if not then reclaimed, the Lodge shall have the power of inflicting the penalty of expulsion from the Craft, subject to the confirmation of the sentence by the Grand Lodge.

Your Committee, in closing their Report, would recommend that an order be passed by Grand Lodge, authorizing Lodges to change the time of receiving the report of the Auditing Committee, where necessary, from July to the meeting of installation.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

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On motion of Brother W. S. Macdonald it was Resolved, that the Report of Committee on Constitution and Regulation be received and adopted.

Brother J. R. Graham, from Committee on Charters, submitted the following:

HALIFAX, N. S., March 13th, 1868,

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia:

Your Committee beg leave to submit the following Report:—

That having examined the application from members of Royal Albert Lodge, formerly on the registry of the Grand Lodge of Scotland, they find the same to be in proper form and largely signed, and would recommend that a charter be granted as asked for.

The application of Solomon Lodge being in proper form, and regular, we would recommend that the same be granted.

With regard to the application of W. H. Davies Lodge, U. D., your committee would recommend