

S. OF T.

Fifty-first Annual Session of the Grand Division of N. B.

Reports of Grand Worthy Patriarch Woodburn and Grand Scribe Armstrong.

A Large Attendance of Delegates—Election of Officers—Much Business Disposed of at Last Night's Sitting.

The 51st annual session of the Grand Division, Sons of Temperance, of New Brunswick, was opened in due and ancient form in this city on Wednesday evening, J. R. Woodburn, G. W. P., in the chair.

The credentials committee reported 65 members present, 7 for initiation. Bro. Roberts of Boston, M. W. T. of the National Division, was invited to a seat, and briefly addressed the division.

After the initiation of candidates, J. R. Woodburn, G. W. P., submitted the following report:

G. W. P.'s REPORT.

J. R. Woodburn, G. W. P., submitted his report, which was a comprehensive and clear review of the year's work. After cordially welcoming the members of Grand Division to the city and expressing the ardent hope that the sessions would be fraught with good results and a noble inspiration, the G. W. P. said the report of the propagation committee would show that a large amount of good had resulted from the efforts of the grand and district officers in the various public meetings held throughout the jurisdiction. Many willing workers lent a hand during this plebiscite campaign, helping to swell the majority for prohibition. While the statistics of the grand scribe's report showed that the order had more than held its own during the year, "we cannot shut our eyes to the fact that some divisions have become dormant, while others have refused membership through that terrible pruning knife, suspension for non-payment of dues. Cannot some remedy be found to stop this drain? We greatly need some more actual, earnest workers, and a general advance all along the line. We wish our deputies were more prompt in sending in their returns. We need more earnest and efficient officers in many of our subordinate divisions. It is painful at times to listen to the hesitating and stumbling way in which some of the officers deliver their part of the ritual. I would recommend you to consider carefully whether in your opinion an extension of the time of office in subordinate divisions would not very materially help in this matter. If this suggestion is thought well of, an effort to secure legislation along this line should be made at the next session of the National Division."

The G. W. P. expressed regret that so little had been accomplished in work among the young. He trusted that Grand Division would see its way clear to secure the organization of district divisions in every county in the province, and provide them with funds to carry on their propagation work, as in this way much better results could be achieved than by the present intermittent work that the grand officers are able to do.

The finances for the year would be found sufficient to pay all outstanding demands, thus starting the year with a clean sheet, yet it seemed to him necessary to now provide ways and means to meet all liabilities as they occur, and especially to pay to district divisions the amount voted by Grand Division.

In company with C. A. Everett, P. M. W. P., Rev. G. W. Fisher, P. M. W. C., and A. J. Armstrong, G. S., he had the pleasure of attending the meeting of the National Division at Burlington, Vermont. It was a pleasant visit, "but I do not care to put on paper my first impressions—second thoughts are always best."

The G. W. P. commended to Grand Division's consideration the Insurance Relief Society in connection with the order, and the little paper, Forward, which had done good service during the plebiscite campaign.

"All things come to them that wait, and so the long talked of and long expected plebiscite has come and gone. We in this city and province have much to be thankful for ourselves. The official announcement of the entire dominion vote has not yet been given out. We know that a majority vote in favor of prohibition is the result. We know also that every English speaking province has given a large majority in favor of prohibition, while only one, Quebec, has given a majority against. Since the day on which the poll was taken we have been treated to very confusing reports in the public press; reports at times somewhat amusing, often ridiculous. The majority has fluctuated all the way from 50,000 to 50,000 against prohibition. We have had served up to us almost daily the opinions of Professor this, or the Rev. Mr. that, whose desires seem to be farther to the thought—that prohibition would never be granted, or that it had got a set back for many years; all endeavoring to belittle the vote and misify the majority as much as possible. It ought to be sufficient answer to all such counsellers that we in the Dominion of Canada live under a British constitution where majorities rule, and the will of the people as expressed at the polls is speedily crystallized into law by the powers that be, and the mandate of the people, which makes and unmake governments, is respected. Whatever the immediate results of the plebiscite vote may be, that vote has an educative force the influence of which for good it is impossible at the present moment to estimate. Of this we may be sure, that prohibition has entered into the domain of active political economy and it will not rest until it is settled, and

settled right. May the Good Lord hasten the day of settlement. The death knell of the liquor traffic has been sounded from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and those engaged in the business, if they are wise in their generation, will at once begin to set their house in order and prepare for the inevitable, for although

"The mills of God grind slowly, Yet they grind exceeding small, Though He waits and grinds with patience,

"With exactness grinds He all.

