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CATHOLIC + KNIGHTS + OF + AMERICA.

WILLIAM S. O'ROURKE, *Supreme Secretary,*

FOR TERM ENDING APRIL 20, 1895.

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Supreme Council Catholic Knights of America.

To the Supreme Officers and Delegates of the Tenth Supreme Council Catholic Knights of America.

BROTHERS: In compliance with the laws of our Order, I submit for your examination my biennial report, as Supreme Secretary, for the term commencing April 23rd, 1893, and terminating April 20th, 1895.

Notwithstanding the general financial depression that has existed, we have had many accessions to our ranks; our death rate has been large, but all claims have been paid as promptly as our laws will admit. We certainly should pay all death claims within sixty days from date of filing, but under our laws it is impossible to do so, as Branches do not remit promptly enough.

The statement of our finances shows we are in the best possible condition financially, and with our laws adjusted to suit the times our Order will be second to none. Our laws must be modernized in order to compete successfully with rival organizations.

We all desire to see the Order grow so that the expense may be reduced to the lowest possible amount to the members, and that our obligations may be honestly and promptly met. Promptness will create confidence and a larger membership, and consequently a reduction in the cost to the individual.

Our records are not in the condition the size of the Order demands, and a change should be made as soon as possible. The membership has been variously given for years past, but the fact is the exact membership cannot be given and will never be definitely known if subordinate Branches will not make the proper reports required. In the fall of 1894 I presented a plan to my brother supreme officers for making a new register of members. It was approved and the work started, but owing to the failure of Branches to make the semi-annual report as provided by law, I have not been able to entirely complete the work, and the membership stated in this report does not contain the number of members such Branches have.

It is impossible for the Supreme Council to have correct records if subordinate Branches will not make proper returns.

Your attention is respectfully called to a very important matter, namely, the relation the member, the Branch and the Supreme Council bear towards each other. The object of presenting this question arises from litigation now pending in St. Louis and prospective litigation in New Orleans. The question is one that should have serious attention.

Re-issuing benefit certificates is a considerable task, of vital importance and loosely done under our laws. We cannot be too careful in changing a contract once entered into with our members and our laws certainly require adjustment in this respect.

Another important matter is the preservation of our books and records. In eighteen years we have accumulated a vast amount of very important papers and records and the only protection we have against fire is that afforded by one small safe. A building with a large well constructed, fire-proof vault seems almost an absolute necessity for our protection.

The amount of money disbursed, given below, under head of "On account of General Expense," is \$23,656.91. In this sum is included \$6,163.89 paid on account of the O'Brien litigation. The Ninth Supreme Council ordered the payment of \$1,850.00 to Mary L. Moore, which sum was taken from the General Fund.

Under the resolution appropriating \$5,000.00 for increasing our membership, the sum of \$1,090.20 has been paid, with a small amount yet unpaid. The cost of making the new record of members has amounted to \$450.00 for clerk hire and \$52.00 for books.

The amount paid Branch 60, as directed by the Ninth Supreme Council, was \$2,171.73, also included in the above sum of \$23,656.91, so that the actual amount of general expenses is about \$10,000.00.

The postage bill for this office is enormous, amounting to \$1,381.40 from July 1st, 1893 to April 20th, 1895. The cost of mailing assessments and notices of delinquency causes more than half of said expense. With an increase in Branches will come an increase in postage. To obviate this the assessments should be published in the Bulletin, which should be issued weekly or semi-monthly. The cost of the Bulletin would be increased, but if issued weekly enough advertising could be procured to offset the added expense, but as it is now, comparatively little is given us. By publishing assessments in the Bulletin and discontinuing notices of delinquency, the Order can save at least \$40.00 per month. The actual cost of printing and mailing the Bulletin for the term is \$990.50. With more frequent issues and proper attention the Bulletin could be made self-sustaining; as it is now, it never can be. The balance as shown by the last biennial report could not be collected, but I am pleased to state

that for nearly two years the subscription has been paid in advance and we have no outstanding accounts due the Bulletin.

Knowing that few are so gifted that they make no mistakes, and being aware of the fact that I am not one of the few, I desire to express my thanks, to those of my Brother Supreme officers and the members throughout the Order, with whom I have had dealings, for the kind treatment accorded me, I am confident that while a kindly feeling exists between officers and members there need be no fear of the prosperity of ours, the greatest fraternal organization that exists in the grandest country God's bright sun ever shone upon.

Fraternally Yours,

WILLIAM S. O'ROURKE, *S. S.*

GENERAL FUND ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Cash Balance April 22, 1893..... | \$14,530 09 |
| To cash received for six months ending Oct. 31, 1893... 14,953 30 | |
| To cash received for six months ending April 30, 1894. 10,705 12 | |
| To cash received for six months ending Oct. 31, 1894... 3,560 41 | |
| To cash received for six months ending April 20, 1895. <u>20,678 37</u> | |
| Total receipts for term ending April 20, 1895, including balance April 22, 1893..... | \$64,427 29 |

EXPENDITURES.

| | |
|--|--------------------------------|
| For six months ending Oct. 31, 1893 | \$22,164.85 |
| For six months ending April 30, 1894..... | 10,798 53 |
| For six months ending Oct. 31, 1894 | 6,702 89 |
| For six months ending April 20, 1895..... | 6,738 11 |
| Total expenditures for term ending April 20, 1895. | \$46,404 38 |
| Cash balance April 20, 1895..... | 18,022 91 |
| Total..... | <u>\$64,427 29</u> \$64,427 29 |

General Fund Balance..... \$18,022 91

The General Fund Receipts were derived from the following sources:

| | |
|---|-------------|
| From Per Capita tax..... | \$44,209 53 |
| From Supplies and Benefit Certificates..... | 4,287 16 |
| From Bulletin..... | 934 21 |
| From Directory | 142 00 |
| From Charter Fees | 320 00 |
| From Fines | 4 30 |
| Total receipts | \$49,897 20 |

Expended as follows:

| | |
|---|-------------|
| On account of Bulletin..... | \$ 1,103 20 |
| On account of premium on new members..... | 1,090 12 |
| On account of Salaries..... | 13,200 00 |
| On account of Mileage and Per Diem..... | 6,084 40 |
| On account of general supplies..... | 1,245 95 |
| On account of general expense | 23,656 91 |
| Refunded to Branch 90..... | 16 80 |
| Refunded to Branch 142..... | 7 00 |
| Total..... | \$46,404 38 |

Widows' and Orphans' Benefit Fund Account.

