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PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

## THE THIRTY-NINTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

#### THE PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

BRETHREN: Thirty-nine years of life as a Society lie behind us and we are celebrating to-day our Thirty-ninth Convention. May our true Leaders, the Guardians of humanity who created this Society to be Their messenger in the world of men, and founded it by means of Their faithful servants H. P. B. and H. S. Olcott, ever guard it by Their Power, ever guide it by Their Wisdom, ever inspire it by Their activity.

The year that has just closed has been to us a year of unexampled peace and harmony. It has seen the clearing away of the clouds and the outer combats through which the Society has been passing since my first election to the Presidency. Early in the year the long legal struggle came to a happy ending. When we last met in Benares, I was obliged to leave the Convention in order to meet the effort made to send me to prison, because I did not carry out an order of the High Court which it was physically impossible for me to obey. From that injustice, the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council delivered me by a peremptory interference, which suspended the action sought to be taken here, and maintained the traditions of

English justice, which forbid the infliction of irreparable injury before final judgment is given, and only permit such interference with the liberty of the subject as is necessary for obtaining that final judgment. When judgment was delivered, it established for India that which had been gradually established in England, that when minors came before a Court of Chancery, it was their welfare that must govern the decision, and that no Court may presume to give judgment concerning them which had not ascertained their wishes if they had reached the age of discretion, which for this purpose is taken at fourteen years for boys. The result of that decision was that the whole long struggle came to an end and we finished up where we were at the beginning, with the exception of the large amount of money wasted. I need not trouble you with more on that question, which was the ending of the struggle recorded in previous Presidential Addresses.

#### GROWTH OF THE SOCIETY

During the year the usual increase in growth in the number of charters issued has been made; from 1,483 in 1913 to 1,547 in 1914.

REVISED LIST OF CHARTERS ISSUED TO THE CLOSE OF 1914

1878	1	1890	234	1902	704
1879	2	1891	271	1903	750
1880	11	1892	298	1904	800
1881	19	1893	344	1905	860
1882	42	1894	382	1906	900
1883	88	1895	401	1907	958
1884	99	1896	425	1908	1,032
1885	117	1897	487	1909	
1886	128	1898	526	1910	1,125
1887	156	1899	558	1911	1,223
1888	169	1900	595	1912	1,329
1889	199	1901	647		1,405
	100	1001	0.81	1913	1,483
				1914	1,547

The following list is not, as usual, up to date, owing to the fact that the registers are not all closed at the same time. Despite the European War, only one National Society failed to send in its report.

No.	Name of the Society	No. of Lodges	No. of Active Members	No. of New Members admitted during the year	
1	T.S. in America	153	4,715	1,087	
2	" England and Wales	86	2,450	401	
3	, India	374	5,747	771	
4	" Australasia	23	1,391	257	
5	" Scandinavia	29	778	84	
6	" New Zealand	21	961	182	
7	" The Netherlands	19	1,214	123	
7 8	" France	43	1,448	216	
9	" Italy	22	339	40	
10	" Germany	25	380	62	
11	" Cuba	46	852	169	
12	" Hungary	11	204	48	
13	Finland	22	523	52	
14	" Russia …	11	378	93	
15	" Bohemia	7	152	_1	
16	" South Africa	10	263	56	
17	" Scotland	15	455	84	
18	" Switzerland	11	210	34	
19	" Belgium	10	183	***	
20	" Netherlands Indies	10	633	89	
21	" Burma	8	200	50	
22	" Austria	8	160		
23	Norway	13	252	37	
	Non-Sectionalised	39	687	63	
	Grand Total	1,016	24,575	3,998	

Looking at these detailed figures, I only wish to draw your attention to some small points which are worthy of special mention. We have had no report from Bohemia. The absence of that is for obvious reasons: the difficulty of letters coming hither from countries that are at war, and in the case of Bohemia, of an inimical country. Countries that are at war cannot send through letters, unless they are sent through a neutral country. I am glad to say that Germany, Austria, and Hungary succeeded in sending reports through, which I think is most creditable to them.

<sup>1</sup> No report has been received.

Germany sent its report through Holland, Austria through Italy, and Hungary through Switzerland. After they came, they were further delayed by the opening of the reports by the Censors who had the pleasure of reading them before they reached our hands.

#### THE WAR

In spite of all that is going on, we ought to recognise, with pleasure and gratitude, that although Britain is at war with those countries, the bond of the Theosophical Society is strong enough to make them wish to tell us how they are going on, and that the tie of human brotherhood is not broken because one or other Nation may be at war. I look to the Theosophical Society in the future to bind up the wounds which are caused by this terrible fratricidal war. When the war is over, I hope the influence of the Society in the various countries may draw the Nations again more nearly together, and sure I am that no Theosophist will allow for one moment any feeling of hatred to enter into his heart against any Nation. It is, remember also, your duty to recognise the ideals which are separating the two, and to throw the whole of your thought and energy into those ideals for which we must ever stand-of justice to small States, of public faith, of public honour, and the recognition of international treaty obligations; and it is our duty to do that, because the whole future of the world depends upon the word of a Nation becoming a matter of honour to the Nation as well as to the individual. Treaties and international obligations are only useful in time of war. When Nations are fighting, then only is it that these things and other matters of civilised warfare come up. If they are to be thrown aside in war then it is useless to make them, and we are falling back into barbarism. So that I would ask you to remember the teaching of the Bhagavad-Gita, to remember what Shri Krishna said about war, to remember that while war may righteously be waged for an ideal, or in discharge of a duty, there must be no feelings of hatred, no feelings of revenge, no feelings of antagonism against the enemies as such, only against the principles that they may for the time embody: "So fighting, thou shalt not commit sin." And it is for all members of the Society to show that love may be kept pure and true even in the midst of slaughter and misery, so that we may perform at once our duty to our respective countries and also to humanity.

#### NUMBERS

As far as our numbers are concerned, we find that they have risen from 22,744 to 24,491, and these are numbers which really represent the number of active members, not all the members working for the Society, but only those who perform that very necessary duty of paying their ordinary subscription. Some people seem to think that a spiritual movement does not need money. That is true as far as the spiritual activities are concerned; but when it comes to paying of rent, and printing of journals, and sometimes to the paying of assistant secretaries, then I am afraid that no spiritual coin will be accepted by owners of property and printers. Large numbers of people are willing to give voluntary work, but it is also necessary to have a certain amount of money, and gradually our General Secretaries all over the world have been cutting out from the list of active members those who neglect to pay their obligations for several years. I am afraid that unless India is careful, she will have to take second place in our list, largely owing to this neglect. India has now 5,747 paying members, and the United States has 4,715 and that is not much for an energetic, pushing country like America; it may have more members, in a year or two, than India, and this is largely due to the fact that Indian members do not fulfil their monetary obligations; that is a most regrettable condition. We exclude no one because of poverty, but always remit dues on that account, but we do ask that, if any one wishes to be excused the annual subscription, he shall notify the Secretary; otherwise large numbers of people, who can perfectly well afford to pay, leave off paying, or forget, or are careless. Surely all of us who say we are willing to give our lives to Theosophy can give so small a tax in money.

Our Lodges have increased by 56, and 3,998 new members have come in during the year. That is about the normal rate of advance, following on what we may call a normal year.

ACTION IN NATIONAL SOCIETIES BEFORE THE WAR

With regard to the condition of things in England, one important step has been taken. In England they have done that which we did here long ago, giving a definite legal status to the Society there in order that it may be able to hold property. A year ago we were in rather a peculiar position. Certain people had volunteered to take upon themselves the responsibility of building a new Headquarters for the Society in England and Wales. These were three private persons, and if they chose to do so they might put the money they collected into their pockets, and leave the building unbuilt! It was not a question of the honesty of these people during the building, but of the body which was to receive the building after it was completed. The first idea was to incorporate the English division of the Society, as France and Holland are incorporated, so as to make them legal corporations, able to be holders and administrators of property. It was found to be exceedingly difficult in England; there is no law there similar to the convenient law over here, and as in France, Holland and Hungary, where the National Societies have been incorporated. After a great deal of trouble, it was found out that the only way to do the matter reasonably, without tying up the Society so that it would not be able to move at all, was to execute a legal instrument making the Executive Committee of the Society, for the time being, a company which can hold property in trust. In this way it was possible to make a body representing the whole Society, that was also a corporation in the legal sense of the term, to hold property as far as the Society was concerned; otherwise we should have had to make a limited company, and to come under a mass of law which is, quite rightly, intended to prevent fraud in business, but is of no use to us, who do not carry on business. This leaves the organisation of the Society exactly as it was before, but the company created becomes an aspect of the Executive Committee. Consequently when the new Headquarters are

finished, we shall be able to hand them over to this body, which is entirely under the control of the Theosophical Society in England and Wales. These rules were adopted at the Annual Convention.

Outside that very important change, there have been two or three serious steps taken, showing the great difference with regard to public opinion as to the Society. A large Educational Congress was held there. The Theosophical Society was invited to take part in that, and your President was chosen to open the Congress and to preside over the opening meeting. That is a thing which would have been impossible a few years ago. One of the daily papers of Loudon remarked that the Theosophical Society had now become one of the recognised agencies for the amelioration of the conditions of the country. I think that we must congratulate our English brothers on the steady work done in past years, which places them now in a position not only to permeate and theosophise other societies, but also to stand for those expressions of brotherhood which come definitely within our Objects.

There has been also an extension touching the Art side, and a Brotherhood of Arts and Crafts has been formed with, as President, one whose name is familiar to most of you, Maud McCarthy; she was here and also at Benares, and it will be a pleasure to you to know that she is making English musicians respect and admire Indian music. She has been lecturing at many of the great towns, such as Edinburgh, Glasgow, London, and Manchester, where the Universities are, and generally under University auspices. She wears Indian dress, and plays beautifully on the vina, and sings Indian songs. The result has been that Indian music is beginning to be admired by the English, and an English magazine said that between one tone and the next in the English scale she was able to introduce twenty-four microtones such as you would produce in India. It is well that this should come from a devoted Theosophist, and one that has spiritual inspiration.

Another point of considerable importance, and I would suggest that it may prove useful here, is that in England a number of travelling libraries have been established. These are

sent out on payment of carriage, to any new Centre, and the people borrow in their own town. When they have gone through a book and finished it, they return it and get another. It is a kind of Theosophical Mudie's Agency on a small scale. The same might be done here, and so we might make possible the circulation of our books. If you use vernaculars, it would give many Indian ladies an opportunity to come into touch with Theosophical teachings, where they could not learn from outside.

The first of the Theosophical Schools in England has been founded, only the man at the head of it, Dr. Armstrong Smith, has gone off to the War, so that for the moment it is rather suspended in mid-air.

Australia has taken a considerable step forward, because of work that has been going on there through our Brother, C. W. Leadbeater, who has been on tour there lecturing to the public. A few years ago the Society bought a freehold and built a large Hall, which they thought would last them for many years. Now they have been obliged to sell it, in order to build a much larger hall on a much larger piece of land, and Mr. Leadbeater has promised to stay on for some months to fill the larger hall, as he helped them to outgrow the smaller. If he goes on in that way, the result may be that they will always be buying and selling. As they are a growing country, we have no objection to their following that particular line.

These are the main points that may be mentioned before the War, with regard to the countries in which special work has been going on. Then I must mention the passing away of one worker whom you will all remember by name, and many by personal knowledge, my dear friend Mrs. Cooper-Oakley. She was suffering under consumption while she was here, two years ago. She would go back in the last bitter winter to Hungary, and that has killed the body, and left Hungary without its best worker.

#### DURING THE WAR

Now I come to that division of the year which has to deal with the time during the War, and in this respect the activities of

our Societies in Europe are necessarily very much changed. The German account does not tell us anything of progress since the War, only of the progress made before. They have six new Lodges, which are going on very comfortably and happily. When we come to the story of the War, first we pay a tribute of homage and love to those members who have given up their lives on the battlefield for the sake of their respective fatherlands. So many of our members are in the field, that it is naturally a heavy deathroll. Not only private members are fighting in the front, but officials also. Charles Blech, the General Secretary for France, is there and they send us word from France: "Our Headquarters has been turned into a home for French and Belgian refugees. All the valid male members joined the army and the majority of the valiant ladies are busy with ambulance or relief work." We can only be proud of what they have done; and how beautiful is the spirit shown in the words of this statement written by Charles Blech before he actually went to the front. He volunteered at once, though he need not have done so, for he is over age. He is an Alsatian, and so is naturally anxious to see his country freed from the German yoke.

"Though there is much misery and desolation in the invaded countries and in the fighting line, yet there germinates out of all this misery a beautiful promise for the future. What a splendid revival, what a magnificent efflorescence will purified and reinvigorated Europe not yield in future times! The world will then indeed be ready to receive the Great Teacher and accomplish His plan." In truth, the War is part of that tremendous preparation.

One friend whom you may remember, Pierre Bernard, who was here some time and won golden opinions from our members, was shot through the head the 1st September last: the news only reached his wife on the 17th November, a sad indication of the ghastly "waiting". I had a letter from her by a late mail, giving me the news of his death: he died heroically, leading his own men to the assault.

Mr. Graham Pole, the General Secretary for Scotland, belonged to the Territorial Army, and when they called upon the

Territorials he volunteered, and is now in camp training his men. He is Captain Pole now, and will be Major Pole in the course of a few weeks, and he takes his regiment to the front early in the New Year. Major Peacocke, so well known to many here, who belonged to the Reserve, volunteered for active service, and has been placed on command of No. 19 Heavy Battery. Several others of our members are in the struggle on the actual battle-field. Two pieces of splendid work have been done in England. The first by Dr. Haden Guest, the General Secretary. When War began, France was entirely under-stocked as regarded hospitals; England was ready, France was not; and so Dr. Haden Guest offered his services to the War Office in France and to the Red Cross Division there. He organised an Ambulance Corps, chiefly of Theosophists. When I tell you that in France they had not even chloroform for men undergoing major operations, you will be able to realise something of the misery and horror which those brothers of ours faced. Then he came back and organised a second, a third and a fourth, and upon that the English War Office recognised his services. We have now six Ambulance Corps in France doing hospital work, and thus uniting French and English together in the bond of service under terrible suffering. Some people, a very few, have said that this is not Theosophical work, that the General Secretary ought to stay in his office, and write letters, and add up money, and do his regular work. I desire to say to you, as President, that I consider that Dr. Haden Guest has done honour to the Society and shown a most splendid Theosophical spirit, in allowing voluntary workers to do the work of the office, which they could do, thus setting him free, and in going himself, and organising others to go, into that work of rescue and the relief of human suffering which is so dear to the heart of our Elder Brothers.

Miss Green, another of our members, is the Chairman of a large Committee in Southampton under Queen Mary's Fund, and when I tell you that people who now gladly work under her would not even speak to her a year ago, so prejudiced were they against Theosophy, you will understand something of the

way in which Theosophy has been justified in this swift and useful carrying of it into practice, in the service it owes to suffering humanity; and I am sure that, in the name of the assembly of Theosophists here, I may thank them for the work they have done in lifting the Society so high in the hour of terrible danger.

A Report has come to us from our Brothers who ought to be in Belgium, if they had been allowed to stay there. In a letter from the General Secretary, M. Gaston Polak, he says: "I beg to let you know that some Belgian members, including M. Jean Delville and myself, left Brussels, and later, Belgium, before the German invasion." M. Jean Delville is a painter of very high ability, who was chosen by the Belgian nation to decorate the Belgian Law Courts in Brussels. What will be the fate of his paintings it is impossible to say. Fortunately he remains, and the painter is there if the works are destroyed.

"Since that time, I am without any news from my relatives, and from my brethren of the T.S. I cannot go back to Brussels, or, could I do so, I should not be able to leave again. All I know, by neutrals coming from Belgium, and from the newspapers, is that Brussels is on the brink of starvation, that the whole of Belgium has become a vast heap of ruins, a huge shambles, that if a few towns have not yet been ransacked and destroyed, they will be doomed to destruction when the enemy is obliged to return; Brussels, for instance, has been entirely mined.

"Nine people in ten are now entirely destitute; almost every mother will have to deplore the loss of a son, and many parents the loss of daughters, many children the loss of mothers and fathers, for most of the invading hordes behaved as beasts, killing and profaning anyone, anything, they found on their way.

"I believe that (except perhaps in the Jewish history) there never has been an example of such utter destruction wrought on an innocent nation, as now on the Belgians.....

"We all try to hope that soon will come, with the Great Teacher, the advent of Peace and Joy. But how difficult it seems to found love on hatred, joy on tears, peace on anger!" I read that, that you may feel a little the throb of suffering that is wringing the hearts of our Belgian brothers to-day. But Belgium will rise again so strong and so pure, that she will be greater than she has ever been in the past, and inviolable for all time to come.

#### LECTURERS AND WORKERS

All who were mentioned last year, except the one already noted, Mrs. Cooper-Oakley, continue their devoted work, and the students mentioned as having left Adyar are active in their own lands. Mr. Schuurman has become General Secretary for Holland, in place of our earnest and devoted brother Mr. Cnoop-Kupmanns, promoted to high Government service but unfortunately in failing health, and Miss Blytt is re-elected in Norway. Dr. Sixtus von Kapff has been elected General Secretary for Germany, establishing the Headquarters in Berlin, while Mr. Lauwericks, the former Secretary, carries on the Theosophical Journal for Germany and Austria. Frau von Sonklar and Countess Olga Schack, well known and loved here, are on the German Executive. Herr John Cordes continues in Austria, and has returned to Vienna, after detention for some time as a "suspect". Dr. Haden Guest became General Secretary for England in consequence of Mrs. Sharpe's continued ill-health. Mr. A. Verhage takes the General Secretaryship of Burma.

In India, Mr. K. Narayanaswami Iyer, living in Adyar, has issued some valuable books—A Translation of Thirty Minor Upanishats, The Puranas in the Light of Modern Science, and some smaller works. Mr. Wedgwood, now at Adyar, has published a very useful booklet on Psychism. Mr. T. Ramachandra Row is indefatigable and is the life of the movement in Southern India. Mr. Wadia works incessantly, but does less touring, necessarily, because of the increased labour imposed by our press activities.

Our Vice-President, Mr. A. P. Sinnett, has been very active in England, and is a most welcome instructor in our ranks.

#### HEADQUARTERS

Again, all has gone well. Mr. Jackson has superintended the Electric Department, vice Major Peacocke, and Mr. Cates bears the weight of the business side. The other workers continue, save that Mr. and Mrs. Best returned to England, and Mr. and Mrs. Kirk have most efficiently filled their places. Mr. Beer returned to Bohemia to work, and has been sent to the front. Mr. B. B. Varma went to Benares, and Mr. Tilak went to other work. All the others remain, and are ever at work. Mr. Harvey's fine gift to the T. P. H. houses it splendidly, and does Mr. Gillespie the greatest credit; it is an ornament to Headquarters. Thanks to Mrs. Stead, Miss Graham, Mrs. Gillespie, Miss Banks, and others, we have a little school in Adyar for the wives and daughters of Indian residents; the ages of the pupils vary from 3 to 47 years! Our Bombay Parsi brothers have put up a handsome house, built by our principal architect, Mr. Ranga Reddy, and it was opened on December 25th.

#### THE ADYAR LIBRARY

We have lost here, temporarily only, I hope, our Librarian Dr. Schrader. We made a gallant effort to keep him, and kept him for some time; but in consequence of much spying in Madras Presidency, an order went out that every German was to be interned. So he is now at Ahmednagar, and is happier than I think most people would be under the circumstances, for he is a bookworm. I have to give a guarantee that in the Samskrit and Pali books taken to him from our library there are no secret messages, and he is then allowed to have them. He was looking fairly well when we saw him off, and I think is fairly comfortable now.

We owe Mr. Van Manen great thanks for so efficiently supplying Dr. Schrader's place, and he has kindly given up his intended trip to Europe until Dr. Schrader's return.

Mr. Cates continues his invaluable services, and Mme. Godefroy is a most capable assistant in the ever-increasing work. Our ever generous friend, Mr. Ostermann, has begun a building fund for a future Library with a donation of Rs. 40,000,

and he has also given Rs. 20,000 for general Library work. The Library is outgrowing its housing, and we shall have to think some day of a new building for it.

#### SUBSIDIARY ACTIVITIES

The Order of the Star has flourished exceedingly in London, and its magazine has been a most creditable production.

The handing over of the Central Hindu College to the Hindu University Committee is an accomplished fact. The Theosophical Educational Trust has worked well, thanks to its indefatigable Secretary, Mr. Ernest Wood, and to the devoted services of our Theosophical workers from the C. H. C.

In Colombo, the College under Mr. Fritz Kunz is rising very rapidly in public estimation. The Colleges in Galle and Kandy are also doing very well, under Mr. Woodward and Mr. Billimoria respectively. Then there is the work of our very old and faithful friend, Mrs. Musæus-Higgins, amongst the Buddhist girls. The Panchama Schools are going on in the same admirable way in which they always do under the care of Miss Kofel, and we have to thank the Municipality of Madras for the help which they gave to two of these schools, one the Damodar School, the other the Annie Besant, and the name of the former is so dear to the neighbours of the school that the Municipality has altered the name of the street into "Damodar Street"; so now our good brother up in Tibet has had his name immortalised.

#### PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

To those who have bidden me work for another seven years as President, I give my pledge that I will do my best to serve the Society. More I cannot say.

#### OUR WORK

I only have to add one further word. As you know, about 1909, I think it was, it was my duty to say to you that from 1910 onwards the Society would grow in public influence, and much

more rapidly than before. That progress is continuing, and is bringing to us new duties, new responsibilities, new lines of activity. I want to ask from each one of you a development of that perfect Tolerance which is one of the great qualifications for becoming a disciple of the Masters of Compassion. I want to ask each of you, as members of the Society, to guard the liberty of thought within the Society as its most precious possession, and to guard that neutrality of the Society of which I spoke in my public lecture. Remember we have members of every religion and every line of work; we have a number of public servants, who would be compromised if the Government here identified the Theosophical Society as a whole with any special line of political work and propaganda. It is our duty to protect them, and to guard the Society for the future. It is only a matter of a few years, during which this guarding will be necessary. Some years hence the Society will be so large, that no one will presume to connect it with any special line of local or public activity. We are coming towards that point where the public will recognise that we have amongst us people of all lines of thought and work, those against political activity, those in favour of political activity. If you can only hold steadily to the neutrality of the Society for a few years, until the numbers have become very much larger, then you will find that no one line of activity will run the danger of compromising the neutrality of the Society as a whole. That is your duty. Make the public understand that nothing your President does, outside or inside her Theosophical work, binds the Theosophical Society; that even within it her translation of Theosophy is not endorsed by all, and that every member has an equal right with hers to translate Theosophy in his own way. Try to remember that you and I are not at the end of human evolution, but have ages of evolution yet in front of us; that our view of any great truth must be an imperfect view, we being imperfect beings. That which I myself am at present saying to you as a translation of Theosophical teaching, whether on the Divine Unity, whether on the nature of the human Spirit, whether an exposition of the Law of Karma,

whether new light thrown on the doctrine of Reincarnationthe whole of these explanations are partial and imperfect, and they must not be stereotyped, must not be fettered on the limbs of future generations, who will be carrying on our work centuries hence. I am telling you what is true from the standpoint of to-day; I cannot tell you what will be true from the standpoint of centuries hence. Then humanity will have advanced further; the higher mind will have evolved further than to-day; buddhi will be more developed; insight and intuition will be stronger than they are now; and it is not desirable that we should so fossilise our own opinions, that we shall have to break them to pieces when we come back centuries hence. Many of us have had to suffer from breaking the fetters into which we were born: many of us have had to go through bitter agony, when we had to break away from the old ties which we had outgrown. Let us, by the memory of our own past suffering, guard our children and grandchildren from similar pain; let us take the humble position that we are imperfect, that we only catch glimpses of the Truth. If even the Masters Themselves are on the line of upward evolution, what of us who have not attained liberation? If they are evolving, how much more are we? If they are still discovering new Truth, how much more Truth there must be to be unfolded to the purblind eyes of man. Our duty is to seek for Truth, and Truth is infinite, and infinite also is the search thereafter. Therefore I ask you to help me to guard the perfect liberty of thought, the perfect liberty of expression, in the T.S., knowing that it is as true now as it was true in the days of Milton: "Let Truth and Falsehood grapple; who ever knew Truth put to the worse in a fair encounter?" Great words were used by Charles Bradlaugh when speaking of the value of free discussion, of argument; he said that in these battles for Truth, "Truth has laurels for the victor and the vanquishedlaurels for the victor, in that he hath maintained the Truth : laurels yet welcome to the vanquished, whose defeat has crowned him with a Truth that he knew not of before."

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#### REPORT OF THE T. S. IN AMERICA

To the President, T. S.—Fraternal and loyal greetings to you and to the members of the Convention. I take pleasure in once more reporting to you the state of affairs in the American Section.

Statistics.—Since the change of our fiscal year to June 30th as a terminal date, I can be more accurate with statistics if I now render my Annual Report to Adyar by taking the data yielded by such year and adding to it such additional data as developed since the end of said year and up to the date of the rendering of my report to you, which is October 31st. Since my previous report was from September 30, 1912, to September 30, 1913, that report cannot very well be used for purposes of comparison, but hereafter the comparisons will be easily made and the reports easily compiled without delving down for details to be separated from possible overlapping periods.

The Annual Report rendered to the American Section Convention for the twelve months ending June 30, 1914, showed a net increase in the membership this year of 616, as against a net increase of 681 last year. Although these figures apparently show a decrease, nevertheless owing to the fact that during the past twelve months members were dropped covering a period of 22 months, our record of gain in membership this year is up to the standard of the previous year. In fact, the total admissions during the year were 1,087. Since June 30th and up to October 31, 1914, 204 members have been admitted, and approximately 154 were dropped, through resignations, deaths and non-payment of dues. At the present date our total membership is 4,715. The number of Lodges chartered during the aforesaid fiscal year was 26, and 8 dissolved. In practically all the cases of dissolving Lodges,

this action was taken for the purpose of merging with sister Lodges in the same neighbourhood. Since June 30th, 3 Lodges have been chartered, 2 have dissolved, and 3 have given up their charters in order to affiliate with other Lodges.

Propaganda.—The lecturers doing good work during the year were Mr. Rogers, who is responsible for the unusual increase in the number of Lodges chartered; Mrs. Russak, whose lectures, as always, are received with enthusiasm; Mrs. Broenniman, who is growing steadily in her unusual power of usefulness; Mr. Unger, who is always warmly welcomed wherever he goes; Dr. Lindberg, an exemplar of self-sacrifice in service; Mr. Holbrook, whose constant travelling in his profession gives him a wide field; Mr. Knudsen, one of our deepest and most valued teachers; and Mr. Hardy, who understands so well the people's view-point and how to meet it. The Wardall brothers also have done good work in their territory, and Dr. Mitchell and Mrs. A. Ross Read have been very helpful. Mr. Cooper having been so closely confined to headquarters was not able to do much lecturing, but he is now in the field and the year before him promises to be filled with good results.

Although the discontinuance of *The American Theosophist* eliminates one of our forms of propaganda, yet all things considered it was a necessary step. As stated in the November *Messenger*:

The fact is, the Trustees were surprised by a situation in which they had to act quickly and safely from a financial standpoint. A closer look into the figures has disclosed that the magazine would have lost over \$2,000.00 last year but for the support of its generous sponsor; that during the first years it had sustained heavy losses while building itself up, and that the Section during the current year would still have to labour under the burden of those losses. The outlook for attaining even the prospective success of the magazine this coming year was poor because of the distress caused by the war. Moreover, the magazine's supporter had withdrawn his support for the current year. In addition to these compelling conditions, it was made clear that our duty now was to cease struggling to maintain at considerable outlay a magazine whose existence militated somewhat against the success in America of Mrs. Besant's Theosophist, as publicly stated by her at the late Convention at Adyar, especially since her magazine would undoubtedly suffer elsewhere from the existence of the war.

Therefore the Trustees found no other way out, and had to take the action they did.

The Book Concern.—The Book Concern has recently been taken vigorously in hand by the Board of Trustees, who, with the General Secretary and Assistant General Secretary are making a special effort to increase its usefulness during the forthcoming year. All the members of the Board are practical business men, and they are trying to make this a paying arm of the Service. It is hoped that as a substitute for The American Theosophist much effort can now be turned into the direction of placing our books in the Public Libraries of the country, as well as increasing the circulation of The Theosophist.

The Messenger.—Our sectional journal, The Messenger, will now be gradually enlarged to meet the discontinuance of The American Theosophist, and will continue to be devoted chiefly to the interests of members, as in the case of other sectional journals.

Bureaus, etc.—The various Bureaus have reported a successful year. The Round Table shows a slow, but steady progress in America, 17 Tables being now in existence. Unfortunately, the Lotus work does not seem to get on; it never has. Miss Marjorie Tuttle has just been appointed to take over this work as Head in America, and her well-known ability in conducting the Order of the Star in the East will now be brought to the Lotus activities, and I hope that this feature of our work may soon be built up to the proportions that it deserves.

Libraries.—The Sectional and Krotona Libraries continue to grow. We have just received a gift of over one thousand books from the estate of the late Congressman Coffeen.

Krotona.—Krotona received during the year the gift of an important site of two and a half acres immediately adjoining its property. It consists of a partially wooded canyon and cost the donor over \$10,000.00. At the request of the donor it is to be called Besant Gardens. It was given by a young man who had heard our President's lecture some twelve years ago. He had just joined the T. S. and come to see Krotona, and while here, believing that we needed more land, presented us with this little tract and said that he did it for the love of Mrs. Besant.

During the year the Grand Temple of the Rosy Cross erected its Temple for America. The building stands at the summit of the knoll which adjoins Krotona Court. The grounds at Krotona are gradually becoming developed. Our landscape gardener, Mr. John Phillip Arscott, is thoroughly dedicated to his work.

The Summer and Winter Sessions of the Institute have proceeded as usual, and each session sees the work increased in strength and usefulness. A new feature is an autumn Extension Course of three weeks in the City of Los Angeles. The Boys and Girls Schools are still hovering on the mental plane for lack of funds to bring them down, but we feel confident that those funds will come and eventually we shall have the nucleus of children's schools that will prove to be important to the work. A very effective effort is being made to clear the lands at Krotona of indebtedness before the summer of 1915, and those who are concerned with the matter feel confident that their purpose will be realised. Adjacent to the grounds and further up the hill, Mrs. Duff has purchased a beautiful site and has improved it with a lovely villa for her home. The grounds have been extensively improved, and her expenditures promise to add greatly to the beauty next our land. In this she has been assisted by Mrs. Russak and Mr. Hotchner, who reside with her.

Conventions.—The experiment of holding a Convention of the American Section in some place other than Chicago has proved to be a success. We had gotten into rather a groove by holding all of our sessions in Chicago, and it was thought wise to increase local interest by meeting in various places. At the late meeting in Washington everything was done by the local members that could be wished, and we undoubtedly had one of the most successful Conventions we have ever known. On this occasion undoubted proof was shown of the strong solidarity of our Section, for pressure there was to prove this strength, and the result was more than gratifying. The General Secretary and the same Board of Trustees were re-elected. The next Convention will be held in San Francisco during the week of the Congress of Religious Philosophies, July 25—August 1.

The Outlook.-The outlook for the work in America for the coming year is most favourable. Mr. Rogers has been put into the field with increased authority. As Propaganda Secretary he will to some extent control the movements of the field workers. He himself is constantly lecturing and establishing classes, and Mrs. Rogers and others follow him up and teach the classes. Out of these Lodges will grow. The plan is believed to be better than that of creating Lodges immediately from among those who are casually interested. It is the earnest endeavour of the American Section to hold itself in a state of peace and calm, so that it may be a channel in the world for such steady strength and spiritual force as it can carry forth into the world. feel that there is nothing more important for us to do than this, for at the present critical juncture of the world's progress we realise that strong peace centres are greatly needed. We feel deeply moved by the distress of our brothers in other countries, and we send them our tenderest sympathy, and hope that whatsoever our opportunities may be in the position we occupy, these may be utilised by us to the extreme, in serving them now and hereafter.

The American Section continues to be one of your strongholds of devotion and loyalty, and we all look forward with keen expectancy to your promised coming during the summer of 1915. (The war renders this impossible, to my great regret.—Annie Besant.)

A. P. Warrington, General Secretary

#### REPORT OF THE T. S. IN ENGLAND AND WALES

To the President, T. S.—The year under review was marked by the re-election of Mrs. Annie Besant as President—an event one may almost say which passed too much as a matter of course, although the voting among the 1,500 odd who voted was practically with one voice for our President's return. But so many other great things have happened and still are happening that what would in normal times have led to much comment, now passed almost as a routine of business.

The President's magnificent Queen's Hall lectures for the Society, her stand on the side of Women in the speech on the Suffrage at the same place, her activities in Educational, Industrial and Artistic worlds have been ever present with us and acted as a great inspiration.

The period covered by the General Report extends from November 1913 to the end of October 1914.

The chief event here was the change of constitution involved in the adoption of a new set of rules.

It was originally intended to embody the new constitution in a formal legal document, "The Articles of Association", constituting the Theosophical Society in England and Wales a registered company having the legal right to hold property, the property in contemplation being the new Headquarters. The Articles of Association once drawn up and passed could only be changed by a formal and complex legal process, and in order to avoid the need of change at an early date the subcommittee of the Executive responsible for drawing up the Articles tried to think themselves into future conditions and plan on an ample scale.

Finally, however, a simpler expedient for holding property was discovered and a legal instrument devised which practically constitutes the Executive Committee of the Theosophical Society in England and Wales for the time being a company to hold property in trust for that Society. But the organisation of the Society remains as before, the formal "articles" under the arrangement arrived at only concern the property holding company which in this way becomes, so to speak, one of the "aspects" of the Executive Committee. Nevertheless, so much work had been done in remodelling the constitution that it was decided to make very considerable changes. And in pursuance of this decision the plan for the property holding and the new rules were adopted by the Annual Convention, and are expected to free the energy of the Society for more effective work.

Apart from the new facilities for holding property the main principles of the changes are: (1) greater responsibility of certain sub-divisions of the National Society known as Federations of Lodges and Centres; (2) direct election by these Federations of the members of the National Council, which will be a fairly large body; (3) election by this National Council of the Executive Committee, Treasurer and Secretary. Thus we have direct election of representatives of Federations by the members living in those Federation areas, and indirect election of the Executive Committee. It is hoped in this way (a) to keep in very close touch with the feeling and opinion of members of the Society who will know the members they elect in their own areas; (b) to insure by indirect election that the most representative people in the Society choose the directing Executive, free from the pre-possessions of the moment.

The other changes made are numerous, and intended to facilitate the work of the future by providing organisation on a

bigger scale.

Up to the time of the War the normal activities of the Society were carried on much as usual, a growing public interest in our ideas and activities being shown. The audiences at Headquarters have shown a constant tendency to increase, as have in general the audiences at lectures up and down the country. More definite notice in the press has also to be recorded.

The Northern, Southern and Midland Federations have held successful meetings, and London and District is now in a fair way to be organised for Theosophical purposes under the leadership of the energetic Secretary, Mr. Arthur P. Maddocks.

Propaganda has been carried on vigorously and has been directed to one region of the country after another, the maximum effect being aimed at by the temporary concentration of energy. In this work we have been much helped by Miss Clara Codd and Mr. Sydney Ransom, who have been able to put their services entirely at the Society's disposal. Miss Codd's lectures have been particularly successful and have drawn tributes from Theosophists and Non-Theosophists from all parts of the country. We have had the pleasure of welcoming amongst us Dr. Weller van Hook and of hearing him speak—two privileges we shall not forget.

Another feature of the year has been the epidemic of the acquiring of Lodge premises or Lodge buildings. Torbay, Folkestone, Cheltenham, Letchworth and Jersey were led along this path by Harrogate and Bath, and the special consecration of buildings to Theosophical service will surely be marked by definite results.

Public activities (apart from the President's work) have been prominent, a Conference on "The Next Steps in Educational Progress" being held at London University to which the chief Educational and Scientific bodies in the kingdom including the T. S. appointed Delegates or Representatives, and at the opening meeting our President was in the chair, while she spoke in another. The proceedings of this Conference (of which Dr. L. Haden Guest was Secretary), which was extensively reported in the Lay and Educational Press, are to be published by the Theosophical Publishing Society in London, and will do something, it is hoped, to set the tone of Educational Reform.

Two other public activities less advertised, but perhaps more important, were the foundation of the plan for a Theosophical School to be opened in 1915 at Letchworth in charge of Dr. Armstrong Smith, and the founding anew of the Brotherhood of Arts with a revised constitution and rules, under the Honorary Presidency of Mrs. Annie Besant and the Presidency of Mrs. Maud Mann. Both of these movements are likely to be of very great importance in the near future.

Mrs. Sharpe has been badly missed at Headquarters, where her personality and her inspiring influence have always been such a valuable asset in the work of the British Section, and have endeared her to all who have enjoyed the privilege of working with her. Let us hope that the obstacles of ill-health will soon be removed from her path of usefulness. The present flowering of the Society is in large part founded on Mrs. Sharpe's work during the last few years.

Mrs. Betts has continued the willing, unselfish and able service which she has always offered to the Society, and for which the latter can never be sufficiently grateful. During the illness of the General Secretary Mrs. Betts nobly stepped into the breach, all the Sub-Editorial and much of the Editorial work of the Vahan is now carried on by her, and whether the emergency that takes away the General Secretary be illness or War, Mrs. Betts has always been ready to meet it.

The total number of Fellows in this National Society is 2,450; i.e., Lodge Members 2,070; Unattached 380. The total number of Fellows joining the Society during the past year is 401; the net increase is 227; for 31 members were transferred to other National Societies, 50 members lapsed; 83 resigned; 10 died. Charters have been issued to ten new Lodges, namely, Chatham, Exeter, Isis (London), Jersey, Mansfield, The Messenger (Sutton Coldfield). Newcastle-on-Tyne, Northampton, Torbay and Wesminster. This makes a total of 86 Lodges in the Section.

Seven new Centres were authorised which makes a total of 46 Centres.

The Library has seen many changes during the past year, for much re-arrangement has taken place and the new catalogue is now ready for the printers.

Workers are beginning to complete a Reference Index of Mrs. Besant's and Mr. Leadbeater's books, already started by Dr. Armstrong Smith, and it is hoped that in the near future this will progress considerably. Our scheme is eventually to treat all valuable Theosophical works in a similar manner and so facilitate the work of students.

During the past year 417 books have been added to the Library, making a total of 4,609. 1,023 Theosophical books and 785 on various other subjects were borrowed.

The popularity of the small libraries, which, packed in suitable boxes, are sent out on loan to Lodges, Centres and others, increases steadily. Miss Butterton, who arranges this department together with the branch shop of the Theosophical Publishing Society established opposite 19 Tavistock Square, reports that she has £170 worth of library books in circulation and is constantly increasing them.

Surveying then the whole of the Theosophical field in England and Wales, we find that study of our literature is becoming more widespread, discussion of our ideas more definite and persistent, public interest in our doctrines more pronounced, and our existence continually justified by the turning towards us of those who are perplexed, and who want to understand the world they live in. With the present war and the deepening of men's interest in spiritual things, we have put on us a great responsibility. It is to the discharge of that responsibility in the coming year that our thoughts now turn.

L. Haden Guest, General Secretary

#### REPORT OF THE T. S. INDIA

To the President, T. S.—The election of the President of the T. S. in July, bringing your re-election to that exalted office by an overwhelming majority, was the most effective reply which the members of the T. S. could give to the issues that had considerably excited so many minds. The Indian Section, which was the very centre of this struggle, discharged its solemn responsibilities on the occasion by 4,613 of its members voting in favour of your re-election and only 70 against it. The news of your re-election was hailed with joy throughout the Society, but I venture to state that it was nowhere received with greater joy than in India.

Turning to the details of the work, there has been a remarkable increase of educational activity under the Theosophical Educational Trust. New Schools were started during the year, and those started last year have been further strengthened and enlarged. Education may be said to be at present the chief feature of Theosophical work in India.

The Propaganda work, I am sorry to report, has been considerably suffering, as a number of our earnest workers are at present taken up by our increasing educational work in India, and by the journalistic and other important activities at Adyar. The Propaganda work, though better organised in the South by the ceaseless and untiring energy of our old and experienced worker Mr. T. Ramachandra Rao, is poor in the large area of the North, where Lodges are at a great distance from each other, and where a large number of lecturers are required for the field. There has fortunately been a growing tendency to hold a larger number of Conferences and Federations, which allow an opportunity to members to meet together and to feel a greater sense of solidarity and corporate work.

On account of the serious lack of a well-organised Propaganda, and owing to a comparative freedom from excitement in the latter half of the year, the number of new admissions was 771 as against 1,071 of last year. According to the rules of the General Council, a list of Fellows who were eligible to vote as active members for the Presidential election had to be submitted to Adyar before 30th November 1913 and for that purpose a careful scrutiny of the records had to be previously made, and the Secretaries of the Lodges were asked to send a corrected list of members in good standing on the rolls of their respective Lodges. We found that the names of a large number of members who were dead, or had resigned long ago, were not reported to the Headquarters in time. Members who were in heavy arrears were asked to pay up their dues, and this demand brought in resignations from some, while a large number who did not reply to the demand had to be transferred to the list of dormant members. This accounts for the high figures of resignations, deaths and lapses this year. The numbers noted under these heads are as follows: Resignations 108, deaths 114, delinquents 692. The number of members in good standing now is therefore 5,747 as against 5,890 of last year.

Though for reasons stated above the number of active members at the end of this year has slightly decreased, a greater vigilance in the collection of the annual subscriptions has resulted in an increased income of Rs. 14,023 as against Rs. 11,706 of the previous year. The total amount spent over propaganda, including the expenses over *Theosophy in India*, was Rs. 11,497 as against Rs. 9,485 last year.

During the year under report, charters have been issued to 17 new Lodges (one of which was previously a Centre) and 3 new Centres, while 3 Lodges had to be declared dormant. Thus the number of active Lodges has increased from 360 to 374, and of Centres from 26 to 28.

Miss Willson and Mr. Telang have been very untiring in keeping up the Lodge activities at the Headquarters, and Mr. Telang's talks to the Arundale Lodge on Fridays prove very helpful to young men, for whom they are chiefly intended.

I cannot close this brief review without rendering to you, on behalf of the Indian Section, its deep gratitude for so successfully tiding over the fierce storm that was raised in India against Theosophy with such particular vehemence, and for so nobly redeeming the fair name of our beloved Society before the world. May Those who form the chief bulwark of our movement continue to give you strength to guide the Society in the achievement of its great task.

IQBAL NARAIN GURTU, General Secretary

## REPORT OF THE T. S. IN AUSTRALIA

To the President, T. S.—During the past year we have admitted 257 new members, gained about a score by transfer and reinstatements, and, with the removals from the Roll by lapsing membership, death and resignation—about 160—close the year with a net gain of 108 and with 1,391 members on the Roll. Only one Charter has been issued, that for Toowemba.

We held our Convention this year in Hobart, Tasmania, a locality somewhat off the general track of travellers between States, and the general opinion was that it will be better to restrict ourselves to the larger and more central capital Cities, such as Sydney and Melbourne, in order to secure a full and representative attendance of delegates. The Hobart gathering was certainly the smallest Convention we have held for very many years; the refreshing Tasmanian climate, however, made it a delightful change for all.

In public propaganda for the year no new ground has been broken—the distribution of Education as Service was completed, 7,000 copies being sent to the Public School Teachers of the Commonwealth, and there has been a further scattering of copies of the Riddle of Life, the sale of which through the public bookstalls did not realise our expectations.

The chief event of the year was the visit to the Section of Mr. C. W. Leadbeater, who arrived at the most northern post of our territory on 15th May, and who devoted about six months to Lodge visiting. In the course of this time he visited all the States, excepting Western Australia. Six or seven weeks were spent in New Zealand. A large amount of time was given to Sydney, where a great work was done, but at all the centres he touched the report was of the same character—an undoubted

awakening of public interest, and stimulus to the members themselves. Mr. Leadbeater's companion, Mr J. A. Mazel, took our visitor's place in Western Australia, spending a fortnight there, on his way back to India.

Gradually our larger Lodges are realising the value of occupying premises of their own. Adelaide has moved into larger quarters, having built once more upon a new site, more suited to the needs of the Lodge. Brisbane has acquired a freehold property in the City, large enough to provide for prospective needs for many years. In Sydney the King's Hall freehold has been sold, in order to enable members to acquire a more extensive and convenient site, upon which it is intended to erect, on cleared ground, a modern block of buildings worthy of the Society for many years to come.

Though the heavy cloud of the great war in Europe forbids hope of great expansion in such an atmosphere of uncertainty as now prevails, the spirit inspiring our general body of members is a quiet and confident one, only awaiting the coming of peace for the launching of new ventures, and retaining meanwhile a firm resolve to hold on to the position the Society has been able to reach in Australia.

> W. G. John, General Secretary

# REPORT OF THE T. S. IN SCANDINAVIA

To the President, T. S.—The year that has passed since the last report was submitted to you has been a year of struggle, in the first place through the continued attacks upon the T. S. in Scandinavia and in the second through the world-war, whose effects have extended also to the neutral countries. Both these things have made the outer result of our work comparatively small.

Neither has there been any new Lodge formed, nor has there been any one dissolved, the number of the Lodges being thus the same as before, i.e., 29, of which 23 are in Sweden, 4 are in Denmark and 2 in Iceland.

The total number of the members, on the 1st of November 1913, was 760. During the last year, 84 members have joined, 59 have resigned and dropped, and 7 have passed away. On the 1st of November 1914 the total number of the members is 778. Of these 648 are Lodge-members and 130 unattached—6 of whom are in Finland.

Divided among the different countries, there are:

485 members in Sweden.

257 ,, ,, Denmark.

