

PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
GRAND DIVISION  
OF THE  
SONS OF TEMPERANCE,  
OF THE  
PROVINCE OF CANADA WEST,

FROM ITS ORGANIZATION, APRIL 12TH, 1849,  
TO THE CLOSE OF THE REGULAR QUARTERLY  
SESSION, JULY, 1850.



Brockville:

D. WYLIE, PRINTER, RECORDER OFFICE.

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**GRAND DIVISION**  
OF THE  
**SONS OF TEMPERANCE, CANADA WEST,**  
INSTITUTED IN THE TOWN OF BROCKVILLE, IN THE  
COUNTY OF LEEDS, IN THE DISTRICT  
OF JOHNSTOWN,

THE 12TH DAY OF APRIL, A. D. 1849.

BY

PHILIP S. WHITE, M. D. W. P. OF THE NATIONAL DIVISION  
OF NORTH AMERICA.

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**COPY OF APPLICATION FOR CHARTER.**

The undersigned, inhabitants of Canada, and Past and acting W. P's. of Brockville Division, No. 1, Frontenac Division, No. 2, North Augusta Division, No. 3, Farmersville Division, No. 4, Coleman's Corners Division, No. 5, and Gananoque Division, No. 6, of the Sons of Temperance, of said Canada, respectfully petition the National Division to grant them a Charter to open a Grand Division, to be called the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of Canada, to be located in the Town of Brockville, District of Johnstown, C. W.

We pledge ourselves, individually and collectively, to be governed by the rules and usages of the National Division.

Enclosed is the Charter Fee, \$20.

(Signed,)

WILLIAM DICK, P. W. P. Brockville Division, No. 1.		
C. LEGGO, P. W. P.,	do.	do.
W. H. ELLERBECK, W. P.,	do.	do.
R. DICK, P. W. P.,	do.	do.
WILLIAM BOYLE, P. W. P. Frontenac Division, No. 2.		
J. P. SUTTON, W. P.	do.	do.
T. O. BUTLER P. W. P.,	do.	do.

J. CREIGHTON, P. W. P., Frontenac Division, No. 2.  
 A. B. PARDEE, P. W. P., North Augusta Division, No. 3.  
 J. M. HASKINS, W. P., do. do.  
 H. WILLIAMS, W. P., Farmersville Division, No. 4.  
 A. PARISH, P. W. P., do. do.  
 R. COLEMAN, W. P., Coleman's Corners Division, No. 5.  
 J. COLEMAN, P. W. P., do. do.  
 J. L. MACDONALD, W. P., Gananoque Division, No. 6.

Grand Division opened in due form. The aforesaid Brothers, P. W. P's. and W. P's. of Subordinate Divisions of Canada West, (except Creighton and Williams) presented themselves, and handed in their certificates as Representatives of their respective Divisions to the Grand Division, and were initiated as members of said Grand Division.

## OFFICERS.

The following Brothers were duly elected as Officers to serve until the annual Session.

WILLIAM BOYLE, G. W. P.  
 J. LEWIS MACDONALD, G. W. A.  
 W. H. ELLERBECK, G. Scribe.  
 C. LEGGO, G. Treasurer.  
 R. DICK, G. Chaplain.  
 A. B. PARDEE, G. Conductor.  
 J. P. SUTTON, G. Sentinel.  
 G. W. P. appointed A. PARISH P. G. W. P.

## MOTIONS.

Moved and seconded, that the sum of £6 5s. be paid Brother P. S. White, for Charter and five sets of Blue Books—Carried.

Moved and seconded, that Brothers W. H. Ellerbeck, R. Dick, and C. Leggo, be a Committee on Charters for Subordinate Divisions—Carried.

Moved and seconded, that the G. Scribe do write to the M. W. Scribe of the National Division, and request him to send this Grand Division 100 travelling cards, 25 sets of Blue Books, with new music, Rules of Discipline of G. D., &c., &c., and to say they will be paid for at the first annual returns—Carried.

Moved and seconded, that all Officers of the G. D. requiring books, be authorised to purchase the same.

Moved by Brother Dick, and seconded by Brother Butler, that the next Session of the Grand Division do meet at the City of Kingston, on the second Friday in July, at five of the clock, P. M., and that notice of the same be published—Carried.

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Moved and seconded, that W. H. Ellerbeck, R. Coleman, and C Leggo, be a Committee to procure regalia for Officers of Grand Division—Carried.

Moved and seconded, that Brothers R. Coleman, C. Leggo, and W. H. Ellerbeck, be a Committee to draft By-Laws for this Grand Division—Carried.

Moved and seconded, that Brothers R. Dick, C. Leggo, and W. H. Ellerbeck be a Committee to draft circulars for the use of Grand Division, and to get the same printed—Carried.

Moved and seconded, that Brothers J. L. Macdonald, Sutton, Butler and Boyle, be a Committee to draw a design of Seal for the use of the Grand Division, and procure the same and forward it to the Grand Scribe—Carried.

Moved and seconded, that G. W. P. Boyle do procure 100 Charters, to establish Subordinate Divisions for use of Grand Divisions—Carried.

Moved and seconded, that Brothers W. H. Ellerbeck, C. Leggo, and R. Dick, be a Committee on By-Laws for Subordinate Divisions—Carried

The Session adjourned to Friday the 13th day of July, 1849, to meet in the City of Kingston.

W. H. ELLERBECK, G. S.

## REGULAR QUARTERLY SESSION.

Grand Division opened in due form at the City of Kingston, on Saturday, the 14th day of July, at 2 o'clock, P. M., A. D., 1849.

Minutes of last Meeting read and approved.

Roll of Officers called. Absent, G. W. A. and G. Chaplain.

The following persons presented their certificates as Representatives of Subordinate Divisions, which were approved of, and they were initiated, viz :

F. G. CALLENDER, W. P., Cobourg Division,	No. 9.
H. E. McDONALD, W. P., Coleman's Corners Div.	No. 5.
W. H. JACKSON, W. P., Brockville Division,	No. 1.
J. CREIGHTON, P. W. P., Frontenac Division,	No. 2.
EDWARD STACY, W. P.,	do. do.

Moved and seconded, that the following Bills be paid so soon as sufficient funds are in the Treasury :

C. A. Walburn, (for regalia,)	£23	7	6
"Argus" Office, for charters,	1	10	0
Seaman & Jackson, Account,	0	8	9
Matthie & Robertson do.	0	6	11
H. & S. Jones, do.	0	15	9
Telegraph Office, do.	0	3	4½
William Buell, do.	4	12	1
C. Leggo and Ellerbeck, for duties on G. D.	3	9	10
Regalia,	8	10	0
F. A. Fickardt,	<hr/>		
	£43	4	2½

## MOTIONS.

Moved and seconded, that the By-Laws, Order of Business, and Rules of Order of the Grand Division of the State of New York, printed A. D. 1848, be adopted as the By-Laws of this Grand Division, until after the next Meeting in October next, with the following exceptions, viz: Article 1st, Section 1st, strike out the words "City of New York" and insert in place thereof "Town of Brockville," wherever the same may occur in said Section. Article 3, Section 1, strike out the words "State of New York" and insert "Province of Canada West," also the word "State" and insert "Province." Section 2, strike out "New York," and insert "Kingston." Section 4, strike out "daily" before papers, and after "in the City of New York." Also the words after "Grand Division," "for which he shall receive an annual salary of seven hundred dollars, payable quarterly." Article 4, Section 7, strike out "City of New York" and insert "Town of Brockville."—Article 5, Section 4, strike out "in the City of New York" and also "State," and insert "Province." Section 20, for Books strike out "\$1," and insert "12s. 9d." Strike out after the words weekly dues, "three," and insert "five." Article 7, strike out sections 1 and 2.—Carried.

Grand Division closed, to meet in the Town of Brockville, on the second Wednesday in October next.

W. H. ELLERBECK, G. SCRIBER.



**SYNOPSIS OF RETURNS OF SUBORDINATE DIVISIONS MADE TO THE  
GRAND DIVISION OF CANADA WEST, FROM 12TH APRIL, 1849,  
TO 30TH JUNE, 1849.**

Names of Division.	Number.	No. of Mem- bers Initiated.	Suspended.	Reinstated.	Expelled.	Rejected.	Broke Pledge.	Signed Over.	Deaths.	Contributing Members.	Receipts.	Percentage to G. D.	Dispensation Fees.
Brockville,.....	1	30	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	109	£38 14 7½	£3 8 8½	£0 5 0
Frontenac,.....	2	19	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	122	22 0 3½	1 2 0	0 5 0
North Augusta,.....	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	4 19 9½	0 4 11½	0 0 0
Farmersville,.....	4	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	47	8 2 6	0 8 8	0 0 0
Coleman's Corners,.....	5	30	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	29	19 19 11	0 19 3	0 0 0
Gananoque,.....	6	40	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	71	44 13 7½	2 3 3	0 0 0
Newboro',.....	7	33	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	33	20 18 0	1 0 10½	0 0 0
Hastings,.....	8	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	7 10 0	0 7 6	0 0 0
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# PROCEEDINGS OF THE GRAND DIVISION OF THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

## FIRST ANNUAL SESSION,

HELD AT THE HALL OF THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE OF BROCKVILLE  
DIVISION No. 1, IN THE TOWN OF BROCKVILLE, ON WEDNESDAY,  
THE 10TH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1849.

The Grand Division assembled, and opened in due form, pursuant to adjournment. G. W. A. John Lewis Macdonald, presiding.

Roll of Officers called. Absent, G. W. P. and G. Sen.

Minutes of last Meeting read and approved.

William H. Giles, W. P. of Farmersville Division, No. 4,  
Harmon Williams, P. W. P. do.

Adam Anderson, W. P., of Brockville, No. 1,

James R. Wright, P. W. P., of Prince Edward, No. 14,

Alexander Dick, W. P. of Matilda, No. 22,

Donald McNicol, W. P. of Glengary No. 21, presented their credentials and were duly admitted.

The Grand Division then went into an Election of Officers for the ensuing year, which resulted in the choice of the following Brothers:

JOHN L. MACDONALD, G. W. P.

EDWARD STACEY, G. W. A.

WILLIAM H. ELLERBECK, Grand Scribe.

CHRISTOPHER LEGGO, G. T.

ALEXANDER DICK, G. Chaplain.

F. G. CALLENDER, G. Conductor.

JAMES R. WRIGHT, G. Sentinel.

Who were duly installed and conducted to their stations.

The Grand Scribe then submitted his Annual Report, which was read, accepted, and laid on the table.

## REPORT OF G. S.

G. W. P., OFFICERS AND BROTHERS OF THE GRAND  
DIVISION OF THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE, CANADA  
WEST:—

In presenting the first annual report of this Grand Division of our infant Order in the Province of Canada, we may indeed be allowed heartily to congratulate each other on the truly extraordinary success which has attended our efforts. But a little more than a year has elapsed since the first Division was Instituted in Canada, and already the Order of the Sons of Temperance has reached a

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position in the Province of Upper Canada which entitles it to a proud stand among the many excellent Institutions of the day; and which, while it secures a permanency and stability to the peace restoring cause of Temperance, disseminates those principles of independent benevolence and universal charity which must secure for it the approval and co-operation of the virtuous and good of every grade in society. This Grand Division was organized at this place on the 12th day of last April, since which time the said Grand Division has issued Charters for the following Subordinate Divisions:—

Newborough Division No. 7, organized June 6, 1849

Hastings	"	8,	"	"	11,	"
Cobourg	"	9,	"	"	16,	"
Mallory Town	"	10,	"	July 6,	"	"
Elmsley	"	11,	"	"	19,	"
Perth	"	12,	"	"	20,	"
Merrickville	"	13,	"	"	21,	"
Prince Edward	"	14,	"	"	27,	"
Prescott	"	15,	"	Aug. 1,	"	"
Kemptville,	"	16,	"	"	10,	"
Trent	"	17,	"	Sept. 4,	"	"
Brighton	"	18,	"	"	5,	"
Bath	"	19,	"	"	6,	"
Yonge Street	"	20,	"	"	17,	"
Glengarry	"	21,	"	Oct. 4,	"	"
Matilda	"	22,	"	"	5,	"
West Port	"	23,	"	"	6,	"

We now number 24 Divisions. The Quarterly Returns have been received by this Office from the following Divisions, with the percentage due the Grand Division.

Brockville Division, No. 1, percentage

Frontenac	do.	2,	do.	£1	14	0
North Augusta	do.	3,	do.	0	19	8
Farmersville	do.	4,	do.	0	4	11
Ten Dispensations				1	3	9
Coleman's Corners	do.	5,	do.	2	10	0
One Dispensation				0	16	9
Gananoque	do.	6,	do.	0	5	0
Newborough	do.	7,	do.	1	3	4
Cobourgh	do.	9,	do.	1	1	3
Mallory Town	do.	10,	do.	0	16	3½
Ten Dispensations				0	17	8½
Elmsley	do.	11,	do.	2	10	0
Perth	do.	12,	do.	0	9	7
Mirrickville	do.	13,	do.	1	3	5
Prince Edward,	do.	14,	do.	1	1	1
Prescott	do.	15,	do.	1	13	1
Kemptville	do.	16,	do.	1	5	0
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The following sums have been received by this Office, since the Organization of the said Grand Division: see schedule A., amounting to £62 12 3½. I have also paid directly the following sums of indebtedness of the Grand Division, resulting from action had at its former Sessions, and for other items, as per Cash Book,—see schedule B—amounting to £34 7 6, leaving a balance in my hands of £28 4 9½.

The petty expenses of this Office for Postage, &c., &c., see schedule B.

Up to the last Quarterly Term, which closed with the month of September last, the whole number of Members reported were,

Brockville Division, No. 1,	121 members.
Frontenac	" 2, 130 "
North Augusta	" 3, 26 "
Farmersville	" 4, 50 "
Coleman's Corners	" 5, 38 "
Gananoque	" 6, 82 "
Newborough	" 7, 45 "
Hastings	" 8, 144 "
Cobourg	" 9, 33 "
Mallory Town	" 10, 54 "
Elmsley	" 11, 15 "
Perth	" 12, 37 "
Merrickville	" 13, 38 "
Prince Edward	" 14, 55 "
Prescott	" 15, 35 "
Kemptville	" 16, 12 "
Trent	" 17, 20 "
Brighton	" 18, 19 "
Bath	" 19, 15 "
Yonge Street	" 20, 12 "
Glengarry	" 21, 53 "
Matilda	" 22, 9 "
West Port	" 23, 23 "

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This office has to offer as an apology to the Grand Division for this report not being as full and complete as it should be, omitting several subjects and items, in consequence of his absence from home the whole of the last week, and until Tuesday of this week, installing officers of Divisions, and organizing new Divisions.

The present indebtedness of this Division, is as follows:—

F. A. Fickardt's account, No. 1,	£7 9 5
George Stewart's " 2,	0 10 0
Seaman & Jackson,	0 8 9
C. A. Walbourn, " 3,	23 7 6
Argus Office, " 4,	1 10 0
G. A. Chapman & Co., charges on B. Books,	0 9 5
William Buell's account, No. 5,	0 12 6
William Matthie & Co., freight,	0 8 14

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A most commendable spirit has almost universally pervaded the Order from its commencement.

That we should meet with opposition is not strange; indeed it would be strange if otherwise; but it is pleasing to reflect that we are opposed only by those who choose rather to remain in entire ignorance of the character of our organization. Hundreds have identified themselves with us who are eminent for their piety and virtue. It is also gratifying to know that many have united with us and are now active and zealous members of our Order, who had long and strenuously resisted all efforts to enlist them in the other Temperance organizations, satisfied of the correctness of every principle which governs us as an Order. Let us court investigation. If our opponents assail us on the score of secrecy, or ridicule our forms or ceremonies, let us remind them of the character of those who compose our union, and the brotherly feelings which distinguish their intercourse with each other: direct them to the house of sickness, where may be seen the Son of Temperance watching with a brother's care, the prostrate victim of disease: or lead them to the abode where death has clothed inmates with the sable habiliments of woe. And again he may be seen administering consolation and relief to the Widows and Orphans, at a period when of all others consolation and relief are most needed. Tell them that these are the results of those principles inculcated in the Division Room. And though it is thought best, to exclude part of our doings from the public gaze, yet well do we know that nothing can escape the all searching eye of that great Being who, while he seeth in secret rewardeth openly; and to Him we appeal for the rectitude of our every motive and action. Then brethren, in view of these facts, may we not reasonably anticipate that the time is hastening when the wise and good, and all who really regard the welfare of their fellow creatures, will be identified with the Sons of Temperance? All of which is submitted in the bonds of Love, Purity and Fidelity.

W. H. ELLERBECK, G. S.

## SCHEDULE A.

CASH RECEIVED BY GRAND SCRIBE OF THE GRAND DIVISION, FROM THE 12TH DAY OF APRIL, 1849, TO THE 10TH OCTOBER, 1849.

April 12,	To cash borrowed from Brockville Division, No. 1.	£6 5 0
June 6,	To Newborough Division, No. 7, for Charter and Books,	1 17 6
July 6,	To Mallorytown Division, No. 10, for Charter and Circulars,	1 18 9

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July 6, To Farmersville Division, per centage for Quarter, ending June 30,	£0 8 8
July 11, To Cobourg do. do.	0 5 7½
" To Augusta do. do.	0 5 10
" To A. B. Pardee, for Circulars,	0 1 3
" To J. J. McIntosh, do.	0 1 3
" To J. Williams, do.	0 0 7½
" To R. Dick, do.	0 1 3
" To R. Coleman, do.	0 5 0
July 14, To Wm. Boyle, on account of charters and books for Hastings Division, No. 8, and Cobourg No. 9, (the balance having been retained by him for his travelling expenses, when instituting those two Divisions.)	2 0 7
" To Coleman's Corners Division, per centage for Quarter, ending 30th June,	0 19 3
July 17, To Hastings Division, No. 8, do.	0 10 0
" To Frontenac do. 2, do.	1 0 0
July 19, To Elmsley Division, No. 11, charter and books,	1 17 6
July 20, To Perth Division, No. 12, do. do.	1 17 6
July 21, To Merrickville do. 13, do. do.	1 17 6
July 27, To Prescott, do. 15, do. do.	1 17 6
Aug. 1, To Kemptville Division, for Charter,	1 5 0
Aug. 13, To Prince Edward Division No. 14, for T. Cards,	0 15 0
Aug. 18, To Kemptville Division, B. B. &c.	0 12 6
Aug. 24, To Newborough Division, No. 7, per centage for Quarter, ending 30th June,	1 0 10½
Sept. 4, To Hastings Division, on account,	0 11 3
" To Trent Division, No. 17, charter and books	1 17 6
Sept. 5, To Brighton Division, No. 18, do.	1 17 6
Sept. 6, To Bath Division, No. 19, do. and 1 T. Card,	1 18 1½
Sept. 27, To Gananoque Division, No. 6, per centage for Quarter, ending 30th June,	2 3 3
Oct. 1, To Coleman's Corners Division, do. for Quarter, ending 30th September,	0 16 9
" To do. do. for 1 Dispensation,	0 5 0
" 2, To Farmersville Division, per centage for Quarter, ending September 30th,	1 3 9
" To do. do. for 8 Dispensations,	2 0 0
" 3, To Prescott Division, per centage for Qr. ending September 30th,	1 5 0
" 4, To Prince Edward Division, do. do.	1 13 1
" To Cobourg Division, do. do.	0 15 0
" To Gananoque Division, do. do.	1 3 4

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"	To do. for 10 Dispensations,		2 10 0
" 6,	Newborough Division, per centage, Quarter		
	ending 30th September,		1 1 3
" 8,	To Frontenac Division,	do. do.	0 19 8
"	To Westport Division, No. 22, Charter and		
	Books		1 17 6
" 9,	To Brockville Division, per centage Quarter,		
	ending 30th September,		1 14 0
"	To Glengarry Division, Charter and Books,		1 17 6
"	To Matilda Division,	do. do.	1 17 6
"	To Yonge Street, do.	do. do.	1 17 6
" 10,	To Perth Division, per centage for Quarter,		
	ending 30th September,		1 3 5
"	To Elmsley Division,	do. do.	0 9 7
"	To Merrickville Division,	do. do.	1 1 1
"	To Kemptville Division,	do. do.	0 7 2
"	To North Augusta Division,	do. do.	0 4 11
			£62 12 3½

## SCHEDULE B.

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April 12,	Amount paid G. Treasurer, per receipt,	£ 6 5 0
	Monies paid directly on action of Grand	
	Division, and for petty expenses of G. Scribe	
	on account of G. Division, being for sta-	
	tionery, postage, freight, &c., examined	
	and allowed by Committee :—	
May 7,	Cash paid for freight on Charters from	
	Kingston,	0 1 3
May 14,	Paid freight, &c. on blue books, cards, &c,	
	from M. W. S.	0 15 9
	Paid postage on do.	0 0 7½
May 16,	Freight on G. Division Regalia,	0 6 11
July 9,	Paid Telegraph office, per receipt,	0 3 4½
July 12,	1 quire paper,	0 1 3
	Duties on Officers' Regalia,	3 9 10
Sept 11,	Paid Wm. Buell's account for Stationery	
	and Books, per receipt,	4 12 1
Sept 20,	Paid Express charges on Journals of pro-	
	ceedings of National Division, per	
	receipt,	0 8 1½
	Paid expenses of W. H. Ellerbeck in going	
	to Gananoque to attend to business of G.	
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Paid charges on box, books, &c. from M.W.  
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Paid for books, pamphlets, &c.

