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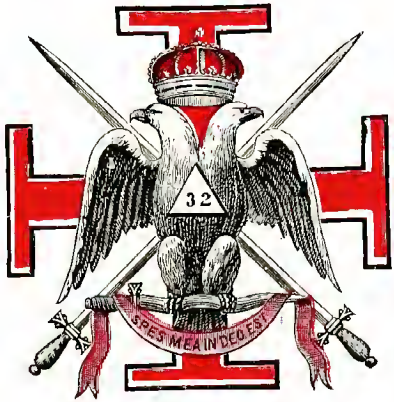

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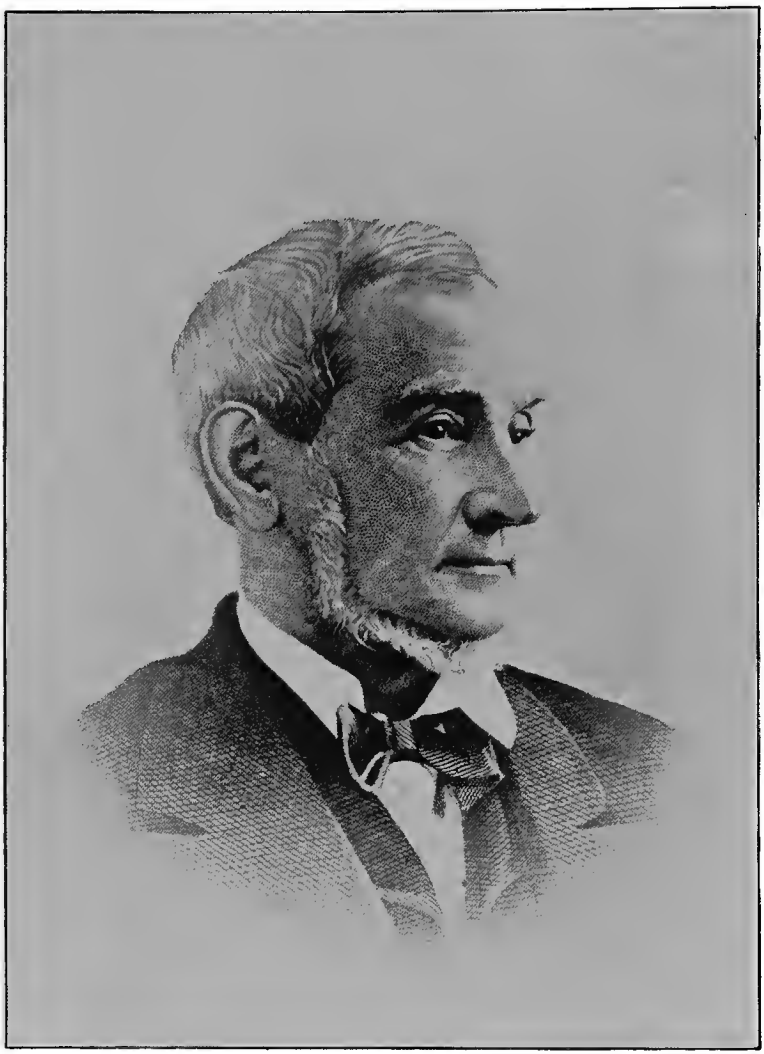

KILLIAN H. VAN RENSSELAER, 33°.

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HISTORY

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ORIENTAL CONSISTORY

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. 32°

AND CO-ORDINATE BODIES OF THE

Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite

IN THE

VALLEY OF CHICAGO

FROM JULY, 1856, TO MAY 1ST, 1893

AS WRITTEN AND PREPARED BY
LL. GIL. W. BARNARD, 33°
GRAND SECRETARY

ALSO THE CHARTER, CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION,
BY-LAWS ADOPTED APRIL 27TH, A. D. 1893,
AND LIST OF NAMES OF ALL THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN MEMBERS THEREOF.

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"Industrious persons, by an exact and scrupulous diligence and observation, out of the monuments, names, words, proverbs, traditions, private records and evidences, fragments of stories, passages of books that concern not story, and the like, do save and recover somewhat from the deluge of time."



The author, Ill.·. Bro.·. Charles T. McClenachan 33°, has kindly permitted the use of the following from his Book of the Rite:

HISTORY

OF THE

ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE.

THE following pages are not intended to give a full and elaborate history of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite; space cannot be spared in a work intended only as a monitor or hand book for the guidance and instruction of those having an interest in the Rite;—yet it is deemed proper and expedient to insert a brief history for the information of those who might not have the opportunity of searching and examining a subject claiming so much interest.

The antiquity of Freemasonry and its ancient history are evidently involved in fable, and the few authentic historians whose works are extant, have thrown but little light upon the subject. The opinions of those who have written on Freemasonry have differed with regard to its origin as an organized institution.

Dr. Robinson who, it is well known, labored to identify Freemasonry with Illuminism, ascribed its origin to the association of Dionysian artificers; Chevalier Ramsay has endeavored to prove that it arose during the crusades; Mr. Clinch, that it originated from the institution of Pythagoras; Mr. Barruel, that it is a continuation of the Templars, etc.

Hence it will be seen that it has been allowed, even by the most skeptical, to have been instituted at a period sufficiently remote to entitle it to the appellation of "Ancient;" and we may here dismiss the subject by noting the fact that "its most learned enemies cannot point to the time when Freemasonry did not exist, which gives it a fame—a pre-eminence—to which the history of other institutions affords no parallel."

It is not claimed that the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite

is of extreme antiquity, yet the frosts of time decorate its brow. Although in a detached form, doubtless some of the degrees had their origin as early as the fourteenth century; yet the Rite, as such, germinated in the latter part of the seventeenth century, and took its distinctive character in the beginning of the eighteenth century.

The late Giles Fonda Yates, a member of the British Archaeological Association, Grand Commander of the Northern Supreme Council of the United States, gave as the result of his research the following:

"The proofs are undeniable that the learning contained in the 'Sublime Degrees,' was taught long previous to the last century —our M.·. P.·. Brother Dalcho (Rev. Doctor)—thinks shortly after the first crusade. In Prussia, France and Scotland the principal degrees of our Rite appeared in an organized form in 1713. The unfortunate Lord Derwentwater and his associate English brethren were working in lodges of Harodim, in 1725, in Paris, when the Grand Lodge of England transmitted to France the Ancient York Constitutions. Many Scotch brethren (adherents of the pretender, James Stuart) being in France about this time, also cultivated some of the high degrees of our Rite."

The opponents of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, such as Findel. and others, assert that the Rite took its origin about the year 1740. from Michael Andrew Ramsay, a native of Scotland, generally known as the "Chevalier Ramsay," who was born at Ayr in 1686, and died in St. Germain-en-laye, in France, in 1743; that from the time of the banishment of the Stuarts from England in 1688, secret alliances had been kept up between Rome and Scotland, the Pretender Stuart having retired in 1719 to Rome; that as these communications became more intimate, the hopes of the Pretender increased; that Ramsay attempted to corrupt the loyalty and fealty of Freemasonry in the Grand Lodge of Scotland, founded in 1736, and being unable so to do, conceived the scheme of assembling and more fully banding together, the faithful adherents of the banished royal family in the higher grades, and thus filling their private coffers; that the Masonic Lodges of France were composed of Scotch conspirators and accomplices of the Jesuits, who had sunk so low they were ready to seize on the abundance of display and effect which

were presented; not knowing that the "Masonic titles in our 'Inner East,' like the jewels on our breasts, are not cherished and worn by us for show or aggrandizement, but that they are suggestive of holy truths and self-perfecting duties."

Thory, in the Acta Latamorum, says that "Robert Bruce, King of Scotland, under the title of Robert I., created the order of St. Andrew of Chardon, after the battle of Bannockburn, which was fought June 24, 1314. To this order was afterward united that of Heredom, for the sake of the Scotch Masons, who formed a part of the 30,000 troops with whom he had fought an army of 100,000 Englishmen. King Robert reserved the title of Grand Master to himself and his successors forever, and founded the Royal Grand Lodge of Heredom at Kilwinning."

Dr. Oliver says "this Royal Order afterward confined itself solely to the two degrees of Heredom and Rosy-cross."

The following is perhaps the more reliable and probable history of the origin of the degrees of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite. At or about the period of the Masonic revival and excitement in the early part of the 18th century, there was felt a desire for a deeper research into the arcana of Freemasonry, and a thorough examination of the esoteric doctrines of the order. The more ardent and brilliant minds of Europe, determining to explore the Kabala, and enticed by so ennobling a study, resolved to establish a superior grade of Masonry, for the exclusive propagation of the mysteries as yet so little known to them, embracing the Historical, Philosophical and Chivalric. With this purpose in view, attempts were made to establish separate and distinct organizations, wherein these sublime truths might be revealed and cultivated. Nearly all these projects were ephemeral, and were outlived by their projectors, while the "Rite of Perfection," the germ of the organization of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite—based upon the pure principles of Masonry, and the elucidation of the occult mysteries, containing twenty-five degrees—gradually approached development.

Doubtless the course of the Chevalier Ramsay, in 1740, hastened the consummation of the systematising and embodying the degrees which had theretofore been for many years detached and unlocated.

Some authorities assert that this Rite of Perfection as an or-

ganization was founded in 1753, while others insist that in 1758 certain Masons, styling themselves "Sovereign Princes and Grand Officers of the Grand and Sovereign Lodge of St. John of Jerusalem," founded at Paris a body called "The Council of Emperors of the East and West." This council has been ordinarily known as the Rite of Perfection, and according to Thory, Ragon, Leveque, Vidal, Ferandie, Clavel, and others, consisted of twenty-five degrees; in 1759 it established a Council of Princes of the Royal Secret at Bordeaux, and from this period began to extend itself.

By the year 1761, the Lodges, Councils, Chapters and Consistories of the Rite had increased and extended throughout the continent of Europe; on the 27th of August of that year, Stephen Morin was commissioned Inspector-General for the New World by the Grand Consistory of Princes of the Royal Secret, convened at Paris, under the presidency of Chaillon de Joinville, Substitute-General of the Order.

When Inspector-General Morin arrived in America, in accordance with the powers vested by his patent, he appointed Moses Michael Hays a Deputy Inspector-General, with the authority to appoint others.

Deputy-Inspector Hays appointed Isaac Da Costa deputy Inspector-General for the State of South Carolina. After the death of Deputy Inspector-General Da Costa, Joseph Myers was appointed his successor.

On the 25th of October, 1762, the Grand Masonic Constitutions were finally ratified in Berlin, Prussia, and proclaimed throughout the world for the government of all Lodges, Councils, Chapters, Colleges and Consistories of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite over the surface of the two hemispheres. In the same year they were transmitted to Inspector-General Stephen Morin, who accepted them.

Deputy Inspector-General Hays appointed Solomon Bush Deputy Inspector-General for Pennsylvania, and Barend M. Spitzer for Georgia, which appointments were confirmed by a council of Inspectors convened in Philadelphia on the 15th of June, 1781.

On the 1st of May, 1786, the Constitutions of the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the thirty-third and last degree, were alleged to have been granted at Berlin, Prussia.

No Supreme Councils of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General were established anywhere in the world till after this date ; previously, Deputy Inspectors-General were charged with the powers and duties now vested in such Supreme councils and the grand bodies under them. In the new constitution this high power was conferred on a Supreme Council, of nine brethren in each nation, who possessed all the Masonic prerogatives in their own district, while two Supreme Councils were provided for in the United States of America with equal powers in their respective jurisdictions.

The first Supreme Council ever established under the new constitution of 1786, was that at Charleston, whose jurisdiction extended, constitutionally, over the whole of the United States, until they constituted the Northern Supreme Council. Then the Northern and Southern Jurisdictions were geographically defined.

On the 31st of May, 1801, the Supreme Council of the thirty-third degree for the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States of America, was opened with the high honors of Masonry, by Brothers John Mitchell and Frederick Dalcho, Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General; and in the course of the year the whole number of Grand Inspectors-General was completed agreeably to the Grand Constitutions. The other members of this council were Emanuel Da La Motta, Dr. J. Auld, Dr. James Moultrie, Abraham Alexander, M. C. Livy, Thomas B. Bowen, and J. De Liebau.

The Supreme Council for the Northern Jurisdiction of the United States, happily progressing as it is at this date (1885), requires no special historic mention in detail. Space would not permit an examination of the trials of the Rite and the various questions that have arisen, all which are now harmoniously adjusted. It is sufficient for the purpose of this brief history to say, that in every respect it has realized all that the earliest founders of the Rite could have hoped for, and its present supporters desire.

On the 20th of December, 1767, Deputy Inspector-General Francken, appointed by Morin, opened and duly constituted a Grand Lodge of Perfection in Albany, State of New York, which is still actively at work.

In 1783, Deputy Inspector-General Hays established a Sublime Grand Lodge of Perfection in Charleston, South Carolina. On

the 20th of February, 1788, a Grand Council of Princes of Jerusalem was opened in Charleston by Myers, Spitzer, and A. Forst, Deputy Inspector-General for Virginia.

In the year 1797, a chapter of Rose-Croix De H.·. R.·. D.·. M.·. Knight of the Eagle and Pelican, was instituted in the City of New York. In this year, King Solomon's Lodge of Perfection, at Holmes Hole, Martha's Vineyard, which had been established since 1783, by M. M. Hays and Peleg Clark, surrendered its jurisdiction over the three symbolic degrees to the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts. In 1802, warrants of constitution were issued for the opening of Sublime Lodges of Perfection in Savannah, Georgia, and many other parts of the United States.

About 1806-7, Consistories of Valiant and Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret were organized in the City of New York, and remained so until the formation of the Supreme Council for the Northern Jurisdiction of the United States. Attention is again called to the year 1795, when Colonel John Mitchell was appointed by Spitzer a Deputy Inspector-General, in the place of Myers, who had removed; but he was restricted from acting until after Myer's death, which took place in the following year.

After the French Revolution of 1793, the mass of the people became atheists, and with them the great body of Masons; the Bible, as a general thing, was committed to the flames, and sublime Freemasonry fell into disuse; it was not until after the establishment of the Supreme Council at Charleston, in 1801, that the sublime system was revived in France, by the establishment of a Supreme Council at Paris, in 1804, by Count De Grasse, Grand Inspector-General, under authority from the Charleston Council. The Paris Supreme Council still exists.

The Grand Orient of France, which before this held an existence only as a "Symbolic Grand Lodge of Master Masons," immediately commenced her assumed jurisdiction over all the degrees of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite; hence a question, which to this day remains in abeyance.

In 1825 a special grant to Brothers Fowler, Bryant and McGill, was issued by the Supreme Council for the Southern Jurisdiction, for the establishment of a Supreme Council, thirty-third degree, in Dublin, Ireland.

Thus from time to time Supreme Councils have been established in almost every nation of the globe.

The following are extracts from the published report of the Southern Supreme Council, on the 4th day of December, 1802:

"On the 21st of January, 1802, a warrant of Constitution passed the seal of the Grand Council of Princes of Jerusalem, for the establishment of a Master Mark Mason's Lodge, in the City of Charleston, South Carolina." "Besides those degrees which are in regular succession, most of the Inspectors are in possession of a number of detached degrees, given in different parts of the world, and which they generally communicate, free of expense, to those brethren who are high enough to understand them, such as 'Select Masons of twenty-seven, and the Royal Arch as given under the Constitution of Dublin, six degrees of Maconnerie d'Adoption, Compagnon Ecossais, le Maitre Ecossais, and leGrand Maitre Ecossais,' etc., etc., making in the aggregate fifty-three degrees."

As to the Mark and Past Master's degrees, all authority over them was surrendered to the Royal Arch Chapters, at that time springing into existence. The Royal and Select Masters' degrees were side or detached degrees of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite. In the Southern States of the Union, the Supreme Council initiated, chartered, and fostered Councils of Royal and Select Masters; and as rapidly as they were self-sustaining, they became independent.

In this wise the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite has gradually thrown aside the detached degrees, and rarely confers any except the grades designated in the regular series. The Rite is in amity with Symbolic Grand Lodges, Grand Chapters, Councils of Royal and Select Master's, and Grand Commanderies — recognizing no other bodies claiming to be Masonic.

Supreme Councils are the governing power over all Masonry in many nations. A Synoptical History of all the Supreme Councils that have ever existed, with the mode of formation in chronological order, by the Author of this volume, is published in the Proceedings, Supreme Council, Northern Jurisdiction, for 1881, pp. 123-150.

A Congress of the Representatives of eighteen Supreme Councils held at Lausanne, Switzerland, 22d September, 1875, recognized and proclaimed the Constitutions and Statutes of May 1st 1786, by whomsoever written and promulgated, and promised to maintain and defend with all their power, to preserve and cause to be observed and respected, the territorial jurisdiction of the 22 Supreme Councils named in their schedule, among which were those of the Northern and the Southern Jurisdiction of the U. S.

This compact still exists in all its integrity. The progress of these regular Supreme Councils is remarkable, and their future, without a shadow, is in the full tide of prosperity. The sublime teachings of the Rite find a ready response in every Masonic heart; fraternal associations binds man to his fellow and the profane world may receive a lesson of wisdom and humanity through a careful observance of its beautiful precepts.



THEODORE TUTHILL GURNEY, 33°,

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, 1873-4-5.



HISTORICAL.

No recorded evidence has been discovered relating to the organization of bodies of the A.·. A.·. Rite in this Valley prior to that which is found in the Proceedings of the Supreme Council of the Northern Jurisdiction, held in the Valley of New York, May 1st and 2d, 1846, when the M.·. P.·. Sov.·. Grand Commander John James Joseph Gourgas, 33°, was authorized to issue a charter for an

INEFFABLE LODGE OF PERFECTION

to Brothers W. F. Walker, Wm. Stuart, Chas. R. Starkweather, John R. Case, Wm. L. Brown, and Samuel Hoard, all of the City of Chicago, and at that time well known, highly esteemed citizens of the young Garden City. Beyond the fact that this charter was authorized, no records can be found as to whether or not the Lodge was ever constituted or entered upon their work.

A. D. 1856-1870.

The next authentic record, chronologically, that we have of the early days of the Rite in this Valley, is to be found in the report of Killian Henry Van Rensselær, 33°, who reported to the Supreme Council of the Northern Jurisdiction of theU. S., in May, 1857, that he had visited Chicago in July, 1856, by order of the M.·. P.·. Sov.·. Grand Commander, and, being assisted by Ill.·. Prince Chas. R. Starkweather, 32°, he had duly initiated, elevated, and proclaimed the requisite number of worthy brethren to be Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, 32°; and further, that he



GILBERT WORDSWORTH BARNARD 33 °.

Born June 1st. 1834, in Palmyra, N. Y.

Received the third degree in Garden City Lodge, No. 141, December 7th, 1864; Royal Arch in Corinthian Chapter, No. 69, October 2d, 1866.

Royal and Select Masters, March 25th, 1871, in Siloam Council, No. 53; Knight Templar, May 13th, 1870, in St. Bernard Commandery No. 35.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. in Chicago Consistory, April 25th, 1868; Inspector General, Nov. 13th, 1870; and was crowned an Active Member of the Northern Supreme Council, Sept. 15th, 1891.

Past Master, Past High Priest, Past Commander of the above bodies, in all of which he is a Life Member.

Past T.·. P.·. G.·. M.·. of Chicago and Van Rensselær Lodges of Perfection, and was Commander-in-Chief of Oriental Consistory in 1876-7-8. Past D.·. D.·. Grand Master First Masonic District, and was one of the First Board of Grand Examiners of the Grand Lodge of Illinois.

Has been Grand Recorder of the Grand Council, R.·. and S.·. M.·. and Grand Commandery K.·. T.·. since 1877, and Grand Secretary of the Grand Chapter R.·. A.·. M.·. since 1878.

Is Past Grand Sovereign of the Grand Imperial Council, K.·. R.·. Cross of R.·. and C.·. of Illinois and is now the Grand Recorder.

had fully organized and constituted them in Lodge, Council, Chapter, and Consistory of Ineffable Sublime super-degrees and orders of Freemasonry, with Ill.·. Prince Chas. R. Starkweather, 32°, as Grand Commander-in-Chief. Ill.·. Brother Van Rensselær further reported that the bodies in Chicago were in possession of the necessary and appropriate robes, aprons and jewels, also suitable furniture for conferring the several grades and orders, equal if not superior to any other body in the two Jurisdictions.

Thus it will be seen that, even at this early date, nearly thirty-seven years ago, the A.·. A.·. Rite, as exemplified in the Valley of Chicago, occupied a creditable position and received honorable mention, in, at that time, far distant limits of the Northern Jurisdiction.

May 14, 1857, charters were granted by the Supreme Council to Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection, Illinois Council of Princes of Jerusalem, Gourgas Chapter of Rose Croix, H-R-D-M, and Occidental Sovereign Consistory, S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. 32°, signed by

EDWARD A. RAYMOND, 33°, M.·. P.·. Sov.·. Gr.·. Com.·.
R. R. DUNLAP, 33°, ...Lieut.·. Gr.·. Com.·
CHAS. W. MOORE, 33°,...Gr.·. Sec.·. Gen.·. H.·. E.·. and
SIMON W. ROBINSON, 33°,..Gr.·. Treas.·. Gen.·. H.·. E.·.

The above named bodies continued to flourish in the quiet and unostentatious manner customary to high grade Masonic bodies of that time and, under charge of such well known and distinguished members of the Rite as James V. Z. Blaney, Wiley M. Egan, Robert H. Foss, Vincent L. Hurlbut, Hosmer A. Johnson, James H. Miles, Henry C. Ranney, Charles R. Starkweather, Enoch B. Stevens, Otis H. Tiffany, and Wm. H. Turner among its ACTIVE membership, which, by law, was limited to 32 members, had in the year 1865, attained a membership of 82 Active, Emeritus and Honorary members.

The By-Laws provided that, of the Active members, at least 27 should be residents of the City of Chicago. As many *honorary*, or *affiliated* members might be admitted as might be deemed expedient, but they had only a right to a seat and voice in the Consistory, not being permitted to vote or hold office. All applicants, in those times, were elected by *viva voce* vote and any Active member had the right to make such remarks on the occasion as he might see proper.

As was the general rule in all Masonic bodies of those days, the hours for meeting was, during the winter months, at 7 o'clock, and in the summer at 7.30. Among the Emeritus and Honorary members at that time we find the names of many who have been distinguished in the various branches of the Order, notably among them are: Perry A. Armstrong, Geo. W. Deering, H. Stanley Goodwin, Wm. B. Herrick, Clinton Locke, Loyal L. Munn, Michael J. Noyes, Harman G. Reynolds and Pitkin C. Wright.

After the close of the war of the Rebellion in 1865, the bodies here, as elsewhere revived and began to rapidly increase, and the reunions and conventions for reception of postulants were distinguished as very notable occasions in the history of Masonic affairs of the times.

Usually under the immediate supervision of that able, famous and superior ritualist and Masonic workman, Illustrious Brother, Killian H. Van Rensselær 33°, they afforded much enjoyment for the members and great pleasure and satisfaction to the Candidates. So much so was this the case that it is hard to make the older brethren who received the degrees at the hands of Brother Van Rensselær and his efficient assistants, (Ranney, Egan, Brower, Johnson, Blaney, E. B. Stevens et al), believe that we have improved upon their work.

Unfortunately all the records of these bodies were destroyed in the great fire of 1871 and the memory of the older members is about all we have to furnish matter for this sketch.

So far as it can be ascertained, the original members, admitted by Bro. Van Rensselær at the time of the organization in 1856, were: J. V. Z. Blaney, George W. Deering, James E. Dalliba, Robert H. Foss, Wm. B. Herrick, E. J. Higgins, Hosmer A. Johnson, Wm. W. Mitchell, Harman G. Reynolds, Henry C. Ranney, Reuben Taylor and Charles R. Starkweather. The latter having received the degrees at a previous date.

Of these, three are living, viz.: James E. Dalliba, Robert H. Foss and Henry C. Ranney, and but one, Brother Foss, is a member of this Consistory. Most of them were remarkable men and the names of several of them have been renowned in the pages of Masonic history in this and other jurisdictions.

As time rolled on the Grand Consistory of Illinois was organ-

ized by authority received from the Supreme Council at New York, with Walter Augustus Stevens, 33°, as Grand Commander-in-Chief. November 10, 1866, this Illustrious Prince, at the present time one of the Sovereign Grand Inspectors General in this State, granted his letters of dispensation to Chicago Lodge of Perfection, No. 1. There were afterward formed, Chicago Council Princes of Jerusalem, Cœur de Leon Chapter of Rose Croix H-R-D-M, and Chicago Consistory. 32°, S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·.

These organizations under the direction of such active workers as Henry S. Austin, A. C. Millard, J. Ward Ellis, and John D. M. Carr, aided by Brothers Walter A. Stevens, James B. Bradwell, Warren G. Purdy, David R. Crego, Geo. H. Laflin, Edward Goodale and others at once gave a new impetus to the Rite.

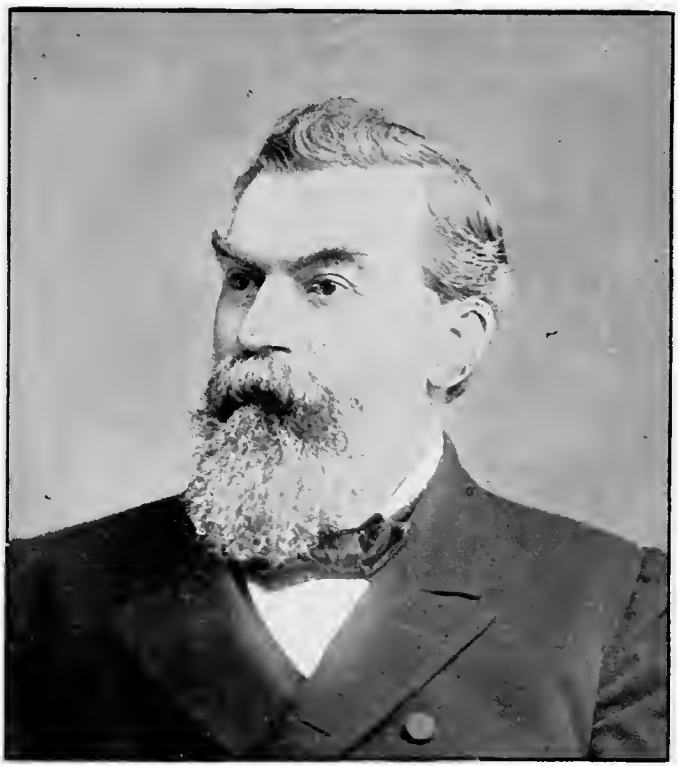
They adopted a new plan for carrying on the work, that of meeting every week and conferring one or more of the degrees at each meeting. This plan proved so successful that it has been continued in vogue to the present time. The Consistory body also, adopted the custom of uniforming the members and parading upon all proper occasions. This practice placed the Rite immediately before the Masonic public, and in contrast with other uniformed Knightly bodies of Masonic character. This action at first provoked considerable criticism and much opposition but after twenty-five years continuance I cannot see that it has done much, if any harm, and to those familiar with the affairs of the Consistory in Chicago, there is the best evidence that it has proved a benefit in many ways. The writer was one of its strongest opponents in the start but is of the opinion now, that in large cities like ours, a uniformed Consistory has its proper place for usefulness among the bodies of the high grades.

Both sets of bodies in this valley continued to prosper as did the others throughout the state, and in 1870 there was in Illinois, eight sets of bodies of the Rite, with a membership of 836, being at that time, the largest number reported in any state under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Council.

In 1869 the Supreme Council adopted the following:

RESOLUTION.

"*Resolved*, That the Supreme Council hereby recommends to the Consistories of the various states under its jurisdiction, as far as practicable, to consolidate their Bodies into one, and where it is desirable that more than one



JOHN O'NEILL, 33°

Received M. M. Degree in Blair Lodge, No. 393, October 11th, 1867; Royal Arch in Washington Chapter No. 43, February 19th, 1869; Royal and Select in Siloam Council October 14th, 1873; Knight Templar in Appollo Commandery No. 1, February 13th, 1872.

Is Past Presiding Officer and member of all of above.

Past D. D. Grand Master third district; Grand Steward; Grand Lecturer, and now Grand Senior Deacon, Grand Lodge of Illinois.

Is Past Grand High Priest of Grand Chapter and Past Grand Master of Grand Council.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. June 25th, 1870, and Inspector General 33°, August 16th 1876.

Is Past Presiding Officer of the Lodge of Perfection, Council of Princes of Jerusalem, and of Oriental Consistory.

Consistory should exist, they should be as far removed from each other as practicable."

The question of consolidation had received considerable attention, and study on the part of those who were interested in the future welfare and prosperity of the Rite, before the above mentioned action of the Supreme Council. This was specially the case in this city, where a considerable feeling of animosity had sprung up between the members of the two Consistories, one of which was conferring the degrees on Knights Templar only and the other continued to adhere to the old plan of only requiring the candidate to be a M. M. To such an extent had this feeling grown that it seemed to many of us, to endanger the peace, harmony and future growth of the Rite in this Valley.

1871–1893.

For the purpose of preserving the record of and the result of the efforts of those most active in accomplishing one of the greatest and most momentous events in the history of these bodies, the following is inserted here, as taken from the report to the Supreme Council in 1871, by our Ill.·.Deputy Bro.·.Vincent L. Hurlbut.

ILLINOIS,

SPECIAL COUNCIL OF DELIBERATION,

ON

THE STATE OF THE RITE IN CHICAGO.

Held January 27th, 1871.

To the Glory of the Grand Architect of the Universe:

The presiding officers of the several Bodies of the A.·. & A.·. Rite in the Valley of Chicago, held a Council of Deliberation at the call of the Deputy for Illinois, at his office in Chicago, on Friday evening, January 27th, 1871, at 8 o'clock. There were present:

ILL.·. BRO.·. VINCENT L. HURLBUT, 33° Deputy for Illinois,

CHICAGO CONSISTORY AND CO-ORDINATE BODIES.

JOHN D. M. CARR, 32°.....Commander-in-Chief.
H. F. HOLCOMB, 32°.....M.·. W.·. and P.·. M.·.
S. A. MCWILLIAMS, 32°.....Sov.·. P.·. G.·. M.·.
REUBEN CLEVELAND, 32°.....T.·. P.·. G.·. M.·.
GIL. W. BARNARD, 32°
A. D. BASCOM, 32°

OCCIDENTAL CONSISTORY AND ITS CO-ORDINATE BODIES.

GILBERT R. SMITH, 33°.....Commander-in-Chief.
HENRY C. RANNEY, 33°.....M.·. W.·. and P.·. M.·.
AMMI M. BENNETT, 32°.....S.·. P.·. G.·. M.·.
THEO. T. GURNEY, 32°.....T.·. P.·. G.·. M.·.
H. N. HURLBUT, 32°
CHARLES H. BROWER, 33°

Vincent L. Hurlbut, 33°, in the chair, and Charles H. Brower, 33°, Secretary.

The Ill.·. Deputy stated the object of the Conference, and after due consultation with each other for the greater prosperity and glory of the Rite in this City, and of devising some equitable plan to consolidate the several bodies of the A.·. & A.·. Rite in this City, with perfect harmony and fraternal feeling, and for the purpose of establishing a *basis* upon which to accomplish the same, it was, on motion of Ill.·. Bro.·. Henry C. Ranney, 33°, unanimously.

Resolved, That the presiding officers of the four Bodies working under the authority of Occidental and Chicago Consistories of the A.·. & A.·. Rite in the Valley of Chicago, together with Ill.·. Bro.·. Vincent L. Hurlbut, 33°, Deputy for Illinois, be a Committee to propose terms of union between the several Bodies who shall report at a future called meeting of this Council, the Thirty-thirds and heads of the several Bodies of the Rite, and if the terms prove satisfactory, the deputy of the district shall request the presiding officers to call meetings of the members of their respective Bodies to act upon the proposition then submitted.

For the purpose of furthering a plan of consolidation, it was on motion of Gilbert R. Smith, 33°, unanimously.

"*Resolved*, That a Sub-Committee be appointed to perfect a plan of consolidation, and report at a future called meeting of this Council."

By and with the consent of the whole, and by nominations from each Body, the following were elected as such Sub-Committee: Reuben Cleveland, 32°, and Gilbert W. Barnard, 32°, on the part of Chicago Consistory, and Henry C. Ranney, 33°, and Theodore T. Gurney, 32°, on the part of Occidental Consistory.

At an adjourned meeting of the Council in the matter of Consolidation of the several Bodies of the A.·. & A.·. Rite in the Valley of Chicago, called by the Ill.·. Deputy Vincent L. Hurlbut, 33°, at his office, pursuant to agreement and notification, on Friday evening, February 3d, 1871, at eight o'clock P. M., there were present:

VINCENT L. HURLBUT, 33°.....HENRY C. RANNEY, 33°
WALTER A. STEVENS, 33°.....EUGENE B. MYERS, 33°
A. C. MILLARD, 33°.....CHARLES. H. BROWER, 33°
GILBERT R. SMITH, 33°.....THEODORE T. GURNEY, 32°
WARREN G. PURDY, 32°.....A. D. BASCOM, 32°
H. F. HOLCOMB, 32°.....H. N. HURLBUT, 32°
GILBERT W. BARNARD, 32°.....REUBEN CLEVELAND, 32°

Vincent L. Hurlbut, 33°, Deputy of Supreme Council for Illinois, in the chair; Chas. H. Brower, 33°, Secretary.

The minutes of last Council of Deliberation, were submitted, and approved.

The Sub-Committee by its Chairman, Henry C. Ranney, 33°, then presented the following report:

Your Sub-Committee on the state of the A.·. & A.·. Rite in this City (Chicago,) are unanimously agreed that there should be but one Body of each Rite in Chicago. The Constitution of the Supreme Council facilitates this



HENRY HARRISON POND, 33°.

Born in Catskill, N. Y., July 15th, 1840.

Master Mason in Cleveland Lodge No. 211, January 14th, 1865; R. A. M. in Fairview Chapter No. 161, April 20th, 1874, Royal and Select Master in Washington Chapter, December 15th, 1877, and Knight Templar in Chicago Commandery No. 19, October 24th, 1874.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. in Chicago Consistory, April 9th, 1869, Inspector General 33°. June 28th, 1872.

Is Past Commander of Chicago Commandery, Past Grand Captain Guards Grand Commandery; Past Most Wise of Gourgas Chapter Rose Croix; and was Commander-in-Chief of Oriental Consistory in 1882,-3,-4; also Special Deputy of the Supreme Council for Illinois in 1883.

change. It appears desirable that there should be but one Consistory in this City, and that a union of the two now in existence should be made immediately, and this not only applies to the Consistory, but to the Chapter, Council and Lodge, Subordinate and Co-ordinate, to and with the same.

It is not considered proper or necessary that both Bodies should give up their Charters, and we have arrived at the conclusion that *this union* can be best served in the interest of the Rite, by the younger Bodies consolidating with the older

Your Committee would recommend that a committee be appointed from each Consistory, or other Body, of the rank of 32°, which Committee shall proceed to formulate a plan of *union*, and in case they disagree shall refer all points of disagreement to one, or not exceeding three arbiters, of the rank of 33°, in or out of this District, who shall decide the terms of consolidation on the subject when such disagreement has risen.

Your committee would, therefore, report the following resolutions:

Resolved, That it is for the best interests of the A.·. & A.·. Rite that the Consistories, Chapters, Councils and Lodges, in this city be consolidated, and prompt and decided action be taken to insure a vigorous union of these several Bodies, thereby placing the Rite in this city on a firmer and uncompromising foundation.

Resolved, That this Committee, realizing the strength which will accrue to the A.·. & A.·. Rite, and the greater unity of feeling and interest in its prosperity which must result from the union of all these bodies, earnestly request the deputy of the district to call duly notified meetings of the respective Bodies, and lay before them the subject of union;

Resolved, That it is expedient for any of the Bodies of the same grade to unite without awaiting the union of the Bodies of any other grade;

Resolved, That among the terms of union, should be the agreement that each and every body should pay its own liabilities, if it has any; that all the members of the Body or Bodies surrendering its charter or charters, (such members being in good standing) *shall* be admitted into the surviving body without fee; that the Honorary Members and Past Officers shall retain their present position, rank, title, and honors; that the regalia, paraphernalia and properties of the bodies shall become the property of the surviving Body. and that immediately after the union the officers of the surviving Body or Bodies shall resign, and the Committee of Conference be requested to nominate a list of officers to be elected by the consolidated Body or Bodies;

Resolved, That it is essential to the prosperity of the A.·. & A.·. Rite, that there should be but one Consistory, Chapter, Council and Lodge in this city, and the Committee heartily recommend the union of Chicago Consistory with Occidental Consistory, Cœur De Leon Sovereign Chapter with Gourgas Chapter; Chicago Council with Illinois Council; Chicago Lodge with Van Rensselær Lodge, and that on the union of these respective Bodies an application be made immediately to the Supreme Council for a change of the name of Oc-

cidental Consistory to Oriental Consistory, and Illinois Council to Chicago Council.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

HENRY C. RANNEY, 33°,
Chairman.

T. T GURNEY, 32°,
Secretary.

On motion of Ill.·. T. T. Gurney, 32°, the report of the Sub-Committee was received, and the preamble and resolutions acted upon *seriatim.*

On motion of Ill.·. G. R. Smith, 33°, the preamble and resolutions as submitted were taken up for final action and votes recorded as follows:

YEAS.

V. L. HURLBUT, 33°	H. F. HOLCOMB, 32°
W. A. STEVENS, 33°	R. CLEVELAND, 32°
H. C. RANNEY, 33°	W. G. PURDY, 32°
G. R. SMITH, 33°	H. N. HURLBUT 32°
E. B. MYERS, 33°	G. W. BARNARD 32°
A. C. MILLARD, 33°	A. D. BASCOM, 32°
C. H. BROWER, 33°	THEODORE T. GURNEY, 32°

NAYS.

J. D. M. CARR, 32°

Fourteen yeas, one nay.

Ill.·. J. D. M. Carr having arrived during the vote on Resolution No. 4, and the matter of business before the Council being stated to him, he recorded his negative vote on the Resolution No. 4, also upon Resolutions Nos. 1, 2 and 3, passed before his arrival.

Ill.·. Bro.·. Walter A. Stevens, 33°, then presented the following:

Resolved, That should a majority of each of the A.·. & A.·. Rite Bodies vote to unite, that each and every member of each, who may not wish to become a member of the Consolidated Body or Bodies, who may be in good and regular standing, may be permitted to dimit from the respective Body or Bodies to which they may belong, after the vote of union has passed.

The vote on the adoption of Ill.·. Bro.·. W. A. Stevens, 33°, resolution was as follows:

Ill.·. Brethren V. L. Hurlbut, Stevens, Ranney, Smith, Myers, Millard, Brower, Holcomb, Cleveland, Purdy, H. N. Hurlbut, Gurney, Bascom and Barnard voted yea—14; Ill.·. Bro.·. John D. M. Carr voted nay—1.

On motion of Ill.·. T. T. Gurney, 32° the Council adjourned, subject to the call of the Ill.·. Deputy V. L. Hurlbut, 33°, when the matter, in his judgment, is deemed necessary.

COMMUNICATION AND ORDERS.

From the Ill.·. Deputy of the Supreme Council for Illinois.

Dated CHICAGO, February 7, 1871.

To the T.·. P.·. Grand Master. Wardens and Brethren of Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection—GREETING.

At the session of the Supreme Council. June 19, 1869, a resolution was adopted recommending to the Consistories of the various states under its jurisdiction as far as practicable, to consolidate their Bodies into one, thus forming one Consistory for each State. Feeling that the unfortunate differences existing between the Bodies here are gradually but surely wearing away, and believing that it is for the best interest of the Rite in this city, at least, to unite their strength and influence by consolidating the two Consistories and their sub or co-ordinate Bodies, we called a council of deliberation of the Thirty-thirds and chiefs of the several Bodies of the A.·. & A.·. Rite, at our office, Friday evening, January 27, 1871, to consider the feasibility of a union of the same, and the basis upon which it could be effected:

Such a train of unfortunate circumstances and influences had conspired to widen the breach and discourage this object that we had many fears as to our ability to reorganize upon a united basis, harmonious in action, for substantial work and an ultimately grand success. But we were most agreeably disappointed; for instead of personal ambition interposing opposition to this grand object the good of the Rite has been the motive that has overcome all such obstacles, and thus far we are working unitedly and harmoniously. The signs are every way most favorable and encouraging for the consummation of so desirable an end; for at an adjourned meeting of the Council of Deliberation held at our office Friday evening, February 3, 1871, the accompanying preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted, the second of which earnestly request the Deputy of the District to call duly notified meetings of the respective Bodies, and lay before them the subject of union for their consideration and action.



CLASS OF MAY 25th, 1882.

1. John W. Wainwright,
2. Charles E. Lightner,
3. Milton C. Springer,
4. William S. Downs,
5. Lyman A. Budlong,
6. Ansel H. Huling,
7. William W. Flinn,
8. John Nichol,
9. Charles T. Parkes.
10. Franz Schack,
11. Canute R. Matson,
12. Charles L. Sackett,
13. Winfield S. Ellis,
14. Otho H. Morgan,
15. Alonzo J. Drummond,
16. Benjamin F. Foster,
17. Henry H. Remington,
18. Philip Maas.

GENERAL ORDERS. NO. 1.

Ill.·. Reuben Cleveland, 32°.

T.·. P.·. Grand Master of Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection:

In accordance with the earnest request of the Council of Deliberation, I hereby order that you call a notified meeting of the officers and members of your Lodge, on Friday evening, February 17, 1871, to take action upon the question of uniting the two Lodges of Perfection in this City, and the adoption or rejection of the preamble and resolutions issuing from the Council of Deliberation, which you will cause to be read, and report to me the action taken immediately thereafter.

VINCENT L. HURLBUT, 33°,
Deputy of the Supreme Council for Illinois.

The Ill.·. Deputy also submitted the following communication, relative to the mode of proceeding in cases of consolidation, as adopted by the Supreme Council.

"The Body which is to cease to exist must, by a majority vote of the members at a notified meeting for the purpose, vote to surrender their Charter and to assent to unite themselves with the Body whose existence is to continue. The latter named body must by a majority vote decide to receive all the members of the other Body." In consideration of this proposition, I beg you will rise above all personal feelings, draw the veil over the past, and thus, unprejudiced, work for the best good of the Rite for the future. Actuated by this feeling, and the principles of universal love and toleration, there need be no clashing of opinions, and the end is not doubtful.

Courteously yours,
VINCENT L. HURLBUT, 33°.
Deputy of the Supreme Council for Illinois.

It is here especially noted, that the communication and order as the foregoing, with the proper nomenclature, was addressed to all the Bodies sub and co-ordinate with .Occidental and Chicago Consistories in this City.

J. B. SLICHTER, 32°,
Grand Secretary.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE COMMITTEE OF CONFERENCE.

A meeting of the Committee of Conference was held on Thursday evening, March 9th, 1871. There were present:—

HENRY C. RANNEY, 33° CHARLES H. BROWER, 33° SAMUEL BROWN, 32°	In behalf of Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection.
REUBEN CLEVELAND, 32° GILBERT W. BARNARD, 32° DANIEL J. AVERY, 32°	In behalf of Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection.

After a full and frank discussion the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The Council of Deliberation of the A.·. & A.·. Rite, held in Chicago, February 3d, 1871, recommended a union of the Bodies Subordinate and Co-ordinate with the same; and

Whereas, The recommendations of the Council have been adopted by a majority of Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection, at a regular notified meeting; and

Whereas, Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection has also adopted the recommendations of the aforesaid Council, and by their action agree to surrender their Charter to the Ill.·. Deputy of the District; and

Whereas, Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection, in accordance with the recommendations of said Council, hereby agree to receive all Grand Elect, Perfect and Sublime Masons into its membership (if in good standing in their Sister Lodge) without fee or other obstructions; therefore,

Resolved, That each of the Lodges of Perfection here represented, pay their own liabilities.

