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Secretary.

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TO LET—A pleasant and convenient Flat, six rooms, 213 Duke st. Apply at premises.

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TO LET—From first of May next, the commodious premises, No. 163 Germain street, at present occupied by W. Malcolm Mackay, Esq. This is one of the best finished and most centrally located dwellings in the city; has hot and cold water, gas and other conveniences. May be seen on Tuesday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5. Apply to W. J. DAVIDSON, 87 Water street.

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TO LET, and possession given at once—Dwelling House No. 274 Princess street, formerly occupied by Geo J. Chubb; Esq.; has hot and cold water, gas, hot air furnace, bath room, water closets, etc., etc. Can be seen at any time on application to J. FRED McMILLAN, at office of Liquidators Maritime Bank, Bayard building, Prince Wm. street.

TO LET—Brick Store, Corner Portland and High sts. Portland. A good stand for grocery store, provisions and country produce. John Connolley, Corner Portland and High sts.

TO LET—Lower flat of the house 25 Exmouth street, six rooms, modern improvements, hot and cold water. Apply on the premises.

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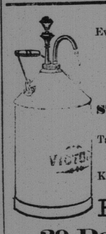

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SECOND EDITION.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE.

GRAND MASTER McNICHOL'S ANNUAL ADDRESS.

Twenty-second Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge F. and A. M. of New Brunswick.

The 22nd annual conmunication of the Grand Lodge, F. and A. M. of New Brunswick was held this morning at Masonic Temple. The officers of the Grand Lodge present were James McNichol, G M; E Lee Street, D G M; J C Hatheway, J G W; H A White, D D G M; L M Wood, D D G M; A Macdougall, G C; C Masters, G T; E J Wetmore, G S; J Vroom, S G D; F E Danville, J G D; A R Campbell, G D of C; G F Atkinson, G S B; W H Patton, G P; F Tufts, G G S, W C Allan, G G S.

Among others present were P G Ms B Lester Peters and R T Clinch, D G Ms Henry Duffell and Edward Willis, P J G Ws Arch McLean, Geo M Jarvis and Geo R Sangster, and P G D Cs John A Watson and A McNichol.

The Grand Lodge was opened, James McNichol, G M, presiding.

The Grand Master McNichols address, contained many appropriate suggestions connected with the occasion and much advice to his hearers urging them as true masons to let brotherly love prevail and recommending the practice of charity and devotion to the principles of Masonry; to be brothers to each other in deed as well as in name. The propriety of arranging for the attendance of the Grand Lodge at Divine Service once a year at least; The gratifying increase of membership and the expediency of permitting to secretaries a discrimination in reference to members delinquent in respect to dues were ably dealt with in the address. The death roll for the year contained some sixteen names and a short biographical sketch was given of the deceased Brothers Samuel Foster and Thomas Wetmore Bliss, and the many good qualities of each clearly referred to. Becoming tribute of sorrow was also paid to the memory of several prominent masons in the United States who had joined the great majority during the year, and his reference to the sudden death of the late Brother James Adam was as follows:

"With startling suddeness the public were apprised of the death of Brother James Adam, which occured on the evening of the 18th inst. Brother Adam was taken away without scarcely a moments warning, being apparently in the enjoyment of excellent health. He was a deservedly respected and highly esteemed citizen. For many years of his life he was an active member of Albion Lodge, No. 1, having filled the highest office in the gift of the Lodge. He was also a member of the various other Masonic Bodies, and held the office positions of trust and honor. No Brother was better known in the craft, nor more highly respected."

The following appointments were made during the year. R. W. Brother John J. Mercer, S G W., of the Grand Lodge of Nebraska, having been recommended for appointment to fill the position made vacant by the resignation of Brother E. A. Allen, it afforded me pleasure to comply with the request in the appointment of Brother Mercer as our representative near the Grand Lodge of Nebraska.

The Grand Lodge of Michigan having decided upon three years as the term of office of their representatives near other Grand Lodges, notified our Grand Secretary that the office of Representative held by R. W. Brother Benjamin R. Stevenson had become vacant by limitation, whereupon I immediately nominated Brother Stevenson for re-appointment.

By request I appointed as successor to our late esteemed Brother Wm. Taylor, R. W. Brother Revd. Francis Partridge, D. D., P D G M., Representative of this Grand Lodge near the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia.

