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WORKERS.

By Olive E. Dana.

Early and late and long a toiler wrought,
Spurred by the lovely visions haunting him ;
With patient care he strove their shapes to limn,
Though slowly grew each fair embodied thought.
Few were the friendly and the thoughtful eyes
That could his aim or purpose recognize.

But time went on, and men more plainly saw
The grace and beauty he would fain set forth ;
They knew at last its meaning and its worth,
Freer each year from blemish and from flaw.
They praised the work and all the large design ;
They bade him add, with courage, line to line.

And when his work was finished,—howsoe'er
It seemed to mock the visions glorified
That through the years had linger'd at his side,
It was so far beneath them,—cheer on cheer
Went up from stranger lip and friendly heart,
And all the world claimed in his work a part.

So do we all toil on, each in his place ;—
Above us each some blest ideal glows,
And on our work its inspiration throws,
Though men may see of it no faintest trace
In all the plain, dull tasks that fill our hands ;
Rare is the heart our aim that understands.

But as our lives go on, perchance appears
Some hint of the design we fain would weave ;
The deeper, holier purpose they perceive,—
The soul-light glimmers through the rifts of years ;
And men clasp hands, and urge each other on,
And say, " Those far, fair heights shall yet be won !

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PRESENTATION TO SENATOR REESOR

"AT HOME"

BY THE

Supreme Court, I. O. F., at Toronto.

On Wednesday evening, the 5th inst., the comfortable and home-like headquarters of the Independent Order of Foresters, which are situated in the Dominion Bank building, corner King and Yonge streets, Toronto, were filled to overflowing with the members of the Order and their friends, the occasion being a presentation to Senator Reesor, and an "At Home" by the I. O. F.

The following is a partial list of those present: Senator Reesor.

Mr. W. Reesor.

Oronhyatekha, M.D., S.C.R.; Mrs. and Miss Oronhyatekha.

John A. McGillivray, Q.C., Supreme Secretary, and Mrs. McGillivray.

William Griffith, S.V.C.R., Hamilton.

Ed. Botterell, P.S.C.R., Ottawa.

Dr. Thos. Millman, Supreme Physician, Toronto.

David Millar, H.V.C.R., Mrs. Millar, and Miss Edith W.

B. W. Greer, Supreme Auditor, London.

Thos. Lawless, Supreme Auditor, Toronto.

Mr. McMurtry, General Manager for Canada of the Mutual Reserve of New York.

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A. Oronhyatekha, D.S.C.R., Deseronto.

J. Hearn, High Counselor, Tottenham.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Rose, Mr. and Mrs. Green;

Mr. and Mrs. Milne; Mr. and Mrs. Baker; Mr. and Mrs. Cummer; Mr. and Mrs. Brown; Mr. and Mrs. Scobie; Mr. and Mrs. Grover; Mrs. and Miss Glover; Miss Gaylor; Mr. and Mrs. Kahrs; Mr. and Mrs. Butler; Dr. Little; Mr. D. Douglass; Dr. Rose; Mr. P. F. Carey; Dr. Forfar; Dr. Hodggets and others.

The proceedings began with the initiation of Senator Reesor as an honorary member, by the Supreme Chief Ranger, Dr. Oronhyatekha, assisted by the Supreme Executive, after which the company adjourned to Harry Webb's Restaurant, where they were regaled with all the good things of the season, the Supreme Chief Ranger, Dr. Oronhyatekha, presiding. Letters of regret were read by the Supreme Secretary as follows:

Ontario Institution for the Deaf and Dumb,
 SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
 BELLEVILLE, 4th Nov., 1890.

Dear Doctor:

Am sorry I cannot be with you to-morrow evening when you honor Senator Reesor, as he is a gentleman I very much respect, especially for his personal worth. Kindly accept my regrets. It does me good each month to read of the well-deserved progress of our Order.

Yours respectfully,

R. MATHISON,
 Deputy Supreme Chief Ranger.

Dr. Oronhyatekha, S.C.R.,

Toronto.

BOTHWELL, ONT., 4th Nov., 1890.

My Dear McGillivray:

I received the card from "Head Office" for the reception

and presentation to-morrow evening, for which accept my sincere thanks. I very much regret that I cannot be with you but my good wishes for a successful reception, and pleasant and sociable evening, are with you.

Yours fraternally,
W. R. HICKEY.

John A McGillivray, Esq., S.S.
Toronto.

Office of the High Secretary,
347 McLAREN STREET,
OTTAWA, 3d Nov., 1890.

My Dear Oronhyatekha :

Since writing you to-day, I have received your cordial invitation to attend the opening of the new offices of the Executive on Wednesday evening, and likewise witness the presentation of a gold-headed cane to Hon. Sena or Reesor.

In reply, you need no statement to intimate how very much I appreciate your kindness, and how exceedingly I regret unavoidable circumstances will prevent me being present, as it would have been a real pleasure for me to take part in so interesting proceedings.

Seeing I cannot be with you, permit me to express, in writing, my sincere desire that you, with the Supreme Secretary and Staff, may be long spared to occupy the new premises, finishing the work there even more prosperous than the wonderful record made in the offices vacated, reflecting credit on very efficient management, and the great Order of which you are deservedly the esteemed and honored Chief. With every good wish, believe me to be,

Fraternally yours,
JAMES B. HALKETT.

Oronhyatekha, M. D., S.C.R.
Toronto.

MANOTICK, 4th Nov., 1890.

My Dear Doctor :

Permit me to thank you for the favor of a card of invitation to the presentation to the Hon. Senator J. Reesor, to-morrow night. I exceedingly regret that I cannot be present and make one of the company on the interesting occasion. With kindest regards,

Believe me, faithfully yours, in L., B. and C.,
G. L. DICKINSON.

Oronhyatekha, S.C.R.
Toronto.

The Supreme Chief Ranger in a few very neat and appropriate sentences, which he knows so well how to use, presented the distinguished "new member," who was mainly instrumental in getting the I. O. F. incorporation Bill through the Senate, with a beautifully engraved Gold-Headed Cane.

Senator Reesor, in thanking the Order for the honor conferred, gave a short sketch of the splendid advancement made by the Independent Order of Foresters during the last few years, and in a few curt sentences described the society as one of the noblest among the many charitable Orders of the time. He considered it his duty to help the I. O. F. Bill through the Senate, believing that in doing so they were conferring a great boon on the vast middle class of our country, who required cheap insurance.

Elegant souvenir programmes were supplied each guest. The following is the list of toasts, etc. :

THE QUEEN.
God Save the Queen.

GOVERNOR-GENERAL AND LIEUT.-GOVERNOR.
Piano Solo—Miss Etta Chaunty.

CANADA—The land we live in.
Song—Mr. Chas. Baker.

HOUSE OF COMMONS AND LOCAL LEGISLATURE.
Song—Miss Florence Mabel Glover.

THE ORDER.
Song—Mrs. John A. McGillivray.

OUR GUEST.

Recitation—Miss Edith Wiley.

MAJOR AND CORPORATION.
Piano Solo—Miss Oronhyatekha.

HIGH COURT OF ONTARIO.
Song—Mr. John Oronhyatekha.

THE LEARNED PROFESSIONS.
Song—Miss Florence Mabel Glover.

THE COMMERCIAL INTERESTS.
Recitation—Mr. Theodore McGillivray.

THE ARMY AND NAVY.
Song—Miss Edith Wiley.

THE PRESS.
Song—Mr. McMurray.

THE LADIES.
Song—Mrs. J. A. McGillivray.

Gold Lang Spr.

Speeches in reply thereto were made by Brothers McGillivray, Botterell, Millar, Oronhyatekha, and others.

Songs, speeches and toasts followed each other in rapid succession, and when the closing song had been finished, there was not one of the large assembly but felt that he had spent one of the pleasantest nights of his life.

Foresters in a Social Sense

A well arranged literary and musical programme, with refreshments unlimited in quantity and the choicest in quality, combined to make a happy occasion, on Tuesday evening, 11th instant, at the pretty Lodge room of the Independent Order Foresters, over the Bank of Commerce, London, Ont. The members of Court Dufferin No. 4, were responsible for the entertainment, and if the above mentioned qualifications added to a large attendance and a good social time are essential to success, they certainly possessed it. Brother A. Aikman occupied the chair with dignity befitting the position, and made everybody welcome in his opening address. The following contributed to the general pleasure: Instrumental selection, Miss L. Jury; duet, Mrs. Griffith and Mr. H. Lennox; recitation, Miss Allen; song, Mr. Gibson; harmonica selection, Miss Smith; song, Miss M. Pratt; recitation, Mr. T. W. Crawford; song, Mr. James Jury; instrumental selection, Miss Boomer; song, Mr. J. W. Belcher; harmonica selection, Messrs. Wilkins, Bayley and Westbury; song, Rev. E. B. Lanceley; recitation, Miss Allen; song, Mr. Forsythe; instrumental, Pte. Hutchinson, "D" school; song, Chas. Richardson; song, Jas. Greenslade; harmonica selection, Miss Smith; song, Mr. Gibson. The various selections were executed in a manner creditable to performers. Mr. T. W. Crawford's clever recital brought down the house, so to speak, while Mr. J. W. Belcher, the popular young basso of the Dundas Street Center Methodist Church, sang in a magnificent voice, although he had just previously taken part in the St. Andrew's Service of Praise. Mr. David Millar, H.V.C.R. of Ontario, and Mr. C. C. Whale, Inspector and Organizer, were present from Toronto, and supported the Chairman by delivering short addresses. The Chairman was ably assisted by an efficient committee consisting of Brothers Pratt, Grey, Morrison, Padfield, Adcock, Crawford and others.

Where is This From?

The following will explain itself. When writing, state the name and number of your Court, always:

James McGillivray

SIR—There will be a change here before any one will remit. If this Lodge here is to be a success you will have to send some one here to start a new one and get in a class of people that will take some interest in things. The boys that belong to the Lodge are boys that keep on the street, and do not take an interest. There are only 8 or 9 that can depend on, and they don't care to belong to the Lodge unless it can be larger, more additions made. Let us hear from you in regard to some one coming here and placing the members and life into the old ones.

Yours,
T. A. STINSON.

Questions on Law.

Question.—On which side of the breast should badges be worn?

Answer.—Royal Foresters should wear their badges on the left breast, all others on the right breast.

ORONHYATEKHA, S.C.R.

Official Notice.

Brother N. F. Paterson, Q.C., High Chief Ranger of Ontario, has been pleased to make the following appointments:

J. T. Carson, Simcoe,	Provincial D.H.C.R.
J. W. Hamilton, Sarnia,	“ “
H. Forman, Collingwood,	“ “
Jas. Gadsby, Stratford,	“ “
R. McDonald, Guelph,	“ “
Geo. Kennedy, Brampton,	“ “
J. Foreman, Lambeth,	“ “
A. L. Chandler, Deseronto,	“ “
W. H. Dunlop, Thorndale,	“ “
W. J. Badder, Wallaceburg,	“ “
Geo. B. McDermott, Port Perry,	“ “

By order,
JAMES B. HALKETT,
High Secretary.

Billings Bridge Court, Near Ottawa.

On the 23rd October, 1890, organizer Thos. Butler, assisted by Brother R. E. Armstrong, P.D.H.C.R., instituted a fine Court at Billings Bridge, near Ottawa, and the following Thursday Brother E. Botterell, P. S.C.R., accompanied by Brother Halkett, H. Sec., and Thos. Potter, M.D., P.H. Phys., installed the following into office: Brothers W. E. Fairbairn, C. R.; Thos. A. Spratt, V.C.R.; W. F. Ellis, R.S.; B. Billings, F.S.; C. Blair, Treas.; W. Wood, Chap.; Dr. Thos. Potter, Phys.; W. E. Loper, S.W.; R. C. Hardy, J.W.; A. Ferguson, S.B.; John Preston, I. B.; and James Fenton, P.C.R. Erother F. Williams is recommended as C.D.H.C.R.

The medical examiner states the membership is as fine a body of men as he has ever examined, which coming from a physician of so great experience in such work speaks volumes. The installing officers were of the opinion that for a commencement it is one of the best Courts in the jurisdiction. Certainly Court Billings Bridge has been established under most

favorable auspices, and should have a bright future. Every Forester will join in wishing the newly initiated brethren much success.

Words of Cheer.

COURT MARQUETTE, No. 443,
MANITOBA.

I am glad to see the magnificent progress made by the Order. We are fairly prosperous, having already over 30 members and have four more to initiate.

F. A. MEYER,
C.D.S.C.R.

\$1,000.

WELFORD, KENT Co., N. B.
16th September, 1890.

To the Officers of the Supreme Court, Independent Order of Foresters:

GENTLEMEN,—I desire to express my sincere thanks for the cheque received this day of \$1,000, on Endowment Policy held by me as insurance on the life of my late husband, James T. McDermott.

More especially for the promptness displayed, only seventeen days having elapsed between death and payment of claim.

I remain, yours sincerely,
CATHARINE MCDERMOTT.

\$2,000.

EXETER, ONT., 4th Oct., 1890.

To the Officers and Members of Court Exeter, No. 123, I. O. F.:

DEAR SIRS.—Permit me to return through you my most sincere thanks to the Supreme Court, I. O. F., for the prompt payment of the Endowment held by my late husband, James Oke, my share thereof being \$1,000. I wish you every success in your noble work of Charity and Benevolence.

Yours sincerely,
MARY E. OKE.

I join in thanking you for the prompt payment to me of my share of the Endowment of my late father in your Order, being \$1,000. I take this opportunity of thanking you for the kindness manifested by the members of your Court in the time of our affliction.

Yours respectfully,
THOMAS OKE.

\$1,000.

HASTINGS, MICH., 11th Oct., 1890.

To the Officers of the Supreme Court of Independent Order of Foresters:

GENTLEMEN,—Permit me to express my most grateful thanks for the very prompt payment to me of the Endowment on the life of my late husband, George Simpson, amounting to \$1,000, within ten days of the death.

I also desire to thank the members of Court Hastings, No. 246, for their kindness and sympathy in my affliction.

I remain, yours sincerely,
MRS. EMMA SIMPSON.

\$1,000.

MADOC, 20th Oct., 1890.

To the Officers and Members of Court Madoc, No 377, I. O. F.:

Permit me to return through you my sincere thanks to the Supreme Court, I. O. F., for the prompt payment of the Endowment held by my late husband, John Hobertson.

Wishing your Order every success,

I am, yours respectfully,

SARAH J. HOBERTSON.

\$1,000.

CLINTON, 20th Oct., 1890.

To the Independent Order of Foresters:

I want to take this opportunity of acknowledging the receipt of \$1,000, being the amount of insurance on the life of my late husband in your society.

The prompt and satisfactory manner in which this has been paid shows that your society is entitled to all praise.

I also want to return my sincere thanks to the members of your Court for the many acts of kindness which I have received from their hands.

I am, yours respectfully,

EMMA JANE MILLAR.

\$1,000.

ELIZABETH, N. J., Oct., 1890.

To the Independent Order of Foresters:

Allow me to thank you for your promptness in paying the Endowment Policy of \$1,000, held by my husband, Conrad Sebold, and also \$50 for funeral expenses, which I received after his death.

I also take this opportunity of thanking the officers and members of Court Elizabeth, for their help and kindness through the great trial I have undergone.

Wishing your noble Order every success,

Yours faithfully,

MRS. SALOMEA SEBOLD.

\$1,000.

Permit me to express my most grateful thanks for the prompt payment of the Endowment on the life of my late husband. Also my heart overflows with gratitude, and I shall ever hold in grateful remembrance the many acts of kindness received during the sickness, death, and burial of my husband, from the Foresters of Court Oscoda, No. 285.

I am, yours respectfully,

MRS. W. T. THOMPSON.

No answer comes to those that pray,
And idly stand

And wait for stones to roll away
At God's command.

He will not break the binding cords
Upon us laid,

If we depend on pleading words,
And do not aid.

Correspondence.

COURT ROSEWOOD, No. 7
MONKTON, ONT., 6th Oct., 1890.

To the Editor of the Forester.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—We are glad to state we had a grand entertainment on Friday evening, 3rd October, with Brother C. H. Merryfield, D.D. H.C.R., in the chair. Rev. W. J. Brandon, Methodist minister, gave a very nice address on brotherhood, which was listened to with great attention. Brother C. C. Whale gave a grand address on Forestry and its objects, and we believe through Brother Whale's visit here, we will add a number of new members to our Court this winter. The Monkton choir was present and did their part well. The Mitchell Glee Club took part several times in the programme, and their music was a treat to all present. Mr. Mooney, Canada's greatest comic, took like wild fire. Mr. and Miss Francis, of Fullarton, were present, and were of good service. There were about two hundred present and all were much pleased with the evening's fun. The members of our Court are very much taken up with Brother C. C. Whale, and say he is the right man in the right place, and we congratulate the High Court on securing such a man for the position he holds. We have now 30 members in our Court, and we have a nice Court room in which we meet, and we rent the lower part of the building at \$24 per annum, and the best of it is we have a clear deed of the property and \$80 on hand, and no debt. This should be encouragement to other Courts in our country to try and deed a hall for their Courts, which can be done by keeping their shoulders to the wheel. God bless our beloved Order, and all our members, is the wish of every member of Court Rosewood. We trust the Independent Order of Foresters may go ahead in the future as it has in the past, then we shall be known as the largest society in the world, and we have no doubt that such will be the case, with such true men at the head of affairs Brother Oronhyatekha, S.C.R., with his officers, Brother Paterson, H.C.R., with his officers, are a credit to our Order, and we pray God to bless their labors, bless their families, and they will reap a rich reward in the life to come.

Yours in L., B. and C.,

JAMES WATTS, C.R.
H. FEATHERSTON, R.S.

GALT, ONT., 10th Oct., 1890.

