

Hamilton Orphan Asylum and Ladies' Benevolent Society, Wellington south—Misses M & J McFarlane, matrons.

Home of the Friendless, Caroline street south—Miss Matherson, matron

Children's Industrial School, 77 George street—Incorporated by Act of Parliament. Miss Annie Raynor, matron

Ladies' Benevolent Society, Roman Catholic—Mrs J Macadams, President, Mrs J Egan, Secretary; Miss Larkin, Treasurer.

NATIONAL AND BENEVOLENT INSTITUTIONS.

St George's Society—Thos Wavell, President; 1st Vice-President, B B Osler; Secretary, M Richardson

Sons of England—Britannia Lodge No 8. Bro J Clayton, President; W Hover, secretary

St Andrew's Society—Instituted December 29, 1835. David Thompson, President; John McMaster, 1st Vice-President; Wm Osborne, 2nd Vice-President; D McLellan, Treasurer, W F Findlay Secretary.

Caledonian Society—Chief, Major Glasgow; Treasurer, John Brodie

Irish Protestant Benevolent Society—Established in 1869—Officers, 1881, R J Duggan, President; Geo Ross, Secretary; H A Eager, Treasurer. Meets 2nd Tuesday of each month, April, July and October, 22 King street east.

Emerald Beneficial Association, Sarsfield Branch No 1, Ont—James Hennigan, president; G Nelligan, secretary. Stated meetings, first and third Tuesday of each month

St Vincent de Paul's Society—H Arland, president; John Ronan, vice-president; A Best, secretary; Frank Burdett, treasurer.

MILITARY

Hamilton Volunteer Field Battery—

Captain W. McMahon commanding; Lieuts, H P VanWagner, S G Treble; 2nd Lieut, G Marshall; Surgeon, James White, M D; V S, J Craig.

Thirteenth Battalion—Lt-Col Jas A Skinner, M P, commanding. Majors, Bt Lt-Col H E Irving, Bt Lt-Col J M Gibson, M P P, Adjutant Bt-Major Alex H Moore, Surgeon, Dr J Ryall, Asst Surgeon, Dr H S Griffin, Pay Master, Hon Major C Armstrong, Quarter-master Hon Major J J Mason; Captains Henry McLaren, P B Barnard, Robert Crockett, Jas Adam, John Stoneman, J J Stuart; Lieutenants, C S Scott, F J Gibson, R Bryson Osborne; 2nd Lieutenants, Duncan J Campbell, W G Reid.

TEMPERANCE SOCIETIES

Hamilton Temperance Reform Club—D B Chisholm, president; Walter Ballard, vice-president; T Aitchison, hon secretary. Meetings at the Forsters' Hall, every Saturday at 8 p m., and Sundays, at 4 p m.

Womens' Christian Temperance Union—Mrs D B Chisholm, president; Mrs Pratt, secretary; Miss Addie Crawford, treasurer.

Excelsior Lodge No 6--James Weller, L D. Meets Wednesday, cor King and Queen streets.

Rescue Temple No 222—J Brundle, L D. Meets every Monday evening, 22 King street east.

Burlington Lodge No 470—Mrs A M Cummer, L D. Meets Monday evg in the hall, 22 King east.

Reliance Lodge No 518—George Turner, T D. Meets Wednesday evg, in Reliance Hall.

Ambitious City Lodge No 586—R Stevens, L D. Meets Monday evening in Reliance Hall.

Morning Star Lodge No 464—Geo Robinson, L D. Meets Tuesday evg, in Reliance Hall.

ROYAL TEMPLARS OF TEMPERANCE.

Imperial Council No 5, S G Moore,