

The report was received and adopted.

The Board then presented the following report :

The Board on the application of Mrs. Blatchford for relief from this Grand Lodge beg leave to report, that having examined the papers laid before them, and enquired fully into the case find that her relations were not affiliated Masons under this Jurisdiction, the correspondence shewing further that they hailed from Lodges acknowledging the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge of England, they therefore recommend that the Grand Secretary be instructed to direct her to apply to the officials of the Grand Lodge of England for relief.

Report was received and adopted.

The Board of General Purposes presented a report recommending that the petition of certain Brethren from the so-called Sutton Lodge to be masonically healed be granted.

The report was received and adopted by an unanimous vote.

The Board of General Purposes further reported in favor of the recognition of the Grand Lodges of Utah and British Columbia.

On motion of R. W. Bro. Dunbar, seconded by R. W. Bro. Renshaw, the report was received and adopted.

The annual election of officers of this Grand Lodge. and for four members of the Board of General Purposes, was then proceeded with and the M. W. the Grand Master named the following brethren as Scrutineers, viz. ; R. W. Bros. Alex. Murray, E. Kemp, and W. Bro. E. H. Goff.

The Ballots having been distributed the following Brethren were declared duly elected :

M. W. BRO. JOHN HAMILTON GRAHAM, of Richmond, unanimously re-elected Grand Master.

R. W. Bro. JAMES DUNBAR, of Quebec, Deputy Grand Master.

" " **STEVENS BAKER**, Grand Senior Warden.

" " **J. T. MCMINN**, Grand Junior Warden.

" " **REV. H. W. NYE**, Grand Chaplain.

" " **H. M. ALEXANDER**, re-elected Grand Treasurer.

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