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BANQUET TO HON. DR. MONTAGUE.

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which was on an average 48 per cent. higher than our original table.

It was a marvellous thing that in the Supreme Court there were found only 16 votes, out of a total voting strength of 150, to oppose the recommendation, notwithstanding that at the time the old premium rates were giving us from $35,000 to $40,000 of a surplus each month after payment of all claims. It is a record of which I am especially proud, as it demonstrated the intelligence and the wisdom of the members of the Supreme Court and the confidence they placed in my recommendations.

That they were wise in their course is fully shown by the fact that only a year afterwards the National Fraternal Congress adopted and recommended a table of rates which was practically identical with the new I.O.F. rates, and to-day some of the States of the United States have already enacted laws refusing to permit any new Fraternal Society to do business within the State unless its premium rates were at least as high as those of the National Fraternal Congress, while a number of other States are taking steps at the present time to enact similar laws.

So much for what I may call the internal affairs of the order. Let me now very briefly direct your attention to the public history of the I.O.F. I have already told you that the order is of American origin, and that it continued under American auspices for seven years.

After its organization its progress was slow. Oh! so slow. It took us five long weary years to secure the first 5000 members and the first $50,000 of surplus. We were so proud of this achievement that we made the password for the then current term "Fifty thousand dollars."

But we had the satisfaction of having some of the public journals of the country begin to throw stones and sticks at us. For instance, in 1885, The Monetary Times, in quite a lengthy article, intended to show that the I.O.F. was already reaching deep water, said among other things:

"During the year, from July, 1881, to July, 1882, only $8000 had to be paid out for deaths, and only $10,000 for the following year ending July 1, 1884. But from Aug. 3, 1884, to Jan. 3, 1885, a period of only five months, no less than $12,000 has been called for, being at the rate of $28,800 per annum, or nearly three times what it has averaged hitherto. We recommended the 'big injun' at the head of the pow-wow to get out his little tomahawk and cut that Old Mortality down."

As a matter of fact, I had already taken the advice of The Monetary Times by placing Dr. Millman in charge of the medical department, with the result that the mortality of over 10 in the 1000 existing in the order the year before reorganization was reduced, ten years afterwards, to 6.40 in the 1000. I need not tell you that we were very proud of such a cutting down of "old mortality," and we supposed that rock bottom had been almost reached; but judge of our gratification when next year we found the death rate dropping still lower, to 6.25 in the 1000. When, however, we got the figures for the following year and found the death rate to be only 5.47 in the 1000, we began to think if this thing went on much longer we should reach a time when deaths in the order would disappear altogether. Although our hopes in this respect have not been realized, yet we have no reason to be dissatisfied with the magnificent work of selection being done by our courts and by our court physicians, backed by the incomparable work of the Supreme Physician, my colleague, Dr. Millman.

It is a source of real pride and satisfaction to me to know that I initiated Dr. Millman into the order, and that I gave up the position of medical referee to so capable and efficient a successor as he has proved himself to be, although I am bound to tell you that the deaths in the order averaged only about 1 a month while I was in charge, and they now number about 80 or 90 per month. Down even to the present time the process of cutting "that old mortality down" is in progress in the order, as pointed out by C. H. E. Rea, F.R.A.S., F.S.S., A.I.A., the distinguished British actuary, of London, England, who said in a recent letter, "the actual mortality recently experienced by the order has been about

30 per cent. below the expected by the H. M. table.

26 per cent. below the expected by Milne's table.

10 per cent. below the expected by the new N.F.C. table.

It was about the end of the first septennial period after the reorganization of the order that we felt strong enough to go to Parliament and ask for an Act of Incorporation. It is needless to say this aroused the most bitter opposition on the part of the managers of the old line companies, and a committee of these managers was present before the Banking and Commerce Committee of the House of Commons doing their best to defeat the Foresters' bill. But they failed—failed ignominiously. The Act as it appears in the book of the constitution and bylaws of the order was passed by Parliament and was assented to by the Governor-General on the 2nd May, 1889. The warfare of the general managers was now carried into the daily press, but the only result of these attacks was that the order received thousands of dollars' worth of free advertising. During the next to third septennial period the order grew to a membership of 86,520, while the "surplus funds" in the treasury had increased to the princely sum of $1,560,373.46.

