



Worthy Grand Matron Mrs. Rouzahn paid an official visit to San Jose Chapter last week, and it was one of the most pleasant meetings that has ever been known in a chapter outside of San Francisco and Oakland. The official business being brought to a close, there was an adjournment to the banquet hall, which was beautifully decorated. There were five tables each, one in one of the colors of the star of the order, red, white, violet, green and yellow. The color scheme was carried out on each table, producing an effect that never before had been seen at an Eastern Star banquet. During the evening there was the presentation of a valuable silver, gold lined, punch ladle to the grand matron. This lady, who is a most agreeable speaker, delivered a very interesting address.

During the week she also visited Miramonte Chapter at Mountain View, California Chapter in this city, Golden Wave at San Leandro, San Rafael Chapter in the city of that name and Unity Chapter, Oakland. At each place she was warmly welcomed and at San Leandro a banquet in her honor was served in a hall that was a bower of the choicest flowers of Alameda County. The banquet was a gem and all had a pleasant time. There the members gave the visitor a most cordial reception. The chapter at San Rafael presented her with a beautiful crystal vase, with mirror tray.

Golden Gate Chapter celebrated its thirty-fifth anniversary last week by a banquet and a dance in Golden Gate Hall. Between dances there were musical numbers for the entertainment of those who were present to do honor to the mother chapter of the order. A feature of the musical part of the entertainment was the singing of ballads by Mrs. Blaisdell. The guests were cordially welcomed by Dr. Amy Florence Temple, the worthy matron of the chapter.

Beulah Chapter at its meeting on the fourth Monday in June will have several candidates to initiate.

Starr King Chapter will, at its meeting on the first Tuesday in June, have a number of candidates to receive the degree of the order.

Royal Arcanum.

The joint committee of the local councils of the Royal Arcanum has decided to abandon the usual mode of celebrating Arcanum day this year and instead of having musical and literary exercises it has been determined to have a theater party at the Alcazar, on which occasion there will be presented "Lovers Lane," and several numbers having particular reference to the order. The order has purchased the whole house for that occasion and the arrangements will be attended to by W. V. N. Bay and George W. Schindler.

A general committee has been appointed to consider the advisability of organizing a building association that shall secure some suitable place and build thereon a hall for the use of the several councils of the order, to be known as Arcanum Hall.

From the monthly report of the supreme secretary just issued it appears that the receipts during May were \$63,853.84, which, with a balance of \$44,818.29 on hand March 31, 1904, made the total for the month of April \$1,109,774.12. From this sum the Supreme Council paid on 225 orders the sum of \$551,598.41, leaving a balance on April 30 of \$249,265.72. This, with balance due on assessment No. 321 and the whole of assessment No. 322, due on May 15, and estimated at \$652,296, made the total resources on the same date \$902,455.72, not counting the amount in the emergency fund, which, on April 27, 1904, amounted to \$2,032,487.67 additional, and making the immediate available resources of the order almost \$3,000,000. The statement also shows a total payment to beneficiaries of \$55,438,236.35, which amount is the second largest paid by any American fraternal beneficiary organization. There was on April 30 also a balance in the general fund of \$74,994.27, which, it may be observed, is probably the largest balance ever on hand in the general fund at the close of the Supreme Council year.

The growth of the order as shown by the exhibit of membership issued by the supreme secretary, goes on satisfactorily. During the month of April the additions received to the order amounted to 4566, and making the total membership on April 30, 295,182, the largest gains being in the jurisdictions of Illinois, New York, Pennsylvania and Massachusetts. New York still holds first place in membership, having 78,149, and Pennsylvania second with 35,296 members. Illinois ranks third having on its rolls 25,123. Massachusetts still maintains its place as the

fourth ranking jurisdiction, with 23,561 members.

Druidism.

Hesperian Circle of the Druidesses has arranged for a trolley ride on the night of Saturday, June 11. This circle will join with Norma Grove for a family outing and picnic at Fernbrook Park August 7. The committee in charge will give to the grove making the largest showing of members at that place a richly embroidered regalia for district deputy and to the circle making the best showing a fine regalia, the first described to cost \$10 and the last \$5. The first gate prize will be a \$10 piece. The committee has also planned a number of games and races and will do all it can to make the affair a success.

