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The next Annual Session will be held at Fredericton, N. B., July 1878.

Subordinate Lodges under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick.

EAST ALBERT LODGE, No. 4, Hillsboro, Albert Co
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FREDERICTON LODGE, No. 21, Fredericton, York Co.
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INTERNATIONAL LODGE, No. 23 meets every Tuesday Evening in Horton's Hall, Charlotte Street.
Robert Bartlett, Lodge Deputy.

SEVEN STAR LODGE, No. 24, meets every Thursday, in their Hall Charlotte Street.
C. H. Hill, Lodge Deputy.

WELLINGTON, LODGE, No. 27, Little River, Buc-touche, Kent Co. Simpson Kay, Lodge Deputy.

TRUE REFORM LODGE, No. 28, Sackville, Westmorland Co. Harvey Phinney, Lodge Deputy.

UNION REFORM, No 29, meets every Thursday in Bostwick's Hall, Portland.
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MORNING STAR LODGE, No. 31, Hillsboro, Albert Co. Alexander Smith, Lodge Deputy.

BEAVER LODGE, No. 32, Richibucto, Kent Co. Allan Haines, Lodge Deputy,

TILLEY LODGE, No. 33, meets every Monday in Orange Hall, King Street, Carleton.
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TRIUMPH LODGE, No. 36, South Rockland, Dorchester, Westmorland Co. Richard Delahunt, Lodge Deputy.

EVENING RETREAT LODGE, No. 37, Westmorland Point, Westmorland Co. William Miner, Lodge Deputy.

DORCHESTER LODGE, No. 40, Dorchester Westmorland Co. Charles E. Knapp, Lodge Deputy.

GOLDEN STAR, No. 41, Hopewell Hill, Albert Co. Ezra S. Woodworth, Lodge Deputy.

EVENING STAR LODGE, No. 43, Salem, Hillsboro Albert Co. H. B. Steeves, Lodge Deputy.

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FAITHFUL LODGE, No. 47, Moncton, Westmorland Co. John S. Bonnell, Lodge Deputy.

PHENIX LODGE, No. 48, meets every Wednesday in Mission House, Portland.
A. D. G. Vanwart, Lodge Deputy.

VICTORIA LODGE, No. 49, meets every Monday, in Sparrow's Hall, Germain Street.
C. Sparrow, Lodge Deputy.

ELGIN LODGE, No. 50, Elgin, Albert Co. R. V. Spence, Lodge Deputy.

SILVER FALLS LODGE, No. 51, meets every Monday, at Silver Falls School House.
William Clarke, Lodge Deputy.

MARITIME LODGE, No. 52, meets every Friday, in Good Templar Hall, King Street.
William Cameron, Lodge Deputy.

MANSBRIDGE LODGE, No. 53, meets every Tuesday, in the School House, Mispec.
Thomas Toner, Lodge Deputy.

BAY VIEW LODGE, No. 54, meets every Thursday in the School House, Red Head.
Capt. Henry Anthony, Lodge Deputy.

GUIDING STAR LODGE, No. 56, meets every Monday in Mission Hall, Portland.
D. Orum, Lodge Deputy.

PRIZE BANNER LODGE, No. 57, Upper Sackville, Westmorland Co.,
Lund, Lodge Deputy.

LORNE LODGE, No. 58, Johnstone, Queen's Co.
R. B. Akerly, Lodge Deputy.

FOREST GLEN LODGE, No. 59, Pollet River, Westmorland Co.
J. W. Colpits

DEGREE TEMPLES.

ALPHA TEMPLE, No. 1, meets the first Wednesday of each month, St. John.

WESTERN STAR TEMPLE, No. 2, meets the first Thursday of each month, Carleton.

EXCELSIOR TEMPLE, No. 3, meets the first and third Thursday of each month, Fredericton.

JUVENILE TEMPLES.

INTERNATIONAL TEMPLE, No. 4, meets every Friday in Horton's Hall, Charlotte Street,

BANNER TEMPLE, No. 9, meets every Tuesday in Orange Hall, Carleton.

COMMUNICATIONS.

To the Editor of the "WEST-SIDE REVIEW."

