

THE DEPARTMENTS.

JUVENILE WORK.

12th. (a). *Recommended*, That one hour be allotted in general Convention for 1897 for conference on Juvenile Work.

(b). *Recommended*, That, where possible, Bands of Mercy be connected with children's societies.

(c). *Recommended*, That boys clubs be embodied in the Juvenile department, and that extensive organization be urged.

(d). Believing that habits of thrift and economy should be developed in childhood ;

Recommended, That, where possible, a savings bank be formed in connection with each Band of Hope.

SOLDIERS.

13th (a). Whereas, In the rules and regulations of the Royal Military College, Kingston, one clause reads, "That any cadet, with a parent's permission, may have a certain quantity of ale for dinner ; and as such a practice has most injurious effects upon the pupil ;

Recommended, That the Provincial Superintendent of Soldiers' Work be authorized to communicate with the proper authorities to have the use of liquor by cadets prohibited.

(b). Whereas, Officers and corps of the Militia receive our efforts on their behalf with kindness, but only a few Local Unions in the vicinity of a camp have as yet made such effort ; therefore,

Recommended, That wherever camps or battalions are located Local Unions assist the Provincial Superintendent by distributing literature.

FRANCHISE.

MUNICIPAL.

14th (a). *Recommended*, That Municipal Councils be asked to petition the government to permit married ladies who are property holders to vote on all municipal matters.

PROVINCIAL.

(b) *Recommended*, That this Union petition the Ontario Government to grant the Provincial franchise to widows and unmarried women, on the same conditions as it is now granted to men.

RAILROAD.

15th. Whereas, The G. T. R. has forbidden its employees to use intoxicating liquor, and yet at its stations there are found open bars, which are a constant source of temptation to the men ;

Recommended, That the Provincial Executive bring this matter to the notice of the Railroad Company, with a view to the abolishment of these bars.