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Leicester No. 33, Kingston—Meets in their hall, cor. Princess and Montreal sts., on 2nd and 4th Tuesdays in every month, at 8 p.m. A hearty welcome extended to all visiting brethren. W. L. Allison, Sec. Joseph Salter, Pres. Albert st.

Canterbury No. 34, Collingwood—Meets every 2nd and 4th Fridays in Union Hall. Robt. Nash, Pres. V. M. Durnford, Sec. Collingwood.

Windsor No. 35, Toronto—Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at Oddfellows' Hall, cor. Spadina Ave., Queen st. West. Frank West, Sec. John Fawcett, Pres. 37 Vananoy st.

Excelsior No. 36, Montreal (R.R.D.)—Meets on 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of the month at 5 Place de Armes Square. Visitors welcome. J. Field, Pres. Chas. Chappell, Sec. 102 St. Felix st.

Victoria Jubilee No. 41, Montreal—Meets every alternate Friday at the Victoria Club House, cor. Wellington and Sebastopol sts. Hy. Irons, Pres. J. A. Edwards, Sec. 4 College st.

Nelson No. 43, Almonte—Meets alternate Fridays at their hall, Mill st. Visiting brethren welcome. Emmet Cockroft, Sec. A. G. Horton, Pres. Box 82.

Bowwood No. 44, Ottawa—Meets every 1st and 3rd Thursdays of each month at Johnson's Hall, Wellington st. Dr. Chipman, Sec. R. J. Teaguer, Pres. Protestant Hospital.

Portsmouth No. 45, Dovercourt, Toronto—Meets alternate Tuesdays at Mechanics' Institute. Thos. Buckley, Sec. G. Hutchings, Pres. Delaware Ave.

Worcester No. 47, West Toronto Junction—Meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays at James' Hall, West Toronto Junction. Wm. Cowley, Sec. C. G. Boon, Pres. West Toronto Jct. P.O.

Leeds No. 48, Weston—Meets on 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month, at King st. Hall. Visitors welcome. Theo. Holdsworth, Sec. Geo. Asham, Pres. Weston, Ont.

Cambridge No. 54, Little York, Toronto—Meets alternate Fridays at Little York Fire Hall. W. H. Clay, Pres. A. Sargent, Sec. Coleman P.O.

Stanley No. 55, Ottawa—Meets every 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month at Johnson's Hall, Wellington st. A. S. Morris, Sec. W. C. Teague, Pres. 706 Cooper st.

Russell No. 56, Ottawa—Meets on 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month at their Hall, New Edinburgh. G. C. Rogers, Sec. 217 Stewart st., Ottawa. James Hope, Pres.

Norfolk No. 57, Toronto—Meets 2nd and 4th Fridays at Oddfellows' Hall, Dundas st. T. H. Kidd, Sec. 64 Gladstone Ave. H. A. Seaton, Pres.

Hamilton No. 58, Orillia—Meets alternate Mondays at Sons of England Hall, Mississauga st. W. H. Stevens, Pres. G. H. Swain, Sec. Orillia.

Truro No. 62, St. Thomas—Meets in their hall, cor. Southwick and Talbot sts., on 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of every month. A hearty welcome extended to all visiting brethren. Robt. A. Mackay, Pres. J. W. Kearley, Sec. 9 Hughes st.

Plymouth No. 63, Exeter, Ont.—Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each and every month in the I.O.O.F. Hall, Main st. Wm. Sanders, Sec. Daniel Davis, Pres. "Advocate" office.

Richmond No. 65, Toronto—Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays at Shaftesbury Hall, Queen st. West. J. T. Easton, Sec. Capt. C. W. Allen, Pres. 52 Gwynne st.

Preston No. 67, Toronto—Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month at Occident Hall, cor. Bathurst st., Queen st. West. J. J. Pritchard, Sec. Jno. Aldridge, Pres. 412 Marlham st.

Birmingham No. 69, Brockton—Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays in each month at Parsons Hall, Brockton. Chas. Cashmore, Sec. F. Wootton, Pres. 237 Gladstone Ave.

Sherwood No. 70, Eglington—Meets 2nd and 4th Tuesdays in each month at the Town Hall, Eglington. Fred. Brooks, Sec. T. Moore, Pres. Deer Park.

St. Albans No. 76, Toronto—Meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays at Association Hall, cor. McGill st. and Yonge st. W. E. Collins, Sec. J. H. Horswell, Pres. 5 Wellesley Ave.

SONS OF ENGLAND NEWS.

