

1st. Let every lover of Jesus purify himself by an individual or personal prohibition, or a tectotal banishment of the intoxicating cup.

2nd. Let every Church and Sabbath School have a living temperance wheel in the Church machinery.

3rd. As Churches, we should from the pulpit and in the pew, and at the polls, labor earnestly for legal prohibition of the drink traffic in our Dominion of Canada.

We would urge the Churches, every one, to use only the "*Fruit of the Vine*" at the Lord's table, in strict compliance with our Lord's example, and thus discard the intoxicating cup, which is an unfit emblem of, and an active agent for the destruction of Christ's Kingdom.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

D. ARCHIBALD, *Chairman*

Adopted.

On motion, the recommendation of the Committee on Education was adopted.

The Committee on Sabbath Schools submitted their Report:

The Committee on Sabbath Schools respectfully report—That as many of our Churches have not reported themselves to this body, and as many who have reported have no Schools, and as some who have reported their schools in a very low state, therefore we are obliged to conclude that we are very deficient in this branch of labor compared with what we ought to be. If ever there was a time when Sabbath School work was important, it is now. Our common schools, or even higher, do not teach the Bible, and in many cases, it is not taught in the family. Therefore, if not taught in the Sabbath Schools, many of our children will grow up ignorant of God's Word. Therefore we urge our ministers and Churches to take a greater interest in this Sabbath-School work, and, at least, every Spring call the attention of their Churches and congregations to this subject, and preach sermons in favor of this very important branch of Christian labor.

W. H. BECKWITH, *Chairman*.

Adopted.

The Committee on revising List of Ministers, submitted their Report, which was adopted.

The Committee on Obituaries reported as follows:

The Committee on Obituaries beg leave to report—That God in His great goodness has preserved our ministers from death, for which we offer our most hearty thanksgiving; and we also deeply sympathize with the Eastern Association, having lost by death one of their most noble and useful ministers.

(Signed)

W. H. BECKWITH, *Chairman*.