



THE SONS OF ENGLAND DEGREE TEAM.

From a Photo taken last Monday.

Upper row, from the left:—Henry M. Chandler, A. E. W. Douse, W. N. Tanton, S. J. Whitlock, T. E. E. Robins, George W. Worthy, William Fearson, C. D. Fraser, Thomas Fraas, W. F. M. Gill, Fred. P. Newson, E. H. Duchemin.

MACKENZIE MANN BREAK RECORDS

In Laying Track Mileage on Great Northern.

Beating Even the C. P. R.—Important Bills at Ottawa Referred to Different Special Committees.

WILL BREAK ALL RECORDS.
WINNIPEG, April 23.—(Special)—Dan Mann says the Canadian Northern expects to lay more track this year than was ever before laid in one season in the west.
The Canadian Pacific's record is 446 miles.
IMPORTANT BILLS REFERRED.
OTTAWA, April 23.—(Special)—The Railway Committee have referred to a special committee McLean's Telephone Bill and the Private Bills Committee did the same with the famous Winding Ledges Dam Bill.

DIED.

Entered into rest last evening, April 23, at Keswick House, at the residence of her nephew R. E. Hodgson, in the 91st year of her age, Catherine MacDonell, last surviving daughter of the late Captain Ronald MacDonell, Glenarry Light Infantry—Town Major of Charlottetown.

DEFENCE GROUND IN GAMEY CASE

Frank Sullivan Swears There Was Conspiracy

To Overthrow Ross Government—Gamey is Nervous But Claims He Will Soon Explain Everything.

THE GROUND OF DEFENCE.
TORONTO, April 23.—(Special)—The ground of defence to the Gamey charges is now well defined.
AN ALLEGED CONSPIRACY.
It is coming out in Frank Sullivan's evidence that he states the day before the opening of the session R. R. Gamey proposed that they enter into a combination and concert a story to overthrow the Ross Government.
BIG REWARDS HOPED FOR.
He said that they would receive for their services large sums for telling a good story in connection with the bribing of Gamey.
They were also to get up stories of the way the elections were carried in the three Norths.
GAMEY NERVOUS BUT SAYS HE'LL EXPLAIN
Gamey is suffering from nervousness and will enter a hospital here.
He says he has done nothing wrong and is able to explain everything in the witness box.

BRITISH DEFEAT IN SOMALILAND

A Force of 220 Are Practically Annihilated.

Report of Disaster Fully Confirmed—Deaf Mutes Join a Big Chicago Electric Workers' Strike.

A DISASTER IN SOMALILAND.
ADEN, Arabia, April 23.—(Special)—The British transport Hardinge from Berbera, the capital of Somaliland, East Africa, has confirmed the report of a British defeat in Somaliland. Ten officers and 190 men out of a British force of 220 were killed in the engagement with the Somalis.
DEAF MUTES GO ON STRIKE.
CHICAGO, April 23.—(Special)—A hundred and fifty deaf mute electrical workers have struck along with the other workmen for shorter hours.
A thousand men are idle in consequence of the strike.

CHARGES BROUGHT AGAINST REV. BARR

At Indignation Meeting of the Colonists

He Admits Receiving Commissions But Denies Some Charges and Offers His Books for Inspection.

CHARGES FORMULATED AGAINST BARR.
SASKATOON, N.W.T., April 23.—(Special)—The Barr settlers formulated their charges against their leader at a largely attended meeting.
BARR MAKES SOME ADMISSIONS.
Rev. Mr. Barr admitted that he had received commissions on the steamship tickets and on large purchases, but denied having solicited commissions from the immigrants of Saskatoon.
HIS BOOKS FOR INSPECTION
He made an address defining his financial position and said his books were open for inspection.
ANOTHER TAKES CHARGE.
Immigration Agent Speers has taken charge of all the settlers without funds. Thirty have started on railway work.