Grand Trustee Dr. G. W. Sichel, a member of Yosemite Grove, accompanied by Past Arch W. H. Kent, Vice Arch Peter Treich and Treasurer J. D. Aubert of the same grove, paid a visit last week to Reno, Nev., and while there met a number of the well-known Druids of the State, including District Deputy L. M. Lagomarsino, Past Arch W. L. Semenza, Secretary A. Tartarolla, Noble Arch R. Semenza of Roma Grove No. 1; Dr. C. Mooser, past arch, and Dr. Quinn, noble arch, of Reno Grove No. 3. All spoke encouragingly of Druidism in that State. Roma has a membership of 105, while Reno has fifty, with several applications on the desk. It is probable that in the near future Dayton Grove No. 2 will consolidate with Roma. While in the sagebrush State the visitors were delightfully entertained.

The Association of Past Arches of the U. A. O. D. paid a fraternal visit on the last Tuesday in May to Hesperian Grove and received a very cordial reception. During the evening there were a number of addresses for the good of the order by President L. M. Fabry, Secretary Joe M. Wolff, Grand Secretary James F. Martinoni, and a number of the past arches. Previous to the good for the order, there was the initiation of a candidate, and after the close of the work of the evening there was a supper in honor of the visitors.

Lincoln Annuity-Union.

Sunset Assembly of the Lincoln Annuity Union, recently instituted in Aberdeen, Wash., reports a membership of one hundred. Julia Coxe of the same place instituted another assembly in that place May 26.

Stanford Assembly of San Jose reports the initiation of two candidates at its last held meeting and the receipt of ten applications.

San Francisco Assembly initiated several candidates at its last held meeting and at the close of the meeting had a pleasant social hour, including cards and luncheon.

Deputy J. R. Cross reports the formation of a new assembly in Eastern Washington.

Charters for new assemblies have been asked for by citizens of Redwood City, Palo Alto, Sacramento and Stockton.

Lincoln Assembly of Oakland initiated three strangers at its last held meeting, and under good for the order had a game of progressive whist.

At a recent session of San Francisco Assembly there was at the close of the business, in addition to a program of instrumental and vocal music and recitations, a series of illustrated songs, the participants appearing in character. These included "The Mansion of Aching Hearts," "What Are the Wild Waves Saying?" "The Chastisement," "Little Eva in the Clouds," "In the Nursery," and "The Bowers Girl." It was a novelty in lodgeroom entertainment and was well received.

J. H. Shively, deputy insurance commissioner of the State of Washington, visited the office of the Lincoln Annuity Senate last week, made an examination of the affairs of the association, expressed himself satisfied with the business methods and wished the institution success.

Ladies' Auxiliary.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to California Commandery of the Knights Templar, at its meeting in Utopia Hall on the third Wednesday in May, elected Mrs. E. F. Joy to membership, and after the routine of business the new officers entertained the members with a toothsome lunch and delightful instrumental and vocal music, the most charming vocal numbers being rendered by Miss Elsie Young. Those who attended this session were: Mrs. William Roderick Jones, president; Mrs. Val Schmidt, first vice president; rs. Timothy J. Crowley, second vice president; rs. Hiram D. Nichols, secretary; Mrs. R. L. Radke, assistant secretary; Mrs. S. A. McDonnell, treasurer; Mrs. J. P. Jaegling, conductress; Mesdames George Wittermann, P. F. Ferguson and E. J. Mosser, members of the convolve com-

mittee: Mesdames H. F. Barbier, George Bennett, H. H. Brann, G. W. Brown, J. B. Bocarde, A. M. Cox, W. F. Cordes, Samuel A. Clark, J. B. Charleston, C. T. Cleve, G. E. Dorn, E. F. Easton, D. E. F. Easton, J. F. Fraser, I. Grant, H. Graves, George Haas, T. L. Henderson, A. Hromada, A. Huber, E. Heald, Martin Jones, M. Johnson, Frank Johnson, J. F. Logan, Julius Lowe, John Fraser McIntosh, Hugh McJunkin, C. C. Moorhouse, R. W. Nell, George H. Newman, J. L. Prior, James Packer Jr., T. P. Ross, M. Reiss, F. S. Snell, Walter N. Stocker, C. W. Taber and James Young; Misses R. E. Miller, Elizabeth Murray and Eva Powell.

After the business at the June meeting luncheon will be served at 1:30 and there will be cards—five hundred.

