



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 flier; have had 12 years' experience on single and double cut. Married and strictly sober. Gilt edge reference. Address "Band Flier," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as flier, either circular or gang, but prefer position where it is both circular and gang. Have had sixteen years' experience. Address "Flier," 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—A good stock of southern pine and Idaho white pine to handle in Detroit and Southern Michigan on commission or salary. Address "Michigan," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

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. C.," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as lumber buyer on the Pacific Coast for a large custom concern. Twenty years' experience in the manufacture of lumber and saw and down. 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-I Salesman," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position with good, reliable company in the South as band saw flier. 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 30 days' notice. Address "Retail," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—By salesman with sixteen years' lumber experience in yellow pine and woods from northwest coast, position as salesman for some good lumber concern. Can furnish best of references. Address "Hoo-Hoo No. 25787," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—An experienced lumberman as manufacturer, 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 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.

WANTED—Position as salesman or in sales office of wholesaler or manufacturer of hardwoods, by young man, thirty years of age, married, fifteen years' experience in both export and domestic business. Can furnish good reference. Out through no fault of his own. Address "Maryland," 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 "O. M.," 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. 19702, care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position as manager or assistant manager by a practical man who has had ten years' experience in the retail business. Can speak German and am a hustler; one who is not afraid to work. Am willing to go most anywhere and could go on short notice. Can give satisfactory references as to character and ability. Address "Indiana," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenoter, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—Position by an AI 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.," 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, 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. Round 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 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.

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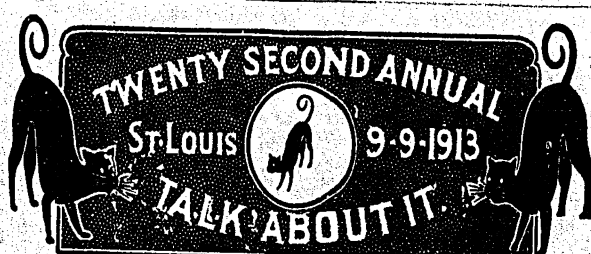
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OFFICERS OF THE ORDER

THE SUPREME NINE

NAME OF THE OFFICER—Frank W. Sawyer, Grover Bros., Wholesale Lumber, 110 Market St., San Francisco, Cal.

THE SCHOOL OF ANCIENTS

CHAS. E. McKEE (Deceased), 101 N. Franklin, Lumber West Revue, Chicago, Ill.

OVERLAIN CLOSTER

NAME PRESENT OF OFFICER (Chief Present)—W. J. Dudley, The S. Dudley Lumber Co., Ltd., Chatham, Ontario, Canada.

THE JURISDICTIONS

JURISDICTION NO. 1—Under the Grant of the Governor (Texas) the following: California, Nevada, Utah, Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, Mexico and all foreign countries.

THE VICEGERENTS

ALABAMA—Northern District—William Hagg Eddy, The Eddy Lumber Company, Decatur, Ala.

ARIZONA—(Northwestern District)—Leigh E. Putnam, Northwest Arizona Lumber Co., Paysonville, Ariz.

MISSOURI—(Northern District)—L. D. West, Fayette Lbr. Co., Fayette, Mo.

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:

- (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.

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.

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ST. LOUIS, MO., JUNE 9, 1913.

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.

THE BULLETIN is mailed on the 9th day of each month and in order to do this we are compelled to close our copy on the 5th of each month. Please take note of this and get your news item in before the 5th of each month so that we can avoid delay.

Our mailing list is made up from latest data at hand and is corrected monthly.

Each member is requested to report to the Scrivenoter promptly any error in his address, or any change made or contemplated, that THE BULLETIN may reach every member regularly.

Are you a contributor to the Death Emergency Fund? If not, why? This fund is worthy of the active support of every member of Hoo-Hoo. Come in and share with us in the great benefit that this fund is accomplishing. If you do not understand all about this fund, write the Scrivenoter.

We tender our apology to Brother Jerome Swinford, Jr. (12502), of the Norris Lumber Co., Houston, Texas, for error in spelling his name on page 12 of May issue.

Read carefully the letter of the Supreme Nine, in this issue, calling attention to annual meeting to be held September 9, 10, 11, 1913, at St. Louis, Mo. As stated this is going to be one of the most important annuals ever held and it is therefore necessary and vital that we have a thorough representative attendance of members.

St. Louis is one of the largest, if not the largest, lumber centers of the country and we feel sure that every member of

Hoo-Hoo will find that it will be of value to him to meet with us here in September.

The Scrivenoter has matter of attendance up with all Vicegerent Snarks and we ask that you notify your Vicegerent Snark, whether or not you will attend, so that he can arrange special sleepers for members in his district.

While this annual is going to be strictly a BUSINESS meeting for the good of Hoo-Hoo, the entertainment of the visiting Hoo-Hoo and their ladies will not be overlooked in any way. St. Louis has a reputation of doing things right and you can be sure of a royal welcome and the right kind of entertainment.

Full information regarding the annual will be printed in the July and August BULLETIN and we will then give you an outline of the program for your entertainment by the St. Louis Hoo-Hoo, Lumbermen and allied industries.

MAKE YOUR PLANS NOW TO BE IN ST. LOUIS SEPTEMBER 9th.

The programme for this annual is going to be different from any annual and we are sure that it is going to be not only interesting, but also valuable to all interested in any way in the lumber industry.

BE SURE AND ATTEND THIS ANNUAL, and join with us in that fraternal spirit of goodfellowship that Hoo-Hoo has instilled in the hearts of its members and that has accomplished so much good to the lumber industry.

DO THIS FOR HOO-HOO.

The Supreme Nine desires to call to the attention of the Vicegerent Snarks that only three months remain of the present Hoo-Hoo year and to urge every Vicegerent Snark to see that a concatenation is held in his district before September 9, 1913. Now let us all get together and make a record that we will all feel proud of.

If no concatenation has as yet been held in your district, get busy at once and see to it that your district is up in the front rank in the report for this year's work.

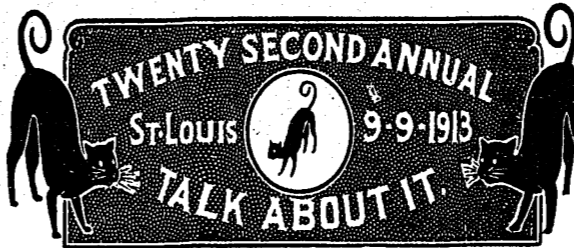
If you have already held a concatenation, investigate and see if it is not possible to hold another before September 9, 1913.

SPECIAL HOO-HOO RELIEF FUND

THE following is record of receipts and disbursements of all funds received in response to call, "HELP HOO-HOO, HELP!" published in the American Lumberman, Chicago, Ill., and in THE BULLETIN, April issue:

Receipts	
Contributors to Relief Fund	
Receipts reported May Bulletin.....	\$1,029.85
Following sent in by J. H. Ehrmanntrout, Spokane, Wash.:	
M. A. Sprinkle, White Salmon, Wash.....	2.00
J. A. Maginnis, Colville, Wash.....	1.00
J. P. McGoldrick, Spokane, Wash.....	1.00
J. P. Beardon, Spokane, Wash.....	1.00
O. E. Sanderson, Spokane, Wash.....	1.00
H. E. Lumping, Spokane, Wash.....	1.00
J. H. Ehrmanntrout, Spokane, Wash.....	1.00
Geo. P. Barnum, Kendrick, Idaho.....	2.00
Following sent in by H. A. Manning, Saskatoon, Sask., Canada:	
H. A. Manning.....	5.00
W. B. Nelson.....	4.00
E. H. Clark.....	1.00
Clayton Sherry.....	1.00
R. B. McClean.....	1.00
James Gilson.....	1.00
C. F. Wentz.....	2.00
H. G. McClean.....	1.00
J. O. Thorpe.....	1.00
G. U. Bacon.....	2.00
A. Well.....	1.00
F. C. Hamilton.....	1.00
Jno. A. Teller.....	1.00
J. W. Fridman.....	2.00
Following additional sent in by E. L. Fairbanks, Seattle, Wash.:	
F. W. Locke.....	3.00
Mr. Mickle.....	1.00
D. L. Melville.....	2.00
G. Robson, New Westminster, B. C.....	5.00
Total receipts.....	\$1,071.85
Disbursements	
Reported May Bulletin.....	78.60
Balance on hand to credit of fund June 1, 1913.....	908.25

Twenty-Second Annual St. Louis, Mo., Sept. 9, 1913



The Supreme Nine wishes to call YOUR attention to the Twenty-Second Annual to be held at St. Louis, Missouri, September 9-10-11, 1913.

THIS IS TO BE ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT MEETINGS EVER HELD.

WE WANT A LARGE ATTENDANCE OF MEMBERS. WE WANT EVERY STATE AND DISTRICT REPRESENTED.

Your attention is called to Section 3 of Article VI of our Constitution, which reads:

"Every member of the Order should attend the meeting on Hoo-Hoo Day if possible, or, failing to be present, he must forward to the Scrivenoter, in time to be read at the meeting, a letter telling how Hoo-Hoo hath used him during the past year, or he must send a prepaid telegram giving his whereabouts, so that it may be known where every member of the Order is on that day."

THIS MEETING IS GOING TO BE A BUSINESS MEETING FOR THE GOOD OF HOO-HOO.

Several very important changes in our Constitution and By-Laws have been suggested and will be up for action at this Annual, and we want a thoroughly representative attendance of members so that every suggested change can be discussed fully and action taken that will prove satisfactory to our membership.

We want every member to make special effort to attend this meeting, and we urge YOU to not only attend yourself, but to use your valuable influence with all members in your territory to get them to come with you.

ALL VICEGERENT SNARKS ARE REQUESTED TO MAKE SPECIAL EFFORTS TO SEE THAT THEIR DISTRICT IS REPRESENTED AT THIS ANNUAL.

ADVISE THE SCRIVENOTER IF YOU WILL ATTEND THE ANNUAL.

If you cannot attend the annual, you are earnestly requested to submit any suggestions or criticism you may wish to offer for the good of Hoo-Hoo. Write Snark of the Universe Frank W. Trower, San Francisco, Cal., the Scrivenoter, any member of the Supreme Nine or any Vicegerent Snark so that we will have the benefit of your idea of how the Order should be conducted.

It is your money—the money of the entire membership of Hoo-Hoo—that is being expended to carry on the work of the Order, and the entire membership should make itself heard as to how the money should be expended. Hoo-Hoo is a self-governing body, in which every member has all the rights and as much power as any other member—the newest member being on exactly the same footing as the oldest member. Hoo-Hoo is bound by no precedents or traditions, and is controlled by no clique. It can do anything it wants to do at any Annual Meeting.

We will devote sufficient time to a full discussion of all suggestions, criticisms or complaints of absent members, and you are urged to send your views.

Tell us in PLAIN LANGUAGE how YOU want the Order conducted. Suggest any changes in the conduct of the Order that you believe will be of benefit to the Order and its members.

If you have any suggestions or criticism to offer, NOW IS YOUR TIME AND CHANCE. It is unjust and not right to put up to a relatively few men to run Hoo-Hoo without any suggestions and then in SECRET criticise them for not running the Order the way YOU THINK it should be run.

SPEAK OUT PLAIN FOR THE GOOD OF HOO-HOO.

- F. W. TROWER, Snark.
- J. M. ENGLISH, Senior Hoo-Hoo.
- E. D. TENNANT, Junior Hoo-Hoo.
- A. H. RUTH, Bojum.
- W. M. STEPHENSON, Scrivenoter.
- J. F. WILDER, Jabberwock.
- L. R. FIFER, Custodian.
- J. B. BAKER, Arcanoper.
- GEO. J. MICHELSEN, Gurdon.

PROSPECTIVE CONCATENATIONS

CONCATENATION announced in May BULLETIN to be held by Vicegerent Snark Edwin T. Robie, Sacramento Valley District California, at Sacramento, Cal., on May 17, 1913, has been postponed to a future date.

ST. JOSEPH, MO.,
June 18, 1913.

Vicegerent Snark H. H. Hoyt, Northwestern District Missouri, St. Joseph, Mo., will hold a concatenation at St. Joseph, Mo., on June 18, 1913. This concatenation will be held in connection with meeting of the Northwestern Retail Lumber Dealers' Association.

Brother Hoyt has sent out notice of this concatenation and THE BULLETIN asks that all Hoo-Hoo in this district give Brother Hoyt their loyal assistance and support.

STOCKTON, CALIFORNIA,
June 21, 1913.

A joint concatenation will be held at Stockton, Cal., on June 21, 1913, by Vicegerent Snarks C. S. Brace, Central District California, San Francisco, and E. T. Robie, Sacramento Valley District California, East Auburn, Cal.

Brothers Brace and Robie are being assisted by Brothers J. C. Ahrens and C. G. Bird of Stockton.

This concatenation promises to be a great success. Stockton is to have a Frontier Days celebration on June 19, 20 and 21, 1913, and this will bring a large number of lumbermen to Stockton.

A large delegation of San Francisco Hoo-Hoo will attend this concatenation, headed by Snark of the Universe Frank W. Trower.

NEW YORK, N. Y.
CONEY ISLAND,
June 26, 1913.

Vicegerent Snark E. H. Lewis, Eastern District New York, New York, N. Y., advises that he will hold a rousing old time concatenation at Reisenwebers Casino, Coney Island, on June 26, 1913.

Brother Lewis has been hard at work on this concatenation for some time and has appointed committees to assist him in working up and putting on concatenation.

This will be first concatenation held in Eastern New York for several years and Brother Lewis is anxious to make it a great success and to arouse new interest, life and enthusiasm in Hoo-Hoo in New York City.

All Hoo-Hoo in Eastern New York are earnestly requested to give Brother Lewis their loyal support and assistance.

EVERETT, WASHINGTON,
June 26, 1913.

Vicegerent Snark E. L. Fairbanks, Western District, Washington, Seattle, Wash., advises that he will hold concatenation at Everett, Wash., on June 26, 1913.

Brother Fairbanks advises that this concatenation is going to be one of the best ever held in Washington and one that every one will enjoy.

