



The Waldemar Lodge 566 was formed on August 3, 1854 with Alexander Burke as master. The first Orange Hall was out at the highway. The above picture was taken about 1912. The Waldemar lodge won first prize at Orangeville the time this picture was taken.

Front Row

Ross Lomas  
 Henry Thompson  
 Charlie McKitrick  
 Ed. Groskurth  
 George Gamble  
 Sam Courtney  
 Gordon Edgar  
 Jim Talbot  
 Oliver Lomas  
 Sam Thompson  
 Alex Thompson  
 Will Gamble  
 Bob Rodgers  
 Jack McLeod  
 Miles Johnson

Back Row

Wm. John Brown  
 George Warden  
 Robert McConachie  
 Jim White  
 John Groskurth  
 Jim Wolfe  
 Bill McConachie  
 Hiram Evans  
 Bill Johnston  
 Fred Gamble  
 Earl Courtney  
 Bill Warden

The present Orange hall stands on or near the old cemetery property. It was first renovated and a kitchen added about 1955. In 1969 and 1970 it was panelled and a heating system installed.