

### REPORT OF EPWORTH LEAGUE COMMITTEE.

Your Committee respectfully submit the following report of the Young People's Societies :

The District Schedules show 107 Societies, being an increase of 22 during the year, and an increase of 806 in the number of active members, and 236 in the number of associate members. There is an increase of \$272.87 in the amount raised for Missions, and of \$717.71 in the grand total.

We desire to call attention to the fact that a number of Societies have not taken collections for the General Epworth League Board, the Supernumerary, Educational, and Missionary Funds, and we urge upon all societies the importance of these funds.

We recommend that the General Epworth League Fund Collection be taken up in all the societies in the month of November.

W. I. CROFT, *Secretary.*

### SUPPLEMENTARY REPORT.

In view of the fact that a large number of the ministers of the N. S. Conference receive salaries altogether inadequate, and that the Sustentation Fund aims to supplement these salaries :

*Therefore Resolved*, That our Young People's Societies be urged to co-operate with the superintendent of each circuit and mission in the work of the Sustentation Fund, either by taking collections and subscriptions in the League for the fund, or by any other way that may seem to them and him most desirable.

We are gratified to learn of the intention of the Rev. A. C. Crews, the General League Secretary, to visit this Province during the month of September in this year, and in view of this fact, we recommend that in every District arrangements be made by the Chairman for Conventions of the Young People's Societies in the District, for the purpose of meeting Mr. Crews, and communicate with the Secretary of this Committee, the Rev. W. I. Croft, at an early date, the result of such arrangements, in order that he may direct the itinerary of the General Secretary.

W. I. CROFT, *Secretary.*

### SUNDAY SCHOOL REPORT.

Your Committee is pleased to report that it has been generally impressed with the progress of Sunday School work during the past year. Statistics show an increase of 100 scholars, but a very noticeable falling off in the average attendance. Knowing this to be, in some cases at least, the result

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