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THE BEST.

Fraternal and Benefit Society  
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IT GIVES AMONG OTHER BENEFITS

- INSURANCE AT ACTUARIAL COST,
- SICK AND FUNERAL BENEFITS,
- ENDOWMENT BENEFIT,
- TOTAL AND PERMANENT  
DISABILITY BENEFIT,
- ANNUITY FOR OLD AGE.

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38,945.

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# Limit of Age for Admission is from 18 to 55 Years of Age.

## Monthly Rates of Assessments.

To secure (1) the Insurance Benefit, (2) the Total and Permanent Disability Benefit, and (3) Annuity Benefits, members of the I. O. F. pay the small rates shown in the following

SCHEDULE OF RATES OF ASSESSMENT FOR THE ORDINARY CLASS.

Age	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$3,000	Age	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$3,000
18	60	1 20	1 30	34	76	1 52	2 23
19	61	1 22	1 33	35	78	1 56	2 24
20	62	1 24	1 36	36	80	1 60	2 25
21	63	1 26	1 39	37	82	1 64	2 26
22	64	1 28	1 42	38	84	1 68	2 27
23	65	1 30	1 45	39	86	1 72	2 28
24	66	1 32	1 48	40	88	1 76	2 29
25	67	1 34	1 51	41	90	1 80	2 30
26	68	1 36	1 54	42	92	1 84	2 31
27	69	1 38	1 57	43	95	1 88	2 32
28	70	1 40	1 60	44	98	1 92	2 33
29	71	1 42	1 63	45	1 02	2 04	3 03
30	72	1 44	1 66	46	1 07	2 14	3 21
31	73	1 46	1 69	47	1 14	2 28	3 42
32	74	1 48	1 72	48	1 22	2 44	3 66
33	75	1 50	1 75	49	1 25	2 70	4 05

These sums correspond very nearly to the cost of risks as given in the best Actuaries' Tables of Mortality.

## Special Schedule of Rates.

The rates payable by initiates between 50 and 64 years of age, both inclusive, are as follows:

RATES FOR THE ORDINARY CLASS.

AGE.	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$3,000
50	\$2 50	\$5 00	\$7 50
51	2 60	5 20	7 80
52	2 70	5 40	8 10
53	2 85	5 70	8 55
54	3 00	6 00	9 00

RATES FOR THE HAZARDOUS CLASS.

AGE.	\$1,000	\$2,000	\$3,000
50	\$2 80	\$5 20	\$7 80
51	2 75	5 50	8 25
52	2 95	5 80	8 85
53	3 20	6 40	9 60
54	3 50	7 00	10 50

In the I. O. F. there are no Assessments on Death.

## Funeral Benefits.

The Sick and Funeral Benefits are optional, and are \$2 per week for the first two weeks and \$5 per week for the following 10 weeks of any one illness, and \$50 towards Funeral expenses.

The rates for Sick and Funeral Benefits, besides

the Enrollment Fee of \$1, which is paid but once, are as follows:

At Age of	Monthly Assessment	At Age of	Monthly Assessment	At Age of	Monthly Assessment	At Age of	Monthly Assessment
18	40	28	44	34	48	41	55
19	41	27	45	35	49	42	56
20	42	28	46	36	50	43	57
21	43	29	47	37	51	44	58
22	44	30	48	38	52	45	59
23	45	31	49	39	53	46	60
24	46	32	50	40	54	47	61
25	47	33	51	41	55	48	62
26	48	34	52	42	56	49	63
27	49	35	53	43	57	50	64
28	50	36	54	44	58	51	65
29	51	37	55	45	59	52	66
30	52	38	56	46	60	53	67
31	53	39	57	47	61	54	68
32	54	40	58	48	62	55	69
33	55	41	59	49	63	56	70
34	56	42	60	50	64	57	71
35	57	43	61	51	65	58	72
36	58	44	62	52	66	59	73
37	59	45	63	53	67	60	74
38	60	46	64	54	68	61	75
39	61	47	65	55	69	62	76
40	62	48	66	56	70	63	77
41	63	49	67	57	71	64	78
42	64	50	68	58	72	65	79
43	65	51	69	59	73	66	80
44	66	52	70	60	74	67	81
45	67	53	71	61	75	68	82
46	68	54	72	62	76	69	83
47	69	55	73	63	77	70	84
48	70	56	74	64	78	71	85
49	71	57	75	65	79	72	86
50	72	58	76	66	80	73	87
51	73	59	77	67	81	74	88
52	74	60	78	68	82	75	89
53	75	61	79	69	83	76	90
54	76	62	80	70	84	77	91
55	77	63	81	71	85	78	92
56	78	64	82	72	86	79	93
57	79	65	83	73	87	80	94
58	80	66	84	74	88	81	95
59	81	67	85	75	89	82	96
60	82	68	86	76	90	83	97
61	83	69	87	77	91	84	98
62	84	70	88	78	92	85	99
63	85	71	89	79	93	86	100
64	86	72	90	80	94	87	100

## OUR INVESTMENTS.

Our funds are always invested with a due regard to safety. The bulk of the funds are deposited with the Government, and with sound monetary institutions, subject only to the joint cheques of the whole Executive Council. Monays invested in this way are called

## Permanent Reserve Fund.

The following shows where some of the funds are thus invested:

Post Office Savings Bank.....	\$13,108 28
Canada Permanent Investment Co. ....	16,178 76
Huron and Erie Savings and Loan Co. . .	10,000 00
Freehold Savings and Loan Co. ....	10,000 00
British Canadian Loan and Investment Co	10,000 00
Canadian Savings and Loan Co. ....	10,000 09
Agricultural Savings & Loan Co. ....	10,000 00
School and Municipal Debentures.....	154,328 83
Mortgages.....	124,210 57
Nova Scotia Loan.....	300 00
New Brunswick Loan.....	200 00
Receiver-General of New Brunswick....	29,012 50

From the above it will be seen that we already have in the PERMANENT RESERVE FUND

**\$379,136.97.**

The above is subject only to the joint cheques of the undermentioned members of the Executive Council:

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With what we have in the current bank account our total reserve on hand at last report was the magnificent sum of

**\$500,637.51.**

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## Children's Corner.

### The Company Who Try.

Yes, I love the little winner,  
With the medal and the mark;  
He has gained the prize he sought for,  
He is joyous as a lark.  
Every one will haste to praise him,  
He is on the honor list;  
I've a tender thought, my darlings,  
For the one who tried and missed.

One? Ah me! They count by thousands,  
Those who have not gained the race,  
Though they did their best and fairest,  
Striving for the winner's place.  
Only few can reach the laurel,  
Many see their chance flit by;  
I've a tender thought, my darlings,  
For the earnest band who try.

'Tis the trying that is noble,  
If you're made of sterner stuff  
Than the laggards who are daunted  
When the bit of road is rough.  
All will praise the happy winners,  
But when they have hurried by,  
I've a song to cheer my darlings,  
The great company who try.

—Harpers Young People.

### The Test.

KINDNESS PAYS.

The principal of a school in which boys were prepared for college, one day received a message from a lawyer living in the same town, requesting him to call at his office, as he wished to have a talk with him.

Arrived at the office, the lawyer stated that he had in his gift a scholarship entitling a boy to a four years' course in a certain college, and that he wished to bestow it where it would be best used.

"Therefore," he continued, "I have concluded to let you decide which boy of your school most deserves it."

"That is a hard question to decide," replied the teacher, thoughtfully. "Two of my pupils—Charles Hart and Henry Strong—will complete the course of study in my school this year. Both desire a collegiate education and neither is able to attain it without assistance. They are so nearly equal that I cannot tell which is the better scholar."

"How is it as to deportment?" asked the lawyer.

"One boy does not more scrupulously observe all the rules of the school than the other," was the answer.

"Well," said the lawyer, "if at the end of the year one boy has not gone ahead of the other, send them to me and I will decide between them."

As before, at the closing examinations, the boys stood equal in attainments. They were directed to call at the lawyer's office, no information being given as to the object of the visit.

Two intelligent, well-bred boys they seemed and the lawyer was beginning to wonder greatly how he should make a decision between them. Just then the door opened, and an elderly lady of peculiar appearance entered. She was well-known

to them all as being of unsettled mind and possessed of the idea that she had been deprived of a large fortune which was justly hers. As a consequence she was in the habit of visiting lawyers' offices, carrying in her hands a package of papers which she wished examined. She was a familiar visitor to this office, where she was always received with respect, and dismissed with kindly promises of help.

This morning, seeing that the lawyer was already occupied with others, she seated herself to await his leisure. Unfortunately, the chair she selected was broken and had been set aside as useless.

The result was that she fell in a rather awkward manner, scattering her papers about the floor. The lawyer looked with a quick eye at the boys, before moving himself, to see what they would do.

Charles Hart, after an amused survey of the fall, turned aside to hide a laugh he could not control.

Henry Strong sprang to the woman's side and lifted her to her feet. Then carefully gathering up her papers, he politely handed them to her. Her profuse and rambling thanks served only to increase Charles' amusement.

After the lady had told her customary story, to which the lawyer listened with every appearance of attention, he escorted her to the door, and she departed.

Then he returned to the boys, and, after expressing pleasure at having formed their acquaintance, he dismissed them. The next day the teacher was informed of the occurrence, and told that the scholarship would be given to Henry Strong, with the remark, "No one so well deserves to be fitted for a position of honor and influence as he who feels it his duty to help the humblest and the lowliest." *M. E. Saffold.*

### Don't Send My Boy Where Your Girl Can't Go.

BY MRS. E. W. FROWNFEITER.

Don't send my boy where your girl can't go,  
And say, "There's no danger for boys, you know,  
Because they all have wild oats to sow."

There is no more excuse for my boy to be low  
Than your girl. Then, please do not tell him so.  
This world's old lie is a boy's worst foe—  
To hell or to heaven they both must go.

Don't allow him to go into places of sin,  
And then to your hearts and home take him in,  
Saying, "Oh, for a boy, there is nothing to fear,  
And it don't matter much if he does drink beer:  
He will stop by-and-by—it was always so—  
All men and boys have wild oats to sow."

You tell them this, and they think it is so—  
Not foreseeing that, sown, those seeds will grow;  
To them the harvest is hidden from view,  
Until, too late, the sowing they rue.  
For at last their horror-struck souls will see  
What the outcome of sowing wild oats must be.

Don't send my boy where your girl can't go;  
For a boy or a girl, sin is sin, you know.  
And my baby boy's hands are as clean and white,  
And his heart as pure as your girl's to-night.  
That which sends a girl to the pits of hell,  
Will send a boy's soul there as well.

—Good Templar Echo.

## Trust.

Strength for the day is all that we need,  
 As there never will be a to-morrow ;  
 For to-morrow will be but another to-day,  
 With its measure of joy and of sorrow.  
 Then why be forecasting the trials of life,  
 With so sad and so grievous persistence—  
 Why anxiously wait for the coming of ills  
 That never may have an existence ?  
 Far better to trust to the wisdom and love  
 Of the Providence ever beside us,  
 With no anxious thought what the future may  
 bring,  
 For He guides all events that betide us.

## A Band of Mercy Boy.

[If we cannot do miracles of healing as Peter did we can show the same kind spirit. "Such as I have give I thee."]

A short time ago, as I was crossing Market-street, a boy, not over ten years old, who had been walking just before me, ran into the street and picked up a broken glass pitcher. I suppose he intended the pieces as missiles, since the desire to throw something seems instinct in every boy. Consequently, I was much surprised when he tossed the pieces into a vacant lot at the corner and walked quietly on. As he passed whistling I said, "Why did you pick up that pitcher?"

"I was afraid it might cut some horse's foot," he replied.

My next question was a natural one:

"Are you a Band of Mercy boy?"

He smiled as he said:

"Oh, yes; that's why I did it."

The bands of mercy were drawn very closely around the dear little fellow's heart, I am sure.—  
*School and Home.*

## Home Circle.

## The Clay.

Within their tiny hands my children hold  
 A ball of yielding clay,  
 And, as they try some dainty form to mould,  
 I hear them softly say,  
 "What shall we make? an apple or a vase?  
 Some marbles, or a ball?"  
 One little boy, a smile upon his face,  
 Says, "I shall make a man."

Straightway, with lengthened face, he, at his task,  
 Begins and 'neath the hands  
 Unskilful, weak, and yet, to proud too ask  
 For aid, a form expands,  
 Crude, and yet not too poor to show the man  
 Hid in the maker's thought,—  
 How different yet if some skilled artisan  
 The ball of clay had wrought.

To-day within my hands my children lie,  
 I shape them as I will,  
 And seek for aid from Him that is on high,  
 That He may with His skill  
 Teach my weak, willing hands to rightly mould  
 The clay that I have sought,  
 That in true forms of beauty may unfold  
 The Maker's highest thought. —*Transcript.*

## Those Boys.

I once heard a motherly-like woman, plain in every way except in the lovely face, apologize for her ignorance of society and society ways, by saying: "I always keep so close at home. I had four boys, and I felt as if I wanted to do so much for them that I never had the time to go, as many mothers did; but I do not see any boys like my boys, and since they have grown up, I feel amply repaid." After I had seen the boys, I felt as if she had done much more with her life than if she had devoted herself to any claims of society. Her husband, though, had risen to a prominent position, and she felt keenly the difference between herself and the other ladies with whom she was thrown.

I daily hear young mothers complain that their children are taking all their time—all the best part of their lives. But do you not think if you were to interest yourself more in the things that interest your boys, you would keep them with you longer? A street education does not improve your boy, and just look around on the many who are raised that way.

It is pitiable when we come to think the house is too good for the boys; it seems to me bare floors would be more preferable than the fine carpets shut up and away from the boys entirely. "They are so noisy and rough!" Well, need they be so, any more than the gentlemen who visit your house are so? I think the city boys are most to be pitied, for there seems no place for them but the street. But still, with the gymnasiums, the public libraries, the parks and the various industries carried on, they can employ their time very satisfactorily, if they choose to do so, without going into evil of any kind.

If school begins to grow irksome, it is much better to put the boy to some good business or trade. Looking around upon the men who have done the best for themselves, you will find they were the boys who were put early to the wheel, and not the boys whose parents clothed and coddled them and furnished them with abundant spending money, till grown into manhood. On every side you can see the boys who are ruined by having too much money to spend that did not come by the sweat of their own brows.

Where boys show a decided talent, it should certainly be well cultivated, as anyone does better with a specialty. It is your duty to plan employments for him, and not leave him to do as he pleases, and then blame him for the evil he is sure to fall into.

I heard a mother say this: "My boys have been perfect pests these two holiday weeks. I wish there never was any vacation during the year." Another said, "Why, mine have been so busy, I do not know what has become of the time." Ah, that was it. The boys kept busy were no trouble, and the mother had planned it all. Count all your time well spent that goes toward making your boys grow up to be good men and respectable citizens.—*Ladies' Home Companion.*

Be noble! and the nobleness which lies  
 In other men, sleeping, but never dead,  
 Will rise in majesty to meet thine own.

—*Lowell.*

Always think twice before the boy is set to a task you would not do yourself.

### Filial Honor.

Young people sometimes know very much more than their elders! at least, according to their own estimate of their knowledge. They pride themselves on advanced methods of thought, and freedom from "old fogy notions," but possibly they will find, on reaching middle age, that years do bring their own peculiar teachings, which youth is not yet capable of receiving. Said an overworked mother once, in a moment of bitterness:

"I'm afraid I don't enjoy my children as much as I did when they were little. Then they were merely clinging, affectionate creatures; they never judged what I did, or doubted that I was the most remarkable woman in the world. Now they seem so much wiser than I, that it appears to be natural for them to find fault with me.

"Nothing that I do is considered very praiseworthy. In fact, I am almost always in the wrong. If I try to join in their conversation, they evidently think 'mother's opinions aren't worth much; she hasn't had the latest advantages.'

"It's true, I haven't. I've been too busy to become a very cultivated woman, but it seems to me affection, taken by itself, ought to count for something in this world."

Yet her children did love her; they only omitted to "honor" her in daily life. The next day after her death, her son stood beside her coffin, looking at the worn, placid face, and said through his tears,—

"I never could understand why mother wasn't happier. She had every comfort in her later years, but she always looked worn and discouraged."

Had he been of clearer vision he need not have sought far for the reason. It is usually our own warmth or lack of tenderness which makes the faces about us bright or gloomy—a truth to be remembered before it is forever too late.

—*Youth's Companion.*

### Life.

Life is a sheet of paper white  
Whereon each one of us may write  
His word or two—and then comes night!

"Lo, time and space enough" we cry,  
"To write an epic," so we try  
Our nibs upon the edge—and die.

Muse not which way the pen to hold;  
Luck hates the slow and loves the bold;  
Soon comes the darkness and the cold.

Greatly begin! Though thou hast time  
But for a line be that sublime,  
Not failure, but low aim, is crime. —*Lowell.*

Ella Wheeler Wilcox says if she were asked to define the meaning of the term, "a successful man," she would say, "A man who has made a happy home for his wife and children, no matter what he has done in the way of achieving wealth and honor. If he has done that he is a grand success. If he has not done that, and it is his own fault, though he be the highest in the land, he is a most pitiable failure. I wonder how many men in the mad pursuit of gold which characterizes the age, realize that there is no fortune which can be left to their families as great as the memory of a happy home."

### The S. S. as a Sheep Breeder.

At the last annual meeting of the Dominion Sheepbreeders' Association, Mr. J. A. McGillivray of Uxbridge read the following paper on Dorset Horned Sheep:

"While I take some interest in our sheep-breeding industry, in which I have been engaged in a measure for the last seven years, and have thus learned many of its characteristics and requirements (not to speak of the fact that, being a farmer's son, I was early accustomed to the sheep-fold), still, I could not presume to obtrude my views as to sheep-raising, and the best means of making it profitable, upon a body of men such as I see before me; men whose lives have been devoted to the careful study of such matters, and whose ripe experience—acquired not only through reading, but by daily observation and multifarious experiments—has gained for them provincial reputations, and placed them in the fore-front of the stockbreeders of this Province.

"However, having become attached to a class of sheep but little known in this country, and after an acquaintance with them of five years, I concluded to present to you a short paper embodying what I know of the Dorset Horned Sheep. Not that I expect to wean you from your respective preferences, but perhaps to induce those of you who may not be altogether wedded to any other classes to make a venture in our line, being firm in the conviction that, when these sheep are as well known as their fellows, they will be at least as highly appreciated by the farmers and others for their well-established excellencies as any of the other classes.

"The Dorsets, as the name would indicate, are natives of the South of England, where they are found in large numbers in the county of Dorset, and also to a considerable extent in some of the adjoining counties. In Somersetshire may be found a closely related sheep known as the pink-nosed Somersets; indeed, these two classes are now recognized as comprising one branch of the sheep family, and in England, I believe, are registered alike in the one flock book.

"A few of these sheep found their way into Virginia and some of the Southern States many years ago, attracting, however, but little attention. They first became really known to the Canadian and American people only some eight or ten years ago, the first importers thereof into this country being, I believe, Messrs. E. & A. Stamford, shortly afterwards to be followed by Messrs. Tazewell & Hector of the Credit, who have been the largest of our Canadian importers in the past, and the chief medium of their being brought to the attention of the Canadian people—the gentleman bearing the same relationship in this respect towards the farmers of the neighboring republic being Mr. Cooper, a Pennsylvania dealer and importer.

"The Dorset is one of the oldest of the English breeds, and has been kept exceedingly pure and intact for a long time. Originally they were small, though hardy, and noted for their fecundity and their capability of living and thriving where other sheep would fare but poorly. However, as time advanced, these sheep, as in the case of all other classes, improved by careful breeding, until now they have doubled their original size, and in the weight of the fleece, while they have lost none of the valuable characteristics above referred to.