A large delegation of Seattle Hoo-Hoo will attend. All Hoo-Hoo in Western Washington are requested to get in touch with Brother Fairbanks and assist him in making this one of the greatest concatenations ever held.

HUNTINGTON, WEST VIRGINIA

July 3, 1913.

Vicegerent Snark W. E. Smith, Western District West Virginia, Huntington, W. Va., advises that he will hold a concatenation at Huntington, W. Va., on July 3, 1913. All Hoo-Hoo of this district are urged to give Brother Smith their loyal assistance and support in making this concatenation a success.

KLAMATH FALLS, OREGON,

July 6, 1913.

Vicegerent Snark H. J. Savidge, Southern District Oregon, Klamath Falls, Ore., advises that he will hold a concatenation at Klamath Falls, Ore., on July 6, 1913.

Brother Savidge advises that at this time there will be a large gathering at Klamath Falls to witness the Elks' Rodeo, or Wild West Show, which is an annual affair.

Brother Savidge held concatenation last year in connection with this attraction and initiated fifty "kittens," a large delegation of San Francisco Hoo-Hoo and a number from Portland attending. This concatenation was given quite a write-up in THE BULLETIN and Brother Savidge is anxious to make this concatenation as great a success as the last one and THE BULLETIN urges that all Hoo-Hoo of this district give Brother Savidge their earnest co-operation, assistance and support.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA,

July 7, 1913.

Vicegerent Snark H. C. Spengler, Northern District Iowa, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, advises he will hold a concatenation at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on July 7, 1913. Headquarters will be at Montrose Hotel, Cedar Rapids.

Brother Spengler advises that he has some funds left over from last concatenation and that he is going to make this concatenation a live one. Dutch lunch and vaudeville entertainment will be provided. All Iowa Hoo-Hoo are urged to get in touch with Brother Spengler and give him their support and assistance in making this the greatest concatenation ever held in Iowa.

BUFFALO, NEW YORK,

July 9, 1913.

Vicegerent Snark Bernard Brady, Western District New York, Buffalo, N. Y., will hold concatenation at Buffalo on July 9th and on July 10th the Hoo-Hoo and lumbermen of Buffalo will hold their annual picnic down the Niagara River on the Steamer Clarence Fix and Barge Twentieth Century.

Supreme Gurdon Geo. J. Michelson, Rochester, N. Y., will attend this concatenation and will bring a large delegation of Rochester Hoo-Hoo with him.

All Hoo-Hoo in this section are requested to give Brother Brady their hearty support and assistance in making this concatenation a great success.

SEATTLE, WASHINGTON,

July 16, 1913.

Vicegerent Snark E. L. Fairbanks, Western District Washington, Seattle, Wash., will hold concatenation at Seattle, Wash., on July 16, 1913. Full particulars in THE BULLETIN July issue.

ASHEVILLE, N. C.,

Vicegerent Snark Geo. A. Murray Western District North Carolina, Asheville, N. C., will hold concatenation at Asheville, N. C., first part of July.

All Hoo-Hoo of this district are urged to give Brother Murray their loyal support and assistance.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.,

Vicegerent Snark E. H. Michel, Eastern District Louisiana, New Orleans, La., advises that he is at work working up a concatenation to be held in New Orleans in the near future. Date will be announced later.

All Hoo-Hoo of Louisiana are urged to get in touch with Brother Michel and give him the benefit of their assistance and support.

OAKDALE, LA.,

Vicegerent Snark J. E. Hockey, Southern District Louisiana, De Ridder, La., advises he has been requested to hold a concatenation at Oakdale, La., date will be announced later.

All Hoo-Hoo of this district are requested to get in touch with Brother Hockey and give him their co-operation and assistance.

CHARLESTON, S. C.,

Vicegerent Snark J. D. Newcomer, South Carolina, Charleston, S. C., advises that he is working up a concatenation to be held at the Isle of Palms. Date will be announced later.

All Hoo-Hoo of South Carolina are earnestly requested to get in touch with Brother Newcomer and give him their loyal assistance in working up this concatenation.

No concatenation has been held in South Carolina for some time and we are anxious that this concatenation be a great success and start new life and enthusiasm for Hoo-Hoo in South Carolina.

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE,

Vicegerent Snark C. M. Morford, Central District Tennessee, Nashville, Tenn., is working up concatenation to be held shortly at Nashville, Tenn. Date and particulars later.

LYNCHBURG, VIRGINIA,

Vicegerent Snark A. Lynch Ward, Western District Virginia, Lynchburg, Va., expects to be able to announce shortly date of concatenation to be held at Lynchburg, Va.

BAINBRIDGE, GEORGIA,

Vicegerent Snark H. H. Coombs, Southern District, Georgia, Bainbridge, Ga., is figuring on concatenation. Date and place to be announced later. All Hoo-Hoo in this district are requested to get in touch with Brother Coombs and give him the benefit of their valuable co-operation and assistance.

CORINTH, MISSISSIPPI,

Vicegerent Snark M. M. Elledge of Northern District of Mississippi, Corinth, Miss., advises that he will hold concatenation at Corinth, about July 1. Date to be announced later.

TERRE HAUTE, INDIANA,

Vicegerent Snark Homer L. Wilson, Western District, Indiana, Terre Haute, Ind., advises he is busy working up a concatenation to be held this summer in Terre Haute. Full particulars will be given later on.

A Few Short Lengths

A gentleman is one born with the God-like capacity to think and feel for others, irrespective of their rank or condition—one who possesses an ideal so lofty, a mind so delicate, that it lifts him above all things ignoble and base, yet strengthens his hands to raise those who are fallen—no matter how low.

A bird in the bush is better than two in the hand when a man is called upon to eat crow.

Love is the loaf of life and each of us needs a slice.

Foresight is very wise, but foresorrow is very foolish; and castles are, at any rate, better than dungeons in the air.

ONE FOR ALL, ALL FOR ONE is the slogan of Hoo-Hoo.

Be sure and attend the Annual, St. Louis, Mo., September 9, 1913.

A grouch is a grunt gone to seed.

Don't trot around all day in a circle; get somewhere.

Let us endeavor so to live that when we die even the undertaker will be sorry.

Some men are like shotguns—they scatter too much. The real key to success is concentration.

We may fool others, but we can not fool ourselves.

Knowing, what all experience goes to show, no mud can soil us but the mud we throw.

The call to love even enemies is only a call to get acquainted with men as they really are.

NOTES & COMMENTS



Bro. T. L. O'DONNELL, president of the Ship Island Lumber Company, of Sanford, Miss., has leaped into fame as the champion grower of strawberries. Not that he was ever obscure, however—as a successful business man and a good Hoo-Hoo, "Tom" O'Donnell is widely known; but lately he has entered a new field of endeavor—a field of 175 acres, "a peach of a strawberry patch," as one of the lumber papers calls it.

"Patch" is a word that is almost obsolete, so far as berries and vegetables are concerned. There used to be on every farm a turnip patch, and a potato patch; in the garden was a strawberry patch; and a folk-song celebrating the activities of the "rabbit in the pea patch" is proof that the latter was a well-known institution. Across the creek and beyond the meadow was a wild and fascinating spot known as the blackberry patch, favorite "range" of the barefoot boy and haunt of the insect known to entomologists by a high-sounding name, but commonly called "chigger." No healthy country child was happy in summertime unless he had chigger bumps on his legs and dew-cuts between his toes. If you don't know what a dew-cut is, you have missed a lot of fun. Flapping, barefoot, through the tall damp grass, each blade stiff with moisture and as sharp as a knife, is what makes dew-cuts. Of course, there is more to it than grass and dew—there is youth and dreams, the rosy dawn of life, the careless joy of childhood, the song of birds, the hum of bees, the purple of the distant hills, the fragrance of the wild grape blooms. All this went along with dew-cuts and berry patches. But now has come the passing of the patch. The blackberry has been "cultivated," turnips grow in fields; rows and rows of tomatoes stretch away into the distance; the pea patch has expanded into a truck farm!

Let us get back to the subject—the Mississippi strawberry field:

During the summer and fall of last year the Ship Island Lumber Co. cleared and prepared for cultivation in strawberries 175 acres of ordinary cut-over pine land near its plant. T. L. O'Donnell, president of the company, imported from the strawberry and truck growing region of Louisiana, thirty Italian families to cultivate these lands. During the months from August, 1912, to January, 1913, this acreage was set in strawberries, 12,000 plants to the acre. The yield of berries was 125 crates, of 24 pints each, to the acre, a total of 21,875 crates for the tract—the value of which, at present market prices, is \$38,281. The total expense of producing the crop was \$30,025. This expense includes the whole expense of clearing the land.

removing the stumps, putting the land in cultivation, preparing the soil for this particular crop, cost of the plants, setting the plants, all labor of cultivation and of picking the crops, all expenses of crating, packing, etc.

Besides, this handsome net profit from the sale of the berries, an additional profit of considerable magnitude is looked for in the utilization of cuttings from the plants now established, these cuttings to be partly sold and partly used in extending the acreage of the plantations. What this will amount to remains to be seen, but whatever it is, it is a net addition to the profit already made. The company is so well pleased with the outcome of its first crop that it expects to increase its berry planting to six hundred acres next year.

The subject of increased food production, suggested by this experiment of strawberry planting on a mammoth scale, is of far-reaching interest and significance. Long ago a wise man said, "He is a great benefactor who makes two blades of corn grow where before there was but one."

A chill passed down the world's spine along about the year 1798, when an Englishman by the name of Thomas Malthus published an "Essay on the Principles of Population," in which he set forth some views which since have become known as the "Malthusian doctrine." His idea was that population increases more rapidly than does the means of subsistence, so that if no check be put on the increase of population, many persons must starve or else all be ill-fed. In short, Malthus believed that all the land would be inadequate to feed all its inhabitants. In his day and time transportation facilities were extremely limited, compared to what they are now—the process of getting things from the place where they are not needed to where they are needed, which forms so important a part of modern business life, was a very slow and laborious process in 1798. At the present time we often see in the daily papers such items as this despatch from Wellington, New Zealand: "Arrangements have been made for the export of fifteen tons of butter a month and also trial shipments of frozen meat to Northwest Canada." And the other day, on the editorial page of a Western paper the following paragraph appeared:

Invasion of the American market by Australian and Argentine meat may be only a preliminary to the organization of a world's meat trust, which will put its brand on every four-legged "critter." The last refuge of the independent packer may then be the supply from the steppes of Central Asia and the plains of Siberia.

In all his life Malthus never dreamed of sending butter from New Zealand to Canada; he had no prophetic vision of Tom O'Donnell shipping strawberries in carload lots from Mississippi to Buffalo, N. Y. Poor old Malthus had never heard of a refrigerator! If he could see the wheat fields of Manitoba, his eyes would surely pop. Malthus never had a cantaloupe for breakfast; he never ate green peas in February nor fresh tomatoes in March; he never saw a grapefruit. No wonder he was a pessimist.

The mournful Malthus, however, was not the only writer who held erroneous views concerning foodstuff in its relation to the whole, broad subject of life. A striking instance is that of Henry Thomas Buckle, author of "The History of Civilization in England." Mr. Buckle was born in 1822 and died in 1862. If he could return to earth today, he would find reason to modify some of his opinions. He believed that, on general principles, where there is abundant food, there will be large families, the result being many laborers and, consequently, very low wages. In his opinion, Sir Walter Raleigh did Ireland a poor turn when he introduced the potato into that isle of sorrow, inasmuch as a cheap food is a public menace! "The peculiarity of the potato," urged Mr. Buckle, "is that it is cheaper than any other food which is equally wholesome. One acre of average land, sown with potatoes, will support twice as many people as the same quantity of land sown with wheat. The

consequence is that in a land where men live on potatoes, the population will increase twice as fast as in a country where they live on wheat." Proceeding to describe the wretched condition of the Irish peasants, the sapient historian contends:

"Their wages are so low as to debar them not only from the comforts, but from the common decencies of civilized life. And this evil condition is the natural result of that cheap and abundant food which encouraged the people to so rapid an increase that the labor market was constantly gorged. Some twenty years ago the average wages were fourpence a day, and even this wretched pittance could not always be relied upon for regular employment."

This reminds one of the reply of the grocer to the complaint of a customer that three cents apiece was a high price for eggs: "You must remember that one egg is one day's work for one hen." If a man must work a whole day for fourpence (about eight cents), it cannot be said that potatoes are cheap—to him. And if this wretched pittance failed, he surely would not feel encouraged to take upon himself the support of a large family! Ireland has had many troubles, but when the cause of her woes is sought, the potato can prove an alibi. Buckle got the cart before the horse. The potato was carried to Ireland because the people were poor; one reason why they were hard up for food was because of the big estates owned by absentee landlords like Sir Walter. The fact that food a-plenty is not a factor in stimulating the growth of population is indicated in the old adage, "A rich man for luck and a poor man for children."

Many years have passed since Buckle lived and pondered on potatoes. Nearly a century has elapsed since the time referred to by him as "some twenty years ago"—when peasants worked for fourpence a day. Great changes have come during those years. Large numbers of Irish emigrants forsook the land of cheap food and came to America, where they could buy something more than a few potatoes with a day's wages. They had more to eat than they ever had before, but their families did not grow larger with each succeeding generation.

The various editors of the Portland Oregonian should get together and decide what views they shall express in regard to leading questions of the day. As it is, the editorial page of that paper is sprinkled with conflicting opinions. The first two of the following appeared the other day among the "paragraphs," while the third is culled from a "leader."

That the races will commingle is held as established by the marriage of a Japanese to a white woman at Minneapolis yesterday. But the wife will become an outcast, despised by both races. Experience has proved it.

The clergyman who officiates at the marriage of an Asiatic and a white woman may think he is doing the Master's work, but white and brown folk believe otherwise and generally results prove them right.

A bugaboo of which a great deal is made by the fanatics is the danger of intermarriage between the races. We agree with Alice Brown, who has written most intelligently upon this subject, that it would be far better for an American girl to marry a sober and industrious Japanese than a lazy, drunken white man, but as a matter of fact, such unions are rare. The tumult stirred up over them is out of all sane proportion to their number or importance. As a rule, the more shiftless a Californian is the more ferociously he shrieks against the patient and industrious Japanese.

