



THE PRACTICAL SIDE OF HOO-HOO

The men whose Hoo-Hoo names appear in the notices below are out of work and want employment. This is intended as a permanent department of The Bulletin, through which to make these facts known. It should be read by several thousand business men who employ men in many varied forms, and it can be made of great value in giving practical application to Hoo-Hoo central theme of helping one another. It is hoped the department will receive very careful attention each issue.



WANTED—Position as hand filer; have had 12 years' experience on single and double cut. Married and strictly sober. Gilt edge reference. Address "Hand Filer," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as filer, either circular or gang, but prefer position where it is both circular and gang. Have had sixteen years experience. Address "Filer," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—By young man now managing retail lumber yard in New Orleans, to make a change for similar position or to locate with large saw mill out west. Address "R. H. P.," 117 S. Jefferson Davis Parkway, New Orleans, La.

WANTED—Position by young man, 22 years of age, as timekeeper or commissary work. Can furnish best of reference as to character and ability. Address "Falkville," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—By a man with many years' experience in lumber office, position as sales manager or assistant or general office man, either yellow pine, cypress or hardwoods. Address "A. G. U.," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as lumber buyer on the Pacific Coast for a large eastern concern. Twenty years experience in the manufacture of lumber and sash and doors. Address "Oregon," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as traveling salesman for yellow pine. Thoroughly acquainted with the trade in Oklahoma, Southern Kansas and Southwest Missouri. Satisfactory references. Address "A-1 Salesman," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position with good, reliable company in the South as hand saw filer. Have had 20 years' experience in all kinds of timber; am steady, sober, reliable and can furnish good references. Address "Long Beach," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as manager or assistant manager for some good company with chance of advancement in retail lumber yard. Am experienced and can give reference and can go any place on 80 days' notice. Address "Retail," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as buyer or inspector of hardwood. Have had fifteen years' experience, six years buying on road and nine years looking after mills, yards and doing shipping. Can give satisfactory reference. Address "J. W. P.," No. 15713, care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—An experienced lumberman, as Mgr., wholesaler and salesman, desires connection with some large mill concern as their representative in Kansas City, Mo., as manager, or special contract salesman. Highest reference as to ability, experience, character and hustling qualities. W. E. Camp, Box 193, Minneapolis, Minn.

WANTED—Position as yellow pine mill superintendent. For five years I ran one of the biggest mills of one of the largest manufacturers in the South. Have also had experience in buying and selling lumber. Can furnish references. Address "St. James," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as superintendent, salesman or shipper with lumber concern. Am familiar with all kinds of lumber; have had experience in woods, mill and yards; 45 years of age, married, sober and a worker. Will go anywhere. Address "H. S. C.," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position with retail lumberman as manager or assistant manager of retail yard; will accept office position as starter; competent to handle city sales. Prefer to locate in St. Louis. Fifteen years' experience. Married. Can furnish references. Address "St. Louis," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as manager of live lumber yard by man now employed as manager and who is capable of being auditor. Have worked for one company four years. Can handle any set of books and furnish best of references. Prefer Oklahoma or Texas. Address "C. M.," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as traveling salesman for lumber or roofing company. Can handle any lumber specialty line. Four years' experience in retail lumber business, also road experience. Best of references. Can make good on the road. Want outside work. Can produce. Address "Salesman," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as manager or superintendent manufacturing end of the lumber business; twenty-two years' experience, from stump to manufactured product; seven years in the South, balance North. Familiar with all departments. Have handled all kinds of labor. Am temperate and can make good. Address "Detroit," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—By middle aged man with twenty years' experience in lumber business, a position as traveling salesman or manager of retail yard. Have had experience at both. I do not know it at all but am willing to learn what I can. Have also had four years' experience in the manufacture of yellow pine. Address No. 19,702, care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position by an A1 hardwood man with twenty years' experience as a hardwood inspector and shipper, who would like to connect himself with a reliable concern in that capacity. I am 39 years old, married and strictly sober, and can refer to my present employer. Have good reasons for wishing to make a change. Southern connection preferred. "W.," 2341 South Bancroft Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Position as manager of a retail yard in some good city that has good schools and churches. Understand the lumber business thoroughly as well as the coal and other building material. Am a German, 37 years old, married, strictly sober, a hustler and a good credit man. Can furnish best of references. Address "P. G. E.," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Lumberman, 34 years of age, well known in the yellow pine producing territory, wants position as buyer or seller of yellow pine lumber. Understands manufacture and grading long and short leaf. Clean cut, practical and adaptive. Will not consider less than \$125.00 per month and expenses. Address "Lumberman," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

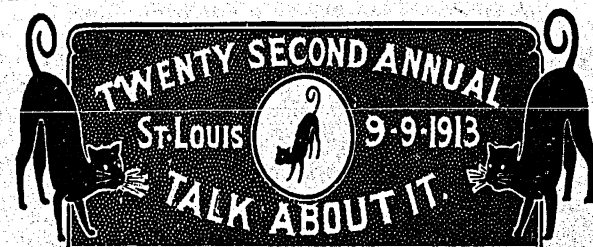
WANTED—Position as sales manager or traveling salesman. Have had twenty years' experience in every department of the hardwood trade, much of the time in an executive capacity. Road experience; familiar with the grading of the factory trade, and a wide acquaintance with same; capable of handling correspondence, finances or other managerial position. Address "Hardwood," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position with large lumber or mill company. I am a young man with three years' experience in the retail lumber business as bookkeeper and general office man and yard salesman. Am quick and accurate and a hard worker; do not smoke or fight booze. I am employed and am giving perfect satisfaction, but desire to make a change to get connected with larger company. Gilt-edge references. Address "W. No. 2," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position with lumber or mill company. Am experienced in retail and line yard work and am accurate on estimates. Am expert accountant and can handle books in any line of business. No objection to position in mill camp. Location near Gulf Coast preferred, but not material. Want position with large and permanent business. Best of references. Give me a trial, and you will not be disappointed. Address "Hustler," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as saw mill foreman or superintendent in yellow pine mill. Twenty years' experience, seven years with last employers, from whom I can furnish unquestionable references as to character and ability. Can also act as master mechanic and chief engineer, or combine all three as general superintendent. Can successfully handle all kinds of labor. Willing to go anywhere, and can come on short notice. First-class services guaranteed, and a fair salary expected. Address "J. P. F.," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as superintendent or foreman by a practical, all round hardwood man, 18 years experience from stump to cars, including mills, machinery men and the manufacture of high grade lumber, wagon material and such like. Can get good results; have handled some pine. Have had charge of works 14 years, all in mountain district. Have position now and have had for several years with good concern, but have good reasons for making change. Can furnish good letters as to ability and character. Am middle aged man, have family and would prefer the West and will only consider something permanent with good concern. Address "Foreman," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.



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WHO ARE ELIGIBLE

Article III of Constitution: "Section 1. Active membership.—The membership in this Order shall be limited to white male persons of full age of twenty-one (21) years, of good moral character, who possess one or more of the following seven qualifications: Lumbermen, Foresters, Officers of Lumber Associations, Officers or Representatives of Lumber Insurance Companies, Newspaper Men, Railroad Men, Sawmill Machinery and Supply Men, and so definitely shall the line of qualification be drawn in each class that the occupation under which persons apply for membership shall be their main or principal occupation, and it shall be the business of the person recognized in the community in which he resides as his principal vocation.

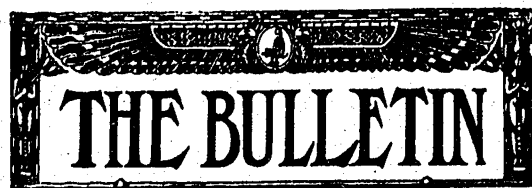
- Specific Definition of Eligibility (a) Lumbermen.—Lumbermen shall be those who are engaged either in the ownership or sale of timber lands, timber or logs, or the manufacture or sale, at wholesale or retail, of forest products, either as owners, officers, managers of departments, general superintendents, sales managers or salesmen. (b) Foresters.—This class shall include those persons graduated from recognized schools of forestry, officials of the forestry service and members of forest commissions or boards, either state or national. (c) Officers of Lumber Associations.—Regularly organized lumber associations, state or national. (d) Officers or Representatives of Lumber Insurance Companies.—Officers or representatives of mutual or inter-insurance companies placing risks on lumber property exclusively. (e) Newspaper Men.—Publishers, proprietors or persons regularly connected with the editorial or business departments of newspapers. (f) Railroad Men.—General officers, general and assistant freight, passenger, claim, purchasing, commercial, soliciting and station agents, chief dispatchers and train masters and members of railroad commissions. (g) Sawmill Machinery and Supply Men.—Persons engaged in the manufacture or sale, to lumber manufacturers, of sawmill or planing mill machinery and mill supplies. (h) Initiation.—Such persons as above mentioned may be initiated under proper application, payment of initiation fee and election to membership. (i) Limited Active Membership.—The active membership shall be limited to 83,000 members in good standing.

Admission of Paint, Cement, Tiling, Roofing and Oil Men (j) Manufacturers, wholesale dealers and salesmen of cement, roofing, paints, oil, tiling and other staple articles cannot become active members, but will be welcome as honorary members.

The above is printed for the information of all members. We must comply with the above. In case of doubt take up with the Scrivenoter and he will ask the Supreme Nine to rule. Watch this closely and before voting for a candidate be sure he is eligible.

DUES FOR 1913. At 9:09 on September 9, 1912, dues became payable for 1913. The Hoo-Hoo year begins and ends on Sept. 9. Look up your cards, and if you find that you have not paid 1913 dues, send \$1.65 to the Scrivenoter at once. Includes an illustration of a clock with a cat on top and the motto 'HEALTH, HAPPINESS AND LONG LIFE'.

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ST. LOUIS, MO., APRIL 9, 1913.

EACH member of the Supreme Nine has written a letter to the Vicegerent Snarks in his jurisdiction requesting that they hold at least one concatenation in their district before the end of this Hoo-Hoo year, September 9, 1913.

This is very important and THE BULLETIN urges all Vicegerent Snarks to see that this is done.

This office has received many letters from members asking when a concatenation would be held in their section and in every case we have referred them to their Vicegerent Snark and have suggested that they get in touch with and give him the benefit of their valuable co-operation, assistance and support. The Vicegerent Snark cannot be expected to personally do all the work necessary in working up and holding a concatenation and it is the duty of all loyal Hoo-Hoo to get in behind their Vicegerent Snark and help him all they can.

It is the duty of all the Vicegerent Snarks to do all in their power to assist the Supreme Nine in their efforts to build up and make Hoo-Hoo a thoroughly representative Order. There is no question whatever of the great good that can be accomplished through Hoo-Hoo to the lumber and allied industries to say nothing of that spirit of fraternal goodfellowship that the Great Black Cat instills in the individual member.

The Scrivenoter believes that all of our Vicegerent Snarks have the best interests of the Order at heart and that all of them are not only willing but anxious to do their share in the good work and it is up to the members to get busy and work with us to the end that Hoo-Hoo will be the great success all loyal members want it to be.

Now let us all get busy and put our shoulders to the wheel and let us all get together, stay together and work together and if we will do this we will all feel well repaid for our efforts and Hoo-Hoo will go forward to a greater success and we will all be proud of the button of White, Black and Gold.

The Scrivenoter wishes to call the attention of all members to article in this issue giving the history and plan of the Death Emergency Fund. Read it and if you have any suggestions to offer send them in. This fund is worthy of the support of all members and you owe it to yourself to join hands with us in this good work.

A member can become a contributor to the Death Emergency Fund at any time. All that is necessary is to send the Scrivenoter \$2.00 and the name and address of beneficiary and a card will be mailed at once covering call that is in force at time remittance is received.

We are working as hard and as fast as possible on the handbook and we hope soon to have the copy ready for the printer. We will send out circular shortly to all members asking for their correct address and firm connection and we want all members to help us to make this issue correct in every way.

No name will appear in the handbook unless dues for year 1912 have been paid and we urge you to see that your name is in the book. If you have not as yet received your 1913 card better sit right down and remit \$1.65 to the Scrivenoter.

DO IT NOW.

Read THE BULLETIN regularly and keep in touch with what is going on in Hoo-Hoo. Write us your idea of what kind of a paper you want and help us make OUR PAPER the best fraternal paper published.



THE OPEN DOOR



THE Scrivenoter extends a most hearty invitation to all members of the Order to visit the Scrivenoter's office when in St. Louis, and assures them a cordial welcome.

Come in and see us and see for yourself just how the business of the Order is conducted.

Ask all the questions you wish and we will, to the best of our ability, endeavor to satisfy you fully.

Make this office your headquarters while in St. Louis and have your mail addressed in our care. This is your office and you should use it.

A complete file of the lumber trade journals is kept in this office for the information of visiting members.

Come in and get acquainted.



JAMES HENRY STRAIN (28782)
Dewitt, Arkansas.

Brother Strain has invested in a rice farm of about 600 acres 8 miles Northeast of Dewitt, Ark., and made special trip to Little Rock to attend concatenation held there by Vicegerent Snark Gay on March 8, 1913. To show how happy a man can



be on a farm, Brother Strain had his photograph taken in Little Rock. Brother Strain was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Quincy, Ill., on July 1, 1911, at which time he was connected with the Borden-Vay Lumber Co., Quincy, Ill.

THE BULLETIN wishes him success in his new venture and Health, Happiness and Long Life.



Help! Hoo-Hoo, Help!



THE following call for immediate funds for the relief of our Brothers, in the different sections, was published in the American Lumberman, Chicago, Ill., March 29, 1913:

HELP! HOO-HOO, HELP!

MANY of our brethren are in dire distress through the visitation of wind, flood or fire, and must have instant aid. Now is the time to help—now, when you who have to spare see this appeal, not next week or next month. Send what you can—\$100, \$50, \$10 or only \$1, AT ONCE, to my order, and I will see that it is placed where it will do the most good to Hoo-Hoo in need, will acknowledge receipt and make as detailed a report of expenditures as can be made with deference to the feelings of those relieved.

W. M. Stephenson, Supreme Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Building, St. Louis, Mo.

The following editorial from the American Lumberman, March 29, 1913, is printed for information of all members:

HOO-HOO TO PROVE ITSELF.

"Supreme Scrivenoter W. M. Stephenson, of the Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo, has asked the American Lumberman to issue an immediate call to Hoo-Hoo in every State for contributions, little or great, for the relief of brother Hoo-Hoo in actual need in the States affected by the disasters of the present week, and for the rapid relief of their families where such relief is required. There is every indication at this hour that such help will be abundantly needed.

Hoo-Hoo always has offered itself as a fraternity in fact—not merely as a brotherhood of joyous nights but as a brotherhood of dark days as well. This is Hoo-Hoo's opportunity to prove itself. For surely no Hoo-Hoo should suffer while other Hoo-Hoo have plenty, nor a Hoo-Hoo be content merely to rejoice in his own safety while other Hoo-Hoo are in want.

Contributors should wire Mr. Stephenson, Wright Building, St. Louis, Mo., authority to draw on them for such amount as they desire to give. This will be the quickest way. Contributions otherwise should be sent immediately by mail.

Great Hoo-Hoo has given the sign of distress. The rest remains to Hoo-Hoo."

Now is the time and the opportunity for all loyal Hoo-Hoo to show their loyalty to the Order and their brotherly love to those in distress. **NOW ALL TOGETHER AND SHOW THAT HOO-HOO IS ALIVE TO THE CALL FOR ASSISTANCE.**

SEND WHAT YOU CAN AT ONCE. MONEY IS NEEDED NOW.

The following telegram has been received from Snark of the Universe Frank W. Trower, San Francisco, California:

"Your wire from Chicago. Approve call for aid to sufferers. Have taken up with Everett, Cornwall, Fifer and Allen. Have mailed two hundred letters to local lumbermen requesting contributions and offering use of our Order to afford quick and direct aid. Neither subscriptions nor help should be confined to Hoo-Hoo, but we should especially help lumbermen, their employees and families."

NOW SHOW YOUR LOVE FOR YOUR BROTHER AND YOUR LOYALTY TO THE ORDER BY SENDING IN YOUR CONTRIBUTION AT ONCE. NOT ONLY SEND IN

YOUR OFFERING, BUT MAKE IT YOUR BUSINESS TO CALL THIS MATTER TO THE ATTENTION OF ALL HOO-HOO AND ALL LUMBERMEN AND THE ALLIED TRADE WHO ARE ELIGIBLE FOR MEMBERSHIP IN HOO-HOO.

Full account of receipts and disbursements will be made and no disbursements will be made without approval.

NOW IS THE TIME TO ACT.

DO THIS FOR HOO-HOO.

ALL LUMBER PAPERS ARE REQUESTED TO GIVE THIS PUBLICITY AND HELP.

ADVISE ME PROMPTLY OF ANY ONE IN YOUR SECTION NEEDING ASSISTANCE.

W. M. STEPHENSON, Scrivenoter,
1219 Wright Building, St. Louis, Mo.



A Few Short Lengths



A cordial reception isn't an invitation to stay all day.

Gloomy things are of the past and to be forgotten. The pleasant things should cling with memory.

Let it not be said of you: "There goes a man who has no appreciation of what friendship means."

You do the right thing no matter what the other fellow does.

Always listen when you are doing the talking. It pays.

A retentive memory is excellent, but the power to forget some things is better.

Some men can hear the whisper of a dollar further than the loudest yell of duty.

As we come in contact with our fellow man let us find out what possibilities are buttoned under his coat.

We prefer strong-minded women to weak-minded men.



Death Emergency Fund



The following details of the origin and plan of the Death Emergency Fund are published for the information of all members of the Order, whether subscribers to the fund or not, and that all will thoroughly understand just how this fund is handled. At a joint meeting of the Supreme Nine and House of Ancients held in Chicago, Ill., November 18-20, 1909, Brother Leonard Bronson (145) suggested the establishment of a "Hoo-Hoo Death Emergency Fund." The following committee was appointed to work out the details:

TOM A. MOORE, Chairman
G. H. KETTRIDGE
LEONARD BRONSON
JOHN OXFORD
LUCIUS E. FULLER
OEO. W. HOTCHKISS.

