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**NORMA GROVE, No. 5 (English).**—Meets every Tuesday evening.

**SIGEL GROVE, No. 7 (German).**—Meets every Monday evening.

**PERSERVERANCE GROVE, No. 10 (French).**—Meets every Tuesday evening.

**SCHILLER GROVE, No. 11 (German).**—Meets every Wednesday evening.

**WASHINGTON GROVE, No. 12 (English).**—Meets every Friday evening.

**CORINTHIAN GROVE, No. 13 (English).**—Meets every Thursday evening.

**HESPERIAN GROVE, No. 15 (English).**—Meets every Tuesday evening.

**ELVIN GROVE, No. 16 (English).**—Meets every Friday evening.

**LAUREL GROVE, No. 17 (English).**—Meets every Saturday evening.

**TEMPLAR GROVE, No. 19 (English).**—Meets every Monday evening.

**LIVE OAK GROVE, No. 22 (English).**—Meets every Wednesday evening.

**GENERAL RELIEF COMMITTEE.**—Meets first Sunday of every month.

**DRUIDS' HALL SOCIETY.**—Office, Druids' Hall, 413 Sutter Street. Annual meeting of shareholders, second Monday of February. The Board of Trustees meets on the third Wednesday of each month.

**DRUIDS' LIBRARY.**—Druids' Hall, 413 Sutter Street.  
*Officers.*—G. Hoffman, President; (vacant), Secretary; P. Tautphaus, Treasurer; J. Wesner, Librarian.

**WEST INDIAN BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.**—Organized June, 1867. Incorporated January, 1870. Meets on the first Monday of each month at Young Men's Beneficial Society Hall, south side of Pacific Street, between Powell and Mason. *Objects:* To take care of its sick members and bury the dead.  
*Officers.*—Matthew A. Phipps, President; James Hargro, Vice-President; Thomas M. Groves, Recording Secretary; Charles A. Griffith, Corresponding Secretary; William J. Simmons, Treasurer.

**YOUNG MEN'S UNION BENEFICIAL SOCIETY.**—Organized 1861. Incorporated June, 1864. *Objects:* To render aid and protection to sick members, bury deceased ones, and invest its surplus funds in loans, mortgages, bonds, etc. The society own a lot and spacious hall for public meetings and other purposes on Pacific Street, near Mason.

*Officers.*—Barney Fletcher, President; James Hargro, Vice-President; R. T. Houston, Treasurer; William H. Carter, Secretary.

**YOUTHS' DIRECTORY.**—Office 1417 Howard Street. This institution, established November 1, 1874, under the patronage of Archbishop Alemany, comprises a Free Intelligence Bureau and a Temporary Home for friendless boys in search of employment. It is maintained by voluntary contributions from the public. Destitute lads, in quest of work, are admitted to the privileges of its refectory, dormitory, lavatory, and readingroom, until places are procured for them in town or country, without charges to either employers or employes. No discrimination between applicants on account of religious belief. Last year three thousand one hundred and forty-five youths, of every tongue and kindred, obtained profitable occupation on farms, in factories, stores and shops. Office open every week day from nine o'clock A.M. to one o'clock P.M.

*Officers.*—Archbishop Alemany, James R. Kelly, Richard Tobin, Cornelius D. O. Sullivan, Gustave Touchard, Michael J. O'Connor, Joseph A. Donohoe, Henry Barrollhet, and Peter H. Burnett, Board of Directors; Ambrose P. Dietz, Superintendent and Secretary; James S. Haurahan, Collector; Mrs. Dora Dietz, Matron.

