

GRAND LODGE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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A List of Representatives From Three Hundred and Eighty-Six Subordinate Lodges.

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The present grand officers are: P. F. Gosbey, grand master; J. W. Warboys, deputy grand master; J. M. Drew, grand warden; George T. Shaw, grand secretary; Moses Greenbaum, grand treasurer; J. F. Thompson, grand representative; James G. Maguire, grand representative; C. O. Burton, grand trustee; C. W. Monthrop, grand trustee; John Glasson, grand chaplain; A. F. Hitchcock, grand chaplain; S. E. Moreland, grand marshal; J. C. Girder, grand conductor; E. P. Rich, grand guardian; M. P. Forbes, grand herald.

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REV. ANNA SHAW IN THE PULPIT.

A Service of Praise Ends the Woman's Congress.

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Excellent Programme of Classic and Popular Sacred Music.

SYNOPSIS OF THE SERMON.

The Lady Preacher Predicts the Happy Advent of a New Order of Things.

Save that she wore no veil, the Rev. Anna Shaw looked like some medieval lady abess just from her cloistered cell or abney throne as she stepped forward last night, amid garlands of snow-white bloom, to conduct the religious service of praise, which was the formal termination of the Woman's Congress.

In a graceful, flowing habit of black nun's veiling, relieved at the neck and wrists by glimpses of white lawn, the reverend lady was every inch a preacher, while her coronet of silvery hair gave her a majesty and dignity altogether queenly.

A burst of applause greeted her appearance; but as she was present not to please the public, but to preside at a devotional exercise, she gave no answering smile and bow, but took her seat for a few moments, in order to give late comers a chance to arrive before the service should commence.

Native Sons' Hall, the scene of the congress, was crowded to the doors and beyond the doors out to the street, while many who would have remained were forced to leave owing to the lack of room.

The service opened with the singing of the hymn, "Come, Thou Almighty King," by the vast congregation, with piano and organ accompaniment. There was something grand and imposing in the deep volume of harmony welling forth from



GEORGE T. SHAW, GRAND SECRETARY.

beings. But, my man of science, your work is not yet done.

"In the name of the god of justice I call upon you to take up your scalpel again and to carve out for me that woman's soul. When you have done so, analyze that soul and show to me in what it differs from the soul of a man.

"It is better to be true to the truth than true to tradition. The truth is breaking in upon the soul of woman, and is even now setting her free. She must advance. The work is not of her doing. And even though she be obliged, in entering the path of progress, to cast aside the moldering traditions of the past, truth tells her that if traditions are to be maintained woman must be crushed by them. Woman will not submit to being crushed by traditions, so traditions must be cast to the winds.

"It is said the churches are hard upon women. Yet women constitute fully three-fourths of the church members. How strange it is then, that a great Methodist convention should be convulsed and divided as to the admission of women to its sessions. It is time, my dear friends, for

is in the work and that makes it a delight to me. I am convinced that the heaviest strain will be on my voice alone. As for the work of convincing your grand Californian men, it is no work at all. I have found them so true and noble in act, word and sentiment, that I am convinced all they need is to be assured that the woman suffrage movement is just, and they will throw themselves into it, heart and soul.

"Oh, the men of California!" exclaimed the gifted lady, "how I wish they could know the pride which will fill our hearts when we shall have found the daughters of the Golden West owing their freedom to the generous votes of so grand a race of beings!"

Fell From a Train.

F. O'Donnell, 423 Cedar avenue, was one of the party of excursionists yesterday to the butchers' picnic and was unfortunate enough to fall off the train at Newark. He sustained an ugly cut on the back of his right hand. He returned to the City and went to the Receiving Hospital, where Dr. Fitzgibbon put several stitches in the wound.

NEW TO-DAY.

Assets. Net value of real estate owned by the company, 1,400,863 15. Amount of loans secured by bond and mortgage on real estate, 69,041,112 24. Cash loans to policyholders on this company's policies assigned as collateral, 1,948,080 00. Premium notes and loans in amount taken in payment of premiums on policies now in force, 418,801 84. Cash market value of all stocks and bonds owned by the company, 12,633,201 08. Amount of cash on hand in company's office, 97,169 05. Amount of cash deposited in banks, 4,506,915 77. Interest accrued and uncollected, 1,362,894 85. Rents due and accrued, 8,987 71. Net amount of premiums in process of collection and uncollected premiums, 1,481,470 74. Total assets, \$82,902,389 64.

LIABILITIES.

Claims for death losses and matured endowments, due and unpaid, 55,216 74. Claims for death losses and matured endowments in process of adjustment, or adjusted but not paid, 282,359 87. Claims retained by the company, 43,844 99. Net policy loan value in excess of cash value of policies, computed according to the combined experience tables of mortality, with a 4 per cent interest, 65,804,572 00. Amount of all unpaid dividends to policyholders, 94,740 87. All other demands against the company, 108,094 01. Total liabilities, \$66,886,828 38.

INCOME.

