RULES OF ORDER

OF THE

EASTERN BAPTIST ASSOCIATION OF NOVA SCOTIA.

RULE 1st.-At each Annual Meeting the letters from the Churches shall be first handed in, from which the Secretary shall immediately make out a list of Delegates.

RULE 2nd .- After religious worship the officers suan be chosen. The choice of the Moderator shall be made by ballot. No brother shall be chosen Moderator two years in succession.

RULE 3rd.—The first letter read shall be from the Church with which the Association is assembled.

Rule 4th.—No subject shall be discussed without a motion first made and seconded, and no person shall speak on any subject more than twice unless by consent of the Association.

RULE 5th.—When any church is received, the Moderator shall give to one of its delegates the right hand of fellowship.

RULE 6th .- At the commencement of each sitting, the Minutes of the preceding one shall be read and approved, and of the last sitting, before the final adjournment.

RULE 7th.-Motions made and lost shall not be recorded on the Minutes, except so ordered by the Association.

RULE 8th.—All resolutions shall be presented in writing.

RULE 9th.—Each meeting for business shall be commenced and concluded with prayer.

RULE 10th.—No delegate shall leave the Association before the business is finished, without permission of the body.

RULE 11th.—These rules shall be read by the Moderator at the commencement of every annual session of the Association.

G. Noston, Auditor