



PETITION FOR DEGREES



To the Worshipful Master, the Wardens and Members of

ELKO LODGE, No. 15, F. & A. M.:

The undersigned respectfully represents that, unbiased by friends and uninfluenced by mercenary motives, he freely and voluntarily offers himself as a candidate for the mysteries of Masonry; that he is prompted to solicit this privilege by a favorable opinion conceived of the Institution, a desire for knowledge and a sincere wish to be serviceable to his fellow-creatures; that he has resided in the State of Nevada for more than one year, and in the place below-named more than six months, next preceding the date hereof; that he has not, within twelve months past, been rejected by any Lodge of Free and Accepted Masons; that he promises, if found worthy to conform to all the Ancient usages and regulations of the Fraternity.

The undersigned resides in Pino Valley Nevada, he is Twenty Five years of age; and he is by occupation a Farmer

Dated at Palisades Nev Jan 25th, 1884

(Signature) Robert F. Raine

Recommended by	
Bro. <u>R. F. Raine</u>	
Bro. <u>W. Jewell</u>	

Refers to
<u>Thomas Hunter</u>

We The committee on the within
petition report

also for March 1904

W. H. Paul
Dan. Downey
C. W. Anderson

Sam Downey
to W. H. Paul
to C. W. Anderson