Resolved, That Ill.·. Brothers Theodore T. Gurney, 32°, and Reuben Cleveland, 32°, are hereby appointed a Committee, to attend to all financial matters of Van Rensselær and Chicago Lodges of Perfection after the union, with full power to settle the same.

Resolved, That the Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection shall surrender to Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection, all its funds, regalia, paraphernalia, and other property of which it may be possessed, and that the funds and property of both Bodies then stand in a position of property belonging to all the members of Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection, as the surviving Body.

Resolved, That all Past Officers and Honorary Members of Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection *shall* retain all their rights, rank, titles and privileges in the Body to which they unite themselves, and be classed as Past Officers or Honorary Members, as the case may be, in Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection, the register of their standing being determined by the time to which they were elected to such honorary dignity on their retirement from office.

Resolved, That on the call of the Ill.·. Deputy of the District, the officers and members of the two Lodges of Perfection shall meet in their respective halls, and complete such business as may properly come before them, and that the Thrice Potent Grand Master of Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection, shall notify the Thrice Potent Grand Master of Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection, that he is in readiness to receive and welcome them into membership on report of the Ill.·. Deputy, that the Charter of said last named lodge of Perfection has been duly surrendered to him.

Resolved, That immediately after the aforesaid union, the officers of both Bodies shall resign, and with the consent of the Ill.·. Deputy, the united Body, to be known and recognized as Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection, shall proceed to fill the vacancies and to complete the business for which they were raised. The Committee of Conference recommend that, the Thrice Potent Grand Master be elected from Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection, and the balance of the officers alternately from the two Bodies.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands, this ninth day of March, A. D. 1871.

HENRY C. RANNEY, 33°	On the part of Van Rensselær Grand Lodge.
CHARLES H. BROWER, 33°	
SAMUEL BROWN, 32°	
GILBERT W. BARNARD, 32°	On the part of Chicago Grand Lodge.
REUBEN CLEVELAND, 32°	
DANIEL J. AVERY, 32°	

It is here noted that similar Committees were appointed by all the Bodies sub and co-ordinate with Occidental and Chicago Consistories, and substantially the same reports submitted to all the aforesaid Bodies, and adopted by them.

J. B. SLICHTER, 32°,
Grand Secretary.

Office of the Ill.·. Deputy for Illinois,
CHICAGO, March 17, 1871.

GENERAL ORDERS NO. 2.

Ill.·. Bro.·. Reuben Cleveland, 32°. T.·. P.·. G.·. M.·. of Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection—

GREETING:

Know ye, that whereas, Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection and Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection, of this city, have agreed to a union of these Bodies, the terms of which union have been determined by a joint Committee of Conference, appointed by each Body respectively, in accordance to the recommendations of the Council of Deliberation held February 3, 1871, it is therefore hereby ordered, that a joint meeting of these two Bodies afore-



CLASS OF OCTOBER 6th, 1882.

1. Frank D. Higbee,
2. Loyal L. Smith,
3. George F. Tincher,
4. Perry H. Smith, Jr.
5. William M. Holmes,
6. Curt Heinfelden,
7. Lewis Williams,
8. Lewis C. Seeley, M. D.
9. John S. Sargent,
10. Edward A. Mesler,
11. William D. Storey,
12. Oris C. Palmateer,
13. Arthur D. H. Silver,
14. Wilbur C. Hadley,
15. Samuel P. Leland,
16. Carlon C. Aldrich,
17. Lathrop Perkins,
18. Miles G. Simons,
19. Edward R. Quincey,
20. Thomas W Johnstone,
21. Zerah S. Pratt,
22. Harvey P. Buxton,
23. William H. Curtin,
24. Joseph Hobbs,
25. Frank E. Land,
26. George A. Tryner,
27. Samuel A. Steele,
28. Manerd Hamilton,
29. Frederick Becker,
30. John T. Thompson,
31. Neal K. Martin,
32. Charles E. Caldwell, M. D.
33. Alfred Oldfield,
34. George K. Jones,
35. William H. Thompson, Jr.
36. Millard F. Riggle,
37. Bayard E. Hand,
38. Rudolph Brand,
39. William J Malley,
40. Morris J. Moth,
41. Harry A. Hammond,
42. George W. Ludlow,
43. John M. Rice.

said be held on Friday evening, March 24, 1871, to consummate the final reunion of the same, according to the recommendation and provision of said Committee.

Courteously yours,

VINCENT L. HURLBUT, 33°,

Deputy of the Supreme Council for Ill.

The foregoing order was addressed under the proper nomenclature to all the Bodies sub and co-ordinate with Occidental and Chicago Consistories in this city.

J. B. SLICHTER, 32°,

Grand Secretary.

Office of Deputy for Illinois,
CHICAGO, March 24, 1871.

To Ill.·. Reuben Cleveland, 32°, T.·. P.·. G.·. M.·. of Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection, Officers and Members—

GREETING:

To anticipate and thus prevent unnecessary discussion, misunderstanding and embarrassment, I would recommend that, before the formal union of Chicago and Van Rensselær Grand Lodges of Perfection, you follow the precedent established by the late Supreme Councils, prior to their union, for the election of officers; that is, let each Body elect the officers to fill the several offices to which it is entitled by the terms of the union, and immediately thereafter transmit the list thereof to the other body for ratification.

Believing that every well-wisher of this union would very much dislike to dictate to either Body whom they shall elect to said positions, much less for one Body to dictate to the other, I have thus addressed the T.·. P.·. Grand Masters, officers and members of each Body, that there need not be even the semblance of such a disposition on the part of the members of either Body.

Reposing the fullest confidence in your favorable consideration.

I am, Courteously yours,

VINCENT L. HURLBUT, 33°,

Deputy of the Supreme Council for Illinois.

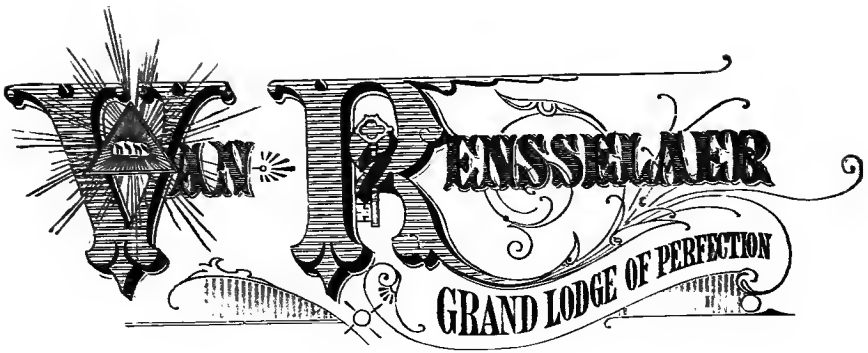
The foregoing communication, under the proper nomenclature, was addressed to all the Bodies, sub and co-ordinate with Occidental and Chicago Consistories in this city.

J. B. SLICHTER, 32°,

Grand Secretary.

In accordance with General Order No. 2, (current series), both Lodges of Perfection met on Friday evening, March 24th, at their respective halls. Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection having complied with the terms of union, and surrendered its charter to the Ill.·. Deputy of the Supreme Council for Illinois, a full list of names of members of Chicago Grand Lodge of Perfection was presented and read, and were received in full membership of Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection and there entered upon its rolls.

The officers of Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection, in accordance with the terms of union, resigned their several stations. The Ill.·. Deputy of the Supreme Council for Illinois took the East, when the following officers (who having been duly elected and chosen as per terms of Conference Committee) were presented for installation. The Ill.·. Deputy for Illinois, assisted by Ill.·. Bro.·. Henry C. Ranney, 33°, as Grand Marshall and Ill.·. Bro.·. Gilbert R. Smith, 33°, to assist in the investiture, proceeded to install the following officers of



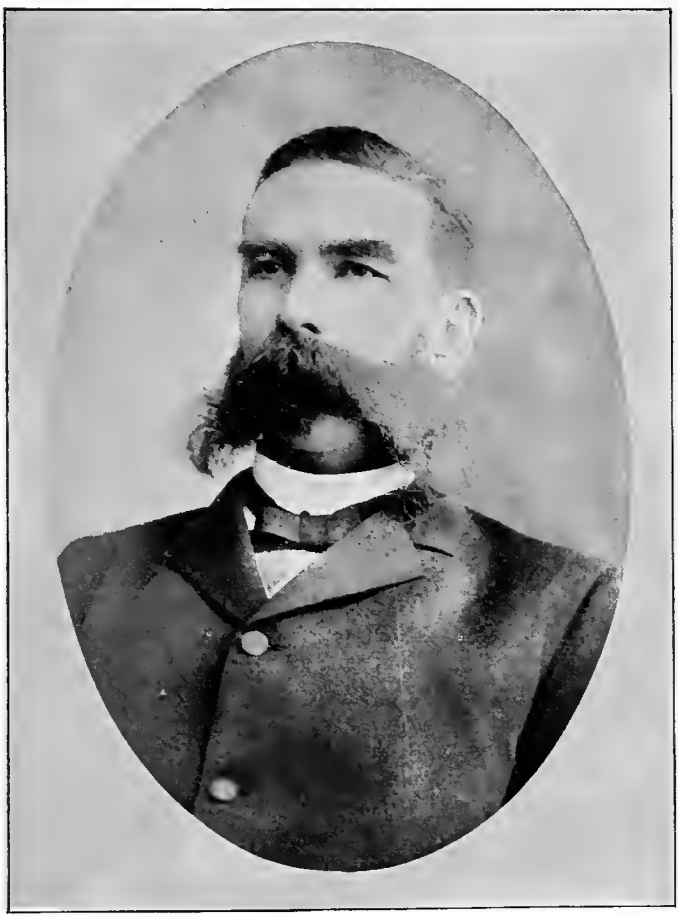
GILBERT W. BARNARD, 32°.....T.·. P.·. Grand Master.
CHARLES H BROWER, 33°.....Ill.·. Deputy H.·. of T.·.
HENRY H. POND, 32°.....Gr.·. Senior Warden.
FRED A. WHEELER, 32°.....Gr.·. Junior Warden.
EDWARD J. HILL, 32°.....Gr.·. Orator.
EUGENE B. MYERS, 33°.....Gr.·. Treasurer.
JACOB BEN. SLICHTER, 32°.....Gr.·. Secretary.
HOMER N. HIBBARD, 32°.....Gr.·. Master of C.·.
JAMES L. BRIGGS, 32°.....Gr.·. Capt.·. of Guard.
HORATIO N. HURLBUT, 32°.....Gr.· Hosp.·. Bro.·.
JOHN P. FERNS, 32°.....Gr.·. Tyler.

After installation and after a few congratulatory remarks by the T.·. P.·. G.·. M.·., the following addresses were delivered and were ordered to be spread upon the minutes of Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection.

ADDRESS OF ILL.·. THEODORE T. GURNEY, 32°.

On retiring from office at the time of Union of the two Lodges of Perfection.

BRETHREN:—This is a time for rejoicing. None feel the inspiration of the occasion more than myself. For years I have believed that these two Bodies could not long remain apart. This action is for prosperity, and those who come after us will render thanks for the spirit which actuated this assembly. If in time to come the sight grows dim with age, the body yielding to the cares and infirmities of life, and the careworn mind seeking the pleasant memories of the past, we can always look back to this consummation as one of the bright spots in the dusty and broken pathway of our pilgrimage, with the consciousness of having added our testimony to the worth of Masonry, by giving this Union our earnest and cordial support. This happy fraternization, my brethren, has not been accomplished without a struggle. We who



ALFRED RUSSELL, 33°

Born in Boston, Massachusetts, April 7th, 1836.

Master Mason in Garden City Lodge, No. 141, August 25th, 1866; R. A. M. in Washington Chapter No. 43, February 26th, 1875. Knight Templar, in Apollo Commandery No. 1, April 6th, 1875.

Royal and Select Master in Siloam Council No. 53, October 16th, 1875.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. in Oriental Consistory March 27th, 1873, Inspector General 33° September 16th, 1879.

Is Past Master of Garden City Lodge. Past Sov.·. P.·. Grand Master Chicago Council P.·. of J.·. and was Commander-in-Chief of Oriental Consistory in 1885,-6,-7, also is Grand Treasurer of the Illinois Council of Deliberation.

have favored it from its conception have made no sacrifices; but good men, true and tried in Masonic obligations have from the first qustioned its propriety, and only yielded their convictions to what a large majority believed was for the well-being of the Rite. A few remain unreconciled; but in the spirit of a true, fraternal manhood, are disposed to suspend further judgment and be guided by results. Blot from your recollections, therefore, unguarded expressions, incident to earnest and excited debate; give no place to the prejudices and unpleasant reminiscences of the past, but, on the contrary, in the love we have been taught to cherish for the household of the faithful, and the brotherhood of our race, we will emulate each other in a generous forgetfulness of everything that may have, for the time being, placed a barrier to the full fruition of Masonic charity.

I feel the utmost confidence in a glorious future for the united Body. Its example will be felt, and, I hope, acted upon, throughout our State.

ADDRESS OF THE ILL.·. DEPUTY OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL.

To the Members of Van Rensselaer Lodge of Perfection.

No language my feeble tongue can command could give adequate expression to the feelings that possess me. No words can express the regret and sorrow with which I have watched dissensions between those bound together by the most sacred ties and obligations — alienations between hearts that ought to beat as one in generous confidence and fraternal affection.

For all this past I have no censure, only regrets, blended with thankfulness that it is gone, thank God! beyond recall; so I turn with a shudder from that chilling night of conflict to the flush, the warmth, the gladness of this new dawn of reconciliation and peace. Let no cloud of resentment mar the sky or dim the brightness of this hour. Let it all be buried. It was but the lovers quarrel ending in a better understanding and a more cordial and generous appreciation, a more tender and constant embrace. I cannot tell you how much I thank you for your manly aid in this work of reconciliation, crowned at last with success. Grandly have you illustrated the maxim. "It is human to err but God-like to forgive." We have all come to feel that human nature, at best is weak and frail—that human passions are infirm—that human judgment is fallible—that in our sincerest endeavors we are liable to err—that when we have done all and the best we could we shall still need both human and divine forbearance and charity, and so with a sense of common imperfection and dependence, we have vowed to forgive as we would be forgiven, and henceforth have one purpose, one aim, one life of manly effort to achieve a common good by unitedly working for the best interest of the beloved Rite.

I feel that I can rely upon your hearty co-operation to finish the work so well begun, and make this reconciliation complete; and if there should be any little details to perfect the union yet to be considered, you will do your duty as brothers in the most cordial manner and with a generous forgetfulness of all past differences. I cannot close these expressions of congratulations with-

out adding a word of fraternal advice and warning, suggested by the past. In the settlement of the difference which have unhappily divided us, we are not doing a work demanded by individual justice only but are serving a grand and glorious cause, which is consecrated by oft-repeated vows, by many a solemn pledge, by many a holy tie, many sacred memories of other scenes and other times, by solemn thought and recollections of those who have toiled and triumphed with us, but whose presence we shall know no more on earth.

Not for us alone is this grasp of reconciling hands across the gulf of separation, but for the good name of Freemasonry, which to us is so dear, and of which we are pre-eminently the vindicators and defenders. We stand on the pledges of its fidelity and honor, as the highest fruitage of its multiform and elaborate designs, and its accumulated wisdom and experience.

Let this union be real and permanent, and all grades of Masonry will be quickened by a new impulse, will be inspired by a new courage and zeal. Let this union be real, and the combined ability and experience it will command will give this Rite a character and influence for incalculable good.

And now, my brothers, let this sad experience, of which we see the end, furnish us a warning for all time to come. Let it teach us how easily friends may be alienated by differences even slight at first, but aggravated and increased by personal wilfulness, conceit, or obstinacy, until they become impassible barriers. Slight misunderstandings have often separated the best of friends, producing life-long estrangement and bitterness where there should have been constant regard. Hence permanent alienations that blight the fairest hopes of life produces so much sorrow, making the dearest memory a constant pang, might have been healed if passion and resentment had been laid aside, and when the first misunderstanding arose had there been an eagerness to meet and reconcile, instead of going apart to brood over real or fancied wrongs, until a fearful harvest of suspicion and resentment had overshadowed the soul.

Let us learn to be considerate and generous, never grow apart, but always grow together — so near to each other that there shall be no room for the smallest devil to thrust his smallest weapon between us.

Once more I thank you for this hour, this reconciliation, which your charity and good will alone have made possible, asking you to bury all the past which should not live, and go hand in hand with me to the noble labors and triumphs of the future, trusting that no cloud shall ever again arise to dim the sky or chill the air of our blended hopes and mutual charity, and thus forevermore keep the chain bright that binds our hearts together in fraternal embrace.

VINCENT L. HURLBUT.

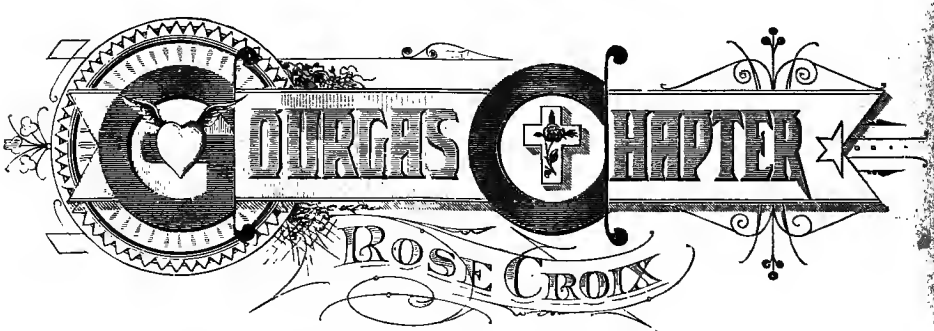
On the 17th of March, A. D. 1871, the Ill.·. Deputy of the Supreme Council for Illinois, issued his order under the proper nomenclature, and directed to the presiding officers of the two Councils of Princes of Jerusalem in this City, of which the following is a true copy. (Same as in Lodge of Perfection.)



And the following officers were duly invested.

JAMES H. PADDOCK, 32°.....M.·. E.·. S.·. P.·. G.·. M.·.
A. D. BASCOM, 32°.....M.·. E.·. G.·. H.·. P.·.
FRED A. WHEELER, 32°.....M.·. E.·. G.·. S.·. W.·.
WILLIAM H. RIED, 32°.....M.·. E.·. G.·. J.·. W.·.
JOHN CORCRAN, 32°.....M.·. E.·. G.·. M.·. of C.·.
HENRY S. AUSTIN, 32°.....V.·. Gr.·. Treasurer.
JAMES H. MILES, 32°.....V.·. K.·. of S.·.
JAMES F. STEWART, 32°.....V.·. K.·. M.·. of Ent.·.
LOCKWOOD K. OSBORNE, 32°.....V.·. Gr.·. Tyler.

On April 6, 1871, the same action was had in the two Chapters of Rose Croix and this list of officers installed:



H. F. HOLCOMB, 32°.....M.·. W.·. and P.·. M.·.
L. E. BULLOCK, 32°.....P.·. Kt.·. S.·. W.·.
DANIEL J. AVERY, 32°.....P.·. Kt.·. J.·. W.·.
T. T. OVIATT, 32°.....P.·. Kt.·. M.·. of C.·.
HENRY S. AUSTIN, 32°.....P.·. Kt.·. Treasurer.
JAMES H. MILES, 32°.....P.·. Kt.·. Secretary.
ALEXANDER WOLCOTT, 32°.....P.·. Kt.·. Hos.·. Bro.·.
HORATIO N. HURLBUT 32°.....Grand Orator.
AARON L. BROWN, 32°.....Captain of Guard.



CLASS OF NOVEMBER 24th, 1882.

1. Ebenezer Barber,
2. Samuel Rawson,
3. Douglas Hapeman,
4. Augustus L. Webster,
5. Livingston T. Dickason,
6. Hiram P. Blackburn,
7. Thomas E. McKinlay,
8. William Greig,
9. Arthur E. Carpenter,
10. John M. Pearson.
11. Samuel H. Fields,
12. George Ryall,
13. Thomas B. Galbraith,
14. Leonard C. Riggs,
15. John A. Sweet,
16. Frank E. Hooker,
17. James M. Aubery,
18. Theodore D. Williams,
19. Lloyd D. Richardson,
20. William F. Brabrook,
21. Edwin L. Sherman,
22. Magnus Anderson,
23. Henry Baker,
24. John P. Norvell,
25. James F. Tenney,
26. Franz Amberg,
27. John J. McGill,
28. Alfred B. Parker.

The retiring officer, the M.·. W.·. and P.·. M.·. Henry C. Ranney, 33°, delivered the following address:

Before resigning my gavel to the Ill.·. Deputy, I shall detain you but a few moments. To-night is consummated the union of our Rose Croix Chapters, and the reception of the members of Cœur de-Leon Sovereign Chapter into one strong and united Body. It is well known to all of you, that no one was more bitterly opposed to the establishment of the Bodies known as the "Chicago Bodies," but time has blotted out these feelings, and to-day no one is more strongly in favor of union and consolidation than myself. My Brothers, it was a very happy augury for the good work we are now completing, that these Chapters were the first to vote for a union, and thus most beautifully exemplified that lesson of Charity or Love, the greatest of all virtues, and a distinguishing characteristic of this degree. And now, on Holy Thursday, we can say, in the language of our ritual, "Consummatumest."

It was a happy thought on the part of our Ill.·. Deputy, that our union should be fixed for this night, above all others, for it is our annual election and sacred feast day—a feast to be partaken of in quietness and in the sanctity of our council chamber—a feast instituted by our blessed Lord himself, on this day that we commemorate, and one that has been of great and endless comfort to millions of our race.

Remember what this Last Supper was followed by, and you can see why we give it special sanctity. With permission of your Most Wise elect, I shall complete the works of this union with the Ceremony of the Table—eating and drinking together, as a sacred pledge of union. Brothers, my term of office has now expired; and, thanking you all for many courtesies in the past, and hoping all things we have done have been done for and will redound to the glory of the A.·. & A.·. Rite. I conclude in these old familiar words of the Royal Psalmist:

"Behold how good and how pleasant a thing it is for Brethren to dwell together in unity. It is like the precious ointment upon the head, that ran down upon the beard, even Aaron's beard which went down to the skirts of his garments; like the dew of Hermon, that descended upon the mountain of Zion, for there the Lord commanded a blessing even life for evermore."

In pursuance to the foregoing order from the Ill.·. Deputy of the Supreme Council for Illinois, both Consistories of S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. met on Thursday evening, April 27, 1871.

Chicago Consistory having complied with the terms of union and surrendered its Charter to the Ill.·. Deputy of the Supreme Council for Illinois, and presented a full list of the names of members of Chicago Consistory, which was read and received in full membership of Occidental Sovereign Consistory, and their names recorded and entered upon its rolls, in absence of the Ill.·. Deputy, Vincent L. Hurlbut, 33°, Ill.·. Bro.·. Hosmer A. Johnson,

33°, Sov.·. G.·. Ins.·. G.·. of the Supreme Council for the N.·. M.·. J.·. of the U. S. A., took the Grand East and read the following communication:

CHICAGO, April 21, 1871.

To all Whom it may concern—GREETING:

Reposing the fullest confidence in the discretion, ability and wisdom of Ill.·. Hosmer A. Johnson, 33°, Sov.·. G.·. I.·. G.·. of the Supreme Council for the N.·. M.·. J.·. of the U. S. A., we hereby authorize and empower him to receive the Charter, books and records of Chicago Consistory, and to discharge and perform all duties that would appertain to us, as Deputy of Illinois, in effecting the formal union of Occidental and Chicago Consistories of this city, as per recommendations of the joint Committee of Conference appointed by each of said Bodies respectively. And we do hereby invest said Ill.·. Hosmer A. Johnson, 33°, with the full power with which we are possessed as Ill.·. Deputy for Illinois, during our absence.

Given under our hand and seal, hereunto affixed, at the Orient aforesaid near the B.·. B.·. and under the C.·. C.·., the 20th day of the Hebrew month Nisan, A.·. M.·. 5631, corresponding with the 20th day of April, V.·. E.·., 1871.

VINCENT L. HURLBUT, 33°,

[SEAL.] *Deputy of Supreme Council for Illinois.*

Therefore, in accordance with the terms of union (the Ill.·. Deputy Hosmer A. Johnson, 33°, occupying the Grand East), the officers of Occidental Consistory resigned their several stations, when the Ill.·. Deputy ordered a new election of officers, when it was found that the following officers were unanimously elected.

Ill.·. HENRY C. RANNEY, 33°.....Commander-in-Chief.
Ill.·. WARREN G. PURDY, 32°..... 1st Lieut.·. Com.·.
Ill.·. FRED A. WHEELER, 32°.....2d Lieut.·. Com.·.
Ill.·. EDWARD J. HILL, 32°..... Gr.·. M.·. of State.
Ill.·. JAMES H. MILES, 32°.....Gr.·. Chancellor.
Ill.·. JACOB B. SLICHTER 32°.....Gr.·. Secretary.
Ill.·. EUGENE B. MYERS, 33°.....Gr.·. Treasurer.
Ill.·. EVERETT ST. JOHN, 32°.....Gr.·. Ar.·. and Eng.·.
Ill.·. HORATIO N. HURLBUT, 32°.....Gr.·. Hospitaller.
Ill.·. HENRY H. POND, 32°.....Gr.·. M.·. of C.·.
Ill.·. TRACY T. OVIATT, 32°.....Gr.·. Standard Bearer.
Ill.·. JOSEPH GALLAGHER, 32°.....Gr.·. Capt.·. of Guard.
Ill.·. LOCKWOOD K. OSBORNE, 32°.....Gr.·. Sentinel.

Ill.·. Hosmer A. Johnson, 33°, acting for the Ill.·. Deputy of the Supreme

Council for Illinois, and assisted by Ill.·. Gilbert R. Smith, 33°, and Charles H. Brower, 30°, regularly installed the officers elect of Occidental Consistory.

Ill.·. Bro.·. Johnson, in behalf of the Deputy of the District, congratulated the Brethren upon the accomplishment of the work of consolidation. The theory of Masonic Unity was thus in fact realized. Whatever differences may have heretofore existed in thought or feeling; whatever discrepancy in work or usage, will, under the influence of brotherly love and common interests, entirely disappear. He trusted that henceforth among us all, there will be found only that generous rivalry of who can best work and best agree. Time, that heals so many wounds, that obliterates so many scars, that ought to bring such added strength and such increased wisdom, will do for us what it has done for others.

He urged the Brethren, leaving those things that are behind, to press forward until all hoped for good, pursued with unfaltering faith, shall become matter of glad fruition; while "Charity, fairest and favorite maid of light," shall guide us through this troublesome world to that peaceful Asylum for which the labors of time should constitute a preparation.

J. B. SLICHTER, 32°,

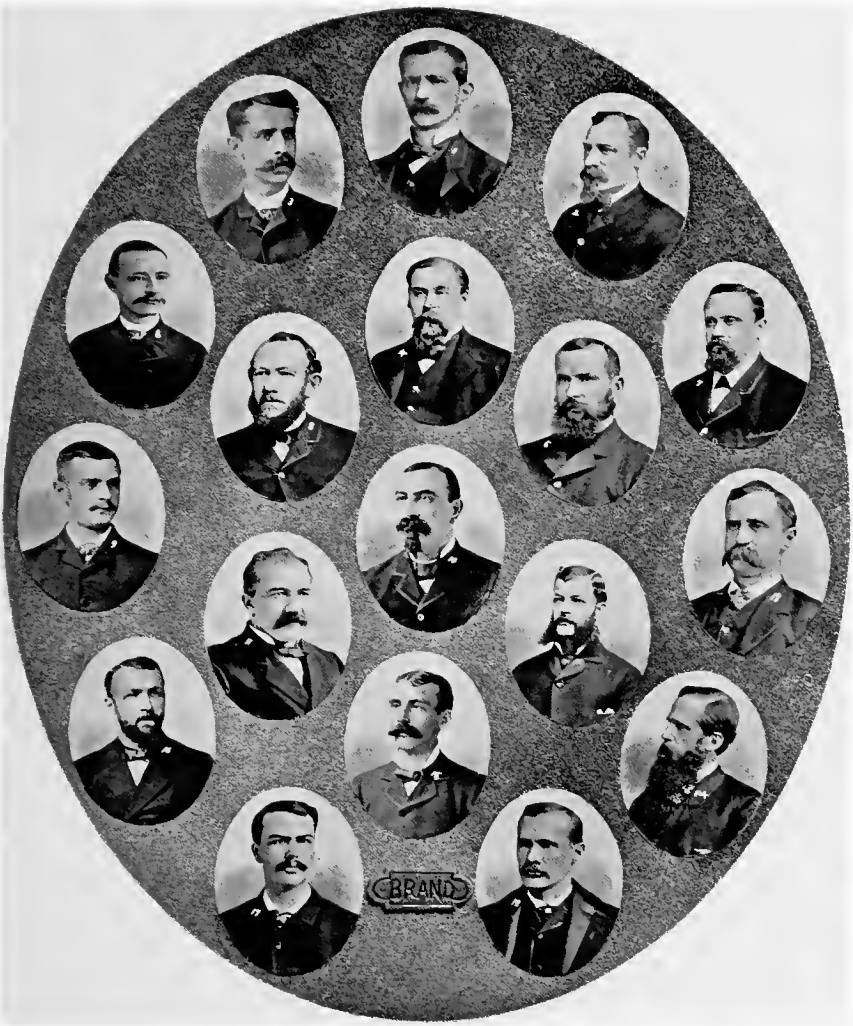
Grand Secretary.

Very naturally, the consolidation of the Bodies in this valley did not entirely allay the feelings existing among the members and, the opportunity afforded by the terms of the agreement, that, any one not desiring to become a member of the united bodies, might be dimitted, was taken advantage of by a large number and was the cause of reducing the membership very materially.

This did not, however, retard the good results anticipated by those who had been urgent in promoting the union, for the new officers continued the custom already adopted in the "Chicago Bodies," (holding meetings each week) and a rapid development of the beauties of the degrees was at once began and were continued with the best possible prospects for the future, when we were suddenly assailed by that fearful calamity, the great fire of October 9th, 1871.

Then all was chaos and everything was swept away, apartments, paraphernalia, charters, books, relics and uniforms of the Princes.

Of the great loss that befel our city in 1871, and in which these bodies suffered, alike with all others situated in the "burnt district;" I can find no better way to sum it up than to again turn



CLASS OF MARCH 31st, 1883.

1. Frederick F. Handrup,
2. Willoughby J. Edbrooke,
3. Martin R. D. Cobb,
4. Heman R. Allen,
5. Henry P. French,
6. Hans N. Hansen,
7. Charles E. Meyer,
8. Thomas Dowling,
9. Otto Reiss,
10. John J. Badenoch,
11. John Buehler,
12. Isaac Reynolds,
13. Charles E. Barrett,
14. Obed W. Wallis,
15. Harry B. Orr,
16. Robert L. Tatham,
17. Frederick S. James,
18. Benjamin R. Chamberlin.

to the report of our active, eloquent and energetic Deputy, Ill.·. Brother Vincent L. Hurlbut, which he made to the Council of Deliberation in 1872, as follows:

ADDRESS OF THE ILL.·. DEPUTY.

Ill.·. Brethren:

By the kindness and courtesy of Cleveland Lodge, A. F. & A. M., we meet in their Hall, to exchange fraternal greetings, and discharge duties that demand our care and attention as a Council of Deliberation. I need not remind you that the conditions under which we last assembled, in this capacity, are sadly changed. Then we could proudly welcome you to our city, as the scene of unexampled prosperity and progress—the marvel of all the centuries. To-day we have little to exhibit but lengthened miles of desolation. Then we could offer accommodations and hospitalities, most inviting and sumptuous; to-day we can only ask you to partake of homely fare, in the crowded and unpretending retreats which misfortune gladly accepted as a shelter from the pitiless storms. Then we assembled in the inner courts of our Temple, made sacred by long and undisturbed possession, and by thronging memories of past associations, by all the hallowed memorials which had ben gathered. To-day we have nothing left but the memory; the memorials have vanished, the sacred vessels and vestments have been seized by a remorseless foe whose ear is deaf to every prayer for restoration; our Temple is laid low; not one stone upon another that has not been thrown down.

But this terrible visitation by fire, which rendered so many of our brethren homeless and penniless; which destroyed the halls and paraphernalia of the several bodies of our Rite in this city, was not wholly a calamity; it had its blessed compensations. Sad, indeed, if we have not learned some useful lessons in passing through such an ordeal.

In speaking for myself I am sure I speak for all the brethren who reside in this city, when I gratefully recognize the chastening hand which has wounded only to heal; to arouse a manlier courage; to unfold neglected energy; to moderate and chasten ambition; to rebuke improvidence and recklessness; to develope a prudent care and a wise precaution.

Nor is this all or the best of the blessings that have ripened in the footsteps of trials. It was worth more than any material rule can measure to see so vast a flame kindled upon the neglected altars of a common brotherhood. The great fire did something more and better than to sweep away our wealth and the fairest work of our hands. It burned up whole mountains of the dross of worldly selfishness; it melted the icy barriers that divide sects and parties; it dissolved all jealousies and envyings, and hatreds, and left the unperverted soul free to assert its holiest tendencies and pour out a generous tide of Godlike charities. God, who made a way for the lightning of the thunder, sent His quickest servant of His will to tell to the dwellers of all the land from ocean to ocean, and other millions across the seas, the story of our peril and our need, and every trembling wire bore back the messages of a World's

unbounded sympathy, and every whitening sail and every panting, fiery steed hastened to bring a World's unstinted measure of relief.

The ready sympathy expressed, and the prompt and generous aid afforded by both the Northern and Southern Jurisdictions, demand of us a grateful recognition.

As soon as the tidings of our great calamity reached Most Puissant Josiah H. Drummond, 33°, he issued a brief but comprehensive circular to the bodies of the Rite in the N. M. Jurisdiction, to send immediate aid to the distressed sufferers here, to which most generous response was given.

The Supreme council expressed unbounded sorrow for our affliction, remitted all dues remaining unpaid to date, and contributed $1,300 for the relief of the various bodies of the Rite in this city, as follows: $500 to Oriental Consistory; $200 to Gourgas Chapter Rose X; and $300 each to Chicago Council of Pr.·. of Jerusalem and Van Rensselær Gr.·. Lodge of Perfection.

Equally prompt was the action of Ill.·. Bro. Albert Pike, 33°, Most P.·. Sov.· Gr.·. Commander of the Southern Sup.·. Council, who issued an Encyclical letter to all the bodies in his jurisdiction, speaking from his great loving soul touching words of appeal and sympathy; contributing of his own limited means $25 to our relief.

The following is a list of all donations sent by both Jurisdictions:

N. M. J.		S. M. J.	
Cincinnati, Ohio:		Albert Pike, 33°, Sov.·. Gr.·. C.·.	$ 25 00
per E. T. Carson, 33°,....	$2,050 00	Burlington bodies, Iowa, per M. E. Gillett, 32°	100 00
Pennsylvania:		*Maryland:*	
Philadelphia bodies	250 00	Sundry Subs., Baltimore	100 00
Pottsville	68 50	*Oregon:*	
New Hampshire:		Portland, pr J. C. Ainsworth	140 28
C.·. Pr.·. of Jer.·. Portsm'th,	100 00	Salem; Albert Pike Gr.·. L.·. of Per.·.	28 70
Indiana:			
Adoniram L.·. of Per.·. Indianapolis	100 00		
Michigan:			
Detroit bodies	50 00		
A. J. Kellogg, 33° Allegan..	10 00		
Connecticut:			
Bodies at Norwich	50 00		
Maine:			
Bodies at Portland	55 65		
	$2,734 15		$394 98
Total			$3,129 13

To give you an idea how the bodies in this city, although completely broken up and paralyzed by the terrible disaster of the 8th of October last, proceeded to the work of re-edification, I copy the minutes of a meeting held at my office in the month following:

"A meeting of the Chiefs of the A.·. & A.·. Rite in Chicago, was held at the office of the Deputy of the District of Illinois, on the 16th day of the Hebrew month Kislev, A.·. M.·. 5632, corresponding with the 29th day of November, V.·. E.·. 1871, at 8 P. M., for the purpose of taking action in the matter of re-organization of the several bodies of the Rite; there being present:

Ill.·. Bro.·. V. L. Hurlbut, 33°, Deputy of Illinois.
" " H. C. Ranney, 33°, Com-in Chief Oriental Consistory, 32°.
" " H. F. Holcomb, 32°, M.·. W.·. & P.·. M.·. Gourgas Chap.·. Rose C. 18°.
" " Jas. H. Paddock, 32°, M.·. E.·. S.·. P.·. G.·. M.·. Chicago Council Pr.·. of Jer.·. 16°.
" " G. W. Barnard, 32°, T.·. P.·. Gr.·. M.·. Van Rensselær Gr.·. L.·. Per.·. 14°.
" " Chas. H. Brower, 33°, D.·. P.·. Gr.·. M.·. Van Rensselær Gr.·. L.·. Per.·. 14°.

Ill.·. Bro.·. V. L. Hurlbut was appointed Chairman, and Ill.·. Bro.·. C. H. Brower, Secretary.

Ill.·. Bro.·. H. C. Ranney offered the following resolutions, and after a full discussion, they were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, As the sense of the Presiding Officers of the A.·. & A.·. Rite bodies, all being present, that it is most desirable to re-organize the several bodies as soon as possible.

Resolved, That as soon as we can, we should hold our meetings on the nights of the regular meetings, as provided for by the By-Laws.

Resolved, That in the absence of work at the regular meetings of the several bodies, some Brother be requested to prepare a lecture or essay appertaining to the A.·. & A.·. Rite.

Resolved, That we recommend to our several bodies the appointment of committees, with power to act, to procure permanent quarters on the "South Side" of the city, and as near our old quarters as possible.

Resolved, That the Secretary of this meeting furnish to the several bodies of the A.·. & A.·. Rite of Chicago, a copy of the foregoing Resolutions, so that the committees on reconstruction may be appointed, and the work of re-organization go on as speedily as possible.

CHAS. HOMAN BROWER, 33°,
Secretary.

The plan worked well. The Brethren were called together, and essays of decided merit and interest were read by various members of the bodies, and although the facilities for work were very limited—with no paraphernalia—yet, by a little improvising, and no little energy, they were soon in a creditable working condition.

One object I have in reading these Resolutions, is to commend to those bodies in this District who may have little work to do, like action, and thereby, to not only keep alive, but if possible, to kindle anew and increase the in-



GEORGE ROBERT McCLELLAN, 33°

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, 1889-90.

terest, unity and zeal of the Brethren in the good work, by presenting and keeping before their minds, in perennial freshness, its history, doctrines and morals."

In this same address I find some other matters which I consider worthy of presenting here.

"The Council will learn, with unqualified satisfaction, that the recommendation for consolidation of the various bodies of the Rite is daily growing in favor with the Brethren of this District, as they see its spirit and aim, as well as its practical results; and that the example set by the bodies of the Rite in this city is being slowly but surely followed by the bodies of the Rite throughout the District.

I have received official notice that Monmouth Consistory, and Monmouth Chapter of Rose Croix have voted to consolidate with Oriental Consistory and Gourgas Chapter, of this city. I also received notice, on May 25th, from the Com.-in-Chief of Carson Consistory, that that body had taken like action. But from a communication received within the past two days, I most sincerely regret having to report to you, that, owing to a combination of embarrassments of the bodies in the Valley of Springfield, such as a loss of all their properties, records, paraphernalia, etc., by fire, one year ago last February, and the antagonistic attitude of the Templars of that city, toward the bodies of the Rite located there, the Chiefs of the several bodies represent themselves 'in no condition to operate them in evident hostility to Templar Masonry. And that it is evident to them that so soon as the first three bodies can collect their dues and pay their debts, they had better cease to exist; that such members as desire their discharge should have leave to take them; and that such as desire to remain members of Carson Consistory, have leave to consolidate with Oriental Consistory,' of this city. And they, the Chiefs of these several bodies, 'pray the Ill.·. Deputy and Council of Deliberation that such action may be taken as will bring about the results desired and specified, within the coming year.'

I very much regret the circumstances that make it seem to them desirable to dissolve or abandon their organizations, for they, being under the control and working of Brethren of acknowledged Masonic attainment and working ability, and from whom—they having been so long and intimately identified with, and having formerly evinced the greatest zeal for the advancement of the Ancient and Accepted Rite—much was confidently expected of them. We can ill afford to loose their wise counsel and active co-operation.

I cannot understand why there should be any antagonism between this and any of the York Rites, for there is no conflict of interest or principle. It is a spirit of feeling which should not be allowed to exist for one moment, if the intervention of kindly, persuasive and fraternal arguments can avail, for we are all working to the same end—each working its own way, which leads onward and upward, from darkness to light ineffable. Though we love the York Rite bodies too sincerely to ever be induced to abandon them, still, to our mind the Scottish Rite is the crowning glory of all. While non affiliation is, at all times, to be depricated, yet in view of all the circumstances in this case,

I would recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted at the same time advising the immediate consolidation of Carson Consistory with Oriental Consistory of this city. The communication is herewith submitted for your consideration."

"Ill.·. Hosmer A. Johnson, 33°, on behalf of the Special Committee to whom was referred that portion of the Ill.·. Deputy's address relating to the late disastrous fire, presented the following report, which, on motion of Ill.·. Gilbert W. Barnard, 32°, was received, and the resolution adopted:

"Your Committee to whom was referred so much of the address of the Ill.·. Commander-in-Chief as relates to Masonic relief for sufferers by the fire of October 8th and 9th, 1871, respectfully beg leave to report:

That they have carefully read the paragraph of the address, and they can imagine no more fitting words in which to express, on the one hand, our sense of the unparalleled calamity that so swiftly destroyed us; or, on the other, our recognition of the almost divine wonder accomplished by the inspiration of that sweetest, purest and strongest of Masonic as well as Christian graces, Charity.

The fund of which the Masonic fraternity here has been made the special Master, has been liberal; but that much larger fund, amounting to nearly four and one-half millions of dollars, contributed from all lands, from the worshipers at many alters; and coming to our people with kind words, in many tongues, is no less truly, in the widest and best sense of that term, a Masonic offering — a pledge of the universality of the great central thought of our Order, of the Brotherhood of Man through the Fatherhood of God.

Your Committee also recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Masons of the A.·. & A.·. Rite, of Illinois, profoundly moved by the liberal and timely aid extended by the universal world, to the stricken people of our chief city — the largest and richest of all the gifts recorded in human history — do hereby recognize in the inspiration of this grand work the Providential intervention of our Supreme Grand Master, and in the agencies of this relief, over the whole face of the habitable earth, a most conclusive evidence that the truths and principles of Masonry so widely spread and deeply rooted — restricted neither to race, nor color, nor creed — are in accord with the best instincts and noblest sentiments of our human nature, as well as with the Divine light emenating from our sacred altars."

Chicago, Ill., June 28th, 1872.

W. A. STEVENS, 33°,
H. A. JOHNSON, 33°,
ROBERT H. FOSS, 33°, } *Committee.*



CLASS OF SEPTEMBER 22nd, 1883.

1. William C. Magill,
2. Frank M. Luce,
3. Arthur Gleason,
4. Graeme Stewart,
5. Joseph L. Siegrosser,
6. Charles C. Magoon,
7. George F. Roberts,
8. Chester S. Gurney,
9. John S. Zimmerman.
10. Edgar H. Kellogg,
11. Theodore A. E. Williams,
12. Charles F. Stewart,
13. Alexander R. Beck,
14. Joseph S. Sosman,
15. Thomas J. Geale,
16. Edward M. Greene,
17. Henry W. Mestling,
18. Edward Carqueville.

