

"FOR GOD AND HOME AND HUMANITY."

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REPORT AND DIRECTORY  
OF THE  
TORONTO DISTRICT  
Woman's Christian Temperance Union,

FOR 1891-92.

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ORGANIZED 1886. INCORPORATED 1888.

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"Union is Strength."

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### ORDER OF BUSINESS FOR DISTRICT UNION.

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

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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 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.

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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 may 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.

## HONORARY MEMBERS.

<p>W. G. Storm.            W. H. Howland.            Hon. G. W. Ross.            Rev. Dr. Parsons.            J. L. Hughes.            W. H. Orr.            H. O'Hara.            R. McDonell.            J. Forster.            J. T. Robertson.            T. Eaton.            G. A. Cox.            F. S. Spence.            G. B. Sweetnam.            J. J. McLaren.            Daniel Rose.            G. M. Rose.            J. B. Boustead.            Wm. Carlyle.            E. M. Morphy.            Wm. Houston, M.A.            Rev. D. V. Lucas, D.D.            Alderman Hugh MacMath.            James Dobson.            George Spence.            A. R. Williamson.            David Millar.            W. J. Hendry.            Rev. J. E. Lanceley.            John Rowland.            Peter McIntyre.            Mr. Davies.            Thos. M. Rowland.            H. T. Meredith.            Elias Rogers.            E. H. Hilborn.            S. R. Hanna.            J. Edd Stedman.            J. Coxhead.            J. W. McKendry.            Rev Mr. Parr.            Rev. Mr. Mutch.            G. Walker.            E. Galley.            B. Brick.            R. Galley.            Rev. Dr. Briggs.</p>	<p>Rev. Dr. Sutherland.            Silas James.            J. B. Marshall.            E. C. Rutherford.            W. Stutchbury.            Anthony Bell.            H. A. Brown.            Alderman Phillips.            T. A. Onderkirk.            E. Yeigh.            T. E. Earl.            W. McCartney.            Dr. Potts.            C. A. Stevens.            Dr. Wild.            Dr. Oronhyatekha.            John Donogh.            W. St. Croix.            G. Steele.            M. Gibbs.            Dr. Withrow.            W. H. Massey.            Rev. Galbraith, D.D.            Rev. W. J. Maxwell.            Rev. J. V. Smith, D.D.            J. L. Robertson.            Thos. Lawless.            Rev. I. A. C. McQuaig.            E. Coatsworth, Jr., M.P.            J. Crabbe.            Dr. W. W. Ogden.            U. P. McPherson.            G. F. Marter, M.P.P.            Mr. Glen.            David Maxwell.            Elmor Cline.            Chas. Forfar.            Warring Kennedy.            J. C. Jeffers.            W. D. McPherson.            Capt. Thompson.            W. A. Douglass. J. W. L. Forster.            W. S. Chapman. W. W. Hodgson.            Alex. Muir. Rich'd. Brown.            W. C. Wilkinson. Horace Wallis.            Joseph Tait, M.P.P. Mr. Revelley.            Rev. W. L. Scott. C. H. Bishop.</p>
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# TORONTO DISTRICT W. C. T. U.

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Meets first MONDAY in every month at Headquarters, 56 Elm Street, at 3 P.M., devotional meeting. Executive meeting last THURSDAY of every month at 3 P.M., same place.

### OFFICERS.

#### President :

MRS. R. McDONELL ..... Sunnyside

#### Vice-President :

MRS. W. CARLYLE..... 614 Spadina Avenue.

#### Corresponding Secretary :

MRS. (DR.) BASCOM ..... 72 Brunswick Avenue.

#### Recording Secretary :

MRS. J. FORSTER..... 114 Maitland Street.

#### Treasurer :

MRS. H. MACMATH..... 30 Lansdowne Avenue.

Presidents of Local Unions are Vice-Presidents, *ex-officio*, of the District Union.

#### Superintendents of Departments :

<i>Evangelistic</i> .....	Mrs. D. Cowan, 122 Huron Street.
<i>White Shield, or Social Purity</i> .....	Mrs. Jarman, 59 Simcoe Street.
<i>Sailors</i> .....	Mrs. Yates, 53 McGee Street.
<i>Soldiers</i> .....	Mrs. Henderson, 77 St. Patrick Street.
<i>Lumbermen</i> .....	Mrs. Lytle, 61 Ann Street.
<i>Railroad</i> .....	Mrs. Meredith, 186 McPherson Avenue.
<i>Conference with Influential Bodies</i> .....	District Officers.
<i>Hygiene and Heredity</i> .....	Mrs. Dr. Gullen, 461 Spadina Avenue.
<i>Scientific Temperance Instruction</i> .....	Mrs. Harrison, 8 Rose Avenue.
<i>Unfermented Wine</i> .....	Mrs. (Dr.) Troutman, 504 Spadina Avenue.
<i>Fair</i> .....	{ Mrs. Carlyle, 614 Spadina Avenue. Mrs. Hughes, 125 Givens Street.
<i>Franchise, Legislation and Petitions</i> .....	{ Mrs. Jacob Spence, 210 Sherbourne Street. Mrs. (Dr.) O'Connor, 417 Euclid Av, North.
<i>Literature</i> .....	Mrs. Walker, 183 Sherbourne Street.
<i>Press</i> .....	{ Mrs. Moffatt, 327 Berkeley Street. Mrs. (Dr.) Bascom, 72 Brunswick Av.

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ing the benediction, the president declared meeting adjourned until 2.30., p.m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

The meeting was opened at 2.30, the president in the Chair ; a very large attendance, Devotional Exercises were conducted by Miss McConnell, and Mrs. Cowan. Minutes of morning session and last Annual, read by the Recording Secretary, were confirmed.

The President in a few well chosen words gave help and encouragement to all in reviewing our work for the year. As the Corresponding Secretary had not prepared a report, Mrs. Troutman was asked to do so.

The Treasurer's report was then presented :

TREASURER'S REPORT, DISTRICT W. C. T. U.

1891.

RECEIPTS.

Oct.	I.—To Cash Balance.....	\$ 90 05
"	" " Fair Receipts.....	180 09
"	" " Fees.....	81 20
"	" " Collections.....	53 30
"	" " Donations.....	3 50
"	" " Sundries.....	6 47
"	" " Interest.....	3 12
"	" " Printing.....	36 35
"	" " Mrs. R. McDonell.....	10 00
		\$464 08

1891.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Oct.	I.—By Printing paid.....	\$ 63 35
"	" " Expenses re-Convention.....	49 32
"	" " Cutlery.....	28 00
"	" " Literature.....	3 00
"	" " Provincial Fees (part of).....	51 00
"	" " Sundries.....	9 00
"	" " Dominion Alliance.....	10 00
"	" " Delegates Fees.....	2 00
Sept.	I.—" Cash on hand.....	248 41
		\$464 08

Audited and found correct, this 10th day of Oct., 1892.

(Signed.) Mrs. F. S. SPENCE, }  
 " L. T. TODD, } Auditors.

Too late for Audit, bal. of Provincial Fees..... 24 00

HEADQUARTERS BUILDING FUND.

RECEIVED.

Sept.	30.—To Cash Balance.....	21 98
"	" " Willard Union.....	9 15
"	" " Central ".....	225 20
"	" " Parkdale ".....	29 90
"	" " Eastern ".....	1 00

WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.

Sept. 30.—To Gordon Union.....	6 40
“ “ Bathurst “ .....	1 00
“ “ Western “ .....	25 00
“ “ Central Y's Union.....	48 50
“ “ Special effort.....	692 58
“ “ Members Fees.....	64 00
“ “ Donations.....	14 55
“ “ Collections .....	44 17
“ “ Legacy .....	5 00
“ “ Interest .....	1 70
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“ “ Interest “ .....	444 88	
“ “ Fair “ .....	20 00	
“ “ Principle “ .....	1090 96	
“ “ Repairs “ .....	27 95	
“ “ Furnishing “ .....	277 61	
“ “ Postage and Carfare.....	14 08	
“ “ Water Rates.....	11 60	
“ “ Gas .....	33 65	
“ “ Fuel.....	61 80	
“ “ Sundries .....	25 77	
“ “ Expenses re-Convention.....	8 05	
“ “ Printing.....	3 25	
“ “ Cash to House Committee.....	32 39	
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Audited and found correct,

Oct. 10th, 1892.

