

FOR GOD, AND HOME AND HUMANITY

—o—

REPORT AND DIRECTORY

OF THE

TORONTO DISTRICT

Woman's Christian

Temperance Union

FOR 1894-5

---

ORGANIZED 1886. - INCORPORATED 1888.

---

“ Union is Strength ”

---

TORONTO:

NORTH-ENDER PUBLISHING Co., 755-765 YONGE ST.

1895.

# CONTENTS

---

	PAGE
Honorary Members.....	3
Directory Toronto District W.C.T.U.....	4
Board of Directors.....	6
Advisory Board.....	6
Annual Meeting.....	6
Corresponding Secretary's Report.....	8
Treasurer's Report.....	12
Reports of Local Unions.....	15
DEPARTMENTS OF WORK—	
Evangelistic.....	32
Lumbermen.....	34 and 37
Soldiers.....	34
Sailors.....	34
Flower Mission.....	35
Parlor Meetings.....	36
School of Methods.....	37
Work Among Colored People.....	38
Golden League.....	38
Band of Hope.....	39
Franchise.....	39
Railroad.....	39
Scientific Temperance.....	40
Unfermented Wine.....	41
Press.....	41
Fire Halls.....	43
Woman's Journal.....	43
Work Among Young People.....	43
Sabbath Schools.....	44
Sabbath Observance.....	44
Kitchen Garden.....	45
Narcotics.....	45
Anti-Tobacco League.....	45
Donations to Building Fund.....	47
Constitution of Provincial W.C.T.U.....	48
Constitution and By-laws of Toronto District W.C.T.U.....	51
Local Constitution and By-Laws.....	53
W.C.T.U. Membership and Pledge.....	56
White Shield Pledge.....	56
Order of Business.....	57
Form of Bequest.....	57

J.  
Ge  
J.  
En  
J.  
W  
W  
J.  
Ch  
Ma  
Re  
Re  
Ja  
E.  
R.

PAGE

..... 3

..... 4

..... 6

..... 6

..... 6

..... 8

..... 12

..... 15

..... 32

34 and 37

..... 34

..... 34

..... 35

..... 36

..... 37

..... 38

..... 38

..... 39

..... 39

..... 39

..... 40

..... 41

..... 41

..... 43

..... 43

..... 43

..... 44

..... 44

..... 45

..... 45

..... 45

..... 47

..... 48

..... 51

..... 53

..... 56

..... 56

..... 57

..... 57

## HONORARY MEMBERS

### DISTRICT W.C.T.U.

---

J. B. Boustead, Adelaide St.  
 Geo. A. Cox, 439 Sherbourne St.  
 J. Coxhead, 78 McDonell Ave.  
 Emerson Coatsworth, M. P.  
 J. J. Crabbe.  
 Wm. Carlyle, 164 Queen St. West.  
 W. P. Doel, J. P.  
 J. W. L. Forster.  
 Charles Forfar, 74 Brunswick Ave.  
 Malcolm Gibbs, Toronto St.  
 Rev. W. Galbraith, D.D., 273 Queen's  
 St. Ave.  
 Rev. Jas. Henderson.  
 Jas. L. Hughes, Henry St.  
 E. H. Hilborn, 74 Brunswick Ave.  
 R. Kilgour.

H. T. Meredith, 186 McPherson Ave.  
 E. Morphy.  
 R. McDonell, Sunnyside.  
 R. U. McPherson.  
 W. D. McPherson.  
 W. H. Orr, 176 Bloor St. East.  
 Henry O'Hara, 219 Carlton St.  
 Peter Rutherford, 16 Sussex Ave.  
 Hon. G. W. Ross.  
 Daniel Rose, 50 Avenue Road.  
 F. S. Spence, 351 Ontario St.  
 G. B. Sweetnam.  
 Geo. Steele, 235 Huron St.  
 Joseph Tait, 29 North St.  
 C. A. Wilson, North Ender Office.  
 W. C. Wilkinson.

# DIRECTORY FOR Toronto District W. C. T. U.

## OFFICERS, 1895-96.

### HONORARY PRESIDENT :

Mrs. Youmans.....19 Metcalfe Street

### EX- PRESIDENTS :

Mrs. McDonell.....Sunnyside  
Mrs. D. V. Lucas.....Grimsby  
Mrs. Jas. Forster.....114 Maitland Street

### PRESIDENT :

Mrs. A. O. Rutherford.....16 Sussex Ave.

### VICE-PRESIDENT-AT-LARGE :

Mrs. W. Carlyle.....164 Queen St. West

### CORRESPONDING SECRETARY :

Mrs. (Dr.) Bascom.....189 Dunn Ave.

### RECORDING SECRETARY :

Mrs. H. T. Meredith.....186 McPherson Ave.

### TREASURER :

Mrs. Hugh McMath.....30 Lansdowne Ave.

### VICE-PRESIDENTS—EX-OFFICIO:

Mrs Cowan.....122 Huron St.  
Mrs. Fletcher.....142 Dundas St.  
Mrs. Stevens.....200 Cowan Ave.  
Mrs. Gregg.....14 Admiral Road  
Mrs. W. Carlyle.....164 Queen St. West  
Mrs. B. Brick.....308 Carlton St.  
Mrs. (Rev.) Aikenhead.....286 Westmoreland Ave.  
Mrs. Brownell.....33 St. Mary St.  
Mrs. (Dr.) Hodgkin.....Deer Park P.O.  
Mrs. Puddy.....85 McKenzie Ave.  
Mrs. Grant.....182 Brunswick Ave.  
Miss McConnell.....127 Bedford Road  
Miss Conboy.....Ossington Ave.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

<i>Evangelistic</i> .....	Mrs. D. Cowan, 122 Huron Street
<i>Social Purity</i> .....	Mrs. Dr. Gullen, 461 Spadina Avenue
<i>Sailors</i> .....	Mrs. Emory, 125 Baldwin Street
<i>Soldiers</i> .....	Mrs. Holmes, 41 Fenning Street
<i>Lumbermen</i> .....	Mrs. Lytle, 225½ Borden Street
<i>Railroad</i> .....	Mrs. Yates, 23 McGee Street
<i>Conference with Influential Bodies</i> .....	District Officers
<i>Franchise</i> .....	Mrs. Henderson, 77 St. Patrick Street
<i>Legislation and Petitions</i> .....	Mrs. Stevens, 200 Cowan Avenue
<i>Hygiene and Heredity</i>	
<i>Scientific Temperance Instruction</i> .....	Mrs. Moffatt, 327 Berkeley Street
<i>Unfermented Wine</i> .....	Mrs Walker, 10 Phœbe Street
<i>Fair</i> .....	{ Mrs. Carlyle, 164 Queen West Mrs. Hughes, 125 Givens Street Mrs Hilborn, 74 Brunswick Avenue
<i>Press</i> .....	{ Mrs. C. A. Wilson, 5 Lowther Avenue Miss Johnston, 33 Davenport Road
<i>Fire Halls</i> .....	Mrs. Bowbeer, 58 Northumberland Street
<i>Journal</i> .....	Mrs. Coxhead, 78 McDonnell Avenue
<i>Work Among Young People</i> .....	{ Mrs. Chamberlain, 615 Spadina Avenue Mrs. E. Starr
<i>Sabbath Observance</i> .....	{ Mrs. Foster, 114 Maitland Street Mrs. McClelland, 24 Lindsay Ave.
<i>Sabbath Schools</i> .....	Mrs. Lytle, 225½ Borden Street
<i>Flower Mission</i> .....	Miss Cook, 1218 Yonge Street
<i>Juvenile and Domestic Kitchen Garden</i> .....	Miss Faircloth, 59 Bleeker Street
<i>Narcotics</i> .....	Mrs. Mason, 237½ Yonge St.
<i>Parlor Meetings</i> .....	{ Mrs. D. Rose, 5c Avenue Road Mrs. W. H. Orr, 176 Bloor E
<i>Peace and Arbitration</i> .....	Mrs. McDonell, Sunnyside
<i>Band of Hope</i> .....	Mrs. Ward, 258 Bathurst St.
<i>School of Methods</i> .....	District President
<i>Purity in Literature, Art and Fashion</i>	
<i>Literature</i> .....	Mrs. Jacob Spence, 42 Park Road
<i>Work Among Indians</i> .....	Mrs. Vance, 143 Shuter Street
<i>Work Among Colored People</i> .....	Mrs. S. F. Spence, 351 Ontario Street

---

Meets First Monday in every month at Headquarters, 56 Elm St., 3 p.m., devotional meeting. Last Thursday of every month, 3 p.m. Executive meeting, same place.

## BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Central.....	Mrs. Moffat, 327 Berkeley Street
Western.....	Mrs. Lowrie, 13 Brookfield Street
Parkdale.....	Mrs. Redmond, 190 Cowan Avenue
Willard.....	Mrs. Pease, 50 Major St.
Bathurst.....	Mrs. Ward, 258 Bathurst St.
Gordon.....	Mrs. Vance, 143 Shuter Street
Dovercourt.....	Mrs. Dunham, 114 Hepburn Street
Northern.....	Mrs. D. Rose, 50 Avenue Road
Deer Park	
Youmans.....	Mrs. Relf, 61 Perth Avenue
Creighton.....	Mrs. Embury, 449 Manning Avenue
Central Y	

## ADVISORY BOARD.

J. J. MacLaren, Q.C., LL.D.,	H. MacMath,
W. H. Orr,	Wm. Carlyle,
G. B. Sweetman,	J. Coxhead,
R. McDonell,	E. H. Hillborn,
J. Forster,	Daniel Rose,

SOLICITOR—J.J. MacLaren, Q.C., LL.D.

## MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING.

The Ninth Annual Meeting of Toronto District W. C. T. U. was held Oct. 10th, 10 a. m., at Headquarters Building, 56 Elm St. President, Mrs. Rutherford in the chair. There was a large attendance of delegates and visitors.

Meeting opened with devotional exercises, led by Mrs. Brownell, and Mrs. (Rev.) Locke.

Recording Secretary, read Minutes of last Annual Meeting which, on motion, were adopted.

Reports from the following superintendents were given, Evangelistic, Sailors, Lumber-men, Scientific Temperance, Unfermented Wine and Fair Work.

The hour of prayer having arrived, Mrs. (Rev.) Aikenhead led in a short devotional service; after which, business was resumed.

A hearty "Vote of Thanks" was passed to Rev. Dr. Dewart for his kindness in supplying literature for the use of lumber-camps.

The following recommendation was also carried "That instead of holding one large social for Teachers of our Public Schools, a social be arranged for each ward."

Meeting adjourned for luncheon.

Afternoon Session assembled at 2 p. m. Eighty-six delegates

answered to their names, and the attendance of visitors was very large.

Devotional Exercises were led by Mrs. N. Burwash.

Minutes of Morning meeting read and adopted.

A very able address was delivered by the President on the different departments of the work which was much appreciated, and was ordered to be printed in Annual Report. A vote of thanks was given the President for her faithful services during the year.

A letter of greeting from Mrs. Youmans, Hon. Pres., was read and received with loving thanks.

Cor.-Secretary, Headquarters and District Treasurers read their Reports which were accepted:

Tellers having been appointed, the election of officers was proceeded with, with the following result:

President, Mrs. A. O. Rutherford.  
 Vice-President At Large, Mrs. Wm. Carlyle.  
 Corresponding-Secretary, Mrs. (Dr.) Bascom.  
 Recording-Secretary, Mrs. H. T. Meredith.  
 Treasurer, Mrs. H. MacMath.

The following Resolution was moved by Mrs. Forster, seconded, and carried.

Resolved, "That we as District W. C. T. U. re-affirm our determination of doing everything in our power to enforce the observance of the Lord's day. We deprecate the running of boats to the Island, the sale of cigars in druggists' and other stores, and everything that tends to lessen the sanctity of God's Holy Day. We are unalterable in our purpose of working against the running of street cars in our city on the Sabbath; and should the matter come up again we will do all in our power to prevent such a dire evil befalling our city.

Shorter hours for employees we hail with delight and as in the past, urge our women not to do unnecessary shopping on Saturday afternoon.

We recognize with pleasure the action of many employers who close their places of business on Saturdays during the months of July and August at 1 o'clock; and the 5 and 6 o'clock closing we consider a great boon especially on Saturdays; as a large number of employees are thus enabled to take rest or recreation, which will fit them for Sabbath worship and Sabbath duties.

We are in hearty sympathy with all associations which are seeking for the enforcement of the law against the desecration of the Sabbath and urge and ask the hearty support of our clergy in presenting to their people the importance of Sabbath observance."

Mrs. Harrison moved, "That we favor the early closing of saloons, and condemn the granting of a liquor license for the Island, by the Commissioners" Carried.

Mrs. McDonell moved. "That we use our influence to have a woman physician appointed for Mercer Reformatory."—Carried.

Miss Wills moved, "That we strongly condemn the wearing of birds as ornaments or trimming on any article of wearing apparel."—Carried.

Adjourned to meet at 7 p.m.

The evening session was devoted to reports from Superintendents and others.

Moved by Mrs. McDonell, seconded by Mrs. W. H. Orr and carried, "That we again federate with the Local Council of Women."

Delegates to the Dominion Convention were elected as follows: Mrs. Bascom, Mrs. H. T. Meredith and Mrs. Bowbeer.

Meeting closed with prayer.

S. B. MEREDITH.

*Recording-Secretary.*

### REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Toronto District comprises twelve local Unions with a membership of 333 as follows:

Central, 72 members.	Dovercourt, 12 members.
Western, 20 "	Dovercourt Y., 4 "
Parkdale, 34 "	Northern, 56 "
Willard, 29 "	Deer Park, 14 "
Bathurst, 11 "	Youmans, 13 "
Gordon, 32 "	Central Y., 36 "

Total membership, 333.

We regret very much that one Union (Eastern) by removal of some of its members to other parts of the city has been compelled to disband. Notwithstanding this loss, however, we are pleased to report an increase in our membership.

We have met as a District fortnightly at Headquarters, excepting during the month of August. First Monday in the month, for Devotional exercises and the last Thursday is devoted to business.

In the beginning of our year of work a very interesting social for the teachers of the city schools was held in Y. W. C. A. Hall, when the chair was taken by G. F. Marter, M. P. P. and addresses given by Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education, and others.

The members of the W. C. T. U. were pleased to meet in social intercourse those who have the moulding of the minds of the pre-

sent rising generation in their hands, and who necessarily exert such a powerful influence over the children: It was a matter of regret that through some misunderstanding the number was not larger, only about 150 being present.

Another pleasurable occasion was an afternoon talk given by Chancellor Sims who was visiting the city.

On Thursday, Feb. 21st, a School of Methods was held in the Y. W. C. A. Hall, morning and afternoon and a public meeting in the evening at Elm St. Church.

Dec. 29 the W. C. T. U. united with the Canadian Temperance League in the Sunday afternoon meeting at the Pavilion. The President filled the chair and Mrs. Aikenhead, Rev. Dr. Thomas, Rev. J. Turnbull gave earnest addresses. The singing was taken charge of by the Whyte Bros.

On March 12th a public meeting, called by the Mayor, at the request of the required number of rate-payers, was held in the Pavilion under the auspices of Toronto District W. C. T. U. for the purpose of discussing Ald. Lamb's bill to close the saloons of the city at 9 o'clock instead of 11 as at present. The evening the bill was presented to the council many of our members attended, and some spoke briefly urging the Early Closing movement. The bill did not pass in the Council, but we hope to see the contest renewed this year.

The Annual Tea for Headquarters took place on March 19th and was a success in every respect, a pleasant evening was spent in social intercourse and a very satisfactory addition to our funds was the financial result.

April 17 a Memorial Service was held for our dearly beloved Dominion President, Mrs. Williams, who died March 20. In this we were assisted by members of the Congregational church of which Mrs. Williams was a devoted, and useful member. As we heard one after another speak so lovingly of her who had gone from us and tell of her patient Christian endurance in sickness; her labors in health, we realized

"Beautiful lives are those that bless,  
Silent rivers of happiness  
Whose hidden fountains few may guess."

