

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE.

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R. W. Bro. John W. Woodhull (Milwaukee), Grand Secretary.

WYOMING.

Third Annual Communication.

Held at Evanston, October 9th, 1877.

M. W. Bro. Fred E. Addoms, Grand Master.

Lodges, 5; represented, 5; initiated, 27; members, 800.

Among the Representatives appointed we find Bro. James E. Gates, from Canada, and Bro. R. P. Stephens, to Canada.

New Mexico and Cuba were recognized.

The Grand Secretary reports on Correspondence. In the concluding portion of his report we find the following paragraph:—

"In looking over the vast field of Masonry, we are pleased to say that we find general prosperity and success attending it. A most healthful spirit pervades our Order everywhere, with exception of a few contentions, of unimportant character, which have unhappily arisen between different jurisdictions, but which, we are glad to say, have either been or are about to be settled in peace and harmony.

"Time has left his mark upon the body of the fraternity during the past year. Many are the seats that are empty in our Lodges which were formerly filled by brothers who had earned our esteem and veneration. The losses sustained by Missouri and Virginia in the deaths of their respective Grand Secretaries are felt over the entire globe, Egypt having paid a most touching tribute to the memory of our late R. W. Bro. Gouley.

"The unanimity of our sister Grand Lodges in refusing recognition to the so-called Grand Lodge of Ontario is evidence of a co-operation seldom met with in any other institution, and ought to convince us that the "Ancient Landmarks" are held aloft by Masonry on the American continent."

M. W. Bro. Orlando North (Evanston,) Grand Master.

R. W. Bro. Wm. G. Tonn, (Evanston), Grand Secretary.