DENMAN PUPILS RECEIVE MEDALS AND DIPLOMAS

Splendid Exercises in Which Graduating Class Participates.

Parents Applaud While Bright Scholars Are Given the Just Reward of Their Excellent Work.

The ninth grade pupils of the Denman Grammar School held their graduating exercises yesterday afternoon. An excellent programme of music and recitations was presented, after which the graduates received their diplomas, while a limited number of bright pupils were presented with medals.

The schoolroom in which the exercises were held was handsomely decorated with flowers for the occasion. Mrs. M. M. Fitzgerald, the class teacher, presided, and Principal A. L. Mann awarded the diplomas and medals to the successful pupils. There was much applause for all the graduates and many floral offerings.

Denman city medals were awarded to Miss Annie Bailey, Miss Marie Fitz Maurice, Miss Marie Knapp and Miss Bernice Raney. Miss Edson Bergin, Miss Nina Blow, Miss Alice Lacay, Miss Pearl Ladd, Miss Elsa Lange, Miss Lucile Low, Miss Carrie Malfante, Miss Gertrude Mason, Miss Charlotte Wooll and Miss Lillian Zobel received Denman School medals. The deportment medal was awarded to Miss Inger Aune.

The graduates were as follows:

Alice Atherstone, Inger Aune, Annie Bailey, Thresa Baum, Millie Bell, Edson Bergin, Josie Berryessa, Nina Blow, Bertha Browning, Alice Clauss, Tressa Cohen, Jessie Compton, Marie Fitz Maurice, Kate Flinn, Marguerite Frederich, May Gibson, Ada Gilberts, Lydia Green, Anita Habenicht, Josephine Hannigan, Marie Knapp, Alice Lacay, Pearl Ladd, Elsa Lange, Hazel Lindley, Lucile Low, Louise Major, Carrie Malfanti, Gertrude Mason, Esther McCall, Lotta McKean, Josie Normand, Maybel Peck, Lillian Proctor, Mary Quinn, Berenice Raney, Ethel Ross, Mildred Lallee, Mabel Todd, Edith Vegtte, Jennie Wilshire, Charlotte Wooll, Lillian Zobel.

The afternoon's programme was as follows:

Music, (a) "Greeting" (Mendelssohn); (b) "Two Swallows" (Schumann). Welcome, Marie Fitz Maurice; recitation, "Jerry," Josephine Normand; vocal solo, "A Lullaby," Louise Major; Music, (a) "Lift Thine Eyes" (Mendelssohn); (b) piano solo, Annie Bailey; "Dream of Spring" (Rohde). Recitation, "Order for a Picture" (Alice M. Carey), Maybel Peck; class presentation of pictures. Music, (a) "Star of Home" (Maker); (b) piano solo, Pearl Ladd; "Hungarian Rhapsody, 12" (Liszt). Presentation of medals, Hon. James Denman; vocal duet, "Good-by, Ye Flowerets Fair," Pearl Ladd and Ethel Ross; presentation of diplomas. Music, (a) "Over Hill, Over Dale" (Mendelssohn); (b) "Sounds of Evening" (Abt). Farewell, Berenice Raney. Music, (a) "Lead, Kindly Light"; (b) "God Ever Glorious." "America," class and audience. Pianists, Annie Bailey and Pearl Ladd.

EVENING PUPILS REWARDED.

Closing of High School and Drawing Departments of the Humboldt.

The closing exercises of the high school and drawing departments of the Humboldt Evening School were held last evening at Odd Fellows' Hall. Superintendent Webster acted as chairman of the evening. Director Denman presented awards to the following named pupils:

HIGH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Post graduates—Ingrid Hansen, Allan Henry Browne.

Seniors—Herbert Arthur, Frederick Bamman, Roland A. Grubb, B. V. Killilea, Jacob S. Lichtig, W. P. Laufenberg, R. A. Hausman, W. D. Kaufman, Frank I. Lynch, Otto C. Petersen, W. K. Galloway, W. M. Hussey, Saul Gruman, W. J. Sanderson, August Rahlves, John R. Foxgord, Victor J. Veckl, Charles J. Nicolai.

Literary juniors—Albert Brown, James B. Collins, Charles David, Joseph B. Hogan, Stella A. Lambert, Attilio S. Musante, Henry R. Moir, George A. Moriatti, Buell C. Nelson, Anna B. O'Brien, Levi B. Shipley, Albert Fausig, Margaret Anne Watson, Edward Ellis Spor.

Scientific juniors—Jay Y. Curran, Eugene J. Fontes, Thomas W. Forsyth, Noah E. Gyle, Walter Marshall, Frank M. MacFee, John J. McKeon, Thomas J. McKeon, N. A. McLaughlin, Robert J. Miller, George J. Presley, James B. Schorn, Clinton H. Staubridge.

DRAWING DEPARTMENT.

