

[Enclosed Hecht to Kuhn 2 Dec. 1896]

Santa Barbara, Calif.

November 27, 1896.

Mr. Edel Hecht,

Dear Comrade:

I enclose a petition for charter. We had one I prepared the same wording and all, but at our last public meeting it was somehow lost. We want our charter and I do not think it matters very much if the names are not signed by the men themselves.

I have attached a slip on which are the signatures of some of the members. All those written by me want their names on the charter and in order to hurry matters up I send the application today. I will prepare another application and get the signatures and send later, if necessary.

We are getting along finely with

our meetings. Have twenty members
and interest is being awakened all
around.

Enclosed you will find \$1.00, being
10 cts for each charter member.

Fraternally

A. G. Rogers,

Rec. Secy.

P.S. I did not make it clear above
I fear and I will say: The applica-
tion I enclose is the same wording
as the one lost, and the members signed
the old one, to a man. The lost one was
signed at first meeting. A. G. R.

P.S. 2 - Your letter was gladly received
by our members and is filed for reference.