(Signed.)

Mrs. F. S. SPENCE, {  
Mrs. L. T. TODD, { *Auditors.*

Moved by Mrs. Scott, seconded by Mrs. Meridith, “That Treasurer’s report be received and referred to the Auditors.” Carried.

Reports from all the Unions but Gordon Y. were read by their Secretary; also reports from a large number of Superintendents of Departments all showing progress. These reports (as in former years) were ordered to be printed in our Annual Report.

It was moved by Mrs. Cowan, seconded by Mrs. Scott, “That each Union take some active measure to secure from each Member One Dollar or upwards as a Freewill offering at Christmas towards our Building Fund. Carried.

The Election of Officers then took place with the following results :—

- Mrs. R. McDonell, was re-Elected President.
- “ W. Carlyle, “ “ Vice-President.
- “ (Dr.) Bascom, “ “ Corresponding Secretary.
- “ J. Forster, “ “ Recording Secretary.
- “ H. MacMath, “ “ Treasurer.

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The appointment of Superintendents was on motion deferred. "Blest be the tie that binds" was then sung and a most successful meeting brought to a close with Prayer.

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### CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT.

Toronto District W. C. T. U., has held during the year 14 Executive and 9 Monthly Devotional meetings ; also 6 meetings with Advisory board (this Board is composed of the Executive and ten Honorary Members chosen annually.)

198 letters and 592 post cards were sent out by Recording Secretary during the year. Corresponding Secretary sending 200 invitations and letters.

December 17th, a public meeting was held in Shaftesbury Hall, against running Street Cars on Sunday. On January 2nd, 1892, a meeting was held in same place praying for God's blessing to rest on the Electors and to put it in their hearts to vote against street cars running on the Lord's Day. A majority of 4,647 voted against the change.

March 11th, 150 Public School Teachers were entertained at Headquarters.

A memorial was sent to the Legislature re-Franchise. 3 letters to our representatives in Parliament and to each member a copy of Amendment to Factory Act.

A memorial re-Narcotics signed by District President and officers, forwarded to Joseph Tait, M.P.P., for presentation to the Honorable the Attorney General, which will become law with the objectionable clause respecting imprisonment of minors convicted, struck out.

A memorial sent to Ministerial Association re-Sunday School work.

A petition circulated against the circulation of obscene literature.

In July a very successful Garden Party was held at the grounds of Mrs. R. McDonell, which realized a nice sum for Headquarters.

The different Temperance organizations presented their greeting to Methodist Conference, among them a deputation from the W. C. T. U., and the indefatigable Secretary (Mrs. Forster), in a brief but very eloquent address, overflowing with Christian kindness and good will, presented the greetings of the Union, to which the General Superintendent of the Methodist Church, (Bishop Carman) most happily replied.

October 31st, was observed as a day of prayer, each Union took charge for half an hour.

The Y's. taking charge of the evening meeting.

Mrs. Scott and Mrs. Forster, attended all the meetings of the Ontario Branch of Dominion Alliance and reported that the Alliance

expressed themselves favorable to Woman's Franchise, fully assured that that would bring Prohibition nearer.

Conductor Snider's services have been secured to conduct Evangelistic services during the winter.

In the death of Mr. Storm, a member of the Advisory Board, the W. C. T. U., have lost a valuable friend who took a great interest in our Headquarters, ever ready to advise and help.

64,325 pages of Literature has been circulated.

300 members affiliated with Provincial Union.

I. H. TROUTMAN,

*Corresponding Secretary, (pro tem.)*

## REPORTS OF LOCAL UNIONS.

### CENTRAL

Meets at Headquarters, north-east corner Elm and Teraulay Sts., every Monday, at 3 p.m., first Monday in the month excepted.

#### OFFICERS.

<i>Honorary President</i> .....	Mrs. W. S. Finch, 70 Gerrard Street East.
<i>President</i> .....	Mrs. Cowan, 122 Huron Street.
<i>1st Vice President</i> .....	Mrs. (Dr.) Bascom, 72 Brunswick Avenue.
<i>2nd Vice President</i> .....	Mrs. E. H. Hilborn, 74 Brunswick Avenue.
<i>3rd Vice President</i> .....	Mrs. Roberts, 290 Yonge Street.
<i>Recording Secretary</i> .....	Mrs. Moffatt, 327 Berkeley Street.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i> .....	Mrs. F. S. Spence, 309 Sherbourne Street.
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	Mrs. St. Croix, 7 North Street.

#### SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

<i>Evangelistic</i> .....	Mrs. Cowan, 122 Huron Street.
<i>Social Purity</i> .....	Mrs. Jarman, 49 Simcoe Street.
<i>Firehalls, Sailors and Railroads</i> .....	Mrs. Emory, 28 Agnes Street.
<i>Lumbermen</i> .....	Mrs. Moffatt, 327 Berkeley Street.
<i>Fair</i> .....	Mrs. Smellie, 1 St. Vincent Street.
<i>Literature</i> .....	Mrs. Emory, Headquarters.
<i>Unfermented Wines</i> .....	Mrs. Thompson, 276 Church Street.
<i>Press</i> .....	Mrs. F. S. Spence, 209 Sherbourne Street.
<i>Sunday School</i> .....	Mrs. Bascom, 72 Brunswick Avenue.
<i>Franchise</i> .....	Miss Dunlop, 431 Yonge Street.
<i>Sabbath Observance</i> .....	Mrs. Lund, Yonge Street.
<i>Scientific Temperance</i> .....	Mrs. F. S. Spence, 209 Sherbourne Street.
<i>Parlor Socials</i> .....	Mrs. Dodd, 507 Sherbourne Street.

The Central Union has a membership of 84; we have held 40 business meetings with an average attendance of 13. Twenty-six letters

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Moffatt, 327  
(Dr.) Wood,

have been written and one hundred notices sent to members. The reports of Superintendents show that good faithful work has been done in most departments. Great attention has been paid to the distribution of literature, the sum of \$23.00 having been spent for this purpose. We have circulated about 23,450 leaflets and papers at the stations, fire-halls, boats, and jail, and parcels containing 326 papers have been sent to the lumber camp. The sum of \$12.15 was subscribed by members and friends of our Union to help maintain a missionary in the camp.

An illustrated temperance lecture under our auspices was given by Dr. Cadieux, which was well attended and very instructive.

We took charge of a Sunday Afternoon meeting in connection with the "Canadian Temperance League," at which addresses were delivered by Mesdames Finch, Cowan, and Jarman.

Two interesting Gospel meetings were held in June at our Headquarters, one was addressed by Conductor Snider and the others by several friends interested in our work.

Regular weekly meetings have been held in the jail; a large number of the female prisoners attending, and showing deep interest.

Receipts for year \$75.29; Expenditure \$71.64; Collected for Headquarters \$225.20; Affiliation Fees:—Provincial Union \$19.00; District Union \$3.80.

