

REPORT OF COMMITTEE OF INVESTIGATION.

Having taken into consideration the foregoing proposition for membership in the "1st Battery of Halifax Volunteer Artillery," the Committee report of the Candidate.

} Investigating
Committee.

Orderly Room H. V. A.,

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Clause 3.—Every candidate shall have a clear vote of two thirds of the members present, before being declared elected, and every member present shall be required to use his privilege of voting. No person shall be balloted for more than once at the same meeting, except in case of error in balloting.

Clause 4.—It is to be understood that the proposer of a candidate for membership, is supposed to be acquainted with the character of such person, and to be in a measure responsible for his general deportment.

RULE IX.

Every person duly elected shall be notified thereof, in writing, (by the clerk) to sign the Roll Book within seven days after receipt of such notice, and he shall also be required within three months after enrollment, to provide himself with the approved uniform of the Battery, to the satisfaction of the Quarter Master, who shall then provide him with arms, accoutrements, &c., for which he shall give such bonds or security for their safe keeping, as are prescribed by the Militia Laws of this Province.

OF DUTIES.

RULE X.

The commanding officer shall have power to fix the time and place for such Parades, Drills, Field Gun and Rifle practice, (in full uniform or otherwise, at his option) as he may think necessary to ensure the efficiency of the Battery, but fines shall not be exacted for more than eight Parades in each year.

RULE XI.

Upon receipt of summons for uniform Parades, every member shall appear punctually at the time and place appointed, but shall not be held liable to the fines imposed for non-attendance, unless his notice shall have been delivered forty-eight hours previous to the named hour of meeting.