

The Record of Work.

VICEGERENT	Concatenations Held	Men Initiated
Alabama—John L. Kaul.....	1	0
Alabama—W. A. Zelnicker.....	1	0
Arkansas—W. H. Abbott (acting).....	1	0
Arkansas—George H. Grayson.....	1	0
California—J. J. Loggio.....	1	0
Colorado—R. W. Stewart.....	5	63
Florida—F. M. Johnson.....	4	4
Georgia—H. W. Anderson.....	5	36
Illinois—P. A. Gordon.....	2	12
Illinois—E. D. Carey.....	4	35
Iowa—C. T. Hankins.....	1	3
Indiana—J. T. Sample.....	1	37
I. T. and Okla. T.—H. B. Bullen.....	1	4
Kansas—A. S. Parks.....	2	4
Kentucky—H. M. Cunningham.....	1	5
Louisiana—W. C. Wright.....	1	38
Massachusetts—C. J. Kellar.....	2	3
Michigan—M. L. Pease.....	3	15
Minnesota—Ray W. Jones.....	1	5
Mississippi—John B. Nally.....	1	30
Mississippi—Wm. A. Coulson.....	1	1
Missouri—H. L. Oliver.....	2	3
Nebraska—Wm. C. Bullard.....	1	3
New York—L. R. Millon.....	1	32
New York—E. C. Sorabarger.....	1	13
North Carolina—J. A. Wilkinson.....	1	85
North Dakota—R. McCallough.....	1	1
Ohio—Benj. Collins, Jr.....	1	1
Oregon—E. H. Hahlgren.....	1	1
Pennsylvania—E. M. Vietmoler.....	6	32
Tennessee—H. N. Saxton, Jr.....	1	13
Texas—C. A. Lyon.....	1	1
Washington—Francis Hotch.....	1	1
West Virginia—J. D. Rockey.....	1	1
Wisconsin—W. F. Kellogg.....	1	1

THE Hoo-Hoo March,

By No. 1050.

Dedicated to the

SUPREME NINE.

The Only Authorized Music of the Order.

No better advertisement for the Order could be had than to have this piece of music become one of the popular airs of the day.

The price of the music is 40 cents per copy, and will be sent post paid upon application to the Scrivenoter.

The Practical Side.

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 is, or should be, read by several thousand business men who employ labor in many varied forms, and it can be made of great value in giving practical application to Hoo-Hoo's central theme of helping one another. It is hoped the department will receive very careful attention each issue.

WANTED.—Position with some cypress firm. Have had ten years experience as tallyman, yard foreman, and shipping clerk; am thoroughly conversant with the grades of cypress lumber, planing mill, and dry kiln work. Can furnish good references, am married, and seeking a permanent position. No. 8732, Raddock, La.

WANTED.—Situation in yard, office, or on the road. Thirty years of age; eleven years experience in office, yard, and as traveling salesman in both wholesale and retail trade in the North and South. Am thorough, quick and well posted, and shall be pleased to refer to my present employer. C. L. Clapp, Ft. Worth, Tex.

WANTED.—A man of twenty years experience wishes a situation as lumber buyer or salesman of southern lumber; manager or assistant manager of mill plant, or position on the road selling mill supplies. Has a large and favorable acquaintance, and can furnish first-class references as to character and business qualifications. Address No. 1886, care Bulletin, Nashville, Tenn.

WANTED.—Position as salesman for saw or planing mill machinery manufacturer. Have represented some of the best houses in my line, and have a wide acquaintance with the trade. No. 624.

WANTED.—Position as manager or assistant, by a man thoroughly posted on the manufacture and selling of lumber. Can give the best of references. Address No. 1233, 1341 Park Avenue, Racine, Wis.

WANTED.—Position as accountant with lumber firm. Have had long experience in yellow pine trade, and can give any number of local references. Address meat Vinton, Calcasieu Parish, La. No. 84.

WANTED.—Position as traveling salesman, or bookkeeper and office man, for a lumber concern. Understand office work thoroughly, and can furnish good references. Address No. 1688, box 345, Jefferson, Texas.

WANTED.—Position as traveling man for some yellow pine firm. Have been traveling Illinois and Indiana for the last six years and am well acquainted with the trade. No. 222, 3578 Vincennes Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

WANTED.—A position in the South as inspector. Am familiar with hardwood and pine. Have worked in the South on pine and cypress. Am competent and can furnish reference. Address No. 1205, Ashland, Wis.

WANTED.—Position on the road by a traveling man, thoroughly acquainted with the trade in Texas and Indian Territory. Four years experience. Fully posted in lumber. Address No. 4558, 449 Bryan St., Dallas, Texas.

WANTED.—Position in any capacity with some railroad company. Have had six years experience as chief clerk and collecting and traveling freight agent. Address room No. 3, Continental Bank Building, Memphis, Tenn. No. 4537.

WANTED.—Position as bookkeeper or assistant bookkeeper for lumber firm. Have had seven years' experience with saw and planing mills, and can furnish best of references. Address mo care Hotel Le Grando, Sedalia, Mo. No. 421.

WANTED.—Position with lumber firm. Am competent to fill almost any position in either wholesale or retail business. Have had experience as buyer and manager with some of the largest firms in the country, and can furnish references. No. 672, 6718 Marimaduko avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

WANTED.—Position as manager, or assistant, by man thoroughly familiar with all the details connected with the manufacture and sale of lumber. Have had fourteen years experience and can furnish first-class references. Address No. 714, care of J. H. Baird, Scriv., Nashville, Tenn.

POSITION WANTED.—With some lumber firm either in wholesale, retail or manufacturing business. Have had two years experience in saw and planing mill business and about seven years in retail yards; for the past five years have been manager of retail yard. Can furnish references. Address me at Lyndon, Osage Co., Kan., No. 471.

WANTED.—Position as manager, office man or salesman on road, by man thoroughly posted in white pine, hemlock and hardwoods. Have had about fifteen years experience as salesman on road, and as general office salesman and correspondent, and am seeking employment owing to present employer retiring from the lumber business. Address No. 3601, care The Bulletin, Nashville, Tenn.

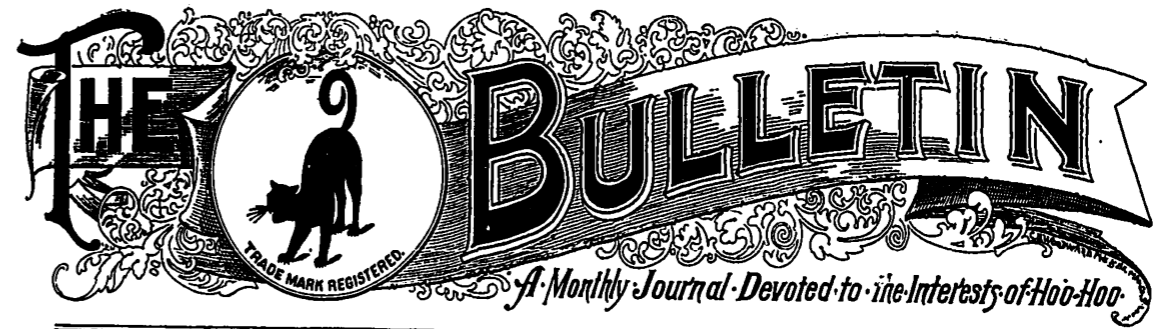
WANTED.—Position as salesman or office man. Have had five years experience in yellow pine wholesale office and at mill—six months as manager of planing mill. Rapid operator on Smith Premier or Calligraph, and a first-class correspondent. Thorough and accurate bookkeeper. Am at present manager of local yard. First-class references. Address me at Canon City, Col. Box 541. No. 1050.