30 ,, ,, Iceland and

6 " " Finland.

The work of the Lodges has been carried on in the usual way and may, on the whole, be considered as satisfactory, although we cannot record any remarkable successes.

Our monthly magazine, Teosofisk Tidskrift, published upon the same lines as before, has somewhat increased in size. Some other Theosophical books and pamphlets have also been edited by different publishers in Scandinavia. The propaganda work has chiefly been maintained by the Lodges. Especially it ought to be mentioned that during this summer too, the President of the Copenhagen Lodge, Mr. H. Thaning, has made, at his own expense, a tour of lectures in several of the important provincial towns in Denmark, where he has had many interested hearers.

At Whitsuntide last, the T. S. in Scandinavia held its Annual Convention at Copenhagen, the capital of Denmark. The Convention was very well attended, and went off under very good and harmonious circumstances.

In my last report I mentioned some violent attacks made upon our Society after the Congress at Stockholm in 1913, and I concluded with hinting at some dark clouds rising at the horizon, foreboding evil in the immediate future. This prediction came true, since at Christmas a book appeared that was composed of a collection both of former attacks and of new ones against the T. S. From our side, this attack has been met with several lectures. Besides, the publishing of a pamphlet for the purpose of refuting these attacks is being planned.

I am very glad that it is to you, as re-elected President for another seven years' period, that I have to submit this report, and beg you, Mme. President, to accept a respectful greeting and congratulation from the whole T. S. in Scandinavia.

This Society sends through me a fraternal greeting also to the approaching Annual Convention at Adyar. May Peace and Harmony prevail amongst you all—that is the good wish sent to you from Europe, that part of the world which seems to be in greater need of these good forces than any other.

> ARVID Knös, General Secretary

# REPORT OF THE T. S. IN NEW ZEALAND

To the President, T. S.—I have once again the honour and privilege of submitting a brief report of the activities of the New Zealand Section for the year 1914. In doing so may I, on behalf of the members, convey to you their loving greetings and expressions of unfaltering loyalty to you as President, and their entire confidence in your Leadership of the Society.

Statistics.—During the year, 182 members were admitted, 11 resigned, 22 lapsed, 3 were transferred to other Sections, and 9 died, leaving a total of 961 on our register, as compared with 824 last year. Of the present total, 101 are unattached members, the rest being distributed over 21 Lodges.

It is obvious that the strength and influence of our Society are not measured merely by numbers, since there are thousands of persons, whose lives are modified and guided by Theosophical ideas, who are yet unable for various reasons to identify themselves actively with the Society, but yet remain devoted adherents and students of its teachings. This is perhaps the most gratifying feature of the present day, for it has a direct bearing upon the radical changes in the religious, philosophic and moral outlook of the nations generally.

Convention—The Annual Convention was held last December in Auckland, and was very largely attended. At the previous Convention it had been decided to make the experiment of holding the next Convention in one of the smaller towns, Wanganui being chosen. This arrangement had, however, to be abandoned, as it was found that the Wanganui Lodge was unable to undertake the responsibilities entailed; Auckland being selected instead.

The post-Convention meetings, lectures and Conferences in connection therewith, and those of the allied Orders, so

intimately associated with the Society, were very fully represented, and the public lectures invariably drew large and keenly interested audiences.

The Round Table and Lotus Class Conferences are worthy of special mention, as indicating the growing popularity and usefulness of these organisations, as preparatory training schools for active workers in the Society in the immediate future. It is to be hoped that every Lodge in the Society will encourage the growth of such organisations, and thus extend the beneficent influence of the Wisdom among the young.

Exhibition Stall.—At the Auckland Industrial Exhibition, the Section procured space for a stall for the display and distribution of books and propaganda literature. The stall was an artistic success, designed and executed by a member, Mr. R. Pheney. The Section was fortunate in securing the services of Mr. H. M. Hawthorne, as Superintendent of the stall; and, thanks to his energy, many thousands of pamphlets and leaflets were distributed, and large numbers of visitors thus became interested in our Society, its work and literature.

Propaganda.—This department is being well maintained, both at the Sectional Headquarters and by the Lodges, several of whom have organised groups for the distribution of leaflets, etc. Funds have also been collected for placing Education as Service into the hands of school teachers in the Dominion. In addition to this, the Press is regularly supplied with items of Theosophic interest and in several of the Provincial papers a column is devoted to Theosophy each week. So far, the city press has not been so liberal, but articles from the pen of members are more frequent than previously. I regret to have to state that the Clergy still maintain their opposition to the Society, and I have had, on several occasions, to reply to their strictures.

Literary.—The two magazines, Theosophy in New Zealand and The Lotus Buds' Journal, are now produced at Headquarters by the Lotus Press, consisting of a devoted band of volunteer workers. The whole of the type-setting and printing has been undertaken by these members, who have made themselves

efficient compositors and printers. In addition to the magazines the Press has turned out large quantities of pamphlets and leaflets.

National Lecturers.—Miss C. W. Christie and Miss H. Horne have been retained as National Lecturers; the former has visited most of the Lodges, and the latter, after her return from a six months' lecturing tour in the Australasian Section, resumed her work in the Dominion. Both ladies are devoted and enthusiastic workers, and almost invariably attract large audiences te their public lectures. Miss Horne contemplates leaving New Zealand for a two years' stay at Adyar, where she will represent this Section; may she return to her labours here with even greater powers of usefulness and enthusiasm.

Mr. Leadbeater's Visit .- The most noteworthy event of the year was the visit of your respected colleague, Mr C. W. Leadbeater. His campaign commenced at Auckland on July 19th; three public lectures were delivered to audiences of 1,000, many being turned away unable to gain admission. In Wellington and Christchurch, the only other cities where public lectures were delivered, the audiences were not so large; the outbreak of the war, shortly after his arrival in the Dominion, tended to distract public attention, and so reduced the audiences. The members' meetings conducted by Mr. Leadbeater were of more than usual interest, our visitor showing thereat his remarkable versatility to very great advantage; his emphasis on "common sense", and above all his profound knowledge and splendid devotion, impressed all who had the privilege of listening to him. Unfortunately, the war necessitated the curtailment of his tour in New Zealand, and several Lodges on the original itinerary had to be omitted, or to submit to reduction in the time given them.

It is difficult to estimate the precise value of such a visit, since the results do not immediately present themselves; certain it is, however, that those who came within Mr. Leadbeater's influence and found themselves able to sense his power, wisdom and love, all testify to the value thereof and the radical change he has made in their outlook on life.

In conclusion, may I express the hope that all members assembled at Convention at Adyar, may draw nearer to each other, and so strengthen the bonds of fellowship and brother-hood; for fraternity and harmony should ever distinguish those whose good karma has brought them, not only into the great Theosophical Movement, but into the Society, which is the self-conscious centre of the Movement.

That the Power, Wisdom and Peace of the Holy Ones may promote and over-rule all your deliberations, and that Their blessing may rest upon everyone gathered together at Convention, is the wish of

> C. W. Sanders, General Secretary

## REPORT OF THE T. S. IN THE NETHERLANDS

To the President, T. S.—I have much pleasure in submitting to you the Annual Report of the T. S. in the Netherlands for the year 1914, ending October 31st.

During this period we have enjoyed prosperity and growth; all the Lodges and Centres have shown great activity, accomplishing a great deal of useful work.

One new Lodge has been formed at Deventer, which gives us a total of 19. Besides this we have eleven Centres, which we hope will all apply for Lodge charters in course of time.

From the 1st May 1913 to 30th April 1914, 123 new members joined whilst 106 left the Section; from May 1st to October 31st of this year no new members were admitted and 33 dropped out, thus leaving on the 1st of November a total membership of 1,214.

Our monthly periodical, *Theosophia*, which was published by the Theosophical Publishing Society and was discontinued for a year, reappeared in March and is now conducted by the Section.

Propaganda has been carried on as usual by the Lodges and Centres. Since the outbreak of the war the meetings are generally better attended by the public. The members have done a great deal towards helping those who are suffering from the effects of the war.

At our last Convention the General Secretary Dr. A. J. Cnoop-Koopmans resigned his office on account of ill health. During seven years he managed to steer our Theosophical ship in Holland safely through many a storm. His ability and devotion were not always recognised by every member of the Section, but we all undoubtedly owe him our sincere thanks for the way in which he fulfilled his difficult task as leader of the

T. S. in Holland. May the blessing of the Masters be on him for the work he has done.

Another change has been Mr. Fricke's return to Headquarters, and therewith the placing of the E. S. activities in their proper place again.

The Library, which on account of many new acquisitions wanted more space, has been removed to the ground-floor of our building, and occupies now two big rooms, one of which has been arranged as a Reading-Room for the public.

This year there were published fewer books on Theosophy by the Theosophical Publishing Society than usual. The General Council has formed a Committee to report on the best method of drawing the attention of the public to Theosophical literature.

Except one much appreciated visit of Mr. Wedgwood at Christmas, when he gave an interesting talk on the etheric double, no other prominent member from abroad visited our Section.

The presidential re-election has produced a very pleasant and grateful impression, not only because we shall have you at the head of our Society for another period of seven years, but also on account of the great unanimity shown by the members of the T. S.

I close this short summary by offering you, on behalf of the T.S. in the Netherlands, its respectful love and most cordial good wishes for a successful and harmonious Convention.

J. P. W. Schuurman, General Secretary

#### REPORT OF THE T. S. IN FRANCE

To the President, T. S.—I have the honour herewith to present to you a report of the activities of the T. S. in France during the year 1913-4. The outbreak of war and the general mobilisation having stopped all Theosophical work in the strict sense of the word, this report covers only the period from November 1st 1913 to August 1st 1914. Four new Lodges were formed: "L'Union d'Alger" at Algiers, "Egypte", at Port-Said, "Vaillance" at Tarbe, "Apollonius" at Cannes. We admitted 216 new members, but lost by death 20, by transference to other Sections 6, by demission or removal 69, total loss 95, which reduces our total gain to 121 members.

The grand total of our members inscribed on the 1st of August was 1,448. Among those we lost by death we have to mention specially the oldest member of our Section, Commandant Courmes, and Madame Rouseau, our devoted Librarian.

At the meeting of the General Council on March 15th, Mr. Réné André and Mr. A. de Noircarme were elected as Members of the Council instead of Commandant Courmes, who died, and Mr. Morand, whose term expired.

We are very grateful to our beloved President for giving us four days during her last visit to Europe. From 20th to 24th May she gave us two splendid lectures, two E. S. meetings and one special meeting for the consecration of the T. R. C. in France.

The terrible war we have to bear now, in which we are so happy to have as our faithful Allies our brothers of Great Britain, Russia and Belgium, has forcibly suspended all Theosophical work in our country. Our Headquarters has been turned into a home for French and Belgian refugees. All the valid male members joined the Army, and the majority of the valiant ladies are busy with ambulance or relief work. Though there is much

misery and desolation in the invaded countries and the fighting line yet there germinates out of all this misery a beautiful promise for the future. What a splendid revival, what a magnificent efflorescence will purified and reinvigorated Europe not yield in future times! The world will then indeed be ready to receive the Great Teacher and accomplish His Plan.

With a perfect confidence in the near future, the members of the T. S. in France send their greetings to our beloved President and the members in Convention assembled at Adyar, with heart-felt sympathy and brotherly love.

Charles Blech, General Secretary

# REPORT OF THE T. S. IN ITALY

To the President, T. S.—I beg to lay before you the Annual Report of the Italian National Society of the T. S. for the year dating Nov. 1st 1913, to Nov. 1st 1914.

Two new Lodges have been added to our number since our last Report, viz., the "Isis" Lodge in Bari, and the "Andromachus" Lodge in Taormina. So that our total number of Lodges is now twenty-two.

The "Theosophical Centres" on the other hand have during the above period declined from nine to six, the reason being that one (Taormina) has since been converted into a Lodge; another (Derna in Cirenaica) has perforce lapsed, as its members belonging to the Army operations in that country have been transferred elsewhere; and the third (Locarno) has been dissolved because situated beyond the Italian political frontier.

The total membership has risen from 312 to 339 members, of whom 309 are attached to Lodges and 30 independent.

Forty new members joined during the year, while the loss was only 13, of which latter three died and 10 resigned.

Our Society has to record the sad loss it sustained during the year by the death of Mrs. Isabel Cooper-Oakley, to whom so much was owed by the Italian Section for its constitution and organisation at its inception, and during the first active years of its existence. Her memory will always live in the hearts of all members in this country with lasting gratitude.

The various activities of the Lodges have been carried on as usual with quiet regularity, and there are no particular external events to chronicle, which have in any way impeded their normal progress.

The formalities connected with the Presidential election were conducted with regularity during the month of March, and

gave an almost unanimous majority in favour of the re-election of Mrs. Besant as President of the T.S. for a further period of 7 years.

The Annual Convention of the Italian Section for 1914 was held in Genoa on the 9th and 10th of April, with a full representation of members and delegates, and provided an occasion for friendly and harmonious proceedings. The meeting was honoured by the presence of several visitors of other Sections, among whom may be mentioned: Baroness Melline d'Asbeck, Countess Olga von Schack and her sister, and Mlle. Creuze. We had the opportunity of presenting our homage twice this year to our President on her way through Italy to and from England, in April and June respectively. It was not our good fortune to have anything more than this chance of welcoming her as she passed rapidly through this country, owing to her pressing engagements elsewhere, which did not allow of her stopping on the way.

The literary activities of this Section have continued to give satisfactory results also this year, as may be seen from the list of publications issued. The monthly *Bollettino* has also been issued regularly, and has many readers also in other countries. All our books and publications are distributed freely over the country, and particularly to Public and Government Libraries.

The work of our Section, in conclusion, progresses satisfactorily, and is becoming more and more appreciated by public opinion at large.

Since this country, at least up to the present, has not been called upon to take active part in the immense strife of European Nations, the duty of Italian Theosophical members up to now has been limited to giving such moral and material help as is in their power to those who are undergoing suffering under the present condition of affairs.

Fully conscious of the spiritual importance of this great general crisis, we seek to maintain our balance, awaiting with calm serenity the outcome of the future, and putting our trust entirely in the wisdom of Those who guide our human destinies. From the depths of our hearts we send our dutiful and warmest greetings to our President and her collaborators at Headquarters, as also our very best wishes and salutation to all brothers, of whatever nation or race, gathered together in Annual Convention at Adyar.

Prof. O. Penzig, General Secretary

### REPORT OF THE T.S. IN GERMANY

To the President, T. S.—On Whit Sunday, May 31st, and on Monday, June 1st 1914, the Annual Convention of the German Section T.S. took place at Weisser Hirsch, near Dresden, in the rooms of the White Eagle. There were present twenty-eight delegates from all parts of Germany. Dr. (med.) Sixtus von Kapff was elected General Secretary, Mr. Paul Krojanker Assistant and Recording Secretary, Mrs. A. Schiller, Treasurer. The Executive Committee is composed of Frau. A von Sonklar, Countess Olga Schack, Mrs. Virginia Clement and Mr. W. Anders. The elections are valid for one year. It was decided to recognise henceforth the business year of the section from October 1st to September 30th. The Headquarters of the Section is in Berlin.

The membership amounts to 372 and will rise to 380 in a few days. The German Lodges show much activity under serious difficulties. During the course of last winter eight public lectures were held in Berlin, which were all well attended. A lecture with lime-light illustrations given by Dr. Hubbe-Schleiden, in which he spoke of his experiences at Adyar, was much appreciated. This lecture will be given once more during the coming winter. Three new Lodges have been formed in Berlin, and both the new and old Lodges hold regular weekly meetings. In the "Besant" and the "Blavatsky" Lodges, these meetings are opened and closed with music and recitals. On May 4th, Dr. Hübbe-Schleiden opened the new Hamburg Lodge, which has ever since shown much activity and promises well for the future. Again, in the city of Hanover there is much Theosophical work going on. There are three Lodges in this town, united by bonds of perfect harmony, the youngest of which, the Art

Lodge, was founded on October 18th 1913, by Dr. Hübbe-Schleiden. Everywhere in Germany there is an earnest endeavour to spread broadcast the Theosophical teachings.

From June 22nd to July 18th, there was held a Summer School at Weisser Hirsch near Dresden. On the opening day, Mr. Beer and Dr. van Marle spoke of their life and their experiences in Adyar, while the following days were devoted to lectures and discussions. Many friends had come from Austria, Holland, Java, Sweden, Russia and France. We would like to mention, amongst others, Mme, de Manziarly, Paris; Mmes. Ounkovsky and Kamensky, Petersburg; and Mrs. Perk-Joost, Harlem. To all these friends we tender once more our hearty thanks for having contributed so much to the success of our Summer School.

With gratitude and devotion

Paul Krojanker, General Secretary

### REPORT OF THE T. S. IN CUBA

To the President, T. S.—With the most fraternal greetings to the Thirty-ninth Convention, and with the expression of our deepest love and constant loyalty to our beloved President, I have the pleasure of presenting the report of the activities of the T. S. in Cuba during the year which has elapsed since November 1st 1913, to October 31st 1914.

The Cuban Section has continued its usual activities though meeting with more difficulties—difficulties which seem to increase year by year; but we manage to conquer them, thereby preparing ourselves to meet more serious ones, should they arise. It is unquestionable that we have felt greatly helped on account of the unanimous outrush of love towards our President, and the strong feelings of solidarity prevailing between the members of the National Societies and ourselves. We have also felt very encouraged by Mrs. Besant's triumph, and the steady progress seen in the T. S. As will be seen later on, we have several schemes on hand for improving the T. S. work in the Cuban Section.

The re-election of Mrs. Besant is one of the proofs which show clearly what are our feelings towards her. All our members voted spontaneously. There was no electioneering campaign. Not even one electioneering article appeared in our Sectional review, save the official convocation. Some of our members did not vote, but it was because they could not possibly do so for various reasons; if not they would have voted for Mrs. Besant, as subsequent letters have shown. It was a great pleasure to us to know the final result of her re-election, which though expected was no less pleasing, and for which we send Mrs. Besant and the T. S. our heartiest congratulation.

In spite of our internal difficulties our members and Lodges are still on the increase, as can be seen by the following list:

The following Lodges have been chartered between November 1st, 1913, and October 31st, 1914:

Aletheia	at S. Salvador	Republic of	El Salvador
Colombia	at Bogota	"	Colombia
Amor	at Mexico, F. D.	33	Mexico
Unidad	at Banes	,,	Cuba
Quetzalia	at Guatemala	"	Guatemala
Mayab	at Merida	"	Mexico.

"Alcione" and "Adelante" Lodges, of Banes, Cuba, have dissolved, but the majority of their members have joined "Unidad" Lodge, already referred to as a new Lodge.

On this account there are 46 Lodges in the Cuban Section at present.

During the year 169 new members have been enrolled, and 60 have been dropped for the following reasons:

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Died		***	 		3
Resigned			 		3
Transferre	d		 		- 1
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Our present membership is 852, 848 of whom are Lodge members, and the remaining 4 unattached, distributed according to countries as follows:

Cuba		 	 	506
Costa Rica Porto Rico		 	 	100
		 	 	85
Mexico.		 	 	101
Salvador		 	 	24
Venezuela Colombia Guatemala	***	 	 	11
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Unattached		 	 	848
				852

Our propaganda work has continued by means of public lectures, distribution of Theosophical pamphlets, and with the publication of the Revista Teosofica, a monthly review, official organ of the Section, Virya, a quarterly published by "Virya" Lodge of San Jose de Costa Rica, La Estrella de Oriente, a monthly review published by "Ananda" Lodge of Ponce, Porto Rico, and Flores de Loto, another monthly published by "Loto" Lodge of Mexico City.

The Civil War in Mexico and the European War are affecting us considerably, especially financially, but we are endeavouring to subdue these difficulties, and we are trying to keep our minds and hearts free from partisan and national bigotry, trying to understand as far as possible the laws of Karma, considering the sufferings of our brothers in all the contending countries as if they were our own, and sending them our strongest thought-forms of peace and love.

Our plans for the future consist in the dissolution of some Lodges, which have been leading a rather languid sort of existence, transferring some of their members to more active Lodges in the same, or near, localities. This will, of course, diminish our Lodges, and the number of our members will be lessened by about 200. But we believe that, just as a pruned tree springs forth with renewed life, our Cuban Section branch of the T. S. tree will spread with more splendour by this pruning. We have also established a Building Fund to construct our own Headquarters, and we are revising our Constitution and Rules in order to adapt them to our present needs.

In Costa Rica they continue trying to live and spread Theosophy with persevering zeal. They have started the rebuilding of their T. S. Temple, which was burned down last year.

Porto Rico is steadily going along with its usual activities.

The Group in Colombia has already formed the first Lodge in that country.

The first Lodge of the T. S. in Guatemala has been established, and bears the name of Quetzalia. There are hopes as well of founding a Lodge in Managua, capital of the Republic

of Nicaragua. Propaganda work is also going on in the Republics of Honduras and Panama.

There are 6 Lodges in Mexico, 4 of which are doing good work. There are indications of the founding of a Mexican Section or National Society, which would be advised as soon as there are the required number of Lodges really active.

In the Convention of this Section which was held on July 4th last, I was re-elected General Secretary until 1917.

In spite of all obstacles, present and to come, I trust that the zeal of the members of this Section, the fraternal attitude of the members of the T. S., and the protection of Those who guide us, will strengthen us to spread our ideals in these countries, thus laying the foundations of the future progress of the T. S.

In conclusion, I beg to send, in the name of the whole Cuban Section, our best wishes and the expression of the deepest feelings of love, gratitude and respect to all the brothers from all countries, as well as to the beloved President.

> RAFAEL DE ALBEAR, General Secretary

### REPORT OF THE T. S. IN FINLAND

To the President, T. S.—Herewith we have the honour to forward to you the report of the Theosophical work done in Finland during the period from November 1 1913, to October 31 1914.

Presidential Election.—In the beginning of this period information was received about Mrs. Annie Besant being nominated candidate for Presidential election. Voting papers were duly sent to the members, and before the end of March 377 written votes returned, all without exception with yes for Mrs. Besant. Herewith the Finnish National Society showed its affection and loyalty to the President.

Annual Meeting and Summer School.—The Annual Meeting is becoming the focus of our T. S. work. This year it was held from June 21 to 24, 165 members being present.

The General Secretary's report in his opening address of the successful ending of Mrs. Besant's case and her justification was heard with glad feelings, and a congratulatory letter on behalf of the Annual Meeting sent to her. Mr. Pekka Ervast was re-elected General Secretary. The Executive Committee was also re-elected, only instead of Mrs. L. Helle, Mr. Jussi Snellman was appointed. During the Meeting Mr. August Aaltonen, an old labourer, who has many years worked within the Society, was unanimously nominated the first Honorary Member. Also there was laid the foundation of a fund to be increased to a Theosophical Limited Bank, which will support Theosophical institutions, giving to the depositors only 0-20/o.

In connection with the Annual Meeting several artistic and musical performances were given. Foremost of them was the performance of Maurice Maeterlinck's play, Sœur Béatrice,

given on the first evening in our Temple-hall by several of the foremost Finnish dramatic artists, F. T. S., assisted by amateurs. The Annual Meeting was concluded with a beautiful Star meeting, arranged by the National Representative of the O. S. E., Dr. Willie Angervo.

June 25—July 5 were the days of the third Summer School, at which some 40 members were present. Mr. Pekka Ervast delivered a series of lectures on the Heavenly Hierarchies and Their Relation to Man. Other lecturers were Miss H. Jalovaara on Theosophy and Education, Mrs. T. Vuorenjuuri on Art and the Woman-Question, Mr. V. H. Valvanne on the Hindu, Greek, etc., Epics, Mr. J. R. Hannula and Mr. Veikko Palomaa. A special interest was aroused by the lectures on Education, which is indeed a question of the day in such a movement as is ours. A small meditation-group of teachers was formed with the motto: "Let us see God in our pupils."

Lodge and Propaganda Work.—As stated in the last year's report, Mr. Yrjö Kallinen began an organising and lecturing tour on 1st October 1913. He made his tour round Finland in three months, visiting the Lodges and giving public lectures. As a good speaker and a man of clear thought, he did inspiring and fruitful work.

Another uniting effort has been a little handwritten Lodge Bulletin, that has carried to the Lodges all official information. (It is to be noticed, that *Tietaja* is not our official organ).

November 2 1913, was made a "Theosophists' Day," in that the Lodges and Centres at the same hour that day held a public meeting for propagandist aims. It was a successful united effort, and a wave of Theosophical thoughts was that day sent throughout Finland.

During the year lectures have been delivered by Mr. Pekka Ervast in Helsingfors at the autumn and also the spring season. In Helsingfors have lectured also Messrs. V. H. Valvanne and Veikko Palomaa. Dr. Willie Angervo at S. Michel has done very good lecturing work; also other Lodges have arranged

lectures. New Lodges have not been formed for three years, but the old ones are all alive. Dr. J. Sonck at Viitasaar and Mr. J. R. Hannula at Somero are ably leading their studycentres and giving lectures.

The Financial Assistance League arranged this year a bazaar at the Annual Meeting, where things made in the Lodges were sold at good prices, thereby increasing the Propaganda Fund.

Work for Sailors.—Our member Miss Anna Ahman, living at Hull, has done admirable Theosophical work there amongst the poor Finnish sailors visiting Hull. She has held meetings for them, distributed books, and organised a "Thinkers' League of Sailors".

Donations.—One of our members has bequeathed to the Finnish T. S. an insurance of 10,000 Finnish marks (francs). The Headquarters and Temple funds have been monthly supported by some members.

A Visitor.—Last November the Russian General Secretary visited Helsingfors, and gave two beautiful lectures to her Finnish friends. Other visitors have not strayed to our faraway country.

Publications.—The Theosophical Publishing Firm has edited this year 13 publications, out of which 7 are original and 6 translations.

Work of the O. S. E.—The Star Order published last year a fine illustrated Christmas-publication, with Mr. V. H. Valvanne as Editor. It was spread much, more than 5,000 copies being sold.

Membership.—Last year the Finnish members numbered 518. During this year 52 persons have joined, but 47 members having resigned, lapsed or dead, the membership is on 1st November only 523.

Conclusion.—Now the great, but cruel preparations of a New Time are on with the fury of a world-fire. Our little nation has been, till now, allowed to stand aside unarmed and watching. May we hope, that the Theosophical Society will not be rent asunder, but will remain a strong vehicle for the Masters in the moulding of the Future? That is the hope of the Finnish Theosophists.

May you have a good and strengthening Anniversary.

Pekka Ervast, General Sceretary

#### REPORT OF THE T. S. IN HUNGARY

To the President, T.S.—In the name of the Hungarian Society, I have much pleasure in submitting to you our Annual Report, beginning November 1st, 1913, and ending October 31st, 1914, accompanied with our best and sincerest good wishes to you, dear President, and to all our sisters and brothers gathered together for the Thirty-Ninth Convention.

On November the 1st, 1913, we had 166 members, since then 48 new members joined, 8 left, and 2 passed over, giving us a present total of 204 members.

Our Society has suffered a great loss in the passing over of our much respected Mrs. Cooper Oakley, president of our Blavatsky Lodge, and our dear brother Dozso de Szentmariay, president of our Keleti Csillag Star of the East Lodge, former president of the H.T.S. We miss their valuable work very much, and in commemoration of our dear Mrs. Oakley's untiring zeal and continuous effort to forward the work here, we have founded a "Mrs. Oakley Propaganda Fund," which has already published several Theosophical pamphlets.

The Society consists of 11 Lodges, the greater part of which are working. The Society's general meetings were held regularly throughout the year, when lectures were given by our best members, or translations were read from well-known Theosophical books. The meetings above-mentioned being for members only, a course of Sunday propaganda lectures was held besides, until the Society broke up for the summer, when members met socially in an open garden place every Friday for the hot summer months.

Last winter we had the great pleasure of listening to five beautiful lectures, four by Ernst Gorsemann of Berlin, and one by Mrs. C.V. Codd of London.

During the past year, many books have been translated, but, owing to want of funds, only one book, The Masters, has

been published, and four pamphlets, two of which are translations from English, Reincarnation and Social Problem, and Karma, the other two being Korosi Csoma Sandor and Theosophy, and The Theosophist and the War, the original work of our members. To Those who Suffer, by Aimee Blech and the A. B. C. of Theosophy, by Dr. Pascal, will appear in the next few weeks.

Our library has been considerably increased by a legacy of books left to us by Mrs. Oakley, and a generous gift by Miss Carr, who left us for India. Our magazine, Teozofia, is appearing for its third year, and doing much to spread abroad the teaching of Theosophy throughout Hungary, but seems unable to escape financial difficulties.

In May, we left regretfully our old Headquarters, and we move this month to our present address, VIII, Eszterhazy utcza 19, but my address as General Secretary remains the same VI, Andrassy ut, 71. This last summer's work was greatly upset by the sad outbreak of war, but as soon as it was possible, the members formed a meditation group, that by their united thoughts they might help to strengthen those whose duty called them to seemingly break the law of love, and to send comforts to the sufferers and mourners left behind.

In spite of the present turmoil and suffering, we have thought it our duty to take care that the work of the T.S. should continue unbroken, thus we have our regular Friday meetings.

In conclusion, we send a message of brotherhood and love to all our brothers and sisters from all parts of the world, assuring them that the troubles, which are at present dividing one nation against another, can only strengthen in us, as Theosophists, the tie which all earnest seekers for truth must feel one towards another.

To you personally, beloved President, we express our deep love and devotion, and assure you of the great joy we feel to know that we are still to have you for another seven years at our head, to inspire and direct our Society in its great undertakings.

> ROBERT NADLER, General Secretary

### REPORT OF THE T.S. IN RUSSIA

To the President, T. S.—The T. S. in Russia sends to the President the expression of its reverent love and loyalty. It sends also to the brethren assembled at the Convention its fraternal greeting. We began our year with 294 members and we end it with 378 (8 having resigned, 1 passed away); the net increase is 84 members.

The event of the closing year has been the opening of a new branch in Yalta (Crimea). It is the sixth branch officially opened and recognised by the authorities. But although the formalities were all made and the work had begun, difficulties arose with the local authorities, and the branch has been since obliged to remain in a way "dormant". Yet 3 public lectures were organised there, and 3 regular meetings (one open to outsiders) took place. The Yalta branch has 18 members and a very able and energetic President, Mme. Sophia Tatarinoff.

All our branches and centres (in 7 towns) have been working actively. Many members have made lecturing tours: the Vice-President, Dr. P. Timofeevsky, Mme. St. Pissareff, Mlle C. Helmboldt, M. A. Molovime, M. Kufinine, Mme. E. Radzevitch and the General Secretary. Mlle Margaret Kamensky visited 11 towns and gave public lectures on India with magic lantern illustrations. The General Secretary visited the branches and distant centres and opened the new branch in Yalta. She went also to Finland and gave a public lecture in Helsingfors. In the spring the General Secretary and Mme. Ounkovsky went abroad. On their way to England, they lectured twice in Koenigsberg, and on their way home, in July, they made a 10 days' stay in Weisser Hirsch, near Dresden, lecturing several times at the meetings of the new International Theosophical Summer School.

The chief events of the year have been:

The purchasing of a piece of land on the shore of the Black Sea with the hope of building there a Theosophical Sanatorium.

The starting of a small Sectional magazine, which will give all details of the T. S. work to members and which appears not monthly, but occasionally. It is called: News of the T. S. in Russia. It has already appeared 3 times. We hope that by-and-bye all members will subscribe.

The division of T.S. work in Petrograd between sections and groups, the sections being open to all members, and the groups (lodges) to active members only, who must prepare at least one paper during the year and observe strictly the rules. For the section the work is more intellectual, and much time is given to discussion. In the group the work is more of a spiritual character: a short paper is read, then follows a quiet talk, and the meeting ends, as it begins, with meditation.

A large public meeting held in Petrograd by the T. S. in memory of Mme. Anna Filotofoff, to which were invited the representatives of all the movements in which she took part. This evening included a lecture on the "Beauty of the Soul," by the General Secretary, and beautiful musical illustrations with pictures (magic lantern). It was a great success and the whole press reported it with enthusiasm.

The organisation of a new type of public lecture: a lecture accompanied by 2 or 3 speeches prepared on the same matter by different members, so as to give the subject from different aspects. (5 of such lectures were delivered in Petrograd, 1 in Moscow.)

Foundation of a League of Joy, which joined our Order of Service.

This year our lecturers have been invited to lecture on Theosophy by different Societies (the Vegetarian Society, the Women's Club, the Educational Association, the Society of Art and Literature, the Art Club).

The new season begins amidst many difficulties and complications. Our work will run this year less on the surface, but so much the deeper. Although the heaven is covered with dark clouds, we know that behind the clouds there is the ever radiant Sun and so we look forward with faith and hope, striving to be faithful knights in this time of stress, worthy of the trust that has been given to them as the messengers of Theosophy, the messenger of the New Age.

We send our love and brotherly greeting to beloved India.

Anna Kamensky,

General Secretary

# REPORT OF THE T. S. IN SOUTH AFRICA

To the President, T. S.—It is with pleasure that the T. S. in South Africa again greets Mrs. Besant as President. The election has past and gone, and notwithstanding the efforts in some quarters to cast discredit on her fair name and to alienate those who believed in her, and in spite of the work done against her in South Africa by residents and by the circulation of printed matter, yet in company with the Fellows in other parts of the world the majority voted for her re-election, so that it was with rejoicing that the cablegram announcing her re-election by a large majority was received. The troubles through which the Society has passed caused the withdrawal of a few names from the roll, but has strengthened the confidence of the others.

South Africa is a difficult country to work, not only as a Theosophical field but for the cultivation of any other work which has for its object the ultimate good of humanity and which cannot offer immediate returns in wealth or power; but because it is thus difficult the more reason for those who feel the call of the higher to labour diligently to alter the state of affairs now existing.

Then the population is of a very shifting character; people move from town to town a great deal, and also from the country itself, so that it is difficult to make a lasting impression, or to get what may be termed a continuing body to work upon.

Besides these general difficulties the country has been through severe labour troubles, resulting in strikes and the proclamation of martial law on two occasions; and no sooner had it begun to recover from the effects of these than, with the rest of the Empire, it is involved in this disastrous war, which has seriously shaken the Union, in that certain men holding His Majesty's Commission have gone over to the Germans in German

South-West Africa, and with their section of our army have fought against their own countrymen, necessitating once more the proclamation of martial law and the calling out for active service a large number of our men, and generally disorganising work of all kinds, in consequence of which the Society must also in outward appearance suffer.

Of course we know that eventually the result will be the turning of men's minds to matters other than the merely material, and the bringing in of the time when competition shall give place to co-operation, and men shall have more time for study and thought and the betterment of their lives.

Generally the opposition to Theosophical teaching seems to be decreasing, due possibly to the fact that people are finding that members of the Society are able to do good work in efforts to improve conditions, and because they are learning that many of the teachings are quite consistent with the advanced thought of the day, being very freely written and talked about.

The question of defining what should be included in the Theosophical programme and what excluded has caused a little difficulty, but by keeping ever before the members the three principles of our society and by allowing free scope to individuals to work as they thought fit, no great trouble has arisen under this head.

The inquiry for Theosophical literature is on the increase, and were it possible to find out it would perhaps come as a surprise to know the large amount of reading along these lines.

On going into figures we find that during the year we have added 56 Fellows to the roll, and have lost by resignation 7, by suspension 20, by transfer to other sections 3 and by death 2, a total of 32 making the net increase 24, which added to the numbers given in last report gives us a total of 263.

Two new Lodges have been chartered: one in the suburbs of Cape Town, which is not expected to increase very rapidly, the population being small, the other at Salisbury in Rhodesia, which has shown its vigorous life by considerable increase in its numbers since its inception.

Our members are taking their part in outside activities, and though such work may not bring the Society publicly before others, yet it affords opportunities for quietly introducing our aims and objects and so the leaven is working.

We shall enter upon another year with renewed hope and encouragement, knowing that the upheavals and disruptions will prepare the way for better things, and it is our desire that at this Convention plans may be formulated for meeting the increased scope of the Society, which will be open after the settlement of the present difficulties.

Wishing you increased wisdom and strength,

C. E. Nelson, General Secretary

#### REPORT OF THE T. S. IN SCOTLAND

To the President, T. S.—In submitting the Annual Report of the Theosophical Society in Scotland, I have also much pleasure in congratulating you, our President, and ourselves on your re-election. That Scotland strongly appreciates having at the head of our Society one who has ever been the champion of free and independent thought is shown by the election figures for this section—272 for, and 2 against. The latter figure, as one member complacently remarked, made us feel we had a real election!

The year 1913-14 has added two Lodges, Giffnock and Uddingston, the result of work done by the Glasgow Lodges, and one Centre, Douglas Water. The membership in Scotland now stands at 455, a net gain of 41 during the past year.

The Fourth Annual Convention, presided over by yourself, was a great source of joy and strength to the National Society. All the Lodges were well represented, and the most distant were thus enabled to share in the impetus to the common life given by your inspiring presidency, and the presence of the visitors from other Sections—American, Indian, English, Russian and Austrian.

During your brief stay in Scotland an immense amount of valuable work was done; the public lectures given in S. Andrew's Hall, Glasgow, and in the new Usher Hall, Edinburgh, and the visitors' meetings in both cities aroused a widespread interest which we are endeavouring to follow up with quiet and steady propaganda. The Edinburgh Theosophical Library, and the growing Lodge Libraries, the sectional magazine and the Theosophical bookshops in Edinburgh and Glasgow are doing their share. The Lodges have interchanged lectures, and we have had the pleasure of welcoming from England Miss Clara

Codd, Mr. Theodore Bell, and Mr. Leonard Bosman, who by their valuable lecture tours have greatly assisted our own lecturers in the propaganda field.

In conclusion let me assure you that our warm interest and most affectionate thoughts will be with you and our Indian and other brethren at Convention, and that we look forward to welcoming you again as soon as circumstances permit.

D. Graham Pole, General Secretary

## REPORT OF THE T. S. IN SWITZERLAND

To the President, T. S .- With respectful greetings to our beloved and revered President and our brothers in India assembled in Convention, the Swiss Section expresses its ardent wishes that once more Peace may come from the East to enlighten and console the West. In looking backwards, to give an account of the proceedings of the Swiss Section during the past year, one is bound to forget for an instant the horrors of the present moment. It is taking refuge in a sanctuary for the protection of that Light which H. P. B. brought to us. For every Section of the T. S. forms a magnetic centre, whose light is reverberating through the cavities of space, dispelling the darkness which still encloses the earth. Never more than in this year did we feel the sharp contrast between the inhumanity of man and his inherent divinity. The great struggle of the European Powers brought to light all the bestiality still existing in humanity. But over and above all the miseries of this War, the Powers of Light send out the golden flash of the New Day, the Dawn of Liberation. Since the beginning of 1914, we have been surprised to see that, notwithstanding all our strenuous efforts and the public lectures of our General Secretary on Esoteric Christianity, given in the Aula of the University of Neuchatel, which attracted large audiences, there came no response; there was a stagnation which reduced our activities to a state of inertia. The entrance of new members stopped, the voice of Theosophy found no echo, strange symptoms of defections appeared where we never expected them, and divisions arose created by silent animosity. These were no doubt the signs and forebodings of the evils contained in the astral cloud, the effects of which were felt before the causes thereof were visible.

Our Section, which had last year 188 members, has now 210 as total number: 29 unattached and 181 Lodge members, divided over the 9 Lodges of Geneva, the Lodges of Lausanne and Neuchatel, the Centre at Chaux-de-Fonds. No new Charters have been issued this year; 34 new members have asked for admission, to whom we have to add 4 members transferred from other Sections, which makes a total of 38 new members. We lost 17 members: 2 passed away, 1 was transferred to another Section, 14 resigned—a total gain of 21.

The Order of the Star increased its membership this year by 48, making a grand total of 186. The Round Table and the Golden Chain increased their membership.

Two new Orders of Service have been formed: "The Servants of the Star," which is just beginning and "La Ligue des Serviteurs Suisses" (the Order of the Servants of Switzerland), destined to serve as a Centre of Union in our small country. Switzerland is in fact a Confederation of small States of four different races, four different languages, and multifarious religious donominations. She has in a small way put into practice the Union of Nations; she forms the embryonic State of the United States of Europe in the future. This idea, which was last spring but a secret wish, has now became a universal aspiration, embodied in our device 700 years old: "One for all, all for one."

"The Order of the Servants of Switzerland" demands nothing more of its members than a weekly meditation in common, when they are asked to send out "thoughts of intense Love for the Motherland, the Brotherhood of Man and the Unity of Mankind"; thus by the marvellous and invincible power of thought the Servants of Switzerland will show themselves worthy of the task of working for the welfare of Motherland and Humanity. We hope that this Centre of Union will radiate such a force that it will create a real and strong Centre of Peace in the world's turmoil. May Switzerland prove worthy of the privileges given to her; may our small Section continue to unfold more and more the flying banner of Theosophy. Only the fundamental laws of Karma and Reincarnation can give us a

little relief in the present calamities, by giving us some insight into the intricacies of the working of karma. So we begin to see more and more the necessity of forming groups for meditation, holding meetings for beginners, giving informal talks open to all to spread these ideas, besides the official work of the Lodges. Though the times are very difficult and the actual circumstances very painful, yet we see the dawning of better times. We are sure Theosophical work will become easier after the falling of the shackles which impeded progress. May the New Year inaugurated by this Convention give the signal to a new era, may we all by our labours and devotion help in the lifting of the heavy karma of the world. Our last word is the expression of gratitude to all our brothers assembled in Convention, of homage and deep appreciation to her, whose re-election as Head of the T. S. filled us with joy.

Helene Stephani, General Secretary

## REPORT OF THE T. S. IN BELGIUM

To the President, T. —In the October number of The Theosophist, you kindly expressed concern regarding the Secretary of the T. S. in Belgium. I beg to let you know that some Belgian members, including Mr. Jean Delville and myself, left Brussels, and later Belgium, before the German invasion.

Since that time, I am without any news from my relatives, and from my brethren of the T. S. I cannot go back to Brussels, or could I do so, I should not be able to leave again. All I know, by neutrals coming from Belgium and from the newspapers, is that Brussels is on the brink of starvation, that the whole of Belgium has become a vast heap of ruins, a huge shambles, that, if a few towns have not yet been ransacked and destroyed, they will be doomed to destruction when the enemy is obliged to retire; Brussels, for instance, has been entirely mined.

Nine people on ten are now entirely destitute; almost every mother will have to deplore the loss of a son, and many parents the loss of daughters, many children the loss of mothers and fathers, for most of the invading hordes behaved as beasts, killing and profaning anyone and anything they found on their way.

I believe that, (except perhaps in the Jewish history) there never has been an example of such utter destruction wrought on an innocent nation, as now on the Belgians. As regards the Prussian nation and army, scientifically organised as it is for wholesale plunder, murder, burning, profanation and destruction, must it not be considered as a soulless body, deprived of all divine spark, like the Margrave of Lytton's Strange Story, or like the soulless man described in the Secret Doctrine? For us Belgians, it will be hard to think of, very hard not to look at,

the Prussian soldier, with the same abhorrence and dismay with which we should look at a ravening beast of prey.

Poor Belgium! how is it that it has been so cruelly punished for having believed in the might of Right, for not having forfeited her honour, for having relied on the pledge of other nations?

We all try to hope that soon will come, with the Great Teacher, the advent of Peace and Joy. But how difficult it seems to found love on hatred, joy on lears, peace on anger!

> Gaston Polak, General Secretary

# REPORT OF THE T. S. IN THE NETHERLANDS-INDIES

To the President, T. S.—The T. S. in the Dutch East Indies sends its best feelings of brotherhood to the President and to the members of the T. S., and to the Convention assembled.

Propaganda, Yearly Convention.—The number of the Lodges remained the same, ten in all. Each of them regularly proceeded with the work, classes, groups, lectures; advertisements and insertions in the papers went on as usual. The sphere of influence has expanded. People who were not at all interested in Theosophy, or rather afraid of having anything to do with it, are now showing more friendly feelings. The general press—sectarian papers excepted—are willing to publish elaborate reports of our Theosophical movements. The ideas expressed in our own publications are often reproduced or referred to in the dailies.

On the whole we are glad to state that the T. S. has a better standing in general appreciation. No doubt much good has been done in this respect by our much abused elder brother, Mr. C. W. Leadbeater. Having had the privilege of seeing him in our Lodges, the members could not but become strengthened in their trust and devotion, which necessarily reacted on the public in general as well. Numbers of people joined during and after his stay. His clear and lucid way of explaining difficult points, and above all his urging to use common sense in all problems concerning occult studies, have done much to arouse interest and incite personal research.

The Theosophical Congress which gathered in Buitenzorg, where a memorial building to the late Director of the Botanical Gardens, Prof. Treul, had kindly been put at our disposal for the meetings, proved to be a great success. Most of the lectures were given by Mr. Leadbeater himself to a good audience of Theosophists, who had come from different parts of Java and

Sumatra. A good many Javanese members and some Chinese also attended the meetings. An old native air was chanted, accompanied by a ketjapi (kind of vina) and a Javanese shadow-play (chhāya-nataka), forming a part of the old Majapart tradition, was performed.

The Theosophical teachings are doing much good in arousing again the true Hindu spirit among the Javanese, which has long been dormant, but is nevertheless still very strong under the veil of Islam.

Javanese Islam itself indeed is nothing else but Akbar's Theosophy, the Ātma-Vidyā, transposed in Arab terminology. Hinduism and Islam are wedded together in Java. Bigotry and narrowness are absent from the genuine Javanese Gurus, many of whom are quite friendly to Theosophy, some even having joined our ranks. The Javanese Islam is an Islam of peace, not of war. This peaceful tendency has happily mitigated until now the influence of the big Muhammadan Association, Sirkat Islam, of which mention was made in the last year's report. The World-Teacher whose advent is expected in Javanese circles, quite outside the range of the Order of the Star in the East, is awaited as a Prince of Peace, the King of Righteousness (Ratu 'Adil).