The committee reported at a meeting of the Supreme Nine and House of Ancients held at Chicago, Ill., July 19, 1910.

DETAILS OF THE PLAN.

The following is quoted from the original announcement of the plan as drawn up by the committee and adopted by the Supreme Nine and House of Ancients:

Whether to the rich or poor, the high or low, whether anticipated or coming unannounced, death always comes as a sudden shock and often finds his victim financially unprepared; resources of the ampler may be just out of reach. The Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo has not been and will never be an insurance organization, with all the complications and details inevitable in such an organization. But in the judgment of its officers this plan for instant payment of a death benefit, however small, is a natural and logical extension and development of the spirit of brotherly love that has maintained our (Imminent Distress Fund) for so many years; and these officers believe that the plan offered is so simple and practical, and so nearly automatic in its operation, that no complication can possibly arise; that on the contrary the plan can be put into immediate and smooth working, and that great good will result. The plan gives the Order what it has never had—a definite and systematic method of making its spirit of helpfulness and charity more effective than it can ever possibly be through disbursements of small sums to distressed members.

OPERATIVE ON \$6,000.

The fund from which the proposed death benefits are to be paid shall have been established, and death payments shall immediately begin, when there shall have been remitted to the Supreme Scrivenor the sum of \$2 each by as many as 3,000 members of the Order in good standing.

If such number of remittances is not received prior to January 1, 1911, then it will be adjudged that the Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo does not approve of the establishment of such death benefit and the money received in response to this call will be turned into the regular Distress Fund of the Order and the plan will be abandoned.

Out of this fund, if it shall be established, shall be paid to the beneficiary named by the subscriber thereto, the sum of \$250. This payment shall be made immediately upon the Supreme Scrivenor having reasonably satisfied himself of the death of the subscriber, without red tape, or any further delay or formality. The payment shall be made in person or by mail if the beneficiary resides within one night's travel of the Scrivenor's office; and by wire if beneficiary's residence is more distant. No medical examination shall be required and no age limit shall be imposed upon the subscriber.

REPLENISHMENT OF THE FUND.

When, by reason of death payments as above provided, the fund in hand shall have been reduced to \$2,000, or in the judgment of the Stark and Scrivenor, is about to be reduced to such sum, another invitation to subscribe to the fund shall be immediately issued to every member of the order. But no renewal of subscription shall be demanded on account of response to first call. Response to all invitations, whether to the establishment or to the successful replenishment of the fund, shall be purely voluntary.

If at any time the fund on hand falls below \$1,000 by reason of failure of succeeding calls to produce sufficient replenishment, it will be adjudged that the membership of Hoo-Hoo wishes the plan no longer maintained, and in such event whatever balance of the fund remains on hand shall be turned into the regular Distress Fund, and the undertaking will be at an end.

EXPENSES OF ADMINISTRATION.

No expense shall be charged against the Death Emergency Fund except that of postage, printing, and the small sundry expenses incident to effecting prompt payment in the case of death. For the present and until the plan assumes the large proportion it will have should practically all members of the Order in good standing become participants it is believed the present clerical force of the Scrivenor's office can successfully and expeditiously handle whatever work the plan entails, and in no event is it contemplated that the Scrivenor will be given increased compensation on account of this plan.

No legal responsibility shall attach to the officers of the Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo by reason of this plan. The designated beneficiaries of those who contribute to the fund may expect payment of the sum named provided the death of the subscriber occurs prior to fifteen days after the date of issuance of the next succeeding request for contribution.

Members may become subscribers at any time, but may not duplicate their subscription with expectation of duplicating the benefits to be received.

FOUNDED ON FAITH.

The whole plan is founded on faith, but on faith in Hoo-Hoo, the only organization in the history of the world that has existed for twenty years without ritualism or ceremony, with only the open air for a lodge room, and solely upon the spirit of comradeship and brotherly love existing among men whose business brings them together.

A SLIGHT CHANGE MADE.

At the twentieth Annual Meeting a slight change was made in the plan as printed on the foregoing pages, whereby hereafter a new subscriber will be required to have been a subscriber for a period of sixty days prior to death before his beneficiary can claim payment of death benefit except in case of death by accident. This restriction will apply

to the new or first subscription only, and not to any subsequent subscription made, no matter how soon after such subsequent subscription death may occur, or from what cause death may occur.

HOW THE PLAN HAS WORKED.

The foregoing fully sets forth the plan upon which the Hoo-Hoo Death Emergency Fund was established and has been so far maintained.

Six Calls have been made as follows:

First Call—July 29, 1910.
Second Call—April 1, 1911.
Third Call—October 1, 1911.
Fourth Call—April 1, 1912.
Fifth Call—October 1, 1912.
Sixth Call—March 1, 1913.

WE ARE NOW WORKING UNDER SIXTH CALL.

Following is financial statement covering receipts and disbursements of First, Second, Third, Fourth and Fifth Calls.

RECEIPTS.

Total Subscriptions First Call.....	\$7,963.62
Total Subscriptions Second Call.....	5,837.97
Total Subscriptions Third Call.....	5,013.60
Total Subscriptions Fourth Call.....	4,332.50
Total Subscriptions Fifth Call.....	4,597.85

Total receipts \$27,545.54

Following statement shows balances carried forward from Call to Call:

From First to Second.....	\$1,984.54
From Second to Third.....	2,961.48
From Third to Fourth.....	2,976.58
From Fourth to Fifth.....	2,037.17

DISBURSEMENTS.

Expenses (see annual reports for itemized account).....	\$3,030.98
Death Claims paid (94 claims).....	23,500.00

Total Disbursements \$26,530.98

Balance to credit Sixth Call..... \$1,014.56

The matter of the dates of issuance of these successive Calls is gone into to show that the original calculations made of death rate were remarkably correct—making the indemnity cost at the rate of \$4.00 per annum (two Calls of \$2.00 each) for \$250.00 of indemnity, or on the basis of \$16.00 per annum for \$1,000 of indemnity.

These figures are cited merely to show how the proposition has worked out. No one, of course, is permitted to come in for more indemnity than \$250.00. Right here, also, it is proper to say that the Hoo-Hoo Death Emergency Fund was not conceived and established as a business proposition to enter into competition with any insurance organization. Its appeal to members of Hoo-Hoo is on a different and higher plane. The Hoo-Hoo Death Emergency Fund was conceived and established as a method through which the sentiment of charity and brotherly love existing among Hoo-Hoo can be systematically, promptly and effectively extended to the bereaved ones of our dead members. It has magnificently fulfilled this end, and is worthy the heartfelt support of every member of the Order, even though he feels no need himself of insurance at any price, and even though the Calls should come four times a year instead of twice.

The cost of participation during the time that has now elapsed since the fund was established is gone into only that the exact workings of the undertaking may be understood by all, and not to urge the proposition on our members as a business matter.

It is, however, none the less gratifying to be able to say that considering the fact that no restriction whatever is made as to age or condition of health, that we take alike the young man in the bloom of youth and the old man taking his last slow steps, and the sick along with the most robust—the Hoo-Hoo Death Emergency Fund has been demonstrated to be the cheapest death benefit ever furnished by any organization, company or individual. This is something surely of which to be proud.

The cost of participation is just what the death rate makes it. There is no expense of administration except for postage, printing and for telegraph tolls incident to carrying out the provision of the plan providing for instant payment upon fact of death being established.

EXPLANATORY COMMENT.

It has been a little difficult to make every detail of the plan entirely clear, therefore the following explanatory comments on one of two features of the plan are made:

It will be seen that a man can become a subscriber to the fund at any time. He can respond to any Call as soon as that Call is issued, or at any time thereafter. He can subscribe on his own initiative without having received any Call at all, or even knowing that any particular Call has been issued, and his subscription will be entered under the outstanding Call, whatever its number may be.

The length of time of the indemnity purchased depends on two things—the promptness with which the subscription was made after a Call is issued, and the time that will elapse before the next succeeding Call is issued, the latter depending, of course, upon the death rate. In other words, the frequency of the calls is regulated automatically by the death rate, and the man who responds promptly to any Call purchases a longer period of indemnity than does the dilatory man who puts it off from month to month.

The subscriber's right to have his claim paid does not cease instantly on the issuance of next succeeding call. On this the original plan provides:

The designated beneficiaries of those who contribute to the fund may expect payment of the sum named provided the death of the subscriber occurs prior to fifteen days after the date of issuance of the next succeeding request for contributions.

This provision in the plan has called forth considerable discussion, the point having been raised by several that the "extension period" is quite too short. Those raising this point have insisted that many of our members are traveling men, frequently away from home for weeks at a time; that the only notification they can possibly get is through the mail; that these notices may go astray, or fail to be forwarded; that a man who would be prompt to respond to the new Call as soon as received, does not respond within the fifteen day period, and that during this period he may die.

We have had no such specific case as this; but a little thought will show that it is likely to happen at any time, and that this clause in original plan would seem to be strict.

In order to protect each subscriber it has been suggested that they keep one Call paid in advance, and in this way avoid any possibility of delay in responding on account of failure to receive notification of new Call.

Subscriptions covering Calls in advance may be made if the subscriber desires to do so. In every such case the amount of advance payment will be carried forward from Call to Call.

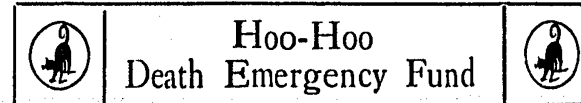
It is believed that the foregoing fully explains every detail of the working of the Hoo-Hoo Death Emergency Fund. It is earnestly hoped for the good of the entire Order that every member will not only become a participant himself, but will endeavor to have his brother members do so.

If all members could only see the real good of this fund and become participants, the fund could without doubt be maintained on two Calls each twelve months. On this basis the fund would not only magnificently exemplify the spirit of brotherly love and charity upon which it is primarily founded, but would prove the cheapest form of insurance any man could buy.

**It is Good.
The cost is Low.
It is Sound.
You should be a Subscriber.
Send \$2.00 to cover current call.**

**W. M. STEPHENSON,
Scrivenor**

1219 Wright Building
St. Louis, Mo.



Hoo-Hoo Death Emergency Fund

NOW WORKING UNDER SIXTH CALL

BELOW find statement covering receipts and disbursements under Fifth Call, also receipts and disbursements under Sixth Call, up to and including March 31, 1913:

FIFTH CALL RECEIPTS	
Balance from Fourth Call.....	\$ 2,087.17
Collected on Fifth Call.....	4,507.85
	\$ 6,685.02

DISBURSEMENTS

Expenses Fifth Call	
One-half postage on fifth call sent out with notice of Hoo-Hoo dues for 1912-1913.....	\$166.50
One-half expense addressing and mailing fifth call notice sent out with Hoo-Hoo notices for 1912-1913.....	44.85
10,000 Death Emergency Fund receipt cards.....	87.50
Check and draft book.....	7.00
One-half cost 10,000 blank ledger book sheets, not printed.....	7.45
One-half cost 32,000 envelopes used to send out fifth call notice, addressed envelope enclosed for reply.....	30.10
One-half cost 16,000 letter heads, notice of change in Scrivenor's office, sent out with fifth call and Hoo-Hoo dues.....	18.00
16,000 record cards, fifth call.....	33.60
Refunds.....	24.00
Postage.....	11.96
	\$ 420.46

Claims Paid Under Fifth Call.	
Oct. 23, Claim of J. H. Littlefield.....	\$250.00
Oct. 30, Claim of A. D. Barrow.....	250.00
Nov. 7, Claim of T. S. Brice.....	250.00
Nov. 8, Claim of H. M. Graham.....	250.00
Nov. 9, Claim of W. O. Carlton.....	250.00
Nov. 30, Claim of L. A. Kimball.....	250.00
Dec. 9, Claim of H. T. Meyering.....	250.00
Dec. 19, Claim of G. F. Panewitz.....	250.00
Dec. 23, Claim of E. B. Curtis.....	250.00
Jan. 4, Claim of James H. Barr.....	250.00
Jan. 25, Claim of E. G. Abbott.....	250.00
Jan. 28, Claim of H. L. Graham.....	250.00
Jan. 28, Claim of I. S. Wadleigh.....	250.00
Jan. 28, Claim of John Oxenford.....	250.00
Jan. 31, Claim of James H. Ferguson.....	250.00
Feb. 20, Claim of L. Metheny.....	250.00
Feb. 28, Claim of Frank Hallock.....	250.00
Feb. 28, Claim of E. F. Mitchell.....	250.00
Feb. 28, Claim of B. A. Tucker.....	250.00
Feb. 28, Claim of A. B. Mead.....	250.00
Feb. 28, Claim of Harry Stolls.....	250.00
	\$ 5,250.00

Total.....	\$ 5,670.46
Balance.....	1,014.56

SIXTH CALL.

Receipts.	
Balance from Fifth Call.....	\$ 1,014.56
Collected on Sixth Call.....	4,041.85
(Up to and including March 31, 1913.)	\$ 5,056.01

Disbursements.	
Expenses Sixth Call.	
Postage.....	\$100.00
Cash book.....	8.00
Reference Cards.....	9.00
Envelopes.....	16.00
File record envelopes.....	19.00
Letter paper, Sixth Call.....	15.00

Claims paid under Sixth Call.	
March 31, Claim of W. M. Boaz.....	\$250.00
March 31, Claim of Mot L. Saely.....	250.00
	\$ 500.00
Total.....	\$ 667.00
Balance on hand April 1, 1913.....	4,388.01

I want all members to read the following letters, selected from those received, endorsing the Death Emergency Fund. If you are not already a subscriber to this fund, you should subscribe at once and be a factor in this good work. If you are a subscriber, talk it with all members you meet and urge them to send in their subscription to the Sixth Call.

If you feel that you personally do not need this ray of sunshine, remember there are many others who do, and you cannot do anything better than to join hands with us.

I am very anxious to increase the number of members subscribing to this fund and want every member of the Order to give me his hearty co-operation and support to this end. We cannot tell you in mere words the great good this has accomplished. If there are any features connected with this you don't fully understand, or if there is any information you desire regarding this fund, write the Scrivenor and he will be pleased to explain it fully.

Come on in and help this good work along.

"Find enclosed my check for \$2.00 for Death Emergency Fund which I send with good cheer. For while I hope the dues for the Sixth Call will not be used to benefit myself it may be that it will go to some one who needs it. In that case I will be well spent."
J. P. HUNTLEY (19408),
Guyton, Ga.

"Enclosed find herewith my check for \$4.00 in payment of Sixth Call and prepayment of Seventh Call for the Death Emergency Fund. Trusting that the loyalty of the original subscribers to this fund may be an incentive to those who have "remained without the fold" to come in and join in a work of undisturbed good to the Order as well as aiding many a brother's family in time of their greatest distress."
E. A. McVIGIL (2899),
Cleveland, Ohio.

"I herewith enclose you cheque for \$4.00 in payment of Sixth and Seventh Calls for Death Emergency Fund. I think the cause a worthy one and should have the support of every member of the Order."
W. A. SAURWEIN (12056),
Sarnia, Ontario.

"I herewith hand you check for \$2.00 to cover the Sixth Call of the Death Emergency Fund in Hoo-Hoo. This is too important a matter to be neglected and trust that all Hoo-Hoo will see its benefits."
FRANK SHANGLER (3677),
Toledo, Ohio.

"Enclosed find my check for Sixth and Seventh Calls. I feel that this is the biggest thing in the Order for there are many a Brother's family to whom it must indeed be a blessing in their hour of need."
G. H. CASLER (22037),
Los Angeles, Cal.

"Please find enclosed my check for \$2.00 to cover Sixth Call Death Emergency Fund. I consider it a convenient and meritorious form of insurance and hope this feature of Hoo-Hoo will continue to prosper."
L. C. DAVISON (6999),
Weed, Cal.

"Enclosed please find my check for \$2.00 on account of the Death Emergency Fund. I am glad to note that this fund has worked out on the original plan and has carried a ray of sunshine into a good many homes."
G. M. CORNWALL (7640),
Portland, Ore.

"Enclosed please find New York Exchange for \$4.00, same to apply on the Sixth and Seventh Calls for the Death Emergency Fund. We must get every Hoo-Hoo to subscribe to this fund; it is just the thing. I like it very much."
A. A. LALAURIN (588),
Pine Bluff, Ark.

"I am sending you my personal check for \$4.00 to apply on Sixth and Seventh Calls Death Emergency Fund. I have participated in this fund from the start and hope to be able to respond to every call. I feel that every time that I contributed to the fund, I am helping some Brother's loved ones that right at that time is in need of READY MONEY."
JOHN W. DUTTON (8043),
Pine Bluff, Ark.

"Find enclosed my check for \$4.00 to cover Sixth and Seventh Calls for Death Emergency Fund. This is a good thing. I wish more of our Brothers thought so. I am one of the stayers."
R. A. HAMILTON (9800),
Big Run, Pa.

"Please find enclosed my check for \$4.00 to cover Sixth and Seventh Calls Death Emergency Fund. I am very glad to remit these two calls as I am always ready to help my share in keeping up this department of Hoo-Hoo."
J. H. CUNNINGHAM (23850),
Loveland, Colo.

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"WE HAVE LOVED THEM DURING LIFE,
LET US NOT FORGET THEM IN DEATH"



CLIFF STUART WALKER (738)
1856-1913.

Brother Cliff S. Walker, died at his home, 219 Garrard avenue, Covington, Ky., Sunday, February 23, 1913. After a long, patient, cheerful fight against illness.

Brother Walker was one of God's Noblemen and his many friends will learn of his death with sincere sorrow and deep regret.

With the same courteous deference with which he respected the rights of his fellowman, he bowed to the will of the Inevitable Right. He was one kindly, curly gentleman.

Brother Walker enjoyed a wide circle of friends in the lumber and Railroad fraternity.

