

S. O. E. LODGE ELECTIONS.

London.

Trafalgar lodge, No. 51, of London South, held its installation on the 13th Jan. when the following officers took their positions, the ceremony being performed by D. D. Anderson assisted by Bro. Short, of Piccadilly lodge:—Jas. Cowit, president; F. S. Onn, vice-president; S. T. Cook, secretary; B. Gidley, treasurer; J. J. Biggs, chaplain; Dr. J. M. Piper, surgeon; Bros. Leaman, R. Madge, Ald Pritchett, Northcott, Duckett, and Cabot, committee; H. Gardiner, inside guard; T. Garcide, outside guard. A. Wilkins who has just completed his second term in the chair takes the past presidents position. Some fifty members from visiting lodges enjoyed supper with Trafalgar, Mayor Essery filling the chair, and a good programme being rendered by Bros. Madge, Jones, Bartlett, Spettigue, Chapman, Gregory, Windstone, and Ald. Parnell, and Pritchett, Bro. Lockheart presiding at the piano. The S. O. E. band gave some good selections. The D. D. has arranged a series of fraternal visits among the city lodges of the above character.

Bro. J. Hook sends the following list of officers for Piccadilly lodge, No. 88:—H. Maudsley, past president; G. Hayman, president; R. Cadwallader, vice president; E. Blake, chaplain; J. Hook, secretary; W. Hayman, treasurer; Dr. Williams, surgeon; J. Hayman, W. S. Lockhart, F. Hayman, W. H. Short, E. T. Essery, J. Hughes, Committee; J. Lazzell, inside guard; H. R. Nicholls, outside guard; W. H. Short and R. Cadwallader, auditors; N. M. Lockhart, J. Hayman and R. Cadwallader, trustees, J. Hook, grand lodge representative.

Bowmanville.

The secretary of Wellington lodge Bro. F. G. Osborne sends the following list of the new officers:—T. P. Goard, president; L. Lyle, vice president; Leir Morris, past president; Fred G. Osborne, secretary; John N. Rivell, chaplain; John Varcoe, William Thickson, W. E. Pothick, James Goard, Richard Moyle, Richard Hamby, committee; Samuel Westlake inside guard; John Perkins, outside guard; James Elliott, treasurer; Dr. Beeth, surgeon; Bros. James Taylor, and Morris, auditors; J. Jeffrey, J. Hellyar, trustees; Levi Morris and N. A. James, grand lodge representatives.

Ottawa.

Russell lodge, No. 66, of Ottawa, held its regular meeting on Jan. 16, when the following officers were installed by D. D. Bro. Ackroyd:—R. Tink, president; W. H. Snelling, past president; Chas. Sharpe, secretary, 21 John street; W. Short, treasurer; F. H. Dawson, inner guard; W. H. Woodie, outer guard; Rev. E. A. W. Hamington, chaplain; Wm. Sharpe, A. J. Veale, P. H. Veale, W. E. House, committee; A. J. Veale, F. Dawson, J. J. Hawken, auditors; W. H. Snelling, J. J. Hawken, trustees; Jas. Hope and W. H. Snelling, representatives to grand lodge. The condition of the lodge shows considerable strength and vitality.

The following are the officers of Bowwood lodge No. 44:—W. J. Eastcott, past-president; H. T. Pritchard, president; J. E. Andrews, vice-president; Harry Bott, recording secretary; R. L. Broadbent, fin. sec., 308 Bay st.; H. Beament, treasurer; Rev. A. W. Mackay, chaplain; Wm. Inson, surgeon; Geo. Low, Sr., inside guard; Geo. Pelton, outside guard; Jos. Charles, Geo. Low, Jr., and F. Wilkins, committee; Col. Wm. White, and Dr. R. J. Wicksteed, L.L.D., trustees; E. B. Godwin and J. E. Andrews, auditors; Geo. Low, Sr., H. T. Pritchard and Fred Cook, representatives to Grand Lodge.

Smith's Falls.