If the wife "will become an outcast despised by both races," how can it possibly be "far better for an American girl to marry a sober and industrious Japanese than a lazy, drunken white man"? Does a woman marry simply for a support, regardless of her social position or the color of her offspring?

Nobody denies that it is very sad and unfortunate for a woman to marry "a drunken, lazy white man." As a matter of fact, no woman does such a thing deliberately and willfully—she marries for better or for worse, but she always believes it will be for better. If it turns out for worse, she is, of course, greatly to be pitied; but at any rate, she has the comfort of knowing that her children are "white folks." And she has a

reasonable hope that by proper training, they may turn out to be a solace and a credit to her. Besides, a drunkard sometimes reforms, but a leopard cannot change his spots nor a half-breed his skin—once a mulatto, always a mulatto.

The Japs themselves admit this. Else why are they now trying to pass themselves off as white? They maintain that they are not Mongolians, but that they belong to the Aryan race—in other words, to the original white race. The lower Federal courts have admitted Parsees and high-caste Hindus to citizenship as white persons on the ground that they are members of the Aryan race. This probably will prove to be a very great mistake. India in ages past was overrun from time to time by many races; and even if a branch of the Aryan race was there first, it is practically lost trace of now, by reason of its having amalgamated with Mongolians and other colored peoples.

The lower courts hold that Japanese are Mongolians. The Oregonian says:

The Supreme Court of the United States should settle the whole question. If it should hold that the Japanese are Aryans and that all Aryans are white, all the labor of the California Legislature with the anti-alien bill will have been wasted.

Of course. And the law which makes Japs ineligible to citizenship would have to be abolished, wouldn't it? If the Japs are white, the "complexion" of the whole matter is changed!

In May 31 issue, Collier's has a ringing editorial on "The World's Most Menacing Problem," which begins with this fundamental proposition:

The question involved in the California Anti-Alien Land Law is not for today alone. It is for generations to come. It is not a Japanese question alone. It is a Chinese question, a Hindu question, a Korean question. It is not a matter of the United States alone. It is a Canadian question, a South American question, a Mexican question, a New Zealand question. It is a world question. It is a problem for all time. It is the local outcropping of the greatest of world problems—the riddle of the intermingling of races.

The article winds up with the definite statement: "We must settle this matter now before it is too late. We must settle it now on the basis of our right to exclude any peoples that we do not think we can take into our work of perfecting democracy."

And a democracy is defined as "a people who reason together and express their decision by their votes." The idea is that "peoples," or races, wholly antagonistic in their views, instincts, aspirations, language and traditions, cannot be merged into "a people" who can come together in common interests and mutual understanding.

Democracy is not an Oriental concept. The ideal of the Orient is an absolute monarchy—an emperor ruling by divine right, surrounded by slaves and dancing girls.

Taking a broad view of the whole question, Collier's arrives at the conclusion: "This nation—every nation—must keep out peoples whose presence will complicate this matter of democratic solidarity."

The authority (such as it is) for ranking a Hindu as a white man is based on philology—the science of language. Sanscrit is believed by many philologists to be the speech of the oldest Aryan civilization. The various dialects of Hindustance is based on Sanscrit, but Sanscrit itself, as a spoken language, died out three hundred years before the Christian era. Some years ago—about the year 1816—a scholar by name of Francis Bopp, poking among musty manuscripts, came upon what he thought was indisputable evidence that Sanscrit is the parent of European languages. Others had written books on Sanscrit before Bopp, but the latter's work seemed to settle the question, and it was given out that a discovery of far-reaching importance had been made. Max Mueller says:

"When the Hindus learned for the first time that their ancient language, the Sanscrit, was closely connected with that uncouth jargon spoken by their rulers, they began to feel a

pride in their language and their descent, and they ceased to look upon the pale-skinned strangers from the North as creatures from another world."

By the phrase, "uncouth jargon," Mr. Mueller refers, of course, to the English language—the speech of the British conquerors of India. The Hindus apparently had a better opinion of English than has Mr. Mueller, who is German. At any rate, they perked up and began to take pride in their descent, on the strength of the relationship discovered between their ancient tongue and that uncouth jargon—the language of Shakespeare and Milton. An eminent American scholar, Mr. Horatio Hale, wrote:

When the people of Hindustan in the last century came under British power, they were regarded as a debased and alien race. Their complexion reminded their conquerors of Africa. Their divinities were hideous monsters. Their social system was anti-human and detestable. Suttee, Thuggee and Juggernaut—all sorts of cruel and shocking abominations, characterized and degraded them. The proudest Indian prince was, in the sight of the rawest white subaltern, only a "nigger." This universal contempt was returned with a hatred as universal—and threatening in the future most disastrous consequences to British rule. Then came an unexpected and wonderful discovery. European philologists, studying the language of the conquered race, discovered that the classic mother-tongue of Northern Hindustan was the elder sister of the Greek, the Latin, the German and the Celtic languages. At the same time a splendid literature was unearthed. The despised Asiatics became not only the blood relations, but the teachers and exemplars of their conquerors! The revolution of feeling on both sides was immense. Mutual esteem and confidence took the place of distrust."

Scholars became enthusiastic over the great discovery. Philologists dug up dead and buried fragments of language and were overjoyed to proclaim that the Hindu is more or less closely related to the Englishman. As usual, they went too far in their conclusions, and soon a partial reaction came about. It is now believed that so-called Sanscrit "roots" are not roots at all, but stems cut off from their roots—that Sanscrit is the elder sister and not the parent of languages, as was at first supposed. "The study of words from such a beginning," says one brilliant writer on the subject, "is no more scientific than a young lady's album of dried leaves is scientific botany. The English language has more sources than the English philologists dream of."

To put a thought in motion is always a frightful hazard. Once started, an idea is hard to stop. The beneficent results of the philologists' discovery are highly problematical, and its value to the intellectual world has been greatly overrated. Crude minds are likely to become quite muddled when any phase of the race question comes up for consideration. The following outburst from the editor of an Oregon paper is a case in point: "It would be a woeful day for California if it should turn out that the great white race, with which the people of that excitable commonwealth proudly claim affinity, originated in Africa, while the true Aryans are the Japanese." This quotation is but a brief portion of the article referred to; there is "worse and more of it." And it is not surprising that there should be found now and then, in the news columns of the dailies, despatches like the following:

ENTERPRISE, Ore., May 8.—(Special.)—A Japanese has applied for naturalization in Wallowa County, I Sam Inoo, of Joseph, being the applicant. County Clerk Bilyeu sent the papers to John Speed Smith, chief examiner at Seattle in the Federal naturalization bureau, who replied that while it appeared improbable Inoo would be admitted to citizenship, he could not pass on the matter finally.

The documents have been forwarded to Washington, where the case will be determined.

Inoo was born in Yawatahama, Japan, October 15, 1890. He came to Seattle from Yokohama, July 14, 1906.

What can be expected when reputable American newspapers publish would-be erudite editorials under such headings as "The Aryan Japanese"?

The digging of roots in the field of philology, no doubt, will be greatly stimulated by the renouncing of Mongolian

ancestry on part of the Japanese. Perhaps the Japs can prove that they belong to the "Sogdian" race—a recent discovery of science. A Paris correspondent to the Chicago News announces that R. Gauthiot, the French savant, has presented to the Sorbonne the first grammar of the Sogdian language, which was lost to the world a thousand years ago. The Sogdians are supposed to have been a powerful and highly cultured race, inhabiting Central Asia, where now there is merely a sandy desert. Their language, it is declared, shows that the Sogdians were the parents of all the present European and Indo-European races! Further information is given as follows:

The land which the Sogdians inhabited formed a link between Siberia on the north, China on the east, Tibet and India on the south and Irania and Persia on the west.

Before the development of sea commerce the caravans disseminating the riches of the Orient all passed through Sogdia, the last vestiges of which are supposed to have been destroyed by the Mongols in the 11th century.

Within a decade travelers and explorers have found traces of great cities buried in the sand, with Buddhist art work of considerable beauty and at least two libraries of manuscripts, while remains of canals indicate that the Sogdians well understood irrigation.

The high hat is the subject of some bitter remarks on the part of the editor of a leading weekly, who declares that such headgear "makes the human head resemble a mortuary column in black." Nevertheless, it must be true that many a man enjoys carrying an ebony-hued tombstone on his head, since the high hat is this year celebrating its hundredth anniversary:

That it should have survived to reach even its first birthday, impugns the taste of humankind as being lower than that of the animals. It ought never to have been born. Call it what we may, "stovepipe," "heaver," or "plug" (to term it "silk" is an unwarranted aspersion upon a hard-working and worthy worm), it has all the sartorial vices and none of the virtues. It is as uncomfortable as a new shoe and as ugly as a hairpin. It makes short men look squat and tall men spindly. It has an ungovernable temper, ruffling at the slightest touch, however friendly, and permanently refusing to be soothed. In time of wind it is a born aeronaut. It costs \$8. And with each recurrent year, at the Ides of March, the conscienceless and hydrophobic hatter so perverts its style, by some occult twist of brim or bulge of crown, as to render one's previous investment extinct and prehistoric.

This is not the worst of it. According to the oracles of the American Medical Association, mankind either must forswear its most ancient and honorable badge of respectability and eminence or else face the grim ravages of a continued epidemic of baldness. It has been said of the high hat that it is the symbol of substantial achievement, and that it has come to be an institution. But now it seems that man must choose between hat and hair. Says the Washington-Star:

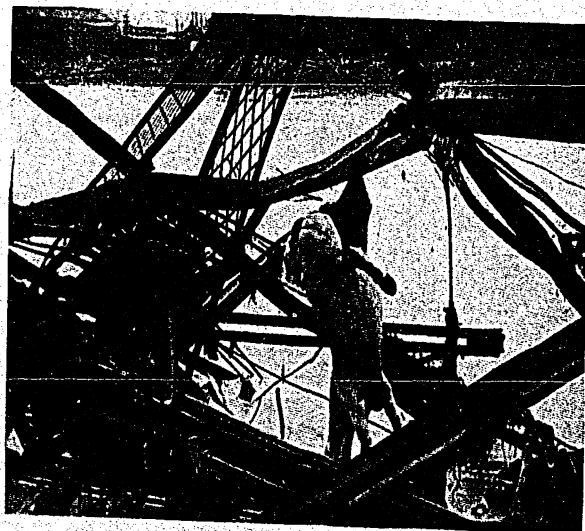
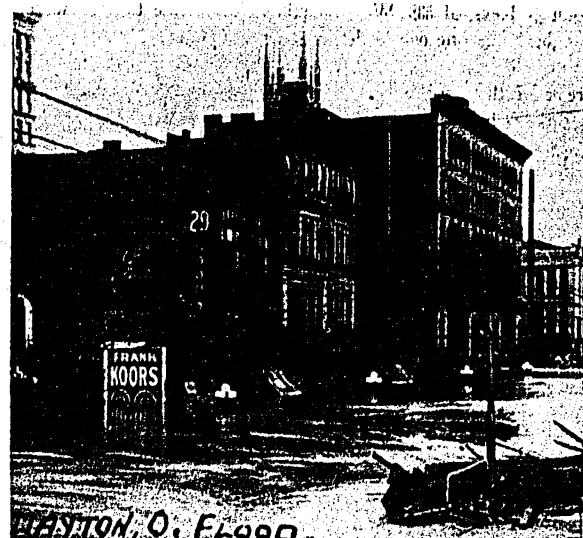
It is scientifically explained that the hatbands of the beloved headgear throw upon the temples a pressure that dams the tiny rivulets of blood which carry life and vigor to the scalp areas.

Devitalized through lack of nourishment, the hair withers and dies at the roots, and, despoiled of a livelihood, departs on every passing comb and brush that affords facilities for transportation to other fields. Eventually the cranial area is left in shining barrenness. Of course, the festive derby will perform the same deadly execution, but then the same sentiment does not attach itself to the derby, which can be discarded without a sigh.

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Some Scenes From the Dayton, Ohio, Flood

By Robert E. Masters (No. 71)

WHEN one undertakes to give in a pen picture the ravages of the flood at Dayton, Ohio, they cannot help but be overcome by the appalling disaster that overtook the Gem City, and their command of words fails to describe it. No tongue could tell it. There has been nothing like it since the time of Noah, and that was handed down by tradition. If, like that, the Dayton flood had to be handed down by tradition for hundreds of years before it was written as part of the world's history, it could not possibly be made out worse than it was. Imagine, if you can, a swirling, whirling torrent of water rushing through with a force to carry whole blocks of houses off their foundations, upset loaded box and coal cars, pouring into all the business houses and a large share of the residence section in leaps and bounds until the water was from four feet to twenty-five feet deep, carrying wreck and ruin in its course. And when it receded, leaving many of the streets worse than a jungle to clear up, houses, barns, trees, timbers and drift tangled up in an indescribable mess, with all the asphaltum and concrete carried away on a number of streets and piled up in others, and a coating of black, sticky mud from four inches to over a foot deep left deposited over everything, merchants' stocks on the first floor and basements ruined, together with all their show cases, fixtures, etc., etc., damaged beyond repair, where it was not carried off by the rush of the water.

A majority of the stores have to put in new floors. All of the theaters and places of amusement have to be remodeled, redecorated and refurnished. Walking through the residence district, it was a common thing to see whole libraries of books, pianos and all kinds of furniture piled up in the gutters, where it had been thrown to be hauled away as so much trash. And it was not an uncommon sight to see ladies dressed in men's clothes working around their yards and houses, trying to bring order out of chaos.

Some of the accompanying illustrations will show the depth of water in some parts of the city. Notice the globes on the lamp posts. They are about twelve feet from the sidewalk. Two of the photos show the debris left by the water in front of two of the hotels.

Some of the freaks of the flood are shown by the horse hanging by a hoof in the wreck of the Fifth street bridge.

A house washed away and a street car, trucks and all, put in the cellar two hundred feet from the track.

A bridge timber, 14 by 20 inches and seventy feet long, caught on the pier of a porch and the other end swung around into the window of a house sixty feet away, forming a bridge.

