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OTTAWA, MARCH, 1890.

To Lodge Secretaries. DURING the pastyear the Order of the Sons of lagland, has increased more rapidly than the lost anguine expectations of those interested

Our Lodge Directory Columns has been used by members of the Order throughout the Provinces of Canada, and the Anglo-Saxon has steadily grown in favor, which its increased

nas steadily grown in the circulation each month 1 loves.

Every year, travel is made more easy, and the Order of the Sons of England spreading throughout the Provinces, compels us to believe that our Lodge Directory results favorably to all con-

Members can see at a glance what night a Lodge Meating is held in the particular section which he may be visiting, when he can interchange fraternal greetings, etc. With this in view we hope that Lodge which have not their Card in the Directory will send it to us for our next issue. Only \$1 per year.

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PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

SONS OF ENGLAND NEWS.

Sherbrooke, March 7.—Lodge Glouce ster No. 103, of the Sons of England Benevolent Society, and Court Prince Albert No. 149 of the Independent Order of Forresters, have appointed a joint committee to co-operate with the other Protestant benevolent orders or societies with a view to the due celebration of the Queen's Birthday in Sherbrooke.

Montreal, Feb. 22.—Victoria's Jubilee Lodge No. 41, held its regular meeting ast evening at the St. Charles Club House, President Holt in the chair. The following officers were installed by the District Deputy, Bro. E. T. Perry:-President, Alf. Holt; vice-president, F. Brownhill; chaplain, R. W. Roberts; treasurer, Thos. Stephenson; secretary, James A. Edwards; 1st guide, J. G. Brooks; 2nd, J. B. Tombs; 3rd, A. Storey; 4th, W. Smith; 5th, J. Drury; 6th, A. Tattersall; inner guard, Geo. Irons; outer guard, C. Outram.

The most pleasing event of the evening then took place, namely, the presentation of a Past President's Jewel to Bro. Hy. Irons, as a token of the appreciation of the efficient manner in which he had filled see chair during the just ended. Bro. Irons made a suitable reply. The jewel is of solid gold and is also of a very handsome design.

Bro. J. A. Edwards, the delegate to Grand Lodge, read a report of the busiess transacted at that august meeting showing the Order to be in a very flour ishing condition both as regards finances and members.

LONDON, ONT.

It is some time since wrote to your valuable paper anent the doings of our society in this section of the country In this city the S.O.K. is in a flourish ing condition. All are working together harmoniously. Lodge British Almost every night we have one or two initiations, and propositions are still as good. Their heads are always level.

coming in. The members were pleased to see the annual reports make such a grand He has a record that is hard to beat. showing of the order, which proved it to be advancing and fast coming up to the rank of older societies.

I will contribute another letter next month to your valuable paper on the progress we are making in this section. We were represented by two delegates at Grand Lodge.

Bro. James Carter, the retiring D.D., leserves great credit for the manner in which he has conducted the affairs pertaining to that office in this district. He cannot be too highly eulogized for the faithfulness, zeal and ability dis-played. He has also been an earnest and constant worker for the order at

arge.
The newly appointed D.D. enters upon his duties under favorable circum stances, and will make an efficient officer. He is a thorough Englishman, well liked by his fellow-countrymen and brethren, both in the lodge and out of it. The Grand Lodge is to be congratulated upon having such a good accessor to Bro. Carter.

ARTHUR E. PETERS.

BROCKVILLE.

The inauguration of Suffolk W.R.D. ook place at the regular meeting of above lodge on Monday, February 10th, under the direction of W. R. Stroud, S. G. V. P., assisted by Bro. J. A. Edwards of Victoria Jubilee Lodge, Montreal, Bros. E. Aust, E. Ackroyd, of Ottawa. The brethren were met at planting itself too near the meeting the Order will be imbued by the same the station by Bros. D. Derbyshire, place of another lodge. For years the spirit.

