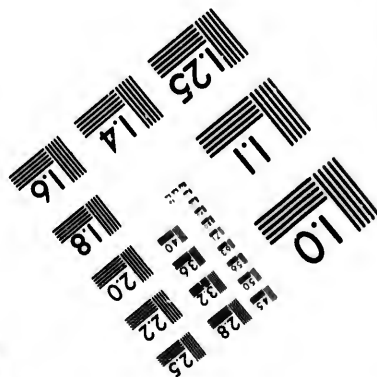
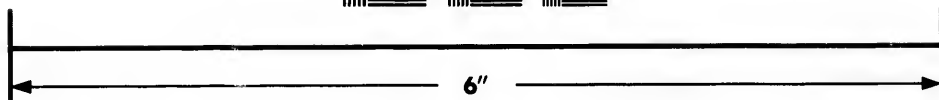
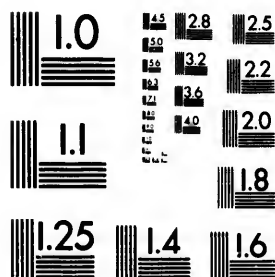
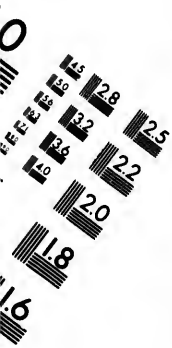


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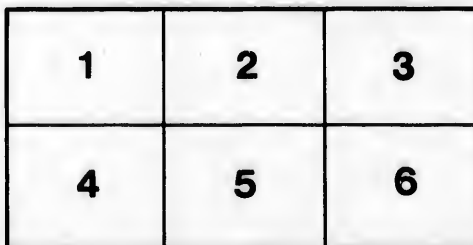
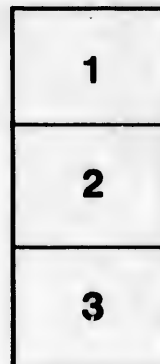
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## GREETING:

Be it known that the United Temperance Association is not a new and rival society, but the outgrowth of an effort to unite all the Temperance workers of each country into one organization, which resulted in an amalgamation of six Orders, representing Great Britain and Ireland, Canada, Newfoundland, Bermuda, Australia, Tasmania, New Zealand and South Africa.

Such is the rise of this United Temperance Association, whose primal aim is the union of all Temperance workers, for the suppression of intemperance, and all that is necessary in order that each country may have ONE United Temperance Society of its own, is the formal adoption of the following declaration and general principles, as laid down in the basis of union of the United Orders by any organized society of Total Abstinents, and communicate their action to a National or Provincial Secretary

## DECLARATION.

WHEREAS, it has been found expedient and of great importance to mankind to perpetuate those movements which confer great and essential benefits on individuals and society, or are instrumental in removing great social and national evils; and it being universally admitted that intemperance is both a social and national evil, and also generally conceded that the only effectual remedy for it is *Total Abstinence for the individual, and Legal Prohibition for the Nation*; therefore, any movement for the promotion of the above principles is conducive of the best and highest interests of mankind, and should be protected in society. And, *Whereas*, it is both natural and reasonable that those who have common rights to protect, common interests to defend, and common objects to obtain, should act to-

gether and know each other ; and being aware that through want of that organization which secures concentrated effort, the benevolent object of Patriots and Christians are often frustrated, and the best and noblest exertions for the public weal defeated ; — *Therefore*, we, the members of this Society, have resolved to form an Association for the protection of ourselves and our fellow-men from the many evils of intemperance, for the elevation of our intellectual and moral character, and for cementing more closely the bonds of the common brotherhood of man, cultivating feelings of mutual respect and extending our social relations. And with the view of avoiding all misunderstandings and securing the needed organization, we announce our platform in the following General Principles, solemnly pledging ourselves to each other and to the world, depending upon Divine aid to preserve and maintain them ourselves, to facilitate and promote their acquirement and dissemination, and to transmit them unimpaired to posterity.

#### GENERAL PRINCIPLES.

1st.—The title of the Society shall be “ United Temperance Association.”

2nd.—The Society shall consist of an unlimited number of members, male and female, without regard to creed or nationality, who must, during the time of membership, maintain a good moral character, and keep unreservedly the pledge of Total Abstinence, and who steadfastly believe in the power and existence of Almighty God as the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, and the hearer of prayer, and in the Bible as His revealed will.

3rd.—The members shall be formed into Adult and Juvenile Societies, according to age, under the government of such higher grades as are established in each Nation or Great Division thereof, with an International Council over all to preserve the unity of the whole Society.

4th.—The fundamental principles of the Society are Total Abstinence from using or giving—no license for the sale or disposal—and the legal suppression of the manufacture and importation—of all kinds of intoxicating liquors as a beverage.

5th.—The pledge, which is unqualified as to duration of time, is, “ No member shall make, buy, sell, use, give, offer, furnish, or cause to be furnished to others, as a beverage, any kind of intoxicating liquors, be they what they may, or by whatever name they may be known ; but each shall in all honorable ways

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6th.—“THE OBJECTS ARE :—(a) To promote Total Abstinence from all intoxicating liquors, and the abolition of everything that creates or encourages intemperance.

“b. To rescue and save the drunkard, and help him to resist the temptations to intemperance.

“c. To educate and enlighten the public in the principles of true temperance, through the pulpit, the platform, and the press, and by all other intelligent and philanthropic means.

“d. To recognize all true and valuable service, both literary and practical, rendered to the Total Abstinence movement.

“e. To encourage and co-operate with all agencies, both moral and legislative, which seek to promote the general objects of the Temperance reform.

“f. To unite in one common brotherhood and union all who assent to the belief and agree to the obligation of the Society, without distinction of sex, creed, political party, or nationality.

“g. To train the young in Temperance principles by the formation of Juvenile Societies in connection with the Lodges.”

7th.—The wearing of badge or regalia shall be entirely optional, but if worn shall be of the form adopted by the International Council.

8th.—Each grade shall have entire control over its own business, and decide all questions of law and order, subject to appeal, as provided by the constitution adopted by each National Lodge, each Lodge being subject to the grade next higher in authority.

9th.—The National Lodge shall be the highest Court of Appeal, and the highest legislative body in the Society, but each subordinate grade may make such By-laws for its own good government and the furtherance of the cause as its local wants may require, provided they do not contravene the “Declaration” and “General Principles,” the Constitution and Rules ordained by the National Lodge, or the By-laws of the Lodges higher in authority.

10.—The Primary and Juvenile Lodges, which form the basis of all the higher grades, shall be composed of persons received in accordance with the Constitution and By-laws of such Lodges, and the ceremonies adopted for the reception of members by each National Lodge, and shall hold regular meetings to suit local requirements.

11th.—All the higher grades of Lodges shall be composed of Representatives from the lower grades upon an equitable principle of representation by membership, and no member of such higher grade shall be allowed to have more than one vote.

12th.—All officers and committees on finance shall be elected by the members of each grade, and no officer shall have absolute power, or be able to set aside any constitutional law by dispensation or otherwise.

13th.—Degrees shall form no part of the Society proper, and, if adopted by any National Lodge, shall be governed by a system and constitution distinct from those governing the Primary Lodge.

14th.—The Society shall not be a Secret Order properly so called, but all ceremonies shall be open to the investigation of the public, the only secrecy being the Pass-words and Explanation; in order to secure privacy of operation. Members of other Total Abstinence Societies may be received by Primary Lodges, as visitors or members, in accordance with the regulations prescribed by each National Lodge.

15th.—The greatest possible freedom consistent with the common power, interests, and working of the higher grades shall be secured to individual members and to the Primary and Juvenile Lodges.

16th.—In order to secure National unity and co-operation there shall be a National Lodge in each Nation, or Great Division thereof, as France, United States, &c., and in the British Empire, one each for Great Britain and Ireland, Canada, Australia, &c.

17th.—The National Lodge shall be the source of supreme legislation for the good government, uniformity, and general management of the Institution within its jurisdiction, having power to make, alter, or amend the constitution, rules, ceremonies, or forms required for its own working and that of the different grades under it, and to divide its own jurisdiction into Provincial Grand Lodges.

18th.—As soon as there are two Grand Lodges in any Nation or Great Division thereof, the President of the Senior Grand Lodge shall call a meeting of the Executives of the different Grand Lodges at a convenient time and place, for the purpose of organizing a National Lodge, which shall be organized by the adoption of a constitution and the election of officers,—the “Declaration” and “General Principles” being the char-

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19th.—As soon as there are five Primary Lodges in any of the Divisions into which any National Lodge may divide its jurisdiction, a Provincial or Grand Lodge may be formed in accordance with the plan proposed by such National Lodge.

20th.—Provincial or Grand Lodges shall be the executive power of the Society, and shall have authority to divide their territory into districts, fix the amount of dues to be levied on Primary Lodges in the jurisdiction, to receive and decide appeals, and determine all questions of law and usage, regulate their own special business, and to have the sole prerogative to grant, suspend or revoke charters within its assigned boundaries, but in all acts to be subject to and not conflict with the sovereignty of the National Lodge.

21st.—As soon as there are two Primary Lodges in any district into which a Provincial or Grand Lodge may divide its territory, a District Lodge may be formed according to the plan provided in the Constitution.

22nd.—District Lodges are supervisory, and shall have power to adjudicate on appeals from the decision of Primary Lodges, of settling disputes or redressing grievances arising in Primary Lodges, to appoint members to visit Lodges to help and encourage them in the work, and to do everything necessary to promote the interests of the Society in the District, consistent with the authority of the District Lodge Constitution.

23rd.—With a view of consolidating the Society into one united whole, and of preserving a uniformity of principles and private working, there shall be an International Council to be composed of Delegates from National Lodges, each National Lodge having the power to send two Delegates, and one extra for every 500 Lodges, or fractional part thereof, over 2000, this Council shall meet quadrennially at such places as may be agreed upon by the Council in session, and three members shall form a quorum. The officers shall be Chairman and Secretary, who shall be elected at each session.

24th.—The International Council shall have no power of legislation, except in matters of a purely international character. Its only function shall be to devise and recommend such international co-operation as may be found advisable, to originate the quarterly and other pass-words, to control the unwritten or private work, adopt motto, emblems, insignia, and duties of a similar character, and as far as possible preserve the unity and

amity of the Society by way of counsel, suggestion or recommendation.

25th.—That the permanency of a United Society may be maintained, and the concentration of joint interests conserved, the same pass-words shall be used throughout the whole Society, and the motto and emblem shall be a binding tie for all members of this Society throughout the world, an impress of which shall be upon all charters, certificates of membership and other legal documents.

26th.—In order that the missionary work of the Society may be properly prosecuted, and the cause extended without the clashing of power, and at the same time the principles of local self-government be maintained, no National or Grand Lodge shall issue any charter to any person in the jurisdiction of any other National or Grand Lodge, *provided* that National Lodges shall have the power to issue charters for Nations or Great Divisions thereof, where no Grand or National Lodge has been organized.

27th.—And further, that our cosmopolitan principles may be extended to the whole brotherhood of man without destroying the principles of National independence, each National Lodge shall have the power to introduce the Society to other countries, provided that as soon as two Primary Lodges may have been placed in good working order, said Primary Lodges may elect seven members as representatives to Grand or Provincial Lodge, who, at the call of the Superintendent Deputy of that jurisdiction, shall organize a Grand Lodge for that particular country by adopting a constitution and electing officers, the Superintendent Deputy to occupy the chair till the officers are installed; and such Grand Lodge shall be the Provisional National Lodge of the Nation or Great Division thereof, and shall enjoy the full power of framing Constitution, Ceremonies, &c., to suit the tastes of their own people, so long as they do not conflict with the "Declaration" or "General Principles" which shall be the charter of its rights and privileges.

28th.—Such Provisional National Lodge shall have the sole right to grant charters and enact laws for the government of the Society in its jurisdiction, until such time as a second Grand Lodge is formed in accordance with No. 19 of these "Principles," when a National Lodge shall be formed according to No. 18, which shall assume all the powers and duties hitherto enjoyed by such Provisional National Lodge.

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30th.—Each National Lodge shall adopt a form of certificate of membership and cards of withdrawal or transfer, and all members and Lodges in every other jurisdiction are bound to acknowledge them, provided they bear the motto and emblem and are properly signed and sealed.

31st.—Superfluous and high-sounding titles shall be avoided, and the names of the officers in the Primary and all the higher grades of Lodges shall be the same, and known as President, Vice-President, Secretary, &c., of \_\_\_\_\_ Lodge of \_\_\_\_\_.

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 GENERAL RULES.

- 1.—There shall be five grades of Lodges in the government of the Order in this jurisdiction, viz., National, Provincial, District or County, Primary and Juvenile, together with an International Council.
- 2.—All Charters and stock used by the Lodges shall be such as are recognized by the National Lodge, and received through its Secretary.
- 3.—Each grade of Lodge may make rules for the government of its proceedings, provided that such rules are not contrary to the Constitution and General Principles of the Order; and all members of such Lodges are bound to obey them.
- 4.—All Past Presidents, who are elected at the institution of Lodges, shall retain the honors thereof as if they had passed through the Chair.
- 5.—In case of absence of an officer of any Lodge, the President of that Lodge shall appoint a member to fill, for the time being, the vacant place. In the absence of the President, the Senior Past President shall take the Chair. In the absence of all entitled to preside, the Secretary, or some other member, shall call the Lodge to order, and the Lodge may, by open vote, elect some one to act for the time.
- 6.—By a majority vote of any Lodge, in regular session, any ceremonies of the Order may be publicly performed.
- 7.—All members of the higher grades of Lodges, who attend sessions of each, shall be entitled to a copy of the report of the session, provided it is published.
- 8.—At all meetings of the higher grades of Lodges it shall be determined before the close when and where the next meeting shall be held.

