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Mercer Oct 26-1913: Sandy River Grange No 89

Meeting called to order by W. M.  
Recess

After meeting was called to order  
New Sharon Grange furnished the  
following program

Organ Solo. Sister Angie Baker

Reading "Floyd" Army Gray

Farce - Old country aunts visit to the city  
Solo by Allen Thompson

Reading Army Gray

Solo Angie Baker

Cornet Solo Frank Grant

Worthy Master spoke a few words of thanks  
for the very pleasant and enjoyable  
Program. W. Lecturer announced next

night regular meeting Bros. night

W. M. appointed as committee

Harry Corson - Albert Yeaton Altou Smith

Lecturer Richard Yeaton - Remarks by

Bros. Alving Whitcomb - Allen Thompson

Fred Hale - Eliot - Howard Smith

Harold Hale - Floyd Whitcomb

Next submitted Rosa Wade Sec. Protem

members present 67

Mercer Nov. 8 - 1913 Sandy River Grange No 89

Was observed as Brothers Night  
Meeting called to order by W. Master  
Song by the Choir

Reading bills due A. E. Works

Rosenthal Bros.

J. N. Frizzell & W. S. Wade

Voted to refer bills to the financial  
com. & if found correct paid -

W. Master appointed next regular  
meeting night at 7 P. M. for  
Corporation meeting for the purpose  
of accepting or rejecting  
the by-laws - Recess  
Program

Music Bros. Carson & Smith

Responded to an encore

Reading Bro W. S. Wade

Song " Coupe

Story " Barnes

Song " Hatch

Reading " Frizzell

Song " Wood

Coronet Solo " Mert Wade

Next meeting appointed as  
Young Folks Night

A rising vote of thanks was  
given the Bros. by the sisters for  
their excellent program

Remarks concerning the dinner  
for the Farmers Institute to be held  
Nov 12th - Moved & supported that  
the Grange furnish the dinner free

Reading & adopting minutes

Closed in form

Members Present 50

Dues Col - 9.80

Respt. submitted

Clyde Duntou

Sec. Pro Tem

Young Folks Night  
 Mercer Nov 22 - Sandy River Grange No 89

Meeting called to order by W. Master  
 Chairs filled by the young people  
 Reading bills due D. M. Bunker  
 W. G. Wade - N. E. True  
 moved & supported to refer bills to  
 finance Committee & if found correct  
 paid - Recess

Referred to New Business  
 and appointed W. G. Wade as committee  
 to take the deed of this hall  
 Meeting turned over to W. Lecturer  
 and the following program was  
 carried out.

Song Sisters Gordon Brown  
 & Corson

Medley by the Brothers

Music on the organ

Dialogue - A Family Jar

Song Sister Ruth Holmes

Reading Clyde Danton

Song by the Choir Music on the Organ

Remarks Bro Barnes & Bro Bacon Meeting

closed in form. Members present 48

Respt Submitted Clyde Danton Sec Pro Tem

Dues Col.  
 \$7.40

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 Mercer Dec 13-1913 - Sandy River Grange No 89

Meeting called to order by W. Master  
 Reading bills due Clyde Danton forty five  
 cents - J. N. Frizzell for rent of hall. 27.50  
 Voted to refer the bills to finance Com  
 & if found correct to pay them

Reading communication in regard to  
 a lecture on farmers organization. Voted  
 that the Secretary or Master write the  
 gentleman in regard to the matter  
 Voted that a committee be appointed  
 to confer with a committee from the  
 Golden Cross in regard to buying the  
 hall furnishings. N. E. True, D. M. Bunker  
 J. H. Smith were so appointed. Talk by the  
 Brothers in regard to renting and  
 janitoring the hall.

moved & supported that it be left with  
 the master to let the hall to any responsible  
 party - Talk in regard to getting the hall  
 insured Brother N. E. True appointed  
 to get the hall insured and instructed  
 to put 350 dollars on it

Voted that the master act as Janitor of  
 the building

Proceeded to Election of officers  
 G. E. Barnes elected - Master  
 Alton Smith " Overseer  
 Mrs J. Bacon x " Lecturer  
 Fred Hatch " Steward.  
 Mert Wade " Asst Steward  
 Mrs J. H. Smith " Chaplain  
 A. E. True " Treasurer  
 Clyde Dunton " Secretary  
 Wallace Thomas " Gatekeeper  
 Belle Yeaton " Ceres  
 Lilla Smith " Pomona  
 Eva Hatch " Flora  
 Merle Brown " S. Asst Steward  
 Nominated as Alternative to attend  
 the State Grange, in case the master  
 cannot ~~see~~ attend. Alton Smith  
 Report of Committee on hall furniture  
 no action taken  
 Reading & adopting minutes  
 Closed in form.  
 Members Present 32  
 Dues Col. \$1.40  
 Rept submitted E. J. Friggel Sec

Mexico, Dec. 27, 1913.

Sandy River Grange No. 89  
 Meeting called to order by W. M.  
 Bertha Gray elected as Ceres.  
 Next meeting appointed for  
 discussion as to enlarging the hall.  
 Report of The State Grange by  
 The Worthy Master.

Members present 15  
 Rept. Submitted,  
 Eva W. Hatch  
 Sec. P. W. Finn

Merced, January 6<sup>th</sup> 1913. <sup>1914</sup>

Sandy River Grange No 89  
Special Meeting for the installation  
of officers.

Meeting called to order by the W. M.  
Reading report of Secretary.  
Reading report of Treasurer.  
Report of Finance Committee.  
Voted to accept the report of the  
Finance Committee. Flora Snow  
elected Ceres.

Recess.

Proceeded to installation of officers  
with Bro. E. C. Patten of Topsham  
as installing Officer assisted by  
Bro. and Sister Wade.

The following officers were  
installed

George Barnes	Master
Alton Smith	Querser
Fred E. Hatch	Steward
Mert Wade	asst. Steward

Mrs. J. H. Smith	Chaplain
N. E. True	Treasurer
Clyde A. Dunton	Secretary
Wallace Thomas	Gatekeeper
Flora Snow	Ceres
Lillian Smith	Pomona
Eva Hatch	Flora

Remarks by Bro. Patten on  
dearing. A rising vote of Thanks  
was tendered Bro. Patten for the very  
able and impressive manner in  
which he installed our officers.  
A baked bean supper was served  
after the meeting.

Members Present 40

Dues Collected \$10

Meeting Closed in form.

Respt. Submitted,

Clyde A. Dunton  
Sec.

Mercer, Jan. 10, 1914

Sandy River Grange no. 89. Meeting  
Called to order by The W.M.

Reading bills due E. J. Friggell, G. E. Barnes  
and A. B. Dunton. Voted to refer bills to the  
Finance Committee and if found correct  
to pay them.

The W.M. appointed The following  
committees for the ensuing year.

Executive Committee Bro's D. M. Bunker,  
J. H. Smith, George Gray. Finance Committee  
Bro's Earle True, Alton Smith and Sis.  
Bertha Gray. Committee of Charity to  
assist The Chaplain Sisters Morse and Bunker.

Remarks as to the enlarging of The hall.  
Sisters Wade & Friggell and Bro's J. H. Smith  
Alton Smith, D. M. Bunker, W. E. True, J. N.  
Friggell and The W.M., Bro Hatch.

Motion made and supported That The  
W.M. appoint a committee to find out The  
cost of repairing This hall and report  
at The next meeting.

W.M. appointed as Committee Bro's  
J. H. Smith, D. M. Bunker and George Gray.

Motion made and supported That the W.M.  
appoint an entertainment Committee  
appointed Sister Rose Wade, Sis Bertha  
Gray & Bro Clyde Dunton.

Remarks by Bro. Wade as to the purpose  
of The Corporation. Remarks by Bro.  
Friggell on The property of The Golden  
Cross which has been sold.

Voted to purchase 60 common chairs 13  
Officers Chairs and 7 stands. appointed as  
committee to purchase The same Bro's  
W. G. Wade, J. H. Smith & D. M. Bunker. Voted  
That The W.M. be added to That committee.  
Recess.

Voted That The committee to purchase The  
furniture also purchase The necessary things  
for The dining room

Sister Friggell expressed her sincere  
Thanks to The Officers and Members of  
Sandy River Grange for Their kindness  
to her while she was secretary.

Voted That the W.M. appoint an  
Chorister and Organist.



Appointed Bro. Frances Larson as  
Organist. Bro. George Wood Chorister.  
Recd from Flora Snow for one lb.  
butter 34¢.

Dues Collected \$12.50

Members present 24

Meeting Closed in form  
Respt. Submitted  
Clyde A. Duntou  
Sec.

Mercer, Jan, 24, 1914 Sandy River

Grange no. 89

Meeting called to order by W. M.  
Reading records of last meeting  
Bro. J. H. Smith read list of lumber  
necessary to enlarge the hall.

Recess.

Bro. Wade reported that it would  
take about 7000 feet of lumber and  
10,000 shingles.

Reading bills due A. E. Works,  
A. B. Duntou, Clyde Duntou, Ray  
H. Garrison Furniture Co.  
Voted to refer the bills to the  
Finance Committee and if found  
correct to pay them.

Report of Furniture Committee by  
Bro. W. G. Wade.

Remarks upon enlarging the hall  
by Bro's Wade, J. H. Smith, worthy  
Master, Alton Smith, Hatch, and  
Sisters, Snow, Hatch, Hilton.

Remarks as to the Grange  
lending The Chairs.

Voted not to lend The Chairs.

Voted That the Grange get up The  
supper for a dance to be held  
Jan. 29, 1914.

Cohort social announced for  
Saturday evening Jan 31, 1914.

Voted That The Hall Committee  
already appointed have a  
carpenter from out of town to come  
here and give a close estimate  
on The expense of enlarging The hall.

Meeting closed in form.

Members present 22

Dues collected \$9.30

Resp. Submitted

Clyde A. Duntton

Sec.

Mercer. Feb'y 28, 1914.

Sandy Kiser Grange no. 89  
Meeting called to order by W.M.  
Reading records of last meeting  
Reading application of W.H. Doran.  
Appointed as investigating  
Committee Bro's. J.H. Smith,

N.E. Toms, James Coups.

Reading bills due. A.C. Holt,

A.E. Works, A.R. Duntton.

Voted to refer bills to The Finance  
Committee and if found correct to  
pay them.

Sister Etta Blaisdell calls for a  
denit card. Voted to grant Sis.  
Blaisdell a denit card.

Voted That The Grange turn over  
to The Corporation what money they  
have at The present time for  
The purpose of enlarging The hall.

Voted That The Grange get up The  
supper for a dance to be held  
March 2<sup>d</sup>.

Voted that all money the the  
Grange receives from enter-  
tainment, Suppers, Socials etc.,  
~~be used~~ go toward the fund for  
enlarging the hall.

W. Chap. reported Bro. Wood & Sis. Wade  
sick.

Closed in form.

Members present 19

Dues collected \$11.40

Fees deposited 3.00.

Resp. Submitted,

Clyde A. Duntou  
Sec.

Mercer, Mar. 14, 1914

Sandy River Grange # 89  
Meeting called to order by The Worthy  
Steward. Past Master W. G. Wade  
called to the chair.

Reading records of last meeting  
Committee reported favorably on  
application of W. H. Doran.

Balloting on name of W. H. Doran  
candidate elected.

Report of building committee  
by Bro. W. S. Wade. Remarks by  
Bro. Smith & Hatch.

Sister Josephine Pessy & Jennie  
Hickox called for dues cards  
Voted to Grant the Name.

Special meeting appointed for  
March 21, 1914 for the purpose  
of conferring the first & second  
degrees.

Reading Sister Flora Snow  
Song Bro Hatch.

Dues col. \$3.00 Members present 14

Meeting closed in form

Resp. Submitted Clyde A. Duntou Sec.