To Dr. Oronhyatekha, M.D. S.C.R.:

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—The last few items I wrote to you to be inserted in THE FORESTER was to the effect that we were congratulating our Chief Ranger, Brother Jesse Welland, on his having taken to himself a wife to look after him, but I am sorry to say that the subject of our communication is this time of a sad nature. One of our Brothers, Jas. C. McEwan, has just lost his wife, by death. He is left behind with a number of small children which is a big charge for him to bear.

To-day, Friday, at 2 o'clock, quite a few of the brethren met at the house of mourning of our Brother to show their deep regard for him, and to show sympathy for him in his sore affliction.

At our regular meeting on Thursday evening, the 9th of October, the following resolution of condolence was passed unanimously by our Court:

It was moved by Brother John Black, seconded by Brother Frank J. Bailey, that
 Whereas—It has pleased the Supreme Rule, of the Universe to remove by death the beloved wife of our esteemed brother Jas. C. McEwan,

Resolved—That we, the members of this Court, being fully sensible of the great loss sustained by our beloved brother, we desire to express to him our deep sympathy in his severe bereavement. Be it therefore,

Resolved—That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to Brother McEwan, and to THE INDEPENDENT FORESTER for publication.

I might also inform you that our Juvenile Court here, Court Harmony, No. 2, I. O. F., is in a flourishing condition at the present time. We are receiving new applications nearly every evening, and we had the extreme pleasure at our last regular meeting of initiating into the mysteries of the Juvenile Court our Chief Ranger, Brother Jesse Welland. He stood the racket pretty well, considering that he is so bashful a young man. It is the custom in Court Harmony, No. 2, when any distinguished individual travels the circuit of our Court, to invite him to make a speech before he leaves the room, which I am happy to say Brother Welland did to the satisfaction of all present. We have a membership of about 40 members in the Juvenile Court, and quite a number of the members have received benefit from the Court through sickness, which they seem to appreciate very much. We intend holding an open meeting in the Caledonian Hall, in connection with the Juvenile Court, on Tuesday evening, the 14th October.

The Juvenile members are principally providing the programme, and by all accounts it will be a decided success. Brother John Hancock is to occupy the chair on that occasion, he being the Worthy Commander for the ensuing term. By the by, Court Valley City, No. 73, is still booming, and no doubt will continue to do so in spite of all opposition. Applications for membership are received every night of meeting. With all the different societies that there are in this grand little town, the I. O. F. is taking the lead.

Yours fraternally,
 ALEX. J. WILSON, R.S.

COURT SYLVA, No. 76, I. O. F.
 COURTWRIGHT, 17th Oct., 1890.

To Dr. Oronhyatekha, S.C.R., Editor of Independent Forester:

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—I do not think our Court has forwarded you many communications of their doings, so I send you a few lines about our good and welfare. I think our Court is in better shape now than any time since I joined it, and just lately the members have been increased materially by quite a number of new ones, and all seem anxious to increase the efficiency of our Court and promote harmony. I have only one matter to speak of with regret, and that is the loss to the Court of Brother Couse, C.D.H.C.R., who has been removed from customs duties here to the more important point of Sarnia.

Brother Couse called us together to take leave of us all, and the Court took advantage of the occasion to present him with a silver-headed ebony cane, inscribed with the I. O. F. initials, and also with the appended address, which formally expresses our request at his withdrawal.

THE ADDRESS.

COURTWRIGHT, 4th October, 1890.

To Mr. J. A. Couse, C.D.H.C.R.:

We, the members of Court Sylva, take this opportunity to request you with this cane and brief address, and we assure

you that it is with much regret that we learn of your intended early departure from our midst.

Having been a trusted and active member of our Court your absence will be noticed when you have taken your departure. But we trust that your removal may prove beneficial to you and your family, physically and financially, and that you may often look back with unmingled pleasure upon the days spent here in friendly associations with the members of this Court.

And may you when using this cane enjoy its usefulness and remember the friends here who each and all sincerely desire that you and yours may live long and die happy.

Signed on behalf of Court Sylva, No. 76,

Yours in L., B. and C.

MILTON DAY, C.R.
 T. H. CARTER, F.S.
 R. S. F. YOUNG, R.S.
 W. N. WOOD, V.C.R.
 C. F. NOYLE.
 J. HASKELL.

With all good wishes for the success of our Order.

Yours in L., B. and C.,

RICH. S. F. YOUNG, R.S.

COURT CITY CAME, No. 462, I. O. F.

MCADAM, N. B., 1st Nov. 1890.

To Oronhyatekha, S.C.R., and Editor of Independent Forester:

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—I thought possibly a few words concerning the history of our Court, from the date of institution to the present time, might be of some interest to you and to many of the readers of THE INDEPENDENT FORESTER, consequently if you may deem them fit for publication you can do so at your leisure. Now to begin: The first thing to be considered is the geographical position of our village. As you are, no doubt, aware the most important junction of the N. B. Division of the great C. P. Railway system is centered here. Unfortunately the land for miles around is very barren and rocky, huge granite boulders to the eye everywhere appearing, thereby robbing the place of any enterprise other than that which now predominates, viz., a railway centre.

To the east we are thirteen miles from the nearest village and to the west we are six miles, that being the boundary line between Maine and New Brunswick. We have no highways whatever, no road, only that upon which the Iron Horse travels, the only means of ingress and egress, therefore you will readily perceive the great isolation of the place. The resident population of our village is about two hundred, increased by about the same number of transient workingmen, who at the end of each week repair to their respective homes in different parts of the Province, to return again on the first of the following week. Now to our Court: There appeared among us one day last January an agent of the Foresters, in the person of A. P. Sherwood, Esq., who by his gentlemanly demeanor and extreme sociability readily made many friends. He soon began a solicitation among us to take advantage of the very cheap insurance and of the great benefits to be derived from the Independent Order of Foresters; consequently as we were all railway employes, and were, up to that time paying very heavy premiums for insurance and benefits, he found no trouble in securing names enough to warrant him in instituting a Court.

Accordingly on the 24th day of last January a Court consisting of 20 Charter members was organized. A few of the Charter members soon began to canvass for membership, but the Order began to speak for itself, as one after another began to reap the benefits, the proposal as for membership commenced to increase at each succeeding regular meeting until at the end of six months, despite all the dis-

advantages under which we labored, our membership had increased two-fold, and names are still coming in for membership.

I might here say that at the institution of our Court we were minus one of the most essential elements in connection with a Court of Foresters, viz., that of a Court Physician, there being no resident medical practitioner in the place. However, in a short time, with the assistance of good Brother Sherwood, the obstacle was soon surmounted by us in securing the services of Dr. M. L. Young, of Vanceboro, Me., resident six miles to the west of us, and medical doctor of that place. Thus through his great kindness and consideration, coupled with the noble efforts of Brother Sherwood and of the members of the Court, we were fortunate in getting a Court Physician, and to him, in a large measure, we owe much of the present success of our Court.

In conclusion, allow me to say, under all existing circumstances we are proud of our Court, and justly proud of being connected with such a great and cheap benefit institution as the Independent Order of Foresters, and I sincerely hope that the noble Order, both for the rich man and poor man, may abundantly flourish.

Yours in L., B. and C.,
W. F. VAN BUREN,
C.D.H.C.R.

KIPPEN, 5th November, 1890.

Dr. Oronhyatekha, S.C.R., Toronto:

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—On behalf of Court Kippen, No. 468, I hereby beg to tender you our sincere thanks for sending to us so able and efficient an officer as Brother C. C. Whale, through whose efforts and instructions our Court was raised from a state of chaos into a regular working Court.

Without his assistance our Court would shortly have been numbered among the things of the past, but now we are in excellent working order, and during the coming winter expect to boom things lively, as all our members are now feeling confident, and success is almost assured.

Yours in L., B. and C.,
D. WEISNULLER, C.R.

Notes.

Brother Wm. Ward, of Court Elsworth, No. 528, Luther, Mich., met (a few days ago) with a sad bereavement in the loss of his little son, by drowning.

Brother C. A. Dutton, Financial Secretary of Court Famous, No. 621, Moes River had, on the 5th inst., his arm broken between the elbow and shoulder, by the kick of a horse. Court Physician R. A. D. King, was called, who examined and dressed the arm. Brother Dutton is doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

Dr. Oronhyatekha, casting a far-away look directly over the head of Mr. Joseph Jamieson, M.P., Monday evening in the Opera Hall, Carleton Place, said, with a native simplicity that made the audience gasp and explode and choke and roar again: "The Foresters, you know, have fine medical service. When a man who is not a Forester comes to me for advice I charge him one dollar for examining his tongue; but when a Member of Parliament comes, I charge him five dollars, because he is generally a man of unclean tongue."—*Ex.*

We take pleasure in calling attention to the Canadian Savings Loan and Building Association, with head offices in Toronto. Their system of doing work has met with most gratifying success and is profitable both to the investor and the borrower. The well known character of the Board of Management is a guarantee that it will be pushed with commendable energy. The Managing Director is Brother David Millar, High Vice Chief Ranger of Ontario.

The November number of *The Old Homestead*, a literary and domestic monthly published by Davis Bros., Savannah, Ga., U. S. A., is now ready. It contains forty large pages of original stories, sketches, poems, essays, etc. Its household department, handsomely illustrated fashion page, children's corner, select music, and premium list, together with its complete and serial stories, make the publication eagerly sought by people of all nationalities and sections. There is no one line in its columns that will offend delicate tastes, and the matter throughout is carefully freed from sensational effects. The subscription price, unlike the costly magazines, is very low, being only \$1 a year. Send for sample copy, free. Davis Bros., publishers, Savannah, Ga., U. S. A.

Lines to Brother Whale.

'Tis with pleasure we hail
To our shore Brother Whale,
Tho' a small shoal of fishes we be,
Yet it may some surprise
That we fear not his size,
For we all dwell in L., B. and C.

CHORUS OF FINNY TRIBE.

Yes, we all dwell in L., B. and C,
As all fish of this Order should be,
For we fear not the whale,
As he cannot assail
And swallow a Jonah you see.

It is true that his spout
Puts the old liners out,
Who for safety, doth steal 'neath a ridge,
But for us little try,
If there danger be nigh,
We will hide neatl' the old Falcon bridge.

CHORUS.

We will call on the Hewer to see
That its timbers from weakness are free,
Then we know that the whale,
'Gains' the bridge can't prevail,
While its three piers are L., B. and C.

Now, farewell, Brother Whale,
May no harpoons assail
Thy voyage o'er lifes changing sea,
Oh! long may thy breath
Keep alive the O. F.,
And bind them in L., B. and C.

CHORUS.

Tho' you meet naughty fish by the score,
And oft run on an unpleasant shore,
Happy, joyous and free,
May thy life ever be,
Till thy last trip of spouting is o'er.

Yours in L., B. and C.,

SAMUEL COD.

Aberfoyle, 25th Oct., 1890.

Supreme Secretary's Statement for the Month of October, 1890.

				RECEIPTS.							
No. of Members	Name of Court	No. of Court	Endow't Assmnt.	S. & F. Benefit.	General Fund.	No. of Members	Name of Court	No. of Court	Endow't Assmnt.	S. & F. Benefit.	General Fund.
163	Elizabeth	1	\$159 06		\$ 50	37	Robin Hood	84	40 63	\$10 79	
72	Hope	1	77 76	\$22 39	86	26	Ontario	85	85 57		\$ 0
59	Beaver	3	65 83	24 34	9 00	59	Union	86	78 10	6 17	
121	Stormont	3	114 52	34 66		64	Midland	87	68 23	7 60	3
144	Dufferin	4	136 38	28 97		23	Rosedale	88	17 40	5 93	
26	Myrtle	4	26 07	13 16	1 50	8	Bonnechore	89	6 53		
102	McGregor	6	92 28	37 77	3 00	20	Olive Branch	90	21 07	3 93	2 00
72	Mt. Royal	6	73 02	8 19	7 00	22	Hillsboro	91	24 21	4 67	
64	Forest City	8	52 94	20 10		26	Hazel	92	32 59		
32	Kingsville	9				15	Deseronto	93	92 80	37 50	5 00
128	Victoria	10	153 80	23 14	5 00	90	Petitcodiac	94	61 33	8 63	6 50
24	Royal Oak	11	12 57	3 93		63	Collingwood	95	53 26	7 25	
114	Welcome	12	105 39	41 41	3 50	18	Lorne	96	16 01		
56	Winnipeg	13	74 91	2 74	2 09	27	Lisgar	97	20 07	8 35	
38	Crediton	14	33 17	3 10		88	Harwich	98	82 65	33 32	22 00
81	Cobourg	15	79 33	21 41	3 40	47	Tyrconnell	99	92 21	1 51	
26	Fitzroy	16	20 91		4 09	22	Albert	100	25 49	3 51	
34	Elora	17	32 53	10 32		30	Gordon Falls	101	28 24	6 59	3 00
16	Springfield	18	18 44			55	Acadia	102	46 85	13 91	3 00
79	Keewauin	19	79 99	34 59	2 00	40	Walootook	103	30 34	8 97	2 00
20	St. Clair	20	17 92	2 80		39	Columbia	104	33 12		
18	Wellington	21	16 02			16	Londonerry	105	13 87	1 20	12
78	Fergus	22	67 65	44 43		46	Haldimand	106	40 96	6 26	
133	Oroonhyatohka	23	183 48	12 93	1 00	95	Seguin	107	77 25	30 89	3 00
67	Kennebecasis	24	63 15	14 37		15	Hiawatha	108	17 32	8 15	
63	Pr. Alexandria	25	46 47	27 14	16 00	29	Evangeline	109	35 69	6 35	3 00
59	Pr. Alexandria	26	57 49	18 26		18	Stanley	110	17 68	3 39	
40	Jubilee	27	66 63	28 51	3 00	67	Durham	111	66 74	20 60	
28	Bruce	28	48 31	8 60	3 00	41	Equity	112	50 31	5 89	
85	Elgin	29	79 98	11 44	2 00	34	Pearl	113	21 16	18 50	
20	Napanee	30	19 89		2 00	76	Royal Jubilee	114	73 35	8 62	4 00
44	Rideau	31	51 95			24	Admiral Digby	115	36 46	3 57	4 00
34	Mt. Sherwood	32	30 04			32	Welland	116	38 66	3 55	
41	Molra	33	62 22	3 23		39	Bad Axe	117	32 47	12 00	2 00
27	Intervale	34	19 97	8 08		25	Locksley	118	22 91		3 00
26	Long Beach	35	20 57			8	Bear River	119	10 68		
5	Springbrook	36	5 15			55	York	120	55 71	19 25	
81	Guelph	37	79 50	20 32	02	93	Loyalist	121	98 82	32	
14	Thames	38	13 51	6 24	1 40	30	Sissiboo	122	31 27		
67	Amity	39	78 68	20 39		60	Exeter	123	66 19	1 08	3 00
25	Gler	40	25 00	5 75		26	Stellar	124	26 21		
285	Ottawa	41	36 10	7 04	3 50	43	La Tour	125	46 38	30	4 00
65	Petrola	42	70 06	22 67		158	Northern Light	127	175 07		8 00
62	Sydenham	43	67 92	38 51	6 09	4	Crescent	128	24 83	54	
110	Washington	44	93 07		8 50	11	Hirtle	129	9 41	2 58	1
66	Shelburne	45	70 19			13	Mizpah	130			
53	Oxford	46	40 15	14 23		18	Jewel	131	16 34	5 41	
60	Erie	47	61 29	20 20		10	Middleton	132	7 37	1 77	
6	Northern Star	48	5 13			61	Credit	133	59 93	7 64	3 00
12	Russell	49	9 35			31	Progress	134	25 77		8 00
41	Alliston	50	45 49	44		72	Manitou	135	82 71	11 15	9 00
36	Puslinch	51	26 45	10 75			St. Anthony	136	88		
16	Brunswick	52	18 23			34	Milton	137	53 94	1 21	
68	Canada	53	76 95	21 81	1 40	42	Jarvis	138	34 71	12 64	6 00
39	Enterprise	54	36 37	9 93		72	Millicote	139	85 37	15 74	
103	Sarnia	55	121 96	30 43	3 00	20	Algoma	140			
74	Hopewell	56	15 02			27	Alexandra	141	27 03		
19	Harmony	57	30 17	11 41		36	Carp	142	28 96	33	01
37	Protection	58	27 91	31		48	Lambeth	143	39 73	10 02	6 00
380	Frontenac	59	382 74	57 59	3 50	73	Manotick	144	69 23		
22	Maple Leaf	60	23 51	6 71	63	95	St. Marys	145	88 49	17 07	
31	University	61	28 00	8 72	17 00	44	Rockland	146			
74	Oak Leaf	62	61 75	20 98		40	Fulford	147	55 65	19 91	
13	Grand River	63	13 29	1 48		72	Saugeen	148	63 49	20 88	
36	Garnet	64	35 08	9 53	1 00	103	Prince Albert	149	104 50	37 50	6 50
39	Eureka	65	31 95	8 85		63	Happy Retreat	150	32 99	8 92	3 00
56	Queen City	66	78 18	5 72		21	Langdon	151	18 94		
87	Alvinston	67	84 71	8 93	2 00	50	Gen. Gordon	152	45 46	17 76	
73	Thamesford	68	60 78	8 91	3 00	37	Belmont	153	39 03	8 26	9 00
68	Woodstock	69	79 79	11 56		79	Berlin	154	72 13	24 90	6 00
16	Concord	70	20 11	5 04	4 49	196	Maple	155	194 41	67 98	
66	Moncton	71	73 33	9 33	4 00	134	Parkhill	156	117 94	28 44	2 00
29	Rosewood	72	25 36	2 26	34	53	Ivy	157	47 11	69	6 00
116	Valley City	73	103 73	36 22	5 00	38	Forest Queen	158	28 59	12 13	
55	Southampton	74	46 28	2 98		57	Tunnel	159	60 98	7 76	4 00
13	Credit Valley	75	8 32	42	2 00	20	Putnam	160	18 49	7 76	11 00
29	Sylva	76	25 28	7 75	4 00	29	Summervale	161	26 87	10 12	6 01
27	Oil City	77	27 14	9 14		36	Carleton	162	33 76	99	2 50
146	Mississippi	78	135 47	48 65	7 00	67	Huron	163	74 50	25 14	26 00
83	Excelsior	79	106 52	11 10	1 00	75	Dresden	164	85 34	10 97	
39	Beaconsfield	80	46 86			26	Miramichi	165			
44	Madawaska	81	70 23	2 93	2 00	89	Simcoe	166	85 29	13 65	
44	Javenport	82	39 75	11 29	8 00	37	Toronto	167	85 96	10 47	
21	Sidney	83	24 97	5 17		27	Brant	168	55 14	4 54	

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92	River Speed	169	\$ 78 06	\$ 7 70		30	Eglinton	255	\$39 51	1 74	
61	Hamilton	170	68 83	9 05		7	Mystic	279	36 59	9 94	
17	Clayton	171	19 10		\$ 4 00	32	Doon	280	29 77	8 13	\$15 00
34	Garden City	172	39 72	3 23		19	Michigan	261	17 18	3 29	
51	Black Knight	173	39 65	13 79		34	Sts. of Mackinaw	262	39 35	1 09	
4	Nelson	174	42 75	4 18		18	Benevolence	263	17 30	4 13	
13	Ethel	175	10 39		3 00	6	Pleasant	264	17 30		
29	Cookshire	176	29 42	10 31	8 00	57	Pembroke	265	49 30	22 00	21 00
105	Pcton	177	48 55	23 20		27	Herbert	266	34 70		
43	Glenmorris	178	35 55	13 53		32	Marion	267	28 75	8 70	50
25	Port Perry	179	42 71	88	9 50	41	Harbor	268	46 90	21 16	23 12
45	Fidelity	180	37 90	17 67		83	Balmoral	269	123 53	22 65	9 00
29	Lindsay	181	34 91	7 46		10	Prospect	270			
53	Phoenix	182	35 80	8 41		6	Pontiac	271	5 12		50
54	Mount Brydges	183	45 42	17 28	3 00	21	Bellevue	272	18 22	1 41	3 00
34	Butternut Ridge	184	29 63	1 19	4 00	43	Croswell	273	39 65	17 45	5 45
46	Beaverton	185	50 72	6 65		10	Albion	274	8 29	66	
34	Rock Glen	186	81 24	7 65	4 00	24	Cedar	275	34 91		
117	Desmond	187	155 06	2 18	7 00	19	Shawville	276	17 21	1 07	
68	Aurora	188	68 54	9 94		17	Bryson	277	16 09	78	
13	Florence	189	15 01	2 81	5 86	80	Iosca	278	77 64	27 12	3 00
31	Salisbury	190	35 74	38		30	Eganville	279	30 94	5 38	2 00
14	Success	191	15 17	4 52	3 22	10	Lachute	280	10 54	2 32	
65	Theford	192	61 72	1 14	1 00	78	Harvard	281	76 79		4 00
47	Peelless	193	45 13	16 95		43	St. Marks	282	36 29	1 01	7 00
20	Denfield	194	33 24	9 08		20	St. Albans	283	25 04	52	
23	Waterdown	195	27 83	7 11	1 00	27	Cuyuga	284	27 30	1 38	
54	Sauble	196	173 99	40 26		132	Oscoda	285	117 10	40 31	14 50
13	Shakespeare	197	9 46	4 31		41	Windsor Mills	286	43 23	16 56	3 69
36	Refuge	198	45 53	5 11		20	Mount McKay	287	16 01	1 99	
36	Triumph	200	32 20	6 61		44	Britannia	288	47 89	36	5 00
25	Ruby	201	28 2	7 30		55	Au Sable	289	53 78	18 46	6 09
36	Chautauqua	202	36 01			52	Shefford	290	42 76	29 63	9 00
26	Kars	203	31 28	1 88		17	Eyesache	291	12 50	4 67	
5	Onagondy	204				71	Yamaska	292	61 80	24 54	
30	La Have	205	41 49			50	Alpena	293	46 97	9 40	9 00
29	Onaway	206	56 29	1 44		27	Oshawa	294	31 84	1 10	
29	Lucan	207	31 83	6 46		34	Calgary	295	39 11	6 17	8 00
42	Blenheim	208	49 89	4 81	12 00	18	Aberfoyle	296	13 48	5 75	3 00
10	May Flower	209	10 35			3	Fortune	297	31 87	9 79	
12	Clare	210	9 27			16	Cold Brook	298	25 69	10 42	
29	Tilbury	211	23 59	2 90		28	Missisquoi	299	14 05	2 65	
81	Royal	212	82 31	31 03		23	Maple Ridge	300	27 94	1 78	
15	Lansdowne	213	9 11			33	Rock	301	38 47	7 96	
74	Kemptville	214	77 26	5 99		31	Burns	302	26 04	1 43	4 00
10	Minnowawa	215	13 98			28	Bedford	303	24 96	3 71	50
10	Amherstburg	216	10 44			14	Sutton	304	16 59	3 88	
33	Gower	217	33 07	2 69		52	Eden Mills	305	48 65	15 52	2 00
15	Sylvan	218	12 28	69		65	Bay City	306	52 71	19 20	3 25
8	St. Lawrence	219	7 20	1 18	02	18	Willowdale	307	15 48	2 56	
41	Clifton	220	45 05	9 38		62	Bolton	308	75 27	44	
27	Ridgetown	221	29 46	65	1 17	12	Garfield	309	13 01		
13	City of the Valley	222	16 04	86		14	Hopeful	310	10 72		
28	St. John	223	28 98			16	Boyl Heights	311			
99	Stadacona	224	167 14	6 31		98	Buckeye	312	81 26		
17	Lincoln	225	17 92	5 56		53	Liberty	313	47 63	18 30	4 00
21	Winona	226	17 01	4 38		40	Queen Victoria	314	36 61	2 12	2 00
27	Niagara	227	41 22	71	3 00	14	Sweinmote	315	11 01		
24	Shuniah	228	25 72	4 64	7 00	21	Meadowvale	316	15 10	10 00	
52	Laurentian	229	68 72	34		53	Eastman	317	38 83	27 50	01
19	Empress	230	19 09	3 99		46	Resort	318	42 63		4 00
16	Dunnville	231	19 48	40		32	Valens	319	26 13	9 29	
143	Valley	232	156 97	14 95	4 00	11	Magog	320	5 11		
75	Pelham	233	11 42	2 42		17	Brucefield	321	13 12	2 21	2 00
70	Richmond	234	65 40			12	Leaskdale	322	3 34		
62	Selkirk	235	53 23	19 16		26	International	323	33 23	1 18	4 00
20	Raymond	236	17 61	6 63		4	Masonville	324	5 97		
7	Otter Valley	237	5 35	9 91		35	Presque Isle	325	38 60		5 00
5	Monck	238	3 31	1 39		88	Miranda	326	79 83	27 95	45 00
72	Flint	239	76 34	5 68		23	Ivanhoe	327	20 50	31	2 00
23	St. James	240	27 05			30	Dover	328	22 24	69	
41	Spadina	241	46 61	5 50	4 00	20	Stouffville	329	15 93		4 60
56	Rock	242	47 57	9 85		45	Buckingham	330	43 59	88	
34	Bracebridge	243	33 81	8 04		18	Thurso	331	12 90		
11	Grahenhurst	244	15 02	3 12		25	Markham	332	26 10	31	
48	Tamarac Grove	245	39 76	6 25	2 00	20	Trent	333			
13	Hastings	246	11 92			9	Warkworth	334	11 46		
68	Lansing	247	98 53	1 33	35 00	8	Bonnie Doon	335	9 06	1 87	
37	Relief	248	34 88	4 51		46	Flower City	336	37 62	15 15	3 00
18	Allenford	249	13 08	6 55		69	Vassar	337	60 88	21 98	3 60
28	Eagle	250	29 54	22 64	11 09	28	Charlotteville	338	29 11	2 79	
53	Argyle	251	47 59	10 26	8 00	20	Unity	339	18 13	6 32	
22	Kinburn	252	23 26			18	Danville	340	15 34	6 40	2 68
22	Goderich	253	14 81	1 31	7 09	32	Coaticook	341	23 06	10 21	
58	Progressive	254	45 85		2 00	22	Seaforth	342	17 18		
25	Woodham	255	20 77	68		6	Marble City	343			
56	Caledonia	256	67 58	9 56		172	Lafayette	344	121 69		
15	Greenwood	257	13 61	1 26		29	Waverley	345	26 31	10 39	
						31	Zephyr	346	22 06	1 10	5 90

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30	Burrard	347	\$ 58 75	\$ 1 29		22	Enlay	436	\$28 58	\$ 8 14	
19	Leisure Hour	348	21 69	2 52		25	Cusselman	437	24 37	8 22	
28	Riverside	349	26 11	3 40		28	Santa Monica	438	21 37		
25	Weidmann	350	22 04	9 41		22	Pomona	439	15 14		
13	Actonvale	351	14 57	4 36		18	Colton	440	16 59		\$ 2 00
31	Cannington	352	31 20	6 66		48	Kcmt	441	46 84	12 59	3 00
21	Tittabawasse	353	18 10	7 58		32	Little John	442	26 27	3 87	5 00
48	Mason	354	44 85		\$ 2 00	17	Watford	443	27 90	8 17	7 00
27	Fremont	355	24 36			49	Rescue	444	7 83	65	4 00
21	Pride of Akron	356	20 51			24	Lyon	445	45 21	13 60	6 00
30	Osceola	357	32 69	5 78	3 00	22	San Bernardino	446	26 93	7 98	1 00
34	Signal	358	41 36	5 83		18	Tyre	447	30 88	3 36	4 00
13	Appui	359	9 65	99		13	Buctouche	448	15 13	2 19	2 00
106	Schomber	360	100 64	1 14	4 00	36	East Toronto	449	13 28	2 94	6 00
13	Bannerberg	361	10 64			17	California	450	49 51	14 94	4 00
19	Osgoode	362	18 23	80		4	Gratitude	451	21 43		
33	Kings City	363	38 31			3	Minnesota	452	7 54		
31	Oakwood	364	25 32	36		30	Lucknow	453	14 58		
40	Star	365	34 39	1 15		9	Camden Place	454	27 86	36	
34	Kings	366	31 51	5 10	3 00	9	Minnehaha	455			
18	Tara	367				19	Amadore	456			
16	Frederick	368	8 42			28	San Deigo	457	18 63		
34	Franklin	369	30 67	8 18	1 00	42	Buffalo	458			
23	Maple City	370	22 31	3 28		48	Clandeboye	459	79 29	12 32	
40	Gananoque	371	40 72	2 53		39	City Camp	460	30 45	13 39	
37	Ewart	372	42 15	11 59	1 00	6	San Jacinto	461	7 90	2 46	
18	Glen Payne	373	14 74	1 41		19	Maurice	462	31 18	6 42	3 25
35	Avon	374	29 01	11 56	3 00	43	Watertown	463	51 50	10 01	1 00
51	Island City	375	68 73	41		34	Downer	464	25 58	11 28	
56	Carnival	376	55 85	23 42	3 00	19	Occident	465	34 72		
22	Madoc	377	25 08	2 46		12	Kippen	466	28 88		
22	Seabright	378	23 36	1 62		13	Metropolitan	467	12 86	1 57	
64	Gratiot	379	60 28	22 26	13 50	22	Clinton	468	17 39	2 41	
18	Wabun	380	13 90	2 45		21	Temecula Valley	469			
36	Rapids	381	35 52			21	Parliament	470	17 45	7 81	
44	Lebanon	382	56 04	2 06	4 00	28	Nil Desperandum	471	33 92	11 17	25 50
17	Tupperville	383				24	Perris Valley	472	15 42	75	03
45	Perth	384	67 32	2 07		27	Minto	473	37 33		4 00
12	Upham	385	11 22	2 49		13	Priceville	474	9 21	3 88	
22	Grant	386			39 96	13	Leonard	475	15 42	3 87	
72	Genesee	387	41 67	25 90		24	Pacific	476	34 03	2 43	2 10
42	Elmsley	388	47 23	7 11		7	Drayton	477	5 60		
17	Lec	389	15 82	6 67		18	Cape Vincent	478	11 55		
45	Logan	390	35 65	41 91	6 00	14	Dakota	479			
36	Monroe	391	27 03	9 83	6 00	14	Park River	480	12 16		05
37	Tamworth	392	33 35	7 09	8 00	25	Forest River	481	11 25	36	1 00
24	Anchor	393	26 30	10 83		20	San Pedro	482			
13	Shediac	394	13 19	7 71		24	Mistletoe	483	20 63	6 01	6 00
30	Advance	395	22 32	7 42		4	Santa Barbara	484	9 24		
39	Tecumseh	396	68 31	18 44		34	Orange Grove	485			
14	Elmira	397	18 45	3 31		23	Anahiem	486			
25	Lord Stanley	398	17 60	2 51	3 60	17	Downey	487	15 92		
24	Yale	399	18 90	7 11		20	Dexter	488	18 61	2 46	1 00
18	St. Thomas	400	19 79	10 74		15	Whittier	489	20 65		
27	Gore	401	24 05	83		12	Paulding	490	11 61	37	
9	Custer	402	15 84	1 60		26	Grand Forks	491	25 78		5 30
16	Windfall	403	13 43	4 32		46	Saginaw	492	61 28	2 72	
18	Brighton	404	26 92			19	Forfar	493	15 05	1 82	
14	Sanilac	405	16 60	33		12	Ardoch	494	9 48		2 00
34	Wolfe	406	29 23	8 19		13	Emerado	495	10 91	63	
20	Melbourne	407	14 81	2 25	2 00	19	Lymc	496	21 26	1 18	
8	Freelton	408	11 07	1 31		15	Americus	497	13 57	68	
47	Hudson	409	85 97		3 00	17	Lisbon	498	25 55		
21	Unison	410	17 44	7 31	50	18	Theresa	499	43 66	3 02	
20	Peck	411	25 13	4 43		16	Philadelphia	500	15 94		
52	Pyramid	412	49 55	33 26		23	Brantford	501	19 91	5 96	5 00
11	Darlington	413				37	Commercial	502	59 30	1 12	10 00
30	Sanilac Centre	414	25 73	8 40		30	Wingham	503	27 59	70	
24	Dashwood	415	22 94			41	Caro	504	33 72	15 36	27 00
103	Orient	416	131 36	9 48	3 00	19	Hazeldean	505			
32	Newburg	417	27 71	3 59		29	St. Andrews	506	26 27	4 69	
25	Lake View	418	19 82	9 05		33	Moosejaw	507	39 50	5 54	3 00
14	Farewell	419	9 58	4 83	2 00	31	Temple	508			
9	Wallace	420				11	Crandin	509	8 44		
23	Reynolds	421				17	Ogdensburg	510	13 03	32	
10	Los Angeles	422	16 25	36	6 00	7	Iena	511	5 51	67	
7	Grover	423	14 78	3 46		36	Shawnee	512	50 91	4 91	
27	Odessa	424	24 94	1 39		10	Gardner	513			
25	Copper Cliff	425				10	Fort Abercrombie	514	2 68		
53	Applegate	426	43 81	19 84	3 00	16	Monrovia	515			
15	Brandon	427	38 26	7 27	6 24	30	Fairview	516	56 20		4 00
81	Universal	428	72 56	30 81	9 50	17	Rochester	517	14 20	4 15	3 00
36	Hampton	429	100 39	4 71	7 00	9	Olean	518	14 88		
37	Minden	430	43 48	2 46		24	Walkerton	519	23 76	1 91	
36	Fores't Home	431	43 31	6 61		49	Mayville	520	40 38	10 73	
41	Cairnsmore	432	43 15	1 44	2 00	16	Valley Field	521	11 77	3 57	5 00
24	Pride of Barton	433	20 16	8 68	27 00	42	Winchester	522	53 79		60
33	Twced	434	38 53	5 42		16	Redondo	523	17 61	34	
44	Mentor	435	42 74	16 56	9 00						