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9.—The President, Past President and Secretary shall constitute the Executive Council in National, Provincial and District Lodges, to act in the interval between their sessions; and the Secretary shall submit a written report of all the transactions of the Executive Council at the next regular session of these bodies.

10.—In case a vacancy occurs in any of the offices of the higher grades of Lodges, in the interim between the regular sessions, the Executive for the time being shall have power to fill the same.

11.—The Pass-words shall be communicated by the International Council, through the National Presidents, to the Secretaries of the National Lodges, who shall forward them to the Provincial Secretaries, to be transmitted by them to the Provincial Deputies of each Primary Lodge—provided that the Pass-word shall not be given to any Lodge or member in default of dues; nor shall any officer or representative be allowed to speak or vote in any Lodge, unless the Primary Lodge of which he is a member shall have previously paid all its dues, except by the consent of the Lodge.

12.—Any member who shall at any time make known to any person, who is not a member of the Order in good standing, or to any member not entitled to receive it, any matter or thing connected with the private business or Pass-word of the Order, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of his obligation to the Order, and shall be suspended, expelled, or otherwise dealt with, according to the judgment of the Lodge, whose obligation the member may have violated.

13.—Any dispute or question of order, not otherwise provided for, shall be decided by the President of the Lodge in which it occurs, but always subject to an appeal to the Lodge, if demanded in writing by five members. In all cases where a member considers himself aggrieved by the decision of any Lodge, he shall have a right to appeal to the next higher tribunal of the Order, that is to say, from the Juvenile Lodge to the Primary Lodge to which it belongs; from the Primary to the District; then to the Provincial Lodge; and lastly, to the National Lodge, whose decision shall be final; provided that District Lodges shall be the final arbiter in appeals arising in Juvenile Lodges.

14.—When an appeal has been made, all the documents and minutes relating to the matter in dispute shall be transmitted by the Secretary to the next highest tribunal; and all decisions

made by any Lodge shall be considered final, unless specially appealed from within one month after judgment is given.

15.—All grades of Lodges shall be subject to those Lodges higher in authority, in matters not inconsistent with the Constitution and General Principles, but no Lodge of the Order is obliged to recognize or act on any business or documents sent it, unless the same is properly authenticated.

16.—No person can be a member of more than one Primary Lodge of this Order at the same time.

17.—When any Lodge, or its Executive, refuse or neglect to enforce or comply with the Constitution, precedents, usages and ceremonies ordained by the National Lodge, it shall forfeit its position, and the Charter and property of such Lodge shall be taken charge of, in the meantime, by the President and Secretary of the next higher grade of Lodge, who shall exercise the powers entrusted to them until other officers are duly elected to perform the duties.

18.—The Secretary and Treasurer shall each, if required, prior to installation, execute to the President and Past President, by names, and to their successors in office, a bond, in such sum as the Lodge may name, with two approved sureties, conditioned for the faithful discharge of their official duties, rendering just and true accounts, just payment of all funds coming into their hands, and immediate delivery of all monies and property belonging to the Lodge at the close of their term of office.

19.—Members of the Order, in good standing, are entitled to visit all grades of Lodges. Members of other Temperance organizations, and all known total abstainers, may, by majority vote, be privileged to visit, on being introduced by a member.

20.—Each of the higher grades of Lodges shall elect a Standing Committee on Finance and Audit, to consist of the Financier and one other member elected by the Lodge, who shall meet previous to the Annual Session, examine, audit and report on all bills and claims presented, and the books and accounts of the officers, and recommend such measures of finance as they may deem necessary.

21.—In the practical application of the Constitution, including the Declaration, General Principles and Rules of Order, the construction put upon it by the National Lodge shall be final and conclusive. Every word in the singular number shall be applicable to the plural, and every word importing the masculine gender shall, when necessary refer to the feminine as well.

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# CONSTITUTION

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# NATIONAL LODGE.



## ARTICLE 1.—NAME.

This body shall be known as the National Lodge of Canada.

## ARTICLE 2.—POWER.

The National Lodge shall be the source of supreme legislation for the government, uniformity, and general management of the Association within its jurisdiction, having power to make, alter, or amend the constitution, rules, ceremonies, or forms required for its own working and that of the different grades under it, to divide its own jurisdiction into Provincial Lodges, and shall be the final arbiter in all matters of dispute; but no alteration shall be made without a two-thirds vote taken on a notice of motion given at a previous annual session of the National Lodge, unless recommended by a Provincial Lodge, when the alteration may be made during the session at which said communication is received.

## ARTICLE 3.—OF WHOM COMPOSED.

This National Lodge shall be composed of all its own officers, Past Presidents and Past Vice-Presidents, together with Representatives from all the Provincial Lodges in its jurisdiction on the following principles of representation: One Representative for each Provincial Lodge of 1,000 members or under, and one for every 2,000 additional members, or fraction thereof.

## ARTICLE 4.—MEETINGS.

This Lodge shall meet annually.

## ARTICLE 5.—OFFICERS.

The Officers of the National Lodge shall be a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Senior Counsellor, Junior Counsellor, Chaplain, Financier, Recorder, Marshal, Deputy Marshal, Guard, Sentinel, and Past President—all to be elected by the members, except the last, which is honorary; and they shall perform such duties as are established by the National Lodge.

## ARTICLE 6.—DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

SEC. 1.—The President shall preside in the National Lodge, decide all questions of usage, as well as constitutional questions, subject to an appeal to the National Lodge. He shall have power to visit Provincial Lodges personally; or by Deputy, and require a compliance with the rules and usages of the Order; or he may require from any Provincial President any necessary information relative to his Provincial Lodge. He shall see that all committees not otherwise provided for are duly appointed; may appoint, subject to the approval of the National Lodge, special Deputies, with power to organize Lodges in countries where no Provincial Lodge exists, and have power to grant charters for any such lodges organized, as well as for Provincial Lodges, when proper application has been made by the Presidents of at least five Primary Lodges in any Province or country. All charters so granted shall be subject to the approval of the National Lodge at its first regular session following. He shall make arrangements for the proper opening of the Lodges authorized by him, as in his judgment circumstances may demand, and, at the expiration of his term of office, submit a full report, in writing, of all his official acts and decisions.

SEC. 2.—The Vice-President shall assist the President in preserving order, have charge of the doors and ante-rooms of the Lodge, and direct the admission of members and visitors.

SEC. 3.—The Secretary shall be the custodian of the Seal the Charters, Manuals, Books, Papers, Correspondence, and other property of the National Lodge. He shall attend all meetings of the National Lodge, and see that a correct record of the proceedings is kept, conduct the correspondence under the direction of the National President, keep true accounts between the National Lodge and the Lodges under its jurisdiction, receive all monies due to the National Lodge, and make quarterly returns to the National Treasurer. He shall perform such other duties connected with his office as may be enjoined

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SEC. 4.—The Treasurer shall have charge of the funds, securities and vouchers of the National Lodge; pay all orders drawn on him by the Sec'y and attested by the President of the National Lodge; at each meeting of the National Lodge produce his books of account, with proper vouchers, for examination and audit; he shall, at the expiration of his term of office, deliver up to his successor all the property of the National Lodge in his possession.

SEC. 5.—The Senior Counsellor shall be the General Superintendent of all that pertains to the extension of the Order, and the promotion of the Temperance cause in general; be the manager of the Lecture Fund, and, in conjunction with the President and Secretary, expend it in the employment of lecturing agents, circulation of tracts, and in such other ways as shall promote the objects of the Order; and shall occupy the chair of the President when temporarily vacated.

SEC. 6.—The Junior Counsellor shall be the guardian of the rights and liberties of the Juvenile Lodges, having special charge of the working and promotion of that department, and he shall assist the presiding officer.

SEC. 7.—The Chaplain shall conduct the devotional exercises of the Lodge.

SEC. 8.—The Financier shall be the chairman of the Finance and Audit Committee, and present their written report. (See duties of committee.)

SEC. 9.—The Recorder shall faithfully record in the journals of the Lodge all the transactions of each session, and shall also aid the Secretary as he may require.

SEC. 10.—The Marshals shall have charge of all property of the Lodge which is not specially entrusted to other officers, and see that it is kept in proper order, and at the close of their term report a schedule of the same and its condition. They shall assist the President in preserving order, superintend the balloting, count the votes upon division, introduce candidates and visitors, and perform such other duties as may be required by the Lodge.

SEC. 11.—The Guard and Sentinel, under the direction of the

Vice-President, shall have charge of the doors and ante-rooms of the Lodge.

SEC. 12.—The Past President shall have charge of the Roll Book of the Lodge, and see that the names of all members and visitors are duly recorded upon entering the room, and he shall by his experience and intelligence aid the National officers in the discharge of their duties, and shall continue, with unabated devotion and undiminished zeal, to guard and advance the interests of the Temperance cause and of our Order.

### ARTICLE 7.—ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1.—Opening.
- 2.—Appointment of Committee on Credentials.
- 3.—Report of Committee on Credentials.
- 4.—Reading minutes of last session.
- 5.—Fixing hours of meeting.
- 6.—Reception of communications.
- 7.—Appointment of Committees on Juvenile Lodges, Making Lodges Attractive and Profitable, Papers and Discussions, Memorials and Correspondence, Appeals, State of the Order, Constitution and Decisions, Distribution of Reports and Papers, and such others as are necessary.
- 8.—Receiving Reports of President, Secretary, Treasurer, Senior Counsellor, Junior Counsellor, and Financier.
- 9.—Receiving reports of Standing Committees.
- 10.—Unfinished Business.
- 11.—Receiving reports of Committees appointed to report at the present session.
- 12.—New Business.
- 13.—Fixing time and place of next meeting.
- 14.—Election of Officers and Finance and Audit Committee.
- 15.—Installation.
- 16.—Closing.

### ARTICLE 8.—DEPUTIES.

The National Lodge, or its Executive, shall have power to appoint one or more Deputies of the President of the National Lodge for any Province or Country having no Provincial Lodge; and the Deputies thus appointed shall organize Lodges and exercise a general supervision of the Order in such Province or Country, until the organization of a Provincial Lodge therein.



**ARTICLE 9.—DUES AND RETURNS.**

The dues and returns shall be forwarded quarterly by each Provincial Secretary to the National Secretary, with all possible promptness, after the form provided by the National Lodge, stating the number of District, Primary, and Juvenile Lodges in the jurisdiction; the names of Provincial Deputies; the number of members admitted, withdrawn, suspended, expelled, died, violated the pledge and reinstated during the term; number of males and females respectively; the whole amount of money on hand; the names and P. O. addresses of all Representatives to the National Lodge within the jurisdiction of each Provincial Lodge. No Provincial Lodge, whose dues and returns have not been sent to the National Lodge, shall be entitled to receive the Passwords, or to have a voice or vote in the National Lodge, except by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

**ARTICLE 10.—REVENUE.**

The National Lodge shall derive its revenue from the following sources: Six dollars (\$6) for each Primary Lodge Charter granted to Lodges under the special jurisdiction of the National Lodge, two dollars of which shall go to the organizing officer; a sum not exceeding one cent quarterly for each and every member under its jurisdiction; and the profits arising from the sales of the Book-Room and from its publications.

**ARTICLE 11.—SPECIAL CHARTERS.**

Applications for Charters for Primary Lodges, from any Province or Country in which no Provincial Lodge exists, shall be made to the National Lodge direct; and such Primary Lodges shall make their returns and pay their dues directly to the National Secretary, until a Provincial Lodge is formed in that Province or Country.

**ARTICLE 12.—VOTING.**

On ordinary questions the vote may be taken as per usage; but when demanded by at least three members from different Provincial Lodges, it shall be taken by Provincial Lodges. When a vote is taken by Provincial Lodges, the National Secretary shall call the Provincial Lodges according to the date of their organization, and a majority of Representatives present shall govern the vote. If the Representatives of a Province be equally divided, the vote shall be lost. In voting by Provin-

cial Lodges, each Provincial Lodge shall have one vote for the first 1,000 members, or less, under its jurisdiction, and one additional vote for every additional 2,000 members and fraction thereof.

ARTICLE 13.—QUORUM.

That nine members, representing at least a majority of the Provincial Lodges, shall be a quorum for the transaction of business; but a smaller number may open the Lodge and receive reports.

ARTICLE 14.—PROVINCIAL CONSTITUTION.

The National Lodge ordains and establishes the following as the Constitution of Provincial Lodges; and any Provincial Lodge neglecting or refusing to comply with the Rules and Regulations therein contained, shall forfeit its Charter and other property.

The National Lodge shall have the right to grant charters to Provincial Lodges, and to revoke the same, and to suspend or annul the same, and to grant charters to Provincial Lodges, and to revoke the same, and to suspend or annul the same, and to grant charters to Provincial Lodges, and to revoke the same, and to suspend or annul the same.

ARTICLE 15.—SPECIAL CHARTERS.

Special charters for Provincial Lodges shall be granted by the National Lodge, and shall be subject to the same rules and regulations as other charters, and shall be subject to the same rules and regulations as other charters, and shall be subject to the same rules and regulations as other charters.

ARTICLE 16.—VOTING.

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# CONSTITUTION

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### ARTICLE 1.—ORGANIZATION.

As soon as there are five (5) Primary Lodges in any of the Provinces or colonies of British America, or any of the divisions thereof, that may be established by the National Lodge of Canada for Provincial Lodge purposes, a convention of delegates may be called by the President of the National Lodge, or such deputy as he shall authorize, and a Provincial Lodge instituted.

