always existed amongst us may continue, and that our deliberations may, with the aid of the Great Architect of the Universe, result in credit to ourselves and honor to the Craft.

JOHN YEO, Grand Master. of

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On motion of Bro. David Schurman, it was

Resolved, That the Address of the M. W. Grand Master be referred to a Special Committee.

The following brethren were appointed as members of said Committee:

Bro. David Schurman,

B. Wilson Higgs.

G. R. Montgomery.

GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT.

To the M. W. Grand Lodge of Prince Edward Island:

I have the honor to present my second annual report, as Grand Secretary, for the year just ended.

Immediately after the close of the Fifth Annual Communication I called for tenders for printing and binding three hundred and fifty copies of the proceedings, and in response to same I received offers from Coombs & Worth and Bremner Brothers, the former asking a sum equal to \$68.75, the latter \$67.45. I placed the manuscript in the hands of Bremner Brothers, on the 8th of July, their tender being the lowest. I am of opinion that the Grand Secretary would do much better in having the work expedited, if not tied down to accept the lowest tender, as the delay consequent on a change of printers is very material. When re-elected to this office, I intended having the proceedings distributed to the subordinate lodges within one month from the date of our annual communication, but from the delay occasioned by the printers, I had great trouble in obtaining same by the 1st October, an interval