, Maria Ella Sheerer, Conrad Sheerer, Louise Conradine Sheets, Sylvester Sheldon, William Sherman Henry Bushnell Sinsabaugh, George Skofstad, Ada Skofstad, Cornelia Skofstad, Mabel Smart, Charity Spencer, Julia Stanway, Lizzie Medora Stevens, Alice Stoll, Mary Strauss, Antonio Teel, Harriet Manton Thornton, Ella Tresslar, Jennie M. Trobeck, John August Turner, Robert M. Urmston, John Keck Vaughn, John William Vories, Myrtle Wackerbarth, Lottie Walsh, Mary Evans Ward, Ada Louella Warmington, Clarence E. Warmington, Mary E.

Wedgewood, Charles Her- Woods, Wm. Thomas bert Willard, Cyrus Winters, Mary Norton Whitson, Jennie L.

Woods, Cornelia Jane Worland, Esther B. Wright, Mary A.

Wright, Wallace Johnson Young, Jennie Clark Young, Lila Zaizer, Anna

DIMITTED.

Brown, Pearl Frazer, Margaret D. McKenna, Patrick A. Parkhurst, Beatrice

Scott, Clara A. Young, Mary Eleanor

DECRASED.

Davis, Harriet Diffenbacher, Minnie Judson, Edward S. M. Teel, Charles Adelbert

FERNDALE CHAPTER, No. 23.

Ferndale, Humboldt County.

Stated Meetings, First Saturday preceding and the Second Saturday succeeding the Full Moon of each Month.

0	FFICERS.
May Shaw	Worthy Matron
Frank Hanley	
Stella Kerfoot	Associate Matron
	Secretary
Eliza J. Damon	Treasurer
Annie Buttle	Conductress
	Associate Conductress
Clara S. Cooper	
Leona Hanley	Ruth
	Esther
Blanche Damon	Martha
Anna Monroe	Electa
Jennie Hall	
David Stillings	Sentinel
Ella Miner	Chaplain
Mary Gill	Organist

PAST MATRONS. .

Mary A, Hart, Eliza J. Damon, Henrietta Parker, Ida E. Inskip, Frances L. Hart, Mary Gill,

PAST PATRONS.

Elbridge C. Damon, Leonard S. Hicks, Oscar D. Whittier, Zeolotas B. Patrick, John E. Foster, Philip S. Inskip,

Anna Monros, Ella Miner, Lizzie J. Williams, Eliza Bartlett, Lena Patrick, Priscilla Whittier, Fannie Smith. PAST PATRON.
William B. Alford.

MEMBERS.

Alford, Mary Blakemore, Gay Blakemore, John W. Blakemore, Malinda J. Capwell, Annie Capwell, Bertha Capwell, Jennie Comisto, Silvia Cooper, Eugene M. Crouch, Kate M. Doe, Blanche Doe. Charles A. Doe, Hannah S. Dungan, Eleanor Dungan, Joanna Edwards, Ray H. Frances, Meda Fulmore, Elizabeth Fulmore, Mark A. Fulmore, Smith

Gill, Carrie Gill, Harriet Hall, Thomas J. Hart, Helen Hansen, Henry A. Harville, Annie J. Haywood, Kate Hicks, Emma L. Hindley, George Hindley, Margaret Johnston, Anna Kerfoot, Joseph Kirri, Sallie Miller, Annie Miner, Cary Miner, Lee H. Miner, Mabel Patrick, Giles Patrick, Martha Pollard, John T.

Renfro, David K. Renfro, Sarah Richards, Margaret Mary Richards, Thomas Roberts, Annie Robinson, Don A. Robinson, Ella G. Russ, Ira A. Samuels, Wm. Samuels, Rachel Scott, Angelina Shaw, Joseph A. Stilling, Sarah Swift, Louisa M. Swift, Sidney Bourne Williams, Arabella Wooldridge, Harriet Wooldridge, William Worthington, Lizzie

SUSPENDED.

Dungan, Adella Kemp, Marie Pollard McBride, Elizabeth Smith, Geneva Stevens, Mercy Stevens, Rufus W.

NORTHERN LIGHT CHAPTER, No. 26.

Millville, Shasta County.

Stated Meetings, Second Saturday and last Wednesday of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Josephine Coots	
George Washington Thatcher	Worthy Patron
Eliza Jane Rose	Associate Matrop
Ella May Martin	Secretary

Lucretia Ann Welch	Treasurer
Ella Nona Dunbam	Conductress
Martha Ellen Thatcher	Associate Conductress
Lillian May Shearin	
Mary Elizabeth Smith	Ruth
Emma F. Smith	Esther
Emma Elizabeth Smith	
Artie Heryford	Electa
Sarah Overmyre	Warder
Jacob Daniel Overmyre	Sentinel
Elmira Smith	Chaplain
Jennie Rawlings	
Kate E. Webb	Organist

Martha Jane Martin,
Eliza Elizabeth Shearin,
Sarah Overmyre,
Artie Heryford,
Ella Nora Dunham,
Jennie Rawlings,
Emma Elizabeth Smith,
Elmira Smith,
Mary Jane Dunham,
Lucretia Ann Smith, nee Welch,
Ella May Martin.

PAST PATRONS.

Herman Frederick Ross,
Daniel Thomas Shearin,
Albert Frederick Ross,
Erastus Edward Rawlings,
William Adkin Smith,
Joseph Albee Dunham,
Frederick Dersch,
George Washington Thatcher.

MEMBERS.

Baker, Nellie	Love, Mary	Sheridan, George Wash-
Bass, Ida	McBroom, Alva	ington
Brand, Harriet D.	Ogburn, John William	Smith, Addie
Case, Minnie	Pullen, William	Smith, Ida Jane
Darrah, Bennie	Sanderlin, Julia Spencer	Taylor, Annie
Dersch, Mary	Sheridan, Adelbert Oscar	Taylor, Ida Elizabeth
Harris, Sara	Sheridan, Akie	Taylor, John Zacharia
Huster, Louis Fred		Thatcher, Rebecca

IVY CHAPTER, No. 27.

San Francisco, San Francisco County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each Month, in Golden Gate Hall, No. 629 Sutter St.

O C	FFICERS.	
Jennie Abbott Graves		Worthy Matron
Ellwood Perry Morey		.Worthy Patron
Queie Dom	Δ.	generate Matron

Eva D'Ancona Salsbury	Secretary
Carrie Augusta Anthony	
Lydia Anna Steele	Conductress
Frances Lenory Bonifield	
Florence Edith Raymond	Adah
Mary Bentley Morey	Ruth
Maud Fetter	
Jeannette Cutler Patridge	
Charlotte Eliza Tisdale	Electa
Louisa Nevada Wetzlar	Warder
Jane Rodecker	Sentinel
Frank Maxson	Chaplain
Annie Judson Lambert	

Eleanor Marie Owens. May Frances Camblien, Calista Spaulding, Jeannie Blake, Abbie Alma Salsbury, Tilda Jennie Leland, Kate Maxson. Susan Knowlton Allen, Cornelia Ludlow Gray, Annie Judson Lambert, Clara Abbott Giberson, Helen May Patterson, Bessie Johnson, Abbie Elvenia Krebs, Susie Favor Lockwood, Phobe Smith Howland, Mai Lillian Malgren.

PAST PATRONS.

John Hatfield Gray, Frank Maxson. George Wm. Henry Patterson, John P. McMurray, Nelson Schofield Giberson, Henry Ascroft, Cyrus C. Dow, Caleb Russell Wilcoxon.

MEMBERS.

Alexander, Mary Tom Anderson, Isaac Ascroft, Alice Whitfield Bell, William T. Benedict. Carrie Jane Blake, Charles Robert Bonifield, Samuel Bunker, Robert Elmer Bockius, Frances Coburn, Ella Anna Coffran, Adrianna

Coleman, Harriet A. M. Drew, George W. Coleman, S. Elizabeth Craig, Sarah J. Crooks, George Bates Crooks, Hattie Adell Croxson, Julia Ellen Dallas, Maria Davies, Isabel E. Clark, Charlotte Kinsler DeMamiel, Carrie Wilson Hopper, Sarah E. De Puy, Edward S. Dodd, Willie C.

Evans, Ella F. Foster, Sarah A. Fetter, Frank Culin Graves, Lucy Nicolina Halstead, John B. Haskell, Hattie A. Hemstreet, Altred David Dearborn, Lydia Willard Hillman, Jeannette Cecele Hougaard, Dorothea C. E. Kiser, Lydia A.

Raymond, Jane Ladd, Frank Bacon Lange, Johanna Lewis, Hattie T. Lewis, Lemuel T. McAlpin, Alice Blake McLaughlin, Mary R. McNorton, Nancy L. Metzner, Charles Francis Rieser, Kate E. Mehrteus, Isabella Mehrtens, John H. Miller, Belle Morgan, Elizabeth O. Noah, Harriet Teresa Normand, Blanche Ada Norton, Adele Norton, Lewis Elliott Patton, Charles Lewis Periam, Chas, James Perkins, Florence H. Perkins, Jennie Perkins, Samuel Henry Prescott, Lizzie

Reed, Mary Reynolds, Edward Blessington Madden, Wilkes Cuyler Reynolds, Harriet Lucre- Thomas, William tia McLane, Elizabeth Mary Richardson, Clotilde R. Richardson, Willis Lean-Tisdale, Robert Francis Robison, Ausel Cobb Robison, Isadora Rodecker, Elias Rosenkrans, Mariella Seeley, Harriet L. Sheldon, Catherine Shaw, Ida Eunice Sommer, Christian Fred-Willson, Alvina Heuer Patton, Virginia Marion Sommer, Barbara Ellen Springer, Charlotte Stadtmiller, Anna Steele, Daniel Lucas Stofen, Alice

Studabecker, Savannah L. Sutherland, Margaret Elizabeth Thomas, Mary J. Thomson, Annie Thrall, Mabel Tucker, Emma Corrine Vandercook, Roberts Vandergaw, Anna Wallace, John Hargreaves Warren, Eugenia K. Wheelock, Lizzie J. Williams, Elizabeth Williams, Margaret Jane Williams, Mary Arminda deWinton, Rose Wilkins deWinton, Wm. Wilkins Woodward, Albert Pearson Wrenn, Hattie D. Wright, William Chandler

INITIATED.

Schmidt, Val

REINSTATED.

Graves, Lucy Nicolina

DIMITTED.

Benedict, Ada Viola Benedict, Chas. Edward Cantin, Annie Harriett Christensen, Andrew Christensen, Elizabeth J. Keyston, Leila A. Driffield, Vero Caius Fischer, Virginia Foster, Frederick

Foster, Mary Garton Hale, Mary J. Holmes, May Reynolds Keyston, James Woods McDougall, Harriet Rose Scott, Mary G. McPhun, Harriet Ann

McPhun, William Parmalee, Jas. Edward Reed, Isabel Schmidt, Olive H. Schmidt, Val Searles, Margaret Belva

SUSPENDED.

Harland, Hester A.

Kervan, Ida Marion

VACAVILLE CHAPTER, No. 28.

Vacaville, Solano County.

Stated Meetings, Friday of each Month, following the Full Moon.

OFFICERS.										

Sarah Etna Buck	
Frank Benjamin McKevitt	
Laura McKevitt	
Ella Maria Arnold.	
Juliet Powers	Treasurer
Norah Dobbins	
Ida Morris	Associate Conductress
Ella Jacqueline Page	
Millicent Thurber	Ruth
Hattie Pierce Gates	Esther
Meusetta Morris	
Mary Wells	Electa
Bettie Agnes Rogers	
Henry Eversole	Sentinel
Isabella Eversole	
Catherine Deakin	Marshal
Daisy Ball	

PAST MATRONS.

Dollie Collins,
Isabella Jones Eversole,
Catherine Deakin,
Ella Maria Arnold,
Sarah Etna Buck,
Daisy Ball,
Susan Belle Wooderson.

PAST PATRONS.

Henry Eversole,
Jacob Blum,
Ingalls Kenney Buck,
Frank Benjamin McKevitt,
John Monroe Arnold,
William Henry Buck,
George Frederick Wooderson,
Charles Henry Ball.

MEMBERS.

Ackerly, Ellsworth Alde:	nGates, Thomas Lee	Pinkham, Bertha
Apperson, Emma	Inglish, William Pember	r-Powers, George Adelbert
Apperson, Maggie	ton	Powers, Leona Rawson
Blum, Moses	Keetch, Ada	Price, Sarah Alice
Brown, Eliza Jane	Lindsley, Albert W.	Price, William Henry
Brown, Schuyler DeLois	Lindsley, Jennie C.	Rogers, Celia May
Buck, Frank Herbert	Merchant, John B.	Rogers, James Roe
Buck, Jennie	Merchant, Melissa	Rogers, Laura
Cargill, Dell H.	Morris, Anna	Watson, Elsie
Fisher, Amanda	Neilson, Ole	Watson, Henry Melville
Fisher, Edward	Page, David Cooper	Wells, John
Frame, George	Peterson, Louis Henry	Wilson, Maggie M.
Frazer, John Robert		
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REINSTATED.

Fisher, Amanda

Fisher, Edward

DIMITTED.

Horrigan, Ora B.

Platt, Clare

SUSPENDED.

Farmer, Nellie C. Hubert, Joseph N. Van deVenter, Amy Van deVenter, Fred S.

SILVER GATE CHAPTER, No. 30.

Benicia, Solano County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Elizabeth Jane Durner	
Allan Page Sanborn	Worthy Patron
Lacie Newmark	
Annie Marie Durner	Secretary
Maggie Chisholm	
Kittie Godley	
Matilda R. Durner	
Maud Remington	
Maggie Sanborn	
Carrie Estey	Martha
Ida Adele Smith	
Lucy Remington	
Samuel John Filer	

Christie Chisholm,
Agnes Johnson,
Kate Godley, nee Monnee,
Maggie Sanborn,
Effie B. Thompson,
Elizabeth Jane Durner.

PAST PATRONS.

John Frazier, Allan Page Sanborn, Elmore M. Billings.

MEMBERS.

Billings, Addie M. Fox, Jean
Campbell, Anita Mercedes Glassen, Louisa
Dalton, Hannah Howe, Melissa Ann
Fahrenholz, Mary F. Kullman, Jacob
Foreman, Adeline Lambley, Agnes Cobb

Newmark, Richard Phillipson, Katherine Randall, Ella Henrietta Williamson, William

SUSPENDED.

Innes, Eleanor McKenzie, Jennie McKenzie, Jas. Buchanan Poundstone, Jesse Sage, Perlina

SAN JOSE CHAPTER, No. 31.

San Jose, Santa Clara County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Lydia Toland McKee	Worthy Matron
Clarence Haydock	Worthy Patron
Susie January Hale	Associate Matron
Kate Willcox	Secretary
Martha Ann Beach	Treasurer
Frank Elizabeth Fowler, nee Haydock	Conductress
Lessie Maud Rainey	Associate Conductress
Helen Buckley	
Clara Nancy May	Ruth
Annie Elizabeth Hyland	Esther
Libbie Irene Sheaff	Martha
Sadie Jane Jordan	
Minnie Evelyn Gummer	Warder
Lucinda Eliza Cook	Sentinel
Maggie P. Van Reed Biddle	
Isabel Elizabeth Bell	
Harriett Angeline Rainey	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Mary Ann Springer Knox, Sarah Elizabeth Barker, Lucinda Eliza Cook, Eliza Priest, Sarah Reynolds, Sue McWilliams, Sarah Frances Horne, Sarah Jane Morse, Mary Lovina Southworth, Ella Sinex Gay. Sallie Ann Potts, Augusta Bradley Smith, Ella Mary Cox, Janie Pender, Lucy Barker, Lulu Baker Blanchard,

PAST PATRONS.

Daniel Jewett Porter,
Wilbur Justus Willcox,
Samuel Alphonse Barker,
Peter Long,
William Alexander January,
Samuel Freeman Ayers,
William Larkin Woodrow,
Hiram Daniel Tuttle,
George Butterfield McKee,
Perley Francis Gosbey,
Elton Ream Bailey,
Michael Henry Hyland,
James Franklin McKee.

Agnes Conant, Josephine Van Vliet Bromley, Myrtle Louise Wilkins.

MEMBERS.

Conant, Ernest Woodbury Hofstra, Sake Antoine Averett, Emma Conlisk, Charles Wm. Hunt, William H. Ayers, America Ellen Ingram, Delia Porter Conlisk, Frances Ayers, Edith Cary Coulter, Augusta Smith James, Jennie Bailey, Flora Cordelia Coulter, Will Alexander January, Mary Helen Bailey, Martha Adeline D'Ablaing, Abbie Eliza'th Jones, Josephine Barber, Alice Jordan, Wm. Samuel Barber, Lawrence Evans Davis, Josephine Knox, Alexander Smith Barker, Alfred Davy, John Martin Battee, Albert Jackson Davy, Mand Connell Layson, Mary Casandre Edwards, Cora May Leigh, Agnes Battee, Claribel Leigh, Hugh Alexander Beach, Tyler Entriken, Benjamin Lenzen, Caroline Beaulien, Jessie Maud Frank Lenzen, Theodore Bell, Margaret Eliza Entriken, Mary Cherrie Berr, August William Farrington, Jennie A. Long, Mollie Rudolph Farrington, Melvin J. Lowe, Ralph Malpas, Louise Fisher, Ruby Markres Berr, Emma Eliza Bodley, Grace Foss, Sarah Ann Markres, Amanda Markres, Harvey Foss, William F. Bodley, Julia Bodley, Julia Ann Foss, James Cabrin May, George Beldazzer McComas, Ann Eliza Bodley, Thomas Foss, Lavinia Dickson Boulware, Alice Lucretia Geer, Hannah Salina McComas, Annie Boulware, Mary Rucker Geer, Jessie Marguerite McComas, Rush Gillespie, Mary Florence McDonald, Archibald Boulware, Milton Amos Ginty, Sarah Ehrmann McDonald, Jessie Bragg, George Henry Ginty, William Maurice McKee, Georgie Bragg, Margaret Anu Gosbey, Susie Rucker McKee, Lizzie Bromley, Van Buren Bruch, Louisa Charlotte Grey, Hannah Mellen, Eve Monroe, Annie F. Bruch, Urania Grey, Georgie Gummer, Everett Earl Moreland, Gertrude Buckley, Emma Moreland, Samuel Edward Burchard, Cora Guppy, Edward Ham Cameron, Ada Belle Guppy, Lucia Munroe, Belle Beatrice Cameron, Nannie Kathryn Harris, Ada Bell Murdock, Alexander Cameron, William Harris, Albert Murgotten, Mattie Kelley Castle, Adah Delmatia Haeden, Thomasine Har- Ore, Henrietta Shuld Chambers, Seymour vev Osborne, Antrim Edgar Osborne, Margaret Paxton Coffin, Fred Sanford Hall, Helen Virginia Cook, Blanche Alberta Hall, Jav Pierce Osgood, Harriet Haydock, Emily Alice Osgood, Marion Hudson Cook, Hattie Barton Cook, Hattie Dell Herrod, Lilla Maria O'Hanlon, Fanny O'Hanlon, Lucretia Cook, Joseph Wheeler Hofstra, Margaret

Tuttle, Lois Florence Parton, Lucy Ann Rucker, Jas. Toliver Parton, Martha Ann Rucker, Samuel Newton Vale, Cora Pender, Wm. Rattray Shartzer, Mattie Harper Varcoe, Laura Perrin, Frances Viola Smith, Bradley Wakeley, May Perrin, Thomas Abram Smith, Sophronia Walthall, Mattie Pillot, Emma Zora Snyder, Letitia Pearl Wayland, Lucy Rucker Porter, Caroline Augusta Southworth, Ida Grace Wheeler, Ella C. Southworth, Malek Adhel Wible, Anna Potts, John Samuel Priest, Richard Turner Spitzer, Eliz'th Hardin Wieland, Helen Maud Purington, Beulah Mig- Spitzer, Lewis Amos Wilcox, Harvey Warren Spitzer, Edith A. Willcox, Jennie nonne Purington, Esther Spitzer, Frank E. Willey, Emma Watkins Raymond, Bertha Ger-Steele, Davis Willey, Henry Lee Steele, Ellen Williams, Charles R. trude Reed, Flora Augusta Stockton, Fannie Williams, Dell M. Stone, Thomas Jefferson Witten, Charles Reed, Warren DeWitt Woodrow, Emma Hubbard Reynolds, Geo. Washing'n Thomas, Eliza Richl, Emma Tooker, Carrie Jane Worthen, George W. Riley, Nellie Mathews Topham, Edward Worthen, Mary Jane Robertson, Cassie S. Topham, Hattie Eliza Wright, Henry Ward Robertson, Richard Felix

CEASED CONTRIBUTING. Gribner, George Thomas

DIMITTED.

Blanchard, Wm. Winfield Lambkin, Anna Boschen Shiveley, Bessie McNeist Dorsey, Fannie Emmaline Menzel, Anna Belle Toney, Ellen Dorsey, Thomas Beale Offield, Harriet Morrison West, Georgie Isabelle

SUSPENDED.

Alderman, Fred Alton Mahoney, Dennis Vincent Shields, James Robert Mahoney, Eunice EvelynShields, Nora Berthilda Connell, Ada McKenney McKenney, Irene Adelia Tobin, Joanna Dittus, Elizabeth Anna McKie, James Harvey Welch, Geo. Washington Dittus, Geo. Benjamin Fisher, John Edward Morehouse, Henry V'nc'tWelch, Ruth Morehouse, Jennie Wyatt, Emily Hattie Fowler, Fanny Alice Northern, Lulu Maud Wyatt, James Bellman Lovett, Frances Bishop

DECEASED.

Davis, Delia Mackenzie, Mary Rucker, Susan

EXPELLED.
Walthall, Jeter Witt

ROSE VALLEY CHAPTER, No. 33.

Santa Rosa, Sonoma County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of Each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Eva Mabel Simpson Worthy Matron	1
Richard Fruit Crawford	1
Lu Liddell Wines Associate Matron	1
Mary Tompkins Murphey Secretary	y
Jeannie Fountain Treasurer	r
Ella ButinConductress	3
Emma Pfrimmer Meneray Associate Conductress	B
Emma BeldenAdah	Ď.
Theresa Levinia Lee	n
Etta Eudora Lowery	r
Annie Julia Jones	8
Andrea Dorothea PetersonElects	
Jessarah PeterWarder	r
Winslow Simon HosmerSentine	ì
Mary Caroline Devereaux	n
Barbra Allen Doggett	,1
Clara Ella ShawOrganis	t

PAST MATRONS.

Clementine Shepherd, Camelia Susan Pope, Mattie Ross, Sarah Hart, Mary Tompkins Murphey, Lolla Davis, Mary "M" Hosmer, Rebecca Ann Fisher, Mary Murdock, Mary Josephine Hutchinson, Rachel Hutchinson, Emma Amanda Bumbaugh, Clara Lemmon, Mary Caroline Devereaux, Mary Elizabeth Lewis, Dora Marie Stofen, Jeannie Fountain.

PAST PATRONS.

"J" Avery Shepherd,
Winslow Simon Hosmer,
Allen Bryant,
Allen Bosley Lemmon,
William Jordan Doggett,
William Freeman Wines,
Peter Nicolas Stofen.

MEMBERS.

Arnold, Amasa "W" Brown, Arthur DeWitt Bumbaugh, Charles MarArnold, Maranda Julia
Belden, Charles Clinton
Brown, Anna Maria
Brown, Sadie Leona
Brown, Anna Maria
Bumbaugh, Alice Bertha Cheery, Frank Eugene

Claypool, Alice	Jackman, Elnora J.	Phillips, Lillian
Cline, Henry Christine	Johnson, Andrew	Phillips, Teresa
Crawford, Maggie "M"	Johnson, Emma	Reedy, Ray "B"
Davis, John Bell	Keenon, Elizabeth	Reedy, Amelia Beaumont
Doran, Sarah Jane	Kumli, Bertha	Reeves, Henry Francis
Elliott, Louise A.	Laughlin, Annie Augusta	Rogers, Ella
Emery, Nettie Frances	Laughlin, James Henry	Ross, Belle
Farmer, Florence	Laughlin, John McGill	Rupe, Elizabeth Owen
Farmer, Louise	Lewis, George Washington	Schneider, Elizabeth
Faught, Martha Frances	Loeb, Antoni	Shaw, Alice
Frehe, Minnie	Loeb, Eli	Shaw, William
Fulkerson, Fannie	Martenson, Elizabeth	Simpson, Willie Burtin
Fulton, Somers Barnhill	Martenson, Hans	Slusser, Susan Effie
Gibson, Sarah Ellen	McDougal, Carrie	Thompson, Amelia
Guerne, Eliza	Meneray, Prince Albert	Trowbridge, Emma
Hall, Flora	Merrill, Ellen Augusta	Trowbridge, George "T"
Hall, George	Mills, Nancy	Tupper, George Anderson
Hardin, Belle Dunn	Mobley, Annie Dorothea	Vanderhoof, Zella
Hardin, Nannie Charlotte	Mobley, Cyrus Lyman	Worthington, Isabel
Harris, Florence	Murdock, Louis Anthony	Young, Emma
Harris, Phebe	Park, Ellen Angeline	Young, Neva
Hockin, Libbie	Peter, Alice	Young. William Harvey
Hockin, William	Peterson, Andrew	

CONTRIBUTING.

Lavin, Josephine

REINSTATED.

Warner, Margrette

DIMITTED.

Davis, Edward Walker Davis, Margrette

Doggett, Georgie Willetta Page, Charles Fisher, Augustus Leander Varner, Margrette

SUSPENDED.

Body, Annie Body, Mark Hodge, Minnie Corinne Tripp, Hiram Lewis Saxton, Mary Elizabeth Tripp, Mollie Crane

DECEASED.

Butin, James Madison

Henderson, Mary

VERNON CHAPTER, No. 35.

Gridley, Butte County.

Stated Meetings, 1st and 3d Saturdays of Each Month after the Full Moon.

Homer Allen Woodworth Secretary

Martha Ann Wickman	rer
Clara BevanConductr	ess
Sarah B. Jones	ess
Katie Miller	lah
Laura Ruff	ath
Addie Louise StaffordEstl	her
Fannie Fern Smith	ha
Ele	cta
Mary Jeanette Woodworth	der
Levi Smith Sentin	nel
Mary Elizabeth Durley Chaple	ain
Myra Emmeline Jenkins	
Florence BigelowOrgan	

Julia Stiles, Clara Bigelow, Clara Bevan. Rosaline Fagan, Lillie Hutchins, Esther Mould, Martha Ann Wickman, Mary Jeannette Woodworth, Mary Elizabeth Durley, Maria Emmeline Jenkins, Addie Louise Stafford, Harriet McCurry.

PAST PATRONS.

Joseph T. Harris, Marous James Bigelow, Thos. Boyd Hutchins, Homer Allen Woodworth, James Thomas Galbreath. George Deitrich Wickman.

MEMBERS.

Clyma, Thos. S. Anderson, Clara Ball, Emma Fagan, Edward Baldwin, Helen L. Forbes, Emma Isabelle Galbreath, Emma L. Barker, Katie Barker, Washington Dunn Hammon, Agusta A. Biggs, Edward Ernest Hammon, Wendell Phil- Richter, Arthur Block, Chas. Henry ucius Block, Nora E. Ryan Hawkins, Josie Biggs Ivy, Martin Tillman Boling, Nellie Buck, Mary Kellogg, Lillie Channon, Adeline Malcolm, Vernelia D Channon, Charlotte Mannaugh, Jennie Channon, Thomas Bend-McCurry, Samuel Sevier Sperry, Willard Fenton Moore, Charles Alonzo ing Mould, William Clyma, Annie

Myers, James Myers, John Norman, Bertha M. Norman, Mary J. Galbreath, Martha Susan Norman, Richard Augustus Richter, Christina Richter, Elizabeth Robinson, Myra Delphine Smith, Gilman Kendall Smith, Jeannette Sperry, Alice May Stafford, Wm. Henry Stone, Elinor Marguerite Stone, Theresa Virginia Van Fossen, Maria Trueblood, Lizzie Emma Van Fossen, Thomas Unger, Gussie Ezra Welch, Marie E. Woodruff, Ellen Missouri

DIMITTED.

Gaines, Nettie Viola

Gaines, Francis A.

SUSPENDED.

Bruce, Mary Bruce, Mattie Virginia Crusick, Amelia Darneille, Bessie V. Kennedy, Mary P. Miller, Arthur G. Miller, Caroline Morgan, Sydney H. Robinson, Robert E. Schwartz, Abraham Willis, Elizabeth S.

DECEASED.

Pugh, Aaron

Stone, Lewis Charles

NAOMI CHAPTER, No. 36.

Sacramento, Sacramento County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

	OI I IODIO.
Agnes S. Hall	
James B. Giffen	Worthy Patron
Fannie M. Willis	Associate Matron
Emma A. Bidwell	Secretary
Harriet Sutliff	Treasurer
Ema Gett.	
Mary Frances Jordan	Associate Conductress
	Adah
Elizabeth Grinton	Ruth
	Esther
Sadie E. Rippon	Martha
Alice M. Kellogg	Electa
Mary Jane Davis	
George Dunn	Sentinel
Horace Alden Mayhew	Chaplain
Mand Frager, nee Guthrie	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Mary Jane Cravens, Hettie Ann Dunn, Kate Elizabeth Boyd, Mary Florence Miller, Mary Jane Mayhew, Cora Jane White,

PAST PATRONS.

Robert Oscar Cravens, John Walter Boyd, Alex. John Gardiner, Geo. Amos White, John Hurley, Horace Alden Mayhew,

Hannah Wright, Ella Augusta Hatch, Minnie Elizabeth Kolliker, Georgia Carrie Guthrie, Lucy Louisa Gett, Alicia C. Stanton, Sarah W. Cunningham, Mattie Rood Carrier.

PAST PATRONS.

George Dunn, Evert Wilburn Hale, Theodore George Eilers, Powell Samuel Lawson, Evander B. Willis, John T. Griffiths, Charles C. Aiken, David Farr.

MEMBERS.

Green, Josephine Martha McCoy, Ida Hobart Adams, Rachel Griffee, Emmogene Affolter, Anna Barnard, Alice Rosina Grinton, Jolen K. Blair, Hattie Goss, Eliza L. Bauer, nee Hoops, Laura Guth, Joseph Guthrie, Daisy E. Browning, Anna Bell Buckley, John Joseph Guthrie, John Wm. Hale, Berdenia Lee Byers, Mary Abigail Carrier, William J. Hamilton, William B. Christie, Carrie Simpson Harris, Lizzie Clark, Emma Jane Hayes, Anna Clark, George W. Hayes, George William Heitman, Evaline Claypool, Isabella Crain, Addie Heitman, James H. Crews, Ida Virginia Hobart, Louise Davis, George G. Hoover, Margaret Lettie Olney, Lucretia Dolen, Lizzie Hornlein, Jennie Domingos, Jennie Hornlein, Max James, Annie Eddy, May Johnson, August Edwards, Dora Eilers, Mary Thompson Johnson, Mary Eilers, Pauline Malinda Johnston, Belle M. Jones, Mattie Elliott. Christopher Fredericks, Morris Jones, Wm. Rowland Freeman, Etta Jordon, Luther C. Jordon, Alice May Gardiner, Hattie Gett, William Andrew Jordon, Grace Hatch Giffen, Hattie Joy, Robert Gill, Anna Keber, Clara Gillis, Inis Melissa Kinkead, Martha Jane Griffiths, Georgiana Kleinsorge, Ella Wilder Krebs, Charlotte Gregory, Eugene J. Green, Cynthia Lorena Lawson, Augusta Lyon, Melissa Green, Delma Green, John Albert Macdonald, John A.

McKee, Emeline Lavania McLaughlin, May Ferrel McLaughlin, William Meister, August Meister, Margaret Miller, Carrie Miller, Ida Virginia Moore, Mary Moore, Thos. J. Newman, Fredrika Newman, May Noack, Ida Ochsner, Lucila Olney, Cephas C. Petrie, Wm. Munroe Philip, Robert Phillips, George Porter, Clive W. Rego, Mary Reynolds, A. T. J. Reynolds, Olivia Roblin, nee Newman, Minnie Rose, Rachel Church Runyon, Adelaide Runyon, Ora Russell, Ida Seymour, Mabel Boyd Sheets, Annie Eleanor Sheets, Perry Oscar H. Snell, Chauncy Newell Snell, Ann Nancy Stanton, Bertie C.

Stevenson, John N. Stevenson, Harry L, Stevenson, Maggie Spickett, nee Clark, Lotti Sutliff, Levi Beardsley Tolley, Cora	Tubbs, Emma Adah Tubbs, Henry Osman Tubbs, Rebecca ieVaughan, Maggie Vaughan, Richard Webster, Emily	Wilder, Isabella Willis, Theodora Woodburn, Ann Eliza Woolston, Jennie Young, Louise Rego
	CONTRIBUTING,	
	Stanton, Perrin	
	DIMITTED.	
Bergman, Agusta	Luhrs, Anna	Nichols, Charles B.
Bergman, Frank	Luhrs, Charles A.	Remle, Fred C.
Davis, Wm. B.	McCarty, Alma	Young, Carrie Locke

SUSPENDED.

Cathcart, Kate Frazer, Henry C.

Edinger, Matie

Hunt, Mattie Lynn, Hattie

Sawyer, Augusta Wright, William H.

DECEASED.

Lyon, Edward

Miller, Wm. Buchanan

Pierson, Henry Hudson

STELLA CHAPTER, No. 39.

Yreka, Siskiyou County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Fridays of each Month.

OFFICERS

OFFICERS.	
Nancy Jeannette Collar.	Worthy Matron
George Albert Tebbe	Worthy Patron
Alice Rachel Powers	
Carrie May Wadsworth	Secretary
Carrie Alma Walker	Treasurer
Frances Cordelia Butler	Conductress
Kate Merrill Tapscott	Associate Conductress
Dora Larison	
Jennie Irene Hovey	Ruth
Ida Young Donmeyer	Esther
Mary Evans Scheld.	Martha
Annie Ackley Beard	
Amelia Huseman	Warder
James Marsellus Powers	Sentinel
Adoniram Judson Collar	
Sarah Eliza Brown	
Leonora Clementina Huseman	Organist

Lora Virginia Ream,
Sarah Eliza Brown,
Alice Isadore Walbridge,
Mary Ella Bankin,
Mary Augusta Radford,
Ida Young Donmeyer,
Currie May Wadsworth,
Carrie Alma Walker,
Dora Larison,
Amelia Huseman.

PAST PATRONS.

John Morris Walbridge, John Samuel Pellet, Henry David Robertson, Robert Rankin, Thomas Henry Gilbert, John William Bird, James Robert Tapscott, Adoniram Judson Collar, George Dexter Butler.

MEMBERS.

Autenrieth, Frederick	Gates, Alvia Ann	Pashburg, Mary Louisa
Alexander	Gregory, Calvin Levy	Radford, Wm. Arundel
Autenrieth, Olive Eliza-	Gregory, Rhoda Ann	Raynes, Alonzo Emery
beth	Harmon, John Enoch	Ream, Hattie Amelia
Beard, John Samuel	Harmon, Neilie Octavia	Ream, Daniel
Beard, Emma Jane	Huseman, Frederika	Ream, Henry Belden
Bird, Clara Louisa	Horn, Susan Jane	Scheld, Louis Philip
Bisbee, Emma	Houghton, George Frede	-Shattuck, Ann Eliza
Churchill, Jerome Percy	rick	Shattuck, Silas
Churchill, Josie Wheeler	Houghton, Mary Jane	Sheldon, Orra Ella
Denny, Ida Augusta	Larison, Charles Amos	Smith, Benj. Franklin
Durgin, Esther	Leland, Jessie	Tebbe, William Edward
Fabricius, Andrew Jones	Leland, William Lester	Wadsworth, Frederick
Fabricius, Maggie Sabina	McBride, John Franklin	Elijah
Farmer, Phena Minnie	Nordheim, Caroline	Wadsworth, James Henry
Fitchett, Charles Lee	Nordheim, Louis	White, Eliza Jane
Fitchett, Lizzie Dunbar	Pashburg, John	White, Samuel

DECEASED.

McBride, Myra Estella

AURORA CHAPTER, No. 40.

Grass Valley, Nevada County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Mondays of each Month.

	OFFICERS.	
Harriet Carr		Worthy Matron
William Christopher Dart Bod		
Mary Suyder.	- 	Associate Matron
Elspeth Walker		
Rose Wilhelm		
Emma Saymour		Conductress

Hannah Rogers	. Associate Conductress
Emily Halsall	
Nellie Mitchell	Ruth
Annie Dunstan	
Marie Zipf	
Sarah Curnow	
Mary Niles	
Sarah Bishop	
Aurelia Smith	
Sophie Wilhelm	
Emily Halsall	

Emma Dibble,
Gertrude Leah Barker,
Minnie Relley,
Ann Elizabeth Hudson,
Aurelia Smith,
Rose Wilhelm,
Elizabeth Crocker,
Emma Dibble Kitts,
Christiana Body,
Louise Morehouse,
Sophie Wilhelm,
Emily Halsall,
Maria Young.

PAST PATRONS.

William Gordon Hudson, Theodore Henry Wilhelm, Isador Stein, John Terrill, John Harris, William Christopher Dart Body.

MEMBERS.

Barger, Louisa Markham Haas, Mary Nathan Barker, Charles Hankins, Fidelia Beatty, Mattie Hare, Annie Binkleman, Sophia Harris, Mary Blamey, Minnie Brockington, Martha Brownell, Julia Burnie, Merena Huss. Susie Cady, Minnie Clinch, Isabel Elizabeth Coombs, Ann Coughlin, John Coughlin, Lillie Lloyd, Mary Daniels, Josephine Filmore, Martha Thomas Martin, Annie Ford, Sallie Hill Fuller, Kate Granger, Adelaide Mills, Charles

Harris, Mary
Harris, William David
Hotopp, Edward
Husom, Andrew
Huso, Susie
Jones, William Charles
Leech, Marian Virginia
Locklin, Antha Stoddard
Loughridge, Ella Maddrill
Loyd, Mary
Maddrill, Caroline
Martin, Annie
Michell, Paul Wesley
Mitchell, Elizabeth
Mills, Charles

Nuttall, Edwar
Olliver, Mary
Palamountain,
Peterson, And
Plummer, Eliz
Powell, Annie
Seymour, Flor
Smith, Jane
Stein, Ray No
Stoddard, Har
Mills, Charles

Stokes, Elizab

Mushett, Bessie Nathan, Belle Novitzky, Sarah Nuttall, Edward Olliver, Elizabeth Olliver, Mary Louise Palamountain, Mamie Pearce, Honor J. Peterson, Andrew Gustaf Plummer, Elizabeth Rowe, Jennie Seymour, Flora Smith, Jane Stein, Ray Novitzky Stoddard, Harriett Stokes, Elizabeth Hunt

Stokes, Mary Ann Terrill, Catherine Titus, Jennie Tuttle, Mary Z. Uphoff, Matilda Werry, Libbie Werry, Lilo Woodmansee, Sallie

DECEASED.
Noel, James Clymo

LILY OF THE LAKE CHAPTER, No. 41.

Lemoore, Kings County.

Stated Meetings, Thursday of each Month on or before Full Moon.

OFFICERS.

Emma Catherine Ritchie	Worthy Matron
Julius Henderson Fox	Worthy Patron
Caroline Virginia Foley	Associate Matron
Jennie Espey	
Alexander McBain Ross	
Annie Miller Sanborn	Conductress
Estella Barton	
Angie Daisy Sanborn	
Jennie Cowan	
Mary Elizabeth Brothers	Esther
Imeretia Susan Docker	
Polly Ann Marlow	
Christie Williams	
Isaac Andrew Ritchie	Sentiuel
Amanda Moore	Chaplain
Emma Anna Fox	
Mary Shore	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Amy Allen Morse,
Sarah Adelia Sanborn,
Mary Elizabeth Brothers,
Rosa Alice Rhoads,
Emma Anna Fox,
Emma Catherine Ritchie,
Ellen Wimmer,
Annie Miller Sanborn,
Angie Daisy Sanborn,
Lucretia Susan Docker,
Caroline Virginia Foley.

PAST PATRONS.

George Alexander Joshua Finley Brothers, Julius Henderson Fox, Martin Payne Hatch, William Horace Sanborn, John William Rhoads, Louis David Nathan, Robert Emmet Foley.

MEMBERS.

Anderson, Ida M.
Chambers, Thomas
Faulkner, Susanna
Harbaugh, Louisa Mar-
rilla
Harbaugh, William Rich-
ard

Hatch, Julia Marriott, Ann Marriott, Joseph Marlow, William Merrill, Annie Belle

Momson, Henry August Moore, Fred Thompson Nathan, Bertha Nathan, Herman McKenna, Emma Eugenia Seigfried, John Henry Shore, Gilbert Edward Momson, Emma Beatty Simpson, Bella Geraldine

REINSTATED.

Goodman, Emma Eva

Goodman, Joseph

Williams, Christie

DIMITTED.

Goodman, Emma Eva

Goodman, Joseph

ARIEL CHAPTER, No. 42.

