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CITY OF TORONTO, COUNTY OF YORK, TO WIT:—

We, Isabella Shaw, Amelia M. Cowan, Isabella H. Troutman, Sarah Violet Spence, Sarah Meredith, Maria E. Crawford, Agnes Carlyle, Mary McDonell, Elizabeth Skinner and Susanna Blake, all of the City of Toronto, in the County of York, all being persons of the full age of twenty-one years, do declare as follows:—

1. That we desire and intend hereby to become incorporated under the Act respecting Benevolent, Provident and other Societies, being Chapter 172 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, under the name and for the purposes hereinunder set out.

2. The intended corporate name of the Society is "The District Union of Toronto of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union."

3. The objects of the Society are the centralization of the work of the various Toronto Local Unions for the more effective carrying out of the objects for which they were formed, namely, (1) To meet together for prayer and conference, to educate public sentiment to the standard of total abstinence, to train the young, love the inebriate, to secure the complete extinction of the liquor traffic and to enter into any christian work, to which the Lord may call. (2) Joint consultation and advice on plans for more effective work. (3) Formation of new Unions in the city where it may be deemed advisable.

4. The officers of this Union shall be the said Mrs. Mary McDonell, President; Mrs. Amelia M. Cowan, Vice-President; Mrs. Troutman, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. Sarah Violet Spence, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Crawford, Treasurer. These officers shall be elected by ballot, after open nomination, at the Annual Meeting. Presidents of Local Unions shall be Vice-Presidents ex-officio of the District Union.

5. The successors of the said managing officers shall be appointed by the majority of those present at the Annual Meeting of the Society.

6. The executive committee shall consist of the President, Vice-Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurer, Secretaries of Local Unions and Superintendents of Departments appointed by the District Unions, five

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of whom, including the President and Corresponding Secretary, shall form a quorum.

7. The Executive shall meet monthly. Funds for carrying on the District work may be raised by any means determined by the Executive.

8. The Society may by a two-thirds vote pass such by-laws as are not inconsistent with the Constitution and By-Laws hereunto annexed.

9. This Constitution may be amended at any Annual Meeting by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

Dated at Toronto, this 5th Sept., A.D. 1888.

Signed in presence of
GERTRUDE CARMAN.

ISABELLA SHAW.
AMELIA M. COWAN.
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SARAH VIOLET SPENCE.
SARAH MEREDITH.
MARIA E. CRAWFORD.
AGNES CARLYLE.
MARY McDONELL.
ELIZABELH SKINNER.
SUSANNA BLAKE.

COUNTY OF YORK, TO WIT:—

I, Joseph Easton Macdougall, Judge of the County Court of the County of York, do hereby certify that I have examined the above declaration, and that the same appears to be in conformity with the Statute in that behalf, viz., Chapter 172, Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887.

JOSEPH E. MACDOUGALL, J.C.C.Cy.

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C. Forfar, 74 Brunswick Avenue.
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- Mrs. Vance..... 143 Shuter St.
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- Mrs. Ayers..... 40 Bolton Ave.
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- Dr. E. L. Skinner..... 492 Yonge St.

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Mrs. H. Somerville.....	493 King St. East.
Miss Harris.....	15 Bismark Ave.
Miss McMullen.....	7 Murray St.

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<i>Prison Reform and Police</i>	Mrs. Chamberlain, 615 Spadina Ave.
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<i>Work among Soldiers</i>	Mrs. C. Robertson, 35 Sussex Ave.
<i>Work among Lumber Camps</i>	Mrs. Christie, 59 Yorkville Ave.
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<i>Franchise</i>	Miss C. B. Martin, 157 Sherbourne St.
<i>Legislation and Petitions</i>	Dr. E. B. Sherritt, 176 Jameson Ave.
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<i>Scientific Temperance Instruction</i>	Mrs. Walker, 10 Phoebe St.
<i>Unfermented Wine</i>	{ Mrs. Carlyle, Cor. Dovercourt Road and Bloor St. Mrs. Hilborn, 74 Brunswick Ave.
<i>Fair</i>	{ Miss Wilson, 5 Lowther Ave. Miss L. Shepherd, 20 Lowther Ave.
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<i>Sabbath Schools</i>	Mrs. Mason, 42 Gloucester St.
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<i>Narcotics</i>	Mrs. Mason, 42 Gloucester St.
<i>Juvenile and Domestic</i> <i>Kitchen Garden</i> }	Miss Faircloth, 59 Bleeker St.
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<i>Band of Hope</i>	Mrs. Ward, 258 Bathurst St.
<i>School of Method</i>	Mrs. A. O. Rutherford, 94 Spencer Ave.
<i>Systematic Giving</i>	Mrs. Foster, 2 Carlton St.
<i>Gospel Tent</i>	Mrs. Foster, 2 Carlton St.
<i>Work among Colored People</i>	Mrs. Thompson, 317 Jarvis St.