Looking backward over the year, the week that Mrs. Barney (World's Supt. of Jail Work) spent with us shines brighter, perhaps, than any other.

Those who attended the afternoon Bible readings were wonderfully strengthened in their spiritual life.

In May the W. C. T. U. took part in the sessions of the Woman's Council. Literature was distributed, and a Sectional gathering held

at Headquarters, when Mrs. (Dr.) Edwards of Ottawa addressed us on "Alcoholism—a Disease" and Mrs. Scott of St. John N. B., also spoke.

The most successful public meeting of the year was that of June 13 when the Toronto Methodist Conference granted the W. C. T. U. an evening session, for the purpose of placing this department of temperance work before the Conference. By the efforts, energy and faith of one of our members of Willard Union, Elm St. Church was crowded and the evening was a grand success, Rev. M. Pearson took the chair. Dr. Eby and Rev. Chown gave eloquent, earnest addresses; Whyte Bros. and Mr. Tandy delighted the audience with their inspiring sacred songs. Our President gave an address on our work and the Cor. Sec. conveyed greetings to the Conference. It was a grand meeting not only in the financial results but in practical work done.

One of the questions sent to Local Unions is: What special work has your Union accomplished? If the same question were put to the District we might answer "Fair work is *our* specialty." Full reports will be found in Fair Committee's Reports.

During the year the President has not spared herself in speaking whenever invited to do so and she has been loyally sustained by her officers and members who have all been willing to contribute their mite to the blessed work. We feel it has been a year of progress, spiritually and financially.

The Cor. Secretary has written 184 letters, 318 postal cards, 262 notices for different meetings, 216 Annual Reports were sent by post, and many distributed to the Unions and on the Exhibition Grounds.

A. M. BASCOM.  
*Corresponding-Secretary.*

---

TABULATED REPORT

UNIONS	No. of Members	No. of Hon. members	Bands of Hope	No. of members of B. of H.	Total Amount Received	Total Amount Sent to Provincial W.C.T.U.	No. of Public meetings held	No. of members Voting	No. of Copies of Woman's Journal taken	No. of Reports (Prov'l) Taken	No. of Pages Literature Distributed	PETITIONS	SPECIAL WORK
Central..	72	....	1	40	\$125 23	\$18 00	6	13	12	15	10,000	Dominion Franchise	Introduced W.C.T.U. into prayer and church meetings
Western.	20	4	2	300	110 96	5 00	2	3	2	....	11,340	Early Closing	Introduced Literature to Stanley Barracks
Parkdale	34	2	..	....	176 57	8 50	3	3	16	1	Papers etc.	Inspector for Shops	Mothers met's, Blanket Club, Reading room
Willard	29	3	..	....	43 39	7 25	....	....	7	2	1155	Assisted poor family, addresses in 3 chs.	Charitable work
Bathurst.	11	....	....	....	68 22	3 30	4	....	....	....	4700	....	....
Gordon	32	8	..	....	27 82	8 00	1	....	3	6	....	....	Relief work (Reading room, weekly Gospel & mother's meetings)
Dovercourt	12	....	1	84	118 68	3 00	1	4	....	....	8,000	Prison Reform	....
Northern	56	....	..	....	70 85	14 00	1	12	11	20	1,000	Prison Reform	....
Deer Park	14	....	..	....	13 39	4 50	2	....	2	....	quantity	....	....
Youmans	13	2	..	....	9 52	3 90	....	....	....	....	....	....	Mother's meetings
Central Y	36	5	1	120	221 43	10 80	2	....	10	15	2448	....	Golden League, etc
Dovercourt Y	4	....	....	....	....	1 00	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
	333	24	5	544	\$986 06	\$87 25	22	35	63	59	38,643		

## TORONTO DISTRICT W.C.T.U. TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

## RECEIPTS.

From Nov. 1894 to Nov. 1895.

To cash balance from last year.....		\$32 47
To Affiliation Fees —		
Central Union .....	\$21 60	
Northern “ .....	16 80	
Central “Y” “ .....	10 80	
Western “ .....	6 00	
Parkdale “ .....	10 20	
Gordon “ .....	9 60	
Willard “ .....	8 70	
Deer Park “ .....	4 20	
Youmans “ .....	3 90	
Dovercourt “ .....	3 60	
“ ‘Y’ “ .....	1 20	
Bathurst “ .....	3 30	99 90
To Space in District Report—		
Central Union.....	1 80	
Northern “ .....	1 13	
Central ‘Y’ “ .....	2 25	
Western “ .....	1 13	
Parkdale “ .....	1 57	
Gordon “ .....	70	
Willard “ .....	1 35	
Deer Park “ .....	1 13	
Dovercourt “ .....	90	
Youmans “ .....	90	
Woman's Journal, Advertisement.....	90	13 76
Willard, for Lumberman's work .....	2 90	
Collection, for World and Dominion missions.....	4 25	7 15
Mrs. Barney's meetings—		
Collections.....	103 39	
Subscriptions, private .....	28 26	
Subscriptions, by Unions.....	17 50	149 15
School of methods, luncheon and collection.....		15 00
Canadian Temperance League.....		20 00
Collections.....	33 50	
Balance from Excursion to Grimsby.....	1 25	
Sale of Literature.....	2 10	
Donation—Mrs. C. A. Wilson.....	1 56	38 41
Donation, for luncheon National Council of Women.....	4 00	
Balance from Fair Work.....	30 00	34 00
Honorary members' Fees.....		38 00
Total.....		<u>\$447 84</u>
		\$447 84

## DISBURSEMENTS

Provincial Union, Affiliation Fees.....	\$83 25	
Provincial Treasurer, for missionary to lumbermen.....	2 90	
Provincial Treasurer, World's and Dominion missions.....	4 25	90 40
Mrs. Barney's meetings.....	164 10	
School of methods.....	14 55	
Messrs. Whyte Bros . singing at Conference meeting.....	4 00	182 65
Donation to Headquarters.....		32 15

WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION

Printing Reports.....	47 79	
Programs, Devotional Meetings.....	4 00	
Printing Letter and Note Paper.....	11 75	
Literature Department.....	4 19	67 73
Postage, Corresponding Secretary.....	11 80	
Postage, Recording Secretary.....	3 00	
Postage and Telegrams, President.....	4 08	
Postage and Treasurer's Book, Treasurer's account.....	2 00	
Telegrams and Telephone messages.....	2 65	
Press Superintendent's Postage account.....	1 56	25 09
Songs and Solos, 2 dozen.....	2 00	
One-thousand Pledge Cards.....	2 75	4 75
Luncheon, National Council of Women.....		4 00
Birthday Remembrance, Mrs. Youmans.....		2 00
Teachers' Social Deficit.....		2 00
		<u>\$410 77</u>
Cash on hand.....		37 07
		<u>\$447 84</u>

Audited and found correct,  
H. O. HARA, AUDITOR.

STATEMENT OF TREASURER'S ACCOUNT *re* BUILDING FUND.

For twelve months ending September 30th, 1895.

RECEIPTS.

Cash Balance.....	\$8 79
House Committee.....	60 00
Rebate on Taxes.....	15 40
Central Union.....	111 50
Parkdale ".....	88 00
Northern ".....	43 20
Willard ".....	34 60
Central Y's ".....	28 00
Gordon ".....	25 00
Western ".....	16 00
Bathurst ".....	5 00
Special Efforts, Fair, Annual Tea &c.....	557 55
	<u>\$993 04</u>

HOUSE COMMITTEE REPORT.

Balance in hands of House Committee.....	5 49
Receipts from Sept. 30, 1894, to Sept. 30, 1895.....	521 90
	<u>\$527 39</u>

ASSETS.

Value of Property.....	\$15,000 00
" " Furniture.....	900 00
	<u>\$15,900.00</u>

ENT.

\$32 47

99 90

13 76

7 15

149 15

15 00

20 00

38 41

34 00

38 00

\$447 84

\$447 84

90 40

182 65

32 15

DISBURSEMENTS.

Interest.....	\$801 51
Principal.....	100 00
Insurance.....	56 55
Printing.....	1 50
Taxes.....	1 25
Postage.....	1 00
Balance in Bank.....	31 23
	<hr/>
Coal.....	\$993 04
Water Rates.....	\$104 40
Gas.....	24 40
Matron's Salary.....	64 96
Furniture Repairs and General Expenses.....	73 50
Treasurer <i>re</i> Interest.....	169 85
Balance in hands of House Committee.....	60 00
	30 28
	<hr/>
	\$527

I hereby certify that I have examined the account with the vouchers and find the same correct.

H. O'HARA,  
*Auditor.*

LIABILITIES.

By Mortgage.....	\$9,000 00
" Notes and due Treas. (advance \$50).....	850 00
" Excess of Assets over Liabilities.....	6,050 00
	<hr/>
	\$15,900 00

# Reports of Local Unions.

## CENTRAL.

Meets at Headquarters, 56 Elm St., 2nd and 4th Mondays in month,  
3 p.m.

### OFFICERS.

Hon.-Pres.....	Mrs. Finch, 76 Gerrard St.
President.....	Mrs. Cowan, 122 Huron St.
1st Vice-President.....	Mrs. Hilborn, 74 Brunswick Ave.
2nd Vice-President.....	Mrs. McDonell, Sunnyside.
3rd Vice-President.....	Mrs. Thompson, 344 Victoria St.
4th Vice-President.....	Mrs. Moffat, 327 Berkeley St.
Cor.-Sec.....	Mrs. F. S. Spence, 351 Ontario St.
Rec.-Sec.....	Mrs. C. Robertson, 35 Sussex Ave.
Treasurer.....	Mrs. St. Croix, 7 North St.

### SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

Evangelistic.....	Mrs. Cowan
Fire Halls, Sailors and Railroads.....	Mrs. Wrigley, 130 Peter St.
Lumbermen.....	Mrs. Smellie, 148 Cumberland St.
Fairs.....	Mrs. Moffat.
Literature.....	Mrs. J.S. Robertson, 72 Howard St.
Press.....	Mrs. Chas. Robertson, 35 Sussex Ave.
Sunday School.	
Franchise.	
Sabbath Observance.....	Mrs. Cowan
Journal.....	Mrs. Starr.
Parlor Socials.....	Mrs. Emery, 125 Baldwin St.
Headquarters Representative.....	Mrs. Moffat

This year we have 72 names on roll, average attendance only 10.  
We have held 20 meetings.

Outside the departments no special work has been done.

A large quantity of literature has been distributed.

The department of Narcotics was taken up for the first time.

Some of our ladies addressed prayer meetings in Elm St., Erskine, Berkeley and Westminster churches.

We helped with the District Annual Tea, with the Teachers' Social and the Y's in their annual distribution to the poor.

Ald. Lamb's petition for Early Closing was presented to the Union and signed.

Franchise petitions to the Commons and Senate prepared by the Dominion W. C. T. U. were circulated.

A request was sent to the District to try and arrange for an Annual Temperance Sermon from all the pulpits in the city.

\$801 51  
100 00  
56 55  
1 50  
1 25  
1 00  
31 23  
\$993 04  
\$104 40  
24 40  
64 96  
73 50  
169 85  
60 00  
30 28  
\$527

hers a d  
for.

9,000 00  
850 00  
6,050 00  
15,900 00

We have been meeting semi-monthly, afternoons and evenings alternately.

S. W. SPENCE,  
*Cor.-Sec.*

### LIST OF MEMBERS.

- |                                |                                       |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Mrs. Allan, 226 Jarvis St.     | Mrs. Martin, 157 Sherbourne St.       |
| " Arnott, Deer Park.           | " McDonell, Sunnyside.                |
| " Aikins, 50 College St.       | " McTavish, 107 Grosvenor St.         |
| " Briggs, 27 Gloucester St.    | " McMillan, 380 Broadview Ave.        |
| " Baker, 184 Simcoe St.        | " McBride, 105 Bond St.               |
| " Cowan, 122 Huron St.         | Miss McKenzie, 80 Hayter St.          |
| " Chivrell, 17 Richmond St.    | " McGuffin, Methodist Mission Rooms.  |
| Miss Carty, 263 Jarvis St.     | Mrs. Nasmith, 207 Bloor St. E.        |
| " M. Carty, 263 Jarvis St.     | " Nichols, 14 Grosvenor St.           |
| Mrs. Carswell, 92 Gerrard St.  | " W.W. Ogden, 184 Spadina Av.         |
| " Cuthbertson, 16 Pembroke St. | " W. H. Orr, 176 Bloor St. E.         |
| Miss Doudiet, 163 Huron St.    | Miss Pellatt, 18 Wellesley St.        |
| " Dunlop, 12 St. Alban St.     | Mrs. Pringle, 30 Gloucester St.       |
| Mrs. Emery, 125 Baldwin St.    | " Pearson, 59 Pembroke St.            |
| " Eaton, 182 Lowther Ave.      | " T. Roland, 182 Bloor St.            |
| " Fraser, Walker Ave.          | " J. Roland, 501 1/2 Sherbourne St.   |
| " Fogg, Norway                 | " E. C. Rutherford, 23 Coolmine Road. |
| " Faircloth, 59 Bleeker St.    | " J. S. Robertson, 72 Howard St.      |
| " Finch, 76 Gerrard St.        | " C. Robertson, 35 Sussex Ave.        |
| " Forster, 114 Maitland St.    | " Roberts, 290 Yonge St.              |
| " Humphrey, Yonge St.          | " G. M. Rose, 97 St Joseph St.        |
| " Hilborn, 74 Brunswick Ave.   | " Shortreed, 222 Jarvis St.           |
| " Hillock, 25 Wilton Ave.      | " Smellie, 148 Cumberland St.         |
| " Jarman, 49 Simcoe St.        | " Spence, 351 Ontario St.             |
| " Kent, Walmer Road.           | " St. Croix, 7 North St.              |
| " Kilgour, 144 Bloor St.       | " Sparrow, 27 Gloucester St.          |
| " Kerr, 42 Charles St.         | " Thompson, 344 Victoria St.          |
| " Lawrence, 461 Church St.     | " Webb, 447 Yonge St.                 |
| " Large, Yonge St.             | Miss Wilkes, 84 Gloucester St.        |
| " Lund,                        | " Watson, 8 Balmuto St.               |
| " Livingston, Wilton Crescent. | " K. Watson, 8 Balmuto St.            |
| " Morphy, 18 Wellesley St.     | Mrs. Weston,                          |
| " Moffat, 327 Berkeley St.     | " Wilmot, 50 Bond St.                 |
| " Mason, Jarvis St.            | " Washington, 78 McCaul St.           |
| " Mason, 131 Mutual St.        | " Wrigley, 130 Peter St.              |
| Miss Medcalf, 33 St. Mary St.  |                                       |

### WESTERN.

Meets 2nd Tuesday of each month in West Y. M. C. A. Hall, 1087 Queen St. West.

### OFFICERS.

- |                         |   |
|-------------------------|---|
| Honorary President..... | Mrs. J. J. Graham, 306 Dovercourt Rd.       |
| President.....          | Mrs. R. Fletcher, 142 Dundas St.            |
| Vice-Presidents.....    | { Mrs. Bowbeer, 58 Northumberland St.       |
|                         | { Mrs. Porter, 198 Dundas St.               |
|                         | { Mrs. (Rev.) Alexander, 128 Dovercourt Rd. |

Corresponding-Secretary.....Mrs. J. Alexander, jr., 136 Dovercourt Rd.  
 Recording-Secretary.....Mrs. J. H. Holmes, 41 Fenning St.  
 Treasurer.....Mrs Harrington, 314 Dovercourt Rd.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

Band of Hope.....( Mrs. Bulman, 125 Givens St.  
 ( Mrs. Williamson,, 55 Fenning St.  
 Mothers' Meeting.....Mrs. Hughes, 127 Givens St.  
 Railway Stations.....Mrs. Beaumont, 46 Fenning St.  
 Lumber Camps.....Mrs. Bond, 1026 Queen W.  
 Soldiers.....Mrs. Moody, 200 Argyle St.  
 Press.....Mrs. Williamson, 55 Fenning St.  
 Unfermented Wine.....Mrs. Howse, Western Y. M. C. A.  
 Evangelistic.....Mrs. Clark, 41 Grove Ave.  
 Board of Directors (Headquarters).....Mrs. Lowrie, 13 Brookfield St.

