

The reports of the various D.D.G.M's contain a good deal of interesting information respecting the condition of the Craft in the various portions of the jurisdiction, but by far the most interesting portion of the volume is the report on Foreign Correspondence, extending over 231 pages, and furnished by the Rev. Brother David Neish, who discusses the various matters that now agitate the Masonic world, with the facility and tact of a veteran.

His notice of Quebec is kind and fraternal. He devotes to it four pages of his report, quoting largely from Grand Master Stearn's notice of the decease of the late Col. MacLeod Moore, from the address by the Rev. W. Percy Chambers, Grand Chaplain and from the present writer's report on Foreign Correspondence.

Bro. Neish is no physical perfectionist, and talks of pity and ridicule when thumb and toe cases are set before Grand Lodges.

He has formed a correct estimate of the evils of Cerneanism, and has this to say on the subject to Bro. Vincil:

Brother Vincil, although one of the ablest members of the corps reportorial too often allows his zeal and rancour to get the better of his discretion; and we fraternally suggest to him that he read carefully, by way of sedative, one of the many first-class treatises on logic which are now within reach of all. Unless we are very much mistaken, the less Bro. Vincil says on the subject of Scottish Rite, the better; and unless his hands are entirely clean, Bro. Parvin will make things hotter for him than even St. Louis' sweltering heat can do. Meanwhile, one thing is evident to every unprejudiced reader, and that is, that Brother Vincil *does* favor the most unrighteous cause of Cerneanism.

In another part of his report he points out that upon this subject both Bros. Robbins and Vincil have distinguished themselves the wrong way, and have each asked the question in the Spirit of Cain: "Am I my brother's keeper?"

There is much in this excellent review that we should like to reproduce here, but lack of space forbids.

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