RECEIPTS.

| | |
|---|--|
| Balance April 22, 1893, \$159.48 (less amount of protested check, \$75.85) | \$ 83 63 |
| To cash received for six months ending Oct. 31, 1893. | 378,872 21 |
| To cash received for six months ending April 30, 1894. | 318,056 93 |
| To cash received for six months ending Oct. 31, 1894. | 293,264 85 |
| To cash received for six months ending April 20, 1895 Total receipts for term ending April 20, 1895, in- cluding balance April 22, 1893 | <u>276,219 24</u> <u>\$1,266,496 86</u> |

DISBURSEMENTS.

| | |
|---|-----------------------|
| Amount of warrants drawn in favor of Beneficiaries for six months ending Oct. 31, 1893 | \$ 358,666 67 |
| Amount of warrants drawn in favor of Beneficiaries for six months ending April 30, 1894..... | 302,733 33 |
| Amount of warrants drawn in favor of Beneficiaries for six months ending Oct. 31, 1894..... | 278,100 00 |
| Amount of warrants drawn in favor of Beneficiaries for six months ending April 20, 1895 | 263,300 00 |
| Amount paid to Sinking Fund Commissioners for six months ending Oct. 31, 1893..... | 18,943 60 |
| Amount paid to Sinking Fund Commissioners for six months ending April 30, 1894 | 15,902 84 |
| Amount paid to Sinking Fund Commissioners for six months ending Oct. 31, 1894..... | 14,663 25 |
| Amount paid to Sinking Fund Commissioners for six months ending April 20, 1895 | <u>13,810 96</u> |
| Total amount of warrants drawn in favor of Beneficiaries and amount paid to Sinking Fund Commissioners from April 22, 1893, to April 20, 1895..... | \$1,266,120 65 |
| Balance in Treasury not drawn against..... | 376 21 |
| Total..... | <u>\$1,266,496 86</u> |
| Cash Balance, W. & O. B. Fund..... | \$376 21 |

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

ASSETS.

| | |
|---|------------------|
| Cash on hand | \$ 18,399 12 |
| Amount due from Benefit Certificates..... | 131 00 |
| Amount due from Per Capita Tax..... | 1,492 00 |
| Supplies on hand..... | 791 51 |
| Furniture in Supreme Offices..... | 1,000 00 |
| Due on Assessments called..... | 113,960 68 |
| Total Assets..... | \$135,774 31 |

LIABILITIES.

| | |
|--|------------------|
| Amount due Beneficiaries for which assessments have been called..... | \$102,116 67 |
| Surplus over Liabilities..... | \$ 33,657 64 |
| Liabilities on 31 deaths for which no assessments have been called..... | \$ 53,500 00 |

PROFITS FROM SUPPLIES.

| | |
|---|--------------------|
| Cash received from Supplies and Benefit Certificates. | \$4,287 16 |
| Amount due from Benefit Certificates..... | 131 00— \$4,418 16 |
| By cash paid for Supplies | 1,245 95 |
| Supplies on hand..... | 791 51 |
| Profits | 2,380 70— 4,418 16 |

STATEMENT SHOWING CONDITION OF BULLETIN ACCOUNT.

| | |
|--|--------------------------------|
| Cash received for term | \$ 934 21 |
| Mailing List and Supplies on hand..... | 92 45 |
| Amount paid for publishing Bulletin..... | \$ 990 50 |
| Amount paid for Mailing List and Supplies..... | 92 45 |
| Amount paid for Postage and Drayage..... | 20 25 |
| Loss on Bulletin for term ending April 20, 1895. | 76 54 |
| Total | \$1,103 20 \$1,103 20 |

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|--|------------|
| Received from Supreme Initiation Fees | \$3,669 00 |
| Received from Toledo Banks Interest on daily balances | 1,172 64 |

Statement showing Receipts from O'Brien's Sureties and
Real Estate transferred to the Order from the
same source.

| | |
|--|----------------------------|
| Net amount of cash received..... | \$16,894 76 |
| Value of Real Estate | 20,000 00 |
| Cash received for rent on Real Estate | 297 92 |
| Amount paid to Sinking Fund Commissioners..... | \$17,192 68 |
| Real Estate on hand..... | 20,000 00 |
| Total..... | \$37,192 68 \$37,192 68 |

RECAPITULATION.

| | |
|--|----------------------------------|
| Balance credit General Fund April 22, 1893..... | \$ 14,530 09 |
| Balance credit W. & O. B. Fund April 22, 1893, \$159.48 (less amount of protested check, \$75.85). . | 83 63 |
| Total receipts, General Fund..... | 49,897 20 |
| Total receipts, W. & O. B. Fund..... | 1,266,413 23 |
| Cash received from O'Brien's sureties..... | 16,894 76 |
| Cash received for Rent | 297 92 |
| Interest on daily balances from Toledo Banks..... | 1,172 64 |
| Supreme Initiation Fees..... | 3,669 00 |
| Amount of warrants drawn on General Fund..... | \$ 46,404 38 |
| Amount of warrants drawn on W. & O. B. Fund.... | 1,202,800 00 |
| Amount of warrants drawn in favor of Sinking Fund Commissioners (5% of W. & O. B.)..... | 63,320 65 |
| Amount of warrants drawn in favor of Sinking Fund Commissioners for cash received from O'Brien's sureties..... | 16,894 76 |
| Amount of warrants drawn in favor of Sinking Fund Commissioners for cash received for rent | 297 92 |
| Amount of warrants drawn in favor of Sinking Fund Commissioners for interest on daily balances.... | 1,172 64 |
| Supreme Initiation Fees credited to Sinking Fund.. | 3,669 00 |
| Total amount of cash in Supreme Treasurer's hands not drawn against, April 20, 1895..... | 18,399 12 |
| Total..... | \$1,352,958 47 \$1,352,958 47 |

Since the foundation of the Order 739 Branches have been organized, 198 have suspended or dissolved, leaving 541 Branches in good standing, to date.

