

Brother E. Creelman moved, that the July session be held at Stewiacke—lost.

Brother Romans moved, that the July session be held at Pictou, on the last Wednesday of that month—passed.

Moved by Brother G. A. Blanchard, thāt, if practicable, a special session be held at Sydney, Cape Breton, during the summer.

The G. D. adjourned until half-past 7 o'clock.

#### EVENING SESSION.

October 29th, 1852.

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

*Present*—G.W.P., G. Scribe, G. Chap. G. Con.

*Absent*—G.W.A., G.T., G. Sen., P.G.W.P.

The G.W.P. appointed Brother Sterns, G.W.A., G. Van Buskirk, G.T., Joyce, G. Sen., Mosher, P.G.W.P.

Prayer by Grand Chaplain.

Committee on Credentials reported that the Credentials of P.W.P. Joseph Morgan, Chester Division, No. 32, were correct.

The Grand Conductor introduced Brother Morgan, who was duly initiated.

The report of the Committee on the Athenæum paper was taken up, when the Grand Chaplain moved the following resolution :

*Resolved*, That the judicious and energetic employment of the press is of high importance to the temperance cause; that the thanks of this Grand Division are due, and are hereby tendered, to the conductors of the Athenæum, for the services they have rendered in establishing and carrying on that paper, and that it be referred to a Committee to consider in what manner the paper can be rendered more useful and efficient as the organ of this Grand Division, and its circulation greatly extended, but not so as to involve the Grand Division in any pecuniary risk or responsibility.

The following Brothers were appointed a Committee for that purpose :—Charles Robson, McLearn, and Rev. Dr. Cramp.