In concluding, Mr. Woodburn expressed his sincere thanks to the officers and all others who had aided him in the discharge of his duties, and to the members of Grand Division for their uniform kindness and courtesy, bespeaking for his successor the same kind consideration.

A. J. Armstrong, G. S., read his report as follows:

GRAND SCRIBE'S REPORT.

A. J. Armstrong submitted his report for the six months to September 30, as well as statistics and other information covering a period of one year to date.

Forty-five divisions reported to June 30, and 32 to September 30. From returns to hand the following statistics have been compiled:

Initiated	742
Joined by card	17
Reinitiated	10
Withdrawn	217
Suspended	387
Expelled for violation of pledge	26
Expelled for other causes	9
Deaths	49
No. of divisions reporting	71
No. of members contributing	2,904
Non-contributing members	3,396
Members of divisions inactive	4,217
With unforgotten charters	4,217
Division receipts	\$2,419 19
Division expenses	2,148 28
Division cash on hand and invested	6,984 39

Following divisions were organized during the year: Progress, No. 424, at Riverside, Albert Co., and Emerald, No. 425, at Perth Centre, Carleton Co.

Following divisions were reconstituted during the same period: Upham, No. 246; New City, 376; Ever Onward, 332; Safe Refuge, 354; Corn Hill, 378; Nelson, 99; Cardwell, 271; Maple Green, 333; Markham, 329.

Per capita tax received to Oct. 26th, 1898, \$878.10, which has been paid over to the grand treasurer.

"So far as can be ascertained from the returns to hand, it will be found that taking the year from September 30, 1897, to same date in 1898, we stood about on the same footing as we did one year ago, and whilst this is not a showing that we as Sons of Temperance would wish to have, it is not to say doing badly when the numerous organizations doing temperance work are considered, compared with times when the Sons of Temperance had nearly all this work in their own hands."

Returns.

"I regret that I am compelled to again report to Grand Division that only about seventy-two of the divisions have reported for the quarter to September 30, and that in consequence all statistics are only to be looked upon as approximate. For years back many of the deputies have failed to do their duty in this respect, but never to the extent of the present year, and it does seem to me that no time should be lost in making an attempt to remedy this growing evil. Deputies who know their duties and I presume all deputies of the G. W. P. do know their duties should remember the part of their duties that lays down that 'after the installation of officers, he shall instruct the worthy patriarch in the quarterly password, provided always that the quarterly returns are duly prepared, and the authorized per capita tax appropriated to the Grand Division, otherwise the password shall be withheld.' Then follows another paragraph reading: 'That the quarterly return and the per capita tax must be promptly forwarded to the grand scribe in time to enable that officer to make up his report to the Grand Division.' How few of the deputies give these two sections of their commission the least attention. I suggest as a remedy that no password be sent to any division until the per capita tax is received, and that the commissions of all deputies become null and void on the first meeting in November, and that at that meeting a deputy be chosen by the division and recommended to the new G. W. P. who, if he thinks well of the recommendation, will appoint the brother recommended. It may be that the same deputy will be recommended, but he would not be understood to have any more right to be appointed than any other brother, no more than a W. P. would have a right to be re-elected. If deputies were treated in this way I have an idea that those who do not attend to their duties would be left out." The grand scribe further suggests that "if worthy patriarchs were elected annually, and they acted in

the capacity of deputy for the term of these own offices, the duties of the deputy would be better attended to. It seems to me the W. P. would have pride in seeing that during his term the business of the division would be done right. Another idea is to give the deputy a standing in the division by a place in his division with some honor, such as initiation, so that he can be pointed to as an officer. The least important officer of a division has a place in the division and something to do in its work. Deputies have no place, take no part in the initiations, and strangers come and go without knowing there is a deputy in the division room. Deputies ought to be given more prominence there, if they are expected to fill the place intended for them."