The death roll shows 514 full, 120 half and 6 quarter rate members, making a total of 640, having died during the term, for which 73 assessments have been called. There are 31 deaths reported for which no assessments have been called, making a total of 671 deaths.

The total amount paid into the Widow's and Orphan's Fund from April 22, 1893, to April 20, 1895, is \$1,202,800.00.

The total amount paid Widows and Orphans from date of organization to April 20, 1895, is \$6,023,413.33.

Branches chartered during the term, 32.

New business written:—

| | |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Total issues | 4587 |
| Less re-issues | 1158 |
| Net..... | <u>3429</u> |
| 1485 full rate | \$2,970,000 00 |
| 1571 half rate..... | 1,571,000 00 |
| 362 quarter rate..... | 181,000 00 |
| 8 half to full rate..... | 8,000 00 |
| 3 quarter to full rate..... | 4,500 00 |
| 3429 Total..... | <u>\$4,734,500 00</u> |

INVOICE OF SUPPLIES.

| | |
|--|-----------------|
| 287 Charters..... | \$ 51 66 |
| 181 Uniform Dispensation Blanks..... | 3 62 |
| 867 Dues and Assessment Books..... | 160 38 |
| 451 Roll Books | 94 71 |
| 184 Bonds | 1 17 |
| 3680 Benefit Certificates..... | 55 20 |
| 389 Blotter Books..... | 79 64 |
| 836 Treasurer's Account Books | 58 52 |
| 583 Death Proof Blanks..... | 3 62 |
| 824 Member's Account Books..... | 28 84 |
| 467 Treasurer's Receipt Books | 18 06 |
| 448 Treasurer's Order Books..... | 17 40 |
| 961 Form 10..... | 128 13 |
| 312 Form 12..... | 32 76 |
| 1442 Notification of Assessment (Postals)..... | 15 86 |
| 1304 Application Blanks..... | 4 65 |
| 3980 Medical Examination Blanks | 17 91 |
| 542 Withdrawal Cards..... | 1 35 |
| 450 Final Cards..... | 4 50 |
| 447 Clearance Cards..... | 4 47 |
| 725 Traveling Cards..... | 9 06 |
| Total | <u>\$791 51</u> |

MEMBERSHIP BY STATES.

| ALABAMA. | | | | CONNECTICUT. | | | | | | |
|--------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|----------|---------------------|------------------|----------------------|---------|----|----|-----|
| No. | Branch | Location. | Total .. | Branch | Location. | Total .. | Quarter | | | |
| *37 | Mobile | | | *453 | New Haven..... | | | | | |
| 73 | Selma | 9 | 11 | *500 | Bridgeport..... | | | | | |
| *302 | Wistler | | | 508 | Portland..... | 14 | 13 | | | |
| 389 | Mobile | 73 | 76 | *516 | Southington..... | | | | | |
| 445 | Cullman | 11 | 19 | | | | | | | |
| 448 | Montgomery | 28 | 29 | | | | | | | |
| *524 | Birmingham | | | | Total for State | 14 | 13 | | | |
| | Total Membership in State..... | 121 | 14 | | | | 27 | | | |
| ARKANSAS. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 79 | Little Rock | 54 | 11 | 65 | 170 | Washington..... | 97 | 14 | 1 | 112 |
| 102 | Fort Smith | 91 | 4 | 98 | 199 | Washington..... | 41 | 5 | 1 | 47 |
| 190 | Helena | 4 | 4 | 1 | 212 | Washington..... | 36 | 6 | | 42 |
| 202 | Pine Bluff | 15 | 1 | 16 | 224 | Washington..... | 31 | 2 | | 33 |
| 476 | Pocahontas | 5 | 14 | 3 | 419 | Washington..... | 56 | 22 | | 78 |
| *629 | Little Rock | | | 22 | 537 | Washington..... | 20 | 18 | 1 | 39 |
| 652 | Fort Smith | 14 | 5 | 19 | *591 | Anacostia..... | | | | |
| | Total for State | 183 | 39 | 7 | 621 | Washington..... | 22 | 6 | | 28 |
| | | | | 712 | Washington..... | 17 | 7 | 2 | 26 | |
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| | | | | | | | | | | |
| CALIFORNIA. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 197 | San Francisco .. | 37 | 5 | 42 | 210 | Pensacola..... | 35 | | | 35 |
| 292 | North Temescal .. | 60 | 12 | 72 | | | | | | |
| 316 | San Francisco .. | 14 | | 14 | | | | | | |
| *326 | San Francisco .. | | | | GEORGIA. | | | | | |
| 333 | San Francisco .. | 15 | 1 | 16 | 20 | Atlanta..... | 55 | 5 | 1 | 61 |
| 345 | San Francisco .. | 16 | | 16 | 38 | Savannah..... | 132 | 2 | | 134 |
| 397 | Los Angeles | 11 | 6 | 1 | 62 | Augusta..... | 88 | 4 | | 92 |
| 422 | Sacramento | 47 | 12 | 1 | 66 | Augusta..... | 34 | 1 | | 35 |
| 437 | San Francisco .. | 28 | 4 | 32 | 75 | Macon..... | 26 | | | 26 |
| 485 | Oakland | 27 | 4 | 3 | 458 | Albany | 10 | | | 10 |
| 504 | Oakland | 33 | 18 | 8 | 681 | Savannah | 10 | 3 | | 13 |
| *619 | San Jose | | | 59 | | | | | | |
| 638 | Los Angeles | 16 | 3 | 19 | | | | | | |
| *651 | San Diego | | | | | | | | | |
| 702 | Oakland | 1 | 8 | 6 | | | | | | |
| 736 | Berkley | 3 | 3 | 3 | | | | | | |
| | Total for State | 308 | 76 | 22 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| COLORADO. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 323 | Central City | 16 | | 16 | IDAHO. | | | | | |
| 364 | Georgetown | 14 | 6 | 20 | 492 | Boise City..... | 3 | 4 | 4 | 11 |
| 366 | Denver | 35 | 2 | 37 | | | | | | |
| 414 | Pueblo | 20 | 5 | 1 | | | | | | |
| 433 | Colorado Springs | 9 | | 9 | ILLINOIS. | | | | | |
| 536 | Leadville | 76 | 4 | 80 | 50 | Trenton | 21 | 12 | | 33 |
| | Total for State | 170 | 17 | 1 | 113 | Breese | 16 | 2 | | 18 |
| | | | | | *117 | Chicago | | | | |
| | | | | | 123 | East St. Louis | 12 | 1 | | 13 |
| | | | | | 125 | Bellefonte | 38 | 13 | | 51 |
| | | | | | 133 | Peoria | 5 | 10 | | 15 |
| | | | | | 149 | Mt. Sterling | 6 | 3 | | 9 |
| | | | | | 172 | Chicago | 16 | 2 | | 18 |
| | | | | | 173 | Olin-y | 8 | 1 | 2 | 11 |
| | | | | | 174 | Effingham | 30 | 23 | | 53 |
| | | | | | *178 | Mattoon | 8 | 3 | | 11 |
| | | | | | 179 | Centralia | | | | |

