

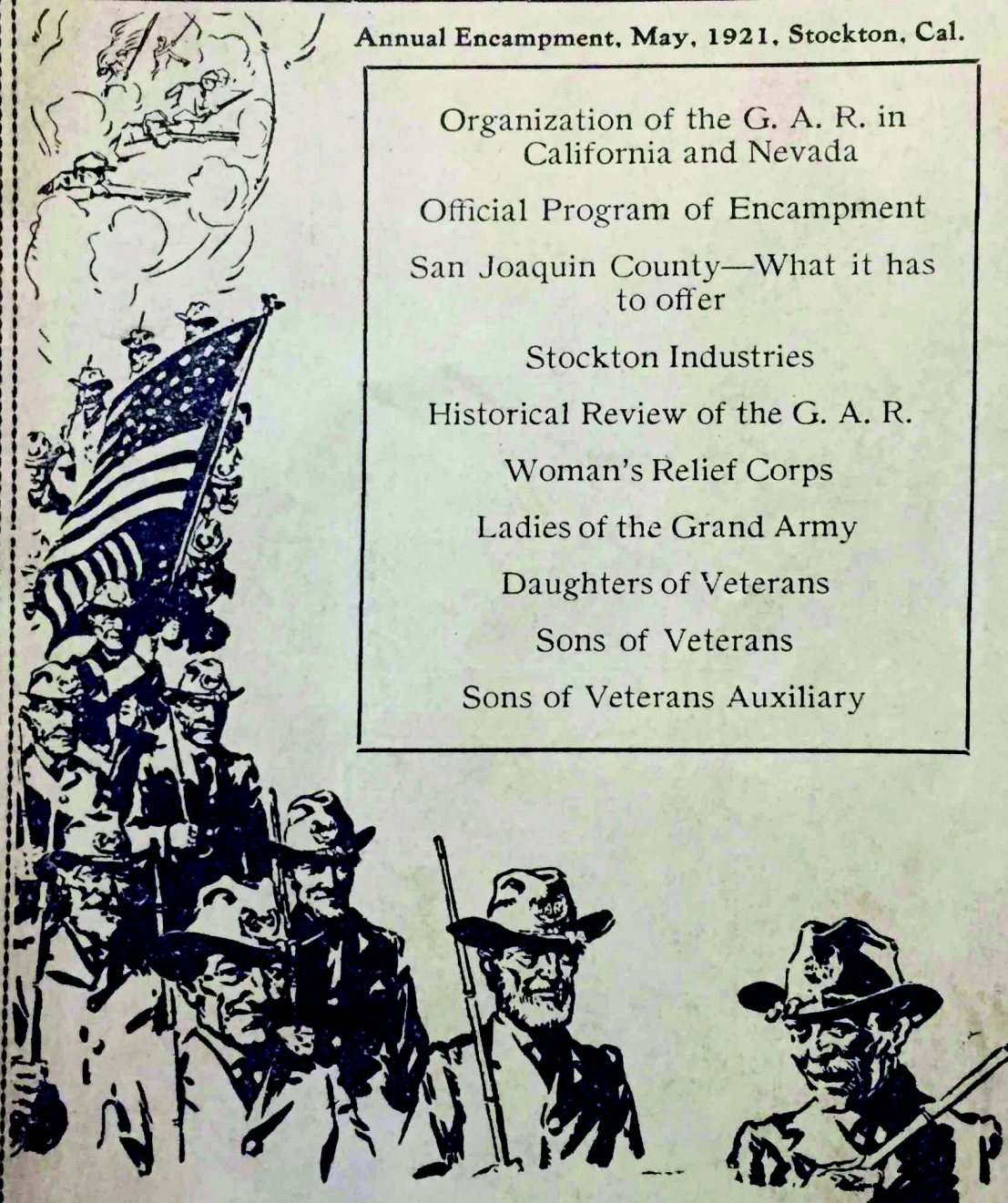
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HISTORICAL REVIEW

G. A. R. AND AFFILIATED ORGANIZATIONS

Annual Encampment, May, 1921, Stockton, Cal.

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DEDICATED TO THE MEMORY
OF
DEPARTMENT COMMANDER
GEORGE D. KELLOGG
WHO DIED
FEBRUARY 21, 1921

Men of Deathless Renown

(By A. L. Banks)

Stockton welcomes the Grand Army of the Republic, convened in its 54th annual departmental encampment.

The years have sped by; the western sun swings low for the Boys in Blue. A new generation has come to possess the land which they saved for Union and Liberty. Time has mellowed the animosities of civil strife and new issues confront the chiefs of today; but the story of what these "boys," now veterans, did in the great crisis of the republic, comes as a heritage to every patriotic heart. The badge of the Grand Army is of more significance than that of Napoleon's Legion of Honor. It cannot be bestowed by the favor of emperor or ruler or state; it was won sixty years ago by the records these men made in the test that tried men's souls.

The Grand Army of the Republic which so gallantly led the vanguard in the war for the Union, is, today, fighting a rear guard action. Nearly a million of their comrades have forded the river and entered the promised land. Before the only power that ever caused them to waver, they are moving to cover under the mists of Time. In remorseless vigor the years are calling the decrees of nature. With increasing frequency taps are sounded by the last resting places of the veterans. Today we greet men whose souls are alight with the same fire that blazed in heroism when came the news that the Flag had been fired on at Fort Sumter. But there is a halt in the quick step; there is not the physical alacrity of those early days. Before many years all shall bivouac under the green sward. The sons and grandsons of the veterans and not comrades shall keep alive the lessons of Memorial day. Yet, today, in dignity and unafraid, exemplars of the highest citizenship, the members of the Grand Army proudly wave their colors in the rays of the setting sun of their memorable day.

To them it was but yesterday when they quivered with patriotic indignation against the news of Sumter; it was but yesterday that they heard the calm and purposeful call to arms to save the Union. It was but yesterday that Father Abraham registered his solemn oath to protect and defend the government of the fathers. Then, in rapid succession, came the calls, drills, and the marshaling of the great armies of blue and their movements against those who would destroy the Union. The faces of Sherman, Grant, "Pap"

Thomas, Hancock, Meade, Hooker, Sheridan, Sigel, Stoneman, Butler, Logan, McClellan, and scores of other gallant commanders are a personal memory to them. The scenes before Vicksburg, at Pittsburg Landing, Chancellorsville, Lookout Mountain, the Wilderness, Gettysburg, Atlanta, Petersburg and a score of sanguinary battles are vivid in their memories. Still reverberating through the years they can hear the cheers of their comrades as, shoulder to shoulder and in quick step, with glistening bayonets and dauntless hearts, they moved against sheets of shot and shell that came from that grey wall built up by embattled brethren of the blood. They can still hear that "Rebel yell," the ping of the "minnie," the shriek of the mortar shell and the swish of the round shot as it sped square at their phalanx ranks. They still can see their emaciated comrades as they came forth from Libby and Andersonville; still they feel the fatigue of the long marches; still they recall the frightful scenes in those early day hospitals.

It is well they do not forget; it is well we do not know. It is sufficient that in four years of service they fought, suffered and struggled on to victory unto that day when the Army of Virginia laid down its arms and the great work of restoring the Union in spirit as in deed was preached in the last utterance of the martyred Lincoln. How fell on their rejoicing spirits the crushing sorrow of Lincoln's fall; they feel unto this day. But they have lived to see the incomparable character of their commander in chief carved into the enduring story of the centuries. They have lived to see the government which trembled under the assaults of civil strife become that of the most powerful on earth. They have lived to hear acclaimed throughout the world the prophetic words of Abraham Lincoln at Gettysburg.

So, if in spirit we venerate them and sigh at the sight of their decimated ranks, may we not in wholesome envy wish that unto us it had been given to see their day. They have come down to us from an America when men had hearts of oak and when the unmixed blood of a patriotic provincialism warmed to the issue of Right and Wrong. They come from a generation when men were giants in purpose and principle, and when the homely virtues of home and fireside permeated the life of the land. What such a foundation of character wrought, the integrity of the nation

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GEORGE D. KELLOGG

In Memoriam

The death of Department Commander George D. Kellogg, was untirely unexpected and a great shock, not only to his family and host of friends, but to his comrades of the Grand Army of the Republic; the Woman's Relief Corps; the Ladies of the Grand Army; the Vicksburg Veterans, and other kindred associations connected with this Department, he having returned from Modesto, only twenty-four hours before his final illness, where he had performed his last official act for his loved ones, the Grand Army of the Republic.

"Would that I could utter, all our hearts can feel,
But there are thoughts, our weak words can not reveal."

Department Commander George D. Kellogg

who answered the last roll call and joined the majority in Fame's Eternal Camping Ground, February 21st, 1921, when for the first time in the history of this Department, its Commander died in office.

George D. Kellogg was born in New York on June 23rd, 1843. In 1862 he enlisted in the Union Army and in the siege of Vicksburg was brevetted Captain. He came to California in 1876 and since then has been continually identified with all that tends towards the upbuilding of the Country; having served as clerk of the School Board of Placer county for thirty-four years and superintendent of Methodist Sunday school for thirty-eight years.

He was elected Commander of the Department of California and Nevada in Santa Barbara, May, 1920, having given his entire time and best efforts for the advancement of the Order he loved so well, visiting Posts and Corps and entering actively into the plans for next Annual Department Convention, always leaving words of encouragement and love wherever he went.

His interest and love for the affiliated organizations to the G. A. R. knew no bounds, and we have lost a true and loyal friend. As Department Commander and Department President our work together was always most happy and harmonious. It was his earnest endeavor to cultivate peace and fraternity amongst the various patriotic orders, his wise counsel and words of encouragement will always remain sacred memories.

"When he went away the world's curtains were drawn tight,

As if some careless hand had forgotten to light
The evening lamp, and in the dark we sat
Trying to cheer each other with talk of this or that
To hide the bitter loss so strange and deep
That came to us when our Commander fell asleep.
Fearless he preached the goldn rule, and lived

it, too;

His thoughts were fragrant blossoms wet with
the dew

Of human kindness, an apostle of crystal truth
That he had made his own from earliest youth;
Upon that sunlit shore where life's glad morning
breaks

May all the beauties that he lived on earth greet
him when he awakes."

Not dead, but only promoted,

He has entered the order above,
And there, 'neath the smiles of the Master,
He will finish his labor of love.

ELLA M. FRENCH,

Department President W. R. C.