His funeral was from his late residence, on February 26, 1913. The house was a veritable bower of flowers, the tributes of loyal friends. Rev. James M. Magruder, rector of the Trinity Episcopal Church conducted the services.

Brother Walker at the time of his death was president of the Bayou Land and Lumber Company and vice-president of the Tensas River Lumber Company, which owns thousands of acres of hardwood timberland and operates mills in Mississippi and Louisiana.

Brother Walker lived and died a Kentucky gentleman. In his youth he followed the steamboating trade in the up-river districts. During many years following he was in the river and rail transportation business. For several years he was general Southern agent of the C. H. & D. Railroad. From 1902 to 1907 he was president of the Southern Crossing Company at Sibley, La., but had to return North on account of his health. It was then that he began to confine his activities to the lumber business. The Cincinnati offices of his lumber concerns have been in the Nevada Building. For a period preceding his death he was a member of the Board of Education of Covington, but was compelled to resign several months ago when illness overtook him.

It can hardly be said that any man here exactly the same relationship to the lumber industry in the Cincinnati market that Cliff Walker did. "He gave the world a square deal," might well be inscribed on his monument, as it is inscribed in the hearts of all who know him. It was he who fathered the "square deal" slogan of the Cincinnati Lumbermen's Club. And he adhered to these precepts in his entire business and private life. He helped give to Cincinnati its wide reputation for a fair and square market. He originated the policy of compulsory arbitration of trade disputes among members of the club and between members and outsiders.

The club grew and prospered under his two terms as president. His chivalrous and kindly bearing and his wit and sparkling repartee will long be remembered at the banquet board where the lumbermen gather monthly to renew social ties and discuss their more material affairs.

For the qualities that go to make a gentleman was he known, not only in his home surroundings, but wherever lumber is made and hardwoods are marketed.

He was a thirty-second degree Mason, belonging to Covington Lodge, Covington Chapter and Covington Commandery.

Brother Walker was born at Newport, Ky., on January 4, 1855, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Cincinnati, Ohio, on November 17, 1893.

Brother Walker was elected Supreme Junior Hoo-Hoo at the annual held in Minneapolis, Minn., in 1895, and there are many who will always remember him for his work as Junior Hoo-Hoo. Few men indeed will ever equal his good work in the garden. He was always a gentleman and always left a most kind remembrance in the hearts of the "kittens" and none left his station without a high regard and friendly feeling for him.

Brother Walker was always working for the better interests of the Order and Hoo-Hoo has indeed lost a most worthy member and one of whom the Order was justly proud.

WALTER GARRISON WEART (26419)
1872-1913.

Brother W. G. Weart, died at his home in Cedar Falls, Iowa, on Monday, February 17, 1913, after an illness of three weeks, death caused by pneumonia and other complications. The funeral services took place on Wednesday afternoon, February 19, from the First Congregational Church, and were conducted by his pastor, Rev. O. H. Holmes, assisted by Dr. J. E. Snowden. Out of respect for Mr. Weart all of the business houses closed during the funeral services. The

Hoo-Hoo Death Emergency Fund

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"I take pleasure in enclosing herewith my personal check for \$4.00 covering Sixth and Seventh Calls.

I am very glad indeed to continue my contribution to this fund, as I consider it one of the very best features of our Order, and I hope that as members realize the good it may do they will contribute more generally to this fund."
H. E. DICKINSON (21585)
Chicago, Ill.

"In compliance with your circular letter of February 15th, I enclose you Chicago Exchange for \$4.00 covering the Sixth and Seventh Calls Death Emergency Fund. I am pleased to do this because of it not only being cheap insurance but that the fund is one of the cords in the bond that binds the Order together.

I consider it one of the very best features in the whole scheme of Life Insurance because the relief it affords comes at a time when it is most needed and therefore produces the greater effect. As long as there are youthful spirits in the lumber fraternity Hoo-Hoo will be a reality and grow in numbers and interest. It supplies a great need in this intense age of Commercialism, and so my friend, Be Not Weary in Well Doing."
C. H. KETRIDGE (6236)
Evansville, Ind.

service was one of the largest ever held at Cedar Falls. The floral offerings were very elaborate and told in but small degree of the high esteem in which Mr. Weart had been held by his business associates and the community at large. At the grave in Fairview Cemetery O. A. Wagley, of Newton, Iowa, Grand Custodian for Iowa of the Iowa Grand Lodge of Masons, conducted a brief service.

Brother Weart was President of the Weart-Frisby Lumber Co., Cedar Falls, Iowa, and was one of the best known and most popular and successful lumbermen of Northwestern Iowa.

Brother Weart has been prominently identified with the business and social affairs of Cedar Falls. He was for several years a worshipful master of the local Masonic Lodge and at the time of his death was the member of its board of trustees. He was also very active in the Commercial Club and was a trustee of the First Congregational Church. He was prominently active in association work. He served effectively on committees of the Central Iowa Retail Lumbermen's Association and as its President gave the organization a most effective administration.

Brother Weart was born at Blawenburg, N. J., on July 9, 1872, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Des Moines, Iowa, on February 21, 1911.

WILLIAM McLAIN BOAZ (20780)
1887-1913

Brother W. M. Boaz, who has been ill for some time and unable to work, ended his life at his home, 1626 High Street, Denver, Colo., March 26, 1913, by swallowing a quantity of arsenic. Brother Boaz was employed by the Rock Mountain Gem Co., Denver, Colo., as traveling salesman. Several months ago his health began to fail and upon several occasions he was forced to abandon his trips.

Brother Boaz was born at Indianapolis, Ind., on October 28, 1867, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Denver, Colo., on January 16, 1908. He was a subscriber to the Death Emergency Fund.

MET LAWSON SALEY (11161)
1845-1913

Brother Met L. Saley died at his home in Hampton, Iowa, Sunday, March 30, 1913, of pneumonia.

The death of Brother Saley will cause universal sorrow, as few men had as many friends as "Met." For many years he conducted the "Realm of the Retailer" in the American Lumberman, Chicago, Ill., and no lumber convention in his district was a success unless he was present.

Funeral at Hampton, Iowa, on Tuesday, April 1, 1913. No one had a wider circle of friends and no one appreciated friendship more than Brother Saley. His articles, always interesting, contained valuable information and advice to the retail trade and were highly prized.

The Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo has lost a valuable member and an able counselor and one who always not only had the best interests of the Order at heart, but one who was always working to make Hoo-Hoo a greater success as a representative lumbermen's order. He fully appreciated the great good the Order was to the lumber industry in bringing together in fraternal relations all men engaged in the different branches of the trade.

Brother Saley was born at Columbus, N. Y., on July 5, 1845, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Canton, Ohio, on August 13, 1903. He was a subscriber to the Death Emergency Fund.

ADELBERT WALTER ECKART (267)
1859-1913

Brother A. W. Eckart died at Shell Rock, Iowa, on April 2, 1913, death caused by cancer of the stomach. Funeral at Shell Rock, Iowa, on April 4, 1913. Brother Eckart has been seriously ill for over six months, and with the knowledge that nothing could be done for him, he bore his sufferings with his usual cheerful disposition. Brother Eckart was well known to the lumber trade of the Mississippi Valley and had many warm friends, who will learn of his death with sincere sorrow.

Brother Eckart was born at Somanauk, Ill., on Sept. 30, 1859, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Minneapolis, Minn. on January 24, 1893. He was a subscriber to the Death Emergency Fund.

"Enclosed please find my check for \$3.00, \$2.00 to cover Sixth Call Death Emergency Fund and \$1.00 to be placed to credit of the Imminent Distress Fund. I think these funds should be kept up for they are no doubt badly needed."
J. J. SEAY (4493)
Rome, Ga.

"Your favor of February 15th just received with notice for Sixth Call for the Hoo-Hoo Death Emergency Fund. Enclosed you will please find \$2.00 for same.

I hope there will be no trouble in getting all of our members to contribute to this fund as I think, as you do, it helps out a great many, and I, for one, will be glad to continue.

Wishing the best of prosperity and success for Hoo-Hoo,
HARVEY AVERY (383)
Traverse City, Mich.

"In response to Sixth Call I beg to hand you herewith check for \$2.00 and in doing so I am appreciative of the fact that while I have received no benefits from our payments heretofore made, except that it touches the heart of every one who believes in the brotherhood of man and the fellowship of God, yet I think our Order is well blessed by the wisdom of those members, whether they be few or great in number, who have promulgated the institution, inauguration and the perpetuation of this department of Hoo-Hoo endeavors."
E. G. DAVIS (22987)
Fayetteville, N. C.



THE PRACTICAL SIDE OF HOO-HOO

The men whose Hoo-Hoo names appear in the notices below are out of work and want employment. This is intended as a permanent department of The Bulletin, through which to make these facts known. It should be read by several thousand business men who employ men in many varied forms, and it can be made of great value in giving practical application to Hoo-Hoo central theme of helping one another. It is hoped the department will receive very careful attention each issue.



WANTED—Position as band filer; have had 12 years' experience on single and double cut, Married and strictly sober. Gilt edge reference. Address "Band Filer," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as filer, either circular or gang, but prefer position where it is both circular and gang. Have had sixteen years experience. Address "Filer," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—By young man now managing retail lumber yard in New Orleans, to make a change for similar position or to locate with large saw mill out west. Address "R. H. P.," 117 S. Jefferson Davis Parkway, New Orleans, La.

WANTED—Position by young man, 22 years of age, as timekeeper or commissary work. Can furnish best of reference as to character and ability. Address "Falkville," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—By a man with many years' experience in lumber office, position as sales manager or assistant or general office man, either yellow pine, cypress or hardwoods. Address "A. G. C.," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as lumber buyer on the Pacific Coast for a large eastern concern. Twenty years experience in the manufacture of lumber and sash and doors. Address "Oregon," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as traveling salesman for yellow pine. Thoroughly acquainted with the trade in Oklahoma, Southern Kansas and Southeast Missouri. Satisfactory references. Address "A-1 Salesman," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position with good, reliable company in the South as band saw filer. Have had 20 years' experience in all kinds of timber; am steady, sober, reliable and can furnish good references. Address "Lodge Beach," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as manager or assistant manager for some good company with chance of advancement in retail lumber yard. Am experienced and can give reference and can go any place on 30 days' notice. Address "Retail," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—An experienced lumberman, as Mgr., wholesaler and salesman, desires connection with some large mill concern as their representative in Kansas City, Mo., as manager, or special contract salesman. Highest reference as to ability, experience, character and hustling qualities. W. E. Camp, Box 193, Minneapolis, Minn.

WANTED—Position as yellow pine mill superintendent. For five years I ran one of the biggest mills of one of the largest manufacturers in the South. Have also had experience in buying and selling lumber. Can furnish references. Address "St. James," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as superintendent, salesman or shipper with lumber concern. Am familiar with all kinds of lumber; have had experience in woods, mill and yards; 45 years of age, married, sober and a worker. Will go anywhere. Address "H. S. C.," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position with retail lumberman as manager or assistant manager of retail yard; will accept office position as starter; competent to handle city sales. Prefer to locate in St. Louis. Fifteen years' experience. Married. Can furnish references. Address "St. Louis," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as manager of live lumber yard by man now employed as manager and who is capable of being auditor. Have worked for one company four years. Can handle any set of books and furnish best of references. Prefer Oklahoma or Texas. Address C. M., care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as manager or superintendent manufacturing end of the lumber business; twenty-two years' experience, from stump to manufactured product; seven years in the South, balance North. Familiar with all departments. Have handled all kinds of labor. Am temperate and can make good. Address "Detroit," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—By middle aged man with twenty years' experience in lumber business, a position as traveling salesman or manager of retail yard. Have had experience at both. I do not know it at all but am willing to learn what I can. Have also had four years' experience in the manufacture of yellow pine. Address No. 19702, care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position by an Al hardwood man with twenty years' experience as a hardwood inspector and shipper, who would like to connect himself with a reliable concern in that capacity. I am 33 years old, married and strictly sober, and can refer to my present employer. Have good reasons for wishing to make a change. Southern connection preferred. "W.," 254 South Bancroft Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—Position as manager of a retail yard in some good city that has good schools and churches. Understand the lumber business thoroughly as well as the coal and other building material. Am a German, 37 years old, married, strictly sober, a hustler and a good credit man. Can furnish best of references. Address "P. G. E.," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Lumberman, 34 years of age, well known in the yellow pine producing territory, wants position as buyer or seller of yellow pine lumber. Understands manufacture and grading long and short leaf. Clean cut, practical and adaptive. Will not consider less than \$125.00 per month and expenses. Address "Lumberman," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

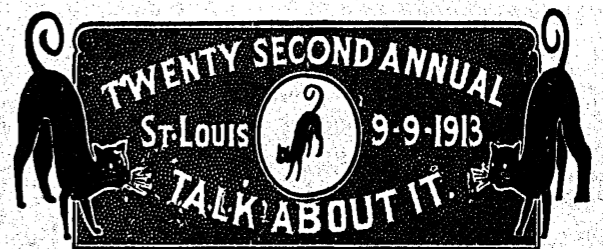
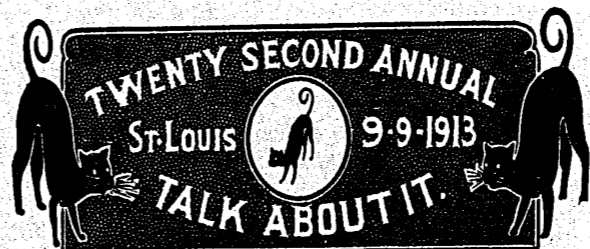
WANTED—Position as sales manager or traveling salesman. Have had twenty years' experience in every department of the hardwood trade, much of the time in an executive capacity. Good experience; familiar with the grading of the factory trade, and a wide acquaintance with same; capable of handling correspondence, finances or other managerial position. Address "Hardwood," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position with large lumber or mill company. I am a young man with three years' experience in the retail lumber business as bookkeeper and general office man and yard salesman. Am quick and accurate and a hard worker; do not smoke or fight booze. I am employed and am giving perfect satisfaction, but desire to make a change to get connected with larger company. Gilt-edge references. Address "W. No. 2," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position with lumber or mill company. Am experienced in retail and line yard work and am accurate on estimates. An expert accountant and can handle books in any line of business. No objection to position in mill camp. Location near Gulf Coast preferred, but not material. Want position with large and permanent business. Best of references. Give me a trial, and you will not be disappointed. Address "Hustler," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as saw mill foreman or superintendent in yellow pine mill. Twenty years' experience, seven years with last employers, from whom I can furnish unquestionable references as to character and ability. Can also act as master mechanic and chief engineer, or combine all three as general superintendent. Can successfully handle all kinds of labor. Willing to go anywhere, and can come on short notice. First-class services guaranteed, and a fair salary expected. Address J. P. F., care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as superintendent or foreman by a practical, all round hardwood man, 18 years experience from stump to cars, including mills, machinery men and the manufacture of high grade lumber, wagon material and such like. Can get good results; have handled some pine. Have had charge of works 14 years, all in mountain district. Have position now and have had for several years with good concern, but have good reasons for making change. Can furnish good letters as to ability and character. Am middle aged man, have family and would prefer the West and will only consider something permanent with good concern. Address "Foreman," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.





SUPREME BOJUM



ADOLPH HENRY RUTH (9996)
Chicago, Ill.

BROTHER A. H. Ruth, manager Chicago office of the G. W. Jones Lumber Co., of Appleton, Wis., has been unanimously elected by the Supreme Nine as Supreme Bojum to complete the unexpired term of our late Brother, John Oxenford of Indianapolis, Ind.

Brother Ruth was born at Neenah, Wis., on January 25, 1877, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Minneapolis, Minn., on January 13, 1903. He served two terms as Vicegerent Snark for the Northern District of Illinois, and ever since his initiation has been a hard worker for the best interests of Hoo-Hoo and his election as Supreme Bojum is a reward for his good service, and THE BULLETIN is sure that this selection will meet the hearty approval of all Hoo-Hoo.

Brother Ruth, always a good fellow, is well acquainted in lumber circles, having had charge of the G. W. Jones Lumber Co.'s business in the Chicago district for over seven years. Brother Ruth is well equipped for his new office, and we are expecting a good account from his jurisdiction at the annual meeting.

THE BULLETIN congratulates Brother Ruth on his election and wishes him Health, Happiness and Long Life.



"CLIPPINGS"
FROM THE
LUMBER JOURNALS



BIG HOO-HOO CONCATENATION IN B. C.

ONE more, and lest we forget, Hoo-Hoo of today is an advantage, aid, assistance, benefit, help, relief and succor to any lumberman having a tremendous yearning to associate with a clean-cut bunch of live wires on a more or less noiseless search for health and happiness.

Last month new Hoo-Hoo broke loose at Spokane with one of the most thoroughly enjoyable concatenations ever seen in the Northwest. On March 7th the vast improvement of the new Order again was in evidence at New Westminster, B. C., where a rousing meeting was held under the direction of J. G. Robson, vicegerent for Western British Columbia.—Pacific Lumber Trade Journal, Seattle, Wash., March, 1913.

The Timberman, Portland, Oregon., for February, 1913, contained a great write-up of the Spokane Concatenation and we regret we cannot republish same in full. It is certainly highly appreciated and we tender our sincere thanks to Brothers Cornwall, Whisnant and Dairs.

Brother John Hooper, Publisher of the Western Lumberman, Winnipeg, Manitoba, is printing pages of Hoo-Hoo news in each issue and is doing his share to make Hoo-Hoo a great success. If you want to keep posted be sure and get the Western Lumberman.



THE PRACTICAL SIDE



EVERY member should read carefully, each month, "THE PRACTICAL SIDE." This refers to unemployed members and we can show our best nature and our fraternal spirit by not only reading this page, but by doing all in our power to place our brother in line for a position.

EVERY HOO-HOO who employs MEN can find the MAN he is looking for through the columns of THE BULLETIN.

