

HOME AND LOAN ASSOCIATES.—Organized August, 1875. Office, 329 Sanson Street. Objects: To accumulate a fund from monthly contributions, fines, premiums and interest, and make loans thereof to its shareholders.

Officers.—Louis Jacoby, President; J. C. Meussdorffer, Vice-President; Otto Esche, Secretary; Edward Michelsen, Treasurer.

HUMBOLDT SAVINGS AND LOAN SOCIETY.—Incorporated November 24, 1869. Office, 18 Geary Street. Capital, \$100,000. Number of shares, one hundred: \$80,000 paid in.

Officers.—Adolph C. Weber, President; David Porter, Vice-President; A. Gansl, Treasurer; Adolph Hartmann, Secretary.

INTERNATIONAL WORKINGMEN'S ASSOCIATION.—The following named Sections have been organized in this city under the jurisdiction of the General Council of New York. Meets the first and third Wednesdays of each month at northwest corner of Montgomery and Bush streets.

GERMAN SECTION, No. 1.—Organized February, 1869. Reorganized June, 1871. Number of members, ninety.

FRENCH SECTION, No. 19.—Organized May 22, 1871. Number of members, two hundred and seventy.

IRON MOLDERS' UNION.—Organized April, 1873. Number of members, fifty. Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at 713 Mission Street. Objects: The encouragement and advancement of molders and their social elevation.

Officers.—Joseph Halford, President; Donald Murchison, Vice-President; James Gilleran, Treasurer; Robert Prince, Recording Secretary.

LA SOLIDARITE.—Incorporated December, 1868. Office, 729 Montgomery Street. The object of this association is to secure to the families, or heirs of deceased members, a cash payment of as many dollars as there are members; number of members, one thousand one hundred.

Officers.—Marc de Kirwan, President; J. F. Lohse and J. J. Rey, Vice-Presidents; A. Rodouan, Secretary; Theodore Le Roy, Treasurer.

LABORERS' PROTECTIVE AND BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION.—Meets first Friday of each month, at Irish-American Hall. Number of members, two hundred and fifty-three.

Officers.—James Dunn, President; John Kelliher, Vice-President; Patrick Kiernan, Recording Secretary; Jeremiah Clifford, Treasurer.

LAND MORTGAGE UNION OF CALIFORNIA.—Incorporated December 31, 1870. Objects: To secure a safe and profitable means of investing money without inconvenience or risk to investors, and to enable its members to build, purchase, or improve real estate on the most easy and advantageous terms. Office, 534 California Street.

Officers.—J. H. Fish, President; John T. Carter, Secretary; T. R. Hayes, Treasurer.

LEAGUE OF FREEDOM.—Organized June 19, 1874. Meets annually (no specified place). Office of Secretary, 605 Clay Street. Object: Mutual protection against any infringement upon personal rights of members.

Officers.—Charles Kohler, President; Julius Buhlert, Secretary; John Siebe, Treasurer.

LUMBERMEN'S PROTECTIVE UNION.—Organized September 1, 1872. Number of members, one hundred and sixty. Meets the third Tuesday of each month, at 71 New Montgomery Street. Objects: For mutual benevolent purposes only, in aiding and assisting its sick members and burying the dead.

Officers.—Andrew C. Freese, President; William Cusick, Vice-President; John Dwyer, Secretary; George McDonald, Treasurer.

MASONIC SAVINGS AND LOAN BANK.—Incorporated November 4, 1869. Office, 6 Post Street. Capital, \$150,000. Number of shares, three hundred.

Officers.—William H. Culver, President; Francis Smith, Vice-President; H. T. Graves, Secretary.

MECHANICS' STATE COUNCIL.—This is a representative body of mechanics in and for the State of California; it was organized November 20, 1867, for the purpose of

uniting the trades in sustaining the eight-hour system of labor.

Each association, working eight hours for a day, have three delegates; those who have only declared in favor of the system have two; unorganized trades may elect one. The Council may elect as permanent members ex-delegates and ex-presidents of associations having delegates in Council, or it may elect honorary members for and in consideration of faithful, valuable, and distinguished services.

Its meetings are held the first Wednesday evening of each month, and special meetings when business requires it.

Officers.—Gen. A. M. Winn, President; J. W. Duncan and George B. Merriam, Vice-Presidents; John D. Condon, Secretary; George Cavan, Treasurer.

MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE ASSOCIATION.—Incorporated June 1, 1868. Capital, \$250,000. Office, Merchants' Exchange Building, California Street, between Montgomery and Sanson. The object of this corporation is the promotion of the interests of trade and commerce.

Officers.—James C. Patrick, President; Joseph A. Coolidge, Secretary; Charles Mayne, C. G. Hooker, J. C. Merrill, R. G. Sneath, C. Meyer, and J. W. H. Campbell, Trustees.

MERCHANTS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.—Organized April, 1877. Number of members, one hundred and eighty-three. Office, 213 California Street.

Objects: To protect the interests of its members, prevent settlements without full investigation, resist inequitable and fraudulent settlements, and bring about joint action in the collection of debts (other than in the ordinary course of business).

Officers.—A. P. Williams, President; Alfred P. Elfelt, First Vice-President; M. P. Jones, Second Vice-President; Levi Strauss, Treasurer; Jos. Holden, Attorney; James B. Moore, Secretary.

METROPOLITAN LOAN ASSOCIATION.—Incorporated February, 1876. Meets first Monday of each month, at 320 Sanson Street. Objects: To raise funds in shares not exceeding two hundred (\$200) dollars each, and make loans to its members for the purpose of aiding them in acquiring and improving real estate, and to take mortgages or other securities for such loans.

Officers.—Julius Bandmann, President; Julius Jacobs, Vice-President and Treasurer; Otto Esche, Secretary.

MILKMEN'S MUTUAL AID AND PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.—Organized December 10, 1874. Meets every Friday afternoon at 35 Eddy Street.

Objects: To enable its members to buy feed, stock, and all they consume on advantageous terms; to protect them from wrong by their employes and the persons with whom they deal, and against customers who are delinquent in paying their bills.

Board of Directors.—G. C. Smart, F. L. Such, J. D. Daley, J. A. Roy, C. A. Murray, and C. W. Taber.

MILLMEN'S MUTUAL PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.—Organized December 12, 1870. Meets every Tuesday at half past one P.M., in the committee rooms of Mechanics' Institute. This association is composed of all the mill owners in San Francisco, Oakland, Vallejo, and Napa, for the purpose of establishing a uniform scale of prices, and for the protection of their mutual interests.

Officers.—W. A. Meeker, President; William Powers, Vice-President; A. R. Wells, Treasurer; P. Haskell, Secretary.

MINERS' PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION.—Organized July 1, 1872. Meets every Friday at Druid's Hall, 413 Sutter Street. Objects: To protect the interests of its members, and aid those in distress.

Officers.—James McNair, President; — Heller, Vice-President, J. W. Buffum, Recording Secretary; Conrad Kiens, Treasurer.

MUTUAL AID SOCIETY OF SAN FRANCISCO.—Incorporated July 1, 1873. Office, room 5, 729 Montgomery Street. Meets first Wednesday in January, and third Wednesday in June. Objects: To afford pecuniary assistance to sick and disabled members.

Officers.—William Mitchell, President; H. L. Van Geisterfeld and William Mentel, Vice-Presidents; A. Rodouan, Treasurer and Secretary.