In order to reach the population at large with our Theosophical teachings, plans have been made to perambulate the country for the sale of Theosophical books written in vernaculars,

Another idea for propaganda, which has already proved to be successful, is the delivering of lectures in towns or villages situated to the north, east, south, and west of places where exists a Lodge. In this way the sphere of influence has been greatly enlarged.

Publications.—The four monthlies published by the Section are regularly appearing; the vernacular monthly only has been handicapped a little by the difficulties in connection with the Sirkat Islam and other movements, which made some prudence necessary. A daily in Malay, bearing the name of Pennitray, which means "Association," was published under the editorship

of an F.T.S., and in the Indonerian printing office, installed at Gunungsari 28, Weltevreden, Java, by some members of the T.S. It has done good work in promoting the ideals of Peace and general Brotherhood, furthering the interests of coolies in the tobacco estates of Delhi, and working for mutual understanding of the Javanese, Chinese and Dutch parts of the population. This paper is already paying its way, having found a good number of readers throughout the Archipelago.

Affiliated Movements and Kindred Activities.-The "Order of the Seven M's," which has for object abstinence from strong drink, opium-eating, gambling, adultery, calumny, fraud and gluttony, is winning ever more Javanese youths for its banner. These "practical ethics" prove to be more effective than vague preaching. Recently, the Association of Javanese Regents (the highest Javanese officials) has approached the Government with a plea for prohibition of the sale of strong drinks to Javanese. The Javanese people is proverbially sober, but the bad example of the Dutch is doing much evil in promoting the use and abuse of liquors at feasts and celebrations, in the same way as the Chinese example has introduced opiumeating in some parts of the island. It is not likely Government will as yet go so far as prohibiting the sale of liquors and opium (the Chinese members of the T. S. are earnestly advocating such a prohibition as well), but the general feeling is helping the cause of temperance, and the example of complete abstinence given by the members of the Order of the Seven M's has a very good effect.

The war against prostitution has also begun. A Javanese Society, "Madjee Kamulyan" (Ethical Progress), has been founded for this purpose. Another Society, "Ati sutji" (Pureness of heart), has been founded, not with an object to fight anything, but to give aid and assistance to all victims of female slave traffic, prostitution, etc. It is understood that each class of the population will have its own shelter: for Christian girls the Society is in connection with the Salvation Army; for Muhammadans, Javanese members in several places have opened their houses; for Chinese victims, some Chinese families have

been found willing to put ethics into practice. The Government hospitals and surgeons are giving medical assistance as far as this is needed.

The Educational Movement is steadily going on. A report of the unsectarian "Teachers' College" at Gunungsari, Weltevreden, founded by the Society "Association of East and West," is accompanying this paper. Kartini-schools for Javanese girls have been founded in five or six places, each of them now already has over one hundred pupils, though only the lower standards have as yet been formed.

The biggest enterprise is a movement for the erection of a University in Java, which idea is promoted by the "Indische University Varifying". Awaiting the Government's action in this respect (the Dutch Government is not easily moved, but once commencing it will see the thing thoroughly through), several classes for grown-up people have been formed under the auspices of the said association, e.g., in Greek and Latin, judicial matters, etc. I myself am conducting a class in Samskrit Grammar, for which purpose a handbook is in course of publication. Widya-pustaka is quietly proceeding with its work of collecting and sorting out manuscripts. At the request of Dr. O. Schrader, an investigation is being made as to the existence of a Bhagavad-Gitā text in old Balinese cadjanmanuscripts, which fact had been alluded to by a Brahmana from Hindustan, who paid a flying visit to the Archipelago. I was happy enough to secure a Bhishma-parva in old-Javanese, containing well-known shlokani from the original, with commentary in Javanese. The Order of the Star in the East is steadily growing. It now numbers above 800 members from all strata of the population. It only needs more propaganda to become a big movement, as everybody is eager to hear about the expectations of the Order, and the book, At the Feet of the Master. Some more blue-prints have appeared, now numbering 23 pamphlets. The latest publication is a metrical Javanese translation of At the Feet of the Master. For the benefit of the Order of the Star in the East, a booklet appeared under the title, Recover thy Self, by M.

The Karma and Reincarnation Legion, established a branch in Java after the visit of Baronne Vijburg van de Hel. It has set to work with much activity, and will do useful service in preparing the world for Theosophical thought, by spreading some knowledge of the fundamental teachings of Karma and Rebirth.

I beg to remain, with cordial good wishes for the growth of our beloved Society and the spreading of the beneficial influence of Theosophy,

> D. VAN HINLOOPEN LABBERTON, General Secretary

## REPORT OF THE T. S. IN BURMA

To the President, T. S.—I have the pleasure of submitting to you the report of the Theosophical Society in Burma for the year ending 30th September, 1914.

At the same time on behalf of the Burma Section T. S. I. I offer the assurance of our loyalty to and confidence in you—our revered President—and our fraternal greetings to the members assembled at the Convention. The news of your re-election as President for another period of seven years was received with great joy.

Lodges.—We commenced our year with seven Lodges on the rolls. Two new Lodges—Pegu and Bassein—were formed. The Lodge at Meiktila became dormant, on account of the transfer of some of its active members. We have now eight Lodges. The Centre at Myittha has made good progress and the necessary papers to form a Lodge are now with me. In addition to Rangoon and Mandalay—the two important centres of Theosophy in the Province—Pyinmana, Maymyo and Bassein have also organised regular weekly meetings and classes for the study of Theosophical teachings. Captain Hart and Mr. K. R. Naidu have organised a Theosophical Reading Club at Bhamo. This Club is doing good work.

Members.—The year commenced with 157 members on the rolls. 50 new members have joined, 2 transferred from India, 2 died and 1 resigned, 6 dropped and 1 was transferred to India. The net gain in strength is 43, and consequently we closed the year with 200 members on our rolls. These 200 members consist of 143 Lodge members and 57 unattached. Our unattached members are practically scattered all over the Province, and are gradually introducing Theosophy in different

centres of Burma. Mr. Baggs at Akyab, Maung Pe at Yamethin, and Mr. Fowle and Maung Shu Bwe at Tavoy have been steadily working for the cause of Theosophy, and it is expected that strong Centres of the T. S. will soon be formed at these places. We also expect a Centre to be soon formed at Toungoo, where U Pe and Maung Po San are working for the cause of the T. S.

Workers.—Captain Carter of the Rangoon Lodge has been spreading Theosophy by distributing Theosophical books and pamphlets at all places he visited. His work was very successful at Akyab, and he thus helped Mr. Baggs in furthering the cause of Theosophy there. Mr. Shaw took special interest in spreading Theosophy amongst the Burmese people. By his efforts, five Burmese ladies, who are members of the Rangoon Lodge, with the co-operation of Bro. Moung Thain Moung, have organised themselves into a group for the study of Theosophy in Burmese. Weekly meetings are held regularly and the attendance is satisfactory.

The Burma Section has lost in Maung San U a most valuable and trusted worker by his untimely death. He was Joint General Secretary, and did practically all the work of the Sectional Office.

In Mandalay Bro. Sheo Prasad has been very successful in getting Theosophical books sold at the railway station. In the course of four months books to the value of Rs. 120 were sold.

Sectional Organ.—The Message of Theosophy was regularly published. Bhikkhu Silacara contributed five of a series of eight articles on "The Noble Eightfold Path". When the whole series on this subject is completed, it will be published in a book-form as the third part of a textbook on Buddhism—the first two parts, viz., "The Four Noble Truths" and "Pancha Sila" having been published in book-form already. A most practical lecture by Mr. Leadbeater on "The Noble Eightfold Path" was published verbatim as delivered to the Burmese ladies at Moulmein.

There are 78 subscribers to the Sectional Organ who are not members of the Society. Bro. S. Muniswamy was in charge of the distribution of the journal.

Finance.—The financial condition of the Burma Section is fairly satisfactory. The income during the year amounted to Rs. 3,206 and the expenditure to Rs. 3,439-6-9.

Propaganda.—(a) General. Bro. M.S. Iyer and myself visited all the Lodges, some of them twice and some thrice. The book At the Feet of the Master in Burmese has been received with much appreciation by the Burmese Buddhists. The Book Depot has done as usual much useful work during the year in spreading the teachings of Theosophy by the sale of books. The Smaller Buddhist Catechism, compiled by Mr. Leadbeater and translated from the Sinhalese by Mr. C. Jinarajadasa, M.A. (Cantab.), was translated into Burmese by the Asoka Lodge, Pyinmana, and it is now in the press.

- (b) Circulating Library. All the five boxes of this library with Theosophical books arranged in a course of systematic study have been out during the year. At Katha and Akyab our members and sympathisers are working to establish centres by lending books on Theosophy to those who are interested in such subjects.
- (c) Visitors. Miss Banks of the H.P.B. Lodge, London, visited Rangoon and Mandalay, and we cannot forget the pleasant memories of her presence amongst us. We also had a visit from our revered teacher, Mr. C. W. Leadbeater. He arrived in Burma on the 23rd February, 1914, and left Rangoon for Singapore, en route for Java, on the 12th March. During this fortnight's tour in Burma he visited Rangoon, Moulmein, Pegu, Mandalay, Maymyo and Pyinmana. He delivered in all 27 public lectures. Two lectures were translated into Burmese to an audience of Burmese ladies and Buddhist monks. Mr. Leadbeater further held 5 E. S. meetings, 5 Question and Answer meetings, and 2 meetings of "The Order of the Star in the East". His lectures were very practical, and most inspiring to the members in their aspirations for a higher and spiritual life. His explanations as to how Reincaranation and the Law of Karma work have opened the eyes of the hearers, and many difficulties on the subject have been met by such lucid exposition, which he said was the result of his recent investigations, in collaboration with our revered

President, Mrs. Besant, into the past lives of some important

personages.

Sectional Headquarters.—During the year a committee of twelve members were appointed to appeal for funds to purchase a suitable site for the Sectional Headquarters and to erect the necessary buildings thereon. A sum of Rs. 60,000 will secure both these essential requirements. Up to the 30th September, 1914, a sum of Rs. 3,234 was collected on this account. A sum of Rs. 750 was paid by the Co-Masonic Lodge, for a site measuring 100 feet by 100 feet, to construct a Temple. With a loan of Rs. 3,000 from a brother a garden site, measuring 3:40 acres, together with a small wooden building thereon have been purchased on the 19th September for Rs. 6,450.

Subsidiary Activities. The four schools initiated by the Rangoon T. S. in 1905 have passed during the year into the hands of the "Burma Educational Trust," formulated by Mr. B. Cowasjee. The Rangoon T. S. appoints 50 per cent of its members of management. If the body ceases to exist, the property returns to the Society.

During the year, the Burma Section Council considered the best way by which the value of Theosophy and its Teachings can be impressed on Burmese Buddhists. They have come to the conclusion that, as in Ceylon, we should also organise schools for Burmese boys and girls. As a beginning, a boarding school for boys and another for girls should be opened and attached to the Sectional Headquarters at Thingangyun. The necessity for religious and moral education, side by side with secular instruction, was fully recognised. For this purpose another site, measuring approximately 3 acres, adjoining the Sectional Headquarters will be secured.

We have been sending of late some of our children to be trained at Benares. When they return, inspired by devotion to Service, it is necessary that we should have a field prepared and ready for their work.

Maymyo has already taken on hand the question of starting a school, and in Henzada, Mandalay, Pyinmana and Moulmein several of our members have taken active part in local educational activities, either as teachers or as members of the managing body.

General.—Burma has now under training at Benares eight boys and one girl, who will take in their own time our places in the T. S. We have another 3 girls who will join in January next. This preparation for the future is one of the most important branches of our activities.

The Blavatsky Lodge, Maymyo, completed its own building which provides accommodation for a meeting hall and a library. Pyinmana and Mandalay are still on the look out for a suitable site. Owing to several reasons, it was not possible during the year to take advantage of the concession made by our revered President to put up a building in Adyar for the Burma delegates who may visit the place from time to time. We hope to make some definite progress in this direction during the current year.

In conclusion, I would like to bring to the notice of the Convention that the mental and moral hardships that our revered President and our revered Mr. Leadbeater have undergone during the last two years have only served to increase our love and devotion towards our leaders. May the blessings of the Guardians of Humanity grant them the strength and power to guide the Theosophical ship to its appointed destination.

Moung Thain Moung, General Secretary

## REPORT OF THE T. S. IN AUSTRIA

To the President, T. S.—I have the honour to present to you the Second Annual Report of the T.S. in Austria, and to express on behalf of our Section the greatest joy and gratitude at your re-election as our President. We greet our brothers in Convention assembled as heartily as ever, notwithstanding the tumult of the War.

Our small band would have eventually doubled its membership this year, if the scourge of war was not upon us, but now we can only report 160 active members, whose addresses and contributions we will send in as soon as normal conditions are again restored. We lost 6 members by resignation, including the 2 Vice-Presidents; 4 were transferred to other National Societies. The meetings were held as before regularly every Monday from 7-9 at the hospitable home of Mrs. Von Luckeneder, in the Mansion of the Sovereign Knights of Malta. From October till end of May the meetings were drawing large audiences which made the work of our Society widely known. On Wednesday and Saturday we held our study-classes in the beautiful new Headquarters (Theresianumgasse 12). Man and At the Feet of the Master were taken for study by 12-20 members. On Friday we have our E. S. meetings in a room of Headquarters which is unique in its artistic decorations. The Lodge in Trieste is very active under its trusted old leader Mr. Grant A. Greenham; in fact he managed to gain the attention of the Press, which is really a great feat in this orthodox country.

In Warnsdorf, also, Theosophical life is pulsing strongly again through the efforts of our friend from Adyar, Mr. Oscar Beer, coming from that centre of spirituality which prompts as all to lead the spiritual life. Warnsdorf lies practically in

Bohemia, but the President of the Bohemian National Society ceded the Lodge to us, as the members are all Germans or pure Czechs. Miss Winter represents there now our friend from Adyar, who was called to serve his country.

In Vienna, the winter activities are just now beginning; some of our officials were busily engaged in inducing the authorities to release the undersigned from a long detention in a romantic castle on the Adriatic, where he was kept prisoner as an English spy. Not at all aware of the imminent danger, he was in fact quite absorbed in the translation of The Other Side of Death, Introduction to Yoga and Ways to Perfect Health. He was there with the new Vice-President, Dr. Friedrich Wehofer, so well known under the pseudonym of F. Feerhow. Two of these books are already in the hands of the binder. The publication of these books by Fernau and Altmann Lipzig will give some compensation for the stopping of the Theosophical activities this autumn. Only a few of us meet now weekly in Headquarters. Our Treasurer, Mr. Paul Luckeneder, sent in a nice sum of money to the War Fund in the name of the T. S., before he left for his regiment in the Dragoons. The Library now contains 350 books. Some 50 books were regularly in circulation among earnest students. This eagerness to read is a great improvement on last spring. The Carnegie card-system was here introduced by Mr. H. Colonna of New Zealand, and saved our Library from the losses which were before rather heavy.

The new Theosophical Monthly for Germany and Austria, the Theosophisches Streben (Theosophical Endeavour), is sent free to all members, though the contribution to the Austrian T. S. is only Kr. 4.—that is 33. The Editor, Mr. Director Lauweriks, Hagen in Westphalen, may be congratulated for the efficient outer garb and precious inner contents of our official organ, which is highly conducive to the growth of our movement. The first six numbers are a true representative illustration of German thoroughness.

The Summer School in Weisser Hirsch, near Dresden, gives proof of a truly international labour of love. There stayed here, till July this year, Frenchmen, Russians, Englishmen and

Belgians, in the greatest peace and happiness, right in the centre of Germany, when the War suddenly dispersed them.

May Peace grant us the privilege to meet again next year at the World-Congress of the Theosophical Society in Paris. We hope then also to receive, as the most precious prize of Peace, the visit of our revered President in Vienna.

John Cordes, General Secretary

#### REPORT OF THE T. S. IN NORWAY

To the President, T. S .- Another year has escaped, for the Norwegian Section its first. And it has been a year full of struggle, fights and difficulties at almost every point of the work. Every new start in a special branch has passed through the attempts of being blown up by retiring powers. We hope however that this trying introduction perhaps may serve to fix the roots of the sectional germ firmer in its soil, and that even if the karmic attempts should succeed in their destroying sports, it might happen according to the law of development which sometimes cuts down to the root in order to have a fresh growth from perhaps one single seed-bud left. So everything rests with you and those others who give the growth, and not with us, the labourers. Of new literary undertakings a modest Sectional organ, a Theosophical journal, is fighting its way perhaps to success, or perhaps only like a soap-bubble, in short time to vanish. Likewise a small Lotus paper for Norwegian and Danish children has been published, edited by the young Comtesse Marie Bille Brahe Selby and Mrs. Olga Knudsen, but has, because of the present political crisis, difficulty in getting sufficient subscribers. With this exception, the literary work has limited itself to the publication of the Riddle of Life and of Mysticism. No original books have appeared this year. A branch of Dr. Weller van Hook's International Reincarnation Legion has been founded by Mrs. Undseth, and tries to spread the idea through the Press.

Of the institutions working within the T. S., the R. C. T. is flourishing under the guidance of the Countess Bille Brahe Selby. The R. C. T. is promising to become a uniting tie between the Scandinavian countries. At our last meeting we thus had the pleasure of seeing Miss Betty Westerlund here in

Kristiania; she was initiated a Templar. The Countess is the heart of the whole. With never-failing energy she makes the journey from Denmark to Kristiania each second month, to preside at the meeting of Scandinavian members. In connection with these gatherings, the foreign members are kind enough to give public lectures; the R. C. T. very effectively serves as a means of uniting and spreading the common good among all.

The Section counts at present 246 members against last year at its beginning 226. One new Lodge has been started, the Philos-Lodge in Kristiania. But as this was only a fresh start of members previously belonging to the Kristiania Lodge it has not added to the number on the general rolls. Little has been done this year. Much of what we hoped last year would have succeeded in completing itself at once, has been lying perfectly dormant, especially our great building scheme.

Yet if there are disappointments, we have also that which encourages. I beg to add a note about the general attitude of the interest of the general public towards Theosophy. The interest and respect for the teaching are constantly growing. At our University, Professor Christian Ihlen is lecturing to the students each Thursday forenoon on modern Mysticism, which he defines as Theosophy, Spiritism, and Christian Science. Of these he gives the first place in the trio to Theosophy. The Professor characterised Theosophy as a modern Gnostic system, which tries to create unity of religion and science, and by scientific means to experience the superphysical, and thus give to humanity well based and thorough experiments founded on religious creed. He finished one of his lectures by saying: "These branches of thought have got entrance to that extent at least that every one who will become a teacher of religion for the community must, even if he does not possess the purely ideal interest for these things, study and know them from the practical point of view. Probably this University is the first in the present time that has taken up Theosophy as a teaching subject for the student.

With grateful greetings to beautiful Adyar,
Eva Blytt,
General Secretary

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## REPORT OF THE WEST END LODGE IN TORONTO

To the President, T. S .- Although this Lodge has been chartered over 3 years, we have not, hitherto sent to Adyar any report on our work, but believe it is never too late to mend. As we have only ten members now it may seem that we are not successful, but numbers are not the only test. As you are aware the main Toronto Lodge conducts a very successful work, and is favoured with the services of a number of talented speakers supported by enthusiastic workers, with whom we co-operate thoroughly. This will be evident by the fact that our programmes are issued jointly, copy of which I send under separate cover. Toronto is growing very rapidly and now has a population of 500,000. For convenience, geographically, new Lodges will become necessary, one in the north and one in the east end-the southern boundary being Lake Ontario. For several reasons the West End Lodge was attached direct to Adyar, and this has not been regretted. It is constituted along the line of the Quakers and has worked very well. All propositions must be endorsed by all present. That, practically, is our only constitution. I believe we have appointed officers, but we never know who they are nor do we need to, as each is always willing to do what is necessary when wanted. We have no Lodge dues, our collections at meetings defraying our expenses.

Prior to November, 1913, our activities consisted simply of a weekly study class with a monthly semi-public meeting held in the home of one of our members. The class studied several Theosophical books, but the *Bhagavad-Gita* required 50 weeks. Several translations were compared and many parallels with other world scriptures "exhumed". We are now studying H. P. B.'s Key to Theosophy. It may require another

50 weeks judging by the interest taken and the careful scrutiny of its contents. A year ago we tried the experiment of having monthly public meetings, held on Sunday afternoon so as not to clash with the meetings of the central Lodge, which are held in the evening. The success attending these induced us this year to hold a meeting every week. It may be noted that 16 of the addresses are by our own members, 21 by members of the central Lodge, which helps us in every practicable way; and 6 are by other friends, including Dr. Lelia Davis, recently returned from Adyar. The attendance is quite encouraging, but none of us seems to have the gift of bringing in new members. We contemplate some special meetings making use of the field lecturers from time to time. Our library is small, but is doing useful work and we have books for sale.

F. B.

## REPORT OF THE SOKAREN LODGE

To the President, T. S.—Regular meetings have been held by the Lodge every Saturday p.m., except in the months June-August, when the activity of the Lodge was suspended.

The meetings were begun with meditation of a fixed subject after which there has been read and discussed the book Kristi eftereoljelse by Thomas a Kempis, and Magic, White and Black by F. Hartmann. Besides many Theosophical questions were proposed and discussed.

HERMAN HELLNER,

President

# BOOKS PUBLISHED DURING 1914

[Yery few of our Sections have sent in lists this year. We subjoin what we have.]

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## PUBLICATIONS OF

# THE THEOSOPHICAL PUBLISHING HOUSE, ADYAR, MADRAS, INDIA,

# During the Year 1914

Bhagavad-Gita (Text in Devanagari)	
,, The (with Text in Devan	agari) Translated by
"	Annie Besant
Bhagavad-Gita, The	Translated by Annie Besant
Census of India, The	M. Subraya Kamath
Concentration: A Practical Course	
(Second Impression)	Ernest Wood
Esoteric Christianiy (Indian Edition)	Annie Besant
General Report of the XXXVIIth Anniv	persary and
Convention of the Theosophical Socie	
Great Teachers, The (Lotus Leaves	
for the Young, No. II)	G. Herbert Whyte
India and the Empire	Annie Besant
In the Next World	A. P. Sinnet
In the Outer Court (Indian Edition)	Annie Besant
Mrs. Besant's Theosophy according to the	
Bishop of Madras	J. Van Manen
Mysticism	Annie Besant
On the Valency of the Chemical Atoms	A. C. de Jongh
Pictures of Buddhist Ceylon and	
Other Papers	F. L. Woodward, M.A.
Self-Purification	Compiled by J. S. Davidson
Textbook of Theosophy (Reprint)	C. W. Leadbeater
Vade-Mecum to Man: Whence, How and	Whither A. Schwarz

Varieties of Psychism

What We Shall Teach

J. I. Wedgwood

C. Jinarajadasa

# PAMPHLETS

	PAMPHLE	TS	
Ancient Egypti	ian Magic	H	. P. Blavatsky
Buddhism	nere and the	Dr. F.	Otto Shrader
Inner Purnose	of the Theosophical Society	y, The	Annie Besant
Indian Studen	ts and Politics	G. S. Arundal	e, B.A., LL.B.
Information for	r Enquirers (Reprint)		
On Moods	, 23.11		Annie Besant
Paglity of the	Invisible and the Actuality	y of the	
	orlds, The		Annie Besant
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Relativity of Hindu Ethics, The Religion of Goethe, The		Dr. F.	Otto Schrader
Smaller Ruddle	nist Catechism, The C. W.	Leadbeater & C	. Jinarajadasa
Spirituality an		Gyanendra Nat	h Chakravarti
Spiritual Life	for the Man of the World		Annie Besant
Theosophy and			Annie Besant
	ion, The (Reprint)		Annie Besant
	His Nature, and His Pou	vers, A	Annie Besant
	MAGAZIN		
Adyar Bulletin	And the second s		Annie Besant
Commonweal,	The	"	**
Theosophist, To		"	**
Young Citizen,		. "	"
	ITALY		
ORIGINAL:	Religioni e Religione		E Pavja
	Il Carattere dell'Avvenir	re e l'Avvenire	
	del Carattere		G. Cavallini
	L'Arnaldismo		T. Scarzelli
	Il Poema della Purezza e	e della Follia	X. Y.
TRANSLATIONS :	La Teosofia e la Società '	Teosofica	Annie Besant
	La Teosofia, i suoi intent		Annie Besant
	Manuale di Teosofica	C. '	W. Leadbeater
	A coloro che soffrono		A. Blechy
REPRINTS:	Quistioni Sociali (Second	d Edition)	Annie Besant
	La Vita Spirituale per l	l'uomo del	
	mondo (Second Edi	ition)	Annie Besant
	La Luce sul Sentiero (T.	hird Edition)	M. Collins
	La Teosofia e la Società		
	(Second Edition)		O. Penzig

#### GERMANY

TRANSLATIONS IN GERMAN Initiation Annie Besant The Riddle of Life in the Light of Theosophy Annie Besant When the Sun moves Northwards Mabel Collins What Should a Doctor Know of Occultism? Dr. Rusch Theosophy and Theosophical Society Prof. O. Penzig RUSSIA From November 1913 to 1st November 1914 MAGAZINES (Messenger of Th.) Viestuik Theosophii News of the T. S. in Russia BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS ORIGINAL: 1. The Hidden Sense of Life Mme, H. Pissareff (Issued in Kaluga) 2. Ideals of Work Mme. A. Pogosky (issued in Kaluga) 3. Eternal Questions and Theosophy Dr. P. Timofeevsk (Pbrg.) 4. From Death to Immortality E. Kufinine 5. The Law of Freedom 6. Historical Sketch of Buddhism M. Kamensky C. W. Leadbeater Translations: 1. Clairvoyance 2. The Building of the Kosmos Annie Besant Annie Besant (2nd ed.) 3. The Outer Court 4. In His Name C. Jinarajadasa 5. The Laws of the Higher Life Annie Besant (Kaluga) C. W. Leadbeater 6. After Death Michael Wood 7. Novels 8. Giordano Bruno Annie Besant (in Pbrg.) R. Tagore (in Petrograd) 9. Gitanjali (2nd ed. in Pbrg.) 10. At the Feet of the Master Chatterji (4th ed. in Kaluga) 11. Hinduism

ORIGINAL: 14. Madame Annie Besant et la Anna Kamensky
(in French) campagne electorale (Petrograd)

## FINLAND

## FINNISH ORIGINALS

How to Become an Occultist	Pekka Ervast
Do We Return upon Earth	Pekka Ervast
The Theosophy of the Christian Teaching	Pekka Ervast
The Narrow Gate of the Cross	Willie Angervo
The Parables of the Other Side	V. H. Valvanne
Does there Exist a Law in? Human Life	J. R. Hannula
The Lord of Light (Poems)	Iki-Tursas

# TRANSLATIONS INTO FINNISH

Clairvoyance	C. W. Leadbeater
Apollonius of Tyana	G. R. S. Mead
Christ and Buddha	C. Jinarajadasa
In His Name	C. Jinarajadasa
Stories for Children	From the American Theosophist
	and other magazines
The Great Wonders (from Swedish)	Oscar Busch

## MAGAZINE

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#### TREASURER'S REPORT

To the President, T. S.—I regret to say that our balancesheet for the year ending 30th November 1914 does not show a very satisfactory result. For the first time since a number of years we have to face a deficit, amounting to Rs. 7,312-1-1, due principally to the ill effects of the war which we could not hope to escape altogether at Adyar. The troubles in Europe have kept away many visitors who would otherwise have come and, our income from rents has in consequence diminished by Rs. 5,000 as compared with 1913.

Our receipts from Fees and Dues have amounted to Rs. 8,678-4-5 which is Rs. 3,322 less than estimated in our budget, the dues from America, England, Austria, Germany, Hungary, Russia, Bulgaria and Belgium having remained unpaid, also owing to the war. This loss will probably be made good to some extent in 1915, as the dues from America and England at least may be expected, but in the meantime our balance-sheet suffers to that extent.

Our income from the sale of garden produce (Rs. 3,567-10-1) has been another disappointment, not due to the war of course, but to the lateness of our crop of sugar-cane which could not be sold in time to figure in our balance-sheet; the deficiency of about Rs. 1,000 for 1914 will benefit the coming year.

Among our receipts we have one item which was not estimated in our budget, namely Rs. 1,253-7-1 profit of the *Electrical Department*. This may however be considered illusory, as it has been derived from an increased charge for current used, which has therefore caused additional expenditure for lighting and garden pumps, so that one department has gained at the expense of another.

Donations have exceeded the budget estimate, not because we have been specially favoured with gifts, which has unfortunately not been the case, but owing to the sale of the Lahore T. S. Hall at a profit, which has released collections amounting to Rs. 3,410 received some years ago for the redemption of the debt due to the Adyar Headquarters on this Hall. These collections have now become available for other purposes and have been transferred to our Donation Account. We received in actual gifts during the past year Rs. 278 from sundry donors and two larger amounts of Rs. 747 and Rs. 1,200 from anonymous friends; to all we tender our hearty thanks.

Turning to the expenditure side we find that our budget estimate has been exceeded by Rs. 793. On no less than nine accounts we managed to effect a saving amounting to Rs. 5,648 which has however been more than counterbalanced by extra expenditure on Garden, Embankment and Lighting Accounts. The higher charge for electric current already mentioned has unfavourably affected Garden and Lighting Accounts. As regards the extra cost of the Embankment it has been sanctioned by the Executive Committee, in order to complete the revetment from the Headquarters building to the bridge and to convert the low, swampy land into high, dry, healthy and fertile soil. An additional sum of Rs. 3,000 will be needed to complete this work in the new year.

The deficit of Rs. 7,312-1-1 on the year's working has thus been unavoidable, and it will be even increased during the coming year, as we cannot hope for an adequate income from regular sources as long as the war lasts, while urgent repairs to the roof of Leadbeater Chambers, a much needed septic tank installation at Headquarters building and renovation of various bungalows will cost about Rs. 10,000 for which, as well as for the deficit of 1914, we appeal to the generosity of friends. We really require donations amounting to about Rs. 23,000 as shown in our budget for 1915, if we are not to be compelled to fall back on a loan from the Adyar Library capital to meet our expenses. Under favourable circumstances, with a full income and no extras in the way of expenditure, we can manage to make

both ends meet, but under present conditions this is unfortunately impossible.

Coming to the Adyar Library I am glad to report that it has fared better than we could have expected. Thanks again to the generosity of Mr. Ostermann, who kindly donated Rs. 20,451-15-9 for current expenses we have a surplus of income over expenditure of Rs. 10,000 which will enable us to carry on the work for another year without having to encroach on our capital. Mr. Ostermann has also sent the magnificent donation of Rs. 40,421-9 to form the nucleus of a Library Building Fund. A new Library building is very much needed, but cannot be taken in hand until a much larger sum is at our disposal, which will enable us to put up an edifice that will have the best modern fittings and will be worthy of our Library in every respect. Such a building will not only be costly but will also require a capital for its upkeep.

We have also to thank an anonymous friend for a donation of Rs. 6,000 for the erection of a building, the income of which is to go to the Adyar Library. This structure is nearly finished and will prove very useful for T. S. purposes, while at the same

time benefiting the Library.

It is evident from what has been said that both for the Library (Building Fund) and the T. S. contributions will be exceedingly welcome and I therefore close my report with an earnest appeal for help, in order that necessary improvements may be gradually carried out and that our Headquarters, for which so much has already been done during the past seven years, may be still further improved and become an ever more beautiful and well-equipped centre of our Theosophical movement.

A. Schwarz, Treasurer

### HEADQUARTERS INCOME

DISBURSE	MENTS			Rs.	A. 1
To Contribution to Adyar Librar	у			2,500	0
" Office Salaries …				704	4
" Servants' Wages				5,260	6
" Stable Expenses …				524	0
" Motor-car Expenses …	***	***		1,553	81
" Garden Expenses					
Productive Gardening		Rs. 12,125	3 4		A
Unproductive (flower gar	dens), etc.	,, 5,320	8 8		
Roads, Fences, etc.		a, 1,461	10 5	18,907	6
" Embankment				3,892	0
" Printing and Stationery				1,220	12
" Telegrams and Postages				637	0
" Lighting Expenses				4,144	15
" Taxes				401	3
" Furnishing Expenses				659	8
" Gulistan "				249	8
" Construction and Repairs				595	10
" Publishing Account (Loss on	Adyar Bulle	tin)		504	13
" Miscellaneous Expenses …				1,338	1
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ADYAR, 30th November, 1914.

A. SCHWARZ,

Hon. Treasurer, T. S.

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P. R. LAKSHMANRAM, F.N.F.A. (London),

Public Accountant and Auditor

## BALANCE SHEET OF THE THEOSOPHICAL

CAPITAL AND LIABILITIES	Rs.	A.	Ρ.	Rs.	Α.	1
To General Fund (Capital)				495,788	6	
" Adyar Library Fund—						
Value of Books and MSS.	75,000	0	0			
Endowment Fund	121,113	3	2	196,131	3	
,, Adyar Library Building Fund—		Г		40,421	0	
" Subba Row Medal Fund—						
Balance on 1st December, 1913	1,857	5	0			
Interest at 3½ per cent	61	0	0			
T	1,918	10	0			
Less cost of medals for Dr. Schräder and Mr. Jinarajadasa	105	0	0	1,813	10	
" Propaganda Fund—						
Balance on 1st December, 1913	783	11	1			
Interest at 3½ per cent	23	0	0			
	806	11	1			
Less Payment to Bohemian Section	375	0	0	431	11	
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				734,567	15	

ADYAR, 30th November, 1914.

A. SCHWARZ, Hon. Treasurer, T. S.

# SOCIETY PER 30TH NOVEMBER, 1914

	PROPERTY AND ASSETS		Rs.	Α.	P.	Rs.	A.	
Ву	Adyar Library Books and MSS					75,000	0	
" G	overnment Pro-notes—							
	Rs. 30,000, 3½ per cent. Paper at Rs	. 95				28,500	0	
,, I	mmovable Property—							
	Balance on 1st December, 1913		461,662	13	10			l
	Purchase of Brookhampton in Ootacamund		30,668	4	0			
	Less Sale of Lahore T. S. Hall		492,331 18,000		10	474,331	1	
,, M	Iovable Property—					24,000	0	
" M	Mortgage on Madras House Property					65,000	0	1
,,	" " Mahinda College, Galle					3,000	0	١
,, \$	Shares in Triplicane Urban Co-operative Society	ra- 				110	7	
" L	oan to Sri Besant Lodge, Tanjore					2,000	0	١
,, E	Electric Installation					45,000	0	l
,, C	ash in hand					1,879	13	
"В	Salance with Bank of Madras					6,064	5	١
" s	undry Debtors and Creditors Accoun	ıt				2,370	2	ı
,, I	ncome and Disbursement Account Deficit per 1914, carried to new Ac	et				7,312	1	
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P. R. LAKSHMANRAM, F.N.F.A. (London),

Public Accountant and Auditor

# ABSTRACT OF ADYAR LIBRARY

1.			(ITTA	Rs.	A. P.	Rs.	Α.	P
To	Salaries	81% To				6,016	15	
2.9	Rent for Olcott Gardens					300	0	(
,,	Fire Insurance Premium					281	4	(
,,	Purchase of Books and M	SS.				5,181	3	
,,	" Geographical	Magazine				555	14	
,,	, MSS					2,496	4	
11	Copying MSS, and Trave	lling expen	ses			951	0	
,,	Stationery, Bookbinding a	nd Sundries				1,675	12	
,,,	Advance to Vasanta Pr	ress for pr	inting					
1040	the " Ahirbudhnya-Saml	hita .				300	0	
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- 1	donation of Rs. 5,971-8-0	0)				4,590	0	
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ADYAR,
30th November, 1914.

A. SCHWARZ,

Hon. Treasurer, T. S.

#### ACCOUNT

		Rs.	A.	Ρ.	Rs.	A.	P
By Balance on 1st December, 1913:—							
Value of Books and MSS		75,000	0	0			
Endowment Fund		109,594	12	5	184,594	12	
,, 3½ per cent Interest on Rs. 110,000			1		3,850	0	
" Contribution from T. S					2,500	0	
" Sale of Books					173	5	
" Donations for the Geographical Maga	zine				503	8	
" " from Mr. A. Ostermann					20,451	15	
" Sundry Donations					326	8	
" Donation for a building for the benefit Adyar Library	of the				5,971	8	
" Donation from Mr. A. Ostermann for	Library						
Building Fund					40,421	0	
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#### THE KARMA AND REINCARNATION LEGION

To the President, T. S.—Our building is nearing completion. It will be most useful during the approaching winter months as it will be substantial and warm. It is very well built and will serve for many years.

The propaganda work of the *Legion* is not being pushed very vigorously because of the war, of antagonisms, lack of funds and my own activity in other directions. Probably conditions will change as time passes.

Several very devoted people are giving themselves unstintedly to the work.

Our magazine is being printed regularly; 3,500 to 5,000 copies are struck off each month.

The feeling among the workers is one of courage and confidence.

WELLER VAN HOOK

#### REPORT OF THE ORDER OF THE STAR IN THE EAST

To the President, T. S.—I beg to send you the greeting of the Order of the Star in the East.

The fact of the war has made it difficult to know as much about the doings of the Order, in many countries, as would ordinarily be possible; and I have not sufficient material to hand to suggest what is the total membership of the Order at the present moment. But those Sections which have sent in their number seem to be steadily increasing, in the usual way. The United States still head the list with something over 3,000 followed by India, England and France in the Order named—each with a roll of between one and two thousand.

The new Sections found at the end of 1913 in Latin America are doing well, and the reports received from them have been very satisfactory. The Sections, referred to, are those of Brazil, Paraguay, Chile, Peru, Bolivia, Costa Rica, Venezuela, and Mexico. The last named has had its own troubles in the shape of a war, but its National Representative, Senora Lucia Carrasco reported in March last that there were 80 members and that she was doing all she could to increase the number.

In Europe, the French Section has been keeping up its excellently organised activities and Mme Blech writes that it is very "alive". At present it is devoting its energies to work of various kinds in connection with the War. This may be said, indeed, of all the countries which are directly affected by the War. And although, as is only right, the members of the Order are rather joining in the general work than setting on foot separate activities, yet there is one line of work which has, in several countries, been inaugurated directly under the auspices of the Order, and that is the organised meditation on Peace and Goodwill. In

England and France this has certainly been done, and Dr. Rocke informs me that the same is being done at the Adyar centre in India.

In England one of the leading features of the year has been the success of the Star shop. This, situated in one of the best and most frequented streets of London, could not fail to attract interest, since it was not only most artistic in its whole decoration and arrangement, but its contents were of an arresting and unusual kind. Many hundreds must have studied its windows daily and thus incidentally, read our Declaration of Principles, and there has been all along quite a larger number of daily inquirers. Unfortunately, financial reasons have made it necessary, as at present arranged, to close the shop at the end of this year. But it has done admirable work, and the Order has cause to be grateful not only to the generous friends who have supported it with donations, but to the willing helpers who have given up so much of their time to serving in the shop itself—one of whom, Mr. Udny, is at present at Adyar.

The Herald of the Star has now completed its first year. Members in all countries seem to have liked it, and it is serving as a very valuable link between our widely scattered sections. Mr. Arundale and Lady Emily Lutyens have been working very hard at it from month to month, and it possesses a very efficient Business Manager in the person of Mr. H. J. Cannan. Its circulation is still much smaller than could be wished, and it is to be hoped that as many members of the Order, as can manage to do so, will help to support it by subscribing for a copy. The Herald has, we must suppose, a great future before it; and it must eventually achieve an importance altogether out of proportion to that which it enjoys at present; all the more reason why it should be helped in its early stages.

The English Section supplements the Herald with a monthly Bulletin, and France, Germany, Scandinavia, Sweden, Holland, and New Zealand have sectional organs (monthly) or quarterly of their own. In Latin America the Theosophical Magazine Virya publishes Order news, as do other Theosophical periodicals in various parts of the world.

Although the war has cast a gloom over the life of many of our Sections during the last half of this year, yet in another sense it has brought home to members everywhere, in striking fashion, the reality of the great processes which are at work behind the veil. For there can be no member of our Order who does not see in what is happening to-day the direct and most impressive preparation for what is to come.

A World Star Conference had been arranged to be held in Paris in June of next year. Let us hope not only that it may be held, but that it may be held amid the bright and joyous influence of a world once more at Peace and conscious of the dawning of a nobler and happier era.

> E. A. Wodehouse, General Secretary

## REPORT OF THE GENERAL MANAGER, BUDDHIST SCHOOLS, CEYLON

To the President, T. S.—Another year has passed and I am extremely glad to say that the work started by the dear Colonel has been continued with the same energy as in the past by 800 of my teachers, and 200 Local Managers of my Schools.

In my last Report there were 230 Schools of which 218 were receiving grants from Government. I have now 235 Schools out of which 216 are receiving grants, showing an increase of 5 Schools.

They are distributed as fo	llows:			
Western Province				134
Southern Province				46
Central Province				21
North-Western Province				27
Sabaragamuwa Province				6
Uva Province				1
			То	tal 235
Classified as follows:				
Vernacular Boys			•••	29
" Girls				66
" Mixed			•••	125
English Boys				12
" Girls …				1
Anglo-Vernacular Mixed		•••		2
			Tot	tal 235

with an attendance of about 40,000 pupils.

Attention had to be paid during the year for visiting the Schools and strengthening the existing works. With this in view I had to travel all over the Island during the short time I had at my disposal and was convinced of the vast outlay required to improve the buildings to fulfil the requirements of the Code of Education. During the year ending 31st October, I spent Rs. 1,176.60 for furniture and Rs. 8,693.71 for buildings and repairs.

In my last Report it was stated that the Ananda College would require a building to cost about Rs. 20,000. I am glad to say that the Society has accepted the suggestion of the new Principal, Mr. Fritz Kunz, whose capacity for the improvement of an undertaking placed in his hands, has been proved by the various alterations effected to the College, and erected a building 84×36 ft. called "Olcott Hall" at a cost of Rs. 8,192.57 at date. The next step will be to establish a Science Room and provide suitable accommodation for a first-class boarding establishment.

Dharmaraja College was badly pressed for want of accommodation and a scheme of extension was decided upon in consequence of the heavy expenditure required to carry out the whole scheme. One wing was taken in hand and a two storeyed building measuring 35×67 ft. was erected at a cost of Rs. 22,300. This building was opened by the Hon. Mr. P. Ramanathan, C.M.G., on the 3rd of December with great ceremony before a vast gathering of Buddhists and others. This single wing is regarded by all as an ornament to the Town of Kandy.

Dharmasoka College building at Ambalangoda has been completed and occupied.

Out of the 13 English Schools only the above three are recognised as Secondary Schools, which can present pupils for the Cambridge Local Examinations.

My Vernacular Schools are in better order now than before. A few permanent buildings have been constructed and several others are in hand.

We held our 34th Convention of Buddhist Schools in May last and adopted several resolutions to consolidate the work.

- (a) It was decided to start the "Olcott Orphanage" in the building presented by Mr. L. B. A. De Silva, at as early a date as possible. The building however will not be available till January, when I hope to address you for the help of some workers to take charge of the Establishment.
- (b) It was also decided to convert as many suitable schools as possible into Industrial Schools and I am in communication with the Department of Education regarding them.
- (c) English being necessary to some extent for the rising generation, it was decided to convert some vernacular schools into Anglo-Vernacular Schools. In my last Report there was only one of this class, but this year there are two and I hope to have some more in the near future.
- (d) As decided, several schools have formed "Olcott Pupils' Associations" under one Code of Rules and it is hoped that this will be the means of continuing the good work started by the late Colonel.
- (e) The formation of a fund for Teachers' Pension has been decided upon and funds are slowly coming in for this purpose.

It was my full expectation to give a good account of my stewardship by way of collections for the above purpose, but the war into which the Empire has been plunged affected the prosperity of the Colony to such an extent that I have to hold many a scheme in abeyance.

I have during the year ending October 1914 received as grants from Government, Rs. 98,479·25 and with the balance in hand paid Rs. 107,537·29 for salaries, Rs. 8,693·71 for buildings, and Rs. 1,176·60 for furniture, leaving a liability of Rs. 31,230·19 against which I have since received Rs. 15,031·50. This leaves a net deficit of Rs. 16,198·69 as against Rs. 18,095 shown in last year's report. These would have been wiped off had it not been to the disappointment in raising funds owing to the War.

I regret to record the deaths during the year of the following Local Managers and Teachers:

Mr. A. A. Mapitigama, Local Manager, Mattamagoda V. B. School.

Mr. T. Mallis Fernando, Local Manager, Bombuwala V. B. School.

Mr. H. Don Adonis Silva, Local Manager, Mapalagama V. B. School.

Mr. L. B. P. Dharmabandu, Local Manager, Kalutara Nanodaya English Boys' School.

Mr. P. Jorlis Dias, Local Manager, Welipenne Mixed School. Mr. L. M. Goonesekera, Head Teacher, Moraketiyara V. M. School.

Mr. D. J. Dassanayaka, Head Teacher, Digampitiya V. B. School.

Mr. J. C. C. Jayasinhe, Head Teacher, Horewala V. B. School.

Miss Dona Selestinahamy, Asst. Mistress, Walana V. M. School.

In conclusion, I have much pleasure in stating that the year under review has been one of marked success so far as buildings for our schools are concerned. Our income has considerably increased over the previous years, which materially helped me in providing no less than 13 new and permanent buildings in place of old dilapidated ones which had been condemned by the Department of Education. Further expenditure for the Ananda College and Dharmaraja Colleges is badly needed to fit them up as efficient Secondary Schools by providing Science Laboratories which have to be completed within a year.