Certificates of work accomplished—Toby Bearwald, William Bateman, Clarence Biller, Rodney Chisholm, Alexander Henderson, C. Koshimoto, J. G. Morrison, Anton Mathiesen, Elmer A. Fridley, Edward Brown, Joseph Clark, John Fahey, Alfred G. Kays, Ralph Maurer, George Miller, George Pleasant, R. Thompson, Wayland E. Jones, R. Cunningham, Harold J. Crase, Carl Walker, Frank A. Hicks, G. Magnusen, Wilfred Robinson, John F. Allen, Daniel Clancy, Horace Conyers, Joseph Feltx, James Fortune, Andrew N. Hass, Stanley Lewin, William A. Mackey, Henry McKellops, Lou Moffat, George Petersen, F. A. Schoenstein, Albert Meyer, James Stewart, Leonard Thomas, Toku Takata, A. E. Smith, Malcolm Turner, B. Russell Wood, George Sammy, Jack Wells, Clifford Blabon, Alven Martin, Olof Olson, William J. Peters, Anton Schmitz, Wallace E. Stuhr, Chester W. Ripley, William McLennan, Frank Hawton, Harold G. Lellich, Henry B. Smith, Arthur R. Bird, Frederick Birdsall, Charles Darby, Harry J. Down, James T. Duggan, Walter Goldstein, Alex W. Hess, M. W. Howard, Melville Herzog, Edward L. Voy, David Johns, Carlton V. Lane, George T. Lawson, William H. Ohmen, Grant B. Shipley, Reuben Tellam, William Thiele, Jesse G. Tunnicliffe, Oscar von Borstel, James Knox, Frank Heuer, Albert Terkelson, Arthur Johannsen.

The following constituted the evening's programme:

Overture, orchestra; introductory remarks; salutatory, Thomas W. Forsyth; tenor solo, George Wallace. Essay—The Application of Drawing to our Commerce, B. Russell Wood; (b) Mechanics, Reuben Tellam; (c) Architecture, Toby Bearwald. College songs, Humboldt Evening School Glee Club; essay, "A Soldier's Trip to Cuba," Robert E. Baines; presentation of debating team; essay, "Aspiration and Inspiration," Margaret Watson; cornet solo, George Ruge; essay, "The Advancement of Science in the Nineteenth Century," Otto C. Petersen; recitation, Dorothea Frazier; song, Humboldt Evening School Quartet; valedictory, "Chivalry, Medieval and Modern," Beatrice V. Killilea; presentation of wards, Director Denman; address, President Mark; "America," by the audience.

Dancing brought the evening to a close.

DIPLOMAS AWARDED TO ALL.

Forty-Four Pupils of Mission Grammar School Graduated.

The ninth grade pupils of the Mission Grammar School graduated with appropriate exercises yesterday afternoon. The following programme was presented:

Remarks by President Charles Gunn; piano solo, Miss Mabel O'Connor; song, Miss Carrie Purcell; duet, Miss Minnie Budd and Miss Nellie Van Curen; mandolin and guitar duet, John and Henry Drescher; piano duet, Miss Constanze Schmitz and Leo Hillenbrand; piano solo, Miss Schmitz.

Every pupil in the ninth grade was graduated. Miss Sullivan, the teacher, presented the diplomas amid great enthusiasm. Miss Crowley made the presentation of the medals.

The graduates are as follows:

Leo Hillenbrand, John Drescher, Carrie Mangels, Alma Beran, Ernest Leeds, Annie Ross, Harmon Fischer, Ethel January, Amy Fischer, Cora Laederich, Jessie Letts, Agnes Connolly, Carl Quellmalz, Charles Gunn, Katie McCullough, Hanabelle Nichols, Dora Mullins, Ida Schmitt, Eliza Chalmers, Frank Brickwedel, Annie O'Connor, Anna Schulonan, Charles Dalton, Ed W. Engelbright, Natalia Clarke, Belle Taylor, Friesia von Bulow, Ruth Allen, Chrystal Ford, Josephine Unfried, Harriet Love, Oliver Flahavan, Anna Barthold, Irene Anderson, Jennie Naloskoska, Helen Campbell, Lizzie Prentiss, Frank Richter, George Gay, Emma Fischer, Roth Haskell, Albin Malmberg, Willie Newburger and Blaine Roxburgh.

The pupils who received medals are Leo Hillenbrand, John Drescher, Carrie Mangels and Alma Beran.

SPRING VALLEY GRADUATES.

Diplomas and Medals Are Awarded to Deserving Pupils.

The members of the ninth grade of the Spring Valley Grammar School assembled in the auditorium of the school yesterday to receive their diplomas and medals. The young ladies were all charmingly gowned in white and made a pretty picture as they stood and voiced the song of welcome. There was a splendid impromptu programme, after which Principal Silas A. White awarded the diplomas and medals. Mrs. Taylor, the class teacher, pinned the medals on the breasts of the fortunate pupils.

