

MORNING SESSION—SECOND DAY.

On re-assembling at 9:35 a.m., in the absence of the G.C.T., Sis. Hall, G.V.T. called the Lodge to order and asked Bro. Hall, P.G.C.T., to take the chair. Bro. Hall complied, and opened the Grand Lodge in the Subordinate Degree.

On the roll being called the following officers responded:—G.V.T. Sis. Hall, P. G.C.T. Bro. Hall, G.E.C. Bro. Evans, G.S. Bro. Brown, G.M. Bro. G.D. Brown, G. A.S. Sis. King, G.D.M. Sis. Cogswell, G.G. Bro. Fulton.

Minutes of previous meeting were read and, after amendment by striking out all record of the election of officers last evening, were adopted.

Moved by Bro. J. N. Evans, seconded by Bro. Fulton, that the account due this Grand Lodge by Sis. Jenkins be referred to Bro. Gough for collection. Carried. Recess declared.

On re-assembling, with Bro. Green, G.C.T. in the chair, the Committee on Resolutions reported as follows:

To the Grand Lodge of British Columbia, I. O. G. T.:

Your Committee on Resolutions reported as follows:

To the Honourable the Executive Council of British Columbia:

Representatives of the I.O.G.T., in session assembled at New Westminster, beg to petition your Hon. body that you will so amend the Sunday Closing Act as to effectually close all saloons and bar-rooms on the Sabbath Day, commonly called Sunday, and your petitioners will ever pray, etc., etc.,

Submitted in F., H. and C.,
W. J. BROWN,
G. D. BROWN,
LEWIS HALL.

On motion the report was adopted.

Moved by Bro. Evans, seconded by Bro. Laidley, that the Executive Committee communicate with the other Temperance organizations urging them to join with us in our petition to the Provincial Government, re Sunday Closing. Carried.

The election of officers was then proceeded with.

Bros. Green, Hall and Halcrow were nominated for G.C.T. Bro. Green declined to accept the nomination. On the ballot being taken Bro. Hall was declared elected.

Bro. R. B. Laidley nominated and unanimously elected Grand Councillor.

Sis. King nominated and unanimously elected G.V.T.

Sis. Hall nominated for G.S. of J.T., but declined.

Bro. I. W. Williamson was then nominated and unanimously elected.

Bro. Evans was then nominated and unanimously elected G. E. S.

Bro. W. J. Brown was nominated and unanimously elected G. S.

Bro. Gough was then nominated and unanimously elected G. T.

Bro. Isbister was then nominated and unanimously elected G. Chap.

Sis. Verge was then nominated and unanimously elected G. Mar.

On motion the salary of the G.S. was fixed at 10 per cent. of collections of per capita tax and from sale of supplies.

On motion the P.G.C.T. was added to the Executive Committee.

Moved and seconded that the G.S. take charge of all funds and supplies of the Juvenile Department. Carried.

Report to the Grand Lodge of B. C., I. O. G. T.

We, your Committee on By-Laws, have considered the question of Bi-annual Sessions. We would recommend that Art. 1 of the Grand Lodge By-Laws be amended by inserting the word "bi-annually" after the words "regular session."

Submitted in F., H. and C.,
LEWIS HALL,
FLORA COGSWELL,
W. J. BROWN,
J. N. EVANS.