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MEMORIAL DAY.

She saw the bayonets flashing in the sun,
The flags that proudly waved; she heard the bugles calling;
She saw the tattered banners falling
About the broken staffs, as one by one
The remnant of the mighty army passed;
And at the last
Flowers for the graves of those whose fight was done.

She heard the tramping of ten thousand feet
As the long line swept round the crowded square;
She heard the incessant hum
That filled the warm and blossom-scented air—
The shrilling fife, the roll and throb of drum,
The happy laugh, the cheer. Oh, glorious and meet

To honor thus the dead
Who chose the better part,
And for their country bled!
—The dead! Great God! she stood there in the street,
Living, yet dead in soul, and mind, and heart—
While far away
His grave was decked with flowers by strangers' hands to-day.

—[Richard Watson Gilder.]

MASONRY IN MAINE.

Grand Lodge.

Tuesday, May 3, 1904.

The 85th annual communication of the Grand Lodge of Maine was begun at 9 o'clock Tuesday morning at Masonic Hall, Grand Master Wm. J. Burnham of Lewiston presiding. There was the usual large attendance, 190 of the 199 lodges being represented.

Grand Master Burnham delivered an excellent address, in which he paid tributes to Past Grand Masters Winfield S. Choate, Jos. A. Locke and Past Junior Grand Warden Algernon M. Roak, who had died during the year.

He reported the membership at 24,611, which is a gain of 671. During the past year there have been 1,339 initiations and 471 deaths, a little over 19 to 1,000.

His detail of duties discharged showed that he had been very busy during the past year and had given faithful attention to business. In closing he declined a re-election

because of his health and other onerous duties.

The other Grand Officers made their routine reports and at 12.15 the Grand Lodge called from labor to refreshment until 2 o'clock.

Tuesday Afternoon, May 3d.

The Grand Lodge resumed its labors at 2 p. m. Reports of committees occupied the time until 3 o'clock, when the following officers were elected:

G. Master—Hugh R. Chaplin, Bangor.
Dep. G. Master—Charles F. Johnson, Waterville.
S. G. W.—W. Scott Shorey, Bath.
Jun. G. Warden—Geo. W. McClain, Henderson.

G. Treas.—Marquis F. King, Portland.
G. Sec. Stephen Berry, Portland.
Committee of Finance—Albro E. Chase, Portland; George R. Shaw, Portland; Alfred S. Kimball, Norway.

Trustees for Three Years—Frank E. Sleeper, Sabattus; A. M. Wetherbee, Warren.

At 5 o'clock the Grand Lodge called from labor to refreshment until 2 p. m. Wednesday.

Wednesday Afternoon, May 4th.

The Grand Lodge called to labor at 2 o'clock, and Grand Lecturer Frank E. Sleeper, P. G. Master, was called to preside.

The afternoon was spent in witnessing the exemplification of the third degree by St. John's Lodge, No. 51, of South Berwick, John M. Burleigh, Master, after which the Grand Lodge was called off until 9 a. m. Thursday.

Thursday Morning, May 5th.

The Grand Lodge resumed its labors at 9 a. m. Reports from various committees were received.

A charter was granted to North East Harbor Lodge, at North East Harbor, and the dispensation of Fort Kent Lodge, of Fort Kent, was continued.

The Grand Officers were installed by Past Grand Master Charles I. Collamore, of Bangor, the following appointments being made:

Corresponding Grand Secretary—Herbert Harris, Bangor.

District Deputy Grand Masters.

District.

1 Leon S. Howe, Presque Isle.
2 Wheeler C. Hawkes, Eastport.
3 Willis H. Allen, Machias.
4 Benjamin H. Cushman, Penobscot.
5 Martin L. Durgin, Milo.

6 Warren H. Knowles, Bangor.
7 Elihu D. Chase, Unity.
8 Leslie D. Ames, Lincolnville.
9 Claes E. Boman, Vinalhaven.
10 Charles W. Besse, East Jefferson.
11 Daniel W. Emery, Augusta.
12 Harold E. Cook, Waterville.
13 Amos K. Butler, Skowhegan.
14 Adelbert J. Hutchinson, Brunswick.
15 John M. S. Hunter, Farmington.
16 Fred R. Dyer, Buckfield.
17 George H. Allan, Portland.
18 Elmon J. Noyes, Lovell.
19 David G. Walker, Kittery Depot.
20 Ralph Scribner, Springfield.
21 Melville L. Allen, Mt. Desert.
22 A. Leslie Oakes, Newport.
23 J. Merrill Lord, North Parsonsfield.
24 Elbridge G. Heath, Auburn.
25 Arthur G. Rich, Houlton.

Grand Chaplains—Revs. Elmer F. Pember, Bangor; Wm. H. Fultz, Portland; C. R. Tenney, Auburn; Thomas G. Moses, Eastport; Norman Le Marsh, Calais; Olin Hobbs Tracey, Pittsfield; Rubert P. Matthews, Newcastle.

G. Marshal—Frank J. Cole, Bangor.
G. S. D.—Edward R. Jones, Winthrop.
G. J. D.—Lorenzo S. Robinson, Rockland.

Gr. Stewards—Convers E. Leach, Portland; Ralph H. Burbank, Saco; Edwin R. Keene, North Appleton; Arthur E. Fobes, South Paris.

G. S. Bearer—Wm. N. Howe, Portland.
G. St. B.—James H. Witherell, Oakland.
Gr. Pursuivants—Albert H. Burroughs, Westbrook; Isaac N. Jones, Calais.

G. Lecturer—F. E. Sleeper, Sabattus.
G. Organist—Walter S. Smith, Portland.
Gr. Tyler—Warren O. Carney, Portland.

The proposition to admit dual membership of lodges was rejected.

At 11.20 the Grand Lodge was closed.

Grand Chapter.

Tuesday Evening, May 3d.

The Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Maine met in 79th annual convocation at 7 p. m., Howard D. Smith, of Norway, Grand High Priest, presiding. There was a very good attendance, 51 of the 57 chapters being represented.

The Grand High Priest in his address paid a tribute to Past Grand High Priest Joseph A. Locke, who had recently died. He reported fully in regard to the manifold duties which had devolved upon him. He had granted dispensations for two new chapters and recommended that charters be granted to them.

The reports of the other Grand Officers were presented and referred.