If you want a man for any position, advise the Scrivenor and he will put you in touch with the man you want.

Remember, it is your duty as a loyal Hoo-Hoo to assist a worthy brother to employment.

Let us all get a little closer together, and let us help each other.

Read all the advertisements in this issue and advise the Scrivenor promptly of any opportunity where we can place our members. Do this in a true fraternal spirit.

The Scrivenor is in receipt of a letter advising that the writer wants to get in touch with an experienced saw mill manager, under forty, with four to five thousand dollars to invest, to take charge of mill near Vancouver, B. C., cutting forty thousand feet a day. Party will give any lumberman a good proposition who can go there and manage the property. If interested, write the Scrivenor and he will be pleased to put you in touch with party.



PERSONAL



Among the non-resident members who visited the Scrivenor's office during the past month were:

Alvah H. Whitmarsh (13852), of Texarkana, Ark.

Charles L. Whitmarsh (1649), Minden, La.

Clarence E. Henricks (17283), Granite City, Ill.

John B. Allen (14003), Centralia, Ill.

William A. Rappelye (25213), St. Joseph, Mo.

C. L. Gregg (9181), Eureka Springs, Ark.

James A. Joseph (20576), of the Retail Lumberman and Scout, Kansas City, Mo.

Charles Cullen (23668), Cincinnati, Ohio.



BUSINESS CHANGES



J. W. Phillips (6606), Vicegerent Snark, Southern Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn., who has been with the C. A. Smith Lumber Co., Minneapolis, for many years, has gone with Brother Charles L. Strey (27258), as representative of the Wendling-Nathan Lumber Co., of San Francisco, Portland and Seattle. Jack has his office at 540 Security Bank Bldg., Minneapolis. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Phillips Health, Happiness and Long Life and great success in his new line.

Brother Morris A. Hayward (248), of Columbus, Ohio, has moved to Detroit, Mich., where he has incorporated the M. A. Hayward & Sons' Co., with headquarters at 306 Palmer Bldg., Detroit, Mich. Brother Hayward will have branch office at Columbus, Ohio, and his son, Herbert M. Hayward, who is secretary of the Company, will be in charge. Brother Hayward will make a specialty of Oak Flooring, being the General Sales Agent for the Bliss Cook Oak Co., Blissville, Ark., in addition they will handle a general line of Southern Hardwoods and Maple Flooring from the North.

Brother Hayward has always taken a most active interest in Hoo-Hoo and THE BULLETIN wishes him great success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Graham A. Griwold (12842), a past member of the Supreme Nine and formerly Vice-President and Treasurer of the West Oregon Lumber Co., Linnton, Ore., is now Secretary of the Columbia Engineering Co., whose works are at Linnton, Ore. Brother Griswold will make his headquarters at Portland, Ore.

THE BULLETIN wishes him success in his new line and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Herbert A. Black (10984), Winnipeg, Manitoba, who up to January 1st was the Winnipeg representative of the Imperial Timber and Trading Co., of Vancouver, B. C., has gone into business for himself as Manufacturer's Agent and Wholesale Lumber Dealer. Brother Black has spent most of his life in the lumber business and is well qualified for success in his new line. Brother Black has established headquarters in the Somerset Bldg., Winnipeg.

THE BULLETIN wishes him success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother Cecil P. Hostetter (26115), formerly Commercial Agent Orient Railway, El Paso, Texas, has resigned and is now connected with Runkle & Peacock, Merchandise Brokers, El Paso, Texas. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Hostetter success in his new work and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother C. L. Gregg (9181), of Eureka Springs, Ark., has moved to Jamestown, N. Y., where he will engage in the retail lumber business. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Gregg success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother L. T. McDonnell (24557), has been elected Second Vice-President of The Payton Lumber & Supply Co., St. Louis, Mo. He formerly was Southern District Manager at New Orleans, La., of the Thos. E. Coale Lumber Co., of Philadelphia, Pa. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother McDonnell success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother J. P. Keating (23055), has severed his connection with the Continental Lumber Co., of Portland, Ore., and has accepted position of Sales-Manager for the North Western Lumber Co., Hoquiam, Wash. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Keating success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother Walter J. Sharp (16688), Vicegerent Snark, Western District and Wales, England, Liverpool, England, was taken into partnership as member of the firm of Churchill & Sim, Liverpool, on January 1, 1913. Brother Sharp is well known in all American exporting markets on account of his many visits to this country and he has many friends on this side and THE BULLETIN joins them in wishing Brother Sharp success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother J. J. Herlihy (14098), on February 1, 1913, became Manager of the Beaver Lumber Co., with offices in the Spalding Building, Portland, Ore. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Herlihy success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother J. B. Knapp (17092), for many years in charge of the work of the Branch of Products of the Forest Service in the Northwest, has accepted position as manager of the Northwestern Association of Box Manufacturers, with headquarters in the Wilcox Building, Portland, Ore. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Knapp success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother Paul M. Dimmick (15189) has resigned as Vicegerent Snark of the Central District of California, San Francisco, California, on account of making a change in his business. Brother Dimmick is now located at North Bend, Oregon, where he is manager of the North Bend Mill and Lumber Co. Brother Dimmick has always had the best interests of

Hoo-Hoo at heart and has been one of our most active members, and THE BULLETIN wishes him success in his new position and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother John D. Pease (14135), for many years connected with the American Lumberman, Chicago, Ill., has made a change and after April 1, 1913, will be connected with the Penton Publishing Co., Cleveland, Ohio, publishers of the following papers: Daily Iron Trade, Iron Trade Review (weekly), Foundry (monthly), Marine Review (monthly), Power Boating (monthly). "Jack," as he is known to his many friends, is one of the most popular men connected with the lumber press and carries with him to his new connection the best wishes of all for success. THE BULLETIN wishes him Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother William Earle King (21186) has severed his connection as assistant sales manager of the Palmer & Seamans Lumber Co., Uniontown, Pa., and after April 1, 1913, will be connected with the Blue Jay Lumber Co. at Blue Jay, W. Va. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother King success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

ILLNESS

Brother Albert Cone (7304), High Priest of Ptah, Osirian Cloister, of the American Lumberman, Chicago, Ill., recently had a sudden attack of pneumonia. We are indeed pleased to know that Brother Cone has recovered his good health. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Cone Health, Happiness and Long Life.

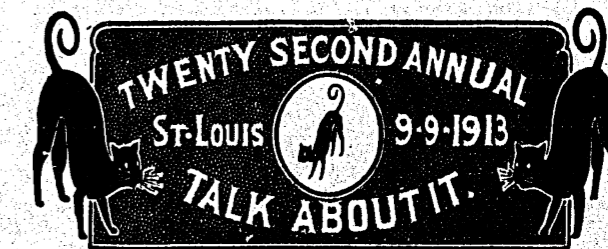
LECTURE

Brother Huron H. Smith (22854), Chicago, Ill., has favored THE BULLETIN with a card of the Field Museum, Chicago, Ill., covering their spring programme, and we are pleased to note that on April 10, 1913, Brother Smith will deliver a lecture on "Logging California Redwoods." This should be of interest to all lumbermen. Lecture will be at 3 o'clock in Fullerton Hall, Art Institute, Michigan Ave. and Adams St., Chicago, Ill., and all Hoo-Hoo are urged to attend.

DINNER TO SNARK TROWER
Portland, Oregon

An informal dinner was tendered Snark of the Universe Frank W. Trower at the Commercial Club, Portland, Ore., on Thursday evening, February 20, 1913, on Snark Trower's return from the Spokane concatenation. This dinner was given in honor of Snark Trower's visit to Portland, and many subjects for the good of Hoo-Hoo were discussed. At this dinner Brother J. M. Leiter, past member of the Supreme Nine and one of the strongest supporters of Hoo-Hoo in Oregon, was selected as Oregon's representative for the House of Hoo-Hoo at the Pan-American Exposition in San Francisco in 1915.

One suggestion that will in all probability be adopted is to have the building contain several large rooms, each to be devoted to a State, the interior to be finished in the particular wood in which the State excels; for example: Oregon, fir, spruce and white cedar; Washington, fir, spruce and red cedar; Idaho, western pine; Montana, Montana larch, and California, redwood, sugar and white pine. It is believed that this would prove an invaluable advertising medium for these woods for finishing material.





PROSPECTIVE CONCATENATIONS



VENICE, CALIFORNIA, April 16, 1913

VICEGERENT SNARK E. A. GOODRICH, Southern District of California, Los Angeles, California, advises that he will hold a concatenation at Venice, California, on the evening of April 16, 1913. Venice is located on the Pacific Ocean within a few miles of Los Angeles and is one of the bright spots of California.

This concatenation will be held in connection with the meeting of the Southern California Retail Lumber Dealers' Association, which will meet in Los Angeles on April 17th.

Brother A. L. Porter, Secretary of the Western Retail Lumbermen's Association, Spokane, Wash., will be present as well as Brothers F. H. Wheelan, Vice-President, San Francisco, Cal.; J. C. Martin, former President, Fresno, Cal.; Fred H. Gilman, American Lumberman, Seattle, Wash.; A. R. Graham and M. H. McCall, traveling representatives of the Western Retail Lumbermen's Association, Spokane, Wash. Brothers Wallace W. Everett of the Pioneer Western Lumberman, San Francisco, and Robert B. Allen of the Pacific Lumber Trade Journal, Seattle, as well as many other prominent visitors are expected to be present and take part in the concatenation and association meeting.

Now let all Southern California Hoo-Hoo get in behind Brother Goodrich and make this concatenation one of the best ever held in Sunny Southern California. Get in touch with Brother Goodrich at once and ask what you can do to help.

EUREKA, CALIFORNIA, April 19, 1913

Vicegerent Snark Marshall C. Wood, Humboldt District, California, Eureka, Cal., advises that his concatenation of April 19, 1913, will be as great a success as his December concatenation and that he expects as large, if not larger class of kittens. Snark Trower will attend this concatenation.

CORPUS CHRISTIE, TEXAS, April 19, 1913

Vicegerent Snark W. G. Blake, Gulf District of Texas, advises that he will hold concatenation at Corpus Christie on April 19, 1913, and that he expects a large class of "kittens" and a large attendance of "cats." Every Hoo-Hoo in the Gulf District should get in touch with Brother Blake and put their shoulders to the wheel and assist him all in their power.

GRAYSONIA, ARKANSAS, April 19, 1913

Vicegerent Snark Geo. H. Grayson, Southwestern District, Arkansas, will hold concatenation at Graysonia, Ark., on April 19, 1913, and this promises to be one of the best concatenations ever held in Arkansas. Brother Grayson is one of the old-time Vicegerents, having been Vicegerent Snark for the State of Arkansas in 1897 and 1898. All Hoo-Hoo in Arkansas are requested to attend this concatenation and to give Brother Grayson all the assistance in their power.

CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA, April 26, 1913

Vicegerent Snark C. M. Hawkins, Capital District, West Virginia, announces a concatenation to be held at Charleston, W. Va., on April 26, 1913. Brother Hawkins is being assisted by Brother O. F. Payne, Past Vicegerent Snark, and this concatenation promises to be a great success. Past Snark E. Stringer Boggess will attend and THE BULLETIN is sure that Brother Hawkins will hold one of the best concatenations ever held in West Virginia. All Hoo-Hoo in that section are requested to get in touch with Brother Hawkins and give him their valuable assistance.

HUTCHINSON, KANSAS

Vicegerent Snark Howard C. Wilson, Southeastern District of Kansas, advises that he will hold concatenation in his district this spring. Date and place will be announced later.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 9, 1913

Vicegerent Snark Bernard Brady, Western District of New York, will hold Hoo-Hoo rally, picnic and concatenation on boat on trip down the Niagara River from Buffalo on July 9, 1913. Brother Brady is being assisted by Supreme Gurdon Geo. J. Michelson of Rochester, N. Y., and all the Hoo-Hoo of Buffalo, and this promises to be an old-time rally and picnic, famous in the Hoo-Hoo history of Buffalo.

All Hoo-Hoo are requested to get in touch with Brother Brady and give him their hearty support and assistance in making this a record breaker.

SEDALIA, MISSOURI

Vicegerent Snark L. D. West, Northern District, Missouri, Fayette, Mo., advises that the Central Missouri Retail Dealers' Association are planning for a big meeting at Sedalia, Mo., first part of June and that he will hold a concatenation there during the meeting. All Hoo-Hoo in this district are urged to get in touch with Brother West and give him their co-operation and assistance.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA

Vicegerent Snark H. C. Spengler, Northern District, Iowa, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, advises that he intends to hold a concatenation in his district about June 1st. Date and place will be announced later.

WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS

Brother V. H. Shepard (25797) of the Wichita Falls Sash and Door Co., Wichita Falls, Texas, advises that there is a movement on foot there for a spring carnival to be held some time in May and that he has suggested to the committee that they designate one day as Lumbermen's Day and that they will hold a concatenation on that day. Date and full particulars in May BULLETIN.



WEDDING BELLS



DUFFY-SMITH

BROTHER JOHN J. DUFFY, Jr. (15996), of the Lafayette Mill and Lumber Co., Baltimore, Md., and Miss Marie Rose Smith were married February 3, 1913, at the Immaculate Conception Church, Baltimore, Md. THE BULLETIN wishes them Health, Happiness and Long Life.

HAYES-BARNES

Brother Thomas Moore Hayes (24553), Sales Agent of the Kirby Lumber Co. at Greenville, Texas, and Miss Mattie May Barnes of Farmerville, La., were married at Monroe, La., on December 26, 1912. THE BULLETIN wishes them Health, Happiness and Long Life.

GLASS-CAWTHON

Brother James H. Glass (24551) of the W. T. Ferguson Lumber Co., St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Kathleen Cawthon, of Houston, Texas, were married Wednesday, March 12, 1913, at Houston, Texas. Miss Cawthon was one of Houston's belles and the marriage was an event in Houston society. "Jim," as he is popularly known to his friends, has given up claim adjusting for the W. T. Ferguson Co. and its several mills and is going to sell Ferguson lumber at list and better in Ohio and Western Pennsylvania. Brother Glass will make his headquarters at Canton, Ohio. THE BULLETIN wishes them Health, Happiness and Long Life.



CORRESPONDENCE



(This is intended as a permanent feature and THE BULLETIN requests that members write and give some of their experiences in Hoo-Hoo. No name will be printed if requested.)

Toledo, Ohio, March 17, 1913.

I received our BULLETIN today and I looked same through thoroughly. It was so pleasing to me, especially the account of the Winnipeg concatenation. This was grand, but no more than it should be. Hoo-Hoo today is one of the best orders I know of, a certain filial feeling existing among all members, and it is to my mind a grand social organization. When we meet a stranger wearing the button, there is no hesitancy about an introduction, for we can immediately confer together and converse on subjects which we know and are familiar with. These casual meetings made through Hoo-Hoo bring us many times into business deals that terminate to our mutual advantage. I look back to the time of my initiation, twenty years ago, when nine of us were initiated at Cincinnati, Ohio, and of this class five are dead, two have resigned, and one suspended. This leaves myself as the only member of the class. We were all good friends and our association together was always to our mutual advancement in our business relations, for each of us, through our initiation, were at all times ready to do a good turn when in our power to do so, as our meeting on that evening seemed to bind us together, our friendships increased, and as time passed on, we were anxious to continue our friendship. Those that have passed have lived their allotted time and I appreciated more than I can tell the warm friendship of J. H. Barr, 733; A. D. McL. Cool, 737; C. S. Walker, 738; J. M. Reed, 740, and C. F. Barr, 741.

I enclose my check for \$4.00 to cover seventh and eighth calls Death Emergency Fund and I do this, if for no better reason, to have other members do the same, so as to keep this feature of our Order in existence. We too often forget, through oversight, our agreements.

I will say that I am heart and soul with Hoo-Hoo and anything that is to its best interests is a pleasure to me. I would not have been with you all these years if it was no good. I have so many times since joining Hoo-Hoo met so many strangers which my button has made my staunch friends. So many of these seeing my button have introduced themselves on trains and have made a pleasant trip of what might have been a tedious journey. Our business is mutual and it is much more pleasant to talk than sleep. I have met many in this way and made many warm friends solely through wearing the button of Hoo-Hoo.

I never buy or sell trouble, never have to associate with any one unless I care to do so, but I always treat all I meet with courtesy. I try to avoid friction and never make enemies, consequently am always looking for the bright side of life. Anything I can do for dear Hoo-Hoo I will do and will be glad to do. With sincere best wishes for success, I am

B T T O T G S B C

SAM D. DARE, 739,

Toledo, Ohio.



HOO-HOO HOUSE

PANAMA PACIFIC INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION,
SAN FRANCISCO, 1915.

THE proposal to build a Hoo-Hoo House for the Panama-Pacific Universal Exposition at San Francisco in 1915 brings to mind the very successful enterprises of the same kind at the St. Louis Exposition in 1904 and at the Alaska-Yukon Exposition at Seattle in 1909. So, in planning for the same kind of headquarters for lumbermen at San Francisco in 1915 we are not trying an experiment but have the great advantage of the experience gained at the other two expositions.

The San Francisco project had its beginning in January of 1912 when a few members in that city discussed the matter informally. Soon afterwards Brother Fred Gilman of Seattle, Pacific Coast representative of the American Lumberman, sent us complete data concerning the House of Hoo-Hoo built in that city, he having been Secretary of the Executive Committee there. The movement received a further impetus last fall due to some correspondence on the subject of a lumber exhibit, between Director of Exhibits A. C. Baker of the Exposition company and Brother Geo. M. Cornwall, editor of the Timberman of Portland. Brother Cornwall gave our project a big boost in his November issue and published letters and telegrams from nearly all of the Hoo-Hoo officials on the Coast, in which they all heartily endorsed the enterprise and promised support.

On December 7th, 1912, a splendid "get-together" banquet of Hoo-Hoo was held at the San Francisco Commercial Club, when the Hoo-Hoo House was thoroughly talked over and enthusiastically approved by unanimous vote. The selection of a Board of Governors to take entire charge of the matter was by vote put into the hands of Snark of the Universe Frank W. Trower and Paul M. Dimmick, Vicegerent Snark of the Central District of California. Brother Dimmick having recently moved to Oregon, his place on the committee has been taken by Brother Chas. S. Brace the new Vicegerent. We will soon be able to announce the personnel of the Board of Governors and it will include some of the strongest and best known lumbermen on the Pacific Coast.

The St. Louis House of Hoo-Hoo cost about \$30,000, and the Seattle House cost about \$17,000 to build and maintain. These amounts were raised by selling memberships at \$9.99 each, which also included a card for some lady member of the lumberman's household. Some of the lumber companies took from ten to thirty memberships, and the Seattle Hoo-Hoo House had members from all of the Coast states. It will cost more to maintain the 1915 House, for the season will be ten months long instead of about five months at Seattle and St. Louis. We also want our building to be of ample size in which to hold the conventions of the various lumber trade associations and the Hoo-Hoo Annual, all of which will doubtless meet by the Golden Gate in 1915. Such a structure and its up-keep will cost between \$30,000 and \$50,000. This means that we cannot depend entirely upon membership subscriptions from Hoo-Hoo but must secure in addition the co-operation and financial assistance of the large lumber and timber concerns and allied industries, especially those on the Pacific Coast. St. Louis had a large and populous field from which to draw support, and Seattle is a center of timber and mill owners. San Francisco has not the advantage of these resources and must therefore look to a larger area for support, and her own lumbermen must aid with substantial subscriptions so that their reputation for Western hospitality shall be fully sustained. Interest in the coming

HOO-HOO YELL!

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By-the-Tail-of-the
Great-Black-Cat!

Black-Cat! Hoo-Hoo!



I AM PROUD
OF MY
ORDER

World's Fair is so general that the people of the whole Pacific Slope feel it is their Exposition rather than that of San Francisco alone. Most of the visitors will doubtless make a tour of the entire region between San Diego and Seattle while they are in the West. Because of this widespread interest the lumbermen of the entire Coast can be enlisted in the 1915 Hoo-Hoo House project much more easily than they were in the Seattle House.

There will be no separate Forestry Building at the Panama-Pacific Exposition, that department being housed in one of the two great palaces of Agriculture, as a product of the soil. It is therefore extremely advisable to make the Hoo-Hoo House and its furnishing a lumber exhibit in itself. Different rooms should be finished in various woods to fine advantage. Our local committee will be glad to work in conjunction with the various lumber trade associations, headed by the National Lumber Manufacturers' Association. Our idea is to make the proposed Hoo-Hoo House a headquarters for lumbermen and those in the allied trades who will visit the Exposition. We would by no means confine membership or entrance to Hoo-Hoo alone, but would admit any man who is eligible to join the order, without requiring him to do so.

The size of the project requires that we handle it in a large way so that due credit will be reflected upon the lumbermen of the Coast who will be hosts to the visiting lumbermen guests during 1915. The lumbermen of the country had the unique distinction of having the only trade fraternity house at St. Louis and Seattle. Those who visited these buildings at those times need not be told of their value and great usefulness and comfort. The gentlemen's lounging and smoking rooms were splendid meeting places in which to find congenial and kindred spirits. These Houses were delightful places in which to rest and recuperate after the strenuous period of sight-seeing. The ladies found their Rest Room a welcome haven when tired out after walking around the vast area of the Expositions. There is no doubt that every lumberman and his family visiting the 1915 Exposition will find the Hoo-Hoo House a center of interest during their stay.

The proposed structure will be more than a fraternity house. It will be a real Lumbermen's Building and should represent in a dignified and creditable way the entire vast lumber trade of the country, an industry which ranks fourth in capital invested and number of men employed. Hoo-Hoo being purely a lumbermen's trade fraternity and comprising in its membership every branch of the business as well as the industries closely allied thereto, is the logical and proper organization through which to work for the success of the project. Besides, we have the great advantage of the precedent established by the successful Houses of Hoo-Hoo at St. Louis and Seattle.

The proposal to build and maintain an adequate Lumbermen's headquarters at the great San Francisco Exposition in 1915 should therefore meet with the warmest endorsement and support of the lumbermen of the whole country. To carry it through to the desired success will require the work of many able and devoted men, but the men of San Francisco and the West are used to tackling big jobs with enthusiasm and success. They are used to saying "It shall be done!" They are imbued with the virile spirit animating the great enterprise which this World's Exposition will commemorate, the completion of the greatest engineering feat of modern times—the Panama Canal, a project which will make of the Pacific a new ocean and will change the map of the world.

The 1915 Universal Exposition is to be the best and finest of all World's Fairs. An idea of this is gained from a statement made to me by the Director of Exhibits, who also served in that department in St. Louis. He said there were on file, two and a half years before the opening date, more applications for exhibit space than there were at St. Louis within six months of the opening of that Exposition, and these applications have come from most of the countries on the globe. This is simply an indication that in 1915 San Francisco and the Pacific Coast will have as guests most of the lumbermen of the United States and hundreds from other countries.

Members of the order can readily see that the successful accomplishment of the House of Hoo-Hoo enterprise will add to the standing and strength and usefulness of our great lumber fraternity.

Let us all pull together to make this one of the greatest achievements in the history of the order.

FRANK W. TROWER,
Snark of the Universe.



JAMES "HOOT MON" LIGHTBODY (12798),
Vicegerent Snark Scotland,
Glasgow, Scotland.



JOHN WESTON CHASE (13407),
Vicegerent Snark, Western District Iowa,
Sioux City, Iowa.



MEASUREMENT OF RESOURCES

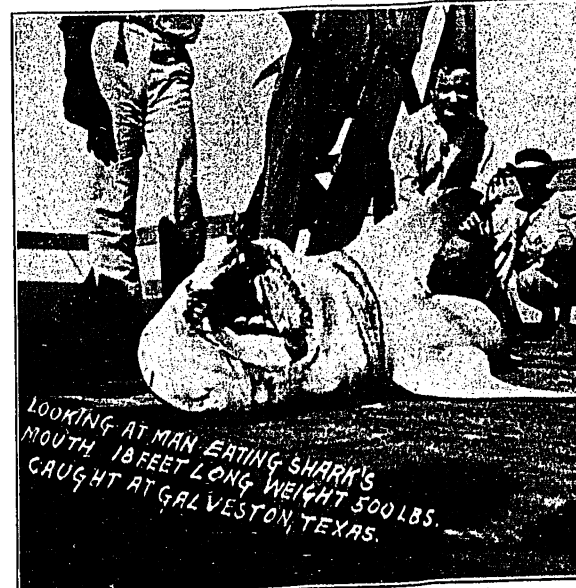
"Why didn't you call for a policeman when the footpad robbed you?"

"What would have been the use?" asked the man who has an exaggerated idea of metropolitan iniquity. "After the footpad got through with me there wasn't anything left for the policeman."

ONE MAN AND ONE HOOK TO ONE FISH

MORE SHARKS

By ROBERT E. MASTERS (71)



I BELIEVE there are more different kinds of sharks than any other denizen of the deep, unless it is the Herron family, from the small spiny and smooth hound dogfish to the gigantic spotted and basking sharks. The spotted is reported to grow to a length of over 70 feet and is marked all over like a leopard. I have caught a number of sharks with a yellow skin and marked all over with round black spots like a leopard, called by fishermen, the leopard shark or spotted shark. I have caught them up to 10 feet long, but it is a different bird from its gigantic cousin which is seldom seen in American waters.

The basking shark is the largest of the family on our coasts and many of them are seen at a time together lying with their backs way out of the water sunning themselves—if let alone they are truly a harmless fish. It does not eat any other fish and is supposed to live on sea weed and what animalcular life it can suck out of the water, but it surely must take a lot to sustain such a monster. Authentic accounts of them being seen and caught over fifty feet long are on record. I have seen them over forty feet long without any guess work, basking in the sun for hours. I have gone around them and within five feet of their foreparts in a twenty foot open power boat, not once, but several times. You may think this a foolhardy, reckless thing to do, but there is no danger, for they are perfectly harmless if let alone. I have never known one of them to injure man or boat unless they were first injured, but remarkable as it may seem to many, that same thing can be said about all the sharks.

The defense of the basking shark is in the power of their tail, and their speed. Formerly they were hunted for their oil, and are occasionally taken for that now, for the yield is quite large, and the oil is a good quality.

When the harpoon is set into them—look out—they will give a swish of their powerful tail, covering thirty feet on each side of them that would demolish a good size vessel, certainly any fishing sloop—then off they go, often with two or three row boats hitched to them, and if the ropes don't pay out right and get caught, that boat is pulled under in an instant. They go with the speed of a whale and seem more tireless.

Did you ever see the brilliant individual with the 72-ounce brain, who rocks the boat—or—didn't know it was loaded? Well, he is the man to leave on shore if you are going in the neighborhood of Basking Sharks or anything of that kind, for

he is sure to do something smart that is apt to bring on plenty of trouble.

One time I was cleaning a fish in a skiff at sea, and opened it, and was washing it over the side of the skiff—it was tilted over to one side from my leaning over and the entrails, blood, etc., etc., were carried under it by the tide, when in the twinkling of an eye, beneath my hand was the head and mouth of a shark that could have taken in a ham. It had trailed the blood up, and made a lunge for the fish I was cleaning—would have got it, had it not been for the bottom of the boat. Why, if that scavenger had struck right he would have made a mistake and included my hand with the fish and jerked me overboard with them. Think of the horrible tale in the newspapers of the voracious tigers of the sea—did you notice, made a mistake? Well I meant every word of it—no self-respecting shark would do such a thing intentionally, and did you ever notice when a story about an adventure with a shark appears in a newspaper, how eagerly it is read, no matter how creepy and horrible and untrue it is, the story is swallowed whole because it was a shark.

I have had as much experience with sharks as any man ever gets unless he is an old-time whaler—when they are cutting in a whale, the sea around the skeleton is literally alive with sharks of all kinds and sizes. Sometimes in an effort to drive them off, the men will slash at them with their spades, and woe betide any shark they cut a gash in—for the rest of them will pounce on the unlucky fellow and tear him to pieces and devour him. Many of these sharks are upward of thirty feet long and have diagonal yellow stripes across them and for this reason are commonly called Tiger Sharks, but they are anything but tigers; they are more like Buzzards in habits and disposition.

No doubt before I close this series on Sharks, you will all conclude I am a regular Iconoclast—and I am going to shatter one of the pet ideals right here—for all time we have heard the theory that a Shark has to turn over on his back to take hold of anything it attacks. If I was given to slang, I would say something right here to impress on you that idea is all theory and as untrue as the old theory that one can tell the age of a rattlesnake by the number of rattles on his tail—when the facts are—the rattlesnake grows two and three and sometimes four rattles a year. Well, don't that make a strong combination and a hard pair to beat, sharks and rattlesnakes—but make up your mind that the shark goes after the game as straight as a brook trout.

Speaking of the brook trout, calls to mind the ideas that some will get of most any fish. I told a man who thought he knew, of the brook trout fishing on Cape Bretton Island, he asked—"Have they got scales on them?"—I answered "of course"—then they are not brook trout was the rejoinder—it would be a difficult matter to combine in one sentence a greater pretense of knowledge and more complete ignorance of any subject, and it might be well to add here, the highest authority on fish—David Starr Jordan, in giving the number of scales in three lines on fish, gives the Brook Trout "Scales 37—230—30" and adds "the scales of the Chars run 200 to 250 in lengthwise section, they are very small and embedded in the skin to such a degree as to escape the notice of casual observers." That's just another shark turning over to bite fallacy.

Two of us besides the boatman in a small open boat at sea witnessed such a strange spectacle that I must tell it here, and I wonder if anyone else ever saw the same.

We were cruising around hunting big game fish, when we came across an enormous shark that was loaded down with amber fish—not inside of him, but outside. This fish is known as the Yellow Tail on the Pacific and bears a strong resemblance to the Amber Jack of the Atlantic and Jackfish of the Gulf. They were from 15 to over 60 pounds, average about 25 pounds. All of these fish that could get hold of the fins and tail of the shark were hanging on to him, a dead weight—four and five on the pectoral fin, up on his back hold of the dorsal fin and the tail full. Anywhere they could get hold except around the head—they steered clear of his jaws—at one time we counted

over twenty of these fish hanging on a dead weight, letting the shark furnish the motive power and tow them along. Imagine upwards of five hundred pounds hanging on to him—he could barely wiggle—we did not see this for a few minutes only, but followed them around for an hour, and they paid little attention to us; twice we drove the yellow tail off and as soon as the shark was free he started to go down, but he was very tired—and in a little while he would be on the surface with the amber fish hanging on again. There were quite a company of amber fish following up in reserve, and we noticed several times when any of them became tired and dropped back, others went up at once and took their place and none of them would look at the bait we scattered among them—we could easily have killed the shark, but we concluded to let them have it out in their own way, and took our departure.

SCRIVENOTER'S REPORT

BELOW find report of receipts and disbursements from September 7, 1912, to April 1, 1913. All disbursements shown in this report are covered by vouchers approved by the Snark and Senior Hoo-Hoo.

RECEIPTS		
60 Balance on hand September 7, 1912		\$ 649.59
112 Dues		9,929.85
124 Imminent Distress Fund		124.88
204 Merchandise (pins, buttons, pennants, etc., sold)		878.84
50 Conventions		2,614.50
30 The Bulletin (refund postage)		.61
30 Supreme Representative		400.00
140 Death Emergency Fund (this covers various amounts paid out of the funds of Hoo-Hoo)		427.00
240 Office fixtures (refund freight charges)		1.64
160 Telegram-Telephone (refund)		.50
20 Handbook type rack sold		8.00
214 Refund Insurance		4.52
280 Osirian Cloister (this covers various amounts paid out of the funds of Hoo-Hoo)		26.69
		\$15,067.52
DISBURSEMENTS		
3 House of Ancients		
1911-1912	\$ 165.00	
1912-1913	49.50	\$ 214.50
4 Lumber Trade Journals		
1911-1912	1.00	
1912-1913	38.20	39.20
10 Annual Meeting 1911-1912		73.50
20 Snark's Ring 1911-1912		85.00
80 THE BULLETIN		
1911-1912	985.00	
1912-1913 Postage	162.26	
1912-1913 Salary	250.00	
1912-1913 Freight	11.76	
1912-1913 Cuts and Electros	86.61	
1912-1913 Insurance	2.00	
1912-1913	1,869.81	
1912-1913 Type	291.40	3,100.74
36 Office Supplies		14.00
30 Supreme Representative's traveling expenses		
1911-1912	150.00	
40 New Rituals	60.00	
40 Scrivener's salary	799.98	
45 Scrivener's traveling expense	564.88	
50 Refund Conventions	58.20	
70 Scrivener's clerical assistance	2,031.21	
80 Postage and registered mail	562.84	
90 Cuts and electros 1911-1912	61.45	
98 Stationery and Printing		
1911-1912	99.40	
1912-1913	682.44	781.84
112 Refund dues 1912-1913		11.90
140 Death Emergency Fund		
1911-1912	2,000.00	
1912-1913	261.40	2,261.40
160 Telegram-Telephone		
1911-1912	47.86	
1912-1913	58.90	106.76
180 Express		
1911-1912	.31	
1912-1913	114.83	115.14
100 Petty Expenses		
1911-1912	8.85	
1912-1913	90.89	99.74
204 Trunk equipment and supplies		
1911-1912	38.90	
1912-1913	144.89	183.79
214 Insurance		
1911-1912	8.20	
1912-1913	41.86	50.06
220 Good of the Order 1912-1913		143.00
230 Osirian Cloister 1912-1913		26.69
240 Office fixtures, etc., 1912-1913		577.47
244 Moving office furniture Nashville to St. Louis		168.10
250 Rent 1912-1913		505.00
264 Merchandise (buttons, pins, pennants, grip tags, etc., bought)		
1911-1912	806.05	
1912-1913	699.98	1,006.03
Balance on hand		1,215.10
Total		\$15,067.52

NOTES & COMMENTS



At the convention of the Western Retail Lumbermen's Association at Spokane, in February, Brother Fairfax H. Wheelan, of the Salinas Valley Lumber Company, San Francisco, made an address which has attracted wide attention. Some of the lumber papers have referred to it as "a classic" and as an oration "filled with big thoughts." The subject was an inspiring one—"The Merchant the Leavening Force of Civilization." This great theme was handled in masterly style, the whole constituting a glowing tribute to commerce as the prime factor in the world's progress.

The real test of any form of literary production—oration, essay, story—is its power, or lack of power, to bring out thoughts from the mind of the hearer or the reader. Does it connect with something in your own mind? Does it arouse thoughts you did not even know you had? If so, it has the vital touch; it is alive. For when it comes to a show-down, nothing ever really interests us except our own thoughts. The phrase, "I enjoyed myself," holds a world of meaning; yourself is the only thing you can enjoy! There is a great deal in that old joke about the farmer who, upon reading Pluto, exclaimed enthusiastically, "He's a smart one; I see he's got a whole lot of my ideas!"

Throughout Brother Wheelan's address are remarks which open up a far-reaching vista of thought. Speaking of "the one relationship among the multitudinous relations of man to man that has acted most powerfully and most continuously for the enlargement of liberty and for the general betterment of man," Brother Wheelan said that this relationship "is the old unromantic, prosaic, humdrum relationship of buyer and seller," and then he went on to show that this relationship is not so humdrum after all.

People has fallen into the habit of thinking of business as heavy, dull and prosaic, but the truth is there was never anything so perilous or exciting. To sell or to buy successfully, one must be mentally well balanced; and to be sane is more dramatic than to be mad! It is the equilibrium of a man behind frantically rushing horses, in every attitude having the grace of statuary and the accuracy of arithmetic. Everybody knows what happens to the man who, in the markets of the world, loses his equilibrium. The Italian merchants used to break the bench upon which were exposed the wares of the man who had failed—a vivid illustration of his fate. And so our English word "bankrupt," which means literally a broken bench, is in itself a drama, a grim tragedy.