W. Brother W. W. Estabrook, our lying ill at his home, Carlinville, Grand Representative near the Grand Lodge of Illinois, having removed from the State, by request I appointed W. Brother Malachi Maynard his successor. This Grand Lodge having adopted a limited term of five years for Representatives I re-nominated the present incumbent, W. Brother J. H. Leonard for re-appointment.

The M. W. Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Delaware requested an exchange of Representatives, and nominated for appointment W. Brother Hiram T. Downey, P. D. G. M., with pleasure I acceded to the request, and appointed W. Brother Downey our Representative near the Grand Lodge of Delaware. I also nominated W. Brother Charles Masters, Grand Treasurer, to represent the Grand Lodge of Delaware. near this Grand Lodge.

The grand master goes on to say I have been applied to quite frequently during the year for dispensations for various purposes, all of which, I am pleased to say, I was enabled to entertain, I granted all the dispensations asked for; they, in every case, being quite within the constitutional requirements.

Among those granted was one to Union Lodge of Portland, No. 10, permitting their members to wear Regalia on the occasion of the presentation to the Trustees of Saint Andrew's Church of a Memorial Tablet to the memory of the late Dr. Donald, P. G. C. of this Grand Lodge, and Past Chaplain of the Lodge, and for many years the respected pastor of this church. The presentation took place in the church on the evening of the 24th January last in the presence of a very large number of the brethren, who were edified and instructed by very able addresses delivered by P. G. M. B Lester Peters and P. G. C. the Rev. Dr. Macrae. It affords me pleasure to report that the most friendly relations continue to exist between this Grand Lodge and the other jurisdictions with whom we are in fraternal intercourse

There has been nothing of a noteworthy or eventful nature in Masonic circles during the year, and hence nothing of importance to report; but I am pleased to say that the Craft are enjoying a fair degree of prosperity, and that peace and harmony prevails.

In my address to Grand Lodge at the last annual meeting, I took occasion to call the attention of the Brethren to the financial affairs of the Masonic Hall Company, requesting their assistance to enable the Directors to pay off a floating debt of about $900 which the ordinary revenue from the property would not enable them to do. As the property practically belongs to the Craft in this jurisdiction I confidently expected a liberal response. I stated at the time that a contribution of $1 from each member on the registry of this Grand Lodge would more than pay all outstanding claims (mortage excepted). The Directors would then only have to provide for the payment of Interest, Taxes and other incidental expenses consequent on keeping the building in good repair.

Up to the present time only $85 has been subscribed and sent forward by the following lodges:

Hibernia Lodge, No. 3	$33 00
Hiram Lodge, " 6	30 00
Restigouche Lodge No. 25	16 00
Albert Lodge, No. 34	6 00
	$85 00

To whom I hereby tender my hearty thanks.

After describing the stock held by the Grand Lodge and the issue of Grand Lodge bonds, which are being paid off at the rate of $1,000 per year, he anticipates the payment of the whole bonded debt of Grand Lodge within fifteen years, leaving the craft then in an easy financial position, and also urges united effort so as to own the property free of debt.

The Grand Master referred to the Library and made practical suggestions connected with it and proceeded to say, "I deem it a duty and it is with pleasure that I call the attention of the Craft to a work entitled Freemasonry in New Brunswick, about to be published by R. W. Brother Wm F. Bunting, P. G. M. Brother Bunting in the prospectus of his work stated that the need of a compilation embracing the past and present of Freemasonry in New Brunswick has long been felt by the Craft. The great mass of the Brethern of the present day have had but few facilities for gaining information of the Lodges and other Masonic bodies instituted in New Brunswick in the latter part of the the last century and the early portion of the present. The object of the intended volume is to supply this want and afford such information. Brother Bunting has spent a large portion of the past six years in gathering his facts and arranging them for publication. The proposed publication will comprise a volume of nearly five hundred pages, royal octavo, substantially bound in cloth. It will be printed in fresh clear type, on an excellent quality of paper. It will be illustrated, and will be furnished to subscribers and others at four dollars per copy. From the well known ability of the author to produce such a work, I am confident that it will prove of surpassing interest to the Craft in this jurisdiction. As the cost of publication will be very large—and the risk correspondingly serious the compiler does not feel warranted in assuming such an expense without guarantee against loss. I trust, therefore, that every Brother will avail himself of the opportunity to secure a copy.

I feel, however, that the craft has been well looked after by the several District Deputies, who I am pleased to know, have been enabled to do what I have not; and their reports will show the very excellent standing of the Craft in this jurisdiction.