Antioch, Contra Costa County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Alice Ethelyn Harkinson	'n
Josiah Rio BakerWorthy Patro	n
Carrie Stille RattanAssociate Matro	
Annie Frank McKellips Secretar	ry
Robert HarkinsonTreasur	er
Fannie Tilton NasonConductre	SS
Miriam Estelle BelshawAssociate Conductre	
Rose Belle Starkweather, nee Baker	ıh
Alice Valentine George	th
Alice Eugenia Baker Esth	
Annie Josephine Hartley Marth	ha
Maud S. ParkisonElec	ta
Ella Nevada MontgomeryWard	er
John Collins Rouse,Sentin	
Margaret Ellen BeedeChaplai	in
Mia Abbie NasonMarsh	al
Mae Lucie BeedeOrgani	st

PAST MATRONS.

Malvina Gile Abbott, Roxanna Metcalf, Margaret Ellen Beede, Ella Nevada Montgomery, Alice Nicolls Rouse, Alice Valentine George, Alice Eugenia Baker.

PAST PATRONS,

Anderson Corbin Hartley, John Thomas Cox, Charles Mortimer Belshaw, Henry Fuller Beede, Charles Franklin Montgomery, Josiah Rio Baker, Robert Harkinson.

MEMBERS.

Abbott, Joshua Plummer	Heron, John M.	McKellips, Stephen Hor-
Ballard, Addie Laura	Heron, Lizzie M.	ace
Belshaw, Kate Evans	Keeney, Minnie Baker	Pitts, Frankie Teressa
Cave, Stella Pearl	Langley, Mary Alice	Rattan, Frank
DeWitt, Nettie Maria	Ludinghouse, Wilhelmin	aVeale, Mary Elizabeth
DeWitt, Martha Eliza	Frances	Veale, Richard Raines
Foreman, William Riddle	Meyers, Sophie	Wills, Martha Eveline
George, Worth Scott	McGeorge, Verne Adrian	ı

REINSTATED.

Heron, John M.

Heron, Lizzie M.

REDDING CHAPTER, No. 44.

Redding, Shasta County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.
Jennie Parsis Dean
Joseph Jalima LefebvreWorthy Patron
Nellie Lefebvre Associate Matron
Mary L. J. Smith Secretary
Nellie "M" Dobrowsky
Mattie Lowdon
Charlotte Agnes Cunningham, nee KingsberryAssociate Conductress
Minnie Edith Sechrist, nee White
Lottie J. Fillman
Clara Estella Chadwick Esther
Ethel Ann Smith
Lillian Moore
Artie ReidWarder
Lizzie McKeanSentinel
Ida Matilda Bush
Anna "C" GardenMarshal
Julia Clara GlaszerOrganist

PAST MATRONS.

Hattie Elizabeth Major, Ida Matilda Bush, Artie Reid, Julia Clara Glaszer, Lizzie McKean, Eda Ellen Bush, Mary Page Creighton,

PAST PATRONS.

Chauncey Carroll Bush, Edward Alex. Reid, George Howard Sechrist, Franklin Marshall Swasey, Adolph Dobrowsky. PAST MATRONS.

Priscilla Lela Sanders,
Linn Gillespie,
May Sweeney,
Nellie "M" Dobrowsky,
Anna "C" Garden.

Herron, Bertha

MEMBERS.

Abbott, Clara E. Hardin, Mark R. Swasey, Emma Autenreith, Hattie Herron, Emma Thompson, Sarah Eliza-Bamber, Sarah Jane Herron, Mathew Wilkes beth Bass, Anna "S" Jewett, Elizabeth Thierkoff, nee Hampton, Bedford, Georgia Jewett, George Parish Eldaah F. Tiffin, Lizzie "A" Blodgett, Harriet J. M. Jewett, Sadie Blodgett, William Ora Keeler, Adella Mabel Weil, Sigmond Brown, Ruamie Kingsbury, Mary "M" White, Sherman Tecum-Corbiere, Charles C. McCarley, Anna Olive seh Dean, Joicy Elizabeth McCormick, Elizabeth White, Weltha R.Thomas Dennis, Nettie Middleton, John White, Jennie H. Williams, Lettie Eaton, James Parly Middleton, Olive Eaton, Mary Winnifred Moody, Ida Rachel Williams, Wm. Wallace Winsell, Mary Emeline Fisher, Fabian O'Neal, Anna Elizabeth Hampton, Delano Wash-Ross, Lizzie B. Young, Nellie Adelaide ington Saeltzer, Rudolph Moritz Zoellin, Carrie "A" Hampton, Sarafina Eliz- Schoonover, Maggie abeth DIMITTED. Levy, Alexander Levy, Minnie McIlwaine, Anna Maria DECEASED.

Major, John Newton

CEANOTHUS CHAPTER, No. 45. San Juan, San Benito County.

Stated Meetings, Second Tuesday of each Month.

Isabella Woodbury Willson.

George Holmes Moore.

Mary Louise Kemp.

Mary Ann Flint.

Secretary
Andrew Abbe.

Katherine Marie Black.

Associate Conductress
Angie Louise Abbe.

Associate Conductress
Adah

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Rose Ellen Regan	Ruth
Mary Louise Kemp	\dots Esther
Annie Christine Regan	Martha
Mary Ellen Norton	Electa
Martha Alice McCartea	Warder
	Sentinel
Thomas Flint	Chaplain

Mary Ann Flint, Edith Baker, Mary Louise Kemp, Elizabeth Pease Norton.

PAST PATRONS.

Charles Guy Cargill,
Thomas Flint,
Thomas Flint, Jr.,
John Harlan Wood,
Roscoe Greene Norton,
Frederick Wm. Kemp,
George Holmes Moore.

MEMBERS.

Black, Julia Flint, Ada Mary Flint, Caroline Lavinia Flint, Richard Hall McIntyre, Caroline Willson, Dan Willson, Cornelia Ann

Moore, Malvina Willson

DIMITTED.

Crawford, Anna Elizabeth

DECRASED.

Beger, Henry

ATHENA CHAPTER, No. 46.

Hollister, San Benito County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Wednesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Sarah Dulcenia Eastman	
Christian Lauritzen	Worthy Patron
Erminnie May Hollingberry	Associate Matron
Ella Lamore McCray	Secretary
Annie "E" Briggs	Treasurer
Emma Sylva Bolton	Conductress
Rhoda Emma Cole.	Associate Conductress
	Associate ConductressAdah
Rhoda Emma Cole	Associate ConductressAdahRuth
Rhoda Emma Cole	

Martha Titus	
Easter Jane Lee	Sentinel
Susan Amanda Shields	
Leah Cox	

Annie "E" Briggs,
Eliza Henrietta Herington,
Annie Martin Harris,
Almira Ann Steinbeck,
Ida May Nash,
Thirza Maria Ladd,
Flora Conover,
Susan Amanda Shields,
Martha Louisa Hamilton,
Bertha Lauritzen,
Mary Jane McCloskey,
Lou Jane McCloskey,
Lou Jane McChail,
Lily Frenzel.

PAST PATRONS.

Nash Corwith Briggs,
Heylin Beaumont Harris,
Harry Coleman,
John Adolph Steinbeck,
James Henry Tebbetts,
Nash Corwith Briggs, Jr.,
John Thomas Lowe,
Frank "E" Shore,
Francis Newton Hitchcock.

MEMBERS.

Asher, William Clayton Hodges, Mary Jane Barker, Lewis Harmon Hodges, James I. Binkley, Lillian Putnam Hodges, Maggie Blanche Bolton, Eugene Elsworth Hollingbery, Wm. Vais Campbell, Helen Bishop Ladd, Naomi Metcalf Cole, George Washington Ladd, Leonard Murch Coleman, Benard Lee, William Guilford Coleman, Rosa Logan, Erwin Sanford Eppehimer, Alice Lowe, Harriet Henriette Fleming, Anna Mary McCray, Malinda Ann Floyd, Elizabeth McCloskey, Annie Jane Freels, Samuel Clark Montgomery, Granville Hamilton, Fred Judson Bournaparte Hamilton, HelenCharlotteMontgomery, Josephine Hamilton, Judson Geourld Thurman Hankenson, Sarah Louise Nash, Francis Orlando Hardin, Emma Zetta Ostello, Jennie Harriet Hardin, Amos Martial Phillips, Frank Harry Hardin, Mary Lebella Porter, George Cooper Hawkins, Josephine Porter, Olive Marie Hitchcock, Emma Eliza-Rosenberg, Susie beth Rosenberg, Marcus

Shaw, Emma Elizabeth Shaw, George Eden Shaw, Harriette Newell Shaw, Nellie Rachel Shaw, Roderick Smith, Mary Helen Short, Kate Skow, Eliza Skow, Peter Christian Lauridsen Steinbeck, Flora Nina Steinbeck, Wilhelm Peter Taylor, Ella Woodman Taylor, Orlin Amaziah Tebbetts, Anne Boudinot Titus, Francis John Tonn, Adolph Tonn, Minnie Townsend, Wm. Paul Wagner, Edith Goold Wagner, Charles Henry Wilde, Frances Adelaide

DIMITTED.

Hamilton, Carrie Laura Montgomery, Edward "B" Montgomery, Mary Lyman Whiteside, Mary Eleanor

SUSPENDED. Black, William "W"

REVEILLE CHAPTER, No. 47.

Salinas, Monterey County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Julia Constance Pyburn	
Victor Delmar Black	Worthy Patron
Grace Ethel Edwards	Associate Matron
Eva "M" Porter	Secretary
Agnes Mabel	Treasurer
Annabelle Abbott	Conductress
Stella Willimette Odell	Associate Conductress
Julia Winnifred Odell	
Florence Abbott	
Ivy Mildred Euton	
Adella Hermine Hamilton	
Lelia Mary Vanderhurst	Electa
Elizabeth Alice Schmechel	
Elmer Zell Brokaw	Sentinel
Thomas Scott Mabel	Chaplain
Dalia M. Black	
Evalyn Miriam Pierson	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Arina Louelah Porter,
Isabella Amelia Hill,
Martha Ann McGarvey,
Sarah Barnes Alexander,
Sallie M. Abbott,
Sarah Theresa Bennett,
Eva "M" Porter,
Clara Isador Dexter,
Maggie Melsina Stafford,
Nellie Enos,
Dalia M. Black,
Julia Constance Pyburn.

PAST PATRONS.

William Jay Hill,
John King Alexander,
Arthur Johnson Abbott,
Uldirico Hartnell,
Mason Lorenzo Dexter,
Samuel Franklin Geil,
John Barron Bennett,
John Green Joy,
John Brewer Porter,
Frederick Wm. Schmechel,
William Victor McGarvey,
Francis Alvin Abbott.

MEMBERS.

Abbott, George Abbott, Harvey Eldon Ball, Eva Blanch Barker, Albert Charles Cayer, Ovila Dawley, Emma Eaton, Fannie Halsey Edwards, Thomas Clay

Enos, John Truman Faulkner, Carrie Eddy Faulkner, George Francis Faw, George Eugene Faw, Lizzie Jackson, Alexander Bell Rodgers, Josephine Leon-Forster, Geneva Grace Jepsen, Jacob Gilfillan, Christine Maud Jepsen, Marie Christina Rowling, Chrissie Beatrice Gilfillan, Elizabeth Anna Joy, Charles Rowling, John Wendle Graves, James Elbert Joy, Joanna Margaret Samuels, Addie Josephine Hamilton, Dessie Joyce, Sarah Berry Samuels, Minnie Amelia Hare, Louisa Tyrrell Joyce, William Willis Scott, Emma Mabel Hartnell, Ella Shrike Menor, Elizabeth Cooper Stafford, Henry Edwin Hazen, Nellie Evelyn Menor, James Crawford Taft, William Henry Higby, Mary Miller, George Sinclair Tynan, Gertrude Leoline Hitchcock, Agnes Norris, Nancy Jane Vanderhurst, William Hitchcock, Donna Laura Nott, Lottie Logan Michael Hoffman, Henry Nott, John Ridley Walsh, Fannie Little Hoffman, Lillian Patterson, Alexander Webster, James Ashley Hoffman, Margaret Porter, Robert Lindsay Winham, Emma Hunsaker, Lillie Frances Pyburn, William Henry York, Effie Estelle Irvine, Emma Frances

DECRASED.
Alger, Flora

WHEATLAND CHAPTER, No. 48.

Wheatland, Yuba County, Cal.

Stated Meetings, Monday of each Month on or before Full Moon.

OFFICERS.

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Lizzie R. RoddanWorthy Matron
Joseph Easton Hollingshead
Annie Tabitha Sowell
John Frederick BaunSecretary
Nora L. WhitingTreasurer
Belle McCannConductress
Lou FraserAssociate Conductress
Minnie Grace Jasper
Mary C. J. GrantRuth
Annie R. Purcell Esther
Melinda E. Jasper
Lillie Grace Jasper Electa
Bessie Frederick BaunWarder
Joseph Mical C. JasperSentinel
Lauretta HuffakerChaplain
Elizabeth V. Brewer
Edna BrewerOrganist

Linnie Berry, Lillie Grace Jasper, Maggie Melton, Malinda E. Jasper, Mary Ella Gardner, nee Sowell, Lide G. Attkisson, Madge Oyster, Elizabeth V. Brewer.

PAST PATRONS.

Joseph Mical C. Jasper, Samuel David Wood, Campbell Polson Berry, Lewis Melton. Frank Kirshner. John Frederick Baun, Joseph E. Hollingshead.

MEMBERS.

Attkisson, William Br Baun, Jennie Pauline Baun, Lizzie Brewer, Effie M.
Brewer, William Click, Elizabeth Grant, Charles Fitch
Hanson, Willard C. Hicks, Dell

rice Hicks, James Martin Huffaker, Anthony Justis, Etta McCurry, Viola McIntosh, Mary E. Mitchell, Marion E. Niemeyer, Harry Albert Wood, Ora Augusta Roddan, David Ferris

Boddan, Eleanor Belle Samuels, Renneta Viles, Carlton H. McCurry, Louis Waters Wesseher, Marguerite Whalen, Ella Whiting, Herbert Brice Wood, Kate A.

SUSPENDED.

Anderson, George Leander Oakley, Elizabeth E. Anderson, Kate Denton Sowell, Tabitha

Wilkins, James C. Wilkins, Kate Maria

PLACER CHAPTER, No. 49.

Dutch Flat, Placer County.

Stated Meetings, Thursday of each month on or before Full Moon.

OFFICERS.	
Helen Mar Smith	
John Murry Berry	
Minerva Nicholls	
Isaac Tebbetts Coffin	Secretary
Mary Elizabeth Mallows	Treasurer
Alice May Kuspp	
	Associate Conductress
Nellie A. Whitten	
May Naome Watters	
Emma Baker, nee Wilkinson	
Gertie Hudepohl	
Lucy Anna Curtis	
Henrietta Davis	

Frank Lamprey	Sentinel
Corelia M. Damsguard	Chaplain
Kate M. Linn.	Marshal
Laura Barker Barney	Organist

Sarah Harriman, Emma Gwinn, Corelia M. Damsguard, Lucy Ryan, Abbie Banvard, Charlotte Spike Whitcomb, Mary Elizabeth Mallows, Laura Barker Barney, Anna Marian Erskine, Sarah Bassett Sherriff, Lucy Anna Curtis.

PAST PATRONS.

Isaac Tibbetts Coffin. Solan McKeen Curtis, John Murry Berry.

MEMBERS.

Amadeo, Nicola Davis, Abraham Drynan, Carrie Deemer, Maggie Duncan, David Erskine, Alex. Edwin Gardner, Abbie Eaton Adams Garrett, Ella Rebecca Gould, Grace Hamilton, Carrie Ellen Hamilton, John Henry, Lizzie Jane

Iverson, Christine Matilda Rose, James Iverson, James Jacobs, Sarah Catherine Saunders, Susie May Ketchum, Emma Hen-Kopp, Minnie Margaret Smart, Mary Emaline McDonald, Horatio Nicholls, John Nicholls, Sarah Olive Nicholls, William Jr. Rathburn, Sarah Rickard, Emma L.

Rose, Flora Schell, Perry Benjamin Sherriff, Henry LaKamp, Emma Amelia Smith, Albert Halliday Voight, Marillah Whistler, Wm. Girard White, William Henry Whitten, Fred W. Williamson, Ella

DECEASED.

Barrett, Adams

Kopp, Eva Margaret

HOMO CHAPTER, No. 50.

Stockton, San Joaquin County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Marie Louise Eaton	
George Washington Langridge	
Sarah Jane Davis	Associate Matron
Fanny Harp	Secretary

Lydia Ann Henery	
Jennie Thresher	
Ruby Elizabeth Black	
Fannie Jessie Haslacher	
Sallie Eaton Gill	Esther
Margaret Rowland Bransford	Martha
Esther Ann Needham	
Annie Aubry	Warder
Charles Edwin Taylor	Sentinel
Susie Moreing Burr	Chaplain
Elmira Frances West	Marshal
Henrietta Simon	, Organist

Hannah Jane Thresher,
Hannah Loraine Henderson,
Elmira Frances West,
Susan Sampson Ruggles,
Fidelia Wheeler Browne,
Emily Augusta Bagley,
Mary Elizabeth Weish,
Belle Smith,
Luelia Elsworth Cavis,
Rebecca Capitola Turner,
Nellie Woodman Keniston,
Helen Adelaide Sharp.

PAST PATRONS.

Minrod Sprague Thresher, Wm. Bruce Harrison, Charles Moses Jackson, Charles Morrill Keniston, Frank Erwin Darby, Frank Hartford Smith, Joseph William Cavis, Sylvester Byron Davis, Orrin Staples Henderson.

MEMBERS.

Aldrich, Lelia	Buckley, Minerva Castle	Cunningham, Thomas
Allen, Ida Stites	Bulson, Herman Rice	
Allen, Mary Woods	Bulson, Lucretia Francina	a Ellen
Atkinson, Louise	Carson, Edward Consider	Darby, Josephine
Aubry, Alvis Emansau	Carson, Hattie	Debnam, Emma
Bainbridge, Lima Lucy	Castle, Christopher	De Vries, Marion
Baker, Clarence Clark	Champlain	Dohrman, Pauline Wetz-
Baker, Rosetta	Castle, Mary Belle	lar
Beede, Wm. Morris	Castle, Sophia Elizabeth	Edwards, Mary Eliza
Stewart	Chestnutwood, Laura	Fitzgerald, William Wes-
Black, Harriett Katherin	e Wing	ley
Bransford, Edgar Mc-	Chestnutwood, Wm.	Folger, Martha Elsie
Dowell	Hartzell	Folger, Mary Augusta
Brennan, Lucy Pangbor	nCondit, Philip Martin	Gaines, Francis Albert
Browne, Philip Thomas	Condit, Hannah Celestia	Gaines, Nettie Viola
Brown, Phœbe Joanna	Cox, nee Sharp, Miriam	Groves, Frederick Wm.
Brutschy, Catherine	Crawford, Grace Huse	Creighton

Harrison, Belle Harrison, Rachel Hart, Charles " B" Hart, Libbie Eugenia Hart, Laura Etta Haslacher, Jacob Hatch, Jennie Gertrude Havens, Mary Jane Heming, Pernina Henderson, Lavern Henery, Samuel Hickox, Flavol Gaylord Hurd, Columbus Hurd, Minerva Jane Huse, Keziah Catherine Jory, Elizabeth Sylva Jory, John Kahn, Cecelia Kahn, Louis Keniston, Lucia Nichols Keyes, Henry Colcutt Keyes, Lillian Alvira Lang, Lewis Hawkins Lillie, Cora Blanche Lillie, Ida Belle Lillie, Sarah Almira Lynch, Mary Grace Lynch, Willis

Belle Martin, Maude Mayes, Anna May Mayes, Isaac James McKinnon, Angus McKinnon, Mary Edna Morris, Rebecca Samuels Snyder, Leslie Burch Mosier, Josephine Henderson, Milton Pierce Needham, Harry Burr Nye, William Douglass O'Keefe, Mary Miranda Oliver, Dew Rodgers Oliver, Euphamia Parsons, Lydia Maud Patterson, Almira Isabel Tatterson, Mary Ann Patterson, Hattie Payne, Alfred George Phelps, May Reid, Bessie Lydia Reid, Elizabeth Allen Rice, Clara Ree Rice, George Heber Lang, Gertrude Richards Robinson, Isaac Henry Rowland, Gertrude Levinsky, Arthur Leonard Rowland, Mary Maria Ryland, Malva Anna Ryland, Rosamay Sampson, Martha Amelia Wing, Malinda Pauline Schloss, Aaron Schloss, Adella Scott, Alice Augusta

Lyons, nee Swain, Mary Scott, Anna Maude Scott, Mabel Augusta Shaw, Henry Coffin Shelford, Delila Jane Simms, Mae Henion Smith, Georgie Helen Smith, Miriana Fitch Snyder, Nellie Elizabeth Stone, Cora Althea Stone, William Henry Stone, Zelma Edna Stringham, Jessie Mercelia Swain, Juliza Catherine Talbot, John Layng Taylor, Rosetta Julia Thompson, Carrie Thompson, Mary Alice Turner, George Clinton Turner, Luella May Visher, Annette Viola Visher, Charles Putman Visher, Emilie Anne West, Fred Macondry Welsh, James Miller White, Avery Claborne Wilhoit, Jessie Woods Woods, Annie Victoria Woods, John Newton

DIMITTED.

Patterson, Susie Rutherford

Smith, William James

SUSPENDED.

Lang, Henry Prior Earle, Catherine Earle, Richard Thomas Lang, Mary Jane

Ruggles, Charles Augustus

ALTURAS CHAPTER, No. 51.

Alturas, Modoc County.

Stated Meetings, Wednesday on or after Full Moon of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Ella Pepperdine	
James Todd Laird	
May Gibbins	Associate Matron
Iva Spencer Raker	Secretary
Lewis "S" Smith	Treasurer
Elia Rachford	Conductress
Vina Wood	Associate Conductress
S. Isabelle Warner	
Jessie Smith	Ruth
Mollie Crocker Raker	
Sarah Laird	
Loviey Wood	Electa
Alfred Gagnon	
John Rachford	
Silas Pepperdine	Marshal

PAST MATRONS.

Sarah Laird. Lovicy Wood, Zonetta Armstrong, Mollie Crocker Raker, S. Isabella Warner.

PAST PATRONS.

James Todd Laird, Silas Washington Pepperdine, Charles E. Hill, Andrew Jackson Myers. Lewis Robert Smith.

MEMBERS.

Archer, Susie Armstrong, William Cray, Della Warner Easton, Achilles Flournoy, Jessie Ferguson, Julia Grubbs, Elisha

Heard, Maud Lauer, Isaac Mark, Joseph Mullens, William Raker, John

Salisbury, Harriet Salisbury, William Smith, Frankie West, Edna V. Williams, Eva Roller, nee Rehart, Fran- Williams, Maud

REINSTATED.

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Salisbury, Harriet

Salisbury, William

West, Edna V.

DECEASED.

Weller, Oliver D.

SINCERITY CHAPTER, No. 53.

Greenville, Plumas County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Saturdays from November 1st to May 1st, and Friday evening on or preceding Full Moon from May 1st to November 1st.

Nettie Drury..... Worthy Matron Lillie Kruger...... Associate Matron Geo. Washington Boyden.....Secretary Frank Kruger......Treasurer Lou Treleaven Conductress Mary Flynn...... Associate Conductress Alzada Wardlow.....Ruth Ethel Christie...... Esther Laura Murry...... Martha Antoinette Maria Boyden Electa Lillie McRorie...... Warder Thomas McRorie......Sentinel Thomas Henry Trezise Marshal Mary Hannah ShortOrganist

PAST MATRONS.

Antoinette Maria Boyden, Mary Velumna Mead, Nettie Drury.

PAST PATRONS.

George Washington Boyden, James Patterson Burge, Frank Kruger.

MEMBERS.

Blough, Lovisa
Blough, William
Christie, Rachel
Cornell, Emma
Flynn, William

France, William Gentry, Mary Jane Gentry, Sabra Hall, Julius Place Hall, Maggie

Murry, John R.
Patten, Mary
Remick, Effic Louisa
Rocckers, Wilhelmina
Trezisc, Millie

REINSTATED, France, William

DIMITTED.

Standart, George

Standart, Kate

Young, Arabella Elizabeth

MARYSVILLE CHAPTER, No. 55.

Marysville, Yuba County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Thursdays of each Month except during July and August—those months on the First Thursday only.

OFFICERS.

Ella Amelia Coult	Worthy Matron
William Thomas Phipps	
Georgie Scott Greeley	Associate Matron
Marguerite Strodley	Secretary
Helen Augusta Miller	Treasurer
May Fisher	Conductress
Clair Lucinda Suggett	Associate Conductress
Ada Irene Fuller	Buth
Mattie Wilkins Craddock	
Ada Louise Boorman	
Mabel Coombs	Electa
Sadie Lipp	
	Sentinel
Georgie King	
Fannie Price	Marshal
Adah Townsend	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Carrie Cressy Fuller,
Imogene Waggoner Davis,
Emma Hapgood,
Dora Coombs,
Lillie Brooks,
Josephine Buttelman,
Mary Emma Phipps,
Lao Ripley.

PAST PATRONS.

Lemuel Trescott Crane,
Jesse Beach Fuller,
John Edmund Anderson,
James McConnell Berry,
Charles Hapgood,
Alexander Cameron Irwin.

MEMBERS.

apbell, Oliver Otis
[oward
den, Hannah
den, Alison Campbell
ise, Thomas
ın, Augusta
ın, Isaac Gabelle
ley, Allen
oley, Ella
ley, Martha Augusta
ok, Fred Austin

Hutchins, John Sullivan Peacock, William Flint Crook, Nellie May Irwin, Susie Powell, David Davis, Edwin Amenzo Johnson, Marguerite Price, Charles John Dixon, John Dougall, Anna Coult Rideout, Benj. Norman Rubel, Chas. Christopher Earnshields, Hattie King, Henry Dietrick Rusby, James Orvin Martha Kosby, Augustus Emil Rusby, Jennie Elder, George Washington Lee, Mary Bliven Skinner, Anna Nancy Elder, Helen Rebecca Lewek, Mamie Ewell, Josie Lewek, Solomon Skinner, Randolph Whit-Lipp, Albert Powell Ewell, Samuel ney Featherly, Kittie Frances Lombard, John Charles Stanwood, Ella Ball Featherly, Matthew Thos. Lombard, Minnie Stanwood, Richard Goff Fetrow, David Ernest Lowery, William Stokes, Bessie Tyrrell Foulk, Nina Herbert Lundy, Miriam Buteru Stokes, Guy Heancastle Frank, Ida Leah Marcuse, Meyer Stone, Annie Alden Greeley, Jesse Wellington Marcuse, Rose Stone, Elmer Ellsworth Gribner, Nellie McAllister, Adam Stone, Lillian Laura McAllister, Sue Stone, Marie Cressy Hall, George William Strain, Marie Chamberliu Hall, Lelia McKenney, Anna Meek, Mary Ronald Suggett, Allen Holman Hall, Norman Walter Henn, William Theoph-Menz, Nannie Ida Swain, Lizzie ilus Menz, Emma Elizabeth Townsend, Henry Roy Menz, Bertha Amelia Dunham Hudson, Lillie Menz, Tillie Townsend, Mary Hannah Humphreys, Eleanor Miller, Clara Traynor, Samuel Hunter, William Hutchins, Gavin Walker Miller, Frank Waggoner, Rouel Mitchell, Iva Wells, Roff Herbert Hutchins, Eliza Hutchins, James Walker Peacock, Ella Ida

REINSTATED. Pratt, Georgie Annie

DIMITTED.

Miller, Fred Clark Pratt, Georgie Annie Schrieber, Bertha Selma Swain, Mary

SUSPENDED.

Chatterton, Henry Stuart

DECEASED.

Jenkins, Catherine

Lee, Ortis Frederick

FIDELIA CHAPTER, No. 56.

Yuba City, Sutter County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Mary Stewart Smith	Worthy Matron
Leonard Arthur Walton	
Josephine Rose Hedden	Associate Matron
Lillian Estell Newkom	Secretary
Ella Matilda Wilkie	Treasurer
Etta Gray	Conductress
Annie McRaeAss	ociate Conductress
Maud Mable Green	
Lottie Estell Littlejohn	
Imogene Mai Kimball	Esther
Josie M. Walton	Martha
Ida J. Cope	Electa
Marie Franciska Bremer	
Edgar Alphonso Bevens	Sentinel
Ogilvie Moneur	Chaplain
Georgie Elizabeth Schuessler	
Frankie M. Sanborn	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Martha Ellen Williamson, Hattie Sprague Walton, Frankie M. Sanborn, Ella Matilda Wilkie, Julia Edna Green, Ida Virginia Campbell.

PAST PATRONS.

George Washington Carpenter, Robert Cornelius Kells, Benjamin Franklin Walton, Charles Edward McQuaid, Arthur Hathaway Hewitt.

MEMBERS.

Berner, Mina M. Parker	Cope, Leroy Johnston	Fortna, Emma Spillman
Bevens, Julia Ellen	Cutts, Emily Jane	Fortna, Lottie Katherine
Bickley, Ann Eliza	Davis, Mary	Graffis, Alonzo
Boyd, Clara Bliss	Duncan, John Louis	Gray, Anna Mary
Brandstatt, John N.	Duncan, Lucy	Gray, Ellen Agnes
Bremer, Augustus Gus-	Enzign, Frank Milo	Gray, Rose
t a v us	Featherly, Edward Wash	·Green, Dallas Damon
Campbell, William Henry	n ington	Harkey, Clarinda Elender
Carpenter, Catherine	Featherly, Margaret Jane	Harkey, Wm. Pickney
Carpenter, Josephine	Fimbreath, Arthur Fran-	Hauss, Elizabeth
Rose	cis	Hauss, Ferdinand
Chism, Mary Julia	Fimbreath, Mary	Heiken, Henry
Coffey, Alexander Brain-	Flagg, Lizzie	Heiken, Maggie
ard	Fortna, Della Sarah	Heiken, Margaret

Stafford, James Brown Hewitt, Mettie M. Meyer, Jennie M. Hopkins, Alten Bruscup Moore, Phœbe Hamblett Starr, Dora Belle Hopkins, Florence Ger-Starr, Edward Butler Moneur, Maggie trude Moneur, Mary Douglass Stevenson, Benjamin F. Hull, Jessie Araminta Moon, Lizzie Stevenson, L. J. Hull, Maggie Moon, Richard Albert Stewart, Annie Hull, Mary Frances Moon, Winnie Elsie Suggett, Luke Timothy Hull, Theodore Benson Newkom, Sadie Walton Todd, Nancy Jones, Mary Annie Onstott, John Paxton Trayner, Nettie Stewart Kells, Hattie Ann Onstott, John Paxton Jr. Walton, Nydia Van Houten Kimball, Geo. Herbert Onstott, Lizzie Flynn Weeman, Charles Kosby, Clara A. Orr. Jessie Claire Weeman, Lydia Perkins Littlejohn, Anna Parker, Elizabeth Emily Whitlock, Alice Littlejohn, Helen D. Peck, William Francis Wilbur, Elmira Josephine Littlejohn, James Peck, Sadie Jane Williams, Clayton Els-Littlejohn, James Abra-Peters, Joseph worth ham Pratt, Jane Ann Williams, Helen M. Luckey, Gertrude Sammis, Ina Zetta Williams, Sophie L. Sammis, Wm. Eugene Lutz, Frank Wilkie, Gertrude Edna McCready, Edw. John Sanborn, Miles Edward Wilkie, Ina Mac. McQuaid, Emma Crow Saye, George Marion Wilkie, James B. McRae, Alexander Arthur Schuessler, Henry Her-Wilcoxon, Alverda McRoberts, Mollie Louise man Wilcoxon, Charles S. McRoberts, William Wullweber, Mattie Vir-Sheldon, Charles M. George Stafford, Belle Patterson ginia

DIMITTED.

Brittan, Anna Clayton Deaner, Belle

Deaner, Sam'l Christian

CRYSTAL CHAPTER, No. 57.

Auburn, Placer County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Thursdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Marguerite Chamberlin	
Michael David Lininger	
Jennie Isabella Ward Lardner	Associate Matron
Mary Ann McGuire	Secretary
Mary Millikan	Treasurer
Amy Elizabeth Rooney	Conductress
Eliza Buhring	Associate Conductress
Mary Anna Safford	
Carrie Augusta Crosby	Ruth
Joanna Chisholm	Esther

Clara Belle Meredith	Martha
Lizzie Wilkins	Electa
Eliza Bertha Weber	Warder
John Gould Bisbee	Sentinel
Esther Tichenor Holle	Chaplain
Maud T. McCollough	\dots Marshal
Hattie S. Buhring.	Organist

Julia Maria Lubeck, Esther Tichenor Holle, Mary Ann McGuire, Emma Jane Prewett, Clara Belle Meredith, Carrie Augusta Crosby, Louisa Ann Martin, Maud T. McCollough.

PAST PATRONS.

John Gould Bisbee, Charles John Helling, John Mathias Fulweiler, Robert Fleming Rooney, John Chisholm, John Coleman Safford, John Carlton Woodard.

MEMBERS.

Barter Rhoda Ann Becker, Grace Lavinia Bell, Virginia J. Clegg, Joseph Coker, Louisa Nancy Cromwell, Bertha Dunlap, Sarah Jane Fulweiler, Mary Grohs, Peter Frederick Grohs, Emma Josie

Griffith, Julia Ann Hines, Joseph H. Hollenbeck, Hester Mc-Clean Holle, Julia Elizabeth Huntley, Louisa Lamb Lininger, Anna Margaret Thomas, Lee Dingus MacLennan, David Mal- Woodard, Iva Elma colm May, William Isaac

Moger, Jessie Bernice Predmore, Mary Jane Robinson, Isabella Robinson, Maggie May Stevenson, Thomas Swensson, Lena Yardley, Russia Lubeck

DIMITTED.

Strain, Maria Chamberlin

DECEASED.

Grohs, Mary Louisa

KINGSLEY CHAPTER, No. 58.

Ukiah, Mendocino County.

Meetings, First and Third Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Annie Babcock	
Maurice Hirsch	Worthy Patron
Melnora Saunders	Associate Matron
Virginia Penn Snow	Secretary

Eunice HarbertTreasurer
Minnie Jamison
Annie Cranz Associate Conductress
Elsie Carothers
Lizzie Fitts Snow
Sophia Hofman Esther
Katie Magdaline HeldMartha
Eva Hirsch
Kate AnkerWarder
Jacob Duncan Sentinel
Miranda HaskettChaplain
Mary E. HagansMarshal
Ada HandyOrganist

Mary Elizabeth McCowen.
Lucy Frances Seawell,
Sarah Standley,
Georgia Hagans,
Mary Clement Taylor,
Miranda Haskett,
Alice Barker,
Mary E. Hagans,
Mattie Mannon,
Fannie McCowen,
Sophia Hofman.

PAST PATRONS.

Hale McCowen,
George McCowen,
William Isbell,
George Washington Stout,
Lyman Wilbert Babcock,
John Saunders,
Fred Clark Handy,
John Snow,

MEMBERS.

Bailey, Ida May Elledge, Martha Barker, John Henry Hagans, Annie Bechtol, Elsie Handy, Jessie Bohn, George Held, William Daniel Hofman, Charles Carothers, nee Reeves, Lydia I. Hoffman, Mollie S. Horton, Emily Carpenter, Helen M. Charlton, Anna Ingram, Sterling Price Charlton, Thomas Jones, Martha Jane King, Caroline Chessall, Sarah Jane Chessall, Wm. Henry Kirkwood, Emily Lance, G. Herbert Day, Belle Drew, Mahulda Catherine Marks, Caroline Duncan, Catherine Mason, Maggie

Mothersole, Caroline
Orr, James Henry
Porterfield, William Wilson
Rosenberg, Clarisse
Smith. Howard B.

Rosenberg, Clarisse
Smith, Howard B.
Smith, Mabel Ames
Tanner, Mary Jane
Tutt, Mary Jane
Van Voast, Ecce
Wallace, nee Holman,
Mary Eva
Willing, Anna L.
Young, Susan Cynthia

DIMITTED.

Bartlett, Nathan 14

Elledge, Lizzie

Isbell, Mary

Mathews. Josie

Mathews, Edith

SUSPENDED.

Ayers, Maud Gowell, Chas. A.

Dillingham, Mary El'zb'hGowell, Rillie

Dillingham, Wm. Keith Hensley, Mary

Donohoe, Jeremiah Mathews, Stonewall J.

Newfield, Matilda Torrey, L. J. Wells, Rose Bradley

DECEASED.

Cook, James Clinton

Wagonseller, Clara S.

SILVER SPRAY CHAPTER, No. 59.

Napa City, Napa County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Thursday of each Month.

Karen JensenWorthy Matro	n
Isaac George HerronWorthy Patro	n
Lizzie StoddardAssociate Matro	n
Evah Elaine HaunSecretar	
Olinda Sampson	er
Ora Horstmeyer, nee Butler	88
Belle Collins	88
Ella Maria HaunAda	ъħ
Mahala Elvina Durkee	
Mary Davis	
Clara Lydia Short	
Viennie MacLeanElec	ta
Julia KeyesWard	er
Edgar HaunSentin	el
Calista Bradford	
Julia Louisa AmstutzOrgani	

PAST MATRONS.

Ella Maria Haun, Sara Nina McFarland, Olinda Sampson, Ella Nancy Godwin. PAST PATRONS.

Edgar Haun, John Howard Chalmers, Morrow Henry Davis.

MEMBERS.

Gardner, James B.

Bradford, William
Briggs, Emma
Butler, Asa Douglass
Butler, Hazzie
Collins, Nelson W.
Enos, Mary E.
Epley, Mary Elizabeth
Epley, Thomas Henry

Gardner, Jennie Gardner, Sarah T. Grossman, Adolph Howland, John Smith Knapp, Jennie Kyser, Daniel Sterling Kyser, Ella Antoinette Manchester, Eva M.
McFarland, Abel
Meacham, Mary Elizabeth
Oakley, Louise
Plass, Josephine C.
Stoddard, Rosa
Tanner, Gertrude

DIMITTED.

Jensen, Dora

Morris, May

Smith, Luzerne

SUSPENDED.

Robertson, Mary E.

Roberston, William B.

Wiley, Prudence

YOLO CHAPTER, No. 60.

Woodland, Yolo County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Friday of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Nellie May Thorp	
William Louis Wood	Worthy Patron
Ella Ada Miller	
Addie Eliza Baker	Secretary
Mary Magdalene Martin	
Bertha Gaddis	Conductress
Carrie Alice Apperson	
Natalia Rosenberg	
Gertrude Swain Freeman	
Carrie Marie Blowers	Esther
Alice Adelia Deaner	Martha
Alice Hiatt Spaulding	Electa
Irma Grey Douglas	
Edward Glendenning	
James Thurston Martin	
Kate Browning Miller	Marshal
Margaret Marie Ellis	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Rebecca Gilmore Frost, Harrist Eleanor Wyckoff, Gertrude Swain Freeman, Helen Augusta Rahm, Harriet Jane Curson, Hannah Swain Freeman, Annie "S" Blowers, Kate Browning Miller.

PAST PATRONS.

James Kerson Smith,
Francis Ellsworth Baker,
Marshall Diggs,
James Thurston Martin,
Edward Stephen Howard,
William Henry Curson,
Thaddeus Stephens Spaulding.

MEMBERS.

Andrews, Nora "B" Briggs, Fannie V Armstrong, Edward Milton Cassel, Sarah A. Cassel, William 1

Armstrong, Roberta Grant Briggs, Fannie Willis Cassel, Sarah A. Cassel, William Frost Coil, Herbert Elmer Coil, Nellie Schafer Cooper, Emily Davis Cooper, Luther Blake Cunningham, Nettie Scott Davidson, Minna Diggs, Georgia Jackson

Prentiss, Charles Fred-Flint, Mary Katherine Hyman, Rosa Freeman, Franklin Syl- Jacobs, Bertha erick Johnston, nee Cassel, Belle Rahm, Francis Marion vester Freeman, John Watts Rahm. Marion Kincheloe, Zachariah Relyea, Helen Frost, Charles Stincen Benson Gaddis, Mary Leathers, Robt, Scott Russel, Lucy Glendinning, Margaret Henly Shannon Mary Elizabeth Goettsch, Peter Lindner, Carrie Simpson, Gertrude Pen-Grant, Emily Woodward Lindsay, Minnie J. degast Lindsay, Sarah A. Smith, Abbie O. Grant, Robert Avis Magee, Temple Perrin Stephens, John Dixon Grant, Sue Emily Miller, David P. Taylor, Rhoda Fredericks Guthrie, Myrtle Miller, Frederick Thorp, Ellen Maria Hamel, Elizabeth Hilliker, Annie Matilda Mills, Carrie Ellis Tobias, David Hilliker, Daisy Douglas Nethercott, Robert Tompkins, Joseph M. Tompkins, Julia M. Hilliker, Loron Warren Parramore, Harriet E. Vaughn, Susan Langdon Hodge, Fannie L. Peart, Barclay Gilbert Willson, William C. Peart, George Clark Hoffman, Angeline Holmes, Frances Caroline Peart, Lela Adaline Winne, William H. Porteus, Rose Nethercott Wyckoff, Kate Holmes, Lyle Bones Howard, Lulu Deitz

INITIATED.

Armstrong, Clara March

DIMITTED.

Micheal, Helena

Micheal, Joseph

DECEASED.

Armstrong, Clara March

MORNING STAR CHAPTER, No. 61.

Petaluma, Sonoma County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each Month.
OFFICERS.