The following officers were elected :

G. H. Priest—Wm. N. Howe, Portland.
D. G. H. Priest—Walter S. Glidden, Bath.
G. King—Jas. E. Blanchard, Augusta.
G. Scribe—Chas. M. Sleeper, S. Berwick.
G. Treas.—Leander W. Fobes, Portland.
G. Sec.—Stephen Berry, Portland.
Committee of Finance—Millard F. Hicks, Portland; Warren C. King, Portland; Ralph H. Burbank, Saco.

At 9.45 the Grand Chapter was called off until 9 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Wednesday Morning, May 4th.

The Grand Chapter met at 9 o'clock.

Charters were granted to Minnewaukon Chapter at Sedgwick and Rabboni Chapter at Brownville.

The report on returns showed 7,705 members, being a gain of 418. The exaltations were 560, deaths 116.

Past Grand High Priest Albert M. Penley, of Auburn, was called to preside and he installed the officers, the following appointments being made:

District Deputy Grand High Priests—Franklin R. Redlon, Portland; James E. Parsons, Ellsworth; Benjamin L. Hadley, Bar Harbor; Charles F. Redlon, Norway.
Grand Chaplains—Rev. Jas. E. Budden, Norway; Rev. LeRoy W. Coons, Pittsfield; Rev. Joseph B. Shepherd, Portland; Rev. William J. Taylor, Lewiston.

Grand Captain of Host—Charles F. Porter, Portland.

Grand Principal Sojourner—Millard M. Caswell, Bridgton.

Grand R. A. Captain—Thomas H. Bodge, Augusta.

Grand Master 3d Vail—Fred Raymond, Livermore Falls.

Grand Master 2d Vail—Wilmer J. Dorman, Belfast.

Grand Master 1st Vail—George W. McClain, Henderson.

Grand Stewards—Enoch O. Greenleaf, Farmington; James H. Witherell, Oakland; Francis L. Talbot, East Machias; Silas B. Adams, Portland.

Grand Lecturer—Frank E. Sleeper, Sattus.

Gr. Sentinel—W. O. Carney, Portland.

Thanks were voted to retiring Grand High Priest Howard D. Smith, and at 10.50 the Grand Chapter was closed.

Order of High Priesthood.

Wednesday Evening, May 4th.

The Council of the Order of High Priesthood for Maine met at 7.30 p. m., Alfred S. Kimball, of Norway, President, presiding.

Twenty-five High Priests from all parts of the State were received into the order.

The following officers were elected:

President—Alfred S. Kimball, Norway.
S. V. P.—Horace H. Burbank, Saco.
J. V. P.—Albert M. Penley, Auburn.
Treasurer—Millard F. Hicks, Portland.
Recorder—Stephen Berry, Portland.
M. of Cer.—Jas. E. Parsons, Ellsworth.
Conductor—L. M. Kenniston, Camden.
Chaplain—Wm. J. Burnham, Lewiston.
Steward—Benj. L. Hadley, Bar Harbor.
Warder—James H. Witherell, Oakland.
At 9.45 the council was closed.

Grand Council.

Wednesday Afternoon, May 4th.

The Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters met at 2 p. m., Wm. Freeman Lord, of Auburn, Grand Master, presiding. Fifteen of the 16 councils were represented with a long list of permanent members.

The Grand Master read his annual address, in which he paid a tribute to Past Grand Master Algernon M. Roak, and to the Hon. Joseph A. Locke, recently deceased.

He gave a flattering account of the reception of the General Grand Council at Little Rock, Arkansas, in October last. He reported in full in regard to the discharge of his duties and the condition of the order, which he described as in excellent condition.

The other Grand Officers made their annual reports.

The Committee on Returns reported 16 councils, 3,190 members, 195 candidates, 55 deaths. The gain was 133.

The following officers were elected :

G. M.—Albro E. Chase, Portland.
D. G. M.—Chas. B. Adams, Waterville.
G. P. C. of W.—Alexander A. Beaton, Rockland.
G. Treas.—Leander W. Fobes, Portland.
Gr. Recorder—Stephen Berry, Portland.
G. Chap.—Elbridge G. Heath, Auburn.
G. M. of C.—Alfred S. Kimball, Norway.
G. C. G.—E. E. Sturtevant, Skowhegan.
G. Con.—Warren C. King, Portland.
G. Steward—Murray B. Weston, Auburn.
G. Sentinel—W. C. G. Carney, Portland.

The officers were installed by Past Grand Master Albert M. Penley, of Auburn, and the Grand Council was closed at 4.10.

Grand Commandery.

Thursday Afternoon, May 5th.

The Grand Commandery of Knights Templar for Maine met at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, Frederick C. Thayer, of Waterville, Grand Commander, presiding. St. Omer Commandery of Waterville, Cyrus W. Davis, Commander, exemplified the opening of a commandery.

Henry W. Rugg, Grand Generalissimo of the Grand Encampment of the United States, was received as the representative of the Grand Master, and Freeman C. Hersey, Grand Commander of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, as a visitor.

The committee on credentials reported all the 21 commanderies represented, and a large attendance of permanent members.

Grand Commander Thayer in his annual address paid tributes to the memory of Past Grand Commanders Isaac S. Bangs and Joseph A. Locke, who had died during the year. His detail of duties discharged during the year showed a very zealous performance of his work, which elicited much applause as he concluded.

After the reception of the reports of the

other Grand Officers, the Order of the Temple was conferred by St. Omer Commandery of Waterville in an admirable manner.

At 6.40 the Grand Commandery adjourned for supper, after which several fine pieces of music were rendered by the Trinity quartet of Augusta, who were tendered a vote of thanks.

The session was resumed at 8 o'clock.

The report on returns showed 4,317 members, 358 knighted, 69 died. The gain was 246.

The following officers were elected, Grand Commander Frederick C. Thayer of Waterville, having declined to accept for another year; the result was as follows :

G. Com.—Ermon D. Eastman, Portland.
D. G. C.—G. C. Purington, Farmington.
G. Gen.—Geo. W. Gower, Skowhegan.
G. C. Gen.—Saxford L. Fogg, Bath.
G. S. Warden—Chas. E. Merrill, Auburn.
G. J. Warden—Manning S. Campbell, Augusta.

Grand Prelate—Rev. Samuel Worcester, Portland.