We report 20 active and 4 honorary members; have held 15 business meetings with an average attendance of 10, and two gospel temperance meetings at which earnest addresses were given by Mr. Lougee and Mrs. Aikenhead.

We have 2 Bands of Hope; with a membership of 300, meeting regularly once a week. A great deal of interest has been taken in our Mothers' Meeting and much charitable work done during the past year in that department.

The Railway Stations, Lumber Camps and the Soldiers of Stanley Barracks have been regularly supplied with literature, in all about 11000 pages distributed. One charity concert and one very successful At Home was also held during the year. Our ladies canvassed during the Municipal and School Trustee Elections, and rendered good service during the time of the Fair.

M. E. HOLMES,  
*Corresponding-Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS.

Mrs. (Rev.) J. Alexander, 128 Dovercourt Road.	Mrs Harrington, 314 Dovercourt Rd.
" J. Alexander, jr., 136 Dovercourt Road.	" Hetherington, 74 Argyle St.
" N. Awde, 194 Dovercourt Rd.	" J. H. Holmes, 41 Fenning St.
" Atkinson, Sheridan Ave.	" Howse, 1087 Queen St. West.
" Beaumont, 46 Fenning St.	" Hughes, 125 Givens St.
" Bond, 1026 Queen St. W.	" (Dr.) Hurd, 268 Dundas St.
" Bowbeer, 58 Northumberland Av	" Langlois, 1093 Queen St. West.
" Bowbeer, 148 Lisgar St.	" Lowrie, 13 Brookfield St.
" J. Bulman, 125 Givens St.	" Meredith, 186 McPherson Ave.
" Caldwell, 92 Dundas St.	" Morris, 64 Churchill Ave.
" J. Clark, 41 Grove Ave.	" G. H. Moody, 200 Argyle St.
" J. Dempster, 43 Grove Ave.	" Mutch, 110 Havelock Ave.
" R. Fletcher, 142 Dundas St.	" M. Porter, 198 Dundas St.
" Garbutt, Argyle St.	" J. J. Pritchard, 136 Dundas St.
" J.J. Graham, 306 Dovercourt Rd.	" Rountree, 52 Dundas St.
	" G. N. Williamson, 55 Fenning

HONORARY MEMBERS.

Mrs. A. Bates, Queen West	Mr. J. H. Holmes, 41 Fenning St.
Mr. E. Bulman, 125 Givens St.	" A. Howe, Ossington Ave.
" J. J. Graham, 306 Dovercourt Rd.	" B. Howse, West Association Hall

## PARKDALE.

Meets the first Friday of each month in Ross' Hall, 1347 Queen St. W. 3 p. m., also once a month, in the evening, at a member's home.

## OFFICERS.

Honorary President.....	(Mrs. J. Johnston. Mrs. Clement.
President.....	Mrs. Stevens, 200 Cowan Ave.
1st Vice-President.....	Mrs. Boyce, 81 Beaty Ave.
2nd Vice-President.....	Mrs. Fisher, 105 Cowan Ave.
3rd Vice-President.....	Mrs. Welch, 47 Brock Ave.
Corresponding-Secretary.....	Mrs. Abercrombie, 25 Brock Ave.
Recording Secetary.....	Mrs. Torrence, 56 Gwynne Ave.
Treasurer.....	Miss Black 57 Melbourne Ave.

## SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

School of Methods.....	(Mrs. Steven, 200 Cowan Ave. Mrs. Bascom, 189 Dunn Ave.
Lumbermen.....	(Mrs. C. Johnston, 28 Gwynne Ave. Miss Black, 57 Melbourne Ave.
Fair.....	Mrs. McMath, 30 Lansdowne Ave.
Woman's Journal.....	Mrs. Grey, 16 Wright Ave
Press.....	Mrs. Fisher, 105 Cowan Ave.
Sunday Schools.....	Mrs. Boyce, 81 Beaty Ave.
Fire Halls.....	(Mrs. Bascom, 189 Dunn Ave. Mrs. Garrett, 59 Dunn Ave.
Railroad.....	(Mrs. Wilkinson, 37 Dunn Ave. Mrs. Cather, 62 Huxley Ave.
Parlor Meetings.....	Mrs. McFarlane, 55 West Lodge Ave.
Mothers' Meetings.....	(Mrs. Smith, 14 Maple Grove Ave. Mrs. Shaw, 239 Dunn Ave. Mrs. Stinson.
Social Purity.....	(Mrs. Grey, 16 Wright Ave. Mrs. Garrett, 59 Dunn Ave.

## MEMBERS.

Mrs. Stevens, 200 Cowan Ave.	Mrs. Welsh, 47 Brock Ave.
" Boyce, 81 Beaty Ave.	" Clement, 84 Jamieson Ave.
" C. Johnson, 28 Gwynne Ave.	" McFarlane, 55 West Lodge Ave.
" Stewart, 152 Dowling Ave.	" Shaw, 239 Dunn Ave.
" Redmond, 190 Cowan Ave.	" W. Stinson, 1404 Queen St. W.
" Fisher, 105 Cowan Ave.	" J. Stinson, 71 Gwynne Ave.
" (Rev.) Smith, 14 Maple Grove.	" (Dr.) Bascom, 189 Dunn Ave.
" Cather, 62 Huxley Ave.	" Lye, 119 Dowling Ave.
" Wilkinson, 37 Dunn Ave.	Miss Thomas, 189 Dunn Ave.
" McMath, 30 Lansdowne Ave.	Mrs. Coxhead, 78 McDonell Ave.
" Inglis, 1280 King St. W.	" Proctor, Spencer Ave.
" B. Johnson, 101 Cowan Ave.	" Hamilton, 183 Close Ave.
" G. Southcott, 29 Sorauren Ave.	" Jagger, 50 Churchill Ave.
" Ross, 1347 Queen St. W.	" Duff, 24 Elm Grove.
" Arnott, 33 O'Hara Ave.	" Griffin, 52 Beaty Ave.
" Torrence, 56 Gwynne Ave.	Miss Griffin, " "
" McKellar, 71 Melbourne Ave.	Mrs. Grey, 16 Wright Ave.
Miss Black, 57 Melbourne Ave.	" Abercrombie, 25 Brock Ave.
Mrs. Garrett, 59 Dunn Ave.	" Garner,
" (Rev.) Wilson, 59 Dunn Ave.	" Howson, 35 O'Hara Ave.
" Ross, 13 Maple Grove	

## HONORARY MEMBERS.

Mr. Stevens,  
" Redmond,

Mr. Coxhead,  
" McMath.

In reviewing the work of the past year our hearts are filled with gratitude to our Heavenly Father for the honor he has conferred upon us by calling us to be co-workers with Himself for the overthrow of evil and the extension of His Kingdom, which means the safety and happiness of our homes and the peace and prosperity of everyland. As we carefully examine our work we shall find no doubt, that some mistakes have been made, consequently failure where we did not expect it, but thank God we find our successes also to talk of- As the Superintendents of different departments read their reports you will see what tireless energy and zeal they have given to their work striving always to show themselves workmen of whom the Master will not be ashamed.

Where all have been so faithful it would be impossible to make any comparisons but we do think the Superintendents of our Mother's Meetings should have a special word of commendation. For many months they have endeavoured to bring a little gladness into the lives of these women by giving them one afternoon a week for instruction and social enjoyment, they have also spent much time in assisting them to get many needed comforts for their homes. To Mrs. Relf many thanks are due for the very efficient manner in which she has carried on the meetings through the summer.

Our Superintendents of Literature have done splendid work: weekly they have been scattering precious truths in the form of leaflets and papers in the Fire Halls, Railway Stations, and wherever an opportunity presented itself. Our Press Superintendent as usual has been to the front gladly availing herself of every chance to extend the knowledge of our work. She has had many difficulties which have taken time and patience to surmount.

Mrs. Coxhead reports a large increase in the circulation of the Woman's Journal. The Parkdale Union has the largest number of subscribers of any Union in the city. Mrs. Boyce has had the charge of perhaps the most important and far reaching work of the Union. She has been striving to get the children under instruction, and thus instilling sound temperance principles into their minds, principles which must be a power for good in the future. Miss Black reports \$5 having been sent to aid the missionary in his work amongst the lumbermen. Mrs. McMath took charge of one of the tables in the W. C. T. U. tent during the Exhibition. She was assisted by the members of the Union who could give the time in this way. All helped to make it a grand success financially.

During the year a new plan of work was taken up in the opening of a reading room, this was done with a view to benefit principally the employees of the Street Railway Co. So far

it has not fulfilled our expectations. Should it be kept open, probably more may take advantage of it during the winter months. One benefit derived from it has been the helping Mrs. McDonald into the way of making a living for herself and her little ones. Last spring the Rev. W. Patterson very generously gave a lecture for the benefit of the Union. It was a great help to us financially and those who had the pleasure of listening to him, felt if all our ministers were as fearless as he in their denunciations of the Liquor Traffic the day would soon come when that source of nearly all evil would be buried so deep that nothing could resurrect it again. Two of our ladies (Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. McKellar) kindly opened their homes and gave most pleasant evening entertainments to the members of the Union and many other friends. Their kindness was fully appreciated and the results very beneficial in the extension of our work.

During the year ten regular business meetings have been held, average attendance 15; we have also held 5 special meetings, all well attended. We have an active membership of 34 and 4 Hon. Members. The Treasurer reports \$97.57 for the Union and \$88.00 collected for Headquarters making a total of \$185.57. In conclusion I should say some of you may not think the work done is commensurate with the amount of time and labor spent, but efforts are ours—results are the Lord's, the bread has been cast on the waters. The promise of the Master is "It shall be found after many days."

J. E. ABERCROMBIE, *Corresponding-Secretary.*

WILLARD.

Meets twice in each month, second Monday, in the afternoon, and the fourth Monday, in evening.

OFFICERS.

- President.....Mrs. Gregg, 14 Admiral Road.
- 1st Vice-President.....Mrs. Bastedo, 589 Spadina Ave.
- 2nd Vice-President.....Mrs. Wallace, 402 Huron St.
- Recording Secretary.....Mrs. Wanless, 740 Spadina Ave.
- Corresponding Secretary.....Mrs. Pease, 50 Major St.
- Treasurer.....Mrs. Steele, 235 Huron St.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

- Sabbath Schools.....Mrs. Bastedo, 82 Wilcox St.
- Woman's Journal.....Mrs. Settell,
- Public Meetings.....Mrs. Lytle,
- Work among Young People.....Mrs. (Dr.) Chamberlain, 615 Spadina Ave.
- Unfermented Wine.....Mrs. Roberston, 56 Dension Ave.
- Band of Hope.....Mrs. Henderson,
- Press.....Mrs. Wanless, 740 Spadina Ave,
- Work among Indians.....Mrs. Parkinson.
- Work among Lumbermen.....Mrs. Gregg, 14 Admiral Rd.
- Franchise.....Mrs. Henderson, 77 St. Patrick St.
- Fair.....Mrs. Kemp, Euclid Ave.
- .....Mrs. Sinclair, 556 Spadina Ave.

LIST OF MEMBERS.

- |                                  |                                     |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Mrs. Bastedo, 82 Wilcox St.      | Mrs. O'Connor, Shaw St.             |
| " Beavers,                       | " Parker, 458 Delaware Ave.         |
| " Chamberlain, 615 Spadina Ave.  | " Pease, 50 Major St.               |
| " Crane, 49 Madison Ave.         | " Rutherford, 16 Sussex Ave.        |
| " Curzon, 15 Grenville St.       | " Russel, 276 Major St.             |
| " Forsythe, 400 Huron St.        | " Settell, 629 Spadina Ave.         |
| " (Dr.) Gullen, 461 Spadina Ave. | " Sinclair, 556 Spadina Ave.        |
| " Gregg, 14 Admiral Rd.          | " Steele, 235 Huron St.             |
| " Henderson, 77 St. Patrick St.  | " Mrs. Vokes,                       |
| " Kemp, Euclid Ave.              | " Mrs. R. Wallace, 402 Huron St.    |
| " Monteer, St. George St.        | " J. Wanless, Jr., 740 Spadina Ave. |
| " Milne,                         | " Whitcraft, 35 Sullivan St.        |
| " E. Moore, 137 Augusta Ave.     | Miss Whitcraft, 35 Sullivan St.     |
| " W. Moore, 402 Spadina Ave.     |                                     |

As we look back over the seven years since the formation of this Union, we feel that we can rejoice because our hope is still in the Lord, as our Helper in this battle for the right. We have among our membership eight who were present at its formation and many more who have been united with us for several years. Our meetings have been held regularly twice each month, and a fair degree of interest has been manifested by the members. We report a membership of thirty, have held eighteen meetings with an average attendance of eleven. Several of our members have at different times helped by talking of matters pertaining to our work, especially was this true of Miss Forest's paper on "Franchise." To one of our own members is due the credit of the Temperance meeting held during the Methodist Conference in this city in June, and at which meeting thirty-one dollars was contributed for Head-quarters. We collected \$2,00 for the missionary among lumbermen and \$1,00 towards Mrs. Barney's expenses.

JULIA F. PEASE,  
*Corresponding Secretary*

CONTRIBUTORS TO WILLARD UNION 1894-5.

Mrs. G. Gooderham, \$ 2.00	Mrs. P. Wyld, \$ 1.00
Mrs. Dr. Maclaren, 1.00	Miss Nan Scott, 1.00
Mrs. Kay, 1.00	A Friend, 5.00
12 Friends, 4.35	
	Total \$ 15.35

Collected by Mrs. G regg, 14 Admiral Road.

BATHURST

Meets every Monday 3 p. m., in West End Christian Temperance Hall, Bathurst St. near Queen.

OFFICERS.

- |                               |                                   |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| President .....               | Mrs. Carlyle 164 Queen West       |
| Vice-President .....          | Mrs.(Dr.) Noxon, 344 Bathurst St. |
| 2nd Vice-President .....      | Mrs. W. McGill, 38 Bellwoods Ave. |
| Corresponding Secretary ..... | Mrs. Jas. Burns, 366 Bathurst St. |

Recording Secretary ..... Mrs. McLean, 344 Bathurst St.  
 Financial Secretary..... Mrs. F. C. Ward, 258 Bathurst St.  
 Treasurer... Mrs. (Dr.) Fraleigh, 596 College St

SUPERINTENDENTS.

Evangelistic..... (Mrs. Barker, 42 Tecumseh St.  
 (Miss Query)  
 Sabbath Observance ..... Mrs. Carlyle, 164 Queen St. W.  
 Mothers Meetings..... Mrs. (Dr.) Noxon, 344 Bathurst St.  
 Press..... Mrs. (Dr.) Noxon.  
 Parlor Meetings..... (Mrs. Carlyle, 164 Queen st.  
 (Fraleigh, 596 College St.  
 Unfermented Wine..... Mrs. McLean, 344 Bathurst St.  
 Fair..... Mrs. Burns, 366 Bathurst St.  
 Legislation, Franchise & Petitions..... Mrs. Ward, 258 Bathurst St.  
 Flower Mission..... Mrs. McGill, 38 Bellwoods St.

LIST OF MEMBERS. Mrs. Wm. Carlyle, Mrs. Dr. Noxon, Mrs. Wm. McGill, Mrs. F. C. Ward, Mrs. Jas. Burns Mrs. Dr. Fraleigh, Mrs. Duncan, 358 Bathurst St.; Mrs. Welsh; 302 Queen St. W.; Mrs. Baker; 42 Tecumseth St.; Miss Smith, 402 Huron St.; Miss Mc., Query.

