

our especial acknowledgements for the great service they have rendered to our noble Cause. The brethren in Cape Breton also seem to be alive to the work, and I have been informed that it is their intention to employ a Lecturer, so soon as a suitable person can be found.

You no doubt are already acquainted with the doings in the Metropolitan County, as they are published from time to time in the *Abstainer*.

As anticipated in my last report, I have now much pleasure in announcing that Acadia Division, No. 1, recommenced operations on the 21st of April, and has had an increase of members during the quarter. Nelson Division, No. 95, located at Lawrencetown, was also put into working order on 4th May, by D. G. W. P., Rev. Dr. Robertson; this Division ceased working in October, 1853.

Two new Divisions have been instituted since the last quarterly Session; the first, *Cunningham*, No. 134, at Chute's Cove, Annapolis County, on 18th May, by D. G. W. P., S. L. Morse. The second, *Lucknow*, No. 135, at Amherst, on 15th June, by D. G. W. P., Rev. R. Alder Temple.

Of the 77 Divisions now on the roll of this Grand Division, 55 only have sent in their returns for the quarter ending 30th June. The following is a summary of the returns received:

Number Initiated	361	
“ Admitted by Card	6	} 376
“ “ Dispensation.....	9	
“ Withdrawn by Card.....	24	} 45
“ “ from the Order.....	21	
“ Expelled for violation of the Pledge.....	87	} 184
“ “ non-payment of Dues.....	97	
“ Deaths		3
“ Rejected		11
“ Suspended		73
“ Violated pledge, first time.....		72
“ Reinstated		44
“ Signed over.....		33
“ Violated pledge, second time.....		15
“ Temperance Meetings held.....		64
“ Temperance Tracts distributed.....		73
“ Members on F. S. books, (55 Divs.).....	2730	
“ Female Visitors, (26 Divs.).....	558	