The Maccabees.

Pacific Tent, Knights of the Maccabees, will have a bay excursion on Sunday, June 5, and after riding on the bay will stop at Glen Cove for three hours, returning at half past six o'clock. The tent will provide a dinner at Glen Cove for each member who will attend and also for the lady friends of members.

There was a large turnout of the Maccabees in Pioneer Hall on the fourth Wednesday in May to receive and listen to Edward Young, great record keeper of the Great Camp of Ohio, and Rev. E. T. Hegerman, special Maccabean lecturer for that State. They were cordially received by Grand Commander S. W. Hall of the Great Camp of California, after which there was a pleasing programme of entertainment. The distinguished visitors gave instructive addresses on behalf of Maccabees. The first battalion of the Thirtieth Regiment of the Uniform Rank was on hand in its attractive uniforms.

Golden West Tent at its review last week initiated a class of six strangers. On the evening of June 9 the uniform division of this tent will visit Richmond Tent to confer the degrees on a number of candidates for that subordinate.

The Thirtieth Regiment of the Uniform Rank will go into camp at Glen Cove on July 2 and will remain there until the evening of the 4th. This will be a military camp in the strict sense, and the men will sleep in tents and live on army rations. All the details for this affair are being arranged.

Modern Woodmen.

General Organizer J. C. Davis of the Modern Woodmen of America, who was absent from the city for several weeks on account of illness, has returned to this city and is "once more doing business at the old stand."

At the meeting of Goodfellowship Camp in the Pythian Castle last week five applications were received and referred to appropriate committees. The special committee on memorial service reported that all had been arranged for the decoration of the graves of deceased neighbors by that camp, Occidental Camp and the camp of Royal Neighbors to-day, and that to-morrow evening there will be a joint meeting of the three camps in the hall of Goodfellowship Camp, where services appropriate to memorial day will be held. There will be vocal selections, an eulogy, an oration and an address. The services will be open to the members of the three camps and their friends.

Arrangements are being made for the reception in this city of Head Consul Talbot, the highest officer of the largest fraternal beneficial association in the United States, the Modern Woodmen of America numbering 750,000 members on July 7.

This evening the Rev. Walter M. White will address the members of this order at "Woodcraft" in Westside Church, at Bush and Devisadero streets.

Ancient Order Workmen.

The San Francisco Extension Committee has organized with Deputy Grand Master D. S. Hirschberg as president. The committee outlined the work for June and will make an aggressive campaign.

Forget-Me-Not Lodge, Degree of Honor, at its meeting on the third Saturday in May, admitted one candidate by card and received four applications. The following named compose the general officers of the committee that is arranging the A. O. U. W. picnic to be given at El Campo July 18: R. H. McPherson, president; C. E. Sheffer, vice president; H. B. Morrison, second vice president; Frank J. McGuire, secretary, and M. J. Blackman, treasurer. The members of the working sub-committees are E. E. Baird, M. L. Stern, A. F. Roberts, W. P. Peeney, L. C. Cull, R. F. McKenzie, J. H. Danton, J. G. Walthour, Mrs. H. Simpson, Mrs. Dora H. Wilkins, Mrs. L. G. Malloy, George M. Ryerson, Fred Trowbridge,

W. O. Zahn, George A. Smith, Joseph H. Cataran, and August Reininger.

Knights of Honor.

The Past Dictators' Association of the Knights of Honor has completed all its arrangements for the public entertainment to be given June 8 in the Laurel Hall of the Shields building. A very entertaining programme has been prepared.

Grand Reporter Johnstone has sent to all the local lodges a stirring circular letter calling attention to the work of Organizer H. H. Barnes and asking the members to render him all the assistance in their power to enable him to show good results.

The picnic given by Liberty Lodge of the Knights of Honor on the last Monday in May at Camp Taylor was a great success, more than eight hundred persons attending. There was a good programme of games and races and a number of the features that make an outing of this kind a success. The affair was well managed and there was not a regret by any of those who attended. During the afternoon a large number of valuable prizes were distributed.

Tribe of Ben Hur.

Mizpah Court, No. 1, at its last meeting admitted two strangers by initiation. It is expected that at its second meeting in June the degree team will receive the robes that have been ordered, when the work will be put on in the amplified form and bring out all the beautiful features of the very dramatic ritual. This tribe will, at its open meeting on the first meeting in June, have a very interesting programme of entertainment, on which occasion two young ladies, well known as vocalists will render the principal vocal music of the evening.