F. MOFFATT,  
*Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS.—Mrs. McDonell, Sunnyside; Mrs. Large, 141 Yonge Street; Mrs. Emory, 28 Agnes Street; Mrs. Forster, 114 Maitland Street; Mrs. St. Croix, 7 North Street; Mrs. Powall, 61 Winchester Street; Mrs. Smellie, 1 St. Vincent Street; Mrs. F. S. Spence, 209 Sherbourne Street; Mrs. G. M. Rose, 97 St. Joseph Street; Mrs. Wells, Miss Watson, Shuter Street; Miss K. Watson, Shuter Street; Miss Dunlop, 413 Yonge Street; Mrs. J. Smiley, 19 Price Street; Mrs. (Dr.) Oldright, Carlton Street; Mrs. Thompson, 276 Church Street; Mrs. Rutherford, 146 Ossington Avenue; Mrs. Humphreys, 309 Yonge Street; Mrs. Caswell, 92 Gerrard Street East; Mrs. Hilborn, 74 Brunswick Avenue; Miss Harris, Huntley Street; Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. McMullen, 449 Yonge Street; Miss Morrison, 449 Yonge Street; Mrs. Nasmith, 207 Bloor Street East; Mrs. Dr. Parsons, 235 Jarvis St.; Mrs. S. James, 102 Howard Street; Mrs. Jarman, 49 Simcoe Street; Mrs. Kent, 14 Walmer Road; Mrs. Kilgour, 144 Bloor Street; Mrs. Lytle, 61 Ann St.; Mrs. Lawson, 461 Church Street; Mrs. J. McMillan, 85 McGill St.; Mrs. Howland, 7 Queens Park; Mrs. Shortreed, 222 Jarvis Street; Mrs. Pearson, 59 Pembroke Street; Mrs. Livingston, Wilton Crescent; Mrs. Watt, Elm Street; Mrs. Faithful, 16 Maitland Street; Mrs. Moffatt, 327 Berkeley Street; Mrs. Cowan, 122 Huron Street; Mrs. (Dr.) Wood, 31 College Street; Mrs. (Dr.) Wilmott, 46 Bond Street; Mrs.

(Dr.) Aikens, 280 Jarvis Street; Mrs. Gillium, 39 Robinson Street; Mrs. Lloyd, 251 Huron Street; Mrs. (Dr.) Galbraith, Berkeley Street; Mrs. Pears, Mrs. W. G. Storm, Sultan Street; Mrs. Rundal, Cor. Jarvis and Gloucester Streets; Mrs. J. Rowland, Sherbourne Street; Mrs. F. S. Roberts, 290 Yonge Street; Mrs. Fogg, Norway; Miss Carty, 263 Jarvis Street; Miss M. E. Carty, 263 Jarvis Street; Mrs. Martin, 157 Sherbourne Street; Mrs. Fraser, Walker Avenue; Mrs. Dodds, 507 Sherbourne Street; Mrs. Beatty, 87 Jarvis Street; Mrs. Warren, 31 McGill Street; Mrs. Webb, 447 Yonge Street; Mrs. Arnot, 488 Yonge Street; Mrs. Brimer, 210 Yonge Street; Mrs. Cuthbertson, 16 Pembroke Street; Mrs. D. Rose, 259 Simcoe Street; Mrs. Sparrow, 27 Gloucester Street; Mrs. Briggs, 27 Gloucester Street; Mrs. Baker, Simcoe Street; Mrs. Thomas, 15 Alexander Street; Mrs. Chiveril, 4 Richmond Street; Mrs. Faircloth, 59 Bleeker Street; Mrs. H. M. Robinson, Summerhill Avenue; Mrs. J. T. Moore, Summerhill Avenue; Mrs. E. M. Morphy, Wellesley near Yonge; Mrs. (Dr.) McTavish, 107 Grosvenor Street; Mrs. T. Easton, 182 Louthier Avenue; Mrs. (Dr.) Ogden, 184 Spadina Avenue; Mrs. W. H. Orr, 176 Bloor Street East; Mrs. Hillock, 25 Wilton Avenue; Mrs. (Dr.) Bascom, 72 Brunswick Avenue; Miss McGuffen, Wesley Buildings; Miss Wilkes, 24 Gloucester Street; Mrs. W. S. Finch, 70 Gerrard Street East; Mrs. Angus, 56 Elm Street.

WESTERN

Meets first and third Tuesday of each month in the Y.M.C.A. rooms, corner Dovercourt Road and Queen Street, at 3 p.m.

OFFICERS.

- Honorary President*.....Mrs. J. J. Graham, 306 Dovercourt Road.
- President*.....Mrs. Porter, 43 Grove Avenue.
- 1st Vice President*.....Mrs. (Rev.) Alexander, 128 Dovercourt Road.
- 2nd Vice President*.....Mrs. A. B. Chambers, 229 Shaw Street.
- Corresponding Secretary*.....Miss E. Thompson, 160 Niagara Street.
- Recording Secretary*.....Mrs. J. H. Holmes, 41 Fenning Street.
- Treasurer*.....Mrs. M. Fletcher, 142 Dundas Street.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

- Press*.....Mrs. Williamson, 57 Fenning Street.
- Band of Hope*.....Mrs. J. Bulman, 127 Given Street.
- Mother's Meetings*.....Mrs. Hughes, 125 Given Street.
- Unfermented Wine*.....Mrs. Harrington, 314 Dovercourt Road.
- Sabbath School*.....Mrs. House, Cor. Queen and Dovercourt Road.
- Lumbermen*.....Mrs. J. J. Graham, 306 Dovercourt Road.
- Fire Halls*.....Mrs. Harrington, 314 Dovercourt Road.
- Railway*.....Mrs. J. Alexander, Jr.
- .....Mrs. Watson, 63 Argyle Street.

The Western Union has this year 30 active and 18 honorary members; have held 18 business meetings with an average attendance of

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Treasurer's

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11. We have 2 Bands of Hope with a membership of 300, have held 37 meetings, distributed temperance literature and given \$12 worth of prizes to the children. One Mother's meeting has a membership of 12, and held 15 meetings, at which Bible readings were given; and at Christmas a small present of some useful article was given to each member.

We have placed temperance literature in the Railway Station and Fire Hall boxes, and sent 20000 pages to the lumber camps assigned us by the Superintendent. Have given to Headquarters during the year \$25. Our members took an active part in the canvas in opposition to the Street Cars running on Sunday and also in the Municipal and school Trustee elections.

Treasurer's report—Receipts \$47.20 ; expenditure \$44.42.

M. E. HOLMES, *Recording Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS, (Active.)—Mrs. J. Alexander, 128 Dovercourt Road ; Mrs. Fletcher, 142 Dundas Street ; Mrs. Hughes, 125 Given Street ; Mrs. J. Bulman, 127 Given Street ; Mrs. J. H. Holmes, 41 Fenning Street ; Mrs. A. B. Chambers, 229 Shaw Street ; Mrs. H. Meredith, 186 Macpherson Avenue ; Mrs. Fairbairn, 130 Dovercourt Road ; Miss C. Thompson, 160 Niagara Street ; Mrs. Porter, 43 Grove Avenue ; Mrs. J. Alexander, Jr., Sheridan Avenue ; Mrs. B. House, Cor. Queen and Dovercourt Road ; Mrs. G. N. Williamson, 57 Fenning Street ; Mrs. R. H. Graham, Cor. Queen and Shaw Streets ; Mrs. J. J. Graham, Dovercourt Road ; Mrs. Harrington, 314 Dovercourt Road.

Honorary Members—Mr. J. J. Graham, Rev. J. Alexander, 128 Dovercourt Road ; Rev. J. Mutch, Havelock Avenue ; Mr. J. Bulman, 127 Given Street ; Mr. Geo. Smith, Lake View Avenue ; Mr. J. H. Holmes, 41 Fenning Street ; Mr. R. Fletcher, 142 Dundas Street ; Mr. A. Howe, Ossington Avenue ; Ald. R. H. Graham, Cor. Queen and Shaw Streets ; Mr. Isaac French, 72 Beaconsfield Avenue ; Mr. H. Meredith, 186 Macpherson Avenue ; Mr. B. House, Cor. Queen and Dovercourt Road ; Mr. A. Bates, Cor. Strachan Avenue and Queen Street ; Mr. S. J. Moore, Parkdale.

PARKDALE.

