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The election of Officers then took place. (See Officers for 1882-3.)

Moved by Miss Bowes, seconded by Mrs. Keagey, and resolved, That owing to the great services rendered this Union ever since its formation by the retiring President, Mrs. Youmans, she be made a life member of the Executive Board.

Mrs. Youmans moved, That we extend to the Ministerial Association now assembled, greetings and our hearty co-operation with them in their work.

The Convention then adjourned.

TWO P. M.

Devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. Harrison.

The minutes of previous session were read and approved.

Reports from Local Unions were then called for :

Brantford, Exeter, Dundas Mrs. Keagey reported a good work done by distributing literature and through their Loan Library, Ottawa, Hamilton Young Woman's Union, Goderich, Sarnia, St. Catharines, Toronto, Milton, Chatham, Hamilton, St. Thomas, Wallaceburg, County of Carleton, County of Lincoln. Mrs. Bridgeman reported that there had been no Unions formed because Gospel Temperance Societies seemed to work better in the country : there are several of them all doing well. County of Bruce Mrs. Andrews reported they intend having Mrs. Youman's lecture through the County, and then try and form Unions. A Band of Hope and G. T. Club had been started in Kincardine. (See Reports of Unions.)

Mrs. Cowan then read a paper on "Prayer and Consecration."

Moved by Mrs. Youmans, seconded by Mrs. Rutherford, and Resolved, That we prepare a petition to the Ontario Legislature to separate the sale of liquors from anything else. The preparation of the petition to be left to the sub-Committee of the Executive Board.

Where shall we meet next year?

Moved by Mrs. Tilton, seconded by Miss Bowes, that we meet in Ottawa.

Moved by Mrs. VanAllen, seconded by Mrs. Lawrence, in amendment, that we meet in Chatham.

Moved in amendment to the amendment, That we meet in Hamilton.

The amendment was withdrawn in favor of Ottawa.

The original motion carried.

Moved by Mrs. Andrews, seconded by Mrs. VanAllen, That the Executive Board prepare a platform whereby G. T. Associations may be admitted to our Conventions.