G. Treas.—Leander W. Fobes, Portland.
G. Rec.—Stephen Berry, Portland.
G. St. B.—Woodman S. Eaton, Portland.
G. S. B.—Millard F. Hicks, Portland.
G. W.—Franklin R. Redlon, Portland.
G. C. G.—Warren O. Carney, Portland.

The officers were installed by Very Eminent Henry W. Rugg of the Grand Encampment of the United States.

Thanks were tendered to retiring Grand Commander Thayer, and at 9.40 the Grand Commandery adjourned.

New Lodge.

Grand Master Burnham issued a dispensation March 23d for a new lodge at Fort Kent, Aroostook, up on the Canadian border, to be called Fort Kent Lodge.

Howard Pierce, Master.

William N. Gould, Senior Warden.

Lester F. Bradbury, Junior Warden.

Stanley Burrell, Secretary.

Stated meetings Thursday on or before the full moon.

Augusta Lodge, 141, of Augusta, celebrated Past Master's night, February 9th. Twenty-five Past Masters, were present of whom thirteen were of Augusta Lodge.

At the annual meeting of Bangor Chapter of Rose Croix, 18° A. A. S. Rite, held April 21, 1904, the following were elected as officers:

Wm. C. Mason, 33°, M. W. and Perfect Master.

Elmer F. Pember, Sen. Warden.

Aug. B. Farnham, 33°, Junior Warden.

Chas. J. Wardley, Grand Orator.

Edwin F. Dillingham, Treasurer.

Fred W. Adams, Secretary.

Geo. B. Freeland, Hospitaler.

Thos. W. Burr, 33°, M. of Ceremonies.

Edmund J. Murch, Capt. of Guard.

Aug. E. Pote, Tyler.

The above officers were installed by Ill. Bro. Thos. W. Burr, 33°, assisted by Frank J. Cole as Marshal.

April 1st, the 17th and 18th degrees were conferred in full form, and with appropriate music, by a double male quartet and orchestra, upon 37 candidates. This was the largest class of candidates to receive degrees at one time, in Bangor, in the history of either rite.

There were present at this meeting as guests, among others, Ill. Bro. John V. Ellis, 33°, of St. John, Past M. P. Grand Commander of the Supreme Council for the Dominion of Canada, Ill. Bro. Marquis F. King, 33°, Deputy for Maine, and Ill. Bro. Frederick C. Thayer, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery of Maine.

Wm. C. Mason, 33°, has been at the head of this chapter since it was organized, May 17, 1889, and the completeness with which the degrees are conferred, are mainly due to his able efforts.

The membership of the chapter is now 233.

Books, Papers, etc.

—*Bureau of Labor*, from Carroll D. Wright, Commissioner. The Bulletin for January, No. 50, discusses Labor Unions and British Industry, and Land Values in Philadelphia.

—We are again indebted to Capt. Chas. A. Abbey, of New York, for a copy of the annual report for 1903 of the Life-Saving service, and, as usual, it contains many thrilling stories of shipwrecks and rescues.

—Senator Eugene Hale favors us with a report of the hearing on Roads and Road Building. It is evident that in time we shall get as far forward in road building as the Romans were 2,000 years ago.

—*The Cosmopolitan* for May has a finely illustrated article on German actresses and several fine stories. The Diary of King Edward VIII, is concluded, and is a notable work. Published at Irvington, N. Y., \$1 a year, 10c. a number.

—*The Twentieth Century Home* is a new quarto monthly published at Irvington, N. Y., at \$1 a year or 10c. a number. It is especially a woman's magazine, and the large size of the pages gives an excellent chance for fine illustration.

—We are indebted to the Keystone for a copy of the *Masonic Register of Pennsylvania* for 1904, a most convenient little volume.

—The *Western Mason* of Los Angeles, Cal., has consolidated with the *Los Angeles Freemason* and gone out of business. It had issued 32 weekly numbers.

—The *Masonic Chronicle* of Chicago is changed into a weekly and will be furnished at the same price, \$1 a year.

—The *Shibboleth* of Memphis, Tenn., established by the late Bun F. Price, has died.

—*It was Summer time in Dixie Land* is a new popular song from the Theatrical

Music Supply Co., 46 West 28th St., New York, 25c. It is said to be a great hit, and is certainly very good.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.

Supreme Grand Master of England and Wales to Visit the Grand Encampment of the United States.

One of the most notable features of the Triennial Conclave of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templar of the United States, which will convene in San Francisco, on September 6th next, will be the official visit, and reception with the highest honors, of the Most Eminent and Supreme Grand Master of the Great Priory of England and Wales, The Right Honorable the Earl of Euston, who will be accompanied by Chas. F. Matier, the Great Vice Chancellor, the Rev. C. E. L. Wright, Grand Prelate, A. F. Woodiwis, K. C. T., T. P. Dohrman, K. C. T., A. J. Thomas and Thomas Frazer; all distinguished members of the Foreign Grand Priory.

Gen. John Corson Smith, of Chicago, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations of the Grand Encampment, has received letters advising him that the Supreme Grand Master and his party are booked to reach New York City on the 21st of August, and Chicago, on Tuesday, the 23d of August. They purpose travelling in a private car from Chicago to San Francisco, and while in San Francisco will make their headquarters with the officers of the Grand Encampment of the United States in the Grand Palace Hotel.

The presence of so distinguished a party of foreign Knights Templar will be made the occasion of special entertainment in honor of the visitors. It is probable that the Grand Master and the other officers of the Great Priory of Canada will also be present in the Grand Encampment.

Returning from San Francisco, the English party of knights will visit the World's Fair at St. Louis, and then journey east to Boston, where they will attend the Supreme Council of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the 33d degree, and then sail for England on or about September 24th.

Grand Captain General Wm. B. Melish, of Cincinnati, is making hotel and other arrangements for the English party, and it may be that they will join the official Grand Encampment special train, leaving Chicago on August 16th instead of the 24th, and thus visit the Yellowstone Park en route with the official party.

One of the finest of the Knights Templar trains making the trip to the Triennial Conclave in San Francisco next August will be the Grand Encampment Special. This train will be equipped with sleeping cars, diners, café car and baggage car, and will run solid to California and back.

The official party will be headed by the

M. E. Grand Master, H. B. Stoddard, attended by the Grand Officers of the Grand Encampment.

Many members of the Grand Encampment will join the party at Chicago and make the journey via the Yellowstone Park, the cities of Tacoma, Seattle and Portland, the party being entertained in each of these cities by the Knights Templar there.