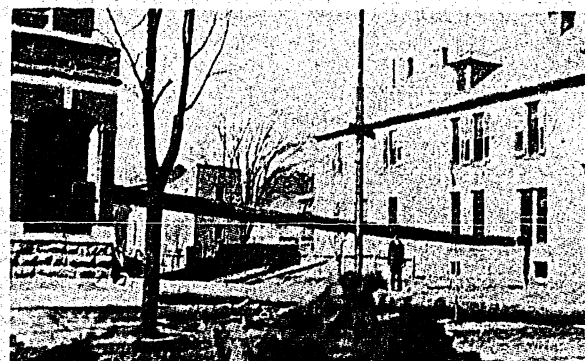
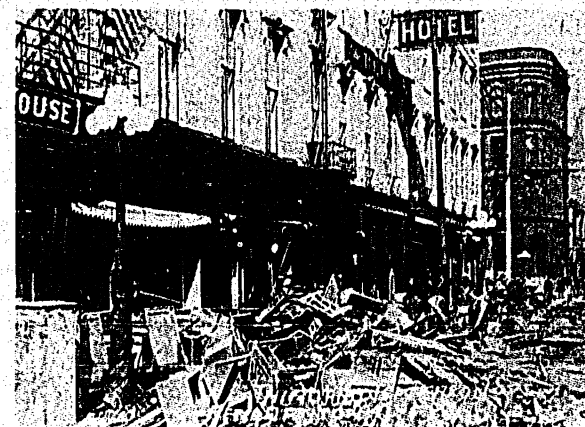
Fifteen hundred dead horses were gathered up off the streets, a number of them found in stores, houses and yards. Despite the tragedy and loss of it all, one is impressed at the uniform cheerfulness and determination of everybody there to go ahead and build up a safer and better Dayton.

The report of millionaires standing in the bread line was no joke; it was true. The writer was there all through the flood and stood in the bread line several times. I lack several dollars of having a million, but I wanted the bread same as the other fellow.

These illustrations are reproductions from actual photographs, several of them taken and printed by my daughter, whom I was visiting.

It would hardly do for me to close this article without a fish story connected with it, and the picture shows one of the most remarkable fish stories on record. The center figure of the three men is Mr. Ward. He is holding a string of catfish and carp, each of them about eighteen inches long, and they were caught in the basement of a house in the center of Dayton after the water went down. The gentleman on the right is

John J. Keys of 538 West Fourth street, where the fish were caught. The one on the left is Rev. E. J. Cleary, pastor Saint Ann's Church, Cincinnati, Ohio. The photo of this strange freak of the flood was given to the writer by Mr. Keys for the use I have made of it.



**VICEGERENT SNARK
EASTERN LOUISIANA**

THE BULLETIN is pleased to announce the appointment of Brother Edward Harrison Michel (22447), manager of the Salmen Brick and Lumber Co., at New Orleans, La., as Vicegerent Snark of the Eastern District of Louisiana. Brother Michel was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at New Orleans, La., on January 10, 1909.

Brother Michel is now serving his second term as president of the New Orleans Builders' Material Dealer's Credit Association and as president of the Retail Lumbermen's Credit



Protective Association and recently was elected vice-president from Louisiana of the National Builders' Supply Association.

Brother Michel is one of the best known lumbermen in New Orleans and has many friends and we are sure that his appointment as Vicegerent Snark will meet with the hearty approval of every member of the Order in this district.

Brother Michel has always taken an active interest in Hoo-Hoo and he intends to put new life and interest in Hoo-Hoo in Louisiana.

Brother Michel succeeds Brother Geo. W. Wicks of the Delta Lumber Co., New Orleans, as Vicegerent Snark for the Eastern District of Louisiana.

All members of the Hoo-Hoo are earnestly requested to give Brother Michel their hearty co-operation and assistance.

PERSONAL

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

H. L. Servoss (188), Los Angeles, Cal.

J. B. Baker (12386), Supreme Arcanoper, Hodge, La.

Robert E. Masters (71), The Sportsman of Hoo-Hoo, who has made his home at San Diego, Cal., for several years has been visiting with us for some time and has decided to make his future home at Miami, Fla. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Masters Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Harry W. Sweet (15410), New York, N. Y.

H. C. Spengler, Vicegerent Snark Northern District Iowa, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

R. A. W. Parke (17078), Little Rock, Ark.

Homer L. Wilson (17928), Vicegerent Snark Western District Indiana, Terre Haute, Ind.

Geo. M. Cornwall (7646), The Timberman, Portland, Ore.

W. F. Leard (23600), Hugo, Oklahoma.

F. C. Parsons, Sales Manager, East Union Lumber and Manufacturing Co., Brookhaven, Miss.

Ben S. Deatherage (24250), Assistant Secretary, Southwestern Lumbermen's Association, Kansas City, Mo.

James Boyd (44), The Lumber Trade Journal, New Orleans, La.

F. E. Young (12728), The Railways of Mexico, Mexico City, Mexico.

John W. Bransford (7963), Union City, Tenn.

F. C. Abbott (6677), Conway, Ark., representative of the St. Louis Sash and Door Works, St. Louis, Mo.

Raymond W. Irvine (13241), Vicegerent Snark Southern District, Illinois, Centralia, Ill.

Brother Perry Douglas Roe (No. 16081), of Port Moody, B. C., elected first mayor of the newly created city of Port Moody, B. C., by unanimous choice, is one of the prominent lumbermen of British Columbia.

Brother Roe was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, February 20, 1863, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Vancouver, B. C., April 6, 1906.

THE BULLETIN congratulates the city of Port Moody and wishes Brother Roe success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother W. E. Mount (5301), of Gibson, La., one of the best known cypress operators of the South is now enjoying a pleasure trip around the world. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Mount all the pleasure possible for any human being and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother Geo. J. Michelson, Supreme Gurdon, Rochester, N. Y., was one of the pilgrims of Damascus Temple, Rochester, N. Y., who accompanied Noble Frederick R. Smith Imperial Chief Rabban to the Imperial Council meeting of the A. A. O. N. of the Mystic Shrine which was held in Dallas, Texas, on May 11-15, 1913. Brother Michelson was accompanied by Mrs. Michelson. The Damascus Temple made the trip in a special train. Brother Michelson favored the Scrivenor with postals from the different cities visited en route to Dallas and advised that they had a most delightful and enjoyable trip.

BUSINESS CHANGES

Brother Thomas A. McElreath (14380), formerly Chicago manager for the Mercantile Lumber and Supply Co. of Kansas City is now manager of the railroad department for the Hayden & Westcott Lumber Co. with offices in the Railway Exchange Building, Chicago, Ill.

Brother McElreath is secretary of the Lumbermen's Club of Chicago, and is one of the most popular members of the

WEDDING BELLS

BATTY-FUNCH

Brother Sidney W. Batty (23322) of Philadelphia, Pa., and Miss Rosalind Louise Funch were married on April 5, 1913. Brother Batty represents Henry Disston & Sons, Inc., the well-known saw manufacturers, in New England and Eastern Canada.

THE BULLETIN wishes them Health, Happiness and Long Life.

HOMER-BURKE

Brother R. Baldwin Homer (26674), President of the R. B. Homer Lumber Co., Baltimore, Md., and Miss Mazie Burke were united in marriage on May 9, 1913, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Georgia Elizabeth Burke, 1004 North Arlington Ave., Baltimore, Md.

THE BULLETIN wishes them Health, Happiness and Long Life.

WILSON-STEVENSON

Brother Howard Carl Wilson (11740), Vicegerent Snark, Southeastern District Kansas, Hutchinson, Kas., and Miss Myrta Eliza Stevenson of San Diego, Cal., were married at the bride's home in San Diego, Cal., on April 30, 1913, Rev. W. E. Crabtree officiating with the ring ceremony.



HOWARD C. WILSON
Vicegerent Snark, Southeastern District Kansas
Hutchinson, Kas.

Only members of the family were present. A reception followed, at which unique refreshments were served. The bride is a musician and one of San Diego's most talented readers and a post graduate of Northwestern University, Chicago.

Brother Wilson represents the American Sash and Door Co., of Kansas City, Mo., at Hutchinson, Kas., and operates the Salem Lumber Co., of Salem, Neb., with headquarters at Hutchinson, Kas.

The happy couple are now at home at Hutchinson, Kas. THE BULLETIN wishes them Health, Happiness and Long Life.

AUBREY-MCDONALD

Brother Thomas Rodgers Aubrey (25200), of Brownsville, Pa., and Miss Martha McDonald, of Sharpville, Pa., were married at Wellsville, Ohio, May 6, 1913, by the Rev. F. H. Biddle. The Dunlap Club of Brownsville serenaded the "newly-weds" on their return to Brownsville on Thursday, May 8, 1913. THE BULLETIN wishes them Health, Happiness and Long Life.

KENNEDY-SAMUEL

Brother Benjamin Browkow Kennedy (27181), of the Nahlk Lumber Co., St. Louis, Mo., and Miss Dorothy Samuel, St. Louis, Mo., will be married at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, June 21, 1913, at St. Peter's Episcopal Church, Spring avenue and Lindell boulevard, St. Louis, Mo.

After reception they will make an Eastern trip and on their return will be at home at 5825 Nina place, St. Louis, Mo. THE BULLETIN wishes them Health, Happiness and Long Life.

club as well as being favorably known among the lumber trade of Chicago and that section of the country.

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

Brother A. L. Ford (7483), for many years editor of the Orange Leader, Orange, Texas, has joined hands with Brother C. A. Newning (4152) owner and publisher of the Southern Industrial and Lumber Review, "SOUTHWEST," Houston, Texas, as editor.

Brother Ford made a great record with his lumber department in the Orange Leader, and THE BULLETIN congratulates Brother Newning and SOUTHWEST on securing Brother Ford as editor.

Brother Ford is well known among the lumber trade and has a host of friends who will be pleased to learn of his new connection. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Ford success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

At the recent annual meeting of the Lumbermen's Association of Texas, held at Beaumont, Texas, a glowing tribute was paid to the faithfulness and zealous work in behalf of the association of Brother C. A. Newning and SOUTHWEST was again chosen as the official organ of the Lumbermen's Association of Texas.

Brother A. B. Wastell (20064), Portland, Ore., the man that helps invent the code of trade ethics, as well as the first standard list, and who subsequently devoted his good efforts to improving the grade and increasing the output of logs in Clatsop County, Oregon, has returned to the lumber industry. He and Mr. George E. Johnson, have organized the Wastell-Johnson Lumber Co., with headquarters at 514 Lumber Exchange, Portland, Ore. THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Wastell success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother J. W. Phillips (6600), Vicegerent Snark, Southern District Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn., has accepted position with the Lamb-Davis Lumber Co., as manager of their Minneapolis office, with headquarters at 736 Security Bank Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Phillips success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother N. E. Huggins (4306), Vicegerent Snark New Hampshire, Cornish Flat, N. H., has joined the staff of Kimball Bros. & Co., of Enosburg Falls, Vt. Brother Huggins will make his headquarters at Cornish Flat, N. H., and will have charge of the State of New Hampshire.

THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Huggins success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

Brother Alf. A. Rudy (13139), of Elkins, W. Va., has made a change in his business connections and on June 1st moved to Bluff City, Tenn., where he has accepted position as manager of the operation of the Black Mountain Land Co.

Brother Rudy advises that this change brings him back to the love of his youth, the manufacturing end of the lumber business, and that with about 6,000 acres of timber, seven miles of logging road, new mill and with what is said to be a good community to live in, he should be contented.

THE BULLETIN wishes Brother Rudy success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

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GASTON SAUX
Hotel Marion
Little Rock, Arkansas

BROTHER GASTON SAUX, Honorary Member No. 99, one of the best known and most popular hotel men of the country, who has been manager of the Hotel Grunewald, New Orleans, La., for many years, has secured an interest in the operating company owning the Hotel Marion,



Little Rock, Ark., and has resigned as manager of the Hotel Grunewald to become general manager of the Hotel Marion, Little Rock, Ark., effective June 1, 1913.

Brother Saux has always taken a great interest in the welfare of Hoo-Hoo and believes that the Order has accomplished a great deal through the get-together spirit of good fellowship that the Great Black Cat instills in the hearts of its members.

We are sure that Brother Saux will receive a hearty welcome at Little Rock and THE BULLETIN wishes him success and Health, Happiness and Long Life.

OUR DISTINGUISHED MEMBERS

ROBERT EMMET MASTERS (No. 71)

AFTER several efforts, we were successful in securing a photo of Robert E. Masters—the sportsman of Hoo-Hoo—author of the fish stories, appearing in THE BULLETIN. Brother Masters is a ready single-handed talker on most any subject except about himself; he balks when he comes to that.

He was born and grew to manhood in New York City, being born in the year 0000; he is therefore of uncertain age. Brother Master is well known as a consulting mechanical engineer and is considered an authority on matters pertaining to foundries. For many years he was a well-paid contributor to the American Machinist and other journals on technical subjects, and all of his articles were illustrated by his own hand. At one time he was engaged to write exclusively for the American Machinist. His articles were extensively copied by foreign journals, and twice the demand for his articles exhausted the edition of the journal and it was deemed advisable to republish them in a later issue to supply the demand for them. This is something that rarely falls to the lot of any writer.

Brother Masters has been in charge of large industrial plants as manager, and has been instrumental in turning out some notable work for the U. S. Government and large corporations. He had charge of the plant that built the large pumping machinery used in filling up and raising Galveston and filling the causeway from Galveston Island to the mainland.

He was sent by the Scripps-McRae League of Newspapers all through Great Britain and Europe to study the conditions of the workingman over there as compared with the American workingman, and his reports and comparisons commanded widespread attention.

Brother Masters joined the Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo over twenty-one years ago at San Antonio, Texas, April 13, 1912, and is therefore of legal voting age. He is a Knight Templar, a 32-degree Mason and Shriner, has retired, and is making a business of enjoying life. He is a good fellow to meet, and his motto to young men is: "Keep on a-keepin' on"

SIDNEY SMITH MAY
(6932)

Brother Sidney Smith May (6932) was born at Wentzville, St. Charles County, Missouri, on September 21, 1871, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Paragould, Ark., December 15, 1899. Brother May was raised on a farm at Wentzville and started in the lumber business when he was seventeen years of age with the McLeod Lumber Co. at Neelyville, Mo. He remained



SIDNEY SMITH MAY (6932)
Manager, Lumber Department, Columbia Box Co.
St. Louis, Mo.

with them ten years, starting in as a day laborer in planing mill and finishing as assistant to the General Superintendent.