and others. The evening meeting was held exclusively by a very powerful called for 7 p.m., when the installation lodge. They would brook no rival and following officers were elected for to sustain them. The absurdity of corthe year: President, Wm. White, nering off any district for the benefit Past-President, J. Greene; Vice-President, W. H. Grace; Fin.-Secretary, A. C. Bacon; Rec.-Secretary, C. C. Fulford; Treasurer, E. Bagg; Chaplain, Revd. W. Weeks; Surgeon, Dr. Giles; Guides, J. M. West, Thos. Guest, Wm, Dodd, Chas. Steeper, C. Trolford, J. C. Jacks; Guards, H. Dodd, G. W. Turner; Auditors, W. H. Grace. D. Derbyshire and C. C. Fulford; Trustees, D. Derbyshire, J. M. West and Chas. Steeper; Hall Committee, J. M. West, H. Dodd,

and Wm. White. The chief business in connection with the above meeting was the initiation and instilation of Rev. W. Weeks, as chaplain of R. R. degree, a choice the society will be proud of. We had also five other propositions, which are signs that Englishmen here are waking up to the fact that they have a society now in their midst in which they can assemble together and have a quiet evening's chat. And it is to be hoped that all Englishmen will come to its aid, as the society is exclusively for the benefit

of our own countrymen. Suffolk Lodge urges upon members to become subscribers to the Anglo-Saxon, the Secretary, who is in charge, will be very glad to receive subscrip-

tions or to give any information. The hall was lighted for the first time by electricity, their being five iucandes cent lamps inside and one in the anteroom, which was quite an improvement

on gas. On Monday 24th February three initiations took place. Bro. F. G. Pollard, P.P., having removed to Belleville, Bro. J. Greene was unanimously chosen to fill the position,

Bro. J. Jacks enlivened the proceedings with some fine music on the violin.

POINTERS FROM TORONTO. Bro. T. Cannon received the congratulations of the Beneficiary Board lately he having recently joined the noble

army of benedicts. 25 lodges in and around Toronto, with at least one more in course of formation, speaks well for the persistency of the Englishman in trying to demonstrate the fact that the English are a

power in the community. One pleasing feature of the Toronto lodges this year is the almost entire absence of the ticket pedler. It is to be hoped that he has been superannuated

without pay. The most noticeable feature in the the large number of applicants who ly topics. class themselves as total abstainers. Lion is bound to prosper and go ahead. This shows very conclusively that one excellent habit leads to others equally

> Bro. W. Pugh has completed his 10th year as secretary of lodge Brighton. The lodge has met 246 times, and 244 or these meetings the secretary has been seen at his post. Two misses onlycaused by sickness. Let's hear from a

lodge that can beat this. The main argument in favor of the formation of a Savings Bank Branch of the Building Society is as follows :-If the Government and other banks can pay 4 per cent. interest on our money and make a profit, why can't we do the same by borrowing from ourselves and

so retain the profit within the order? Albion Lodge suffered terribly from La grippe." It held down no less than 67 members between Jan. 16th and Feb. 6th. Thanks to Dr. King for making them let go; but oh, what a grip on the funds-no less than \$207 were paid out for sick pay at the meeting on Feb. 6. We think this but a small load though for the old mother to carry, while she

has a \$5000 prop at her back. "How long may a member speak on one subject?" is a very vexed question in at least two of the Toronto lodges, The constitution is dumb on the matter The president's discretionery power is unsatisfactory. Cannot something be done to prevent the unseemly practice of a few obnoxious members who seem to delight in talking against time?

At one time it was a serious matter to encroach upon the district of another lodge in Toronto. Many a little unpleasantness arose through a new lodge

Mayor, and P. G. Pollard, President, central western portion of this city was ceremony was gone through, and the they had sufficient power or influence of any particular lodge, powerful or otherwise, is shown by the fact that the following lodges meet peacefully and prosperously in Shaftesbury Hall: Albion, Kent, Brighton, Richmond,

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Bristol, Mercantile and Chesterfield. The President of lodge Hull; speaking at Kent lodge, at their last meeting said, speak ill of an Scotchman to a Son of Scotland, and you get into hot water; speak ill of an Irishman to a Son of Ireland, and he wants to fight; but speak ill of an Englishman to a Son of England and-that's so, it serves him right, is the response.

