

Resolved that the sympathy of this branch be tendered to Branch No. 1, to which deceased belonged, and also to the family of our deceased brother.

At the regular monthly meeting of St. Anthony's Branch, No. 54, held on Wednesday, July 2, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas we have learned with deep regret of the death of Grand Organizer Bro. W. P. Killackey, be it

Resolved that while humbly submitting to the will of our Divine Redeemer, we desire to extend to the sorrowing sister of our deceased brother our sincere sympathy in the loss she has sustained by the death of a kind and loving brother, also to the Grand officers of our Association for the loss they have sustained by the death of a faithful and painstaking officer, always obedient to the wants of his superiors. But we trust that He who does all things for the best will give them strength and courage to bear with Christian fortitude the heavy trial with which he has deigned to visit them. Be it also

Resolved that copies of these resolutions be forwarded to the sorrowing sister of our deceased brother and to the Grand Secretary, and also to the Catholic Record and True Witness for publication.

Berlin, July 19, 1899.

At a meeting of Branch No. 12, Berlin, Ontario, held on the 19th July, 1899, the following resolution of condolence was moved and unanimously carried:

That this branch has heard with deep regret of the sudden and unexpected death of our late brother, Grand Organizer W. P. Killackey, at his home at Windsor. Bro. Killackey's services were highly appreciated, and Berlin branch has the honor of receiving the benefits of his untiring efforts in the noble cause of the C. M. B. A. on the eve of his sad taking away, having labored here only a few days before his death, then in good health and spirits. His grand and electrifying speech here on Sunday, 25th June, 1899, to a large assemblage of brothers and their ladies from Berlin, Guelph, Waterloo and other surrounding branches, on the duties of a Catholic, young and old, moved tears in the eyes of many, and numbers came forward offering to join the Association. We regret his early death and deplore the loss his dear sister and others at home and the C. M. B. A. at large have sustained. Catholic society in Ontario can ill afford to lose such valuable champions. May his Maker, in His mercy, reward him for his faithful labors well done.

Windsor, Ont., July 14, 1899.

On motion of Brother W. J. McKee, seconded by Bro. Francis Cleary.

Whereas by the death of Wm. P. Killackey, on the 11th ultimo, not only Branch No. 1, of which he was a valued member, but the whole Association have sustained a great loss.

We the members of Branch No. 1, desire to bear testimony to the many good qualities possessed by our deceased brother and the high esteem in which he was held by his fellow members.

As the official Organizer of the Association for the Province of Ontario, he was engaged in a noble work in furthering the interests of the Association.

His zeal and services in the good work can hardly be overestimated, and it will be difficult for the Association to find his equal. We desire to tender to his brothers and sisters our sincere sympathy in the loss of a loving brother, and we pray our Heavenly Father to grant to his soul eternal rest.

That a copy of this resolution be published in the official organ of the Association.

At the last regular meeting of Branch 7, Bellefleur, Ont., the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

That we, the members of Branch 7, desire to place on record our high esteem and appreciation of our late deceased brother, W. P. Killackey, Grand Organizer of the Association, by sympathizing with his relatives and friends. We regret his sudden death, and extend to them our most sincere sympathy for one who was in every way worthy of our respect.

At the last regular meeting of Branch No. 17, Toronto Junction, on July 17, it was unanimously carried that this branch draft the following resolution of condolence:

Since it has pleased Almighty God to remove from our midst our worthy brother, Wm. P. Killackey, one who so recently worked among us for our benefit, having with such patience organized Branch 37 last April, and since his kind words of advice are fresh in our memory: be it

Resolved that by his death the C. M. B. A. loses a valuable member, and we as brothers deeply lament his death: be it further

Resolved that the members of this branch tender to his sister at this time of her bereavement and affliction our heartfelt sympathy and that we may all meet our worthy brother on the shore of everlasting happiness.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent to THE CANADIAN for publication, one to his dear family and one to be spread on the minutes of this meeting.

At a meeting of Marysville Branch, No. 42, the following resolution of condolence was unanimously adopted:

Whereas we, the members of Branch No. 42, have learned with deep regret of the death of our Grand Organizer, Bro. W. P. Killackey, be it therefore

Resolved that, while humbly submitting to the will of our Divine Redeemer, we desire to extend to the sorrowing sister of our deceased brother our sincere sympathy in the loss she has sustained by the death of a kind and loving brother, also to the Grand officers of our Association in the loss they have sustained by the death of a faithful and painstaking officer, always obedient to the wishes of his superiors and having always the interests of our Association at heart. We trust that God, who does all things for the best, will give them strength and courage to bear with Christian fortitude the heavy cross which He has deigned to place upon them: be it further

Resolved that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the sorrowing sister of our deceased brother and to Grand Secretary S. R. Brown and also to THE CANADIAN for publication.

Branch No. 40, Tilbury, Ont., learns with great regret the sudden death of Bro. Killackey, and hasten at the earliest opportunity to convey to the family and friends of Mr. Killackey their sincere expression of condolence; and while praying for the repose of his soul and remembering his sterling worth, we pray the Almighty to console his sister and near relatives in their sad bereavement.

That the above resolution be forwarded to Miss Killackey at Windsor and to THE CANADIAN.

On motion of Bro. H. Mathews, seconded by Bro. M. Clancy, at the regular meeting of Branch No. 28, Downeyville, Ont., 31st July, the following resolution of condolence was adopted unanimously:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to remove by death our Grand Organizer, Bro. Killackey, be it therefore

Resolved that while we cheerfully submit to the Divine Will in all things, we regret very much the loss sustained by the C. M. B. A. in Bro. Killackey's death. Only a few days previously to his demise, we had the privilege and pleasure of listening to one of his instructive and entertaining lectures, delivered at this place for the furtherance and better understanding of the good work our association has in hand. It is with much sorrow and sympathy, therefore, that we extend our condolence to the family and friends of Bro. Killackey; be it further

Resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to Miss Killackey, sister of deceased, and also to THE CANADIAN.

At the last regular meeting of Branch No. 29, Chateaufort, Ont., July 31, 1899, it was resolved and unanimously carried that Bro. F. McCloskey, Bro. F. Dwyer and Bro. J. T. Kearns tender the sympathy of our members to Miss Killackey in this sad hour of her affliction through the loss of her noble brother, whose powerful voice is now stilled in death forever.

He was held in the highest esteem by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance; nor could it be otherwise for, as a practical Catholic, he was always to the front to advance the interests of the faith he held so dearly. Many and noble were his deeds in life, and long will the beautiful traits of his character remain in the memory of those who realized his piety, zeal, charity and benevolence.

May his soul enjoy that eternal bliss promised to those who have lived and faithfully served in this his our blessed Lord and Saviour.

With the sincere sympathy of Branch 29, it was further resolved that a copy be sent to Miss Killackey and to THE CANADIAN.

At the last regular meeting of Branch 24, Renfrew, Ont., held in their hall Wednesday evening, Aug. 2, 1899, the following preamble and resolution moved by Bro. Jno. Sullivan, and seconded by Bro. Joseph Finner, were unanimously adopted:

Whereas it having pleased our Heavenly Father to call to Himself our esteemed and respected Grand Organizer, Bro. W. P. Killackey, and whereas by his sudden death our Association has suffered a very severe loss: therefore be it

Resolved that while we bow in humble submission to the will of our Divine Redeemer, the members tender to the sister of our deceased brother their sincere and heartfelt sympathy in the sad days of her sorrow and affliction.

Resolved that these resolutions be placed on the minutes of our branch, that a copy be

sent to Miss Killackey, of Windsor, and that copies be forwarded to THE CANADIAN and Catholic Record for publication.

At the last meeting of Branch 52, Winnipeg, Man., held on Aug. 2nd, 1899, it was moved by Bro. J. O'Connor, seconded by Chancellor L. O. Gueest, and unanimously adopted:

Whereas it has pleased Almighty God to remove by death our esteemed brother, W. P. Killackey, Grand Organizer of the C. M. B. A. of Canada,

Resolved that we, the members of this branch, hereby express our heartfelt sorrow for the relatives and friends, also the C. M. B. A. at large, on the loss sustained by them; and we extend to them our most sincere sympathy and condolence in their sad affliction.

Resolved that a copy of this resolution be sent to THE CANADIAN for publication.

RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

Branch No. 41, Montreal, Que., on the death of Bro. President Arthur Jones' daughter.

Branch No. 257, Cartier, Ont., on the death of Bro. Fortin's wife and two children.

Branch No. 225, Ridgetown, Ont., on the death of Mrs. Nichols, Toronto, daughter of Bro. S. Schryer.

Branch No. 259, Killaloe, Ont., on the death of Bro. C. Hazell's father.

Branch No. 240, Toronto, Ont., on the death of Bro. Frank Ebach's son, by drowning.

Branch No. 279, Lourdes, N. S., on the death of Bro. R. D. Fraser's sister.

Joggins Mines, N. S., July 6, 1899.

At our last regular meeting, held July 6, 1899, it was moved by Bro. W. J. Foran, seconded by Bro. M. Hennessey, and unanimously adopted, that the Recording Secretary draft a resolution of condolence to Bro. Edward Melanson, Treasurer of this branch, on the death of his father, Mr. Larauang Melanson, who died in Boston, Mass., on July 2nd inst.