I will now quote from the Historical Circular prepared by Ill.·. Geo. M. Moulton in 1884.

"After the consolidation, the bodies had continued to occupy the handsome and spacious apartments in the old Masonic Temple at Nos. 83, 85 and 87. Dearborn Street, until the disastrous event mentioned above. For a brief period after this disaster, the bodies found a home at the corner of Twenty-third Street and Cottage Grove Avenue. Subsequently they occupied the Masonic apartments in the West Chicago Masonic Temple, until the completion of the American Express Building, of which imposing structure the upper stories was devoted to Masonic puposes and leased to Apollo Commandery, No. 1, Knights Templar. Arrangements were effected with this latter body whereby the Scottish Rite bodies occupied in connection with the Commandery their elegant asylum and apartments. Here they continued to work and flourish, each day and year adding to the glory and popularity of the Rite, under the able leadership and command of Ill.·. Prince T. T. Gurney, 33°, whose well-earned fame in Masonic fields extended to the uttermost parts of this great commonwealth; Ill.·. Prince Gil. W. Barnard, 33° whose name and work are as familiar to the craft, both at home and abroad, as the lessons we are taught in Masonry; Ill.·. Prince John O'Neill, 33°, than whom no more zealous worker ever donned the Masonic armor; and Ill.·. Prince Henry H. Pond, 33°, our present Commander-in-Chief, who in that exalted position has achieved honorable distinction, not only for himself but for the Rite in general.

During these successive years of prosperity, the Consistory, embracing as it does in its membership, almost all of the members of the co-ordinate bodies, has participated in numerous pleasant pilgrimages, reunions and fraternal gatherings, and has at various times been highly honored.

In November, 1873, Oriental Consistory, which had just been fully equipped with the present uniform, tendered a Princely Escort to the M.·. P.·. Sov.· Grand Commander, Josiah H. Drummond, 33°, which was graciously accepted on behalf of the members of the Supreme Council, upon the occasion of the first session of that august body held in this city. The escort was highly appreciated by the members of the Supreme Council, and the Consistory was in receipt of the highest encomiums from members of the Rite who were present.

In 1876, Oriental Consistory was again accorded the honor of being accepted as escort to the Supreme Council. Under the command of Ill.·. Prince Gil.·. W. Barnard, 33°, they visited the city of New York in the performance of that honorable duty; after which a pleasant, highly enjoyable and instructive pilgrimage to Philadelphia was made for the purpose of attending the Centennial Exposition.

This was the first occasion of the Consistory going away from home. There was strong opposition on the part of many members of the Supreme Council, to accepting an escort for the Supreme Council at its meetings. This feeling of opposition was based largely upon the fear that it might in the future give rise to a condition of affairs, similar to those surrounding the meetings of the Grand Encampment, K. T., but after a lengthy correspondence with the

Sov. Grand Commander, Ill.·. Josiah H. Drummond, permission was obtained for Oriental Consistory to make an excursion to New York City and there act as escort to the Sov. Grand Commander, Bro. Drummond not being willing to accept anything of the kind except for himself, deeming it inexpedient to include the Supreme Council, except as the members of that body themselves saw fit to participate. It is gratifying to know that the escort in New York was accepted by the members present and that the ceremonies were highly pleasing to all who participated. On our way we were met at Jersey City by the Consistory there and escorted across the River; there New York Consistory, under Command of Ill.·. Charles T. McClenachan, 33°, received us in a most hospitable manner and escorted us to our hotel. The two days spent in New York were made pleasant by the Princes of that great City,

The excursion included a visit to the great Centennial Exhibition in Philadelphia and the pleasant entertainment, grand hospitality and general good fellowship, shown by the Princes of that most hospitable of all hospitable cities in the world, will ever be bright and lasting in the memories of all who were with us.

On our return home, elegantly framed resolutions, expressing our thanks, accompanied with a splendid, costly banner of the Order, were forwarded to Philadelphia Consistory.

Grave doubts had been entertained by many as to the success of such an excursion under the auspices of Oriental Consistory but the success of this one was so entirely complete, that the subsequent ones organized, have always met with the zealous approval and hearty co-operation of all interested.

Arrangements were made with a number of distinguished members of the Fraternity in the City of Philadelphia to present the above named resolutions and banner, at some suitable time, to Philadelphia Consistory.

How this was done will be shown by the following report to Ill.·. Brother Cregier, who was chairman of the Committee to prepare the resolutions and have them presented.

MASONIC TEMPLE, PHILADELPHIA, March 17, 1877.

DE WITT C. CREGIER, Esq.,

M.·. W.·. P.·. G.·. Master Grand Lodge of Illinois, Chicago, Ill.

DEAR SIR & BRO.·.

We have at once the pleasure and honor to report in compliance with the suggestions contained in your letter of 10th inst. addressed to Bro.·. Alfred R. Potter, R.·. W.·. P.·. G.·. M.·. of Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, the undersigned have discharged the duty which you requested they should assume of acting as a Representative Committee to present on behalf of Oriental Consistory, 32°, S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. of the Valley of Chicago, a banner to Philadelphia Consistory, 32°, S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. of the Valley of Philadelphia, as a token of appreciation of the courtesies and hospitality extended to Oriental Consistory during their visit here in August, 1876. Two of your designated committee never having taken the degrees of the A.·. & A.·. Scottish Rite, it was not possible of course that the presentation be made in open Consistory. But after



CLASS OF OCTOBER 6th, 1883.

1. John A. Logan,
2. James Sloan,
3. Leonard Case
4. Samuel R. Tilton,
5. Ira R. Curtis,
6. Lysander H. Adams,
7. James A. Beverly,
8. Milton E. Sebree,
9. Daniel H. McDaneld,
10. Carl A. Helmle,
11. William Stewart,
12. Judson G. Campbell,
13. Warren Case,
14. Henry W. Buchman,
15. Thomas B. Allen,
16. William B. Stevens,
17. Nicolas Admiral,
18. Alamando B. Russ,
19. Addison E. Coddington,
20. Hezekiah G. Mason,
21. Henry Seiter,
22. Henry F. Oliver,
23. Alexander Brand Hay,
24. Fred. C. Knoebel,
25. George Catlin.
26. Albert J. Vincent,
27. George W. Jones,
28. Solon H. Eveleth,
29. Francis W. Parker,
30. John B. Samuel,
31. Samuel Sharp,
32. Francis M. Gundy,
33. Merritt S. Jones,
34. Frank P. Martin,
35. Charles F. Baum.

the formal meeting of Philadelphia Consistory had closed last evening, a committee from that body waited upon the undersigned and escorted them with the banner to the Asylum, where we were most courteously received by the Commander-in-Chief, Ill.·. Andrew Robeno, Jr., and the officers and a large number of members of the Consistory who were in attendance.

Your Committee were honored by being accompanied, upon invitation from the Consistory, by R.·. W.·. G.·. Master Robert Clark, and R. W. P. G. M. Richard Vaux, and the interest of the occasion was greatly enhanced by the presence with the Consistory of Ill.·. Anthony E. Stocker, 33°, Deputy for the District of Pennsylvania. After entering the Asylum your Committee were introduced by Ill.·. Dennis F. Dealy, 32°, who stated the object of their visit; when R.·. W.·. Bro.·. Alfred R. Potter read your letter to him, Ill.·. Charles H. Kingston, 33°, read the Resolutions of Oriental Consistory, which accompanied the banner and R.·. W.·. Bro.·. Samuel C. Perkins formally presented and requested the acceptance of the banner and resolutions in a few remarks, which were most warmly, courteously and eloquently responded to by the Commander-in-Chief, Ill.·. Andrew Robeno, Jr., 33°, on behalf of himself and Philadelphia Consistory. After the ceremonies of presentation had been concluded your Committee, with the distinguished brethren who accompanied them, were invited to partake with the members of the Consistory, of a most elegant banquet, where we were entertained with a lavish hospitality, which we are assured is a characteristic of the A.·. & A.·. Rite. Very great admiration was expressed by all, of the beauty of the design and workmanship of the banner; and abundant encomiums freely bestowed upon the brethren of Oriental Consistory, who had prepared so elaborate and artistic a mark of their regard for Philadelphia Consistory, and of their appreciation of the efforts which had been made in the exercise of the rites of hospitality to make their visit here pleasant and enjoyable.

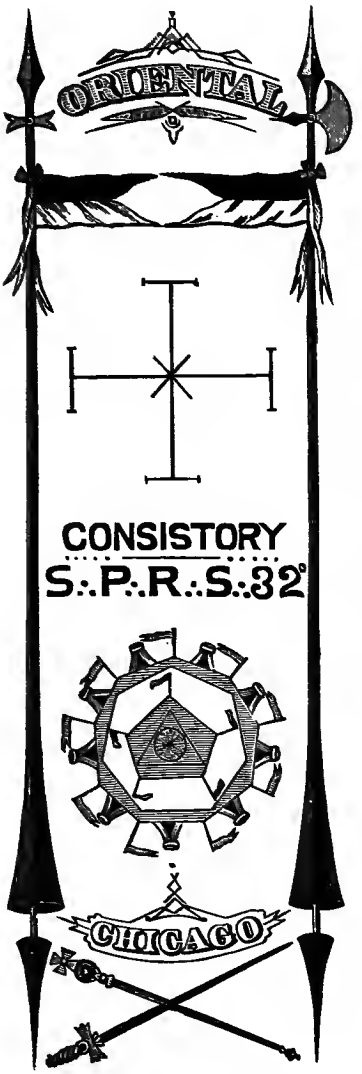
With assurances of our fraternal and distinguished consideration, and the hope that the ties of brotherhood between the Masonic bodies of our respective jurisdictions may ever continue for the future as they have been in the past, of the warmest and closest character, we remain,

Very truly and fraternally yours,

ALFRED R. POTTER, Chm.,
Past Gr.·. M.·. Gr.·. Lodge of Penna.,

SAM. C. PERKINS,
Past Gr.·. M.·. Gr.·. Lodge of Penna.,

CHAS. H. KINGSTON, 33°,
P.·. Gr.·. Comd.·. Gr.·. Comdy.·. of Penna.



CINCINNATI AND LOUISVILLE PILGRIMAGE, SEPTEMBER 24-28, 1883.

Again, in 1878, under command of Ill.·. Gil. W. Barnard, 33°, Oriental Consistory occupied the seat of honor in the city of Milwaukee, Wis., as escort to the Supreme Council. The trip to the city of Milwaukee was one fraught with many pleasures and is frequently referred to, by the participants, with the most pleasant expressions of kind remembrance. Wisconsin Consistory had been newly equipped in a handsome uniform for the occasion, and turned out in large numbers in the parade, at the time of escorting the Supreme Council.

An elegant banquet for all the visitors and their ladies, was provided, which was followed with dancing until a late hour. Among the many entertaining features was a visit to the Soldiers' Home, and the delightful refreshments served on the grounds.

The intimacy between the Princes of Wisconsin Consistory and those of Oriental which sprang largely from the enjoyments of this occasion has continued and grown in strength to the present time, much to the pleasure and profit of both bodies. The following year, this friendly feeling was handsomely expressed, by those of Wisconsin Consistory, in the form of an elegant banner of the Rite, which was presented to Oriental, by a large delegation of Princes who came down on an evening train, and marched into our Council Chamber without ceremony, bearing the banner aloft, and taking all by complete surprise.

The banner is displayed by us, with pride, upon all proper occasions.

Yes indeed, we have good reason to remember, with pleasure, the noble Fraters of Wisconsin Consistory. A nobler band of Princes do not assemble under a Consistory Beauseant, anywhere

The next occasion for escorting the Supreme Council occurred in 1883, at Cincinnati, O. The Princes in Cincin-



GEORGE MAYHEW MOULTON, 33°.

Born in Readsboro, Vermont, March 15th, 1851.

Master Mason February 2d, 1875, in Covenant Lodge, No. 526, R. A. M. in Corinthian Chapter No. 69. R. and S. M. in Siloam Council, August 7th, 1875. Knight Templar in St. Bernard Commandery, September 1st, 1875.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. in Oriental Consistory June 4th, 1880.

Inspector General 33°, September 20th, 1887. Past Master Covenant Lodge. Past High Priest Corinthian Chapter. Past T. I. M. Chicago Council. Past Commander of St. Bernard Commandery. Past Grand Commander of Grand Commandery. Past Grand Master Grand Council, and Present Grand Scribe in Grand Chapter of Illinois.

Past M. E. S. P. Grand Master Chicago Council P.·. of J.·., and Past Commander-in-Chief Oriental Consistory.

nati showed us every attention and the escort was participated in by a large body of Knights Templar.

This latter pilgrimage, under the command of Ill.·. Prince Henry H. Pond, 33°, embracing also, as it did, a visit to our brethren of the Southern Jurisdiction in the city of Louisville, was replete with numerous pleasant features. It will long be remembered with gratification by all those whose good fortune it was to participate therein.

Especially so was this the case with regard to our visit to the Masonic Orphan's Home in Louisville, where, after being welcomed with a very happy address from a young lady inmate, and having witnessed the celebrated Drill Corps of the Orphans, the contributions made by the Consistory ($500) and individual members in the company, amounted to fully one thousand dollars.

During all this time the manner of conferring the degrees had received close attention, each succeeding officer endeavoring to excel his predecessor and in May, 1882, the impression made by Ill.·. H. H. Pond, 33°, Com.-in-Chief resulted in the class of candidates at that reunion, purchasing an elegant jewel and it was presented to the Consistory for the then and succeeding Commanders-in-chief to wear as an official badge of office. It has been transmitted from officer to officer and is to-day worn by the Commander-in-chief as a highly prized memento.

In June, 1882, the Consistory, and the co-ordinate bodies, were duly organized as bodies corporate under the incorporation laws of the State of Illinois. This body being uniformed and having many members whose other Masonic affiliations were elsewhere, it was frequently called upon to perform the last sad funeral rites for a deceased member.

This developed a need for some ritual for funerals, other than the one recognized by the established rituals in use.

After several years of efforts we very happily succeeded in enlisting the interest in the matter of that distinguished Prince and Mason, Ill.·. Norman T. Gassette. This brother gave to the subject his wealth of learning and host of talent and produced the grandest burial service known to the Order. It was adopted by Oriental Consistory, September 2d, 1884, copyrighted, printed in handsome form, and has been in use ever since. It has since been adopted and used by many other Consistories throughout the country and is the admiration of all who study it. Alas that it was so soon to be used at the open grave of its author.

"The morning star has drawn away the shades
Of night, and great the light that now begins,
To dawn for us!
Our brother, from whose face
Has gone expression which was wont to show
His wealth of heart; whose eyes no more will see
Us here; whose hand will not again enclasp
Our own; whose voice is still to us forever,
Has left a priceless boon, in mem'ries, which
Will oft revive, through decades of the years
To come!"

During the administration of Ill.·. H. H. Pond an excursion was made to the City of Peoria, Ill., to assist in the ceremonies of laying the corner-stone of the new Masonic Temple in that city on June 1st, 1882.

The seventy uniformed Princes of Oriental was the largest body of high Masonry on the ground and our display was such as to greatly add to our own credit and to the general benefit of Peoria Consistory. From that time the latter body can date its greatest prosperity.

On February 14th, 1883, the same commander accompanied with a large number of Princes made a trip to Grand Rapids, Mich., to exemplify the 32d grade in the manner for which this body is particularly distinguished. The trip was especially pleasant and we had the gratification of knowing that it done much toward assisting DeWitt Clinton Consistory of Grand Rapids to take the prominent place in the Rite that it now holds. It was under Ill.·. Bro. Pond, also that we occupied our new Preceptory in the spring of 1884, of which the historian of that time said:

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"Entering in the main Preceptory hall, which is forty feet wide and sixty feet in length, no sound is heard from the advancing footfall, for it is deadened in the luxurious depths of a rich velvet carpet, brightly radiant with cheerful color and harmonious design. A glance around the hall presents new beauties in profusion. On all sides can be seen the artistic wedded to the useful. In the East the eye rests upon the dais formed by the deep proscenium of the grand stage, furnished with comfortable official chairs. The grand stage in the background, thirty-five feet wide, extending back twenty-five feet, furnished with new scenery and properties, and all the paraphernalia for displaying panoramic scenes, with a handsome illustrated drop curtain and rich drapery in front.

In the West the chief ornament is the grand organ towering to the height of some sixteen feet, and handsomely decorated. On both sides of the hall and at the west end, a balcony extends, with ornamental balustrade, and carrying a double tier of folding opera chairs. Similar chairs are also used by the members upon the main floor.

The walls are relieved in their expanse by ornamental pilasters, forming panels, in each of which are special designs emblematic of the Masonic grades and orders At the top of the walls groined niches are formed in the cornice, each of which also contains an illustration emblematic of Scottish Rite Masonry, or illuding to the chivalric times of yore. Prominent among the decorations are four views, each of which portrays some particular characteristic allusion to one of the four co-ordinate bodies of the A.·. A.·. Rite. The ceiling is also paneled, and has been treated in an effective manner, not only architecturally but artistically. The double vaulted dome under the glittering circle of gas jets, thirty-five feet above the observer, is resplendent with color and design. The pilgrim and the warrior — the Christian Knight and the Saracen — are portrayed in vivid and striking attitudes. Wherever the eye may turn, it rests upon some Masonic symbol embowered in the delicate tracery of the artist's fancy.



CLASS OF MARCH 21st, 1884.

1. A. E. Baldwin, M. D.
2. H. S. Castles,
3. T. W. D. Crane,
4. W. L. Crawford,
5. J. A. Freeman. M. D.
6. Judson P. Esmay,
7. C. Goodbrake, M. D.
8. Zenus Hamer,
9. W. H. Goodwine,
10. A. Giddings,
11. W. P. Cannon,
12. J. R. Blair,
13. D. F. Crilly,
14. D. F. Hitt,
15. L. P. Crane,
16. P. S. Hudson,
17. Edward Kirk, Jr.,
18. H. D. Iverson.
19. Wm. A. Stiles:
20. E. F. Phelps,
21. C. W. Milnor,
22. Mathew Johnson,
23. D. Harry Hammer,
24. A. Homer,
25. John Griffith,
26. C. H. Chamberlin,
27. Samuel B. Cobb,
28. George H. Chatfield,
29. William Grace,
30. F. W. Phillips,
31. W. W. Woodbury,
32. F. Wenter.
33. H. R. Phinney,
34. S. B. Thompson,
35. R. D. Stewart,
36. A. C. Whitney,
37. F. M. Richardson,
38. George W. Shibley,
39. P. W. Ruehl,
40. L. W. Reed,
41. J. O'Langhlin.
42. Henson Robinson,
43. S. W. Wheeler.

It should be a subject of mutual congratulation among the members of the Scottish Rite organizations in this Valley, that after the lapse of many years they are at last in possession of so beautiful a home, conveniently appointed, comfortably furnished, handsomely decorated—in every way commensurate with the growth and prosperity of the Rite."

No finer apartments for the A.·. A.·. S.· Rite were then in use anywhere.

The period of three years under Ill.·. Bro. Pond was of marked importance and there was, during that time, added to our membership 335 new members, making a total of 710 on the roll at the 29th annual Rendezvous; on which occasion Ill.·. Bro. Alfred Russell, 33° was elected Commander-in-chief. Under this energetic officer the good work of his predecessors was not allowed to languish. The reader may judge of this by the following extracts from his official report at the end of his term in December, 1887:

"A few words as to the work done during the past three years. In the year 1885 we had the pleasure of creating and constituting 69 to the degree of Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret, 32d grade. This besides the regular routine of business constituted our main work for this year.

In September, 1886, the Supreme Council held its sessions in this Preceptory. Many of the members were accompanied by their ladies, who were received, welcomed and entertained by the ladies of Oriental Consistory in a manner which won from the visiting sisters the highest praise for our ladies. After the labors of the Supreme Council were concluded the members were entertained at a banquet given in their honor at the Palmer House, at which banquet the able speeches and brilliant responses, bristling with keen wit, were noticeable features; and we were rejoiced that the occasion afforded us the long-desired opportunity to reciprocate the hospitality so bountifully bestowed on us on several occasions in other cities. That our visitors appreciated our efforts is patent from the fact that Brother W. O. Tyler, in his report to the Vermont Council of Deliberation thus alludes to this session: 'Taking it altogether,' he says, 'this may well be called a session of hospitality.'

During this year also, eighty-four aspirants applied for admission to the 32d grade, and were received, the honor and dignity being conferred upon them.

In 1887, one hundred and thirty-one candidates proved themselves worthy to become soldiers in our ranks, and buckling on the armor of Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, stand ready as such to battle for God and the Right. This is the largest number that has ever been created in Oriental Consistory in one year, and makes a total of two hundred and eighty-four admitted to the Scottish Rite degrees in the past three years. It has afforded me great pleasure to have the privilege of extending the hand of fellowship to these and saluting them as brothers.

In looking over the roll of membership I found that we had upwards of 30 members residing in and around Danville. Wishing to try an experiment, I organized a camp in that place, calling it the Danville camp, and I requested the members to prepare to work the 19th degree. The result was a most gratifying success, as the class took the degree at our last convention in a manner that reflected great credit on all concerned, this being the first time this degree had

been worked by our Consistory. The direct result of this action was to bring into our working force many members who had hitherto taken no active part, but who now contribute largely to the success of our cause, the interest manifested being always in direct proportion to the individual effort. This is clearly proven by our present largely increased working staff. The increase of membership for the three years is 324."

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"In furtherance of the social life of our Order we have each year given a series of receptions which have been most successfully managed, and which reflect great credit on the committee having them in charge. They have been advantageous in bringing our members together socially, and acquainting the ladies of our members with each other, thus forming ties which in some cases will result in life-long friendships among us. Each year we have held two conventions which have called together many members who were unable to attend the regular meetings. The banquets which have been held at the close of these conventions have been an especial feature. The banquet held last November in Battery D Armory, at the close of the last convention held in these rooms, proved to be the largest and most enjoyable of all, owing probably to our inviting the ladies to participate with us, their gracious presence and kindly influence softening and subduing the asperities of our rougher nature, and lending to the scene a grace and brilliance hitherto unattained.

The close of the year 1884, owing to the large amount of money expended to fit up our present quarters, found us with a debt of $2,714.00, and $872.00 in the treasury. During the year 1885 we were not quite able to liquidate this indebtedness, and the year closed leaving us with a debt of $1,200.00, and $459.00 in the treasury. 1886 brought a more favorable result, and enabled us to report our indebtedness reduced to $474.00, and $1,035.00 in hand with which to pay it; and it affords me the greatest pleasure to announce that 1887 enables me to report that to-day Oriental Consistory has in her treasury $3,009.71 in cash, and $875.00 worth of new paraphernalia, and does not owe one dollar that I know of. During the past three years $546.00 have been put into improvements in the Preceptory; this, with $745.50 in dues to be collected and $3,009.71 in cash in the hands of the Treasurer makes a total of $5,175.00, thus giving to my successor a very clever balance with which to start the new year. This estimate does not include the original interest which we own in these quarters, as that will show in your Secretary's report as assets."

On December 26, 1886, one of our most distinguished members, Ill.·. Prince John A. Logan, 32°, U. S. senator from Illinois, died in Washington. This body was represented at his funeral, December 31, in the Senate Chamber, at the Capitol of the United States, by an escort consisting of the following: Alfred Russell, Amos Pettibone, L. D. Richardson, Geo. W. Warvelle, R. M. Johnson and Gil W. Barnard.

Oriental Consistory, S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·.

SORROW. SORROW. SORROW.

Prince:

You are particularly requested to be present in the Preceptory at the STATED RENDEZVOUS, on January 27th next, at 8 o'clock P. M. It will be a Memorial Meeting of the A.·. A.·. Scottish Rite, at which will be presented the Necrology Reports prepared in commemoration of our deceased Fraters

THEODORE TUTHILL GURNEY, 33°, Past Com.-in-Chief,
JOHN ALEXANDER LOGAN,
PETER JOHANNES HUSSANDER,
EDWARD ALLEN BROSS,
H. F. HOLCOMB,

and Memorial Addresses upon the dead of the past year. It is expected the ceremonies will be of unusual interest to all.

Courteously,

ALFRED RUSSELL, 33°
Commander-in-Chief.

GIL. W. BARNARD, 33°
Grand Secretary.



CLASS OF APRIL 19th, 1886.

1. William Stormont,
2. William Smith,
3. Henrry L. Rhodes,
4. Millett L. Porter,
5. John F. Pershing,
6. Cassius F. Moore,
7. Herbert M. Dickson,
8. Mathew J. Steffins,
9. Ben. C. Jolley,
10. William H. Gibson,
11. Sylvester Britell,
12. James H. Champlain,
13. William J. Edwards,
14. E. C. Sweet, M. D.
15. Alfred Dahlberg, M. D.
16. Charles H. George,
17. Frank Chester,
18. Augustus V. Park, M. D.
19. Harry P. Collins,
20. George E. Palmer,
21. Charles W. Seneco,
22. Charles Drabek,
23. Gottlieb Merz,
24. Alfred E. Hyde,
25. George Duddleston,
26. Irving L. Gould,
27. Louis H. Gray,
28. Edwin K. Smith,
29. William S. Forrest,
30. John N. Hills,
31. H. Henry Cook, M. D.,
32. George L. Ayres,
33. William L. M. En Earl,
34. Francis W. Walker,
35. Joseph T. Herza,
36. John W. Dunn.

Among the beautiful and interesting contributions to the services of the evening, was the following from the pen of our esteemed brother Norman T. Gassette of whom, "Naught is left but memories of our dead."

IN MEMORIAM.

Alas! when all is said which we can say,
Above the pallid, cold, and silent clay,
When throbbing, sobbing dirge and funeral song
Their force have spent upon the mourning throng,—
When tone, as well, from speaker's voice has sped,
Naught then is left but memories of our dead.

Hush! hear the wheels' loud rumble in the street,
The din of business and fast-stirring feet,
No thought is there midst traffic's hardened strife,
Of Death's fell work, with finite hope and life.

Since man has lived to think, and toil, and die,
Some hope he's sought on which he might rely,
With hands outstretched, in potent voice of prayer,
He has invoked an answer everywhere.
Seraphic visions fill his mind at times
And music sounds as if from far off climes.

The roar then from the earth comes rushing in
To draw his thoughts from God, to earth's foul din,
And hence, the sons of Egypt sought to find
Some solace for the worried, wearied mind.

So, for their dead a sleeping place they made
In vaulted crypt, hid under earth's deep shade.
Above each crypt a Mastaba was found,
Where oft the beat of saddened hearts would sound.
Around, above, and on the walls was spread
A record of the deeds of all their dead.

The rumble in the noisy street goes on,
They heed it not, in Death's still Parthenon;
And kneeling down, they spake then of the soul
In halo clothed, far off, from earth so cold.

We do not need to write upon the walls
The deeds of these our dead. Where falls
A shadow on the floor, or roof above,
Is record made—a silhouette of love—
And deep within our hearts we seem to feel
A spirit cause, to make us pause and kneel.

Then let the wheels roll on, out in the street,
But let us oft in this our chapel meet,
And here review the memories of the dead
Then silently retire, with noiseless tread.

December 22, 1887, Ill.·. Brother George R. McClellan, 33°, was elected Commander-in-Chief. An active, earnest worker for twenty years in the field of the A. A. S. Rite; brother McClellan was well qualified to take up the work and carry it on with the energetic and careful system which was characteristic of all his Masonic life and deeds.

But, alas! before he had time to fully perfect and accomplish his brightest and best desires and opportunities, he was "numbered with the dead," January 10, 1890; he was, after a brief illness, called away and taken up higher.

The following extracts from the Triennial address of Commander-in-Chief, George M. Moulton, of January 15, 1891, will cover interesting data for the period:

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"Our special duty this evening will be to review the work, with its results, financial and otherwise, which has been accomplished during the past year, and also to exercise your suffrages in the choice of an administrative corps of officers to serve during the next ensuing triennial term. The several reports which will be presented for your consideration this evening will epitomize the year's labors in this Consistory. A careful consideration of past results will best enable us to meet the future with an increased store of wisdom and discretion.

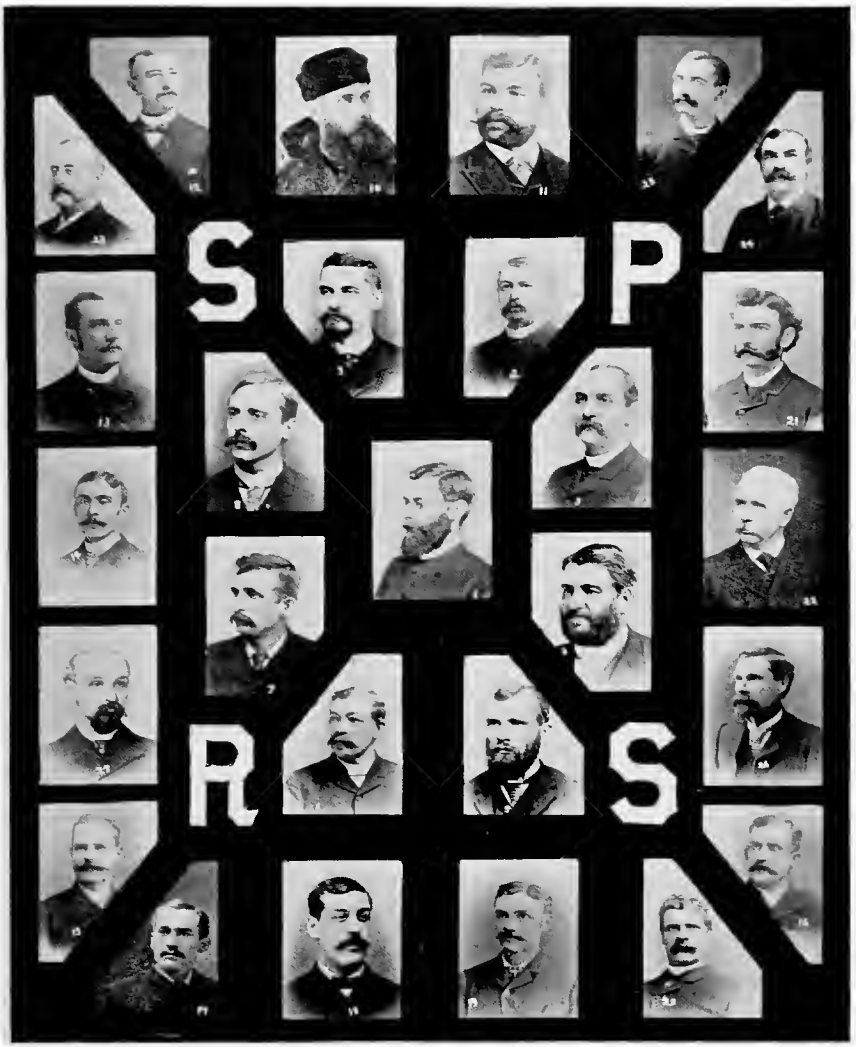
The year which has elapsed since our last Annual Rendezvous has been a comparatively eventful one. While the incidents of that last annual gathering were still fresh in our memories, and within a few short days thereafter, our Commander-in-Chief was summoned by the Supreme Architect of the Universe to surrender his command, and to enter into eternal life. Thus the services of an able and experienced officer,—than whom none was ever more indefatigable in the discharge of duty, or zealous to maintain the best welfare of the Consistory,—were lost at the very threshold of the new year upon which we were entering with so much promise. By virtue of the Constitution and General Regulations of the Supreme Council, A. A. S. R. of the N. M. J. U. S. A., it became necessary for me, as the next ranking officer, to assume the office of Commander-in-Chief, with its title, powers, and prerogatives, of which due notice was extended to the members through the medium of General Orders No. 1.

With the added responsibilities of Commander-in-Chief thrust upon me so unexpectedly, it was natural that I should seek the assistance and experienced counsel of one who had served you in a similar capacity so acceptably before, and therefore Ill.·. Prince Alfred Russell was designated in the same General Orders to act as 1st Lieut. Commander until the next election. The support and assistance of the officers and members at large were also freely contributed, so that I am happy to state this evening that the year has been for the Consistory a prosperous one, and one that will compare favorably with

those that have preceded it. Oriental Consistory stands to-day as the third largest in point of membership in the United States.

It is no less a pleasure to state that the Rite at large has made an almost phenomenal growth. In round figures there were in 1887, in the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, 13,000 Scottish Rite Masons, while the tableau of 1890 discloses the fact that more than 17,000 have been enrolled in the Grand Masonic Army of Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret. In the Southern Jurisdiction of the U. S. A. the ratio of increase has been even more remarkable, while in the British American provinces, together with Mexico, and even in South America, the Scottish Rite is making rapid growth, and in the latter countries easily outstrip all other Masonic organizations.

In this country, and particularly in the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, the Scottish Rite has, during the past three or four years, passed through the most trying ordeal it has ever experienced. Nevertheless, even as the precious metals are tried by fire to relieve them of the dross and other impurities, so does our beloved Rite stand forth from the test unscathed, purified and strengthened. It is well known history that in the earlier days of Scottish Rite Masonry, division of opinion, and consequent dissensions arose among the leading minds of the organization, which threatened grave results, yet which, through the promptings of brotherly love and regard for the institution of Masonry, were long since healed, adjusted and finally settled on a satisfactory and harmonious basis. This is also a matter of well authenticated and easily attainable history. The result was that the Rite achieved a more exalted standing and higher character than ever before, and showed the great force and binding strength of the principles of our institution. Notwithstanding the happy and amicable settlement of all differences, there were a few persons, who, devoid of principle and prompted by mercenary motives, or seeking preferment in the Masonic world which was not their due, and unattainable in any legitimate manner, proved traitors to their vows. Through the efforts of these unprincipled persons, several clandestine organizations called "Cerneau" Scottish Rite bodies were formed, which arrogated the right to call themselves the only legitimate Scottish Rite bodies. So diligently did these unworthy men conduct their labors, "Cerneauism" gained an undeserved prominence, and the struggle of its votaries for recognition and existence finally became visible in the Master Mason's Lodge, and other Masonic organizations, and caused so much dissension to arise among the fraternity that it became necessary, in self defense, for not only Grand Lodges A. F. & A. M. but the Grand Chapters R. A. M. and Grand Commanderies K. T. in many State Jurisdictions, to take cognizance of the danger which was threatening their several organizations, and to enact the most positive legislation with reference to it. Most of the leading minds of this Rite were opposed to the consideration of the spurious bodies in any form by the Grand Bodies referred to, and held themselves generally aloof from any participation in the struggle for recognition of this Rite by the other orders of Masonry, or in the debates upon this very grave question, which threatened for a time to disturb the entire Masonic fabric. In view of this condition of affairs, it is indeed gratifying to note the practically unanimous action that has been taken wher-



CLASS OF NOVEMBER 10, 11, 12, 1886.

1. Rev. F. W Taylor,
2. J. J. McClain.
3. M. A. McDonald,
4. A. C. Daniel,
5. W. F. E. Gurley,
6. W. J. Guy,
7. A. S. Markley,
8. W. H. Bergstresser
9. J. W. Graham,
10. H. J. Reynolds,
11. A. M. Eager,
12. T. S. Robinson,
13. A. R. Reynolds,
14. Scott Jordan,
15. J. W. Giest,
16. E. A. Collins,
17. H. Schmehl,
18. C. R. Anderson,
19. J. E. Hardy,
20. W. Manson,
21. W. J. Anderson,
22. Theodore Gray,
23. C. A. Claflin,
24. Jno. Puleston,
25. J. A. Connell,
26. J. B. Holmes,
27. G. A. Anthony

ever the question has been considered. In every instance the seal of disapproval and condemnation has been set upon the usurper. Cerneauism is dead, and beyond resurrection. That which first appeared to threaten us with disaster has proven to be a blessing in disguise to the Rite at large. It has drawn the attention of the students of the Masonic world towards the history and true condition of this Rite. We, who are of the household, know that we have nothing to fear, but everything to gain, from the most searching investigation of our institution.

We, in Illinois, have much to be thankful for, in having escaped the immediate infliction of Cerneauism in our midst. For this, much is due to the watchfulness and indefatigable efforts of our Illustrious Deputy for this District, Ill.·. Bro. John Corson Smith, 33°, and to the loyalty and integrity of our members to the principles of Masonry the rest may be credited.

The gratifying results of the legislation with reference to this recognition of the legitimate as opposed to the spurious and clandestine, attained in the respective Grand Bodies referred to, are largely due to the lessons and to those great principles which are a part of the first three degrees of Masonry, and which are the basis of all Rites in Masonry. Princes, it is to those grand lessons and principles which they inculcate, that we should always first render our love, our loyalty and Masonic adherence. Never forget the charge you received in the Northeast corner as an E. A. Mason, nor the sacred and solemn instructions you received in the middle chamber; and above all, remember the example of zeal and fidelity displayed in the Sanctum Sanctorum. Then will it be easy to maintain yourselves in the characters of Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret.

The growth of membership in our own Consistory has been exceptionally gratifying during the past year. One hundred and twenty-two recruits have been added to the Grand Masonic Army, a record which has been exceeded by only one year in the history of the Consistory. Fourteen swords have been sheathed for the last time, and forever; and those who were so well able to wield them while living, now rest in eternal peace. Let our thoughts rest for a brief time with our departed brethren, while in tender remembrance we call the sad roll of those whose lips are forever silent and can no more respond to our call.

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Since the last annual report, the Consistory acting concurrently with the coordinate bodies of the Rite, have subscribed for $25,000 of the capital stock of the Masonic Fraternity Temple Association, and our proportion, viz., thirty-five per cent of one-half of said subscription has been paid in cash, amouting to $4,375.00.

The objects and purposes of the Association referred to are familiar to all present, and repetition thereof is thereby rendered unnecessary. There is no doubt in the minds of those who have given the matter due consideration, and familiarized themselves with the features of the project that the Association has in hand, that this investment is not only wise and highly appropriate, but that future results will justify the wisdom which prompted the investment, by substantial financial returns. It is a pleasure to be able to report at this time

that the most active operations are being conducted toward a practical realization of the objects of the Association. Day and night busy workmen are engaged in prepairing the broad foundations of the massive structure to be known as the Masonic Temple, which in a few months will rear its lofty height toward the sky, far above any similar structure in existence, and rivaling even cathedral spires or monumental shafts in its towering altitude, as beautiful as they are, yet combining also utility and therefore practical value. By May 1, 1892, the completed structure will stand forth a monument alike to the Masonic Fraternity and to the indomitable will and comprehensive sagacity of the organizers in the enterprise. The untiring, zealous, and well-directed efforts of these brethren, and most particularly the incomparable ability of Ill.·. Bro. Norman T. Gassette to handle the financial details of the project, has rendered possible the realization of what has been the dream of the Masonic workers in this city for years.

Before another triennial period is ended, I have no doubt but that the coordinate bodies of the Scottish Rite in the Valley of Chicago will be domiciled in apartments of this Temple, excelled by none for space and magnificence, and fully commensurate with the dignity which the Rite has attained at present and will maintain in the future.

Prominent among the features which have been instrumental in placing the Scottish Rite, and particularly the reputation of the Consistory, foremost among the Masonic organizations of the city, has been the justly earned commendation which has been awarded through the public displays of the organization. Whether the solemn duty of funeral escort, or the joyous features of a fraternal visit were before its members, in every instance the conduct and bearing of our members before the profane world has been such as would fully comport with the dignity and importance of the organization. A larger percentage of members in attendance upon funeral occasions is all that the most exacting mind could demand in the performance of any duty incumbent upon the Consistory, and requiring a public display. It would be proper to refer to the most notable of these appearances in public during the past year, as in each instance the members participating were entitled to credit.

June 29th, at the invitation of Rev. Geo. C. Lorimer, the Consistory as a body attended divine service in the Immanual Baptist Church, attired in citizen's clothing. Those of our members who were present, together with a large congregation, were rewarded by a most eloquent discourse delivered by the eminent pastor, whom we take pride in calling our brother, and Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret.

Probably the most important and enjoyable of all the public displays of the year was the journey to Cleveland, in September, 1890. In pursuance of the action of this body, an escort of honor was tendered to the Supreme Council, A. A. S. R. N. M. J., upon the occasion of its session in Cleveland, Sept. 16, 1890, which escort was graciously accepted by Sov. Grand Commander Henry L. Palmer, 33°, on behalf of the Supreme Council. Sixty-eight Princes, fully armed and equipped, availed themselves of the opportunity to evince their loyalty to the governing body, and participate at the same time in the fraternal pleasures incident to the occasion. Thirty of the Princes displayed



CLASS OF APRIL 15th, 1887.

1. Frank Steers,
2. C. E. Hurd,
3. Eugene E. Birdsall,
4. Edward S. Fogg,
5. W. M. Clark,
6. H. C. Fuller,
7. George Kertsen,
8. J. W. Wilkin,
9. A. P. Richardson,
10. F. W. Stapf,
11. C. B. Clapp,
12. Henry R. Huntington,
13. W. V. Choisser,
14. Hugh Mason,
15. F. A. P. Sieber,
16. A. S. Markley,
17. Charles P. Skaggs,
18. Jacob Stearns,
19. F. C. Christy,
20. W. P. Verity,
21. C. E. Leslie,
22. Carl J. M. Schucker,
23. Martin Howard,
24. C. E. Lambert,
25. J. J. Dedrick,
26. Adam H. Johnston,
27. Thomas B. Smith,
28. J. H. Buffum,
29. D. F. Anderson,
30. D. E. Daly,
31. D. F. Barclay,
32. William Johnson,
33. C. G. Hutchinson,
34. Edward J. Werren,
35. Samuel A. McLaren,
36. Oscar Tammler,
37. William H. Bryan,
38. Louis F. Oxen,
39. Elmer E. Earhart,
40. E. H. Elwell,
41. G. W. Smith,
42. John S. Woollacott,
43. Charles J. Deuter,
44. James Hart,
45. W. M. Stears,
46. Daniel Freeman,
47. J. S. Christman,
48. Henry Appel,
49. Morton Culver.

their gallantry by inviting their wives and daughters to join the party. A most hearty welcome was accorded to the visitors by our Cleveland brethren, who have lately instituted a Consistory in that city. As a partial return for the many courtesies which were extended, and for the purpose of more fully expressing the appreciation of the members of our organization, the ladies of Oriental Consistory then present in Cleveland gave a reception at the Forest City House, which was successfully conducted, and enjoyable in the highest degree. The parlors of that most excellent hotel were thronged for hours with the beauty and chivalry of Cleveland. The Second Regiment Band of Chicago, which accompanied the Consistory during the entire trip, acquitted themselves with great credit, and were the recipients of many well earned encomiums upon their proficiency and martial appearance.