### ARTICLE 2.—NAME.

This body shall be known as the Provincial Lodge of ..... of the United Temperance Association.

### ARTICLE 3.—POWER.

Provincial Lodges shall have the power to divide their territory into districts, fix the amount of dues to be levied on Primary Lodges in the jurisdiction, to receive and decide appeals, and determine all questions of law and usage, regulate their own special business, and to have the right and power to grant, suspend or revoke charters within its assigned boundaries, regulate their own Provincial business, and make such rules for their government and the government of the Lodges and members under their jurisdiction, as they may deem necessary, and as shall not conflict with the sovereignty of the National Lodge or the Constitution and principles of the Order.

### ARTICLE 4.—OF WHOM COMPOSED.

The Provincial Lodge shall be composed of the officers, the Past Presidents, Vice-Presidents and Secretaries of the National and Provincial Lodges, who are in good standing within the

jurisdiction, and a representative from District Lodges for every two hundred (200) members, or fraction thereof, in the District, all commissioned Provincial Deputies, together with a representative from each Primary Lodge for every fifty (50) members, or fraction thereof.

#### ARTICLE 5.—OFFICERS.

The officers of the Provincial Lodges shall be, so far as their working may require, the same in number, bear the same name, discharge the same duties and enjoy the same privileges respectively as the officers of the National Lodge.

#### ARTICLE 7.—ORDER OF BUSINESS.

The Order of Business shall be the same as that adopted by the National Lodge.

#### ARTICLE 8.—PROVINCIAL DEPUTIES.

**SECTION 1.**—Each Primary Lodge shall elect and recommend to the Provincial President, as the Provincial Deputy for the Lodge, a member, in good standing, who shall have attained the full age of twenty-one years. If the appointment is approved, the Provincial President shall grant the brother a Provincial Deputy's Commission, signed by the Provincial President and Provincial Secretary, which shall remain in force so long as the brother continues a member of the Lodge, or until a successor to him has been appointed. Provided that each Provincial Lodge may, by vote, require Provincial Deputies to be elected annually.

**SECTION 2.**—The Provincial Lodge, or its Executive, shall have power to appoint special Deputies, who shall receive a commission, and have authority to organize Primary and Juvenile Lodges.

#### ARTICLE 9.—REVENUE.

The Revenue of Provincial Lodges shall be derived from the following sources: Six dollars (\$6), two of which may be retained by the organizing officer, for each Primary, and two dollars (\$2) for each Juvenile Charter (and the property accompanying the same) granted to new Lodges within the jurisdiction; the dues fixed at each Annual Provincial Lodge Session, to be paid by each Primary Lodge under its control,

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### ARTICLE 10.—PROPERTY TO BE SENT WITH PRIMARY CHARTER.

The Provincial Secretary shall send with each Charter granted to open a Primary Lodge, five (5) Manuals of Ceremonies, twelve (12) Constitutions, containing Odes, one (1) Return Sheet, one (1) Key to Passwords, one (1) Provincial Deputy's Commission, one (1) Treasurer's Bond, twelve (12) each of Blank Propositions, Orders on Treasurer, Financier's Receipts, Treasurer's Receipts, Blank Books for Secretary, Treasurer, Financier, and Assistant for Secretary, &c.

### ARTICLE 11.—PROPERTY TO BE SENT WITH JUVENILE CHARTER.

The Provincial Secretary shall send with the Charter to each Juvenile Society twelve (12) Manuals, containing Constitution and Odes, twelve (12) Cards of Membership, Books for Secretary, Treasurer and Financier, &c., &c.

### ARTICLE 12.—VOTING.

Unless otherwise demanded, the vote on any question may be taken, as per usage; but when the Representatives of two (2) District Lodges require it, the vote shall be taken by Lodges. When a vote by Lodges is demanded, the Provincial Secretary shall call the roll of District Lodges alphabetically, and the roll of Primary Lodges by number, beginning with number one; and a majority of the Representatives present from each Lodge shall govern the vote of the Lodge. If the Representatives of any Lodge are equally divided, the vote of that Lodge shall not be counted. In voting by Lodges, each District Lodge shall be entitled to one vote for every two hundred (200) members, or fraction thereof, under its jurisdiction; and each Primary Lodge shall be entitled to one vote for every fifty (50) members, or fraction thereof.

### ARTICLE 13.—QUORUM.

To form a quorum for the transaction of business in Provincial Lodges, there shall be present not less than twelve members, representing at least two District or five Primary Lodges.

# DISTRICT OR COUNTY \*LODGE.

## ARTICLE 1.--FORMATION.

SECTION 1.—As soon as there are two or more Primary Lodges in good standing in any county, or Parliamentary division of a county, the Provincial Secretary shall call a meeting of delegates at such time and place as may be most convenient, for the purpose of organizing a District Lodge.

SECTION 2.—The Provincial President, or a Deputy designated by him, shall preside at such meeting until the officers have been elected and installed.

SECTION 3.—In counties where no County Lodge exists, Primary Lodges may unite for District purposes, with the adjoining District which may be most convenient.

SECTION 4.—By consent of their own District Lodge, any Primary Lodge may join the District Lodge, which is held in the county nearest their place of meeting.

## ARTICLE 2.—NAME.

A District or County Lodge shall always bear the name of the County, or Parliamentary Division of a County, in which the majority of its Primary Lodges are located.

## ARTICLE 3.—HOW COMPOSED.

A District Lodge shall be composed of all officers of the higher grades of Lodges, including Provincial Deputies, in connection in the District, its own officers, all its own Past Presidents, Vice-Presidents and Secretaries, and officers of Primary Lodges, together with a Representative from each Primary Lodge, for every thirty (30) members, or fraction thereof, elected on the night of installation each term, and one Representative from each Juvenile Society, to be elected from its adult members.

## ARTICLE 4.-- POWERS.

District Lodges are supervisory, and shall have power to adjudicate on appeals from the decision of Primary and Juvenile

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\*District signifies County or District, according to the jurisdiction of the Lodge.

Lodges, of settling disputes or redressing grievances arising in the same, to appoint members to visit Lodges, to help and encourage them in the work, and to do everything necessary to promote the interests of the Society in the District, consistent with the Constitution of the Order.

#### ARTICLE 5.—SESSIONS.

SECTION 1.—District Lodges shall hold their regular Quarterly Sessions in the months of December, March, June and September, on such days as the Lodge shall determine at its previous Session—the June Sessions being considered the Annual.

SECTION 2.—District Lodges may, by majority vote, at the Annual Session, decide to meet semi-annually—notice of such contemplated change must be given at least one Quarterly Session previous.

#### ARTICLE 6.—OFFICERS.

The officers of the District Lodges shall be, so far as their working may require, the same in number, bear the same name, discharge the same duties, be subject to the same laws, and enjoy the same privileges respectively as the officers of the National Lodge.

#### ARTICLE 7.—DISTRICT MINUTES.

The District Secretary shall, within ten days after the close of each Session of the District Lodge, send to the Provincial Secretary a summary of all the business done therein, to be presented by him to the Provincial Lodge.

#### ARTICLE 8.—ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND REPRESENTATIVES.

The District officers shall be elected annually, at the June Session; and Representatives to the Provincial Lodge annually, at the Session immediately preceding the Session of the Provincial Lodge.

#### ARTICLE 9.—ORDER OF BUSINESS.

- 1.—Opening District Lodge.
- 2.—Appointment of Committee on Credentials.
- 3.—Report.
- 4.—Reading the Minutes of last Session.

- 5.—Fixing hours of meeting.
  - 6.—Appointment of Committees.
    - (a)—On Distribution of Reports and Papers.
    - (b)—Juvenile Work.
    - (c)—Correspondence and Memorials.
    - (d)—Appeals and Decisions.
    - (e)—State of the Order.
    - (f)—Finance.
    - (g)—On Opening and Resuscitating Lodges.
    - (h)—Such other Committees as may be deemed necessary.
  - 7.—Receiving reports of President, Secretary, Treasurer, Senior Counsellor, Junior Counsellor, Financier and Deputies.
  - 8.—Receiving reports of Standing Committees.
  - 9.—Unfinished Business.
  - 10.—Receiving Reports of Sessional Committees.
  - 11.—New Business.
  - 12.—Fixing time and place of next meeting.
  - 13.—Election of Officers
  - 14.—Installation
  - 15.—Closing.
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#### ARTICLE 10.—FINANCES.

The District Lodge shall receive as dues one cent per quarter for each and every member of the Primary Lodges in connection therewith, to be sent at least three days previous to the Quarterly Session by the Secretary of the Provincial Lodge with the Quarterly Returns to the District Secretary, who shall pay over the same to the District Treasurer. District Lodges shall have power to levy a special tax on Primary Lodges.

#### ARTICLE 11.—QUORUM.

Seven members, representing at least two Primary Lodges, shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

#### ARTICLE 12.—DORMANT LODGES.

SECTION 1.—When any Primary or Juvenile Lodge is suspended, surrenders its Charter, or becomes dormant from any cause whatever, the Charter, Manuals, Books, Funds, etc., and other property of the dormant Lodge, shall be taken possession of by the Provincial Deputy, in the name and on behalf of the next higher grade of Lodge; and any valid claims against the dormant Lodge, which do not amount to over one-half the value

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SECTION 2. — Any Primary Lodge failing to hold meetings for six months, or to make returns, as required by the Constitution, for one year, shall be deemed a dormant Lodge, and its Charter shall be forfeited.

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# CONSTITUTION

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## ARTICLE 1.—NAME.

This Lodge shall be styled ..... Primary Lodge, No. ...., of "The United Temperance Association," in the County of ..... and Province of.....

## ARTICLE 2.—HOW CONSTITUTED.

This Lodge shall consist of not less than seven members, of whom the President, Treasurer and Chaplain shall, if practicable, be at least twenty-one years of age. None of its members shall be less than fourteen years of age; and all shall have subscribed to the following pledge :

## ARTICLE 3.—PLEDGE.

No member shall make, buy, sell, use, give, offer, furnish, or cause to be furnished to others, as a beverage, any kind of intoxicating liquors, be they what they may, or by whatever name they may be known, but each shall, in all honorable ways, discountenance their use in community, and endeavor to spread the principles of Total Abstinence.

## ARTICLE 4.—CHARTER.

This Lodge shall hold an unforfeited Charter or Certificate for Charter, signed by the President and Secretary of National and Provincial Lodges, which it cannot voluntarily surrender, unless four weeks' notice has been previously given in open Lodge of the intention so to do, or even then, if seven members object thereto.

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ARTICLE 5.—POWER.

The Primary Lodges shall be the local and practical bodies of the Order. On them shall devolve, as the constituency, the exercise of franchise rights; they shall be represented directly in their Provincial and District Lodges, and shall thus virtually have the framing of the laws by which they are governed, and to which they shall submit under the administration of the above Lodges, with the right of appeal to the National Lodge. They shall be independent bodies, managing their own affairs and making their own by-laws, subject to the approval of the Provincial Lodge. They shall meet for the purpose of admitting new members; for social intercourse; for the moral and intellectual advancement of the members; and for transacting any other business.

ARTICLE 6.—MEMBERSHIP.

SEC. 1.—The name and residence of a person offered for membership must be in writing, and the proposition, made by a member of the Lodge, must be entered on the records, and the subject referred to three members for investigation; two of whom shall be appointed by the President, and the third by the Vice-President. The Committee shall report in writing at the next regular meeting. All candidates must be balloted for with ball ballots; and if not more than four black balls appear, the applicant shall be declared elected; but if more than four appear, or if all the ballots cast be black, he shall be rejected, and so declared. But no member shall mention a person proposed for membership to any one, except to a member of the Lodge, until after the decision has been given, and not even then, if the candidate has been rejected. No person so rejected shall be again proposed or initiated in any Lodge of the Order, under three months, unless by the unanimous vote of the Lodge.

SEC. 2.—Any Lodge may, by a by-law regularly adopted, dispense with the Investigation Committee and proceed at once to ballot on the proposition, and if elected, the candidate may be initiated forthwith; *provided*, however, that any member in good standing may demand the appointment of an Investigation Committee, who shall act in accordance with Sec. 1 of this Article, notwithstanding such by-law.

SEC. 3.—Clergymen of all denominations shall be, by virtue of their office, members of the Order, and received into membership in any Lodge upon signing the Pledge Roll, not being subject to ballot or initiation, fees or dues.

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SEC. 4.—A proposition for membership shall not be withdrawn after it has been referred to a Committee for investigation without the consent of a majority of the members present.

SEC. 5.—No suspended member of the Order can be received in membership in any Lodge, except on being reinstated and receiving a card of clearance from the Lodge which suspended him. A member suspended for non-payment of dues may be reinstated by paying the dues standing against him at the time of his suspension.

SEC. 6.—The character of a candidate for membership may be discussed in the Lodge any time previous to the ballot being taken, but it is improper to call on any member for the reason of his vote.

SEC. 7.—The name of any person applying for membership by deposit of card shall be subject to the same proposition, investigation and ballot as a new applicant, and, on being admitted, he shall sign the Membership Roll, and retain all unforfeited honors previously gained, provided that should the applicant be a member of any other Order than the United Temperance Order, he shall also take the obligation and pay the dues of the quarter then commenced.

#### ARTICLE 7.—OFFICERS.

SEC. 1.—The Officers of a Primary Lodge shall be as follows: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Senior Counsellor, Junior Counsellor, Chaplain, Financier, Recorder, Marshal, Deputy Marshal, Guard, Sentinel, Past President; all to be elected by the members, except the last, which is honorary.

SEC. 2.—All Officers must be clear of any charges on the books before being installed; and any member in good standing shall be eligible for office, except as herein before provided.