Order of Americus.

On the second Friday in May California Council of the Order of Americus met in the parlors of the residence of Mrs. E. Harmon, one of its members, at 1170 Gough street, where there was a social, after a short business meeting. Three strangers were obligated and six applications presented. This council, which in the past met but twice a month, has decided to meet hereafter weekly in the Pioneer building.

The Native Sons.

Those who attended the banquet tendered in the Lick House by Pacific Parlor of the Native Sons of the Golden West to Daniel A. Ryan, one of its past presidents, who was elected a grand trustee, and T. P. Martin, F. H. Dam and George G. Fraser, its delegates to the Grand Parlor at its recent session in Vallejo, were: George D. Clark, Dr. E. T. Mervy, J. J. Myer, P. B. Kyne, R. Collopy, James O'Gara, T. S. Gilbert, G. W. Lillie, J. C. Allen, W. F. Dahl, E. J. Lynch, C. G. Guilfuss, G. Grass, John F. Cannon, J. W. Riley, George B. Stangenberger, H. Auger, E. J. Clark, M. J. Melvin, J. F. Comyns, S. W. Dixon, L. R. Dudley, H. Dahl, W. V. Walsh, W. H. Hazell, George A. Marshall, C. L. Quast, George S. Gould, Dr. Frank I. Gonzales, R. Dahl, D. McGarron, A. Mason, D. L. Fitzgerald, M. G. Hummel, L. Jennings, R. M. Roche, J. H. Cunningham, Stephen V. Costello, Albert Latham, George H. Wendell, Joseph Green, Judge George H. Cabanis, Dr. H. S. Stern, Frank J. Kiln, Fred W. Meussdorffer, George Oscar, E. Grass, Dr. T. H. Morris, C. Orr, Alex McCullough, Charles E. Sinlay, T. L. Lewis, Fred Heisser, James A. Black, George H. Bahrs, Leonard Stone, Superintendent of Schools W. H. Langdon, H. C. Kieversahl, R. F. Quarg, E. H. Hildebrand, C. J. Auger, Dr. T. W. B. LeLand, R. E. Ficher, J. J. Kyne, E. Myron Wolf, R. J. Sands and John T. Harnes. District Deputy Grand President W. P. Johnson, Grand Trustee J. Emmett Hayden, Grand Trustee James A. Devoto, Past Grand President Lewis F. Byington, H. S. Milzner, J. J. Greeley, Grand First Vice President James L. Gallagher and Grand Secretary Charles H. Turner. The speakers

music that charmed the dancers and any number of handsome ladies.

On the last Thursday in May Oneida Council celebrated the fourth anniversary of its institution by an at home in its council chamber. There was provided for the entertainment of those who attended instrumental and vocal selections and the serving of a collation, after which there was dancing for two hours. The affair was successfully managed by Mrs. T. Brinkman, Mrs. Alice Goodall, Miss Lillie Unger, Miss Annie Weiman, Miss Jennie Kummerlander, J. S. Burkhart and Charles West.

On the evening of June 10 the elective chiefs of the Degree of Pocahontas will entertain the wife of the great in-cobnee and the wife of the great chief of records of the United States Great Council at the Columbia Theater and then at a supper in a fashionable restaurant.

Calumet Tribe is drilling a team of young men to confer the adoption degree and it is doing excellently well under the instructions imparted to it by A. C. Nathan of Altahmos Tribe.

Manitou Tribe will have a class of seven to adopt at its meeting on Monday, June 6.

Altahmos Tribe has organized a new team for the purpose of conferring the chiefs' or culmination and most dramatic degree of the order, and as those selected for the work are "all old timers at the business," it is expected that they will render the work with a degree of perfectness that will make some of the crack teams look to their laurels. The members of the team are: J. H. Fitzgerald, sachem; W. J. Blaisdell, senior; H. F. Odenkamp, junior; W. T. Lyons, prophet; F. Hardy, first sannah; O. Kuhlman, second sannah; A. C. Nathan, first brave; Joseph Luttrell, second brave; J. H. Steiman, third brave; Thomas Scott, fourth brave; W. B. Welch, first warrior; F. Detrick, second warrior; P. Burke, third warrior; F. Healy, fourth warrior; J. McCaulny, first scout; W. de Witt, second scout; M. Alexander, guard of wigwam; M. Blankenstein, musician.