Dear Sir:

It has been the custom of our members, and among the sisters especially, during the transaction of business to keep up a constant laughing and loud whisper. It is more especially noticed during the initiation ceremony when, in spite of the appeal of the Worthy Chief Templar for good order, the disturbance is kept up. This kind of conduct is not only unbecoming in our brothers and sisters, but it also shows a great want of common sense, and is often the result of bad training. This amusement is not only annoying to a majority of the members, but it is also annoying to the officers, and tends to lessen their interest in the lodge and its members. Our initiatory ceremony as is well known to our members, should be well conducted with quietness and attention, if we wish to make the new member take an interest in the workings of the lodge.

To strangers, this conduct is most despicable, and leads them to entertain the idea that we meet together, merely for the purpose of passing the time away, instead of working for temperance.

Now Mr. Editor, I do not wish to deprive the Members of any amusement they may engage in, we have our intermission, let what carrying on there is to be done, *be done then*, and when the presiding officer calls for order let him have it.

Members show respect to your Officers if you would have them respect you and take an interest in the lodge. They should also remember that their conduct is not only noticed in the lodge room but it is also noticed in their every day life, the temperance men of our city are noticed by every eye. It has been the custom of a number of members of the Order to congregate in the door-way of our lodge rooms, and their conduct has become a nuisance to passers by and has, I am sorry to say, frequently called the attention of the police. I would ask our Brothers and Sisters to pause a moment Mr. Editor, and ask themselves this question "am I acting like a Good Templar."

By giving space to the above you will greatly oblige
"GOOD TEMPLAR."

Victoria Lodge, No. 49, I. O. G. T.

To the Editor of the WEST SIDE REVIEW,
Dear Sir and Brother:

Knowing that you always like to hear what we are doing in our Lodge, and what progress we are making, I am happy to state that Victoria Lodge is yet in a flourishing condition, and we continue to have excellent meetings. It is true that shortly after the great fire, with which we were visited, the members seemed to have lost, to a great extent, the interest which they had previously manifested in its workings, incident to the many losses which they have individually sustained, as well as the great change made in the second anniversary. A few, however, continued to visit and give by their presence, good cheer, wholesome counsel and advice to those who like themselves, were to be found among the faithful. We number now 49 members, with the prospect of an increase. We hope that in our next report to your paper, the number will be greatly augmented. We are favored sometimes with the presence of visiting brethren, which is always pleasing to the officers and members of the lodge. Our Worthy District Deputy, John Meahan, is prominently noted for his visits, which are always marked by some words of good counsel and profitable advice, giving much encouragement to the whole membership. Some four weeks since I visited Fredericton, and whilst there, I had the pleasure of visiting the Golden Rule and Fredericton Lodges. They both seemed to be in a flourishing condition, and laboring earnestly for the good of the order. There seems to be permeating and pervading among them, that cord of unity and amity that should characterize all the members and laborers of temperance, trying with and trying to excel each other in good works. I was forcibly struck with the marked degree of courtesy shown me, and the kindness evinced by the members towards each other; not only in this instance have these traits of kindness been done, but also at Hillsboro. Myself and others from St. John witnessed the cordial hospitality of the members of the order, evincing that that the members had our motto, F. H. and C., at heart, as well as in name, which should permanently stand out upon the brow of each member.

Not wishing to trespass more upon your space at present, Mr. Editor, I wish your paper, which has done a great work for the order, much success, and remain,

Yours in F. H. and C.,

C. SPARROW, W. C. T.

John Hughes, Esq., a temperance worker of some note, died at Fredericton on the 10th.

The *Seninel* is the name of a new temperance paper published in St. Stephen.

Resolutions of Sympathy.

St. John, December 6th, 1878.

At a regular meeting of Maritime Lodge, held this Friday Evening, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Whereas: The "Reaper of Death with His Sickle Keen" has entered the family circle of two of the brothers of our lodge, and deprived them of a loving father and a wise counsellor, to whom he was endeared by his manifest kindness and care, and

Whereas: In his death, which occurred last evening, after a short and painful illness, the family have lost a kind father and an affectionate husband; and the community, a faithful and upright member, who will deeply feel and regret their loss.

Therefore be it Resolved: That while we join with their large circle of friends, in deploring the loss of his christian association, we bow in humble submission to the will of Him who has declared that he will be a father to the fatherless and a husband to the widow.

