

worship of Bacchus—let it now be applied as an engine to destroy the demon—nor let the exertion cease until the last worshipper at the unholy shrine shall have offered his last sacrifice upon the polluted altar.

The Committee with a view to carry this proposal into effect, suggest that a Committee be appointed to make arrangements for the publication of such a paper as that contemplated. That that Committee should, at the earliest possible day, issue a prospectus, and forward the same to every Subordinate Division of the Order, which might at the same time be requested to act as agents, and the interests of the different Divisions enlisted to support it; and also to individuals of influence, not of the Order, who feel an interest in the cause of Temperance.

The Committee would further recommend to Subordinate Divisions, to aid the publication of the paper with their funds, to such extent as prudence and their views of the importance of the object would dictate.

The Committee aware of the importance of having a travelling agent, to visit the different portions of the Province, for the purpose of stimulating the energies of the friends of Temperance and promoting the cause generally, at the same time feel with regret that the pecuniary depression of the times would be a hindrance to carrying that suggestion into effect, and while the suggestion should not be lost sight of, the Committee are of the opinion that the state of the finances of the Order will not warrant the immediate employment of such an aid to the good cause, but would strongly urge upon every member of the Temperance organization, to act as an agent in his own sphere in furtherance of the objects of Temperance.

All which is respectfully submitted.

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JAMES D. B. FRASER,
SAML. CREELMAN.

Pictou, 1st August, 1850.

The Committee on credentials reported favourably of Bro. P. W. P. Charles Creed of Stirling Division. Brother Creed was then initiated.

On motion of Bro. Reading, it was

Resolved, That this G. D. by its next session, procure a sufficient number of the Bye-Laws of the Division, (at the discretion of the G. W. P.) for distribution among its members.

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Bro. J. D. B. Fraser from the Committee on Appeals, reported as follows:—