

fight side by side, as we have done for the last ten years against our common foe, intemperance. And to my deputies I also return my sincere thanks for the manner in which each and all of them have performed the duties I entrusted to their care. And to you Brothers of the Grand Division I owe a lasting debt of gratitude for having placed me in the position I have occupied for the last twelve months. The honor I will ever remember and if God spares us, I hope we will meet as heretofore for years to come, as members of the Grand Division of Canada East, and endeavour to still further our noble Order. I may not have performed the duties of the office so well as you might have wished, but this much I will say, I have done all I could to advance the interests of our Division and promote the cause of temperance.

Yours in L. P. and F.  
GEO. McLEAN ROSE, G.W.P.

The G. S. read his report as follows :

Office of Grand Scribe,  
Montreal, January 13th, 1862.

To the Grand Division S. of T. C. E.

Officers and Brothers,—Permitted by a kind providence again to assemble at this our tenth Annual Session, it becomes my duty to report the transactions of this office for the past term and the present condition of the Order in the jurisdiction. In doing so I am gratified to be enabled to say that the several Divisions are generally in a healthy condition and altho' the addition to our membership reported is not so large as I had anticipated, yet it is sufficiently so to demonstrate that we are still progressing though slowly, surely. During the six months preceding 30th September, last we have added to our numbers 184 members and 265 lady visitors, and I believe that had I received all the returns for the quarter ending 31st December last, I would have been enabled to show a still larger proportional increase.

Since last meeting two new Divisions have been instituted one located at North Stanbridge, Co of Missisquoi, and named North Stanbridge Division, No. 66, and the other located at Roxton, Co of Shefford, and named Milton Division, No. 67. In the month of October, 1860, Cameron Division after having ceased its meetings for some years was again revived but only continued in operation for a few months. Again on 12th November last the Division was re-organized and I am happy to say with fair prospects of a long and successful career.

Three Divisions since my last report have ceased working, viz. Mann-  
ingville Hope, No 22, located at Manningville. Perseverance, No 4, located at  
Huntingdon and Lochaber, No 13, located at Lochaber.

One Division has made no return for three quarters, one has failed to do so  
for two quarters, and two for one quarter.

The following is an abstract of the returns from 35 Divisions for quarter  
ending 30th September, 1861.

Number of Divisions in working order	40
Number of do reporting	35
Number of Members initiated	181
do admitted by card	8
Total admitted	189
Withdrawn	51
Suspended	12
Violated pledge first time	89
do do second time	6
Non payment of dues	9
Conduct unbecoming S. of T.	2
Re-signed Constitution	24
Expelled	77
Deaths	3
Contributing Members	1601
Total Members	1919
Lady Visitors	956
Number of Members in juvenile organizations	2714
Receipts	\$464.40
Paid for benefits	37.00
Incidental expences	373.36