FINANCES.

I am very strongly impressed with the fact that it will be necessary for Grand Division to take into consideration the finances of the division and adjust the expenditure in proportion to the income. Some of our expenses were fixed years ago, when this jurisdiction had a very much larger membership than at present, and although our membership has become smaller, salaries and other expenses have been kept the same, the cut being in the amount asked for propagation work. We can now no longer close our eyes to the fact that a larger amount must be spent on propagation work through district divisions and personal canvassing, if we hope to keep our time-honored position of the leading temperance order in the province, and the only means at present in view of obtaining funds to do this is to reduce salaries and other expenses as low as possible consistent with the work performed.

PLEBISCITE.

I feel that it is hardly necessary for me to say a word about the plebiscite at this time. All present have surely heard enough about this question during the last few months. It seemed to be in everybody's mouth previous to the 29th September, and from the very handsome vote polled in New Brunswick it is shown that a majority of 17,000 wants prohibition of the liquor traffic. What the whole majority in Canada is, even at this late date, seems impossible to tell, as from day to day since the polling took place the majority has been going up and down, very much like the mercury in a thermometer acts during changes of temperature. What the result will be after the majority is fixed, like for a plebiscite in this question, is hard to tell, but being asked for an opinion on this question, and having given this opinion, it is ours to have faith and await results. It will be remembered that, before the vote, many were found predicting that when the opportunity was given us for a plebiscite on this question, it would be loaded down with side issues as to compensation, direct taxation, etc., which proved to be quite incorrect. And in like manner may stand some of the predictions with reference to a prohibitory law.

OTHER MATTERS.

The grand scribe suggests that the future of "Forward," the S. of T. newspaper, is a matter for earnest discussion at this session, and in reporting a large increase of correspondence during the year, greatly due to the plebiscite, congratulates Grand Division that no part thereof relates to the slightest friction in the order, the whole being really along the lines of propagation and other work in connection with the well being of the order.

"Almost dead is about the position of 'Young People's Work' in our jurisdiction, and without more life can be infused into this branch of our order. The following are the only four bands of Loyal Crusaders in New Brunswick is a shameful state of affairs in the direction of the education of the young under the auspices of the old order of the S. of T. How can we remedy this? Let us discuss it at this meeting."

The district divisions the grand scribe considers a power for good. "St. John and Kings Co. have district divisions; and as an evidence of their worth, in these counties we have more Sons of Temperance than in any other two counties in our province."

Reports from St. John and Kings Co. divisions will be laid before Grand Division.

Some few letters were made by the G. W. P. and G. S. outside of St. John during the past term, and very many to divisions in St. John, but "preparing for the plebiscite vote took up all the spare time at our disposal; indeed, with the G. W. P. very much more than this, for I may here remark that for weeks he gave his whole time to this work. All divisions were so busy along plebiscite lines, there was little time to attend to their visitors or make visits outside of the localities where our influence could be felt."

The grand scribe has only good words for the S. of T. National Mutual Relief Society. Can anything be more satisfactory in the way of insurance than to know that the treasurer has now on hand several thousand dollars and no death claims to be paid? Can anything be more satisfactory than to know that death claims are paid four days after receipt of the claim? This has been done. In commending this society to the Grand Division, the grand scribe remarks: "The sooner every member over the age of 18 is made to take at least \$500 insurance thereon, the better it will be for our order. Give the insurance more thought, brothers."

The neglect of divisions to send in the names of deceased brethren is pointed out and regret expressed that in consequence the grand scribe is unable to place on record, each year, the names of those who have been called to their reward. At the present session time will be set apart for the consideration of the recommendations and suggestions made by the G. W. P. and G. S. "We are looking for reasons why our order is losing ground almost the whole time, and it is only by placing opinions and observations before the Grand Division that these reasons can be ascertained."