"The ewes will take the ram as soon as they have lambed, or, rather, within a few days thereafter; as a result they are capable of producing two lots of lambs a year, and, further, we can have our lambs come in any month of the twelve, to suit our convenience. In England, the ewes usually take the ram in April, and the lambs, coming in September, are fit for the Christmas market, where they are great favorites, as the mutton is highly appreciated for its sweet flavor. I might just say here, in passing, that a year ago last New Year, I was offered by a local butcher \$10 apiece for my fall lambs. While I never brought in my sheep twice a year, considering it a too heavy a strain upon them, I aim at bringing them all in three times in the space of two years, and have succeeded in so doing thus far. Some have argued that, owing to a change from their natural climate, these sheep would not be as prolific here as in England; but in answer to this objection, I would simply point them to the actual experience of our Canadian breeders. Last year I saw a sheep in the flock of Messrs Tazewell & Hector, that had weaned seven healthy lambs within the space of fourteen months, and had succeeded in raising them all. I saw her with her third set, and a fine, hardy pair of lambs they were.

"At our last Industrial Exhibition I had a ewe in my exhibit that lambed on the 31st of December, 1890, and raised me then a fine large ewe lamb. In August following, she presented me with two more fine lambs—which were at her side, a few weeks old, at the time of the exhibition to which I refer—and before the year 1891 had expired, she was again heavy in lamb. I have a flock of upwards of eighty sheep, nearly one-half of them being imported, and the rest my own raising, and amongst them are to be found to-day twenty young lambs, ranging from a few weeks to two months old.

"Judging from these facts, it is quite clear to me that we need have no fear of their losing this particular feature of their valuable breeding propensities.

"The ewes are large milkers and good nurses, and it is only rarely that a lamb is lost. In my experience I have lost but five; three of them last year through carelessness on the part of their attendant. They wean or throw off their lambs of their own accord as soon as they think them fit to care for themselves.

"The young mature with amazing rapidity, and in the space of a few months grow to be almost the size of their mothers. A large proportion of the ewes produce and raise twins and triplets. Of my own flock, about half of my ewes had twins last fall. In the last edition of "Stewart's Shepherds' Manual," I find an instance there referred to, that of a Mr. Pitfield of Bradport, Dorset, England, who, as the result of one lambing season, found himself in possession of 550 lambs from 400 ewes.

"They are, as the name indicates, a horned sheep, male and female. In my opinion, the horns add to their beauty as well as furnish a useful means of handling them, doing away with the necessity of irritating or lacerating the flesh when in the act of catching them for shipping or other purposes.

"They are as docile and as easily controlled and tended as the quietest of our well-known breeds. Their fleeces, while not large in quantity, ranging from eight to fourteen pounds, furnish a fine quality of wool, which is much appreciated and in great

demand by our local woollen mills. In England the lambs are shorn for their fine fleeces of lambs-wool.

"I have experimented in crossing with the common sheep, the Shropshire, the Cotswold and South-down, and have the result of those crosses now upon my farm, which go to show in no unmistakable terms that no better sheep than the Dorset can be had for crossing purposes.

"The farmers in my neighborhood who have used my rams do not care to use any other. When crossed, the sheep are much larger in size, as a rule, than the pure bred; the males having short horns for the most part, and the females none.

"If you will excuse me for again making reference to my own flock, I would add that, knowing that I was expected to read a paper before you to-day, the day before yesterday I had my manager send down a yearling ram (now almost two years old) and a ram lamb (now about a year old) to the town market scales to be weighed, and I have in my pocket the weigh-bill, showing that the former, which was not in good condition and was only taken from the ewe three weeks ago, weighed 260 pounds, and the later, in no better condition, 170 pounds. Had these sheep been fat, as you sheep-breeders fatten sheep for exhibition purposes, you can each of you readily imagine at how very much more they would have turned the scales.

"Now, in conclusion, I am not going to assume to say to you that this is the best of our many useful classes of sheep, but what I do wish to emphasize is that our sheep have many valuable properties and propensities that deserve, and should command, your careful study and attention. I am glad to notice that already some of our Shropshire friends are affectionately turning their eyes toward them, and are importing them in small lots, soon, I hope, to be followed by much larger importations.

"When joining the American Dorset Association, a few weeks ago, I found that I was the 63rd member, thus showing that on the other side of the line at least 62 men are engaged in raising these sheep, although the association is only one year old—a fact pregnant with hope of much further development in the early future.

"To sum up, let me say that in at least three particulars they are, in my opinion, far in advance of all other sheep:—(1) In their fecundity; (2) in their capability of lambing at the behest of the shepherd, at whatever season lambs are in greatest demand; and (3) in the wonderful rapidity in which they mature during the first few months; while for docility, hardiness and fine quality of flesh and wool they compare favorably with all, or nearly all, of the other well-known classes.

"This is my message to you, very inadequately given, it is true, but still with the one desire to stimulate your thoughts and actions in a kindly spirit towards the Dorset at a time when there is an approaching danger of over-importation on the part of the sheep-breeders of the Province."

What, rob a poor man of his beer,  
And give him good victuals instead,  
Why really I thin' you are queer,  
Or a little bit soft on the head,  
What, rob a poor man of his rags,  
And clothe him and make him a man,  
Drink-sellers can never agree  
To such a ridiculous plan.

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TORONTO, CANADA, SEPTEMBER, 1892.

1. Send all matters relating to THE INDEPENDENT FORESTER and questions on points of Forestric law to Dr. Oronhyatekha, S.C.R., Toronto, Canada.

2. Send all Medical Examination Papers, Notices of Sickness, Sick Benefit Claims, etc., to the Supreme Physician, Dr. Millman, 490 Huron Street, Toronto, Canada.

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5. Courts working under the jurisdiction of a High Court must order all supplies from the High Secretary of their own High Court; those not under a High Court must order from the Supreme Secretary.

6. The FORESTER will be mailed to each member of a Court as soon as the Financial Secretary sends a list of members, arranged alphabetically, with their Post Office addresses, to the Editor. Until such list is received the papers will be mailed to the Court Deputy in bundles for distribution among the members.

7. Financial Secretaries will immediately notify the Editor, at Toronto, giving in each case the name in full,

- When a member is initiated,
- When a member is suspended,
- When a member withdraws from the Court,
- When a member changes his address, or
- When a member joins the Court by Card.

8. In every communication give the name and number of your Court and where located. It is impossible to find your name on our lists unless this information is given

## Editorial.

### Notes.

The Supreme Secretary has handed us the following memo for publication:—All members of the Order who took out accident insurance themselves, instead of having the Sup. Sec. do it for them will kindly forward to the Supreme Secretary at once their insurance tickets, and ask the Financial Secys of their respective Courts to deduct the cost thereof from their next monthly remittance, giving the name of the Brethren on whose account the deduction is made in each case, so that the proper entries can be made in the books of the Supreme Court, and the proper credits given therefor.

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The surplus has reached and passed the HALF MILLION, bravo!

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A portrait and sketch of Bro. Herbert Creed, Fredericton, P.S.V.C.R., will appear in our next issue.

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Last month's issue of 45,000 copies is about exhausted. Our publisher says: "only a few copies left."

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In the fifteenth year of its history, the death-rate in Ontario in the Order is five in a thousand. How is that for careful selection on the part of the Medical Board?

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For every member removed by death during the past year, thirty-one new ones were initiated. The man who said the Order had ceased growing has something to take back.

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There are at least 9,999 members of our Order who never introduced a new member. Now is your chance, one a-piece, and as soon as you have each brought your man, we will make the fact known.

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All official communications from the High or Supreme Court to the Subordinate Court should be addressed to the Court Deputy High Chief Ranger. See section 94, sub-section (3) of the constitution.

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Members relaxed their efforts during the hot weather. After rest, work. Courts should, and will resume their regular meetings, and take up the work of extending and building up the Order with vigor.

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The Forester who believes in the Order, and has a neighbor who is not a member, is not doing his duty by the Order and his neighbor, unless he has used his influence to secure his application for membership.



Eleven months hence and the Supreme Court will be meeting. By that time the Order should be 70,000 strong. Ten new members in each sub-order, the court, and the 50,000 will be more than secured.

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"I have had my share of the honors of office," said a brother in one of our courts, "I decline holding an office this term, but I will be bringing in the members all the same. Nothing tells like day's work—I work every day."

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One live, prudent man in any court will stand between it and disaster. When word comes "our court is dormant, and in danger of going to pieces," it shows a sad lack of interest on the part of members. Like members, like court.

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The cost at joining stands in the way of some. One does not get his hand on \$8 that he can spare every day. There is nothing in the way of subordinate courts taking the initiation fee in instalments. Some do this, and with excellent results.

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"Never did a better spirit pervade the Order than that which prevails everywhere just now," said the Supreme Chief, on his return from a recent tour in New York, Michigan, and Western Ontario. From ocean to ocean the word is "united and prosperous."

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Don't find fault with the way things are done in your court, unless you have a better way to suggest. If you are not doing anything else but finding fault, you might as well give that up, and be absolutely idle. If that does not suit you, go to work and show a better way of doing things.

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What is your security that your insurance will be paid? queried a doubting Thomas of a member of our Order. Well, replied the brother, there is the reserve of *half-a-million* and \$40,000 that 40,000 members pay in monthly. When my policy becomes a claim there is a reasonable chance that it will be paid—reasonable things satisfy me.

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We don't promise "the earth" but we promise what we can perform. Insurance at a trifle over cost, prompt settlement of every claim, safe administration and fraternal treatment. Results, 40,000 members, over a *million* paid in claims, a surplus of half a million, and a membership increasing at the rate of about 1,000 a month. We don't murmur.

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We have heard of a certain man out west who has withdrawn from the Order on the ground that Scripture forbids our taking "thought for to-morrow," and "laying up treasures upon earth." We know that insurance with the *Foresters* is a reasonably safe treasure, and the thought that secures it to-

day is wise forethought for the morrow that may never come to the individual, but may come to his family—and that with care, and perchance want did he fail in providing for his own, and especially those of his own house. To fail in that, no matter how great his trust in Providence, would be "to deny the faith, and be worse than an infidel." There is a word in the good book that the brother has been reading through green spectacles that also enjoins—that we be "not slothful in business," and another that says; "Provide things honest in the sight of all men."

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The Industrial Exhibition is in full swing in Toronto. Enormous crowds are in attendance daily. The receipts are in excess of any former year, and Manager Hill is happy. In every sense the show is bigger and better than ever. In the art gallery is a fine oil painting of the Supreme Chief that is greatly admired. Among the exhibits is the "Coulter Vaporizer," advertised on our last page, it is attracting considerable notice. Inspector Whale is sowing Foresteric literature and expects his harvest in the way of new members later on.

### Portrait of Our S. C. R.

We present in this issue a representation of the portrait of the Supreme Chief Ranger in the uniform of a Royal Forester, of which body he is Ill. Supreme Commander. The Executive Council have had this excellent likeness lithographed in 18 colors by the Toronto Lithographing Co., under the immediate supervision of its able manager, Bro. Stone. Those who have seen it pronounce it an admirable likeness of the S.C.R., and might pass for an oil painting. It will make a superb picture for any court-room, as well as for any parlor. They have been executed in two sizes, one being like *he cut*, showing three-quarters of the figure, the other showing to the belt. Both are life-size. These litho-portraits can now be procured of the Supreme Secretary. The price fixed for them is \$3.00 for the large, and \$2.00 for the small size portrait. On all orders received before the 1st December, next, the charge will only be \$2.00 and \$1.00, with cost of carriage added. If any of the brethren or courts should desire to have them framed, the Supreme Secretary has made arrangements to have the frames furnished at wholesale, costing \$2.50 for the small and \$3.50 for the large frame. In ordering specify whether you want the large or the small portrait, and whether you want it framed or unframed.

### The Outlook.

From all points comes the gratifying intelligence that the Order is pervaded by a spirit of harmony and activity; without harmony, activity in the interest of the Order is impossible. Sometimes there is the activity born of strife. When it is internal strife that causes it, the result is sure to be disaster.

The membership of our great Order is becoming thoroughly persuaded that Independent Forestry affords benefits of exceptional value; this is evidenced quite as much by decreased suspensions as by increasing initiations. Whatever slight difference of opinion there may be on points of law and administration, all are agreed that the fraternal advantages are considerable, and that the insurance is the cheapest that can be given consistent with security and efficient management.

All the indications point to a prosperous future, that will even rival the past.

The Order is but in its infancy, and yet in the fifteen years of its history it has secured and retained 40,000 members, paid over a *million* dollars in benefits, and laid by a reserve of *half a million*.

It is not too much to hope that in the next five years the membership will reach 100,000, and the reserve a *million*. There is practically no limit to what the present membership of 40,000 can accomplish.

In working for the extension of the Order, every member has a double motive. By every new member that he secures, his own security is increased, and the benefits of the Order are extended at the same time to another.

From comparisons with other organizations, Independent Forestry has nothing to fear. It combines more good points than any like institution in this or other lands. If any one is doubtful on this point, let him make the comparison. Its ability to do what it promises is proven by what it has done. All this makes the outlook encouraging in the highest degree.

The member of the Order who does not take advantage of the present favorable time and circumstances to bring in new members is not doing his full duty by the Order or his friends. Every subordinate court should be an organizing and canvassing agency, every member an agent, anxious to contribute one loyal member's share to the noble work of extending the principles of Forestry. The subordinate courts are, we are happy to say, taking up the work that was first done necessarily by organizers;

and that more work, and work better done, will be the result, is the confident expectation of those who have carefully surveyed the field.

### The Late Dr. Wm. H. Henderson.

PAST SUPREME PHYSICIAN.

Very general and sincere is the sorrow over the early, and to many the sudden, death of Dr. Henderson. Those who saw him at the meeting of the Supreme Court in Detroit last year will remember how well he looked, and even a few months ago the Doctor seemed in good health and able to attend to the claims of his large practice. About three months ago he began to complain and on consulting some brother physicians, it was found that he was suffering from an acute form of Bright's disease. The progress of the disease was rapid and on the 3rd of August Dr. Henderson passed peacefully away, at the early age of 36. In his profession he attained a prominence seldom reached by so young a man. Among all classes he was highly esteemed for his many excellent qualities of head and heart. In 1885 he was Supreme Physician. He held the office for two years and in the Order made many warm friends.

His funeral was one of the largest seen for many years in Kingston. The services at the Congregational Church, of which he was an attached and liberal member, were conducted by the pastor, Dr. Jackson. The beautiful burial service of the Order was conducted at the grave by the Rev. Mr. Mackie, of St. Andrew's Church, Chaplain of Court Frontenac. Dr. Millman, Supreme Physician, represented the Supreme Executive at the funeral. Bro. Major Drennan had charge of the funeral. The sympathy of the whole Order goes out to the widow and fatherless children and relatives of our late brother.

### Official Circular No. 5.

TO BE READ IN ALL SUBORDINATE COURTS.

TORONTO, 10th Sept., 1892.

To all Court Deputies.

RESPECTED AND DEAR BRETHREN:

1. The Executive Council have great pleasure in being able to announce to the Order that our total surplus now exceeds HALF A MILLION DOLLARS, an evidence of solid prosperity that must make the heart of every Forester glad.

2. Another cause for sincere congratulation is the fact that not only have the Executive Council been enabled to repay the deficit (with interest), which existed for some time in the Sick and

Funeral Benefit Department, but that a sufficient surplus has been created to justify the Executive in repaying now, to those members who paid the extra assessments rendered necessary by *La Grippe*, and who have been continuously in that department from that time to the present.

3. You are accordingly hereby requested to direct your Financial Secretary to place to the credit of each brother of your court, provided he is still in the S. and F. Benefit department, the amount paid by him in "extra assessments," and to collect no further assessments from him for this department till this credit is exhausted.

3a. From the brethren who paid only one "extra assessment" you will collect, for October only, the difference between the "extra assessment" paid by them and the amount of one assessment, under the revised constitution.

4. From the brethren who paid two "extra assessments" you will collect no S. and F. Benefit assessment for October, and for November you will collect only the difference between the two "extra assessments" paid by them and the amount of two assessments, according to the present rates.

5. With the October report, each Financial Secretary will send the names, if any, of the brethren entitled as above, to be repaid the "extra assessments" paid by them, placing opposite the names of the brethren the respective amounts so paid.

6. Only brethren who are in the S. and F. department on the 1st October next, will be entitled to the rebate herein provided.

7. The Executive Council is confident that there is not a member of the Order who does not now recognise the wisdom of the Supreme Court in so amending the constitutions and laws, as to bring about the happy results, they have been enabled to announce in this official circular, and that too, in the face of the fact of the recurrence of *La Grippe* in an epidemic form, during last winter.

8. It is confidently expected that by the time of the next Session of the Supreme Court, there will be a sufficient surplus in S. and F. Benefit Fund to justify the Supreme Court in carrying out the balance of the changes in contemplation, when the amendments adopted at the last session of the Supreme Court were under consideration, viz:

To make the benefits \$3.00 per week for the first two weeks of illness; \$5.00 for the next two weeks; \$6.00 for the next four weeks; and \$7.00 for the next and last four weeks of the twelve weeks for which benefits are provided in our Order, thus making this Department, as perfect as our Endowment Department is at the present time.

9. The season for renewed energy in the work of the Order is again at hand, and the Executive Council has every confidence that the Brethren will respond as heartily as ever before, to this appeal, for a united effort to place the I. O. F. prominently before the public, and thus secure additions to our ranks. We have over 1,100 good working Courts at date. Are we asking too much when we say we want each of these 1,100 odd Courts to give us, at the least, 5 new members between 1st Oct. and the 1st Jan. next?

10. To all Courts which will initiate 5 new members between the above mentioned dates, not being charter members, we will give a copy of the life size lithograph of the Supreme Chief Ranger. If, however, a Court has already the said lithograph, we will give instead either four members' badges or any three officers' badges, or a Court Deputy's sash.

11. To all courts which initiate 20 members or more between the above dates, a set of officers' badges, or its equivalent in members' badges will be given as a prize.

12. To all courts which initiate 30 members or more a set of the magnificent new gold-trimmed officers' sashes will be given. If, however, the court has already this set, then an equivalent in badges will be given instead.

13. To the court that initiates the largest number of members, one set of officers' sashes and one set of officers' badges.

14. To the court that makes the largest percentage of gain in membership, through initiates between aforesaid dates, one set of officers' sashes or its equivalent in badges.

15. To the Deputy Supreme Chief Ranger or Deputy High Chief Ranger who institutes the largest number of courts consisting of not less than 20 beneficiary members, a cash prize of \$50.

16. To the Deputy whose courts, instituted between the 1st October and 1st January next, will report the largest number of benefic. members in their January reports, a cash prize of \$50.

17. No court or individual shall, however, be entitled to two prizes.

18. The time of each and every one of the above contests shall be from the 1st October next to the 1st January next.

19. In the case of courts in Prince Edward Island or California, or other distant jurisdictions, candidates will be allowed to count for prizes, provided they have been examined by the court physician, and proposed and accepted by the court before the 1st January, 1893, and provided further that they are initiated at the first regular meeting of the court in January.

20. Dispensation is hereby granted to courts desiring to do so, to initiate at charter rates between the 1st October next and the 1st January, 1893.

21. For the information of the officers of new courts we desire to say that "charter rates" means that the portion of the initiation fees which go to the subordinate court may be in part or wholly remitted, and only such portions of the initiation fees as are to be remitted to the Supreme Court charged and collected.

22. United and prosperous as we are, and having the best Fraternal and Benevolent Order in the world to present to the public, there is no reason why we should not meet the next Supreme Court with over 50,000 members and a surplus of at least THREE QUARTERS OF A MILLION DOLLARS in our treasury.

