

whose duty it shall be to collect the ballots for grand officers, and lists of members for the board of general purposes from the brethren to whom they have been delivered. The scrutineers shall solemnly pledge themselves to make a correct report under their hands of the result of the ballot, and having ascertained the number of votes for the respective candidates, they shall present their reports to grand lodge.

4. The election and appointment of all officers of grand lodge, shall take place at the annual communication, when those present shall be duly installed or invested, and proclaimed in ancient form.

5. The following officers shall be elected, viz. :

By ballot of the grand lodge—

The most worshipful the grand master.

“ right “ deputy grand master.

“ “ “ grand senior warden.

“ “ “ “ junior warden.

“ “ “ “ chaplain.

“ “ “ “ treasurer.

“ “ “ “ registrar.

“ “ “ “ secretary.

By an open vote of the grand lodge—

The grand tyler.

By the majority of the representatives of the lodges of the respective districts present at the annual communication, subject to the confirmation of the grand master—

The right worshipful the district deputy grand masters.

6. The following officers shall be appointed by the grand master, viz. :