The officers of Guelph lodge, No. 121 of Smith's Falls are as follows:—W. Newton, president; G. T. Martin, past-president; F. Boxby, chaplain; F. Lane, secretary; G. Dart, G. Fisher, A. E. Phillips, W. Rossington, W. Giffen, committee; J. W. Phillips, inner guard; J. Moreland, outer guard; G. T. Martin, grand lodge representative.

Brockville.

Suffolk lodge, No. 87, held its installation on Jan. 9th, the following being the officers:—W. H. Edwards past president; T. Guest, president; J. Burniston, vice president; H. Dodd, treasurer; A. C. Bacon, secretary; E. J. Worthington, assistant; F. G. Haywood, chaplain; Dr. Horton, surgeon; Bros. Stepper, Fox, Turner, Moulson, Warrender, Timleck, committee; T. Chapman, inside guard; W. White, outside

guard; Bros. Grace, Clent, Worthington, White, and Edwards, auditors; Bros. Derbyshire, Steeper, and Haywood, trustees; and a good hall committee.

The lodge has \$400 to its credit, and has received a number of good members lately. Votes of thanks were passed to the retiring officers and the auditors for their work, and addresses were delivered by Dr. Horton and C. P. Edwards, the former expressing great pleasure at the prosperous condition of the lodge.

Bro. W. White is a very active worker in this lodge and deserves the thanks of all the members. Bro. C. Steeper, J. Fox, J. Burniston and W. J. Dowell, who have been dangerously ill are recovering. The lodge intends holding a social gathering on Monday, Feb. 6th.

New Glasgow, N. S.

Kenilworth lodge, No. 149, of New Glasgow, Nova Scotia, held installation ceremonies on Jan. 28th, D. D. Dodson being present. The following are the officers: N. Wadden, president; W. Ainsworth, vice-president; E. W. Thurston, secretary; E. G. Thurston, asst.-secretary; H. Burdett, chaplain; D. Lamont, treasurer; H. Jones, inner guard; G. Sparks, W. Wadden, J. C. Stockum, A. Dodson, J. Evans, G. Beecher, committee; R. Maynard, D. Lamont, trustees; J. C. Stockum, J. Evans, H. Burdett, auditors; R. Maynard, grand lodge representative.

Hamilton.

The officers of Rose of England lodge No. 119, Hamilton, are as follows:—J. Cheriton, president; M. B. Sheddou, past president; G. Jones, vice president; G. Perrott, secretary; A. Back, treasurer; A. Blakeman, chaplain; Bros. Lane, Reviere, Farmer, Copple, Hillman, Smith, committee; C. Carter, outside guard; G. Hunt, inside guard; Dr. Philp, surgeon; Bros. Sheddou, Pook, and Philp, auditors; Bros. Airs, Lane, and Hancock, trustees; G. Perrott, M. B. Sheddou, grand lodge delegates; J. Cherriton, G. Hunt, juvenile committee. Bro. M. B. Sheddou past president was presented with a jewel by the lodge after the installation.

Saltford.

Liverpool lodge, No. 140, has elected the following officers for 1893, D. D. Bro. T. Jackson having installed them on Jan. 11:—W. S. Rought, president; W. Warrington, vice president; P. Holt, past president; A. B. Cornell, treasurer; W. J. Dowding, secretary; W. Wakefield, chaplain; G. Evans, inner guard; A. Evans, outer guard; G. Price, T. Videan, J. Barker, R. Jewell, committee.

Brantford.