Mercer, March, 31, 1914

Sandy River Lodge, # 89  
Special Meeting for the purpose  
of conferring degrees.

Meeting called to order by the H. M.  
Reading records of last meeting  
Recess

Closed work in the fourth degree  
and opened in the first.

Candidate instructed in the work  
of the first degree.

Recess.

Closed work in the first degree and  
opened in the second.

Candidate instructed in the work  
of the second degree.

Recess

Closed work in the second degree  
and opened in the fourth.

Closed in four

Members present 23

Resp. Submitted

Clyde G. Dunton

Secretary

Misc. March 28, 1914

Sandy River Grange # 89.

Meeting called to order by the W.M.  
Reading records of last meeting  
Reading bill due A.P. Duntow. voted  
to refer the bill to the Finance  
Committee and if found correct  
pass.

Voted to elect a lecturer.

Rose Thacke elected lecturer.

Sis. Melle Brown installed as L. A. S.

" Rose Thacke installed as lecturer  
by Past Master True.

Recess.

Closed work in the 4<sup>th</sup> degree and  
opened in the 3<sup>d</sup> Candidate  
instructed in work of the 3<sup>d</sup> degree  
Recess.

Closed work in the 3<sup>d</sup> degree and  
opened in the 4<sup>th</sup> Candidate instructed  
in work of the 4<sup>th</sup> degree.

Recess.

Literary Programme.  
 Song By The Choir.  
 Recitation Sis. Gordon.  
 Song Bro. Hatch.  
 Reading Sis. Gray.  
 Reading Bro. Duntun.  
 Music Violin & Organ Bro. Mack & Sis. Hatch.  
 Remarks in regard to better lights  
 by Bro. J. H. Smith, Carpe & Sis. Featon.  
 Voted to have a committee appointed to  
 procure necessary lamps and new  
 burners for the ones we have.  
 Appointed a committee Bro. J. H. Smith.  
 Meeting closed in form after  
 which a harvest supper was served.  
 Members present 40  
 Dues col. 2.40  
 Resp. Submitted  
 Clyde A. Duntun  
 Sec.

Merue. April, 11, 1914.

Sunday River Grange #89  
 Meeting called to order by  
 W.M.

Reading records of last  
 meeting  
 Reading communication from  
 Sister Bacon.

Remarks by Bro. Friggell.  
 Voted that April 21, 1914 be set  
 apart for a special clean-up  
 day.

Remarks by Bro. Duane & W.M.

Meeting closed in form.

Members present 12  
 Dues collected 50¢  
 Resp. Submitted

Clyde A. Duntun  
 Sec.

Meiser April 25, 1914

Sandy River Grange # 89  
Meeting called to order by  
H.M. Reading records of  
last meeting.

Reading communications from  
The National Grange Monthly &  
Producers & Consumers Exchange.

Voted that the offer of the  
National Grange Monthly be accepted  
and that the sum of \$1 be sent.

Voted that Bro. M. Dunbar be appointed  
as representative of the Producers  
& Consumers Exchange for Sandy  
River Grange.

Literary Programme  
Reading Sister Morse

Song Bro. J. of Hatch

Reading Bro. J. M. Dunbar

Reading Bro. Barnes

Questions. Which are the  
most profitable hens or  
cows.

Opened by Bro. W. E. True

followed by Brothers Bunker,  
J. H. Smith, Soupe and  
Sister Wade.

Meeting closed in form  
Members present 25

Resp. Submitted  
Clyde A. Duntson.  
Sec.

Merced May 9, 1914.

Landy River Grange # 89  
Meeting called to order by  
W. M. Reading records of  
last meeting.

Literary Programme  
Topic for discussion, What  
Changes I will make in my  
farming operations this year.  
and why.

Reading Bw. W. G. Wade

" Worthy Lecturer

" Sister Flora Snow.

Remarks on Topic by  
Brothers, D. M. Bunker, Bacon, Smith  
and Wade.

Remarks by Bw. Bacon.  
Topic announced for discussion  
for the next meeting. Resolved  
that Co-operation is the  
coming issue.

Remarks by members in regard  
to having a fair.



Moved and supported that  
a vote be taken to see if the  
Grange wishes to have a fair.  
Voted that the Grange have  
a fair.

Voted that the W. M. appoint  
a committee of five to  
assist the lecturer in  
making up a list of committees  
for the fair.

Bertha Gray & Clyde Duntson  
were so appointed.

Meeting closed in form.  
Members present 20.

Resp. Submitted.

Clyde A. Duntson  
Sec.

Merced, June 13, 1914.

Sandy River Grange # 89

Meeting called to order by W. M.

Reading records of last meeting.

Reading applications of Mildred  
Tibbets, Susie True, Phyllis Williamson  
Annie Stoddard, Joseph Carpe.

Appointed as investigating committee  
Sisters Edna Carson, Bertha Gray and  
Rose Wade.

Committees organized for the fair  
by Sis. Wade.

Reading bills due E. E. Barber and  
A. B. Duntson. Voted to refer the bills  
to the Finance Committee and if  
found correct, to pay them.

Literary Programme.

Reading State Hatch.

" Worthy Lecturer

Remarks by W. L. in regard to  
having special programmes and inviting  
those outside the Grange followed  
by Sisters Dickinson, Carson, Snow,  
Bro. Barnes, True Wade & Smith.

Topic announced for next meeting: If the average woman talks too much, is it equally true that the average man eats too much?

Voted to have a programme and ask those outside the Grange.

Remarks by Lia Swad in regard to Strawberry Supper followed by Sis. Grace.

Meeting closed in form members present 31

Dues col. \$1.20 Fees deposited \$7

Res. Submitted

Clyde A. Duntou  
Sec.

Merced, June 27, 1914.

Sandy River Grange #89  
Meeting called to order by W.M.  
Reading records of last meeting  
Balloting on names of Mildred Tibbetts, Susie True, Phyllis Williamson, Joseph Carpe and Annie Stoddard, candidates elected.

Reading bills due A. E. Works, and A. B. Duntou. Voted that the bills be referred to the Finance Committee and if found correct paid.

Recess

Closed work in the 4<sup>th</sup> degree and opened in the first.

Candidates instructed in the work of the first degree.

Recess

Closed work in the 1<sup>st</sup> degree and opened in the 2<sup>d</sup>.

Candidates instructed in the work of the second degree  
Recess.

Closed work in the second degree and opened in the 4<sup>th</sup> Meeting closed in form.

Members present 60.

At the close of the meeting a Strawberry supper was served in the dining room.

Resp Submitted

Clyde A. Dunton  
Sec.

Mercer, July 25, 1914

Lancely River Grange # 89  
Meeting called to order by Wm.  
Reading records of last meeting  
Closed work in the fourth degree and opened in the third  
Candidates instructed in the work of the third degree.  
Process.

Closed work in the third degree and opened in the fourth  
Candidates instructed in the work of the fourth degree.  
Process.

Appreciation by Worthy Lecturer.  
Remarks by Sis. Snow in regard to buying the Ice cream for sale. Voted to buy the ice cream for the next sale.

Meeting closed in form  
Members Present 27  
Dues Col. \$ 1.20

Resp Submitted,  
Clyde A. Dunton  
Sec.

Merced, Aug. 22, 1914

Sandy River Grange #59  
Meeting called to order by  
H. M. Reading records of  
last meeting.

Reading bill due A. E. Works  
Voted to refer the bill to  
The Finance Committee and  
if found correct, paid.

Reading communication from  
Progressive Grange #523 Miners  
Mills Ore. Voted that some  
member pass the hat. This was  
accordingly done and 80¢ was  
collected for the benefit of Progressive  
Grange.

Registration of Secretary.  
Voted the resignation be accepted.  
Sis. Arnie Stoddard was elected  
Secretary.

Programme  
Reading Sister Mable Brown  
Song Bro. Fred Hatch.  
Reading Worthy Lecturer  
Reading Bro. Clyde Denton.

Music, Bro. Met Wade & Sis,  
Eva Hatch.

Meeting closed in form  
members present 45.

Dues Col. \$3.60

Resp. Submitted

Clyde Duntun  
Sec.

Mercur, Sept. 12, 1914

Sandy River Grange #89  
Meeting called to order by W.M.  
Reading records of last meeting  
Reading application of Carl Thomas  
Appointed as investigating  
Committee Bro. Fred Hatch,  
Met Wade & Carl True

Reading bills due C. K. Allen,  
Clyde Duntun, Andrew Gray.  
Voted to refer the bills to the  
Finance Committee and if  
found correct to pay them.

Reading communication from  
Mist Cohor Grange #526  
No action taken.

Sis Stella Bigelow called for  
Withdrawal card.

Voted to grant Sis Bigelow  
a card.

Lutray Program  
Reading Sis Edna Larson  
" Sis Jerry True  
" Sis Bertha Gray

Sis Belle Yeaton reported sick  
with Scarlet Fever.

Meeting closed in form  
members present 35

Resubmitted  
Clyde A. Dunton  
Sec.

Merces Sept 26 1914

Sandy River Grange No 89.  
Meeting called to order by Worthy Master  
Reading records of last meeting  
Balloting on name of Earl Thomas  
Candidate elected. Reading bills due  
A. B. Dunton, Fred Hatch, and A. E.  
works. Voted to refer same to Finance  
Committee and if found correct, be paid  
Remarks by Sister Wade concerning  
Grange Fair. Installation of Sister  
Annie Stoddard as Secretary by Past  
Master True

Worthy Lecturer announced next meeting  
as Brothers' night.

Worthy Master appointed following Bros.  
to fill the chairs

Bro Will Wade Worthy Lecturer  
" J. H. Smith Chaplain  
" Harry Carson Lady Asst. Steward  
" J. N. Frizzell Ylna  
" Richard Yeaton Ceres  
" Frank Wade Pomona

Sisters Helen Lindon, Inez Barron  
and Ruth Holmes to assist Worthy  
Lecturer. Secretary to be appointed  
later. Supper Committee Richard Y. Love  
Earl True and Fred Hatch

Meeting closed in form (At close of meeting  
Members present 45 a Babed Bear  
Dues collected \$1.20 Supper served in  
the dining room)

Resp. Submitted  
Annie Straddard  
Sec.

Mercer Oct 10 1914

Sandy River Grange No 89  
Meeting called to order by Worthy Master  
with the brothers in the chairs  
Reading records of last meeting  
Reading bills due A. E. Works tried  
bills to refered to Finance Committee  
and if found correct to be paid  
Communication of E. H. Libby read  
Recess

Closed work in fourth degree and opened  
in the first. Candidate instructed in  
work of 1st degree Recess

Closed work in the first degree and  
opened in the second degree, candidate  
instructed in work of second degree  
Closed work in second degree and opened  
in the fourth degree

Programme

Reading Bro M. E. True  
Song by Choir  
Reading Bro W. G. Wade  
Song " Fred Hatch  
Study by Worthy Master

Music Violin & Organ Bros Met Wadde & Alton Smith  
 " Harmonica & " Bros Alton Smith & Harry Cason

Encore - Returned to new business  
 Voted the Grange extend a vote of thanks to all those who contributed toward the fair with gifts of money etc. That a copy be spread on the records and a copy be published in the Independent Reporter Report of fair  
 Worthy Lecturer announced next meeting as Sisters night

Meeting closed in form Members present 48  
 Dues collected \$2.70

At the close of the meeting a chicken pie supper was served in the dining room

Respectfully Submitted  
 Clyde Durbin  
 Sec Pro Tem

Copy of card of thanks printed in Ind. Rep  
 Sandy River Grange # 89, took a vote to extend thanks to the people who so generously aided them with money or its equivalent - for the repairs & enlarging of the Hall, which in its present capacity renders it too small for use

Meeting Oct 24 1914

Sandy River Grange # 89  
 Meeting called to order with following sisters in chairs

Master	Elva Sunr
Uxer	Lillian Smith
Steward	Eva Hatch
Asst "	Edna Carson
L. " "	Mable Brown
Chaplain	Mrs J. H. Smith
Treasurer	Mrs Lena True
Secretary	Annie Stoddard
Gatekeeper	May Thomas
Lecturer	Ros Wade
Uxer	Mrs Emma Fizzell
Pomona "	J. W. Baker
Elva "	Susan Dickerson

Reading records of last meeting  
 Reading application for membership of Leda & Barnes

Edna Carson, Francis Carson, Druz Brown appointed as investigating committee  
 Moved and requested to buy new bowls to serve oyster suppers in



Recess - Literary Program

Song Chorus

Reading Sister Phyllis Williamson

Music Sisters Mabe & Hatch

Reading "Bertha Gray"

Song "Ruth Holmes Eucue"

Reading "Rose Wade"

Wathy Master announced there would be an Evangelist at Church Sunday

The Witches of Sandy River Grange invite the Black Cats both large

and small to attend a Halloween Social to be held at Grange Hall

Oct 31

Members present 48. Dues collected \$3.30 Feb 31

Meeting closed in form

At close of meeting a salad supper was served in the dining hall

Respectfully Submitted  
Dorrie Stoddard Sec.