After the festivities of the Conclave week, the party will take the special train for the homeward journey via Southern California, the Grand Cañon and the Petrified Forests of Arizona, winding up at the World's Fair at St. Louis.

A complete itinerary of the trip has been published and the party will be limited to one hundred and twenty-five persons.

As the party is not limited to members of the Grand Encampment, Knights Templar who desire to make the trip can address V. Em. Sir Wm. B. Melish, Grand Captain General, Cincinnati, Ohio, the special train being under his charge.

Members of the masonic bodies will be interested in a new order just launched at Topeka, Kan., by a body composed of 200 charter members. It is called the Ancient Toltec Rite and it bears to the higher bodies of Masonry about the same relation as that of the Eastern Star to the blue lodges. This means that it admits the woman-kind of masons, and to belong to it a woman must be the wife, daughter, sister or widow of a 32d degree mason or Knight Templar, while the male member must have reached to one of these degrees.

The rite is in three degrees, constructed with particular reference to a mixed company of ladies and gentlemen. At Topeka recently these degrees were exemplified before a class of 150, forming a really brilliant assembly. Not the least effective of the ensemble were the rich costumes worn by the ladies who formed the working teams. The degrees are dramatic in their character, giving room for pretty tableaux as well as the ritualistic work of the order.

The council established at Topeka is the first one in the United States and it is launched with the idea that it will spread throughout the country under the sanction of the authorities in Masonry. Charters have already been applied for by several Kansas towns having commanderies or bodies of the 32d degree.

We have received from Bro. R. F. Gould, the English Masonic historian, two valuable articles reprinted from the *Coronati* proceedings: "Three Great Masonic Lights," being sketches of Josiah H. Drummond, Henry P. H. Bromwell and David Murray Lyon, and "Philo-Musicæ et Architecturæ Societas Apollini," being a review of the history of that society.

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Secretaries should instantly report the election of officers, if they have not done so, that communications, &c., may be sent to the proper addresses.

The Annual Meetings.

The sunny and warm weather of Grand Lodge week did much to make the meetings agreeable.

Much regret was felt that Grand Master Burnham was obliged to refuse a second term, because he has been an able and efficient officer, but his health is of the first importance. His successor, Bro. Hugh R. Chaplin, is one of the ablest lawyers in Maine, and cannot but prove a successful Grand Master.

Past Grand Master William P. Preble came on from Staten Island to attend the sessions and was warmly welcomed.

In the Grand Commandery Grand Commander Frederick C. Thayer was re elected, (a well-deserved compliment after his diligent year's work), and Grand Capt. General Frank Keizer was advanced, but both declined to accept. Grand Generalissimo Rugg of the Grand Encampment was heartily greeted, as he always is, as was also Grand Commander Freeman C. Hersey, of Boston, but the latter was almost immediately recalled to Boston by telegraph.

MASONIC RELIEF. Half a century ago William B. Hubbard, of Ohio, one of the most distinguished of masonic authorities, said:

"The obligations of Master Masons and their lodges are common to all equally, in reference to the widows and orphans of deceased worthy masons. They are not limited to fixed boundaries. Wherever the poor, destitute or helpless widow or orphan of a deceased worthy brother is found, there the relief should be provided by the frater-

nity. There is no usage or regulation by which, like our State Poor Laws, the destitute are to be traced back to a former settlement or residence. Each lodge or Master Mason will administer relief to true objects of masonic charity, where and when they may be found to exist."

Masonry has not changed, but new ideas, received from benefit societies, have been presented to the craft. It is urged that every lodge should take care of its own members and repay all relief granted to them by others. This is generally acceded to when the lodge is able to do so.

It is further urged that the lodge should take entire care of the needy member if his case demands it, until the lodge is bankrupt, and that then the Grand Lodge should assume the burden.

This is absurd, because the history of all health-insurance companies has been one of failure, and they start with what they think are sufficient premiums, and only guarantee a fixed sum per week. How much more difficult for a lodge to insure the health of its members to any amount required by their necessities without any premiums other than the trifling annual dues. A man who is paralyzed needs a watcher at \$20 or \$30 a week and his case demands at least \$40 a week. A man who becomes insane needs several hundreds of dollars a year.

There is a limit to what charity can do because a man must provide for his own, and so there is a limit to what a lodge can do. Perhaps we never reach the limit in fact, but we are now discussing the theory. If the charity of Masonry is to be changed to benefits, the dues must be changed to that basis and the demands must be limited to what the beneficiary is entitled to and not to his necessities.

But Masonry is not to be changed to a benefit association. Those who demand the change are few, and most Grand Lodges adhere to the old way. But this does not mean that the duties of charity are to be shirked. As a safeguard against imposture, cases of relief are mostly left to lodges. When the lodge fund is lacking the brethren should contribute to make it good.

Non-affiliates should not be entirely neglected. They have no claim upon the lodge funds, but they have a partial claim upon the craft and the lodge should recognize it. And as a lodge which made that non-affiliate a mason imposed him upon the craft, that lodge should hold itself more responsible than others, and should at least contribute up to the amount which it received from him for the degrees.

Joseph A. Locke.

After an illness of several weeks, during which he made a brave, but from the first, a hopeless fight for life, Hon. Joseph A. Locke, one of the best loved citizens of Portland, died at his home, 179 State street,

Portland, at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon, April 21, 1904.

From a too close attention to professional duties, the physical condition of Bro. Locke had become generally run down during the last year. He had been troubled particularly with an inability to properly digest his food, and it was in the hope that his weakened condition might be improved that two months ago in company with his only daughter, Miss Grace Locke, he decided to make an extended Southern trip. The plans, however, did not prove to be beneficial, for hardly had Bro. Locke arrived in the South when he became so seriously ill that he soon made preparations to return home. So he gave up the idea of remaining in the South, and ten days ago arrived back at his home in Portland. By this time his physical condition had become noticeably feeble, and since then his life has been hanging in the balance.

The death of Bro. Locke will be a distinct loss to this city and state. He was the soul of honor and a scholarly, cultured man of the highest ideals.

Bro. Locke was born in Hollis, York County, Maine, December 25, 1843, and was a descendant in the sixth generation from John Locke, of Hampton, (now Rye), N. H., who came from Yorkshire, England, in 1644, it is believed, and first settled in Dover, N. H., where he became a land owner.