In conclusion, the grand scribe expressed the fervent hope that "our meeting together at this time may be

for our mutual benefit and that of the cause we represent."

Thos. Lawson, grand treasurer, A. I. Kierstead of Collins, Kings Co., superintendent of Young People's department; E. S. Hennigan, W. P. of St. John District Division, submitted reports, all of which were duly referred.

A telegram of congratulation was received from the Grand Division of Nova Scotia, and a fitting response made thereto; also a letter of greetings from the St. John W. C. T. Union.

Bro. Moore, P. M. W. C. of Boston, sent a letter regretting he would be unable to attend the session as he had expected; also a letter from Rev. Mr. Lawson, M. W. P. of the same nature. The report of the Loyal Crusaders of Richibucto was presented.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Bros. Whittaker of St. John and McCarthy of Moncton acting as tellers:

G. W. P.—Rev. Jas. Crisp.
G. W. A.—H. J. Evans, Lakeside, Kings Co.
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The Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of New Brunswick spent Friday morning discussing the report of the propagation committee, section by section, G. W. P. Woodburn in the chair.

In the afternoon, Rev. G. W. Fisher, special deputy of the Most Worthy Patriarch, was welcomed by the chair and by request briefly addressed the brethren.

The report of the committee on the state of the order was read and its consideration made the first business of the evening session. The report of the finance committee was read and adopted.

G. W. P. Woodburn delivered his valedictory, and the installation of officers then took place.

It was decided to hold the next semi-annual session in the city of Moncton, on the second Wednesday of May, 1899, at 2 p. m., and to meet in St. John in annual session on the last Wednesday of October, 1899, at 8 p. m.

The report of the District Division of Kings Co. was read and adopted.

It was ordered that the G. W. P. Patriarch in his annual circular should suggest that each division send at least one of its members to the Grand Division meetings, paying his expenses, if necessary.

Twenty-five or more representatives were elected to the National Division, and three hundred copies of the journal ordered to be printed.

At the evening session G. W. P. Crisp read the list of standing committees, as follows:

Propagation committee—G. W. P., Jas. Crisp; P. M. W. P., C. A. Everett; P. W. P.'s, J. R. Woodburn, J. D. Robertson, R. Maxwell; G. W. A., H. J. Evans, the grand chaplain; G. S., A. J. Armstrong; G. T., T. H. Lawson; G. Con., Williams; P. G. Chap., Rev. Job Shenton; G. G. W. A., E. S. Hennigan; P. G. T., W. C. Whittaker; P. G. Con., G. H. Forbes; P. G. W. A., J. C. Thomas; representatives, H. C. Tilley, N. J. Morrison, John Law, J. McG. Campbell, Robt. Moore, J. W. Fowler, S. P. McCavour, W. F. Cronk.

State of the order—P. J. Chap., Rev. Job Shenton; P. M. W. Chap., Rev. G. Fisher; representatives, E. A. Everett, L. P. D. Tilley, W. D. Baskin, Joshua Stark, Robt. Bell, Robt. Goodwin.

By-laws—P. G. W. P., Edward McCarthy; R. Marshall, W. H. Patterson, N. J. Morrison.

Finance and audit—W. C. Whittaker, S. P. McCavour, W. O. B. Stewart.

Appeals—P. M. W. A., John Rankin; G. W. A., H. J. Evans; G. Con., R. C. Williams.

Statistics—Representatives, John Law, J. McG. Campbell, and G. S., J. H. Dale.

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After the usual votes of thanks the 51st annual session was closed with the customary ceremonies.

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WOODSTOCK.

Meeting of Carleton County Teachers' Institute.

Election of Officers of the Association—Brought Home for Burial.

WOODSTOCK, Oct. 27.—The Carleton Co. Teachers' Institute opened in the Hartland Foresters' hall this morning, with a capital attendance and an excellent prospect of a good session. The morning session was mainly devoted to calling of the roll, appointment of committees, etc. Wm. Tracey is president, Miss Louise McCormac vice-president, and Miss Helena Mulholland secretary.

