

THE BROTHERHOOD.

The Railroad Trainmen's Annual Convention.

The Origin and History of the Organization.

What It Has Accomplished for Trainmen Generally.

The Parade Yesterday Afternoon—Who the Delegates Are—The Opening of the Convention at the Pavilion.

Fine looking, stalwart, intelligent, representative American workers and American men; such was the verdict passed by the Los Angeles public on the members of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, who paraded yesterday afternoon and whose annual convention was opened last evening.

The local lodge, Paradise by name, and 84 in number, has made all possible preparations for caring for the visitors, owing to the earnest efforts of the committee on entertainment, composed of C. B. Patterson, chairman; Hugh Byrne, W. H. Clum, George Trepanier, A. D. Renfro, R. L. Barton, T. S. Lewis and H. D. Drake.

The officers of this lodge are: Master, A. D. Renfro; vice-master, E. T. Taylor; past master, H. Byrne; chaplain, J. H. Morrissey; conductor, W. H. Clum; warden, "Dad" Whittlesley; inner guard, W. H. Harrison; outer guard, J. Welch; secretary, C. B. Patterson; financier, R. Bottman.

The Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, formerly the brotherhood of railroad brakemen, was organized at Oneonta, N. Y., in the autumn of 1883 by a few freight brakemen who assembled in a caboose and decided to establish a union for mutual protection.

That the time for such an order had come, and that the country was ready for it is evident from the fact that the infant organization quickly gained a foothold in the neighboring cities, and new lodges were formed with wonderful rapidity. In a single year the order had grown to a membership of eight hundred members, representing 37 lodges.

Not long after the first annual convention, which met in Oneonta, the young and rapidly growing brotherhood met with a disaster that suddenly checked its progress and for a time threatened its existence. It was discovered that Grand Treasurer Osterhout was an embezzler; through his dishonesty the organization was brought to the verge of ruin.

The board of trustees immediately assembled and decided to place Ed. F. O'Shea in charge of affairs. Mr. O'Shea was at the time a clerk for the defaulting treasurer and had been instrumental in exposing the theft.

city had a gala like appearance. At about 3 o'clock the procession commenced to move from the corner of Main and Sotello streets. Four mounted officers dressed in their best suits of clothes led the way.

Next came the grand officers in carriages, accompanied by their families and friends. The officers are: S. E. Wilkinson, G. M.; P. H. Morrissey, First V. G. M.; T. T. Slattery, Second V. G. M.; C. N. Terrell, Third V. G. M.; W. A. Sheahan, G. S. and T.

Trustees: C. T. Salisbury, chairman; C. W. Flanders, G. O'Rourke, J. C. Glenn, M. S. Bogert. There were thirty carriages in line next, filled with delegates.

After the carriages came more delegates on foot, to the number, probably, of 200. These were the visitors. As they passed the HERALD office they did this paper the honor of giving three cheers.

Headed by the city band, next marched the Typographical Union 174, made up of the most intelligent, self-respecting, able workmen in the city.

The following is a complete list of the delegates: S. E. Wilkinson, G. M. P. H. Morrissey, 1st V. G. M. T. T. Slattery, 2nd V. G. M. C. N. Terrell, 3rd V. G. M. W. A. Sheahan, G. S. and T.