* No Report from this Branch.

MEMBERSHIP BY STATES.—Continued.

| ILLINOIS.—Continued. | | | | INDIANA.—Continued. | | | | | | | |
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| No. . . . | Branch | Location. | | No. . . . | Branch | Location. | | | | | |
| | | Total . . . | Quarter | | | Full . . . | Quarter | | | | |
| | | Half . . . | | | | Half . . . | | | | | |
| | | Full . . . | | | | Full . . . | | | | | |
| 191 | | Newton..... | 10 | 3 | 13 | 46 | Evansville..... | 93 | 15 | 1 | 109 |
| 220 | | Danville | 39 | 29 | 3 | 54 | Jeffersonville..... | 71 | 12 | | 83 |
| 222 | | Quincy..... | 20 | 6 | | 55 | Mt. Vernon | 28 | | | 28 |
| 238 | | Cairo..... | 31 | 24 | 3 | 63 | Loogootee | 23 | 1 | | 24 |
| 243 | | Marshall..... | 10 | 4 | | 65 | Wabash..... | 16 | 1 | | 17 |
| 266 | | Red Bud..... | 49 | 16 | 1 | 69 | Madison..... | 34 | 14 | | 48 |
| 273 | | Highland | 21 | 5 | | 77 | Evansville..... | 54 | 18 | | 72 |
| 279 | | Peru..... | 13 | 17 | | 80 | Indianapolis..... | 31 | 85 | 3 | 119 |
| 281 | | Sainte Marie..... | 4 | 6 | | 103 | Fort Wayne | 153 | 9 | 1 | 163 |
| 283 | | Prairie du Rocher..... | 8 | 7 | | 111 | Terre Haute..... | 31 | 9 | | 40 |
| 294 | | Springfield..... | 26 | 1 | | 119 | Jasper..... | 29 | 25 | 4 | 58 |
| 310 | | Chicago..... | 14 | 5 | | 158 | Covington | 6 | 10 | | 16 |
| 313 | | DuQuoin..... | 5 | 9 | | 164 | Columbus..... | 23 | | | 23 |
| *314 | | Chicago..... | | | | 206 | Washington | 21 | 7 | | 28 |
| 317 | | South Chicago..... | 19 | 30 | 1 | 256 | Vincennes..... | 31 | 16 | 3 | 50 |
| 327 | | Germantown | 27 | 4 | | 296 | Avilla..... | 13 | 20 | 4 | 37 |
| *386 | | Mt. Carmel..... | | | | 339 | New Haven | 26 | 8 | | 34 |
| 390 | | Sterling..... | 10 | 23 | | 408 | South Bend | 20 | 17 | 5 | 42 |
| 391 | | Chicago..... | 25 | 50 | 1 | 413 | Columbia City | 8 | 10 | 6 | 24 |
| 392 | | Paris..... | 6 | 5 | 1 | 496 | Mishawaka | 15 | 20 | 1 | 36 |
| 443 | | Chicago..... | 20 | 6 | | 503 | Logansport | 38 | 16 | 10 | 64 |
| 452 | | Hardin..... | 14 | 6 | | 511 | Evansville | 40 | 22 | 2 | 64 |
| *464 | | Decatur..... | | | | 519 | Cannelton | 5 | 21 | 6 | 32 |
| 479 | | Chicago..... | 18 | 14 | | 523 | Lawrenceberg | 12 | 13 | | 25 |
| 482 | | Chicago..... | 16 | 10 | 1 | 527 | La Fayette | 21 | 21 | | 42 |
| 487 | | Chicago..... | 16 | 4 | | 533 | Vincennes | 25 | 27 | 2 | 54 |
| 515 | | Chicago..... | 8 | 15 | | 534 | Huntingburg | 12 | 12 | | 24 |
| 525 | | Pana..... | 6 | | | 554 | Evansville | 36 | 35 | | 71 |
| 538 | | Mound City..... | 12 | 1 | 1 | 557 | Tell City | 1 | 41 | 3 | 45 |
| 544 | | Collinsville..... | 3 | 19 | 2 | 563 | Indianapolis | 16 | 10 | | 26 |
| 592 | | Chicago..... | 8 | 30 | 9 | 566 | Fort Wayne | 36 | 8 | | 44 |
| 614 | | Bloomington..... | 16 | 4 | | 574 | Connersville | 8 | 17 | 3 | 28 |
| 670 | | Teutopolis..... | 4 | 9 | | 580 | Garrett | 14 | 14 | 3 | 31 |
| 679 | | Chicago..... | 3 | 15 | 5 | 587 | Schnellville | 5 | 8 | 1 | 14 |
| 699 | | Cairo..... | 14 | 12 | 5 | 588 | Ferdinand | 10 | 49 | 8 | 67 |
| 710 | | Chicago..... | 1 | 5 | 1 | 607 | Madison | 5 | 15 | 1 | 21 |
| 714 | | Clinton..... | | 6 | 6 | 627 | Troy | 3 | 7 | | 10 |
| *725 | | Gibson City..... | | | | 630 | Terre Haute | 9 | 5 | 2 | 16 |
| 726 | | Melvin..... | 1 | 8 | 4 | 634 | Richmond | 3 | 16 | | 21 |
| 727 | | Farmer City..... | 5 | 3 | 1 | 643 | Madison | 15 | 2 | | 20 |
| 734 | | Chicago..... | 1 | 6 | 5 | 646 | Anderson | 22 | 6 | | 28 |
| 735 | | Chicago..... | | 6 | 2 | 648 | Winamac..... | 7 | 18 | 10 | 35 |
| | | | | | | 671 | Evansville | 22 | 6 | | 28 |
| | | | | | | 693 | Oldenburg | 13 | 19 | 1 | 33 |
| | | | | | | 701 | South Bend | 5 | 21 | 5 | 31 |
| | | | | | | 713 | Haubstadt | 9 | 9 | | 18 |
| | | | | | | 715 | Fort Wayne | 14 | 27 | 15 | 56 |
| 7 | | New Albany | 48 | 3 | | 719 | St. Joseph | 3 | 5 | 1 | 9 |
| 9 | | New Albany | 52 | 5 | | 723 | St. Wendell | 9 | 9 | | 18 |
| 22 | | Indianapolis..... | 103 | 11 | | 724 | Liberty | 1 | 7 | 23 | 31 |
| 42 | | Peru | 44 | 31 | 7 | 737 | Fort Wayne | 1 | 4 | 3 | 8 |

