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AT THE SEE OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL, MONTREAL, QUE.,

23rd day of October, A. D. 1889.

JOHN VALENTINE ELLIS, 33°, St. John, New Brunswick, Sov.: Gr.: Commander.

Hugh Murray, 33°, Hamilton, Ontario, Secretary-General H.: E.:

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The Supreme Council of the 33° of the A. & A. S. Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada assembled in Annual Session at the headquarters of the Rite, in the City of Montreal, Province of Quebec, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of October, 1889, corresponding with the 28th day of the Hebrew month *Tisri*, A. M. 5650.

Present— OFFICERS.

Ill.: Bro.: John Valentine Ellis, 33°,

Sovereign Grand Commander.

" JOHN WALTER MURTON, 33°,

Lieutenant Grand Commander.

" HUGH MURRAY, 33°,

Secretary-General H .: E .:

" " HUGH ALEXANDER MACKAY, 33°,

Treasurer-General H.: E.:

" DANIEL SPRY, 33°,

Grand Chancellor.

" WILLIAM REID, 33°,

Grand Master of Ceremonies.

" " ISAAC HENRY STEARNS, 33°,

Grand Marshal

" DAVID MCLELLAN, 33°,

As Gr.: Captain of the Guard.

ACTIVE MEMBERS.

Ill.: Bro.: William Henry Hutton, 33°, P.: G.: Com.:

" Col. W. J. B. MacLeod Moore, 33°.

" JOHN MORISON GIBSON, 33°.

" FREDERICK JOSEPH MENET, 33°.

" CHARLES NAPIER BELL, 33°.

HONORARY MEMBER.

Ill.: Bro.: GEORGE OTIS TYLER, 33°.

The Supreme Council was opened in General Session at 2.15 o'clock, p. m.

Ill.: Bro.: BRENTON D. BABCOCK, 33°, of Cleveland, Ohio, an Active Member of the Supreme Council of the Northern Jurisdiction of the United States of America, was introduced. The Grand Commander extended to him a hearty welcome, and invited him to a seat in our Council.

Ill.: Bro.: BABCOCK responded.

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The Secretary-General called the roll, and the following brethren were found to be absent:

ACTIVE MEMBERS.

Ill.: Bro.: ROBERT MARSHALL, 33°,

" DAVID RANSOM MUNRO, 33°,

" JAMES KIRKPATRICK KERR, 33°,

" EUGENE MORTIMER COPELAND, 33°,

" BENJAMIN LESTER PETERS, 33°,

" ROBERT THOMSON CLINCH, 33°,

" Francis Partridge, D. D., 33°,

" GEORGE THOMAS SMITHERS, 33°,

" HERBERT SWINFORD, 33°.

PAST ACTIVE MEMBERS.

Ill.: Bro.: JAMES DOMVILLE, 33°,

" " HUGH WILLIAMS CHISHOLM, 33°.

HONORARY INSPECTORS-GENERAL. HON∴ MEMBERS.

Ill.: Bro.: GEORGE SUNLEY BIRRELL, 33°.

" WILLIAM HENRY THORNE, 33°.

Labor in the Thirty-third Degree was dispensed with, and a number of brethren were admitted.

The Sov.: Gr.: Commander then delivered his Annual Address as follows:

PEERS AND BROTHERS:

Time has flown by so swiftly since we last assembled here, that to me it appears as if we were but taking up to-day the work which we laid aside yesterday. Yet, the greetings which we extend to each other, the kindly enquiries we make after each other's welfare, cover a twelvemonth of time; and, short as the interval may seem since we met, we know that we have moved forward one year of that journey which there is no retracing. No doubt, to each one of us the year has brought its full share of hopes and fears; its full round of duties, some of which are left undischarged; it has laid upon us some burdens and it has caused us some disappointments and many anxieties. Yet, I venture to believe,

that to every one of us it has brought something of hope and of consolation. If it has imposed some burdens, it has relieved us of others. It may have tendered us opportunities which we have neglected, yet I am sure it has given us some of which we have been able to avail ourselves in the interests of humanity. Not always can we live up to the full measure of our desires; yet it is good to cherish high aspirations and to indulge in lofty thoughts, for these must result in some accomplishments. If, upon a rigid examination of our lives, we find something for self-condemnation, that same examination may justify the belief that we have not lived in vain—that we have done something for our fellows—and that our Father who is in Heaven will, with compassionate kindness, measure our work by our hopes and our wishes and our efforts, and not by our failures.

We had on our roll last year twenty-two active members, two past-active members, and two honorary members. We have that number now, so that we are all spared to take part in the duties and pleasures of this day. Will all do so? As I look around these walls I find my answer. Probably we cannot expect all our active members to be present. We are glad when even half the number come; and if we complain of the continued absence of some (whose faces we might almost forget, so rarely do we see them), we do not do so in any spirit of fault-finding. It is rather because we are without assistance which we would like to have, counsel to which we would be glad to hearken, fellowship in which we would be delighted to mingle. Doubtless, many of our members find that great difficulties intervene to prevent them coming to these annual meetings; yet in accepting position here they have assumed duties which, if not as imperative as destiny, at least demand fulfilment, even at considerable personal inconvenience and trouble. We all know that geographical and other considerations in the interest of the Rite demand an increase of the membership in this Council, but if we could devise some plan by which increase of membership would bring greater regularity of attendance at these annual sessions we would all be very much pleased.

Our relations with the Supreme Councils of our correspondence are pleasant and harmonious. With none of them have arisen any matters which require a reference to Supreme Council. The Supreme Council of Brazil has informed us that Ill.. Bro.. MACEDO is still our representative at its Grand East, and that his name was dropped from their published list by an accident.

The Supreme Council for Italy has named Ill.. Bro.. HUGH MURRAY as their representative here, and in that capacity we gladly welcome him.

With Past Grand Commander HUTTON and Ill. Bro. STEARNS, our Grand Marshal, I visited this year the Supreme Council for the Northern Jurisdiction of the United States, which held its annual session in September last at the Cathedral of the Rite in the city of New York, and was present the greater part of two days. To say that we received a cordial, a hearty welcome, would be but faintly to describe the warmth of our reception. Brethren who regularly honor us with their presence here, Brethren who had met us before, those who now greeted us for the first time, were alike eager in their desires to

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make the visit a pleasant one. They were eminently successful. And to place upon record their good feeling towards this Supreme Council, they added to their Honorary Roll of Members from Sister Jurisdictions the names of the immediate Past Grand Commander, of the Grand Commander of the Lieutenant Grand Commander, of Canada. The pleasure of attending the session was increased by the fact that, besides meeting the eminent Masons who compose the Council of the Northern Jurisdiction, we had also the pleasure of greeting our Supreme representative at the Supreme Council for the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States, the Secretary-General of that Council, Bro.*. FRED. WEBBER, and one of its active members, Ill.* Bro.*. DAWKINS, of Florida. There were thus present representative members of three Supreme Councils. Whose territorial bounds include almost all North America, and within whose jurisdiction are the vast majority of the people speaking the English tongue on this Northern Continent.

The Northern Supreme Council, as you are all aware, is presided over by Ill.. Bro.. Henry L. Palmer, a ruler of tact and judgment. Almost all the business transacted related to the internal affairs of the Rite in the Northern Jurisdiction. All that was done was done harmoniously, the most important work generally going to committees, whose conclusions are usually accepted with practical unanimity. The business-like address of the Grand Commander and the official returns all showed that the Rite in that Jurisdiction is in a very prosperous condition—a fact which it is well to note, inasmuch as there has been in the last few years a very great effort on the part of some active and unscrupulous persons to undermine the authority of the Supreme Council and to extend illegitimate bodies—bodies which are unrecognized abroad, and whose members are everywhere under the ban of all the regular Supreme Councils.

On the list of the dead during the year are the names of a number of Brethren quite well known to us and honored in the fraternity. The Supreme Council of the Northern Jurisdiction of the United States lost Ill.. Bro. . John SIMONS and JOHN LIVEY LEWIS, AARON KING, and other active and honorary members. The Supreme Council of England and Wales lost Ill.: Bro.: GENERAL JOHN STUDHOLM BROWNRIGG and Ill.: Bro.: GENERAL ADAIR, both within a few weeks of each other. Both were earnest Masons. Bro.: ADAIR's name is attached to the English patent issued in 1874 to our late Illustrious Brother HARINGTON, empowering him to establish a Supreme Council for Canada. It is signed directly under that of Ill.. Bro.: ROBERT HAMILTON, who took such a deep interest in the creation of this Supreme Council, and whose death very early in our history deprived us of a warm friend. The Supreme Council of the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States lost, among others, Ill. . Bro. . MICHEL ELOI GIRARD, whose memory is embalmed in effective eulogy by Ill. . Bro. . PIKE. To our sister Supreme Councils in their bereavement we extend our kindest sympathy.

As regards the Rite in our own jurisdiction, it will, I think, appear by the reports which will be submitted to you to be in good condition. Probably we are never fully satisfied, and, in a young country like ours, the almost feverish

haste which inspires the desires of divisions, classes and organizations to grow in numbers and to increase in wealth affects the Masonic fraternity. None of the institutions of the American continent grow fast enough to satisfy the aspirations of the people. What one of us would not say that the Masonic life of Ill.: Bro.:. ALBERT PIKE has been crowned with success? Yet Bro.: PIKE only last year said: "In the endeavor, faithfully persisted in for thirty years, to propagate a Rite of Masonry which appeals only to the intellect, courts not popularity, desires not to rapidly multiply the number of its initiates, and relies wholly upon the teaching of its degrees and its world-wide extension for its titles to the consideration of intelligent men, much has necessarily been encountered of a nature to chill, discourage and dishearten us." But, these are merely the words of one whose desires to do great work are larger than the possibilities, for he tells us that he finds compensation "in the high appreciation of our degrees and the continually increasing testimony to their value and intrinsic excellence enthusiastically borne by Masons of rare intelligence and scholarly acquirements," which make it impossible for him to be discouraged and disheartened, and that is the true feeling. We would all be pleased very much if the official returns showed a large increase of membership, many initiations and flourishing financial conditions in all our bodies; but a sound feeling of conservatism prompts the thought that the true strength of an institution like this does not lie wholly in numbers, and that a society whose teachings require study and whose principles require mental vigor to extend them depends upon moral and intellectual forces as much at least as it does upon a long roll of members.

Dispensations were issued during the year to establish three new Lodges of Perfection:—one at Quebec, one at Ottawa, and one at Kentville, N. S., and all of these have been organized with very good prospects. Of the organization of the lodge at Ottawa the Ill.. G.. Secretary-General sent me a very interesting and graphically written account. I know personally several of the Brethren who have been active in founding it, and am quite confident of their devotion to and interest in the Rite. The brethren at London, soon after our last annual session, came to a decision gratifying to us all, to surrender the powers which they possessed to confer under their Rose Croix warrant, the degrees from the 4th to the 14th, and to take out a new warrant for a Lodge of Perfection, which was issued to them. A new Rose Croix Chapter was organized at Windsor under powers given last year. We have, therefore, added five new bodies to our subordinates since our last session. In addition to this our membership shows an increase, our financial condition is better, and altogether, surveying the whole field, we have cause for thankfulness.

We are still weak in Manitoba and British Columbia. I found it utterly impossible to carry out the strong determination I had made to visit the latter Province, for business pressed me closely and I have a good many cares, my only holiday this year being the short visit made to New York. The Lieutenant Grand Commander fared no better as regards his proposed visit to Manitoba, although he was quite as desirous as I was to keep the promise of last year. As

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to Manitoba, I feel that with two active members of the Supreme Council in that Province, we have justification for the hope that there will be activity in some of the bodies; indeed, I have learned since coming here, that recently the Brethren at Winnipeg have made a fresh start, meetings have been held, officers chosen, and there are hopeful signs of continued activity. But even where there are no members of the highest grade, the Brethren themselves, of whatever grade, should feel that they are the supporters of the principles of the Scottish Rite and the propagators of its teachings. The Supreme Council of England has many fine Chapters of Rose Croix in places abroad where no Inspector-General ever reaches them. Nevertheless, I am fully confident that the conditions in the two Provinces I have named are such as will be greatly benefited by a fulfilment, as soon as possible, of the promises made last year.

As I have said, our financial condition improves—at least I think the report of the Ill.. Grand Treasurer-General will so show—and this is the more gratifying inasmuch as we have had some expenses which we will not have to incur again, at all events not for a long time. Our constitutions, printed in excellent style, will last us for some years; we have brought out the Ritual of the 14° in a convenient form, and that will not have to be repeated, and we have obeyed a decision of the Supreme Council to furnish stationery to the members, at perhaps greater cost than the Supreme Council estimated; nevertheless our annual expenses are well within our means, and we may look forward to a steady gain financially. We have every reason to be gratified at the solidity, soundness and effectiveness of our whole organization.

Under these circumstances it would be well, I think, to spend a small amount annually in adding to the works in the library, confining ourselves for the present to books connected with the Rite, and of that class which is yearly growing more difficult to obtain.

It would be well to provide some simple arrangement by which, from year to year, an inventory of our property can be made. The Ill.: Treasurer-General submits a brief statement of assets, but something more is needed to keep, as it were, a record of what we own. One year we purchase a banner, another year an article of some other description, and we go on adding to our possessions without ever knowing what we really have on hand or what we have lost or saved. A simple property record, properly checked year by year, just as a careful business house takes stock of its goods, would be a desirable thing.

Opportunity did not come to me to visit the Hamilton Bodies this year during their annual re-union, but I am glad to be able to say that all the arrangements made were well carried out, and the meetings were a great triumph for our Brethren there, both from a social and a Masonic standpoint, and that they were all greatly delighted with their success. These re-unions are the great events of the year in the Rite in Canada, and we are under great obligations to our subordinates in Hamilton for them. Months of preparation culminate in a few days of work, and probably the most careful observer

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cannot realize fully how much of anxiety, of solicitude, of patient training, of careful planning, of force and energy, have been employed to bring about results. When success crowns such labors it is most gratifying. I met several members of the Rite from various parts of the Province of Ontario, who had the same enthusiastic story to tell respecting the meetings of last winter.

No questions have been raised during the year involving disputed constitutional points, differences of opinion, disagreements of any kind either between bodies or members. This is probably in part due to the excellence and completeness of the constitutional regulations, in part to the good judgment of presiding officers, in part to the good feeling which prevails throughout our entire membership. It is a satisfactory condition, over which we can all rejoice.

The various matters to come up at this annual session will in regular order receive, as business has ever received, your earnest consideration. It is fifteen years since we first came together and founded this Supreme Council. Some that we loved are no longer here, some that we then scarcely knew have come among us, and are warm and cherished friends. In our views of men and things and of many phases of life we probably on important points widely differ; but as we look back over these years what a satisfaction it is to us all, those who have been here from the beginning, those who have come among us since, that in all the matters with which we have had to deal here we have been moved by the spirit of unity and have acted in the bonds of harmony, exemplifying as far as it is possible for man, frail, erring mortal, to do so, the true spirit of this great brotherhood. We lay down now trusts that three years since were imposed upon us, the offices then committed to our charge, confident that our faults will be regarded with leniency, that where there have been failures these will be attributed to the head and not to the heart, satisfied that those who take up our burdens will strive faithfully, diligently, cheerfully, to sustain the dignity, to advance the interests, to extend the usefulness, to spread the principles of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry. And, Peers and Brethren, with these feelings animating us, we may now proceed to the work of our annual session.

J. V. ELLIS, 33°,

Grand Commander.

The Supreme Council was then closed in the Degree of Perfection, and labor resumed in the Thirty-third Degree.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: DANIEL SPRY, the address of the Sov.: Gr.: Commander was referred to a special committee.

The Sov.: Gr.: Commander appointed the following brethren as the committee: Ill.: Bros.: ISAAC H. STEARNS, JOHN MORISON GIBSON and DAVID McLellan.

It was moved by Ill.: Bro.: DANIEL SPRV, and resolved, that inasmuch as the proceedings of the Supreme Council for the year 1888 have been printed and distributed, the reading of the same be dispensed with, and they be now confirmed.

Letters were read from the following Illustrious Brethren, in answer to the invitation sent them for this session, regretting their inability to attend, viz:

111.:	Bro.:	James C. Batchelor, 33°,	
		Lieut: Gr: Com: Southern Jurisdiction	U. S. A.
"	"	FRED. WEBBER, 33°,	
		Secretary-General, Southern Jurisdiction	66
"	"	WILLIAM OSCAR ROOME, 33°,	
		Southern Jurisdiction	"
"	"	JNO. MILLS BROWN, 33°,	
		Southern Jurisdiction	"
66	"	PHILIP C. TUCKER, 33°,	
		Grand Prior, Southern Jurisdiction	"
"	66	E. T. CARSON, 33°,	
		Northern Jurisdiction	"
"	"	ALBERT P. MORIARTY, 33°,	
		Ass't Sec-Gen., Northern Jurisdiction	"
66	"	John Hodge, 33°,	
		Northern Jurisdiction	"
"	"	Marquis F. King, 33°,	
		Northern Jurisdiction	"
"	"	Frank H. Bascomb, 33°,	
		Northern Jurisdiction	"
"	"	GIL. W. BARNARD, 33°,	
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"	"	Fred. S. Disner, 33°,	"
"	"	Northern Jurisdiction	**
**	**	HOWARD F. HILL, 33°,	"
"	"	Northern Jurisdiction	**
"	"	Joseph A. Locke, 33°,	"
"	"	Northern Jurisdiction	
	"	WILLIAM BRINSMAID, 33°,	

Northern Jurisdiction

The Supreme Council resumed labor in executive session.