Resolved that we, the officers and members of this branch hereby express our heart felt sorrow for the loss sustained by you, and extend our most sincere sympathy and condolence in your sad affliction. Further

Resolved that the charter be draped for the usual time, and a copy of this resolution be sent to THE CANADIAN for publication.

At a meeting of Branch No. 162, held on the evening of Thursday, June 23rd, it was unanimously

Resolved that the members of this branch desire to record their deep sympathy with you and the members of your household on the occasion of the great bereavement which has come upon you by the death of your dear son, William Gallagher, novitiate in the congregation of the Holy Cross.

That a life so full of promise of good to his fellow men should be so suddenly cut off, and that your high and pious hopes of his future usefulness should not be fulfilled, may seem hard to understand.

That your grief at so great a loss should be deep and lasting is but natural, and we are conscious that at such times words are vain from those who would seek to console. Yet fortified as you are by the consolation of our holy faith, we may be permitted to remind you that, even in this dark cloud which has overshadowed your household, there is to be recognized the light of God's goodness—of that God in whom your son dedicated his life, and to whose service you willingly offered him. That he has been called to his rest from an unsullied life, that his pure soul has been welcomed by the angels of paradise must be your great consolation and it must help you in very truth to say, "Thy will be done."

Accept our sincere sympathy and the assurance of our prayers for the perfect repose of that soul which was so well prepared for its journey out of this world.

Branch 14, Stratford, tenders the heartfelt sympathy of its members to the widow, children and family of our departed brother, John A. Dillon, on his lamented decease.

Though a member of our branch for a comparatively short period, be, in that time, made many strong friendships among our brethren, and be endeared himself to all by the cheerfulness of his disposition while in health and by his patient resignation during his long and trying sickness.

Appreciating as we do the loss which our branch sustains in being parted from a brother endowed with so many admirable qualities, we dolefully mourn for those who, bound to him by the nearest and dearest ties, have, in his untimely death, suffered a deep and irreparable affliction.

We pray that the Father of Mercies, who in the exercise of His infinite mercy has called away our brother, may with paternal tenderness soothe the sorrow of those whom he has visited with so great a grief.

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Les membres sont invités à nous envoyer des nouvelles ou informations dont l'Association pourra bénéficier. Toutes communications sur des sujets d'intérêt pour les membres de l'A. C. B. M., seront reçues avec plaisir, mais toutes lettres anonymes et toutes autres lettres que le gérant jugera ne pas être dans l'intérêt de l'Association ne seront pas publiées.

Les correspondants voudront bien se rappeler que la copie doit nous parvenir pas plus tard que le 15 du mois, pour être publiée dans le numéro du mois suivant. L'espace étant limité, on voudra bien être concis.

Adressez toutes communications à

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COTISATION DU MOIS D'AOÛT.

Il n'y a qu'une cotisation pour le mois d'Août, la régulière No 10. Les membres doivent payer cette cotisation le ou avant le 31ème jour de Septembre: tout membre qui néglige de se conformer à cette règle, est déclaré suspendu, et s'il meurt durant le temps de sa suspension, son bénéfice ne sera pas payé. Aucun officier ou autre membre de l'Association a l'autorité de changer cette loi; excepté le Secrétaire Financier qui est autorisé d'accepter ces arriérés de cotisations et de réintégrer les membres qui paieront ces cotisations après le troisième jour du mois, pourvu cependant que la réintégration se fasse avant la première assemblée régulière suivante de la succursale.

L'ASSOCIATION EST RECOMMANDÉE PAR LE SAINT PERE.

L'A. C. B. M. a été, dès sa fondation, sanctionnée par Sa Sainteté le Pape Léon XIII, qui l'a béni chaque fois que l'occasion s'est présentée et l'a recommandée aux fidèles enfants de l'Eglise au Canada. Elle est sous le patronage spécial de la Hiérarchie, les Archevêques et Evêques qui sont empêchés par leur âge, etc., la bénissant avec plaisir et encourageant son extension dans leurs diocèses respectifs. Les noms des Archevêques et Evêques suivants, avec ceux de presque tous les Curés des paroisses, au Canada, en quelque endroit où des succursales sont établies, ornent le rôle des membres de l'A. C. B. M.

Mgr. C. O'Brien, Archevêque d'Halifax.

Mgr. C. H. Gauthier, Archevêque de Kingston.

Mgr. R. A. O'Connor, Evêque de Peterborough.

Mgr. T. J. Dowling, Evêque d'Halifax.

Mgr. M. Decelles, Evêque de St. Hyacinthe.

Mgr. J. M. Emard, Evêque de Valleyfield.

Mgr. A. Pascal, Evêque de Pellyco-Albert.