

Templars, held in the Templars' Hall, Toronto Street, on Friday evening, the 4th of June, the following officers were installed for the ensuing year by the V. E. the Grand Sub-Prior, W. Samuel Bickerton Harman: V. E. Sir Knight W. C. Morrison, P. E. P.; Sir Kts. George Watson, E. P.; James O'Connor, Chaplain; J. B. Nixon, Constable; J. W. Minor, Marshal; J. H. Cornish, Registrar and Treasurer; Lionel York, Almoner; H. C. Pease, Sub-Marshal; T. A. Robinson, 1st Stand. Bearer; John Burnett, 2nd Stand. Bearer; J. B. Reed, Captain of Lines; Thomas Sargent, D. of C.; Thomas Peel, 1st Pursuivant; H. L. Kiffner, 2nd Pursuivant; John Dixon, Guard.

At a meeting of the resuscitation of King Hill Lodge, No. 88, A. F. and A. M., held in the Masonic Hall, Lindsay, by R. W. Bro. J. B. Trayes, Deputy District Grand Master, Ontario District, the following brethren were elected office bearers for the ensuing year: A. H. Melville, W. M.; Wm. Grace, S. W.; P. H. Burrows, M.D., J. W.; Wm. McDonald, Treasurer; Wm. H. Gross, Secretary. A vote of thanks was tendered R. W. Bro. Trayes for his valuable services and brotherly co-operation, by the exercise of which he has made himself deservedly popular with the Craft throughout the district. Also to Faithful Brethren Lodge for the use of their hall for the occasion. The utmost harmony prevailed, and the warmest fraternal feeling characterized the meeting.

The stockholders of the Company, which proposes to build a Masonic Temple in St. John, N. B., met in the Masonic Hall, Ritchie's Building, on 7th June, and elected Directors. The architect of the proposed structure submitted a front elevation and gave very full details as to the interior arrangements of the building. The Masonic Temple itself will be four stories in height, built of brick, with handsome stone trimmings, and a flat roof with a tower on the southwest corner. The entrance, twelve feet wide, will be under this tower, and on the second story will be the Grand Secretary's suite of offices and reception parlor. There will be four stores on German street, extending back the full depth of the building, with warerooms or showrooms above on the second storey, corresponding in size with the shops below. The first two stories will be each 14 feet in height. The two upper stories will be each 20 feet in height. The first of these, which is the third storey of the building, will contain a large hall about 50x80 feet, which will be for the meeting of the Grand Lodge, the Royal Order of Scotland, and the subordinate Blue Lodges holden under it in the city. In the same storey will be a hall devoted to Royal Arch Masonry and to the Grand and Subordinate Councils of Royal and Select Masters and appendant orders. The fourth storey will contain a hall devoted to the Chivalric degrees; the Knights Templars will also have armories in connection with this hall for their paraphernalia and accoutrements. The remainder of the stories will be fitted up into apartments for the degrees conferred under the authority of the Supreme Council, of the thirty-third or last degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, and for the Knights of the Red Cross of Rome and Constantine, and Knights of the Holy Sepulchre. These apartments will be elaborately fitted up in accordance with the rituals of these high Orders. The building is to be a substantial and handsome structure, both externally and internally, and worthy of the Order to whose purposes it will be devoted.

At a Regular meeting of Hiram Chapter, No. 3, R. A. M., held at Windso, Nova Scotia, on Thursday, 20th May, 1875, the following Companions were elected officers for the year 1875-6: M. E. Comp. Judson Burpee Black, H. P.; E. Comps. Henry W. Dunock, K.; Charles W. Paygant, S.; Comps. Thos. H. Timlin, Secretary; R. M. Sterling, Treasurer; Rev. H. Pron Almn, Chaplain; George Patteson, C. H.; M. E. F. W. Dakin, P.H.P., P. S.; Comps. J. P. Chipman, R. A. C.; John Browne, 3rd Veil; R. S. Marsters, 2nd Veil; W. A. Porter, 1st Veil; Andrew Fuller, Organist; Wm. H. Chipman, James M. Foye, Stewards; James Sharp, Janitor. The officers elect were installed the same evening by M. E. P. H. P. Fraser W. Dakin assisted by P. H. P. W. W. Aickard.

On the evening of the 16th June a new Royal Arch Chapter, U. D., named Seaforth Chapter, was opened by R. E. Comp. Toms, assisted by E. Comp. Somerville, of Havelock Chapter, Lucknow, E. Comp. of St. James' Chapter, St. Mary's, and a number of visiting Companions from the district. After the ceremonial in the Chapter was over, the Companions repaired to the hotel of Bro. R. Sharp, where they were entertained to an excellent supper, and afterwards spent the time very agreeably in toast, song, and merriment, until the "wee short hours ayont the twal." The Chapter is favorably located for being one of the best Chapters in the Huron District. Officers: D. M. G. Malloch, Z. (Grand Registrar); Alex. Stimmons, H. (P. M.); Henry L. Vercoe, J. (W. M.); George Ewing, P. Sojourner; A. Worthington, S. Sojourner (P. M.); Jas. H. Benson, J. Sojourner (D. D. G. M.); H. B. Odell, Janitor (Past H.).

The following officers were installed in St. Mark's Lodge, No. 105, A. F. and A. M., Drummondville, 24th June, 1875: Bros. John Wills, W. M.; Chas. J. McKenzie, S. W.; Richard Whateley, J. W.; M. B. Morris, Secretary; Geo. J. Duncan, Treas.