No. of Members	Name of Court.	No. of Court.	Endow't Assm't.	S. & F. Benefit.	General Fund.	No. of Members	Name of Court.	No. of Court.	Endow't Assm't.	S. & F. Benefit.	General Fund.
44	Seattle	526	\$ 47 24	\$10 88	\$ 5 50	7	Coldwater	616			
36	Crosby	527	42 51	9 92	1 00	10	Lompoc	617			
19	Ellsworth	528	20 22	6 03	2 00	12	Hueneme	618	\$19 02		\$ 2 00
124	Waldono	529	142 46	11 23	5 00	24	Vineyard	619			
20	Lion Heart	531				15	Saticoy	620	16 25		
25	Morris Vineyard	532				18	Famous	621	14 96	\$ 5 02	7 00
13	Norwalk	533	14 26			22	Portsmouth	622			
6	Glendora	534	6 05			20	Penetanguishene	623	19 28		16 00
19	Oakland	535				49	Tonawanda	624	45*16	93	6 00
18	Bakersfield	536	8 23			25	Western Reserve	625	33 93	37	
14	Ohio	537	11 11		2 00	15	Andover	626	11 68	3 21	
32	Puget Sound	538	32 38	5 86	1 00	9	Massawippi	627			
20	Jolly	539	15 52	4 16		22	Scarboro	628			
38	Silver Leaf	540	23 55	12 92		20	Redwood	629	20 37		
21	Merrivale	541	25 37			22	Pico	630	15 00		
24	Morristown	542	30 68		2 00	16	Santa Cruz	631	20 12	69	34
19	Craigden	543	21 16	6 79	02	21	Hemoga	632	16 26		
32	Lachine	544	31 49	7 01		14	Wildwood	633	15 00		
22	Hammond	545	26 38		13 00	69	Ashtabula Harbor	634			
7	Red Pine	546	21 70	8 66		17	Central	635	18 16	12 00	
7	Farmington	547	9 00			18	Centre	636	18 16	12 00	
14	Findlay	548	27 02	3 30		27	Key City	637	24 25		
23	Oswego	549	32 38	75		31	Evershed	638			
20	Thousand Isles	550	17 97			23	Zorra	639	16 08	7 25	
17	Ace	551	16 82			28	Salinas	640			
15	Isabella	552	16 75	3 77		25	Restigouche	641			
43	Onward	553	40 57			81	Sterling	642			
12	Palgrave	554	14 51			20	Monterey	643			
16	Terra Cotta	555				17	Criterion	644			
14	Warren	556	16 29	3 84		50	Nemesis	645			
16	Iron City	557				27	Huntsville	646			
25	Lake Megantic	558	20 51	9 81	3 00	12	Whittemore	647			
58	Classic City	559	71 01	2 45		10	Western Star	648	7 17		20 00
18	Lima	560	20 86	2 77		21	Salmon Bay	649	16 26	37	01
18	Brownville	561	22 33	2 57	6 00	21	Palms	650			
21	Lanark	562	22 30		3 00	20	Granite	651	19 85	2 33	50 00
11	Eastern Light	563	10 54	44		24	Regina	652			
25	Kalkaska	564	27 94	5 53		35	Saint Louis	653			
22	Ivy Leaf	565	15 86	1 72	1 00	21	Hollister	654			
12	Alhambra	566	15 77			23	Tawas City	655			
18	Wooler	567	14 11	3 55		19	Qu Appelle	656			
16	Winona	568	8 09			22	Towerville	657			
31	Brockport	569				16	Maple Grove	658			
50	Independence	570				25	Alberta	659			
11	Vankleek Hill	571	4 77			22	Alfalfa	660			
36	Watchful	572	36 14	1 19	10 75	18	Williamston	661			
9	Antwerp	573	9 19	58		29	Beacon	662			
7	Alameda	574				21	ChAMPLAIN	663			
18	El Monte	575	15 65	3 36	5 50	22	Ojai	664			
23	Crow Island	576	17 18	7 28	2 00	21	Douglas	665			
46	Mountaineer	577	47 32	1 66	12 00	21	Wolverine	665			
16	Kincardine	578	15 82	2 37		30	Elyria	667			
24	Pacific Coast	579				MEMBERS AT LARGE:					
10	Newbury	580	5 92	1 97		Winnfield					3 00
14	Bridgen	581	13 47	2 84	3 00	W. J. McMurtrey		1 90			
21	Hamilton Stone	582	18 18	6 74		per T. Lawless		20 45			
17	Mancelona	583	15 62	3 45		On acct. of FORESTER					25 00
12	Northfield	584	15 21			H. C. of New Jersey					10 00
8	Vernon	585				H. C. of Ontario					400 50
20	Azusn Valley	586				H. C. of California					50
13	Port Elgin	587	17 74	32		H. C. of Quebec					193 64
33	Mount Baker	588	23 89	7 09	4 00	Received from Oron-					
23	San Jose	589				hyatekha, S.C.R. on					
20	Sawyer ville	590	19 65	8 68	7 75	acct. of mission acct.					750 00
10	Santa Paula	591	7 91	73		The following Court has paid November					
12	Delaware	592	12 91	5 35	3 00	Assessment:					
18	Pine Grove	593				Kingsville	9	31 64	10 09	2 40	
14	Elmwood	594	9 09	3 92		23472	\$22,183 50	\$3,868 66	\$2,728 65		
29	Albion	595				RECAPITULATION.					
21	Millington	596	23 41	10 83	9 09	RECEIPTS.					
28	Scouac	597	23 36	10 51	3 00	From Endowment Assessment		\$22,183 50			
21	Destiny	598	23 30			" Sick and Funeral Benefit		3,868 66			
21	Butavia	599				" General Fund		2,728 65			
20	San Luis O'Bispo	600									\$82,789 81
21	Palm City	611	27 87	7 13	10 00	Submitted in L. B. and C.					
21	El Paso De Robles	602				JOHN A. MCGILLIVRAY.					
17	Golden Gate	603	20 35			<i>Supreme Secretary.</i>					
16	Capital	604	18 00			Will correspondents who send us newspaper clip-					
13	Island Brook	605	10 24	3 83	2 00	pings, in reference to I. O. F. entertainments, etc.,					
25	Columbiaville	606	19 56	8 73		kindly send a memo. with the same, stating when and					
14	Jacques Cartier	607				where the affair occurred. All the information we					
21	Lockport	608	20 86	38	3 00	can get from nine tenths of the clippings is what [it					
15	Metcalf	609	12 91			was held "last evening" in the 'Town Hal					
29	Osnabruck	610	25 24								
19	Independent	611	15 73								
17	Friendship	612	15 55	5 79	3 00						
20	Santa Maria	613	22 79								
37	Capital City	614	71 45		24 00						
21	Orellia	615	25 09		15 00						

Supreme Treasurer's Statement for the Month of October, 1890.

ENLOWMENT ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

To balance on hand per last report	\$241,145 95
" Cash received from S. Sec.	22,183 50
" Interest on mortgages	77 04
	<u>\$263,406 49</u>

CONTRA—CR.

No. of Cheque.	Name of Beneficiary.	Late Brother.	No. of Court.		
104	Mrs. M. A. Temple	Jno. Temple	412	\$1,000 00	
105	Mrs. E. Simpson	Geo. Simpson	246	1,000 00	
106	Mrs. J. Summers	T. Summers	78	1,000 00	
107	Mrs. S. J. Robertson	J. Robertson	377	1,000 00	
108	Mrs. E. J. Miller	Jno. Miller	470	1,000 00	
109	Settlement of claim,	Gerry vs. I. O. F.		500 00	
110	Mrs. L. A. Thompson	W. T. Thompson	285	1,000 00	
111	Mrs. G. Coker	Wm. Coker	19	1,000 00	
112	Thos. Okc (son)	Jas. Okc	123	1,000 00	
	5 per cent. to General Fund			1,109 17	
	Balance on hand			<u>253,791 32</u>	
					<u>\$263,406 49</u>

SICK AND FUNERAL FUND.

To Cash received from S. Secretary	\$3,868 66
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CONTRA—CR.

Paid for Sick Benefits.

Name of Brother.	No. of Court.	No. of Days.	Amt.
Wm. B. Montgomery	472	30	\$21 43
Arch. M. Hamilton	522	28	20 00
Oswald Hengy	528	17	12 15
Fred. Burns	685	8	5 72
Chas. S. Bodin	349	21	15 00
Abraham Davis	379	14	10 00
J. S. Malloy	356	38	27 15
Chas. A. Miles	145	21	15 00
Hiram Baker	133	20	14 29
Jos. W. Swartz	54	9	6 43
Jas. Kellough	78	16	11 43
Thos. Dresser	47	8	5 72
Hy. T. Leader	46	10	7 15
Dan. P. Cornish	12	9	6 43
Jas. G. McLellan	149	31	22 15
Thos. Bumer	93	11	7 86
W. A. Olmstead	81	17	12 15
Sam. Davis, Jr.	79	27	19 29
Sidney L. Ramsay	79	11	7 86
Jos. Labron	78	7	5 00
W. S. Moore	78	15	10 72
Thos. Smeaton	59	7	5 00
Jas. McNamee	59	40	28 58
Francis Tracy	59	10	7 15
Dan. A. Pellatt	59	35	25 00
David A. Duncan	42	10	7 15
J. D. Mahoney	37	28	20 00
Rich Tilson	27	16	11 43
Spencer A. Giroux	2	14	10 00
Jas. G. Ray	73	35	25 00
A. W. House	155	30	21 43
H. P. Okes	155	44	31 43
W. Wake, Sr.	163	32	23 58
Jno. Algic	157	31	22 15
Fred. Jackson	176	17	12 15
F. McNaughton	180	31	22 15
Angus McLean	196	16	11 43
H. Baughman	212	32	22 86
W. H. Buckingham	235	14	10 00
Geo. W. Crary	267	23	16 43
Jno. H. Marquardt	285	10	7 15
Frank Surprise	289	14	10 00
Jas. Elder	292	7	5 00
Frank D. Walsh	292	28	20 00
Hy. Cook	292	16	11 43
Jos. Leybourne	305	28	20 00
Jas. Hoy	306	24	17 15
A. J. Lewis	313	35	25 00
David May	152	14	10 00
Geo. Carson	152	7	5 00
H. Chatterton	212	11	7 86
Jno. J. Brown	576	14	10 00
C. Vansickle	503	27	19 29
Jno. W. Betteson	419	21	15 00
Arch. C. McLean	146	17	12 15
J. C. Snider	93	12	8 58
Jas. Chase, Sr.	6	84	60 00

Name of Brother.	No. of Court.	No. of Days.	Amt.
Geo. Liscumbe	396	84	\$ 60 00
W. J. Wiseman	396	14	10 00
D. Gleason	39	21	15 00
Sidney O. Smith	148	22	15 72
Jas. Routledge	143	15	10 72
A. Baughman	138	15	10 72
Robt. Anderson	77	20	14 29
Jno. Clarkson	378	23	16 43
B. Lebourveau	605	15	10 72
A. H. Dawson	605	8	5 72
R. J. Stoneman	133	16	11 43
E. O. McCabe	93	17	12 15
Abram Jones	71	16	11 43
J. P. Tucker	61	8	5 72
Bruce Holmes	6	56	40 00
Oscar Welter	155	39	27 86
Chas. S. Benn	235	9	6 43
G. Pitzke	236	7	5 00
Geo. Kimpel	260	7	5 00
Jas. C. Rutledge	313	21	15 00
Geo. C. Ginn	351	29	20 72
Alb. E. Miller	343	41	29 29
H. K. Hunt	64	34	60 60
Alb. Wright	64	7	5 00
Thos. Oliver	64	63	45 00
Carl Tornow	389	15	10 72
G. W. Wickham	441	21	15 00
Jas. E. Hubbell	389	32	22 86
Wm. R. Jones	38	8	5 72
Jas. H. Tapping	194	14	10 00
Wm. Gibson	466	48	34 29
D. N. Sherwood	26	7	5 00
W. C. Orser	572	14	10 00
Ernest Joyce	156	14	10 00
F. E. Sturdy	173	10	7 15
A. P. St. L. Gordon	248	40	29 58
Mrs. J. Matthews, funeral			50 00
ben. late E. T. Matthews	393	27	19 29
A. W. Chute	47	33	23 58
W. N. Bennett	235	82	58 58
Jno. T. Shunk	370	14	10 00
Jno. S. Todd	11	15	10 72
A. Mitchell	181	42	30 00
C. O'Donnell	284	8	5 72
T. S. Weter	313	35	25 00
Geo. Gibson	62	71	33 58
F. R. Gorham	71	188	10 72
W. H. Legge	188	11	7 86
J. W. West	263	14	10 00
A. Terrill	567	11	7 86
E. Marchand	173	8	5 72
R. Kilburn	289	22	15 72
W. V. Winterbotham	302	28	20 00
M. A. Spinner	317	25	17 86
Geo. Herd	462	10	7 15
E. T. Matthews (to widow)	393	9	6 43
Jas. H. Dant	379	10	7 15
W. A. Erb	366	84	60 00
H. Gardner	288	84	60 00
H. Wildfong	154	8	5 72
Dan. Shaw	433	7	5 00
C. Baskett	400	34	24 29
T. E. McNally	433	12	8 58
W. Thompson	12	12	8 58
W. L. Galbraith	69	8	5 72
Jno. Pollock	111	10	7 15
Geo. Randall	193	15	10 72
Jos. Bart	53	7	5 00
Alex. Elder	53	62	44 29
T. Yerex	1	30	21 43
Wm. Jackson	55	14	10 00
Sam. Tedford	98	35	25 00
Chas. Currie	98	8	5 72
W. D. Garbatt	225	7	5 00
Mrs. E. M. Poole, funeral			50 00
ben. late Brother Poole	53		5 00
T. B. Burpee	462	7	5 00
M. J. Kenny	46	84	60 00
Mrs. Thompson, funeral			30 00
ben. Brother Thompson	285		
Mrs. G. Coker, funeral			50 00
ben. Brother Coker	19		
W. O. Dales	384	14	10 00
Chas. Liscumb	396	8	5 72
E. J. L. Gallaher	59	14	10 00
C. Dresser	47	30	21 43
A. J. Lawson	6	7	5 00
M. Millette	149	26	18 58
Jno. Cadwallader	139	7	5 00
Z. Frank	43	7	5 00
Jos. Mullinax	27	36	25 72
Edwin Jones	6	49	35 00
Geo. Wicks	15	33	22 58

Name of Brother.	No. of Court.	No. of Days.	Amt.
Robt. Burgo	2	6 1/2	\$ 47 15
J. T. M. Appleton	156	19	13 58
J. H. Rutherford	245	31	12 16
W. T. Thompson	283	24	17 15
Wm. Foster	521	11	7 86
Jos. Luman	543	14	10 00
W. H. Black	98	17	12 15
D. H. Lowry	150	11	7 86
J. E. Mandeville	155	23	16 43
W. J. Moxam	163	11	7 86
Jno. Jamieson	166	21	15 0 0
Jas. W. Ross	212	22	15 7 2
Robt. Ottley	289	14	10 00
W. Stewart	22	22	15 7 2
Mrs. J. Summers, funeral ben. late Brother Summers 78			50 00
D. A. Marster	109	8 1/2	6 00
W. Combe	593	14	10 00
Jno. J. Steiner	529	10	7 15
Wm. Day	107	9	6 43
S. B. Clark	93	23	16 43
T. W. Terry	87	10	7 15
C. W. Caton	77	36	25 7 2
Jas. Stewart	546	8	5 7 2
R. G. Reinke	546	9	6 43
Chas. M. Wagar	398	12	8 58
A. G. Procter	12	29	20 7 2
O. Ivson	62	10	7 15
Jas. Clouston	73	12	8 58
W. Armstrong	77	30	21 43
W. Grant	98	14	10 0 0
Robt. C. Carr	103	49	35 00
Jos. A. Bergerson	376	34	24 29
Alex. Cathcart	349	28	20 00
E. S. Gifford	94	27	19 29
Jas. Hyslop	94	14	10 00
E. A. Faulds	183	10	7 15
Geo. Clark	188	23	16 43
Geo. Wa .	286	35	25 00
T. J. Crisp	37	9	6 43
R. E. Germain	42	10	7 15
Jno. Bennett	78	8	5 7 2
Jno. W. Irwin	152	13	9 29
Geo. F. Merritt	326	14	10 00
Chas. S. Bodin	349	28	20 00
Jno. A. McArthur	379	39	27 86
A. D. Brownlee	412	9	6 43
C. W. Hartwich	426	15	10 7 2
Jos. Larontnoy	211	27	19 29
5 per cent. to General Fund			193 43
Balance			363 18

1815, Advertiser Printing Co.	\$500 00
1846, D. Miller, re N. Y. Incorporation.	5 00
1847, S. Sec. expenses to Ottawa, re N. Y. In- corporation	35 00
1848, Bell Telephone Co	9 20
1849, London Ptg. & Litho. Co., printing con- stitutions	700 44
1850, G. A. Harper, ptg. supplies for U. S.	416 67
1853, Oliver Cruse, mission account	200 00
1854, J. Kilgour, office furniture	45 00
1855, Williamson & Co., supplies	44 78
1856, Rev. D. V. Lucas, mission account	66 66
1857, Duties on supplies	45 15
1858, W. B. Harrison, account	21 45
1861, Advertising	50 00
1862, P. W. Ellis & Co., supplies	771 51
1863, J. C. Fell & Co., seals	74 50
1864, Wm. Beatty & Son	36 96
1865, G. F. Bostwick, supplies	235 00
1866, W. G. Fee, mission account	50 00
1868, Hunter, Rose & Co., supplies	85 75
1869, J. W. Hunter re Gerry vs I. O. F.	15 00
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	\$6,753 92

PERMANENT INVESTMENTS.

Post Office Savings Bank	\$12,460 88
Ontario Loan & Debenture Company	12,841 10
Canada Permanent Investment Company	15,455 06
School and Municipal Debentures	25,101 63
Huron & Erie Savings & Loan Company	10,000 00
Frechold Savings & Loan Company	10,000 00
Canadian Savings & Loan Company	10,000 00
British Canadian Loan & Investment Co.	10,000 00
Mortgages	68,537 14
Empire Loan Co.	5,000 00
Agricultural Savings & Loan Company	10,000 00

Total Investments.....\$189,398 21
Current Account, Endowment Fund.....64,399 11

Total Surplus.....\$253,797 32
Submitted in L., B. and C.,

T. G. DAVEY,
Supreme Treasurer.

Mortuary Statement

For the Month of October, 1890.

No. 356. Brother John Miller, of Court Clinton, No. 470, located at Clinton, Ont., died on the 2nd October, 1890, of internal injuries, aged 27 years. Initiated 22nd August, 1890. Paid into Endowment Fund \$1.46. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Emma J. Miller. Paid by cheque No 108.

No. 357. Brother Wm. J. Thompson, of Court Oscoda, No. 285, located at Oscoda, Mich., died on the 9th October, 1890, of malarial fever, aged 33 years. Initiated 1st September, 1890. Paid into Endowment Fund 75 cents. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Lucretia Ardilla Thompson. Paid by cheque No. 110.

No. 358. Brother Louis R. Westrick, of Court Riverside, No. 349, located at St. Clair, Mich., died on the 13th October, 1890, of typhoid fever, aged 22 years. Initiated 9th June, 1890. Paid into Endowment Fund \$2.56. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his mother, Catherine Westrick. Paid by cheque No 116.

No. 359. Brother James Bartholomew Knight, of Court Mystic, No. 259, located at London, Ont., died on the 11th October, 1890, of Bright's disease and dropsy, aged 46 years. Initiated 23rd November, 1887. Paid into Endowment Fund \$17.00. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Margaret R. Knight.

