PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE BY-LAWS.

SEC. 35. The W. M. shall appoint at the first meeting in July, 1897, and thereafter at the first meeting in January in each year, two members of the Lodge, to act with a similar number appointed from King Solomon Lodge, as members of a Board of Relief for the City.

SEC. 36. The Board of Relief shall elect its Chairman and Secretary-Treasurer from among its own members, and may adopt such regulations for its own guidance as it may think best.

SEC. 37. The Board of Relief so constituted shall deal only with relief necessary for transient brethren.

SEC. 38. For the purpose of providing the necessary funds for the Board of Relief, the Lodge shall contribute annually an amount equal to 50 cents for each of its members. This amount shall be based on the membership as existing on the 31st of December in each year, and shall be paid to the Board semi-annually, on the 1st of January and 1st of July in each year.

SEC. 39. The Board of Relief shall report annually to the Lodge at the first meeting in January in each year, giving a full and complete statement of its transactions for the past year. Such statement shall show the total receipts of the Board, and the amounts disbursed for relief and for expenses.