WANTED.—Position as circular saw flier and hammerer. For four years past, have been general superintendent for Johnson Lumber Co., Van Duzer, Ark. Can repair and keep in order engines and pumps, and do general repair work. Resigned former position on account of ill health. Have fully recovered, and want correspondence with parties needing such service. No. 2766, Deming, Whatcom Co., Wash.

WANTED.—Position as traveling salesman for lumber firm. Have traveled last six and one half years in Texas, Kansas, Missouri, and Nebraska. Am well acquainted with the dealers in Texas, and posted on yellow pine grades. Have good education and address. Can refer to Tyler Car and Lumber Co., Tyler, Texas, and R. M. Farrar & Co., Houston, Texas, late of Dallas, Texas. Address me at Dallas, Texas, Box 450. No. 229.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—Does any member desire to open up or extend trade abroad? The writer lives and has three years in a prosperous country, with great natural resources, well established government, and enterprising people, where the English language is spoken. Business is done almost entirely on a cash basis; profits are good and risks small. Gold standard. Immense country adjacent being rapidly opened up and settled. No lumber in the country except small for-ests preserved by the Government. All lumber used is imported from Norway or from England, with occasional consignments of yellow pine. If any member has any interest in this matter, please correspond with No. 2185, 620 Nebraska street, Sioux City, Neb.

WANTED.—Position in lumber business as office man. I have been in lumber business since 1881, with the exception of three years spent abroad. I had two years' experience in Manitoba, and three in Kansas and Nebraska, at retail yards, and seven years in main office of line yard concerns as bookkeeper. In that time I did a good deal of the buying, and am well posted on grades of white and yellow pines sold in these Western states, as well as on prices and freight rates. I am considered rapid at figuring, and am accurate as well. I write shorthand, and operate the Remington typewriter. My age is 31. Present employers are doing commission business only, so can do with a cheaper man. Can name best of references. Address me at 620 Nebraska street, Sioux City, Ia. No. 2185.



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The House of Ancients.

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W. E. BARNES, St. Louis, Mo.
J. E. DEFBAUGH, Chicago, Ill.



The Supreme Nine.

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Gardon—WM. B. STILLWELL, Savannah, Ga.

The Vicegerents.

The following, are the Vicegerents for the Hoo Hoo year ending Sept. 9, 1897. Requests for information on any point, addressed to these men, will have prompt attention.

- Alabama—John L. Kaul, Hollins, Ala. (Northern District).
- Alabama—Walter A. Zelnicker, Mobile, Ala. (Southern District).
- Arkansas—Geo. E. Grayson, Daleville, Ark.
- California—J. J. Loggio, 4 California St., San Francisco, Cal.
- Colorado—R. W. Stewart, 124 Blake St., Denver, Col.
- Florida—F. M. Johnson, Pine Barron, Fla. (Western District).
- Georgia—H. W. Anderson, Atlanta, Ga.
- Illinois—P. A. Gordon, 1107 Chamber of Commerce, Chicago, Ill. (Northern District).
- Illinois—E. D. Carey, Indro, Ill. (Southern District).
- Indiana—J. T. Sample, LaFayette, Ind.
- Indian Territory—H. B. Bullen, Stillwater, O. T. (Oklahoma and Indian Territory).
- Iowa—C. T. Hankins, 742 East Locust St., Des Moines, Ia.
- Kansas—A. S. Parks, Wichita, Kan.
- Kentucky—R. M. Cunningham, Louisville, Ky.
- Louisiana—W. C. Wright, New Orleans, La.
- Massachusetts—C. J. Kellar, 53 State St., Boston, Mass.
- Michigan—M. L. Pease, Ypsilanti, Mich.
- Minnesota—Ray W. Jones, Minneapolis, Minn.
- Mississippi—John B. Nally, Brookhaven, Miss. (Western District).
- Mississippi—Wm. A. Coulson, Moss Point, Miss. (Eastern District).
- Missouri—R. L. Oliver, Moberly, Mo.
- Nebraska—Wm. C. Bullard, Twentieth and Izard Sts., Omaha, Neb.
- New York—L. R. Millon, 76 Beaver St., New York, N. Y. (Eastern District).

The Unknown List.

On another page will be found a list of members whose address is unknown. Many of these men are in good standing, and are only on this list through carelessness in not advising the Scrivenoter of recent removals. It will be a pity to let such men go into the new hand book as "unknown." Every member is therefore urged to go carefully over the list and see if the present address of some of these men is not known to him. Any information should be promptly forwarded to the Scrivenoter.

In A Pawnshop.

Mr. J. C. Barclay (No. 1535), of Omaha, Neb., recently found a button in one of the collateral loan offices of that city, which had been pawned for the sum of twenty-five cents. He promptly redeemed it, and sent it to the Scrivenoter. Mr. Barclay's inquiries developed that the button had been pawned by a boy, who, he thinks, found it. The button is one of the old style, and bears no number, or it could be returned to the owner. This illustrates the wisdom of the last Annual Meeting in ordering that all the buttons sent out shall be engrossed with the owner's number.

Only One This Time.

THE BULLETIN has had three or four marriages to chronicle in each issue recently, but this time we have only one. Mr. Arthur C. Ramsey (No. 233) was married, March 10th, to Miss Verna Sanderson, at Carrollton, Ill. After March 20th, the young couple will be "at home" at El Dorado, Ark. THE BULLETIN adds its best wishes to those of a host of friends.

A Good Idea, But—

Hope, Ark., Feb. 27, 1897.—As we carry our books with us all the time, I would suggest that on the inside of the cover you have a pocket made with a flap so the book can be made useful as well as ornamental by using it to carry bills and other valuable papers in, doing away with a pocket book for that purpose. This is only a suggestion, and hope you will not think me pre-suming in making it. With best wishes to you and all other Hoo-Hoos for the year 1897, I am Yours truly,

E. E. HUDSPETH (2763)

[The suggestion Mr. Hudspeth makes is a novel one. It has had careful attention, but as it would cost several hundred dollars additional on 5,500 books, it has not been deemed advisable to attempt it these hard times. The leather and labor consumed in putting on the present simple binding constitutes a very large part of the expense of getting out the hand-book.—Ed.]

They Will Be Left Out.

The following men are on the delinquent list, and their names will be left out of the new handbook unless they pay up. Most of them owe only for 1896, though quite a number owe for 1895 also. If you see your name in this list, remit \$1.98 to the Scrivenoter quick. If you are only in arrears for one year, the other 99 cents will be put to your credit for 1897, and receipt mailed, showing disposition.

On another page will be found a "Correction Blank." One of these has been mailed to every member in good standing in the order. This number of the "Bulletin" will be sent to every man in the order, whether in good standing or a delinquent.

If you have not received one of these blanks, or if you have neglected to fill it out, tear out the one in this paper, properly fill it out, and return it to the Scrivenoter.

If you are one of the delinquents, accompany the blank with a remittance of \$1.98, for two years' dues, as instructed in the foregoing.

