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SCOT PEER'S DEATH RECALLS ROMANCE OF THE OGILVIES

Glasgow, Nov. 26.—Lord Seafield has died from wounds received in Flanders. An interesting romance of a Scottish peerage, is revived by his death.

The late Earl was chief of the Clan Grant. He succeeded his father as the eleventh Earl in 1888, but being New Zealand born and educated, was not until 1912 that he paid his first public visit (accompanied by his New Zealand wife) to the ancestral home in Edinburgh. The history of the family is very romantic.

His father was, in the words of the poor and exiled son of an ancient race. When hard times came to us, and fair-weather friends deserted, he saw no disgrace in toiling with his hands to keep our home together. He joined the ranks of labor, shouldered his pick and shovel, and wherever work called him.

The noble workman came into the earldom in 1888, but died of heart disease a few months later. The earl who has just died at the age of 63 was the eldest of his six children. He leaves only one child, a daughter, Nina Caroline, and to this child of nine years the Seafield title and estate, which are in full female, now pass.

The will of Caroline Countess of Seafield solved a problem which had agitated many minds in Scotland—perhaps a greater number at the time—namely, the return of the will provided for the ultimate return to these isles of the family of the Earl of Seafield, and the occupation of the historic estates of the Ogilvie Grants in Banffshire, Morayshire, and Inverness by a noble family who have long been strangers upon their paternal acres. This strange alienation of a noble Scottish family from their ancestral stronghold was a true romance of the Peerage.

When the husband of Lady Seafield died in 1881 the main line of the Ogilvies came to an end. Lady Seafield herself represented a famous Scottish Peerage which has become extinct—the Lords Blantyre, of whom her father was the eleventh representative—and as her husband was the last representative of the Ogilvies of Castle Grant it was a source of immense grief to her when Earl who

as just died at the age of her son, who in 1881 succeeded his father as eighth Earl of Seafield, died, leaving no heirs to the magnificent estates of this wealthy house. The ways of Providence are inscrutable, and often cruel, but they have to be borne; still it was not in human nature for Caroline Lady Seafield not to feel that Fate had dealt hardly with her.

However, the Ogilvies were even now by no means numerous. For a successor to the late Countess' husband the lawyers had to go to a remote descendant of James Ogilvie Grant, the third son of the sixth Earl. He was own brother to the late Countess' husband, but a family quarrel had parted them, and when Lady Seafield's son, the eighth Earl, died he left all his money to his mother, and thus sent the Earldom to his uncle, the ninth Earl, without a penny to support it.

But the ninth Earl did not live long, and his son, the future tenth Earl, foreseeing the hopelessness of his position, went off to New Zealand, and stayed there. He put his shoulder to the wheel, took off his coat and manfully earned his own living. For many years he was a farm hand. He married a daughter of another noble Colonel, Major Evans, of Clonmel, Co. Wex., a member of the family of Lord Carberry, of Castle Freke, County Cork, whose male descendants are in remainder to that Barony to this day.

By his New Zealand Countess the tenth Lord Seafield had several children, and upon his death he was succeeded by his son, James Ogilvie Grant, eleventh Earl, who had been born in the Colony, and was, of course, totally unknown to his wealthy relatives at home. Another son of the tenth Earl, who was also born in New Zealand, is the Hon. Trevor Ogilvie Grant, who was left £10,000 by the late Countess. But the birth of his sons did not induce the Colonial Peer to come home or to make any advances to his haughty relatives at Castle Grant. And so the twenty-sixth Chief of a Colonial dynasty and his little daughter, the Lady Nina Ogilvie Grant, represent the third generation of the Ogilvie Grants of New Zealand.

On his coming of age Lord Seafield was presented with an address of congratulation by those New Zealand Colonists who had in former days been regenerators upon the family estates of the Ogilvie Grants in Scotland. However, time's revenges brought home to Caroline Lady Seafield that these stalwart, noble Colonists who disdained to bend the knee to their more fortunate relative in Scotland, were deserving of consideration at her hands, and, at any rate, they could not be held responsible for the mutabilities of Fate.

