

WOODSTOCK
FOR ORANGE GRAND
LODGE IN 1927

J. Starr Tait Re-elected
Grand Master—Meet-
ing Was Concluded at
3.30 This Morning.

The Grand Orange Lodge of New Brunswick completed its eighty-third annual session at an early hour this morning at the I. O. O. F. Hall and adjourned. The place of meeting for 1927 is Woodstock and the date is the third Wednesday in April.

The meeting here was very successful the attendance being large and representative and the interest keen. The business was not concluded until 3.30 this morning.

Officers Installed.

El. H. Clarkson, Past Grand Master conducted the election of officers, and David Hipwell, Past Grand Master, the installation. J. Starr Tait of Saint John was re-elected Grand Master.

Officers are as follows:—
J. Starr Tait, Saint John, G. M.
Dr. W. B. Robertson, Keswick Ridge D. G. M.

T. Doig, Moncton, J. D. G. M.
Rev. W. C. V. Martin, Canterbury, B. C.

W. H. Sulis, Saint John, G. S.
Robert Wills, Lower Millstream, C. F.

A. W. Clark, Woodstock, G. M.
J. W. Merrithew, Keswick, G. L.
J. McCallom, Campbellton, D. G. L.
S. W. Palmer, Saint John, G. Auditor.

Harry Sellen, Saint John, G. Auditor.
J. Barry Allen, Fredericton, D. G. S.

Medals Presented.

At Thursday afternoon's session a delegation from the Provincial Convention, L. O. B. A., was received and extended greetings to the Grand Lodge.

There also was the presentation of medals to members who had fifty years' membership in the order. Those who received medals were:—Charles Lewin, Canterbury; Thomas Coggin, Sussex; Richard Sprague, Collina, King's County; Hamilton Kyle, New Jerusalem; Richard Lessen, Sussex; Rev. J. E. Flewelling, Canterbury; King McFarlane, Markhamville; Charles A. Jones, Saint John.

Thomas H. Bell, of the Toronto, of the insurance division, addressed the lodge.

Banquet in Evening.

From 5.30 until the evening session the vestry of the Wilmot Church was the scene of a most enjoyable banquet attended by both Grand Lodge and L. O. B. A. The speakers were Grand Master J. Starr Tait, Deputy Grand Master Robertson of Keswick and E. C. Atkinson, M. P. P., of this city.

City Affairs

Afternoon Tea

Mrs. R. L. Phillips and Mrs. W. C. Kierstead are joint hostesses at a tea at the residence of Mrs. Phillips this afternoon.

Returning Home.

Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Foster who have been spending the winter in the South of France are now on their way home and will arrive here early in May.

Strategy Board Met.

Members of the opposition Board of Strategy included Dr. W. P. Broderick and E. S. Carter of Saint John, were in the city last evening conferring with the opposition leader and his legislative followers on hydro matters. It is understood that it was decided to vigorously oppose the Grand Falls legislation now before the House.

Teacher Resigns.

Miss Margaret Lynds who for some years has held a position on the staff of the provincial Normal School as teacher of elocution has tendered her resignation. On account of all health, Miss Lynds obtained leave of absence last fall and proceeded to Ann Arbor, Michigan, where she has been spending the winter.

A Strange Visitor.

A large horned owl, disporting itself on a tree near the Parish Church yesterday provided excitement for the small boys in the neighborhood. It was chased by a flock of crows, but finally succeeded in beating them off. When darkness came on last night it was presumed that the strange visitor returned to its forest home as it was missing this morning.

VICTORIA
HOSPITAL HAS
GRADUATION

Class of Seven Sent Out
From Institution This
Afternoon—Public
Exercises Were Held.

Victoria Public Hospital of this city this afternoon graduated a class of seven young ladies as nurses.

The class is composed of the following:—

Helen Wallace McCain, Florenceville, Ellan Louise Sansom, Cross Creek, Jennie Elizabeth Carle, Margerville, Bessie Mildred Connell, St. George, Della Mae Bryant, Norton, Sara Marie Stusuk, Norton, Emma Violet Work, Andover.

The Prize Winners.

The prize winners were as follows: Dr. G. C. VanWart's prize for Surgical Nursing, Miss McCain, presented by Dr. VanWart; Hospital Aid prize for Obstetrics, Miss Carle, presented by Mrs. C. D. Richards; Corbett-Cowley Co. Toronto, prize for General Proficiency and Executive Ability, Miss Bryant, presented by Dr. C. C. Jones.

Addresses Delivered.

Exercises were held in the Brunswick Street Baptist vestry.

Addresses delivered were by His Lordship Bishop Richardson who spoke to the graduating class and by Dr. D. W. Ross who spoke on behalf of the Trustee Board.

The valedictory was by Miss Sansom. There were vocal solos by Mrs. Neva Buckley Inch and Miss Eileen Keenan.

Prorogation Next Week

It is likely that when the Legislature adjourns this afternoon it will stand adjourned until Tuesday afternoon. A lot of important business remains to be disposed of but it is thought that it can be disposed of to permit of prorogation either on Thursday night or Friday morning. Supply has been made the order of the day for Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. A. C. Millie of Halifax is in the city today.

Dr. W. P. Broderick of Saint John was in the city last evening.

Hon. J. A. Murray, of Saint John, Immigration Commissioner is in the city.

POWER BILL
RECEIVED SOME
AMENDMENTS

Corporations Committee
Had Long Session for
Its Consideration This
Morning—Some
Points Opposed.

After a long session this morning the Corporations Committee completed consideration of the bill to incorporate the Saint John River Power Company, which is to develop Grand Falls for the International Paper Co. Some alterations were made. The reservation for public use of power was 27,345,000 kilowatt hours and not as previously announced.

Official Report.

Corporations Committee, April 23rd, 1926.

The bill to incorporate the St. John River Power Company was taken up and agreement entered into that the non-contentious sections should be passed, and those requiring further discussion allowed to stand.

In passing, Mr. Veniot opposed the provision for deposit of \$50,000 by the company as being too small an amount, and in the section in regard to running transmission lines he claimed the Company should be given no right to distribute general electric power anywhere it pleased.

Hon. Mr. Baxter said that was understood, but that the company must have the power to go anywhere that it built its pulp and paper mills. He only regretted that the supply of power probable at Grand Falls might preclude the ability of the Company to put mills at St. John.

Regarding details of construction of transmission lines it was urged that the high tension wires should be suspended at least thirty feet above any public highway. P. J. Hughes, representing the New Brunswick Telephone Company, asked that the usual clause for the protection of telephone, telegraph or electric light and power companies, now existing, should be inserted. This was done.

The sections in regard to taxation were made to read that only the Power Company's plant at Grand Falls and transmission lines, could be exempt from municipal and similar taxation. For school purposes in the town of Grand Falls it was provided that \$5,000 per year should be paid by the company for school purposes. The exemption from taxation does not include any mills that may be erected. The Committee adjourned at 1.45 p. m.

Dr. George J. Oulton of Moncton is among the guests at the Windsor.

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