* No Report from this Branch,

MEMBERSHIP BY STATES.—*Continued.*

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MEMBERSHIP BY STATES.—Continued.

| MASSACHUSETTS. | | | | | MISSOURI.—Continued. | | | | |
|-----------------|-----------------------|----------|----------|----------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------|----------|----------|
| Branch No. | Location. | Full ... | Half ... | Total .. | Branch No. | Location. | Full ... | Half ... | Total .. |
| 288 | Florence | 6 | 22 | 29 | 93 | Booneville | 26 | 5 | 31 |
| 379 | North Attleboro | 18 | 11 | 29 | 96 | Moberly | 8 | 21 | 10 |
| 402 | Fall River | 15 | 7 | 22 | 99 | St. Louis | 80 | 9 | 89 |
| 603 | Millville | 4 | 15 | 19 | 108 | Hannibal | 20 | 13 | 33 |
| | Total for State | 43 | 55 | 99 | 109 | St. Louis | 53 | 9 | 62 |
| | | | | | 126 | St. Louis | 83 | 10 | 94 |
| | | | | | 134 | St. Louis | 42 | 7 | 49 |
| | | | | | 139 | Potosi | 15 | | 15 |
| | | | | | 145 | St. Louis | 54 | 12 | 66 |
| | | | | | *148 | Kansas City | | | |
| 17 | Niles | 18 | | 18 | 156 | St. Louis | 65 | 157 | 12 |
| 23 | Benton Harbor | 17 | 6 | 23 | 167 | St. Louis | 63 | 30 | 93 |
| *51 | Menominee | | | | 168 | St. Louis | 25 | 10 | 37 |
| 160 | Opechee | 5 | 16 | 21 | 169 | St. Louis | 67 | 13 | 80 |
| 577 | L'Anse | 10 | 2 | 12 | 183 | St. Louis | 69 | 9 | 78 |
| | Total for State | 50 | 24 | 74 | 203 | St. Joseph | 34 | 2 | 36 |
| | | | | | 214 | Jefferson City | 36 | 12 | 48 |
| | | | | | 225 | Pacific | 9 | 3 | 13 |
| | | | | | 239 | St. Joseph | 41 | 2 | 43 |
| | | | | | 240 | Manchester | 7 | 11 | 19 |
| | | | | | 248 | St. Louis | 198 | 240 | 17 |
| | | | | | 254 | Millwood | 15 | 4 | 19 |
| | | | | | 257 | St. Louis | 19 | 15 | 34 |
| | | | | | 274 | Cape Girardeau | 14 | 7 | 21 |
| | | | | | 275 | St. Louis | 9 | 12 | 21 |
| | | | | | 282 | St. Louis | 46 | 33 | 1 |
| | | | | | 300 | St. Louis | 82 | 29 | 111 |
| | | | | | 306 | St. Louis | 131 | 141 | 8 |
| | | | | | 307 | St. Louis | 22 | 6 | 28 |
| | | | | | 308 | St. Louis | 41 | 12 | 53 |
| | | | | | *309 | St. Louis | | | |
| | | | | | *315 | North Springfield | | | |
| | | | | | 319 | Kansas City | 43 | 6 | 1 |
| | | | | | 337 | St. Louis | 39 | 19 | 4 |
| | | | | | 346 | Bridgetown | 9 | 4 | 13 |
| | | | | | 368 | Normandy | 9 | 3 | 12 |
| | | | | | 369 | Portage Des Sioux | 26 | 11 | 37 |
| | | | | | 374 | Edina | 15 | 9 | 24 |
| | | | | | 400 | Florissant | 18 | 10 | 28 |
| | | | | | 405 | St. Louis | 20 | 3 | 23 |
| | | | | | 406 | St. Genevieve | 15 | 13 | 28 |
| | | | | | 407 | St. Louis | 39 | 34 | 3 |
| | | | | | 425 | Macon City | 4 | 4 | 8 |
| | | | | | 427 | St. Louis | 106 | 71 | 4 |
| | | | | | 432 | St. Louis | 17 | 5 | 22 |
| | | | | | 434 | St. Louis | 28 | 75 | 6 |
| | | | | | 435 | Palmyra | 5 | 5 | 10 |
| | | | | | 447 | St. Louis | 68 | 16 | 84 |
| | | | | | 454 | Washington | 17 | 2 | 19 |
| | | | | | 470 | Old Monroe | 10 | 5 | 15 |
| | | | | | 491 | Morrison | 12 | 5 | 19 |

* No Report for this Branch.

