

Malone, seconded by R. E. Sir Knight Samuel Wesley, and

RESOLVED,—That the minutes of the Proceedings of the Sovereign Great Priory, at its Tenth Annual Assembly held in the City of Ottawa on the 18th day of July, 1893, having been printed and copies forwarded to each Preceptory and Knight entitled to receive them, the same be considered as read, and be now confirmed.

M. E. Sir Knight Edmund E. Sheppard, Supreme Grand Master, then read his

ADDRESS.

*Sir Knights of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada :*

Holding as I do that the most distinguished privilege enjoyed by any member of any secret society is that of being a Masonic Knight Templar, I can assure you that as Grand Master I esteem it to be a very high honor and great pleasure to welcome to the Eleventh Annual Assembly of the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada, the delegates of the subordinate bodies who constitute this Supreme Body.

We have reason to be thankful to God that so many of us have been permitted to return to another Assembly in the enjoyment of health and happiness, but we miss from our midst the kind face and striking figure of R. E. Sir Kt. James Greenfield, who will no longer engage in the deliberations of the Grand Council. He enjoyed the highest respect of the business community, was thoroughly loved by everyone who knew him, and his enthusiasm as a Knight Templar was more than once recognized by the Sovereign Great Priory of Canada. His death was particularly saddening to us all, inasmuch as it took place on the other side of the Atlantic, far from the ministrations of his family and friends. However, he was lovingly looked after, and his memory will always be cherished by the immense circle of friends who miss him, not only in this Assembly but all over the Dominion of Canada.

Death has also removed from amongst us, R. Em. Sir Knt. John A. Angell, of Victoria No. 10, Guelph, Past Provincial Prior for the Hamilton District. He too was well loved by us all and it is with heartfelt grief we as an Assembly figuratively gather around his grave to