SEC. 3.—The Officers, except as otherwise provided, shall be nominated and elected by written ballot at the last regular meeting in each term, and installed at the first regular meeting in the succeeding term, provided that if a Lodge should fail to elect or instal on the nights indicated, it may do so at a subsequent meeting.

SEC. 4.—Any officer failing to appear for installation at the time provided for in Section 3 of this Article, or absenting himself for three successive meetings, the seat may be declared vacant by a two-thirds vote of the members present, after one week's notice, unless a satisfactory excuse for absence be given.

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vacancy shall be filled at any regular meeting ; and any member who shall fill the vacancy for the remainder of the quarter shall be entitled to the full honors of the term.

SEC. 6.—If a Lodge has no member constitutionally qualified or willing to accept the office of President, it shall be taken charge of by the Provincial Deputy or Senior Past President present, until the disability is removed.

#### ARTICLE 8.—DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

SEC. 1.—It shall be the duty of the President to preside in the Lodge, enforce a due observance of the Constitution, rules and usages of the Order ; see that all Officers and Committees perform their respective duties ; direct the Secretary to call special meetings when application in writing shall have been made by five members of the Lodge ; and draw on the Treasurer for all sums necessary to pay the appropriations made by the Lodge. He shall, on the night he vacates the chair, see that the quarterly returns are carefully and properly prepared for the Provincial Lodge, and duly certified by him ; and also that all Provincial Lodge dues are paid to the Provincial Deputy, and perform such other duties as the Lodge or his charge may require.

SEC. 2.—The Vice-President shall assist the President in preserving order, have charge of the doors and ante-rooms of the Lodge, and direct the admission of members and visitors.

SEC. 3.—The Secretary shall keep a fair and impartial record of the proceedings of the Lodge ; write communications ; fill up certificates ; notify meetings when ordered by the President ; attest to all moneys ordered to be paid at a regular meeting, and at none other ; make out at the end of the term for the Lodge a full report of the proceedings during his term, and also the quarterly returns to the Provincial Lodge, and, with the President, certify to the same. He shall notify all Primary Lodges, not more than ten miles from its place of meeting, within one week after, of the name and residence of every person suspended, withdrawn, rejected or expelled from his Lodge, and perform such other duties as may be required of him by his Lodge or his charge, and deliver up to his successors, within one week of the expiration of his term, all books, papers, or other property in his possession, belonging to his office.

SEC. 4.—It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to pay all orders drawn on him by the President, attested by the Secretary, and none other ; to receive all moneys of the Lodge, and hold the

same until the expiration of his term, unless otherwise ordered by the Lodge. He shall keep a full and correct account of all moneys received and expended; and at the end of his term, previous to the installation of officers, he shall present a report of the same, and perform such other duties as may be required by the Lodge or his charge; and at the expiration of his term, or when legally called upon to do so, deliver up all moneys, books, papers, vouchers, and other Lodge property in his possession to his successors in office, or the person appointed to receive the same.

SEC. 5.—The Senior Counsellor shall occupy the President's chair when temporarily vacated. He shall have a general oversight of the entertainment for the "Good of the Order."

SEC. 6.—The Junior Counsellor shall have special charge of the working and promotion of the Juvenile Department.

SEC. 7.—The Chaplain shall conduct the devotional exercises of the Lodge.

SEC. 8.—It shall be the duty of the Financier to keep just and true accounts between the Lodge and its members, credit the amounts paid, and pay the same over to the Treasurer immediately, taking his receipt therefor. At the end of his term, previous to the installation of officers, he shall make out for the Lodge a full report, and furnish the Secretary with the amount of receipts, initiation fees and dues, during his term, with any other information connected with his office necessary to enable the Secretary to prepare correct returns for the Grand Lodge; and perform such other duties as the Lodge or his charge may require of him, and deliver up to his successor all property appertaining to his office in his possession.

SEC. 9.—The Recorder shall call the roll of officers, note the absentees, see that each member on joining the Lodge signs the Membership Roll, and keep in a proper place in the Roll-Book a list of all those withdrawn, suspended, expelled, or who have violated pledge, &c., giving the time and other needed information. He shall also render to the Secretary such assistance as may be required.

SEC. 10.—It shall be the duty of the Marshals to introduce for initiation persons who have been previously elected; also official and other visitors. They shall examine the members present at the opening of the Lodge in the quarterly Password and Explanation, and report to the President any that are not in possession of them; see that the Ode and other books are in their proper places at the opening of the Lodge, and take charge

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SEC. 11.—It shall be the duty of the Guard to attend the door of the Hall, and to admit no one who is unable to give the explanation of the Quarterly Password, unless by special direction of the Lodge. He shall not permit any one to retire without his giving the retiring Password from the Deputy Marshal, except as elsewhere specially provided.

SEC. 12.—The Sentinel shall not permit any one to pass him without the reception of the Quarterly Password, except by direction of the Lodge. He shall have charge of the ante-rooms, and see that the order of the Lodge is not disturbed by any annoyances therein.

SEC. 13.—The Past President shall, by his experience, aid the Officers in the discharge of their duties. In the absence of the Provincial Deputy he shall perform his duties.

SEC. 14.—The Provincial Deputy, in addition to the duties laid down in his commission, shall instal the officers of his Primary Lodge, receive the Quarterly Passwords from the Provincial Secretary, and communicate them to the President. Previous to installing the officers, he shall see that the quarterly return sheet is properly made out, and the dues for the Provincial Lodge voted, which, with the return sheet, he shall immediately forward to the Provincial Secretary, and in case there is no Provincial Lodge, direct to the National Secretary.

#### ARTICLE 9.—FEES AND DUES.

Each Lodge shall regulate its fees and dues, which must be paid in advance, and no member shall be entitled to receive the Passwords, unless he is clear on the books of the Financier.

#### ARTICLE 10.—RETURNS.

At the end of each quarter every Primary Lodge shall, through its Provincial Deputy, report to the Provincial Lodge the working of the quarter, according to the form provided by the National Lodge, accompanied by the capitation tax for the quarter, to the Provincial Secretary.

#### ARTICLE 11.—TERMS.

The regular quarterly terms shall commence on the first day of November, February, May and August.

## ARTICLE 12.—REPRESENTATIVES.

Each Primary Lodge shall elect, at the first meeting of the quarter immediately preceding the annual meeting of the Provincial Lodge, one Representative to the Provincial Lodge for every fifty (50) members, or fraction thereof; and, also, on the night of installation each quarter, one Representative to the District Lodge for every thirty (30) members or fraction thereof; provided, however, that the Lodge shall have power to supply the place of any that may be disqualified or unable to attend.

## ARTICLE 13.—CARDS.

SEC. 1.—A Card of Transfer shall be granted and used when a member wishes to leave his Lodge to join another Lodge, and it shall be available for the length of time a member pays his dues.

SEC. 2.—A Travelling Card shall be granted and used, with the annual Travelling Password, when a member wishes to leave his Lodge and still retain membership with the Order, on his paying such dues annually as the Lodge may require and the fee for the Card.

SEC. 3.—Application for either Travelling or Transfer Cards must be made in open Lodge, at a regular meeting thereof. The Card shall be granted by a vote of the Lodge, provided there is no charge pending against the applicant, and that he is clear on the Financier's Books, and pays the necessary dues and the fee for the Card.

SEC. 4.—Persons holding Travelling or Transfer Cards continue to be members of the Order, and are amenable to all the laws of the Order; but when the holder is charged with any offence against the Order, any Lodge in the vicinity of his residence may proceed against him in the same manner as if he were a member of their Lodge.

SEC. 5.—Any member holding a Travelling or Transfer Card residing in any locality where a Primary Lodge exists, shall apply for membership therein within three months after the first date of residence, and any failure to comply with this provision shall forfeit all rights as a Card member.

SEC. 6.—If a Primary Lodge surrenders or forfeits its Charter, the members thereof in good standing may apply to and receive from the Provincial Secretary a Travelling Card and the Travelling Password, on the annual payment of 25 cents.

SEC. 7.—When a Card has expired by limitation, the holder

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can have it renewed in his own Lodge ; or, upon application to the Provincial Secretary, may receive a Travelling Card as provided for in the previous section. The Provincial Secretary shall keep the names and addresses of all Card members.

SEC. 8.—Travelling and Transfer Cards must be signed by the President and attested by the Secretary of the Lodge granting the Card. The name of the holder must be written in the margin in his own handwriting, and the Seal of the National Lodge affixed.

#### ARTICLE 14.—WITHDRAWALS.

A member in good standing may withdraw from the Order by making written application, which shall lie on the table one week, and if it be not then withdrawn, or any charge preferred, the request shall be granted, provided he is clear of all dues and charges.

#### ARTICLE 15.—VISITORS.

No member can visit in any Lodge without he is in possession of the Password and Explanation of the current quarter, without the permission of the Lodge, unless he presents a regular unexpired Travelling Card, and proves himself in the Travelling Password. On presentation of the Travelling Card, the Past President shall proceed to examine the visitor in the Travelling Password. If the Past President is satisfied with the result of the examination, he will introduce the visitor without further ceremony. Any Lodge may, by a majority vote, admit persons who are not members of the Order as visitors. A Lodge shall have the right to refuse admittance to a visiting member, who can work his way, upon being satisfied that he has lost his membership, or been irregularly admitted, or has previously departed himself improperly in the Lodge.

#### ARTICLE 16.—OFFENCES.

SEC. 1.—Any member of a Primary Lodge who shall violate his pledge shall be deprived of all official honors previously attained.

SEC. 2.—It shall be the duty of any member hearing of a violation of the pledge to immediately visit the accused ; if he acknowledge a violation, the case shall be reported to the Lodge at its next meeting, when, upon a majority vote, the offense may be forgiven, and the accused restored to good standing upon re-signing the pledge. Should the accused deny the

charge, and the member visiting him is convinced of his guilt, he shall select another member to act in conjunction with himself to ascertain the truth of the report; they shall together visit the offending member, and if he still persist in denying the charge, or, acknowledging it, refuses to renew the pledge, a charge shall be presented to the Lodge according to the form in the Appendix, within one month.

SEC. 3.—Any member of the Order who has good reason to believe that another member has proven false to any of his obligations, the Constitution, or principles of the Order, or been guilty of conduct unbecoming a member, shall present a charge against him to the Lodge, according to the form in the Appendix, stating the nature of the offence.

SEC. 4.—When a member, accused of violating his obligation, shall be present and plead guilty to the charge, the case may be proceeded with without the appointment of a Committee; but at the request of the accused, final action may be postponed one week.

SEC. 5.—Any member accused of any offence against this Order shall be entitled to and receive a fair trial. No member shall be placed on trial for any offence except the charges be duly made out in writing, and signed by a member of the Lodge; and the party accused shall be put in possession of a copy of the charges and specifications, and have a full and reasonable notice of the place and time of meeting, at least one week previous to the trial.

SEC. 6.—Any member against whom any charge has been brought shall be notified thereof by the Secretary; and if, after a receipt of such notice, the accused member, within two weeks, shall not appear at the Lodge and plead guilty to the charge or demand an investigation thereof, the charges and specifications shall be referred to a Committee of three members in good standing, which the Lodge shall appoint, whose duty shall be to hear, examine and receive all witnesses and testimony that may be brought before them relative to said charge.

SEC. 7.—All parties should be duly notified of the time and

NOTE.—Re-obligation is not permitted in this Order under any circumstances; if the Pledge is broken, it may be re-signed; the re-signing of the Pledge is not a punishment, but is necessary to full or active membership in a Lodge; a member violating the Pledge is virtually in a state of voluntary suspension until the Lodge has forgiven the offence and the Pledge has been re-signed. We inculcate the principle of forgiveness in its highest sense, but cannot lower the dignity of our Order by re-obligations.

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SEC. 8.—The Committee shall report to the Lodge at its next regular meeting, and the report shall be laid upon the table until the next meeting, at which time the accused shall be summoned to appear, and the Lodge shall act upon it. If called for by a majority vote, the evidence offered before the Committee shall be read, but no other evidence shall be introduced; the Lodge may, however, re-commit the case in order that more evidence may be taken; the accused shall have an opportunity to speak in his defence, and shall then retire. The Lodge shall then decide the question, and if they find him guilty, fix on some mode of punishment, after which he shall be notified of the result. The recommendations of the Committee may be amended in any manner before final action is taken on them; provided, however, that in all cases when a member has been found guilty, he shall be punished by expulsion, suspension, or reprimand, except in cases of violation of Article III., when re-affirmation of the pledge may be considered a punishment, at the option of the Lodge.

SEC. 9.—If the accused fails to appear when duly summoned, the Committee shall report him guilty of contempt, and this report, if adopted by the Lodge, shall be final, and the President shall, in two weeks thereafter, declare the member expelled, unless it shall appear that the accused was unavoidably absent; and in this case the accused shall be entitled to a re-hearing.

SEC. 10.—All votes for reinstatement or expulsion shall be by ballot, and in no case shall the member be present when the vote is being taken.

SEC. 11.—A member under charges, and during the investigation thereof by the Lodge, is in a state of suspension, and cannot vote or speak on any question under consideration, unless by the permission of the Lodge.

SEC. 12.—Any brother who shall wilfully or maliciously charge, or bring charges against a member and fail to prove the same, shall be fined, reprimanded, suspended or expelled, as the Lodge may determine.

SEC. 13.—Any member having been expelled shall not be again proposed for membership under three months from date of expulsion, unless by a two-thirds vote of the Lodge.

SEC. 14.—Any member six months in arrears shall be notified of the same by the Financier of the Lodge, and if such arrears are not cancelled as the Lodge may direct, the member may be suspended, by a vote of the Lodge at any regular meeting.

SEC. 15.—Any person who shall be guilty of any objectionable or disorderly conduct, or disrespectful language, in the Lodge, may be reprimanded, suspended or expelled, as the Lodge may determine by a majority vote taken by ballot, at the time the offence is committed, or at either of the next two subsequent meetings.

SEC. 16.—If a member acknowledge, or is found guilty of a charge, the President shall—1st, call the attention of the Lodge; 2nd, rise from his seat; 3rd, declare that all the honors the said member (giving his name) had previously attained are forfeited; 4th, take a ballot on the expulsion of the member, and if a majority present vote therefor, he shall declare the said member expelled, and order the Recorder to strike the name from the books, and make an entry of the cause for so doing. But if a majority do not vote for the expulsion, the membership of the offender shall be retained, and such other penalty inflicted as is provided in Section 6 of this article; provided that in all cases of violation of Article III., before reinstatement there shall be a re-affirmation of the Pledge.

SEC. 17.—Should a member not re-sign the pledge before one month, the President shall declare the membership of the offender forfeited.

SEC. 18.—Any member convicted of a crime by any judicial tribunal, or who shall be guilty of any vicious or immoral habits which shall injure himself or family, or bring disgrace on the Order, shall be suspended or expelled by a vote of the Lodge, without any formal charge, notice or trial.

#### ARTICLE 17.—APPEALS.

SEC. 1.—Any dispute or question of order not otherwise provided for, shall be decided by the President of the Lodge in which it occurs, but always subject to an appeal to the Lodge, if demanded in writing by five members. In all cases where a member considers himself aggrieved by the decision of any Lodge, he shall have a right to appeal to the next higher grade of Lodge of the Order, within one month after judgment is given.

SEC. 2.—When a member appeals from the decision of a Lodge through the Secretary, the Lodge shall without delay

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#### ARTICLE 18.—PUBLIC MEETINGS.

SEC. 1.—Each Primary Lodge may arrange for regular public meetings for the purpose of increasing the number of pledged Total Abstainers.

SEC. 2.—At such public meetings the following pledge shall be circulated for signature, viz.: "I will not use as a beverage any kind of intoxicating drinks."

SEC. 3.—All persons signing such pledge shall be under the immediate jurisdiction of the Primary Lodge, and shall be subject to the same regulations as to discipline for violation of the pledge as provided in Article XVI., but shall not be subject to fees and dues, other than voluntary contributions.

SEC. 4.—Primary Lodges may admit such pledged Total Abstainers as visitors to their regular meetings, and shall appoint a committee from such visitors to act in conjunction with the Committee on the "Good of the Order" to provide speakers and entertainment for the public monthly meetings.

#### ARTICLE 19.—JUVENILES.

SEC. 1.—In localities where Juvenile Lodges cannot be organized and sustained, the Primary Lodge may take in youths under fourteen (14) years of age as Juvenile members, who shall be received on proposition and ballot, the same as regular members, and initiated by the Juvenile Ceremony; provided the Lodge shall have so decided by a two-thirds vote after two weeks' notice.

SEC. 2.—Juvenile members shall be amenable to the Constitution, Rules and Usages of the Order and the By-laws of the Lodge, except as to initiation fees and dues, which may be half that of regular members, and shall be debarred all the privileges of voting.

SEC. 3.—All Juvenile members of the Order who shall have been consistent members of either a Primary or Juvenile Lodge for the space of at least one year just passed, and are clear on the books as to dues and charges, may become regular members

of a Primary Lodge on being elected to membership in the ordinary way, by the regular initiation and payment of the dues of the quarter then commenced in full.

#### ARTICLE 20.—QUORUM.

Five members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

#### ARTICLE 21.—BY-LAWS.

Any Primary Lodge shall be at liberty to adopt such By-laws and Regulations as may be deemed advisable; provided, however, that no By-law or Regulation shall conflict with the Constitution or the General Principles of the Order.

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## RULES OF ORDER.

### DUTIES AND PRIVILEGES OF PRESIDENT.

1. It shall be the duty of the President to preserve order, and endeavor to conduct all business before the Lodge to a speedy and proper result.

2.—He shall state every question properly presented to the Lodge, and before putting it to vote, shall ask, "Is the Lodge ready for the question?" Should no member offer to speak, he shall rise to put it; and after he has risen, no member shall be permitted to speak upon it.

3.—The President shall have a vote in all cases of ballot, but in ordinary cases shall not vote, except when a tie occurs he shall have a casting vote. He shall inspect and announce all votes and decisions. His decisions on points of order shall not be debatable, unless, entertaining doubts on the subject, he invites discussion.

4.—He may speak to points of order in preference to other members of the Lodge, rising from his seat for that purpose; and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the Lodge by five members, in writing. On such an appeal, no member shall speak more than once.

5.—When an appeal is made from the decision of the President, he shall put the question thus: "Shall the decision of the chair be sustained?"

6.—It shall be the duty of the presiding officer, and the privilege of any member of the Lodge, to call a member to order who violates an established rule of order.

### MOTIONS.

7.—A motion must be seconded, and afterwards repeated from the chair, or read aloud before it is debated.

8.—All resolutions shall be submitted in writing.

9.—Any member having made a motion may withdraw it, with leave of his seconder, before it is debated, amended, postponed, ordered to lie on the table, or decided, but not afterwards without leave of the Lodge, and if withdrawn, the proceedings shall not appear in the minutes.

10.—A motion to amend an amendment to an amendment shall not be entertained.

11.—An amendment destroying or altering the intention of a motion shall be in order; but an amendment relating to a different subject shall not be in order.

12.—On an amendment to "strike out and insert," the paragraph to be amended shall first be read as it stands; then the words proposed to be struck out and those to be inserted, and finally the paragraph as it would stand if so amended.

12.—Any member may call for the division of a question containing distinct propositions; the majority shall decide whether the division called for will leave distinct and entire propositions, separate from each other.

### DEBATE.

14.—When a member speaks or offers a motion, he shall rise in his place and respectfully address the President, confining himself to the question under consideration, and avoiding personality or unbecoming language.

15.—When a member is called to order, he shall take his seat until the point is determined.

16.—When two or more members rise to speak at the same time, the presiding officer shall decide who is entitled to the floor.

17.—No member shall speak more than twice, except for explanation, or longer than five minutes, on any question, without leave of the Lodge; the same to be granted or refused without debate.

18.—When a member is speaking, no one shall interrupt, except for the purpose of calling to order, or asking of the presiding officer leave to explain, or to call the previous question. A member allowed "to explain" shall only have a right to explain an actual misunderstanding of language, and shall be strictly prohibited from going into debate on the merits of the case.

19.—For any member, in debate, to impeach the motives of a fellow-member, or to treat with personal disrespect, or to pass between a member speaking and the chair, shall be deemed a violation of order, which may incur the censure of the presiding officer, or of the Lodge.

20.—If any member shall feel personally aggrieved by a decision of the chair, he may appeal from such decision.

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21.—Any conversation, by whispering or otherwise, which is calculated to disturb a member while speaking, or hinder the transaction of business, shall be deemed a violation of order, and, if persisted in, shall incur censure.

### PRIVILEGED QUESTIONS.

22.—When a question is before the Lodge, the only motion in order shall be : 1st, to adjourn ; 2nd, the previous question ; 3rd, to lay on the table ; 4th, to postpone indefinitely ; 5th, to postpone to a definite period ; 6th, to refer ; 7th, to divide, if the sense will admit of it ; or, 8th, to amend—to take precedence as herein arranged, and the first three to be decided without debate.

23.—When the previous question is moved and seconded, it shall be put in this form : “ Shall the main question be now put ? ” If this be carried, all further amendments and debate shall be excluded, and the question put without delay. If the question has been amended, the question shall be taken on the amendment first. If more than one amendment has been made, the last made amendment in order shall take precedence in the vote. It shall not be in order to reconsider the agreement to take the previous question.

24.—When a motion is postponed indefinitely, it shall not come up again during the session.

### ADJOURNMENT.

25.—A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, except : 1st, when a member is in possession of the floor ; 2nd, while the yeas and nays are being called ; 3rd, when the members are voting ; 4th, when adjournment was the last preceding motion ; or, 5th, when it has been decided that the previous question shall be taken.

26.—A motion to adjourn cannot be amended, but a motion to adjourn to a given time may be, and is open to debate.

### QUESTIONS NOT DEBATABLE.

27.—1st, A motion to adjourn, when to adjourn, simply ; 2nd, a motion to lay on the table, when claiming privilege over another motion ; 3rd, a motion for the previous question ; 4th, a motion to reconsider ; 5th, a motion to read a paper ; 6th, a motion to take up particular items of business ; 7th, questions of order, when not appealed from the decisions of the President, or not submitted by him to the Lodge ; 8th, granting

leave to speak; 9th, to excuse from voting; 10th, granting leave to withdraw a report or resolution.

### READING OF PAPERS.

28.—The reading of any paper called for, relating to the subject under debate, shall always be in order.

### TAKING A VOTE.

29.—When the presiding officer has commenced taking a vote, no further debate or remark shall be admitted, unless a mistake has been made; in which case the mistake shall be rectified, and the presiding officer shall recommence taking the vote.

30.—When the decision of any question is doubted, the presiding officer shall direct the Marshal to count the votes in the affirmative and negative, and report the same to him.

31.—The yeas and nays upon any question before the Lodge may be called for by two members; and upon the assent of one-third of the members present, shall be taken. They may be called for at any time before a peremptory decision of the vote from the chair.

32.—In taking the yeas and nays, the Secretary shall call the roll, and record the yeas and nays; after the roll is called, the result shall be read aloud, to rectify mistakes (if any); after which the Secretary shall hand the vote to the President, who shall announce the same.

33.—Each member of a Lodge, who is entitled to a vote, shall, if requested by five members, vote thereon, unless excused by a majority vote of the Lodge. No member shall vote who was not in the room at the time the question was put to the Lodge.

34.—In the election of officers, a majority of all the votes present shall be necessary to a choice. The name having the lowest number of votes shall each time be withdrawn; and in case of a tie between the last two, the vote shall be re-taken until one of them has a majority. Two or more names may be withdrawn at a time, provided, the lowest one remaining, increased by the whole number of votes struck off, will not equal the highest.

### FILLING BLANKS.

35.—When any blank is to be filled by the names of persons, a vote shall be taken on the names in the order of their

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nomination; but when a blank is to be filled by any sum of money or time proposed, the question shall be first put on the largest sum and the most remote time.

### RECONSIDERATION AND REPEAL.

36.—A question may be reconsidered any time during the session, or at the first regular session held thereafter; but a motion for reconsideration, being once made and decided in the negative, shall not be renewed before the next regular session.

37.—A motion to reconsider must be made and seconded by a member who voted in the majority. No question shall be reconsidered more than once; nor shall a vote to reconsider be reconsidered. To reconsider a resolution, &c., the decision of which has officially passed out of the Lodge, shall not be in order.

38.—A motion to repeal or rescind a resolution shall be offered in writing and announced at a regular session two weeks before action shall be taken on the same; and shall only be in order when the motion to reconsider is no longer available.

### COMMITTEES AND THEIR REPORTS.

39.—The first one named in the appointment of a committee shall be chairman of the same, and shall call the committee together at such time and place as he may select; but when thus convened, any committee may elect its own chairman and secretary.

40.—All reports of committees, except reports of progress, shall be made in writing, and signed by a majority.

41.—When a majority's report is followed by a report from the minority of a committee, the former, after being read, shall lie upon the table until the latter is presented; after which, on motion, either may be considered.

42.—When a report has been read, it shall be considered as properly before the Lodge, without a motion to accept.

43.—When a report is submitted to which a resolution is attached, action shall only be taken on the resolution, unless the report be considered improper or incomplete, in which case it can be recommitted.

44.—No report or resolution properly before the Lodge shall be withdrawn without its permission.

45.—When no resolution is submitted with a report, it shall be competent for the Lodge to alter or amend it.

# BY-LAWS

OF

.....LODGE, No.....

The annexed code is here inserted as a guide to Lodges, which they may adopt with or without modification, as they deem proper.

## MEETINGS.

1.—A regular meeting of this Lodge shall be held on ..... evening of each week, or fortnight, at.....

2.—The hour of meeting shall be..... o'clock, from the first of October to the first of April, and..... o'clock from the first of April to the first of October. The Lodge shall close punctually at ten o'clock, unless two-thirds of the members present vote to the contrary.

3.—The Public Meetings of this Lodge shall be held at the usual hour, on the evening of the..... in each month.

4.—Special meetings may be ordered by the President, on the written call of five members; of which due notice shall be given to the members of the Lodge.

5.—No business shall be transacted at any Special Meeting of the Lodge other than that for which the meeting is called.

6.—No subject of a sectarian or political nature foreign to the object of the Order shall be introduced before the Lodge.

## DECORUM.

7.—Any member who shall in this Lodge use profane or objectionable or improper language, or refuse to obey the commands of the Chair, when called to order, or make disrespectful expressions toward the officers or members of this Lodge, shall be subject to reprimand, suspension or expulsion, as the Lodge may direct.

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## IMPROPER CONDUCT.

8.—Any member who shall knowingly propose unworthy characters for membership shall, on conviction of such conduct, be subject to suspension or expulsion, as the Lodge may determine.

9.—Any member of this Lodge who shall reply to, or notice any question regarding the Pass-words, or private business of the Lodge, from any one not a member in good standing so as to expose matters which should be confined to this Lodge, shall be considered unworthy of membership, and may be expelled by a vote of the Lodge.

