

Moved by R. W. Companion W. J. Parkhill, P.G.M., seconded by R.W. Companion Wm. Nicholson, P.G.M., and

(1) *Resolved*,—That the minutes of the last Annual Meeting, in printed form, now presented, be considered as read and confirmed by this Grand Chapter.

COMMITTEE TO STRIKE STANDING COMMITTEES.

Moved by R. W. Companion W. J. Parkhill, P.G.M., seconded by R.W. Companion W. M. Lockhart, P.G.M., and

(2) *Resolved*,—That the R.W. the Grand Master appoint the Committee to strike the Standing Committees.

The R.W. the Grand Master then appointed the following as such. Committee, viz.: R.W. Companions John McMillan, D.G.M.; W. M. Lockhart, P.G.M., and W. Companions Marshall Thompson, C.M., Essex; James A. Hutton, C.M., Wentworth, and John Scarlett, C.M., South Huron.

ROYAL SCARLET LECTURE.

R.W. Companion R. H. Watson, G.L., and W. Companion Thomas Haw, D.D.M., West Toronto, repeated the Lecture of the Royal Scarlet Degree.

A petition was read from the Royal Scarlet Chapter of West Toronto, praying that direct representation be granted to Royal Scarlet Chapters in the same manner and to the same extent as is at present enjoyed by the Primary Lodges; and that there be added to the ritual a form for the installation of officers in Scarlet Chapters.

Moved by R.W. Companion William Nicholson, P.G.M., seconded by R.W. Companion W. J. Parkhill, P.G.M., and

(3) *Resolved*,—That the petition from the Royal Scarlet Chapter of West Toronto be received and referred to the Committee on Petitions and Appeals.