(By Frank F. Carnduff, Past Commander)

General George Douglas Kellogg was born in Litchfield, County of Herkimer, State of New York, on the 23rd day of June, A. D. 1843. In later years he lived at Madison, Wisconsin, and when President Lincoln made a call for defenders of the "Red, White and Blue," Comrade Kellogg responded and was enrolled on the 6th day of August, 1862, in Co. A, 23rd regiment Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, and he was in continuous service until mustered out on the 26th day of July, 1865; most of his service was in the army of Tennessee, the Gulf and at the Siege of Vicksburg, where, for distinguished services he was brevetted a Captain by Governor Lucius Fairchild, before he was 20 years of age, on account of bravery shown on the 22nd day of May, 1863, while assisting the officers of the 4th Minnesota, who were new troops and unfamiliar with the situation, and taking them to a shelter from the unmerciful firing of the enemy. Comrade Kellogg participated in seventeen regular battles besides a number of skirmishes, and for forty-seven days consecutively he was under fire during the siege of Vicksburg. At the close of the Civil War he returned to Madison and engaged in farming.

"Passing out of the shadow, into a purer light,
Stepping behind the curtain, getting a clearer
sight,

Laying aside the burden, this mortal coil,
Done with world's vexations, done with its tears
Passing out of the shadow, into eternal day—
and toil,

Why do we call it dying—this only going away?"

IN MEMORY OF COL. GEO. D. KELLOGG

(By L. Claire Davis)

When "Taps" sounded for Colonel George D. Kellogg and he went out on the Great Adventure, the world lost a good man and soldier. He was a good man every day and a cheerful soldier every hour that he lived—in the home, in business, in his Christian life. The call of duty, whenever it came, found him with a hearty "Let's go" on his lips and so much buoyancy in the going that others were stimulated to fall in and march along.

He was a plain man, wholly without ostentation or sham of any kind. He came to California with no winning weapons except his two honest hands, a capable brain and a character above reproach. He settled with his family in the Placer county town of Newcastle, which was little more than a railroad station, and began the growing and shipping of fruit and to lend his help in building the town to its present importance as a large fruit distributing point.

While he labored for his bread, his family and his town, he held aloft the torch of Jesus Christ in one hand and the flag of his beloved country in the other. He was a Civil War Veteran and his devotion to the land of his birth and to all patriotic efforts, together with his love for the Sunday school and church which he helped to found were among his best known characteristics. "Old Glory" floated from a flag staff over his place of business many years before it became a custom for business men to display the flag.

Never a day so stormy and rarely an indisposition so great that he could be kept from trudging up the hill to his beloved little Methodist church. "Kellogg's Church," it came to be called, because the people knew that but for his constant efforts and his support there would have been no church and no shepherd.

The "light that was never on land or sea" shone for him always in the dark places and made him a cheerful philosopher, no matter what came of rebuff or misfortune. If a heavy frost or wind storm late in the spring left all the other orchardists in despair, "Never mind," he would say,

"there will be a bigger crop next year because the trees have had a rest." His own troubles were laid at the feet of Omnipotence with a word of prayer, and left there, confident that the way would be made straight. He did not say, "Whatever is, is right," but along with a belief in the compensations all along the way, he had a beautiful faith in the goodness of God and its certain ultimate triumph.

And so he lived his gentle, simple life, giving a helping hand here and there to an orphan or a stranger and consistent helpfulness and encouragement to every good thing in his town, county and state. He prospered and his later years were full of content and peaceful activity. Surrounded by a devoted family and troops of friends, he had reached what men regarded as the pinnacle of a quiet, useful, successful life. He had "fought a good fight and kept the faith."

Then God met him gently on the way and he went Home with him, leaving not a trail of gloom, but an afterglow that lingers long as the reflection of his sunshiny presence here. And I fancy if he could send back a message to loved ones and friends, it would be his old, cheerful, comforting, "It's All Right."

MEN OF DEATHLESS RENOWN

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testifies today. To those virtues we must return if we master the problems that flaunt defiance to All-Americanism today.

So, men of the Grand Army, the people of Stockton salute you today with a welcome that is deeply sincere; they welcome you within their gates as honored guests. In respect and affection they point to the Stars and Stripes waving in the California sunshine; they look at you who kept stainless the red, white and blue of those folds; they feel the thrill of gratitude for themselves, and, visualizing the blessings that will flow to the lives of their children's children by what you wrought, they acclaim you, Men of Deathless Renown.

WHILE IN STOCKTON VISIT
THE INDUSTRIAL EXPOSITION
AT THE STATE ARMORY

E. C. Durfee, Junior Vice-President, Grand Army of the Republic—Department of California and Nevada.

We have with us, comrades and ladies, Comrade E. C. Durfee, who comes from Santa Barbara, the city who entertained you so lavishly and elaborately and displayed such wonderful hospitality, last year.

Last year Comrade Durfee was a busy man—a very busy man. He practically managed the G. A. R. Encampment in Santa Barbara in 1920.



The Stockton Convention Manager will appreciate the fact that Comrade Durfee had many details to attend to last year. He certainly made a success in his work and deserves great credit.

Now, Comrade Durfee, you're in Stockton. The convention manager has had to call upon you for a little assistance at times, but you are here as our guest this year and we want you to enjoy yourself. We want you to have the greatest time in your life and if you don't see what you want just ask for it. We have everything in Stockton.

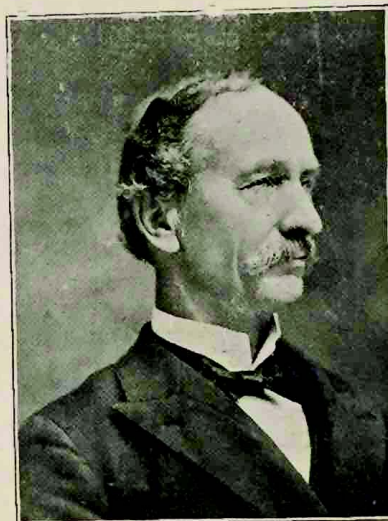
Everyone who has direct connection with Grand Army matters knows what a splendid member Comrade Durfee has always been. He has been a hard worker and with always the interests of the G. A. R. in his heart.

Richard A. Hawley, of Rawlins Post of Stockton, Cal., well known among the Grand Army Men.

We have been looking forward to the 1921 Encampment of the G. A. R. and the five affiliated organizations with pleasure. We are glad that you are in Stockton and your Comrades in the Convention City welcome you.

We hope that you will feel that this is the greatest department encampment ever held on the Pacific Coast. We have all tried to make it so. The encampments I have attended in the past have all been noted for their greatness and the hospitality shown us.

We call the heroes of 1861 to 1865 "boys" because most of them were mere boys when



they enlisted as were also the heroes of more recent wars. The "boys of '61" and the boys of the late conflicts fought to maintain American principles and to bear Old Glory to honorable victory and to stand for permanent peace and prosperity and a united country under a government "of the people, for the people and by the people."

I have attended both National and Department Encampments in many different states and always found the reunion of comrades conducive to a patriotic love of country and a renewed determination for comradeship—a comradeship that shall be perpetuated 'till Taps is sounded over the last comrade who enlists in the Grand Army above, where the Captain of our Grand Army is our Supreme Commander. We have learned more perfectly that "eternal vigilance is the price of liberty" and to preserve "one country and one flag." The penalty of treason is death.



R. HEFFELFINGER
Los Angeles, California
Department Inspector—G. A. R. Department
California and Nevada

Ella M. French, Department President, W. R. C.

Ladies and gentlemen, meet another booster from Los Angeles.

She does not need an introduction. Those who have attended encampments know her. How-



ever, we are all glad that she is with us again this year in Stockton.

We have with us, Comrades and ladies, Ella M. French, Department President, Woman's Relief Corps, Department of California and Nevada.

Those who have met her (and there are many) know the reasons why everyone likes her. She is a worker, a real worker. No shirking on the job with her. She has proven one of the finest department presidents the Woman's Relief Corps has ever had.

When she was elected to this high position she realized it meant work and she didn't try to avoid any of it. She met every occasion with that "do or die" characteristic of hers and won out. When it comes to a winning personality she possesses it. She smiles—just like in the picture—and everybody's with her through thick and thin.

Department President French, Stockton is yours. You've got a happy smile just like our own mayor, D. P. Eicke, and we're glad you are here. If there is anything you want in Stockton, just say the word.

Mary E. Hartwell, Department Secretary W. R. C.

Mary E. Hartwell, of Los Angeles, California, is Department Secretary of the Woman's Relief Corps.

She hails from the greatest booster city in the world—a city that has grown from a small settlement to a thriving metropolis. Like the city from which she comes to Stockton, she is a genuine booster.

Possessing a pleasing personality and of sterling character she has made thousands of friends. No task is too small and no task too large for her. She is dependable, likeable and pleaseable. She always has a kind word for everyone.

That she has made a success in the important position of Department Secretary is evident. Her



work in this capacity has been splendid. The Woman's Relief Corps is to be congratulated in having had such an efficient and earnest officer.

Alpha G. Daul, Department Inspector, W. R. C.

Alpha G. Daul comes to Stockton from "My City Oakland."

She is Department Inspector of the Woman's Relief Corps, Department of California and Nevada.

For years she has always taken a keen interest



in the Woman's Relief Corps and has done everything possible to honor and please the Grand Army men, the veterans of '61.

Efficient in her duties and with a pleasing personality she has made many friends who welcome her to Stockton, the convention city.

SONS OF VETERANS AUXILIARY HISTORY

The California Division Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, was organized October, 1910. Addie M. C. Haskins of Long Beach was the first Division President. The first Division Encampment was held at Fresno in 1911.

The Division was organized for the purpose of assisting the Sons of Veterans in their noble objects, and also to do all in our power to make the declining years of the men who wore the blue as comfortable and happy as they should be.

During the World War we assisted our National organization in sending fourteen ambulances to the battle fields of France.

Our Division has a "Comfort Fund" to assist any Son of a Veteran who was disabled in the World War.

We have a membership of 625 and although

HISTORY OF THE LADIES OF THE G. A. R.

The Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic, or the Loyal Ladies' League, as it was originally named, had its birth in New Jersey in 1881. It had for its object the promotion of the welfare of Union Veterans and those of their families needing assistance, and the advancement of loyalty and inculcation of patriotism.

In November, 1886, representatives from New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Kansas and California, met in Chicago, Illinois, and a national order was formed, adopting the title, "Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic," with eligibility to membership lineal females of honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines of the Civil War, the Veterans and sons, and grandsons, enjoying all privileges without initiation fee or dues. This order stands alone in its efforts and purpose, it is not an auxiliary to any other order, and since the national order became existent the progress has been constant and decisive. Our last financial report shows an annual expenditure of over thirty thousand dollars for relief and the maintenance of "homes."