Official Notes.

GRAND SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Shaftesbury Hall, Toronto.

Bro. J. W. Kempling, Supreme Grand President, is in Port Arthur on business. He intends instituting a lodge of the S.O.E. before he returns.

Past Grand President, Bro. Caddick, is visiting Port Arthur and Winnipeg, and no doubt will advance the interest of the Society while in that district.

Past Grand President, R. Croft Hulme, is leaving Belleville and will be permanently located at Montreal. Bro. Hulme will receive a hearty welcome from the Montreal brethren.

The Grand Secretary has called for tenders for printing the new constitution, which will be ready in a few weeks. Lodge secretaries having a supply of the old copies should return them to be replaced by new ones.

The Grand Secretary instituted a new lodge in London on Wednesday, May 1st. This makes the sixth lodge in London. The lodges in this district are doing splendid work.

The Grand Secretary delivered an address to the members of the different lodges in London on Thursday night May 2nd; also to the members of the St. Thomas lodges on Friday, May 3rd.

The Beneficiary Board met on Wednesday, 1st inst. A large number of applications are coming in, and the full amount of the \$1000.00 will soon be paid.

The first application for a beneficiary policy from Bowwood Lodge, Ottawa, was received a couple of weeks ago. We shall be pleased to receive many more now that the first one is in.

Two Beneficiary members died during the month. Bro. Thoburn, of Nelson Lodge, Almonte, and Bro. H. Corby, of Oxford Lodge, Belleville. The Grand Secretary has made the assessment.

Bro. Amos, of Warwick Lodge, left British Columbia last month. Bro. Amos intends going into business if everything is favorable. We wish him success.

Major Lindsay, President of Mercantile Lodge, Toronto, paid a fraternal visit to Crocyden Lodge, Huntsville, at their last meeting. Bro. Lindsay says the Muskoka Lodge is doing splendid and deserves great credit.

Mercantile Lodge, which is composed chiefly of commercial travellers, held a very successful meeting on Saturday night 28th ult., in Shaftesbury Hall, Major Lindsay, President, in the chair. Four new members were initiated.

The third annual meeting of Shaftesbury Hall shareholders was held on Thursday the 25th ult., Dr. Ogdin, President, in the chair. John W. Carter, Secretary to the Company, read the annual report and balance sheets, which were received and adopted. A dividend

of 6 per cent. on the paid up capital will be payable after the 1st of June. The retiring Directors were re-elected, also Wm. Barker and Thos. R. Skipper, Auditors. John W. Carter was also re-elected by the Board of Directors as Secretary-Treasurer, and Dr. W. W. Ogdin, President.

The Grand Vice-President, W. R. Stroud, Ottawa; the Grand Secretary, John W. Carter, from Toronto; H. B. Savage, D.D., Kingston, and Bro. J. F. Edwards, Secretary of Victoria Jubilee Lodge, Montreal, who was accompanied by about a dozen other members from Victoria Jubilee Lodge, instituted Suffolk Lodge No. 87, at Brockville, Ont., on Good Friday. Mayor Erbyshire extended a hearty reception to the Grand Lodge Officers on their arrival, and made the opening of the lodge one of the best that has been experienced for some time. The lodge starts under splendid auspices. After the lodge was inaugurated a banquet was tendered to the visiting brethren and Grand Lodge officers.

Our statement regarding the state of trade in British Columbia has caused considerable excitement, and it would appear from the criticisms, that our advice to the members of the society was not reliable, or based on facts. We prefer to believe in the reports and statements of our own members rather than any of the land or railway speculators, and advise our members to obtain reliable information before they move.

The following members registered at the Grand Secretary's office during the month of April:—Wm. Hover, Britannia Lodge, Hamilton; A. Wilkins, Trafalgar Lodge, London; W. H. Stock, Secretary Peterborough Lodge, Peterborough; C. M. Harley, P.P. Loyalty Lodge; R. Croft Hulme, P.G.P., Oxford Lodge, Belleville; Alfred Hirst, Secretary of Queen Victoria Lodge, Stratford; Hy. Clay, President, and T. W. Richardson, of Cambridge Lodge, York.

British Columbia.

THE ANGLO-SAXON ENDORSED.

Vancouver, April 9th.—I have not seen the article in your paper on the distress prevailing in Vancouver, but have seen the bitter and sarcastic reply in the Vancouver Weekly World for April 4th. In that reply it is stated that "Every man in the city, capable and steady, is earning a day's wage that would fairly startle the sleepy old fogies of the Federal Capital."