By order,

ORONHYATEKHA, M.D.,  
Supreme Chief Ranger.

JOHN A. MCGILLIVRAY, Q. C.,  
Supreme Secretary.

What is better than to give credit to whom it's due? Give the cash.

#### Crippled with Rheumatism.

Ronald McKay, Murray Harbor Road, P. E. I., writes:—"I was crippled with rheumatism and could get no relief until I used your Pink Pills. I am now well." Of all dealers or by mail at 50c a box or 6 boxes for \$2.50. Dr. Williams Med. Co., Brockville, Ont., and Schenectady, N. Y. Beware of imitations.

Supreme Secretary's Statement for the Month of August, 1892.

Courts not sending correct Remittances for August.

Report calls for Undermentioned Amounts.					Amounts Remitted.			Amount
Name of Court.	No.	Endm't.	S. & F.	Gen'l.	Endm't.	S. & F.	Gen'l.	Short
Frontenac.....	50	\$351 48	\$59 79	\$1 00	\$351 48	\$59 79	\$1 00	\$0 10
Seabright.....	378	50 57	3 94	.....	50 47	3 94	.....	10
Perth.....	384	80 03	4 25	.....	80 03	.....	.....	4 25
Brandon.....	427	5 24	3 02	7 40	4 64	3 02	7 40	6
Inverness.....	579	17 17	.....	3 00	17 00	.....	3 00	17
East Jordan.....	539	14 20	5 61	.....	14 01	5 61	.....	25
De Pere.....	936	5 37	.....	.....	5 12	.....	.....	25
Fort Howard.....	978	9 71	.....	.....	9 40	.....	.....	25
Kinsman.....	1035	26 89	.....	2 00	26 39	.....	.....	2 5

NOTE.—Courts will remit the above shortage next report.

Delinquent Courts who have not paid their August Assessments.

Name of Court.	No.	Name of Court.	No.
Ethel.....	175	Red Wing.....	980
Classic City.....	559		

NOTE.—The above Courts not having remitted their assessments stood suspended on 1st Aug., and will stand suspended till duly reinstated.

Remittances from New Courts.

No. of Members.	Name of Court.	No. of Court.	Endow't Assn't.	S. & F. Benefit.	General Fund.	No. of Members.	Name of Courts.	No. of Court.	Endow't Assn't.	S. & F. Benefit.	General Fund.
15	Cortland.....	1077	\$29 16	.....	.....	13	Badger State.....	1085	\$27 92	.....	.....
19	Omaha.....	1091	41 50	.....	.....	19	Emwood.....	1097	17 91	.....	.....
21	Prince Edward.....	1098	22 47	.....	.....	17	Trafalgar.....	1099	13 56	47	.....
23	Delta.....	1100	17 18	5 85	15 00	20	Oneida.....	1101	13 91	.....	.....
16	Westmoreland.....	1105	49 76	.....	.....	24	Black Eagle.....	1106	19 74	11 00	.....
11	Gum City.....	1107	15 12	.....	.....	15	Duck Lake.....	1109	34 57	.....	.....
22	South Erie.....	1122	30 07	.....	1 00						
						235			303 1	17 32	19 00

Totals from Old Courts.....	No. of Members.	Endowmt's.	S. & F.	General.
" " New Courts.....	38,665	\$30,483 91	\$ 5,285 08	\$ 2,172 40
Members at large.....	235	303 17	17 32	19 00
Received from High Court of Michigan.....	45	55 36	.....	17 20
" " " Ontario.....	.....	.....	.....	1,000 00
" " " Wisconsin.....	.....	.....	.....	5 50
" " " Quebec.....	.....	.....	.....	2 00
" " " California.....	.....	.....	.....	139 82
" " " Michigan.....	.....	.....	.....	134 96
" " " New Brunswick.....	.....	.....	.....	16 94
" " " Ohio.....	.....	.....	.....	100 00
" " " New Jersey.....	.....	.....	.....	101 46
Supply account.....	.....	.....	.....	100 00
Received on acct. of FORESTER.....	.....	.....	.....	2 43
" " R. F. Uniforms.....	.....	.....	.....	1 00
" " Interest.....	.....	.....	.....	10 00
Total membership 1st August.....	38,945	.....	.....	265 00
Grand Totals.....		\$30,822 44	\$ 5,902 40	\$ 4,087 21

RECAPITULATION.

RECEIPTS.	By Cash Remitted Supreme Treasurer.....	CONTRA—CR.
For Endowment Benefit Fund.....	\$30,822 44	\$46,812 05
" Sick and Funeral Benefit Fund.....	5,902 40	
" General Funds.....	4,087 21	
	\$40,812 05	

Investment Account.

Received on account of principal on debentures.....	\$10,000 00
Remitted same to Supreme Treasurer.....	10,000 00

Submitted in L., B. and C.,  
JOHN A. MCGILLIVRAY, Supreme Secretary.

Mortuary Statement.

For the Month of August, 1892.

No. 693. Brother Charles A. Mills, of Court Mayville, No. 532, located at Mayville, Mich., was *accidentally drowned*, 16th July, 1892, aged 37 years. Initiated 29th June, 1890. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$19.50. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Emma F. Mills. Paid by cheque No. 625.

No. 694. Brother William Christie, of Court Tamworth, No. 392, located at Tamworth, Ont., was *killed in railway col-*

*lision*, 21st July, 1892, aged 40 years. Initiated 11th April, 1889. Paid into the Endowment Fund, \$33.22. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Mary Ann Christie. Paid by cheque No. 526.

No. 695. Bro. Fred. A. Chisholm, of Court Tamworth, No. 392, located at Tamworth, Ont., died of *Broncho Pneumonia*, 1st July, 1892, aged 23 years. Initiated 11th April, 1889. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$24.18. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his father, James F. Chisholm. Paid by cheque No. 527.

No. 696. Brother Edward Spencer, of Court Buckeye, No. 312, located at Cleveland, Ohio, died of *General Paralysis*, 18th July, 1892, aged 34 years. Initiated 21st March, 1888.

Paid into the Endowment Fund \$22.32. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Josie Spencer. Paid by cheque No. 528.

No. 497. Bro. F. L. Geldert, of Court Relief, No. 248, located at Lunenburg, N. S., died of *La Grippe, with Pneumonia*, 8th May, 1892, aged 27 years. Initiated 17th April, 1891. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$11.41. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to executors, administrators, or assigns. Paid by cheque No. 529.

No. 693. Bro. Benjamin F. Donoho, of Court Fowler, No. 767, located at Fowler, Cal., died of *Consumption*, 25th May, 1892, aged 28 years. Initiated 18th March, 1891. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$8.82. Endowment of \$1,000, designated to B. J. Donoho (father), A. S. Donoho (brother), and M. J. Donoho (sister). Paid by cheques Nos. 531, 532, 533.

No. 699. Brother John George Maier, of Court Minden, No. 430, located at Minden City, Mich., died of *Hepatitis*, 24th July, 1892, aged 46 years. Initiated 9th January, 1891. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$17.64. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Barbara Maier, and his children, Maggie, Mary, Charles, and William Maier. Paid by cheques Nos. 530 and 533.

No. 700. Bro. Joseph Loré, of Court St. Catherine, No. 729, located at Montreal, Que., died of *La Grippe and Phthisis*, 27th July, 1892, aged 26 years. Initiated 7th of May, 1891. Paid into Endowment Fund, \$18.76. Endowment of \$2,000 designated to his mother, Clemence Mansau. Paid by cheque No. 534.

No. 701. Brother William H. Henderson, of Court Frontenac, No. 59, located at Kingston, Ont., died on the 14th of August, of *Bright's Disease of the Kidneys*, aged 36 years. Initiated 25th May, 1883. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$76.59. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his mother, Henrietta Jane Henderson. Paid by cheque, No. 535.

No. 702. Brother William Richard Howell, of Court Dufferin, No. 4, located at London, Ont., died on the 27th July, 1892, of *Bright's Disease*, aged 40 years. Initiated 17th of February, 1885. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$131.72. Endowment of \$2,000, designated to his wife, Laura Howell. Paid by cheque No. 539.

No. 703. Brother Alex. Hoey, of Court Queen City, No. 68, located at Toronto, Ont., died on the 14th August, '92, of *Tuberculosis*, aged 33 years. Initiated 17th July, 1887. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$39.20. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Mary Rebecca Hoey. Paid by cheque No. 537.

No. 704. Brother L. H. McMahon, of Court Alliston, No. 50, located at Alliston, Ont., died on the 22nd of June, 1891, of *Typhoid Fever*, aged 32 years. Initiated 27th of March, 1889. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$32.88. Endowment of \$2,000 designated to his brother, Joshua McMahon. Paid by cheque No. 536.

No. 705. Brother H. Everingham, of Court Jarvis, No. 138, located at Jarvis, Ont., was *accidentally killed on railway*, 20th May, 1892, aged 29 years. Initiated 8th of September, 1891. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$5.60. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his daughter, Stella Everingham. Paid by cheque No. 540.

No. 706. Brother John C. Hahn, of Court Flower City, No. 338, located at Rochester, N.Y., died on the 30th of July, 1892, of *Consumption*, aged 23 years. Initiated 25th August, 1891. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$7.04. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his mother, Minnie Hahn. Paid by cheque No. 541.

No. 707. Brother John Grayston, of Court Clifton, No. 220, located at Niagara Falls, Ont., died on the 16th of August, 1892, of *Pleuro-Pneumonia*, aged 33 years. Initiated 18th December, 1891. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$6.66. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Helena Grayston. Paid by cheque No. 542.

No. 708. Brother Sever O. Lee, of Court Arvilla, located at Arvilla, N.D., died on the 14th of August, 1892, of *Peritonitis*, aged 36 years. Initiated 4th of April, 1891. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$37.44. Endowment of \$3,000 designated to his wife, Olive Lee. Paid by cheque No. 544.

No. 709. Brother E. E. Walsh, of Court Acadia, No. 102, located at Amherst, N.S., died on the 3rd of August, 1892, of *Tubercular Laryngitis*, aged 35 years. Initiated 18th February, 1890. Paid into the Endowment Fund \$22.50. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Julia Walsh. Paid by cheque No. 543.

I am convinced that there is no cause more likely to elevate the people of this country, in every respect, whether as regards religion, political importance, or literary and moral cultivation, than this great question of temperance.—Lord John Russell.

Supreme Treasurer's Statement for the Month of July, 1892.

ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

To balance per last report.....	\$23,053 30
" Cheque 459 returned and cancelled.....	3,030 00
" Interest.....	205 00
" Received from Sup. Sec.....	30,822 44
	\$63,140 83

CONTRA—CR.

Claims paid to beneficiaries of late Brothers.

Name.	Court.	Amount.
Chas. A. Mills	Mayville, 522	\$1,000 00
Wm Christie	Tainworth, 392	1,000 00
F. A. Chisholm	"	1,600 00
Ed. Spencer	Buckeye, 312	500 00
F. L. Geldert	Relief, —	1,600 00
J. G. Maier	Minden, 430	1,000 00
B. F. Donoho	Fowler, 767	1,000 00
Jos. Dore	St. Catherine, 729	2,000 00
Wm. H. Henderson	Frontenac, 59	1,000 00
D. H. McMahon	Alliston, 59	2,000 00
A. Hoey	Queen City, 66	1,000 00
Wm. Richard Howell	Dufferin, 4	2,000 00
J. C. Hahn	Flower City, 336	1,000 00
H. Everingham	Jarvis, 138	1,000 00
Jno. Grayston	Clifton, 220	1,000 00
E. E. Walsh	Acadia, 102	1,000 00
S. O. Lee	Arvilla, 776	3,000 00
5 per cent. to General Fund.....		1,860 23
Transferred to Surplus Funds.....		10,000 10
Balance.....		29,780 55
		\$63,140 83

To balance on hand 1st August.....	1,825 59
Received from Supreme Secretary.....	5,902 40
	\$7,727 99

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

CONTRA—CR.

Paid for Sick Benefits.....	\$2,732 82
" Funeral Benefits.....	500 00
5 per cent. to General Fund.....	295 12
Balance.....	4,199 95
	\$7,727 99

GENERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Received from Supreme Secretary.....	\$ 3,822 21
5 per cent. Endowment Receipts.....	1,860 28
S. & F. ".....	295 12
To balance.....	1,893 44
	\$7,873 05

CONTRA—CR.

W. H. Ferguson, balance account.....	208 43
Supreme Chief Ranger, salary.....	600 00
" Secretary.....	250 00
" Treasurer.....	150 00
Undercharge on check 2895.....	60
G. Brown, overtime.....	20 35
E. Barker, mission salary.....	68 03
T. Millman, M.D., revising fees.....	290 60
J. M. Treble, rent.....	193 75
Hunter, Rose & Co., printing.....	713 00
Rev. A. Macgillivray, expenses Leaverton & Sutton.....	27 00
A. H. Wheeler, mission work.....	23 17
J. C. Fell & Co., seals.....	7 80
Williamson & Co., account.....	51 25
Office Specialty Co.....	8 75
Expense filing statement in Colorado.....	50 00
H. C. Munsie, mission account.....	100 00
A. F. Campbell, ".....	100 00
Wm. Cadwell, mission work.....	10 00
J. Vansickle, ".....	25 00
G. F. Foster, Son & Co., Supplies.....	1,791 57
Registration in Insurance Department of Indiana.....	25 00
C. & A. Morgan, account.....	20 00
G.N.W. Telegraph Co., account.....	23 05
G. A. Harper, ".....	303 00
Expense re incorporation H. C. of Wisconsin.....	31 41
A. C. Isaacs, mission work.....	30 00
W. F. H. Thompson, account.....	129 56
D. M. Card, mission account.....	121 00
D. Rose & Co., printing.....	102 00
T. G. Davey, expense.....	15 00
Dr. Sauter, re injunction suit.....	85 00
J. H. Hunter, Inspector of Insurance.....	25 00

W. H. Ferguson, account	\$ 97 94
W. W. Wharry, mission salary	220 34
H. H. Aplin	117 55
J. A. Holt, supplies	30 00
J. McDonald & Co., supplies	13 82
Fees to G. Brown and G. C. Summers	14 22
Toronto L. Co., account	98 70
H. O. Sonntag, salary	66 66
Dr. Henderson, expense of representation	27 00
Expense on license for Maine	20 00
Supreme Secretary, expenses	70 03
Executive Office expenses, postage, wages, etc.	1,030 69
G. A. Harper, account	30 45

\$7,873 03

PERMANENT RESERVE.

Post Office Savings Bank	\$13,332 30
Canada Permanent Investment Company	16,428 23
Huron and Erie Savings and Loan Company	10,000 00
Freehold Savings and Loan Company	19,000 00
British Canadian Loan and Investment Company	10,000 00
Agricultural Savings and Loan Company	10,000 00
School and Municipal Debentures	158,286 09
Mortgages	135,080 09
Nova Scotia Loan	300 00
New Brunswick Loan	500 00
Receiver-General of New Brunswick	20,012 50
High Court of Ontario	3,000 00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$397,839 21</b>
Surplus Funds for investment	78,817 80
Current Account	29,730 55
Endowment, Sick & Funeral	4,193 95
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$500,637 51</b>

Submitted in L. B. & C.  
T. G. DAVEY,  
Supreme Treasurer.

Report of the Medical Board for August, 1892.

During the month of August the Medical Board reviewed 1,007 medical examination papers, of which 920 were accepted and 87 rejected. The subjoined table will show the jurisdictions whence the papers emanated:—

Province or State.	Accepted	Rejected	Province or State.	Accepted	Rejected
British Columbia	3	1	New Zealand	2	0
California	62	4	North Dakota	24	2
Illinois	39	2	North-West Territory	19	0
Indiana	35	3	Nova Scotia	5	0
Iowa	4	0	Ohio	24	3
Manitoba	23	0	Ontario	219	27
Michigan	119	19	Pennsylvania	14	0
Minnesota	41	5	P. E. Island	18	1
Missouri	10	0	Quebec	116	8
Montana	21	0	Washington	5	1
Nebraska	2	0	Wisconsin	6	0
New Brunswick	33	0			
New Jersey	27	4	<b>Total</b>	<b>920</b>	<b>87</b>
New York	49	7			

Yours in L. B. and C.  
T. MILLMAN, M.D.,  
Sec. of Med. Board.

New Courts.

COURT SENECA, NO. 1111, BALEWINGVILLE, NEW YORK.

Instituted on the 18th day of July, 1892, by Jno. Whitworth, D.S.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., C. F. Taggart; C. R., Geo. E. Donovan; V. C. R., Lyman Mosier; R. S., DeWitt Snyder; F. S., John Jay Prouty; Treas., W. H. Brown; S. W., J. M. Fugate; J. W., William Ellis; S. B., T. H. Wood; J. B., M. Haendle; P. C. R., Abel Stephens; Chaplain, A. W. Bingham; Physician, G. M. Masse. Meets on the 1st and 4th Tuesdays.

COURT WHITING, NO. 1112, WHITING, INDIANA.

Instituted on the 1st day of August, 1892, by T. Macqueen.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., E. B. Green; C. R., Matthew Kieran; V. C. R., Ed. W. O'Hara; R. S., W. F. Hughes; F. S., J. E. Tansley; Treas., James F. Dils; S. W., James J. Donnan; J. W., Peter Byrce; S. B., James Dixon; J. B.,

Thomas Ryan; P. C. R., Eugene M. Peavler; Chaplain, John E. Krauz; Physician, W. E. Putnam. Meets on every alternate Monday.

COURT NONPAREIL, NO. 1113, NEW GLASGOW, P. E. ISLAND.

Instituted on the 1st day of August, 1892, by S. C. Wells. OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Wm. H. Newell, M. D.; C. R., George Hou ton; V. C. R., Benj. B. Stevenson; R. S., Francis Andrews; F. S., Jas. C. Stevenson; Treas., William Honeywell; S. W., Richard Stevenson; J. W., Geo. Bagnall; S. B., Robt. I. Stevenson; J. B., William Sheen; P. C. R., Jas. Bullman; Chaplain, Jno. Macdonald; Physicians, Drs. Douglas and Honeywell. Meets on the 1st Friday in month.

COURT ROSSEAU, NO. 1114, ROSSEAU, ONTARIO.

Instituted on the 1st day of August, 1892, by A. Cooper. OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., George Raymond; C. R., J. S. Hart; V. C. R., W. G. Jackson; R. S., David McCaffrey; F. S., F. W. A. Idown; S. W., W. J. Atkinson; J. W., Joseph Rolleston; S. B., E. A. Drycett; J. B., J. C. Phillips; P. C. R., James Harvie; Chaplain, C. W. Clark; Physician, Dr. Laurie. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Wednesdays.

COURT CAPITAL, NO. 1115, OTTAWA.

Instituted on the 2nd day of August, 1892, by Thos. Butler. OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Patrick Garland; C. R., Thomas Butler; V. C. R., Samuel Henry Christie; R. S., Wm. J. Burroughs; F. S., James E. Grout; Treas., John B. Abbott; S. W., W. D. Kendall; J. W., William Gainsford; S. B., Alonzo A. Abbott; J. B., Theodore Brookes; P. C. R., Ebenezer Brown; Chaplain, Creighton Ross Palmer; Physician, Dr. Thomas Lotten. Meets on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays.

COURT —, NO. 1116, SPRINGFIELD, MINN.

Instituted in July, 1892, by Hugh Ray. OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., G. G. Matheson; C. R., R. L. D. Forston; V. C. R., M. Oscar Nelson; R. S., Thomas A. Wilson; F. S., J. J. Ray; Treas., Thomas Sullivan; S. W., H. W. Platt; J. W., H. Young; S. B., Ed. Crumlett; J. B., Frank Naramore; Chaplain, G. G. Matheson; Physician, Thomas Sullivan, M. D. Meets on the 4th Monday of each month.