<i>Honorary President</i> .....	Mrs. J. Johnson, Elm Grove Avenue.
<i>President</i> .....	Mrs. Stevens, 200 Cowan Avenue.
<i>1st Vice President</i> .....	Mrs. Frazer, Spencer Avenue.
<i>2nd Vice President</i> .....	Mrs. Coxhead, 21 Grand Avenue.
<i>Recording Secretary</i> .....	Mrs. Fisher, 87 Cowan Avenue.
<i>Corresponding Secretary</i> .....	Mrs. Abercrombie, 25 Brock Avenue.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

<i>Social Purity</i> .....	{ Mrs. Clement, 84 Jamieson Avenue. Mrs. Frazer, Spencer Avenue.
<i>Unfermented Wine</i> .....	Mrs. Griffin, Beatty Avenue.
<i>Sabbath Observance</i> .....	Mrs. Inglis, 1280 King Street.
<i>Mother's Meetings</i> .....	{ Mrs. Duff, 24 Elm Grove. Mrs. McFarlane 55 West Lodge.
<i>Literature</i> .....	Mrs. King, 150 Cowan Avenue.
<i>Franchise</i> .....	Mrs. MacMath, 30 Lansdowne Avenue.

We have a membership of 34 ; have held 13 business meetings with average attendance of 8. In the early part of the spring Mother's meetings were organized by Mrs. Scott, 4 were held at which Miss Laurence from British Columbia, Mrs. Jarman and Mrs. French gave addresses, 20 signed the Temperance Pledge and 21 the White Shield at these meetings, and at other times 21 signatures to the White Shield Pledge making a total of 42. 400 have also received the temperance and 20 the white cross pledge. 1000 pages of literature have been distributed. We have held Gospel Temperance meetings on the Sabbath, and one evening in the month the members met to discuss Temperance and Franchise. We regret having to report another license in our Ward and a liquor store opened. We have given \$25 to Headquarters fund. Receipts about \$42.00.

MRS. ABERCROMBIE.

*Corresponding Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS—Mrs. Abercrombie, 25 Brock Avenue ; Mrs. Burns, 355 Queen Street ; Mrs. Boddy, 11 Maple Grove ; Mrs. Brown, 158 Cowan Avenue ; Miss Black, Melbourne Avenue ; Mrs. Clement, 84 Jamieson Avenue ; Mrs. Coxhead, 21 Grand Avenue ; Mrs. Duff, 24 Elm Grove ; Mrs. Eccleston, 82 McDonell Avenue ; Mrs. Essery, 93 McDonell Avenue ; Mrs. Edwards, Gwynne Avenue ; Mrs. Fisher, 87 Cowan Avenue ; Mrs. Fortune, 6 O'Hara Avenue ; Mrs. Frazer, Spencer Avenue ; Mrs. German, Dunn Avenue ; Mrs. Harwood, Elm Grove ; Mrs. Hamilton, Grand Avenue ; Mrs. Inglis, 1280 King Street ; Mrs. Johnston, Elm Grove ; Mrs. King, 150 Cowan Avenue ; Mrs. Landon, 17 O'Hara Avenue ; Mrs. McFarlane, 55 West Lodge ; Mrs. MacMath, 30 Lansdown Avenue ; Mrs. Ross, 1439 Queen Street ; Mrs. Shepard, 102 McDonell Avenue ; Mrs. Spaulding, 43 Lansdowne Avenue ; Mrs. Stevens, 200 Cowan Avenue ; Mrs. Torrence, 100 O'Hara Avenue ; Mrs. Yearsly, 79 O'Hara Avenue ; Mrs. W. H. Smith, 143 Grand Avenue ; Mrs. E. S. Shaw, 239 Dunn Avenue ; Mrs. C. Johnston, 28 Gwynne Avenue ; Mrs. R. Dickson, Dunn Avenue ; Miss MacMath, 30 Lansdowne Avenue ; Mrs. Griffin, Beatty Avenue.

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OFFICERS.

- President*.....Mrs. Beatty, 1380 Queen Street East.
- Vice President*.....Mrs. Vance, 630 Queen Street East.
- Recording Secretary*.....Mrs. Forest, 54 First Avenue.
- Secretary*.....Mrs. Bellemy, Lewis Street.
- Treasurer*.....Mrs. Yates, 53 McGee Street.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

- Sabbath Observance*.....Mrs. Armstrong, 808 Queen Street East.
- Literature*.....Miss Tucke, Hamilton Street.
- Narcotic*.....Mrs. Vance, 630 Queen Street East.
- Evangelistic*.....Mrs. Gray, First Avenue.
- Fire Hall*.....Mrs. Lobb, 814 Queen Street East.
- Prisons and Jail*.....
  - }{ Mrs. Potter, 96 Elliott Street.
  - }{ Mrs. Bellamy, Lewis Street.
- Mother's Meeting*.....Mrs. T. Gray, Simpson Avenue.

We now enter on our sixth year with 26 members; in the past year held meetings semi-monthly, one Evangelistic and one Business, an average attendance of 12. Have also held three mother's meetings.

Circulated a quantity of Literature bearing on Sabbath observance, and the Union worked hard to preserve the sacredness of our Sabbath in trying to prevent the running of the street cars. We also kept the Fire Halls in our district supplied with reading matter, and sent a quantity of papers to one of the Lumbering districts; also a large quantity of Temperance papers have been circulated through the Christian Endeavor Societies.

Four of our members take an active part in the relief society. The Jail is visited by two members weekly, our Jail Superintendent reports great encouragement in this work. There have been 3200 pages of Literature distributed among the prisoners and received kindly and we hope with profit. It is a work needing the prayers of all our sisters.

MRS. GRAY,  
*Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS.—Mrs. Beatty, Mrs. Vance, Mrs. Forest, Mrs. Bellemy, Mrs. Yates, Mrs. Armstrong, Miss Tucke, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Lobb, Mrs. Potter, Mrs. T. Gray, Mrs. Ashbridge, Mrs. Joselyn, Mrs. Frizell, Mrs. Gerrie, Mrs. Browne, Mrs. Gardiner, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Melrose, Mrs. Ayre, Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Norris, Mrs. Adams, Miss Coleman, Miss Knight, Miss Harrington.

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GORDON.

Meets at 210 Sherbourne Street every Monday at 3 p.m. (1st in each month excepted.)

OFFICERS.

*President*.....Mrs. B. Brick, 212 Carlton Street.  
*1st Vice President*.....Mrs. J. Spence, 210 Sherbourne Street.  
*2nd Vice President*.....Mrs. Norris, 338 Wellesley Street,  
*Recording Secretary*.....Mrs. Walker, 183 Sherbourne Street.  
*Corresponding Secretary*.....Mrs. R. Galley, 216 Berkely Street.  
*Treasurer*.....Mrs. E. Galley, 375 Parliament Street.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

*Fire Halls*.....Mrs. Hall.  
*Unfermented Wine*.....Mrs. Walker, 183 Sherbourne Street.  
*Press*.....Mrs. R. Galley, 216 Berkely Street.  
*Franchise*.....Mrs. J. Spence, 210 Sherbourne Street.

A membership of 18 and 6 honorary members; 13 meetings held during the year, 1300 papers have been distributed, 800 to the Jail and 500 to the Fire Hall. 9 churches in this district use unfermented wine, and 4 fermented.

MRS. R. GALLEY,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS.—Mrs. B. Brick, 212 Carlton Street; Mrs. T. Brick, 28 Gifford Street; Mrs. E. Galley, 375 Parliament Street; Mrs. R. Galley, 216 Berkeley Street; Mrs. Walker, 183 Sherbourne Street; Mrs. Spence, 210 Sherbourne Street; Mrs. Angus, 56 Elm Street; Mrs. Norris, 338 Wellesley Street; Mrs. McLeod, 480 Euclid Avenue; Mrs. Crawford, Seaton Street; Mrs. Risdon, 230 River Street; Mrs. Ruthven, 377 Parliament Street; Mrs. Smith, 234 King Street East; Mrs. Harrison, 8 Rose Avenue; Mrs. McMahan, 301 Parliament Street; Mrs. Scott, 193 Berkeley Street; Mrs. Self, St. James Avenue; Mrs. Lumsden, 276 Queen Street East.