These "homes are the property of the L. G. A. R. and are ably managed and entirely financed by them through systematic and legalized government. The Cottage Home at Sawtelle, California, consists of a tract of land purchased by the Department of California and Nevada in 1904. Cottages have been erected voluntarily by Circles assuming the entire financial output. Here the disabled or needy Veteran finds shelter for himself and his wife, with the full enjoyment of each other's companionship, and the lonely widow finds a comfortable home.

The L. G. A. R. is now a representative organization with departments in forty states with a membership of over sixty thousand, with a record for distinctive and acceptable work unsurpassed, with a patriotism unquestioned and with an influence which if rightly directed may become a power in our nation.

we are small in numbers, we are no less loyal, and we are doing all we can to keep unstained the glorious Flag of our country by preaching the gospel of 100 per cent Americanism.

HISTORY OF DAUGHTERS OF VETERANS

The National Alliance Daughters of Veterans was organized at Massillon, Ohio, May 30, 1885, and incorporated December 12, 1885, upon the advice and help of Major William McKinley, our martyred president.

The Department of California and Nevada was organized in April, 1909 at Pasadena, California, with four tents. Since that time they have held their conventions at the same time and place as the G. A. R. and affiliated orders. There are now twenty tents in the department in good standing, with a membership of about 1800. One of the most recent acquisitions is the tent in Stockton, which bids fair to become one of the most en-



thusiastic and active tents in the department, with a fine personnel and having for its first president one who has always been very active in patriotic work, Mrs. Veda Hull Knowles.

The members of this organization are the direct descendants of the heroes of 1861-1865, and are banded together to perpetuate their memory; that the history of their heroic deeds shall live for all time to come.

The officers of the Daughters of Veterans, Department of California and Nevada are:

Fannie D. Medlar, Department President, Los Angeles, Cal.; Cora A. Nichols, Secretary, Los Angeles, Cal.; Kate A. Fuller, Treasurer, Fullerton, Cal.

"Our lips shall tell it to our sons,
And they in turn to theirs,
Till generations yet unborn
Shall tell it to their heirs."

HISTORY WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS

Auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic

National General Orders No. 1, issued August 8, 1884, from Headquarters of the Woman's Relief Corps, by Kate B. Sherwood, second National President, appointed Elizabeth D'Arcy Kinne Provisional President of the Department of California to include Nevada and Arizona. The six first Corps composed the Department previous to this date, after which, three more were organized, all being called to meet in convention at San Francisco February 20, 1885, from which time the institution of this Department dates. Thirty-seven voting representatives were present, and by them Mrs. Kinne was unanimously chosen President for the incoming year.

With this small beginning a permanent Home for widows and orphans of Union soldiers was established at the next annual convention by the contribution of \$125 for that purpose, and the fund increased until Evergreen Home was built to shelter these grateful women.

This Auxiliary, composed of loyal, patriotic members, who strive to especially aid and assist the Grand Army of the Republic and to perpetuate their memory, has enlisted thousands of co-workers. Many have gone to their reward and others fill the ranks. The records show that of the corps that have been organized, 62 of these have surrendered charters, leaving 79 active Corps, with a membership of approximately 12,000 in good standing and owning Corps property, valued at \$43,803.

Cash in General Fund, \$10,995 and in the Relief Fund, \$3,675. Cash expended for the relief of veterans and their dependent families during these thirty-seven years, \$1,343,746; other than money, \$72,135; turned over to Grand Army Posts, \$26,231, and disbursed for patriotic work, \$43853.

Since the World War aroused the nation's loyalty, renewed its patriotism and increased its gratitude, the members have been privileged to contribute hundreds of dollars for the comfort of America's heroes who were victims of disease and disability, and through the Child's Welfare Committee have given more than \$200 in cash and clothing for destitute children, at home and over seas.

"Lord, God of Hosts! Be with us yet,
Lest we forget, lest we forget!"

HISTORICAL REVIEW GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

NAMES AND ADDRESSES OF ADJUTANTS OF THE G. A. R.

- H. L. Edell Adjutant Lincoln Post No. 1, Exposition Auditorium, San Francisco.
- J. G. Giesting, Adjutant Geo. H. Thomas Post No. 2, Exposition Auditorium, San Francisco.
- A. A. Dasonville, Adjutant Summer Post No. 3, Memorial Hall, Sacramento.
- J. S. Burlingame, Adjutant Custer Post No. 5, Carson City, Nev.
- J. E. Carney, Adjutant Bartlett-Logan Post No. 6, 841 W. 53rd St. Los Angeles, Cal.
- C. W. Cutler, Adjutant Sheridan-Dix Post No. 7, 911 Willow St., San Jose, Cal.
- Samuel Brown, Adjutant Lyon Post No. 8, 2542 10th Avenue, Oakland, Cal.
- Wm. H. Thompson, Adjutant Grant Post No. 9, Modesto.
- H. F. Stone, Adjutant Sedgwick Post No. 17, 1115, Spurgeon St., Santa Ana, Cal.
- S. E. Gandy, Adjutant Halleck Post No. 19, R. R. Box 57, Chico, Cal.
- Dr. F. E. Brower, Adjutant Ellsworth Post No. 20, Santa Rosa, Cal.
- W. E. Ferguson, Adjutant Rawlins Post No. 23, 1219 E. Channel St., Stockton, Cal.
- R. A. Osborn, Commander R. L. McCook Post No. 26, Watsonville, Cal.
- W. V. Lucas, Adjutant Wallace Reynolds Post No. 32, Santa Cruz, Cal.
- Allen B. Willey, Adjutant Farragut Post No. 4, Vallejo, Cal.
- C. C. Pillsbury, Adjutant Heintzelman Post No. 33, 2568 A St., San Diego, Cal.
- J. D. Flynn, Adjutant Kirkpatrick Post No. 38, St. Helena, Cal.
- Newton Connor, Adjutant Governor Morton Post No. 41, Calistoga, Cal.
- M. E. Isham, Adjutant Cushing Post No. 44, Ventura, Cal.
- D. W. O'Fallon, Adjutant Gen. Geo. G. Meade Post No. 3435 19th St., San Francisco, Cal.
- N. W. Stringfield, Adjutant Col. Whipple Post No. 49, 1106 10th St., Eureka, Cal.
- Wesley Lockhart, Adjutant Appomattox Post No. 50, 3768 Fruitvale Ave., Fruitvale, Cal.
- C. M. Smith, Adjutant Hanford Post No. 51, Hanford, Cal.
- S. F. Baker, Adjutant Star King Post No. 52, 320 W. Carrilo St., Santa Barbara, Cal.
- Frank L. Kreider, Adjutant Stanton Post No. 55, 1816 W. Figueroa St., Los Angeles, Cal.
- T. P. Clark, Commander J. B. Steadman Post No. 56, Route B, Salinas, Cal.
- E. Davis, Adjutant W. R. Cornman Post No. 805, 7th St., San Bernardino, Cal.
- C. Mealey, Adjutant Shiloh Post No. 60, Compton, Cal.
- E. B. Utt, Adjutant Vicksburg Post No. 61, 674 W. Center St., Pomona, Cal.
- William Hudson, Adjutant W. H. Seward Post No. 65, Woodland, Cal.
- A. E. Lasher, Adjutant O. M. Mitchell Post No. 69, Box 162, Reno, Nevada.
- F. E. Darke, Adjutant Fred Steele Post No. 70, 1036 Pismo St., San Luis Obispo.
- E. L. Hawk, Adjutant Col. E. D. Baker Post No. 71, Box 173, Sacramento, Cal.
- P. P. Chamberlain, Adjutant Gen. Geo. S. Evans Post No. 72, Redwood City, Cal.
- John E. Hayman, Adjutant Kit Carson Post No. 74, Napa, Cal.
- G. M. Francis, Kit Carson Post No. 74, Napa, Cal.
- J. W. Burnett, Adjutant J. K. Mansfield Post No. 75, Red Bluff, Cal.
- J. H. Hunter, Adjutant E. F. Winslow Post No. 79, Redding, Cal.
- W. E. Tucker, Adjutant Corinth Post No. 80, 106 Keyser St., Yuba City, Cal.
- P. O. Needham, Adjutant E. O. C. Ord Post No. 82, 158 Pierce Ace., San Jose, Cal.
- W. A. Huddard, Adjutant Lookout Mountain Post No. 88, 2350 Ellsworth St., Berkeley, Cal.
- J. E. Burns, Adjutant Atlanta Post, No. 92, 1329 Poplar Ave., Fresno, Cal.
- Israel H. Smith, Adjutant John F. Godfrey Post No. 93, 132 E. Washington St., Pasadena, Cal.
- C. A. Wyskoff, Adjutant William T. Sherman Post No. 96, Oroville, Cal.
- W. J. Ball, Adjutant Belmont Post No. 101, Auburn, Cal.
- O. E. Newton, Adjutant Kenesaw Post No. 106, 137 S. Hancock St., Los Angeles.
- J. G. Beal, Adjutant Gen. Geo. Wright Post No. 111, Visalia, Cal.
- J. M. Walling, Adjutant Chattanooga Post No. 115, Nevada City, Cal.
- John Gaston, Adjutant Riverside Post No. 118, 308 Brockton Ave., Riverside, Cal.
- J. W. Whittaker, Adjutant Ontario Post No. 124, Ontario, Cal.
- Emery Burk, Adjutant Gaylord Post No. 125, Upper Lake, Cal.
- Thomas H. Keown, Adjutant Col. Harper Post No. 126, Arroyo Granda, Cal.
- H. F. Condict, Adjutant Hurlbut Post No. 127, Box 3, Bakersfield, Cal.
- John Teasdale, Adjutant Gordon Granger Post No. 138, Orange, Cal.
- W. J. May, Adjutant Escondido Post No. 143, Escondido, Cal.
- George W. Coever, Adjutant John C. Fremont Post No. 152, Downieville, Cal.
- Harmon Cook, Adjutant John A. Martin Post No. 153, Soldiers Home, Cal.
- J. B. Waugh, Adjutant Hartford Post No. 155, Lodi, Cal. Near Stockton, U. S. A. (on the map).
- J. K. Piersol, Adjutant Missionary Ridge Post No. 156, Fort Bragg, Cal.
- B. R. Land, Adjutant Bear Valley Post No. 162, Redlands, Cal.
- A. P. Kelley, Adj. Carlton Post No. 168, Corona, Cal.
- C. H. Reddington, Adjutant L. D. Porter Post No. 169, 468 Perkins St., Oakland
- T. M. Barrett, Adjutant N. P. Banks Post No. 170, Glendale, Cal.
- T. W. Barrett, Adjutant Unity Post No. 171, Veteran's Home, Cal.
- Julius S. Smith, Adjutant Datus E. Coon Post, No. 172, 2105 5th Avenue, National City, Cal.
- Nelson Bowerman, Adjutant Uncle Sam Post No. 177, Box 65, Soldiers Home, Cal.
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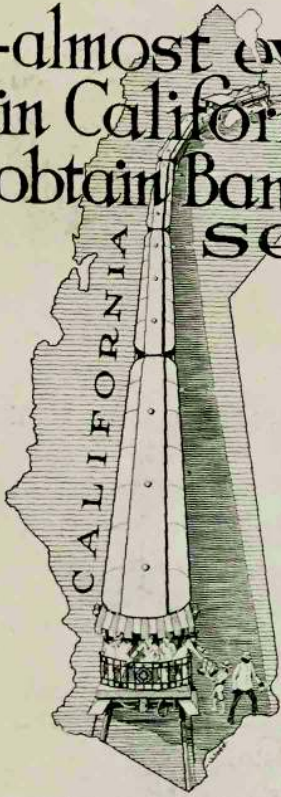
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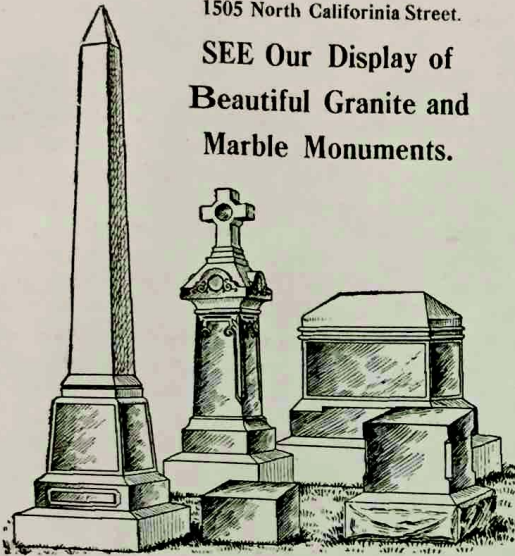
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HOW THE 1921 ENCAMPMENT WAS MANAGED