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Do. for 500 Cards, as per account,

Paid postages, from 17th April to 6th Oct.,  
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By Cash paid as per Schedule B,  
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To Cash paid P. S. White, D. M. W.

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The following Brothers were duly appointed as the Committee  
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G. Scribe, W. H. Ellerbeck ; G. T., C. Leggo ; P. W. P., A. B.  
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The following Brothers were duly appointed as a Committee of  
Finance :

JOHN CREIGHTON, P. W. P.

ADAM ANDERSON, W. P.

HARMON WILLIAMS, P. W. P.,

And the following Brothers as a Committee on Appeals :

RICHARD COLEMAN, Jr., P. W. P.

WILLIAM H. JACKSON, P. W. P.

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On motion of P. W. P. Richard Coleman, Jr., second by A. B. Pardee, P. W. P., the Report of the Grand Scribe was referred to the Financial Committee.

P. W. P. Richard Coleman, Jr., seconded by P. W. P. William H. Jackson, moved that Rule 4 of Rules of Order, be suspended for the present session.—Lost.

On motion, the Grand Division adjourned to half-past seven of the clock, P. M.

The Grand Division met according to adjournment and opened in due form. G. W. P. John L. Macdonald, presiding, assisted by G. W. A. Edward Stacy, G. Officers and Representatives.

Roll of Officers called.

The following Committees reported progress, and asked further time until to-morrow, viz: Committee of Finance: on Charters: on Constitutions and By-Laws of Subordinate Divisions, and on Publications, which was granted.

The Special Committee on By-Laws of this Grand Division submitted their Report, which was received and laid on the table.

Brother William S. Macdonald presented his credentials and was duly initiated.

The Grand Division then went into consideration of the By-Laws, Rules of Order, and decisions of this Grand Division, which were read, clause by clause, and adopted as far as Article 3, Section 5.

On motion the Grand Division adjourned till to-morrow at 10 o'clock.

The Grand Division met pursuant to adjournment and opened in due form. G. W. P. John L. Macdonald, presiding, assisted by G. Officers and Representatives.

Roll of Officers called. Absent, Grand Sentinel, and Grand Chaplain.

The following Committees submitted Reports, which were read and adopted, viz: Committee on Finance: on Charters, and on By-Laws of Subordinate Divisions.

COMMITTEE ROOM, GRAND DIVISION, S. of T., }  
 October 11, 1849.

The Finance Committee respectfully submit, that they have examined the Grand Scribe's Report and compared the Financial part of it with the Cash Book and vouchers, and find it correct.—Your Committee find two entries in the Cash Book, for which no

acknowledgments have yet been received by the Grand Scribe.— They also find a charge of £2 17 6 made by Grand Scribe, for travelling expenses incurred by him whilst acting as Grand Deputy in organizing Trent, Brighton, and Bath Divisions, and going to Gananoque to attend to business with G. W. P. This charge, your Committee conceive, is a special one, which will not again occur, when Grand Deputies are regularly appointed. With reference to the future management of the funds of the Grand Division, your Committee recommend that all monies received on Account of the Grand Division, should be at once handed over to the Grand Treasurer, and that the By-Laws regulating the payment of monies by the G. T. be strictly enforced.

(Signed,)

JOHN CREIGHTON,  
H. WILLIAMS,  
ADAM ANDERSON,

The Committee on Charters for Subordinate Divisions beg leave to report that they have granted the following Charters to open new Divisions, since this Grand Division was Instituted. (See report of the Grand Scribe.)

The Committee on By-Laws of Subordinate Divisions, beg leave to report, that they have examined, revised, and approved the By-Laws of the following Divisions, viz: Perth Division No. 12, Prescott No. 15, Prince Edward No. 14, Hastings No. 8, and Gananoque No. 6.

Respectfully submitted.  
(Signed,)

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
ROBERT DICK,  
C. LEGGO.

Appeal of Sylvester Skinner and William McCullough, from decision of Brockville Division, No. 1, read and referred to the Committee on Appeals.

The Grand Division then went into consideration of the By-Laws of this Grand Division, which were read clause by clause, and adopted, commencing at Article 4, Section 1. Also Rules of Order and decisions of Grand Division.

On motion of G. W. A. Edward Stacey, seconded by G. Sentinel James R. Wright, it was resolved, That the Salary of the Grand Scribe for the ensuing year be £75, payable quarterly.

Moved by G. C., F. G. Callender, and seconded by G. T., C. Leggo, that the G. Scribe receive the sum of £25 for his past services, as soon as sufficient funds are in the Treasury—Lost.

On motion, adjourned till 4 o'clock P. M.

The Grand Division met and opened in due form, pursuant to adjournment.

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The following Representatives of Subordinate Divisions presented their credentials, and were duly admitted:

P. W. P. John Kilborn, W. P. George Chaffey, P. W. P. Wellington Landon.

Brother P. W. P. Francis L. Harrison was admitted as a Visitor.

The Committee on Appeals presented a Report, which was read and adopted.

Committee on Publications presented a Report which was read and adopted.

The Committee on Publications, would respectfully submit for the consideration of the Grand Division the following Report:—

That they regard with great favor the recommendation of the National Division, to circulate Temperance tracts throughout the land, believing it to be one mode of warfare admirably adapted to the present wants of the important and humane cause in which we are engaged.

And your Committee would further recommend that each Delegate be requested to impress the importance of this matter upon the notice and attention of their respective Divisions, and to urge them to take immediate action, as being one of the most important means in our power to drive Intemperance from our land.

All which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed,)

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
C. LEGGO.

Brockville, October 11, 1849.

The motion to pay the Grand Scribe £25 for his past services, was re-considered and ordered to lay on the table until the next regular Meeting.

On motion of P. W. P. Henry E. MacDonell, seconded by P. W. P. Richard Coleman, it was resolved, That the Grand Scribe be directed to refund to Mallorytown Division No. 10, the sum of £2 10s., having been paid by them for Dispensations.

On motion of P. W. P. John Creighton, seconded by P. W. P. F. G. Callender, it was resolved, that D. G. W. P's. shall be entitled to receive a sum of not more than 15s. from this Grand Division, for expenses for each new Division, they may organize, if the Division so organized do not pay it.

On motion it was ordered, that the G. S. get printed and put on cards 100 Odes, for the use of this Grand Division.

The following accounts were referred to the Financial Committee, and by them approved, and on motion were ordered to be paid, viz:

G. A. Chapman & Co's. account, duties &c.	£0 9 5
William Buell, Stationery,	0 12 6
William Matthie & Co., Freight, &c.	0 8 1½
George Stewart, framing Charter, &c.	0 10 0
N. D. for B. B. Rules of Order and Journals of N. D.	7 9 5
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On motion, the Grand Division adjourned till to-morrow, at seven o'clock A. M.

Grand Division met pursuant to adjournment, and opened in due form.

Roll of Officers called; absent, G. Chaplain.

On motion of P. W. P. John Creighton, seconded by P. W. P. John Kilborne, it was resolved, That the G. S. be authorized to purchase a copying press and Letter book for use of his office.

On motion of G. W. A. Edward Stacey, seconded by G. T. C. Leggo, it was resolved, That the next regular quarterly Meeting of this G. D. be held in the Town of Belleville, on Wednesday, the 23rd day of January next.

The following Resolution was offered by P. W. P. Henry E. McDonnell:

RESOLVED, That this Division recommend to the National Division the propriety of altering the Constitution of Subordinate Divisions, in so far as relates to the rejection of a candidate by five black balls appearing against him, and that instead thereof, it be altered to require a majority of ballots to appear against a candidate, in order to reject him. Referred to Committee on Constitution and By-Laws.

On motion of G. W. A. Edward Stacey, seconded by F. G. Callender, G. C., it was resolved, That 500 copies of the Constitutions N. D., G. D., S. D., Revised Rules of N. D., By-Laws, Rules of order, and decisions of this G. D., be printed.

On motion of P. W. P. John Creighton, seconded by G. C. F. G. Callender, it was resolved, that 250 copies of the proceedings of this Session be printed.

The following Resolution was offered by P. W. P. Landon, seconded by P. W. P. McDonnell:—RESOLVED, That this Division do recommend to the N. D. to introduce an Article in the Constitution of Subordinate Divisions, admitting the Clergy of all denominations recognised by Law into our Order, without the payment of initiation fee; but that they shall be required to pay the weekly dues, the same as other members.—Lost.

On motion of P. W. P. Jackson, seconded by P. W. P. McDonnell, it was resolved, That the G. S. be authorised to purchase what books he may require for the use of his office.

On motion of P. W. P. Creighton, it was resolved, That Brother James Nicolson do receive the sum of 10s. for lighting and keeping the Division room in order, during the present meeting of this G. D.

On motion of G. Sentinel J. R. Wright, seconded by P. W. P. John Creighton, it was resolved, that the thanks of this G. D. be given to Brockville Division No. 1, for the use of their elegant and commodious room during this Session of the Grand Division.

Moved by J. R. Wright, G. S., seconded by F. G. Callender, G. C., That Brothers P. W. P. McDonnell, P. W. P. Landon, and P.

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W. P. Coleman, Jr., be a Committee to draft an Address to Subordinate Divisions, to be published in connection with the proceedings of this session of the Grand Division.—Carried.

On motion of C. Leggo, G. T., it was resolved, That the G. S. be allowed to retain in his hands the sum of £10, to meet contingent expenses for the ensuing quarter.

G. W. P. John Lewis Macdonald, and G. W. A. Edward Stacey, were duly elected as Representatives of this G. D. to the N. D. of North America.

On motion of G. Scribe William H. Ellerbeck, seconded by P. W. P. Henry E. McDonnell, it was resolved, That this Grand Division do now adjourn until Wednesday, the 23rd day of January 1850, at which time to meet in the Town of Belleville, at 10 of the clock in the forenoon.

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
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SYNOPSIS OF RETURNS OF SUBORDINATE DIVISIONS MADE TO THE  
GRAND DIVISION OF CANADA WEST, FROM 1ST JULY, 1849,  
TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1849.

Name of Division.	Number.	No. of Mem- bers Initiated.	Suspended.	Reinstated.	Expelled.	Rejected.	Broke Pledge.	Signed Over.	Deaths.	Contributing Members.	Receipts.	Percentage to G. D.	Dispensation Fees.
Brockville,.....	1	13	0	3	1	1	4	3	0	121	34 0	1 14	0
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North Augusta,.....	3	2	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	26	4 12	0 4	0
Farmersville,.....	4	22	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	50	23 14	1 3	0
Coleman's Corners,	5	7	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	38	16 14	0 16	2
Gananoque,.....	6	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	82	23 6	1 3	0
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Mallorytown,.....	10	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	54	17 14	0 17	2
Elmsley,.....	11	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	9 11	0 9	0
Perth,.....	12	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	37	23 8	1 3	0
Merrickville,.....	13	38	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	21 7	1 1	0
Prince Edward,.....	14	54	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	55	33 2	1 13	0
Prescott,.....	15	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	36	25 0	1 5	0
Kemptville,.....	16	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	12	7 2	0 7	0
Trent,.....	17	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	10 18	0 10	0
Brighton,.....	18	18	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	19	10 0	0 10	0
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QUARTERLY SESSION.

The Regular Quarterly Session of the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance, C. W., was held, pursuant to adjournment, at the Hall of Hastings Division No. 8, in the Town of Belleville, on Wednesday, 23rd of January 1850, and opened in due form, G. W. P. John L. Macdonald presiding, assisted by William Harrison Ellerbeck, G. Scribe, Christopher Leggo, G. T., Robert Dick, G. Chaplain, pro tem, William H. Jackson, G. Conductor, pro tem, and Representatives. On calling the roll of Officers, the following Brothers were absent, viz:—G. W. A. Edward Stacey, Grand Chaplain, Alexander Dick; G. C., F. G. Callender, G. S. James R. Wright. On motion, the reading of the minutes of the last meeting was dispensed with for the present, and the G. D. proceeded to Initiate the Representatives of Subordinate Divisions, in waiting.

The Committee on Elections and Returns, presented the following Report, which was approved:

TO THE GRAND DIVISION OF THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE, C. W.

## OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES—

The Committee on Elections and Returns, would respectfully report that they have examined the credentials of the following Representatives and find the same correct:

Oshawa Division,	No. 35,	E. Arkland,
Gananoque,	do.	6, John Dunbar,
Percy	do.	27, G. Aylsworth,
Hastings	do.	8, William Smart,
Do.	do.	8, G. V. N. Relyea,
Cobourg	do.	9, G. D. Thatcher,
Mallory Town	do.	10, C. Leggo, jr.,
Colborne	do.	29, J. D. Hayes,

who were all introduced by the G. C., duly initiated, and assigned their seats in the Grand Division.

The G. W. P. appointed Brother William Smart G. W. A. pro tem., and Brother John Dunbar P. G. W. P. pro tem, and Brother C. Leggo G. Sentinel pro tem.

On motion, the business coming under Rules of Order 5 and 6, was laid over till to-morrow.

The Minutes of last Meeting, on motion of W. H. Jackson, seconded by R. Dick, were read, corrected and approved.

On motion, the Grand Division adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Thursday Morning, January 24, 1850.

The Grand Division met pursuant to adjournment, and opened in due form. John Lewis Macdonald G. W. P. presiding, assisted by the Grand Officers and Representatives.

G. Sentinel, James R. Wright, presented himself, and was duly invested and conducted to his seat,

Roll of Officers called. Absent, G. W. A., G. Chaplain, G. C., G. T. Minutes of yesterday's meeting read and approved.

The Committee on Elections and Returns reported that they had examined the credentials of M. C. Dorr, W. P. of Haldimand Division No. 56, Rufus Holden, W. P. of Hastings No. 8, Jeremiah Simmons P. W. P. of Trent No. 17, and that they were informal, but recommended that they be admitted. Francis Mitchell, P. W. P. of Wellington Division No. 40, presented himself, but had no credentials.—Brother Jas. R. Wright, D. G. W. P. for the District in which the Wellington Division is situated, having vouched for him, he was admitted for the present session. On motion of Brother Dick, seconded by Brother Jackson, they were all introduced by the G. C. and duly initiated.

The same Committee reported that the credentials of the following Representatives were correct:

Thomas Ashton, W. P. Wilton Division No. 50, Timothy C. Randall, P. W. P. Addington No. 33, P. D. Booth, P. W. P. do. Elias Clark, P. W. P. Consecon No. 28, E. H. Smith, P. W. P. Brighton No. 18, John Cameron, P. W. P. Bath No. 19, Charles Root, P. W. P. Canniff's Mills No. 36, John Gibbard, P. W. P. Lenox, No. 32, John Herring, W. P. do. do., Ephraim Vanorman, W. P. Prince Edward, No. 14, who were all introduced by the G. C., duly initiated and assigned their seats in this Grand Division.

The G. W. P. made the following report, which was read by the G. Scribe.

#### TO THE OFFICERS AND BROTHERS OF THE GRAND DIVISION, SONS OF TEMPERANCE, C. W.

BRETHREN,—

In waiting on you with this, my first quarterly report, allow me to congratulate you on the general prosperity of our beloved Order. A full statement of our statistical numbers will be laid before you by the Grand Scribe. The Grand Treasurer's report will give you the state of our Finances. The reports of the D. G. W. P.'s, as far as they have been received by me, are highly gratifying, but I regret that so few of such reports have reached me during the quarter, and I would suggest to those Brethren who so kindly act as D. G. W. P., that if they would be more punctual in sending in their quarterly reports to the G. W. P., at least one week previous to the meeting of the Grand Division, it would enable that officer to be more full in his report to that Body; I would add that those Brethren would lay the Order under greater obligations to them if they would be more prompt in forwarding to the Grand Scribe, the date of Institution of new Divisions, with the Officers' names installed, as also their nights of meeting; unless this is attended to, the office of the Grand Scribe will get into confusion. There are,

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in my opinion, two subjects of vital importance to the prosperity of our Order, which I trust will meet with the early and serious consideration of this body. The first is the necessity of procuring a Charter of incorporation for our Institution at the next Session of the Provincial Parliament. The next is the consideration of the laws regarding the sale of spirituous and malt liquors, with a view to their being so framed as to exercise a greater check than at present upon this odious traffic. The new Municipal Law of our country, which came into operation on the first day of this year, has wisely left the granting of Licenses in the hands of the Corporate Municipality or Township Council, and it now should be the aim of all good men to spread information as widely as possible, of the baneful effects of the present wholesale system of granting Licenses; and although I would be the last to allow the political strife and animosity of the country to enter the Division Room, yet still, when the Law gives us the power, I can see no harm in our using it to endeavour to suppress so crying an evil. Trusting that I may be in possession of more information to communicate at our April meeting, I subscribe myself,

In the bonds of the Order,

Yours Fraternally,  
(Signed) J. LEWIS MACDONALD,  
G. W. P., C. W.

On motion of W. H. Ellerbeck, G. S., seconded by Rep. R. Dick, the report was referred to a Special Committee of three, with power to add to their number. The G. W. P. appointed Reps. Wm. Smart, and Rufus Holden of No. 8, and John Cameron of No. 19, said Committee.