No. 360. Brother Arch'd. Cameron, of Court Belmont, No. 153, located at Belmont, Ont., died on the 14th October, 1890, of pulmonary tuberculosis, aged 32 years. Initiated 30th March, 1855. Paid into Endowment Fund \$46.23. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his sisters, Ann and Janet Cameron. Paid by cheques Nos. 114 and 115.

No. 362. Brother Wm. Decow, of Court Marquette, No. 443, located at Portage la Prairie, Man., died on the 26th October, 1890, of perforation of the bowels during typhoid fever, aged 24 years. Initiated 16th August, 1889. Paid into Endowment Fund \$8.96. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Mary-Dechow. Paid by cheque No. 117.

No. 363. Brother James Lloyd, of Court King City No. 363, located at King, Ont., died on the 27th October, 1890, of gasritis and hepatitis, aged 55 years.

GENERAL FUND.

RECEIPTS.	
To Cash received from Sup. Sec	\$2,728 65
" 5 per cent. Endowment receipts	1,109 17
" 5 per cent. S. & F. receipts	193 43
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	\$4,031 25

CONTRA—CR.

Cheque.	
1791, Advertiser Printing Co.	\$ 50 00
1818, S. C. R., travelling expenses	100 00
1819, Supreme Treasurer, salary	25 00
1820, H. E. Clarke & Co., supplies	29 25
1821, J. S. Russell, supplies	125 00
1822, Office Specialty Co., supplies	157 25
1823, J. Jamieson, Q.C., services and expenses re New York Incorporation	22 90
1825, B. W. Greer, audit fees and expenses	65 50
1826, J. H. Dickson, mission account	75 00
1827, W. G. Fee, salary and commission	55 00
1828, Refund of fees West Unity	50 00
1829, Supreme Chief Ranger salary	333 33
1830, Supreme Secretary, salary	166 66
1831, T. Milman, M.D., exam. fees, Sept	295 75
1832, A. F. Mills, mission work	116 65
1832, B. W. Greer, re Incorporation in N. Y.	65 95
1833, Executive postage for Sept.	148 67
1834, Sundry expenses	71 72
1835, Salaries of clerks for Sept	415 10
1836, Supreme Secretary, expenses to Aurora	6 00
1837, Expenses of E. C. at Toronto	41 75
1838, Sup. Secretary, expenses to Cleveland	84 20
1839, F. W. Emerson, counselor's fees	31 00
1840, H. O. Sonntag, mission account	66 66
1841, G. N. W. Tel. Co.	19 99
1842, Refund of mis-sent dues to Court Blenheim, No. 203.	7 75
1843, Refund of mis-sent dues to Court Hammond, No. 345	4 75
1844, W. G. Fee, commission on advertising.	39 12

THE INDEPENDENT FORESTER.

Initiated 29th March, 1889. Paid into Endowment Fund \$33.25. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to executors, administrators or assigns.

No. 361. Brother Henry Mines, of Court Hope, No. 1, located at London, Ont., died on the 31st October, 1891, of disease of the brain, aged 30 years. Initiated

23rd June, 1887. Paid into Endowment Fund \$30.34. Endowment of \$1,000 designated to his wife, Margaret Mines. Paid by cheque No. 118.

JOHN A. MCGILLIVRAY,
Supreme Secretary.

Report of Medical Board for Month of October, 1890.

Court.	No.	Ac.	Rej.	Court.	No.	Ac.	Rej.	Court.	No.	Ac.	Rej.
Stormont	3	1	0	Croswell	273	1	0	Ellsworth	523	1	0
Dufferin	4	2	0	Iosca	278	1	0	Waidone	529	1	1
Little	5	1	0	S. Marks	282	2	0	Morris Vineyard	532	1	0
Wingsville	9	1	0	Cayuga	284	1	0	Ohio	537	5	0
Fitzroy	16	2	0	Oscoda	285	3	0	Silver Leaf	540	2	0
Kecwatin	19	2	0	Britannia	288	1	0	Morristown	542	2	0
Oronhyatekha	23	1	0	Au Sable	289	3	0	Craigend	543	2	0
Jubilee	27	2	0	Shefford	290	3	0	Lachino	544	3	0
Elgin	29	0	1	Alpena	293	2	0	Red Pine	546	1	0
Guelph	37	1	0	Fortune	297	1	0	Onward	553	2	0
Ottawa	41	1	0	Missisquoi	299	1	0	Lanark	562	5	0
Petrolia	42	2	0	Bay City	306	2	0	Alameda	574	1	0
Sydenham	43	1	0	Buckeye	312	3	0	Elmton	575	1	0
Washington	44	3	1	Resort	318	2	0	Mountaineer	577	4	0
Canada	53	3	0	Leaskdale	322	1	0	Hamilton Stone	582	1	0
Sarnia	55	4	0	Miranda	326	4	0	Mt. Baker	582	3	0
Harmony	57	0	1	Ivanhoe	327	1	0	Sawterville	590	4	0
Frontenac	59	3	0	Stouffville	329	2	0	Delaware	592	4	0
University	61	2	0	Trent	333	2	0	Elmwood	594	3	0
Queen City	66	2	0	Flower City	336	4	1	Secodie	597	1	1
Woodstock	69	1	1	Charlotteville	338	1	0	Batavia	599	3	0
Concord	70	1	0	Coaticook	341	1	0	Golden Gate	603	1	0
Moncton	71	1	0	Lafayette	344	1	2	Island Brook	605	0	2
Southampton	74	1	0	Burrard	347	1	0	Columbiaville	606	1	0
Sylva	76	3	0	Riverside	349	2	1	Lockport	609	4	0
Oil City	77	1	0	Tittabawasee	353	1	0	Metcalf	609	2	0
Mississippi	78	1	0	Pride of Akron	356	30	1	Osnabrock	610	1	0
Excelsior	79	1	0	Oseola	357	1	0	Friendship	612	1	0
Beaconsfield	80	1	0	Banner	360	2	0	Santa Maria	613	1	0
Madawaska	81	1	0	Star	365	5	0	Capital City	614	3	0
Davenport	82	1	0	Kings	366	1	0	Orillia	615	5	0
Robin Hood	84	2	0	Carnival	372	2	0	Coldwater	616	1	0
Olive Branch	90	1	0	Gratiot	379	2	0	Lompoc	617	5	0
Hillsboro	91	2	0	Genesee	387	1	0	Famous	621	2	0
Deeronto	93	3	0	Elmsley	388	2	0	Portsmouth	622	5	0
Lisgar	97	1	0	Logan	390	1	0	Penetanguishene	623	4	0
Harwich	98	3	0	Monroe	391	2	0	Tonawanda	624	5	1
Albert	100	1	0	Tamworth	392	1	0	Western Reserve	625	2	0
Walastook	103	2	1	Tecumseh	396	3	0	Scarboro	628	1	1
Evangeline	109	1	0	Lora Stanley	398	1	0	Pico	630	13	0
Royal Jubilee	114	4	0	Yule	399	1	0	Santa Cruz	631	11	0
Locksley	118	1	0	Unison	410	33	0	Hemoga	632	1	0
Sissiboo	122	1	0	Pyramid	412	9	0	Wildwood	633	2	1
Exeter	123	4	1	Orient	416	2	0	Ashtabula Harbor	634	7	0
Middleton	132	11	1	Los Angeles	422	1	0	Central	635	2	1
Progress	134	3	0	Applegate	426	1	0	Centre	636	8	0
Carp	142	1	0	Brandon	427	1	0	Key City	637	1	0
Lambeth	143	1	0	Hampton	429	3	0	Evershed	638	26	7
Rockland	146	2	0	Forest Home	431	3	0	Zorra	639	15	2
Pr. Albert	149	2	0	Tweed	434	1	1	Salinas	640	17	3
Belmont	153	1	0	Mentor	435	4	1	Restigouche	641	7	0
Maple	155	1	0	Inlay	436	1	0	Stirling	642	1	2
Parkhill	156	2	0	Santa Monica	438	2	0	Monterey	643	11	0
Putnam	160	1	0	Pomona	439	1	0	Criterion	644	2	1
Dresden	164	1	0	Marquette	443	1	0	Nemesis	645	48	0
Simcoe	165	2	0	Watford	444	3	1	Huntsville	646	11	1
Toronto	167	1	0	Rescue	445	1	0	Whittemore	647	10	0
Brant	168	2	0	Lyon	446	1	0	Western Star	648	3	0
Black Knight	173	2	1	San Bernardino	447	1	0	Palms	650	23	0
Port Perry	179	3	0	East Toronto	450	4	0	Granite	651	5	0
Phoenix	182	1	0	California	451	3	1	Regina	652	17	0
Mt. Brydges	183	2	1	Gratitude	453	1	0	St. Louis	653	37	0
Butternut Ridge	184	1	0	Amadore	457	1	0	Hollister	654	18	0
Desmond	187	1	0	Pasadena	460	1	0	Tawas City	655	22	0
St Lawrence	219	1	0	Clinton	470	3	0	Qu Appelle	656	10	4
Stadacona	224	1	0	Parliament	472	1	0	Fowlerville	657	8	0
Valley	232	2	0	Priceville	476	1	0	Maple Grove	658	8	0
Richmond	234	1	0	Leonard	477	1	0	Alfalfa	660	17	0
Selkirk	235	2	1	Forest River	483	1	0	Beacon	662	6	1
Flint	239	1	0	Mistletoe	485	1	0	Champlain	663	14	1
Spadina	241	1	0	Saginaw	494	1	0	Roanoke	664	4	1
Brock	242	2	0	Theresa	501	0	1	Delaware Valley	665	8	1
Tamarac Grove	245	2	1	Philadelphia	502	1	0	Wolverine	666	18	0
Hastings	246	0	0	Brantford	503	4	0	Douglass	667	16	0
Lansing	247	3	1	Wingham	505	1	0	Fillmore	668	6	2
Kinburn	252	2	0	Caro	506	1	0	Egremont	669	1	0
Progressive	254	1	1	Temple	510	2	0	Morenci	670	1	0
Caledonia	256	2	0	Iona	513	1	0				
Benevolence	263	1	0	Fairview	518	2	0				
Pembroke	265	1	0	Valleyfield	523	1	0				
Harbor	268	2	0	Redondo	525	1	0				
Balmoral	269	2	0	Seattle	526	1	0				

Total 881 57
Yours in L. B. and C.
T. MILLMAN, M.D.,
Sec. of Med. Board

HIGH COURT OF ONTARIO.

High Secretary's Statement for the Month of October, 1890.

RECEIPTS.		High Court	General
Name of Court.	No.	Dues.	Supplies.
Hope	1		\$ 6 00
Kingsville	9		50
Cobourg	15		40
Pitzroy	16		2 40
Keewatin	19	\$ 18 50	
St. Clair	20		1 16
Fergus	22	19 25	75
Oronhyatekha	23		5 25
Ottawa	41		2 16
Petrolia	42		2 40
Alliston	50		2 30
Puslinch	51	10 25	
Maple Leaf	60		2 28
Oak Leaf	62		2 52
Thamesford	63		4 50
Southampton	74	14 00	
Oil City	77		40
Madawaska	81		37
Davenport	82		16 00
Robin Hood	84		1 6
Ontario	85	11 25	4 25
Midland	87	15 75	
Rosedale	88		1 00
Hazel	92	6 75	
Tyrconnell	99		32
Haldimand	105		50
Durham	111		24
York	120		3 40
Credit	133		3 00
Ivy	157		5 20
Forest Queen	158	25	45 50
Putnam	160		2 10
Dresden	164		2 30
River Speed	169		1 25
Picton	177		1 98
Glennmorris	178		1 00
Lindsay	181		2 00
Phoenix	182	7 50	
Rock Glen	186		1 50
Florence	189		05
Waterdown	195		20 00
Lucan	207		2 00
Blenheim	208		4 00
Clifton	220		11 25
Laurentian	229		4 00
Tamarac Grove	245		3 00
Argyle	251		10 07
Mystic	259		10
Doon	260		2 48
Eganville	279	7 00	
St. Mark	282	11 50	
Burns	302		2 30
Eden Mills	305		3 00
Sweinmote	315	3 75	
Resort	318	10 75	
Valens	319		24
Ivanhoe	327		7 16
Trent	333		35 30
Bonnie Doon	335	2 00	
Seaforth	342		6 04
Signet	358	8 00	5 00
Appui	359	3 00	
King City	363		1 82
Maple City	370		40
Avon	374		1 48
Madoc	377		
Rapids	381	5 75	
Porth	384		50
Elmsley	388		25
Pyramid	412		6 70
Farewell	419	2 75	5 00
Pride of Barton	433		7 55
Little John	442	7 00	
Watford	444		8 60
Lucknow	454		6 00
Parliament	472		12
Commercial	504	7 25	1 40
Wingham	505		48
Winchester	524	9 25	
Manark	562		40
Ivy Leaf	565		1 50
		\$181 50	\$284 17

To cash from High Court Dues, as above..... \$181 50
 " " General Supplies, "..... 284 17
 " " Charter Fees "..... 25 00
 Total..... \$490 67

CONTRA—CR.
 By cash remitted High Treasurer..... \$490 67
 Submitted in L. B. and C.
 JAMES B. HALKETT,
 High Secretary

High Treasurer's Statement for the Month of October, 1890.

RECEIPTS.
 To balance per last report..... \$ 596 90
 " cash from High Secretary..... 490 67
 \$1,087 57

CONTRA—CR.
 Cheque.
 177, High Secretary, salary and expenses... \$ 81 70
 178, Organizing, expenses and printing..... 32 00
 179, C. C. Whale, expenses..... 50 00
 180, Expenses of High Secretary's office..... 28 00
 181, C. C. Whale, salary..... 100 00
 182, D. Rose, printing account..... 100 75
 185, High Chief Ranger, expense account..... 25 00
 180, High Vice Chief Ranger, expense acct..... 25 10
 Balance..... 645 12
 \$1,087 57

Submitted in L. B. and C.
 T. G. DAVEY,
 High Treasurer.

Among the Courts.

Address and Presentation.

From St. Thomas Daily Times, 10th October, 1890.

A complimentary supper at the Brommell House, was tendered to Brother F. Rawlinson last night by the members of Court Maple No. 155, I. O. F. Mr. Rawlinson has occupied a number of important offices in the Court since its institution in 1885, and is now about to enter the field as organizer. About 40 guests sat down to a splendid repast served in the best style of mine host, Brother G. Ordish. The chair was filled by J. S. Robertson, Esq., ably supported by C. E. B. Duncombe, M. D., Vice-Chairman. Among the guests were: Brothers J. M. Penwarden, M. D., G. R. Pennington, Manager P. P. I., Dr. Barnes, Wisconsin, etc., and all the officers of the Court. After doing ample justice to the good things provided, the usual loyal and patriotic toasts were duly honored. During the evening a handsome gold-headed cane and a complimentary address were presented to Brother Rawlinson.

THE ADDRESS.

ST. THOMAS, 10th Oct., 1890.

To Fred. Rawlinson Esq., D.S.C.R., late C.D.H.C.R., and R. S., of Court Maple, No. 155, I. O. F.:

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—We cannot allow this opportunity to pass without in some way expressing our sincere regret for the fact that you are about to leave our city, and cease taking an active interest in our Court.

From your exertions and attention we have one of the largest Courts in this District and Province, and we feel that the Supreme Chief Ranger in appointing you to the high position you now occupy, could not have conferred his commission on one more fitted for the duty of organizing, than you, and while regretting the fact that such appointment will sever to a large extent your connection with our Court, we are pleased at your advancement in the Order.

The great care and trouble you always put yourself to when in any way our Court or Order could be benefited, has rendered it very difficult ever to find a person to take your place, and as a slight token of our esteem and brotherly regard, we trust

you will accept this cane, and remember when using it that it represents the best wishes of your brother members in Court Maple for a long and prosperous life for yourself and Mrs. Rawlinson.

Hoping you will long remain a member of Court Maple, if far from St. Thomas, and unable to take an active part in the working of the Court, we are on behalf of the members of said Court,

Ever yours fraternally, in L. B., and C.,

J. S. ROBERTSON, C.D.U.C.R.

THOS. DURDLE, C.R.

G. SMART, V.C.R.

A. McALPINE, P.C.R.

JAS. SHARPE, F.S.

J. L. BROOKS, Tread.

VANNES COPELAND, S.W.

BRUCE HAZELTON, J.W.

T. W. HANNAN, S.B.

D. H. LOWRY, P.C.R.

PETER SHARP, P.V.C.R.

H. T. PONSFORD, Chap.

C. E. B. DUNCOMBE, M.D. Ct. Phy.

Brother Rawlinson in replying said :

MR. PRESIDENT, VICE-PRESIDENT AND BROTHERS,—You have taken me so much by surprise that I am not able to express in language that which my heart wishes to convey, and I trust you will overlook all imperfections in respect to speech-making. I thank you most sincerely for your complimentary address and for this beautiful present, and for your kindly feelings towards me. It is highly gratifying to me to feel that I hold such a high place in your esteem, but I feel you have appreciated my humble efforts for the prosperity of Court Maple and the advancement of our great Order far beyond their deserts. My only regret is that I have not been able to do more than I have done, and I take this opportunity to assure you that whatever I have done, it has been done with a single eye to the good of our Order, and it is with a feeling of regret that I vacate the honorable positions you have given me in our Court. In doing so I am not intending to sever my connection with the Court, but will retain my membership therein as long as I am able to do so, and will always be willing to do anything in my power to advance the welfare of my brother Foresters of Court Maple.

I thank you for your good wishes for my success in organizing, and when I consider the progress the Order has made during the past 5 years, and is making to-day, I have no doubt but that I shall be able to give a good account of myself. A little over 5 years ago when I joined the Order, there were about 150 Courts with a membership of about 3,500, and a balance of about \$20,000 in the treasury, while the monthly income was less than \$3,000. To-day we have 630 Courts a membership of nearly 22,000, a balance of about \$230,000 in the Treasury, and a monthly income of \$25,000. The Order has already paid its Endowments and Benefits over half a million dollars since 1881. During the month of August no less than 25 new Courts were instituted, and for the same month the applications for membership were 1,289, so that with such a record to show I think there can be no doubt as to success. Again thanking you for your kindness to me I beg to resume my seat.