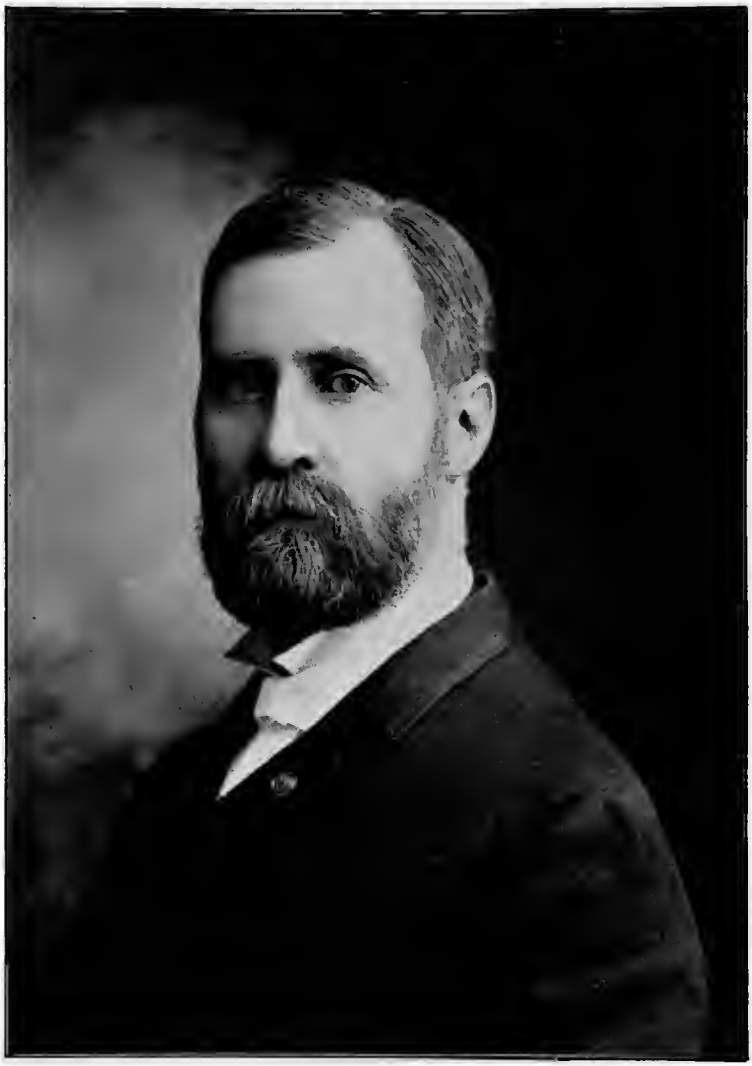
While in Cleveland, a pilgrimage was made to the tomb of Garfield, the martyred president. Ceremonies appropriate to the occasion were conducted at the tomb, the prominent feature of which was an eloquent address by Inspector-General, Norman T. Gassette, 33°. The performance of this duty of reverence by the Consistory created extended and highly favorable comment.

Before passing from this subject, I desire here publicly, as I have heretofore in private, to extend the warm thanks of Oriental Consistory as a body, in addition to my own personal acknowledgments, to the executive committee in charge of the Cleveland expedition. Their labors were crowned with the laurel of success, and added much to the already acquired reputation of the Consistory.

The services rendered by the Consistory upon the laying of the corner-stone of the new Masonic Temple, as escort to the M. W. Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M., were acknowledged by the Illustrious Deputy of this District, acting in the capacity of Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, in a highly commendatory letter, in which he conveyed his personal thanks, together with the grateful acknowledgments of the M. W. Grand Master. It is conceded generally that the Consistory never paraded in larger numbers, nor presented a more favorable appearance than upon this occasion. Having the right of line, and preceding a column of several thousand of the fraternity, the Consistory were justly awarded the verdict of "unexcelled."

Possibly there is nothing which has contributed so much, however, to the popularity of the Consistory in the hearts and minds of members, or added to the respect it has gained outside of its membership, as the well conducted, pleasurable, and therefore heartily enjoyable social receptions that have been instituted under the auspices of Oriental Consistory. The present series seem, if possible, to be more highly enjoyable than ever before. They have been largely attended, and each recurring reception is anticipated with the greatest of pleasure."

The membership of the Consistory at this time was 1,200.



AMOS PETTIBONE, 33°.

Born in Brasher Falls, N. Y., December 20th, 1843.

Master Mason Rockton Lodge No. 74, A. F. and A. M. July 30th, 1866. R. A. M. in York Chapter July 11th, 1889. K. T. in Apollo Commandery No. 1, July 22d, 1890.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. Occidental Consistory, March 25th, 1871.

Inspector General September 16th, 1879.

Past T.·. P.·. G.·. M.·. Van Rensselaer Lodge of Perfection. Commander-in-Chief at present, also Marshal of the Camp in Supreme Council, N.·. J.·.

At the 341st Rendezvous of Oriental Consistory, it being the Thirty-fifth Annual, held January 15th, A. D. 1891, Ill.·. Amos Pettibone, 33°, was elected Commander-in-Chief, and on the 19th of February he and the following roster of officers were installed:

GEORGE WILLIAM WARVELLE, 33°.....Ill.·. First Lieut.·. Com.·.
ROBERT MASSIE JOHNSON, 33°.....Ill.·. Second Lieut.·. Com.·.
ELIAKIM RAYMOND BLISS, 33°.....Ill.·. Min.·. of State and Gr.·. Orator
WILLIAM ERSKINE POULSON, 33°.....Ill.·. Grand Chancellor
FRANK CURTIS ROUNDY, 32°.....Ill.·. Grand Marshal
WILLIAM HOWARD BERGSTRESSER, 32°, (Danville) Ill.·. Asst.·. Gr.·. Marshal.
HENRY BAKER, 32°.....Ill.·. Grand Treasurer
GILBERT WORDSWORTH BARNARD, 33°.....Ill.·. Gr.·. Sec.·. and K.·. of S.·.
REV. WM. CONVERSE DE WITT, 32°.....Ill.·. Grand Prior
GILBERT WILLARD BLANCHARD, 32°.....Ill.·. Gr.·. Eng.·. and Arch.·.
ELWYN BREMER GOULD, 32°.....Ill.·. Grand Hospitaler
JAMES BURTON MCFATRICH, 32°.....Ill.·. Grand Mas.·. of Cer.·.
THOMAS HARWOOD CURRIER, 32°.....Ill.·. Grand Standard Bearer
JOSEPH SPIES, 33°.....Ill.·. Grand Capt.·. of G.·.
ARCHIBALD MCLELLAN, 33°.....Ill.·. Grand Sentinel
WALTER DAVID HALL, 32°
WILLIAM AUGUSTUS WALTER, 32° } .....Ill.·. Grand Standard Guards
HARRY ARCHAMBAULT, 32°.....Ill.·. Grand Musical Director

In his inaugural address the Commander-in-Chief delivered the following:

ILL.·. PRINCES:

It is not my purpose to weary you this evening with a long speech, but I deem it incumbent upon me not alone as a duty, but a pleasure, to say a few words upon this occasion; and first, let me assure you, one and all, of my profound appreciation of the particular distinction and honor conferred by you, which has made it possible for me to stand here this evening as the representative officer of this, the third largest Consistory in the United States, if not in the world; and if my life shall be spared, your Commander-in-Chief for the next three years.

In accepting this position with all its distinction and honor, I am not unmindful of its duties and responsibilities, with which there comes a tinge, yea, even a thrill of hesitation, for with the distinction comes the responsibility. Not that I expect one without accepting the other, but there follows the realization of the feeble abilities of my own with which to grasp and endeavor to master, in a wise and judicious manner, the multiplex duties that devolve upon him who attempts to be a leader of his brethren, to faithfully demonstrate the true exemplar of the principles of Freemasonry, the Loving Brother and Sublime Prince, within whom should ever reside these many virtues, and be made manifest in the every-day walk and conduct in life of him who shall

occupy this most exalted and dignified position to the end that peace, prosperity and brotherly love may prevail.

To those whose privilege it was to be present at our last Triennial Conclave and hear the exhaustive report made at that time by our now Past Commander-in-Chief, we are most forcibly reminded of the brilliant record achieved by our predecessors in the upbuilding of this Masonic Structure, which has now become historical, and will stand as a living monument of their noble work, and an incentive to us not to stand idly by while the duties of life are to be done and we are expected to perform them. Let us hope that it may be our privilege to successfully carry forward this work with untarnished banners, unrestrained zeal, and such earnestness of purpose as may commend our efforts to those who shall succeed us.

To accomplish this your commander most earnestly solicits the hearty assistance and co-operation of each and every member of this Consistory, not one of whom but can make a good suggestion, or render valuable service in some direction that will materially aid us in the prosecution of our labor, and I assure you that such service will be most gratefully received and appreciated.

This triennial term to many, if not to all of us, will be the most important one in the history of our Masonic career. Within this term there will have been (we hope and confidently expect) erected, dedicated and occupied by this Consistory, the largest and grandest Masonic structure, in all its conception and detail, in this country, if not in the world, and we expect that it will be the exalted privilege of this body to become its first Masonic occupant. Let us hope and pray that we may all live to witness this result.

This term will also usher in and say farewell to the World's Columbian Exposition, which will probably bring to our fair city representatives from every nation on earth, and without doubt brethren of the Scottish Rite, not only from every Masonic Jurisdiction in the world, but from every country and clime where the secrets of our Order exist.

What a profound thought, that here in this city, within our own homes, in a few short months, it will be made possible for us to meet and greet brethren from all quarters of the earth.

What we are to do for their special enjoyment while with us will be a question for our consideration in the near future, but let us determine that, what ever we do it shall be so tempered with hospitality and genuine brotherly love that each and every one may return to his own country and home with the firm conviction that we faithfully practice the Masonic virtues and principles which we teach.

This will be a golden opportunity for moulding Masonic sentiment and principles. Let us profit by it, and so shape our course as to commend our efforts and labor to the respect and admiration of the craft everywhere.

That this occasion will demand a considerable amount of money to properly maintain the dignity and hospitality which I am sure of all the Princes will desire to extend, must be apparent to every one, and the means to be adopted



GEORGE WILLIAM WARVELLE, 33°,

Born in Kenosha, Wisconsin, May 3d, 1852.

Master Mason in Covenant Lodge No. 526, March, 1875. R. A. M. Corinthian Chapter No. 69, June, 1875. R. and S. M. Chicago Council No. 4, February, 1876. Knight Templar St. Bernard Commandery, No. 35, November, 1875.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. Oriental Consistory, October 10th, 1884.

Inspector General 33°, September 18th, 1888.

Past Master Covenant Lodge. Past High Priest York Chapter, No. 148. Present Grand Master, Second Veil, Grand Royal Arch Chapter. Present Grand Orator Grand Lodge, A. F. and A. M. Intendant General; and M. E. Sov. of St. John's Conclave, R. C. K. of Constantine.

Past T. I. M. Chicago Council R. and S. M. and Past Grand Master Grand Council of Illinois. Past M. E. S. P. Grand Master Chicago Council P. of J.

Now First Lieut. Commander, Oriental Consistory.

for providing it will be one of the first that will need our careful consideration.

With the obligations this and the co-ordinate bodies have already assumed in aid of the new Masonic Temple, it is readily seen that we cannot hope to complete our payments (which must and will be done) and leave us any considerable sum for other purposes, unless we shall have much larger receipts as result of our labor than the times would seem to indicate, or lead us to confidently hope for.

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Let me urge your earnest consideration of this subject in order that we may reach the wisest and best conclusion.

Princes, allow me to again thank you for favoring me with the highest office and honor in your power to bestow It is a mark of distinction, love, confidence and esteem, that can never be effaced from the tablet of my memory; and I give you the most positive assurance that it shall be my earnest endeavor to administer the affairs of this office so as not to bring discredit to the cause we represent, or you to regret that you elevated me to this high station. Please bear in mind, however, that I am simply human, subject to all the ills that flesh is heir to, but give your assistance, counsel and the right hand of brotherly love, as cheerfully as I shall always receive the same, and you will render me most valuable aid, and our cause will be the benefactor.

In this way we shall most successfully prosecute our labors to a conclusion, ever bearing in mind that motto on the banner of our Order:

"SPEAS MEA, IN DEO EST."

PHOTOGRAPHS AND LIBRARY.

Among the many interesting features connected with the growth and prosperity of these bodies was the adoption of a plan to obtain the photographs of as many as possible of the old members together with those coming in at present.

Those of the living are placed in albums which are on the tables in the parlors. Those of the deceased members are collected in albums specially prepared for them and the whole collection now numbers over one thousand. They have proved of great value in many ways.

Several years since, the idea was adopted of having each class or group of candidates receiving the degrees at one time photographed together. Each member of the class receiving one copy of the group and one copy is framed and displayed in our parlors.

The pleasant acquaintance made in this way and the agreeable reminiscences of the same, proves of great interest as the years go by.

I have had reproduced for this book, several of the older classes in order to preserve them from the destructive effect of time and season.

We have now determined to have no more frames made, but to preserve them, in albums specially made for each class.

The collection made for the library is another feature of interest.

In this respect there has not been any elaborate attempt to make a collection of books other than those pertaining to Freemasonry in its various branches.

The printed proceedings of the Supreme Council N. J., from the beginning are complete, also those of the Supreme Council of Canada. The later sessions of the Southern S. C., and many of the valuable bulletins of our lamented Brother, Albert Pike, comprise all from that Jurisdiction.

R. W. Brother L. L. Munn, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Illinois has assisted in furnishing us with nearly a full set of Grand Lodge proceedings.

Ill.·. Brother John C. Smith, 33°, Deputy for Illinois, has contributed many valuable publications from this state, and to that lamented, distinguished and illustrious statesman and soldier Prince John A. Logan, are we indebted for nearly the whole set, so far as published, of the "Official Records of the Union and Confederate Armies."

Want of room and the opportunity to display our collection in the apartments now occupied, has hindered the development of this part of our intention to have an attractive library. It is hoped that when we occupy our new Home, the coming season, opportunity will be afforded this feature to grow and become one of our most valuable properties.

"Who loves the truth, loveth good books,
Out from whose every page
Beameth a light that fadeth not
The window of the sage."

In harmony with the ideas of the Commander-in-Chief, as expressed above, action was had as follows:



ROBERT MASSIE JOHNSON, 33°

Born in Toronto, Canada, May 6th, 1843.

Master Mason in Garden City Lodge No. 141, July 12th, 1876. R. A. M. in York Chapter No. 148, August 7th, 1879. R. and S. M. in York Chapter No. 148, October 27th, 1881. K. T. in Apollo Commandery, April 13th, 1880.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. in Oriental Consistory, November 22d, 1877.

Inspector General, September 23d, 1884.

Second Lieutenant Commander at present.

ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE.

PRECEPTORY OF

ORIENTAL CONSISTORY, S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·.

VALLEY OF CHICAGO, August 1, 1891.

SUBLIME PRINCE:

At a stated Rendezvous of Oriental Consistory, held in their Preceptory June 25, 1891, the undersigned were appointed a Committee on ways and means, for the purpose of creating a special fund, by voluntary subscription, to be used in the entertainment of our fraters from all parts of the civilized world who will sojourn in our city during the period of the "World's Columbian Exposition," and the same to be in keeping with our reputation as Masons and to equal, if not surpass, entertainments that are now being planned by other societies of a kindred nature. Your Committee, after due deliberation, are of the opinion that the first thing necessary is to get this subject before the members, and receive from them their promise of subscription, to enable them to formulate plans for the entertainment, which must be based on the amount subscribed, and to that end they have decided to request as a minimum amount from each member the sum of twenty dollars each year, beginning July 1, 1891, and ending July 1, 1893, which amount they suggest shall be paid in quarterly installments of five dollars, believing this will not be a hardship to any one. We herewith enclose you a blank form for your subscription, and respectfully request you to sign and return the same at your earliest convenience, and with it the first remittance. Your Committee desire it to be understood by all that this plan will not prevent any member from making a larger subscription, and they realize that it will be necessary for those who are able to do so, to subscribe more liberally than the above amount. It is our intention to give notice, through the "World's Columbian Exposition Printing Bureau," to our brethren in foreign Jurisdictions, that when they reach our city we shall not be wholly unmindful of the fact that they are strangers, and shall at least do our part and all we can to show them that brethren "dwell together in unity wheresoever dispersed around the Globe." There will be many things occurring in the future in connection with this movement that will be of interest to all, and your Committee will from time to time present them for your consideration. We realize the magnitude of this undertaking, and must have the full support of *all* the members to carry it to a satisfactory and successful ending which we hope will redound to the credit of our beloved Order. We ask you to be prompt in your reply, and as liberal as possible in your subscription, and also, to make of yourself a committee of *one* to see that at least one other member has responded to the Committee. Address all communications and make checks

payable to WILLIAM JOHNSTON, Secretary of the Committee, 184 Monroe Street, Chicago.

Yours Fraternally,

JAMES P. SHERWIN, *Chairman.*
HARVEY T. WEEKS,
JAMES JOHN,
THOMAS E. MILLER,
ROBERT L. TATHAM,
ROBERT J. WALSHE,
JOHN F. WOLFF,
CANUTE R. MATSON,
FRANK C. VIERLING,
WILLIAM JOHNSTON, *Secretary.*
} *Committee*

Approved:

JOHN CORSON SMITH, 33°, *Deputy for Illinois.*
AMOS PETTIBONE, 33°, *Commander-in-Chief.*
JOHN A. MAY, *Gourgas Chapter Rose Croix.*
FRANK M. LUCE, 33°, *Chicago Council Princes of Jerusalem.*
JAMES B. MCFATRICH, *Van Rensselær Gr.·. L.·. of Perfection.*
GILBERT W. BARNARD, 33°, *Grand Secretary.*

The response to the above has been liberal, and at the present writing, everything indicates that we shall be able to fully discharge our duties as hosts of the high grade Masons of the world.

Two years and more have come and gone since the delivery of the forgoing inaugural address and the unusual prosperity that has attended us is shown by the extracts from the annual reports of the Grand Secretary at the close of the second year.

REPORT OF GRAND SECRETARY, 1892.

The following is taken from the annual report of the Grand Secretary in December, 1892:

"While it is going on fifteen years that I have been Secretary of the Consistory, it was several years before I was elected in all of the co-ordinate bodies in this valley. After I was so elected it was a year before I could get the matters all straightened out and old books balanced.

When this was done I was confronted with the necessity of adopting some plan or combination of plans that would result in an accurate, systematic and economical way of keeping the accounts. I was fortunate in being considered at that time, as an expert in book-keeping, and the combination cash journal then invented for the use of the bodies, has proved sufficiently attractive to others, as to be adopted in many other Valleys of the Rite where four co-ordinate bodies are working.



E. RAYMOND BLISS, 33°.

Born September 3d, 1846, in New Brunswick, N. J.

Master Mason in National Lodge No. 596, of which he is Past Master.
Is R. A. M., K. T., and S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·.
Inspector General September 20th, 1887.
Past T. P. G. M. Van Rensselaer Lodge of Perfection, and is now the Grand Min. of State in Oriental Consistory.

While it is my custom each year to take off a trial balance from the ledger, I have never before this taken a balance sheet showing the aggregate result.

This being the end of the tenth year since the books were opened, I present the following figures, with considerable personal satisfaction:

INCOME OF 14°, 1882–1891.

Dues		$ 6,861 06
Fees		35,410 00
Interest		262 08
Total income, ten years		$42,533 14

Disbursements and Cash on hand.

Expense account	$25,472 24	
Supreme C.·. Tax	2,572 50	
Construction acct	4,248 40	
Stock in new Temple	5,625 00	
Loan to Consistory	1,000 00	
Cash in Treasury	3,615 00	
		$42,533 14

INCOME OF 16°, 1882–1891.

Dues		$ 6,470 50
Fees		22,540 00
Total income in ten years		$29,010 50

Disbursements and Cash on hand.

Expense account	$16,971 12	
Supreme C.·. Tax	1,877 75	
Construction acct	2,832 27	
Stock in new Temple	5,000 00	
Cash in Treasury	2,329 36	
		$29,010 50

INCOME OF 18°, 1882–1891.

Dues		$ 6,637 51
Fees		17,770 00
Interest		234 88
Total income in ten years		$24,642 39

Disbursements and Cash on hand.

Expense account	$13,573 11	
Construction acct	2,124 20	
Supreme C.·. Tax	1,895 25	
Stock in new Temple	3,750 00	
Loan to Consistory	500 00	
Cash in Treasury	2,799 83	
		$24,642 39



JAMES BURTON McFATRICH, 32°.

Born in Lena, Illinois, April 4th, 1862.

Master Mason Ashlar Lodge, No. 308, February, 1886. R. A. M. La Fayette Chapter No. 2, October, 1886. R. and S. M. Palestine Council No. 66, December, 1886. Knight Templar Montjoie Commandery No. 53, December, 1888.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. Oriental Consistory, March 31st, 1887.

Past Master Ashlar Lodge, P. H. P. La Fayette Chapter, Past Commander Montjoie Commandery, T.·. P.·. G.·. M.·. Van Rensselaer Lodge of Perfection, and Grand Warder in Grand Commandery K. T. of Illinois.

INCOME OF 32° 1882-1891.

Dues		$ 6,487 20
Fees		38,970 00
Loans		1,500 00
Total for ten years		$ 46,957 20

Disbursements and Cash on hand.

Expense account	$25,698 23	
Construction account	5,441 18	
Supreme C.·. Tax	3,048 00	
Stock in new Temple,	6,875 00	
Cash in Treasury	5,894 79	$ 46,957 20

Summary of ten years receipts.

Dues, 14°	$ 6,861 06	
Dues, 16°	6,470 50	
Dues, 18°	6,637 51	
Dues, 32°	6,487 20	$ 26,456 27
Fees, 14°	$ 35,410 00	
Fees, 16°	22,540 00	
Fees, 18°	17,770 00	
Fees, 32°	38,970 00	$114,690 00
		$141,146 27
Interest	$ 262 08	
Interest	234 88	496 96
		$141,643 23

DISBURSEMENTS.

Supreme C.·. Tax, 14°	$ 2,572 50	
" " " 16°	1,877 75	
" " " 18°	1,895 25	
" " " 32°	3,048 00	
Total		$ 9,393 50
14° Construction acct., (Preceptory)	$ 4,248 40	
16° " " "	2,832 27	
18° " " "	2,124 20	
32° " " "	5,441 18	
Total		$ 14,646 05
14° Stock in new Temple	$ 5,625 00	
16° " " " "	5,000 00	
18° " " " "	3,750 00	
32° " " " "	6,875 00	$ 21,250 00

This has since been paid in full to $25,000 00.



WILLIAM ERSKINE POULSON, 33°.

Born in Portsmouth, Va., July 12th, 1844.

Master Mason, Naval Lodge No. 100, Portsmouth, Va., December, 1865. R. A. M. November 12th, 1877, La Fayette Chapter No. 2. R. & S. M. January 4th, 1878, La Fayette Chapter No. 2. K. T. in Apollo Commandery, May 27th, 1879.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. Oriental Consistory, October 7th, 1881.

Inspector General, September 23d, 1884. High Priest, La Fayette Chapter, 1882-3. T. I. M. Palestine Council, 1883-4. S. P. G. M. Chicago Council P.·. of J.·. 1882-3. P. D. G. M. Grand Council R. & S. M. Illinois. Present Grand Chancellor, in Oriental Consistory.

14° Expense account	$ 25,472 24	
16° " "	16,971 12	
18° " "	13,573 11	
32° " "	25,698 23	
Total		$ 81,714 70

Making our expenses nearly $8,200 00 per year. This includes Regalia, Charity, Funerals, etc.

Total dues collected	$ 26,456 27	
Total fees collected	114,690 00	
Total interest collected	496 96	
Total income	$ 141,643 23	

DISBURSEMENTS.

Supreme C.·. Tax	$ 9,393 50	
This Preceptory	14,646 05	
Stock in Temple	21,250 00	
Expense acct.	81,714 70	$127,004 25
14° Cash	$ 3,615 00	
16° "	2,329 36	
18° "	2,799 83	
32° "	5,894 79	$ 14,638 98
		$141,643 23

ASSETS.

Cash	$ 14,638 98	
Stock	21,250 00	
Preceptory	14,646 05	$ 50,535 03
Less cash on hand in 1882		$ 3,821 85
Profit in ten years		$ 46,713 18

If we deduct from the assets, a loss on the Preceptory account of say, $10,000.00, we still have a profit of $36,713.18, or about 25 per cent.

It must be understood also that all regalia and paraphernalia is charged under the several expense accounts and those things are much more valuable now than they were in 1882 — ten years ago.

The amount of fees collected show that we have had 1,146 candidates. In 1882 our membership was 461; it is now 1,443, showing a gain of 982, being an average of about 100 per year.

It would prove interesting perhaps to some if I could present here a summary of the various items charged under the head of expense in the four bodies for the past ten years. It was my intention to do so when I began investigating for the data that I have presented above, but my eyesight has been so poor for some time that I have had to give it up.

Suffice to say, that we have spent the money and I think that all will allow that we have had a good time and our money's worth.

We are now at the threshold of the important events suggested by our Ill.·. Commander-in-Chief, that is the occupation of our new apartments in the Masonic Fraternity Temple, which will occur in May, 1893, also of the great event of our day and for our city, the opening of the wonderful World's Columbian Exposition.

In addition it will be seen by the following circulars and invitation that the Supreme Council N. J. has accepted our invitation to hold their next annual session in this city.

IN DEO FIDUCIA NOSTRA.

SUPREME COUNCIL OF SOVEREIGN GRAND INSPECTORS GENERAL, 33°,

ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE,

FOR THE NORTHERN MASONIC JURISDICTION OF THE U. S. A.

ILL.·. HENRY L. PALMER, 33°.....M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander.

VALLEY OF CHICAGO.

Supreme Council, 33°.

The Eighty-first Annual Session of the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors General of the Thirty-third and last Degree, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, will be held in the City of Chicago, State of Illinois, U. S. A., com-



FRANK MELVILLE LUCE, 33°,

Born in Marion, Massachusetts, February 26th, 1846.

Master Mason in Home Lodge No. 508, May 13th, 1881. R. A. M. in Chicago Chapter, No. 127, September 27th, 1882. R. and S. M. in Chicago Chapter, October 14th, 1882. Knight Templar May 1st, 1883, Apollo Commandery No. 1.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. in Oriental Consistory, September 22d. 1883.

Inspector General 33°, September 16th, 1890.

Past S.·. P.·. Grand Master Chicago Council, P.·. of J.·. J.·.W.·. Gourgas Chapter Rose Croix. Imperial Recorder A. A. O. N. M. S.

mencing on the third Tuesday, the 19th day of September, 1893, to which you are cordially invited to be present.

This being the year of the World's Columbian Exposition in Chicago, it is expected that members of your Supreme Council will be visiting this city, and the hope is expressed that each one of the brethren will so arrange his visit as to include the month of September, when Oriental Consistory, S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. 32°, Gourgas Chapter, Rose Croix, 18°, Chicago Council, Princes of Jerusalem, 16°, Van Rensselær Lodge of Perfection, 14°, and the Supreme Council for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U. S. A., Thirty-third and last degree, will be in session, so they may witness the conferring of all the degrees, from the Fourth or Secret Master's degree, to the Thirty-third and last degree of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite.

If any other inducement could be offered our Illustrious brethren of other Supreme Councils to participate with us in this, the Eighty-first Annual Session of this Supreme Council, than the cordial and fraternal invitation herein extended, it must be found in the Annual Address of our M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander, the Hon. Henry L. Palmer, which is as follows: "Our meeting might be made the nucleus of a World's Congress of Scottish Rite Masons for fraternal and social intercourse, for receiving and communicating information, for making acquaintances between brethren at a great distance from each other, and by friendly intercourse and exchange of fraternal courtesies strengthen and make closer the bonds of Brotherhood between Scottish Rite Masons of the different nations. We would gladly welcome to our Supreme Council the members of any or all of the other Supreme Councils with which we are in correspondence."

And now, dear brethren, may we expect you to be with us at that time?

We fraternally ask Grand Secretary General to inform each Thirty-third degree member of his Supreme Council of this invitation, and write the chairman of this Committee of the acceptance of the same and the names of the Illustrious brethren who expect to be present.

Fraternally yours,

JOHN C. SMITH, 33° JOHN L. STETTINIUS, 33°

CHARLES M. COTTRILL, 33° HUGH MCCURDY, 33°

CLINTON F. PAIGE, 33° GEORGE M. CARPENTER, 33°

GEORGE O. TYLER, 33°

Address of Chairman:

GEN. JOHN C. SMITH,
65 Sibley Street,
Chicago, U. S. A.



JOHN ANDERSON MAY, 32°,

Born in Potsdam, New York, December 5th, 1859.

Master Mason, October 29th, 1883, Blair Lodge No. 393. R. A. M. in Washington Chapter, May 29th, 1884.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. Oriental Consistory, March 24th, 1884.

Elected for Inspector General 33°, 1892.

Past M. E. S. P. Grand Master, Chicago Council P.·. of J.·. Present M. W. and P. M. Gourgas Chapter Rose Croix.



Supreme Council, 33° A. A. S. R.
Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U. S. A.

Illustrious Brother:

You are cordially invited
to be present at the

Eighty First Annual Session

of this

Supreme Council,

to be held in the
City of Chicago, U. S. A.
Commencing
September the nineteenth,
eighteen hundred and ninety-three.

Fraternally Yours,

John C. Smith, 33° *John L. Stettinius, 33°*
Charles M. Cottrill, 33° *George M. Carpenter, 33°*
Hugh McCurdy, 33° *Clinton F. Paige, 33°*
George O. Tyler, 33°

FEAST DAYS.

In the earlier days of our history it was customary to have particular observance of the Holy and Feast days specially noted in our Ritual, and for several years an annual Lodge of Sorrow was held.

The increase in numbers has rendered such observance almost impossible of late, owing to want of room to accommodate the crowd of visitors and members attending on such occasions.

The last of the Feast Day ceremonies in Gourgas Chapter of Rose Croix, was held April 10th, 1879, with the following officers in charge:

JAMES E. CHURCH, 32°.....M.·. W.·. and P.·. Master.
E. W. CHAMBERLAIN, 32°.....M.·. E.·. and P.·. K.·. Sen.·. Warden.
A. M. THOMSON, 32°.....M.·. E.·. and P.·. K.·. Jun.·. Warden.
W. A. STEVENS, 33°.....M.·. E.·. and P.·. K.·. Grand Orator.
E. B. MYERS, 33° .....R.·. and P.·. K.·. Treasurer.
ED. GOODALE, 32°.... .....R.·. and P.·. K.· Secretary.
E. F. DELUCE, 32°.....R.·. and P.·. K.·. Hospitaler.
D. C. ROUNDY, 32°.....R.·. and P.·. K.·. Mas.·. of Cer.·.
R. M. JOHNSON, 32°.....R.·. and P.·. K.·. Capt.·. of the G.·.

Quotations from the proceedings on that occasion are as follows:



OPENING CEREMONIAL.

BY M.·. W.·. & P.·. M.·. JAMES E. CHURCH, 32°.

To the Glory of the Grand Architect of the Universe; in the name and under the auspices of the Sup.·. Council of Sov.·. Gr.·. Insp.·. Gen'ls of the 33° and last degree for the North.·. Mas.·. Jur.·. of the U. S. of A., and by virtue of the powers in me vested, I call this Chapter from labor to refreshment.

This Chapter is now called to refreshment. Before we part, let us eat together the bread earned by our labors, and thank our Heavenly Father for furnishing us with the means for sustaining life.

Bro.·. Mas.·. of Cer.·. visit the avenues, and see if there be any brother, or even any of the profane, who suffer from hunger or thirst; if there be, bring him in, for whoever he may be, he is our brother, and we will freely divide with him our bread and wine.

(*Procession Formed.*)

Brothers and Knights, let us assemble around the table of fraternal love, joyfully strengthening the tie which binds our hearts together.

(*In silence and order, the Knights followed the M.·. W.·. to the table.*)

ADDRESS BY THE GRAND ORATOR.

From time immemorial, man has plighted his faith and confidence in his fellow-man by drinking from the same cup and eating from the same loaf.

Among Eastern nations at the present day has this method of solemnizing a pledge been retained. We learn from history, and our Fathers of the Masonic Faith, that in the ancient mysteries of Judea and Egypt, the newly initiated were presented with bread and wine as a symbol of the new life they were about entering upon, and that they were henceforth to be devoted to the laws of truth, and knowledge of their rights and duties.

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With us it is simply a manifestation of fraternal love, as inculcated by Charity and Masonic Philosophy.

The solemn feast of the Rose Croix Knights is held this day, and commemorates the feast of the Passover, observed by the Jews.

Resp.·. and P.·. Knights, the feast of which we are about to partake is thus ordered:

"On the 10th of the month of Nisan, they shall take to them every man a lamb, a lamb for a house; and if the household be too little for the lamb, let him and his neighbors next unto his house take it, according to the number of the souls. Your lamb shall be without blemish, a male of the first year. And ye shall keep it up until the 14th day of the same month, and the whole assembly of the congregation of Israel shall kill it in the evening, and they shall eat the flesh in that night, roasted with fire, and ye shall let nothing

remain of it until the morning, nor break any bone of it; and that which remaineth of it until the morning, ye shall burn with fire.

"And thus shall ye eat it: with your loins girded, your shoes upon your feet and your staff in your hand; and ye shall eat in haste; it is the Lord's Passover. And this day shall be unto you for a memorial, and ye shall keep it as a feast to the Lord throughout your generation, a feast by an ordinance forever."

This feast, and the bread and wine of which we partake, are to us symbols of fraternity and brotherly affection, and of that perfect union that must ever subsist among Bro. Knights of the Rose Croix.

M.·. W.·. Thus, Bro. Knights, are we assembled, solemnly and fraternally pledging ourselves one to another in brotherly love, in the presence of the angels and of that great Intelligence that surrounds us in our every action.

We are members of a universal Brotherhood, where Truth is the base and Morality the hand-maid. We are Knights of Masonry, and to her service our swords are consecrated. May we prove worthy soldiers in a worthy cause.

(*The Resp.·. and P.·. Knights, under direction of the Most Wise and Perfect Master, then partook of the general feast of Lamb and Wine.*)

After which, remarks appropriate to the occasion were made by several distinguished members of the Order, and sentiments responded to.

The first toast was, the M. W. Grand Lodge of Illinois, to which Bro. Theo. T. Gurney responded.

The next toast, Van Rensselær Grand Lodge of Perfection was responded to by Ill.·. Bro. Vincent L. Hurlbut, and we quote:

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What consecrated memories throng around us here! When I think of all the steps taken from an entrance through the outer veil of Free Masonry up to this grand height upon which we stand; of the trials of our *faith* and *fidelity*; of the vows taken; of the solemn pledges so often repeated and renewed, before we were found worthy to pronounce *that ineffable* name. When I think of our most wonderful history, and the mighty names that adorn it; of the gifted souls that have laid upon our altars their genius and devotion, I stand in *awe* before *such* a crowd of unseen witnesses, and seem to hear them saying: "Take the shoes from off thy feet, for the place whereon thou standest is holy ground." There is nothing of possible nobleness within our reach to which we are not pledged. Think of the grave questions we were called upon to answer with sincerity of heart, and without mental evasion, before we were permitted to enter this Holy of Holies! Think of the sacred symbolism that surrounded and invested us; the ring, the symbol of *unbroken friendship*; an *unbroken circle*—ONE for time and eternity; the bread and wine the ancient symbols of brotherhood, and the pledges of undying constancy and devotion, reminding us of *that one* sacrament, the pledge of immortal love; the sad but fitting memorial of spiritual presence and discipleship, the prelude

of the sublimest *sacrifice* and the most sorrowful *tragedy* time shall ever witness, and I am sure we shall all feel lifted far above all selfish aims, and with new zeal shall *here resolve* to consecrate every energy to the noble achievement to which we are personally pledged. Around us lies this weary, waiting world, cursed by selfishness and sin, and hither we must go with unwavering *Faith*, with courageous *Hope*, and a God-like *Charity*, to lift the burden from its bruised and aching heart, and make it throb with gladness in the warmth and the light of illimitable love. Brethren, I ask you to form again the sacred circle, and partake with me of the symbols of that holy covenant which binds us together for all time, and which, reaching beyond the valley of death, becomes the pledge of an immortal brotherhood.

Addresses followed from many distinguished members of the Rite, among them Ill.·. Brothers H. A. Johnson, J. Adams Allen and James B. Bradwell.

As late as January, 1887, and again January, 1888, Ill.·. George W. Warvelle Grand Master of Chicago Council Princes of Jerusalem organized and carried out particular observances as follows:

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"You will also observe that on that day will be held the annual feast, in commemoration of the triumphal entry into Jerusalem of the Ambassadors on their return from Babylon, and you are earnestly invited to be present and participate with us in this manifestation of fraternity and brotherly affection.

With fraternal salutations,

GEO. W. WARVELLE,
M. E. S. P. Gr. Master.

By the Constitutions of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite, two great annual feasts are provided for the Princes of Jerusalem; the one to celebrate the anniversary of the triumphal return of the ambassadors from Babylon, and the other in memory of the frank offerings rendered to God for the rebuilding of the Temple. These feasts, in all their essential details, are peculiar to Masonry, and form no part of the ancient ceremonial observances of the Jews. They are distinctively commemorative in character and, unlike the festivals of Rose Croix, have no special religious or symbolic significance. They recall two of the happiest periods in the legendary history of the craft, replete with stirring adventure and fraught with impressive lessons, and enable us, while contemplating the trials and victories of our ancient brethren, to renew in fraternal reunion our own vows and professions. The feast provided for this occasion commemorates not only the joyous reception accorded to Zerubabel and his companions on the successful completion of their mission, but also the prior events, which culminated in the unbounded liberality of Darius, and brought freedom and protection to the oppressed Jews.



CHARLES FREDERICK GUNTHER, 33°,

Born in Germany, March 6th, 1837.

M. M. in St. John's Lodge, No. 13, Peru, Illinois, 1860. R. A. M. in Peru Chapter, No. 60, Peru, Ill. R. and S. M. in Peru Council No. 12, Peru, Ill. K. T. in Chevalier Bayard Commandery No. 52, Chicago, Ill.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. Oriental Consistory, June 4th, 1880.

Inspector General, September 18th, 1888.

Grand Treasurer, Van Rensselaer Lodge of Perfection and Chicago Council P.·. of J.·.

An elaborate banquet followed each ceremony at which the following programs were carried out.

TOASTS OF OBLIGATION.

To the President of the United States.....C. E. BLIVEN

To the Supreme Council 33°.....JOHN C. SMITH

To the Sovereign Grand Commander .....HENRY L. PALMER

To the Illinois Council of Deliberation.....JOHN O'NEILL

To the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M.....D. C. CREGIER

To the Ladies.....M. F. RIGGLE

To the memory of the Brethren of these Degrees whose labors here below have ceased during the present Masonic year.....IN SILENCE

To all Masons and Masonic Bodies, of all Rites and degrees, over the surface of the earth! Honors and laurels to the worthy, health to the sick, comfort to the needy, and succor to the oppressed everywhere .....J. B. BRADWELL

SENTIMENTS.

The Ineffable Grades: "The Love of God is the beginning of all wisdom".....E. R. BLISS

The Traditional Grades: "Great is Truth, and mighty above all things".....JOHN A. MAY

The Doctrinal Grades: "And now abideth Faith, Hope and Charity, but the greatest of these is Charity".....L. D. RICHARDSON

The Chivalric Grades: "Faith to God, and Love to our Fellow Men" .....ALFRED RUSSELL

"SHOULD AULD ACQUAINTANCE BE FORGOT."

"Great is Truth and Mighty Above All Things."

Ceremonial Refection
OF
Chicago Council, Princes of Jerusalem.

Held on the 29th day of the Hebrew month Tebeth, A. M. 5648, corresponding to the 12th day of January, 1888, E. V.

To commemorate the triumphal entry into Jerusalem of the Ambassadors on their return from Babylon.

M. E. S. P. Gr. Master, - - - GEORGE W. WARVELLE,
Presiding.

M. E. Sr. Warden, - - - - - JNO. A. MAY,
Over the column of the North.

M. E. Jr. Warden, - FRANK M. LUCE,
Over the column of the South.

Symposium.

"Take, eat, and give to the hungry!
Take, drink, and give to the thirsty."

Menu.

Toasts of Obligation.

To the Supeme Council, 33°, . . . JOHN C. SMITH.

To the Sovereign Grand Commander, . . H. L. PALMER.

To the Illinois Council of Deliberation, . . WALTER A. STEVENS.

To the Co-ordinate Bodies of the Rite in this Valley, E. R. BLISS.

To Chicago Council, Princes Jerusalem, . . WM. E. POULSON.

To the Grand Lodge of Illinois, A. F. & A. M., D. C. CREGIER.

To the memory of the Brethren of these degrees whose labors here below have ceased during the present Masonic year, ... *In Silence.*

To all Masons and Masonic bodies, of all Rites and degrees, over the surface of the earth! Honors and laurels to the worthy, health to the sick, comfort to the needy and succor to the oppressed everywhere, ... NORMAN T. GASSETTE.

Sentiments and Responses by distinguished Princes.

Cigars. "Conversatione." Good Night.

"Should Auld Acquaintance Be Forgot."

IN the Lodge of Perfection the twenty-fourth of June was strictly observed for a number of years, but the great amount of work being done finally crowded out this ceremony, except when that date falls on Sunday, then it is our custom to hold an elaborate private celebration of the day.

Banquets are so frequent at our Annual and Semi-annual Reunions that the last

Traditional Banquet

was held February 5th, 1891, under the administration of Ill. Brother JAMES B. MCFATRICH, for which occasion we give the Menu and Toast Card:

Menu.

Bouillon
Sweet Breads with Mushrooms
French Peas
Smoked Beef Tongue
Chicken Salad
Salted Nuts Olives Pickles
Celery Radishes
Assorted Cake
Fruit Ice Cream
Coffee

WELCOME.

"Hope not to find a friend, but what has found a friend in thee; all like the purchase, few the price will pay; and this makes friends such miracles below."

DE WITT C. CREGIER.

ALLEGIANCE TO THE SUPREME COUNCIL.

"Nothing is more noble, nothing more venerable, than fidelity, promoted by a few strong instincts, and held within bounds by a few plain rules."

HENRY L. PALMER.

OBEDIENCE.

"A justifiable obedience to recognized authority, evinces a high type of manhood; and Constancy and Truth grant immediate recompense, by bridging the Sea of Dissensions, so that we may cross it to the vantage ground of Unity of Purpose and Effort, dry shod and unsoiled."

JOHN C. SMITH.

RITUALISM.

"Its ancient mine they explored,
And found the grand, mysterious word,
Made known before the Flood."

CHARLES T. M'CLENACHAN.

SIGNS AND SYMBOLS OF FREE MASONRY.

"At once the pure fraternal soul
Bends to the sign with sacred awe,
And reads upon the lettered scroll,
In words of light the unuttered law."

SMITH D. ATKINS.

THE RELATION OF MASONRY TO SOCIETY.

"How far the little candle throws its beam;
So shines a good deed throughout the world."

LEROY D. THOMAN.

SILENCE.

"Ideas make their way in silence like the waters that, flowing behind the rocks of the Alps, loosen them from the mountain on which they rest."

E. RAYMOND BLISS.

COMPASSION.

"Progress urges the world forward, although filled with profound ennui, and the world is better, day by day, notwithstanding all the faults and ills of life."

NORMAN T. GASSETTE.



HENRY BAKER, 32°.

Born in England, January 21st, 1843.

Master Mason in William B. Warren Lodge No. 209, September 30th, 1871. R. A. M. May 31st, 1872, in Washington Chapter. R. and S. M. June, 1872. K. T. in Chicago Commandery November 25th, 1872.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. in Oriental Consistory, November 24th, 1882.

Is Treasurer of his Chapter, Commandery, Gourgas Chapter Rose Croix and Oriental Consistory.

REUNIONS.

The Annual and Semi-Annual Reunions of the Co-ordinate Bodies have been celebrated in the Rite for their attractive and interesting character for many years and are attended by visitors and members from all parts of this continent.

Among the most pleasant features of them, in later years, have been the fine musical programmes.

The last one, in 1892 we print herewith:

Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite,

Valley of Chicago.

Musical Programmes

OF THE

Thirty-seventh Semi-Annual Reunion

AND

Reception of Candidates.

November 15th, 16th, 17th, 1892.

Miss Helen Buckley,	Soprano	Rose Croix Choir
Mrs. W. S. Watrous,	Contralto	
Mr. J. L. Johnston,	Tenor	
Mr. Henry T. Hart,	Bass	

Lexington Quartette	J. R. Matheny,	First Tenor
	W. J. Brookes,	Second Tenor
	S. W. Hurdle,	First Bass
	F. J. Knowles,	Second Bass

Harry Archambault, 32° . . . Organist and Musical Director

Van Rensselaer Grand Lodge of Perfection, 14°

J. B. McFATRICH, 32°, T. P. G. M.

Singing by the Lexington Quartette.