The Secretary-General then read the names of the two brethren proposed for the degree of Hon.: Ins.: General, 33°, at the annual session of 1887, by Ill.: Bro.: WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON, in the absence of the Illustrious Deputy for the Province of Quebec, viz.:—Ill.: Bros.: ANGUS WILLIAM HOOPER, 32°, and JAMES FREDERICK WALKER, 32°, Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, of the City of Montreal, Province of Quebec. The roll having been called, the Illustrious Brethren were elected by *viva-voci* vote.

Ill.: Bros.: EDWARD LUSHER FOSTER, 32°, ANGUS WILLIAM HOOPER, 32°, and JAS. FREDERICK WALKER, 32°, Princes of the Royal Secret, who had been previously elected to receive it, were introduced and had conferred on them in full form, the Thirty-third and last Degree. They were received, welcomed, and proclaimed Honorary Inspectors-General of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, and enrolled as Honorary Members of the Supreme Council for the Dominion of Canada.

The Supreme Council resumed labor in General Session at 4 p. m.

The Committee on Ritual made a verbal report on the 16th degree.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: ISAAC HENRY STEARNS, the report was received and the recommendations adopted.

The Supreme Council resumed labor in Executive Session at 4.30 p. m., when Ill.: Bro.: EDWARD LUSHER FOSTER, 33°, of Halifax, Nova Scotia, and Ill.: Bros.: ANGUS WILLIAM HOOPER, 33°, and JAMES FREDERICK WALKER, 33°, both of the City of Montreal, Province of Quebec,

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Hon.: Inspectors-General, were nominated for active membership.

The Secretary-General having called the roll, and each Active Member having responded in the affirmative as his name was called, Ill.: Bros.: EDWARD LUSHER FOSTER, ANGUS WILLIAM HOOPER and JAMES FREDERICK WALKER were declared unanimously elected Active Members of the Supreme Council, and were introduced and crowned Sov.: Gr.: Inspectors-General, Active Members of the Supreme Council, and heartily congratulated.

The Supreme Council resumed labor in General Session at 4.50 p.m.

The following reports of Provincial Deputies were then read.

ONTARIO.

BARRIE, October 22nd, 1889.

To the Supreme Council, A. . & A. S. Rite, for the Dominion of Canada.

ILLUSTRIOUS BRETHREN :-

I respectfully submit my Third Annual Report on the condition of the Rite in the Province of Ontario, and of my official actions during the past year.

It is gratifying to be able to state that steady progress has been made, our membership has increased considerably, two Lodges of Perfection, and one Rose Croix Chapter, have been added to the number of our Bodies since the last meeting of Supreme Council. There are now eight Lodges of Perfection, five Rose Croix Chapters, and one Consistory in the Province. As it is customary for the committee on the doings of Subordinate Bodies to give full particulars in their Report of the state of each Body, it is unnecessary for me to encumber the Journal of the Proceedings, with statistics, which would be only a repetition of those given by the committeee.

The Ninth Annual Re-Union of the members was held in Hamilton, on the 16th and 17th January, 1889, and was largely attended by brethren from different parts of Canada and the United States. Many brethren desirous of advancement, availed themselves of the opportunity which the occasion afforded, of receiving the Degrees within a shorter period than allowed by the Constitution. To enable them to do so, I issued dispensations to waive Statutory Regulations in regard

to time between Degrees. The fees for such dispensations have been handed to the Secretary-General.

NEW BODIES.

A Rose Croix Chapter has been opened at Windsor, and a Lodge of Perfection at Ottawa.

These Bodies have been organized under the most favorable circumstances, and with every prospect of obtaining considerable membership. The Lodge of Perfection at London has separated from the Rose Croix Chapter, and is now worked under an independent Warrant. The London brethren will find this change highly beneficial, and I am satisfied it will add to the progress of the Rite in that city.

As I am constantly engaged in the performance of other duties, I have not had time to give that attention to the interests of the Rite, which the position I hold, as Deputy for the Province, demands. I trust, therefore, my brethren will select for the office a brother who can give more time to the Rite than I have done.

Fraternally submitted,

DANIEL SPRY, 33°,

Deputy for Ontario.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

St. John, N. B., 19th October, 1889.

To the Supreme Council A .. & A .. S .: Rite for the Dominion of Canada.

ILLUSTRIOUS BRETHREN :-

As Deputy for the Province of New Brunswick I have the honor to submit my Annual Report.

The returns of the Bodies of the Rite in this Province for the constitutional year have been duly forwarded to the Ill.. Secretary General, as required by the statutes.

No matter of special interest has occurred in this part of the jurisdiction since my last report that calls for particular mention.

Fraternally submitted,

B. LESTER PETERS, 33°,

Deputy for New Brunswick.

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NOVA SCOTIA.

HALIFAX, N. S., October 19th, 1889.

To the Supreme Council A .: . & A .: . S .: Rite for the Dominion of Canada.

ILLUSTRIOUS BRETHREN :-

I have the honor to submit my Annual Report as Deputy for the Province of Nova Scotia.

The condition of the Rite in this Jurisdiction continues to be most satisfactory. The work of the various bodies has been carried on by the respective officers in such a way as to reflect the greatest credit upon all concerned. I have made repeated visits to them and have found the utmost harmony prevailing; the attendance good; and the interest in the various ceremonies and teachings of the Rite ever increasing. The utmost care has been exercised in the material proposed for acceptance; and the $A \cdot \cdot \cdot S \cdot \cdot \cdot R$ ite, from having been an object of distrust and suspicion, has assumed its proper position, and now commands universal respect. This I attribute to the dignified reserve maintained by the brethren, and to their determination to live-down all misrepresentation. I look confidently to a marked addition to our numbers during the coming year.

The zeal of the members of the Rite has been shewn in the improvement made in our rooms and equipment, which are now such as no Body of Masons need be ashamed of. We earnestly plead for the next meeting of Supreme Council in our city, and promise to treat the officers and members with suitable courtesy and hospitality. Should the Council see fit to comply with our request, it will give us an impetus which will be to us of the greatest service.

It is with much pleasure that I report the opening of a Lodge of Perfection in the Town of Kentville. This is an event which has been meditated for some time, but circumstances appeared adverse. At length, however, all difficulties have been surmounted, and "Royal Oak" Lodge is opened under Dispensation. The Warrant will be applied for as soon as constitutionally allowable. I am not without the hope that the example set by the shire town of King's County will be followed 'ere long by two others.

I sincerely regret that my duties will not allow of my presence at the Council; and beg the lenient judgment of my Peers.

I acknowledge with many thanks and much sincerity the efficient assistance I have received in the discharge of my office at the hands of the officers of the bodies under my jurisdiction.

Fraternally submitted,

FRANCIS PARTRIDGE, D. D., 33°,

Deputy for Nova Scotia.

MANITOBA.

WINNIPEG, October 17th, 1889.

To the Supreme Council A .: . & A .: . S.: . Rite for the Dominion of Canada.

I regret that I am not able, as your Deputy for this Province, to give you a very encouraging report upon the condition of the Rite in this Province—owing to various causes explained in previous reports—the Rite has kept going backwards, till it has almost ceased to exist. However, a number of the brethren got together a few days ago, held a meeting, elected their officers—whom I duly installed on the 11th instant—and commenced working; with a number of applicants for degrees, and others to come forward, I feel sure that at the end of another year the Rite will have re-established itself.

The returns for the year ending 31st August for the Winnipeg Lodge of Perfection are in the hands of Ill.. Bro.. Bell, 33°, who will present them in person. No returns have as yet been received from the other Bodies, as they do not meet.

Owing to great pressure of business, I regret my inability to be present with you at the Annual Session to be held on the 23rd inst., and trust in the near future, like many other large representative Bodies, that you will consider this city's claims as a place to hold your Annual Meetings, and that the Supreme Council will be called to meet at Winnipeg.

Fraternally submitted.

HERBERT SWINFORD, 33°,

Deputy for Manitoba.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

HAMILTON, 22nd October, 1889.

To the Supreme Council A .: . & A .: . S. . Rite for the Dominion of Canada.

ILLUSTRIOUS BRETHREN :-

I have to report that there has been no improvement in the condition of the Rite in the Province of British Columbia during the year. The Rite is practically dead in that province. No meetings have been held during the year, either in the Lodge of Perfection or Chapter of Rose Croix, at Victoria; and I do not hope for a better condition of affairs until after the proposed visit of the Grand Commander.

Fraternally submitted,

HUGH MURRAY, 33°, Deputy for British Columbia.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: HUGH ALEXANDER MACKAY,

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these reports were referred to the Committee on the Doings of Inspectors-General and Special Deputies.

The Annual Reports of the Secretary-General and Treasurer-General were presented and read, as follows:

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL.

To the Supreme Council A:. & A:. S:. Rite for the Dominion of Canada.

ILLUSTRIOUS BRETHREN :-

I have the honor to present the Report of the Secretary-General for this year.

To cash,	for degrees	conferred at th	ne City of Ot	tawa,	per Ill	Bro		
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6.6	for degrees	conferred at th	e City of Qu	iebec,	per Ill	Bro		
	HUTTO	N					200	00
4.6	from sundry	brethren for po	ocket certificat	tes			43	00
4.6	for a duplica	te certificate					2	00
6.6	from sale of	statutes					2	75
.44		n \$1,500 deber					75	00
44	Montreal Co	onsistory, Mon	treal, for di	spensa	tions, pe	r Ill		
		OPELAND					6	00
"		story, Hamilto						
							33	00
44	Hamilton Ch	apter, Hamilto	on, for dispens	ations	, per Ill	Bro		
							7	00
6.6		pter, Toronto,						
	SPRY						6	00
**	from Royal	Oak Lodge U.	D., Huntsv	ille, fo	or dispens	sation,		
		Bro PARTRI					5	00
"		e of Perfection					131	25
	London	44	London,	4.6	66	66	-	50
44	Toronto	4.6	Toronto,	66	"	66		50
"	Kingston	**	Kingston,	4.4	66	4.6	21	25
4.6	Royal City	66	Guelph,	66	66	4.6	32	00
66	Barrie	66	Barrie,	66	"	66	2	75
66	Palestine	"	Windsor,	4.6	"	44		25
"	Ottawa	**	Ottawa,	64	4.6	66	27	-
44	Hochelaga	44	Montreal, Q	ue.,	"	4.6	27	25
"	St. John	66	St. John, N.	В.,	46	4.6	18	-
"	Victoria	44	Halifax, N.	S.,	44	66	30	
46	Hamilton Cha	apter Rose Cro			44	66	131	
		ter Rose Croix			"	66	16	
		ter Rose Croix			"	66	43	
"]	Rose of Sharo	n Chapter Rose	Croix, Kings	ton,	"	66	10	25
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To cash, Windsor Chapter Rose Croix, Windsor, Ont., for fees, dues, & "Hochelaga" "Montreal, Que., "" Harington "St. John, N. B., "" Keith "Halifax, N. S., "" Moore Consistory, Hamilton, Ont., "" Montreal "Montreal, Que., "" New Brunswick Consistory, St. John, N. B., "" Nova Scotia "Halifax, N. S., ""	59 75 11 50 40 00 209 00 59 00 18 00 77 50
All of which has been paid to the Treasurer-General.	\$1,876 00
Summarized the amounts received during the year have been:	
Interest on investment From individual members for pocket certificates, &c. Fees for degrees on the formation of Lodges of Perfection under dipensation. Fees, dues, &c.—Lodges, "Chapters, "Consistories. The Assets of the Supreme Council are:	47 75 s- 660 00 354 25 336 50
Current account Bank of Hamilton. Debenture Landed Banking and Loan Co. Balances of Ledger. Office Furniture, Plates, &c. Certificates on hand Books in Library and Ritualistic matter	1,500 00 420 30 930 00 200 00
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Fraternally submitted,	30

HUGH MURRAY, 33°,
Secretary-General.

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Supreme Council, 33°, A:. & A:. Scottish Rite, Dominion of Canada, in account with the Treasurer-General.

1888.	DA.				
Nov. I.	Times Printing Co., printing Constitution.	Order	No. 185	\$140	72
	W. Bruce, engrossing Certificates	6.6	187		90
	R. Duncan, stamping cases for Certificates	6.6	189		45
	R. Hall, services session '88	4.4	184		00
	Secretary-General, additional allowance			20	00
	for 1888	6.6	190	100	00
22.	Hall & Scott, luncheons during session	4.6	191	144	
Dec. 8.	Copp, Clark & Co., Parchment Certifi-			*44	30
	cates	**	186	150	00
1889.				-30	00
July 4.	Spectator Printing Co., printing proceed-				
	ings 1888	4.6	193	129	60
Aug. 7.	R. V. Somerville, printing	4.4	199		00
7.	W. Bruce, engrossing Certificates	4.6	198		95
21.	J. L. Pearson, sign type	4.4	194	_	55
	J. R. McKichan, Rolls for Certificates	4.6	195		00
	J. W. Murton, expenses of deputation to		-93	20	00
	Ottawa, formation of new Lodge of				
	Perfection	4.6	196	71	30
	Ottawa Lodge of Perfection, return of por-		-,-	/-	30
	tion of fees to assist them furnishing	66	197	321	00
Sept. 3.	W. H. Hutton, expenses of deputation to		- >1	3=1	-
	Quebec, formation of new Lodge of				
	Perfection	4.6	201	40	00
24.	George Bishop & Co., stationery	* *	200	III	
30.	Express Co., charges on Secretary-Gen-				
	eral's trunks to and from Montreal,				
	Oct. 1888	6.6	192	7	40
	Secretary-General's allowance for 1889	66	202	300	
	Secretary-General's Postage, etc., for 1889	**	203	41	
	C. W. Mulligan, services, assisting to		3	4-	, +
	draught Pocket Certificates	4.6	188	10	00
30.	Cash in Bank of Hamilton	**		1,311	
				-,3	30
			\$	3,132	48
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Oct. 19.	Cash on hand		\$	1,256	48
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Feb. 15.	" Coupon 1/2 year's interest on the Land	led Ban	king &		
	Loan Co.'s Bond for \$1,500			37	50

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Aug. 15.	Cash Coupon ½ year's interest on the Landed Banking &	
	Loan Co.'s Bond for \$1,500\$	37 50
21.	" from Sec'y-Gen'l	460 00
Sept. 3.		200 00
6.	" " "	419 50
26.	" " "	570 71
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H. A. MACKAY, 33°,

BERLIN, ONT., 30th September, 1889.

Treasurer-General.

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On motion of Ill.: Bro.: DAVID McLellan, these reports were referred to the Committee on Audit and Finance.

The Committee on the Doings of Subordinate Bodies presented the following report:

To the Supreme Council A .. & A .. S .. Rite for the Dominion of Canada.

Your Committee on the Doings of Subordinate Bodies beg to report as follows:

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA.

K'hurum Chapter of Rose Croix has made no report. Lawson Lodge of Perfection has made no report.

PROVINCE OF MANITOBA.

WINNIPEG.

Manitoba Consistory has made no report.

Bethesda Chapter of Rose Croix has made no report.

Winnipeg Lodge of Perfection has made no report.

BRANDON.

Brandon Lodge of Perfection has made no report.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

ST. JOHN.

New Brunswick Consistory conferred the 30° on one, the 31° on one, and the 32° on two brethren.

Membership 33.

Fees to Supreme Council, \$18.

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Harington Chapter of Rose Croix conferred no degrees.

Died one, Bro.: JAMES ADAM, Past Most Wise Sovereign.

Membership 46.

Fees to Supreme Council \$11.50.

Saint John Lodge of Perfection conferred the 14° on three brethren.

Died one, Bro.: JAMES ADAM.

Membership 51.

Fees to Supreme Council \$18.75.

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

HALIFAX.

Nova Scotia Consistory conferred the 30° on seven, the 31° on two, and the 32° on four brethren.

Membership 30.

Fees to Supreme Council \$77.50.

Keith Chapter of Rose Croix conferred the 18° on seven brethren.

Died one, Bro. GEORGE FRASER.

Membership 48.

Fees to Supreme Council \$40.

Victoria Lodge of Perfection conserred the 14° on six brethren.

Died one, Bro. GEORGE FRASER.

Membership 51.

Fees to Supreme Council \$30.75.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

BARRIE.

Barrie Lodge of Perfection conferred the 14° on one brother.

Membership 11.

Fees to Supreme Council \$2.75.

GUELPH.

Royal City Lodge of Perfection conferred the 14° on six brethren.

Membership 35.

Fees to Supreme Council \$17.00.