COURT INTERCOLONIAL, NO. 1117, ST. JOHN, NEW BRUNSWICK.

Instituted on the 1st day of August, 1892, by L. R. Coleman, F. C. R. OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. R., A. D. Wilson; V. C. R., George A. Chamberlain; R. S., H. A. Woodworth; F. S., C. W. Segee; Treas., James A. Robinson; S. W., W. H. Chambers; J. W., Harry Bond; S. B., J. A. Chamberlain; J. B., J. C. Corey; Chaplain, George R. Davis; Physician, Alban F. Emery.

COURT CAVALIER, NO. 1118, CAVALIER, NORTH DAKOTA.

Instituted on the 4th day of August, 1892, by D. Schluetzter. OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., D. Schluetzter; C. R., M. J. Ryan; V. C. R., A. French; R. S., J. E. Bell; F. S., Wm. Elenbaum; Treas., Daniel Zinn; S. W., John Elenbaum; J. W., Frank Heinz; S. B., Amos Schluetzter; J. B., J. H. Hankel; Chaplain, Neil Thompson; Physician, T. C. Nugent. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays.

COURT LONG LAKE, NO. 1119, LONG LAKE, NEW YORK.

Instituted on the — day of August, 1892, by James Stokes, D.S.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., — Brant; C. R., John A. Miller; V. C. R., Clarence Fillis; R. S., Amos Hough; F. S., C. H. Marshie; Treas., S. D. Lamus; S. W., David Hough; J. W., John Rickerson; S. B., John Lapell; J. B., L. Jennings; P. C. R., E. French; Chaplain, E. Borden. Meets every Friday evening.

COURT CAMDEN, NO. 1120, CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY.

Instituted on the 4th day of August, 1892, by Eugene De La Roi, D.S.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., James M. Thoires; C. R., Wm. S. Darnell; V. C. R., Harry M. Dease; R. S., Robert Carr; F. S., Joshua S. Glover; Treas., Charles K. Morris; P. C. R., Daniel Gibson; Physician, Wm. R. Powell. Meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays.

COURT —, NO. 1121, MENDON, MICHIGAN.

Instituted on the 2nd day of August, 1892, by Samuel H. McDeid.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., S. A. Severance; C. R., George C. Walker; V. C. R., S. Pomeroy; R. S., Albert McBride; F. S., Harry A. Williams; Treas., John W. Mumby; S. W., Winfield Hinkle; J. W., John E. Weeks; S. B., James S. Last; J. B., Othello Salisbury; P. C. R., Chas. A. Wells; Chaplain, John T. Walker; Physician, Chas. B. Long. Meets on the last Thursday in the month.

**COURT SOUTH ERIF, NO. 1122, ERIF, PENNSYLVANIA.**

Instituted on the 1st day of July, 1892, by Joe. J. Fullz.  
**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., Ben. E. Briggs; C.R., John O. Marsh; V.C.R., John E. Reilly; R.S., Edward J. Voltz; F.S., L. J. Zueck; Treas., Jacob Fritz; S.W., John D. Wright; J.W., M. E. Reed; S.B., Wm. McNeely; J.B., Wm. F. Nieman; P.C.R., V. F. Brush; Chaplain, Frank J. Weber; Physician, Dr. C.B. Chichester. Meets on Wednesdays.

**COURT DUNELLEN, NO. 1123, DUNELLEN, NEW JERSEY.**

Instituted on the 11th day of August, 1892, by Willett T. Bingham, D.S.C.R.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., G. E. Lowrie; C.R., Charles L. Zender; V.C.R., Adam Denlamar; R.S., Daniel L. Dodge; F.S., Peter Schulz; Treas., Smith W. Laing; S.W., Sanford C. Staples; J.W., Walter Viet; S.B., Arthur S. Gaston; J.B., J. Newton Aygar; P.C.R., Isaac W. Laing; Chaplain, F. W. Vail; Physician, P. W. Brakely. Meets on the 2nd and 4th Monday of each month.

**COURT BLACK ROCK, NO. 1124, BUFFALO, N.Y.**

Instituted on the 10th day of August, 1892, by Charles S. Hall.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., Fred. W. Phillippar; C.R., R. Humphrey; V.C.R., E. J. Mumschauer; R.S., P. McLoockie; F.S., W. H. Bradish; Treas., J. L. Davis; S.W., C. A. Raudecker; J.W., Simon Falk; S.B., L. C. Fisher; J.B., Phil H. Ansteth; Chaplain, Ben. J. Cohen; Physician, A. E. Collins. Meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays.

**COURT PURITAN, NO. 1125, LAFAYETTE, INDIANA.**

Instituted on the 11th day of August, 1892, by H. O. Sonntag, D.S.C.R.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., George W. Warwick; C.R., Oliver B. Surples; V.C.R., George W. Rice; R.S., A. S. McCormick; F.S., James N. Stule; Treas., W. H. Willoughby; S.W., Will. K. Wood; J.W., L. N. Lemarble; S.B., S. M. Lonergan; J.B., Will. A. Felegan; P.C.R., Jacob Meitzler; Chaplain, R. C. Fraser; Physician, J. D. Hillis, M.D. Meets on Thursdays.

**COURT WEST SELKIRK, NO. 1126, SELKIRK, MANITOBA.**

Instituted on the 9th day of August, 1892, by W. F. Wadsworth.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., Wm. Robinson; C.R., R. W. Stewart; V.C.R., J. H. McKenzie; R.S., John Morrison; F.S., J. E. Davis; Treas., J. W. Eldridge; S.W., John A. Macdonald; J.W., J. E. H. Ross; S.B., Thos. Paquette; J.B., J. S. Connolly; P.C.R., Ronald McDougall; Chaplain, R. H. Sutherland; Physician, J. M. Fergusson. Meets on the last Monday of each month.

**COURT CONVENTION CITY, NO. 1127, MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA.**

Instituted on the 15th day of August, 1892, by J. C. O'Keefe.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., Job. R. Stanway; C.R., Hubert Brown; V.C.R., Edward B. Mattoon; R.S., Adolphus D. Johnson; F.S., George E. Mattoon; Treas., Charles N. Beebe; S.W., Harry J. Gelyukens; J.W., Wallace D. Kelsey; S.B., John Gould; J.B., John Chese; P.C.R., Arthur Martin; Chaplain, J. J. Gallagher; Physician, J. R. Freeman.

**COURT SAN JOSE, NO. 1128, SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA.**

Instituted on the 15th day of August, 1892, by G. A. McElfresh.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., S. Bennett; C.R., C. H. Johnson; V.C.R., M. S. Johnson; R.S., F. F. Demming; F.S., L. J. Lathwesen; Treas., Robert Malay; S.W., J. M. Dickinson; J.W., C. Beauder; S.B., H. J. Butterfield; J.B., G. W. Coleman; P.C.R., R. A. Huyek; Chaplain, S. J. Bennett; Physician, F. Bangs, M.D. Meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays.

**COURT HUMBOLDT, NO. 1129, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.**

Instituted on the — day of —, 1892, by A. Oronhyatekba, M.D.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., B. G. Jefferis, M.D.; C.R., John Mitchell; V.C.R., Dr. Norman Kerr; R.S., Upton Harrison; F.S., Louis Echini; Treas., Edwin Chantry; S.W., John Kaeso; J.W., John Waegli; S.B., Henry Mitchell; J.B., John McCray; P.C.R., Henry Hardtman; Chaplain, George B. Butterfield; Physician, R. J. Ough, M.D. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Monday.

**COURT NEW GLASGOW, NO. 1130, NEW GLASGOW, QUE.**

Instituted on the 20th day of August, 1892, by P. Strathcarrn, H.C.R.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., F. P. Carey; C.R., J. J. Carey; V.C.R., Charles Gauthier; R.S., Joseph Poulin; F.S.,

George Bennett; Treas., L. I. A. Lambert; S.W., J. B. G. Bonnot; J. W., J. A. Robitaille; S.B., F. Burns; J.B., J. Bernard; P.C.R., M. Aquin; Physician, D. A. Plouffe. Meets on the 2nd and 3rd Friday.

**COURT BATTLE, NO. 1131, BATTLEFORD, N.W.T.**

Instituted on the 10th day of August, 1892, by Wm. Sanderson, M.A.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., A. C. G. Mountain; C.B., Hugh Richardson; V.C.R., C. H. West; R.S., W. R. C. Willis; F.S., W. R. Latmer; Treas., Frank Otton; S.W., G. E. Taylor; J.W., Wm. Haslett; S.B., J. A. Blake; J.B., George H. Clouston; P.C.R., J. C. DeGear; Chaplain, Rev. Thomas Clarke; Physician, S. S. McAdam, M.D.

**COURT MADORA, NO. 1132, PORT CARLING, ONTARIO.**

Instituted on the 19th day of August, 1892, by A. Cooper.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., Rev. W. A. J. Burt; C.R., William Hanna; V.C.R., M. R. McDermott; R.S., W. A. Kydd; F.S., F. D. Stubbs; Treas., F. D. Stubbs; S.W., W. F. Hanna; J.W., C. H. Davidson; S.B., W. C. Mortimer; J.B., J. Fraser; P.C.R., Geo. Sutton; Chaplain, A. T. Lowe. Meets on the last Friday of the month.

**COURT DIANA, NO. 1133, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.**

Instituted on the 15th day of August, 1892, by G. A. McElfresh.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., P. L. Archibald; C.R., W. L. Hodkins; V.C.R., J. B. Knudson; R.S., G. C. Wall; F.S., C. Stillman; Treas., W. T. Commary; S.W., J. Meyer; J.W., L. Skofsky; S.B., J. M. Colman; J.B., L. Richardson; P.C.R., J. Meyer; Chaplain, A. C. Knudson; Physicians, H. A. Gale and E. Caldron, M.D. Meets on every Thursday night.

**COURT DALHOUSIE, NO. 1134, PORT DALHOUSIE, ONT.**

Instituted 1st day of September, 1892, by W. H. F. Thompson.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., R. W. Hadgraft; C.R., James Blair; V.C.R., W. B. Clark; R.S., Geo. Bruce; F.S., George Scott; Treas., John W. Sutton; S.W., Geo. Hadgraft; J.W., John S. Berry; S.B., Geo. R. Hicks; J.B., Wm. Crawford; P.C.R., Frank Scott; Chaplain, M. A. Reid; Physician, John Wise Coundine. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Mondays.

**COURT SUMMERDALE, NO. 1135, UNGERS' HALL, LUNERDALE, ILL.**

Instituted on the 3rd day of August, 1892, by John J. Bye, D.S.C.R.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., Jacob Hermes; C.R., Wm. Goetz; V.C.R., John Nelson; R.S., W. S. Pease; F.S., Chas. Ekberg; Treas., Andrew Norman; S.W., John Kulander; J.W., Charles Carlson; S.B., N. Oleson; J.B., D. Oleson; P.C.R., A. S. Johnson; Chaplain, Louis Fong; Physician, Dr. W. Harpster. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays.

**COURT ST. ANTHONY, NO. 1136, MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA.**

Instituted, Aug., 1892, by A. B. Garges, D.S.C.R.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., Lawrence B. Flinn; C.R., James P. McKenna; V.C.R., Herbert N. Silsber; R.S., Jacob C. Smith; F.S., Perry A. Long; Treas., Julian S. McGowan; S.W., Richard Dunsleay; J.W., Morgan E. Thomas; S.B., Albert B. Hamilton; J.B., Fred. E. Williams; P.C.R., Bernard B. Dean; Chaplain, Mat. J. Jaax; Physician, Hugh N. McDonald. Meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays.

**COURT MOUNTAIN VIEW, NO. 1137, MOUNTAIN VIEW, CAL.**

Instituted on the 25th day of August, 1892, by G. A. McElfresh.

**OFFICERS INSTALLED.**—C.D.H.C.R., W. A. Clark; C.R., C. P. Berry; V.C.R., C. W. Swall; R.S., S. H. Clark; F.S., L. D. McDonald; Treas., W. E. Spencer; S.W., R. McCabe; J.W., J. A. Homberger, Jr.; S.B., J. W. Porter; J.B., F. J. Nickols; P.C.R., M. M. Klickner; Chaplain, D. B. Frink; Physician, C. V. Jones. Meets on every Thursday night.

**Personal Mention.**

Bro. the Rev. M. Macgillivray, after a two months' holiday in Europe, returned to his home and work in Kingston, greatly benefited by his trip.

Bro. D. M. Card, of Uxbridge, left recently for Manitoba and the North-west. The Bro. is an enthusiastic Forester and a successful organizer, and will doubtless give a good account of himself.

The Supreme Secretary and Supreme Treasurer expect to lighten "the bag" of the Industrial Fair

management. Jno. A. has his sheep there, and Tom his dogs—of dogs and sheep there are none such.

Bro. Wm. Sanderson, M.A., of Prince Albert, is doing excellent work for the Order in the North-west. He has recently instituted a number of Courts. Independent Forestry is leading in the North-west.

Charlie C. Whale must be a good name to propose, and H. A. Collins must be a good man to propose it. The senior High Court Inspector of Ontario was unanimously re-elected, with a perfect cyclone of applause.

Dr. "Oranbyatekah" is the way in which a New York paper arranges the types to give our chief's name. We are making a collection of the permutations and combinations that have been formed of the letters in the doctor's name.

Fitzgerald, "the younger," was among the representatives at High Court. The son of his father was sure to attract and receive attention; but Fred will merit it on his own account. As assistant messenger, he proved himself a useful officer.

Bro. Tom Davey, after years of efficient service as High Treasurer, declined to stand for re-election at last High Court meeting in Ontario. He still guards the money bags of the Supreme Court, and watches the growth of the surplus with fond interest.

Bro. Atwell Fleming's long and faithful services to the Order received fitting recognition, in his election to the office of High Treasurer of the High Court of Ontario. There was only one thing to regret, that his election meant the defeat of other tried and true men.

As a Forester and an Ontario boy, High Chief Ranger Frise, of Michigan, received a welcome that must have done him good when introduced to the High Court of Ontario at its recent meeting in Barrie. Bro. Frise reports Forestry as booming in his jurisdiction.

The many friends of our esteemed Bro. G. A. Harper, will learn with deep regret of the death of his wife, who died on the 7th inst., at the early age of 26. We tender to our Brother in behalf of ourselves and his 40,000 Brother Foresters, the deepest sympathy in his irreparable loss.

The High Chaplain of Michigan, Rev. Bro. Collins, of Detroit, made a friend of every member of the High Court of Ontario. The Detroit Churchman is every inch a man and brother, accomplished and genial; his presence added to the pleasure of the meeting. He will be welcome again.

"The other Fitzgerald." The courtly High Secretary of New York took up his facile pen and wrote of our junior editor, when elected to the High Chief Ranger's chair in Ontario. The editor says, when he deserves all the kind things said, he will have it printed—publication indefinitely postponed.

Junior High Court Inspector Wallace takes to the work of canvassing for the Order, and building up weak courts, "like a duck to water." Some one asked him if he was going to resign, to which question he answered: "I am resigned, resigned to this office, and to doing in it, and for the Order, the very most and best that I can."

Bro. John A. McGillivray, Supreme Secretary, was robbed and coated in the silk and broadcloth becoming his rank as a Queen's Counsellor learned in the law. His many friends took advantage of the

meeting of the High Court to make the presentation. "The Chief" did the honors, and in gracious words made the presentation to his colleague. The reply of the Supreme Secretary was feeling and eloquent.

Bro. Jas. Stokes, D.S.C.R., has been having a delightful trip to the Adirondacks. He combined business with pleasure, though to sue' an enthusiastic Forester the business of instituting a new Court must have been the highest pleasure. Bro. Stokes says that the people of New York State are asking to come in, and that he found no difficulty in getting 42 names for the Court. Bro. Stokes should remain and work in New York.

Bro. Rev. Jno. Young, of Court Cataract, Niagara, was inducted on the 27th August, into the pastorate charge of St. Enoch's, Toronto. The brother was preceded by a "good report" of his work in Niagara. St. Enoch's offers a fine field for the exercise of his gifts. There was a large attendance of the members of the Toronto Presbytery at the induction. The charge to the minister was given by Bro. Rev. A. Macgillivray. In the evening a reception was given to the newly-inducted pastor.

Dr. J. H. Collins, a well known and respected member of Court Rouille, No. 674, Independent Order of Foresters, who for the past twelve months occupied the positions of Chief Ranger, Past Chief Ranger and Physician to the Order, has gone on a visit to Europe, in order to perfect himself as a specialist in the study of medicine at the famous universities of London, Paris, Vienna and Berlin. We wish the Bro. a pleasant and a successful time in the old world, and will be glad, in due time, to bid him "Welcome Home."

Bro. G. A. McElfresh, H.C.R. of California, adorns his office. He is a worker for fifty-two weeks in the year; being a prudent man, and a good Christian, he limits his work to six days in the week. Forestry under his administration is making great strides in the Golden State. And little wonder, he visited every court during the past fifteen months, and instituted *twenty* new courts. He sent his congratulations to the High Chief of Ontario the other day, and, by way of postscript, added "look out for your laurels, we are after first place."

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## Correspondence.

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TORONTO, Sept. 6th, 1892.

To the Editor of the Independent Forester:

SIR,—Much has been done by the Ontario Government to lay the importance of Forestry before the people of the country with excellent effect. Interest in the matter has been aroused in many quarters, and hundreds of thousands of trees have been planted in consequence. These efforts are still being continued, hundreds of letters are sent every year to the press, and the yearly forestry report of over a hundred pages is regularly issued.

My object in addressing you at present is to state that the forestry report is now in course of distribution and will be sent free to all who send me their addresses. I would be glad if those who desire it would apply at once, as when once distributed there are no other means of obtaining copies.

Yours, etc.,

R. W. PHIPPS,

251½ Richmond-St., West, Toronto.



[As every Forester should take an interest in tree-planting, we hope those of our members who have time to read the reports carefully will write to Mr. Phipps and obtain copies of the Report to which he refers—Eds.]

## Forestry on Prince Edward Island.

*Editors* FORESTER.

DEAR BROTHERS,—You will be pleased to hear of the success of our noble Order on this beautiful Island in the gulf. During the last twelve weeks, seven Courts have been established, one in each of the flourishing towns of Georgetown, Murray Harbor, Eldon, O'Leary, Crapaud, Kensington and New Glasgow. We have at the present time thirteen courts in the province; many of the courts are having a steady increase in membership, some of the courts doubling their membership within a year. The Island brethren are looking forward with interest to the first convention of the High Court in the province, which is to be held some time in August.

With best wishes, I am.

Yours in L. B. & C.,  
S. C. WELLS, D.S.C.R.

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## Among the Courts.

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### Ontario.

#### *Official Circular.*

OFFICE OF THE HIGH CHIEF RANGER,

HIGH COURT OF ONTARIO.

281 LANSLOWNE AVENUE, TORONTO,

September 1st, 1892.

*To the Officers and Members of the Subordinate Courts in the High Court Jurisdiction of Ontario:*

BRETHREN,—I desire at the earliest possible opportunity to acknowledge the high honor conferred upon me by your representatives when at the High Court of Ontario, at Barrie, on the 10th, I was elected by a unanimous vote to the first position in your gift. I assure you that I am deeply sensible of this mark of appreciation and confidence, and it shall be my constant endeavour during my term of office as High Chief Ranger of the Banner High Court in our great Order, to do all that I possibly can to justify your good opinion, and to show that I am not unmindful of the trust reposed in me.

The recent meeting of the High Court, the largest in the history of the Order, nearly 400 representatives being present, was a highly successful one, and marked by cordiality, earnestness and enthusiasm. Questions of moment were considered from all standpoints, and while in discussion different opinions were freely expressed, courtesy and mutual confidence characterized every debate.