TUESDAY, November 15th, 10 o'clock A. M.

4th Grade—Secret Master.

1	GLORIA PATRI,	*Trench*
2	LORD, FOREVER AT THY SIDE,	*Dow*
3	GREAT GOD OF NATIONS,	*Davenport*

5th Grade—Perfect Master.

1	THOU OF LIGHT,	*Schubert*
2	I HEARD A VOICE FROM HEAVEN,	*Webb*
3	NEARER MY GOD TO THEE,	*Mason*
4	I CANNOT ALWAYS TRACE THE WAY,	*Dow*
5	THE VACANT CHAIR,	*Root*
6	REMEMBER NOW THY CREATOR,	*Rhodes*
7	SOME SWEET DAY,	*Towner*
8	THE LORD IS MY SHEPHERD,	*Koschat*
9	PEACE TO THE MEMORY,	*Wallace*
10	THE LORD'S PRAYER,	*Bennet*

7:30 o'clock P. M.

14th Grade—Grand Elect Perfect and Sublime Mason.

1	EVERLASTING, CHANGING NEVER,	*Neithardt*
2	HOLY SPIRIT, COME,	*Koschat*
3	COME UNTO ME,	
4	OH GOD! THE DARKNESS ROLL AWAY,	*Wallace*
5	NOT ASHAMED,	*Danks*
	BARITONE SOLO—W. S. HURDLE.	
6	GLORIA TIBI,	*Gerrish*
7	BROTHERLY LOVE,	*Kucken*
8	FATHER, HEAR THY CHILDREN,	*Barnby*
9	LO, DAY'S GOLDEN GLORY,	*Barnby*

Gourgas Chapter, Rose Croix, 18°

JOHN A. MAY, 32°, M. W. & P. M.

Singing by Rose Croix Choir.

WEDNESDAY, November 16th, 5 o'clock P. M.

17th Grade—Knight of the East and West.

1	SANCTUS,	*Löhr*
2	MARCH OF ANCIENTS,	*Nembach*
3	INCLINE THINE EAR,	*Himmel*

18th Grade—Sovereign Prince of Rose Croix, D. D. R. D. M.

1	LEAD KINDLY LIGHT,	*Buck*
2	NEAR THE CROSS,	*Emerson*
3	I KNOW THAT MY REDEEMER LIVETH,	*Handel*
	SOPRANO SOLO—MISS HELEN BUCKLEY.	
4	FAITH—JESUS, MERCIFUL AND MILD,	*Robyn*
5	HOPE—DRAW NIGH TO ME,	*Cornell*
6	CHARITY—IN HEAVENLY LOVE ABIDING,	*Holden*
7	GLORIA PATRI,	*Holden*
8	FOUR RESPONSIVE CHANTS—ANGLICAN,	
9	ASCENSION HYMN (Duke Street),	*Hatton*
10	REGINA COELI	*Wiegand*

Oriental Consistory, S. P. R. S.

AMOS PETTIBONE, 33°, Ill.·. Commander-in-Chief.

Singing by the Lexington Quartette.

THURSDAY, November 17th, 10 o'clock A. M.

Ill.·. Prince J. B. McFATRICH in the Orient.

19th Grade—Grand Pontiff.

1	HARK, THE SONG OF JUBILEE,	*Keller*
2	CHANTS—"AMEN,"	
3	THE LORD'S PRAYER,	
4	SEND OUT THY LIGHT AND TRUTH,	*Luther–Bach*
5	CHANTS—"AMEN,"	
6	MISERERE (Il Trovatore),	*Verdi*
7	CHANTS—"HEAR OUR PRAYER,"—"AMEN,"	
8	TRUTH,	*Kinkel*
9	CHANTS—"GRANT OUR PRAYER,"	
10	JERUSALEM THE GOLDEN,	*Kollner*
11	IT IS WELL WITH MY SOUL,	

ENTERTAINMENTS.

In addition to the public installation of officers, Basket Encampment and Picnics, Musical and Literary Entertainments, which have been of frequent occurrence, there has for twenty years past, with the exception of one year, been given each winter a series of Receptions of the character indicated in this program for the last series.

They have been of the greatest benefit in bringing together the old and young, the men, women and children of our people.

Oriental Consistory Receptions

SEASON 1892-1893

Thursday Evening . .	November 24, 1892
Thursday Evening . .	December 29, 1892
Thursday Evening . .	January 26, 1893
Thursday Evening . .	February 23, 1893

Yourself and ladies are cordially invited to attend these Receptions in our parlors, American Express Building, 78 Monroe Street.

Progressive Euchre in the parlors, under the superintendence of ALFRED RUSSELL.

Grand March at 9 o'clock, music by Pound's Orchestra.

Season Tickets, $5.00.

Single admission, gentleman and lady, $2.00.

Tickets and introductory cards can be procured from either of the Executive Committee,

R. M. JOHNSON,
R. H. NEELEY,
C. H. TEBBETTS,
} Executive Committee.

or

GIL. W. BARNARD,
Grand Secretary,
78 Monroe Street.

Lunch from 10:30 to 12 o'clock.

Carriages, one o'clock.



WILLIAM M. KNIGHT, 32°,

Born in Jackson, Michigan, December 21st, 1841.

Master Mason in Hesperia Lodge, No. 411, A. F. and A. M. January 12th, 1870. R. A. M. August 5th, 1870, in Washington Chapter No. 43. Knight Templar in Chicago Commandery, March 31st, 1873.

S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. July 29th, 1886, in Oriental Consistory.

Is at present S. P. G. Master of Chicago Council P.·. of J.·.

THERE IS NO DEATH.

"There is no death! The stars go down
To rise upon some fairer shore;
And bright in Heaven's jeweled crown
They shine forever more.

There is no death! The dust we tread
Shall change beneath the summer showers
To golden grain or mellowed fruit,
Or rainbow-tinted flowers.

The granite rocks disorganize,
And feed the hungry moss they bear
The forest leaves drink daily life
From out the viewless air.

There is no death! The leaves may fall
And flowers may fade and pass away;
They only wait through wintry hours
The coming of the May.

There is no death! An angel form
Walks o'er the earth with silent tread,
He bears our best loved things away;
And then we call them 'dead.'

He leaves our hearts all desolate;
He plucks our fairest, sweetest flowers;
Transplanted into bliss, they now
Adorn immortal bowers.

The birdlike voice whose joyous tones
Made glad these scenes of sin and strife,
Sings now an everlasting song
Around the tree of life.

Where'er he sees a smile too bright,
Or heart too pure for taint and vice,
He bears it to that world of light,
To dwell in Paradise

Born unto that undying life,
They leave us but to come again;
With joy we welcome them the same—
Except their sin and pain.

And ever near us, though unseen,
The dear immortal spirits tread;
For all the boundless universe
Is life—there are no dead."

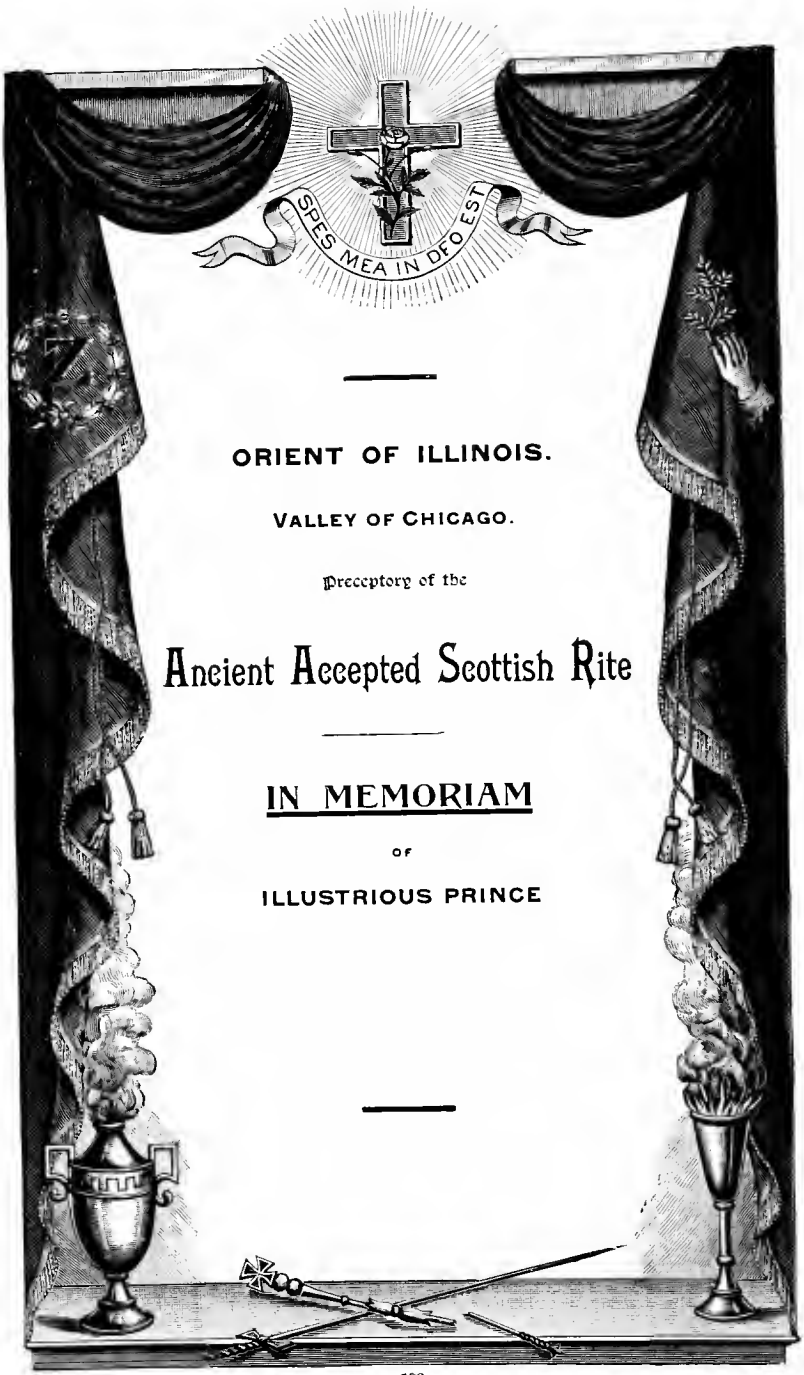
THE DEAD.

Respect for the memory of our deceased Princes has always been a feature of our history.

If possible the Consistory is represented at the funeral of each one deceased, either as a body, by a committee, or a floral tribute, consisting of a large double-headed eagle, the emblem of the grade.

A Committee on Necrology is appointed and their report printed for distribution and then recorded in our "Necrological Record," a book kept separate from the business records, and which now contains hundreds of pages of kind words of our dead.

This is the preface to such reports.



ORIENT OF ILLINOIS.

VALLEY OF CHICAGO.

Preceptory of the

Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite

IN MEMORIAM

OF

ILLUSTRIOUS PRINCE

THE CO-ORDINATE BODIES.

Thus far little has been said of the three co-ordinate bodies of the Rite. This was naturally the case from the fact that all of our important events and actions has been done in the name and under the auspices of the Consistory.

All our important business affairs, such as leasing and fitting up apartments, purchasing scenery, etc., is done in that body; the expense being prorated among the other bodies on the basis of the fees collected.

It would be very unjust however, to pass over them without comment, for it is undoubtedly true, that to the efforts of the officers in the lower bodies, much of our prosperity is due.

Those of the elder members who knew of the brilliant character of Ill.·. Brother H. A. Johnson, assisted, as he was, by such able and zealous brethren as Gilbert R. Smith, Vincent L. Hurlbut, Rev. O. H. Tiffany, Henry C. Ranney, Wm. H. Turner, Enoch B. Stevens, Geo. W. Pettee, James H. Miles, Wiley M. Egan and others of the like kind, will feel assured that the ceremonies were made interesting and instructive in their day.

During the year 1868 the first efforts were made to confer all the degrees in the Lodge of Perfection from the fourth to the fourteenth.

The writer recalls with pleasure the interest attending his first efforts to illustrate the ritual of the fourth and fifth degrees in Chicago Lodge of Perfection. Previous to that time the sixth and fourteenth alone, having been conferred in full. The conferring of the fourth and fifth at that time attracted a great deal of attention, and while to-day such work as we succeeded in doing then, would not be considered desirable, yet it was deemed very attractive at that period, especially as all the parts were filled without use of Ritual or Manual.

These efforts were revived after the great fire of 1871, and in the year 1873, for the first time, probably, in this country, were

all the degrees from fourth to the fourteenth inclusive, repeatedly conferred by the T.·. P.·. and the Deputy, Ill.·. Henry H. Pond. From that time to the present, Rituals or Manuals have not been used, every officer memorizing his part or parts. Under McClellan, Pettibone, Bradwell, O'Neill and others the proceedings were especially successful.

When Brother E. R. Bliss was elected T.·. P.·. he gave a new impetus to the character of the work, and was more successful than any predecessor in giving a new impression and variety of style to all that was done. Never a close follower of the Ritual, yet he would improvise and clothe the lessons of the degrees in language equally impressive and frequently more interesting than that of the book. His administration will long be remembered.

He was followed by the most interesting character of all, Brother J. B. McFatrich, the present Grand Master.

Perfect as we thought the work of others, he soon showed that he had a new conception of almost every salient feature, and by giving to them the wealth of his genius, deep study and zealous efforts, he has made the Lodge of Perfection the most attractive body of all. He adopted the plan of enlisting as many of the young and active members as he could use in conferring the several degrees, so, that now there is a different set of officers at work in nearly all of the degrees in the Lodge.

He is a strict follower of the Ritual, but has introduced many features, ceremonial in character, which tend to punctuate, as it were, the prominent idea, and vividly illustrate the particular lesson sought to be conveyed.

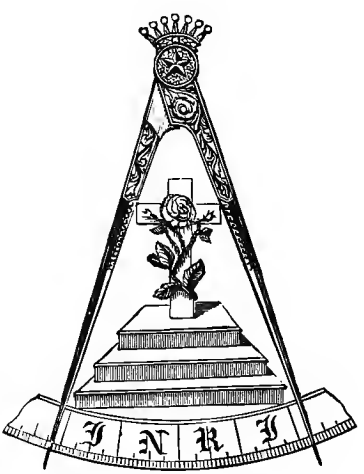
In the Council of Princes and Chapters of Rose Croix we have been equally fortunate. The occasion seems to produce the man who could meet and fulfill the requirements. Especially has this been the case in the Council, under the administration of Princes Tobey, Russell, Poulson, Moulton, Warvelle, Luce, May and the present efficient Grand Master Wm. M. Knight.

Equally effective in carrying forward the ceremonies of the beautiful Orders in the Rose Croix Chapter has been Knights Pond, Church and Richardson, the latter being the most remarkable delineator of those grades that ever presided over our Chapter. His personal appearance, being six feet and a half in height

and of massive frame, together with a deep resonant voice, made him appear the very embodiment of the grand ideas conveyed in the Rose Croix.

His removal from our Jurisdiction after seven years service as Most Wise, vacated the office. The Chapter presented him, as a souvenir of their regard and esteem, with a magnificent Past Most Wise Jewel.

He was succeeded by the present Most Wise, Knight John A. May, who is fully sustaining the character of the work of those before him. While he was not the figure nor voice of "Old Rich," he has got a very winning way with him.



CONSISTORIES IN NORTHERN MASONIC JURISDICTION.

NAME.	DATE OF CHARTER.	LOCATION.
Maine	1862	Portland, Me.
Edward A. Raymond	1864	Nashua, N. H.
Vermont	1874	Burlington, Vt.
Massachusetts	1860	Boston, Mass.
Rhode Island	1856	Providence, R. I.
La Fayette	1858	Bridgeport, Conn.
Connecticut	1864	Norwich, Conn.
Albany - -	1824	Albany, N. Y.
The Consistory of N. Y. City	1806	New York City.
Central City -	1862	Syracuse, N. Y.
Otseningo	1867	Binghampton, N. Y.
Rochester	1867	Rochester, N. Y.
Corning	1867	Corning, N. Y.
Aurora Grata	1889	Brooklyn, N. Y.
New Jersey	1867	Jersey City, N. J.
Excelsior	1883	Camden, N. J.
Pennsylvania	1857	Pittsburg, Pa.
Philadelphia	1857	Philadelphia, Pa.
Harrisburg	1865	Harrisburg, Pa.
Caldwell	1867	Bloomsbury, Pa.
Keystone -	1890	Scranton, Pa.
Michigan	1862	Detroit, Mich.
DeWitt Clinton	1878	Grand Rapids, Mich.
Ohio - -	1854	Cincinnati, Ohio.
Lake Erie - -	1890	Cleveland, Ohio.
Indiana - -	1865	Indianapolis, Ind.
Oriental - - -	1857	Chicago, Ill.
Quincy - - - -	1867	Quincy Ill.
Freeport - - -	1867	Freeport, Ill.
Peoria - -	1867	Peoria, Ill.
Wisconsin - - -	1863	Milwaukee, Wis.

CONSISTORIES IN SOUTHERN JURISDICTION.

California,	San Francisco.
Empire of Japan,	Yokohama.
Kentucky,	Louisville.
Louisiana,	New Orleans.
No. 1 Colorado,	Denver, Col.
No. 1 Albert Pike,	Washington, D. C.
No. 1 Dakota,	Fargo, Dak.
No. 2 Oriental,	Yankton, Dak.
No. 3 Occidental,	Sioux Falls, Dak.
No. 1 Augusta,	Augusta, Ga.
No. 1 De Molay,	Lyons, Iowa.
No. 2 Iowa,	Cedar Rapids, Ia.
No. 3 DesMoines,	Des Moines, Iowa.
No. 1 Leav'nw'th,	Leavenworth, Kan
No. 2 Wichita,	Wichita, Kans.
No. 3 Salina,	Salina, Kans.
No. 4 Topeka,	Topeka, Kans.
No. 1 Chesapeake,	Baltimore, Md.
No. 1 Occidental,	Omaha, Neb.
No. 1 Missouri,	St. Louis, Mo.
No. 1 Minnesota,	St. Paul, Minn.
No. 2 Minneapolis,	Minneapolis, Minn.
No. 3 Duluth,	Duluth, Minn.
No. 1 Forth Worth,	Fort Worth, Tex.
No. 1 Lawson,	Seattle, Wash.
No. 2 Oriental,	Spok'ne Fls., Wash
No. 1 Dalcho,	Richmond, Va.
No. 1 East'n Mont,	Livingston, Mont.
No. 2 Butte,	Butte, Montana.
No. 1 Oregon,	Portland, Oregon.
No. 1 Tennessee,	Memphis, Tenn.
No. 1 Arkansas,	Little Rock, Ark.

CONSISTORIES IN THE DOMINION OF CANADA

Moore Consistory, at Hamilton, for the Province of Ontario.
Montreal Consistory, at Montreal, for the Province of Quebec.
New Brunswick Consistory, at St. John, for the Province of New Brunswick
Nova Scotia Consistory, at Halifax, for the Province of Nova Scotia.
Manitoba Consistory, at Winnipeg, for the Province of Manitoba.

CODE

OF THE

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ORIENT OF ILLINOIS

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ORIENTAL CONSISTORY, S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. 32°
GOURGAS CHAPTER ROSE CROIX, 18°
CHICAGO COUNCIL PRINCES OF JERUSALEM, 16°
VAN RENSSELAER GRAND LODGE OF PERFECTION, 14°

Amended and Adopted
April 27th, 1893



CHARTER OF ORIENTAL CONSISTORY.

AD UNIVERSI TERRARUM ORBIS SUMMI ARCHITECTI GLORIAM.

ORDO AB CHAO DEUS MEUMQUE JUS.

From the Grand Orient of the Supreme Council of the Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the Thirty-third and last Degree of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite of Free Masonry for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, under the C.·. C.·. of the Zenith near the B.·. B.·., which answers to 42° 21′ 22″ N. L. 5° 59′ 18″, E. L., Meridian of Washington, to all Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the Thirty-third and last Degree, and to all Illustrious and Most Valiant Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, Knights of K. H., Illustrious Princes and Knights, Grand Elect, Perfect and Sublime Freemasons of all Degrees, Ancient and Modern, of Freemasonry, over the surface of the two Hemispheres, to whom these Presents may come :

UNION, TOLERATION, POWER.

KNOW YE, That we, the undersigned Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General, duly assembled and congregated in SUPREME COUNCIL of the Thirty-third Degree of the ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, lawfully and constitutionally established at our Grand East, in the City of Boston and State of Massachusetts, this third day of Kislev, A.·. M.·. 5632, which corresponds to the Sixteenth day of November, A.·. D.·. 1871 ; having witnessed the fervor, zeal and constancy of our Illustrious Princes—George W. Deering, Charles R. Starkweather, William B. Herrick, James V. Z. Blaney, Robert H. Foss, James E. Dalliba, Hosmer A. Johnson—and knowing them to have been lawfully obligated, and reposing confidence in their Masonic knowledge, prudence and fidelity, do, by these presents, constitute and establish them, with their future legal associates and successors, into a regular Consistory of Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, under the title of Oriental Consistory, S.·.P.·.R.·.S.·., hereby giving and granting unto them full power and authority to convene as such Consistory in the Valley of Chicago, within the State of Illinois, to elect and install their officers, to work in the several degrees of Grand Pontiff, Grand Master of all Symbolic Lodges, Noachite or Prussian Knight, Knight of the Royal Axe, Chief of the Tabernacle, Prince of the Tabernacle, Knight of the Brazen Serpent, Prince of Mercy, Knight Commander of the Temple, Knight of the Sun,

Knight of St. Andrew, Knight Kadosh, Grand Inspector Inquisitor Commander, and Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret, and confer the same upon such brothers as are lawfully and constitutionally qualified to receive them. And the said Oriental Consistory shall administer for us, and in our names, to each brother admitted to any of the degrees conferred therein an OBLIGATION OF FEALTY AND ALLEGIANCE TO OUR SUPREME COUNCIL aforesaid, and of submission to its decrees. And the aforesaid Oriental Consistory shall, each year, at our Annual Convocation, return to us a true list of all its officers and members, specifying the name, place of nativity, age, residence, profession, religion and highest degree received, with the date of reception of each newly admitted Sublime Prince, and transmit to us the Fees for Registry, Reception and Annual Dues required by our Decrees.

In default thereof, this CHARTER may be suspended by the M. P. Sov Grand Commander, or revoked by our SUPREME COUNCIL ; and, we do hereby require the said constituted Oriental Consistory to keep a regular RECORD OF THEIR PROCEEDINGS AND WORK for our inspection.

And, we do hereby declare the precedence of said Oriental Consistory to commence from the twentieth day of Sivan, A. M. 5617, answering to the fourteenth day of May, A. D. 1857, hereby ratifying and confirming all constitutional acts heretofore done by said Consistory.

In testimony whereof, we, Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General and active members of the SUPREME COUNCIL of the Thirty-third Degree, above named, sitting in the said city of Boston, do hereby grant unto the above named Brethren this SPECIAL WARRANT, and do subscribe our names, and cause to be affixed the GREAT SEAL OF OUR COUNCIL, in the Chamber of the Council, this third day of——, A.·. M.·. 5632, corresponding to the sixteenth day of November, A.·. D.·. 1871.

JOSIAH HAYDEN DRUMMOND, 33°,
M.·. P.·. Sov.·. Gr.·. Comm.·.
E. T. CARSON, 33°,
P.·. Lieut.·. Gr.·. Com.·.
HEMAN ELY, 33°,
Ill.·. Gr.·. Treas.
NATHAN B. SHURTLEFF, 33°,
Ill.·. Gr.·. Keeper of the Seals.
CLINTON F. PAIGE, 33°,
Ill.·. Gr.·. Min.·. of State.
E. G. HAMILTON, 33°,
Ill.·. Gr.·. Mas.·. Gen.·. of Ceremonies.
H. STANLEY GOODWIN, 33°,
Ill.·. Gr.·. Marshal Gen.
ROBERT H. FOSS, 33°,
Ill.·. Gr.·. Standard Bearer.
SAMUEL C. LAWRENCE, 33°,
Ill.·. Gr.·. Capt.·. of the Guard.
DANIEL SICKLES, 33°,
Ill.·. Gr.·. Sec.·. Gen.·. H.·. E.·.

This warrant of authority is issued by the SUPREME COUNCIL, A.·. A.·. S.·. Rite for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U. S. A., as a substitute for that by the authority of which, the body named herein was constituted, bearing date May 14, 1857, and which was destroyed by fire October 9, 1871.

Signed by

EDWARD A. RAYMOND, 33°,
M.·. P.·. Sov.·. Gr.·. Com.·.

R. R. DUNLAP, 33°,
Lieut.·. Gr.·. Com.·.

CHARLES W. MOORE, 33°,
Gr.·. Sec.·. Gen.·. H.·. E.·.

SIMON W. ROBINSON, 33°,
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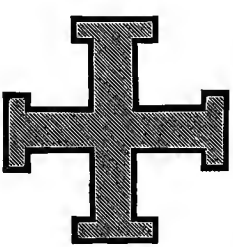

INCORPORATION.

Oriental Consistory, S.·.P.·.R.·.S.·.

Was Incorporated the fifteenth day of February, 1882, under "An Act concerning Corporations," approved April 18, 1872.



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RULES OF ORDER AND BY-LAWS

OF

ORIENTAL CONSISTORY.

RULES OF ORDER.

I. ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1. Opening.
2. Reading Balustres.
3. Receiving and Referring Petitions.
4. Reports of Committees on Petitions.
5. Balloting.
6. Unfinished Business.
7. New Business.
8. Receptions.
9. Closing.

II. A member, without permission, shall speak but once on a question, except to explain, and when as mover he shall have the right to open and close the debate thereon.

III. Parliamentary rules, so far as the laws and usages of the Rite permit, shall govern.

IV. These rules may be modified or suspended on motion, or as the presiding officer shall deem expedient.

ORIENTAL CONSISTORY S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·.

BY-LAWS.

TITLE.

SECTION 1. The name of this Consistory shall be ORIENTAL CONSISTORY, S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·.

STATED AND SPECIAL MEETINGS.

SEC. 2. The stated meetings shall convene on the fourth Thursday evening of each month, at eight o'clock from May to September, inclusive, and at half-past seven o'clock during the remainder of the year. *Provided*, such meetings shall in no wise conflict with the meetings of the co-ordinate bodies, as prescribed by the Supreme Council.

Provided further, that at all meetings, of which notice has been sent to the members, business may be transacted.

ANNUAL MEETING.

SEC. 3. The annual meeting shall convene on the fourth Thursday of December of each year.

At the annual meeting, A. D. 1887, and every third year thereafter, the following officers shall be elected:

1. The Ill.·. Commander-in-Chief.
2. The Ill.·. First Lieutenant-Commander.
3. The Ill.·. Second Lieutenant-Commander.
4. The Ill.·. Minister of State and Grand Orator.
5. The Ill.·. Grand Chancellor.
6. The Ill.·. Grand Treasurer.
7. The Ill.·. Grand Sec.·. and Keeper of the Seals and Archives.
8. A Board of Five Directors.

The Commander-in-Chief elect shall appoint the following officers:

9. The Ill.·. Grand Marshal.
10. The Ill.·. Assistant Grand Marshal.
11. The Ill.·. Grand Prior.
12. The Ill.·. Grand Engineer and Architect.
13. The Ill.·. Grand Hospitaler.
14. The Ill.·. Grand Master of Ceremonies.
15. The Ill.·. Assistant Grand Master of Ceremonies.

16. The Ill.·. Grand Standard Bearer.
17. The Ill.·. Grand Captain of the Guard.
18. The Ill.·. Grand Sentinel.
19. Two Standard Guards.
20. Master of Wardrobes.
21. Musical Director.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

SEC. 4. The duties of the officers, respectively, shall be those required by the laws and usages of the Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Masonry.

DUTIES OF GRAND TREASURER.

SEC. 5. The Grand Treasurer shall keep an accurate account of all his receipts and disbursements, and an inventory of all the fiscal property of this body; also, proper vouchers, carefully numbered and filed, and pay out money only on orders signed by the presiding officer and attested by the Grand Secretary, and render at the annual meeting a report of his doings for the preceding year, and, whenever required, attend with his books and papers the sitting of the Board of Directors, and deliver all money and other property of this body in his possession at the expiration of his term of office to his successor, or to such other person or persons, and at such time as this body may direct; but before entering upon his duties, he shall file with the presiding officer a bond, with surety, to be approved by this body, conditioned for a faithful performance of the same.

DUTIES OF GRAND SECRETARY.

SEC. 6. The Grand Secretary shall record all transactions of this body proper to be written, and keep the Balustres always ready for inspection, and sign and affix the seal to all papers issued by or under the authority of this body, and keep a correct registry of all initiations, specifying the time of admission, age, place of birth, residence and occupation of each candidate, with the date of his oath of fealty, transmit returns and certificates of election, as required by the Constitution of the Supreme Council, and notify petitioners of their election, and, in case of rejection, see that they are personally notified, also notify all bodies of the same grade in this District; collect all fees and dues, keeping a correct registry thereof, and pay the same over immediately to the Grand Treasurer, and attend with his books and papers whenever required, the sittings of the Board of Directors, and deliver all books, papers and other property of this body, in his hands at the expiration of his term of office, to his successor or such other person or persons, and at such time as this body may direct, and receive such compensation for his services as this body may determine by vote, and be exempt from dues, but, before entering upon his duties, he shall file with the presiding officer a bond, with surety, to be approved by this body, conditioned for the faithful performance of the same.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

SEC. 7. The Board of Directors shall receive and pass upon all claims and demands either for or against this body, and report from time to time, as may

be necessary ; and once a year — or oftener, if required — examine and audit the books and papers of the Grand Treasurer and Grand Secretary, and at the annual meeting present a full report of their doings for the year, giving a statement of the financial affairs of this body, with such recommendations as may be deemed wise and expedient.

APPLICATION FOR ORDERS.

SEC. 8. Any affiliated Rose Croix K—t in good standing may apply for the orders conferred in this Consistory.

Every petitioner shall be recommended by three affiliated Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, members of Oriental Consistory.

RECEPTION AND REFERENCE OF PETITIONS.

SEC. 9. If the petition be received, the presiding officer shall appoint three members a committee to inquire into the fitness of the petitioner, who shall, unless otherwise ordered, report thereon at or before the next stated meeting.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE.

SEC. 10. On the report of the committee the petitioner shall be balloted for, and, if elected, shall present himself for initiation within twelve months after his election unless satisfactory reasons to this body to the contrary appear, and he shall not thereafter be received until a new petition shall be presented and acted upon as before.

AFFILIATION.

SEC. 11. Every S.·.P.·.R.·.S.·., to affiliate, must be an affiliated Rose Croix K—t, and present with his application proper letters of credence from the Consistory whence he comes, unless satisfactory reasons for not producing the same appear. No fee shall be required.

UNIFORMS.

SEC. 12. Every S.·.P.·.R.·.S.·. of this Consistory is expected to provide himself, within a period of four months, with a full equipment, of the style and regulation adopted by this Consistory.

SEC. 13. The first three officers of this Consistory shall constitute a committee on uniforms, whose duty shall be to see that all members are fully uniformed, in accordance with the By-Laws.

DESCRIPTION OF UNIFORMS.

HAT.

Common felt hat, crown five (5) inches high, brim four (4) inches in width, turned up on left side and held in position by Teutonic cross of white metal; with one (1) white and one (1) red plume of uniform dimensions.

For Officers, the same as above, except for Commanders-in-Chief, Past Commanders-in-Chief, and Members of the Supreme Council, who shall wear gilt cross and white plume in place of red.

COAT.

Black frock coat, cut military style, standing collar, skirt to tip of fingers, single-breasted, with eleven convex twist buttons in front, and four (4) in rear.

For Officers, except Commanders and Past Commanders-in-Chief and Members of the Supreme Council, the same as above.

For Commanders, Past Commanders-in-Chief and Members of the Supreme Council coat to be double-breasted and gilt buttons. All metallic buttons to have convex surface with appropriate device.

PANTALOONS

To be of black Cloth.

SWORD.

Sword to be that now known and recognized as the Consistory sword, with black grip and white metal scabbard supported from black enameled-leather belt, with edges of white, of established width, by two (2) chains at side and one (1) in rear.

For Officers, the same as above, except for Commanders, Past Commanders-in-Chief and members of the Supreme Council, whose sword scabbards shall be gilt and have a white belt with gilt trimmings, with all other mountings the same, together with white ivory grip.

BALDRIC.

That established by the Supreme Council.

GLOVES.

White lisle thread for all except Commanders, Past Commanders-in-Chief and members of the Supreme Council, which shall be of buff and of the same material.

FATIGUE CAP.

The Fatigue Cap of this Body shall be made of black cloth, three (3) inches high without visor. Trimmings for officers on same shall be two (2) one-fourth inch gilt wire-lace bands, gilt cord over the top with two (2) gilt slides, one (1) solid gilt button on each side, gilt double-headed eagle worked in front. Caps for members trimmed as above in silver.

SHOULDER STRAPS.

For the officers to be triangle-shape, black velvet ground, gilt cord edging. Emblems on same as follows:

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF, 5 Stars.
FIRST LIEUT. COMMANDER, 3 Stars.
SECOND LIEUT. COMMANDER, 2 Stars.
MINISTER OF STATE AND GRAND ORATOR, Scroll.
CHANCELLOR, Scale on a Base.
TREASURER, Key.
SECRETARY, Pen.
ENGINEER AND ARCHITECT, Segment and Parallel Rule.
HOSPITALER, Winged Staff.
MASTER OF CEREMONIES, Straight Sword.
CAPTAIN GUARD, Flaming Sword.
STANDARD BEARER, Flag.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP.

SEC. 14. Any active member of the co-ordinate bodies in this valley, who may pay the sum of Sixty Dollars, in addition to all dues which may have accrued against him, may, upon majority vote of the members present at any stated meeting, become a life member.

SEC. 15. Any member who shall acquire life membership as provided in the foregoing, shall forfeit all the rights and privileges thereto pertaining, in any case where his membership shall be affected by the act of dimission, or through disciplinary proceedings.

SEC. 16. Any member of the co-ordinate bodies of the Rite in this valley, who has continuously been a member for twenty years, and is free from the books, may, upon a majority vote of the members present at a stated or business meeting, become a life member under the same provisions as in Section 15.

FEES.

SEC. 17. The fees for orders in this Consistory shall be thirty-five dollars, which must be paid before the orders are conferred.

ANNUAL DUES.

SEC. 18. Every member shall on or before each annual meeting pay five dollars through the Grand Secretary, into the treasury, as dues for the current year, all of which amount collected for annual or life membership dues, shall be divided pro rata upon the same basis as the amount collected for fees for degrees, as now fixed, or hereafter to be charged, and said pro rata amounts shall be paid into the treasury of each of the co-ordinate bodies of the Rite semi-annually; *Provided*, that if a member permanently resides outside of Cook County his dues shall be three dollars per annum.

DISCIPLINE—CHARGES.

SEC. 19. All charges for unmasonic conduct must be presented in writing.

TRIALS.

SEC. 20. All trials in this body shall be conducted in accordance with the laws and usages of the A. A. Scottish Rite Masonry.

DIMITS.

SEC. 21. No application for a dimit shall be received until all dues are paid or remitted.

Any member of this body desiring to terminate his membership shall make his request in writing at a stated or business meeting, when the presiding officer shall, if there be no valid objections, order the Grand Secretary to issue a certificate of dimission to the applicant.

SUSPENSION FOR NON-PAYMENT OF DUES.

SEC. 22. All members in arrears for one year shall be notified by the Grand Secretary to appear at the next stated meeting after the date of said notice, and show cause why they should not severally be suspended for non-payment of dues. Any member who fails after such notification, for three months, to pay or to show cause for not paying, may be suspended from the rights and

privileges of this body upon a two-thirds vote of the members present at a stated or business meeting.

RESTORATION.

SEC. 23. All applications for restoration from suspension for non-payment of dues must be made in writing at a stated or business meeting, and it shall require a two-thirds vote to reinstate.

REPEAL.

SEC. 24. All other and former By-Laws of this body than these are hereby repealed.

SUPREME COUNCIL.

SEC. 25. Any action of the Supreme Council which may affect or alter these By Laws in any respect is hereby declared to be an amendment, without action of this body.

AMENDMENTS.

SEC. 26. These By-Laws shall be altered, modified or amended only by a vote of two-thirds the members present at a stated or business meeting; *Provided*, however, the proposed alteration, modification or amendment shall be presented in writing and read at least one stated meeting prior to the one at which a vote thereon shall be taken. No such amendments or By-Laws shall be in force until approved by the Deputy of this district.



18°

INCORPORATION.

Gourgas Chapter of Rose Croix,

DE—H—R—D—M.

Was Incorporated the thirteenth day of November, 1883, under "An Act concerning Corporations," approved April 18, 1872.

GOURGAS CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX, DE—H—R—D—M.

BY-LAWS.

NAME.

SECTION 1. The name of this Chapter shall be—GOURGAS CHAPTER OF ROSE CROIX DE-H-R-D-M.—Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Masonry.

STATED AND SPECIAL MEETINGS.

SEC. 2. The stated meetings shall convene on the third Thursday evening of each month, at eight o'clock, from May to September inclusive, and at half-past seven o'clock during the remainder of the year. *Provided*, that at all meetings of which notice has been sent to the members, business may be transacted.

ANNUAL MEETING.

SEC. 3. The annual meeting shall be held at the stated meeting on or next preceding Ascension Day (forty days after Easter), when the following officers shall be elected :

1. Most Wise and Perfect Master.
2. Most Excellent and Perfect Knight Senior Warden.
3. Most Excellent and Perfect Knight Junior Warden.
4. Most Excellent and Perfect Knight Grand Orator.
5. Respectable and Perfect Knight Treasurer.
6. Respectable and Perfect Knight Secretary.
7. A Board of Five Directors.

The Most Wise elect shall appoint the following officers :

8. Respectable and Perfect Knight Hospitaler.
9. Respectable and Perfect Knight Master of Ceremonies.
10. Respectable and Perfect Knight Assistant Master of Ceremonies.
11. Respectable and Perfect Knight Captain of the Guard.
12. Master of Wardrobes.
13. Organist.

SEC. 4. Same as Section 4 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.
SEC. 5. Same as Section 5 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.
SEC. 6. Same as Section 6 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.
SEC. 7. Same as Section 7 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

APPLICATION FOR ORDERS.

SEC. 8. Any affiliated Prince of Jerusalem in good standing may apply for the orders conferred in this Chapter.

Every petitioner shall be recommended by three affiliated Rose Croix K—ts, members of this chapter.

SEC. 9. Same as Section 9 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 10. Same as Section 10 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

AFFILIATION.

SEC. 11. Every Rose Croix K—t, to affiliate, must be an affiliated Prince of Jerusalem, and present with his application proper letters of credence from the Chapter whence he comes, unless satisfactory reasons for not producing the same appear. No fee shall be required.

FEES.

SEC. 12. The fees for orders in this Chapter shall be fifteen dollars, which must he paid before the orders are conferred.

ANNUAL DUES.

SEC. 13. The annual dues in this body shall be one dollar, except to the members of Oriental Consistory who are also members of this body, who shall be exempt from all dues in this Chapter.

SEC. 14. Same as Section 19 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 15. Same as Section 20 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 16. Same as Section 21 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 17. Same as Section 22 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 18. Same as Section 23 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 19. Same as Section 24 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 20. Same as Section 25 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 21. Same as Section 26 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.



INCORPORATION.

Chicago Council of Princes of Jerusalem,

Was Incorporated the thirteenth day of November, 1883, under "An Act concerning Corporations," approved April 18, 1872.

CHICAGO COUNCIL OF PRINCES OF JERUSALEM.

BY-LAWS.

NAME.

SECTION 1. The name of this Council shall be CHICAGO COUNCIL OF PRINCES OF JERUSALEM, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Masonry.

STATED AND SPECIAL MEETINGS.

SEC. 2. The stated meetings shall convene on the second Thursday evening of each month, at eight o'clock from May to September inclusive, and at half-past seven o'clock during the remainder of the year. *Provided*, such meetings shall in no wise conflict with the meetings of the co-ordinate bodies, as prescribed by the Supreme Council; and *provided further*, that at all meetings of which notice has been sent to the members, business may be transacted.

ANNUAL MEETING.

SEC. 3. The annual meeting shall convene at the stated meeting on or next preceding the twentieth day of the month of Tebet, at which time the following officers shall be elected:

1. The Most Equitable Sovereign Prince Grand Master.
2. The Grand High Priest Deputy Grand Master.
3. The Most Enlightened Senior Grand Warden.
4. The Most Enlightened Junior Grand Warden.
5. The Valorous Grand Treasurer.
6. The Valorous Grand Secretary, Keeper of the Seals and Archives.
7. A Board of Five Directors.

The Grand Master elect shall appoint the following officers:

8. The Valorous Grand Master of Ceremonies.
9. The Valorous Assistant Grand Master of Ceremonies.
10. The Valorous Grand Almoner.
11. The Valorous Grand Master of Entrances.
12. The Grand Tyler.
13. The Master of Wardrobes.
14. The Grand Organist.

SEC. 4. Same as Section 4 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 5. Same as Section 5 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 6. Same as Section 6 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 7. Same as Section 7 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

APPLICATION FOR DEGREES.

SEC. 8. Any affiliated Grand Elect, Perfect and Sublime Mason in good standing may apply for the degrees conferred in this Council. Every petitioner shall be recommended by three affiliated Princes of Jerusalem. members of this Council.

SEC. 9. Same as Section 9 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 10. Same as Section 10 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

AFFILIATION.

SEC. 11. Every Prince of Jerusalem, to affiliate, must present with his application proper letters of credence from the Council whence he comes, unless satisfactory reasons for not producing the same appear. No fee shall be required.

FEES.

SEC. 12. The fees for degrees in this Council shall be twenty dollars, which must be paid before the degrees are conferred.

ANNUAL DUES.

SEC. 13. The annual dues in this body shall be one dollar, except to the members of Oriental Consistory who are also members of this body, who shall be exempt from all dues in this Council.

SEC. 14. Same as Section 19 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 15. Same as Section 20 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

SEC. 16. Same as Section 21 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

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INCORPORATION OF

VAN RENSSELAER GRAND LODGE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
HENRY D. DEMENT, Secretary of State.

To all to whom these Presents shall come—GREETING:

WHEREAS, a Certificate, duly signed and acknowledged, having been filed in the office of the Secretary of State, on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1881, for the organization of the "Van Rensselaer Grand Lodge of Perfection," under and in accordance with the provision of "An Act concerning Corporations," approved April 18, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, a copy of which Certificate is hereto attached;

Now Therefore, I, Henry D. Dement, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, by virtue of the powers and duties vested in me by the law, do hereby certify that the said "Van Rensselaer Grand Lodge of Perfection" is a legally organized corporation under the laws of this state.

In Testimony Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and cause to be affixed the great Seal of State.

Done at the City of Springfield, this seventh day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and sixth.

{ SEAL }

[SIGNED] HENRY D. DEMENT,
Secretary of State.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
COUNTY OF COOK. }

TO HENRY D. DEMENT, Secretary of State:

We, the undersigned, George R. McClellan, James B. Bradwell, William H. Turner, Amos Pettibone, Gilbert W. Barnard, James E. Church, citizens of the United States, propose to form a corporation under an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois, entitled "An Act concerning Corporations," approved April 18, 1872; and that for the purposes of such organization we hereby state as follows, to wit:

1. The name of such corporation is Van Rensselaer Grand Lodge of Perfection.

2. The object for which it is formed is to incorporate the members of Van Rensselaer Grand Lodge of Perfection into a legal corporation for the purpose of advancing and promoting the interests of Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Masonry, at Chicago, in the State of Illinois.

