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THE FIRST DEAD LEAF.

The first dead leaf came dancing down—And all at once the skies were gray
While over country side and town
There sighed a breeze that seemed to say
The knell of summer had been rung, The long, long days of peace were gone, hat as an army's van outflung
The front of winter hastened on.

The bees went humming to and fro,
The flowers nodded in the breeze,
The grasses laughed and whispered low
Their mystic, rustling melodies.
The hollyhocks in stately row
Stood as do sentinels that frown—
But none of all of them might know
The first dead leaf was dancing down.

The first dead leaf—it fluttered by
In madeap leaps as though t'were glad—
But from somewhere there came a sigh
That drifted tremulous and sad,
And for a moment all was still
Above the countryside and town,
And suddenly the air grew chill—
The first dead leaf came dancing down.

It blazed with gold and brown and red-It blazed with gold and brown and red—
I knew whence came the glowing hue;
The heart of summertime had bled
Upon the dying leaf, I knew!
It danced a measure blithe and gay,
Aflame with red and gold and brown.
A murmur sighed from far away—
The first dead leaf came dancing down.

Then came the first autumnal lull: A shudder shook the trees and grass-A cricket piped in accents dull
A dance until the leaf should pass. A dance until the leaf should pass.

A dance until the leaf should pass.

But summer—surely summer wept

And brooded o'er her fading gown,

While onward autumn slowly crept—

The first dead leaf came dancing down.

—[Chicago Post.]

MASONRY IN MAINE.

Lodge Elections.

Naval, 184, Kittery. Geo. W. Collins, m; Frank E. Rollins, sw; J. Edward Hatch. jw; Levi L. Goodrich, sec.

Oriental Star, 21, Livermore Falls. H. McKenney, m; Samuel S. Wood, sw; Charles W. Gammon, jw; Geo. O. Eustis,

Ancient York, 155, Lisbon Falls. Geo. W. Woodard, m; Leroy E. Williams, sw; Asbury M. Blake, jw; Wm. Parkin, sec.

Mount Bigelow, 202, Flagstaff. Edward L. Donahue, m; Fremont Lincoln, sw; Elmer A. Sampson, jw; Walter E. Hinds,

Asylum, 133, Wayne. Fred'k L. Chenery, m; James M. Moulton, sw; Albert W. Riggs, jw; B. Frank Bradford, sec.

Lebanon, 116, Norridgewock. O. Fremont Hall, m; Harry D. Burgess, sw; Alfred E. Tuttle, jw; Chas. A. Ward, sec.

St. Aspinquid, 198, York Village. Wm. P. Cummings, m; Raymond F. Brewster, sw; Willis W. Cuzner, jw; Albert E. Cuzner, sec.

Baskahegan, 175, Danforth. James H. Dingee, m; Calvin L. Harding, sw; Guy L. Rowe, jw; Martin L. Porter, sec.

Unity, 58, Thorndike. Benjamin Porter Hurd, m; Alonzo H. Higgins, sw; Charles B. Cox, jw; Albert W. Ward, sec.

Mount Abram, 204, Kingfield. Frank Hutchins, m; C. Frank Collins, sw; Hart-ley B. Sprague, jw; Arthur C. Woodward, sec

Wilton, 156, Wilton. Colin H. Dascomb, m; La Roy G. Furnel, sw; Ernest P. Parlin, jw; Fred E. Trefethen, sec.

Vassalboro, 54, No. Vassalboro. William A. Lord, m; J Arno Wyman, sw; Willard A. Marriner, jw; James T. Staples, sec.

Chapter Elections.

Teconnet, 52, Waterville. Joseph H. Knox, hp; Eugene C. Herring, k; Sanger N. Annis, sc; Charles B. Davis, sec.

Cushnoc, 43, Augusta. George H. Bangs, hp; B. Freeman Smith, k; M. E. Sawtelle, sc; Thomas H. Bodge, sec.

Lebanon, 18, Gardiner. Allan C. L. Bartlett, hp; Ralph A. Stone, k; Daniel H. Sherman, sc; James M. Larrabee, sec.

Franklin, 44, Farmington. Jarvis L. Tyler, hp; Elbert A. Hardy, k; Ausbury C. Greenleaf, sc; George B. Cragin, sec.

Council Elections.

Dunlap, 8, Lewiston. Elvert E. Parker, tim; Fred E. Dwinal, dm; T. L. Pratt, pcw; George R. Page, rec.

Jephthah, 17, Farmington. Wilfred M. Turner, tim; Fred E. Trefethren, dm; Wm. H. Holly, pcw; George B. Cragin, rec.

Commandery Elections.

St. Omer, 12, Waterville. John H. De Orsey, com; Herbert B. Holland, gen; John A. Davison, cg; Charles B. Davis, rec.

Dedications.

The new hall of Saco Lodge, No. 9, Saco, was dedicated Sept. 24th by Grand Master Charles F. Johnson, assisted by Millard F. Hicks, Gr. Treas. Convers E. Leach, assistant G. Sec., Rev. Wm. Fultz, G. Chaplain, Harold E. Cook, G. Marshal, Walter S. Smith, Grand Organist, Ralph H. Burbank, Gr. Steward and Warren O. Carney, G. Tyler, and the local brethren. More past, the W. Master, Harry R. Farris, made

than 300 were present. A banquet fol-

The new hall of Olive Branch Lodge, No. 124, at Charleston, was dedicated Oct. 9th by Grand Master Charles F. Johnson, assisted by Dist. Deputy Gr. Master Geo. S. Walker, Grand Chaplain Wm. H. Fultz, Grand Marshal Harold E. Cook, and Gr. Tyler Warren O. Carney, with local brethren to fill the vacant offices. A banquet followed.

Henry S. Cobb having declined to accept the office of District Deputy for the 17th district, Charles W. Carll of Warren Phillips Lodge, Cumberland Mills, was appointed to that position August 2d, was commissioned and was installed by P. G. M. Albro E. Chase.

Lon M. Philbrick of the 12th district resigned August 15th on account of ill-health, and Leon O. Tebbetts, of Augusta, (P. M. of Lafayette Lodge) was appointed in his

Grand Master Johnson will dedicate the new hall of Somerset Lodge at Skowhegan on Oct. 17th at 7:30 P. M.

At a meeting of Lygonia Lodge, F. & A. M., of Ellsworth, it was voted not to rebuild the Masonic building on State Street, but to dispose of the same for a certain amount.

Bethany Commandery of Lawrence spent Labor Day at Peak's Island, Portland Harbor, coming Saturday and returning Monday evening. They invited Portland and St Alban Commanderies to dine with them Monday and after a pleasant afternoon were escorted up town to their train in a drizzling rain which was faced good naturedly.

