

IV. That this convention, in view of the protection due to womanhood, irrespective of class, desires that the age of protection (consent) be raised to 18 at least, in place of 16 as it now exists.

V. That this convention deplores the opening of liquor saloons on the Sabbath day and the unnecessary railway and steamboat travel, also the opening of grocery, fruit and cigar stores and delivery of milk, and that we are in hearty sympathy with all organisations seeking to promote Sabbath observance.

VI. That this convention urge the necessity of procuring the appointment in each city of matrons for police stations and jails.

VII. That the hearty thanks of this convention are due to those members of our legislature who assisted in procuring the present law in regard to the selling of tobacco to minors, and also important amendments to the license law.

VIII. That the thanks of this convention be tendered the Provincial Government for grant to the W.C.T.U. refuge home; to friends for donations; to physicians for kind attentions; and the local press for courtesies extended to them.

IX. That we continue to endorse the *Woman's Journal* as the Dominion W.C.T.U. organ, and *Home Cheer* as our local temperance paper, and that we recommend the *Union Signal* as an invaluable assistance to our workers.

X. That we use every effort to secure an amendment to our school law by which scientific temperance instruction shall be made compulsive in our public schools.

XI. That we urge our ladies to discourage by their example the wholesale slaughter of song birds to be used in millinery.

XII. That as the Royal public hospital is not a provincial institution, and as similar hospitals exist in New Westminster and Vancouver, this convention take no action in the matter of providing beds in said hospital, but refer the subject to the local unions in these cities.

XIII. That all matter to be embodied in our printed report of this convention be condensed as much as possible without detracting from its usefulness as a book of reference, and that this and all reports of departments and of local unions be compiled and inserted in the report of corresponding secretary.

XIV. That the thanks of this convention be tendered to the C.P.N. Co. for reduced fares to delegates, also to trustees of Homer Street Methodist Church for free use of same; to Dr. Potts and others who so kindly assisted us in our evening meetings; to the ladies of Vancouver who have so hospitably entertained us; and the Vancouver press for the kindly notices of our work.

XV. That this convention urge the organisation of honorary members into auxiliaries wherever practicable in connection with the local unions.

X
Hygie
Domi
X
teache
ductio
X
not re
the loc
T
"Thru
down
leavin
adopt
bills t
the ec
Articl
II., B
V. of
VIII.,
O
Conve
from T
A
hands
B
ordere
at the
marke
arrived
roll w
Marsha
follows
Pr
Co
Re
Tr