

Odd Fellowship, within that section of the Province of Canada called and known as Canada West, being the Superior Tribunal of all subordinate Lodges within its jurisdiction.

Clause 2.—No Lodge can be formed, nor continue to exist, within its jurisdiction, without the express sanction of this Grand Lodge.

Clause 3.—It possesses within its jurisdiction the right and power of granting, suspending or annulling Charters for proper cause; of receiving, hearing and determining appeals from the decisions of Subordinate Lodges, and of redressing all grievances arising therein; of regulating the means of its own support; and of performing all such other acts and things as shall have for their object the promotion of the true and best interests of the Order, or shall appertain to it by ancient usage or custom, and are not in violation of the laws of the land, or the regulations of the Order.

' ARTICLE II.

MEMBERSHIP.

SECTION I.—QUALIFICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP.

Clause 1.—This Grand Lodge shall be composed of its Elective and Appointed officers, formally installed, of its Past Grands, duly qualified, and of regular Representatives from the several Lodges under its jurisdiction, who shall have been duly elected, as provided in Section II. of this Article.

Clause 2.—Any Past Grand on presenting a Certificate of his official services, and after satisfactory examination in the Degrees pertaining thereto, shall be entitled to receive the Grand Lodge Degree.

Clause 3.—No Representative shall be admitted to a seat in this Grand Lodge unless duly certified as having been elected thereto; nor until he has been instructed in the Grand Lodge Degree, and has signed a promise faithfully to support, maintain and abide by the Constitution and By-Laws of this Grand Lodge.

Clause 4.—Every Past Grand Master, in good standing in a Subordinate Lodge under this jurisdiction, shall be admitted to seats in this Grand Lodge, and shall have the power of debating and making motions, but in no case shall they have the power of voting, unless they be also Grand Representatives.