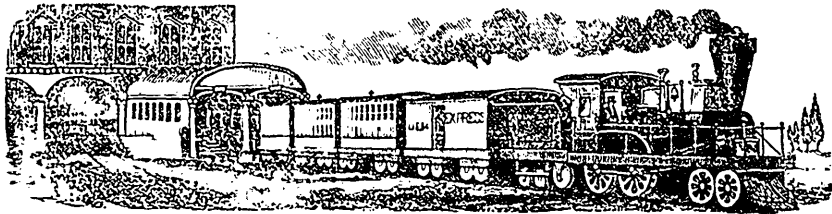


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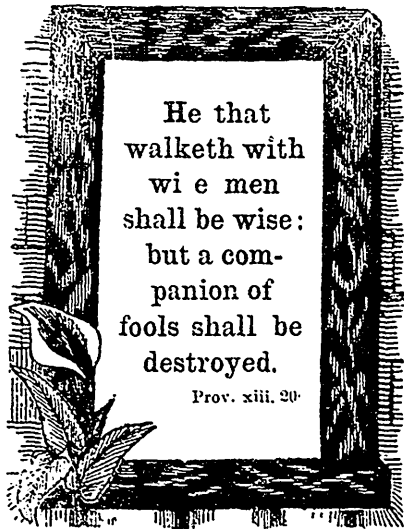
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He that  
walketh with  
wise men  
shall be wise:  
but a com-  
panion of  
fools shall be  
destroyed.

Prov. xiii. 20.

## RAILROAD MEMBERSHIP

**A**LL Railroad men who subscribe \$2 or upwards, per year, to the R. R. Branch may become members of the general Y. M. C. A., upon the following conditions. All men of good moral character may become associate members, and all members of evangelical churches may

become active members. Both classes of membership are entitled to every privilege the association affords, but the active members only can vote, or hold office. This season there will be a good course of lectures which will be free to members, also Classes in Phonography, Drawing, Book-keeping, and possibly Music, with others for which arrangements are being made. Every week also during the winter there will be a parlor entertainment to which the members may bring a friend.

The financial year commences this month, therefore this is the time to join.

## RESULTS.

**O**NE of the visitors to the parlor conference held last March at the residence of Sir William P. Howland, was Mr. Jas. Holden, Manager of the W. & P. P. & L. Ry. who became so deeply impressed with the importance and feasibility of the Railway Christian Work, that upon his return he called a meeting of the Railway men in his home, when he, with Mr. J. J. Gartshore and the writer, had the privilege of addressing them, on the subject.

The result was the formation of a R. R. Branch of Y. M. C. A., which has held