

The report of the Committee on the Good of the Order was then received, and clause 1 was accepted with a recommendation that a clause be added to the Constitution which would cover all future amalgamation of subsidiary lodges. On a vote this was lost.

Clause 3 was also voted down, and the rest of the president's address, with slight alterations, was accepted.

The secretary's report was also taken up, clause by clause, and clauses 1, 2 and 4 were not entertained, but the rest of the recommendations contained in this report met with hearty support.

In view of the change in the name of the Association, it was recommended by Messrs. Wickens and Sweet, that in printing the new Constitution, all changes and amendments that have been made since the last Constitution, were ordered to be inserted, and this was approved of and the following preamble will take the place of the old in the new Constitution:

"This Association having for its object the furtherance of mechanical and expert training of its members, endeavors to strengthen itself by encouraging a higher standard of skill among them.

"In the everyday work of the engineer, there comes an unconscious addition to his past experience by his application to new phases of his labor arising from the increased demands on the uses of steam. How best to acquire the knowledge to meet this march of events in our profession



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is the principal object of this Association. By means of instructive meetings and circular letters we intend to equip all members, and especially those who may locally be placed at a disadvantage. Fraternity is the spirit of love, and should guide our relations in life. Our labor is so closely identified with capital, that we wish to concede to it the position its commercial interests demand; but recognizes the identity of interests between employer and employee. Our intercourse should be marked with a preference for the furtherance of our progressive life, avoiding all subjects, such as politics or religion, which are man's own private thought."

The meeting was then adjourned to accept the invitation of the Hamilton Lodge for a trip to the other part of the Mountain to view Hamilton from the tower platform of the Mountain View Hotel, and they met again at 2.30 p.m.

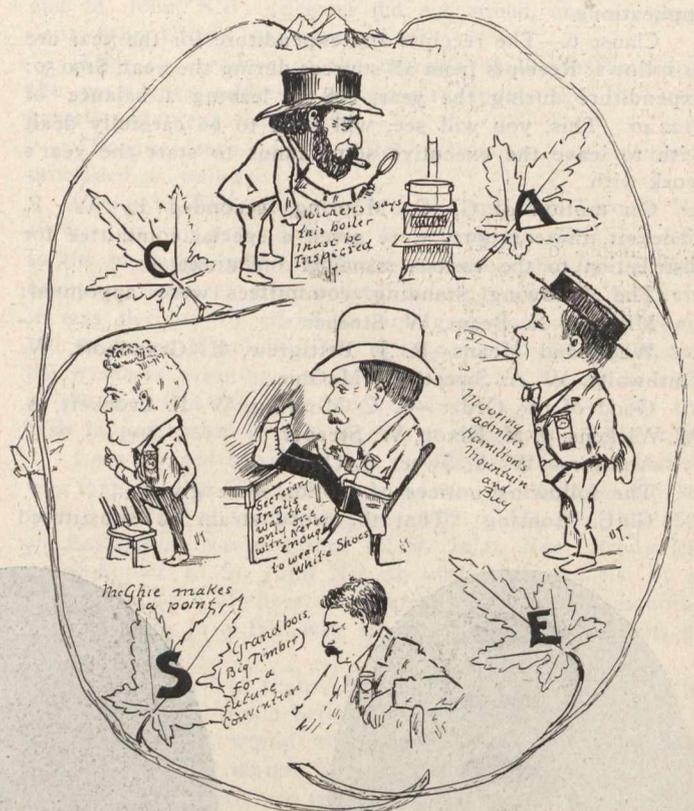
The first business was the acceptance of a recommendation by Messrs. Wickens and Dixon, that the Executive should make arrangements for the reading of at least two papers on mechanical subjects, and at least one on social relations at their next annual meeting.

The election of officers was then proceeded with, resulting as follows: President, F. J. Sculthorpe; vice-president, W. A. Sweet; secretary, W. Inglis; treasurer, J. M. Dixon; conductor, W. Outhwaite; doorkeeper, E. Grandbois.

Voting for the next place of meeting gave the honor to Chatham, and the thanks of the Association was voted to the city press, the Hamilton Street Railway Co., International Harvester Co., the Hamilton Cataract, Light, Power and Traction Co., Limited, and also to the Hamilton Association for courtesies extended.

Grants of \$2 to the caretaker of the Court House, \$25

to the executive secretary were made, and the executive secretary was authorized to send to the St. John, N.B., and Vancouver Associations copies of the Canadian Engineer, containing the report of the convention.



The above group of sketches are from the pen of F. B. Uttley, of the Goldie & McCulloch Co., Galt, who kindly acted as special artist for the Canadian Engineer at the Convention.

A vote of thanks was given A. W. Smith, of the Canadian Engineer, for his services during the convention, and the retiring president, H. E. Terry, was presented with the past president's jewel, and a hearty vote of thanks for his efforts on behalf of the Association, during his term of office, to which he responded with much feeling. With a few words from the new president and others, the convention came to a close.

The following is a list of the officers in the subordinate lodges:

Toronto, No. 1—President, W. Outhwaite; vice-president, W. McGhie; recording secretary, H. E. Terry; financial secretary, W. J. Webb; conductor, G. Black; doorkeeper, J. Marr; treasurer, G. Moseley.

Hamilton, No. 2—President, J. Ironsides; vice-president, A. Stewart; secretary, W. F. Crockett; treasurer, W. Cornish; conductor, R. C. Pettigrew; doorkeeper, J. Elliott.

Brantford, No. 4—President, A. Ames; vice-president, T. Pilgrim; secretary, J. Ogle; treasurer, C. Walker; conductor, A. McKinnon; doorkeeper, F. Fordham.

Dresden, No. 8—President, S. M. Seager; vice-president, W. Jamieson; secretary, W. Burnett; treasurer, F. M. Stuper; conductor, T. King; doorkeeper, W. Bear.

Berlin, No. 9—President, J. Walker; vice-president, J. Schneider; secretary, J. Heyd; treasurer, W. Geidt; conductor, J. Koehler; doorkeeper, A. Arndt.

Brockville, No. 15—President, W. Robinson; vice-president, J. Grundy; secretary, A. M. Lurkington; treasurer, W. F. Chapman; conductor, V. Hannon; doorkeeper, C. Van Norman.

Waterloo, No. 17—President, G. Beam; vice-president, J. Wendell; secretary, N. Beam; treasurer, J. R. Utley; conductor, J. Nichin; doorkeeper, T. Robertson.

Vancouver, No. 19—President, G. H. Flower; vice-president, J. R. Badger; secretary, W. Keith; treasurer, A. B. Ashworth; conductor, L. Robins; doorkeeper, M. Sprague.

Chatham, No. 21—President, E. Grandbois; vice-president, W. Condon; secretary, Charles Kelley; treasurer, W. Prout; doorkeeper, A. Trott; conductor, J. Buck.

St. John, No. 22—Past president, W. R. Murphy; presi-