The following graduates received diplomas:

Mary E. Alberti, Addie E. Buker, Nina W. Boyle, Lillian M. Craig, Etta M. Canty, Ethel W. Cayot, Florence E. Collins, Nellie L. Flanagan, Lillie P. Hansell, Stella F. Hencke, Lizzie M. Hubbard, Nelita M. Kruger, Rose McDonough, Louise M. Patris, Ida Philpott, Annie Rawlinson, Marie O. Strohlin, Antoinette Taylor, Bertha Van Wie, Edna C. Vennekohl, Henriette Veiller, Gretta Waterman, Percy Cecil, Robert Dunlop, Arthur Dejune, J. Archie Johnston, William Loring, Herbert Manners, Leslie Stadfeld, Herman Westefeld.

Louisa Patris and Edna Vennekohl were awarded Denman medals. Percy Cecil received the Bridge medal and Mary Alberti, Stella Hencke and Herbert Manners each received one of the handsome medals awarded by Silas White, the principal of the school.

On Saturday the graduates will be the guests of Principal White at an afternoon reception, between the hours of 2 and 4, at his residence on Union street. The programme for the afternoon was as follows:

Music, Antoinette Taylor; song, "Freedom Forever," class; recitation, "Wishing," Nelita Kruger; essay, "Class of 1900," Henriette Veiller; recitation, "So Was I," William Loring; song, "Drifting," class; recitation, "When the Minister Comes to Tea," M. Strohlin; piano solo, Nelita Kruger; dialogue, Ethel Cayot, Arthur Dejune, Arthur Johnston; violin solo, Percy Aul; reading, Rose McDonough; recitation, "The Church Fair," Ida Philpott; song, "Guardian Angel," class; "The Recessional," class; presentation of medals; "Salute the Flag," class; "Parting Song."

CONVENT GIRLS GRADUATE.

Closing Exercises of St. Vincent School at Alcazar.

The stage of the Alcazar Theater was crowded yesterday afternoon with sweet girl graduates and pupils of the lower grades of St. Vincent's School, who took part in some of the most elaborate closing exercises ever participated in by school children. A feature of the exercises was the awarding of diplomas to the graduates, the Misses Mary Fitzgerald, Cordelia Burns, Delia Ahern, Lillian Hogan, Mary Reilly and Mary Regan. Miss Sweeney and Miss Mary Rownen were awarded the gold medals for special qualifications in music.

The programme in full was as follows:

Overture, orchestra; "O Quam Dilecta," sacred chorus; trio, "Tulip" (Lichner), Misses Murray, Woods, McCarthy, Kutcher, Daughney, Ryan, O'Connor, Hurley, Rowan; "Kissing Papa Through the Telephone" (Minims); recitation, seniors; chorus, "King's Laughter," "Our Little Men"; trio, caprice (Mueller), Misses Anthony, Farrell, Hagerty, Purvis, Dillon, Woods, Mullen, Kingston, O'Connell; "Remember Me to All at Home," boys' chorus; duet, "Tarantelle" (Heller), Misses Sullivan, Ferrare, Kirk, Donegan, Ewing, Farrell; recitation, juniors; duet, "Spanish Dances" (Moskowsky), Misses Purvis, Sweeney, Sheehy, Reagan, Sullivan, Anthony; (a) "Keenan's Charge," (b) "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground," "Our Boys in Blue"; "Rhapsodie Hongroise No. 6" (Liszt), Miss Sweeney; selection, orchestra; "The Gypsy Queen," operetta (Hanson)—Queen of the Gypsies (later Queen of the Fairies), Miss Canepa; Rosalie (Mountain Queen), Miss Margaret Anthony; gypsies, fairies, peasants. Scholastic honors—Address to the graduates, Very Rev. P. J. Cummins; farewell, chorus; selection, orchestra.

HEARST SCHOOL GRADUATES.

Bridge and Denman Medals and Diplomas for Ninth Grade Pupils.

There was a distribution of medals and diplomas at Hearst Grammar School yesterday. The Bridge medal was awarded to Charles Hwyck and the Denman medal to Helen Mangel and Vere Chamberlain.

The following pupils were recommended:

Lulu Hall, honorary; Greta Venton, Lillian Thorson, Sophia Verkouteren, Florence Cloak, May Cashman, Florence Hanly.

Those promoted by examinations were:

Eva Crowley, Ethel Fairweather, Alice Fillmer, Edgar Gorham, Bessie Herrick, Lillian Hurney, Eva Mason, Dora Smith.

RECITATIONS AND SONGS.

Closing Exercises of Graduates of Cosmopolitan School.