Wishing the Convention every success

Chas. Batuvantudave,

General Manager

# REPORT OF THE MUSÆUS GIRLS' BUDDHIST SCHOOLS AND THE TRAINING SCHOOL FOR WOMEN TEACHERS

To the President, T. S.—In submitting my Report of the work of these Institutions for the year ending November 1914, it gives me pleasure to state that the aims and object of these Institutions continue to be well maintained in educating our pupils on Religious (Buddhistic) and national ideals.

Much stress is laid on the Vernacular (Sinhalese) side of education, not forgetting English subjects, to take its right place in the curriculum, while a knowledge of the History of their Country and their Religion (Buddhism) forms the basis of the training given to the students.

The Government Examinations of the Schools were held in July and August and the results of both the Schools and the Training School for Teachers, were very encouraging.

A course of "First-Aid" Lectures to the Training Students with a view that when they take up appointments in the Village Schools, they will not only be able to impart their knowledge of "First Aid" to their less educated sisters, but also to be of service in their villages, where "First Aid" would be a necessity among the village population.

Our Branch School at Nawalapitiga, which is a Free School for the poor village children of the neigl:bourhood some of whom come very far from the mountains, has increased in attendance, so that we have now almost a hundred children in School, It continues to do its useful work. Three of my daughters are teaching there. The results of the second Government Examination were also satisfactory.

The children love to come to School, and our only trouble is that their parents do not look very favourably at the time their children spend in School, because the children cannot pluck tea to earn a few cents for them, who are so desperately poor.

During the course of the year The Jatakamala, a companion volume to my Stories from the History of Ceylon was published in English. It was favourably noticed by the press and it was well received by the reading public. It is now being translated into the Vernacular (Sinhalese), so that the Birth-Stories of the Lord Buddha may be popularised among the Sinhalese Buddhists to deepen their belief in the coming Teacher and prepare, in a small measure, the way for the "Lord" in Ceylon.

M. MUSÆUS HIGGINS,

Principal

#### REPORT OF THE OLCOTT PANCHAMA FREE SCHOOLS

(From December 1, 1913 to November 30, 1914)

To the President and Board of Managers.—The work during the year which has just come to a close was carried on along the methods pursued in the previous years and with equal success.

All through the year the Teachers' Training Class was held regularly on Saturday mornings, doing good work, as testified to by the Inspector. In the course of the year a number of persons from various parts of the world visited this class, as well as the other schools, all expressing themselves pleased not only with the up-to-date methods, but especially with the friendly relations existing between teachers and pupils.

Owing to some further delay on account of the agreements between the Municipality of Madras and the Board of Managers, the extensions at the "Damodar" and the "Annie Besant" Schools which were to have been built last year, have only now been completed. At the latter school the Corporation added, very generously, a good-sized playground, surrounded by a compound wall.

It is rather pleasing to note that in the Quinquennial Educational Report for India and Burma, published a few months ago, one of the eight pictures of Primary Schools is that of our Damodar School, showing some class rooms with teachers and pupils.

As in the past, so also this year, we have helped some former pupils to attend higher institutions, where they do credit to the Olcott Schools, in which they received their earlier instruction.

For several years past there has not been so low an attendance as there was generally in the course of this year; sickness

and the war were the chief causes of this, as well as of a decrease in the numbers on the roll. There were epidemics of small-pox and cholera in the neighbourhood of the schools. All of them, except the "Tiruvalluvar" had to be closed at different times for shorter or longer periods. We lost 16 pupils altogether through death, mostly in the Kindergarten and Infant Standards. On account of the war the tannery of Carl Simon and Söhne in Kodambakam was closed and the employees with their children, who were pupils of our H. P. B. Memorial School, returned to their native villages. The Emden scare caused a great decrease in the strength of the "Annie Besant" School. In the "Damodar" School we lost 32 pupils, as the Servants of India opened a new school in that neighbourhood, which was put in charge of a teacher who had till then been in our service.

Through the generosity of a friend we were able, as heretofore, to give rice cakes to the poorest pupils, who were also the most regular ones. May there always be such "friends" forthcoming!

NUMBER OF PUPILS ON THE ROLL IN THE DAY SCHOOLS, Nov. 30, 1914.

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Kindergarten	34	24	42	38	12	11	16	11	16 .	9	120	93
Infant	47	19	35	19	34	9	22	1	9	8	147	56
I	33	16	21	0	30	16	14	4	10	0	108	36
II	20	4	18	4	20	6	9	1	6	2	73	17
III	19	3	23	0	13	4	6	0	3	1	64	8
IV	18	1	11	0	14	1	5	3	3	1	51	
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C. Kofel, Superintendent

# REPORT OF THE TREASURER, OLCOTT PAÑCHAMA FREE SCHOOLS

To the President and Board of Managers.—Our balancesheet per 30th November 1914 must be considered a provisional one, as it has been decided to close our accounts in future per 31st March in order to make our financial year coincide with the official year of Government. The balance sheet which we shall publish next year will therefore overlap the present one, will, in fact, cover the period from the 1st April 1914 to the 31st March 1915.

The result of the year's working is satisfactory. Expenses have been kept low, thanks again to Miss Kofel's gratuitous services and careful management, the amount of Rs. 8,210-10-3 being somewhat below the average. With an income of Rs. 10,783-2-9 we have a surplus of Rs. 2,572-8-6 which is being carried forward as a reserve towards the cost of a new building at the Olcott Free School, urgently needed as the old one is in danger of falling in at any moment and has become dangerous and unserviceable.

While the donations received in 1914 reach the satisfactory figure of Rs. 5,848-2-10 they at the same time reveal a sad fact, for they practically consist of two gifts only of Rs. 4,464 and Rs. 1,000 from European friends, while the sundry small donations have dwindled to the insignificant figure of Rs. 384, also partly received from Europe, America and Australia. The Indian and particularly the Madras public contribute hardly anything towards the upkeep of these schools which exist for the benefit of Indian children and it is very regrettable indeed that this legacy of the late Col. Olcott is so little appreciated and supported.

As our balance of Rs. 2,572 will be required for building purposes we shall need at least Rs. 4,000 in donations to cover our expenses during the coming year, besides some Rs. 900 for the Food Fund which otherwise will be exhausted in a few months, and I therefore close my report with a renewed appeal for the support of these useful schools in the future, while at the same time expressing our hearty thanks for the generous help given in the past.

A. Schwarz, Secretary-Treasurer

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# INCOME AND DISBURSEMENTS OF THE FROM 1st DECEMBER, 1913

DIS	SBURSEME	NTS			Rs.	A.	1
To Teachers' Salaries				***	5,902	8	ł
" Servants' Wages					195	8	١
" Books and Supplies			***		162	2	l
" School Furnishings					19	10	١
" Printing and Statione	ry			***	7	4	l
" Postages and Telegran	ms				7	8	l
,, Rents and Taxes					56	11	l
" Subscription to Period	licals				5	3	l
" Construction and Rep	airs		***		243	8	l
" Stable Expenses			***		475	10	l
" Teachers' Training Cl	ass				912	8	l
" Expenses of Pupils in	Colleges				90	13	
" Sewing Class			***		8	15	
" Discount Collection as	nd Exchange	e			18	11	
" Garden Expenses					25	4	
,, Auditor's fee					50	0	
" Miscellaneous		•••			28	18	
					8,210	10	
,, Balance (Surplus) car	ried forwar	d to Ne	w Account		2,572	8	
					10,783	2	

ADYAR, 30th November, 1914.

A. SCHWARZ,
Secretary-Treasurer.

## OLCOTT PAÑCHAMA FREE SCHOOLS TO 30TH NOVEMBER, 1914

	INCOM	Е		Rs.	A.
By Balance from 1913				 31	0
" Donations…				 5,848	2
" Grants-in-Aid				 3,808	15
" Interest on Capital				 1,084	12
" Sale of Pamphlets				 8	4
" Sale of Pupils' Work	***			 2	6
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P. R. LAKSHMANRAM, F.N.F.A. (London),
Public Accountant and Auditor.

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# BALANCE SHEET OF THE OLCOTT PAÑCHAMA

CAPITAL AND LIABILI	TIES				Rs.	Α.	Ρ.
To Panchama Education Fund					33,790	12	
" Food Fund—		Rs.	Α.	Р.			
Balance on 1st December, 1913		95	11	4			
Donations in 1914		1,147	2	3			
		1,242	13	7			
Less Cost of Food distributed		862	7	0	380	6	5
" Technical Department Fund—					1,416	6	
" Income and Disbursement Account—							ı
Surplus per 1914 carried to new A	Account	•••			2,572	8	8
					38,160		2

ADYAR, 30th November, 1914. A. SCHWARZ, Secretary-Treasurer, O.P.F.S.

### FREE SCHOOLS PER 30TH NOVEMBER, 1914

	PROPERT	Y AND A	SSETS		Rs.	A.	P
Ву	Immovable Property				 2,534	8	(
,,	Movable do.				 500	0	(
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,,	5 o/o Bombay Municip	oal Debenti	ires		 1,000	0	
**	Technical Department	, Stock on	hand		 108	4	
**	Cash Balance				 123	4	
**	Balance with Bank of	Madras			 5,144	4	
*1	Advance for Supplies				 30	0	
					38,160	2	-

Audited and found correct.

P. R. LAKSHMANRAM, F.N.F.A. (London),

Public Accountant and Auditor

## REPORT OF THE IMPERIAL SERVICES LEAGUE OF MODERN THOUGHT

To the President, T. S.—The League has been revived to the extent of issuing two quarterly circulars, in August and November, and an attempt is being made to simplify the constitution to some extent as it is thought that at present it is a little too elaborate and complicated for the taste of many who might otherwise like to become members of such a League.

As might be expected, the war very considerably interfered with possible activities, and it was suggested that it should be allowed to drop until the war was over. As the circulars had been started before the war, however, it was thought it would be a pity to lose again the momentum of the revival of interest in it, and although the present Secretary's tenure of office may be cut short at any moment by orders for service, another officer is ready to carry on. Major Peacocke left for the front in September and handed over charge of the League to Captain E. G. Hart, who is at present Acting Secretary. There has been one resignation, on a member leaving India, and one new member has joined. Although the League was primarily started for the purpose of bringing members in the various Government services into touch with each other, yet, as other European members of the T. S. in the East usually move in the same society as these, it is hoped that the latter will join the League as associate members, as the distinction between associate members and members will probably remain a merely nominal one and will share in all the privileges of the League.

> Captain E. G. Hart, Ag. Hon. Secretary

# REPORT OF THE SANATANA DHARMA EXAMINATIONS, BOMBAY, 1914

To the President, T. S .- After the passing away, last year, of Bro. Manmohandas Dayaldas Shroff who worked as Secretary of the Sanatana Dharma Religious and Moral Education Propaganda Committee ever since the beginning of the movement whose originator he was, the work fell in the hands of the present Secretaries. With the help of the members of the Committee and of a few young and energetic members of Shri Krishna Lodge the work of the Examinations was carried on successfully. There were, in all, twenty-seven centres in the Bombay Presidency, where the examinations were held on 19th July 1914. The number of candidates increased this year, the total amounting to 4,213 boys and girls, the number of the latter being no less than 330. Among these were included young ladies of the age of between 10 and 30. Prizes of the value of Rs. 3,000 have been announced, and in spite of the fact that the war has considerably affected the business of Bombay in a most unfavourable manner, the funds required have now almost been collected and the prize distribution will be held in February 1915. These examinations are a powerful factor in enabling enthusiastic propagandists to infuse among the younger generation, the feelings of reverence towards their Ancient Faith, and to minimise the effects of material Western education. A feeling is now most perceptibly prevalent that if the ancient principles and teachings were correctly interpreted and properly applied to the solution of the greatest problems of the present times, the hope of seeing India formed into a nation worthy of her past traditions, would soon be carried out. The examinations have become extremely popular and year after year, greater and greater enthusiasm is displayed by boys and girls. The C. H. C. textbooks, and Mrs. Annie Besant's Shri Ramachandra, Mahabharata, Hindu Ideals, and In Defence of Hinduism, and the Gujarati translations of some of them have been prescribed for study.

Jamnadas D. Dharamsey, Joint Hon. Secretary

# REPORT OF THE LADY SUPERINTENDENT OF DELHI HINDU GIRLS' SCHOOL

To the President, T. S.—The Hindu Girls' School of Delhi, though not controlled by Theosophical Society, being supported by the Hindu Community as a Sanatana Dharma School was founded by a Theosophist is mostly worked by Theosophists, and is an activity of the Delhi T. S. Lodge.

As the school contains 300 girls and a large number of teachers and servants the expense of its upkeep is too great to be left to fluctuations of subscriptions and donations and so it is what is known as an Aided School. We have received exceedingly good treatment from the Government and last year in addition to paying half our expenses we received a special maintenance grant of 500 Rupees. We manage not only to satisfy the Inspectresses as regards Code work but also to keep a distinctive line of our own, which makes the school somewhat unique amongst ordinary Girls' Schools.

Mr. Hailey, the Chief Commissioner of Delhi and also Mrs. Hailey take a great interest in our work and at our last Prize Distribution over which she so kindly presided, she remarked that she specially liked this school because the children were taught their own religion and their own pretty manners and customs were not destroyed.

Mrs. Hailey helps us in many ways, through her we had a visit from the late Lady Hardinge of Penshurst, a bright and never-to-be-forgotten day, by her sweetness and gentleness she won all hearts and the subsequent sad news of her death brought deep sorrow, for even the tiny children felt that they had lost a friend.

Another notable visitor this year was the Maharajah of Kashmir who has become the patron of the school and has given us a donation of 2,000 Rupees. During his visit to Delhi Mr. Jinarajadasa accompanied by Mr. Iqbal Narain Gurtu, our General Secretary, also came to the school giving us kindly encouragement and sympathy.

In speaking of visitors of whom we have had many I cannot omit to mention the great name of Rabindranath Tagore, our national and world famous poet. He was kind enough to tell us a little of the great work he is doing at Bolpur; he also listened with interest to a young student who recited in English his beautiful poem "A Prayer for the Motherland".

Last year we sent up five candidates for the Middle School Examination they all took Samskrit as an extra subject and four passed.

This year we shall be sending three and out of these, two, if successful, are going to continue their studies up to the Matriculation, so that our long-talked-of High School will, we hope, really materialise on March 1st 1915. We have already engaged an Indian lady with very good qualifications in English to begin the work.

One could go on writing pages about the work in this tiny corner of the Master's Great Field but Convention days are short and precious and so this small spark is sent out to encourage those Indian Brothers who are struggling to maintain Girls' Schools, for only those engaged in the work can realise its difficulties and to encourage others who are not doing so to boldly begin this urgent and necessary work, until there are national Girls' School in every town and village.

LEONORA GMEINER,

Lady Superintendent

## REPORT OF THE INDIAN LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S SCHOOL AT ADYAR

To the President, T. S.—Our little School started about two years ago by Mrs. Gagarin and Peramma Garu, continues to be a success.

Our number varies from about fifteen to over thirty. The ages of the pupils run from three to forty-seven. Though the number is not large, four teachers at least are necessary, because of the different stages at which the pupils are.

Our ideas are to teach them—old and young—to speak and read good English, and to impart general information.

After Convention, two, possibly three, go to Benares to continue their education. We greatly rejoice at this piece of good Karma and we heartily wish the guardians of more of our pupils could see their way to sending their young wives or daughters also.

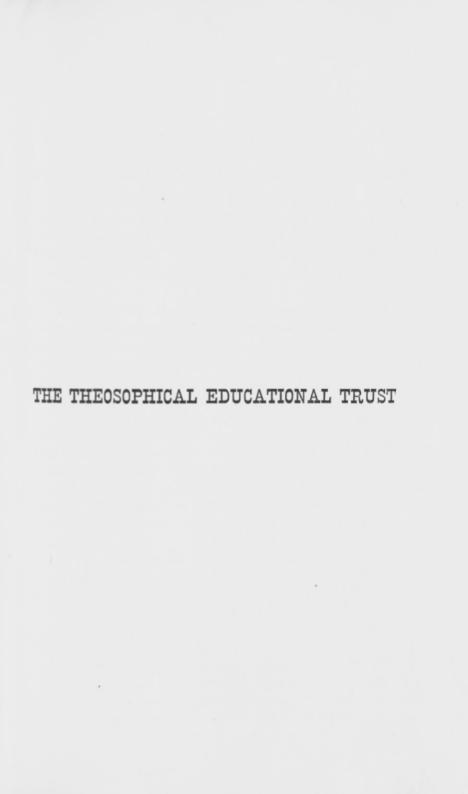
We are indebted to Mr. Seshiah Chetty who has given the use of one large room and verandah at Maitreya Lodge in which to conduct these classes.

I would like to thank Miss Noble, Miss Graham, and Miss Hilda Larmuth, who have given their best to this daily morning work during the session, also Mrs. Gillespie, Miss Rice, and Miss Banks, for work done in the past, and for so willingly coming to our assistance whenever we have been short of a teacher.

Our school is very simple and carried out on simple lines but it serves, I am convinced, an excellent purpose.

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#### REPORT OF THE THEOSOPHICAL EDUCATIONAL TRUST

To the President, T. S.—I have the honour to present you this brief Report of the work for the past year of the Theosophical Educational Trust, which is a subsidiary activity of the Theosophical Society. The particulars are taken from my Annual Report to the President, Theosophical Educational Trust.

The Trust, after 18 months of activity, has now 15 Schools under its full management and ownership, not including the 5 Olcott Panchama Free Schools, which are affiliated to it. The schools which are listed below, contain 122 teachers including 26 University Graduates and 2,608 boys and girls.

- 1. The Anglo-Sanskrit School, Bankipore, has 20 teachers and 446 boys. It occupies a splendid building of its own, and also rented premises, and teaches up to the Matriculation examination, in which it has produced excellent results.
- The Sanmarga Free Sanskrit School, Bellary, is an excellent little school recognised as an Advanced Sanskrit School by Government, held in a temple, and containing 30 boys and 4 girls.
- 3. The Theosophical Collegiate School, Benares, occupies Jnana Geha and other rented premises near the Headquarters of the T. S. in India. It owns a splendid plot of land, which cost Rs. 45,000. There are 144 boys, of whom 52 are in the hostel. Next year the first boys will be sent up for the Allahabad Matriculation. Mr. P. K. Telang is the Head Master.
- 4. The Theosophical Collegiate Girls' School, Benares, has 19 students on the rolls. Out of 6 sent up for Matriculation this year, five passed, which testifies to the capable work of Miss Palmer, B. Sc., the Principal, and her assistants.

- 5. The Sanatana Dharma School, Bhavnagar, is a complete High School, containing 372 boys and 11 teachers. In addition to the usual subjects all the students except 25 take Sanskrit. The Sanatana Dharma teaching is highly organised.
- 6. The Cawnpore Theosophical School was started in July on a splendid scale. It occupies rented buildings and land, but new model class rooms have also been erected. There are 162 boys and 13 teachers, a very powerful staff. The school teaches up to class 8 but an extra class will be added each year.
- 7. Kumbakonam Sri Sarasavati Pathasala for Girls has 7 teachers on the staff, and 127 girls, from the Infant class to Standard 5. A new building for over Rs. 10,000 is about to be erected.
- 8: The High School, Madanapalle, has 20 acres of splendid ground, and fine school buildings of its own. There are 255 boys and 15 teachers, teaching from the IV Class to the VI Form. There is a hostel containing nearly 30 boys. This school is about to be raised to collegiate grade.
- 9. The Siddapa's Elementary School, Madanapalle, holds an excellent building of its own in a beautiful garden. There are 142 boys, from the Infant class to Standard 3, taught by 3 teachers.
- 10. The Panchama School of Madigapalle Village, Madanapalle, is in a model village founded by the Trust on land belonging to the High School. There is one teacher, and the scholars number about 12.
- 11. The Sri Minakshi Vidyasala Girls' School, Madura, has an excellent building and site of its own. Plans for a second storey are before the Director. There are 10 teachers and 320 girls, from the infant to the 6th class.
- 12. The Shri Dandapani National Secondary School, Palni, has 6 teachers and 87 boys, studying up to the Third Form. At present it occupies a rented building, but plans are being drawn for a new building.
- 13. The National High School, Proddutur, is a complete High School, containing 234 boys and 14 teachers. It has 15

acres of ground, and a new building costing Rs. 24,000 is about to be built. The hostel contains 12 boys.

14. The P.V.C. Higher Grade Elementary School, Vayalpad, stands in its own ample playground, though the building requires repair. There are 170 boys and 8 teachers.

15. The N.P.R. Hindu Girls' School, Vayalpad, is held in a rented building. It has 64 girls and 3 teachers. The late manager has not yet formally handed the school over to us.

I am glad to be able to inform you that the abolition of fear in our schools is leading to the best results in discipline and character. The religious teaching is much appreciated by parents and children alike.

Ernest Wood,

Hon. Secretary

# THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION

MEMORANDUM OF ACCUMENT

#### THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

Founded Nov. 17, 1875. Incorporated April 3, 1905.

In the matter of Act XXI of 1860 of the Acts of the Viceroy and Governor-General of India in Council, being an Act for the Registration of Literary, Scientific and Charitable Societies

and

IN THE MATTER OF THE THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

#### MEMORANDUM OF ASSOCIATION

1. The name of the Association is "The Theosophical Society".

2. The objects for which the Society is established are:

i. To form a nucleus of the Universal Brotherhood of Humanity, without distinction of race, creed, sex, caste, or colour.

ii. To encourage the study of Comparative Religion, Philosophy, and Science.

iii. To investigate unexplained laws of Nature and the powers latent in man.

(a) The holding and management of all funds raised

for the above objects.

(b) The purchase or acquisition on lease or in exchange or on hire or by gift or otherwise, of any real or personal property, and any rights or privileges necessary or convenient for the purpose of the Society. (c) The sale, improvement, management and development of all or any part of the property of the

Society.

(d) The doing of all such things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects or any of them, including the founding and maintenance of a library or libraries.

3. The names, addresses and occupations of the persons who are members of, and form the first General Council, which is the Governing Body of the Society, are as follows:

#### GENERAL COUNCIL

#### Ex Officio

President-Founder ... H. S. Olcott, Adyar, Madras, Author.

Vice-President ... A. P. Sinnett, London, Eng., Author.

Recording Secretary ... Hon. Sir S. Subramania Iyer, Madras,

Justice of the High Court.

Treasurer ... W. A. English, M.D., Adyar, Madras,

Retired Physician.

Alexander Fullerton, General Secretary, American Section, 7 West 8th Street, New York.

Upendranath Basu, B.A., LL.B., General Secretary, Indian Section, Benares, U. P.

Bertram Keightley, M.A., Gen. Secretary, British Section, 28 Albemarle Street, London, W.

W. G. John, General Secretary, Australasian Section, 42 Margaret Street, Sydney, N.S.W.

Arvid Knös, General Secretary, Scandinavian Section, Engelbrechtsgatan 7, Stockholm, Sweden. C. W. Sanders, Gen. Sec., New Zealand Section, Queen Street, Auckland, N. Z.

W. B. Fricke, General Secretary, Netherlands Section, 76 Amsteldijk, Amsterdam.

Th. Pascal, M.D., General Sec., French Section, 59 Avenue de La Bourdonnais, Paris. Decio Calvari, General Sec-

Decio Calvari, General Secretary, Italian Section, 380 Corso Umberto I., Rome.

Dr. Rudolf Steiner, General Secretary, German Section, 95 Kaiseralle, Friedenau, Berlin.

José M. Massö, Acting Gen. Secretary, Cuban Section,

Havana, Cuba.

#### Additional

Annie Besant, Benares, Author [for 3 years].
G. R. S. Mead, London, Author [for 3 years].
Khan Bahadur Naoroji Dorabji Khandalavala, Poona, Special Judge [for 3 years].
Dinshaw Jivaji Edal Behram, Surat, Physician [for 2 yrs.].

Francesca E. Arundale,
Benares, Author [for 2 yrs.].
Tumacherla Ramachandra
Row, Gooty, Retired SubJudge [for 1 year].
Charles Blech, Paris, France,
Retired Manufacturer
[for 1 year].

- 4. Henry Steele Olcott, who, with the late Helena Petrovna Blavatsky, and others, founded the Theosophical Society at New York, United States of America, in the year 1875, shall hold, during his lifetime, the position of President, with the title of 'President-Founder,' and he shall have, alone, the authority and responsibility and shall exercise the functions provided in the Rules and Regulations for the Executive Committee, meetings of which he may call for consultation and advice as he may desire.
- 5. The income and property of the Society, whencesoever derived, shall be applied solely towards the promotion of the objects of the Society as set forth in this Memorandum of Association, and no portion thereof shall be paid or transferred directly or indirectly by way of dividends, bonus, or otherwise by way of profits to the persons who at any time are or have been members of the Society or to any of them or to any person claiming through any of them: Provided that nothing herein contained shall prevent the payment in good faith of remuneration to any officers or servants of the Society or to any member thereof or other person in return for any services rendered to the Society.
- 6. No member or members of the General Council shall be answerable for any loss arising in the administration or application of the said trust funds or sums of money or for any damage to or deterioration that shall happen by or through his or their wilful default or neglect.
- 7. If upon the dissolution of the Society, there shall remain after the satisfaction of all its debts and liabilities,

any property whatsoever, the same shall not be paid to or distributed among the members of the Society or any of them, but shall be given or transferred to some other Society or Association, Institution or Institutions, having objects similar to the objects of the Society to be determined by the votes of not less than three-fifths of the members of the Society present personally or by proxy at a meeting called for the purpose, or in default thereof, by such Judge or Court of Law as may have jurisdiction in the matter.

8. A copy of the Rules and Regulations of the said Theosophical Society is filed with this Memorandum of Association, and the undersigned being seven of the members of the Governing Body of the said Society do hereby certify that such copy of such Rules and Regulations of the said Theosophical Society is correct.

As witness our several and respective hands, dated this 3rd day of April, 1905.

Witnesses to the Signatures:

W. Glenny Keagey ...

H. S. Olcott
W. A. English
S. Subramaniam
Francesca E. Arundale
Upendranath Basu
Annie Besant
Peroze P. Meherjee ...
N. D. Khandalavala

Rules and Regulations for the Management of the Association named the 'Theosophical Society,' Adyar, Madras

1. The General Council, which shall be the Governing Body of the Theosophical Society, shall consist of its President, Vice-President, Treasurer, and Recording Secretary and the General Secretary of each of its component National Societies, ex officio, and of not less than five other members of the Society; and not less than seven members of the General Council shall be resident in India, and of these seven there shall be not less than three who shall and three who shall not be natives

of India or Ceylon. The Recording Secretary shall be the Secretary of the General Council.

- 2. The terms of those members of the General Council who hold office ex officio shall expire with the vacation of their qualifying office, while the other members shall be elected for a term of three years, by vote of the General Council at its Annual Meeting; the names of proposed members shall be sent to all members three months before the Annual Meeting. Members retiring shall be eligible for re-election.
- 3. It shall be competent for the General Council to remove any of its members, or any officer of the Society, by a three-fourths majority of its whole number of members, at a special meeting called for the purpose, of which at least three months' notice shall have been given; the quorum consisting, however, of not less than five members.
- 4. The General Council shall ordinarily meet once a year, at the time of the Annual Meeting or Convention of the Society: but a special meeting may be called at any time by the President, and shall be called at any time by him, or if not by him, by the Recording Secretary, on the written requisition of not less than five members; but of such special meetings not less than three months' notice shall be given, and the notice shall contain a statement of the special business to be laid before the meeting.
- 5. At all meetings of the General Council, members thereof may vote in person, or in writing, or by proxy.
- 6. The quorum of an ordinary as well as of a special meeting of the General Council shall be five. If there be no quorum, the meeting may be adjourned sine die, or the Chairman of the meeting may adjourn it to another date of which three months' further notice shall be given, when the business of the meeting shall be disposed of, irrespective of whether there is a quorum present or not.
- 7. The President, or in his absence the Vice-President, of the Society, shall preside at all meetings of the Society or of the General Council, and shall have a casting vote in the case of an equal division of the members voting on any question before the meeting.

- 8. In the absence of the President and Vice-President, the meeting shall elect a Chairman from among the members present at the meeting, and he shall have a casting vote in the case of a tie.
  - 9. The term of office of the President shall be seven years.
- 10. Six months before the expiration of a President's term of office his successor shall be nominated by the General Council, at a meeting to be held by them, and the nomination shall be communicated to the General Secretaries by the Recording Secretary. Each General Secretary shall take the votes of the individual members of his National Society on the list of members forwarded to Adyar in the preceding November, and shall communicate the result to the Recording Secretary, who shall take those of the Lodges and Fellows-at-large attached to Adyar. A majority of two-thirds of the recorded votes shall be necessary for election.
- 11. The President shall nominate the Vice-President, subject to confirmation by the General Council, and his term of office shall expire upon the election of a new President.
- 12. The President shall appoint the Treasurer, the Recording Secretary and such subordinate officials as he may find necessary; which appointments shall take effect from their dates, and shall continue to be valid unless rejected by a majority vote of the whole number of members of the Executive Committee, voting in person or by proxy, at its next succeeding meeting, the newly appointed Treasurer or Recording Secretary not being present, nor counting as a member of the Executive Committee for purposes of such vote.
- 13. The Treasurer, Recording Secretary and subordinate officials, being assistants to the President in his capacity as Executive Officer of the General Council, the President shall have the authority to remove any appointee of his own to such offices.
- 14. The General Council shall at each Annual Meeting appoint an Executive Committee for the ensuing year, of whom at least two-thirds shall be members of the Council, and it shall consist of seven members, all residents of India, including the

President as ex-officio Chairman, the Vice-President when resident in Madras, the Treasurer, and the Recording Secretary as exoficio Secretary of the Committee, and three of the members of such Committee shall and three shall not be natives of India or Ceylon.

15. The Executive Committee shall, as far as convenient, meet once in every three months for the audit of accounts and the despatch of any other business. A special meeting may be called by the Chairman whenever he thinks fit, and such meeting shall be called by him, or if not by him, by the Recording Secretary when he is required to do so by not less than three members of the Committee, who shall state to him in writing the business for which they wish the meeting to assemble.

16. At a meeting of the Executive Committee, three members shall constitute a quorum.

17. The Committee shall, in the absence of the Chairman or Vice-Chairman, elect a Chairman to preside over the meeting; and in case of equality of votes the Chairman for the time being shall have a casting vote.

18. The President shall be the custodian of all the archives and records of the Society, and shall be the Executive Officer and shall conduct and direct the business of the Society in compliance with its rules; he shall be empowered to make temporary appointments and to fill provisionally all vacancies that occur in the offices of the Society, and shall have discretionary powers in all matters not specifically provided for in these Rules.

19. All subscriptions, donations and other moneys payable to the Association shall be received by the President, or the Treasurer, or the Recording Secretary, the receipt of either of whom in writing shall be a sufficient discharge for the same.

20. The securities and uninvested funds of the Society shall be deposited in the Bank of Madras; and in countries outside of India, in such Banks as the President shall select. Cheques drawn against the funds shall be signed by the President or by the Treasurer of the Society.

- 21. The funds of the Society not required for current expenses may be invested by the President, with the advice and consent of the Executive Committee, in Government or other Public securities, or in the purchase of immovable property or First Mortgages on such property, and with like advice and consent he may sell, mortgage or otherwise transfer the same, provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall apply to the property at Adyar, Madras, known as the Headquarters of the Society.
- 22. Documents and conveyances, in respect of the transfer of property belonging to the Society, shall bear the signature of the President and of the Recording Secretary, and shall have affixed to them the Seal of the Society.
- 23. The Society may sue and be sued in the name of the President.
- 24. The Recording Secretary may, with the authority of the President, affix the Seal of the Society to all instruments requiring to be sealed, and all such instruments shall be signed by the President and by the Recording Secretary.
- 25. On the death or resignation of the President, the Vice-President shall perform the duties of President, antil a successor takes office.

#### HEADQUARTERS

- 26. The Headquarters of the Society are established at Adyar, Madras, and are outside the jurisdiction of the Indian Section.
- 27. The President shall have full power and discretion to permit to any person the use of any portion of the Headquarters' premises for occupation and residence, on such terms as the President may lay down, or to refuse permission so to occupy or reside. Any person occupying or residing under the permission granted by the President shall, on a fortnight's notice given by or on behalf of the President, unconditionally quit the premises before the expiry of that period.

#### ORGANISATION

- 28. Every application for membership in the Society must be made on an authorised form, and must, whenever possible, be endorsed by two Fellows and signed by the applicant; but no person under the age of twenty-one years shall be admitted without the consent of their guardians.
- 29. Admission to membership may be obtained through the President of a Lodge, the General Secretary of a National Society, or through the Recording Secretary; and a Diploma of membership shall be issued to the Fellow, bearing the signature of the President, and countersigned by the General Secretary, where the applicant resides within the territory of a National Society, or countersigned by the Recording Secretary, if admission to membership has been obtained through the Recording Secretary.
- 30. Lodges and unattached Fellows residing within the territory of a National Society must belong to that National Society, unless coming under Rule 31.
- 31. When a Lodge or an individual Fellow is, for any serious and weighty reason, desirous of leaving the National Society, to which it, or he, belongs, but is not desirous of leaving the Theosophical Society, such Lodge or individual Fellow may become directly attached to Headquarters, severing all connection with the National Society, provided that the President, after due consultation with the General Secretary of the said National Society, shall sanction the transfer. This should equally apply in the case of the admission of any new member, and due consultation with the General Secretary of the National Society in which that new member is residing should always precede any decision for his admission.
  - 32. Lodges or Fellows-at-large, in countries where no National Society exists, must apply for their Charters or Diplomas directly to the Recording Secretary and may not, without the sanction of the President, belong to National Societies within the territorial limits of which they are not situated or resident.

33. Any seven Fellows, in a country where no National Society exists, may apply to be chartered as a Lodge, the application to be forwarded to the President of the Society through the Recording Secretary.

34. The President shall have authority to grant or refuse applications for Charters, which, if issued, must bear his signature, and that of the Recording Secretary and the Seal of the Society, and be recorded at the Headquarters of the Society.

35. A National Society may be formed by the President, upon the application of seven or more chartered Lodges.

36. All Charters of National Societies or Lodges and all Diplomas of membership derive their authority from the President, acting as Executive Officer of the General Council of the Society, and may be cancelled by the same authority.

37. Each Lodge and National Society shall have the power of making its own Rules, provided they do not conflict with the Rules of the Theosophical Society, and the rules shall become valid unless their confirmation be refused by the President.

38. Every National Society must appoint a General Secretary, who shall be the channel of official communication between the General Council and the National Society.

39. The General Secretary of each National Society shall forward to the President, annually, not later than the first day of November, a report of the year's work of his Society, and at any time furnish any further information the President or General Council may desire.

40. National Societies, hitherto known as Sections, which have been incorporated under the name of "The.... Section of the T.S.", before the year 1908, may retain that name in their respective countries, in order not to interfere with the incorporation already existing, but shall be included under the name of National Societies, for all purposes in these Rules and Regulations.

#### FINANCE

41. The fees payable to the General Treasury by Lodges not comprised within the limits of any National Society are as follows: For Charter, £1; for each Diploma of Membership, 5s.; for the Annual Subscription of each Fellow, 5s., or equivalents.

- 42. Fellows-at-large not belonging to any Lodge shall pay the usual 5s. Entrance Fee, and an Annual Subscription of £1, to the General Treasury.
- 43. Each National Society shall pay into the General Treasury 8d. (or its equivalent) for every active member on its rolls, and shall remit the same to the Treasurer on or before the first day of November of the current year.
- 44. In the event of the withdrawal from the Theosophical Society of any National Society or Lodge thereof, its constituent Charter granted by the President shall, ipso facto, lapse and become forfeited, and all property, including Charters, Diplomas, Seal, Records and other papers, pertaining to the Society, belonging to or in the custody of such National Society or Lodge, shall vest in the Society and shall be delivered up to the President in its behalf; and such National Society or Lodge shall not be entitled to continue to use the name, motto, or Seal of the Society. Provided, nevertheless, that the President shall be empowered to revive and transfer the said Charter of the seceding National Society or Lodge to such non-seceding Lodges and Fellows as in his judgment shall seem best for the interests of the Society.
- 45. The financial accounts of the Society shall be audited annually by qualified Auditors who shall be appointed by the General Council at each Annual Meeting for the ensuing year.

#### MEETINGS

46. The Annual General Meeting or Convention of the Society shall be held in India in the month of December, at such place as shall be determined by the Executive Committee in the June of each year. Lodges, desirous of inviting the Convention and able to make due arrangements for its accommodation, shall send the invitation in the March of the current

year, with particulars of the arrangements they propose to make.

- 47. That at least once in every seven years a World Convention of the Theosophical Society shall be held out of India, beginning with one in Europe at a place and date to be fixed by the General Council, but so as not to interfere with the Annual Convention in India.
- 48. The President shall have the power to convene special meetings of the Society at his discretion.

#### REVISION

49. The General Council, after at least three months' notice has been given to each member of said Council, may, by a three-fourths vote of their whole number, in person, in writing, or by proxy, make, alter or repeal the Rules and Regulations of the Society, in such manner as it may deem expedient.

### REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE ADYAR LIBRARY

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To the President, T. S.—I have much pleasure in placing before you the (28th) Adyar Library Report for the year 1914. On the whole it is a record of successful effort and of satisfactory progress. The year now completed may be described as one of the most prosperous in the history of the Library.

#### THE WAR AND OUR DIRECTOR

The only event of the past year which calls for regret is one caused by the great European War. Our Director, Dr. F. O. Schrader, being a German subject, was interned, towards the end of the year, by the military authorities, as a prisoner of war. The strict rules governing such internment make it practically impossible for him either to be kept regularly informed of the details of the work of the Library or to direct it by correspondence. It is almost superfluous to state that this enforced absence is a great loss to the Library, as we have no one on our Staff capable of even remotely replacing Dr. Schrader in his special labours in the fields of Indian philosophy and Samskrit bibliography. Indeed, his absence has caused various problems to arise, which have taught us clearly how indispensable a place our Director fills amongst us and how valuable an asset he is to the Library and its work. It is my deeply-felt duty to give expression here to the affectionate feelings of goodwill of the entire Library Staff for their absent Director, and to their earnest hope that his absence may be short and accompanied by as few hardships as possible. The Library can ill afford to do without him in the great labour of construction which, during his term of office, has already attained such notable success.

We are glad to be able to add that, though Dr. Schrader may be for the moment lost to the active work of the Library, yet his internment may have excellent results, as we learn that he has entered upon some fresh studies in his confinement, which promise much profit to the Library on his return.

The above circumstances will account for the present report being signed by the Assistant Director.

#### FINANCE

The past year has been financially an easy record. Not since the La Fuente bequest have we received such important donations. As usual during the last years Mr. A. Ostermann has acted as our faithful Mæcenas in a most generous way, for which we are profoundly grateful. Without his gifts the year would have been one of stagnation instead of progress. Thanks to his contributions not only the past year saw a marked advance, but next year's progress is assured as well.

A second benefactor, who wishes to remain anonymous, made an important donation in an original and practical form. A capital sum of Rs. 6,000 was given, to be invested in the construction of a building on the Adyar Headquarters' compound, the rent of this building to go to the Adyar Library. In this way the Headquarters are the richer by a building and the Library profits by it more than if the sum had been invested in Government paper. The building, in the shape of a very adaptable bungalow, is nearing its completion and is rapidly becoming a neat and comfortable structure.

One remark must be made under this heading of Finance. The general interest evinced in the Library within the ranks of the Society is not great, and little support comes to us from the members at large. Mr. Ostermann has during the last four years practically been alone responsible for the enormous progress made. The total donations this year beyond those of Mr. Ostermann and the Anonymous Donor mentioned above, amount only to Rs. 328-8-0, barely sufficient for the purchase of a single Encyclopædia or any single Collection of important works. Our hope is that we may be

able to spend at least Rs. 15,000 annually for the next few years, and of that sum only Rs. 6,300 comes in from regular revenues. The rest has to be made up from donations or substantial additions to our permanent capital. We urgently recommend this point to the consideration of our wealthier members interested in the development of all the activities implied in the second object of our Society.

Here follows the list of donations received during the present year:

				Rs.	A.	$\mathbf{P}_{\bullet}$
Mr. A. Ostermann, Colmar				20,451	15	0
Anonymous (to capital, Mr. Ch. Robinson	invested)			6,000	0	0
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Indian Section, T. S.				100	0	0
Mrs. Forsyth		***		31	8	0
Mr. Dulbaji Singhji				25	0	0
Mr. N. H. Cama	•••			20	0	0
			Total	26,778	7	0

In addition Mr. Ostermann sent the munificent sum of Rs. 40,421-0-9 as the nucleus of a Building Fund. This sum has been deposited in the bank until accretions shall allow active steps to be taken to prepare its being expended.

#### BUILDING

This leads to a consideration of the present condition of our housing. During the last few years the expansion of the Library has been considerable and the President of the Theosophical Society has put at our disposal one after another of the available rooms on the ground-floor of the main Headquarters' building. Now we have reached the limit of expansion in that direction and no further addition of space can be hoped for in the same main building. Material factors block our expansion finally. At the same time, the rooms now in use have already the great inconvenience of not being connected so that our collections are divided and the proper superintendence of our subordinate staff is difficult. All these reasons make it strongly desirable that we should look out with all possible diligence for means to arrive at a final solution of this housing

problem. I would submit that four factors should be borne in mind when deciding the point. They are the following:

- 1. The new Library building should stand isolated on its own plot of ground, quite self-contained and independent.
- 2. It should be built with a view to indefinite expansion so that there may be no need to demolish hereafter the previously existent parts nor even essentially to modify the main structure
- 3. It should be located further from the Adyar River than the present building.
- It should be constructed on the highest available part of the suitable site.

There is no doubt that within a maximum of three years all available room now at our disposal will be so fully utilised as to be on the verge of being choked, a state of affairs detrimental to good administration, to the right preservation of our collections and to the interests of students.

The matter is, therefore, argent and Mr. Ostermann's splendid gift has made it possible to foresee active steps being taken in the near future. Capitalist members of the Society should carefully consider these points with a view to rendering substantial assistance in this important matter.

#### New Books

(a) Books Presented to the Eastern Section.—The two most important works received in the Eastern Section are Tibetan blockprints. The first, presented by Mr. T. L. Crombie, is the well known Manikambum, and the second, presented by Mr. P. S. Jackson, is a biography of Padmasambhava. Both works are very clearly printed and in excellent condition.

In addition some 55 printed works, in Samskrit, Canarese, Tamil, Telugu, Gujerati, Persian, Hindi and Bengali, were presented. The most important one of these is a fine lithographed text edition of Firdausi's Shah-nameh, presented, through Mr. B. P. Wadia, by Mr. J. D. Mahaluxmivalla of Bombay.

(b) Books Purchased for the Eastern Section.—This year not much was done in this direction. Our purchases amounted to about 32 works, mostly Samskrit texts, among which were a new

edition of the 108 Upanishads in Devanagarī character (Bombay, 1913), complete alphabetical indexes to the four Vedas, and some of the rarer Puranas. The additions also comprise a Tamil encyclopædia and a few other important Tamil works.

(c) Books Presented to the Western Section .- The past year was also a record under this heading, both as to the number of volumes presented and as to the importance of the gifts. In all nearly 700 volumes were received in this way. The following donors and gifts may be specially mentioned:

 Mrs. Besant, a great number of books and pamphlets.
 The Editor of The Theosophist, about 215 works of a most varied character.

3. Mr. W. A. Cates, 74 volumes, already preliminarily men-

tioned in our previous report.

4. The H. P. B. Lodge of the T. S. in London, a valuable collection of 50 works which belonged to H. P. B. and contain either her autograph or dedications to her by their authors. An exceedingly important and historically interesting collection.

5. The Barcelona Lodge of the T. S. and Mr. R. Maynade of Barcelona, an exceedingly complete collection of Spanish Theosophical works, original and translated. 53 volumes.

A gift of first-rate importance.

6. Mr. C. R. L. E. Harvey, 33 volumes on miscellaneous subjects.

7. Mr. A. Ostermann, 15 miscellaneous volumes.

- 8. Mr. C. W. Leadbeater, 14 9. Mr. C. Jinarajadasa, 10 ,,
- 10. Count H. Keyserling, 9 philosophical works.

11. Mr. P. R. Green, 8 works.

12. Dr. R. Van Marle, 7

Mr. A. Schwarz, 5
 Lieut. Rohde and Mr. F. L. Woodward, each 4 volumes.

15. Mr. P. de Abrew and the University of Uppsala, each

3 volumes.

Mr. Wadia (Bombay); Mr. P. S. Jackson; Mrs. L. Edwards; Mlle. M. Bermond; Mr. N. K. Ramaswami Iyer; Mr. O. Beer; The University of Illinois; The University of Rennes,

each 2 volumes.

17. Mr. K. Amrita Row; Anonymous; Mr. Th. Vrede; Mr. B. P. Wadia; Mr. D. van Hinloopen Labberton; Mme. Soyez-le-Roy; Mr. T. L. Crombie; Señ. José Plana y Dorca; The Cherag Office, Bombay; Mr. S. N. K. Bijurkar; Mr. Aratoon; Mme. J. de Vietinghoff; Mr. Ouspensky; Mr. Johan van Manen; The Newberry Library, Chicago; The Union College, Nebraska; The University of California; The Municipal Library of Breslau; The Department of Education, Toronto, Ontario; Mr. R. B. Mezén; Mr. Syam

Sunder Das; Mrs. G. Kerr; Mr. Narayanasvami Aiyer; Mr. S. L. Gopalacharlu; Mr. C. D. Rumjanathan; The St. Louis Public Library; Señ. Rosa de Luna, each 1 volume.

These gifts amount to a total of 553 volumes. Besides these our collection was also enriched with a complete set of the publications of the Royal Geographical Society, from 1831 to 1911, comprising 133 volumes. This set was bought out of a subscription raised for the purpose by a small group of well-wishers of the Library. It may be added that this set is an exceptionally splendid one and very solidly bound. Finally the Manager of New India presented a great number of bound volumes of the Madras daily paper The Madras Standard, covering about 20 years. This collection is of great value for the study of the recent local history of Madras.

We have, in conclusion, again to thank Mr. B. P. Wadia, the Manager of the Theosophical Publishing House, for his sustained and valuable co-operation for the benefit of the Library.

(d) Books Purchased for the Western Section .- In this department the past year was also a record, as the books bought were both more numerous and more important than was the case in any previous year. A selection of the most, interesting additions is here given :

(a) Works of Reference:

Helmolt's World's History, 8 vols.

2. Monroe's Encyclopædia of Education, 5 vols. 3. Houtsma's Encyclopsedia of Islam, 1 vol. issued. 4. Herbermann's Catholic Encyclopædia, 16 vols.

5. Gunkel and Scheel's Religion in Geschichte und Gegenwart, completed.

6. Muret-Sanders, Encyclopädisches Wörterbuch, 2 vols. German and English.

Muret-Sanders, Encyclopädisches Wörterbuch, 4 vols. German and English.

Sachs-Villatte, Encyclopädisches Wörterbuch, 2 vols. German and French.

9. Clifton and Grimaux, French Dictionary, 2 vols. 10. Larousse Mensuel Illustré, 2 vols., as far as issued.

11. Haydn's Dictionary of Dates.

12. Schrader's Reallexicon der Indogermanischen Altertumskunde.

13. Bartholomew's Citizen's Atlas of the World.

14. Whitaker's Almanack, complete set from the beginning, 1869 to 1911, 43 vols.

15. Abner, The Term Catalogues, 3 vols.

 Lambros, Catalogue of the Greek Manuscripts on Mt. Athos, 2 vols.

(b) LINGUISTICS:

Tucker, Introduction to the Natural History of Language.
 Feist, Etymologisches Wörterbuch der Gothischen Sprache.

19. Mauthner, Kritik der Sprache., 3 vols.

 Brugmann and Delbrück, Vergleichende Grammatik der Indogermanischen Sprachen, 5 vols.
 Brugmann, Kurze Vergleichende Grammatik der Indoger-

manischen Sprachen

manischen Sprachen.

22. Hermann Paul, Prinzipien der Sprachgeschichte.

23. Meillet-Printz, Einführung in die Vergleichende Grammatik der Indogermanischen Sprachen.

Delbrück, Studium der Indogermanischen Sprachen.

Kleinpaul, Leben der Sprache., 3 vols.

26. v. Ginneken, Principes de Linguistique Psychologique.

27. de Saussure, Mélanges de Linguistique.

(c) Periodicals:

28. Publications of the Folklore Society, 41 vols.

29. The China Review, vols. 1-9.

Globus, complete, 98 vols.
 Mind, 20 vols. added, completing the set to date.

32. Chinese and Japanese Repository, 2 vols. (all published).

(d) COLLECTIONS AND SERIES .

33. R. A. S. Oriental Translation Fund Series, 16 vols. added.

34. An English Garner, 12 vols.

35. Kurschner's Deutsche National Litteratur, 164 volumes in 220 parts.

36. Purchas His Pilgrimes, 20 vols.

Probsthain's Oriental Series, 15 vols. added.
 Asiatic Society Monographs, vols. 1-4.

39. Library of Historic Theology, 15 vols. added.

Crown Theological Library, 36 vols. added.
 Story of the Nations Series, complete, to date, 63 vols.

(e) Collected Writings of Single Authors:

42. Eckartshausen's Schriften, 24 vols.

R. Wagner, Gesammelte Schriften, 5 vols.
 Brandes, The Garrick Shakespeare, 12 vols.

45. Works of Samuel Johnson, 16 vols.

46. F. v. Baader, Works, 16 vols. 47. F. v. Schlegel, Works, 15 vols.

(f) ART:

48. Morrison, The Painters of Japan, 2 vols.

49. Richter and Taylor, The Golden Age of Christian Classic Art.

50. Humphries, Oriental Carpets, Runners, and Rugs.

51. Joly, Legend in Japanese Art.

(g) RELIGION: 52. Chantepie de la Saussaye, Religionsgeschichte, 2 vols.

53. Meyer, Altgermanische Religionsgeschichte.

 Jastrow, Die Religion Babyloniens und Assyriens, 2 vols. and Atlas.

55. Orelli, Allgemeine Religionsgeschichte, 2 vols.

56. Wilmers, Geschichte der Religion.57. Coleman, Mythology of the Hindus.

58. Wallis Budge, Book of the Dead, 2 vols.

59. ,, Osiris and the Egyptian Resurrection, 2 vols.

60. Fergusson, Tree and Serpent Worship.

61. Golther, Handbuch der Germanischen Mythologie.

(h) INDIA:

62. Risley, Tribes and Castes of Bengal, 2 vols.
63. Lassen, Indische Altertumskunde, 4 vols.
64. Sherring, Hindu Tribes and Castes, 2 vols.

(i) PHILOSOPHY:

65. Wundt, Sinnliche und Übersinnliche Welt.66. Drews, Die Deutsche Spekulation seit Kant.

67. Wundt, Völkerpsychologie, 4 vols.

68. Preger, Geschichte der Deutschen Mystik im Mittelalter, 3 vols.

69. Pfeiffer, Deutsche Mystiker.

70. Bell Pettigrew, Design in Nature, 3. vols.

(j) HISTORY OF CULTURE:

71. Von Hehn, Kulturpflanze und Haustiere.

72. Schurtz, Urgeschichte der Kultur.

73. Sophus Muller, Nordische Altertumskunde, 2 vols.

(k) MISCELLANEOUS:

74. Hirt, Die Indogermanen.

75. Hanotaux, Contemporary France, 4 vols.

76. Hall, International Law.

#### NEW MANUSCRIPTS

The new Manuscripts added to the Library during the year were all in Sanskrit. Our record was again a splendid one, though not so good as that attained by the phenomenal increase in 1914. 293 bundles were purchased and 34 bundles presented, containing, respectively, 494, and 48 separate works, making in all 327 bundles and 542 works. In the absence of our Director we shall not give a detailed list of the rarer of these MSS. as was done last year, but leave them over to be dealt with minutely in the next report if our Director is again with us. It may, however, at once be stated that a good percentage of rare works is contained in the newly acquired collection. In the case of a few works we may make an exception. The first is the Kaivalyadīpikā by Kṛṣṇa. This rare work was already known in a Tamil translation for

which numerous Tamil commentaries have been written. The original of this important Advaita work was considered lost but is now rediscovered. The copy secured for the Library is written in Grantha characters, on paper, and is accompanied by a commentary by Kṛṣṇasuddhi. It measures about 3,000 granthas. This copy has been lent to us for copying and the copy has been completed. A few other titles of interest, selected more or less at random, from among the rich list of acquisitions, are:

Kaivailyopanişaddīpikātailam (Advaita), by Appayadīksita. Brahmavinnidhi, (Advaita). Puruṣārthasudhinidhi (Advaita), by Jñānendrasarasvati. Mukticandrikā (Anubhavādvaita), by Appayasivāchārya.

In addition to the above a number of MSS, were, as usual, acquired through copying. The customary statistics concerning this activity are as follows.

Twenty-six complete works were copied, measuring 57.895 granthas (of 32 syllables each). In addition 18 works were copied in part, measuring 85.136 granthas. These are to be completed this year. Thus the copying for the past twelve months totalled 143.031 granthas. The collation done during the year amounted to 5.523 granthas, covering 2 complete works.

#### STAFF AND WORK DONE (EXCEPT EDITORIAL)

As in previous years the work in the Eastern Section was exclusively done by the permanent Staff, whilst in the Western Section several temporary and voluntary workers assisted.

During the first three quarters of the year the Library had the full benefit of Dr. Schrader's guidance. From that period his enforced absence has been a heavy loss to the Library. Through necessarily restricted correspondence he remains however to a limited extent in contact with the Library activities.

Eastern Section.—Paṇḍit Rāmānujācārya was during the year almost entirely engaged in editorial work on the Ahirbudhnya-Saṃhitā. In addition to this, and together with Paṇḍit Jagannāthakāvyaratnatīrtha, he prepared, up till May, some descriptive slips for Bengali and Oṛiyā MSS. and also some slips for the catalogue of Nyāya MSS.

Pandit K. Gopalaiyer was mainly engaged with his usual work of cataloguing new books and MSS. in the Eastern Section, but in addition he went on tour from May 5th to June 10th and visited Madura, Kanadi, Sivaganga, Srirangam and Koduvayur. He collected a goodly number of valuable MSS., mostly on Advaita, Anubhavādvaita, Pāñcarātra, Silpa and Srauta.

The Pandits N. Rāmanātha Sāstrī and S. K. Rāmanātha Sāstrī prepared about 1,000 slips for old MSS., and examined several collections of new MSS. offered for sale. The former was also engaged for two months in collating different printed and MS. recensions of the Harivamsa.

Paṇḍit Padmanābha S'āstrī left us in February to take up an appointment in the Madras Samskrit College as a Professor of Mīmāṃsā.

Paṇḍit Kṛṣṇamācārya was absent on sick leave for about six months. He rejoined the Library in August but left its service definitely in November.

Pandit Jagannāthakāvyaratnatīrtha finished his temporary labour of cataloguing the Samskrit MSS, written in the Oriyā and Bengali characters and so his appointment came to an end. His work was highly satisfactory.

Western Section.—Mr. W. A. Cates again has proven himself to be an invaluable asset in all branches of the Library routine work and has put in a year of brilliant work. In fact, he is now our chief Assistant in the Western Section.

Mrs. C. W. Godefroy has patiently continued her labour of preparing a comprehensive scheme for a common subject-index or catalogue of the contents of the Orientalistic Magazines and collective publications in the Library, and, incidentally of an Index to the transactions of the International Congresses of Orientalists.

Mr. S. Siva Row has likewise continued his indexing work of the first 35 volumes of *The Theosophist*. The complete draft is now ready and the whole is in process of final revision. Mr. Siva Row also gave occasional assistance in various minor Library activities.

Mr. Thomas Prime has devoted himself again most industriously to the Press Cutting Department which now can offer full scope to the energies of an additional worker.

Mrs. H. Gillespie has made herself very useful in various ways and has done especially valuable work in classifying subject-index slips of articles in journals and magazines. (See also under the heading "Museum".)

Mrs. L. Nettell has materially assisted the Press Cutting work by unweariedly reading and marking the never-diminishing stacks of daily papers.

Miss A. Bell also assisted for some time with zeal and enthusiasm, mainly in classifying pamphlets according to subjects.

#### EDITORIAL WORK

The main editorial work of the year consisted in seeing the Ahirbudhnya-Samhitā through the press. The text, forming two volumes, is now printed but for the few final formes. The Introductions, Indexes, Notes and other additional matter are well in hand and mostly finished in manuscript. The internment of Dr. Schrader may cause a delay in the publication of this remarkable work, which, otherwise, should see the light early in 1915.

#### BINDING

Our binding record too is better this year than it has been in any previous one. 900 books and 1,000 pamphlets were bound. Our arrears are diminishing rapidly and but for the unfortunately too numerous lacunæ in our many files of unbound magazines we should come up to date, in the coming year, with this part of our work. The co-operation of the Vasanta Press and its capable Superintendent Mr. A. K. Sitarāma Sāstrī should again find here grateful acknowledgment.

#### MUSEUM

A splendid gift, which, perhaps, should be mentioned under a special heading, but which, for convenience sake, is recorded here, is one by the Italian Section of the T.S. It consists of a collection of magnificent photographs of examples of Italian religious art. This collection, numbering about 1,000 pieces, is neatly mounted on cardboard and arranged in 24 albums of about 40 photographs each.

Mrs. H. Gillespie indexed, classified and arranged this

collection with great discrimination.

Mrs. Besant presented again several curios and objects of historical value for the T.S. The most important are a magnificent silver casket, presented to her by the Indian Section of of the T.S., together with the suberbly illuminated address which accompanied it.

#### SHELVING, LIGHTING AND FURNITURE

Additional shelving was put into stackroom No. 2 and this room is now fully utilised, containing about 800 feet of shelf space which leaves no room for further expansion.

Stackroom No. 3 will be similarly treated during the current year, after which all available space in the Headquarters Building will have been used up. And even so we shall lack an additional room which is much needed, for purposes of packing, sorting, storing lumber and duplicates as well as matter in suspense for the moment.

Electric lighting was extended in the Reading Room and also in stackrooms Nos. 2 and 3.

Some additional Library furniture and fittings were likewise acquired.

#### EXCHANGES

One of the most gratifying items of the past year was the definite entry of our Library into exchange-relations with a great number of other Libraries throughout the world. We sent a copy of our last report to about 350 other Libraries, with a request to be entered on their exchange-list. A very cordial and ready response to this request was given by about 75 Libraries, and in many cases the Officers of these Institutions gave most valued expression to their fraternal interest and goodwill, in many cases presenting us in addition with their sundry publications, often of intrinsic value. We hereby beg to tender

our hearty thanks to these friendly colleagues and to point out how important such valuable co-operation is for us, situated as we are in a fairly remote corner of the world, far from the foci of civilisation's intellectual activity.

We have to thank the following Libraries and Institutions for their Reports or other Publications:

British Empire.—Bayswater, London (Incorp. National Lending Library for the Blind): Birmingham (Public Libraries): Blackburn (Free Library): Brighton (Public Library): Bristol (Public Libraries): Cardiff (Central Library): Dundee (Free Libraries): Fulham (Public Libraries): Glasgow (Baillie's Institution Library and Mitchell Library): Hornsey, London (Borough Library): Leeds (Free Public Libraries): Melbourne, Australia (Public Library): Newcastle-upon-Tyne (Public Libraries): Ontario, Canada (Dept. of Education): Oxford (Bodleian Library): Portsmouth (Free Public Libraries): S. Australia (Public Library): Westminster (Public Libraries).

United States.—Baltimore City (Enoch Pratt Free Library): Berkeley, California (University Library): Chicago (Newberry Library and University Library): Haverhill, Mass. (Public Library): Lynn, Mass. (Public Library): Missouri (University Library): Nebraska (Central Union College): Newark, N. J. (Public Library): New York (Columbia University: Pratt Institute, Free Library: Public Library): Peoria, Ill. (Public Library): Providence, R. I. (Public Library): St. Louis (Mercantile Library Association and Public Library): Virginia (State Library): Washington, D. C. (Public Library): Worcester, Mass. (Free Public Library): Yale (University Library): Manilla (Philippine Library).

Germany and Austria-Hungary.—Baden (Grand Ducal Royal and National Library): Bergisch-Gladbach (Public Library and Reading-Room): Berlin (Royal Library): Breslau (Town Library): Danzig (City Library): Dresden (Royal Public Library): Düsseldorf (National and City Library): Frankforton-the Main (Free Library and Reading Room): Fürth in Bayern (Society for Popular Education): Göttingen (Royal University Library): Hamburg (City Library): Königsberg (Royal and University Library): Lemberg (Ukrain Sevcenko Scientific Society): Lübeck (City Library): Mährisch-Trübau (Imperial State Gymnasium): Mainz (Civic Science and Art Collection): Posen (Kaiser Wilhelm Library): Stuttgart (People's Library): Vienna (Imperial Natural History Museum and "Central Library" Society).

Russia.—Kharkov (Public Library): Odessa (Poushkin Library): Perm (Public Municipal Library): Saratov (Public Library).

Japan.—Osaka Library: Tokyo (Ohashi Public Library).

Sweden.-Uppsala (University Library).

Holland .- Rotterdam (Municipal Library and Reading-Room).

Belgium.—Antwerp (Chief City Library).

Bulgaria.—Plovdiv (National Library). Cuba.—Havana (National Library). France.—Rennes (University). Switzerland.—Bern (Town Library).

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#### MINUTES

Of a Meeting of the General Council, T. S., held at Adyar Headquarters, on December 27, 1914, at 9-30 a.m.

# PRESENT:

Mrs. Annie Besant ... President

Mr. J. R. Aria ... Recording Secretary

" A. Schwarz ... Treasurer

Pandit I. N. Gurtu ... General Secretary, T.S. in India

Mr. C. Jinarajadasa ... Councillor

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Mr. Samuel Studd ... Official Representative, T. S. in

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" J. Van Manen … Official Representative, T. S. in Italy

" J. I. Wedgwood … Unofficial Representative, T. S. in England and Wales

- The Minutes of the Meeting of December 26, 1913, having been previously circulated were taken as read, and confirmed.
- 2. The votes of the Councillors on the re-election of Sir S. Subramania Iyer and Mr. C. Jinarajadasa were all in favour; hence they were re-elected as Additional Members of the General Council for 3 years.

- 3. The proposed modification of Rule 46 contained in the President's printed circular letter of 14th September 1914, viz., "The Annual General Meeting or Convention of the Society shall be held in India in the month of December, at such place as shall be determined by the Executive Committee in the June of each year. Lodges, desirous of inviting the Convention and able to make due arrangements for its accommodation, shall send the invitation in the March of the current year, with particulars of the arrangements they propose to make," was fully discussed and was found very useful from the standpoint of propaganda, so it was finally passed by a majority of 24 for, 1 against and 1 neutral; the remaining votes of the Council will be registered as they arrive, some being delayed by the abnormal circumstances.
- 4. The Treasurer's Report and Balance Sheet, provisionally passed by the Executive Committee, was finally passed by the General Council, with a strong request to the President, T. S., that she would appeal to the members of the T. S. for donations to cover the deficit, to which she cordially agreed.
- 5. The Budget items were discussed at length and the following Resolutions were unanimously passed:
- (i) That the Annual contribution by the Theosophical Society to Adyar Library should be reduced from Rs. 2,500 to Rs. 1,500 in view of the fact that Adyar Library had a large balance in hand for the current year.
- (ii) That the Garden expenses should be reduced and no further money should be spent on costly experiments in fruit cultivation, save in continuation of those already begun, and until the success was tested.
- (iii) That plots of land, especially in Damodar Gardens, should be let out for cultivation at fairly good rates.
- (iv) That only casuarina, cocoa-nut and cactus should be planted, or others which would give a good return in due course without much expense.

T.S. BUDGET FROM 1st DECEMBER 1914, TO 30th NOVEMBER 1915

INCOME	Rs.	A. 1	P.	EXPENDITURE	Rs.	A.	P.
Fees and Dues (out- standing from 1914) Fees and Dues per 1915 Rent and Interest Garden Produce Deficit for which dona- tions are solicited	3,000 11,000 15,000 5,000	0	000	Telegrams and Postage Motor-car Stable Taxes Servants' Wages Establishment Charges Lighting	600 1,500 600	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	000000000000000000000000000000000000000
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# ADYAR LIBRARY BUDGET FROM 1st DEC. 1914, TO 30th NOW. 1915

INCOME	Rs.	A.	P.	EXPENDITURE	Rs.	A.	P.
Balance from 1913 to 1914 Interest on Capital Contribution from T.S.	10,000 3,850 1,500	0 0 0	0	Salaries Rent for Olcott Gardens Fire Insurance Books and Periodicals MSS. and Travelling Expenses Postages, Stationery, Bookbinding, etc	6,000 300 293 5,000 2,000 1,757	0	0000
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6. Mr. J. Van Manen, not desiring to be re-elected as a member of the Executive Committee, T. S., it was Resolved: that Mr. C. Jinarajadasa be elected in place of Mr. J. Van Manen, and that the Executive Committee, T. S., for 1915, should consist

of Dr. Sir S. Subramania Iyer, Dr. W. A. English, Mr. B. P. Wadia and Mr. C. Jinarajadasa in addition to the President, Recording Secretary and Treasurer, T. S. ex officio. Carried unanimously.

7. Resolved: That the Chartered Accountant, Mr. P. R. Lakshmanram be reappointed Auditor for the year 1915 on the usual remuneration. Carried unanimously.

The Council adjourned at 11 a.m.

# BRANCHES

OF THE

# THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

(Corrected up to December 1914.)

# The T. S. in America

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Place	Name of the	Branch.	Date of Charter	President.		Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
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ig Rapids,	Big Rapids		1914			Mrs. Cora F. Karshuer	519 North State Street.
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Alabama oston, Mass	Alpha		1897	J. Middleton		Miss M. Boice	72 Huntington Ave.
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Do	Huntington		1904	Mrs. V. Thelen		O. V. Dahl	71 L. St., S. Boston.
Do	Olcott		1910	***		Miss Selma Fritz	26 Batavia Street.

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Brooklyn, N. 3	7.	Brooklyn		1904	H. C. Stowe		Miss J. van Nostrand		95 Lafayette Avenue.
Suffalo, N. Y.		Buffalo		1897	Dr. T. P. C. Barnard		J. E. Taylor		256 Main Street.
Butte, Mont.		Butte		1896	J. E. Lostin		D. Mortimer		436 Phoenix Building.
hicago, Ill.		Adyar		1909	D. S. M. Unger		H. A. Alexander		Des Plaines, Illinois.
Do.		Akbar		1912	Dr. Weller van Hook		Mrs. Clara J. Kocherspe	rger	7212 Coles Avenue.
Do.		Annie Besant		1909	J. C. Myers		Mrs. E. L. Storer		25 East Walton Place.
Do.		Auburn Park					Dr. E. B. Backwith		8030 Emerald Ave.
Do.		Central of Chicago		1909	Miss G. Wilson		Mrs. E. C. Abbott		175 W. Jackson Boulevard
Do.		Chicago		1885	Miss Julia K. Sommer		Mrs. Kate G. Hill		2537 Michigan Avenue.
Do.		Chicago North Sl	hore	1911	J. L. Healy		Mrs. F. M. Robinson		Hollywood, Ill.
Do.		German Morning	Star	1912	Dr. Earl Freitag		Mrs. M. Ulrich		1328 Belmont Ave.
Do.		Kenwood		1909	Mrs. F. U. West	***	Mrs. A. A. Rolfe		4459 Oakenwald Avenue.
Do.		Leadbeater		1911	Mrs. F. T. Breese		Max R. Schneider	•••	1607 Lake View Building
Do.		Sampo		1910	J. Forssell		Gust, Jacobson		2933 Wentworth Avenue.
Cleveland, Ol	nio	Cleveland		1897	T. J. Phillips	***	Mrs. A. C. Phillips	***	8303 Superior Avenue.
Do.		Kipina		1911	G. Parala		Emil Kaarna		37 Phillips Street.

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Cleveland, Ohio	Viveka		1909	Miss A. Goedhart	 1 1	 10417 Kempton Avenue.
Colorado	Colorado Springs		1914		Mrs. Dawson Hawkins	 1306 Wood Avenue.
Springs Columbus, Ohio	Columbus		1914		Mrs. Harriet Schwarz	 256 East Main Street.
Council Bluffs,	Council Bluffs		1909	Mrs. Effie M. Smith	 Mrs. E. M. Smith	 126 S. Seventh Street.
Ia. Crookston,	Crookston		1910	Dr. W. A. Robertson	 H. H. Neals	 Box 210.
Minn, Dallas, Texas	Dallas		1914	·	Miss M Fouraker	 Scollard Building.
Danvers, Mass.	Danvers		1908	Mrs. Mary L. Jacobs	 Mrs. F. Robbins	 9 Ash Street.
Davenport,	Tri-City		1914		Miss E. M. Barthel	
Iowa Denver, Colo	Denver		1897		Mrs. Ida Blakemore	 Ill. 1723 Park Avenue.
	Colorado		1906	George Riblet	 Mrs. L. A. Chapman	 3861 Raleig Street.
Des Moines,	Des Moines		1914	***	G. Powlison	 1037 West 18th Street.
Iowa Detroit, Mich	Detroit		1897	Dr. M. Meddaugh	 Mrs. A. E. Meddaugh	 357 Warren Avenue, W.
	Vivelius		1905	Mrs. E. T. Clough	 	 248 Belvedere Avenue.
Duluth, Minn,	Duluth		1906	Mrs, A. Taylor	 Miss Mary Austin	 503 Sellwood Building
	El Paso	***	1914		 W. H. Brophy	 413 East Boulevard.

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Evanston, Ill	Evanston	]	1912	W. Burr Allen	 Mrs. Ella D. C utlor	632 Hinman Avenue.
Everett, Wash.	Everett		1914		Mrs. Alice Wilber	 3325 Rockefeller Avenue.
Fairhope, Ala.	Fairhope		1914		Mrs. Elva Troyer	 
Fort Worth, Texas	Fort Worth		1913	Walton Peteet	 Mrs. A. Brownson	 2701 Rosen Avenue.
Freeport, Ill	Freeport		1898	T. D Wilcoxen	 Miss W. Yung Kunz	 129 Carroll Street.
Fremont, Nebr.	Fremont		1907	Mrs. H. Stephens	 Mrs. M. E. Butt	 609 N. H. Street.
Fresno,	Fresno		1914		Ch. Eldred	 475 Inez Street.
California Galveston,	Galveston		1914		W. Pruessner	 1515 31st Street.
Texas Grand Rapids,	Grand Rapids		1903	Miss May Kunz	 Miss Alice Kunz	 875 Franklin Street.
Mich. Do	Н. Р. В.		1909	Miss May Godfrey	 J. B. Howard	 903 Michigan Trust Building
Great Falls,	Great Falls		1902	E. B. Largent	 H. S. Benson	 Great Falls, Mont.
Mont. Hart, Mich	Hart		1910		Mrs. E. Smith	 123 N. Warren Avenue, Big
Hartford, Conn.	Connecticut		1914		George Bacon	 Rapids. Box 188.
Helena, Mont.	Helena		1908	Frank W. Mettler	 Mrs. Nora Lewis	 1035 Twelfth Avenue.
Holyoke, Mass.	Holyoke		1899	N. P. Avery	 Mrs. J. N. Ferris	 1236 Dwight Street.
Honolulu, H. I.	Honolulu		1902	E. Sanford	 Francis Evans	 1479 Young Street.
Houston, Texas	Houston		19 1	2 Mrs. Vernon Major	 W. L. Underhill	 919 Dallas Ave.

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Jackson, Mich	Jackson		1897	Mrs. M. I. Lewis	 Mrs. Garnet Thatcher	 414 Webb Street.
Kansas City, Mo	. Kansas City		1897	Elliot Holbrook	 Miss Clara Linder	 3126 Washington Street.
La Grange, Ill	La Grango		1911	Mrs. M. V. Garnsey	 W. P. Fogg	 18 5th Ave.
Lima, Ohio	. Lima		1898	Wm. van Horn	 L. P. Tolby	 864 W. Wayne High Street.
Lincoln, Nebr	. Lincoln		1899	Miss A. E. Stephenson	 Miss L. Follett	 721 First Nat. Bank Bldg.
Long Beach,	Long Beach		1913	Dr. C. H. Maloney	 Dr. Bessie Haines	 434½ W. 8th Street.
os Angeles, Cal.	Hollywood		1913	Miss I. B. Holbrook	 Miss Emily Wilder	 Krotona.
Do	Krotona		1913	Mrs. Marie Russak	 Mrs. E. Broenniman	 Krotona.
Do	Los Angeles		1894	C. K. Holland	 A. P. Moran	 408 W. 65th Street,
ouisville, Ky.	Louisville		1908	Geo. H. Wilson	 T. M. Gillmore	 1012 Starks Bldg.
elrose High- lands, Mass.	Melrose Highlands		1905	Mrs. Mary D. Jones	 Mrs. Jessie Jones	 Spring Street.
ilwaukee, Wis.	Milwaukee		1910	F. E. King	 Miss M. Zemlock	 457 Cass Street.
inneapolis, Minn.	Minneapolis		1897	C. E. Lowder	 Miss Suzanne Kranz	 70 S. 11th Street.
Do.	St. Anthony		1906	Dr. Geo. F. James	 Mrs. T. G. Lee	 509 River Road, S. E.
Do.	Star of the North		1914		F. Koester	 600 Lumber Exchange

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Do.	Yggdrasil		1897	G. L. Nelson	 M. Michalls		3841, 10th Avenue.
Mt. Vernon, N.Y.	Mt. Vernon		1914		Miss Margaret Gould		7 Fletcher Ave.
Muskegon, Mich.	Muskegon		1890	F. A. Nims	 Mrs. Minnie W. Chase		658 Lake Street.
Do.	Unity		1910	Mrs. J. Butterworth	 Mrs. Loretta Booth		57, 4th Street.
Newark, N. J	Newark		1908	Richard M. Dubs	 Mrs. L. H. Colvin		235, Sixth Avenue.
New Haven	New Haven		1914		Miss E. Mckeown		483 Orange Street.
Conn. New Orleans,	New Orleans		1898		Miss Muriel Mitchell		7730 Jeanette Street.
La. Do.	Truthseekers		1912	Mrs. J. H. Devereux	 Mrs. Florence Howard		3513 St. Charles Avenue.
New Rochelle,	New Rochelle		1914		Mrs. Joslyn		222 Centre Avenue.
N. Y. New York, N. Y.	Central		1908	Mrs. Grace Shaw Duff	 Miss H. V. Bailow		318 W. 51st Street.
Do.	New York		1897	Miss M. E. Slater	 Mrs. Eggleston		2228 Broadway.
Do.	Unity		1913	L. W. Rogers	 Miss Kershaw	***	55 Wallstr.
Do.	Upasika		1912	M. J. Whitty	 Miss S. L. Peckham		507 W. 139th Street.
Norfolk, Va	Norfolk	***	1904	D. M. Myers	 James Bibb		314 Mobray Arch.
Oakland, Cal	Oakland		1898	A. M. Weitman	 Mrs J. Foster		3573 Diamond Avenue.
Ogden, Utah	Ogden		1914		John Porter		2521 Adams Street.
Oklahoma City (Okla.)	Oklahoma		1914		F. Henkel		531 East, 8th Street.

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Omaha, Nebr	Omaha		1910	B. F. Miller		Mrs. K. P. Eklund		4010 D L Cii
Orange, N. J	Olcott		1909			Mrs. G. P. Swain	4,4,6	55 Essex Avenue.
Pasadena, Cal	Pasadena		1896	Mrs. I. M. Clough	***	Mrs. Delia L. Colville	***	1008 Garfield Avenue.
Paterson, N. J	Paterson		1910	Mrs. C. E. Ward	***	Miss Martha Bazdorf	•••	41 Olympia Street.
Pelham, N. Y	Pelham		1910	Mrs. Florence Burnett	t .,,	Mrs. Fannie Brook		328 Sixth Avenue.
Philadelphia,Pa.	Philadelphia		1897	H. F. Munro	,	Miss Caryl Annear	***	73 Douglas St. W.
Pittsburg, Pa			1909	***.		Mrs. D. Manning		615 Union Bk. Building.
Pittsburg, Pa	Pittsburg	***	1907	Mrs. W. H. McAfee	.,,	Mrs. Nelle R. Eberhart		5301 Northumberland Aye
Port Huron,	Port Huron		1910	Mrs. Vera Clark		Mrs. S. A. Peck		1507 Military Street,
Mich. Portland, Ore-	Portland		1911	Mrs. Mildred Kyle		Mrs. L. MacGregor		2101 Tillamook St.
gon Reading, Pa			1910	E. Kingkinger	127.	Lewis C. Greim		715 Dick Street.
Reno, Nevada	Reno		1909	Mrs. M. Menardi		John H. Wigg	.,,	134 Bell St.
Riverside, Cal.			1914			A. E. Thomas		Woodbine and Grove St.
Rochester, N.Y.			1909	C. F. Bragdon		Miss A. Scranton	•••	83 Avenue, D
	Rochester		1907	Mrs. G. E. Rockwood		Miss Rockwood	***	58 Bly St.

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Do	White Lotus	 1913	Miss F. C. Goddard	 Richard Kock		90 Columbia Ave.
Roxbury, Mass.	Roxbury	 1909	Dr. W. B. Guy	 W. W. Harmon		Harvard Square, Cambridge, Mass.
Marie and a second and a second as a secon	Sacramento	1910		Miss Smith		1332 N. St.
Cal. Saginaw, Mich.	Saginaw	 1898	Mrs. E. L. Bradt	 F. G. Combs		307 Owen Street.
St. Joseph, Mo.	St. Joseph	 1897	Mrs. Salina Sharp	 Mrs. E. Riggs		502 Corby Forsee Bldg.
St. Louis, Mo	Brotherhood	 1911	F. Trimavesi	 Mrs. Emma Niedner		4249 Shenandoah.
St. Paul, Minn.	St. Paul	 1891	Dr. John McLean	 W. Tayler		319 Wilder Avenue.
Salt Lake City,	Salt Lake City	 1909	Wentworth Rice	 F. T. Terriberry		Calder's Station.
Utah San Antonio,	San Antonio	 1910	Mrs. Weatherhead	 Mrs. E. M. Reed		511 Gibbs Bldg.
Texas San Diego, Cal.	Annie Besant	 1897	Mrs. J. M. Schinkel	 Mrs. A. Robinson	***	Point Loma, Cal.
San Francisco,	Golden Gate	 1895		Mrs. E. J. Eaton		1472 Golden Gate Avenue.
Cal. Do	San Francisco	 1901	W. J. Walters	 D. A. Allen		1326 Sixth Avenue.
San Jose, Cal	San Jose	 1911	Guilford Reed	 W. F. Davis		350 N. Ninth Street.
Santa Cruz, Cal.	Santa Cruz	 1896	Mrs. Ida Springer	 Mrs. Nellie H. Uhden		145 Third Street.
Santa Rosa, Cal.	Santa Rosa	 1909	C. Nielsen	 Mrs. L. M. Zoberbier		433 Humboldt Street.
Seattle, Wash.	Seattle	 1896	Ray Wardall	 Mrs. L. E. Barrett		2343 N. 51st Street.
Sheridan, Wyo.	Sheridan	 1896	F. Herbst	 Perry Hulse		Box 453.

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South Pasadena,	South Pasadena	1913	Henry Chough		Mrs. C. S. Sheffield	1019 Montrose Avenue.
Cal. Spokane, Wash.	Spokane	1903	W. E. R. Brewster		Mrs. Durham	The Garry Apts, 3rd Lincoln Street.
pringfield,	Springfield	1907	Fred. Hart		Miss Bunkar	95 Mulberry Street.
Mass, uperior, Wis	Superior	1900	Mrs. Alice L. L. Booth		W. E. Haily	219 Truax Bldg.
Do	Superior North Star	1911	Mrs. Edith Conklin		A. L. Williams	1512 Baxter Avenue.
yracuse, N.Y.	Syracuse	1897	Henry E. de Voe		Mrs. E. Cardner	212 Park Avenue.
acoma, Wash.	Tacoma	1899	Dr. Wm. Snell		G. A. Weber	1529 S. E. Street.
Do	Unity	1914			W. Snell	1731 N. Prospect Street, N.
ampa, Fla	Tampa	1909			G. P. Sullivan	Box 598,
oledo, Ohio	Harmony	1910			Miss N. Parshall	34 The Undine Apt.
Do	Toledo	1892	Mrs. Clara Bowser		Mrs. G. Curtis	1127 Horace Street.
opeka, Kan	Topeka	1897	Francis Grover	***	Mrs. Jennie Griffin	714 Horne Street.
fallace, Idaho	Wallace	1914			Mrs. Elizabeth Sutherland	Idaho.
Vashington, D.C.	Capital City	1907	Dr. W. W. Baker		Miss E. C. Gray	Box 3211.
Do	Washington	1897	Dr. G. H. Wright		Mrs. C. Gillett	307 B. Street S.E.

Webb City, Mo.	Webb City	•••	1909			Miss E. Watson		824 West, 3rd Street.
				British Ameri	ca			
Calgary, Alta	Calgary		1914			W. Midgley		Merchants' Bank of Canada.
Edmonton, Alta.	Edmonton		1911	A. F. Saunders		Miss Turner	***	10041, 108th Street.
Kelowna, B.C.	Kelowna		1913	W. B. Pease		S. M. Gore		Box 382.
Montreal, Que.	Montreal		1905	E. R. Dalley		Miss G. I. Watson		P. O. Box 672.
Regina, Sask	Regina		1911	John Hawkes		Mrs. E. Stevens		1031 Elliott Street.
Toronto, Onta-	Toronto		1891	A. G. Horwood		Roy Mitchell		Canadian Forester's Bldgs.
rio Vancouver, B.C.	Lotus		1909	G. A. Love		W. Cairns	•••	313 Dominion Building.
Do	Orpheus		1912	Mrs. C. Chappell		Adamson		1425 Barrard Street.
Do	Vancouver		1898	Wm. C. Clark		K. Mc. Kenzie		910, 8th Avenue, W.
Victoria, B.C	Victoria	***	1901	Capt. C. E. Clark		Arthur Long		General Delivery, Victoria.
Winnipeg, Manit.	Winnipeg		1911			William Long		Inland Rev. Dept.

						Calgary, Elter Dalgay	

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Place.		Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.		Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Baildon		Baildon Lodge	. 1913	Miss Poole	•••	Mr. J. Midgley	 Blavatsky House, E. Parade.
Bath	•••	Bath Lodge	. 1900	Miss Sweet		Miss K. Douglas Fox	 3 Widcombe Terrace, Bath.
Bedford		Bedford Lodge	1912	Mrs. Alan Leo		Mrs. De Jouge	 41 Goldington Avenue.
Birkenhead		Wirral Lodge	1911	Mrs. Duckworth		Miss K. Baxter	 The Heys, Eastham, Birkenhead.
Birmingham		Birmingham Lodge	1890	A. Phillips		Miss E. M. Smith	 355 Rotten Park Road, Edgbaston, Birmingham.
Do,		Annie Besant Lodge	1908	George Tubbs		Miss K. E. G. Cardo	 507 Coventry Road, Birmingham.
Blackburn		Blackburn Lodge	1911	R. F. Morse		Miss F. H. Bell	 21 Oozebooth Ter. Shear Brow.
Blackpool		Blackpool Lodge	1909	P. Nicholas		Miss Howson	 Bryngola, North Shore, Blackpool.
Bournemouth		Bournemouth Lodge	1892	Dr. Nunn	•••	Mrs. Nunn	 Gestingthorpe, Bournemouth.
Bradford		Bradford Lodge	1902	F. D. Harrison	***	Miss Pattinson	 41 Woodview, Bradford.

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Brighton	 Brighton Lodge		1890	Mme. Delaire	•••	Miss F. Gregory	***	35 Pembroke Crescent, Hove.
Bristol	 Bristol Lodge		1912	E. G. Palmer		C. K. Fitz Herbert		Clifton, Bristol.
Burnley	 Burnley Lodge		1912	Mrs. Lancaster		Mrs. Long		18 Lark Street, Burnley.
Cambridge	 Cambridge Lodge		1912					
Cardiff	 Cardiff Lodge		1911	Mrs. A. Pelham		B. P. Howell		41 Stacey Road, Cardiff.
Chatham	 Chatham					Miss Ewart		515 Canterbury Road, Kent.
Cheltenham	 Cheltenham Lodge		1909	Dr. E. W. Wilkins		Miss E, Garnham	٠	4 S. Marg. Terr., Cheltenham.
Coventry	 Olcott Lodge	***	1912	Mrs. Nevill		C. W. Guest		25 Highland Road, Coventry.
Croydon	 Croydon Lodge		1898	P. Tovey		Miss C. Elson		8 Oliver Ave., S. Norwood.
Derby	 Derby Lodge		1909	J. W. C. Perkins		Mrs. Heldreich		Mickleover, Derby.
Dover	 Leo Lodge		1909	W. Woodruff		R. Igglesden		99 Barton Road, Dover.
Eastbourne	 Eastbourne Lodge		1912	LtCol. R. Nicholson		Miss F. J. Taylor		Rest Harrow, East Dean Road, Eastbourne.

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Exeter	 Exeter Lodge	1914	R. S. Clarke		Miss A. L. Leech		169 A, Fore Street, Exeter.
Folkestone	 Folkestone Lodge .	1909	H. de C. Matthews		Miss L. Edwards		Scorncliffe Rd., Folkestone.
Houcester	 Gloucester Lodge .	1913	Mrs. Garnett		B. A. Tomes		Central Road, Gloucester.
Harpenden	 Harpenden Lodge	1912	F. E. Pearce		O. Godman		Oswald Road, Harpenden.
Iarrogate	 Harrogate Lodge	1892	A. Hodgson Smith		Mrs. Bell		101 Franklin Road, Harro- gate.
Iull	 Hull Lodge	1912	Percy Pigott		Miss Nelson		Beverley Road, Hull.
kley	 Ilkley Lodge .	1913	Mrs. Rawlinson		Miss M. Harrison		Woodville, Ilkley.
ersey	 Jersey Lodge	1914	J. A. Thomson		Mrs. Dawson	,	Almorah, Jersey.
eeds	 Leeds Lodge	1900	E. Outhwaite		Mrs. A. B. Homes		14 Queen Square, Leeds.
eicester	 Leicester Lodge .	1912	A. Wilkinson	•••	Miss C. C. Vincent		Stonegate, Leicester.

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	Letchworth	 Garden City Lodge	1909	Miss Hope Rea	 Mrs. André	•••	134 Wilbury Road, Letch- worth.
c	Liverpool	 City of Liverpool Lodge.	1895	Dr. Alice Ker	 Mrs. Cousins .		41 Island Road, Garston, Liverpool.
	London	 Blavatsky Lodge	1887	Mrs. Betts	 Miss H. Veale		c/o T. S., 19 Tavistock Square, W.C.
	Do.	 Central London Lodge.	1910	Miss J. Clarke	 Mrs. R. G. Cather		Holland Park, W.
	Do.	 City of London Lodge.	1913	R. King	 W. H. Thompson		Waverley Park, S.E.
	Do.	 H. P. B. Lodge	1907	R. Gauntlett	 Mrs. B. Scott		c/o T. S., 19 Tavistock Square, W.C.
	Do.	 Hackney Lodge	1911	L. A. Bosman	 H. C. Kelf		18 Waterlane, Stratford, E.
	Do.	 Hampstead Lodge	1897	G. H. Whyte	 W. D. S. Brown		Golders Gan., N.W.
	Do.	 Harlesden Lodge	1913	E. L. Gardner	 Miss G. McCleery		12 Greenhill Road.
	Do.	 Light on the Path Lodge	1912	Mrs. K. Cook	 Miss W. A. Parley		c/o T. S., 19 Tavistock Sq.
	Do.	 London Lodge	1911	A. P. Sinnett	 Mrs. Russell		1 Colville Mansions, W.
	Do.	 Isis Lodge	1914	G. Reilly	 F. S. Snell		St. Quintin Ave, W.

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London		North London Lodge	1893	H. Twelvetrees	 A. G. Elphick	 23 Drylands Road, Crouch End, N.
Do.		Richmond, Surrey Lodge	1912	Mrs. F. Aldin	 G. H. Weller-Peley	 Richmond, S.W.
Do		West London Lodge	1897	Miss K. Veale	 W. C. Worsdell	 Chiswick.
Do.		Westminster Lodge	1914	J. Macbeth Bain	 W. S. Hendry	 Vauxhall Bridge Rd., S.W.
Do.		Woolwich Lodge	1911	Mrs. G. H. Padgham	 E. W. Russell	 32 Owenite Street, Abbey Wood, Kent.
Loughboroug	h	Loughborough Lodge	1910	O. Lowe	 G. H. Pideoek	 22 Wharncliffe Road, Loughborough.
Luton		Luton Lodge	1913	Mrs. Ames	 A. Monger	 High Town Rd., Luton, Beds.
Maidenhead		Maidenhead Lodge	1911	J. D. Carter	 F. S. Snell	 6 Endsleigh St., W.C. Maidenhead.
Manchester		Manchester City Lodge	1892	Mrs. E. H. Booth	 Miss F. Hayes	 18 Northenden Rd., Gatley, near Stockport.
Mansfield		Mansfield Lodge	1914	W. M. Ward	 Mrs. F. H. Smith	 22 Westfield Lane, Mansfield

Middlesbroug	(h	Middlesbrough Lodg	ю	1910	A. B. Crow	 	Middlesbrough.
Nelson		Nelson Lodge		1910	E. J. Dunn	 Mrs. Foulds	Hill Cottage, Hill Lane, Briercliffe, Burnley.
Newcastle- on-Tyne.	910	Newcastle-on-Tyne Lodge		1914	Miss S. Atkinson	 P. S. Taylor	 44 Bayswater Rd., New- castle-on-Tyne.
Newport		Newport Lodge		1913	W. Sutherland	 Miss T. Prestidge	 40 Bryngwyn Rd., Newport.
Northampton	ı	Northampton Lodge		1914	A. Emen	 A. H. Shakeshaft	 144 Loyd Rd., Northampton.
Nottingham		Nottingham Lodge		1902	Mrs. Turner	 Miss De Hersant	 Langley House, Carisbrooke Drive, Nottingham.
Oldham		Oldham Lodge		1911	J. O'Connor	 Mrs. Cook	 6 Duke Street, Shaw, Oldham, Lancs.
Oxford		Oxford Lodge		1910	Miss M. L. Lee	 Mrs. Tiddeman	 298 Woodstock Road, Oxford.
Plymouth		Plymouth Lodge		1902	R. J. Ellis	 Miss G. Foster	 4 Thorn Park Ter., Manna- mead, Plymouth.
Portsmouth	***	Portsmouth Lodge		1907	Miss E. F. Maynard	 J. A. E. Wren	 12 Victoria Rd., N. South Sea.
Reading		Reading Lodge		1913	Major Adam	 Miss A. M. Osmond	 Walbury, Northcourt Ave., Reading.
Redhill and Reigate		Two Paths Lodge		1911	Mrs. Hallett	 Miss M. E. King	 Thornboro', Queen's Road, Horley, Surrey.