The Council of the Grand R. A. Chapter met at Riverton, Portland, September 14th Grand High Priest Edwin A. Porter presiding. About 20 were present.

Centennial of Oxford Lodge.

Oxford Lodge, No. 18, of Norway, celebrated its Centennial September 13th by a banquet at the Opera House, where over 300 members and their ladies sat down at 6:30 P. M. to an excellent repast. After the rea brief address and introduced the historian, R. Wor. Howard D. Smith, who gave a sketch of the history of the lodge which he has prepared for publication, and it proved very interesting.

Grand Secretary Stephen Berry, who represented the Grand Lodge, was then called upon. He presented the greetings of the Grand Master and Grand Lodge and congratulations upon the prosperity of the lodge and especially upon the completion of its history, and indulged in reminiscences of the town and people as he knew them when a boy, 62 years previously.

The tables were then cleared away and an hour and a half program of music aud monologue was given by the Lotus Quartet of Lewiston and Miss Maud Andrews of Augusta. After that the hall was cleared for dancing, which continued until midnight, when the seats were once more placed, and Past Master Clarence M. Smith was called upon to speak of Masonic Brotherhood, which he did in an admirable man-

The singing of Auld Lang Syne by the audience closed the celebration.

The 14th was the real date of the charter, and the ceremonies were tided over the midnight hour purposely to bring it within the proper day.

Our Masonic Exchanges.

Ashlar, Detroit, Michigan, monthly, 25 c. Canadian Craftsman, Toronto, Ontario, monthly, \$1.

Eastern Star, Indianapolis, Indiana, monthlv. \$1.

Eastern Star Journal, Grand Rapids, Michigan, monthly, 50 cents.

Freemason, The, Toronto, Ont., Canada, monthly, 50 cents.

Globe, The, Gravette, Arkansas, monthly, 25 cents.

Ideal Masonico, Sancti Spiritus, Cuba, monthly, \$1.

Journal of the Acacia Fraternity, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Lodge Record, Benson, Minnesota, monthlv. 25 cents.

Los Angeles Freemason, Los Angeles, Cal., monthly, \$1.

Masonic Advocate, Indianapolis, Indiana, monthly, \$1.

Masonic Constellation, St. Louis, Mo., monthly, \$1.

Masonic Chronicler, Chicago, Ill., weekly, \$1.

Masonic Herald, Rome, Georgia, monthly. \$1.

Masonic Light, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, monthly, \$1.50.

Masonic Northern New Yorker, Whitehall, N. Y., monthly, 50 cents.

Masonic News, Peoria, Ill., monthly, \$1. Masonic Observer, Minneapolis, Minnesota, Masonic Review, Tacoma, Washington, monthly, \$1.

Masonic Review, Johannesburg, South Africa, monthly, \$5.

Masonic Standard, New York, N. Y., weekly, \$2.

Masonic Sun, Toronto, Ont., monthly, \$1. Masonic Voice and Review, Chicago, Ill., monthly, \$1.50.

New England Craftsman, Boston, Mass., monthly, \$2.

New Zealand Craftsman, Wellington, New Zealand, monthly, 10s. =\$2.50.

Palestine Bulletin, Detroit, Mich., monthly, 50 cents.

Scottish Rite Bulletin, Louisville, Kentucky, monthly, 50 cents.

Square and Compass, Denver, Colorado, monthly, \$1.

Tennessee Mason, Nashville, Tennessee, monthly, \$1.

Texas Freemason, San Antonio, Texas, monthly, \$1.

Tiestle Board, San Francisco, California, monthly, \$1.

Tyler-Keystone, Ann Arbor, Mich., semimonthly, \$2.

Virginia Masonic Journal, Richmond, Virginia, monthly, \$1.

What Cheer Trestleboard, Providence, R. I., monthly, 50 cents.

Our Thanks

BRITISH COLUMBIA .-- Grand Lodge, June 20, 1907, from Robert E. Brett, Victoria, Gr. Sec. Francis Bowser, Vancouver, Gr. Master. 40 lodge, 3,258 members, 266 ini-

KENTUCKY .-- Gr. Commandery, May 15, 1907, from Alfred H. Bryant, Covington, Gr. Rec. William R. Johnston, Lebanon, G. Commander. 28 commanderies, 3,564 members, 285 knighted.

Michigan .- Gr. Lodge, May 28, 1907, from Lou B. Winsor, Reed City, Gr. Sec. Charles E. Sweet, Dowagiac, Grand Master. 405 lodges, 56,010 members, 3336 raised.

Mississippi.-G. Chapter, Feb. 21, 1907, from Frederic Speed, Vicksburg, Gr. Sec. John S. Brooks, Robinsonville, G. H. P. 69 chapters, 3,276 members, 392 exalted.

Nebraska. -- Grand Lodge, June 4, 1907, from Francis E. White, Omaha, Gr. Sec. Ornan J. King, Lincoln, Gr. Master. lodges, 15,728 members, 1,090 initiates.

NEW JERSEY .- Report of Masonic Home Committee, 1906. Walter Chandler, Chairman, Trenton.

NEW ZEALAND .- G. Lodge, May 8, 1907, from Malcolm Niccol, Christchurch, Grand Sec. William Lee, (Baron Plunket), Canterbury, Grand Master. 142 lodges, 8,499 members, 906 initiates.

PENNSYLVANIA. -- Council of Deliberation,

Philadelphia, G. Sec. James I. Buchanan, Pittsburgh, Deputy. 3,387 members.

SOUTH DAKOTA. -Grand Lodge, June 11, 1907, from Geo. A. Pettigrew, Sioux Falls, Gr. Sec. William E. Milligan, Aberdeen, Grand Master. 145 lodges, 6,675 members, 561 initiates.

Gr. Chapter, June 13, 1907, from Geo. A. Pettigrew, G. Secretary. A. C. Biernatzki, Salem, G. H. P. 30 chapters, 2,143 members, 162 exalted.

Gr. Commandery, June 14, 1907, from Frank A. Brown, Sioux Falls, G. Recorder. Geo. A. Pettigrew, Grand Com. 16 commanderies, 1,168 members, 113 knighted.

Uтан.—Gr. Lodge, Jan. 15, 1907, from Christopher Diehl, Salt Lake City, G. Sec. William J. Barrette, Salt Lake City, G. M. 12 lodges, 1,343 members, 95 initiates.

VERMONT. - Grand Lodge, June 12, 1907, from Henry H. Ross, Burlington, Gr. Sec. Charles A. Calderwood, St. Johnsbury, G. Master. 103 lodges, 12,078 members, 608 raised.

Gr. Council, June 11, 1907, from Henry H. Ross, Burlington, Gr. Rec. David A. Elliott, White River Junction, G. M. 17 councils, 1,320 members, 60 initiates.

