

1. That portion of the Grand Master's Report contained in Clause 1st, referred to us by Committee on Distribution, wherein the Grand Master admits "that he has not been able to visit the different Lodges in this Jurisdiction as he wished to have done." We are satisfied that while it would have been agreeable and beneficial to the Lodges to have received visits from the Grand Master, yet we are satisfied that whatever has been wanting in this respect, has been amply made up in other ways, from the fact, that the prosperity, uniformity in working, and increase both numerically and financially, is positive proof that the Order has not suffered from any want of duty on the part of our most worthy Grand Master.

2. In Clause 3d we see the institution of Frontier Lodge is referred to, which speaks in the highest terms of approbation of Brother P. G. Marquand of Chatham Lodge, who performed the ceremonies of Institution and Installation. We hereby recommend that the thanks of this Grand Lodge are hereby tendered to Bro. Marquand for having performed this important duty in so satisfactory a manner, hoping that Frontier Lodge may long continue to evince the same degree of energy, usefulness, and increase in membership with which she has started, and that she may ere long successfully rival the oldest and best Lodges amongst us; and though last on the list, may she be one of the first in wealth, talent, and ability in the dissemination of the Heaven born principles of our beloved Order, provided always that her members be of the right kind and such as will prove worthy of the Order, and we recommend that a Charter be granted by this Grand Lodge to Frontier Lodge.

3. Clause 4th in Grand Master's Report, in answer to questions from Samaritan Lodge, with regard to admission of members of the Order from the United States, who are not able to produce the requisite documents as proof of membership in good standing, in consequence of the unsettled state of affairs in that country. We recommend that the decision of the Grand Master be confirmed.

4. Clause 5th of Grand Master's Report, with regard to cancelling of original Dispensations; that all have been cancelled except that of Brock Lodge, we would recommend that the Grand Secretary be authorized to communicate with the D. D. G. M. of that Lodge, requesting him to see that said Dispensation is properly cancelled, allowing the Lodge to retain the same in their possession should they wish to do so.

The Grand Secretary and Treasurer's Report.

1. It affords us great pleasure in observing the manner in which that Officer has discharged the duties of his Office, and it is highly satisfactory to your Committee, as it is doubtless to the brotherhood of this Jurisdiction, to see the prosperous state of Oddfellowship in Canada West, as is exhibited in his Report, feeling confident that at no time when we have assembled together at our former annual meetings in Grand Lodge, have we had so much cause for congratulation and encouragement as at this present Session. Clauses two, three, four, ten, and thirteen, being particularly directed to our attention by the Committee on distribution, we would report on Clause two, that no answer having been received to any communication sent to members of Ontario Lodge, and especially to Bro. McDonald, that no future correspondence or expense be entered into with regard to said Lodge; and that said Lodge with the members thereof, be and are hereby expelled from the Order, and that the Resolution adopted at this Grand Lodge, at its last Session on page 262, be strictly carried out; and that no cards be granted unless by satisfactory evidence to this Grand Lodge that they were in good standing and in no way connected with the breaking up of said Lodge, and the full consent of this Grand Lodge thereto. In Clause three as to Members of Elgin Lodge we would recommend, as the Grand Lodge at its last Session took all the action necessary, no further legislation is now required.