

- 313 YOUNG BRANCH—W. P., Wm. R. McLearn, P. W. P's., David Harding,
Jacob B. Ringor, Charles Dakin.
314 LIVINGSTONE—W. P., John Campbell.

In Love, Purity and Fidelity,

WM. WILSON,
JOHN E. BUTLER.

G. S. read Communications from Avon Division, No. 12, and Vesper Division, No. 124, cancelling credentials of Representatives. Communications ordered on File, and names of Representatives to be erased from Roll.

Also a Communication from Vesper Division, No. 124, asking permission from Grand Division to pass a Bye-Law granting privilege of voting to members under eighteen years of age.

Referred to Committee on Communications.

Grand Scribe presented an Appeal from C. G. Buchanan, vs. action of North Sydney Division, No. 167.

Referred to Standing Committee on Appeals.

The following Report was read and approved :—

Malifax, January 22nd, 1870.

Since the Annual meeting of the Grand Division, the Committee on Charters have recommended the granting of Charters as follows :

1. On November 16, 1869, to Edgar H. Porter, and *seventeen others*, residents of Lower Granville, Annapolis County, for KARSDALE DIVISION, No. 315.
2. On January 5, instant, to Alexander Knowlton, and *nineteen others*, residents of Medford, Kings County, for GOODWILL DIVISION, No. 316.

In Love, Purity, and Fidelity,

PATR. MONAGHAN
M. A. SHAFFER.

Grand Conductor introduced the following named, who were duly initiated : Harry H. Blois, Daniel Thompson, Wm. Murdoch, Charles Sim, of No. 124 ; Rev. S. B. Martin, No. 52 ; John C. Fisher, No. 92 ; Adam R. O'Brien, Steward Gould, No. 221.

The G. W. P. appointed Committees as follows :—

On State of the Order—P. G. W. P. Longley, Thos. Hutchings, Alex. Dunbar, H. H. Blois, George J. Creed.

On Communications—P. G. W. P. Taylor, Rev. S. B. Martin, David Ellis.

On Enrollment of Members—Roland Creed, R. S. Blois.

On motion of P. G. W. P. Longley, seconded by G. J. Creed, P. G. W. P. Taylor and Thos. Hunter were appointed a Committee to co-operate with Committee of Vesper Division in arranging for a public Temperance meeting, to be held this evening.