Grand Commandery, June 11, 1907, from Henry H. Ross, G. Rec. J. Henry Jackson, Barre, Gr. Com. 12 commanderies, 2,300 members, 188 knighted.

Vermont Council Deliberation, June 10. 1907, from Henry H. Ross, Gr. Secretary. Marsh O. Perkins, Windsor, Commanderin-chief. 762 members, 19 initiates.

Washington. - Grand Chapter, June 14. 1907, from Yancey C. Blalock, Walla Walla, Gr. Sec. Francis B. West, Bellingham, G. Master. 26 chapters, 2,357 members, 217 exalted.

Gr. Commandery, June 10, 1907, from Yancey C. Blalock, Walla Walla, G. Rec. Wm. O. Nicholson, Bellingham, Gr. Commander. 11 commanderies, 1,250 members, 81 knighted.

WEST VIRGINIA. - Grand Commandery, May 8, 1907, from Francis E. Nichols, Fairmont, G. Rec. Wm. H. Whyte, Welch, G. Com. 17 commanderies, 2,562 members, 260 knighted.

A CHARITABLE VIEW. - " 'A few years ago a man moved in our midst, claiming to be a single man from the State of Georgia, and married a lady in South Carolina. was of clever address, and after being in So. Carolina a while he made application to our lodge for membership; the usual committee was appointed to investigate his character: the committee reported favorably; he was elected to the First degree, and same was conferred. At our next meeting the Second degree was conferred. About this time it was reported that said man had a living wife in the State of Georgia; the lodge ceased its actions, not conferring any more degrees and awaiting developments in the matter. No. 1, from Georgia, turned up, said man Dec. 4, 1906, from Francis M. Highley, was prosecuted in the Court of General Sessions and convicted for bigamy, was sentenced to and served two years in the State Penitentiary in South Carolina. After serving his time he came back and sued for and got a divorce from wife No. 1, in the State of Georgia; then he took wife No. 2 to Georgia and married her again, and is now living with her in South Carolina, and is applying to our lodge again for the Third degree of What the lodge wants to know is, could they (the lodge) constitutionally confer said Third degree if the said man is elected by the lodge by ballot, and would it be right, from a moral standpoint, to confer said Third degree under the circumstances above stated?'

"From the facts as stated by you the man was guilty as an E. A. or F. C. Mason of a masonic offence and properly should have been disciplined therefor some years ago. Since that time, however, he has suffered the penalty prescribed by the Criminal Law and has done what he could to ex-

piate his offence against society.

" Masonry, while not a resort for criminals or the criminally inclined, does claim to extend a helping hand to the weak and falling brother who is struggling to do better. A unanimous secret ballot in his favor by the lodge in whose jurisdiction he resides would be the best evidence that the candidate's life is now pure and that he is worthy of advancement. In my jndgment, therefore, your lodge has the right to entertain his petition and if elected to raise him to the M. M. degree.'

[Proc. South Carolina, 1906.]

Supremity.—Bro. Herman C. Duncan of Louisiana says under Colorado:

"A very valuable memorial prepared by M. W. Bro. Henry M. Teller was presented. It is much too long to insert in this report, and an abstract of it cannot well be made so compact is its reasoning. The purport of it is that a Grand Lodge is the supreme authority within its jurisdiction, and holds the inherent right of determining what is true and legitimate Masonry within its domain—that is to say, it holds the right to determine whatever claims to be masonic therein—as to the legitimacy of that claim.

"While agreeing in principle with this and similar declarations, that a Grand Lodge is not only the exclusive sovereign power within its geographical jurisdiction, but also the suzerain of all masonic powers therein, yet, we cannot but think that this, as well as some other like declarations, are, in some

respects, inadequately phrased.

"But first of all, let us take note that, in the exercise of the suzerain power of Grand Lodge, they proceed to announce a decision of what bodies of the Capitular, Cryptic, Templar and Scotch rites legitimacy is acknowledged.

"But it is not clear whether such judgment of a Grand Lodge is subject to reconsideration or extension. We think it is both, and that this power ought to be not only understood, but should be expressed in

such declaration of rights.

"Again, the Antient charges are a defininition of Freemasonry. Among other things, they say that the institution will oblige its members to that religion in which all men agree. In the present age this cannot be affirmed of Christianity, and as we understand from the application, that every applicant must sign a declaration of his belief in that religion before he can be re-ceived into an asylum of Knights Templar. The rite of the Order of the Temple cannot then be termed masonic.

"Yet there is no reason to prohibit a

use of apartments in our temples and the working of their rites therein. Indeed, all of these declarations of Bro. Teller and others expressly enumerate the Knights Templar as recognizable and as recognized by all our Grand Lodges.
"The fault about it is, not in the recog-

nition of them as what they are, but as what they are not-that is to say, the calling of

their rite a masonic rite.
"We should be glad, therefore, to see such declarations so phrased as to avoid a declaration that the Order of the Temple, the Knights of Constantinople, the Knights of Malta, etc., worked masonic rites, when their work is avowedly and boldy proclaimed to the world to be of such sort as will not square with the Antient charges."

CLOSING GRAND LODGE .- " After the usual ceremonies, the Mystic Circle was formed and as the brethren stood with clasped hands the Most Reverend, the Grand Chaplain, offered fervent prayer and Bro. Speed addressing the brethren said in substance: 'What a crowd of memories come rushing in upon us as we stand here in dear old Natchez and in this Institute Hall, closing the Grand Lodge. As it was the cradle of free Government in the lower Mississippi Valley, so it was the cradle of Masonry in Here three flags have flown as the symbol of government, the red and yellow of the haughty Spaniard. the tri-color of chivalric France, and the flag of the free hearts' hope and home-the Star Spangled Banner, and there yet remains the palace of the Spanish Governor, but, thank God! he and the tryanny they represented are dead, unhonored, unwept, and unsung; and a better day has come. With the American occupation came the lodge and kindled the fire upon an altar which has never been extinguished during the more than one hundred years which have elapsed."

[Grand Secretary Speed of Mississippi.]

MEXICAN MASONRY .- "A reputable mason, a member of Eagle Pass Lodge, No. 626, who is sojourning in that country, writes me: 'In my opinion, there is only one lodge working under this jurisdiction worthy of recognition by our Grand Lodge, and this is Torreon Lodge, No. 8, it being an English speaking lodge, working the York Rite, and taking for its model our lodge at Eagle Pass. The other bodies of this jurisdiction are really not masonic, either in fact or intentions.' He had visited several lodges, and they did not even require that he be examined or vouched for. They do not display the Great Light on the altar, and confer the 'degrees' upon boys sixteen years of age, although the Constitu-tion of the Grand Lodge 'Benito Juarez' requires that a candidate must be twentyone years of age. Some of these lodges practice other irregularities subversive of the principles of Masonry, as I am advised by reliable brethren from Texas."