In his childhood Bro. Locke's parents moved to Biddeford, where he was fitted for college, graduating from Bowdoin College in 1865, with high honors, being the salutatorian of his class. After graduation he taught for two years in the High School at Portland, having charge of the classes in Greek, Latin and Chemistry. While teaching he was pursuing his law studies, afterwards entering the law office of Davis & Drummond, (Judge Woodbury Davis and Hon. Josiah H. Drummond) and was admitted to practice in 1868. He settled in Portland, where from the first he had a large practice. In 1880 he formed a co-partnership with his brother, Ira S. Locke, under the firm name of Locke & Locke.

Bro. Locke had frequently been honored with official positions, in all of which he acquitted himself with great credit. He was President of the State Senate in 1881 and 1882.

He was made a mason in Dunlap Lodge in Biddeford in 1866. Having decided to make his home in Portland he transferred his membership to Portland Lodge, No. 1, the oldest lodge in Maine, and acting under charter issued in 1769, and was elected Senior Warden in 1869 and 1870, and Worshipful Master in 1871 and 1872. In the Grand Lodge he was Grand Master in 1897 and '98. He received the chapter degrees in Greenleaf Chapter, No. 13, at Portland,

in 1867, and, after filling various offices, was elected M. E. High Priest in 1870. In the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Maine, Bro. Locke filled various offices from 1872 until 1881, when he was elected M. E. Grand High Priest, and re-elected the following year. He received the Cryptic degrees in 1871.

In 1868 the Orders of Knighthood were conferred upon him in St. Alban Commandery, No. 8, Portland, in which commandery he filled several positions until December, 1876, when he was elected Eminent Commander, and re-elected the following year. In the Grand Commandery of Maine he was elected Deputy Grand Commander in May, 1887, and R. E. Grand Commander in May, 1888, being re-elected in 1889.

Bro. Locke's interest in Masonry was not limited to the York rite. In 1870 he received the degrees in Yates Lodge of Perfection and in Portland Council. In 1871 the degrees in Dunlap Chapter of Rose Croix, and in 1873 the degrees in Maine Consistory. In February, 1875, he was elected T. P. Grand Master of Yates Lodge of Perfection, and was re-elected annually, notwithstanding repeated declinations, until February, 1886, when, on account of ill health and pressure of business engagements, he insisted that he should be relieved. But the relief was only temporary, for in March of the same year he was elected Commander-in-Chief of Maine Consistory. In September, 1884, he received at Detroit, Mich., the honorary grade of Sovereign Grand Inspector of the Thirty-third and last degree. Three years ago he was elected Senior Warden of the Grand Encampment, Knights Templar, of the United States, and at its triennial which is to be held in San Francisco, Cal., next fall he would have been elected Captain General.

Bro. Locke married Miss Florence E. Perley, daughter of Joseph H. Perley, of Portland, Aug. 27, 1873, and she with three sons and one daughter survive. The daughter is Miss Grace Perley Locke, and the sons are John R. Locke, Allan S. Locke and Joseph A. Locke, Jr.

He was buried from the M. E. Church, Chestnut Street, on Sunday, April 24th, by the Grand Commandery of Maine, assisted by V. E. Henry W. Rugg, Grand Generalissimo representing the Grand Master.

Obituaries.

JOHN BROWN ATKINS, Grand Treasurer of the Grand Commandery of Iowa, died at Los Angeles, California, Dec. 5th, aged 68.

ARTHUR M. CLARE, Grand Master of Michigan in 1883, died at Lexington, Oct. 26th. He was born at Landoff, N. H., Aug. 4, 1833. He was also Grand Lecturer for twenty-three years, and Grand Lecturer in the Grand Chapter for eleven years.

WARREN TYLER, Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of Florida, died at Bartow, Dec. 21st, of typhoid fever. He was Grand High Priest in 1897, Grand Commander in 1900, and was formerly the Grand Representative of the Grand Commandery of Maine. He was a bank president and a very prominent citizen. He was born in Connecticut, Aug. 4, 1861.

CONRAD B. DAY, Grand Master of Pennsylvania in 1883 and 1884, died in Philadelphia, Jan. 11th, aged 72.

MYRON J. HORTON, Grand Junior Warden of the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire, died at Poultney, Jan. 7, aged 63. He was Grand High Priest in 1894 and '95, and Grand Master of the Grand Council in 1896 and '97.

CHARLES J. MACDONALD, Grand Master of Nova Scotia in 1890, and Grand High Priest in 1876, died at Halifax, Oct. 12th, aged 62. He was a Lieut.-Colonel and served in the Reil rebellion. He was the first Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge.

A. J. ROSE, Grand Master of Texas in 1886, died at Salado, Dec. 13th, aged 73.

JOHN ADRIANCE, Grand High Priest of Texas in 1887, died at Columbia, Dec. 7th, aged 88. He fought in the struggle of 1836 and in the Civil War.

JAMES G. AYDYLOTT, P. G. M. of the Grand Council of Tennessee, died at Tullahoma, June 22, 1903. He was born at Hickman, Ky., Nov. 3, 1845, and was the Grand Representative of Maine.

JACOB H. MEDAIRD, Emeritus Grand Secretary of Maryland, died at Baltimore, Feb. 4, aged 82, having been born in Baltimore, Jan. 26, 1822. He had been a mason for 58 years and Grand Secretary for forty years. He was King of the Grand Chapter in 1864.

JOHN G. MCFARLANE, Grand Treasurer of the Grand Commandery of Minnesota, died in Minneapolis, Jan. 12th, aged 75.

HERMAN L. LUTHER, G. Capt. General of Minnesota, died at Faribault, Feb. 2d, aged 49.

GABRIEL BOUCK, Grand Master of Wisconsin in 1860, died at Oshkosh, Feb. 21, 1904, aged 76.

CHARLES BELCHER, Grand Secretary of the Grand Chapter of New Jersey, died at Newark, Feb. 20th. He was Grand Master in 1895, and Correspondent of the Grand Lodge.

JOSEPH P. MCQUEEN, Grand King of the Grand Chapter of Alabama, died in Eutaw, Jan. 20th, aged 50.

