

Prayer by G. Chaplain.

The G.D. was declared open for the transaction of business. Minutes of morning session read and approved.

Brother Thompson moved, and Brother Sterns seconded, the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the G.D. have much pleasure in expressing their gratification at the cheerful and liberal responses made by Subordinate Divisions to the proposition in reference to payment of the debt to the National Division, and the employment of a Temperance Travelling Agent, and that the G. D. hopes that the spirit now evinced will prove an earnest of better temperance times.

*Resolved*, That the above resolution be considered equivalent to a vote of thanks to each Subordinate Division.

On motion,

*Resolved*, That a Committee be appointed to draw up some plan to be submitted to the G. D. this evening, respecting the mode of approaching the Legislature on the subject of the liquor traffic.

Committee appointed—P.W.P. Johnston, Bros. Dr. Cramp, and P. G. McGregor.

The G.D. proceeded to the election of officers, when the following Brethren were declared duly elected :

G.W.P., Rev. George Christie, of Yarmouth.

G.W.A., C. B. Naylor, Halifax.

G.Scribe, Wm. Scott, Halifax.

G.T., M. G. Black, Junr. Halifax.

G.Chap., Rev. Dr. Cramp, Acadia College.

G.Con., C. Blanchard, Esq. Truro.

G.Sen., G. G. Gray, Halifax.

The G.D. adjourned till 7 o'clock.

#### EVENING SESSION.

Division Room, }  
Halifax, Oct. 28th, 1852. }

The G. D. opened in due form. G.W.P. in the Chair.  
Roll of officers called.

*Present*—G.W.P., G.W.A., G. Scribe, G.Sen.

*Absent*—G.T., G.Chap.

The G.W.P. appointed Brother Martin, G.T., *pro tem*, Brother Zwicker, G.Con., *pro tem*, Brother Herbert, G.Chap. *pro tem*, Brother Heenan, P.G.W.P., *pro tem*.

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