It was about this time that the Executive Council decided to go again to Parliament and ask for certain enlarged powers, and a general election coming on, my colleagie, Mr. John A. McGillivray, our Supreme Secretary, was asked to contest a seat in North Ontario in order that we might have a friend at court. It is a matter of history how he "wobbled" through North Ontario to Parliament with a majority of over 700. The first bill as introduced by the Executive Council of the I.O.F. not only limited the maximum policy of the order to $3000, but it also contained provisions for a deposit with the Government and for proper inspection of the order by the Insurance Department of Canada. These latter provisions were, at the instance of the Opposition, stricken out of the original bill. It was thought that the order had now sufficiently demonstrated the soundness of the "new system" to justify a return to Parliament and ask for its re-endorsement by giving to the order the provisions relating to deposits and Government inspection stricken out in the original bill, and by enlarging the powers of the order by increasing its maximum policy from $3000 to $5000. It was extremely gratifying to Foresters everywhere to find the new bill go through Parliament practically without opposition, and on the assent of His Excellency the Governor-General, Brother the Earl of Aberdeen, being given on the 23rd of April, 1896, the amendments sought by the Executive Council went into effect.

During the five years which have since elapsed, the membership has grown to 180,717, while the surplus funds in the treasury have increased to $4,527,083.53, and are being added to, at the present time, at an average rate of about $50,000, say £10,000, or 181,500 kroners, or 250,000 francs, or 150,000 rupees, per month

Hon. K. G. Stevenson, S.C., was embarrassed, he said, to have been introduced in such eulogistic terms. It was doubly embarrassing to have to follow so distinguished a speaker as the Supreme Chief Ranger of this world-wide order. He caused great merriment by referring to the time when their veteran leader used to refer to the day when the order had only 369 members and a defalcation of $4000, which, he used to thank God, was stolen not by a Canadian but by a Yankee. When asked how he would speak of the defalcation in the United States, Dr. Oronhyatekha said: "I shall thank God it was a white man and not an Indian who stole it." [Uproars of laughter.] He was proud to say that while there are 100,000 American members in the Independent Order of Foresters who have the power to take the control out of Canadian hands, so well satisfied are they that there is not an American citizen who would for one moment consider such a question. There are 100,000 American members to 80,000 of you Canadians and other people, but we are proud of the present superb management of the affairs of the order. We remember that when our boys in blue went to Cuba, Dr. Oronhyatekha, our Supreme Ranger, thrilled the American membership by his assurance that while Forester members were at the front in Cuba their relatives would have their policies thoroly protected by the order.

Dr. Oronhyatekha, in proposing the health of "Our Guest," Dr. Montague, assured him that no matter how far he might travel he would find no country equal to this. The toast was drunk with musical honors, followed by cheers.

Dr Montague Eloquent.

Dr. Montague said he was astonished and surprised at the kindness which had prompted this gathering in his honor. He had been invited here to meet a few friends to wish him good-bye. He had no conception that such a magnificent and distinguished gathering would have been assembled. He was especially proud to see so many of his old political foes, but there is no political partyism in Forestry. He felt, however, a difficulty in losing so excellent an opportunity to make a few remarks on the benefits of a protective tariff. [Great laughter.] He considered the Supreme Ranger had by his lofty intellectual gifts, courage and persistence reached and adorned a position which in honor was second to none held by a Canadian. What a magnificent work for humanity had been done by Dr. Oronhyatekha and the order of which he is so pre-eminently successful a head. When the Supreme Chief Ranger asked him to undertake a mission on behalf of the Independent Order of Foresters, he asked: Is it an institution for the benefit of mankind? It was, he was convinced, a great institution, a great Canadian institution. It was an institution which had paid $9,000,000 the past quarter of a century to widows and orphans, had 180,000 members and belts the earth. While he would enjoy visiting another colony, one which is following Canada's example in federating under one government, he would soon be anxious to return to this country in which he first saw the light, of which memories of a somewhat active career will remain and one of the most inspiring memories of which will be this festive occasion.

Dr. Montague concluded his address with the following lines by his friend, the gifted Montreal poet, Mr. W. D. Lighthall:

Home, Florence, Venice! Noble, fair and quaint!
You reign in robes of magic round me here,
But, fading, blotted, dim, a picture faint
With spell more silent, only pleads a tear.
Plead not. Thou hast my heart, oh, picture dear—
I see the fields, I see the autumn hand of God upon the maples.

Answer him with weird, translucent glories,
Ye that stand like spirits in purple and amethyst.
I see the sun break over you
The mists on hills that lift
From iron bases grand-
Their heads superb,
The dream is of my native land!

Politicians Speak.