Knights of Pythias.

The thirty-fifth anniversary ball given by Golden Gate Lodge No. 3, K. of P., in Steinway Hall on the last Friday in May was what is termed in society "a swell function." The attendance was just large enough to fill the hall without crowding, the ladies who attended were charmingly gowned and the Knights and gentlemen friends were in full dress, while the members of the Uniform Rank of the order added to the effect of the brilliant scene by appearing in uniform. Captain M. A. Samuels was the floor manager and he was assisted by Lieutenant A. B. Budzeli, M. A. Cummings, D. V. Ferguson, M. Schiff, George D. Milne and J. Voelke. Captain Joe H. Rosenberg was the chairman of the reception committee.

Major General Carnahan, commanding the Uniform Rank of the K. of P., was recently appointed one of the board of visitors to West Point. He has the distinguished honor of being the only one not of the regular army on the board of visitors to the United States Military Academy.

While the Knights of Pythias were in San Francisco attending the convention of the Supreme Lodge the design for the wonderful electric lighting of streets was furnished by O. F. Schiller, a member of McKinley Company No. 3. In recognition of his good service on that occasion he has been added to the staff of Major General Carnahan and commissioned a colonel. This company has secured Captain J. K. Ritter, one of the very best drillmasters of fraternal organizations, to drill it for the biennial encampment at Louisville next August. This company expects to come back to San Francisco with the first prize. Captain Ritter has drilled many companies and not one that he ever drilled lost. The company will have an outing in the Santa Cruz Mountains June 8. On the way to the rendezvous under the pines and laurels the company will be joined by Liberty Company No. 11 of Oakland and Company No. 29 of San Leandro. The following named have been appointed as the committee of arrangements by Captain Ritter: W. T. Shipperly, E. B. Kimball, First Lieutenant C. T. Gromme, C. Danziger and Sergeant M. A. Cummings.

Native Daughters.

Yosemite Parlor of the Native Daughters of the Golden West had a donation party on the last Monday in May, in Mission Opera Hall, in aid of the Native Daughters' Home. There were many present, and each one presented an offering in the nature of something acceptable for the home. There was a pleasant programme of dances. The members of Keith Parlor, a few

evenings since, paid a fraternal visit to Monte Robles Parlor in San Mateo. Among those invited were Past Grand President Keith and Grand Secretary Frakes. The visitors were well received and entertained by the San Mateoites. The members of the local parlor of Native Sons were present and assisted in making the affair a great social function. Keith Parlor formed a theater party and enjoyed the performance at the Alcazar last week.

The grand president and the grand treasurer paid a visit last week to the parlor in Pinole.

The Grand Parlor will meet in Pacific Grove this year, commencing June 14.

Hettie Burke, one of the bright members of Orinda Parlor, is spending her vacation at the World's Fair at St. Louis.

La Estrella Parlor, on the last Tuesday in May, had a most delightful dancing party in Golden Gate Hall. There was a good attendance and there was a dance programme of ten numbers with two extras which kept the most congenial company that ever gathered in that hall together until midnight. The credit for this very enjoyable affair was due to Phoebe Field, floor manager; Benjamin Orenge, assistant floor manager, and the following named members of the floor committee: Mrs. George J. Berger, Miss Orenge, Lizzie Dunn, Alice Boldermann, Mrs. A. Nicola, M. Brown and M. Johansen. The decorations of the hall, a la Schellcher, were the most delicate and "ractive that have ever been placed in that hall.

Ancient Order Foresters.

One of the rising young men in the Ancient Order of Foresters is George F. Brown of this city, who at the recent session of the High Court was advanced from senior beadle to junior woodward of the legislative body of the State. Mr. Brown proved himself a successful officer in the subordinate body, being an enthusiastic and zealous Forester, and for that reason was urged as an officer of the high court. He was elected to the lowest office in that body, and session after session has been advanced, and his friends expect to see him in time promoted to the highest position in the order. Mr. Brown is a member of the San Francisco Fire Department.

The picnic given by the local courts and circles at San Rafael Park on the last Monday in May was attended by about five hundred persons, who enjoyed a splendid outing.

Court Star of California will give an entertainment to-morrow evening. A number of members of courts of this city will attend, and also the juvenile band.