THE SONS OF ENGLAND GRANDLY CELEBRATE ST. GEORGE'S DAY

The Lodges of Charlottetown Visit The Western City and Organize a New Branch of the Order There—A Great Day For St. George and Merrie England.

Never in the history of the Sons of England, in this province, has the anniversary of their Patron Saint been celebrated with such eclat and with such a display of national spirit as was manifested yesterday.
Shortly after two o'clock in the afternoon the procession composed of members of Lodges Eton and Prince Edward formed at the Lodge Rooms on Victoria Row, and headed by the band of the Order proceeded to the Railway Station en route to Summerside where the new branch of the Order was about to be organized. The parade presented an excellent appearance in the radiant sunlight of a spring afternoon and many were the words of praise as the procession marched through the streets of Charlottetown.
"St. George for Merrie England," was the watchword yesterday, when Summerside was invaded by the army of the Sons of England from Charlottetown. A special train bringing eighty-two members of the Order from the city arrived there about half past four p. m. The train was profusely decorated with bunting, emblems of the society, etc; the letters S. O. E. surrounded with roses of white and red adorned the front of the engine, while on either side were the words "God bless Our King and Queen." But not the least interesting was the fact that all the officials of the train were members of the brotherhood excepting the engineer, the man intended to make the run having been detained on account of the death of his father. The train was in charge of Conductor Thompson.
When at the station the Summerside Cornet Band was in readiness and immediately a parade was formed. They marched up Water Street, Central, thence up to Notre Dame then across to Granville and down to Water, again up Water Street to the Foresters' Hall.
It is very seldom that Summerside witnesses such a magnificent procession as was seen yesterday and not only in numbers was the affair made especially attractive but in appearance the brethren from Charlottetown were much in advance of the ordinary society gatherings seen there. It was St. George's Day and the Charlottetown branches partly to celebrate their Patron Saint in the western capital, but



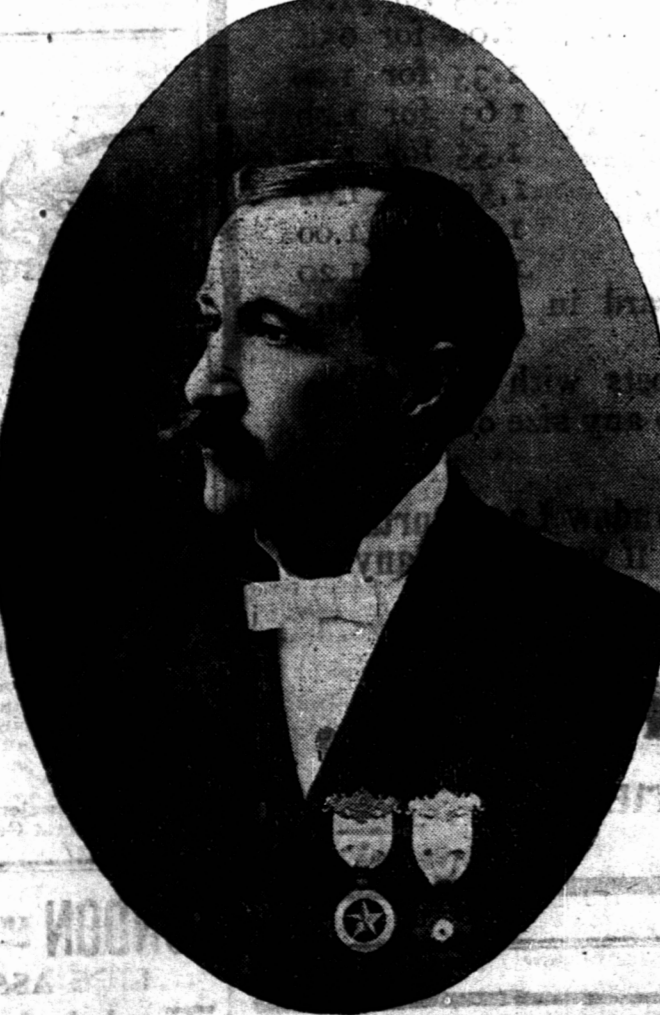
chiefly to assist in the organization of a branch of the order in Summerside had come to do honor to the order.
At about 7.30 p. m. the brethren met in Foresters' Hall where fourteen of the new candidates of Summerside took the obligation, were given the first degree and proceeded with organization of a new branch, which shall be known as Lodge St. George, No 257 district.
Deputy W. F. H. Gill presided and the following officers were elected and installed.
Past President—Charles R. Rogers.
President—A. C. Saunders.
Vice-President—Rev. T. C. Mellor.
Chaplain—Dr. A. W. Leard.
Secretary—W. E. Auctent.
Treasurer—Dr. Fred A. LeFurgey.
First Committeeman—J. B. C. (Baker).
Second Committeeman—W. A. King.
Third Committeeman—M. L. F. McGill.
Fourth Committeeman—H. T. Morris.
Inner Guard—A. Cairns.
Outer Guard—James Egan.
It was decided that the regular night of meeting be the second and fourth Mondays of each month, place of meeting to be selected by a committee appointed for that purpose. After general business, the second degree was conferred by the visiting brethren.