3. The management of the aforesaid Corporation shall be vested in a Board of Five Directors, who are to be elected annually.

4. The following persons are hereby selected as the Directors to control and manage said Corporation for the first year of its existence, viz.: George R. McClellan, James B. Bradwell, William H. Turner, Amos Pettibone, James E. Church.

5. The location is in Chicago, in the County of Cook, State of Illinois.

[SIGNED] GEORGE R. MCCLELLAN.
JAMES B. BRADWELL.
WILLIAM H. TURNER.
AMOS PETTIBONE.
GILBERT W. BARNARD.
JAMES E. CHURCH.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
COUNTY OF COOK. }

I, Franklin Hulburd, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that on this 27th day of June, Â, D. 1881, personally appeared before me George R. McClellan, James B. Bradwell, William H. Turner, Amos Pettibone, Gilbert W. Barnard and James E. Church, to me personally known to be the same persons who executed the foregoing statement, and severally acknowledged that they had executed the foregoing statement, and severally acknowledged that they had executed the same for the purpose therein set forth.

{ SEAL } *In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

FRANKLIN HULBURD,
Notary Public.

VAN RENSSELAER
GRAND LODGE OF PERFECTION.

BY-LAWS.

NAME.

SECTION 1. The name of this Lodge shall be VAN RENSSELAER GRAND LODGE OF PERFECTION, Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite Masonry.

STATED AND SPECIAL MEETINGS.

SEC. 2. The stated meetings shall convene on the first and third Thursday evenings of each month, at eight o'clock from May to September inclusive, and at half past seven o'clock during the remainder of the year. *Provided*, such meetings shall in no wise conflict with the meetings of Gourgas Chapter Rose Croix, and of the co-ordinate bodies, as prescribed by the Supreme Council. *Provided further*, that at all meetings of which notice has been sent to the members business may be transacted.

ANNUAL MEETING.

SEC. 3. The officers shall be elected annually at the stated meeting on or next preceding the third day of the month Adar, and be installed as soon thereafter as practicable. No one but a Prince of Jerusalem shall be elected to either of the first four offices. The officers shall be styled and take rank as follows:

1. Thrice Potent Grand Master.
2. Hiram of Tyre, Deputy Grand Master.
3. Venerable Senior Grand Warden.
4. Venerable Junior Grand Warden.
5. Grand Orator.
6. Grand Treasurer.
7. Grand Secretary, Keeper of the S.·. and A.·.
8. A Board of Five Directors.

The Thrice Potent Grand Master elect shall appoint the following officers:

9. Grand Master of Ceremonies.
10. Assistant Grand Master of Ceremonies.
11. Grand Captain of the Guard.
12. Grand Hospitaler.
13. Grand Tyler.
14. Master of Wardrobes.
15. Grand Organist.

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SEC. 5. Same as Section 5 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.
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SEC. 7. Same as Section 7 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

APPLICATION FOR DEGREES.

SEC. 8. Any affiliated Master Mason in good standing may apply for the degrees conferred in this Lodge.

Every petitioner shall be recommended by three affiliated Grand Elect, Perfect and Sublime Masons, members of this Lodge.

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SEC. 21. Same as Section 26 of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory.

APPROVAL OF DEPUTY.

This code of By-Laws of Oriental Consistory, S.·. P.·. R.·. S.·. 32°, and co-ordinate bodies have been submitted, carefully examined and are hereby approved.

J. C. SMITH, 33°,
DEPUTY FOR ILLINOIS.

CHICAGO, June 8th, 1893.

TABLEAU OF MEMBERS

OF

ORIENTAL CONSISTORY

AND

CO-ORDINATE BODIES.

NOTE.—All those members to whose names no degree affix is attached have attained the degree of Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret, 32°. Where no state is given the residence is in Illinois.

* Suspended. † Withdrawn. ‖ Deceased. ¶ Expelled.

Aberer, Richard	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Ackemann, Henry Fred. Herman	June 29, 1893	Elgin.
Adams, George Washington†	Feb. 19, 1869	
Adams, J. McGregor†	Nov. 13, 1866	
Adams, Lysander Harris	Oct. 6, 1883	Shawneetown.
Adams, R. H.*	April 1870	Chicago.
Adams, Wesley Fisk†	Feb. 22, 1868	
Adams, William Henry,† 16°,	Feb. 24, 1870	Fulton.
Adcock, Albert William	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Admiral, Nicholas	Oct. 6, 1883	Watseka.
Adams, John Marshall	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Adams, George Edward	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Agnew, Thomas Henry	May 29, 1873	Chicago.
Agnew, Francis*	Apr. 9, 1875	Chicago.
Ahlschlager, Frederick	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Alborn, Frank Henry	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Aiken, William James	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Akin, Henry Franklin	Apr. 21, 1892	Maywood.
Albert, Stephen	A. July 27, '82	Chicago.
Aldrich, Carlon Cook	Oct. 6, 1882	McLean.
Alexander, E. S.,† 14°,	June 6, 1868	Chicago.
Alexander, Horace Clement,‖ 14°	Oct. 7, 1885	Chicago.
Alexander, John E.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Alexander, Theodore Hamilton‖		
Allen, Frank Sterling	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Allen, Heman R.	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Allen, Jonathan Adams,‖ 33°	Feb. 19, 1869	
Allen, Thomas Burton†	Oct. 6, 1883	
Allen, Walter Wood	Oct. 8, 1880	Topeka, Kan.
Almini, Peter Magnus‖	Nov. 12, 1869	

Allen, Frank Elwin	Nov. 18, 1887	Elgin.
Allen, James Van Loon	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Alexander, William Arthur	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Allaby, David	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Amberg, Franz	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Amundson, Olaf Andrew	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Anderson, James*	June 10, 1875	Chicago.
Anderson, James H.	May 22, 1878	Chicago.
Anderson, Magnus*	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Anderson, Thomas Wrigbt‖	Oct. 27, 1865	
Andrus, William D. Eli†	Oct. 27, 1865	Rockford.
Annin, William H.,‖ 14°	June 6, 1868	
Anderson, William John	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Anderson, Charles Rodney	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Anderson, D. Franklin	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Anthony, George Alfred	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Anderson, Nils	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Anderson, John Christopher	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Anderson, Nelson P.	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Anthony, Joseph Tyler	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Anthony, George Donelson,	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Appel, Henry	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Archambault, Harry	May 27, 1880	Chicago.
Armor, Thomas‖	June 11, 1874	
Armstrong, Perry Austin	Apr. 9, 1858	Morris.
Arnold, Daniel Allen	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Armstrong, John Birmingham	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Arnold, Frank	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Arndt, John	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Ashton, George Washington	May 23, 1868	Wilmington.
Ashley, Edw. Messenger	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Ashby, George William	June 29, 1893	Berwyn.
Athy, Stephen	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Atkins, Arthur Rollin Heber‖	Nov. 11, 1869	
Atkins, William*	Feb. 27, 1869	Chicago.
Atkinson, J. W.*		Chicago.
Atkinson, Edmund Bartlett	Apr. 24, 1890	Moline.
Atchison, George Cornell	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Aubery, James Madison	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Austin, Henry Seymour‖	May 11, 1867	
Avery, Claude G‖	Nov. 12, 1869	
Avery, Daniel Judson	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Avise, William M.‖	Feb. 28, 1867	
Ayers, George Latimer	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Ayers, Samuel	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Babcock John†	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Babcock, Charles Emmet	Oct. 10, 1884	Lincoln, Neb.

Badenoch, John Joseph	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Bailey, John C. W.‖		
Bailey John Withnall	A. Mar. 27, '85	Princeton.
Bake, William Crawford	A. Dec. 1872	Quincy.
Baker, Charles A.	Apr. 24, 1879	Chicago.
Baker, George Washington‖	June 4, 1880	
Baker, Orvis Porter	Nov. 11, 1869	Chicago.
Baker, Frank W.	Mar. 25, 1871	Chicago.
Baker, Henry	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Baker, William Davis‖	Dec. 9, 1870	
Baker, William Taylor*	Feb. 19, 1868	Chicago.
Ballenberg, Morris	A. Apr. 27, '82	Chicago.
Ball, Silas Bailey	Oct. 7, 1881	Homer.
Baldwin, John Henry‖	Oct. 9, 1885	
Baldwin, Aristides Edwin	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Barber, Ebenezer	Nov. 24, 1882	Marseilles.
Barber, Seth‖	Jan. 8, 1868	
Barber, Hiram	June 11, 1874	Chicago.
Barber, S. P.*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Barker, L. P.*	May 9, 1867	
Barbour, George R.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Barney, A. F.*	Nov. 24, 1866	Chicago.
Barnard, Gilbert Wordsworth, 33°	Apr. 25, 1868	Chicago.
Barnum, William Lewis	——, 1866	Chicago.
Barron, Mahlon*	Oct. 29, 1874	Chicago.
Barrell, James	Mar. 14, 1867	Chicago.
Barrett, Frederick Morrill	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Barrett, Oscar William‖	Feb. 19, 1868	
Barrett, Charles Elbridge	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Barto, Alphonso	May 9, 1867	St. Cloud, Minn.
Bartlett, Jeremiah S.*	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Bartlett, John H.*	Feb. 27, 1869	Chicago.
Bartlett, P. S.*	May 9, 1867	
Bascom, Addison Daniel‖	Mar. 13, 1869	
Bascom, Charles Phelps	A. Mar. 27, '85	Princeton.
Bassett, Ira	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Bates, W. W.*	Feb. 22, 1868	Chicago.
Baum, Charles Frederick	Oct. 6, 1883	Chicago.
Barclay, David Francisco	Apr. 15, 1887	Elgin.
Bates, Robert Parker*	Nov. 18, 1887	
Bayless, Theodore Powers	A. Apr. 20, '88	
Baker, James Duke	Nov. 22, 1888	Lebanon.
Barrett, William Henry	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Barlow, Robert Winthrop	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Barker, Walter Alfred	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Bausman, Andrew B	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Barter, Albert James	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.

Barfield, William Gibson	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Bailey, Theodore Parker	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Baldwin, Lewis Sherman	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Baker, George Traiton	Apr, 23, 1891	Chicago.
Barrett, Charles Richard	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Bailey, Sterling Lewellyn	Oct. 1. 1891	Chicago.
Baker, Martin Dunlop	Nov. 19, 1891	East St. Louis.
Baird, Frederick Bower	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Barney, Bruce Burleigh	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Baer, Bernard Pletschette	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Band, Henry Frederick	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Babb, Albert Horatio	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Bader, Henry Francis	April 21, 1892	East St. Louis.
Bagley, John	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Bassett, Charles Wallace	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Barcal, Francis De Rulus	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Bairstow, Arthur	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Bartels, Robert	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Beadell, Madison	Oct. 7, 1875	Chicago.
Beale, George Henry‖	Apr. 9, 1875	
Beard, James P.	June 10, 1875	Chicago.
Beck, Alexander Richard	Sept. 22, 1883	South Chicago.
Beck, George Frederick	Nov. 20, 1890	Sandwich.
Beck, William Frederick	Oct. 10, 1881	Olney.
Becker, Fred.	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Becker, John	June 21, 1869	Chicago.
Beebee, Luther A.*	Jan. 25, 1868	Chicago.
Behrendt, Henry	Oct. 8, 1880	Chicago.
Bell, A. L.*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Bent, Thomas	Aug. 10, 1876	Chicago.
Bennett, Ami Merchant†	Feb. 3, 1865	Chicago.
Bennett, Porton, Rivolo, Jr.	Oct. 8, 1880	Urbana, O.
Bennett, Thomas*	Jan. 30, 1869	Chicago.
Bergstein, Carl†	April 27, 1877	
Berry, Henry Clay*		
Berry, L. D.‖	——, 1868	
Best, William	Oct. 30, 1867	Chicago.
Beverly, James Almeran	Oct. 6, 1883	Litchfield
Bergstresser, William Howard	Nov. 12, 1886	Danville
Beck, George William	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
Berigen, Lawrence	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Betts, Percy Lyon	Nov. 19, 1891	Alton.
Bersbach, Alfred	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Besore, Charles Alfred	Apr. 21, 1892	Urbana.
Beeks, Edward Ames	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Berg, Charles, 14°	Apr. 18, 1893	Chicago.
Beuzeville, George	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.

Bigelow, Arthur Wellington	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Bigelow, Henry Winants‖	April 20, 1864	
Bigelow, William Hart	Oct. 10, 1884	Sterling.
Birch, Hugh T, 18°*	Oct. 6, 1865	Chicago.
Bird, James A. T.*	Oct. 7, 1875	Chicago.
Birdsall, Eugene Edward	Apr. 15, 1887	Effingham.
Binsse, John Frederick	Apr. 25, 1888	Chicago.
Bierstedt, Emanuel August, 14°	Apr. 21, 1891	Chicago.
Birns, Louis	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Blackler, William H.	May 27, 1880	Chicago.
Blackburn, Hiram Powell	Nov. 24, 1882	Danville.
Blackall, Alfred Henry	June 21, 1869	Chicago.
Blair, James Robinson	Mar. 21, 1884	Kansas City, Mo.
Blake, Edward Albert	Oct. 7, 1881	Chicago.
Blakely, Cyrene H.	Oct. 9, 1877	Chicago.
Blanchard, Gilbert Willard	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Blaney, James Van Zandt, 33°‖	Sept. 2, 1856	
Blettner, August	Oct. 8, 1880	Chicago.
Bliler, Lewis M.*	May 22, 1869	Chicago.
Bliss, Eliakim Raymond, 33°	Oct. 6, 1883	Chicago.
Blocki, William Frederick	Nov. 11, 1869	Chicago.
Bloomfield, Richard M.†	Feb. 3, 1865	Rockford.
Bloomingston, John Simpson	Nov. 22, 1877	Chicago.
Blake, S. C.*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Black, Daniel Clarke	Mar. 31, 1887	Walla Walla, Wash.
Blackwell, William	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Blackstock, Ira Burton	Nov. 17, 1892	Paxton.
Bloomstir, Emile	Nov. 17, 1892	Paxton.
Bond, Lester Le Grand	Apr. 20, 1867	Chicago.
Bone, Wallace G.†	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Boniel, Moses A.†	June 11, 1874	Chicago.
Bonner, John	June 20, 1874	Chicago.
Bort, Franklin Benjamin	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Booth, Alfred	Feb. 3, 1865	Chicago.
Bott, Benjamin	May 22, 1869	Reading, Pa.
Bowen, Con.	Oct. 8, 1880	
Bowers, Joseph N.*	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Bowditch, Nathaniel	A. Aug. 28, '84	Aurora.
Boyd, Thomas C.*	April 24, 1869	Chicago.
Boynton, Dan. Marsh‖	Aug. 24, 1882	
Boone, William Williams	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Boice, Henry Stephen	Apr. 20., 1888	Mingusville, Mont.
Boatman, William Albert	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Bohn, Herman Joseph	Nov. 22, 1888	Danville.
Bolton, Horace Wilbert	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Boedker, Harold Andrew	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Bonney, Frederick Eugene	Nov. 17, 1892	Paxton.

Bolyston, William	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Bourke, Oliver William	Nov. 17, 1892	Blue Island.
Boehl, Emil	Nov. 17, 1892	Blue Island.
Boring, Ezra Marsh†	Apr. 22, 1864	
Borman Geo. Frederick	Apr. 20, 1893	Blue Island.
Bowman, Johnston Richmond	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Boldt, Paul Frederick	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Brabrook, William Fred.	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Brand, Rudolph	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Bradley, Charles Hodgson	Oct. 7, 1875	Chicago.
Bradley, Timothy Mathew‖	Dec. 9, 1870	
Bradwell, James Bolesworth, 33°	Nov. 16, 1866	Chicago.
Brainard. H. G.*	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Breckenridge, Thomas L.‖	Oct. 29, 1874	
Brenan, Charles Heath	Oct. 30, 1869	Chicago.
Brewer, Adam‖	A. Dec. 1872	
Brewer, Jacob W, 33°‖	A. Dec. 1872	
Bradwell, Thomas	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Brewster, Daniel†	Feb. 19, 1868	Waukegan.
Brewster, Jabez	Oct. 8, 1880	Chicago.
Bridgeman, Henry*	Oct. 30, 1867	Chicago.
Briggs, C. C.*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Briggs, James Lloyd‖	——, 1867	
Briggs, John H.*	May 9, 1867	
Briggs, Nelson Elwyn	July 30, 1885	Chicago.
Britell, Sylvester	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Britten, Robert†	Mar. 21, 1884	
Bromfield, Wilhur Fisk	June 4, 1880	Litchfield.
Brooks, William Strong‖	Apr. 10, 1858	
Bross, Edward A.‖	June 9, 1867	
Brower, Charles Homan,‖ 33°	Feb. 15, 1867	Chicago.
Brown, Aaron L.	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Brown, Charles Edgar	Oct. 7, 1881	Chicago.
Brown, David Depue	Mar. 4, 1886	De Kalb.
Brown, George Thompson*	Feb. 3, 1865	Chicago.
Brown, John A.	Mar. 26, 1870	Chicago.
Brown, John Pember†	Mar. 13, 1869	Florin, Cal.
Brown, J. S.*	Nov. 15, 1866	Chicago.
Brown, Samuel	June 4, 1869	Pensacola, Fla.
Brown, Simon Preston	Nov. 22, 1888	Elgin.
Browne, Samuel A.	June 4, 1869	Kalamazoo, Mich.
Brundage, Edward, Jr.*	May 18, 1875	Chicago.
Bryan, William Henry	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Britton, Frank Hamilton	Nov. 18, 1887	South Chicago.
Brink, Arthur Perry	Nov. 18, 1887	South Chicago.
Branch, John	Nov. 22, 1888	Mt. Vernon.
Brydges, Frederick Thomas Charles,	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.

Brooks, Wilson, 18°	Sept. 17, 1891	Chicago.
Brooks, Charles Mattoon	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Brownell, Ralph Elijah	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Braumoeller, Henry Melchior	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Brown, Frank Merton	Apr. 21, 1892	Pana.
Brockenbrough, Kirby Rich.	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Brookes, William James	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Bradford, George	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Brink, James Theodore	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Breitung, Albert	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Buckingham, Francis William‖	Mar. 30, 1871	
Buchman, Henry Walter	Oct. 6, 1883	Chicago.
Buck, Ira N.†	May 13, 1867	
Budlong, Joseph Albert	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Budlong, Lyman Arnold	May 25, 1882	Chicago.
Buehler, John	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Buell, W. S.†	Apr. 20, 1866	Waukegan.
Bullock, Loomis, Eleazer, 33°‖	Feb. 19, 1868	
Bullock, J. Row‖	Nov. 19, 1891	Waukegan.
Bunce, J. A.,‖ 14°	April 18, 1864	
Burcky, Frederick	Oct. 26, 1867	Chicago.
Burchard, Horatio C.†	Apr. 20, 1864	Freeport.
Burkhart, Jacob, Jr.,	Oct. 10, 1884	Sandwich.
Burhans, Solomon Hasbroock, 14°‖	Aug. 25, 1883	
Burnside, Aaron Wallace	A. July 28, '83	Chicago.
Burnham, Edwin Ruthven*	Oct. 29, 1864	Chicago.
Burnham, Franklin Pierce	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Burgess, William	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Burgess, Charles A.	June 10, 1875	Chicago.
Burroughs, Charles J.	Mar. 16, 1867	Chicago.
Butters, George	Oct. 7, 1875	Maywood.
Buxton, Harvey Parris‖	Oct. 6, 1882	
Buffum, Joseph Howard	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Burns, William Charles	Nov. 22, 1888	Danville.
Burdick, Alexis Constantine	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Buehler, John William	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Burbridge, Oscar Howard	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Buckley, Wm. Jay	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Budd, William Orlando	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Buechel, Henry David	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Burroughs, Wm. Joseph	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Bullis, Walter	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Bushnell, Allen Sherrill	Nov. 17, 1892	Paxton.
Bullock, John Row	Nov. 19, 1891	Waukegan.
Buck, John	Apr. 20, 1893	Cobden.
Burreson, Christian Benj.	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Bullwinkle, Henry Melvias, 14°	June 29, 1893	Chicago.

Butler, Alden Brockett	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Caberey, Harvey Raymond*	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Caldwell, Ben. Franklin	Mar. 21, 1884	Chatham.
Caldwell, Charles Edwin	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Caldwell, Robert,* 14°	May 7, 1870	Chicago.
Cameron, Hugh Malcolm	June 26, 1869	San Francisco, Cal.
Campbell, Judson Gilman	Oct. 6, 1883	Denver, Colo.
Campbell, Leonard Wright	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Cannon, William Porties	Mar. 21, 1884	Danville.
Carpenter, Arthur Eugene	Nov. 24, 1882	Boston, Mass.
Carpenter, Charles M.	Oct. 10, 1884	Morris.
Carpenter, Edgar Rodney E,† 14°	Apr. 19, 1864	
Carpenter, George Benjamin	Apr. 22, 1864	Chicago.
Cardy, Charles‖	Aug. 28, 1869	
Carr, John Daniels Mathews‖	Nov. 10, 1866	
Carter, James Swift	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Carqueville, Edward	Sept. 22, 1853	Chicago.
Cashman, David A.*	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Case, James Spears*	May 29, 1873	Chicago.
Case, Leonard	Oct. 6, 1883	Cleveland, O.
Case, Warren†	Oct. 6, 1883	Jacksonville.
Cass, Francis Orlando	June 28, 1877	Los Angeles, Cal.
Castles, Hugh Scott	Mar. 21, 1884	Springfield.
Catlin, George	Oct. 6, 1883	Chicago.
Campbell, Charles Hildreth	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Campbell, Frank Watson	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Castle, John Bertrand	Nov. 21, 1889	Sandwich.
Campbell, James Hamilton	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Campbell, James La Fayette	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Callender, Silas Horatio	Sept. 12, 1890	Harvard.
Campbell, Daniel Webster	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Campbell, Daniel Alexander	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Cameron, William Henry	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Campbell, Alva Ellsworth	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Campbell, William Eadie	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Campbell, Murdock	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Cary, Norman James	Apr. 20, 1893	Utica.
Chamberlin, Benjamin Rhuel	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Chamberlin, Charles Henry	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Chamberlain, Edwin W.‖	Nov. 22, 1877	
Chamberlin, Milo D.†	Apr. 20, 1866	Freeport.
Champlin, James Henry	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Chapin, Gardner Spring	Nov. 12, 1869	Chicago.
Chapman, Sidney Stoddard*	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Chase, Benjamin Franklin	Mar. 26, 1870	Chicago.
Chase, Charles Ellery*	Apr. 22, 1864	Chicago.
Chase, Franklin Leslie*	June 4, 1880	Chicago.

Chase, Samuel Brown	Oct. 6, 1883	Chicago.
Chatfield, George Lewis	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Chenoweth, William Hall	Mar. 18, 1886	Chicago.
Chester, Frank	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Chiperowsky, Max	Feb. 26, 1870	Sacramento, Cal.
Chittenden, George Redfield,‖ 33°	Oct. 7, 1871	
Chittick, Hugh, Jr.,	Dec. 11, 1884	South Omaha, Neb.
Chisholm, Wellington P.‖	Oct. 7, 1881	
Christy, Henry Andrew	Oct. 8, 1880	Chicago.
Church, James E., 33°	Apr. 24, 1869	Chicago.
Christy, Frederick Christian	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Christman, Joseph Stout	Apr. 15, 1887	Alvin.
Choisser, William Voltaire	Apr. 15, 1887	Harrisburg.
Chytraus, Axel	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
Chasey, James	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
Church, Bert S.	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Chancellor, Justus	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Chamberlain, Daniel Jackson	June 29, 1893	Elgin.
Clappart, Frank E.,* 14°	June 4, 1870	Chicago.
Clark, Alson Ellis†	Apr. 20, 1866	Chicago.
Clark, David W.	Nov. 10, 1866	Chicago.
Clark, Geo. R.*	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Clark, Robert	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Clark, William Dana	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Clarke, Haswell Cordis, 33°	Oct. 7, 1875	Kankakee.
Clark, Jonathan	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Clements, W. A.*	Oct. 27, 1865	
Cleveland, David T.*	Mar. 25, 1871	Chicago.
Cleveland, Fred.†	Oct. 27, 1865	Waukegan.
Cleveland, Reuben‖	June 27, 1868	
Cleveland, Silas Ezra	Dec. 27, 1869	Chicago.
Cline, William H.*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Cloyes, Henry C.†	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Claflin, Clarence Augustus	Nov. 12, 1866	Joliet.
Clark, William Marion	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Clark, William Dana		Chicago.
Clarke, William Watson	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Clark, Wallace Cleveland	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
Clark, James Arunah	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Clark, Herbert Horatio	Apr. 23, 1891	Fredonia, Kan.
Clapp, Chambers Brown*	Apr. 15, 1887	Danville.
Cobb, Martin Robert Davis	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Cobb, Sam Baker	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Coburn, Charles Edgar*	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Coburn, J. A.†	May 9, 1867	
Coddington, Addison, Epafro	Oct. 6, 1883	Kearney, Neb.
Coe, Howard H., 16°‖	June 8, 1871	

Coey, David	Apr. 22, 1870	Chicago.
Coffeen, Milo Lester*	Sept. 30, 1875	Chicago.
Cohen, George	June 11, 1874	Philadelphia, Pa.
Collins, Harry Pryor†	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Collins, John Webb‖	Aug. 23, 1878	
Collier, Z. Clinton	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Comly, Clifford‖	Oct. 9, 1867	
Condit, Albert Bruton*	Nov. 22, 1877	Englewood.
Conibear, Edward Huptable†	A. Oct. 9, '85	Mendota.
Coney, William Martin	June 14, 1880	Watseka.
Congdon, George Lucius	Mar. 21, 1884	Elgin.
Conger, Moore, 14°†	Oct. 13, 1870	Chicago.
Conger, Silas Wright*	Nov. 12, 1869	Chicago.
Conlon, Thomas J.,† 14°	Oct. 4, 1873	
Cook, A. B.*	Nov. 12, 1869	Libertyville.
Cook, Charles Eli*	Mar. 31, 1871	Chicago.
Cook, Edward	Feb. 3, 1865	Chicago.
Cook, Humphreville, Henry	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Cooper, George M.,‖ 14°	June 2, 1880	
Cooper, Hugh‖	May 23, 1868	
Corcoran, John‖	April 22, 1870	
Cornew, J. G.†	May 9, 1867	
Cornell, Jason Lathrop	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Costello, John	Apr. 9, 1874	Chicago.
Cothran, George W.†	June 4, 1880	
Cowdery, Hiram Calvin Wells*	Mar. 25, 1871	Chicago.
Cox, Wm. D.,* 14°	Mar. 30, 1876	Chicago.
Collins, Edgar Allen	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Connel, John Abraham	Nov. 12, 1886	Richmond.
Cogan, Charles	Mar. 31, 1887	Chicago.
Cowan, Oliver Smith	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Collins, Virgil Augustus	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Coddington, Robert Jr.	Nov. 22, 1888	Kearney, Neb.
Corlett, Robert David	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Cox, Alexis Julian, Jr.	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Cox, Richard Charles	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
Coss, George Washington	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Cobb, Oscar, 14°.	Nov. 14, 1892	
Coats, Charles Leroy	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Corlett, John Daniel	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Collins, John Charles	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Cowan, James Montgomery	A. Apr. 27, '93	Chicago.
Crabb, Christopher Columbus	Oct. 7, 1881	Chicago.
Crandall, Frank Adelbert	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Crane, Charles Henry	June 26, 1873	Chicago.
Crane, Charles S.‖	Feb. 14, 1868	
Crane, Loren Perry	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.

Crane, Thomas Wilson Dorr	Mar. 21, 1884	Omaha, Neb.
Crams, Jeptha*	Feb. 27, 1869	Chicago.
Crawford, William Launcelot	Mar. 21, 1884	Rogers Park.
Crego, David Ray	Nov. 10, 1866	Chicago.
Cregier, Dewitt Clinton, 33°	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Crilly, Daniel Francis	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Croxon, Frederick Thomas	June 10, 1875	Chicago.
Cromlish, Thomas	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Crilly, William Michael	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Crozier, William	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Crooks, Smyth	Nov. 7, 1892	Chicago.
Crooker, Ernest Phillips	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Culton, John Wesley Jameson†	Apr. 20, 1866	Chicago.
Cummins, William George	A. Mar. 4, '86	Chicago.
Curran, Orville P.	Nov. 28, 1868	Chicago.
Curtin, William Henry	Oct. 6, 1882	Carlyle.
Curtiss, Ira Royal	Oct. 6, 1883	Marengo.
Cushing, John William‖	A. Apr. 9, '86	
Cushman, John Clark	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Cutler, William H.†	June 11, 1874	Evanston.
Cutter, George Washington	Oct. 7, 1881	Alton.
Currier, Thomas Harwood	Oct. 7, 1881	Chicago.
Culver, Morton	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Custer, Martin Brown	Nov. 18, 1887	Homer.
Cullen, James Kenmore	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Curtis, John Harvey	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Cutting, Charles Sidney	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Cunningham, Thomas Conrad	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Cunningham, Albert Palmer	June 29, 1893	Champaign.
Dahlberg, Alfred	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Dakin, Richard Lansing	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Dales, Edgar V.*, 14°	Dec. 11, 1866	Chicago.
Dalliba, James Edward†	Sept. 2. 1856	Marquette, Mich.
Dalton, Andrew H.‖	June 25, 1870	
Dalton, George A.	May 22, 1869	Dalton Station.
Daniels, George H.	May 9, 1867	New York City.
Da Prato, John	Aug. 23, 1878	IronMountain,Mich.
Davis, Edwin	Oct. 27, 1865	Omaha, Neb.
Davis, Francis W.‖	Sept. 30, 1875	
Davies, John L.‖	Oct. 24, 1868	
Day, William Henry	Mar. 27, 1885	Aurora.
Daniel, Andrew Cass	Nov. 12, 1886	Danville.
Dahl, John Martin*	June 30, 1887	Chicago.
Day, Charles Wesley	Apr. 25, 1888	Ocean Grove, N. J.
Day, Charles Monroe	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Davis, Benjamin Franklin*	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Davis, Charles Clark	Nov. 19, 1891	Centralia.

Davis, John Steele	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Davis, Wilson Harris	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Davey, Charley Bruce	Apr. 21, 1892	
Daly, Daniel Edward*	Apr. 15, 1887	Ottawa.
Davis, John Lowery	Apr. 20, 1888	Centralia.
Danne, Emile	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Dawson, John Henry	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Davis, George Washington	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Davis, John La Fayette	A. Nov. 17, '92	Springfield.
Dagron, Lee Louis	June 29, 1893	Riverside.
Decker, E. J.*		
Deering, George Waite‖ 33°	Sept. 2, 1856	
De Groodt, Henry S.*	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
De Luce, Eugene Freeman‖	Oct. 29. 1874	
De Luce, James Harvey Tileston‖	Nov. 10, 1866	Chicago.
De Luce, Otis Henry	Nov. 24, 1866	Chicago.
De Luce, William Tileston	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
De Mars, Louis*	June, 27, 1868	Chicago.
Dewar, Hamilton	Mar. 31, 1887	Chicago.
Deuter, Christian John	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
De Lang, Frederick Cornelius	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Dearborn, Daniel Franklin	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
De Witt, William Converse	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Deeves, Griffen, Hampton	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Detrick, James McClure	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Derbyshire, Philo Oscar	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Dedrich, John Jacob*	Apr. 15, 1887	Blue Island.
De Berard, Charles Joseph	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Dickey, James Richard	Oct. 10, 1884	Englewood.
Dickason, Livingston Thomas	Nov. 24, 1882	Danville.
Dickerson, John Oscar‖	Nov. 12, 1869	
Dickinson, David Henry	Nov. 22, 1877	Chicago.
Dickson, Herbert Mills	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Diehl, Israel S.‖		
Diefendorf, Byron J.	Sept. 18, 1884	New York City.
Dirst, Fletcher	Mar. 27, 1885	Minooka.
Dixon, Arthur	Apr. 22, 1870	Chicago.
Dixon, Joseph Henry	Oct. 29, 1874	Chicago.
Dixon, Lahan Beecher	Nov. 8, 1873	Chicago.
Dietrich, Henry S.	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Dingee, Samuel Speers	Apr. 24, 1890	Wilmette.
Dobson, William Henry	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Dodge, Charles H.*	Oct. 30, 1869	Chicago.
Dodge, John*.		Joliet.
Done, J. H.†	Nov. 13, 1866	
Doolan, James	Oct. 24, 1868	Chicago.
Doty, Harvey C.	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.

Dow, J. Hall†	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Dowling, Thomas‖	Mar. 31, 1883	
Downs, William Smith	Aug. 24, 1882	Highland Park.
Dowling, Richard Alfred	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Dorner, Emil August	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Doolittle, Jr., James Reuben‖	Apr. 20, 1888	
Drabek, Charles*	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Drake, John B., 14°	Mar. 31, 1873	Chicago.
Drummond, Alonzo John†	May 25, 1882	New York City.
Drake, Chester Tuttle	Mar. 31, 1887	Chicago.
Duddleston, George	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Dudley, Andrew Hurd*	A. May 22, '84	Chicago.
Dunaway, Joseph Newton, 14°	Oct. 7, 1885	Ottawa.
Dunbar, Frank Forbes*	Mar. 27, 1885	Princeton.
Duncan, William*	Mar. 6, 1872	Hinsdale.
Dunham, Ransom William	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Dunkle, David Dunbar	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Dunlop, Joseph Rolston	June 11, 1874	Chicago.
Dunn, John William‖	Apr. 9, 1886	
Dunn, Thomas Osborn‖	Feb. 3, 1865	
Dunning, Andrew	July 29, 1886	Dunning.
Durell, Edwin Palemon	June 26, 1884	Vermont.
Dustin, Daniel‖	Mar. 27, 1885	
Dutcher, George Newbury†	A. Jan. 27, '81	
Duvall, Harry	Mar. 13, 1869	Manistique.
Dunn, Adam Endress	Apr. 25, 1888	Chicago.
Duncan, Thomas	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Dunn, William Henry	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Dutton, Charles Newell	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Dutton, Albert Gallitin	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Durborow, Allan Cathcart, Jr.	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Dunn, Frederick†	Nov. 22, 1888	
Dwyer, James W.†	Sept. 27, 1873	Chicago.
Earle, John George*	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Eastland, Leonard James	Mar. 18, 1886	Chicago.
Eager, Alonzo Maynard	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Earhart, Elmer Ellsworth	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Eaver, Henry B.	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Ebel, Henry Charles, Jr.	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Eberle, William Hector	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Eckart, Valentine,* 14°	June 6, 1868	Chicago.
Eckley, George Ralph†, 14°	Dec. 2, 1857	
Edbrooke, George H.†	May 1, 1872	
Edbrooke, Willoughby James	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Edwards, Edward Nelson	Oct. 27, 1865	Chicago.
Edwards, William Joseph	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Eddy, Albert Marshall	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.

Edwards, Jesse Frank	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Edwards, James Augustus	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Eddy, George Day	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Egan, Wiley M., 33°	Apr. 22, 1864	Chicago.
Eichenberger, Samuel James	Apr. 23, 1891	Du Quoin.
Eichen, Charles Louis	Nov. 17, 1892	
Ellis, J. Ward†	May 11, 1867	Chicago.
Ellis, Samuel Arthur*	Oct. 29, 1874	Chicago.
Ellis, Winfield Scott*	May 25, 1882	Chicago.
Elwood, Nelson Daniel‖	Apr. 9, 1858	
Elwell, Edward Harmon	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Eldred, Fred. E.	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Elliott, Sheldon C.	A. Apr. 27, '93	Austin.
Empson, John Howard†	June 26, 1873	Cincinnati, O.
En Earl, William Lewis Marcy‖	Apr. 9, 1886	
English, James M.‖	Apr. 24, 1869	
Engwall, Eri‖	A. Dec. 1872	
Enos, Zimri Allen	Oct. 10, 1884	Springfield.
Engstrom, Charles Frederick, 14°.	Nov. 22, 1890	Chicago.
Eppenstein, Max Charles	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Eskilson, Jeus Christian	Mar. 31, 1887	Chicago.
Esmay, Judson P.	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Estabrooke, William Wilmot	A. Mar. 27, '85	Jerseyville.
Estell, David R.	Mar. 27, 1885	Roseland.
Eveleth, Solon Hastings	Oct. 6, 1883	Chicago.
Everest, James G.	May 3, 1867	Chicago.
Evans, Henry Joy, 18°	June 28, 1893	Chicago.
Falk, Henry H.,* 18°	Nov. 2, 1876	
Fanning, James D.,* 14°	July 6, 1876	Chicago.
Farrar, Samuel M.	Mar. 18, 1886	Chicago.
Fay, Wm. D.*	Nov. 12, 1869	Joliet.
Falter, David B.	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Farnum, Frank Campbell	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Faulk, William John	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Farnum, Edward James	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Fenimore, Harry Hazzle	Oct. 10, 1884	Peru.
Felton, Charles Emory	Sept. 5, 1878	Chicago.
Ferguson, James†	Nov. 13, 1866	
Ferns, John Porter‖	Nov. 10, 1866	
Ferre, Lyman	Oct. 8, 1880	Bloomington.
Fenn, John Thomas	Nov. 18, 1887	Murphysboro.
Feindt, William Henry	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Featherstone, John	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Ferris, Henry Boynton	A. Nov. 17, '92	Chicago.
Field, James Howard, 33°	Nov. 10, 1866	Chicago.
Fields, Samuel Henry	Nov. 24, 1882	Atlanta.
Fischer, Siegfried Mainard	Sept. 18, 1884	Chicago.

Fitch, Thomas Davis*	Oct. 29, 1874	Chicago.
Fitzgerald, John‖	June 11, 1874	
Fizette, Charles Edward, 14°	Nov. 4, 1892	Chicago.
Fisher, Archibald	Apr. 25, 1889	Macomb.
Fink, Charles Henry	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Flinn, William Warren	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Fletcher, James Johnson	Nov. 22, 1888	St. Louis, Mo.
Flannery, Daniel Franklin	Apr. 24, 1890	
Flinn, C. B.,* 14°	Oct. 4, 1882	
Ford, Charles H.‖	Nov. 13, 1866	
Ford, John	July 31, 1879	Chicago.
Foerster, Otto	Mar. 18, 1886	Chicago.
Folensbee, George S.†	May 9, 1867	
Forsythe, Daniel, 14°	Apr. 7, 1886	Elwood.
Forsythe, Robert‖	Nov. 15, 1866	
Fortney, Joseph Norman	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Forrest, William Sylvester	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Foss, Robert Harris	Sept. 2, 1856	Chicago.
Foster, Benjamin Franklin	May 25, 1882	Chicago.
Foster, D. Jack	A. Mar. 27, '85	Chicago.
Foster, S. E.*	May 3, 1867	
Fogg, Edward Seth	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Ford, Herbert Douglas	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Foster, Frank	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Foster, George Sanderson	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Framhein, Louis William	Oct. 7, 1881	Chicago.
Franklin, George William*	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Frantzen, Fritz	Oct. 7, 1875	Chicago.
Freeman, Julius Antonio	Mar. 21, 1884	Millington.
Freeman, Samuel A.	May 22, 1878	Chicago.
French, Henry Porter*	Mar. 31, 1883	Holabird, Dak.
French, Samuel A.†	May 9, 1867	Elgin.
Freshwaters, Milton Robinson	Mar. 18, 1886	Chicago.
Friedman, J.	Mar. 28, 1868	Rockford.
Frost, Abel Henry	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Frost, Charles Henry†	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Freeman, Daniel	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Frisch, Louis	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Fuller, John Chapman*	Apr. 20, 1866	
Fuller, Moses Nash‖	June 11, 1874	Chicago.
Fullinwider, George Samuel	Oct. 10, 1884	
Funk, La Fayette	Oct. 7, 1881	Shirley.
Fuller, Henry Clay	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Funk, Amos Melton	Apr. 20, 1888	Galesburg.
Gale, J. H.,† 14°	July 19, 1864	
Gale, William Henry,† 33°	Feb. 3, 1865	
Galbraith, Thomas Byron	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.

Gallagher, Joseph‖	Nov. 10, 1866	
Gamble, Stephen*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Gardner, Peter Guy	June 16, 1881	Chicago.
Garfield, Albert George	Feb. 3, 1865	Chicago.
Garlock, Grant E.‖	May 27, 1870	
Garner, John C.	A. Apr. 9, '86	De Kalb.
Garrabrant, Robert Coles*	Oct. 29, 1864	Chicago.
Garrigan, Thomas Joseph‖	May 22, 1878	
Gassette, Norman Theodore, 33°‖	Apr. 24, 1869	
Gaston, E. K.,‖ 14°	Nov. 2, 1867	
Gavin, John B.*	Oct. 7, 1875	Chicago.
Gage, Ed. Moses	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Gardner, Stephen Partridge	Apr. 23, 1891	
Gadd, George	Nov. 19, 1891	Macomb.
Gassette, Wirt Knickerbocker	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Gage, Augustus Neander	Sept. 29, 1892	Wilmette.
Geale, Thomas Joseph	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
George, Charles Henry	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
George, James†	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Gerbrick, Marcus	Oct. 7, 1881	Stanford.
Getman, Jethro Madison	June 16, 1881	Chicago.
Getty, Henry Harrison, 33°	Feb. 14, 1868	Chicago.
Geist, John William	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Gerwig, Frank Louis	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Getz, Michael	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Genung, Frank Sydney	Apr. 21, 1892	Nashville.
Germanson, Peter Christ	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Gibson, George Henry‖	Apr. 22, 1864	Chicago.
Gibson, John	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Gibson, John Carson*	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Gibson, Theodore Cunningham	Oct. 10, 1884	Ottawa.
Gibson, William Howard	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Giddings, Albert	Mar. 21, 1884	Danville.
Gilbert, Enoch Estell	May 22, 1878	Chicago.
Giles, Charles K.	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Giles, C. W.†		
Giles, O. H.†		
Giles, William A.*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Gillespie, D. W.†	Mar. 28, 1868	Chicago.
Gillespie, J. J. C.*	Mar. 25, 1871	Chicago.
Gilliland, Samuel*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Gilman, John†	Oct. 30, 1869	Chicago.
Gilman, William Henry,* 14°	Mar. 25, 1885	Ottawa.
Gilbert, Charles Judson	Apr. 20, 1888	Evanston.
Gilbert, James Harris	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Gifford, Norman Woodruff	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Gill, Charles William	Sept. 12, 1890	Springfield.