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Rochdale	Rochdale Lodge	1914	W. E. Evans	***	A. H. Lord		56 Tomorden Rd., Bacup, Lancs.
Sheffield	Sheffield Lodge	1896	Miss J. S. Hay	•••	Mrs. Chappell	•••	64 Bromwich Road, Norton, Sheffield.
Southampton	Southampton Lodge	1903	Miss E. M. Green		Mrs. Hollick		41 Millbrook Road, South- ampton.
Southport	Southport Lodge	1910	W. F. Kirk		Miss R. Jackson		3 Sunnyside, Belgrave Road, Birkdale.
Southwich	Harmony Lodge	1911	H. Pullar		Miss N. S. Rowe		The Green, Southwich.
Stockport	Stockport Lodge	1911	Miss L. M. Kerr		D. Turner		Hazel Grove, Stockport.
Sunderland	Sunderland Lodge	1910	W. Stephenson		Miss L. Watson		Cleveland Rd., Sunderland.
Surbiton	Surbiton Lodge	1906	C. Reinheimer		F. J. Tritton		Bond Rd., Surbiton, Surrey
Sutton-Coldfield	The Messenger Lodge	1914	Mrs. Purdom		H. Neale		Sutton-Coldfield.
Tonbridge Wells	Alcyone Lodge	1912	Mrs. Tillard		Col. G. H. Tillard		Westwood, Southborough.

Torquay		Torquay Lodge	,	1914	T. A. Duncan		G. Oyston	***	Park St., Torquay.
Tyneside	***	Tyneside Lodge		1902	J. Taylore		J. Watson		25 Ocean View, Whitley Bay.
Wakefield		Wakefield Lodge		1905	C. A. Brotherton		H. M. Wilson		28 Wood Street, Wakefield.
Watford		Watford Lodge		1912	Frederick Gale	***	Miss H. Horsfall		Cotswold, Silverdale Rd., Watford.
West Brom- wich		Service Lodge		1911	A. P. Wilkins		Miss F. E. Partridge	•••	St. Ronan's, Bratt Street, W. Bromwich.
Wigan		Wigan Lodge		1910	WmJBladen		J. Mercer		Cedars Villas, Aspull, Wigan.
Wolverham	pton	Wolverhampton I	Lodge	1913	Bernard Old		G. S. Hodson		Apsley Hse, Pennfields, Wolverhampton.
Worthing		Worthing Lodge		1912	Hedley Baxter	***	Miss E. Wheatland		Broadwater St., Worthing.
York		York Lodge		1903	J. E. Reid	•••			Jesmond, Whitby Avenue, York.
					Centres				
		Abingdon		***			A. C. Hyde Parker		1 Spring Terrace, Abingdon.
		Bolton		***			Miss M. E. Ralphs		218 Manchester Road, Westhoughton, near Bolton.

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Place.	Name of the Branch.		Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.		Secretary's Address.
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	Canterbury				Mrs. Wacher		St. Dunstan's, Canterbury.
	Cheriton	•••			Miss Verne, Pres		5 Trimworth Road, Cheriton Folkestone.
Your	Chester				Mrs. Woodall		13 Abbey Square, Chester.
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	Claygate				A. P. Maddocks	•••	Penorchard, Albany Crescent, Claygate, Surrey.
We verlample.	Colne			***	W. Shipley		24 York Street, Colne.
Miles					*		
	Darlington			***	Miss H. Purcell	•••	2 Polam Road, Darlington.
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	Doncaster			•••	G. T. Pigott		Ash Hill House, Hatfield, Doncaster
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	Falmouth				Miss S. E. Gay		Crill, near Falmouth.
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	Golborne				J. Charteris	***	Harvey Lane, Golborne, nr. Newton-le-Willows.

Hastings and St. Leonards	- 1			Miss Costigan		Abbotsdene, Hastings.
Horley			***	Miss M. E. King		Thornboro', Queen's Road, Horley, Surrey.
Ipswich				Mrs. Cowles	,	Manor House, Felixstowe.
Lincoln				Mrs. Winter		102 High Street, Lincoln.
(London)						
Blackheath				Mrs. Padgham		105 Lansdowne Road, Charlton, S.E.
Clapham			***	R. Hilbery		29 Binfield Road, Clapham, S.W.
Crouch End				Miss McGrigor		56 Hornsey Rise, N.W.
Ealing				Mrs. Welch		50 Argyle Road, Ealing, W.
Finchley				Mrs. Jeffs		Lochleven, Oak Lane, East Finchley, N.
Hampstead He	ath		California	Mrs. St. John		22 Tanza Road, Hampstead, N.W.
Harrow				W. M. Green		46 Pinner Road, Harrow.

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	-			Centres			
	Lewisham				A. Haddock		120 Breakspears Road, Brockley, S.E.
	Leytonstone				Mrs. Nicholl	***	20 Windsor Road, Wanstead E.
	Sydenham				E. Bertram		18 Ewelme Road, Forest Hill, S.E.
	Wimbledon				D. N. Dunlop		8 Sunnyside, Wimbledon, S.W.
	Melksham			***	C. E. Whitfield		Forest Road, Melksham.
	Nailsworth				O. Greig		Pensile House, Nailsworth.
	Norwich			•••	Mrs. C. E. Pearson		35 Edinburgh Road, Nor- wich.
	Penarth			***	Peter Freeman		Woodlands, Rectory Road, Penarth.
	Petersfield				Miss L. Cummin		Froxfield, Petersfield.
	Rotherham			***	Oliver Hobbs		126 Doncaster Road, Rothe

Saffron Walden	 	 Mrs. Frend	 Audley End, Saffron Walden, Essex
St. Albans	 	 O. Godman	 8 Oswald Road, St. Albans.
Scarborough	 	 Mrs. Hardgrave	 30 Bar Street, Scarborough.
Shrewsbury	 	 Miss C. Mawson	 75 Wyle Cop, Shrewsbury.
Skipton	 ***	 E. J. Dunn	 West Bank Terrace, Skipton.
Stoke-on-Trent	 	 Dr. Myra Mackenzie	 9 Prince's Road, Hartshill, Stoke-on-Trent.
Stroud	 	 George Jolly	 Sheepscombe, Stroud.
Swansea	 	 H. B. Yeates	 Ael-y-bryn, Middle Road, Swansea.
Tintagel	 	 Miss L. J. Dickinson	 Trebrea Lodge, Tintagel, Cornwall.
Wellington	 	 Miss A. L. B. Hardcastle	 Waterloo Hotel, Wellington College, Berks.
Westcliff	 	 Mrs. Anderson	 95 York Road, Southend.
Weston-Super-Mare	 	 Mrs, E, Legge	 ***
Wimborne	 	 W. E. Froud	 17 High Street, Wimborne.

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Adambar		Shri Kothandaram, T. S.	1913	Mr. A. P. Krishnaswamy Iyer.	Mr. L. Raghunath Iyer	Adambar, Tanjore Dt.
Adoni		The Adoni T. S	1882	Mr. Y. Govinda Rao	Mr. N. Venkata Rao	Karnam, Adoni.
Adyar	٠	The Adyar Lodge, T. S.	1897	Mr. B. P. Wadia	Mr. N. Dandekar	Adyar, Madras.
Do.		Vasantapuram		Mrs. T. Raghamma	Mrs. E. K. Peramma	Adyar, Madras.
Agra		The Nirvana Lodge, T. S.	1910	Mr. M. H. G. Anthony	M. Rai Bihari Lal Mathur	5913 Pipal Mandi, Agra.
Ahmedabad		The Ahmedabad T. S.	1899	Mr. I. M. Hora	Mr. Chimanlal N. Doshi	Bhadra Ratanpole, Ahmeda- bad.
Ahmednagar		The Ahmednagar T. S.	1910	Mr. Ramachandra V. Joshi	Mr. H. Keshev Patwardhan	Ahmednagar.
Ajmere		The Ajmere T. S	1909	Rai Saheb Pt. Shyam Behari Misra	Mr. Chaubey Mulchand	Clerk, Traffic Supt.'s Office, R. M. R., Ajmere.
Akola		The Akola T. S	1901	Mr. N. K. Padhke	Mr. W. L. Chiplonkar	Pleader, Akola.
Alangudicher	i.	Shri Souriraja Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. K. Musali Naidu	Mr. V. Panchapakesa Iyer	K a r n a m, Alangudicheri Agarakondagai P.O., Tanjore,

Aligarh		The Aryan Patriotic T. S.	1883	Rai Lakshmi Narayana Dube	Mr. Radhakrishna Lal	Postal Press, Aligarh.
Allahabad		Anand Bhawan T. S	1903	Mr. Gulzari Lal	Mrs. A. Robson	49 Luker Road, Allahabad.
Do.		The Prayag T. S	1881	Mr. Bhagwan Das Bhargava	Mr. Sureshwar Prasad	Manager, Amritsar National Banking Cy. Chowk, Al- lahabad.
Do.		The Lotus Lodge	1903	Mr. M. Govind Prasad	Mr. Lakshminarayan	Vakil, Allahabad.
Alampundi		Shri Ganesh Lodge	1913	Mr. R. Venkataramiar	Mr. S. Sesha Iyer	Postmaster, Gingee Taluk.
Alleppy		The Annapurna T.S	1903	Dr. S. Venkatarama Naidu	Mr. K. S. Dharmaraja Iyer.	Headmaster, S. D. Vidya- sala, Alleppy.
Alwar		Shri Krishna Lodge	1910	Munshi Ramjiwanlal	Mr. K. Hameer Singh	High School Mot. Birbar, Alwar.
Amalapuram	۱	The Amalapuram T. S.	1901	Mr. C. Virabhadrayya	Mr. C. Perayya Naidu	Amalapuram.
Ambasamud- ram		The Ambasamudram T. S.	1889	Mr. G. P. Nilakanta Iyer.	Mr. H. T. Subba Swami Iyer.	Pleader, Ambasamudram.
Amraoti	***	The Amraoti T.S	1900	Mr. G. S. Khaparde	Mr. B. G. Bodhankar	Pleader, Amraoti.
Amritsar		The Jignasa Lodge T. S.	1896		Mr. Govindram B. Malkani.	Agent, Graham & Co., Amritsar.

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Avarani		The Narayana Lodge, T. S.	1908	Mr. S. Mathuranayakam Pillai	Mr. Kunjuthapatte Pillai	Avarani, Puducheri P.O., via Sikkil, Tanjore District.
Avidah		The Nantam T. S	1914	Mr. L. Hirabhai Patel	Mr. Gunwantram M. Bhutt	Avidah, via Anklesvar.
Badagara	***	The Mahadeva T. S	1902	Mr. V. R. Subrahmania Iyer	Mr. P. Raman Nair	Clerk, Dt. Munsiff's Court, Badagara, N. Malabar.
Badvel		The Badvel T.S	1910	Mr. C. Seshagiri Rao		Law Agent, Badvel, Cudda- pah.
Balaghat	***	The Tulseswar Lodge T. S.	1887	Rao Bahadur Ananta Lal.	Mr. Hera Lal	Balaghat.
Bally		The Bally T. S	1913	Mr. Dharendra Kumar Banerji	Mr. Kedar Prasad Chatterji	Goswamipura Lane, Calcutta.
Bangalore C	lity.	The Bangalore City T. S	1905	Mr. Y. Srinivasa Rao	Mr. D. Rangaswami Iyengar	Clerk, Genl. Rev. Secretariat, Bangalore City.
Bangalore	•••	The Bangalore Cantt. T. S.	1886	Mr. N. P. Subrahmania Iyer	Mr. A. Singaravelu Muda- liar	Resident's Office, Bangalore.
Bankipur	•••	The Behar T. S	1882	Rai Bahadur Purnendu Narayan Sinha	Dr. Mohan Chand Ghosh	Medical Practitioner, Bankipore.
Bapatla		The Bapatla T. S	1901	Mr. S. A. Panchapakesa Iyer	Mr. V. R. Dikshitalu	Pleader, Bapatla.
Barabanki		The Jnanodaya T.S	1883	Rai Saheb Thakur Jiwa- ram	Mr. Jainty Prasad	2nd Master, Dt. School, Barabanki.
Bareilly		The Rohilkhand T. S	1911	Mr. P. N. Mukerjee	Mr. Baidya Nath Das	Sub-Judge, Bareilly.

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Baroda		The Rewah T. S	1882	Major W. Beale	Mr. Pranlal P. Buxi	Wadi Wadi Patidarmoholla, Raopura, Baroda.
Baripur	•••	The Anandamoyee T.S.	1905	Mr. Sarat Chandra Bose.	Mr. Haridas Roy Choudhury	Baripur, 24 Pargannah, E. B. S. R.
Begusarai		The Begusarai T. S	1909	Mr. Ashutosh Banerjee	Babu Gajadhar Prasad	Mukhtar, Begusarai.
Belgaum		The Belgaum T. S	1901	Mr. P. M. Murdesh- warker	Mr. K. Padmanabha Rao	Asst. Master, M. E. Mission High School, Belgaum.
Bellary		The Bellary T. S	1882	Mr. D. Raghu Ram Rao	Mr. V. Gurunatha Rao	Hd. Clerk, Superintendent Engineering Office, Bellary
Benares		The Kashi Tattwa Sabha T. S.	1885	Miss A. J. Willson	Mr. Ram Saran Das	Assi Ghat, Benares.
Do.		The Arundale Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. P. K. Telang	Mr. M. G. Kanitkar	Theosophical Society, Benares
Do.		The Islamia Lodge, T. S.	1912	Mr. Mahomed Umar	Mr. Mahomed Khalil	Pleader, Benares.
Do.		The Kasika Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. Upendra Nath Basu.	Mr. S. Raghavendra Rao	Sigra, Benares.
Do.		The Arya Kumar Lodge, T. S.	1912	Mr. Chandra Shekhar Vajpai	Mr. Ram Prasad Tripathi.	C. H. C., Benares.

Berhampur (Bengal)		The Adhi Bhoutic T. S.	1881	Mr. Jogendra Nath Mu- kerji	Mr. Nafar Das Roy	Zamindar, Gorabazar, Ber- hampur.
Berhampore (Ganjam)		The Berhampore T.S.	1901	Mr. N. Rammurti	Mr. P. Gopalarao Patradu	Berhampore, Ganjam.
Bezwada		The Bezwada T. S	1887	Mr. T. Seshachal Rao		Retired Pleader, Bezwada.
Bhagalpur		The Bhagalpur T. S	1882	Mr. Surendra Nath Mazumdar	Mr. Ananta Prasad	Pleader, Bhagalpur.
Bhalod		The Bhalod T. S	1906	Mr.Muljibhai Raghunathji.	Mr. M. N. Pandya	Secretary, T. S., Bhalod.
Bhandara		The Wanaganga Lodge, T. S.	1903	Mr. V. N. Pandit		Pres. Pleader., Bhandara.
Bhavnagar		The Bhavnagar T. S	1882	Mr. Balvant Rai P. Oza	Mr. Bhanu Prasad Dajibhai.	Bhagtola St., Kathiawar.
Bhavani	***	The Bhavani T. S	1893	Mr. N. Rajagopal Iyer	Mr. T. V. Krishnaswamy Chetty	Bhavani.
Bhuvanagiri		Shri Chamundeshwari T. S.	1913	Mr. B. Appu Rao	Mr. S. Ramaswami Iyengar.	Bhuvanagiri, S. Arcot.
Bolaram		The Bolaram T. S	1910	Mr. P. B. Masilamani Mudaliar	Mr. Vedachela Mudaliar;	Sader Bazar, Bolaram.
Bombay		The Blavatsky Lodge, T. S.	1880	Mr. Jehangir Sorabji	Mr. Khursedji J. Wadia	21 Hornby Row, Fort, Bombay.
Do.		The Dharmalaya T. S.	1901	Dr. V. S. Trilokekar	Mr. K. G. Wagle	No. 3 Kolbhat Cross Lane, Kalbadevi, Bombay.

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Bombay	 The Ganesh Lodge, T. S.	1912		Mr. Laxman Balkrishna Raje.	Bhimrao Building, Thakore- dwar Bombay.
Do.	 The Bandhava Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. Nagarmat Ram Rao	Mr. R. N. Bijur	c/o Messrs. N. Sirur & Co., Fort, Bombay.
Do,	 The Shri Krishna Lodge, T. S.	1911	Seth Narotam Morarji Gokuldas	and	Market Hall, Cavel St., Bombay. Bankers' Bungalow, Chow- pati, Bombay.
Bowringpet	 The Universal Success Lodge, T. S.	1908	Mr. T. M. Ramachandra Rao	Mr. M. V. Ramalingam	Pleader, Bowringpet.
Broach	 The Atma Vidya Lodge, T. S.	1900	The Hon'ble Sardar Rao Bahadur Motilal Chunilal.	Mr. Manilal Motilal Arya	Lalubhai's Chakla, Broach.
Buxar	 The Buxar T. S	1913	Mr. Sheo Prasad Panday	Mr. Shiva Prasad Rai	Pleader, Buxar.
Calcutta	 The Bengal T. S	1883	Mr. Hirendra Nath Dutta	Mr. Priyanath Mukerjee	No. 87 Amherst Street, Calcutta.
Do.	 The Ananda T. S	1905	Mr. C. Shanne	Mr. Nanda Kishore Sett	15 Chidam Mudi's Lane, Darjipara, Calcutta.
Do.	 The Bhavanipur T. S	1904	Mr. Kalidas Roy Chow-dhry	Mr. Surendra Nath Banerji.	56 Puddopukur Road, Bhavanipur, Calcutta.

Do.	***	The Madan Mohan Lodge, T. S.	1906	Mr. Manmatha Mohan Basu	Mr. Kishore Mohan Chatterji.	No. 2. Kailash Das' Lane, Calcutta.
Do.		The Gayatri Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. Rajendra Lal Mukerji	Mr. Sarat Chandra Ghose	13 Broja Nath Mitra's Lane, Calcutta.
Do.		The Savitri Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. Kshirode Prasad Vidya Vinode	Rai Sahib Durga Charan Chakravarti	44 Beadon St., Calcutta.
Calicut		The Shri Sankaracharya T. S.	1902	Mr. B. Ramuni Menon	Rao Saheb S. Vaidyanath Iyer.	Hd. Master, Gov. School of Commerce, Malabar.
Do.		Asoka Lodge		Mr. P. T. Raman	Mr. Manjeri S. Rama Iyer	Vakil, Malabar.
Cawnpore		Maitreya Lodge, T. S	1911	Dr. Nand Kishore	Mr. Ram Prasad	Asst. to the Economic Bota- nist Nawabganj, Cawnpore.
Do,		The Chohan T. S	1882	Mr. J. D. L. Arathoon	Mr. Jatindra Nath Bha- duri	Munsarin, Addl. Sub-Judge's Court, Cawnpore.
Do.		The Cawnpore T. S	1909	Dr. Wazir Sigh Sarin	80°70' 1 18	Cawnpore.
Chamrajna	gar	The Shri Rama Lodge, T. S.	1912	Mr. K. Mahadev Rao	Mr. D. Venkataramanayaga	A. V. School, Chamrajnagar.
Chapra		The Chapra T.S	1899	Mr. Rama Prasad	Mr. Chandra Devanarayana	Pleader, Chapra.
Chatrapur		The Chatrapur T. S	1914	Mr. S. Ramamurti Pantulu	Mr. B. Vasudev Rao	Office of Supt. of Police, Chatrapur.
Chennapat	na	The Chennapatna Lodge, T.S.	1914	Mr. S. Srinivasia	Mr. B. Narasinga Rao	Mandi Gumasta, Chenna- patna, Mysore Prov.

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Chetla	The Chetla T. S	1913	Mr. Amulya Dhan Addy	Mr. Apurka Kristo Singa	8 Myerpore Rd., Calcutta.
Chicacole	The Chicacole Lodge, T. S.	1903		Mr. B. Narayanamurthy	Chicacole.
Chidambaram	The Chidambaram T.S.	1902	Mr. G. R. Krishnaswamy Iyer.	Mr. T. H. Jagannatha Aiya	2nd Grade Pleader, Chidam baram, Arcot.
Chikballapur	The Chikballapur T.S.	1903	Mr. H. Sura Shastri	Mr. K. Subramania	Pleader, Chikballapur.
Chikmagalur	The Shri Dattatreya Lodge.	1905	Mr. N. S. Siva Rao	Mr. D. Venkoba Rao	Asst. Acct., Dist. Office, Chikmagalur.
Chiknayakan- halli	The Chiknayakanhalli T. S.	1913	Mr. C. L. Hanumanthia	Mr. K. Venkatachar	Sub-Registrar, Bangalore.
Chingleput	The Chingleput T.S	1863	Mr. D. Raghuram Rao	Mr. A. Krishnamachariar	Pleader, Chingleput.
Chinsura	The Chinsura T.S	1903	Mr. Asutosh Chatterji	Mr. Hem Sashi Shome	Shyam Babu's Ghat, Chin- sura.
Chintamani	The Chintamani T. S	1908	Mr. T. Sundram Iyer	Mr. K. Venkata Narappa	Chintamani, Mysore Province.
	The Chitaldrug T.S	1905	Mr. N. Bhima Rao	Mr. Ananta Padmanabha Tuvari.	Chitaldrug.

	 The Chittagong Lodge, T.S.	1912	Dr. N. C. Dutt	Mr. Sukhendra B. Rai	Pleader, Dewan Basaar, Chittagong.
Chittoor	 The Chitoor T. S	1884	Mr. P. Narasimhayya	Mr. C. M. Duraiswamy Mudaliar	District Court Vakil, Chit toor District.
Do,	 The Ganesh T. S	1914	Mr. T. M. G. Swamy Mudaliar	Mr. S. Kandavadivelu Mudaliar	Somandurai, Malayande- patnam, Chittoor.
Chodavaram	 Shri Gourishvara Lodge, T. S.	1908	Mr. R. Jagannatha Shastry	Mr. K. Narasimham	Pleadar, Chodavaram.
Chuda	 The Chuda T. S	1905	Mr. Keshavlal P. Vaidya.	Mr. Sunderji Chaturbhuj Gosalia	Chuda, Kathiawar.
Closepet	 The Closepet Lodge, T. S.	1911	Mr. V. Lakshman Pillai	Mr.!K. Suryanarayanappa	Hd. Master, English School Closepet.
Cocanada	 The Gautama T. S	1885		Mr. R. S. D. Subramania	Cocanada.
Cochin	 The Ramananda T. S	1902		Mr. Narayana Vishnu Mohe.	c/o Messrs. Ramachandra Mahadeo & Co., Cochin.
Coimbatore	 The Coimbatore T.S	1883	Hon'ble Rao Bahadur T.S. Balakrishna Iyer	Mr. C. T. Thiruvenkata- swami Naidu	Theosophical Society, Thomas St., Coimbatore.
Colombo	 . The Hope Lodge, T.S	1894	Mrs, M. M. Higgins	Mr. J. S. Dalal	Musæus School, Rosmead Place, Colombo.
Comilla	 The Tattwajnana Sabha T. S.	1889	Rajkumar Navadvip Chan- dra Dev Varman Bahadur	Mr. Chandra Kumar Guha	Retired Sheristadar, Collec- torate, Bengal.

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Conjeevaram	١,,,	The Satyavrata T. S	1897		Mr. Sivagnana Mudaliar	Sub-Registrar, Chingleput.
Contai		The Lokasangraha Lodge, T. S.	1910	Mr. Nagendra Chandra Bakshi	Mr. Avinash Chandra Mitra,	Contai, Midnapur.
Cuddalore		The Cuddalore T. S	1883		Mr. R. Venkata Rao Garu	Pleader, District Munsif's Court, Cuddalore.
Do.		The Maitreya T. S	1910	Mr. Singaravelu Mudaliar.	Mr. P. L. Djesingh	Tiruppapuliyur, Cuddalore.
Cuddapah		The Cuddapah T. S	1886	Mr. A. Nanjundappa	Mr. C. Lakshminarayana Shastri	Pleader, Cuddapah.
Dacca		The Dacca T. S	1883	***	Mr. Manoranjan Gupta	c/o Rajani Kant Gupta, Dacca.
Daltonganj		The Daltonganj T. S	1908	Raja Bhagavan Dayal Singh	Mr. Kadar Nath Dutt	Pleader, Daltonganj.
Dehra Dun		The Dehra Dun T. S	1884	Lala Baldeo Singh	Mr. Ishan Chandra Dev	G. T. Survey Office, U.P., Dehra Dun.
Delhi		The Indraprastha T. S.	1883	Miss L. Gmiener	Mr. Girdhar Lal	1st Acct., Municipal Comm Office, Delhi.
Dewas		The Besant Lodge, T.S.	1903	Mr. Gangadhar N. Shas- tri	Mr. P. N. Pandey	Public Prosecutor, Senior Br Dewas.

Ohar	The Bhoj Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. P. N. Banerjee	Mr. K. V. Tagade	Asst. Teacher, High School, Danmandi, Dhar, C.I.
Dharmayaram	The Dharmavaram T. S.	1912	Mr. H. Shankara Rao	Mr. S. Subbayya	Taluk Gumasta, Dharmavaram.
Dharwar	The Tattwanaveshana T. S.	1902	M. C. B. H. Rapati	Mr. K. B. Ankaleji	Pleader, Dharwar.
Dhulia	The Dhulia T. S	1904		Mr. R. N. Ramsingh	Nazir, Dhulia, Khandesh.
Diamond Har- bour	The Ganga Sagar T. S.	1904	Mr. Chandra Kumar Ghose	Mr. Sarada Prasad Deb	Pleader, Subdivision, Diamond Harbour.
Dindigal	. The Dindigal T. S	1884	Mr. L. A. Venguswamy Iyer	Mr. G. K. Kuppuswamy Iyer	Vakil, Dindigal.
Dodballapur .	. The Dodballapur Lodge, T. S.	1905	Mr. A. Venkatramiah Chettiar	Mr. G. Puttiah	Hd. Master, A. V. School, Dodballapur.
Durbhanga .	. The Durbhanga T. S	1883	Mr. Ramlal Das	Mr. Panchanan Dutt	Pleader, Laheria Sarai, Dur- bhanga.
Edamanal .	The Shri Ramachan- dra Lodge, T. S.	1905	Mr. T. V. Krishnaswami Naidu	Mr. A. Narayanaswami Iyer	Edamanal, Shiyali Taluk, Tanjore District.
Egmore .	The Satchidanand Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. C. S. Govindaraja Mudaliar	Mr. T. R. Raghava Rao	Retired Tahsildar, Poona- malle High Road, Egmore, Madras.
Ellichpur	The Ellichpur T. S	1914	Mr. Bapurao M. Pandse	Mr. Devidas G. Khaparde	Sri Krishna Gdus., Ellichpur, Berar.

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Ellore	 The Gupta Vidya T. S.	1887		Mr. S. Sitaramiah	Pleader, Ellore.
Enangudi	 The Shri Krishna T. S.	1904	Mr. V. Rama Chandra Naidu	Mr. N. Srinivasa Naidu	Landlord, Enangudi, Tan- jore.
Eranial	 The Shri Krishna Lodge	1913	Mr. E. Velu Pillai	Mr. S. R. Mahesvaram Pillai	Chadaya Mangalam, Travan- core.
Ernakulam	 The Ernakulam T. S	1891	Mr. P. Gopala Menon	Mr. P. Govinda Menon	Ayurvedic Physician, Erna kulam.
Erode	 The Erode T. S	1900	Mr. S. R. Rangaswamy Iyengar	Mr. S. T. Venkatarama Iyer.	Pleader, Erode.
Etawah	The Etawah T. S	1901	Mr. Mihin Lal	Mr. Bipradas Biswas	Pleader, Etawah.
Eyyalur	 Shri Krishna Lodge, T. S.	1913	Mr. N. C. Govinda Reddi.	Mr. E. R. Ethirajulu Reddi.	Eyyalur, S. Arcot Dt.
Fyzabad	 Ayodhya T. S	1883		Mr. Mahabir Prasad	Pleader, Rekabganj, Fyza- bad.
Gaya	 The Gaya T. S	1882	Mr. Baij Nath Singh	Mr. Nilkanta Sahai	Pleader, Gaya.
Goona	 The Goona T. S-	1914	Mr. P. T. Pavri	Mr. H. K. Gurtu	Sub-Engineer, Irrigation, Goona.

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Gooty		The Gooty T. S	1883		Mr. R. Subba Rao	Pleader, Gooty.
Jorakhpur		The Sarva Hitakari T. S.	1883	Dr. Jogeshwar Rai	Mr. Ayodhya Das	Bar-at-Law, Gorakhpur.
Gudivada		The Gudivada T. S	1888		Mr. T. G. Krishnamurti Pantulu	Theosophical Society, Gudi- vada.
Gulbarga		The Gulbarga T. S	1906		Mr. Keshav G. Padalkar	Asst. Teacher, High School, Godown, Gulbarga.
Gundlupet		The Gnndlupet Lodge, T. S.	1910	Mr. T. I. Munimudy Pillai.	Mr. G. Y. Venkatachariar.	Gundlupet.
Guntakal		The Guntakal T. S	1901	Mr. M. V. Narasimha Iyer.	Mr. M. V. Subba Rao	Clerk, District Traffic Supt's Office, M.S.M.R., Gunta- kal.
Guntur		The Krishna T. S	1882	Mr. T. Varadarajulu Naidu.	Mr. A. Ramayya	Pleader, Guntur.
Gwalior		The Gwalior T. S	1909	R. B. Shyam Sundar Lal, c.i.e	R. B. Pt. Pran Nath Saheb.	Offg. Inspector-General of Education, Gwalior.
Habigunj		The Habigunj T. S	1907	Mr. Nagendra Kumar Bose	Mr. Mathuranath Kar	Pleader, Habigunj, Assam.
Hadala	***	The Hadala T. S	1902	Darbar Shri Bawa Wala Sahib	Mr. M. D. Bhatt	P.O. Hadala, near Kunkovar
Haridwara mangala	-	Shri Gopala Brahma Vidya Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. V. G. Raghunath Rajaliar	Mr. S. Govindasami Pillay.	Haridwaramangalam, Tan- jore District.

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Harur .	The Harur T. S	1900	Mr. C. Seshagiri Rao	Mr. P. V. Shri Rama Sharma	Sub-Registrar, Harm.
Hazaribag .	Pareshnath Lodge, T. S.	1910	Mr. Bhananjai Sahai	Mr. Mritoonjai Sahai	Hazaribag.
Hindupur	. The Hindupur Lodge, T. S.	1906	Mr. K. Rama Sastri	Mr. Venugopal Raju	Sanitary Inspector, Hindu- pur.
Hissar	. The Hissar Lodge, T. S.	1913	Mr. J. P. Chattopadhya	Mr. Nanwan Mull	Pleader, Hissar.
Hole Narsipur .	The Bhaktivardhana Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. N. D. Venkataramaiya	Mr. M. A. Sampathi Iyengar	Supt., The Weaving Insti- tute, Narsipur.
Hooghly	The Hooghly T.S	1900	Mr. Shyama Das Mukerji	Dr. Prasad Das Mullick	Druggist's Hall, Hooghly.
Hoshiarpur	The Satsanga T. S	1903	Rai Bahadur Lala Shyam Das		Pres. Gov. Pleader, Hoshiarpur.
Hospet	The Hospet T. S	1904	Mr. A. Bhima Rao	Mr. S. Sarvajnachar	Pleader, Hospet.
Hubli	The Hubli T. S	1904	Dr. K. T. Gokhale	Dr. S. R. Gore	Hubli.
Hyderabad (Deccan)	The Hyderabad T. S	1882	Mr. A. Hydari	Mr. Edulji Dhunjibhai	Chadderghat, Hyderabad, Deccan.

Do.	***	The Bhagyanagar T. S.	1913	Mr. B. Ranga Rao	Mr. Venkata Rao D. Giddu	Subhan Khan's Phatak, Hyderabad, Deccan.
Hyderabad (Sindh)		The Brahma Vichara T. S.	1901	Mr. Khanchand Prataprai	and	Asst. Civil Surgeon, Hydera- bad, (Sindh.) Training College, Hydera- bad (Sindh.)
Ichak	•••	The Bishwanath T.S	1913		Mr. Ajodhya Prasad	Manager, Bara Akhara, Ichak, Dist. Hazaribag.
Illupur		Shri Kaliyana Venkata- chalapathi Lodge, T.S.	1909		Mr. V. Narayanaswami Naidu	Illupur P.O., Trichinopoly District, via S. Kolatur.
Indore		The Indore Lodge T.S.	1912	Mr. M. B. Raghina	Mr. N. M. Desai	Asst. Master, City High School, Indore, C. I.
Jalgaon		The Jalgaon Lodge, T.S.	19!1	Mr. Abaji Ragho Mahlas	Mr. Annaji Rango Ranade	Pleader, Jalgaon, Bombay Province.
Jamnagar		The Jamnagar T. S	1910	Mr. K. I. Desai	Mr. Manishankara A. Raval	Jamnagar.
Jehanabad		The Robson Shanti Dayak T. S.	1910	Mr. Kuldip Sahay	Mr. Raj Keshore Narain	Clerk, Subdivision Office, Jehanabad.
Jhansi	•••	The Satya Prakash T.S.	1904	Mr. Har Narayana	Dr. Umacharan Deb	Homœopathic Practitioner, Mohalla Goshanipura, Jhansi.
Jiaganj		The Mahamaya T. S	1906	Shri Madhava Chat- terjee	Mr. Panna Lal Singh	Jiaganj, Murshidabad.
Jodhpur		The Besant Lodge T.S.	1908	Dr. Niranjan Nath Gurtu Rena	Mr. Ghissoo Lal	Traffic Br. Manager's Office, Jodhpur.

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Joynagar		The Radhavallava T.S.	1905	Mr. Ram Das Banerji	Mr. Nanda Gopal Dutta	Zamindar, Majilpore, Joy- nagar P.O., 24 Pargannas.
Jubbulpore		The Bhrigu Kshetra Lodge T. S.	1883	Mr. Raghubar Prasad- Dwivedi	Mr. A. V. Narasimha Muda- liar	Accountant, B.N.W.R., Jubbulpore.
Jullundhur		The Tattvagnyan Pra- charini T. S.	1893	Hon'ble Sardar Kumar Daljit Singh Bahadur	Mr. Chajju Mal Gupta	2nd Clerk, Office of Inspec- tor of Schools, Jullundhur City.
Junagad		The Junagad T.S	1903	Mr. J. Scott	Mr. Manilal Keshavlal Nanavati	Nagarwada, Junagad.
Kadambur	٠	The Gnana Vilasa Lodge, T. S.	1913	Mr. K. P. Sundara Iyer	Mr. R. Panchapakesa Iyer	Kadambur, Madras.
Kaliakurchi		The Gomukhi Lodge	1911	Mr. M. Sattiya Pillai	Mr. N. T. Vasudeva Rao	Kallakurchi, S. Arcot.
Kandukur		The Sarasvati T. S	1905		Mr. A Narayan Rao	1st Asst. Master, H. G. E. School, Kandukur.
Karachi		The Karachi T. S	1896	Mr. C. E. Anklesaria	Mr. D. P. Kotwal	Bunder Road, Karachi
Karikal		Shri Punitha Lodge T. S.	1908	Mr. S. Vythelingam Muda- liar		Pres., Karikal, Fr. India.
Do.		The Blavatsky Lodge T. S.	1908	Mr. A. M. P. Vira Pillai	Mr. A. Narayanaswami Naidu	Teacher, Government School, Karikal.

Karkul		The Karkul T. S	1901	Mr. Subbaraya Kamath	Mr. K. Lakshmana Pai	Pleader, Karkul.
Karnal		The Brahma Vidya Pracharini Sabha	1905		Pt. Basant Lal	Pleader, Karnal.
Karuvalakara	n.i	Shri Kamakshi Lodge.	1911	Mr. M. V. Suri Chettiar	Mr. C. Appadurai Pillai	Karuvalakarai, Melapathi B. O., via Mayavaram.
Kasargod		The Kasargod T. S	1902		Mr. K. P. Achyutayya	Pleader, Kasargod.
Kattuman- narkoil		Shri Raja Gopal T. S	1913	Mr. A. Rangaswami Iyer	Mr. P. Chakravarthi Pillai	Pleader, Kattumannarkoil, via Chidambaram.
Katwa		The Katwa T. S	1913	Mr. Radha Ballav Mukerji	Mr. Ashutosh Mukerji	Pleader, Burdwan.
Kavali		The Kavali T. S	1901		Mr. A. Ramaswamy Iyer	Pleader, Kavali.
Khairpur		The Khairpur T. S	1910	Mr. Nathan Singh	Mr. Shewakram Hargovind	Zamindar, Khairpur Mirs.
Kidderpore		The Kidderpore T. S	1908	Mr. Braja Gopal Goswami	Mr. Sudhish Chandra Pal	Doom Dooma, Assam.
Kilayur		Shri Kailas Lodge T.S.	1913	Mr. K. S. Somasundaram	Mr. V. N. Srinivasa Iyer	Hd. Master, Primary School, Tanjore Dist.
Kodaikanal		The Kodaikanal T.S	1905		Mr. G. Nagarajan	2nd Assistant, Solar Physics Observatory, Kodaikanal.

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Kodavasal	The Pranava Lodge T. S.	1909	Mr. S. P. Natesa Iyer	Mr, P, R, Sankara Iyer	Kodavasal Post, Tanjore.
Koilkandangudi.	The Skanda Lodge T. S.	1908	Mr. K. R. Sundaram Pillai	Mr. T. V. Swaminatha Moodaliar	Thirukottarum, via Peralam, S.I.R.
Kolar	The Kolahala T. S	1905	Mr. M. S. Ramachariar	Mr. B. P. Lakshminaraya- naiya	Pleader, Kolar.
Kolhapur	The Kolhapur Lodge T. S.	1912	Mr. S. D. Khandekar	Dr. D. K. Kale	Homœopathic Practitioner, Kolhapur.
Kollegal	The Kollegal T. S	1913	Mr. A. V. Chennavira Chetty	Mr. P. S. Srinivasa Iyer	Asst. Master, Secondary School, Kollegal.
Krishnagar	The Nadia T. S	1882	Mr. Narahari Mukerji	Mr. Chandra Bhushan Chakravarty	Retired Deputy Magistrate, Krishnagar.
Kulitalai	The Kulitalai T. S	1910		Mr. B. S. Ramaswamy Iyer	Pleader, Kulitalai.
Kumbakonum	The Brahma Vidya Lodge, T. S.	1883	Mr. M. C. Krishnaswami Aiyar	Mr. S. Rajaram Aiyer .	Municipal Secretary, Kum- bakonum.
Kurigram	The Kurigram T. S	1914	Mr. P. K. Bose	Mr. J. Bhushan Roy '	Hd. Master, H. E. School, Dist. Rangpur.
Kurnool	The Satkalatchepa T. S.	1883	Mr. T. Chidambara Rao	Mr. P. Sanjivayya	Retired Sub-Registrar, Kur- nool.

Kurupam	•••	The Kurupam Lodge, T. S.	1914	Mr. V. Kamaraiah	Mr. Ranganayakulu	Hd. Master, Boys' School, Kurupam.
Kuttuparamb	a.	The Kuttuparamba Lodge, T. S.	1906	Mr. Narayana Nair	Mr. E. K. Nambiar	Pleader, Kuttuparamba.
Kuzhiturai		The Shankara Narayana Lodge, T. S.	1913	Mr. K. Rajagopal Iyer	Mr. C. P. Padmanabha Pillai	Vakil, Kuzhiturai, S. Travan core.
Lahore		The Lahore T. S	1907	'Sir P. C. Chatterjee, Kt., C.I.E.	Mr. B. Durga Das	Office of Director of Telegraphs, Lahore.
Lalgudi	•••	The Shrimati Lodge, T. S.	1908	Mr. V. L. Subramanya Iyer		Lalgudi, Trichinopoly,
Lucknow		The Satya Marga T. S.	1882	Pt. Suryanarayana Bahadur	Pt. Manohar Lal Bhargava	Manager, Nawal Kishore Press, Lucknow.
Ludhiana		The Ludhiana T. S	1891	Lala Kriparam	Mr. Raghaveshwar Bhatta- charjee	Clerk, Civil Surgeon's Office, Ludhiana.
Madanam		Shri Anjaneya Lodge, T. S.	1908	Mr. T. A. Gopalaswami Naidu	Mr. T. R. Gopalaswami Naidu	Tiruppani Vattaram, P.O., Madanam, Shiyali Taluk.
Madanapalle		The Jijnasa T. S	1891	Mr. R. Giri Rao	Mr. R. Seshagiri Rao	Pleader, Madanapalle.
Madras		The Madras T. S	1882	Dewan Bahadur L. A. Govindaraghava Iyer	Mr. W. A. Krishnama-	Clerk, Board of Rev., No. 67, Coral Merchant St.,
Malapari		The State and The Table		12/19/20/20/20/20		Madras.
Madura		The Madura T. S	1883	Mr. A. Rangaswamy Iyer	Mr. V Ramachandra Iyer	High Court Vakil, Madura.

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Mainpuri		The Mainpuri T.S	1905	Pt. Jagannath Prasad Dikshit	Mr. Dharmanarain	Vakil, Mainpuri.
Malegaon		The Malegaon T. S	1897	Rao Bahadur Krishna Rao Jairao Gupte	Mr. Bhargava Bhikaji Muley	Pleader, Malegaon.
Manampundi		Bhakta Balasamajan Lodge, T. S.	1913	Mr. N. S. Ponnuswamy Pillai	Mr. M. R. Kumaraswamy Pillai	Tirukoilur Post.
Mangalore		The Mangalore T. S	1901		Mr. K. Venkata Rao	Clerk, Police Office, Manga- lore.
Manjeri		The Narayana T. S	1903	Mr. M. V. Eswara Iyer	Mr. R. Venkat Roy	Melaput Mutt, Manjeri.
Mannargudi		The Mannargudi T. S.	1891	Mr. R. S. Ramadurai Iyer	Mr. M. V. D. Ramaiyer	Hd. Clerk, Tahsildar's Office, Nidanmangalam,
Masulipatam		The Masulipatam T. S.	1887	Mr. W. Gopalaratnam Pantulu	Mr. M. Venkata Rao	Clerk, Collector's Office, Masulipatam.
Mayavaram		The Mayavaram T.S	1883	Mr. P. Krishnaswamy Naidu	Mr. T. Subramania Iyer	Teacher, Municipal High School, Mayavaram.
Meerut		The Meerut T. S	1887	Dr. L. C. Baijal	Mr. Niranjan Prasad	Nandan Garden, Meerut.
Melakadambu	r.	The Amrithagatesar Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. R. Swaminatha Pillai	Mr. G. Ramalinga Pillai	Mannarkoil Post, Mela- kadambur.

Mhow		The Mhow T. S	1909	Capt. L. F. Wylde	Mr. S. J. Samson	Divisional Disbursing Officer, Mhow, C.I.
Midnapur		The Midnapur T. S	1883	Mr. Ishan Chandra Sinha	Mr. Srinivash De	Pleader, Midnapur.
Mirzapur		The Vindeshwari Lodge T. S.	, 1904	Mr. Harish Chandra Chatterji	Mr. V. Varman	47 M. Adhiraj Lall Street, Mirzapur.
Molkalmuru		The Molkalmuru T. S.	1901	Mr. M. Venkata Rao	Mr. M. Rungappa	Headmaster, Gov. Girls' School, Molkalmuru.
Monghyr		The Monghyr T. S	1887	Mr. Chedi Prasad Chowdhury.		Pleader, Monghyr.
Moradabad		The Shantidayak Lodge, T. S.	1904	Thakur Shankar Singh Bhupji	Lala Ram Swarup	Head Clerk, Loco. Office, O.R.R., Moradabad.
Morar		The Morar T. S	1914	Mr. Gulzarilal Dube	Mr. Raj Krishna Gurtu	Manager, Gwalior Stores, Morar.
Morvi		The Morvi T. S	1908	H. H. Maharaja Sir T. S. Waghji Thakur Saheb Bahadur, G.C.I.E.	Mr. Pragjibhai Mathuradas Patel	Superintendent of Educa- tion, Morvi State, Kathia- war.
Motihari	•••	The Motihari T. S	. 1896	Mr. Nandalal Bhatacharji	Mr. Ram Khelavan Sinha	Santosh Bhawan, Motihari.
Multan		The Multan T. S	. 1896	Rai Bahadur Lala Hari- chand	Pandit Balmakund Srikha	Pleader, Multan.
Mathura		The Mathura T.S	. 1891	Pandit Jai Narayana Upamanya	Dr. Ramji Mull	Medical Hall, Muttra City.

