

The Lodge is composed principally of members of Scotia Lodge, Canning, and they are under deep obligations to this Lodge for the very valuable assistance rendered. The new Lodge was recommended by Scotia, Kentville, being within their territorial jurisdiction. Among a large number of things that have been presented to the Lodge is a very handsome set of lamps with some very fine masonic emblems cut on the shades. These were presented by Bro. Bridges, of the firm of Whitney & Bridges, Boston, furnishers of railway supplies.

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CLARKSBURG, O.—On Thursday the 18th August, R. W. Bro, J. K. Kerr, D. D. G. M. Toronto, assisted by R. W. Bro, Macpherson, of Owen Sound; W. Bro. Menet, of Toronto; W. Bro. Nettleton, of Collingwood; W. Bro. Burritt, of Meaford; and a number of Brethren from Collingwood and Meaford, constituted and consecrated “St. Tammany Lodge,” No. 234 at Clarksburg. Installed W. Bro. Mitchell W. M. and invested the officers. A Resolution was passed directing the W. M. to apply for authority to change the name of the Lodge to “Beaver” Lodge. This new Lodge starts under most favorable auspices and we wish it every success in the future.

NEW MASONIC HALL.

A special meeting of the Craft was held at Harrowsmith, Ont., on Thursday, the 28th July last, for the purpose of assisting the M. W. the Grand Master to lay the corner stone of a Masonic Hall about to be erected in that village. The lodge was opened in ample form, M. W. Bro. A. A. Stevenson presiding. The remaining offices were filled as follows:—R. W. Bro. G. M. Wilkinson, as D. G. M.; W. Bro. J. Purdy, as G. S. W.; V. W. Bro. R. Hendry, as G. J. W.; Bro. Rev. E. C. Bower, as Grand Chaplain; Bro. E. Shibley, as Grand Treas'r; W. Bro. J. Watson, as Grand Registrar; W. Bro. Dupuis, as Grand Sec'y; Bro. R. Horsey, as G. S. D.; Bro. J. Cook, as G. J. D.; W. Bro. O'Laughlin, as Grand Sup't of Works; Bro. J. Greenfield, as Grand D. of C.; Bro. O. Meves, as Ass't Grand D. of C.; Bro. J. Conley, as Grand Sword Bearer; Bro. J. Sigsworth, as Grand Organist; Bro. E. Upham, as Grand Pursivant; Bros. A. Knight, A. Vanluven, H. Groh, and A. Wycott, as Grand Stewards; Bro. R. Parkin, as Grand Tyler. A goodly number of brethren were present, hailing from St. John's Lodge, No. 3; Cataqui, No. 92; Maple Leaf, 119; Albion, 109; Prince of Wales, 146; and other Lodges. After the usual preparatory forms, and the Grand Master's address to the assemblage had been delivered, W. Bro. Purdy, of Albion Lodge, presented to the M. W. the Grand Master a Silver Trowel, bearing a suitable inscription, and the stone was laid with the usual Masonic ceremonies. The proceedings terminated by singing the National Anthem, after which three cheers were given for the Queen and three for the M. W. the Grand Master.