Among those present were: Inspector Meagher, G. H. Harrison, F. A. Good, Louise McCormac, Mina Fisher, Julia Neales, Kate Appleby, A. P. Comben, Miriam S. Carman, Kate P. McLeod, F. M. Peters, Woodstock; Mabel Shaw, Annie McLean, Gordonsville; Carrie Hart, Palmer Settlement; Blanche L. Estey, Oakland; Agnes M. White, Gertie Tompkins, East Florenceville; M. A. Oulton, Benton; Carrie Estey, Winklow; H. T. Colpitts, Upper Doodstock; Edwin B. Ross, Lower Brighton; Louise Upton, Cornhill; Bessie M. Harold, Good's Corner; Mildred E. Jones, Inch's Ridge, York Co.; Florence L. Tapley, Kent Parish; Rex R. Cormier, Bath; Susie C. Pass, Brighton; Susie A. Hendry, Helen Durham, Upper Waterville; Martha L. Orchard, Brighton; Mary T. McCready, Upper Winklow; Guy J. McAdams, Brighton; Leon H. Jewett, Wakefield; Myrtle A. Harmon, Brighton; A. B. Boyer, Wakefield; Ellen Eastabrooks, Highgate; Phoebe Hart, Newburg; Mrs. W. R. Harold, Upper Bloomfield; Daisy Holmes, Middle Simonds; W. A. Ride-storm, and held on Tuesday night, and were the auspices of Tilley division, S. of T., was an unqualified success, numerically and financially. A programme of sixteen numbers was interestingly and humorously carried out. R. C. Williams was chairman, and filled the bill very acceptably. After the musical and literary exercises were gone through with, the pies were auctioned off by John Law of St. John, to whom a vote of thanks and three rousing cheers were given for his assistance in making the affair a success. The following was the programme: Opening chorus, Misses A. Holder, M. Holder, Frank Holder and Wm. Holder; address, John Law; reading, Miss A. Tippet; duet (vocal), Misses Moore; flute solo, Wm. Sheeham; address, R. E. Lyon; duet, Mrs. and Mr. J. D. Cosman; instrumental duet, Warren Holder; comic solo, John Law; instrumental solo, Miss P. Gormham; reading, Ella Holder; duet, Mrs. J. D. Cosman and J. Law; finale, God Save the Queen. Many of the numbers were heartily enjoyed and responded to. The chairman announced that Tilley division was nightily increasing in membership and extended an invitation to the large audience present to connect themselves with Tilley division.

Charles G. Smith of Jamaica Plain, Mass., and Mrs. Smith, formerly Miss Lena Wetmore, of St. John, have been on a short visit to friends at Clifton. They return to Boston on Friday morning.

During the summer the people of Kingston have been vexed with two wretched agents, without names, and sitting in payment for board and lodging a compound called "liquid electricity," a small cure-all vial, intended for internal and external use. The machinery works of John D. Cosman (carriage factory, blacksmith shop, grist, and carding mill), is a steady hive of industry. The sewing mill at this season is very busy, under the superintendence of James Redstone, who also runs the grist mill. Partridge shooting is nearly at its close, and ducks are now infesting the lakes.

"Hughey" of the Willows looks hale and hearty, and smiles at the successful run his famous hotel had during the summer. Mrs. McCormick says that next year's business promises to eclipse that of preceding seasons.

Quite a number of tourists came down river by the Clifton on Wednesday morning, on their way home to Boston and elsewhere.

DIED AT INCHRY.

The Sun's Hamstead, Que. correspondent writes under date of Oct. 28: "William Wallace, a well-known fisherman, died yesterday, after an illness of seven years, during which he was unable to do his work. He could not speak for the last four years. His funeral will take place on Sunday morning, at 10 o'clock, at his residence at ten o'clock. He will proceed to the Baptist church. The services will be conducted by Licentiate Carpenter. He leaves a widow, four daughters, three sons, including John B. Wallace, photographer of St. John; R. B. Wallace of the educational office, Fredericton, and a large circle of relatives and friends."

Children Cry for CASTORIA.