[Gr. M. S. M. Bradley, Texas, 1906.]

Notes on Historical Freemasonry,

What the various literary (or publishing) associations, unconnected with our Fraternity, are doing with regard to the reproduction of rare prints and manuscripts, it has often occurred to me, might be imitated with advantage by the organization of similar bodies among the Freemasons.

It is true indeed that even in the early dawn of "Historical Freemasonry," there were not wanting brethren who had the foresight to discern, that a knowledge of the Art could be best brought home to the Commandery of Knights Templar from the intelligence of its votaries, by multiplying to take subscriptions for two years.

the facilities they enjoyed, for an actual examination of the old Catechisms and old Constitutions of the Society.

"The Mystery of Freemasonry," which belongs to the former category, and first appeared in the Dailg Journal (London), August 15, 1730, was reprinted by Benjamin Franklin-before he became a Freemason -in the Pennsylvania Gazette of December in the same year, Anderson's original Book of Constitutions (1723) was also re-Anderson's original printed by the same American worthyafter his admission into the Fraternity.and took rank as the first masonic work of any kind ever published in the New World, on its reproduction by Franklin, Philadel-

phia, in 1734.

The "Constitutions" of 1723 were also frequently reprinted in the Old World, and the same may be said with regard to the "Catechisms," which were for the most part pretended expositions of the ritual of The latter are divisible into three Masonry. groups—the first extending over the period 1717-27, the second having its earliest exemplars in 1730, and the third beginning with the year 1760. Copies of the second and third groups of these Catechisms have come down to us in great profusion and variety, but this has not been the case with the documents of the first group, with which indeed the two later generations of ritual mongers seems to have been singularly unfamiliar, a point that may be usefully noted by such readers of these "Notes," to whose minds I have succeeded in bringing home the conviction, that our Symbolical Traditions were far from being clearly understood by the host of writers and commentators who followed in the wake of Anderson and his "Constitutions" of 1723.

The addresses of eminent Freemasonsby whatever title distinguished-were often, or perhaps it will be more correct to say, were generally given to the world in printed form. The "Oration," indeed, delivered by Desaguliers on June 24th, 1721, before the Grand Lodge, has as yet eluded our research. But the famous "Speech" of Dr. Francis Drake, author of Eboracum, as Junior Grand Warden of York, in 1726, was published very shortly afterwards. The "Address" of Martin Clare, as Junior Grand Warden of England, in 1735, was translated into several foreign languages. These allocutions, together with the still more famous "Discourse" of the Chevalier Ramsay before the Grand Lodge of France. in 1737, make up a chain of orations which, unlike the generality of their modern successors, will be found to yield fresh pleasure each time they are perused and compared.

The Locke MS, as I have already had occasion to observe in the opening article of the present series, was constantly republished during the last half of the eighteenth and throughout the whole of the nineteenth Its text and leading characteristics have still more recently formed the subjects of papers in the New Age and the Northern Freemason, and the interest they have evoked among the readers of either publication is of hopeful augury in the mission I am now seeking to discharge.
—[Robert Freke Gould.]

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Any lodge officer or member of the Grand Lodge can obtain a copy of the Constitution by remitting the postage, a three cent stamp, to the Grand Secretary.

Any member of the Grand Chapter can obtain the Constitution of that body in the same way.

The May number completed the fourth volume and 40th year of the Masonic Token. An illuminated title and index will soon be published and sent free to all who wish to bind it, and who will express the wish by postal or letter. Few have been asked for yet, but there must be some who have saved the volume.

We have some sets of volumes 2, 3 and 4, which we can supply in sheets for \$1.50 a volume.

Charles C. Vogt of Kentucky, who died June 19th, left \$500 to the Masonic Home.

The white capes, worn by Joseph Warreh Commandery of Roxbury, Mass., at Saratoga, were made by the Boston Regalia Company.

South Africa is looking forward to a Gr. Lodge of its own according to the South African Masonic Review, and it is sure to have one in time.

The Troy Budget, owned by Arthur Mc-Arthur, Gr. Generalissimo of the Gr. Encampment, was burned out July 28th, but promptly got under way again by the 4th of August.

George B. Cragin, secretary of the masonic bodies in Farmington, reports absolutely clear dues-books in lodge, chapter and commandery this year.

The next international conference of Supreme Councils is to take place in America in 1912 at a city to be named by the two American Supreme Councils.

At a meeting of Medinah Temple of the Mystic Shrine in Chicago September 27th, 15,000 shriners were present and 1142 candidates crossed the hot sands, more than a whole regiment at one meeting.

The daughter of Grand Secretary Fred Speed of Mississippi narrowly escaped death on the Saratoga trip by the fall of a rock in the Cave of the Winds at Niagara Falls. The young man with her had his skull fractured and she was badly bruised.

The corner-stone of a monument to the Pilgrims was laid August 20th by J. Albert Blake Grand Master, at Provincetown. President Roosevelt was present and made an address and an oration was delivered by Wm. B. Lawrence, Past Grand Warden.

Rev. Rufus Horton Jones, who was killed at the Old Orchard fire by the bursting of a soda fountain, was a member of Blazing Star Lodge at Rumford Falls, and the master and secretary represented the lodge at his funeral in Portland Aug. 23d.

The Masonic Light is a new masonic monthly large octavo magazine of 25 pages, published at Oklahoma City, the first number issued August 15th, at \$1.50 a year. J. S. Murrow, Grand Sec. of Indian Territory, is a contributor and it is full of interesting matter.

We had the pleasure of greeting Sir Knight Henry H. Ingersoll of Knoxville, Tennessee, Correspondent of the Grand Commandery of that state, who came to attend the meetings of the American Bar Association and of the International Bar Association in August.

Frank M. Floyd, Supt. of Evergreen Cemetery and a member of St. Alban Commandery, slipped while boarding a moving train at Springfield, Mass., Oct. 10th, and fell under the wheels which cut of both feet. He was taken to the Mercy Hospital and had both legs amputated below the knees.

We are indebted to P. G. M. Wm. T. Boyd for a copy of the history of the Colored Grand Lodge of Ohio, 1906. It is a cloth bound octavo of 340 pages, and gives a statement of the establishment of colored masonry in this country as well as of the Grand Lodge of Ohio, with much other valuable information. The history of foreign recognitions is a valuable chapter.

The Masonic Review of Johannesburg thinks there should be a Grand Lodge for South Africa. They are sending over \$4,000 a year to the Mother Grand Lodges which is needed for their own charities, and it is especially hard if they have to take care of destitute masons from the United Kingdom.

