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The Kerrigan Appeal.

Quebec, July 13, 1895.

To the Editor of THE CANADIAN. Dear Sir and Brother—The members of St. Patrick's Branch, No. 108, desire me to convey to you the sincere expression of their deep gratitude for the very cordial and prompt manner in which you complied with their request to publish in THE CANADIAN the Kerrigan appeal, the Grand President's wish to see it well responded to, my own communication and the list of branches that had forwarded contributions.

I hope to be able to send you a final and complete list in August, as the branches are responding numerously and generously at present.

Contributions received up to date in response to the Kerrigan appeal by Branch 108, from the following branches:

Table listing amounts subscribed up to June 13th, 1895, and acknowledged. Includes branches like Mount Forest, Prescott, Toronto, Sandwich, Montreal, Brockville, Hamilton, Moncton, etc.

P. KIRWIN, Rec. Sec.

Honor to One of Our Officers.

A congress of Mutual Benefit Societies of the Province of Quebec was held recently at Valleyfield, at which about eighty representatives of those various societies were present.

Mr. Charles Dupont Hobert was selected to preside over the Congress next year. Brother Hobert is a member of the Finance Committee of the Grand Council of the C. M. B. A. of Canada and also a Grand Deputy for Quebec Province.

We congratulate Brother Hobert on his election as President of so important a body. It reflects credit on the C. M. B. A. of Canada; but we are not surprized at Brother Hobert's election, knowing the zeal and devotion which animate him in all that tends to promote fraternity and mutual benefit.

Death of James Keough, Guelph.

Mr. James Keough died at his residence, the Wells homestead, this morning. For a long time Mr. Keough has been in the grasp of a disease which he knew could only be relinquished by death.

Mr. Keough was a native of Guelph township. For a number of years he kept hotel on the Waterloo road, and was engaged in farming operations at the same time.

Socially, Mr. Keough was a very fine man. He was of a quiet disposition, devoted to his family, and found his chief pleasure in home pursuits.

ASSESSMENT SYSTEM—SYSTEME DE COTISATION

August Assessment. Collation du mois d'Août. The Grand Council of the C.M.B.A. of Canada. Bureau du Grand Secrétaire, London, Ont., 1er Août, 1895.

Table with columns: NO., NAME, LOCATION, SIEGE, ADMITT'D, DIED, CAUSE OF DEATH. Lists members like Michl Doroshus, Henry Lumping, etc.

Statement of the Beneficiary and Reserve Funds for July, 1895.

Table showing Beneficiary Fund and Reserve Fund details. Includes amounts on hand, received during July, and balance.

Table showing Total amount of Beneficiary Fund collected since 1st January, 1893, to date. Includes amounts paid to beneficiaries and reserve fund.

Table showing Reserve Fund—Fonds de Réserve details. Includes amount on hand, accrued since last report, and total.

To the Members of the C. M. B. A. of Canada. Brothers—The foregoing statement of Assessment No. 10 (August Assessment) is given in compliance with Sec. 7 of our Beneficiary Fund Law, the legal notice of those regular monthly assessments is given in our Constitution.