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I. O. FORESTERS.

Addresses Delivered By the Supreme Chief Ranger.

Hon. Mr. Foster's Work—The Question of District Deputies—Interesting General Notes.

ST. STEPHEN, July 6.—At yesterday afternoon's session of the high court, I. O. F., several matters of interest were discussed and the supreme chief delivered an address.

Dr. Mullin read the report of the delegates to the supreme court, E. R. Chapman, A. W. Macrae, George G. Scovill, M. P. P. H. W. Woods and Dr. Mullin himself. They said no radical change had been made in the constitution or laws, and referred to the endorsement of the Union Trust Co., organized to invest the surplus funds of the order, which had invested nearly half a million to great advantage. They also reported that the question of making Toronto the permanent place of meeting of the supreme court had been sent over, to come up at the next meeting which will be held in Boston. They expressed great satisfaction at the fine showing made by the supreme executive concerning the order, and alluded to the presentation of a chain of twenty-one gold links to Dr. Oronhyatekha, who had been as many years at the head of the order. The report also referred to some matters of interest to subordinate courts that were dealt with by the supreme body.

High Chief Ranger Chapman referred in graceful words to the supreme chief and asked him to address the high court.

Oronhyatekha, who was again greeted with great applause, said he was grateful to the New Brunswick delegates to Los Angeles for the generous allusions to himself and the other members of the executive. In speaking of the harmony that prevailed in the supreme court sessions they had but expressed the universal sentiment. Not that there were no questions or keen debates, but at the close he had the satisfaction of saying that not a word of unkindness had been spoken. No executive with such large funds to handle ever received such an endorsement of their actions and policy at the hands of a supreme body. And the speaker believed they deserved it, too.

The I. O. F. stood at the topmost notch of fraternal organizations, largely by reason of the legislation adopted at the supreme court sessions in Toronto, relative to the rates. The best acturaries in the United Kingdom say the order is on a sound financial basis. That is their openly pronounced verdict. And when the British Institute of Actuaries holds that view of the order, it is a great honor to the order.

The speaker said he was amazed every month by the accumulating evidence in this direction from insurance experts. The London Saturday Review, a very conservative journal of the highest character, whose editorial columns are unimpeachable, in a special issue named the I. O. F. the best of fraternal societies, and as having caused the cheapening of insurance perhaps to the utmost extreme. When the report of the last supreme court meeting is published it will show the cost of insurance in the order, properly tabulated, and the investment in permanent disability and pension funds and will show by comparison a substantial margin in favor of the I. O. F. after providing for all these benefits.

Referring to the Union Trust Company the supreme chief said that the only annual meeting of the order who deal with finances was felt in connection with the investment of the surplus funds of the order. He was satisfied that this fear had been met and overcome. In twenty odd years some millions of dollars had been invested and not a single dollar lost in that way. The uneasiness was therefore a matter of imagination. Dr. it had been further met by the constitution of the Union Trust Company. That company seeks out places for investment, approves of the best, and submits them to the supreme executive for approval. No investment is made without that approval. Mr. McGillivray and himself had done well in this work, but he must say that Hon. Geo. E. Foster had managed the business with extraordinary ability, and better than the executive could do. He had invested and the money available could have placed more at an average of over seven per cent, and in gilt-edged securities. (Hearty applause.) He beat all records and the company made better earnings than any other corporation of smaller character or of other institutions. There was, thus, the speaker believed, double security for the investments.

Referring to the growth of the order, the supreme chief said that from Jan. 1st to July 31st, over 23,000 applications for membership were received. After a happy allusion to the early days of the order in New Brunswick he said he rejoiced now that he had come here at that time and that he had discovered F. W. Emmerson and persuaded him to take part in building up the order. (Applause.) Others like E. F. Eastman and A. W. Macrae had also done valuable work for the order, he could not now be driven out of the order—even if his salary were reduced to the \$200 per year he got when he first came down here (laughter and applause).

But now it is intended to inaugurate a new system in the organizing field. A commission is to be offered to every member who brings in another member, and district superintendents will be appointed to look after organizing work and visit the courts—both the weak and the strong ones—to stir up renewed interest in bringing new blood into the order. He hopes to see an increase of 50,000 members every six

months. Over \$800,000 was added to the surplus in the year ending July 31st, and he wanted soon to see the total surplus \$10,000,000.

Replying to Dr. Irvine, the supreme chief said he had no doubt whatever that at the next session of the supreme court women would be admitted to the sick and funeral benefits on the same terms as men. It was bound to come, and should come, even if the cost to the men should be a little more, which, however, he did not anticipate.