Augusta Hall	Worthy Matron
Edward Wm. Mervyn Evans	Worthy Patron
Fannie Thompson	Associate Matron
Martha Thompson	Secretary
Nellie Louise Denman	Treasurer
Margaret M. Grant	Conductress
Daisy Dietz	Associate Conductress
Lucy Lawler	
Belle Zartman	Ruth

Emma Drees	Esther
Nellie Dinwiddie	Martha
Katherine Singley	Electa
Lois W. Hopkins	
Charles Henry Connell.	
Isabel Denman	Chaplain
Rose Kahn	Marshal
Clara Angela Stephen	Organist

Amanda Dinwiddie,
Isabel Denman,
Marie Brown,
Nellie Louise Denman,
Ida W. Moyer,
Mary E. Lovejoy,
Augusta Hall,
Rose Kahn,
Nellie Dinwiddie.

PAST PATRONS.

Powell Atkins, Robert Henry Brown, Charles Edward Dillon, Lyman O. Byce, William Samuel Adams.

MEMBERS.

Achuff, Ora Drees, Emile E. Adams, Mary Belle Dunton, Oscar Anderson, Alexander Estrada, Lulu C. Anderson, Lydia C. Evans, Ellen Baur, Marie Falkner, Amelia Beale, Josephine Goshen, Emma Brainerd, Jessie Grant, Ada Brown, Robert Spear Green, Lyman Byce, Lily C. Haskell, Emma Cavanaugh, John Haubrich, Leonard Chapman, Wm. Arthur Haubrich, Sarah Cockrill, Martha D. Heiniken, Eliza Corliss, Albert Heiniken, Herman Corliss, Belle Herron, Frank Crail Cox, Mattie Hopkins, Mary F. Crane, Mollie Crane, Carleton Lee Kahn, Achille Denman, Catherine Kahn, Aline D. Dies, Jennie B. Kirkpatrick, Katherine Dies, Carl Mile Knapp, Alice B. Dietz, Bessie Lawler, Elizabeth Dinwiddie, Ida M.

Lewis, John B. Linoberg, Estelle Loomis, Jennie Luff, Eva Maclay, Thomas Merritt, Mollie Mills, Sarah Murphy, George B. Newburger, Morris Norton, Jessie B. Partridge, John Rankin, Kate Rankin, Lowry Elmer Ruffin, D. T. Singley, Charles Edward Hurd, nee Schofield, Mary Singley, James Sweed, Nanette Towne, Eugenie West, Fred Charles Wickersham, Fred. Augustus

CONTRIBUTING.

Howard, Lucille

Howard, John Charles

REINSTATED. Merritt, Mollie

DECEASED.

McGrew, Sarah Wilsey

MOUNTAIN FERN CHAPTER, No. 62.

Georgetown, El Dorado County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Thursdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

OF TOEING.	
Barbara Letitia Curry	Worthy Matron
Herbert Silas Martin	Worthy Patron
Hattie E. Presby	Associate Matron
Minnie Belle Epps	Secretary
Sallie Bonaparte Armstrong	Treasurer
Jessie Meek Martin	
Ella Margaret Rau	Associate Conductress
Maude Elma Shepherd	
Cora Varina Heuser	Ruth
Emma Anna Le Beouf	
Sarah M. Jackson	Martha
Eliza Jane Murrish	Electa
Mary Robson Frasier	
James Francis Walk	
Thomas Murrish	Chaplain
Benj. Franklin Robson	Marshal

PAST MATRONS.

Chloe Atwell Jones, Emma Anna Le Boeuf, Dora Crawford, Cora Varina Heuser, Sallie Bonaparte Armstrong, Anna Beattie, Rose Genevieve Fredericks, Ella Margaret Rau.

PAST PATRONS.

Harry Morris Grover, Tinsley Burton Epps, Louis Lane Myers, Benj. Franklin Shepherd, William Simpson Hickman, Oliver Oscar Scripture.

MEMBERS.

Banta, Ada McKinney
Beattie, Catherine
Beattie, Christopher
Bell, Francis Marion
Bennett, Alice
Brown, Dollie Marrs

Bryson, Jennie Emma Bryson, nee Clark, Sierra Fredericks, William Nevada Clark, Mabel Lenora Corrigall, Mary Frances House, Amanda Dains, Maggie May

Filippini, Emelia J. Green, Emma Agnes Grover, Walter Nevada House, John Loran

Langley, Chas. Hilton Le Boeuf, Esther Clara Lovejoy, Amanda Brown Rich, John Colby Lovejoy, Clara Lovejoy, Maude Hale Presby, Alvin M.

Jones, Susie Watson

Rau, Geo. Charles Rau, Matilda Reed, Alice Roelke, Carrie Augusta

Russell, Amanda E. Scott, Inez

Scripture, Minnie Smith, Sophia Eliza Sornberger, Jean Helen Spencer, Lottie Oaks Swift, Isaac Grinnell Walk, Olive Gertrude

REINSTATED.

Swift, Isaac Grinnell

DIMITTED.

Beattie, Mary

Beattie, William G.

Biggs, James Henry

SUSPENDED.

Forbes, Jotham Oscar

CAMELLIA CHAPTER, No. 63.

Eureka, Humboldt County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Fridays of each Month.

OFFICERS.		
Nellie Melendy	Worthy Matron	
George Langford	Worthy Patron	
Mary J. Turner	Associate Matron	
Lizzie Valeria Holmes	Secretary	
Mary Belle McGeorge	Treasurer	
Lourania Barnum	Conductress	
Fannie McKinnon	. Associate Conductress	
Ida Burnell		
Florence Christie		
Emeline Pine		
De Ette F. Kellogg		
Mary J. Langford	Electa	
Mary Ann Gallop	Warder	
William David McKay	Sentinel	
Hannah Clendenen		
Henrietta L. Chapman	Marshal	
Laura McLaren	Organist	

PAST MATRONS.

Lizzie Valeria Holmes, Hannah Clendenen, Catherine Felt. Nellie Cole Percy,

PAST PATRONS.

Ignatius Joseph Ohman, Edwin Hudson Percy, Griffith Griffiths, Louis Persons,

Mary Belle McGeorge, Clara McGeorge Shields, Ximenia Conant Bigelow, Henrietta L. Chapman.

PAST PATRONS.

James Franklin Thompson, John Marvin Melendy, George Langford.

MEMBERS.

Heney, Hannah Axton. Esther Curl Petty, Josiah Backenstose, Edward Holmes, Robert Roberts, May Hopkins, Frances Eliza- Roberts, Melvin P. Barnum, Berenice Bendirsen, Emma beth Schorr, Minerva Bendixsen, Hans Ditter Hopkins, Geo. Washing- Sevier, Ernest Brown, Emma Frances ton Sevier, Ida Burnell, Elizabeth Hurlburt, Frank L. Shaw, Margaret Burnell, Louis Hurlburt, Helen Agusta Skinner, Mary Jane Cave, Henry Johnson, Caroline Smith, Arthur M. Chapman, Emery Jona- Le Vasseur, William H. Smith, Lizzie Hill Long, Elizabeth Souter Smith, Nellie Bell Chope, Maggie Jewett Loveland, Helen Stearns, Kate Rowena Christie, Howard Lowenthal, Jacob Stern, Luella Wiley Christie, Mary Long Lowther, Margaret Stewart, Effic L. Clark, Robert Dale McCormack, Jas. Madison Stewart, Minnie Clark, Roscina Hendee McCormack, Martha Ann Strong, Nellie W. Conant, Edward McGeorge, John Fred'k Strong, Wallace Kalean Conant, Hattie McPherson, Matilda Sudspeath, Myra Max-Crook, Abeons G. Morrison, Kate well Falk, Nannie Murray, Maggie Suther-Taggart, Elizabeth Falor, Lulu Frost land Thompson, Minerva Julia Frost, Chas. B. Noble, Catherine Jane Thompson, Hiram Free-Frost, Edith Noble, Hugh James man Thompson, Rachel Frost, Pauline Patendude, Amos O. Griffiths, Hester Patendude, Lillian Trost, May Hamilton, John Persons, Addie Willis, Rosa Soule Hamilton Lois Augusta Perry, Beulah Woodcock, Hubert L. Hansen, Hannah Perry, Bethune Woodcock, Nettie Harmon, Agnes F. Pettengill, Eloise Scott Young, Matilda Harmon, Charles S.

DIMITTED.

Brown, Adele Bi Brown, James Berry

Richardson, Willis Le- Warren, Geo. Watters ander Young, Jennie Warren, Anna

SUSPENDED.

Carson, Kate Norcross, Leonard Mar Sinclair, John Archibald Howatt, Emily Adelaide cellus Sinclair, Maggie Kendall Howatt, Jas. College Pope Sevier, Sarah Slater, Hannah Margaret

DECEASED.

Corbett, Jane Eliza

McGeorge, Jane

UNITY CHAPTER, No. 65.

West Oakland, Alameda County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Fridays of each Month, in Magnolia Hall, No. 1203 1/2 7th Street.

OFFICERS.	
Hattie Hall	Worthy Matron
Joseph Umphred	Worthy Patron
Josephine Velsir	Associate Matron
Emma A. Perkins	Secretary
Ildegona Berretta	
Annie McCord	Conductress
Emma Umphred	Associate Conductress
Matilda Hayden, nee Coates	
Mildred Lumsden	Ruth
Emma Alida Sanborn	Esther
Camilla Giamboni	
Emma Stirling	Electa
Elsie Sampson	Warder
Minor Martin	Chaplain
Ettie Belle Wilson	Marshal
Edith Edwards	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Mary McGuire,
Augusta Dunn Wilson,
Minnie Hallett,
Emma A. Perkins,
Mary Littler,
Mary Haven,
Mary Moore,
Elizabeth Jane Eames,
Hilma Buttlar,
Lulu Anderson,
Jamesie Monck.

PAST PATRONS.

Jesse Milton McGuire, Eugene S. Perkins, Minor S. Martin, Rolla Monek, Charles Hall, John Gohrman, Joseph Umphred.

MEMBERS.

Aiken, Mary J.

Baker, Alvin W.

Baker, Henry Matthew
Bruce, Ella

Bruce, Henry Matthew
Bruce, Ella

Bruce, Henry Matthew
Bruce, Samuel

Coates, Ann Elizabeth Coates, Emily Coates, Thomas Cowan, Laura

Cowell, Salome	McKim, Celestine	Seary, John
Cummings, George	McKinnon, Edelbert	Slavin, John
Deaner, Alma	Dwight	Smith, Clayton
${\bf Edwards, Helen Elizabeth}$	Merkley, Eliza	Tait, Allen
Edwards, Walter Henry	Moore, Nellie	Tannahill, Mary
Fike, Cordelia	Moore, Robert	Taylor, Ella
Finely, Carrie	Morrison, John	Taylor, James
Fittbogen, Sarah	Morrison, Sadie	Thompson, Anna E.
Gilmore, Eliza	Naismith, Amelia	Todd, Sarah
Glines, Eunice	Neal, Lucy	Trombley, Mattie
Glines, Herbert Atherton	Neff, Andrew	Walters, Mary
Goodwin, Julia	Neff, Victoria	Warner, Ella
Graham, Margaret	Nelson, Mary	Whitehead, Annie
Graham, Robt. Grant	Nicol, William	Whitehead, Thomas
Guttierriez, Loleta K. T.	Nichols, Jennie	Whitlatch, Daniel
Harlow, Louise	Openshaw, Annie	Whitlatch, Sarah
Hawkett, Marguerite	Patten, Josephine	Wilkinson, Edward
Heckell, Mary	Patterson, Alexander	Willard, Charles Martin
Heckell, William	Perkins, Blanche Amelia	Willard, Georgie
Hufschmidt, Amelia	Plum, Mary	Williams, Albert Spencer
Hughes, Phoebe	Priest, Hannah	Williams, Florence
Jordan, Sarah	Reeves, Cynthia	Wilson, James B.
Krinkle, Addie	Rhodes, Hattie	Wood, nee Naismith,
Lightner, Julia	Richardson, Grace	Grace
Lumsden, Ida Grace	Rollins, Holman	Wrede, Augustus
Marshall, Amelia	Rollins, Sylvia	Wrede, Ella
Martin, Mary E.	Sanborn, William	Wyllie, Lillie
Martland, Nellie	Sankey, Florence	Wyllie, Robert
McCord, Thomas	•	
•	CONTRIBUTING.	

Griffiths, Fannie

Patterson, Mary

Swan, Mary

DIMITTED.

McGuire, Ida Moran, Lillie Naismith, Alice Naismith, George Pierson, Willard

SUSPENDED.

Boyer, Sadie

Medros, J. Jason

Morey, Charles

DECEASED.

Naismith, Gavin

Prothers, Samuel

GOLDEN STAR CHAPTER, No. 66.

Jackson, Amador County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Saturdays of each Month.

OFFICERS. Annie Rowe Harvey.......Worthy Matron Annie E. Adams...... Associate Matron Stella Maria Spagnoli.....Secretary Kate Langhorst......Treasurer Mary Jane Penry...... Associate Conductress Ella Roberts Esther John Guisto......Sentinel Electa Jane Kay...... Chaplain Nellie Osborne Adams. Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Ida Belle Spagnoli,
Electa Jane Kay,
Mae B. Matson,
Kate Langhorst,
Ellen Jane Ould,
Mary Elizabeth Moore,
Minnie Venitia Spagnoli,
Bertha Samuels.

PAST PATRONS.

Wallace Kay,
John Ould,
Myron Shaw Matson,
Diovol Benedetto Spagnoli,
Robert John Adams.

MEMBERS.

Anthony, Edward Reese Hayes, John Anthony, Mary Avis Hicks. Fanny Berryman, Elizabeth A. Hicks, Thomas Boarman, Emma Forest Holtz, Margaret Campbell, John Holtz, Rose Eibee Culbert, Charles Leonard Jennings, William Kane, Tina L. Davies. Herbert Lawrence Kirkwood, Margaret Froelich, Rosa Emma Granger, Mary Elizabeth Langhorst, John Henry Harrington, nee Boarman, Langren, August Ellen Douglas Langren, Johnette

Letang, Baldemar E.
Lonigo, Emil Victor
Mace, Caroline
Mace, Fayette
Matly, Maria
McFarland, Daisy
McFarland, William
Newman, Leopold
Nichols, Minnie M.
Osborne, Susan
Patterson, Alice
Robertson, Elisha Byrant

Samuels, Joseph Sanborn, Nellie Spagnoli, Sylvester Gio- Tibbits, Meade vanni Tripp, Eva D. Thomas, George Lloyd Williams, Nathan Pierson

DIMITTED.

Hutchins, John Wesley

Matley, David

DECRASED. Culbert, Eliza Jane

FRIENDSHIP CHAPTER, No. 67.

Lincoln, Placer County.

Stated Meetings, Saturday of each Month succeeding Full Moon.

OFFICERS.

Ida May Chandler	
Amos Mathews Powers	
Laura Barrett	Associate Matron
Kate Haenny	Secretary
Ida May Hill	Treasurer
Louisa Anna Phillips, nee Nader	Conductress
Iva Florence Sparks	Associate Conductress
Elizabeth Agnes Fleming	
Rose Mercedes Rivas	Ruth
Mary Burdge Sanders	Esther
May Robinson	Martha
Mattie Wiswell	
Margaret Smith Hislop	
John Haenny	
Almira Schuler.	Chaplain
Caroline Jane Chandler	
Carrie Augusta Gladding	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Carrie Augusta Gladding, Mary Burdge Sanders, Ida May Hill, Elizabeth Jane Atkinson, Mattie Wiswell, Caroline Jane Chandler, Kate Haenny, Ida May Chandler.

PAST PATRONS.

Chris. Columbus Sanders, Thomas Burrell Harper, Albert James Gladding, John Haenny.

MEMBERS.

Allen, Charlotte	Fuller, Geo. Washington	Lohse, Louise
Atwood, Lizzie Ella	Fuller, Lucy Janette	Michael, Florence Varina
Barrett, Virginia Lee	Gerber, John	Nader, Bertha
Butterfield, Ida	Gerber, Lydia Burdge	Nader, Edna May
Chandler, Mary Adeline	Gray, Martha	Nader, Henry
Finney, Mattie Frances	Haenny, Rose Maud	Neville, Sophie Elizabeth
Finney, Wm. Norman	Harper, Rebecca Frances	Pemberton, George
Flemming, Albert Carlisl	eHill, Edward Eugene	Francis
Flemming, Elizabeth Alice	Hislop, William	Richardson, Lucina
Frederick, Harriet Asen-	Hoppert, Catherine	Schuler, Anton
ath	Lawvere, Allice Carrie	Sparks, Wm. Martin
T. The symptom		

DIMITTED.

Hodge, Samantha Alice Ingram, William Ingram, Corinne Flint Young, Emeline Young, James Edgar

OCEAN SPRAY CHAPTER, No. 68.

Pacific Grove, Monterey County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Wednesdays of each Month,

OFFICERS.	
Matilda Victoria Fifield	Worthy Matron
Francis Edward Lawrey	Worthy Patron
Lizzie Wright	
Sylvia Gaunt Hamilton	Secretary
Caroline Louise Oyer	Treasurer
Louise Emma Lawrey	Conductress
Annie Lumsden Ellis	Associate Conductress
Carrie Elizabeth Mitchell	
Angie Orr	Ruth
Daisy Wright	Esther
Martha Ann Patrick	
Angeline Sutton	Electa
William Otho Brink	Warder
John Randolph Patrick	
William Sutton	
Marion Alice Olmsted	
Frank Willson Ellis	Organist

PAST MATRONS,

Martha Ann Patrick, Lizzie Wright, Hattie Sargent Gregg,

PAST PATRONS.

William Sutton, John Bandolph Patrick, William Thompson Luther,

Angeline Sutton, Caroline Louisa Oyer, Mattie Augusta Anderson, Matilda Victoria Fifield.

PAST PATRONS.

Robert Grant Mitchell, Francis Edward Lawrey.

MEMBERS.

Anderson, Andy Bolee, Sarah Crow, Mattie Virginia Crow, Richard Ellis, Elsie Ellis, Josephine Elmore, Mary Maria Fifield, Daniel Black Gordon, Georgia Jacks, Mary Romie Jacks, Will Kay, Annie Etta Kay, Isabella Kelton, Caroline Luther, Lucy Lee Mantor, Deborah Peterson, John August Sargent, Julia Ann Sargent, Kate Mary Stockton, Alice P. Tuttle, Jane Kenneth Wooten, John Edward Wooten, Mary Ann Wright, Jonathan

REINSTATED.

Palmer, Louisa A.

DIMITTED.

Gunzendorfer, Fannie Jones, Nellie Anthony Merritt, Lavinia Palmer, Louisa A.

SUSPENDED.

Sargent, Jas. Patty

Moore, James Franklin

MANZANITA CHAPTER, No. 69.

Calistoga, Napa County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Fridays of Each Month.

	OFFICERS.
Martha Hubbs	officers
Franklin Ashton	
Rachel Crouch	
M. Jennie Simmons	Secretary
Aurelia A. Bennett	Associate Conductress
Lucy Pickett	
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Mary Borland	
	Eleota
Felix Grauss	Sentinel
	Organist

Mary Elizabeth Brown, Rachel Crouch, Mary E. Burgess, M. Jennie Simmons, Mary Boland, Aurelia Bennett.

PAST PATRONS.

Franklin Ashton, William Thomas Simmons, Ferdinand Frank, Michael Sixon Boland.

MEMBERS.

Adams, Effle Garrett, Lucina C. Pickett, Charles Nathan Adams, May Garrett, William Thomas Pratt, Emma Delilah Burgess, Chas. Melzer Higgins, Andrew J. Pratt, Eugene Franklin Cable, Emanuel Hoover Higgins, Roda J. Rose, David Chesebro, Jane Peckham Hoover, Anita Safley, Carrie Collins, Mary A. Hoover, Inez E. Safley, James Hunter Conner, Caroline M. Hoover, John Wright, Fannie Conner, Newton Mitchell, Addie M. Wright, James California Crouch, Francis Asahel Newbauer, Johanna Wright, John Ripley Fee, Leonidas Wilson Newbauer, Sigmund W. Wright, Joseph Frank, Camille

DIMITTED.

Murray, Adelaide

SUSPENDED.

Easley, Elizabeth Jane	Francis, Helen	Monroe, William
Easley, Lulu	McMerrick, Chas. P.	Stone, Harry
Easley, William Hugh	McMerrick, Hortense E.	Wright, Joseph W.

QUEEN ESTHER CHAPTER, No. 71.

Sutter Creek, Amador County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Saturdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Esther Katz	Worthy Matron
John Lithgow	Worthy Patron
Belle Cooledge	Associate Matron
Henrietta Post	Acting Secretary
Matilda Post	Treasurer
Sarah G. Bedpath	Conductress
Georgiana M. Balch	. Associate Conductress
Jennie Lithgow	
Frances Gunsolus	Ruth
Hannah Bryant Gabbs	Esther
Martha Yancy Brown	Martha
Mary Wilson Brown	Electa

Anna Jones	Warder
John Jelimini	
Elizabeth Jones	Chaplain
Sophie Mildred Allen	Organist

Serephna Worley, Alice Gilmore, Mary Gordon, Carrie L. Tiffany.

PAST PATRONS.

Hesekiah M. Richardson, Edward V. Tiffany.

MEMBERS.

Allen, Annie Elizabeth Brinn Morris Bush, Dora A. Burk, Mary Cooledge, Walter Scott Easton, Lucinda J. Gerrans, Mary J. Hornberger, Eugenia Hornberger, Mayme Hornberger, Nicholas Jones, Jennie
Katz, Louis
LeMoin, Clara
Lehman, Herman
Lehman, Elinor T.
Martin, Francis H.
Martin, Frederick C.
Marchant, Clara
McWayne, Elizabeth
Josephine

Nixon, Malachi D.
Norris, Fannie A.
Post, John McDougal
Redpath, Robert
Tregloan, John Roger
Tregloan, Grace Sabea
Wildman, Julia Ann
Wildman, William Turreil

DIMITTED.

Lee, Charles

Lee, Lizzie

SUSPENDED.

Parsons, William

Williams, Benjamin

DECEASED.

Brown, Emma Price

ELECTA CHAPTER, No. 72.

Modesto, Stanislaus County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

Theresa Jamison Worthy Matron George Russel Stoddard Worthy Patron Bessie Bentley Associate Matron Winifred Elizabeth Zander Secretary Nellie Stoddard Treasurer Mac Roselle Davis Conductress Anna Maria Kewin Associate Conductress Etta Fulkerth Adah Lucille Stone Buth

Margaret Weyer	Esther
Jennie Phelps Purvis	
Ora Hatton	Electa
Jennie Brock	Warder
Gabriel David Plato	Sentinel
Frederick Henry Zander	Chaplain
Emily Cressey	Marshal
George Stepp Geoffert	

Mary Ann Cameron, Margaret Wakefield, Alice Price Dozier, Chloe Ann Zander, Ora Hatton, Margaret Weyer.

PAST PATRONS,

Geo. Washington Cameron, James Henry Maddrill, William Henry Hatton, Walter Benjamin Wood, Frederick Henry Zander, George Russell Stoddard.

MEMBERS.

Beard, Ada Grace Elias, Jennie Beard, Thomas Kenyon Ensley, William Fulkerth, Catherine Benham, Joseph Marshall Gridley, Susan Bentley, Jefferson Davis Hewel, Adolphus Bilicke, Albert Clay Hewel, Arabella Virginia Stone, Corda Black, Frankie Andrews Hewel, Maria Fisher Broyles, Ida Jackson, Mary Jones, Mary Ellen Buck, Emma Bury, Eliza Jane Leek, Edward Newton Carner, Eliza Martin Leek, Effie A. Chantry, Mary McHenry, Louise Cressey, Frank Albert McHenry, Oramil Dettlebach, Julius Meinecke, Edward Meinecke, Katie DeYoe, Caroline DeYoe, Nathan E. Meyers, Alexander Meyers, Lena Durant, James A.

Nash, Harriet Hester Newport, Sarah Carner Root, Mary Jane Root, Milton Burdette Spencer, Martha Ann Stone, Jennie Traner, Mary Martha Traner, Mattie E. Vogelman, Agatha Wakefield, Orrin Lewis Weyer, Gustave Adolphus Wood, Josie Gridley Wood, Martha Ann Zimdars, Gertrude

DIMITTED.

Armstrong, Mary Jennie Hutchings, Dora Estelle Vogelman, Louise Harris, Leah Elias Mahon, Mattie

SUSPENDED.

Harp, James David Owens, Gertrude

Rose, Ella May Young, Elizabeth

DECEASED. Traner, Etta M.

MAGNOLIA CHAPTER, No. 78.

Gilroy, Santa Clara County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Thursdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Mary Ellen Brock	
Edwin Jackson Bryant	
Fannie Susie Pettit	Associate Matron
Etta Eckhardt	Secretary
Jacob Reither	Treasurer
Sue L. Thomas	Conductress
Inez Geraldine Fitzgerald	Associate Conductress
Stella Meads	
Josephine Ricketts	
Clara Elizabeth Eckhardt	Esther
Carrie Rea	
Olive Alma Keaton	Electa
Flora Reither	
Carl Hellstrom	
Nancy Jones	
Nettie Louise Ingham	-
Minnie Willey	
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PAST MATRONS.

Sarah Frances Tryon,
Belle Farmer,
Mary Briggs Benn,
Melissa Ann Morey,
Louisa Woods,
Minnie Willey,
Carrie Rea,
Emma Bennett,
Josephine Ricketts,
Clara Elizabeth Eckhardt,
Nettie Louise Ingham.

PAST PATRONS.

Edwin Jackson Bryant, Edmund Joseph Bennett, Jacob Reither, Frank Nichol Chaplin.

MEMBERS.

Bacher, LellaValpan	Hickman, Harriet Ethel	Moore, Emma Demetria
Beal, Elizabeth Bartlett	Hobbs, James	Morey, Harvey Chapin
Bennett, Eunice Sophie	Hobbs, Mary Elizabeth	Otto, Dorothea
Brock, Eliza Staples	Hudson, Edna Milliken	Phillips, George
Eschenburg, Herman	Jones, Albert	Reeve, Carrie Harrison
Rodney	Lipsett, Anna	Skillicorn, George E.
Farley, Cornelia	Lipsett, Archie	Skillicorn, Mary E.
Fowler, Frances Adelaide	Loupe, Emma	Storey, Rose M.

Tryon, Ambrose Bruen Wolfrom, Demetria Woods, Joseph Calvin Whitehurst, Rebecca JaneWolfrom, Josephine JaneWyatt, Louisa Wolfrom, Charlotte Belle

DIMITTED.

Riggins, Lizzie P. Tully

ESTHER CHAPTER, No. 74.

Adin, Modoc County.

Stated Meetings, Friday on or before New Moon, and Friday on or before Full Moon.

OFFICERS.			
Emma Frances Traugh	Worthy Matron		
George Horace Knight	Worthy Patron		
Minnie Belle James	Associate Matron		
Wilhelmina Blaske Clark	Secretary		
Gonzagua Luis Lapoint	Treasurer		
Albertine Summers	Conductress		
Caroline Blaske	Associate Conductress.		
Jessie Dana Knight			
Mary Jane Groves	Ruth		
	Esther		
Della Grace Johnson	Martha		
Lucia Groves	Electa		
Clara Jessa Packwood			
Elsley Wiman Groves	Sentinel		

PAST MATRONS.

Wilhelmina Blaske Clark, Lucia Groves, Ella Langenour McCoy, Jessie Dana Knight, Mary Jane Groves, Emma Frances Traugh.

PAST PATRONS.

Geo. Horace Knight, Wm. Alvin Messengill, Jerome Charles Groves,

MEMBERS.

Apple, Joseph H. Apple, Mary Frances Ford, Julia Elizabeth Harbert, Alice H. Harbert, Wm. Franklin Harvey, Mabel Groves Harvey, Nettie Lou

Lapoiut, Arthermise Lapoint, Joseph Ferdin- Peck, Rath and McCoy, Charles John Packwood, Nellie Pearl Rice, Emma Elizabeth Packwood, Warren Dale Rice, Thos. Jefferson Parrish, Joseph Franklin

Peck, John Loveman Ramsey, Clara Gertrude Rice, Charles William

DIMITTED.

Roseberry, Thos. Alex.

Roseberry, Viola May

DECEASED.

Gann, Alma Lula

SILVER WAVE CHAPTER, No. 75.

San Bernardino, San Bernardino County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each Month.

	OFFICERS.
Sylvia Annetta Terrass	
Wilbur Channing Pearse	
Alice Rebecca Davis	Associate Matron
Anna Gyger Pierce	Secretary
Arabella Singleton Lord	Treasurer
Bertha Johnson	
Mary Bonner Wright	Associate Conductress
Alice Jessie Chase	Ruth
Annie Winslow Flagg	Esther
Isabel Dora Jacobs	Electa
Johanna Hook	
	Sentinel
	Chaplain
Stella Adelaide Lyster	
Marguerite Jonas	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Arabella Singleton Lord, Anna Maria Porter, Anna Gyger Pierce, Sarah Isabella Brazelton, Lucia Presendia Godfrey, Eliza Ousterhout, Stella Adelaide Lyster, Mary Anna Davis, Bertha Johnson.

PAST PATRONS.

George Lord, George Strunk Pierce, Jeremiah Drake Ousterhout, Thomas Jonathan Wilson, Harrison Hazlett Guthrie, Joseph Lewin Jonas, Edward Alexander Smith, Daniel Taylor Brummett, Henry "A" Keller, Milford Byron Terrass, Frederick Washington Nance.

MEMBERS.

Barton, John William Brummett, Lisetta Briggs, Eva Potts

Chandler, Bradley Benj. Cramer, Mercy Ovelia Clark, Hiram Clark, Laura

Corbett, Isabelle Davis, Milo Eugene Day, James Anderson Johnson, John Frank-Gates, Ella lin, Jr. Gray, Henry Julius Keller, Maud Willard Evelyn Leisenring, Frederick Hall, Edward Gideon Holcomb, Francis Leroy Lyster, William Grafton Penrod, Cora Holcomb, Leila Elizabeth McKinney, Caroline Au- Poling, Sarah Elizabeth Holcomb, Mamie gusta Holt, Kendall Michaels, Malachi Wind-Upson, Lulu Lee Howland, Eva Slocumb field Huntington, Caroline

Michaels, Sarah Margaret Park. Andrew Parker, Robert Bryant Pearse, Ruth Amanda Prescott, Frank Clark Wilson, Isabel Alice

CONTRIBUTING.

Clark, Susan

DIMITTED.

Black, Louise

SUSPENDED.

Burkhart, John Basil Cave, Sarah Elizabeth Jackson, Joseph Mellen Porter, William Robert Soule, Ella Wagner

Soule, Wm. LloydGarrison Umbs, Jesse

ROHNERVILLE CHAPTER, No. 76.

Rohnerville, Humboldt County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Wednesdays of each Month.

	FFICERS.
Olive Marie Brewer	Worthy Matron
William Henry Bryan	Worthy Patron
Mary Elizabeth Callihan	Associate Matron
Carrie Loring Clover	Secretary
Rosana Weber	Treasurer
Annie Underwood	
Sadie Perrott	
Sarah Stubbs	
Ella J. Stone	Ruth
Lola D. Webber	Esther
Mary Emma Lamb	
May Sophia Hull	Electa
Matilda McNeil	Warder
George Wells Stone	Sentinel
Frances Jane Bryan	Chaplain
Sarah Dale	Marshal

Sarah M. Perrott, Frances Jane Bryan, Lola D. Webber, Charlotte Hiller, Ella J. Stone, Sarah E. Stubbs, Matilda MoNeil,

PAST PATRONS.

William Henry Bryan, George Hiller, William Dinsmore, Brice H. McNeil, Henry S. Delamere.

MEMBERS.

Beckwith, Belle Beckwith, Frank Walter Hansell, Harry F. Beckwith, Nellie Bracket, Mamie Clover, Philip R. Connick. Alexander G. Connick, Isabella Crippen, Florence Elsie Dale, Anita Dale, Jerry Davis, Henry De Lasaux Kelly, Sarah H. Davis, Rose Delemer, Fannie Dinsmore, Annie Felt, Martha Guthrie, Grace Hansell, Amos Hansell, Caroline

Hansell, Ellen L. Newell, Sarah E. North, Davis Beaure-Hansen, Hattie E. gard Hanson, Daniel W. North, Eva Hasty Hanson, Laura Oliver, Anna Webster Hauk, Alice Perrott, Walter Louis Hauk, Peter Perry, Alice Maud Howes, Annie Smith, Carrie May Stubbs, Moses Ramsay Hull, Joseph Kelly, Thomas Lamb Tollman, John Wesley Tollman, Lulu May Kirk, Emma Jane Underwood, George Van Sickle, Frances Lamb, Winfield Scott Van Sickle, Mattie Lette, Rosalie Milligan, Maud Webber, Martin Milligan, Thomas Webber, Michael N. Newell, Daniel Sheldon Wright, Elizabeth

DIMITTED.

Foss, James C.

Foss, Louisa D.

Roberts, Margaret

AZALIA CHAPTER, No. 77.

San Andreas, Calaveras County.

Stated Meetings, First Tuesday on or after Full Moon of each Month.

Ella Creighton Wyllie. Worthy Matron George Christian Graves Worthy Patron Sophie Coulter... Associate Matron Charles Francis Walter. Secretary William Shinn Coulter Treasurer Alice Frances Halley. Conductress Melissa Catherine Ford Associate Conductress Winnie Solinsky Adah

Naomi Eunice Davis	Ruth
Margaret Jane Ford	Esther
Eva May Simmons	Martha
Mary Melissa Earley	Electa
Charles Benjamin Ford	Warder
Charles Low Chase	Sentinel
Judson Arthur Holland	Chaplain
Francis Joseph Solinsky	\dots Marshal
Maggie May Casey	

Ella Creighton Wyllie, Hattie Eugenia Creighton, Hattie Louisa Messenger.

PAST PATRONS.

Hiram Ashley Messenger, George Christian Graves, Nelson Cyrus Messenger, Edward Maher.

MEMBERS.

Anderson, Anthony Busby, Charles Casey, Edward Casey, William Davis, Henry Smith Ford, William Mitchell

Getchell, Tillie Lucas, James Bennett Messenger, Annie Maud Tower, Mary E. Maher, Mamie Frances Murray, Henry Gordon Wyllie, Alfred Loring Raggio, John

Schrack, Henry Clay Selleck, Lizzie Patterson Washburn, Maud Emily

MARGUERITE CHAPTER, No. 78.

Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

	officers.	
Cecelia Catherine George		Worthy Matron
Albert Perham Hardy		
Adah Webster		Associate Matron
Eli Rundell		Secretary
William Augustus Atlee		Treasurer
Rose Everett		
Laura P. Butcher	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Associate Conductress
Mayme Williams		
Mary Ott		
Sarah Elizabeth Schuster		Esther
Florence J. Johnston		
Sarah Frances George		Electa
Mary Brown Hardy		
Augustus Carl Schuster		Sentinel
Emilie Cartright Swain		Chaplain
Isabel Squires		
Ella Burson		Organist

Mary Elizabeth Birnbaum,
Emilie Cartright Swain,
Isabel Squiers,
Nellie Mabel Axtell,
Rose Everett,
Elizabeth Dennis Peer,
Margaret Rebecca Buckingham,
Julia E. Hiller,
Cecelia Catherine George.

PAST PATRONS.

William Bradsted Squires, John N. Hiller, John Delos Peer, Augustus Carl Schuster, Abisha Swain, William Preston Butcher.

MEMBERS.

Axtell, Joseph Daniel
Buckingham, Joseph
Alonzo
Burson, Joseph Henry
Clark, nee Pierce, Berth
Clark, Cora B.
Dodge, Edward Gordon
Dodge, Mary Dorcas
Edmonson, Emma F.
Elliott, Henrietta
Franklin, Gideon E.
Frost, Gertrude E.
Garretson, Charles Osca
Garretson, Mary Eliza

Harrington, John Kimberly
Hayman, Albert
Hayman, Sarah
a Johnston, John T.
Kilgore, Mate Malten
Krader, Mono C.
Kurtz, Maria
Laughlin, Clara A.
Loomis, Ira
Manchester, Etta
Manchester, Samuel
or Mise, Charles Henry
Moyer, Daniel

Ott, Adam
Rundell, Kate Rutherford
Stearns, John Peck
Thomas, Georgiana H.
Trussler, Louisa
Wattes, Mercie Ewing
Webster, Clarence Elmond
Whitney, Maggie
Williams, Eliza J.
Williams, Georgiana
Wilson, Jerome C.
Wilson, Lettie Belle

DIMITTED.

Clark, Emma E. Clark, Wilson L. Eddleman, Cora Belle Eddleman, Jacob Joshua Granger, Joseph R. Granger, Anna H. Pierce, Estella May

SUSPENDED.

Tebbetts, Parish George Cummins, William J. Pratt, Mina Myrtle

DECEASED.

Pratt, Edward Baker

VENTURA CHAPTER, No 79.

Ventura, Ventura County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Fridays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Annie l	Maria Hoppin	Worthy	Matron
Willis I	Phillip Lincoln	. Worthy	Patron
Kate F	lint	ssociate	Matron

ORDER OF THE EASTERN STAR.

Wm, Henry Albert Thompson	Secretary
Helene Cerf	
Emma Clara Cook	Conductress
Grace Eugenia Franklin	Associate Conductress
Orpha Woods Foster, Jr	
Nellie Giddings	
Henrietta Roth	
Lola Daley Robbins	
Bertha Roth	Electa
Lydia Louisa Daley	
Herbert Alvaro Giddings	Sentinel
Amos Dudley Seward	Chaplain
Irene Parsons Williams	
Grace Foster	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Orpha Woods Foster, Sarah Ann Walker, Annie Maria Hoppin, Elizabeth Ann McDonnell.

PAST PATRONS.

Eugene Preston Foster, Amos Dudley Seward, James Walker, Willis Philip Lincoln.

MEMBERS.

Bounds, Homer Daley, Mary Maud Reynolds, James Ed-Bounds, Mary Alice Durfee, Louis Adelbert mond Cannon, Belle Flint, Grace Elizabeth Thompson, nee Franklin, Cannon, Lena Electa Nannie Beattie Gray, Mary Jane Cannon, Lydia Jane Hoppin, Della Dake Todd, Annie Todd, Theodore Cannon, Marion Hoppin, Henry Isaac Churchman, Agnes Adah Hotchkiss, Emma Huston Williams, Benjamin Tully Churchman, Joseph Lou- Leavitt, Henrietta Baker Williams, Celinda Averill McCasky, Eleanor Wilson, Lillie Brown Wolff, Moise Lazard Chrisman, Edna Gertrude McGuire, Corena Clancy, Mattie Allen Reilly, Agnes

REINSTATED.

Cannon, Belle Cannon, Lydia Jane Cannon, Marion Gray, Mary Jane

DIMITTED.

Simpson, George Lyman

DECEASED.

Robinson, Christopher Maxwell

AUGUSTA CHAPTER, No. 80.

Covelo, Mendocino County.

Stated Meetings on the First and Third Thursdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.			
Mary Ellen Cummins			
Horace Alex, Eldred	Worthy Patron		
	Associate Matron		
	Secretary		
Jemima Eveland	Treasurer		
Amy Eldred	Conductress		
Sarah Marks	Associate Conductress		
Jennie Perry			
Laura Foster	Ruth		
***********	Esther		
Alice Hurt			
	Electa		
Sarah Ann Brown			
Charles Milton Brown	Sentinel		
Susan Frances Henley	Organist		

PAST MATRONS.

Susan Frances Henley,
Laura Adell Handy,
Clarissa Ann Green,
Emma Elizabeth Van Dyke,
Sarah Marks,
Jemima Eveland.

PAST PATRONS.

Philo Handy, Charles Milton Brown, Wm. Summerfield Van Dyke.

MEMBERS.

Connolly, Mary C. Connolly, Thomas W. Hornbrook, Mary Ann Hurt, Mary Marks, Henry Updegraff, Jacob Wattenberger, Jacob Wattenberger, Mary West, Mynnetta

DIMITTED.

Smith, John Milton Smith, Mildred Spaulding, Lillie Perry, Susan

SUSPENDED.

Bucknell, Ollie Amy

Lovell, Lizzie

Lovell, Maud

DECEASED.

Montague, Ann Jane

SOTOYOME CHAPTER, No. 82.

Healdsburg, Sonoma County.

Stated Meetings on the Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Officers.	
Sarah Jane Barnes	
George Henry Butterfield	Worthy Patron
Nettie A. Barnes	
Emma E, Hall	Secretary
Mary Mehitable Bates	Treasurer
Nellie Mary Petray	
Rebecca Abraham	Associate Conductress
Clara Lena Gray	
Louise Charity Horton, nee Laymance	
Amelia Minnie Thomas	Esther
Climena D. Craig	Martha
Matilda Hazeltine Hall	
Fannie Mayer, nee Goldstine	Warder
Edward Granville Hall	Sentinel
Jane Frances Raabe	Chaplain
Margaret Malena Calhoun	
Blanche Mabel Doane	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Jane Frances Raabe, Climena D. Craig, Emma Jane Terry, Louisa Frances Vaughn, Fannie Meyer, nee Goldstine, Anna Bechamp Barnes.

PAST PATRONS.

Nelson Bradley Coffman, Wm. Henry Barnes, Edward Granville Hall, Thomas Jamison Barnes, Matthias Raabe.