(By Alvin K. Matthews, Convention Manager)

The editor of this splendid publication entitled "The G. A. R. Historical Review," asked me to write about "How to Manage a Convention." Many of you have read the advertisements telling you "How to Save Money;" "How to Attain Success;" "How to Reach the Chair Behind the Mahogany Desk," and many other "hows." Well, here's how! Sounds like a toast, so let's make it one—a toast to the veterans of '61.

Should anyone ask me to explain in as few words as possible how to manage a convention, my answer would be about as follows: "Select committees who will work; get the backing of civic organizations and citizens who believe in your city's future; hammer home through the press what conventions mean to a city; get the idea out of your head that a convention manager



just has to sit in a cushion chair and 'manage' and then get out and work on a 12-hour per day schedule."

To successfully manage a convention it is necessary for the convention manager to enter into his duties with heart and soul. It is essential for him to realize that no duty is too small and none too large. He must feel that the success of the convention is up to him. He must think convention, talk convention and dream convention.

From the time he enters upon his duties as convention manager until the last delegate leaves for home, he must not let up on his work. No convention is an assured success until the last visitor says farewell and your local newspapers tell what a fine convention it has been. Then a convention manager can return to the quiet office that has served as convention headquarters, tell his stenographer to write and tell Bill Smithers that his suit case has been found; inform Mrs. Carrie Doe that she went away and forgot to leave the address where to send the stenographic reports of the convention and to clean up the odds and ends. Then he can fix up and give his report to the citizens' general committee and go to work on an eight hour per day schedule—if, he hasn't another convention to manage. If a convention manager has an offer of an eight-hour-per-day position with Saturday afternoons and Sundays off, and some organization seeks his services, do you know what he will do? If he finds as much enjoyment as I have found in meeting so many splendid people; in doing real, honest worthy work; in doing something for somebody else and in discovering the psychology of the human heart in its responsive nature to help please the other fellow—then he will accept the 12-hour per day schedule and on Saturday afternoons and Sundays will work time and a half to keep up in his work.

Was it Reputation or Willingness?

When I was selected by the citizen's general committee, appointed to supervise the encampment, to act as convention manager, someone told me it was because of my favorable past reputation and executive ability.

Another citizen, one of the sort that is say-what-I-think friend, said that I had been selected because of my willingness.

Whatever it was that made them select me for the job, I don't know. I do know that I accepted the position and then went to work.

Last year the convention of the Pacific Coast Advertising Clubs Association was held in Stockton and I acted—I mean worked—as convention manager. I enjoyed the duties, the meeting of so many fine people, the writing of public stories, 'neverything so much that I did not hesitate in taking up the work again this year. I have thoroughly enjoyed managing the 1921 Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic and the five affiliated organizations. I have met the Grand Army men and they are all grand men—the grandest in the world. And the ladies—the members of the Woman's Relief Corps, the Ladies

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How the 1921 Encampment was Managed

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of the Grand Army, the Daughters of Veterans and the Sons of Veterans Auxiliary. If I was older and could display a real paternal spirit I would say—well, I'll say it anyway because I mean it: "God bless the ladies of the G. A. R. affiliated organizations!" They all love the veterans of '61 just as much as I do and they are all real workers.

To Those Who Have Helped Me

A "one-man convention?" There "ain't" such a thing! Co-operation and lots of it! That is what assures a successful convention. As convention manager I had to depend upon the chairmen and members of the committees and not one failed me. I have never worked with a finer group of men and women. Every one of them aided me in carrying out the details of the convention. Without the valuable assistance of the members of the encampment committees the convention would not have proven the big success it has.

A. G. Myran, chairman of the citizens' general committee, is especially to be thanked for his sincere work that brought results. Although engaged in his own business he spent a great deal of time working to make the encampment a success. When the campaign was on for funds, Myran kept on the go day and night, arousing the citizens to the importance and the magnitude of the G. A. R. encampment.

Thomas F. Baxter, president of the Holt Manufacturing Company and director of the Stockton Chamber of Commerce, is a busy man. All big men—successful men—are busy. They have to be busy or they would not be successful. However, busy as he was in his important position as president of the Holt Manufacturing Company and in his civic duties, he made time to aid in every possible way.

P. H. Stitt, large realty operator, gave liberally of his time and advice and entered into his duties as a member of the general committee in the same spirit that has made him one of Stockton's most successful business men and progressive citizens.

Wm. H. Knowles, manager of the Tyron Wool Company, worked overtime as a member of the general committee. Like the other members of this committee no detail was too small and none too large. He went after what he wanted for the Grand Army and he got it.

Samuel Kahn, vice-president and general manager of the Western States Gas & Electric Company, gave the encampment matters the same

careful consideration that he did his own business affairs and his advice and efforts are greatly appreciated.

Last, but not least, A. F. Roberts of Hobbs-Parsons Company and former president of the Rotary Club, has proven a willing worker. Like the other members of the citizens' committee his business demanded his attention, but he made time to assist in making the encampment a success.

On another page you will find the names of the people who served as chairmen and members of the various committees. Read them over. Remember their names and when you meet them just remember that Stockton owes them "oodles" of thanks for making a success of this great encampment.

Raising the Finances

When the question came up as to how to raise the money with which to finance the encampment, several plans were suggested. Appreciating the fact that Stockton's merchants had practically always financed celebrations and conventions through donations, I was backed up the other members of the general committee when I urged that no direct soliciting campaign be tolerated by making a drive upon the merchants. It was decided to secure the convention fund by work and not through donations.

The convention teas proved a very successful plan. The women and women's clubs of Stockton were urged to give "convention teas" and they responded nobly. Many teas were held at the homes of prominent women of Stockton, by women individually and under the auspices of clubs. When M. J. Brandenstein of the M. J. Brandenstein & Company of San Francisco (M. J. B. Coffee and Tree Tea) heard of the "convention teas" he offered to help make them a financial success by supplying all the coffee and tea to be served by the hostesses and to give every woman attending the "convention tea" a package of Tree tea gratis. Mr. Brandenstein aided in making the teas a financial success and his cooperation is greatly appreciated. The fact that over 4000 packages of Tree tea were distributed during the series of teas gives an idea of how many women attended them.

The Helping Committee of 100

Desiring to strictly adhere to the plan not to solicit the merchants for donations, something had to be done to raise the finances and the "Helping Committee of 100" was organized. This committee was formed by 100 citizens willing to mail a check for \$10 each as an "initiation fee."

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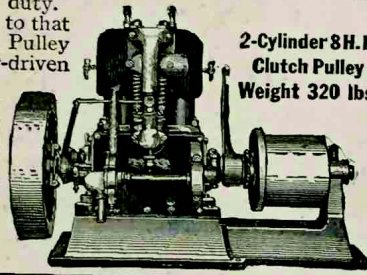
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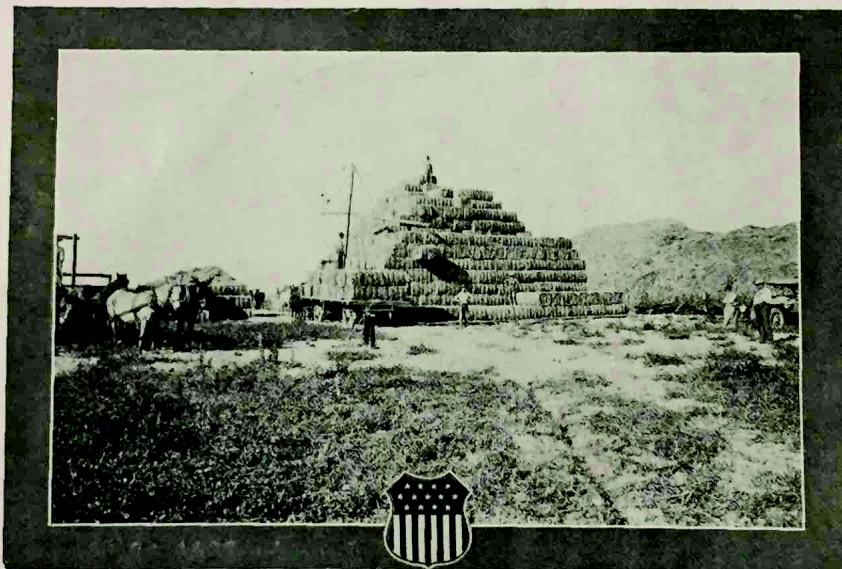
Stockton's Growth and Development

Founded in 1843 by Captain C. M. Weber, who had secured a grant of 48,000 acres from the Mexican Government, Stockton soon sprang into importance as an outfitting point for the miners of '49 and the '50's. The city was named for Commodore Robert Field Stockton of the United States navy, and was incorporated in 1850, when its population was 2000. The first overland railroad reached the city in 1869.