**Masonic.**

**THE GRAND LODGE OF FREE AND ACCEPTED MASONS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**—Assembles annually at the Masonic Temple, in the City of San Francisco, on the second Tuesday in October. Its officers for the year ending in October, 1878, are:

- M.: W.: John Mills Browne, Grand Master, Vallejo;
- R.: W.: Charles Louis Wiggin, Deputy Grand Master, San Francisco;
- R.: W.: William Wilson Traylor, Senior Grand Warden, San Francisco;
- R.: W.: William Henry Crane, Junior Grand Warden, Susanville;
- V.: W.: Moses Heller, Grand Treasurer, San Francisco;
- V.: W.: Alex. Gurdon Abell, Grand Secretary, San Francisco;
- V.: R.: John Harmon C. Bonte, Grand Chaplain, Sacramento;
- W.: Thomas Guard, Grand Orator, San Francisco;
- W.: William Edward Moody, Assistant Grand Secretary, San Francisco;
- W.: John Werner Schaeffer, Grand Lecturer, San Francisco;
- W.: Henry Sumner Smith, Grand Marshal, San Francisco;
- W.: Samuel Graves, Grand Bible Bearer, San Francisco;
- W.: William Monroe Petrie, Grand Standard Bearer, Sacramento;
- W.: Benjamin Brundage, Grand Sword Bearer, Bakersfield;
- W.: John Sweany, Senior Grand Deacon, Dixon.
- W.: Ellison L. Crawford, Junior Grand Deacon, Georgetown;
- W.: Theodore Reise, Senior Grand Steward, Anaheim;
- W.: Russell Parkhurst, Junior Grand Steward, Cambria;
- W.: Samuel David Mayer, Grand Organist, San Francisco;
- W.: Warren G. Holmes, Grand Pursuivant, Scott's Bar;
- W.: James Oglesby, Grand Tyler, San Francisco.

This body was organized in the year 1850, and there are now in existence, under its jurisdiction, one hundred and ninety-eight Subordinate Lodges, of which fifteen are in the City of San Francisco, as follows:

- CALIFORNIA LODGE, No. 1.—Meets every Thursday evening in King Solomon's Hall, Masonic Temple.
  - LA PARFAITE UNION LODGE, No. 17.—Meets every Friday evening in St. John's Hall, Masonic Temple.
  - OCCIDENTAL LODGE, No. 22.—Meets every Monday evening in King Solomon's Hall, Masonic Temple.
  - GOLDEN GATE LODGE, No. 30.—Meets every Tuesday evening in King Solomon's Hall, Masonic Temple.
  - MOUNT MORIAH LODGE, No. 44.—Meets every Wednesday evening in King Solomon's Hall, Masonic Temple.
  - FIDELITY LODGE, No. 120.—Meets every Thursday evening in St. John's Hall, Masonic Temple.
  - HERMANN LODGE, No. 127.—Meets every Monday evening in St. John's Hall, Masonic Temple.
  - PACIFIC LODGE, No. 136.—Meets every Tuesday evening at Pythian Castle, 915 Market Street.
  - CROCKETT LODGE, No. 139.—Meets every Wednesday evening at Corinthian Hall, 31 Post Street.
  - ORIENTAL LODGE, No. 144.—Meets every Tuesday evening in St. John's Hall, Masonic Temple.
  - EXCELSIOR LODGE, No. 166.—Meets every Wednesday evening in St. John's Hall, Masonic Temple.
  - MISSION LODGE, No. 169.—Meets every Wednesday evening at the corner of Sixteenth and Valencia streets.
  - SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO LODGE, No. 212.—Meets every Thursday evening at Hare's Hall, Tenth Avenue, South San Francisco.
  - DORIC LODGE, No. 216.—Meets every Thursday evening in Pythian Castle, 915 Market.
  - SPERANZA ITALIANA LODGE, No. 219.—Meets every Friday evening in St. John's Hall, Masonic Temple.
- THE GRAND CHAPTER OF ROYAL ARCH MASONS OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**—Assembles annually at the Masonic Temple in the City of San Francisco, on the second Tuesday in April. Its officers for the term ending in April, 1878, are:
- M.: E.: Henry Hay Knapp, Grand High Priest, Napa;
  - R.: E.: John Mills Browne, Deputy Grand High Priest, Vallejo;
  - R.: E.: Nathan W. Spaulding, Grand King, Oakland;
  - R.: E.: Wiley James Tinnan, Grand Scribe, Weaverville;
  - R.: E.: Hiram T. Graves, Grand Treasurer, San Francisco;
  - R.: E.: Charles L. Wiggin, Grand Secretary, San Francisco;