Mr. G. K. Chesterton, editor of the London News and author of many books, takes the position that back of all the develop-

ment of mankind is a basis of morality; his idea is that progress began with the religious instinct of man. He maintains:

Morality did not begin by one man saying to another, "I will not hit you if you do not hit me." There is no trace of such a transaction. There is a trace of both men having said, "We must not fight in the holy place." They gained their morality by guarding their religion. They did not cultivate courage. They fought for the shrine and found that they had become courageous. They did not cultivate cleanliness. They purified themselves for the altar and found that they were clean.

This sounds mighty fine. But is it true?

The general trend of Brother Wheelan's talk was to the effect that the real basis of progress is economics; that the merchant was truly the apostle of peace; the merchant pointed the way to a higher plane of living—he lifted man out of an armed camp and put him into a law-abiding community. Of the Phoenicians, those wonderful merchants of the ancient world, Brother Wheelan said: "They brought the first light of civilization to nations clouded in darkness and they spread—without the aid of conquering armies—to the remotest parts of the then known world; and thus did these merchants—this nation of traders—by means of commerce and trade, lay broad and deep the foundations of civilization."

The reader can take his choice of these two conclusions. They represent two distinct lines of thought, two utterly different viewpoints. Though starting from premises entirely opposite, the line of reasoning in both cases is clear and definite.

It is interesting to pursue this idea that a grub-stake proposition is back of all our material progress; that our institutions are founded on a root-hog-or-die principle. Long ago a thoughtful writer said:

Development is nothing else but the still greater recognition of individual desire. Desire is the starting point. The desire of the individual is limited, in its selfish grasping after everything it sees, only by a still greater desire—the desire for a secure life. So long as all creatures act from selfish desire, there is one constant state of warfare, and the world is under the dominion of fear. The desire for peace and security dominates the desire for possession; and gradually it becomes the highest desire that justice shall reign, because justice guarantees the greatest happiness. Thus the desire, without ever forsaking the central standpoint of self—always bent on its own happiness—has developed a better conception, or a better recognition, of what it takes to produce happiness.

Now those Phoenician merchants, of whom Brother Wheelan spoke so eloquently, had a great tendency toward peace. They needed peace in their business. No man can sell goods while arrows and spears are whizzing through the air and battle axes are clanking above his head. Under such circumstances, he could not maintain the equilibrium so necessary to success in mercantile life! The Phoenicians "fought only in self-defense." It is not inconceivable that they developed courage by protecting their caravans, which "carried silk and linen, gold and silver, precious stones, frankincense and myrrh—the wealth of a continent." But the long suit of the Phoenician was intelligence, the clear-sightedness to perceive that the paths of peace are the paths of profit. It is from the standpoint of economics that universal peace will come, if it ever comes at all—which at this writing does not seem very likely. Nor is there anything essentially sordid in this conception. Desire is the elemental force—the only force there is. Desire starts with the individual; and the growing intelligence directs it into broader channels for the individual's benefit. All this is part and parcel of the struggle for existence—it goes far back beyond the time when Mr. Chesterton's devotees fought for the shrine and afterward discovered that incidentally they had developed courage. Behind the Phoenician merchants is a long perspective, a background that trails away to the primal urge—the "will to live," which existed when the earth was without form and void, the spirit that brooded over Chaos!

Anything that is grounded in so fundamental a principle as this has indeed a firm hold on life. That is why the Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo is possessed of so much vitality; it is founded on a one-ness of business interests, rooted in the principles out of which have grown all the branches of commercial enterprise.

Business is the biggest thing there is; also the oldest and the most universal.

The merchant, as typifying trade or business, in contradistinction to kings and nobles who represented despotic power gained by force, is indeed an impressive figure in the pages of history. Courage he possessed in plenty, and perseverance, patience, fidelity. While others were tearing down, he built up. Of the traveling merchant of the Middle Ages, Brother Wheelan said in his address at Spokane:

His journey was subject to every hardship and exposed to every peril. He traversed regions where highway robbery and violence was ever in evidence. The feudal barons took from him by pillage and robbed him by tolls—tolls for the road traveled, tolls for the bridge crossed, tolls for the repairs of a road that was not repaired, tolls for protection that did not protect. A merchant had to pay toll not only when he went over a bridge, but had to pay toll when he went under it, and he could not escape paying toll by going around it.

In short, everything that could be done was done to hamstring the merchant. Hamstringing is a very ancient occupation, but history does not show that it was ever a source of permanent profit. Where are the robber-barons now? The history of hamstringers would make an interesting book, and a big one.

The word baron is derived from the Latin "baro," a simpleton, an inferior person. It was a term applied to a serving soldier, then to a military chief and ultimately to a lord. The idea is that of gaining of power by force, by the knock-down-and-drag-out plan. Such methods are productive of no lasting results. As the poet says of the tyrants of the ancient world:

There was no substance in their soaring hopes.

The voice of Thebes is now a desert cry;

A spider bars the road with filmy ropes,

Where once the feet of Carthage thundered by.

A striking phrase is this: "No substance in their soaring hopes." Sic semper tyrannis, which signifies that they went up like a rocket and came down like a stick. Thus it was with all those ancient despotisms, though, to be sure, some of them lasted a long time. But without substance nothing stands permanently. Substance means that which "stands under." Without a foundation, no structure is secure.

Taking the position that progress starts from a basis of economics, one reaches the conclusion that many moral qualities are built on the same rock. "Honesty is the best policy," for instance. Did that idea originate with the merchants who found by experience that it pays to be "straight," or did it begin with the guarding of the shrine? Mr. Chesterton argues for the latter. He flatly asserts: "The Ten Commandments were merely military commands—a code of regimental orders—issued to protect a certain ark across a certain desert. Anarchy was evil because it endangered the sanctity of the Ark of the Covenant."

On the other hand, there are those who believe that moral qualities grew out of the desire to attain material benefit, worldly profit. They maintain that business life develops faith, patience, loyalty, integrity, fair-dealing, etc.

According to this, men should be more honest than women, because the latter for centuries have been shut off from gainful pursuits. The idea is that a life of financial independence would tend to teach woman to be punctual, to keep her word, to gain her purpose by direct means rather than by strategy—such as getting up in the night and going through her husband's pockets—and so on; in short, to get away from that mental attitude represented by the woman who said:

"It is easier to deceive a man than to combat him, and less of a bore."

Behind that remark are centuries of side-stepping!

It is interesting to think on the part that inventors have played in the advancement of mankind. Broadly speaking, democracy was born the day gunpowder was invented. That day the man on foot became the equal of the man on horseback

—no longer would a coat of mail protect the knight on the charger—the shield was proof against the spear, but not against firearms. The castles of the robber barons could not stand against the cannon. War horses and chain armor were expensive, only the rich could afford such equipment. Gunpowder was within reach of the masses. Then, too, the printing press was a great liberator. The art of printing reached a considerable degree of perfection before there was any light to read by except daylight. At that time the struggle for existence was so hard that the masses of the people could not spare time in daylight to read, even if they had learned how, which only one or two in a hundred had. Only the leisure classes learned to read or had time in daylight to practice. So there came to be an aristocracy of learning, which is almost as oppressive as an aristocracy of power. This lack of artificial light brought about some deplorable conditions; those who could read were possessed of too much power, and the masses were ground beneath the heel of tyranny. The human race was divided into classes—the educated oppressors and the ignorant oppressed.

The ancient lamps are all very well to read about—extremely romantic and poetical—but they were mighty poor things to read by. One of the greatest of inventions was made by a chemist. By the distillation of shales he extracted a light and highly inflammable oil, which he called kerosene. It gave a brilliant light, but it was too costly for common use.

About that time, salt was a scarce and indispensable commodity, and the water from which it was made was obtained by deep boring. Those who did the deep-well boring were often disgusted to find the salt water rendered useless by the admixture of a greasy and foul-smelling liquid, which was afterward found to consist largely of the same substance, kerosene, which the English chemist had discovered. Before it could be used as an illuminant, it had to be refined. John D. Rockefeller (Master Merchant!) reduced the oil-refining and transportation business to a science. He reduced the cost of illuminating oil to less than twenty cents a gallon, delivered at your door. Incidentally a good many women and children were burned to death before the states enacted rigid coal-oil inspection laws. Also many small "operators" in oil were put out of business and, if we are to believe Miss Ida Tarbell and Mr. Thomas Lawson, Mr. Rockefeller sprouted horns on his head and grew a long tail, forked at the end. But the point is that coal oil became the light of the masses. The modern working man is no longer "a brother to the ox." Alas, that good is nearly always mixed with evil! A modern philosopher says:

The present trouble is that while we have much better lights to read by—and a hundred times more printed matter at less than half the cost a few decades ago—we don't understand all we read. With the enormous increase of reading matter and the decrease in its cost, the readers read more than they can digest; and the writers of the reading matter, which is so widely and cheaply distributed, write so much that is erroneous, misleading and often of so vicious a character that the millionaires who endow colleges and libraries are in a quandary as to whether so much reading tends to make better men and women and better citizens.

We exist, these days, in a dust-cloud of newspapers. Indeed, many persons, in despair at the incredible number of books and periodicals, have practically given up reading and have taken to scanning the illustrated magazines and weeklies, relying on the pictures as a main source of information. It really seems that we are soon to go back to the ancient art of picture-writing, the earliest form of literature! Thus does history repeat itself.

Macaulay says that of all inventions, the alphabet and printing press alone excepted, those inventions which tend to abridge distance have rendered best service to civilization. And it does seem that to get over the ground quickly, would afford the traveler more leisure at the end of the journey—more time to attend to other matters. But such is not the case. People have less time now than ever. We no sooner achieved rapid transit than we struck the pace that kills.

Concerning the rage for automobiles, which has impelled many families to mortgage their homes and otherwise foolishly to go in debt, the writer of a recent magazine article says: "What does this prove? It proves that many of us have lost the saving sense of values. We no longer know what is worth while and what is not."

Speed mania has rattled us. We lose sight of the fact that any fool can go fast and that most fools do go fast. The glitter of externals has so dazzled many people that they live their lives like June bugs, bumping about, hither and yon with no purpose except to fly and bump. The wilder their speed the more they think they are getting out of life. A rifle bullet gets as much! Yet there is nothing wrong with the general principle of rapid transit—it is merely that we need to simmer down to the point of sanity. A writer in April Lippencott's calls attention to some of the ramifications of the epoch-making auto:

Every new bit of machinery hastens the millennium "when thrones have perished and when kings are dust, and when the aristocracy of idleness has perished from the earth." The hum of a million motors along our roads means better roads and more of them; a breaking-down of local and sectional prejudice; more uniform laws governing traffic; a vast and growing industry that takes its stand with all the others in the social evolution working toward collectivism; the dissemination of a perfectly incalculable amount of practical, common-sense mechanical skill and knowledge among millions upon millions of our people.

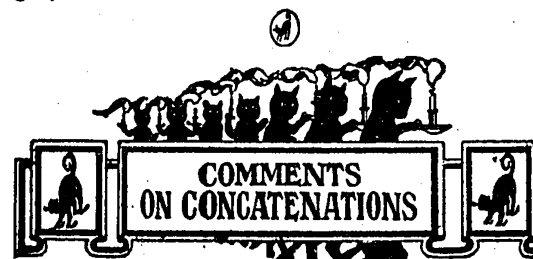
Whatever else this world may be, it isn't monotonous. Newspapers come out every day with screaming headlines and one exciting event is crowded off the front page by another yet more thrilling. War is raging in two hemispheres, but the clash of battle has given way to the bellow of the tempest and the roar of mighty floods. It was inevitable that, when the worst was over, the newspaper editors throughout the country should dwell on the "lesson" of the disaster. A southern paper points a moral thus:

One of the most remarkable facts connected with stories of the floods throughout Ohio and Indiana is the loss of life that could have been avoided had the men and women been possessed of a little ingenuity. Stories are told of strong men who paddled ineffectually about in the water and then sank, with plenty of floating debris about them. Yet few tales are told of men who tied chairs or tables together and made rafts and saved their lives and the lives of others.

It seems clear that the trend of life from the country to the cities has not brought with it the country boy's self-reliance. The city-bred man apparently does not know how far to trust his muscle. As some one has said, concerning the rescue work at Dayton, Ohio, "John Patterson's mechanics, in their hastily constructed boats, set a pace none could follow." Mr. Patterson makes and sells a patented article in wide use. He employs thousands of workmen. (And so again the merchant looms upon the scene. You cannot lose him!) Many brave acts are recorded from all parts of the country. In certain towns where the storm burst in dead of night, the telephone girls stuck to their posts while roofs were being torn off and buildings were falling—sending calls in every direction, arousing the citizens, sounding the alarm. And after it was all over, the girls broke down and cried. Yet some foolish folks believe that business life "destroys womanhood." In another town, the negro night-watchman at the water-works awoke the sleeping populace by blowing the whistle furiously; alone in the dark, and with a tornado raging outside, he stayed and kept that whistle going. There were many other instances of faithfulness to duty and courage that was sublime.

A "clairvoyant" has broken into print in a western paper with the prediction that "two things" are going to happen soon: First—Mexico, of her own volition, will hoist the American flag. Second—The earth will tilt, so that what is now the North Pole will be the equator. Surely these two things are more than a plenty! Let us be thankful there are only two.

The prophet does not state whether the second event named has any connection with the first, but an Oregon paper says: "It was a happy thought to link together the raising of Old Glory by the Mexicans and the flopping of the North Pole down to the equator. The two events are likely to happen at about the same time." Although there is no known force that will ever tip the earth over, the North Pole really does move about a little. The earth spins like a top, and like a top it wobbles slightly.



JACKSON, TENNESSEE.

VICERERENT SNARK H. B. WEISS, Western District Tennessee, Memphis, Tenn., assisted by Brothers M. M. Elledge, Vicegerent Snark Northern District Mississippi, Corinth, Miss., S. B. Enoch, of Jackson, Tenn., and S. F. Horn, The Southern Lumberman, Nashville, Tenn., held a concatenation at Jackson, Tenn., on March 6, 1913, in connection with the annual meeting of the Southern Retail Lumber Dealer's Association. The concatenation was preceded by a torchlight parade in which members of the Hoo-Hoo carried pitch-pine brands. Douglas Malloch, of the American Lumberman, Chicago, Ill., acted as Junior and this is all sufficient guarantee that the "kittens" received all that was necessary to make them good "Cats." Brother Malloch has a way all his own and always delivers the goods.

Brother Weiss advises that this Concatenation was a great success in every way.

Brother Weiss is another of our most modest Vicegerents and so we have been unable to get his photograph, but we hope a little later on to secure same and to be able to show our members not only a handsome man but also a hustler.

Concatenation No. 1811, Jackson, Tenn., March 6, 1913.

Snark—H. B. Weiss.
Senior Hoo-Hoo—C. A. Barksdale.
Junior Hoo-Hoo—Douglas Malloch.
Bojum—W. C. Hickman.
Scrivener—S. B. Enoch.
Jabberwock—M. M. Elledge.
Custodian—S. F. Horn.
Arenopop—K. A. Smith.
Gurdon—D. Merriwether.
27451—Fred Francis Fite, Salesman, City Lbr. Co., Jackson, Tenn.
27452—Horace Greeley Garrett, Manager office of Hatchie Retail Lbr. Co., Jackson, Tenn.
27453—Alfred Joseph Glassow, Traveling Salesman, Wausau-Southern Lbr. Co., Laurel, Miss.
27454—James C. Jourdon, owner, James C. Jourdon, Iuka, Miss.
27455—Harry L. McMurry, Yard Manager, City Lbr. Co., Jackson, Tenn.
27456—Oscar Leo Massey, Memphis Tenn., Mgr., District Purchasing, Ayer & Lord Tio Co., Chicago, Ill.
27457—Robert Leo Smith, President, Smith-Fay Lbr. Co., Burasville, Miss.
Following members present: 2051, 5831, 6408, 8748, 12104, 14314, 16750, 19420, 19422, 19729, 21232, 22826, 22883, 23839, 24230, 25236, 26427, 26428, 26430, 26917, 27289.

LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS.

Vicegerent Snark T. J. Gay, Central District Arkansas, Little Rock, Ark., held his first concatenation of the year at Hotel Marion on Saturday, March 8, 1913. Brother Gay was assisted by all the Little Rock Hoo-Hoo and initiated a class of twelve kittens. This was a stag concatenation and Brother Gay will hold another concatenation later on which will be Ladies' Night. Concatenation was held in ball room of the Marion Hotel, and after the concatenation was over, all adjourned to the banquet room, and after enjoying the feast provided, Brother Gay, acting as toastmaster, called on the following brothers: J. H. Carmichael, Carl J. Baer, C. C. Kirkpatrick, Avery

Thomas, W. M. Stephenson, and all talked Hoo-Hoo right to the point. Brother Baer urged that Arkansas send a large delegation to the annual at St. Louis in September, and his remarks were well received and we trust that Arkansas will be well represented at the annual.

Brother J. F. Judd, past member of the Supreme Nine, made special trip to attend concatenation. Brother J. C. McGrath, High Priest of Sed, Osirian Cloister, who has been ill for some little time, is improving rapidly and THE BULLETIN joins his many friends in the wish that he will soon be enjoying good health again. Brother McGrath is one of the best workers for Hoo-Hoo and was busy assisting Brother Gay.

Brother Gay is to be congratulated upon the success of his first concatenation, and we all look forward to great doings at his June concatenation.

Concatenation No. 1842, Little Rock, Ark., March 8, 1913.

