

The R. W. Substitute Grand Master presented the following Report :

HALIFAX, N. S., September 13, 1867.

To the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia :

During recess of Grand Lodge, and in the absence of the M. W. Grand Master, and R. W. Deputy Grand Master, it became my duty to perform the following official act, which I now submit for the approval of this Grand Lodge :

In August I received from the members of Ophir Lodge, a petition praying to be allowed to suspend the meetings of their Lodge for six months. Considering the reasons good and substantial, I granted the same.

Respectfully submitted,

R. BRECHIN,
Substitute Grand Master.

On motion of Brother W. S. Macdonald it was *Resolved*, that the action of the R. W. Substitute Grand Master be confirmed.

A communication was read from the M. W. Grand Lodge of Alabama, appointing R. W. Brother W. S. Macdonald as the Representative of that M. W. Grand Lodge near this M. W. Grand Lodge.

Also, a communication from the M. W. Grand Lodge of Indiana, appointing M. W. Brother W. H. Davies as the Representative of that M. W. Grand Lodge near this Grand Lodge.

On motion of Brother George J. Payne, it was