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Mrs. Fletcher ...	32 Lansdowne Ave.
Mrs. Hilborn.....	74 Brunswick Ave.
Mrs. Moffatt	38 Metcalfe St.
Miss H. Williamson.....	21 Suffolk Place.
Miss Harris.....	15 Bismark Ave.

MEMBERS—*Ex-Officio.*

Mrs. Stevens	District President.
Mrs. Brownell.....	District Cor.-Sec.
Mrs. C. A. Wilson	District Rec.-Sec.

Devotional meeting first Monday in each month, 3 p.m., at Headquarters, 56 Elm Street.

Executive meeting, last Thursday in each month, at 2.30 p.m., in same place.

Headquarters and Shelter Board meeting, last Thursday in each month, 10.30 a.m., same place.

RERESENTATIVES FROM UNIONS ON HEADQUARTERS
AND SHELTER BOARD.

Central	Mrs. Orr, 176 Bloor St, E. Mrs. Emory, 125 Baldwin St.
Western	Mrs. Porter, 198 Dnndas St. Mrs. Harrington, 314 Dovercourt Rd.
Parkdale	Mrs. Earl, 193 Close Ave. Mrs. Forbes, 115 Dowling Ave.
Willard	Mrs. Steele, 235 Huron St. Mrs. Kemp, 784 Euclid Ave.
Bathurst	Mrs. Ward, 258 Bathurst St. Mrs. McLean, 344 Bathurst St.
Gordon	Mrs. Vance, 143 Shuter St. Mrs. Reid, 19 Gifford St.
Northern	Mrs. Woodley, 213 Davenport Rd. Mrs. Jeffers, 60 Isabella St.
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Youmans.....	Mrs. Harris, Davenport P.O.
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Brock Ave	
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E. H. Hilborn.....	74 Brunswick Ave.
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Hon. G. A. Cox.....	439 Sherbourne St.

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AUDITOR—H. O'Hara.

MINUTES OF THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING.

Toronto, Thursday, September 28th, 1899.

A fine large room in the new City Hall was the scene of the thirteenth annual meeting of the Toronto District Woman's Christian Temperance Union, at 10 o'clock a. m. The President, Mrs. Stevens, in the chair.

The opening devotional exercises were led by the Evangelistic Superintendent, Mrs. (Dr.) Chamberlain, with a few very helpful words from a portion of Ephesians; followed by prayer by Mrs. Savage.

The roll call of Officers, Superintendents and delegates as far as had been sent in were given.

The minutes of the Executive meeting held the previous day were read and on motion adopted.

Mrs. Brownell, Mrs. Moffat and Mrs. Hilborn were appointed a Credential Committee.

On motion, Mrs. Wrigley was appointed to act as Press reporter till the close of the sessions.

Committee on Resolutions, as follows: Mrs. Bascom, convener; Miss Wills, secretary; with Mesdames McDonell, Savage, Mark, and Miss Harris.

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Reports of Superintendents were then called for. Mrs. Chamberlain responded with a splendid report of Evangelistic work, done by all but two Unions. As the report was long and to the point, it was adopted without discussion,

Prison and Jail, by Mrs. Chamberlain, was also a full report, and adopted after discussion.

The Vice-President took the chair, and Mrs. Stevens reported for District Officers the work done with Influential Bodies, which was considered and adopted.

Scientific Temperance, by Miss Wills, was a most encouraging report, showing work done by ten Unions. Adopted on motion of Mrs. Cowan.

Mrs. Cowan took charge of the noon-tide hour, and Mrs. McLellan led in prayer and praise, and the meeting adjourned to meet at 2 p. m.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Was opened with a most inspiring as well as practical Bible talk by Mrs. Fletcher, who afterwards led in prayer.

Mrs. Moffat reported for Credential Committee, which was adopted subject to additions.

Minutes of the morning meeting were read and approved.