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Muzaffarpur		The Muzaffarpur T.S.	1890		Mr. Jagadish Narayana Nandi	Purani Bazaar, Muzaffarpur.
Mylapore	•••	The Mylapore T.S	1909	Dewan Bahadur the Hon'- ble Justice T. Sadashiva Iyer	Mr. G. Gopalaswami Chetty	The Grove, Cathedral Post, Mylapore.
Mysore	•••	The Mysore T. S	1896	Mr. N. P. Subramania	Mr. Venkatesiah	Asst. Master, Maharajah's College, Ram Vilas, Agra- har, Mysore.
Nadiad		The Gopala Krishna	1901	Mr. Gopalji V. Desai	Mr. Mohansingh Ram Singh	Dabhan Bhagal, Nadiad.
Nagarkoil		The Kumari Lodge T. S.	1911		Mr. A. M. Kumara Pillai	Nagarkoil, S. India.
Nagore		The Nagore T.S	1910	Mr. T. P. S. Kumaraswami Chetty	Mr. C. A. Lakshmana Chetty	Perumal East Street, No. 14 Nagore.
Nagpur		The Nagpur T. S	1885	Mr. C. H. Marathe	Mr. R. M. Bansode	Sitabaldi, Nagpur.
Namakal		The Namakal T. S	1887	Mr. S. Sundara Iyer	Mr. N. V. Anantarama Iyer	Pleader, Namakal.
Nandalur		The Nandalur T.S	1900	Mr. P. Gopala Krishna Iyer	Mr. S. Seshachala Iyer	Pleader, Nandalur, Cudda pah District.
Nandod		The Nandod T. S	1905	Seth Kishanlal Moganlal	Mr. Chotalal Motilal Bakshi	Nandod, via Ankleshwar, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Nandyal	***	The Nandyal T. S	1898	Mr. B. Narayana Aiyen- gar	Mr. D. Subba Rao	2nd Grade Pleader, Nandyal.
Nanjungad		The Nanjungad Lodge, T. S.	1907		Mr. K. Venkataswami Iyer	Advocate, Nanjungad.
Nannilam		Rama Krishna Lodge, T.S.	1908	Mr. C. Narayanaswamy Iyer	Mr. P. Natesa Iyer	L. F. Overseer, Nannilam, Tanjore District.
arasarabhu- pet		The Narasarabhupet T. S.	1892	Mr. T. Anjaneya Sastry	Mr. K. V. Pantulu	Pleader, Narasarabhupet.
Nasik		Shri Ram Chandra Lodge, T. S.	1911	Mr. V. Ganesh Karadile	Mr. S. S. Bhide	Jain Mandir, Nasik City.
Navadwip		The Navadwip T. S	1908	Mr. Bishveshvar Chakravarti	Mr. Gopi K. Chandra Chakravarti	Retired Dep. Magistrate, Navadwip.
Navsari		The Navsari T. S	1901	Dr. Jamsetji Byramji Vimadalal	Mr. Byramji A. Randelia	Pleader, Navsari.
Negapatam		The Sundara Lodge, T.S.	1883		Mr. K. Narayanaswamy Iyer	Municipal Secretary, Negapatam.
Nellikuppam		The Pranava Lodge,	1909	Mr. N. R. D. Reddiar	Mr. C. P. Manik Nainar	Clerk, C.I.D. & S.F. Ltd., Nellikuppam.
Nellore		The Nellore T. S	1882	Mr. S. Sundaram Chetty	Mr. A. Subba Rao	Sheristadar, District and Sessions Court, Nellore,
Neyyattinka	ıra	The Aswathama Lodge,	1908	Mr. P. Siva Subramania Iyer	Mr. N. B. Parameswara Iyer	Krishnapuram St., Tanjore.
Nilambur		The Nilambur T. S	1904	Mr. T. Manavikrama	Mr P. K. K. Menon	Nilambur.

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Nugambal		The Nugambal T. S	1913	Mr. A. Muthuswami Naidu	Mr. M. R. Krishnaswamy Naidu	Nugambal, via Achrapakam.
Orai		The Orai T. S	1886	Mr. Kauleshwarnath Rai	Mr. Ramnarayana Bhargava	Assistant Surgeon, Orai.
Palakurichi		Sri Varada Lodge, T. S.	1903	Mr. G. Doraswami Naidu Garu	Mr. G. Ramiah Naidu	Palakurichi P.O., Tanjore.
Palamcotah		The Palamcotah T. S	1905	Mr. C. S. Veeraraghava Iyer	Mr. S. Kumaraswami Red- diar	Vakil, Palamcotah.
Palghat		The Malabar T. S	1882	Mr. V. K. Damodar Menon	Mr. C. Sesha Iyer	Palghat.
Palni		The Palni T. S	1897	Mr. M. S. Venkatarama Iyer	Mr. K. Ramaswamy Iyer	Manager, N. S. School, Palni.
Panruti		Sri Satguru Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. T. Narayanaswami Naidu	Mr. K. S. Doraiswami Muda- liar	Merchant, Panruti, S. Arcot District.
Paramakudi	***	The Paramakudi T.S.	1885	Mr. T. P. S. Swaminatha Pillai	Mr. A. S. Subbier	Paramakudi.
Parlakimedi		The Ramalinga Lodge, T. S.	1910	Mr. B. S. Venkataraman Sarma	Mr. G. V. Sitapati.	Lecturer, Raja's College, Parlakimedi.
Parvatipur		The Parvatipur T. S	1901	Mr. Venkannah Pantulu	Mr. S. Sitapathi Rao Pan-	Pleader, Parvatipur.

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Patiala	 The Patiala T. S	1909	Mr. Choukas Ram Chan- dan	Dr. Radha Krishna Bhalla	Samaniagate, Patiala.
Patukota	 The Patukota Lodge, T. S.	1898		Mr. S. Krishnaswami Iyer	Pleader, Patukota.
eddapuram	 The Sri Krishna T. S.	1901	Mr. C. V. R. Iyengar	Mr. S. Velu Mudaliar	2nd Grade Pleader, Goda vary District.
ennukonda	 The Pennukonda T. S.	1893	Mr. V. Venugopal Naidu	Mr. K. Venkata Rao	Pleader, Pennukonda.
Periyakulam	 The Periyakulam T. S.	1884	Rao Bahadur V. Rama- bhadra Naidu	Mr. V. Subbarama Iyer	Theosophical Society, Peri yakulam.
Pollachi	 The Pollachi T. S	1888	Mr. M. V. Nelliappa Pillai	Mr. C. S. Venkatachariar	Mirasdar, Pollachi.
Ponani	 The Trikavu Lodge, T. S.	1902	Mr. P. V. Doraswami Iyer	Mr. P. Ananta N. Iyer	Dist. Munsif's Court, Ponani
Pondicherry	 Sri Krishna Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. R. Periaswami Foulle	Mr. A. V. Mouttayen	Secretariat General, Pondi
Poona	 The Poona T. S	1882	The Hon'ble Khan Baha- dur Naoroji Dorabji Khandalavala	Mr. Dadabhai Ardeshir Mr. Pandurang J. Puranik	No. 1 Main Street, Poona.
Poonamalle	 The Poonamalle T. S	1898	Mr. B. Annamalai Chettiar	Mr. Ramakrishna Iyer	Pleader, Poonamalle.
Porayur	 The Porayur Lodge,			Mr. A. Marudamuthu Chettiar	Porayur, Tranquebar P. O.

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Porbandar	The Porbandar T. S	1904	Darbar Shri Vajsurwala	Mr. Devashankara M. Pandya	Porbandar, Kathiawar.
Prodattoor	The Prodattoer T. S	1893	Mr. C. Ramaiya Pantalu	Mr. N. Narasinga Rao	Pleader, Prodattoor.
Purnea	The Purnea T. S	1902	Mr. Ram Prasad	Mr. Chattu Lal	Purnea.
Puthunamkotta	Sri Krishnamurti Lodge, T. S.	1912	Mr. V. K. Ayyalu Naidu	Mr. P. A. Krishnaswami Naidu	Chingleput District.
Puttur	The Sarada Lodge, T. S.	1902		Mr. B. Mangesh Rao	Pleader, Puttur.
Quetta	The Quetta T. S	1905	Khan Saheb Ardeshir	Mr. Mathuraprasad Bhar- gava	Quetta.
Quilon	The Kanwa T. S	1903	Mr. E. Rama Iyer	Mr. V. Natesa Sastrial	Vakil, Quilon, Travancore.
Raichur	The Raichur T. S	1901	Mr. P. Krishna Rao	Mr. Krishnamurti Rao	Hd. Master, High School, Raichur.
Raipur	The Raipur T. S	1903	Mr. Devendranath Chou- dhury	Pt. Ravishankar Shukla	Pleader, Raipur.
Rajahmundry	The Rajahmundry T.S.	1887		Mr. K. Ramabrahmam	1st Grade Pleader, Rajah- mundry.

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Place.	Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Porbandar	The Porbandar T. S	1904	Darbar Shri Vajsurwala	Mr. Devashankara M. Pandya	Porbandar, Kathiawar.
Prodattoor	The Prodattoer T. S	1893	Mr. C. Ramaiya Pantalu	Mr. N. Narasinga Rao	Pleader, Prodattoor.
Purnea	The Purnea T. S	1902	Mr. Ram Prasad	Mr. Chattu Lal	Purnea.
Puthunamkotta	i Sri Krishnamurti Lodge, T. S.	1912	Mr. V. K. Ayyalu Naidu	Mr. P. A. Krishnaswami Naidu	Chingleput District.
Puttur	ml - Samda Lodge T S	1902		Mr. B. Mangesh Rao	Pleader, Puttur.
Quetta	The Quetta T. S	1905	Khan Saheb Ardeshir	Mr. Mathuraprasad Bhar gava	Quetta.
Quilon	The Kanwa T. S	1903	Mr. E. Rama Iyer	Mr. V. Natesa Sastrial	Vakil, Quilon, Travancore.
Raichur	The Raichur T. S	1901	Mr. P. Krishna Rao	Mr. Krishnamurti Rao	Hd. Master, High School, Raichur.
Raipur .	. The Raipur T. S	1903	Mr. Devendranath Chou	Pt. Ravishankar Shukla	
Rajahmundry.	The Rajahmundry T. S.	1887		Mr. K. Ramabrahmam	. 1st Grade Pleader, Rajah- mundry.

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Rajampet	•••	The Rajampet T. S	1910	Mr. V. Rangayya Chetty	Mr. D. Subbayya Chetty	Merchant, Rajampet.
Rajkot		The Rajkot T. S	1899	Mr. Laxman Kanji	Mr. H. N. Pandey	Vakil, High Court, Rajkot.
Ramnad		The Ramnad T. S	1904		Mr. R. Shrikalahasti	Pleader, Ramnad.
Ranchi		The Chota Nagpur T. S.	1887	Rai Sahib Nava Krishna Roy	Babu Sarat Chandra Roy $\dots$	Pleader, Ranchi.
Ranipet		The Ranipet T. S	1898	Mr. T. Swaminath Iyer	Mr. T. M. Chakravarti Iyengar	Ranipet.
Rawalpindi		The Rawalpindi T. S	1881	Capt. E. A. Porch	Pt. Bisheshar Nath	Clerk, Divisional Court, Rawalpindi.
Rayadrug		The Rayadrug T. S	1898	Rao Saheb K. Raghappa	Mr. V. Buddappa	General Merchant, Roya- drug.
Reddiyur		The Visalakshi Lodge T. S.	1910	Mr. C. Ramalinga Reddi	Mr. V. Gopaliah	Reddivur, Eyyalur P.O., S. Arcot.
Rishra	•••	The Rishra T. S	1905	Mr. Tincouri Mukerji	Mr. Kshetra Nath Shanne.	Rishra, Hooghly District.
Robertsonper	t	The Robertsonpet T. S.	1910	Mr. M. Jagannatham	Mr. C. E. Suryanarayan Rao	Robertsonpet, Kolar.
Rohri		The Prembhavan T. S.	1904	Mr. Metharam Sujan Sing	Mr. Menghraj H. Kalvani.	Deputy Collector, Rohri.
Rupanagudi		The Rupanagudi T. S.	***		Mr. R. Krishnappa Reddy	Rupanagudi, Bellary Dt.

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	Seringapata	233	The Seringapatam T. S.	1909	Mr. B. Narasinga Rao	Mr. S. V. Venkataramiah	Editor, Vivekodaya, Seringa- patam.
	Shimoga		The Durvasa T. S	1905		Mr. K. Shankar Narain Rao	Shimoga.
1	Shivaganga		The Shivaganga T. S	1897	Mr. C. Narayanaswami Iyer	Mr. S. Ramaswamy Iyer	Cashier, Lessee's Head Office, Shivaganga.
1	Shiyali		The Shiyali T. S	1910	Mr. K. Chidambaranatha Mudaliar	Mr. T. S. Sundaram Aiyer	Shiyali, Tanjore.
1	Sholapore		The Maitreya Lodge, T. S.	1882	Seth Narottamdas Morarji Gokuldas	Mr. Ardeshir Pestonjee Chinoy	The Sholapur Mills, Sholapur.
1	Sholinghur		The Sholinghur T. S	1889	Mr. M. Subramania Iyer	Mr. S. Subramania Naidu	Pleader, Sholinghur.
1	Shrivaikunth	am	The Agasthya T. S	1897	Mr. K. V. Srinivasa Iyer	Mr. S. T. Ponnambolanatha Mudaliar	Pleader, Shrivaikuntham.
	Sikkil		The Gnana Sambandha Lodge, T. S.	1908	Mr. S. A. Natesa Moodr	Mr. T. Jotiprasadam Alkon- dar	Satyapur Kovil, Nagapatam.
	Simla		The Himalayan Esoteric T. S.	1883	Mr. Atma Ram	Pt. Kundan Lal Divedi	Home Department, Simla (Punjab).
	Sitapur		The Sitapur Lodge, T. S.	1910	Pt. Tribhuban Nath Sopori	Pt. Chand Narayan Harkauli	Sitapur, Oudh
	Sompet		The Kodanda Ramaswami Lodge, T. S.	1901	Mr. K. Jagannatham Pan- tulu	Mr. G. Sitaramamurti	Pleader, Sompet.
	Sorattaperit Kuppam	ım	Shri Ram Lodge, T. S.	1912	Mr. Venkatanarayan Iyer	Mr. Sanjivi Pillai	Postmaster, Sattiamanga - lam, S. Arcot District.

T. S. IN INDIA-(Continued)

Place.		Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Srinagar		The Kashyapa T. S	1900	Pt. V. J. C. Chatterji	Mr. Thakur Kaul	Clerk, Accountant-General's Office, Srinagar, Kashmir.
Srivanjiam	- • •	Sri Vanchi Nath Lodge, T. S.	1912	Mr. V. Natesa Iyer	Mr. Kanagasabai Pillai	Sri Vanjiyam, Tanjore Dist.
Srivilliputtu	·	The Natchiyar T. S	1883		Mr. G. Narayan Rao	Hd. Clerk, Srivilliputtur.
Suchindram		The Athre Lodge T. S.	1912	Mr. P. Parmeshvarsarma	Mr. S. Vasudev Iyer	Suchindram, Travancore.
Sukkur		The Sukkur T. S	1908	Mr. A. Mahtab Singh Advani	Mr. Chaturdas Jesmal Balami	Accountant, Sukkur Muni- cipality.
Sultanpur	•••	The Sultanpur T. S	1905	Mr. Ram Bux	Mr. Surendranath Chatterji	Sultanpur.
Supul		The Supul Lodge T. S.	1914	Mr. Hemendranath Ghosal	Mr. Harihar Mukherji	Magistrate, Bhagalpore.
Surat		The Sanatana Dharma Sabha T. S.	1887	Dr. D. J. Edal Behram	Mr. Shriputrai Hakumatrai	Wadi-falia, Surat.
Suri		The Suri Birbhum Lodge, T. S.	1910	Mr. S. K. Bannerji	Mr. Charu Ch. Chowdhri	Suri, Birbhum, Bengal.
Swamimalai		The Swamimalai Lodge, T. S.	1910	Mr. K. S. Ramachandra Iyer	Mr. B. Ramachandra Rao	Swamimalai, Tanjore.

Taliparamba		The Shri Sambaru Lodge, T. S.	1911	Mr. C. Kovilagam Rama Varma Raja	Mr. K. Govindan Nambiar	Head Master, Taliparamba, Malabar.
Tamluk		The Tamralipti T. S	1899	Mr. Durga Ram Bose	Mr. Basant Kumar Sarkar	Pleader, Tamluk.
Tanjore		Shri Besant Lodge, T. S.	1883	Mr. T. N. Ramachandra Iyer	Mr. T. Sadasiva Rao	High Court Vakil, Tanjore.
Tanuku		The Tanuku T. S	1901	Mr. Veradarajulu Naidu	Mr. P. Sitaram Rao	Pleader, Tanuku.
Fellicherry		The Tellicherry T. S	1902	Mr. C. Govindan	Mr. K. P. Veeraraghava Iyer	Tellicherry.
Tenali		The Tenali T. S	1900	Mr. C. V. Subramanyam	Mr. Sangameshvar Rao and T. Ramaswami Sastri	Pleader, Tenali, Guntur.
Terizhandur		The Kumbam Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. Ramanuja Mudaliar	Mr. K. Gopala Iyengar	Terizhandur, via Kuttalam
Thalanayur	•••	Shri Nataraj T. S	1913	Mr. N. Subramania Iyer	Mr. T. S. Ramachandra Iyer	Village Munsif, Tanjore District.
Thiruppani Y taram	at-	Shri Maitreya Lodge, T.S.	1913	Mr. T. A. Krishnaswami Naidu	Mr. S. Sarangapani Naidu	Tanjore District.
Tindivanam		The Tindivanam T.S.	1900		Mr. V. Muthuswamiah	2nd Grade Pleader, Tindi-
Tinnevelly		The Tinnevelly T.S	1881	Mr. A. Sundara Shastrial Avergal	Mr. S. Ramachandra Shastri	

T. S. IN INDIA—(Continued)

Place.	Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Tirukanna- puram	The Maitreya Lodge, T. S.	1913	Mr. V. Natraj Mudaliar	Mr. V. Muthukumaraswamy Mudaliar	Tanjore District.
Firukoilur	The Tirukoilur T.S	1900	Mr. T. S. Ramachandra Iyer	Mr. C. V. Narayanaswamy Iyer	Pleader, Tirukoilur, S. Arcot
irumichiyur	The Santa Lodge, T. S.	1911	Mr. T. S. Somasundara Mudaliar	Mr. R. Swaminatha Iyer	Tirumichiyur, Peralem P.O. Tanjore District.
Cirupati	The Srinivasa Lodge, T. S.	1898		Mr. S. Ethirajulu Naidu	Pleader, Tirupati.
lirupur	The Tirupur Lodge,	1909	Mr. S. Narasimhayya Pillai	Mr. S. N. Ananta Nararayana Sastry	Pleader, Tirupur.
irur	The Tirur T.S	1894		Mr. S. Subramania lyer	Pleader, Tirur, Malabar.
Ciruturaipundi	The Bilwa Arnava Lodge, T. S.	1898	Mr. T. K. Atmanath Shastry	Mr. N. R. Subramania Iyer	Hd. Master, Secondary School, Tiruturaipundi.
iruvadi	The Panchanatha Lodge, T. S.	1912	Mr. K. Ramaswami Shas- trial	Mr. R. Venkataram Iyer	Pleader, Tiruvadi.
iruvalur (Tanjore)	The Tiruvalur T.S	1898	Mr. V. T. Ramalinga Mudaliar	Mr. V. S. Visvanatha Iyer	Sub-Registrar, Tanjore.
Firuvallur (Chingleput)	The Veera Raghava Lodge, T. S.	1898	Mr. N. C. Srinivasachariar	Mr. K. Ramachandra Iyer	Pleader, Tiruvallur, Chin- gleput.

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Tiruvenna- malai		The Tejas Lodge, T.S.	1909	Mr. R. V. Krishnaswamy Iyer	Mr. V. Narasinga Rao	Pleader, Tiruvennamalai.
Titagarh		The Visalakshi Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. Chandra Nath Bagchi	Mr. Madhusudana Bhatta- charji	P. O., Khardah, Titagarh, E. B. S. R.
Tonnadu		The Tonnadu Lodge, T.S.	1913	Mr. J. Venkataram Reddy	Mr. T. V. Venkata Krishna	Tonnadu, Chingleput Dist.
Trichinopoly		The Trichinopoly T.S.	1883	Mr. V. Vengu Iyer	Mr. K. V. Ramakrishna Iyer	Pleader, Teppakulam P.O., Trichinopoly.
Trichur		The Trichur T.S	1902	Mr. T. C. Krishna Menon	Mr. N. Sankunni Wariyar	Trichur.
Triplicane	•••	The Parthasarathy Lodge, T. S.	1898	Mr. Satagopachari	Mr. C. S. Swaminatha Muda- liar	18 Venkatachala Mudali Steet, Triplicane.
Trivandrum	***	The Trivandrum T.S.	1883	Mr. B. Anand Rao	Mr. R. Shrinivasa Aiyer	Maharajah's College, Trivan- drum.
Tumkur	•••	The Lakshmi Kantha Lodge, T. S.	1905		Mr. B. Kaser Singh	Retired Amildar, Tumkur.
Tuticorin		The Thirumantra Lodge, T. S.	1904	Mr. T. S. Ramaswami Iyer	Mr. A. Subramania Iyer	Dist. Court Vakil, Tuticorin.
Udaipur		The Udaipur T. S	1905	Mr. Madan Mohan Lal	Mr. B. Raghubir Dayal	Magistrate, Udaipur.
Udamalpet		The Udamalpet T. S	1888	w. m Erre-	Mr. Subramania Rao	Sub-Registrar, Udamalpet.
Ukkadai		The Ukkadai T. S	1906	12-12-1	Mr. N. Swaminath Pillai	Ukkadai, Tanjore District.

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Place.		Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Uttarpara		The Uttarpara T. S	1904	Mr. Dhirendra Kumar Banerji	Mr. Nirod Baran Singh	51/52 Shibtola St., Uttarpara.
<b>Y</b> alakarai		Shri Ranga Lodge, T. S.	1908	Mr. R. Purushottam Naidu	Mr. S. Subba Mudaliar	Madapuram, Negapatam.
<b>V</b> alivalam		The Mahadeva Lodge, T. S.	1908	Mr. M. Desikar	Mr. S. Somasundaram Chet- tiar	Valivalam, Tanjore Dist.
<b>Y</b> alkai		The Ganapati Lodge, T. S.	1910	Mr. R. Doraswami Iyer	Mr. R. Ramachandra Pillai	Senganur Manalagaram B.O., Tanjore.
<b>V</b> ayalpad	•••	The Vayalpad T. S	1906	Mr. C. Narayana Reddi		Vayalpad, Cuddapah Dist.
Vedaraniem		The Vedavichara T. S.	1898	Mr. N. Pichai Pillai	Mr. N. Ramaswamy Iyer	Retired Tahsildar, Vedaraniem.
Vellore		The Vellore T. S	1885	Mr. A. Seshachala Muda- liar	Mr. A. Narayan Pillai	No. 2 Hasthagiri St., Vellore, North Arcot.
Vettagaranp dur	u-	The Vettagaranpudur T. S.	1913		Mr. A Manikam Mudaliar	Pollachi Taluk, Coimbatore.
Vilakkudi		The Rajagopala Lodge, T. S.	1909	Mr. A. Rangaswami Muda- liar	Mr. K. S. Gopalswami Muda- liar	Vilakkudi, Tanjore Dist.
Villupuram		The Vasudeva T. S	1900	Mr. V. Ranga Chari	Mr. K. I. Rajagopala Chariar	Santhangopalapuram, Villu- puram.

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Name of the Branch.	 Date of Charter.	Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.
Alatur	 1902	Bulandsahar	 1887	Giddalore	 1905
Allahabad G. C. L.	 1903	Burdwan	 1883	Goribidnur	 1910
Almora	 1893	Calcutta Lady's T. S.	 1882	Gujranwala	 1884
Arcot	 1884	Chakdighi	 1883	Guruvayur	 1908
Ariyalur	 1900	Chittoor Cochin	 1902	Hajipur	 1899
Baidyanath	 1892	Coondapur	 1901	Hassan	 1905
Bankura	 1883	Cuttack	 1901	Hoshangabad	 1885
Bansberia	 1900	Dharmapore	 1898	Howrah	 1883
Barakar	 1892	Dharmapuri	 1898	Jalpaiguri	 1889
Barisal	 1887	Dinapore	 1884	Jand	 1894
Beauliah	 1883	Dumraon	 1883	Jessore	 1883
Bhimavaram	 1901	Ettaiyapuram	 1908	Jeypur	 1882
Bijapur	 1905	Faridkote	 1901	Kapurthala	 1883
Bilaspore	 1903	Fategarh	 1893	Karur	 1886
Budhgaon	 1905	Ghazipur	 1883	Karwar	 1883

Keshengarh	1	1903	Otapalam	 1902	Siliguri	 1885
Kottayam		1903	Pahartali	 1878	Srirangam	 1884
Krishnagiri		1897	Pakur	 1891	Tirupatur	 1898
Kuch Behar		1889	Palkonda	 1901	Udipi	 1901
Kurundwad		1904	Peshawar	 1908	Umballa	 1891
Markapur		1900	Puruswalkam	 1898	Vanyiambadi	 1897
Mektila		1903	Quilandy	 1906	Venukonda	 1905
Mombasa		1905	Rai Bareilly	 1883	Wai	 1899
Mudhepoorah		1881	Raj Mahal	 1887	Walawanad	 1908
Muddebihal		1902	Rewah	 1897	Yellamanchelli	 1901
Naini Tal		1888	Sambalpur	 1903		
Narail		1883	Sassaram	 1908		
Narsapur		1901	Searsole	 1889		
Nilphamari		1892	Seoni Chapra	 1885		
Naokhali		1886	Sewan	 1899	land the land	
Ongole		1891	Simla Eclectic	 1881		
Ootacamund		1883	Sitamarhi	 1905		

#### CENTRES-T. S. IN INDIA

Place.		Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Antandava- puram		Antandavapuram Centre	***		Mr. R. Subramania Iyer	Tanjore Dist.
Bahraich	•••	The Bahraich Centre			Mr. N. B. Mathur	Bahraich.
Cambay		The Cambay Centre		Mr. P. H. Mehta	Mr. T. R. Bhatt	High School, Cambay.
Chinnapatur		The Chinnapatur Centre		Mr. S. Srinivasia	Mr. B. Narasinga Rao	Mysore Province.
		***			Mr. Manoranjan Gupta	Pleader, Dacca.
londa		The Gonda Centre		***	Mr. Debi Prasad	Reader, Judge's Court, Gonda.
lopalganj		The Gopalganj Centre		Mr. Jotindra Nath Sen	Mr. Beni Madhab Barat	Pleader, Gopalganj.
obichetti-pa yam	la-	The Gobichetti-palayam Centre		Mr. S. S. Subram Iyer		Pres., Asst. Master, D. J. High School.
oribidnur		The Goribidnur Centre		Mr. K. Hanumanta Rao	Mr. B. Rajagopal Pillai	Goribidnur.
Jubbi		The Gubbi Centre		Mr. M. Ram Rao	Mr. B. Surappa	. Taluk Sheristedar, Tum District.

ammalamu- dugu	The Jammalamudugu Centre		Mr. R. Krishnaswami Shastri	Mr. R. Narasinga Rao	Jammalamudugu
handiva	The Khandiva Centre			Mr. K. Gangradi	Pleader, Khandiva.
Kissenganj	The Kissenganj Centre		Mr. Nanda Kishore Tri- pathi	Mr. Rakhal Das Tarfadar	Kissenganj.
Krshtipadu	The Krshtipadu Centre		Mr. A. Ramdasappa	Mr. Bhupati Krishna	Gooty Taluk.
Manamadura	The Manamadura Centre	***	Mr. A. S. Raghava Iyen- gar	Mr. K. Sundaram Iyer	Pleader, Manamadura.
Mudhol	The Mudhol Centre			Mr. H. B. Katti	$Mudhol_{\bullet}$
Muzaffarnagar	The Muzaffarnagar Centre			Mr. Jagannath Prasad	Muzaffarnagar.
Newada	The Newada Centre			Mr. Madho Lal	Clerk, Gov. Estate, Newada.
Pamaru	The Pamaru Centre		Mr. S. Butcheraya Raju	Mr. T. V. Hanumantha Rao	Village Acct., Gudivada Taluk, Krishna Dist.
Poraiyar	The Poraiyar Centre			Mr. A. Marudamuthu Chet- tiar	P.O., Tranquabar.
Rupanagudi	. The Rupanagudi Centre			Mr. R. Krishnappa Reddy	Bellary Dist.
Samastipur	. The Samastipur Centre			Mr. Girwardhar	Samastipur.

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Place.		Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.		
Satara		The Satara Centre		Dr. Ramachandra	Mr. Vaman Paunsalkar	Satara.		
Shencottah		Dharmasamvardhini Centre			Mr. S. A. H. Krishna Iyer	Travancore.		
Silao		The Silao Centre		Mr. Nanjandayya	Mr. Bhagavan Das	Silao (Behar).		
Thana		The Thana Centre			Mr. R. S. Bhagvat	Thana, Bombay Presidency		
Wadhwan		Tha Wadhwan Centre			Mr. S. S. Dave	Wadhwan Camp.		
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## The T. S. in Australasia

(CHARTERED 1-1-1895.)

General Secretary:

W. G. JOHN, 164 Phillip Street, Sydney, N.S.W.

Cable Address:

THEOSOPHY, Sydney.

Place.	Name of the Br	anch.	Date of Charter.	President.		Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Adelaide	 Adelaide T. S.		1895	Mr. H. G. Olifent		Miss E. F. Haycraft, B. Sc	212 King William Street.
Armidale	 Armidale T. S.		1913	Col. G. F. Braund		Miss E. M. Stinson	. Rusden Street.
Ballarat	 Ballarat T. S.		1909	Mr. W. Rutherford		Miss J. A. Campbell	. Mechanics Institute, Sture Street.
Bealiba	 Bealiba T. S.		1910	Mr. J. E. Matthews	•••	Mr. L. J. Ellerton	. Maryborough, Victoria.
Bendigo	 Bendigo T. S.		1905	Mr. John Dyer		Mrs. A. G. Finster	. McLaren Street.
Brisbane	 Brisbane T. S.		1891	Hon. Dr. W. F. Taylor		Mrs. M. E. Mildren	. 50 Charlotte Street (Concordia Hall).
Cairns	 Cairns T. S.		1902	Mrs. J. Grahame		Mr. W. J. Whiteside	. Oddfellows Hall Bldgs.
Charters Towers	Charters Towers	T. S.	1913	Mr. L. MacBrair		Miss A. M. Andrews	Hewitt Street.
Fremantle	 Fremantle T. S.		1900	Mr. H. B. Wright		Mr. D. B. Ewart	Fothergill's Buildings, High Street.
Hobart	 Hobart T. S.		1890	Mrs. James Dear	•••	Mr. K. Dear	. Miller's Buildings, Murray Street.

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Launceston .		Launceston T. 8.	 1900	Mr. C. A. Ogilvie		Miss E. M. Genders	***	54 Elizabeth Street.
Melbourne .		Melbourne T. S.	 1890	Mr. H. B. McConkey		Mr. G. W. Dempster		268 Flinders Street.
Prahran		Ibis T. S.	 1894	Mr. J. M. Kitto		Mr. W. M. Buckie		Empress Buildings, Chapel Street, Prahran.
Do.		Besant Lodge T. S.	 1908	Mr. H. W. Hunt		Mr. J. N. Peters		Centreway Arcade, 259 Collins Street.
Perth		Perth T. S.	 1897	Mr. H. M. Leighton		Mr. S. Fisher		West Australian Chambers, 21George's Terrace.
Rockhaptom	•••	Rockhampton T. S.	 1910	Mr. P. A. Nelson		Mrs. A. Cutlack		Queensland Chambers, William Street.
Spreyton		Olcott T. S.	 1912	Mr. W.Innes		Mrs. R. Worth		Spreyton, Tasmania.
Sydney		Sydney T. S.	 1891	Mr. G. Kollerstrom		Mr. I. Davidson		164 Phillip Street, Sydney.
Do.		H. P. B., T. S.	 1910	Mr. H. Wiedersehn		Mrs. M. J. Watson		St. George's Hall Buildings, Newtown.
Do.		Gnosis T. S.	 1910	Mr. W. Van der Velde	en	Miss M. Adamson		Thorley Chambers, 15 Hunter Street, Sydney.
Toowoomba	***	Toowoomba T. S.	 1913	Mr. J. G. Tingle		Mrs. L. Stewart		Ruthven Street, Toowoomba.
Townsville		. Townsville T. S.	 1901	Mr. A. Reye		Mr. H. Horn		Flinders Street, Townsville.
Tweed Rive	r	. Tweed River T. S.	 1910	Mr. H. H. Hungerfor	d	Mr. R. S. Perdrian		Main Street, Murwillumbah.

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# The T.S. in Scandinavia

(CHARTERED 7-7-1895.)

General Secretary:

ARVID KNÖS, Engelbrechtsgatan, Stockholm,

Sweden.

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Place,	Name of th	he Bran	ch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.	
					SWEDEN			
Boden	 Facklan	Lodge		1900	Mr. August Berglund	Mr. August Berglund	Boden.	
Enkoping	 Lotus	"		1911	Mr. C. M. Axelsson	Mr. Eric Schreuder	V. Ringgatan 13, Enköping.	
Eslof	 Eslöf	**		1904	Mr. Axel Körner		Elsöf.	
Falun	 Falun	,,		1904	Mr. Fredrik Munktell		Grycksbo.	
Gefle	 Gefle	,,		1904	Miss Hanna Landberg	Mr. J. Hedlund	N. Sjötullsg. 15, Gefle.	
Goteborg	 Göteborg	"		1893	Miss Betty Westerlund	Mrs. Alfhild Fryckholm	Sveagatan 1, Göteborg.	
Helsingborg	 Helsingborg	,,		1906	Mrs. Maria Johansson		Grand Magasin, Helsingborg	
Kiruna	 Karmel	,,		1902	Mr. U. E. Sundberg	Mr. A. P. Landahl	Kiruna.	
Kristianstad	 Kristianstad	,,		1904	Mr. M. F. Alund		Kristianstad.	

Linkoping	 Linköping	"	 1901	Mr. Ernst Tolf	•••	***	Linköping.
Lulea	 Bäfrast	"	 1897	Mr. E. O. Hedlund		Mr. August Löfgren	Lulea.
Lund	 Lund	"	 1893	Mr. Nils af Ekenstam		Mr. Hans Erlandsson	Tomegapsgaton 7, Lund.
Malmo	 Malmö	"	 1904	Mr. Gabriel Wessberg		Mrs. Annette Werner	Arlöf.
Norrkoping	 Norrköping	,,	 1908	Mr. Albert Bergström		Miss Gerda Lindgren	Drattninggatan 18, Norr- köping.
Orebro	 Örebro	"	 1893	Mr. Erik Eklund		Mr. Bernhard Laven	Linnègatan 5, Hagaby, Örebro.
Ostersund	 Östersund	"	 1903	Mr. E. Th. Ericsson		Mr. C. G. Almqvist	Östersund.
Soderkoping	 Soderköping	,,	 1913	Miss Beda Valgren		Mr. Birger Forsberg	Söderkoping.
Solleftea	 Solleftea	29	 1895	Mr. A. L. Lundberg		Mr. Axel Westberg	. Solleftea.
Stockholm	 Stockholm	,,	 1889	Mr. P. E. Liljestrand		Mr. Toisten Fridholm	Karlsviksg. 7th, Stockholm.
Do.	Orion	"	 1907	Mr. Georg Ljungström	1	Mr. F. C. W. Wallenkamp	Upplandsg. 51, "
Sundsvall	 Sundsvall	,,	 1898	Mr. N. E. Selander		Miss Nanna Fjellström	. Sundsvall.

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### The T. S. in New Zealand

(CHARTERED 7-4-1896.)

 $General\ Secretary:$ 

C. W. Sanders, 351 Queen Street, Auckland, New Zealand.

 $Cable\ Address:$ 

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T. S. IN NEW ZEALAND

Place.		Name of the B	ranch.	Date of Charter	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Auckland		Auckland		1892	Mr. S. Stuart	 Mrs. S. E. Hughes	 Shelly Beach Road, Ponson- by.
Do.		н. Р. В.		1903	Mr. J. R. Thomson	 Mr. C. H. Halford	 351 Queen Street, Auckland.
Cambridge		Cambridge		1908	Mr. W. Chubb	 Mr. W. Chubb	 Cambridge, W.
Christchurch		Christchurch		1894	Mr. J. P. Cooper	 Miss M. Smythe	 Wairarapa Terrace, Christ- church.
Dannevirke		Dannevirke		1908	Mr. R. W. Read	 Mrs. Gurr	 High St., Dannevirke.
Dunedin		Dunedin		1893	Mr. W. A. Scott	 Mr. A. Wadia	 48 Stafford St., Dunedin.
lisborne		Gisborne		1906	Mr. G. H. B. Lockett	 Miss R. L. Lee	 Gisborne.
<b>H</b> amilton		Hamilton		1908	Mr. A. F. Vicary	 Miss F. E. Hewlett	 Collingwood Street, Hamilton.
lastings		Hastings		1913	Mr. R. Rogers	 Mr. J. Burgher	 Hastings.
awera .		Hawera		1911	K. W. Baigent	 Mr. C. E. Gibson	 P. O. Box 114, Hawera.

nvercargill		Invercargill	***	1906	Mr. O. G. Goldsmith		Mr. O. G. Goldsmith		P. O. Box 54, Invercargill
Iotueka		Motueka		1907	Mr. L. E. Rhodes	***	Mr. L. E. Rhodes		High Street, Motueka.
lapier		Napier		1903	Mr. C. C. Smith		Mrs. W. G. White		Harvey Road, Napier.
Nelson		Nelson		1907	Mrs. Saxon		Miss D. Saxon		78 Tasman St., Nelson.
Northcote		Northcote		1910	Mrs. Gillibrand		Miss E. Gillibrand		Princes Street, Northcote.
Onehunga		Onehunga		1904	Mr. W. M. Newton		Mr. D. Hewitt		Onehunga.
Palmerston,	N.	Palmerston, N.		1911	Mr. A. Morgan		Mr. J. Murray		Bank of N. Z., Palmerston, N.
Timaru		Timaru		1912	Mr. J. C. Oddie		Mr. E. Heath		Timaru.
Wanganui		Wanganui		1896	Mr. S. Butler		Mr. A. R. Paetz		Wanganui.
Wellington		Wellington		1888	Mr. W. S. Short		Mr. R. J. Mathers		15 Maurice Terrace, Wellington.
Woodville		Woodville		1895	Mr. N. J. Gilbert		Mr. N. J. Gilbert	***	Napier Road, Napier.

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# The T. S. in The Netherlands

(CHARTERED 14-5-1897.)

General Secretary:

J. P. W. Schuurman, 76 Amsteldijk, Amsterdam.

Place,	Name of th	e Bran	ch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address	
Amsterdam	 Amsterdam	Lodge		1891	J. P. W. Schuurman	 W. D. Hop	Overtoom 49.	
Do.	 Wahana	"	•••	1896	M. W. Mook	 E. W. R. de Haas	Alb. Thijmstraat 32.	
Amersfoort	 Amersfoort	"		1913	J. D. Reiman	 D. Kruimel	Utrechtscheweg 104.	
Apeldoorn	 Apeldoorn	**		1911	G. Heuvelman	 Miss F. E. Jilderda	Boschweg.	
Arnhem	 Arnhem	,,		1905	P. M. v. Walchren	 Miss M. Plemp v. Duiveland	Eusebiusbuitensingel 37.	
Bussum	 Bussum	"		1913	Mrs. G. Ribbe-Loeff	 A. Van Ellen	Brinklaan 196.	
Pelft	 Delft	"		1905	W. van Thienen	 Mrs. A. M. C. Nienhuis- Schroder.	Vermeerstraat 32.	
eventer	 Deventer	"		1914	J. A. Blok	 Miss J. E. de Lange	Kromme Kerkstraat 41.	
ooi	 Gooi	"		1907	Miss C. W. Dijkgraaf	 Miss D. Bekouw	Eemnesserweg, Laren (N.H.)	
avenhage	 The Hagne	,,		1897	J. D. Ros	 Miss G. Slotboom	Laan Copes 143.	

Do.	***	Blavatsky	,,		1909	A. E. Thierens		J. A. G. Baron van Ittersum	Obrechtstraat 52.
Haarlem		Haarlem	,,		1896	J. op't Eijnde		W. M. ten Houte de Lange	Wilhelminapark 37.
Helder		Helder	,,		1896	T. van Zuylen	***	M. Van Maanen	Dijkstraat 38.
Hilversum		Hilversum	,,		1903	Miss C. Hubrecht		D. Van Vuure	Gravenlandscheweg 14 b.
Leiden		Leiden	,,		1905	P. Persant Snoep		W. A. Kriest	Hugo de Grootstraat 22.
Nijmegen		Nijmegen	,,		1902	E. L. Selleger		Miss B. Cohen	Fagelstraat 48.
Rotterdam		Rotterdam	,,		1897	W. L. van Vlaarding	gen	Miss J. M. Dutilh	Mauritsweg 12.
Utrecht		. Utrecht	,,		1901	J. H. Kengen		Miss J. L. van Wijngaarden	Oude Gracht T.Z. 19.
Zwolle		. Christian	Rosenk	renz.	1905	Miss L. Gratama		Miss C. Eindhoven	Koestraat 16.

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## The T. S. in France

(CHARTERED 2-8-1899.)

Incorporated as "La Société Théosophique de France".

General Secretary:

CHARLES BLECH, 59 Avenue de la Bourdonnais, Paris VII.

T. S. IN FRANCE

Place,		Name of the Branc	eh.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Angers		Tolérance *		1907	M. A. Ravault	 M. L. Galet	 Pres., 55 rue Beaurepaire.
Bordeaux		Gladius		1910	M. Lacoudanne	 M. Ed. Fay	 9 rue Danjou.
Do.		L'Harmonie		1913	M. J. H. Dévignes	 M. Stettler	 32 rue Mazarin.
Clermont-Fer	rr-	Vahana *		1911	M. F. Marcault	 Mlle Arnaud	 86 avenue de Lyon.
Grenoble		Grenoble Lodge *		1899	M. Durand	 	Pres., 17 rue de Turenne.
Le Havre		Caritas *		1911	M. Louis Revel	 M. Cudelou	 Pres., 6 rue du Docteur-Sur ray.
Le Mans		Persévérance		1913	M. Ch. Lemoine	 Mme Colet	 2 rue du Doyenné.
Lyon		Le Rayon *		1899	M. Dombé	 Mme Perrucat	 31 rue Sainte-Hélène.
Marseilles		Ana-Bai *		1900	M. H. Leblais	 M. Genin	 Pres., 37 Bd. des Dames
Do.		Sophia *		1902	Mlle Lasne	 M. Boet	 Pres., 17 rue Ste-Engénie (Quart. Bompard).

Do.	 L'Aube	 1905	Mme E Bendit		Mme Vincent	 Pres., 393 rue Paradis.
Do.	 Maya	 1911	Dr. Bruno Maurel		Mme Ed. Maurel	 11 rue St. Dominique.
Monaco	 Espérance	 1907	M. Ed. Izard		M. A. Micha	 1 rue Basse.
Nancy	 Lorraine Lodge	 1912	M. J. Charaux		Mme Vuillaame	 81 rue de Toul.
Nantes	 Nantes Lodge	 1905	Mme Cardinal		Mlle S. Bonnaud	 Pres., 2 quai de Richebourg.
Nice	 Vidya *	 1902	Mlle C. Bayer		M. Rudolphi	 59 Bd. Carabacel.
Do.	 L'Union de Nice	 1903	Mme Van Bellinghen		Mlle Guillamand	 45 chemin de la Madeleine.
Nimes	 Excelsior *	 1911	Mme Richard		M. Tort	 21 rue Notre-Dame.
Paris	 L'Union	 1899	Mme A. Magny		Mme Merle	 Pres., 11 rue Sédillot.
Do.	 Le Lotus	 1899	M. Commd. Duboc	,	Mme Duboc	 Pres., Ave. Felix Faure.
Do,	 L'Essor	 1900	Mile A. Blech		M. de Fontenay	 Pres., 21 avenue Montaigne.
Do,	 Paix	 1908	Mme Allain		Mme Fix	 Pres., 11 rue Sédillot.

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Place.		Name of the Bran	nch.	Date of Charter.	President.		Secretary.	Secretary's Address,	
Paris	•••	Iccha		1909	Mme de Manziarly		Mme Maugham	 4 rue d'Anjou.	
Do.		Harmonie		1910	Mme Alix Heres		M. Pugniere	 Pres., 40 rue Albony.	
Do,		Lanou		1909	M. Morand		Mlle Leloutre	 Pres., 17 rue Dugnay-Trouin.	
Do.		Dhyana		1910	Dr. Deffaux		Mme Deffaux	 35 rue de Sommerard.	
Do.		Labor		1912	M. Broussey		Mme Moulin	 Pres., 31 rue Bourgelat, Alfort, (Seine).	
au		Pau Lodge		1911	M. Lemosy		M. Tujurmean	 Pres., Usine à Gaz.	
Port Said		Egypte		1914	M. Henry Gerband		M. E. Ronvas	 Pres., Ingenieur, Portsaid.	
Rouen		La Fraternelle *		1909	Mlle Decroix			Pres., 16 route Neuve, Mont St. Aignan, (Seine Inf.)	
arbes		Vaillance		1914	M. H. Dublanc		M. J. Lavergne	 39 Ave. Bertrand-Barrere.	
Coulon		Le Lotus Bleu *		1896	M. J. Alibert		Mme J. Alibert	 Pres., 47 Bd. Grignan.	

Do.		 Christos	 1910	Mme Guiot	 		Pres., 39 Bd. du Dr. Cunéo.
Toulous	е .	 Sénevé	 1912	Mlle Jalambic	 Mlle Raynaud		Ecole Normale d'Institu- trices.
Mulhous (Alsa		Alsace Lodge *	 1907	Mlle Felnie	 Mlle Frey		8 rue d'Altkirch, Mulhouse.
Alger		 Yoga *	 1907	M. J. Mélion	 Mlle Bozzoli	***	93 rue Michelet.
Do		 Fraternité d'Alger*	 1913	Mlle Duchêne	 M. Dufeutrel		Pres, 31 Bd. Carnot.
Do		 Union d'Alger	 1913	Mme A. Chevalier	 Mme R. Scognamiglio	***	Pres., 77 rue Michelet.
Oran		 Alcyone	 1912	Mme Sassary	 Mme Mifflet		25 rue de Tlemcen.
Do	٥.	 Dharma	 1913	Mme Collin-Vollot	 M. Astruc		7 Bis. Bd. National.
Tunis		 Annie Besant*	 1905	M. Paul Chaffard	 M. Aug. Durmeyer		Pres., 12 ave. de Paris.
Bizert	е	 Hakika *	 1911	M. A. Guénard	 		Pres., Directeur du Petit Bizertin.
Souses		 La Paix*	 1911	M. Gresse	 Mme Taillard		Pres., 3, rue des Vosges.

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## The T. S. in Italy

(CHARTERED 17-1-1902.)

