

30th. A meeting was called for the purpose of forming a Temp. Soc. The weather not being favorable and prejudices also prevented many from attending yet a small society was formed upon the principal of total abstinence and eleven subscribed the constitution. From this small beginning I am encouraged to hope by the blessing of God that great good will result and many snatched from that fiery stream which is bearing so great a number of them to a drunkards' grave.

Indorsed: "Returns to the Scotland Soc. for Feb. 1st 1834."

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*To the Sec. Jno. Tawse.*

DEAR SIR — Your very kind and obliging letter of June 18th 1833 came to hand in Oct. following and which I perused with deep interest. For you will please to accept of my hearty thanks. I rejoiced to hear from you personally and from the venerable Society of which you have the honor to be Sec. Altho' the broad ocean rolls between and a wide extent of country also intervenes, still it does afford matter of rejoicing and gratitude, that we may meet at the same throne of grace day by day and that it is the cause of one common Lord and Master which we are endeavoring to promote and if found faithful when our labors are done in his vineyard he will gather us to the enjoyment of the same glorious reward and everlasting rest — Be assured, Sir, that any communication from you or Soc. will be gratefully received, and so soon as these Indians become settled upon their new location of which I have made some mention below I shall endeavor to have them write you.