

The Committee express a hope that not only moral suasion in the cause, will receive the attention to which it is eminently entitled, but that the solemn recognition of our principles, by the Legislature, will be accomplished, by means of a Law prohibiting the traffic which we deplore. Thus would the constituted authorities assume, your Committee believe, the right position;—would provide for the abolition of a cruel species of slavery, and for the establishment of freedom from one vice, which is so greatly calculated to retard the prosperity of individuals and of communities.

Your Committee would respectfully and earnestly urge on the Brethren, generally, renewed activity and unwavering fidelity in the cause, believing that Providence will bless the right endeavour, and that a good time indeed, awaits the right championship of the good object.

Submitted in L. P. & F.

(Signed)

JOHN S. THOMPSON.

S. L. MORSE.

A. S. BLENKHORN.

Report adopted.

The question asked by Bro. N. Tupper, at a previous session, was repeated. Whereupon it was *Resolved*, That it is the opinion of this Grand Division, that it is not judicious for a D.G.W.P. to hand the B.B. to a Son of Temperance, holding a Withdrawal Card, and not belonging to any Division—for the purpose of installing the Officers of any Division. Passed unanimously.

On motion, *Resolved*, That the expences of the Grand Officers to this Session be paid.

*Resolved*, That the thanks of the G. D. be given to Cumberland Division for their kindness in allowing them the use of the Room, during this Session.

On motion, *Resolved*, That the G. D. do adjourn, to meet at Halifax, on the 27th day of October next.

Prayer by G. Chaplain.

G. D. closed in due form.

MARTIN G. BLACK, Jr.

Acting Grand Scribe.