WILLARD.

Meets in Y.M.C.A. Hall, Spadina Avenue, 2nd and 4th Mondays.

OFFICERS.

*President*.....Mrs. Gregg, 8 Maddison Avenue.  
*1st Vice President*.....Mrs. Wallace, 402 Huron Street.  
*2nd Vice President*.....Mrs. Bastedo, 423 Spadina Avenue.  
*Recording Secretary*.....Mrs. Steele, 235 Huron Street.  
*Corresponding Secretary*.....Mrs. Pease, 50 Major Street.  
*Treasurer*.....Mrs. Moore, 135 Augusta Avenue.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

*Lumbermen*.....Mrs. Wallace, 402 Huron Street.  
*Press and Headquarters* }  
*Unfermented Wine* } .....Mrs. Troutman, 504 Spadina Avenue.  
*Evangelistic*.....Mrs. Chamberlain, 615 Spadina Avenue.  
*Fair Work*.....Mrs. Pease, 50 Major Street.  
*Journal*.....Mrs. Whitcraft, 97 St Patrick Street.

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We have a membership of twenty-three ; have held twenty meetings with an average attendance of nine. The Band of Hope has met weekly, sent 1264 pages of Literature to Lumbermen. Have contributed 20 notices to the Press. We had one talk from Mrs. Scott on Social Purity. We have 13 subscribers to the *Woman's Journal*.

Receipts for the year \$18.61 ; Expenditure \$18.56.

JULIA F. PEASE,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS.—Mrs. Bastedo, 423 Spadina Avenue ; Mrs. Boyce, 81 Beatty Avenue ; Mrs. Chamberlain, 614 Spadina Avenue ; Mrs. Curzon, Dr. Stowe Gullen, 461 Spadina Avenue ; Mrs. Gregg, 8 Maddison Avenue ; Mrs. Henderson, 77 St. Patrick Street ; Mrs. Kemp, 39 Oxford Street ; Mrs. Mason, 74 Bellevue Avenue ; Mrs. Milne, 11 Clarence Square ; Mrs. Moore, 157 Agusta Avenue ; Mrs. W. Moore, 402 Spadina Avenue ; Mrs. Parker, 152 Robert Street ; Mrs. Pease, 50 Major Street ; Mrs. Rutherford, 16 Sussex Avenue ; Mrs. Boaley, Spadina and Oxford Avenue ; Mrs. Steele, 235 Huron Street ; Mrs. Settell, 629 Spadina Avenue ; Mrs. Sinclair, 556 Spadina Avenue ; Mrs. Troutman, 504 Spadina Avenue ; Mrs. Wallace, 402 Huron Street ; Mrs. Whitcraft, 9 Ord Street ; Miss Whitcomb, 105 Robert Street.

BATHURST.

Meets every 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month in the Mission Hall, Bathurst Street, at 3 p.m.

OFFICERS.

*President* ..... Mrs. Phillips, 29 Euclid Avenue.  
*1st Vice President* ..... Mrs. Wm. Carlyle, 614 Spadina Avenue.  
*2nd Vice President* ..... Mrs. A. R. Williamson, 139 Grange Avenue.  
*Recording Secretary* ..... Mrs. (Dr.) Todd, 165 College Street.  
*Corresponding Secretary* ..... Mrs. F. C. Ward, 12 Robinson Street.  
*Treasurer* ..... Miss Carlyle, 614 Spadina Avenue.

We are reminded by the lapse of time to review the proceedings of another year. In looking back over this the 4th year of our existence as a Union, we feel that the good hand of the Lord has been upon us, and we thank Him for all his goodness through another year.

We have held 16 meetings. If we have made no special progress we are thankful there has been no falling back. We regret to say we have not been able to do as much among the poor this year. We have done some Evangelistic work and distributed several thousand pages of Literature, 43 bouquets and 74 glasses of delicacies. Our Union did a grand work at the Municipal Elections. We had the satisfaction of getting everything we worked for, which very seldom falls to the lot of man.

Our society furnishes an outlet for much power, let us see to it that the opportunity thus afforded is not neglected. What does this work bring with it? It has brought to us many things, to work for the good of others, to do something to make them better and happier and to bring them nearer to God. Exercise the good that is in us and we help ourselves. We close the year's work filled with gratitude for the past and animated with confident hope for the future. Trusting only in God whose hand we know will direct and control every coming event.

During the past year God has taken to his Mansions above one of our very active members, Miss Noble, after a long illness.

Treasurer's Report—Receipts for the year \$66.60; Disbursements \$66.45; Balance on hand 15c.

L. I. TODD,  
*Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS.—Mrs. Carlyle, 614 Spadina Avenue; Miss Carlyle, 614 Spadina Avenue; Mrs. Phillips, 29 Euclid Avenue; Miss Smith, 402 Huron Street; Mrs. (Dr.) Todd, 165 College Street; Miss Todd, 165 College Street; Miss Lean Todd, 165 College Street; Mrs. (Dr.) Noxon, 334 Bathurst Street; Mrs. G. A. Dearing, 97 Shaw Street; Mrs. Morrison, 193 Beverley Street; Mrs. Gillings, 771 Queen Street West; Mrs. Ruff, 171 Bathurst Street; Mrs. Williamson, 139 Grange Avenue; Mrs. Chapman, 100 Palmerston Avenue; Mrs. F. C. Ward, 12 Robinson Street; Mrs. Asher, 128 Peter Street; Mrs. (Dr.) Fralieg, Manning Avenue; Mrs. Baker, 42 Tecumseth Street; Mrs. Hayes, 7 Hook Avenue; Miss McGregor, 443 Bathurst Street.

#### DOVERCOURT.

This Union meets every second and fourth Friday, 3 p.m., at 66 Hepburn Street.

#### OFFICERS.

*President*.....Mrs. McClelland, 342 Ossington Avenue.  
*Vice President*.....Mrs. Scott, 852 Dovercourt Road.  
*Corresponding Secretary*.....Mrs. C. Bowbeer, 58 Northumberland Street.  
*Recording Secretary*.....Mrs. Dunham, 629 Givens Street.  
*Treasurer*.....Mrs. Smith, 12 Westmoreland Avenue.

#### SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

*Evangelistic*.....Mrs. Lepper, Ossington Avenue.  
*Social Purity*.....Mrs. McLean, 66 Hepburn Street.  
*Fire Halls*.....Mrs. (Dr.) Kerr, 97 Dovercourt Road.  
*Press*.....Miss Pugsley, 244 Delaware Avenue.  
*Flower Mission*.....Mrs. Bowbeer, 58 Northumberland Street.  
*Band of Hope*.....Mrs. McClelland, 342 Ossington Avenue.

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Total receipts for the year \$155.98, expenses \$145.86.

Evangelistic work.—The usual devotional meeting was held the third Wednesday of each month. An evening meeting was held March 16th, when each member handed in the results of his or her self-denial for one month. The Golden League met fifty-one times during the year (Tuesday evenings). There are twenty-five members in the city and elsewhere, average attendance eleven. Those who leave the city are kept in touch with the League by correspondence. There have been nine addresses given on special subjects, besides the regular branches taken up by the workers.