Snark—T. J. Gay.
Senior Hoo-Hoo—W. C. Norman.
Junior Hoo-Hoo—J. H. Carmichael.
Bojum—F. Nelmeyer.
Scrivener—C. H. Lemon.
Jabberwock—A. O. Becker.
Custodian—A. W. Parke.
Arenopop—F. Kramer Darragh.
Gurdon—W. C. McKinley.
27458—Albert William Aylin, Assistant to A. G. F. A., St. L., I. M. & S., Little Rock, Ark.
27459—William Thompson Christian, Salesman, Arkmo Lumber Co., Stuttgart, Ark.
27460—James Richard Dedman, Salesman, Thos. Cox & Sons Machinery Co., Little Rock, Ark.
27461—Henry Hamilton Evans, Mill Supt., Rieff & Son, Little Rock, Ark.
27462—Horace Benjamin Griffin, Foreman Planing Mill, Amity Lumber Co., Amity, Ark.
27463—Glasgow Watkins Haywood, Salesman, Crane Co., Little Rock, Ark.
27464—John Fraser Hard, Salesman, A. J. Niemeyer Lumber Co., Little Rock, Ark.
27465—Charles Clifford Kirkpatrick, Little Rock, Ark., Salesman, Southwestern Lumber Co., Hope, Ark.
27466—Hugh McDaniel, Cardiff, Ark., Asst. Forest Ranger, Government Forest Service, Cool Springs, Ark.
27467—Hoyt William Rainwater, Manager, E. A. Parker Slave Co., Benton, Ark.
27468—Homer Elliott Rudy, Owner, H. E. Rudy, Star City, Ark.
27469—Avery Herman Thomas, Manager, Thomas & Mauwly Bros., Little Rock, Ark.

Following members present: 94, 1012, 2676, 2060, 4518, 7403, 8041, 8050, 8379, 9335, 9343, 9850, 10444, 10501, 10510, 10513, 10630, 14282, 14403, 15297, 16459, 16968, 17078, 17264, 17286, 18216, 20612, 20798, 21698, 21811, 22212, 22222, 23142, 23143, 23148, 23843, 23852, 24685, 24701, 24702, 24703, 24947, 25124, 25125, 25710, 25724, 25742, 26200, 26655.

EL PASO, TEXAS.

Vicegerent Snark R. A. Whitlock, Western District Texas, El Paso, Texas, held his second concatenation of this Hoo-Hoo year at El Paso on March 12, 1913.

Brother Whitlock advises this was a dandy little concatenation; that rain interfered a little and that they were late in getting started, but finished in fine shape. Session-on-the-Roof was held at Hotel Paso Del Norte and following menu was served:

Selected Stock, Soda Dipped	Hoo-Hoo Yell
Boiled Knot Holes, Sawdust Covering	
Long Leaf Straw	Soud Knots
	Round Birch Balls
Clear Shingles, Random Widths	Bright Sap
	Kiln Dried Dimensions
But Cuts	A Mixed Car
	Red Hart
	90% Hart & Cull Pile
Shaky Clear	Assorted Lengths
	Black Cat Drip

Brother Whitlock writes that now is the time to make Hoo-Hoo a greater success than ever and that all Vicegerent Snarks should be very strict in living up to the spirit as well as the letter of the Constitution and By-Laws governing the eligibility of members.

The Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo stands for the lumber industry, and all representative men in the lumber trade fully appreciate the great amount of good the Order has accomplished.

Concatenation No. 1843, El Paso, Texas, March 12, 1913.

Snark—W. A. Scrivner.
Senior Hoo-Hoo—J. T. Fletcher.
Junior Hoo-Hoo—W. E. Black.
Bojuni—J. H. Meece.
Scrivener—R. A. Whitlock.
Jabberwock—C. L. Sirmans.
Custocian—S. R. Jennings.
Aranoper—J. Whitney Webb.
Gurdon—J. S. Webb.

27470—William Marshall Dunn, Jr., El Paso, Texas, Secretary Lumber County Lumber Co., Deming, N. M.
27471—John Charles Haring, Plant Manager, El Paso Milling Co., El Paso, Texas.
27472—Robert Emmett Hines, Owner, Hines Lumber & Case Co., El Paso, Texas.
27473—Fred H. Pennington, Manager, Foxworth-Galbraith Co., Columbia, N. M.
27474—Harry Bester Woodcock, Plant Superintendent, El Paso Milling Co., El Paso, Texas.

Members in attendance were: 7121, 8842, 12527, 17210, 18015, 19421, 21349, 21391, 22162, 24231, 24237, 25500, 25502, 25512, 25514, 26112, 26114, 26118, 26119, 26120, 26867, 26870, 26872, 27109, 27202, 27207.



NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C., CANADA.

Vicegerent Snark J. G. Robson, Coast District, British Columbia, held his first concatenation at New Westminster on March 7, 1913. The following account of this splendid concatenation was sent us by Brother Paul E. Murphy, Scrivener:



JAMES G. ROBSON,
Vicegerent Snark, Coast District, British Columbia,
New Westminster, B. C.

"All Hoo-Hoo in this neck of the woods are praising Vicegerent Snark J. G. Robson for pulling off on March 7th in the K. of P. Hall at New Westminster, B. C., one of the best concatenations ever held in Western British Columbia. He was ably assisted by Supreme Custocian L. R. Fifer of Seattle.

"A bunch of twenty Hoo-Hoo came up from Seattle and Portland and were met at the train with automobiles and conveyed to the Russell Hotel, where they all were given dinner, and later left for the K. of P. Hall, where they were joined by one hundred Hoo-Hoo who came over from Vancouver on a special car of the B. C. Electric Railway Co., together with a large number from New Westminster and the surrounding district.

"A splendid class of thirty kittens was initiated into the mysteries of Hoo-Hoo. Brother Robson, with the help of the New Westminster Hoo-Hoo, had everything arranged most satisfactorily and deserves great credit for the smooth and impressive manner in which the concatenation was carried out.

"After a most interesting and enjoyable meeting, an adjournment for a session 'on the roof' was made to the Russell Hotel, where the host, J. G. Robson, V. S., had prepared a most gorgeous banquet. Owing to the fact that the Seattle Hoo-Hoo had to leave on the 12:55 train, a very enjoyable program of roasts, songs and selections by vaudeville artists was heard while the banquet was being served. The following was the toast list: The King, Our American Cousins, The Lumber and

Shingle Manufacturers, The Supply Houses, Transportation, The Press. Between the toasts the company was admirably entertained by Mr. Murphy of the Royal Theatre, several stirring numbers of the Rushton orchestra and fine vocal selections by Mr. McCloy and Mr. John Graham.

"After a yell of the Order was enthusiastically given in honor of the Seattle Hoo-Hoo and a hearty response denoting a pleasant evening in Hoo-Hoo Land, the Seattle Hoo-Hoo took their departure in automobiles to the train. The banquet and entertainment was continued until about 2 o'clock a. m., when the Vancouver Hoo-Hoo returned in a special car awaiting them. All joined in giving a Hoo-Hoo yell in honor of Brother Robson, and the meeting broke up, everyone singing 'I Am Glad That I Am a Hoo-Hoo' and feeling that he had been given cause to so sing, and that Hoo-Hoo had been given a big boost in its progress to a higher stand in Western British Columbia."

Brother Robson had prepared handsome badges for all and The New Westminster News and The British Columbian of New Westminster for March 8, 1913, gave the concatenation great writeups and we regret we cannot publish both articles in full. Brother Robson deserves great praise for his good work, and THE BULLETIN is sure that we will hear from him again before the end of this Hoo-Hoo year. The Scrivener has heard from many members who attended this concatenation, and they all write that this was the best concatenation ever held in British Columbia, and we are pleased to know that Brother Robson's good hard work is so much appreciated, and we feel sure that he will have the hearty support and able assistance of all loyal Hoo-Hoo in his district and that the future of Hoo-Hoo in British Columbia will be greater than ever.

Hoo-Hoo has a very important message to all engaged in the lumber industry and its future will more than demonstrate its importance to the lumber and allied industries.

Concatenation No. 1844, New Westminster, B. C., Canada,
March 7, 1913.

Snark—L. R. Fifer.
Senior Hoo-Hoo—W. C. Birdsall.
Junior Hoo-Hoo—L. E. Snell.
Bojuni—J. A. Cunningham.
Scrivener—Paul E. Murphy.
Jabberwock—W. P. Lockwood.
Custocian—Arthur Davis.
Aranoper—Walter W. Baor.
Gurdon—P. H. Smith.

27475—Roy Fred Arnott, Manager, Puget Sound Machinery Depot, Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27476—James Brookes, Lulu Island, B. C., Proprietor, Westminster Woodworking Co., New Westminster, B. C., Canada.
27477—Walter Stewart Robinson Cameron, Traveling Agent, Chicago North Western R. R., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27478—Albert E. Charlesworth, Member of firm, Empire Mfg. Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27479—Archibald Bidwell, Cleveland, Accountant Salesman, Imperial Timber & Trading Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27480—Arthur Joseph Corbin, Eburne Station, B. C., Manager Shingle Mill, Smith-Shannon Lumber Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27481—John Wilson Cunningham, Editor, British Columbian, New Westminster, B. C., Canada.
27482—Joseph J. Daley, Supt., Schnak Machine Works, New Westminster, B. C., Canada.
27483—Robert James Eynell, Cedar Cottage, B. C., Secretary, E. H. Heaps & Co., Ltd., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27484—Roy Emerson Fairbank, Pioneer Lumber Co., Seattle, Wash.
27485—Thomas Thompson Gadd, General Manager, Cedar Cove Sash & Door Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27486—Evariste Vital Goulet, Agent, C. P. R. R., New Westminster, B. C., Canada.
27487—Edgar Hayton, Salesman, Sunset Lumber Co., Vancouver B. C., Canada.
27488—Milton Hayton, Salesman, Sunset Lumber Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27489—Ralph Mueller Hoffman, Vancouver, B. C., Canada, Manager, Vancouver Branch of Meese & Gottfried Co., San Francisco, Cal.
27490—Cary Breckenridge Holcombe, Soliciting lumber shipments for Northern Pacific Ry., Seattle, Wash.
27491—Louis K. Kohlman, L. X. Kohlman, Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27492—Henry Alexander McDougall, Salesman, Western Oil & Supply Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27493—Donald Henry McMillan, Sales Manager, New Ladysmith Lumber Co., Manalno, B. C., Canada.
27494—Gordon Edgar McNair, Manager, Blaine Shingle Co., Inc., Blaine, Wash.
27495—Alexander McKenzie Robertson, Aldergrove, B. C., Manager No. 3 Mill at Aldergrove, of Fernridge Lumber Co., New Westminster, B. C., Canada.
27496—William Alexander Robertson, Sales Manager, Western Oil & Supply Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27497—Charles James Butler, Salesman, Fernridge Lumber Co., Ltd., New Westminster, B. C., Canada.
27498—William Alvin Shumm, Freight Claim Agent, Pacific Coast Shippers' Association, Seattle, Wash.
27499—Charles P. Stafford, Secretary and Treasurer, Empire Manufacturing Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27500—Robb Sutherland, Managing Director, National Printing & Publishing Co., New Westminster, B. C., Canada.

27501—Ernest Arthur Taplin, Secretary-Treasurer, Fernridge Lumber Co., Ltd., New Westminster, B. C., Canada.
27502—Lowellyn Cross Thomas, Chief Accountant, Vancouver Lumber Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27503—Daniel Smith Updegraff, Manager, Vancouver Equipment Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
27504—Edward Cannabell Walsh, Sales Manager, B. C. Mills Timber & Trading Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.

Following members present: 5801, 7048, 7678, 7570, 11307, 11322, 12729, 12915, 13294, 15175, 15566, 15629, 16096, 16062, 16963, 16977, 16982, 16988, 17541, 18795, 19001, 20010, 20024, 20025, 20027, 20028, 20031, 20146, 21398, 22057, 22377, 22728, 23108, 23110, 23115, 23173, 23472, 23500, 23510, 23523, 23985, 24110, 24305, 24700, 25624, 25672, 25675, 25677, 25680, 25682, 25683, 25763, 25960, 25971, 25973, 25976, 25978, 25979, 25981, 25988, 25989, 25991, 25992, 25998, 25999, 26408, 26411, 26761, 26766, 26769, 26771, 26772, 26778, 26775, 26777, 27024, 27093.



CHICAGO, ILL.

Vicegerent Snark Harry B. Darlington, Northern District Illinois, Chicago, Ill., held his second concatenation of the current Hoo-Hoo year in the Chicago room of the Great Northern Hotel, Chicago, Ill., on Monday evening, March 17.

The concatenation was a fitting closing ceremony to the dinner, annual meeting and election of officers of the Lumbermen's Club of Chicago. The personnel of the initiates was of an extremely high order, having among them the retiring president, the new president of the Lumbermen's Club and several men high up in the lumber world of Chicago.

The Nine in charge of this concatenation was one of the strongest that ever worked together, and with Douglas Malloch as Junior, it is a safe bet that all present had a good time.

Brother Darlington is to be congratulated most highly on the great success of this concatenation. The Scrivener has received several letters from Chicago regarding this concatenation and all write advising that this is the best concatenation they ever attended.

Concatenation No. 1845, Chicago, Ill., March 17, 1913.

Snark—Albert Goss.
Senior Hoo-Hoo—Ben Collins, Jr.
Junior Hoo-Hoo—Douglas Malloch.
Bojuni—S. C. Bennett.
Scrivener—J. D. Pease.
Jabberwock—A. H. Ruth.
Custocian—Tom A. Moore.
Aranoper—S. W. Buckner.
Gurdon—F. W. Roester.

27505—Oscar Anthony Cosner, Treasurer and Sales Manager, Central Commercial Co., Chicago, Ill.
27506—Frank Robertson Gadd, Vice-President, Wisconsin Lumber Co., Chicago, Ill.
27507—Robert Henry Gillespie, President, The John Gillespie Lumber Co., Chicago, Ill.
27508—Raymond William Gunton, Salesman, W. M. Gunton Co., Chicago, Ill.
27509—Glenn Hart Holloway, Manager, Holloway Hardwood Lumber Co., Chicago, Ill.
27510—John Seelye Hurd, John C. Hurd, Chicago, Ill.
27511—Edward August Lang, Sales Manager, Paepcke-Loicht Lumber Co., Chicago, Ill.
27512—Isaac Wells Lincoln, Holloway Hardwood Lumber Co., Chicago, Ill.
27513—John Welden McCurdy, Mascot, J. D. Lacy & Co., Chicago, Ill.
27514—Irving Charles Marggraf, Secretary and Treasurer, Union Moulding Co., Chicago, Ill.
27515—William L. Marggraf, Jr., Estimator, O. V. Palmquist Co., Chicago, Ill.
27516—Jesse Furman Minges, Chicago, Ill., Salesman, Faust Bros. Lumber Co., Indianapolis, Ind.
27517—George Henry Ostroder, Chicago, Ill., Salesman, W. M. Ritter Lumber Co., Columbus, Ohio.
27518—Harvey D. Welch, Vice-President, E. A. Thornton Lumber Co., Chicago, Ill.

Following members present: 46, 3847, 4118, 4086, 7304, 7304, 8293, 8308, 9996, 10137, 10310, 10690, 12104, 14135, 15492, 21676, 21606, 21612, 21906, 22062, 22022, 22026, 22017, 24089, 25351, 25359, 25366, 25367, 27311.



SASKATOON, SASK., CANADA

Vicegerent Snark H. A. Manning, Northern District Saskatchewan, held his first concatenation of the Hoo-Hoo year at Saskatoon on March 13, 1913. Brother John Hooper of the Hooper Publishing Co., Winnipeg, Manitoba, has favored us with the following splendid writeup of this concatenation, for which we tender our sincere thanks:

Nobody ever dreamed that Harold Manning could put in more than twenty candidates. On the morning of the concatenation it was predicted that there would be twenty-five kittens in line. This was considered great, when it was remembered that Doc Cook had "skimmied all the cream off the milk" at Moose Jaw, and that Alan Stewart had forty scouts chasing up every stray kitten from Jerusalem to Jericho.

But Manning had a great team of assistants, and when the polls were closed at seven p. m., forty-two applications had been filed with Al Berg.

Many good Hoo-Hoo made the trip to the growing city of Saskatoon, many arriving two or three days before the day set (March 12th). The King George Hotel was headquarters and was jammed to the limit by the lumbermen.

Winnipeg, Moose Jaw, Regina, Calgary and Edmonton all sent strong contingents to swell the ranks of Hoo-Hoo.

The arrangements made by the local committee were excellent, and great credit is due them for the magnificent work they so nobly did. There was no request for any assistance, financial or otherwise, from the guests or outside members, so that greater credit must be bestowed in this respect when it is considered that the magnificent banquet put on at the King George, and the arrangements at the Odd Fellows' Temple must have cost a great amount of "real mazuma."

The features of the concatenation were something just a little different from what has ever been seen. When quiet was required, a silence as still as death was noticeable. When the fireworks began, the noise was something terrific. But one and all noticed a sharp cleavage between the first and second degree. Not a sound was heard all through the impressive ceremonies, which tended greatly to lift the Order to the plane it belongs.

Another feature we personally noticed was the whole-hearted welcome that was extended from the Mayor down to the humblest citizen. The whole city knew that the Hoo-Hoo were there, and appreciated the honor. Nothing was too good for the lumbermen.

Every officer knew his place—no hitch—no waiting—no unauthorized talking. This all helped to make a crackerjack initiation by a drilled team. Ergo, "Success!"

In long wavy lines the purblind kittens cautiously approached the Gardens East and West. They stood at the portals!

(We use Cornwall's dope here with mild fireworks.)

Great Hoo-Hoo's Voice:

Of the names which have been read,

Is there one you know

Which justifies exclusion from

This Holy Hoo-Hoo Show?

(Deep silence reigns, followed by rumblings of distant thunder by Candy, and flashes of lightning by the Sultan.)

Then bring them in here from astraddle the log,

From which they've been viewing Saskatoon,

And with fire and steel, we will temper the bunch,

To find if we have "the Man in the Moon!"

Bring forth the new wrought ritual,

Get into gowns which fit you well,

Bring out the goat and dry kiln, too;

And put this bunch of kittens through!

And they did!

At last, in the flickering moonlight could be heard the wails of the kittens as they vainly protested against taking off their fur coats in order to ramble through the catnip gardens East and West. The strains of the "Dead March in Saul" were heard faintly in the gloaming.

Then there "was silence deep as death, and the boldest held his breath." Outside, a terrible yell rent the air, the janitor sent in a fire alarm, someone in the Court House near by sent for an ambulance, Chief Dunning's night police staff got a hurry-up call, and the fun commenced.

Amidst the most weird yells, the loud caterwauling of the old toms, and the sharp staccato of the young kittens, the battle was on.

It just took nine minutes and nine seconds to subdue the untamable wild cats of the prairies, during which it is safe to say that half the population of Saskatoon assembled in front of the scene of strife. One candidate, who showed greater strength than the others, managed to get out on the roof (cats like a roof) and started down the fire-escape. He was caught by the police.

The Session-on-the-Roof

The "Session-on-the-Roof" partook of the nature of a banquet at the Royal George. Col. Underhill, the manager of one of the few best hotels in Western Canada, certainly deserves praise for the excellent table and the magnificent floral decorations.

Five long tables were filled with the one hundred and sixty guests. Sherry's orchestra was installed in the gallery under the direction of Prof. J. Herbert Allward, leader of the Strand Theatre orchestra and late of the Orpheum Theatre, Spokane. He knew what Hoo-Hoo liked, and gave it willingly. Miss Annette Smith, the famous vaudeville singer, was the star of the evening, responding to many encores.

E. D. Tennant, representative of the Supreme Nine, acted as toastmaster, and performed his duties admirably, keeping the whole assemblage in splendid spirits by bright, snappy speeches, so that everything went with an orderly swing and decorum.

The bill of fare was as follows:

KING GEORGE HOTEL, SASKATOON

Hoo-Hoo Banquet, March 12th, 1913

MENU

Caviar Canape			
Celery	Salted Almonds	Queen Olives	Dill Pickles
Eggs Romanoff		Ham and Chicken	
Spiced Beef	Ox Tongue	Corned Beef	
	Galatine of Turkey en Aspic		
	Potato Salad		
	German Frankfurters and Sauerkraut		
	Schintz Brodt		
	Switzer Cheese and Toasted Wafers		
Fruit	Coffee	Cigars	
	Anheuser-Busch and Pabst		

The first toast, "The King," was loyally honored by all rising and singing "God Save the King," the band accompanying. The toast to "The Order of Hoo-Hoo" was responded to fittingly.

The first speaker was Brother Hooper, editor of the Retail Lumberman, Winnipeg, who stated that when he had encamped on the very site of the King George Hotel twenty-eight years ago he had no anticipation that he would ever be able to address a gathering of the prominent young business men of Western Canada in his lifetime, on the same spot. He had been in concatenations in various parts of the States, but never had witnessed a more successful one than that which had been staged that night. He told some interesting stories of the days of the old rebellion when they had been hunting around Saskatoon for rebel half-breeds and Indians, winding up with a humorous sketch, "How I Lost Saskatoon."

Supreme Junior Hoo-Hoo Tennant, (fervently):

"Let us give thanks to the Black Cat's shrine
For the crackerjack concat. by a crackerjack nine,
For the very best Snark in the world what is!
Stand up, Manning! Let's see your phiz!"

Chorus of voices:

"Manning! Manning! Rah! Rah! Rah!
We want Manning! Zip! Boom! Bah!"

Vicegerent Snark Manning (rising humbly):

"Restrain yourselves, you Hoo-Hoo horde;
There are others gathered at this board
Who helped to make the concat, hum,
And old Toms say 'I'm glad I come!'
For without them I'm simply nit—
Committees—they were all of it!

I'm simply giving you this hunch:
Extend your thanks to the whole damn bunch!"

Three cheers and a tiger were then given to the "crackerjack nine" and to the rest of the committee, consisting of Brothers Ed. Mellicke, Jas. Gibson, E. Simonson and Wellington Nelson.

The toast to Saskatoon was responded to by Alderman Somerfield and Herb. Martin.

Alex. Shields responded to the toast of "The Kittens," appreciating the initiation and thanking the old Toms for what had been done to them so well that night.

The Married Hoo-Hoo Quartette then rendered the following, by way of advice to the single kittens:

"Take a little tip from father,
Take a little tip from dad—
Stay away from the beautiful girls;
Each little peach is a full-grown lemon.
Wedding chimes, seven times
Out of ten are bad; but
If you find a girl like mother,
Get married like your dear old dad!"

Brother G. C. Ingram, of the Security Lumber Co., Moose Jaw, was the next speaker. He stated that in his own personal experience he knew that the Order had done the lumber business a world of good. It had drawn the retailer and the wholesaler closer together in the bond of good-fellowship.

Brother Stanley Raymond, of Saskatoon, gave the Hoo-Hoo classic, "Ollie Oleson Buying a Pane of Glass."

Brother C. H. Wentz, of Saskatoon; Al. Mattes, of Prince Albert; Harold Manning, of Saskatoon, and Al. Berg, of Saskatoon, gave addresses thanking the visitors for their appreciation of the efforts of the North Saskatchewan members to conduct a successful concatenation.

Chairman Tennant spoke some words in favor of the sick benefit fund, which, he explained, was for the purpose of wiring \$250 to a beneficiary who was in need of the money in case of the death of a member of the Order. This fund would not benefit the rich members of the association, but only bring light where before there was darkness.

The toast to "The Manufacturers" was given by Brother Wentz, and responded to by Brother Mattes, both given in a happy vein.

Dick Catherwood was called upon for one of his inimitable stories, and brought the house down.

The boys all shouted for Colonel Underhill, who was given three times three and a tiger. Several eulogies of his handsome treatment of the Hoo-Hoo were made, and the Colonel responded, stating that the lumbermen always had a warm place in his heart, and he was prepared to give them another such banquet when they came to Saskatoon.

At the conclusion of the banquet, the boys all formed up in line and did the bear dance and the turkey trot, whilst Fred Ritter sang sweetly "By the Light of the Silvery Moon," assisted by Brother Hoover and others.

At 3 a. m. in the rotunda the Hoo-Hoo formed up in two double rings and with clasped hands renewed their vows of friendship and sang lustily "Auld Lang Syne," accompanied by the orchestra. "Glad to meet—sorry to part—and glad to meet again!"

"For it's always fair weather
When good Hoo-Hoo get together,
And the cheer is on the table
And the whole yell ringing clear:

'1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9, By-the-Tail-of-the-Great-Black-Cat-Black
Cat—Hoo Hoo!"

Concatenation No. 1846, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada, March 13, 1913.

Snark—E. D. Tennant.
Senior Hoo-Hoo—Harvey A. Warner.
Junior Hoo-Hoo—Stanley Raymond.
Dolun—Sid Smith.
Scrivener—A. C. Berg.
Jabberwock—J. O. Tharp.
Concatenation—W. H. Hoover.
Arenaper—John A. Telfer.
Gordon—Clayte Sherry.

HOO-HOO IN A BANQUET.

Took in Thirteen New Members at Their Meeting in This City Yesterday Afternoon

BEGAN EATING AT ELEVEN

Whole Affair Was a Live Wire Proposition and Was Thoroughly Enjoyed by All

The Hoo-Hoo, the organization of lumbermen, held a meeting in this city last evening and if there is a scarcity of men in this branch of our industry today, it is because most of them are not yet able to sit up and take notice, especially those who were initiated into the mysteries of the order at the meeting last night.

There were thirteen new members taken into the organization and while no representative of the press was invited or expected to be present, enough of the doings have leaked out to assure us that it was a live affair.

There were some stunts pulled off that would make the Raspberries look like a candle along side of an arc light. Carl Lester, better known as Slivers, almost lost the mustache he is endeavoring to raise. Asa Spencer and Marshall Butters were forced to enter into a boxing contest and when they were not lambasting each other to the satisfaction of the crowd (which would have been impossible), the aforesaid crowd took a hand in giving the contestants a few instructions in the manly art. Jim Dewey did a head balancing stunt, much against his wishes, the brothers Hoo-Hoo seeming to have the idea that the hardest part of his anatomy should be on the ground, in order to give him the proper balance. George Ingram thought he was getting off easy with the vows he took but being a single man, he is beginning to realize that he had better have taken what some of the others got than to have sworn to what he did. And the rest of the members have taken a solemn oath that they will see that George keeps his vows. Poor George!

The big event of the day was the banquet at the Stearns at eleven o'clock. Jeff Webb, of Detroit, was toastmaster and he carried off his part of the program in a way that kept the guests in an uproar, every speaker being introduced with a flow of wit that almost took his speech away from him, which perhaps accounts for some of the poor attempts that were made in the way of speeches.

W. M. Stephenson, of St. Louis, supreme scrivener of the order, was present at the banquet and gave an interesting talk on the good of the order and interspersed it with a number of humorous stories. Mr. Stephenson made this trip from St. Louis especially to attend this meeting and left for his home on the morning train.

There were a number of prominent men from out of town present at the meeting, among them being Stephen Rathbun, democratic candidate for mayor of Battle Creek, who gave a very pleasant talk, and also sang a noiseless song that captivated the house. Mr. Rathbun will no doubt make Battle Creek a good mayor and if the Hoo-Hoo could vote there he would get every one of them. Fred Verkerke of Grand Rapids, one of the prominent city officials of that city, also made a few remarks that were well received.

John Wolf was called upon for an address and responded very properly, as did also W. T. Culver, after the toastmaster had asked him not to be too hard on the boys when they reported late for work this morning. Mr. Culver did not mention this in his response, probably thinking that most of them could not get to work much later than they were in the habit of doing so it would not make any difference anyway.

Marshall Butters told a Swede story and did his part so well that the crowd called for more and kept up their applause until he responded with an encore. Of course the bunch did not know whether it was Swede, Dutch or Irish dialect but that did not make any difference as long as it was Marshall Butters doing it. W. W. Powell had to get his famous Patrick Henry story out of his system and he thought the guests last night would stand for anything so he gave them that. They survived but when Jim Goldstein undertook to make a speech, the limit was reached. The toastmaster thought that Jim had no business being there as he was in no way connected with the lumber business but Jim explained that he had a wooden head and was therefore entitled to sit in their august presence, to which the members all agreed.

Archie Fisher of Grand Rapids tried to make a speech, in which he was encouraged by the banquetters and Carl Schneider, also of Grand Rapids, was asked to tell about the time he attended church at Portland, Oregon, and how the way he behaved, his friends came to the conclusion that there was something back of his long trip to church that he did not care to talk about. And during his remarks he never mentioned church, probably thinking it was not the proper place.

It was long after midnight when the meeting adjourned and there were many words of praise for Bert Thatcher for bringing the meeting about as it was due to his efforts that the affair was held. While the public in general did not know anything out of the ordinary was going on last night, it was, to use the words of one who was present "One continuous round of pleasure."

Concatenation No. 1847, Ludington, Mich., March 28, 1913.

Snark—Fred J. Verkerke.
Senior Hoo-Hoo—Carl H. Schneider.
Junior Hoo-Hoo—Jeff B. Webb.
Dolun—John Wood.
Scrivener—Bert S. Thatcher.

27501—Marshall Herbert Butters, Stockholder, Marshall Butters Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27502—Clare L. Colgrove, Sales Dept., Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27503—James Elijah Dewey, Sales Mgr., Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27504—Ephraim Paul Grignon, Traveling Salesman, The Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27505—Charles Hamilton, Mgr., The Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27506—George Wanley Ingram, Salesman, The Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27507—Carl Thomas Lester, Asst. Secretary, The Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27508—Malcolm Edward Miller, Efficiency Expert, The Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27509—John Emery Prior, Mgr. Box Dept., The Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27510—Oswald Martin Radin, Lumber Buyer for The Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27511—Henry Lewis Randall, Traveling Salesman, The Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27512—Louis John Shannessy, Dept. Sales Mgr., The Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

27513—Warner Asa Spencer, Office Mgr., The Stearns Salt & Lbr. Co., Ludington, Mich.

Following members present: 2676, 3861, 15409, 16318, 17234, 17285, 18972, 19189, 19201, 21050, 24347, 24351, 24358, 25607, 25612, 26579.

- 27519—Andrew Nathaniel Boyd, Partner, Boyd Bros., Radisson, Sask., Canada.
- 27520—William H. Brown, Agent, Dutton-Wall Lumber Co., Elstow, Sask., Canada.
- 27521—Henry Joseph Burris, Accountant, G. H. Wentz Lumber Co., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27522—Raymond Henry Crowley, Traveling Salesman, Radford Wright Co., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27523—Arch James DeWolf, Sutherland, Sask., Branch Manager, E. J. Mellicke & Sons, Ltd., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27524—Theodore Austin Dimsick, Local Manager, Farmers Lumber Co., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27525—Cyril Osborne Eveleigh, Manager, Western Canada Saw Mill Yard, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27526—Claude Leroy Farrow, Regina, Sask., Traveling Supt., The Monarch Lumber Co., Ltd., Winnipeg, Man., Canada.
- 27527—Harry Newell Freeman, Agent, Dutton-Wall Lumber Co., Delta, Sask., Canada.
- 27528—H. Porter Gibson, Accountant, Western Canada Saw Mills Co., Ltd., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27529—William Garnet Grigg, Agent, Dutton-Wall Lumber Co., Swanton, Sask., Canada.
- 27530—John Henry Hahn, Owner, John H. Hahn, Kindersley, Sask., Canada.
- 27531—John Welch Hamilton, Sutherland, Sask., Local Manager, Western Canada Saw Mills Yard, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27532—J. P. Harris, Saskatoon, Sask., Superintendent, Monarch Lumber Co., Ltd., Winnipeg, Man., Canada.
- 27533—Percy Hasselheld, Sales Manager, Big River Lumber Co., Big River, Sask., Canada.
- 27534—Arthur G. Huber, Edmonton, B. C., Canada, Salesman, Adams River Lumber Co. (Chas. B. G.), Canada.
- 27535—William Edward Kilpatrick, Hurley, Sask., Branch Manager, E. J. Mellicke & Sons, Ltd., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27536—Abram Henry Klassen, Manager, A. Klassen & Son, Hague, Sask., Canada.
- 27537—Thomas H. LaRe, Accountant, Dutton-Wall Lumber Co., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27538—Clifton K. Leslie, Saskatoon, Sask., Superintendent, Dutton-Wall Lumber Co., Winnipeg, Man., Canada.
- 27539—David Edward McCarter, Saskatoon, Sask., Representative, Terminal Lumber & Shingle Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
- 27540—Robert Boyd McClean, Manager, Leach-McClean Lumber Co., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27541—James Thomas McCool, Superintendent, Lumber Manufacturers Yards, Ltd., Regina, Sask., Canada.
- 27542—John Smith McOutcheon, North Battleford, Sask., Local Manager, Western Canada Saw Mills Yard, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27543—Thomas Moore McGarry, Secretary-Treasurer, The Farmers Lumber Co., Ltd., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27544—William McIntyre, City Agent, Western Canada Saw Mills Yard, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27545—John Boyd McLean, Yard Manager, G. H. Wentz Lumber Co., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27546—Joseph Alexander Maghton, Agent, H. L. Martin Lumber Co., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27547—Herbert Leslie Martin, Owner, H. L. Martin Lumber Co., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27548—Clinton Robert Miller, Salesman, E. J. Mellicke & Sons, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27549—Fred L. Nelson, Secretary-Treasurer, Minors, Ball & Nelson, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27550—Carman Wellington Parks, Nutana, Sask., Agent, Monarch Lumber Co., Winnipeg, Man., Canada.
- 27551—John Alexander Powrie, Salesman, Boyd Bros., Radisson, Sask., Canada.
- 27552—Abram John Sawatzky, Osler, Sask., Agent, Monarch Lumber Co., Winnipeg, Man., Canada.
- 27553—Thomas Frederick Schindler, Owner, T. F. Schindler, Watson, Sask., Canada.
- 27554—Alexander Shields, General Manager, Farmers Lumber Co., Ltd., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27555—Edward Maxwell Smith, Regina, Sask., Traveling Superintendent, The Monarch Lumber Co., Ltd., Winnipeg, Man., Canada.
- 27556—Claude Douglas Tice, Nutana, Sask., Accountant, Western Canada Saw Mills Yard, Ltd., Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27557—Tobias T. Unruh, Yard Manager, Monarch Lumber Co., Hague, Sask., Canada.
- 27558—William Francis Watson, General Manager, Western Canada Saw Mills Yard, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada.
- 27559—Reginald Percy Westcott, Edmonton, Alta., Sales Representative, North Pacific Lumber Co., Vancouver, B. C., Canada.
- 27560—William I. Wilson, Western Canada Saw Mills Yards, Macromar, Sask., Canada.

Following members present: 1113, 1192, 4140, 9975, 18178, 19250, 14251, 16109, 16581, 16592, 17577, 18307, 18164, 19633, 20125, 20127, 20129, 20142, 20144, 20145, 20148, 20151, 21150, 21175, 21870, 21886, 21892, 22275, 22736, 24192, 24124, 24158, 24240, 25324, 25330, 25375, 25380, 25381, 25390, 25395, 25401, 26401, 26049, 27156, 27323, 27324, 27327, 27330, 27392, 27346, 27356, 27370, 27378, 27380.

LUDINGTON, MICH.

VICEGERENT SNARK FRED. J. VERKERKE, Western District of Michigan, Grand Rapids, Mich., held his Second Concatenation of the Hoo-Hoo Year at Ludington, Mich., on March 28, 1913.

The concatenation was held at the F. O. E. Hall at 8 p. m. and adjournment was made at 11 p. m. to the Hotel Sterns where a banquet was served.

Brother Verkerke was most ably assisted by Brother Bert Thatcher of Ludington, Mich., and much praise is due Brother Thatcher, not only for the class of "kittens" secured, but also for the perfect arrangements made for concatenation and banquet. The work was put on by the Grand Rapids Nine and the new ritual was used. The following account appeared in the Ludington Daily News of March 29, 1913.