

ing prominent business men, city aldermen, members of parliament, &c., were busy. They tried to induce us to withdraw our opposition, failing which they used their influence to get signers to withdraw, and succeeded in getting 20 to do so.

The final result was that after a long and hard fight we were beaten by a majority of 5.

Thus the applicant got his license to sell body and soul-destroying spirits; and from the fact that a theatrical company has been holding nightly performances immediately opposite this place, we have no doubt the saloon-keeper reaped a rich harvest.

The expense incurred in this case is about \$50, and we would ask the members of our Association to do their part of the work by assisting to defray it.

On behalf of the Committee,

R. HENDERSON.

WALTER PAUL.

T. M. HENDERSON, *Sec'y.*

RECAPITULATION.

Seat rents	\$2,402.16
Ordinary Collections	1,352.65
Special do.	275.00
Do. do. Poor Fund	60.00
Collected by Congregational Missionary Association	1,151.35
Do. Children's do. do.	157.76
Do. Sabbath School and Bible Class.	139.01
Do. Mrs. McLeod, Misses Wightman and Goulder.	91.15
Do. for various purposes connected with Sab. School.	201.98
Do. Dorcas Society	63.00
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	<u>\$5,894.06</u>