We have received an invitation to attend the 25th anniversary of Aberdeen Lodge, Aberdeen, South Dakota, on Oct. 16th, from the first Junior Warden, Samuel H. Jumper, who was a member of the 1–10–29th Maine regiment, and we regret that the distance renders it impossible to accept. But we send our congratulations. It seems so little time ago that the Indians held that land as a wilderness that a quarter of a century anniversary comes as a surprise, and yet Aberdeen Lodge is No. 38.

Northern Supreme Council.

The Northern Supreme Council met at Boston Sept. 17th, Grand Commander Henry L. Palmer of Milwaukee presiding. He reported more than 5,200 candidates received during the year. Fifty-six candidates received the 33d degree. The next annual meeting will be at Buffalo, N. Y. Maine was represented by Deputy Wm. C. Mason and Fred W. Adams of Bangor, Wm. J. Burnham, Fessenden I. Day, Albert M. Penley, and Charles E. Libby from Lewiston and Auburn, Albert W. Butler of Rockland, Henry W. Rugg, Albro E. Chase, Millard F. Hicks, J. Ambrose Merrill, Sam'l F. Bearce, John S. Russell, Charles I. Riggs, Alfred H. Burroughs and Leander W. Fobes from Portland, and E. B. Mallet from Freeport. No candidates were initiated nor elected from Maine. Wm. P. Preble of Maine and Hugh McCurdy of Michigan were elected Emeritus members.

General Samuel C. Lawrence gave the members and ladies a ride in eighty automobiles through the Middlesex Fells, and the members a banquet at the Armory of the Lawrence Light Guards.

Among the dtstinguished visitors were Grand Commander James D. Richardson of the Southern Jurisdiction, John V. Ellis of St. John, N. B., Past Grand Commander, and J. Morrison Gibson, Grand Commander of Canada.

Summer Visitors.—Summer brings us many visitors who are well known masons. Among them the past summer have been Deputy Grand Commander John H. Shaw of Tacona, Washington; Past Grand Commander Otis L. Keene and Grand Recorder Wilber P. Webster of Jacksonville, Florida; Walter H. Young of Brooklyn, N. Y.; David A. Elliott of White River Junction, Vermont, Grand Master of the Grand Council and our Grand Representative.

Obituaries.

CHARLES OTTO UNFUG, Gr. High Priest of Colorado in 1904, died at Walsenburg June 27th, suddenly. He was born at Bielefeld, Westphalia, Germany, July 3, 1846.

Hudson B. Gillis, Deputy Grand Commander of California, died at Yreka May 30th, aged nearly 65. He was born in Ridgway, Pennsylvania, Nov. 8, 1842.

ALMOND L. HAMILTON, G. P. C. of Work of the Grand Council of Illinois, died in Chicago June 15th. He was born in New Orleans, Jan. 28, 1858.

WILLIAM S. SMITH, Gr. Master of Tennessee in 1891, died July 28th.

JOSEPH H. C. DILL, Past Gr. Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Illinois, died in Bloomington August 5th, aged 71. He was born in Haddonfield, N. J., July 24, 1836. He held the office of Grand Secretary thirteen years, retiring last year, and was an efficient and courteous officer. He was a captain in the Union Army in the civil

PHILANDER W. BARCLAY, Past Gr. High Priest, Past Grand Master of the Grand Council and Past Grand Commander of Illinois, died at Cairo July 5th. He was born at Russelville, Ky., Dec. 30, 1832.

GIDEON R. GWYNNE, President of High Priesthood of Tennessee in 1878, Gr. High Priest in 1860 and '81, and Gr. Commander in 1884, died in Lebanon July 23d. He was born in Wilson Co., July 12, 1842.

THOMAS R. PATTON, Grand Treasurer of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania since 1883, died in Philadelphia Sept. 13th, aged 82. He left his estate valued at between two and three millions to the Grand Lodge for the support of male masonic orphans.

WALTER CUTTING, Grand Commander of Mass. and Rhode Island in 1897, died at Pittsfield, Mass., July 23d, aged 67. was born in New York April 19, 1841. was a Lieutenant-Colonel in the civil war.

JOSEPH A. BOND, Grand High Priest of Delaware in 1888 and '89, died at Wilmington May 23d. He was born in Radnor, Pa., June 7, 1837.

J. HENRY JACKSON, Grand Commander of Vermont, died at Barre, Sept. 13th. He was born in Brome, P. Q., April 19, 1844. He was a physician, had been mayor and filled other offices of trust. He is succeeded by Deputy Grand Commander George H. Gorham of Bellows Falls as acting Grand Commander.

CHRISTIAN FETTER, G. Master of Indiana in 1872 and Past Grand High Priest, died in Richmond Oct. 1st. He was born in Germany June 15, 1831, and was the senior Grand Master.

Grand Commandery of Pennsylvania, died in Philadelphia Sept. 6th. He was born in Chester Valley May 22, 1837. William M. Donaldson of Harrisburg was appointed Gr.

ASA SMITH, Grand Master of Connecticut in 1870, died in New Haven Sept. 29th. He was born in Norwalk Oct. 23, 1829, and was the senior Past Grand Master.

Triennial of the Eastern Star.

The 12th triennial of the General Grand Chapter O. E. S. took place at Milwaukee Sept. 4th. 250 delegates, representing 391,597 members, were present. The officers elected were:

- Gr. Matron-Mrs. Ella S. Washburn, Racine, Wis.
- Gr. Patron-Wm. H. Norris, Manchester, Iowa.

Asso. Gr. Matron-Mrs. Alice Miller, El Reno, Oklahoma.

Asso. G. Patron-Willis P. Engel, Indianapolis, Ind.

Gr. Treas.—Harriet H. Ercanbrack, Anamosa, Iowa.

Gr. Sec. - Mrs. Lorraine J. Pitkin, Chicago. Grand Chaplain-Mrs. Mary Scott Meyers. Gr. Conductress - Mrs. Emma Ocolock, Hartford, Mich.

Mrs. M. Elizabeth Leach of Bar Harbor, Maine, was appointed Grand Ruth.

The retiring Grand Matron, Mrs. Madeleine B. Conkling of Oklahoma, contested the office of Grand Secretary with Mrs. Pitkin, but failed.

Jacksonville, Fla., is the next place of

GENERAL JOHN MARSHALL BROWN WAS born in Portland Dec. 14, 1838, and died in Portland July 20, 1907. He was Lieut-Col. of the 32d Maine regiment and was made General. He was a member of the fraternity but not affliated.