MEMBERS.

Allen, Georgia J.	Hassett, Sarah Elizabeth	Palmer, Frances Warren
Barnes, Sarah Frances	Hooten, Martin VanBurer	Palmer, Georgie Marion
Bidwell, John	Hooten, Rebecca Jane	Palmer, Mary Elizabeth
Bidwell, Mary Ellen	Hovey, Emma Jane	Phillips, Duval Drake
Calhoun, Nannie Lee	Logan, Barbara M.	Phillips, Mary Carter
Clack, Celia Jane	Luce, Anne Elizabeth	Pool, Charles A.
Claypool, Carrie Cross	Mathews, Chas. Wesley	Reniff, Louis Arnold
Doane, Lafayette William	Mathews, Martha Ellen	Stoffel, Ida May
Gale, Mary Louise	Mathews, Mary Ann	Terry, James William
Gobbi, Bernard	Miller, May Ida	Wallace, Anna
Gunn, Harriet E.	Nichols, James Francis	Walters, Susie Jane
Hall. Matilda Hazeltine	Nichols, Sarah Louise	

DIMITTED.

Fitzgerald, Mathew

Fitzgerald, Minnie Jane

MOLINO CHAPTER, No. 83.

Tehama, Tehama County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Saturday of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Hanchen Gyle	
Henry Walker McDaniel	
Almira Amelia Williams	Associate Matron
George Charles Simpson	Secretary
Louis Abraham Gyle	Treasurer
Anna G. Woods	Conductress
Veranda Margaret Hall	Associate Conductress
Dora Gyle	
Susie Frances Miller	
Lulu Amanda Simpson	Esther
Jeannette May Fish	
Mary Emily Tarter	Electa
	Sentinel
Susie Angeline Wheeler	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Hanchen Gyle, Kate Huson, Mary Emily Tarter, Almira Amelia Williams, Anna G. Woods.

PAST PATRONS.

Elias Delaven Gardner, Henry Walker McDaniel, Alvah Peterson, John Simpson, George Charles Simpson.

O'Hair, Addie

MEMBERS.

Bogard, Andrew Jack
Bogard, Annie Jane
Boland, Lydia
Chase, Margaret Jane
Ehrlich, Carrie J.
Gyle, Eva

son Gyle, Julia Heider, Emma Houseman, Robert Porterfield Karmelenski, Annie

O'Hair, Michael Stock, Mary Turman, George Elmer Weymann, Wilhelmina McKellar, Olive Florence

SUSPENDED.

Chamberlain, Joseph Dennis, Amos

Ehrlich, John

Hazlett, Minerva Annie Smith, Andrew Meline, John Joseph Dennis, Elizabeth Jayes Miller, John William

Stout, Geo. Homer Stout, Lizzie G.

DECEASED.

Hobson, Jesse Mason

Weymann, Henry

Woods, Robert Monroe

VERITAS CHAPTER, No. 84.

Coluss, Colusa County,

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

	OFFICERS.
Virginia Helen Beville	
Josiah L. Seawell	Worthy Patron
	Associate Matron
Lydia Cleveland Cosner	Secretary
Mary T. Dean	
Estelle Seawell	
Agnes A. Liening	Associate Conductress
Gertrude de St. Maurice	
Ernestena Welch	Ruth
Lillian Jackson	Esther
Huldah G. Allen	
Hattie Belle Goad	Electa
Rebecca M. Liening	
Emil Jacobson	Sentinel
Robert Cosner	Chaplain
Jennie Milton Hubbard	
Willie Mayse Beville	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Mary T. Dean, Ellen Penelope Cooke, Lydia Cleveland Cosner, Luta Beville, Sarah de St. Maurice, Sarah Elizabeth Seawell,

· Rebecca M. Liening, Anne Augusta West, Gertrude de St. Maurice, Huldah G. Allen.

PAST PATRONS.

Claude Edward de St. Maurice, Robert Cosner, Josiah L. Seawell, Edwin Swinford.

MEMBERS.

Allen, Rufus Franklin Beville, Wm. Thomas Buster, Alice Judah Buster, William Harrison Goad, James Wilkins Cheney, Lovina Cheney, John Cooke, Joseph Bailey Crane, Carrie Belle Drake, Susan Lorinda Emery, nee Stevenson, Louisa P.

Ford, George K. Gillaspy, Henry Bostwick Gillaspy, Prudence Graham, Aseneth Grover, Coralie Lorraine Grover, Mamie Hall, Ida May Hall, Walter Randolph Hamilton, Mana Hankins, Carolyn L.

Hankins, Andrew Jackson Heitman, Emma Harrington, Wm. Merrill Harrington, Mabel Grover Hoyt, Laura A. Hicok, Lora Leon Hicok, Margaret E. Hubbard, William Henry Jackson, Kate Vivian

Littlepage, Sarah E. Lohry, Annette R. McGee, nee Tully, Augusta Miller, Jacob Henry Mitchell, Burr Hudson Mogk, John Charles Mogk, Helene Morrissey, Thomas Fran- Albert de ois Percival, Mary Percival, Walter C.

Powers, Carrie Myrtle

Rathburn, Hattie Abel Rathburn, Joseph E. Rummelsburg, Minnie Hyman Rummelsburg, Selig Scoggins, Henrietta Showler, George Edwin St. Maurice, Charles St. Maurice, George Ed- Wilson, Cyrus Pogue ward de Terrill, Anna Belle

Thayer, Albert Austin Thayer, Caroline Thayer, Mary Louise Totten, Marco Bozzarris Tully, Belle Tully, William R. Warner, Mary Welch, Robert Francis West, Joseph Simeon Wilson, Emeline Zumwalt, Ivy George

DIMITTED.

Donnelly, Laura Lorraine Duncan, Nellie M. Swinford, Kate Donnelly, Margaret S.

Tuson, Henry

VALLEY OF THE MOON CHAPTER, No. 85.

Sonoma, Sonoma County.

Stated Meetings, Thursday Evening of each Month on or before the Full Moon.

OFF:	icers.
Elizabeth Burris	Worthy Matron
Robert Potter Hill	Worthy Patron
Rowena Harris	Associate Matron
Mattie Boggs Goodman	Secretary
Mary Louisa Shaw	Treasurer
	Conductress
Arvilla McHarvey	Associate Conductress
Annie Poppe	Ruth
	Esther
Ellen Cassebohm	
Martha Wooster	Electa
Cynthia Goodman	
Montgomery Paxton Akers	Sentinel
Eveldine Thompson	Marshal
Emma Nora Johannsen	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Arvilla McHarvey, Mary Jane Akers, Mary Carey Cutter, Medora McIntyre,

PAST PATRONS.

Willis Catlit Goodman, Peter Henry Thompson, Alfred Abshire, Robert Potter Hill.

Cynthia Goodman, Eveldine Thompson, Clarissa Louisa Sparks, Ellen Cassebohm, Nancy Elizabeth Clark, Martha Wooster.

MEMBERS.

Abshire, Myrtle Burris, Jesse Cain, Margaret Calloway, David Cook, Willie May Davis, Hugh Hammell Harris, Granville Swift Hotz, Gustave Henry

King, John Jay Litzuis, Henrietta Martin, Fanny McG. McLaughlin, Mary Ellen Weaver, Louisa Poppe, Catherine Potter, Eveldine Reed, George Sammons, Francisca

Shaw, Oliver Barrett Thompson, Florence Volquardsen, Johanna Young, John Young, Maud Estell Young, Sarah

CONTRIBUTING.

Esbach, Emma

REINSTATED.

King, John Jay

CEASED CONTRIBUTING.

Morse, Emma

Morse, Sarah

DECEASED.

Cutter, Ephraim Pierce

MARSHALL CHAPTER, No. 86.

Willows, Glenn County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Wednesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Alice Orr	Worthy Matron
Robert Augustus Long	Worthy Patron.
Agnes Mary Knock	Associate Matron
Hattie Mary Jackson	Secretary
Mary Noble	Treasurer
Lavernia Spect	Conductress
Mary Ellen BresslerAssoc	ciate Conductress
Ada Knock	
Lenora Marshall Neate	
Mary Noble Grayson	Esther
Anna Latimer Finch	
Annie "M" Klemmer	Electo

Emma "O" Zumwalt	. Warder
Catherine Crothers	Sentinel
America Louisa Bates	
Mary Lanette Crawford	Marshal
Dora Mellor	Organist

Sarah "C" Marshall, Mary Lanette Crawford, Mary Catherine Nordyke, Dora Mellor, Penelope Elmira Marshall, Harriet "L" Freeman, Lenora Marshall Neate. Mary Tennessee Merrill, Hattie Mary Jackson, Ellen Neilson. Henrietta Merrill.

PAST PATRONS.

Abram Andrew Nordyke, Frederick Gustavus Crawford, Alexander Hamilton Willard, Abbott Merrill, George Wesley Orr, William Morton Finch, Nebraska Kansas Spect.

MEMBERS.

Apperson, Della Bates, Sadie Adeline Baylor, Frances E. Brown Alida May Brown, Alzora Brown, David Brown, Thomas Cook, Jessie Cowart, Emma Devenpeck, Mary Dillard, Maggie Dye, Alice "E" Dye, George Ellery Eilerman, Abbie "S" Garnett, Barbara Inez Gregson, Charles Hall, Lillie Holloway, Thomas Jenks, Florence L. Johnson, Amanda "A" Johnson, James Otis Klemmer, Lewis Jacob Knock, Alma

Knock, Thomas Livingston Leake, Sarah Langenour, Lillie Lee Markham, David Markham, Emaline Marshall, Wm. Walker Maupin, Paul Daniel McComber, Lottie Han-McMartin, John McMartin, Martha McMath, Ruby A. Mellor, George Merrill, William Reed Mooney, Marcia Neate, Sidney Herbert Neilson, Hugh Newsom, Lillian Noble, William Wallace Nordyke, Zetta Zoe

Putman, Frank L. Robison, Grace Geneva Robison, Maggie Mock Sale, Florence Nevada Langenour, Rufus Samuel Sale, William Humphrey Scott, Ella Flora Scott, William Winfield Shove, Alice Louise Snowden, George Washington Snowden, James Wm. Snowden, Lizzie Maria Stanton, Florence Beile Steuben, Anna Elizabeth Steele, John Frank Thrower, Mary E. Wade, Sarah Walker, Grace Putman Walker, Henry Walter West, Adah Ruberta West, Hiram Leroy Wickes, Susan

> REINSTATED. Mathews, Rosa

DIMITTED.

Langenour, Bertha Jack Langenour, Nannie Caro- Rasor, Clara son line Tooley, Logan Porter Rasor, Andrew Jackson Tooley, Martha

DECEASED.

Mathews, Rosa

MOUNTAIN VIEW CHAPTER, No. 88.

Janesville, Lassen County.

Stated Meetings, on the Saturday preceding the full of the Moon of each Month.

OFFICEES	
Hattie Sharp	Worthy Matron
William Sifford	Worthy Patron
Fannie Eunice Hemler	Associate Matron
Carrie McMurphy	Secretary
Anna Garrett McClelland	Treasurer
Belle Bond	
Martha Ellen Wood	Associate Conductress
Emma Irene McDermott	
Mary Sifford	
Dolly Ann McMurphy	
Thursa Johnson	Martha
Marie Florence Doyle	Electa
John Johnson	
Jerry Bond	Sentinel
Harry Fulton McMurphy	Chaplain
Cora Belle Pendleton	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Belle Bond, Lola Jane DeWitt, Emma Irene McDermott, Elizabeth Decious.

MEMBERS.

Bailey, Mary Doyle, Otis Marks Doyle, Stephen Abbott Bass, John Edward Bass, Mary Eliza Greeno, Annie Frances Clark, Charles Bates McDermott, Kate Christie, Elizabeth Jane Rowland, Edgar Frank Doyle, Arvilla Snyder, Martha Jane Steinberger, Annie Doyle, Grace Doyle, Lillian Lorenda 16 Martha

PAST PATRONS.

Jerry Bond, Harry Fulton McMurphy, Isaac Wright Smith, James Alexander Wood, Joseph Warren Decious.

Theodore, Annie Theodore, John Thomas, Frank Thomas, Sarah Ellen Torrey, Adelbert Earl Torrey, Harriet Francis

DECEASED. Winchell, Hiram

RAISINA CHAPTER, No. 89.

Fresno, Fresno County.

Stated Meetings, on the First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

officers.	
Ada Belle Williams	
Lewis Oliver Stephens	
Margaret Eames	
Eliza Freeman Grimes	
Bettie Stephens	Treasurer
Sadie Clark	Conductress
Edith Eames	Associate Conductress
Minnie Burns	
Jessie Keating	Ruth
Emma Cameron	
Maud Upton, nee Davison	Martha
Christina McBean	Electa
Clarissa Franceline Tuller	
Jacob Emery Whitson	
Ellen Catherine Webster	
Frankie Barker	
Jessie W. Munroe	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Annie Eliza Hughes, Sadie Maria Clark, Eliza Freeman Grimes, Mary Abigal Bedford, Benora Davison Land, Luella Hedges Stevens. Bessie Dias Buker, Goldie Levy, Ellen Bosaline Whitson.

PAST PATRONS.

Angus Marion Clark, George Clayton Grimes, Lewis Oliver Stephens, William Herndon Martin, Jacob Emery Whitson.

MEMBERS.

Allison, Duncan Donald Badger, Mae Badger, William Seymore Bernhard, Azina Eliza- beth Bernhard, Emil Frederick	Cosgrave, George Craycroft, Laura J. Culver, Rose Davison, Alice Donahoo, Rachel
Buker, Humphrey O.	Eden, Louisa Bell

Eden, William Wallace Everts, Flora I. Everts, Olen Lee Ferguson, Agnes Ferguson, John Wm. Goodman, Lula Hack, Annie E.

Hughes, Thomas Edwin Maxwell, Eugene Jackson, Sarah F. Johnson, Mary Johnson, Rasmus B. Johnston, Mary H. La France, Mabel E. Linforth, Alice W. Lynch, Thomas H. Martin, Carrie

McCandless, Geo. Ludley Webster, Caroline Munroe, George Hayes Myer, Otello Shaw, Tena Amanda Staniford, Virginia Smith, Archie A. Thomas, Mamie

Walden, Wesley A. Webster, James Alfred Webster, Mark Williams, Alonzo Colridge Williams, Mattie Yokum, Sarah

SUSPENDED. Church, Alice Adam

FALLEN LEAF CHAPTER, No. 90.

Placerville, El Dorado County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.		
Mary Addison Waters	Worthy Matron	
George Huntington Burnham		
Mabel Blanchard Swisler		
Charles Henry Weatherwax	Secretary	
John Dodd Skinner	Treasurer	
Mamie Abbie Carr	Conductress	
Ella Anna Alderson	Associate Conductress	
Mary Jane Irwin		
Mary Louisa Theresa Akins		
Rosa Kohn	Esther	
Annie Jane Carpenter	Martha	
Sara Weddell	Electa	
Mary Louisa Roland		
Oliver Vinton Morris	Sentinel	
Charles Caleb Pierce	Chaplain	
Mary Elizabeth Burnham		
Mollie Carpenter		

PAST MATRONS.

Sarah Dorinda Weatherwax, Ellen Maria Morey, Celena Combellack, Mary Elizabeth Burnham, Mary Louisa Roland, Mollie Carpenter, Mary Addison Waters, Annie Markham, Olivia Thomas. Elizabeth Killough.

PAST PATRONS.

John Dodd Skinner, Shelley Inch, Chas. Henry Weatherwax, Albert Jay Lowry, George Huntington Burnham, Charles Fitzgerald Irwin, Francis Nicholls, John Price.

MEMBER4.

Allen, Emma Alderson, Annie Arvidson, Jennie Lind Avansino, Julia Avansino, Nicola Bailey, May I. Barss, Frederick Ferdin- Killough, Mary and Blakeley, Alburn James Knight, Maggie Aun Blakeley, Caroline Feth- Kreischer, Minnie May Burnham, Charlotte Campini, Louisa J. Campini, Vincent James Markle, Julia Ann Carr, Daniel George Carr, Eliza Jane Day, Annie Day, John Donahue, Haunah Fisher, John Adolphus Fisher, Mary Catherine Fox, Albert Sherman Heisser, Anna M. Heisser, Joseph

Heyden, Asa Thurston Hogan, Minnie Ellen Inch, Caroline Ingham, Bine Viola Irwin, Eunice Killough, John Wesley Killough, Retta La Rue, John Samuel Lowry, Sarah C. Lyons, Mary Caroline McKee, Joseph Fulton Meehan, Marcellus Q. Mierson, Augustus Mierson, Emma Miller, Mary Helen Miller, Walter Elmer Mitchell, Sallie Mountain, Noble Washington Morebeck, Mary

Pearson, John Price, Cora E. Price, Helen A. Prichard, Mary Rantz, Anna Lena Rantz, Stephen Hester Reeg, Bertha Richards, William James Rolleri, Sarah Rupeley, Kate Schulze, Charles Schulze, Daisy Schulze, Elizabeth Smith, Mary Speegle, Sophia Helen Thomas, Matilda Varozza, Giacomo Ward, Annie Watt, Callie Waters, John Nicholls Weatherwax, Lulu Idell Wilson, Anita Myrtle Zimmerman, Annie

DIMITTED. Stephens, John Cowlin

MADERA CHAPTER, No. 92.

Madera, Madera County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Fridays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Rosa Cohen	
Thomas Love	Worthy Patron
Lizzie Utter	Associate Matron
George Gorton Parsons	Secretary
Jennie "C" Roberts	Treasurer
Elinor Edwards	Conductress
Emma Gertrude Parsons	Associate Conductress
Mattie Watkins	
Coral Wreath Hargrove	Ruth
Hattie Rosenthal	Esther

Edith Fee	. Martha
Estelle Edna Gregory	. Electa
Caroline McFaul	. Warder
Robert Lee Hargrove	Sentinel
Mary Agnes Simpson	haplain

Jennie "C" Mace, Julia Agnes Brown, Edith Cora Cox.

PAST PATRONS.

Francis Richard Brown, John Wellesley Watkins, Hartwell Cook Borden.

MEMBERS.

Badger, Charles Taintor McCombs, John Daulton, Addie Dodson, Alice Edwards, David Frank- Roberts, Return lin Helliker, Louise

Mace, Mary Frances

McElwee, Emma Fawnts Stevens, Nancy Jane Neal, Sarah Ann Rosenthal, Nathan Stahl, Caroline

Starbird, Mary Bates Stockton, Adelia Ann Westfall, Alpha Westfall, Sampson West-

HELIOTROPE CHAPTER, No. 93.

Selma, Fresno County, Cal.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Louise Bassett Willis	Worthy Matron
Producish Legis Course	Wantle Dates
Frederick Leslie Cauch	
Mary Ursula Blackman	
Willie Jeanette Campbell	Secretary
John Blythe Campbell	Treasurer
Kate Kilbourn	
Nina Huffman	Associate Conductress
Julia Barrett	Adah
Alice Elizabeth Wagner	Ruth
Virginia Lee Chappell	
Emma Wagner	
Phoebe Alice Yost	
Cora L. Leathers.	
James Daniel Wagner	Sentinel
Nellie A. Robinson	
Sallie Thomas Lemmon	Marshal
Mabel R. Cauch	Organist

Sallie Thomas Lemmon, Jennie Hilliard Wood, Hester Jeannette Cutler, Virginia Lee Chappell, Rue Zimmerman, Alida Wadham Terrill.

PAST PATRONS.

James Daniel Wagner, Walter Lee Chappell.

MEMBERS.

Albrecth, Albert	Leathers, Rose V.	Rosson, Elizabeth
Albrecth, Ruth	Messersmith, Ida Estelle	Ross, Caroline
Barrett, Anna	Messersmith, Joseph	Ross, Robert H.
Bixler, Adam	Mitchell, James William	Smith, Joseph Manoch
Cooper, Mary Ann	Prince, Thomas	Terrill, George Willard
Cullum, Susan Ann	Rhodes, Frances E.	Tucker, Martha
Huffman, Laura E.	Rhodes, Henry G.	Wear, Amanda
Kilbourn, Charles Menzo	Robinson, Winfield Scott	Yost, William Anton

DIMITTED,

Walker, Charles J.

Walker, Hettie

TULARE CHAPTER, No. 94.

Tulare City, Tulare County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Belle Ruth Carruthers	
James Winnard Davis	Worthy Patron
Alice Ratliff	
C. Johnnette Erwin	Secretary
Josephine M. Ham	Treasurer
Katie Schoenemann	Conductress
Sarah Moore Cosper	Associate Conductress
Mamie Borders	
Emma A. Richardson	Ruth
Mamie E. Farrar	
Eva Pogue	
Mary Wilder	Electa
Fannie L. Pace	Warder
John Alexander Copper	Sentinel
Hattie Greenleaf Bachelder	Chaplain
Mattie Wheeler	
Ella Barrows Oakford	Organist

Mary Aurelia McMillan, Eila Tyler Hall, C. Johnnette Erwin, Rachel Bartholomew, Julia A. Reid, Mary Elizabeth Zartman. PAST PATRONS.

Paul Hamilton Wallace, John Albert Goble, James Winnard Davis, Robert Lincoln Reid, George Washington Zartman.

MEMBERS.

Anderson, Frank E. Dutcher, Egbert W. Schoenemann, Louis Emil Shannon, Josephine Anderson, James M. Dutcher, Ida A. Sheppard, Isabella Anderson, Lulu Fav. Alfred Bachelder, Isaac Otis Fay, Elsie Smith, Anna L. Teifisher, R. Bachelder, John Langdon Fellows, Hattie Brock Bachelder, Manie Gifford, Freda Turner, Mattie Elinor Blodgett, Thomas De-Goble, Martha Walker, Charles J. Gorham, Margaret Eliza- Walker, Hattie Haven Wheeler, Alex. W. Boone, Lilly R. beth Wilson, Alex. L. Boone, Thomas L. Hall, Anson Parsons Borders, Andrew Hall, Albert Augustus Wilson, Emma R. Wishon, Albert Graves Hall, Adilla Plummer Bowles, Bourbon Wishon, Etta Bowles, Inez Hall, Beryl Wolfrom, Jacob Brock, Cecil Calvert Hall, Eda Woodruff, David Seymour Brock, Mary Sarah Kruse, Ada Carruthers, Thos. Calvin McMillan, Minnie Viola Woodruff, Narcissa Hester McMillan, Robt. Thom'n Woodward, Marguerite Copper, Jennie V. Cosper, Elias Truman Pace, Henry L. Celeste.

DIMITTED.
Taggart, Eva

Ratliff, Wm. Pierce

Richardson, Samuel

SUSPENDED.

Blythe, Lovinia Gertrude Horton, William Henry

Doran, James Turner

Doran, Kate Browne

Taggart, David Riley Warner, Joseph

Wright, William Abourn

BETHLEHEM CHAPTER, No. 95.

Paso Robles, San Luis Obispo County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

Elliott, Van R.

Farnum, Briggs C.

Adolph Horstman		Treasurer
		Conductress
Ruth Trussler	• • • • • • • • • • · • • • • • • • • •	Associate Conductress
		Ruth
Maude Stone		
Hattie Horstman		
Olive Steinbeck		Electa
		Warder
		Sentinel
		Chaplain
John Ernest Steinbeck.		
Mary Elvene Waterman		Organist
PAST MATRO	NS.	PAST PATRONS.
Mattie Glass,		Edwin M. Bennett.
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Green F. Ellinti		Thomas C. Tillinghast
Grace E. Elliott	•	Thomas C. Tillinghast,
Maggle M. Lew	•	Thomas C. Tillinghast, Charles J. Trussler.
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Maggie M. Lew Laura Findley.	ris, Members.	Charles J. Trussler.
Maggle M. Lew Laura Findley. Arnold, Minnie S.	nis, MEMBERS. Dodson, Eugene M.	Charles J. Trussler. Kelshaw, John
Maggie M. Lew Laura Findley.	MEMBERS. Dodson, Eugene M. Frost, Francis D.	Charles J. Trussler.
Maggle M. Lew Laura Findley. Arnold, Minnie S.	MEMBERS. Dodson, Eugene M. Frost, Francis D. DIMITTED.	Charles J. Trussler. Kelshaw, John Seideman, Conrad
Maggle M. Lew Laura Findley. Arnold, Minnie S.	MEMBERS. Dodson, Eugene M. Frost, Francis D.	Charles J. Trussler. Kelshaw, John
Maggie M. Lew Laura Findley. Arnold, Minnie S. Booth, Alfred Roger	MEMBERS. Dodson, Eugene M. Frost, Francis D. DIMITTED.	Charles J. Trussler. Kelshaw, John Seideman, Conrad
Maggle M. Lew Laura Findley. Arnold, Minnie S. Booth, Alfred Roger Booth, Susie	MEMBERS. Dodson, Eugene M. Frost, Francis D. DIMITTED. Nuckolls, Sarah	Charles J. Trussler. Kelshaw, John Seideman, Conrad
Maggle M. Lew Laura Findley. Arnold, Minnie S. Booth, Alfred Roger Booth, Susie	MEMBERS. Dodson, Eugene M. Frost, Francis D. DIMITTED. Nuckolls, Sarah West, John Franklin	Charles J. Trussler. Kelshaw, John Seideman, Conrad

SOUTHERN STAR CHAPTER, No. 96.

Jameson, Thomas C.

Glass, James Hargis

San Diego, San Diego County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Thursdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	ì
Anna Ewalt Kooken	Worthy Matron
David Franklin Rupp	
Kittie Villa	
Eli Tucker Blackmer	Secretary
Mary Davis	Treasurer
Emma Elizabeth Rupp	Conductress
Jennie Anabelle Read	

Ruby Viola Winsby Ada	ah
Clara Adele BurghardRut	
Leah Nora EarlEsth	
Carrie BryanMarth	aa
Ida Earl BenoitElec	ta
Emma Wells	er
Thomas Goodwin Jefferis Senting	əl
Georgiana Virginia Polhamus	n
Carrie Jane Watkins	al
Lucy Louise Dannals	st

Gertrude Brobeck.
Lucy Louise Dannals,
Georgia Anna Matfield,
Abbie Ann Jenks,
Georgiana Virginia Polhamus,
Louise Welisch,
Anna Maria Johnstone,
Segra Leonore Hartwicksen.

PAST PATRONS.

George Mifflin Dannals, Eli Tucker Blackmer, John Henfry Simpson, Albert Freeman Dill, John Waldo Thompson, Norman Henry Couklin, Hiram Bartlett Keeler.

MEMBERS.

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	Hartwicksen, Frederick	Millspaugh, Alonson
Benoit, Victor	Hawkes, Abbie Winslow	Millspaugh, Antoinette
Burgoyne, Anna Jeanette	Hodge, Henrietta	Loretta .
Bryan, Mary Ellen	Hulbert, Fannie	Morris, Arthur Adolphus
Burgess, Edward Ezekiel	Hulbert, Robert Griffin	Parkhurst, Beatrice Bent
Bushyhead, Edward Wil-	Johnson, Martha Pyle	Polhamus, Albert Alex.
kinson	Johnson, Pearl Marion	Polhamus, Lena
Cherry, Josephine Capi-	Johnston, Charlotte M.	Price, Celia
tola	Johnston, Frank E.	Read, Cornelia Helmes
Coulthurst, Alice Nay	Johnstone, James Simp-	Rich, Mabel Clark
Cook, Jeanette M.	son	Roberts, Eliza Vine
Conklin, Myra Isabel	Keeler, Florence	Rockfellow, Eugene
Crellin, Lillian Inez	Kneale, Thomas	Francis
Dill, Belle Gay	Long, Charles Douglas	Rockfellow, Rosa
Earl, George Wheeler	Long, Minnie	Simpson, Anna
Pantan II. this		
Easton, Hattie	Lyke, Mildred Amelia	Smith, Elizabeth H.
	Lyke, Mildred Amelia Marston, Maria Moulton	•
	•	Smith, Geneva Sophia
Eldredge, Samuel Crowell	Marston, Maria Moulton	Smith, Geneva Sophia
Eldredge, Samuel Crowell Fosgate, Anna	Marston, Maria Moulton Matchin, Harriet Eliza-	Smith, Geneva Sophia Smith, Wesley
Eldredge, Samuel Crowell Fosgate, Anna Fosgate, Charles "O"	Marston, Maria Moulton Matchin, Harriet Eliza- beth	Smith, Geneva Sophia Smith, Wesley Stewart, Nellie
Eldredge, Samuel Crowell Fosgate, Anna Fosgate, Charles "O" Geiger, Henrietta Irene	Marston, Maria Moulton Matchin, Harriet Eliza- beth Matchin, Rose Salome	Smith, Geneva Sophia Smith, Wesley Stewart, Nellie Thompson, Hortense Thoustrup, Carrie
Eldredge, Samuel Crowell Fosgate, Anna Fosgate, Charles "O" Geiger, Henrietta Irene Gordon, Barbara	Marston, Maria Moulton Matchin, Harriet Eliza- beth Matchin, Rose Salome McLellan, Laura Carr	Smith, Geneva Sophia Smith, Wesley Stewart, Nellie Thompson, Hortense Thoustrup, Carrie
Eldredge, Samuel Crowell Fosgate, Anna Fosgate, Charles "O" Geiger, Henrietta Irene Gordon, Barbara Gorham, Amanda A.	Marston, Maria Moulton Matchin, Harriet Eliza- beth Matchin, Rose Salome McLellan, Laura Carr McLellan, Duncan Smith	Smith, Geneva Sophia Smith, Wesley Stewart, Nellie Thompson, Hortense Thoustrup, Carrie Thoustrup, Julius Arndt

Villa, Jerome Wallace, Hattie Annette Wells, James Watkins, George R.

Welisch, Herman Wheeler, Etta

Winsby, Enoch Wood, Gertrude Axtell Wyatt, Ervilla

DIMITTED.

Brandt, Maria Criss Davis, Leonard Dobbings, John Henry

Brandt, Charles Christian Dobbings, Mattie A. Dresser, Carrie Mary Dresser, Nellie Rose Gilbert, Augusta Emile Jones, Elvira Howard Jones, John Peter Brimmar Seal, Sarah

DECRASED.

Pierson, John Lacy

RAMONA CHAPTER, No. 97.

Arroyo Grande, San Luis Obispo County.

OFFICERS.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Mondays of each Month.

Hattie Ann Smith	Worthy Matron
John W. Gilliam	Worthy Patron
Fannie W. Whittemore	Associate Matron
Amos C. Whittemore	Secretary
William T. Cook,	Treasurer
Nancy J. Poole	Conductress
Frances M. Poole	Associate Conductress
Justina M. Cook	
	Ruth
	Esther
	Martha

Adelaide Ide..... Electa

James Poole..... PAST MATRONS.

> Hattie Ann Smith, Nellie Huntly Abbott, Justina M. Cook. Fannie W. Whittemore, Georgia B. Eddy. Frances M. Poole.

PAST PATRONS.

.... Sentinel

Chas. S. Clark, Amos C. Whittemore, William T. Cook, John W. Gilliam. William John Smith.

MEMBERS.

Adams, Lenora A. Brieger, Adolph Brieger, Minnie Byers, Randolph

Carney, Louisa M. Findley, Sallie Gilliam, L. Agnes Ide, Bela Clinton

Phillips, Adolph Phœnix, Emma Rose, Hannah M. Stokes, Rachel M.

SUSPENDED.

Eldridge, Missouria

Pollard, Samuel Adams Wear, Louisa I.

BEULAH CHAPTER, No. 99.

South San Francisco, San Francisco County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

OFFICEBS.	
Rose Kispert	Worthy Matron
Adolph Frederick Fitschen	Worthy Patron
Nellie Richardson Brown	Associate Matron
Bertha Luella Hare.	Secretary
Emma Gaines	Treasurer
Maggie McDonald	Conductress
Kate Barreilles	Associate Conductress
Gussie Switzer	
Phœbe May Mangels	Ruth
Fannie Simpson	
Mary Ayers	
Amanda Brown	
Helen S. F. Mangles	
Joseph " T" Hare	
Mary Jane Todd	Marshal
Susie Barrett	

PAST MATRONS.

Ernestine Birbe,
Mary Jane Todd,
Phœbe May Mangels,
Mary Jane Bell Warner,
Belle Ranlett,
Therese Fitschen,
Emma Catherine Malgren,
Amanda Brown,
Elizabeth Shaw.

PAST PATRONS.

David Byron Todd,
William John Bagley Warner,
Henry Carl Birbe,
James Smart Bailey,
Charles Frank Kispert,
George Thomas Shaw.

MEMBERS.

Anderson, James Orlando	Barreilles, Emil	De Witt, J. Wallace
Anderton, Elizabeth	Barry, Mathew Bryant	Donnelly, Francis Roscoe
Artigues, Charles	Bayle, Catherine	Foster, Charles
Artigues, Marie Nellie	Bayle, John	Greenfield, Adam Clark
Ashford, Delia	Bennett, Lola	Greenfield, Isabelle
Bailey, Sarah Ann	Bromen, Albert	Hansen, Kristine Petrea
Baraille, Florinda	Butler, Allen	Hansen, Samuel
Baraille, John Wm.	Carlyle, Helen A.	Heidborn, Marie

Mundt, Adolph

Kramer, Louis George Krug, Pauline Litchfield, Bertha Litchfield, Chas. Amiel Mangels, Hans Max Christian McConnell, Gibson McDonald, William

Peyre, Leontine Rahlmann, Herman Fred-Williams, Julia erick Rahlmann, Emma Rowe, Thomas Schumacher, Annie H.

Stephenson, Edward Wilson, John A. Woenne, Louise W. Worsdale, Henrietta Zimmerman, Lizzie Zimmerman, Phllip

Simpson, Josiah Adams REINSTATED

Schumacher, Annie H.

DIMITTED.

Case, Clara H. Malgren, Mai L. Miller, Belle Milly, Charles Milly, Marguerite

DECKASED. Peyre, Jean

MIZPAH CHAPTER, No. 100.

Santa Maria, Santa Barbara County.

Stated Meetings, Thursday of each month on or before the Full Moon.

OFFICERS.

Belle Goodwin	Worthy Matron
Robert Travers	Worthy Patron
Jane Boyd	
Maggie Nance	Secretary
Nellie Haydon	Treasurer
Mary Smith	Conductress
Lillian Elliot	Associate Conductress
Mary E. Williams	
Grace A. Stowell	Ruth
Margie Teitzen	Esther
Charlotte Travers	
Martha D. Slade	Electa
Bessie Field	
Thomas Nance	Sentinel
Lulu Lucas	Chaplain
Kate Alida Watson	
Nannie Newman	Organist

Lulu Lucas,
Rachel Fleisher,
Emma Boyd,
Jennie Harris,
Linda Maulsby,
Annie Long.

PAST PATRONS.

James F. Goodwin, Joseph Kaiser, Robert Travers, Thomas J. Williams.

MEMBERS.

Barrett, Minnie Herron, James William Muscio, Guiseppe Bell, B. Frank Hobson, Jessie I. Muscio, Lillie Bonnetti, Albina Hobson, Julia Rice, Charles Lee Bonnetti, Jno. B. Jackson, Hattie Rice, Mary Olive Boyd, John Johnson, Lizzie Russell, Geo. Clifford Boyd, Thomas Kelley, Hugh "S" Russell, Rosella Aug-Bradley, Alice Kelley, Sadie Bradley usta Bradley, Elizabeth Kemp, Ida May Slade, Elizabeth B. Bradley, William Lucas, William Thomas Smith, Anna B. Marsh, Lillie Brown, Adam Stanley, Effic Grace Chaffin, Emma Martin, Nellie Sinsheimer, Samuel Chas. Elliot, Annie Jane Maulsby, Orlando Wood Stowell, Henry Faber, Henry C. Miller, Anna Stowell, Beda Fleisher, Marks Miller, Ida K. Tietzen, Paul O. Grant, Margaret Miller, Isaac Treat, Emma Hammel, Julius Miller, William W. Williams, Helena Haydon, John Harrison Morris, Lucy Williams, Eliza

DIMITTED.

Muscio, Adeline

Orr, Addison Harvey

Haydon, Dora

Orr, Margaret

SUSPENDED.

McCollough, Alvin R.

McCollough, Kate

DECEASED.
Elliot, Nina

ELAINE CHAPTER, No. 101.

Reedley, Fresno County.

Stated Meetings on the Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

Effie L. Holmes	
Albert Thomas Bollinger	Treasurer
Christine Earl	Conductress
Millie Smith	Associate Conductress
Mary A. H. Weaver	
Anna Eliza Holmes	
Susie Clark	
Rosa Jones	Martha
Hypacia Neil	Eleota
Perlia Holcomb	
Walter Young Davies	
Libbie Neil	
Lizzie Smith	

Rosa Jones. Christine Earl, Susie Clark, Mary A. H. Weaver, Anna Eliza Holmes.

PAST PATRONS.

Ozias Bingham, Walter Young Davies, Harry Frank Winnes.

MEMBERS.

Agee, James Newton
Bingham, Josephine
Bowhay, Jaspar Newto
Bowhay, Mary A.
Campbell, Charles
Campbell, Lizzie
Clark, Albert B.
Earl, Sumner Fremont

Flournoy, William Ven- Jones, John Simeon able n Gebhart, Annie F. Gilbert, Julius Langdon Mugler, Albert Mills Gilbert, Delilah Gilbert, Etta Gosliner, Tillie Holcomb, Ira P., Jr. Holmes, Elisha Wells

Ludvigsen, Peter Enrich Mower, Eugene Adelbert Mugler, Nellie Neil, James Polk Neil, William Rice Rankine, John Smith, David Christopher

INITIATED.

Griest, Jessie DIMITTED.

Griest, Jessie

Mathews, Augusta

SUSPENDED.

Helm, Lucy

Humphrey, Cora D. Helm, Samuel Campbell Humphrey, Eldridge G. Thomas, John N.

Thomas, Carrie Ann

VIOLET CHAPTER, No. 102.

San Miguel, San Luis Obispo County.

Stated Meetings on the Second and Fourth Thursdays of Each Month.

OFFICERS. Mary Elizabeth Nelson Worthy Matron John Detleff Seaman..... Worthy Patron John Phillip Courter......Treasurer Elinore Faulkner......Conductress Virginia Boys Associate Conductress Esther Annie McFaddin......Ruth Mary Courter Esther Kittle Frances Rice......Electa Nehemiah G. Millman.....Sentinel

PAST MATRONS.

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Victoria Jane McFaddin, Elinore Faulkner, Clara Whisman, Esther Annie McFaddin, Lizzie G. Fowler.

PAST PATRONS.

Lawrence H. Meads, Nehemiah G. Millman, Edwin McFaddin. John Detliff Seaman, John Thompson.

MEMBERS.

Boys, Henry Sanford	Lathrop, nee Cole,
Cahill, Cora	Edna W.
Cahill, Dora	Mahoney, Belle C.
Cole, Elizabeth	McConnell, Margaret
Cole, Maud F.	McConnell, Minnie
Davis, Elvira E.	Millman, Sarah Celia
Jeffreys, Kate Pradence	Pinkerton, Mary H.
	Pinkerton, William
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Palmer, Charles Wesley Patriquin, Alexia Patriquin, Jean Arabella Rice, George Washing-Trace, Merritt Roscoe Trace, Miranda Ellen Whisman, Charles J.

DIMITTED.

Drexler, Agnes Maud

Drexler, Emma

Drexler, Henry

SUSPENDED.

Faulkner, Charles P. Maxwell, Eunice D.

Patriquin, Laban S. Wright, David Green Wright, Mary Ann

GOLDEN WAVE CHAPTER, No. 103

San Leandro, Alameda County.

Stated Meetings on the First and Third Fridays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

OFFICERS.	
Mary Merritt Cowell	Worthy Matron
Albert Humphrey Merritt	Worthy Patron
Hattie Cutler Morin	Associate Matron
Mary Amelia Bilger	
Anna Sophia Hopper	
Florence Helen Merritt	Conductress
Lucy Cary Walrath	. Associate Conductress
Rachel Maude Woodworth	Adah
Edna Lavina Rushing	
Lulu Irene DeGroat	
Belle Schlueter	Martha
Stella Fulton	
Clara A. M. Vivian	Warder
William Fulton,	
Hercules Andre Morin	
Louise Penelope Watkins	

PAST MATRONS.

Carrie Woodworth,
Georgiana Du Bois,
Lucy Cary Walrath,
Anna Sophia Hopper,
Carrie Knaugh,
Louise Penelope Watkins.

PAST PATRONS.

Asael Benjamin Woodworth, Herman Francis Schlueter, Wm. Berry McKenzie, David Henry Chaplin, Hercules Andre Morin.

MEMBERS.

Blanchet, William Knaugh, Laura May Bullen, Mark Bletsoe Knaugh, Myrtle Minnie Liedel, Emilie Chaplin, Grace Crabb, Alexander Louis McDannel, Benjamin Franklin Cowell, Cha les Herbert McDannel, Ida Isabella Dawbarn, Charles DeGroat, Edward Spenser McKenzie, Emily Reid Driver, John Ohea, Carrie Lizette Hill, Otis Ohea, George Harvey Hulbert, Ella May Reid, John Keys, Ernest M. Keys, Jennie R.

