

Geo. H. Fogg, R. S.; Chas. W. Baker, P. S.; David Vogt, Treasurer.

Night of meetings Tuesday, in Odd Fellows' Hall northwest corner Franklin and Eleventh streets.

UNIVERSITY LODGE No. 144 was instituted June 20th, 1868, and now has 95 members. The officers for the last term in the year 1869, are as follows: J. V. B. Goodrich, N. G.; O. H. Burnham, V. G.; S. H. Goddard, R. S.; F. L. Taylor, P. S.; Chas. G. Reed, Treasurer. The present officers are: O. H. Burnham, N. G.; S. H. Goddard, V. G.; F. L. Taylor, P. S.; Chas. G. Reed; R. S.; C. E. Zwisler, Treasurer. Night of meeting, Thursday, in Odd Fellows' Hall, northwest corner of Eleventh and Franklin streets.

ALAMEDA DEGREE LODGE No. 5, was instituted February 13th, 1869. It is composed of persons holding membership in the two subordinate Lodges, there being 70 members. The officers are as follows: J. C. Holland, N. G.; J. Barnett, V. G.; John Hamilton, Secretary; Geo. H. Fogg, Treasurer; Jos. Shade, I. G. Nights of meeting, first and third Saturdays in each month.

I. O. O. F. LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.—The Odd Fellows' Library Association was organized August 12th, 1867, and now has 51 members. There are about 1,000 volumes in the library. The library rooms are in the new Odd Fellows' building, and the meetings of all the lodges are held there.

ODD FELLOWS' HALL ASSOCIATION.—The important work of the Odd Fellows of the city of Oakland during the year has been the erection of their new hall, on the northwest corner of Franklin and Eleventh streets. The Association was incorporated in June, 1869. The Directors are as follows: J. E. Marchand, President; J. H. Seymour, Vice-President; W. J. Gurnett, Secretary; Joseph Becht, Treasurer; Wm. Bartling, Geo. H. Fogg and C. B. Rutherford. The capital stock, held by members of the Order, is \$16,000. The Directors have authority to incur a debt not to exceed \$3,000.

The dimensions of the structure are 59x80 feet, and three stories in height. The material used in its construction is redwood, and the ordinary lath and plaster finish. There is a

great deal of glass used in doors and windows, and the whole presents a very light and airy appearance, though a very modest design; it is a block shaped structure with slight ornamentation about the cornice. The building is painted a light yellow color. The eighty foot front on Eleventh street, shows to good advantage, the lower story being finished for stores and shops, with high glass doors. On the second floor is the Odd Fellows' Hall, the entrance to which is by way of Franklin street. The hall is 56x35, and 26 feet high, arched overhead; it has a cheertful front on Eleventh street, and can never be a gloomy resort under any circumstances. On the same floor, extending across the eastern end of the building, is the library room, which will never lack for sunshine on its own account. On the third floor, are the chess, refreshment and other rooms of minor importance. The chess room is the first at the head of the stairs on the north side of the building, and the refreshment room is immediately overhead the library. The architect was Thomas Turnbull; the contractor, Benjamin Maloon, and the foreman of construction, S. K. Hassinger.

RED MEN.—There are in Oakland two branches of this Order, Cherokee Tribe No. 27, Improved Order of Red Men, and Alameda Stamm No. 113, Independent Order. Cherokee Tribe was instituted during the latter part of the year 1869, and Alameda Stamm was instituted October 1st, 1867. The officers are as follows.

ALAMEDA STAMM No. 113, I. O. R. M.—O. Ch., C. Bredhoff; U. Ch., F. A. Mueller; R. S., W. Jordan; P. S., H. Kornahreus; Chaplain, A. Eisenbach; Treasurer, D. Vogt.

CHEROKEE TRIBE No. 27, IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.—J. W. Morris, W. P.; Miles Doody, W. S.; Benjamin Larkin, S. S.; G. H. Naegle, J. S.; J. C. Plunkett, C. R.; Wm. Hurl, K. W.

TEMPERANCE—ATHENS LODGE No. 286, Independent Order of Good Templars, was instituted September 19th, 1867. The officers are as follows: Albert Shorey, W. C. T.; Miss Ruth Ward, W. V. T.; Miss Annie Danforth, W. S.; G. Baker, W. F. S.; Miss E. Nesbith, W. T.; D. Bankhead, W. M.; Mrs. E. Euell, W. D. M.; Robert Ward, W. A. S.;