An earnest, well-meaning brother in Toronto was so unfortunate, a few weeks ago, as to differ with one of our very powerful officers, and as a matter of course, had to receive a severe castigation for his presumption; but the poor fellow hardly expected his crime would meet with such punishment as was measured out to him by the officer (and brother) in question. In the midst of his denunciations, the officer actually shouted out "Sir and brother, I will utterly TRANSMOGRIFY you!!!" when the poor fellow collapsed and was carried to the ante-room. Iced water and other restoratives were obtained forth

with. Albion Lodge ought to feel proud, for it is not every lodge that can boast of "Washington" that never told a lie. If he should betake himself to the woods to chop down that little tree, I wonder would the "Wildbore" "Nash" his teeth at him? Or would he shoot at the two "Partridges" flying over his head? Perhapes he would rather chase the "Fowles." But what would the 'Fox" say: I will "Down" them first and slink off through the "Lane," but if I should meet the "Carter" driving to town with his "Stock" he might fire "Stone's" at me, which has "Offen" done, but I don't "Care" if they should fire "Stacks" of them I would hide be hind the first "Plamtree" I came to, for if the "Darbys" were clapped on me, it would "Brake" me up, and then they would have to "Berry" me, and bring along the "Minister" to read the burial service. Such is the peculiarity of names.

CHIPS.

A lively interest has been shown in our subscription list during the past month and we hope it may continue.

We welcome spicy items from members everywhere. We want incidents applications for beneficiary policies is of interest, and suggestions upon time-

> Individual effort on the part of each and every member is the keynote which will keep the Sons of England and the Anglo-Saxon upon the tidal wave of success.

> "I will do what I can to influence my friends and acquaintances to join the Order and bed Aoglo-Saxon." We need more of that kind of talk and work, and a good deal less of another kind.

The member who accepts the protec-tion of our society and contributes nothing of time or effort to its development and then complains, is a sponge. This kind of talk may be a trifle plain but it is honest. We predict a rapid up building of the

Order in our great North-West. H. Gisborne, of Bowood lodge Ottawa, now at Qu'Appelle Station, Assa., N.W.T., is working the matter up under instructions from the S. Grand Executive.

112 Berkeley street, Toronto, Feb. 20th, 1890.—Brethren, I enclose you my subscription for a renewal of the paper. I thoroughly agree with the tone of the Anglo-Saxon, it has the "true ring," and should be supported and read by all true Sons of Eng Sincerely yours, C. F. George, Lodge Mercantile.

We are in receipt of a very encourageing letter from Bro. T. C. Andrews, of Westward Ho! lodge No. 98, Winnipeg, Manitoba, which remarks: "The peg, Manitoba, which remarks.
Anglo-Saxons have just arrived, and from seeing a single issue it m views, and I will do my best to promote its circulation in this city and the Province of Manitoba." We hope that the Secretaries of the lodges throughout

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THURSDAY, MARCH, 1890.

THE PROGRESS OF THE ORDER. There is deep significance in the fact that the membership of the Order of the Sons of England has lately been advancing by leaps and bounds. The reasons are not far to seek. The aggressiveness of the Roman Catholic Church in matters political and educational; the treasonable utterances of the Premier of Quebec; the toadying of both political parties to Romanism, and, on occasions, to Fenianism-all to the House. The awakening of the these are compressing Englishmen in public conscience is beginning to have Canada, with irresistable force, into a disturbing effect upon the Parties,

It is ideal for weak-kneed men in the Order to assert that the objects of the Order are simply those of mutual benefit and insurance. The safety, honor and welfare of Englishmen in Canada must be, and are, included, and these words have no meaning-our obligations are empty phrases—unless we make up our minds to act as one MAN in doing what we may to cure the evils uncertain. that infest the body politic and stain our glorious Flag.

The maintenance of British connection" has reference to other things than mutual benefit and insurance and the phrase is one with which most of us are familiar. We have heard that there are members of the Order who do not of the people upon certain vital quesseem to realize the full meaning of their tions of principle. A layman may perobligations. We cannot discuss the question at any length in this place, but the ministry would have acted more we commend to all our worthy presi- wisely if they had allowed Mr. Mc- extension of the British sphere." dents and their lodges a consideration of such facts as we are able to present.

