

intimation of the same shall be forthwith given to the N. G. of his Lodge, from which time he shall cease to be a member of the order.

ARTICLE III.

OFFICERS.

SECTION I.—ELECTIVE OFFICERS.

Clause 1.—The Elective Officers of this Grand Lodge shall be—

The Most Worthy Grand Master,
 “ Right Worthy Deputy Grand Master,
 “ “ “ Grand Warden,
 “ “ “ Grand Secretary,
 “ “ “ Grand Treasurer,
 “ “ “ Grand Representatives.

Clause 2.—These Elective Officers shall be elected by ballot, after previous nomination, such nomination and election to take place at the Annual Session of the G. Lodge, and at the first meeting thereof.

Clause 3.—At each election the presiding officer shall appoint two of the members present as Tellers, who shall present the ballot-box to each member as his name is called by the Grand Secretary, and having collected all the ballots, shall examine the same, and report the result.

Clause 4.—Each Elective Officer, the G. Representatives excepted, shall be chosen separately, by a majority of the votes given. Should there be no choice of such officer at any ballott, a new ballot shall forthwith take place among the members present; and after each ballot the name of the Candidate who shall have received the smallest number of votes shall be withdrawn.

Clause 5.—All Candidates for elective offices must have received the three past Official Degrees.

Clause 6.—The Elective Grand Officers shall be installed immediately after the completion of the election, unless otherwise ordered by the Grand Lodge, and all officers shall serve until the next Annual Session, and until the installation of their successors.

Clause 7.—The siting Grand Master or any P. G. Master, or the highest officer present, shall instal the Grand Master elect, who shall thereafter instal the other officers.