The Grand Scribe presented his quarterly report as follows:

TO THE GRAND DIVISION, SONS OF TEMPERANCE,  
PROVINCE OF CANADA WEST.

January 19, 1850.

GRAND WORTHY PATRIARCH, OFFICERS, AND REPRESENTATIVES,—

In making this, my quarterly report, I can but remark, that the retrospect of events during the past quarter, is well calculated to call forth an expression of heartfelt gratitude to that power in whose hands is all our destinies, for the unexampled success that has attended this philanthropic, this noble enterprise. Never, perhaps, in the history of events, with but one exception, was there an Association combined together for loftier or more praiseworthy objects; and never was there a cause save that above excepted, in which the hand of Divine Providence was more clearly perceptible. Our Order is progressing rapidly, and extending from one extreme

end of the Province of Upper Canada to the other. During the last quarter, nearly the whole of my time has been engaged in discharging the duties of my office, and part of the time I was compelled to employ an assistant to enable me to transact the business of my office promptly; nearly 200 Communications have been received at this office during this last quarter, on business connected with the Order. We advance with a rapidity that the expectations of the most sanguine could never have predicted, and still the field of labour seems just to have been entered; Division after Division is being opened; since the last quarter I have had the pleasure of instituting three new Divisions, in two of which I was assisted by the Grand Treasurer, C. Leggo, travelling 160 miles in one instance, and 70 in the other; one Division started with 50 members. While on the tour I instituted two Sections of Cadets, and installed the Officers of two Divisions; I also installed the Officers of two other Divisions, travelling a distance of 80 miles, all of which Divisions I found in a prosperous and onward condition.

The good and the great, the virtuous and intelligent, are uniting with us from all quarters, and the whole of the materials composing our Fraternity are of a character calculated to insure a continuation of the success which has already so signally awaited us.

Agreeably to your instructions, I have procured a book for the purpose of inserting the Constitution and By-Laws of this Grand Division, together with the signatures of its Members, also a book to enter the names of the Representatives of Subordinate Divisions, which will also contain a correct Roll of the Members from quarter to quarter. I have also procured, agreeably to your instructions, one hundred new Charters for Subordinate Divisions, two hundred Commissions for D. G. W. Patriarchs, and a copying press for use of Office. For prices, you are referred to the respective bills.

This office being entirely out of B. Books, I ordered from the office of M. W. S., Philadelphia, 100 set, which have safely arrived. At our last quarterly session in October, we numbered twenty-three Subordinate Divisions under this jurisdiction. Since, then the following new Divisions have been instituted, viz:—

York Division, No. 24, institut. by D. G. W. P. Dick, 23d Oct., 1849.

Hamilton	"	25,	"	24th	"
Ontario	"	26,	"	26th	"
Percy	"	27, Callender,		31st	"
Consecon	"	28, J. R. Wright,		1st Nov.	"
Colborne	"	29, Callender,		"	"
Brooklin	"	30, R. Dick,		"	"
Whitby	"	31, "		2nd	"
Lenox	"	32, E. Stacey,		3rd	"
Addington	"	33, T. O. Butler,		3rd	"
Prince Albert	"	34, R. Dick,		5th	"
Oshawa	"	35, "		6th	"
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Port Hope Div. No. 37,	R. Dick, instituted	14th Nov. '49.
Rainbow "	38, J. Macdonald,	15th "
Bowmanville "	39, R. Dick,	" "
Wellington "	40, J. R. Wright,	20th "
Demorestville "	41, J. F. Wilson,	10th Dec. "
Brampton "	42, R. Dick,	22nd "
Meadowville "	43, "	26th "
Sparta "	44, "	28th "
Peterboro "	45, Callender,	" "
Elgin "	46, Ellerbeck,	1st Jan. 1850.
Stouffville "	47, R. Dick,	" "
Drummondville "	48, Burnham,	3rd "
Madoc "	49, J. F. Wilson,	4th "
Wilton "	50, E. Stacey,	8th "
Carlton "	51, Ellerbeck,	9th "
Pakenham "	52, "	10th "
Streetsville "	53, R. Dick,	14th "
Churchville "	54, "	15th "
1st Kent "	55, J. Williams,	" "
Haldimand "	56, Callender,	19th "
Pembroke "	57, J. Andrew,	5th "

Making 34 new Divisions instituted since our last session, on the 10th October, 1849.

This office has also received applications for a Division at Port Sarnia, in the Western District, and here I would call the attention of the Grand Division to the necessity of their taking immediate steps to spread the order in the Western part of the Province. I will only say on this point, that our hitherto rapid progress should stimulate us to renewed exertions to extend our glorious enterprise, till pure cold water shall wash away the last stain of intemperance from our country and our world.

On the twenty-first day of June, 1848, the banner of the order of Sons of Temperance was first unfurled in Canada, in the Town of Brockville, upon which was inscribed in golden letters, Love, Purity, and Fidelity. The little band only numbered 18, but thank God it has continued to receive recruits until we now number nearly 2000.

——— Blended together  
In one unruffled stream,  
Whose purity shall wash away the stains  
Of black intemperance.

I have received since the last session of this Grand Division the following sums, for particulars of which see Schedule A. Of this amount I have paid into the hands of the Grand Treasurer of the Grand Division, the sum (see Schedule C.)

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I have also paid directly the following sums of indebtedness of the Grand Division, resulting from action had at previous sessions, to and for persons and purposes stated.—See Schedule B.

Agreeably to the instructions of this Grand Division, and the Committee on Publications, I have carefully revised and made ready for the printer the By-Laws, Rules of Order, Decisions, &c., of this Grand Division, which I trust will meet your approbation.

The printing of the proceedings of this Grand Division was let by contract to Wylie & Sutton, of Brockville, with the By-Laws, &c., and I regret to say that they have not been able to complete them in time for this session. The Committee on Publications will report more fully upon this subject.

The Charter Fee and price of books of the following Divisions, instituted by Robert Dick, have not as yet been received, viz :

York Division, No. 24, Charter fee and books,	£1	17	6
Hamilton " 25, do.	1	17	6
Ontario " 26, do.	1	17	6
Brocklin " 30, do.	1	17	6
Whitby " 31, do.	1	17	6
Prince Albert " 34, do.	1	17	6
Oshawa " 35, do.	1	17	6
Port Hope " 37, do.	1	17	6
Bowmanville " 39, do.	1	17	6
Brampton " 42, do.	1	17	6
Meadowville " 43, do.	1	17	6
Sparta " 44, do.	1	17	6
Stouffville " 47, do.	1	17	6
Streetsville " 53, do.	1	17	6
Churchville " 54, do.	1	17	6

Amounting in all to the sum of £28 2 6

Since my arrival in Belleville, Brother Dick has paid on account of the above Divisions, £14 16 3

Leaving a balance yet due by him of £13 6 3

I have also received several small amounts with Quarterly Returns, which several amounts will be passed to their proper credits, and appear in my next Quarterly Report.

For present indebtedness of Grand Division, see Schedule D.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM H. ELLERBECK,  
GRAND SCRIBE.

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January, 8,	To Brockville Division, per cent. to 31st December,	1	1	2
"	To Newboro' do. do.	0	15	0
"	To Hamilton Division, per cent. to 31st December, on account,	2	5	0
"	To Trent, per cent. to December 31st,	1	0	7
"	To Glengarry, do. do.	1	5	0
"	To Frontenac, per cent. and account,	2	5	6
"	11, To Madoc, Charter and Books,	1	17	6
"	To Brighton, per cent. to Dec. 31st,	1	0	0
"	12, To Colborne, do. do.	1	0	0
"	To Ontario, do. do.	0	15	0
"	To Cobourg, do. do.	0	15	0
"	To Percy, do. do.	0	10	3½
"	To Elmsley, do. do.	0	17	3
"	To Perth, do. do.	1	3	0
"	To Consecon, do. do.	1	7	6½
"	To Wilton on Charter and Books,	1	17	6
"	To North Augusta, per cent.,	0	4	7
"	To Prince Edward do.	1	0	0
"	To Prescott, do.	1	3	9
"	To Gananoque do.	1	11	1
"	15, To Port Hope, do.	0	15	0
"	17, To Bath Division, dues 13s. account 2s	0	15	0
"	To Bowmanville, per cent.	0	5	0
"	To Wellington, do.	0	10	0
"	To Pakenham, Charter and Books	1	17	6
"	To Carlton, do. do.	1	17	6
"	To Coleman's Corners, per cent.	0	8	10
"	18, To Canniff's Mills do.	0	5	0
"	To Addington do.	0	17	0
"	To Matilda, 4 T. Cards,	0	2	6
"	19, To Oshawa, per centage,	1	5	0
"	To Lenox,	1	0	0
"	20, To Brooklin,	1	10	0
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		£92	8	9

## SCHEDULE B.

MONIES PAID DIRECTLY BY GRAND SCRIBE, ON ACTION OF G. D.

1849.

October 11,	Paid Brother Creighton, for printing Charters, per receipt,	£1	10	0
"	13, Geo. Stuart's account for framing Charter as per receipt,	0	10	0

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	" 15, William Buell, account as per receipt,	0 12 6
2 5 0	" Paid expenses to Ogdensburgh to get	
1 0 7	Charters printed,	0 8 9
1 5 0	Nov. 10, Smith & Oswell for 100 Charters, as per	
2 5 6	receipt,	1 15 0
1 17 6	" Expenses to Ogdensburgh to get Charters	
1 0 0	to get estimates for By-Laws and Pro-	0 10 4½
1 0 0	ceedings of G. D., and Blue Books,	0 4 5
0 15 0	" Paid duties on Charters, as per receipt,	0 10 0
0 15 0	Dec. 5, Paid James Nicolson, as per receipt,	
0 10 3½	" 11, Paid for one box of large wafers for	0 1 6
0 17 3	seals,	
1 3 0	" Paid expenses for horse hire to go to	
1 7 6½	Ogdensburgh to get D. G. W. P.'s	
1 17 6	Commissions printed, and G. D. circu-	0 11 3
0 4 7	" 14, Paid S. Stevenson, Agent Montreal Bank	
1 0 0	at Brockville, for Draft on New York,	
1 3 9	payable to C. A. Walborne, for £23	
1 11 1	7s. 6d., at 3½ per cent, 14s—being the	
0 15 0	amount due Walborne for G.D.Regalia	24 1 6
0 15 0	" 31, G. Boyd, for 6 set of Blue Books, Officers'	
0 5 0	Cards, &c. as per receipt,	1 10 0
0 10 0	" Expenses to Ogdensburgh, to get D. G.	
1 17 6	W. P.'s Commissions, and to get Odes	0 7 6
1 17 6	of G. D. printed,	0 3 9
0 8 10	" Duties on ditto,	
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0 17 0	Jan'ry 17, J. Leggo, to pay Russell & Co.'s Express	
0 2 6	charges on 100 Blue Books from	
1 5 0	Philadelphia, 17s. 6d., Leggo's charges	
1 0 0	for bringing ditto from Ogdensburgh,	
1 10 0	2s. 6d., as per receipt,	1 0 0
	" A. Anderson for Duties on G. D. Odes	
	as per receipt,	0 1 11
	" Postage on letters, from October 11, 1849,	
	to January 17, 1850,	1 17 11
	" 19, S. Stevenson, Cashier Montreal Bank, for	
	Draft on New York, payable to F. A.	
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## SCHEDULE C.

### GRAND DIVISION IN ACCOUNT WITH GRAND SCRIBE.

1850.

Jan'ry 20, Amount of cash received since 10th of Oct. last inclusive,	£92 8 9
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Cash paid, as per Schedule B,	60 8 4½
Paid G. Treasurer, as per receipt,	32 0 4½
	£92 8 9

## SCHEDULE D.

### PRESENT INDEBTEDNESS OF GRAND DIVISION.

1850.

Jan'ry 23, National Division, for 100 set of Blue Books, Officers' Cards, &c.,	£25 0 0
Wylie & Sutton, for printing 500 copies of G. D. By-Laws &c.,	16 13 9
One quarter's salary of G. S.	18 15 0
A. Anderson's account for Books &c.	1 5 3
Morton, McKee, & Co.,	4 2 6
Wm. Buell's account,	1 13 11
Stillman Foote,	0 15 0
Jackson & Seaman,	1 7 6
Smith & Oswell, 200 D. G. W. P.'s Commissions,	1 10 0
	£71 2 11

On motion, the Report was referred to the following Finance Committee, pro tem., viz:—Christopher Leggo, Jr., John Dunbar, and Edward Arkland.

The Grand Treasurer presented his quarterly Report, as follows:

### TO THE GRAND DIVISION OF THE PROVINCE OF CANADA WEST:

G. W. P., OFFICERS AND BROTHERS,—

Your Treasurer would most respectfully report the following amount now in his hands, received from the Grand Scribe, during

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C. LEGGO, G. T.

Dated Belleville, January 23d, 1850.

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On motion, the Report was referred to the Finance Committee.  
On motion, the Grand Division adjourned until 2 o'clock P. M.

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The Grand Division met, pursuant to adjournment, and proceeded to business.

A Communication from Brighton Division, No. 18, praying for the appointment of Rep. E. H. Smith as a D. G. W. P., was received, read, and referred to the Committee on Memorials and Petitions.

The following Petition was read, and on motion was referred to the same Committee.

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The Petition of Mollorytown Division No. 10, S. of T., humbly sheweth.

That it is the opinion of this Division, that a petition to the Legislature, from so important a Body as the Grand Division has now become, representing so many portions of Canada West, at the same time representing so large a portion of the community as the Sons now constitute, would not fail to command attention ; and the suggestions made by your respectable body would have much weight ; and in hopes that some act might be passed by the Legislature to arrest more effectually, the progress of Intemperance, it is the prayer of this Division that you petition the Legislature upon the subject, or take such steps to bring the matter under their consideration as you in your wisdom shall deem expedient. It is also the opinion of this Division, that the Legislature should be petitioned by your body, to incorporate the Order of the Sons of Temperance in Canada.

(Signed)

JOEL LANDON, R. S.

A Petition from Consecon Division, No. 28, praying for the appointment of P. W. P. Elias Clarke, as a D. G. W. P., was read, and, on motion, was referred to the Committee on Petitions and Memorials.

The following Petition was read by the Grand Scribe, and on motion, was referred to the Committee on Petitions :

OSHAWA DIVISION, No. 35, }  
January 14, 1850. }

TO THE GRAND WORTHY PATRIARCH, OFFICERS AND  
BROTHERS IN THE GRAND DIVISION ASSEMBLED:

Having, in open Division, duly considered section two, chapter three, of the revised Rules of the National Division of North America, it seems to us that the true intent, &c., of said section is at variance with it, inasmuch as if it is merely meant to prohibit the manufacture, traffic, and use, it ought not to exculpate all who sell alcoholic drinks. A case we contemplate, must, we conceive, show the force of this remark, viz: that of persons in the employment of others, who, although they neither taste nor would touch, on their own account, yet must, when required, handle, to furnish it when demanded by their master's customers. Apply section second to this case, and persons so situated must be excluded from our Association; we will thereby be deprived of many most worthy persons, who are anxious to secure for themselves, the aid which the protection of our Association furnishes. We conceive that should any who are so situated, with purity of intention, wish to go with us, but, being refused admittance, and left exposed to the dangers by which they are surrounded, fall before them, the responsibility will fall, in no small degree, upon those who shut upon them the house of refuge.

For these reasons, it is the earnest desire of the members of this Division, that the Delegates from the Grand Division be instructed to urge upon the National Division to take into consideration and amend this article, so as to embrace every case where the individuals are not willingly engaged in traffic.

In testimony whereof, we have caused this to be signed by our  
W. P. and R. S., and the Seal of this Division to be annexed.

(Signed) (L. S.)

A. B. STONE, W. P.

On motion of Rep. C. Leggo, Jr., seconded by Rep. Randall, that the order of business be suspended for the present, and that we proceed to initiate the Representatives in waiting. Adopted.

The Committee on Credentials having reported that Brother Vanorman's was correct, he was introduced by the Grand Conductor, duly initiated and assigned his seat.

A communication was read by the G. Scribe, from W. D. Dickenson, R. S. of Prescott Division, No. 15, asking for information as to whether a Revenue Officer, a member of their Division, having made a seizure of high wines, was justifiable in bidding in the same, when sold, to prevent its selling for less than its value.

On motion of Rep. Arkland, seconded by Rep. Smith, the letter was placed on file, and the Grand Scribe directed to answer the communication, informing the Brother, that as a Son of Temper-

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Petition for a Charter for a Division at Port Sarnia, received, and on motion, was referred to the Committee on Charters with power.

The G. W. P. appointed the following Committees pro tem., viz: Representatives Leggo, junr., Ashton, and Booth, on Returns. Representatives, Dick, Thatcher, and Dorr, on Petitions of Subordinate Divisions.

Representative Leggo moved, seconded by Representative Root, that the motion laid upon the table at the last regular meeting of this Grand Division, relating to the sum of £25, to be given to the Grand Scribe for his past services, be now brought up for consideration. Carried.

On motion of Representative Cameron, seconded by Representative Randall, it was referred to the following Committee, viz:—Cameron, Root, and Thatcher.

Representative Dick moved, seconded by Rep. Randall, that the correspondence relating to the application for a charter to open another Division in the City of Kingston be now read.

Representative Thatcher, seconded by Representative Cameron, offered in amendment, that the Grand Scribe be requested to give a verbal statement of the facts.

Rep. Smith, seconded by Rep. Arkland, moved in amendment to the amendment, that the Grand Division do take no further notice of the application.

The amendment to the amendment, and the amendment were separately put, and lost. The original motion was then called for, and carried.

On motion of C. Leggo, junr., seconded by Rep. Smith, it was resolved, that £1 17s. 6d., the sum sent with the application from Kingston, be refunded to Brother Thomas O. Butler.

On motion, Brother Thomas Ashton was appointed as Assistant to the Grand Scribe for the present session.

On motion of Brother C. Leggo, junr., seconded by Brother E. Arkland, the following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee, viz:

Morton & McKee, for copying press and book,	£4	2	6
W. H. Ellerbeck, G. S., one quarter's salary,	18	15	0
Wylie & Sutton, 500 copies of G. D. By-Laws,	16	13	9
William Buell, for stationery and books,	1	13	11
Adam Anderson, binding books and placing G. D.			
Odes on pasteboard, &c., &c.,	1	5	3
Seaman & Jackson, for trunk,	1	7	6
S. Foote, for printing G. D. Odes,	0	15	0
Smith & Oswell, for printing D. G. W. P.'s Com-			
missions,	1	10	0
National Division, for Blue Books, &c.,	25	0	0



Rep. Robert Dick offered the following resolutions :

Whereas, the rapid increase and welfare of our order depends in a great measure upon the action of Deputy G. W. P.'s, it is now absolutely necessary that a code of regulations be adopted to guide their conduct, determine their duties, and that shall enable the diligent to at least partially remunerate themselves, exempting this body from all responsibility in the matter of pledging to them the payment of monies which their labors may not produce.— Therefore,

Resolved, 1st. That each Deputy be required to report his official acts semi-monthly, to the Grand Scribe, to be mailed punctually on the 1st and 15th of each month.

Resolved, 2nd. That every D. G. W. P. be allowed to retain of the Charter Fee of each Division which he shall organize in any one quarter, as many shillings as shall be equal to the number of Divisions which he shall organize in that quarter, until he shall have organized twenty-five Divisions, so that for twenty-six Divisions and upwards, the sum retained for each shall not exceed twenty-five shilling. This rule to apply to each quarter separately; so that a Deputy allowed to retain twenty Shillings for each twenty Divisions, organized by him in any given quarter, shall, if he organise but one Division in the next quarter, be allowed but one shilling.

Resolved, 3rd. That each D. G. W. P. be allowed at the beginning of each quarter to state in writing the number of Divisions which he determines to organise in that quarter; and that he be permitted, in making his semi-monthly returns, to retain of the Charter Fee of each new Division, a number of shillings equal to the number of Divisions named in said written statement, the rest to be forwarded punctually to the Grand Scribe by each D. G. W., in connection with his semi-monthly report—all this with the understanding that the account of each Deputy be settled quarterly, in strict accordance with the last resolution.

On motion of Brother William Smart, seconded by Brother Thomas Ashton, it was resolved, that the above resolutions, offered by Brother Dick, be referred to a Committee of three.

G. W. P. appointed the following Committee, viz: Wm. Smart, Thomas Ashton, and C. Leggo, junr.

On motion, the Grand Division adjourned until half-past 8 o'clock the next morning.

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
GRAND SCRIBE.

January 25th, 1850.

Grand Division opened in due form, pursuant to adjournment, G. W. P., presiding Brother, John Cameron, acting G. W. A.

Roll of Officers called, and the following were absent: Edward Stacey, G. W. A., W. H. Ellerbeck, G. Scribe, A. Dick, G. Chaplain, F. G. Callender, G. C., James R. Wright, G. Sentinel.

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Brother Thomas Ashton, acting as Assistant to the Grand Scribe.  
The Committee on Elections and Returns, read the following  
Report:

TO THE G. W. P. AND MEMBERS OF THE GRAND DIVISION, IN DIVISION ASSEMBLED:

The Committee on Elections and Returns beg leave to Report, that having carefully examined the Quarterly Returns of the Subordinate Divisions, they find that the amount actually paid, as per returns, is the sum of £34 9 4½, at the same time, would remark, that several errors have been discovered—

Division, No. 1,		£0	5	10½	due G. D.
" No. 43,		0	1	0	do.
" No. 41, error in initiation					
	Fees	£0	12	6	0 0 7 do.
" No. 40,	do. do.	2	5	8	0 2 3½ do.
" No. 22,	do. do.	1	0	0	0 1 0 do.
" No. 24,	do. do.	1	0	0	0 1 0 do.
" No. 16,	do. do.	0	2	6	0 0 4 do.
" No. 17, 3s. 2d. too much.					

(Signed)

THOMAS ASHTON,  
CHAIRMAN.  
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On motion of Brother John Cameron, seconded by Brother T. C. Randall, the report was adopted.

The Finance Committee reported progress, and asked leave for further time, which on motion of Brother W. H. Jackson, seconded by E. H. Smith, was granted.

On motion of Brother W. H. Jackson, seconded by Brother Thomas Ashton, the report of the Committee on Charters was laid on the table, until the report of the Finance Committee be received.

A communication from A. C. Ross, complaining of the unjust proceedings of Frontenac Division No. 2, on motion of Brother John Cameron, seconded by Brother Edward Arkland, was referred to the Committee on Appeals.

The Finance Committee read the following Report.

TO THE GRAND W. P., AND BROTHERS OF THE GRAND DIVISION, IN SESSION ASSEMBLED.

Belleville, Jan. 25, 1850.

Your Committee appointed for the purpose of examining the Books of the G. Scribe, for the quarter last past, beg leave most respectfully to report, that they have examined every item entered on the Books, for said quarter, and find the same correct, and

vouchers given for all payments made, and a balance on hand of £32 0 4½, for which balance, the Grand Scribe now holds the G. Treasurer's receipt.

Your Committee find that the Books as now kept by the G. S., should be those kept by the G. T., and would suggest that the Books of the G. S. and G. T., should be opened in different form, and the monies received by the G. S. be immediately paid over by him to the G. T., as provided for by the Constitution. All which your Committee beg to submit.

In the Bonds of Love, Purity and Fidelity.1

JOHN DUNBAR,  
E. ARKLAND,  
C. LEGGO, JR.,

Adopted.

The Committee on Charters read the following Report:

TO THE G. W. P., OFFICERS AND BROTHERS:

The Committee on Charters having duly examined the application for Charter from Port Sarnia, do recommend the granting of the same. The application from Dundas is informal, and the necessary requirements not being complied with, your Committee recommend that the G. Scribe be instructed to communicate with the applicants, and give them the necessary instruction, and as soon as the Constitution and By-Laws are complied with, that the Charter be granted.—Adopted.

Committee: { W. H. ELLERBECK,  
C. LEGGO.

On motion of Representative E. Arkland, seconded by Representative Gibbord, the Report was laid on the table.

The Finance Committee read the following Report:

TO THE G. W. P., AND OFFICERS AND BROTHERS OF  
THE GRAND DIVISION OF C. W.:

We, the Finance Committee, to whom was referred the following accounts:

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Have duly examined the same, find them correct, and recommend that they be paid. And we further recommend that the G. T. do pay to the M. W. S. of N. D., the sum of £25, for the 100 sets of Blue Books, &c., lately received, the invoice of which has not yet come to hand, as soon as the funds will admit. All of which is respectfully submitted, in L. P. and F.

(Signed)

JOHN DUNBAR,  
E. ARKLAND,  
C. LEGGO,

Which, on motion of Rep. Root, seconded by Rep. Ashton, was adopted.

On motion of W. H. Ellerbeck, G. Scribe, seconded by Rep. C. Leggo, junr., the Grand Division adjourned until half-past 1 o'clock, P. M.

Met pursuant to adjournment.

Roll of Officers called. Present, G. W. P., G. Scribe, G. T., and G. Sentinel. Absent, G. W. A., G. Chaplain, and G. Conductor.

On motion of C. Leggo, G. T., seconded by Rep. Root, the order of business was dispensed with, for the purpose of initiating a Brother in waiting.

Brother George Jones presented his credentials, which were duly examined and found correct, and he was introduced by the G. Conductor, and regularly initiated.

The Committee on Publications read the following report:

#### TO THE G. W. P.

We, the Committee on Publications, would respectfully report, that agreeably to the instructions of your honorable body, we have caused to be printed and procured for the use of the Grand Division, the following documents, viz: 100 Charters, at a cost of £1 15s.; 200 D. G. W. P.'s Commissions, at a cost of £1 10s.; 300 Odes for use of G. D., at a cost of 15s., and 500 copies of the Constitution and By-Laws of G. D., at a cost of £16 13s. 9d., for which your Committee asks an appropriation. All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed)

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
C. LEGGO.

Belleville, 25th January, 1850.

On motion of Rep. Root, seconded by Rep. Ashton, the report was adopted.

The Committee appointed to report on the allowance to the G. Scribe, for past services, read the following Report:

{ Committee Room, G. D. S. of T.,  
Belleville, January 24th, 1850.

The undersigned Committee, appointed to consider and report on a motion of the Grand Division at its sitting in October last, recommending the payment of £25 to W. H. Ellerbeck, G. S., for his services as G. S. during the six months previous to said sittings of the Division, respectfully submit, that considering the very efficient services rendered to the Order by W. H. Ellerbeck, the sacrifice which he has necessarily been required to make in order to attend to the business of the Division, and the very limited salary of £18 15s. (being at the rate of £75 per annum,) allowed him for his services during the quarter now expired, the Committee unanimously recommend that the G. S. be immediately paid the sum of £25. as aforesaid.

(Signed)

JOHN CAMERON,  
CHARLES ROOT,  
J. D. THATCHER.

On motion of Rep. R. Dick, seconded by Rep. Charles Root, the report was adopted.

The Committee to whom was referred that part of the G. W. P.'s report, suggesting the propriety of this Division applying to the Legislature for a Charter, and referring to the present license system, read the following report:

TO THE OFFICERS AND BROTHERS OF THE GRAND  
DIVISION, S. OF T., C. W.:

Belleville, 25th January, 1850.

The Committee appointed for the purpose of considering the recommendation of our G. W. P., respecting the procuring of a Charter and the devising of some method to check the present wholesale issue of Tavern Licenses, beg leave to report, that they deem immediate action in both matters imperatively necessary.— They therefore respectfully urge upon your honorable body the propriety of vesting either in this or some Committee to be named during the session, ample power to bring both of those subjects before the Legislature, and report at the next sittings of the Division. Should your Committee be entrusted with these onerous and honorable duties, they would deem it advisable to publish in the "S. of T." the petition for Charter and a Synopsis of any Bill they may draft relating to the license law. The Subordinate Divisions would then have an opportunity of judging how far your Committee had been able to meet their views, and if necessary, through the G. W. P. present any further action until after the meeting of the Grand Division in April next. Should your honorable body adopt the recommendation of this Committee, we crave that the time for

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W. SMART,  
CHAIRMAN.

On motion of Rep. Clark, seconded by Rep. Dunbar, the report was adopted with power to the Committee to publish the same in "The Son of Temperance."

Committee on By-Laws read the following report:

TO THE G. W. P., OFFICERS AND BROTHERS OF THE  
G. D., C. W.:

The Committee on By-Laws of Subordinate Divisions would respectfully report that during the last quarter they have examined and approved of the By-Laws of the following Divisions, namely:

Bath, 19; Matilda, 22; Brockville, 1; Rainbow, 38; Glengarry, 21; and that there are several By-Laws of Subordinate Divisions now in the hands of the Committee, which will be attended to immediately after the adjournment of the session of the G. D.

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
C. LEGGO.

Committee Room, Belleville, }  
January 24th, 1850. }

The Committee on Petitions and Memorials read the following report:

TO THE D. G. SONS OF TEMPERANCE, ASSEMBLED IN  
BELLEVILLE, ON THE 24TH OF JANUARY, 1850.

BROTHERS,—

1st. Your Committee on Petitions and Memorials, beg leave to report, in relation to the application for the appointment of D. G. W. P.'s. They respectfully suggest to the G. W. P. the propriety of appointing before the close of each Quarter, a sufficient number of D. G. W. P.'s to prevent the necessity of requiring one Deputy to install the officers of more than four Divisions.

2nd. In relation to the Memorial of Oshawa Division No. 35, respecting the National Division's construction of the pledge, your committee recommend that the question be referred and submitted to the decision of the Subordinate Divisions, with the request that each report thereon, in its next quarterly returns to this body.

3rd. On the Petition of Mallorytown Division No. 10, your committee report, that as the Provincial Parliament has vested the whole power of granting licenses in the Township, Town, and City Councils; we have nothing more to ask from our Provincial Legislature.

4th. On the Memorial of the same Division, No. 10, respecting the Incorporation of our Order, in Canada, your committee recommend that the Grand Scribe be instructed to ascertain from the Hon. W. H. Merritt, the fate of his proposed Bill of last session of Parliament, in which (as he gave the Brockville Division to understand) he had made provision for the Incorporation of the Sons of Temperance, and if it shall appear that he has abandoned the measure, that it then be taken up by a committee of Five, to be now appointed for the purpose, with power to secure the incorporation of our Order, at the approaching Session of Parliament, if practicable. Respectfully submitted by the Committee.

(Signed)

R. DICK,  
M. C. DORR,  
J. D. THATCHER.

Grand Scribe moved, seconded by Rep. Hayes, that the Report be adopted.

Rep. Randall moved in amendment, seconded by Rep. Dunbar, that the said report be adopted with the exception of clause 3rd, and that the petition of Mallorytown Division be referred to the committee on that part of the G. W. P.'s report referring to the license system.

The amendment on being put was adopted.

The committee appointed to consider and report upon the resolutions 1, 2, 3, offered by Rep. R. Dick, read the following:

TO THE G. W. P., OFFICERS AND BROTHERS OF THE  
GRAND DIVISION OF THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE  
CANADA WEST.

The committee to whom was referred the resolutions proposed by Brother R. Dick, beg leave to report, That in the opinion of your committee, the adoption, of the scheme proposed in those resolutions, will not conduce to the interests of the Order. All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed)

C. LEGGO, JR.,  
WM. SMART,  
THOS. ASHTON.

On motion of Brother Edward Arkland, seconded by Brother Charles Root, the report was adopted.

Rep. John Cameron offered the following resolutions, seconded by Rep. John Dunbar:

RESOLVED, 1.—That the interpretation put by the G. D. on sec. 2, art. 5, of the Constitution of Sub. Divisions, be as follows, viz:—No person shall be admitted into this Division who is known to have been guilty of any crime, unless it be believed that the criminal conduct, on the part of any applicant, has been occasioned

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RESOLVED, 2.—That a copy of these resolutions, signed by the G. W. P. and Grand Scribe, be forwarded to the National Division, accompanied with a recommendation that sec. 2, art. 5, be so altered as to bear the construction put upon it in the foregoing resolution. Lost.

Rep. C. Leggo, Jr., offered the following, seconded by Rep. Charles Root:

Resolved, That the committee to whom was referred the petition of Mallorytown Division No. 10, be instructed to draft a form of petition to the Legislature, relating to the present license system, to be forwarded to each Subordinate Division for signature, and that each member of the Grand Division, shall use his utmost exertions to get signatures of all persons, whether Sons or not.

Grand Scribe, W. H. Ellerbeck, moved to amend by striking out "forward to each Subordinate Division," and inserting "published in the Son of Temperance newspaper." Carried.

The original resolution as amended was then adopted.

Rep. C. Leggo, jr., offered the following resolution, seconded by Rep. Arkland:

Resolved, That no D. G. W. P. shall Institute a New Division, unless he be enabled to forward immediately to the Grand Scribe, the sum of £1 17 6, in each case to accompany his report of such institution. Lost.

Rep. C. Leggo, jr., offered the following, seconded by Rep. E. Arkland:

Resolved, That the G. T. be ordered to pay over to the G. Scribe, the sum of ten pounds, to meet contingent expenses for the current quarter. Adopted.

Rep. C. Leggo, jr., offered the following, seconded by Rep. John Dunbar:

Resolved, That the proceedings of this Grand Division be published in the Son of Temperance, instead of being published in pamphlet form. Adopted.

The following resolution was offered;

That the National Division should be petitioned to add to the Constitution of Subordinate Divisions, "That each Subordinate Division hold itself liable for the amount of weekly dues to each beneficial member who may become sick, for three months after his withdrawal, provided he has deposited his Card with another Division." On being put was lost.

Rep. William Smart, moved the following resolution, seconded by Rep. Charles Root:

Resolved, That this G. D. recommend all Subordinate Divisions to establish in their several localities a Library Association or Mechanics' Institute, open to all who subscribe such amount as the



projectors of each may demand; or if such Institutions are already in operation, the Grand Division recommend Subordinate Divisions to patronize and support them. Adopted.

On motion of Grand Scribe, seconded by Rep. Sutton, it was resolved,

That a vote of thanks of this Grand Division be given to the Officers and Brothers of Hastings Division No. 8, for the use of their commodious and beautiful Room during the present session.

Rep. John Cameron moved, seconded by Rep. E. Clark, that Brother Dick be allowed the sum of 15s. for each Division he has formed during the last quarter.

Rep. Sutton moved in amendment, seconded by Rep. Thatcher, that Brother Dick be credited on his account due Grand Division, the sum of £12 10, for his past services as D. G. W. P.

The question was then taken, on the amendment of Rep. Sutton, and adopted.

Rep. Thomas Ashton, seconded by G. Scribe, moved that the next meeting of the Grand Division be held at the village of Oshawa.

Rep. Thatcher, seconded by Rep. Smith, moved in amendment, that the next meeting of this Grand Division be held in the town of Cobourg.

The amendment was put and adopted.

On motion of Rep. J. Dunbar, seconded by Rep. C. Leggo, it was resolved that the G. T. do pay to B. Pashley, the sum of one pound, for his services in lighting and keeping the room in order during the session, and also his bill for fuel and candles.

On motion, the Grand Division adjourned to meet at Cobourg on Wednesday the 24th day of April next, at 10 o'clock A. M.

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
GRAND SCRIBE.

## SYNOPSIS OF RETURNS

OF SUBORDINATE DIVISIONS MADE TO THE GRAND DIVISION  
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Name of Division.	Number.	No. of Mem- bers Initiated.	Suspended.	Reinstated.	Expelled.	Rejected.	Broke Pledge.	Signed Over.	Deaths.	Contributing Members.	Receipts.	Percentage to G. D.
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Farmersville,.....	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	52	3 18 5½	0 3 10½
Coleman's Corners, .	5	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	34	8 17 0	0 8 10
Gananoque,.....	6	8	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	85	31 1 8½	1 11 1
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Elmsley,.....	11	26	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	39	17 4 11	0 17 3
Perth,.....	12	16	0	2	0	0	2	2	0	54	22 0 6	1 3 0
Merrickville,.....	13	28	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	63	17 0 4	0 17 0
Prince Edward,....	14	17	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	68	19 12 8	0 19 7½
Prescott,.....	15	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	23 15 5	1 3 9
Kemptville,.....	16	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	3 9 4½	0 3 3
Trent,.....	17	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	17 8 2	1 0 7
Brighton,.....	18	21	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	42	15 15 4½	0 15 9
Bath,.....	19	23	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	34	17 11 3	0 17 6
Yonge Street,.....	20	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	4 18 9	0 5 4½
Glengarry,.....	21	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	38	24 2 6	1 4 1½
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Ontario, .....	26	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	13 10 10½	0 13 6½
Percy, .....	27	18	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	18	10 5 9	0 10 3½
Consecon, .....	28	40	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	39	27 10 9	1 7 6½
Colborne, .....	29	33	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	32	19 5 6	0 19 3½
Brooklin, .....	30	55	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	51	30 0 0	1 10 0
Whitby, .....	31	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15	8 0 0	0 8 0
Lenox, .....	32	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	34	19 5 0	0 19 3
Addington, .....	33	29	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	17 0 11	0 17 0
Prince Albert, .....	34	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	22	12 16 2	0 12 9½
Oshawa, .....	35	52	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	52	26 16 6½	1 16 10½
Caniff's Mills, .....	36	28	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	29	15 4 3½	0 15 3
Port Hope, .....	37	22	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	25	14 8 9	0 14 5
Rainbow, .....	38	43	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	23 19 0	1 3 11½
Bowmanville, .....	39	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	4 11 3	0 4 7
Wellington, .....	40	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	5 16 10	0 5 10½
Demorestville, .....	41	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	6 6 3½	0 6 4
Brampton, .....	42	11	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	11	5 12 9	0 5 7½
Meadowville, .....	43	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	14	7 0 0	0 6 0
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## MORNING SESSION,

SONS OF TEMPERANCE HALL, COBOURGH,  
24TH APRIL, 1850, 10 O'CLOCK, A. M.

At a regular Quarterly Session, of the Grand Division S. of T. of the Province of Canada West, G. W. P. John Lewis Macdonald, presiding officer.

Officers present, JOHN LEWIS MACDONALD, G. W. P., E. STACY, G. W. A., WILLIAM H. ELLERBECK, G. Scribe, F. G. CALLANDER, G. Conductor.

Absent, C. LEGGO, G. T., ALEXANDER DICK, G. Chaplain, JAMES R. WRIGHT, G. Sentinel.

Appointments pro tem: EDWARD ARKLAND, P. G. W, P., ROBERT DICK, G. Chaplain, J. D. THATCHER, G. Sentinel.

