

instrumental in the enforcement of the Act. We recommend that our people in every county where the Scott Act has been adopted, use every honorable means to have the law enforced. To this end we recommend that our people be unceasing in their efforts to obtain the appointment of Police Magistrates in every county where such an appointment has not been made, to have appointed in every county commissioners and inspectors who are in sympathy with the enforcement of the Act, and organize "Law and Order Leagues" wherever possible, and we believe it is the duty of the Local Governments to spare no expense to discover and punish the perpetrators of the murderous outrages inflicted upon the officers of the law who, by administering the Act, have rendered themselves obnoxious to the men who defy that law.

WINE AND BEER AND THE SENATE.

We are unalterably opposed to the use of all intoxicating liquors, including wine and beer, and repudiate the principles, teachings and practices of the association known as the "Liberal Temperance Union," believing that the use of the milder intoxicating beverages leads to the perpetuation of the license system, the drinking habits of the people, and opens the way by which multitudes of our young men will be led into the path of the drunkard. We therefore strongly condemn the action of the Senate in attempting to mutilate the Scott Act by introducing the wine and beer clauses, which, if adopted, would have rendered the Act valueless; also in refusing to concur in the Bill of Amendments to the Scott Act sent up by the House of Commons, and by which the working of the Act would have been greatly facilitated. At the same time we cannot refrain from expressing our gratitude to those members of the Senate who have nobly fought our battles on the floor of the Senate chamber, and manfully resisted the infamous attempt to destroy the utility of the Act.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

We must not fail to recognize the noble work that the Women's Christian Temperance Unions of this Dominion are doing in arraying the Christian women of our country against the license and sale of strong drink and the drinking habits of the people. We are glad to know that they are growingly successful in educating and influencing society in favor of virtue and sobriety, in instructing the youth and pledging them to total abstinence, in laboring for the reformation of the inebriate, the liquor seller, the fallen, and the neglected masses of the people, and in endeavoring to obtain more advanced legislation for the suppression of the drink traffic, and we urge our ministers and people to co-operate with the Women's Christian Temperance Unions in their good work. We recommend that one day of the week of prayer be devoted to