Every effort is being made to have every man correctly entered in the new handbook, but this is the last opportunity the delinquents will have to secure insertion of their names.

- ALABAMA. 1162-Campbell, J. L., Mobile. 3113-Moore, W. H., Birmingham. ARKANSAS. 331-Hates, M. W., Ogdon. 1011-Brown, O. R., Little Rock. 1648-Heckart, John, Black Rock. 386-Jones, J. B., Little Rock. 270-Kennedy, D., Fort Smith. 593-McAfee, M. H., Little Rock. 334-Mills, D., Pine Bluff. 333-Paynter, D., Curtis. 342-Ramsey, W. K., Camden. CALIFORNIA. 272-Cass, E. L., Los Angeles. GEORGIA. 1006-Copeland, B. F., Atlanta. 2317-Rathburn, J. H., Atlanta. 1949-Tift, O. M., Tifton. 2690-Woodward, D., Atlanta. ILLINOIS. 1338-Adams, H. L., Chicago. 839-Ainsworth, C. H., Moline. 1479-Alexander, John, Aurora. 1747-Bates, C. M., Cairo. 2617-Bridgeman, W. E., Danville. 317-Burns, M. W., Chicago. 1609-Carveth, G. E., Chicago. 416-Chaplin, R. L., Chicago. 816-Chenney, E. S., Petersburg. 132-Dorly, S. L., Lamont. 395-Earle, A. H., Chicago. 1900-Fianner, G. C., Chicago Heights. 335-Fletcher, Geo., Dixon. 2325-Frazer, J. L., Chicago. 1655-Gauger, J. A., Chicago. 22-Huyett, M. C., Chicago. 800-Jones, F. D., Chicago. 121-Kellnberger, S. C., Chicago. 410-Kimball, E. R., Chicago. 829-Kinney, G. D., Peoria. 561-Logan, F. T., Chicago. 1917-McDowell, E. C., Lewiston. 1501-Miller, A. J., Chicago. 1385-Newman, F. E., Chicago Heights. 109-Nourie, H. O., Chicago. 412-Radford, Wm., Chicago. 422-Radford, R., Chicago. 3012-Simmons, T. S., Springfield. 817-Vredenburgh, Jr., J. S., Springfield. INDIANA. 217-Bennett, H. T., Indianapolis. 1897-Brown, A. H., Michigan City. 1836-Brown, M. L., Indianapolis. 1836-Budenz, L. A., Indianapolis. 2376-Crawson, C. A., Madison. 2288-Davis, G. A., Goshen. 2653-Dilks, G. R., Richmond. 1022-Greer, S. H., Indianapolis. 1896-Hoy, J., Indianapolis. 318-Jackson, C. H., South Bend. 2383-Jackson, W. B., Goshen. 1898-Kemper, T. B., Indianapolis. 221-Kies, A. C., Jonesboro. 792-McBride, F. S., Lafayette. 212-Pulse, W. C., Greensburg. 2378-Scott, J. F., Goshen. 317-Smitb, R. C., South Bend. 2378-Stover, J. C., South Bend. 2527-Thomas, H., Jeffersville. IOWA. 2245-Adams, A. A., Mason City. 310-Benjamin, G. C., Council Bluffs. 2286-Bowers, A. A., Muscatine. 274-Cass, L. S., Sumner.

- 276-Harrison, J. P., Minneapolis. 2314-Humble, E., Minneapolis. 3176-Inman, B. B., Duluth. 276-Meloni, A. L., Minneapolis. 271-McGregor, E. N., Granite Falls. 1318-Nichols, M. A., Minneapolis. 232-Penfield, W. E., Little Falls. 358-Ross, J. M., Minneapolis. 2075-Seymour, W. G., Minneapolis. 2485-Seymour, C. B., Duluth. 246-Thelgaard, J. B., Minneapolis. 1225-Thorp, W. B., S. Stillwater. 3175-Winneton, W. C., Duluth.

MISSISSIPPI.

- 1969-Bounds, J., Hattiesburg. 1245-Jenkins, J. M., Lumberton. 431-Kemper, C. C., Meridian. 430-Kemper, G. W., Meridian. 431-Melms, D. H., Hattiesburg. 645-Robinson, J. T., Brookhaven. 136-Veach, W. P., Moss Point. 617-Woolen, F. P., Vicksburg.

MISSOURI.

- 403-Holla, J. H., Gallatin. 450-Brigman, F. W., Kansas City. 2832-Burch, E. H., St. Louis. 3342-Clark, H. G., St. Louis. 750-Van Dyne, D. Y., St. Louis. 3264-Harrison, A. L., Carthage. 3222-Jacobs, F. E., St. Louis. 102-McArthur, F. A., Springfield. 1146-Phelan, J. M., Kansas City. 745-Rankin, H. R., Kansas City. 1071-Scott, W. J., St. Louis. 183-Sturges, O. H., St. Louis. 482-Thurston, B. D., Harrisonville. 1140-Tredway, S. H., Kansas City. 1133-Wright, R. J., Kansas City.

NEBRASKA.

- 2169-Hopkins, W., Lincoln. 2170-Mayhugh, E. D., Lincoln. 3058-Ohlson, C. I., Oakland.

NORTH CAROLINA.

- 2340-Fleetwood, J. J., Hertford.

NEW YORK.

- 2315-Carrere, J. M., New Brighton, Staten Island. 1992-Hayward, J. H., N. Y. City. 1941-Holcomb, R. E., N. Y. City. 1993-Skead, S. A., Brooklyn. 913-Spencer, S. B., Niagara Falls.

OHIO.

- 2692-Boyd, C. C., Cincinnati. 945-Burns, B. B., Mansfield. 2351-Gashe, W. A., Toledo. 1086-Greer, E. H., Oxford. 112-Helvey, G. H., Hamilton. 2717-Houston, C. R., Cincinnati. 1120-Rowe, W. O., Columbus. 1878-Stone, W. P., Cincinnati. 1070-Thomas, D. W., Akron. 2023-Thomas, G. H., Akron. 1067-Tidball, J. W., Cincinnati. 181-Weaver, J., Canton.

OKLAHOMA TERRITORY.

- 2167-Barrett, Chas. F., Earlboro. 2132-Brissow, W. C., Edmond. 3032-Butts, J. A., Kingfisher. 3015-Hoyls, J. P., Oklahoma. 2110-Keller, E. J., Lexington. 2134-Major, C. A., Oklahoma City. 2192-McClung, W. E., Perry. 3015-Scott, W. W., Oklahoma. 540-Sims, G. W., Oklahoma City.

ONTARIO.

- 1063-Swan, L. H., Fenelon Falls.

OREGON.

- 2295-Dana, P. W., Portland. 2388-Groat, C. J., Portland.

PENNSYLVANIA.

- 2028-Crow, B. S., Philadelphia. 2461-Dewey, H. S., Philadelphia. 2049-Hatch, W. C., Pittsburg. 2028-Helner, Wm. G., Kittanning. 2075-Hileman, C., Kittanning. 2070-Jones, N., Pittsburg. 2056-Miller, H., Braddock. 2078-Monroe, W. T., Pittsburg. 2055-Rankin, J. H., Braddock. 2070-Tomkinson, C. C., Erie.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

- 252-Treat, F. H., Canton.

TEXAS.

