

His infinite wisdom to remove by death our worthy brother, Arthur Richard.

Resolved that, while humbly bowing to the Divine will, we the officers and members of Branch No. 1, desire to express our sincere sorrow for the loss of so esteemed a member and to convey to the widow and family of our deceased brother our heartfelt sympathy coupled with the prayers that the Supreme Creator may support them in their sad affliction; further.

Resolved that a copy of this resolution be spread on the minutes of our meeting and copies be sent to the widow and children and THE CANADIAN for publication.

At the regular meeting of Branch No. 2, Kingbridge, Ashfield, Jan. 1, 1891, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

That whereas it has pleased Almighty God in His Divine Providence to remove by the hand of death our late beloved pastor, the Rev. N. J. Dixo, to it.

Resolved that this branch extend their sincere sympathy and condolences to the relatives of the deceased in their great affliction, and also that we express our profound sorrow for the loss of our Spiritual Advisor; and so it further.

Resolved that our charter be draped and that we have a Mass of Requiem said and that the members of our branch attend and go to holy Communion in a body for the repose of his soul.

Resolved that these resolutions be spread on our minutes and a copy be sent to the relatives of the deceased, to THE CANADIAN and to the Catholic Record for publication.

At a regular meeting of Branch No. 31, Morris, held January 22, it was moved by Rev. John Coffey, and seconded by the Very Rev. John Fenton, and carried, that, in view of the loss we have sustained by the death of our dear friend and brother, Thomas J. Heydon, and the still heavier loss sustained by his beloved wife, we beg leave to offer to Mrs. Heydon the expression of our heartfelt sympathy in her bereavement. It is only a just tribute to the memory of our departed brother to say that, in regretting his removal from our midst, we mourn for one who was in every way worthy of our respect, and who, by his social and gentlemanly manners, so won us by his Christian character, had endeared himself to all who knew him. In offering our sincere condolence to his afflicted wife, on the occasion with which it has pleased Providence to afflict her, we commend her for consolation to Him who orders all things for the best, and shall pray that the good God may console her in her affliction and crown her grace of resignation to His holy will.

Resolved that this testimonial of our sincere and brotherly sympathy be forwarded to Mrs. Heydon and to the Catholic papers by the secretary of the meeting.

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