Replying to A. W. Ebbett, the supreme chief said that the Union Trust Co. belongs to the shareholders, and of two million shares all but about a hundred thousand are held by the order itself. Investments are made in improved real estate, in Manitoba, the Northwest, Toronto and a very little in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. He himself was president of the company, and Hon. John A. McGillivray and Hon. E. G. Stevenson were directors. They got no extra pay for services. The profits belong to the shareholders, and go into whatever fund of the order earned them. The profits were distributed among the funds by the supreme executive.

Replying to the Rev. I. N. Parker and John T. Hawke, the supreme chief stated that Mon. Mr. Foster got a straight salary, and far less than he was worth for the work he did. A little debate between Mr. Hawke and the chief on this question was much enjoyed by the members, Mr. Hawke being politely insistent and the chief adroitly non-committal. The question was not of special importance, and the discussion ended in a cheerful compromise.

Replying to a question by male members were not allowed to join in debates in companion courts, the chief amid laughter said that it was because the ladies were quite capable of doing their own talking and would not appreciate the attempt of any man to take charge of their meetings.

"But if one is asked to speak," queried A. Sherwood, "what then?"

"It's polite to speak when you're spoken to," gravely rejoined the chief; and when the roar of laughter had subsided he added:—"But I wouldn't advise you to say more than just that." Whereat there was more laughter, in which the ladies heartily joined.

Many questions were asked by members and answered by the supreme chief, and then at the request of the high chief he called up High Secretary Emmerson and decorated him with the Grand Cross of the Legion of Honor. He referred very feelingly to his long association with and high appreciation of Mr. Emmerson.

"This high court," he said, "does itself honor in conferring this decoration upon you. May you long live to enjoy the honor and the esteem of your fellow members."

The members, led by Thomas Murray, sang He's a Jolly Good Fellow, and while the supreme chief was fixing the decoration they joined the high chief in another song which invited all to "See Him Smiling Just Now." There was a great outburst of applause when the popular high secretary attempted to respond. He thanked the members and referring to the growth of the order expressed his delight in its progress in this province.

motion by J. A. Lindsay, seconded by Mr. Sears, of Montreal, that future meetings of high court be confined to St. John, Moncton and Fredericton, was referred to a committee.

Oronhyatekha announced that he had to leave for P. E. Island by the morning train. He warmly thanked the high court for its welcome.

TUESDAY NIGHT'S MEETING.

ST. STEPHEN, Aug. 6.—Last night's public meeting in the skating rink was a notable one in all respects. There was a brilliant assemblage, numbering between fifteen hundred and two thousand. Many were content to stand throughout the meeting. The rink was prettily decorated with bunting, and on either side of the platform were British and American flags. Regret was expressed at the absence of the high chief ranger of Maine, as well as of Judge Wedderburn, "the old man eloquent" of the order of Independent Forestry.

E. R. Chapman presided and had on the platform with him Mayor Murchie, Dr. Oronhyatekha, Rev. I. N. Parker, John T. Hawke, A. W. Macrae and others.

Mayor Murchie, on behalf of the people of St. Stephen, cordially welcomed the Foresters, and gracefully referred to the growth and importance of the order.

Mr. Chapman replied in a very appropriate manner, and then introduced A. W. Macrae, who delivered an eloquent and forcible address on Forestry, dealing with the various advantages and the splendid work of the order as a benevolent insurance organization.

After a charming solo by Miss Wry and a selection by the Maple Leaf band of St. Stephen, the chairman in a very happy and complimentary way introduced the supreme chief ranger.

Dr. Oronhyatekha was received by the vast audience with long continued applause, that was repeated several times during his admirable address. He won his audience at the very outset by telling a good story. He said he was embarrassed by the laudation of the chairman and was reminded of the story of a little boy in a Sunday school in Nebraska. The teacher asked who it was that led the children of Israel through the wilderness. The boy answered, "You," said the teacher, pointing to a little boy away down in the class. "That little lad there, I know he can tell me. Who was it?" The little boy rose and in a tremulous voice replied:—"Please, sir, it wasn't me."

"When I hear of the great things that have been done for Forestry," said Oronhyatekha, "I feel like saying, Please, sir, I didn't do it all."

Though not the orator he had been represented to be, he had, he said, been in the habit of claiming to be the best looking man, but with Rev. I. N. Parker on the same platform, even that claim had to go, and he would have to content himself with being the best looking Indian among them. The

THE MURDER.

Doherty Was in the Park on Friday Afternoon.

Getting Closer to the Actual Time When the Crime Was Committed.

The murder of William Doherty still remains a mystery and although the police are working night and day nothing has yet been learned which can furnish any definite clue on which to base a theory. But some new evidence has been discovered and the police are gradually narrowing down the time in which the murder was committed. They firmly believe that Doherty was killed on Friday afternoon, and there are many facts which support this belief. Doherty was rambling about the murdered boy were found berries, some of which were not even partly digested. These berries could only have been picked in daylight, and it is known that while Doherty was home to dinner on Friday he was not home to tea. The berries were, of course, eaten after dinner, and were not eaten at home. He either picked them for himself or someone else gave them to him.