The Grand Division was opened in due form, Scripture read and prayer by the G. Chaplain.

On motion, Brother Thomas Ashton of Division No. 50, was appointed an assistant to the Grand Scribe, during the present Session.

The reading of the minutes of the last Quarterly Session was dispensed with till the afternoon.

Brother Robert Dick, offered the following, seconded by Brother T. C. Randall; Whereas several P. W. P.'s have been sent to this Session of the G. D. as Representatives of Subordinate Divisions, whose election appears, from their Credentials, to have occurred after they became P. W. P.'s and after the annual election of Representatives, and whereas doubt exists as to the legality of such election, Therefore, Resolved that a Dispensation be now granted to admit them.—Adopted.

Dispensation granted.

The Committee reported the Credentials of certain Representatives correct, who were introduced and Initiated, and are the following:

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Lewis Tourgie, W. P. Newcastle	do. 60
J. Ham Perry, W. P. Whitby,	do. 31
A. B. Stone, P. W. P. Oshwa,	do. 35
W. Duff, W. P. Oakville,	do. 61
C. H. Vanorman, W. P. Hamilton,	do. 25
John M. Ross, P. W. P. Ontario,	do. 26
Almon Bristol, W. P. Prince Edward,	do. 14
H. E. Wilmot, P. W. P. Milton,	do. 69
Ludwick Kribbs, P. W. P. Stouffville,	do. 47

W. S. Burnham, P. W. P. Rainbow, Division No. 38	
John Williams, W. P. Pioneer,	do. 58
James Wallace, P. W. P. Stewartstown,	do. 75
David Ash, P. W. P. Loberough,	do. 78
G. C. Dayfoot, P. W. P. George town,	do. 74
John Climie, P. W. P. Bowmanville,	do. 39
John Rogerson, W. P. do.	do. 11
B. F. Perry, W. P. Millerville,	do. 80
J. P. Scott, P. W. P. Colborne,	do. 29
Robinson Ruthersford, W. P. Peterborough	do. 45
John Wilson, W. P. Haldimand,	do. 56
George Goodson, W. P. Port Hope,	do. 37

On motion of Brother R. Dick, G. D. adjourned until 2 o'clock, P. M.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION, 24TH APRIL, 1850.

G. D. opened pursuant to adjournment, G. W. P. presiding.— Roll of officers called, present G. W. P., G. W. A., G. Scribe, G. C., Absent G. T., G. Chaplin, and G. Sentinel, Brother Wm. J. Darley appointed G. Sentinel pro tem :

The minutes of last Session read and approved. The G. W. P. submitted the following Report, which was received.

#### TO THE OFFICERS AND BROTHERS OF THE GRAND DIVISION OF CANADA WEST.

DEAR BRETHREN,—

In again waiting upon you with my Quarterly Report, it gives me great pleasure to be able to say that (thanks to a kind Providence) our beloved Order has prospered, during the last Quarter beyond my most sanguine expectations.

Deputy Grand Worthy Patriarchs have my warmest thanks for the promptness with which they have furnished me with their Reports. The suggestions contained in them, this Session of the Grand Division would do well to take note of, more particularly that relative to the office of Chaplain in Subordinate Divisions.— These Reports will be laid before you.

I am happy to say that the Committee on the license law is ready with their Report and this Body should be prompt and energetic in acting up to their suggestions. I trust that this Session of the Grand Division, will not pass without some action being taken to procure an efficient Temperance Lecturer to go throughout the length and breadth of the Land. The Reports of the Grand Scribe and Grand Treasurer will give you ample information as to our numerical and cash strength.

All of which is submitted in the bonds of the Order.

(Signed) J. LEWIS MACDONALD, G. W. P.  
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On motion of Brother Thomas Ashton, seconded by Brother Simmons, the report was received and ordered on the file.

The Report of the G. Scribe, being called for, asked further time, which was granted. On motion of Grand Scribe, W. H. Ellerbeck, seconded by Brother Elias Clark, the G. W. P. appointed the following Representatives as a Finance Committee, pro tem, for the present Session, viz: E. Arkland, E. Stacey, and W. S. Burnham.

The following Report of G. T. read by G. Scribe, and on motion was referred to Finance Committee.

### GRAND TREASURER'S REPORT.

Grand Worthy Patriarch, Officers, and Brothers of the Grand Division, Sons of Temperance, C. W.

Your Treasurer would Respectfully submit the following Report:

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April 12, To Cash received from W. H. Ellerbeck,  
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Communication from Maitland Division, No. 71, relative to the License Law, read, and on motion referred to the Committee on the Wisconsin License Bill.

Communication from Ontario Division, No. 26, relating to, and recommending an application to be made to the Legislature for an Act of Incorporation of the Order of the Sons of Temperance, read, and on motion of R. Dick, was referred to the Committee on the Incorporation of the Order.

Communication from Elmsley Division, No. 11, asking this G.D. to petition the N. D. to Expunge Sec. 7th of Art. 5, was read by G. Scribe, and on motion of T. C. Randall, seconded by Rep. Climie, was referred to a special Committee of three.

G. W. P. appointed the said Committee, viz: T. C. Randall, J. Ross, and J. F. Wilson.

A Memorial from Peterboro Division, No. 45, was read by G. S. praying this G. D. to take into consideration the expediency of applying to the Provincial Legislature for an Act of Incorporation of the Order of S. of T. in Canada; and on motion of Rep. J. Climie, seconded by Rep. J. Williams, was referred to the Committee on Petitions—

Communication from Trent Division, No. 17, asking the appointment of Brother J. Simmons as a D. G. W. P. Referred to G. W. P.

Appeal of Brother Benjamin Paishley, from decision of Hastings Division, No. 8, received and referred to Committee on appeals.

Communications from John Williams and others relating to expenses attending the Institution of Royal Division, No. 65, at Port Sarnia, was read, and on motion of Rep. Wilson was referred to a Special Committee of three. G. W. P. appointed on said Committee Representatives R. Dick, J. F. Wilson, and W. J. Darley.

Communication from Wm. M. Murrell, asking the G. D. to appoint him a D. G. W. P. with power to Institute Divisions of the S. of T. in Canada, read by G. Scribe, when T. C. Randall offered the following, Resolved that the G. W. P. be recommended to write to Brother Murrell and request him to come to Canada, for the purpose of Lecturing on the Subject of Temperance.—Lost.

On motion G. D. adjourned until half-past 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

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## MORNING SESSION, 25TH APRIL, 1850.

G. D. opened pursuant to adjournment. Present, G. W. P., G. W. A., G. Scribe, G. C. Absent, all other officers.

Appointments for the time, Rep. Jones G. T., E. H. Smith, G. Sentinel, Rep. R. Dick, G. Chaplain.

Committee on Petitions read the following Report:

To the Grand Division, S. of T., C. W. The Committee to whom was referred the Memorial of Elmsley Division, No. 11, asking the G. D. to petition the N. D. to Expunge Art. 5, Sec. 7, of the Constitution so as to allow members of our Order to join other Subordinate Divisions, as "bona fide" members without being liable to re-election; beg leave to Report, That in the opinion of your Committee, the article in question is a good one, Therefore any alteration of it is unnecessary. Your Committee therefore report adversely to the request of Elmsley Division, and ask to be discharged from further consideration of the subject.

J. F. WILSON,  
T. C. RANDALL,  
JOHN M. ROSS.

Cobourg Committee Room, }  
25th April, 1850. }

On motion of Thomas Ashton, D. G. W. P., report adopted.

The Committee on Finance, submitted the following report:—

Cobourg, April 24th, 1850, }  
Committee Room, G. D., S. of T. }

The Committee to whom was referred the Report of C. Leggo, G. Treasurer, per Quarter commencing January, 1850, and ending April 23rd, 1850, beg leave to Report to G. D. that they have carefully examined Grand Treasurer's Report, and find the sum correct and true, all of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed)

E. ARKLAND,  
EDWARD STACEY,  
W. S. BURNHAM.

On motion of Brother Clark, the Report was adopted.

On motion of Rep. Thomas Ashton, several Committees were allowed further time to Report. G. W. P. left the Chair, and the G. W. A. took the same.

On motion of E. H. Smith, D. G. W. P. seconded by Thomas Ashton, D. G. W. P., G. W. P. J. Lewis Macdonald was unanimously appointed as a delegate from this G. D. to visit the state of Wisconsin for the purpose of calling upon the Governor and other Officials of the State, to ascertain the Working of the License Law



of that State in order that this G. D. may be prepared with necessary information upon the subject of the present License Law of this Province to lay before our Legislature at its next Session.

On motion of Rep. E. Arkland, seconded by Thomas Ashton.—The Petition of Oshawa Division, No. 35, presented at the last regular Session, praying this G. D. to petition the National Div. and urge upon them the necessity and propriety of amending Sec. 2, of Art. 1, Chap. 3, of Revised Rules, was brought up for consideration.

On motion the G. D. resolved itself into a Committee of the whole, Rep. Corey, of Wellington Division, No. 40, appointed to the Chair.

After a lengthy discussion, the Committee rose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

The G. W. P. submitted draft of Petitions addressed to His Excellency Lord Elgin and Kincardine &c. Governor General &c., &c., and the Two Branches of the Legislature, praying for an alteration in our present License Laws, which was received, and on motion of Rep. J. F. Wilson, 500 Copies of each were ordered to be printed, and not less than three Copies to be sent to each Subordinate Division.

The G. Scribe read the following Report, which was referred to the Committee on Finance :

#### OFFICE OF THE GRAND SCRIBE, G. D. OF CANADA WEST.

Brockville, 20th April, 1850.

#### OFFICERS AND BRETHERN,—

In conformity with the duties of my Office, I herewith present you a report showing the transactions connected with this office, during the quarter, commencing 21st January, and ending 22nd April, 1850. In consequence of the pressure of business in this office, this report will necessarily omit several subjects of importance, and will merely embrace the financial and statistical duties of my office.

The following sums have been received by this office, since my last report, embracing a period from the 21st January, to the 22nd April 1850, for Charters, Books, Travelling Cards &c. and per centage of sub-divisions, amounting to the sum of £153 10s. 1½d. for particulars,—See Schedule A.

The following sums have been paid directly by me for purposes, and to persons as mentioned in Schedule C. amounting to the sum of £13 14s. 0½. I have paid into the hands of the G. T. the sum mentioned in Schedule D. amounting to £129 16s. 0½. for which I hold his receipts, leaving a balance of £10 now in my hands to meet Contingencies. 47 Divisions have been Instituted since the

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Respectfully submitted.

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
GRAND SCRIBE.

Rep. J. Cline, offered the following:

Resolved, that every member of this Division be requested to call on the several members of Parliament, within their respective Sections of Country, and endeavour to secure their influence in next Session of Parliament, to aid in passing Bills suggested by the G. Division.—Adopted.

An invitation from Cobourg Division, No. 9, was extended to the G. D. to unite with them in their procession and celebration at one o'clock this day as well as to attend a Soiree in the evening.—The invitation was unanimously accepted.

G. W. P. appointed Rep. Houghton and Bristol, on Committee of Election and Returns, pro tem.

On motion, G. D. adjourned to half-past 8 o'clock, to-morrow morning.

#### FRIDAY MORNING, APRIL 26TH, 1850.

Present, G. W. P., G. W. A., G. Scribe, G. C.

Absent, all other Officers.

Appointments pro tem, Rep. Jones, G. T., R. Dick, G. C., E. Clark, G. Sentinel.

Opened in due form, Scripture read, and prayer, by G. Chaplain.

G. W. P. left the Chair and Rep. Corey, took the same as Chairman of the Committee of the whole, when Rep. Thomas Ashton moved, seconded by Rep. Darley, That the Committee on the Oshawa memorial rise, report progress, and ask leave to sit again in six months.—Carried.

On motion of Rep. Stacey, seconded by Rep. Goodson, the question was reconsidered, and W. H. Ellerbeck, seconded by Rep. E. H. Smith, offered the following as the report of Committee.—Which was Carried.

The Committee rose the G. W. A. took the Chair, and the G. Scribe read the following Report:

The Committee of the whole on memorial from Oshawa Division now Report, that it would be inexpedient to memorialize N. D. for altering Art. 2, of Constitution of Subordinate Divisions, and that it

would be dangerous to infer any other meaning from said article, than that expressed in Chapter 3, Article 1, Section 2, of revised Rules of N. D. and permitting persons engaged in the Traffic of Alcoholic Liquors as Salesmen, Clerks, and others becoming members of our Order, and would respectfully report adversely to the said memorial, and ask to be discharged from further consideration thereof.

(Signed)

B. S. COREY,  
CHAIRMAN.

On motion the Report was adopted, and Committee discharged.

On motion of Rep. Thomas Ashton, seconded by Rep. Darley, the Committee on appeals on R. C. Ross' case was allowed until next Session of G. D. to report.

The Committee on Elections and returns, submitted the following Report, which was adopted.

TO THE G. W. P., OFFICERS AND BRETHREN OF THE  
G. D. AT COBOURG, ASSEMBLED.

The Committee on Elections and returns, beg leave to say, that after a careful examination of the various returns, they find that Subordinate Divisions do not pay that strict attention to their returns, which this Committee consider necessary, so as to enable the G. Scribe to make his Report correct; they also would say that Subordinate Divisions should in all cases pay the postage of their communications to the G. Scribe. The following returns were found incorrect:

No. 14, 10d. to much	No. 40, 5s.	"	No. 60, 3s. due.
No. 24, 2s. 4d. due	No. 33, 1s. 2d.	"	No. 64, 2s. 6d. due.
No. 26, 1s. 6d. due	No. 43, 11½d	"	No. 66, 1s.
No. 35, 1s. 11d. due	No. 48, £1 17s 5½	"	

All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOMAS ASHTON,  
CHAIRMAN.

L. HOUGHTON,  
ALMON BRISTOL.

Committee Room, April 26th, 1850.

The Committee on Finance read the following Report:—which was adopted.

Committee Rooms, Cobourg, }  
April 26th 1850. }

TO THE G. W. P. OFFICERS AND BROTHERS.

We the Committee, appointed to investigate the Books and report of the G. Scribe, beg to state, that we have carefully ex-

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E. ARKLAND,  
E. STACEY,  
W. S. BURNHAM.

The following Communication was read by G. Scribe, and on motion of R. Dick, seconded by Rep. Kibbs, was referred to the Committee on petitions and memorials:

Farmersville Division, No. 4, }  
S. of T., April, 10th 1850. }

TO THE GRAND WORTHY PATRIARCH, AND MEMBERS  
OF THE GRAND DIVISION OF THE SONS OF TEMPER-  
ANCE, AT COBOURG, ASSEMBLED.

RESPECTED SIRs AND BROTHERS,—

In accordance with a resolution passed by this Division, We the undersigned, were appointed a Committee to address you at your present meeting, and express to you, that this Division, most earnestly recommend, that a resolution or By-Law, be passed by the Grand Division, prohibiting the Sons of Temperance from getting up, or attending Balls, under the name or Sanction of the Order, as we consider transactions of that kind have already injured our influence, and retarded our progress, and has had a tendency to seriously wound the feelings of many worthy Brothers, whose religious sentiments will not allow them to countenance such proceedings. And while we hold it to be the privilege of our Brother, to attend Balls, if he wishes so to do, as a private individual, yet, we cannot look but upon it as a violation of the principles of our Order, to allow the name of the Sons of Temperance to be associated with other than the Great object of promoting and extending the principles of Temperance, Benevolence, and Brotherly Love, and we cannot but express our serious conviction, that unless some action be taken upon this subject, to prevent any thing of the kind hereafter from occurring, that the more serious, useful and influential portion of the members of our Order, will

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speedily withdraw from us. All of which is respectfully submitted in, L. P. and F.

(Signed)

WM. H. GILES, P. W. P.  
W. LANDON, D. G. W. P.  
F. BLANCHER, R. S.  
H. WILLIAMS, P. W. P., Committee.

The Grand Scribe read the following Report :

Cobourg, 26th April, 1850.

TO THE GRAND DIVISION SONS OF TEMPERANCE  
C. W.

In the case of Williams, vs. Royal Division. The Committee reported,

The facts in the case, are as follows:—Brother Williams was directed by a Deputy to proceed to Port Sarnia to arrange a Royal Division, and to charge the unavoidable expenses of the journey to said Division. The journey was commenced with horse and Buggy. The Buggy broke down on the way—another conveyance was hired—could not return with it, as the Division was not ready to be opened, which still increased the expenses of Deputy. Five days in all were spent by Deputy. Deputy charges Royal Division, cost of conveyance for five days, £2 0 0 expenses on the road, including breakage, £2 11s. 7d. Total £4 11s. 7d. Royal Division objected to pay the whole, yet willing to pay £3 2s. 6d. and the whole if G. D. so decide.

Your Committee satisfied that Royal Division have made a very liberal offer, and also, that Brother Williams acted like a true Son of Temperance, in giving five days in succession of toil and fatigue in extending the bonds of our Order, Beg to submit the following.

1st. RESOLVED,—That the Royal Division, be not required to pay more than £3 2s. 6d.

2nd. RESOLVED,—That this G. D. pay to Brother Williams, the further sum of £

3rd. RESOLVED,—That hereafter, when a Deputy knows that his expenses will exceed 15s. that he should write to the applicants stating the probable expenses, and ascertain if they are willing to meet them: failing to do which, he be expected to suffer the loss of all expenses, exceeding 15s. provided for, and which all New Divisions are expected to pay. Respectfully submitted.

(Signed)

R. DICK,  
J. F. WILLSON. } Committee.

On motion of Rep. Goodson, seconded by Rep. Jones, the Report was adopted, and the Blank ordered to be filled up with £1 9s 1d.

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The following accounts were referred to the Finance Committee:

Sons of Temperance account for printing,	£1	0	0
Thomas Ashton, D. G. W. P., for expenses,	1	10	0
C. Leggo, Tr. account for cash box,	0	10	0
W. H. Ellerbeck, Tracts,	2	7	3
Do. do. G. S. Quarters Salary,	18	15	0
E. Arkland's account as D. G. W. P. Expenses,	3	0	0
J. Lafayette, account,	0	13	6
Wm. Buell's account, Stationery &c.,	2	4	6
M. Leagers' account freight,	0	11	3
N. D. for B. Books,	29	15	3
F. G. Callander, D. G. W. P. Expenses,	4	10	0
R. Dick, for three months services as D. G. W. P.,	25	0	0
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On motion of W. H. Ellerbeck, seconded by Thomas Ashton, the sum of £30 was voted to G. W. P. J. Lewis Macdonald, to defray his Expenses to the State of Wisconsin, on business of this Grand Division.

Rep. G. Goodson, offered the following resolution:—Resolved, that the Subordinate Divisions be allowed to purchase a second Blue Book from this G. D., at 3s. 9d. per Book.

F. G. Callander, seconded by J. H. Perry, moved in amendment to strike out 3s. 9d. and insert 5s. Which on being put was carried.

The Grand Scribe read the following Report, which was adopted.

The Committee on Charters respectfully submit the following Report:—That they have granted Charters for 47 Divisions since the 20th January last, and that there is one application from Grafton, now waiting to be decided upon which your Committee refer to this Honorable Body, for their consideration.

Respectfully submitted.

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
A. B. PARDEE,  
C. LEGGO.

April 20th, 1850.