MEMBERSHIP BY STATES.—*Continued.*

| MISSOURI.—Continued. | | | | | NEW MEXICO. | | | | | |
|-------------------------|-----------------|---------|--------|---------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------|--------|---------|-----|
| Branch No. | Location. | Quarter | Half.. | Total.. | Branch No. | Location. | Quarter | Half.. | Total.. | |
| 499 Rothville | 10 | 6 | 21 | 31 | *324 Las Vegas | 7 | 1 | | 8 | |
| 501 St. Peters | 13 | 18 | | 31 | 341 Santa Fe | 21 | 2 | | 23 | |
| 521 Kansas City | 11 | 4 | 15 | | 378 Albuquerque | | | | | |
| 552 St Louis | 31 | 48 | 5 | 84 | | | | | | |
| 556 St. Louis | 21 | 33 | 3 | 57 | | Total for Ter'y | 28 | 3 | 31 | |
| 560 Kansas City | 4 | 3 | 2 | 9 | | NEVADA. | | | | |
| 562 Kansas City | 10 | 9 | | 19 | | 442 Virginia City ... | 54 | | 54 | |
| 567 St. Louis | 16 | 8 | | 24 | | 466 Austin | 18 | | 18 | |
| 573 Kansas City | 15 | 2 | 1 | 18 | | Total for State | 72 | | 72 | |
| 589 St. Joseph | 11 | | | 11 | | NEW YORK. | | | | |
| 590 De Soto | 1 | 20 | 3 | 24 | | 8 Elmira | 29 | 3 | 32 | |
| 596 Webster Grove | 8 | 8 | 1 | 17 | | 26 Corning | 36 | 5 | 41 | |
| 599 St. Louis | 33 | 15 | 2 | 50 | | *4 Binghamton | 91 | 10 | 101 | |
| 611 St. Charles | 49 | 47 | | 96 | | 91 Elmira | 13 | 3 | 16 | |
| 613 St. Paul | 26 | 6 | | 32 | | 124 New York | 56 | 13 | 70 | |
| 615 Kansas City | 4 | 2 | 4 | 10 | | 184 New York | 18 | 6 | 24 | |
| 628 Kirkwood | 5 | 8 | 1 | 14 | | 186 Brooklyn | 115 | 34 | 155 | |
| 632 Byrnesville | 8 | 3 | 9 | 20 | | 193 Brooklyn | 61 | 19 | 80 | |
| 640 Arcadia | 2 | 7 | 1 | 10 | | 204 Brooklyn | 98 | 65 | 166 | |
| 645 California | 22 | 6 | | 28 | | 242 Brooklyn | 15 | 4 | 19 | |
| 682 Fredericktown | | 6 | 16 | 22 | | 244 Brooklyn | 55 | 41 | 101 | |
| 692 St. Louis | 37 | 2 | | 39 | | 253 Brooklyn | 12 | | 12 | |
| 695 Montrose | | 11 | 2 | 13 | | 258 New York | 37 | 5 | 42 | |
| 703 St. Louis | 12 | 11 | 1 | 24 | | 270 New York | 53 | 11 | 64 | |
| 717 Monett | 8 | 2 | 3 | 13 | | 321 Brooklyn | 85 | 51 | 140 | |
| 728 Springfield | 2 | 6 | 3 | 11 | | 371 New York | 7 | 2 | 9 | |
| 732 St. Louis | 15 | 18 | 3 | 36 | | 396 Brooklyn | 15 | | 15 | |
| | Total for State | 2512 | 1535 | 133 | 4180 | | 398 New York | 62 | 17 | 1 |
| | | | | | | | 411 New York | 27 | 14 | 41 |
| MONTANA. | | | | | | *415 New York | | | | |
| 298 Helena | 50 | 6 | 1 | 57 | | 417 Brooklyn | 19 | 5 | 24 | |
| 705 Great Falls | 10 | 4 | 4 | 18 | | 423 New York | 19 | 4 | 23 | |
| | Total for State | 60 | 10 | 5 | 75 | | 439 New York | 67 | 35 | 6 |
| | | | | | | *473 Astoria | | | | |
| NEBRASKA. | | | | | | 514 Wap'ingers Falls | 7 | 10 | 17 | |
| 267 Columbus | 14 | 2 | | 16 | | 518 Binghamton | 40 | 7 | 47 | |
| 292 Omaha | 41 | 7 | | 48 | | 569 New York | 10 | 12 | 2 | |
| 403 West Point | 14 | 39 | | 53 | | 694 Brooklyn | 4 | 8 | 3 | |
| 440 North Platte | 10 | 6 | 2 | 18 | | 729 Fish-kill-on-Hudson | 4 | 6 | 3 | |
| 462 O'Neill | 4 | 5 | 1 | 10 | | Total for State | 1040 | 405 | 34 | |
| 512 Grand Island | 4 | 7 | | 11 | | | | | 1479 | |
| 668 Monterey | 9 | 3 | | 12 | | OHIO. | | | | |
| 675 Hartington | 5 | 23 | 8 | 36 | | 13 Galion | 6 | | | |
| | Total for State | 101 | 92 | 11 | 204 | | 60 Cincinnati | 395 | 19 | 414 |
| NEW JERSEY. | | | | | | 94 Cincinnati | 96 | 26 | 122 | |
| 426 Montclair | 12 | 27 | 1 | 40 | | 100 Lima | 28 | 4 | 32 | |

* No report from this Branch.