- 3159-Armstrong, F. H., McKinney. 156-Averill, W. C., Beaumont. 1067-Berry, W. H., Dallas. 1389-Carr, R. K., Houston.

- 1662-Carroll, M. W., Dallas. 527-Caswell, W. R., Beaumont. 1047-Clapp, F. A., Texarkana. 560-Curley, T. W., Beaumont. 78-Dacomb, G. A., San Antonio. 563-Doucette, P. A., Beaumont. 332-Floyd, J. F., Texarkana. 1409-Green, W. W., Beaumont. 1409-Greer, R. A., Beaumont. 31-Harrington, W. G., Kildare. 2031-Johns, A. C., San Antonio. 2077-Karber, H. F. F., San Antonio. 557-Keen, S. R., Beaumont. 323-Kizer, J. B., Texarkana. 1404-Langham, H. C., Beaumont. 1700-Leeper, H. B., Waxahatchie. 3156-Mentee, L. B., Fort Worth. 554-Mixon, J. C., Beaumont. 227-Mosher, M. I. C., Texarkana. 557-McFadden, W. P., Beaumont. 1832-Rand, W. H. Jr., Leff. 1039-Rippy, J. W., Denton. 3156-Rockwell, J. M., Sherman. 235-Scott, R. W., Houston. 1655-Smith, Cleora, Ioren. 174-Suggs, S., Dallas. 1895-Swinden, F. A., Brownwood. 85-Temple, T. L., Texarkana. 545-Timpson, S. C., Houston. 2690-Vaughen, G. C., San Antonio. 124-Weiss, P. M., Beaumont. 1389-Walverton, W. C., Beaumont. 1652-Yates, J. W., Longview.

WISCONSIN.

- 1237-Arnold, G. R., Marinette. 848-Bahr, H. B., Oshkosh. 423-Barnett, A. M., Omro. 480-Bishop, G. W., Rhinelander. 1483-Bisell, W. H., Arbor Vitae. 854-Boardman, C. R., Oshkosh. 1618-Boutelle, C. B., Dodgeville. 1737-Brace, S. W., Ashland. 1327-Brazell, M. E., Rhinelander. 1221-Brown, C. S., Marinette. 1624-Burt, H. A., Rhinelander. 181-Calkins, P., Rhinelander. 2322-Casson, H. S., Viroqua. 886-Chandler, W. K., Rhinelander. 1776-Cole, W. C., Sheboygan. 1222-Constock, J. W., Ashland. 1798-Connor, W. D., Auburnville. 1593-Coon, J. W., Tomahawk. 1214-Cover, J., Ashland. 2336-Croly, C. W., Oshkosh. 1928-Crows, J. J., Rhinelander. 2324-Curtis, S. M., Milwaukee. 895-Dunn, A. L., Rhinelander. 1325-Dunn, E. A., Merrill. 2101-Edger, C. M., Phillips. 1626-Eastman, O. A., Montfort. 1829-Fall, H. T., Rhinelander. 3223-Fall, H. J., Hudson. 700-Fitzgerald, E. E., Milwaukee. 897-Forhan, E. M., Madison. 874-Gallett, C. R., Prentice. 492-Gery, S. R., Arbor Vitae. 847-Gelger, J., Oshkosh. 1219-George, W. H., Marinette. 1316-Gibson, G., Merrill. 2212-Gillingan, W. H., Rhinelander. 1243-Gregory, F. P., Marinette. 718-Halls, J. L., So. Milwaukee. 1512-Hammond, B. P., Arbor Vitae. 1836-Hauchett, F. M., Jeffria. 1693-Hayes, E. S., Eau Claire. 846-Hayes, J. P., Oshkosh. 1740-Hopner, C. F., Wausau. 1609-Hoffman, J., Merrill. 3020-Holland, M., Rhinelander. 568-Huganir, G. H., Merrill.

VIRGINIA.

- 2089-Sampson, T. W., Suffolk. 923-Winner, C. N., Kenova.

WEST VIRGINIA.

- 946-Ineger, W. R., Ineger.

WASHINGTON.

- 2018-Fortain, J., Tacoma. 2091-Lindsley, A. L., Tacoma. 2002-Llewellyn, A. B., Seattle. 2238-Metcalf, R., Tacoma. 2237-Niehergo, E., Seattle. 2236-Peck, J. W., Tacoma. 466-Pottibone, A. W., New Whatcom. 2428-Potter, A., Spokane.

Future Concatenations.

Alabama.

Mr. W. A. Zelnicker, of Mobile, announces his first concatenation to come off within the next ten days. Mr. Zelnicker is undecided whether to hold it before or after the first of the month, as he wants to fix a date that will accommodate a number of candidates he has had in prospect for some time. Mr. Zelnicker is working on the meeting with the energy that characterizes all his efforts, and the prospects are that he will have an excellent meeting.

Arkansas.

Mr. Geo. H. Grayson advises that he will hold a concatenation some time in April. It will probably occur at Arkadelphia, though Mr. Grayson has candidates in prospect from a number of points.

Florida.

"If you want to have a good time, join the cavalry, join the cavalry," is what the famous Virginia cavalier, J. E. B. Stuart, used to sing. The BULLETIN sings, if you want to have a good time, go to Florida, go to Florida. Get there on April 21st and stop at Pensacola, near the Reggio gate. Brother Frank Johnson is going to shiver the profound silence that has hung over Hoo-Hoo in that territory with a grand "blow-out." He has commenced thus early to work up a great class. He will reverse matters a little: the concatenation will be preceded by a holiday boat excursion down the bay to points of interest. Somewhere on the trip, a grand fish-fry or bake-or rather "fish-chowder," as Mr. Johnson calls it-will be served. No man who knows Mr. Johnson and Mr. Johnson's friends, or the Pensacola people in general, can doubt for a moment that a big time awaits all who will be present. It will be an opportunity, while taking a day off, to meet a great many lumbermen and shippers; and Mr. Johnson especially urges all the

traveling and newspaper boys to be on hand. On the quiet, a very interesting experiment is to be made on the boat trip. E. R. Cooleidge (No. 376), is to be on hand: when the steamer reaches deep water he will be thrown overboard to see how much he will raise the water-level of the gulf.

Ohio.

Mr. Benj. Catlins, Jr., in his report of the excellent concatenation held at Toledo, takes occasion to say that Cleveland, Dayton, Akron, Columbus and Cincinnati are all points at which concatenations are likely to be held in the near future. Several of the boys at Cincinnati have been anxious for a meeting for some time, and the time is ripe for a big class there. Mr. Oliver is well acquainted and very popular all over the State, and some of the Vicegerents are going to find it hard to keep up with his record.

St. Louis Hoo-Hoo Club.

St. Louis, Mo., March 11.-A meeting of the St. Louis Hoo-Hoo was held last Friday night in the rooms of the Lumbermen's Exchange to perfect the organization of the proposed Hoo-Hoo Club. A constitution modeled upon those of the Kansas City and Chicago clubs was adopted. The only change of importance in this is that the annual meeting of the club shall be held on the third day of the third month. The initiation fee was fixed at \$6.66, and the dues at \$3.33 a quarter. The recently elected board of trustees reported that a very favorable arrangement had been made for rooms at 7 1/2 North Broadway. These rooms are on the second and third floors of the building, with a separate entrance from the street. Plans have been made for a cafe in connection with the club. A house committee will be appointed by the president within a few days, and the rooms will then be prepared for immediate occupancy. It is the intention to expend about \$500 in the furnishing of the rooms. There has been a very liberal response to the call for members, and the club starts out under most auspicious conditions. It is the intention to open the rooms with a reception as soon as they can be prepared. This will be announced at an early date.

