

Quebec Temperance and Prohibitory LEAGUE.

THIRD ANNUAL MEETING
HELD IN MONTREAL,
Wednesday & Thursday, Feb. 19 & 20, 1873

FIRST SESSION—WEDNESDAY MORNING.

The Third Annual Meeting of the Quebec Temperance and Prohibitory League, assembled on Wednesday the nineteenth day of Feb., 1873, at Ten o'clock A. M., the Hon. Judge Sanborn, President, in the chair. The Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. S. J. Hunter. The Secretary read some recommendations from the General Committee in reference to the hours of meeting and order of business, which were adopted. The President appointed G. W. Weaver, Rev. James McCaul, and the Secretary, to strike the necessary Committees.

The Secretary then read the following

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The difficulties with which Temperance reformers have contended, have often been of so formidable a character, that many of them would have long since abandoned the enterprise had they not been thoroughly convinced of its importance, encouraged from time to time by tokens of good accomplished, and above all, inspired by a firm faith in the Supreme Being, whose blessing they constantly and earnestly sought to rest upon their humble efforts.

To those who interest themselves in the progress of Temperance work in various parts of the world, the past year has been one of great interest and encouragement. Without alluding to many of the important occurrences of the year outside our own country, we may be allowed to direct your attention to one or two facts, bearing upon the particular aspect of the temperance cause declared by our constitution to be the object of the League, "the total suppression of the Liquor Traffic."