Graduating exercises of the ninth grade of the Adams Cosmopolitan Grammar School were held yesterday and the following programme was presented:

The "Flower Song," class; German recitation, Alma Barth; violin solo, Babette Cline; French recitation, Zita Fahey, Claire Brownstone, Gertrude Pollack; cornet solo, Louise Levy; essay, "A Winter in Florida," Dixie Osborn; class song, "The Sailor's Wife"; club swinging, Harry Schreiber; recitation, "Watermillion," Minnie Levison; piano solo, Sophie Harris; essay, "A Visit to a Gold Mine," Ben Nordman; piano duet, Alice Kortjohn, Adelle Heeder; class song, "The River Song" and "America."

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Assessor and Tax Collector Cited.

An order to show cause why they should not be punished for contempt of court was issued yesterday against Washington Dodge, Assessor, and Joseph H. Scott, Tax Collector, by United States Circuit Judge Morrow, returnable at 11 o'clock next Monday morning. The order alleges that the respondents violated the restraining order of the court by attempting to sell the stock of the shareholders of the Nevada National Bank of San Francisco for the purpose of enforcing the collection and payment of the tax upon the shares of the capital stock of the bank.

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ST. PETER'S GRADUATES.

Father Yorke Delivered Address on Catholic Education.

The commencement exercises of St. Peter's Academy were held last night. Three young lady graduates were presented with diplomas by Rev. Father Peter C. Yorke. Following are the names of those who took part in the programme:

Ida Burke, Gertie Guthrie, Mary McIntyre, Katie Clarke, Maggie Dillon, Nellie Dillon, I. Foppiano, L. Farrell, K. Walsh, E. Tyrrell, Sadie McLaughlin, Agnes Fitzgerald, Margaret Roche, Mary Cooney, May Barry, Ella Barry, Alice Cooney, Mary Haley, Agnes O'Connell, Katherine Welch, Teresa O'Connor, W. Fitzgerald, J. Kennedy, H. Broderick, G. Webb, M. Girot, L. Owen, V. Kennedy, M. Bennett, Walter J. O'Brien, Frank J. MacKinnon, Fred McCarthy, Frank Merrill, A. Milly, M. Barelles, M. Clarke, Masters W. O'Brien, J. O'Brien and K. Cannon, L. Milly, J. Welch, May Keefe, J. Whelan, A. Keefe, G. Collum, A. Whelan, A. Rae, M. Keenan, L. Farrell, A. Guthrie, H. Jones, E. Cannon.

On the conclusion of the programme Father Yorke presented diplomas to Mary I. Cooney, Sadie A. McLaughlin and Margaret M. Roche. He thanked the persons present in the name of the Sisters of the Academy for their attendance and the liberal manner in which they responded to the needs of the parish school. Branching out into the advantages of giving children a good religious education, he compared the schools conducted by the Sisters with those of a secular character; holding that no education can be of the right kind if the religious training be omitted. To the parents alone and not to the State should the right of educating the child be entrusted, he said. Catholic schools belonged to the common people who built them.

Father Yorke admitted that it pleased him to know that the presidents of the two great universities of California admitted that education in the Catholic colleges was just as good as that given in their colleges. Speaking of Palo Alto, he said, in part, that it was simply a private institution backed by millions of dollars, with vineyards in every county in the State to contribute to its support. This he compared with Catholic colleges having nothing but the generous offerings of those who believed in supporting such institutions for the good that came from them; for without religion, no education would make good citizens, he said.

The speaker dwelt at some length on the proposed amendment to the constitution having for its object the exempting of Stanford's University from taxation. This he opposed because it was discriminating in favor of the rich as against the poor colleges.

Twenty-Four Years Insane.

Suit has been brought by the Napa Insane Asylum against the estate of Elizabeth Liesenfeld for $4395. The woman was declared insane by the Superior Court in 1876, and for twenty-three years and eleven months she had been confined in the asylum. She died recently and the treasurer of the asylum brought suit against Henry Leasen, her guardian and trustee of her estate, to recover an amount equal to $15 a month for the time she was under detention.

GRAND GROVE OF DRUIDS TO HOLD ANNUAL SESSION HERE

Representatives of Seventy-Nine Minor Groves.

How Druidism Has Advanced During Last Term in State

Gain in Membership Has Been Very Noticeable.

The Candidates for Grand Offices—A Ball to Be Given.

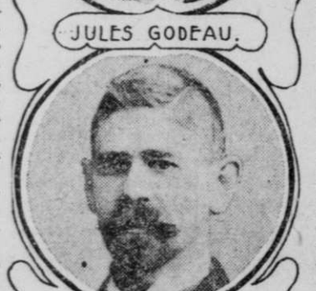
J.F. MARTINONI

JAMES HAGAN.

J.M.GRAVES

HENRY LANG

JULES GODEAU.



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THOSE WHO ASPIRE TO BECOME OFFICERS OF THE NEXT GRAND GROVE.

THE Grand Grove of the United Ancient Order of Druids will meet in thirty-sixth annual session in the Druidic Temple on Sutter street, in this city, on the 19th inst. and remain in session several days.

The grand officers and the representatives will transact the business that shall come before the session and legislate for the future. The grand officers are: Frank Lewis, junior past noble grand arch; James F. Martinoni, noble grand arch; Henry Lange, deputy noble grand arch; John M. Graves, grand secretary; E. H. Goetze, grand treasurer; J. S. Godeau, grand guardian; J. Nickels, Henry A. Chase and Anton Ewald, grand trustees.

The reports that will be presented will show that during the administration of Noble Grand Arch J. F. Martinoni, a well-known merchant of this city, and who has devoted a great deal of his time and attention to advancing the order, there has been a remarkable gain in membership and finance. The net gain in membership during that period has been in excess of 1100. Eight new groves were established by institution, one was revived and not one was either suspended or surrendered its charter. The numerical strength of the order was at the time of holding the previous session in Placerville 5061. Now it is in excess of 6160, distributed in seventy-nine groves, of which sixteen are in this city. The groves work in the English, Italian, German and French languages.

The following named are the representatives to the Grand Grove from the subordinate groves:

California Grove No. 1—M. Mayed, Charles Jordan.
San Francisco, 3—Charles Lesler, John Schmidt.
Eureka, 4—Tobias Hook, L. Fabey.
Norma, 5—C. C. O'Donnell, J. W. Goetze.
Walhalla, 6—J. Lewis, J. Paska, Henry Mayed, Marco Zarich, Tony Zetz.
Sigel, 7—William Wagner, Charles Herbert, William Dimmer.
San Joaquin, 9—G. Mengel, G. Schmidt, G. Wolf, F. Stoetzer.
Perseverance, 10—J. Michel, A. Goustiana, P. Camees, J. Borel, L. Chassagne, M. Hupfer, A. Lanes, J. Leroadec.
Hesperian, 15—John Hutton, F. J. Horn, A. W. Martin, D. Villalon.
Laurel, 17—J. Hagan, L. J. Peri, Henry A. Chase, C. Antonioli, L. A. Wolff.
Templar, 18—C. E. Carlson, A. Anderson, H. Mentzer, N. A. Christensen, A. L. Anderson.
Madrona, 21—T. R. Walti, Carl Beck, M. Vacozza.
San Jose, 22—A. M. Gubotti, F. Harting.
Oakland, 24—Thomas Linton, T. J. Brady, Charles Achard.
Modesto, 34—R. A. Sorenson, John Kand, H. Christ, G. R. Graves, August Simon, John J. Porter.
El Dorado, 35—Eugeni Piaggi, P. Vorazza.
Merced, 36—M. M. Vincent, L. Wegner.
Galileo, 37—A. Arnaboldi, G. Gallo, G. Iacchere, C. A. Magistra, A. Alomo, J. F. Rossi, G. B. Cordano, L. Canepa, G. Leoponi, G. Musso, P. G. Medinari, S. Bollaro, G. Iscardo.
Petaluma, 38—M. J. Feddeson, H. Dillmann, M. Dillmann, H. Sudy.
Olema, 39—Joseph Cavalli, Frank Seray, J. Bullatti.
St. Helena, 41—A. Forni, M. P. Garner, J. G. Johnson, S. McCurdy, H. Sanger.
Nicasio, 42—Pauri Sonneggiaro.
Vasco da Gama—F. J. Cunha, F. M. Ramos, F. D. Rodrigues, J. C. Fernandes.
Mayfield, 45—D. D. Tilmon, C. Drucker, John Lundstrom.
Santa Rosa, 47—H. Grams, O. H. Hoag.
Cypress, 51—J. E. Jacobson, G. Y. Smith, A. M. Bianchi, E. P. Hanson.
Morvin, 52—George W. Lovie, James Stafford.
Mount Tamalpais, 58—Joseph Alberti, T. P. Boyd, W. F. Magee, A. Kapperman, W. F. Dougherty, C. B. Shaver.
Morton, 62—J. Fallandy, F. Claviri.
Hayward, 64—C. B. Harman, H. G. Alberts.
Guerneville, 69—G. W. Heason, Ole Hansen, A. Pocat, V. Guolanich, H. Miller, J. L. Lowe, J. G. Piening, J. W. Banks.
Solano, 72—J. F. Maganini, H. A. Miller, Judge A. J. Buckles, H. O. Brooks.
Columbus, 74—A. Vatoni.
Sonoma, 75—E. Eralde, S. Cuici, A. G. Bulotti.
Garden, 76—N. E. Wretman, J. P. Bengtson, G. A. Oberg, J. Gustafson.
William Tell, 77—James Agustapace, Giovanni Banchero, Dominico Navone, Agostina Muzzio.
Luis de Camoens, 81—M. S. Linia, S. G. Aldine.
Pleasanton, 82—J. P. Rose, Frank Lewis, N. Kalisky, M. Pine.
Tomales, 83—D. Demartini, A. W. Dado, P. Caligeri.
Dante, 84—F. Bondietti, V. Bamarini, L. Granuccie.
Acorian, 86—A. C. Nunes, M. S. Neves, J. S. Silveriea.
Mission, 87—Fred Rust, J. N. Johnson.
Volta, 88—L. P. Costa, G. Raggi, G. Baldissone, A. Costa, J. L. Valente.
Livermore, 89—Fred Malley, George Black.
Cayucos, 90—A. Canevasani, M. Pelucca.
Washington, 92—Joseph La Point, W. C. Hodges, C. V. Rowell.
Americus, 93—P. Ferrari, B. Laioi, S. Fregosi, Frederick Seig, 94—L. G. Morelli, A. Francischi.
Roma, 95—A. Pezzolo, G. Pezzolo, F. Pezzolo, C. Clivio, D. Zunino, G. Cordano.
Magnolia, 97—J. B. Franklin, C. J. Schmidt.
Concordia, 98—C. Allegretti, G. Mazzei, A. Rossi, J. Gallo.
Far West, 99—W. M. Michell, M. Muller.
Guadalupe, 100—M. F. Lima, M. D. Sanches.
Salinas, 101—F. Schroder.
Ottavio, 102—S. Gori, R. Vanucchi.
Golden Star, 104—D. Ganlovich, F. Roux, P. J. Moletesani, F. Harrison, P. C. Mullaglove, A. Francovich.
Manzanita, 106—R. C. Kelly, W. H. Thornley, W. Dollen, W. D. Wilcox, M. J. Enos, P. Sontag, F. Marsini, W. Z. Deas.
Aurora, 107—C. Guglielmont, G. Fortuni, M. Bianchi, E. N. Torello, L. Valangiacomo, P. Barrili.
Alpini, 108—J. A. Devoto, G. Baffizo, D. Cereghino, A. Avanzino, G. Pallaiga, L. Fione, Guiseppi Verdi, 109—V. Angeli, M. Pozzi, G. Gagliardo, J. Lenicioni.
Giordano Bruno—L. Maggio.
Sacramento, 112—A. Lazzari, V. Mariani, B. Pellegrini, A. Cagnicci.
Nevada, 113—E. R. Samuels, C. C. Williams.
Jackson, 114—A. Campanella, E. V. Longo.
Fraternity, 115—G. E. Caldwell, K. Besmer.
Olive, 116—J. Mossi.
Fortuna, 117—J. Largomarsino, Mark Belloni.
Stockton, 118—James A. Loutitt, Charles de Leigh.
Olympia, 119—W. H. Bowie, Frederick Meuren.
Benicia, 120—J. B. Devlin.
Sempioni, 121—J. B. Valleggia.
Orange, 122—C. J. Schmidt.