A Horrible Death.

Mr. W. A. Rosenberger (No. 490) was pinioned in a wrecked mail car on the Missouri Pacific Railroad, near St. Aubert, Mo., March 5, and died a most horrible death by slow cremation.

William Addison Rosenberger was born at Franklin, Ill., August 13, 1859, and became a Hoo-Hoo at Kansas City, March 8, 1893. At that time, and for quite a while thereafter, Mr. Rosenberger was connected with the Greenway Lumber Company, and before that time had been in the lumber business at Wichita, Kan. He was well known and very popular at Kansas City, from which city he ran to St. Louis as an attache of the Railway Postal Service.

A companion who was with Mr. Rosenberger at the time of his death gives the following harrowing particulars of the awful accident:

The mail car was an old one newly painted, which had run for many years on the Iron Mountain and Southern Road, and had a very bad reputation among the postal clerks on that line, as being an unlucky car, which was frequently wrecked. The number of the car was 424. When Mr. Rosenberger, Mr. Noack, and I entered the car, we at once began assorting and distributing the letter mail. The letter case at which we stood was attached to the end of the car next to the engine; and all three of us were, therefore, facing the engine, and separated from it only by the end boards of the mail car. Mr. Rosenberger was standing on the right front, I was standing on the left, and Mr. Noack was standing between Mr. Rosenberger and myself. About two minutes before the train was wrecked I asked Mr. Noack to step to the rear of the car and see if he could find a bucket in which to get some coffee when we reached Chmouis. He had just reached the rear end of the car, and Mr. Rosenberger and myself were still distributing letters at the front case, when, without a moment's notice, the shock came. My powers of description are hardly equal to the task of describing the scene at this moment. Everything in the car seemed to be falling over, the floor to be moving like the deck of a steamer in a storm at sea, the sides to be breaking in—all was chaos. The time was about 7.30 P.M. It seemed to be several minutes before the wreck settled; then all was still. I found myself bound by the legs in the debris. At first I did not look at Mr. Rosenberger, but I could see that he was still near me. I said: "Rosey, I am caught." He replied: "So am I." I looked down, and through the debris beneath me little tongues of flame were reaching for my feet, but not quite touching them. The horrible possibility of a death by fire flashed instantly across my mind. I lost no time in extricating myself, which, fortunately, I did with no injury to myself, beyond bruises on my legs. Mr. Rosenberger cried: "Get me out, Eddie!" I immediately turned my attention to him, and used all the strength at my command to lift the obstacles that bound him. He was bound by the heavy, zinc-covered, iron-rimmed table that had stood near the center of the car and other articles in front. He was fastened from the thighs down. I told him that I could not move them, but would try to put out the fire, which was coming up fast from where I had stood, about three feet away. He said: "Throw some pouches on it." I threw all the pouches handy on the fire, and then jumped on them in my endeavors to stay the rising flames. My efforts were useless. I could hear the awful roar of the fire beneath. I rushed to the door, broke the glass top with my fist, stuck my head through, and called for help, that a "man was burning to death," just as Conductor Parker and a Mr. Stinkmeyer, of Chambers Street, St. Louis, reached the car. They got in and ran to Mr. Rosenberger and endeavored to get him out. It was too late. The flames rose as when the roof of a burning house falls in. All was over with my friend. The smoke and flames drove the rest of us from the car.

Mr. Noack states that he jumped from one of the rear doors, and, after the wreck settled, climbed in, but could see nothing of either Rosenberger or myself. He escaped practically uninjured.

The mail car and contents and the baggage car were totally destroyed. I could have saved a great deal of the mail, I think; but I considered it my first duty to attend to Mr. Rosenberger. Everything belonging to me except what I had on (and that was not much) was wholly destroyed. After nothing remained of the car but the iron work, surrounded by the remains of the fire, I examined the place where Mr. Rosenberger had stood, and there found still standing, like the Rock of Gibraltar, the iron bumper of the tender and the heavy, sheet-iron rim of the table. He must have been caught by the bumper from behind.

I did all that my judgment told me at the time to help my friend out; still I am tortured with a terrible fear that there might have been some way to get him out which, in the excitement and brief time that I had to work in, I might have overlooked. Still I cannot even now see how he could have been saved. It was a terrible responsibility on me, one which I hope I will never experience again. The fire reached him just before Conductor Parker, Mr. Stinkmeyer, and Mr. Noack came into the car, as near as I can state. His only cries of agony commenced just as I broke the glass in the door with "O, O, O!" and were followed up by a few cries of "Help!" The fire advanced so rapidly that, after it reached him, I think his period of suffering was short.

He is an Inventor.

Weeping Water, Neb., Feb. 16, 1897.—J. H. Baird, Scribe-noter.—Dear Sir: I wish to get a position with a wholesale lumber firm in office or yard, or on the road, where I would be allowed to push the sale of my "self-registering lumber measure" part of the time, or with a firm who would take the sale of it and push it. Have had nearly five years experience in retail yard as secretary, treasurer and manager, doing all the buying, selling, etc. Can give good references. Address me at Box 295, Weeping Water, Neb. Yours, etc.,

H. CONGDON.

[Mr. Congdon sends us a full description of his invention, but it is difficult to adequately describe it without the use of numerous cuts. The claims upon which he has been granted a patent, however, are given below—Ed.]

1. A self-registering lumber measure, comprising a driving wheel adapted to be run over the width of the lumber, a series of length-gaged gear wheels held on the shaft of the driving wheel, a registering device provided on its unit-shaft with a series of gear wheels opposite the said length-gaged gear wheels, and a series of intermediate gear wheels adapted to be moved in mesh with the corresponding length-gaged gear wheels on the unit-shaft, substantially as shown and described.

2. A self-registering lumber measure, comprising a driving wheel adapted to be run over the width of the lumber, a series of length-gaged gear wheels held on the shaft of the driving wheel, a registering device provided on its unit-shaft with a series of gear wheels opposite the said length-gaged gear wheels, and a series of intermediate gear wheels adapted to be moved in mesh with the corresponding length-gaged gear wheels on the unit-shaft, each intermediate gear wheel being independently journaled on a lever under the control of the operator, substantially as shown and described.

3. A self-registering lumber measure, comprising: a driving wheel adapted to be run over the width of the lumber, a series of length-gaged gear wheels held on the shaft of the driving wheel, a registering device provided on its unit-shaft with a series of gear wheels opposite the said length-gaged gear wheels, a series of intermediate gear wheels adapted to be moved in mesh with the corresponding length-gaged gear wheels on the unit-shaft, a lever for each intermediate gear wheel, a spring for holding the said lever in an uppermost position and its gear wheel out of mesh, and a spring-arm adapted to engage each of said levers and press the same downward against the tension of its spring, to move the gear wheel on this lever in mesh with the corresponding gear wheel on the unit-shaft of the measure, substantially as shown and described.

Hoo-Hoo at the Centennial.

