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STATEMENT CONCERNING THE GRAND LODGE OF QUEBEC.

We regret that our space will not admit of a more extended notice than the present of the statement of the G. L. of Quebec issued by that G. L. and bearing the signature of M. W. Bro. Graham, G. M. It is of considerable literary merit and establishes beyond a doubt that efforts extending over four years were fruitlessly made to procure a peaceful separation from the G. L. of Canada. It discusses the movement from the moment of its inception down to the present time, and is divided into three heads. "*The Origin and Progress of the Movement,*" gives a complete and succinct history from 1865-66 down to the 20th October 1868, the date of the "*Formation of the Grand Lodge of Quebec,*" under which head is taken up the proceedings had by the delegates at the Convention with an accurate statement of the facts as they transpired, exposing the absurd and nonsensical action of the Grand Master of the G. L. of Canada, in the face of an almost unanimous wish of the brethren of this Province. In connection with this, it appears by this document that there are 25 chartered and 3 U. D. Lodges now under the jurisdiction of Quebec, making 28 altogether, while the G. L. of Canada now only numbers 10. One Lodge has not reported yet. There are in addition 2 Lodges under English and 1 under Scotch register. The following is to the point with regard to Lodges purporting to exist.

"There is also reported to be what is called a Lodge, meeting in virtue of the Warrant of which Zetland Lodge was *unlawfully* deprived; and there are also said to be two or three *duplicate* Lodges meeting under *dispensations*