Gilbert, George Adam	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Givens, Robert Cartwright	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Gilroy, William Francis	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Gleason, Arthur	Sept. 22, 1883	
Gleason, Alonzo C.*	Mar. 13, 1869	
Glaze, John	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Gleason, Lewis	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Gleason, William Henry	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Glover, Frank Nelson, Rev.	Apr. 21, 1892	Aurora.
Glaman, Juerger Theo. Otto	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Gollhardt, Liborius	Apr. 24, 1879	Chicago.
Goodbrake, Christopher‖	Mar. 21, 1884	
Goold, Charles Henry‖	Apr. 22, 1864	
Goodale, Edward	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Goodfellow, Charles William	July 29, 1886	Chicago.
Goodfellow, I. R.*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Goodwin, Henry Stanley‖ 33°	July 20, 1860	
Goodwine, William Harrison	Mar. 21, 1884	W. Lebanon, Ind.
Gorin, Jerome Rinaldo†	Apr. 20, 1866	Decatur.
Gormley, James Henry	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Gosselin, Stephen Mitchell	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Gould, Elwyn Bremer	July 29, 1886	Chicago.
Gould, George Davis‖	Oct. 7, 1881	
Gould, Irving Libby	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Goshorn, Frederick Stuart	May 31, 1887	Chicago.
Goodall, Geo. B.	Mar. 31, 1887	Chicago.
Gordon, William Herron	Nov. 18, 1887	New York City.
Godley, Frank	Apr. 23, 1891	Springfield.
Goodman, John William Edward	Nov. 17, 1892	Evanston.
Grace, William	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Graham, Albert Richard‖	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Grannis, Amos	Nov. 8, 1873	Chicago.
Grannis, Rollin W.*	June 21, 1869	Chicago.
Grant, Lachlan*	June 28, 1871	Chicago.
Gray, Louis Harry	Apr. 9, 1886	E. Brewster, Mass.
Gray, John Henry‖	Oct. 8, 1880	
Gray, Wareham Hastings	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Greene, Edward Merritt	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Greene, Frank C.*	Mar. 28, 1868	Chicago.
Greig, William	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Griffith, John	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Griffiths, Edwin‖	Dec. 9, 1870	
Griffiths, William S.	May 1, 1872	Chicago.
Grinnell, Julius Sprague	Mar. 18, 1886	Chicago.
Gross, George Michael	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Graham, John Wesley*	Nov. 12, 1886	Danville.
Gray, Theodore	Nov. 12, 1886	E. Brewster, Mass.

Gross, Joshua Wesley	June 30, 1887	Chicago.
Gray, Howard Pinkney	Apr. 25, 1889	Alton.
Gray, Laurin Burton	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Graper, William	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Graver, William	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Greene, Roscoe Frederick, 14°	A. Feb. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Gregory, Charles Boal	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Grout, Albert Philander	Apr. 21, 1892	Winchester.
Greear, James Alfred	Apr. 20, 1893	Centralia.
Green, William A	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Green, John Wesley	June 29, 1893	Marengo.
Guilford, Andrew Jackson	Oct. 29, 1874	Chicago.
Guilbert, Edward Augustus†	Apr. 20, 1866	Dubuque, Iowa.
Gully, John Bath‖	May 3, 1867	
Gundy, Francis Marion	Oct. 6, 1883	Bismarck.
Gunn, William Fletcher‖	Oct. 6, 1882	
Gunther, Charles Frederick, 33°	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Gurney, Chester Smith	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Gurney, Theodore Tuthill, 33°‖	Apr. 20, 1866	
Guth, Henry	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Guy, William Jefferson	Nov. 12, 1886	Huntington, Ind.
Gurley, William Frank Eugene	Nov. 12, 1886	Danville.
Gunderson, Severt Tobias	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Guilford, John Allen	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Hadley, Wilbur Clay	Oct. 6, 1882	Collinsville.
Hagelow, Bernard	Sept. 18, 1884	Elgin.
Hahn, Herman Florin	Oct. 7, 1881	Chicago.
Haines, George Ferrer‖	Feb. 3, 1865	
Hale, Albert Lee*		Chicago.
Hallen, Andrew	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Hall, Charles Orton	A. July 28, 188	Cincinnati, O.
Hall, Delos Erwin†	Oct. 7, 1875	Kearney, Neb.
Hall, Edwin*	Feb. 15, 1867	Waukegan.
Hall, George C.*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Hall, Elias Palmer‖	May 29, 1873	
Hamer, Zenus	Mar. 21, 1884	Danville.
Hamlin, Lysander B.	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Hammer, D. Harry	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Hamilton, David Gilbert	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Hamilton, Henry E.†		Chicago.
Hamilton, Harvey Howard	July 30, 1885	Chicago.
Hamilton, Manerd	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Hammond, Harry Alonzo	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Hammond, John Dowdle	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Hancock, William Torrey*	Apr. 23, 1864	Chicago.
Hand, Bayard Epenetus	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Handrup, Frederick Ferdinand	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.

Hansen, Hans Nielsen	Mar. 31, 1883	Kansas City, Mo.
Haussen, Fred	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Hansell, Joseph R. 18°*	Apr. 16, 1874	Chicago.
Hapeman, Douglas	Nov. 24, 1882	Ottawa.
Hardy, Isaac Edwards†	Feb. 3, 1865	Alton.
Harms, Charles	July 31, 1879	Chicago.
Harmon, Edwin Ruthven 14°†	Apr. 19, 1864	Chicago.
Harper, William H. 14°	Oct. 1, 1874	Chicago.
Harris, Joseph‖	Mar. 14, 1867	
Harriman, Ira 14°†	Apr. 19, 1864	Chicago.
Harring, Samuel K. 14°*	Mar. 3, 1868	Chicago.
Harrison, Carter Henry	Apr. 24, 1879	Chicago.
Hart, Newton Francis	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Harvey, Squire T.	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Harvey, F. L.†	Nov. 23, 1866	
Harvey, J. J.†	Nov. 13, 1866	
Harvey, W. E.†	Nov. 23, 1866	
Haskins, Clark Caryl	A. Jan. 28, '83	Chicago.
Hastie Thomas‖	Mar. 14, 1867	
Hatch, Franklin Dwight	Sept. 30, 1875	Kankakee.
Hatch, Fayette Smith	Oct. 7, 1875	Kankakee.
Hatch, Thomas Cary‖	Feb. 14, 1868	
Hatley, Henry L.†	Oct. 27, 1865	Waukegan.
Hathaway, Annas	Mar. 21, 1884	Elgin.
Hawley, James Andrew 33°	Feb. 19, 1869	Dixon.
Hawkins, Thomas†		
Hawthorn, Richard Jones	A. Mar. 14, '84	Elgin
Hawthorn, Will King	July 29, 1886	Chicago.
Hay, Alex Brand	Oct. 6, 1883	Chicago.
Hayes, David Solomon	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Hayes, Samuel Jarvis‖	Nov. 10, 1866	
Hazlitt, George Kingston*	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Hazlitt, Thomas M.*	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Hall, Walter David	Mar. 31, 1887	Chicago.
Hart, James	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Harris, Thomas	A. Apr. 15, '87	Princeton.
Hardin, Arthur Max	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Hamilton, Jr., John Lawrence	Nov. 18, 1887	Watseka.
Hall, Grattan‖	A. Nov. 22, '88	
Hallock, George Eli	Apr. 20, 1888	Nunda.
Harper, Robert Charles	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Harrison, Hugh Wentworth	Nov. 22, 1888	Belleville.
Harrison, Charles Wesley	Nov. 22, 1888	Belleville.
Hartzell, Elmer Ellsworth	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
Hall, Seymour William	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Harrison, David Ruffin	Apr. 24, 1890	Herrins Prairie.
Hanseman, August	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.

Hayner, Alvin David	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Hartley, William Richard	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Haynes, Wm. Knox	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Hass, Christian Theodore	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Halberg, Per August	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Hale, Frank Adelbert	A. Aug. 27, '91	Chicago.
Haldeman, Robert Sheridan	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Hargan, George Bruce	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Hamilton, Isaac Miller	Apr. 21, 1892	Cisna Park.
Harris, George Pohill	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Hahn, Harry W.	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Harris, Charles Henry‖	Nov. 22, 1888	
Hart, Joseph Hooker‖	Apr. 23, 1891	
Hardy, James Edward	Nov. 12, 1886	Washington, D. C.
Hamburg, Lewis Eugeni	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Halpin, Thomas Patrick	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Harper, Hartley Devillo	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Hall, John Irwin	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Hasting, William Phillip	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Haussen, William Fred	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Hartwig, Otto Julius	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Harvey, Joseph Oren	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Head, Fred B.*	May 14, 1869	Chicago.
Heafield, John W.‖	Jan. 30, 1869	Chicago.
Healy, John J.†	July 31, 1879	Chicago.
Heath, Monroe	Apr. 20, 1866	Chicago.
Height, Alexander Bostick	July 30, 1885	Chicago.
Heller, Edward Henry	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Helmle, Carl Albert	Oct. 6, 1883	Springfield.
Helmle, Ernst Hubert	Oct. 10, 1884	Springfield.
Heinfelden, Curt†	Oct. 6, 1882	Belleville.
Hemmelgarn, Henry	June 28, 1877	Chicago.
Hemstreet, William Jerome	June 28, 1877	Chicago.
Henderson, Thomas Jefferson	A. July 23, '85	Princeton.
Hennersheets, James†	Apr. 20, 1866	Chicago.
Herren, Francis J. †	May 23, 1868	Chicago.
Herrick, Charles Kaskel 33°	Feb. 27, 1869	Chicago.
Herrick, William Bently‖	Sept. 2, 1856	
Herron, Oscar Fitzallen	June 11, 1874	Chicago.
Herron, Stephen J.‖	Mar. 13, 1869	
Herschbach, Thomas	May 22, 1878	Franklin St.
Hertz, Henry Lamertine	Oct. 29, 1874	Chicago.
Herza, Joseph Thomas	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Hess, Frederick Andrew	June 30, 1887	Chicago.
Hetrick, Allen Wesley	Nov. 18, 1887	Hampshire.
Helster, Henry Frederick	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Head, Edmond T.*	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.

Herrick, William	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Hesselroth, Lawrence	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Henn, Arnold	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Heafield, Sanford Johnson	Oct. 3, 1889	Menominee, Wis.
Heidenreich, Eyvine Lee	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Heiland, John	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Henderson, Nelson H.	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Hemmens, Harold Dwight	Apr. 21, 1892	Elgin.
Hewitt, Samuel Clark	Apr. 21, 1892	Chatham.
Healy, James Henry	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Heartt, Edwin	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Henry, John A.	A. Sept. 28, '92	Chicago.
Henry, Jacob Apga	A. Mar. 23, '93	Chicago.
Head, Ernest Knox	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Helwig, Monroe Charles	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Helbreg, Matthias	Apr. 20, 1893	Blue Island.
Hibbard, Homer Nash	Mar. 30, 1871	Chicago.
Hickox, Warren Rupert	Oct. 8, 1880	Kankakee.
HigLee, Frank David*	Oct. 6, 1882	
Higgins, Ezra James‖	Sept. 2, 1856	
Higgins, I. N.*		
Higgins, Jerome Silliman*	A. Dec., 1872	Little Rock, Ark.
Higgins, Van Hollis‖	Apr. 23, 1864	Chicago.
Hildreth, James H. 14°*	Mar. 30, 1876	Chicago.
Hill, David Kimball	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Hill, Delos Charles†	Feb. 15, 1867	Chicago.
Hill, Edward J.*	Nov. 26, 1870	Chicago.
Hill, John*	May 23, 1868	Chicago.
Hills, John Norton	Apr. 9, 1886	Ravenswood.
Hilliard, Lauren Palmer†	Apr. 9, 1858	Chicago.
Hilton, John Clark*	May 23, 1868	Chicago.
Hitchcock, Alfred Wells	Apr. 24, 1869	Chicago.
Hitchcock, James	Oct. 8, 1880	Chicago.
Hitt, Daniel Fletcher	Mar. 21, 1884	Ottawa.
Hittorff, Henry J.*	Oct. 24, 1868	Chicago.
Hill, William Thomas	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Higgins, James Daniel	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
Hill, Calvin Heywood	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Hobbs, Joseph	Oct. 6, 1882	Evanston.
Hoberd, Earl H.*	Mar. 13, 1869	
Hofman, Alves Mason	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Hoffman, Asa Mann‖	Oct. 10, 1884	Ottawa.
Hoffman, John‖	May 22, 1878	
Hogan, Joseph	June 11, 1874	Chicago.
Hogg, David	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Hohenadel, Frank*	A. Dec., 1872	Monmouth.
Holbrook, Theodore L.*	Nov 13, 1866	Chicago.

Holcomb, Hiram Frank‖	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Holden, Timothy Nathan*	Apr. 20, 1866	Chicago.
Holland, Joseph‖	Apr. 20, 1866	
Hollister, John 14°†	Jan. 5, 1867	
Holmes, Gilbert Mortimer	June 11, 1874	Oskaloosa, Iowa.
Holmes, Isaac‖	Mar. 14, 1867	
Holmes, Lorenzo C.*	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Holmes, William Montgomery*	A. Oct. 6,'82	Sams Valley, Ore.
Homer, Alfred*	A. Mar. 21,'84	
Holt, John T.†	June 19, 1867	Chicago.
Hooker, Frank Eugene	Nov. 24,	Chicago.
Hooker, J. Walcott†	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Hornby, William*	May 29, 1873	Chicago.
Horton, Elbridge Micajah	Apr. 20, 1866	Denver, Colo.
Houghton, George Nehemiah*		Chicago.
Houghton, Thomas Able*	Aug. 10, 1876	Chicago.
Hovey, Asa Ebenezer	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Howell, Wm. H.*	May 3, 1867	
Howison, John*	Feb. 19, 1869	
Hoxie, John Randolph	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Hoyne, Philip Augustus	Nov. 10, 1866	Chicago.
Hoyt, Willis 14°	Mar. 25, 1885	Aurora.
Holmes, Joseph Bateman	Nov. 12, 1886	Bloomington.
Howard, Martin	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Householder, William Line	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Howe, Albert Orleans	A. Apr. 24,'90	Chicago.
Hopkins, Samuel Goode	Apr. 24, 1890	St. Louis, Mo.
Hoelscher, Herman Moritz	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Howard, William Richard	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Holman, Edward Eames	Apr. 23 1891	Chicago.
Howard, Charles Parker	Apr. 23, 1891	Champaign.
Holmes, Thomas Jefferson	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Hoffman, George Delos	Apr. 21, 1891	Chicago.
Hohn, Otto Frederick Herman	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Hopkins, Henry Riddle	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Horne, Walter James	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Hosford, Morton Ashbel	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Hoadley, Albert Edward	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Hodgson, John George	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Hoyt, George Francis 16°	Sept. 8, 1892	Chicago.
Holmboe, Leonhard Christian B.	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Hough, Joseph Wellington	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Hubbard, B. T. O.*	A. Dec., 1872	Monmouth.
Hubbard, Edward Clarence†	Apr. 20, 1866	
Hubbard, Hiram Warner‖	Oct. 7, 1875	
Hudson, Pulhemus Searing	Mar. 21, 1884	Englewood.
Hughes, John‖	Nov. 23, 1866	

Huling, Ansel Handy	May 22, 1882	Montreal, Quebec.
Hulburd, Frank K.‖	Apr. 11, 1858	
Hulburd, Franklin	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Hummel, Ernst G.*	Oct. 7, 1875	South Chicago.
Humphrey, Ebenezer H.	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Hunt, William Carlton†	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Hunter, Robert 14°*	Oct. 5, 1867	
Hunter, W. J.†	May 9, 1867	
Huntley, Nathan Ward*	Apr. 23, 1864	
Hurlbut, Horatio Nelson 33°‖	Apr. 22, 1864	Chicago.
Hurlbut, Vincent Lombard 33°	Apr. 23, 1864	Chicago.
Huston, Samuel*	A. Dec., 1872	Monmouth.
Hussander, Peter Johannes‖	Nov. 11, 1869	Chicago.
Hutchinson, H. C.†	Feb. 14, 1868	Waukegan.
Hutt, Louis	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Huyck, John Henry	Mar. 6, 1872	Chicago.
Hurd, Charles Edward	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Huntington, Henry Robinson	Apr. 15, 1887	Blue Island.
Hutchinson, Charles Good	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Hughes, Evan Horace	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Hutchinson, James Marion	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Huehl, Harris William	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Hunter, Wilson James	A. Nov. 18,'87	Elgin.
Hungerford, Charles Lee	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Hultgren, Ossian Wicktor Thornwald	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Hummer, George Sowers	Nov. 17, 1892	Sheldon.
Hurdle, John Westwood	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Hunter, Hugh Dobie	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Hunter, William Crosbie	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Hyde, Alfred Eugene‖	Apr. 9, 1886	
Hyde, Charles Edwin	Feb. 14, 1867	Chicago.
Hyden, Peter Nelson	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Iglehart, Nicholas G.	May 22, 1878	Evanston.
Irish, Homer Campbell 14°*	Oct. 6, 1880	Minneapolis, Minn.
Irons, James‖	Mar. 14, 1867	
Isarel, Richard Brown	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Ives, Albert Julius	Nov. 20, 1890	Aurora.
Iverson, Henry D.	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Ingalls, Joseph French	A. Apr. 20,'88	Long Pine, Neb.
Ireton, Sidney Holley	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Ives, Harry Crockett	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Irwin, William Emmett	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Ind, Lewis Butts	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Ingraham, Edward Douglas	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Irish, George William	Apr. 20, 1893	
Jacobus, Oscar Independent†	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Jager, Frank	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.

Jager, Henry	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
James, Frederick Sinclair	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Jarrett, Elwood M.*	Aug. 10, 1876	Chicago.
Jassoy, John‖	Mar. 25, 1870	
Jacobs, Montague I. 16°	Apr. 23, 1890	Chicago.
Jackson, George Washington	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Jacobs, Charles Franklin	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Jeffery, John Bowles	May 23, 1868	Chicago.
Jefferys, William H.‖		
Jennings, Franklin S.	Mar. 26, 1870	Chicago.
Jennings, William Roach‖	Mar. 26, 1870	Chicago.
Jevne, Otto*	Mar. 31, 1871	Chicago.
Jensen, Paul	Nov. 18, 1887	Bureau.
Jerome, Charles Coburn	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Jenkins, John Butler	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Jolley, Ben Carole	Apr. 19, 1886	Chicago.
Johnson, Hosmer Allen 33°‖	Sept. 2, 1856	Chicago.
Johnson, Ithuel Myers	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Johnson, James White	Nov. 22, 1888	Wilmington.
Johnson, Mathew	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Johnson, Nathan*	Mar. 14, 1867	Chicago.
Johnson, Peter Conrad Lypart‖	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Johnson, Robert Massie 33°	Nov. 22, 1877	Chicago.
Johnstone, Thomas Walter	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Johnson, William Allen	A. July 27, '85	Chicago.
Jones, Edwin*	June 25, 1870	Chicago.
Jones, George Kinney	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Jones, George Wheeler	Oct. 6, 1883	Danville.
Jones, Henry*	May 11, 1867	Chicago.
Jones, James‖	Mar. 21, 1884	
Jones, Merritt Scott	Oct. 6, 1883	Shawneetown.
Jones, Robert E.*	June 21, 1869	Chicago.
Jones, Thomas Miflin‖	Mar. 14, 1869	
Jordan, Richard H.*	Dec. 11, 1866	Chicago.
Jorgensen, Louis H.‖	Apr. 20, 1866	
Jones, David Milton	June 30, 1887	Chicago.
Johnson, William	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Johnston, Adam Henry	Apr. 15. 1887	Chicago.
Jordon, Scott	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Jones, Israel Putnam	Apr. 20, 1888	Rockwood.
Jones, Charles Edward	Apr. 20, 1888	Champaign.
Johnson, Gail Borden	Nov. 18, 1887	Elgin.
Johnston, William	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Joslyn, George Edgar	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Johnson, Claes William	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Johnson, John Richelieu	Nov. 21, 1889	Sterling.
Jordan, William Crain	Apr. 24, 1890	

John, James	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Jones, William Adrian	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Jones, Abraham Lincoln	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Johnston, William Marsden	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Johnson, Charles Porter	Nov, 20, 1890	Chicago.
Jones, John Phillips	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Jones, Joseph Cook	Nov. 19, 1891	
Jones, Eliphaz Warner†	Apr. 11, 1858	
Johnson, Milbank	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Johnston, John	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Jungblut, Frederick George	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Judd, Hiram Worthington	Apr. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Judd, Edward James	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Karel, John	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Kastl, Alexander Edw.	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Kaspar, William	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Keen, Edwin Hall†	Mar., 1867	Chicago.
Keeler, James H.*	Oct. 26, 1867	Chicago.
Keith, Henry Alexander	Sept. 18, 1884	Chicago.
Kellogg, Edgar Hollis	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Keith, James A.	Oct. 10, 1884	Highland.
Kellogg, Henry*	Mar. 16, 1867	Chicago.
Kellogg, Harlan Page	Nov. 10, 1862	Chicago.
Kellogg, Hudson Hiram	Mar. 18, 1886	Chicago.
Kenan, James†	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Kendall, George Washington	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Kendall, John†	Nov. 13, 1866	
Kendall, Josiah Fellows	Mar. 18, 1886	Chicago.
Kenyon, Dennis	Oct. 10, 1884	McLean.
Kerber, Henry	Feb. 26, 1870	Chicago.
Kelton, John D.	June 28, 1877	Henry, S. D.
Kettlestrings, Joseph Willis	Oct. 6, 1882	Oak Park.
Kersten, George	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Keefer, Louis	Apr. 20, 1885	Chicago.
Keats, James	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Keller, John C.	Nov. 20, 1890	Elgin.
Kellogg, Theodore Preston	Nov, 20, 1890	Arlington Heights.
Kettering, Albert Jacob	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Kimbark, Daniel Avery†	Apr. 24, 1869	Chicago.
Kimbell, Spencer Smalley	Oct. 10, 1884	Avondale.
Kincaid, George W.*	May 11, 1867	Chicago.
King, John B.†	Apr., 1858	
Kingsbury, C. B.†	Jan. 25, 1868	
Kingsbury, C. P.†	Dec. 28, 1867	St. Joseph, Mo.
Kinkead, William*	Oct. 7, 1875	Chicago.
Kirk, John Baldestone	Aug. 23, 1878	Evanston.
Kirk, Jr., Edward	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.

King, Wm. Henry	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Kirkwood, Thomas‖	Oct. 10, 1884	
Kinsley, Herbert M.†	Mar. 27, 1879	Chicago.
Kirk, William 14°†	Oct. 3, 1868	Chicago.
Kirschner, Charles Herman	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Kleckner, John William	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Klous, Arthur	Apr. 24, 1890	Hyde Park, Mass.
Kleinbeck, August Gustave	Nov. 19, 1891	Litchfield.
Klaner, Fred	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Klett, William 14°	Sept. 1, 1892	Chicago.
Knisely, Abraham‖	Jan. 26, 1867	
Knapp, Almeron K.	Mar. 27, 1885	Minooka.
Knight, Henry Enoch*	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Knight, William Melanchthon	July 29, 1886	Chicago.
Knights, James Scott	Aug. 24, 1882	Waukegan.
Knoebel, Frederick Charles	Oct. 6, 1883	Belleville.
Knowlton, H. C.*	Oct. 27, 1865	Joliet.
Knox, Samuel Miles	Mar. 27, 1885	Princeton.
Knoch, Frederick Conrad	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Knights, Charles Henry	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Knowles, Frank John	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Koenecke, Frederick Wilhelm	Apr. 20, 1893	Blue Island.
Krasman, Philip‖	May 11, 1867	
Kraft, Charles John Frederick	June 30, 1887	Joliet.
Kreyssler, Charles Edward	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Krimling, Carl Christian	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Krueger, Robert	Apr. 20, 1893	Blue Island.
Kralovec, James Martin	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Kuhn, Adolph Arthur	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Kuhn, Frank C.	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Kull, Herman Godfrey	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Lacey, John M.‖	Apr. 24, 1879	
Lacey, William Everett	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Lacour, Alexander*	June 27, 1868	Chicago.
Ladd, Charles Knox	Oct. 8, 1880	Kewanee.
Laflin, George Hinman	Nov. 16, 1866	Chicago.
Laiser, George Herman	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Lakey, J. H.*	May 9, 1867	Turner Junction.
Lake, Richard Conover	Mar. 27, 1885	Evanston.
Land, Frank Edgar*	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Lapham, William*	Mar. 13, 1869	
Lavely, William†	Apr. 20, 1866	Springfield.
Launder, David†	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Laughlin, James H.*	Oct. 30, 1869	Chicago.
Law, Jr., Ariel 14°*	Apr. 6, 1876	Chicago.
Lawrence, George Washington*	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Lawrence, Thomas Edward	May 9, 1867	Elgin.

Law, Jr., William	July 25, 1868	Chicago.
Lambert, Charles Edward	Apr. 15, 1887	New York City.
Lahlum, Edward S. A.	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Lamb, Robert Henry	Nov. 22, 1888	Annawan.
Lane, Enoch A.	Apr. 23, 1891	Macomb.
Langbein, Otto Theodore	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Lanehan, Dennis Paul	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Leeds, Lucian Lavassa	June 4, 1880	Lincoln.
Leiff, Joseph*	June 11, 1874	Denver, Col.
Leffingwell, William E.†	Feb. 19, 1869	
Leland, Samuel Phillips	Oct. 6, 1882	Nashua, Iowa.
Lemon, Leonard T.†	May 9, 1867	Freeport.
Leonard, Charles Egbert	Apr. 20, 1866	Chicago.
Letz, George F.*	Oct. 29, 1864	
Lewis, Joseph Briggs*	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Leslie, Charles Eddy	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Lewis, Nathan B.	Oct. 3, 1889	Evanston.
Lesch, Henry	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Lee, Chauncey Whitney	Nov. 19, 1891	Aurora.
Leppert, John Conrad	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Leask, Arthur	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Leeming, John	Apr. 21, 1892	
Levy, Robert J.	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Lightner, Charles Ellis‖	May 25, 1882	
Lincoln, William Cushing*	June 21, 1869	Chicago.
Link, John*	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Livingston, A. J.*	Apr. 20, 1866	Chicago.
Lion, John Henry¶	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Lincoln, Thomas E.	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Lins, Julius Louis	Apr. 20, 1893	Wilmington.
Lloyd, George Edwin‖	Oct. 7, 1881	
Loberg, Nils Peter*	Nov. 12, 1869	Chicago.
Lock, Benj. Breckenridge Wisner‖	Feb. 19, 1869	
Locke, Clinton†	Apr. 22, 1864	Chicago.
Locke, Morris Roberts	Oct. 7, 1881	Jerseyville.
Lock, William W.	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Logan, Hugh	Feb. 3, 1865	San Francisco, Cal.
Lomax, George	Mar. 18, 1886	Chicago.
Logan, Jonn Alexander‖	Oct. 6, 1883	
Long, John	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Loud, Spencer Livingston	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Lounsbury, George E.‖	Apr. 20, 1866	
Low, Edward John	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Logan, John Anthony	Apr. 20, 1888	Elgin.
Lonergan, William David	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Loeb, Albert Henry	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Lovett, Thomas Jefferson	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.

Lotz, Philip	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Lorimer, George Claude†	Nov. 18, 1887	
Luce, Frank Melville 33°	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Luckey, James Cave 33°†	Oct. 1866	
Ludlam, Anthony Johnson*	June 4, 1880	
Lull, A. G.*	Mar. 14, 1867	Chicago.
Ludlow, George Watson	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Lumpp, Frederick*	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Luecker, Mathias	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Lutz, Alfred Deems	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Lumsden, Charles McKay	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Luedeka, Emil Charles	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Lydston, George Francis 14°	July 31, 1884	Chicago.
Lyons, Joseph M.*	July 18, 1868	Evanston.
Lynd, William R.	Nov. 17, 1892	Elgin.
Lyons, George Reed	Nov. 19, 1891	Waukegan.
MacAllister, John‖	Mar. 13, 1869	
Mac, Charles Gamble	Mar. 27, 1885	Mattoon.
Macombe, George Armstrong*	Apr. 13, 1867	Chicago.
MacGregor, George Reid‖	Apr. 9, 1858	
Maas, Phillip	May 25, 1882	Chicago.
Masters, Granville S.*	Aug. 10, 1876	Chicago.
Matheny, James Harvey‖	July 23, 1885	
Matson, Canute R.	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Mather, Thomas Scott‖	A. Oct. 6, 1883	
Mathews, Gustav Emil	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Mawford, John William	Sept. 30, 1875	Doland, Dak.
Maxwell Robert Faulds	Sept. 18, 1884	Chicago.
May, John Anderson	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
MacLaughlin, James†	Nov. 22, 1877	Chicago.
Magee, Guy*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Magill, William Charles	Sept. 22, 1883	Evanston.
Magoon, Charles Calvin	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Mahoney, Cornelius*	Feb. 14, 1868	Chicago.
Malcom, Robert‖	May 27, 1880	
Malley, William John	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Manchester, Milton Sheldon*	Apr. 22, 1864	Chicago.
Mann, Edward B.*	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Mann, Bell*	Nov. 12, 1869	Chicago.
Maurer, Cass Ferdinand	July 25, 1868	Chicago.
Manney, James Harvey	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Martin, Frank Porter	Oct. 6, 1883	Watseka.
Martin, Neal Kennedy‖	Oct. 6, 1882	
Martin, William Peter 14°	July 31, 1884	Chicago.
Marks, Henry M.*	June 11, 1874	Chicago.
Marks, Stewart*	July 31, 1879	Chicago.
Marshall, Hugh*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.

Marston, James Drummond*	Apr. 24, 1879	Englewood.
Marsh, Joshua Leonard 14°‖	Apr. 19, 1864	Chicago.
Marble, George William*	July 29, 1886	
Mason, Daniel Webster	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Mason, Hezakiah Goddard	Oct. 6, 1883	Shawneetown.
Manson, William	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Markley Aaron Schwenk	Nov. 12, 1886	Danville.
Markley, Abel Schwenk	Apr. 15, 1887	Allegheny, Pa.
Mason, Hugh	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Many, Sidney Genin	June 30, 1887	Chicago.
MacManemy, Dennis	Mar. 31, 1887	Chicago.
Maddock, Henry L. 18°	A. Nov. 11, '86	Evanston.
Marr. Benjamin Charles	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Marshall, James Edwin	Apr. 20, 1888	Centralia.
Mallen, Philip Henry	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Magnan, Clarence Zephire	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Martin, Robert Lowry	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Maxwell, John Wallace	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Madison, John Riley	Apr. 23, 1891	Decatur.
Marsh, Isaac Clarence	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Maritzen, Carl August	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Mantonya, Lucius Brown	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
MacKinlay, Thomas E.	Nov. 24, 1882	Ottowa.
Mahon, David Craig	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Matkin, Otho Fletcher.	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Mahon, Charles William	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Mattinson, Evan	Nov. 17, 1892	Gibson City.
MacCarthy, Charles Samuel	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Matheny, John Reynolds	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Malkin, Mathew Smith	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Mallory, James Leonard	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
May, John E.	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Mead, Bartholomew D. 14°‖	Mar. 23, 1867	
Meach, George A. 14°†	Apr. 19, 1864	Chicago.
Mellen, William S.‖	Nov. 22, 1877	Chicago.
Merkel, Frank	July 29, 1886	Chicago.
Merz, Gottlieb	April 9, 1886	Chicago.
Meredith, Thomas*	May 9, 1867	Chicago.
Meyer, Charles Ernest	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Mesler, Edward Alexander	Oct. 6, 1882	Ashley.
Mestling, Henry William	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Metzger, Henry Edwin	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Meyer, Frederick‖	Oct. 9, 1885	
Meyer, Herman Phillip	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Meyer, Julius Peter	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Merkel, Jacob	Oct. 8, 1880	
Meigs, John Stanley	June 30, 1887	St Johnsbury, Vt.

Meuser, Bernhard	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Melms, Ernest	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Merritt, Henry Frederick	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Meader, Martin Cyrus	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Meggelin, John Fred.	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Middleton, George S.‖	Nov. 26, 1870	
Middleton, John	Feb. 15, 1867	Highland Park.
Milligan, William F.‖	June 11, 1874	
Milligan, William LeRoy 33°	Oct. 7. 1881	Ottawa.
Millard, Alden Clark 33°†		Chicago.
Millen, David P.†	Apr. 20, 1866	Waukegan.
Miller, Charles*	Mar. 27, 1873	Chicago.
Miller, DeLaskie 33°	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Miller, Frank G.†	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Miller, Henry Harrison	A. Aug. 28, '84	Aurora.
Miller, Peter Swarts*	June 10, 1875	
Miller, Thomas John‖	Aug. 28, 1884	
Miller, Thomas Henry	June 28, 1877	Chicago.
Millar, John S.*		Joliet.
Milnor, Charles Walton	Mar. 21, 1884	Alton.
Miles, James Hoge‖	April 1858	
Minchrod, Simon*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Minium, Ferris John	A. Aug. 28, '84	Aurora.
Minor, Anson Bushnell	July 25, 1868	Ishpeming, Mich.
Minor, Orlin H. 33°†	Apr. 20, 1866	
Mitchell, John James‖	Apr. 24, 1879	
Mitchell, J. Lee*	June 21, 1869	Chicago.
Mitchell, William Wallace‖	Sept. 2, 1856	
Miller, Charles Philip	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Minor, Anderson	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Mix, Robert Frank	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Mix, Ira John	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Miller, Thomas Eaton	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Miller, Thomas Lincoln	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Millar, Robert Ogge‖	Apr. 25, 1889	
Miller, Philip	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Miller, Henry Nathan	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Middlecoff, Jonathan Penn	Nov. 17, 1892	Paxton.
Miner, Henderson Horton	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Middleton, Frank Elmer	Apr. 20, 1893	Crete
Moeller, August John	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Moffatt, John	Oct. 7, 1875	Chicago.
Monroe, Nelson 14°*	Mar. 30, 1876	Chicago.
Montgomery, George Warner	Feb. 15, 1867	Chicago.
Montgomery, Joseph Addison 33°¶	Apr. 22, 1864	Chicago.
Moore, Cassius Fremont	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Moore, John*	Apr. 24, 1869	Chicago.

Moody, John Armstrong	Sept. 30, 1875	Chicago.
Morgan, Otto Herron	May 25, 1882	Highland Park.
Morgan, Decatur	June 4, 1880	Watseka.
Morgan, John Richard	June 4, 1880	Clinton, Iowa.
Morton, James L.†	Apr. 20, 1866	Waukegan.
Mortimer, William E.	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Morrison, Edward Wallace*	March 1870	Chicago.
Morris, William King	May 1, 1872	Chicago.
Mosher, Charles Delavan	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Moth, Morris Jonathan*	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Moulton, George Mayhew 33°	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Moulton, Joseph Tilton	Feb. 14, 1868	Chicago.
Moore, Oscar Benjamin	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Moffitt, Eugene,	Apr. 20, 1888	Chillicothe.
Modes, Edward Clarke	Apr. 20, 1888	Streator.
Morrison, William M.	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Moody, Thomas Patterson	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Montague, Charles Dwight	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Moore, George David	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Moore, Walter Howard	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Morris, Charles William	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Morrison, David Gillis	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Mortimer, William Henry	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Moorshead, Alfred John	Apr. 20, 1893	Springfield.
Moll, Edward	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Moore, Daniel Grove	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Montgomery, Liston Homer	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Murdock, Francis	A. Oct. 9, 1885	Oneida.
Mueller, Fritz	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Muirhead, George	Mar. 13, 1869	Englewood.
Muller, Carl‖	June 6, 1874	
Munger, Charles Edwards†	May 27, 1870	
Munn, Loyal Levi 33°†	Apr. 22, 1864	Freeport.
Murphy, John	Nov. 22, 1877	Chicago.
Murphy, James Kiron	May, 29, 1873	Chicago.
Murray, Donald	June 16, 1881	Chicago.
Murry. John‖	May 28, 1870	
Muir, Samuel	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Murray, William	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Muller, Charles Gottlob	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago,
Muhleman, Charles Henry	A. Sept. 12, '90	Chicago.
Mueller, Gustave Adolph	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Mulford, Edwin Rossiter	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Muncey, Edward Charles	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Mullen, Edward	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Muth, Christian	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Murdock, Ezekiel Price	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.

Myers, Eugene Burritt 33°	Mar. 14, 1867	Chicago.
Myers, Samauel‖		
Myers, Samuel Ledrum	A. Ap.26,1876	Chicago.
Myers, Sidney*		Chicago.
McBean, James George	July 29, 1886	Chicago.
McBride, John Thomas	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
McBride, John Harvey	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
McCall, James S. 33°†	Feb. 14, 1868	Freeport.
McCarty, William Walter	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
McClellan, George Robert 33°‖	Mar. 13, 1869	
McConoughey, Aden Marsh*	July 30, 1885	Chicago.
McCune, James‖	May 18, 1876	
McClain, Joseph Judson	Nov. 12, 1886	Urbana.
McCammon, Charles	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
McClatchey. Augustus F.	Nov. 22, 1888	Aurora.
McCall, Henry 14°	Nov. 18, 1890	Chicago.
MeClean, Jr. Samuel Alexander	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
McComb, James Julius	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
McDaneld, Daniel Henry	Oct. 6, 1883	Chicago.
McDonald, Malcom	May 29, 1873	Chicago.
McDougall, Nathaniel 14°*	Mar. 25, 1885	Streator.
McDonald, John	Mar. 24, 1870	Frankfort, Sta.
McDonald, Royal D. 14°*	Oct. 8, 1884	La Salle.
McDonald, Malcom Andrew	Nov. 12, 1886	Indianapolis, Ind.
McDoel, William Henry	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
McDonald, Allen	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
McElwain, George*	Feb. 3, 1865	Chicago.
McFarland, Charles*	Apr. 20, 1866	Chicago.
McFatrich, James Burton,	Mar. 31, 1887	Chicago.
McFarland, Thomas Walton	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
McFatrich, George Wilbur	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
McGill, John Joseph	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
McGarigle, William James¶	Apr. 24, 1879	Chicago.
McGrew, Abraham S.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
McGuire, Robert Louis	July 23, 1885	Springfield.
McGowan, John Edward,	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
McGill, James Palmer	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
McHenry, William E.	June 10, 1875	Chicago.
McIntosh, John Finlay	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
McKinney, Orris Frank	Mar. 27, 1885	Bunker Hill.
McKinzie, George 14°*	July 6, 1882	Chicago.
McKnight, Robert	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
McKee, John	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
McKay, Eugene	Nov. 17, 1892	Evanston.
McLeish, John†	Feb. 19, 1869	
McLean, Henry S.*	June 27, 1868	Chicago.
McLellan, Archibald 33°	A. Jan. 23, '79	Chicago.

McLaren, John 33°	Apr. 28, 1870	Chicago.
McLaren, Samuel Anderson	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
McMahon, James†		Evanston.
McMasters, Samuel Howard	A Nov. 18, '87	Chicago.
McMichael, La Fayette D.	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
McNurney, Michael*	Mar. 26, 1870	Chicago.
McNeely, Thompson W.†	Nov. 12, 1869	Petersburg.
McVicker, James Hubert 33°		Chicago.
McWilliams, George	May 17, 1880	Chicago.
McWilliams, S. A.	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Nadeau, Louis Herbert*	Oct. 7, 1875	Kankakee.
Nason, Walter Thomas	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Neeley, Robert Harry	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Nelson, John‖		
Nelson, Orville Gilman	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Nelson, Peter Wallace	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Neumeister, John George	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Nelson, Thomas	Apr. 24, 1890	Lee.
Neiglick, Neil	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Nestlerode, Austin Luther	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Nelson, Isaac Olof	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Neff, Edwin Dorland	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Nichol, John‖	May 28. 1882	
Nichols, Francis Harvey*		Chicago.
Nichols, Herbert George	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Nichols, Joshua Rufus*		Chicago.
Nicholson, Robert Smith 14°*	Feb. 24, 1883	Chicago.
Nicholson, Joseph Turpin 14°	June 2, 1881	Chicago.
Nielsen, Niels Julius	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Nilsson, Axel Leopold	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Nixon, Dwight Lincoln	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Nickerson, Dexter Washington	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Nihlean, Swen John	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Nichols, George Herbert	Nov. 28, 1888	Chicago.
Nicol, Alexander	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Nichols, Charles Henry	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Noble, John T.*	June 21, 1869	Chicago.
Nolton, Robert H. 14°†		Chicago.
Norton, John Elbert	June 16, 1881	Chicago.
Norvell, John Perry 33°	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Nourse, Edwin Green	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Noyes, Michael J.‖		
Noble, William Lincoln	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Nocken, Edward	Nov. 19. 1891	Chicago.
Nusbaum, Moses*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Nutt, Frederick Lawrence	June 29, 1893	Marengo.
O'Brien, William Henry	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.

O'Conner, Richard Edwin	June 30, 1887	
Oberne, George	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Offerman, Charles Clemson	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Ogden, William Langworthy	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Olson, Nils Ferdinand	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
Ortseifen, Adam.	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Orchard, Joseph Frederick	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Orrill, Harry Wilber.	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Oughton, John Richard	Apr. 21, 1892	Wilmington.
Oxen, Louis Frederick	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
O'Laughlin. James	Mar. 21, 1884	Danville.
O'Neill, John 33°	June 25, 1870	Chicago.
Oldfield, Alfred*	Oct. 6, 1882	East Northfield.
Oliver, Henry Forbes‖	Oct. 6, 1883	
Olson, Edward Martin 14°	Aug. 25, 1883	Humboldt Park.
Orcutt, W. F.*	Mar. 25, 1871	Chicago.
Ordway, George Warren 18°*	Mar. 30, 1871	Chicago.
Oviatt, Tracy Towne‖	Feb. 19, 1869	
Ormsbee, W. W.*	May 3, 1867	
Orr, Harry Butler*	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Osborn, Lockwood Keeler‖	July 18, 1860	
Ottman, George L*	Mar. 13, 1869	
Overmeyer, John Bower	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Osmun, Jr. Daniel Condit	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Opdyke, Russell Hollister	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Olson, Anton	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Pace, Edward Coleman 33°	Oct. 7, 1881	Ashley.
Paddock, James Henry 33°‖	Feb. 14, 1868	
Page, Daniel Webster	Feb. 14, 1868	Chicago.
Pahlman, Herman John	Sept. 24, 1870	Naperville.
Palmateer, Orris Clancy*	Oct. 6, 1882	Olney.
Palmer, Augustus*		Geneva.
Palmer, Charles Albert†	A. Mar. 27, '85	Princeton.
Palmer, George Edward	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Palmer, Thomas Downard	Oct. 7, 1875	Chicago.
Paquin, Louis Esdras 14°	Apr. 6, 1876	Kankakee.
Park, Augustus Vitelius	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Parke, John Willer	A. Mar. 27, '85	South Bend, Ind.
Parkes, Charles Theodore‖	May 25, 1882	
Parker, Orville‖	Apr. 20, 1866	
Parker, Alfred B.*	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Parker, Eli S.†	———, 1868	
Parker, Francis Warner	Oct. 6, 1883	Chicago.
Pattison, Thomas	A. Mar. 27, '85	Chicago.
Patterson, Theodore Henry†	June 21, 1869	Chicago.
Patrick, Benjamin Franklin 33°*	Apr. 20, 1864	Chicago.
Payne, James Dixon†		

Patten, Edgar Switz 14°	Oct. 13, 1887	Chicago.
Parker, Rhoderic Dhu	Nov. 18, 1887	Downer's Grove.
Park, Colin	Nov. 17, 1891	Chicago.
Parker, Frank Oren	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Palmer, Charles Everett	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Parker, Richard Edwin 14°	Sept. 1, 1892	Chicago.
Pahl, Peter Christian H.	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Parsons, William	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Pearch, Daniel W.	Mar. 27, 1873	Chicago.
Pearsons, John Mills 33°	Nov. 24, 1882	Godfrey.
Peckham, John Brown*	Feb. 3, 1865	Utica.
Peirce, Alden Pomeroy	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Pennington, Daniel L.	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Pennington, Lewis E.	Nov. 22, 1877	Chicago.
Pennington, Thomas Clark	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Pershing, John Fletcher	Aug. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Perkins, Elgin Kossuth	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Perkins, Lathrop‖	Oct. 6, 1882	
Perry, James Allen 14°	July 7, 1886	Wilmington.
Pettibone, Amos 33°	Mar. 25, 1871	Chicago.
Pettibone, John E.	May 23, 1868	Chicago.
Pettee, George Warren 33°‖	Apr. 23, 1864	
Pettengill, Reuben T.	Nov. 22, 1877	Ogden, Utah.
Petitt, Robert W. 14°*	June 7, 1877	Chicago.
Pershing, James Fletcher	Apr. 9, 1866	Chicago.
Pettenger, George Conover	Apr. 25, 1889	Urbana.
Persons, Fred Riley	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
Pennypacker, Levis Passmore	Apr. 24, 1890	
Pearce, Eugene Thomas	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Pettett, John Alfred	Nov. 20, 1890	Dwight.
Pearce, William Westrup	Apr. 23, 1891	Waukegan.
Peasley, James Osgood	Nov. 17, 1891	Macomb.
Petrie, Charles Silas	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Pendleton, Amos Palmer	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Peterson, William Frederick	Apr. 20. 1893	Chicago.
Pennington, George Feeney 14°	June 27, 1893	Chicago.
Phelps, E. Frisbie	Mar. 21, 1884	New York City.
Philipson, William Henry Christian	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Phillips, Charles Crawford‖	Apr. 24, 1869	
Phillips, Frank William‖	Mar. 21, 1884	
Phillips, John Franklin	June 27, 1868	Chicago.
Phinney, Henry Robinson	Mar. 21, 1884	Alton.
Pickels, John	Mar. 27, 1885	Mt. Vernon, N. Y.
Pickering, William J.*	Apr. 25, 1872	
Pierpont, Newton*	A. Dec. 1872	Englewood
Pierce, H. B.‖		
Pierce, Hiram Lorenzo*	June 4, 1880	

Pierce, Reuben Parker*	Mar. 31, 1871	Chicago.
Pieters, Bennett‖	Mar. 14. 1867	
Pirkey, John Calvin	Oct. 9. 1885	Streator.
Pitts, Aurelius V.*	Apr. 22, 1870	Marseilles.
Pilsbry, Franklin Wilson	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Pickett, Marion	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Pickens, James	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Piper, James Sylvester	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Platt, Nathan E.*	Apr. 20, 1866	Chicago.
Platto, James Henry‖	June 10, 1875	
Plummer, E. Harry*	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Plamondon, A.*		Chicago.
Plath, Louis	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Plumb, William Henry	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Pöhle, Rudolph Ed.	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Polkey, Samuel	Sept. 25, 1869	Chicago.
Pollard, Luther Dana†	June 19, 1881	Chicago.
Poleman, William C.*	June 25, 1870	
Pomeroy, C. C.*		Chicago.
Pomeroy, George T.*		Chicago.
Pond, Henry Harrison 33°	Apr. 24, 1869	Chicago.
Pope, Samuel Isaac	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Poor, John Augustus*	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Porter, Henry Thomas*	Mar. 14, 1867	Chicago.
Porter, John*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Porter, Millet Nathan	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Poulson, William Erskine 33°	Oct. 7, 1881	Chicago.
Powell, Edwin†	Apr. 22, 1870	Chicago.
Powell, Moses W.	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Porter, Cyrus Edward	A. Apr. 20, '88	Waukegan.
Poehls, Jacob	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Potter, Harmon Van Camp	Nov. 22, 1888	Aurora.
Powell, Thomas	Apr. 25, 1889	Effingham.
Poucher, Barent G.	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Powell, James Lockheart	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Porter, Frederick William	Nov. 17. 1892	Chicago.
Pratt, Leander Gage*	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Pratt, James‖	Oct. 7, 1875	
Pratt, Zerah Smith*	Oct. 6, 1882	Camp Point.
Prentice, Nathan Fay 33°‖		
Prickett, Francis Asbury	Oct. 10, 1884	Carbondale.
Prouty, Charles Benjamin	Apr. 24, 1869	Chicago.
Press, Whiting G.	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Proctor, George Harvey	Nov. 22, 1888	Paxton.
Prickett, Jr. George Willis.	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Preston, David Alden	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Probasco, Robert Purdy	Apr. 23. 1891	Chicago.