A witness has been found—and this is the strongest point of all—who not only saw William Doherty in the park on Friday afternoon, but who spoke with him. Doherty was rambling about the side of the hill near the bear pit, picking berries as he went, and eating them as he picked. The man who saw and spoke to him is not in any doubt regarding the day or time, but is absolutely certain that it was on Friday afternoon. This witness will be heard at the proper time.

On the other hand, those who state that they saw Doherty on Friday night are by no means certain that they are right. He is said to have been in the opera house, but the ticket taker, who says he is not sure that it was Friday night. It might have been Saturday. One of the police officers also states that he saw Doherty around the opera house on Friday night, but he, like the others, is rather uncertain. The coroner and police, after carefully considering and weighing every particle of evidence, believe that the fatal shots were fired on Friday afternoon.

A letter was yesterday received by the Sun in which the writer who signed himself "One of them" states that Doherty was shot by him and another man on Friday afternoon. The reason given is that Doherty blackmailed both of them and that they resolved to get square with him. One of the men dressed as a girl and the two went to the park. Doherty followed them, and upon demanding money they drew their pistols. A shot was fired without the intention of doing any injury, but it took effect and then the job was completed.

Such confessions as these are, of course, unnecessary, but there may be some reason for the writing of a letter like this.

In the Brussels street district the residents are united in believing that there is no foundation for the theory that Doherty was shot while following a couple. Those who were acquainted with the murdered boy and his associates are strong in their belief that he knew too much and was put out of the way either from motives of revenge or from fear of exposure.

Many contradictory stories are current. Reports are heard from all parts of the city about Doherty being seen at different places on Friday night or Saturday, but when followed up these reports amount to nothing. No reward for the capture of the murderer has as yet been offered by the government.

TAR AND FEATHERS.

The Interesting Pastime of Marion Townsfolk.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Aug. 6.—The town of Marion was thrown into a fever of excitement tonight over the tarring and feathering of James McDonald, who has lived in town for several months, as an inmate of the family of C. F. Potter. McDonald is said to belong in Boston, where he was a bar tender.

The neighbors objected to McDonald's position in the Potter household. The townspeople tonight carried him into the woods back of the town, stripped him and gave him a coat of tar and feathers. Then they rode him on a rail through the centre of the town to the Matapoiset line where, after administering a severe thrashing they turned him loose. All the members of the tarring and feathering party were masked.

BARKIS IS WILLIN'.

Bryan if Asked Will Not Reveal the Marble Heart.

DESMOINES, I. A., Aug. 6.—A special from Mason City says: "William J. Bryan addressed an audience of over 2,000 persons at the Clear Lake Assembly today. He was asked if he had been correctly quoted when it was reported he refused to again be a candidate for president. He replied that only a part of the interview was used. He said he was not a candidate in the light of seeking again to lead the democratic party, but if the party should decide he was the proper man to head the ticket he could not honorably say 'no.'"

"He said he believed the money issue is still prominent, but that the republican administration in the Philippines and the trust problem are sufficient issues to make a campaign upon."

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ST. JOHN CAPITALISTS

SYDNEY, Cape Breton, Aug. 6.—J. Allison, James Manchester, B. C. Elkin, A. H. Hanington and J. DeWolfe Spurr, a delegation of the directors of the Portland Rolling Mills and the Maritime Nail Works of St. John, arrived in town tonight, and afterwards had a conference with a committee of the town council respecting the proposed establishment of those industries in Sydney. The conference had no definite outcome, and a further one will be held tomorrow, when the delegation will be shown several sites, from which a selection may be made. In an interview with the Sun one of the directors stated the works would employ 350 men and would require eight acres of land. He said they would prefer having these near the line of railway. The company now pay about three thousand dollars in wages and salaries.

AMHERST NEWS.

AMHERST, N. S., Aug. 6.—Joseph Parsons, one of the oldest colored residents of Amherst, hung himself in his son's barn on the Highlands, this afternoon. He was over eighty years of age and had lived in the town nearly all his life. He helped in 1842 to erect Christ church, the oldest public building in Amherst. The cause of the tragedy is supposed to have been Cerebrum, as deceased has lately appeared much depressed by his inability to provide for his own livelihood. He had thrown a chain over a beam in the roof of the barn and fastened a rope to it, which he leaped around his neck, after which he leaped off the hay mow. His body was found shortly after five o'clock. An inquest was held this evening by the stipendiary magistrate in the absence of a qualified coroner. The jury brought in a verdict in accordance with the facts.