## FEES AND DUES.

10.—The Fees and Dues of this Lodge shall be as follows, to be paid invariably in advance :

Initiation Fee for Males,	\$	Females,	\$
Joining by Card,	"	"	"
Quarterly Dues,	"	"	"
Travelling Cards,	"	"	"
Transfer	"	"	"

## FUNDS—HOW APPROPRIATED.

11.—The funds shall be used for defraying the necessary expenses of this Lodge, to pay the dues of the Provincial Lodge, for the advancement of the cause of Temperance, and for charitable purposes.

12.—No money shall be appropriated or used for other purposes than those mentioned in No. 11 of these By-Laws, unless two-thirds of all the members present at a regular meeting of this Lodge vote to do so.

## COMMITTEES.

13.—All Committees, unless otherwise ordered, shall consist of three members. The first named shall be its convener.

14.—The President shall, on the night of instalation, appoint the following standing Committees for the term :

A Committee on the care of the sick.

A Room Committee.

A Visiting Committee, and

A Committee on the Good of the Order.

And the Lodge shall elect a Committee on Finance.

### FINANCE COMMITTEE—DUTIES OF.

15.—The duties of the Finance Committee are to examine and audit bills and accounts presented to this Lodge for payment, and, previous to the installation, audit the Reports and accounts of the Treasurer and Financier.

### VISITING COMMITTEE.

16.—This Committee, when required by the Lodge, shall visit absent members and report.

### COMMITTEE ON GOOD OF THE ORDER.

17.—The Committee on Good of the Order shall, under the direction of the Senior Counsellor, have charge of all Lodge entertainments, act as a Committee of arrangement for public meetings, and shall devise ways and means for increasing the interest of the members. Under the direction of the Lodge they may give such entertainments, pic-nics or excursions, as may be deemed advisable; and some such entertainment, designed to put funds in the treasury, or otherwise benefit the cause and Order, shall be given, if possible, once in each term. They shall also perform such other duties as may be required of them.

### ARREARS.

18.—No member who is six months in arrears, shall be allowed to speak or vote on any question before the Lodge, without the permission of the Lodge.

19.—Suspended members shall pay the whole sum due from them up to the time of reinstatement.

### SIGNING THE PLEDGE.

20.—Each member, on being admitted, shall sign the Pledge Roll, and receive a copy of the Constitution and By-Laws.

### TRUSTEES.

21.—This Lodge shall elect three Trustees at the last regular meeting in October in each year, who shall transact all the legal business for the Lodge, under its direction.

### TREASURER.

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**BALL-BALLOTING.**

23.—The manner of balloting shall be as follows: The Marshal shall place the ballot-box in the centre of the room, and deposit his ballot; after all have voted, he shall close the box and carry it to the President, who will announce the result, simply stating whether candidate is elected or rejected.

**FUNERALS.**

24.—In case of the death of a member, information shall be communicated to the President, who shall direct the Secretary to call a meeting of the Lodge to attend the funeral; except the deceased brother has died of some infectious disease.

**AMENDMENTS.**

25.—No part of these By-Laws shall be repealed, altered or annulled, unless notice to that effect be presented in writing to the Lodge, which shall lie over for two weeks before action shall be had thereon, when, if two-thirds of the members present vote in favor of the amendment, it shall be adopted.

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FORMS FOR THE GUIDANCE OF LODGES.

APPLICATION FOR A PRIMARY LODGE CHARTER

OF THE UNITED TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATION.

Date.....day of.....187..

To THE EXECUTIVE OF THE PROVINCIAL LODGE OF.....

We, the undersigned inhabitants of.....in the County of.....hereby request that a Lodge Charter be granted to us, and those who may join with us.

We promise to be governed by the laws and usages of the Order, and enclose (or bind ourselves to pay) the Charter Fee, \$6.

Name. \_\_\_\_\_

For Juvenile Charter, use the above form, changing "inhabitants" into YOUTHS, "Primary" into JUVENILE, and \$6 into \$2.

FORM OF CERTIFICATE OF RECOMMENDATION FOR PROVINCIAL DEPUTY. SEE PRIMARY LODGE CONSTITUTION, ART. 8.

To the President of the Provincial Lodge of.....

This is to certify that.....has been duly elected to the office of Provincial Deputy for.....Lodge, No.....; and we beg leave to recommend him as a fit and proper person to be commissioned to hold that important position.

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In witness whereof, we cause this to be signed by our President and Secretary,

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Pres't. \_\_\_\_\_ Sec'y. \_\_\_\_\_

CHARGE.

To \_\_\_\_\_ Lodge, No. ...., U. T. A.

I hereby charge \_\_\_\_\_, a member of this Lodge, with having violated Art. .... of our Constitution [or No. .... of our By-Laws, or the Principles of the Order], and I ask that a committee of investigation may be appointed.

Member of Lodge No. ....

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18: \_\_\_\_\_

SUMMONS. SEE P. L. CON. SEC. 3, 4, ART. 16.

To \_\_\_\_\_, a member of \_\_\_\_\_ Lodge, No. ...., United Temperance Association.

You are hereby notified to appear before the undersigned Committee, at [or in] \_\_\_\_\_, on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 18: \_\_\_\_\_, at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ m., and answer to the charge annexed to this summons. In case you fail to appear, you will be reported to the Lodge as guilty of contempt, and will incur expulsion therefrom, unless a satisfactory excuse is rendered.

Dated this ... day of ..... } Committee.  
of ..... 18: .....

[NOTE.—This summons should be served personally on the accused at least one week before trial, or left at the Post Office, or at his last place of residence, at least ten days previous to the day of hearing. The accuser should also be notified of the time and place of meeting, that he may produce his evidence to sustain the charge.]

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member of the Order] to meet the undersigned Committee at [or in] ..... on the ..... day of ..... 18...., at .... o'clock ..... m., to testify what you know concerning a charge against ....., a member of ..... Lodge, No. ...., United Temperance Association.

Dated this....day ..... } Committee.  
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**CREDENTIAL OF A REPRESENTATIVE.**

To the Provincial or District Lodge of .....  
 This is to certify that ..... has been duly elected to represent ..... Lodge, No. ...., in the ..... Lodge of ....., until..... next, unless meantime disqualified.

[Date.] ..... Pres't.  
 ..... Sec'y.

**FINANCIER'S RECEIPT.**

.....Lodge, No. ...., United Temperance Association.  
 This certifies that ..... has paid all dues and charges against ..... up to ..... Financier.  
 Dated this ..... day of ....., 18....

**NOTICES OF ARREARS.**

.....Lodge, No. ...., United Temperance Association.  
 Date ..... 187..

Your account for dues to this Lodge up to ....., 18 ...., amounts to the sum of \$...., and it becomes my duty to notify you thereof and request payment.  
 ..... Financier.

Section 13 of Article 16 reads thus: "Any member six months in arrears shall be notified of the same by the Financier of the Lodge, and if such arrears are not cancelled as the Lodge may direct, the member may be expelled by a vote of the Lodge at any regular meeting."

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TREASURER'S RECEIPT.

Received from ..... Financier of ..... Lodge, United Temperance Association, the sum of ..... dollars ..... cents, being the "receipts of the meeting" held ..... 18..... Treasurer.

ORDER ON TREASURER.

No ..... Lodge, No. ...., United Temperance Association. ...., 18....., Treasurer: Pay to ....., or order, the sum of ..... dollars and ..... cents, for ....., as voted by the Lodge. Pres't. Sec'y.

PROPOSITION FOR MEMBERSHIP.

Members of ..... Lodge, No. .... United Temperance Association. I recommend, as worthy to become a member of this Lodge, M. ...., residing at..... Signed, ..... Member of Lodge No. ....

GENERAL FORM OF BOND.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS. That we ..... and ....., of ....., County of ....., are held and firmly bound unto ....., Pres't., of ..... Lodge, No. ...., located in ....., and ....., P. Pres't. of the same Lodge, in trust for said Lodge, in the sum of ..... dollars, good and lawful money of ....., to be paid to the said ..... and ....., or their successors in office, in trust as aforesaid; to which payment, well and truly to be made, we do bind ourselves, heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our Seals, and dated this ..... day of ....., A. D., 18....

THE CONDITION OF THIS OBLIGATION IS: Whereas the said

..... has been duly elected ..... of the said Lodge for the ..... commencing on the ..... day of ..... A. D., 18 ....; now if the said ..... shall well and faithfully perform the duties of said office, and in all respects as provided by the Constitution of the Order, then this obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Witness our hands and seals the day and year aforesaid.

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Signed, sealed and delivered  
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NOTICE OF APPEAL.

Dated....., 18..

To the Secretary of ..... Lodge, No. ...., United Temperance Association.

2.

Sir,—I hereby give notice that I shall appeal to the ..... Lodge against the decision given by your Lodge, on the ..... day of ..... 18...., relative to the (charge or complaint) brought before the Lodge (against me or by me).

(Signed), .....

[NOTE.—An appeal from the decision of the President must be first appealed to the Lodge. If the appellant be present when the adverse decision is given, a verbal notice given then and there is sufficient.

APPEAL.

Dated at....., on the ..... 18....

To the Secretary of ..... Lodge

3.

Sir,—According to notice which I have given, I now appeal to the ..... Lodge against the decision given by the ..... Lodge, No. ...., on the ..... day of ..... regarding the (charge or complaint, against me or by me). A copy of the charge, and of the decision I appeal against, and a statement of the grounds of appeal, are hereunto annexed; and I respectfully petition your Lodge to deal with the matter as to them will appear just.

(Signed), .....

# ODES AND MELODIES.

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7's. — *Harts.*

WELCOME, brethren, welcome here,  
Cheerful are our hearts to-day;  
Tell us—we would gladly hear,  
How our cause speeds on its way.

Here we pledge ourselves anew,  
Not to touch the drunkard's drink.  
Proving faithful, proving true,  
We will from no duty shrink.

2.

C. M.

THE temp'rance light is breaking,  
The darkness flies away;  
The slaves of drink are waking  
To see a brighter day.

From every hill and valley,  
Throughout the world's domain,  
The temp'rance forces rally  
To break the drunkard's chain.

The temp'rance tramp is sounding,  
Its echoes roll along;  
By hundreds and by thousands  
The people join the song.

3.

*Portsmouth—Majesty.*—148 Metre, or 6.6.6.6.8.8.

PLEGGED in a noble cause,  
We here each other greet,  
And, bound by Temp'rance Laws,  
As friends and brethren meet;  
To make a full, determined stand  
Against the foe that rules the land.

Then let us onward press,  
 Our cause is good and great,  
 Cheered by our past success,  
 We'll make the foe retreat ;  
 Nor for a moment quarter give—  
 Resolved for truth to work and live.

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4.

D. C. M.

COME join the Temp'rance joyous song,  
 As round the world it flies,  
 Its notes are sung by many a tongue,  
 The concert never dies.  
 Far o'er the ocean's billows wide  
 The hopeful theme shall ring,  
 Its cheerful songs ten thousand tongues  
 In glorious accents sing.

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Soon may intemp'rance cease to reign,  
 And quit for aye his throne,  
 His galling chain be broke in twain,  
 And all his power be gone ;  
 Then temp'rance, peace, and righteousness  
 Shall reign o'er earth supreme ;  
 Our flag, unfurl'd through all the world,  
 Shall wave in peace serene.

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*Spanish Chant.*—8.7.4.

WELCOME, welcome to our Order,  
 We shall need your help and care,  
 In the harvest fields of temp'rance  
 You shall have a rightful share.  
 Welcome, welcome—  
 Heaven bless you is our prayer.

6.

*Austria—Werburch.*—8.7.

WELCOME, brethren, to our meeting,  
 Welcome to our songs of cheer,  
 Welcome to our friendly greeting,  
 Welcome all to join us here.  
 Help us to lift up our standard,  
 Help us with your earnest zeal,

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Help us to reclaim the drunkard,  
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7. *Benediction.*—8.7.4.

WELCOME, ye whose hearts are beating  
High with hope and love and zeal;  
Here with kindred spirits meeting,  
All the joys of union feel.  
Welcome, welcome—  
Welcome to our happy band.

8. *Rousseau's Dream—Wells.*—6 lines 7's.

GOD of mercy! be Thou near  
While these vows are spoken here;  
Shield each member, guard and guide  
When the lurking tempters hide:  
Man may strive, but Thou alone  
Must the final conquest crown.

9. *National Anthem.*

GOD of the Temperance cause,  
Bless those who seek Thy laws,  
Owning their power:  
Be thou to them a shield,  
Teach them Thy sword to wield  
Upon temptation's field,  
In sin's dark hour.

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And whosoever is deceived thereby | is | not | wise;  
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For he that loveth | wine shall | not be | rich.

Look not thou upon the wine | when it is | red, [aright;  
When it giveth its color in the cup, when it | moveth it | self  
At the last it biteth | like a | serpent,  
And | stingeth | like an | adder.

If sinners entice thee, **con** | sent thou | not,  
 Go not in the | way of | evil | men ;  
**Avoid** it, | pass not | by it,  
**Turn** | from it and | pass a | way.

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WINE is a mocker, **strong** | drink is | raging,  
 And no one led astray thereby | can be | come | wise :  
 Poor will be the man **that** | loveth | pleasure ;  
 For he that loveth **wine** and | oil shall | not be | rich.

Be not among those **who** | drink much | wine,  
**Among** | those that dis | honor their | body ;  
 For the drunkard and the glutton **shall** come to | poverty ;  
 And **sloth** shall | clothe a | man with | rags.

Give thy neighbor **no** de | spiteful | words,  
 And press not upon him **with** | urging | him to drink ;  
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Show not thy **valiant** | ness in | wine,  
 For **wine** | hath de | stroyed | many ; [rich,  
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8.7.—*Gotha.*

**COURAGE**, brother, do not stumble  
 Though thy path be dark as night ;  
 There's a star to guide the humble,  
 "Trust in God and do the right."