Knaugh, Laura May
Knaugh, Myrtle Minnie
Liedel, Emilie
McDannel, Benjamin
Franklin
McDannel, Ida Isabella
Spenser
McKenzie, Emily Reid
Ohea, Carrie Lizette
Ohea, George Harvey
Reid, John
Schneider, Maria Lorenze
Sill, Carrie Knaugh
Simonsen, Grace
Simonsen, Louis
Southwick, Marian Elizabeth
Sowers, Sarah Jane
Sturtevant, Thomas Noah
Thurston, Margaret Ann
Watkins, Edmund Anderson
Waugh, Anna Saul

INITIATED.

Liedel, Edward Adolph

DIMITTED.

Bilger, Frank William Brenton, Nannie Lois Sturtevant, Lucy Elizabeth Vivian, Clara Elizabeth

Vivian, Godfrey Vivian, Kate

DECEASED.

Hulbert, William

Liedel, Edward Adolph

JOSEPHINE CHAPTER, No. 104.

Chico, Butte County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Thursdays of each Month, except during June, July, August and September, when the meetings will be held on the First Thursday of the Month only.

officers.	
Eda Walton Taylor Worthy Matron	3
Harmon McCargarWorthy Patron	1
Anna Burgess Miller	n
Mary Aun WarrenSecretary	y
Mary McDonold Faulkner	
Nellie Carney	8
Kate Maria Barkley	8
Ada Bell Adal	
Eppy Ross KerrRuti	h
May RoperEsthe	
Sarah Cressey Spencer	a
Catherine Amelia Messinger	
Margaret WatsonWarde	r
Reuben Henry MessingerSentine	
Mary Abbe Bicknell	
Hattie HenshawMarsha	1
Nellie MeadOrganis	t

PAST MATRONS.

Isabel Josephine McKay, nee
Montgomery,
Emma Heath Crew,
Mary Abbe Bicknell,
Mary McDonold Faulkner,
Mary Ann Warren,
May Roper,
Hattie Henshaw.

PAST PATRONS.

Cyrus Greenleaf Warren, William Henry Miller, James Madison Duggar, Archibald Thomson Kerr.

MEMBERS.

Berveiller, Jean Octave	Guill, Lorena May	Nichols, Addie Betteres
Bicknell, Thomas	Hartson, Charles Gardner	Perry, Emma Lizzie
Bohlender, Thomas "L'	'Henshaw, Park	Roper, John Wesley
Brooks, Daisy Orlean	Jones, Julia Alice	Shand, Emma Jane
Canfield, Eugene Erastus	Lothrop, Elizabeth Ma-	Shaw, Mamie
Canfield, Lizzie Bell	linda	Sherwood, Martha Ellen
Cook, Musidora Bernice	Linn, Mary Ellen	Shilling, Anna Mae
Crew, Henry William	Mack, William Edward	Shilling, Kate
Cunningham, Chas. Ar-	March, Josephine	Shilling, John Stephen
nold	March, Jefferson Davis	Simpson, Ellen Boyle
Daly, John Cardiff	Martien, Alice Gray	Taylor, Gilbert Hart
Daly, Hattie Bell	Martien, Joseph Gilbert	Williams, Laura Ade-
Dean, Ellen Elizabeth	McCargar, Clara Bell	laide
Demmer, Matheas	Meyben, Bertha	Williams, William Rich-
Eames, Sarah Ann	Meyben, Emile	ard
Eliot, Wesley	Montgomery, Jas. Wiley	Winters, Sterling Price
Gatchell, Ella Frances	Bradford	
Guill, Lee Bryant		
	~=>FERRES	

DIMITTED.

Carney, Geo. Washington

Macnider, nee Pingree, Cynthia E.

SUSPENDED.

Elizabeth

Entler, Mary Margaret Entler, Joseph Franklin Lothrop, Matthew Hale Gleason, John Rodney

HERMOSA CHAPTER, No. 105.

Santa Ana, Orange County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Monday Evenings of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Elida Ann Huntington	
James Hedges Hall	Worthy Patron
Sallie Peabody	Associate Matron
Mary Belle Whidden	Secretary
Lucretia Jane Colby	Treasurer
Celia Elizabeth Cotter	Conductress
Mary Lydia Wood	Associate Conductress
Leola Vonia Clayton	
Pauline Reinhaus	Ruth
Minnie Kimball Bisby	Esther
Anna Lucinda True	Martha
Emilie M. Towner	Electa
Emma J. Cone	Warder

Erastus Clinton Jones	Sentinel
Rachel "M" Chrisman	Chaplain
Terese Reinhaus	
Cora Bland Mills	Organist

Julia Ann Miriam Jones. Martha McFarren Medlock, Sallie Ann Peabody, Elizabeth Gaud McKelvey.

PAST PATRONS.

John Lewis Drver. George Akerman Whidden, Alcinous Young Wright.

MEMBERS.

Baker, Robert Miller Baker, Frances A. Bagley, Mary Leland Barrett, Mattie E. Bisby, Robert Lee Bishop, John W. Bishop, Lillian Critten-Bowes, Maud Ella Bowes, Spencer A. Brock, Clara E. Brock, David Truax Brown, Avery Mary Brown, James Petrie Chrisman, James Monroe Levy, Louis Cobler, Lavina Colby, Levi Jackson Cotter, Mary Jane Cooper, Gratia Marion Cone, Thomas Edward Connell, Minerva "B" Devoo, Etta Dora Diers, Henry Diers. Rose Dryer, Lou

Eddy, Sarah Ann Fife, Charles Cordelia Fife, Jennie G. Flint, Mary Kimball Gildmacher, Hulda Gildmacher, Levi Hall, Grace Haywood, Alice Jacobson, Max King, James William King, Sarah Augusta Lane, Margaret Jane Lane, Martin Luther Levy, Anne Lutz, Emma Louise Mathews, Effa May Mathews, Harry Thos. McKelvey, Chas.Summer Williams, Florence M. Medlock, James Randolph Willits, Eureka Mendelson, Clara Mendelson, Mark Menges, Ida Leah Menges, Marion Albert Wright, Sarah Bell

Menges, Stella Mills, Ira Dillon Mills, Lizzie Hill Peabody, Henry Adams Reinhaus, Emilie Reinhaus, Martha Reinhaus, Max Robinson, Harvey Judson Robinson, Juliett "C" Scott, Nellie Waterman Scott, Walter Maxwell Talbott, Zitella Towner, James William Waffle, Edson Dwight Warner, Maggie Anna West, Mary Frances West, Zephaniah "B" White, William Wood, Allen Jefferson Wood, Amanda Elizabeth

DIMITTED.

Collings, Blanche Hewitt, Allie Amanda Hewitt, Roscoe Edwin Lacy, Maud Bean

Leck, Alice McKnight, Louis C. McKnight, Mary

Scheurer, Balzar Wcheurer Scheurer, Flora M.

UNGAVA CHAPTER, No. 106.

Riverside, Riverside County.

Stated Meetings, Second Friday of each Month.

OFFICERS.

OFFICEAS.	
Lelia B. Jarvis	Worthy Matron
Walter Elmer Keith	Worthy Patron
Ella V. Dunbar	
Louise Elvira Allen	
Alyszan Rhoda Rouse	Treasurer
Mattie Stuart	
Nellie Anderson	
Henrietta Anderson	
Etta W. Cundiff	
Emma G. Gray	Esther
Etta Strunk.	
Lillian S. Allen	Elects
Mary A. Russell	
Robert Preston Cundiff	Sentinel
Annie H. Murphy	Chaplain
Iantha Keith	
Anna A. Rice	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Louisa Elvira Allen, Susan Elizabeth Cunningham, Emma G. Gray, Alyszan Rhoda Rouse, Lizzie M. Baker.

PAST PATRONS.

Walter Elmer Keith. John T. Jarvis. William John Lamrick.

MEMBERS.

Allen, Benjamin Franklin Fountain, Jabez H. Anderson, William A. Baker, Judah S. Battles, Sarah A. Bloom, Samuel Munro Caldwell, Clara M. Cover, Mary E. Cox, Julia V. Cox, Lina Culpepper, Elizabeth Culpepper, Sampson Wm. McLeod, John William Cunningham, George D. McMillen, Hattie E. Dunbar, Fred Martin Fountain, Harriet E.

Givens, David Alexander Rice, Emma N. Goebel, Ida Gray, Charles R. Gruwell, Elmer H. Gunsolus, Philip A. Hatfield, Jennie Jarvis, Matilda Lamrick, Mina J. Malvy, Sarah E. Musser, Lizzie Papineau, Mary A.

Rice, Charles Thomas Rouse, Gaylor Russell, Wilson Byron Shugart, Martha Tabitha Strunk, Franklin Tressler, Mary P. Tressler, Sidney P. Way, Henry Ellsworth Way, Jennie Gould Williams, Jennie Winters, Annie S. Winters, Robert P. Younkin, Albert

REINSTATED.

Huff, Hattie B.

Huff, Melvin

DIMITTED.

Atwood, Charles Goodrich Bowman, Meno S. Crawford, Bertha Huff, Hattie B. Huff, Melvin Stevens, Charles W. Stevens, Jessie

Atwood, Mercelia

Bowman, Amelia B.

DECEASED.

Shugart, Kelita Davis

Williams, Mary D. J.

CORONA CHAPTER, No. 107.

San Luis Obispo, San Luis Obispo County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Almira Fiedler	Worthy Matron
Alphonse Washington Steinhart	Worthy Patron
Caroline Lind	
Kate Appleby Goodrich	
Sarah Knight	
Mary McKennon	
Maud Scott	
Jennie Crocker	Adah
Eliza Loobliner	
Emma Moise	
Kate Scott	Martha
Mary Sutcliffe	
Joseph Lind	
William Knight	
Hamlet Sutcliffe	
Emma Gertrude Trewick	

PAST MATRONS.

PAST PATRONS.
Hamlet Sutcliffe.

Mary Ella Brooks, Kate Appleby Goodrich, Eliza Loobliner, Evelyn Latimer Garrison,

Kate Scott.

MEMBERS.

Ash, Dora Austin, James H. Brooks, Benjamin

Cass, James

Crocker, Adolph Crocker, Jacob Hebard, Kate Hebard, William

Garrison, Daniel Marcus Hoffman, nee Steinhart, Goodrich, John Arthur Flora

Kaiser, Harriet Kaiser, Lazarus Maier Kimball, Carrie Loobliner, Henry Pommer, Emma Pozzo, Frank J.

Robinson, Sarah Rodgers, Mary Ellen Rodgers, Dora Sandercock, Adelaide Sandercock, William

Sinsheimer, Louis F. Steinhart, Henrietta Thompson, Abbie Williamson, Andrew Zederman, Sarah

DIMITTED.

Dallidet, Dorothea Farnum, Charles Alson Farnum, Martha Ann

Johnson, Charles Orrin Patten, Dora May Johnson, Mabel

Patten, Joseph

DECEASED.

Dallidet, Pierre Hippolyte

PASADENA CHAPTER, No. 108.

Pasadena, Los Angeles County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Fridays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

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Lizzie Drake	
Adoniram Monroe Bettes	
Carrie Belle Hoff	Associate Matron
Jennie May Anderson	Secretary
Jennie Louise Bristol	Treasurer
Sophia Kendrick Durant	Conductress
Mamie Snow Plant	Associate Conductress
Mary Murray Smith	
Jessie Louisa Buckins	
Hannah Cecilia Van Nuys	Esther
Flora Letitia Banbury	Martha
Clementine Strayer Delbridge	Electa
Flora Showalter	Warder
Neils Lewis Thompson	Sentinel
Margaret Harriet Parker	Chaplain
Nettie Mary Sutliff	
Mary Linda Hartwell	Organist

PAST MATRON.

Carrie Louisa Peaslee, Melissa Cassandra Hester, Avelina Juanita Crowell, Mary Grace Wiley.

PAST PATRON.

William Henry Wiley, Edward Everett Gaylord, Charles Joseph Willett, Adoniram Monroe Bettes.

MEMBERS.

Acton, Alice Eliza Coates, Geneva May Hall, Lillian Estella Allin John Clarke, Emma Amanda Hargrave, Maria E. Allin, Jemima Clarke, James Harrington, Sarah Thomas David Crossman, Emma Ada-Hartwell, Calvin Allin, Jessie Etta Haynes, Laura Evey lene Allin, Rosa "L" Heiss, Belle Van Camp Crossman, James Dunn Heiss, Emily Clara Armstrong, Edward Dalrymple, Florence Heiss, William Albert Spence More Armstrong, Sarah Maria Dalrymple, Nathaniel Hester, Melville Craven Henriette Andrew Hoag, Mary "L" Baker, John Hamilton Davis, Eliza Ophelia Hoag, Thomas Leggett Baker, Ruth Ellen Drake, Alexander Cooper Hovey, Frederick Velo-Banbury, Thomas Drake, Georgiana Stevrous Barnes, Leonidas Hovey, Stella May ens Barnes, Nancy Cornelia Dunsmoor, Albert Van-Howe, Cora Callender doms Barnett, John W. Howe, Edward Tucker Bascom, Deborah Kim-Dunsmoor, Anna Adella Hubbard, Allen "J" Durant, Edward Jotham Hubbard, Jane ball Batchelder, Lizzie Catha- Eason, Hannah Huff, Hattie King Eason, Robert Huff, Melvin B. Batchelder, Lizzie Eve-Edwards, Edna Ophelia Hughes, James Barr Hughes, Emma Alvena Edwards, Simon Josiah Baugham, Ardalissa Elsemore, Clara Ann Hunter, Ida Ernsberger, Mary Eliza-Johnson, Charles Lacy Seares Baugham, Lillian Amelia Johnson, Mary Bell, Nelson William Eyestone, James Wilson Johnston, Rufus Bonham, Fannie Eyestone, Mary Emma Jones, Lulu Carson Fainot, Frederick Harri- Killian, Jonas Scott Bonham, Perry Pollack Killian, Lucy White Bonner, Jennie Lucretia Fansher, Samuel Wesley Linsley, Anna Halstead Bristol, Julia Alice Bristol, Lulu Emma Farr, Ellen Burfree Lippincott, Eliza Brown, Almeda Edith Fisher, Clara Amanda Vaughan Fobes, Fannie Eleanor McGregory, Sophronia Brown, George Edward Buchanan, Annie Sydney Forbs, Sudie Killian Burt Buchanan, Charles Wes- Ford, Jennie Banbury William McGregory, Ford, William W. Whitney McLeod, Emma Eliza-Buchanan, Delphine Fraser, Ida May Robinson Freeman, Oscar Otto beth Clark Buchanan, John Alexan- Gastineau, Sarah Rebecca McMurtry, Sadie Ruth Gaylord, Alice Eveline McPherson, Elizabeth der Buchanan, May Gaylord, Wallace Kendall Harriet Goltman, Jessie "R" McPherson, James Cul-Buckuis, Sadie Nelson Burnham, Rebecca Eliz- Gleason, Arthur len Greely, Cora Eliza Messenger, Jane abeth Caldwell, Sarah Rebecca Greely, George Augustus Messenger, John Wesley

Mills, John Stevensou Mills, Sarah Letticia Mills, Arthur J. Montgomery, Robert Ellaworth Montgomery, Caroline "L" Moore, Henry Moore, Mary Susan Morrison, Margaret Moth, Bessie Jane Ney, Flora Jane Nosworthy, Ella Adella Osmund Michael Packard, Charles Packard, Malvina Rebecca Palmateer, Mary Patten, Eva May Patten, George Downing Smith, Willis Hubbard Patten, Nellie May Patterson, Clara Naomi Pierce, Anthony Ritenhour Pierce, Anna Schultz Plant, Charlotte Howard Plant. Ira Marcellus Plant, Marcus Samuel Post, Rachael Loiza

Prindle, Edgar Manuil Prindle, Mary Elizabeth Quimby, Alice Gilchrist White Raynesford, Ida Isabelle Turner, Sarah Jennie Royce, Edward Horace Royce, Elsie Armeta Root, Sarah Maria Ryder, Andrew Ryder, Alice Cleora Saunders, Jennie May Shelhamer, Agues Lucy Shelhamer, John Albert Slavin, Martha Jane Slavin, Matthew Slater, Carrie Belle Slater, John Richard Smith, Martha Jane Smith Martha White Somers, William Henry Sorabjee, Eduljee Spence, Lida Barnes Steil, Peter Steil, Susie Stower, Alexander C. Swift, Ellen Maria Swift, Mary Carroll Thorns, Alfred

Thorns, Alice Thorns, Eleanor Ann Turner, Louise Charlotte Augusta Turner, William "D" Van Nuys, William Nel-Vedder, Hattie Marinda Vedder, William Henry Vlier, John Casper Vlier, Louise Wakeley, William Henry Wakeley, Lulu Ward, Anna Collis Washburn, Sherman Washburn, Susie Etta Webster, Thomas Henry Weingarth, Helen Dora Weingarth, Sarah Anorah White, Elon White, Mary Stanton Willard, Eliza Amanda Willard, Gideon Bailey Williams, Ella Williams, Romayne Willett, Hattie Sophia Woodward, William Lewis

DIMITTED.

De Berry, Angus James De Berry, Bettie Evey, Emma Melissa McMurtry, David Lafay- Roche, Alice Jane ette McMurtry, Kate Roche, Albert Wilson

Seares, Isaac Newton Seares, Ella Adelia Tyng, Anita E.

SUSPENDED. Springer, John

DECEASED.

Salter, Daisy Johnson

ELK GROVE CHAPTER, No. 109.

Elk Grove, Sacramento County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Sarah Gertrude Bradford	Worthy Matron
James Monroe Kelly	Worthy Patron
Mary Eliza Campbell	Associate Matron
Lewis Bower	Secretary
Silas Clarke Stewart	Treasurer
Lillian Stephenson	Conductress
Helena Jessie Smith	. Associate Conductress
Agnes Mary Smith	
Martha Anna Davis	Ruth
Emma Jane Stewart	Esther
Jennie Andrews	
Susie Alltucker	
Ann Eliza Freeman	
Isaac Lake Freeman	Sentinel
Barbara Elizabeth McKee	Marshal
Emma Alltucker	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

PAST PATRONS.

Martha Anna Davis, Kittie Adelaide Patterson, Barbara Elizabeth McKee, Emma Jane Stewart, Susie Alltucker. Isaac Lake Freeman, James Monroe Kelly.

MEMBERS.

Alltucker, Henry
Bradford, James Barton
Clark, Rose Marie
Freeman, Clarkson Pike
Looney, Robert Edward
Freeman, Florence Price

DIMITTED.

Hoover, Benjamin Van Hoover, Kittie Zandt Stich, Harry Leo Stich, Minnie

POMONA CHAPTER, No. 110.

Pomona, Los Angeles County.

Stated Meetings, Second Saturday of each Month.

OFFIC	
Emma Ellsworth Sanders	
Joseph Relton Garthside	Worthy Patron
Nora Anna Hinman	Associate Matron
Sarah Emma Edwards	Secretary
Elizabeth Jane Bogers	Treasurer
Eremintie Eliza Rogers	
Floretta Caroline Martin	Associate Conductress
Mary Ann Stevenson	
Annie Debruner	
Annie Laurie Ambrose	Esther
Maria Roberts	
Emma Hill	
Mary Catharine Babcock	
Neva Nance	
Frances Winters	
Anna Dreher	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Sarah Emma Edwards, Lydia Minerva Hall, Mary Jane Hibbard, Emma Ellsworth Sanders.

PAST PATRONS.

John Adam Gallup. William Horatio Sanders, John Bradford Camp.

MEMBERS.

Anderson, Johanna
Anderson, Henry Clay
Armstrong, Eudolphia
Conklin
Armstrong, Mary Jane
Babcock, William Was
ington
Bagley, Agnes
Barker, Geo. Henry
Brink, Irwin William
Brink, Lina Dreher
Caldwell, Eugenia
Camp, Birdie Gettys
Camp, Orin Bridges
Casey, Martha Jane
Cook, Mary A.

Cowles, Sarah Elizabeth Freyermuth, Jacob Debruner, Christina Debruner, Vilus Dorsey, Kewen Hilliard Hefti, Rudolf Dorsey, Mary Frances h- Dowling, Elizabeth Jane Hinman, Elliott Dowling, Thomas Jack-80n Dreher, Charles John Dreher, Margaret Dreher, Peter John Dudderar, Franklin Edgar Edwards, George Farnsworth, Angie Freyermuth, Barbara

Garthside, Mary Elizabeth Hill, Eugene Leroy Holbrook, Emma Augusta Holbrook, George Rob-Howland, James Lauriston Hulse, Lillie D. Hulse, Victor Edward Kellogg, Charles Giles Kellogg, Frances Celia

Kerckhoff, Herman Henr	yRogers, Matthias Gossett	Thrall, Lulu May
Kiler, Candace	Savage, Helen Maria	Thrall, Timothy Lyman
Kiler, Lillie	Stevenson, Margaret Isa-	Turner, Hannah Scott
Kiler, William Harrison	belle	Walker, Henry Sharples
Logan, Anna Marie	Stevenson, Thomas Tay-	Welch, Everett Haskell
Loney, Frances	lor	Welch, Florence M.
Martin, Nancy Matilda	Sullivan, Clara Kate	Welch, William Ormand
Martin, William Thoma	sSweet, Susan Maria	Westerman, Nellie Dud-
Mead, Henry	Thatcher, Amos David	ley
Mills, Tillie	Thatcher, Jessie	Winters, Warner Sher-
Muir, Marie Wilson	Thatcher, Melissa C.	man
Nance, Benjamin Frank-Thrall, Amanda M.		
lin		
DIMITTED.		

Busby, Mary Jane Ellie Busby, William "L" Hib Elliott, Adeline T. Mol

Elliott, Hattie Jeannette Molyneaux, Francis As-Hibbard, Ethan Allen bury

Molyneaux, Mary T.

SUSPENDED.

Broughton, Clara Conant

Broughton, Howard A.

OCEAN VIEW CHAPTER, No. 111.

Mendocino, Mendocino County.

Stated Meetings, Saturday of each Month following the Full of the Moon.

OFFICERS.

Jane Maria Smith	
Thomas Jefferson Richards	Worthy Patron
Maggie Gray	Associate Matron
Elizabeth Jane Clark	Secretary
Charles Oscar Packard	Treasurer
Eliza Ann Grindle	Conductress
Nettle May Paddleford	Associate Conductress
Theresa Wallace	
Hannah Packard	Ruth
Debo Wallace	
Laura Almira Heeser	Martha
Sarah McLeod	Electa
Charles Thomas Gray	
Leonard Joel Allen	Sentinel
William Heeser	Chaplain

Emily McCornack. Lizzie Jane Clark, Eliza Ann Grindle, Hannah Packard. Theresa Wallace.

PAST PATRONS.

John Luther Clark. William Andrew McCornack, William Heeser. William True Wallace, Fred. Halling.

MEMBERS.

Baum, Herman Robert Chalfant, Aaron Chalfant, Harold P. Cline, Lillie Corrigan, Emma Corrigan, James Sumner Robinson, Julia A. Grindle, Joshua Harvey, John Duncan

Hickey, Emma R. Hoak, Lottie May Jarvis, Henry Herbert Jarvis, Mary Ardell Paddleford, Mary Jane Sangster, Donald

Severance, Frank Billings Severance, Jennie Smith, Geo. Canning Stuckey, Simon F. Turner, Annie C. Wood, Cassimer Jackson Wood, Cora E.

DIMITTED,

Halling, Sigrid

Kiser, Belle V.

HESPERIAN CHAPTER, No. 112.

Susanville, Lassen County.

Stated Meetings, on the fourth Saturday of each Month after the Full Moon.

Atawa McKinsey......Worthy Matron Louisa Bangham......Associate Matron Amanda Elzira Uramer..... Conductress Emily PardeeRuth Fannie Asher Esther Elberta Amelia Masten..... Martha Eva Peck......Organist

Fannie Asher, Charlotte Clare Cahlan, Viola May Roseberry.

PAST PATRONS.
Fred. Hines,
Eber Gaston Bangham,
Morris Asher,
Thomas Alexander Roseberry.

MEMBERS.

Alexander, Jules Emmerson, Charles Ed- Mylert, Mary Arnold, Alexander Thrall McKinsey, Noble Samuel Arnold, Susan Engle Emmerson, Mary Jessie Otto, Frederick Folsom, Melville Orman Pardee, Julien Eugene Bangham, Adalyn Oct-Folsom, Melvina Peck, Frank F. ober Goodwin, Alice Ramsey, Minnie Luella Bangham, Frank Henry Goodwin, William N. Ramsey, Thomas Abner Bangham, Lillian Edna Hall, Wright Patrick Ripley, Charles Jackson. Branham, Anna "J" Hopkins, Rebecca Jane Robinson, nee Arnold, ' Branham, James Hosselkus, John Wesley Dora May Brockman, William Hosselkus, Sarah Todd Spalding, John Bridger Cahlan, John Hurley, Mary Ellen Spalding, Mary Ellen Cain, Alice Knoch, David Strauss, Jaques Cramer, Daniel Knoch, Fannie Stiles, Anna Mary Dill, Mary E. Longanecker, Charles Stiles, Lyman C. Edward Stiles, Mariatte Dunham, Allen Murry Dunham, Augusta Char- Masten, John Thompson Ward, Ada lotte Mylert, Howard Wm.

DIMITTED.

Linington, Mary E.

SUSPENDED.

Carter, Oscar Lafayette Carter, Rosa Davis, William S. Linington, Cornelius G.

DECEASED.

Marker, John Hansen

SANTA MONICA BY THE SEA CHAPTER, No. 113.

Santa Monica, Los Angeles County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Mondays of each Month.

officers.		
Isabelle Louise Vawter		
Edward Emerson		
Frances Marie Taft	Associate Matron	
Ivan Morgan Merlinjones	Secretary	
Luly Millor	Trensurer:	

Cora Scoville DeForce	. Conductress
Associate	e Conductress
Susan Jane Feather	Adah
Josephine Augusta Dexter	Ruth
Laura Emma Garey	
Anna Thomas	
Winona Justina Webb	Electa
Rebecca Culp	Warder
Stephen Fisk Carpenter	
Madeline Melissa Carpenter	
	-
Florence Alice Balsley	

Rebecca Culp. Josephine Augusta Dexter, Madeline Melissa Carpenter.

PAST PATRONS.

William Templeman Gillis, Oliver Grant Tullis, Charles Henry Thomas, James Elias Dunham.

MEMBERS.

Brown, Leroy Decatur Cates, Horace Getschell Dunham, Lizzie Mit-Chapin, Mary Ellen Chapin, Mary Morgan Colbert, Patrick Culp. Francis Marion Davis, Emma May Davis. "J" Jefferson Davisson, Mabel Dexter, George Byrd Dobbings, John Henry Dobbings, Mattie Ann Dornfeld, Ferdinald Emil

Dornfeld, Helen Marr chell Emerson, Mina Feather, Marcus "D" Gray, Ida Mitchell Hall, Ardella Theresa Howell, Cora Ivins, Mary Elenora Jackson, Bertha Jackson, James Henry Jackson, Lydia Mellisa Jackson, Stephen Keller, Henry Workman Willis, Martha Jane

Kennedy, John Le Berge, Carrie Lindsey, Ethel Graham Miller, Robert Meek Rogers, Adda "E" Smith, Nathan Franklin Suits, Elihu Daniel Suits, Margaret Suits, Mary Ann Tolles, Helen Adelia Tullis, Cassie Vawter, Edwin James Willis, Isaac Alexander

PALM LEAF CHAPTER, No. 114.

Porterville, Tulare County.

Stated Meetings, Thursday following the full of the Moon and on the Second Thursday thereafter in each Month.

	OFFICERS.	•
Nellie M. Baker		
George Gordon Murry	 .	Worthy Patron
Louise B. Worth, nee Scott		
Minta Frances Eckles		Secretary

Emma Rebecca Lewis	Treasurer
Edith Frank Henry	Conductress
Minnie L. Templeton	. Associate Conductress
Stella May Gilbert	
Luella M. Boller	Ruth
Ora Rhodes	Esther
Anna Louise Norris	Martha
Elizabeth Gilbert	Electa
Annie L. Beebe	
Gerald Robert Lumley	Sentinel
Ellen Augusta Bearss	Chaplain
Mattie Billingsley	Marshal
Aubrey Montague Lumley	Organist

Annie Lovina Beebe, Mattie Miriam Schulz, Myra C. K. Shuey, Lula Newman, Luella M. Boller, Elizabeth Gilbert.

PAST PATRONS.

John Thompson Manter, Emil Newman, John Locke Hardeman, Jacob Franklin Boller.

MEMBERS.

Allen, Benjamin	Hatcher, James Hender-	Miner, James Looney
Allen, Marie Christine	son	Miner, Mary Elva
Beebe, Edward Welling-	Haughton, Edward Will-	Montgomery, May
ton	iam	Montgomery, Percy Claud
Beebe, Lulu Inez	Henry, Kate Lydia	Murry, Martha D.
Berryhill, Agnes Eliza	Henry, Oliver Osborne	Norris, Walter Hardeway
Berryhill, John Samuel	Hockett, John Benjamin	Parks, David Harrison
Billingsley, Metinda J.	Hockett, Margaret	Robbins, George Lovell
Brey, Ada F. Lackey	Hunsaker, Kittie Louise	Schulz, Adolphus Gus-
Brey, Hiram F.	Kelly, Frankie	tave
Cartmill, Jane Henry	Kling, Rosalie Carr	Scott, Louise
Coe, Ira E.	Lewis, Louisa E.	Shang, nee Hockett,
Eckles, John Graham	MacDonald, Olive Eliza-	Lenni
Eckles, Mary Ann	beth	Stone, Sarah Frances
Flanders, Emily Page	MacDonald, Robert	Sutherland, Martha A.
Fontaine, Mary J.	Henry	Traeger, Charles Albert
Gilbert, Samuel Jonathan	Manter, Sarah Jane	White, James Smith
Reynolds	McFarland, Adah Belle	White, Lucy Ellen
Hardeman, Susan Eliza-	McFarland, Martha	Williams, John Howard
beth	McFarland, Sarah Eliza-	Wilson, Annette Lee
Hatcher, Emma	beth	Willson, Isabelle
	McFarland, Robert West	Wright, Joseph Franklin

DIMITTED.

Chubb, Cora Cake

Jane

Von Schmitton, Serena Von Schmitton, Stirling Adolphus

SUSPENDED. Green, Sarah Bessie

CARITA CHAPTER, No. 115.

Alameda, Alameda County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Wednesdays of each Month.

officers.	
Theresa Josephine Merwin	Worthy Matron
James Burton Barber	Worthy Patron
Augusta Troll Fletter	Associate Matron
Anna Matilda Barber	Secretary
Henry Sevening	Treasurer
Grace Estelle Williams	Conductress
Della Margaret Nobmann	Associate Conductress
Carrie Wilhelmina Eickhoff	
Etta Fowler Wever	
Emily Lydia Bailey	Esther
Margaret Anna Nobmann.	
Nannie Jane Daniel	Electa
Ida Adeline Eberle	Warder
Henry Peters Decker	Sentinel
Benjamin Salsbury McFarland	Chaplain
Louise Sullivan	
Hattie Dorothea Wiebalk	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Kate Post Van Orden, Magdalene Nobmann, Ellen Dean Storey, Louise Sullivan, Jennie Smith, Mary Josephine Young.

PAST PATRONS.

Dennis Joseph Sullivan, Benjamin Salsbury McFarland, Leander Van Orden, Eliphalet Minor Smith, John Nelles Young.

MEMBERS.

Ames, Minnie Amarilla	Clark, George Benjamin	Cubery, Phebe
Bliss, Mary Jane	Clark, Isabell	Cubery, Wm. McBarney
Boehmer, Mary Elizabeth	Combs, Abbie Jane	Culver, Henrietta "C"
Brower, Laura	Cousins, Anna Augusta	Culver, Marshall Lyman
Brower, Robert Willcock	Cousins, Frederick Wil-	Dane, Caroline
Christensen, Mary "P"	liam	Dane, Edwin
Christensen, Peter	Crosby, Frances Alma	Daniel, James

Decker, Eliza Catherine	Jonas, Alice Harrison	Nobmann, John Henry
Dibble, Delle	Knapp, Louise	Pingree, Mary Barnes
Eickhoff, Caroline	Lancaster, Adeline Eliza	Rhodes, Rosa Elizabeth
Fletter, Freeborn Jacob	Lancaster, Americus Ves-	Sanor, Ida Marie
Forderer, Caroline	puoci	Sansom, John Andrew
Forderer, Caroline (Mrs.)	Lancaster, Lillian	Sevening, Louise Anna
Forderer, Joseph Frank	Leydecker, Theo. Wm.	Sheeran, James Andrew
Graham, Sarah Catherine	Leydecker, Wilhelmiene	Spreckels, Agnes
Graham, Frank Elmer	Lubbock, Clinton Henry	Spreckels, Anna
Hamilton, Emily Judson	Lubbock, Nellie Winans	Spreckels, Christine
Hamilton, Florence	McFarland, Mary Bell	Henri
Nightingale	McQuesten, Laura Scott	Story, Clara Emily
Haaren, Minnie	Messer, Mary	Stratford, Ruth
Haskell, Walter Williams	Moebus, Marie Margaret	Sturtevant, Susie Gard-
Heidt, Magdelene	Montell, nee Smith, Grace	iner
Helmken, Betty Fred-	Gould	Walton, nee Lubbock,
ericka	Moore, George	Blanche Louise
Hollingbery, Emily	Moore, Mary Ellen	Weber, Elizabeth Annath
Holtz, Mary Ann	Morris, Alice	Weber, Henry Louis
Hunter, Alice Clow	Nash, Grace Ellen	Wever, Charles Herbert
Johnson, Mary Maxwell	Newberry, Carrie Jane	Williams, Helen Frances

DIMITTED.

Ames, George Spencer Classen, Johanne Erwin, Dora Chalmers Storey, William Bainbridge Thompson, Hanna Marie Thompson, Hans Andreas

DECEASED.

Knowles, Mary C.

TRUCKEE CHAPTER, No. 116.

Truckee, Nevada County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

	OFFICERS.	
Melissa Giffen		, Worthy Matron
Llewellyn Davies		Worthy Patron
Elizabeth Hıll		. Associate Matron
Henrietta Hilton		Secretary
Katie Whitney		Treasurer
Mary Barton		
Margaret Marzen		sociate Conductress
Emma Hinkle		
Leose Meloche		Ruth
Celia Lewison		Esther

Elizabeth Wilkie	Iartha
Laura Bucknam	
Mary Burckhalter	/arder
William Henry HillSe	
Laura BucknamOr	ganist

Mary Burckhalter, Leose Meloche, Laura Bucknam.

PAST PATRONS.

John Sherritt, William Ferdinand Wilkie, Charles Glidden, William Alvin Bucknam.

MEMBERS.

Adolph, Jacob	Glidden, Catherine	Price, William E.
Adolph, Johanna	Graham, Christina	Richardson, Warren
Angus, Anna	ngus, Anna Hardman, Clinton Marion Schaeffer, George	
Angus, George	Hilton, Joseph Dearborn	Schaeffer, Margaret
Balder, Nellie Edith	Jacobs, Flora	Schneider, Peter
Balder, William	Jacobs, Herman Henry	Sherritt, James
Barton, Charles Henry	Lewison, Jacob Lewis	Siegel, Charles
Burckhalter, Fannie	Marzen, Joseph	Spalding, Caroline
Calkins, Alice	Mayer, Johanna	Spalding, William Rufus
Cupples, Samuel	Meloche, Frank Tancrede	Thomas, Charles
Giffen, Geo. Washington	Park, William	Whitney, Thomas Byron

CONTRIBUTING.

DIMITTED.

Burckhalter, Bon	onni	le
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Ferguson, Lily

Ferguson, Lucy

Casper, Esther Champion, Francis

Champion, Josie

Champion, Rosa

Dutcher, Willard

COLUMBUS CHAPTER, No. 117.

Sacramento, Sacramento County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Mary Alivia Caselli	
John Maurice Chapman	
Amelia Burnett	Associate Matron
Margaret Bainbridge Little	Secretary
Emma Jane Barrett	Treasurer
Flora Ella Hammer	Conductress
Belle Stephenson	Associate Conductress
Mary Louise Woods	

Alice May Tiel	Ruth
Nellie Thompson	
Emma Neal Rider	
Sarah Annie Bragg	Electa
Esther Ann Morten	Warder
Charles Alfred Carlson	Sentinel
Frances Just	Chaplain
Lizzie Irene Smith	Marshal
Lina Woods Martin	Organist

Mary Gilmer Dunn,
Helena Stuart Davis,
Lillie Addison Forbes,
Alice Seadler,
Hattie Augusta Baughman,
Kate "J" Weller.

PAST PATRONS.

William Frederick Wiard, William Albert Stephenson, Wm. Elias John Baughman.

MEMBERS.

Banta, Laura	Ferriter, Mary Catherine	Hooper, Pearl
Barrett, Annie	Ferrè, Albert Eames	Huber, Jennie Louise
Barrett, Isaac Thomas	Ferre, Susie King	Irvine, Mary
Barrett, Mary McDougall	Fisher, Ida Louise	Jacobs, Bertha
Barton, Charles Thomas	Forbes, Robert	Jacox, Abbie Jane
Barton, Nellie Sophia	Fountain, Marie	Jenkins, Alice
Bittancourt, Thomas	Franklin, Ella Francena	Jensen, Ida
Maria	Franklin, Ellis	Johnson, Elizabeth Gene-
Bragg, Henry William	Frazee, Hattie Maria	vieve
Brown, Mary Hazen	Gamble, Lizzie	Johnson, Mollie Bell
Bryte, Georgena Beatrice	Gardner, Matthew	Johnson, Philip
Carey, Anna Florence	Geeslin, John William	Kay, Elizabeth
Carlaw, John	Gregory, Frank	Ketcham, Maria Ann
Carlaw, Frankie Ella	Gregory, Millie	Ketcham, Marvin Alonzo
Carlson, Dora	Griffith, Elizabeth Russell	Keber, Ada
Caselli, Ansono	Hammer, Cora Fannie	Keber, Hattie
Clarke, Adelaide May	Harrell, James Porter	Kloppenburg, Anna Lucia
Coglan, Anna	Grove	Kloppenburg, Margaret
Coyne, Nellie Maud	Harrell, Laura Elvira	Ann
Curtis, Ida Elizabeth	Harris, Flora	Laurie, Ann
Denham, James Fleming	Harris, George J.	Laurie, Annie
Denham, Lottie May	Hawk, Barbara Shelly	Look, Halleck Hart
Dickenson, Sarah Ann	Heath, Harriet Lavina	Macke, Mary Gorth
Dutcher, Willard Perry	Heilbron, Julia	Marshall, Margaret May
Ebert, Bertha	Henry, Sallie Helena	Mathews, Edith
Ellsworth, Flora Bell	Higgins, Eliza "C"	McBrown, John
Ellsworth, William Munn	Hotchkiss, Ann Eliza	McBrown, Rose Ellen

McDonald, Mary Sinclain	rPlatt, Philomen Eli	Steinman, Fannie
McKay, Daniel	Quinley, Ella Amanda	Stoll, Benjamin Franklin
McMorry, nee Keber, Al-	Quinley, Harriet Bristol	Stoll, Mamie
bina Elizabeth	Raymond, Percy Miles	Strachau, Jennie
Morrow, Annie	Reid, Katie Ella	Strader, Adina Ruth
Morrow, Francis Alex.	Reid, Thomas Benton	Strader, Harvey Winton
Morten, John Levi	Reeves, Evelyn	Taylor, Vernon Frank
Morton, Charles Wardle	Roberts, Minnie Haskell	Teichert, Adolph
Morton, Martha Pearl	Rushing, Annie Parthe-	Teichert, Carrie Lizzie
Mitau, Henry	nia	Thompson, Samuel Hal-
Nathan, Helena	Sawtelle, Jennie Stein	leck
O'Neill, Edward John	Scott, Eva Marie	Walters, Laura Crandell
Oakley, nee Barton, Clar	aScott, John	Weller, Kate
Annie	Seavey, Elizabeth	Wells, Laura Hamilton
Panabaker, Edward Ells-	· Seadler, James	Wiard, Virginia Ellen
worth	Sievers, Anna Mathilda	Williams, Lizzie Anna
Panabaker, Rosalia Flor-	- Spaulding, Louisa Fran-	Willis, Mary Emily
ence	ces	Wilson, Benno
Pearson, Hattie Ann	Sterling, Annie Lettice	Woods, Emily
Petrie, Eugene Albert	Steinman, Bernard Ulme	rWoods, Mary
Platt, Levina Annabel		
	DIMITTED.	
Cushman, Mary Minerva	Pearson, Martha Jane	Pearson, Sadie Yuill
	SUSPENDED.	

Duden, Dora Bell Ferriter, Thomas Gray, Ellen Ann Petrie, Ella Ottmann, Gilbert Almon Thirkield, Dora

DECEASED.

Bronson, Jennie Sarah

WOODBRIDGE CHAPTER, No. 118.

Woodbridge, San Joaquin County.

Stated Meetings, First Saturday after each Full Moon.

OFFICERS.	
Catherine Melinda Langford	
Amos Amson McClelland	Worthy Patron
Carrie R. Carleton	
Kate J. Newton	Secretary
Margareth Beckman	Treasurer
Mary Corell	Conductress
Emma McClelland	Associate Conductress
Helen Augusta Corell	

Nellie Buck Cory	Ruth
Alice Ashley	
Cassie Pearl Burkett	
Etta Lena Hemphill	Electa
Ann M. Favinger,	Warder
Thomas Robeson Burkett	Sentinel
Mary Foster Steen	Chaplain
Annie Vickerson	Marshal
Sarah Virginia Newton	Organist

Nellie Buck Cory, Anne Elizabeth Latta, Linda Burkett, Helen Augusta Corell.