Further Resolved: That we tender our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved widow, our brothers and their friends! and commend them to Him who tempers the wind to the shorn lam b.

Further Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be entered on the minutes; also, send one to the bereaved family, and furnish a third to be inserted in the official organ of the Order.

[On the following Friday Evening, Bro. John Thompson made an appropriate and touching reply, thanking the members for remembering them in their time of trouble.—Ed.]

Results of Liquor.

John Murray, of Syracuse, N. Y., drank a quart of whiskey a few days ago, on a wager of \$2 and died at 4 o'clock next morning.

William J. Rogres, charged with breaking into the store of Mr. Thos. McN. Rankine, on Brussell St., pleaded guilty and said he was drunk at the time. He was committed for trial at the January sitting of the Circuit Court.

A prisoner on being found guilty of forgery, was asked by the judge if he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed upon him, replied as follows: "I have just said that I am guilty. It was rum that did it. It was not my mother's boy." He was sentenced for 2 years.—*Salt Lake Tribune.*

Sastrafoley, who murdered a man named Matheron, at Lake Champlain, on the 22nd of July last, was hung at St. John's, Quebec, on the 13th instant. The two men had been drinking together for some days before the murder. Castrafoley protested his innocence on the scaffold; but previously made a confession of guilt to his lawyer, Mr. St. Pierre.

In New York, on December 3rd, a man named John S. Downing, killed his wife, Margaret Downing. He had been on a spree for a few days and had been noticed by the neighbors to act strangely. A short time before the body of his wife was discovered the two were heard quarrelling. Downing when questioned, said he knew nothing about it.—*New York Papers.*

Mr. Robt. Stewart of Portland, while quietly walking on Mill Street, last Monday evening, was attacked by a drunken man. Mr. S. received severe injuries, his head striking on the ground, causing a large quantity of blood to flow from the wound. The assailant escaped. From this incident it can easily be seen that no one is safe on the streets, when drunkards are around. At the same time our license-law legalizes drunkard making.

On Friday, the 3rd inst., Sarah Murch, was charged at the police court with being drunk. She had only been released from jail a few days before, at the earnest solicitation of the Ladies' Temperance Union. Police Magistrate Gilbert thus addressed the prisoner, "I pity you; you will go to jail for two months." Here is a case where a Temperance Society tried their best to reclaim one poor victim of rum, but alas! the temptation was too strong, for the bar-room has thrown around it, the protection of the law. How long is this state of things to last.

Last Saturday John Driscoll, an old offender, was brought before Police Magistrate Gilbert, charged with drunkenness, when the magistrate addressed him thus: "John, I am sorry to see you here again, When I first knew you, you were a strong healthy man; but now through your drinking habits, you have become greatly reduced. At that time, you were able to gain a living, and possessed abilities more than ordinary." We would call the attention of our friends on the other side to this case. His honor's remarks are very good, but while the present liquor law remains on our books, all his efforts to protect such men, are futile. What we want to do is to protect men with just such strong appetites as Driscoll, by making it a crime to commit them.

More Liquor Importations.

Since our last issue, the following liquor imports are reported: Ex Steamer Sarmarian from Great Britain, via Halifax; 20 baskess Champagne, Thos. Furlong; 4 kilderkins ale, Stephens & Figgures.

From the United States: half barrel of cider.

Among the reports of the Inland Revenue Department, we notice the following for the Saint John district, during the month of November:

In the year 1878 against 1877.

Spirits, \$8,000.03.	- - - - -	\$9,805.51.
Malt, \$11,834.60.	- - - - -	\$12,658.40.

Public Temperance Meetings.

Tuesday evening December 3rd.—The Indian-town Reform Club held a very successful entertainment in Court's Hall.

Rev. Thomas Gales, addressed a large meeting in the City Hall Fredericton, on Wednesday Nov. 6th. The speaker dwelt chiefly on the working and explanation of the Permissive Bill.

Carleton Reform Club held a meeting in Tilton, Hall, at which earnest speeches were made by Rev. Mr. Weddall and Bro. Calven Powers. It is the intention of the Club to keep up these meetings regularly.