Before closing my report I desire most heartily to thank the V. W. Grand Secretary for his uniform kindness and willingness to at all times render me any assistance required.

Brethren, I now return into your hands the gavel of authority which you have entrusted to my keeping for the past two years. I have faithfully to the best of my ability and the opportunities at my disposal, endeavored to serve the Craft. And now, my dear Brethern, in conclusion, permit me to most heartily thank you and my brother officers for services cheerfully rendered, and to the Fraternity in general for their courteous and kind consideration.

The report of the Grand Secretary showed the total receipts of the office during the year to be $2313.10. The returns of all the lodges show an increase in membership of forty-seven as compared with the returns of the previous year. The total membership, December 27th, 1888, was 1880 as compared with 1812 in 1868 and the number of lodges 32 against 24 in 1868. In 1878, however, there were 34 lodges with 2317 members. The secretary issued during the year 15 dispensations for different purposes, and 109 certificates in parchment upon Special and Regular Annual Returns to those entitled to them under the constitution.

A City Treasurer Gone Wrong.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

DURANGO, Colorado, April 23.—A warrant was issued to day for the arrest of T. F. Burgess, city treasurer, on the charge of being a defaulter in $12,000.

After considerable effort he was induced to turn over a city certificate of deposit for $3,800 on a promise of release.

As soon as he was at liberty he procured a horse and started towards the New Mexico line. The officers are in pursuit.

Oklahoma Boomers.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

OKLAHOMA, April 23.—On the Oklahoma boundary it seems like a fairy tale, but there is scarcely a doubt that from 20,000 to 30,000 entered by these trails, while six trains that came in from Arkansas city to Guthrie brought at least 6,000 more people.

Austria's Empress at Wiesbaden.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, April, 23.—The Empress of Austria has arrived at Wiesbaden where she will undergo the massage treatment.

Late Local News.

ANNUAL CONVOCATION.

The annual convocation of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons of New Brunswick, will be opened tomorrow at 11 a. m., at the Masonic Temple.

IN BERRYMAN'S HALL

Pastor E. M. C. Botterell will deliver his homorous and interesting lecture "Wanted—Backbone" in Berryman's Hall this evening. The lecture is given in connection with the Leinster street Baptist church, and should attract a large audience. Pastor Botterell is a well known lecturer and handles this evening's subject with humor and judgment. It will prove highly entertaining.

Personal.

L. M. Wood, editor of the Albert Maple Leaf, is in town.

Harry Beckwith, Fredericton, is attending the Grand Lodge in this city.

H. B. Short, Digby, H. K. Fisher, New York, H. A. White and wife, Sussex, E. F. Atkinson, Moncton, G. R. Sangster, wife and daughter, are all registered at the Victoria.

W. J. O'Brien, Collector of Customs, Bathurst; Leander Rand, Cornwallis, and Wm. Wilkinson, Birmingham, Ct., are at the Royal.

Municipal Council.

The Municipal Council met this afternoon. Reports of the elections in the different parishes were received, and the councillors declared duly elected and sworn in. Councillor James Rourke being unanimously elected Warden, assumed the chair. Minutes of several previous meetings were read and confirmed.

Weather Report.

POINT LEPREAUX, 9.—a m wind N. W. strong, clear, thermometer 39 nineteen schooners outward, one schooner inward.

3 p m wind N. W. fresh, clear, thermometer 42 one bark two three masted and five other schrs. outward. Pilot boat No. 7 and three schrs. passed inward.

FIRST EDITION.

THE MAJESTIC CHRISTICH.

A WOMAN BESIDE WHOM DISS DEBAR BECOMES OBSCURE.

King Milan's Abdication Due to Her Influence—He is Now Resigned to Her Society—Capt. Cook of the Etruria.