MR. MERCIER, speaking under the tri-color, calls his parlez-vous-ing friends a "separate nation." This may seem to some of our western brethren an absurd utterance, but to those of us that live in Eastern Ontario and have opportunities of knowing about the matter, there is more than a hint of danger in it.

There is a steady and persistent attempt being carried on by the Frenchspeaking people in Quebec, backed by the Romish Church, to drive the English-speaking races out of that Province, and it is succeeding because we, the English-speaking people in the other parts of the Dominion, are allowing them to do so. Have we as Englishmen: has the honor of our Flag: no part to play in this matter? Do we not recognize that a conspiracy against our Race, against our Religion-is in progress? Does our Order—an order of Englishmen-feel that it can afford to regard the interests of civil and religious liberty, and all that makes us proud of our traditions as Englishmen, as subordinate to considerations of

mere insurance? We have a higher and more important part to perform in this country and we must learn to do it well. Let us not, as an Order, do as the Canadians have done. Let us not support any man-any party, but PRINCIPLES!

to represent the district in which that lodge is situated

It was, perhaps, unfortunate that the last meeting of GRAND LODGE was held at Port Hope. It is the town where MR. WARD, M.P., resides, and in face of the fact that the success which attended the meeting and the genial hospitality of the townspeople on that occasion may be attributed largely to the popularity of our worthy brother, MB. WARD, it was felt that the raising of certain questions in GRAND LODGE might prove a source of embarrassment to our worthy brother. We do not desire to embarrass Mr. WARD, who, no doubt, has acted conscientiously in his place in Parliament. Nevertheless whatever embarrassment it may cause to any individual, it behoves the Order at all times to consider questions vital lish people in Canada, and these, we repeat, are in danger.

THE DUAL LANGUAGE DEBATE.

The adoption by the House of Commons of SIR JOHN THOMPSON'S amendment will, no doubt, shortly be followed by a Government measure granting full provincial powers to the North West Territories. It is to be hoped that when the North West Government Bill comes up for discussion the propriety of granting the people the right to decide their own policy in regard to educational matters will be insisted upon. The printing of the small matter, although in principle an important one, but the expense of establishing separate schools for the Roman Catholics in addition to the ordinary public schools would be most onerous upon a purely farming population and the tax-payers should have a right to pronounce upon the question. Whatever the advocates of the separate school system may say in favor of it, it must be admitted that not only is it an extra burden upon the people, but it also has the twofold defect of impairing the efficiency of state education and causing a division among the people which by no means tends either to the welfare of Roman Catholics or

Nothing could have been more admirable than the manner in which MR. DALTON McCarthy presented his case and the moment is fast approaching when "compromise" amendments will be of no avail. Mr. McCarthy may rest assured that his conduct in Parliament is winning him the esteem of his countrymen, even if it may not for the present have gained him the unqualified admiration of the politicians, who find the ground under their feet becoming boggy and their path more and more

SIR JOHN MACDONALD'S opportunism may do well enough in the House, as it is at present constituted. But he must remember that there is a strong proba bility, judging by the indications afforded by the public press that the House does not represent the feelings CARTHY's motion to have been treated altogether as a private measure. By committing themselves to a compromise amendment which practically concedes what Mr. McCarthy demanded-they have displeased the French and have not helped their Ontario supporters. These latter, or those of th who voted for the Jesuit Estates Bill, are no doubt finding out that their subserviency to their Party Leaders may have led them too far; nor will the passing of a dozen Orange Incorporation Acts serve to rehabilitate them in the eyes of their constituents. There is such a thing as PROTESTANT SENTIMENT in this country and the Politicians will find that they have got to reckon with it at the next election.

BE WATCHFUL.

