The G. Secretary's report was received and referred to the Committee on Distribution.

The Grand Treasurer submitted the following report:-

To the G. C. Templar, Officers and Members of the G. Lodge, I. O. G. T. of British Columbia:—\*

Brothers and Sisters, —The following is your Treasurer's report for the  $\,$  year ending 17th October, 1887:—

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Fraternally Submitted, L. F. BAUMANN, Grand Treasurer.

New Westminster October 18th, 1887.

On motion the G. Treasurer's report was received and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The G. Supt. Juvenile Temples submitted the following report:-

To the Officers and Members of Grand Lodge of British Columbia, I.O.G.T.: In presenting to you this, my first annual report of success although small, it, I trust, is permanent, and that our success of the past year may be only the harbinger of a brighter dawn for the Juvenile Templars of this jurisdiction.

While meeting with various forms of opposition from outside parties our temples need and ought to have encouragement from every lodge of our noble order. I have called the attent on of nearly every lodge in our jurisdiction to the noble work of raising the children, but in nearly every instance meet with some excuse or other. I am informed that in Victoria there is a Band of Hope working under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., with a membership of 40 children, and that in that city the school report shows 965 children attending the public schools. There are about 200 more attending pri-