So things assumed a rosiest hue, and fifteen years ago Lord Seafield came home and took a house in Cadogan Square. He had two residences in Ireland, but he had not severed his connection with his property in New Zealand. His mother, the Dowager Countess, resides at Shilpton-on-Stour. But this good fortune is not due to the generosity of the late Countess. It happens that Lady Seafield has for her stepmother the richest heiress in Australia, Annie Quayle More, and it is said to be her intention to leave her fortune of £4,000,000 to her stepdaughter.

The estates are situated in Banffshire, Morayshire, and Invernesshire, and they are worth some £80,000 a year, while the great forests on Spey side are valued at nearly half a million sterling.

OFFICERS OF SIX MASONIC LODGES WERE INSTALLED

Grand Master, S. Y. Taylor, Officiated at Largest Masonic Gathering Ever Held in Calgary.

The largest gathering of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons in the history of Calgary, was held at the Ashlar Temple on Monday evening last, December 27th Saint John, the Evangelist's night, the occasion of the joint installation of the officers of Bow River Lodge, No. 1, Perfection Lodge, No. 9, Calgary Lodge, No. 23, Ashlar Lodge, No. 28, King George Lodge, No. 59, and Zetland Lodge, No. 83, by M. W. Bro. S. Y. Taylor, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, assisted by M. W. Bro. Major G. H. Hogbin, P. G. M., M. W. Bro. S. J. Blair, P. G. M., and several Grand Lodge officers and Past Masters, including R. W. Bro. W. J. Botterill, G. S. W. Bro. Thomas Sharpe, P. D. D. G. M., R. W. Bro. F. N. Selwood, P. D. D. G. M., R. W. Bro. J. N. Rankin, P. D. D. G. M., R. W. Bro. H. S. Watersbury, D. D. G. M., of Masonic District, No. 1. R. W. Bro. Dr. G. W. Kerby, Grand Chaplain, R. W. Bro. R. C. Bruce, Grand Tyler, V. W. Bro. F. R. Jeffs, Grand Director of Ceremonies, W. Bro. E. J. Flavin, P. M., and a large number of Past Masters.

The large auditorium of the Shrine Temple was filled with hundreds of the Masonic fraternity, every one of whom was keenly interested in making the affair a splendid success. The greater portion of the labors of the installation ceremony devolved upon the Grand Master and the Grand Director of Ceremonies, who discharged their respective tasks with such skill, ease and finish as to arouse the admiration of all the brethren present.

During the intermission in the installation ceremony, an excellent entertainment under the chairmanship of W. Bro. Dr. A. S. Estey was provided for the brethren in the main

auditorium, consisting of the following numbers:

Solo, "Thy Sentinel Am I," Bro. Frank Morley, piano duo, selected, Bros. W. Y. and J. G. W. Rendall; reading, selected, Bro. J. E. Loucks; solo, "Keep the Home Fires Burning," Bro. Chester Lydall; Bros. W. H. A. Thompson and Wilbur H. Horner were also down on the program for vocal numbers, but by reason of indisposition were unable to take part.

A most pleasing incident in the course of the evening was the presentation of the Most Worshipful The Grand Master to R. W. Bro. J. N. Rankin, P. D. D. G. M., of a Past District Deputy Grand Master's regalia, as the gift of his mother lodge, Bow River, No. 1. The Grand Master took occasion to express to R. W. Bro. Rankin the high appreciation in which the Masonic brethren of District No. 1 held his services as District Deputy Grand Master for that District in 1911.

BETHLEHEM'S MUNITION SHOP FIRE



Photo shows start of fire which totally destroyed shop building of the Bethlehem Steel Company. The origin of the fire is believed to be due to a conspiracy against munition plants in the United States.

Brooke, S. D.; Bro. H. L. Fridenberg, J. D.; Bro. S. McGreken, S. S.; Bro. W. H. Faunce, J. S.; Bro. A. Maxey, D. C.; Bro. Charles A. Richardson, registrar; Bro. F. B. Cooper, organist; Bro. S. H. Davies, tyler.