Mr. Pennington of the P. P. I., made a very eloquent speech, and regretted that he did not belong to the Order, but renewed his promise of shortly becoming a member. Songs and speeches were given by a number of other members, and a very pleasant evening terminated by singing "God Save the Queen."

Court Unison, No. 410.

BIG RAPIDS, MICH.,
29th October, 1890.

Friday evening, 24th October, was a gala night for one of the secret organizations of Big Rapids, Mich. About a year ago, Court Unison, No. 410 Independent Order of Foresters, was organized, and it has been running along satisfactorily, there being connected with it an insurance feature. High Chief Ranger, George H. House, of Saginaw, and High Secretary, Fred. Dunn, of Lansing, were present, and delegations from Reed City and Grand Rapids reached here in time to participate in the work of explanation. A remarkable feature was the initiation of

thirty-two new members of the Big Rapids Court—nearly all young men, and from the best classes in the city. After the initiation, the whole party, numbering about seventy-five, repaired to the Northern Hotel, where an oyster supper was served, and partaken of with zest. Returning to the lodge room, short addresses were made by Messrs. House, Dunn, Chi Ranger Decker and others, during which much valuable information pertaining to the Order was elicited. At one o'clock the most of the visitors started north on the night train. The affair was a most pleasing one, and very creditable to the Lodge and Managers.—*Evening Bulletin.*

Complimentary Banquet.

On Monday evening, 3rd inst., Court Mississippi, No. 78, held a concert in the Opera Hall, Carleton Place. The spacious enclosure was filled with as large an audience as could possibly assemble. Addresses were delivered by the Supreme Chief Ranger, Brother Dr. Oronhyatekha, and Brother S. C. Botterell.

After the concert, the local and visiting Foresters entertained the Supreme Chief Ranger at a banquet in the Mississippi Hotel. The spacious and brilliant dining hall was comfortably filled, and the boards groaned beneath the loads of good things supplied by the genial host and amiable hostess. After the feast the programme of toasts was opened, and proved a rich treat of oratory and song. After the toast to the Queen had been suitably received, Brother W. A. B. Knox sang "The Red, White and Blue." "The Governor-General" was coupled with the name of Brother S. S. Merick; "The Army, Navy and Volunteers" called forth a response from Brother R. W. Haydon, of Almonte. To the toast "This Canada of Ours," Brother P. C. McGregor, of Almonte, made a stirring response, dealing eloquently with the resources and advantages of our country. Brother Joseph Jamieson, Q.C., M.P., made a happy address on "The Parliament of Canada." Many minor toasts were on the programme and were happily disposed of. The address of the evening followed the toast to "The Independent Order of Foresters." The Supreme Chief Ranger made a neat and impressive speech, reviewing the work done by the Order and expressing the pleasure it afforded him to do the work set before him. Brother Pratt, M.D., and Past Supreme Chief Ranger, Brother Botterell, ably responded to the toast "Foresters' Wives and Sweethearts," and Brother R. F. Preston, M.D., responded to "Our Host and Hostess," taking the opportunity also, as Mayor, of proffering to the Supreme officers a hearty welcome to the town of Carleton Place. The banquet was over at an early hour.

The novel feature of innovation at this banquet was the presence of ladies, about a dozen of whom graced the occasion. We believe this is the first time ladies have been present at a banquet in this part of the world. The banquet has always been hedged about with man's sole proprietorship, but now that the ice has been broken, it is likely that hereafter the fair sex will insist upon their new-found privileges.

"Heaven doth with us as we with torches do,
Not light them for themselves; for if our virtues
Did not go forth of us, 'twere all alike
As if we had them not. Spirits are not finely touched
But to fine issues."

—Shakespeare

New Courts.

COURT CRITERION, NO. 644, CLEVELAND, OHIO.

Instituted on the 3rd of October, 1890, by H. O. Sonntag.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Jav. Athey; C. R., A. G. Melichar; V. C. R., Jos. Baukaet; R. S., F. Summers; F. S., Homer P. Bowman; Treas., F. W. Wagner; S. W., Peter McArthur; J. W., T. S. Deisner; S. B., Wm. Finger; J. B., R. Dedreus; P. C. R., G. J. Summers; Chap., J. Cunningham; Phys., A. J. Daykin, M.D.

Meets on the 2nd Munday of each month.

COURT HUNTSVILLE, NO. 616, HUNTSVILLE, ONTARIO.

Instituted on the 4th of October, 1890, by John M. Letsche, D.S.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Loreny D. Glossop; C. R., Thomas M. Cullon; V. C. R., Wm. E. Fountain; R. S., Wellington Irvin; F. S., John Milno; Treas., Jacob W. Hart, M.D.; S. W., Solomon Birtch; J. W., John Truster; S. B., William G. Burk; J. B., Alfred Thornton; P. C. R., Wm. C. Parliament; Chap., John Taylor; Phys., Jacob W. Hart, M.D.

Meets on 2nd Thursday of each month.

COURT WHITTENORE, NO. 617, WHITTENORE, MICH.

Instituted on the 2nd of October, 1890, by James F. Downer, D.D.H.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Maynard Butts; C. R., Louis Landsberg; V. C. R., Robert Wilkins; R. S., Robert Chappell; F. S., Frank J. Wiltberger; Treas., Maynard Butts; S. W., Peter M. Leonard; J. W., Ambrose Wisner; S. B., Geo. Weryley; J. B., Jonas Earhart; P. C. R., Norman C. Bowley; Chap., Wm. Charters; Phys., D. C. Howell, M.D.

COURT PALMS, NO. 650, PALMS, MICHIGAN.

Instituted on the 3rd of October, 1890, by James W. Wiley, D.D.H.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., J. H. H. Shoebottom; C. R., Robert Meyers; V. C. R., Wm. Conlogue; R. S., Henry Fitzpatrick; F. S., George Wagner; Treas., Charles Luay; S. W., Henry Hill; J. W., Patrick Gallagher; S. B., Edward McQuade; J. B., John Darling, jr.; P. C. R., L. H. Thompson; Chap., Samuel Smith; Phys., J. H. H. Shoebottom, M.D.

COURT GRANITE, NO. 651, BATTERSEA, ONTARIO.

Instituted on the 9th of September, 1890, by A. O. Watts, D.D.H.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Robert VanLoven; C. R., W. F. Lake; V. C. R., Wm. Jas. Arthur; R. S., Nathaniel Caverly; F. S., Isaac Lake; Treas., W. J. Anglin; S. W., N. W. Williams; J. W., John Gilbert; S. B., Wm. Shannon; J. B., John E. Knapp; P. C. R., Wm. Wiley; Chap., Rev. F. H. Sproule; Phys., A. E. Freeman.

Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month.

COURT REGINA, NO. 652 WOODSTOCK, NEW BRUNSWICK.

Instituted on the 3rd of October, 1890, by A. P. Sherwood.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., John Tattersall; C. R., Donald Munro; V. C. R., John E. Sutton; R. S., Matt. F. Boyer; F. S., John A. Lindsay; Treas., W. B. Nicholson; S. W., Chas. Lee; J. W., George Sutton; S. B., A. Sills; J. B., Geo. McCluskey; P. C. R., M. Brower; Chap., Jos. B. Hamilton; Phys., T. F. Sprague, M.D.

Meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month.

COURT SAINT LOUIS, NO. 653, ST. LOUIS DU MILE END, QUEBEC.

Instituted on the 10th of October, 1890, by Peter Strathearn and D. J. McArthur.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Wm. N. Westbrook; C. R., Wm. J. Brown; V. C. R., W. V. Hefferson; R. S., A. Stewart; F. S., C. A. Sharpe; Treas., Wm. H. D. Young; D. S.; S. W., S. Battle; J. W., W. B. McCammon; S. B., J. Petty; J. B., D. Hughes; P. C. R., A. J. DeCarle; Chap., T. Hannah; Phys., D. Macnamara, M.D.

COURT HOLLISTER, NO. 654, HOLLISTER, CALIFORNIA.

Instituted on the 1st of October, 1890, by A. F. Mills, D.S.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., N. D. Hall; C. R., H. W. Scott; V. C. R., C. N. Hawkins; R. S., Jas. E. Serles; F. S., W. D. VanBuskirk; Treas., A. J. McKay; S. W., W. W. McDonald; J. W., N. F. Gobur; S. B., W. S. Frost; J. B., J. H. Dixon; P. C. R., H. M. Campbell. Chap., J. K. Hawkins; Phys., J. H. Gobbits, M.D.

Meets 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month.

COURT TAWAS CITY, NO. 655, TAWAS CITY, MICHIGAN.

Instituted on the 8th of October, 1890, by James F. Downer,

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., George S. Darling; C. R., Arthur S. Allard; V. C. R., John McRea; R. S., Angus W. Bennett; F. S., John W. King; Treas., Thomas Brown; S. W., Wm. Bean; J. W., John W. Scholer; S. B., Parker Clark; J. B., Louis Gauthier; P. C. R., William B. Kell; Chap., John McLunan; Phys., George S. Darling, M.D.

Meets 2nd and last Fridays of each month.

COURT QU APPELLE, NO. 656, QU APPELLE STATION, NORTHWEST TERRITORY.

Instituted on the 1st of October, 1890, by D. E. Bastedo

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., John Bunn; C. R., Geo. V. Bulycia; V. C. R., John Ferry; R. S., Mark Westaway; F. S., William Smith; Treas., Jos. B. Robinson; S. W., Anthony Hollingshead; J. W., R. B. Ferguson; S. B., John McKenzie; J. B., Thos. W. Campbell; P. C. R., Jos. C. Machesner; Chap., Harry Amos; Phys. (none elected); J. H. Johnston, M.D., Examiner.

Meets last Friday in each month.

COURT FOWLerville, NO. 657, FOWLerville, MICH.

Instituted on the 26th of September, 1890, by L. F. Cole and W. W. Wharry.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., J. H. Orth; C. R., A. H. Hughes; V. C. R., Lewis Cobby; R. S., W. H. Force; F. S., Devis J. Williams; Treas., J. L. Collins; S. W., G. W. Thompson; J. W., Herbert W. Croft; S. B., E. R. Brower; J. B., Frank K. Burg; P. C. R., A. J. Beebe. Chap., A. R. Miner; Phys., A. W. Cooper, M.D., C. H. Lamoreux, M.D.

COURT MAPLE GROVE, NO. 658, EMSDALE, ONTARIO.

Instituted on the 13th of October, 1890, by John M. Letsche, D.S.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Albert E. Munn; C. R., George Thomas; V. C. R., Thomas S. Richards; R. S., Alex. K. Thom; F. S., W. L. B. Hamlin; Treas., John P. Shaw; S. W., Nelson Jones; J. W., John Galbraith; S. B., Thomas Hill; J. B., David A. Thomas; P. C. R., M. A. Deans; Chap., Neil Galbraith; Phys., J. Hart, M.D.

Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month.

COURT ALBERTA, NO. 659, LETHBRIDGE, N. W. T.

Instituted on the 17th of October, 1890, by Robert Hockley.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Chas. A. Armstrong; C. R., Fred. J. Bourden; V. C. R., Chas. Ross; R. S., Fred. L. Russell; F. S., Park Lowther; Treas., James Patrick; S. W., Silas R. Dark; J. W., Robt. J. Hardy; S. B., A. C. Munro; J. B., Ray Panet; P. C. R., Moses Waters; Chap., D. C. Murray.

COURT ALFALFA, NO. 660, COMPTON, CALIFORNIA.

Instituted on the 13th of October, 1890, by H. Rowland Lee.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., John B. Lossing; C. B., Dwight M. Crum, M.D.; V. C. R., B. G. Cleveland; R. S., J. H. Maag; F. S., E. H. Bickford; Treas., W. A. Templeton; S. W., J. P. Hald; J. W., W. M. Hall; S. B., Jas. W. Robinson; J. B., George C. Robinson; P. C. R., James N. Sherman; Chap., G. B. Nichols; Phys., Andrew McFarland, M.D.

Meets 3rd Monday of each month.

COURT WILLIAMSTON, NO. 661, WILLIAMSTON, MICH.

Instituted on the 17th of October, 1890, by L. F. Cole.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., H. M. Big-

low; C. R., W. A. Steele; V. C. R., W. R. Taber; R. S., J. C. Gratton; F. S., C. M. Miller; Treas., Richard H. Putnam; S. W., E. E. Parker; J. W., B. H. Tilton; S. B., H. L. Westgate; J. B., M. B. Pulling; P. C. R., A. M. Lounsbury; Chap., L. G. Eberly; Phys., F. W. Shumway, M.D.
Meets last Friday of each month.

COURT BEACON, NO. 662, GORE BAY, ONTARIO.

Instituted on the 20th of October, 1890, by W. B. Hoshcke, D.S.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Dr. J. Johnston; C. R., F. Hutchinson; N. C. R., F. G. Ham; R. S., H. L. McLean; F. S., J. Sutherland; Treas., N. A. Buchanan; S. W., W. Baxter; J. W., J. L. Thomas; S. B., J. Johnston; J. B., J. Johnson; P. C. R., George Porter; Chap., N. T. Jolliffe; Phys., J. Johnston, M.D.
Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month.

COURT CHAMPLAIN, NO. 663, MONTREAL CENTRE, QUE.

Instituted on the 21st of October, 1890, by Peter Strathearn, P.D.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Victor Morin; C. R., E. G. Phaneuf; V. C. R., A. Robert; R. S., J. B. Brunet; F. S., E. Duquette; Treas., Alexis Youpart; S. W., J. E. Tremblay; J. W., G. Lord; S. B., F. Pilon; J. B., E. Dubois; P. C. R., G. Violette; Chap., A. Arcand; Phys., T. Y. Benoit, M.D.
Meets twice a month.

COURT OJAI, NO. 664, NORDHOFF, CALIFORNIA.

Instituted on the 16th of August, 1890, by Herbert C. Parks.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., J. J. Suess; C. R., W. E. Wilsie; V. C. R., R. E. Curran; R. S., E. P. Zimmerman; F. S., J. J. Suess; Treas., B. L. Sager; S. W., B. Cota; J. W., E. Soule; S. B., J. B. Fox; J. B., Geo. A. Stray; P. C. R., Geo. B. Stewart; Chap., P. K. Miller; Phys., B. L. Saeger, M.D.

COURT DOUGLAS, NO. 665, DOUGLAS, MANITOBA.

Instituted on the 16th of October, 1890, by John A. McKay.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., R. B. Hetherington; C. R., R. H. Swallow; V. C. R., John Carswell; R. S., Jos. Coxé; F. S., A. J. Marshall; Treas., W. F. Brooks; S. W., H. E. Reed; J. W., W. E. Hutchinson; S. B., W. H. Sandercock; J. B., Wm. Coxé; P. C. R., R. G. Parrette; Chap., S. G. Greenwood; Phys., D. Spencer
Meets 2nd and last Saturdays of each month.

COURT WOLVERINE, NO. 666, BAY CITY, MICHIGAN.

Instituted on the 22nd of October, 1890, by James F. Downer, D.S.C.R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., S. E. Gustin, M.D.; C. R., John O. Smith; V. C. R., Martin Parks; R. S., John McCauley; F. S., James S. Todd; Treas., Charles P. Hampstead; S. W., Frank J. Ackermann; J. W., Rory McIntyre; S. B., Lawrence Welch; J. B., Charles K. Beck; P. C. R., Fred. B. Schuler; Chap., Samuel Bondiette; Phys., S. E. Gustin, M.D.
Meets every Wednesday evening.

COURT ELYRIA, NO. 667, ELYRIA, OHIO.

Instituted on the 24th of October, 1890, by E. Barker.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., T. M. Brush; C. R., Addison E. Lord; V. C. R., Thos. J. Bates; R. S., Arthur Agate; F. S., John W. Bath; Treas., Davis M. Clark; S. W., John Wagner; J. W., Henry Frederick; S. B., Lafayette Dumas; J. B., Robert Hascrodt; P. C. R., James G. Brown; Chap., J. W. Voglesong; Phys., O. T. Maynard, M.D.
Meets 1st and 3rd Mondays of each month.

COURT BILLINGS BRIDGE, NO. 670, BILLINGS BRIDGE, ONTARIO.

Instituted on the 30th of October, 1890, by Thomas Butler.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., Francis Williams; C. R., William E. Fairbairn; V. C. R., Thos. Andrew Spratt; R. S., W. F. H. Ellis; F. S., Braddish Billings; Treas., Charles Blair; S. W., William E. Soper; J. W., Robert Caleb Hardy; S. B., Isaac A. Farquharson; J. B., John Douglas Preston; P. C. R.,

James S. Fenton; Chap., William Wood; Phys., Thos. Potter, M.D.

Meets on the 3rd Thursday of each month.

COURT ROUILLE, NO. 674, TORONTO, ONTARIO.

Instituted on the 3rd of October, 1890, by P. F. Carey P. D. H. C. R.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.—C. D. H. C. R., P. F. Carey, P. D. H. C. R.; C. R., Charles A. Hodgetts; V. C. R., Robert Gilmore; R. S., Con. P. Dorgan; F. S., Frank T. Griffin; Treas., Timothy Dorgan; S. W., Albert Harris; J. W., Charles Bowers; S. B., James Casey; J. B., Peter Reggan; P. C. R., Thos. H. McMaster; Chap., Thos. O'Rielly; Phys., Chas. A. Hodgetts, M.D.
Meets on the 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month.

The Molsons Bank.

PROCEEDINGS AT THE THIRTY-FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE MOLSONS BANK, HELD AT THEIR BANKING HOUSE IN MONTREAL MONDAY, 13TH OCTOBER, 1890.

The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of The Molsons Bank was held at the Banking House, St. James Street, at three o'clock, Monday, 13th October, 1890.