A number of members of the Dominion Parliament and Ontario Legislature replied felicitously to the toast of those legislative bodies. The first member of the Dominion House of Commons to reply was the Hon. John Haggart, M.P., who paid high tribute to Hon. Dr. Montague as a statesman who is needed in Canada and can only be loaned to the I.O.F. Mr. Haggart caused great mirth by his serio-humorous defence of the Dominion Government.

Mr. J. J. Foy, M.L.A., responding to the same toast, thanked them for giving him the pleasure of being present and meeting so many members of the order. He was an honor to the order in Australia, and be an honor to the order in Australia, and he eminently successful in his mission. [Cheers.]

Col. Tisdale, M.P., delivered a capital address, full of wit and humor. He paid an eloquent tribute to the ability of Dr. Montague and wished him every success in his mission.

Dr. Pyne, M.L.A., assured his hearers of the pleasure of being present with his another Foresters to do honor to Dr. Montague. The Supreme Chief Ranger, he said, had as usual showed his good sense when he had decided to send Dr. Montague to Australia. Speaking to the toast to the Ontario Legislature, Dr. Pyne laughingly said: "We are doing everything possible for you and your interests in the House, and if we ever want a Finance Minister I have my eye on Dr. Oronhyatekha.

A Voice: I suppose you'll want a surplus.

Dr. Pyne: Yes, and if there is one to be found Dr. Oronhyatekha will find it. [Cheers.]

Thomas Crawford, M.L.A., followed. He said Dr. Montague had all their good wishes, and he was sure he would worthily represent the I.O.F. in that far-off country.

G. F. Marter, M.L.A., was introduced as an old Forester and was greeted with cheers when he arose to speak. He was sure he expressed the wish of everyone when he wished Dr. Montague and his wife every success.

North Ontario Heard.

W. H. Hoyle, M.L.A., made one of the speeches of the evening. He told his hearers that Ontario had the best Legislature in British Empire, and explained how many years ago Caesar had said that everything must be taxed and the Ontario Legislature were following the advice. [Cheers.] He informed the Independent Order of Foresters that they could learn a great deal from the Ontario Legislature. When a member of the order died the treasurer paid his heirs a sum of money, but the Ontario Treasurer, when a man died, collected money from his heirs by way of a consolation purse. The order was certainly not up to date. [Laughter.]

In responding to the toast, "The Army, the Navy and Our Gallant Volunteers," Col. Ryerson said it gave him a great deal of pleasure in wishing bon voyage to his friend, Dr. Montague. When the Supreme Chief Ranger appointed him to go to Australia he had chosen the best possible man. Speaking more directly to the toast, Col. Ryerson referred to the splendid work done by the Australian troops in South Africa. He told how they had bravely fought against an overwhelming force of Boers; how they refused to hoist the white flag, and how assistance finally came to them. It was only one incident, but it showed the kind of stuff those noble fellows were made of.

Major Robertson also replied briefly to the same toast.

The next toast honored was that to "The Mayor and Corporation of Toronto." His Worship Mayor Howland responded to it. He thanked them all for the privilege they had given him to be present to join in the warm send-off that they were giving to Dr. Montague.

Ex-Ald. Flett and ex-Ald. Leslie were also to have replied to the toast, but they were unavoidably absent.

Distinguished Visitors.

Ex-Mayor Teetzel of Hamilton was the first speaker to respond to the toast of "Our Distinguished Visitors." He paid a neat tribute to the business sagacity of Dr. Oronhyatekha, and the Supreme Executive when they selected Dr. Montague for the important duty imposed upon him.

Dr. Gerin Lajoie, High Physician, France, said that in the name of the High Court of France he would lift his glass in honor of the distinguished guest who was going to Australia. He could attest that at Paris the Supreme Ranger was spoken of and regarded as a great good philanthropist.

Dr. John Gordon Wilson, High Physician of the High Court of Scotland, said that his reticence as a Scotchman precluded him as an after dinner speaker. Just after leaving the land of crimson heather, he saw in Canada a land of greatness in forest wealth as attested by Kipling in his poem the "Lady of the Snows." The history of the I.O.F. in Scotland was that of a hard-fought battle with a triumphant outcome.

Mr. A. T. Hunter, editor of The Forester, replied for "The Ladies" in a witty vein.

FROM FORMER CONSTITUENTS.

An Address and a Handsome Silver Cabinet Given to Dr. Montague.

