

**Church of England Temperance Society, St. James'
Cathedral Branch.**

At the close of the official year we beg to make the following report:—

Seven public meetings have been held, and eleven meetings of the committee.

The best thanks of the branch are due to the following gentlemen for their kindness in speaking at our public meetings, and we would hereby record our hearty thanks for their services, viz.:—Rev. P. McF. McLeod, Hon. G. W. Ross, Hon. S. H. Blake, Q.C., J. J. McLaren, Q.C., H. N. Hoyles, Esq., and Mr. Galbraith.

The total number who have joined our society from the commencement is 541, of this number 79 belong to the general section, and 462 to Total Abstinence section.

The Working Committee have made every effort in their power to promote the objects of the society, fully alive to the importance of the work, and trust with the united effort of the members under Him from whom all good things do come, that a bright future is before St. James' Cathedral Branch of the Church of England Temperance Society.

THE SEWING SCHOOL.

Mrs. Grasett and Mrs. DuMoulin, Patronesses.

Mrs. DuMoulin, President ; Manager, assisted by Miss Cook, and Miss Himsworth.

Teachers :

MRS. WINN,	MISS CHAPMAN,
MISS BALDWIN,	MISS G. CHAPMAN.
MISS BALDWIN,	MRS. SHANKLIN,
MISS THACKER,	MISS E. GREEN,
MISS L. THACKER,	MRS MERRICK,
MISS A. TODD,	MISS GILMORE,
MISS MILSOM,	MISS HOWITT,

L. M. GREEN, Sec.-Treasurer.

The School opened the last Saturday in October, and will close about the 21st of May, there has been a regular attendance of from 90 to 105 children, the numbers having varied very little from week