The present noble grand arch will become the junior noble grand arch and he will be succeeded by Henry Lange of St. Helena Grove, at present deputy noble grand arch. He has been a Druid for more than a quarter of a century and has during that time made many friends in the order. Jules S. Godeau, at present grand guard, will be most undoubtedly the next deputy grand arch, as there is no one as a candidate against him. He is a member of Perseverance Grove of this city. John M. Graves, who has been grand secretary for years, will be a candidate for re-election. He is a member of Modesto Grove. E. H. Goetze will not be a candidate for the office of grand treasurer that he has filled for several years. The only one spoken of for that position is James Hagan of Laurel Grove of this city. For the office of grand marshal G. H. Bertram of Norma Grove and C. Guglielmoni of Aurora Grove will be candidates. Three supreme representatives will be selected from the following named past grand noble arches: J. F. Martinoni, F. Cavagnaro, E. H. Goetze, George W. Lovie, Frank Lewis and E. L. Wagner. The Supreme Grove will meet in Indianapolis on the 14th of August.

During the session of the Grand Grove a new hall secured at the Mission by Olympia Grove will be dedicated by the grand officers with Druidic ceremonies. There will also be a grand ball in honor of the grand officers and representatives.

NATIVE SONS WORKING FOR THE JUBILEE

John D. Spreckels Chosen for Commodore of the Big Naval Event.

The Day Parade Committee Will Ask Every County to Participate in the Grand Demonstration.

At the last session of the joint ninth of September committee of the Native Sons of the Golden West Charles H. Turner, chairman of the naval parade committee, was authorized to appoint seven persons not members of the general committee, six of whom should not be members of the order. Yesterday Mr. Turner made the following appointments: John D. Spreckels, who shall be commodore of the naval parade; Captain N. T. James of the Naval Militia; Captain William G. Leale, chairman of the Pilot Commissioners; P. H. Barber, the pioneer pilot and head of the San Francisco Pilots; Allen M. Clay, secretary of the Bank of California and ex-commodore of the California Yacht Club; and Al Pryor of the Piper-Aden-Goodall Company. The seventh is Admiral H. S. Dryden, who was appointed a few days since. These gentlemen will lend their assistance to the committee to the end that the naval parade shall surpass any other display of this nature ever seen on San Francisco Bay.

