

Britain's Naval Glory.

The brave old ships that Nelson steered To conquer England's foes, To every British heart endeared, In harbor now repose.

So long as the mighty waves shall roll, We'll tell the old, old story, And keep unstained the wondrous scroll Of Britain's naval glory.

The British oak is obsolete, And ships are steel to-day; Our men, like those of Nelson's fleet, Are made of British clay.

So long as the mighty waves shall roll, etc.

So be'sun pipe all hands to grog, And passed the word along, Inscribe it big in every log, And turn it into song.

Whilst Britain finds a foe to beat, That foe shall beaten be; Whilst there's a sea to hold a fleet, Our fleet shall hold the sea.

So long as the mighty waves shall roll, etc.

OFFICE BEARERS FOR 1896.

British Columbia.

Victoria—Alexandra lodge, No. 118, elected the following: J. G. Taylor, P. Pres., W. Bull, Pres.

Vancouver—Vancouver lodge, No. 168, elected the following: Lister Gill, Pres., W. J. Trythall, Pres.

New Westminster—Rose of Columbia lodge, No. 115, elected: P. P. H. Diney, Pres. Jno. Chapell, Vice-Pres.

Fredrickton—Inglington lodge, No. 161, elected: W. N. Cuthbert, Pres., C. W. Beckwith, P. Pres.

Nova Scotia. Halifax—Halifax lodge, No. 180, elected for President T. Packham, P. President J. Whitmore.

Quebec. Montreal—Britannic lodge elected: Pres A. Earby, Vice Pres Wm Roberts, chaplain W. Hewitt.

York lodge, No. 6, elected, President Jno. Kitchener, vice-president J. T. Dewey, secretary Jas. Baylis.

Brighton lodge, No. 7, elected for President J. E. Grant, vice-president T. E. Baker, chaplain J. K. Williams.

Amprion—Severn lodge, No. 180, elected: P. P. Geo. Richmond, president, Alf O. Dye, vice-president.

Brockville—Suffolk lodge, No. 87, elected: P. P. G. T. Guest, president, W. White, vice-president.

Kent lodge, No. 8, elected as President A. W. Harris, vice-president G. Smithers, secretary C. Sims.

Belleveille—Oxford lodge, No. 17, elected: President, Fred Ford, vice-president, John Neat, secretary John Fenn.

Clinton—Sheffield lodge elected: P. P. Henry Joyner, president, W. H. Webb, vice-president.

Uxbridge—Buckingham lodge, No. 40, elected Past Pres. George Thexton, president, F. N. Raines, vice-president.

Orillia—Rose of Conchiching, No. 23, elected: President H. R. Channon, vice-president, John Bramforth.

Port Hope—Durham lodge, No. 15, elected: President D. Crowhurst, vice-president, Thomas Spry.

Ridgetown—Lancashire, No. 190, elected for President James Smith, vice-president George Brockley.

Woodstock—Bedford lodge, No. 51, elected for president W. E. Barnett, vice-president B. Boxall.

Derby lodge, No. 30, elected for President, John G. Trowbridge, vice-president J. J. Fawcett.

Bowood, No. 44, elected for President J. S. Davis, vice-president J. J. Jarnan, secretary Jos. Berry.

Stanley lodge, No. 55, elected for President E. J. Reynolds, vice-president B. J. Hunt, secretary C. G. Folkes.

Russell lodge, No. 58, elected for President, Wm. Sharpe, vice-president Geo. J. Wilson.

Manchester lodge, No. 14, elected for President J. W. Carter, vice-president I. Mitchell.

York lodge, No. 6, elected, President Jno. Kitchener, vice-president J. T. Dewey.

St. Albion lodge, No. 76, elected for President S. H. Blatherwick, vice-president E. A. James.

Brighton lodge, No. 7, elected for President J. E. Grant, vice-president T. E. Baker.

Cheltenham lodge, No. 178, elected for President W. H. Boyce, vice-president V. Bedford.

Bristol lodge, No. 90, elected for President W. Butler, vice-president A. James.

Cheltenham lodge, No. 178, elected for President W. H. Boyce, vice-president V. Bedford.

IS IT WAR?

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND's message to Congress on the Venezuelan dispute has brought the idea of war perilously near.

Both nations speak the same language, possess the same literature and share, to a large extent, the same historical tradition.

The fact nevertheless remains that war with England would be popular with the great majority of Americans.

A generation has grown up that has seen the veterans of the civil war honored and preferred before all other men.

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AIMS, OBJECTS, AND BENEFITS OF THE SONS OF ENGLAND BENEVOLENT SOCIETY.

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which purpose an initiation ritual is provided, imposing obligations of fidelity to the principles of the Society on all who join it.

The Society is making rapid growth and has lodges extending over Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific shores.

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POST OFFICE GUIDE, OTTAWA.

Table with columns: CLOSE, Arrival and Departure of Mails, DUE. Rows include destinations like West-Toronto, Hamilton, London, Peterboro, etc.

BRITISH MAILS.

Table with columns: Time, Destination. Rows include Monday 16th, Tuesday 7th, etc.

Letters for registration must be posted fifteen minutes previous to the time of closing the last mails.

Office hours from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Money Order, Office and Saving Bank from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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