Nov 14 1914

Sandy River Grange No 89

Meeting called to order by Wathy Master

Reading records of last meeting

Favorable report of investigating committee on name of Leda Barnes. Balloting on candidate. Candidate elected.

Reading bills due ~~A. E. Works~~ E. A. Hillwin

& Ilna Suor. Moved & supported to refer same to Finance Committee & if approved to pay same. Reading communication

of Mrs E. S. Mae Fadden. Moved and supported to sign communication in affirmative. Reading communication of Winstor Grange #523. Recess

Closed work in the fourth degree and opened in the first degree. Instructing candidate in work of first degree - Recess -

Closed work in first degree and opened in second degree. Instructing candidate in work of second degree. Recess

Closed work in second degree and opened in fourth degree

Members present 20 Dues collected \$3.60  
 Meeting closed in form  
 Respectfully Submitted  
 Annie Shaddad Sec.

Merced Nov 28 1914

Sandy River Grange No 89  
 Meeting called to order by worthy Mes-  
 ter. Reading records of Past meeting  
 Reading bills due A. B. Dunton &  
 Alton Smith Voted to refer same to  
 Finance Committee and if found  
 correct to paid.

Reading communications from P. H.  
 Libby, J. A. Roberts and Chas.  
 De Beck Remarks by Bro. Doran  
 concerning petition of Chas De Beck  
 Recess.

Closed work in 4th degree and  
 opened in third. Candidates instruc-  
 ted in work of 3rd degree.  
 Recess.

Closed work in 3rd degree and opened  
 in fourth. Candidates instructed  
 in work of 4th degree. Recess.

Refreshments of cake & coffee were  
 served. Meeting closed in third form  
 Members present - 23. Dues collected \$4.20  
 Respectfully Submitted  
 Annie Shaddad Sec.

Mercer Dec 12 1914

Sandy River Grange No 89  
 Meeting called to order by Worthy Master  
 Reading records of last meeting  
 Reading communication of MT Kenner  
 Grange

Proceeded with election of officers

Alvin Smith Master

Fred Hatch Overseer

Rose Wade Lecturer

J. H. Smith Steward

Wallace Thomas Asst Steward

Mrs J. H. Smith Chaplain

H. E. True Treasurer

Recess

Delmont Bunker

Secretary

Joe Coupe

Gate Keeper

Mrs Lilla Smith

Ceres

Eva Hatch

Pomona

Recess

Ruth Holmes

Flyna

Mildred Tibbets

Lady Asst Steward

Moved and supported to have Worthy Master secure someone to install officers

Literary Program

Song Sister Bacon  
Suggestion by Bro Fizzell that as many as could pay dues to Jan 1 '18  
Another suggestion that have a public installation  
Suggestion by Sister Yeaton to have installation in day time  
Moved and supported to have public installation in day time

Sisters Fanny Turner & Susann Dickinson reported sick

Members present 41 Dues Collected 3.60  
Meeting closed in joy  
Respectfully Submitted  
Maggie Straddard Sec.

Mercur Dec 26 1914

Sandy River Grange # 89  
Meeting called to order by Worthy Master  
Reading records of last meeting  
Voted to accept resignation of Worthy Lecturer Sister Rose Wade  
Sister Inez Brown elected Lecturer for ensuing year

Worthy Master announced Wed Jan 19th  
The installation of officers would take place with Bro & Sister Patten as installing officers. Worthy Lecturer announced next meeting as Young Peoples Night - Worthy Master appointed following young people to fill the chairs

- Master Bro Mert Wade
- Lecturer Sister Inez Brown
- Asst Steward Wallace Thomas
- Steward Earl Thomas
- Gate Keeper Joe Coupe
- Chorus Robert Bunker
- Ceres Marie Brown
- Lady Asst Steward Mildred Abbott
- Pomona Phyllis Williamson

Elma Ruth Holmes  
Chaplain Frances Conson  
Secretary

Voted the next supper be a good baked  
bean supper

Report of State Grange by the  
Worthy Master

Literary Program

Reading by Clyde Duntow

" Sister Eva Hatch

Members present 20

Meeting closed in four

Respectfully Submitted

Clyde Duntow

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Number of members at beginning of year	28	Number of meetings held during year	23
Number of members at close of year	36	Total receipts from all sources	\$ 545.10
Total loss for year	18	Expenses	38.00
Net membership at close of year	36	Society & Bible	43.75
Total attendance	38	Subsels	31.75
		Nett Recd	25.75
		Rec'd during year from dues and fees	\$ 181.40

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 Men &  
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Secretary's Report 1916.

Rec'd during year from dues and fees	\$ 121.45
" " " Hall Rent	27.30
" " " Suppers	27.15
" " " Socials & Plays	27.54
" " " Fair	38.66
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Total receipts from all sources	\$ 242.10

Number of Meetings held during year 23  
 Largest attendance 65  
 Smallest " " 15  
 Average " " 38

Number of members at beginning of year 93  
 " " " Initiated during " 12  
 Lost by suspension during year <sup>74</sup> 8  
 " " " death " 4  
 Total loss for year 10  
 Net membership at close of year 95

Mercer. Jan 14 1916 - Young Folks Night.

Sandy River Grange No 39.

Meeting called to order by W. H. Master.

Secretary's Report read to

Members Report. Voted to accept it

Call of Devout cards

Stoddard & Frank's

grant them. Both cases of Devout

Minutes of last meeting

Bill of J. B. Barnes

Stoddard & Frank

Bibliary Program

J. Miller's address

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Mercer. Jan 14 - 1915 Young Folks Night.

Sandy River Grange No 89.

Meeting called to order by the W Master.  
Reading secretarys Report. Voted to  
accept it.

Reading Treasurers Report. Voted to accept it  
Reading Calls of Demit cards of.

Annie L Stoddard & Frank Wade.

Voted to grant them, both cards of Demit.  
Reading Minutes of last meeting.

Reading Bills of. G Barnes. Clyde Duntou.  
Annie Stoddard. & Flora Snow.

Literary Program.

Music. Bro. Milt Wade.

Recitation. Mildred Tibbets.

Song. Ruth Holmes.

Recitation Merle Brown

Song. Ruth Holmes.

Next regular meeting Corporation

Meeting. at 7.30. Installation of officers  
for year. 1915. Jan 20 all day meeting  
Closed in form

Dues Collected. 7.70

Members present 41

Respectfully Submitted N Earl True, Secy Proq

Murcer Jan 23. 1915-

Sandy River Grange No 89.

Meeting called to order by W. C. Fred Hatch  
Past Master. Wade called to chair.

Rescess.

Installation of officers, consisting of

Master Alton Smith.

Treasurer. Norris True.

Secretary. D M Bunker.

Gali Kelper. Joseph Coupe.

Ceres Lillian Smith.

Mrs Wm Wade, serving as installing  
officer, and Mrs Dora Witham as  
assistant.

Rescess.

Appointing committee. Executive com.

Bro Harry Colson. <sup>Bro</sup> Mert Wade. <sup>Bro</sup> Robert Bunker

Committee of Finance. <sup>Bro</sup> Fred Hatch. <sup>Bro</sup> Earl

True. <sup>Bro</sup> George Gray.

Committee on Charity. <sup>sister</sup> Bertha Gray.  
<sup>sister</sup> Rose Wade, and worthy Chaplain.

Committee on Resolutions, to draft Charter.  
Sisters. Bertha Gray. Rose Wade. <sup>and</sup> W-Chaplain.

Dues Collected \$2.30.

Members present - 27.

Respectfully Submitted.

D. M. Bunker Secretary.



- Feb. 13 1915 -

Resolutions <sup>Respect</sup> of Geo Barnes

We hearas - Our heavenly Father in the fulfillment of his word has called our beloved Brother George Barnes home.

Be it Resolved that Sandy River Grange No. 89 has sustained a great loss in one of its Members both as Master and Brother, one who always had the welfare and best interests of the order at heart and was ever ready to take a firm stand for its ~~im~~ promotion and that we shall sadly miss his pleasant face from our meetings

Resolved

that we deeply regret the loss of Bro Barnes and that we will always remember him with love and respect and think of him still as the same and say -

He is not dead

He is just away

Resolved -

that we extend our unlimited sympathy to the bereaved daughter and sister that our Chapter.

Be draped for thirty days. That a copy  
be sent to the daughter and sister and one  
placed on our records and a copy be sent  
to the Independent Reporter for  
Publication

Come in Resu

- Sister Bertha Gray
- " Rose Wade
- " Augusta Smith
- Worthy Chaplain

Mercer Feb 13, - 1915.

Sandy River Grange No 89.

Meeting called to order by worthy  
Master.

Reading records of last meeting, and  
Approved

Reading bills of E A Hilton, and  
A. E. Works, voted to refer bills to  
finance if found correct to be paid.  
Brother J. H. Smith, resigns his  
office as Steward.

Recess.

New business, Vote to except Bro  
Smith's resignation.

Elected Brother Earl Thomas as  
Steward for ensuing year.

Read resolutions of respect for  
Brother George Barnes.

and letter from sister Leda  
Barnes.

Appointed Sister Maudie Morse,  
as organist

voted to extend a rising vote of  
thanks to Sister Snow, also, the

officers that assisted sister Snow,  
during the past year.

Literary Program.

First - Song by Bro George Wood.

Reading by <sup>Sister</sup> Leda Hatch

Song by Sister Smith and Bro Hatch.

Reading sister Rose Wade.

Song of sister Ruth Holmes.

Encore.

Suggestions for good of the order,  
by Bro Frizzelle to call on Bro Lovejoy  
for remarks. Remarks by Bro Lovejoy  
followed by remarks by Bro  
Frizzelle.

Wade and

Smith.

Members present 33, Meeting  
closed in form.

Dues collected \$11.00

Respectfully Submitted

D M Bunker Secy

Mercer Feb 27, 1915.

Sandy River Grange, No. 89.  
Meeting called to order by W. M.  
Reading records of last meeting.  
Reading Bills of Independent  
Reporters, printing resolutions of respect  
of Bro Geo Barnes.  
Voted to refer same to finance  
Committee, and if found correct  
to be paid.

New Business.

Installing of Earl Thomas, for Steward.  
By Sister Rose Wade as installing  
officer.

Literary Program.

First Music by Bro Mert Wade. Encore  
Reading by Sister Bertha Gray.  
Song by Bro Fred Hatch.  
Reading by Sister Edna Corson  
" " " Bro Will Wade.

Members Present 27.

Dues collected \$1.80.

Meeting closed in due form

D M Bunker Sec.