Cash received for premiums on new policies during the year, \$1,579,149 92. Cash received for dividends on policies during the year, 11,990,630 79. Cash received for sale of annuities, 3,291 97. Cash received for interest on investments, 3,857,531 50. Cash received for rents, 108,192 81. Cash received from all other sources, 27,269 41. Total income, \$17,807,775 82.

EXPENDITURES.

Paid for losses and matured endowments, 85,512,740 40. Paid to annuities, 4,647,540 43. Paid for surrendered policies, 872,871 88. Paid for interest on investments, 1,296,894 85. Commissions paid to agents, 1,481,513 93. Salaries and other compensation of employees, 1,000,000 00. Agents and medical examiners, 306,196 98. Salaries and traveling expenses of managers of agencies, 899 91. Medical examiners' fees and salaries, 119,691 15. Cash paid for rents, 19,232 73. Cash paid for interest, 25,000 00. All other cash payments, 782,119 18. Total expenditures during the year, \$85,665,662 42.

PREMIUM NOTE ACCOUNT.

Premium notes and other premium obligations at the beginning of the year, \$467,540 43. Premium notes and other premium obligations received during the year, 89,664 60. Deductions during the year as follows: Amount of notes and other premium obligations used in payment of losses and claims, 22,756 17. Amount of notes and other premium obligations used in payment of surrendered policies, 10,438 31. Amount of notes and other premium obligations used in payment of interest on investments, 66,839 60. Amount of notes and other premium obligations voided by lapses of policies, 13,780 90. Amount of notes and other premium obligations redeemed by makers in cash, 25,290 18. Total reduction of premium note account, \$138,903 18.

H. J. PALMER, President.

H. J. PALMER, President. H. J. SKINNEB, Secretary. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of February, 1896. A. PRIDE, Notary Public.

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FOR SIMPLE JUSTICE.

TUSTIN, ORANGE COUNTY, CAL.

To the Editor of THE CALL:

DEAR SIR—I have just learned that your paper has come out in favor and support of woman suffrage, and I want to add my "mite" to the thanks you must be receiving from the women of the whole Nation. I believe many other great newspapers of the country are really in favor of the movement, but they haven't the courage to come out and say so plainly, and because our cause is still so unpopular with many I admire the more the stand you have taken for simple justice. It can be nothing but a benefit to THE CALL.

Again thanking you, I am very truly yours,

May 6, 1896.

MARY EMERSON HASKINS.

2000 throats, and some, perhaps, whose voices had not for years been raised in accents of praise joined heartily in the singing.

A very brief invocation was then made by the reverend lady, calling for the divine assistance and presence in words replete with deep religious fervor.

The "Amen" being said, the festal notes of the ancient "Adeste Fideles" resounded through the hall, the music of the old Christmas hymn being set to an English versified translation of the Psalm, "The Lord is my shepherd."

Mrs. Sarah B. Cooper led in prayer. In the course of her petition she returned thanks for the success of the Woman's Congress, of which the evening's service was a termination. She also entreated for the movement itself the constant aid of divine assistance and help.

Mrs. A. M. Brune next gave a very artistic rendering of the soprano solo "I Will Extol Thee, O Lord," from Sir Michael Costa's oratorio of "Eli," with organ accompaniment by J. Hamilton Howe and piano obligato by Mrs. Johnson-Batchelder. The young lady's singing was evidently appreciated, though the congregation had the good taste not to applaud.

A collection was taken up for the purpose of defraying the expenses attendant upon the congress, during which Miss Xenia Roberts sang Holden's beautiful contralto solo, "Thou Art Near." Her voice seemed peculiarly suited to the hymn, which she gave with rare expression, her deep, bell-like lower tones being particularly noticeable for their purity and resonance.

All present joined in the singing of "America," after which Miss Shaw advanced to a temporary pulpit, empowered in white robes and St. Joseph lilies, and announced her text: "Loose thyself from the bands of thy neck, Oh captive daughter of Zion," taken from the second verse of the fifty-second chapter of Isaiah's prophecy.

"During the past week," she said, "we have seen the aspirations of discouraged hearts; we have heard the cold, cutting shafts of science and the crushing dicta of certain schools of theology to the effect that woman is to be suppressed. These merciless, oppressive ideas were until lately considered the only right ones. The great in church and State accepted them as true beyond all necessity of proof.

SUCCESSORING THE LIVING.

The Bush-street Theater was crowded to the doors last night with a fashionable Italian audience assembled to witness an amateur presentation of the stirring drama, "The Keeper of the Falcon, Pietra Ardina." The entertainment was for the benefit of the wives and families of Italian soldiers killed in the recent Abyssinian campaign. The play was well staged, the amateurs acquitting themselves handsomely.

Father York to Lecture.

The fifth and last lecture of the course under the auspices of the American Women's Liberal League will be delivered by Rev. Father York to-morrow, Tuesday evening, in the Metropolitan Temple. The subject of this lecture will be "The Noonday of Freedom." Tickets and reserved seats may be procured at the headquarters of the League, 60, Donohue building, corner Market and Taylor streets, and at the box office in the Metropolitan Temple on Tuesday during the day and evening.

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