HAMILTON.

Moore Consistory conferred the 30° on seventeen, the 31° on eighteen, and the 32° on twenty brethren.

Membership 155.

Fees to Supreme Council \$208.75.

Hamilton Chapter of Rose Croix conferred the 18° on twenty-two brethren.

Died one, Bro.: HENRY BICKFORD.

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Membership 163.

Fees to Supreme Council \$128.75.

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Murton Lodge of Perfection conferred the 14° on thirty-two brethren.

Died two, Bros.: Charles H. Foster and Henry Bickford.

Membership 249.

Fees to Supreme Council \$131.25.

KINGSTON

- Rose of Sharon Chapter of Rose Croix conferred no degrees during the year.

 Membership 29.

 Fees to Supreme Council \$7.25.
- Kingston Lodge of Perfection conferred the 14° on two brethren.

 Membership 41.

 Fees to Supreme Council \$21.25.

LONDON

- London Chapter of Rose Croix conferred no degrees during the year.

 Membership 49.

 Fees to Supreme Council \$13 00.
- London Lodge of Perfection conferred the 14° on two brethren.

 Membership 63

 Fees to Supreme Council \$21.50.

OTTAWA.

- Ottawa Lodge of Perfection, under dispensation, conferred no degrees during the year.
 - Membership 25. Fees to Supreme Council \$6.25.

TORONTO.

- Toronto Chapter of Rose Croix conferred the 18° on seven brethren. Died one, Bro.: JOSEPH PURVIS.
 - Membership 60. Fees to Supreme Council \$43.00.
- Toronto Lodge of Perfection conferred the 14° on five brethren.

 Died two, Bros.: George Gowland and Joseph Purvis.
 - Suspended one.
 Restored one.
 Membership 68.
 Fees to Supreme Council \$27.50.

WINDSOR.

- Windsor Chapter of Rose Croix conferred the 18° on three brethren. Membership 12.
 - Fees to Supreme Council \$15.00.
- Palestine Lodge of Perfection conferred the 14° on two brethren. Membership 13.
 - Fees to Supreme Council \$9.25.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

MONTREAL.

Montreal Consistory conferred the 30° on five, the 31° on three, and the 32° on three brethren.

Membership 36.

Fees to Supreme Council \$59.00.

Hochelaga Chapter of Rose Croix conferred the 18° on twelve brethren.

Restored one.

Membership 47.

Fees to Supreme Council \$59.75.

Hochelaga Lodge of Perfection conferred the 14° on five brethren.

Restored two.

Membership 49.

Fees to Supreme Council \$27.25.

Fraternally submitted,

H. A. MACKAY, 33°, ISAAC HENRY STEARNS 33°.

MONTREAL, ONT., 25th October, 1889.

(Note.—Returns of Quebec Lodge of Perfection, Winnipeg Lodge of Perfection, and Bethesda Chapter Rose Croix have since been received, but too late to be included in the report.)

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: HUGH ALEXANDER MACKAY, the report was received.

The Supreme Council resumed labor in Executive Session.

The Illustrious Deputy for Ontario nominated the following Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, 32°, for the Degree of Honorary Inspector-General, 33°, viz.:

Ill.: Bro.: GAVIN STEWART, of the City of Hamilton, Province of Ontario.

- " JOHN JAMES MASON, of the City of Hamilton, Province of Ontario.
- " EDWARD MITCHELL, of the City of Hamilton, Province of Ontario.
- " THOMAS SARGANT, of the City of Toronto, Province of Ontario.
- " THOMAS FERGUSON BLACKWOOD, of the City of Toronto, Province of Ontario.

The Sov.: Gr.: Commander announced that the election of officers for the ensuing three years would now take place.

Illustrious Bros.: WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON and GEORGE O. TYLER were appointed a Board of Scrutineers of the ballot, and the election proceeded, the following being the result:—

Ill.: Bro.: JOHN VALENTINE ELLIS, 33°, St. John, New Brunswick, Sov.: Gr.: Commander.

- " JOHN WALTER MURTON, 33°, Hamilton, Ont., Lieut:. Gr:. Commander.
- " HUGH MURRAY, 33°, Hamilton, Ont., Secretary-General H.: E.:
- " HUGH ALEXANDER MACKAY, 33°, Berlin, Ont., Treasurer-General H.: E.:
- " DANIEL SPRY, 33°, Barrie, Ontario, Grand Chancellor.
- " WILLIAM REID, 33°, Hamilton, Ont., Grand Master of Ceremonies.
- " "ISAAC HENRY STEARNS, 33°, Montreal, Quebec, Grand Marshal.
- " CHARLES NAPIER BELL, 33°, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Grand Standard Bearer.
- " DAVID McLELLAN, 33°, Hamilton, Ont., Grand Captain of the Guard.

The following Illustrious Deputies and Special Deputies were then appointed:

Deputy for Ontario: Ill.: Bro.: Daniel Spry, 33°, Barrie.

Deputy for Quebec:

Ill.: Bro.: Angus William Hooper, 33°, Montreal.

Deputy for New Brunswick:

Ill.: Bro.: Benjamin Lester Peters, 33°, St. John.

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Deputy for Nova Scotia:

Ill.: Bro.: Francis Partridge, D. D., 33°, Halifax.

Deputy for Manitoba:

Ill.: Bro.: Charles Napier Bell, 33°, Winnipeg.

Deputy for British Columbia:

Ill.: Bro.: HUGH MURRAY, 33°, Hamilton, Ont.

Deputy for Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland: Ill.: Bro.: George Thomas Smithers, 33°, Halifax, N. S.

Ill.: Bro.: HUGH ALEXANDER MACKAY gave notice that at the Session to-morrow he would move that the next Annual Session be held at the City of St. John, New Brunswick.

Ill.: Bro.: CHARLES NAPIER BELL gave a similar notice, naming the City of Hamilton, Ontario.

The Supreme Council resumed labor in general session.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: JOHN WALTER MURTON, Ill.: Bro.: ROBERT HALL, 32°, Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret, was appointed to act as Seneschal.

The Supreme Council was called off at 6 o'clock p. m., until 12 o'clock noon, on Thursday, the 24th inst.

THURSDAY, 24th October, 1889.

The Supreme Council resumed labor at 12 o'clock noon.

PRESENT—OFFICERS.

Ill.: Bro.: John Valentine Ellis, 33°,

Sovereign Grand Commander.

" JOHN WALTER MURTON, 33°,

Lieutenant Grand Commander.

" HUGH MURRAY, 33°,

Secretary-General H.: E.:

Ill.: Bro.: HUGH ALEXANDER MACKAY, 33°,

Treasurer-General H .: E .:

" DANIEL SPRY, 33°,

Grand Chancellor.

" WILLIAM REID, 33°,

Grand Master of Ceremonies.

" ISAAC HENRY STEARNS, 33°,

Grand Marshal.

" DAVID MCLELLAN, 33°,

Grand Captain of the Guard.

ACTIVE MEMBERS.

Ill.: Bro.: WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON, 33°, P.: S.: G.: Com.:

" COL. WM. J. B. MACLEOD MOORE, 33°.

" JOHN MORISON GIBSON, 33°.

" FREDERICK JOSEPH MENET, 33°.

" CHARLES NAPIER BELL, 33°.

" EDWARD LUSHER FOSTER, 33°.

" Angus William Hooper, 33°.

" JAMES FREDERICK WALKER, 33°.

Letters and telegrams of excuse for non-attendance were read from the following Active and Honorary Members, viz.:

Ill.: Bro.: ROBERT MARSHALL.

" DAVID RANSOM MUNRO.

" JAMES KIRKPATRICK KERR.

" BENJAMIN LESTER PETERS.

" FRANCIS PARTRIDGE, D. D.

" GEORGE THOMAS SMITHERS.

" HERBERT SWINFORD.

" WILLIAM HENRY THORNE.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: MURTON, the excuse of Ill.: Bro.: MARSHALL was deemed satisfactory, and he was excused for absence this year.

Ill.: Bro.: DAVID RANSOM MUNRO, having removed his

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residence from this jurisdiction, was declared a Past Active Member.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: STEARNS, the excuse of Ill.: Bro.: GEORGE THOMAS SMITHERS was deemed satisfactory, and he was excused for absence this year.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: McLellan the excuse of Ill.: Bro.: Herbert Swinford was deemed satisfactory, and he was excused for absence this year.

Ill.: Bro.: HUGH MURRAY presented his credentials as the representative of the Supreme Council for Italy near this Supreme Council.

The Sovereign Grand Commander extended to him a hearty welcome, and expressed the hope that the friendly relations existing between this Council and the Supreme Council for Italy would continue.

The Committee on Audit and Finance submitted the following report:

To the Supreme Council A. :. & A. :. S. :. Rite for the Dominion of Canada.

The Committee on Audit and Finance beg leave to report that they have carefully examined the books and accounts of the Secretary-General and Treasurer-General for the year ending the 30th September, 1889, and find them correct, the money received by the Secretary-General having been paid over to the Treasurer-General and duly acknowledged by that officer, and the same deposited in the Bank of Hamilton.

Your Committee recommend the payment of the following accounts:

R. Duncar	n & Co.,	envelopes	\$ 6	25
The Spect	tator, prin	ting	8	50
Howell L	ithographi	ing Co., parchment and printing	16	00
66	66	" Litho. plate and certificates	30	
4.6	6.6	" printing certificates	35	40
Robert H	all, service	es as janitor	20	00
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			\$116	15

Also the expenses of this session, and that the sum of one hundred dollars be donated to the Quebec Lodge of Perfection, to assist in procuring the parapher-

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nalia necessary for the proper working of the degrees, this being one-half of the fees received on the formation of that body.

ASSETS

Certificates on hand	200	00
Balances of Ledger	420	30
Books in Library and Ritualistic matter	550	00
Office furniture, plates, etc	930	00
Current account Bank of Hamilton	1,311	36
Landed Banking & Loan Co., debentures	1,500	00
	\$4,911	66
LIABILITIES.		
As recommended to be paid\$	216	15

This being an increase of \$668.11 over the balance of last year.

All of which is fraternally submitted.

I. H. STEARNS, 33° DAVID MCLELLAN, 33° Committee.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: STEARNS, the report was received and adopted.

The Committee on the Doings of Inspectors-General and Special Deputies presented the following report:

MONTREAL, Oct. 24th, 1889.

To the Supreme Council A.:. & A.:. S.:. Rite for the Dominion of Canada.

ILLUSTRIOUS BRETHREN:

Your Committee on the doings of Inspectors-General and Special Deputies beg to report a continuance of the most satisfactory progress of our beloved Rite.

In the Province of Ontario two new Lodges of Perfection have been opened under the most favorable auspices, as also one Chapter of Rose Croix; the latter at Windsor, and the Lodges of Perfection at London and Ottawa respectively.

Your Committee congratulate the brethren of London on having so graciously acceded to the wishes of the Supreme Council in separating their Lodge of Perfection from the Rose Croix Chapter, thus putting all the bodies of the Rite in the Dominion on the same footing.

There is no report from the Province of Quebec, but the Chairman of your Committee is pleased to be able to state that a Lodge of Perfection has been constituted in the good old city of Quebec, and under the charge of its Thrice Potent

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Grand Master, an enthusiastic and true Mason, promises to give a good account of itself.

Your Committee advises that the usual rebate on fees be made to this body to aid them in providing the necessary paraphernalia.

The Deputy for Nova Scotia sends in a most satisfactory statement, and reports a new Lodge of Perfection at Kentville. May the Grand Architect of the Universe prosper it.

New Brunswick reports that harmony and peace prevail.

The Deputy for Manitoba, while regretting lukewarmness in the past, has great hopes of a better state of things during the current year.

British Columbia is again reported to be dormant, and your Committee are strongly of opinion that a speedy and strenuous effort be made to bring this Province into close touch with the Supreme Council.

They urgently recommend that some earnest and active worker of the Supreme Council, be at once, no matter at what cost of time or money, commissioned to visit that Province, and endeavor to put matters on a proper footing.

On the whole, your Committee express great gratification at the good work done by the Deputies. They feel sure that if their present suggestion with regard to British Columbia, and the resolution of last year as to nominations for thirty-thirds for that Province are carried out, that good results will follow.

The whole respectfully submitted,

W. H. HUTTON, 33°, Chairman. WM. REID, 33°.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: HUTTON, the report was received and adopted.

The Committee to whom was referred the address of the Sovereign Grand Commander presented the following report:

To the Supreme Council A. . & A. . S. . Rite for the Dominion of Canada:

ILLUSTRIOUS BRETHREN:

The Committee to whom was referred the consideration of the address of the Sovereign Grand Commander do not propose to advert in detail to the various subjects therein brought before the Supreme Council, and making a somewhat new departure in this respect, there remains but little to be done beyond a hearty expression of satisfaction with the general features of that document.

Amid the greetings which always characterize our Annual Assemblies, we all especially rejoice that the honored head of the Rite in Canada has been enabled to discharge so well during the past year the duties devolving upon him, and that he again presides over our meetings, vigorous as usual in both body and mind. No more hearty reciprocation of the fraternal sentiments uttered by the Grand Commander, nor stronger expression of the high esteem in which he is held, could

be tendered him by the brethren than the action of the Council, since the delivery of the address, in re-electing him as Grand Commander for another term of three years.

Satisfactory foreign relations, and an entire absence of irritating disputes over constitutional questions, and of perplexing disagreements between bodies of the Rite or members of these bodies were the subjects of but brief paragraphs of the address, but must be a source of much gratification to every member of this Supreme Council.

While the number of members remains the same as at the last regular Assembly, we hail with much satisfaction the prospect of an early infusion of new blood. Distance from place of meetings and the imperative demands of business avocations always will stand in the way of punctual attendance by a percentage of the membership, but it is feared that in some cases a stronger sense of duty might overcome these difficulties. Certain it is that habitual attendance intensifies a determination always to be present.

We concur in the deprecation of "feverish haste" to increase numbers. As in favorable and well prepared soil a small seed will produce quickly and plentifully, so in centres of intelligent and thoughtful Masonry, where the general aim and ambition are directed to the practice and cultivation of the true spirit of Masonry, rather than the increase of membership or the titles of office, the planting and growth of the A. . & A. . S. . Rite may not be entirely spontaneous, but when once it does take root its permanence may be relied on, and the results are likely to be in the highest sense fruitful and enduring.

All of which is fraternally submitted,

J. M. GIBSON, 33°. ISAAC H. STEARNS, 33°. DAVID McLELLAN, 33°.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: JOHN MORISON GIBSON, the report was received and adopted.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: HUGH ALEXANDER MACKAY, warrants were issued to the following bodies:

Quebec Lodge of Perfection at Quebec, in the Province of Quebec.

Ottawa Lodge of Perfection, at Ottawa, in the Province of Ontario.

Royal Oak Lodge of Perfection, at Kentville, in the Province of Nova Scotia.

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lime Masons, 14°, at the credit of each Province was read, showing that each of the Provinces of Ontario, Quebec and Nova Scotia, was entitled to one additional Honorary Inspector-General.

Ill.: Bro.: EDWARD LUSHER FOSTER, in the absence of the Deputy for Nova Scotia, nominated Ill.: Bro.: ______, 32°, Sublime Prince of the Royal Secret, to be an Honorary Inspector-General, 33°.

At one o'clock p. m., the Supreme Council was called from labor.

The Supreme Council was called to labor at 3 o'clock p. m.

The Sovereign Grand Commander then named the following Committees: On Audit and Finance; on Foreign Correspondence and Relations; on Jurisprudence and Legislation; on the Doings of Subordinate Bodies; on the Doings of Inspectors-General and Special Deputies; on the Library.

On Audit and Finance:

Ill.: Bro.: ISAAC HENRY STEARNS.

- " DAVID MCLELLAN.
- " " JAMES FREDERICK WALKER.

On Foreign Correspondence and Relations:

Ill.: Bro.: BENJAMIN LESTER PETERS.

- " JOHN WALTER MURTON.
- " FREDERICK JOSEPH MENET.

On Jurisprudence and Legislation:

Ill.: Bro.: DANIEL SPRY,

" JOHN WALTER MURTON,

" " ANGUS WILLIAM HOOPER.

On the Doings of Subordinate Bodies:

Ill.: Bro.: HUGH ALEXANDER MACKAY,

" CHARLES NAPIER BELL,

" FRANCIS PARTRIDGE, D. D.

Doings of Inspectors General and Special Deputies:

Ill.: Bro.: WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON,

" " EDWARD LUSHER FOSTER,

" " EUGENE MORTIMER COPELAND.

On the Library:

Ill.: Bro.: DANIEL SPRY,

" WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON,

" JOHN WALTER MURTON.

The Sov.: Gr.: Com.: also appointed the following Special Committees, viz.: In Charge of Ritualistic Matter; On the Revision of the Ritual.

Committee in Charge of Ritualistic Matter:

Ill.: Bro.: JOHN WALTER MURTON,

" WILLIAM REID,

" " HUGH MURRAY.

Committee on the Revision of the Ritual:

Ill.: Bro.: JOHN WALTER MURTON.

" WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON.

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In accordance with notice of motion given yesterday, Ill.: Bro.: HUGH ALEXANDER MACKAY moved that the next Annual Session of the Supreme Council be held in the City of St. John, in the Province of New Brunswick.

It was moved in amendment by Ill.: Bro.: CHARLES NAPIER BELL, that the next meeting be held in the City of Hamilton, in the Province of Ontario. A vote having been taken the amendment was declared carried.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: SPRV, the sum of five dollars was passed to Bro.: JOHN GAUNTLETT, for attendance during the Session.

On motion of Ill. Bro. WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON, it was resolved, that in the event of the Sovereign Grand Commander visiting British Columbia, for the purpose of reestablishing the Rite in that Province, he be invested with power to select for, and confer the degree of Hon. Ins. General, 33°, upon one or two brethren resident in that Province.

On motion of Ill.: Bro.: John Morison Gibson, it was resolved, that in the event of the Sov.: Gr.: Com.:, or the Lieut.: Gr.: Commander going to Winnipeg in the interest of the Rite, he be invested with power to confer upon Ill.: Bro.: Daniel Hunter McMillan, 32°, S.: P.: R.: S.:, the degree of Hon.: Ins.: Gen.:, 33°, he having been elected to receive it.

The Grand Commander took occasion to express to Ill.. Bro.: B. D. BABCOCK, 33°, the thanks of the Council for his attendance during the Session. Bro.: BABCOCK, in happy language, responded, and promised, if in the enjoyment of health, to attend with a deputation the next Annual Session.

The box of fraternal assistance was passed, and the amount donated to the "Hochelaga Lodge" fund.

The labors of the Supreme Council being ended, the Chain of Union was formed, and the Council was closed at 4.10 p. m.











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PROCEEDINGS

OF A

Special Session of the Supreme Council,

HELD IN THE

CITY OF MONTREAL, QUE.,

ON THE

24th day of October, 1889.

Pursuant to notice, and by authority of the Sovereign Grand Commander, the Supreme Council of the 33° of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, held a Special Session in the rooms of the Rite, in the City of Montreal, in the Province of Quebec, on Thursday, the 24th day of October, 1889, corresponding with the 29th day of the Hebrew month *Tisri*, A.: M.: 5650.

Present— OFFICERS.

Ill.: Bro.: JOHN VALENTINE ELLIS, 33°,

Sovereign Grand Commander.

" JOHN WALTER MURTON, 33°,

Lieutenant Grand Commander.

" HUGH MURRAY, 33°,

Secretary-General, H .: E .:

" DANIEL SPRY, 33°,

Grand Chancellor

" WILLIAM REID, 33°,

As Grand Master of Ceremonies.

" ISAAC HENRY STEARNS, 33°,

Grand Marshal.

" DAVID McLellan, 33°,

As Grand Captain of the Guard.

ACTIVE MEMBERS.

Ill.: Bro.: WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON, 33°,

Past Grand Commander.

- " CHARLES NAPIER BELL, 33°,
- " FREDERICK JOSEPH MENET, 33°,
- " Angus William Hooper, 33°,
- " JAMES FREDERICK WALKER, 33°.

The Supreme Council was opened in General Session at 8.30 o'clock, p. m.

The Secretary-General called the roll, and noted the absentees.

The business for which the Special Session was called was to vote upon the nomination of the following Brothers for the Degree of Hon.: Ins.: Gen.:, 33°, viz.,

- Ill.: Bro.: GAVIN STEWART, 32°, S.: P.: R.: S.:, of Hamilton, Ontario.
- Ill.: Bro.: JOHN JAMES MASON, 32°, S.: P.: R.: S.:, of Hamilton, Ontario.
- Ill.: Bro.: EDWARD MITCHELL, 32°, S.: P.: R.: S.:, of Hamilton, Ontario.

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Ill.: Bro.: Thomas Sargant, 32°, S.: P.: R.: S.:, of Toronto, Ontario.

Ill.: Bro.: THOMAS FERGUSON BLACKWOOD, 32°, S.: P.: R.: S.:, Toronto, Ontario,

and to confer the thirty-third and last degree.

The roll having been called, the Illustrious Brethren were elected by *viva voce* vote.

Ill.: Bros.: GAVIN STEWART, 32°, EDWARD MITCHELL, 32°, of the City of Hamilton, Province of Ontario, and THOMAS SARGANT, 32°, of the City of Toronto, Province of Ontario, Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret, were introduced and had conferred on them in full form, the thirty-third and last degree. They were received, welcomed, and proclaimed Honorary Inspectors-General of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, and enrolled as Honorary Members of the Supreme Council for the Dominion of Canada.

The Session being ended the Chain of Union was formed, and the Supreme Council was closed at 9.50 o'clock, p. m.











Secretary General, H .. E ..

NOTES ON FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

With this number of the Proceedings of the Supreme Council, the Secretary-General prints a few notes and observations, collated either from the transactions of sister Supreme Councils, or from their correspondence with him, which may be of interest to some members of the Rite in Canada.

ENGLAND.

The only communications received this year from the Supreme Council of England, convey information of the death of two members of that Supreme Council. On 10th April, 1889, Ill... Bro... HUGH D. SANDEMAN, Grand Secretary-General, writes:—

"It is with very deep sorrow that the Supreme Council, 33°, have to announce the death of their friend and colleague, General John Studholme Brownrigg, C. B., who departed this life on the morning of the 1st inst., at Colombo, on his way home from Australia, where he had gone in the autumn of last year for the benefit of his health.

"Bro.". Brownrigg's name was well known in the Masonic Craft; he was admitted into the Order in the year 1843, was appointed Senior Grand Warden in 1858, and Provincial Grand Master for Surrey, in 1871. He became a member of the Supreme Council, 33°, in 1878, since which date he always proved himself a most active and useful member of our Body."

And on 27th May, Ill.: Bro.: SANDEMAN, sends notification of the death of Ill.: Bro.: ADAIR, 33°, in these terms :--

"The Supreme Council, 33°, have to announce with very deep sorrow the death of their friend and colleague, Brigadier-General, ALEXANDER WILLIAM ADAIR, who departed this life on Thursday, the 16th instant, at Bath.

"Bro.". ADAIR was a distinguished member of the Masonic Body, being Grand Superintendent of Royal Arch Masonry for Somersetshire and a Past Provincial Grand Master for the same County; he was also a Past Great Constable of the Temple, and a Past Grand Warden in the Mark degree.

"He was for many years an active and enthusiastic member of the Ancient and Accepted Rite, and served on the Supreme Council from the year 1868.

"By his death, the Order has lost a most useful member and a true friend."

There are active on the roll of the Supreme Council for England, one hundred chapters of Rose Croix, the total number being one hundred and eight. About five hundred members are of the 30°; there are eighty-one members of the 31°, about thirty of whom are living abroad and the number of members of the 32°

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is forty-five, ten of whom live out of England. The invested funds of the Supreme Council are about £18,000.

BELGIUM.

A circular has been received from the Supreme Council of Belgium, with a list of its officers. The Supreme Council is composed of twenty-eight active members and nine associate members. Ill.. Bro. Pierre Van Humbeeck, Minister of Education in the late Ministry, is still at the head of the Supreme Council, and Ill. Bro. Gustav Jottrand, is Secretary-General. Two members died during the year, Ill. Bro. Van Hoeter, Doctor of Medicine, and Ill. Bro. Desart, a retired Lieutenant-General of the army.

FRANCE.

Under date 1st June, 1889, the Grand Orient of France, forwarded to the Supreme Council for Canada, a very courteously worded invitation, to participate in a Grand International Masonic Congress, to be held under its auspices, at its Chambers, 16 Cadet Street, Paris, on the 16th and 17th days of the month of July. The programme set forth, that at this Congress, the history, the progressive tendencies and the practical work of Freemasonry would be studied, and labor would close with a banquet to the delegates of all the Lodges and of the Masonic Powers who might be present. Although the Supreme Council for Canada has never entered into fraternal relations with the Grand Orient of France, the kindly spirit in which the invitation is conceived, and the admirable terms in which it is expressed, deserve to be made a matter of mention.

The Supreme Council for France, on 7th April, issued a circular to the Supreme Councils of its correspondence, stating that it had received from the Supreme Council for Switzerland, a letter setting forth, that as the latter body had been for fourteen years head of the Confederated Supreme Councils, as its executive authority, it suggested that there should be during the time of the Universal Exposition, a meeting of the Supreme Councils, which had become parties to the Treaty of Lausanne, so that it might surrender the powers then given to it. The Supreme Council for France, fixed the date of holding the Session for July 10th.1889, but as the Supreme Council for Canada was not represented at Lausanne, and did not afterwards unite with the Confederated Councils, it was a matter of indifference to us whether the meeting took place or not. If it took place, no record of its proceedings has reached us; but no doubt the meeting was held, for at the session of the Supreme Council for France, on 26th June last, Ill. Bro. BERARD, was chosen to represent that body at the Congress.

The Supreme Council of the A... and A... S... Rite for France publishes quarterly a Memorandum of its proceedings and of the proceedings of the Grand Lodge Central, which is a part of it. The Memorandum reveals the fact that there is a good deal of dissatisfaction—or, perhaps, it would be more correct to say "uneasy energy"—among the Masons subordinate to the Supreme Council. This is due to the fact that the members of the Symbolic Lodges do not like the system of government which makes the Supreme Council the supreme power over their Lodges. Various efforts have been made by a division of powers,

without absolute sundrance of them by the Supreme Council, to meet the growing spirit of democracy in the Scottish Rite in France; the Grand Lodge Central has been divided into three Sections, which meet separately and unitedly; there is in addition a Commission, administrative and executive, with the residue of power in the Supreme Council itself. In the Supreme Council is the power to confer the degrees 30, 31, 32, as well as the 33°; and following the universal practice, the members for the 33° are selected from the 32°; those for the 32° from the 31°, and so on, with a right of nomination in the Subordinate Bodies. Among the radical demands of the hour is one to the effect that members of the Supreme Council shall be selected from the members of any degree, including the third, the object of this, of course, being to give the great body of Master Masons representation. The Supreme Council itself appears to be very willing to meet the reasonable demands made upon it. It rarely refuses advancement to qualified brothers demanding it, and both as respects rules and dogmas evinces a conciliatory spirit. But it is not yet ready for the adoption of the system which prevails in America and in England, viz. :-to leave to the Masters' Lodges the sole control of their own affairs, and to confine itself purely to the government of the higher degrees. The dissatisfaction which exists displays itself in the resignation by members of the Supreme Council of their seats, by withdrawals of members from active work in the Lodges, and above all, in the failure to make returns and payments. Indeed, the Grand Orator, Ill.'. Bro.'. MAGNUN, in his annual summary of the affairs of the fraternity, at the session of the Grand Lodge Central, on 24th June last, said that the neglect of the general regulations, by even the superior bodies, was very great, and while he urged upon the one hand, greater concessions to the spirit of the times, he urged upon the other, that all parties and bodies, should obey the laws of the craft. Many of the Lodges do not even make their annual return of members, and in order to restore order in regard to this, the Supreme Council has made a decree establishing a system which has fallen into disuse in France, but which is still observed by us, viz:-that in order to have evidence of his regularity, every member must be provided with a certificate of his initiation and advancement. It may be noted, however, that the number of subordinate bodies, which made returns in this year is greater than in the preceding year. Among items of interest in the Memorandum may be mentioned the following:—the statement of a brother who had travelled in Australia, that he was admitted into bodies as a visitor, because he was of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, to which he could not have been admitted as a member of the French Rite. Several of the Lodges in France, under the Supreme Council, are strong in numbers and have large funds. Ill.: Bro,: HUBERT, Editor of the Chaine d' Union, one of the most estimable Masons in Europe, desired to retire from active membership in the Supreme Council, owing to his outside duties and poor health, but the Supreme Council fraternally requested him to retain his membership, and he consented. At one session of the Supreme Council, the Ill. Bro. RICHARDSON, was present from Martinique, and was fraternally received and invited to a seat at the side of the Sov.: Gr.: Commander. He described the way in which the works of Masonry are conducted at his Orient, and a battery of welcome "saluted his presence and consecrated the excellent relations between the Masons of the two

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Hemispheres." The Supreme Council re-affirmed a declaration made by the late Bro.: LEBLANC, that, "the high grades should not be either honors or rewards given to assiduity or to long Masonic career; they should be regarded as functions, as posts of direction and of instruction, confined as those of professors and of captains to the best instructed, the most valiant among Masons." Among the members to whom there was an authorization given to receive the 31°, were General MIRZA NEDJIFF ALI KHAN, Resident Minister of Persia, in Egypt, and several other brethren in Egypt, some of them residing in Cairo and some in Alexandria. This would seem to indicate that the Supreme Council of Egypt is not in active existence. A Charter was asked for a Lodge entitled Loge Natinale. but the Supreme Council, anticipating danger for the Rite, in the creation of a Lodge on a political basis, declined to grant the request. At a meeting of the second section of the Grand Lodge Central, a representative presented a proposition for revision of the ritual of the 18°, as it did not appear to be in accordance with modern ideas. The matter was remitted to the Supreme Council. Among the deaths announced is that of Ill.. Bro.: JEAN BAPTISTE CHARLOT, who was initiated in 1867, and who was a member of the Supreme Council since 1880. The Chaine d'union speaks very highly of the character and devotion of this brother to the interests of the fraternity. After noticing the fact, that he was accompanied to his last resting place in the Cemetery of Saint Maurice, by many of his brethren, and that discourses were pronounced over his grave, by a representative of the Lodge of which he was a member, and by a representative of the Supreme Council, the Chaine d'union, says :-- "The old and touching Masonic funeral ceremony at the grave, has regrettably fallen into disuse," but "fraternal honors will ultimately be paid to Bro. CHARLOT, in the Temple."

IRELAND.

The Supreme Council is composed of nine members. It has no honorary members resident in the country. The Active Members are:—Hon. John Fitzhenry Townshend, LL.D., Gr.: ,Commander; Rt. Hon. Hedges Eyre Chatterton, (our Representative), Lt.: Gr.: Commander; Robert William Shekleton, Q. C., Gr.: Chancellor; Theophilus E. St. George, Robert Warren, E. W. Maunsell, Gr.: Sec.: General and Treasurer; Col. Henry B. Johnson, Anderson Cooper, Col. the Rt. Hon. W, B. Forde.

NEW GRENADA IN COLOMBIA.

By arrangement, in consequence of an unexpected vacancy, Ill.: Bro.: BENJAMIN BAENA discharges the duties of head of this Council until the date of the next election, March, 1891.

Under date 10th March, 1889, the Grand Secretary-General of this Council, Ill.. Bro.. Octavio Baena, sends out a letter from the Grand Orient of France, in the original and with a Spanish translation. It appears that there had been circulated a Spanish edition of some works directed against Freemasonry, by the Frenchman Leo Taxil, who, once a Mason, had joined the Anti Masonic Crusade, now rampant in many Latin countries. The Masonic authorities of Colombia, applied to the Grand Orient of France, to know if there was any refutation of Taxil's work, which might be used to counteract the effect of its circulation. The

Grand Orient replied, that it had not noticed Taxil or his book; that to do so would confer upon him an honor or at least a notoriety, which he desired; that the public, having satisfied its curiosity with his book, would not be slow to estimate at its true value the work of one who produced such a book at the expense of honor and in the interests of the adversaries of freedom and liberty.

The following letter was omitted from the last printed Proceedings of this Supreme Council :-

U. T. O. A. A. G. I.

SUPREME COUNCIL FOR NEW GRENADA, UNITED STATES OF COLOMBIA.

Cartagena, February 29th, 1888.

To Ill .. John V. Ellis, 33°, Sov. .. Gr. .. Commander Supreme Council for the Dominion of Canada.

S. E. P.

DEAR AND ILL .. BRO .: .:

This letter is caused by a most sorrowful occurrence.

Our Sov.: Gr.: Master, the Most Puissant Bro.: Juan Manuel Gran, 33°, has just become the victim of a terrible disaster, which occurred on the steamer Refail Reyes, on the passage to the Capital, on the morning of the 21st current. He was instantly killed, with many other passengers, by the bursting of the boiler. May the God of Mercy receive them into His eternal Kingdom.

Ill... Bro... Gran, who, by successive elections, had been our Grand Master for over twelve years consecutively, was esteemed by all the fraternity and by society generally, on account of his admirable personal qualities as a citizen. He was most zealous, constant and faithful in the fulfilment of his social and Masonic duties. His death has caused profound sorrow to all who knew him and had dealings with him. He was true in his friendship, loyal and sincere in all his actions, without any restraint. He enjoyed doing good, particularly to those who were unfortunate, and was careful not to publish the succor which he gave, and the giving of which gave him great pleasure. The name of our unfortunate and Ill.. Bro. . Juan Manuel Gran, will remain upon our annals, written in indelible characters, as a testament of the recognition of his eminent virtues, and of our affection and respect to his memory.

Fraternally,

BENJAMIN BAENA, 33°.