The Grand Lodge of Arizona will lay the corner-stone of a new Masonic Temple for Aztlan Lodge, No. 1, at Prescott, October 19th, and our Grand Representative, Rickmer N. Fredericks, favors us with an invi-

COLORED MASONRY. - We are indebted to the Hon. J. C. Corbin, A. M., Pine Bluff, Arkansas, for a copy of the proceedings of the Colored Grand Lodge of Arkansas, Aug. 14, 1906. The returns are not footed, so that we do not find the membership. There is an able report on correspondence by Prof. Corbin, from which we find that in 1896 the colored masons awoke to the fact that Prince Hall did not have the proper credentials to organize lodges, and they consequently got the Hiram Grand Lodge in Washington, D. C., incorporated and pro-HENRY Z. ZIEGLER, Gr. Treasurer of the ceeded to organize other bodies throughout

the country. The result has been litigation in the courts, which have generally been decided in favor of the Hiramites.

Bro. L. D. Woodruff of the Acacia of Lincoln, Nebraska, writes us that after nine years' struggle he has concluded to suspend that publication, a decision we much re-

MASONIC MEMORIAL STONE. Why Was It Never Placed in Walls at Fort Popham.

To the Editor of the PRESS:

August 29, 1862, the Maine Historical society celebrated the two hundred and fifty-fifth anniversary of the landing of the Popham colony at the mouth of the Kennebec. The United States government was then engaged in constructing at the entrance of the river a fort to which, at the request of the Historical society, the name Fort Popham was given. At this celebration the grand lodge of Maine is said to have laid in the wall of the fort a memorial stone. Popham Memorial volume, on pages 53-56, has an account of the masonic ceremonies connected with the laying of this memorial Moreover, in the "l'roceedings" of the grand lodge for 1863, in the address of Grand Master Drummond, this paragraph is found:

"In August last I called a special communication of the grand lodge and at the request of the Maine Historical society laid in the wall of Fort Propham a stone prepared by that society to commemorate the first settlement of New England. An account of the ceremonies will appear in the volume of proceedings on that occasion, now in progress of publication."

The memorial stone referred to by Mr. Drummond has been in the yard at Fort Popham many years. It showed no signs of ever having had a place in the wall of Fort Popham. It was boxed in order that the inscription might receive no injury. Since 1862, it has been ascertained that Popham's Fort St. George did not occupy the site of Fort Popham, and a year ago the Historical society received permission from the war department to remove the memorial stone from the yard of Fort Popham, and place it on the now known location. But on account of the weight of the stone, and in order to give it a place in a new design, the stone was reduced in size and then conveyed to its new position.

But how is the fact to be explained that the memorial stone was placed in the wall of the fort in 1862, and yet has been in the yard of the fort for a great many years in a condition which seems to indicate that it has been in the yard of the fort since it was brought thither, and never was in the wall of the fort? Any one who can answer this question will confer a great favor by mak-

ing the facts known

Henry S. Burrage, Togus, Maine.

NOVEMBER.

A stately figure walking through the wood;
Her features faded; in her eyes a tear;
Her face the grave of beauty, sad, severe;
A queen dethroned and in her solitude.
Her crimson robes that long the winds withstood,
Now trailing, torn and dark throughout the year,
In her pale hands the pendent ivy, sere;
Stript of her coronal; in widowhood;
Yet still remembering her magnificence
She walks superbly through the leaf ess glades;
She feels the splendor of her opulence
Has faded from her as the leaf's, that fades;
A queen indeed! in royal impotence
She sweeps—how proudly! down into the shades.
—[Lloyd Miffin.]

THE BURIAL OF MOSES.

By Nebo's lonely mountain, Beyond old Jordan's wave, In a vale in the land of Moab There lies a lonely grave. And no man duz that sepulchre, And no man saw it e'er;
For the angels of God upturned the sod
And laid the dead man there.

This was the bravest warrior This was the braves war for That ever buckled sword,
This the most gifted poet
That ever breathed a word;
And never earth's philosopher
Traced with his golden pen
On the deathless page truths half so sage
As he wrote down for men.

And hath he not high honor? And hath he not high honor?
The hillside for his pall:
To lie in state while angels wait,
With stars for tapers tall;
And the dark rock-pines, like tossing plumes,
Over his b'er to wave,
And God's own hand in that lonely land
To lay him in his grave.

Oh, lonely tomb in Moab's land!
Oh, dark Beth-peor's hill!
Speak to these curious hearts of ours
And teach them to be still!
God hath his mysteries of grace,
Ways that we cannot tell,
He hides them deep, like the secret
Of him He loved so well.

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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What lodge shall be next added?	

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ALABAMA.—Lodge—1876, 81 to 85, 89, 90, 91, 1900, 1, 3. Chapter—1872, 3, 80 to 84, 91, 1900, 1, 3.

Council—1874, 5, 7, 8, 82, 3; 86 to 91, in one book.

Commandery—1874, 5, 6, 82, 4, 5, 93, 4,

7, 1900 to 4.

ARKANSAS-Lodge-1877, 8, 81, 5 to 82,

6, 7, 8, 1990. Chapter—1873. Commandery-1884, 88 to 94, 6, 1900 to 4, 6, 01.

ARIZONA,-Lodge-1888 to 90, 2, 3, 4, 7,

8, 1900.

Chapter-1893, 1900.

Commandery-1895, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1900.

CALIFORNIA.—Lodge—1876.

Chapter-1902.

Council—1877, 8, 9, 02.

Commandery—1874, 80, 2, 4, 91. Consistory—1887, 90, 3, 4, 5, 6, 1900, 01. CANADA.—Lodge—1872, 8, 9, 87, 9, 92, 3,

4, 6, 1900 to 3. Chapter—1887, 8, 91 to 5.

Commandery—1876, 9, 80, 1, 3, 6, 8, 81, 2,

4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 91, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1900, 1, 4. Chapter—Org. 1875, 6, 9, 80, 1, 3, 4, 6, 7

9, 91, 8, 9, 1900, 1.

Commandery—1876, 7, 8, 9, 81, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 90, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 1900, 2

CONNECTICUT.—Lodge—1874, 83, 5, 92, 1001, 2,

Chapter-1883, 4, 90, 91.

Council—1883, 90, 1, 2. Commandery—1877, 8, 80, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 9, 90, 1, 2, 5, 6, 7, 1900, 1, 2, 4.

DAKOTA.—Lodge—1884. Chapter—1883, 6, 8.

Commandery-1885, 6, 7, 8, 9.

DELAWARE.—Lodge—1889, 90, 3, 4, 6, 7,

8, 9, 1900, 1, 2

Chapter-1880, 1, 2, 91, 4, 5.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.—Lodge—1861,

2, 93, 5, 7, 8, 9. Commandery—1896.

FLORIDA.—Lodge—1872, 3, 4, 8, 9, 80, 2,

4, 7, 90, 1, 7. Chapter—1872-3, 4, 86, 8, 9. Commandery—1896.