The juvenile court of this city at its last meeting received six applications for membership.

Court Pacific and Court San Joaquin of Stockton had a joint meeting last week, on which occasion there was an initiation of a number of strangers. This was followed by a supper, at which there were present F. W. Matterson, H. C. S. B. C. V. Sulix, H. C. D., A. U. Field, J. A. Long and L. H. Lang, who were called upon for responses to toasts.

Supreme Grand Secretary Miss Falconer was tendered a reception last week by Washington Circle, of which she is a member, and it proved a very pleasant affair.

Supreme Grand Chief Companion Mrs. George J. Berger was tendered a reception by her circle, Artemis, last week, and during the evening she was presented a beautiful floral tribute. The supreme grand secretary was also presented a basket of choice roses. The head of the order delivered a pleasing address and at its close the juvenile band of Foresters, stationed in the ante-room, played "Hail to the Chief."

Rathbone Sisters.

The following is the complete list of the officers of the Grand Temple of the Rathbone Sisters who were recently elected: Maude B. Sheehan, Sacramento, past grand chief; Betty C. Nickell, Los Angeles, grand chief; Clara S. Martin, Stockton, grand senior; Mary Downing, Pomona, grand junior; Josie Morse, Bakersfield, grand manager; Louise Holmes, Oakland, grand M. of R. and C.; May Steigman, Salinas, grand M. of F.; Belle Bruce, Oakland, grand protector; Emma O'Connor, Fortuna, grand outer guard.

Golden Gate Temple, at its meeting on the fourth Monday in May, had work in the initiatory degree in the presence of an unusually large number of members and visitors from San Francisco Temple. The work was given in a very creditable manner. Mrs. Elizabeth Armstrong, representative to the Grand Temple, which held its session in Bakersfield, read a very interesting report of the session of the grand body. At the close of the business of the evening Mrs. Armstrong was tendered a reception, which was a very enjoyable affair.

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at that occasion were: James L. Gallagher, George H. Bahrs, L. F. Byington, W. H. Langdon, R. E. Ficher, Roland W. Roche, S. V. Costello, George D. Clarke, Leonard Stone, H. S. Milzner, J. A. Devoto and Judge G. H. Cabanis. The menu was decorated with photos of the guests of the honor.

Grand Organizer Andrew Mocker, who spent some time in Lake County urging the several parlors to renewed activity, has succeeded in having each of the parlors arrange for a class initiation as follows: Lower Lake, June 11; Upper Lake, June 22; Kelseyville, June 23; Lakeport, June 24, and Middletown, June 25. The grand officers are wondering "where Andy got them all."

Placerville Parlor on May 25 initiated twenty-five strangers and followed the ceremony with an old-time high jinks. The membership of Mount Tamalpais Parlor, of which J. Emmett Hayden, recently elected a grand trustee, is a member, during the latter part of May tendered him a reception in celebration of his election.

During the latter part of May Mission Parlor had a high jinks and a very enjoyable time in its hall in the Native Sons' building.

On the night of the third Saturday in June the Past Presidents' Association will have a grand reception and entertainment in honor of those members of the organization who at the recent session of the Grand Parlor were given high honors.

Improved Red Men.

During the floral parade in Healdsburg last week the Improved Red Men took an active part and made a good showing. Sitting Bull Tribe had a very elegant float in line, which was preceded by a number of mounted members of Yulupa Tribe of Santa Rosa. Grace Burmeister of Wanonah Council of Santa Rosa and C. N. Grant, sachem of Yulupa Tribe, were also in line on horseback. Great Chief of Records Bliss and George Harrison occupied seats in a carriage as special guests of Sitting Bull Tribe.

Great Sachem Samuels paid an official visit to Red Cloud and Cosumnes tribes in joint council last week in the wigwam of the first named in Sacramento.

Past Great Sachem Brandon, acting for the great sachem, will pay visits to Yokayo Tribe in Ukiah and to Santana Tribe in Fort Bragg during the current month.

The great sachem is arranging a series of visits to the southern part of the State during the latter part of the current month. Before returning to this city he will institute a tribe at San Diego.

The select social dance that was given in Franklin Hall on the last Saturday in May by Kaweah Council, Degree of Pocahontas, was a very pleasing function that was attended by the many friends of the members of this progressive subordinate. There was a first-class programme of dances.