OCTAVIO BAENA, 33°,

Grand Secretary-General.

MEXICO.

Copies of the journal La Regeneracion Masonica, published at Mexico, are sent to us irregularly. From the Supreme Council itself we receive no documents nor copies of its proceedings, though ours we send to it. There are three or four bodies claiming to be Sovereign powers. There is also a German Lodge, under

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authority of the Grand Lodge of Hamburg, at Mexico; one under the Grand Orient of France, and one or more working in the English language. Under the regular Supreme Council there are twenty-one Lodges of Perfection, ten Chapters of Rose Croix, and four Councils of Kadosh. One Lodge of Perfection works in the English language in the City of Mexico.

SWITZERLAND.

The Supreme Council for Switzerland sends out a letter which contains some curious information. In that Republic the Grand Lodge Alpina controls the Craft Lodges, and the higher degrees are under the Supreme Council; but it appears that there was to be a so-called (soi desant) Masonic banquet, to which a member of the Rose Croix Degree was asked by a friend to go. An application for a card of admission was refused. The Rose Croix was a Hebrew, and as the "Lodge of Scottish Masons of St. Andrew" worked the fourth degree, which was "essentially Christian," the Hebrew Rose Croix could not be admitted; as the Lodge of Scottish Masonry of St. Andrew held neither from the Grand Lodge Alpina nor the Supreme Council of Switzerland, the Brother who wished to go to its banquet suffered a rebuke which he ought to take with serenity. The circumstance, however, revealed the fact that this body illegally existed in Geneva, and that it was as intolerant as it was illegal.

SPAIN.

The attitude of our Supreme Council in regard to Spain is well-known. In the multiplicity of Supreme Councils, and of governing bodies we elect to accept none. One of the latest circulars we have received is from a new Grand Lodge, constituted the 16th March, 1889, of the Ancient and Primitive Oriental Rite, and which has entered into a compact with a body calling itself the Sovereign Grand Council-General of the Iberian Peninsula, and its possessions beyond the seas. Ill.: Bro.: PIKE, publishes in his bulletin a statement copied from a Spanish journal, which estimates that there are at least six hundred lodges under the different Supreme authorities in Spain; there are six organizations claiming supremacy in masonry in that country, and four bodies at least claiming the Supreme Councils. The Committee on Foreign Relations of the Supreme Council, Southern Jurisdiction of the United States, very properly in their last report, indulged the hope that in Spain "the friends of liberty and toleration may soon reconcile the differences that now exist among them, as to headship and control, and unite in a Supreme Council, that may present before the Masonic world valid and convincing proofs of regularity. To such a united and harmonious Supreme Council for Spain, we are waiting and ready and willing to extend fraternal recognition and mental support.

URUGUAY.

Under date the 22nd April, 1889, we have a letter from Montevideo, signed by PRUDENCIO ELLANRI, as Sov. Gr. Commander, and Jose Panes, Grand Secretary General, setting forth the definite organization of the Serene Grand Orient National of Uruguay. The names of the signatures are unknown to us. The Supreme Council with which we have fraternal relations has or had for its

head the Ill.. Bro.. Carlos de Castro, and last year we had from that authority a letter warning us of the formation of an illegal groups in the Republic, under the title the "Masonic League of Uruguay." Apparently the body over which P. Ellanri presides was formed under the auspices of this irregular League. We can have nothing to say to it.

COLON.

This Supreme Council announces on 15th May, 1889, the death of Il. Bro.'. Benito J. Riera, its Lieutenant-Grand Commander, and of Ill.'. Bro.' JUAN FRANCISCO COLLAZO, representative of the Supreme Council, Northern Jurisdiction of the United States.

SAINT DOMINGO.

The Bulletin of the Supreme Council for the Dominican Republic is received regularly. Masonic work is carried on with great vigor in this small republic, and an earnest interest is exhibited both in the affairs of the Craft at home and abroad. The announcement that this Supreme Council has been at last recognized by the Supreme Council for the Southern Jurisdiction of the United States, has given it great satisfaction.

BRAZIL.

The Supreme Council for Brazil publishes a monthly bulletin which, like that of St. Domingo deals with general subjects of Masonic interest, and publishes the acts of the governing bodies of Brazil. The VISCOUNT VIEIRA DA SILVA, is Sov.: Gr.: Commander, VISCOUNT DE JARY, Lieut-Gr.: Commander, R. A. MACHADO REIS, Secretary-General of the Supreme Council.

TUNIS

A communication has been received from Ill.. Bro.. N. CASSANELLO, Secretary-General of this Supreme Council, but it referred to a purely private matter, and mention is made of the fact merely to show that the Supreme Council has still an official existence.

ITALY.

There is considerable activity in the Italian Freemasonry since the union, and Ill. Bro. LEMMI, the Delegate Grand Commander has issued several vigorous appeals to Freemasons to assist him in several humanitarian movements, among these the abolition throughout the world of the death penalty.

PORTUGAL.

None of the bulletins of the Grand Oriente Lusitano Unido later than those of 1888 have been received. The office of Sov.: Gr.: Commander was then vacant by the death of COMTE DE PARCHY. This body has fraternal relations with nearly fifty governing Masonic bodies, Grand Lodges and Supreme Councils. It is composed, or rather the Supreme Council, which is a part of the Grand Orient, is composed of twenty-five members. There is a Consistory of the 32°; five bodies of Kadosh; a Grand Chapter of Rose Croix, with seventeen subordinates; a Grand Royal Arch Chapter, with two subordinates; a Symbolic Grand

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Lodge, with a number of subordinates, five of which are in Spain and two in Roumania. Speaking generally, Freemasonry in Portugal is in a healthy condition. By the Constitution of 1878, the legislative, executive and judicial powers of the Order were definitely settled, and the fraternity in that country was given a The French Rite, the Scottish Rite, and the Symbolic Rite were recognized; each Lodge was given the right to be represented in the Grand Lodge by its master and by a delegate chosen for three years, each of whom should be possessed of the Rose Croix Degree when they represented a Lodge working in either the French or Scottish Rites. The right to veto the act of Grand Lodge or to dissolve Grand Lodge, and to call another, was in the Grand Master. The executive power was placed in the Council of the Order composed of three members of each Rite, those representing the Scottish Rite had to be of the 33°; those representing the French Rite of the Rose Croix. The judicial power was in the first instance exercised by commissioners of justice of the Lodges, and in the second, resort was had to a chamber of appeal divided into three sections of Rites, so that appeal was finally disposed of in a chamber of the Rite from which the appeal emanated. This constitution was further amended in 1883, by taking away from the Grand Master the right of veto and the power of dissolving Grand Lodge. If the Grand Master hesitated to sanction a law, a three fourth vote of Grand Lodge made it available. The Grand Lodge was made a purely symbolic representative body, that is to say, it was no longer necessary to have any other degree than that of Master to sit in it, and one delegate was allowed to each Lodge for every five members. On the other hand, the authority of the Supreme Council in matters concerning its own affairs was strengthened. Further revision of the constitution is talked of. It is not, says the Bulletin, in the name of philosophical principles and of religious tolerance that revision is demanded. The agitation is not as it has been in France, to know if the formula of the name of the Supreme Architect of the universe should be suppressed, as excluding atheists and materialists. The questions which agitate the Masons of Portugal are not political but there are always ameliorations to be introduced into legislation, and the Grand Orient does not yet appear to have finally settled the balance of distribution of power, between the symbolic and the superior degrees. Generally speaking, however, Portuguese Masonry is in a good condition. The present organization of the fraternity in that country, dates 1867, when the Grand Orient Lusitanian, with the Supreme Councils attached to both were fused in one, under the name of the United Grand Lusitanian Orient.

Among the interesting events noted in the Bulletin, was a meeting held last year, under the auspices of the Lodge "Regeneracao Islandeza," of Lisbon, which has in its ranks several Germans who reside in that city. At this meeting there was a commemorative service of his late Majesty, William I. protector of the three Grand Lodges of Prussia. Several prominent persons attended, among them His Excellency the Minister of Germany, Baron Schmidthals, his wife, the Secretary and the Chancellor of the German Legation, the German Consul, the principal Officers of the Grand Orient, and a good number of English and German ladies, of the families of members, with a large concourse of the fraternity. The Lodge was decorated in red and black. A bust of the late Emperor was displayed on a

velvet cushion, richly decorated with gold; resting upon a tripod, were the emblems of royalty, the crown, the sceptre and the sword enveloped in crape. The armorial bearings of Germany, of Portugal, of the House of Hohenzollern, and of the Prince of Wales, an honorary member of this Lodge, were hung from the walls, between vases containing branches of the cypress. Other beautiful and appropriate decorations were displayed. Solemn music was rendered and appropriate addresses were delivered, and the German Minister thanked the orators of the evening for the homage they had rendered the late Emperor. At the close of the services, bouquets of violets tied with the national colors of Germany and of Portugal, were offered to the ladies.

SOUTHERN JURISDICTION UNITED STATES, AMERICA.

The Bulletins of this Supreme Council are the most valuable publications of the Rite and indeed of Freemasonry. They give detailed information respecting the condition and affairs of the Rite in the Southern Jurisdiction, and furnish a great variety of interesting intelligence respecting its transactions abroad. They deal with the history, literature, philosophy and dogmatic teaching of Scottish Freemasonry, and they are enlivened with poetry and with many selections which display the cultivated taste and the wide range of study of Ill.. Bro.. ALBERT PIKE, who controls their publication. They reflect honor alike upon him and upon the Supreme Council in whose name they are issued. The biennial session of this Supreme Council was held in Washington, in October, 1888, at which the rank of Emeritus member of Honour, was conferred upon the Sov.: Gr.: Commander of the Supreme Council for Canada, and upon Past Grand Commander Ill.. Bro.. Hutton. Four new active members were created, and the 33° Honorary, was conferred on ten members, thirty-two being elected to receive the degree. Charters were granted to several new bodies, and the financial exhibit of the Supreme Council, was a very satisfactory one. In the allocution of Ill.: Bro. . PIKE, there are many very beautiful passages. Referring to those who rest from their labors, he said :-

"It is our first duty to remember our dead and to speak of them reverently and lovingly. Death is capricious in his exactions, but at last every one must obey his summons; and we have rarely met, and rarely shall meet, without having to report the loss of some one of our number, for he has opened the gateway, through which we pass out of life into the eternity that lies beyond. On the 19th of June, 1887, our honored Grand Chancellor and most beloved Bro.'. HENRY BUIST, closed his eyes in peace upon the world—at peace with himself and all men, his conscience reproaching him with no wrong ever done to any. In the early afternoon of a noble and stainless life, he composed himself for his last long rest, as a tired hunter, free and fearless, lies down on his bed of leaves, courting the sweet influences of Nature's kind restorer, and waiting for them, sees the space of blue sky above him and the bright eyed stars looking down with solemn earnestness upon him, through the openings among the overarching branches of the trees, and so falls asleep."

"So we pass away, one after another, as the shadows of light clouds flit away out of sight on the water; we are remembered within a larger or smaller circle for

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little while, and then are of no more concern to those that come after us, than the leaves that fell last year are to those of the new spring. No one is missed for more than a day or two by the world, not even an Emperor. The place of every one who dies is soon filled, and after a time, the memories of our great men will be no more to the world than those of Alexander and of Hannibal. The name of Poloski is remembered; but I have seen his bust covered with dust, lying unregarded in a dark crypt, in the basement of the Capitol. Some who have been the world's benefactors, in the days of our grandfathers, are still remembered, becoming more and more shadowy and ideal, more and more the mere shadows of names, as they recede from us in the long vista of the past."

"So it has been often said, as if the inevitable destiny of the dead were a misfortune for them, and the certainty of it grevious to the living. But the life of the dead is not in the remembrance of the world, but in that of the friends to whom we shall still be, as if still living, the objects of a tender and pure affection. There is no immortality of remembrance, and I, for my part, care nothing for the remembrance of the world of strangers, if I can be kindly remembered by my friends."

Illustrating what can be done for the Rite by the energy of a few capable and zealous men, Ill.. Bro. PIKE spoke of what had been accomplished in Washington:

"In 1870, fifteen members of our Rite, none of them men of wealth or leisure, came together here and agreed to establish Mithras Lodge of Perfection. Not more than twelve of them put their hands in earnest to the work. In 1872, Evangelist Chapter of Rose Croix was created; in 1874 Robert de Bruce Council; and in 1875 a Commandery. The Lodge of Perfection now has exactly three hundred members, and all the work that it can do. These bodies, fortunately, compelled on brief notice to leave the rooms that they had for some years rented, purchased a building for themselves for \$13,000, for which, when they had expended \$3,000 in fitting it for their use, they were offered \$23,000. They have now enlarged it by an addition nearly finished, which has increased the value of the whole to nearly \$40,000, and they have now a brilliant future before them, their prosperity increasing the zeal and interest of the members, which want of property and debt and embarassment can never do.

"In all this time it has never occurred to them to lower the price of their degrees as a means of increasing their membership. It costs one now, who receives the degrees from the 4° to the 32° in them, \$185, and the prices have been very nearly the same from the beginning."

"I think that neither of them has ever given notice of an ordinary meeting through the newspapers. They have always obeyed the Statutes in regard to the mode of conferring the Degrees, doing so in full, honestly and thoroughly, and they have not courted notoriety, nor appeared in public, except when the doing so was required by duty. They have ascended to the height of their present prosperity in despite of as many obstacles as are to be encountered elsewhere, under the lead of a few most zealous brethren, of no wealth and little leisure, who have labored in season and out of season, never weary or disheartened, to build them up.

"They have given to me a confidence that nothing can shake in the future of

the Rite, and my indebtedness to them for that is immense. They have given me certain knowledge that it can win the consideration and command the enthusiasm of sober and thoughtful men, the labourer whose hands earn his living by honest toil, the thinker and the student, the mechanic and the vot...y of science, the enlightened Hebrew and the pious Christian clergyman, by appealing as it does to the moral sense and the intellect alone. They have given me assurance of its perpetuity, and without the gift of prophetic vision, the mystical forekenning of the Ancient Seers, I behold in it the Freemasonry of the future."

Referring to the Library founded by the Supreme Council, and which, under certain restrictions, is open to the public at Washington, Ill. . Bro. . PIKE says:

"Thinking that we ought to do the good that the Providence of God has given us the means and opportunity to do; knowing that there were many worthy men and women here, hungering and thirsting for the knowledge, the wisdom and instruction hoarded up in the books in our possession; there being no library in Washington open free of charge to any portion of the public; the Congressional Library being inaccessible, and to the working men and women, and indeed all the public, almost useless; and books, stored up in libraries and there remaining unread, being, as it were, dead books, of no more use than mummies, and for all practical purposes of no value, we thought it well, two years ago, to offer the use of our books to a limited number of persons, of a class that would profit by them, and who, knowing how valuable a thing a good book, choicely bound, is, would be too well bred to defile or deface one"

"I thought that perhaps this would turn the thoughts of some here towards the establishment of that which every city and many a small town has, and this capital of a nation has not, a free public library. It has not done so; but I suppose that we need not find cause of dissatisfaction in being left in the undisturbed monoply of furnishing without charge, to some four hundred men and women the means of acquiring knowledge, which is the light and air of the soul."

"I hope that you may approve of and continue this dedication of the library to a limited extent, to public use. The life of an Order consists of what it does. It lives by doing good, and if it sends out no rays of beneficence on any side, its life is only the life of a fungus. Somehow, too, it seems to me that the spirit of a writer is in his books, and that if they are not read, it is imprisoned there like the body of an old King of Egypt, in its sarcophagus."

"We can do no good in this way without courting notoriety. The existence and quality and rareness and value of the books of such a library, and the fact that many are permitted to enjoy the use of it, are not matters that possess an interest for the general public, or attract the attention of a journalism ever occupied with the higher matters of baseball and fashionable gossip, or with the amenities and veracities of political controversy."

Since the meeting of the Supreme Council, on 15th April, 1889, Ill.: Bro.: MICHEL ELOI GIRARD, an active member from the State of Louisiana, an able lawyer and Grand master of Masons in his State for two years, died. An admirable description of Masonic and public services is sent to the fraternity, selected

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at e e from one of the newspapers of the State, and Bro.. PIKE follows that with some eloquent reflections of his own.

"These are, we are very sure, words of truth and soberness; and although to nearly all the surviving members of the Supreme Council the Brother who has died was not personally known, his death is to us, as well as to those who knew him well and loved and honorued him, the death of a valued and loyal friend."

"When the calamities of life have fallen heavily upon us and oppress us; when with a sad sense of loneliness, after living more than our half century, we look around us and survey the graves of those who have been dear to us, our loved ones, our children and our true and tried friends, we cling the more closely to the few companions of the olden time who still survive. We feel painfully the loss of a good man and true, who had an honest hatred for everything ignoble; and every such death is to us like the blotting out of a star from the sky."

"There are many hearts that will long be sore for the death of our Brother GIRARD. With the few of our number who were his intimate associates, and who have not found too many men worth loving and revering, the pain which his death has caused will abide always,—for they are growing old, too, and will make no new friends; and 'always' is but a little length of time to them now; and the face of the departed friend will be with them to the end of it, by the winter-fire, and pale in the moonlight of the sultry summer-night."

