

On motion the Secretary was directed to acknowledge greetings, etc.

Mrs. Turnbull, on behalf of St. John Union, invited the Convention to meet in that place in September, 1887. The invitation was accepted with thanks.

Moved and carried that Mrs. Turnbull's resolution, respecting the Medical Board, be presented in the form of questions.

Resolution adopted with regard to petitioning the Provincial and Dominion Governments to take steps towards establishing a reformatory for juvenile offenders.

The President, having left the chair, presented a resolution, respectfully requesting the press to withhold details in criminal cases. Resolution adopted.

Moved and carried that printed copies of this resolution be sent to every editor in the Maritime Provinces, that Mr. Anslow, of "Hants Journal," be requested to print them, and that Mrs. Burwash and Mrs. Morris assist in their distribution.

The question-box being opened the following were presented: How can temperance literature be most wisely distributed? How can we best reach students in college? Information sought regarding Band of Hope work? How to obtain an associate membership? How shall we make our regular meetings profitable and interesting? How can we best interest the young in aid of our work? Can we consistently solicit and receive contributions for our work from those engaged in the liquor traffic? All these questions were intelligently and profitably discussed. The last was left to the conscience of each lady to decide for herself.

Miss Smith, of Windsor, read a letter of fraternal greeting from Independent Order Good Templars, also one from Mrs. McFarland, of St. John, who had been appointed delegate but had been unable to attend. Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Burwash were appointed to prepare papers to read at next Convention.

The following votes of thanks were passed: To Mrs. J. D. Chipman, Assistant Secretary, *pro tem.*; to the Windsor ladies for such very hospitable entertainment; to the editor of "Hants Journal"; to the railway companies for usual courtesies; and to the President, Secretary and Treasurer. Meeting adjourned.