At a meeting of the day parade committee, held at the headquarters in the Palace Hotel, Lieutenant Colonel Boxton, chief of staff, suggested that it would be a good idea for the Native Sons to confer a truly California name on the park on Thirteenth street, and that it should be dedicated by them on the ninth of September. This committee will send invitations to officials in every county in the State to participate in the celebration. Each county will be asked to contribute a float for the parade. Major General Shafter will be asked to co-operate with the Native Sons, and it was stated that he would consent to do so. Hereafter the committee will meet every Wednesday. Next week the conference committee will meet the parade committee.

Otto Luning of Oakland sent word to headquarters that he would furnish two beautifully decorated carriages for the parade and that he would use his influence to have others do the same.

San Francisco Parlor will parade 100 strong on black horses and will be preceded by a band of twenty-five pieces. The uniform will be black, with soft black hats, the saddle cloths to be trimmed with yellow. The men on horses will be followed by a large float. Thomas T. Stack has been appointed aid to the grand marshal from this parlor.

Mission Parlor has sent in a request that Del B. Bowley, one of its members, be appointed a division marshal.

National Parlor will wear a uniform to consist of black pantaloons, with a gold stripe down the side, black shirt, soft black hat and a yellow scarf. Each member will also wear a gold tie and a handsome badge adorned with the golden poppy. On the night of the 7th of September this parlor will give a grand reception at the Techau Tavern.

Chairman Kerrigan of the ball committee is of the opinion that the grand ball should close the festivities and that at that time the souvenir of the event should be distributed.

BREACH OF PROMISE SUIT TO END HAPPILY

Paul Strickert Will Secure a License to Wed Martha Rachpauer, Who Sued Him for $50,000.

Paul Strickert, who was recently sued by Martha Rachpauer for $50,000 damages for breach of promise, visited "Cupid" Danforth yesterday and asked for a marriage license to wed the fair plaintiff in the case. The suit is pending in Judge Daingerfield's court, and Strickert will now put an end to the litigation, which might result in financial loss to himself.

Miss Rachpauer alleged in her complaint that Strickert had promised to marry her within four months, and she had remained single with that expectation. Strickert filed an answer in which he denied that he had promised to marry the lady in four months' time, but said he was ready and willing to marry her at some later date. He also filed a written release of all claims of varied character signed by Miss Rachpauer.

Strickert informed Danforth that he had made up his mind to marry Miss Rachpauer, but that her lawyers had advised her to refuse his offer because she owed him some fees. He desired to know whether he could be held responsible for debts contracted by the lady before his marriage to her, and on being informed that he could not the license was made out.

Just before passing the paper to Strickert Danforth asked him if he was going to be married in this city, and the prospective groom replied that he was going to Oakland to have the knot tied. Danforth informed him that the license was only good in this city and county, but Strickert said that he wanted to be married by an old clergyman friend in Oakland, and he left to secure the license in that city.

STATE DISCUSSION OF LINCOLN MONUMENT PLAN

Mass Meeting Will Convene to Consider Ways and Means of Securing Money.

At a meeting of the Lincoln Monument League, held on Wednesday, final arrangements were made for the State convention to be held in the Academy of Sciences Hall on Saturday afternoon and evening, June 16. Judge M. Cooney occupied the chair.

The object of the league is to erect a suitable monument to the memory of Lincoln, and the convention is to be held to awaken public attention to the organization's plan. The meeting will be a representative affair, and many prominent citizens have promised to be on hand to help the league's efforts to perpetuate the martyr President's memory in this city.

The league is confident that its plans will meet with the hearty co-operation of the entire State. Invitations have been sent broadcast, calling on those addressed to attend the convention as honorary members of the league. The first session of the convention is to be called to order at 2 p. m. and will be followed at 8 o'clock by an evening session.

SMUGGLED GOODS ON THE TRANSPORT GRANT

Customs Searchers Seized Three Thousand Cigars and Valuable Silks and Laces.

Customs searchers seized yesterday upon the transport Grant about 3000 Manila cigars and several packages of silks and laces which members of the crew and others were attempting to smuggle ashore. The articles were hidden in the most out-of-the-way places all over the steamer and in the rigging.

Quartermaster Baker has had trouble with the customs officials before. On the last occasion he was reprimanded by his superiors for refusing to stop the vessel to allow the customs officers on board. The search of the vessel is still proceeding, and the searchers are doing their work "con amore." They say that Quartermaster Baker will be welcome to all the smuggled stuff that they fail to find.

Crane Got One Year.