On Sunday the 6th inst, a Public Temperance meeting was held in St. Peter's Hall, Portland, under the auspices of St. Peter's Total Abstinence Society, at which were made by Rev. Mr. McDevitt, and Rev. Mr. Colorette.

The Reform Club held their regular weekly meeting in the Y. M. C. A. Hall, on Saturday evening, December 7. The chair was taken Aaron Armstrong, Esq' and earnest speeches on the Temperance subject were made by W. P. Dole Esq., Dr. LeBaron Botsford and Rev. W. J. Kirby.

Gibson Lodge, T. A. U. of Marysville, held a public temperance meeting in Gibson's Hall on Friday evening the 3rd. inst. Rev. Mr. Duncan and J. F. McManus, Esq of Fredericton, gave able addresses, which were well appreciated by the audience. The hall was crowded.

On Tuesday, the 11th, the Dutcher Society of Chatham, held a Public Meeting in the Masonic Hall of that place, at which speeches were made by Rev. Mr. McBain and Mr. Tweedie, both of whom referred to the Permissive Bill. This society is doing a noble work in Chatham.

A public meeting was held by International Lodge, on Sunday Dec. 1st, in their Hall Charlotte street, opening at 8 p. m. Addresses were made by Messrs. S. B. Paterson, and Thomas W. Dale. These meetings are attended by Lodge members, and no doubt their influence for good is very powerful.

Maritime Lodge, held their meeting on the same evening, and at the same hour, in their Hall, King street, which was addressed by Samuel Tufts, Esq. G. W. P., S. of T. This lodge ever since organization, has done a good work and has labored with an untiring zeal to place Temperance and Good Templar's before the public.

On Sunday evening the Dec. 6, International Lodge held their regular Sunday evening meeting in their hall, to a large audience, when speeches were made by Mr. Wells and Mr. Thos. Dale, the latter speaker favoring the adoption of the Permissive Bill. Bro. J. D. Mason, occupied the chair and Bro. E. March, presided at the organ.

Maritime Lodge also held their Sunday evening meeting, at the same time, in their hall to a good audience. Bro. F. Blackadar, was chairman, and addresses were made by Bro. John Beamish, and Bro. Calven Powers. These meetings, we are glad to say, are meeting with success. Sister Nellie Upton presided at the organ.

St. Stephen's Reform Club held a Public Meeting in Watson's Hall, on Monday evening, the 10th, when an address, of over an hour, was made by Mr J. M. Skinner, of Boston. This club intend to celebrate their second anniversary on the 22nd, with another public meeting, when some of the best talent in Charlotte County will take part.

The Catholic T. A. Union held a meeting in St. Malichi's Hall on Wednesday evening Dec. 4th, on which occasion the hall was crowded. R. J. Ritchie Esq. M. P. P., presided over the meeting and made a short speech in opening. He was followed by the Rev. A. Oulett, Rev. P. Connolly and Mr. P. J. O'Keefe, who spoke of the benefits to be derived from moral suasion. The Carleton Serenade Band played several selections during the evening which were well received by the audience.

Previous to the "Grand Rally" of the C. T. A. Union at the St. Malichi's Hall, Wednesday evening Dec. 4th, the Father Matthew Association headed by the City Cornet Band formed a torchlight procession, and marched through the principal streets of the city. Considering that the night was rainy and the streets in bad condition, they made a fine turnout, there being about 400 in the ranks. The band did not play with their new instruments, on account of the weather, but their music, notwithstanding, was very fine, and shows that they are improving under band-master Dixon.

SEVEN STAR'S ENTERTAINMENT.—This Lodge which is so famous for its successful gatherings, held another one in their Hall cor. Union and Charlotte streets last Thursday evening. The attendance was quite large and every one present proved by their repeated exhibitions of applause, the satisfaction which the rendering of the programme caused them. The chair was ably occupied by Bro. T. C. Washington, while Bro. C. H. Hill, superintended the refreshment table, which was bountifully filled and well arranged. Sister Hartt, presided at the organ, and during the evening played some fine selections.

A Good Templar was seen sitting on the cross-piece of the flag-pole on one of our City Engine Houses this morning. Fifty feet high with legs dangling carelessly to and fro caused passers by to remark that the fellow was somewhat "elevated." On enquiring however, we ascertained that he was there on business. The brother's a rigger.