With the introduction of grain farming in the great interior valley of California, Stockton became the principal market for the crop. Factories manufacturing farm implements followed, forming the nucleus for development along in-

Today in the territory tributary to Stockton can be found without exception every activity in which the people of California are commercially engaged—agriculture, horticulture, dairying, mining, lumbering and other industries. Nowhere else in California can be seen so many of the varied industries as in and adjacent to San Joaquin county.

It may also be of interest to know that an associated press article just run in the local newspapers stated that the census bureau in Washington, D. C., has determined that San Joaquin county stands third in the United States in production valuation.



GETTING READY FOR MARKET

dustrial lines.

Later years brought irrigation to some 100,000 fertile acres in the territory immediately surrounding the city and the reclamation of 285,000 acres in the San Joaquin delta. Two more transcontinental rail lines came.

More manufacturing plants were attracted to Stockton by reason of its exceptionally good transportation facilities and low rates through water competition in addition to its strategic location as a distributing point available in abundance of raw materials, cheap power, inviting climatic conditions and an adequate supply of labor through a steadily increasing population of wage earners.

City's Resources

Within a few miles of Stockton may be found nearly all products of both temperate and subtropical countries. The cherry and the orange, the grape and the pear, the walnut, the almond, the olive and the corn and the sugar beets, the fig and hardy grains, the palm and prune—all grow well side by side.

Some \$40,000,000 worth of agricultural products are grown in San Joaquin county each year. The value of the principal crops is shown by the following:

Barley	\$ 4,230,000
Beans	1,500,000

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Corn	2,700,000
Hay	1,200,000
Grapes	20,000,000
Onions	3,000,000
Potatoes	7,000,000
Oats	800,000
Sugar Beets	1,000,000
Wheat	1,900,000

In addition to the above San Joaquin county is rapidly becoming a large fruit producing section, there being 20,000 acres planted to orchards, much of which is already in bearing.

With such agricultural resources it is not surprising that Stockton has developed commercially. Today it produces probably more agricultural machinery than any other point in the state, is one of



TOKAY GRAPES IN THE LODI SECTION

the milling centers of the coast, cleans and scours a large portion of the wool grown, besides turning out a great variety of other products.

The city has voted bonds exceeding \$3,000,000 during the past few months with which to build a new city hall, a municipal auditorium as a memorial to the soldiers and sailors who participated in the World War, new school buildings, and to provide additional storm and sanitary sewers. Building permits have exceeded all pre-

vious annual records and many more structures are planned.

Bank Clearings, building permits and postal receipts all tell a story of the healthy growth of the community:

	(Nine Months)	
	1911	1920
Bank Clearings . . .	\$40,369,903	\$219,536,000
Building Permits . . .	938,857	2,138,357
Postal Receipts . . .	102,623	159,727

Stockton, The Manufacturing Center

Stockton, California, is one of the most important manufacturing cities in the central portion of the state. Its manufacturing establishments number more than 150, having an annual payroll exceeding the \$8,000,000 mark.

The public warehouses on the Stockton waterfront have a capacity of approximately 160,000 tons. Over \$991,000 has been spent in improvements on the municipally owned waterfront and the city is planning at this time to deepen the existing channel to permit the movement of off shore shipping.

In order to accomplish this it is necessary to dredge through sixteen miles of mud, a nine foot channel being maintained at this time. A 24 to 26 foot channel is planned.

Being located in a farming section, the first industries attracted to Stockton were those manufacturing farm machinery, and those dealing directly with farm products.

Such was the flour mill established in 1852 by Austin Sperry. It was the first of a great chain that today extends throughout the Pacific Coast. However, Stockton is still the principal link in the organization having three large mills, one devoted to the manufacture of flour, another to cereals and the third to feeds. Some 2600 barrels of flour are turned out daily in the local plant.

While the interior valley of California yet produces great quantities of the wheat consumed in the mills, it is now necessary to ship a vast amount of the product in from other wheat producing areas.

Another early industry was that of the Holt Company, now internationally known. This plant had its inception in the little Stockton Wheel Company, which was established by the Holt Brothers in 1883. Steam traction engines and harvesters are manufactured for harvesting immense acreages of grain.

It was the marshy tule lands of the San Joaquin delta that brought to Benjamin Holt's mind years ago the need of a tractor that would all but swim and yet plow the wonderfully fertile soil. He had

Stockton's Growth and Development

widened the wheels of his great steam tractors until they totaled thirty-six feet, eighteen feet on either side, and still they sank. Then it was that he invented a tractor carrying its own track, which it laid down, rolled over and picked it up again.

To this new tractor was applied the word "Caterpillar," which has since become known all over the world. The parent plant at Stockton grew to be the biggest on the Pacific Coast in the implement and engine line, its products being always oversold in its home territory. For the Eastern states and export trade an Eastern factory was essential. So a big Western industry invaded the East, reversing the usual sequence of industrial expansion and 1910 saw a Holt plant established at Peoria, Ill.

Today the Holt plant at Stockton covers fifteen acres of ground. It furnishes employment to 1600, having an annual payroll of approximately two and a half million dollars.

The reclaiming of the delta was largely responsible for the development of another pioneer industry. It was necessary to secure equipment that would economically build levees around the islands and the clam shell dredger was conceived by the Stockton Iron Works. Later ditching machines were necessary and the firm supplied them. This iron works is now one of the big industries of Stockton.

The city is the home of the largest exclusive factory of combined harvester in the world. The Harris Manufacturing Company enjoys this distinction, because their business consists entirely of manufacturing combined grain, bean and rice harvesters. They are the largest company in the world devoting their entire energy to this one branch of agricultural implements.

In March, 1917, the General Motors Corporation bought out the Samson Sieve Grip Tractor Company of Stockton, creating the Samson Tractor Company of the corporation. Last year the concern opened in Stockton a handsome \$100,000 permanent exhibit of Samson products, which is one of the show places of the city. Stockton has been made the distributing point for Samson products for the entire Pacific Coast.

One of the newer industries is the National Paper Products Company. While it has only been in operation since 1918, the factory has experienced such a remarkable growth that its capacity had to be doubled. Tons of old newspapers, wrapping paper, cardboard boxes and magazines are consumed by the plant daily to emerge finally,

boiled, cooked, pulped, washed sweet and clean in the shape of cartons of many sizes and for many uses.

The principal product of the plant is a large packing case. Large fruit packers alone use trainloads of these cases every year in preference to wooden cases. When the company located in Stockton it purchased a 40-acre tract looking toward possible future enlargement. Within a year and a half the demand for its product had so increased that the first addition became necessary. Few factories in the United States can point to a similar record.

Another similar industry located in Stockton is the American Carton Company. Turning out from fifteen to twenty tons of finished cartons every day the plant is one of the most modern and completely equipped of its kind in the United States. Stockton was chosen as the home of the concern because of its central location in the dairy and dried fruit section, and because the raw supply of paper was easily to be secured from the National Paper Products Company. The company employs close to 100 workers with an annual payroll of about \$150,000. The plant represents an investment of about \$250,000 with an output in excess of \$1,000,000 each year.

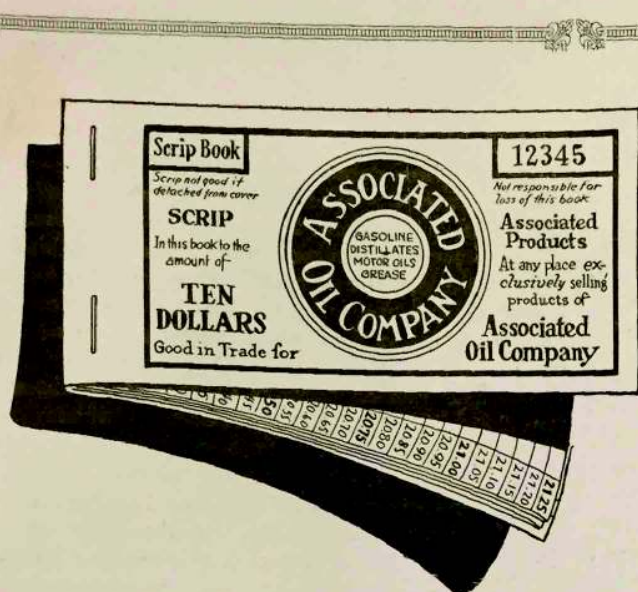
The reputation of turning out the highest standard of tanned leather in the United States is enjoyed by the Wagner Leather Company of Stockton, which was established in 1856. This reputation has been officially acknowledged by grand prizes and gold medals in world expositions. The plant turns out 150 hides each day and its annual output is approximately \$1,500,000. It may easily be said that the world is their market, for the export business is about equal to the home trade.

There are 100 men employed by the company in Stockton, the annual payroll totaling \$150,000.

Stockton has one of the few glass factories of the Pacific Coast. During last season 250 workers were employed with an annual payroll of \$450,000. Stockton is ideally situated for the glass industry, all of the materials entering into its production being located in close proximity.

A large wool scouring plant is a big industry of the city. Wool from all parts of the state is shipped here for cleaning and scouring, an immense amount of the product being handled. This industry employs more than half a hundred people.

While our space is limited, yet it is felt that in reviewing the industries of Stockton, we would fail in a large measure if the canning industry was neglected. The pioneer cannery of Stockton is operated by the California Packing Corporation.



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In 1919 this plant alone turned out more than 200,000 cases and 1920 was even better. The Richmond-Chase Company, operating several plants in the Santa Clara Valley, has expended more than \$250,000 in equipment and construction costs on a new Stockton cannery. During the busiest part of the season there are from 500 to 600 women employed at this plant. The third canning industry of the city is the Stockton Canning and Packing Company who occupy a floor space of 36,000 feet, and has an average output of 200 cases per day throughout the entire year.

Another important industry of the city is the iron foundries and iron works manufacturing engines, pumps and cases of all kinds. The Monarch Foundry Company has achieved a coast-wide reputation on account of the Monarch centrifugal pump, which has been designed and has been manufactured by the company for the past sixteen years. The only electrical steel furnace in the interior of California and one of the first to be installed on the coast, is operated by the firm.

