

in at least 300 applications for membership during this month.

Court Socie, No. 1067, of Colusa, advise us of a grand reunion and banquet to be held on the evening of the 23rd, and invite us to be present. We regret that it will be impossible to accept the invitation so kindly tendered. We are sure, however, that Court Socie will put up an entertainment of which any court or Order might justly feel proud.

Court Socie, No. 1067, enjoys a distinction very seldom met with, in that for three successive terms the H.V.C.R. of our jurisdiction has been chosen from the membership of that court. Each of whom have filled the office with credit to themselves and honor to the Order.

Our H.C.R. has at present 3 new courts under way, and will institute at Martinez on the 23rd inst.; at several other places in the south, ground has been broken, and several new courts will be added to our roster before the expiration of our Forestric year, June 30th.

I enclose copy of an official circular issued by our H.C.R., calling upon all members of the Order in Los Angeles and vicinity to assemble at I.O.F. Hall, 245 South Spring-st. on Sunday, June 16th, for the purpose of attending divine service at First M. E. church, Broadway, on the occasion of the 21st anniversary of our Order.

Invitations have been extended to all courts in South California to meet with us, for which purpose reduced rates on the several railroads will be given, and it is expected that this will be the largest gathering of Foresters ever seen in California. We hope to have from six to eight hundred men in line headed by a band, and Los Angeles Encampment, No. 17, Royal Foresters, in full uniform.

Hoping to see something in your next issue from other portions of our jurisdiction,

I am yours in L. B. and C.,  
W. H. PERRY.

### Ohio.

#### Official Circular, No. 3.

CLEVELAND, O., July 1, 1895.

*To all Courts under this Jurisdiction, greeting.*

You will please give the following items of importance your attention on first meeting night in July, 1895.

1st. You will have the Credentials of your representative to High Court properly filled out, signed and sealed and a duplicate sent to the High Secretary by Aug. 1st, 1895.

2nd. Your semi-annual report (on form No. 25) to High Court made out and sent together with your capitation tax, (25 cents for each member in good standing on July 1, '95) to the High Secretary by July 15, 1895. See constitution, sec. 146-2, 245-4; also all moneys due the High Court for supplies as per statement.

3rd. Instruct your representative; whether it is the wish of your sub-court to have Annual or Biennial Sessions of the High Court.

Providing your court has lost a member by death during the last year, please send the

High Secretary a short notice of the brother deceased.

Should your court have any resolutions or communications for High Court, have them ready in writing and sealed, to be presented by your representative.

Your representation will be one representative for 50 members or less, in good standing on July 1, 1895, and a second one, providing your court has 100 or more members in good standing on July 1, '95.

The next session of High Court of Ohio will be held at Mansfield, O., Oct. 8, at 9:30 a.m., standard time.

Yours in L., B. & C.,  
E. P. HAWLEY,  
High Secretary.  
L. Z. TANNEY,  
High Chief Ranger.

### England.

#### GRAND SOCIAL MEETING OF THE COMBINED COURTS OF LIVERPOOL AND DISTRICT.

LIVERPOOL, 24th May, 1895.

A meeting of the members of the combined courts of Liverpool and district was held last evening in the Grand Central Cafe, North John-street, Liverpool.

One of the brightest features in the programme of a most successful evening was the presence of a large number of ladies.

After an excellent tea had been partaken of, a programme of quite an exceptional character for excellence was submitted.

Bro. S. Southern Chiswell, H.C.R., Mid-England, occupied the chair, and was supported by the High Secretary, and nearly all the C. R.'s. and C.D.H.C.R.'s. in the district. In a short, pithy, and somewhat humorous address, he noticed the presence of ladies, and hoped that when we next met on an occasion of a similar kind he hoped to have the privilege of addressing them as "Sisters."

The programme was then proceeded with, Bro. Barker, C.D.H.C.R., Court Widnes, No. 2126, acting with rare skill and ability as accompanist; Bro. Swain, C.D.H.C.R., Court Liverpool Pioneer, No. 2050, opened with "Jack's Yarn," and as he was in splendid voice, he elicited much applause by his fine rendering of this popular song. Bro. Hicks worked upon the humorous side of his audience to an irresistible degree by his inimitable rendering of the "Dandy Colored Coon," and "At Trinity Church I met my doom." "Anchored," by Bro. Scarlett, and a capital recitation entitled a "Homely bit of Advice," by Bro. Coles, C.R., Court Liverpool, No. 2007, completed the first part of an excellent entertainment.

After an interval of half-an-hour for fraternal greetings and introductions, the second part was proceeded with, the principle feature in which was the wonderful conjuring tricks performed by Bro. Hassall, C.R., Court North Meols, No. 2071, Southport.

A vote of thanks to the various committees who had the arrangement of the meeting in hand, and who carried each detail out to such a successful issue, and coupling with it the names of Bros. Swain, C.D.H.C.R., Court