C. T. Salisbury, J. O'Rourke, M. S. Bogert, W. S. Hazzard, F. K. Lemon, S. M. Enockson, R. T. Dory, N. C. Wragg, A. T. Hutchinson, F. B. Keeling, G. H. Weston, Jas. Butler, C. W. Sackett, O. L. Rolfe, Geo. F. Moore, E. L. Warran, C. McPeck, Henry Gilroy, H. A. Conover, G. Gildersleeve, F. H. Mille, W. H. Gramonds, E. E. Hay, H. Moreau, A. N. Miles, A. J. Braden, C. M. Dukes, G. M. O'Beirne, G. Maybank, A. A. Patterson, R. J. Robinson, F. Critcherson, W. S. Cooke, C. F. Moore, C. B. Patterson, W. A. Harris, C. Ryan, G. R. Depoyster, J. A. Gilliland, N. E. Daniels, John Friery, H. H. Wheeler, W. L. Hyde, G. D. Smith, J. Vaughn, E. G. Gallett, J. E. Scholl, Matt Ronan, T. Coughlin, J. A. Marshall, L. E. Small, J. P. Bristol, F. L. Wilson, Wm. Meckley, C. Womelsdorf, Geo. Gunn, E. W. Driscoll, E. H. Hill, H. Andrews, M. J. Donnellan, J. P. Ryan, W. F. Federlein, R. W. Pierce, E. E. Jones, A. F. Forbes, A. Chisolm, W. D. Murhpy, J. Carmody, Wm. Sweeney, H. E. Road, H. F. Miller, A. E. Brown, J. H. O'Neil, B. S. Van Deusen, H. Wright, J. W. Harding, O. Seigfried, Val Fitzpatrick, H. J. Engleson, R. J. Flood, C. W. Finnell, O. H. P. Chapman, J. H. Gray, C. F. Curry, M. J. Tierney, J. W. Calbert, J. Rhoads, D. R. Payne, C. C. Ross, T. M. McGrath, F. M. Wansley, Geo. Graham, W. D. Barnard, J. O'Brien, W. W. Carpenter, M. S. Boyle, H. C. Jones, W. Chester, R. C. Gale, N. McDonald, Chas. Dean, A. A. Riddleberger, B. Peterson, F. Osman, J. T. Kirby, S. S. Moraiety, Sam G. Gall, A. Brown, J. Cunningham, J. O'Neil, J. P. Kirkbride, H. Winans, F. K. Dibble, Daniel S. Suetz, J. Caron, W. C. Risteen, Wm. Daniels, E. S. Overhiser, J. Harmon, A. B. Mansfield, P. Prickett, H. Cook,

G. Coleman, J. R. Sherlock, J. J. Fishbaugh, G. W. Newman, Chas. Alexander, J. Dougherty, C. N. McCullough, H. W. McGee, J. Niblock, J. P. Batterton, J. M. Keckler, E. H. Jameson, E. Froyan, L. E. Martin, N. McDermott, J. J. Helmer, J. C. Wyatt, J. E. Wheat, J. J. Wilbur, J. L. Lowell, W. H. Casey, J. F. Dougherty, G. Palmerton, J. H. Sweeney, L. H. Barnes, B. F. Anderson, Harry Jones, C. C. Clark.

The stage of the Academy of Music was tastefully decorated with chrysanthemums, palmets and a variety of flowers last night. The auditorium was crowded as it has never been since the days when the American opera company appeared in the pavilion.

Major Henry T. Hazard then extended on behalf of the city of Los Angeles a cordial welcome to the order of trainmen. He believed that it represented the great principles of republican government. The orator referred to the arrival of our forefathers to this soil, what they did to establish the republican form of government which has challenged the admiration of the entire civilized world.

Mr. Wilkinson said that he was glad to be in the land of sunshine and beautiful women (applause). He said the organization was doing great and good work for the betterment of the railroad employees. Formerly the order contained only brakemen, but it had been extended because a number of men who had been promoted were still in the order.

One of the great objects of railroad men's conventions was to come closer together. He denied that when the engineers, firemen, switchmen, brakemen and conductors federated they would walk into the general manager's office and tell him: "You may own the road but we are going to run it."

Mayor Hazard announced that Judge James G. Maguire had kindly consented to speak in the stead of Lieutenant Governor S. M. White, who was absent in the north. The eloquent speaker said that labor produces the wealth of the world, and the share which went to the producer was small—almost insignificant.

W. C. Owen spoke shortly in laudation of the order and the dangers attending the life of a trainman. He advocated the solidarity of labor. Mr. Owen was followed by H. T. Wilshire, and being the last speaker he said he would make his speech exceedingly brief.

At the conclusion of this orator's speech Mr. L. W. Rogers was called by the audience, and thanked the city of Los Angeles, in the name of the organization, for the hearty reception accorded its delegates. He spoke of the dangers and perils of the trainmen, and said that General Sherman had once said that if he had to recruit an army he would choose it entirely among railroad men.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—U. S. Gov't Report, Aug. 17, 1889. Royal Baking Powder ABSOLUTELY PURE

marks, also addressed the audience. Upon the conclusion of his remarks, Rev. Dr. Cantine asked a benediction and the large gathering withdrew. The H. J. O'Bea orchestra furnished the musical selections between speeches.