Mayor Ramsay of Dunnville, on behalf of Dr. Montague's former constituents in Haldimand, presented him with an address and silver cabinet. The cabinet held 115 pieces and was a model of workmanship and design. The recipient feelingly thanked the donors for this kindly token of their esteem.

"God Save the King" and cheers for Dr. Montague and Dr. Oronhyatekha closed the banquet, and an adjournemnt was made to the ball-room on the sixth floor.

It was a pretty sight to see the dancers, nearly 500 of them, whirling around the grand salon, in perfect unison to the music from a splendid orchestra, stationed nearby. The gown of the ladies were superb, and the ball lived until the small hours, when carriages were called and an evening long to be remembered was a thing of the past.

Among the guests who were present were noticed the following:

Dr Oronhyatekha, SCR, Major and Mrs McGillivray, Thomas Lawless and Mrs Lawless, Dr Millman and Mrs Millman, Col C A Stone and Mrs Stone, Dr R A and Mrs Pyne, Mr H E and Mrs Smallpeice, Mrs Whitcombe, Mr Attwell Fleming, Major and Mrs Manley, Herbert and Harold tone, Mr Barlow Cumberland, the Misses Gallanger, Mrs Gawanlock, Miss Barrett, the Misses McMurtry, Miss Higgins, Miss Patterson, Miss Janes, Miss Defoe, Miss McGinn, Dr T H and Mrs Little, Miss Macwhirter, Mrs. Cressor (Owen sound), the Misses Bayley, Miss Barker, Miss Millman, Miss McConnell, Miss Hiller, the Misses Beatty, Miss Hornibrook, Miss Gower, Miss Phillips, Miss Davidson Miss Innes, Miss Blezard, Mrs Wigmore, Mrs pence, Mrs William Stone, Miss Fawcett, Miss M McVicar, Miss Maggie Miller, Miss D Haliman, Miss Tocque, Miss Muirhead Mrs ose, Miss Hunter, Miss Grande, Miss Woods, Miss Boys, Miss Weaver, Mr George Thompson, Mr C W Defoe, Mr C E Macnicking, Mr H L Rothwell, Mr James Wickett, Mr H E Mallon, Mr D Bowan, Mr M P Mallon, Mr L Nightingale, Mr James G Nicholson, Mr C W Menzies, Mr T E Kelly, rM T A Hunter, Mr W A Hunter, Mr Mack.

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Men's Alaska Seal Wedge Caps, genuine fur, were $20, for..... $15
41 pairs Extra Fine Dark Canadian Otter, Gauntlets, were $27, for..... $20
Men's Canadian Coon Coats, 50 inches length, best fur, were $47.50, for..... $35
Men's Canadian Coon Coats, 50 inches length, good fur, worth $37.50, for..... $30
12 Ladies' Australian Coon Coats, all sizes, were $30, for..... $22.50
Men's Kangaroo Coats, 50 inches length, good fur, were $30, for..... $25
9 Men's Australian Wallaby Driving Coats, 50 inches in length, $16.50, for..... $10.50
Men's Wombat Coats, heavy fur, 50 inches length, were $20, for..... $16
Black Mountain Bear Robes, were $16, for..... $13
Grey Goat Robes, extra large, were $13.50, for..... $9
Grey Goat Robes, large, were $10, for..... $7.50
Wolf Robes, best fur, extra fine finish, were $100 per pair, for, per pair..... $65
9 Chinchilla Caperines, 12 in. deep, full sweep, were $85, for..... $65
Chinchilla Muffs, newest style, were $35, for..... $22.50
Alaska Sable Collarettes, best work, were $25, for..... $20
Fine Canadian Coon Caperines, were $21, for..... $16
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Fine Persian Lamb Jacket, mink revers and collar, 36-inch bust, 24 in. long, was $125, for..... 95.00
1 Persian Lamb Jacket, 38-inch bust, 30 inches long; and one Persian Lamb Jacket, 35-inch bust and 20 inches long, were $125, for..... 95.00
12 Persian Lamb Jackets, plain or with mink collar and revers, 34 to 38-inch bust, 20 to 30 inches long, were $110 to $125, for..... 90.00
7 Persian Lamb Jackets, 34 to 38-inch bust, 20 to 28 inches long, were $90 to $100, for $75 to..... 85.00
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Stuffed Olives, 2 bottles Wednesday, 25c.
Choicest Canadian Cheese, 2 lbs. Wednesday, 25c.
Extra Quality Table Syrup, in 5-lb. covered pails, per pail, Wednesday, 25c.

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