

Her husband, a good, quiet, easy country gentleman, who valued her mainly for the qualities which made her a good mother to his children, never knew that beneath the calm surface she exhibited, lay a world of extinguished sentiment which he had no power to rouse, and which time only had been able to subdue.

R. I. H.

## NOVA SCOTIA.

M. W. Bro. The Hon. Alexander Keith, of Halifax, has been re-elected Grand Master of the Grand Lodge A. F. and A. M. of Nova Scotia for the fourth time in succession.

### ROYAL ARCH MASONRY.

On Tuesday evening, May 21st, the Annual Convocation of St. Andrew's R. A. Chapter, No. 2, Nova Scotia Registry, was held at Mason Hall, Halifax. After the transaction of the usual business the following Companions were elected office bearers for the ensuing year:

M. E. Comp. James K. Munnis, H. P.; E. Comp. Wm. Williams, King; E. Comp. W. F. Chase, Scribe; Comps. W. Woodill, C. H.; E. C. Evans, R. A. C.; L. F. Darling, M. 2nd V.; H. J. Marshall, Treas.; J. A. Cossman, Sec.; E. F. Redman, P. S.; C. Warmundi, M. 3rd V.; Daniel Ward, M. 1st V.; J. M. Taylor, Janitor.

The ceremony of Installation was conducted by the M. E. Grand High Priest S. R. Sircom, who made his annual official visit to the Chapter during the evening. This Chapter was formerly under the jurisdiction of the Supreme Grand Chapter of Scotland. It is in a flourishing condition, judging from the numerous attendance, and has a large amount of invested funds.

Officers of "Hiram" Chapter, No. 3, R. A. M., R. N. S., elected May 16th, 1872:

S. Comp. F. W. Dakin, High Priest; A. Haley, King; Lt. Col. Pontz, Scribe; G. Stirling, Treas.; J. H. Timlin, Sec.; H. W. Dimock, Capt. of the Host; R. M. Sterling, Principal Sejourner; J. B. Black, R. A. Captain; C. W. Dimock, 3rd Veil; S. H. Suggatt, 2nd Veil; John Sharp, 1st Veil; Thomas W. Harris and W. W. Rickards, Stewards; Chas. Stockall, Janitor.

### CRAFT MASONRY.

Officers of "Manitoba" Lodge No. 59, New Glasgow, N. S.:

W. Bro. Dr. D. McGillivay, W. M.; Jno. A. Ross, S. W.; J. G. McPherson, J. W.; D. McKaracher, Treas.; Neil McKaracher, Sec.; Findlay McKaracher, S. D.; John W. Church, J. D.; A. Fraser, Marshall; Wm. McKaracher and Alex. Fraser, Stewards. Installed 15th May by W. Bro. H. J. Cameron, P. M.

"Western Star," No. 50, Westville, N. S.:

W. Bro. Thos. Johnston, Jr., W. M.; Wm. Grey, S. W.; J. McNulty, J. W.; J. Roy, Sen., Treas.; Thos. Johnston, Sen., Sec.; James Roy, Jr., S. D.; James White, J. D.; Robt. Conn, Marshall; Angus McNare and Neil Morrison, Stewards; Robt. White, Tyler. Installed 4th Tuesday in April, by W. Bro. D. Munroe, P. M.

"Poynitz" Lodge, No. 44, Hantsport, N. S.—Officers installed May 2nd, 1872:

W. Bro. J. W. Lawrence, W. M.; W. A. Porter, S. W.; J. A. Young, J. W.; W. J. Flinn, P. M. Treas.; Geo. Clark, Sec.; John Coulfleet, S. D.; Capt. John Graham, J. D.; Capt. John Andrews and Capt. Noble Layton, Stewards; Wm. Scorey, Tyler.

Officers of "New Caledonia" Lodge, No. 11, Picton, Nova Scotia.—Installed at Regular meeting, May 14th, 1872, by W. Bro. R. Tanner, P. M.:

W. Bro. J. A. Gordon, W. M.; Geo. R. Davies, S. W.; D. T. Hislop, J. W.; F. W. Fraser, Treas.; C. E. Davies, Sec.; Thos. Robeley, S. D.; John Gunn, J. D.; E. C.