The Secretary is pleased to report much satisfactory work done, but at the same time regrets the small attendance of the members at regular meetings.

The work consisted of relieving several poor families by paying rent, providing food, clothing, finding work, etc., etc.; also baskets of jellies and delicacies provided by Mrs. Carlyle and other members were distributed.

A good work was also done on the temperance line in the way of members visiting the different churches ascertaining to what extent the temperance work was carried on. In most cases it was very satisfactory, yet there were instances which were not as encouraging as might be expected.

A large parcel of literature from Mr. Robertson of Willard Tract Society, was received and has proved a great help. A concert was given in the early part of the season in aid of Poor Fund which was a great benefit. Also a "Quilt social" held on May 30th proving to be a success, realizing the sum of \$25.00.

S. A. BURNS,  
 Cor.-Sec.

GORDON.

Meets in the Boardroom of the Haven every Monday, 3 p. m.

OFFICERS.

President. . . . . Mrs. Brick, 308 Carlton St.  
 Vice-President. . . . . Mrs. Gray, 16 Wright Ave.  
 Recording-Secretary. . . . . Mrs. G. Walker, 10 Phoëbe St.  
 Corresponding-Secretary. . . . . Mrs. R. Galley, 145 Robert St.  
 Treasurer. . . . . Mrs. E. Norris, 338 Wellesley St.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

Evangelistic. . . . .	{ Miss Coates, 56 Elm St.
Jail. . . . .	{ Mrs. Shorey, 109 Amelia St.
Assistant Jail. . . . .	{ Mrs. Risdon, 403 Sackville St.
Sunday Schools. . . . .	{ Mrs. Neill, 159 Mutual St.
Sabbath Observance. . . . .	{ Mrs. Summerfelt, 18 Seaton St.
Franchise. . . . .	{ Mrs. Summerfelt, 18 Seaton St.
Fair. . . . .	{ Mrs. Vance, 143 Shuter St.
Railway and Fire Halls. . . . .	{ Mrs. Risdon, 403 Sackville St.
Literature. . . . .	{ Mrs. Shorey, 109 Amelia St.
Press. . . . .	{ Mrs. Doane, 220 Carlton St.
Unfermented Wine. . . . .	{ Mrs. Walker, 10 Phoebe St.
Superintendent Woman's Journal. . . . .	{ Mrs. Spence, 42 Park Road.
"    "    Lumbermen. . . . .	{ Mrs. E. Coatsworth, 218 Carlton St.

We have held 31 meetings, have a membership of 34 and an average attendance of 12.

Under the superintendency of Mrs. Shorey and Miss Coates, we have taken up a new department of work. We have been enabled to relieve the wants of 7 families, visiting them weekly. 90 calls were made on poor for relief, 60 seeking new members, 56 calls on members, 50 calls distributing garments have been made and 6 Xmas dinners supplied besides fuel to several families. Also received \$1.50 as a donation for Xmas dinners.

Our meetings have become so interesting through this work that we feel we have been wonderfully blessed, and hope to be more successful.

Mrs. Cowan gave an address in Berkeley St. Methodist Church, to the Young People, which was very interesting and instructive.

LIST OF MEMBERS.

- |                                  |                                   |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Mrs. Ross, 47 Rose Ave.          | Mrs. Scott, 193 Berkeley St.      |
| " Shorey, 109 Amelia St.         | " Smith, 234 King St., East.      |
| " Risdon, 403 Sackville St.      | " J. Spence, 42 Park Road.        |
| " E. Galley, 10 Walmer Road.     | " Hall, 193 Berkeley St.          |
| " R. Galley, 145 Robert St.      | " Vance, 143 Shuter St.           |
| " B. Brick, 308 Carleton St.     | " Stephenson, 8 Rose Ave.         |
| " E. Norris, 338 Wellesley St.   | Miss Martin, 28 Homewood Ave.     |
| " E. Coatsworth, 218 Carlton St. | Mrs. Webber, 172 Sherbourne St.   |
| " Crews, 101 Close Ave.          | " Doane, 220 Carlton St.          |
| " Charlton, 50 Bleeker St.       | " Neill, 159 Mutual St.           |
| " J. Odery, 335 Berkeley St.     | " A. Harrison, 10 Rose Ave.       |
| " Grey, 16 Wright Ave.           | Miss C. Sanderson, 320 Seaton St. |
| " T. Self, St. James Ave.        | Mrs. Kidd, 95 Seaton St.          |
| " (Dr.) Dewart, Sherbourne St.   | " Youmans, 19 Metcalfe St.        |
| " Dr. Sutherland, Sherbourne St. | " J. Lumsden, 276 Queen St., E.   |
| Miss Coates, 56 Elm St.          | " Ford, 62 Seaton St.             |
| Mrs. G. Walker, 10 Phoebe St.    |                                   |
| " Ruthven, 337 Parliament St.    |                                   |

HONORARY MEMBERS.

- |               |  |               |
|---------------|--|---------------|
| Mr. B. Brick. |  | " R. Galley.  |
| " G. Walker.  |  | Mr. Davies.   |
| " E. Galley.  |  | " F. Hillock. |

Gordon Union has donated to Headquarters the sum of \$22.00.

M. A. Galley,  
*Corresponding-Secretary.*

DOVERCOURT.

Meets 2nd and 4th Friday of each month at the Reading Room,  
977 Bloor St. West, 3 p. m.

OFFICERS.

- |                               |  |
|-------------------------------|--|
| President .....               | Mrs. (Rev.) Aikenhead, 286 Westmoreland Ave. |
| 1st Vice-President .....      | Mrs. McLean, 66 Hepburn St.                  |
| 2nd Vice-President .....      | Mrs. Armstrong, 270 Westmoreland Ave.        |
| Corresponding-Secretary ..... | Mrs. Bagsley, 977 Bloor St. West             |
| Recording-Secretary .....     | Mrs. Dunham, 114 Hepburn St.                 |
| Treasurer .....               | Mrs. Smith, 12 Westmoreland Ave.             |

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

- |                        |                                  |
|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Evangelistic )         |                                  |
| Mothers' Meetings )    | Mrs. Morrow, 984 Bloor St. West  |
| Lumbermen .....        | Mrs. Hepburn, 210 Concord Ave.   |
| Unfermented Wine ..... | Mrs. Brown, 226 Delaware Ave.    |
| Social Purity )        | Miss Conboy, Ossington Ave.      |
| Band of Hope )         | 1st house above C. P. R. track,  |
| Flower Mission .....   | Mrs. McLean, 66 Hepburn St.      |
| Fire Hall .....        | Mrs. Morrow, 984 Bloor St. West. |

Has a membership of 12, number of business meetings held 19, supplied fire halls, police station, and barber shops with literature ; sent 8000 pages to the lumber camps, distributed flowers, fruit and milk to the sick, aged and needy. Organized a Band of Hope, 84 members on the roll with an average attendance 38 ; organized a morning Sunday School with average attendance 30 ; breakfast is provided for children from neglected homes chiefly, every Sunday morning at 8.45. The majority come regularly and seem interested in the blackboard lessons.

A Mothers' Meeting has been started with an average attendance of 18, light refreshments are also served. A good deal of interest is manifested at these gatherings.

A Y. was organized, which has done good work in the Sunday School.

At the beginning of our year plans were suggested for opening a Reading Room for boys and young men. After much prayer and effort funds were raised, rooms secured and fitted up for the purpose, and in November were opened, under most auspicious circumstances. Nightly our rooms were filled with boys. We endeavored to interest them by teaching, reading, music, singing, addresses,

etc. A  
often f  
I know  
On  
in. T  
Missio  
Meeti  
to Go  
The  
ing, v  
rooms  
laid fo  
to sti  
" We

Mrs.  
" M  
" S  
" I  
" M  
" I  
" I  
Miss

Me  
St. F

Hono  
Presi  
1st V  
2nd V  
3rd V  
Corre  
Reco  
Trea

Unfe  
Lum  
Evan

Sabb  
Delic  
Pres  
Fran  
Parle

etc. A poor mother said "I used to have to go for my two boys and often found them at midnight in the tavern on Dufferin St., but now I know where they are and I am not afraid."

On Sabbath mornings whole families of the poor are gathered in. This work is under the supervision of Dr. Dumble and our Missionary, Mr. Bagsley. Mrs. Morrow conducts Mothers' Meetings Wednesday afternoon. The cry for help has been raised to God by the penitent in these meetings.

The week evenings are filled with classes, and Gospel teaching, under the supervision of Mr. Bagsley (who occupies our rooms) and a committee from the Union. Plans are already being laid for extending the work during the coming winter and make it to still bring more glory to Him to whom all praise belongeth. "We can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth us."

MRS. DUNHAM,  
*Recording-Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS.

- |                                       |                                     |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Mrs. Aikenhead, 286 Westmoreland Ave. | Mrs. Brown 226 Delaware Ave.        |
| " McLean, 66 Hepburn St.              | " McArthur, 251 Westmoreland Ave.   |
| " Smith, 12 Westmoreland Ave.         | " McClennan 52 Garden St.           |
| " Dunham, 114 Hepburn St.             | " Morris Churchill Ave.             |
| " Morrow, 984 Bloor St. W.            | Miss Gordon, Dovercourt Rd.         |
| " Robertson, 384 Ossington Ave.       | Mrs. Armstrong, 78 Westmoreland Av. |
| " Hepburn, 210 Concord Ave.           | " Bagsley, 977 Bloor St.            |
| Miss Conboy, Ossington Ave.           |                                     |

NORTHERN.

Meets 2nd and 4th Monday of each month in Lecture room of St. Paul's Methodist Church, Avenue Road, at 3 p. m.

OFFICERS.

- |                              |                                     |
|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Honorary-President.....      | Mrs. Fotheringham, 48 Hazelton Ave  |
| President .....              | Mrs. M.M. Brownell, 33 St Mary St.  |
| 1st Vice-President.....      | Mrs. N. Burwash, 106 Avenue Road.   |
| 2nd Vice-President.....      | Mrs. C. A. Wilson, 5 Lowther Ave.   |
| 3rd Vice-President.....      | Miss Foster, Yorkville P. O.        |
| Corresponding-Secretary..... | Mrs. T. C. Jeffers, 60 Isabella St. |
| Recording-Secretary.....     | Mrs. F. Wilson, 60 Boswell Ave.     |
| Treasurer.....               | Mrs. Purkiss, 42 McPherson Ave.     |

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

- |                         |                                   |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Unfermented Wine.....   | Mrs. Gibson, 62 Boswell Ave.      |
| Lumbermen.....          | Mrs. Christie, 90 Yorkville Ave.  |
| Evangelistic.....       | { Mrs. Woolsley, 13 Ketchum Ave.  |
|                         | { Mrs. Fielding, 16 Earl St.      |
| Sabbath Observance..... | Mrs. (Rev). Robinson.             |
| Delicacy Mission .....  | Mrs. Trick, Avenue Rd.            |
| Press.....              | Mrs. Wm. Booth, Bedford Rd.       |
| Franchise.....          | Mrs. C. A. Wilson, 5 Lowther Ave. |
| Parlor Meeting .....    | Mrs. Shepherd, 27 Lowther Ave.    |

Scientific Temperance..... / Mrs. Burwash, 106 Avenue Road.  
 Narcotics..... / Mrs. L. Clark, 104 Avenue Road.  
 Journal..... Mrs. Dr. Johnson, 72 Admiral Road.  
 Fair..... Miss Foster, Yorkville P. O.  
 Mrs. Purkiss, 42 McPherson Ave.

Has a membership of 56, honorary members.—Held meetings semi-monthly, one public meeting. Good work has been done in all Departments, and much interest shown in the work during the year.

N. D. JEFFERS,  
*Corresponding-Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS.

- |   |                                  |
|---|----------------------------------|
| Mrs. M. M. Brownell, 33 St. Mary St.            | Miss Carlow, 22 Walker Ave.      |
| " N. Burwash, 106 Avenue Road.                  | Mrs. Haag, 820 Yonge St.         |
| " C. A. Wilson, 5 Lowther Ave.                  | " Lusk, 832 " "                  |
| " Trotter, 66 Czar St.                          | " Tait, " "                      |
| " T. C. Jeffers, 60 Isabella St.                | " Thom, South Drive, Rosedale.   |
| " Purkiss, 42 McPherson Ave.                    | " Fotheringham, 48 Hazelton Av.  |
| " F. Wilson, 60 Boswell Ave.                    | " Dixon, 106 Hazelton Ave.       |
| " Davis, 20 Washington Ave.                     | " L. Clark, 104 Avenue Road      |
| Miss Foster, Yorkville P. O.                    | " Fielding, 16 Earl St.          |
| Mrs. Dr. Amelia Johnston, 72 Admir-<br>al Road. | " Barber, 141 Yorkville Ave.     |
| " Hazlitt, 25 Isabella St.                      | Miss Mier, 13 Admiral Road.      |
| " Shepherd, 20 Lowther Ave.                     | Mrs. Christie, 90 Yorkville Ave. |
| Miss Brown, 15 Hazelton Ave.                    | " O. C. S. Wallace, 60 Czar St.  |
| Mrs. D. Rose, 50 Avenue Road.                   | " Hitchcock, 37 Avenue Road.     |
| " Emery, 72 Bismarck Ave.                       | " Lee, 115 Yorkville Ave.        |
| " Petch 85 Czar St.                             | " Wickson, McPherson Ave.        |
| " Gibson, 62 Boswell Ave.                       | " Brett, 31 Bloor St.            |
| " Trick, 44 Avenue Road.                        | " J. McDonald, "Oaklands."       |
| " Currelly, 44 Avenue Road.                     | " Bauld, 67 Avenue Road.         |
| " G. G. Scott, 86 Huntley St.                   | " Kelly, 16 Belmont St.          |
| " A. A. Craig, 26 Collier St.                   | " Woolsley, 13 Ketchum Ave.      |
| " Pritchard, McMaster Hall.                     | " McKenzie, 14 Bloor St. West.   |
| " Glover, 59 Lowther Ave.                       | " McLellan, 113 Avenue Road.     |
| " Robinson, Scollard St.                        | " Booth, Bedford Road.           |
| " R. Eaton, 192 Davenport Rd.                   | " J. M. Smith, 22 Avenue Place.  |
| " Mathews, 58 Roxborough Av.                    | " (Dr.) Adams, 86 Hazelton Ave.  |
| " (Dr.) Potts, Prince Arthur Ave.               | " C. A. Crawford, 86 Huntley St. |
| " Nesbitt, 22 Walker Ave.                       | " L. M. Graham, 13 Admiral Rd.   |

DEER PARK.

Meets in Presbyterian Hall, Baptist Hall, Birch Ave. and Methodist Hall, Yonge St., alternately the last Wednesday of the month, 3 P. M.

OFFICERS.

- President..... Mrs. (Dr.) Hodgkin, Deer Park.  
 Vice-President... Mrs. Elias Rogers, Yonge St.  
 Recording-Secretary..... Mrs. G. Herbert Wood, 229 McPherson Ave.  
 Corresponding-Secretary..... Mrs. David Dick, Deer Park.  
 Treasurer..... Mrs. T. Stephenson, "

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

Work Among Young People.....Miss Wood.  
 Sabbath Schools.....Miss Robinson, Mrs. Dick.  
 Literature.....Mrs. Hodgkin, Mrs. Dick.

LIST OF MEMBERS.