To put the matter in brief form, the above quotation is simply an abominable and mischievous falsehood, but is in keeping with what the "World" has been for sometime seeking to allure people with here. I do not think that any great collapse of the land boom has come yet, but lots of men arrive who cannot find employment.

If you investigate the matter and state the truth to the country you will render a needed public service. Enquire into cost of living here and in the east, etc.

Make whatever use of this you may think proper. If my name became known the vilest filth would be thrown on me by the V.W.W.

Yours, etc., BEESWAX.

Brockville.

April 22.—On Friday the 19th inst., Suffolk Lodge No. 87 was inaugurated here with 27 charter members, many of them the same as myself, having a good deal of experience in society matters, and we all were very much impressed with the inauguration, initiation and installation ceremony, and am satisfied that every eligible Englishman would join the Order if they could form any idea of the grandeur of the various ceremonies.

I am sorry too much praise cannot be given to the founders of the Order for the intelligence and ability displayed in thinking out and perfecting the various parts into an harmonious whole. Several of us are looking forward to still greater pleasure when it will be our good fortune to take the W.R.D. which we were not prepared to take on opening night.

I am sorry I did not join before, having been solicited by several brethren before I left Montreal.

We intend making this a large lodge as we have already taken in the Mayor, who is the largest man in Brockville in more than one respect.

We have 10 or 12 for initiation who were not able to attend on the opening night. Yours frat., SUFFOLK.

Ottawa.

The lodges of this city will join together at Stanley Lodge room on Sunday, the 20th inst., and attend Divine worship at the Congregational Church. The sermon will be preached by the Chaplain of Stanley Lodge, Rev. John Wood, pastor of the church.

Derby Lodge No. 30 was made the recipient of a very handsome picture of Her Majesty the Queen, at their last regular meeting, by their energetic Treasurer, Bro. W. R. Stroud, S.G.V.P., who, when presenting it, made some very pleasing and appropriate remarks re his connexion with the Order; he also made a happy reference to the increase in membership which was being made in the Sons of England, having himself assisted, along with the Supreme Grand Secretary and a number of other brethren from Montreal and Kingston, in opening a lodge in Brockville on Good Friday.

The President, Bro. J. W. Foster, on behalf of the lodge, thanked Bro. Stroud for his very handsome present, and felt sure he was voicing the sentiments not only of the whole district, when he said he felt the honor conferred upon Bro. Stroud by the Grand Lodge was such that they all appreciated, knowing that Bro. Stroud would, through his great business and executive ability render valuable assistance to the general working of the order.

Bowwood Lodge No. 44, at their regular meeting on the 2nd inst., considered a very important motion, which was introduced by Bro. F. Alexander. The motion was "What are the Aims and Objects of the Order (politically and socially)." The discussion was participated in by Bros. Dr. Wicksteed, F. Bebbington, Geo. Low, sr., A. Jackson, Jas. Mason, H. Bott, E. J. Reynolds, all of Bowwood Lodge, and E. Ackroyd, P.P. of Derby. The President, Bro. Tanner, summed up the debate in a very logical, forcible and pleasing manner, and remarked that the question was of such importance that he would like it enlarged and left over for further discussion at the next meeting, which was agreed to.

The brethren of Ottawa are co-operating with the brethren of Montreal in reference to holding a Union Picnic at Alexandria or Brockville. Some have a strong leniency towards Brockville now that a lodge has been opened in that city. It is rumored that if a picnic is arranged at either of the above-named places, it is probable that a cup or some other suitable trophy will be put up for competition. We suggest that it be put up for lacrosse, to be played for by Montreal and Ottawa teams.

Brantford.

On Tuesday, 23rd April, about 200 members of Salisbury Lodge, No. 42 Sons of England, and their friends sat down to their second annual supper. The Lodge has been in existence for only two years, and yet has a very large membership. Among those present were Messrs. Thos. Elliott, P.P., in the chair, J. Wells, President, vice-chair, Dr. J. S. King, of the Grand Lodge, Toronto, and Medical Refractory; Mayor Heyd, Col. C. S. Jones, Rev. Dr. Cochrane, Major Snarrt, Rev. G. C. Mackenzie, Dr. A. J. Henwood, Ald. A. K. Buennell, G. G. Lamdein, 1st Vice-chair, Chas. L. Daniels, Expositor; Ralph Reville, Courier; Percy Nelson, Telegram, and others. The large dining room of the Kerby House was a very handsome sight when the party filed into the room. The walls and ceiling had been gaily decorated with all kinds of English flags and bunting, while mottoes like "England our Country" "Canada our Home" were among the decorations.