The White Foundry, the Sterling Iron Works, H. S. Shaw Company, Engineering and Machinery Company, are some of the other large firms of this character. Fire and enamel brick are also leading products of the city. The Stockton Fire and Enamel Brick Company, employing 90 people, produce these bricks in large quantities which are shipped to points throughout the state.

Two large icing plants, where hundreds of refrigerator cars are iced during the fruit season, add to the payroll of the city. The local ship yards are busy continually, all of the river boats from both the San Joaquin and Sacramento rivers being sent to them for repairs.

Among the new industries that will shortly be operating on an extensive scale within the city is the Kroyer Motor Corporation. This company has patented a four wheel drive tractor, which has proved successful in all initial tests, and they are now engaged in constructing a large manufacturing plant in the northeastern part of the city. There are other tractor companies who have filed their incorporation papers, and have announced their intention to manufacture in Stockton.

It is a proven fact that there is more concentration of the agricultural implement trade in Stockton than in any other city of its size on the Pacific Coast.

It is not an exaggeration to say that Stockton has more capital invested in concerns manufacturing and distributing agricultural implements ex-

clusively than many other larger cities, not only on the Pacific Coast but in the entire country.

The 1920 census gives the city a population of 40,296, an increase of 73.3 per cent over the 1910 figure. Since that time however there has been several outlying districts taken into the city which has boosted the population of the city to approximately 50,000.

Upon being reminded that this article must be limited, it will be necessary to be somewhat brief in calling your attention to other of the important communities of San Joaquin county. As it is intended that the visitors to Stockton during the G. A. R. Encampment shall be given an opportunity of visiting over the county, it is desired to you some facts regarding the sections of the county which will no doubt be visited.

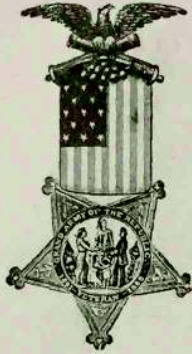
It is understood that one of the principal places to be visited, is Lodi. This indeed will be a treat to those who enjoy seeing an up to the minute fruit district, together with a city, that is progressing so fast that it is hard for a periodical visitor to keep up with them.

Lodi is the metropolis of northern San Joaquin county and has a population of over 5000 inhabitants and is situated in the heart of the grape district, 12 miles north of Stockton. Lodi is a beautiful modern city, surrounded by a highly developed fruit farming section. The country is devoted to the production of grapes, cherries, peaches, apricots, almonds, oranges, alfalfa, poultry and small fruits.

Lodi has six banks, two newspapers and a number of small manufacturing plants. It is anticipated that those of the convention visitors who spend a part of their time "seeing" Lodi, will have nothing but praise and admiration for that section.

Just twenty miles to the west of Stockton, on the western border of San Joaquin county, lies Tracy in the heart of a large wheat producing area. Tracy is a very progressive little city of nearly 3000 population, and is a transfer point for several lines of railway. Tracy is particularly well equipped with good hotels, banks, newspaper, schools and churches. The one outstanding feature of Tracy however, is the wonderful community spirit which is so noticeable to the visitor.

Other communities of San Joaquin county which deserve mention, but which we are forced to neglect on account of space, is Manteca, Ripon, Escalon and other smaller places, any of which we feel sure will be more than proud to extend a royal welcome to the delegates and their friends who come to Stockton during the annual encampment May 9th-14th, 1921.



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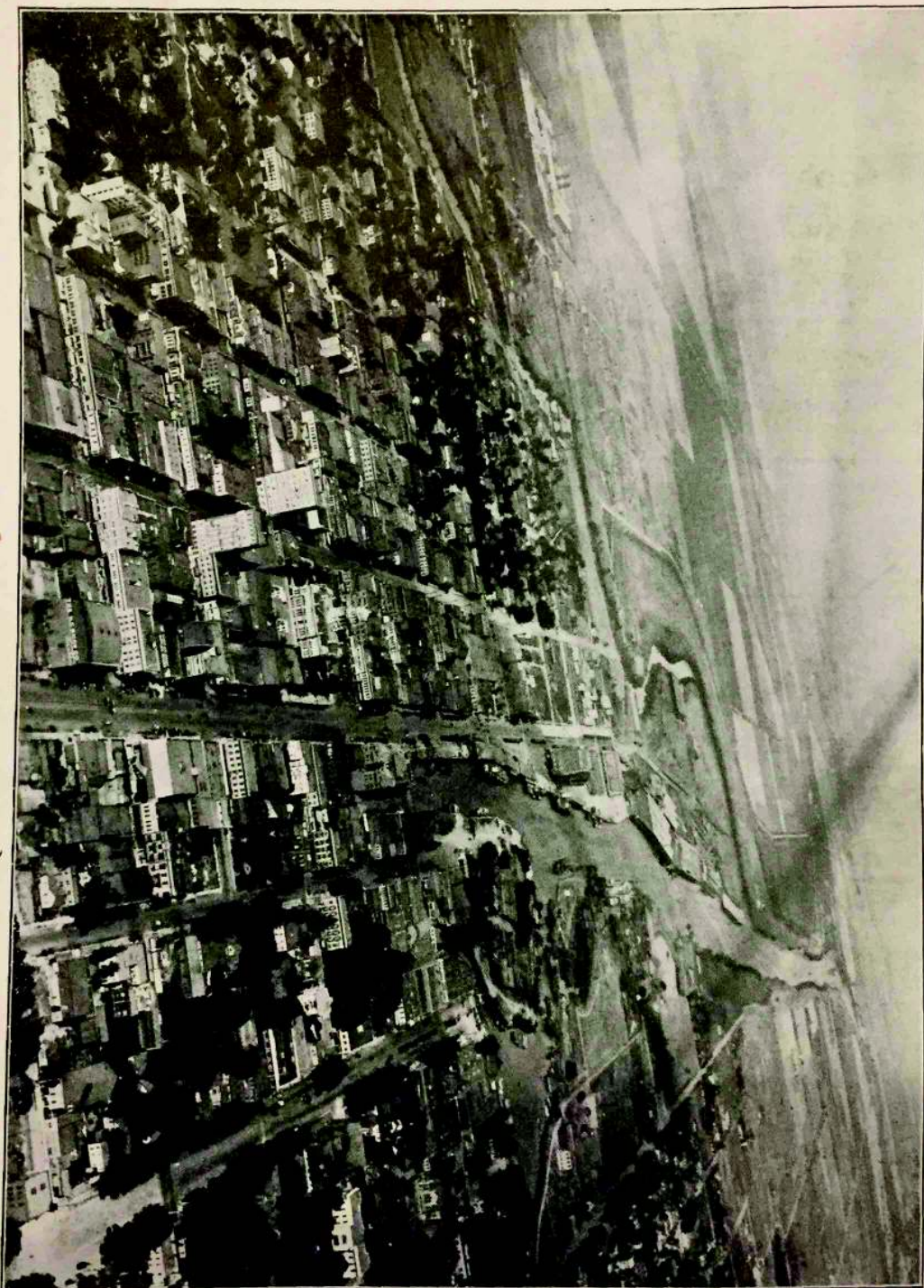
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—by George W. Ficks—

Amidst the crash of war between brothers, on one side, a determination to destroy the Union and on the other to preserve it, as it came from the hands of the fathers of the Republic, two soldiers, Major B. F. Stevenson and Chaplain W. J. Rutledge, of the Fourteenth Illinois Inf., Shermans Army, conceived the idea of a soldier organization to follow the close of the war.

Their thought was that something must be done in the way of organized effort, to care for the Tens of Thousands of disabled soldiers, whether disabled by sickness, misfortune, or suffering from wounds received on many battlefields and for nearly a million widows and orphans, who made the supreme sacrifice, when they gave their loved ones, in the same spirit that the Spartan mother, sent her sons to the battlefield that Athenian liberty might not perish.

The link between the "Tragedy of War", a broken dream of battle and march, and muster out, we follow in panoramic order, until we find the setting, in a physicians office in Springfield, Illinois.

A calender on the wall bears the date of February 12th 1866, the Fifty-seventh anniversary of the birth of their Great Leader Abraham Lincoln.

In that room with dusty books and shelves, which had not been touched for four years, we find assembled Dr. B. F. Stevenson, Chaplain Rutledge, Major A. A. North, Col. J. M. Snyder, John S. Phelps and others.

During the early hours of that evening, partly covered by stories of the war, the three links, Fraternity, Loyalty and Charity were forged—a declaration of principles drafted, laying the corner stone for the Grand Army of the Republic. Thus closed the first meeting of these battlefield heroes.

On April 6th less than two months after the first meeting, Post No. 1, Grand Army of the Republic was organized and mustered in at Decatur, Illinois, the first Post in the United States.

From this small beginning we swiftly pass on to the meeting of the First National Encampment, held a few months later at Indianapolis, Indiana, on November 20th 1866. Comrade A. Hurlbut is elected Commander-in-Chief.

From this time on the Growth of the Grand Army of the Republic, was phenomenal. Posts and Departments sprang into existance, everywhere North of Mason and Dixon's line, and in a

very short period after the close of the war, Posts and Departments were organized in the very territory on which these veterans had fought, under the folds of "Old Glory".

The Grand Army reached high water mark in 1893 with 45 Departments, 7,625 Posts, with an enrolled membership of 445,368. From that time to the present hour the great reaper has cut a wide swath in the ranks of the men of '61 and '65. The annual report of the National organization for September 1920 shows a membership of but 103,000.

During the war of the rebellion President Lincoln called to the colors 2,320,272 men. Of that great army of soldiers who once shook the earth with their shouts "W're coming father Abraham 300,000 strong, on the 31st of January last past according to the official report at Washington, D. C. there were but 229,906 veterans of the Civil war living. From that date up to the present writing 10,000 or more of those survivors have crossed the line.

The Grand Army of the Republic with their Auxiliary, the Womans Relief Corps, has expended more than Fifteen million dollars for the relief of needy veterans and the widows and orphans of such.

The patriotic work of these saviors of the Union, has never been excelled, since the day that the Persian hordes gave battle to Miltides, at Marathon. He has ever stood One hundred per cent for Americanism, and his last lispng words as he passes to the Grand Army above, will be, is that flag still there.

One of the achievements during the life of the Grand Army was the birth of Memorial day, with its beautiful ceremonies, which came as a legacy and trust, from our own beloved General N. P. Chipman, and the late General John A. Logan.

Allied with the veterans in charity work and patriotic effort, besides their Auxiliary, the Woman's Relief Corps, are the Sons and Daughters of veterans, the Sons of veterans auxiliary, and the Ladies of the G. A. R.

On the 1st day of January 1921 the roll call for the Department of California and Nevada showed a membership of 4,838.