Mrs. (Dr.) Hodgkin, Yonge St	Mrs. (Rev.) J. H. Locke, 84 Summer-
" Elias Rogers, "	hill Ave.
" Dick "	Miss Robinson, Summerhill Ave.
" G. Herbert Wood "	Mrs. Rudlen, Shattisbury Ave.
" T. Stephenson "	" Johnson, "
" Crean "	" Sparling,
Miss Wood, Deer Park.	" Matthew,

Has a membership of fourteen, held 12 meetings with an average attendance of five. Racks are placed at the C. P. R. Station, North Toronto; Scollard St. waiting room for street car conductors, for Upper Canada College boys in Clinton Ave., Rose-dale, Davisville and Eglinton Hotels, all of which are regularly supplied with proper literature; large parcels are sent to the Lum-ber Camps. Two public meetings held which were well attended. Contributed \$4 51 to Headquarters building fund.

Our numbers have fallen off chiefly from removals, but hope that soon their places will be filled by others.

MRS. DAVID DICK,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

YOUMANS.

Meets the first and third Thursday of each month, 2.30 p.m., at 246 Brock Ave.

OFFICERS.

President.....Mrs. McClelland, 24 Lindsay Ave.  
 Vice-President.....Mrs. Sewell, 130 Sheridan Ave.  
 Corresponding-Secretary.....Mrs. Harris Davenport P.O.  
 Recording-Secretary.....Mrs. Scott 246 Brock Ave.  
 Treasurer.....Mrs. Hogg, 65 Moutray St

SUPERINTENDENTS.

Evangelistic.....Mrs. Paul, 65 McKenzie Ave.  
 Lumbermen.....Mrs. Puddy, 85 McKenzie Ave.  
 Scientific Temperance.....Mrs. McClelland, 24 Lindsay Ave.  
 Unfermented Wine.....Mrs. Hill, 275 Lansdowne Ave.  
 Fair.....Mrs. Harris, Davenport P.O.  
 Press.....Mrs. Scott, 246 Brock Ave.  
 Fire Halls.....Mrs. Hogg, 65 Moutray St.  
 Work among Young People.....Mrs. Paul, 65 McKenzie Ave.  
 Woman's Journal.....Mrs. Duff, 179 Perth Ave.  
 Sabbath Observance.....Mrs. Relf, 61 Perth Ave.  
 Sabbath Schools.....Mrs. Harris, Davenport P.O.  
 Flower Mission.....Mrs. Duff, 179 Perth Ave.  
 Narcotics.....Mrs. Puddy, 85 McKenzie Ave.

Peace and Purity.....Mrs. Hogg, 65 Moutray St.  
 Literature.....Mrs. Relf, 61 Perth Ave.  
 Franchise.....Mrs. Puddy, 85 McKenzie Ave.

The Mothers' Meetings have been a success ; 15 have been held with average attendance of 9. Nine quilts have been made.  
 • Clothing was given to those who needed it and literature was freely distributed.

Eight baskets of provisions were given to the poor of the neighborhood at Christmas.

Nineteen evangelistic services were held at the residence of Mrs. Paulle.

In Oct. an "At Home" was held at the residence of Mrs. Cane. Several clergymen and Mr. and Mrs. James Forster gave addresses, and a pleasant evening was spent.

LIST OF MEMBERS.

Mrs. Boynton, 57 McKenzie Ave.	Mrs. McNab, 69 McKenzie Ave.
" Duff, 176 Perth Ave.	" Paul, 65 McKenzie Ave.
" Harris, Davenport P. O.	" Puddy, 85 McKenzie Ave.
" J. R. Hill, 275 Lansdowne Ave.	" Relf, 61 Perth Ave.
" Hudson,	" Sewell, 130 Sheridan Ave.
" McClelland, 24 Lindsay Ave.	" A. Scott, 246 Brock Ave.

HONORARY MEMBER.

Willie R. M. Scott, 246 Brock Ave. |

CREIGHTON.

Meets 1st Tuesday of month at 3 P. M. and 3rd Tuesday at 8 P. M. in the School Room of Bathurst St. Methodist Church.

OFFICERS.

President .....Mrs. Grant, 182 Brunswick Ave.  
 Recording-Secretary.....Mrs. Almond, 36 Olive Ave.  
 Corresponding-Secretary.....Mrs. Parkinson, 257 Palmerston Ave.  
 Treasurer.....Mrs. A. W. Lee, 391 Markham St.

SUPERINTENDENT OF DEPARTMENTS.

Evangelistic.....Mrs. Musgrove, 68 Borden St.  
 White Shield.....Mrs. White, 438 College St.  
 Sailors .....Mrs. Pugsley, 519 Bloor St. W.  
 Soldiers.....Mrs. Moore, 712 Spadina Ave.  
 Lumbermen.....Mrs. Valient, 56 Barton Ave.  
 Railroad.....Mrs. Millgate, 489 Clinton St.  
 Conference Influential Bodies.....Mrs. Fisher, 36 Leonard St.  
 Franchise.....Mrs. Grant, 182 Brunswick Ave.  
 Scientific Temperance.....Miss Mc Donald  
 Unfermented Wine.....Mrs. Embury, 449 Manning Ave.

Fair...  
 Press...  
 Fire Ha...  
 Journal...  
 Work a...  
 Sabbath...  
 Sabbath...  
 Narcoti...  
 Work a...  
 Work a...

Mrs. I...  
 " P...  
 " V...  
 " V...  
 " C...  
 " C...  
 " P...  
 " P...  
 " A...  
 " C...  
 " C...  
 " I...  
 " " ...  
 " " ...  
 " " ...  
 " " ...  
 " " ...  
 " " ...  
 " " ...  
 " " ...

Rev...  
 Mr. I...  
 " ...  
 " ...  
 Rev...  
 44

T...  
 eac...  
 Hon...  
 Pres...  
 Vice...

Fair.....	Mrs. Green, 550 Bloor St. W.
Press.....	Mrs. Llewellyn, 807 Bathurst St.
Fire Halls.....	Mrs. Wilcox, Bloor St. W.
Journal.....	Mrs. Bambridge, 158 Brunswick Ave.
Work among Young People.....	Mrs. Roffe, 38 College St.
Sabbath Observance .....	Mrs. Philpott, 26 Brunswick Ave.
Sabbath Schools.....	Mrs. (Rev. Dr.) Stewart, 706 Spadina Ave.
Narcotics.....	Mrs. Pepper, Dovercourt Road.
Work among Indians.....	Mrs. Dixon Delaware Ave.
Work among Colored People.....	Mrs. Lytle, 225½ Borden St.

LIST OF MEMBERS.

Mrs. Lytle, 225½ Borden St.	Mrs. A. W. Lee, 391 Markham St.
" Parkinson, 257 Palmerston Av.	" D. E. Starr, 581 Markham St.
" Vine, 596 Euclid Ave.	" Embury, 449 Manning Ave.
" White, 438 College St.	" R. W. Newman, 157 Brunswick Ave.
" Grant, 182 Brunswick Ave.	" Pemberton Page, 4 Walmer Road.
" Collins, 25 Olive Ave.	" (Dr.) Galbraith, Queen's Ave.
" Forsey, 22 Albany Ave.	" M. Johnston, Brunswick Ave.
" Roberts, 39 Olive Ave.	Miss S. Broghdon " "
" Ashforth, 856 Palmerston Ave.	" E. Rolling, 77 Shuter St.
" Cook, 49 Olive Ave.	Mrs. (Dr.) Reeve, 345 Jarvis St.
" C. Roberts, 20 Olive Ave.	" Dyer, 76 McCaul St.
" Pugsley, 519 Bloor St. W.	" Dougan, 539 Bloor St. W.
" Millgate, 489 Clinton St.	" Fisher, 36 Leonard Ave.
" Valient, 56 Barton Ave.	" Philpott, 26 Brunswick Ave.
" Moore, 712 Spadina Ave.	" Bambridge, 158 Brunswick Ave.
" Almond, 36 Olive Ave.	" A W. Roffe, 38 College St.
" James Green, 550 Bloor St. W.	" Hay, 36 Brunswick Ave.
" Musgrove, 68 Borden St.	" (Rev. Dr.) Stewart, Spadina Av.
" Goodchild, 613 Manning Ave.	" Thos. Harris, 8 Madison Ave.
" Pepper, Dovercourt Road.	" Pinkney, 144 Brunswick Ave.
" Dixon, Delaware Ave.	" Wilcox, Bloor St. W.
" (Rev.) C.O. Johnston, 583 Markham St.	" Llewellyn, 807 Bathurst St.

HONORARY MEMBERS.

Rev. C. O. Johnston.	Rev. Philpot.
Mr. Richard Almond.	Mr. Beal.
" Bambridge.	Rev. Elmore Harris.
" E. Grummitt.	Mr. A. Mills.
Rev. G. Fisher.	

44 members, 9 Honorary members.

MRS. R. ALMOND.  
*Recording-Secretary.*

Y. W. C. T. U.

The Central Y.W.C.T.U. meets every first and third Wednesday each month at 3.30 p.m.

OFFICERS.

Honorary President . . . . .	Miss Tilley, 96 St. Patrick St.
President . . . . .	Miss McConnell, 127 Bedford Rd.
	(Miss Stewart, (Baptist.)
Vice-Presidents . . . . .	(Miss How, (Congregational.)
	(Mrs. Malcolm (Disciple.)

Corresponding-Secretary . . . . .	Miss Garrett, 20 Howland Ave.
Recording-Secretary . . . . .	Miss McClelland, 207½ Sherbourne St.
Treasurer . . . . .	Miss Clark, 600 Parliament St.

## SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

Evangelistic . . . . .	Miss Faircloth, 59 Bleeker St.
Scientific Temperance and Band of Hope . . . . .	Miss Wills, 47 Pembroke St.
Flower Mission . . . . .	Miss Cook, 1218 Yonge St. ; Ass'nt Mrs. Malcolm.
Golden League . . . . .	Supt. not appointed.
Kitchen Garden . . . . .	Miss McConnell, 127 Bedford Rd.
Press . . . . .	Supt. not appointed.
Parlor Meetings . . . . .	Miss Williamson, 21 Suffolk Place.
Journal . . . . .	Mrs. Watson.
Lumberman's Work . . . . .	Miss Workman, 113 Mutual St.

Number of meetings held during the year, 25. Business meetings 14, devotional 8, social 1, lectures 2. Average attendance 10. 36 active members and 5 honorary.

Total receipts for the year, \$221.43. Expenditure, \$181.97.

Evangelistic Work—There were eight prayer meetings held conducted by several members of the union. In June work was commenced in Grace Hospital, in the form of a Sunday morning meeting with the patients.

Work Among Colored People—"The Golden League"—a class for colored young men, had an average attendance during the year, of 14. Great interest has been taken in this department of the work by the many friends of the League, who gave addresses and talks to the boys which were much appreciated.

Parlor Meetings—One public meeting was arranged for called an "At Home," for the members of C. E. societies in different churches. A pleasant and profitable evening was spent.

Press—63 contributions have been sent to the press, consisting of letters, items and articles, and have, we trust, been made the means of making the various branches of our work better known.

Journal—Ten of our Y. members take the Woman's Journal.

Scientific Temperance Instruction and Band of Hope—The class in Scientific Temperance Instruction in Miss How's division, Elizabeth St. school, has been taught weekly from October until the end of May. The usual prizes for proficiency in this subject were given to the successful competitors at the close of the term. It is gratifying to be able to report that not one boy who has been a member of this class has fallen into drinking habits on leaving school. 904 pages of literature distributed during the year. The Band of Hope meets monthly in the evening in Mission Hall.

Lumbermen's Work—Two camps supplied weekly with literature one at Thessalon and one at Whitfield. Scrap-books sent also.

Kitchen Garden—Three classes have received instruction weekly, one in Sackville Mission Hall, taught by Miss Faircloth, one in W. C. A. Hall, and the third in the Protestant Orphans' Home.

Flower Mission—Bouquets with texts of Scripture attached and distributed, 10,000 ; 110 quarts delicacies ; 18 dozen eggs ; 15 dozen oranges ; 15 large baskets ripe fruit ; 50 families supplied with a quantity of clothing ; 200 pages literature distributed ; 35 visits made weekly by an average of 8 workers ; 50 families supplied with Christmas dinner.

Donations in money \$2 00, \$94 60. Total, \$96 60. There are many discouragements in connection with our work, the greatest being lack of funds and the irregularity of the workers. Some, however, will let nothing but illness keep them away. These are they who do it "In His Name," and for His sake.

S. L. McCLELLAND,  
*Rec.-Sec.*

MEMBERS.

- |                                      |   |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Miss Wills, 47 Pembroke St.          | Miss McMichal, cor. St. Patrick and Beverley Sts. |
| " S " " " "                          | " Johnson, 33 Davenport Rd.                       |
| " W.M. " " "                         | " B. Williamson, 21 Suffolk Pl.                   |
| " L. " " " "                         | " McConnell, 127 Bedford Rd.                      |
| " Garrett, 20 Howland Ave.           | " Howe, 506 Church St.                            |
| " McClelland, 207½ Sherbourne St.    | " W. Wilson, 5 Lowther Ave.                       |
| " Elliott, 109 Pembroke St.          | " Bailey, Nursing-at-Home Inst.                   |
| " L. Clarke, 600 Parliament St.      | " Williamson, 21 Suffolk Pl.                      |
| " Tilley, 544 Spadina Ave.           | " Hattie Williamson, 21 Suffolk Pl.               |
| " Bennett, 109 Gerrard St.           | " Geikie, 52 Maitland St.                         |
| " Aggie Bennett, 109 Gerrard St.     | " Munroe, Manning Arcade.                         |
| " May " " " "                        | " Etta Robinson, Summerhill Ave.                  |
| " Cook, 1218 Yonge St.               | " Allie " " " "                                   |
| " Saulter, 293 Church St.            | " L.B. Gentles, Kincardine.                       |
| Mrs. Dr. Hastings, 256 Wellesley St. | Mrs. Watson, 55 Homewood Ave.                     |
| Miss M. Clark, 600 Parliament St.    | Miss Smith, Victoria St.                          |
| " F. J. Stabback, 18 Elm St.         | " Spence, 23 Ross St.                             |
| " Faircloth, 59 Bleeker St.          | " Workman, 113 Mutual St.                         |

HONORARY MEMBERS.

- |                                  |                          |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Mr. E. Shipe, 33 Lansdowne Ave.  | Dr. Henderson, Yonge St. |
| " W. E. Young, 104 Yonge St.     | Mr. W. T. Hayes.         |
| " Alex. Adamson, 77 Augusta Ave. |                          |

DOVERCOURT Y.

Was organized March 8th, 1895, by the District President, Mrs. Rutherford.

Miss Johnston of the Central Y's, gave an interesting address on the different departments of work.

We decided to take up Flower Mission and Band of Hope. A large number of bouquets have been distributed to the sick and bereaved in the neighborhood.

The Band of Hope is just re-opening after the holidays, the children meet every Friday afternoon at four o'clock.

This society has been very helpful to the morning Sunday School.

OFFICERS.

- President... Miss Conboy, Ossington Ave., 1st house above C. P. R. Track
- Corresponding-Secretary. . . . . Miss Bell,
- Recording-Secretary. . . . . Miss Smith, 12 Westmoreland Ave
- Treasurer. . . . . Miss Bowman, 239 Delaware Ave

DEPARTMENTS.

- Band of Hope. . . . . Miss Conboy.

# DEPARTMENTS

## EVANGELISTIC WORK.

To deepen the spiritual life of our own members devotional meetings are held on the first Monday of every month.

Most of the addresses and Bible readings were excellent and an earnest spirit characterized the little gathering, but we are sorry to say the attendance was very small.

The first of the series being the Dominion Day of Prayer on the third of January was held in Mrs. Youmans' house as it was her birth-day.

The subjects at subsequent meetings were "Sabbath Observance" "Our Young People," "Our Sabbath Schools," "The Power of Consecrated Volunteer Students, etc." \* "Motherhood" and "Rescue Work."

In May the services of Mrs. J. K. Barney, Rhode Island, were engaged for a week.

