

*taken, cause the said proposition, and the emergency stated, to be recorded in the Minute Book of the Lodge.*

#### FORM OF APPLICATION.

*To the Worshipful Master, Wardens, and Brethren of Solomon's Lodge, No. 764, of Free and Accepted Masons, on the Registry of the Grand Lodge of England,*

*"The Petition of the Subscriber,*

*"Respectfully Sheweth,—*

*"That entertaining a favourable opinion of your ancient Institution; he is desirous of being admitted a member thereof, if found worthy."*

Name, . . . . .

Age, . . . . .

Occupation, . . . . .

Residence, . . . . .

4. Every Brother who may desire to be admitted a member of this Lodge, shall make application in writing, stating his name, occupation, and place of abode, as well as the name and number of the Lodge of which he is, or was last a member, or in which he was initiated; he must then be proposed in open Lodge on a regular night of meeting (having previously visited the Lodge once at least) by a member, who shall at the same time pay a deposit of ten shillings to the Secretary for the Lodge, and file with him the Grand Lodge Certificate of the applicant, as well as the Certificate of his former Lodge; or if the applicant be not in possession of such documents, the proposer shall produce sufficient proof that the applicant has duly conformed to the Rules of the Lodge to which he last belonged. If the proposal be seconded by another member, the Master shall proceed in all things as in the case of a Candidate for the mysteries, an unanimous ballot being also eventually necessary for his admission.

3. The method of balloting to be pursued on all occasions in this Lodge, shall be as follows:

The balloting box, together with a box containing black and white balls, shall be placed by direction of the Master in a convenient part of the room; in such a situa-