The Pre-ident, Mr. John H. R. Molson, occupied the chair. Among those present were Sir David L. Macpherson, (Toronto), Messrs. S. H. Ewing, R. W. Shepherd, S. Finley, D. McCarthy, (Sorel), William M. Macpherson, (Quebec), Henry Archbald, John T. Molson, Henry Hogan, John Crawford, R. W. Shepherd, Jr., Edward Archbald, and J. Try-Davies.

The Chairman having called the meeting to order, requested Mr. A. D. Durnford, the Inspector, to act as Secretary, and that gentleman having read the notice convening the meeting, the Chairman asked Messrs. R. W. Shepherd, Jr., and Walter N. Evans to act as Scrutineers.

THE ANNUAL REPORT.

The General Manager, Mr. F. Wolferstan Thomas, then read the 35th Annual General Report of the Directors for the past year, as under:—

GENTLEMEN,—The Directors of The Molsons Bank beg to present to the Shareholders the 35th Annual Report for the year ending 30th September, 1890.

The net earnings for the year, after making full provision for bad and doubtful debts, amount to \$229,050.40. This has been distributed by two semi-annual dividends of 4 per cent., and a bonus of 1 per cent., together \$180,000, leaving \$49,050.40 to be disposed of; \$25,000 of which has been transferred to the Rest, increasing it to \$1,100,000. The balance, \$24,050.40, has been carried to Profit and Loss Account, which now amounts to \$31,747.05.

It will be observed that the profits of the year are not as large as those of the previous one. This was not unexpected after the two or three consecutive years of deficient crops and low prices, and the increased rate of interest paid on deposits by this Bank, as by all other Banks of the Dominion, while the keen competition for business prevented any increase in discount rates. The Directors think that under the circumstances the result will be considered satisfactory.

All the branches of the Bank have been inspected during the year.

The Officers of the Bank have continued to perform their duties in a satisfactory manner, and enjoy the confidence of the Board.

By the new Banking Act the Charters of the various Banks have been renewed for a further period of ten years, they being required to redeem their notes in at least one place in each province; this will prevent the notes of all Canadian Banks from falling below par in any part of the Dominion.

JOHN H. R. MOLSON,
President.

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT.

Balance at Profit and Loss, on 30th Sept., 1839.....	\$ 7,696 65
Net profits of the year, after deducting expenses of management, reservation for interest accrued on deposits, exchange, and making provision for bad and doubtful debts.....	\$229,950 40
From which has been paid:	
6th Dividend, at 4 per cent., 1st April, 1830.....	\$50,000 00
7th Dividend, at 4 per cent., 1st October, 1830.....	30,000 00
	\$150,000 00
Bonus of 1 per cent. to Shareholders.....	20,000 00
	180,000 00
	49,950 40
Leaving a surplus of.....	\$56,747 05
From which deducted amount transferred to Rest Acc't.....	25,000 00
	\$31,747 05
Leaving at credit of Profit and Loss, on 30th September, 1890.....	\$31,747 05

The President moved the adoption of the report. The Vice-President, Mr. R. W. Shepherd, having formally seconded the motion, Mr. John Crawford made some observations upon the report of the Directors, which were satisfactorily replied to by the Chairman and the General Manager, and the report was adopted.

Mr. John Crawford moved: That the thanks of the Shareholders are due and are hereby tendered to the President, Vice-President and Directors for their attention to the interests of the Bank during the past year.

Mr. McCarthy seconded the motion, which was carried.

The Scrutineers then presented the following report:—

MONTREAL, 13th October, 1890.

To the General Manager of The Molsons Bank:

SIR,—We, the undersigned, acting as scrutineers at the Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of The Molsons Bank held this day, beg to report the following gentlemen elected to act as Directors for the ensuing year:—

HENRY ARCHBALD,
S. H. EWING,
SAMUEL FINLEY,
SIR DAVID L. MACPHERSON,
J. H. R. MOLSON,
W. M. RAMSAY,
R. W. SHEPHERD.

R. W. SHEPHERD, JR., } Scrutineers.
W. W. EVANS, }

The meeting then adjourned.

A meeting of the Board of Directors was held immediately afterwards, when Mr. John H. R. Molson was elected President, and Mr. R. W. Shepherd, Vice-President, for the ensuing year.

GENERAL STATEMENT

Of the Affairs of The Molsons Bank on the 30th September, 1890.

Capital authorized and paid up.....	\$2,000,000
Rest Account.....	1,100,000

LIABILITIES.

Capital paid up.....	\$2,000,000 00
Notes in circulation.....	1,885,261 00
Dominion Government Deposits payable on demand.....	18,359 96
Deposits held as securities for the execution of Dominion Government Contracts and for Insurance Companies.....	50,784 00
Provincial Government Deposits payable on demand.....	8,240 19
Other Deposits payable on demand..	3,603,866 32
" " " after notice	3,074,357 89
Due to other Banks in Canada.....	96,057 54
" Foreign Agents.....	16,065 15
Profit and Loss.....	31,747 05
Rest.....	1,100,000 00
70th Dividend.....	80,000 00
Bonus of 1 per cent. to Shareholders	20,000 00
Dividends unclaimed.....	2,376 10
Interest, Exchange, &c., reserved...	105,457 80
	\$12,092,573 00

ASSETS.

Specie.....	\$239,133 01
Dominion Notes.....	424,613 00
	\$663,746 01
Notes and cheques of other Banks....	317,441 71
Balance due from other Banks in Canada	82,212 98
" " " Branches.....	3,692 45
" " " Dominion Government	2,932 14
" " " Agents in the United Kingdom.....	7,924 89
" " " Foreign Agents.....	138,396 31
Loans and Bills discounted on Bonds, Debentures, &c.....	149,353 31
Provincial, British or Foreign, or Colonial Public Securities, other than Canadian.....	498,273 34
Dominion Government Debentures.....	104,375 00
Loans to Municipal Corporations.....	184,767 70
" other.....	836,093 78
" other Banks.....	160,000 00
Bills discounted and current.....	8,591,519 77
" " past due, secured.....	56,215 72
" " " and not secured	34,911 40
Real Estate, other than Bank Premises	57,494 89
Mortgages on Real Estate sold by the Bank.....	5,856 82
Bank Premises at Head Office and Branches.....	190,000 00
Other Assets.....	7,364 78
	\$12,092,573 00

“How far from here to Heaven?
Not very far, my friend;
A single hearty step
Will all thy journey end.
Hold then! Where runnest thou?
No—Heaven is in thee,
Seek'st thou for God elsewhere
His face thou'lt never see.”

—Angelus Silesius (1620).

Most Worthy of Attention.

Dr. Oronhyatekha, S.O.R., Toronto, Ont.:

DEAR EDITOR,—With your kind permission I would like to have a few minutes chat, through the columns of THE FORESTER, with my numerous brethren, about a method of securing better attendance in Subordinate Courts.

While at Gueph, last August, as a delegate to the High Court of Ontario, I fell into conversation with many other representatives regarding the inner workings of their respective Courts, and was surprised to hear many of them complain of irregular attendance, and in some cases of indifference among their members.

The writer is a member of a Court in a small village. At the beginning of the current year we had a membership of 23 or 24, and the Court was suffering from a complaint called "non-attendance," with some appearance of the disease becoming chronic. A faithful few were left to manage everything. Members became so indifferent, that instead of coming to Court they would hand in their dues by proxy. Our officers were capable men who heartily performed their duties, and had the good of the Order at heart, but the members would not "turn out." One evening at Court, the writer proposed a debate to come off under "Good and Welfare," at our next meeting. A subject that any member could speak on was selected, and sides chosen, many being put on for the debate who were absent; it being left to the leaders to see them and explain. There was a slight increase in members at the next meeting and barrels of eloquence were expended by the debaters in upholding the respective merits of the "Horse and Cow."

So much interest was aroused by the debate that we had another two weeks later on "Reciprocity." This was won by the negative side, under the able leadership of our Court Physician.

I must not take up valuable space in telling you all we did to hold the truants after getting them interested; suffice to say, that our "Good and Welfare" was made as attractive as possible, by songs, recitations, mock trials, and frequently a debate; while the reading of a monthly paper, prepared by one of our brothers and called the "Full Moon," causes a deal of interest by its collection of Forestric news and personal items. But not only was interest taken in these by the members, but all our officers seem to vie with each other as to who shall carry out his duties most faithfully, and members work hard to get in new members. At present we have 31 strong, and still endeavoring to press "onward and upward." From the forty volumes in the Court library (purchased with the proceeds of a successful picnic) our members can obtain a book every two weeks to help them pass the long evenings.

To any Court that is troubled as we were, I respectfully ask them to try our medicine. Get them interested in some such way and you faithful ones will have your hearts gladdened to hear the stay-aways, acknowledge "its good for us to be here."

Submitted in L., B. and C.,

A RADICAL.

"Oh I, brother man, fold to thy heart thy brother.
Where pity dwells, the peace of God is there;
To worship rightly is to love each other,
Each smile a hymn, each kindly deed a prayer."

—Whittier.

Court Watford Enthused.

WATFORD, ONT., 7th Nov., 1896.

Oronhyatekha, M.D., S.C.R., Toronto:

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER,—I have much pleasure in being able to state that our worthy brother C. C. Whale, Esq., of Toronto, was present with the members of Court Watford, No. 444, of this place, at a special meeting held this evening, called for the purpose of listening to said brother. Brother Whale gave us a very long, interesting and instructive address on Forestry and the workings of the same, which seemed to inspire and enthuse the principles and benefits of our Order in all our brethren. I may also state that we were virtually in the dark on Forestry before hearing Brother Whale, but now we are considerably enlightened and prospects are that we will have a very prosperous Court ere long. We are initiating members at nearly every meeting.

Truly yours, in L., B. and C.,

W. E. FITZGERALD.

A Newspaper Directory for Canada.

Messrs. A. McKim & Co., Advertising Agents of Montreal, are preparing what will be the first comprehensive newspaper directory of this country.

Canada is now quite large enough and its journalistic interests of sufficient importance to require its own annual Newspaper Directory, and there are several new features of the proposed work which will make it a valuable hand-book for all seeking information concerning the Canadian Press.

We bespeak for this enterprising firm the hearty support and co operation of Canadian publishers generally.

Once Was Enough.

A young gentleman, says the *Calgary Herald*, who lately left his home in England, having exhausted his credit, telegraphed to his parents:

Your son Walter was killed this morning by a falling chimney. What shall we do with the remains?

In reply a cheque was sent for £20, with the request, "bury them." The young gentleman pocketed the money and had an elaborate spree. When in a condition for writing he sent his father the following note:

I have just learned that an infamous scoundrel named Smith sent you a fictitious account of my death, and swindled you out of £20. He also borrowed £10 from me and left the country. I write to inform you that I am still alive and long to see the parental roof again. I am in somewhat reduced circumstances, the accumulations of the last five years having been lost—a disastrous stock operation—and if you would only spare me £20 I would be ever thankful for your favor. Give my love to all.

A few days later the young man received the following dignified letter from his outraged parent:

My Dear Son: I have buried you once, and that is the end of it. I decline to have any transactions with a ghost. Yours in the flesh,

FATHER.

BARRIERS BURNED AWAY.

By Rev. E. P. Roe.

(Continued.)

"How is it?" she said with a bewildered air, "I do not understand. The last I remember, we were surrounded by fire, you were despairing, and it seemed that I died."

"You fainted, Miss Ludolph. But God as by a miracle brought us out of the fiery furnace, and for the present we are safe." After she had sufficiently rallied from her excessive exhaustion and terror, he told her how they had escaped.

"I see no God in it all," she said, "only a most fortunate opportunity of which you, with great nerve and presence of mind, availed yourself. To you alone, again and again this dreadful night, I owe my life."

"God uses us as His instruments to do His will. The light will come to you by-and-by, and you will learn a better wisdom."

"In this awful conflagration the light has come. On every side I see as in letters of fire, 'There is no God.' If it were otherwise these scenes would be impossible. And any being permitting or causing the evils and crimes this dreadful night has witnessed, I should fear and hate beyond the power of language to express."

She uttered these words sitting on the sands with multitudes of others, her face (from which Dennis had washed the dust and smoke) looking in the glare so wan and white that he feared, with a sickening dread, that through exposure, terror, or some of the many dangers by which they were surrounded, she might pass into the future world with all her unbelief and spiritual darkness. He yearned over her with a solicitude and pity that he could not express. She seemed so near—indeed he could feel her form tremble, as he knelt beside her, and supported her by his arm—and yet in view of her faithless state, how widely were they separated! Should any one of the many perils about them quench the little candle of her life, which even now flickered faintly, where in the wide universe could he hope to meet her again? God can no doubt console and make up every loss to His children, but the passionate heart, with its intense human love, clings to its idol none the less.

Dennis saw that the fire would probably

hem them in on the beach the remainder of the night, and the following day. He determined therefore in every way possible to beguile the weary, perilous hours, and, if she would permit it, to lead her thoughts heavenward. Hence arose from time to time religious conversations, to which, with joy, he found Christine no longer averse. Indeed she often introduced them.

Chafing her hands he said in the accents of the deepest sympathy:

"How I pity you, Miss Ludolph. It must indeed be terrible to possess your thoughtful mind—to realize these scenes so keenly, and yet have no faith in a Divine Friend. I cannot explain to you the mystery of evil—why it came, or why it exists. Who can? I am but one of God's little children, and only know with certainty that my Heavenly Father loves and will take care of me."

"How do you know it?" she asked eagerly.

"In several ways. Mainly because I feel it."

"It all seems so vague and unreal," she sighed dreamily. "There is nothing certain, assured. There is no test by which I can at once know the truth."

"That does not prevent the truth from existing. Because some are blind is no proof the color does not exist."

"But how can you be sure there is a God? you never saw Him."

"I do not see the heat that scorches us, but I feel it, and know it exists."

"But I feel the heat the same as yourself, but I have no consciousness of a Divine Being."

"That does not take away my consciousness that He is my Saviour and friend! As yet you are spiritually dead. If you were physically dead, you would not feel the heat of this fire."

"Oh, it is all mystery—darkness," she cried piteously.

The sun had now risen quite above the waters of the lake, but seen through the lurid smoke swept over its face, it seemed like one of the great red cinders that were continually sailing over their heads. In the frightful

glare, the transition from night to day had scarcely been noted. The long narrow beach was occupied by thousands of fugitives. They were hemmed in on every side. On the south was the river skirted with fire, while opposite, on the west, the heat was almost intolerable, on the east the cold waves of the lake, and on the north a burning pier that they could not cross. Their only hope was to cling to that narrow line where fire and water mingled, and with one element to fight the other. Here again was seen that mingling of every class which the streets and every place of refuge witnessed. Judges, physicians, statesmen, clergymen, bankers, were jostled by roughs and thieves. The laborer sat on the sand with his family, side by side with the millionaire and his household. The poor debauched woman of the town moaned and shivered in her scant clothing, at a slight remove from the most refined Christian lady. In the unparalleled disaster, all social distinctions were lost, levelled like the beach on which they cowered. From some groups was heard the voice of prayer, from others, bitter wailings and passionate cries for lost members of the family; others had saved quantities of vile whisky, if nothing else, and made the scene more ghastly by orgies that seemed not of earth. Added to the liquor, was the mad excitement and recklessness which often seizes the depraved classes on such occasions. They committed excesses that cannot be mentioned—these drunken, howling, fighting wretches. Obscene epithets and words fall around like blows. And yet all were so occupied with their own misfortunes, sufferings and danger, that they scarcely heeded those about them, unless they became very violent.

Upon this heterogeneous mass of humanity the fire rained down almost as we imagine it might have fallen upon the doomed cities of the plain, and the hot breath of the flames scorched the exposed cheek and crisped even eyebrows and hair. Sparks, flakes, cinders, pieces of roof, and fiery pebbles from the same seemed to fill the air, and often cries and shrieks announced that furniture and bedding that many had dragged thither, and even the clothing of women and children, were burning. Added to all the other terrors of the scene was the presence of large numbers of horses and cattle, snorting and plunging in their terror and pain.

But the sound that smote Dennis' heart with the deepest commiseration was the continuous wail of helpless little children, many of them utterly separated from parents and friends, and in the very agony of fear.

He greatly dreaded the effect of these scenes upon Christine, knowing how, in the luxurious past, she had been shielded from every rough experience. But she at length rallied into something like composure. Her constitution was elastic and full of vitality, and after escaping from immediate danger she again began to hope. Moreover, to a degree that even she could not understand, his presence was a source of strength and courage, and her heart clung to him with desperate earnestness, believing him the sole barrier against immediate death, and (what she dreaded scarcely less) a lonely, wretched existence, should her life be spared.

Though he never lost sight of her a moment, and kept continually wetting her hair and person, he found time to render assistance to others, and by carrying his hat full of water here and there, extinguished many a dangerous spark. He also, again and again, snatched up little children from under the trampling hoofs of frightened horses.

As she watched him, so self-forgetful and fearless, she realized more and more vividly that he was sustained and animated by some mighty principle that she knew nothing of, and could not understand. The impression grew upon her that he was right and she wrong. Though it all remained in mystery and doubt, she could not resist the logic of true Christian action.

But as the day advanced the flames grew hotter, and their breath more withering. About noon Dennis noticed that some shanties on the sands near them were in danger of catching fire and periling all in that vicinity. Therefore he said: "Miss Ludolph, stay here where I leave you for a little time, so that I may know just where to find you."

"Oh, do not leave me," she pleaded, "I have no one in the wide world to help me save you."

"I shall not be beyond call. You see those shanties there; if possible we must keep them from burning, or the fire will come too near for safety." Then, starting forward he cried:

"Who will volunteer to keep the fire back? All must see that if those buildings burn we shall be in danger."

Quite a number of men stepped forward, and with hats and anything that would hold water they commenced wetting the old rookeries. But the fiery storm swooped steadily down on them, and their efforts were as futile as to beat back the wind. Suddenly a mass of flame leaped upon them and in a moment they were all ablaze.