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- C. S. Stoddard Santa Barbara
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- L. L. Worthington Watts
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 R. Pixley, Lodi

BUSINESS SESSION

To Be Held at Hippodrome Theatre

Monday, May 9th

Meetings and registrations of Comrades.
 Meetings of Council of Administration and
 Committee on Credentials at 2:00 P. M.,
 Hotel Stockton Headquarters. Evening—
 General Reception at Hotels, informal.

Tuesday, May 10th

10:00 A. M.—Meeting of Committees on creden-
 tials.
 2:00 P. M.—Meeting of Encampment at Hippo-
 drome Theatre.
 Tuesday Evening.—Citizen's Reception—Audi-
 torium.

Wednesday, May 11th—10:00 A. M. parade.
 After parade presentation of flag at High
 School by W. R. C. and May Pole Dances.
 1.00 P. M. Barbecue at Oak Park.

Wednesday Evening.—Receptions to Depart-
 ment Commander.

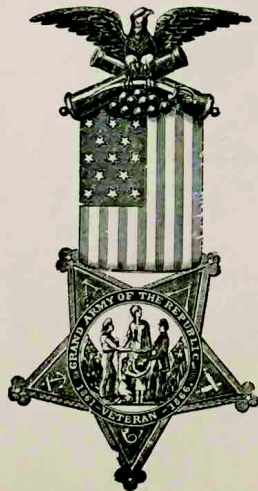
Thursday, May 12th.—9:30 business sessions.
 1:30 business sessions.

Thursday Evening.—Camp Fire, either on Hun-
 ter Square or Auditorium as weather per-
 mits.

Friday, May 13th.—Business sessions. Election
 and Installation of officers.

Friday Afternoon.—Lodi Reception.

Friday Evening.—American Legion Reception
 to delegates and visitors.



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- E. H. Miller Redondo Beach
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- R. Heffelfinger Los Angeles
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- Laura P. Cook
- Martha Packard



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WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS

Monday, May 9th

Credential Committee, Hotel Stockton, Afternoon and Evening.

7:30 P. M.—Council Meeting.

8:00 P. M.—Informal Reception, Hotel Stockton.

Introduction National and Department Officers.

9:30 A. M.—Convention called to order.

Tuesday, May 10th

Reading of President's Address and Announcing Committees.

Memorial Services.

2:30 P. M.—Session.

3:00 P. M.—Receiving Visiting Delegations.

8:00 P. M.—Citizens' Reception, Auditorium.

Wednesday, May 11th

10:00 A. M.—Parade.

1:00 P. M.—Flag Presentation.

Wednesday Afternoon—Recreation, Oak Park.

8:00 P. M.—Receptions.

Thursday, May 12th

9:00 A. M.—Session.

Election of Officers.

8:00 P. M.—Patriotic Meeting, Auditorium.

Friday, May 13th

9:30 A. M.—Session.

Afternoon—Excursion to Lodi.

8:00 P. M.—American Legion.

LADIES OF THE GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

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Monday, May 9th

Arrival of Delegates.

2:00 P. M.—Meeting of the Cottage Home Board, Department Headquarters.

7:30 P. M.—Meeting of the Advisory Council Department Headquarters.

Tuesday, May 10th

8:30 A. M.—Business Session. Seating of Delegates.

1:30 P. M.—Memorial Services, Department Chaplain Clarissa Woolverton in charge.

2:30 P. M.—Greetings from G. A. R. and Allied Organizations.

4:30 P. M.—Exemplification of Work, by Edward Roby Circle. Sacramento.

Wednesday, May 11th

9:00 A. M.—Flag Line for G. A. R. Parade.

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tions are invited to join in this tribute to the Veterans, Department Patriotic Instructor Annette Gayetti and Assistants, Candace A. Fortin, Bell Maines, Altha MacCampbell, Nellie J. King, Marshals of Flag Line.

1:00 P. M.—Presentation of Abraham Lincoln Picture to School, by Department Patriotic Instructor Annette Gayetti.

Afternoon Recreation.

8:00 P. M.—Reception to Department Commander and Staff, by Department President and Staff.

Thursday, May 12th

8:30 A. M.—Business Session.

1:30 P. M.—Business Session.

Friday, May 13th

8:30 A. M.—Business Session, Election of Off-

1:30 P. M.—Business Session, Installation of Officers.

SONS OF VETERANS

The Order of Sons of Veterans was founded in 1881 in Pittsburg, Pa., by Major A. P. Davis, an honored member of the Grand Army.

The first Camp organized in California was General Nathaniel Lyon Camp No. 1, which was instituted in Los Angeles, March 2, 1885, being the first one to start west of the Rocky Mountains.

In June, 1886, sufficient Camps had been mustered to form a Provisional Division and Louis de P. Callahan was appointed Provisional Colonel, serving in that capacity until the First Annual Encampment convened, which met in Los Angeles, February 23-24, 1887, when a full quota of Division Officers were elected and the California Division formerly organized.

At the present time the Division comprises 30 Camps with a membership of 1604.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM

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THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT

SONS OF VETERANS, U. S. A.

Division of California and Pacific

Headquarters, Clark Hotel; Encampment Hall, Anteros Club, California and Weber Ave.

DIVISION OFFICERS

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C. F. Miller Organizer—Colorado
Division Council—John W. Stailey, Hiram F. Spileman and John W. Casner.

Tuesday, May 10, 1921

9:30 A. M.—Council meeting.

10:30 A. M.—Opening of Encampment. Business session. Roll Call of Division Officers. Appointment of Credentials Committee.

1:30 P. M.—Business session. Report of Credentials Committee. Appointment of Committees. Memorial Services for Departed Brothers. Greetings Committee will extend greetings to Grand Army, W. R. C., Ladies of the Grand Army, Army Nurses, Auxiliary of Sons of Veterans and Daughters of Veterans.

8:00 P. M.—Tuesday Night—Citizens Reception, Auditorium, corner Channel and El Dorado.

Wednesday, May 11, 1921

10:00 A. M.—Grand Army Parade. Sons of Veterans official escort.

1:00 P. M.—Patriotic Exercises, High School Campus.

2:30 P. M.—Barbecue at Oak Park.

8:00 P. M.—Evening—Reception by Sons of Veterans, Sons of Veterans Auxiliary, and Daughters of Veterans to the Division and Department Officers and all allied organizations. Roof Garden, Hotel Stockton.

Thursday, May 12, 1921

9:00 A. M.—Business Session in Aneros Club. Reports of Officers. Reports of Resolutions Committee. Reports of all Committees.

2:00 P. M.—Reception and reference of communications. Unfinished business New business. Election of officers.

8:00 P. M.—Patriotic program at Auditorium, followed by Camp Fire at Hunter Square.

Friday, May 13, 1921

10:00 A. M.—“A Model Camp”—Initiatory work of the Order put on by the Degree Team of the Past Commanders' Club, Sons of Veterans. Installation of Officers.

2:30 P. M.—Auto excursion to Lodi; lunch served by Hartford W. R. C.

8:00 P. M.—Entertainment by Karl Ross Post No. 16, American Legion, Auditorium.

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 Maybelle Plymire.....Guide
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 Department Headquarters at Hotel Clark.
 Convention sessions in Eagles Hall, 531 East
 Main street.

Monday, May 9th

Arrival of Delegates. Informal reception at Hotel Clark.

Tuesday, May 10th

10:00 A. M.—Council Meeting.
 10:30 A. M.—Credential Committee will receive credentials at Eagles Hall, 531 East Main street.
 1:30 P. M.—Opening of Convention. Memorial Services. Appointment of Committees. Reports of Officers and Tents.
 8:00 P. M.—Citizens Reception. Auditorium, Corner Channel and Eldorado.

Wednesday, May 11th

10:00 A. M.—Parade.
 1:00 P. M.—Patriotic Exercises. High School.
 2:30 P. M.—Barbecue. Oak Park.
 8:00 P. M.—Reception. Roof Garden, Hotel Stockton.

Thursday, May 12th

9:00 A. M.—Business Session at Eagles' Hall.
 Report of Committee on Department By-Laws.
 Reports of Committees on Resolutions, Constitution and Ritual.

General Discussion.

Nomination of Officers.

1:30 P. M.—Business Session.

Exemplification of Ritualistic Work, by Dolly Madison Tent of San Francisco.

Election of Officers.

Unfinished Business of Convention.

8:00 P. M.—Patriotic Program. Auditorium.
 Camp Fire, Hunter Square.

Friday, May 13th

9:00 A. M.—Installation of Officers.

Closing of Convention.

2:30 P. M.—Automobile Excursion to Lodi.

8:00 P. M.—Entertainment by Karl Ross Post, No. 16, American Legion. Auditorium.

PROGRAM

CALIFORNIA AND PACIFIC DIVISION

SONS OF VETERANS AUXILIARY

Eleventh Annual Encampment

DIVISION OFFICERS

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 Margaret Adams.....Patriotic Instructor
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Monday, May 9th

Arrival of Delegates

Monday Evening, 7:00 O'Clock, Council Meeting at Headquarters, Hotel Clark.

Informal Reception.

Tuesday, May 10th

9:30 A. M.—Credential Committee at Knights of Pythias Hall.

10:00 A. M.—Convention opens at Knights of Pythias Hall.

1:30 P. M.—Business session.

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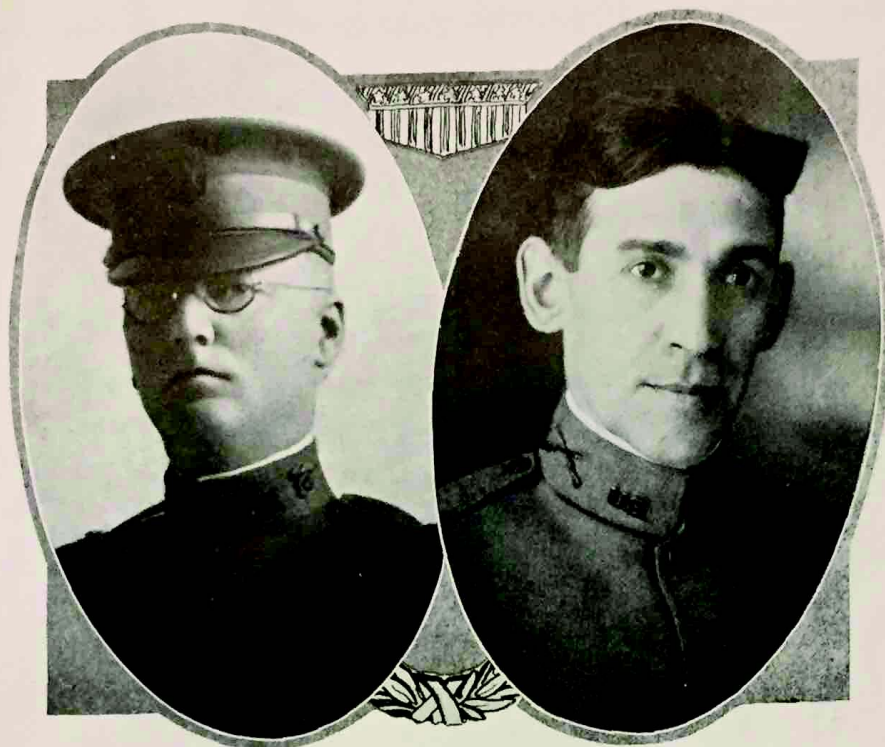
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He was chairman of the general committee and in this position he supervised the "big job". Do not get the impression that he sat in a chair and dictated. He got out and worked. He went after the finances. He made speeches. He carefully outlined the plans. He proved beyond any doubt that he possesses executive ability.