Price, William	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Prosser, Roger	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Price, Fred August	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Puleston, John	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Pulling, Howell Gardner‖	Sept. 7, 1875	
Pullen, Frederick William	May 27, 1880	Chicago.
Pundt, Herman A.†	Mar. 14, 1867	Chicago.
Purdy, Warren Grafton 33°		Chicago.
Purdy, William H.†		Chicago.
Purinton, Holman Greene	Nov. 17, 1891	Chicago.
Quackenbosh, M.*	May 9, 1867	
Quincy, Edward Robert	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Quinlan, Simon		Chicago.
Raggio, Samuel Constantine	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Randall, Charles W. 14°	June 7, 1877	Chicago.
Randall, Gurdeon P.†.	Sept. 26, 1868	
Rankin, Charles Sanford	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Ranney, Henry Collings 33°†	Apr. 10, 1858	Chicago.
Ransom, Alonzo‖	Apr. 20, 1866	
Rawson, Samuel	Nov. 24, 1882	St. Louis, Mo.
Ralston, James	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Ramsay, Richard	Nov. 22, 1888	Braceville.
Ramsay, Frederick Mason	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Ramsey, William Wilson 14°	Nov. 19, 1889	Chicago.
Ralston, Frank Carl	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Ramsay, Daniel Gard	Nov. 19, 1891	East St. Louis.
Raeside, Joseph Henderson	Nov. 19, 1891	Waukegan.
Rathmell, Henry Cowdin	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Ragsdale, John Thomas Edward	Nov. 17, 1892	Gibson City,
Redford, Farrington*	Apr. 24, 1869	
Reed, Loyal Wilcox	Mar. 21, 1884	Springfield.
Reece, J. N.	A. Dec. 1872	Springfield.
Reid, William Henry	Nov. 7, 1866	Chicago.
Reichard, G. O.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Reichard, J. T.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Reinhart, Joseph C.*	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Reiss, Otto	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Remington, Henry Harrison	May 25, 1882	Chicago.
Reynolds, Harman Gansevort 33°‖	Sept. 2, 1856	
Reynolds, Isaac*	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Reynolds, Benn Phillips	Sept. 24, 1870	Chicago.
Reynolds, Henry James	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Reynolds, Arthur Rowley	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Reuter, Charles Joseph	Nov. 21, 1889	Lebanon.
Rees, Joseph Arthur Windett	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Reynolds, Charles Philip	Oct. 1, 1890	Chicago.
Reno, Robert Richford	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.

Reasoner, John Rogers	Apr. 21, 1892	Philo.
Reasoner, Richard Watson	Apr. 21, 1892	Morrisonville.
Reed, Joseph Walter 14°*	Apr. 13. 1887	Chicago.
Reed, Charles Bert	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Reynolds, Erwin James	Apr. 20, 1893	Utica.
Reeves, Seward William	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Rhodes, George Henry	June 5, 1869	Hay Springs, Neb.
Rhodes, Henry Little	Apr. 9, 1886	Centralia.
Rhode, John Christian William	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Rhoades, Cyrus Hoops	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Rhodes, John C.	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Rice, Charles Cushing*	Dec. 26, 1868	Chicago.
Rice, John Milton*	Oct. 6, 1882	Austin.
Rice, Robert N.‖	June 19, 1867	
Rickerson, Freeman D.‖	Feb. 19, 1869	
Richardson, Francis Marion	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Richardson, Lloyd Durant 33°	Nov. 24, 1882	Hot Springs, Ark.
Richardson, Samuel Morgan	Sept. 22, 1871	Chicago.
Richardson, William Douglas*	Mar. 4, 1886	Springfield.
Richey, George H. 14°†	Apr 2, 1870	Chicago.
Riedle, Frank	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Riggle, Millard Fillmore	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Riggs, Leonard Curtiss.	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Ringe, George*	May 27, 1880	Chicago.
Riswig, Jacob	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Richardson, Augustus Phelps	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Richards, George Washington*	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Rice, Ervin Alvin	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Richards, John Thomas	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Rich, Pitt Clifton	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Ripple, Chauncey Jerome	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Richardson, William John	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Roberts, Everel Phelps*	Oct. 7, 1881	St. Louis, Mo.
Roberts, George Franklin†	Sept. 22, 1883	Minneapolis, Minn.
Robinson, David	A. Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Robinson, Henson	Mar. 21, 1884	Springfield.
Robinson, John Harvey*	June 28, 1877	Chicago.
Robinson, L. D.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Rockwell, Sidney E.*	June 25, 1869	Chicago.
Rogers, George E.*	May 13, 1867	Sterling.
Rogers, Henry‖	June 21, 1869	
Rogers, Ward Bush	July 30, 1885	Chicago.
Ross, Alexander Simon	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Roundy, Daniel Curtiss	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Roundy, Frank Curtiss	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Robinson, Thomas Samuel	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Rowley, William DeRussatt 16°*	A. June 9, '87	Chicago.

Roth, George Frederick	Nov. 18, 1887	Rock Island.
Roche, John A.	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Robie, George Thompson	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Root, John Sherman	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Robertson, David Burness	Apr. 24, 1890	Centralia.
Roessler, Frederick Hermann	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Romberger, Charles Luther	Nov. 20, 1890	Dwight.
Rolston, Harry Mortimer	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Royer, John Charles Fremont	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Rosenberg, Samuel Cecil	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Rogers, Herbert Augustin	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Rose, George Alfred	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Ross, Charles Sherman	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Robinson, Elmer Ellsworth†	Nov. 18, 1887	Aurora.
Rogerson, Thomas Colin	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Rowland, Edwin Flowers	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Rosback, Frederick Peter	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Robinson, Hurd Winter	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Rockwell, Charles Henry	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Rucker, L. H.‖	Nov. 13, 1866	
Ruddock, Charles Homer‖	May 22, 1878	
Ruddock, James H.†	—— 1868	
Ruehl, Peter William	Mar. 21, 1884	Colorado Spgs., Col.
Rundell, Ransom Beaman	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Russ, Alamando Bill	Oct. 6, 1883	Chicago.
Russell, Alfred 33°	Mar. 27, 1873	Chicago.
Russell, William Boyd	Oct. 10, 1884	Aurora.
Rust, Henry Appleton	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Rutherford, John	Oct. 7, 1881	Oakland.
Rutherford, William R.*	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Russ, Charles Lewis	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Rutherford, James L.	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Rush, David G.	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Ryall, George*	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Ryan, Thomas.*	Aug. 10, 1876	Chicago.
Rydell, John Solomon	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Ryerson, Martin 14°†	Apr. 19, 1864	Chicago.
Sackett, Charles Lockwood†	May 25, 1882	La Grange.
Saltzer, James Edward	July 29, 1886	Chicago.
Salzer, Joseph	Aug. 23, 1878	Spring Valley.
Sampson, George Hyde	July 22, 1882	Peoria.
Samuel, John Boden*	Oct. 6, 1883	Peoria.
Sanford, Wilber F.*	May 22, 1869	Chicago.
Sargent, John Samuel	Oct. 6, 1882	Santa Rosa, Cal.
Saunders, James	May 29, 1873	Glen Ellyn.
Sawyer, Amory Walson	A. Mar. 27, '85	Sycamore.
Sawyer, Edwin†	Feb. 14, 1868	Chicago.

Saylor, William Franklin‖	May. 1870	
Sanford, Edward	Nov. 18, 1887	Morris.
Savage, Henry Gilbert	Apr. 25, 1889	Evanston.
Sattley, Winfield Newell	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Sauter, Frederick Valentine	Apr. 21, 1892	
Sagendorph, Arba Jacob	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Sawin, Prescott Dana	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Sanford, Edward Henry	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Safford, James Billings	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Sawtell, Henry Francis	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Schack, Franz	May 25, 1882	Chicago.
Schlessinger, Leopold	Apr. 13, 1867	Chicago.
Schneider, August*	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Schmidt, Michael*	May 27, 1880	Chicago.
Schmidt, William	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Schaffner, Louis	Apr. 9, 1875	Chicago.
Schaeffer Andrew Lawrence	Oct. 9, 1885	Paris.
Schroder, William R.¶	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Schwarz, August	Mar. 27, 1880	Chicago.
Schulz, Mathias	Sept. 18, 1884	Chicago.
Schuster, Joseph	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Scofield, Henry†	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Scott, William M†		
Scrafford, Mathew John	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Scripps, W. H.*		Chicago.
Schmehl, Henry	Nov. 12, 1886	Chicago.
Schucker, Carl Jean Mauritz	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Schnell, August	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Scott, Emery David	Nov. 22, 1888	Braceville.
Schoenmann, Charles Samuel	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Schmidt, Frederick William	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Schaar, Charles Ludwig	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Schmidt, Otto	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Schmidt, John Charles	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Schroter, Frederick John	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Scriba, Henry Charles	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Schneider, Peter	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Schussler, Lorin Franklin	Apr. 20, 1893	Alton.
Schultz, Edward Henry	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Seaverns, C. 14°†	Apr. 19, 1864	
Seaverns, Herbert 14°*	Jan. 21, 1875	Boston, Mass.
Seavey, Valorus Andrew‖	A. Mar. 22, '77	
Sebree, Milton Eddy	Oct. 6, 1883	Colorado Spgs. Col.
Seebach, Bertram G.*	Oct. 7, 1875	Peru.
Seeley, Lewis Cass‖	Oct. 6, 1882	
Seiter, Henry	Oct. 6, 1883	Lebanon.
Semple, John W.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.

Seneco, Charles William	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Sexton, Stanley Bertram	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Sexton, W. H.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Seymour, Daniel L.†	Feb. 14, 1868	Chicago.
Seymour Thomas H.†	Dec. 28, 1867	Chicago.
Seale, Jesse Newton	Nov. 20, 1890	Jackson, Tenn.
Seavey, Wm. Chamberlain	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Shaffer, Henry Rockwell*	Nov. 22, 1877	Chicago.
Sharp, Samuel	Oct. 6, 1883	Carlyle.
Shattuck, Charles Heard*	Oct. 24, 1868	Chicago.
Shattuck, L. L.*	May 29, 1867	Chicago.
Shaw, Alexander K.*	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Shaw, Joshua Hopkins*	Mar. 31, 1871	Chicago.
Shaw, William	June 27, 1868	Jacksonville, Fla.
Sheaffer, Joel L.*	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Shelby, Daniel	Mar. 27, 1885	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Shepherd, Leven Wilson‖	Feb. 3, 1865	
Shepardson, George Jeremiah	June 10, 1875	Paxton.
Sheville, John 33°‖		
Sherwin, Joseph*	Apr. 9, 1875	Chicago.
Sherman, Elijah Bernis	July 29, 1886	Chicago.
Sherman, Edwin Lee*	Nov. 23, 1882	
Sherman, N. W. 14°*	May 2, 1868	Chicago.
Shibley, George Henry*	Mar. 21, 1884	Richmond.
Shortall, John George†	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Shrum, Perrin‖	May 29, 1873	
Shultz, R. H.†	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Shults, John Ward*	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Shuman, Andrew*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Shaw, Daniel Prescott	Mar. 31, 1887	Chicago.
Shinn, Jr. John Nixon	Apr. 20, 1888	Streator.
Shaw, Siremba	Apr. 30, 1888	Chicago.
Shepard, William Louis	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Sharp, William	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Shaffner, Addison Elliott	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Sherman, Judson Gilbert	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Shaw, James Lanard	Apr. 21, 1892	Seneca.
Sherman, Daniel Irwin	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Sherwin, Edward John	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Sheldon, Hobart Davis	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Sherwin, James Proctor	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Sheills, Hugh	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Sherman, Lawrence Yates	Apr. 23, 1891	Macomb.
Shorman, Chauncey 14°	Nov. 17, 1891	Chicago.
Sherman, William Wallace	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Shaw, George Washington	Apr. 21, 1892	Mattoon.
Shailer, Robert Ames	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.

Shanks, Thos. Rogerson	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Shepherd, John	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Shoemaker, Chas. Willard	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Sidway L. D. 14°†	Apr. 19, 1864	
Siegrosser, Joseph Lawrence	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Silva, Charles P†	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Silver, Arthur David Hall*	Oct. 6, 1882	St. Louis, Mo.
Simons, Miles Gaylord*	Oct. 6, 1882	Bloomington.
Simmons, Joseph W.	Sept. 27, 1873	Chicago.
Sinclair, George Frank*	May 29, 1873	Chicago.
Sipes, George Gilford‖	June 4, 1880	
Sieber, Francis Adam Paul	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Sills, William Henry	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Simmons, Charles Marsh	A. Nov. 22, '88	De Kalb.
Simsrottt, William A.	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Siller, Charles Gustav‖	Nov. 20, 1890	
Sigwalt, William Frank	Sept. 12, 1890	Arlington Heights.
Simpson, Samuel Diller	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Sievers, Nicholas August Wilham	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Skinkle, Jacob W. 33°	Feb. 14, 1868	Chicago.
Skaggs, Charles Preston	Apr. 15, 1887	Harrisburg.
Skelton, Leonard Lawshe	Sept. 29, 1892	Evanston.
Slade, Jabez James†	Feb. 24, 1865	
Slichter, Jacob Benjamin*	Sept. 25, 1869	Chicago.
Sloan, James	Oct. 6, 1883	Danville.
Slosson, Charles C.*	Mar. 27, 1880	Chicago.
Smith, Albert Loomis	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Smith, Benjamin Taylor, 14°†	Feb. 29, 1872	Chicago.
Smith, C. F. D.*	May 3, 1867	Chicago.
Smith, Charles Taylor	Nov. 22, 1888	Divide, Colo.
Smith, Daniel Horton	A. Oct. 9, '85	Princeton.
Smith, Edwin Kohl	Apr. 9, 1886	La Grange.
Smith, Eli	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Smith, Fred J.*	Mar. 26, 1870	Chicago.
Smith, G. Lisle, 14°†	Feb. 11, 1869	
Smith, Gilbert Richard, 33°‖	Apr. 20, 1864	
Smith, John Thomas	Oct. 9, 1885	Aurora.
Smith, Loyal Lucien	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Smith, Perry Hiram	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Smith, Robert Bingham	Oct. 29, 1864	Chicago.
Smith, R. S.*	Nov. 12, 1869	Chicago.
Smith, Samuel Chipman		Chicago.
Smith, Samuel Malburn*	Mar. 25, 1871	Chicago.
Smith, William‖	Feb. 26, 1870	
Smith, William	Apr. 9, 1886	
Smith, William Wirt, 18°†	June 24, 1869	
Smull, Joel W*	July 27, 1882	Austin.

Smythe, Thomas A. H.†	Apr. 21, 1864	
Smith, Thomas Barrett	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Smith, George Washington	Apr. 15, 1887	Memphis, Tenn.
Smith, Fred M.	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Smith, Thomas	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Smith, Elihu Eldridge	Apr. 24, 1890	
Smith, Lot Perry‖	Apr. 23, 1891	
Smith, Samuel Haines	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Smith, John Corson, Jr.	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Smith, Robert Ambrose	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Smith, Frederick William, Jr.	Apr. 21, 1892	Crete.
Smith, William Henry	Apr. 21. 1892	Oak Park.
Smith, William Ralph	Sept. 24, 1891	Chicago.
Smith, Dexter Abram, 14°	A. Nov. 17, '91	Chicago.
Smith, Espy Lelburn	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Snitcher, Henry Clay	Nov. 13, 1867	Denver, Colo.
Snoad, Charles H.‖	June 19, 1867	
Snyder, Thomas Downard, Jr.*	Apr. 21, 1864	Chicago.
Snowden, Milo Eugene	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Sollitt, John Belhouse‖	Oct. 7, 1875	
Sollitt, William*	Feb. 19, 1869	Chicago.
Sosman, Joseph Sands	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Sommer, William Charles	Nov. 20, 1890	Springfield.
Somers, John Wilbur	Apr. 20, 1893	St. Joseph.
Spafford, John I.*	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Spaulding, W., 14°†	Apr. 19, 1861	
Spies, Joseph, 33°	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Spencer, Bernard Dake, 16°*	Sept. 1, 1883	Chicago.
Sponsler, James Wilson†	Feb. 3, 1865	Springfield.
Spray, John Campbell*	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Spry, John‖	Feb. 15, 1867	
Springer, Milton Cushing‖	May 25. 1882	
Spellman, Thomas Luther	Nov. 18, 1887	Danville.
Spence, Alexander	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Spelman, Rollo Joseph	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Sproul, Elliott Wilford	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Stansbury, M. L.*	A. Dec. '72	Monmouth.
Stacey, Theodore E.*		Chicago.
Stanley, Philiskey Edwin	Oct. 7, 1881	Chicago.
Stansbury, Lambert*	A. Dec. '72	Galesburg.
Stafford, C.*		
Starkweather, Charles Robert, 33°‖		
Starkel, Louis Charles	Oct. 8, 1880	Chicago.
Starrett, David Austin*	Oct. 27, 1865	Chicago.
Stevens, Walter Augustus, 33°		Chicago.
Stearns, George Randolph, 14°†	Oct. 13, 1870	Chicago.
Stearns, Samuel Clinton¶	May, 1870	Joliet.

Stewart, Charles Franklin	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Stewart, Graeme	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Stewart, Hart La Luck,‖ 16°	Dec. 7, 1857	
Stewart, James‖	Nov. 13, 1866	
Stewart, James Frazer‖	Nov. 26, 1870	
Stewart, James H.*	A. Dec. '72	Monmouth.
Stewart, John Wesley	Oct. 8, 1880	Evanston.
Stewart, Robert	Aug 23, 1878	Chicago.
Stewart, Robert Deweese	Mar. 21, 1884	Janesville, Wis.
Stewart, William	Oct. 6, 1883	Danville.
Stetson, Frederick Augustus Hull	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Steltzer, Caspar*	June 21, 1869	
Steffens, Mathew Joseph	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Stephens, James George	Nov. 13, 1866	Van Buren, Ind.
Stevenson, Alexander Fleming	Apr. 9, 1875	Chicago.
Stevens, Ami W.†	June 25, 1870	Chicago.
Stevens, Enoch Bunker, 33°	Apr. 10, 1858	Chicago.
Stevens, Robert Ramsey	July 29, 1886	Chicago.
Stevens, Sylvester‖		
Stevens, Samuel Seldon‖	Oct. 8, 1880	
Stevens, Thomas J.*	Nov. 12, 1869	Joliet.
Stevens, William Buchanan‖	Oct. 6, 1883	
Steele, Samuel Atwood	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Steel, William A.‖	June 25, 1870	
Stiles, Aaron K	Aug. 28, 1884	Chicago.
Stiles, Clarence Luther	Mar. 21, 1884	La Grange.
Stiles, William Asahel	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
St. John, Everitte	May 23, 1868	Chicago.
Stockwell, Leonard Almerian	Sept. 18, 1884	New York City.
Stoker, Eugene Le Compte, 33°	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Stone, Theodore¶	Apr. 24, 1869	Chicago.
Stormont, William	Apr. 9, 1886	Ottawa.
Storey, William Daniels	Oct. 6, 1882	Waterloo, Iowa.
Stransky, Edward Jackson	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Streeter, Theodore Pinkney	Mar. 27, 1885	Princeton.
Strott, Nicholas†	Apr. 20, 1866	Springfield.
Strong, David Austin	Aug. 10, 1876	Chicago.
Strong, James Clarke†	Feb. 3, 1865	Buffalo, N. Y.
Strodtmann, John Gerhard	Oct. 6, 1882	Petersburg.
Strunk, Franklin	Nov. 22, 1877	Lake Crystal, Minn.
Stubblefield, William Ranes†	Mar. 13, 1869	St. Louis, Mo.
Sturges, James D.†	Apr. 1869	Chicago.
Studebaker, Wilbur Fiske	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Studness, Otto	June 4, 1880	Chicago.
Styles, Charles Blair	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Steers, Frank	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Stapf, Frederick William	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.

Stearns, Jacob	Apr. 15, 1887	Milwaukee, Wis.
Stearns, William Marion	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Stephens, Jacob Simpson	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Stranahan, James Lewis	Nov. 18, 1887	
Stauer, Ismael Paul	Nov. 18, 1887	McGregor, Iowa.
Stoneham, John, Jr.	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Stimpson, Frank Sharpe	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Stevenson, James Hafford	Nov. 22, 1888	Fremont, O.
Steares, George Robert Anderson	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Stoy, William, Von	A. Nov. 21, '89	La Fayette, Ind.
Stevens, Charlie Campbell	Apr. 24, 1890	Danville,
Stevens, Louis L.	Sept. 12, 1890	Elgin.
Sturdy, Joseph Frederick	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Steward, Le Roy Thomas	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Street, Arthur Williams	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Stout, Charles Holliday	Apr. 23, 1891	Auburn.
Stone, Arthur Noble	June 29, 1893	Elgin.
Staga, Henry Cort	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Stepina, James Francis	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Strasburger, John Benjamin	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Stahl, Frank August	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Stevens, Lester Webb	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Stern, David Henry	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Stone, Charles Logan	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Stout, Elihu Thomas	June 29, 1893	Auburn, Ill.
Stillman, Loran Andrew	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Sullivan, Fred P.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Summerfield, John	Oct. 8, 1880	Chicago.
Sutton, John	Mar. 27, 1867	Chicago.
Sumner, Jesse	Nov. 18, 1887	
Surghnor, Valentine Harrison	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Sundmacher, Charles Henry†	Nov. 22, 1888	
Swallow, James‖	June 11, 1874	
Swain, A. H.†	A. Dec. '72	Monmouth.
Swan, William Gay*	Apr. 20, 1866	
Swanson, Swan August, 14°	Sept. 21, 1882	Chicago.
Swatek, Mathew Jan	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Sweet, John Allen	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Sweetser, James*	Apr. 25, 1889	Denver, Colo.
Swartz, George Edward	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Tallman, Thomas Parsons*	Oct. 1865	Chicago.
Tapper, George	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Tatham, Robert La Fayette	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Taylor, Henry‖	Mar. 13, 1869	
Taylor, Reuben‖	Sept. 2, 1856	
Taylor, William C.†	May 9, 1867	
Taft, J. W.*		Chicago.

Taylor, Frederick William	Nov. 12, 1886	Springfield.
Tammler, Oscar	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Taylor, James Elias	Nov. 22, 1888	Springfield.
Tabor, Clarence Hosea	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Taylor, Fremont Lincoln	Apr. 23, 1891	Aurora.
Taylor, Frank Henry	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Taylor, William Henry	Nov 19 1891	Chicago.
Tebbetts, Charles Henry	July 30, 1885	Chicago.
Tebbetts, Henry H.*	Apr. 24, 1869	Chicago.
Tehan, Jeremiah‖	Oct. 10, 1884	
Temple, William Chase, 14°†	June 18, 1885	New York City.
Tenney, James Frank	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Terry, Arthur, 14°*	Mar. 25, 1885	Aurora.
Terwilliger, Jeremiah Marshall	May 1, 1872	Chicago.
Tenny, Louis Kossouths	Apr. 20, 1888	Asbury Park, N. J.
Teele, Horace Ganville	June 29, 1893	Austin.
Thayer, Moses Asal*		Chicago.
Thrall, William Austin	Oct. 1865	Chicago.
Thorndike, John Prince*	June 11, 1874	Chicago.
Thomson, Alexander Macquen	June 11, 1874	Chicago.
Thornberg, Herr Lee	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Thompson, Alexander Hamilton‖	A. Mar. 27, '85	
Thompson, D. W., 33°‖		
Thompson, George†	Feb. 1869	Freeport.
Thompson, James Hopkins	A. Mar. 27, '85	Chicago.
Thompson, John Thomas*	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Thompson, Merritt Walter	July 30, 1885	Chicago.
Thompson, Stephen Blackley	Mar. 21, 1884	Danville.
Thompson, Thomas N.†	May 13, 1867	
Thompson, William*	May 18, 1876	Chicago.
Thompson, William Henry Jr.	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Thomas, John Eugene	Nov. 22, 1888	Belleville.
Thomas, James Finley	Nov. 21, 1889	O'Fallon.
Thorp, Edgar Hobbs	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Tharp, James Wardell	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Thomas, Hiram Washington	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Thomas, Lewis	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Thompson, Lucius Jefferson	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Thackaberry, Milton Lea	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Thornton, Charles Solon	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Thomas, Abraham Lokkert	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Thomas, Andrew S.	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Tiffany, Otis H.‖	Apr. 1864	
Tiffany, W. C., 14°‖	Apr. 1864	
Tilton, Sam Russell	Oct. 6, 1883	Catlin.
Tincher, Charles Culbertson*	Oct. 7, 1881	Danville.
Tincher, George Francis*	Oct. 6, 1882	Danville.

Timlin, David James	Nov. 22, 1888	Belleville.
Tilden, Edward	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Tilton, Harry Hall	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Tilton, Wm. Henry	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Tinsman, Homer Ellsworth	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Tobias, G. C.†	Nov. 13, 1866	
Tobias, Job. M.	Apr. 25, 1872	Peotone.
Tobey, Edgar Pray, 33°	June 11, 1874	Chicago.
Tobey, Henry Stewart	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Tompkins, William Franklin*		Chicago.
Towner, Ithuel Crosby	Oct. 9, 1885	Elgin.
Tobias, George Jackson	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Tomlin, Allan Ridgway	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Tobey, John Dillon, 18°	Apr. 20, 1892	Chicago.
Tobias, John Joseph	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Trench, Richard Robert	Aug. 10, 1876	Chicago.
Trimmer, J. R., 14°†	Dec. 11, 1866	Chicago.
Trull, James B.*	May 9, 1867	Turner Junction.
Trulson, John*	Mar. 27, 1885	Princeton.
Tryner George Augustus‖	Oct. 6, 1882	
Trivess, Charles Nicholas	Apr. 25, 1889	Austin.
Traub, Adolph	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Tucker, Erastus Noyes‖	Nov. 1869	
Turner, John Spencer†	Apr. 1864	New York.
Turner, Thomas J.‖		
Turner, William Harbron, 33°	April, 1864	Chicago.
Tuthill, Joshua*	May 3, 1867	
Tuthill, Richard Stanley	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Tucker, James William	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Turner, Charles Corning	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Turnbull, Everett Robert	Apr. 20, 1893	Carlinville.
Twomley, James†	Dec. 28, 1867	Chicago.
Twitty, Walter George	Oct. 3, 1889	Chicago.
Tyler, William Little	Oct. 8, 1880	Detroit.
Tyler, Charles Fremont	Oct. 1, 1891	Aurora.
Tyrrell, Volney Jay	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Uebele, Michael	Oct. 8, 1880	Chicago.
Uihlein, Edward Gustav	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Underhill, Samuel Edgar*	Feb. 1865	
Uhl, Charles J., 14°*	Nov. 16, 1887	Chicago.
Udell, Spencer Robert	April 23, 1891	Chicago.
Updike, Pierson Brailey	Nov. 19, 1891	Litchfield.
Uhlendorf, Bodo	Apr 21, 1892	Chicago.
Updegraff, George Albert	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Valaquet, T. L. A.‖		
Van Buskirk, John Aiken†	Feb. 1865	
Van Doren, Abram V. N*	Mar. 6, 1872	Wessington, Dak.

Van Horn, W. G.†	Nov. 13, 1866	
Van Houton, George N.¶	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Vanzwoll, Arnold Henry	Feb. 1868	Chicago.
Varnell, Harry Antoine*	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Varnell, John H.‖		
Vaughan, Silas Orcasto	A. Apr. 9, '86	De Kalb.
Van Cleave, James Robert Burns	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Vanderkloot, Marinus Leonard	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Vaupell, George Henry	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Vanderlip, Oliver Harry	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Vallas, William Henry	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Veeder, Albert H.†	Nov. 22, 1877	Chicago.
Veeder, John Harmon‖	May 18, 1876	
Verity, William Porter	April 15, 1887	Chicago.
Verrall, Sackett Hope	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Vibert, Joseph George*	Feb. 1869	Chicago.
Vincent, Albert Jay	Oct. 6, 1883	Memphis, Tenn.
Vincent, Will John	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Vierling, Frank Charles	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Vidler, Thomas John	Apr. 21, 1892	Pana.
Vickery, Fremont John	Apr. 20, 1893	Dwight.
Von Glahn, August	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Voltz, John August	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Wacksmuth, Charles, 14°*	June 7, 1877	
Waddle, Samuel Woodson	Oct. 7, 1881	Bloomington.
Wadhams, Alvin S.†	Mar. 6, 1872	Chicago.
Wadhams, Boyd A.†	Sept. 26, 1868	Chicago.
Wadsworth, Philip*	Apr. 1864	
Wagner, Nathan Schofield‖	Oct. 10, 1884	
Wainwright, John William	May 25, 1882	Chicago.
Walker, Augustus Evans‖	Oct. 9, 1877	
Walker, Charles Thompson*	Nov. 22, 1877	
Walker, Clarence Eugene	Sept. 18, 1884	Chicago.
Walker, David Taft‖	Mar. 13, 1869	
Walker, Francis William	Apr. 9, 1886	Chicago.
Walker, Isaac 16°	Jan. 11, 1868	Chicago.
Walker, James	A. Aug. 28, '84	Aurora.
Walker, J. B.*	Apr. 25, 1868	Chicago.
Walker, Robert Hunt‖	Feb. 18, 1869	
Walshe, Robert John, 33°	Nov. 22, 1877	Chicago.
Walker, William S.†	June 25, 1870	Chicago.
Waller, Edward Carson	Oct. 6, 1882	River Forest
Wallis, Obed W.	Mar. 31, 1883	Chicago.
Walsh, William Henry*	July 30, 1885	Pullman.
Ward, D. B., 14°†	—— 1866	
Ward, P. F.*	May 3, 1867	
Warren, Everett Munn	Mar. 18, 1886	Chicago.

Warren, James H., 16°*	May 14, 1874	
Warren, John B.†	March 1867	Chicago.
Warvelle, George William, 33°	Oct. 10, 1884	Chicago.
Washburn, Edward Alva*	Oct. 9, 1885	Princeton.
Watson, Edward	Aug. 10, 1876	Chicago.
Watson, James D.*	June 7, 1877	Chicago.
Watson, John James†	June 1869	
Watte, Joseph M.	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Watkins, Charles Frederick	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Wadsworth, Calvin	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Walter, William Augustus	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Washburn, William Dow	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Wait, George Albert	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Warfel, George Bloomfield	Apr. 25, 1889	St. Louis, Mo.
Waltz, Henry Clay	Nov. 20, 1890	Memphis, Tenn.
Walters, Gustave	Nov. 20, 1890	Sandwich.
Ware, John Dowdney	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Ward, George Lough	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Warner, William Thomas	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Waage, John	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Waggener, Robert Garnett	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Walther, Emil Willhelm Frandon	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Walther, Ferdinand	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Webb, Charles Francis	June 4, 1880	Bloomington.
Webb, James‖	Feb. 26, 1870	
Webster, Franklin Miller*	Oct. 10, 1884	South Chicago.
Webster, Augustus Livingston	Nov. 24, 1882	Danville.
Weeks, Harvey Thomas	Oct. 6, 1882	Chicago.
Wenter, Frank	Mar. 21, 1884	Chicago.
Wentworth, Willard Frank*	March 1868	Chicago.
Wetmore, Theodore Augustus	Oct. 9, 1885	Oneida.
Werren, Edward Jacob	Apr. 15, 1887	Effingham.
Wetherell, George Francis	A. Nov. 18, '87	Chicago.
Wenrich, Adam Paul	Apr. 20, 1888	Chicago.
Werren, Jacob	Nov. 22, 1888	Danville.
Werren, Godfrey	Nov. 22, 1888	Danville.
Weber, John Jacob	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.
Webber, Samuel Thompson	A. June 27, '89	Chicago.
Weidig, George	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Westerfield, John Henry	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
West, Roy Owen	Nov. 19, 1891	Chicago.
Weaver, Charles Alfred	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Weber, Chester Michael, 14°	Apr. 18, 1893	Chicago.
Weber, William Henry	Apr. 20, 1893	Blue Island.
Wheelock, Elisha Roe*	Apr. 9, 1875	Chicago.
Wheeler, Frederick Augustus, 33°†	Nov. 1869	Baltimore, Md.
Wheeler, Harris Ansel	Aug. 24, 1882	Chicago.

Wheeler, H. C.†	March, 1867	Odoholdt, Iowa.
Wheeler, James Sheffield*	Oct. 7, 1875	Chicago.
Wheeler, Samuel Wilfred	Mar. 21, 1884	Marquette.
Wheeler, William E.*		Chicago.
White, John Lane	Oct. 7, 1881	Bloomington
White, S. F., 16°†	Oct. 6, 1875	
White, Thomas*	Mar. 13, 1869	Chicago.
Whitley, John	Feb. 1868	Chicago.
Whitney, Arthur Cephas	Mar. 21, 1884	St. Louis, Mo.
Whitney, Charles A.*	Oct. 24, 1868	Chicago.
Whitney, James Drake Cate	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Whitney, Levi L.*	Jan. 30, 1869	Chicago.
Whitney, Newton L.*	Apr. 24, 1869	Chicago.
Whitman, Charles Edward*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Whitman, Henry L.*	Jan. 25, 1868	Chicago.
Whyte, James*	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Whyland, Calvin Arthur	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
White, Augustus John	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Wheeler, George Sullivan	A. Nov. 19, '91	Waukegan.
White, Duncan Carmichael	A. Nov. 19, '91	Chicago.
Wheeler, James Sheffield, Jr., 14°*	June 7, 1877	Chicago.
Wheeler, Felix Andrew	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Wheelin, Andrew Henry	June 29, 1893	Chicago.
Wickers, John L.‖	June 10, 1875	
Widestrand, Laurentis U. H.*	Mar. 27, 1885	
Wiedrich, Christian Christopher	Mar. 27, 1885	Seward, Neb.
Wignall, Charles Harrison‖	Nov. 10, 1866	
Wignall, Thomas Moyle	Nov. 10, 1866	
Wilde, Joseph*	Mar. 1867	Chicago.
Wilder, Flavius Myron‖	Oct. 9, 1885	
Wilder, Frank Wellington*	Aug. 23, 1878	St. Joseph, Mich.
Wilcox, O. D.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Wiley, Benjamin Bowen	July 31, 1879	Chicago.
Willett, Consider Heath*	Oct. 8, 1880	Chicago.
Williams, George Thomas	Apr. 9, 1875	Chicago.
Williams, Lewis	Oct. 6, 1882	Belleville.
Williams, Theodore Alsop Evenden*	Sept. 22, 1883	Chicago.
Williams, Theodore Dwight*	Nov. 24, 1882	Chicago.
Williamson, Frank*	Mar. 27, 1873	Chicago.
Willis, Thomas*	Nov. 1869	Chicago.
Wilkie, Francis B.‖		Chicago.
Wilmarth, Thomas W.†	June 5, 1869	Chicago.
Wilson, Cleon Bruce	Oct. 7, 1881	Chicago.
Wilson, George Lennox*	Oct. 9, 1885	Chicago.
Wilson, James*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Wilson, James Alexander	July 30, 1885	Chicago.
Wilson, James Dutton	Apr. 24, 1869	Chicago.

Wilson, John J.*	May 25, 1882	Chicago.
Wiltshire, Stephen, 16°*	June 12, 1879	Chicago.
Winter, Thaddeus†	Mar. 21, 1884	
Winters, William Wallace‖	Nov. 10, 1886	
Witbeck, John H.	Apr. 1870	Chicago.
Wilkin, Jacob Wilson	Apr. 15, 1887	Danville.
Wickliffe, Howard Lee	Apr. 20, 1888	Arkansas City, Kan
Wilt, Charles Dwight	Apr. 20, 1888	Great Falls, Mon.
Wiltse, Hiram Lorenzo	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Wickery, Samuel Grant, 14°	Nov. 20, 1888	
Willard, Simon*	Nov. 22, 1888	
Winne, Archibald	Apr. 25, 1889	Evanston.
Wilson, Peter	Apr. 25, 1889	Effingham.
Wilkins, Charles Herbert	Nov. 21, 1889	Chicago.
Williams, Charles Robert	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Willard, John Haven	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Wiley, E. C., 14°	June 5, 1890	
Williams, Orion Hurd	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Williams, George Henry	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Wiley, William H.	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Williams, Grenville Alembert	Apr 21, 1892	Chicago.
Wiemers, William Francis	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Withers, Richard James, 14°	Apr. 19, 1892	Chicago.
Wilbur, Charles Frederick	Apr. 21, 1892	Chicago.
Winchester, William Wood‖	June 30, 1887	
Wilder, George Carter	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Wilson, Henry Lewis	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Winter, Emil	Sept. 1, 1892	Chicago.
Wilhartz, Sigmund	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Wolcott, Alexander‖	Mar. 26, 1870	
Wood, Horace K.*	Oct. 30, 1869	Joliet.
Wood, George W., 14°‖	April 1864	
Woods, Joshua G., 14°*	May 29, 1879	Englewood.
Woods, Robert H.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Woodcock, T. J.*	Nov. 13, 1866	Chicago.
Woodbury, William Walter*	Mar. 21, 1884	Danville.
Woolfolk, A. C.*	Oct. 1865	Cairo.
Woodman, Charles L.*	Mar. 13, 1869	
Woodman, James A.	Jan. 30, 1869	Farmington, Me.
Woodruff, Edward Payson‖	Apr. 24, 1869	
Woodward, N. S.*	A. Dec. 1872	Monmouth.
Woolley, Charles Edward	Mar. 27, 1885	Chicago.
Woollacott, John Stanley	Apr. 15, 1887	Chicago.
Wood, George	Nov. 18, 1887	Chicago.
Wolff, Christian John	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Wolff, John Frederick	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Wolff, Ludwig	Apr. 25, 1889	Chicago.

Wolfner, Ely Roscranz	Nov. 20, 1890	Chicago.
Woodworth, Plumer Morton	Sept. 12, 1890	Chicago.
Wood, Samuel George	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.
Wohlgemuth, Henry	Apr. 23, 1891	Springfield.
Woodworth, Justin William	Oct. 1, 1891	Chicago.
Wood, Delmont Edward, 14°	Nov. 17, 1891	Elgin.
Woods, Frank Sterrett	Apr. 21, 1892	Aurora.
Wood, Guilford Sigler	Sept. 29, 1892	Chicago.
Wolcott, John A.	Nov. 17, 1892	Chicago.
Wortman, Riley Warren	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Woods, Francis Marion	Apr. 20, 1893	Chicago.
Wright, Albinus Howes*	Sept. 18, 1884	Chicago.
Wright, G. F.†	Apr. 1866	Springfield.
Wright, Geo. P.	Mar. 1867	Chicago.
Wright, James	June 28, 1877	Chicago.
Wright, Silas F., 14°†	Mar. 23, 1867	Chicago.
Wright, Pitkin C.†	Oct. 1865	Memphis, Tenn.
Wright, Winslow*	Feb. 1869	Chicago.
Wright, William P.*	July 18, 1868	Chicago.
Wright, Samuel Bispham	June 30, 1887	Des Moines, Ia.
Wyatt, Harry Augustus	Nov. 20, 1890	Forest.
Wylie, Samuel Mock	Nov. 17, 1892	Paxton.
Yapp, Jacob	Mar. 21, 1884	Georgetown.
Young, Christian Otto	Aug. 23, 1878	Chicago.
Young, Joseph Alexander	May 22, 1878	Chicago.
Young, Phillip G.	A. April 9, '86	De Kalb.
Younglove, Ira Sylvander†	Apr. 1866	Chicago.
Young, Maximilian	Nov. 22, 1888	Chicago.
Young, Florien Sylvester	Apr. 24, 1890	Chicago.
Zabriska, David L.	May 9, 1867	Morris, Ill.
Zeigler, Philo Hamlin	July 23, 1885	Princeton.
Zeller, Joseph Edward Cashman*	Mar. 13, 1879	
Zimmerman, John Stevens†	Sept. 22, 1883	Oak Park.
Zeese, Alexander	Mar. 18, 1886	Waukegan.
Zeiss, George Philipp	Apr. 25, 1889	Mt. Pulaski.
Zimmerman, James Erwin	Apr. 23, 1891	Chicago.



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