Scientific Temperance.—Instruction in this subject has been given weekly during the school year to the girls and boys in Miss How's class, Elizabeth Street School. Written examinations were held at Christmas and Midsummer, the highest per cent taken at the former being ninety and at the latter ninety-four. Fifteen prizes were given; twelve of these were donated by Mr. J. L. Morrison. A pledge book circulated in the class received forty-eight signatures. One hundred and fifty juvenile papers were distributed. One new feature in this department of our work was the establishment of a library consisting of eighty-nine volumes, suitable for girl's and boy's reading, which library has proved a valuable agent in creating a taste for good reading and raising the moral tone of the class. The grateful thanks of the Union are due to the following friends who in addition to the members of the W.C.T.U. and Y.W.C.T.U. contributed volumes: Miss Workman, Mutual Street; Miss Richardson, Pembroke Street; Mrs. and the Misses Morrison, Winchester Street; Mrs. Carswell, Uxbridge; Masters Robert Cargell, Winchester Street; Walter Baillie, Wellesley Street; Norman Withrow and Percy Withrow, Wilton Crescent.

Press.—During the year eight locals have been sent to the daily papers and two letters to the Journal.

Lumberman's work.—The literature sent to the lumbermen this year was composed of six magazines, two scrap books and ninety-five papers.

Parlor Meetings.—A reception was tendered to the members of the "Y" bicycle club at which their colours were presented.

Flower Mission.—During the year the workers visited the General Hospital, Children's Hospital, Old Woman's Home, Home for Incurables, and an average of fifteen families a week in St John's Ward. They have distributed 4962 bunches flowers, 8½ dozen eggs, 7 dozen oranges, 497 glasses jelly, 22 large baskets fruit, 136 small baskets fruit, 4 plants, and at Christmas a barrel of holly with Christmas texts attached, and clothing to two families. Income from all sources during the year \$67.00.

Kitchen Garden.—Last year a class for learning the Kitchen Garden work was formed with Miss Johnston as instructor, and as a result, work under that department was carried on at the Girl's Home and was very successful; average number of teachers three.

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"Y" Bicycle Club.—Organized May 13th, 1892, with a membership of seventeen. At present, there are fifty-two members, twenty-two ladies and thirty gentlemen. Since May the club has made forty-eight runs, covering 792 miles, and visiting among other places Grimsby, Cooksville, Bond's Lake, Scarboro Junction, Mimico, Balmy Beach. Several of the gentlemen members are Century, having covered within the prescribed time their one hundred miles.

L. MCCONNELL,  
*Corresponding Secretary.*

L. WILLS,  
*Recording Secretary.*

LIST OF MEMBERS, (active)—Miss Agnew, 372 Shaw Street; Miss Anderson, Seaton Street; Miss Bolton, Miss May Bolton, 29 Rose Avenue; Mrs. A. W. Baker, 55 Maitland Street; Miss Estella Butcher, Aurora; Miss Clark, Miss Clara Clark, 600 Parliament Street; Miss Christie, 29 Sussex Avenue; Miss Cook, Yonge Street; Miss Louisa Currie, 90 Gerrard Street; Miss Elliott, 109 Pembroke Street; Mrs. Langrieves, Cor. College and Spadina Avenue; Miss Lillie Foster, 219 Sherbourne Street; Miss Maud Foster, 7 Wilton Crescent; Miss Griffin, 52 Beaty Avenue; Miss How, 506 Church Street; Mrs. Hastings, 256 Wellesley Street; Mrs. Hodgkin, Deer Park; Miss Sidney M. Johnston, 33 Davenport Road; Miss Sara Kerr, 50 St George Street; Miss Lytle, 61 Ann Street; Miss Lay, 348 Jarvis Street; Miss Carrie Lawson, 461 Church Street; Miss Bertie Lloyd, Aurora; Miss Macdonald, Oaklands; Mrs. Malcolm, 89 Church Street; Miss L. McConnell, 127 Bedford Road; Miss McMichael, Mrs. McMichael, 46 St Patrick Street; Miss Mattie Pease, 512 Bathurst Street; Miss Rose, 259 Simcoe Street; Miss E. Rider, Miss M. T. Rider, 48 Wellington Street; Miss Skinner, Miss Nettie Skinner, Deer Park P. O.; Miss Shaw, 389 Markham Street; Miss Nettie Shipe, Miss Lizzie Shipe, 32 Lansdowne Avenue; Miss Tilley, 544 Spadina Avenue; Miss Teasdale, 68 Walton Street; Miss Urquhart, 28 Wilcox Street; Miss Williamson, Miss B. Williamson, 21 Suffolk Place; Miss W. M. Wills, Miss E. Wills, 47 Pembroke Street; Miss Annie Watson, 219 Sherbourne Street; Miss J. M. Wallace, 23 Bellevue Place; Mrs. M. Williamson, 219 Sherbourne Street.

Honorary Members—N. E. Bolton, L. Bolton, 29 Rose Avenue; Alexander Bell, 453 Euclid Avenue; Alexander Burns, 361 Dundas Street; A. W. Baker, 55 Maitland Street; H. L. Beecraft, 46 Gwynne Street; B. Ballard, 146 Sherbourne Street; E. S. Caswell, 117 Portland Street; H. J. Crosthwaite, 156 Oxford Street; J. L. Davidson, 580 Ontario Street; Frank S. Evans, 359 Carlton Street; J. N. Ferguson, 195 Church Street; J. W. Flavelle, 423 Sherbourne Street; Edward Lasker, 219 Sherbourne Street; Albert Glew, Chicago; S. R. Hanna, 428 Yonge Street; Prof. Chas. L. Heehner, 31 Prospect Street; G. Hartman, 195 Church Street; W. R. Johnston, Knox College;

Chas. S. Mallett, 77 Shuter Street ; Frank McKay, 63 Czar Street ; Alick McCluskey, 16 Louisa Street ; Frank Procter, 29 Rose Avenue ; W. R. Rutherford, John E. Rider, Henry W. Rider, 48 Wellington Street ; Edgar Shipe, Ralph Shipe, 32 Lansdowne Avenue ; Dr. C. McV. Sparrow, 182 Carlton Street ; John Trethewey, Jr., Davisville P. O. ; G. W. R. Weese, 124 Carlton Street ; R. Whittaker, Manning Avenue.

### EVANGELISTIC.

The District monthly devotional meetings have been held as usual on the first Monday in each month. The different Local Unions taking charge in turn. Public meetings deserving special mention, were the ones held in Cowan Avenue Methodist Church, Parkdale, during conference, and in Central Presbyterian Church at the close of Pan Presbyterian Council, which were largely attended. Addresses were given by four Lady delegates to the Missionary conference held in conjunction with the council, who gave earnest addresses showing the evils of the drink traffic in different parts of the world. The Central, Eastern, Gordon, and Y Unions have furnished two or three visitors for the weekly meetings at the Jail. A large quantity of Literature has also been distributed in the Jail, Fire Halls, Boats and Union Station. All Local Unions within the District furnishing Literature for that purpose.

Central—Have held regular weekly meetings in the Jail, taken charge of one Sunday afternoon meeting in connection with Canadian Temperance League ; also two interesting Gospel meetings in Headquarters, one addressed by Conductor Snider.

Parkdale—Four Mother's meetings held at which 20 signed the Temperance Pledge and 21 White Shield Pledge. Gospel Temperance meetings held each Sabbath. 400 signatures to Temperance Pledge and 42 White Shield.

East Toronto—Ten Evangelistic and three Mother's meetings. The Jail has been visited by two members weekly.

Western—Fifteen Mother's meetings at which Bible readings were given, and at Christmas each member received a present of some useful article.

Y—The usual devotional meeting was held the third Wednesday in each month, and evening meeting March 16th when each member handed in the results of his or her self denial for one month. The Golden League met 51 times during the year. There are 25 members in the city and elsewhere. Those who leave the city are kept in touch by correspondence, 9 addresses given on special subjects.

