

**Meeting of the
San Bernardino Society of California Pioneers
of January 21st, 1888**

Pursuant to a call published in the newspapers of San Bernardino, a number of California and San Bernardino County Pioneers met this date at the court house in San Bernardino for the purpose of effecting an organization of such Pioneers.

George Lord was unanimously elected Chairman, and Sydney P. Waite, Secretary of this meeting.

On motion of Judge Henry M. Willis, each Pioneer present was invited to give his name, age place of departure, mode of arrival, and place of arrival with date of arrival in the State of California, and pursuant to such motion, the following Pioneers being present in person gave their names and facts as follows:

1. George Lord, age 87; left New York, crossed the plains and arrived at Steep Hollow in 1849.
2. Henry M. Willis, age 56; left Maryland, came around Cape Horn, and arrived in San Francisco, California, June 28th, 1849.
3. Peter Forsee; age 73; left Virginia, crossed the plains and arrived at Coloma, California in 1850.
4. David L. Aldridge, age 51; left Missouri, crossed the plains and arrived at Pilot Hill, California, in 1850.

5. C. E. Owen, age 57; left Ohio, crossed the plains, and arrived at Feather River, California, March 16th, 1846.

6. L. Huerstel, age 69; left Alsace on the River Rhine, crossed the Isthmus of Panama, and arrived at the Yuba Mines, California on June 10th, 1849.

7. Lucius Owen, age 62; left Ohio, crossed the plains and arrived at Feather River, California in 1849.

8. H. G. Cable, age 67; left Delaware, crossed the plains, and arrived at Coloma, California, in 1849.

9. D. W. Brooks, age 65; left Rhode Island, crossed the plains, and arrived at Marysville, California, in 1849.

10. B. F. Mathews, age 67; left Tennessee, crossed the plains, and arrived at the American River in 1850.

11. J. B. Aldrich, age 73; left New Hampshire, crossed the plains, and arrived at Merced in 1849.

12. Jerre Robinson, age 56; left Massachusetts, came around Cape Horn, and arrived at San Francisco in 1849.

13. William A. Rising, age 69; left Vermont, crossed the plains, and arrived in San Diego, California, in 1849.

14. D. L. Adams, age 51; left Indiana, crossed the plains, and arrived at Yuba, California in 1846.

15. Lucas Haagland, age 61; left Michigan, crossed the plains, and arrived in 1850.