The appearance and general conduct of your representatives excited attention, and called forth favorable comment. It would be difficult to find a body of men that would represent more fully the worth, solidity and enterprise of the community at large. Taking them as representatives of our membership generally, we can congratulate ourselves on both the fine physique and high intelligence of Independent Foresters.

The amount of new legislation enacted by the High Court is limited. A synopsis of the proceedings appears in the present number. A copy of the printed minutes will be mailed to every Court Deputy for the benefit of your Subordinate Court.

The presence of our Supreme Chief Ranger and other members of the Supreme Executive, was gratifying to the High Court, and as representatives they contributed to the success and interest of the proceedings.

The Forestry year upon which we have entered is full of promise for the growth and prosperity of our beloved Order. The best spirit prevails throughout the length and breadth of the entire jurisdiction.

Our 430 courts in Ontario are well officered, and the rank and file of our membership are becoming more and more impressed with the soundness of the principles of Forestry, the advantages connected with membership, and the efficiency with which the affairs of the Order are administered by our Supreme Executive.

I appeal to you with confidence for your earnest co-operation to assist my colleagues on the High Standing Committee, and myself, in making this the most prosperous year in the history of Independent Forestry in Ontario. I want every officer and member to realize the obligations assumed at initiation and installation to office. Mindful of our pledges, "to promote the welfare of Brother Foresters," and "to do all in our power to spread the principles of our Order," we will be mutually helpful one to another, and we will be tireless in our efforts to induce others to share with us the advantages that Independent Forestry bestows.

Let our motto for the year be "Forward!" Let us retain the members that we have—stimulate into activity dormant Courts; in active Courts, make additions to the membership at every meeting, and establish new Courts in localities where our Order is unrepresented. All this we can do in the spirit of the truest Liberty, under the impulse of an unselfish Benevolence, and for the promotion of that Concord so essential to the peace and permanence of the community.

The merits of our Order are such that in advocating its claims we need not, and I trust we shall not, disparage or belittle any sister organization. In the work of extending and building up the Order nothing tells like "days' work." At it, always at it, and all at it together; and at next High Court in Sarnia, if privileged to meet you, I have no fear, but, as a result of our united effort, we shall be able to show a record of work attempted and accomplished that will surpass that of any former year in our history.

Our High Court Inspectors, Bros. Whale and Wallace, my colleagues on the High Standing Committee, and myself, will visit as many Courts as we can during our year of office.

I shall be glad at any time to hear from you, and to receive any suggestions you may have to offer with reference to the work of the Order. Wishing for your Court accession to the membership and interest and harmony in your meetings; and for yourselves personally, health, prosperity and happiness, I remain, dear brethren, yours in

Liberty, Benevolence and Concord.

Attest,

JAS. B. HALKETT,

*High Secretary.*

A. MACGILLIVRAY,

*High Chief Ranger.*

## High Court of Ontario.

FIFTEENTH ANNUAL COMMUNICATION

OPERA HOUSE,  
BARRIE, Aug. 9, 1892.

In pursuance of the resolutions of adjournment of the High Court at Brockville, on the 12th day of August, 1891, the officers and members assembled at 10 o'clock this forenoon in the opera house, in the town of Barrie, and the Fifteenth Annual Communication of the High Court of Ontario of the Independent Order of Foresters was opened with the prescribed ceremonies by Brother David Millar, High Chief Ranger.

The High Officers present at roll call were: H. C. R., David Millar; P. H. C. R., N. F. Paterson, Q. C.; H. V. C. R., Rev. Alex. Macgillivray; H. Sec., James B. Halkett; H. Treas., Thomas G. Davey; H. Phys., J. Dunfield, M. D.; H. Coun., W. H. Bartram; H. Chap., Rev. John McLaren; H. J. S., Thomas Lawless; H. S. W., D. G. Morgan; H. S. B., J. T. Carson; H. J. B., Alex. McKee; H. Mar., Wm. Little; H. Con., A. L. Chandler; H. Mess., Charles C. Baird; H. Aud., Daniel Rose; H. Aud., David Ormiston; H. C. Ins., C. C. Whale; H. C. Ins., Henry Gibbens.

### VACANCY FILLED.

The High Chief Ranger was pleased to appoint Brother John G. McPherson to be H. J. W. in place of Brother T. D. Bailey, absent.

### CREDENTIAL COMMITTEE APPOINTED.

The High Chief Ranger, by virtue of the powers in him vested, appointed to be the Credential Committee, Brothers James B. Halkett, Thomas Lawless, Wellington Wallace, W. H. Yates and James Crawford.

### THE STANDING COMMITTEES.

The High Chief Ranger then appointed the following named members to be the standing committees:

*On Finance*—Brothers H. A. Collins, Robert Griffith, W. C. McLean, D. A. Rose and W. B. Saunders.

*On Reporting for the Press*—Brothers George L. Wilson, Geo. W. Wrigley, Captain Kerr, Rev. Robert Kerr, Wm. Miller.

*On New Business*—Brothers Alex. Aikman, M. D. Teetzel, Walter Rowan, D. A. Nesbit and A. F. Walsh.

*On Constitution and Laws*—Brothers Col. N. F. Paterson, Q. C., L. T. Barclay, A. H. Backhouse, A. Stewart and Thomas Wood.

*On State of the Order*—Brothers Edward Botterell, P. S. C. R., J. T. Carson, Dr. Little, W. Gerry and Geo. Keating.

*On Appeals and Petitions*—Brothers Dr. Oronhyatekha, S. C. R., Wm. Rea, Rev. F. W. Farris, W. H. Bartram and M. W. Drennan.

*On Distribution*—Brothers Geo. K. Powell, L. L. Irvine, James Hope, Dr. Kirk and Dr. Mallory.

*On Mileage and Per Diem*—Brothers E. S. Cumber, P. S. S., Henry Pratt, C. H. Merryfield, Geo. Challes and G. W. Holman.

The report of H. C. R. David Millar was an able document and contained a full summary and review of the work of the year. It was received with marked attention by the High Court, and when the H. C. R. finished reading he was warmly applauded.

The report of the H. S., Bro. J. B. Halkett, gave

a detailed statement of the affairs of that department. The membership at first July in Ontario was 17,729, showing a net increase of 2,792. The deaths numbered 98, and the number of new courts instituted 91.

The report of the Treasurer was as usual clear and concise. The revenue for the year was \$10,214.15; the expenditure, owing to the heavy outlay made in paying representatives to last meeting of High Court, was considerably in excess of this. In time, it is estimated, that with increased revenue, income and expenditure will balance. The auditors recommend a central place of meeting, as one means of reducing expenditure. They also call attention to the amount of arrears due by subordinate courts for supplies.

The reports of Inspectors Whale and Gibbens showed a large number of courts visited, hundreds of applications received, several disorganized courts resuscitated, and a number of new courts organized.

### DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.

The following officers of the Supreme Court were announced, and upon being introduced to the High Court by Bro. W. W. Fitzgerald, P. H. C. R., were received with the honors due to their distinguished rank in the Order, namely: Dr. Oronhyatekha, S. C. R.; Edward Botterell, P. S. C. R.; John A. McGillivray, Q. C., S. S.; Thomas G. Davey, S. T.; Thomas Millman, S. Phys.

The Supreme Chief Ranger then presented to the High Court, Brother Frise, High Chief Ranger of the High Court of Michigan, to whom the customary honors and a very hearty welcome were extended.

Bro. Rev. E. Collins, High Chaplain of Michigan, was introduced by Bro. N. F. Patterson, Q. C. The brother was cordially received and cordially acknowledged the welcome.

The address of welcome from the corporation of Barrie was highly cordial and complimentary, and was, in the absence of the Mayor, read by Reeve Bothwell, who was accompanied by several members of the council. High Chief Ranger, David Millar, and Supreme Chief Ranger, Dr. Oronhyatekha, made suitable replies.

The fraternal address from Court Robin Hood was presented by Chief Ranger Powell, and gracefully responded to by the High Chief Ranger.

The invitation of Court Robin Hood to the High Court to attend an excursion on the evening of the first day of meeting was cordially accepted. Before embarking, the High Court, Court Robin Hood, and many visiting brethren formed in line at the City Hall and marched through the principal streets to the wharf. The procession, which made a fine appearance, was headed by the fine band of the town. The Supreme and High Court Officers, in carriages, brought up the rear. The fine appearance of the men called forth many favorable comments. The excursion on the lake was highly enjoyed by everyone; it returned about 11 p. m.

On the second day of meeting the High Court settled down to hard work, and, notwithstanding the heat, disposed of a great amount of business.

A large number of changes to the Constitution were submitted, but only a few slight alterations were made for the consideration of the Supreme Court. In future, past High officers, with the exception of the Junior Past High Chief Ranger, will only be considered as honorary members.

The matter of courts sending blank credentials for representatives was considered. The High

Court's recommendation is, "that when a representative, other than a member of the Subordinate Court, is chosen, his name be filled in, in the court choosing him, and this fact certified to by the proper officers of the court."

The election of officers occupied the whole of the afternoon of the second day. With the exception of the High Chief Ranger and Senior Inspector, all the offices were keenly contested. Dr. Oronhyatekha, Rev. H. Collins and N. F. Patterson, who acted as scrutineers, had a busy afternoon.

The Finance Committee recommended, and the High Court adopted the recommendation that in future only one representative from any subordinate court be paid mileage and per diem while attending the High Court. The amount paid representatives in mileage and per diem amounts to over \$4,000.

On the recommendation of the Finance Committee \$250 were voted the retiring High Chief Ranger, \$100 the H.V.C.R., and \$100 to Inspector Gibbens.

#### INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

The Supreme Chief Ranger took the chair and proceeded to instal the officers of the High Court for the ensuing year, assisted by Brother W. M. Drennan, S. Mar., and Brother A. H. Backhouse, S. Cond.

The following are the officers installed: H.C.R., Rev. Alex. Macgillivray, Toronto; P.H.C.R., David Millar, Toronto; H.V.C.R., Charles C. Baird, Hamilton; H.S., Jas. B. Halkett, Ottawa; H.T., Atwell Fleming, London; H. Phy., C. D. Clarke, Tamworth; H. Coun., L. T. Barclay, Whitby; H. Chap., Rev. F. W. Farris, Ottawa; H.J.S., Jno. Lawless, Parkdale; H.S.W., G. F. Marter, M.P.P., Parkdale; H.J.W., H. A. Collins, Toronto; H.S.B., M. B. Mallory, M.D., Campbellford; H.J.B., E. A. Evans, Cornwall; H. Mar., Frank Madill, M.P., Beaverton; H. Con., Mayor Loyd, Newmarket; H. Mess., Peter Symington, Sarnia; H.A. Mess., Fred. J. Fitzgerald, London. Auditors, W. S. Milne and J. S. R. McCann.

At the conclusion of the installation ceremony the newly elected High Chief Ranger addressed the High Court for a few minutes, thanking the members for the high honor conferred upon him, and expressing his determination to put forth every proper effort in his power to extend and strengthen Independent Forestry in Ontario. The High Vice Chief Ranger and other newly elected and appointed officers also returned thanks with eloquent modesty.

#### PRESENTATION.

At this stage of the proceedings the Supreme Chief Ranger stepped forward and on behalf of members of the Order presented to Brother John A. McGillivray, Q.C., S.S., the silken insignia and other vestments appropriate to the rank in the legal profession.

Brother McGillivray spoke briefly but eloquently in returning thanks for this additional expression of good will on the part of his brother Foresters toward him.

#### VOTES OF THANKS.

Votes of thanks were unanimously passed to Court Robin Hood and the corporation of Barrie for courtesies and hospitalities extended to the High Court during its present session; to High Chief Ranger Frise and High Chaplain Collins, of Michigan, for their presence at this High Court; to the scrutineers for the efficient manner in which

their duties were performed; to the representatives of the press for the excellent reports of the proceedings published; to the retiring High Chief Ranger, High Treasurer and High Inspector for valuable services rendered to the Order during their respective terms of office.

The High Court having concluded its business, the fifteenth annual communication was closed with the usual ceremonies, and the High Court adjourned to meet at such date in August, 1893, as may be agreed upon by the High Standing Committee.

#### HIGH COURT NOTES.

The welcome of Court Robin Hood and the Corporation of Barrie was something to be remembered.

The warmth of the temperature of the opera house was only surpassed by the warmth of the contests for some of the offices.

The man who makes a stir in his Subordinate Court does not necessarily make a stir in the High Court. Some that were loaded for "bar" drew the charge rather than risk back-action.

"This is a big concern," said one representative to another. "Yes," was the response, "the High Court of Ontario is considerably bigger than any man in it, although there are a number of big men."

When representative Stevens, of Court Prosperity, expressed his inclination to hug representative Oronhyatekha, when he said he always appeared in High Court as a representative of his Subordinate Court, and not as a Supreme Officer, the bravest held their breath for a time.

#### A Model Gathering.

The High Court of Ontario Independent Order of Foresters, at their meeting in Barrie, recently, excited much favorable comment by the fine appearance of the 400 representatives present, and more particularly by their exemplary conduct. Hotel keepers, whose places were crowded, looked on in astonishment. One man remarked, "I have sold the Foresters barrels of lemonade and other temperance drinks, but hard liquors had the go-by. They are away and ahead the most teetotal crowd that ever struck this town. I am bound to say they are a fine body of men, even if they might be a Grand Lodge of Good Templars."—*International Good Templar.*

#### Greetings.

The High Court of Ontario, at its recent session in Barrie, sent the following telegram to the Grand Lodge meeting of the Ontario Odd Fellows:

BARRIE, 9th Aug., 1892.

To the Grand Secretary, Grand Lodge Independent Order of Odd Fellows.

The High Court of Ontario Independent Order of Foresters, now in session, extend to your Grand Lodge cordial greetings, and trust prosperity will attend your beneficent work.

DAVID MILLER, H.C.R.  
J. B. HALKETT, H.S.

The following reply was sent, but some way mis-carried. It has been sent us and we gladly publish it:

DAVID MILLER, Esq.,

*High Chief Ranger Independent Order Foresters, Barrie.*

The Grand Lodge of Ontario Independent Order Odd Fellows, in Grand Lodge assembled at Windsor, desires to acknowledge the kind fraternal greetings of the High Court of the Independent Order Foresters of Ontario, and to express their hopes that your present session may be a pleasant one. That harmony and success may attend your efforts in the good work in which you are engaged.

P. E. FITZPATRICK,  
Grand Master.

J. B. KING, G. Sec'y.

At a meeting of the High Standing Committee of High Court of Ontario, on the 13th instant, it was decided to offer the following prizes:—

1st. Every member of courts in the Province who secures five members personally, a lithograph of the Supreme Chief Ranger.

2nd. The brother securing the largest number throughout jurisdiction, copy of the picture of High Standing Committee.

3rd. The court obtaining largest percentage, copy of picture of High Standing Committee.

4th. Every court increasing by ten member, copy picture High Standing Committee.

5th. The court increasing its membership by largest number, copy picture of High Standing Committee.

Also the following cash prizes:—

1st.	\$20.00,	same conditions as for 2nd prize above.
2nd.	16.00	do. do.
3rd.	12.00	do. do.
4th.	7.00	do. do.
5th.	5.00	do. do.

Returns to be sent the High Secretary on the 31st December, 1892, certified by the C.R. & R.S. of the respective courts.

By order,

A. MACGILLIVRAY, *High Chief Ranger.*  
JAMES B. HALKETT, *High Secretary.*

Office of High Standing Committee,  
13th September, 1892.

NOTICE.

The High Chief Ranger has issued commissions to Court Deputies, following the list that appears in the August FORESTER, excepting in such cases where notice of a change was sent to the High Secretary. Any mistakes or omissions will be rectified by communicating at once with the High Secretary.

#### Court Shakespeare, No. 197.

"Our Court is doing well," writes the Court Deputy. Good attendance at the meetings. A general interest in the welfare of the Order, and a "lot" of new members are the tokens that this Court is a live one.

#### Court Fidelity, No. 186, Appin.

This court, with a number of visiting brethren, attended divine service recently in the Methodist Church. The Rev. Mr. Kirkland delivered an effective and appropriate sermon from the text: "Love the Brotherhood." The local press speak highly of the sermon and of the appearance of the brethren.

#### Court Harwood, No. 720.

A correspondent in this court wishes to express the thanks of the court for a visit some time ago from High Court Inspector C. C. Whale. The visit did the court good. Of course. Bro. Whale is a grand good man in a grand place. We can hardly promise the other visit from Bro. Whale that is asked for. Good things ought to go round. No court can hope for a second visit the same year.

#### Court Pelham, No. 233, Fenwick.

The F.S. of this court enjoys quite frequently the pleasure of sending additional names for the mailing list. He also gives pleasure. In Forestry there is nothing so gratifying as adding to our membership. We trust Court Pelham will continue to give pleasure.

#### Court Clover Leaf, No. 959.

This court held its first picnic on July 28th. There was a large attendance. The court, though small, is greatly encouraged with the success of the picnic. New members were initiated last month and more are expected next meeting. The ladies of Wybridge took great interest in the getting up of the picnic, for which the brethren of the Court tendered them their most hearty thanks.

#### Court Milford, No. 46.

This court wishes to gratefully acknowledge the sum of \$33.50 received from about 37 courts, in response to their appeal in aid of a distressed brother. By deeds such as this the Foresters establish their right to be considered a Benevolent Society.

#### Court Brock, No. 242, Toronto.

This is one of the best organized and equipped courts in Toronto, probably in the whole Order. The High Chief Ranger, accompanied by Inspector Whale, recently visited the court and found everything "O.K." A candidate was initiated, and the ceremony was quite impressive. The new member travelled the "rough and rocky road" with admirable nerve. Court Brock goes in for initiations at every meeting.

#### Court Prosperity, No. 668, Toronto.

Though one of the youngest of the city courts, true to its name, it promises ere long to be one of the *strongest* in the city. The H.C.R. made an official visit recently. The brethren expect to need him back at their next installation of officers, when with a double membership they will be presented with a set of officers' badges. The court is thoroughly up in the unwritten work, and everything is running smoothly. The Rev. Mr. Young, of St. Enoch's Church, has deposited his card in this court.

#### Court Novar, No. 673, Novar.

This court can make the unusual claim of having nearly every eligible man in the place for a member. The H.C.R. paid his first official visit to this court immediately after the rising of the High Court. He addressed a well attended meeting in the Methodist church, and came away pleased with the zeal and enthusiasm of the members in the northern part of the jurisdiction.

#### Court Cairnsmore, No. 432, Toronto.

We have heard of this court before; we are likely to hear of it often. It stands in the front among Toronto courts in point of membership. And the lead is not likely to be relinquished. "We make Foresters every meeting," said a prominent mem-

ber recently. On the occasion of an official visit the H.C.R. was cordially received, and in seeking to make his official year a prosperous one, he will have the hearty co-operation of Court Cairnsmore.

#### Court Oxford, No. 46, Plattsville.

Our brethren of this court are in possession of the town and surrounding county. Tuesday, 6th Sept., was civic holiday in the place in honor of the annual picnic of Court Oxford. The weather was favorable, and fully 1,000 people assembled in the grove to witness the games, hear the address of the H.C.R., and enjoy the good things that the ladies of the place provided in great abundance. The concert in the evening was attended by 700 people, the large town hall was literally packed. Miss Agnes Knox, the elocutionist, gave a number of selections, and was enthusiastically received. A choice musical programme was also rendered. Rev. A. Macgillivray, of Toronto, presided. Early in the afternoon, the members of Court Norfolk, with visiting brethren from Hamburg, Drumbo, Baden, Shakespeare, headed by the Baden band, marched to the ground. They made a very fine appearance.

