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OUR LODGES.

MODEL LODGE NO. 51

H. White, Reporter:—

On Wednesday, July 10th, two of our Brothers and two Sisters having decided to enter into partnership were united together in holy matrimony by Rev. C. Croucher of Yale. Bro. B. M. Cockles and Sister L. Hicks were made husband and wife in the schoolroom during the afternoon and it was supposed that the other happy pair, Bro. W. E. Walker and Sister Lilly Hicks, were also to make their vows in the same place, but it seems that the last mentioned had already changed her name during the morning at Mr. Beele's residence. We are now down on William for giving us the slip, and would ask him in future not to do it again.

On Saturday, the 28th, we had a little social for the purpose of welcoming the newly married couples and also to encourage the others, i.e., the singles. From the speeches delivered that evening it would really appear as if other contracts were about to be entered into, but I am not going to say who the probable ones are. I must'nt you know.

One of our Brothers, formerly of New Era Lodge, would like through the medium of the GOOD TEMPLAR to ask his old lodge to have its name more frequently in print in the shape of a report each month. We think a good many lodges might be appealed to in the same way.

Our officers for this quarter are, C. T., Sister Florence Greyell, V. T., Sister Beebe; Sec., Bro. R. Bustin; Asst. Sec., Bro. W. Skill; Fin. Sec.,

Bro. W. E. Walker; Treas., Sister Walker; Chap., Sister E. Greyell; Mar., Bro. E. Greyell; D. M., Sister L. Hicks; Guard, Bro. W. Greyell; Sent., Bro. Alec. McKay; Bro. Ralph Williamson assuming the office of P.C.T.

It will be useless for any of our members who forget the password to try and enter the outer door as if nothing had happened. Sawndy will be there and anyone trying on that little game is sure to be scotched.

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KAMLOOPS LODGE NO. 15.

— McClughan, } Reporters:—
— Anderson, }

No doubt you will be somewhat interested in our welfare and we need to apologise, but not knowing the date of publication of your paper we are behind hand and hope you will overlook our carelessness this time.

Last week was our election of officers and they are as follows, viz.: David McLaren, C.T.; William Lang, S.; Miss Cooper, V.T.; J. Savage, sr., Chap.; Miss P. Savage, F. S., Miss Bloomer, Treas.; Rev. Lee, P. C.; Martin Dumont, M.; T. Smith, Guard; Harry Campbell, Sent.; Miss M. Elliott, S.J.T.

We mourn the loss of a Sister, Mrs. Fushen, who died on the 4th of July. This is the first death in our fraternal

home since the lodge was organized in 1888. Her loss is felt with the deepest sympathy for the bereaved loved ones. She was a faithful Christian and temperance worker. The place left vacant by her demise can never be fulfilled in so efficient a manner.

NICOLA LAKE LODGE NO. 20.

A. R. Carrington, L. D.

Officers elected for next term are: C.T., Bro. H. W. Woodward; V T., Sister Murray; Sec., Bro. A. R. Carrington; A. S., Sister L. Carrington; Treas., Sister Ruby; Chap., Bro. J. B. Carrington; Guard, Bro. Clapperton; Sent. Bro. Gillie; P.C.T., Bro. C. Woodward; Editor of "Tell Tale," Bro. A. R. Carrington; Reporter to GOOD TEMPLAR, Sister Murray. Bro. H. W. Woodward was elected to attend the Grand Lodge session and Bro. Clapperton was elected Alternate. Bro. A. R. Carrington was recommended for Lodge Deputy, being the fourth time. Bro. Gillie was elected D.G.E.S.

Our membership now is 27, just being two less than last Grand Lodge year, but a great many have left us for other parts during the year. We hope to have 50 next Grand Lodge year.

Bro. Carrington, Grand Marshal, will not attend this year's Grand Lodge session.

THAT COMPETITION—FINAL COUNT.

The final count of the ballots in the Lodge Deputies Competition in connection with this paper is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes.
E. V. Batstone, Vancouver Lodge..... 310
Rev. A. E. Green, Richmond "286
A. R. Carrington, Nicola Lake "182
W. W. Forrester, Dominion " 93
Lewis Hall, Perseverance " 64
W. C. Pound, Vernon " 61
Other votes..... 60

Total votes1056

All deputies receiving less than 50 votes have been omitted in this count.

I hereby certify that the above is a true statement of this competition, and I award to Vancouver Lodge, No. 10, the first prize, viz., one Lodge Deputy's Collar, F. Tuttle, maker; and to Richmond Lodge, No. 12, the second prize, viz., one dozen Badges, F. Tuttle, maker.

Given under my hand at New Westminster, B. C., this 11th day of August, 1894.

CHARLES SAMUEL KEITH,
Chair. Com. of Management.

Every Good Templar should be at Nanaimo on Tuesday, September 12th next.