

TWELFTH ANNUAL CONVENTION  
OF THE  
GRAND LODGE KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS,  
OF ONTARIO,  
HELD IN HAMILTON, JUNE 12th, 1883.

PYTHIAN PERIOD XX.

HAMILTON, ONT., June 12th, 1883.

The Twelfth Annual Convention of the Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias, of Ontario, was called to order by Grand Chancellor Jesse Chapman, at eleven o'clock a.m. on the 12th day of June, 1883. The Convention was held in the Hall of Red Cross Lodge, No. 3.

PRESENT, the following Grand Officers:

A. J. Ratray.....	Past Grand Chancellor.
Jesse Chapman.....	Grand Chancellor.
Robert Dodds.....	Vice Grand Chancellor.
Jas. Smith.....	Grand Master of Exchequer.
Geo. H. Mitchell.....	Grand Keeper of Records and Seal.
W. J. Vale.....	Grand Master-at-Arms.
Phillip Burroughs.....	Grand Inner Guard.
Jas. McDonald.....	Grand Outer Guard.

The Grand Prelate being absent, the Grand Chancellor appointed Representative Leslie, of No. 16, to fill the vacancy.

A quorum of Lodges being in attendance, the Grand Lodge was opened in regular form.

The Grand Chancellor appointed Representatives Leslie, of No. 16, Hatch, of No. 1, and Peace, of No. 3, as the Committee on Returns and Credentials.

The Grand-Keeper of Records and Seal presented the Reports of Lodges and Credentials of Representatives and Past Chancellors, which were referred to the Committee on Returns and Credentials.