THE Roman Catholic Church, ever since corruption and idolatory became paramount and extinguished the truths that were once within her, has tenaciously striven to claim the entire control-in political as well as spiritual affairs-of members of her flock, but the bishops and priests of the Scarlet Woman have, at certain times, prudently displayed considerable reticence in regard to it. This doctrine has again, during the past few weeks, been repeated by Leo XIII. in an encyclical to the Papists of Canada, as well to the other branches throughout the world. The faithful everywhere are instructed And guided by the principles contained that they cannot as "good Catholics" by which every lodge can test the not be favorable to their church, while ing them more legitimate influence in all true friends of it will labor to purity and fidelity of the man seeking on the other hand they are warned that the work of the Society which at pre-

they are not themselves capable to sent they have not, besides being largejudge of the church's interests. In other words they are under all circumstances to go the priest for political advice. Sons of England, and Protestants generally, take warning. Fight the would-be destroyers of your civil & religious liberties with weapons like cidents at Grand Lodge illustrated that unto their own. Unite, at least until Toronto influences are all-powerful in the present political-atmospheric in the Society. clemency has cleared away. Are we going to idly stand by without a protest? Our duty is plain. Can we as Protestants, in possession of an Open Bible and pure Christian truths, support men whom we know are not favorable to our faith, but on the other hand are pledged to stifle those truths should opportunity offer itself, by putting to death every non-Romanist in the land. (See oath of R. C. bishops.) to the honor and interests of the Eng- Mr. Meredith in Ontario has struck the warning note of freedom, and the valiant McCarthy is doing noble work in the Dominion Parliament. Stand firm for the right, and freedom and justice will ultimately prevail.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

NEWS from London, Eng., of February 16th, says that the title "Earl of Sydney" became extinct by the death of one of the most interesting old noblemen in England. He was eighty-five, and began his career of service in the royal household during the reign of George III., being throughout her whole reign the Queen's trusted finandebates in French was practically a cial adviser. In person he was the last surviving type of the elegant old gentleman in a blue frock coat, brass buttons, and reservedly pompous demean, our, and was the model from which Dickens drew the physical attributes of Sir Leicester Dedlock. He was twice Mr. Gladstone's Lord Chamberlain, and made his tenure of the office memorable the last time by an attempt to put long skirts on the ballet.

Mr. J. Scott Keltie, the librarian of the Royal Geographical Society, and who, according to "The Colonies and India" is well known to many visitors to the late Colonial and Indian Exhibitiou, remarked in a recent lecture that "in commerce, as in some other things, blood counted for something. Whether our Colonies remained attached to us, or whether the larger ones-which now manage their own affairs-might, like the United States, set up for themselves, the future alone could tell. Whatever form it might take, however, he thought that, in the interest of commerce, as much as for sentimental reasons, we ought to stick together. The spread of our race on the face of the earth, the enterprise of our explorers and adventurers, had helped to give us predominance in the commercial, as it had done in the political, world. In one form or another the English language was the medium of communication for something like 400,000,000 people-nearly one-third of the population of the earth; and some who tried to forecast the future thought it might yet become the universal language. When we remembered that more than one-fourth of the whole trade of the United Kingdom was with the rest of the Empire it was surely our interest to do all we consistently could to promote that comhaps, be forgiven for suggesting that merce and to encourage the development of our Colonies and the judicious

Grand Lodge Proceedings.

The proceedings of the Supreme Grand Lodge of the S.O.E., at Port Hope on the 11th ult., cannot be referred to in detail now for lengthened comment.

The attendance of Delegates was larger than last year, doubtless owing to locality of meeting and the largely increased membership during the year Those fully competent to judge say that the type of Englishmen each year at Grand Lodge has shown steady improvement, certainly there was present decided ability and, apart from the difficulties in maintaining strict parliamentary decorum, there was much to be pleased at as evidences that in Canada Englishmen retain their native force of character-to say nothing about the defects in aspiration peculiar to the various countries or districts in England from which they came.

Port Hope residents and our brethren of Durham Lodge left nothing undone to complete and perfect a hearty welcome and generous hospitality to The germ of better things is there, Grand Lodge Delegates, which will not the Constitution and Obligation read soon be forgotten.

bec and Eastern Ontario Lodges felt strongly the importance of a resident support men whom they believe would of their districts filling the chair, giv-

ly ignored in official visitations compared to where lodges are more numer ous. The election of Bro. Ald. J. A. Swait, of Toronto, to the position is one that personally we can all rejoice

at, although his election and other in

The election of Bro. Ivens to the Vice-Presidency is considered a good choice, although many regretted that his rival, who so closely contested the position, did not get there.