#### Court New Hamburg, No. 712.

A season of marked prosperity is being enjoyed by this court. A visit from Inspector Gibbens last summer secured them a large number of applications for membership. The work he began has been followed up by the members, so that from struggling for existence, it is now the most pushing organization in the place.

On the evening of the 5th inst., the members gave a delightful "At Home." Bro. Laird, reeve of the town, presided. The hall was tastefully decorated. Refreshments in abundance were served by the ladies. The High Chief Ranger of Ontario gave an address, and an excellent programme of music and reading was rendered. The entertainment was a model one. About 200 were present, including visiting brethren from Plattsville, Berlin, Stratford, etc.

## Quebec.

#### Court St. Hyacinthe, No. 588.

This is one of our gallant and worthy French Courts; they are doing noble work in the Forest, having already captured most of the business and commercial men of their flourishing town, and now forcing their way amongst the City Fathers. At their last meeting in July, Bro. Morin, High Treas., came from Montreal to confer the obligation to the first alderman, and no less than ten applications for membership were read, amongst whom were three aldermen, three manufacturers, and two of the leading dry goods merchants. Their financial management is as good by all means; they have a F.S. who should be sent around for the benefit of Sister Courts as a model to be copied. In fact, they have a worthy staff of officers who nobly do their duty, and don't mind, as a means of improving, to travel a journey up to Montreal in a body, in order to witness the way of proceeding of Sister Courts.

#### Court Dęzery, No. 421, Hochelaga.

Located in the outskirts of Montreal, under difficulties, this court has struggled bravely on. With the able assistance of Deputy Gosselin, and a visit lately from the H.C., they are now beginning to wake up, and report applications coming in. You

have our assistance, brethren, but we must have good, steady applicants, and of reliable character. Your Financial Secretary, Bro. Brickle, is the life of your court, keep him with you; use him well, it is to your interest to do so.

#### Court St. Rock, No. 701, Ste. Cuneę ande.

This court is one in the honor roll, and the prize has been forwarded to them. H. Physician Cyphiot guards the interests of his court, and has advised us of a great entertainment on the 26th. We hope to be there, they are all true Knights of our Forest.

#### Court Ville Marie, No. 1031, Montreal.

This young and enterprising court has done good work lately, and carried off a prize. We trust they will continue; they have a good field, and good men, and now is the time to begin. You can do it, keep up your good name, greater laurels await you.

#### Court Balmoral, No. 269, Montreal.

We regret to learn of the serious illness of Past Chief Ranger, Bro. Patterson, one of Balmoral's Pioneers, and but seldom absent. May He who governs all things well see fit to spare the bro. to his wife and family, who have the sympathy of the brethren in their affliction, and who are ever ready to assist.

#### Court New Glasgow, No.—New Glasgow.

But three weeks instituted, and H.C.R. Strathearn visited us and conducted our meeting. He was pleased to see we had three passed the Medical Board. He gave us good instruction, even to our physician. We are pleased to have the Order planted in our locality. Its principles: re good, and in a new field like this we will prosper as we have had a good start. Your Order is a grand Institution and can be recommended.

F. CAREY, C.D.

#### Court St. George, No. 1065.

This is one of the youngest courts in Quebec, but Court Deputy Evans writes us that it is one of the most active and promising. H.C.R. Strathearn recently visited the court, and stimulated the brethren by his stirring address, through instruction, and wise counsel.

#### QUEBEC NOTES.

The H. C. has been during the past week visiting Megantic county, in the interests of the Order. He is much pleased with the enthusiastic brethren that are to be met with in Black Lake; there is a good field in that district for the right man.

While on his way to Megantic, the H.C. stepped in to see our worthy Sec'y., Bro. T. W. Stocks. He found him well, and busy in the interests of the Order, the C. was asked to visit the court room, and had the pleasure of meeting quite a number of the brethren, and loyally entertained, they are all enthusiastic in the work and we hope to hear good reports from amongst them—they can do it.

High Treas., Bro. Morin, reports having visited, and, with the assistance of Bro. Gosselin, acting as H.M., proceeded to the installation of officers of most of the French Courts of Montreal, and found them all in the best working order. In Montreal alone, they are now seventeen in number, with a membership of nearly 1000. Nothing better can be said of them but the fact that they have won all the prizes offered by the High Court of Quebec in



the financial soundness of the High Court of New York.

The reports of the Auditors state that the books of the H.S. and H.T. were kept in a highly satisfactory manner, and they recommended that the H. S.'s salary be increased \$200.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year. H.C.R., Honorable J. Stern, Buffalo, by acclamation; H.V.C.R., Louis P. Tutenberg, Rochester; H.S., Charles R. Fitzgerald, Buffalo; H.T., Chas. W. Lerch, Rochester; H. P., Alfred W. Baylis, M.D., Niagara; H.C., O. P. Stockwell, Attica. High Auditors, Wm. F. Marthout and Louis R. Dezenremel.

The Past High Chief Ranger hereupon announced the appointed officers for the ensuing year as follows:—

High Chaplain, Rev. Henry C. Munson, Hammond.

High Journal Secretary, Chas. S. Hall, Westfield. High Senior Woodward, James A. Phillips, M. D., Morristown.

High Junior Woodward, Richard J. Dempsey, Oswego.

High Senior Beadle, Chester C. Pierce, Clayton.

High Junior Beadle, George E. Doxsie, Syracuse.

High Marshal, Andrew E. Koerner, Rochester.

High Conductor, Alfred A. Berow, Watertown.

High Messenger, Peter Fox, Rochester.

Nominations for next place of meeting were made, consisting of Albany and Utica, the latter of which being selected.

On motion, it was resolved to hold the next session of High Court on the first Tuesday of August next.

The High Counsellor and High Physician together with the newly appointed officers, were duly installed by the Past High Chief Ranger, assisted by the High Chaplain.

A vote of thanks was unanimously extended to the press of Oswego for their kindness in extending the interests of the Order by giving us the privilege of so much space in their valuable papers for the detail of the proceedings of this High Court while in annual session.

A vote of thanks was also extended to the members of Court Oswego for their hospitality in entertaining representatives, and for their zeal and energy in preparing and holding a public meeting for the good of the Order, at which speeches were made by Oronhyatekha, M.D., Supreme Chief Ranger; John A. McGillivray, Q.C., Supreme Secretary, and Supreme High Court Chaplain, the Rev. Henry C. Munson.

(The Supreme and High Court Officers in carriages were escorted by Court Oswego from the Doolittle House, preceded by a brass band, to Knights of Pythias Hall, in front of which the band played amid the glare of Greek fire and Roman candles, while the talented members referred to entertained a large audience within the spacious hall, which was taxed to its utmost capacity.)

The business of the High Court being concluded, the Past High Chief Ranger closed the session of the High Court with ceremony and directed the High Chaplain to formally close the session with prayer and the benediction.

I hereby certify the above to be a true and correct record of the minutes of the High Court, held at Oswego, N. Y., August 3 and 4, 1892.

CHARLES R. FITZGERALD,  
High Secretary.

## HIGH COURT NOTES.

The High Court met at Oswego, August 3 and 4, and was largely attended. Every indication points to a speedy recognition of the Order under the Insurance Department, as an amendment to the General Insurance Laws, passed at last Legislature, removes all objections formerly raised under its foreign parentage.

Court Oswego, No. 549, gave a public reception to Supreme Chief Ranger, Oronhyatekha, M.D.; Supreme Secretary, J. A. McGillivray; Supreme and High Court Chaplain, Rev. H. C. Munson, and the High Court officers, at the Doolittle House, from which they were escorted to the Knights of Pythias Hall in carriages, preceded by a brass band of fifteen pieces, following which were about fifty members of Court Oswego on foot. A large gathering of citizens within the hall were addressed by the eminent brethren mentioned. The outside of the hall was elegantly decorated and the sidewalk was brilliantly illuminated with Greek fire of various colors. The band meanwhile playing many beautiful airs in front of the hall. The members of Court Oswego feel quite elated over the effort made and have gathered in several new members in consequence. Bro. A. A. Wellington and R. J. Dempsey received many congratulations.

The officers, elected and appointed of the High Court, by a quasi understanding, have agreed to have their pictures taken, as a whole, immediately after each session of High Court. A very commendable undertaking, well worthy of imitation.

Solon H. Johnson, P.H.C.R., the very popular Post Master of Clayton, acquitted himself very creditably as presiding officer during the absence of the Hon. Judge Stern.

Orrin P. Stockwell, attorney-at-law, of Court Attica, makes a very excellent High Counsellor and is one of the popular members of the High Court.

Wm. F. Morthorst, one of the High Auditors, of Rochester, has become quite popular among the brethren and is recognized as a conservative business man and peace-maker. He succeeded Louis P. Tietenberg, at last election of Court Genesee, as C.D.H.C.R.

Through impairment of health, the H.C.R., Hon. Jacob Stern, Judge of the Surrogate Court, Buffalo, also Grand Master of Odd Fellows of the State of New York, was unable to attend the session of High Court, but through his individual popularity and the desire of all present to follow his leadership for another year, he was the only choice and was unanimously re-elected High Chief Ranger for the ensuing year. May he live long to enjoy the good things of this earth is the earnest wish of THE FORESTER.

Bro. A. A. Wellington, Treasurer of Court Oswego, made himself quite popular with the High Court.

Bro. Charles S. Hall, of Court Westfield, and Bro. Geo. Whitworth, of Court Syracuse, popular High Court organizers, are said to be quite jealous of their reputations and are endeavoring to outvie with each other as to who will organize the most courts before the next annual meeting. Let every brother help them along.

The Rev. H. C. Munson, High Chaplain, has been appointed by the Supreme Chief Ranger as Supreme Lecturer for the State of New York and will probably visit all the courts in this State, besides engaging in organizing new courts. A part

of his duties will be instructing the courts in the unwritten work, exemplifying degrees, giving public lectures, etc.

The next annual session of the High Court will convene at Utica, where no doubt there will be a larger representation than ever before.

After the annual session at Oswego Bro. C. R. FitzGerald, High Secretary, High Court of New York, made a brief sojourn among the Thousand Islands and has returned to his labors much improved in health. He made an enviable record at High Court Session.

The Supreme Chief Ranger appears very much improved by his European trip, and is said to have accomplished a great deal abroad in the interests of the Order.

#### Court Monroe, No. 391.

At a recent meeting, this Court passed a gracefully worded resolution expressive of their deep sympathy with Bro. Edmunds, on the death of his child.

#### Court New York, No. 1009, Rochester.

Notwithstanding the fact that this Court has been but recently organized, it is well organized, doing good work. Their occasional entertainments are enjoyable events. Will be glad to hear of the continued growth and prosperity of Court New York.

#### Court Watertown, No. 465.

Courts Watertown and Brownville united their forces on a recent Sunday, and attended divine service in Trinity Church, Watertown. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Russell A. Olin. His theme was personal righteousness. The sermon was eloquent and appropriate. We hope in some future issue to give the sermon in full. Court Watertown's prospering.

#### Court Syracuse, No. III.

The Court with the *four ones* is likely to be soon an A. I. Court.

It is enjoying marked prosperity now. Officers and members are greatly pleased with the promptness with which things are done at head office.

New members are coming in and everything is lovely.

### Michigan.

#### Court Gratiot, No. 379, Fort Gratiot.

"We are still keeping to the front," is the word from this Court. We have a good staff of officers, and they, with the hearty co-operation of the membership generally, are bringing in new members regularly. That this Court is working harmoniously goes without saying. The Court has passed a resolution of sympathy with Bro. S. Bray, on the death of his sister.

#### Court Delta, No. 1100, Escanaba.

An average increase of two per meeting is what this Court has been having recently. They have made up their mind to have a large membership. They understand, too, that the way to get it is to work for it. They are doing that.

#### Court Kent, 441, Grand Rapids.

From this Court the news is encouraging. "Progress" is the word. Initiations and applications at every meeting, are among the features of the proceedings.

#### Court Tunnel, No. 159, Port Huron.

The Court is mourning the loss of an esteemed and popular brother. The funeral at Amadore, his former home, was one of the largest ever seen in the locality. Many of those present were unable to get into the Church, on account of the large number present. Bro. Brown had been a resident of Port Huron for about 3 years.

### Washington Territory.

We have five Courts at last in Washington Territory. Court Seattle, No. 526, and Court Aultou, 866, at Seattle; Court Salmon Bay, No. 649, at Bollard; Court Destiny, No. 598, at Tacoma and Court Key City, at Port Townsend. Brethren going west should connect themselves with the Court in the locality where they locate. If there is no Court, they should take steps to have one established.

### Ohio.

#### Court Standard, No. 847, Cleveland.

This Court is "neither dead nor sleeping." Like loyal Foresters, the members believe in both a live and wide-awake Court, results: good meetings, steadily increasing membership, and a determination to keep at it.

### Minnesota.

#### HIGH COURT MEETING.

The High Court meeting of Minnesota Independent Order of Foresters, held its fourth annual session at St. Paul's, in Elks' hall, a few days since, eighty representatives being present from twenty-two courts in different portions of the state. The morning and afternoon sessions were taken up almost entirely in organizing and getting down to a good working basis. The court was called to order by Dr. E. W. Buckley, of this city, who within the lodge room is known as the High Chief Ranger of the Order. The first business attended to was conferring the degrees of the High Court upon the representatives. Reports were received from the High Court officers, and committees appointed on credentials, auditing, etc.

#### ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

At the evening session the election of officers took place. Dr. E. W. Buckley was unanimously re-elected High Chief Ranger, and A. E. Reuillard was re-elected High Vice-Chief Ranger; P. R. McDonnell was elected Past High Chief Ranger; Milton Garges was elected High Secretary; J. C. O'Keefe, of Minneapolis, High Treasurer; H. H. Gillin, of Stillwater, High Counsellor; Dr. E. H. Whitcomb, High Physician; Prof. N. Curtiss, of Red Wing, and James Fenstermaker, High Auditors; and P. H. Scanlan, High Journal Secretary. Various other officers were appointed by the High Chief Ranger to fill the vacant appointed offices.

The several standing committees reported on the various matters assigned to them, and suggested methods for the spread of the Order in the state.

Minneapolis was selected as the place where the next High Court meeting will be held.

The membership of the supreme body is now over 40,000 members, with a reserve fund of \$500,000, and a rapidly increasing membership.



The Supreme Chief Ranger and Supreme Secretary expect to visit Minnesota before long.

**Court Lionheart, No. 593, St. Paul.**

Court Lionheart held its usual picnic recently at Lake Harriet. Six special electric trains were chartered from the street railway company to carry the crowd. From their hall on Rice-street the trains passed down Wabasha-street and around the "loop" to the Ryan hotel, where a large delegation from the various other courts in the city were awaiting to embark. The cars were elaborately decorated with flags and evergreens and the Sons of Veterans' band enlivened the occasion with music. Arriving at the lake an elaborate programme, consisting of speaking, dancing, athletic games was carried out, a large and varied list of prizes being offered by the merchants of Rice-street to the winners of the various contests. The committee on arrangements were Messrs. Linton and Docherty; Dr. E. W. Buckley, High Chief Ranger, was master of ceremonies. The judges of the games were Messrs. Moloney, Johnson and Clary.

**Court Lion Heart, No. 593, St. Paul.**

Court Lion Heart picnicked at Lake Harriet yesterday. Three special electric trains were required to carry the crowd, many embarking at the Ryan hotel corner from other courts. The cars were neatly decorated with evergreens and flags, and the band from the Sons of Veterans' camp accompanied the party. The programme at the lake comprised speaking, dancing, athletic games, etc., for which latter events prizes contributed by the retail merchants along the line of Rice-street were awarded successful competitors. Messrs. Maloney and Cleary, of Court Lion Heart, and Johnson, of Court Great Northern, acted as judges, etc. The committee of arrangements comprised Messrs. Docherty and Linton, while Dr. E. W. Buckley, High Chief Ranger, was master of ceremonies.

**Wisconsin.**

**Court Superior, No. 804, and Court Steel Plant, No. 828, West Superior.**

Have united their forces, forming one strong active court. At the last meeting of the Consolidated court two names were added. The new is well officered and will doubtless give a good account of itself.

**New Jersey.**

*Official Circular.*

**NOTICE OF MEETING.**

*To all Officers and Members of the High Jurisdiction of New Jersey, I. O. F., Greeting:*

Notice is hereby given that the 6th Annual Session of the High Court of New Jersey, will convene on Friday, September 30th, 1892, at 10 o'clock a. m. in the city of Plainfield, N. J. It is desired that every court in the jurisdiction, send her full complement of representatives to the meeting, and make it one long to be remembered in the history of the Order in this State. All subordinate members are invited to attend the afternoon and

evening sessions. Done at the office of the High Standing Committee this 4th day of August, 1892.

B. H. MARSH,  
*H. Secretary.*

T. B. CLARK,  
*H. C. R.*

**California.**

**Court Los Angeles, No. 422.**

This court is "getting along" and that "nicely." So will any court that tries. Wherever the members are working for themselves and the Order, things are all right. Court Los Angeles had their second annual *fete* day recently. The attendance was large, and a good time was enjoyed.

**Honor Roll.**

The following courts have won the prize offered by the Executive Council, consisting of a lithograph picture of the Supreme Chief Ranger. If any court entitled to the prize has been omitted from the honor roll, it will please notify the Supreme Secretary, setting forth its claim to the prize.