The new year has opened auspiciously for Salisbury Lodge, Brantford, for with an attendance at their last regular meeting on Thursday, Jan. 19th unprecedented in the history of the order in that city and the great enthusiasm manifested by the brethren in all matters appertaining to the society's welfare. Signs are not wanting that the Sons are bestirring themselves with renewed vigour and that they have entered on a new era of prosperity. Several members of the sister lodge were in attendance. Four applications for membership were received and one initiation took place. At the close of the meeting and on the invitation of the worthy president an adjournment was made to the American Hotel where a good supper was in waiting. After the table was cleared chairman Day proposed the toast of the Queen, the assembly singing God Save the Queen. Bro. J. T. Pollard followed with a song, "The maids of merry England" P. P. Passmore of Wolf lodge complemented Salisbury on the happy opening of the year and urged upon the brethren the importance of supporting the hands of the officers. "Hearts of Oak" was rendered by Bro. Richardson as was also "Rule Britannia" by Bro. Axworthy. P. P. Smart, spoke on the integrity of the Empire; he said the present were days of unrest and that now more than ever before did it behove every true and patriotic Englishman to firmly stand by the British flag. Bro. Temperance sang "The congress dinner, Bro. Day the "Old Musketeer" and a recitation "The Quack Doctor" by Bro. Rayner, brought forth rounds of applause. Bro. John H. Adams, amused the company with a witty little speech. Bro. C. H. Downes of Mercantile lodge, Toronto, sang "My Sweetheart's the Man in the Moon" in a highly creditable manner. Bro. Longbottom, earnestly appealed to the brethren to be ever watchful of the times. "Tompkins" by Bro. Taylor "Farmers Boy" by Bro. Dunnett, and "In the Morning" by Bro. Cutmore, were each well received as also the new version of "Ta ra ra boom de ay" by Bro. Downes.

THE PROGRESS OF CANADA.

FACTS AND FIGURES SHOWING OUR INCREASE.

As Given Before the Toronto Board of Trade by the Governor-General—Sir Oliver Mowat Against Annexation.

The recent Board of Trade banquet at Toronto was characterized by its robust Canadianism of sentiment and optimism of view with respect to the future. It was a mark of praise in an ancient patriot that he never despaired of his country even though we are told the times are hard, and that the late census returns do not indicate the increase of population for which we hoped, yet the Governor-General and the leaders of both political parties combine in praise of Canada and in confident anticipation of its brilliant future. The Governor-General gave the following facts and figures:

"I find that in 1888, the total imports were \$110,894,000. In 1892, they had risen to no less than \$127,400,000. The exports in the same time have risen from \$90,000,000 to \$113,000,000. Our exports to the United States during 1888, were \$50,500,000. This has fallen, as we might expect, to \$33,000,000. But, on the other hand, during the same period the exports to Great Britain have risen from \$40,000,000, to no less than \$84,000,000, nearly \$65,000,000. I am informed that the sea-going and inland lake tonnage has risen from \$15,000,000 to over \$18,500,000. The coast trade tonnage has risen from \$18,000,000 to \$25,000,000. The total increase, therefore, in the employed registered tonnage has been from \$34,000,000 to \$43,000,000. I find that the life insurance in force in 1888 was \$211,000,000, and in 1891 I find it risen to \$261,000,000. Nor is that all, for the deposits in the Government and special savings bank in 1888 were \$182,000,000, and in 1892 had risen to \$229,000,000.

NO LYNCH LAW HERE

"In the four years I have been in Canada I do not call to mind a case of a grave breach of the criminal laws which has passed without punishment, nor do I remember a single case in which the law has been taken into its own hands by an outraged and indignant people. We are a law-abiding people, and we are content to remain so.

"Sir, I venture to look forward, even without looking to that period which has been spoken of, in the future years, when this great country has grown up, and has entered into an alliance, possibly a partnership, with the mother country—to look forward to the less distant period, to the healthy growth of public opinion which shall place Canada first and party after; to make the ruling of Canada the government not of the party but that of the state, to efface those distinctions of provinces, of race, of creed, of nations, and to look forward, and do all in their power to make others look forward, to make this a great, noble, and united country. I can only trust that God may save Canada, and give her a happy, prosperous, and united people."

A GREAT INCREASE.