The re-election of S. G. Secretary and S. G. Treasurer to their positions for this year, was the unanimous decision of Grand Lodge supplemented by increased salaries. These officers are worthy and invaluable in their respective positions in the Society, but many brethren feel that it would be far wiser for the S. G. Lodge to pay its Secretary propriate his time to the work of the Order.

The action of Grand Lodge in withdrawing from this Journal the status of an "official organ" while important to the proprietors is one which the wisdom of future events will condemn or justify. The action at best was hasty until something better to its wishes had been found. Possibly some one has an axe to grind.

Hamilton is the chosen place of meet ng of the next session of the Grand Lodge and, next to the claims of Montreal, no better place could be selectedbut Hamilton has won and we wish their worthy delegates to last Grand Lodge all joy at the result.

The retiring Grand President's able performance of difficult duty in the chair must not be over-looked as one who largely aided the efficient working of Grand Lodge-rendered more difficult when so many are suddenly brought together as strangers and whose angularities of character have at cace and get a monthly first to be understood before proper treatment can be applied. The re-

gret was expressed that Bro. Kempling had not an opportunity afforded him of putting in a neat little speech at the banquet, to the Toast of 'The Supreme Grand Lodge Officers,' some careful notations of matters connected with his official visits in the past year-a matter of great importance to aid that continuity of purpose so essential to any organization.

The success of the Order last year has been phenomenal in society work and promises well for the future. As other benefit societies of immensely larger membership to draw from have not paralelled our progress it is plainly evijects of the society are an important factor in its progress—but this national feeling and purpose is not a dormant force, it is living power and destined, at an early date unless the Society is denationalized, to form the chief influence in it with the duty as at present impos ed by solemn obligation on its mem-

The action of Grand Lodge in declining to take action on certain important resolutions affecting the work of the Society was an exhibition of weak ness, the abandonment for the moment has a wide circulation, and beof principles for expediency and of its functions as the proper controlling body ing the recognized organ of to all that is subordinate to it—but even Grand Lodge, while able by a majority to suppress expression of thought on any subject, cannot until in its wisdom it sees fit to amend the constitu tion, call on subordinate lodges to follow when it refuses to lead where duty calls. The end of this matter has not come yet and if we mistake not the next session of Grand Lodge will find it has disturbed a hornet's nest.

going comments but one thing is palp ably evident at the last session of Grand Lodge i.e. that the Society AS A WHOLE only represents a nominal unity or oneness. Englishmen, for practical united action as Englishmen, are nearly as far apart as ever-the work actually carried on would and could be as fittingly performed by Russians as Englishmen on the side of those who are determined that it shall not sink into a mere The election of President for this year | Benefit Society, but that National duty was a matter of deep interest, as Que- and obligations shall be equally sacred and fully maintained in united action

We hope to deal in our next issue

with matters referred to in the fore

failing which, fidelity to principle will lead to disruption in the society, which

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About five or six years ago statistics were published which proved that in Rome (Italy) one has 237 times as many chances of being murdered as in England, and 1331 times more than in Protestant Prussia. In London there were for every 100 legitimate, 4 illegitimate children; in Leipsic, 20; in Paris, 48; in Munich, 91; in Vienna, 118; and in Rome, 243.

The following recent statistics confirm the former, which have been copied from a Papal source, viz., "L'amico di Casa Almanico Populare," published at Turin, and furnished by a correspondent of the "English Churchman":

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The Right Hon. Spencer Compton Cavendish, by courtesy and common usage called the Marquis of Hartington, and lately known to his many admirers in Canada as "Lord Hartington, the Liberal-Unionist," who has recently been obliged to go to Egypt for his ing notice on all proper occasions that health, naming Sir Henry James as his successor in the leadership of the Union- purposes. Such is the truly patriotic ists in Parliament, has had a career so thoroughly English and has lately held 1885, and held it with dignity and a position so full of possibilities that it honor. is little wonder that the news of his illness created a sensation almost as great as would have been caused by the serious illness of the Queen.

