

REPORT OF THE TEMPERANCE SOCIETY.

We are now entered on our third session, the Society having been formed on the 7th December, 1875. Adjourning last session on the 16th April, for the summer months, we commenced the present season on the 10th December last, and up to this time have held three meetings, which have proved very successful, and, we trust, entertaining and instructive, and we have now the pleasure to record 140 names as pledged members on the Society's roll, being an increase of 32 since the last report. Our entertainments have been exceedingly well catered for, and we take the opportunity of tendering our most hearty thanks to those who have so well contributed their efforts on our behalf, not a few being interested friends outside of our own Church and Denomination.

The meetings are held each alternate Monday, to which all are cordially welcomed, your presence inspiring us with confidence and hope, and your contributions when necessary, we are sure, will be as freely given.

Additional strength has been given to our cause, by a fact which we have very great pleasure in mentioning, viz., the substitution of unfermented for fermented wine, at the celebration of the Lord's Supper in this Church.

J. W. STEVENSON,

Secretary.

REPORT OF THE YOUNG MEN'S ASSOCIATION.

This Association has been maintained in a fair state of activity during the past year.

Eighteen new members have been received, and the same number has been deducted from the roll, eight having withdrawn, and ten being non-attendant.

The Association thus just holds its own without having gained in numbers.

The session lasted six months; closing for the summer on the 12th April, and re-opening October 22nd. During that time, there were held eight business meetings, three informal and three social meetings at members' houses.

Dr. Cornish and Prof. Fenwick kindly lectured before the Association.

Besides these, there were held two other public meetings of a more general character.

The expenses so far have been kept within the amount of funds in hand, and the Association has been able to make some small donations to the Sunday School Fund.

The Rev. Mr. Stevenson has, as heretofore, been unremitting in his attendance and efforts in behalf of the Association.

R. C. LYMAN,

Secretary.