

thren, and since that date a further sum  
in all the very substantial amount of  
money has been paid out without any  
special case.

#### TRANSFER.

ons adopted by the Provincial Grand  
at its meetings held at St. Thomas and  
by this Grand Lodge, a transfer of the  
ade from the Provincial Grand Orange  
Grand Orange Lodge of British America,  
into effect the first week in February  
and Orange Lodge of Ontario West were  
have continued, to give their valuable  
the Executive departmental work; and  
d for the excellent rules and by-laws that  
rds confirmed by the Inspector of Insur-  
and under which we are carrying on the  
ent.

#### AGENTS.

ded upon dividing up the territory into  
his part of the work is now being carried  
liable brethren have been selected and  
our jurisdiction. It will be gratifying to  
the prospects of a large addition to the  
coming fall and winter months may be  
y.

#### ASSESSMENTS.

stem that has been brought into operation  
satisfactorily thus far, and many of the  
of the provision made by the Executive,  
assessments in advance. We may therefore  
dispense with the monthly notices in the  
at a very considerable saving in the matter  
ices every month.

#### AUDIT.

nt, Secretary's and Treasurer's books have  
report will be submitted to this Grand  
course, and by said report it will be seen  
y met, and that there is a surplus to the

ipful Sir and Brethren,

Very faithfully yours,

ROBERT BIRMINGHAM.

st, 1893.

Moved by R. W. Bro. W. W. Fitzgerald, Q.C., P.G.M., O.W.,  
seconded by R. W. Bro. Major A. J. Armstrong, P.G.M., N.B., and

(6) *Resolved.*—That R. W. Bro. Wm. Nicholson, P.G.M., O.W.;  
M. W. Bro. E. F. Clarke, M.P.P., D.G.M., B.A.; W. Bro. C. W.  
Sawers, C.S., Peterborough; W. Bro. A. F. Campbell, M.P.P., P.C.M.,  
Peel; M. W. Bro. Rev. Rural Dean Cooper, B.D., D.G.C.; M. W. Bro.  
James Kelly, G.L.; R. W. Bro. Frank D. Stewart, G.T., Man.; R. W.  
Bro. Wm. Galbraith, G.M., Quebec; W. Bro. James A. Keyes, P.C.M.,  
Lincoln, and the mover, be appointed a Special Committee to whom the  
Benefit Fund report just presented be referred, together with all other  
questions relating to the Insurance Department.

### GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT.

M.W. the Grand Treasurer then presented and read his annual  
report as follows:

*To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Brethren of the  
Grand Lodge of British America:*

MOST WORSHIPFUL SIR AND BRETHREN,—I have much pleasure in  
submitting for your consideration the annual financial statement for the  
year ending April 30th, 1893, being my first statement as Grand  
Treasurer of this Grand Lodge.

Included therein you will find statements of receipts and expenditure,  
all moneys coming into my hands during the year in connection with  
this Grand Lodge, and also moneys received from the Grand Secretary,  
Bro. Robert Birmingham, in connection with the Grand Orange Lodge  
Benefit Fund for the five months ending June 30th, 1893.

Accompanying these statements will be found reports of your  
Auditors, certifying to the correctness of the accounts.

It is gratifying to me to be able to report an increase in the receipts  
of the Grand Lodge, and more particularly of the Grand Secretary's  
office for the past year, being the handsome sum of \$2,852.36, as com-  
pared with \$2,445.50 last year, being an increase of \$406.86.

The total receipts for the year are as follows:

Received from Past Grand Treasurer.....	\$2,056 72
" " Grand Secretary .....	2,852 36
" " Provincial Grand Lodges .....	1,180 00
" " Discount and Interest.....	29 43
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	\$6,118 51
From Grand Secretary for Grand Orange Lodge Benefit Fund..	13,220 49
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	\$19,339 00