A familiar figure at the convention, the railroaders, was Joseph Bellaire, the one fingered hremen. By an unfortunate accident he lost his left hand except the thumb. To his left wrist he has now attached a hook with which he can grapple anything as Captain Cuttle with the glittering eye.

M. H. Crain, the constable from Lancaster, whom a jury found guilty on Saturday in department six, with an alacrity seldom displayed by juries in this county, was brought up for sentence before Judge Shaw yesterday morning.

The punishment of Crain's crime is either a fine not exceeding \$500 or imprisonment not exceeding one year. He was fined \$75. Some of the witnesses who played the indigent act afterwards vent before Judge Shaw and wanted to qualify as bondsmen in another case.

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Number of transfers of \$1000 and over, 14. Total amount, \$26,992. Number of transfers under \$1000, 16. Amount, \$4417. Nominal transfers, 4. Total amount, \$30,109.

"Is this the best?" is a question often asked, when medicine is wanted. The following are a few of the medicines of known reliability sold by C. F. Heinselman, 222 North Main St. John A. Off, Fourth and Spring, and all leading druggists of this place.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cures of severe colds, and as a preventative for croup. Price 50 cents per bottle. Chamberlain's Pain Balm, a general family ointment, and especially valuable for rheumatism. Price 50 cents per bottle.

St. Patrick's Pills, for disorders of the liver and bowels. A vigorous but gentle physic, that cleans and renovates the whole system. Price 25 cents per box. Chamberlain's Eye and Skin Ointment. For tetter, salt rheum, scald-head, and chronic sore eyes. Price 25 cents per box.

ALICE IN SUMMERLAND.

She Likes It so Much She Will Live Here. Alice Vincent, the prima donna of the Carleton company, the beautiful "Ninon" whose exquisite voice and charming personality have made her an acknowledged favorite with the Los Angeles public, said yesterday to a HERALD reporter that she was "so glad to get back to Los Angeles. I had had luck here in breaking my arm on my last visit, that time I was thrown from my horse; but I love this place and intend to make it my home. I shall invest here and live here all the time I can. I like the climate and like lots of it."

MISS VINCENT makes her first appearance in this engagement this evening in the Queen's Lace Handkerchief. Did you ever try ice cream made from Highland Unsweetened Condensed Milk? It's excellent.

GRAND AUCTION SALE. LIVE STOCK! From the noted... Rancho Rodeo De Los Aguas, HAMMEL & DENKER, Proprietors.

Horses, Brood Mares, Colts, Fine Milk Cows, Graded Heifers, Farming Implements, Etc. RHOADES & REED. Will sell, on SATURDAY, October 25th, 10 a.m., corner Ninth and Main streets, Los Angeles, a large number of horses and mares, some of the mares in foal, some with colts by their sides.

THE GREAT EVENT OF THE YEAR 1890 FOR SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY WAS THE DAY OF THE GRAND DISTRIBUTION Or Selection of Lands Sold by the Bear Valley & Alessandro Development Co

On Wednesday, October 15th. The day itself was perfect. The new road (built by the company from the heart of Redlands to Alessandro) was in splendid condition, and crowded with teams of every description from early morning.

A LARGE MAP OF ENTIRE 21,000 ACRES was shown under canvas. As the option number was called, the holder came forward and made his choice. Everything worked harmoniously; nearly every one secured just the corner lot he coveted.

BEAUTIFUL VALLEY. That will soon be the future homes of many of them. At high noon there was a short intermission for refreshments, that had been abundantly provided by the company, while the band played (Frank E. Brown) or "Hail to the Chief."

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RHOADES & REED. Will sell at AUCTION, at their salesrooms, corner Second and Broadway, Tuesday, October 21st, 2 p. m. CONSIGNED—Consisting of \$15,000 worth of men's, youths' and boys' tailor-made clothing, hats, ladies' and gents' fine shoes, and ladies', misses' and children's cloaks.

AUCTION SALE. Real Estate, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 23d. At 11 a. m., sharp, Cottage House and Lot, No. 329 South Workman street, corner of Sheffina ave. A neat cottage containing five rooms, hard finished, bath, hot and cold water, and other improvements.

THE SISTERS OF THE HOLY NAMES. A branch of the convent of Our Lady of the Sacred Heart, Oakland, have opened a boarding school at Ramona, Cal., the location cannot be surpassed in beauty and salubrity; the course of instruction is of the highest grade.

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