THE SONS OF ENGLAND ORCHESTRA.

From a Photo taken last Monday.

Upper row, from the left:—H. H. Lowe, C. F. Davison, W. C. Cook, Chas. Hine, H. W. Weeks, F. P. Newson, A. E. Smith.
Lower row, from the left:—W. N. Duchemin, W. A. McKie, L. W. Watson, G. F. Hutcheson, W. T. Wellner.



W. F. H. GILL, President Sons of England Degree Team.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

OF PERSONAL INTEREST.
AFTERNOON SESSION, TUESDAY
House met at 3.15.
The House resumed committee on the bill to incorporate the Clifton Presbyterian church.
Progress was reported and leave asked to sit again.
The House resolved itself into committee on the bill to amend the Summerside Incorporation Act.
The bill was reported agreed to and set down for third reading tomorrow.
Acts to incorporate the trustees of St. James Presbyterian Church, Covehead and St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Brackley Point were read a third time and passed.
Hon. Mr. SIMPSON then resumed his speech on the Budget debate, a report of which appears elsewhere.
House adjourned at six o'clock.

CANADIAN STOCKS.

Daily Quotation List Furnished by G. RYKERT & CO., MEMBERS OF THE MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Stock	Apr. 22	Apr. 23
Closing Prices	135	132 1/2
C. P. R.	114	114
Twin City	269	268
Montreal St.	111 1/2	110 1/2
Toronto City	—	—
Hull Street	—	—
Richellen & Ontario ex div	94	94
Dominion Coal Common	110 1/2	110 1/2
Dom. I. and S. Com	31 1/2	30
7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
" Bond	78 1/2	78 1/2
Nova Scotia Steel	100 1/2	102 1/2
Montreal Power	96	95 1/2
Consol Superior	—	—
Ogilvie Bonds	—	—
Detroit	84 1/2	82 1/2

ANNOUNCEMENTS

H. W. Turner, O'Leary was in the city yesterday.
E. T. Higgs left for Nova Scotia on a business trip.
Bert Hale Charlottetown, is registered at the Grand—Sydney Post.
Miss Amy Palmer has gone to Philadelphia on a short visit to friends.
It is with great pleasure that the Guardian learns that J. R. Davison was improved last night.
Miss Harriet Matthews has been engaged as teacher in the primary department of the Alberton High School.
Miss Margaret Smith and Miss Louise Barrett arrived last night from Newport Training Hospital, on a three weeks visit to their homes.

MARRIED.

At Halifax, N. S., April 21st by Rev. W. H. Smith, Ph.D., Mr. Thomas E. Ramsay of Summerside, P. E. I. and Miss Mary S. Maclean of Darham, N. S.
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