The Grand Scribe read the following Report:

The Committee on By-Laws of Subordinate Divisions most respectfully Report, that they have examined, amended and approved of the following By-Laws, since last meeting of this G. Division.

Frontenac, No. 2,  
Matilda,  
Addington,  
Lennox,  
Elmsley,  
Farmersville,  
Millcreek,  
Mallorytown,  
North Augusta,  
Newboro,  
Ravine,  
Caniffs Mills,  
Perth.

Port Hope,  
Colborne,  
Wilton,  
Coleman's Corners,  
Demorestville,  
Madoc,  
Hamilton,  
Grantham,  
West Port,  
Maitland,  
Table Rock,  
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Your Committee further report that there are now lying in the office of G. Scribe : several By-Laws from Subordinate Divisions, to be examined and approved, which will be attended to as soon as time will permit, all of which is submitted, in Love, Purity and Fidelity.

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
C. LEGGO,  
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Grand Scribe read the following Report, which was adopted :—  
On motion of Rep. Goodson, seconded by Rep. Houghton.

TO THE GRAND WORTHY PATRIARCH, OFFICERS AND  
BRETHREN OF THE GRAND DIVISION ASSEMBLED,  
C. W.

The Committee to whom was refered the Petition from Farmersville Division, beg leave to Report, that the influence of our Order, would be greatly curtailed and our progress retarded by Sons of Temperance getting up Balls, in conection with or under the name and patronage of our Order.

Therefore beg to submit, the following Resolution :

RESOLVED,—That the Grand Division strictly forbid the members of the Order of the Sons of Temperance, getting up and holding Balls, in the name of our sacred Order.

(Signed)

E. H. SMITH,  
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Dated at Cobourg, Division Room,  
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On motion, G. D. adjourned until Two o'clock, in the afternoon.

# AFTERNOON SESSION, APRIL 26, 1850.

Present, G. W. P., G. W. A., G. Scribe, G. C. All the other Officers absent. Appointments pro tem.: R. Dick, G. Chaplain, Rep. Stone, G. T., Rep. Rutherford, G. Sentinel. Opened in due form, Scripture read and Prayer, by G. Chaplain.

G. Scribe read the following Report, and on motion of Rep. Darley, seconded by Rep. Stone, was adopted.

Cobourg, April 26, 1850.  
Committee Room, G. D. S. of T. }

The Committee to whom was entrusted the examination of accounts rendered this G. D., beg respectfully to Report. That they have carefully examined those accounts and find the same just and correct, viz :

To Son of Temperance Periodical account,	£1	0	0
To Expenses D. G. W. P. Aishton,	1	10	0
To C. Leggo, account for a Box,	0	10	0
To G. S. Ellerbeck, for cost of Tracts,	2	7	3
To do. Quarter's Salary,	18	15	0
To Expenses D. G. W. P. Arkland,	3	0	0
To Lafayette's account,	0	13	6
To Wm. Buell's do.	2	4	6
To M. Segars,	0	11	3
To N. D. for B. Books, &c., account,	29	15	3
To D. G. W. P. Callender's Expenses,	4	10	0
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Would also further Report, that D. G. W. P. Dick's claim against this G. D. is not in accordance with our Constitution and Rules, and would kindly recommend, that Brother Dick furnish G. D. with a statement of his expenses incurred as provided for, page 78, Resolution adopted by G. D., Oct. Session, 1849.

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

E. ARKLAND,  
E. STACEY.

On motion of Rep. J. Climie, Seconded by Rep. L. Kribbs, the following resolution was offered: That in view of the vast amount of the present and increasing business of Grand Division, and the necessity of said business being punctually attended to. Therefore Resolved, That the Salary of the Grand Scribe is quite inadequate to the remuneration of the said G. Scribe, for the valuable services

he has, and is now rendering this Division, and would therefore propose that the sum of £25 be added to his Salary for his services during the last Quarter.

Moved in amendment by Rep. E. Arkland, seconded by L. Houghton, that the sum of £6 5s. quarterly be added to the G. Scribe's Salary, making £100 per annum for this year. The amendment being put was carried.

Representatives Ross and Dick, offered the following :

Whereas Representatives Ross and Dick of Ontario Division and Toronto Division, in behalf of their Divisions, agree to make ample preparation for the reception of the next Session of G. Division, request that all Members and Representatives do immediately, on their arrival in Toronto, repair to the Division Room and enroll their names on a Book which shall there be found open for the purpose, in order that all such may be duly accommodated with suitable accommodations during the Session of G. D. free of Expense ; And whereas the Divisions of Hamilton, Wellington Square, Port Credit, Oakville, Dundas, Brampton, Churchville, Meadowville, Streetsville, Springfield, Mimico, Lambton, Weston, York, Yonge Street, Richmondhill, Thornhill, Whitechurch, Holland-landing, Sparta, Markham, and Brongham, 22 Divisions in all, are all within 4 hours journey of Toronto, and whereas Rep. Ross and Dick do further agree to effect an arrangement with the Steam Boat Lines in order to reduce if possible the expense of the Deputies ; Therefore Resolved that when this G. D. adjourns, it do adjourn to meet in the City of Toronto, on the fourth Wednesday of July, 1850.

E. Arkland, seconded by Rep. Clark, moved in amendment, that the next meeting of this G. Division, be held in Hamilton.—Lost.

The original motion was then put and carried.

Moved by E. H. Smith, seconded by Brother Simmons, that the G. D. interpret the Laws of our Order, so as to make it imperative on the W. P. of Subordinate Divisions, to appoint a Chaplain as an honorary Officer of his Division to fill the office, leaving it with the Division to say whether the services of that officer shall be performed or not.—Carried.

The Grand Scribe read the following :

#### TO THE G. W. P. OF THE G. DIVISION, C. W.

We, the undersigned Representatives, submit the following resolution, inviting an alteration of the By-Laws, to the consideration of the Grand Division, and request that it may be entered on the minutes, in order that it may receive the final consideration of the Grand Division, at its next annual Session.

RESOLVED,—That that part of Section No. 20, of Article 5, of the By-Laws of Grand Division, which requires the payment of 5s. to

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Alman Bristol, Rep. of Prince Edward Division, No. 14,  
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 B. F. Porry, W. P., Millville, No. 80,  
 Robinson Rutherford, W. P., Peterborough, No. 45.

On motion of J. F. Wilson, seconded by G. Goodson, the petition was laid upon the Table.

The following resolution was offered by E. Arkland, seconded by J. H. Perry, Resolved, that a Committee of three be appointed to report, at the next Session of this Grand Division, on the expediency of reducing the percentage paid by the Subordinate Divisions to the Grand Division.—Carried.

G. W. P. appointed the following members the said Committee, W. H. Ellerbeck, C. Leggo, and R. Coleman, jr.

Rep. J. Climie offered the following resolution, seconded by W. H. Ellerbeck, G. Scribe, Resolved, That Subordinate Divisions be recommended to allow Clergymen, Sons of Temperance, to join their respective Divisions, by Card without charge, and that they be immediately entitled to same privileges they were in the Division they left, provided there be no personal objection to the applicant.—Carried.

Committee on Finance Submitted the following Report, which was adopted.

Cobourg, April 26, 1850,  
 Committee Room, G. D. Sons of Temperance. }

#### TO THE G. W. P. AND BROTHERS ASSEMBLED IN G. D.

The Committee on Finance who were appointed to investigate D. G. W. P. Dick's account for Expenses incurred during the past Quarter, for organising Divisions, do respectfully Report: That after a most careful examination, and deliberately considering the same, are of opinion, that the sum of One Pound currency, for Instituting each Division, is sufficient remuneration. Making the sum of £4 15s. to be paid Brother Dick, from this Grand Division.

And would respectfully submit the propriety of appointing Local D. G. W. P.'s, wherever the same is practicable. Adopted.

(Signed)

C. ARKLAND, Chairman,  
 W. S. BURNHAM,  
 EDWARD STACEY.

Rep. Thomas Ashton, offered the following Resolution, seconded by Rep. J. Climie :

RESOLVED,—That the G. Scribe be authorised to pay out any money in his hands, or draw from the Treasurer a sufficient sum to pay the indebtedness of this Grand Division, to the N. D., including the per centage.—Carried.

Brother E. Arkland, seconded by W. S. Burnham, offered the following resolution :

RESOLVED,—That the second resolution, on page 78 of G. D. Book, be in force from this date.—Carried.

Grand Scribe offered the following resolution, seconded by Bro. Darley :

RESOLVED,—That Thomas Ashton, receive the sum of for his valuable services, as assistant Grand Scribe during this Session.—Lost.

Moved by Brother Ashton, D. G. W. P., seconded by Brother Darley, that the Expenses of the Delegates of this G. D. to the N. D., be paid.—Carried.

Moved by Brother Rutherford, and seconded by T. C. Randall, that Brother R. Dick, having laboured, with great success for the good of the Order, under impression that he would be paid. That the G. Division do allow eight pounds currency, over and above the sum mentioned in the report of Finance Committee, but that he go no further, except as a D. G. W. P., and under the same regulations, without an express vote of this G. D.—Carried.

Grand Division adjourned until the fourth Wednesday in July, then to meet at the City of Toronto, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
GRAND SCRIBE.

## SYNOPSIS OF RETURNS

OF SUBORDINATE DIVISIONS MADE TO THE GRAND DIVISION OF  
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Name of Division.	Number.	No. of Mem- bers Initiated.	Suspended.	Reinstated.	Expelled.	Rejected.	Broke Pledge.	Signed Over.	Deaths.	Contributing Members.	Receipts.	Percentage to G. D.	Dispensation Fees.
Brockville,.....	1	10	2	1	10	0	1	1	0	103	£35 19 1	13 15 11	0
Frontenac,.....	2	24	64	0	5	0	2	0	0	89	27 13 4	1 7 8	0
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Farmersville,.....	4	3	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	54	10 3 3½	0 10 3	0
Coleman's Corners,.....	5	2	0	0	2	0	3	1	0	35	6 14 0	0 6 9	0
Gananoque,.....	6	5	3	3	2	0	5	3	0	91	26 10 5	1 6 6	0
Newboro',.....	7	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	51	12 10 2	0 12 6	0
Hastings,.....	8	14	0	0	6	0	20	8	1	163	27 17 11	1 7 10½	0
Cobourgh,.....	9	49	0	0	1	1	2	2	0	104	53 3 8	2 13 2	0
Mallorytown,.....	10	9	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	74	17 18 8½	0 17 11	0
Elmsley,.....	11	13	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	53	14 8 7	0 14 5	0
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Prescott,.....	15	10	1	1	0	0	4	1	0	57	22 12 9	1 2 7½	0
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# QUARTERLY SESSION,

HELD AT THE CITY OF TORONTO, JULY 24, 1850,

Wednesday, 24th July, 1850.

The Grand Division met in Regular Quarterly Session, at the Hall of Ontario Division, No. 26, in the City of Toronto, this day, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

Present, JOHN LEWIS MACDONALD, G. W. P., EDWARD STACEY, G. W. A., W. H. ELLERBECK, G. Scribe, THOMAS AISHTON, A. G. Scribe, ALEXANDER DICK, G. Chaplain, JAMES R. WRIGHT, Grand Sentinel, and a large number of Representatives.

Officers absent, G. T., G. Conductor, and P. G. W. P. The G. W. P. appointed the following Rep. Officers, pro tem.: Rep. Sutton G. Conductor, Rep. E. Arkland, P. G. W. P.

On motion, the reading of the minutes of last Session was deferred for the present.

Rep. R. Dick, offered the following Resolution, seconded by Rep. G. V. N. Relyea, that there be only two Initiations on each day of the Session, one in the forenoon, and at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. —Carried.

The Committee on Elections and Returns, reported the Credentials of the following Representatives correct, excepting several P. W. P.'s who were elected after the Constitutional period, who were introduced by the G. Conductor during the Session and duly Initiated.

Edwardsburgh,	No. 101, W. T. Akin, P. W. P.
Do.	" 101, J. G. Freel,
Lennox,	" 32, Wm. V. Dehtlor, P. W. P.
Prescott,	" 15, C. H. Peck, P. W. P.
Do.	" 15, W. H. Brouse, P. W. P.
Keene,	" 128, Thomas McDougall, W. P.
Colborne,	" 29, G. Patterson, P. W. P.
Brockville,	" 1, Charles Vanornam, W. P.
Ameliasburgh,	" 92, M. B. Roblin, P. W. P.
Table Rock,	" 48, Wm. Wilkinson, P. W. P.
Elginville,	" 120, E. Perry, W. P.
Ontario,	" 26, John McBean, W. P.
Bowmanville,	" 29, Robt. Squier,
Yonge Street,	" 20, James Hawkins, W. P.
Prince Albert,	" 34, P. A. Hurd, P. W. P.
Frontenac,	" 2, Edwin Chown, W. P.
Wilton,	" 50, Wm. Davey, do.
Memico,	" 98, John C. Herrier, do.
Orono,	" 79, Augustus Hall, do.
New Market,	" 108, Thomas Nixon, do.

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Thornhill,	No.	82, James Hughes, P. W. P.
Weston.	"	95, John Perritt, do.
Thornhill,	"	82, John W. Cook, W. P.
Streetsville,	"	53, John Hutchison, P. W. P.
North Star,	"	64, John Carr, do.
Oshawa,	"	35, Wm. W. Brown, W. P.
Streetsville,	"	53, James, T. Reyan, P. W. P.
Richmondhill,	"	83, Edmond Dyer, W. P.
Bradford,	"	146, Thomas Duffell, do.
New Market,	"	108, H. H. Wilson, P. W. P.
Holland Landing	"	107, Aron Jakeway, do.
Uxbridge,	"	145, Alvan F. Corson, W. P.
Wellington Sq're.	"	103, James E. Day, do.
Orangeville,	"	127, George Crossfield, do.
Brampton,	"	42, Dennis L. Lynch, P. W. P.
Stewart Town	"	75, John Wood, do.
Brantford,	"	99, Henry Wade, do.
Sparta,	"	44, Joseph Mair, W. P.
Pioneer,	"	58, Robert Boyd, do.
Thornhill,	"	82, John Lane, P. W. P.
George Town,	"	74, Joshua Van Allen, do.
Ontario,	"	26, William McClure, do.
Do.	"	26, J. B. Boyd, W. P.
Brougham,	"	104, Casper Willson, P. W. P.
Do.	"	104, Calvin Sharrard, W. P.
Adhesive,	"	118, H. P. H. do.
Streetsville,	"	53, Geo. Hawkins, do.
Mariposa,	"	132, R. F. Whiteside, do.

#### MORNING SESSION, 25TH JULY, 1850.

Markham,	No.	87, C. F. Hall, W. P.
Whitchurch,	"	106, J. T. Gurnitt, P. W. P.
Lambton,	"	94, John Vert, do.
Millville,	"	80, Michael Cryckmor, do.
Olive Branch,	"	138, Alex. McKenzie, W. P.
Canton,	"	133, Powell Woodruff, do.
Meadow Ville,	"	43, John Barnhill, P. W. P.
Brighton,	"	18, Alex. Martin do.
Oshawa,	"	35, Thos. H. Oliver, do.
Brooklin,	"	30, Robert Campbell, do.
Whitby,	"	31, Hugh Fraser, do.

#### MORNING SESSION, 26TH JULY, 1850.

Cobourg,	"	9, John Holman, W. P.
St. Johns,	"	113, William Milton, do.
Markham,	"	87, Lewis Houck, P. W. P.



Stouffville,	No. 47,	George Mortimer, P. W. P.
Frontenac,	" 2,	William Rudstor, do.
Hamilton,	" 25,	John P. Bickle, W. P.
Waterdown,	" 102,	James N. Griffen, P. W. P.
Dundas,	" 67,	B. F. Lazie, do.
Do.	" 67,	George Buckham, W. P.
Bronte,	" 119,	A. W. Williams do.
Rainbow,	" 38,	W. Patterson, do.
Star of Bethlehem,	" 114,	Richard Ward, P. W. P.
Whitchurch,	" 106,	Benjamin Pearson, W. P.
Kings,	" 151,	Ira Webb, do.
Caledon,	" 126,	Alex. McLaren, do.
Rainbow,	" 38,	J. Bristol, P. W. P.

On motion of G. V. N. Relyea a dispensation was granted to allow Representatives of Subordinate Divisions to this G. D. who had been Elected after the Constitutional period to take their seats.

Minutes of last meeting partly read by G. Scribe.

Adjourned till 3 o'clock, P. M.

Grand Division met, pursuant to adjournment, G. W. P. presiding. All the Officers present, except, G. S., G. T. and G. Conductor. G. W. P. appointed pro tem: Brothers Darley, G. S., Sutton, G. C., G. S. entered and took his seat.

The following visiting Brothers from the United States, were introduced by G. C. and initiated; viz. H. Flagla, Lockport Division, 297, J. W. Reed, Niagara Division, 109, and D. H. Burtis, Mutual Safety, 643:

Rep. J. Climie, offered the following Resolution, seconded by Rep. J. Cameron. Whereas on a late visit to our Brethren of the G. D. of the State of New York, great kindness was extended to a few of our number, in the cordial welcome we received, as manifested by resolutions and speeches, repudiating National distinctions, and every thing of a hostile character, as well as other numerous acts of Brotherly Love. We would therefore beg to take this opportunity, in our own Division, of expressing our warmest thanks to the Brethren, on the South of Ontario, for all the endearing attention they devotedly manifested in securing our continued comfort, whilst among them, and in the spirit of true reciprocity, would, therefore, Resolve—That we Hail with very much affection and delight, Brother White, P. M. W. P., of the National Division of North America, as a visitor amongst us. Not only on account of the high order of talent which he brings to bear, and the mighty influence which he exercises over the masses, but also on account of the difference of Country. That we may thus have the favourable opportunity of evincing our entire emancipation from every thing that would mar the full and free reciprocal intercourse of universal Brotherhood. We also extend a hearty

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welcome to all the other Brethren from W. New York, and hope that occasions like these will prove that our professions of Friendship are pure as our distinguishing Beverage, and as real as the Blessings our Order is calculated to bestow,—Carried unanimously.

Reading of minutes of last Session resumed, completed and approved.

G. W. P. handed in the following report, which was read by G. Scribe, and on motion of Rep. Arkland, was ordered on file.

## TO THE OFFICERS AND BRETHREN OF THE GRAND DIVISION OF CANADA WEST.

BRETHREN,—

I have again the honour of waiting on you, with my Quarterly Report, and of again congratulating you upon the prosperity of our Order.

Since our last meeting, the highest Tribunal of our Order has held its Annual Session. Circumstances which I could not controul, prevented my attending it. I have not yet been favored with a copy of the proceedings of that Body, and this I regret, as it would give me great pleasure to be able to lay it before this Session of the Grand Division.

Deputy Grand Worthy Patriarchs have my best thanks for their Quarterly Reports; these Reports I now place before you.

I have the honour of laying before you a copy of the proposed Law, for Regulating the granting of Tavern Licenses, which is now being discussed in our Provincial Parliament, and am happy to have it in my power to say that there is every prospect of its becoming a Law of this Province.

All the Documents I was able to procure in the State of Wisconsin, where I was sent by this Grand Division, in April last, I now place at your disposal. I regret that they are not more voluminous.

I have the honour to be,

Yours, in the Bonds of the Order,

J. LEWIS MACDONALD, G. W. P.

Toronto, July 24th, 1850.

