

Invested as follows :

Dominion Stock, bearing 6 per cent	\$28800 00
" " " 5 per cent.....	10000 00
Middlesex Deb., " 6 per cent.....	1600 00
Bank of Toronto, 1st July, 1871.....	736 31
" " Interest on Dominion Stock, accrued.....	144 00
Bank of Commerce, current act.....	3175 25

\$14,455 56

EXPENDITURE.

The expenditure amounted to the sum of \$9892.18, the details of which have already been furnished to Lodges, in the published annual statements. It is proper, however, to say that of this sum no less than \$5479.39 was for transfers to Benevolent fund, including the \$2000 voted for relief of Chicago sufferers, so that the ordinary expenses of salaries, printing certificates, expenses of Board, &c., amounted to \$4412.79.

ACCOUNTS.

The Board have ordered the payment of accounts amounting to \$1251 22, the same having been carefully examined and found to be correct.

BENOVOLENCE.

The Board had submitted for consideration a large number of applications for pecuniary assistance, and made appropriations amounting in the aggregate to \$1340.

GRIEVANCES AND APPEALS.

No. 1. In the case of Bro. Saywright, standing over from the last meeting of the Board in consequence of the evidence being insufficient, as no evidence has been presented at this meeting, the Board requests the D. D. G. M. of the St. Clair District to see what evidence can be produced, and that the G. S. be instructed to notify the parties that unless evidence is produced on the first day of the meeting of the Board in July next, the Board will recommend to Grand Lodge that Bro. Saywright be restored to full Masonic standing, and in the meantime the meantime the suspension is removed.

No. 2. R. W. Bro. Franek having been summoned to show cause why he should not be expelled, and not having appeared, the Board recommends that unless he shows cause at the first meeting of the Board in July next, he be expelled from the craft.

No. 3. As to the communication of Bro. W. Lynn Smart respecting the Installation of Bro. H. W. Davis as W. M. of Ionic Lodge, No. 25, the Board considers that Bro. Davis had served the office of Warden for one year, and consequently was entitled to be installed as W. M. of that Lodge.

GRAND ORIENT OF FRANCE.

A letter having been received from the Grand Secretary of the Grand Orient of France, relative to the vote of \$250 by Grand Lodge towards the relief of the sufferers by the late Franco-Prussian war, the President of the Board was instructed to transmit to the Grand Orient the said sum of \$250. The receipt of the money has been acknowledged in a letter addressed to the Grand Secretary.

ASSISTANCE IN GRAND SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

The question of assistance in the office of Grand Secretary was