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Quebec is generally looked upon as unfavorable to the growth of masonry, but the foregoing figures show that only twelve Grand Lodges of the forty-four who give the number of members and number initiated, show a larger percentage of initiations upon the membership during the past year. Quebec leads the older provinces of Canada, the figures being:

Quebec.....	6.32 per cent.
Canada.....	6.03 "
Nova Scotia.....	5.71 "
Prince Edward Island.....	3.58 "
New Brunswick.....	3.01 "

While our new Province of Manitoba heads the whole list, being 12.50 per cent.

In the average number of members per lodge, there are thirty-one Grand Lodges who show a higher average than Quebec, thirteen who show a smaller average and two who show the same.

In the Dominion of Canada it stands:

Canada.....	51	Members per Lodge.
British Columbia.....	51	" "
Prince Edward Island.....	48	" "
Nova Scotia.....	44	" "
Quebec.....	40	" "
Manitoba.....	32	" "

Your committee in conclusion would say that there are many other things which have transpired in the other Grand Lodges, which we would like to place before you, but we fear that our report is already too long, and we think that we have touched upon the subjects of most interest.

J. Fred. Walker
Chairman

Average No. per Lodge.	Initiations p. c. of total membership.
28	5.00
26	8.35
51	7.84
58	4.05
131	4.25
64	10.45
131	3.16
51	6.03
34	12.38
61	4.42
53	5.20
50	6.49
32	4.82
34	3.32
32	12.50
105	3.18
56	3.46
114	3.81
78	3.73
49	6.56
47	4.24
32	4.97
36	5.25
50	7.06
62	3.01
78	3.27
31	9.78
70	4.58
101	3.98
44	5.71
29	3.86
102	2.51
60	
40	5.53
93	2.61
48	3.58
40	6.32
114	2.89
33	
40	4.73
39	3.25
56	7.40
79	3.71
44	
33	6.94
42	6.12
68	6.43