The Hon. George Foster said:

"During the last four years our trade in exports has increased by \$25,000,000 or 28 per cent., our imports by \$12,000,000 or 11 per cent., and our total trade by \$37,000,000, or 18 per cent. in that time. The products of the field in 1888 were raised to feed the population we had, and to export to the amount of \$12,000,000; in 1892 the agricultural products were raised to feed 5,000,000 of people—a much larger number than in 1888—and to export at the same time to the amount of \$22,000,000, an increase of 90 per cent. in that time. In 1888 animals and their products were raised to feed the people of this country, and to export besides the amount of \$6,500,000; in 1892 the 5,000,000 were fed from these products, and exports to the amount of \$28,500,000 were sent from the country to feed the outside people, an increase of 250 per cent. in the period named. Cheese in 1888 was raised for the consumption of this country and for export to the tune of \$500,000 worth; in 1892 it was raised for the food of this country and to export to the tune of \$11,500,000, an increase of about 800 per cent. In 1888 apples were exported to the tune of one-twelfth of a million-dollars' worth, besides what were consumed here; last year they were exported to the tune of \$1,500,000, an increase of 1500 per cent."

NO ANNEXATION.

Sir Oliver Mowat, Premier of Ontario, said: "As a Liberal, and knowing some-

thing of the Liberal mind, I affirm that neither party is an American party; that both parties are Canadian parties; and that however they differ otherwise, both are, as parties, opposed to giving up our half of the continent to the United States, and opposed to thereby blotting out forever the name of our beloved Canada. We believe that there is on this continent more than ample room, and more than ample resources, for two great nations. There are, no doubt, individuals here and there in, perhaps, every province, who desire political union with the United States; but the great mass of the Canadian people do not favour it, and never have."

Last of the Old Flag.

The scene on the castle esplanade at Edinburgh when the Princess Louise presented the Argyll and Southerland Highlanders with new colors was singularly striking and picturesque. The occasion was a memorable one. The colors that were about to be retired commemorated the passing away of the old order of things in the regiment's history, and the closing scene was carried out with fitting impressiveness and solemnity. As the Highlanders swung through the old gateway from the castle and were formed into line on the esplanade every one in the vast crowd of spectators must have felt, with Burns, that "a tide of Scottish prejudice had been poured along his veins." Many of the historical and romantic associations that gather round Edinburgh are connected with the Highland clans; and the esplanade, with the old Lawn market stretching away from it and the castle rock towering above, seemed a natural background for a scene expressive of all that is most inspiring in the country's military history.

The trooping of colors is at all times an imposing ceremony, but on this occasion there was a peculiar impressiveness about it. Round the new colors associations can not gather with the same glow of loyal devotion which attends those old and tattered and weather-stained flags that have been borne through the thickest of the fight. At the best there can be but symbols and memorials of past devotion and heroism. The sentiment may remain, but the strong personal link must be broken. As the old colors were borne aloft, between the lines of the regiment, to the pipes playing a quick march of "The Campbells Are Coming," all the passions and fire of the Highland race seemed embodied in these faded rags. Then, as the wild strains of the pipes died away, the band struck up "Auld Lang Syne," and slowly, solemnly, for the last time, the colors were carried past the regiment whose fortunes they had shared and whose endurance and devotion they symbolized.

The men and officers looked as if turned to stone, but among the crowd were many old soldiers who saluted as the colors were carried past to the most moving of all strains. Then they were furled, and after the new colors had been consecrated with fitting solemnity and presented by the Princess Louise they were borne away, cased and brought up in the rear of the regiment, the new colors being borne in front to the strains of the national anthem. The decision that was made some years ago that colors should no longer be taken into battle was, perhaps, a wise one. It certainly was not arrived at without much consultation with those most capable of giving an opinion. But when the then Secretary of War announced in the House of Commons on July 29, 1881, that, in consequence of the altered formation of attack and the extended range of fire, the colors should not in future be taken with the battalion on active service, but left at the depot, an era in regimental life passed away which can never be revived. The names on the old colors of the Ninety-first—Corunna, Orthes, Peninsula, Vimiera, South Africa and others—are emblazoned on the new flags and their memory will not die.—Saturday Review.

Clinton.

