

sitting for examination. In Primary work our county is not yet organized, but the townships are making a start, and we hope soon to have a County Primary Union. The Otonabee township, at the last meeting, elected a Primary Secretary for the purpose of organizing a Primary Association.

South Ontario.—W. PURVES—Organized 1865. During twenty-nine years we have had many discouragements, but of late years much success. We have only three townships and two towns, and two of these townships are small. We have of schools, 44; officers and teachers, 491; scholars, 3,837. Six hundred of these scholars are Church members, and 84 joined the Church during the year. We are a banner county, inasmuch as all the townships are organized. We hold a Convention every year, and these conventions have been, of late years, very successful. In Pickering township every school is reported except one. It is very difficult to get reports from schools, but I think it would be well if in all counties they would have permanent secretaries and treasurers, because an old secretary will get more reports from the schools than one who is just taking hold of the work. We are also sending out circulars so that each school will recognize the standing of the school in connection with the township, county and provincial work. We believe there is a great deal of ignorance in the schools on this question. They do not know what they are contributing to, nor where their money goes. We are going to enlighten them in South Ontario. I am authorized by the Executive Committee to promise the Provincial Association \$50 for next year. We also understand that there is a deficit on hand, and they authorize me to pledge \$15 to help pay off that deficit. (Hear, hear, and applause.)

West York.—MR. W. J. CONRON (Toronto Junction)—The County of York was first organized twenty-four years ago. In 1890 it was divided into East and West York. West York has had four annual meetings. These meetings have been well attended, with increasing interest, and with, I think, financial success. Townships of Vaughan, Etobicoke and York are organized for Normal work. Four schools report Normal classes. Sabbath School work is in a healthy, vigorous, progressive condition in the West Riding of York. There have been four entirely new Sabbath Schools organized during the year.

North York.—ROBT. NORMAN—I am here as President of the County Association, which comprises the whole of North York, and consists of five townships. The Association is doing grand work. We hold an Annual Convention about November. It is a great influence for good throughout the county. Sabbath School workers go to these Conventions for direction, and we frequently have our Secretary and others from the Provincial Association, who are a great help to us. We have four township organizations; North Gwillumbury and Georgina comprise one Association, each of the other townships has a separate organization. It is only lately some of these

have been organized. After a little working of North York. Some schools Association, do not devoted officers and workers as can be found and seventy-five schools York. There is still year, 97 scholars and consider the grand sum of \$300 for month think the work is member of the Executive North York will call Convention the summer

Toronto.—PRESIDENT—I do not see any delegates know. I interdenominational at least. I think in Toronto is very prominent every Tuesday night work that will be the financial standing \$1,100 or more. I very best in this grand and "look up and look to do with all our hands

Centre Simcoe.—tion on the 10th and of the best we have it has given an impression was held, so that our us Normal lessons from the schools. These show an increasing interest in Sabbath think if we can promptly furnish the to these Conventions getting better organized more for the Provincial

Wellington.—Re twenty-five years. organized and are Annual Convention