She held Bible readings every afternoon and public meetings in the evening; gospel addresses of rare power and consecration were delivered. We are all too apt to judge good work by the number who attend and the money collected, forgetting that our Master had neither money nor admiring crowds and yet his life and influence turned the world from darkness toward the light.

The work done in local unions has been as follows:

Six addresses were given at prayer meetings connected with churches by our District President and others and two at Mothers' Meetings.

Three of these were connected with Willard Union, one in Parkdale, one in Bathurst and three in Central.

Central has also supplied one visitor, Mrs. Mason, to the gaol during the year and a second since August.

Western has a Mothers' Meeting with 25 members, and has held 42 meetings, provided patches and linings and gave each member a quilt. Bible readings, the pledge, and a cup of tea were the features of each meeting. Supplied one widow with a stove costing \$8 and assisted another to Muskoka. Spent altogether \$48 on Mother's meetings. Paid 21 visits to the Hospital on account of four mothers who were ill. Besides a great number of visits when any were absent, also provided suitable literature.

Parkdale has a Mother's Meeting with 27 on the roll, 20 of average attendance, all have signed the pledge but one; held 11 sewing meetings and six devotional, 12 quilts were made and given to poor families. A social was held to which the husbands as well as the wives were invited. Mr. Crossley (the Rev. evangelist) and others gave addresses. In summer a picnic was made for mothers and children. The workers report that they feel their labor has not been in vain as "some of those who were the victims of appetite and vice are now virtuous and saved, and have been the means of reforming their husbands."

Gordon reports having relieved the wants of seven families visiting them weekly, 90 calls were made relieving the poor and 150 garments distributed, fuel to several families and Christmas dinners.

Bathurst did a good deal in visiting and helping the poor.

Willard had a Mother's Meeting for a time. Northern union has visited in the homes of the afflicted and ministered to their necessities. Three cottage meetings were held and quite a number of families called upon.

Mrs. Bellamy still continues her loving labours at the gaol. Mrs. Mason and Mrs. Cowan of the Central also take a share of attending the Wednesday meeting set apart for the W. C. T. U. and helping the women as far as they can.

Deer Park has visited and looked after some of the poor in their district.

Youmans' has a Mother's Meeting with an average attendance of nine, 15 meetings were held, 11 quilts made, clothing to those who needed it and literature distributed freely, 8 baskets of provisions given to the poor at Christmas.

Central Y's have held 8 regular monthly devotional meetings. Average attendance 10. These meetings "were felt to be a source of profit and inspiration to all who took part in them."

A Sabbath Morning Mission has also been started in Grace Hospital. Through the summer each ward was visited, a Praise and Prayer meeting held, together with Scripture Reading, which has been much appreciated by the patients who were unable to attend the service in the library.

Dovercourt rented a shop in which they started a boy's Reading Room. About twenty boys spend their evenings there

and have a meeting once a week. They also hold a public gospel meeting on Sabbath evening and one during the week.

A Mother's Meeting with 50 names on the roll and 30 of an average attendance has been started since the summer.

To Northern and Willard belong the credit of being the first Unions, your Superintendent has ever had reports from as soon as their Annual Meeting was over, and without writing for them and waiting till the last two or three days to get them.

Let there be a greater spirit of prayer and consecration in our own hearts, for in proportion as the individual members abide in Christ and He in us, so will our work be blessed and enduring.

A. M. COWAN, Superintendent.

SAILORS.

Literature distributed in Boats and Stations.

Leaflets.....	15,594
Books.....	52
Magazines .....	242
Booklets.....	269
Papers .....	1,422
Tracts.....	31
Extra Leaflets .....	1,664
<hr/>	
Total.....	19,274

MRS. S. EMORY,  
*Superintendent.*

SOLDIERS' WORK.

The Christian Guardian was subscribed for and sent from the office to Stanley Barracks, besides about 2000 pages of other literature consisting of papers and magazines.

Our ladies waited on the Sergeant Major and were given permission to send literature to the reading room.

MRS. M. E. HOLMES,  
*Superintendent.*

LUMBERMEN.

Your Superintendent takes much pleasure in reporting the increased interest and zeal of the ladies in this work.

"Northern" sent three large parcels of literature, containing 4014 pages of good papers, leaflets, etc., also six comfort bags. Each bag contained a Testament, and Hymn Book, besides other necessary and useful articles.

"Dovercourt" has supplied the camps with 8000 pages of literature.

"Willard" sent one large parcel of literature, containing over 1000 pages, to Mr. J. B. Dobie, Thessalon; also one large scrap-book, one Testament and one hymn book.

#### FLOWER MISSION.

The Delicacy Mission of the Northern W. C. T. U. with Mrs. Trick, Superintendent, distributed to the sick : 31 qrts. delicacies, 5½ doz eggs, 1 doz oranges, 2 cakes, 1 lb barley and 4 beef shanks, 1 package corn starch, 36 articles clothing, 5 packages magazines, 2 books, 24 texts of scripture, as well as beef tea, blanc mange etc., etc.

These were donated by Mesdames Fotheringham, Trick, Clark, Young, Fielding, Currelley, Smith, Hagg, D. Rose, C. A. Wilson, Gibson, Christie, Shepherd, F. Wilson, Mathews and Pansy Band 2 books.

There has been a Flower Mission started in the Dovercourt W. C. T. U. which reports a large number of boquets and delicacies distributed.

Central Y. W. C. T. U. Flower and Delicacy Mission distributed 10,000 boquets with texts of scripture attached. 102 qrts of delicacies, 18 doz eggs, 15 doz oranges, 6 cakes, 15 baskets of ripe fruit, 2000 pages of literature, clothing to fifty families. Average number of visits per week, thirty-five. Average number of workers, eight. Christmas dinners or the material for the dinners to fifty families.

Have held a number of prayer meetings in homes.

Donations in money.

Mesdames Robinson, Stark, Bremner and Bascom. Northern W. C. T. U. Per Mrs. Dick, Mrs. Bailey, Wilkes, Malcolm, Armstrong, Gun, Misses Geikie, Smith, Wood, Cook, McDonald, and others. Total \$96.60.

Provision for the Xmas dinners Deer Park W. C. T. U., Northern, Mesdames Bowes, Fielding, Piercy, Moore, Creelman, Cowan, Green, Garrett, Malcolm, Cook, Wilkes, Waldie, Watson, Misses McConnell, McClelland, McDonald, McDonell Campbell, Williamson, Geikie, Wood, Smith and others. One little boy gave a tenth of his pocket money and bought a chicken to be given to the poor.

Donations of fruit from Mesdames Stark, Waldie, Robinson, Meredith, Smith, Green, Malcolm, Hodgkins, Mr. Simpson, Misses

Wills, Geikie, Wilkes, Cook, Hastings and others, also clothing from Mesdames Stark, Robinson, Fielding, Garrett, Teskey, Meredith, Green, Misses Wilkes, Geikie, Cook, Williamson, Lee, Smith, Wood, Waldie, and King's Daughters Service Circle.

Literature from Miss Carroll Mesdames Stark, Fielding and others. 1 ton coal from Mr W. R. Teskey, 2 lbs. tea from East India Tea Co., 1 table spread and 5 pair of pillow shams from Mrs. Stark, 1 quilt from Mrs. Huburtis, 3 mattresses from Mrs. Couch.

Donations of flowers from florists, Messrs. Tidy, Dunlop, Hill, Slight, Cottrell, Mrs. Stark and others.

A branch of the "Y" Flower Mission, under Misses McConnell and Garrett has done good work distributing since March, 534 boquets and 6 glasses jelly, with an average of 4 workers per week. They have visited regularly Grace Hospital, private homes and occasionally the Convalescent Home and St. John's Hospital, General Hospital, Home for Incurables, Old Folks' Home, Hayter St. Orphanage, "Sick Children's Hospital," and "Girls' Home," also supplied flowers to the "Nursing at Home."

Progress in the work—one new mission in the Dovercourt W. C. T. U. and a branch mission in Dovercourt Y's. This is a very important work and we would urge on every union to do something in this line, if not by carrying on a Flower Mission to at least lend a helping hand to those in the work, by growing flowers or preparing fruit or other delicacies or sending clothing, mended and ready for the poor.

CHATTIE COOK,  
*Superintendent.*

#### PARLOR MEETINGS.

*Parkdale* reports a Parlor Meeting at residence of Mrs. McKellar on Crusade Day. The President of District gave an address, and many new members were added to the list.

*Northern* gave a Parlor Social at the residence of Mrs. Daniel Rose, which was very successful. Mrs. Thornley, Prov. President, gave an interesting address.

*Western* held a Parlor Meeting, the same evening.

A social was given by Mrs. W. H. Orr of *Central*, for benefit of Headquarters Fund.

The annual Tea in March, at Headquarters was very successful. After refreshments, an interesting programme of Songs, Readings and Speeches was rendered.

*Gordon* held a Garden Party in the summer and sent a handsome donation to Headquarters.

Mrs. Daniel Rose,  
*Superintendent.*

## LUMBERMEN.

*(The first part of this report will be found on Page 34)*

"Deer Park" has been doing faithful work in distributing papers "Central" sent, in all, 304 papers and periodicals, also several comfort bags, containing many articles of use and comfort.

Miss Garrett of Howland Ave., very kindly donated 75 hymn books that were given to the ladies for distribution in the camps.

Another Union reported having supplied two camps with literature; some scrap-books also to Thessalon, in addition to the papers sent weekly. Rev. Dr. Dewart, ex-editor of The Christian Guardian, kindly consented to give, last fall, forty papers per week to the ladies for the work among lumbermen.

"Western" reports having sent 2000 pages also three comfort bags.

Several letters expressing the thanks of the presidents of the Co's and the appreciation of the men, have been received by myself and the local Superintendents.

(MRS.) LETITIA LYTLE,  
*Superintendent.*

## SCHOOL OF METHODS.

Feb. 21st was devoted to a School of Methods which was held in the hall of the Y.W.C.A. and was conducted by the President.

We were favoured with the presence and able assistance of our Provincial President and Mrs. Pratt of Hamilton, whose earnest plea for more Band of Hope work, we hope will be acceded to as the Unions are planning for the coming year's work.

The subjects taken up were "How to Make Our Meetings Interesting," by Miss Tilley, Cor.-Sec. of the Dominion Union; "Our Journal, Why Take It?" by Mrs. Letitia Youmans; "A Parliamentary Drill," by Mrs. Thornley taking Woman's Suffrage as the subject; "Flower Missions," by Mrs. Fotheringham Dominion Supt. A tray of glasses filled with jellies and custards ready for the sick was much admired as was also the different text cards and text roll exhibited; "Juvenile Work" by Mrs. Pratt was full of information as to how to manage Bands of Hope. "Why Mothers Should Belong to the W. C. T. U." by Mrs. McDonell; "Requisites of a Successful Supt." by Mrs. Thornley was thoroughly practical and if the suggestions were carried out would ensure a model Supt.

The devotional exercises in the morning were conducted by Mrs. Hodgkins, President of Deer Park, and in the afternoon by Mrs. Abercrombie of Parkdale Union. Noon-tide prayer was led by Mrs. Bascom.

A dainty lunch was spread at Headquarters both at noon and at tea hour and many ladies availed themselves of it and spent the

time in pleasant social intercourse. In the evening a meeting was held in the lecture room of Elm St. Methodist Church with Mrs. McDonell in the chair. The address of the evening was given by Mrs. Thornley. We were indebted to Miss Beatrice Wilson, Mr. Jury and a trio of ladies for music which added greatly to our pleasure, afternoon and evening.

In connection with this a table with samples of literature was supplied.

A. O. RUTHERFORD, *Supt.*

MRS. ABERCROMBIE, *Assist. Supt.*

### WORK AMONG COLORED PEOPLE.

#### GOLDEN LEAGUE.

The annual meeting of the Golden League was held on the 20th November. A programme was rendered by the League and refreshments served at the close. There was a good attendance, addresses being given by Mrs. F. S. Spence, Mr. Burnett, Mr. Robertson, and others. During the year 39 meetings have been held with a total attendance of 522, an average attendance of nearly 14 and 18 visitors.

Addresses were given during the winter by Mrs. Dr. Hodgkin, on "Nature"; Miss Angus, on "The Stars"; Miss E. Wills, on "Temperance"; Miss McConnell, on "Some Elements in Character Building"; Mr. Fasken of Knox College, on "How a Young Man Should Spend his Evenings"; and another on "How to Save Your Money"; Mr. Borland, on "The Building of Character"; Mr. Elliott, on "Idleness" Mr. Blackley on "A Trip to the West Indies"; Mr. Burnett, on "Objects, of Life and Self Control." Gospel addresses were also given by Miss Robb, Mr. Yellowlees, Rev. W. A. Hunter, Rev. W. G. Wallace and others. All these addresses were much enjoyed by the members.

The pledges received a great many signatures during the year.

Two of our meetings were of a social character. One of these being held in February, and the other our closing meeting for the summer, the last Tuesday in June, at which Miss Skinner addressed the members and Miss Martha Smith, B. E., recited. We have lost several of our most active members during the year owing to their removal from the city.

E. J. Spence,  
*President.*

Dove  
ertainn  
After w  
program  
ed this  
The  
parents

Park  
weeks  
West  
stations  
Deer  
Gord  
Union  
The S  
that U  
tributio

Dur  
ings un  
Reform  
second  
I. F  
closing  
Toront  
thereby  
ways,  
large,  
present

## BAND OF HOPE.

Central reports	1	Band with	40	members,
Western	"	2	Bands	" 300 "
Dovercourt	"	1	"	" 84 "
Central Y	"	1	"	" 120 "
Five Bands—membership 544.				

Dovercourt Superintendent says they had a very successful entertainment during the winter and served tea to about 100 children. After which a public meeting was held, the children providing the programme. In the summer they had a picnic, and God has blessed this work in many ways.

The Y. Superintendent states that the children induced their parents to come to the meetings and there was a large attendance.

Mrs. F. Wilson,  
*Superintendent.*

## RAILROAD.

Parkdale supplied stations weekly with the exception of two weeks during the year.

Western has distributed 11,340 pages in G. T. R. and C. P. R. stations.

Deer Park supplied Scollard St. conductors waiting room.

Gordon has distributed 15,000 pages in the Hospital and at Union Station.

The Superintendent of the Gordon desires to thank the ladies of that Union for supplying her with papers and leaflets for distribution.

(MRS.) P. YATES  
*Superintendent.*

## FRANCHISE.

## GORDON REPORT.

During November and December, '94, we held several public meetings under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. called "Woman's Civic Reform." At these meetings the following resolutions were moved, seconded and carried:

I. Resolved That in the opinion of this meeting the early closing of places licensed to sell intoxicating liquors in the city of Toronto, would check materially the drink outlay of men, who thereby waste money that would otherwise be spent in legitimate ways, to the general advantage and financial benefit of our city at large, this waste being one of the most potent causes of the present financial suffering.

II. Resolved That polling booths be not held in or at the rear of cigar stores.

III. Resolved That polling places be on the ground floor and easy of access, otherwise many are hindered from expressions by ballot.

At these meetings the temperance sentiments of the prospective Aldermen were discussed, and those endorsed only, who were prohibitionists or would support any measure brought forward to check the increase of this legalized traffic.

What we need is education on this line, the term "Woman's Rights" carries an unpleasant odour with it. Women are difficult to approach on the subject, and "asking the husband at home" theory is exploded. We need a plan by which we can educate the *educated* women on the line of home protection.

Three ladies canvassed every day for three weeks, for our lady school Trustees and Aldermen, visiting every woman who votes in the Ward.

MRS. HARRISON,  
*Superintendent.*

#### SCIENTIFIC TEMPERANCE

Greater interest is being taken in the work of this department by the different unions of the city. During the past year the Northern and Willard have fallen into line and appointed Superintendents. Several others have promised if possible to do the same.

Northern visited one school and distributed literature; the Superintendent hopes to do good work next year.