"Into the lake, quick!" cried Dennis, and all rushed for the cool waters.

Lifting Christine from the sand, and passing his arm around her trembling, shivering form, he plunged through the breakers, and the crowd pressed after him. Indeed they pushed him so far out in the cold waves that he nearly lost his footing, and for a few moments Christine did hers altogether, and added her cries to those of the terror-stricken multitude. But pushing in a little nearer the shore, he held her firmly and said, with the confidence that again inspired hope:

"Courage, Miss Ludolph. With God's help I will save you yet."

Even as she clung to him in the water, she looked into his face. He was regarding her so kindly, so pitifully, that a great and generous impulse, the richest, ripest fruit of her human love, throbbed at her heart, and faltered from her lips—"Mr. Fleet, I am not worthy of this risk on your part. If you will leave me you can save you own life, and your life is worth so much more than mine."

True and deep must have been the affection that could lead Christine Ludolph to say such words to any human being. There was a time when, in her creed, all the world existed but to minister to her. But she was not sorry to see the look of pained surprise which came into Dennis' face and hear him say very sadly:

"Miss Ludolph, I did not imagine that you could think me capable of that. I had the good fortune to rescue Miss Brown to-night, at greater peril than this, and do you think I would leave you?"

"You are a true knight, Mr. Fleet," she said, humbly, "and the need and danger of every defenceless woman is alike a sacr claim upon you."

Dennis was about to intimate that though this was true in knightly creed, still among all the women in the world there might be a preference, when a score of horses, driven before the fire, and goaded by the burning cinders, rushed down the beach, into the water of course, right among the human fugitives.

Again went up the cry of agony and terror. Some were no doubt stricken down not to rise again. In the melee Dennis pushed to deeper water, where the frantic animals could not plunge upon him. A child floated near, and he snatched it up. As soon as the poor brutes became quiet, clasping Christine with his right arm and holding up the child with the other he waded into shallow water. The peril was now perhaps at its height,

and all were obliged to wet their heads, to keep even their hair from singeing and burning. Those on the beach threw water on each other without cessation. Many a choice bit of property—it might be a piano, or an express-wagon loaded with the choicest furs and driven to the beach as a place of fancied security—now caught fire, and added to the heat and consternation.

When this hour of extreme danger had passed, standing with the cold billows of the lake breaking round him, and the billows of fire still rolling overhead, Dennis commenced singing in his loud clear voice:

"Jesus lover of my soul,
Let me to thy bosom fly,
While the billows near me roll,
While the temptest still is high."

Voice after voice joined in, some loud and strong, but more weak and trembling, the pitiful cry of poor terror-stricken women to the only One who seemingly could help them in their bitter extremity. Never before were those beautiful words sung in such accents of clinging, touching faith; its sweet rise and cadence was heard above the roar of the flames and the breakers.

Christine could only cling weeping to Dennis.

When the hymn ceased, in harshest discord, the voice of a half-drunken man grated on their ears.

"An' what in bloody blazes does yer Jesus burn us all up for, I'd like to know. Sure an he's no right to send us to hell before our time."

"Oh, hush! hush!" cried a dozen voices, shocked and pained.

"Divil a bit will I hush, sure; an' haven't I as good a right to have me say as that singin' parson!"

"You are an Irishman, are you not?" said Dennis, now venturing out of the water.

"Yis! what have ye got to say agin it?" asked the man, belligerent at once.

"Did you ever know an Irishman refuse to do what a lady asked of him?"

"Faith no, and I niver will."

Then this lady, who is sick and suffering, asks you to please keep still, and I will be still too; so that's fair."

The Irishman scratched his head a moment, and said in a quieter tone:

"Since ye spake as civil and dacent, I'll do as ye sez; and here's to the leddy's hea'th," and he finished a bottle of wh sky which soon laid him out on the beach.

"Thank you! thank you!" said several grateful voices on either side.

Dennis found the mother of the child and gave it to her; and then causing Christine to sit down near the water, where he could easily throw it on her, he stood at her side, vigilant and almost tender in his solicitude. Her tears were falling very fast, and he presently stooped down and said gently: "Miss Ludolph, I think the worst of the danger is over."

"Oh, Mr. Fleet," she whispered, "dreadful as it may seem to you, the words of that drunken brute there are nearer the language of my heart than those of your sweet hymn. How can a good God permit such creatures and evils to exist?"

"Again I must say to you," said Dennis, "that I cannot explain the mystery of evil. But I know this, God is superior to it; He will at last triumph over it. The Bible reveals Him to us as able and as seeking to deliver all who will trust Him and work with Him, and those who venture out upon His promises find them true. Miss Ludolph, this is not merely a matter of theory, argument and belief. It is more truly a matter of experience. The inspired Bible invites, 'Oh, taste and see that God is good.' I have tasted and know He is. I have trusted Him for years, and He never failed me."

"You certainly have been sustained throughout this dreadful scene by a principle that I cannot understand, but I would give all the world to possess it."

"You may possess it, Miss Ludolph."

"How? how?" she asked eagerly.

"Do you wish to believe as I do?"

"Yes, indeed; and yet my heart rebels against a God who permits, even if He does not cause, all this evil."

"Does it rebel against a Being who from first to last tries to save men from evil?"

"Tries! tries! what an expression to apply to a God! Why does He not do it in every case?"

"Because multitudes will not let Him."

"Oh, that is worse still. Surely, Mr. Fleet, you let your reason have nothing to do with your faith. How can a poor and weak being like myself prevent an Almighty one from doing what He pleases?"

"I am stronger than you, Miss Ludolph, and yet I could not have saved you to-night unless you had first trusted me, and then done everything in your power to further my efforts."

"But your power is human and limited, and you say God's is all-powerful."

"Yes, but it is His plan and purpose never to save us against our will. He has made

us in His own image and endowed us with reason, conscience, and a will to choose between good and evil. He appeals to these noble faculties from first to last. He has given us hearts, and seeks to win them by revealing His love to us. Chief of all, His spirit, present in the world, uses every form of truth in persuading and making us willing to become His true children. So you see that neither on the one hand does God gather us up like drift-wood, nor does He on the other drag us at his chariot wheels, unwilling captives, as did those who, at various times, have sought to overrun the world by force. God seeks to conquer the world by the might of the truth, by the might of love."

Christine was hanging with the most eager interest on his words. Suddenly his eyes, which had expressed such a kindly and almost tender interest in her, blazed with indignation, and he darted up the beach. Turning around she saw, at some little distance off, a young woman most scantily clad, clinging desperately to a bundle which a large, coarse man was trying to wrench from her. The wretch, finding that he could not loosen her hold, struck her in the face with such force that she fell stunned upon the ground, and the bundle flew out of her hand. He eagerly snatched it up, believing it to contain jewelry; but before he could escape he was confronted by an unexpected enemy. But Dennis was in a passion, and withal weak and exhausted, while his adversary was cool, and an adept in the pugilistic art. The two men fought savagely, and Christine, forgetting herself in her instinctive desire to help Dennis, was rushing to his side, crying:

"If there is a man here worthy of the name, let him strike for the right!" but before she and others could reach the combatants the thief had planted his fist on Dennis' temple. Though the latter partially parried the blow, it fell with such force as to extend him senseless on the earth. The villain, with a shout of derision, snatched up the bundle and dashed off, apparently toward the fire. There was but a feeble attempt made to follow him. Few understood the case, and indeed scenes of violence and terror had become so common that most had grown apathetic, save in respect to their personal well-being.

Christine lifted the pale face, down which the blood was trickling, into her lap, and cried in a tone of indescribable anguish:

"Oh, he is dead! he is dead!"

"Oh no, Miss, he is not dead, I guess," said a good-natured voice near. "Let me

bring a hatful of water from the lake, and that'll bring him to."

And so it did. Dennis opened his eyes, put his hand to his head and then looked around. But when he saw Christine bending over him with tearful eyes, and realized how tenderly she had pillowed his aching head, he started up with a deep flush of pleasure, and said :

"Do not be alarmed, Miss Ludolph ; I was only stunned for a moment. Where is the thief?"

"Oh, they let him escape," said Christine indignantly.

"Shame!" cried Dennis, regaining his feet rather unsteadily.

"Wal, stranger, a good many wrongs to-night must go unrighted."

The poor girl who had been robbed sat on the sands swaying back and forth, wringing her hands and crying that she had lost everything.

"Well, my poor friend, that is about the case with most of us. We may be thankful that we have our lives. Here is my coat (for her shoulders and neck were bare), and if you will come down to the lake, this lady (pointing to Christine), will bathe the place where the brute struck you."

"Shall I not give up my shawl to some of these poor creatures?" asked Christine.

"No, Miss Ludolph, I do not know how long we may be kept here ; but I fear we shall suffer as much from cold as heat, and your life might depend upon keeping warm."

"I will do whatever you bid me," she said, looking gratefully at him.

"That is the way to feel and act toward God," he said gently.

But, with sudden impetuosity she answered:

"I cannot. See what He has just permitted to happen before my eyes. Right has not triumphed, but the foulest wrong."

"You do not see the end, Miss Ludolph."

"But I must judge from what I see."

After she had bathed the poor girl's face, comforted and reassured her, Dennis took up the conversation again and found Christine eager to listen. Seldom was the Gospel preached under stranger circumstances. Pausing every few moments to throw water over his companion, he said :

"Faith is beyond reason, beyond knowledge, though not contrary to them. You are judging as we do not even about the commonest affairs—from a few isolated mysterious facts, instead of carefully looking eht subject all over. You pass by what is plain and well understood to what is obscure,

and from that point seek to understand Christianity. Every science has its obscure points and mysteries, but who commences with those to learn the science? Can you ignore the fact that millions of highly intelligent people, with every motive to know the truth, have satisfied themselves as to the reality of our faith? Our Bible system of truth may contain much that is obscure, even as the starry vault has distances that no eye or telescope can penetrate, and this little earth mysteries that science cannot solve, but there is enough known and understood to satisfy us perfectly. Let me assure you, Miss Ludolph, that Christianity rests on broad truths, and is sustained by arguments that no candid mind can resist, after patiently considering them."

She shook her head, silenced perhaps but not satisfied.

CHAPTER XLVII.

"PRAYER IS MIGHTY."

CHRISTINE A CHRISTIAN.

The day was now declining, and the fire in that part of the city opposite them had so spread itself, that they were beginning to have a little respite from immediate danger. The fiery storm of sparks and cinders was falling mostly to the northward.

Dennis now ventured to sit down almcs for the first time, for he was wearied beyond endurance. The tremendous danger and excitements, and the consciousness of peril, to the one most dear to him, had kept him alert long after he ought to have had rest, but over-taxed nature now asserted its rights, and the moment the sharp spur of danger was removed, he was over-powered by sleep.

Christine spoke to him as he sat near, but even to her (a thing he could not have imagined possible), he returned an incoherent reply.

"My poor friend, you do indeed need rest," said she in kindest accents.

He heard her voice like a sweet and distant harmony in a dream, swayed a moment, and would have fallen over in utter unconsciousness on the sands, had she not glided to his side and caught his head upon her lap.

In the heavy stupor that follows the utmost exhaustion, Dennis slept hour after hour. The rest of the day was a perfect blank to him. But Christine, partially covering and shading his face with the edge of her

shawl, bent over him as patient a watcher as he had been her brave deliverer. It was beautiful to see the features once so cold and haughty, now sweet with more than womanly tenderness. There upon that desolate beach, cold, hungry, homeless, shelterless, she was happier than she had been for months. But she trembled as she thought of the future; everything was so uncertain. She seemed involved in a labyrinth of dangers and difficulties from which she could see no path. She knew that both store and home had gone, and probably most, if not all, of her father's fortune. She felt that these losses might greatly modify his plans, and really hoped that they would lead him to remain in this country. She felt almost sure that he would not go back to Germany a poor man, and to stay in America was to give her a chance of happiness, and happiness now meant him over whom she bent.

For a long time she had felt that she could give up all the world for him, but now existence was scarcely endurable without him. To the degree that her love had been slowly kindled, was it intense, the steady concentrated passion of a strong, resolute nature, for the first time fully aroused. All indecision passed from her mind, and she was ready to respond whenever he should speak; but woman's silence sealed her lips, and more than maiden delicacy masked her heart. While she bent over him with an expression that, had he opened his eyes, might have caused him to imagine for a moment that his sleep had been death, and he had wakened in heaven, yet he must needs awake to find that the look and manner of earth had returned. Her sensitive pride made her guarded even in expressing her gratitude, and she purposed to slip his head off upon her shawl whenever he showed signs of awakening, so that he might believe the earth only had been his resting place.

But now in his unconsciousness, and unnoted by all around, indeed more completely isolated by the universal misery and apathy about her than she could have been in her own home, with a delicious sense of security, she bent her eyes upon him, and toyed daintily with the curling locks on his brow. Whatever the future might be, nothing should rob her of the strange unexpected happiness of this opportunity to be near him, purchased at such cost.

As she sat there and saw the fire rush and

roar away to the northward, and the sun decline over the ruins of her earthly fortune, she thought more deeply and earnestly of life than ever before. The long, heavy sleep induced by the opiate had now taken away all sense of drowsiness, and never had her mind been clearer. In the light of the terrible conflagration many things stood out with a distinctness that impressed her as never before. Wealth and rank had shrivelled to their true proportions, and she said half aloud:

"That which can vanish in a night in flame and smoke cannot belong to us, is not a part of us. All that has come out of the crucible of this fire is my character, myself. It is the same with Mr. Fleet; but comparing his character with mine, how much richer he is! What if there is a future life, and we enter into it with no other possession than our character? and that which is called soul or spirit is driven forth from earth and the body as we have just been from our wealth and homes? I can no longer coolly and contemptuously ignore what he believes as superstition. He is not superstitious, but calm, fearless, and seemingly assured of something that as yet I cannot understand. One would think that there must be reality in his belief, for it sustains him and others in the greatest of trials. The hymn he sang was like a magnet introduced among steel filings mingled with this sand. The mere earth cannot move, but the steel is instinct with life. So, while many of us could not respond, others seemed inspired at the name of Jesus with new hope and courage, and cried to the Nazarene as if he could hear them. Why don't people cry for help to other good men who lived in the dim past, and whose lives and deeds are half myth and half truth? why to this one man only? for educated Catholics no longer pray to the saints."

Then her thoughts reverted to Mr. Ludolph.

"Poor father," said she, "how will he endure these changes? We have not felt and acted toward each other as we ought. He is now probably anxious beyond measure, fearing that I perished in my sleep, and so I would, had it not been for this more than friend that I have so wronged. Oh, that I could make amends! I wonder—oh, I wonder, if he has any spark of love left for me? He seems kind, even tender, but he is so to everyone—he saved Miss Brown—"

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ARTICLE II. CONCERNING THE HIGH COURT DEGREE.

SEC. 1. All members of the Order in good standing other than officers and representatives who attend the session of the High Court, shall be eligible for the High Court degree and be entitled to sit therein as Honorary Members.
SEC. 2. Honorary Members shall not be entitled to take part in the debates nor shall they have the right to vote on any question nor hold any office in the High Court.

ARTICLE III. REPRESENTATION.

SEC. 1. The basis of representation from Subordinate Courts shall be: Each Subordinate Court with fifty members or less shall be entitled to one representative and one additional representative for each additional fifty members or major fraction of fifty.
SEC. 2. Representatives shall be elected as provided in Section 88 of the Constitution.

ARTICLE IV. HIGH COURT DUES.

SEC. 1. The High Court dues, payable by each Subordinate Court, shall be at the rate of fifty cents per year for each beneficiary member in good standing upon its roll, which shall be payable in advance, one-half on the first day of January and one-half on the first day of July, and shall be transmitted by each financial secretary with the semi-annual returns to the High Secretary.

ARTICLE V.

SEC. 1. All supplies used by the Subordinate Courts shall be purchased of the High Court as provided in Supreme Court rules.

ARTICLE VI.

The order of business shall be as provided in the ritual of the High Court.

ARTICLE VII.

Each Representative immediately after addressing the Presiding officer shall give his name and address.

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These By-laws shall not be altered, amended or repealed except by the High Court at a session thereof, a two-thirds vote concurring, provided that no By-law nor any change thereof shall take effect until approved by the Supreme Chief Ranger in writing and the seal of the Supreme Court attached.

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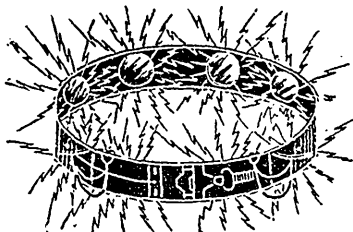
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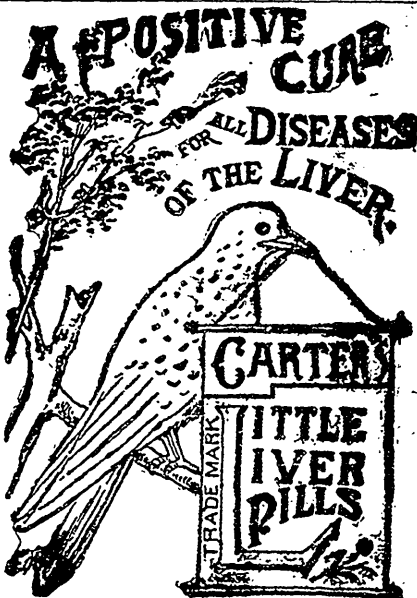
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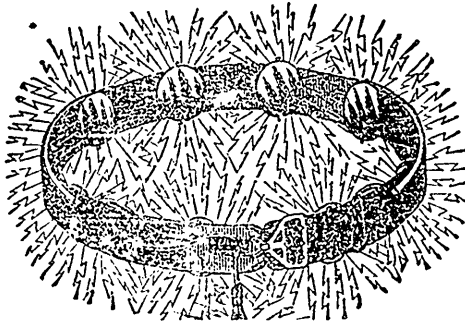
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