Mrs. A. M. COWAN,  
*Superintendent.*

A public meeting was held to discuss the question of the city with the voters. Arrangements for a public meeting for the city, 10000 persons, which was largely given to the people of our city. The meeting was held by the large

Only two reports one from the Street Baptist Church, In Immanuel Church, Band of Hope. The subject of the Methodist Union. I was given the various necessities of the young people of the Union become

Instruction was given year to between Elizabeth Street. Prizes were obtained at the Fifteen prizes were donated by Mrs. received forty were distributed ment of our w

## SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

A public meeting was held in Shaftesbury Hall on December 17th, to discuss the question of Sabbath observance, particularly in connection with the vote to be taken against the proposed running of Sunday street cars. Arrangements were made for canvassing all the women voters of city, 10000 slips were printed and distributed from door to door. A meeting for prayer was held on the 2nd January in Shaftesbury Hall which was largely attended. Prayers were offered for guidance to be given to the voters on the following Monday, and for God's blessing on our city. The proposal for running of Sunday street cars was defeated by the large majority of 4,647. Total vote polled 23,947.

MRS. GREGG,  
*Superintendent.*

## SUNDAY SCHOOL WORK.

Only two Local Unions so far have taken up this work. Central reports one Mission (viz. : Chester) which has taken the pledge, Jarvis Street Baptist Sunday School 36, and Berkeley Street Methodist 300. In Immanuel (Bloor Street Baptist) the Pledge books are in use in the Band of Hope.

The subject of Temperance has been brought prominently before the Methodist and Baptist Sunday Schools by members of the Western Union. I would recommend the appointment of a committee to visit the various Church Courts and Sabbath Schools, and urge upon them the necessity of taking up this work, and add (with strong emphasis) the young people's societies, which could easily be done by members of the Union becoming members of and taking an interest in these societies.

MRS. S. W. HILBORN,  
*Superintendent.*

## SCIENTIFIC TEMPERANCE.

Instruction in this subject has been given weekly during the school year to between forty and fifty girls and boys in Miss How's class, Elizabeth Street School, with very gratifying results. Written examinations were held at Christmas and Midsummer, the highest per cent obtained at the former being ninety and at the latter ninety-four. Fifteen prizes have been awarded during the year, twelve of them were donated by Mr. J. L. Morrison. A pledge book circulated in the class received forty-eight signatures, one hundred and fifty juvenile papers were distributed amongst the children. A new feature in this department of our work this year was the establishment of a library consisting

of eighty-nine volumes suitable for boys and girls reading, which library has proved a valuable agent in creating a taste for good reading. The grateful thanks of the Union are due to the following friends who, in addition to the members of the W.C.T.U. and Y.W.C.T.U., contributed volumes towards the library, Miss Workman, Mutual Street; Miss Richardson, Pembroke Street; Mrs. and the Misses Morrison, Winchester Street; Mrs. Carswell, Uxbridge; Master Robert Cargill, Winchester Street; Master Walter Baillie, Wellesly Street; Master Norman Withrow, and Master Percy Withrow, Wilton Crescent.

The Teachers reception given by the District Union was attended by about 150 teachers, addresses were made by the lady trustees of the Public and High School Boards, all of whom were present. A paper by Dr. Stowe Gullen, aroused so much enthusiasm as to cause the teachers to form an organization to look after their own interests. A question drawer proved to be an interesting feature of the evening.

Mrs. F. S. SPENCE,  
*Superintendent.*

### FRANCHISE, LEGISLATION AND PETITIONS.

The committee of Franchise, Legislation and Petitions of Toronto District, met at the Headquarters on the 17th November, 1891, with Mrs. McDonell in the chair. Mrs. O'Conner was appointed permanent secretary. A sub-committee, consisting of Mrs. (Dr.) Chamberlain, Miss Carlisle and Mesdames Forrest, Harrington and Brick, were appointed to act in the interim of the regular meetings, to be held monthly, four forming a quorum. On the 10th December, arrangements were made to hold a public meeting in the Parlor of Shaftesbury Hall for the purpose of forming plans for opposing the Sunday street car service. The officers of the Local Unions were desired to make arrangements with the ministers of the churches in the city to announce on the succeeding Sunday the object of the meeting and to invite their members to attend Thursday, 24th of December, at 3 o'clock. The meeting was well attended, Mrs. Cowan ably conducted the proceedings, and committees were formed for a general canvas of the women ratepayers against the Sunday cars, and canvassing for Women Trustees planned out. The result of the united efforts of our women has never been excelled in any city in our Dominion. On the 4th January, 1892, three ladies were elected as Public School Trustees, namely, Mrs. McDonell, headed the pole in No. 6 District; Dr. Stowe Gullen and Mrs. Harrison respectfully of No. 3 and 4 Districts. The Sunday cars received an overwhelming majority against their usage on the Sabbath. Owing to the indefatigable efforts of the President, another lady was placed on the Collegiate Institute Board, to the three already there, and thus the position of women in official capacity is greatly strengthened in our city to-day.

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The Minister of Education was interviewed on the desirability of having married women's names (ratepayers in their own right) placed on the voters list, as trouble had arisen in some cases where the Ladies were refused the ballot, he promised to look into the matter before the next issue of the lists were printed.

Several deputations, headed by the President, were actively engaged on different occasions in interviewing members of the Legislature on matters relating to the interests of women.

Finding our City Council had refused to carry out our desire to add pages to the voters lists for women voters, Hon. G. W. Ross promised the deputation that he would have the matter made compulsory by law as far as cities were concerned.

Many of the prominent members of the House were also approached by our committee urging the support of Mr. Balfour's Bill to admit women to the profession of law. The petition was carried on amendment, by permitting women to be solicitors and not barristers.

MRS. SUSIE D. O'CONNOR,  
*Superintendent.*

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### LITERATURE.

During the year there has been distributed 64,325 pages of Literature, the different items can be seen by referring to local reports.

Mrs. WALKER,  
*Superintendent.*

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### PRESS.

There has been sent to the daily and weekly papers during the year, for the District Union 105 items, Central 120, Willard 20, Parkdale 15, Central Y's 10. Total 270.

Mrs. COXHEAD,  
*Superintendent.*

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### FAIR WORK.

A new departure was taken this year by the District. A License was procured for the privilege of selling Hot Tea and Coffee. Everything went off pleasantly and we trust not without profit. Nine Gospel Temperance Meetings held, addressed by the following Ladies and Gentlemen, Mrs. Hitchcox, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Wardell, Dr. Cadieux, Messrs. Wardell, Brownston, Munns, Dillon, Dutton, Thompson, Wilkinson, and others, considerable interest was manifested and a good deal of

enquiry in regard to W.C.T.U. work. 4914 pages of literature distributed, 231 District reports, 30 persons signed the Temperance and 5 the White Shield Pledge, 10 signatures to World's Petition.

We are pleased to notice all the Unions in the City took part in the work and sent donations towards the counter.

MRS. W. CARLYLE,  
*Superintendent.*

Mrs. HUGHES,  
*Assistant Superintendent.*

### STATIONS, FIREHALLS AND BOATS.

During the year the Fire Halls and Railway Stations have been visited regularly and the following Literature distributed. At Fire Halls 2386 papers and magazines, at Stations 16800 leaflets. The Boats have also been supplied through the season with 4850 leaflets. Dr. Withrow has kindly donated 925 papers, and Miss Harris \$1.50 for 1000 leaflets for the Boats.

Mrs. EMORY,  
*Superintendent.*

### LUMBERMEN.

The Central Union sent 320 magazines and tracts, 5 books and one volume of sermons by Moody to the camps; also subscribed \$4.00 and collected \$5.15 towards the support of a missionary who was engaged to visit the camps. The Western Union sent 20000 pages of Literature. The Willard 1264 pages, Y.W.C.T.U. 96 papers, 6 magazines and 2 scrap books. Mr. Chester Massey and Mrs. Shortreed also sent large supplies of Literature to the Lumber Companies. By what we read and hear, we understand the Missionary has had great success and that now the men on the Lord's day sing hymns and read, living very different lives from the past.