Bro. W. S. Swaffield, sends the following list of officers as installed in Sheffield lodge:—John Scruton, past president; W. S. Swaffield, president; H. Josling, vice president; H. Joyner, chaplain; Alfred Scruton, secretary; N. Robson, treasurer; G. E. Saville, Alf. Young, H. East, M. Grummett, R. Reynolds, A. W. Kemp, committee; Wm. Sloman, inner guard; F. Evans, outer guard. He adds: "we no longer make use of the Orange hall but have furnished quarters for ourselves in the same building. Our lodge is gradually growing stronger both numerically and financially. The members seem more enthusiastic than ever and we are looking forward to a brilliant future. We hope to see the ANGLO-SAXON go on and prosper."

We are Judged by Our Specimen Traitors.

Then, too, we must take into consideration the fact that even were we to encumber ourselves with the Dominion considerable expensive state arbitration must take place. In the first place all of the existing laws governing that country would necessarily have to be annulled. By annulling these laws old customs and traditions would be broken and considerable trouble would be the result. The abatement of the stir thus created would require clever and extended legislation which would of course be of no slight expense to the people. That the laws of the Dominion would have to be changed throughout can be very plainly seen, for as they now stand they would conflict with the constitution, and certainly we could not, nor would not, endeavor to change one jot nor title of our constitution or statutes under any circumstances.

The next consideration must be the people. While there are a great number of enterprising and worthy citizens in Canada the majority are ignorant, illiterate and superstitious. Begin with British Columbia and go through, glancing at the inhabitants as you go, the North-west Territories, Manitoba, Ontario, Quebec and finally New Brunswick and Acadia and you find a majority of the people to be Chinaman, Siwash, (or low class Indians) Indians, renegades, European foreigners, low Dutch, Canucks, ignorant French Canadians, simple, unenterprising Canadians and lastly villains of all descriptions and from all parts of the globe. Are these the people we want within the realms of the "Land of the Free and Home of the Brave"? While we are opposing immigration we had better also oppose any annexation scheme hatched within the minds of unemployed politicians or sensational newspapers.—Rock Island Blab.

Our Representatives.

The following brethren represent the ANGLO-SAXON:

- Barrie, Ont.—J. Lang.
- Bellefleur, Ont.—Thos. Waymark.
- Bowmanville, Ont.—W. E. Potkick.
- Brantford, Ont.—G. G. Lambden.
- Brookville, Ont.—Arthur C. Bacon.
- Calgary, N.W.T.—E. Doughty.
- Capleton, Que.—Alfred Hansford.
- Campbellford—Nathan E. Grille.
- Chatham, Ont.—Chas. F. Chanter.
- Chedoke, Barton, Ont.—Sackville Hill.
- Charlottetown, P.E.I.—J. Ed. Rendle.
- Clinton, Ont.—W. S. Swaffield.
- Cornwall, Ont.—E. Hunt.
- Fort William, Ont.—Ed. Oakley.
- Fredericton, N.B.—A. D. Thomas.
- Galt, Ont.—Chas. Squire.
- Gananoque, Ont.—J. H. Baxter.
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- Kingston, Ont.—Wm. H. Cruse. W. Dumbleton.
- Lakefield, Ont.—C. J. Burgis.
- Londesborough, Ont.—B. Laurason.
- Lambton Mills—J. T. Jarvis.
- Longford Mills, Ont.—Chas. Carr.
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- New Westminster, B.C.—W. H. Boycott.
- Orillia, Ont.—Wm. Swinton.
- Oshawa—W. H. Bowden.
- Pembroke, Ont.—L. N. Pink.
- Peterboro, Ont.—J. J. Turner. T. Ed. Pratt.
- Saltford—W. S. Knight.
- Sherbrooke, Que.—Edwin Avery.
- Simcoe, Ont.—Chas. G. Cross.
- Smith's Falls, Ont.—A. W. Chester.
- St. Thomas, Ont.—E. W. Trump, Chester Lodge.
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- Victoria, B.C.—J. Critchley.
- Weston, Ont.—Henry Roberts.
- Whitby, Ont.—T. Dixon.
- Winnipeg, Man.—W. Jones, Lodge Neptune. Jos. Harrison, P. O. Box 666.
- Woodstock, Ont.—Wm. E. Barnett.

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