Mercer March 13, 1915

Sandy River Grange No 89  
Meeting called to order by W. Master  
Reading records of last Meeting  
W Master appointed March 27 a  
Corporation Meeting, @ 7:30  
Literary Program

First Music Reading by Sister Phyllis  
Williamson Reading " Mildred  
Tibbets. Song by Sister Smith & Hatch

Members Present 17

Dues collected \$2.40

Meeting closed in Form.

D M Bunker Sec

Meru Me March 27. - 1915.

Sandy River Grange No 89.  
Meeting called to order by W. Master.  
Reading records of last meeting.  
New Business

Appointed W. Chaplain.

Sister Bertha Gray and

" Maude Morse to drape  
Charter and draw up resolutions of  
respect for Sister Tena True.

Remarks by sister Wade, and Snow.

Literary program

- 1<sup>st</sup> Reading by sister Lillian Smith
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Song by sister Smith, and bro Hatch.
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading by sister Maude Morse
- 4 Music " bro Mert Wade
- 5- Reading " W. Master

Members present - 27  
Dues Collected \$1.20

Meeting closed in form  
D M Bunker  
Sec.

Mercer, Me. April 10 1915-

Sandy River Grange no 89,  
Meeting called to order by W. Master  
Reading record of last Meeting.  
New business

Reading Communications of State Grange  
Legislative Committee.

Reading Resolutions of Respect of  
Sister True.

Members Present 16 Dues collected \$60

Meeting Closed in form

Respectfully  
D. M. Zunker

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.

Whereas Mercer Grange has again been called to mourn the loss of an active and honored member, be it therefore

RESOLVED-That while we bow in submission to the will of the Master of the great Grange above, we cannot but feel the loss to Mercer Grange and to the community.

RESOLVED-That we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

RESOLVED-That in token of our regard for our deceased sister Tena True, our charter be draped, a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, a copy spread upon our records and a copy be sent to the Independent Reporter for publication.

Mrs J.H. Smith.  
Mrs Bertha Gray.  
Mrs Maud Morse.

Committee on Resolutions.

Mercer, Me. April 24 1915

Sandy River Grange No. 89

Meeting called to order by W. Master

Reading Record of last meeting

New Business

Reading Communications of Progressive Grange  
No. 89

Remarks of Bro Doran and others  
Worther Master appointed next regular  
Grange Meeting a Corporation Meeting

Voted to rescind the vote taken  
that did not allow Friends to attend  
entertainment Programme but after this  
date to allow them to attend a P. recess Literary  
Programme.

Literary Programme

W. Reading by Eva Hakok

Voted to begin at 8.00 clock our meetings  
in future

Members Present 12

Meeting closed in form

Done etc 2.4.15

D. W. Bunker Sec

Merice Me May 8. 1915-

Sandy River Grange No 89.  
Meeting called to order by W Master  
Reading records of last meeting.

Proposal for membership of Alice Norton  
Investigating Com.  
Sister Susie True

" " Emma Fresselle and

" " Phyllis Williamson

Bills of Bro George Wood and  
Independent reporter read.

Referred same to finance com  
and if found correct to be paid.

Members present 32

Meeting closed in form

Dues collected \$3.40

D M Bunker  
Sect.



Mercer May 22 1915-

Sandy River Grange. No 89.  
 Meeting called to order by W. Master.  
 Reading records of last meeting.  
 Investigating committee reported  
 favorably on name of Alice Norton.  
 Balloting on name of Alice Norton  
 Elected candidate.

New Business

Voted to loan curtain and flag  
 to church.

Voted to meet at hall and attend  
 Memorial services, in a body.

Recess

Closed in fourth degree and opened  
 in first  
 Conferred first and second degree  
 on candidate.

Recess

Closed in second degree and opened  
 in fourth.

Literary Program

Song by

Bro Fred Hatch and sister Smith

Members present 22  
 Grange closed in form  
 Dues collected \$2.80

D M Bunker, Sec.

Mercer June 12 1915

Sandy River Grange No. 89  
 meeting Called to order by  
 W. Master Reading records of  
 last Meeting

New business  
 Closed work in fourth <sup>degree</sup> and open  
 in third, conferred third and  
 fourth degrees. Alice Norton

Recess

Remarks by Bro Lovejoy \$3.60  
 Dues Call

Members Present 25

Meeting closed in form  
 L. M. Bunker Sec

Mercer, Mo. June 26 - 1915

Sandy River Grange, No. 89

Called to order by W. Master  
 Reading Records of Last Meeting

Reading bill of A. B. Duntan  
 voted to refer to finance commit  
 and found correct to be paid.

New Business

Appointed Com't on  
 Sale of candy & C  
 Flora Snow

Ruth Holmes

Beatha Gray

Recess

Literary Program first music by  
 Bro Conway & W. Master

Song by sister Holmes & Bro Hatch

Reading by Mildred Tibbets

Music by Bro Conway & W. Master

Members Present 42 Dues collected \$3.00

Meeting closed in form L. M. Bunker Sec.

Mercer Mo July 10 1915

Sandy River Grange No 89  
Meeting called to order by W. Master  
Reading Record of last Meeting

Reading bill of A. B. Duntton

Voted to Refer to Finance Com  
and found correct to be Paid.

New business  
Remarks by Ben Wade

Appointed Corporation Meeting  
next meeting July 24 to consider  
that the Trustee had the right to Hire  
money for Corporation P. of H.

Members Present 15  
Meeting Closed in foran,  
D. M. Bunker Sec.

Mercer Mo Aug. 14. 1915

Sandy River Grange No 89,  
Meeting called to order by W. Master  
Reading Records of last Meeting,  
Reading of application for Member Ship  
of Lizzie Lambert. K. Mosher  
Oliver Dard

Appointed Sister Rose Wade, Sister Flora Snow  
Pro Fred Hatch Investigating Com

Reading Bill of D. M. Bunker voted to refer to Finance Com  
Voted to Appoint a Special Meeting  
to work the Degree on Candidates  
W. Master Appointed sat 21 of August  
as Special Meeting.

Dues Collected \$25.00  
Members Present 15  
Meeting closed in foran,  
D. M. Bunker Sec.

T. J. Sanderson to be Paid

Merced Me Aug 21 1915

Sandy River Grange No 89  
Meeting called to order by W-Master  
Reading Records of last meeting

Reporting on Name of Oliver Dora  
Candidate Elected

Reporting on Name of R. Mosher  
Candidate Elected

Recess

Conferring Degrees on Candidates.  
Closed Work in Fourth Degree  
and open in First  
Candidates instructed  
in first Degree

Recess

Closed Work in First and  
took up work in second

Candidates instructed  
in second Degree.

Fee Collected \$6.00

Members Present (23)

Meeting Closed in form

D. M. Brinker Sec

Merced Me Aug 28 1915

Sandy River Grange No 89  
Meeting called to order by W  
Master, Reading records of last  
Meeting

Reading of Application for  
Membership of Gertrude Greene and  
W Master appointed

Sister Maud Morse S. Emma Fizzell  
S. Ines Brown Investigating Com

Reading of E. C. Hilton bill of \$5.30 for  
flowers, Voted to refer same to finance com-  
and if found correct to be paid. New business  
Closed Work in fourth degree and ~~open~~  
took up work in third degree conferred the  
third degree on the candidates, Closed Work  
in third degree and Open in Fourth degree  
Instructed the candidates in fourth degree  
work.

Litery Program

First Song by Fred Hatch

Song by the Choir Reading by Sister Fizzell

Members Present 29 Fees Collected 1.00

Closed in form

D. M. Brinker Sec

Mercer Sept 11. 1915

Sandy River Grange No 89.

Meeting called to order by W Master

Reading records of last meeting.

Voted on name of Gertrude Green

Candidate elected

Recess.

Closed work in fourth degree. Took up work in first.

Conferred first degree on candidate

Recess.

Closed in first degree took up work in second

Conferred second degree on candidate

Closed in second degree

Took up work in fourth degree

X Members present 25

Meeting Closed in form

Worthy Master appointed special meeting Sat Sept 18 to confer 3rd and 4th degree on candidate

D M Bunker Sec

Mercer Mo Sept 18-1915

Sandy River Grange No 89

Meeting called to order by W

Master Reading records of last

Meeting x Reading of bill of a B.

Dutton, Voted to Refer same to

Finance Committee and if Found

Correct to be Paid

Recess

Closed work in fourth degree

and took up work in third degree

Conferred the third degree on

Candidate Recess

Closed work in third and took up

work in fourth degree conferred the

fourth degree on candidate. Remarks

by Sister Snow, Meeting Closed in

Members Present 25.

D M Bunker Sec

Mercer Sept 25 - 1915 -

Sandy River Grange No 89

Meeting called to order by worthy  
Masters.

Reading records of last meeting

Reading bill of W E Works. \$3.65

Voted to refer same to finance  
committee and if found correct  
to be paid

Literary Program

Reading by sister Flora Snow.

Dues collected \$1.20

Members present 20

Meeting closed in form,

D M Bunker  
Sec

Mercer Oct-9. 1915-

Sandy River Grange No 89.

Meeting called to order by W. Master  
Reading records of last meeting

Literary program

Reading by sister Rose Wade.

Dues collected \$3.50

Members present 30

Meeting closed in form

D M Bunker  
Sec.

Mercer, Oct. 23, 1915

Sandy River Grange

Meeting called to order by  
W. Master, Reading records of last  
Meeting

Reading Bill of A. B. Duntor of ~~30~~ <sup>cents</sup>  
Voted to refer same to Finance Comm  
and if found correct to be Paid

Voted a Comm be appointed  
to find a place to store the grange  
furniture. Comt appointed by

Mr. Master as follows

John Fuzzell  
Clyde Duntor  
Alton Smith  
Richard Yeaton  
Earl Tarr

Dues call \$2 00

Members Present (23)

Ladies Night appointed next Meeting  
D. W. Sinker Sec

Mercer ME Nov 27 1915

Sandy River Grange No. 89  
Ladys Night.

Mercer, W. Nov. 27, 1915.

Sandy River Grange No 89.

Lady's Night Meeting call to  
order By Carl & Sister filling  
Chairs

Reading records of last  
Meeting.

Reading application for  
Membership of Stella Parkhurst.

Comit. appointed Sister Ever Hatch  
Bro Clyde Duntou  
Sister Ines Brown

Reading communications from anti  
Subclasses absent in regard to  
sale of red cross stamps

Literary Program  
first Sing by Choir

Reading by Sister Friggell

Song " Ruth Holmes

Reading by " Edna Corson

Rec A. Hart, not a man in the House.

Given by Sister Wade Sister Helen True Sister Clara Snow  
Sister Ines Brown, Sister Phillis Williamson

Next Song by Sister Gertrude Greene

Reading by Sister Malley Kimball

Bingo Solo by Sister Gertrude Greene

Reading the Mercer Gossip by  
Sister Maud Morse

Song by Sister J Bacon

Reading by " Ever Hatch.

Song by " Susie Corson

Reading by " Rose Wade

Medley Five Sisters

Encore Tipperary

Refreshments

Lines of Fees Call 11 30

Meeting Closed with out

Form, Members Present 44

Rose Wade

See Pro Tem.

PMB



Mercer Me Dec 11, 1915

Sandy River Grange No 89 Meeting  
Called to order by W. Master Reading  
records of last meeting Report of  
Application of Stella Furbush Fabbly

Reading of applications of  
Donald B Chamberlin Helen M Chamberlin  
Mable Niles John W Bacon Jr.