Mrs. LYTLE,  
*Superintendent.*

### UNFERMENTED WINE.

There are 30 Methodist churches in Toronto all using Unfermented Wine, 14 Baptist churches, 12 using Unfermented, and 2, Bloor Street and Queen Street, using Fermented; 23 Presbyterian churches, 13 using Unfermented, 8 using Fermented, 2, Southside and St. Enochs not yet heard from; 10 Congregational churches all using Unfermented; 2 Reformed Episcopalian churches both using Unfermented; the Lutheran

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MRS. I. H. TROUTMAN,  
*Superintendent.*

### JUVENILE WORK.

The Western Union conducts 2 Bands of Hope. One connected with the Methodist church. The other with the Baptist church. Membership 300, good average attendance, much interest shown. The larger children are taught separately in the vestry, and prizes are given every year.

The Willard Band began with 17 and increased to 83.

Dovercourt Band has only had 5 meetings, membership 52, average attendance 40. One entertainment was held at which the Superintendent was present and addressed the meeting. The children and parents took great interest, and refreshments were served at the close.

The Central Y have the equivalent to a Band in the Elizabeth Street School, membership 53, 48 of whom have signed the pledge. A Flower show was held and prizes given, also prizes for written examination. This work is very encouraging.

This Union also conducted a Kitchen Garden class in the Girls' Home, membership 24.

The Gordon Y, conducted a similar class with same membership in the Sackville Street Mission.

Total number of children reported 484.

E. L. SKINNER,  
*Superintendent.*

### PEACE AND ARBITRATION.

"The world is my country, and all mankind my country men" is a sentiment that appeals to the heart of every true woman. Therefore it needs but little philosophy to see, that, as a circle of women's sympathy extends itself, beyond the family to her neighborhood, her country and the world ; it will soon dawn upon her mind that the law of force is not the christian rule. The aim of this department is to mould public opinion up to a higher standard, to lead all to believe that arbitration and reconciliation are better for a nation than war and conquest. To this end seven thousand pages of peace literature have been circulated during the last year, also one hundred and twenty copies of the "Pacific

Banner" kindly donated by Hannah J. Bailey, Winthrop Centre, Maine, U.S., World's Superintendent of peace and arbitration; also one hundred and twenty copies of "The Acron," a child's paper, furnished by the same lady.

Communications were sent to prominent men and women, asking their co-operation. Members of different societies were approached and requested to bring the subject before their assemblies, already many have sent out ringing resolutions favoring arbitration. Very many members of labour organizations profess themselves in favour of Boards of Arbitration, which shall be appointed by Government, for the settlements of all disputes between capital and labour.

On the 23rd of January, 1892, Professor Ashley of Toronto University, the distinguished Professor of Political Economy, delivered one of the best Lectures of the year dealing with the question of Industrial Peace. The Pan-Presbyterian Council, with thoughtful consideration, discussed this very important question, stating that in semi-barbaric ages force embodied the principle that by might not right weaker nations were brought into subjection, and might, ruled the world, but they claim that to-day, those who would preach the Gospel of the Prince of Peace must take higher ground, and as far as possible reverse the order of things by preaching "peace on earth good will to men."

These are straws which show the trend of public thought and we are glad to note that the current is in the right direction.

MRS. (Dr.) TODD,  
*Superintendent.*

LIST OF CONTRIBUTIONS FOR W. C. T. U.  
HEADQUARTERS.

Mr. Robert Kilgour.....	\$50 00	Steele Bros. Co.....	5 00
Mrs. Robert Kilgour.....	50 00	Warring Kennedy.....	5 00
John Gowans.....	25 00	J. L. Spink.....	2 00
Mr. Geo. A. Cox.....	20 00	Dr. Hay.....	2 00
Mr. J. W. L. Forster.....	10 00	T. G. Mason.....	2 00
Mr. E. H. Hilborn, 2 Instalment	10 00	West End Y.M.C.A.....	2 00
Mr. W. P. Page, 2 Instalment.	10 00	C. D. Daniel.....	1 00
Dr. W. W. Ogden.....	10 00	Lugsden & Barnett.....	1 00
Hon. G. W. Ross.....	10 00	H. Winnefrith.....	1 00
R. S. Baird.....	5 00	John Lugsden.....	1 00
F. X. Cousineau.....	5 00	D. J. Lukes.....	1 00
W. H. Orr.....	5 00	W. H. Gilpin.....	1 00
Mrs. E. A. Stevens.....	5 00	Jas. H. Rogers.....	1 00
Mrs. Hugh MacMath.....	5 00	C. E. Borden.....	1 00
Mrs. R. McDonell.....	5 00	Mr. Rogers, (Hayter Street)....	1 00

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Messrs. Caldicott, Burton, one piece cretonne ; Mrs. Carlyle, lambrequins ; Messes. John Taylor & Co. one box soap, 1 box toilet soap ; Mrs. Steele, one comforter ; Mrs. Shearer, six towels ; Mrs. Lucas, four pillow slips ; Mrs. E. C. Rutherford, two pillow slips ; Messrs. George Booth & Son, one sign ; Mr. James Hudson, papering and decorating one room ; Mr. Joseph McCausland, paper for one room ; Mrs. Haight, one bolster ; Messrs. Matthews & Bro., one large picture in frame.

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ASSETS.

Value of Building .....	\$15,000 00
Furniture .....	300 00
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LIABILITIES.

Mortgage .....	\$9,000 00
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ADVISORY BOARD.

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| J. J. MacLaren, Q.C., LL.D. | H. MacMath,       |
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SOLICITOR.

J. J. MacLaren, Q.C., LL.D.

"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.

## 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.

### ARTICLE II.

*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.

*Officers*—The officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Corresponding Secretary, Recording Secretary, Treasurer and Auditor. These officers, except the Auditor, together with the President 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. These officers, with the exception of local Presidents and Superintendents of Departments, 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 votes cast.

*Superintendents of Departments*—Superintendents shall be nominated by the Executive Committee, and elected by 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 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

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#### ARTICLE V.

*Committee of Arrangements*—The President and the Corresponding Secretary of District shall be a Committee of arrangement, selecting topics for 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.

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### BY-LAWS.

1. The duties of the president shall be to preside at all meetings, have supervision of work in the city, organize new Unions, and issue calls for meetings, and, at the written request of eight members, call special meetings.

2. Vice-President shall assist in managing the work of the Union, and shall preside in the absence of the President.

3. Local Presidents shall assist in managing the work of the Union, and aim to create and stimulate interest in the same; assist in organization, and preside in the absence of the President and Vice-President of the District.

4. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Union, notify Local Unions of new branches of work; secure reports of Corresponding Secretaries of Local Unions, from which she shall formulate a report for the Annual Meeting; assist the President in preparing programme, etc., for the same; and send Annual Report of the District Union to the Provincial Corresponding Secretary.

5. The Recording Secretary shall attend all meetings of the Union and of the Executive Committee, and keep a correct record of their proceedings; and send to each member of the Executive Committee notice of such meetings. She shall apprise all members of committees of their appointment and duties; notify the public of its meetings; and fyle and sign all orders at the request of the President.

6. The Treasurer shall pay bills, on order of the President and Recording Secretary; keep an exact book account, and present a monthly report of the same. She shall endeavor to secure contributions for District work; collect unpaid affiliation District fees, and forward to the Provincial Treasurer the affiliation fee received from Local Unions.

7. Superintendents of Departments shall advise and encourage each local Superintendent in the prosecution of her branch of work, subject to the approval of the Executive ; secure reports of same, and embody each separately in their representative reports to the Provincial Convention, giving each Union credit by name.

8. All members of Local Unions in the city of Toronto, affiliated with the District Union by the payment of five cents per member, shall be members of this Union, and have votes at the Annual Meeting. Every third monthly meeting is called "The Quarterly," and every member of the W. C. T. U. is privileged to attend.

9. Funds for carrying on the District work may be raised by any means determined on by the Executive.

10. These By-Laws may be amended at any Annual Meeting, by a two-thirds vote of the members present, notice having been given at the previous Executive meeting.