

Officers for next Six Months.

President, Mr. J. C. Harris; First Vice-President, Miss L. Murray; Second Vice-President, Mr. Calvert; Corresponding Secretary, Mr. James Hamilton; Recording Secretary, Miss Ella Kappelle; Assistant Recording Secretary, Miss Ada Griffith.

CONVENERS COMMITTEES: Lookout, Miss Kappelle; Prayer-meeting, Miss Niehaus; Social, Miss B. Murray; Flower, Miss C. Lavery; Music, Miss Bristow; Temperance, Mr. Fisher; Mission, Mrs. Fisher; Visiting, Miss Ripley; Publishing, Mr. A. Davis; Dorcas, Miss Jarvis; Sunday-school, Miss Henry; Junior Endeavor, Mr. T. Morris, jr.

Committee Reports.

LOOKOUT. For some time past the members of our committee, with others, have made the subject of our negligent active members one of earnest prayer, with the object in view that these members might again come and join us in our meetings. Within the last few weeks we have sent a letter to each of several such members, trusting that they may be the means of bringing at least some of them back again. Our society needs every active member to do some work for the Master, and feel sure that each one would be blest in their effort, which at the time might appear small and significant. We have much pleasure in welcoming into our society four new members, three of whom—Mrs. M. Harris, Messrs F. McIlroy and H. Trebilcock have joined as active, and Mr. A. Morrow as an associate member. The prayer-meetings have been very encouraging, both as regards interest and attendance, there having been an average attendance of seventy-one members, besides a number of strangers, each evening. At our consecration service, every member present, with but one or two exceptions, answered to his or her name in the roll call, and we feel that truly where the spirit of the Lord is there is liberty.—*Annie Henry.*

PRAYER MEETING. Your committee have pleasure in reporting for the month of November a willingness on the part of members to act as leaders, or to assist those who do. Our topics are full of food for thought, and have been the same as the Sunday-school lesson of the day before. We earnestly urge every member to give at each meeting one live thought on the topic under consideration, in addition to the Scripture verses that may be recited. We would suggest a plan that has helped us. In studying the Sunday-school lesson have the endeavor topic for the next night in mind, as we read of the sayings and doings of our courageous, forgiving and kingly Jesus, the verses will take a new meaning, something never noticed before. Take this "something," get it into a few definite words. It may not be remarkable, but it has life, which will glow in its author, and will be felt by us who hear. Each mind will give its own variety of form to the truth. Do you see dear endeavorers what good meetings we might have? Shall we have them? For next month nearly twenty have promised to be either leaders or assistants. December 14th, Mr. McIlroy; December 21st, Miss Farmer; December 28th, Miss Ecclestone; January 4th, Miss Lizzie Reid.—*M. Lounsbury.*

TEMPERANCE. The second Union meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. temperance committees was held November 6th, in Central Endeavor Hall, Walnut

Street. The meeting was profitable although not largely attended. Reports were given by those present, of the work being done in their respective societies. Rev. J. G. Shearer and the chairman were appointed a committee to prepare a temperance pledge which all the societies in the city will be asked to adopt. The meetings will be held quarterly in future. As your committee have been kindly granted the privilege of adding a short temperance article to their report each month, we will begin next month with the "Decision of the Supreme Court of the United States in the case of Henry Christianson of San Francisco," re Personal Liberty vs. Civil Liberty. The readers of the ENDEAVORER are requested to preserve each number so as to have the complete finding of the highest court of the United States.—*Geo. F. Fisher.*

MISSION. On November 5th we held our first anniversary. We served coffee, sandwiches and cake from seven until eight o'clock. After supper we had a good programme, consisting of songs and solos, several of which were rendered by Mission children. We also had an appropriate address by the president of our society, who was chairman of the evening. Everything passed off pleasantly and all were satisfied with the evenings entertainment. Your committee would thank all those who in any way helped to make this, our first Missionary anniversary a success. No doubt all who are indebted in the Gracie children will be pleased to know that Mr. Harris has succeeded in getting three of them into the Boys Home, two in the Home on Stinson Street and one in the Orphans Home, where they will be kindly cared for during the coming winter. We have had night school four evenings in the week, two nights for boys, and two for girls. We have also held Saturday evening service this month in place of Thursday evening. Our religious meetings have been well attended during the past month. We have also had very good order. Last Sunday we had over forty-five scholars in our Sunday-school with only four teachers. We need more help. Who will say "Here am I Lord, send me." The work is great and the laborers are few.

Now the sowing and the weeping,
Working hard and waiting long;
Afterward the golden reaping
Harvest home and grateful song.

Now the training hard and lowly,
Weary feet and aching brow;
Afterward the service holy,
And the Masters "enter thou."

Oh for more of the Holy spirits power, that My He may be a felt presence in our midst, and that many souls may be won for Christ. We have visited twelve families and distributed nearly two hundred tracts last month. Sunday, 13th, Mr. J. Hamilton has charge of the meeting, with Mr. A. Davis, band leader; 20th, Mr. W. A. Edwards, speaker, Mr. Geo. Fisher, band leader; 27th, Mr. R. L. Whyte, speaker, Mr. J. C. Harris, band leader.—*Mrs. Fisher.*

VISITING. Your committee in presenting their report for the month of November, feel very much encouraged in their work. The universal kindness with which they are received during their visits, make them feel they are not altogether unwelcome. During the month ten families have been visited, although it seems a simple thing to inquire as to the welfare of our neighbor, we know that a cup of cold water given in His name is accepted, and we pray this work may be done on the principle of our motto "For Christ and the Church.—*Mrs. R. W. Biggar.*"