Sec. 25.—In case the member in default is a member of the Dominion, or a Provincial Executive, a duplicate of the foregoing notice shall be mailed by the Secretary of the Branch to the Secretary of said Executive.

## **O**bligation and **Initiation**

Sec. 26.—In the absence of any ritual that may be hereafter adopted by the Dominion Convention, after an applicant's application has been duly accepted, he shall be admitted to membership in the Association after giving a written undertaking to abide by the constitution and by-laws of the Association in the form following:—

"I do hereby agree to become a member of The G.W.V.A., and to abide by the spirit of its constitution, by-laws and regulations."

The presiding officer shall then give to each man his membership card and badge, and at the same time furnish him with a copy of the constitution.

For a good reason, the initiation of a member may be carried out by the Executive in the above manner, but in each case full reason therefor shall be written upon the application and read out at the next general meeting.

## Expulsion of Members for Cause

Sec. 27.—Any member may be expelled from the Association for breach of his obligation, or of the constitution, or for disloyal utterances, or acts, or for profane or disorderly conduct in a meeting of any body of the Association, or for maliciously making a false charge against a member, or for conduct unworthy of a member.

Sec. 27A.—Power invested with the Chairman to suspend temporary any member who he considers guilty of creating a disturbance and schism or unseemly conduct at a general meeting—pending a sitting of a trial committee.

## Charge in Writing.

Sec. 28.—Any charge under the foregoing Sections 27 and 27A against a member must be made in writing and