THE BULLETIN is informed that Brother Mays' advancement was due entirely to good, hard, intelligent work, and not to "pull."

After leaving the McLeod Lumber Co., he traveled for Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co. as buyer for their lumber department and then went with the Mengel Box Co., of Louisville, Ky., with headquarters at St. Louis, Mo., as buyer. When the Columbia Box Co., St. Louis, Mo., was incorporated, Brother May went with them as manager and buyer of their lumber department, which position he holds at the present time. Brother May is married and has one daughter 5 years of age.

In addition to the lumber business, Brother May has found time to take an active interest in politics and was a strong supporter of Governor Major, both in the primary and general election, and Governor Major has shown his appreciation of Brother May by appointing him a member of the Board of Election Commissioners of the city of St. Louis.

Brother May is prominent in the Masonic Order and is a member of the Missouri Consistory and Moolah Temple, A. A. O. N. of the Mystic Shrine.

THE BULLETIN wishes Brother May Health, Happiness and Long Life.

COMMENTS ON CONCATENATIONS

TWENTY SECOND ANNUAL
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TALK ABOUT IT.

EUREKA, CALIFORNIA

VICEGERENT SNARK MARSHALL C. WOOD of the Humboldt District of California, Scotia, California, held the second concatenation of the year at Eureka, California, on April 19, 1913, initiating 18 "kittens."



MARSHALL C. WOOD,
Vicegerent Snark, Humboldt District, California, Scotia, Cal.

Snark of the Universe Frank W. Trower of San Francisco, Cal., attended this concatenation and writes that it was one of the best concatenations he ever had the pleasure of attending and that he certainly enjoyed the hospitality of the Hoo-Hoo of the Humboldt District, who did everything possible to make his visit a pleasant and happy one. Brother Trower made the trip by water and advises the Scrivenoter that he proved to be a good sailor and that he kept off the "bar," both afloat and ashore. All who know Snark Trower personally will appreciate what a great sacrifice this was.

Brother Wood is to be highly congratulated upon the great success of this concatenation.

There was a general discussion of the resolution offered at the Spokane, Wash., concatenation favoring an increase in dues to be used by the local Vicegerent Snarks, and it was decided that each member should write the Scrivenoter his views on the subject.

A banquet followed the concatenation at the Vance Hotel. Brother Wood, acting as toastmaster, and all responded in the true Hoo-Hoo spirit.

The following is reprinted from The Californian, of Eureka,

History of Hoo-Hoo in Humboldt County

Like many other societies whose conception was based on social amusements and fraternal spirit, the order of Hoo-Hoo ranks as the predominant factor, and many of the early gatherings of those prominent in the work led to the unfortunate conclusions among those not familiar with aims of Hoo-Hoo that the social feature was the prime motive for which they were organized.

Still, after closely looking at the history and statistics concerning the development of Humboldt county and its resources, the fallacy of this opinion from those who had little chance of seeing the inside

workings can readily be shown by delving into the roll of honor of early pioneers of this county and membership list of the Hoo-Hoo. Some twenty to twenty-five years ago the original organization to be established in this section was brought about by J. J. Loggie, Wallace Everets, Sr., N. H. Falk, Captain A. O. Tibbits, L. Everding, H. W. Jackson. These gentlemen have been and are today associated with the up-building and promotion of Humboldt county.

Unfortunately both Captain J. J. Loggie and Wallace Everets, Sr., have passed away, but the commercial interests with which they were associated still remain and stand out prominently as strong organizations and credits to Humboldt county.

N. H. Falk of Astoria is well known to the people of this section and little can be said by me to add to the high esteem in which he is held by his fellow citizens and commercial associates. Mr. Falk has always been an earnest worker in the behalf of Hoo-Hoo and a few years ago, through the efforts of his brothers, in recognition of his good and faithful service, was elected to the supreme nine of the Hoo-Hoo, this being highest honor that may be achieved at the hands of this organization.

His service in that capacity has left a deep impression upon the minds of those with whom he was associated, carrying with it a remembrance of a duty well performed.

At this time it is impossible for us to present the life of Captain A. O. Tibbits, in any higher terms than that which his fellow citizens hold him at present, as they consider him a man high in honor, and integrity and always ready to assist in matters of public welfare and promotion.

Captain Tibbits has long been a prominent and enthusiastic Hoo-Hoo and the order is more than pleased to count him among its members.

Both L. Everding and H. W. Jackson, associated with Northern Redwood Lumber Company at Korbel are well known in Humboldt county as men of the highest business integrity and public spirit. Always carry to the front and lending valuable assistance in all lines for the development and improvement of the surrounding country.

These gentlemen have always been enthusiastic in their support of Hoo-Hoo which interest has been and always will be deeply appreciated by their fellow members.

Concatenation No. 1864, Eureka, Cal., April 19, 1913.

- Snark—M. C. Wood.
- Snark Hoo-Hoo—G. F. Roberts.
- Junior Hoo-Hoo—J. E. Trewin.
- Bojum—H. W. Cole.
- Scrivenoter—O. T. Chichester.
- Jabberwock—Thomas Götter.
- Concatenator—E. E. Penslack.
- Arenanoper—J. F. Kennedy.
- Gurdon—W. W. Peed.

- 27045—Alfred LeRoy Bradley, Manager, Electrical Department, Hammond Lumber Company, Samoa, Cal.
- 27046—Proston Melville Cook, Assistant Superintendent, Mill "A", Pacific Lumber Company, Scotia, Cal.
- 27047—John Francis Dever, Superintendent, Mill "B", Pacific Lumber Company, Scotia, Cal.
- 27048—John Hall Faxon, Jr., Salesman, Pacific Lumber Company, Scotia, Cal.
- 27049—Alfred "Precarious Predicament" Halaran, Retail Salesman, Hammond Lumber Company, Eureka, Cal.
- 27050—William Cecil Hodgson, Accountant, Pacific Lumber Company, Scotia, Cal.
- 27051—Thomas Henry Lawrie, Samoa, Cal., Superintendent, Factory Lumber, Hammond Lumber Company, Eureka, Cal.
- 27052—Ted "Sinker" Monette, Log Superintendent, Hammond Lumber Company, Eureka, Cal.
- 27053—James Edward Neigher, Assistant Manager, Bay Side Lumber Company, Eureka, Cal.
- 27054—Albert Oriele Nielsen, Eureka, Cal., Eureka Representative (Freight and Passenger Agent), E. J. Dodge Co., San Francisco, Cal.
- 27055—John Oscar Permenter, Mill Superintendent, The Pacific Lumber Company, Scotia, Cal.
- 27056—Fred "Redwood" Speck, Superintendent of Woods and Railroad, Pacific Lumber Company, Scotia, Cal.
- 27057—James W. Timmons, Yard Superintendent, The Little River Redwood Company, Bulwinkle, Cal.
- 27058—William Lester Timmons, Freight Agent (Transportation Department), Hammond Lumber Company, Samoa, Cal.
- 27059—Frank Lester Van Dusen, Superintendent of Plant, The Little River Redwood Company, Bulwinkle, Cal.
- 27060—William August Victor, Proprietor, Acme Foundry Company, Eureka, Cal.
- 27061—William True Wallace, Jr., Superintendent, Sorting and Piling Departments, Hammond Lumber Company, Samoa, Cal.
- 27062—Charles Stewart Wolfe, Superintendent, Sash and Door Department, Hammond Lumber Company, Samoa, Cal.

Following members present:

- 4108, 6704, 0433, 0637, 7220, 7233, 12835, 14630, 16108, 15204, 18008, 19004, 19008, 22831, 23048, 26722, 27200, 27210, 27211, 27212, 27213, 27214, 27215, 27216, 27218, 27220, 27221, 27223, 27224, 27225, 27226, 27228, 27231, 27232, 27233, 27236, 27237, 27238, 27239, 27240, 27241, 27243, 27244, 27245, 27246, 27267, 27284.

ABERDEEN, WASHINGTON

Vicegerent Snark Ed. L. Fairbanks, Western District Washington, Seattle, Wash., held his first concatenation at Aberdeen, Wash., on April 25, 1913, initiating 10 "kittens."

Brother Fairbanks got out a large poster announcement of this concatenation, which was right up to the second.

Brother Fairbanks advises that they had a special train, including sleepers and dining car, from Seattle to Aberdeen over the Northern Pacific and that about sixty Hoo-Hoo from Seattle, Everett and Tacoma made the trip and all had a good time. Special Hoo-Hoo "HIM BOOK" arranged by Brothers L. R. Fifer, E. L. Fairbanks and F. D. Becker was provided for every one.

Brother Fairbanks advises that about one hundred and twenty-five sat down to the banquet, which was served at the Washington Hotel after the concatenation, where they were

well entertained by an orchestra. Several good "straight-from-the-shoulder" Hoo-Hoo speeches were made and everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The following Hoo-Hoo responded to the call of the toastmaster: Brothers L. R. Fifer, Supreme Custodian, Seattle, Wash.; A. C. Hannon, Seattle, Wash., a Past Vicegerent Snark of the State of Alabama; A. J. Tindling, Assistant General Freight Agent, Northern Pacific Ry., St. Paul, Minn., and Walter Metzbaum, Seattle, Wash. The "HIM BOOK" was called for and the following were great favorites:

Air: "HI-HI HOO-HOO." (Words by G. W. Hoag.)

Hi-Hi, Hoo-Hoo; Hi-Hi, Hoo-Hoo; By the tail of the great Black Cat Hoo-Hoo; We'll strangle out the life of the fierce Hoo-Hoo; It's nine ninety-nine for him Ski-doo; Hi-Hi, Hoo-Hoo; Hi-Hi, Hoo-Hoo.

Air: "JOHN BROWN'S BODY." I am glad that I'm a Hoo-Hoo, A big long-tailed black cat Hoo-Hoo I can see as far as you do, In the land of great Hoo-Hoo.

Air: "FOR HE'S A JOLLY GOOD FELLOW." For he's a very good Hoo-Hoo, For he's a very good Hoo-Hoo, For he's a very good Hoo-Hoo, Which nobody can deny.

Air: THE OLD OAKEN BUCKET. (Words by Douglas Malloch.)

How dear to my heart are the scenes of my childhood When fond recollection presents them to view— The church and the store and the school in the wildwood And all the loved spots that my infancy knew. Last summer I wandered again to the village, But found not a neighbor of old or his spouse. The streets were deserted, the farms needed tillage— The town had been killed by the mail-order house. The village had vanished when merchants were banished— The town had been killed by the mail-order house.

But one lone survivor, as scared as a rabbit, I found, and I asked why the village was dead. "The town got the mail-order catalogue habit, And that was what killed it forever," he said. "It was not a war, epidemic or pillage, No foeman's invasion or robber's carouse. The money that should have developed the village Was all sent away to the mail-order house— The money we earned here it never returned here, When once it was sent to the mail-order house."

On Saturday, April 26, 1913, the visiting Hoo-Hoo were entertained by the Hoo-Hoo and lumbermen of Hoquiam and Aberdeen, who provided autos and other forms of entertainment. Special train left Aberdeen at 4:45 p. m. for Seattle, and en route Brother S. S. Somerville of Napavine entertained the crowd by giving a good interpretation of "An Interested Hunter in Distress."

Brother Fairbanks advises that the Hoo-Hoo of Western Washington are full of interest and enthusiasm and that they will hold several concatenations in different sections of Western Washington before the close of this Hoo-Hoo year.

THE BULLETIN congratulates Brother Fairbanks on the great success of this concatenation, and we are sure that we will have several more good concatenations to report from his district this year. Success and Health, Happiness and Long Life to you, Brother Fairbanks, and all the good Hoo-Hoo of your section.

Concatenation No. 1855, Aberdeen, Wash., April 25, 1913

- Snark—J. R. Fifer. Senior Hoo-Hoo—E. L. Conner. Junior Hoo-Hoo—J. E. Barnes. Bojum—E. L. Fairbanks. Scrivenoter—F. A. Wick. Jabberwock—W. P. Lockwood. Custodian—A. L. Remlinger. Arcanoper—P. D. Becker. Gardon—H. P. Potter. 27063—Henry Harry Balch, Proprietor, Balch Shingle Company, Grand Mound, Wash. 27061—John I. Oolby, Jr., Buyer, Schwager & Nettleton, Incorporated, Seattle, Wash. 27065—Edwin M. Corbett, T. F. A., Great Northern Railway, Seattle, Wash. 27060—Charlie Francis Drake, Lumber Inspector, S. E. Slade Lumber Company, Aberdeen, Wash. 27067—George Everett, Montesano, Wash. Collection Department, Pacific Lumber Agency, Aberdeen, Wash. 27068—Robert Fulton, Jr., Accountant, Pacific Lumber Agency, Aberdeen, Wash. 27069—Richard Cook Hungate, Salesman, F. G. Foster Company, Hoquiam, Wash.

- 27070—Theodore Phillip Kuegale, Assistant Sales Manager, Union Lumber Company, Union Mills, Wash. 27071—Edwin Arthur Lalk, Commercial Agent, O. M. & St. P. Ry., Aberdeen, Wash. 27072—Earl D. Lamiman, T. F. & P. A., Missouri Pacific Railway, Seattle, Wash. 27073—Albert Randolph Long, Agent, N. P. Ry., Seattle, Wash. 27074—Elmore A. McKenna, General Agent, Northern Pacific Railway, Aberdeen, Wash. 27075—Richard Leigh Manuell, Chief Accountant, Pacific Lumber Agency, Aberdeen, Wash. 27076—Francis Leroy Marvin, Superintendent, Vance Lumber Company, Malona, Wash. 27077—Richard Rodney Maxwell, Elms, Wash., Civil Engineer, Vance Lumber Company, Malona, Wash. 27078—Sterling Robert Patterson, Manager Hardware Department, F. G. Foster Company, Hoquiam, Wash. 27079—Wilmer Thomas Fritchard, Portland, Ore., Salesman, Stetson Ross Machine Works, Seattle, Wash. 27080—Ira Mores Wells, Salesman, Slade-Wells Log Company, Aberdeen, Wash. 27081—John William Young, Manager, Washington Saw and Supply House, Aberdeen, Wash.