PAST PATRONS.

John Braly Cory, Samuel Eikenbary Latta, Thomas Robeson Burkett, Theodore Henry Beckman.

MEMBERS.

Ashley, George Henry	Houskens, Kate Sophia	Newton, Charles Lewis
Ashley, Frank Henry	Hull, James Porterfield	Powell, Belle Agnes
Beckman, Henry	Huron, Louisa	Powell, Grace Matilda
Beckman, Frank William	Huron, William Wilson	Powell, Richard White
Carleton, George T.	Hutson, James Lawrence	Rutledge, Edward Glaspie
Carter, Emma	Johnson, William Horton	Sargent, James Henry
Cogswell, Alice B.	Johnson, Wm. Nathan	Smith, Charles Edward
Corell, Emma	Jones, George Washington	Smith, Estella
Corell, William	Keen, Camden Warren	Smith, Isabella
Favinger, George	Langford, Benjamin	Steen, Moses Duncan
Hemphill, Edward Hen-	Franklin	Alexander
dryx	Langford, George William	Thompson, Cosby
Henderson, William	McCulloch, Alexander A.	Thompson, Edward Reese
Woods	McNoble, George Francis	Thompson, Reba
Holmes, James Wilson	Mills, Freeman Benjami:	nVan Gelder, Elizabeth
Holmes, Nancy J.	Millis, Elizabeth	Van Gelder, Morris
Houskens, George	Millis, William Lindsey	Vickerson, Joseph Warren
Houskens, Katharina	Newton, Cyrus Brownlee	Woods, Robert Blakely

DIMITTED.

Beckman, Henry Christopher Willing, Anna L.

DECEASED.

Foote, Erastus Nelson

AMAPOLA CHAPTER, No. 119.

Oroville, Butte County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Saturdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Hattie Margaret Guidery	Worthy Matron
Seth Sprague Boynton	
Maria Topping	Associate Matron
William Crain Topping	
Jennie Dyer,	
Mattie Ewer Elliott	Conductress
Sarah Elizabeth Lee	Associate Conductress
Jessie Gates	
Minnie Rutherford Powers	Ruth
Olla Hamlin Snell	Esther
Mary Ann Graham	
Caroline Sexton	Electa
Margaret Jane Mitchell	
George Washington Dyer	Sentinel
Minerva Ann Bell	
Annie Frist Dunn	Marshal
Isabelle Aitkin Hills	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Caroline Sexton, Kate Hutchins Boynton, Mary Ann Graham.

PAST PATRONS.

George James Graham, William Hubert Dixon.

MEMBERS.

Byers, Amanda Jestina	Herrin, Nellie Egworth	McGregor, Anna Amanda
Byers, William Thomas	Hills, Henry Chapman	McGuffin James Abra-
Cleveland, Judson Ado-	Hilton, Daniel	ham
niram	Hilton, Mary Margaret	Moody, Nellie Nevada
Cleveland, Sarah Cora	Hurles, Anna Hethering-	Moody, Stephen Prescott
Dixon, Jennie Zillah	ton	Myers, Adelaide Wild-
Dunn, Charles Dennis	James, Mary	man
Edmonds, John	Jones, Annie Peter	Myers, Annie A.
Fuqua, Elizabeth	Kelly, Bell	Myers, Lester Llewellen
Gray, Bella Robertson	Kelly, Thomas Joseph	Powers, Robert Suther-
Gray, John Carleton	Lawrence, Frances Price	land
Green, Robert Moore	Lee, Thomas Corydon	Phillips, Mary Ruth
Guidery, John	Marks, Rachel	Ragan, Caroline Susan
Hamlin, Ina Beatrice	McChrystal, Isabella	Reid, Hosea Edwin
Helms, Elizabeth	McChrystal, John Henry	Serviss, Thomas Wilson
Herrin, Elizabeth Beatric	eMcGregor, Kate	Sheckles, Minnie May
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Spangler, Christie Marshall Thomas, Mary Louise Todd, Mary Aurelia

Tople, Prince Louis Tucker, Erasmus Ward, Julia Verina

Tople, Carrie Elizabeth Williams, Nettie Lorrine Williams, William "S" Whittier, Elizabeth Jane

REINSTATED.

Norton, Adele

Norton, Lewis Elliott

DIMITTED.

Norton, Adele

Norton, Lewis Elliott

Bell, Margaret Elizabeth

SUSPENDED.

Dailey, Charles Henry Dailey, Sarah Ann

Fuqua, George Hale Green, Laura Haynes McCoy, Benjamin Lin-

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DECEASED.

Mitchell, John Konstantine

ELECTA CHAPTER, No. 120,

OF NEVADA.

Austin, Lander County, Nevada. Stated Meetings, Third Monday of each Month.

OFFICERS:

Lizzie J. Jones	
John Bicknell	Worthy Patron
Alice H. Gayhart	
	Secretary
Lizzie A. Miller	Conductress
La Furga F. Jones	Associate Conductress
Marcella Bicknell	Adah
Lucy A. Easton	
Julia Randolph Brownell	Esther
Margaret Polkinghorne	Marths
	Elects
Edward Williams	
Frank Edward Jones	Sentinel
	Organist
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PAST MATRONS.

La Furga F. Jones, Lizzie A. Miller.

PAST PATRONS.

John Bicknell, Henry Mayenbaum.

MEMBERS.

Bowen, Daniel W. Bowen, Nanna Easton, William Foster, Mary S. Fitzgerald, A. L. Gayhart, Walter C. Hamm, M. Grant Hamm, Nannie E. Hocking, Caroline Polkinghorne, Mary Reed, Martha J. Sowers, Louisa Thomas, Thomasine Tippett, Ann Waters, Minna J.

DECEASED.

Williams, Emma

ESTHER CHAPTER, No. 121,

OF NEVADA.

Carson City, Ormsby County, Nevada.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Mondays of Each Month.

OFFICERS.

Marie L. Coffin	Worthy Matron
Charles H. Galusha	
Malvina Platt	
Charles H. Peters	Secretary
Phillippina Wagner	Treasurer
Annie Thompson	Conductress
L. Edith Krall	Associate Conductress
Jennie Fisher	
Sophia Jacobs	Ruth
Jennie Jacobs	Esther
Carrie Headrick Rulison	
Elizabeth A. Wylie	Electa
Emma Newnham	
Adolph Jacobs	Sentinel
Julia McQuarters	
Lillian Swift	
Ida Platt	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Emma White,
Mary E. Woodbury.

PAST PATRONS.

Michael A. Murphy, John Elliott, Charles H. Galusha, Trenmor Coffin, Phillip A. Doyle.

MEMBERS.

Averill, Ohristine T. Fulstone, Mary Averill, Mary Adah Fulstone, Robert Benton, Emma M. Gordon, Peter H. Benton, James Meder, Jr. Hofer, Minnie V. Cohn, Pauline Jones, Alice Cutts, Charles F. Josephs, Annie Dickson, Alexander Scott Kair, Stina Dickson, Fannie Louisa Kitzmeyer, Daniel G. Dowling, Samuel Kitzmeyer, Maggie Dowling, Sarah J. Klein, Jacob Doyle, Annie L. Longabaugh, Agnes Easton, Thornton S. Longabaugh, Samuel Frank, Maggie Mayer, Millie "E" Friend, Ellen H. Meyers, Emma "A" Fulstone, Charles Locke Murphy, Lizzie Fulstone, Clara J.

Newnham, John R.
Peters, Stella
Platt, Joseph
Scheel, Herman B. J.
Simpson, Mary
Steinmetz, Frank J.
Stone, Cassaline
Thompson, Charles Willis
Wagner, John
Westlake, Leonard John
Wilber, Chas. H.
Wilber, Lena J.
Woodbury, James P.
Woodbury, Lonise
Wylie, Nicholas

INITIATED.

Barclay, Annie Barclay, Wm. Scott Demartini, Antonio Demartini, Mary

Zeigler, Cassie W.

REINSTATED. Longabaugh, Agnes

DIMITTED.

Barolay, Annie
Barolay, Wm. Scott
Baumann, Hannah
Baumann, Jacob "P"
Beck, Ida "C"
Brown, Frances
Brown, Mary "A"
Demartini, Autonio
Demartini, Mary
Harper, Laura L.
King, Manuel J.
Lobenstein, Louis

Logan, Jennie M.
Logan, Stewart
McKim, Ceylas J.
McKim, Kate
Mudd, Lizzie
Mudd, Minnie
Pion, Alexander P.
Pion, Nancy
Pohl, Cornelius B.
Pohl, Rosalie
Rauhut. Pauline
Reick, John

Reick, Rosa
Ritschy, Valentine
Sharp, Jeanette
Shirley, William
Talbot, Lizzie B.
Warren, Annie "M"
Watkins, Mildred D.
Wilcoxsen, Agnes
Wilcoxsen, Andrew Jackson
Wood, James
Zeigler, Cassie W.

SUSPENDED.

Longabaugh, Emily

Longabaugh, Olivia

EXPELLED.

Jones, John T.

ADAH CHAPTER, No. 122,

OF NEVADA.

Reno, Washoe County, Nevada.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Thursdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Mary Douglas Summerfield	
Wm. Henry Noyes	Worthy Patron
Mattie Williams	Associate Matron
Grace Viola Ward	Secretary
Hannah Elizabeth Webster	
Polly Martin	Conductress
Minnie Douglas Noyes	Associate Conductress
Stella Nevada Webster	
Josie Gosse	Ruth
Margaret Cowan Bird	Esther
Nellie Nevada Hymers	Martha
Emi Alice Fish	Electa
Caroline Coffey	
A. S. Williams	Sentinel
Lyman Littlefield Crockett	
Gertrude McCormack	Marshal
Alice Lucretia Layton	

PAST MATRONS.

Phœbe Stanton Marshall, Mary Ellen Stewart, Polly Martin, Adena Cunningham, Libbie Conover Booth, Anna Sample.

PAST PATRONS.

Lyman Littlefield Crockett, Samuel M. Jamison, Albert Dixon Bird, Sardis Summerfield.

MEMBERS.

Aitken, Annie E.	(
Allgerir, Bertha	- (
Barnett, Millie	(
Bird, Iris Adaline	(
Boalt, Citney A.	J
Boalt, Thomas Warren	3
Bowers, Ellen	1
Brown, Emma P.	
Christensen, John	-
Christensen, Marie	1
Clough, Charles E.]
Clough, Minnie L.	(

Cobb, Annie Coffey, William Henry Cohn, Louis J. Crockett, Sophia Douglas, George H. Douglas, Maud Lillian Douglas, Olive Doughty, Fannie Emery, Mary Whiteside Freeman, Andy Monsen Kelley, Rebecca Freeman, Marie Gosse, Henry J.

Greenlaw, Anna Hatley Hastings, Emma Hopkins, nee Watson, Gertrude Jamison, Clara R. Jamison, Lisle Jones, Ella L. Jones, Owen F. Julien, Thomas V. Kienast, Charles J. Kienast, Mary

Kilpatrick, Vina Scofield, Louisa Mosher, Mattie King, Elizabeth Helen Nathan, Celia M. Scofield, Norman E. King, Francis Drake Park, Addie Shaw, Mary T. Kinney, Kate Frost Parker, Minnie Victoria Shearer, Elizabeth M. Lake, Jane Parry, Julia Stalker, Lillie Emma Layton, Florence Estelle Phillips, Jennie Stanaway, Anna Izora Lewers, Robert E. Phillips, Wm. Densmore Stephens, Crissie Lewers, Katherine Pinniger, Harriett Stephens, Fred C. Logan, Jennie Pinniger, William Thurtell, Henry Logan, Stewart Porter, May Edna Vasey, Lena Luke, Jane Ray, Elizabeth Charlie Ward, Rebecca Ann Manning, Abraham H. Robertson, Ida Werner, Nellie L. Marshall, I. B. Rousseau, Margaret Wicks, Abigal Martin, Louisa Ruhe, Aletta Bell Winfrey, Edward E. Martin, William A. Ruhe, Anna Winters, Alice M. Martin, William O. Hara Ruhe, Henry Winters, Nellie Gladys McLennan, Minnie Rulison, Belle

DIMITTED.

Bell, Mary Clemons, Adele Bulison, Nellie May Summerfield, Anna

DECEASED.

Mosher, Mary Ann

TUOLUMNE STAR CHAPTER, No. 123.

Sonora, Tuolumne County.

Stated Meetings, on the First and Third Thursdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Rosa Kabl	
Edward Keil	
Maud Irene Street	
Charles Edward Street	Secretary
Thomas Washington Wells	Treasurer
Sophia Gould	Conductress
Marian Catherine Johnson	Associate Conductress
Maggie Jane Hampton	
Matilda Catherine Hender	
Jessie Paterson	Esther
Lottie Klein	
Maggie Josephine Wells	Electa
Malaney Ann McIntosh	
Frank Albert Morgan	Sentinel

Jessie Anna Eastman	Chaplain
Rene Isabella Barlow	Marshal
Ora Morgan	Organist

Belle Wingfield Conrad, Emma Barlow, Maggie Josephine Wells.

PART PATRONS.

Thomas Washington Wells, Edward Keil.

MEMBERS.

Abbott, Jemima Matilda Gould, Elisha Toman Parsons, Lillian M. Badger, nee Hampton, Guerena, Louis "A" Parsons, Mary Frances Parsons, Mary Jane Hettie Belle Guerena, Mary Paterson, May Barton, Eugene Hamil-Hale, Josephine ton Jenkins, Belle Preston, Grace Eloise Jenkins, Mary Rundell, Amelia Barton, Minnehaha Witner Jones, Eddie Rundell, Robert Calhoun, Henry Clay Kenney, Wm. Augustus Street, Ada Harriet Coles, John Louis Kirkwood, James Street, Frank Wilson Coles, Mary "W" Knudsen, Nils Ladefoged Stuttz, Elodie Alma Coles, Nettie Belle Knudsen, Olive Sarah Vial, Harriet Hattie Way, Charles Fremont Crozier, Alma Lawson, John Duchow, Marion Currie LeComte, Delia Ann Weimer, William Eastman, William White Loftus, Mariam Virginia Wilson, Anna Eslick, Charles Long, Sarah M. Wolfling, Mary Elida Gallut, Gabrielle Susan Long, Wilbur Yancey, Rosa Bailey Gerlach, Anna Odgers, Emelie Gene- Yancey, Tryon Milton Glasson, Joanna vieve

HARMONY CHAPTER, No. 124.

San Francisco, San Francisco County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Fridays of each Month, at No. 32 O'Farrell St.

Kathie Williams...... Ruth

Margaret Short	Esther
Nona Sanborn	
Mary Ann Van Vleck	Electa
Annie Catherine Hare	Warder
Hans Jensen	Sentinel
Arthur Hill Millberry	Chaplain
Lydia Jane Wharff	Marshal
Edith May Bushnell	

Margaret Short, Anna Eliza Peterson, Isadora Horton, Elsie Iversen Jensen, Susan Eustis Bittle Myers, Lydia Jane Wharff, Bertha Billings Linnell.

PAST PATRONS.

Peter Buck Nagle, Elias "C" Hare, Arthur Hill Millberry.

MEMBERS.

Anderson, Lillian	Hartley, John Davis	Smith, nee Jesperson.	
Anderson, Winslow	Hooe, Hadley Smith	Anne Sope	
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Bakke, Severin Jansen	Hooe, Ruhama	Stebbins, Minnie	
Brown, Charlotte Sophia	Hughes, Mary Dorothea	Stich, Rosalie	
Brown, Josiah Perkins	Iverson, Kiersten	Stokkebye, George	
Brown, Lucy "E"	Iverson, Niels	Sullivan, Nellie Augusta.	
Brown, Mary Elizabeth	Jensen, Anna	Tonningsen, John	
Bronson, Andrew	Junker, Fredericka	Tonningsen, Lazzie	
Burley, Dudley	Klein, John Mathias	Volkmann, Margaret	
Bushnell, George Edward	dKlein, Mary Ella	Wallace, Marietta B.	
Clarke, Kate	McCormick, Anna	Wallis, Clara A.	
Conway, Sadie B.	Nagle, Clara Gertrude	Wetjen, Cord	
Crackbon, Emilie	O'Neill, Louisa	Whitcomb, Frank Ran-	
Douglas, Mary Elizabeth	Oatman, Mary Elizabeth	dolph	
Eisner, Daniel	Porter, Eliza Emma	White, Hattie Linden	
Emmerson, John	Rawlins, Ida Louisa	Wilson, Josephine	
Emmerson, NettieBermettRawlins, WalterAugustus Williams, Joanna			
Gee, Elizabeth	Read, Henry Lawrence	Woodburn, Mary Agnes	
Hadley, Mary Smith	Schaefer, Clara		
TALM IMPORT			

DIMITTED.

Marden, Sarah Elizabeth Nutter, nee Locke, Melanie Sain, Clementine Rabb

CEASED CONTRIBUTING.

Ponder, Louisa

Sanborn, Nona

SUSPENDED.

Dowling, Charles Irvine, Alexander Irvine, Minnie Irvine, Sarah

Johnson, Hulda Gustavus. Johnson, Mathias

BAKERSFIELD CHAPTER, No. 125.

Bakersfield, Kern County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Abbie Viola Taggart	Worthy Matron
Elijah Rousseau	
Mary Edith Maples	Associate Matron
Louise Congdon	Secretary
Mary Jane Haynes	Treasurer
Carrie Dudley Ryan	
Eva Taggart	Associate Conductress
Mary Hutchins	
Eva Case Arick	Ruth
Rebecca Levy Alexander	Esther
Ettie Weill	
Mollie Conklin	Electa
Charlotte Hutchins	
Walter James	$\cdots \cdots Sentinel$

PAST MATRONS.

Fanny Ward Miller, Lida Rousseau.

PAST PATRONS.

Thomas Edwin Taggart, Henry Alexander Jastro.

MEMBERS.

. Alexander, Abraham Johnson, Augusta Bart-Rogers, Dora Belle Atchison, Emma Hannah lett Johnson, Dewitt Walder Rice, Alice Beer, Lucien Jones, Sophia Frances Blodget, Hugh Allen Cox, Evelyn Lewis, Laura Crusoe, Kitty Marth Dinkelspiel, Carrie Maude, Albert Clement Dinkelspiel, Emile Maude, Helen Emma Dinkelspiel, Eugenia Furth McCray, Marguerite Dinkelspiel, Louis Monroe Todd Munzer, Ella Baker Faust, Lucinda Green, Francis Harrison Pyle, Mary Rea Pyle, Mary

Ruffin, Eva Rice, Frank Sabinus Robinson, Emily Wood Macmurdo, Wirt Robin- Robinson, Frank Wilkins Sherman, Charlie Edwin Smith, Elva Lovina Tracy, Ellen Baker Walters, Sarah Baker Weeks, George Franklin Weeks, Annie Rowe Weill, Alphonse

SUSPENDED.

Morrison, Ethel L. Morrison, John Chambers

Valentine, Frank Eugene Valentine, Mary Frances

MERCEDES CHAPTER, No. 126.

Merced, Merced County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.
May MeanyWorthy Matron
Edward Stephen O'BrienWorthy Patron
Neil Dunn
Vinnie Phillips Secretary
Susie King BakerTreasurer
Martha WarfieldConductress
Kate AgeeAssociate Conductress
Lizzie Fraser
Alice Virginia VoorhiesRuth
Leah HarrisEsther
Clara "M" StoddardMartha
Augusta Zirker Electa
Olive Leggett
Albert Ames Sentinel
William Glidden Leonard
Mary Ragesdale O'Brien
Adelaide Blackman McKainOrganist

PAST MATRONS.

Clara "M" Stoddard, Nancy Jane Andrews.

PAST PATRONS.

James Simon, Albert Pitzer.

MEMBERS.

Badt, Hanches	Gracey, Robert	Means, William L.
Baker, Oscar Alexander	Gray, Alice	Murray, Martha Eliza-
Bentley, George Jefferson	Goldman, Gertrude	beth
Bentley, Lula	Jones, Joseph Simpson	Naffziger, Mary E.
Burchell, Milton	Jones, Rosa Belle	Pitzer, Elizabeth
Cassidy Amanda	King, Margaret	Rector, Mary
Clark, Lewis Brady	King, William Thomas	Rosenthal, Elizabeth
Comins, Minnie Evelyn	Landram, John Carr	Schroeder, Arthur Vane
Cohn, nee Myers, Rebecca	Landram, Mirta	Sherman, Walter Nathan
Croop, Margaret	Law, Julia Washington	Silman, Anna
Deaner, John Allen	Leonard, Jennie	Simon, Charles
Dunn, Gaylord	McKain, Edward James	Simonson, Jessie Benton
Elliott, John G.	Means, Blanche	Simonson, John Henry
Elliott, May Alice	Means, Elizabeth	•

DECEASED.

Sherman, Mary Jane

Worden, Hiland Hulburd

LUCERNE CHAPTER, No. 127.

Hanford, Kings County.

Stated Meetings, Tuesday preceding the Full Moon of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Frances Angeline Felton	
Charles "C" Van Valkenburgh	
Grace Martin	
Inez Young, nee Dunham	Secretary
Charles Franklin Bingham	
Adah Irene Beckwith	
Elizabeth Hobbler	Associate Conductress
Daisy Lovelace	
Sue A. Dunham	
Sallie Isabelle Fassett	Esther
Mollie Adams, nee Hicks	Martha
Nancy McJunkin	Electa
Minnie Abrams	Warder
Briceno Amendez Fassett	Sentinel
Carlos Shelton Linsley	Chaplain
Lizzie Payton, nee Hicks	Marshal
Martha Adaline Linsley	

PAST MATRONS.

Nellie Malone, Villa B. Blakeley.

Abrams, Nathan

PAST PATRONS.

Carlos Shelton Linsley, Joseph George Martin.

MEMBERS.

TENTENNO! TIME	
Benadom, Joshua	(
Booker, Sanford	$D\mathfrak{o}$
Booker, Sarah	\mathbf{D} u
Brown, Caroline	1
Butler, Louisa	Du
Butler, Rudolph Ray	$\mathbf{D}\mathbf{v}$
Byrd, Leesie Malvine	$\mathbf{F}\mathbf{e}$
Camp, William Henry	$\mathbf{F}\mathbf{e}$
Chittenden, Lyman Syl-	Fr
vester	H
Clary, Alvin Ray	Hi
Clow, Burton Roderick	Hi
Clow, Mary L.	$\mathbf{H}\epsilon$
Cooper, Calvin Savage	\mathbf{H}_{0}
Cooper, Susan	Ja
Davidson, Nannie "E"	

Dollenmayer, Adolph King, Arthur Dale Lacy, Ora Mell Gustave onager, Hattie "A" Melone, John Henry anham, Esther Wini-Musgrave, Robert William unham, Lewis Clark Musgrave, Sue A. uvall, Joseph James McJunkin, Ella Irene elton, Lucius Ely McJunkin, Joseph Talbot lton, Pauline Payton, John Welby riant, Emmet Molet Simon, Nettie icks, Margaret R. Vance, Andrew Vance, Kate Lewis icks, Stephen Bright Van Valkenburgh, Isairshfeld, Clara errod, John bella Sharp obbler, Rosa Wendling, George Xavier cobs. Kate E. Wendling, Inez

DIMITTED.

Brown, Charles Rose Hobbler, Charles James Starkweather, Reuben Edward

DECEASED.

Blakeley, Francis Algene

LOS GATOS CHAPTER, No. 128.

Los Gatos, Santa Clara County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.		
May Ellis		
John Wesley Rupert		
Margaret Miller	Associate Matron	
Alice Annette Edwards	Secretary	
Rosetta Storm	Treasurer	
Hannah Buckley	Conductress	
Rose Norris Turner	Associate Conductress	
Fannie Fern Jackson		
Mary Lewis King	Ruth	
Phœbe J. Fretwell	Esther	
Fannie M. Merrill	Martha	
Sue M. Stanfield	Electa	
Joseph J. Fretwell	Warder	
Frank M. Jackson	Sentinel	
Mattie Proctor		
Mary Ann Lander		
Lelia Emma Lord	Organist	

PAST MATRONS.

PAST PATRON.

Mary Ann Lander, Fanny Fern Jackson. Robert Lee Hutchison.

MEMBERS.

Arthur, Nancy D.	Fretwell, Sue	McMurtry, George Sher-
Ayer, Ethel C.	Fretwell, William Joel	man
Clinkenbeard, Sarah Ella	Gribner, Emma Elvina	Parr, Mary E.
Clinkenbeard, Mildred	Gribner, George Thomas	Perrin, Theresa
Nancy	Griffith, Lanra Alice	Rice, John Austin
Cornell, J. J.	Holden, Charles W.	Rice, Kittie
Cornell, Rettie C.	Holden, Lorinda Lovina	Stanfield, James John
Ellis, John Edward	Hoey, Lizzie M.	Turner, Gilbert Lafayette
Evans, Ernest	Jones, William	Williams, Mattre G.
Evans, Anna	McLaughlin, Daniel	
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SUSPENDED.

Lord, Samuel Merriam, Caroline Merriam, Horace A. Perrin, Harry Pugh, Mary Scammon, Kate Scammon, Charles Frank-

SIERRA STAR CHAPTER, No. 129.

Sierraville, Sierra County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Tuesdays of Each Month.

OFFICERS.		
Mary Helen Rousseau	Worthy Matron	
George Wood		
Virginia Evelyn Lebroke	Associate Matron	
Cora Dolley	Secretary	
Elizabeth Jane Simes		
Rose Edna Hamlen	Conductress	
Lydia Olsen		
Mary Lizzie Dolley		
Ella May Nichols	Ruth	
Mary Pritchard	Esther	
Leona May Arnold		
Hattie Elenor Hamlen		
Rebecca "C" Olsen		
George Ezra Arnold	Sentinel	
John Harrison Simes	Chaplain	
Edmund Higgins Hamlen		
Lily Frederica Millar	Organist	

PAST MATRONS.

PAST PATRONS.

Hattie Elenor Hamlen, Mary Pritchard. Edmund Higgins Hamlen, Maurice Pritchard.

MEMBERS.

Berry, Joseph Johnson Dolley, Amelia Dolley, Linus

Enscoe, Jennie Enscoe, Joseph Robert Lebroke, Thomas Millar, James John Orimbar

Nichols, Emma Maggie Olsen, Jacob John

Nichols, Grace Leona Nichols, Herbert Levi Nichols, Herbert Osma Olsan, Jacob John

SUSPENDED.

Bringham, Marion Castor

CLOVER LEAF CHAPTER, No. 130.

Cloverdale, Sonoma County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Tuesdays of Each Month.

OFFICERS.

Lizzie Kleiser	
Daniel Morgan Wambold	
Sarah Agnes Baer	Associate Matron
Annie Sarah Wilson	Secretary
William Thomas Brush	
Hester Larrabee	Conductress
Sarah Hall	Associate Conductress
Helen Baer	
Elizabeth Markell	Ruth
Lena Anderson Brush	
Jean E. Smith	
Christina Markell,	
Louise Domine	
John Geotzelman	Sentinel
Reuben Edward Baer	Chaplain
Helen Louise Wambold	
Etta Smith	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

PAST PATRONS.

Helen Louise Wambold, Mary Jane Field.

Reuben Edward Baer, George Baker Baer.

MEMBERS.

Allegrini, Julius Domine, August Frank Mason, Lydia Allegrini, Jennie Domine, Frederick Henry Montesoro, Mary Allman, Joseph Humbert, Charles Emil Mowbray, Jane Mary Allman, Mary Humbert, Ida Louise Perazo, Joseph Brush, Fred "W" Ink, Hannah Vasconi, Louise Brush, Lucy Ink, Walter P. Vasconi, Luigi Brush, Pauline Kleiser, James Abram Ward, James Abraham Markell, Richard Solomon Ward, Melissa Cooley, Charles Henry

DIMITTED.

Rice, May

Shurtleff, nee Steven, Mary Eveline

FIDELITY CHAPTER, No. 131.

Dunsmuir, Siskiyou County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Thursdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.		
Tillie Elizabeth Van Fossen	Worthy Matron	
Jerry Hinchman Whited	Worthy Patron	
Jenny Whited	Associate Matron	
Benjamin Marion Gill	Secretary	
James Robertshaw		
Mary Jeannette Robinson		
Florence Ada Gill	Associate Conductress	
Bessie Whited		
Charrie Johns Walthers	Ruth	
Lelia W. O'Keefe		
Mary Viola Mallory		
Harry Lincoln Walthers		
Levi Van Fossen		
George Howard Ingham		
Harry Lincoln Walthers		
James Robertshaw	Organist	

PAST MATRON.

PAST PATRONS.

Mary Jeannette Robinson.

George Howard Ingham, Harry Lincoln Walthers.

MEMBERS.

Brady, Jennie	Ingham, Mary Helen
Culver, Martha Ada	Mallory, Fred Lucien
Culver, Alexander Eugene	Matthews, Frank
Gill, Myrtle Christine	Thomas
Gordon, Sarah A.	O'Keefe, Patrick H.

Pratt, G. Annie Roberts, William Baylor Wickes, Carrie Henrietta Wickes, Harvey Orrin

DIMITTED.

Fairbanks, Fidie

Fairbanks, George B.

Kenyon, Arthur Douglas

SUSPENDED.

Cummings, John Duncan Cummings, Mamie L. Leland, William J. Place, Milo B.

CHRYSANTHEMUM CHAPTER, No. 132.

Sanger, Fresno County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Fridays of each Month.

OFFICERS	4.
Tennie Jordan	
William Breming Depew	
Fanny Depew	
Anna Dewey	
Frank Noble	
Sarah Rogers	Conductress
May Friend	
Flora Lola Wells	
Josephine Tackaberry	Esther
Grace Noble	
David T. Rogers	
Zachariah Thomas Jordan	

PAST MATRONS.

PAST PATRON.

Mattie Ellis Garrison, Tennie Jordan.

William Breming Depew.

MEMBERS.

Armuth, Fannie Armuth, Alfred Samuel Sayre, James Henry

Ellis, Mary

Tackaberry, Benjamin Franklin

Balfour, Douglas

DIMITTED.

Leonard, Edward

SUSPENDED.

Dixon, Anna Dixon, Frank Albert

Paden, Evaline Rogers, Alice Helm, Columbus Charles Rogers, Florence Rogers, Henry Bascomb Shaw, Mary Shaw, Orlando C.

SOUTH GATE CHAPTER, No. 133.

Los Angeles, Los Angeles County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

Chlo Rontzahn...... Worthy Matron Easter Linni Parke...... Associate Matron

Appalona Fraser	
Emma Ann Parke	
Nettie Lue Foster	
Luella Roberts	Associate Conductress
Cora Mea Costeriscan	
Mattie Taggart	Ruth
Lillian Jane McAllister	Esther
Mary Skillman	
Arabella Spencer	
Belle N. Griggs	
John Francis Lacrix	Sentinel
Clara C. Holland	Chaplain
Sarah Martin	Marshal
Eva R. McFeely	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Mattie Taggart, Florence Potts.

PAST PATRONS.

Frank Edward Walsh, Edward Weck, Thomas Darcy.

MEMBERS.

Axtell, Winifred Reeves	Gray, Eleanor	Longley, Ada J.
Baker, Julia I.	Gray, Lonie	Longley, Leonell Anzo-
Barnes, Florence	Gray, Marion	letto
Barnes, Thomas Finley	Hansborough, Mary	Loveland, Anna
Beers, Harriet Maria	Hawks, Caroline Ross	Lucas, Susan G.
Bellringer, Edward Au-	Hawks, Franc	Marsh, Lizzie A.
brey	Hawks, William Eugene	Martin, Coomler Hoff-
Bellringer, Sarah Ann	House, Louise	man
Brown, John Alexander	House, Melancthon	Mathis, John Anthony
Burkhardt, Sabilla	Horton, Rufus Landon	Mathis, Jennie Agusta
Clark, Nina May	Howry, Charles DeForest	McAllister, James Pin-
Clark, Thomas Maxwell	Howry, Mattie Hurley	kerton
Cool, Sarah M.	Johnson, Almira	McKay, Eleanor
Darcy, Estella M.	Kendall, Hattie A.	McKnight, Louis Colum-
Darcy, Mary Jane	Lacrix, Augustine	bus
Dering, Alice Josephine	Lacrix, Felicie H.	McKnight, Mary
Dering, Thomas Roswell		Melcher, Azema
Fordham, Louisa Mara		Morgan, Edith
Fordham, Milton Cephas	bert	Morgan, Katherine
Foster, Edward Clarence	Ledgerwood, Katie C.	Newmark, Jessie
Fraser, Alexander Ros-	Ledgerwood, Newton	Newmark, Maxwell N.
bro	Green	Nichols, Mary E.
Gerson, Edward	Ledgerwood, Vinnie	Parke, Elbert Taylor
Gray, Andrew Tennant	Lloyd, Charles	Parker, Willie "O"
Gray, Alice C.	Lloyd, Jennie	Patterson, Alexander

Patterson, May Perry, Arthur St. Clair Perry, Henrietta Pessell, Addie Jones Pierce, Flora Pierce, John Potts, Henry Samuel Robinson, Sarah Rontzahn, Willis Harvey Weck, Mamie Sebastian, Elsie Adell Stine. Harriet Stine, Isaac D.

Shafer, Charles Franklin Wilcox, Jennie Smith, Matilda Jane Taggart, Charles Ferdin- Wolf, Minnie J. and Taylor, Oscar Philo Vail, Florence Cooly Von Poser, Lizzie Walters, Mary E. Weck, Marietta Welch, Charles Emery

Wolf, Frank Charles Wood, George Henry Wood, Lottie A. Wood, Sarah M. Wright, Arthur Chauncy Wright, Margaret Youngworth, Leo V. Young, Lottie Young, William

DIMITTED.

Welch, Emma Mary

Ashman, Elizabeth Ashman, James

Keep, Cornelia Keep, Ruby

DECRASED.

Lenox. Andrew Jackson

ANGELS CHAPTER, No. 134.

Angels Camp, Calaveras County.

Stated Meetings on the First and Third Thursdays of each Month.

OFFICERS. Esther ArendtSecretary Edith Smith Esther Mabel Pollard Lane Electa Mary Loring.......Warder George W. Thomas.....Sentinel Mary Rose..... Marshal Lizzie Richardson.....Organist

PAST MATRON.

Agnes Miranda Morgans.

PAST PATRONS.

Morgan Philip Morgans, Charles Lee.

MEMBERS.

Allen, Ida Lane Allen, Theophilus Arendt, Michael Ames, Ruel Fremont Carlson, Charles H. Carley, Annie Cook, Andrew Jackson Cook, Ella D. Davie, Nettie Dolling, Otto Dolling, Mary Edith Dorroh, John Richard Dorroh, Katie Emery, Caroline Emery, William W.

Garrard, Woodson Garrard, Mabel Lucinda Lee, Myrtle Goodloe, Peyton V. Hawley, Charles Rich-Johnson, Charles Andrew Martin, Mary Elizabeth Johnson, Lizzie Johnson, Peter Kelly, William Andrew Kittler, Charles L. Lane. Anna Garrard Lane, Charles David Lane. Tom Travis Larkin, William

Lee, Edith V. Le Moin, Florence Loring, William Joseph Martin, Jerome Milton Price, Eva Lagree Price, Gabe W. Ratz, Frederick Henry Rose, Warren Ryall, Andrew Ryall, Annie Ryland, Samuel Vincent Stockton, Mrs. A. E.

SUSPENDED.

Tryon, Frankie M.

DECEASED.

Lee, Thomas

SEMPER FIDELIS CHAPTER, No. 135.

Livermore, Alameda County.

Stated Meetings on the First and Third Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS. Gertrude Elizabeth Jordan.....Secretary Sylus Lee Savage.......Treasurer Mamie McKown.....Ruth Emma Adelaide Savage......Esther Margaret Bistorious Electa Dora T. Bistorious......Warder Blanche Kearny...... Sentinel Corinne Maria Leonhart......Organist

PAST MATRON.

Dell Caroline Savage.

PAST PATRON.

Sylus Lee Savage.

MEMBERS.

Beazell, Ella Blanche Black, Mary E. Connell, Alice Louise Cunningham, Edwin S. Cunningham, Elizabeth Osterhout, Mary S.

Hayes, John E. Jordan, Wendell Kearny, Mary

Savage, May Louise Taylor, Joseph Hardy Webb, Emma Kinsman McKown, Joseph Oscar Webb, Edward Standish

DIMITTED.

Hogg, Cora E.

CENTINELA CHAPTER, No. 136.

Los Banos, Merced County.

Stated Meetings on the Third Thursday of each Month.

OFFICERS.			
Florence Esther Harris			
William Josiah Jameson	Worthy Patron		
Adelaide Richmond Wade	Associate Matron		
Charles Frederick Wade	Secretary		
Fred. Johann Julius Peterson	Treasurer		
Minnow Wood	Conductress		
Hester Ann Pfitzer			
Marie Leonard	Adah		
Alma Garrison Stockton	Ruth		
Belle Edna Stockton	Esther		
Bettie Prudence Wyllie			
Carrie Marin Jameson			
Alfred Harris	Warder		
Fred Bachle	Sentinel		
William Jasper Stockton			
Chester Worthington Wood			

PAST MATRON.

PAST PATRON.

Marie Leonard.

William Jasper Stockton.

MEMBERS.

Brown, nee Bibby Ida Cheatham, William May Clare, Frank Cheatham, Mary Belle

Thomas Funcheon, Benjamin Funcheon, Carrie Belle Leonard, Dennis Allen

McCrany, Sarah Melvina McCrany, William Pfitzer, Frank Wood, Susan Harriet Wright, William Walter

CLEAR LAKE CHAPTER, No. 137.

Lakeport, Lake County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Tuesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.

Kate Stephens Oraig	Worthy Matron
Curtis Jefferson Monroe	
Lois Marie Apgar	
Carrie Gurney Atherton	Secretary
Mary Williams	
Emmarilla Adelaide Emerson	
Kittie Margaret Elles ,,	Associate Conductress
Nannie Elizabeth Todd	
Ida Virginia League	
Willie Lee Rideout	
Minule Eldridge Crump	
Anna Spurr	
Rose Elizabeth Brewer	
David Hooper Atherton	Sentinel
Helen Jenette Myers	
Sarah Bell Collier	
Etta Chamblin	Organist

PAST MATRON.

Hettie Augusta Force.

PAST PATRON.

Louis Pedrazzini.

MEMBERS.

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Banks, Jabez	Craig, Joseph	Lewis, Lucy
Barnert, Charles	Crump, Anna Mont-	Levy, Aaron
Barnert, Louisa	gomery	Loring, Frederick New-
Barnert, Ray	Crump, Richard William	hall
Bernstein, nee Levy, Celia	Elles, Catherine Ann	Mallory, Blanche West
Boggs, Irene May	Elles, Jennie Florence	Mallory, George Wash-
Bond, Thomas Benjamin	Elles, Theodore	ington
Brewer, Herbert William	Force, Geo. Haynes	Manning, Earnest Lem-
Brewer, Millie	Furber, Harriett Tucker	uel
Brown, Alice Jemima	Furber, William Giddings	McClean, Daniel
Brown, Henry Nathan	Greene, Sarah Ann	Meddaugh, Mary E.
Byrnes, Emma	Greene, Willis Elihu	Meddaugh, Oscar Edson
Carpenter, Eva Augusta	Kellogg, Clarence William	Miller, Cathleen Edna
Carpenter, Ira Mahlon	Kellogg, Minna Kroline	Moore, Rosa Lillian
Carpenter, Sarah Eliza-	Keeling, Herbert Ven	Monroe, Sarah
beth	League, James Neol	Myer-, Geo. Welton
Collier, William Bell	League, Jennie Marr	Olsen, Amelia Bolter
Collier, Mary Blackwood	Lewis, Kittie Elizabeth	Osborne, Mary Nye

Tinker, Joseph Andrew Williams, David Pedrazzini, Filomena Rideout, Winslow Lester Todd, Frank Ridgeway Wyckoff, nee Wilson, Van Deventer, Lena Mary Nona M. Sayre, Morton Smith Tinker, Christina

DIMITTED.

Corzatt, Amanda Caroline Mackall, Anna Camilla

Mackall, Lucinda Barthenia

SUMMIT CHAPTER, No. 138.

Knights Ferry, Stanislaus County.

Stated Meetings, Saturday of or next preceding the Full Moon of each Month and on Saturday two weeks following.

OFFICERS.

Roma Anna Tulloch	
Frederick William Lowe	Worthy Patron
Mary York Randall	Associate Matron
Charles Thomas Kennedy	
Osman "C" Drew	
Eilen Martha Mero	Conductress
Mary Othelia McGinnes	Associate Conductress
Magdalena Dorothea Jorgensen	
Lizzie Davis Brooke	
Lena Ella Bach	Esther
Augusta Moore Drew	Martha
Maria Valpey	
Francis Lee Griffin,	
Charles Thomas Tulloch	Sentinel
Henrietta Maria Otrtje Lowe	Chaplain
Ella May Bach	Marshal
Bessie Amelia Bach	Organist

MEMBERS.

Hocker, Joseph Lee Allen, Horace Bell Campbell, Rosa Johanna Jorgensen, Maria Crabtree, Gertrude Mabel Jorgensen, Neil Jorgen Pentland, Henry Brunton Crabtree, Lucy Jane William Griffin, Maggie C. Lawrence, Edgar Bolton

McCabe, George Thomas McCabe, Kittie Parker Wayne, Mary A.