"Time, it seems to us, best loves to rob those who have but little to lose. When, of all our store of jewels, only one or two are left, these become immeasurably dear to us. So was our Brother GIRARD dear to the old Masons of Louisiana; and those of us who know him slightly or not at all may well sympathize with them to whom his death brings great grief and sorrowful regret; nor does it need that we should have personally known or seen a man, to make his life precious to us, and his death felt as a misfortune. An Order "to which its holy Dead were of no consequence," would itself be of no consequence, and without a living Soul in its bosom, to thrill with emotions of admiration, sympathy, or sorrow, for the Living who are serving it faithfully and heroically, or the Dead who deserve to be remembered by it."

"We of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite will not show ourselves unworthy to have been of one brotherhood with our Dead, even to lands beyond the sea, by hearing with indifference and unconcern of their deaths, whereby Freemasonry everywhere is the loser. We will pay honor and reverence to them, and send our heart-offering of admiration for their virtues and services and of our regret, to those who loved them, and whose tears have fallen upon their graves."

In another line of work, not pleasing to perform, but which has been ably and firmly and effectually done, exposing the pretensions of Cerneauism, Ill... Bro... PIKE, has discharged a duty in such a way, as to place legitimate Freemasonry everywhere under the greatest obligations to him.

As these pages are passing through the press, a circular from Ill.. Bro.. PIKE, dated Washington, Nov. 27, 1889, announces the death on the previous day of AZARIAH T. C. PIERSON, of Saint Paul, in Minnesota, an Emeritus member of

the Southern Supreme Council and an ex-Grand Prior of that Council. a "mason of nearly fifty years' fraternal service." Bro: PIERSON had assisted at the organization of the first Lodge and the first Chapter in the State. He organized the first Commandery of the Order of the Temple. and was at its head for six years. He was the first Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons; he had served for six years as Grand Chaplain-General of the Grand Encampment of the United States; and for three years as General Grand King of the General Grand Royal Arch Chapter; and "in all of these stations. he labored with singular industry, indefatigable diligence and great efficiency, up to the last days of his life." "He was a man of very rare discriminative intelligence and ripe judgment, conservative, of sufficient Masonic reading, and possessed of that rarest of gifts, the logical faculty or mental straight-sightedness, which readily detects sophistry and aberrations and errors, and discerns the truth, and of a large, genial, warm, kindly nature." Let us ever keep in remembrance the names of our illustrious dead.

NORTHERN JURISDICTION UNITED STATES, AMERICA.

The annual session of the Supreme Council of the Northern Jurisdiction of the United States, is held a few weeks earlier in the year than that of Canada. While the volume of its proceedings, is a work of great interest to the Rite, it loses to us some of its importance, because it appears about the same time as our own, and is therefore quite a year old before it is available for the purposes of work like these notes. It may be of interest, however, to say that the issue for the year 1888 contains three hundred and sixty pages, and that it is a work of much value respecting the internal affairs of the Rite in the United States One of its most noticeable features, is the series of admirably written biographies of members who died during the year. Finely executed steel engravings are printed of Bros : JOHN H. GEORGE, of New Hampshire; WILLIAM SEWALL GARDNER, of Massachusetts; Joseph D. Evans, of New York; John Woolverton, of New Jersey and JOEL SPALDING, of Massachusetts; and there is a heliotype of RICHARD SPOFFORD, also of Massachusetts, distinguished in his State as an orator and a poet, and the husband of an authoress, (Harriett Prescott), well known in Canada. The interesting fact is mentioned in connection with Bro.: SPOFFORD, that his father became a Mason in 1809, and the son kept up the succession, the Masonic life of father and son covering a period of eighty-one years.

In the year closing July 1, 1887, the total number of G. E. and Perfect Masons. made in the Jurisdiction of the Northern Supreme Council, was 1,308; in the year closing July 1, 1888, the number was 1,641. Referring to these figures, Ill. Bro. Palmer, the Sov. Gr. Commander, said:—

"Increase of members alone is not always a true test of strength and prosperity; but when to a large accession of new members, we can add the additional fact that the increase is made up of careful selections from the brightest, most intelligent and conscientious of Masons, whose work has been tried by experience, of men who are honorable, upright and influential in their respective communities and whom I conscientiously believe to be true to our work, we may reasonably conclude that our progress is healthy and desirable, and that our

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Mont quet i of the mostle it be Canad large addition of members correspondingly increase the strength, usefulness and moral influence of our order. It is undoubtedly true that the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Masonry has already become a moral force in the land, the capacity of which for good is unlimited."

The Supreme Council appropriated the sum of three thousand dollars to compile, edit, publish and have circulated, a statement of historic facts, relative to the formation and organization of the Supreme Council, recounting the events in its history from the year 1815. Ten thousand copies of this statement are to be printed.

Among the eminent Masons of the Northern Supreme Council, who died after the session of 1888 and before that of the present year, was John Livy Lewis. of New York, "a ripe scholar, a ready and accomplished writer and an eloquent and persuasive orator." He was Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New York in 1856-60. He had served as Grand High Priest of the Grand Chapter of the State, General Grand High Priest of the General Grand Chapter of the States, Grand Generalissimo of the Grand Encampment of Knights Templars of the United States, and Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of the 33d Degree for the Northern Jurisdiction of the United States.

These references to the Rite in the Northern Jurisdiction, our near neighbor, would not be complete without a selection from the transactions of the proceedings of the Council of Deliberation for the State of Vermont, held June 10th, 1889, at Burlington, in which the Ill.: Commander-in-Chief, Bro.: GEORGE O. TYLER, says:—

" In connection with the account of the session of our own Supreme Council I am happy to add my report of another visit to the session of the Supreme Council for the Dominion of Canada on the 24th and 25th days of October, 1888. I was again accompanied by Ill.: Brothers BASCOM and HILL. There was also present from our Northern Jurisdiction Ill .: Bro .: TRACY of Michigan, the Grand Representative of Canada at our Supreme Council. The session was held at the asylum of its See in the Grand East, City of Montreal. The visitors were heartily welcomed by the Sov.: Grand Commander, invited to seats in the East, and to participate in the labors of the Council. By request, as last year, Rev. and Ill.: Bro.: Howard F. Hill of Vermont, acted as the Grand Prior in a most acceptable manner. Our Sov.: Gr.: Commander Ill.: Bro.:, HENRY L. PALMER was made an Honorary Member of the Supreme Council of Canada. Then in recognition, perhaps, of the interest and favor ever shown by the Brethren of the Dominion for their near neighbors of Vermont-certainly modesty can find no other reason-the same honor was conferred on the Deputy for Vermont, an honor which he regards as one of the highest and brightest rewards of his Masonic career. At the feasts of their abounding hospitality their visitors were greeted with hearty speeches of fraternal regard and welcome, to which we endeavored to respond in a way to show our appreciation of their flattering attentions. The Montreal Brethren made the reception still further enjoyable by an elegant banquet for their guests at the St. James Club. In hospitality and kindness the land of the North is fruitful and never barren. The business of the Council was mostly of a local nature, and full of peace and harmony. Again, we all say, may it be our good fortune to attend another session of the Supreme Council for Canada."

BRAZIL.

Since the note on Brazil was printed, a letter has been received informing us of the death of the Sov. Gr. Commander, the Viscount Antonia Viera de Silva, who died on the 6th November. He was a man held in much esteem by the Brazillian Brethren, who have the sympathy of this Supreme Council in their bereavement.

LETTER FROM EARL OF LATHOM, GRAND COMMANDER OF SUP.: CO.: FOR ENGLAND AND WALES, ETC., ETC.

LATHOM HOUSE, ORMSKIRK, OCT. 18TH, 1889.

Dear Sir and Illustrious Brother :-

I beg to acknowledge with thanks, the receipt of your letter of the 17th Sept. May I ask you to convey to the Supreme Council for the Dominion of Canada my sincere thanks for the high honor that they have conferred upon me, and assure them that I deeply feel the kindly, brotherly words in which that honor has been conveyed to me. I have great pleasure in accepting the Honorary Membership, and intend to place my Diploma amongst my most valued archives.

I remain, dear sir and Illustrious Brother,

Yours fraternally

LATHOM, 33°.

HUGH MURRAY, Esq.,

Ill.: Secretary-General.

IN MEMORIAM.

The following beautiful sentiments were expressed by Ill.. Bro.. EDWARD MITCHELL, at a banquet given by the members of the Rite in the City of Hamilton, on the occasion of their "Ninth Annual Re-union," when the "Roll of the Dead" was read by him and is printed here as a matter of interest to the members of the Rite in Canada.

"To interfere with, or break in upon our mirth, jollity and supremely happy interchange of sentiment, by the introduction of a generally thought serious and solemn subject, may at first sight seem to some of you as ill-timed and inappropriate, but I think that on reflection you will, with me, heartily and warmly agree with our rulers that at no time could we, or should we, render a more sincere tribute to the memory of those "gone before," than to pause for a moment or two in the midst of our glee and mirth while our Death Roll is being called, and as the loved and revered names strike the ear, and without special allusion to any one of them, to recall to our minds either the kind word, the cheerful glance, the pleasant smile, the brotherly grasp, the loving counsel and advice, or the generous actions of those whom any of us may have known personally; and so far there is not a

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name upon the roll now in my hand of our honored dead, but what was personally known to some around this table to-night.

I believe it is true that there is no mortal who does not shrink from the idea of being absolutely forgotten, and yet we know how soon, under ordinary circumstances, our very names sink into oblivion, and will it not be a pleasant thought to cheer each of our hearts, as we carry with us the knowledge, while we still remain on this side of the river, that, when we have passed in "behind that door that never swings outward," our names will occasionally be remembered and recalled; for the edict has now gone forth, that at all future re-unions, whatever else may be done or may not be done, the Death Roll, name by name, will be called, and the toast proposed and drank, and all the more heartfelt because drank in thoughtful silence, "To the memory of departed brethren."

For the first time I will now call this roll, and although the voices that at one time may have often been heard so clearly and distinctly in our Lodge, Chapter or Consistory, and may have been like music in the ear of some loved one still remaining on this side, can no longer audibly respond to the call, still, as the curtain which hides futurity has never yet been lifted, we cannot tell and do not really know but what their spirit voices may be with us and around us, each one as his name is called answering, "Here, dear brethren, here, with you in spirit now, as formerly in body."

(Here followed the Roll of the Dead).

"Death, my brethren, we know, is the common lot of everything that lives.

"Just a little sunshine,
Just a little cloud,
Just a little glimpse of joy,
Then a heart that's bowed;
Just a little tranquil hour,
Just a little strife;
This is all the story
Of every mortal life."

And while, to use the words of our burial service, "we drop a sympathetic tear" to the memory of our departed brethren, it is neither right, nor is it natural nor at all called for, that we should give away to grief, sorrow, or depression of spirits. Rather the contrary. We believe the teachings and precepts of the several degrees in Masonry through which we have passed, and in all of them we are taught the cheering and inspiring thought, regarding those who have crossed the dark stream, "Not dead, but gone before"; and while we drink the toast to the memory of those whose names have been called, it need not, it should not, affect us in but the one way, that of happy, loving remembrance of the departed, coupled with the resolve so to live ourselves during our short pilgrimage here, that when our turn comes to have our names inscribed upon this roll, those who are left will at least once a year breathe our names with loving remembrance, and recall some brotherly characteristic by which we were known and understood. It is

not mete that we should mourn; it is not right that we should be even sad, for are we not taught that

"By the cot of the peasant where poverty weeps,
And the palace where royalty dines,
Down over the cradle where infancy sleeps,
And up where the strong statesman shines,
There closely impinges a 'garden of loves'
Where never a tear drop is shed,
And the flowers ever bloom 'mid the cooing of doves,
'Tis the beautiful land of the dead.

Our brethren who dwell in that land of delight,
'Mid its music and sunshine and mirth,
Are those who were true unto God and the right,
In this wearisome, sorrowful earth;
And each as he come, by His favor restored,
To fountains of gladness is led,
And lives in the light of the smile of the Lord,
In the beautiful land of the dead."

My brethren, I give you the toast: "To the loving memory of our brethren, in the beautiful land of the dead."

In Memoriam.





John Simons, 33°,

MEMBER OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL

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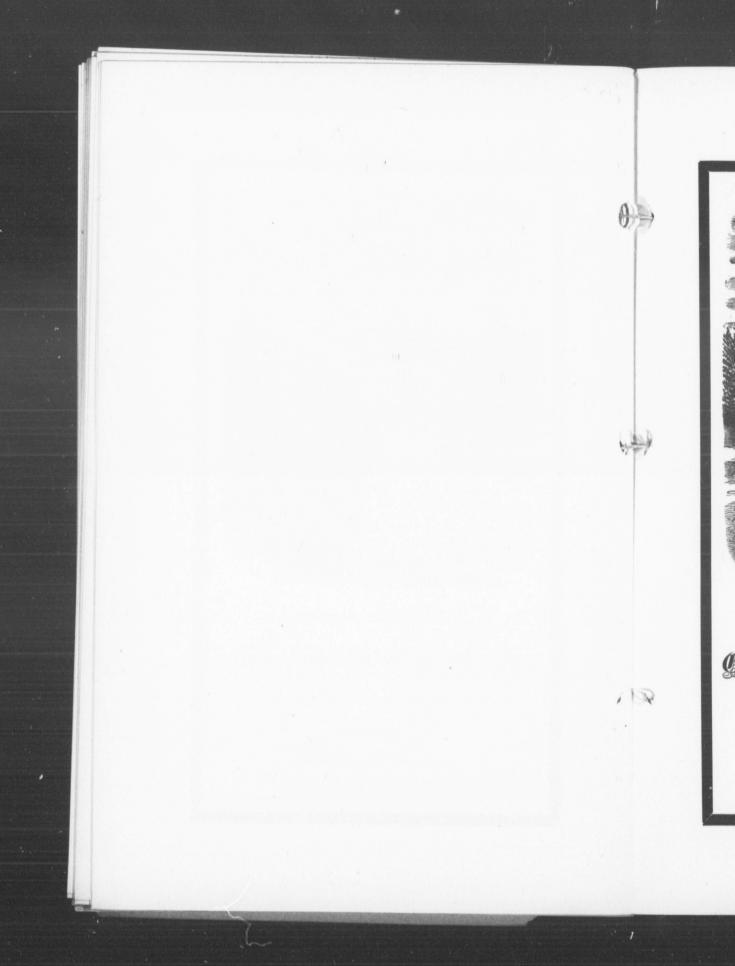
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-FOR-

England and Wales, etc.





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England and Wales, etc.





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GRAND COMMANDER OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL

-FOR-

New Grenada.





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MEMBER OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL

FOR

France.





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GRAND COMMANDER OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL

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" Joseph Burvis, 18°, Toronto, Out.

LIL. Bro. Chas. H. Foster, 30°, Loronto, Ont.

APPENDIX

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Of the Supreme Council, the Bodies under its obedience, and the registered Members of the Rite in the Dominion of Canada; of Supreme Councils in correspondence with this Supreme Council; of the names of the Grand Commanders, and of the names and addresses of the Secretaries-General;

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Lieutenant Grand Commander.

HUGH MURRAY, 33°,

Secretary-General H: E:

HUGH ALEXANDER MACKAY, 33°,

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DANIEL SPRY, 33°,

Grand Chancellor.

WILLIAM REID, 33°,

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Grand Master of Ceremonies.

ISAAC HENRY STEARNS, 33°,

Grand Marshal.

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Grand Standard Bearer.

DAVID McLELLAN, 33°,

Grand Captain of the Guard.

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MOORE CONSISTORY, 32°, Hamilton.

Quarterly Meetings.—2nd Friday in January, April, June and October.

Hugh Murray, 33°, Com.-in-Chief. William Henry Ballard, 32°, Gr.: Sec..

