

The Grand Master appointed P. G. Master Bro. James Woodyatt, Grand Conductor *pro tem*.

The R. W. Grand Master then appointed Grand Secretary Bro. Richard Wigmore, D. G. Master Bro. Thomas Browne, Representatives John Barr and Henry McAfee, a committee on Credentials, who after examining the Certificates as presented, submitted the following Report, which was adopted:

*To the R. W. Grand Lodge of Canada West, I. O. O. F.:*

Your Committee after a careful examination, find the Credentials of the following named Past Grands, duly formed and attested as Representatives from their respective Lodges to this Grand Lodge, and recommend their admission to seats in this Grand Lodge, viz:

Representative JOHN TAYLOR, Jr.	.....	Brook Lodge	.....	No. 9
" GEORGE WALES,	.....	} Union Lodge,	.....	No. 16
" A. PURVIS,	.....			
" THOMAS BENNETT,	.....	Chatham Lodge,	.....	No. 29
" GEORGE POWELL,	.....	} Eureka Lodge,	.....	No. 30
" JAMES HERON,	.....			
" WILLIAM A. GLOVER,	.....	Erie Lodge,	.....	No. 33
" JOSIAH B. KING,	.....	Gore Lodge,	.....	No. 34
" JAMES MCINTYRE,	.....	Samaritan Lodge,	.....	No. 35
" GEORGE MARLATT,	.....	St. Mary's Lodge,	.....	No. 36
" H. C. FORSYTH,	.....	Imperial Lodge,	.....	No. 37
" EDMUND BELTZ,	.....	} Forest City Lodge,	.....	No. 38
" WILLIAM HARRISON,	.....			
" C. B. TAYLOR,	.....	Avon Lodge,	.....	No. 41
" GEORGE WENETT,	.....	Long Point Lodge,	.....	No. 42
" C. W. KEMPSTER,	.....	Excelsior Lodge,	.....	No. 44
" HENRY MCAFEE,	.....	} Frontier Lodge,	.....	No. 45
" JOHN BATTY,	.....			

Your Committee on Credentials find the foregoing Representatives correct and entitled to seats in this Grand Lodge, but we find that the following named Lodges are not yet represented, viz: Samaritan Lodge No. 34, and Long Point Lodge, No. 42. We also find that P. G. Bennett of Chatham Lodge, No. 29, has not a Representative's Certificate. We also find that the following named Past Grands have the proper Certificates as such and entitled to the Grand Lodge Degree, and to seats as members in this Grand Lodge, viz: E. G. Miller, Excelsior Lodge, No. 44, Thomas Bennett, Chatham Lodge, No. 29, Adam Purvis, Union Lodge, No. 16, H. C. Forsyth of Imperial Lodge, No. 37, and Archibald Frew of Excelsior Lodge, No. 44.

(Signed)

RICHARD WIGMORE,  
THOMAS BROWNE,  
JOHN BARR,  
HENRY MCAFEE.

In conclusion your Committee move the following—  
*Resolved*, That the foregoing Report be adopted—*Carried*.

Moved by Rep. Henry McAfee, and seconded by G. Warden, John Barr.  
That P. G. Bro. Thos. Bennett of Chatham Lodge, No. 29, be admitted to a seat in this Grand Lodge, and also that he be recognized as the Representative of said Lodge, waiving the formality of a Representative's Certificate—*Carried*.  
Your Committee also find the following Brothers duly certified as Past Grands, and entitled to membership in this Grand Lodge, viz:

A. PURVIS,	.....	Union Lodge,	.....	No. 16
THOMAS BENNETT,	.....	Chatham Lodge,	.....	No. 29