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The warrants of thirty-four lodges were arrested at the recent meeting of the Grand Lodge of Kentucky, owing to the indolence of the members.

Grand Master Black, of Kentucky, has decided that the W.M. of a lodge cannot excuse a brother from voting, that power resting with the lodge.

At the last quarterly convocation of the Supreme Grand Chapter of England a motion was adopted recognizing the Grand Chapter of Victoria.

Two of our English exchanges have failed to materialize for some time, *The Kneph* and the *Masonic Star*. Perhaps the latter has ceased to twinkle, but what about the former?

Dom Pedro, late Emperor of Brazil, and who was recently informed that his services were no longer required in the government of the country, was a member of the Craft, and took a deep interest in it.

The *Masonic Journal*, of Portland, Maine, says:—"The *Canadian Craftsman* is a welcome exchange and it is pleasant to note its improved appearance. It merits the support of the Craft in the entire Dominion."

Grand Secretary Mason was a delegate to the convention of municipal dignitaries that met recently in Toronto. Bro. Mason was not a silent member of the convention, as his voice was frequently heard in the advocacy of reforms in our municipal machinery.

The *London Freemason* objects mildly to the fuss and feathers of the United States Knights Templars, declaring that gorgeous paraphernalia, bands, banners etc., "have very little to do with Masonry, which is naturally modest and retiring, and, though it fears not the light of day, prefers doing what it has to do quietly and without show."

The publishers of the *New Zealand Masonic Journal* seriously contemplate