Committee appointed Bro Wm Wade  
Sister Emma J Frizzell Bro W. Doran  
Reading communications of  
C L Cummings. Gang Service com-

Voted unanimous to adopt the  
Resolution in regard to Freight  
Rates. New Business

Election of Officers of Sandy River Grange

Master  
Overseer  
Steward  
Lecturer  
Steward

John Frizzell  
Frank Snow  
Bertrude Greene  
Earl Thomas  
Wallace  
Augusta Smith

As  
" Chaplin

Treas N.E. True  
Sec Clyde Danton  
Gate Keeper John Coup  
Ceres Emma Frizzell  
Personna Susie Corson

Bro John Frizzell + Wife  
appointed by W. Master delegate to  
attend State Grange.  
W. Master appointed Special Meeting  
Sat. Dec 18

Voted for the building com-  
to Purchase stove to heat hall  
Voted for Building com- to buy  
wood for the purpose of heating Hall

Members Present 40  
Dues & Fees Coll 19.00  
D M Brinker Sec

Mercer Me Dec 25 1915

Sandy River Grange Meeting Called to order by W. Master Reading record of last meeting Voted Dues Community Reported

Fably on on candidates. Voted on Name of Mabel Miles candidate Elected. Voted on name of Helen M Chamberlin Elected Same. Voted on name of Donald E. Chamberlin. Elected Same Voted on name of John W. Bacon Jr Elected Same Voted on name of Stella Kurbush Elected Same.

Reading bill of S. P. Laman to use of Hall & storing Grange Furniture \$3.50  
Voted to refer the same to Finance Com. and if found correct to be Paid Elected Phillis Williamson Florida

Elected Mildred Tibbets lady orisant steward Resco

Confiring Degrees. Closed work in fourth Degree and ~~put up~~ <sup>work in</sup> first Degree

Instructed the Candidates in first Degree Closed work in first Degree and take up work in second Degree Instructed Candidates in the Second Degree Closed Work in Second Degree take up work in fourth Degree Members Present 28 Meeting Closed in form Dues Call \$2.10 2 Members See

Mercer Me Jan 8 1916

Sandy River Grange No 89 Meeting Called to order by W. Master reading records of last meeting Reading bill of Al. B. Dunston for 47¢ Voted to refer to finance committee and if found correct to be Paid. Voted not to let Citchen Hall to Chas McDonald Voted to let Every Grange Member the use of Hall for benefit of Grange Voted to have Installation semi Public

Members 20

Dues Colld \$9.60

Meeting Closed in form.

L. P. Brinker.

Grange Hall Merce  
Jan. 20 - 1916.

Special meeting of Sandy River Grange #89 for the installation of officers meeting called to order by Worthy Master. The following officers were installed with Bro. George Gordon of Bingham as installing officer & Bro & Sister M. G. Mack & Bro, & Sis. Fred Kimball as assistants.

John Frizzell	Master
Frank Snow	Orator
Gertrude Greene	Lecturer
Earl Thomas	Steward
Wallace Thomas	Asst Steward
Augusta Smith	Chaplain
W. C. True	Treasurer
Chyle Dunton	Secretary
Joseph Coupe	Gate Keeper
Emma J. Huggell	Chorus
Susie Corson	Pomona
Phyllis Williamson	Flora
Mildred Tibbets	L. A. S.

Recess

Literary Program  
 Song Sis. Greene  
 " Mr. Pette  
 Drill By Sis. Sisters  
 Song Mr. Smith  
 Encore  
 " Sis. Corson  
 Reading Sis. Greene  
 Song Sis. Bacon  
 Duet Miss Greene & Mr. Smith

The lecture announced program for next meeting as follows, Song, Bro. Wood, Reading, Sis. Flora Snow, Duet Sis. Smith & Greene, Reading, Sis. Frizzell  
 Song America  
 Topic, Resolved: That the ordinary farmer cannot afford to purchase manure fertilizer this next year at the present prices & quality.

Appointed Bro. W. C. True to procure a topic for the Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> meeting.

Members and invited  
guests present 64

Dues collected \$ 8.40

Resp. Submitted  
Clyde A. Plynton  
Secretary.

Grange Hall, Mercer Jan. 22, 1916

Sandy River Grange # 89  
Meeting called to order by  
W. M. Reading, records of last  
regular & special meetings  
Reading bills due, J. N. Figgell,  
J. H. Stevens, A. B. Dunton & E. W. Wicks.  
Voted to refer the bills to The Finance  
Committee and if found correct  
to be paid.

Sister Snow reported that  
Mr. White would come some time  
between now & Spring & give the  
Grange one-half of the proceeds  
of a picture show. Voted to have  
him come.

Reading communication of  
State Lecturer. Voted to send  
our Lecturer to the Annual  
Conference at Augusta Feb. 2-3  
Voted to purchase a new set of  
Rituals. Voted to suspend new  
business & proceed to conferring  
degrees.

Recess.

Closed work in the 4<sup>th</sup> degree & opened in the 3<sup>d</sup> degree  
 Candidates instructed in the work of the third degree  
 Recess

Closed work in the 3<sup>d</sup> degree & opened in the fourth.  
 Candidates instructed in work of the 4<sup>th</sup> degree.  
 Reaching report of Secretary for 1915. Voted to accept the report. Report of Treasurer read. Voted to accept the report.

Voted to have a janitor for the hall.

Voted to leave the matter with the Trustees of the Corporation to procure a janitor

Bro. Doran offered <sup>to give</sup> wood if some of the Bro's would cut & haul. Voted to accept Bro. Doran's offer & that the date to cut & haul be set for Sat Jan

27. & that there be a social at The Hall in the evening.

The following committees for the ensuing year was appointed by The W.M.

Executive Committee  
 Bro. J. H. Bacon  
 " Noel Whitcomb  
 Sis. Mildred Yeaton

Finance Committee  
 Bro. Albert Yeaton  
 " Alton Smith  
 " Lillian Smith

Charity Committee  
 Sis. Flora Snow  
 " Belle Yeaton

Good of the Order Committee  
 Bro. Clyde Duntor  
 Sis. Rose Trade  
 " Helen True

Organist Sis. Florence Snow

Literary Program  
Reading, Sis. Flora Snow

" " Emma Trippell

Song America By the Grange  
Topic: Can the ordinary farmer  
afford to purchase much ferti-  
lizer the coming year at the  
present price & quality.

Discussed By Bacon & Bro  
Trippell.

Bro W. E. True announced  
the topic for the 12<sup>th</sup> meeting  
as follows. Can the farmer  
expect to raise an average  
good crop without the use of  
fertilizer.

H. Lector announced  
program for next meeting.

Members present 42  
Dues Col. \$8.40  
Meeting closed in form

Resp. Submitted.

Clyde A. Duntou  
Secretary

## Grange Hall, Mercer

Feb. 12 - 1916. Regular meeting of Sandy River Grange #89 Meeting called to order by H. M. Reading records of last meeting.

Reading bills due E. H. Libby, C. R. Oliver, Gertrude Green & J. M. Triggell. Voted to refer the bills to The Finance Committee and if found correct to pay them.

Voted to give a rising vote of thanks, to Bro. Dorman for the wood given also Sis. Dickinson for present of sink & to Bro. J. H. Bacon for commission allowed on lamps.

Voted to give Sis. Dickinson a birthday party at the Hall Tues. evening Feb. 15, '16

It was voted to practice balloting. The same was done

## Literary Program

Reading Sis. Edna Couson  
Duet Sis. Smith & Greene

Reading Sis. Rose Hadd

Remarks by H. M. in regard to getting new members.

Voted the The choice of colors for the painting of the upper hall be left with the Lady Officers & that they chose two or three other sisters to act with them.

Report of W. Lecturer in regard to Lectures Conference Voted to accept the report. W. Chaplain reported Sis. Belle Yeaton, Inez Brown & Flora Brown sick.

Meeting closed in form  
Members present 35 Dues col \$40

Res. Submitted  
Clyde A. Dunbar  
Sec.

Grange Hall Mercer  
March 14 1916

Special meeting of  
Sandy River Grange # 89  
to receive applications &  
appoint committee.

Meeting called to order  
by H. M.

Call for meeting read  
Reading applications of

Mildred M. Gray  
J. Harris Farrand  
Cora Farrand  
Elizabeth Farrand  
Olive H. Farrand  
Chas. M. Farrand  
Blanche A. Hartford  
Abbie J. Thomas  
Violet Decker  
Paulina E. True

Appointed as  
Investigating Committee

Bro. Joseph Coupe  
Sis. Helen Chamberlain  
Bro. John Bacon

Meeting closed in  
form  
Members present 23  
Dues col. .60  
Fees " 14.00

Resp. Submitted

Clyde A. Duntow  
Sec.



Grange Hall Mercer  
March 11, 1916

Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Grange #89  
Meeting called to order  
by H. M.

Reading records of last  
regular & special meeting.  
Committee on candidates  
reported favorably

Balloting on names of

Mildred Gray  
J. Harris, Farrand  
Cora Farrand  
Elizabeth Farrand.  
Olive S. Farrand  
Blanche Hartford  
Fbbie J. Thomas.  
Violet Decker  
Chas. M. Farrand  
Carolina A. True

Report of committee on  
selection of colors for painting  
interior of Hall.

Committee reported that they  
had selected a cream color.

Reading bills - due  
J. B. Triggell, O. R. Dunton &  
National Grange Monthly. Voted to  
refer the bills to the Finance  
Committee and if found  
correct be paid.

Voted that the chair appoint  
a committee to draw up resolutions  
on death of Bro. Chas. Allen & drape  
our charter. Committee appointed  
Sister Rose Wade  
Sister Eva Hatch  
Bro. J. W. Bacon.

Recess

Closed work in the 4<sup>th</sup> degree  
and took up work in 1<sup>st</sup> degree  
Candidates instructed in work  
of 1<sup>st</sup> degree.

Recess

Closed work in 1<sup>st</sup> degree & took up  
work in 2<sup>d</sup> degree  
Candidates instructed in work of  
2<sup>d</sup> degree

Recess

Closed work in 2<sup>d</sup> degree  
and opened in 4<sup>th</sup>.  
W.M. requested that as  
many as possible meet  
at Hall Sunday at 12 o'clock  
to attend Bro. Ellis' funeral.  
W. Lecturer announced  
programme for next  
meeting.

Meeting closed in  
form.

Members present 30  
L. No. Col. 5, 40

Resp. Submitted

Chyde A. Dymont  
Sicily

Grange Hall, Mercer  
April 1<sup>st</sup> 1916

Special meeting of Sandy  
River Grange #89 for the purpose  
of conferring degrees and taking  
on proposition of Bro. W. L. Walker.  
Meeting called to order by  
W.M. Reaching call for meeting.  
Closed work in the 4<sup>th</sup> degree  
and instructed candidates in  
work of the 3<sup>d</sup> degree.

Recess

Closed work in 3<sup>d</sup> degree  
and opened in the 4<sup>th</sup> instructed  
candidates in work of the  
4<sup>th</sup> degree.

W.M. stated Bro. Walker's  
proposition as follows:  
Bro. Walker will give Sandy  
River Grange \$500.00 providing  
Sandy River Grange will  
paint the Hall, reduce their  
debt to \$500.00 and give  
Bro. Walker a meeting, giving  
the Town of Mercer the use  
of their hall for town meetings.

State elections, so long on the  
building stands.

Moved & 2<sup>d</sup> that we accept  
Bro. Kalke's proposition.

Remarks by  
Bros. Smith, Bacon, Doran,  
Lins, Gimball, Bunker, &  
Sis. Kimball

Voted that we reject  
the proposition on the  
grounds that it has  
no process in it.

Literary Program

Music Sis. Green, Smith & Bro  
Hatch

Reading Sis M. Yeaton  
" Sis Hatch

Song by the Grange  
Meeting closed in  
form.

Members present 50  
Dues Col. \$9.20

Resp. Submitted

Clyde A. Juntor  
Sec.

