

On account of the non-arrival of the mail, the certificates of the Representatives, etc., from Excelsior Lodge, No. 7, are not in our hands. Bros. J. C. Henderson, P. G., and J. A. Campbell, P. G., are in attendance. We are fully satisfied that these brothers are entitled to seats in this Grand Lodge, and to be recognized as Representatives of their Lodge. We therefore recommend that they be admitted on the condition that the necessary certificates shall be forwarded to the Grand Secretary as soon as possible.

Fraternally submitted,

THOS. R. MITCHELL,

WM. McCOLL,

ROBERT SCOTT,

Committee on Credentials.

Moved by H. Waller, P. G. M., No. 2, and seconded by Rep. Phillips, No. 4, that the report be received and adopted. Carried.

The Grand Marshal retired and introduced the following Past Grands, on whom the Grand Lodge Degree was conferred :

F. Page, No. 1; J. Pope, J. Hawkins, W. Croft, M. Young and W. H. Mixer, No. 2; H. Hoy, A. McCorvie and P. J. Foulds, No. 3; E. Hoskins, No. 6; J. C. Henderson and J. A. Campbell, No. 7.

The Grand Master appointed the following brothers to fill vacancies on the Committees :

FINANCE.—W. McColl, P. G. M., No. 3.

PETITIONS.—T. R. Mitchell, No. 1; W. H. Mixer, No. 2; B. W. Shill, P. G. M., No. 3; J. Wriglesworth, P. G. M., No. 4.

STATE OF THE ORDER.—J. Davies, No. 1; E. S. Scoullar, No. 3.

LEGISLATION.—S. T. Styles, No. 1; H. Waller, P. G. M., No. 2; J. Henderson, No. 7; E. Hoskins, No. 6.

The Grand Master then read his report of the past year.

VICTORIA, B. C., February 9th, 1887.

To the Grand Lodge of the Province of British Columbia, I. O. O. F.

DEAR SIRS AND BROTHERS :

Since we last met another year has been added to the history of Odd Fellowship in this Province, and in accordance with

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