

Lodges, beg to recommend that the Constitution be so amended that each Lodge shall be allowed to fix the amount of the said Bond.

Faternally submitted,

S. GOUGH,	} Committee.
D. MOFFAT,	
H. BENSON,	
A. S. BAILEY,	
S. M. CUMMINGS,	

On motion the report was adopted.

Motion moved by Bro. Bauman seconded by Bro. Wood that the Executive be empowered to provide paper seals with a suitable design for the general use of our Subordinate Lodges, and that they be kept in stock by the Grand Secretary.

Amendment moved by Bro. Gough seconded by Bro. Moffat that the Subordinate Lodges be requested to provide themselves with impression seals.

The amendment was carried.

The Chairman of the Committee on Credentials reported that there were several members of our Order in the anteroom who were entitled to the Grand Lodge Degree. The Lodge was raised and the Grand Lodge Degree was conferred on Sisters M. J. Wood and Laura Gilbert, and Bros. W. E. Losee, T. W. Mouatt and A. Bell.

Bro. Holt, G. S. J. Templar, submitted a form of petition (to the Dominion Legislature) for obtaining the signatures of boys and girls, praying for the prohibition of the Liquor traffic.

Bro. Bryant submitted the following resolution which was adopted:

Resolved—That the Grand Superintendent of Juvenile Temples be requested to correspond with other Grand Lodges in the Dominion to ascertain if the petition of juveniles to the legislature in behalf of prohibition has been used there, and if so, to take similar action in our own jurisdiction.

The G. C. Templar drew attention to the desirability of electing a representative to attend the next session of the Right Worthy Grand Lodge to be held at Saratoga during the month of May, 1887, and on motion of Bro. Losee seconded by Bro. Pike it was decided to proceed with the election of a Representative and Alternate.

Motion moved by Bro. Bauman seconded by Bro. Pike that in case there are not the full number of representatives present to which a Lodge is entitled that the representative present be allowed to cast the full vote of the Lodge.

The motion was not carried.

Bros. Hemlaw, Bryant and Wood were placed in nomination for the office of representative to the next session of the R. W. G. Lodge.

The voting was by ballot, and the following vote taken:

Bro. Hemlaw received 12 votes; Bryant received 3 and Wood received 7. Bro. R. B. Hemlaw was declared elected.

Bro. J. A. Wood was elected Alternate Representative.

On motion the Grand Lodge proceeded to select the place for holding the next session of the Grand Lodge.

The City of New Westminster being the only place nominated the G. Secretary was directed to cast the vote of the Lodge in favor of New Westminster.

Motion moved by Bro. Moffat seconded by Bro. Benson that our Grand Lodge year close on the 31st day of July. Carried.