MEMBERSHIP BY STATES.—*Continued.*

| OHIO.— <i>Continued.</i> | | | | PENNSYLVANIA.— <i>Continued.</i> | | | | | | |
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| No. | Branch | Location. | | No. | Branch | Location. | | | | |
| | | Total . . . | | | | Quarter . . . | Total . . . | | | |
| | | Full . . . | | | | Half . . . | | | | |
| | | Quarter . . . | | | | Full . . . | | | | |
| | | Half . . . | | | | Half . . . | | | | |
| 106 | | Hamilton | 53 | 6 | 59 | 548 | Derry Station | 12 | 15 | 27 |
| 135 | | Cincinnati | 22 | 4 | 26 | 549 | Carbondale | 42 | 47 | 89 |
| 136 | | Cincinnati | 104 | 18 | 123 | 555 | New Castle | 2 | 5 | 8 |
| 140 | | Columbus | 27 | 24 | 51 | 572 | Harrisburg | 1 | 7 | 2 |
| 141 | | Mansfield | 7 | 1 | 8 | 593 | Greensburg | 15 | 10 | 25 |
| 142 | | Defiance | 11 | 13 | 24 | 598 | Altoona | 7 | 15 | 35 |
| 147 | | Toledo | 22 | 23 | 45 | 612 | Pottsville | 3 | 16 | 1 |
| 182 | | Cincinnati | 69 | 9 | 78 | 674 | Scranton | 1 | 4 | 12 |
| 192 | | Dayton | 20 | 5 | 25 | 676 | Beatty Station | 4 | 25 | 1 |
| 194 | | Toledo | 96 | 29 | 132 | 680 | Connellsville | 6 | 7 | 13 |
| 200 | | Tiffin | 14 | 1 | 15 | 706 | Bristol | 10 | 4 | 18 |
| 215 | | Sidney | 26 | 5 | 33 | 720 | Philadelphia | 5 | 9 | 4 |
| 227 | | Akron | 14 | 1 | 15 | 733 | Philadelphia | 7 | 8 | 1 |
| 249 | | Toledo | 37 | 2 | 39 | | | | | 16 |
| 290 | | Fremont | 9 | 26 | 35 | | | | | |
| 338 | | Piqua | 8 | 12 | 21 | | | | | |
| 438 | | Delphos | 25 | 25 | 50 | | | | | |
| 478 | | Defiance | 4 | 4 | 8 | | | | | |
| 553 | | Carthage | 12 | 5 | 17 | | | | | |
| 561 | | Toledo | 8 | 5 | 14 | | | | | |
| 575 | | Carey | 3 | 7 | 10 | | | | | |
| 585 | | Cincinnati | 36 | 32 | 73 | | | | | |
| 604 | | St. Bernard | 26 | 17 | 44 | | | | | |
| 636 | | Payne | 10 | 4 | 14 | | | | | |
| 690 | | Salem | 2 | 12 | 14 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Total for State | 1190 | 339 | 181547 | | | | | |
| OREGON. | | | | | | | | | | |
| *205 | | Portland | | | | | | | | |
| 451 | | The Dalles | 18 | 1 | 19 | | | | | |
| 647 | | Oregon City | 5 | 6 | 13 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Total for State | 23 | 7 | 43 | | | | | |
| PENNSYLVANIA. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30 | | Blossburg | 21 | 7 | 28 | | | | | |
| 56 | | Philadelphia | 34 | 7 | 41 | | | | | |
| *57 | | Philadelphia | | | | | | | | |
| 98 | | Erie | 61 | 8 | 69 | | | | | |
| 118 | | Philadelphia | 175 | 57 | 6238 | | | | | |
| 122 | | Philadelphia | 82 | 26 | 3111 | | | | | |
| 146 | | Philadelphia | 42 | 9 | 55 | | | | | |
| 226 | | Oil City | 25 | 1 | 26 | | | | | |
| *286 | | Philadelphia | | | | | | | | |
| 393 | | Corry | 15 | 6 | 21 | | | | | |
| 468 | | McKeesport | 4 | 5 | 9 | | | | | |
| 489 | | Latrobe | 13 | 29 | 446 | | | | | |
| 509 | | Philadelphia | 10 | 4 | 14 | | | | | |
| 530 | | Philadelphia | 12 | 10 | 22 | | | | | |
| 539 | | Philadelphia | 8 | 10 | 119 | | | | | |
| 546 | | Union City | 6 | 1 | 7 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| SOUTH CAROLINA. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 152 | | Charleston | | | | | | | | |
| 320 | | Charleston | | | | | | | | |
| 535 | | Charleston | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | Total for State | 92 | 6 | 98 | | | | | |
| SOUTH DAKOTA. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 384 | | Mitchell | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | |
| TENNESSEE. | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1 | | Nashville | | | | | | | | |
| 3 | | Nashville | | | | | | | | |
| 28 | | Memphis | | | | | | | | |
| 35 | | Memphis | | | | | | | | |
| 68 | | East Nashville | | | | | | | | |
| 71 | | Chattanooga | | | | | | | | |
| 90 | | Jackson | | | | | | | | |
| 110 | | Clarksville | | | | | | | | |
| 112 | | Knoxville | | | | | | | | |

* No report from this Branch.

MEMBERSHIP BY STATES.—*Continued.*TENNESSEE—*Continued.*

| Branch No. | Location. | Total. | | |
|------------|------------------|---------|--------|---------|
| | | Quarter | Half.. | Full... |
| 177 | Memphis..... | 25 | 1 | 26 |
| 459 | Memphis..... | 16 | | 16 |
| 471 | Memphis..... | 39 | 1 | 40 |
| 637 | Chattanooga..... | 22 | 1 | 23 |
| 686 | Nashville..... | 20 | | 20 |
| | Total for State | 576 | 15 | 591 |

TEXAS.