Following members present: 1310, 6140, 6027, 6823, 7048, 7378, 8243, 8558, 8561, 8004, 9770, 9783, 9929, 10207, 11207, 11322, 11800, 12505, 12788, 13344, 13430, 13507, 14170, 15554, 16508, 17000, 17309, 17321, 17341, 17725, 18452, 18610, 18824, 19020, 19025, 19030, 19040, 19400, 20010, 20043, 20581, 20771, 21260, 21202, 21285, 21748, 22051, 22062, 22073, 22728, 23005, 23174, 23180, 23220, 23401, 23020, 23027, 23030, 24125, 24300, 24323, 24827, 24874, 24880, 25020, 25024, 25030, 25008, 26387, 20300, 20400, 20411, 20608, 27003, 27024, 27408.

DE RIDDER, LOUISIANA

Vicegerent Snark J. E. Hockey of the Southern District of Louisiana, De Ridder, La., held his first concatenation at De Ridder on May 10, 1913, initiating thirty-two "kittens" into the full-mysteries of Hoo-Hoo.

Brother Hockey advises that this was one of the best concatenations held in that section and that he personally saw that the eligibility clause was lived up to strictly and that he is sure that every man initiated will be an honor to the Order. In addition to initiating thirty-two kittens, Brother Hockey reinstated ten members.

After concatenation a "session-on-the-roof" was held and Brother Hockey advises that everything went off beautifully and that it was a splendid success in every way and that such a revival of Hoo-Hoo interest and enthusiasm has never been known in that section. There was not a hitch anywhere and everyone was satisfied and happy.

Brother J. F. Judd (94), Past Supreme Senior Hoo-Hoo, acted as Snark, and Brother Hockey highly appreciated his most valuable and loyal assistance and support.

Brothers W. B. Morrison (27036) and S. Owen Turner (27045) assisted Brother Hockey, and he appreciated their valuable and loyal assistance.

All the officers of this concatenation are entitled to special mention and sincere thanks for the able manner in which they conducted the concatenation.

THE BULLETIN congratulates Brother Hockey on the great success of this concatenation and is sure that this will not be the last one held by him this year. Go to it, and success be with you.

Concatenation No. 1856, De Ridder, La., May 10, 1913

- Snark—J. F. Judd. Senior Hoo-Hoo—H. B. Corry. Junior Hoo-Hoo—J. E. Hockey. Bojum—J. W. Sanders. Scrivenoter—D. E. Shaw. Jabberwock—W. B. Morrison. Custodian—Jas. A. Taylor. Arcanoper—J. H. Lane. Gardon—S. Owen Turner. 27082—Thomas Bedsole, Proprietor, Thomas Bedsole Lumber Manufacturer, De Ridder, La. 27083—Charles Hezuan Behnke, Superintendent, Mechanical and Filing Departments, King-Ryder Lumber Company, Bon Ami, La. 27084—Roy Albert Binger, Salesman, Ludington Lumber Company, Ludington, La. 27085—Fine John Boughter, Manager, Gulf Refining Company, De Ridder, La. 27086—John Mercer Boyle, Assistant Superintendent, J. W. Sanders, De Ridder, La. 27087—Fred Buhler, Chief Dispatcher, Lake Charles & Northern Railway Company, De Ridder, La. 27088—Kenzie Reid Cagle, Stockholder and Director, Sanders-Brice Lumber Company, De Ridder, La. 27089—Orren Noah Chand, Shreveport, La., Chief Inspector, Ozan Lumber Company, St. Louis, Mo. 27090—L. Ora Collins, Manager, Collins Hardware Company, De Ridder, La. 27091—Pleasant Lawson Ferguson, Jr., Leesville, La., Solicitor, W. R. Pickering Lumber Company, Kansas City, Mo. 27092—Louis Frustia, President, W. A. Brown Lumber Company, Banister, La. 27093—Ralph Alfred Fry, Stockholder, Short Piling Stock Company, De Ridder, La. 27094—James Galloway, Longville, La., Stockholder, Galloway Lumber Company, Grabow, La. 27095—Martin Mauser Galloway, De Ridder, La., Manager, Galloway Lumber Company, Grabow, La. 27096—Josiah Littleberry Gamblin, Superintendent of Woods, Gulf Lumber Company, Stables, La. 27097—William Benjamin Hanchey, Dry Creek, La., Timber Estimator, Long-Bell Lumber Company, Kansas City, Mo.

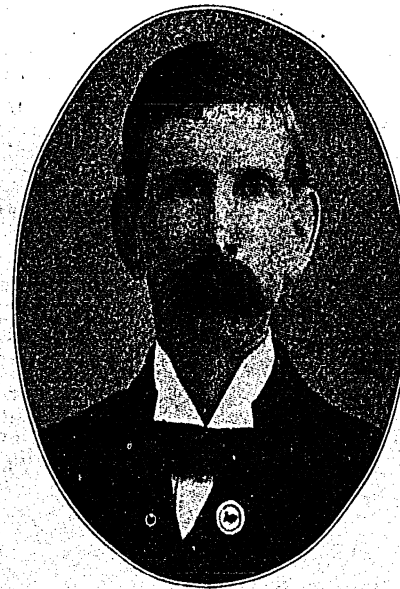
- 27098—Carter Hart, Junior Member, Short & Hart, De Ridder, La. 27099—Frank John Heins, Superintendent, Ludington Lumber Company, Ludington, La. 27700—Edgar Eugene Houston, Proprietor, Reliance Press, De Ridder, La. 27701—Albert Nathaniel Lewis, Partner, Collins Hardware Company, De Ridder, La. 27702—Daniel Webster McFatter, Jr., De Ridder, La., Store Manager, Galloway Lumber Company, Grabow, La. 27703—Robert Leo McMahon, Stockholder, J. W. Sanders, De Ridder, La. 27704—Woir Plato Mallory, Mansfield, La., Buyer, Ozan Lumber Company, St. Louis, Mo. 27705—Thomas Lee Nichols, Assistant Cashier, Hudson River Lumber Company, De Ridder, La. 27706—Willie Henry Nichols, De Ridder, La., Stockholder and Director, Sanders-Brice Lumber Company, Le Bane, La. 27707—Wirt Parker, Superintendent, King-Ryder Lumber Company, Don Ami, La. 27708—Charles Lee Riddle, Manager, Mercantile and Supply Departments, Ludington Lumber Company, Ludington, La. 27709—Charles Edwin Shaw, Stockholder and Director, J. W. Sanders Lumber Company, De Ridder, La. 27710—Conover Roy Short, Manager, Short & Hart, De Ridder, La. 27711—Ross Carl Toy, Proprietor, R. O. Toy, De Ridder, La. 27712—William Homer Vermillion, Stockholder, J. W. Sanders, De Ridder, La. 27713—Edgar Abner Wood, Manager, Southern Lumber Operators Association, De Ridder, La.

Following members present: 04, 1048, 7478, 0400, 13402, 13477, 15900, 15908, 16540, 18000, 18180, 18052, 20464, 20467, 24187, 24108, 27023, 27030, 27031, 27032, 27033, 27036, 27037, 27040, 27044, 27045.

HATTIESBURG, MISSISSIPPI

Vicegerent Snark Duncan L. Easterling, Southern District of Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Miss., held his first concatenation of the current Hoo-Hoo year at Hattiesburg, Miss., on May 15, 1913, initiating thirteen "kittens."

This concatenation was held in connection with the annual meeting of the Mississippi Pine Association.



DUNCAN L. EASTERLING (4820), Vicegerent Snark, Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, Miss.

Brother Easterling has just come out of the hospital from an operation and was therefore not able to take as active a part in the concatenation as he wished. He was most ably assisted by Supreme Jabberwock Brother J. F. Wilder; Past Member of the Supreme Nine, Brother T. L. O'Donnell of Sanford, Miss.; Brothers W. G. Gillespie, J. W. Gay, E. J. Doran, R. B. McLeod and, in fact, by all the good Hoo-Hoo of Hattiesburg and Southern Mississippi.

Concatenation was held at 7:30 p. m. with Brother T. L. O'Donnell, Past Member of the Supreme Nine, acting as Snark. Secer of the House of Ancients and Founder of Hoo-Hoo Bolling Arthur Johnson of the Lumber World Review, Chicago, Ill., acted as Junior Hoo-Hoo and handled that station to the entire satisfaction of all present. Supreme Jabberwock J. F. Wilder acted as Jabberwock and assisted Brother Johnson in the Junior work. Supreme Scrivenoter W. M. Stephenson acted as Scrivenoter. The new ritual was used and all the officers handled their stations as if they had used the ritual many times.

The candidates were lined up at the Hotel Hattiesburg and tied together and marched through the streets to hall where concatenation was held, and the Hoo-Hoo yell was given many times and everybody seemed happy.

It developed at this concatenation that it will probably be necessary for Hoo-Hoo to establish a "School of Languages," as Junior Hoo-Hoo Johnson apparently was unable to understand some of the answers given by "Kitten" Theo. "Blue Ribbon" Schlitz.

After concatenation, adjournment was made to Hotel Hattiesburg, where a Hoo-Hoo and lumbermen's banquet was held. The following menu was served:

- MENU Ripe Olives Crab Flake Cocktail Sweet Gherkins Whole Wheat Wafers, Ala Saw Dust Biguio of Tomato, Ala Hoo-Hoo Cucumbers Clear Heart Centers Pommes Ala Wilder Roast Spring Chicken, Ikeler Dressing Creamed Potatoes S&S French Peas in Turpentine Waldorf Salad, Stephenson Style O'Donnell Strawberries, Ala Sanford Roquefort Cheese With Machine Oil Bent's Kils Dried Crackers Cafe Noir

The following account of the banquet is taken from the Hattiesburg News of May 16, 1913:

Hoo-Hoo Banquet Scene of Good Cheer—Happy Toasts As it is wont to be when good-fellow lumbermen get together, the banquet given by local lumbermen to the Mississippi Pine Association was a most convivial one. Fully two hundred guests, including many ladies, enjoyed the banquet and the flow of wit and eloquence which followed.

Hon. John R. Tally presided in a very agreeable manner as toastmaster, introducing the speakers with appropriate "send-offs." He cautioned the toast makers to follow the three rules of oratory—to begin their toasts, to say something and then stop. Each of the gentlemen called upon followed the admonition with perfection.

The following responded to the call of the toastmaster: Bolling Arthur Johnson, Lumber World Review, Chicago, Ill.; W. M. Stephenson, Supreme Scrivenoter, St. Louis, Mo.; T. L. O'Donnell, Ship Island Lumber Co., Sanford, Miss.; J. St. J. Boyd, Lumber Trade Journal, New Orleans, La.; J. A. Kirby, The Southern Lumberman, Nashville, Tenn.; D. L. Easterling, Vicegerent Snark, Hattiesburg, Miss.; H. A. Camp, Michael Haggerly and E. J. Doran of Hattiesburg, Miss. Everyone was expecting to have the pleasure of hearing from Supreme Jabberwock J. F. Wilder, but by some deal Brother Wilder had the toastmaster fixed and all were disappointed.

The ladies present certainly added to the pleasure of the evening, and they should be present at all banquets.

After banquet was over, adjournment was made to the hotel ball room and many of the guests enjoyed dancing. An orchestra furnished music throughout the evening.

This was a most enjoyable meeting, and Brothers Wilder and Easterling and their able assistants are to be congratulated and complimented on its great success.

A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. A. M. Willis, proprietor of the Hotel Hattiesburg, for the manner in which he made everyone feel at home.

Concatenation No. 1857, Hattiesburg, Miss., May 15, 1913

- Snark—Thos. L. O'Donnell. Senior Hoo-Hoo—J. W. Gay. Junior Hoo-Hoo—B. A. Johnson. Bojum—W. P. Haynes. Scrivenoter—W. M. Stephenson. Jabberwock—J. F. Wilder. Custodian—Geo. W. Hendley, Jr. Arcanoper—E. J. Doran. Gardon—R. B. McLeod. 27714—Everett Thomas Batten, Secretary, Mississippi Pine Association, Hattiesburg, Miss. 27715—Willie Waller Finley, Inspector, McLeod Lumber Company, Hattiesburg, Miss. 27716—O. Hooker Ganaway, Manager, Ganaway Brothers, Carson, Miss. 27717—Walter Thomas Herrin, Salesman, J. J. Newman Lumber Company, Hattiesburg, Miss. 27718—Philip Miles Ikeler, Manufacturer of Yellow Pine, Moselle, Miss. 27719—Charles Elroy Klumb, Assistant Sales Manager, Pinkbino Lumber Company, Wiggins, Miss. 27720—Edmon S. Platt, Hattiesburg, Miss., Lumber Inspector, Chicago City Railway Company, Chicago, Ill. 27721—Theo. Schlitz, Hattiesburg, Miss., Southern Manager, John H. Noble, Pittsburg, Pa. 27722—John Robert Stanley, Salesman, J. J. Newman Lumber Company, Hattiesburg, Miss. 27723—Hugh Howard Wade, Public Inspector, Mississippi Pine Association, Hattiesburg, Miss. 27724—Ewing Addison Walker, Hattiesburg, Miss., Southern Representative, D. L. Gillespie & Company, Pittsburg, Pa. 27725—Lucian Albert Wiltshire, Salesman, Southern Iron and Equipment Company, Atlanta, Ga. 27726—Gage G. Woodward, Stockholder, McLeod Lumber Company, Hattiesburg, Miss.

Following members present: 2 813, 1072, 2070, 4017, 5518, 8178, 8501, 11701, 13700, 14307, 14385, 18000, 10102, 10232, 10355, 20530, 20551, 22014, 22015, 22021, 22028, 23727, 23875, 24200, 24401, 24498, 24490, 25000, 25004, 20588, 20600, 20676.

ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI.

Vicegerent Snark J. E. Mink, Eastern District Missouri, St. Louis, Mo., held a concatenation at Lippe's Cafe, St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday evening June 3, 1913.