As his career was an epitome of recent English political history, so the history of his family is little less than a history of British nobility; for he was an offshoot of the great house of Cavendish a son of the Duke of Devonshire. He described the composition of food, and heir to much of the glory of the ill and its effect upon the system. A man lustrious Courtenays-the knights of the crusades, who founded some of the oldest noble families in France and England, and were among the very few whose rank and fortunes came unimpaired through the Wars of the Roses.

To the present Marquis more than to any other man is due the fact that Mr. Gladsone could not carry the Liberal farious change on the Irish question. No other man probably could have taken so high ground against his former leader without some loss of prestige, and the brutal and shocking murder of his brother, Lord Frederick Cavendish, in Phœnix park, Dublin, on May 6th, 1882, fixed his supporters immovably in their opinions.



The Marquis was born July 23, 1833, the oldest son of the Duke of Devonshire, and is consequently in the 57th year of his age.

From the earliest Norman times his ancestors have enjoyed some celebrity, but the founder of the present family, as such things are considered in England, was Sir John Cavendish, Lord Chief Justice in the reigns of Edward III. and Richard II. Each subsequent generation has contributed eminent men to the service of England, but the family first attained to great wealth under the Tudors and was raised to the

Nevertheless, the fourth East of the present dreary is, and the present dreary is, and the future's prospect, comes no joy. No wonder then I think of days long past whe blithely I roamed a free and happy boy.

ROAMER. remained firm to Whig principles. The fourth earl was made duke in 1694, and the sixth duke dying unmarried in 1869 was succeeded by his cousin, the present duke, who is now 79 years old.

Of his three sons Lord Frederick was is member of parliament for West Derbyshire, while the eldest became noted as Marquis of Hartington. He was graduated from Trinity College, Cambridge, in 1854, and in 1856 was attached to Lord Granville's special mission to Russia. In 1857 he was elected to parliament for North Lancashire and soon became a Liberal leader. He first held office as lord of the admirality in 1863, and in 1866 under Earl Russell, he became secretary of state for war, being all these years a close coadjutor with Mr. Gladstone. In 1868 he took office under Mr. Gladstone as premier and remained till that ministry was overthrown in 1874.

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Continuing in parliament he was in 1875 chosen as the leader of the Liberal opposition to the Beaconsfield government. His labors to restore the party to power were tremendous, and in 1880 they succeeded. Mr. Gladstone again became premier, and the marquis his secretary of state for India. So they continued till the Conservative party came into power under Lord Salisbury in June, 1885. The next December Mr. Gladstone announced his conversion to the Society's works, (as may be chosen) Irish Home Rule, and the old allies also each subscriber has a chance in the parted company forever. Along with Lord Hartingdon were such able and brilliant men of the Whig party as Mr. Chamberlain, Mr. Goschen, Lord Cowper and many others who joined hands with the Conservatives for the maintenance of the Union, and the hot fight now in progress began.

For some time Lord Hartington was disposed to speak with great respect of

THE MARQUIS OF HARTINGTON. his old chief, but the taunting of the Gladstonians and the political fight had their natural results, and during the last two years he and Mr. Chamberlin have spoken as virulently as any Tories. Refusing on all occasions to join the Conservatives in any economic changes they never lose an opportunity of givtheir new alliance is solely for Irish position Lord Hartington has held since

Roast Beef Won at Waterloo.

Prof. Wesley Mills delivered the first of the annual course of Somerville lectures last evening in the museum of the Natural History Society, under the presidency of Sir Wm. Dawson.

"Foods, without and within" was the subject which Dr. Mills ably handled. might live upon grass, if he had only the facilities to digest it. The reception of food in our bodies was lucidly described. The intricate machine which our bodies contain was similar to a factory. The story of life was a building up and pulling down, and appetite was the cry of the machinery for food. Food had a great deal to do with the party as a whole with him in his ne- formation of character. Food could be so made as to bring out the good or evil propensities of human nature. It was roast beef which indirectly had won the battle of Waterloo, and it was roast beef which had laid the foundations of the British nation. Every physician should know something about practical cookery. - Montreal Witness. Feb. 21st.

England, My Country!

