

## The Auditing Committee presented the following REPORT:

The Auditing Committee respectfully report, that they have examined the following Accts. against the Grand Division of the Province of Nova Scotia, and finding the same correct, recommend that they shall be paid:

No. 1.	Acct. of National Division,	\$232 92
" 2.	Br. Budd, for Horse hire,	£3 10 0
" 3.	Br. Burrill's acct. for do.,	1 10 0
" 4.	Robert P. Haskill, for Staves,	0 5 0
" 5.	Calvin Wyman, for painting,	0 12 6
" 6.	Br. Angus Gidney, for advertising } meetings of G. D.,	1 0 0
" 7.	J. Bowes & Son, printing circulars,	0 16 3

Your Committee have also examined the Reports of Grand Scribe and Grand Treasurer, and find the same correct. All of which is respectfully submitted in Love, Purity, and Fidelity.

E. M. COWLING.

CHAS. WHITE.

ROBT. McINTOSH.

JOHN BLAIR.

On motion, voted that the G. S. be authorized to obtain three thousand tracts, of the series published by the National Division.

A reconsideration of the vote, postponing the consideration of the resolution of Br. Hall, with reference to petitioning the House of Assembly for an Act of Incorporation, was moved, and, on the question being put, was lost.

The following resolution was moved by Br. N. Tupper:

*Resolved*, That the per centage paid by Subordinate Divisions to the Grand Division, be in future 2½ instead of 5 per cent.

The question being put, the above resolution was lost.

Committee on Appeals presented the following

## REPORT:

The Committee to whom were referred the appeal of Br. Joseph Burrill, of Milton Division, No. 4, in the case of Br. Hines, and the Report of the Committee of Appeals thereon, as submitted to the G. D. in April last, beg leave to report:

That in consequence of a Resolution of said Division, passed on the 26th day of January last, as follows:

*Resolved*, That this Division does not consider Br. James Hines as having violated Art. 2 of the Constitution, and that the aforesaid Brother be excused.

*And whereas*, the former Committee had not before them the aforesaid Resolution, this Committee are of opinion that the vote of expulsion of Br. Hines, as passed on the                      day of                      was unconstitutional: