

Most Worshipful Francis Henry Hill, Past Grand Master and Lecturer of District No. 3, Grand Lodge of Virginia, died Jan. 28th, 1894, aged 76.

On the 29th July, 1893, Most Worshipful Richard Briggs, Grand Master of Massachusetts, died, in the midst of the duties of a busy life.

M. W. Past Grand Master of Grand Lodge of Michigan, William Power Innes, died at his home, Grand Rapids, August 2nd, 1893, aged 67.

M. W. Past Grand Master Zelotas H. Mason, Grand Lodge of Florida, has fallen by the icy hand of death. Glorified in a ripe old age he passed away.

The Craft of Georgia was for a time in confusion on account of the death of M. W. Grand Master John S. Davidson, which occurred March 20th, 1894.

And coming nearer home to our sister Province of New Brunswick, we have to regret the death of Very Worshipful Bro. T. Nisbet Robertson, Grand Secretary, which took place April 25, ultimo.

Among the most painful announcements of deceased nobility among the Craft of other jurisdictions comes that of the death of our own Representative, near the Grand Lodge of Utah, M. W. Brother James Lowe, Past Grand Master, which took place at his home, Salt Lake City, October 21st, 1893.

Very Worshipful Brother Diehl, Grand Secretary of Utah, says of him :—"In Freemasonry Brother Lowe footed every path. In Lodge and Grand Lodge he was always ready to call a halt when brethren with less experience and knowledge attempted to walk into the temple on a new road ; his motto ever being—Hold fast to the laws of the Fathers."

Masons of Brother Lowe's stamp are much required in most jurisdictions to repress the innovations of radical Brethren who are often more distinguished for zeal in the introduction of their own views than in following the land-marks their fathers have set.

I trust that the usual Memorial pages will be inscribed to the memory of our deceased Brethren.

Our own jurisdiction has lost some good men and true, although not members of the Grand Lodge ; among them being

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