LONDON, April 20. Miss Ann O'Delia Diss Debar of New York sinks into abashed obscurity when confronted by Mme. Christich of Servia. The latter has dethroned a King and acted as the agent in one of Russia's most pronounced and gratifying successes. The last story which comes from Belgrade concerning Milan's absolute and unquestioning subserviency to the woman who claims to be a medium is credited in official circles here. I have direct and indubitable evidence that it is vouched for by his Majesty's charge d'affaires at Belgrade. Exactly why spiritualism should be associated with breadth of beam, double chins and rotundity of the female form divine is a mystery. The ample and flabby proportions of Diss Debar are publicated in the parenthical outline of the Christich, though in a lesser degree. If the Christich kicks the beam at a shade lower figure than the fat princess of New York, she makes up for the deficiency in weight by a severity of purpose which laughs politics to scorn. It is certainly an astounding thing that the most notable dupes of charlatans are men of wide knowledge and striking mental gifts. King Milan, though dissipated and depraved, is a man of notable attainments, one of the most accomplished of modern princes and a man familiar with all the foibles and fallacies of Paris and the London crazes. His subserviency to the big and majestic Mme. Christich is absolute. He abdicated his throne, according to the best information, while laboring under the influence of spiritualism. King Milan thought Christich was a medium through whom he was receiving divine instructions, and when he announced his abdication he did so with the manner of a man in a trance. His eyes were glazed, his manner constrained to a painful degree, and his whole demeanor that of a man swayed by irresistible outside influence. Since he has given up all care for his country he has resigned himself absolutely to the medium's society. She is rich, massive and impressive, and she has accomplished by a bit of hokus pokus an end for which Russia has schemed in other ways in vain. When the Queen once more regains her influence in Servia, a matter of a few months only now, the full effect of the action of these two women in the turmoil and muddle of Servian politics will be seen.

The Queen has taken pity on society, and mourning for the late Duchess of Cambridge will not be so prolonged or severe as was expected. Her majesty and the Prince and Princess of Wales at Sandringham next week, and there will be some mild gayety, including acting by Irving and Ellen Terry who have been summoned to appear next Thursday, to their great personal inconvenience and the deep disgust of the people who had booked place at the Lyceum for that night. Next month the Queen with the help of the Princess of Wales will hold three drawing rooms, and the Prince of Wales a couple of levees.

Retired military officers and indignant Newfoundlanders are writing to the newspapers here demanding the imperial government to prevent Frenchmen interfering with the fishing rights of colonists. They threaten, if necessary, to take the law in their own hands, and express the intention to shed their blood in the maintenance of their rights. The question is almost hoary with age, but just heard of it for the first time. The queerest thing about the business is the revival of these ancient heartburnings at a moment when the French and English peace people are arranging their congress and vowing eternal friendship and brotherhood of man.

Capt. Theodore Cook, who recently retired from command of the Etruria is still in London and is the idol of the Cockney London. He is suffering from heart disease and paralysis, his brain being also affected. Capt. Cook was the most remarkable figure on the Atlantic. He has been crossing it for 50 years, and has come into personal contact with the greater part of the interesting people who have passed between Europe and America for many years. He was in command of the English steamer Trent when the confederate delegates were taken from her. He is now nearly 80 years old, and has been reduced to his present state by unceasing devotion to duties, even when physically unfit for them. Many people believed that he never used to leave the bridge of the vessel, and it is certain that he was there in all weathers. He was taken ill after he had finished a trip from America in November, but, up to the last moment was under the impression that he should be able to make the return trip. It was only a fortnight ago that he finally resigned himself to the fact that he should not be able to get to sea again. He is at present confined to his room, but is able to transact a certain amount of business. The doctors say that anything may aggravate his brain trouble. He was the oldest and ablest captain in the service of the Cunard company. The latter have asked him to write a book of his experiences, but he cannot attempt to commence this work yet although he is able to write letters. He, has been offered a fairly well paid berth with little to do in connection with the House of Commons committee on saving life at sea. His advice would be invaluable for the committee. His family however, fear that his illness is permanent and that he will never be able to leave the house again, in which case the offer will be of no use to him.

A MURDERER ON TRIAL.

He was Arrested on His Bridal Tour.—Twelve Members of a Mob Storming the Jail Killed by the Sheriff's Deputies.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala. April 23.—The trial of Dick Hawes who is charged with having murdered his wife and two little daughters was called yesterday. The same day the bodies were found in the lake near here. Hawes was married to a highly respectable young lady of Jackson, Miss. He was arrested while on his bridal tour, and placed in jail. A mob stormed the jail at the time and twelve of the mob were killed by the Sheriff's deputies.

The Weather.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—Indications—Fair, warmer West shifting to East For Eastern New York, fair, warme, winds shifting to S.

MR. GLADSTONE'S LETTER.

A List of Prominent Men Who Have Signed the Home Rule Memorial.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.)

BUFFALO, N. Y. April 23.—The Courier this morning prints the following; "A little over two weeks ago, John J. McBride, of this city, wrote a letter to Gladstone enclosing a list of the names that has been signed to a memorial circulated by McBride, expressing sympathy with the cause of Home Rule for Ireland.