This was more of a get-together meeting than a concatenation and the purpose of the meeting was to discuss and outline plans for the entertainment of the annual to be held in St. Louis on September 9, 1913.

Dinner was served at 6:30 p. m., and there was a large attendance of the members, all of them being interested in seeing that proper entertainment is arranged for those attending the annual.

An outline of plans will be printed in THE BULLETIN for July and August.

The St. Louis Hoo-Hoo are anxious to have a large attendance at the annual and all can be assured of a most hearty welcome.

No effort was made to hold an initiation, but as one "kitten" was present for initiation he was put through.

Vicegerent Snark Mink acted as Chairman of the meeting and all present joined in the discussion and many valuable suggestions were offered and will be carried out.

A regular old time concatenation will be held by Prother Mink some time in July and at that concatenation quite a class will be initiated.

All Hoo-Hoo are urged to make their arrangements to attend the annual on September 9, 1913, and enjoy the hospitality of St. Louis THE LUMBER CENTER OF THE WORLD.

Concatenation No. 1888, St. Louis, Mo., June 3, 1913

Snark—J. E. Mink.
Senior Hoo-Hoo—J. F. Judd.
Junior Hoo-Hoo—R. B. McDonnell.
Hoju—Geo. W. Funck.
Scrivener—J. S. Bollman.
Jabberwock—E. W. Blumer.
Custodian—F. O. Hanley.
Arenator—A. J. Gillespie.
Gurdon—W. M. Klunk.

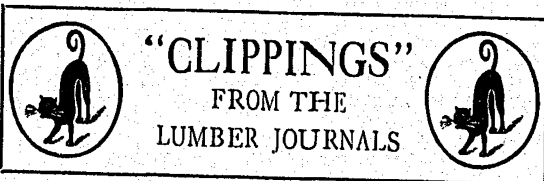
27727—John T. Smith, T. F. A., T. St. L. & W. R. R., St. Louis, Mo.
Following members present: 01, 638, 2250, 2070, 5102, 6932, 7817, 7003, 8300, 8306, 8312, 8744, 9012, 10178, 10180, 13100, 13113, 16319, 17387, 17900, 18017, 18748, 20020, 21701, 21260, 22100, 21233, 24203, 24277, 24278, 24279, 26020, 27183, 27181.

SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH,
April 5, 1913.

Vicegerent Snark Wm. H. MacFarlane, of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah, advises that reports covering concatenation held by him at Salt Lake City, on April 5, 1913, have been lost. See report in THE BULLETIN for May.



Brother MacFarlane is getting up duplicate report and just as soon as received buttons and cards will be mailed to "kittens" initiated at this concatenation. Cards will also be mailed to all who paid dues at this concatenation.

Brother MacFarlane regrets exceedingly delay caused by loss of reports and THE BULLETIN asks that the "kittens," and members who paid dues at this concatenation help us out in getting duplicate reports correct.



A HOO-HOO HOUSE AT PANAMA EXPOSITION

There is now every assurance that the great concatenated order of new Hoo-Hoo will have one of the most attractive small buildings on the exposition grounds when the Panama-Pacific Exposition opens in 1915. With the ability and enthusiasm of the San Francisco members, led by such a man as Frank Trower, and in a manner guided by the two Hoo-Hoo house successes at St. Louis and Seattle, there is little question, the Californians will put through a house that will be most satisfactory even to the most skeptical man of the state just east of Kansas. And Hoo-Hoo of the Coast will assist in the enterprise with enthusiasm and financial support. It will be wonderfully good opportunity to show the world that Hoo-Hoo still is very much a live organization, founded for a good purpose and aiming at great things in the promotion of health, long life and happiness.—The Pacific Lumber Trade Journal, Seattle, Wash., May, 1913.


**ONE MAN AND ONE
HOOK TO ONE FISH**


THE COUNCIL FOR THE DEFENSE

By Robert E. Masters (No. 71)

A SHARK may be swimming along the surface with his fin exposed, creating a ripple in the water—there may be one, and again there may be a host of them, perhaps following up and preying on a school of smaller fish, just the same as most all the other fish do, but they are not nearly so destructive in a school of mackerel or herring as the blue fish are. The sharks go in for what they want to eat, and not simply to destroy and wound and cripple for pure wantonness, like the blue fish and some of the others do.

I use the blue fish as a contrasting illustration because we know him well and like him better, but he is a very demon among any of the smaller fish. After he has devoured all he can, he still continues to cut and slash—gone mad with the spirit to kill and injure everything within reach.

If a school of blue fish is pointed out to people on an ocean pleasure vessel or a liner, the exclamations are about like you hear when a beautiful sky rocket explodes in midair—all from memories of a dinner when a planked blue fish graced the table.

But let one poor hungry shark be pointed out, and everybody feels a creepy sensation crawl down their spine and are filled with a kill-em-quick desire. To say on a vessel at sea, "There goes a big shark," is equal to shouting "Murder! Help! Police!" on shore—and why? Because he has such an unsavory reputation; he is condemned without any effort to investigate. Most everyone seems ready to swallow all the untruthful stories that are told about the shark, and the more horrible the story, and the bigger the shark, the more readily they are believed in open-mouthed wonder, when if one-tenth of the story was told on any other fish, you would smile and wink the other eye.

To show how a fish story can be twisted and believed, I have only to tell for about two thousand years we have been telling each other about Jonah being swallowed by a whale and being in the whale's belly, and we believed it, 'cause the Bible said so, when the truth is, the Bible don't say anything of the kind. It don't mention a whale in connection with Jonah at all—now don't all run to hunt up your neglected Bibles; I'll save you the time finding them. It says, "Now the Lord had prepared a great fish to swallow up Jonah" (Jonah, 1-17), and that incident shows most conclusively that you can't keep a good man down.

Along in 1897 the press gave a good deal of space for some time to the discussion as to whether or not a shark would attack a live man in the water. The sportsmen's journals and anglers took part in the discussion and a New York gentleman offered a large reward (a thousand dollars) for a well authenticated instance of a shark attacking a man, and that reward has never been claimed. All the Arabian Nights stories about the sharks come in a sort of Ann told B'ill that Torn said he heard, and when you try to trace it up, the problem is as hard to solve as How old is Ann?

There are more different kinds of sharks than Heinz has pickles. Many of them bear their young alive, and there is no fish that is the tender, solicitous mother the shark is. We hear a good deal of this about the whale, and some of them are indifferent and one species will eat their young; in fact, there is hardly a carnivorous fish in fresh or salt water that won't prey on their own young as soon as they can navigate. The mother shark don't do that.

I doubt whether there is any fish as timid and as easily startled as a lot of big sharks. Mr. Bullen, in "The Cruise of the Cacholot," says he has seen the natives around the Indian Ocean slap the water a few times with their hand and then dive down as calmly as they would go ashore, and bear in mind

the giants of the tribe are in these waters. No one has ever had more experience or opportunity to study the shark than Mr. Frank T. Bullen, and he says in the most emphatic terms: "I dismiss as utterly unworthy of any notice whatever all the stories that have been told of the shark's innate ferocity and calculating devilishness."

A number of times I have been in a small skiff and sharks swimming all around me, and looking into the depths through a water glass, I could see them moving along in countless numbers and give the water a good smack with an oar and they would all go down and shy off. Many years ago I used to spend a good deal of time around McGarvin's fishing camp, fishing in the bay and ocean during the run of the big oil sharks. They would come into the estuaries with the tide to feed on the fiddler crabs. The banks of the tide lands were literally riddled with these crabs. I have watched the sharks crowded in so close in the upper end of these estuaries where the water was so low they could hardly navigate or turn around. The McGarvin force used to catch them by the wholesale for their livers alone. The oil from the livers averages a gallon to the shark, and at that time it brought forty cents a gallon at the camp. As they got over four thousand gallons in one season, it can be readily seen it was quite an industry for the camp.



I was told by a prominent physician that this product was put through a process that ended in its being put on the market as cod liver oil.

The method of catching was when the sharks got through running in with the tide, before it turned to go out, the men would stretch a net across the mouth of estuary a short distance above where it enters the bay. The twine of this net was as large around as a lead pencil. The mesh was four inches square, the cork line had paraffined redwood blocks, and between these were tied ten-gallon gasoline oil cans sealed airtight. One of these would buoy up a man. On the bottom line to hold it down, besides chunks of lead, they had a number of cast iron brake shoes, such as are used on freight cars. There were two six-inch posts in each bank, one about ten feet from the bank, and the other ten feet back of it, the heavy ropes forming the lead and cork line were securely tied to these posts. Now, with the avenue to the sea actually fenced off, the men would wait for the tide to run out. As soon as it did, the sharks would start to go out to sea with it and run into the net. I have seen the net so full that the cork line, cans and all, would be forced under and more escape over the top than remained in the net. And such a struggling, writhing mass, with the water lashed into foam until they would become tired out with their efforts and many that got over the cork line did not have strength enough left to get away. Into this lot of sharks I have seen not only the men go, with bare arms and legs, but McGarvin's two daughters (16 and 18 years of age), all of them with clubs, and knock the sharks right and left and haul them out and cut the liver out and leave the carcass for the next tide to carry out. I was present and witnessed this whole proceeding at the banner catch, 381 sharks, not one of them under six feet long, with mouth you could put your head in, set with row after row of teeth. I feel it is due to add, the young girls I referred to were regular fisherman's daughters—brought up by the sea. They were as much at home in the water as on shore and knew and understood it better.

Stop and think, if the shark lived up to his unsavory, but unmerited reputation, what a feast he would have on bathers at ocean beaches. Take the Atlantic Coast of Florida and around the Gulf of Mexico. The waters are inhabited by sharks of immense size, and thousand of bathers in the water every day. Look at the immense bath houses they have at Galveston, Texas. I have watched hundreds of people from all over the country enjoying the warm waters of the Gulf, and daring swimmers going almost out of sight—and yet they have landed "man eaters" up to eighteen feet long at Galveston. As the bathers do not seem to be food for sharks, it is certainly food for thought why they are not.

I know it is a useless effort to expect any justice for the shark. He has had nothing but injustice for all time, and the general villainous make-up and cold, sinister look of his eyes will continue the impression he never earned. He is like the bull dog—condemned for his mug alone. Of all dogs, the bull dog is the truest, staunchest friend a man ever had, but he will not stand abuse from strangers like other dogs. He is ready to fight for himself if he must, and that with his (to many) forbidding appearance gives him a bad reputation. I have never yet seen the bull dog that I could not pat and fondle, and they all appreciate it. If Champ Clark had had a bull dog instead of his dog hound, that famous song would have sounded something like this:

Betcherlife when I come to town,
The boys don't kick my dawg aroun'.
He got them all so doggone cowed,
B'gosh, I can't git a boy aroun'.


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.)

The following letter from a good brother, offering suggestions for the Good of the Order, is published for the information of all members. Read it carefully and write the Scrivener your suggestions:



A suggestion has occurred to me and I desire to give the Order benefit of same, and if the suggestion can be put into execution, I believe it will have the effect of making our noble Order an order that will increase in membership and further insure the continuation of our Order.

It is my idea that the Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo should be beneficial to every member of the Order in every way consistent and possible, and I, therefore, recommend that you present for consideration the following resolution:

"Whereas, The Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo was organized for the promotion of Health, Happiness and Long Life and of good fellowship among its members and for the purpose of benefiting the members thereof,

"Be It Resolved, That the Concatenated Order of Hoo-Hoo consider the advisability of enacting such a by-law as will permit any member, in good standing, to apply to any other member for assistance and protection on any and all shipments of lumber made by a member to another member or to an individual, firm or corporation, not a member, on such shipments of lumber in which there has arisen a question of inspection, measurement or settlement between buyer and seller and that all members of the Order pledge themselves to avail themselves of this resolution."

In explanation of the above suggestion and resolution, you are no doubt aware that frequently controversies arise between seller and buyer on lumber over grades and measurement, the buyer frequently claiming that the lumber shipped is not up to the grade ordered, and frequently such may be the case, but very frequently shippers are taken advantage of, and as lumber manufacturers and dealers, we believe the lumber business can be conducted strictly on a fair, legitimate basis and that a dealer can sell the material and make a legitimate profit without reducing the grade or measurement of the lumber purchased, and we also believe that shippers of lumber should be willing to accept settlement for lumber as it is, not as they report it to be, and if the above resolution can be enacted, we believe that it will at least bring about the happy result between members of our Order and satisfy both parties to the transaction, all of which will be of a benefit to our grand Order and every member of the Order in good standing.



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



**JACOB PETERS SHIRK (17000)
1800-1913**

Brother J. P. Shirk died at his home, 408 Duke street, Lancaster, Pa., May 6, 1913. He had been an invalid for some time, having been badly hurt in a runaway accident several years ago and never recovering from it, injuries received resulting in his death.

Brother Shirk was a member of the First Reformed Church of Lancaster and was a prominent Mason and Elk. Brother Shirk was born at Millersville, Pa., on August 15, 1860, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Pittsburg, Pa., on May 4, 1906. He was a subscriber to the Death Emergency Fund.

**SALMON P. C. HOSTLER (21697)
1855-1913**

Brother S. P. C. Hostler died suddenly at his home, 2104 Giddings Ave., Chicago, Ill., on May 13, 1913. Funeral services held at Roshill Chapel May 16, 1913, and interment at Roshill Cemetery.

Brother Hostler represented various hardwood producers in the Chicago market, and his many friends will regret to learn of his death.

Brother Hostler was born near Fostoria, Ohio, on August 29, 1855, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Chicago, Ill., on June 6, 1908.

**JAMES WILSON, JR. (1111)
1847-1913**

Brother James Wilson, Jr., of Wapakoneta, Ohio, died on May 3, 1913, while en route from Hot Springs, Ark., to St. Louis, Mo., in a brave effort to reach his home. Brother Wilson had been at Hot Springs several weeks in the hope of regaining his health. His illness had extended over a period from the first of December, which included a critical illness of several weeks, from which he rallied. His trip to Hot Springs was made when Brother Wilson was feeling much improved, and he seemingly was gradually regaining his strength. When his condition grew worse at Hot Springs, he was possessed of a determination to make the effort to reach his loved ones at home, and the journey, with its sad ending, was begun.