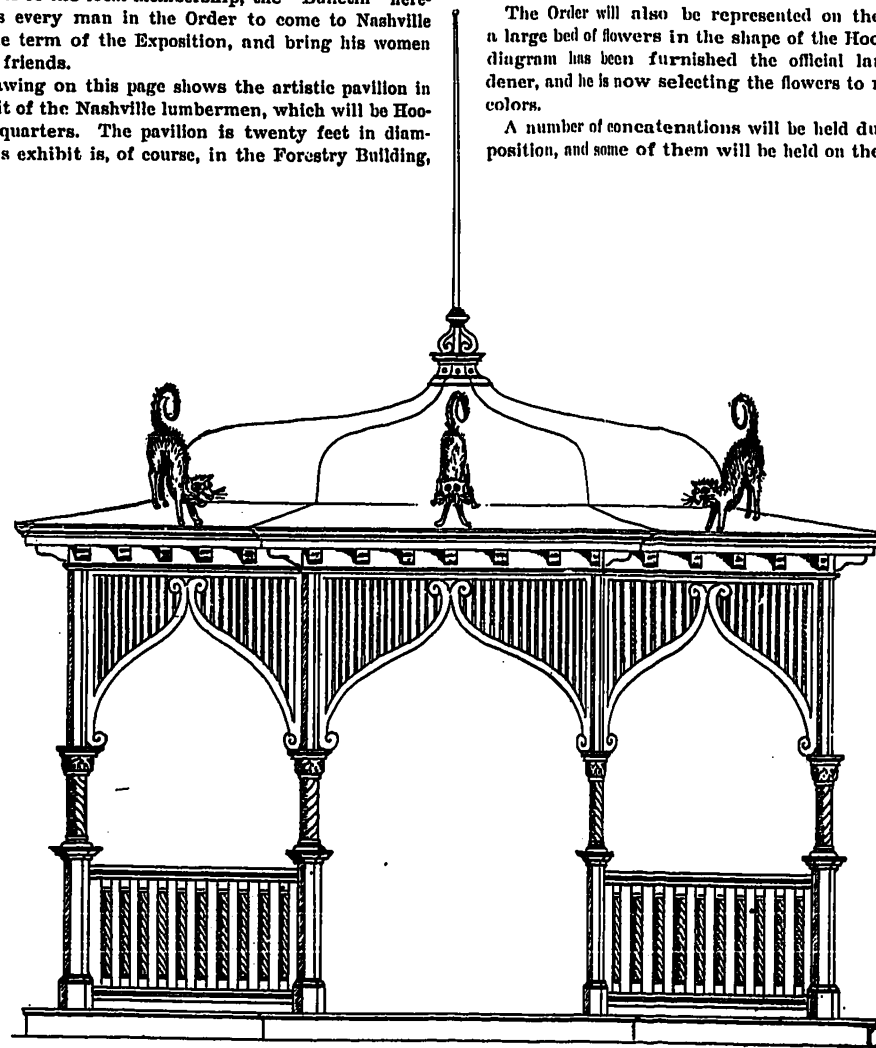
The Tennessee Centennial and International Exposition opens at Nashville May 1, and will continue for six months. On behalf of the local membership, the "Bulletin" hereby invites every man in the Order to come to Nashville during the term of the Exposition, and bring his women folks and friends.

The drawing on this page shows the artistic pavilion in the exhibit of the Nashville lumbermen, which will be Hoo-Hoo headquarters. The pavilion is twenty feet in diameter. This exhibit is, of course, in the Forestry Building,

which is one of the largest and handsomest on the ground. Comfortable seats and writing material will be supplied in the pavilion, and every comfort of the visitors will be looked to.

The Order will also be represented on the grounds in a large bed of flowers in the shape of the Hoo-Hoo cat. A diagram has been furnished the official landscape gardener, and he is now selecting the flowers to represent the colors.

A number of concatenations will be held during the Exposition, and some of them will be held on the grounds.



HOO-HOO HEADQUARTERS IN FORESTRY BUILDING, TENNESSEE CENTENNIAL.

DRAWN BY G. A. CLEVELAND, NASHVILLE, TENN.

Promoted.

The Courier-Journal, of Louisville, Ky., under date of March 23, contains in one article the notice of the promotion of two very popular Hoo-Hoo, Nos. 2353 and 4473. That paper says:

Mr. Edward Hart, Jr., General Southern Agent for the Traders' Dispatch, has been appointed Assistant General Agent of the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern Railroad at Louisville. The increase in the force at the local general freight office of the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern was made necessary by the active increase in freight business which the road has been enjoying for a year past.

When Mr. Hart was selected for the newly created position, the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern secured the services of a thoroughly experienced and competent railroad man. Although still a young man, he has enjoyed

railroad positions of responsibility for about fifteen years. He was contracting agent of the Canada Southern in Louisville for a number of years, and resigned to accept the position of Southern Agent of the Elkhart Fast Freight line and the Cincinnati, Wabash and Michigan Railway. Five years ago he resigned from that position to accept the place he is now occupying: agent of the Traders' Dispatch at Louisville. Mr. Hart will assume his new duties April 1.

Another Louisville man has been honored with a position of responsibility by the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern. Mr. W. O. Paxton, who has been General Agent of the West Shore line at Cincinnati and Louisville, has accepted the office of Commercial Agent of the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern at Cincinnati. Mr. W. Wheeler, who was contracting agent at Louisville, has been appointed by the West Shore line as agent at Louisville.

The Cat and the Car.

The following is an account from the New York "Herald" of what some of the passengers on the car thought was a cat-astrophe; and, indeed, it was:

This is the story of deep woe on a dark night, caused by the electricity that darts from the trolley wires in Brooklyn. The scene of the woe was at the corner of Fulton and Lawrence Streets. The time when it began was about half-past eight o'clock, as a car of the Fulton Avenue line came bowling along. As it passed the fateful corner, a series of wild shrieks rent the air. The passengers leaped to their feet, and in a jiffy the motorman brought the car to a standstill.

"Heavens!" said a fat passenger, "there's a child under the car!"

The conductor headed his fares as they started to investigate. They searched in front, behind, and under the car; but not a trace of that child could be found.

As every succeeding car for full ten minutes passed the spot, the same weird cries rang out. Every car was stopped, but none could solve the mystery. A half-intoxicated man began to sing, "The cars are haunted;" but his theory was rejected and his aria was frowned upon by the conductor, who told him: "You'll have to walk after that."

It was nearly nine o'clock, when a Gates Avenue car came along. It was stopped at the corner to allow a passenger to alight. Once more that dismal cry was heard, like the wail of a lost soul. It was repeated again and again.

"It's somebody in pain," said the conductor, as followed by his squad of passengers, he got off to find the cause.

They, too, searched before, behind, and under the car, without result.

But this conductor was a man of ideas. "Those cries come from aloft," he said; "and, mounting to the top of the car, he began to investigate. He saw a dark object; he saw something dark near by. Its eyes shone like two stars. It was a black cat. The poor animal had been caught between the wooden guard that is under the "L" structure and the trolley wires. To release it from its perilous position, it was necessary to take down the trolley pole, which he did; and then he sent the car forward with its own power.

Then the conductor got down and telephoned to the wrecking wagon to make connections again. This took some time. When it arrived and the crew had rigged things in shipshape order, there was a blockade of cars extending for more than five blocks.