Willard has also visited all the schools in their boundaries. She found that temperance lessons were given regularly and satisfactorily. Although Parkdale has no Superintendent, the Superintendent of Band of Hope reports that S. Temperance Instruction is given in all the schools of Parkdale, also in their Band of Hope.

Central reports similarly.

Central Y's, Miss Wills Superintendent, have again done good work; weekly lessons were given in Miss How's division of Elizabeth St. School from Oct. until the end of May and the result of the work as manifested in the written examination at the close of the season was very satisfactory and encouraging. Prizes were awarded to the successful competitors and were much appreciated.

Last April Miss Wills entered on her 6th year of work, in connection with Elizabeth St. School and it is gratifying to be able to report that Miss How, who rarely loses sight of one who has been

her pupil, testifies that not one boy, who has been a member of this class, has fallen into drinking habits after leaving school. Such a testimony speaks volumes.

The library established in that school in 1892 still continues to do good work. Books suitable for juvenile readers are received from kind friends from time to time. To Miss Tilley our hearty thanks are especially due for a very large donation of papers and magazines. 9094 pages of literature were distributed during the year. The annual Teacher's Social was held in Feb. in the Y. W. C. A. Hall. The attendance was not so large as we hoped for; the invitations for several schools were unfortunately overlooked in the School Board Offices until the day before the social. This probably accounts in some degree for the small attendance.

Addresses were given by the Hon. G. W. Ross, J. L. Hughes, our President and others. Refreshments were served and a pleasant and profitable evening spent.

These mass socials do not seem to accomplish the end we have in view and your Superintendent would recommend, that if socials are to be continued, smaller ones be held in different parts of the city.

MRS. MOFFAT,  
*Superintendent.*

---

### UNFERMENTED WINE.

All the Methodist, Baptist, Congregational, Reformed Episcopal, Disciples of Christ and about two-thirds of the Presbyterian churches use unfermented wine.

(Mrs.) H. WALKER,  
*Superintendent.*

---

### PRESS.

At the beginning of the year, the circular letter furnished by the Provincial Press Superintendent was sent to each union, and on the whole there has been an advance in this work. While space is denied in a few cases for W. C. T. U. matter, the general verdict is, "more willingness to offer space free than there are women to furnish the supply of suitable matter;" and the editors of our city dailies almost without exception have been exceedingly kind in publishing notices and reports of District and Local Union meetings, also, in sending reporters to many open meetings.

A Notice of School of Methods and a copy of a paper by Mrs. McDonell on "A Woman's reasons for uniting with the W. C. T. U." was sent to Woman's Journal, Ottawa, on March 12th.

March 19—13 notices of the High Tea, and some tickets to dailies and Enders.

March 22—4 notices of County Convention and 2 personals sent to dailies.

March 29—8 items regarding Mrs. Williams' death and Memorial Service.

30 items on Mrs. Barney's meetings were sent to dailies and Enders.

May 29 and 30—Notices and reports of the Sectional meeting in connection with the Woman's Council were sent. 7 to dailies and 5 to Enders.

June 11—11 notices of Methodist Conference Temperance Meeting sent to dailies.

56 notices of District Meetings sent to dailies, 40 of District Meetings sent to Enders. Total 105 to dailies and 70 to Enders. Number of letters written 67.

Exhibition Week, Press Representatives were invited to luncheon at the tent, and several responded in person, showing an interest in the work.

*Central*, 18 notices sent to the daily papers.

*Willard*, 20 notices in West Ender.

*Parkdale*, 20 notices of meetings and 10 items in Parkdale papers. Crusade Day (parlor meeting) was reported in Globe, Mail, and Telegram.

*Bathurst*, sent 13 items to the Globe, Mail, Star, News, and Telegram.

*"Y" Report.* The past year has been an unusually busy one. So many opportunities have been given us for saying a word for our work through the medium of the press. The number of letters written through the year is 123. Local items sent to the city papers and as a general rule inserted. The columns of the London "Home Guard" were generously placed at our disposal and letters concerning any department of our work always found a welcome.

*Northern* reported meetings and sent items to local papers 30 times and twice to daily papers.

(Mrs.) A. G. WILSON,  
*Superintendent.*

## FIRE HALLS.

Parkdale reports Fire Hall supplied every week with The Christian Guardian and other papers.

Gordon supplied over 50 pages to each of two Fire Halls,

Western supplied one Fire Hall.

Central, papers and magazines, 1664 pages.

MRS C. BOWBEER,  
*Superintendent.*

## WOMAN'S JOURNAL.

Central takes	12	copies.	Western takes	2	copies.
Parkdale	"	16	Willard	"	7
Gordon	"	3	Northern	"	11
Deer Park	"	2	Central Y's	"	10

—  
Total 63

MRS. COXHEAD,  
*Superintendent.*

## WORK AMONG YOUNG PEOPLE.

A considerable amount of satisfactory work has been done in this department during the past year.

Most of the unions have been visited and an urgent request made that a superintendent be appointed. Several of the Young People's societies have been visited and urged to the importance and necessity of some action being taken in the great moral question of temperance. Never was there a time when the efforts of the young people in this direction were more thoroughly and more earnestly demanded than at this hour.

If our young people can be taught Total Abstinence principles in the line of Bible teachings we will hope to have no more drunkards. As Mrs. Bradley says "Let us this year strive to make smoking so odious that young men will not feel free to indulge openly; young women will not lend their influence for the spread of this curse. Let us use our young people wherever we can on programmes for public meetings; get them to take an open stand against these habits."

*Superintendents* { MRS. T. F. CHAMBERLAIN.  
                                  { MRS. J. H. LOCKE.

## SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

Your Superintendents regret that they have so little to report, which is largely owing to the protracted illness of one and no pressing need being brought to bear upon the department. One meeting only has been held during the year which has been mentioned by our Evangelistic Superintendent; but we might add that at that meeting one of your Superintendents (Mrs. McLennan) took the chair, and though confined to her home the other (Mrs. Forster) wrote a paper on Sabbath Observance, which was read by her friend Mrs. S. S. Martin; a collection was taken up that afternoon amounting to \$1.20 which is in the hands of the District Treasurer to be used for literature.

Though not doing active work your Superintendents have corresponded and received most encouraging letters from Mr. Charlton, M. P.; Rev. Dr. Withrow and others. Dr. Withrow supplied us with literature on this most important question and with some obtained from other sources we trust the seeds have been sown which will bear fruit in the coming year. We would recommend a Superintendent to be appointed in each Local Union and in view of the vote being taken this summer on the running of our street cars on Sabbath we urge the necessity of appointing District Superintendents or Superintendents who can and will devote the time necessary, and are good platform speakers.

Supts. ( MRS. JAS. FORSTER,  
( MRS. MCLELLAN,

## SABBATH SCHOOL WORK.

*Central*—Reports 3 Sunday School addresses. Bond St. Congregational by Mrs. Mason; Mission and Knox S. School by Mrs. Cowan. Pledge cards not used in all schools.

*Western*—30 names in the Baptist S. S. Pledge Book during the year. Nearly all of 1100 members of the Wesley S. S. have signed the pledge and the Temperance lessons are taught regularly.

*Parkdale*—All the children in the Methodist Church of Parkdale pledged.

*Deer Park*—In addition to the regular S. S. lessons frequent addresses given.

*Dovercourt*—The Mission S. S. attendance 40, pledged children of the Band of Hope 84, and regular attendance 38.

*Central Y's*—In the S. S. where the pledge is not circulated as part of the regular work of the school some of the Y's have circulated such. One got her entire class of 6 or 8 boys to sign, another pledged 28 boys and 2 girls, besides others who asked for pledge

cards. Four addresses on the necessity of Temperance teaching in the S. S. were given, and two articles were, by request, written for the papers

Willard—Trinity Church (Methodist) reports 53 pledged.  
 Dovercourt—Presbyterian S. S. over 70 “  
 “ —Centennial Methodist 60 “  
 (MRS.) S. HILBORN,  
*Supt.*

KITCHEN GARDEN.

During the past year three K. G. classes have been in operation in which between 50 and 60 girls have been instructed in the rudiments of housekeeping. One was held in the Orphans' Home and one in the Young Women's Association, both under the Superintendence of Miss Johnson; the other in Sackville Mission Hall with your Superintendent as manager. Work was commenced in November and brought to a close in May when a very successful exhibition of the united classes, assisted by the Victor Hall K. G. Class was held in the Pavilion, at which Mrs. Kirkpatrick was present as patroness, and a large and appreciative audience.

(MISS) LIZZIE S. FAIRCLOTH,  
*Superintendent.*

NARCOTICS.

The only work done in this department was by the Central Y. W. C. T. U.

(MRS.) E. C. RUTHERFORD,  
*Superintendent.*

ANTI-TOBACCO LEAGUE.

A new feature this year was the formation of an Anti-Tobacco League with a membership of eighty-two boys. It was taken up under the department of Scientific Temperance Instruction, being the result of a series of lessons on tobacco and its effects on boys. This league, like the Band of Hope and the S. T. Instruction Class, is in connection with the Elizabeth Street School, and its membership includes almost the entire number of boys on the roll. The officers are all boys, President, Vice-President, Secretary and Committee of Management, consisting of ten members. The name chosen is "Anti-Tobacco League No 1 of Toronto" and the pledge reads as follows:—

"I pledge myself upon honor to abstain from using tobacco in

any form until I reach the age of twenty-one years, and to try to get all other boys to agree to do the same."

The following gentlemen were present at the opening meeting and delivered addresses: Public School Inspector, Mr. J. L. Hughes (who occupied the chair); Mr. J. J. Kelso, Superintendent of neglected children; Dr. Harley Smith, and School Trustee Mr. E. P. Roden.

Mr. Hughes, Mr. Roden, and Dr. Smith became honorary members of the League, and in addition Mr. Hughes has generously presented every member with a badge in the form of a very pretty button, bearing the device of a maple branch and a beaver, also the inscription A. T. L. Toronto.

E. WILLS,  
*Supt. S. T. I.*

---

DONATIONS TO BUILDING FUND.

Collected by Central Union	
Mrs. D. Cowan.....	\$5 00
Hon. G. W. Ross.....	5 00
Messrs. Goulding & Son.....	5 00
Messrs. Steele, Briggs & Co..	5 00
Ald. John Donogh.....	5 00
G. B. Sweetnam.....	5 00
J. Herbert Mason.....	5 00
J. N. McKendry.....	5 00
Dr. Williamson.....	5 00
W. H. Orr.....	5 00
Mrs. W. H. Orr.....	5 00
Mr. Gowans.....	5 00
J. W. L. Forster.....	3 00
Mrs. St. Croix.....	3 00
Mrs. F. S. Spence.....	3 00
Mr. Davies.....	2 00
Messrs. Swan Bros.....	2 00
Mrs. Wilkes.....	2 00
Messrs. Lailey, Watson & Co..	2 00
Mr. Tackaberry.....	1 00
Mr. Hamilton.....	1 00
Mr. Mason.....	1 00
Mr. McDonell.....	1 00
Mr. Maughan.....	1 00
Mr. J. Taylor.....	1 00
H. C. Blachford.....	1 00
F. X. Consineau.....	1 00
W. A. Murray.....	1 00
Ed. Dagge.....	1 00

Collected by Parkdale Union	
Mr. Horace Thorne.....	50 00
Ald. Scott.....	20 00
Mrs. E. A. Stevens.....	5 00
H. MacMath.....	5 00
Mrs. MacMath.....	4 00
Mrs. Bascom.....	3 00
Mrs. Woodley.....	1 00

Collected by Western Union	
Elias Rogers.....	10 00

Collected by Bathurst Union	
Wm. Carlyle.....	5 00

Collected by Willard Union	
Mrs. Gregg.....	5 00
Mrs. Henderson.....	2 50
Mrs. Lytle.....	1 75
Mrs. J. A. Smith.....	1 25

Collected by Northern Union	
Mrs. T. C. Jeffers.....	2 75
Mrs. C. A. Wilson.....	2 00
Mrs. Brownell.....	2 00
Mrs. Craig.....	1 00
Mrs. J. Tait.....	1 00
Mrs. O. C. S. Wallace.....	1 00
Mrs. Haag.....	1 00
Mrs. Hazlitt.....	1 00
Mrs. Booth.....	1 00
Mrs. Hitchcock.....	1 00
Mrs. (Rev. Dr.) Potts.....	1 00
Mrs. (Dr.) McKenzie.....	1 00
Mrs. Fotheringham.....	1 00
Mrs. G. M. Lee.....	1 00
Mrs. Trick.....	1 00
Mrs. Curelley.....	1 00
Miss Mear.....	1 00
Rev. M. Fawcett.....	1 00
Mr. Brooks.....	1 00
Daniel Rose.....	1 00

\$224 25

RECAPITULATION.

Collected by Central Union	87 00
“ “ Parkdale	“ 88 00
“ “ Western	“ 10 00
“ “ Bathurst	“ 5 00
“ “ Willard	“ 10 50
“ “ Northern	“ 23 75
“ “*Creighton	“
from Miss Mowat	5 00

\$229 25

\*Too late for Audit.

## CONSTITUTION OF PROVINCIAL W. C. T. U.

## PLEDGE.

I hereby promise, God helping me, to abstain from all distilled, fermented and malt liquor, including beer, wine and cider, as a beverage, and to employ all proper means to discourage the use of and traffic in the same.

## PREAMBLE.

We, the women of the Province of Ontario, deeply sensible of the increasing evils, alarmed at the tendencies and dangers of, and commiserating the misery caused by the liquor traffic, believe it has become our duty, under the providence of God, to UNITE our efforts for its extermination.

Therefore, in order to strengthen and encourage each other in the accomplishment of this important end, we do, on this the 24th day of October, 1877, band ourselves together for the following special objects, and to be governed by the following Constitution and By-Laws.

## ARTICLE I.

*Name*—This organization shall be known as the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of the Province of Ontario.

*Objects*—To unitedly array the Christian women of Ontario against the manufacture, sale and use of intoxicating liquor as a beverage.

To educate and influence society in favor of sobriety and virtue.

To impress upon the youth of our province the awful responsibility resting upon those either supporting or engaged in the liquor traffic, and the folly as well as guilt of partaking of intoxicants of any kind, or in any form.

To gather statistics, facts and incidents relating to the traffic in intoxicating liquors, and make use of them in such a way as will best promote the interests of Temperance.

To labor *individually* for the inebriate, the liquor seller, the fallen of our own sex, and for the neglected masses in our cities and towns, hitherto unreached and uncared for.

To give active expression to our sympathy with the family of the inebriate, and to endeavor to elevate his children from the debasing influences with which they are surrounded.

To heartily co-operate with other Temperance Societies in combating the evils of intemperance, and to unite with any other society or association which is endeavoring justly, appropriately, and guided by Christian principles, to procure total prohibition of the liquor traffic.

To strive by every means in our power to secure the thorough enforcement of the temperance laws we already possess.

For the accomplishment of these objects we shall faithfully and conscientiously employ all the means God has placed within our reach, and we shall continually seek his direction and blessing upon our work.

*Officers*—The officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Treasurer and Auditor. These Officers (excepting the Auditor), together with the County or District Presidents (who shall also be Vice Presidents of Provincial Union), and Superintendents of Departments, shall constitute an Executive Board, with full power to control and provide for the general interests of the work.

*Election of Officers*—These officers, with the exception of County or District Presidents, Superintendents of Departments and Auditor, shall be elected on the third day of the Annual Meeting and in the following manner: Tellers having been appointed by the President, an informal ballot shall be cast for each officer separately, and the members of the Convention shall then proceed

to vote by ballot for the two candidates having the greatest number of votes cast, except where one nominee shall receive three-quarters of the ballots cast, when, on motion, the informal may be made the formal ballot.

*Superintendents of Departments*—Superintendents of Departments shall be nominated by the officers, including Presidents of organized counties, and elected at the Annual Meeting. Their election shall be by acclamation unless otherwise ordered.