GEORGIA.—Lodge—Emerg. com. 74, 74,

93, 5, 8, 1900, 3. Chapter—1895, 7, 8. Commandery-1884, 7, 8.

IDAHO.—Lodge—90, 91, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8, 1900 to 3.

ILLINOIS.—Lodge—1874, 5, 6, 7, 8, 83 to

91, 96 to 1900, 2, 3, 4.

Chapter—1879 to 84, 6, 7, 8, 9, 91 to 96.

8, 1900, 1, 2, 3. Council—1883, 4, 91, 3, 5 to 1902. Commandery—1875 to 1903. Council Deliberation—1890, 6.

Masonic Vet. Ass'n-1890, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

Indiana-Lodge-1873, 7, 8, 9, 80, 6, 8,

Iowa.—Lodge—1854-58, one book; 71, 3,

5, 7 to 84, 87 to 99, 1901, 2, 3, 4. Chapter—1854 to 62, bound; 54 to 67,

bound; 79, 81, 2, 4. Council—1875, 7, 8.

Commandery—1871, 4, 5, 6, 8, 9, 80, 1, 2, 7, 91, 3.

INDIAN TERRITORY.—Lodge—1891, 3, 4, 1003.

KANSAS.—Lodge—1875, 8, 87, 8, 95, 6, 7,

8, 9, 1900, 1, 2. Chapter—1883.

Commandery—1874, 6, 85 to 91, 8, 9, 1900. KENTUCKY.—Lodge—1878, 98, 9, 02 to 4.

Chapter—1897, 1901. Council—1882, 4, 92, 3, 1900, 1. Commandery—1871, 7, 80, 1, 3 to 1903. High Priesthood—1875, 6; 7, 8, 9, in one book; 82, 4.

LOUISIANA.-Lodge-1869, 72, 3, 9, 80, 1, 4 to 90, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 1, 2, 4. Chapter—1875, 86, 7, 9, 90, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7,

8, 9, 1900, 1, 2. Council—1878, 81, 90, 2, 3, 1900, 2.

Commandery-1872, 6; 77, 8, one book; 79 to 90, 91 to 99, 1900, 1, 2

MANITOBA.—Lodge—1888, 9, 90, 1, 2, 3,

4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 1, 2, 3, 4.

MARYLAND.—Lodge—1881.

Chapter—1880, 3, 5, 7, 8-9, 90 to 1901, 3. Council-82-89, in one book; 92-94, in one book; 95, 6, one book; 97–99, one book. Commandery—1885, 6, 9, 91 to 97.

MASSACHUSETTS.—Lodge—1870, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 80, 1, 2. Quarterlies 72 to 79, 81, 8, 1 Quarterlies and Specials 72, 5, 6, 7, 8, 81,

Colorado.—Lodge—1871, 5, 6, 7, 8, 83, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 91, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1900, 1, 4. Chapter—Org. 1875, 6, 9, 80, 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 91, 8, 9, 1900, 1.

1900, 1, 3, 4. Grand Imp. Council—1874.

Commandery-1882, 4 to 90, 2, 4, 9, 1900. MICHIGAN.—Lodge—1873, 81, 4, 5, 6, 7,

8, 9, 90, 1, 2, 6, 7, 8, 1900, 2, 4.

Chapter-1848-98, in one book; 75, 6, 80, 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 90, 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 1900, 1, 4. Council—1874–5, in one book; 6, 89, 91, 2, 3, 6, 1900

Commandery-1874, 5, 6, 7, 9, 80, 1, 2, 3,

5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 90, 1, 2, 3. Hist. Sketch Early Masonry in Michigan, and Proc. Gr. Lodge, 1826 to '60, originals.

MINNESOTA.—Lodge—1874, 88, 92, 1900, 1, 4; Lodge of Sorrow, 79.

Chapter—1883, 96, 04. Council—1900.

Commandery—1875, 76, 3, 87, 8, 9, 92, 7.

Mississippi.—Lodge—1873, 5, 80, 3, 5, 6, 9, 90, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 1900, 1, 2, 4, 5. Chapter—80, 1, 4, 5, 9, 94, 6, 7, 8, 1900,

Council—94, 8, 1901, 2, 4. Commandery—1857-72, in one book; 5, 6, 7, 84, 7, 9, 90, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 1900,

1, 2, 4, 5.

Missouri-Lodge-74, 5, 6, 82, 91.

Chapter—1872, 3, 4, 5, 8, 87, 92, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 1, 2.

Council—93, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9. Commandery—73, 85, 8, 88, 9, 91, 3, 5, 6,

7, 8, 9, 1900, 1, 2.

Montana—Lodge—81, 6, 92, 5, 6, 7, 9, 1900, 1, 3, 4.

Chapter—96, 7, 8, 1900, 1, 2, 3. Commandery—1895, 6, 7, 8.

Nebraska-Lodge-1873, 4, 82, 3, 4, 90, 1, 2, 9, 1900, 1, 2, 3, 4. Chapter—78, 81, 2, 3, 5, 93, 4, 5, 7, 9,

1900, 1, 2, 3, 4. Council—1873.

Commandery—1872, 3, 5, 7, 8, 79, 80, in one book; 1 to 5, 9, 91 to 6, 1900 to 4.

NEVADA.—Lodge—1901, 2. Chapter-1901, 2.

NEW BRUNSWICK.-Lodge-74, 5, 6, 9, 80, 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 97.

Chapter-1888 to 93 inc., 96. NEW HAMPSHIRE. - Lodge-1891, 8. Chapter-1892.

Council-1890. Commandery-1878, 9, 80, 1, 3, 7, 8, 9, 90,

2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7. NEW JERSEY. - Lodge-1873, 84, 6, 7, 95,

6, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 1, 2, 3, 4. Chapter—1874, 80, 1, 2, 3, 4. Council—1876, 7, in one book; 8, 84, 5, 6. Commandery—1875, 6, 7, 8, 80, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 91, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9.

New Mexico-Lodge-1889, 91, 2, 3, 5,

6, 7, 9, 1900, 1, 2, 3 4,. Chapter-1904.

Commandery—1902, 3, 4.

NEW YORK.—Lodge—1878, 80, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 93, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 1900, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5. Chapter — 1873, 5, 6, 7, 8, 80, 1, 2, 3, 4,

Chapter — 1813, 3 0, 1, 5, 60, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 90, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 1, 2, 4.

Council—1878, 79, 82, 3, 5.