One of the wrecking crew took pussy down with him, and handed it to a spectator to hold. The cat humped itself, made a spring from its custodian's arms, and vanished in the darkness; and again the cars ran on.

Some Comments on Concatenations.

The morning after Brother Coulson's Concatenation at Scranton, the local paper contained the following poem, contributed by one of the local members:

Five little hearts made glad,
Ten little feet made sore,
Five bright, damp kittens
To dry in the kiln no more.

Hoo-Hoo gently welcomes
Mill men to her rank,
Who can convert a rough log
To a bright, smooth plank.

Or the man who sells machinery
With which to stock a mill,
Or the man who edits a paper,
That bitter, bitter pill.

Hoo extends her invitation
To the best of railroad men,
And every man wisdom shows
By joining if he can.

The Cat Came Back.

The Everett (Wash.) "News" of March 6 gives the following graphic illustration of a familiar phrase at the expense of Hoo-Hoo 2426:

As all of his acquaintances know, when Jim Bell doesn't see what he wants, he asks for it. So it has frequently occurred that, in looking over Murray & McGill's elegant spread of smoked salmon, rye bread, and baked beans, his epicurean taste has demanded something not on this elaborate menu; and under these circumstances he has never failed to roar about the lunch. With the sound of this ominous protest in his ears, 'Gene McGill bought a fat, wheat-fed jack rabbit early in the week, and had Charley Day bake it in his own elegant, inimitable style. The next time that Colonel Bell showed up, this tempting dish was placed before him, and he proceeded at once to do the subject justice. Another well-known fact about the colonel is that he is an enthusiastic Hoo-Hoo, and will travel a hundred miles to see the black cat perform at a concatenation. It was, therefore, a surprise to all present when he made a dive at the sink and unloaded upon being informed that he had eaten more than a half of the biggest, blackest cat on the peninsula.

More Hoo-Hoo Music.

DULUTH, MINN., March 24, 1897.

J. H. Baird, Scrivenor, Nashville, Tenn.

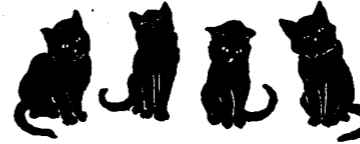
DEAR SIR:—In the last Bulletin I noticed an ad. published for the only authorized Hoo-Hoo "March." The writer is the humble Kitten who composed the "Lullaby," which was adopted and made the official Hoo-Hoo Lullaby at the Banquet in Duluth, held after the big convention at Minneapolis, 1895, and upon motion duly adopted and put in presence of Scrivenor Smith, Barnes, Ellis, Walker, etc. I have had so many "cat calls" for this little song that I desire to acquaint the Kittens at large with the fact that I now have had it published, and that they one and all can obtain a copy by sending 40c. to Yours truly,

A. E. GILBERT (3501),
Duluth, Minn.

Their Mail Returned.

Letters from the Scrivenor's office addressed to the following men have been returned unclaimed. Any information as to the present address of any of these men should be promptly sent to the Scrivenor.

- 3090—R. F. Martindale, Greenville, S. C.
- 2833—E. H. Burch, L. & N. R. R., Louisville, Ky.
- 1493—F. P. Wentworth, Stillwater, Minn.
- 2506—A. D. Coard, Lincoln, Neb.
- 2736—R. S. Knapp, Milwaukee, Wis.
- 1605—F. W. Brown, Grand Rapids, Wis.
- 1442—John C. Ray, Chester, Ill.
- 4020—C. G. Beling, Bremen, Germany.
- 3583—W. E. Martin, care C. A. Smith Lumber Company, Minneapolis, Minn.
- 3364—G. W. Davy, 2692 Evanston Avenue, Bridgewater, Ill.
- 3460—A. B. Paine, care "American Machinist," New York, N. Y.
- 3044—C. H. Pierce, 296 Buck Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y.
- 2924—M. C. McKenzie, Box 424, Denver, Col.
- 116—C. C. Prentiss, Knoxville, Tenn.
- 3257—W. H. Thomas, Montpelier, Ind.
- 1726—F. L. Barrett, Birmingham, Ala.
- 923—C. N. Winner, N. & W. R. R., Kenova, W. Va.
- 1843—John Foy, Farmers, Ky.
- 4260—F. H. McLane, 300 Live Oak Street, Dallas, Texas.
- 4207—W. H. Wilbur, Oakland, Cal.
- 655—J. T. Robinson, Hattiesburg, Miss.
- 1643—F. M. Griffith, care Creed & Griffith, Cash, Ark.
- 3198—J. A. Comer, 31 Main Street, San Francisco, Cal.
- 4243—Jay Spencer, care Howe Lumber Company, Tower, Minn.
- 2258—W. A. Prater, Fifth and Parker Avenue, Fort Smith, Ark.
- 3198—J. A. Comer, 31 Main Street, San Francisco, Cal.
- 1051—C. Munding, care Central Coal and Coke Company, Texarkana, Texas.
- 3890—W. J. Sears, St. Louis, Mo.
- 4506—Ernest Taylor, St. Louis, Mo.
- 1961—F. B. Darville, Chicago, Ill.
- 4121—J. A. Ferguson, Mackinaw City, Mich.
- 494—J. H. Wells, Watertown, Wis.



Concatenations.

No. 393. Cordele, Ga., March 3, 1897.

- Snark, Harry W. Anderson.
- Senior Hoo-Hoo, W. B. Seymour.
- Junior Hoo-Hoo, J. L. Ensign.
- Bojum, H. C. Knox.
- Scrivenor, C. M. Killian.
- Jabberwock, T. L. Collings.
- Custocattin, W. B. Dozier.
- Arcanoper, Church Berryman.
- Gurdon, A. W. Dozier.

- 4832 Wallace R. Cheves, Richwood, Ga.
- 4833 Russell Clement Harris, Cordele, Ga.
- 4834 William Samuel Hawkins, Savannah, Ga.
- 4835 Bayley Fitzsimmons Hopkins, Savannah, Ga.
- 4836 David Franklin McCoy, Kramer, Ga.
- 4837 James Joseph O'Hara, Cincinnati, O.
- 4838 John Furman Pearson, Richwood, Ga.
- 4839 Burton Ralph White, Cincinnati, O.

No. 394. Toledo, O., March 13, 1897.

- Snark, Max L. Pease.
- Senior Hoo-Hoo, J. J. Marten.
- Junior Hoo-Hoo, H. H. Gibson.
- Bojum, E. F. Jenks.
- Scrivenor, C. A. Mauk.
- Jabberwock, W. A. Ferguson.
- Custocattin, A. W. Brown.
- Arcanoper, Bon. Collins, Jr.
- Gurdon, J. W. Ferguson.

- 4840 Walter Little Era Adams, Pittsburgh, Pa.
- 4841 Arthur Wesley Sinclair Irvine, Toledo, O.
- 4842 Frederick John Kreutzfeld, Toledo, O.
- 4843 Joseph Ryder Lawton, Toledo, O.
- 4844 Oliver Morton Scott, Cincinnati, O.

No. 395. Chicago, Ill., March 16, 1897.

- Snark, P. A. Gordon.
- Senior Hoo-Hoo, W. H. McClintock.
- Junior Hoo-Hoo, Max. Sondheimer.
- Bojum, R. T. Witbeck.
- Scrivenor, J. L. Strong.
- Jabberwock, L. E. Fuller.
- Custocattin, F. P. Southgate.
- Arcanoper, C. V. Kimball.
- Gurdon, George W. Ferguson.