ROBERT CARTER DUNNINGTON, Grand Secretary of the Grand Chapter of West Virginia, and Grand Recorder of the Grand Commandery, died at Fairmont, Feb. 10th. He was born at Pruntytown, Va., May 19,

1838. He was a very efficient officer and most courteous and kindly to his associates.

CHARLES CARROLL DANFORTH, Grand Commander of New Hampshire in 1886, died at Concord, March 7th. He was Grand Marshal of the Grand Lodge.

ROLAND H. OAKLEY, Grand Master of Nebraska in 1879, and Grand Commander in 1876, died in Denver, Col., Feb. 2d. He was born in Blenheim, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1841.

JOHN HATCH, Grand Commander of New Hampshire in 1896 and '97, died at Greenland, March 16th, aged 55. He was Bank Commissioner and left a wife, three sons and three daughters.

GEORGE E. DODGE, Grand Master of Arkansas in 1887, died at Little Rock, Feb. 6th, in his fifty-eighth year.

ELIJAH H. PHELPS, Grand Master of the Grand Council of Missouri in 1897, died in Kansas City, Feb. 18th, aged 64.

WILLIAM AUGUSTUS GRAHAM, Past Grand High Priest and Past Grand Master of the Grand Council of Georgia, died at Fort Gaines, Feb. 24th.

ANDREW BLAIR FRAZEE, Past Grand Commander of New Jersey in 1881, died in Camden, March 28th, aged 84. He was a pioneer steamboat man and long the superintendent of the Penn. R. R. ferries. He was Deputy of the Supreme Council.

ELLERY I. GARFIELD, Grand Commander of Michigan in 1873, died in Guthrie, Oklahoma, Jan. 17, 1904. He was born in Langdon, N. H., Dec. 7, 1837. He was the Capt. General of Detroit Commandery in 1868 and made it celebrated for its drill.

DAN P. WEBSTER, Grand Commander of Vermont in 1902 and '03, died at Brattleboro, March 13th.

THOMAS JEFFERSON SMITH, Deputy Grand Commander of Kentucky, died at Bowling Green, March 21st in his 61st year.

ANGEL S. MYERS, Grand High Priest of Tennessee in 1900, died in Memphis, Feb. 9th, aged 75.

ISRAEL P. WILSON, Grand High Priest of Iowa in 1900, died in Burlington, March 9th, aged 67.

S. STACKER WILLIAMS, Grand Master of Ohio in 1885-6-7, died at the home of his daughter in Washington C. H., April 3d. He had accumulated one of the best masonic libraries in the country, which he presented to the Grand Lodge of Ohio. He was well known throughout the country and had many personal friends among the craft.

DE WITT CLINTON CARROLL, Grand Commander of Pennsylvania in 1880, died in Pittsburg, April 7, 1904. He was born in Pittsburg, Dec. 23, 1829.

General John B. Gordon was a master mason.

THE DAYS GONE BY.

In the days gone by, when my naked feet were tripped
By the honeysuckle's tangles, where the water lilies dipped,
And the ripple of the river lipped the moss along the brink,
Where the placid-eyed and lazy-footed cattle came to drink,
And the tilting snipe stood fearless of the truant's wayward cry,
And the splashing of the swimmer, in the days gone by.

Oh, the days gone by! Oh, the days gone by!
The music of the laughing lip, the lustre of the eye;
The childish faith in fairies, and Aladdin's magic ring,
The simple, soul-reposing, glad belief in everything,
When life was like a story, holding neither sob nor sigh,
In the olden, golden glory of the days gone by.

—[James Whitcomb Riley.]

Wilder F. McClintock,

Who passed to his reward in the Celestial lodge above February 5th, was the oldest living Past Master, at the time of his death, of Seaside Lodge, No. 144, Boothbay Harbor. He died at Brookline, Mass., aged 58 years. The funeral services were held at his late residence in Brookline, Mass., and the interment at Wiscasset, Me.

An associate in writing says, "He has enjoyed a very wide circle of friends among the rubber manufacturers and jobbers in the East, as well as in New York City, and was one whom we all felt we could depend upon as a loyal, true friend, and whose loss we all deeply mourn." Brother McClintock was connected with the rubber business for twenty years. For a number of years had charge of the Hall Rubber Co.'s interest in Portland. About ten years ago he removed to Boston and since that time has been with the Stoughton Rubber Co., and at his death held the position of Vice President and assistant manager of the Company. He leaves a wife and one son.

Bro. R. F. Gould wishes to notify those Grand Secretaries who are kind enough to send him the Annual *Proceedings* of their Grand Bodies, that in consequence of the Junior Army and Navy Club, London (where communications are often forwarded to him), being about to close its doors,—"Kingfield, Woking," will become *his only address*.

The late Dennis W. Clark, who died April 18th, at the age of 85, was not a mason, but in 1831, when a boy, he was in the employ of Jeremy L. Cross in New Haven, and he gave us a very interesting description of Cross, published in the *Masonic Token* Jan. 15, 1886.

Samuel M. Bronson, of Hartford, Conn., the Grand Representative of the Grand Commandery of Maine, was presented with a very beautiful 33° jewel at a meeting of Cyrus Goodell Chapter of Rose Croix, Jan. 28th, by the A. and A. Masons of that valley.

The Grand Lodge of Massachusetts has passed an order requesting all other Grand Lodges to require that visitors hailing from Massachusetts shall produce a Grand Lodge certificate before being examined.

Elizabeth, sister of Robert Freke Gould, the English Masonic historian, died at Bath, England, February 19th.

Frank E. Nichols, of Fairmont, has been appointed Grand Recorder of the Grand Commandery of West Virginia, in place of Robert C. Dunnington, deceased.

Notices should never be signed with W. Master or Eminent Commander, but simply Master or Commander. Look at your charters and see how they are signed. The complimentary part of the title is only used by those addressing the officer.

Frank E. Nichols, Fairmont, W. Va., has been appointed Gr. Secretary of the Gr. Chapter, in place of Robert C. Dunnington, deceased.

L. L. Grear, Passaic, has been appointed Grand Secretary of the Grand Chapter of New Jersey in place of Comp. Charles Belcher, deceased.

The following lodges pay \$1, \$2 or \$3 a year, receiving 11, 22 and 33 copies of the *Token* respectively, to distribute to the members who are promptest in attendance:

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Ira Berry Chapter, Pittsfield,	22
Amity Lodge, Camden,	11
Mariner's Lodge, Searsport,	11
Pioneer Lodge, Ashland,	11
Lincoln Lodge, Wiscasset,	33
St. Aspinquid Lodge, York Corner,	11
What lodge shall be next added?	