Let the road be rough and dreary,  
 And its end far out of sight ;  
 Foot it bravely strong or weary,  
 "Trust in God and do the right."

## 13.

*Auld Lang Syne—Evan.—C. M.*

**COME**, friends and brethren, all unite  
 In songs of hearty cheer ;

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15.



Our cause speeds onward in its might,  
 Away with doubt and fear.  
 We give the pledge, we join the hand,  
 Resolved on victory ;  
 We are a bold, determined band,  
 And strike for liberty.

The cup of woe no more we take ;  
 That cup no more we give—  
 It makes the head, the bosom ache—  
 And cheers but to deceive.  
 We give the pledge, we join the hand,  
 Resolved on victory ;  
 We are a bold, determined band,  
 And strike for liberty.

14. *Encouragement—Bithynia.—8.7.4.*

ROUND the Temp'rance standard rally,  
 All the friends of human kind ;  
 Snatch the devotees of folly,  
 Wretched, perishing and blind.  
 Loudly tell them  
 How they comfort now may find.

Plant the Temp'rance standard firmly,  
 Round it live, and round it die ;  
 Young and old, defend it sternly,  
 Till we gain the victory,  
 And all nations  
 Hail the happy jubilee.

15. *Old Hundred—Melcombe.—L. M.*

NOW bound by honor's sacred laws,  
 Be faithful to our noble cause ;  
 Let truth preserve each member's fame,  
 Nor curses blast our honored name.

Stand firm in truth, while life shall last,  
 Nor let the blight fall on the way ;  
 Our hopes may treason never blast,  
 Our trust no Judas e'er betray.

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16. *Durham—Olivet.—7's.*  
 DARE to think, though others frown ;  
 Dare in words your thoughts express ;  
 Dare to rise, though oft cast down ;  
 Dare the wronged and scorned to bless.

Do what conscience says is right ;  
 Do what reason says is best ;  
 Do with all your mind and might ;  
 Do your duty and be blest.

21.

17. *Rousseau's Dream—Mariners.—8.7.4.*  
 HAIL we now our new-made member,  
 Linked with us in friendship's chain ;  
 Kind and faithful to each other,  
 Love will soothe our woes and pain ;  
 Thus progressing,  
 Blessings follow in our train.

18. *I Love Jesus.—8.7.*  
 HEAVENLY Father, give Thy blessing,  
 While we now this meeting end ;  
 On our minds each truth impressing,  
 That may to Thy glory tend.  
 Save from all intoxication,  
 From its fountain may we flee ;  
 When assailed by strong temptation,  
 Put our trust alone in Thee.

22.

19. *Victoria.—8.7.4.*  
 LORD, dismiss us with Thy blessing,  
 Spread sobriety around,  
 May we each, Thy grace possessing,  
 In the way of life be found,  
 And our efforts  
 With success by Thee be crown'd !

23.

20. *Warrington—Wareham.—L. M.*  
 LET Temperance and her sons rejoice,  
 And be their praises loud and long ;

Let every heart and every voice  
Conspire to raise a joyful song.

And let the anthem rise to God,  
Whose fav'ring mercies so abound ;  
And let His praises fly abroad,  
The spacious universe around.

21.                   *"Jerusalem the Golden."*—7.6.

THE "fields are white to harvest,"  
The days are speeding by ;  
Go forth again, ye workers,  
And work until you die.

The "night of death" approaches,  
And angels in the sky  
Repeat the chorus ever,  
"Go work until you die."

22.                   7's.

GRACIOUS God, to Thee belong,  
Songs of praises evermore ;  
Wilt Thou hear our grateful song,  
While Thy goodness we adore ?

Thou has kindly deigned to bless  
Every effort we have made ;  
Crowned our labors with success,  
And the course of evil stayed.

Ordered by Thy sovereign will,  
Guided by Thy mighty hand,  
May the cause of Temperance still  
Spread triumphant through the land,

23.                   *"Sweet Rest in Heaven."*

I LOVE the cause of Temp'rance,  
'Tis good and true, I know ;  
It gives a joy and blessing  
To many a heart of woe ;

It makes the home of sadness  
 A glad and bright abode ;  
 And the drunkard, once so fallen,  
 Is nearer brought to God.

Lead us onward, O Lord,  
 Lead us onward, O Lord,  
 Lead us onward, lead us onward,  
 Lead us onward, O Lord.

Strong drink, destructive ever,  
 Sweeps like a rising flood,  
 And downward beareth many  
 That once were wise and good ;  
 The poor man from his cottage,  
 The monarch from his throne,  
 And the young in life's fair morning,  
 Are carried swiftly down.

Lead, &c.

24.

L. M.

GREAT God, whose hands supplies the rills  
 And springs that burst from all the hills ;  
 At whose command the rock was riven,  
 And sendest rain on earth from heaven.

We bless Thee for the crystal draught  
 By sinless man in Eden quaffed ;  
 Type of that fount, whose streams above  
 Fill endless souls with life and love.

Help us to heed Thy word divine,  
 And look not on the crimson wine ;  
 To fear and dread the accursed thing,  
 As serpent's bite, or adder's sting.

25.

"Crystal Spring."

GIVE me a draught from the crystal spring,  
 When the burning sun is high ;  
 When the rocks and the woods their shadows fling,  
 Where the pearls and the pebbles lie.

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Give me a draught from the crystal spring,  
 When the cooling breezes blow;  
 When the leaves of the trees are withering,  
 From the frost and the fleecy snow.

Give me a draught from the crystal spring,  
 When the wintry winds are gone;  
 When the flow'rs are in bloom, and the echoes ring  
 From the woods or the verdant lawn.

Give me a draught from the crystal spring,  
 When the rip'ning fruits appear;  
 When the reapers the song of harvest sing,  
 And plenty has crowned the year.

26. *Scots "Wha Hae."*—7.7.7.5.

WHO would be a moral knave?  
 Who would be a sot and slave?  
 Who would fill a drunkard's grave?  
 Never let it be.

Who will take the noble plan?  
 Who will prove himself a man?  
 Brother! if you will you can!  
 Will it, and be free.

Let no coward fears affright,  
 God is on the side of right,  
 He will aid you by His might,  
 If you will be free.

Daily, then, thy spirit cheer,  
 Trust in God and persevere,  
 He shall make thy pathway clear;  
 Thou the prize shall see.

27.

L. M.

TRUE life shall on and upward go:  
 Th' eternal step of Progress beats  
 To that great anthem, calm and slow,  
 Which God repeats—which God repeats.

Take heart, the Master builds again,  
 A charmed life old goodness hath ;  
 The tares may perish, but the grain  
 Is not for death—is not for death.

28.

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OUR banner is love ; with pity we move  
 To rescue each slave from drink's galling yoke ;  
 Our banner's unfurl'd, and throughout the whole world  
 We'll labor until his fell bondage is broke.

And onward we'll go, to conquer the foe,  
 The ruthless spoiler of man and his peace ;  
 We long to do more, and we'll not give o'er  
 Till the sorrows and woes of poor drunkards shall cease.

Our banner is love ; to God high above  
 All honor and glory we ever will give ;  
 His praises we'll sing, the omnipotent King,  
 As long as our jubilant voices shall live.

29.

*Sicilian Mariners.*—8.7.

I HEAR it singing, singing sweetly,  
 Softly in an undertone ;  
 Singing as if God had taught it,  
 "It is better farther on."

Night and day unceasing sings it—  
 Sings it while I sit alone ;  
 Sings it so the heart can hear it,  
 "It is better farther on."

Sits upon the grave and sings it—  
 Sings it when the heart would groan ;  
 Sings it when the shadows darken,  
 "It is better farther on."

30.

L. M.

LET us the brave world better make  
 Than 'twas the day it gave us birth,

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Its every yoke and fetter break,  
And spread God's light and truth on earth.

Oh ! when shall we behold the dawn  
Of the good time we've sought so long,  
The light of the unclouded morn,  
When faith shall bud in hope and song?

True friends, now lift your banners high,  
Gleaming with syllables of light ;  
Advance, and with loud voices sing,  
The right is victor over might.

31. "Jerusalem the Golden."—*St. Theodolph.*

STAND up, stand up for Temp'rance,  
Ye soldiers of our cause ;  
Lift high our royal banner,  
Nor let it suffer loss.  
From victory to victory  
Our army shall be led,  
Till every foe is vanquished,  
And all are free indeed.

Stand up, stand up for Temp'rance,  
Against unnumbered foes,  
Your courage rise with danger,  
And strength to strength oppose.  
Forth to this mighty conflict—  
Go in this glorious hour—  
Where duty calls, or danger,  
Be never wanting there.

32.

8.7's.  
BE in earnest ! be in earnest !  
Souls are perishing each hour !  
To the rescue ! to the rescue !  
Save from the destroyer's power.

See the cruel tempter's watching  
Daily, nightly for his prey !  
Setting snares for passing footsteps,  
Leading youthful ones astray.

Be in earnest ! be in earnest !  
 Hasten onward to the fight !  
 Battle with the hosts of darkness,  
 Trusting in Jehovah's might.

33.

C. M.

UP ! there's no chance for rest to-day :  
 Brothers of human kind,  
 In many a dark and sterile spot,  
 Are groping halt and blind.

And there are burdens to be borne,  
 And fetters to be broke ;  
 And trees of evil to hew down.  
 With many a toilsome stroke.

Then let us gird the harness on  
 To wrestle or to toil :  
 The *laborer* reaps the golden grain,  
 The *conqueror* wins the spoil.

34.

*Pleyel—Evans.—7's.*

DUTY—none should disobey,  
 When he hears the heavenly call,  
 Till he's done the work of day,  
 And life's evening shadows fall.

Live—to fight the noble fight  
 With the hosts of sin or woe,  
 And, with more than mortal might,  
 Guilt and error overthrow.

Work—to vindicate the right,  
 Truth and freedom to maintain ;  
 Battling with the powers of night,  
 Leading others to abstain.

35.

C. M.

OH ! might we see that happy day  
 When all shall live in peace ;  
 When drinking shall be done away,  
 And drunkenness shall cease.

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Such are the times we long to see,  
The times for which we strive :  
When every drunkard shall be free,  
And every man shall thrive.

36.

L. M.

HAIL, Temperance, hail, delightful ray,  
First dawning of a better day ;  
Shine forth resplendent as the sun,  
Till through the world thy course shall run !

Disperse the clouds of sensual night,  
Give every man his reason bright,  
Till all the sons of men are blest  
With sober minds and peaceful rest.

37.

L. M.

TRUE sympathy can raise our life,  
Can win the mind to higher things,  
Can keep in check the war and strife  
Which wordly contact daily brings.

With sympathy to help us on,  
What can we not overcome and bear ?  
What battles may be fought and won  
When other hearts our troubles share ?

38.

*Hall—Innocence.*—C. M.

WHEN kindred souls in concert meet,  
How pleasing 'tis to see  
The cheerful smile, the welcome greet,  
Of human sympathy !

Give me the face that never frowns,  
The heart that's big and free—  
Give me, instead of names and crowns,  
A soul with sympathy.

39.

C. M.

WHEREVER in the world I am,  
In whatso'er estate,

I have a fellowship with hearts  
To keep and cultivate ;  
A work of lowly love to do  
For Him on whom I wait.

Briars beset our every path,  
Which call for patient care ;  
There is a cross in every lot,  
A constant need for prayer ;  
But lowly hearts that lean on God  
Are happy everywhere.

In service which His love appoints  
There are no bonds for me,  
My secret heart is taught the truth  
That makes His children free ;  
A life of self-renouncing love  
Is one of liberty.

40.

*"Auld Lang Syne."*

WHATE'ER of darkness dims our eye,  
Or hangs upon our mind,  
Let's crush the pang and heave a sigh  
For all of human kind.

For all of human kind, my friend,  
For all of human kind,  
Let's breathe a prayer to work and bless  
The whole of human kind.

We cannot breathe a prayer in vain—  
Love never sows the wind—  
And every heart shall share the boon,  
That prays for human kind.

For, &c.

Why weep'st thou, brother ? tell me why  
Harsh thoughts oppress thy mind ?  
We all are brethren, let us then  
Be to each other kind.

For, &c.

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## 41. "Vesper Hymn."—8.7.8.7.7.

FROM the arts that would allure us,  
 From the toils that would ensnare,  
 Thou who slumb'rest not secure us  
 By Thy ever-watchful care ;  
 And if e'er from Thee we roam,  
 Fetch, O fetch the wand'ers home.

And at last, our perils ended,  
 Take us to that blessed fold  
 Where the flock Thou here hast tended  
 Shall in heaven Thy face behold,  
 And with songs of praise adore  
 Their Redeemer evermore.

## 42. 8.7.8.7.8.8.

FROM the world's deceitful pleasures,  
 From its soul-invading snares,  
 From the plotter's crafty measures,  
 From vain thoughts and trifling cares,  
 God of goodness, us deliver,  
 And Thy name be praised for ever.

## 43. 8's 7's.

LORD of life, whose words have taught us  
 How to serve Thee and obey ;  
 Lord of love, whose deeds have brought us  
 Wondering at Thy feet to pray ;  
 Fill our hearts with ample measure  
 Of the Christian graces three ;  
 Most of all with Thy dear treasure,  
 Never-failing charity—

Charity that ever bindeth  
 Mortal men with cords of love ;  
 Charity that still remindeth  
 Earthly souls of heaven above.

## 44. "Arabia."—8.6.8.6.8.8.

LOOK not upon the wine when it  
 Is red within the cup !

Stay not for pleasure when she fills  
 Her tempting beaker up !  
 Though clear its depths, and rich its glow,  
 A spell of madness lurks below.