The President requested the Vice-President to take the chair while she read her annual address. At the close of this able and helpful address, the meeting expressed its approval by a rising vote of thanks. Mrs. Brownell moved, seconded by Mrs. Rose, that the address be printed in the Annual Report.

The annual report of the Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Brownell, was read and adopted as a partial report, some Unions not having yet reported.

The Treasurer's report was also read, also Headquarters' Building Fund, and adopted by a standing vote.

Mrs. Redmond, secretary for the Headquarters and Shelter Board gave a most encouraging report of the year's work, and recommended that a paid secretary be employed at our headquarters who could give her whole time to to the increasing work of the District. On motion the report was adopted.

Mrs. Fletcher, treasurer for the Shelter Board, reported an increase

in the City grant of \$150.00 ; with all finances ahead of last year, and widespread interest in the work. Mrs. Fletcher moved its adoption, which was seconded and carried.

This closed the reports of the Officers, and reports of Superintendents were resumed, when the following were read, and on motion adopted :

Work among Soldiers, Flower Mission work, Gospel Tent work, Work among Lumber camps, Work for Sailors, Kitchen Garden, Work among Colored People.

This closed the first day's work, and on motion, meeting adjourned at 5.30.

FRIDAY MORNING, 10 O'CLOCK.

The President in the chair.

Mrs. Savage led the opening devotional exercises with a Bible reading and prayer which was a help to all.

The minutes of the previous afternoon were read and confirmed.

Report of Franchise was read by Mrs. Brownell, Mrs. Pugsley having left the city. It was only a partial report and was adopted on motion of two ladies, after discussion.

Doctor Sherrit reported Hygiene and Heredity, which was received with applause and heartily adopted by several ladies.

Report of Unfermented Wine was read by Mrs. Brownell and adopted on motion.

Mrs. Savage read the resolutions framed by the Committee, and Dr. Skinner moved that discussion on the resolutions be deferred till after the election of Officers, the hour for which had now arrived.

The roll call of Officers and delegates was then taken.

The President called the Vice-President, Mrs. Bascom, to the chair, and tellers were appointed as follows : Miss Johnston, Dr. Skinner, Miss Brownell, and Miss McKay.

The ballots cast resulted in the re-election of all the Officers except Mrs. Bascom, who positively refused to stand for Vice-President, namely :

President—Mrs. E. A. Stevens.

Vice President—Mrs. M. McDonell.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. M. M. Brownell.

Recording Secretary—Mrs. A. G. Wilson.

Treasurer—Mrs. Fannie Moffat.

The departments of Purity and Work among Lumbermen were given by Mrs. Brownell and adopted on motion.

Mrs. Fisher reported for the Woman's Journal, and Mrs. Rutherford took the platform and answered all inquiries.

After the Press report, which was adopted on motion, Mrs. Vance, seconded by Mrs. Wrigley, moved a hearty vote of thanks to our city press for their uniform kindness in publishing reports of our work.

Mrs. Savage reported Sabbath Observance, and Mrs. Wrigley read for Mrs. Lytle her report of Sabbath Schools. Both of these reports were adopted on motion.

It was moved that we adjourn, and Mrs. Cook closed with prayer.

AFTERNOON, 1.30 O'CLOCK.

The sub-Executive and local Presidents met to nominate Superintendents of Departments.

Recommended, on motion of Mrs. Almond, seconded by Mrs. Chamberlain, that the Department of Indian work be dropped.

Moved by Miss Harris, seconded by Mrs. Spence, that the District Secretaries be members of the Headquarters and Shelter Board, *ex officio*.

Miss Harris of Northern Y, and Miss Williamson of Central Y were nominated to act on the House Committee.

AFTERNOON SESSION, 2 O'CLOCK.

A memorial service was conducted by Mrs. A. O. Rutherford, which was a profitable, though sad, half-hour.

The President then took the chair, and, on motion, the minutes of morning meeting were taken as read, substituting the minutes of sub-Executive just held, which were adopted.

Mrs. Bascom reported Systematic Giving, and moved its adoption.

Mrs. Moffat, in Miss Carlyle's absence, gave a very full statement of Fair work, financial and otherwise. The report was heartily adopted, and a vote of thanks given the Superintendents and Gospel Tent workers on motion of Mrs. Bascom and Mrs. Porter.

Reports of Parlor Meetings, by Mrs. Rose, and School of Methods, by Mrs. A. O. Rutherford, were given and adopted. This finished the Reports for the year.