Calgary Lodge, No. 23
W. Bro. Edwin G. Ironside, W. M.; W. Bro. George Law, I. P. M.; Alfred J. Davis, S. W.; Bro. Edwin M. McCammon, J. W.; R. W. Bro. Thomas F. English, treasurer; Bro. Irving J. Impey, secretary; Bro. E. Esleron, registrar; R. W. Bro. Thomas Sharpe, chaplain; Bro. Robt. A. Boyd, S. D.; Bro. George D. Wright, J. D.; Bro. Edward Evans, S. S.; Bro. B. L. Lockwood, J. S.; W. Bro. A. V. Bliton, D. C.; Bro. A. Elford, tyler.Ashlar Lodge, No. 28
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W. Bro. Thomas P. Smalley, W. M.; W. Bro. John Wild, I. P. M.; Bro. A. S. Brown, S. W.; Bro. W. C. Young, J. W.; W. Bro. William Fleet, treasurer; W. Bro. E. J. Flavin, secretary; Bro. H. MacPherson, registrar; Bro. H. MacPherson, chaplain; W. Bro. J. Rockley, D. C.; Bro. W. R. Eveleigh, S. D.; Bro. W. Ferguson, J. D.; Bro. James Brown, I. G.; Bro. W. Cowe Black, S. S.; Bro. H. L. Cheney, J. S.; Bro. R. H. Pepperdine, organist; Bro. E. C. Collett, tyler.Zetland Lodge, No. 83
W. Bro. V. A. Bowes, W. M.; R. W. Bro. Dr. G. W. Kerby, I. P. M.; Bro. R. Wood, S. W.; Bro. J. H. McNeill, J. W.; W. Bro. J. Johnston, treasurer; W. Bro. E. S. How, secretary; Bro. George C. Crawford, registrar; Bro. Rev. A. C. Farrell, chaplain; Bro. Charles H. Ley, S. D.; Bro. Dr. L. A. Maxwell, J. D.; Bro. A. J. Barrie, D. C.; Bro. J. Gordon Rendall, Mus. Dir.; Bro. Thomas J. Campbell, I. G.; Bro. Thomas A. Ardill, S. S.; Bro. F. Gordon Bannister, tyler.

as well as the love and esteem of the Masonic fraternity throughout the Province for one of its oldest and most faithful members.

Following the installation ceremony, the brethren partook of a sumptuous repast in the banquet hall of the Shrine Temple, at which R. W. Bro. P. S. Selwood, P. D. D. G. M., presided as Toastmaster. The banquet hall was filled to overflowing, making this the most successful Masonic banquet yet held in the city of Calgary. The toast list, while not long, was of an extremely interesting and instructive character.

Most Worshipful Brother, S. Y. Taylor, Grand Master, in response to the toast to the Grand Lodge of Alberta, delivered a very able, interesting and instructive address on the origin, development and expansion of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masonry; after tracing the development of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masonry, the Grand Master gave a survey of the Masonic fraternity throughout the globe, classifying it into what are known as the Anglo-Saxon, Germanic and Latin groups and explained the chief differences in the principles ruling these respective groups. Proceeding, the Grand Master pointed out the favor in which Free Masonry has been esteemed by many of the greatest men of their times, emphasized the influence which the craft had always exerted in furthering the arts of peace and expressed the hope that the bicentenary of the founding of the Grand Lodge of England might be observed in 1917 under conditions of world wide peace.

The officers installed were as follows:

Bow River Lodge, No. 1
W. Bro. T. Rankin, M. W.; W. Bro. G. A. Jones, I. P. M.; Bro. A. Maxey, S. W.; Bro. P. S. Sargent, J. W.; Bro. A. M. Terrill, treasurer; Bro. G. A. T. Mason, secretary; W. Bro. W. E. Mercer, chaplain; Bro. T. P. Crowther, registrar; Bro. J. A. Longden, S. D.; Bro. P. M. Sauder, J. D.; Bro. A. Harling, S. S.; Bro. E. P. Ward, J. S.; Bro. C. E. Shaver, D. C.; Bro. A. J. Hart, I. G.; Bro. S. Hirst, organist; Bro. J. Thompson, tyler.Perfection Lodge, No. 9
W. Bro. T. M. Allen, W. M.; W. Bro. T. G. Whitehair, I. P. M.; Bro. William Ireland, S. W.; Bro. J. H. Walker, J. W.; W. Bro. A. S. Estey, treasurer; Bro. George Fordyce, secretary; Bro. Fred M. Graham, chaplain; Bro. F. C.

