

have ceased to work, and 38 have been added, making the present number 561.

Number of members as per last report.....	42,598
" initiated during the year.....	4,371
" admitted by card.....	1,261
" reinstated.....	433
" withdrawn by card.....	1,497
" dropped.....	3,283
" expelled.....	167
" deceased.....	374
" of members remaining.....	44,349
Net increase of membership.....	1,744
Number of Brothers relieved.....	3,038
" of Widowed families relieved.....	534
Paid for relief of Brothers.....	\$69,645 15
" of Widows.....	16,379 72
Paid for Education of Orphans.....	382 62
" Charity.....	4,007 33
" Special Donations.....	3,039 11
" Burying the Dead.....	13,559 76
<b>Total paid for relief.....</b>	<b>\$107,010 69</b>
Expenditures last year.....	\$252,267 16
Receipts during the year.....	329,272 12
Cash on hand.....	91,109 45
Investments.....	1,042,854 65
Widows' Fund invested.....	127,795 46
<b>Total Assets.....</b>	<b>\$1,375,899 28</b>
Number of working Lodges.....	561

UTAH.

The R.W. Grand Lodge of Utah, held its first annual session in Salt Lake City, at the Odd-Fellows' Hall, East Temple street, commencing Tuesday, April 20th, 1875.

Past Grand Hemingray presented to the Grand Lodge a beautiful set of jewels; donated by the various subordinate Lodges of the jurisdiction.

The report of the Grand Master was read and properly referred; also receipts from other Grand Officers.

A collection of one hundred volumes of

valuable books was presented to the Grand Lodge by the Grand Master, intended as a nucleus of a library for the use of the Order in Utah.

The election of officers for the coming year resulted as follows: E. M. Wilson, G.M.; L. P. Higbee, D.G.M.; Thos. C. Dunn, G. War.; Henry Simons, G. Sec.; Dan Cram, G. Treas.

WISCONSIN.

The report of the Grand Encampment of Wisconsin to the G.L.U.S. for the year ending Dec. 31st, 1874, is as follows:

Number of working Encampments.....	59
" of Members per last report.....	1,895
" Initiated during the year.....	318
" Admitted by Card.....	33
" Reinstated.....	34
<b>Total of items of gain.....</b>	<b>385</b>
Number withdrawn by card.....	51
" Suspended or dropped.....	150
" Expelled.....	5
" Deceased.....	11
<b>Total of items of loss.....</b>	<b>217</b>
<b>Net gain.....</b>	<b>168</b>
Total membership, Dec. 31st., 1874,	2,063
Revenue of subordinates for the year.....	\$6,415 39
Number of Patriarchs relieved.....	12
" Widowed families relieved.....	10
" Weeks sickness for which benefits were paid.....	44
Paid for relief of Patriarchs.....	\$160,00
" Widowed families.....	336 00
" Burying the Dead.....	140 92
<b>Total relief.....</b>	<b>\$636 92</b>

The next annual session of the Grand Encampment will be held at the same place as that of the Grand Lodge, on Tuesday preceding the first Wednesday in December, 1875, being November 30th, at 10 o'clock a.m.

L. B. HILLS, Grand Scribe.

PUBLISHERS' NOTICES.

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Will those of our agents who have unpaid subscribers on their lists be kind enough to stir up the delinquent Brethren? One dollar and fifty cents is not much in itself; but a number of those items together are of some importance to us.

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The large and increasing circulation of the JOURNAL, which now goes to nearly every Lodge in the Dominion, from Halifax to Victoria, renders it an excellent advertising medium. Our rates for the future will be as under; and are decidedly low when the extent of our circulation is considered:

One square, (single column,) 1 insertion,	\$2.50;	3 months,	\$4;	6 months,	\$6;	1 year,	\$9.
One-eighth page, 1 insertion,	\$ 4;	3 months,	\$ 6;	6 months,	\$ 9;	1 year,	\$12.
One-fourth page,	" 6;	" 9;	" 12;	" 16.			
One-half page	" 9;	" 13;	" 17;	" 22.			
Whole page	" 12;	" 16;	" 22;	" 30.			