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Give A Year
To The Cause

The Union Jack.

(From the Montreal Witness.)
The flag that braved a thousand years
The battle and the breeze,
Still waves aloft as if to guard
Britannia's stormy seas.
Her numerous foes, full earnestly,
Cry out that she must sink;
And even herself sometimes has felt
The neared destruction's brink.
But when the hour of battle came,
And the stout British tars
Were called to fight as erst they fought
In many former wars.
Then rose the shout of victory,
As from deep ocean's caves,
To heaven it rose, defying foes—
'Britannia rules the waves.'
But when these famous victories
By British valor won,
By land or sea, to keep us free
(And well that work was done)—
Whence came the valor and the skill
That shone at Trafalgar,
And Waterloo, most potent names,
Whether for peace or war
Was not mere bulldog courage
That bore them through the fray,
Was not mere love of freedom
That won for them the day.
Till at length 'twas human prowess
Then has thou missed the road
That leads to honor and renown
For thou hast left our God!
Great Britain's greatness comes from God,
So said our noble Queen,
And that none who knew the Lord,
Though heathen he had been,
Wake, O my country, call on Him
Like Judah's King of old,
The battle is not thine but His,
Be faithful, firm and bold.
H. MALLEN.
Newick, Que.
*Jehoshaphat, II Chron. xx.

E. A. Miller, Barrister, Aylmer.

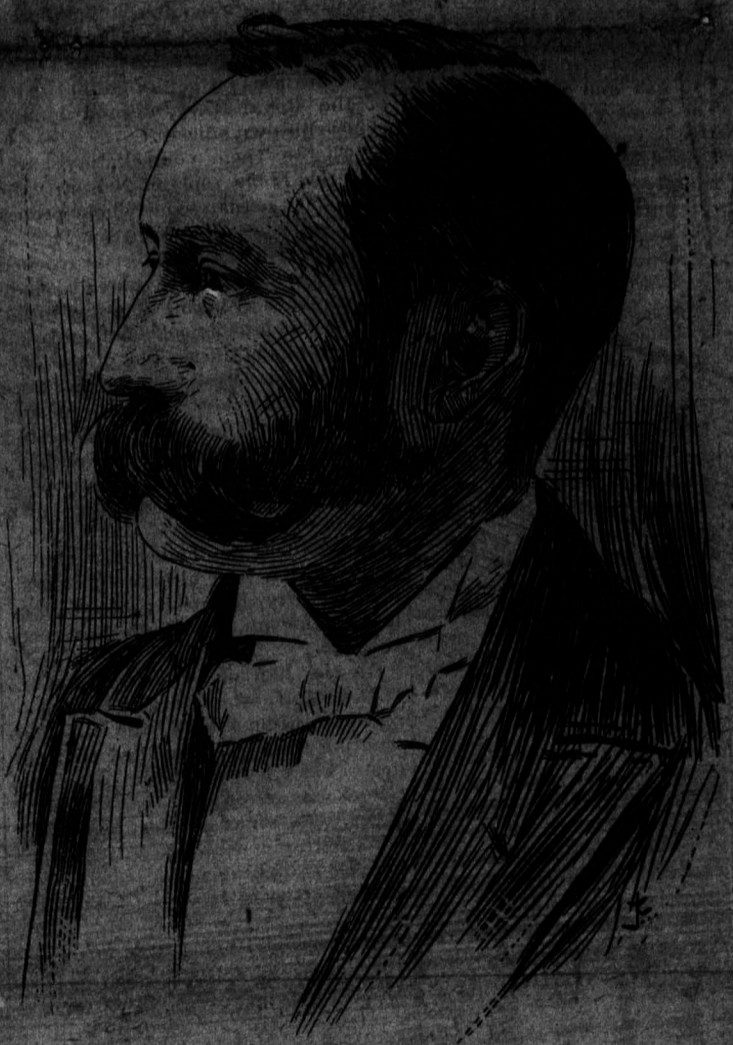
Bro. E. A. Miller, District Deputy for the District comprising the counties of Elgin and Oxford in the Province of Ontario, was born in the Township of Yarmouth in the County of Elgin. His boyhood days were spent upon his father's farm and in attending the public school in S. S. No. 18, Yarmouth, being the only school he ever attended. Quitting school at an early age, he remained at home working on the farm, but in the meantime continued to pursue his studies, and finally obtained a third-class teachers certificate. He then followed teaching for six years, teaching in S. S. No. 25, Yarmouth, the village of Somers in Lambton County, and the village of Millbank in Perth County. During this time he successfully passed the examination for a second and also a first class certificate. His next step was to enter the legal profession, he studied in the offices of John Farley, Q.C., and O. O. Ermatinger, (now Judge Ermatinger) and was called to the bar in Hilary Term, 1885. Bro. Miller commenced to practice his profession in Aylmer, Ont., and shortly afterwards entered into partnership with Mr. A. H. Backus, under the firm name of Miller & Backus.
Bro. Miller joined Prince Albert Lodge, No. 61, eight years ago. His mother lodge has twice honored him with the Presidency and also elected him delegate to Grand Lodge on several occasions. He is a worker and the S. O. E. B. S. has not within its ranks a more ardent and enthusiastic supporter than Bro. Miller.
He is a Britisher to the back-bone and in politics a Liberal-Conservative, and has on four occasions been elected President of the East-Elgin Liberal-Conservative Association.
Socially Bro. Miller is extremely popular with all classes, and strange to say, still remains a bachelor.

