

*Be it resolved*; that this Grand Division, earnestly and respectfully recommend the Deputies, prior to each night of instillation to give notice to the Past Worthy Patriarchs in the jurisdiction of each, to meet at a certain time for purposes of consultation. That the objects of these meetings be to devise means for the increase of the members, and efficiency of the Order,—the arrangement for fraternal meetings of Subordinate Divisions—the suggestion of questions for discussion by those Divisions,—the arrangement of public meetings and other matters circulated to advance the cause, both among its devoted friends and the public generally.

All which is submitted in L., P. and F.

WILLIAM LIPPINCOTT.  
R. M. BARRATT.  
JAMES MOSHER.

October 23, 1857.

On motion, the Sessions of the G. D. during the ensuing year were appointed to be held at the following places:—South Rawdon, on Wednesday, 22d January, 1857; Nictaux, on Wednesday, 22d April; Chester, on Wednesday, 15th July; and the Annual Session at Halifax on Wednesday, 28th October, 1857.

On motion, the following named brethren were appointed as the Committee on Halls:—George Creed, South Rawdon; Beniah Morse, Wilmot; Henry B. Mitchell, Chester; Bobt. M. Barratt, Halifax.

On motion of brother G. Creed, it was resolved, that three Delegates be sent from this Grand Division to the Annual Session of the National Division, which will be held at Providence, Rhode Island, in June next; and that the Subordinate Divisions under this jurisdiction be solicited to contribute towards paying their expenses.

On motion, G. W. P. Cramp, Rev. A. McArthur, G. W. P. elect, and Jas. Mosher, G. W. A. elect, were appointed as the Delegates.

The following resolution was moved by brother S. Selden, seconded by the Grand Treasurer, and adopted: