

W. Senior Grand Deacon, Edward L. Wetmore, Fredericton.
 W. Junior Grand Deacon, George F. Stickney, St. Andrews.
 W. Grand Director of Ceremonies, John S. Benson, Chatham.
 W. Assist. Grand Director of Ceremonies, Henry A. Johnson, Dalhousie.
 W. Grand Sword Bearer, Henry A. White, Sussex.
 W. Grand Standard Bearer, Charles N. Scott, Woodstock.
 W. Grand Organist, Edward J. Sheldon, South Bay.
 W. Grand Pursuivant, James F. Ellis, Fairville.
 W. Grand Stewards—James Mitchell, St. Stephen; Williams Woodworth, Hillsborough; James Bently, Salisbury; William E. Skillen, St. Martin's; Thomas T. Boveridge, Andover; Malcolm Patterson, Campbellton.
 Grand Tyler, Diagee Scribner, St. John.

The Board of General Purposes is constituted as follows:—M. W. Robert T. Clinch, Grand Master; R. W. B. Lester Peters, Past Grand Master; R. W. William Wedderburn, Past Grand Master; R. W. Robert Gowan, Past Grand Master; R. W. John V. Ellis, Past Grand Master; R. W. Edwin J. Wetmore, Deputy Grand Master (President); R. W. Henry Duffell, Senior Grand Warden; R. W. James Boone, Junior Grand Warden; R. W. William F. Bunting, Grand Secretary; R. W. Edward Willis; R. W. Robert Marshall; R. W. William F. Dibblee; V. W. James McNichol, Jr.; W. J. Henry Leonard; W. T. Nisbet Robertson; R. W. John Richards; W. Andrew J. Stewart; W. Henry J. Thorne; and W. John D. Short.

The labors of Grand Lodge being ended, it was closed in Ample Form.

Grand Lodge of Quebec.

We gave in our last issue the elective officers of the Grand Lodge of Quebec. We are indebted to R. W. Bro. J. H. Isaacson, Grand Secretary, for the following list of appointments made by the M. W. the Grand Master, M. M. Tait, Esq., viz.:—
 Grand Senior Deacon, V. W. Bro. T. B. Prentiss.

Grand Junior Deacon—V. W. Bro. W. R. Cuthbert.

Grand D. of C.—V. W. Bro. Arthur B. Simpson.

Grand Organist—V. W. Bro. Michael Lynch.

Grand Pursuivant—V. W. Bro. W. D. B. Jares.

Grand Stewards—V. W. Bros. Martin Winn, D. A. Manson, P. M. A. Lyons, and David Ferguson.

Jurisprudence.

Query.—In passing a candidate to F. C. degree should he be invested with E. A. apron?

Answer.—When a candidate for advancement first enters a F. C. lodge he has on the apron of an E. A. Dur-

ing the ceremony of "passing" he is invested with the apron of a F. C.

Q. Can a brother be granted permission to retire after a ballot has been passed once, and previous to the ballot for the same candidate being taken up a second time.

A. Yes. We can see nothing wrong in this; nor can we perceive any distinction between the ballot for the same or another candidate.

Q. The Constitution permits a brother to be a member of more than one lodge. If he allows his dues in one to run behind, and is suspended in consequence, can he claim to be a member in good standing and visit other lodges?

A. He can not. His suspension by one lodge affects his Masonic standing in all other lodges, and he has no right to visit or attend any lodge until the suspension is removed.

Q. Can a brother be excused from balloting for a candidate and be allowed to sit in the lodge while said ballot is being taken?

A. No. Every member present must ballot, or the W. M. may order him to retire from the lodge. Any other rule would destroy the secrecy of the ballot, as all who were favorable to the candidate might refuse to ballot, and thus disclose those who were against him.

Q. 1. Can a lodge ballot for a candidate if less than seven of its own members are present. *2.* If there are a number of candidates to be balloted for can the W. Master keep the door closed against his own members until the ballot is passed for the whole.

A. 1. Yes. *2.* The W. M. should admit any members in waiting who may be announced while the ballot is being taken, at the conclusion of that ballot, and before the commencement of the next business, whether that business be the balloting for another candidate or not.

Q. The by-laws of a lodge require a majority of members to appropriate the funds for any purpose but ordinary working expenses. Would notice of motion do away with above condition provided that a majority of those present at the meeting sanctioned the appropriation.

A. If the by-law clearly states that a majority of all the members belonging to the lodge is required to sanc-