Grange Hall, Mercer  
April 8, 1916

Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Grange #89. Meeting  
called to order by W.M.  
Reading records of last reg-  
ular & Special meetings.  
Reading bills due C. A. Hilton,  
J. N. Triggell & J. D. Bacon.  
Voted to refer the bills to  
the Finance Committee &  
if found correct to pay them.  
Reading communication of  
Sis. Alice Horton asking permit  
to join the Pomona Grange in  
Massachusetts. Voted to grant  
her a permit.  
Reading communication of  
Bro. W. L. Walker.  
A vote of thanks was  
given Bro. Walker for his  
generous gift of \$50.<sup>00</sup>

Remarks by Bro. Kimball.  
Doran, True, Hatch & Kimball.  
Voted that the resignation  
of The W.M. be stricken from  
the records.  
Voted that the Secretary write  
Bro. Walker & thank him  
for his gift.  
Voted that the Grange  
make preparations for a fair.  
W.M. appointed the follow-  
ing Committee  
Sis. Mildred Yeaton  
Bro. Richard Yeaton  
Sis. Edna Corson  
Bro. Harry Corson  
Sis. Nellie Bacon  
Remarks by Bro. Bacon in  
regard to forming a Corn  
Club.

## Literary Program.

Song By Fred Hatch  
 Roll call. Members present  
 responded with verses &  
 quotations

Recitation Sis Helen Chamberlain.

Song. By the Grange  
 U.S. announced program  
 for next meeting.

Meeting closed in form  
 Members present 30

Dues col. \$1.00.

Resp Submitted

Clyde A. Dunton

Sec.

Whereas, in the death of Brother  
 Charles H. Allen, Sandy River Grange,  
 No. 89, suffers the loss of a worthy  
 charter member and our first master,  
 it is therefore,  
 Resolved, that in the death of  
 Brother Allen we feel keenly the loss  
 of our brother who was a zealous worker,  
 and be it further resolved, that we extend  
 our heartfelt sympathy to the family.  
 Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions  
 be spread on our records and a copy sent to  
 the family and a copy printed in the  
 Independent-Reporter.

Respectfully Submitted,

Eva W. Hatch

Rose Wade

John W. Bacon

Mercer, Maine April 1, 1916.

Grange Hall, Mercer  
Apr. 22, 1914

Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Grange #89

Meeting called to order by  
W. M.

Reading records of last  
meeting.

Remarks by W. M. in regard to  
appointing an insurance  
agent in the Grange.

Voted that the W. M. must  
act as insurance agent for  
the Grange.

Voted that we have a  
social the night the  
wood was sawed.

Voted to have the wood  
sawed by a machine.

Voted that Rev. Alton Smith  
procure some one to saw  
the wood.

## Literary Program

Song. Way down upon the  
Lucas River

Reading Sis Mabel Wash  
Dialog "Story Telling"

Song. When you were a Tulp  
& I was at Big Red Rose.

By the lounge.

W. L. announced program  
for next meeting

Meeting closed in form

Members present 48

Dues col. 3.00

Resp. Sub.

Clyde Dutton

Sec.

Grange Hall Mercer May 13, 1916

Regular meeting of Sandy River  
Grange #87 meeting called to order  
by W. M. Reading records of last  
meeting

Committee on Fair reported  
voted to accept the report.  
Reading bills due E. A. Hilton &  
Independent report co. voted that  
the bills be referred to the F. C. &  
if found correct, paid.  
Voted that the chair appoint a  
Committee to draw up resolutions  
on the death of Bro J. E. True  
Sis. Phyllis Williamson, E. J. Suggell  
& Susan Carson appointed.  
W. G. Trade elected Treasurer  
to serve balance of year.

Bro Trade installed by P. M.  
Alton Smith,

Recess.

Literary Program  
 Musical number, What Girls  
 can do.  
 Song Michigan Sis Brew  
 & Rev. Hatch

Paper How to keep boys on  
 the Farm By Revs. Welch &  
 Bacon.

Meeting closed in form  
 Members present 5  
 Duls col 30¢  
 Resp. Sub.

Clyde A. Duntan  
 Sec.

Grange Hall, Mercer  
 May 27 1916.

Regular Meeting of Sandy  
 River Grange #89  
 Meeting called to order by  
 H. M. Reading records of  
 last meeting  
 Reading bill due Independent  
 Reporter Co. voted to refer the  
 bill to the F. C. & if found  
 correct paid.

Literary Program  
 Recess declared for program  
 Paper Sis Fuzzell  
 Recitation Sis Hartford  
 Song By The Grange.  
 Home Sweet Home  
 H. L. announced program  
 for next meeting.  
 Meeting closed in form.  
 Members present 5  
 Resp. Sub.

Clyde A. Duntan  
 Sec.



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Whereas, It has been the will of our Heavenly Father to suddenly remove from our midst our esteemed brother Norris E. True. That we recognize the hand of a loving Providence in the ending of the suffering of our late brother, which would not cease in this world.

Resolved, That by the death of our Worthy Treasurer Sandy River Grange has lost a faithful and conscientious officer who filled every position of trust with honor and fidelity, and while we mourn our loss we would bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well, and emulate the Sterling integrity of our departed brother.

Resolved, That we as a Grange extend to the sorrowing Children of our departed brother our heartfelt sympathy in their sad bereavement, and be it further ,

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased and to the Independent- Reporter for publication and That a copy be spread upon our records.

Emma J. Frizzell

Susan Corson

Phyllis Willamson

Com.

Grange Hall, Merced June 10 1916

Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Grange #289  
Meeting called to order by  
W. M. Reaching records of last  
meeting.

Reading application of  
Frank J. Barney. Investigating  
Committee appointed Bro Wade  
Lis Hatch Bro H. Conson  
Reaching communication of  
Bear River Grange #285.

Literary Program

Reading Lis Furbush.

W. L. announced program  
for next meeting.

Remarks regarding annual  
Stampery Supper.

Vote to charge a small fee, to be  
decided upon by the Supper  
Committee, for each member the  
proceeds to used to defray charges  
of supper.

Meeting closed in  
form.

Members present 15 -

Res. Submitted

Clyde A. Dunbar  
Sec

Grange Hall, Mercer  
June 24, 1916

Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Grange #89.

Meeting called to order by  
W.M.

Reading records of last  
meeting.

Balloting on name of Frank  
J. Varney, Candidate elected.

Closed work in 4<sup>th</sup> degree & opened  
in the 1<sup>st</sup>. Candidate instructed  
in work of 1<sup>st</sup> degree.

Recess.

Closed work in 4<sup>th</sup> degree & opened  
in 2<sup>d</sup>. Candidate instructed in  
work of 2<sup>d</sup> degree.

Recess.

Literary Program  
Bays, det. Sis. Gunn & Smith.  
Solo Bros F. E. Hatch

Play.

Vocal det. Sis. Gunn & Smith.  
It. Lecturer announced  
program for next meeting.

A recess was declared for  
Supper.  
Meeting closed in form  
Members present 65.

Dues col. \$6.60

Resp. Submitted.

Clyde A. Dunton.

Mercer, Grand Hall, July 8, 1916.

Regular Meeting of Sandy River  
Grange #89 Meeting called to order  
by W. M. Reading records of last  
meeting. Report of Fair Committee  
by Sis Mildred Yeaton.

Voted to accept the report  
Remarks by Bro. Stage in regard  
to painting upper of Hall  
Voted to have Bro. Stage procure  
a preparation cheaper than paint to  
be used on interior of the Hall.

Closed work in the 4<sup>th</sup> degree  
and opened in the 3<sup>d</sup>. Candidate  
instructed in work of the 3<sup>d</sup> degree  
Recess

Closed work in the 3<sup>d</sup> degree & opened  
in the 4<sup>th</sup>.

Candidate instructed in work of  
the 4<sup>th</sup> degree  
Recess

Went to turn over to the  
 Corporation \$100.00 of the Grange  
 Funds & that a necessary  
 amount of the same be  
 used for the painting of the  
 Hall.

Literary Program

Song By The Grange Warden My  
 God For Thee

Solo Sis Couson

Song By The Grange My Bonnie  
 Lies over The Ocean

H. L. Announced program  
 for next meeting.

Meeting closed in four

Members Present 35

Dues as yet

Resp Submitted

Clyde A. Dunton

Sec

Grange Hall Meets Aug 12, 1916

Regular meeting of Sandy  
 River Grange #89 meeting  
 called to order by H. M.  
 Reading records of last  
 meeting

Literary Program  
 Music Sis Brethel W. Varney

Reading Sis G. Hall

Song By The Grange "It's a  
 Long Day to Tipperary"

H. L. Announced program  
 for next meeting.

Meeting closed in four  
 Members Present 34

Resp Sub.

Clyde A. Dunton  
 Sec

Grange Hall, Mercer  
August 26 - 1914.

Regular meeting of Sandy Spring  
Grange # 19

Meeting called to order by  
E. M.

Reading records of last meeting  
Reading appreciation of  
Leon Farrand appointed  
Burr Carl Thomas, Joseph Coyle &  
C. M. Farrand as Investigating  
Committee

Meeting closed in four  
members present 17

Resp submitted  
Clyde at Dundas  
Sec.

Gauge Hall, Meru  
Sept. 9, 1916.

Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Gaug #89

Meeting called to order by  
W. S. Reading record of  
last meeting.

Rolling on name of  
Leon Farrar Candidate  
elected. Closed work in  
4th degree and opened in 2d  
Candidate instructed in  
work of first degree.  
Recess

Closed work in first  
degree and opened in second  
Candidate instructed in  
work of second degree.  
Recess

Literary program.  
Song By George,  
Jesus Loves Me.

Reading by Eva Hatch  
" " " " " " " " " " " "

Vocal trio

Reading by William Smith  
Song By George These is my  
remembering By Fought  
W. announced programs for  
next regular & P. Council meetings.

Closed work in the 2d & opened  
in the fourth.

Remarks by W. Greene  
in regard to having stage  
put in order preparatory to  
giving play.

Noted that the members of  
the "Theatre of troupe" attend  
to the preparation of the stage  
The cost of same to be deducted  
from the proceeds of  
said play.

Remarks by W. Medd  
Featon in regard to the  
Department of the Members

while doing degree work  
 Sis Rose Macle reported  
 sick  
 Meeting closed in form.  
 Members present 40  
 Dues Col. \$6.00  
 Resp. Submitted  
 Clyde A. Duxton  
 Secy

Grange Hall, Merced Sept 23, 1916.

Regular meeting of Sandy Spring  
 Grange #89  
 Meeting called to order by H. W.  
 Reading records of last  
 meeting.  
 Voted that the Grange put up  
 a supper for the dance Fair night  
 Oct 2, 1916. & that a committee  
 be appointed to assist the Lady  
 Officers.  
 Com. appointed  
 Bro & Sis Henry True Bro & Sis Fred Hatel  
 Bro & Sis Clyde Duxton Sis A. M. Larrard  
 Conforming Degrees  
 Closed work in 4th degree & opened  
 in 3rd Candidate instructed in  
 work of 3rd degree  
 Recess.  
 Closed work in 3rd degree & opened  
 in fourth  
 Candidate instructed in work  
 of 4th degree  
 Recess.



## Literary Program

Wedly by The Angelic Choir

Reading by Sis. Mildred Yeaton

" " H. Secures

Song By Joseph Quartette

Song By George Lord High Ladies

H. announced program for next meeting.

Remarks by H. Master in regard to Pomona Grange.

Meeting closed in favor of W. which a Harvest Supper was served in the dining hall

Members present 40

Dues Col. \$ 70.

Resp. Submitted

Clyde A. Dyer

Sec

Grange Hall, Muscov Oct. 14, 1916

Regular meeting of Sandy River Grange #89. Meeting called to order by H. M.  
Reading records of last meeting.

Reading bills due Bros. Bacon & Frigzel Voted to refer the bills to the F. C. and if found correct pay them.

Remarks by W. M. in regard to the offer of our W. Deputy Ellis to come and give a lecture Voted that the H. M. write Sis Ellis to come, & that the lecture be public & a small admission charged providing Sis. Ellis would come under those conditions if not, the lecture to be for members only.