Name.	No.	No. of Mem.	Name.	No.	No. of Mem.
Myrtle	5	6	Friendship	612	5
Kingsville	9	5	Portsmouth	622	5
St. Clair	20	7	Wildwood	633	5
Elgin	29	7	Ashtabula Harbor	634	5
Russell	49	8	Sterling	642	5
Rosewood	72	5	Champlain	663	5
Robinhood	84	5	Rifle	714	5
Deseronto	93	7	Westfield	716	6
Loyalist	121	5	Silver Springs	718	5
Lambeth	143	6	Crampton	723	7
Manotick	144	5	Reese	737	16
Carleton	162	6	Sandusky	739	6
Rock Glen	186	8	W. Littanville	783	12
Sauble	189	6	Westwood	793	5
Laurentian	229	5	Attica	796	5
Valley	232	12	Beechville	825	5
Croswell	273	5	Speedwell	846	5
Fortune	297	5	Cadillac	863	17
Presque Isle	325	6	August	873	6
Ivanhoe	327	5	Frankfort	875	5
Riverside	349	6	Perry	877	8
Mason	354	36	Hercules	892	7
Banner	360	12	Maisonneuve	901	6
Perth	384	6	Star of the West	905	5
Monroc	391	5	Willow	919	5
Orient	416	5	Columbus	920	40
Los Angeles	422	17	Hardwood	939	13
Copper Cliff	425	8	Maxville	943	7
Brandon	427	9	LaCrosse	944	5
Pomona	439	5	Spring City	946	17
Watertown	465	5	St. Charles	954	7
Dryad	488	11	Minnehaha	955	8
Temple	510	6	Jacques Cartier	970	11
Redondo	525	8	Avondale	1012	6
Waldone	529	7	Bell	1023	6
Morris Vinced	532	14	Ville-Marie	1031	6
Norwalk	533	5	Moose Creek	1032	5
Puget Sound	538	7	Stillwater	1035	11
Silver Leaf	540	5	Kinsman	1038	5
Craigend	543	11	Kirby	1046	9
Hammond	545	8	Bailey	1064	8
Watchful	572	7	St. George	1065	5
Sawyerville	590	5	Wingham	505	5
Delaware	592	5	Pride of Akron	356	4
Lion Heart	593	8	Durham	111	6



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“There are stories abroad,” said the newspaper man, “regarding some extraordinary deliverance from death, which you have met with recently, doctor. Would you object to stating what foundation there is for them, and, if any, furnish me with the true facts for publication.” Dr. Verrinder shrugged his shoulders and laughed. “I have not,” he replied, “been given to seeking newspaper notoriety, and at fifty-five years of age it is not likely I shall begin, and yet,” said the professor after thinking a moment and consulting Mrs. Verrinder, “perhaps it is best that I should give you the circumstances for use in *The Planet*. The story of my rescue from the grave might fittingly be prefaced by a little of my early history. We resided in England, where though I was a professor of music, I was not dependant on my art, as I had acquired a competence. My wife was an heiress, having £50,000 in her own right. Through the rascality of a broker she was robbed almost of all her fortune, while by the Bank of Glasgow failure, my money vanished forever. It became necessary for me then to return to my profession in order to live. I do not speak of it boastingly, but I stood well among the musicians of that day in the old land. My fees were a guinea a lesson, and it was no uncommon thing for me to give twenty a day. We came to America, landing at Quebec, where I anticipated getting engagement as organist in the cathedral, but was disappointed. Subsequently we moved to St. Catharines, in which city I procured an organ and choir and soon had a large *clientele*. Later, in order as I thought to better my fortune, I took up my residence in London, first filling an engagement with a Methodist church and afterwards accepting the position as organist in St Peter’s Cathedral. In those cities I made many warm friends, and their tributes and gifts I shall ever retain among the most precious of my possessions. It was while living in London and pursuing my art with much earnestness and labor that I received a stroke of paralysis. Perhaps,—here the speaker rose and stretching himself to his full height, thus displaying his well-built and well-nourished frame—“I do not look like a paralytic. But the truth is I have had three strokes—yes, sir, first, second and third, and they say the third is fatal, ninety-nine times

out of one hundred. Yet here you see before you a three-stroke victim, and a man who feels, in body and mind, as vigorous as he ever did in his life. My ultimate cure I attribute to my testing the virtues of a medicine whose praise I shall never cease sounding as long as I live, and which I shall recommend to suffering humanity as I am now constantly doing, while I know of a case and can reach the ear of a patient. After removing to Chatham I had not long been here when my health further began to give way. Gradually I noted the change. I felt it first and most strongly in a stomach affection which produced constant and distressing nausea. It grew worse and worse, I myself attributed it to bad water poisoning my system. One doctor said it was catarrh of the stomach. Another pronounced it diabetes, still another a different diagnosis. I kept on doctoring, but getting no relief. I tried one medicine after another, but it was no use. Grippe attacked me and added to my pain, discomfort and weakness. At last I took to my bed and it seemed that I was never going to get well. Nothing of a nourishing nature would remain on my stomach. No drugs seemed to have a counteracting influence on the disease which was dragging me down to death. My wife would sit at my bedside and moisten my lips with diluted spirits which was all that could be done to relieve me. Besides three local doctors who gave me up, I had doctors from London and Kingston whose skill I believed in and to whom I paid heavy fees, but without receiving any help or encouragement. It is true that a stomach pump operation afforded temporary relief, but yet I felt that my peculiar case needed some special and particular compound or remedial agent which I knew not of. But, at last, thank God, I discovered it. I had been for eighteen months a miserable wreck, unable to work, unable to eat or sleep properly. My means were becoming exhausted. My poor wife was worn out in body and spirit. Suddenly the deliverer came! Pink Pills! Yes sir! Pink Pills—God bless their inventor or discoverer!—have rescued me from the jaws of death and miraculously made me what you see me to-day, hearty, happy, with a splendid appetite, a clear brain, a capacity for work and an ability to sleep sound and refreshingly sleep—a boon that only a man who has experienced the terrors of insomnia can rightly appreciate. Bear in mind, my friend, I am no wild enthusiast over the supposed merits of this medicine. I have tested the virtues of Pink Pills and am ready to take oath to their efficacy. No one could shake my faith in them; because what a man has thoroughly proved in his own experience, and what he has had confirmed in the experience of others—I have prescribed the pills to other sick persons and know what extraordinary good they have effected in their cases. I shall tell you how I came to try them. A fellow member of the A. O. U. W., the brethren of which order had been more than kind to me during my illness, recommended Pink Pills. I knew nothing about what they were or what they could accomplish. In fact,

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The reporter finally took his leave of Dr. Verinder, but not without the professor entertaining him to another piano treat, a symphony played with faultless execution and soulful interpretation of the composer's thought.

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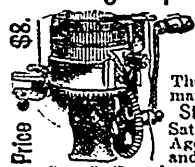
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11	Royal Oak	Goodwood	W. H. Todd	last M.
12	Welcome	London	P. H. Bayless	2d & 4h M.
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15	Cobourg	Cobourg	John Henderson	1t & 3d T.
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155	Maple	St. Thomas	J. T. Robertson	2d & last Th	302	Burns	Embro	Wm. John McKay	1t & 3d F.
156	Park Hill	Park Hill	John M. Duff	2d & 4h T.	305	Eden Mills	Eden Mills	David M. Webb	2d & 4h W.
157	Ivy	Thornedale	J. J. Armstrong	Th.	307	Willowdale	York Mills	H. E. Webster, M.D	4h T.
158	Forest Queen	Thornedale	Wm. Hind	2d & last M.	308	Bolton	Albion	H. H. Bolton	1t W & 2d Th
160	Putnam	Putnam	C. T. Perley	3d W.	310	Hopeful	Kerwood	A. Rogers	2d & last W.
161	Summerville	Fullarton	W. J. Roger	2d & 4h T.	311	Mad River	Creemore	T. G. A. Wright	2d & 4h M.
163	Huron	Point Edward	W. F. Gibson	1t & 3d M.	314	Queen Victoria	Pickering	J. H. Eastwood	last F.
164	Dresden	Dresden	B. Bridgewater	1t F. af. 15h	315	Sweimote	Greenwood	F. L. Green	last Th.
166	Simcoe	Simcoe	Jos. T. Carson	2d & 4h Th.	316	Meadowvale	Meadowvale	C. W. Switzer	3d T.
167	Toronto	Toronto	Jas. Grover	4h F.	318	Resort	Lynedock	A. W. Gray	2d & last T.
168	Brant	Paris	Chas. Flanagan	3d F.	319	Valens	Valens	John A. Valens	4h S.
169	River Speed	Hespeler	James Hamer	1t & 3d T.	320	Isthmus	Newboro'	Rev. G. Bonsfield	2d & 4h T.
170	Hamilton	Hamilton	R. Griffith	2d & 4h Th.	321	Brucefield	Brucefield	Wm. R. Hart	2d & last F.
172	Garden City	St. Catharines	Wm. Magness		322	Leaskdale	Leaskdale	Isaac Warner	last W.
173	Black Knight	Preston	Chas. E. Bryant	1t & 3d Th.	327	Ivanhoe	Millbrook	James A. Vance	3d M.
174	Nelson	Dutton	Geo. Gusterson		328	Dover	Port Dover	Josiah Varye	1t & 3d F.
175	Ethel	Ethel	Dr. W. F. Cole	last Th.	329	Stouffville	Stouffville	J. W. Brown	2d & 4h Th
177	Pictou	Pictou	Lewis A. Wright	1t & 3d Th.	332	Markham	Markham	Henry Robinson	4h T.
178	Glenmorris	Glenmorris	Geo. Aitkin	1t & 3d F.	333	Trent	Campbellford	John Shannon	3d F.
179	Port Perry	Port Perry	N. F. Paterson, Q. Olst	F.	334	Warkworth	Warkworth	Wm. Bensley	last Th.
180	Fidelity	Appin	R. Long	2d & last W	335	Bonnie Doon	Mount Albert	John Hopkins	4h M.
181	Lindsay	Lindsay	R. J. Blatchett	last F.	338	Charlotteville	Victoria	C. E. Shearer	last M.
182	Phoenix	Fenelon Falls	J. S. Campbell	last M.	339	Unity	Chapleau	Hugh Kelso	1t & 3d Th.
183	Mt. Brydges	Mt. Brydges	G. C. Oliver	2d & 4h M	342	Seaforth	Seaforth	Chas. Clarkson	last F.
185	Beaverton	Beaverton	Thos. Trelavan	last F.	345	Waverley	Fletcher	J. W. Campbell, Stewart, P.O.	2d & 4h W.
186	Rock Glen	Arkona	T. A. Lampman	2d & 4h F.	346	Zephyr	Zephyr	M. N. Dafee	2d & 4h M.
188	Aurora	Aurora	Chas. J. Bailey	3d F.	348	Leisure Hour	Wilkesport	Wm. McRae	last Th.
189	Florence	Florence	A. H. Stratton	2d & last S	350	Weidman	Weidman	Jos. Benson	2d & 4h F.
191	Success	Oil Springs	J. H. Johnston	2d & last T	352	Cannington	Cannington	C. C. McPhaden	4h M.
192	Theford	Theford	W. A. Munns, M.D	last M.	358	Signet	Newmarket	J. E. Souch	4h W.
193	Peeries	St. Marys	James Harrison	last Th.	359	Appui	Sombra	T. C. Cowan, M.D	2d & last Th
194	Denfield	Denfield	John Edwards	1t & 3d F.	361	Schomberg	Schomberg	Arth'r Armstrong	
195	Waterdown	Waterdown	Wm. Harvey	last W.	362	Osgoode	Osgoode	J. A. M. Quade	4h S.
196	Sauble	Ailsa Craig	John Gunn, M.D	1t & 2d M.	363	King City	King	J. W. Crosley	last F.
197	Shakespeare	Shakespeare	John Pletsch	last T.	364	Oakwood	Richmond	D. McDougall	1t & 3d M.
198	Refuge	Port Hope	Alex. W. Pringle	last M.	365	Star	Farquhar	T. M. Kay	2d & 4h F.
199	St. Pauls	St. Pauls	Wm. Atcheson	last S.	367	Tara	Tara	W. J. Fawcett	last T.
200	Triumph	Mitchell	W. G. Murphy	1t & 3d Th.	370	Maple City	Maple	J. A. Watson	2d & 4h S.
201	Ruby	Tilsonburg	George Geddes	last S.	371	Gananoque	Gananoque	C. E. Britton	last F.
203	Kars	Kars	Isaac Taylor	1t & 5d W.					
204	Winterbourne	Winterbourne	David S. Clemens	last M.					
207	Lucan	Lucan	Thos. Hossack, n. d. 3rd W.						

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873	Olen Payne	South Finch	J. S. Merkle	1t & 3d S.	651	Granite	Battersea	Robt. VanLuven	1t M.
874	Avon	Avonmore	E. Brownell	alt. M.	652	Maple Grove	Emdale	Albert E. Munn	
875	Island City	Brockville	Rev. J. H. Nimmo	2d & last T.	653	Evening Star	Edgar	Walter Thompson	last T.
877	Madoc	Madoc	M. W. Connor	last W.	654	Greenbank	Greenbank	Samuel Dusty	2d & last M.
878	Seabright	Kettleby	M. W. Robinson	4th W.	658	Prosperity	Toronto	W. E. Stevens	1t & 3d F.
880	Wabun	Staffa	Walt. Shillinglaw	1t & 3d F.	660	Billings Bridge	Billings Bridge	F. Williams	3d Th.
881	Rapids	Burrill's Rps	T. A. Kidd	2d F.	671	Sundridge	Sundridge	Jas. Dunn	2d & 4h T.
882	Lebanon	Toronto	A. H. Fessenden	3d Th.	672	Delaware Valley	Delaware	Frank Tickels	2d & 4h Th.
883	Waubushene	Waubushene	Chas. P. Fisher	2d & 4h W.	673	Novar	Novar	Angus Cooper	1t & 3d Th.
384	Perth	Perth	Robert Jamieson	2d & 4h T.	674	Rouille	Toronto	Wm. Duggan	1t & 3d Th.
388	Elmsley	Smith's Falls	J. H. Gould	2d & 4h T.				St. Albans St.	
892	Tamworth	Tamworth	Dr. C. D. Clark	2d & 4h Th.	675	Cambridge	South Indian	John D. Meredith	1t & 8d W.
895	Advance	Sebringville	John Warriner	2d & 4h Th.	676	Little Current	Little Current	A. Irving	2d & 4h F.
896	Tecumseh	Havelock	Thomas A. Milnelt	M.	683	Byron	London South	Wm. Gerry	2d & 4h M.
897	Elmira	Elmira	D. L. Walmsley	2d & last Th	686	Himsworth	Powassan	J. S. Scarlett	last Th.
898	Lord Stanley	Enterprise	Alonzo Walker	1t & 3d W.	690	Teeswater	Teeswater	R. Keeler	2d & 4h Th.
400	St. Thomas	St. Thomas	A. A. Drake	1t F.	691	Quinte	Trenton	J. R. Sayers	2d & last W.
401	Gore	Hamilton	W. A. Thompson	1t & 3d M.	699	Maitland	Brussels	J. T. Pepper	last F.
			54 Peter Street		702	Ottawa West	Hintonburg	Robt. Reid	1t & 3d M.
403	Windfall	Windfall	George Crew	1t & 3d Th.	703	Kinmount	Kinmount	R. S. Frost, M.D	2d & last Th
404	Brighton	Brighton	Rev. W. W. Postelast	T.	704	Golden Rule	South River	E. J. Vincent	2d & 4h T.
406	Wolfe	Wolfe Island	Rev. J. J. Christie	2d & 4h Th.	700	Simpson	Bowmanville	R. McDougall	2d T.
407	Melbourne	Melbourne	E. Richards	2d & 4h T.	712	New Hamburg	New Hamburg	Thos. Mitchell	2d & last M.
412	Pyramid	Copleston	W. J. Kirby	2d & last M	718	Silver Springs	Wyoming		
413	Ayr	Ayr	James G. Cassie	last M.	720	Harwood	Harwood	H. Donaldson	1t & 3d F.
415	Dashwood	Dashwood	John Hall	2d & last S.	723	Crampton	Crampton	J. W. Cornish	last F.
416	Orient	Hamilton	C. C. Baird	2d & 4h F.	725	Martintown	Martintown	Chas. M. Wilmot	3d Th.
417	Newburgh	Newburgh	Paschal D. Shorey	2d & 4h T.	727	Allandale	Allandale	W. P. Soules	
419	Farewell	Farewell	D. McClelland	last S.	742	Valentine	Barrow Bay	Oscar Church	2d & 4h S.
424	Odessa	Odessa	B. Derbyshire	last Th.	764	Rising Sun	Hillsdale	R. Parker	
425	Copper Cliff	Copper Cliff	P. A. Derry	1t & 3d T.	769	Waterloo	Waterloo	Allan S. Snider	2d & last T.
431	Forest Home	Palmerston	Thomas Bennet	2d & 4h T.	777	Win'ster Sp'gs	Win'ster Sp'gs	P. McLaughlin	2d & 3d T.
432	Cairnsmor	Toronto	J. S. Lucas	108 2d & 4h M.	775	Boyne	Staples	L. Bushner	2d & 4h Th.
			Yonge St		782	Attwood	Attwood	J. L. Mader	1s & 3d M.
433	Pride of Barton	North Barton	John Scott		784	Athens	Athens	G. W. Beach	last F.
434	Tweed	Tweed	W. C. Sills		791	No Surrender	Merrickville	W. H. McCrea	3rd F.
437	Casselman	Casselman	Paul Bissonette	3d Th.	792	Asphodel	Norwood	J. C. Moffat	
442	Littlejohn	Sharbot Lake	Dennis L. Babcock	1t & 3d S.	793	Westwood	Westwood	Dr. P. McNaughton	last T.
444	Watford	Watford	Robt. Moody	2d & 4h W.	795	Lyndhurst	Lyndhurst	Wm. H. Metcalfe	2d & last W.
450	East Toronto	Toronto	G. Sink, 37 Munro	1t & 3d F.	798	Ingersoll	Ingersoll	S. F. Houser	
			Street		805	Matilda	Iroquois	W. A. Coulter	3d W.
454	Lucknow	Lucknow	A. B. Congram	1t & 3d Th.	806	Duart	Duart	Thos. H. Ridley	last Th.
458	Eldon	Woodville	D. Mc Lachlan	4t M.	811	Lorneville	Lorneville	W. K. Fisk	2d & last F.
460	Milford	Milford	D. T. Gorsline	2d & 4h T.	813	Kintore	Kintore	David Chalmers	1t & 4h M.
461	Clandeboye	Clandeboye	H. S. Clarke, M.D		816	Lakeside	Lakeside	D. M. Sutherland	
463	Kippin	Kippin	W. McCloy	1t Th.	818	Glengarry	Alexandria	Alex. L. Smith	
469	Goodwood	Goodwood Lke	Peter McEwan	2d & 4h Th.	821	Emerick	Waterford	J. A. Aiken	3rd T.
470	Clinton	Clinton	George Swallow	2d & 4h Th.	823	Roslin	Roslin	Sam. Hudson, M.D	last F.
472	Parliament	Toronto	Dr. R. D. Moffatt	3d T.	829	Marlbank	Marlbank	S. J. Wilson	1t & 3d W.
473	Dunsford	Dunsford	Newton Cosh		830	Freestone	Grimsby	B. R. Nelles	1t T.
476	Pricerville	Pricerville	John McGowan	2d & last F.	834	Queensville	Queensville	J. F. Ardell	4h F.
844	Anson	Minden	Chas. S. Eggleton	2d & 4t W.	835	Bradford	Bradford	John Keegan	2d & 4h F.
847	Ripple	Sutton	Geo. L. Vrooman	last T.	837	Hay Bay	Hay Bay	John Pennie	1st W.
848	Dryad	Harriston	A. G. Campbell	2d & 4h T.	841	Cromwell	Rockland	Angus McLean	2d & 4h M.
905	Forfar	Forfar	W. H. Freeland	1t & 3d W.	842	Oxford Mills	Oxford Mills	S. B. Colman	last W.
543	Brantford	Brantford	J. M. Beckett	2d & 4h Th.	844	Inkerman	Inkerman	Rev. Wm. Knox	4h M.
505	Wingham	Wingham	C. N. Griffin	2d & 4h F.	846	Speedwell	Windsor	Alfred E. Watson	2d & 4h T.
507	Hazeldean	Hazeldean	R. F. Abbott	3d S.	856	Carlingford	Carlingford	Q. F. W. Turner	1t & 3d T.
519	Listowell	Listowell	H. B. Morphy	2d & last T.	855	Heilier	Heilier	W. A. Crandell	4h F.
521	Walkerton	Walkerton	John Elliott	last Th.	862	Atlantic	Ottawa East	E. W. Gilbert	2d & 4h T.
524	Winchester	Winchester	W. D. Brunton	4h F.	868	Sherwood	Arthur	George Smith	2d & last F.
527	Crosby	Elgin	W. W. Brown	2d & 4t W.	869	Kenmore	Kenmore	David Wishart	last F.
530	Chemong	Peterboro'	W. R. Stratton	last F.	870	Cumberland	Cumberland	Henry Byrnes	1t T.
531	Elmvale	Elmvale	J. G. Lyall	1t & 3d Th.	871	Prescott	Prescott	James Clint	2d & 4h M.
535	Vars	Vars	Wm. Bell	last T.	872	Ashton	Ashton	Geo. Thos. Bayne	1t & 3d T.
539	Jolly	Mandaumin	Jas. Henry Young	every alt. F	876	Bobcaygeon	Bobcaygeon	John Wilson	last W.
540	Silver Leaf	Hanover	Robt. Jas. Ball	2d & last M.	878	Glen Buell	Glen Buell	B. S. MacConnell	
541	Merrivale	Merrivale	Wm. Fullford	2d Th.	882	Sprucedale	Sprucedale	W. S. Morrison	2d & last M
546	Red Pine	Warren	Geo. W. Bartlett	2d & last T.	835	L'Original	L'Original	John Butterfield	
554	Palgrave	Palgrave	R. Jas. McLeiland		889	Centralia	Centralia	R. F. Hicks	3d Th.
555	Terra Cotta	Campbellville	W. J. Kidney		890	Fairfield	Fairfield	Chas. J. Johns	
559	Classic City	Stratford	Jas. W. Brown	3d M.	898	Birr	Birr	Jos. W. Taylor	
562	Lanark	Lanark	Jno. Manahan	2d & last M.	901	Pleasant Hour	Bishops' Mills	W. M. Earl, M.D	3d F.
565	Ivy Leaf	Blyth	A. Elder	1st M.	906	Beeton	Beeton	John Anderson	last Th.
567	Wooler	Wooler	G. W. Casement	2d & last Th.	912	Pleasant Ridge	Newport	P. H. Buchanan	2d & last T.
571	Yankleek Hill	Yankleek Hill	Don. McLeod	4h M.	914	Cookstown	Cookstown	D. R. Ferguson	last F.
578	Kincardine	Kincardine	J. H. Scott		919	Willow	Charroll	Dr. Little	4h Th.
580	Newbury	Newbury	Duncan Stalker	every alt. T	922	Harrow	Harrow	Josiah Rumbald	
581	Brigden	Brigden	Albert Fisher	2d & 4h W.	923	Dysart	Hallburton	Wm. Brust	
587	Port Elgin	Port Elgin	H. Kalbfuscher	2d & last Th	924	North Dawn	Oakdale	J. Dale	2d & 4h F.
593	Lafontaine	Lafontaine	M. Beaudoin	1t & 3d M.	926	Kinnoul	New Lowell	Wm. Morrison	2d & 4h T.
594	Elmwood	Elmwood	M. Kaufman	2d & 4h F.	927	Howard	Morphy	Israel L. Smith	every Th.
609	Metcalfe	Metcalfe	Wellington Blair	1t & 2d M.	934	Equal Right	Stroud	R. J. McConkey	last T.
610	Osnabruck	Osnabruck	Chas. McEwan	2d & 4h M.	941	Bowmore	Duntroon	James Bridges	1t & 4h M
615	Orillia	Orillia	C. S. Tuttle	last T.	943	Maxville	Maxville	John Smith	2d & last F.
618	Coldwater	Coldwater	A. C. Robinson		947	Nobleton	Nobleton	Jas. Cherry	last F.
623	Penetang	Penetang	A. B. Thompson	2d & 4h M.	953	Riceville	Riceville	A. W. Metcalfe	last M.
623	Scarboro	Scarboro	Geo. Norman	3d M.	950	Blue Mountain	Clarksburg	A. T. Wilgress	last W.
629	Septemley	Pt. Lambton	W. J. Findlay	2d & 4h F.	957	Bognor	Bognor	Jas. G. Carrie	2d & 4h M.
631	Langhton	Langhton	D. J. M. Tweed	last T.	959	Cloverleaf	Wyebridge	Jos. Murphy	last F.
639	Zorra	Harrington	Jos. Pitt	2d & 4h Th.	960	Moulinette	Moulinette	Fred. Tapping	2d & 4h W.
643	Huntsville	Huntsville	Lozeng. D. Glossop	1t & 3d Th.	968	Angus	Angus	J. A. M. McMaster	last W.
648	Western Star	Walsingham	CW. A. Morse	4th F.	969	Gladstone	Toronto	F. W. Dickinson	