Mr. Myran served in the world war. He worked his way from a private to an officer. He is a Spanish war veteran as well. He has served as president of the American Legion and he is full of patriotism. A fighter for the right; a loyal citizen with the future of Stockton at heart and a man who doesn't believe in the word "fail", Mr. Myran is deserving of credit for his able work in making the 1921 encampment a success.

On this side of the page we have Ray E. Hall, chairman of the Official Program Committee. To members of the American Legion and to Stocktonians, Mr. Hall needs no introduction. Since adopting Stockton as the "best city in the world", he has attained for himself worthy recognition. He has served as secretary of the local post of the American Legion and has worked diligently to place the Stockton post at the "head of the class."

He has always taken a keen interest in civic matters for a Greater Stockton and has been square in his business dealings. With a winning personality he has made friends and held them. He is a man who takes a stand for what he considers right and he sticks to it.

The delegates and visitors can thank Mr. Hall for securing under difficulties the advertising that has made this publication possible. After telling the committee that he would make the program a success, he simply went to work, and has left it to the delegates to decide whether he has made good or not.

He has given unsparingly of his time and has exerted every effort towards making this work a credit to the G. A. R. and to the city of Stockton.

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In behalf of the general convention committee, it is desired to extend to the advertisers their sincere thanks for the assistance which has, in a great measure made the encampment itself a success. —The PUBLISHER

How the 1921 Encampment was Managed

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Over \$1000 was raised in this manner.

Dances, shows, card parties, a boxing bout under the auspices of Karl Ross Post No. 16 of the American Legion and other affairs helped to raise the encampment fund. At this writing, three weeks before the convention, the entire encampment fund has been raised by work and not through donations received from merchants.

Enjoy Yourselves, Visitors

Though the arranging for the 1921 encampment has been hard work, we are all proud of the part we took in planning for its success. We want every visitor to have the greatest time in his or her life. We are mighty glad that you are Stockton's guests and when you have left our city we will all wish that we could start right away and make preparations for your encampment in Stockton again next year.

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PROGRAM—Sons of Veterans Auxiliary

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8:00 P. M.—Citizens Welcome at Auditorium, Corner Channel and Eldorado.

Wednesday, May 11th

10:00 A. M.—Grand Parade.
1:00 P. M.—Patriotic Exercises, High School Campus.

2:30 P. M.—Barbecue, Oak Park.

8:00 P. M.—Reception on Roof Garden of Hotel Stockton.

Thursday, May 12th

9:00 A. M.—Memorial Service.

10:30 A. M.—Business Session.

2:00 P. M.—Business Session.

8:00 P. M.—Patriotic Program at Auditorium followed by Camp Fire, Hunter Square.

Friday, May 13th

10:30 A. M.—Election of Officers.

2:30 P. M.—Installation of Officers.

8:00 P. M.—Excursion to Lodi, Karl Ross Post.

103,000 VETERANS STILL FOLLOW THE G. A. R.'S FLAG

Although a man who was 21 when the Civil War began would today be 80 years old, more than 103,000 veterans of that war are still in line on the march that is leading the Grand Army of the Republic out of time. Figures on the growth and falling away of the membership of the G. A. R. prove that it was more than a quarter of a century after the war ended before the casualties of Father Time began thinning the ranks of those who had kept the nation intact. Up until 1890 the G. A. R. had a steady growth. In 1890 it had 409,000 members. After that its roll call became smaller with each new year.

The membership of G.A.R. for past 42 years follows:

1883	215,446	1902	263,745
1884	273,168	1903	256,510
1885	294,787	1904	247,340
1886	323,571	1905	232,455
1887	355,916	1906	235,823
1888	372,960	1907	229,932
1889	397,974	1908	225,157
1890	409,489	1909	220,600
1891	407,781	1910	213,901
1892	399,880	1911	203,401
1893	397,223	1912	191,345
1894	369,083	1913	180,227
1895	357,639	1914	171,335
1896	340,610	1915	159,863
1897	319,455	1916	147,074
1898	305,603	1917	135,931
1899	287,918	1918	120,916
1900	276,612	1919	110,357
1901	269,507	1920	103,000

Gridley Monument

While the Civil war was raging in the East and people were busy providing for what must attend the meeting of the contending forces, a transpiring in an out of the way place among the mountains in Nevada. A simple municipal election was held at Austn and on this election, Reul Colt Gridley, a war Democrat, wagered a sack of flour that the Democratic nominee for Mayor would be elected. The wager was accepted by one Dr. Herrick, a county official, and it was arranged that if the latter lost, he should carry the sack of flour through the principal streets for a distance of a mile and a quarter, marching to the tune of "Dixie"; and if Mr. Gridley lost, he should carry the flour marching to the tune of "Old John Brown".

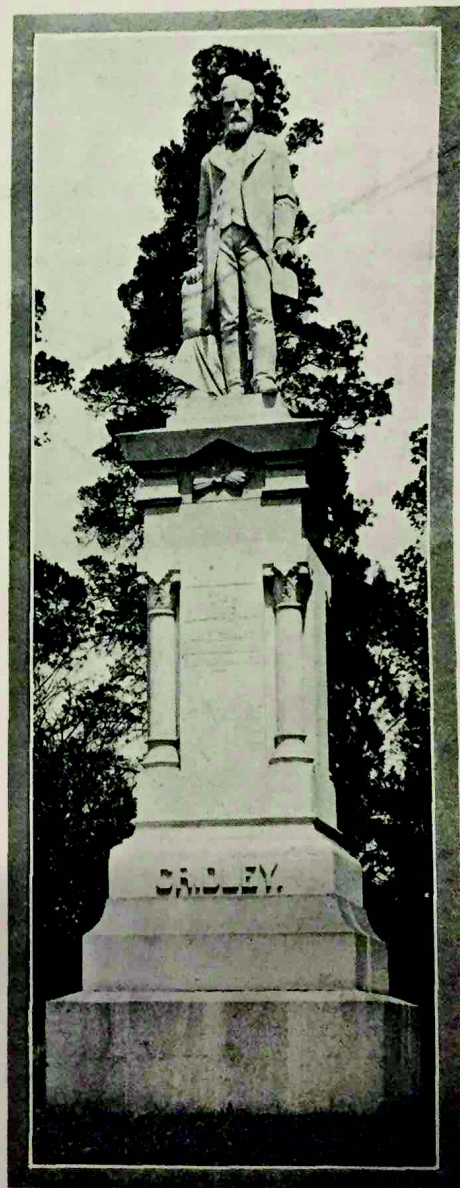
When the time came for paying the debt, Mr. Gridley appeared at the store in which he was a partner, with the sack of flour trimmed with ribbons of red, white and blue and decorated with flags. Headed by the city officials elect, and a band, a large procession escorted Mr. Gridley ended, the flour was delivered to Dr. Herrick bearing the sack of flour. After the march was and the question arose as to what use should be made of it. The Republican's proposed to make griddle cakes of it, but Mr. Gridley proposed that it be sold at auction for the benefit of the sick and wounded soldiers; the understanding being that the purchaser pay the amount bid, and give the flour back to be sold again and the money be given to the Sanitary Commission. The proposition was received with delight and Gridley himself first purchased the flour for \$300. Spirited bidding went on for some time and when the auction ended, Mr. Gridley had \$5000 in cash besides two business blocks and hundreds of dollars in script and mining stock. The latter were converted into money and the entire proceeds sent to the United States Sanitary Commission.

Encouraged by the success of the sale in Austin, Mr. Gridley took the flour to neighboring cities, to Sacramento, San Francisco and eventually New York, paying his own expenses. The flour was sold and resold in almost every state in the Union and realized for the Sanitary Commission over \$275,000.

Gridley returned to Nevada, to find his business gone and himself financially ruined, having expended his entire fortune in the prosecution of his humane task. His health was, moreover, in an extremely delicate state, and he soon found

it necessary to leave Nevada. He came to Stockton in 1866, without a dollar, having been brought over the mountains in a bed. Later he where he lived until his death in 1870. Just before he died, he wrote to H. S. Sargent of Stockton, an old and tried friend, and requested that

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GRIDLEY MONUMENT

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he be buried at Stockton, a request which was complied with.

Feeling that every Union soldier owed a debt of gratitude to Mr. Gridley, Rawlins Post No. 23, started a fund to erect a suitable monument for his grave and to provide for his widow. They were ably assisted by the citizens of Stockton and many Posts throughout the Union responded for "flour man Gridley" of sanitary fame were like household words, and when he made his appearance in the East the enthusiasm had been intense.

The funds were raised and the Rural Cemetery Association gave to Rawlins Post a plot of ground as a burial place for their members. The monument was erected in the center of this plot and here sleeps Gridley, a man too whole-souled and kind-hearted to accumulate wealth, but rich in kindly deeds and Christian graces.

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John A. Medlar, Div. Sec.-TREAS.
SONS OF VETERANS U.S.A.

John A. Medlar, Division Secretary-Treasurer of the Sons of Veterans, also hails from Los Angeles. He holds one of the most important offices within the organization for the Secretary-Treasurer has many duties upon which the success or failure of the organization depends. It is a remarkable coincident that the Division Commander and the Division Secretary-Treasurer for the past year have been residents of the city in which the first camp of this department was organized. General Nathaniel Lyon Camp No. 1 was organized in Los Angeles, March 2nd, 1885, and was the first camp to be organized west of the Rocky Mountains. Mr. Secretary, you are informed for your Division, that Stockton is yours. If you fail to enjoy yourselves, the entire city will be keenly disappointed.

To The G. A. R.

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