Oh, England, oh my country! in my heart Exists for thee a passion deep and strong, And I would not that it should 'ere depart But rather stay with me my whole life long. When I recall thy glorious part oft told, In many a stirring verse, and many a lay.

Thy warriors and thy statesmen brave and bold Round whom antiquity hangs hoary and gray? When I reflect that over the wide world Thou reign'st, Imperial Mistress of the Sea That freedom lives wher'er thy flag's unfurled And swiftly vanishes cruel tyranny Then to my heart throbs fleroe exultant pride And to my brow the flush of pleasure springs Not, not in vain for thee thy sons have died Hail cherished thoughts which their remen rance brings ?

Se Long Ago

Ah me! it seems so long since last I gazed upon the white cliffs of my native shore.

And new my heart pants eagerly to see my happy boyhood's dear old home once more.

Again as in a dream I see the spot where sadly I pronounced the last adieu.

And where, departing, blinding tears obscured, and shut out loved ones from my longing view.

Again does vivid fancy bring to mind the scenes

view.

Again does vivid fancy bring to mind the scenes of youthful days brimful of hope.

When eankering care came not and buoyantly I rushed with difficulties to cope.

Ah me! the flecting years have brought their share of bitterest sorrow and of pain.

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Nevertheless, the fourth Earl of Devonshire in 1688 supported William of The present dreary is, and when I look upon the

Just a Word To the Editor of the ANGLO-SAXON

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A large number of A. F. & A. M., in. cluding several members of the Masonic band, Ottawa, made a visit to Bro. W. G. S. Reynolds, of Derby Lodge, at his residence in Janeville. Having brought their wives and sweethearts, a jolly good time was spent till about four o'clock in the morning. Bro. Reynolds who is an old and honored member of the ancient craft, was delighted with his visitors and requested them to come again, as both he and his better half enjoyed such surprises.

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INDIGNANT ANGLO CANADIAN. To the Editor of the Anglo-Saxon.

Sir,—Allow me through the medium of your widely circulated paper to give expression to sentiments which must agitate the breast of every true Anglo-Canadian who is desirous of seeing the welfare of his country and the future well-being of his descendants properly

Our chosen representatives will not protect us against the undue usurpation of our national rights and liberties by the treacherous Frenchman. Must we then, owing to their increasing love for French support and French applause allow our descendants to sink into the oblivion which must naturally enshroud oblivion which must naturally ensurous ville, and we hope by bringing this them if the foreigner of French extraction is to be allowed to still further as. tiou is to be allowed to still further ascend the political ladder. Are we to go back to where our British ancestors into tens of thousands into tens of thousands were one hundred years ago in the Lower Province? Are we, the descendants of British parents, to be trampled upon by a few privileged hangers-on? And are we to be despised by all the nations on the face of the globe as a set of cowardly poltroons who dare not stand up for their national rights? Are we to be despised by all honest men because a few, to further their own nefarious schemes, would sell both Queen and country? Must we surrender the liberties dearly bought and fought for by our forefathers, and must our children suffer for our cowardice? It is a shame and a lasting disgrace to us if we do not take a firm stand against such enactments. Our indifference to the welfare of our country and children has brought about the present state of affairs. We must either take a firm stand at once or be prepared to bow entirely to French rule in the near future. Who will be to blame but ourselves-in the first place for allowing our representatives to sanction such iniquitous clause which lower our national standard and birthright; and secondly, by our seeming or real indifference as to whether we are ruled by Queen or Pope.

We, the people, should rule, not the few who rule to suit their own ends. We should give our representatives to understand that we are the power behind the throne.

Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for giving insertion to my views, which I hope are almost universal, I remain,

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Subordinate Lodges are supported by initiation fees, and weekly dues; they have control of their own moneys, elect their own officers, make their own by-laws, (subject to the approval of the Grand Lodge), and in every way conduct their business to suit the majority of the members. We meet in our lodge rooms at stated times in fraternal intercourse, learning each other s wants giving words of encouragement and good cheer, and to those in trouble and distress, substantial assistance. The moment we enter the Lodge room all distinctions are lost sight of, and we meet on one common level, and by this constant association and intercourse an amount of love and interest is created for each other, which is made manifest by the good work accomplished.

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