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976	Calabogir	Calabogio	Frank H. Baxter	last Th.
973	Meaford	Meaford	J. H. Paine	1t & 3d T.
979	Hartly	Hartly	Henry S. Magwood	4h 1h.
982	Clarence	Warton	W. F. Hull	2d & 4t W.
985	Sunnidale	Stayner	W. B. Saunders	2d & 4h M.
937	View	Fitzroy Harbor	Herman Kedy	2d & 4h M.
991	Markdale	Markdale	H. Clendenin	1t & 3d T.
995	Flesherton	Flesherton	J. P. Ottewell	
997	Everett	Everett	J. McCullough	M 2d & last W.
1002	Thistle	Williamstown	Allan P. McDonald	
1005	Ernie	Garden Hill	Dr. A. C. Beatty	last M.
1008	Vespra	Minesing	Alfred Morren	1t & 3d M.
1011	Cascade	Nia. Falls S'th	E. L. Laur	last T.
1014	Cedar Grove	Fergusonville	John McAvoy	2d & last F.
1018	Demorestville	Demorestville	W. E. Baker	last W.
1022	Tam O'Shan'r	Hastings	Rev D A Thomson	3d Th.
1025	Bond Head	Bond Head	W. J. Manning	last F.
1026	Minerva	Appleton	John L. Cockhill	1t & 3d Th.
1032	Moose Creek	Moose Creek	Alex. McCrue	2d & last T.
1034	Oro	Hawkestone	G. H. Metcalf	2d & 4h Th.
1040	Luxley	Otterville	W. E. Fisher	1t & 3d F.
1045	Fenlon	Cambray	W. A. Fanning	last T.
1047	Mallorytown	Mallorytown	Bennett Ixon	2d & 4h M.
1052	Otobicoke	Mimico	W. H. Adamson	2d & 4h S.
1056	Omeaway	Toronto	E. A. Thompson	
1063	Havelock	Toronto	G. A. Holmes	
1089	High'd Creek	High'd Creek	A. T. Elliott	
1093	Beechwood	Beechwood	David Rose	
1093	Trafalgar	Oakville	Ed. Plumb.	
1114	Ro seau	Ro seau	Geo. Raymond.	
1115	Capital	Ottawa	P. Garland.	
1132	Madora	Po.t Carling	Rev. W. A. J. Burt.	

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Desmond	187	Port Huron	H. A. Wait.
Clare	210	Clare	Dr. F. J. Todd.
Valley	232	East Saginaw	W. J. Falkerson.
Flint	239	Flint	Frank Dullam.
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Eagle	250	Gladwin	Phil. S. Matthews.
Michigan	261	Carsonville	O. C. McGregor.
Sts. of Mackinac	262	Duncan City	Edward J. James.
Marion	267	Decker ville	Robt. Loughran.
Harbor	268	Sand Beach	Henry E. King.
Crowell	273	Crowell	W. J. Jeron e (Rev.).
Cedar	275	St. Ignace	P. D. Bissell.
Iosco	278	East Tawas	Jno. McGuire
Oscoda	285	Oscoda	Wm. E. Wilson.
Au Sable	289	Au Sable	Joseph Whitebread.
Alpena	293	Alpena	A. S. Irving.
Maple Ridge	300	Newberry	Dr. S. J. Fraser.
Bay City	306	Bay City	Arthur W. Merritt.
Liberty	813	Richmond	G. W. Weston.
Presque Isle	325	Rogers City	W. H. Kitchen
Miranda	326	West Bay City	John A. Gregg.
Vassar	337	Vassar	Geo. C. Loss.
Riverside	349	St. Clair	Chas. J. Mitchell.
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Mason	354	Ludington	Peter Collier.
Oscoda	357	Reed City	M. M. Callaghan.
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Grant	386	Bla ne (P.O.)	Stephen E. Rider.
Lee	389	Fargo	Bolls E. Barry
Logan	390	Capitlac	Harry S. Wood.
Anchor	893	Downing Works	George C. Smith.
Yale	399	Yale	C. R. Holden.
Custer	402	Brown City	John B. Shirk.
Sanilac	405	Valley Center	Harvey S. Hydrorn.
Unison	410	Big Rapids	C. W. Doo.
Peck	411	Peck	Erastus Dorland
Sanilac Centro	414	Sanilac Centro	Henry Sherman.
Lake View	418	Port Sanilac	Geo. A. Burgess.
Grover	428	Downington	Edgar Hulse.
Applegate	426	Applegate	M. H. Munn.
Minden	430	Minden City	Jos. Morris.
Mentor	435	McKinley	Samuel E. Park.
Imlay	430	Imlay City	Jno. M. McKillen.
Kent	441	G. Rapids	S. Sullivan, 89 Plain- field Ave.
Rescue	445	G. Rapids	W. E. Clements.
Lyon	446	Grand Rapids	James S. Edwards.
Tyre	448	Tyre	Smcon E. Hooper.
Amadore	457	Amadore	U. S. Galbraith.
Downer	468	Marysville	A. Mills.
Leonard	477	Grand Rapids	E. H. Belden.
Saginaw	494	Saginaw	Joh: Hughes.
Caro	506	Caro	R. H. McHenry.
Begley	517	Detroit	T. H. Culverwell.
Mayville	522	Mayville	Dr. B. D. Arcey.
Ellsworth	523	Luther	Chas. D. Bargboom.
Waldone	529	East Saginaw	Geo. H. Noble.
Acme	561	South Saginaw	Fred. C. Hough.
Isabella	562	Mt. Pleasant	H. A. Miller.
Warren	566	Coleman	Albert V. Linton.
Kalkaska	564	Kalkaska	T. D. Hobbs.
Ethen Allen	569	Carrolton.	F. M. Nelson.
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Crow Island	570	Crow Island	Wm. Loney.
Mountaineer	577	North Saginaw	J. F. Meader.
Hamilton Stone	582	S. Boardman	E. F. Mills.
Mancelona	583	Mancelona	G. S. Robinson (Rev.)
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Woodward	589	Detroit	F. R. Lavitt.
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Berne	601	Berne	Otto. Frenzel
Columbiaville	606	Columbiaville	Chas. Stanard.
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Centre	638	Bay City	Wm. Donahue.
Nemesis	645	Fast Tawas	Emil E. Kunze.
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Palms	650	Palms	H. Fitzpatrick.
Tawas City	655	Tawas City	George S. Darling.
Fowlerville	657	Fowlerville	J. H. Orth.
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Owosso	669	Owosso	J. H. Robins.
Zilwaukee	673	Zilwaukee	John H. Schroeder.
Bay	680	Pinconning	Alonzo Crane.
Cass	689	Ionia	Wm. E. Kelsey.
Woodland	698	Woodland	C. C. Deane.
Standish	700	Standish	A. H. Wells.
Port Austin	705	Port Austin	Edward B. Gibson
Sebewaing	710	Sebewaing	D. Sayles.
Rife	714	West Branch	John P. Huck.
Uby	722	Uby	Samuel Cope
Rob Roy	726	Chio	Geo. W. Goff
Kinde	730	Kiude	C. L. O'Dell.
Unionville	732	Unionville	E. W. Hoelzle.
Daisy	734	G. Rapids	James Rowson
Reese	737	Reese	Dr George Reid.
Flushing	738	Flushing	H. E. Stone.
Durand	748	Durand	Robert C. Fair.
Elkton	750	Elkton	S. S. Ludlam.
Romeo	755	Romeo	Geo. Burton.
Alcona	757	W. Harrisville	D. W. Mitchell.
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Clinton Valley	770	Rochester	S. S. Starring.
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Alma	778	Alma	Geo. Moor.
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Como	783	Greenville	J. H. Jerome
Grayling	780	Grayling	C. J. Jerome
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Waupakisco	807	Rattle Creek	A. D. Ardway.
Pine	808	Manistea	Dr. L. A. Pelletier.
Petoskey	812	Petoskey	F. L. Hogan.
Gen. Sherman	814	Monroe	M. E. Webb.
Beechville	825	North Branch	C. W. Harrington.
Elkland	826	Cass City	Henry Stewart.
Keystone	832	Marion	M. L. Fenton.
Copemish	838	Copemish	C. B. Cammif.
East Jordan	839	East Jordan	Frank A. Foster.
Charlevoix	840	Chalevoix	Wm. H. Francis.
Beecher	849	Thomsonville	H. J. T. Rhead.

Name.	No.	Location	C.D.H.C.R.
Ogygia	850	Forestville	John H. Trace.
Traverse	853	Traverse City	William McDonald.
Jack Hawk	855	Beaverton	Chas. Glynn.
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Caseville	861	Caseville	August Holstein.
Cadillac	863	Detroit	E. Larkin.
Wayne	864	Detroit	H. L. Schulte.
Frankfort	875	Frankfort	Geo. S. Davey.
Annexation	893	Detroit	E. J. Bolio.
Iron	899	Muskegon	R. J. McDonald.
Akron	933	Akron	Leven Rathmcr.
Arion	940	Freeland	Wm. Preston.
Maurice	906	Marlette	A. Redmond.
Holly	972	Holly	C. W. Mosher.
Corunna	983	Corunna	H. E. Kinne.
Elm	1,021	Gagetown	Geo. H. Beach.
Stanton	1,041	Stanton	H. W. Percival.
Reynolds	1,029	H. ward City	B. J. Lowry.
Lake Orion	1,057	Orion	J. F. Eddington
Wa-Wa-Sum	1,060	St. Louis	C. W. Giddings
Bailey	1,064	Bailey	Geo. C. Fenton.
Adrian	1,078	Adrian	J. B. Richards.
Starlight	1,024	Seginaw	Fred. J. Reidel.
Ithaca	1,068	Ithaca	J. M. Everden.
Utica	1,090	Utica	E. B. Banister.
West Bay City	1,102	Bay City	Chas Thomas.
Kirby	1,048	Detroit	W. D. Woodlard.
Benton	1,095	Benton Harbor	C. H. Bucu.
Delta	1,100	Escanaba	M. Goldman.
Oreida	1,101	Negaunee	E. J. Harkley.

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#### DIRECTORY OF COURTS.

No.	Location.	C.D.H.C.R.	Nights of Meetings.
226	Alma	T. E. Colpitts	3rd Friday.
360	Apohaqui	F. L. Cross	1st and 3rd Saturdays
626	Andover	Ernest H. Hoyt	2nd and 4th Wed'ays.
206	Alberton, P.E.I.	Wm. Hunter	1st Friday after 15th.
215	Bedeque, P.E.I.	A. T. Wright.	
449	Buctouche	Jas. H. Powell	4th Tuesday.
642	Bristol, Carleton Co.	John E. Kelly	1st and 3rd Saturdays.
845	Boiestown	Tno. Wire, M.D.	2nd and 4th Fridays.
694	Blackville	J. H. Prescott	1st and 3rd Saturdays
52	Chatham	Alex. McKinnon	1st Mon. after 15th.
162	Centreville, Carleton Co.	J. G. Simonsen	4th Tuesday.
274	Clover Hill, Kings Co.	Chas. Oates	4th Thursday.
641	Campbellton	A. McG. McDonald,	last Thursday.
971	Carsonville	Chas. H. Cook	2nd and 4th Fridays.
1012	Charlottetown, P.E.I.	H. R. McKie	2nd and 4th Wed
150	Derby	R. D. Wilson	1st Tuesday after 15th.
897	DeBec Junction	R. McElroy	2nd and 4th Saturdays.
101	Elgin	R. A. Smith	2nd and 4th Fridays.
1070	Eldon, P. E. I.	A. Ross, M.D.	Last Wednesday
139	Fredericton	J. F. Richards	Fourth Wednesday.
836	Fairville	Fred. Stout	2nd and 4th Tuesdays.
563	Grand Manan	Jas. W. Wooster	3rd Tuesday.
1055	Georgetown, P.E.I.	D. A. Stewart, M.D.	4th Friday
184	Havelock	Chas. E. Stewart	1st Mon. after 15th.
429	Hampton	W. C. Crawford	3rd Thursday.
103	Hartland	S. J. Brown	2nd and 4th Mondays.
91	Hillsboro'	M. J. Smith	4th Tuesdays.
697	Keswick	C. E. Jones	4th Wednes.
1093	Kingsington, P.E.I.	D. Darrick, M.D.	

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71	Moncton	Geo. H. Pick	3rd Thursday.
141	Marysville, York Co.	W. T. Day	2nd Tuesday.
882	Millville, York Co.	E. H. Easley	2nd and 4th Saturdays.
218	Montague Bridge, P.E.I.	John T. Robison	4th Monday
462	McAdam Junction	Geo. Herd	2nd and 4th Tuesdays.
809	Musquash	Geo. Bedell, M.D.	2d and 4th Saturday.
1058	Murray Harb. So.	J. R. Prowse	2d and 4th Saturday
24	Norton Station	D. B. Hatfield	Alternate Wednesdays.
165	Newcastle	John S. Fleming	4th Tuesday.
1113	New Glasgow, P.E.I.	Wm. Honeywell, M.D.	
1050	O'Leary, P. E. I.	B. J. Hayward	2nd and 4th Wed.
34	Penobscquis	Havelock Freeze	3rd Saturday.
94	Petitecodiac	E. Simpson	2nd and 4th Saturdays.
788	Port Elgin	H. R. Carter, M.D.	2nd and 4th Fridays.
125	St. John	Arch. Bauer	1st Friday after 15th.
121	St. John (north)	W. J. S. Myles	2nd & last Thursday.
1117	St. John (north)		
368	St. John (west)	Ald. I. E. Smith	Last Friday.
145	St. Marys	E. Vanwart	1st Tues. after 15th.
190	Salisbury	Alex. Leaman	Last Monday.
263	Sussex	Geo. J. Worden	3rd Thursday.
394	Shediac	W. A. Russell	4th Tuesday.
458	St. George	Guy H. Clinch	Last Monday.
605	St. Andrews	E. A. Cockburn	2nd and last Mondays
597	St. Stephen	Geo. F. Pinder	3rd Monday.
721	Stanley	D. R. Moore, M.D.	2nd and 4th Wed.
803	Sackville	H. B. Allison	2nd and 4th Tuesdays.
118	St. Martins	W. E. Skillen	3rd Thursday.
202	Summerside, P.E.I.	Capt. Jos. Read	
223	Souris, P.E.I.	Uriah Mathew.	Last Monday.
385	Upham Station	A. Sherwood	Last Monday.
134	Weildford	I. B. Humphrey	3rd Monday.
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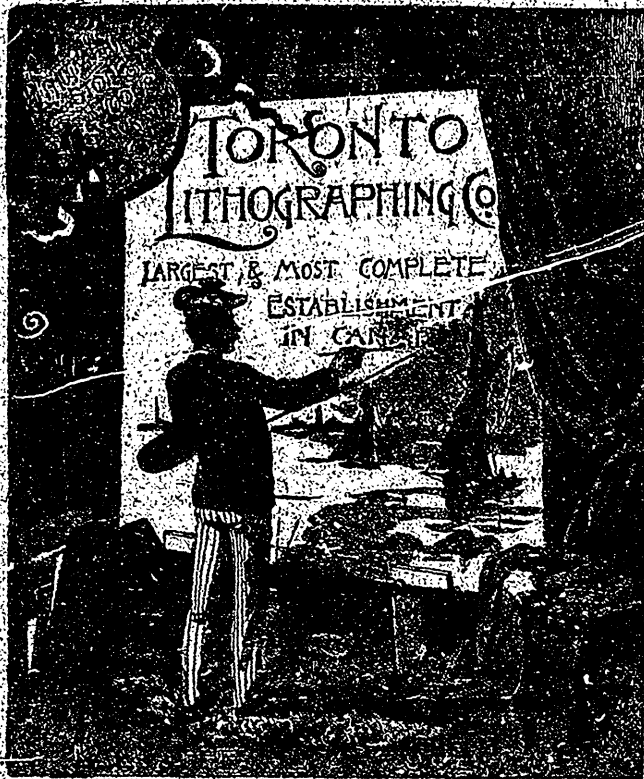
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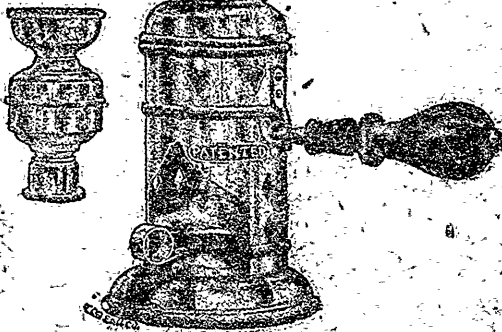
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