General Secretary:

Prof. O. Penzig, 1 Corso Dogali, Genoa.

T. S. IN ITALY

Place.		Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Bari		Isilde Lodge	1914	Giovanni Fiorese	Dominico D'Alesio	 Ufficio Telegrafico Centrale.
Bologna		Bologna "	1901	Dott. Luigi Bombicci Porta	Miss Frieda Schoenig	 22 Via Indipendenza.
Catania		Etna "	1913	Dott. Bartolomeo Tavano		462 Via Plebiscito.
Firenze		A. Besant "	1905	Gioacchino Cavallini		109 Via Masaccio.
Genoa		Giordano Bruno "	1902	Willian H. Kirby	Prof. Otto Penzig	 Villa Cevasco, Cornigliano.
Do.		Giuseppe Mazzini	1904	Dott. J. R. Spensley	G. Ettore Cavallo	 Hotel Union, 9 Piazza Campetto.
Do.		Sattva "	1906	Mrs. Ida C. Reghini	Giorgio Henrici	 79 Corso Paganini.
Milano		H. P. Blavatsky "	1906	Ten. Col. Oliviers Bog.	Mrs. Gretchen Boggiani	 Villa Boggiani, Stresa.
Do.		Ars Regia "	1913	Dott, Giuseppe Sulli Rao	Rag. Augusto Caligaris	 5 Via Marsala.
Mondovi Br	ео	Marsilio Ficino "	1909	Carlo Borsarelli	Tommaso Trigari	 13 Via delle Ripe.

Napoli		Napoli (Dormant)	1900		**	
Palermo		Palermo "	1904	Ten. Adelchi Borzi	Avvo. Giovanni Sottile	Ro. Orto Botanico,
Do,		Pitagora "	1909	Avvo. Pietro Pirajno	Giuseppe Randisi	2 Via Belmonte.
Rivoli (Piemonte	)	Dharma "	1912	Mrs. Bice Vezzetti Morgari	Miss Tina Vezzetti	Rivoli (Piemonte).
Roma		Rinascenza "	1902	Cav. Giovanni Gelanze	Cap. Riccardo Neva	251 Corso Vittorio Emanuele.
Taormina		Andromaco "	1914	Dott. Salvatore Cacciola	Miss Stella Pirotti	Consolsto Britannico.
Torino		Leonardo Da Vinci	1904	Lucio Barbero	Pietro Berardo	4 Corso S. Martino.
Do.		H. S. Olcott "	1907	Conte Aldo di Magny		40 Corso Vittorio Emanuele.
Do.		Pitagora ,,	1909	Prof. Eugenio Pavia	Miss Romilda Gagliardi	7 Via Issilio.
Do,		Torino (Dormant),,	. 1904			
Do.		Lumen de Lumine	. 1907	Emilio Turin	Cesare Bulano	38 Via Amerigo Vespucci.
Venice		Venezia "	. 1908	Miss Fanny Michelin	Prof. Giuseppe Torres	710 Merceria San Giuliano.

Place.	Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
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Lucera	Centro Abruzzese		Dott. Alessandro Cavalli		Viale Regina Margherita.
Naro (Prov. di Girgenti)	Centro Etneo		Prof. Alberto Friscia		R. Scuola Tecuico.
Ostiglia (Prov. di Mantova)			Regolo Molinari		Ostiglia (Mantova).
Sagliano Micca (Biella)	Centro Val di Cervo		Miss Pia Borghesio		Sagliano Micca (Biella).
Stresa	Centro del Verbano		Mrs. Gretchen Boggianı.		Villa Boggiani, Stresa.
Treviso	Centro Trevigiano	***	Dott, Carlo Lorenzon		Barriera Vittorio Emanuele,

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## The T. S. in Germany

(CHARTERED 27-7-1902.)

Under Rule 44 its Charter was declared to have lapsed and become forfeited on February 2nd, 1913.

The Charter was revived and transferred to the German Lodges attached to Adyar Headquarters on March 7th, 1913.

General Secretary:

Dr. Von Kapff, Grunewald, Berlin, Germany.

Place.	Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President,	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Berlin	 Blavatsky Lodge T. S	1912	Paul Krojanker	Ferdinand Pahl	Berlin
Do.	 Besant "	1912	Mrs. Alice von Souklar	Mrs. L. Schsutse	Steglitserstr. 58, Berlin.
Do.	 Franz Hartman	1914	Prof. T. Ragge	Miss H. Grams	Berlin, Yordstrasse 89a III.
Do.	 Du Prel "	1914	Dr. Von Kapff	Miss M. A. Amrhein	Berlin, Wilmersdorf.
Do.	 Paulus "	1914	B. Tönjes	Mrs. M. Hütty	Berlin.
Breslau	 Der Wanderer "	1913	Franz Alwes	George Hoffmann	Langegasse 24, Breslau.
Dortmund	 Adyar "	1914	Ernst Keske	Paul Dathert	Dortmund, Germany.
Dresden	 Lohengrin "	1913		Lienemann Paul	Dresden.
Do.	 Persival "	1913	A Büttner	Adolf Busenius	Do.
Do.	 Znm Gral "	1913	Ahner Hermann		Hermannstr. 1, Dresden.

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Dusseldorf	•••	Blavatsky	**	 1912	Fuhermann Louis		D. Mottenklott	 Furstenwalstrasse, Dusseldorf.
Do.		Alcyone	**	 1912	Mrs. Jenny Zech		R. Halbwachs	Dusseldorf.
Do.		Eber Sanat	**	 1913	Pieper Ernst		W. Bruno	 71 Achenbachstr. Dusseldorf.
Furstenwald	е	Fürstenwalde	,,	 1913	Karl Wachtelborn			Fürstenwalde Spree.
Gorlitz		Besant	"	 1913	Mrs. Von Voss Ida	***		Gorlitz.
Gottingen		Alcyone	"	 1912	Miss J. L. Guttmann			Planchstrasse 1., Gottingen.
Do.		Freiheits	"	 1913	Dr. Hübbé Schleiden			Nikolausbergerweg 34, Gottingen.
Hagen (Wes	it	Buddha	"	 1912	Matheus Lauweriks		K. Friedrich	 Elberfeldestr. 21, Hagen.
Hamburg		Hamburg	39	 1913	Hintz Oscar F. C.			Hamburg.
Hannover		Theognostic	,,	 1912	Otto Schwarz (Jr)			Hannover.
Do.		Hübbé-Schlei	den	 1914	G. B. Haucks			Do.
Do.		Brotherhood	"	 1912	August Bethe			Do.

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Place.	Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address
Heidelberg	Licht Lodge	1914	Prof. V. D. Dalal	Martin Bollack	Heidelberg.
Leipzig	 Zum Heiligen Gral Lodge	1912	Hugo Obermeier	Mrs. M. Gehring	Leipzig.
Planen	 Planen "	1913	Oskar Walther	Arthur Walther	Planen in Vogtland

## The T. S. in Cuba

(CHARTERED 7-2-1905.)

General Secretary:

RAFAEL DE ALBEAR, Apartado 365, Habana.

T. S. IN CUBA

Place.	Name of the	Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Alto Sougo, Or	Jesus I	odge	1905	Mr. Juan Ruiz	Mr. Alejandro Renta	Alto Sougo, Or.
Banes	Fraternidad	,,	. 1903		C	
° Do	Progreso	,,	. 1905			
Do	Unidad	"	1914	Mr. Eduardo Abril	Mr. Jose Ramon Rojas	Apartado 87, Banes, Or.
Bayamo	Rayos de Luz		1913	Mr. Juan Joaquin Odoardo	Mr. Carlos E. Blanco	Marmol 93, Bayamo, Or.
3. Sti. Spiritus	Bhakti Gyan	,,	1904	Mr. Manuel Janer Roman		Pres., Apartado 26, Sti . Spiritus.
Diego de Avila	Maitreya	,,	1912	Mr. Porfirio Rodriguez	Mr. Federico J. Farinas	Ciego de Avila.
lien uegos	Sophia	,,	1902	Mr. Octavio Guerrero	<b>1</b>	Pres., S. Fernando 163, Cienfuegos.
luantanamo	Dhananjaya	,,	1913	Mr. Pedro P. Goicuria	Mr. Felipe Cisneros	Guantanamo, Or.
Habana	Annie Besant	,,	1901	Mr. Rafael de Albear y St. Just	Mr. Edelmiro A. Felix	Apartado 365, Habana.

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Do		Ferseverancia	,,	 1909	Mr. Federico Castillo	Mr. Jesus Font	 Apartado 365, Habana
Maffo .		Humildad	,,	 1907	Mr. Vicente Martinez	Mrs. Rosalia Fonseca	 Maffo, Or.
Manzanillo		Pitagoras	"	 1913	Mr. Ramon Canete	Mr. Victoriano Lozano	 E. Loynaz 30, Manzanillo.
Matanzaz		Dharma	,,	 1908	Mr. Mateo I. Fiol	Mr. Carlos C. Rodriguez	 Maceo 68, Matanzas.
Palma Soria	no	Caridad	,,	 1910	Mr. Arturo Villalon	Mr. Carlos Gonzalez	 Palma Soriano, Or.
Do.		H. S. Olcott	"	 1907	Mr. Buenaventura Beaton	Miss Clemencia Medina	 Palma Soriano, Or.
Pinar del Rio		Occidente	33	 1910	Mr. Luis Mora Frau	Mr. Armando Blanco	 M. Landa 58, Pinar del Rio.
S. Anto. Ban	os	Luz del Alba	"	 1909	Mr. Bernardo Ardisana	Mr. Antonio L. Blanco	 Pres., Habana Comercial Co.
San Luis			riente Lodge	1907	Mr. Manuel Barban	Mr. Heliodoro Cutino	 San Luis, Or.
Santiago, Or.		Estrella de Lu	z ",	 1906	Mrs. Maria Avila de Martinez	Mrs. Isabel Martinez de Alpizar	Pres., Q. Banderas 12, Santiago, Or.
Do.		H. P. Blavatsl	cy "	 1905	Mrs. Feliciana Sanchez	Mr. Modesto Ferrera	 Marti 12, Santiago, Or.
Do.		Kriya	,,	 1905	Mrs. Dolores Sariol de Ortiz	Mr. Leonardo Grinan	 Paraiso alta 12, Santiago, Or.

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Place.		Name of the Branc	h. Date of		Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Santiago, Or		Loto Blanco Lodge	1905	Mr. Enrique Rivera	Miss Aurea Ballesta	Sta. Rita baja 46 Santiago, Or.
Do		Luz de Maceo "	1905	Mrs. Amalia Nunez	Mr. Nestor Jimenez	Mejorana 8½, Santiago, Or.
Sti. Spiritus .		Leadbeater "	1911	Mr. Lorgio Vargas	Mr. Pelagio Vargas	Marti 110 A. Sti. Spiritus.
li Arriba		Luz de Oriente "	1907	Mr. Luis Garcia Reus	Mr. Eduardo Rosillo Cabal- lero »	Ti Arriba, Or.
Cuinucu .		Jesus de Nazareth Lodge	1913	Mr. Bernardo Garcia	Mr. Julio Rodriguez	Tuinucu, Villas.
				COSTA RICA		
ilajuela .		Zulai "	1911	Mr. Aquiles Acosta	Mr. Faustino Solera	Alajuela, Costa Rica.
ian Jose .		Dharana "	1910	Miss Mercedes Montalto		Pres., Apartado 633, S. Jose Costa Rica.
Do		Virya "	1904		Mr. Jose Monturiol	Apartado 220, S. Jose, Costa- Rica.
San Ramon .		Estrella de Oriente Lodge	1911			

	- 1				MEXICO		
Merida, Yuc		Mayab	,,	 1914	Mr. Francisco Gomez Rul	Mr. Diego Garcia Perozo	Calle 47 No. 479, Merida, Yuc.
Mexico, D. F.		Amor	,,	 1914	Mrs. Lucia Carrasco	Mr. Jose Gavia	Apartado 4575, Mexico, D. F.
Do.		Aura	"	 1906	Mrs. Consuelo R. de Aldag	Mr. Pedro Benevolo	Apartado 2710, Mexico, D. F.
Do.		Loto	"	 1906	Mr. Silvestre Garza	Mr. Armando G. de Velasco	Apartado 138, bis, Mexico, D. F.
Saltillo		Jheoshua	"	 1907	Mr. Pablo C. Maldonado		Pres., 6a Guatemotzin 22, Saltillo, Coah.
Torreon		Ramacharaka	,,	 1908	Mr. Gabino J. Calvo		Pres., Morelos 921, Torreon, Coah.
					PUERTO RICO		
Aguadilla		Hellen P. Bla	vatsky Lodge	 1908	Mr. Luis A. Torregrosa		Pres., Apartado 132, Aguadilla.
Ponce		Ananda	"	 1906	Mr. Esteban C. Canevaro	Mad. Condesa Vda. de Fleurian	Jobo St. 5, Ponce.
San Juan		Luz en el Sende	ero"	 1911	Mr. A. J. Plard	Mr. Enrique Biascoechea	Parada 19, Santurce.
Utuado		J. Krishnamu	rti "	 1911	Miss Maria Libertad Gomez	Mr. J. Federico Legrand	Utuado, P. Rico.

Place.	Name of	the Branc	h.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address
G=+-3/5-14					EL SALVADOR		
S. Salvador	 Aletheia	Lodge		1913	Mr. Juan F. Orozco	Mr. Tomas Soley	S. Salvador, America Central
Do.	 Teotl	"		1910	Mr. Julio Acosta	M1. Victor A. Sutter	
					YENEZUELA		
Duaca	 Gloria del	Maestro Lodge		1913	Mr. Luis Beltran Navas	Mr. J. M. Jimenez Sorondo	Duaca, Edo. Lara.
					COLOMBIA		
Bogota	 Colombia	,,		1914	Mr. Jaime Guerrero	Mr. Eduardo Lleras Codazzi	Bogota,
					GUATEMALA		
Guatemala	Quetzalia	,,		1914	Mr. Juan J. Caceres	Mr. Victor J. Pena	6 Ave Norte No. 36, Guate

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## The T. S. in Hungary

(CHARTERED 7-7-1907.)

General Secretary:

PROF. ROBERT NADLER, VI, Andrassy ut 71,

Budapest.

T. S. IN HUNGARY

Place.		Name of the Br	anch.	Date of Charter.	President.		Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Budapest		Altruismus		1906	Mr. Lipot Stark		Dr. Géza Vikár	II. Heltai Ferencz utcza 1
Do.		Apolló		1906	Prof. Robert Nadler		Miss Ilona de Gyárfás	IX. Lonyay uteza 36.
Do.	***	Besant		1911	Mrs. Ella von Hild	***	Miss Elsa von Bömches	I. Fehérvari ut 56 a.
Do.		Blavatsky		1906	Mrs. Leona de Maszák		Mr. György de Baranyi	IX. Lonyay utcza 36.
Do.		Bolyai		1906	Mr. Jenő Harsányi		***	
Do.		Chrestos		1911	Mrs. Rozsika de Topere:	zer	Mr. Béla de Takach	II. Margit rakpart 42.
Do.		Keleti Csillag		1912			Miss Izabella de Ferenczy.	VII. Szegényhaz tér 7.
Do.		Klio		1906	Mr. Sándor Wéber		Mr. Hugó Wéber	VI. Bajza utcza 44.
Do.		Krishna		1906	Mr. Arnold Radnai		Mr. Fülöp Nobel	VI. Podmaniczky uteza 71
Do.		Mystic		1913	Mr. Ödön Nérei		Mr. Kornél de Medveczky,	I. Györi ut 2. c.
Do.		Pythagoras		1906	***			

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## The T. S. in Finland

(CHARTERED 21-10-1907.)

General Secretary:

PEKKA ERVAST, Aggelby, Finland.

T. S. IN FINLAND

Place.	Name of the B	ranch.	Date of Charter.	President.		Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Abo	 Aura		1907	Mr. John Troberg		Miss Tyyne Österlund	Sairashuoneenkadun 12 A,
Do.	 Aurora		1908	Mrs. Anna Arvidsson		Miss Suoma Telenius	Ab. John Barker Oy., Abo.
Aggelby	 Kalervo		1907	Mr. Hj. Arvidsson		Mr. V. H. Valvanne	Aggelby.
Bjorneborg	 Kaukomieli		1911	Miss Lempi Nissinen		***	Pres., Eteläpuistokadun 11, Bjorneborg.
Helsingfors	 Ahjo		1911	Mrs. Vendla Böök		Mr. J. E. Wainio	Castreninkadun 1, Helsing- fors.
Do.	 Kalevala		1907	Miss Helmi Rissanen		Mr. Veikko Palomaa	Eevankadun 4, Fredriksberg.
Do.	 Vagen		1907	Mrs. Ida af Hällström		Miss Signe af Hällström	Elisabetsgatan 27, Helsing- fors.
Idensalmi	 Valoa kohti		1908	Mrs. Kyllikki Ignatius		Mrs. Jenny Styf	Idensalmi.
Joensuu	 Valontaimi		1908	Mr. Aleks. Törrönen, M	.A.		Pres., Joensuu.
Korkeakoski	 Kipinä		1911	Mr. Toivo Löfström		Mr. A. Oksala	Korkeakoski.

Kotka	 Väinölä	 1908	Mr. Adolf R. Kankkun	ien	Miss Matty Penttinen	 Hovinsaari, Kotka.
Kuopio	 Vipunen	 1909	Mr. Heikki Keinänen		Miss Ida Väyrynen	 Linnankadun 46, Kuopio.
Kurikka	 Etsijä	 1907	Mr. Matti Virtanen		Mr. Matsi Halme	 Kurikka.
Lahtis	 Majakka	 1910	Mr. Juho Reijonen		Mr. Antti Snell	 Varikko, Lahtis.
Nokia	 Sarastus	 1907	Mr. M. A. Stark, M.A		Mr. J. V. Louhivaara	 Nokia.
St. Michel	 Otava No. 1.	 1909	Dr. W. Angervo		Mr. Lenni Linnala	 St. Michel.
Do.	 Otava No. 2.	 1911	Mr. Arvid Ekholm		Miss Lyydia Lampinen	 St. Michel.
Tammerfors	 Valonheittäjä	 1910	Mr. Väinö Virtanen		Miss Helmi Hirvelä	 Vellamonkadun 4, Tammer- fors.
Uleaborg	 Aatto	 1912	Mr. Yrjö Kallinen		Miss Maria Sipilä	 Kirkkokadun 8, Uleaborg.
Yasa	 Astra	 1911	Miss Fanny Enqvist			Pres., Vasa.
Do.	 Tähti	 1908	Mr. Jaakko Forsell		Mr. T. Laurila	 Koulukadun 42, Vasa.
Wiborg	 . Sampo	 1907	Mr. Otto Mölsä		Mr. Bruno Juntilainen	 Kullervo-yhtiö, r. D, as. 26, Viborg.

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## The T. S. in Russia

(CHARTERED 12-11-1908.)

General Secretary:

Anna Kamensky, Ivanovskaya 22, Petrograd.

T. S. IN RUSSIA

<b>Do.</b> H. P. B 1909 Mr. N. Boyanus Do. Znamenka, "	Place.	Name of the Bra	nch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Moscow Sattwa 1909 Mrs. Y. Kirpitchnikoff Mrs. I. Tchoulitsky College Kirpitchnikoff Do. Znamenka, "  Rostoff Rostoff Branch 1912 Miss Mary Fedoroff Mr. K. Latyuine Commercial College Fetrograd Maria Strauch 1908 Miss Cecile Helmboldt Mme. Emma Panthenius Ivanovskaya, 22.  Do. H. P. B " Mme. Nad. Trofimenko "  Do. Hypatia " Miss Berthe Callart (protem.) Miss Anna Zikonovitch "  Miss Mary Gardenine "  Miss Mary Gardenine "	aluga	 R. Steiner		1908	Mrs. K. Pissareff	Mr. N. Pissareff	Voskressensky.
Do. H. P. B 1909 Mr. N. Boyanus Do. Znamenka, "  Rostoff Rostoff Branch 1912 Miss Mary Fedoroff Mr. K. Latyuine Commercial College  Petrograd Maria Strauch 1908 Miss Cecile Helmboldt Mme. Emma Panthenius Ivanovskaya, 22.  Do. H. P. B "  Miss Berthe Callart (protem.)  Miss Anna Zikonovitch "  Miss Mary Gardenine "	ief	 St. Sophia		1908	Mme. E. Rodzevitch	Mrs. E. Sohnovsky	Reytarskayas, 29.
Rostoff Rostoff Branch 1912 Miss Mary Fedoroff Mr. K. Latyuine Commercial College Petrograd Maria Strauch 1908 Miss Cecile Helmboldt Mme. Emma Panthenius Ivanovskaya, 22.  Do. H. P. B , Mme. Nad. Trofimenko ,   Do. Hypatia , Miss Berthe Callart (protem.) Miss Anna Zikonovitch ,   """  """  """  """  """  """  "	oscow	 Sattwa		1909	Mrs. Y. Kirpitchnikoff	Mrs. I. Tchoulitsky	College Kirpitchnikoff.
Petrograd Maria Strauch 1908 Miss Cecile Helmboldt Mme. Emma Panthenius Ivanovskaya, 22.  Do. H. P. B , Mme. Nad. Trofimenko , Mme. Nad. Trofimenko , Miss Berthe Callart (protem.) Miss Anna Zikonovitch , Mme. Vera Molokine Miss Mary Gardenine , Mme. Vera Molokine , Mme. Vera Mol	Do.	н. Р. В.		1909	Mr. N. Boyanus	Do.	Znamenka, "
Do. H. P. B , Mme. Nad. Trofimenko , Mss Berthe Callart (protem.)  Do. East , Mme. Vera Molokine Miss Mary Gardenine ,	ostoff	 Rostoff Branch		1912	Miss Mary Fedoroff	Mr. K. Latyuine	Commercial College.
Do. Hypatia , Miss Berthe Callart (pro- tem.) Miss Anna Zikonovitch , Mme. Vera Molokine Miss Mary Gardenine ,	etrograd	 Maria Strauch		1908	Miss Cecile Helmboldt	Mme. Emma Panthenius	Ivanovskaya, 22.
Do. East , Mme. Vera Molokine Miss Mary Gardenine ,	Do,	н. Р. В.		"	19	Mme, Nad. Trofimenko	,,
	Do.	Hypatia		"		Miss Anna Zikonovitch	19
Do. Christian II61 Mr. Nikolai Erassy Miss Ellen Levtschak "	Do.	East		"	Mme, Vera Molokine	Miss Mary Gardenine	19
	Do.	Christian		1161	Mr. Nikolai Erassy	Miss Ellen Levtschak	19
Do. Pedagogic 1912 Mme. Anna Kamensky Mr. Alex Molokine "	Do.	Pedagogic		1912	Mme. Anna Kamensky	Mr. Alex Molokine	19

## The T. S. in Bohemia

(CHARTERED 7-2-1909.)

General Secretary:

Jan Bedrnicek-Chlumsky, Prague-Podbaba, Dolni Sarka 275,
Prague-Letna.

T. S. IN BOHEMIA

Place.	Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.		Secretary.		Secretary's Address.
rague	Branch for Occultism	1910	Mr. J. Bedrnicek		Prof. Vrtatko		Prague, II. Hopfenstokova
Do.	" Mysticism	"	Mr. V. Prochazka		7.		"
Do.	" Philosophy and Science	,,	Dr. O. Friedl		Mrs. O. Hanauskova	***	15
Do.	" Religion	,,	Ing. Blaha	•••	72. (11		**
Do.	" Ethics	"	Prof. Klement		Miss M. Pfeiffrova	***	"
Do.	" Æsthetics and Art	"	Mr. Dvorak		Miss L. Urbanova	***	
Do.	" Psychic Studies		Ing. R. Hambalik		Fr. Vodrazka		39

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## The T. S. in South Africa

(CHARTERED 27-4-1909.)

General Secretary:

C. E. Nelson, P. O. Box 1012, Johannesburg, Transvaal.

### T. S. IN SOUTH AFRICA

Place.	Name of the Branc	v ks	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.		Secretary's Address
Bulawayo, Rhodesia	Bulawayo Lodge		1911	Mr. Hugh Baird	 Mr. K. M. Michell		P. O. Box 587, Bulawayo, Rhodesia.
Capetown, Cape Province	Capetown "		1904	Mrs. I. A. Holtzer	 Mr. Leonard C. Reed	***	42 Berg St. Capetown, Cape Province.
Claremont, Cape Province	Southern Cross "		1914	Mrs. A. E. Ellis	 Mrs. M. S. Walsh	***	Claremont, nr. Capetown.
Durban Natal	Durban "		1904	Miss M. L. Murchie	 Mrs. H. A. Gritten		P. O. Box 199, Durban, Natal.
Germiston, Transvaal	Germiston "		1908	Mr. H. Arnold	 Mr. J. Eaves		P. O. Box 197, Germiston, Transvaal.
Johannesburg, Transvaal	Johannesburg "		1899	Mr. W. Wybergh	 Mr. J. P. Moore		P. O. Box 863, Johannesburg Transvaal.
Do	Yeoville "		1913	Mr. Harold C. Smith	 Miss E. Knudsen		P. O. Box 5948, Johannes- burg, Transvaal.
Pietermaritz- burg, Natal	Pietermaritzburg		1909	Mr. W. E. Marsh	 Miss V. E. Puzey	•••	P. O. Box 241, P'Maritzburg Natal.
Pretoria, Trans- vaal	Pretoria "		1904	Mr. John Walker	 Mr. C. E. Gyde		P. O. Box 446, Pretoria, Transvaal.
Salisbury, Rhodesia	Salisbury "		1914	Mr. N. H. Chattaway	 Mr. C. Foster Carr		P. O. Box 90, Salisbury, Rhodesia.

## The T. S. in Scotland

(CHARTERED 27-4-1909.)

General Secretary:

D. GRAHAM POLE, 28 Great King Street, Edinburgh.

Cable Address:

" THEOSOPHY, Edinburgh."

### T. S. IN SCOTLAND

Place.	Name of the I	Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.		Secretary.		Secretary's Address.
Aberdeen	 Aberdeen Lodg	;e	1910	Mrs. Grant		William Hill		118 Crown Street, Aberdeen.
Dundee	 Dundee "	***	1910	J. L. Thomson		Mrs. B. C. Douglas		1 Seafield Terrace, Broughty Ferry, Scotland.
Edinburgh	 Edinburgh "		1893	James Morison		Mrs. Hay		20 Northumberland Street, Edinburgh.
Do.	 Olcott "		1910	Chr. Gale		N. A. Ellingsen		21 Inverleith Gardens, Edinburgh.
Do.	Orient "		1910	Mrs. Elder		Miss L. E. Meers		Woodburn, Canaan Lane, Edinburgh.
Do.	Orpheus "		1910	Mrs. Baily	•••	Miss D. J. H. Elder		8 Merchiston Bank Gdns., Edinburgh.
Falkirk	 Falkirk "		1912	Miss Belle Moir		William Smith		15 Albert Road, Falkirk.
Forfar	 Forfar "		1911	Charles Smith		Mrs. Buchanan		Westby House, Forfar.
Giffnock	 Giffnock "		1913	J. M. Crosthwaite		MrsCrosthwaite	•••	The Knock, Winton Avenue Giffnock.
Glasgow	 Annie Besant l	Lodge	1911	Miss M. Macmillan		Miss Mysie Scott		67 St. Vincent Crescent, Glasgow.

Do.		Glasgow "		1900 -	C. R. Young	 John P. Allan		88 Bath Street, Glasgow.
Langside		Langside ,,		1910	Wm. McLellan	 Miss L. C. Smith		41 Cathkin Road, Langside.
Leven		Leven "		1910	David Russell	 R. L. Christie		1 Albyn Place, Edinburgh.
Perth		Perth ,,		1911	Arthur Ferguson	 John L. Wood		5 Unity Terrace, Perth.
Uddingston		Uddingston "		1914	Miss M. F. Campbell	 Miss L. M. A. Shepherd		Tullisvale Place, Uddingston.
					CENTRES			
Bo'ness		Bo'ness Centre			***	William Haldane		Marchland Terrace, Bo'ness.
Douglas W	later	Douglas Water	Centre			James C. Welch	•••	2 Carmichael Street Douglas Water.
Glasgow		East				Jas. Johnmann		558 Duke Street, Dennistoun, Glasgow.
Do.		North				Mrs. J. C. George		2 Janefield Avenue, Spring- burn, Glasgow.
Do.		Partick				Mrs. J. T. Ward		88 Balshagray Avenue, Partick, Glasgow.
Hawick		Hawick				Mrs. Turner		Torwood, Hawick.

T. S. IN SCOTLAND—(Continued)

Place	Name of the Br	anch.	Date of Charter	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Kirkcaldy	 Kirkcaldy Centre		***		Miss Strachan	Sands Road, Kirkcaldy.
Paisley	 Paisley "				John P. Allan	88 Bath Street, Glasgow.
Rutherglen	 Rutherglen "				Miss Margaret Crawford	38 Bath Street, Glasgow.
Stirling	 Stirling "			•••	Miss Campbell	Ravenswood, Causewayhead Stirling.

## The T.S. in Switzerland

(CHARTERED 1-12-1910.)

General Secretary:

MLLE. H. STEPHANI, 7 Cour S. Pierre, Geneva.

### T. S. IN SWITZERLAND

Place.		Name of the Bran	nch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.		Secretary's Address.
Geneve		Dharma		1901	Mr. J. D. Reelfs	 Mlle, M. Braillard		21 rue de Malagrou.
Do.		Unité		1901	Mme. Ch. Lebherz	 		Pres., 106 rue des Eaux- Vives.
Do.		Philaléthes		1903	Mme. W. Metford	 Mlle. L. Jacquet		7 rue des Rois.
Do.		Agni		1903	Mlle. H. Stephani	 Mme, H. Lambert		La Beroche Grange-Falquet.
Do.	***	Bouddhi		1910	Mlle. M. L. Brandt	 Mlle, M. L. Pittard	***	Pres., 7 Cour St. Pierre.
Do.		Sattva		1910	Mme. S. Erismann	 Mme. Welter-Crot		25 rue Lefort.
Do.	***	Helvetia		1910	Mr. Ch. Lebherz	 		Pres., 106 rue des Eaux-Vives
Do.		Viveka		1912	Mr. Ch. Pahon	 Mr. Alf. Drilholle		90 Vernier.
Do.	***	Alcyone		1912	Mlle. Kitty Jentzer	 Mlle. L. Nobile		Pres., 9 Quai des Bergues.
Lausanne	***	Atma (Volonté)		1912	Mr. B. Giroud	 Mme, L. Zbaeren		Pres., Mont-Liban, Chailly.
Neuchatel		Neocomia		1913	Mr. H. de Pury	 Mr. René Borel		20 rue des Cog d'Inde.
					CENTRE			
La Chaux fonds	de			***		Mme, L. Vuille		7 rue de la Serre.

# The T. S. in Belgium

(CHARTERED 7-6-1911.)

General Secretary:

Gaston Polak, 112, Avenue Toison d'or, Brussels.

### T. S. IN BELGIUM

Place.		Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.		Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Antwerp		La Perseverance Lodge	1910	F. Wittemans	***	M. de Balkachine	43 Haringrode Straat, Anvers.
Brussels		Aleyone Lodge		Lemesre		W. K. Van der Haeghen	132 rue Piers, Molenbeek.
Do,	•••	Anvers Lodge	1899	A. Allaerts	•••		Pres., 3 Place Leopold, Anvers.
Do.		Centrale Belge Branche	1898	Dr. Voûte	***	E. E. Bigwood	17 rue de la Culture Brussels.
Do.		Blavatsky de Belgique	1910	***			***
Do.		Brussels Lodge	1898	Soetewey		Van de Graaf	15 rue de la Croix, Brussels.
Do.		Isis Lodge		A. Rombants		E. Van Gasse	43 rue Dupont, Brussels.
Do.		Lotus Blanc Lodge	1903	Mrs. Voûte		Miss V. André	59 rue Véronèse, Brussels.
Do.		Raja Yoga Lodge	***	A. d'Houdt		Miss E. Lardinois	54 rue Delin, Anvers.
Liege		Liègeoise Lodge	1909	S. Verheggen		A. Dubois	215 rue Montagne Sainte- Walburge, Liège.

# The T. S. in Dutch East Indies

(CHARTERED 6-4-1912.)

General Secretary:

D. VAN HINLOOPEN LABBERTON, Museumlaan 19, Buitenzorg, Java.

### T. S. IN NETHERLANDS EAST INDIES

Place.		Name of the Br	anch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
Bandung		Bandung Lodge		1908	Mr. F. Moet	Miss len Brummeler	Bandung, Java.
Batavia	•••	Batavia "		1909	Mr. H. M. Van der Ley	Mr. Holle	Kondangdia Weltevreden Java.
Buitenzorg		Buitenzorg "		1903	Mr. A. G. Vreede	Mr. Meyroos	Pledang Buitenzorg, Java.
Djokjakarta		Djokjakarta "		1903	Mrs. B.C. de Munck Mor- tier van Dulken	Mrs. Dekker	Djokja.
Klaten		Klaten "		1911	Mr. Rouselle	Mr. S. v. d. Ley	Klaten, Java.
Malang		Malang "			Mrs. M. van Gelder	Mr. G. Müller	Krebet, Malang, Java.
Medan		Medan "		1911	Mr. Brouwer Popkens	Miss M. L. Brouwer Pop- kens	Medan, Sumatra.
Semarang		Semarang "		1901	Mr. Volkers	Mrs. Catoire	Rosapark, Semarang, Java.
Soerabaya		Soerabaya "		1903	Mr. Vink	Mr. Van Waning	Palmenlaan, Soerabaya, Java.
Soerakarta (Solo)		Soerakarta "		1908	Dr. Radjiman	Raden Mas Ngabei-Mango- endipoerto	Mangkoe Negaran, Solo, Java.

## The T. S. in Burma

(CHARTERED 1-10-1912.)

General Secretary:

A. Verhage, Maitreya Lodge, Thingangyun, Rangoon, Burma.

### T. S. IN BURMA

Name of the Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address.
 The Sama Daithi T.S.	1914	U. Soo Poo Young	Maung Po Thein	Head Broker, Burma Rice and Trading Company Bassein, Burma.
 The Ananda T. S	1912	Maung Ba E	Maung Po Yin	2nd Master, Gov. High School, Henzada.
 The Lotus Lodge T. S.	1911	Mr. C. G. S. Pillai	Mr. J. N. Basu	Pleader, Mandalay.
 The Blavatsky Lodge T. S.	1910	Mr. M. R. Mudaliar	Mr. T. M. S. Achary	Block No. 7, Blavatsky Lodge, Maymyo.
 The Buddhist T.S	1911	Maung Chit Hlaing	Maung Gyi	Head Master, Sam Buddha Ghosa School, Moulmein.
 The Leadbeater Lodge	1914	Maung Tsain, Barat-Law	Mr. J. B. Jacob	Postal Department, Pegu.
 The Asoka Lodge T. S.	1913	U. Kyin Yon, K. S. M	Mr. T. M. Manickam Pil	lai Civil Hospital, Pyinmana.
 The Rangoon T.S. (Olcott Lodge)	1885	LtCol. E. T. Green, I. A.	Mr. Neb Raj Talwar	No. 21, 49th Street, Rangoon
		CENTRE		
 	1914	Maung Ba Shin	U. San Pe	Advocate, Myittha.
	The Lotus Lodge T. S The Blavatsky Lodge T. S The Buddhist T. S The Leadbeater Lodge The Asoka Lodge T. S The Rangoon T. S. (Olcott Lodge)	The Sama Daithi T.S. 1914  The Ananda T.S 1912  The Lotus Lodge T.S. 1911  The Blavatsky Lodge T.S. 1910  T.S. 1911  The Buddhist T.S 1911  The Leadbeater Lodge 1914  The Asoka Lodge T.S. 1913  The Rangoon T.S. (Olcott Lodge)	The Sama Daithi T. S. 1914 U. Soo Poo Young  The Ananda T. S 1912 Maung Ba E  The Lotus Lodge T. S. 1911 Mr. C. G. S. Pillai  The Blavatsky Lodge T. S. 1910 Mr. M. R. Mudaliar  The Buddhist T. S 1911 Maung Chit Hlaing  The Leadbeater Lodge 1914 Maung Tsain, Barat-Law  The Asoka Lodge T. S. 1913 U. Kyin Yon. K. S. M  The Rangoon T. S. (Olcott Lodge)  CENTRE	The Sama Daithi T.S. 1914 U. Soo Poo Young Maung Po Thein  The Ananda T.S 1912 Maung Ba E Maung Po Yin  The Lotus Lodge T.S. 1911 Mr. C. G. S. Pillai Mr. J. N. Basu  The Blavatsky Lodge T.S. 1910 Mr. M. R. Mudaliar Mr. T. M. S. Achary  T.S The Buddhist T.S 1911 Maung Chit Hlaing Maung Gyi  The Leadbeater Lodge 1914 Maung Tsain, Barat-Law Mr. J. B. Jacob  The Asoka Lodge T.S. 1913 U. Kyin Yon. K. S. M Mr. T. M. Manickam Pil  The Rangoon T.S. (Olcott Lodge)  CENTRE

## The T. S. in Austria

(CHARTERED 28-11-1912.)

General Secretary:

JOHN H. CORDES, Theresianumgasse, 10, Vienna IV.

### T. S. IN AUSTRIA

Place-	Name of the	Branch.	Date of Charter	President.	Secretary.	Secretary's Address,
friest	 Verita		15.08	Mr. Grant A. Greenham	Mr. Lodovico Salvador	Pres., Triest, Reisfabril Canipo, Marzio.
Vienna	 Herakles		1912	Fritz Ritter von Herz- manovsky	Mrs. Paula Luckeneder- Gunz	Wien I, Johannesgasse 2.
Do.	Vajra			Mrs. Dr. W. Frimml	Dr. Walther Klein	
Do.	Sirius			Mrs. Marie Thaller-Beck- ing	Miss Viola Thern	
Do.	Ulysses		•••	Dr. Friedrich Wehofer	Miss Hertha Braunstein	
ro.	Selene			Mr. Paul Luckeneder	Frau Carmen von Herz- manovsky	***
Do.	Ichchha			Mr. August P. Eder	Mr. Otto Schimmel	
Do.	Alcyone			Mr. John Cordes	Mr. H. Colonna	

## The T. S. in Norway

(CHARTERED 8-10-1913.)

PASSED OVER FROM THE SCANDINAVIAN SECTION

General Secretary:

Miss Eva Blytt, Hansteensgt, 9, Kristiania, Norway.

### T. S. IN NORWAY

Place.	Name of the B	Branch.	Date of Charter.	President.		Secretary.		Secretary's Address.
Bergen	Bergens Lo	odge	1909	Mr. Samsonsen				Skottegt 9, Bergen.
Do.	Laboremus	,,	1912	Mrs. Giertsen		Mr. Stiansen		Ole Vigsgt 8, Bergen.
Kristiania	The Norwegian	,,	1903	Mr. Selboe		Miss Johansen		Hansteensgt 9, Kristiania
Do.	Kristiania	,,	1905	Mrs. Sparre		Miss Syvertsen		Do.
Do.	Lotus	,,	1913	Mr. Buchholdt	·			Do.
Do.	Philos	.,	1914	Mr. Michelsen		Miss Westgaard		Do.
Kristianssund	Kristianssund	,,	1913	Mrs. Rognskoug		Mr. Skaseth		Kristianssund.
Lillehammer	Lillehammer	,,	1911	Miss Fougner				Lillehammer.
Ovre Rendalen	Stjerna	,,	1913	Mrs. Undset		Mr. Poul Glad		Rendalen.
Skien	Gjemsö	,,	1912	Mr. Hultmann		Miss Riis	***	Skien,
Stavanger	Stavanger	,,	1911	Miss Berle		Mrs. Jacobsen		Stavanger.
Fromso	Midnight Sun	,,	1912	Mrs. Egilsrud		Mrs, Saxlund	***	Tromsö.
Frondhjem	St. Olav	,,	1911	Miss Gyda Haabjorn		Miss Mortensen		Trondhjem.

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			SOUTH AMERICA		
Intofagasta, Chile	Destellos	1909	Carlos M. Parrau	L. Alberto Parrau	Cassilla 789.
Asuncion, Paraguay	Destellos de Oriente	1912	Viriato Diaz Perez	José Marsal	15 de Agosto 225.
Brazil	Pax	1914	V. Birbuel C	Daniel P. Bilbao	Brazil, S. America.
Buenos Ayres, Argentina	Vi-Dharmah	1909	Eduardo Melgar	Edmund Taillefer	Casilla 1019.
Do	Atlantida	1912	Federico W. Gandara	Ulises L. Bergara	Paso 46.
Iontevideo, Uruguay	Hyranya	1905	Mrs. Eugenia S. de Bogarin	Francisco Diaz Falp	Lima 19.
Do	Sophia	1911	Manuel de Santiago Perez	Washington R. Zarza	Justicia 73.
elotas, Brazil	Dharmah	1902	Francisco de J. Vernetti	Miss Daria Eulalia da Costa	General Argollo 366.
ergamino, Argentina	Verdad	1910	Bernardo Nespral	Andres B. Fernandez	Av. de Mayo y S. Nicola

Porto Alegre, Brazil	Jehoshua	1911	Leopoldo Bettiol	***	Paulino Diamico	. Independencia 159.
Rio de Janeiro, Brazil	Perceverancia	 1910	Jose Joaquin Firmino	•••	Perminco C. Leao	Rua do Carmo 62.
Rosario de Santa Fe, Argentina	Hypatia	1909	Adrian A. Madril	•••	Faustino Bocca	Rioja 1767.
Do.	Pitagoras	 1911	Oscar Gossweiler		Mariano G. Arevalo	Salta 2926.
S. Salvador (Bahia), Brazil	Alcione	 1912	Marcolino de Magalh	aes	Juvenal da Silva Pinto	Rua da Montnha 116.
Santiago, Chile	Arundhati	 1908	Mrs. Ana Huguet		Julio Soza	Casilla 226.
Talcahuano, Do.	Leadbeater	 1909	Genaro Villegas		Jorge A. Valenzuela	Casilla 222.
Valparaiso, Do.	Lob Nor	 1909	Fermin de la Parra		Mrs. Carlota B. de la Parra	Casilla 1229.
Do.	Fraternidad	 1909	José M. Pizarro		Manuel M. Reyes C	Calle del Litre 113.
			SPAIN			
Barcelona	Barcelona Lodge	 1893	José Planay Dorca		Narcisco F. Beltran	Orden 107, bajos (S. Andres) Barcelona, Spain.

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Barcelona	Arjuna Lodge	1908	Sra. Carmen Mateos	Manuel Ramos Quesada .	Ronda San Pedro, 38, Bar- celona, Spain.
Madrid	Madrid "	1893	José Xifré	Manuel Treviño Villa	Atocha, 127 do., Madrid, Spain.
Sevilla	Fraternidad	1911	José Fernandez Pintado	José Felices Lopez	Pres., Viriato, 3, Sevilla, Spain.
Tarrasa	Bhakti	1914	Mrs. E. V. de Corbera	Pablo Corbera	Tarrasa, Barcelona, Spain.
			NORTH AMERICA		
Toronto, West End, Canada.	Toronto West End Lodge.	1911		Felix A. Belcher	250 Lisgar Street, Toronto Canada, N. America.
			CEYLON		- 124
Colombo	Colombo Buddhist T. S.	1880	R. A. Mirando	G. Robert de Zoysa	61 Maliban Street, Colombo
alle	Galle Buddhist T. S	1880	Henry Amarasuriya	D. J. Subasinha	"Subanivasa," Galle.

			BULGARIA		
Sofia, Bulgaria	President Olcott T. S.	1907	Soph. Nickoff	Alex. S. Chichkoff	Pres., 59 Vitosha, Sofia, Bulgaria.
Vratza, Do	Cyril and Methody Lodge.	1911	L. Lipovo msky	Dono Toscheff	 Vratza, Bulgaria.
			AFRICA		
Cairo, Egypt	El Hikmet El Kadim T. S.	1908	Mme. Olga de Lebedeff	Mdh. Egizio Veronesi	 P. O. Box 50, Cairo, Egypt.
Lagos	Hope Lodge, T. S	1914	J. Olawmemi G	T. A. Idown Kester	 Lagos, W. Africa.
			MAURITIUS		
Port Louis, Mauritius	Mauritius T. S	1908	Soobrayen Amoordas- samy.	Auguste Maingaro	 Port Louis, Mauritius.
			IRELAND		
Dublin, Ireland	Dublin Lodge	1909	***	P. Leslie Pielon	 Annandale, Sandford Rd., Dublin.
Belfast, Ireland	Belfast Lodge	1910		Oswald Gregson	 45 Colenso Parade, Stran- millis, Belfast.
Do	Lotus Lodge	1913		W. C. Ward	 2 Thorndene, Cleftonville Rd., Belfast, Ireland.

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			SINGAPORE		
Singapore, Ma- lay Peninsula	Gautama Lodge	1911	V. R. Menon		Outram Road, Singapore.
			FINLAND		
Heslingfors, Finland	Sokaren Lodge, T. S	1911	H. Hellner		Pres., Urikasborgsgatan 3 A. Helsingfors, Finland.
			PERSIA		
Shiraz	Anjuman-i-Sufieh T. S.	1914	Sheikh M. Reza	A. P. Sufi	 Shiraz, Persia.
			BRITISH WEST INDIES		
Grenada	St. Georges Lodge T. S.	1914		J. G. M. Commissiong	 St. Georges, Grenada, B.W.I.
Trinidad	Trinidad Lodge T. S	1914	S. R. Drayton	Mrs. Alice Pashley	 Belmont, Port of Spain, Trinidad, B.W.I.
			GREECE		
Athens	Hermes Lodge, T. S	1914	Mme, Olga D. Vafiadaki	E. Joamiede	 Athens, Greece.