Percuss.

## Literary Program

Song by the Grange  
 Silver Threads among the Gold  
 Reading Sis Duntou  
 Vancouver Sketch #1 & 7  
 Inst. Trio, Sis Hatch, Dio's  
 Carney & Smith

W. announced program  
 for next meeting  
 Meeting closed in  
 form  
 Members present 33

Resp Submitted

Chloe A. Duntou

Sis

Grange Hall, Mercer, Oct 28, 1916

Regular meeting of Sandy  
 River Grange #89  
 Meeting called to order by W. M.  
 Reading records of last meeting  
 Reading bill due A. P. Duntou  
 Voted to refer bill to the H. C. and  
 if found correct proceed  
 Reading Com. of Sis. Ellis in  
 regard to Lecture

Rescess  
 Literary Program  
 Banjo Solo W. Lecturer  
 Reading Sis Edna Coleson  
 " " Phyllis Williamson  
 Song By Group There is my Boy  
 Tonight

W. announced program  
 for next meeting  
 Voted to have Sis Ellis come Nov.  
 9, 1916 and that the Lecture be public  
 Voted to clean Hall Thers Nov  
 8.

Meeting closed in  
four  
Members Present 25

Resp Submitted  
Cyril D. Dunton  
Sec.

Grange Hall Mercer. Feb 11, 1914

Regular meeting of Ladies Grange  
Grange # 89

Meeting called to order by W.M.

Reading record of last meeting  
Remarks by B. Wallace & W. Weston in  
regard to cleaning Hall.

Pending communication from  
Maine Live Stock Breeders Association  
Voted to accept the offer of Mrs.  
The L. Tyler for the Club to come and  
give entertainment.

Voted that a com. be appointed  
to talk over the matter. Com.  
appointed B. Wallace & Sis Hatch B. W.  
Frank Perry.

Voted to have Brothers & Sisters  
night as in former years.  
Com. ap. to assist W. L. Sisters  
night. Sis L. Smith Sis Dunton  
Sis. Conson

Voted that the com. for Birds  
might be appointed at the  
next meeting.

Recess

Literary Program  
 Vandeville Scott B. & S. Hatch  
 Inst. Vio B. & S. Hatch B. & S. Smith  
 Waverly.

Reading B. & S. Duvon  
 Reading & accepting minutes  
 Meeting closed in favor  
 members present 20

Pers. Submitted

Clyde A. Duvon  
 Sec.

Grange Hall Mercer Nov 25-1916

Regular meeting of Sundry Pioneer  
 Grange #89 observed as Sister's  
 night.

Meeting called to order by Sis  
 Figgel.

Reading records of last  
 meeting

Remarks by Sis Hatch in regard to  
 entertainment by Club as spoken  
 of by Sis McIntyre followed by  
 Sis F. & Sis D. & Sis D. & Sis D.

Voted to let them use the Hall  
 rather than have them come for  
 Grange.

Reading bill due Myron J  
 Smith. Voted to refer the bill  
 to the F. C. & if found correct  
 to pay.

Reading com. from E. W. Lilly  
 in regard to State Grange  
 meeting

Committee appointed to draw  
 up resolutions on the demise  
 of Sis. Kimball

Com. appointed Sis Rose Wade  
Eva Hatch & L. Smith.

voted to have copies sent to  
paper & families as usual.

Com. appointed for Bro's Night

Entertainment

Frank J. Vanney

Clyde Dutton

Fred Hatch

Supper

Alton Smith

Thill Wade

George Wood.

Recess during Program

Reading Sis Figgell

Recitation " R. Wade

Reading " Cora Farnum

Recitation Rachel Wade

Reading Sis Florence Soren

Recitation " Phyllis Williamson

" " Eva Hatch.

Meeting closed in favor  
Members present 142

Resp. Submitted

Rose Wade  
Sec. R. Soren.

Whereas, Sandy River Grange # 89, has again been called to mourn the loss of an active and honored member, be it therefore,

Resolved, That in the death of Bro. Almon Works, we feel keenly the loss of a faithful and conscientious brother.

Resolved, That we extend our heart-felt sympathy to the bereaved family.

Resolved, That our Charter be draped, a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved family, a copy spread upon our records and a copy sent to the "Independent-Reporter" for publication.

Mrs. J. H. Smith

Mrs. Lillian Smith

Mrs. Edna Corson

Committee on Resolutions.

Grange Hall Mercer  
Dec 9, 1916

Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Grange #89  
Meeting called to order  
by W. M.

Reading records of  
last meeting

Reading communications  
from Me. Anti Tuberculosis  
Society, Grange Service Com.,  
& family of Almon Works.

Alternate appointed to  
attend State Grange Bro  
Alton Smith

Voted to render church the  
use of Hall for Christmas tree.

Proceed to election  
of officers.

Bro J. N. Fugget	Elected Master
" W. G. W. Carey	" Overseer
Sis. Gertrude Green	" Lecturer
Bro Wallace Thomas	" Steward
" Alton Smith	" asst "
Sis Edna Couson	" Chaplain
Bro C. M. Farrand	" Treas.
" Clyde Duntou	" Secretary
" Frank Vanev	" S. K.
Sis E. F. Fugget	" Ceres
" Rose Wade	" Pomona
" Allie Farrand	Flora
" Lill. Smith	L. A. S.

Remarks by Bro Wade in  
regard to choir

Remarks by W. M.

Meeting closed in favor  
members present 28

Resp. Sub.

Clyde Duntou

Sec

Grange Hall Mercer  
Dec 22, 1916

Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Grange #189 Observed  
as Brocher's Night.  
Meeting called to order  
by W.M.

Reading records of  
last meeting.

Reading bills due A. E. Work  
C. T. Hilton & Independent  
Reporter Co. Voted to refer  
them to the F. C. & if found  
correct to pay them.

Voted to get Mrs. Watson of  
Normidgenok for install the  
Officers & that the date of  
Installation be left until  
the St. Master.

Remarks by W. M. in  
regard to State Grange

Prayer

Literary Program

Music Bros. Smith Couson  
& Vanney  
Song Bro Hatch

Face  
Dr Dobbs Asst.

Meeting closed in form

Members Present 50

Supper of cold meat & hot coffee  
served in dining Hall at  
close of meeting

Deep Sub.

Clare Dutton

See



Grange Hall Merced Jan 12, 1917

Regular meeting of Sandy  
Pine Grange #89  
Meeting called to order by  
W.M. Reading records of  
last meeting.

Report of Finance Com. by  
Bro Alton Smith.

Report of Treasurer W. Wade  
Report of Secretary Clyde Denton  
Voted to accept the above  
reports

Reading bills due Independent  
Reporter P. Clyde Denton  
D. E. Works & W. G. Wade  
Voted to refer the bill to the  
F. C. & if found correct to  
pay them.

Reading communication of  
State Secretary Prington  
Voted That The Grange pay  
the expense of our  
Lecturer attending the

Lecturers Conference to be  
held at Waterville  
Voted to turn over to the  
care of the Corporation  
The sum of fifty five dollars  
& that \$50 & Int. be paid on  
the 1917 note.

Resolves  
Proceed to Installation  
Installing officer Sis  
L. Watson of Hornsby  
The following officers were  
installed

Bro J. N. Fuggell	Master
" W. S. Wade	Orator
Sis Gertrude Green Lee	Secy.
Bro Wallace Thomas	Steward
Bro Alton Smith	A. J. Steward
Sis Edna Corson	Chap.
Bro Chas. Foreman	Treas.
Bro Clyde Denton	Secy.
Bro Frank Vaney	G. R.

Sis Emma Figgell	Ceres
" Rose Wade	Pomona
" Allie Farrand	Flora
Sis Lillian Smith	L.A.S.

L. Perry  
 Literary Program  
 Just Trio Bro's Smith, Vainy  
 Conson  
 Vandeville singing Bro & Sis Hatch  
 Solo Sis Susie Conson  
 Reading Sis Figgell  
 Solo Bro Hatch  
 Vandeville Solo Bro Vainy  
 & Chamberlain  
 Selection from Lucia Penn  
 W.L. announced program for  
 next meeting

A note of Thanks was given Sis  
 Watson for the very efficient  
 manner of Sustaining our  
 officers  
 Remarks by W. M.

Meeting closed in form  
 Dues Col. 15.00

Members present 46  
 Res. Submitted

Clyde A. Swinton  
 Sec.

Grange Hall, Mercer, Jan. 27, 1917

Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Grange #89

Meeting called to order by W. M.

Records of last meeting  
read and approved.

Committees appointed for the  
ensuing year

Executive Committee

Bro J. H. Smith  
" Albert Yeaton  
" John Bacon

Finance Com.

Bro Harry Corson  
" Earl True

Sis. Frances True

Charity Com.

Sis J. H. Smith  
" Belle Yeaton.

Good of the Order Com.

Bro Frank Varney  
Sis G. Greene  
Bro Fred Hatch.

Bro Fred Hatch Chorister  
Sis Eva Hatch Organist

Literary Program

Banjo Music Diet Sis Greene &  
Bro Varney. (Encore)

Barber Shop Scene  
Bro Frank Varney, John Bacon Jr  
Fred Hatch & Harris Farrant

Dialog Sis Mabel Niles  
& Polly True

Violin & Organ Direct  
 Sis Green & B. Varney.

M. L. announced program  
 for next meeting.

Voted to furnish the W. Lecturer  
 with a sum of money that  
 she finds necessary to assist  
 in programs for the coming  
 year.

Voted to have the Secretary  
 procure a treas. badge also  
 envelopes for all other officer  
 badges.

Story By B. Wallace

Meeting closed in  
 form  
 Members present 22

Res. Submitted

Clerk & Director  
 Sec.

## Resolutions of Respect.

Whereas:- The Supreme Master has decreed that we must lose one more member, and that this time it shall be our well loved Sister Mary Bacon Kimball, be it

Resolved, That we her Brothers and Sisters in our loved Order will sadly miss her who by her patience and gentleness in suffering, and loving kindness to all endeared her to all who knew her, and be it further

Resolved, That we extend to the Husband and relatives our deepest sympathy in their bereavement, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the Husband and relatives, and be spread upon our records and one sent to the Independent-Reporter for publication.

Rose Wade

Eva Hatch

Lillian Smith

Committee on Resolutions.

Grange Hall Mercer, Feb 24, 1917

Regular Meeting of Sandy  
Grange #879

Meeting called to order by W.M.  
Reading records of last meeting  
Application for membership by  
Dermot and of Grace Duntou  
The same was balloted on &  
elected.

Reading bill due J. N. Figgel

Voted to refer the same to  
F. A. & if found correct paid

Reading communication from  
State Mill Good Roads Com.

Voted to turn over \$2.50<sup>00</sup> of  
The Grange funds to The Corporation

Voted to instruct The  
Secretary to buy six Song  
Books

Literary Program

Song. Sis Smith, Green & Bro Hart.

Reading Sis. Edna Coe on  
Vishin & Bayodurt Sir Green &  
Bro Vaney, (Guore!)  
Paper Sis Emma Figgel  
Resolution Sir Green

Debate:

Is an auto profitable  
to a farmer.  
Bro Wade, Sis Wade, Bro Vaney,  
Bro Figgel.  
Voted announced program  
for next meeting.

Meeting closed in favor  
Members present. 30

Resp. Sub  
Chas A Duntou  
Sec.

Grange Hall Merce  
March 10, 1917

Regular meeting of Grange  
Power Grange #89  
Meeting called to order by W.M.  
Reading minutes of last  
meeting  
Voted to get up some quilts  
for the family of George Williamson  
L.P.

