

P. G. W. P. Hutchings, Chairman, read the following report of the committee on Juvenile Organizations, which, on motion was adopted:—

CANNING, Jan'y. 28th, 1875.

The Standing Committee on Juvenile Organizations respectfully report that they have received reports from the following Bands of Hope, viz:—

Rose Bud.....	Halifax
Brilliant.....	Freeport, Digby
Daisy.....	Port Medway
Golden Rule.....	Windsor
Coldstream Guards.....	Cow Bay, C. B
Mayflower.....	Joggin, Digby
Golden Age.....	Great Village
Union.....	Guysboro

From the reports your Committee find that 94 members have been added during the past quarter to the Bands of Hope that have reported. The Committee have very great pleasure in reporting another additional link to the chain in the organization of Crystal Wave Band of Hope instituted at Ellershouse, in Hants County, with 32 members, on Wednesday, the 13th January.

The Committee have no reports from the Order of Cadets, but they can report favorably upon the state of sections in active operation, it is to be hoped that the day is not far distant when in each of the larger towns of our province the temperance men will feel it to be their duty to institute sections of this valuable organization.

The Committee is pleased to know that the stock required for our Bands of Hope is being prepared as recommended by them some time ago.

It is with regret that the Committee have to report Athenæum Band of Hope as having suspended operations for the present, and this has occurred from the fact that suitable persons could not be obtained to carry forward the interests of this Band of Hope. Your Committee would express a desire that this Athenæum Band of Hope may soon be brought into active work again, for we have many in our order to-day that were members, and they are laboring with us in advancing the principles of our order.

Statement of Condition of Bands of Hope.

Names.	Boys admitted.	Girls	Boys in B.	Girls in B.	Total No's.	Cash in hand.
1. Brilliant.....	..	..	21	26	47	0.16½
2. Daisy.....	..	..	34	48	77	5.00
3. Golden Rule.....	..	..	69	76	145	44.06
4. Coldstream Guards..	19	20	76	49	125	.....
5. Mayflower (Joggin)..	..	2	28	23	46	4.87
6. Golden Age.....	..	..	45	51	96	1.50
7. Union.....	..	..	20	25	45	13.00
8. Rose Bud.....	20	28	169	193	354	440.00
	<u>39</u>	<u>55</u>	<u>457</u>	<u>486</u>	<u>935</u>	<u>\$508.59½</u>