Personal Notes—Ottawa.

The Ottawa lodges are pulling themselves together in first rate style; the meetings of each lodge have been well attended both by their own members and visitors during the past month.
Bro. Jas. Dickinson, formerly proprietor of the Port Arthur Sentinel, has purchased the North Bay Dispatch. Bro. Dickinson is an experienced journalist, both in England and the United States. The new venture will flourish under his management.
We draw attention to the advertisement of Bro. H. Slinn. In May last he dissolved partnership with his brother and bought out the bakery business on Oreighton street, for years run by Mr. Martelock; he also continues the confectionery business at the corner of Queen & O'Connor streets. Mr. Slinn was a successful exhibitor at the

Order's work has a more fascinating hold upon the members in N.B. than that of the benefit, but he sees no reason why both should not work to the satisfaction of all—both are essential, and both should be the leading features of our society's aim; there is room for both. He also spoke of an organizer, and said he thought the Society was considerably behind in not providing such necessary machinery. He attributed in a great measure the success of lodge Shaftesbury to the energy and ability of the executive officers of the lodge, and said they were kept well posted of what was going on in the Order throughout the Dominion by reading the ANGLLO-SAXON, every member in Moncton being a subscriber, and through that means he felt quite at home among the Order wherever he went.
LION LODGE—BOYS.
The juvenile lodge is making rapid strides to efficiency. At their last meet-

lodge at present in the district, to the number of 20, met at Stanley lodge and formed the council. The chairman, D. D. Teague, called the meeting to order and explained the motive of the scheme. It was made an open discussion as to the number of officers there should be in the council. It was decided to have a chairman, vice-chairman, secretary, treasurer, inside and outside guards. President, Bro. Wm. Teague, D. D. The other offices were filled by nomination, and resulted in the election of ex-Ald. Jos. Hawkin, vice-president; E. J. Reynolds, secretary; Fred. George, Treasurer. After the election of officers important committees were struck to carry out the work of fully organizing the council. After many points of interest had been discussed relative to the work which the council would have to do, it was moved that an adjournment be made to the 3rd Tuesday in November, when the committee on by-laws, etc., would report.
LATE BRO. CHAS. HEATH.
On Sunday, the 11th of October, the death of one of the oldest and best known members of Stanley lodge occurred in the person of Charles Heath, at the residence of his step-son, Bro. Geo. Taylor, Salisbury, Ont. The remains were brought to Ottawa and interred under the auspices of his lodge, in the Hull Cemetery, in the province of Quebec, by request of the deceased, he having expressed a wish to be buried alongside of his mother. The funeral services of the Sons of England was conducted at the grave by the chaplain Fred. Foss and president E. J. Reynolds, of deceased's lodge. Besides the members of the Sons of England, Progress lodge, of the A. O. U. W., of which the deceased was a member, turned out in large numbers to pay the last sad rite to the departed brother. A beautiful wreath of white roses was placed upon the coffin by the members of Stanley lodge with the letters "S. O. E." in the centre. Mrs. Heath is at present in England, where she had gone some months ago to nurse an aged mother. She has been informed of the death of her husband by the executor of the estate, Bro. Wm. Lee, P.P. of Stanley lodge.



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Central Canada Exhibition in securing two diplomas, one for wedding cakes and one for bread.
MONCTON, N.B.—OTTAWA.
At the last meeting of Bowood lodge Bro. Fred. A. Steeves, of Shaftesbury lodge, 208, Moncton, N.B., was present. After the ceremony of initiating a candidate, the president, Bro. Ald. S. J. Davis, called the lodge to ease, and addresses were made by Bro. Steeves, ex-Ald. Hawkins, Ed. Ackroyd, P.D.D., J. Foss, P.P. and E. J. Reynolds.
Bro. Steeves made some happy references to the preponderating influence of Englishmen in Canada. He outlined the principles of the Order as they were understood in New Brunswick, and considered them of double fold, but the national side of the

ing, after initiation, the boys were encouraged in their efforts by a cheering address from the D. D. Wm. Teague. Referring to the band, he said at his last visit to Russell lodge a motion was passed for \$10 towards the purchase of the instruments. The other four city lodges has also consented to a similar idea. The boys are having a concert on the 11th of November. It is hoped that the funds will then be at such a high mark that the instruments can be purchased, when the drum and fife band of Lion lodge, No. 9, will be formed.
DISTRICT COUNCIL.
Ottawa District Council is the name of the council formed on Thursday night. At the call of the District Deputy, representatives from the four

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