## ARTICLE III.

*Sub-Committee*—The President, Vice President, Recording and Corresponding Secretaries and Treasurer shall form a Sub-Committee of the Executive Board, for the speedy transaction of business, with power to fill vacancies which may occur during the year, three of whom shall form a quorum. This committee shall meet at such time and place as the President may direct.

## ARTICLE IV.

*Membership*—The annual meeting shall be composed of the Executive Board, one delegate from each affiliated Union, and one additional delegate for every twenty paying members of such Union. This meeting shall be held the last week in October, in such place as may be determined by the previous annual meeting, or by the Executive.

## ARTICLE V.

*Affiliation*—Each Local Union shall contribute to the funds of the Provincial Union at the rate of twenty-five cents per paying member yearly, thus becoming auxiliary to the Provincial Union.

## ARTICLE VI.

*Life-Members*—Any person may become a life-member of the Provincial Union by signing the pledge, and the payment of \$25.

*Honorary Members*—Any person may become an honorary member by signing the pledge, and paying the sum of \$1 annually.

## BY-LAWS.

## SECTION I.

*President*—The President, shall preside at annual meetings and meetings of the Executive Committee, and perform all duties pertaining to her office.

## SECTION II.

*Vice-President*—The Vice-President, in case of illness or death of the President, shall perform all the duties pertaining to her office.

## SECTION III.

*Corresponding-Secretary*—The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Union, and, in organized counties, shall send to the County or District Corresponding Secretary, not later than September 1st, yearly blank forms for reports of Local Unions, and from information thus received, shall summarize her annual report. Where no County or District Union exists she shall send blank forms to the Local Union. She shall provide a directory of Unions for Provincial Report.

## SECTION IV.

*Recording-Secretary*—The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of the Union. She shall also be Secretary of the Executive and

Sub-Committee, and shall send to each member of these said committees proper notice of such meeting, and designate in said notice the topics which are to be specially considered at the meeting. At the first session of each annual meeting she shall call the roll of delegates. She shall read the minutes of all sessions of the Executive Committee since the last annual meeting, and all papers ordered to be read. She shall apprise committees of their appointment at the first session of each annual meeting. She shall also perform all other duties usual to the office.

## SECTION V.

*Treasurer*—It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to keep accurate accounts of all receipts and disbursements of money, and present a detailed report thereof, properly audited, at each annual meeting. She shall pay no bills except on orders signed by the President and Recording-Secretary. The fiscal year shall terminate two weeks previous to the annual meeting.

## SECTION VI.

*County-Presidents*—Each County or District President in organized counties shall visit the Unions of the County or District in which she presides and shall secure the organization of new Local Unions. The Annual County or District Meeting to be held, where practicable, not later than September 30th.

In unorganized counties, she shall, in addition to visiting Unions, seek to secure the organization of new Local Unions, and, if possible, a County or District Union. In unorganized counties, a sum not exceeding \$5 annually be allowed her for expenses by the Provincial Union.

Any city having an affiliated membership of 300, may, by adopting the County Union Constitution, become a District Union with all the privileges and responsibilities of a County Union.

## SECTION VII.

*Superintendents of Departments*—Superintendents of Departments shall avail themselves of all opportunities for the furtherance of practical work in their departments, and shall make known the same to the County or District Superintendent of their departments, through whom they shall receive reports of Local Superintendents. In unorganized counties they shall send direct to Corresponding Secretaries of Local Unions; they shall annually, when the interests of their department require it, send circulars, plan of work, blank forms, petitions, etc., which have been previously submitted to the Sub-Executive of Provincial Union, to County and District Superintendents.

They shall have power to name a committee from the Local Union, or Provincial Executive resident in their own district, to call upon influential bodies when the interests of their department demand it. All necessary expenses shall be borne by the Provincial Union.

## SECTION VIII.

*Sub-Committee*—Necessary expenses of the Sub-Committee of the Executive Board in travelling to and from the Annual Meeting and Special Meetings, also for postage, stationery and printing shall be borne by the Provincial Union.

## SECTION IX. •

*Rules of Order*—The rules contained in "Roberts' Rules of Order" shall govern the Union in all cases to which they are applicable, and in which they are not inconsistent with the Constitution and By-Laws of this Union.

## SECTION X.

*Constitution*—This Constitution may be altered or amended by a two-thirds vote at any Annual Meeting, notice having been given in writing of such change at the previous Annual Meeting.

## CONSTITUTION OF THE TORONTO DISTRICT W. C. T. U.

### PLEDGE :

I hereby promise, God helping me, to abstain from all distilled, fermented and malt liquor, including wine, beer and cider, as a beverage, and to employ all proper means to discourage the use of and traffic in the same.

### ARTICLE I.

*Name*—This organization shall be known as the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Toronto District.

*Object*—The object shall be to strengthen the local Unions, and assist them in carrying out the plans of the Provincial Union, and to arouse the women of the district to organized effort for the banishment of the liquor traffic.

### ARTICLE II.

*Officers*—The officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Treasurer and auditor. These officers, (except the auditor) together with the Presidents of Local Unions (who shall also be *ex-officio* Vice Presidents) and Superintendents of Departments, shall constitute an Executive Committee, with full power to provide for the interests of the work. Secretaries of Local Unions in District Unions shall be members of the District Union. These officers, with the exception of Local Presidents, Superintendents of Departments and Auditor shall be elected at the Annual Meeting and in the following manner: Tellers having been appointed by the President, an informal ballot shall be cast for each officer separately, and the members of the Convention shall then proceed to vote by ballot for the two candidates having the highest number of votes cast. Except where one nominee shall receive three quarters vote of the ballots cast, when on motion the informal may be made the formal ballot.

*Superintendents of Departments*—Superintendents shall be nominated by the District Sub-executive and Presidents of the Local Unions and elected at the Annual Meeting. Their election shall be by acclamation unless otherwise ordered.

### ARTICLE III.

*Sub-Committee*—The President, Vice-President, Recording and Corresponding Secretaries, and Treasurer shall form a Sub-Committee of the Executive Board for the speedy transaction of business, with power to fill vacancies which may occur during the year; three of whom shall form a quorum. This committee shall meet at such a time and place as the President shall direct.

### ARTICLE IV.

*Annual Meeting*—The Annual Meeting shall be composed of the Executive Board, and one delegate for every five paying members of each affiliated Local Union. This meeting shall be held not later than the 30th September, if possible, in such place as may be determined by the previous Annual Meeting; or by the Executive.

### ARTICLE V.

*Committee of Arrangements*—The President and the Corresponding Secretary of District shall be a Committee of Arrangement, selecting topics of discussion, and devising means to make the meetings interesting and profitable.

### ARTICLE VI.

*Affiliation*—Each Local Union shall contribute to the funds of the District Union at the rate of five cents per paying member yearly, thus becoming auxiliary to the District Union.

## BY-LAWS.

## SECTION I.

1. The President shall preside at Annual Meeting and meeting of Executive Committee, and may through Recording Secretary call Special Meetings of that Committee when such are required; visit the Unions in District and organize new Local Unions. She shall also perform all other duties usual to such office.
2. Vice-President shall preside at meetings in absence of the President. She shall also, when required, assist the President in organization and general management of the work.
3. The Corresponding Secretary shall attend to the correspondence of the District Union. One month before the Annual Meeting she shall send blank forms to the Local Corresponding Secretary of each Union for their report, from which she shall prepare her report for District Union and Provincial Corresponding Secretary.  
At the close of the Annual Meeting, she shall provide a printed or written directory of District and Local Union officer and Superintendent.  
A copy of this directory shall be sent to each Provincial, County or District and Local President and Corresponding Secretary and Superintendent. She shall notify District Superintendents and Committees of their appointment.
4. The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of proceedings of District Union. She shall also be Secretary of the Executive Committee, and shall send to each member of the Committee notice of its meetings.  
At the first session of each Annual Meeting, she shall read the minutes of each session of Executive Committee since the last Annual Meeting. She shall perform all other duties usual to the office.
5. The Treasurer shall keep accurate accounts of all receipts and disbursements of money, and present a detailed account thereof at each Annual Meeting.  
She shall not pay any bills except on receipt of written order from President and Recording Secretary.  
She shall collect all unpaid *district affiliation fees* before Annual Meeting, and endeavor to secure contributions for District Union work. She shall also forward to the Provincial Treasurer the half-yearly provincial affiliation fees received from Local Unions.
6. Superintendents of Departments shall avail themselves of all opportunities for the furtherance of practical work in their Departments, and shall make known the same to Local Union Superintendents, from whom they should secure, as far as possible, returns for District Union reports, all necessary expense to be borne by the District Union. These in turn shall be given to Provincial Superintendents, from which they may make up complete reports for Provincial Union. The District and Local Superintendents of any Department shall form a Committee to carry on its work when united action is essential.
7. The Executive Committee shall appoint Superintendents of Departments and special committees.
8. The expenses of the five General Officers in travelling to and from meetings of the Union, also for postage, stationery and President's expenses in visiting Local Unions, shall be paid from the funds of County or District Union.
9. This constitution may be altered or amended by a two-thirds vote at any Annual Meeting of the Provincial Union, notice having been given in writing, of such change at the previous Annual Meeting of the Provincial Union by the Recording Secretary of the District

## CONSTITUTION FOR LOCAL UNIONS.

---

### ARTICLE I.

*Name*—This organization shall be known as the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of—Auxiliary to the Ontario Provincial W. C. T. U.

*Object*—The object of this Union shall be to meet together for prayer and conference, to educate public sentiment to the standard of total abstinence, to train the young, save the inebriate, to secure the complete extinction of the liquor traffic and to enter into any Christian work to which the Lord may call.

*Pledge*—I hereby promise, God helping me, to abstain from all distilled, fermented, and malt liquors (including wine, beer and cider) as a beverage, and to employ all proper means to discourage the use of and traffic in the same.

### ARTICLE II.

*Membership*.—Any woman may become a member of this organization by signing the pledge, and by the payment of sixty cents per year. Gentlemen may become honorary members by signing the pledge and by the payment of the regular fee. They shall be entitled to all the privileges of members, except the vote and holding office.

### ARTICLE III.

*Officers*—The officers shall be a President, Vice-Presidents (one from each Church when practicable) a Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, and Auditor. These officers (excepting the Auditor), with the Superintendents of different Departments, shall constitute the Executive Committee. These officers shall be elected at the Annual Meeting, and in the following manner: Tellers having been appointed by the President, an informal ballot shall be cast for each officer separately, and the members shall then proceed to vote for the two candidates having the highest number of votes cast. Except where one nominee shall receive three-quarters vote of the ballot cast, when on motion the informal may be made the formal ballot. Superintendents of Departments shall be nominated by the Sub-executive, including the Vice-Presidents, and elected by the Union. Their election shall be by acclamation unless otherwise ordered.

### ARTICLE IV.

*Auxiliaryship*—Each Union shall pay to the funds of Provincial Union through the County or District Treasurer (in organized counties) the sum of twenty-five cents per paying member, and to the County or District Union the sum of five cents per paying member, yearly. This amount to be taken from the membership fee. In unorganized counties this sum shall be sent direct to the Provincial Treasurer.

### ARTICLE V.

*Annual Meeting*—The Annual Meeting of Local Unions shall be held early in September, for the election of officers and Superintendents, also for delegates County or District Union and Provincial Annual Meetings. At this meeting reports of Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer and Superintendents of departments shall be read and confirmed before being sent to the County or District Corresponding Secretary and Superintendent.

## BY-LAWS.

## SECTION I.

*President*—It shall be the duty of the President to preside at meetings of the organization, and to supervise its general interests, and she may, through the Recording Secretary, call special meetings, due notice being given to the members.

## SECTION II.

*Vice-Presidents*—It shall be the duty of each Vice-President to preside in her turn, in the absence of the President, and to enlist women of her own church in the work.

## SECTION III.

*Corresponding Secretary*—It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to conduct the correspondence of the Union, and to report to the Corresponding Secretary of the County or District Union yearly on receipt of blank form (having first submitted her report to the Local Union), giving such items of general interest as will enable said Secretary to judge correctly of the condition of the Union. She, with the Recording Secretary, shall also prepare the report for the Annual Meeting of the Local Union. They shall also, in unorganized counties, prepare a condensed report for the Provincial Convention, sending to the Provincial Corresponding Secretary two weeks before the date of Provincial Meeting. In small Unions the work of the Secretaries may be done by the Recording Secretary, if desirable.

## SECTION IV.

*Recording Secretary*—It shall be the duty of the Recording Secretary to keep a record of the proceedings of the Union, and notify members of meetings.

## SECTION V.

*Treasurer*—It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to collect all membership dues and to devise means to increase the funds of the organization. She shall receive and hold all money collected for the use of the Union, keeping an exact book account and making a monthly report of the same. She shall pay no bills except on an order signed by the President and the Recording Secretary. She shall forward regularly in organized counties to the County or District Treasurer, the half-yearly fees for the Provincial and County or District Unions.

## SECTION VI.

*Departments of Work*—If the demands of the work justify it, there shall be Departments of work to correspond with Provincial Departments, and such others as the needs of the locality seem to call for.

## SECTION VII.

*Duties of Superintendents of Departments*—Each Superintendent of a Department shall avail herself of all opportunities for the furtherance of practical work in her department, and report to Superintendent of same Department in County or District Union on or before the 17th day of September.

Where no county or district organization exists, the report should be sent to Provincial Superintendent of that Department.

## SECTION VIII.

*Meetings*—The regular meeting of the Union shall be held weekly, fortnight-

ly or monthly, as the Union may decide. The first meeting of the month shall be largely a devotional meeting. If possible, mass meetings shall be held quarterly.

The Executive and other committees shall meet as often as may be deemed advisable.

## SECTION IX.

*Quorum*—A quorum shall consist of such members as shall be present at a regular or special meeting, due notice of such meetings being given to the members.

## SECTION X.

*Delegates to Provincial Convention*—Delegates to the Provincial Union are received on the following basis: One of each Union and one additional delegate for every twenty paying members of each Union. The expenses of general officers and Superintendents of departments for postage, stationery, etc., shall be borne by the Union. Travelling expenses of delegates to annual Convention shall, where at all practicable, be borne by the Union sending those delegates.

W. C. T. U. MEMBERSHIP AND PLEDGE.

“FOR GOD, HOME AND HUMANITY.”

Any woman may become a member of this association by signing this Pledge, and by paying the sum of sixty cents per annum into the treasury of Local Union.

Gentlemen may become Honorary Members of this Association by signing the Pledge, and paying the sum of one dollar annually.

OUR PLEDGE.

*I Hereby Promise, God helping me, to abstain from the use of all Distilled, Fermented and Malt Liquors, including Wine, Beer and Cider, as a Beverage, and to employ all proper means to discourage the use of and traffic in the same.*

*Signature.....*

*Address,.....*

“I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.”—PHIL. iv. 13.

WHITE SHIELD PLEDGE.

“Keep thyself unspotted from the world.”—ST. JAMES, i. 27.

“Be strong and of good courage, fear not, for the Lord thy God, He it is that doth go with thee.”—DEUT. XXI . 6.

I.....

PROMISE, BY THE HELP OF GOD,

- 1.—To uphold the law of purity as equally binding upon men and women.
- 2.—To be modest in language, behavior and dress.
- 3.—To avoid all conversation, reading, art and amusements which put impure thoughts into my mind.
- 4.—To guard the purity of others, especially of my companions and friends.
- 5.—To strive after the special blessing promised to THE PURE IN HEART.

ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR DISTRICT UNION.

- Devotional Exercises.
- Reading Minutes.
- Unfinished Business.
- Correspondence.
- Reports of Committee.
- New Business.
- Treasurer's Report.
- Superintendents.
- Accounts.
- Miscellaneous Business.
- Closing.

FORM OF BEQUEST.

*I give and bequeath to the Toronto District W. C. T. U., the sum of \$.....(or Personal Property or Real Estate) to be used for carrying on Temperance work of said Society.*