This additional list included the names of President Harrison, Cardinal Gibbons, Speaker Carlisle, Vice President Morton, Archbishop Ryan, Secretary Blaine and a large majority of the members of both houses of Congress.

Yesterday McBride received from Mr. Gladstone the letter published below. Every word of it, from address to signature was written by his own hand.

House of Commons, London, April 12.

Dear sir—I have the honor to acknowledge your letter of March 22, and the remarkable list appended to it, of those distinguished citizens of the United States who have testified, through the memorial you mention, their interest in the condition of Ireland and their desire for the just and reasonable acknowledgement of her national claims and aspirations.

I rejoice not only to think, but to know, that in the wide confines of the race to which we all belong, there is an overwhelming preponderance of sentiment in favor of that acknowledgement.

At home this judgment has been constitutionally recorded by Ireland herself, by Scotland and by Wales, the representatives of all three being in favor of home rule by a majority of three or four to one, and founding our opinions on the evidence of the elections in England which have taken place since the general election of 1886, we firmly believe that England herself, were opportunity now afforded her, by dissolution, would record her verdict decisively in accord with those of the other portions of the United Kingdom and of the Anglo-Saxon race at large.

Encouraged by these indications at home and abroad and by the wise advice of their representatives in parliament an Irish people show an indisposition to crime and outrage not less remarkable than their determination to carry forward their cause to its successful consummation, now retarded by the vote of men who do not represent the real sentiments of this country.

It is a further satisfaction to me to include in this acknowledgment the local, but authoritative manifestations from America, only less remarkable than what has proceeded from other centres and has had the illustrious sanction of the President himself.

This very day I have received a communication in the same spirit with yours from the Legislature of Nebraska, one further indication of the sentiment and desire which prevailed throughout the vast domain of the United States. Finally, I rejoice to be put in possession of such declarations at a moment when your great country is about to celebrate on the 30th inst. the Centennial Anniversary of Inauguration of George Washington as the first president of the American Commonwealth. I have been recently from Chicago and elsewhere to intimate an assurance of my participation in your national joy.

It is a real and grateful participation for the statesman of the American Revolution have taken their place once for all among the greatest of the illustrious architects of the world. George Washington was their acknowledged and illustrious head and to him and them I have long felt that I owed no trivial part of my own public education.

Long without limit of length, may that Union flourish under the blessing and favor of God with the foundation of which their names are inseparably associated. I have the honor to remain, my dear Sir

Your most obedient and faithful
W. E. GLADSTONE.

MONEY AND TRADE.

Rates of Exchange—To-day

	Buying.	Selling.
London, 60 day	9	9⅞ p. cent.
Do., sight	⅜	16⅛ p. cent
New York	¼ dis	¼ prem.
Boston	¼ dis	¼ prem.
Montreal	¾ dis	¼ prem.

New York Markets.

NEW YORK, April 23.

	Yest'day Closing	To-day's Opening	Highest	Lowest	30 m m	Yest'day's Sales
Chi, Bur & Quin	93½	93½	93½	93½	93½	6000
N Y Central	....	....	....	....	....	....
Can Pacific	....	....	....	....	....	....
Canada Southern	52½	....	....	....	....	....
Delaware & Hudson	134½	....	....	....	....	400
D & Lack	137	137½	137½	137	137	2100
Erie	28½	28½	28½	28½	28½	1300
Consol. Gas	....	80½	80½	80½	80½	....
Hocking Valley	....	....	....	....	....	....
I C & L Central	96½	96½	96½	96½	96½	600
K & T	11½	....	....	....	....	400
Lake Shore	105	....	....	....	....	100
Lou and Nash.	65½	66½	66½	66	66	2300
Mis. Pacific	76½	76½	76½	76½	76½	3000
N Y & New England	43	43½	43½	43	43½	5000
Nothern Pacific	....	....	....	....	....	....
Northern Pacific pref	61	60½	60½	60½	....	....
Chi. & Nor.	106½	106½	106½	105½	106	3300
Omaha	39½	....	....	....	....	400
Oregon Trans	31½	31	31	31	31	3000
Pacific Mail	....	....	....	....	....	....
Ph. & Reading	44½	44½	45½	45	45	11000
Richmond Term	98	....	....	....	....	1500
St Paul	65½	65½	65½	65½	65½	6000
Texas Pacific	21½	21½	21½	21	....	....
Union Pacific	59½	59½	59½	57½	57½	18000
Western Union	85½	85½	85½	85½	85½	3400
Wabash	....	....	....	....	....	....
Wabash pref	....	....	....	....	....	....
Norfolk & W pref	....	49½	49½	49½	....	....
National lead Trust	22	21½	21½	21½	....	....
R. I. pref	....	....	....	....	....	....
C C C	....	....	....	....	....	....
Cotton Oil Ctfs	55½	55½	55½	54½	54½	1100
Top & St Fe	42½	42½	42½	42½	....	....
Rock Island	93½	92½	92½	92½	92½	....
O M pref	....	....	....	....	....	....
Maine Central	....	....	....	....	....	....
Gas	....	....	....	....	....	....
West Ends	....	....	....	....	....	....
Eastern	....	....	....	....	....	....
Chicago Gas Trust	50½	51½	51½	50½	....	....
Sugar Trust	93½	93½	93½	93½	93½	....
O S	41	40½	40½	40½	40½	....