| | | | | |
|-----|----------------------|-----|-----|--------|
| 70 | Dallas..... | 17 | | 17 |
| 97 | Fort Worth..... | 29 | 1 | 30 |
| 107 | Jefferson..... | 17 | | 17 |
| 120 | Texarkana..... | 24 | | 24 |
| 166 | Galveston..... | 62 | 1 | 63 |
| 260 | Palestine..... | 9 | | 9 |
| 269 | Dennison..... | 28 | 1 | 29 |
| 276 | Marshall..... | 12 | 1 | 13 |
| 304 | San Antonio..... | 81 | 13 | 97 |
| 354 | Houston..... | 41 | 4 | 45 |
| 382 | Austin..... | 38 | 16 | 56 |
| 522 | Galveston..... | 29 | 5 | 34 |
| 531 | Galveston..... | 20 | 9 | 29 |
| 542 | Houston..... | 14 | 3 | 20 |
| 545 | El Paso..... | 10 | 1 | 12 |
| 564 | Hallettsville..... | 25 | 13 | 41 |
| 657 | Seguin..... | 4 | 8 | 14 |
| 659 | Gainesville..... | 13 | 1 | 14 |
| 669 | Taylor..... | 10 | 12 | 24 |
| 678 | Dallas..... | 4 | 1 | 6 |
| 691 | Corpus Christi | 6 | 8 | 12 |
| 697 | Cuero..... | 9 | 2 | 13 |
| 700 | Schulenberg..... | 12 | 24 | 38 |
| 738 | Laredo..... | 9 | | 9 |
| | Total for State | 523 | 124 | 33 680 |

UTAH.

| | | | | |
|-----|---------------------------|----|----|------|
| 420 | Ogden..... | 14 | 1 | 15 |
| 711 | Salt Lake..... | 7 | 16 | 25 |
| | Total for Territory | 21 | 17 | 2 40 |

* No report from this Branch.

VIRGINIA.

| Branch No. | Location. | Total.. | | |
|------------|----------------------|---------|--------|---------|
| | | Quarter | Half.. | Full... |
| 143 | Richmond..... | 52 | | 53 |
| 151 | Portsmouth..... | 19 | | 19 |
| 153 | Fortress Monroe..... | 9 | 2 | 11 |
| 159 | Norfolk..... | 29 | 2 | 31 |
| 162 | Richmond..... | 30 | 4 | 34 |
| 540 | Petersburg..... | 19 | 13 | 1 33 |
| 688 | Roanoke..... | 7 | 2 | 9 |
| | Total for State | 165 | 24 | 1 190 |

WASHINGTON.

| | | | | | |
|-----|------------------|----|----|---|----|
| 357 | Walla Walla..... | 42 | 12 | 7 | 61 |
| 410 | Vancouver..... | 7 | | | 7 |
| 455 | Sprague..... | 11 | 3 | | 14 |
| | Total for State | 60 | 15 | 7 | 82 |

WEST VIRGINIA.

| | | | | | |
|----|------------------|----|---|--|----|
| 2 | Grafton..... | 23 | | | 23 |
| 19 | Parkersburg..... | 30 | 1 | | 31 |
| | Total for State | 53 | 1 | | 54 |

WISCONSIN.

| | | | | | |
|------|---------------------|----|---|--|----|
| 67 | Racine..... | 8 | 1 | | 9 |
| 76 | Manitowoc..... | 12 | | | 12 |
| 144 | La Crosse..... | 6 | 1 | | 7 |
| 150 | Green Bay..... | 8 | 5 | | 13 |
| *241 | Chippewa Falls..... | | | | |
| | Total for State | 34 | 7 | | 41 |

WYOMING.

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|-----|---------------|----|---|--|----|
| 605 | Cheyenne..... | 14 | 7 | | 21 |
|-----|---------------|----|---|--|----|

RECAPITULATION BY STATES.

| | Full. | Half. | Quarter. | Total. |
|--|--------|-------|----------|--------|
| Alabama | 121 | 14 | — | 135 |
| Arkansas | 183 | 39 | 7 | 229 |
| California | 308 | 76 | 22 | 406 |
| Colorado Confederate | 170 | 17 | 1 | 188 |
| Connecticut | 14 | 13 | — | 27 |
| District of Columbia Weller | 320 | 80 | 5 | 405 |
| Florida Wash. | 35 | — | — | 35 |
| Georgia | 355 | 15 | 1 | 371 |
| Idaho Benton | 3 | 4 | 4 | 11 |
| Illinois Kenosha Rosie | 663 | 493 | 54 | 1210 |
| Indiana Porter | 1393 | 849 | 139 | 2381 |
| Iowa Kirby | 96 | 39 | 4 | 139 |
| Kansas Re. Suels | 55 | 40 | 2 | 97 |
| Kentucky Smith Seaman | 1966 | 388 | 3 | 2357 |
| Louisiana Culver | 532 | 146 | 19 | 697 |
| Maryland Cowork | 48 | 28 | 5 | 81 |
| Massachusetts | 43 | 55 | 1 | 99 |
| Michigan Alton | 50 | 24 | — | 74 |
| Minnesota Wiley | 129 | 87 | 17 | 233 |
| Mississippi H. Schad | 308 | 43 | 1 | 352 |
| Missouri Reserve Island | 2512 | 1535 | 133 | 4180 |
| Montana Stevens | 60 | 10 | 5 | 75 |
| Nebraska Horniss | 101 | 92 | 11 | 204 |
| New Jersey W. G. Gray | 12 | 27 | 1 | 40 |
| New Mexico Re. O. Keip | 28 | 3 | — | 31 |
| Nevada | 72 | — | — | 72 |
| New York | 1040 | 405 | 34 | 1479 |
| Ohio Ohio | 1190 | 339 | 18 | 1547 |
| Oregon Wood | 23 | 7 | 13 | 43 |
| Pennsylvania | 623 | 352 | 57 | 1032 |
| Rhode Island | 738 | 271 | 35 | 1044 |
| South Carolina | 92 | 6 | — | 98 |
| South Dakota | 12 | 2 | — | 14 |
| Tennessee Hubby | 576 | 15 | — | 591 |
| Texas Off. McCombs | 523 | 124 | 33 | 680 |
| Utah | 21 | 17 | 2 | 40 |
| Virginia | 165 | 24 | 1 | 190 |
| Washington | 60 | 15 | 7 | 82 |
| West Virginia | 53 | 1 | — | 54 |
| Wisconsin | 34 | 7 | — | 41 |
| Wyoming | 14 | 7 | — | 21 |
| Total | 14,741 | 5709 | 635 | 21,086 |