Peter Morgan Ashley Crane was sentenced yesterday by United States District Judge de Haven to one year's imprisonment in the San Quentin penetentiary and $100 fine. Crane pleaded guilty of having impersonated his brother, Simon Crane, and of having falsely sworn to a claim for an original Civil War pension.

THE CALL'S HOME STUDY CIRCLE

GEOLOGY IN ITS RELATION TO COMMERCE.

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COMPARATIVE STUDIES OF TWO CENTURIES.

I.

Geology is more closely related to the intelligent development of the material resources of a country than is any other branch of natural science. Upon the raw materials furnished by mining and agriculture all forms of manufacturing and commercial industry are primarily based, and with both these fundamentals geology is inextricably involved. The science has therefore both its applied and its purely scientific aspects, and it is necessary to appreciate its dual character in order to establish a correct perspective in comparing its condition in the year 1800 with that in the year 1900. The importance of this appreciation lies in the fact that in its application to industrial needs geology has claims to governmental support, and it is by the aid of national and State geological surveys that the recent great advances in the science have been made possible.

By the close of the eighteenth century the larger facts in the structure of the globe were familiar to all men of science who had given them attention. Mines had been in operation for 2000 years and more, and had been conducted with much intelligence for several centuries. It was evident to all observers that disturbances of the earth's crust had taken place, that folds, faults and joints had resulted, and that the cracks had in many cases been filled with later minerals. Rocks were known to be of both sedimentary and of igneous origin. It was well appreciated that some were older than others, but the classifications into time series were very incomplete, especially for the paleozoic strata. In the related department of mineralogy the commoner species had been identified and named and considerable information was current regarding their chemical composition. Fossils had been long known and had been correctly interpreted as the remains of the former organisms. In the Paris basin several observers had shown that the fossils followed one another in sequence, and were, within limits, characteristic of particular strata and useful for their identification, but this knowledge was restricted to a very few savants. In the opening years of the present century it was made generally available in France by Cuvier and Brogniart and was developed independently by William Smith in England. In the closing years of the eighteenth century, however, most men interested in this branch were apparently not aware of the importance, or, in fact, of the existence, of these relations.

In the eighteenth century only a small part of the world had been geologically described, and that with a very imperfect scientific vocabulary. France, Germany, Italy, Russia and England had received considerable attention, but the rest of the world remained for the future. The terra incognita is indeed by no means exhausted even to-day, but 100 years ago the two Americas, Asia, Africa and Australia can hardly be said to have existed so far as geological knowledge is concerned. Governmental surveys had scarcely begun. The science advanced by individual effort, which often taxed the means of the investigator to the breaking point. Scientists were also largely influenced by the metaphysical tendencies of their own and previous centuries. They had not altogether outgrown earlier habits of thought, induced by older methods of education.

All this being true, it was natural that writers on geology during this period developed in their scientific work tendencies to speculative systems, to the creation of hypotheses, to grand generalizations and to the formulation of theoretical views with which they sought to make nature conform. They exhibit all the characteristics of half-informed minds. The soil was fertile and seeds had been sown, but much of the resulting vegetation proved to be weeds and of necessity had to be cut down and destroyed. Of this character were the extreme views of the Neptunists, of the Plutonists and in the years soon after 1800 of the searchers after so-called world-hypothesis. Of them all the Neptunists were the most important and in some respects the most unfortunate in their influence. It required many years and a hard struggle with an insidious foe to rid geological thought of their mistaken conceptions and doctrines.

Early in the present century a reaction set in. Hypotheses were abandoned for observation and record. Geological societies and geological sections in scientific societies of a more general nature were established and archives of record were provided. Governmental geological surveys found favor and by the end of the fifth decade were or had been in operation in almost all the more advanced States and countries. Their systematic work and their reports from trained observers, directed by a single responsible head, soon placed at command a vast amount of information of which the fathers in the science had no conception. Theoretical views more and more grew to be based on sound evidence and to be worthy of acceptance by conservative students. Besides the printed reports the surveys have provided geologists at large with maps, both topographical and geological, and before the admiring and almost bewildered gaze of the onlooker have unrolled the geological panorama with a richness and fullness not dreamed of at the close of the last century.

Under a few topics it is possible to sum up the chief subjects in which 1900 shows the greatest advance over 1800.

The most ancient rocks are recognized now to be igneous in their nature and when they possess a foliation which suggests sedimentary bedding it is thought to be due to mechanical crushing and shearing. The foliated structure had formerly led many to believe in their sedimentary origin. On the other hand, the development of reliable methods of observation of phenomena in the field and the interpretation of the mineralogical and chemical composition of crystalline rocks in the laboratory have made possible a vast advance in our knowledge of those elusive members of the earth's crust which are usually described as "metamorphic." Not alone in appreciating the igneous nature of some but in demonstrating the sedimentary nature of others and in working out the structure of many complex areas, such as the Alps, the Scottish highlands and the Lake Superior region, have we gained outposts far in advance of