U. S. government bonds 4 per cent, 129½ at 130.

Chicago Markets.

	Yesday's Close	To-day Open	Highest	Lowest	1.30 Close
Wheat—April	82	81	81½	80½	80½
May	81½	81½	81½	80½	80½
June	79½	79	79½	78½	78½
July	....	....	....	....	....
Corn—April	34½	34½	34½	34	34½
May	34½	34	34	33½	33½
June	35½	35½	35½	35	35½
July	....	....	....	....	....
Pork—April	11 75	11 75	11 75	11 65	11 65
May	....	....	....	....	....
June	....	....	....	....	....
July	11 90	11 92½	11 92	11 85	11 85
Petroleum	82½	82½	82½	80½	80½

Money 4½ per cent. Rate of discount in open market for both short and three months bills, 4½ per cent.

THE LATE VICE-CONSUL ASHWORTH.

His Body Found at the Foot of a Precipice Near the Bay of Naples.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, April 23.—The body of Mr. Ashworth, the British vice-consul at Castellamare, Italy, has been found at the foot of a precipice at Vico Effuense, on the Bay of Naples. It is believed he committed suicide.

One Maine man who soaked a lot of corn in paris green as a breakfast for the crows only to have it eaten by a neighbor's high-priced hens, is not happy; neither is the neighbor; neither are the hens.

DISASTROUS FOREST FIRE.

THOUSANDS OF ACRES BURNED OVER NEAR HOLYOKE, MASS.

Farmers Fight the Fire all Day—Heavy Losses in Wisconsin.

HOLYOKE, April 21. A fire that destroyed a large amount of valuable woodland property started from some embers that were emptied among the brush on the outskirts of this city at 4 o'clock this afternoon. The wind was blowing a furious gale at the time and fanned the embers into flames, which were communicated to the woods near by. Before any one noticed the fire it was beyond control. The high northwest wind carried it from tree to tree with great rapidity. The farmers turned out in great numbers and fought the flames, but for hours their efforts were unavailing. Thousands of acres of valuable timber land were burned over before the fire was finally got under control at midnight near the Ludlow boundary, four miles from where it started. It had laid waste a territory four miles long and from 100 to 400 yards wide. Luckily, there were but a few houses in its path, and only one was burned—that of a man named Squire. Three other houses had narrow escapes, but were saved by the efforts of 50 to 60 men, who formed around them. The loss cannot be ascertained tonight, but it will amount to many thousands Among the heaviest losers are Royal Briton and Gaylord Bros., of South Hadley, who had large quantities of cordwood destroyed. There were many narrow escapes from serious personal injury during the progress of the fire. A man was driving along in a forest road in a waggon with three children when the fire swept down upon him. He put the children under the wagon blanket, and they escaped unharmed, but he was badly burned. The fire was not subdued until the wind had died out. It had blown so furious that a great deal of damage aside from the fire was done. Trees were uprooted and all the telegraph wires in this vicinity are down.

Twenty Dwellings Burned.

DEPERE, Wis., April 21.—The Meisenwinkle Wooden Ware Company's factory in West Depere was burned last evening with the sheds, containing staves and stock. A heavy wind carried sparks to neighboring houses, making the largest fire ever seen in this city. Twenty dwellings were burned. The total loss on the dwellings and contents will probably amount to $200,000 or more, one-quarter of which is covered by insurance. The Meisenwinkle works, where