

The Grand Secretary than read the following letter :

CITY OF CHARLOTTETOWN,
City Clerk's Office,
14th June, 1887.

B. WILSON HIGGS, ESQ.,
Grand Secretary of A. F. & A. M.

Sir.—I am directed by the Mayor to inform you that at a meeting of the City Council held on the evening of the 13th instant, a Resolution was passed inviting the Masonic society to lay the corner stone of the New City Building on Friday, the 1st of July next, being one of the days set apart for celebrating the Queen's Jubilee.

I have the honor to be

Sir,
Your obedient servant,

A. H. MCPHERSON,
City Clerk.

The Hon. T. Heath Haviland, Mayor of the City of Charlottetown, then presented the M. W. Grand Master with a handsome silver Trowel, bearing the following inscription :

"PRESENTED BY THE
City Council of Charlottetown
to the

HON. JOHN YEO, GRAND MASTER, A. F. AND A. M.
of

Prince Edward Island,
on his

Laying the Foundation Stone

of the
City Building,

on the celebration of

HER MAJESTY QUEEN VICTORIA'S JUBILEE,
1st July, 1887.

M. W. Grand Master—

R. W. Senior Grand Warden.—It has been the custom among the Fraternity of Free and Accepted Masons from time immemorial, to assemble for the purpose of laying the Foundation Stones of churches, public buildings and monuments, when requested so to do by those in authority. The Mayor and Corporation of the City of Charlottetown, having invited the Fraternity to lay the Foundation Stone of the building to be erected by them, our Most-Worshipful Grand Lodge has been here convened by our order, and it is our will and pleasure that the officers and Brethren here assembled do now assist us in this Work. You will communicate this to the R. W. Junior Grand Warden, and he to the Craft, that they having due notice, this Foundation Stone may be laid in ample form.

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