- 4845 Henry Walker Dakin, Chicago, Ill.
- 4846 Harvey Wilde Murphy, Hamilton, Mont.

No. 396. Springfield, Mo., March 12, 1897.

- Snark, R. L. Oliver.
- Senior Hoo-Hoo, W. L. Mace.
- Junior Hoo-Hoo, B. A. Johnson.
- Bojum, W. E. Burns.
- Scrivenor, W. A. Pickering.
- Jabberwock, J. W. Ferguson.
- Custocattin, J. M. Odell.
- Arcanoper, George R. Anson.
- Gurdon, C. L. Burch.

- 4847 Thomas Marion Barham, Springfield, Mo.
- 4848 Seth Little Berry Barham, Springfield, Mo.
- 4849 Ben. Hershey Berkshire, Willow Springs, Mo.
- 4850 Sylvanus Justin Bunker, Springfield, Mo.
- 4851 James Downey Campbell, Springfield, Mo.
- 4852 Arthur Campbell Chisholm, Fayetteville, Ark.
- 4853 Richard Edward Everett, Springfield, Mo.
- 4854 Daniel Woodward Pulkner, Bolivar, Mo.
- 4855 George Harvey Hinds, Lebanon, Mo.
- 4856 Henry Thomas Hornsby, Springfield, Mo.
- 4857 Lynn By-Grab Hummel, Springfield, Mo.
- 4858 Charles Wood Jones, Ft. Smith, Ark.
- 4859 Evan Matthew Jones, Grandin, Mo.
- 4860 Robert Edward Lee, Springfield, Mo.
- 4861 Matthias Gist Molst, Springfield, Mo.
- 4862 George Washington O'Halloran, Springfield, Mo.
- 4863 Edward Cophas Pickering, Van Buren, Mo.
- 4864 Samuel Hardman Regan, Springfield, Mo.
- 4865 James Garlind Robertson, Marshfield, Mo.
- 4866 Charles Calvin Robertson, Marshfield, Mo.
- 4867 Alonzo Springfield Shader, Springfield, Mo.

- 4868 Corydon Night Smith, Deepwater, Mo.
- 4869 James Nathan Smith, Marshfield, Mo.
- 4870 Colbert Lincoln Stephenson, Springfield, Mo.
- 4871 Thomas Emanuel Williams, Springfield, Mo.
- 4872 Joshua Gardner Wells, Pierce City, Mo.

No. 397. Lincoln, Neb., March 16, 1897.

- Snark, W. C. Bullard.
- Senior Hoo-Hoo, T. H. French.
- Junior Hoo-Hoo, L. E. Deemer.
- Bojum, F. Colpetzer.
- Scrivenor, W. H. Gerhart.
- Jabberwock, D. E. Green.
- Custocattin, G. E. Gaseoigne.
- Arcanoper, O. O. Snyder.
- Gurdon, J. C. Graham.

- 4873 Harry Nathan Bennett, Kansas City, Mo.
- 4874 Tom Fundamental Birmingham, O'Neil, Neb.
- 4875 William Everlasting Brown, Dodge, Neb.
- 4876 Cornelius Peon Crowley, Cloquet, Minn.
- 4877 Perry Rider Gillespie, Minden, Neb.
- 4878 John Walkaway Hart, Stromsburg, Neb.
- 4879 Horace Full Henderson, Osceola, Neb.
- 4880 Frederick Richard Linn, Humboldt, Neb.
- 4881 Frank Pine McCormick, Holdrege, Neb.
- 4882 William Joseph Miller, Hastings, Neb.
- 4883 Oswald Hastings Oliver, Hastings, Neb.
- 4884 Oscar Waney Portlock, Bethany, Neb.
- 4885 John Jacob Reimer, Evanston, Ill.
- 4886 Alexander Stromsburg Scott, Stromsburg, Neb.
- 4887 Ben. Doty Sherwood, North Bend, Neb.
- 4888 Wilson Fitch Vincent, Sterling, Neb.

A Cat Farm.

There comes from Lacon, Ill., news of a most novel enterprise, and in which the Hoo-Hoo will have particular interest. A company has been organized there for the purpose of raising black cats. The president is A. R. Hancock; the vice president, a Mr. Thompson; and the capital stock of the company is \$10,000. One hundred and sixty acres of timberlands are to be purchased for the purpose of making a cat farm of it. The originator and prime mover in this enterprise is Thomas McEntee. The money is to come from selling the skins of the cats, which are now used in leather goods. Mr. McEntee says there is a similar industry in California, and which is coining money. "We propose to start," says Mr. McEntee, "with one hundred cats of the finest Maltese, black species." From this modest start he figures that about a million cats will be on the farm in four years' time. He says that the fur sells for from ten to fifteen cents a skin. In speaking of the economy to be practiced, he adds: "Where we raise cats we also raise rats. We feed the rats cats and the cats rats, and the rats thrive on the dead bodies of the cats which have been skinned." The enterprise is supposed to net \$37,000 at the end of five years. Here is an opportunity for great Hoo-Hoo in a real business way. The Snark of the Universe will please give this matter earnest attention.—"Northwestern Lumberman."

The Record of Work.

VICEGERENT	Concatenations	
	Hold	Man Initiated
Alabama—John L. Kaul.....	.....	.....
Alabama—W. A. Zelnicker.....	.....	.....
Arkansas—W. R. Abbott (acting).....	1	6
Arkansas—George H. Grayson.....	.....	.....
California—J. J. Loggie.....	.....	.....
Colorado—R. W. Stewart.....	1	6
Florida—F. M. Johnson.....	.....	.....
Georgia—H. W. Anderson.....	6	21
Illinois—E. A. Gordon.....	5	14
Illinois—E. D. Carey.....	.....	.....
Iowa—C. T. Hankins.....	2	36
Indiana—H. T. Sample.....	.....	.....
I. T. and Okla. T.—H. B. Bullen.....	.....	3
Kansas—A. S. Parks.....	.....	.....
Kentucky—R. M. Cunningham.....	2	37
Louisiana—W. C. Wright.....	1	4
Massachusetts—C. J. Kellar.....	2	5
Michigan—M. L. Pease.....	.....	38
Minnesota—Ray W. Jones.....	1	3
Mississippi—John R. Nally.....	1	12
Missouri—Wm. A. Coulson.....	1	5
Missouri—R. L. Oliver.....	3	56
Nebraska—Wm. C. Bullard.....	.....	.....
New York—L. R. Miller.....	1	16
New York—E. C. Sornborger.....	1	2
North Carolina—J. A. Wilkinson.....	.....	.....
North Dakota—R. McCullough.....	.....	.....
Ohio—Benj. Collins, Jr.....	3	40
Oregon—E. E. Highborn.....	.....	.....
Pennsylvania—E. M. Vialdier.....	.....	.....
Pennsylvania—H. H. Banner.....	.....	.....
Tennessee—H. N. Saxton, Jr.....	.....	.....
Texas—C. A. Lyon.....	1	13
Washington—Francis Rotch.....	.....	.....
West Virginia—J. D. Rocky.....	.....	.....
Wisconsin—W. F. Kellogg.....	.....	.....