Commandery—1875, 6, 80, 2, 7, 8, 92, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1000, 2, 475, 6, 80, 2, 7, 8, 92, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1000, 2, 475, 6, 80, 2, 7, 8, 92, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1000, 2, 475, 6, 80, 2, 7, 8, 92, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1000, 2, 475, 6, 80, 2, 7, 8, 92, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 1000, 2, 475, 6, 80, 2, 7, 8, 92, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 92, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 92, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1000,

4, 5, 6, 7, 1900, 3, 4. NORTH CAROLINA-Lodge-1898, 9, 1900,

Chapter—1882, 3, 5, 1901, 03, 04. Council—1898, 1900–1, 2. Commandery-1882, 1902, 3.

NEW ZEALAND-Lodge-1900, 1, 2, 3, 4,

NORTH DAKOTA-Lodge-1900, 1, 2, 3, 4. Chapter—1895, 7, 9, 1900, 2. Command'y—90, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 1900. Nova Scotia-Lodge-1884, 94, 8, 9,

1900, 1, 2, 3, 4, Chapter-

Оню.—Lodge—1884, 94, 5, 1900, 2, 3. Chapter—82, 9, 95, 6, 8, 1900, 1, 2, 3, 4. Council—1899.

Commandery—1876, 9, 82, 3, 7, 8, 9, 90, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 1, 2, 3, 4.

OKLAHOMA.—Lodge—1896, 9. Commandery-1897, 9.

ONTARIO.—Lodge—1891, 2, 7, 9, 1901.

OREGON.—Lodge—1872, 85, 6, 7, 8.

PENNSYLVANIA.-Lodge-1865, 75, 9, 83, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 1, 3, 4.

Chapter—Abstract Quarterly and Annual 1865, 6, 7, in one book; 73, 5, 7, 85, 9, 90, 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9. Council—1888, 1904.

Commandery—1872, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 81, 4,

Council Deliberation-1878, 82, 6, 7, 8, 9, 90, 1, 2, 4.

P. E. ISLAND.—Lodge—1883, 5, 6, 7, 9, 96, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 3, 4.

Quebec-Lodge-Emergent and Annual

81, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9. Chapter—1894, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1901, 2, 3. RHODE ISLAND.—Lodge—1872, 3, 4, 88, 9, 1904.

SOUTH CAROLINA.-Lodge-1872, 5, 82, 3, 5, 7, 8.

Chapter—99, 1900, 1, 3, 4,

SOUTH DAKOTA.-Lodge-96, 7, 8, 1900, 1, 2, 3, 4.

Chapter—97, 8, 1900, 1, 2, 4. Commandery—1890, 1, 4, 6, 7, 8, 1900,

1, 2, 3, 4. Tennessee.—Lodge—1889, 90, 2, 3, 5, 6,

Chapter—90, 2, 3, 5, 7, 9, 1901, 2. Council—90, 2, 3, 5, 9, 1900, 1, 2, 4, 5. Commandery—80, 1, 3, 8, 9, 90, 1, 3, 4

5, 6, 7, 9, 1900, 4. Texas.—Lodge—1876, 88.

Commandery-93, 1901, 3, 4. UTAH.—Lodge—74, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 80 and 81, in one book; 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 90, 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

VERMONT.-Lodge-1861, 8, 75, 92, 3, 4. Chapter—1873, 9, 83, 5, 7, 8, 1900, 4. Council—1868, 9, 73, 7, 81, 2.

Commandery-1824 to 52, one book; 70, 83, 4, 90, 1, 1904.

Council Deliberation—1883, 4, 5, one book; 86, 92, 94, one book.

Virginia.—Lodge—79, 80, Spec. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 90, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 3, 5. Chapter—'73, 80, 4, 6, 7, 8, 90, 1, 3, 5, 7. Commandery-1878, 9, 84, 5, 9, 90, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7.

Washington—Lodge—1874, 83, 6, 7, 8, 90, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1900, 1,2, 3, 4. Chapter—1885, 7, 8, 92, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 1904.

Council-1896, 9.

Commandery-1887, 8, one book; 89, 90, one book; 2, 5, 6, 7, 9, 1901, 4.

WEST VIRGINIA.-Lodge-1892, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 1900, 4.

Chapter—1893, 4, 6, 9, 1901, 3. Council—1889, 91, 4, 5, 6, 9, 1900. Commandery—1886, 7, one book; 89, 99; 1901, 2, 3, 4.

Wisconsin.—Lodge—1874, 6, 7, 8, 9, 80. Chapter-1876, 82.

Commandery-79, 81, 91, 94.

WYOMING.-Lodge-1891, 3. Commandery-1896, 9.

DIED.

JOHN MARSHALL BROWN, in Portland, July 20, aged 68 yrs. 7 mos. 6 days. (See editorial.)

ELLEN CHAPMAN CHASE, in Portland, July 20, wife of Warren P. Chase.

JOEL P. WHEELWRIGHT, in Portland, July 23, aged 74. A veteran member of Ancient Land-Mark Lodge and of Mt. Vernon Chapter.

ELLIOTT WOOD, in Winthrop, July 23, aged 63. A member of Trinity Commandery of Augusta and the masonic bodies of Winthrop.

HENRY C. RICKER, in South Hartford, Aug. 21, aged 70. He was for years Master of Evening Star Lodge in Buckfield.

ALEXANDER FLEMING, in Portland, Aug. 27, aged 51 yrs. 1 mo. 26 d. A member of Ancient Landmark Lodge.

LEVI K. STINSON, in Stonington, Aug. 22. A member of Reliance Lodge.

FRANCIS D. COLEMAN, in Portland, September 14, aged 70. A member of Ancient Landmark

STEPHEN A. CORDWELL, in Cumberland Mills, Sept. 16, aged 77. A member of Warren Phillips Lodge.

FRANK O. SMITH, in Belfast, Sept. 17. A member of Palestine Commandery and other bodies.

SIDNEY M. BIRD, in Rockland, Sept. 21, aged 67. A member of Claremont Commandery and other bodies.

CHARLES F. WILLARD, in Boston, Sept. 24. A member of Hiram Lodge of South Portland.

LORENZO L. SHAW, in Yarmouth, Sept. 26, aged 82 yrs, 10 mos. 1 d. He was born in Holderness, N. H., and was a cotton manufacturer. He was a member of Casco Lodge, Cumberland Chapter, Portland Commandery and Maine Consistory. He had been in the legislature and was a leading and valued citizen.

ALBERT P. BAKER, in Bangor, Oct. 1, aged 70. He was a banker. A member of St. Andrew's Lodge and other bodies.

DR. JOHN M. PRILAY, in Bangor, Oct. 3, aged 46. He was Past Commander of St. John's Commandery, which attended his funeral the 6th.

SAMUEL W. HARRIS, in Searchlight, Nevada, October, aged 51. A member of Dunlap Lodge of Biddeford.

OMAR M. COLEMAN, in Golden City, Colorado, Oct. 9th, aged 60. A member of Ancient Landmark Lodge of Portland.

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