Just music  
Ber Couson, Smith & Warner  
(Excuse)

Reading Sis M. Giles

Duet, Bo Dora & Hatch  
Encore

Reading Sis Hatch

Song by The Grange "America"  
H.L. announced program for  
next meeting

Remark by B.W. Warner  
in regard to discussion  
of Topics in Grange meetings

Meeting closed in favor  
Members present 28

Resp. Submitted

Clyde A. Dunbar  
Dues col. 60¢

Grange Hall Meets, April 14, 1917

Regular Meeting of Sandy Grove  
Grange #89

Meeting called to order by  
W. M.

Records of last meeting  
read & approved.

Voted "No" on the motion  
relating to the increase of  
State Grange Dues.

Committee appointed to  
draw resolutions on death  
of Bro T. S. Bigelow & drape  
Chantry

Sis Rose Spade

" J. H. Smith

" Allie Ferrand

Recess

Liturgical Program  
Violin Solo, Bro F. J. Vainey  
Paper by W. M. on The  
principles of The Grange  
Roll call.

Song By Choir

Topic: Is a church in  
action a benefit to the town.  
Opened by Bro Frank Vainey  
followed by Bro. John Figgel.

Remarks by Sisters Wade &  
Greene

Meeting closed in four  
Members present 24

Dues col \$2.00

Resp. Sub

Chad A Dunton

Sec.



Grange Hall, Mercer Apr. 28, 1917

Sandy River Grange # 89  
Meeting called to order by  
W. Master. Being no business  
proceeded to the program

Recess declared during  
program.

Duet Bros. Fred Hatch & Oliver  
Dora - Loucory  
Reading Sis Eva Hatch  
Reading " Edna Benson  
Quartet Star Spangled Banner  
Reading Sis Emma Fuzzell  
Dialog Sis Helen Chamberlain  
& Phyllis Pullmanson

Closing Choruses  
Members present. 25  
Dues col. 1.20

Resubmitted  
Emma Fuzzell  
Secy Pro Tem

Whereas,- The Great Master of the Universe has called  
upon us for one more member, and this time it is Bro.  
Truman Bigelow, and  
Whereas,- Bro. Bigelow was a man of sterling honesty and  
with brotherly love and kindness toward all, be it  
Resolved,- That his example of life may well be copied  
by the members of our order, to the good of all mankind.  
Resolved,- That with deep sympathy with the bereaved family  
relatives of the deceased, we express our hope that even so  
great a loss to us all may be overruled for good by Him  
who doeth all things well.  
Resolved,- That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon  
our records a copy printed in the Independent-Reporter and a  
copy sent to the bereaved family.

Mrs. W. G. Wade

Mrs. J. H. Smith

Mrs. C. M. Farrand

Committee on resolutions.

Sandy River Grange # 89

Grange Hall, Mercer  
May 17 1917

Regular meeting of Sanders  
River Grange # 89

Meeting called to order  
by W. Master

Records of last meeting  
read and approved

Reading bill the Natl Grange  
Monthly. Voted to refer the  
bill to the Finance Committee & if  
found correct paid.

Literary Program.

Roll call announced by  
Members giving name of  
their favorite newspaper.

Remarks by Sis Hotel on  
claiming House.

Meeting closed in favor  
Members present 21

Diry Oct. 16 0

Resp. Sub Clyde A. Dinton Sec

Grange Hall, Mercer May 26 '17

Regular meeting of Sanders River  
Grange # 89

Meeting called to order by  
W. Master.

Records of last meeting read  
and approved

Application for Membership  
of Catherine Darling read  
and Bro & Sis W. L. Strick &  
Bro J. W. Lamb were appointed  
a investigating com.

Remarks by Bro. Couper on  
the condition of the Grange.

Literary Program

Pantomime

Reading Bro. W. L. Strick

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Diry Sis Greene & Pro. W. L. Strick

Encore

It. Lectures announced program  
for next meeting.

It. stud to have a social  
in the Hall week after next  
to be supervised by Bro. Couper

Meeting closed in form  
Members present 50

Res. Submitted

Byce A. D. unton  
Sec.

Grange Hall, Mercer, June 9, 1917

Reg. Meeting of Savoy Grange

Meeting called to order by W.M.  
Rec'd of last meeting read &  
approved

Investigating committee on  
application of Mrs. F. Darling  
reported favorable.

Balloting on app. of Mrs. F. Darling  
Candidate elected

Recess

Closed work in 4<sup>th</sup> degree & opened  
in 1<sup>st</sup>. Candidate initiated in  
work of first degree

Recess

closed work in 1<sup>st</sup> degree & opened  
in 2<sup>d</sup>. Candidate initiated in  
work of 2<sup>d</sup> degree

Recess

closed work in 2<sup>d</sup> degree &  
opened in 4<sup>th</sup>.

Went to have the  
usual Stambury supper  
at the next meeting and a

Charge of 20<sup>th</sup> rank to  
 help defray expenses  
 Meeting closed in four  
 Dues col 2.40  
 Fees " " "  
 proceeds of Social, 1.00 -  
 Membership presents 29

Resp Sub.  
 Charles A. Dunton  
 Sec.

June 23, 1917

Reg. Meeting of Sandy River Lodge  
 #877 called to order by  
 W. Master.

Conf. degree  
 Closed work in the 4<sup>th</sup> degree  
 and opened in the 3<sup>rd</sup>  
 Conf. The 3<sup>rd</sup> degree on one  
 candidate

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Meeting called to order closed  
 work in the 3<sup>rd</sup> & opened in  
 the 4<sup>th</sup>

4<sup>th</sup> degree conferred on  
 Darling

Resp Sub

E. J. Kimball  
 Sec. Pro Tem.

Grange Hall Men  
July 17, 1917.

Regular Meeting of Sandy River  
Grange # 89

Meeting called to order by W. W.

Records of last meeting  
read & approved

Reading bill due E. A. Hilton  
for flowers for Bro Bigelow

voted to refer the bill to the  
Finance Committee and if  
correct paid

Meeting closed in form

Members present 26

Dues Col. 1.20

Resubmitted

Clyde A. Duntod

Secretary

Sandy River Grange # 89

Aug 11, 1917

Meeting called to order by W. W.  
W. W. announced by request that  
the church services would  
be held at The Church

Sister Rosebode read a  
letter from W. Brother W. P. True  
which was very interesting.

Closed in form  
Members present 19

Resubmitted

Emma Figgel  
Secy

Sandy River Grange  
# 89

Aug 25, 1919.

Meeting called to order  
by W.M.

Reading records of last  
meeting. Remarks by W. Master  
Members present 17

Res. Submitted

Emma Frizzel  
Secy

Grange Hall Mercer, Sept. 8, 1917.

Regular meeting of Sandy River Grange # 89.

Meeting called to order by the Worthy Master

Reading records of last meeting.

Voted that the Grange furnish a dinner Fair day

Literary Programme

Song by the Grange America

Reading Sister Eva Hatch

" " Grace Dunton

Discussion: Woman Suffrage

Reading Sister Emma Frizzel

Roll Call answered by Sisters of the Grange

Program for next meeting announced

Meeting closed in form

Members present 18

Res. Submitted

Clyde A. Dunton

Secretary.

Grange Hall Mercer Sept 22 - 1917.

Reg. Meeting of Sandy River  
Grange # 89,  
Meeting called to order by W. M.  
Reading Records of last  
meeting.  
Vote to have the Sec. procure  
a set of hand rail benches.

Suggested that the Grange  
send Sis. Bunker a  
post card showing the  
coming week.

Lit. Program  
Song By Grange  
Star Spangled Banner

Meeting closed in form

M. P. 27 Resp. Sub  
Clyde A. Dunton  
Sec

Grange Hall, Mercer, Oct. 13, 1917.

Regular meeting of Sandy River Grange # 89

Meeting called to order by W. Master

Reading records of last meeting.

Literary Program

Reading by Sister Rose Wade

Meeting closed in form

Members present 16

Dues Col. \$2.40

Resp. Submitted

Clyde A. Dunton  
Secretary.

Grange Hall, Mercer  
Nov 10, 1917  
Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Grange # 89

Meeting called to order by  
W. M.

Reading records of  
last meeting.

Reading bill due Ind. Report  
Co.

Voted to refer the bill to the F. C.  
& if found correct, print,  
Lit. Program

Song Bro Hatch  
Dora, appointed for Brother  
Night

Bro Clyde Dunton

" C. M. Farrar

" Fred Hatch

Meeting closed in form

M. P. 14

Resp Submitted

Clyde A Dunton  
Sec

Grange Hall, Mercer, Nov. 10, 1917.

Regular meeting of Sandy River Grange # 89

Meeting called to order by Worthy Master and  
observed as Brothers night.

Reading records of last meeting

Regination of W. Lecturer Sis. Varney and

W. Gatekeeper Bro. Varney Received. Voted to  
accept them.

Demit cards granted Bro. & Sis. John Thomas and  
Bro. Wallace Thomas. Recess.

Literary Program

Song Choir. Reading Bro. Will Wade.

Duet Bros. Hatch & Dora. Reading Bro. Dunton

Song Bro. Dora (encore)

Song " Hatch "

Committee appointed on entertainment for Sisters  
night to be held next meeting. Sis. Eva Hatch

Sis Edna Corson Sis. Rose Wade

Meeting closed in form. Members present 41

Resp. Submitted

Clyde A. Dunton  
Secretary.



Grange Hall Mercer, Nov. 25

Grange Hall, Mercer, Nov. 24, 1917. Regular meeting of Sandy River Grange # 89. Meeting called to order by Worthy Sister Emma Frizzel and observed as Sisters night. Remarks by Sister Rose Wade in regard to having socials in hall. Voted to let the hall for ~~socials~~ socials. Voted to turn over \$20. to the corporation. Voted to extend a vote of thanks to Sis. Mildred Tibbetts for the apple to be used in degree work.

Literary Programm.

Phonograph Selections. Sister Darling  
Reading Sister Frizzell  
Phonograph Selection Sister Darling  
Reading Sister Darling  
Reading Sister Rose Wade  
Phonograph Selections Sister Darling

Meeting closed in form.

Members present 21

Resp. Submitted,

Eva W. Hatch,

Sec. Pro Tem.

Grange Hall, Mercer, Dec. 17, 1917.

Regular meeting of Sandy River Grange #89

Meeting called to order by W. Master. Reading records of last meeting.

Remarks by Sister Hatch in regard to having

A Christmas tree., followed by Sis. Rose Wade.

Voted to have a Tree. Sis. Rose Wade appointed

Chairman of committee and she to appoint two others

to serve with her.

Proceeded to election of officers.

W. G. Wade	Master
Alton Smith	Overseer
Eva Hatch	Lecturer
Earl True	Steward
Harry Corson	Asst. Steward
Mrs, J. H. Smith	Chaplain
Chas. Farrand	Treasurer
Clyde Dunton	Secretary
Frank Darling	Gate Keeper
Rose Wade	Ceres
Ollie Farrand	Pomona
Mrs. Frank Darling	Flora
Edna Corson	L. A. Steward

W. G. Wade & Wife appointed as delegates to attend State Grange. E. J. Kimball Alternate.

Reading by Sis. Darling. Meeting closed in form

members present 28. Resp. Submitted

*Clyde Dunton* Sec.

Grange Hall, Mercer  
Feb 23 1915

Regular meeting of Sandy  
River Grange # 199

Meeting called to order by  
W. Master

Reading records of last  
meeting

Remarks by members in  
regard to bus. allegation  
Voted to have installation  
next Tues evening Feb 24 -  
Committee appointed to  
draft Charter and draw  
up resolutions on death of  
Sister Dickerson

Sisters Ollie Fairbank  
J. V. Smith, W. L. Smith  
Voted to omit the regular  
Harvest feast in March

Application for membership  
of Rachel Wade  
received and read

Investigating Committee,

Sis Echina Carson  
Bro. L. Hill & Robert Parker

Meeting closed in four

Members present 18

Rep Submitted

Clyde A. Denton

Secretary,

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