G. Scribe read the following report, and on motion of Rep. Darley, was referred to the Financial Committee:

Brockville, 22d July, 1850.

## TO THE GRAND DIVISION, S. OF T., CANADA WEST.

GRAND WORTHY PATRIARCH, OFFICERS AND BRETHREN:

Your Treasurer would most respectfully report as follows:—

1850.	CASH,	Dr.
April 23,	To Amount on hand,	£88 19 2
June 7,	" Cash received from Grand Scribe,	3 0 0
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All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. LEGGO, G. T.

The following Communication from Division, No. 2, read by G. Scribe.

Kingston, July 22, 1850, }  
Frontenac Division Room. }

TO THE OFFICERS AND BRETHREN OF THE GRAND  
DIVISION, OF C. W., AT TORONTO ASSEMBLED.

In accordance with a request of Frontenac Division No. 2, with reference to the Independent Division, Located in Kingston—

Respectfully solicit that your Body will decide whether you consider said Independent Division an illegal Division, or entirely apart from our organization, the Representatives from this Division are prepared and desired to give the necessary information.—Frontenac Division trust that you will at once decide this vexed question.

Yours, in L. P. and Fidelity.

H. M. ROSE,  
RECORDING SCRIBE.

Petition from Percy Division, No. 27, and other Communications relating thereto, on motion was referred to the Committee on Petitions.

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Petition from Frontenac Division, No. 2, read, and on motion of W. H. Ellerbeck, seconded by Rep. Sutton, was referred to a special Committee, consisting of Reps. Arkland, Dick, Climie, Cameron, and Kribbs.

Motion to adjourn put and lost.

On motion of Rep. Arkland, seconded by Rep. Wright, Reps. Dick, and Boyes, were appointed a Committee to procure another Room.

G. W. P. appointed Reps. Darley, and Ash, on Committee of Elections and returns during Session.

G. W. P. appointed the following Brothers, a Committee on Petitions during Session, Squier, Kribbs, and Climie:

Communications from Prince Edward Division, No. 14, respecting the granting of Diplomas to members of the Order; J. R. Wright handed in a Communication from C. S. Patterson relating to the same subject; referred to the Committee on Petitions.

Adjourned until half-past 8 o'clock, to-morrow morning.

# MORNING SESSION, HALF-PAST 8 O'CLOCK, A. M. JULY 25TH, 1850.

G. W. P. presiding, all Officers present, except the following, viz. G. T., G. Conductor, G. Sentinel, G. W. P. appointed, pro tem. Brothers Cameron, G. Sentinel, and Sutton, G. Conductor.

Petition from Amherstburgh Division, No. 169, asking permission to hold their meetings in two places, read and referred to Committee on Petitions.

G. T. entered and took his place.

G. Scribe read the following Report:

## TO THE GRAND WORTHY PATRIARCH, OFFICERS AND BRETHREN OF THE GRAND DIVISION, SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

The report of the Committee on returns, after a careful investigation of returns placed in their hands, beg respectfully to report that the following returns have been found, some incorrect and others incomplete, viz:

No. 2, Incomplete, not stating number of members, but your Committee have since ascertained there are 79.

No. 10, Deficient, 2s.			No. 76, Deficient 2d.		
" 28,	"	5s. 6d.	" 84,	"	2d.
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All of which is respectfully submitted.

THOMAS AISHTON,  
CHAIRMAN.  
WM. J. DARLEY,  
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Committee Room, Toronto, }  
July 25th, 1850. }

The Grand Scribe read the following Report:

TO THE GRAND DIVISION, S. OF T., CANADA WEST.  
OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES.

Your Grand Scribe would respectfully Report, that during the last Quarter, our Order has been steadily increasing, both in Divisions and numbers. Town and Country alike, have shown a reviving interest, and Petitions for Charters are almost daily received, evidencing a wish on the part of the Community to become better acquainted with our excellent principles. The Order is in a flourishing and healthy condition in Canada West. For a short time our numbers were counted by tens and hundreds, but that time has long since passed, and our numbers have increased by thousands, until the Sons of Temperance of Canada West, can bring into the field an army of nearly, (if not quite), 7000.—Gratifying, indeed, must this be to every true Son of Temperance, and Philanthropist, but still more gratifying, when they look around and find, from the beneficial influence of our Order, so many of their fellow men have been brought to leave the thralldom of the "fell destroyer," and clothed in their right minds, are now enjoying the pleasures of a sober life.

Since the last Session, three Copies of the Petition to the two branches of the Legislature, and His Excellency Lord Elgin, on the License question, adopted by this body, have been transmitted to each Subordinate Division under this jurisdiction, at that time, as well as the Report of the G. W. P.'s visit to Wisconsin, with instructions to forward the petitions when signed, to the Hon. M. Cameron, at Toronto.

The absence of Quarterly Returns from many of the Divisions, is a serious annoyance, and one that is very much to be regretted; for promptness on the part of the Officers, in performing their duties, is very necessary, for the prosperity and permanency of our

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I also take the liberty to recommend the propriety of having the proceedings of this G. D. published in pamphlet form, from its commencement to the end of the present Session, and that at least two copies thereof be sent to each Subordinate Division, in this jurisdiction, for I consider it for the interest of the Order, as well as the undoubted right of every Subordinate Division, to be timely informed of the proceedings of this Honorable Body, therefore I hope this Session of G. D., will not pass without some action being taken upon this matter.

Since Last Session, Charters have been granted for 44 Divisions, four of which have not, as yet, been returned instituted. This Office has not as yet received the Charter Fees and price of Books, for seventeen of the above Divisions.

The following amounts, including the sum of £10, on hand at Last Session, have been received by this office, since Last Session of G. D., for Charter Fees, B. Books, &c., T. Cards, and per centage of Subordinate Divisions, for particulars of which, see Schedule A.; viz: £158 19s 0½d. The following sums have been paid directly by this office, to persons, and for purposes mentioned in Schedule A.—viz: £15 12s 3½d. I have paid into the hands of G. T., the sum of £64 16s 8½d, for which I hold that Officers receipts. The cash account of Grand Scribe with G. D., for last Quarter, will stand as follows:

## GRAND DIVISION, IN ACCOUNT WITH GRAND SCRIBE.

To Cash on hand, on 23rd April,	£10	0	0
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By Cash paid as per Schedule B.	£15	12	3½
Do. on hand to meet Drafts of National Division, being amount of indebted- ness of this Grand D.	68	10	0
By Cash on hand to meet con- tingencies,	10	0	0
By Cash paid Treasurer.	64	16	8½
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Quarterly Returns have been received from 88 Divisions, for particulars of which you are referred to Synopsis of Returns, accompanying this Report. Returns for Last Quarter, from 47 Divisions, have not as yet been received by this Office—several of them were Instituted near the end of the Quarter.

This G. D. now numbers 143 Divisions, Instituted and Charters granted for three more Divisions, not returned instituted—making in all 152 Divisions, several Quarterly Returns of Divisions have been received since my arrival here, as well as several sums, on account of Dues, &c., which will appear in my next Quarterly Report.

In Love Purity and Fidelity,

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
GRAND SCRIBE.

On motion of Rep. Aishton, seconded by Rep. Arkland, Report referred to Finance Committee.

On motion, all accounts presented against the G. D., was referred to Finance Committee, and also G. W.'s account of Expenses to Wisconsin.

The Committee appointed to procure another Room, Reported that they had obtained a suitable Room.

Finance Committee asked further time, which was granted, and Rep. Relyea, added to Committee.

Further time was granted to Committee on Charters.

Invitation from Ontario Division, to attend a Public Demonstration, this day, on motion was Cordially accepted.

Grand Scribe read the following report, which on motion was adopted:

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Toronto, 25th July, 1850.

We the Committee on Communications, beg to report, that having examined the said documents, in reference to a uniform certificate, or diploma, for the Order, are of opinion that any central Legislation on this subject would be abortive, on account of the difficulty there would be in suiting the taste of every member, and would therefore recommend that each Subordinate Division be left to decide for itself, in reference to certificates, or diploma's.

ROBERT SQUAIR,  
CHAIRMAN.  
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JOHN CLIMIE.

The Committee on petitions presented a Report which was read, and on motion of E. Arkland, seconded by Aishton, was again referred to Committee.

Same Committee presented the following Report, and on motion of Rep. Cameron, seconded by Rep. Aishton, was referred for further consideration to next meeting of G. D :

Toronto, 25th July, 1850.

We the Committee on Communications, &c., beg to report, that having considered the petition of Carleton Place Division, 51, in reference to the exchange of members amongst the Divisions of our Order, are of opinion, that it would greatly advance the interests of our Order could there be a free interchange of members, and would recommend that the Subordinate Divisions do take this subject into consideration, and report, by the next meeting of the Grand Division, in October first.

ROBERT SQUAIR,  
JOHN CLIMIE,  
LUDWICK KRIBBS,

On motion, the G. D. adjourned until to-morrow, at half-past eight o'clock, A M., to meet in the New Room, provided by Committee.

A Special meeting of G. D., called by the following Representatives, at half-past twelve o'clock, to take into consideration the subject of this Body presenting a petition to the Legislature, now in Session, relative to the present License Law, and the Bill now before the House on that subject :

W. H. Ellerbeck, of Division, No.	1.
J. F. Wilson,	do. do. 84.
E. H. Smith,	do. do. 111.



H. P. Hart,	of	Division No.	118.
H. Wade,		do. do.	99.
F. G. Callender,		do. do.	9.

G. Division opened, G. W. P. presiding, several Reps. present.

A petition to the Legislature was read by the Grand Scribe, and on motion of Edward Stacey, seconded by E. Arkland, it was resolved, that the Petition just read be signed by our G. W. P., and G. Scribe, and be presented by our G. W. P., to the Hon. M. Cameron, for presentation to the House.

Adjourned to regular hour.

### MORNING SESSION, JULY 26TH, 1850.

G. D. met pursuant to adjournment, at half-past nine o'clock, A. M.

G. W. P. presiding.

Officers all present. Opened in due form.

G. Scribe read the following Report, and on motion of Rep. Darley, seconded by Rep. Rudston, was received and adopted:—

Committee Room, }  
July 25th, 1850. }

We, the Committee appointed to report on the Communication from Frontenac Division, No. 2, beg leave to report as follows:—

That we do consider the Division, calling themselves the Independent Order of the S. of T., located in Kingston, an illegal Division, and entirely apart from our Institution, inasmuch as they are not in possession of a Charter, and your Committee regret to hear of the members of Frontenac Division visiting with them, it being illegal for any Son of Temperance to visit any Body purporting to be Sons of Temperance, unless they are satisfied they are in possession of a legal Charter.

All of which is respectfully submitted, in L. P. and F.

E. ARKLAND,  
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LUDWICK KRIBBS,  
JOHN CLIMIE,  
ALEX. DICK.

G. Scribe read the following Report, which was received and adopted:

The Committee on Charters, Report, that they have granted Charters for 44 Divisions, since last Session. For names, Nos. and Location, you are referred to Books of G. Scribe. Your Committee have also received an application for Charter, from certain coloured persons at the City of Hamilton, which application, to-

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W. H. ELLERBECK,  
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Toronto, July 26th, 1850.

The G. Scribe read the following Report, and on motion of Rep. Goodson, seconded by Rep. Climie, was adopted :

TO THE GRAND DIVISION, SONS OF TEMPERANCE,  
CANADA WEST.

OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES :

The Committee on Appeals, to whom was referred the Appeal of Brother Benjamin Paishley, of Hastings Division, No. 8, in the case of a Charge against Brother B. F. Davy, Report : that on the 18th March, 1850, Brother Benjamin Paishley, preferred a Charge against Brother B. F. Davy, for violating Article 2 of the Constitution of Subordinate Divisions, by selling a hogshead of Brandy, to Royal Monroe, Hotel Keeper. The facts of the case, as stated by Brother Paishley, in his Communication of the 22nd April, 1850, and certified under the Seal of Hastings Division, No. 8, to be correct, by Joseph Chilver, W. P., and L. H. Henderson, R. S., of said Division, are as follows :

On the 18th March, I preferred a Charge against a Brother, for having violated Article 2 of our Constitution. That charge was received and a Committee appointed.

The Brother charged, was not present at the time the charge was preferred, but came in afterwards ; under the good of the Order, our C. referred to the charge, for the purpose of affording the Brother the earliest opportunity of answering the charge, which, from its peculiarity, he, the C., thought could be disposed of at once. By permission of the W. P., the Brother stated that all the charge contained was true, viz : that he had sold a Hogshead of Brandy to Royal Munroe, Hotel Keeper ; but that it was not sold in the name of B. F. Davy, (the title of his Firm here), but in the name of B. F. Davy & Co., of Bath and Napanee ; and he considered that those were two separate parties ; yet, he being in partnership with those who dealt in Spirituous liquors, he would be expected to take his share in making sale of them. That he had been given to understand, on entering our Order, it would not interfere with his partnership. That those liquors he had sold, were sent to Belleville, by mistake, as he had no intention of having any brought here. I then replied ; that Brother Davy had gone out of his ordinary line of business in making sale of the liquor, for he

could easily have directed them to be sent to Bath. Our W. P. pronounced the conduct to be a violation of the Pledge, and that it must go to a Committee. At the request of our Representatives, D. G. W. P.'s Relyea and Smart, he consented, however, (and threw the whole of the responsibility of the act on those two members of the G. D.) to submit, for the yeas and nays of our Division. The following resolution was moved by Smart, and seconded by Relyea. Resolved, that from the statements made by both parties, the accuser and the accused, the act complained of does not amount to a violation of the Pledge."—Carried.

From this decision Brother Paishley appeals to the Grand Division.

It further appears, that afterwards the Division granted Brother Davy a Card of withdrawal.

Your Committee are of opinion that the selling of a Hogshead of Brandy, by Brother Davy, to Munro, was a clear violation of Art. 2 of Constitution of Subordinate Divisions, and that the W. P., of Hastings Division, was perfectly correct in so deciding—and the charge should have been referred to the Committee, which had been previously appointed. The proceedings of the Division, in offering and carrying the above mentioned Resolution, were illegal, and in direct opposition to Section 2, of Article 10, which says "The Charge, for violation of Article 2, shall be presented in writing, duly signed, when it shall be referred to a Committee of five members, who shall, as soon as practicable, summon the parties and investigate the matter. The W. P. should have refused to put the Resolution, as being unconstitutional, and if the Division was dissatisfied, they could have appealed from his decision—when, if the appeal was sustained, the W. P. should have appealed to Grand Division, and the case would have been in abeyance until decision of Grand Division.

Your Committee feel it their duty, in justice to Brother Davy, to state that it is their opinion that he was not aware that he was violating Art. 2, when he sold the liquor, as he had been improperly given to understand, when he joined the Division, that it would not interfere with his partnership business, which was partly a liquor establishment. This information was decidedly wrong, and this G. D. has already passed a Resolution upon this subject, viz: "while the Constitution applies only to members of the Order, so far as the sale of Ardent Spirits is concerned, yet the Spirit of it is believed to extend to all those over whom a member should legally exercise a control, and that he should be held accountable for the prosecution of such a business, unless he should, to his Division, promptly disavow all consent, interest, or connection therewith."

The Division, in granting Brother Davy his Card of withdrawal, was also wrong, as Brother Davy was under a charge, which charge had not been disposed of, as the action taken upon it by the

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ADAM ANDERSON,  
WM. H. JACKSON,  
H. E. McDONALD.

The following Resolution is submitted for Adoption :  
RESOLVED,—That the Appeal of Brother Benjamin Paishley, from the action of Hastings Division, No. 8, in the matter of Bro. B. F. Davy be, and hereby is, sustained.

On motion, the order of business was suspended.

Rep. G. Aylsworth, seconded by T. Aishton, offered the following :

RESOLVED,—That the correspondence, from Division No. 27, be read and referred to a special Committee, to enquire into the affairs of that Division, and report as soon as possible.—Carried.

G. W. P. appointed the following Representatives, to be the Committee :

WILSON,  
J. CLIMIE,  
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On motion of Rep. Dick, seconded by Rep. Aishton, that part of the Report of Committee on Charters, referring to the application for Charter, from certain coloured persons at Hamilton, was referred to a Committee of the whole, Rep. Sutton, appointed Chairman of said Committee.

Motion to adjourn was put and lost.

Motion to reconsider the motion to adjourn, put and lost.

Communication from Ontario Division, relating to the above application, read and referred to the above Committee.

G. W. P. left the Chair, Rep. Sutton, Chairman of said Committee, took the same, and after a lengthy discussion, the Committee rose, reported progress, and asked leave to sit again.

G. D. adjourned until two o'clock, P. M.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION, JULY 26, 1850.

G. Division met pursuant to adjournment, G. W. P. presiding.

All Officers present, excepting the G. Sentinel, G. T. and G. Conductor.

Opened in due form.

G. Scribe read the following Report :



## TO THE GRAND DIVISION OF THE S. OF T., C. W.

The Committee to whom was referred the correspondence and appeal from 37 members of Percy Division, No. 27,—

Beg leave to report, that there are two Villages known as Percy, one mile apart, "Upper and Lower Village." That the Percy Division was formed in a School House, situated between these Villages, subsequently the Division rented a room in the Lower Village, for a certain length of time. The time expiring, the Property Committee reported that they had rented a room in the Upper Village, belonging to Mr. Fraser, when the Division passed the following resolution, "That the Division be moved to the Room rented from Mr. Fraser."

That certain members then carried the Property of the Division, to the Room rented, from which your Petitioners Appeal. We are of opinion, therefore, that the Percy Division should meet in the place defined in their application to the G. D., for a Charter. We would recommend to the G. D. the passing of the following resolution:

**RESOLVED**,—That Believing the Charter of the Division, granted to certain parties, in the Township of Percy, was granted to the Locality of the Village of Percy. Do therefore recommend this Grand Division to decide that the majority of the Division in Percy have acted within the limits of their Charter, in removing the Charter and Furniture, to another part of the Village, known as the Village of Percy.

J. F. WILSON,  
JOHN CLIMIE,  
J. H. PERRY.

Committee Room, Toronto, }  
July, 26 1850. }

Adopted.

On motion, G. W. P. left the Chair, and Rep. Sutton, Chairman of Committee of the whole, took the same, and after a very lengthy and warm discussion, the Committee rose. G. W. P. resumed the chair, and Committee offered the following, as their Report:

**RESOLVED**,—That the Application for Charter, from the Coloured persons at Hamilton, be read this day three months,—Adopted.

Grand Scribe read the following Report:

The Committee on Finance, having examined the Grand Treasurer's account, beg to report the same as correct.

E. ARKLAND,  
G. V. N. RELYEA,  
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On motion, order of business suspended, to receive Petition from Hastings Division, No. 8, praying this G. D. to Petition N. D. to alter that part of the Constitution relating to the Balloting for admission of applicants for Membership, by allowing all applicants for Membership admission to a Division, provided a majority of the members of the Division present Ballot in favour of their admission.

The Petition was read, and referred to the Committee on Petitions.

Notice was given that the following Resolution would be offered at next Session of G. D.:

RESOLVED,—That the per centage paid by the Subordinates to this Grand Division, be reduced.

ALEX. DICK, No. 22,  
J. F. WILSON, No. 84,  
G. V. N. RELYEA, No. 8,  
W. S. AKIN, No. 101,  
JOHN CLIMIE, No. 39.

Toronto, July 26, 1850.

