

emblems on jewels and regalia, or else to allow all to have their own emblems on them.

I hope the present Session will be one that will be of great benefit to the Order, and that measures will be passed which will tend to foster and extend it throughout the Province; and as a means to that end I would suggest that in every place where there is any member of the Order living, and no lodge established, that he be appointed as a provisional D. D. G. C., with power to institute new lodges. He would then have your authority for acting, and more confidence would be placed in him than in any outside party who might wish to start a lodge. Of course preference should be given to Past Chancellors in such cases.

As I cannot be with you in person, although I am in spirit, I have taken the liberty of addressing these remarks to your Grand Body, trusting that they may be of some assistance to you; and would also state that I shall ever hold myself at your service, and will be willing at any time to do all I can for the Order.

Hoping that I have not trespassed on your time or patience, and that you will attribute this to my great desire of doing what I can for the benefit of the Order, believe me,

Fraternally yours in F. C. B.,

J. D. SIMPSON,
Past Chancellor.

Representative Chapman, of No. 3, offered the following:

Resolved, That the nomination and election of officers for the ensuing term take place at 11 o'clock to-morrow morning.

Representative Wilson, of No. 1, moved to amend by substituting 12 o'clock.

Representative Carrothers, of No. 2, moved to amend the amendment by striking out all after the word "place," and substituting the words "after Committee reports are finished."

The question being on the adoption of the amendment to the amendment, the attention of the Grand Chancellor was called to the Constitution bearing on the subject. The Grand Chancellor then ruled the motion and amendments out of order.

The hour of 11 o'clock having arrived, the Grand Chancellor declared the Grand Lodge adjourned until 9 o'clock to-morrow morning.