

in the capacity of an agent for the purpose of visiting Subordinate Divisions.

Submitted in L., P. & F.

E. G. W. GREENWOOD, G. S.

On motion, Report adopted.

Brother White offered the following Resolution—

*Resolved*, That the Grand Division continue in permanent session until the business of the quarterly session be finished.

Which on being put was lost.

Brother Dudman from the Auditing Committee, handed in the Report—

The Auditing Committee beg leave respectfully to report that they have examined the accounts of the Grand Treasurer and Grand Scribe, for the past quarter, and find them correct. They find in the hands of the G. T. a balance of £23 11s. 2d., and in the hands of the G. S. a balance of 17s., making in all a balance of £24 9s. 2d.

Your Committee find in the returns one from Grand Pre Division, No. 47, who have 30 contributing members, and £30 11s. 3d. on hand, and no per centage to G. D., nor any receipts for the past quarter. Also that there is due the Grand Division the sum of £4 7s. 3d. from the several Subordinate Divisions who have not remitted the amount of dues due to the Grand Division as per their returns sent to the G. S.

Submitted in L., P. & F.

W. K. DUDMAN,  
JAMES B. DANE,  
JOHN C. MOULTON.

*Committee Room, Farnmouth, 29th January, 1852.*

Which was adopted.

The Committee appointed to report on the state of the Order presented the following Report:—

During the last quarter there has not been any extraordinary change, either favourable or unfavourable. But on the whole, we feel warranted to say that there has been progress. In some cases it does not appear that there has been any increase of zeal. We rather fear that in a few cases there has been lukewarmness. This we infer partly from the fact that during the quarter a few divisions have surrendered their charters, and farther, that of those still reported as holding their charter, in a few instances they do not even appear to be paying up their "Quarterly Dues."

In other cases, however, we see much that is encouraging. Some of the Divisions that have had serious difficulties to encounter seem