Brother Wilson was one of the most popular and best liked lumbermen of Ohio. He learned the lumber business under Brother J. M. Leiter, past member of the Supreme Nine, Portland, Ore. Brother Wilson was one of Wapakoneta's most prominent citizens, and his loss is keenly felt by all who had the honor and pleasure of knowing him.

Even in the midst of his busy life, Brother Wilson enjoyed his lodges and was prominently identified with a number of them. Particularly he was strongly identified with the Masons. He was a member of Hamer Lodge, No. 107, F. and A. M., of which he was a past master; Wapakoneta Chapter, No. 183, R. A. M.; St. Marys Council, No. 81, Royal and Select Masons; Antich Shrine, Dayton; Toledo Consistory, Valley of Toledo; Shawnee Commandery, Knight Templar, of Lima; Wapakoneta Lodge, No. 1170, B. P. O. E.; Duchouquet Lodge, No. 105, Knights of Pythias; Wapakoneta Council, No. 301, Royal Arcanum; Kyle Post, No. 41, Grand Army of the Republic.

Funeral services Wednesday afternoon, May 7, 1913, from the First Presbyterian Church at two o'clock. The service was in charge of Shawnee Commandery, Knights Templars of Lima. Interment in Greenlawn cemetery.

Brother Wilson was born at St. Mary's, Ohio, on September 21, 1847, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Columbus, Ohio, on January 23, 1894. Brother Wilson was a member of the Osirian Cloister, having received his degree at Denver, Colo., September 11, 1890. He was also a subscriber to the Death Emergency Fund.

**MICHAEL JOSEPH MONAHAN (18202)
1852-1913**

Brother M. J. Monahan died at Newton, Texas, on May 20, 1913. No particulars of death have been received.

Brother Monahan was born at Oshkosh, Wis., on August 31, 1852, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Benmont, Texas, on December 1, 1904. He was a subscriber to the Death Emergency Fund.



THE PRACTICAL SIDE



EVERY member should read carefully, each month, "THE PRACTICAL SIDE." This refers to unemployed members. We can show 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 FOR HOO-HOO.

**HENRY HARRISON CUMINGS (2742)
1840-1913**

Brother H. H. Cumings died at his home at Tidouche, Pa., on May 14, 1913, following an illness of eight weeks. Death due to heart disease.

Brother Cumings was first president of the Missouri Lumber and Mining Co., for many years having headquarters at Grandin, Mo. Brother Cumings was born at Monmouth, Ill., on December 1, 1840, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Little Rock, Ark., on January 27, 1895.

**ALEXANDER BROWN McLURE (10407)
1832-1913**

Brother A. B. McLure died at home of his parents at Alberta, La., on May 20, 1913.

Brother McLure had been suffering with diabetes for over a year and had given up his business and secured half interest in a farm of a thousand acres near Ruston, La., and had been leading an active outdoor life, and was thought to be gaining in health.

Brother McLure went to Dallas, Texas, to the Shriners' meeting with a party of friends, making the trip in auto. He took ill in Dallas, and on way home had to abandon auto at Pittsburg, Tex., and return home by train.

The remains were shipped to Ruston, La., for burial services conducted by Rev. Holmes, after which the Masons took charge, and the burial ceremonies were conducted by them.

Brother McLure was born at Glonville, Ark., on September 28, 1832, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Ruston, La., on February 21, 1903.

**VIRGIL EDWIN PIERSON (13027)
1879-1913**

Brother V. E. Pierson died at his home at Newport, Ark., on May 20, 1913, after a short illness. Burial at Vincennes, Ind.

Brother Pierson was a member of the Elks. He had always taken great interest in Hoo-Hoo. Brother Pierson was born in Knox County, Indiana, on December 3, 1879, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Argenta, Ark., on June 16, 1904. He was a subscriber to the Death Emergency Fund.

**JAMES RUSH JONES (18294)
1863-1913**

Brother J. R. Jones, Vice-President of the Standard Lumber Co., Birmingham, Ala., died at Birmingham, Ala., on May 27, 1913. No particulars of illness, death or burial have been received. Brother Jones was born at Pelham, Ala., on September 3, 1868, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Birmingham, Ala., on January 8, 1907. He was a subscriber to the Death Emergency Fund.

**JOSEPH KERWER (10380)
1858-1913**

Brother Joseph Kerwer, Vice-President of the Wilbur Lumber Co., Milwaukee, Wis., died at his home, 2319 Cold Spring Ave., Milwaukee, Wis., on May 22, 1913. Cause of death, apoplexy. He had been an invalid for the past seven years.

Brother Kerwer was born at Milwaukee, Wis., on January 10, 1858, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Milwaukee, Wis., on February 27, 1903.

**LARKIN RICE HAWES (47)
1848-1913**

Brother L. R. Hawes died suddenly at Charleroi, Pa., on May 22, 1913, at the Charleroi Hotel.

Brother Hawes was a past secretary of the Ohio Retail Lumber Dealers' Association and at time of his death was traveling for the Pittsburg Hardwood Door Co., of Pittsburg, Pa. Brother Hawes' home was at Pittsburg, Pa. Burial at Sandusky, Ohio.

Brother Hawes was born at Barre, Mass., on July 25, 1848, and was initiated into Hoo-Hoo at Cleveland, Ohio, on October 3, 1893.



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 manager of retail lumber yard, 12 years' experience. Prefer to locate in Missouri. Address "John," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

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—A good stock of southern pine and Idaho white pine to handle in Detroit and Southern Michigan on commission or salary. Address "Michigan," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

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 Southwest Missouri. Satisfactory references. Address "A-1 Salesman," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—By an A. No. 1 hardwood inspector, 30 years of age, with 20 years' experience, position as buyer and shipper. Southern territory preferred. Can give best of references. Am married and strictly sober. Address "K. D. W.," care W. M. Stephenson, 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 "Long 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 80 days' notice. Address "Retail," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—By salesman with sixteen years' lumber experience in yellow pine and woods from northwest coast, position as salesman for some good lumber concern. Can furnish best of references. Address "Hoo-Hoo No. 25787," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—An experienced lumberman as manufacturer, 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 once 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 salesman or in sales office of wholesaler or manufacturer of hardwoods, by young man, thirty years of age, married, fifteen years' experience in both export and domestic business. Can furnish good reference. Out through no fault of his own. Address "Maryland," 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 "O. M.," 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 as manager or assistant manager by a practical man who has had ten years' experience in the retail business. Can speak German and am a hustler; one who is not afraid to work. Am willing to go most anywhere and could go on short notice. Can give satisfactory references as to character and ability. Address "Indiana," care W. M. Stephenson, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

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 "F. G. E.," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

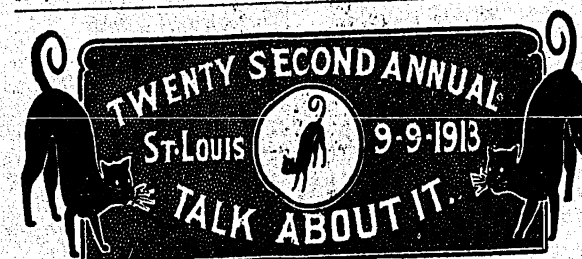
WANTED—Lumberman, 34 years of age, well known in the yellow pine producing territory, wants position as buyer or seller of yellow pine lumber. Understands manufacture and grading long and short cut. Clean cut, practical and adaptive. Will not consider less than \$125.00 per month and expenses. Address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

WANTED—Position by A-1 lumberman, having ten years' experience in both yellow pine and hardwood with manufacturers and wholesalers, holding positions from stenographer to sales manager, inclusive. Prefer position on road or in sales department with some reliable yellow pine concern. Will go anywhere. A-1 references. Address "Mack," care W. M. Stephenson, Scrivenor, 1219 Wright Bldg., St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED—By practical and competent lumberman, position as manager or superintendent of yellow pine saw mill operation in South. Am married man, age 32, strictly sober and a hustler. If you have a plant that you are not getting the necessary results from, just give me a trial. Have 12 years' experience in the manufacture of yellow pine from stump to car, and can furnish best of reference from past and present employers. Good reasons for making a change. Address "Texas," care W. M. Stephenson, 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.





1913 HANDBOOK



We are now mailing THIRD NOTICE of dues account to all members who have not as yet PAID 1913 DUES and have enclosed with statement blank to be filled out, giving their correct address and firm connection for use in 1913 HANDBOOK, and we ask that each member receiving letter give same his prompt attention and return blank properly filled out with remittance for dues without delay.

We are also mailing to all members who have PAID THEIR DUES blank to be filled out, and we will highly appreciate their promptness in returning blank properly filled out.

We want the 1913 HANDBOOK to be up-to-date and correct in every way, and we need the hearty co-operation of every member to accomplish this.

We have been delayed in getting HANDBOOK out and do not want any further delay than is absolutely necessary. This is a big job, and we will appreciate your patience and assistance.

No name will appear in the 1913 Handbook unless dues for year 1912 have been paid.

In order to get an idea of how many handbooks to be ordered printed, the Scrivenoter requests that all members who desire a copy of the new handbook advise him now.

Remember that to secure the handbook requires that you write the Scrivenoter requesting that it be sent you. A postal card request is sufficient.

You will want your name and address in this book and you are urged to send in your dues AT ONCE, so there will be no question of your name appearing in handbook.

GET IN LINE NOW AND DO NOT KICK AFTER HANDBOOK IS PRINTED.



FLIRTING WITH FAME

"Why do you insist on nibbling around that hook?" said the wise fish. "You know the danger."

"Yes," replied the little fellow, "but we all have a certain appetite for glory. I am willing to take a chance for the sake of being described to that man's friends as the big fish that got away."—Fargo Courier News.



WILLIAM PARKER BARKER (2043)
Vicegerent Snark, Northern District, Pennsylvania
Sales Manager, Kaul & Hall Lumber Co., St. Marys, Pa.



GEORGE PORTERFIELD MORGAN (8566)
Vicegerent Snark, Northern District West Virginia
Vice-President W. S. Mercereau Lumber Co., Parkersburg, W. Va.



SIGNS OF SUMMER

Vibrant snores leap from porch to porch. The outdoor sleeping season has opened.—Philadelphia North American.

While Tokio is having brain storms we are still concentrating on the baseball scores.—Portland Oregonian.

On these fine days of early summer, London looks its very best. The streets take on a new charm. The weather-beaten domes, steeples, and towers and stately frontages of public buildings gleam like visions in white marble, and the sweep of the river between Westminster and Blackfriars, with the modern palaces of Whitehall, the Savoy, and the Temple, rising above a belt of delicate greenery, is a panorama matched by few, if any, of the world's cities.—London Times.

One of the hardest things in this world is waiting till it's time for roasting ears.—Baltimore Sun.



SEVEREE LOVELL DOWNMAN (2183)
Vicegerent Snark, Northern District Georgia
Representative, Louisiana Red Cypress Co., Atlanta, Ga.



IMPORTANT



THE Scrivenoter has been advised that a few men claiming to be members of the Order are going about soliciting aid in the shape of loans from our members. The Supreme Nine requests members of the Order that if anyone, personally unknown to them, applies to them for aid, claiming that he is a member of the Order, and asking for aid on account of such membership, that the member immediately take the matter up by wire with the Scrivenoter, giving as full particulars as possible and always giving number claimed by party who is asking for aid. The Scrivenoter will, if the party is entitled to aid on account of membership in the Order, advise you promptly what action to take. Please bear this in mind and assist the Supreme Nine all in your power to stop this practice.

By vote of the Supreme Nine, the following members have been dropped from the roll of membership of the Order. Full particulars will be furnished any member, in good standing, on request. All members are requested to make note of this: James Marion Sweetman (9952), New Orleans, La. George A. Murray (9781), Oakland, Cal.



THE COMING OF JUNE

From over the valleys of April,
And over the meadows of May;
Laden with blossoms of Arcady,
June is upon her way.
Maid with the cheeks that are glowing,
Maid with the eyes that are blue—
June in the streets of the city,
June on the hills of dew!

I shall await her with wonder
If she come by train or boat;
Roses upon her bosom,
A lily beside her throat.
Maid with the music and laughter
Of dawn in a dream of day,
From over the valleys of April,
And over the meadows of May!
—The Beitztown Bard, in Baltimore Sun.



DOUGLAS LONGFELLOW MALLOCH (12104)
American Lumberman, Chicago, Ill.



WILLIAM ANDREW DUCKER (13076)
Vicegerent Snark, Southern District, Idaho
Travelling Auditor, Gem State Lumber Co., Gooding, Idaho



PERPETUAL PENSIONERS IN LUCK

Perpetual pensioners are to be found in France as well as in Great Britain. August 21, 1755, the Dauphin, son of Louis XV, when out rabbiting, accidentally shot Yves de la Boissiere, one of his suite. As a compensation a pension of \$1,200 was conferred on Boissiere, with remainder to his heirs in perpetuity. Despite the many changes in the form of government, this pension has been paid ever since, and no member of the budget committee has ever suggested stopping it.—London Chronicle.

THE BIGGEST OAK TREE

That the biggest oak tree in the world is in Toombs county, Georgia, is the claim of Hon. W. H. Sharpe, member of the Toombs County Board of Education.

Sharpe says that in the southern section of Toombs county, on the farm of S. P. Smith, there is a giant oak which measures nearly twenty-five feet in circumference. The shade of this tree at noon covers more than a quarter of an acre. Sharpe thinks it is certainly entitled to the distinction of being the largest tree of this kind in the world.

THE LOAFER

You kin always tell a loafer, if there's loafin' the crew;
You kin always tell a loafer 'cause he has so much to do;
When the men are in the maintop he is fussin' with a jib;
On the drive he's always lookin' for a chance away to snib;
In the woods the smallest timber is the timber he will find.
In the yard the twelve-by-twenty is the kind he leaves behind.
He will fuss 'an' he will fiddle huntin' up the softest snap;
Life is one eternal treadmill fer the take-it-easy chap.
Yes, it takes a lot of trouble skipptin' labor day by day;
Fer a fellah has to figger how to dodge it all the way.
On the drive er in the timber, in the mill er in the yard,
You kin always tell a loafer 'cause he works so bloomin' hard.
—Douglas Malloch, in American Lumberman.