MODEL BY-LAWS.—The addition to Section 117 of the Grand Lodge Constitution, page 46, *Proceedings* 1900, necessitates a change in the model by-laws in the Article of Membership, Section 41, and any lodge desiring a copy can obtain one by applying to the Grand Secretary.

Our Thanks

ALABAMA.—Gr. Chapter Nov. 30, 1903, from Geo. A. Beauchamp, Montgomery, G. Sec. Chas. R. Bricken, Luverne, G. H. P. 45 chapters, 1,732 members, and 334 exalted.

CONNECTICUT.—Grand Commandery Mar. 15, 1904, from Eli C. Birdsey, Meriden, G. Rec. Julius W. Knowlton, Bridgeport, G. Com. 11 commanderies, 2,984 members, 194 knighted.

GEORGIA.—Gr. Lodge Oct. 27, 1903, from W. A. Wolihin, Macon, G. Sec. Max Meyerhardt, Rome, G. M. 461 lodges, 22,841 members, 1,812 initiates.

LOUISIANA. Gr. Lodge Feb. 1, 1904, from Richard Lambert, N. Orleans, Gr. Sec. Robert R. Reid, N. Orleans, G. M. 138 lodges, 7,740 members, 917 initiates.

Gr. Chapter Feb. 2, 1904, from Richard Lambert, Gr. Sec. Graham Surghnor, N. Orleans, G. H. P. 24 chapters, 1,725 members, 239 exalted.

Gr. Commandery Feb. 5, 1904, from Richard Lambert, G. Rec. Geo. W. Booth, N. Orleans, Gr. Com. 8 commanderies, 518 members, 75 knighted.

MARYLAND.—Gr. Chapter Nov. 19, 1903, from John H. Miller, Baltimore, Gr. Sec. Joseph H. Jackson, Baltimore, Gr. H. P. 21 chapters, 2,381 members, 202 exalted.

MICHIGAN.—Gr. Lodge Jan. 26, 1904, from Lou B. Winsor, Reed City, Gr. Sec. Fletcher E. Turrell, Bellaire, G. M. 393 lodges, 49,724 members, 3,239 raised.

Gr. Chapter Jan. 19, 1904, from Chas. A. Conover, Coldwater, Gr. Sec. Michael B. McGee, Crystal Falls, G. H. P. 138 chapters, 15,899 members, 1,153 exalted, the greatest number ever exalted in a year.

MINNESOTA.—Gr. Lodge Jan. 20, 1904, from Thomas Montgomery, St. Paul, Gr. Sec. Wm. A. McGonagle, Duluth, G. M. 239 lodges, 19,474 members, 1,326 initiates.

Masonic Veteran Association, 1904, from Edwin P. Capen, Ex. Pres. Thomas C. Clark, Stillwater, Pres.; Giles W. Merrill, St. Paul, Sec. 468 members.

MISSISSIPPI.—Grand Commandery Feb. 16, 1904, from Frederic Speed, Vicksburg, G. Rec. Frank Burkitt, Oklona, G. Com. 21 commanderies, 979 members, 139 knighted. Also copy of Templar Law and Devotional offices.

MONTANA.—Gr. Lodge Sept. 16, 1903, from Cornelius Hedges, Helena, G. Sec. H. S. Hepner, Helena, G. M. 49 lodges, 3,780 members, 301 initiates.

Gr. Chapter Sept. 15, 1903, from Cornelius Hedges, Gr. Sec. A. D. MacDonald, Kalispell, G. H. P. 16 chapters, 1,031 members, 103 exaltations.

NEBRASKA.—Gr. Chapter Dec. 16, 1903, from Francis E. White, Omaha, G. Sec. Benj. F. Thomas, Omaha, G. H. P. 53 chapters, 3,321 members, 259 exalted.

NEW MEXICO.—Gr. Lodge Oct. 19, 1903, from Alpheus A. Keen, Albuquerque, G. Sec. J. C. Slack, Clayton, G. M. 21 lodges, 1,231 members, 108 initiates.

Gr. Commandery Oct. 22, 1903, from A. A. Keen, Albuquerque, G. Rec. Alex. Stevens, Albuquerque, G. Com. 8 commanderies, 351 members, 32 knighted.

NOVA SCOTIA.—Gr. Chapter June 9, 1903, from D. H. Campbell, Halifax, G.

Sec. S. J. Waddell, Truro, G. H. P. 14 chapters, 64 members, 25 exalted.

PENNSYLVANIA.—Grand Lodge Dec. 28, 1903, from Committee on Library. James W. Brown, Phila., G. M. Wm. A. Sinn, Phila., Gr. Sec. 440 lodges, 63,097 members, 4,612 initiates.

SOUTH CAROLINA.—G. Chapter Feb. 10, 1903, from Jacob T. Barron, Columbia, G. Sec. J. Edwin McDonald, Winnsboro, G. H. P. 22 chapters, 936 members, 143 exalted.

TENNESSEE.—Gr. Council Jan. 25, 1904, from Wm. A. Clendening, Nashville, G. Rec. Charles H. Goodlett, Nashville, G. M. 15 councils, 492 members, 50 candidates.

Gr. Chapter Jan. 25, 1904, from W. A. Clendening, Nashville, G. Sec. Fred C. Watkins, Troy, G. H. P. 72 chapters, 3,150 members, 317 exalted.

VIRGINIA.—Gr. Lodge Dec. 1, 1903, from Geo. W. Carrington, Richmond, G. Sec. Thomas N. Davis, Lynchburg, G. M. 279 lodges, 15,001 members, 1,015 raised.

WEST VIRGINIA.—Gr. Chapter Nov. 10, 1903, from Frank E. Nichols, Fairmont, Gr. Sec. Charles M. Larnier, Martinsburg, G. H. P. 29 chapters, 2,824 members, 364 exalted.

SOUTHERN SUPREME COUNCIL.—The proceedings for 1903, received from Frederick Webber, Gr. Sec.-Gen., show 106 Lodges of Perfection, with 17,329 members, and 2,558 candidates.

