

Clause 4.—At any Special meeting of the Lodge, no matter submitted for consideration shall be so acted on thereat as to affect in any way the Funds of this Grand Lodge.

Clause 5.—At all Regular and Special meetings, this Grand Lodge may adjourn from time to time, as may be found expedient.

SECTION II.—WORKING.

Clause 1.—To constitute a Regular Special Meeting of this Grand Lodge, there must be a majority of the Representatives of all the Lodges within the jurisdiction present.

Clause 2.—This Grand Lodge shall be opened in the Grand Lodge Degree, and by Resolution thereof may be closed in that, and opened in the Scarlet Degree for the transaction of business, in order to enable Brethren of that Degree to be present and witness its proceedings.

Clause 3.—All questions before the Grand Lodge shall be determined by a majority of the votes of the members present.

Clause 4.—All the Representatives present shall vote upon, and a majority thereof shall decide all questions before the Grand Lodge; and the Yeas and Nays, if called for and seconded, shall be regularly recorded on the minutes.

Clause 5.—The Representatives of any Lodge which may have failed to make its Annual Returns within one month after the close of any Annual or semi-Annual term, shall have no right to vote in this Grand Lodge until after such Annual or semi-Annual Return shall have been made.

SECTION III.—RETURNS.

Clause 1.—This Grand Lodge shall transmit to the Supreme Grand Lodge at least twenty days prior to the Annual Meeting of the latter, a Return up to the 30th June then last past, containing full information as to the work of the Lodges under its jurisdiction, for the then preceding year, their present state, prospects, and all such other particulars as may be required by the Form of Annual Return which the Supreme Grand Lodge may from time to time prescribe.

Clause 2.—Such Returns shall be accompanied by the amount of dues accruing to the Supreme Grand Lodge.