Before the toast list was touched the chairman read letters of regret from Messrs. W. J. Imlack, W. Paterson, M.P., Rev. Dr. Wild, and Hon. A. S. Hardy, M.P.P.

"The Queen," the "Prince of Wales and Royal Family" and the "Governor General," were received with the usual honors.

The "British Empire" was responded to by Mr. H. B. Leeming, who thought that the gathering was worthy of the Sons of England. He thought anyone might be proud of being a Son of England, and to acknowledge it. The privileges embraced by the Sons of England were so great that they reached to the ends of the world.

Dr. Hart favored the company with "Rule Britannia," in fine style.

Mr. Scace sang "Canada" and Mr. H. Nichols "Happy be thy Dreams" with excellent effect.

The clerical and learned professions, was responded to by Rev. G. C. Mackenzie and G. H. Muirhead.

"Our Order" was the next name upon the programme, and was coupled with the names of Dr. King, of Toronto, and Rev. R. L. Strong.

Dr. King, in replying, was glad of the opportunity to be present because it showed him the growth of the Order. There had in no section of the Dominion been a decline in the order, but rather an increase. The society was founded upon no new principle, but upon the grand foundation of friendship, and without this no benefit society could exist. Mutual benefit was another principle of the society, and what friend would not help another, "A friend in need is a friend indeed."

There are none so high, but many fall, none so good, but many go bad, none so low, but many rise through the help of a friend. Their object was to aid the brothers, help their sick, and care for their orphans. The original organization of the society was effected by some 8 or 9 in number in Toronto some 15 years ago. Their object was to be an aid to each other in a limited sphere never dreaming of the greatness to which their formation would extend. If the Sons of England had not a firm basis then it could not exist long, but in 15 years it had extended from this small number to 7,000. Another of its foundations was the integrity of the British Constitution, and the pledge of its loyalty to always stand by the flag that had braved the seas. An insurance system had been started and was progressing favorably. Also a "Naval Brigade" had just been started, which would be drilled according to the naval system of the British Navy. The Order had \$45,000 to its credit, and its branches were all loyal to its Grand Lodge, and had extended across the seas, so that it is no longer a local or provincial, but a national order. The society did not discuss politics in their ordinary lodges, but there are occasions when the Order thought they should discuss the situation. Men have to-day to choose between following men or their principles. He congratulated the city of Brantford upon the success of the society. He thanked them for their hospitality and hoped to meet them again and that they would have all prosperity in the future.

Mr. Wm. Whittaker sang "The Englishman."

Rev. J. L. Strong said as the subject had been gone into very fully by Dr. King, he would not say much. He thought that each nationality should keep their distinctive features. This society was the only national society, the others were benefit societies to which all nations might belong. It was gratifying to see the wonderful growth of the society. He advised all Englishmen to make themselves members of it. He hoped that the time would never come when an Englishman would be ashamed of his ancestors.

The "Red, White and Blue" was sung by Mr. Kimpston.

"Kindred Societies" was proposed and responded to by Rev. Dr. Cochrane, who made a most happy speech for the St. Andrew's society.

"Manufacturing and Commercial Interests" was taken care of by ex-Mayor Robt. Henry. He wished the Sons of England would prosper in the years to come, and hoped they would never allow Annexation.

The "Larbord Watch" by Dr. Hart and Mr. Scace, was splendidly rendered.

The "Army, Navy and our Militia" was responded to by Col. Jones, Major Snarrt and W. G. Raymond, in short, and very appropriate speeches.

The "Mayor and Corporation" was responded to by Mayor Heyd and Ald. A. K. Buennell.

The meeting broke up in the usual manner with Englishmen by singing "God Save the Queen."

Montreal.

The members of Victoria Jubilee, No. 41, attended Grace Church, on the afternoon of the 28th ult., when the Rev. John Ker preached, taking for his text, "Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law," Galatians vi., 2. The rev. gentleman said the Sons of England Benevolent society aimed at being an association of true men. Its objects were to bring Englishmen together for their mutual benefit and for the maintenance of British connection, both deserving of success. These objects were matters of right and not of charity. All the other advantages which the society offers and the numerous good offices it accomplished were shown, all and each reflecting credit on it. A particular feature was that it incalculable feelings of loyalty to the mother country. It had been said that England was "going down the hill," such a statement was false. England to-day is greater, richer and more influential than she ever was before, and with God's help she would be able to hold her own.