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Hope, Kilvert Spence Blackw Mitchel Bowma Mason, Roberts Hewson Irving, Wright Babcoc Smylie, Goodhi Burch, Priddis McBeth Porte, Watern Watern Millwa Waddir Bajus, Gibson Flahert Spence Freema Malone McIlro Dexter, Townse Irwin, Bruce, Slatter, Mills, 1 Rowe, Cooper McCon Downe King, Park, J Smith, Murdoo Glanvil McMic

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Hope, Robert Knight, 32 °	Ballard, William Henry320
Kilvert, Francis Edwin30°	Griffin, Herbert Spohn32°
Spencer, Walter32°	Pain, Albert300
Blackwood, Thomas F32°	Chrystal, Ceorge32°
Mitchell, Edward33°	McPhie, Donald32°
Bowman, William 32°	Lees, Thomas
Mason, Joseph32 °	Lietar Thomas W
	Lister, Thomas W32°
Robertson, James32°	Little, John Morrison32°
Hewson George H32°	Husband, Thomas H 32°
Irving, Andrew S30°	McMahon, John Samuel32°
Wright, Hugh McC32°	Edwards, William A30°
Babcock, Brenton D33°	Campbell, John30°
Smylie, Robert W32°	Pentecost, Albert Louis300
Goodhue, Charles F 32°	Zimmerman, Adam 30°
Burch, David Burley320	Thomas, Chas. Lewis 30°
Priddis, James320	Hill, David 32°
McBeth, John320	Ray, Samuel Wellington 32 °
Porte, Andrew W320	Counter, Moses Ruby320
Waterman, Isaac320	Toms, Isaac Francis 32°
Waterman, Herman 320	Mulligan, Charles Willer 32°
Millward, William E32°	Clapp, David Philip 32°
Waddington, jr., William32°	Ferrah, William Andrew32°
Bajus, Philip32°	Hall, Horace Judah30°
Gibson, William32°	MacWatt, Daniel Fraser32°
Flaherty, William LeR32°	Sanford Sudney Tames
Spencer, Charles N 32°	Sanford, Sydney James32°
Freeman, William 30°	Atkinson, Lemington 32°
	Davison, Samuel32°
Malone, Elias Talbot32°	Hoodless, John300
McIlroy, jr., Thomas32°	Lennox, John30°
Dexter, David32°	Millard, James William320
Townsend, Sherman E 32°	Wilson, Thomas Hubert32°
Irwin, John32°	Garland, James32°
Bruce, William 30°	Hendry. Charles 30°
Slatter, Philip J31°	MacKelcan, Henry Aubur 32°
Mills, Francis H32°	Stewart, John300
Rowe, George G 32°	Adams, George Duane32 °
Cooper, William M32°	Weatherly, William Leeds 320
Cooper, William M32 ° McConkey, George S32 °	Townsend, Watton Gibbs 32°
Downey, Thomas 32°	Malloy, John 30°
King, Joseph320	Carse, Peter Davey320
Park, Joseph 32°	Malloch, Donald McGregor320
Smith, Alfred320	Thompson. John Moffatt300
Murdoch, Andrew320	Stewart, Alexander D 300
Glanville, James32°	Chisholm, James 300
McMichael, Solon William 32°	Howell, Frederick Justus300
Montgomery, Lancelot B32°	Irwin, Thomas
Morrison, Angus 32°	Davis, William R320
Ponton, Arch. Douglas 32°	Davis, William R
Toliton, Alen. Douglas320	

HAMILTON CHAPTER ROSE CROIX, 18°, Hamilton.

Monthly Meetings. -4th Tuesday in each month.

Donald McPhie, 32°, M.: W.: Sov.: Watton Gibbs Townsend, 32°, Registrar.

MEMBERS:

Murton, John Walter33°	Smith, Charles Robinson 32
Mackay, Hugh Alexander33°	Hutchison, Robert Andrew32

Reid, William 33°	Despard, Fitzherbert R32°
Edgar, William 32°	McLellan, David33 °
Mitchell, Edward 33°	Tilden, John Henry 320
Charlton, James320	Dewar, William320
Brierly, Richard32°	Patterson, George H180
Kerns, William 31°	Whyte, Alexander Ralph32 °
Kerns, William31° Kerr, James Kirkpatrick33°	Vail, Albert S 180
Mason, John James 32°	Wright, Hugh McCulla32°
Stewart, Gavin33°	Hope, Robert Knight320
Murray, Hugh33°	Kilvert, Francis Edwin300
Gibson, John Morison33°	Wilson, Archdale320
Humphrey, Nelson 18°	Hill, David320
Smith, Alfred W 180	Baker, George
Land, John Henry18°	Gibson, William 32°
Spencer, Walter32°	McKay, Alexander180
McLelland, William 18°	McGregor, John Owen 180
Billings, John32°	McKechnie, Robert180
Simpson, Robert E18°	Perine, Robert Treat180
Clark Thomas32°	Tyre, George Clark180
Kenrick, Edward18°	Wright, William18°
Turner, Alexander32°	Flaherty, William Leroy320
Bell, David 32°	Thomas, Charles Lewis300
Bell, David32 ° McLaughlin, Alexander C18 °	Zimmerman, Adam30°
Canfield, James32°	Allan, Absolom Shade180
Campbell, John30°	Mills, Francis Hincks320
Dickson, George 32°	Lees, Thomas32
McRae, Colin, 32°	Little, John M320
Petrie, Thomas S	Husband, Thomas H320
Townsend, Sherman E320	Wanzer, Frank Lyon18°
Griffin, Herbert Spohn 32°	Irwin, Thomas30°
Pentecost, Albert Louis30°	McMahon, John Samuel32°
Dewar, David Burton32°	Mulligan, Chas. Willer32 °
Hood, Thomas32°	Edwards, William A
Haslett, Thomas Chisholm 18°	Teetzel, John Vernal180
Spry, Daniel33°	Lester, Thomas W32°
Pain, Albert30°	Stewart, Alexander David 30 °
Ballard, William Henry32°	Carse, Peter Davey 32°
Gwyn, Herbert Charles 18°	Clappison, Thomas180
Dexter, David32°	Hall, Horace Judah 30°
Gunn, John F. H 32°	Hendry, Charles 300
Stewart, Adam A180	Hoodless, John300
Plastow, John B180	Lennox, John30°
Freeman, William300	Browne, Joseph Bloor 180
Chrystal, George32°	Case, Hamilton Spencer180
Klotz, Otto Julius 180	Tunsted, John 180
Land, Allen 18°	Millard, James William320
Bowman, William 32°	Brown, William Evatt180
Mason, Joseph32°	Malloy, John 30°
McPhie, Donald32°	Wilson, Thomas Herbert320
Matheson, Walter	MacKelcan, Henry Aubur 32°
Robertson, James32°	Stewart, John300
Hyndman, William18°	Lockhead, John Andrew18°
Hewson, George H 32°	Livingston, James 180
Babcock, Brenton D33°	Lawson, Joseph 180
Furness, Peter S 180	Clapp, David 32°
Milward, William E320	Ireland, John
Dalley, Frederick Fenner32°	Ferrah, William Andrew 320
Waterman, Isaac 220	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,

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	Harris, Charles Franklin180
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	Bowman, Joseph Henry180
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	Anderson, James 18
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١	Irvine, Alexander
1	Carmichael, Hartley18°
1	Little, Andrew James180
1	Davis, Walter Hammill 18
1	McCoy, John18°

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Monthly Meetings-1st Tuesday in each Month.

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Smith, Charles Robinson 32°	Davis, Cornelius A14°
Humphrey, Nelson180	Ballard, William Henry 32°
Hutchison, Robert Andrew32°	Hood, Thomas32°
Tilden, John Henry 320	Reid, William Gillen32°
Dewar, William320	Billings, John32°
Morris, William J 180	Hancock, William14°
Vail, Albert S180	Haslett, Thomas Chisholm180
Hope, Robert Knight 32°	Dickson, George32°
Smith, Alfred W 180	Griffin, Herbert Spohn32°
Spencer, Walter 32°	Campbell, John300
McLelland, William180	McLauchlan, Alex. C180
Scott, John	Gwyn, Herbert C180
McPhie, Donald32	Chisholm, Robert 14°
Bowman, William32 °	Gunn, Ralph Leeming18°
Land, Allan 18°	Townsend, Sherman E32°
Robertson, James32	McKay, Alexander18°
Mason, Joseph32°	Pentecost, Albert Louis30°
Hyndman, Hugh14°	Hunter, David Hamilton 14°
Matheson, Walter	Somerville, George A
Hyndman, William 18° Wilson, Isaac Pemberton	Petrie, Thomas S
	Lennard, S. J14°
Hewson, George H32° Brown, John14°	Dexter, David32°
Bell, David32°	Reid, Peter
Dalley, Frederick Fenner32°	Thomas, Charles Lewis30°
Gracie, John14 °	Smith, Thomas 14°
Dickson, John.	Shilvock, Daniel Albert14°
Dickson, John	McGregor, Charles Kenneth14°
Crawford, Henry Theodore12°	Stewart, Alexander D30°
Klotz, Otto Julius18°	Browne, Joseph Bloor18°
Gunn, John F. H32°	Case, Hamilton Speacer18°
Lennard, Harry14°	Carse, Peter Davey32°
Baker, George 18°	Morden, John Wesley.
McGregor, John Owen180	Morden, John Wesley14° Kenny, Samuel Marlatt18°
Plastow. John Bilton18°	Gallagher, Richard E14°
Chrystal, George32°	Scott, James 14°
Freeman, William 30°	Lennox, John300
Wilson, Thomas H320	Malloy, John 30°
Crawford, William Patrick 14°	Hoodless, John 300
Robertson, Charles14°	Smith, Alexander180
Zimmerman, Adam300	Wyllie, Alexander A14°
Gibson, William 32°	Husband, Robert James140
Clappison, Thomas180	Stewart, John 300
Klotz, Emil William	Lockhead, John Andrew18°
Clarke, William14°	MacKelcan, Henry Aubur 32°
Wright, William180	Anderson, James18°
Flaherty, Wm. Leroy320	Brown, William E 180
Green, Richard140	Ross, Frederick Blythe14°
Simpson, Robert Ed180	Millard, James William32
Kenrick, Edward	Ireland, John18°
Thompson, Alexander W180	Bowman, Joseph Henry18°
Clark, Thomas320	Winn, John Henry14°
Turner, Alexander320	Howell, Frederick Justus30°
Stuart, John140	Gosnell, Thomas Salter14°
Jones, Alfred140	Johnson, James180
Jardine, Joseph W	Palmer, John C
McDonald, William	Ferrah, William Andrew320
McKechnie, Robert. 18-	Grant John Robert 140

Davis, Cornelius A14° Ballard, William Henry32°
Hood, Thomas32°
Reid, William Gillen32°
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Hancock William
Hancock, William
Dickson George 220
Griffin Herbert Spohn 220
Campbell John 200
McLauchlan Alex C 180
Gwyn, Herbert C180
Chisholm, Robert 14°
Gunn Ralph Leeming 180
Gunn, Ralph Leeming
McKay, Alexander18°
Pentecost, Albert Louis300
Hunter, David Hamilton14°
Somerville, George A18°
Petrie, Thomas S18°
Lennard S I
Lennard, S. J
Reid, Peter 14°
Hill David
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Smith, Thomas 14°
Shilvock, Daniel Albert14°
McGregor, Charles Kenneth14°
Stewart, Alexander D30°
Browne, Joseph Bloor180
Case, Hamilton Speacer180
Carse, Peter Davey32°
Morden, John Wesley14°
Kenny, Samuel Marlatt180
Gallagher, Richard E14°
Scott, James 14°
Lennox, John300
Malloy, John300
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Smith, Alexander180
Wyllie, Alexander A 140
Wyllie, Alexander A14° Husband, Robert James14°
Stewart, John
Lockhead, John Andrew180
MacKelcan, Henry Aubur32°
Anderson, James
Brown, William E18°
Ross, Frederick Blythe14°
Millard, James William32°
Ireland, John
Bowman, Joseph Henry180
Winn, John Henry
Howell, Frederick Justus30°
Gosnell, Thomas Salter14°
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Ferrah, William Andrew 32°

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20	John Callard, 18°, M.: W.: Sov.: James Priddis, 32°, Registrar.
80	MEMBERS.
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Macbeth, John32°	Niven, James S
Beattie, Thomas32°	Davis, Rev. Evans180
Smythe, Alfred George30°	Priddis, James320
Carey, William32°	Hunt, Charles Brewer32°
Birrell, George Sunley33°	Porte, Andrew William 320
Moore, Col. W. J. B. MacL33°	Irwin, John

Hood, Frederick Joseph 18° Waterman, Isaac. 32° Waterman, Isaac. 32° Lewis, Robert 18° Moore, Edwin Manning, 18° Choate, John Frederick. 18° Jeffrey, Albert Oscar 18° Spencer, Charles Norman 32° Glakeney, Thomas. 18° Minhinnick, John R 18° Reid, William John. 18° Reid, William John. 18° Carling, Thomas Harry. 18° Mourand, George Ferguson. 18° Isolard, John 18° Isolard, Alexander 18° Isolard, Is	Hyman, Charles Smith 30° Mackay, Robert 32° Sharman, John Dennis 18° Englehart, John Lewis 30° Macbeth, George 18° Harris, George Becher 18° Danks, Isaiah 18° Douglas, James 18° Counter, Moses Ruby 32° Rose, John Alexander 18° Toms, Isaac F 32° Lilley, Francis Walder 18° Mallock Donald McGregor 30° Dewar John Stewart 18° Hegler Jas Carruthers 18° Kennedy, Hugh Peter 18° Grosscup, Jonas Anthony 18°
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John Dennis Sharman, 18°, T.: P.: G.: M.: Albert Oscar Jeffery, 18°, Gr.: Sec.:

MEMBERS

McBeth, John32°	I M
Beattie, Thomas32°	R
Smyth, Alfred George30°	C
Carey, William 320	D
Birrell, George Sunley33°	C
Moore, Col. W. J. B. MacLeod 33°	S
Goodhue, Frederick Charles 32°	Ir
Burch, David Burley 32°	D
Hood, Frederick Joseph18°	L
Waterman, Isaac32°	M
Waterman, Herman320	C
Lewis, Robert180	R
Burnett, John180	T
Niven, James Simpson180	D
Davis, Evans180	H
Priddis, James320	K
Hunt, Charles Brewer 320	G
Porte, Andrew William320	Bu
Irvin, John	A
Tracy, Thomas Henry180	N
Hyman, Charles Smith300	Ra
Mackay, Robert 320	Be
Sharman, John Dennis 180	To
Englehart, Jacob Lewis 300	Gi
Macbeth, George 180	Br
Harris, George Becher180	Br
Danks, Isaiah180	Co
Moore, Edward Manning 180	Sic
Choate, John Frederick 180	Co
effery, Albert Oscar180	Be
Spencer, Charles Norman320	Ma
Blakeney, Thomas 180	

BERS:
Minhinnick, John R18°
Reid, William John18°
Carling, Thomas Harry18°
Durand, George Ferguson18°
Callard, John
Callard, John 18° Simpson, Herbert Charles 18°
Irvine, Alexander18°
Douglas, James
Lilley, Frank Walder18°
Mallock, Donald McGregor30°
Counter, Moses Ruby32°
Rose, John Alexander18°
Toms, Isaac Francis32°
Dewar, John Stewart18°
Hegler, James Carruthers18°
Kennedy, Hugh Peter18°
Grosscup, Jonas Anthony18°
Buttler, Francis Henry14°
Adams, Edward14°
Nicholson, Malcolm14°
Radcliffe, Richard14°
Beck, Joseph14°
Johnstone, William John 14°
Grandon Acquille Ormoby
Graydon, Acquilla Ormsby14° Brock, Thomas
Brewer, John Griffith 5°
Cooper Albert Edward
Cooper, Albert Edward14°
Siddons, John
Conn, John 14° Bell-Smith, Frederick Marlett 14°
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Monthly Meetings-3rd Monday in each Month.

Elias Talbot Malone, 32°, M.: W.: Sov.: Arch. Douglas Ponton, 32°, Registrar.

MEMBERS.

Menet, Frederick J33°	Darby, George
Kerr, James K33°	Adams, James 180
Sargant, Thomas 33°	Tennant, David180
Nixon, James B32°	Cameron, William James180
Brown, Charles W180	Ledyard, Thomas Douglas180
McLeod, William180	Stevenson, James Douglas 180
Hamilton, jr., William180	Irving, Andrew S300
Paterson, George Carson180	Hutchinson. Thomas180
Fisher, John 30°	Tultord, Henry180
Blackwood, Thomas F32°	Robertson, John Ross320
Wilson, James 32°	Campbell, Andrew Ginty180
Watson, William180	McIlroy, jr., Thomas320
Venables, John H180	Rowe, George Gilbert320
Orpen, Henry John180	Geddes, William Alfred180
Dixon, William J180	House, William Richard180
Cooper, William Matthew320	Downey, Thomas 32°
Simpson, William 180	McConkey, George Scott 320
Lyon, Napoleon Theodore180	Osborne, Samuel Newman 180
Malone, Elias Talbot 320	Crawford, Joseph Tucker 18°
London, William H. S180	Willis, John Alfred18°
Ray, Samuel Wellington 320	Davison, Samuel32°
Lowrey, William180	Taylor, William Henry 18°
Jackson, William S. S180	Weatherly, William Leeds32°
Waddington, jr., William320	Glanville, James32°
Matthews, Robert Valliere 180	King, Joseph32°
Slatter, jr., Philip310	Atkinson, Lemington32°
Boddy, Ulysses180	Montgomery, Lancelot Barron 320
Roaf, William18°	Lowndes, Henry
Morrison, Angus320	McMichael, Solon William 320
Ponton, Archibald Douglas32°	Gowan, James Robert180

TORONTO LODGE OF PERFECTION, 14°, Toronto.

Monthly Meetings-3rd Monday of every Month.