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ter, J. S. Bro. C. R. Wentzel, tyler. During the evening Rev. Dr. Kerby rendered the following poem

Playmates
Oh, where are the playmates of yesterday,
Those fellows we knew in school;
And what has become of the studious one
And where, oh where, is the fool?And what has become of the orator,
Whose passion was to write;
And the bashful kid—who could speak no place—
Unless he succumbed to fright.And what has become of the model boy,
Who was always the teacher's pet;
And where, oh where, is the tough young nut,
The fellow we can't forget.Now the studious one—so I've been told,
Is driving a hack these days;
While the fool, he owns stock in a bank or two
And a railroad that always pays.The orator that we knew so well
Is now clerk in a drygoods store
While the bashful kid—

He's been in Congress, ten years or more.

The model boy is behind the bars
For stealing a neighbour's cow,
And you ask me, "What of the tough young nut?"
Why, he is a minister now.

TOO LITERAL

One day a man who was interested in social work went into the tenement district, and, wishing to see a certain man, but having only a general idea as to where he lived, approached a small boy.

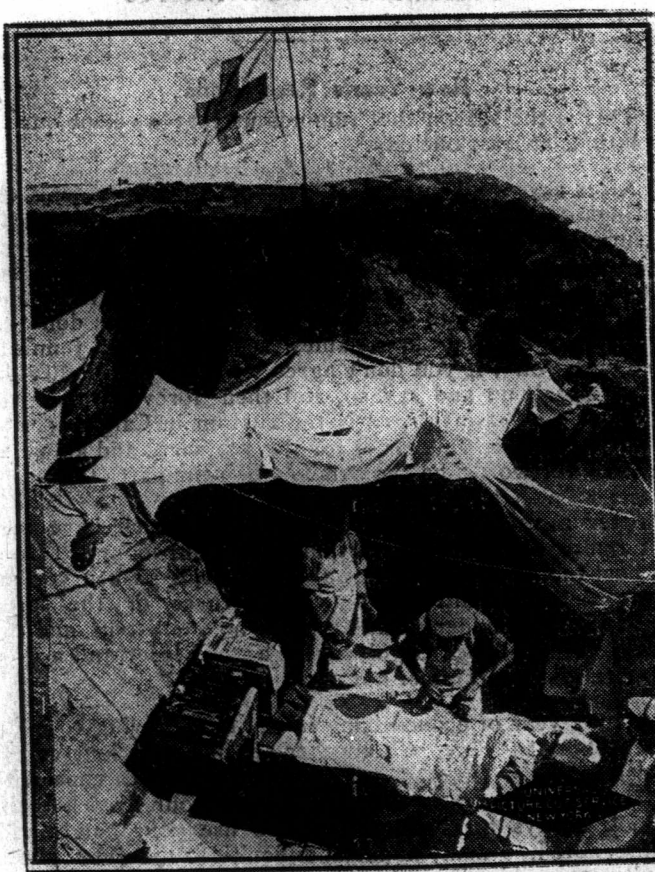
"My boy," he asked, "can you show me where Mr. Schmidowitz lives?"
"Yes, sir. Come right with me, sir."

The boy entered an adjacent doorway and started to climb the difficult stair. Up four flights he went, the visitor breathlessly following, and finally paused at an open door.

"This is the floor, sir," said the boy. "Mr. Schmidowitz lives in there."
"Looks as if he had stacked up against hard luck," remarked the visitor, peering into the room. "Mr. Schmidowitz doesn't appear to be here."

"No, sir," was the rejoinder. "That was him sittin' down on the front doorstep when we came in."

BRITISH FIRST AID HOSPITAL



Remarkable photo of Surgeon and Attendants at work dressing the wounds of a disabled soldier in a British Military first aid Hospital close to the battle line on the Gallipoli peninsula.