ORESTIMBA CHAPTER, No. 139.

Newman, Stanislaus County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Fridays of each Month.

OFFICERS.			
Sarah Handy Yancey			
	Worthy Patron		
	Associate Matron		
Emma Roy Williams	Secretary		
	Treasurer		
Clara Edna Wilmans	Conductress		
Mabel Yancey			
Elizabeth Bridgham Bunker			
Ada Kilburn	Ruth		
Mary Trengove	Esther		
Anna Rosina Klehu			
Eliza Davis Yates			
Thomas Grayson Yancey			
George Henry Crow	Sentinel		
Alice Kate Heston	Chaplain		
Amelia Benas			
MEMBERS.			

Bunker, Minnie Ella
Bunker, Sadie Elizabeth
Crittenden, Anna Green
ough
Draper, Carrie Eliza
Draper, Wilbur Fisk
Dunning, Laura Ann
Dunning, Willie Albion
Edgecome, Frederick
Hagen, Andrew
Kilburn, Ella

	Kilburn, Guy	Stratton, May Bergitta
ı	Klehn, Helena Dorothea	Trefts, Charles Edgar
-	Lathrop, James McElroy	Trefts, Josephine Martin
	Pearsall, Joseph L.	Williams, Alexander
	Schanks, Charles	Munroe
	Schanks, Katherine	Wilmans, John McDonald
	Schmidt, Hans Jorgen-	Wilmans, Martha Jane
	sen	Wilmans, Beatrice

Schmidt, Katherine Maria Yancey, Nellie Handy Stratton, John Augustus Yates, Albert Lansing

OAKLAND CHAPTER, No. 140.

Oakland, Alameda County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Thursdays of each Month.

Officers.			
Lillian Warner	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Worthy Matron	
Abel Warren Ba	aker, Jr	Worthy Patron	
Eunice Delphia	Kitchener A	ssociate Matron	

Venice Frankie Cushing	Secretary
Mary Gardner Tripp T	reasurer
Helen Mary Wentworth	aductress
Amy Jane Clark	iductress
Rosalia Church	Adah
Edna Belle Kendall	Rnth
Kate Elizabeth Baker	Esther
Florence Adele Wilson	. Martha
Effle Scott Vance	Electa
Cora May Sutton	. Warder
Elizabeth Wardwell	Sentinel
Sarah Cassidy	Chaplain
Kate Russell Pierson	. Marshal

PAST MATRONS.

Sarah Cassidy, Kate Russell Pierson, Mary Agnes Vance, Carrie Hazeltine Bassett. Martha Jane Starratt, Elizabeth Wardwell, Abigail Donaldson.

PAST PATRONS.

Henry Maddern, Henry Haven.

MEMBERS.

Abbott, Emma Avery, Mary Lucinda Bassett, James Madison Braun, Louisa Strohm Britton, Florence Eastland Britton, John Alexander Haven, Emily Pangborn Cameron, Abbie Hough- Hiney, Amy Jane Cameron, Hugh Malcom Hornick, Harriet Hono- Muller, Bettie Charlota Cassidy, Richard Champion, Bethulia Church, Lincoln Sheri-Cobbledick, Linda Ruth- Kendall, Alpheus erford Cushing, Frank Worthy Dakes, Priscilla Jannie Drew, Lida Cogswell Dynes, Inez Camilla Dynes, William Henry Ellis, Jessie Margaret

Hadley, Isabelle Anna Hadley, Marquis De La. Meek, Mary Emma fayette Hanks, Beatrice Hart, Alice Loninia Hart, Edward Henry Hiney, William Hunt, Georgie Kellum, Hannah Lanyon, Joseph Henry Leake, Vinnie Luett Leber, Albert Lewis Leber, Laura "I" Lightner, Estelle Mary

Manuel Walter Griswold Meek, Rodolph Wallace Moore, Nellie Blythe Moseley, Mary Ann Mott, Catherine Anne Mott, Nellie Montague Mott. Susie Weber Muller, Amelia Louisa Naismith, Alice Maria Howland, Mary Wadleigh Naismith, George Temple Page, Mary Jane Palmer, James Irving Pearse, Grace Mignonette Pierson, Willard Hubble Pope, Olive Andrews Poulter, Emily Eda Rosebro, Marie Savage, Sarah Eureka Maddern, Melissa Ophelia Shannon, Ada Castilla Manuel, Emilie Veronica Shannon, James Madison.

Sharpe, Gertrude Marilla	Towle, John Francis	White, Clara Anna
Small, James	Tripp, Whitcomb Gardne	rWhite, John Gurney
Stombs, Alice Albertine	Tucker, Lucinda Cathe-	Williams, John
Sutton, William	rine	Williams, Lena
Thompson, Pauline Wat	- Twombly, Charles Henry	Wilson, Adelbert
kins	Twombly, Mary Margare	tWilson, Mary Elizabeth
Tillson, Fred Minot	Walton, Norine Bell	Wise, Adelaide Alice
Tillson, Mary Sedelia	Warner, Elon Lafayette	Wise, Clark
Towle, Alice Gertrude	Wentworth, Ira Martin	

AFFILIATED.

Pearse, Susan Smellie

Tucker, Samuel Gile

DECEASED.

Pearse, Susan Smellie

Tucker, Samuel Gile

MIRAMONTE CHAPTER, No. 141.

Mountain View, Santa Clara County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Wednesdays of each Month.

officers.			
Mary Angeline Berry			
Henry Andrew Rengstorff	Worthy Patron		
Mary Elizabeth Gorton			
Nellie Stuart Baker Rengstorff	Secretary		
Jacob "S" Mockbee	Treasurer		
Mary Alice Frink	Conductress		
Mary Josephine Trulson	Associate Conductress		
Ella Andrian	Adah		
Janet Marina Cutter	Ruth		
Emma Hushbeck	Esther		
Stella Hannah Clark	Martha		
Emma Mockbee	Electa		
Ernest Leroy Berry			
Andrew Jackson Dexter	Sentinel		
Mary Jane Berry	Chaplain		
Mary Elizabeth Martin	Marshal		
Bessie Louise Gates			

MEMBERS.

Berry, Cyrus Philbrick
Cutter, John Jay
Outter, Laura Minerva
Dunshee, Cornelius Ed-
ward

Emerson, Frank Lincoln Fackrell, Sarah R. Emerson, Grace May Bryant Emerson, Horatio Bates Halsey, Clara Louise Emerson, Orissa Ann

Frink, Daniel Benjamin Gorton, Barton Hezekiah Hushbeck, Harry

Jones, Sulie Farrow Kircher, Christine Kleckner, Madison Mon- Muender, Rudolph Lauer, Mary Louise

Merrill, Albert Henry

Merrill, Mollie Slater Muender, Charlotte Rengstorff, Christine Frederica

Rengstorff, Elise Matilda Stickles, Elizabeth Hyde Trulson, Houken Weilheimer, Henry Weilheimer, Samuel "E"

COPA DEL ORO CHAPTER, No. 142.

Redlands, San Bernardino County.

Stated Meetings, Third Monday of each Month.

OFFICERS.		
Sarah Madeline Deck	Worthy Matron	
James Albert Stone	Worthy Patron	
Mary Emma Drake	Associate Matron	
Lena Frances Dague	Secretary	
Mary Lucretia Hart		
Laura Etta Bailey	Conductress	
Annamara Tuck	Associate Conductress	
Norma Noble Waldo		
Mary Eliza Stone	Ruth	
Annie Violet Ladd	Esther	
Sarah Frances Ralls	Martha	
Rebecca Clock	Electa	
Charles Frederick Bailey	Warder	
Thomas Benton Reeder	Sentinel	
Nellie Fowler		
Alice Mabel Richardson		
Lydia Brown	Organist	

MEMBERS.

Edwards, John William Brown, Charles Milton Chamblin, Huldah Jane Ellis, Louise Sargent Chamblin, Wilbur New- Fowler, Frank L. Golden, John William ton Golden, Miranda Clark, Lucille Violante Clock, Charles Livingston Hobart, Charles "H" Painter, Edwin Thomas Cook, Caro Marie Day, Kate Maria Painter, Lucy Poundstone, Jacob Deck, Lewis de Leon, Zelma Leontine Richardson, Frank Ed-Drake, James Frederick ward Eaton, Clement Hand

Simpson, May Simpson, William Clark Stearns, Augustus George Stearns, Eliza Stefan, Frederick Joseph Suess, Otto George Thaxter, George Clinton Williams, Lucie Thommana Williams, Silas Young, John Henry

NORWALK CHAPTER, No. 143.

Norwalk, Lcs Angeles County.

Stated Meetings, Tuesday following each Full Moon.

OFFICERS.

Sarah Loretta Mason Worthy Matron William Alford Sackett Worthy Patron Eudolpha Johnston Associate Matron George Reed Frampton Secretary John Samuel Baker Treasurer Edith Frances Swigart Conductress Julia May Baker Associate Conductress Francelia DeWitt Adah Cora Dell Hargitt Ruth Sarah Elizabeth Orr Esther Mary Francis Courtney Martha Mahala Melvina Sackett Electa Sarah Ann Frampton Sentinel Maranda Melvina Sackett Chaplain Pleasant Andrew Brown Marshal Kate Anna Brown Organist		OFFICERIO.
Eudolpha JohnstonAssociate MatronGeorge Reed FramptonSecretaryJohn Samuel BakerTreasurerEdith Frances SwigartConductressJulia May BakerAssociate ConductressFrancelia DeWittAdahCora Dell HargittRuthSarah Elizabeth OrrEstherMary Francis CourtneyMarthaMahala Melvina SackettElectaSarah Ann FramptonWarderCharles Cole MasonSentinelMaranda Melvina SackettChaplainPleasant Andrew BrownMarshal	Sarah Loretta Mason	
George Reed Frampton Secretary John Samuel Baker Treasurer Edith Frances Swigart Conductress Julia May Baker Associate Conductress Francelia DeWitt Adah Cora Dell Hargitt Ruth Sarah Elizabeth Orr Esther Mary Francis Courtney Martha Mahala Melvina Sackett Electa Sarah Ann Frampton Warder Charles Cole Mason Sentinel Maranda Melvina Sackett Chaplain Pleasant Andrew Brown Marshal		
John Samuel Baker.TreasurerEdith Frances Swigart.ConductressJulia May BakerAssociate ConductressFrancelia DeWitt.AdahCora Dell HargittRuthSarah Elizabeth Orr.EstherMary Francis Courtney.MarthaMahala Melvina SackettElectaSarah Ann FramptonWarderCharles Cole MasonSentinelMaranda Melvina SackettChaplainPleasant Andrew BrownMarshal	Eudolpha Johnston	Associate Matron
Edith Frances Swigart. Julia May Baker Associate Conductress Francelia DeWitt Adah Cora Dell Hargitt Ruth Sarah Elizabeth Orr Esther Mary Francis Courtney Martha Mahala Melvina Sackett Electa Sarah Ann Frampton Warder Charles Cole Mason Sentinel Maranda Melvina Sackett Chaplain Pleasant Andrew Brown Marshal	George Reed Frampton	Secretary
Julia May BakerAssociate ConductressFrancelia DeWittAdahCora Dell HargittRuthSarah Elizabeth OrrEstherMary Francis CourtneyMarthaMahala Melvina SackettElectaSarah Ann FramptonWarderCharles Cole MasonSentinelMaranda Melvina SackettChaplainPleasant Andrew BrownMarshal	John Samuel Baker	Treasurer
Francelia DeWitt. Adah Cora Dell Hargitt Ruth Sarah Elizabeth Orr. Esther Mary Francis Courtney. Martha Mahala Melvina Sackett Electa Sarah Ann Frampton Warder Charles Cole Mason Sentinel Maranda Melvina Sackett Chaplain Pleasant Andrew Brown Marshal	Edith Frances Swigart	Conductress
Cora Dell HargittRuthSarah Elizabeth Orr.EstherMary Francis Courtney.MarthaMahala Melvina SackettElectaSarah Ann FramptonWarderCharles Cole MasonSentinelMaranda Melvina SackettChaplainPleasant Andrew BrownMarshal	Julia May Baker	Associate Conductress
Sarah Elizabeth Orr.EstherMary Francis Courtney.MarthaMahala Melvina Sackett.ElectaSarah Ann Frampton.WarderCharles Cole Mason.SentinelMaranda Melvina SackettChaplainPleasant Andrew BrownMarshal		
Sarah Elizabeth Orr.EstherMary Francis Courtney.MarthaMahala Melvina Sackett.ElectaSarah Ann Frampton.WarderCharles Cole Mason.SentinelMaranda Melvina SackettChaplainPleasant Andrew BrownMarshal	Cora Dell Hargitt	Ruth
Mahala Melvina SackettElectaSarah Ann FramptonWarderCharles Cole MasonSentinelMaranda Melvina SackettChaplainPleasant Andrew BrownMarshal		
Sarah Ann Frampton	Mary Francis Courtney	Martha
Charles Cole Mason	Mahala Melvina Sackett	
Charles Cole Mason	Sarah Ann Frampton	
Pleasant Andrew Brown		
	Maranda Melvina Sackett	Chaplain
Kate Anna BrownOrganist	Pleasant Andrew Brown	
	Kate Anna Brown	Organist

MEMBERS.

Baker, Elizabeth	Emery, Charles	Martin, Lizzie
Cohn, Yette	Emery, Saida Victoria	McCarrie, Franklin
Coleman, Lizzie	Frampton, Walter Nelson	nMcIliroy, John James
Courtney, Joseph Ed-	Fraser, Margaret D.	Orr, William Warren
ward	Gillespie, Edwin Grant	Purdy, Julia Maria
Custer, Harrison K.	Gillespie, Ella Jane	Randall, Emma
Dawson, Elizabeth Your	gHay, James	Randall, Wallace
Dillman, Thomas Milton	Holgate, Schofield	Settle, Mattie "E"
Duncan, Garnett	Johnston, Darius David	Sproul, Louise May
Eliot, Eliza Jane	Martin, Frank Emerson	Sproul, William Charles
Eliot, James Smith		

DIMITTED.

Clark, George Crook

Clark, Louise May

LYRA CHAPTER, No. 144.

Whittier, Los Angeles County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Saturdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.			
Fannie Cole Thompson	Worthy Matron		
George "C" Lawhead			
Elizabeth Mary Thomas			
Nathan D. Ellis			
Harriet Allison			
Mahalah Woodson Horney			
Ella Way			
Sarah Ann Swain			
Elizabeth Ellis	Ruth		
Maggie Mary Maud Gwin	Esther		
Catherine Louisa Cox			
Clara Belie Lawhead			
Gilbert Harvey Horney			
Frederick Thompson	Sentinel		
Olive Ann Davis			
Charles Henry Butterfield			
Harriet Allison			
MEMBERS.			
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Allen, Milo	Hash, Joseph Bonham	McCor
Allen, Janette F.	Hayes, Marcia Marcella	O'Har
Allison, Sidney Mortimer	Hiatt, William Macy	Scales,
Burgess, Mary Frances	Livingston, Charles Pal-	Slyder
Butterfield, Mary Ellen	mer	Swain
Cox, George Washington	Livingston, Mary Cor-	Towns
Gwin, Ancil	nelia	Way, I
Gwin, Mabel	Mason, Priscilla Louisa	

McCormick, Clara
O'Harra, Mary Elizabeth
Scales, Elizabeth Jane
Slyder, Susie Dow
Swain, Arthur William
Towne, Alice May
Way, Robert B.

DIMITTED.

Litton, Jennie

Thomas, Alice Edith

JASMINE CHAPTER, No. 145.

Azusa, Los Angeles County.

Stated Meetings, Fourth Friday of each Month.

OFF:	CERS.
Mary Emma McCutchan	Worthy Matron
Thomas Francis Griswold	Worthy Patron
Hannah Mary Huber	

Hugh Henry McCutchan. Henry Nichols Smith. Mattie Canavan. Sue Albertha Fraisher. Frankie "T" Graham Loma Ada Elliott Anna Wiggins Smith. May Evangeline Griswold Lavinia "S" Griswold. Julia Cole. George Washington Juden Winfield Scott Cole.	Creasurer aductress aductressAdahRuthEstherMarthaElectaWarder .Sentinel
George Washington Juden Winfield Scott Cole Edith May Lee Claude Melnotte Fraisher	Chaplain . Marshal

MEMBERS.

Burt, Orella Inez Burt, Oscar Marchal Calvert, Ella Lee Calvert, John William Canavan, Thomas Fraisher, Robert Love

Huber, Orlando Henry Lee, Charles Henry Lee, Virginia Ann Noel, John Thomas

Pierson, nee Nofsinger, Gertrude Bentley Robertson, Belle Lupton, George William Smith, Harriet Wiggins Metcalfe, James Arthur Turner, Fannie Elizabeth Wade, Willard J.

DELANO CHAPTER, No. 146.

Delano, Kern County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each Month.

officers.			
Anna Maria Metzger			
Jennie Livingston Robertson	Associate Matron		
Martha Ann Schlitz	Secretary		
Bertha Fannie Kramer	Treasurer		
Nora May Darling			
Olive Edith Thomas	Associate Conductress		
Tharissa Lucretia Allen			
Georgia Viola Gay			
Juanita Beryl Miller, nee Schlit	z		
	Electa		
Sarah Elida Smith			
Christian William Cline	Sentinel		
Nellie S. Coverdale	Chaplain		
	Marshal		
Alfred Ramey	Organist		

PAST MATRON.

Anna Maria Metzger.

MEMBERS.

Allen, Marcus D.	Robinson, James Bartlett	t Withrow, John Russell
Funston, James	Schlitz, John Jacob	Zimmerman, Henry
Gay, Frances Viola	Sides, Effie	David
Kramer, Alexander Same	s Thomas, Benjamin	Zimmerman, Mabel Au-
Metzger, Elias Burgess	Withrow, Ella Maria	gusta

PEARL CHAPTER, No. 147.

Compton, Los Angeles County.

Stated Meetings, Monday Evening of each Month before and after Stated Meeting of Anchor Lodge, No. 273, F. & A. M.

OFFICERS.			
Mary E. Carpenter			
Amador F. Coltrin	Worthy Patron		
Augusta Mayo	Associate Matron		
William A. Gaines	Secretary		
William H. Carpenter	Treasurer		
M. Ellen Coltrin	Conductress		
Frances Page	Associate Conductress		
Mabel Mayo			
Elizabeth H. Gaines			
Mary Bullis	Esther		
Katie A. Harbell			
Fannie V. Robinson	Electa		
George Raycraft			
Thomas Robinson	Sentinel		

MEMBERS.

Bullis, ()mri	
Harhall	William	Ħ

Peck, Alfred M. Shaffer, Cornelia

Shaffer, John Talamantes, Alfred R.

MARTHA CHAPTER, No. 148.

OF NEVADA.

Wadsworth, Washoe County, Nevada,

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Fridays of each Month.

OFFICERS.		
Josephine Beemer		
Thomas Lloyd Bellam	Worthy Patron	
Rosenna Hampton	Aggaciata Matron	

Lilly Caroline Hettenhau	sen	Secretary
Henrietta Clippinger		Treasurer
Nellie Gertrude Cobb		Conductress
Nellie Van Horn		Associate Conductress
Anna Macpherson		
Alice Short		Ruth
		Esther
		Martha
Mary Ann Short		Electa
Frank C. Hampton		Sentinel
Annie Bridges		Marshal
		Organist
MEMBERS.		
Bailey, Susan	Fairbanks, George B.	Kline, Martin
Beemer, Chas. Alfred	Fowler, Edwin	Lewis, Mabel C.
Bellam, Edith Rose	Fowler, Emma Jane	Macpherson, Geo. Arm-
Boling, Mary	Geery, Mary Ann	strong
U , U	Gleason, William Henry	Mieander, Anna
ious	Hettenhausen, Etta	Spiedel, Wilhelmine
Cowles, Emma Elbertine	,	Walker, John Thomas
Cowies, Emma Emerane	vacaman, sennie may	WHITOI, SOUR THOMAS

DIMITTED.

Smith, Kate Rebecca

Dunlop, William

Voorhees, Estella

Voorhees, Frank Leslie

DEL NORTE CHAPTER, No. 149.

Crescent City, Del Norte County.

Stated Meetings, First and Third Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Florence May Patty	Worthy Matron
Granville Franklin Foster	
Laura Edgarine Shipman	Associate Matron
Greenleaf Curtis	
Lu Anna Marhoffer	Treasurer
Mary Adele Curtis	Conductress
Emma Caroline Harper	Associate Conductress
Ethel Margaret Hughes	
Julia Edna Caughell	Ruth
Alice Mason Edwards	
Margaret Elizabeth Marhoffer	Martha
Emma Alice Lauff	

Hugh Maxwell Jane Tack Kate Mason		
	MEMBERS.	
Brooking, James	Hughes, Henry Franklin	a Maxwell, Emma
Brooking, Helen Kustel, Cassimer Beringer McVey, Letsy		r McVey, Letsy
Childs, John Leon	Kustel, Clara Matilda	Patty, Talbot Wesley
Crawford, Ora Ella	Lauff, Oscar Bengua	Peveler, Cecelia Jose-
Curtis, Mary Precilla	Lind, Frank	phine
DePuy, Anson Augustus	Lipowitz, Ellen Asenath	Schwartz, John William
DePuy, Hattie	Lipowitz, Ellen Marie	Tack, Margaret Wall
Elwell, Phylander Leigh-	Magruder, Elibeus Nelso	nVorlander, Christine D.
ton	Magruder, Ethelred	Woodbury, Eila
Elwell, Sarah Catherine	Lundy	Woodbury, William Har-
Glidden, Elinor	Magruder, Helen	rison
Glidden, John "D"	Marhoffer, Anne Reynold	sWulf, William Francis
Hamilton, Margaret Olive)	

DIMITTED.

Kustel, Annie Cecelia

LODI CHAPTER, No. 150.

Lodi, San Joaquin County.

Stated Meetings, First Thursday after Full Moon.

OFFICERS,		
Nellie Frances Norton	Worthy Matron	
Charles Willis Norton	Worthy Patron	
Nellie Eva LeMoin	Associate Matron	
Florence Olive Huffman	Secretary	
Rebecca Jane lvory		
Anna Sollars	Conductress	
Sarah Victoria Sutherland	Associate Conductress	
Florence Adele Chase		
Lillie Ferdun		
Helen Emily Cary	Esther	
Georgia Carleton Lillie	Martha	
Mary Burchard		
Addie "J" Chase		
John Millard Blodgett	Sentinel	

Emily Whitfield Colman		
Lydia Belle Cogswell		Marshal
Clara May Axtell		Organist
	MEMBERS.	
Barbour, Nathan Roswell	Foster, George Albert	Huffman, James Doctor
Barbour, Nellie Joseph-	Foster, May	LeMoin, George Worley
ine	Friedberger, Alexander	McSherry, Mary
Burchard, Edwy Adelbert Cary, Daisy Blanche	Valentine Ferdun, Charles Marsh-	Plummer, Isaac P. Reynolds, Martha Jane
Cary, Fred Grant	man	Sanborn, Horatio Wallace
Cary, Marie	Gillespie, Amanda Fran-	Shidy, Jennie Cornell
Cogswell, Francis	COS	Smith, Malissa
Colman, Emily Drinker	Gillespie, Luman Oscar	Sollars, Charles
Colman, Frederick Wil-	Greenwell, George	Tindell, Fannie
liam	Greenwell, Mary Olive	Tindell, Pleasant Hay
Earle, George Tristram	Huffman, Eliza Melissa	Wright, Isabelle
Earle, Mary		
DIMITTED.		

CHISPA CHAPTER, No. 151.

Kettelman, Rebecca Bell

Anaheim, Orange County.

Stated Meetings, Monday before and Monday after regular Masonic Meeting of each Month.

	CERS.
Sarah Jane McFadden	
William "M" McFadden	Worthy Patron
	Associate Matron
	Secretary
	Treasurer
Alma Mary Owen	Associate Conductress
	Ruth
Catherine Drucilla Bourland	
Jennie Debora Lane	Martha
Edith Louisa Clark	Electa
Henry William Chynoweth	
	Sentinel
Ida Josephine Groat	Chaplain
Edward Russell Amerige	,
Florence Rose East	Organist

MEMBERS.

Amlin, John L. Minor, Jeanie Russell Simpson, nee Baker,
Champion, Joseph Austin Perdomo, Annie ArrowClark, George Crook smith Stanton, Philip Ackley
McCollum, Ephriam Pierce, nee Foster, Mary J. Ware, Edward Septimus
Warren

SILVER STATE CHAPTER, No. 152,

OF NEVADA.

Winnemuces, Humboldt County, Nevada.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Saturdays of each Month:

OFFICERS.	
Susie B. Robins	Worthy Matron
George Stuart Nixon	Worthy Patron
	Associate Matron
	Secretary
Katherine Diehl	Treasurer
Kate Nixon	Conductress
	Associate Conductress
Kathleen Shone	
Inez Laveaga	
	Esther
Malvina Hill	Martha
Helen Mar Flint	Electa
James P. Hurst	Sentinel
Jean Miller	Chaplain
Mamie Nease	
Martha M. Krenkel	Organist

PAST MATRON.

Elizabeth B. Flint.

MEMBERS.

Bannister, Eliza	Cheek, William Alonzo	Hanson, Mary
Behan, Ella	Clark, Hattie	Hanson, Thomas Claren-
Behan, Frank	Dean, William Bailey	don
Berk, J. George	Duncan, Johanna	Hill, James
Berk, Louise	Fellows, Frank M.	Hurst, Lizzie
Canady, Florence B.	Fellows, Hannah	Kitto, Maud Muller
Canady, S. E.	Funk, Celia	Kitto, Samuel H.
Case, Clara	Funk, William Peter	Krenkel, Gus. A.

Laveaga, Isabel M. Line, Edward H. Line, Kate Nease, Gilbert H. Nofsinger, F. Marion

Krenkel, Marie

Nofsinger, Ida Nofsinger, Rebecca Oliver, Cyrus H. Poulin, Clair Poulin, Felix Reinhart, Marie

Reinhart, Moses Robins, Frank C. Shone, Thomas Trewick, Archibald Wolf, Chris.

DECEASED.

Trewick, Jennie Graham

MT. SHASTA CHAPTER, U. D.

Anderson, Shasta County.

Stated Meetings on the Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.	
Sade Ellen Stevenson	Worthy Matron
Joseph Parker Burbank	
Agnes Josephine Muller	
Lily Jones Bedford	Secretary
Louisa Catherine Burbank	
Frances Harriet Shanahan	Conductress
Ella Virginia Bedford	Associate Conductress
Lottie Elma Bystle	
Hattie Grout	Ruth
Julia Hawkins	Esther
	Martha
Edith Adella Creighton	Electa
Adolph Bystle	Sentinel

PAST MATRONS.

Sade Ellen Stevenson, Agnes Josephine Muller.

MEMBERS.

Bedford, James Franklin Fickas, Polly Ellen Fickas, Adam

Peerman

Haineline, Mamie Reynolds, Bertha M.

Haineline, Charles Grant

DIMITTED.

Reed, Flora

Voorhies, Nellie

ESCONDIDO CHAPTER, U. D.

Escondido, San Diego County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Tuesdays of each Month.

OFFICERS.		
Eliza Ann Andrew		
William Edmund Steinbach		
Emma Leora Steinbach	Associate Matron	
Mary Bettie Phillips	Secretary	
Florence Adelaide Ramey	Treasurer	
Agnes Shupp	Conductress	
Olive Belsina Jenkins		
Eva E. Petitt		
Nellie Lloyd Worth		
Jessie Churchill	Esther	
Lena Denny		
Betsy Ann Churchill		
Henry C. Ray		
George Randolph JenkensSentinel		
George Hendra AndrewChaplain		
Andrew Phillips		
Maud Lavinia BlethenOrganist		
MEMBERS.		
Commo, Louisa Green Dickson, John Charl	es Parkhurst, Perrin	
Charles, Alice Worth Jereslaw, William	Ramey, William Luther	
Dickson, Jennie	•	
DIMITTED.		
Leitch, Maggie		

MISSION CHAPTER, U. D.

San Francisco, San Francisco County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Saturdays of each Month, in Mission Masonic Temple, No. 2668 Mission St.

OFFICERS.		
Mary Lang Farmer	Worthy Matron	
Henry Chase Bunker	Worthy Patron	
Virginia Fischer	Associate Matron	
Mary Garton Foster	Secretary	
Sarah Maria Flack	Treasurer	
Louise Ponder	Conductress	
Ellen Wilson	Associate Conductress	

Bertha Hermann	Adah
Harriet Ann McPhun ,	Ruth
Gertrude Taber	Esther
Luzerne Smith	Martha
Gertrude Elsine Wolfe	Electa
Lizzie Plymire	Warder
James Edward Parmelee	Sentinel
Adam Beck	Chaplain
Alice Frances Hickie	Marshal
Hattie Fischer Christenson	Organist

PAST MATRONS.

Mary Lang Farmer, Mary Garton Foster. Elizabeth Phillips, Emma Eva Goodman. Margaret Belva Searles.

PAST PATRONS

Fredrick Watson Foster, Joseph Goodman.

MEMBERS.

Alexander, Rose Martha Harper, Lizzie Olive Alger, Flora Julia Allen, Richard Spicer Ayers, Marilda Jane Beck, Kate Benedict, Ada Viola Benedict, Charles Edward Kelly, Elsie Augusta Burns, Mary Augusta Christenson, Andrew Christenson, Elizabeth Cox, Alexander Middleton Levis, Alice Cox, Sarah Ann Elam, Mary Elam, Thomas Fairfield, Estella May Flack, George Daniel Flack, Jane Elizabeth Flack, Minnie Maria Ford, Alice Gabbs, Clara Clinton Gabbs, Lily Olivia Gitsham, Charles Gitsham, Lizzie Godwin, Myrtle Leona Hale, Mary Jane Hammit, May

Harper, Olive Anna Hermann, Augusta Amanda Hickie, Peter William Janes, Harriet Keyston, James Woods Keyston, Leila Ada Killgore, Robert Read Marsh, Fannie Varina Marsh, John Alfred McCall, Elvin Carlile McCall, Irene Gertrude McCall, Sarah Jane McCall, William McCarty, Lilla Phelps McCarty, Louis Phillip McDonald, Letitia McKnew, Anna Marie McKnew, Henry Lee McPhun, William Morse, Sarah Myrick O'Keefe, Mary Ordway, Matilda Martha

Ordway, William Chase Plymire, David Brandley Plymire, Maybelle Ponder, John Henry Powis, Abbie Savage, Grace Isabel Savage, Kate Scott, Mary Gould Scull. Clara Eddell Sibley, Levi Smith, Ida Hotchkiss Spaulding, HoraceReuben Spaulding, Lillian Irene Steinbühler, Olivia Taber, Charles Wesley Thomson, Minnie Susan Thomson, William Tobias Tinker, Mollie McCarty Trevivick, William George Waterhouse, Columbus Wilson, James Andrew Wing, Isabella Marshall Wolfe, Clarence Navarre Zollmer, Katie

ARGENTA CHAPTER, U. D.

OF NEVADA.

Virginia City, Storey County, Nevada.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Mondays of each Month.

OFFICERS.				
Adele Curtis Clemons	Worthy Matron			
James Gordon Wood	Worthy Patron			
Mary Elizabeth Talbot	Associate Matron			
Frances Brown	Secretary			
Hannah Bauman	Treasurer			
Anna Mary Warren	Conductress			
Nancy PionAsso	ciate Conductress			
Lizzie Rebecca Mudd				
Mildred Daisy Watkins	Ruth			
Ida Christina Beck	Esther			
Laura Louise Harper	Martha			
Kate McKim				
Rosalie Pohl				
Louis Lobenstein	Sentinel			
Cephas John McKim	Chaplain			
Jeanette Sharp	Marshal			
Mary Jane Mack	Organist			

PAST MATRON.

Adele Curtis Clemons.

MEMBERS.

Barclay, Annie	Lawrence, Beatrice Mary	Ritschy, Valentine
Barelay, William S.	Lawrence, Lydia	Robinson, William
Bauman, Jacob Philip	Levy, Carrie	Spencer, Sarah Aurilla
Beck, Hampton Sydney	Levy, Herman	Stephens, Annie
Brown, Mary Ann	Meacham, Attawa Ameli	iaStephens, William Wes-
Burns, Margaret	Meacham, Robert Seth	ton
Clemons, Hiram Maine	McCollough, Lyde	Stock, Lillian Elizabeth
Conboie, Joseph Anthon	yMudd, Minnie	Stock, Wenzl John
Demartini, Antonio	Pion, Alexander Peter	Vinson, Sarah D.
Demartini, Mary	Pohl, Cornelius B.	Wilcoxen, Agnes
Eckley, John Wheelan	Pollard, Amos Addison	Wilcoxen, Andrew Jack-
Greenwood, Emma Lo-	Pollard, Clara	son
raine	Rauhut, Pauline	Wills, Anna
Harris, Elias Bramon	Reik, John	Winnie, Jacob Edwin
Jackson, Robert M.	Reik, Rosa	Zeigler, Cassie W.
King, Manuel		

PENRHYN CHAPTER, U. D.

Penryn, Placer County.

Stated Meetings, Second Friday in May, June, July, August, September and October; Second and Fourth Friday in November, December, January, February, March and April.

OFFICERS,				
Mary Samuel French	n			
Charles Martin	n			
Ella Ann Owens Associate Matro				
Clifton Gilman LaversSecretar	У			
Robert William Roberts				
Mary Matilda LairdConductres	38			
Emily Jane Cushing	n			
Agnes Sarah LaversAda				
Anna Maria TullyRut				
Sarah Roberts Esthe	3 T			
Varra Leora Francis	8			
Jennie Neth EckhardtElect	a			
John Powell	er			
James Edward FrenchSenting	el			
James Anderson TullyChaplai	n			
Samuel Clark Laird Marsh	al			
Fanny Blanche SmithOrgania	st			

MEMBERS.

Cushing, John Henry

Francis, Joseph

KING SOLOMON'S CHAPTER, U. D.

San Francisco, San Francisco County.

Stated Meetings, Second and Fourth Thursdays of each Month, in Franklin Hall, No. 1839 Fillmore St.

OFFICERS.	
Olive Hunt Schmidt	Worthy Matron
Arthur Macdonald Blade	Worthy Patron
Martha E. Blade	Associate Matron
Linea Lincoln Bachr	Secretary
Sophie Athearn	Treasurer
Nancy Annette Wood	Conductress
Cora Edna Watters	Associate Conductress
Alma Elizabeth Bottomley	Adah
Celia Mildred Bottomley	

Martha Lucille Wrenn	Esther
Mae Frank O'Keeffe	Martha
Melissa Gordon McConkey	. Electa
Virginia Isabell Bottomley	
George Charles Dawson (member at large)	lentinel
William Filmer	haplain
Jane Dawson	Iarshal

PAST MATRON.

Alma Elma Keith.

MEMBERS.

Baehr, Harry	Jones, Letitia	Reynolds, Johnson
Bottomley, Eliza Ann	Jones, Ottowell Wood	Schmidt, Valentine
Bottomley, Liberty Hal-	•	Spaulding, James Gar-
sted	Murgatroyd, Myrtle Mary	•
DeWitt, Sarah	Nickels, Adelia Helen	Watters, Lucius Carl
DeWitt, Thomas Byron	Nickels, Harry Leslie	Wood, Frederick Burr-
Franklin, Fannie M.	O'Keeffe, Daniel Joseph	age
Gunzendorfer, Gustave	Reynolds, Elizabeth	
Gunzendorfer, Minuie J	. Lavina	*.

OCCIDENT CHAPTER, U. D.

Downey, Los Angeles County.

Stated Meetings, First Saturday after Full Moon.

OFFICERS.				
Lida Tatum Crawford	Worthy Matron			
Delos Dewolf De Nure	Worthy Patron			
Mary Flora De Nure	Associate Matron			
Algernon Sidney Gray	Secretary			
John Henry Fredrick Ahlert	Treasurer			
Julia Harris	Conductress			
Mattie Corrinne Rowley	Associate Conductress			
Grace Louisa Ahlert				
Roberta Lee East				
Hattie Eliza Shanker	Esther			
Laura Dawson Gray	Martha			
Effie Nora Shanker	Electa			
Amanda Caruthers				
Julius Harris Ardis	Sentinel			

MEMBERS.

Caruthers, William East, George Earl Harris, Ranse Bird Mitchell, Parley Chap-

Rowley, Qintin John

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GALT CHAPTER, U. D.

Galt, Sacramento County.

Stated Meetings, Saturday before Full Moon of each Month.

OFFICERS.				
Alice Latourrette				
Samuel Carter McClaugh	ry			
Lillie Kreeger		Associate Matron		
Lola Grace Gwin		Secretary		
John Brewster		Treasurer		
Jessamine Unitah Gwin		Conductress		
Media Baldwin		Associate Conductress		
Edith May Henley				
Reba L. Thompson, of V	Voodbridge, No. 118	Ruth		
Alice B. Cogswell, of Woodbridge, No. 118 Esther		Esther		
Margaretta Dreusilla Smith		Martha		
Jennie Viola Gwin		Electa		
Vicie Thompson				
Thomas M. Barnhart		Sentinel		
Sabrina Catherine Barnhart				
Kitty Evelyn Brewster		Organist		
MEMBERS.				
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Gwin, John Francis	Keeber, Sarah Elizabeth			
Henley, Elishu Shields	Krieger, Solomon	Noble, Elizabeth		

Gwin, John Francis
Henley, Elishu Shields
Holdsworth, Jesse Ben-
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Keeber, Sarah Elizabeth Miles, Ralph A.
Krieger, Solomon Noble, Elizabeth
Latourrette, Paredes Ham-Short, James Madison
lin Thompson, James Henry

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.

To the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of the State of California:

Your Committee on Foreign Correspondence respectfully submit the following report. We have reviewed the proceedings of twenty-nine Grand Chapters, to wit:

ArkansasNovember	16,	1896	NebraskaJune	2,	1896
ColoradoJune	3,	1896	New HampshireSept.	8,	1896
ConnecticutOctober	14,	1896	New Jersey Sept.	21,	1896
District of Columbia. April	30,	1896	New York June	9,	1896
IllinoisOctober	13,	1896	North DakotaJune	11,	1896
IndianaApril	22,	1896	Ohio October	28,	1896
Indian Territory. August	13,	1896	OregonJune	8,	1896
IowaOctober	28,	1896	Pennsylvania November	17,	1896
Kansas May	13,	1896	Rhode IslandOctober	14,	1896
MaineSeptember	10,	1896	South Dakota May	19,	1896
MichiganOctober	14,	1896	TexasOctober	13,	1896
Massachusetts May	14,	1896	VermontJune	3,	1896
MinnesotaMay	13,	1896	WashingtonJune	11,	1896
Missouri August	25,	1896	WisconsinFebruary	19,	1896
MontanaSeptember	18,	1896	•		

ARKANSAS.

The Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star of Arkansas was held in Odd Fellows' Hall in the city of Little Rock, November 16, 1896.

All of the Grand Officers except three were present, as were many Past Grand Officers, fifteen Deputy Grand Matrons, eleven Grand Patrons, and representatives from seventy-nine Chapters.

Among the honored guests were, Sister Nettie Ransford, P. M. W. G. M., and Bro. Willis D. Engle, P. R. W. G. Sec. of the General Grand Chapter.

The address of the Grand Matron gives evidence of the true spirit which prompted her official acts, and her words of counsel and encouragement will undoubtedly strengthen the Order in this jurisdiction. Although deprived of the privilege of visiting many of the Chapters, she has apparently accomplished much good through her correspondence and faithful deputies. She issued dispensations for the organization of ten new Chapters.

The Grand Patron visited many Chapters, and reports the Order in good condition. From his address I quote the following:

"The Masonic as well as the profane world is looking to us for the display of that genuine work which our noble Order was created to perform. Then, dear sisters and brothers, let us strive with more enthusiastic devotion to make it successful. Ours is a noble work; let us seek to understand it; let us grapple with its mysteries; think of the responsibilities, and appreciating the light we have, earnestly reach out for more. With a firm hand and strong heart, press forward until we are gathered home to that Grand Chapter above where the links of the chain are never broken."

The Grand Matron is presumedly the head of the Order in this State, but the Grand Patron makes all of the decisions. The following was not approved: "A Worthy Patron in good standing in his Chapter dimitting from his Lodge, disqualifies him from serving as Worthy Patron."

The Grand Secretary reports a total membership of 3,240. California is kindly mentioned in Report of Foreign Correspondence.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Jennie B. Hopkins, Worthy Grand Matron, Mabelvale. R. R. Lewis, Worthy Grand Patron, Mansfield. Mrs. Hetty Penn, Grand Secretary, Harrison.

COLORADO,

The Grand Chapter of Colorado convened in Masonic Temple, in the city of Denver, June 3, 1896.

Twelve Grand Officers, two Past Grand Officers and representatives of twenty-three of the twenty-six Chapters of the State were present.

The Grand Matron, an enthusiastic worker, as judged by her report, visited all but five of the Chapters. She decides that a special dispensation may not be granted to confer the degrees upon a lady, who cannot remain in one place long enough to claim a residence. And recommended that the secret work be printed in cipher, or that a printed copy be allowed each Chapter

as formerly, as the plan of oral instruction has been tried and pronounced a failure.

