

The Dorcas Society has kindly given us a grant of \$25, so the receipts amount to \$60. The children, who all pay half price, have paid up to date \$44.83, which, added to \$60, amounts to \$104.83. The expenditure up to August has been \$126.09, but it is hoped the sum still to be paid by the children will fill the deficit. The ladies engaged in the work of the School this season have been Mrs. Du Moulin, President. Miss Cooke acted as assistant up to Christmas, but since then the entire cutting out of the work has been undertaken by Mrs. W. T. Boyd and Miss M. Joseph. The teachers have been:—

Mrs. Winn.	Miss Green.	Miss Strathy.
“ Merrick.	“ Heward.	“ Manning.
Miss Baldwin.	“ Beattie.	“ Hawke.
“ A. Baldwin.	“ Maud Beatty.	“ Maud Parker.
“ Todd.	“ Vickers.	“ Florence Mills.

Several other ladies have kindly assisted by taking vacant classes when the regular teachers were absent or ill.

L. M. GREEN, *Secretary-Treasurer.*

Church of England Temperance Society.

In making the annual report of St. James' Cathedral Branch of the C. E. T. S., we have the pleasure to state as follows:

That in taking up the past season's work it was felt advisable to hold weekly meetings, the entertainments to be of a social character, and that the most earnest efforts should be made to bring in the many living in the parish who were addicted to strong drink; it is very encouraging to know that considerable success has been achieved in this direction, the work having been carried out as suggested, and the entertainments contributed to largely by the members.

During the winter 83 persons signed the total abstinence pledge, a number of whom are of the class specially desired, and it is hoped a permanent good has been effected in many.

Whilst the work has been in the direction of total abstinence, the dual basis of our society has not been lost sight of, and the co-operation of every friend of temperance is warmly invited.

Our warmest thanks are due to Rev. G. M. Wrong, Messrs. Hoyles, Caldecott, and Mr. Sutton, (with his Bible class) of St. Stephens, and others who kindly gave addresses, etc.

Too much praise cannot be given to those kind ladies and others for untiring efforts to make this good work successful.

Refreshments in the very cold weather were provided, the expenses of which were defrayed by Dr. Daniel Wilson, Mr. W. T. Boyd, and Miss E. Clarke.

There is still a large number of names on the roll of the Society, the result of the work of former years.

We heartily thank Almighty God for his abundant blessing, and

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