

Committee Reports.

LOOKOUT COMMITTEE. After having gone carefully over the record of attendance and responses for the month of March, which contained five meetings of Christian Endeavor. We said "it cannot be possible, that, with an average attendance of seventy-four only forty-one per cent. of the whole have taken part, we will go over these figures again." But the second result was the same as the first. So we present them with an earnest appeal, that the members of this society remember their PLEDGE, and take their promised part. Remember, it is the accumulation of drops that make the ocean, and just as surely the accumulation of testimony and scripture proof that make a grand meeting; and the lack of it, what you will all call a poor one. Let every one say "I will take some part," and success is insured. We recommend the names of six persons, desirous of becoming active members, be added to the list.

M. LOUNSBURY.

PRAYER MEETING COMMITTEE. Your committee have been pleased to notice that some of the active members, who have been in taking part in our meetings, during the past month have boldly testified for the Master. We sincerely hope that others will follow their example. The leaders for the next month are as follows:—Apr. 14th, Mr. Hannon; Apr. 21st, Mr. Fisher; Apr. 28th, Consecration Service, Mr. Morris Jr.; May 5th, Miss Kappelle.

J. E. LAVERY, *Convener.*

SOCIAL COMMITTEE. During the past month we have noticed an earnest endeavor on the members of the society, to become acquainted with the strangers and visitors that attend our meetings. We ask your help, do not leave it to the members of this committee, but let us all try to make our meetings as interesting as possible. On March 19th we held a Social in the school-room. there were not as many present as we had hoped to see, still we spent a very pleasant evening together, proceeds \$7.10.

Through the kindness of the committee having charge of the Gleaners, we are to have the Concert (which we all enjoyed so much on March 10th) repeated for our benefit, on Thursday evening, April 30th. The admission has been placed at the low price of ten cents. We hope to see a large turnout of the members of the society and their friends. It has also been decided to have a moon-light excursion in the month of June, and half of the proceeds to be given to the Ladies Aid Society, to help pay for the improvements to be made in the parsonage.

Respectfully submitted,

AVESA RAYCROFT, *Convener.*

FLOWER COMMITTEE. During the month of March, we have been enabled to distribute in all, about thirty bouquets. There has been a number of our Sunday school scholars ill. I think we sent to either six or seven on one Sunday evening. We hope that the three names still on the list among the children, will soon recover their usual health and strength. We have again to record the visit of the angel of death. Mr. D. Northey has been called away, and we are glad to know he was trusting in the Saviour, who, alone can help. Let us pray that God may comfort and strengthen his bereaved family. We would most heartily thank all those who assisted us in any way to make our Easter Services so bright

and pleasant. We found our friends very ready to do all they could, and we would take this opportunity to thank them for it.

At a meeting of the Flower Committee, held on March 17th, it was decided to ask the trustees to make the following improvements: first, that two walks be made in the grounds, so as to preserve the lawn, and make it more convenient for the public; Second, that Mr. Kilvington's kind offer to lay out and arrange flower beds for the lawn, be accepted; Third, that shade trees be procured and planted along Main Street, also evergreens around grave stones; Fourth, that water connection be provided, that a pipe be run into the cellar, and tapped in the ministers vestry, and a branch run through the wall, convenient for watering the lawn and flower beds. If this report is favorably considered, your committee recommend that the society offer to help all they can in paying for said improvements.

Respectfully submitted,

J. SARGINSON.

NOTE.—On motion, the above report was afterwards amended by striking out the first recommendation.

MUSIC COMMITTEE. The Music Committee wish to thank all who have helped them with their work during the past month. They would be glad to have a heartier response to their request for impromptu singing. Please do not depend on the choir for all the singing.

Respectfully submitted,

LIZZIE MURRAY.

TEMPERANCE COMMITTEE. The most serious question that came before your committee at its last session, was, "how can we secure those who drink?" We found it a difficult problem, but were agreed on one point, one which we will endeavor to carry out, and that is, "pray for them," and as these names are handed in from time to time, will make them special subjects of prayer. We will also ask the Lord to direct us in the further disposition of these cases. We aim at bringing these into the fold of Christ.

Your committee have decided to hold regular monthly meetings, on second Tuesday at 7.30 p. m. sharp. The Convener was authorized to represent the committee in conjunction with others in the renewal of licenses. Your committee recommend, that in case the discontinuance of the union services are decided upon, we arrange with our pastor, if possible, for a temperance prayer meeting on the second Wednesday of the third month in each quarter, and that the temperance topics be taken up in the society as they appear on the card.

GEO. F. FISHER, *Convener.*

MISSION COMMITTEE. We are pleased to note a decided improvement in the services during the past month, by way of order, and more earnestness on the part of those who attend. We find the work very great, and often the laborers very few. We would request more of those who express a desire to see Mission work prosper, come over and help us.

Early in the month the ladies of the Band of hope, gave a Social at the Mission, which consisted of a bountiful supply of refreshments, and a good program, consisting of Solos, Duets, and Readings. The ladies wish to thank (through this report) all those who so heartily responded to their request, by supplying provisions for the social. They also tender their