The Grand Chapter adopted the following law:

"The suspension or expulsion of a brother from a Masonic Lodge, for any cause, deprives him of all the rights of membership in the Order of the Eastern Star, until reinstated by the Masonic Lodge."

"A member of the Order, belonging to any of the Independent States, can visit and affiliate with our Chapters."

By special Deputies the Grand Patron instituted four Chapters. He reports much interest manifested and states that financial depression alone accounts for the absence of Chapters in many localities. Total membership, 2,007; net gain, 305.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Mary E. Peirce, Worthy Grand Matron, Denver. George D. Greenfield, Worthy Grand Patron, Leadville. Mrs. Eliza L. Cohen, Grand Secretary, Colorado Springs.

CONNECTICUT.

This Grand Chapter met in twenty-third annual session in Masonic Temple, New Haven, October 14, 1896.

Grand Matron, Mrs. Annie L. Wolcott, opened the Grand Chapter in Ample Form. Representatives of thirty-three Chapters were present.

The Grand Matron's address shows that she visited all but two Chapters, granted fourteen dispensations, and installed the officers of ten Chapters.

The Grand Patron reports the organization of two Chapters. Sickness and affliction prevented his visiting as he had anticipated at the beginning of the year. He says: "One reason of the success of our Order throughout the broad land is our endeavor to make it 'worthy of the support of all good Masons.' That it is worthy of and receiving that support there is no greater evidence than the fact of our meeting in this Lodge room today, and that here as well as elsewhere, what a few years ago was simple tolerance of the Eastern Star has been changed to hearty support and cordial co-operation." He urges the neces-

sity of same definite form for instituting and constituting Chapters.

The Grand Secretary's report shows thirty-three chartered and two U. D. Chapters. Total membership, 2673; net gain, 63.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Ida A. Fisk, Worthy Grand Matron, Hartford.

Wm. B. Hall, Worthy Grand Patron, Wallingford.

Mrs. Amelia E. Leeds, Worthy Grand Secretary, New Haven.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

The preliminary convention and first annual session of this Grand Chapter were held in the City of Washington, April 30, 1896.

The proceedings contain the portraits of the Grand Matron and Patron, also the constitution and by-laws of the Grand Chapter and list of officers and members in the six Chapters constituting the Grand Chapter.

The preliminary meeting was presided over by Sister Elmira Foley, Past Most Worthy Grand Matron, who also installed the elected officers.

The constitution provides for two stated sessions of this Grand Chapter during the year, the Grand Matron, as the executive head of the order, presiding. The Grand Lecturer is required to visit each Chapter in the jurisdiction at lease once in three months, to inspect and instruct the same. Total membership, 855.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Alcena Lamond, Worthy Grand Matron, Takoma Park. Mr. S. Cabell Williamson, Worthy Grand Patron, Washington.

Mr. W. E. Nalley, Grand Secretary, Brightwood.

ILLINOIS.

The Grand Chapter convened in twenty-second annual session in the city of Peoria, October 13, 1896. All Grand Officers, except the Grand Chaplain, present.

The Grand Matron accomplished an immense amount of work. She visited most of the Chapters, issued ninety-seven dispensations, made forty-eight decisions (all but one approved) and wrote three thousand four hundred and five letters and three hundred and twenty-five postal cards.

This jurisdiction is divided into five districts and schools of instruction were held in each, under the supervision of the Grand Matron, Grand Patron, and Grand Lecturer. The Grand Matron attended all of these meetings and reports them a decided success.

The Committee on Obituaries reports one hundred and fifty-four deaths.

The Grand Patron issued dispensations for forty-one Chapters, and very graciously ascribes to the Grand Matron the credit for the marked prosperity of the Order, but his report shows him to have been an able co-worker.

The secret work was ordered sent to Chapters U. D., but must be returned to the Grand Secretary at the expiration of sixty days.

The Home Committee report the purchase of a site for the Home, comprising twenty-eight acres of land, with a well-finished house of twelve rooms, located at Macon, paying therefor the sum of \$5,500. Of this amount individuals and Chapters have contributed \$1,116.63. The Home is to be known as "The Masonic and Eastern Star Home of Illinois." Total membership, 18,695; net gain, 2,457.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Jennie W. Freeman, Worthy Grand Matron, Sidell. N. D. Ricks, Worthy Grand Patron, Taylorville. Mrs. Sopha Clark Scott, Grand Secretary, Mattoon.

INDIANA.

The twenty-second annual session of the Grand Chapter of Indiana convened in Grand Lodge Hall, Indianapolis, April 22, 1896.

Owing to sudden and severe illness the Grand Matron, Sister Olive E. McGrew was unable to be present, and Sister Jennie F. Nye, Associate Grand Matron, opened the Grand Chapter in Ample Form. Representatives from one hundred and twenty-five chartered Chapters were present.

The address of the Grand Matron was read by Sister Augusta V. Hunter, P. G. M., and was a concise account of her official

acts, showing that she had most successfully served her jurisdiction. Her official visits number thirty-four, installed the officers of three Chapters and granted twenty-two special dispensations, and gave twenty-three decisions, all of which were approved by the Grand Chapter.

Grand Matron was authorized to send the Grand Lecturer to weak and struggling Chapters, the expense, not to exceed \$100, to be paid by the Grand Chapter.

The Grand Patron is an earnest and active worker, and confines his address to a business-like statement of duties performed. Twenty-six dispensations were issued from his office for new Chapters. Many questions were asked of him and answers given, but the Jurisprudence Committee calls the attention of the members to the fact that the opinion of the Grand Patron, in matters of law, has no more force than the opinion of any other equally enlightened member, as the Grand Matron only is vested with power to decide questions of law and usage.

The mileage of three representatives from each Chapter is paid by this Grand Chapter. Total membership, 8,940; increase, 1,265; \$3,986.71 in the treasury.

Sister Jennie Myerhoff reviews the proceedings of twenty-five Grand Chapters; California kindly mentioned.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Jennie T. Nye, Worthy Grand Matron, Laporte.

P. E. Hoss, Worthy Grand Patron, Kokomo.

Mrs. Nettie Ransford, Grand Secretary, Indianapolis.

INDIAN TERRITORY.

This Grand Chapter opened its seventh annual session in the city of Muskogee, Creek Nation, August 13, 1896.

The Grand Matron, Sister Mary M. Rogers, presided. Eleven of her officers were present, as were the representatives of eighteen chartered Chapters and two U. D.

By request of the Grand Patron unanimous consent was given to change the order of business and the degrees were conferred upon a number of influential Masons, living in localities where no Eastern Star Chapters existed. The present Grand Master and Grand Commander of Indian Territory were among the number thus received. The address of the Grand Matron is full of interest, showing that, with the aid of her Deputies, she has endeavored to uplift and strengthen the Order. Financial depression had hindered them much in their labors.

Grand Patron reports one Chapter instituted during the year. He offers some excellent suggestions in regard to the organization of Chapters. He shows his appropriation of the Order in these words: "When I look forward to the possibilities of our Order in this country, there arises a vision of usefulness which is not surpassed by that of any other organization. Our Chapters encourage the social relations among the families of Masons, make them better acquainted with each other, gives them a clearer understanding of the trials and troubles which burden the highest and lowest of the human race, and whenever the softening work of woman's hand is seen in Masonic halls the moral tone and ethical duties are elevated and inculcated to a greater extent."

Grand Secretary's tabulated statement shows the number of members to be 885.

Sister Perkins, Foreign Correspondent, in reviewing California proceedings, says: "The Grand Matron was no figure-head, for her report is a beauty and shows that she could have opened that Grand Chapter and rendered those decisions with credit to herself and honor to the Grand Chapter."

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Rebecca M. Swain, Worthy Grand Matron, Vinita, I. T. Leo E. Bennett, Worthy Grand Patron, Muskogee, I. T. Mrs. Carrie M. Perkins, Grand Secretary, O. T.

IOWA.

The nineteenth annual session of the Grand Chapter of Iowa met in Masonic Hall, in the city of Clinton, October 28, 1896.

Only one Grand Officer was absent. A kindly address of welcome was given by the Mayor of the city, and the Worthy Matron of Clinton Chapter, to which the Worthy Grand Patron responded.

The Grand Patron in his able address most heartily commends the pioneers of the Order in Iowa for their intelligent and persistent efforts in upbuilding an order whose growth within the past five years has been phenomenal.

He thinks too much leniency is shown visitors of Chapters by many examining committees, and that to avoid the admission of the unworthy, documentary evidence should be required in addition to the "test oath."

The Grand Matron, Sister Jennie A. Rule, has had a busy year. Her first duty being the appointing of five deputies, whom she called together early in the year, at Marshalltown, for thorough instruction and practice, so that they were able to go to their special fields of labor imparting the same ideas and plans of work, thus establishing uniformity, one of the great needs of the Order. She granted dispensations for twenty-one new Chapters and thirty-nine special dispensations, made nineteen decisions, and visited one hundred and four Chapters.

The total membership is 8,710. Net gain in chartered Chapters, 620; in Chapters U. D., 580. Cash in treasury, \$4,162.26.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Delia Meridith, Worthy Grand Matron, Newton. John Westley Geiger, Worthy Grand Patron, Marion. Mrs. Maria Jackson, Grand Secretary, Council Bluffs.

KANSAS.

The twentieth annual session of the Grand Chapter of Kansas convened in Kansas City, May 13, 1896, with Mendias Chapter, No. 1.

The original charter of this "Mother Chapter" bore the name of Mendias Constillation, dated July 28, 1856, with the signature of Robert Morris, Grand Luminary.

The Chapter hall was appropriately draped with the emblems of mourning in memory of the Grand Patron, Bro. John A. Regnell, who had been called to the Grand Chapter on high.

The Grand Matron, Sister Helen B. Farnsworth, upon being escorted to the East, made a few beautiful and touching remarks, and placed a tribute to his memory of handsome calla lilies upon the vacant chair. With three exceptions all Grand Officers were present, as were the representatives of ninety-three Chapters and many visitors.

The Grand Matron gives an interesting account of duties performed, plainly showing that "with privileges come responsibilities." She made thirty-one official visits, but wisely omits the usual account of banquets, presents, etc. She states that the Grand Chapter is expected, under pledge, to furnish the "Home" and contribute \$1,000 per annum for five years, to help pay the running expenses. The Grand Chapter voted \$1,101 toward the furnishing and requested the Chapters to contribute ten cents a member for the "Home Fund." June 24 was declared "Masonic Home Day," which day is to be devoted by the subordinate Chapters to the raising of money for the "Home."

The Associate Grand Patron read the uncompleted report of the Grand Patron, adding his tribute of love and appreciation of the departed Brother, in beautifully expressed language.

He cautions the members against the growing evil of electioneering in the Chapters.

Seventeen new Chapters have been organized during the year, and, in spite of some opposition, wonderful progress has been made. Total membership, 8,411.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Ellen A. Kenner, Worthy Grand Matron, Eureka. August Anderson, Worthy Grand Patron, Wichita. Mrs. Myra Mottram, Grand Secretary, Ottawa.

MAINE.

The Grand Chapter of this State assembled in its fourth annual session in the city of Lisbon Falls, September 10, 1896.

Seven of the Grand Officers were absent, including the Worthy Grand Patron, who had, early in the year, been called by business engagements to reside permanently in another State.

The meeting was called to order by the Grand Matron, Sister Jennie M. Stewart. The Committee on Credentials reported nineteen Chapters represented.

The address of acting Grand Patron, Algernon M. Roak, preceded that of the Grand Matron. Concerning the eight new Chapters which he organized during the year he says: "I expect great things of these Chapters, for they start out strong and healthy, decided in purpose, and eager and progressive in ideas." He

granted thirteen special dispensations and rendered five decisions. This is one of them: "A Master Mason's wife who had not attained the age of eighteen is not eligible to join the Eastern Star."

Peace and harmony prevail in the jurisdiction, as shown by the report of the Grand Matron. It was her privilege to visit nearly every Chapter, and could meetings have been called to accommodate her, all would have been visited.

She urges the necessity for the Grand Chapter to provide for the appointment of Deputy Grand Matrons.

A committee was appointed to revise the constitution. The report of the Committee on Foreign Correspondence is excellent, and reflects much credit upon Sister Annette H. Hooper, who kindly mentioned California. The total membership is 2,533. The net gain, 1,031. The balance in the treasury, \$814.70.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Annie M. Eaton, Worthy Grand Matron, Bangor. Algernon M. Roak, Worthy Grand Patron, Auburn. Mrs. Annette H. Hooper, Grand Secretary, Biddeford.

MASSACHUSETTS.

This Grand Chapter was opened in due form by the Grand Matron, Sister Carrie S. Fairbairn, in Association Hall, Worcester, May 14, 1896.

Sister Hattie E. Ewing, R. W. Asso. G. M. of the General Grand Chapter, whose home is in this State, was received and greeted with Grand Honors.

The Grand Matron presented a lengthy address, containing the reports of the District Deputy Grand Matrons, and a brief account of the General Grand Chapter. There were sixteen special dispensations granted from her office, and report is made of ten official visits, she having been accompanied by the Grand Marshal. I note also that the Deputies are each accompanied by a Deputy Grand Marshal on the occasion of their official visits. From these Deputies' reports it is shown that from two to ten rituals are owned by each Chapter, and despite the fact that there is a fine of five dollars for the loss of one ritual, eight were missing, but only one fine was paid.

The Grand Patron issued dispensations for four new Chapters. Among other decisions approved by the Grand Chapter was the following: "Persons residing in a town where there is no Chapter can apply for the degrees at any Chapter in the State."

His recommendation that "none but members of the Grand Chapters, past or present Grand Officers of other Grand Chapters excepted, shall be present at the opening of the same, nor shall visitors be admitted during sessions, except by permission of the Grand Matron," was not sustained.

From the report of the Grand Secretary we find there are forty-six Chapters and the membership is 5,269; net gain, 488. "The Grand Secretary, Bro. Daniel Seagrave, has been actively identified with our Order as a member and officer since the summer of 1867, a period of twenty-nine years; and with this Grand Chapter as an office bearer for twenty years, possibly the oldest member in the State and holding office during the entire period. He has lived to see the Order increase in numbers from a few to more than 5,200 in our own jurisdiction, and from a few hundred to more than 110,000 in the United States. It is a glorious time to live in, and the golden age of our beloved Order."

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Effie M. Carson, Worthy Grand Matron, Westfield. Amos M. Parker, Worthy Grand Patron, Worcester. Daniel Seagrave, Grand Secretary, Worcester.

MICHIGAN.

The thirtieth annual session of the Grand Chapter of Michigan was held in the city of Adrian, October 14, 1896. The Grand Matron, Sister Lida A. Pratt, presided. Upon roll call all but three of the Grand Officers and representatives of one hundred and ten Chapters were found to be present. Brother H. H. Hinds, Most Worthy Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter; Sister Gertrude B. Williams, Worthy Grand Matron of Ohio, and Brother Willis D. Engle, Past Grand Patron of Indiana, were honored guests.

The Grand Matron's address contains a complete review of the work of the year, plainly showing that neither time nor talent was spared by her in advancing the interests of the Order. She constituted all but five of the thirty-four Chapters organized during the preceding year and personally inspected their work and delivered their charters, also assisted in instituting twenty-seven Chapters. Concerning the Order throughout the State, she says it is prospering beyond their fondest expectations. The work growing more uniform, owing to the fact that during the last few years the instituting of new Chapters has been under the personal supervision of the Grand Officers.

From the Grand Patron's address I quote: "October the thirtieth, 1867, a little company of enthusiastic members of the Rite of Adoptive Masonry to the number of 69, representing a total membership of 868, met in this city pursuant to a call as follows: A convention will be held in the city of Adrian, Michigan, on the 30th day of Oct. inst., 1867, for the purpose of organizing an Eastern Star Grand Lodge for the State of Michigan. That convention laid the corner-stone of an institution that has withstood the storms of nearly thirty years and stands to-day the oldest Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star in the world. I am proud to say we have with us to-day some of the members of that first convention, who have remained faithful all these years."

From the experiences of the year the Grand Patron says he finds two things that create more trouble in Chapters than all other causes combined, and these are: the ballot and gossip. And he makes an excellent recommendation relative to the disciplining of those members who violate their obligation of secrecy, slander or wrong a member, or in any manner bring reproach upon the Order.

• The Grand Patron reports thirty-three Chapters organized during the year, all of them meeting in Masonic Halls and having the support and encouragement of the Masonic fraternity.

From the Grand Secretary's report I find there are 176 Chapters with a membership of 12,587, a net gain of 2,256. In response to an appeal from the Grand Matron for contributions to the Masonic Home, \$211.70, was received from subordinate Chapters. Total amount in treasury at close of session, \$1,221.59.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Lida A. Pratt, Worthy Grand Matron, Jackson. Fred. H. Hosford, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Rapids. Mrs. A. A. Matteson, Grand Secretary, Middleville.

MINNESOTA.

The eighteenth annual session of this Grand Chapter was held in the city of Duluth, May 13, 1896.

The report shows all but three of the Grand Officers and thirteen Past Grand Officers were present.

The Grand Chapter was further honored by the presence of R. W. Associate Grand Patron Brother N. A. Gearheart.

The Grand Matron was evidently an active and conscientious worker. Many decisions were rendered and twenty-six special dispensations granted. She recommends "that the constitution and by-laws be read in each Chapter twice a year; that questions to the Grand Matron for official decision be from the Worthy Matrons of subordinate Chapters; also Associate Conductress to take up some one of the five passes when ascertaining if all present are members, the pass of the evening being at the discretion of the Matron."

The Grand Patron reported nineteen Chapters instituted, and petitions in hand for six more, which, for various reasons, could not be organized before the convening of this session.

Peace and good will prevail for the most part, and it is recorded to have been one of the most prosperous years in the history of the Order in this State. The membership having increased from 4,834 to 5,956, 561 of these being charter members.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Mary L. McGindley, Worthy Grand Matron, Duluth. Thomas H. Warren, Worthy Grand Patron, Stillwater. Miss Eleanor Young, Grand Secretary, St. Paul.

MISSOURI.

The twenty-second annual session of the Grand Chapter of Missouri assembled in Masonic Temple, Kansas City, August 25, 1896.

The meeting was opened in form by the Grand Matron, Sister

Genevieve F. Wyatt. The appropriate decorations upon the vacant Chair of Grand Martha indicated that a "link from the golden chain had fallen away in death." With this one exception all Grand Officers were present.

The Grand Matron's address is replete with words of beauty and helpfulness. Nearly all of the thirty-four decisions rendered were covered by the Constitution and By-Laws, and she thinks it "passing strange that our members do not devote more of their time to the examination of our laws." She visited fifty-two Chapters and recommended that in future schools of instruction be held in different parts of the State for the benefit of the District Deputies and members. Also, recommended that the secret work be called in by January 1, 1897.

The Grand Patron reports having missed no opportunity to meet and talk with Masons, in and out of the Lodge, and in every instance, but one, his efforts were shown the utmost courtesy. "The single exception was a Lodge refusing to discuss his letter, in open Lodge, written in reference to establishing a Chapter, for fear it would be unmasonic." He says: "He will never rest until a Chapter is established there, and the scales of prejudice have dropped from their eyes." This surely has the true ring in it.

Twenty-three Chapters have been added during the year. The Board of Directors of the Masonic Home offered to present the "Chapel" to the Order of the Eastern Star, allowing them to improve and enlarge it, and designate the same, "The Eastern Star Chapel," which offer was accepted by the Grand Chapter, and committee authorized to draw the three thousand dollars now on hand for that purpose, and collect such additional amount as they can.

The Grand Secretary reports the total membership to be 6,112; increase, 1,224.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Rosa S. Harris, Worthy Grand Matron, Neosho. Joseph S. Brown, Worthy Grand Patron, St. Joseph. Mrs. Sallie E. Dillon, Grand Secretary, St. Louis.

MONTANA.

The Grand Chapter assembled in Masonic Temple in the city of Butte, September 18, 1896.

Only one Grand Officer was absent and all of the Chapters, sixteen in numbers, were represented.

Concerning the Order in Montana, the Grand Matron says: "Although we have seen no very great results from our year's work, we rejoice in a gradual and steady growth. The Chapters in this jurisdiction, with few exceptions, are in a prosperous condition. She issued dispensations for three new Chapters and visited nearly all Chapters in the State; her traveling expenses being borne by the Chapters visited. She decided that a "Chapter can receive a verbal report from an investigating committee;" also, "petitions can be received, ballot and initiate the same evening, with the unanimous consent of the Chapter." She recommended that the secret work and obligations be rehearsed oftener than when there are initiations, and, not wishing to be behind sister Grand Chapters in the spirit of patriotism, recommended that "our national flag be displayed in the Grand Chapter room."

The Grand Patron, Brother George T. Black, early in the year met with an accident, which prevented his visiting the Chapters and thinks "the honors of office have rested lightly upon him, as his only official act was the installing of the officers of one Chapter." He has the frankness to say that he "believes women are capable, and have the executive ability to rule and guide this institution themselves."

Sister Edna L. Hedges, Committee on Foreign Correspondence, presents a delightfully interesting report; California receiving kindly notice.

By the Grand Secretary's report I find the total membership to be 1,245; net gain, 91.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Ada M. Aiken, Worthy Grand Matron, Butte. William Wood, Worthy Grand Patron, Townsend. Mrs. Elva Boardman, Grand Secretary, Butte.

NEBRASKA.

The Grand Chapter of Nebraska met in its twenty-first annual session at Fremont, June 2, 1896.

All but one Grand Officer, five Past Grand Officers and the representatives of fifty-five Chapters were present.

The Grand Matron pays loving tribute to the "fraternal dead," and especially deplores the loss of their Grand Secretary, Brother Rev. H. A. Guild, who died June 29, 1895. Brother Guild had served as Grand Secretary of this Grand Chapter for more than ten years. His unfeigned piety and noble Christian character, as well as his earnestness and zeal in behalf of the Order, endeared him to his associates. Sister Eleanor Dirley was appointed to fill the unexpired term of the Grand Secretary.

The Grand Matron gives an interesting account of her official visits to the several Chapters, showing thereby that the Order is in excellent condition throughout the State. Upon the question as to whether a person is a member of the Chapter who has never paid the initiation fees or dues, and refuses to pay the same, and does not wish to retain membership, she first decided they were not members, but on reconsideration, believed that as they had been obligated, and refusing to pay their dues, should be suspended and dropped. The Committee on Jurisprudence gave the following decision on the matter, which met with approval: "The status of any person initiated in the Order, or in the Chapter, without payment of the required fee, is the same as that of They are members of the Order but not the non-affiliates. Chapter, and in order to become members of the Chapter they must secure a Grand Chapter dimit and petition in the same manner as a non-affiliated member of the Order."

The Grand Patron issued dispensations for ten new Chapters, and assisted in the organization of all of them. He gives a most encouraging report of the Order in his jurisdiction. He had the pleasure of performing a unique duty, that of joining in the bonds of matrimony the Worthy Grand Matron and Brother Omar Whitney. The ceremony being performed in Andrew Chapter, No. 41, Grand Island. It was voted to have an "Eastern Star corner" at the Trans-Mississippi Exposition, at Omaha, in 1898.

Total membership in this State is 4,190. Net gain, 474. Balance in treasury, \$1,366.07.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Helen H. Stires, Worthy Grand Matron, Columbus. Rev. A. G. Pinkham, Worthy Grand Patron, Grand Island. Dr. Eleanor Dailey, Grand Secretary, Omaha.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

The Grand Chapter of New Hampshire met in the city of Hillsborough Bridge, September 8th, 1896.

Representatives from all but one of the twenty-three Chapters of the State were present.

The Grand Matron reports two Chapters organized, and "feels assured that her successor in office will be more highly favored, as there are six others nearly ready to be instituted," showing that she has been busy sowing the seed. All of her decisions met with approval. She has been greatly encouraged by the large number of Chapters which have been invited to hold joint installation ceremonies with the Masonic brethren, it being both hopeful and helpful to the Order. She believes the day not far distant when a Master Mason will not consider his Masonic career complete until he, with his family, are members of our Order, and says that even now, no fair minded, progressive Mason, will admit his opposition to it.

The Grand Patron admits that their progress has been slow, but is proud of the fact that it has been permanent, not having lost a single Chapter since the formation of their Grand Chapter.

A resolution was passed making it the duty of the Grand Matron or her deputies to visit every Chapter in her jurisdiction, the expense therefor to be borne by the Grand Chapter.

The Grand Secretary reports total membership, 1,682.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Nancy J. Moody, Worthy Grand Matron, Derry Depot Lewis P. Wilson, Worthy Grand Patron, Peterboro. J. Sullivan Chase, Grand Secretary, Colebrooks.

NEW JERSEY.

The twenty-seventh annual session of the Grand Chapter met at Elizabeth, September 21, 1896. All Grand Officers present,

together with many Past Grand Officers and representatives of all but one Chapter. A large delegation of visiting members from New York and three "Master Masons" also reported present by the Credential Committee.

The Grand Matron visited each of the fourteen Chapters of the State, and was present at the instituting of the one new Chapter of the year. Both she and the Grand Patron recommended that "the rejection of a Master Mason by a Chapter shall not be a bar to his application to and election in another Chapter," but the Jurisprudence Committee did not concur in this, "believing a Master Mason should have no more privileges than a lady, in manner of obtaining membership." The Grand Chapter postponed action on the matter.

The Grand Patron's address contained a brief review of his official acts.

The total membership as shown by the returns, 874.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Frances L. Boone, Worthy Grand Matron, Jersey City. Dr. Frederick Selnow, Worthy Grand Patron, Jersey City. Mrs. Mary Martin Grand Secretary, Paterson.

NEW YORK.

This Grand Chapter assembled in Scottish Rite Hall, New York City, June 9, 1896.

The altar and jewels were draped in mourning in memory of Dr. John Van Buren Green, Worthy Grand Patron, and other members who have departed this life during the year.

All but one of the Grand Officers, many Past Grand Officers and representatives of seventy-three Chapters were present, as well as many distinguished visitors.

The Grand Matron, Sister Jessie M. Ray, presents a delightfully interesting report of duties performed, plainly showing her to have been an untiring and painstaking officer.

Fifteen Chapters were instituted during the year and one resuscitated that had been dormant for twenty-two years. She officially visited fifty Chapters, made twenty-nine decisions, which were all approved. Among these decisions I find the following: "A Master Mason in good standing can, in case of an

emergency, fill the place of Worthy Patron." "Persons who had received the degrees, but had not signed the by-laws, were not members of the Order." "The wives of Master Masons in good standing being under eighteen years of age are not eligible to the degrees of the Order." "The Grand Honors should not be given in public, being just as private as any sign used in the Chapter." A Grand Hailing sign and response was adopted by this Grand Chapter, and the purchase was completed of the ritual, now in use, from the daughter of Robert McCoy.

Chapters in this State are well looked after, as, besides the visits of the Grand Matron and her deputies, there are those of the Grand Patron and Grand Lecturer, with five assistants.

The Grand Chapter is raising a fund to be used in the building and maintaining of an "Eastern Star Hall" in the City of New York for the meeting of the Grand Chapter, or other associations, and out of the funds secured from rents or income thereof, or other sources, is to be built and maintained an Asylum for the relief of worthy and indigent members of the Order. The sum of \$1,413.25 has already been subscribed towards this commendable enterprise.

The total membership of New York is 5,897.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Anna L. Brooks, Worthy Grand Matron, Brooklyn. Mr. Otto H. Fasoldt, Worthy Grand Patron, Albany. Mrs. Christiana Buttrick, Grand Secretary, New York.

NORTH DAKOTA.

The second annual meeting of this Grand Chapter was held in the city of Fargo, June 11, 1896.

The Grand Matron, Sister Sarah L. Topping, presided, and with two exceptions all of her associate officers were present.

The Grand Matron in her address expresses regret that only four Chapters had been instituted during her term of office, despite her earnest efforts in that direction. Her decisions were for the most part approved. It seems, from the reports, that in this State the Grand Matron and Grand Patron both make decisions. But the Grand Patron says his duties have been "light and free from responsibility." He gives a most encouraging report of the

growth of the Order since the organization of their Grand Chapter, there being now twenty-four Chapters, with a membership of 1,658.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Sara C. Gannon, Worthy Grand Matron, Ellendale. David E. Morgan, Worthy Grand Patron, Devil's Lake. Mamie R. Briggs, Grand Secretary, Bismarck.

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The Grand Chapter of Ohio assembled in Odd Fellows Temple, in the city of Columbus, October 28, 1896.

Grand Matron, Sister Gertrude B. Williams, presided, and upon roll call all but one Grand Officer responded.

The Grand Matron gives a splendid account of her work of the year. She pays a beautiful tribute to the memory of "loved ones gone before."

She has visited forty-six Chapters, granted eighteen special dispensations, and made thirty decisions, besides writing over one thousand letters.

Concerning the "Home" she says: "Dear as the Home is to our hearts, I decided it would not be wise to call for donations this year, as many of our Chapters were subject to extra expense in renting and fitting up new rooms, having, consequent to the order of Grand Master Melish of the Grand Lodge, F. and A. M. of Ohio, to seek quarters elsewhere than in Masonic halls.

The Grand Officers are to be congratulated, as eighteen Chapters received charters at this session, thus increasing the number of Chapters in the State to seventy, with a total membership of 4,049.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mary J. Stephens, Worthy Grand Matron, Columbus. Chas. A. Eckert, Worthy Grand Patron, Columbus. Ella B. Shearer, Grand Secretary, Marysville.

OREGON.

The seventh annual session of this Grand Chapter met in Commandery Hall, in the city of Portland, June 8, 1896.

The constitutional number of Chapters being present, the meeting was called to order by Grand Matron Margaret E. Kellogg.

Most Worthy Grand Matron, Sister Mary E. Partridge, was the guest of honor. Her presence and kind words of instruction and encouragement added much to the dignity and pleasure of the assembly.

The Grand Matron made thirty-one decisions, issued seventeen special dispensations, installed the officers of eight Chapters, besides visiting many of the Chapters. She has surely proven herself worthy of the trust reposed in her. Harmony and prosperity prevail among the Chapters.

Six Chapters have been instituted this year with a membership of two hundred, as shown by the Grand Patron's report. A most pleasing communication was received during the Grand Chapter session from the Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Oregon, then assembled, bearing "Fraternal greetings, congratulation upon their prosperity, and wishing them Godspeed in their mission of Benevolence and Charity."

Total membership in Oregon, 2,324; net gain, 399.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Frances A. Helm, Worthy Grand Matron, Corvallis. John Vert, Worthy Grand Patron, Pendleton. Madeleine B. Conkling, Grand Secretary, Roseburg.

PENNSYLVANIA.

The third annual session of this Grand Chapter met in the city of Pittston, November 17, 1896.

All Grand Officers but one and representatives of all Chapters, five in number, were present.

Brorher Daniel Cox, in behalf of Wyoming Chapter, No. 1, gave a most excellent address of welcome, to which Sister Belle Luckenback ably responded.

The Grand Matron regretted her inability to visit more of the Chapters, but home surroundings prevented. Neither she nor the Grand Patron were called upon to make any decisions, so it is presumed the officers of subordinate Chapters faithfully studied the rules and regulations of the Order. One new Chapter was organized during the year. Total membership of the Order in Pennsylvania is 521; net gain, 45.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Frances Montanye, Worthy Grand Matron, Pittston. Wm. H. Saunders, Worthy Grand Patron, Philadelphia. Alice Eaton, Grand Secretary, Susquehanna.

RHODE ISLAND.

Pursuant to a call issued by the Most Worthy Grand Matron and Most Worthy Grand Patron of the General Grand Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, representatives from the five Chapters of the Order in Rhode Island, assembled in the city of Providence, August 22, 1895, for the purpose of organizing a Grand Chapter. M. W. Grand Matron Sister Sneddens presided at this meeting, which resulted in the formation of the Grand Chapter and the selection of Sister Emogene Williams as Grand Matron and Brother S. Penrose Williams Grand Patron.

Among the many distinguished members of the Order who attended this meeting I find the names of our present M. W. Grand Matron, Sister Mary E. Partridge; Sister Lorraine J. Pitkin, R. W. Grand Secretary, and Sister Nettie Ransford, P. M. W. Grand Matron.

The first annual session of the Grand Chapter of Rhode Island met in the city of Providence, October 14, 1896.

All but three of the Grand Officers were present, together with one Past Matron, four Past Patrons, one Patron and two Associate Matrons, making the total number entitled to vote twentythree.

The Grand Matron's address is full of good cheer, and her account of duties performed indicates that the confidence placed in her, as the executive head of the Order in this jurisdiction, has not been misplaced.

The Grand Patron reports having visited each Chapter under his care at least twice during the year, and finds them all in very favorable condition.

The Grand Secretary gives a concise report, showing total membership at time of organization 572: present membership, 628. Total receipts, \$175.50.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Mary T. Phillips, Worthy Grand Matron, Central Falls. Dr. Elisha P. Clark, Worthy Grand Patron, Hope Valley. S. Penrose Williams, Grand Secretary, Providence.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

The eighth annual session of this Grand Chapter convened in Brookings, May 19, 1896.

There being representatives from twenty-three chartered Chapters and one U. D., the Grand Matron, Sister Hettie Downie, after filling two vacant stations opened the meeting in due form.

The Grand Patron being absent, on account of the serious illness of his wife, his address was read by acting Grand Patron, Martin G. Carlisle.

Report is made of the organization of two new Chapters, and, with few exceptions, harmony prevails among the members of the Order.

Sister Downie undoubtedly imparted much of her own enthusiasm while visiting among the Chapters. Of one Chapter she says the members are able to fill any station when called upon to do so.

The sisters and brothers of this jurisdiction not only preach, but practice the great underlying principle of our Order, as the Grand Chapter voted to give financial assistance to an afflicted and worthy sister.

Past Grand Matron Sister Sarah J. Clark gave a splendid report of her visit to the General Grand Chapter.

The Grand Secretary reports number belonging at the beginning of the year, 1,642. The present membership, 1,762.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Fannie Roddle, Worthy Grand Matron, Brookings. Martin G. Carlisle, Worthy Grand Patron, De Smet. Mrs. A. M. McAllister, Grand Secretary, Madison.

TEXAS.

The fourteenth annual session of the Grand Chapter of Texas met in the city of Fort Worth, October 13, 1896.

The Grand Matron, Sadie A. Hoskins, after filling four vacant stations, opened the Grand Chapter in Ample Form.

Most Worthy Grand Matron Mary E. Partridge being present was introduced and accorded proper honors.

Twenty-nine Chapters were represented.

The address of the Grand Matron indicates a large amount of work accomplished by herself and thirty-eight deputies, whom she appointed to assist her.

She issued dispensations for thirteen new Chapters and reorganized two. Failing health prevented her visiting as she had expected.

She severely scores the "Masonic pirates" who are, she is informed, conferring the degrees of the Order of the Eastern Star as a side degree in some of the Masonic Lodges of the State.

Peace and harmony, with few exceptions, abound, and she "believes the greatest cause of dissention is the pernicious custom of electioneering for office, an evil which, unless speedily checked, will result in the complete disruption of any Chapter."

The Grand Patron, Brother L. S. Garrison, presents a brief though interesting report. He very forcibly condemns the fact that our ritual, containing nine-tenths of the secret work, can be had for the purchase, and recommends that a memorial be presented to the next General Grand Chapter to the effect that the present ritual be called in, and one promulgated which does not contain any of the monitorial work, and that the same be placed in the keeping of proper custodians, also that they issue a monitor or manual for the use of the membership in general.

The proceedings contain, beside the names of the officers and members of each Chapter, those that have died, dimitted, and been suspended.

From the Grand Secretary's report I find there has been a great deal of pruning, 1,651 having been suspended. Present membership, 2,638.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mrs. Kate Birch, Worthy Grand Matron, Denison. J. R. Bowman, Worthy Grand Patron, Joshua. Mrs. Laura B. Hart, Grand Secretary, Big Springs.

VERMONT.

The twenty-fourth annual session of the Grand Chapter of Vermont was held in Windsor, June 3, 1896. The Grand Patron presided. Representatives from twenty-seven of the thirty-two-Chapters of the State were in attendance.

The Order in this jurisdiction is reported to be in a very prosperous condition. "Masonic prejudice surely passing away."

Three new Chapters were instituted. District meetings were held in different parts of the State, from which much benefit was derived.

The Grand Matron gave a brief account of the affairs of her office. The Grand Patron being the executive head of the Order, and with a Grand Lecturer, seven Deputy Grand Patrons and as many Deputy Grand Matrons, one would naturally suppose there would not be much left for her to do.

The returns show the membership to be 2,023; net gain, 199.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

F. W. Baldwin, Worthy Grand Patron, Barton.

Mrs. Eugenia Pettie, Worthy Grand Matron, Brattleboro.

H. S. Stillson, Grand Secretary, Bennington.

WASHINGTON.

The eighth annual session of this Grand Chapter was held in the city of Seattle, June 11, 1896.

Previous to the opening, a reception was held in "Hotel Diller," in honor of Most Worthy Grand Matron Mary E. Partridge. Many members of the Order availed themselves of this opportunity of personally meeting and greeting their honored and beloved guest.

The Grand Matron, Mrs. Alice M. Taylor, called the Grand Chapter to order. Thirty-eight Chapters represented. The addresses read were particularly interesting, containing beautifully expressed sentiments as well as concise statements of duties faithfully performed. The Grand Matron granted seventeen special dispensations, made thirteen decisions, and did a great deal of visiting. She urges the necessity of greater uniformity in the details. In some Chapters she would hardly have recog-

nized some of the signs only that she was in the room and knew what signs should be given.

The Grand Patron reports eight Chapters instituted; many of them the direct result of letters addressed to Masons in towns where no Chapter existed. In many of the Chapters he found they conferred the degrees much better than they transacted the business. In one instance he found no books had been kept for years except a minute book. He wisely says: "Good secretaries are of more importance to a Chapter than good ritualists."

The Grand Chapter voted to abandon the appointment of a Grand Representative, as they considered the office as now existing useless and purely ornamental.

The total membership is 2,298; net gain 307.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Mary C. Fenton, Worthy Grand Matron, Spokane. Mark E. Reed, Worthy Grand Patron, Olympia. Libbie J. Demorest, Grand Secretary, Tacoma.

WISCONSIN.

This Grand Chapter assembled in sixth annual session in the city of Milwaukee, February 19, 1896.

The Grand Matron, Mrs. Martha D. Ross, opened the meeting in form.

All but one of her officers were present. Among the guests of honor were: Lorraine J. Pitkin, Right Worthy Grand Secretary, Mate L. Chester, Past Grand Matron of Illinois, and Jennie Rule, Past Grand Matron of Iowa.

The Chapters in this State are divided into nine districts and the Past Grand Matron reports having been in attendance at a convention held in each of these districts, thereby being able to meet its thirteen Grand Officers and representatives of over sixty Chapters,

Among her decisions I note this: "If a candidate is not initiated within a year after being elected to receive the degrees a second ballot is necessary, but not a second petition."

She recommended that under the "Good of the Order," the

Matrons drill the members in the work required to enable them to visit a Chapter.

The Grand Patron, J. H. Evans, issued dispensations for fifteen new Chapters. He recommends the secret work be printed in cipher.

With reasonable pride he points to the fact that there is not one missing Chapter out of the eighty-one organized in the State, and says they are indeed grateful for the kindly sentiment, generous aid, and encouragement accorded the Eastern Star by the Masonic organization of Wisconsin.

Total membership, 4,405; net gain, 478.

OFFICERS ELECTED:

Miss Annie Phillips, Worthy Grand Matron, Mineral Point. C. M. Hutchinson, Worthy Grand Patron, Necedah. Mrs. Helen M. Laflin, Grand Secretary, Milwaukee.

CONCLUSION.

We have found the reviewing of the several Grand Chapter proceedings to be an exceedingly pleasant, though at times perplexing, duty.

It has been a delight to look upon the pleasant faces of the Grand Officers, whose portraits adorn the pages of so many of the proceedings; and we are grateful for the privilege of gaining from the interesting and often eloquent addresses and reports, a better knowledge of the true worth of the individual workers of the Order, as well as a broader understanding of its power for good. But, with so many excellent reports before us, it has been difficult to know what to eliminate.

Among the questions considered were these: By what means can greater uniformity of work be established? and how best to guard and promulgate the secret work of the Order? But, above all, has been the determination to bring the entire work to a higher degree of excellence, and to inspire every member with the constant desire to practice "those virtues which should adorn our lives."

To the one link that has been added to the golden chain of Grand Chapters, the Grand Chapter of the District of Columbia, we extend Fraternal Greetings, and wish them Godspeed in their labors of love and usefulness. And we would here express to our sister correspondents our appreciation of the kind and generous consideration which they have given to the Grand Chapter of California.

Sisters and Brothers, thus have we gleaned in a wide field, and we trust the fruit thereof will be helpful.

Yours fraternally,

CARRIE L. PEASLEE, Chairman of Foreign Correspondence. AUGUSTA D. WILSON.

GRAND SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE.

OFFICE OF THE GRAND SECRETARY, GRAND CHAPTER O. E. S. OF CALIFORNIA.

I CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true copy of the Proceedings of the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California, of the Twenty-Fifth Annual Communication, held in the City of San Francisco, October 19th, 20th, 21st and 22nd, 1897.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto affixed the Seal of the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of California, this 9th day of December, A. D. 1897.

Kate J. Willats,

Grand Secretary.

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