Samuel Davison 32°.: T.: P.: G.: M.: Henry Lowndes, 18°, Gr.: Sec.:

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Blackwood, Thomas F 320	McNab, William Henry 14°
Wilson, James32°	Davison, Samuel32°
Menet, Frederick Joseph33°	McIlroy, jr., Thomas320
Ledyard, Thomas Douglas 180	Croil, Arthur Wellesley 14°
Irving, Andrew Scott30°	Harper, George W 14°
Adams, James	Wills, John Alfred 180
Darby, George180	Geddes, William A 180
Tennant, David	Rowe, George Gilbert 32 °
Kerr, James Kirkpatrick33°	Crawford, Joseph Tucker 180
Sargant, Thomas33°	Lowndes, Henry180
Nixon, James Bowen32°	Hetherington, John 14°
McLeod, William 18°	Howse, William R 180

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Slatter, jr., Philip	0
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Rose of Sharon Chapter Rose Croix, 18°, Kingston.

Monthly Meetings-3rd Wednesday in each Month.

Forshaw Day, 18°, M.: W.: Sov.:

Fleming Rowland, 18°, Registrar.

MEMBER

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Fairtlough, Samuel Gerrard	Ball, Edward Henry 18° Thompson, George 18° Day, Forshaw 18° Henry, jr., Robert 16° McLean, Allan 18° Montizambert, Col. Chas. Edw'rd. 18° Bajus, William 18° Adams, James 18° Hutton, William H 33° Mackay, Hugh A 33° Welch. Frederick 18° Wilson, William John 18° Gillen, Frederick B 18° Mayne, Charles Blair 18°

KINGSTON LODGE OF PERFECTION, 14°, Kingston.

Monthly Meetings-3rd Thursday in each Month.

Henry Birtles, 18°, T.: P.: G.: M.:

John Kinghorn, 18°, Gr.: Sec.:

MEMBERS.

Gordan, William Dunlop32°	Irwin, Robert Aubry4°
Rowland, Fleming180	Bates, John J
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WINDSOR CHAPTER ROSE CROIX, 18°, Windsor.

Monthly Meetings.—4th Wednesday in each month.

George Duane Adams 32°, M.:.W.:.Sov.:. George Purvis Vansickle 32°, Registrar.

MEMBERS:

Adams, George Duane 32 ° Gerald, Charles 18 ° McGuire, Robert 18 °	Smith, Alfred Frederick
Wilkinson, James Hands 18 ° Morgan, James George 18 ° D'Avignon, John Eugene 18 °	Grosscup, James Anthony. 18 ° Peters, Thomas 18 ° O'Doherty, Michael 18 °

Palestine Lodge of Perfection, 14°, Windsor.

Monthly Meetings-2nd Wednesday in each Month.

Charles Gerard 18°, T.:P.:G.:M.: Geo. P. Vansickle, 32°, Gr.:Sec.:

MEMBERS.

Adams, George Duane 32 ° Vansickle, Geo. P. 32 ° D'Avignon, John Eugene 18 ° Gerald, Charles 18 ° McGuire, Robert 18 ° Morgan, James George 18 ° Park, Joseph 32 °	Smith, Alfred Frederick. 32° Wilkinson, James Hands 18° Grosscup, Jonas Antony. 18° O'Doherty, Michael 18° Peters, Thomas 18° Hind, Duncan Henry 14°

OTTAWA LODGE OF PERFECTION, Ottawa.

Monthly Meetings-2nd Monday in each Month.

Enoch B. Butterworth, 32° T.: P.: G.: M.: John B. Wright, 14° Gr.: Sec.:

MEMBERR

Butterworth, Enoch Bruce32 °	Stephen, Robert William 14
Taylor, David	Douglas, Clifton A 14
Church, Clarence Ruggles 14°	McArthur, William Brown 140
Smith, William14°	May, George Samuel
Kennedy, Thomas 14°	Macfarlane, David Robert140
Stewart, Robert 14°	Shepherd, John 140
Wallace, Edward	Green, Thomas Daniel 140
Stoddart, Thomas Tilley	Hindman, William George 14°
Boardman, William Frears 140	Klock, Robert Alexander 140
Roper, Sydney Charles Dyne 140	Reynolds. William 14°
Tracy, William H	Hay, William14°
Herbert, Jesse	McKeand, Anthony 14°
Wright, John B 14°	Dennis, John Stoughton
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MONTREAL CONSISTORY, 32°, Montreal.

Quarterly Meetings—at the call of the Commander-in-Chief.

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Hochelaga Chapter Rose Croix, 18°, Montreal.

Monthly Meetings-at the call of the M. . W. . Sov. .

Frank Edgar, 32°, M.·.W.·.Sov.·. Geo. Washington Lovejoy, 32°, Registrar.

MEMBERS.

Gopeland, Eugene Mortimer. 33 Girdwood, Gilbert Prout. 32 Graham. John Hamilton. 32 Graham. John Hamilton. 32 Graham. John Hamilton. 32 Graham. John Hilder. 33 Graham. James Vaughan. 32 Moore, Col. W. J. B. Macleod. 33 Murton, John Walter. 33 Graham. James Vaughan. 32 Graham. James Vaughan. 32 Graham. John William. 32 Graham. John Armour. 33 Graham. John Armour. 34 Graham. John Armour. 34 Graham. John Armour. 35 Graham. John Armour. 36 Graham. J	Edgar, Frank

HOCHELAGA LODGE OF PERFECTION, 14°, Montreal.

Monthly Meetings—At the call of the T. ∵. P. ∵. G. ∵. M. ∵.

Angus William Hooper, 33°, T.: P.: G.: M.: George Washington Lovejoy, 32°, Gr.: Sec.:

MEMBERS.

Hutton, William Henry. 33° Girdwood, Gilbert Prout. 32° Morgan, James Vaughan. 32° Carter, Geo. W. T. 18° Jacques, Geo. E. 30° Wilson, James C. 32° Isaacson, John Hilder 32° Moore, Col. W. J. B. Macleod 33° Murton, John Walter. 33° Sinclair, David. 32° Niven, William. 32° Molson, John William. 32° Nelson, Albert Daniel. 32° Redget, Charles Wills. 32° Claggett, Charles Clifton. 32° Geddes, Charles George. 32° Robertson, John Armour. 32° Geldes, Charles George. 32° Robertson, John Armour. 32° Alexander, Thomas K. 32° Hebden, Robert Young. 14° Hooper, Angus William. 33° Stephenson, James. 32° Gauntlett, John. 18° McDougall, Alexander. 30° Tooke, Benjamin. 32° Tooke, Benjamin. 32° Stearns. Isaac Henry. Graham, John Hamilton. Copeland, Eugene Mortin Sutherland, Louis. Edgar, Frank. Mussen, Henry Smith. Walker, James Frederick Whyte, William H. Lynch, William Warren. Foster, William Bond. Lovejoy, Geo. Washington Grant, John Gray. Lamplough, John L. Scott, Edward Taylor. Kittson, Geo. R. W. Cameron, James C. Beers, William George. Riddell, Andrew F. Molson, Henry Markland. Sutherland, William. Simpson, Rollo Campbell. Fraser, Archibald Robert. Fatt, Samuel Charles.	on 32 ° cttimer 33 ° · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
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QUEBEC LODGE OF PERFECTION, Quebec.

Monthly Meetings-Ist Wednesday in each month.

Henry Russell, 32°, T.: P.: G.: M.: George Rolt White, 14°, Gr.: Sec.:

MEMBERS:

Lay, Alfred Francis
Chambers, William Percy

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NEW BRUNSWICK.

NEW BRUNSWICK CONSISTORY, 32°, St. John.

Quarterly Meetings-4th Friday in January, April, July and October

W. J. Logan, 32°, Com.-in-Chief. Edwin James Everett, 32°, Gr. Sec.:

MEMBERS:

Domville, James	obertson, Thomas Nisbet 32 ° Visdom, Freeman Wyng 30 ° odsoe, William Creighton 30 ° odsoe, Thomas Amos 30 ° leeming, William 30 ° leining, William 30 ° leining, William 32 ° binch, Robert Thomson 33 ° hamberlain, Montague 32 ° Vetmore, Edwin J 30 ° lilis, James F 32 ° aker, Charles P 30 ° lasters, Charles 30 ° atvis, George Magnus 31 ° lcLaren, John Smith 32 ° lcNichol, Andrew 31 ° fufts, Frank 30 °
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HARINGTON CHAPTER ROSE CROIX, 18°, St. John.

Quarterly Meetings-4th Friday in March, June, September and December.

John Valentine Ellis, 33°, M.: W.: Sov.: G. Gordon Boyne, 32°, Registrar.

MEMBERS:

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Moore, Col. W. J. B. Macleod 33 ° Marshall, Robert 33 ° Ellis, John Valentine 33 ° Munro, David Ransom 33 ° Godsoe, Thomas Amos 30 ° Chamberlain, Montague 32 ° Leonard, J. Henry 18 ° Clark, James Alfred 18 ° Domville, James 33 ° Willis, Edward 30 ° Robertson, Thomas Nisbet 32 ° Ellis, James F 30 ° Vroom, William E 18 ° Godsoe, William Creighton 30 ° Crookshank, Robt. W 32 ° Logan, William J 32 ° DeVeber, J. S. B 18 ° McNichol, jr., James 18 ° Matthews, Samuel F 18 ° Chesley, John Alexander 18 ° Masters, Charles 30 °	Clinch, Robert Thomson 33 ° Peters, B. Lester 33 ° Besant, Christopher 18 ° Foster, William D 32 ° Robinson, T. Barclay 18 ° Mullin, John 18 ° Thorne, William Henry 33 ° Hatheway, Joseph Canby 32 ° Everett. Edwin James 32 ° Reed, Augustus William 18 ° Jarvis, George Magnus 31 ° Peters. Thomas William 18 ° Allan, Walter Hookway 18 ° McLaren, John Smith 32 ° Boyne, Gustavus Gordon 32 ° Ewing, William Alexander 18 ° Peters, Thomas Alfred 18 ° McNichol, Andrew 31 ° French, John 18 ° Tufts, Frank 30 ° Morrison, jr, John A 18 ° McKee, Samuel H 18 ° Allan, William Charles 18 °

St. John Lodge of Perfection, 14°, St. John.

Quarterly Meetings-4th Friday in February, May, August and November.

T. Nisbet Robertson, 32°, T.:P.:.G :.M.:. G. Gordon Boyne, 32°, Gr.: Sec.:

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	Munro, David Ransom. 33 ° Clinch, Robert Thomson. 33 ° Peters, Benjamin Lester. 33 ° Mullin, John. 18 ° Thorne, William Henry. 33 ° Hatheway, Joseph Canby. 32 ° Everett, Edwin J. 32 ° Robertson, Thomas Nisbet. 32 ° Ellis, James F. 32 ° Baker, Charles P. 30 ° Wetmore, Edwin J. 30 ° Vroom, William E. 18 ° Godsoe, William C. 30 ° Godsoe, T. Amos. 30 ° Chamberlain, Montague.	Pullen, James Henry 14 ° Peters, Thomas W 18 ° Sadlier, William H. B 14 ° Peters, Thomas A 18 ° Jarvis, George M 31 ° Allan, Walter H 18 ° Boyne, Gustavus Gordon 32 ° McLaren, John S 32 ° McLaren, John S 31 ° Whitlock, Julius T 14 ° Blake, George 14 ° James, Stephen K. F 14 ° Graham, Henry 14 ° Graham, Henry 14 ° Chipman, John De Wolf 14 ° Ewing, William Alexander 18 ° Allan, William C. R 14 ° Allan, William C. R 14 ° Allan, William Charles 18 ° French, John 18 ° McKee, jr., Samuel H 18 ° Morrison, jr., John A 18 ° Tufts, Frank 30 ° Murray, William H

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Nova Scotia Consistory, 32°, Halifax.

Meetings when called by the Com.-in-Chief.

Edward Lusher Foster, 33°, Com.-in-Chief. Geo. T. Smithers, 33°, Gr.: Sec :

MEMBERS.

Partridge, D. D., Francis33 ° Smithers, George Thomas33 °	Cossman, Theodore Aug32 Spike, Clarence James32
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Gossip, James... Grier, Henry... Russell, Capt. L Hesson, William Porter, Samuel. Dempster, James Hesslien, Louis] Murray, Rev. Fr. Hesslien, Alex. Vose, Charles Fe Rose, Capt. Joh Grosvenor, Capt. Ford, Major Cha

George Firebrace

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Gossip, James32°	Trott, Samuel 320
Grier, Henry32°	Foster, Edward Lusher33
Russell, Capt. Leonard George. 320	Neish, Rev. David320
Hesson, William Alex32°	Chipman, John Prior320
Porter, Samuel32°	Masters, Robert Silas320
Dempster, James32°	Lane, Col. Roland Bertrand 32 °
Hesslien, Louis Joseph 32°	Puttner, Charles Edward 32°
Murray, Rev. Fred'k Richardson. 32°	Smith, William Collins320
Hesslien, Alex. George32°	Crowe, William32°
Vose, Charles Ferdinand32°	Rawson, Capt. Herbert Edward32 °
Rose, Capt. John30°	Firebrace, Major George 32°
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KEITH CHAPTER ROSE CROIX, 18°, Halifax.

Monthly Meetings-2nd Monday in each month.

George Firebrace, 32°, M.: W.: Sov.: Geo. Thos. Smithers, 33°, Registrar.

MEMBERS:

Sircom, Steven Rowland. 18 Ritchie, Joseph Norman. 18 Hessen, William Alex. 32 Smithers, George Thomas. 33 Cossman, Theodore Aug. 32 Vose, Charles Ferdinand. 32 Hart, William Henry. 18 Gorham, Edward J. 18 Gossip, James. 32 Dakin, Fraser Wylie. 18 Dimock, Constant William. 18 Rickards, William Walter. 18 Hesslien, Alex. George. 32 Rix, Wm. John Alfred Emmanuel. 18 Smith, William Collins. 32 Webster, Henry Bentley. 30 Harris, Thomas Rees. 18 Rawson, Capt. Herbert Edward. 32 Firebrace, Major George. 32 Spike, Clarence James. 32 Murray, Rev. Fred'k R. 32 Kane, William Lester. 18 Buckley, Albert Hall. 18 Murray, William Vincent. 18	Hesslien, Louis Joseph

VICTORIA LODGE OF PERFECTION, 14°, Halifax.

Monthly Meetings -4th Friday in each Month.

Wm. Vincent Murray, 18°, T.:.P.:.G.:.M.:. George T. Smithers, 33°, Gr.:.Sec.:.

MEMBERS.

Porter, Samuel32°	Smithers, George Thomas 33°
Dempster, James32 °	

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	Hesslien, Louis Joseph. 32 ° Hesson, William Alexander. 32 ° Sircom, Stephen Rowland. 18 ° Rix, Wm. John Alfred Emmanuel. 18 ° Spike, Clarence James. 32 ° Murray, Rev. Fred'k Richardson. 32 ° Partridge, D. D., Rev. Francis. 33 ° Trott, Samuel. 32 ° Ritchie, Joseph Norman. 18 ° Rawson, Herbert Edward. 32 ° Firebrace, George. 32 ° Kane, William Leonard George. 32 ° Kane, William Lester. 18 ° Rose, John. 30 ° Brown, William Leonard. 14 ° Neish, Rev. David. 18 ° Lane, Col. Roland Bertrand. 32 ° Foster, Edward Lusher. 33 ° Chipman, John Prior. 32 ° Masters, Robert Silas. 18 ° Puttner, Charles Edward. 18 ° Buckley, Albert Hall. 18 ° Murray, William Vincent. 18 ° Ball, Wm. Henry Girling. 18 °		
	ROYAL OAK LODGE, 14°, Kentville.		
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MANITOBA CONSISTORY, 32°, Winnipeg.			
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MEMBERS.			
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BETHESDA CHAPTER ROSE CROIX, 18°, Winnipeg.

Thomas H. Carman, 18°, M.: W.: Sov.: Herbert Swinford, 33°, Registrar.

MEMBERS.

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WINNIPEG LODGE OF PERFECTION, 14°, Winnipeg.

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MEMBERS

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Conklin, Elias George. 32° McBeth, John. 14° Bell, Charles Napier 33° Bell, John Headley 32° McDonald, John. 32° McMillan, Daniel H 32° McKechnie, John. 32° Swinford, Herbert. 33° Carruthers, George F 18° Steinhoff, Louis 18° McArthur, Duncan. 29° Carman, Thomas H 18° Fairchild, Frank Alanson 18° Westbrook, Henry Shaver 29° Le Capperlain, John O 18° Murray, David B 14° Ferguson, Rutherford B 14° McQueen, Alexander 29° Balsillie, John 14° Hood, William Nelson 18° Black, William Ross 14° Wilson, Robert A 18° Mann, Donald D 14° Collins, Thomas 18°	Wood, George Duncan

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MEMBERS:

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K'HURUM CHAPTER ROSE CROIX, 18°, Victoria.

Isaac Oppenheimer, 18°, M. . W.: Sov.: Geo. Andrew Sargison, 18°, Registrar.

MEMBERS:

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LAWSON LODGE OF PERFECTION, 14°, Victoria.

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MEMBERS.

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