We, your Committee on Finance, beg to call the attention of this Grand Lodge to the above amounts due from Subordinate Lodges and recommend that the Grand Recorder be instructed to notify the different lodges the amounts due must be paid before the 15th of April, 1898.

J. E. CHURCH, A. STEWART, JOHN HILBERT.

Adopted.

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be tendered the retiring Grand Master Bro. A. E. Woods for his efficient services during his term of office.

J. E. CHURCH, R. H. BAKER.

Carried.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Grand Lodge be tendered to the Grand Recorder, Bro. J. T. McIlmoyl, for his faithful services during the past year.

GEORGE ADAMS, THOS. SHARP.

Carried by a standing vote.

Resolved, That this Grand Lodge tender its thanks to the Grand Receiver, Bro. R. T. Williams, for his faithful services during the past year.

GEO. ADAMS, THOS. SHARP,

Carried by standing vote.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Grand Lodge is hereby extended to the Committee on Finance for their faithful services during the past year.

F. L. BUDLONG, D. C. WEBBER, A. M. BULLOCK,

Carried by standing vote.