ARMOUR.—In English statutes, armor is used for the whole apparatus of war; offensive and defensive arms. In the Order of the Temple pieces of armor are used to a limited extent. In the chivalric degrees of the Scottish Rite, in order to carry out the symbolism as well as to render effect to its dramas, armor pieces and articles for use of knights become necessary, with mantling, crest, mottoes, etc.—[*Encyclopedia of Freemasonry—McClenachan.*]

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DIED.

BENJ. W. BLACKINGTON, in Rockland, Jan. 19, aged 76. He was the oldest mason in Rockland.

FRANK HOWARD SWETT, in New York, Jan. 20, aged 58. A member of Atlantic Lodge and Portland Commandery.

THOMAS W. DUNN, in Rockland, Jan. 23, aged 82. Maine's oldest shipbuilder. Treasurer of Orient Lodge for more than thirty years.

JOSEPH N. MARTIN, in Portland, Jan. 23, aged

76. He was the locomotive foreman on the Grand Trunk until he resigned on account of paralysis some years ago. He was a member of Atlantic Lodge.

HIRAM A. ELLIS, in Rumford Falls, Jan. 30, aged 77. He was a veteran railway postal clerk and a member of Whitney Lodge, Canton, Rumford Chapter and Strathglass Commandery.

SIDNEY T. BROWN, M. D., in Denmark, Feb. 3, suddenly, aged 62 yrs. 6 mos. 15 days. Past Master of Mt. Moriah Lodge.

ENOCH F. BRADFORD, in Mechanic Falls, Feb. 8. A member of Tyrian Lodge and St. Andrew's Chapter.

NATHANIEL STACY GARDINER, in Portland, Feb. 11, aged 77 yrs. 7 mos. 20 days. He was a member of Ancient Land-mark Lodge.

JOHN H. BURNHAM, in Biddeford, Feb. 13, aged 74. He was the senior Past Master of Dunlap Lodge, and was a member of York Chapter and Bradford Commandery; was ex-Mayor and a prominent citizen.

HERBERT A. LONG, in Machias, Feb. 14. A member of St. Elmo Commandery.

JOHN W. LOW, in Portland, Feb. 16, aged 79 yrs. 7 mos. 3 d. A member of Atlantic Lodge.

JAMES H. FITZGERALD, in Portland, Feb. 21, aged 70. He was born in Westport, Ireland, March 14, 1834. He was a member of Ancient Land-mark Lodge. He left a wife, one son, and one daughter, married to Past Master Charles P. Costello. In 1866 he was in partnership with Bro. Joseph Y. Hodsdon and was burned out in the great fire. Since then he has been in business alone and with his son.

CHARLES E. NASH, in Augusta, February 25, aged 65. He was a Captain in the civil war, was for many years one of the firm of state printers, and latterly was publisher of the Maine Farmer's Almanac. He was a member of Augusta Lodge, Cushnoc Chapter and Trinity Commandery.

JOSEPH D. CURTIS, of Freeport, in St. Petersburg, Florida, March 11, aged 58 y. 8 m. 16 days.

SETH PATTERSON, in Wiscasset, March 5, aged 83. He was Master of Dresden Lodge in 1865-8, and High Priest of New Jerusalem Chapter in 1869. He was President of Wiscasset Savings Bank and a prominent citizen.

ALGERNON M. ROAK, in Auburn, March 29, aged 57. He was Grand Master of the Grand Council in 1893 and '94, and Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge in 1899.

CHARLES H. OGDEN, in Springvale, April 4, aged 58. He was the senior Past Master of Springvale Lodge and Past District Deputy Gr. Master.

CYRUS KINDRICK, M. D., in Litchfield, April 4, aged 78. He was Master of Morning Star Lodge for eleven years, and one of the founders of the Maine Medical Association.

JOHN J. GERRISH, in Portland, April 7, aged 82 yrs. 3 mos. 17 days. He was born in Durham, Dec. 21, 1821, was a conductor on the Grand Trunk, Superintendent of the Portland Railroad, and finally a dealer in railroad supplies. He was a member of Portland Lodge and Greenleaf Chapter.

ALEXANDER DAVIDSON, in Vinalhaven, Mch. 8, aged 58 yrs. 4 mos. 8 days. He was Secretary of Moses Webster Lodge.

CHARLES WALTON SMALL, in Augusta, of Appendicitis, April 11, in his 30th year. He was a lawyer and an expert stenographer. He was a member of Deering Lodge, Mt. Vernon Chapter, Portland Council and St. Alban Commandery of Portland.

BENJAMIN SHAW, in Portland, April 11, aged 74 yrs. 7 mos. He was a real estate agent and a member of Ancient Land-mark Lodge.

DR. ISRAEL T. DANA, in Portland, April 13. He was born at Marblehead, Mass., June 6, 1827,

and was a leading physician. He was a member of Blanquefort Commandery of Ellsworth.

FREDEKICK K. CARLE, in Portland, April 16, aged 75. A member of Atlantic Lodge, and a mason and builder by occupation.

WILLIAM H. SCOTT, in Portland, April 18, aged 67. He was a tin-roofer, and a member of Deering Lodge, Greenleaf Chapter and St. Alban Commandery.

JOSEPH ALVAH LOCKE, in Portland, April 21, aged 60 yrs. 3 mos. 27 days. (See editorial.)

THOMAS P. R. CARTLAND died at sea in April, aged 54. A member of Ancient Land-mark Lodge.

JOSIAH CROSBY, in Dexter, May 5, aged 87. He was the eldest graduate of Bowdoin College, having graduated in 1835, and had been trustee for 20 years. He was a veteran member of Penobscot Lodge and was engaged in writing its history.

ALBION P. TOPLIFF, in Woodfords, May 8, aged 61. He was a physician and a member of Deering Lodge, Greenleaf Chapter and Portland Commandery.

LEROY D. SMALL, found drowned at Prince's Point, May, aged 33. A member of Morning Star Lodge, Litchfield Corners.

CAPT. JACOB B. CROCKER, in Portland, May 13, aged 72 yrs. 1 mo. 5 d. A life member of Warren Lodge of East Machias.

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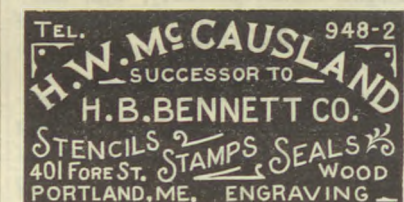
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