

Moved in amendment by W. Bro. Dr. Oronhyatekha, P. D. M., seconded by Bro. Thomas Woods, Proxy L. O. L. 505, and

Resolved,—That the Report be amended by striking out the appropriations to the Grand Lecturer and Grand Director of Ceremonies.

The Report as amended was then adopted on a division.

Moved by R. W. Bro. James Bennett, P. G. M., seconded by M. W. Bro. W. J. Parkhill, G. M. B. A., and

Resolved,—That the Committee to whom the books and vouchers of the Orange Mutual Insurance Department are referred for audit, be instructed to report to this R. W. Grand Lodge what remuneration, if any, the late Grand Secretary, W. Bro. James Norris, is entitled to for his services in getting up the books and other papers in connection with the Orange Mutual Insurance Society.

Moved by W. Bro. Dr. Oronhyatekha, Past District Master seconded by W. Bro. John Hoey, Past County Master, South Simcoe, and

Resolved,—That Bro. James L. Hughes, P. S. I., and a member of L. O. L. 140, be re-appointed one of the auditors.

In pursuance of Article II. of the Orange Mutual Benefit Laws and Regulations, the R. W. the Grand Master appointed M. W. Bro. W. J. Parkhill, G. M. B. A., as the additional auditor.

R. W. Bro. W. W. Fitzgerald, Deputy Grand Master, presented and read the Report of the Special Committee on the matter of

ORGANIZATION OF PRIMARY LODGES IN CERTAIN COUNTIES.

The Special Committee appointed to consider the best means of advancing the interests of the Order in certain Counties where the Primary Lodges are in a weak condition, as referred to by the Grand Secretary, presented the following Report :

To the Right Worshipful Grand Orange Lodge of Ontario West.

Your Committee are of the opinion that some active steps should be taken to infuse new life into the Lodges in those Counties, and they would recommend that the services of the two Deputy Grand Chaplains, Rev. Bros. Walsh and Cascaden, be secured (if possible) to travel under the direction of the Executive of the Grand Lodge through those places, and hold meetings and use their exertions to promote the advancement of the Order, and that their travelling

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