

## Committee Reports.

**LOOKOUT.** The members of the committee for this term are as follows: Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Snider, Miss Raycroft, Miss McIlroy, Messrs. Baker, Wood, Potter, and K. Kappeler, Convener. The committee has only had one meeting, consequently has not done very much work, but the roll was examined and the names of the absentees distributed among the members, who will report at our next meeting. During the month seven new members have been enrolled on the active list and one re-admitted. We are encouraged to see that the attendance at the meetings has been much better lately and hope it will continue to improve. It is the idea of this committee that something should be done to impress upon the active members the solemnity of the pledge which they have taken and think if a good talk were given at the Endeavor service on the pledge, the result would be highly beneficial.—*K. Kappeler.*

**PRAYER MEETING.** Your committee in presenting the first report for the new year most heartily thank the members for their cheerful consent when requested to take meetings. The services have increased in interest because a larger number have decided to do the best possible, and comply with the pledge. We most kindly and earnestly urge every member to observe the pledge, that our meetings may be a still greater source of profit. The leaders for February are: 8th, Miss Bostedo; 15th, Miss E. Kappeler; 22nd, Mrs. Fisher, (Missionary); 29th, Mr. Calvert, (Consecration); March 1st, Mr. Baldwin.

—*M. Niehaus.*

**SOCIAL.** The social committee for this term is composed of the Misses A. Raycroft, Nichols, Murray, Stevens, James, B. Murray and Messrs. McIlroy and Gayfer. They have decided to hold regular meetings on the second Monday of each month at seven o'clock. Early in January they met with a committee of the Junior Endeavorers to assist them in arranging a concert, for which they afterwards helped them to prepare. Your committee have decided to hold a social on the third Thursday of this month, and extend to all a hearty invitation.—*B. Murray.*

**FLOWER.** Your committee has much pleasure in presenting the first monthly report for the year eighteen ninety-two. Flowers not being very plentiful this time of the year, we have not enough to send to all who are sick. A great many members of our congregation are ill just now. One to whom your committee has been very faithful in sending flowers has quietly passed away to the better land. Although a stranger to most of our congregation she was not a stranger to our Heavenly Father. We refer to Mrs. Laking. Our prayer is that God will comfort and bless the loved ones left behind. During the month we have distributed the flowers to Mesdames Laking, Rasen, Hunter, Atkinson, Able, Dunn and Nash. During the present term your committee will be composed of Misses Wright, Sarginson, Farmer and Harvey.—*C. Lavery.*

**MUSIC.** Your committee in presenting their first report wish to thank those who have assisted in the singing during the past month. As we realize this is an important part of our worship we, as Endeavorers have pledged ourselves "For Christ and the Church," to help in any way that lies in our power. We would suggest that a number of those of the society who could assist in the after-service on Sunday evening would come together in the centre of the church and

by impromptu singing make the meeting much brighter, and in this way help our minister. Your committee for the next six months is composed of the following members: Mrs. VanWyck, Misses Harvey, Emma and Ada Smith, and Messrs. F. C. McIlroy and F. W. Gayfer.—*A. Bristow.*

**TEMPERANCE.** Your committee were well pleased with the Temperance service held on 18th of January. The members of the society responded well, the singing was appropriate, and every thing passed off nicely. We hope to have equally as good a service on April 11th. The committee for this term are: Messrs. A. E. Baker, J. Burgess, Mrs. Lounsbury and Miss Jarvis. In accordance with the notice given in December, we will begin this month with the recent "Decision of the Supreme Court of the United States," on "Personal Liberty vs. Civil Liberty." The decision is as follows: It is urged that, as liquors are used as a beverage, and the injury following them, if taken in excess, is voluntarily inflicted, and is confined to the party offending, their sale should be without restriction, the contention being that what a man shall drink equally with what he shall eat, is not properly a matter for legislation. There is in this position an assumption of fact which does not exist, that when liquors are taken in excess the injuries are confined to the party offending.—*To be continued.—G. F. Fisher.*

### MISSION. WALNUT STREET MISSION.

Sunday-school, Sunday, . . . . . 4 p. m.  
Public Service, " . . . . . 7 p. m.  
" " Tuesday, . . . . . 8 p. m.  
" " Thursday, . . . . . 8 p. m.  
" " Saturday, . . . . . 8 p. m.  
Reading Room open every afternoon.

#### RECEIPTS.

To Donation from a friend, . . . . .	\$10 00
" Treasurer Y. P. S. C. E. . . . .	7 83
" W. C. T. U. . . . .	3 00
" Concert . . . . .	23 25
" Mrs. Gayfer's Class . . . . .	2 50
" Sunday Collections . . . . .	1 93
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#### EXPENDITURE.

By rent to January 4th, . . . . .	\$ 5 00
" Caretaker to January 1st, . . . . .	3 00
" 1 pair Spectacles for Wm. Cross, . . . . .	2 50
" 4 cold wood, post cards & lp glasses, . . . . .	2 93
" Balance on hand, . . . . .	35 08
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The attendance at our meetings during January has been good. We wish again to thank those who have contributed towards the work during the month. Both attendance and interest are increasing, and we hope by God's blessing to see results. Your committee would request that at least five minutes during each meeting of the Endeavor be devoted to special prayer, asking God's blessing on the work. We make this request most particularly at this time as we are starting out for another year's work. We desire every active member in our society to become interested, and take some part in the work. When we are sufficiently interested in any special work, not only to pray, but to pray at stated periods, for the success of any work, we are very likely to see results. We have resumed our Thursday night meetings, hoping by this addition to strengthen our efforts. The young ladies in Mrs. Gayfer's class kindly donated two dollars and fifty cents to purchase a pair of spectacles for Willie Cross, one of our mission boys, who was suffering from weak eyes. Dr. Osborne, who performed an operation