Also the following:

In conformity with Sec. 1st, of Art. 7, of the By-Laws of this Grand Division, Notice is hereby given, that application will be made, at its next Annual Session, to amend Sec. 1st, of Art. 1st, by erasing all after the word Brockville, and inserting the following: "On the fourth Tuesday of October, and the semi-Annual Session, on the fourth Tuesday of April, at such place as shall be previously fixed by the Grand Division, should the business of the semi-Annual Sessions not be completed at one meeting, the Grand Division may adjourn from time to time, at its discretion, until the business shall be completed."

John Ham Perry, Whitby Division, No. 31,  
M. B. Roblin, Ameliasburgh Division, No. 92,  
E. Arkland, Oshawa Division, No. 35,  
Thomas Aishton, Wilton Division, No. 50,  
F. G. Callender, Cobourg Division, No. 9,  
W. H. Ellerbeck, Brockville Division, No. 1,  
G. V. N. Relyea, Hastings Division, No. 8,  
James R. Wright, Prince Edward Division, No. 14.  
Grand Division Room, Toronto, }  
July, 1850.

G. Scribe read the following Reports, viz:—

Committee on Finance, to whom was referred the examination of G. S. Books and accounts, report that they have carefully investigated the same, and find them correct and true, with the exception of not having vouchers for William Mathie's account of

1s. 6d. and cost of Box to send Charters to Brothers Dick and Burnham, all of which is respectfully submitted.

E. ARKLAND,  
G. V. N. RELYEA,  
E. STACEY.

Committee Rooms, Toronto, }  
26th July, 1850.

Adopted.

We, the Committee of Finance, to whom was referred the following accounts viz. :

J. R. Wright's, account,	£2 12 0
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Edward Stacey's "	13 5 0
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Beg to report that we have carefully examined the same and find them correct, and would recommend that an order be drawn on the G. T. for the amounts.

All of which is respectfully submitted, in L. P. and F.

E. ARKLAND,  
G. V. N. RELYEA,  
EDWARD STACEY.

Adopted.

G. W. P. handed in account, giving the items of his expenses to Wisconsin, amounting to £18 2s. 6d., leaving a balance of the money drawn from T., in his hands, of £11 17s. 6d., which amount G. W. P. has since paid to G. S.

Toronto, 26th July, 1850.

The Committee on Communications, &c., beg to report, that having re-considered the Communication and Petition of the Cherry Valley Division, No. 109, recommend the G. Division not to grant said Petition.

ROBT. SQUAIR,  
CHAIRMAN.  
JOHN CLIMIE.

Adopted.

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The Committee to whom was\*referred the report of the G. S., and after examination of the same, Report, that inasmuch as the proceedings of the Sessions of the G. D. have not been properly laid before S. D., would respectfully call the attention of this G. D. to the recommendation of G. Scribe to this matter, viz., that the proceedings of Sessions of S. D. be printed forthwith in Pamphlet Form and distributed at the earliest opportunity.

The want of punctuality on the part of S. D. not sending in their returns, has been attended with great inconvenience, and your Committee trust such attention will be paid to this matter, that will enable the G. S. to make a full statement at each Session. Grand Scribe's report shows that several S. Divisions are without Seals. Your Committee trust that S. D. would see the propriety of providing themselves with Seals, as the impression of the Seal, is the only guarantee the G. S. has, a copy of which should be sent immediately to the G. Scribe's office. Respectfully submitted.

E. ARKLAND,  
G. V. N. RELYEA,  
E. STACEY.

Adopted.

Communication from Brantford Division, No. 99, praying this G. D. to take such steps as will procure the alteration of Sec. 3, of Art. 5, of the Constitution, so that a majority shall govern the admission of members.

Referred to Committee on Constitutions.

Communication from Ontario Division, No. 26, calling the attention of this G. D. to the necessity of applying to the Legislature, for an Act of Incorporation of the Order of the S. of T.

The G. W. P. having reported there was already a Bill before the House. On motion, the Communication was laid on the table.

Moved by Rep. Arkland, seconded by Rep. Aishton, that a Committee of five be appointed, consisting of the following Brothers, viz: J. B. Boyle, Revd. W. M. McClure, J. Witherow, J. Williams, J. McBean, J. M. Ross, to prepare a Room for the accommodation of the National Division, at the annual meeting, in June, 1851.—Carried.

Adjourned till half-past 7, P. M.

### EVENING SESSION, JULY 26, 1850.

The G. D. met pursuant to adjournment.

The G. W. P. presiding.

Officers absent, G. W. A., G. T., G. Conductor.

Appointments pro tem.: Rep. Brown, G. W. A., Rep. A. Martin, G. Conductor.

Moved by Brother W. J. Darley, seconded by Rep. Ash, that the sum of 40s. be appropriated to Brother Mowat, for services as messenger to the G. D., and the G. Scribe be requested to pay him.—



Moved in amendment, to strike out 40s. and insert 25s. The amendment on being put was carried.

On motion of Rep. Stone, seconded by Rep. Oliver, Resolved, that the G. Scribe be authorised to send three copies of the printed proceedings of G. D. to each Subordinate Division.

On motion of Rep. Martin, seconded by Rep. Brown, Resolved, that the G. Scribe be requested to get printed in a neat form, certificates of Election of Representatives to this G. D. and forward to each Division, at least, one half quire.

The following was offered by Rep. Dick, seconded by Rep. Akin :

RESOLVED,—That this G. D. regrets exceedingly the action of N. D. in its late Session, recommending Subordinate Divisions not to receive certain applicants to Membership, for reasons founded wholly on the Colour of Skin, or on prejudices, existing against the Colour of the Skin—Rep. Wilson, seconded by Rep. Oliver, moved to lay the above Resolution on the Table, which was carried. Yeas and Nays called for.

YEAS.—Callander, Relyea, Perry, Alyesworth, Wilson, Martin, Oliver, Brown, Ward, Bristol, Ellerbeck, Powell, Wilkinson, Wright, VanAllan, Hood, Vanarnam, Stone, Wade, Patterson, Freel, Smith.—22.

NAYS.—Boyle, Hawkins, A. Dick, Lynch, Rutherford, Gurnett, Bickle, McBean, Ross, H. H. Wilson, McClure, Darley, Rudson, Climie, Day, Akin, Hart, Dyer, R. Dick, Hutchison, Sutton.—21.

Rep. Alex. Dick, seconded by Rep. Climie, offered the following:

RESOLVED,—That the G. D. take pleasure in recording a vote of thanks to Edward Stacey, G. W. A., Rep. to the N. D., for the straightforward and honorable course pursued by him, in the late Session of N. D. in relation to the recommendation to Subordinate Divisions, not to admit coloured persons into their numbers, by voting against the same, and thus sustaining the dignity of G. D.—Yeas and Nays called for.

YEAS.—J. Climie, Darley, Aishton, Day, Dyer, Rudston, Sutton, Bickle, Boyle, McClure, Akin, H. H. Wilson, Hart, Gurnett, McBean, Ross, Lynch, Rutherford, A. Dick, Hawkins, Wade, R. Dick, Carr, Hood, VanAllan, Hutchison.—26.

NAYS.—Stone, Oliver, Patterson, Milton, Bristol, Ward, Sherard, Freel, Wilkinson, Mar, C. H. Vanarnam, Powell, Martin, Relyea, Perry, Brown, Alyesworth,—17.—Carried.

G. W. P. handed in account, giving the items of his Expenses to Wisconsin, amounting to £18 2s. 6d., leaving a balance of the money, drawn from T. in his hands of £11 17s. 6d. which amount G. W. P. has since paid to G. S.

On motion the sum of two pounds was voted to Thomas Aishton, for his services in assisting G. Scribe during this Session.

On motion of Rep. Aishton, seconded by E. Arkland, it was resolved, that a vote of thanks be tendered by this G. D. to our G. W. P., J. Lewis Macdonald, for his self-denying efforts to secure

for us the desired License Law.—

Moved by H. sincere thanks to very friendly ent Carried.

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for us the desired information, on the working of the Wisconsin License Law.—Carried.

Moved by H. P. Hart, seconded by E. Dyer, that we return our sincere thanks to the members of the Ontario Division, No. 26, for very friendly entertaining us, free of expense, during this Session.—Carried.

On motion of Rep. Dick, seconded by Rep. Ross, it was resolved. That this G. D. recommend Subordinate Divisions to co-operate with the Belleville Division, in support of the "Son of Temperance".

On motion, G. Division adjourned until the 4th Wednesday in October next, at 11 o'clock, P. M.

W. H. ELLERBECK,  
GRAND SCRIBE.



# SYNOPSIS OF RETURNS

OF SUBORDINATE DIVISIONS, MADE TO THE GRAND DIVISION OF CANADA WEST,  
FROM 1ST APRIL, 1850, TO 30TH  
JUNE, 1850.

Name of Division.	Number.	No. of Mem- bers Initiated.	Suspended.	Reinstated.	Expelled.	Rejected.	Broke Pledge.	Signed Over.	Deaths.	Contributing Members.	Receipts.	Percentage to G. D.	Dispensation Fees.	Recording Scribe.
Brockville,.....	1	6			1		1			106	£33 13 0	£1 13 8	0	E. M. Chase,
Frontenac,.....	2	6	1		2		1			22	11 12 9	0 11 7½	0	Harvey M. Rose,
North Augusta,.....	3									40	5 1 11½	0 5 1	0	L. H. Bellamy,
Farmersville,.....	4	1					1	1		48	3 15 10½	0 3 10	0	W. H. Giles,
Coleman's Corners,.....	5	17			1		1			84	18 16 5	0 18 4	0	H. J. Griffin,
Gananoque,.....	6	3	3		1		3	1		52	20 0 2½	1 0 0	0	Robert Brough,
Newboro',.....	7	3		3	1		1	8		165	7 1 9	0 7 1	0	R. J. Johnston,
Hastings,.....	8	10			3	2	12	1		133	20 5 0	1 0 3	0	J. L. Willis,
Cobourgh,.....	9	38			2	1	3			60	36 14 0	2 1 8	0	J. H. Armstrong,
Mallorytown,.....	10	5			1		2			51	10 8 4	0 10 5	0	J. B. Reid,
Elmsley,.....	11	3			4		5	1		62	9 14 7	0 9 8½	0	James T. Frost,
Perth,.....	12	6	6	3	2		5	3		69	13 15 11	0 13 9	0	H. W. Sache,
Merrickville,.....	13	1			3		4	2		99	5 16 3	0 5 9½	0	M. K. Church,
Prince Edward,.....	14	11	2	1			2	1		41	22 1 9½	1 2 1	0	J. Worthington,
Prescott,.....	15	5								41	17 15 9½	0 17 9	0	S. Hulbert,
Kemptville,.....	16	9								41	7 9 2	0 7 5½	0	Henry Fairman,
Trent,.....	17	25			1		4	2		110	17 0 0	0 17 0	0	E. Maybee,
Brighton,.....	18	11	1	1	2		4	2		64	10 4 4½	0 10 2½	0	R. W. Moore,
Bath,.....	19	7	2	1	1		3	1		37	7 15 1½	0 7 9	0	Stt Marshall,
Yonge Street,.....	20	2			2		2			12	2 4 9	0 2 3	0	Harvey J. Davies,
Glengarry,.....	21	5			2		2			50	11 3 9	0 11 2	0	A. Mcdonald,
Matilda,.....	22	9			1		1	1		44	11 10 9	0 11 6	0	Adam Worthington,

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West Port,.....	23	5								38	£ 5 5 9	£0 5 3	0	John Hastings.
York,.....	24	2											0	

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West Port, .....	23	5								38	£ 5 5 9	£0 5 3	0	John Hastings,
York, .....	24	3	4		4		2	2		11	2 17 11	0 2 10½	0	G. P. Liddy,
Hamilton, .....	25	82		1	1	2	2	2		177	64 17 1	3 4 11	0	Wiliam Smith,
Ontario, .....	26	43					4	3		87	37 17 10½	1 17 10	0	G. Williams,
Percy, .....	27	28	1	3			2	1	1	101	24 3 8½	1 4 2	0	E. Hayward,
Consecon, .....	28		1		1		2	1	1	37	5 10 0	0 5 6	0	Thomas C. Kellup,
Colborne, .....	29	17	1			1				67	10 1 4½	0 10 5	0	A. A. Vars,
Brooklin, .....	30	16		2			2			75	16 11 1	0 16 7	0	R. T. Harrison,
Whitby, .....	31	11	1	3			4	1	1	61	10 2 0½	0 10 1	0	William Robinson,
Lenox, .....	32	5					1	1		35	7 18 0	0 7 11	0	William Wright,
Addington, .....	33	10		1		1	2	1		52	9 18 6	0 9 11	0	D. P. Yeomans,
Prince Albert, .....	34	11	4				4			46	13 8 3	0 13 5	0	John Mott,
Oshawa, .....	35	16		3			5	1		121	26 9 11½	1 6 6	0	R. C. Russell,
Caniff's Mills, .....	36	1		2			3			33	4 12 10	0 4 7½	0	Charles Root,
Port Hope, .....	37	9								52	22 13 9	1 2 8	0	Francis B. Greene,
Rainbow, .....	38	12					2			75	19 13 5	0 19 8	0	Benjamin Gallinger,
Bowmanville, .....	39	19			1		1				15 2 9	0 15 0	0	James B. Fairman,
Wellington, .....	40	14		1			1			40	12 19 8½	0 13 0	0	Peter D. Conger,
Demorestville, .....	41	16		1		1	1			35	14 4 4	0 14 2½	0	Edward K. Nixon,
Brampton, .....	42	15								54	16 6 9	0 16 4	0	Robert Kelley,
Meadowville, .....	43	5					1			26	5 19 1½	0 6 0	0	James Ward,
Sparta, .....	44	7	2		2		2			49	11 6 0	0 11 3	0	S. Tomlinson,
Peterboro', .....	45	29			1		2	1		60	25 2 3	1 5 0	0	Thomas White,
Elgin, .....	46	1	1	1	2		3			50	5 19 11½	0 6 0	0	James Kennedy,
Stouffville, .....	47	22								36	14 16 9	0 14 10	0	Henry J. Hubertus,
Table Rock, .....	48	34	1	1	4		3	1		84	41 19 6	2 1 1½	0	Charles Thornton,
Madoc, .....	49	13			1		1			47	9 6 6	0 11 9	0	Edward D. Flinn,
Wilton, .....	50	17								38	13 0 9	0 13 0	0	Henry Davy,
Carlton, .....	51	6	7	2			7	2		23	8 12 6	0 8 7½	0	David Lawson,

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Packham, .....	52	1	1							11	£ 2	0	0	Andrew Russell,
Streetsville, .....	53	7	5	1	4		6	6		98	10	2	0	John Combe,
Churchville, .....	54	6	1	1	1		1	1		40	7	10	0	Hiram Hall,
1st Kent, .....	55	9								50	16	7	0	Duncan McCall,
Haldimand, .....	56	12	1	1			1	1		54	8	16	0	John Fish,
Pembroke, .....	57	15	1							15	13	13	0	Adam Kennedy,
Pioneer, .....	58	26	1		1		1			72	6	8	0	D. T. Ware,
Victoria, .....	59	18								40	27	0	0	S. T. Casey,
Newcastle, .....	60	9						1		42	13	13	5	Arthur O'Leary,
Oakville, .....	61	18					1			54	10	10	0	E. H. Dexter,
Martin Town, .....	62	9								30	16	16	0	Peter McLeod,
Western Star, .....	63	29								28	8	8	0	Thomas Elliot,
North Star, .....	64	46	1							46	3	4	0	John Forsyth,
Royal, .....	65	25								41	27	12	0	John Watson,
Rawdon, .....	66	8								36	13	6	0	Andrew G. Houghman,
Dundas, .....	67	23								43	6	6	0	George M. Barton,
Kitley, .....	68	9								37	17	1	0	B. Lyman,
Milton, .....	69	8		1				1		30	7	6	0	James U. Laidlaw,
Frankford, .....	70	18					1			46	18	11	0	O. C. Wood,
Maitland, .....	71	11		1				1		33	13	9	0	Alonson Hurd,
Grantham, .....	72	58	2	1	2		2			89	53	13	0	L. T. Winchester,
Ravine, .....	73	17			1		1			43	19	13	0	Charles Fisher,
Georgetown, .....	74	7								32	9	19	0	Francis Barclay,
Stewartstown, .....	75	10					1			24	8	9	0	George Smith,
Williamsburgh, .....	76	1								8	2	8	0	T. B. Fraser,
Newburgh, .....	77	11								35	11	1	0	John Bristol,
Loborough, .....	78	21		1			1			37	13	11	0	A. H. Waters,
Orono, .....	79	8								25	7	13	0	J. L. Tucker,
Milleville, .....	80	20								37	13	7	0	Thomas Clark,

Litchfield, .....	81	9								19	£ 6	4	0	John Gordon,
Thornhill, .....	82	3								12	2	11	0	Josiah Purkiss,
Richmond Hill, .....	83	17								12	10	2	0	George Reid,
Crystal Fount, .....	84	18								17	11	5	0	Hugh McMullen,
Aqueduct, .....	85	36								35	26	11	0	Charles Park,
Port Robinson, .....	86	29								29	19	11	0	John P. Abbey,
Markham, .....	87	16	1		1		2			28	63	3	0	H. R. Corsan,
Clinton, .....	88	94		1		3	1	1		93	17	10	0	Rowley Kilborne,
Salem, .....	89	21								21	14	0	0	





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*Adhesive,.....	118	20								20	6 8 9	0 6 6	0 0 0	W. R. Rombough,
Tamworth,.....	119	11								13	7 2 0	0 7 1	0 0 0	A. B. Perry,
Centerville,.....	120	13								12	8 5 3	0 8 5	0 0 0	R. C. Shorey,
Elginville,.....	121	15								18			0 0 0	T. B. Padgett,
*Shannonville,.....	122	20								20			0 0 0	Wm. Hame,
*Huron,.....	123	20								20			0 0 0	William Vitch,
*Caledonia,.....	124	15								15	6 13 6½	0 6 8	0 0 0	Thos. S. Armstrong,
Rising Sun,.....	125	18								18			0 0 0	James Gallangor,
*Caledon,.....	126	15								15			0 0 0	
*Prangeville,.....	127	15								19	11 14 2	0 11 8½	0 0 0	
Keene,.....	128	19											0 0 0	
†Wallaceburgh,.....	129												0 0 0	
*Mariatown,.....	130	20								20			0 0 0	Wm. Mann,
*Osnabruck,.....	131	20								20			0 0 0	Daniel T. Eck,
Maraposa,.....	132	30								30	16 17 9	0 16 11	0 0 0	Wm. Shear,
*Canton,.....	133	20								20			0 0 0	Simon Newcombe,
*Pine,.....	134	20								20			0 0 0	Moffatt Tosar,
*Norval,.....	135	20								20			0 0 0	Geo. Hepburn,
*Columbus,.....	136	20								20			0 0 0	W. Smith,
*Uxbridge,.....	137	20								20			0 0 0	Joseph Campbell,
*Olive Branch,.....	138	20								20			0 0 0	Geo. Perrie,
*Guelph,.....	139	20								20			0 0 0	Wm. Tyler,
*Erin,.....	140	20								20			0 0 0	Robert Walker
*Townsend,.....	141	20								20			0 0 0	W. Mur,
*Brouts,.....	142	20								20			0 0 0	
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