

*The Freemason*, (London, England) of the seventh ult., has a supplement of an excellent wood cut of Bro. Lord Wolseley, G. C. B., and in his Masonic regalia. Our distinguished frater was initiated in "The Military Lodge," No. 728, Dublin, on April 15, 1854; passed, April 20, 1854; and raised, July 1, 1854. Bro. John H. Goddard was Master at the time, and is still an active member of the Lodge.

Bro. Robert Ramsay presented St. James Lodge, No. 74, G. R. C., Maitland, with a set of Lilley & Co.'s new charts. They were greatly admired by the brethren present. We advise other members of the Mystic Tie to thus adorn their lodge rooms. These charts are the most complete and by far the handsomest ever brought into Canada. The artist, however, failed in his likeness of the Prince and the late President Garfield.

There should be severe punishment meted out to those who bring unfounded charges against a brother Mason. The recent charges brought against a well known brother and companion in the East were of so frivolous and ridiculous a character, that they were simply disgraceful. The sooner a stop is put upon a system that blackens a man's character before trial the better. To charge a man with embezzling funds, when he never held any, is rather "too much of a goak." We hope we have had the last of it."

The *Voice of Masonry* rises to explain that it does not approve of the English warranted lodges of Montreal giving the degrees to the blackballed candidates of Toronto. A change

has come o'er the spirit of its dream if the *Voice* does not approve. Why has it not the manliness to denounce the wrong, and admit that this "isolated lodge system" it so strongly advocates, is bad? If the Grand Lodge of England requested her subordinates in Montreal to ally themselves with the Grand Lodge of Quebec, these things could not be. Yet the *Voice* supports these lodges, which are the cause of disunion, strife, bitterness, bigotry and intolerance.

A NEW CHART.—We have received specimen copies of the new Masonic charts published by Messrs. M. C. Lilley & Co., Columbus, Ohio, and have no hesitation in recommending them to the Craft in Canada. They are in a remarkably convenient form, being mounted upon three separate sheets upon rollers, thus enabling the Worshipful Master to exhibit the emblems of the degree being conferred, and afterwards they can be rolled up and thus kept free from dust, etc. Each degree is in map shape, size 32 by 40 inches, mounted on rollers. The emblems were arranged by an experienced Past Master, having in view a plan by which they follow each other in proper order, conforming admirably to the several lectures. The emblems are all fresh, modern, artistic, and elegantly colored. The price of these three really pleasing adornments to the lodge room is only fourteen dollars, and duty. They are the very articles that are needed, and every lodge in the Dominion should secure a set; by so doing a better understanding of the ritual will be had than can by any