Its rosy lights will turn to fire,  
 Its coolness change to thirst,  
 And by its mirth within the brain  
 A sleepless worm is nursed:  
 'Tis red and rich, but grief and woe  
 Are bred those rosy depths below.

45.

C. M.

DEAL gently with the erring one,  
 Ye know not of the power  
 With which the dark temptation came  
 In some unguarded hour.

Think kindly of the erring one,  
 Oh, do thou not forget,  
 However darkly stained by sin,  
 He is thy brother yet.

Heir of the self-same heritage,  
 Child of the self-same God,  
 He hath but stumbled in the track  
 Thou hast in weakness trod.

Oh ! kindly help the erring one,  
 Thou yet may'st lead him back,  
 With gracious words and tones of love,  
 From misery's thorny track.

46.

L. M.

HAVE patience, brothers ! every year  
 But hastens on our glorious plan,  
 And Time rewards each pioneer  
 Who clears a nobler path for man.

True brethren pass—their zeal on fire—  
 Unto the standard all unfurl'd ;  
 Both youthful son and hoary sire,  
 Resolve to bear it round the world.

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8.7.4.

HAIL, New Year ! with promise laden,  
 All thy bright brows yet unfurl'd ;  
 Smile on every Temperance Eden—  
 Dawn in beauty o'er our world !  
     May Intemp'rance  
 Soon from earth, O Lord, be hurl'd.

Blessed toil ! by Heaven requited—  
 Earth can yield no richer prize  
 Than to rescue souls benighted,  
 And lead onward to the skies.  
     To deliver  
 Men from bondage, Lord, arise !

While we well the blissful chorus  
 With the saints around Thy throne,  
 In the campaign march before us !  
 Make, O Lord, our cause thine own !  
     May it prosper !  
 And on earth Thy will be done.

48.

"Hanover."

SPEAK softly, speak softly,  
 There's gentleness due  
 To him that has strayed from  
 The paths of the true.  
 No hard word be spoken  
 Until *thou* hast known  
 How terrific the toils  
 That round him were thrown.

Then kindly, speak kindly,  
 And try to bring back  
 The weary one, wandering  
 In sin's thorny track ;  
 And oh, who can tell but  
 That weary one may  
 Come back to the pure and  
 The heavenly way.

49.

C. M.

A LITTLE, 'tis a little word,  
 But much may in it dwell,  
 Then let the warning truth be heard  
 And learn the lesson well.

A little drink seems safe at first,  
 Exerting little power,  
 But soon begets a raging thirst,  
 Which cries for more and more.

Just as the largest rivers run  
 From small and distant springs,  
 The greatest crimes which men have done  
 Have grown from little things.

50.

L. M.

IS it a man's divinest good  
 To make his soul a slave of food ;  
 Vile as the beast whose spirit dies  
 And has no hope above the skies ?

Are we not made for nobler things,  
 Made to ascend on angels' wings ?  
 Shall our best powers be thus debased,  
 And grieve our God to please our taste ?

Lord, elevate each sensual mind,  
 And let our joys be more refined ;  
 Raise us to dwell among the blest,  
 There to enjoy eternal rest !

51.

LORD, on us Thy grace bestow,  
 As we journey here below,  
 May we glorify Thy name,  
 While we all Thy truth proclaim.

Living waters now impart  
 Unto every thirsty heart ;  
 May we drink of them and live,  
 And to Thee all glory give.

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L. M.

DRUNKARDS are dying day by day,  
Thousands on thousands pass away,  
O, Christians, to their rescue fly,  
And seek to save them ere they die!

Wealth, labor, talents, freely given,  
That those now perishing may live;  
What hath your Saviour done for you?  
And what for them will ye not do?

And our good cause, O Lord, go forth  
And stir the south, awake the north;  
In every clime, from sun to sun,  
May men to Temp'rance be won!

53.

C. M.

WHAT numbers for the deadly glass,  
Sell soul—and body, too;  
Forgive them, Father, for alas!  
They know not what they do.

Assist us, Lord, these souls to win,  
The drunkard's soul to save;  
To crush the great besetting sin,  
And free the struggling slave.

Display Thine arm, Almighty Power,  
And strike the gracious blow!  
The captive free—his peace restore—  
“Loose him, and let him go.”

54.

6.6.5.

WATER, sparkling water,  
Earth's primeval daughter,  
Pure and clear and bright;  
Flowing, ever flowing,  
Health and joy bestowing,  
Emblem of delight.

Gleaming on the mountain,  
Sporting in the fountain,  
Glist'ning in the stream

Changing, changing ever,  
Resting, resting never,  
Like a poet's dream.

Joyfully we hail thee,  
Let who may assail thee,  
We will love thee still ;  
Thou wilt ne'er betray us,  
Never wound or slay us,  
Never do us ill.

55.

7.6.

WE come, but not for glory,  
Nor praise from lips of men,  
Our deeds shall tell the story  
Of lives reclaimed again.

We meet to place our Order  
In firm and strong array,  
That every land and border  
May own our blissful sway.

56.

*"The Might with the Right."*

MAY every year but draw more near  
The time when strife shall cease ;  
When truth and love all hearts shall move  
To live in joy and peace.  
Now sorrow reigns, and earth complains,  
For folly still her power maintains,  
But the day shall yet appear  
When the might with the right and the truth shall be,  
And come what there may to stand in the way,  
That day the world shall see.

Though interest pleads that noble deeds  
The world will not regard,  
To noble minds, when duty binds,  
No sacrifice is hard ;  
In vain, and long enduring wrong  
The weak may strive against the strong,  
But the day shall yet appear, &c.

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Let good men ne'er of truth despair,  
 Though humble efforts fail,  
 Oh give not o'er until once more  
 The righteous cause prevail ;  
 The brave and true may seem but few,  
 But hope has better things in view,  
 And the day shall yet appear, &c.

57.

7.7.7.6.

FRIENDS of freedom swell the song,  
 Young and old the strain prolong,  
 Make the Temp'rance army strong,  
 And on to victory.  
 Lift your banners, let them wave,  
 Onward, march; a world to save !  
 Who would fill a drunkard's grave,  
 And bear his infamy ?

God of mercy, hear us plead,  
 For Thy help we intercede ;  
 See how many bosoms bleed,  
 And heal them speedily.  
 Haste, O haste, the happy day,  
 When, beneath its gentle ray,  
 Temperance all the world shall sway,  
 And reign triumphantly.

58.

C. M.

GOOD night, good night, to every one ;  
 Be each heart freed from care ;  
 May every member seek his home,  
 And find contentment there.

May joy beam with to-morrow's light,  
 And every prospect shine,  
 And all the scenes of life be bright,  
 Without the use of wine.

59.

8.7.

LORD, go with us, grant Thy blessing  
 Let us now depart in peace ;

Lord, Thy favor now possessing,  
Let our faith and love increase.

May each meeting bring us nearer  
To our glorious rest above;  
And our hopes grow brighter, clearer,  
Till we reach our home above.

60.

*"National Anthem."*

NOW we must say, Good night;  
So ends our day's delight.  
Good night! good night!  
Sober hilarity,  
From sad reflections free,  
Sweet may our slumbers be.  
Good night! good night!

61.

L. M.

PRAISE God, from whom all blessings flow;  
Praise Him, all creatures here below;  
Praise Him above, ye heavenly host,  
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost!

62.

TUNE—"God Save the Queen."

Firm stands this building strong,  
Witness against the wrong  
Our land endures;  
How glorious are our times,  
How bright the light that shines,  
Cursing the crime of crimes  
That now allures.

Still struggle, brave and strong,  
Though be the conflict long  
Against this sin;  
Still let us all unite,  
And stand for meet and right,  
By faith in Heaven's might  
We soon shall win.

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TUNE—C. M.

This temple, Lord, our Temperance home,  
 We consecrate to Thee ;  
 Here may the light of Temperance shine,  
 Here may Thy presence be,

And while we bow before Thy throne,  
 Unveil Thy smiling face,  
 And water every hopeful heart  
 With dews of heavenly grace.

There may we gather precious souls  
 To Thy dear fold above,  
 And all who meet within these walls  
 Be Thine in heaven above.

64.

TUNE—"America."

God help our suffering race,  
 Strong drink's dark curse to chase  
 From off this earth,  
 Send blessings from above,  
 Truth, Mercy, Peace and Love ;  
 Oh ! let Thy Spirit move,  
 And Hope have birth.

Oh ! aid us by Thy might  
 To crush this withering blight,  
 And save our race,

To make this Order prove  
 A holy band of love,  
 And through the future move,  
 Give us Thy grace.

65.

TUNE—"Coronation."—C. M.

We'll neither buy, nor take, nor give  
 The drunkard's drink at all ;  
 We will not keep it where we live,  
 In cottage or in hall.

We will not make a single drop  
 Of Cider, Wine or Ale ;

But break the drinking customs up,  
Where'er our powers prevail.

66.

Cheerfully, cheerfully, onward we go,  
Pledged and determined to banish the foe,  
Spreading destruction and woe through the land,  
Cheerfully, cheerfully, strengthen our band.

Soon shall intemperance depart from our shore,  
Soon shall it vanish, returning no more ;  
Then let us labor the conquest to gain,  
Cheerfully, cheerfully, raise we the strain.

Thousands engaged in the conflict before,  
Earnestly striving our land to restore,  
Greet us with pleasure while passing along,—  
Cheerfully, cheerfully, swelling the song.  
Glorious victors, your shouts we shall hear,  
Echoes of triumphs, enchanting the ear ;  
Filling with comfort the desolate home,  
Cheerfully, cheerfully, onward we come.

67.

Thou art gone to the grave—but we will not deplore thee,  
Though sorrows and darkness encompass the tomb.  
The Saviour has passed through its portal before thee,  
And the lamp of His love is thy guide through the gloom.

Thou art gone to the grave—we no longer behold thee,  
Nor tread the rough path of the world by thy side,  
But the wide arms of Mercy are spread to enfold thee,  
And sinners may hope, since the Sinless has died.

Thou art gone to the grave—and, its mansion forsaking,  
Perchance thy weak spirit in fear lingered long ;  
But the mild rays of paradise beamed on thy waking,  
And the sound which thou heardst was the seraphim's song.

Thou art gone to the grave—but we will not deplore thee,  
Whose God was thy ransom, thy guardian and guide ;  
He gave thee ; He took thee ; and He will restore thee ;  
And death has no sting, for the Saviour has died.

68. AIR—"Sparkling and Bright."

Sparkling and bright in its liquid light,  
Is the water in our glasses ;  
'Twill give you health, 'twill give you wealth,  
Ye lads and rosy lasses !

O then resign your ruby wine, -  
Each faithful British templar ;  
There's nothing so good for the youthful blood,  
'Or sweet as the sparkling water.

[Commit to memory.]

69. AIR—"Auld Lang Syne."

Whatever station we may fill,  
In this exalted band ;  
Our plighted duties we shall still  
Achieve with heart and hand.

And evermore, through good and ill,  
By one another stand ;—  
Whatever station we may fill,  
In this exalted band.

70. TUNE—"Auld Lang Syne."

May solemn vows once rendered here,  
Be sacred in our hearts ;  
And may we all, with conscience clear,  
Perform our several parts.

What duty counsels to be done,  
Let resolution do ;  
And through our lives forever shun  
All save the good and true.

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## APPENDIX TO CONSTITUTION.

The following changes have been made in the Constitution up to August, 1879 :

1st. In Art. 15, Primary Lodge Constitution, and Gen. Rule 19, read : "provided not more than four members object" for "by a majority vote."

2nd. Sec. 4, Art. 18, Primary Lodge Constitution, is altered to read : "Primary Lodges may appoint a Committee from persons conforming to Section 3, to act in conjunction with the Committee on the Good of the Order to provide speakers and entertainment for public meetings."

3rd. The words "from henceforth," in the pledge in our Manual are struck out.

4th. Art. 4, Prov. Lodge Constitution, "all Lodge Deputies" substituted for "all commissioned Provincial Deputies."

5th. Art. 6, Sec 3, Primary Lodge Constitution, be altered to read : "Clergymen of all denominations may be received into membership in any Lodge after election, upon signing the pledge roll, not being subject to initiation fees or dues."

6th. Sec. 6, General Rules, substitute "two-thirds" for "majority."

7th. Sec. 13, General Rules, and Sec. 1, Art. 17, Primary Lodge Constitution, add "personally or" before "in writing."

8th. Art. 3, National Lodge Constitution, is amended by substituting "four representatives" for "one representative" and "1,000" for "2,000."

9th. Sec. 1, Art. 8, Provincial Lodge Constitution, add after "annually" the words "Provided also, that should any Provincial Deputy absent himself from his Lodge for one whole quarter, the office may be declared vacant by a two-thirds vote of the members present at a regular meeting, after one week's notice has been given, unless a satisfactory excuse for absence be given."

10th. Art. 5, National Lodge Constitution, is amended by substituting a *hyphen* for the comma between Secretary and Treasurer, and striking out Senior Councillor, Junior Councillor, and Sentinel. Sections 3 and 4, Art. 6, shall be combined as duties of the Secretary-Treasurer. The duties of Senior and Junior Councillors, as given in Sections 5 and 6, shall devolve upon the Executive. In Sec. 11, strike out "and Sentinel."

11th. No. 9, General Rules, is amended by changing Secretary in first line to Secretary-Treasurer, and adding "and two other members to be elected by the Lodge."

12th. Sec. 14, Art 16, Primary Lodge Constitution, add "or expelled" after "suspended."

☞ The changes indicated in the Sections 10 and 11 above, apply also to Provincial and District Lodges.

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