Delegates to the Dominion Convention were elected as follows:— Mesdames Stevens, Hilborn, Orr, Wilson, Redmond, Mason, Vance; alternatives, Mrs. Greenfield and Mrs. Chamberlain.

Resolutions were discussed, and on motion adopted as a whole.

Mrs. Spence read a notice of motion to change article 5 of the Local Constitution.

Moved by Mrs. Rutherford, seconded by Mrs. Spence that the above be taken to the Provincial Convention by Mrs. Stevens, or some one in her place.

Moved by Mrs. Johnson, seconded by Mrs. Ganer, that the sincere thanks of the Convention be given Mrs. Bascom for the years of faithful, loving service, so cheerfully and gratuitously given to the various departments of the District Union. Carried unanimously by a standing vote.

The hour to adjourn had now come, and as the business was still unfinished, it was decided, on motion, to meet in the evening at 7.30 at Headquarters

EVENING SESSION.

Mrs. Stevens in the chair.

Prayer by Mrs. Summerville.

Minutes of afternoon meeting read and confirmed.

Mrs. Orr moved affiliation with the local Council of Women, which carried.

Ladies to represent the District on Council were: Mesdames Hilborn, Vance, McDonell, Mark, Bascom, Miss Harris.

Resolution to enlarge Headquarters or make it into a Hall was referred to a committee of three ladies—Mesdames McDonell, Hilborn and Orr.

Mrs. Brownell moved the following resolution, seconded by Mrs. Wilson: That next year our Annual Meeting extend over three days, having Executive meeting in the morning of the first day, and Convention proper to begin at 2.30 in the afternoon.—Carried.

A resolution to appoint a committee to act conjointly with the sub-Executive, was sent to the local Unions for approval.

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Moved by Mrs. Emory, and seconded by Mrs. Vance, and carried, that a vote of thanks be sent the City Council for the increased grant to the shelter.

It was also decided that the Committee on Resolutions be a standing committee for the year, namely: Mrs. Bascom, convener; Miss Wills, secretary; Mrs. McDonell, Mrs. Savage, Mrs. Mark, Miss L. Harris and Mrs. Spence.

The business of the Convention being finished, Mrs. (Rev.) German led in prayer, and Convention adjourned.

A. G. WILSON,
Recording Secretary.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

DEAR COMRADES:—

We feel to-day, as we meet in our thirteenth Annual Convention in this beautiful room of our magnificent Civic building, through the courtesy of the Mayor and City Council, that we are citizens of no mean city, and that we are privileged citizens as well. The Mayor and Council do themselves honor by thus honoring Toronto's mothers, wives and daughters; they do themselves honor when they honor a Society which has for a quarter of a century stood in the foremost ranks for temperance, purity of life and Moral Reform. It is fitting that our Christian women should thus dedicate this building, and I repeat, it is creditable to Toronto to have it pass into history, that the first public meeting held within the walls of its new City Hall should be a record of the work done by her women in the cause of temperance and the uplifting and upbuilding of her citizens. May it be an earnest of the work done, in the years to come, in every office and public room within its walls, and our fervent prayer is that our City fathers may be men of clean hands and pure hearts, a strength and an honor to our beloved city.

I have chosen our motto for the year from Haggai 2nd and 4th, "Yet now be *strong*, O, Zerubbabel, saith the Lord; and *be strong*, O, Joshua, son of Josedeck, the high Priest; and *be strong* all ye people of the land, saith the Lord, and *work*, for *I am* with you, saith the Lord of Hosts."

Dear Sisters, when last we meet in District Convention assembled, congratulations were pouring in upon us from the Christian world, be-

cause that, with a mighty chorus, thousands of Canada's sons had proclaimed that "*Canada shall be free!*" That was a magnificent Oratorio, rivalling in grandeur Handel's peerless 'Messiah,' and, though it was composed of male voices, the sopranos came in grandly in its "Hallelujah chorus." But not yet could Miriam's song of triumph be ours, nor yet could we sing with her:

"Sound the loud timbrel o'er Egypt's dark sea,
Jehovah hath triumphed, His people are free."

because that, though the people were willing, we had Pharaoh yet to deal with; and *our* Pharaoh would—not—let—the—people—go. But if our temperance leaders be as determined as was Moses, and if we need the command given in our text to *be strong* and *work* and lay hold on the promise, "For I *am* with you," saith the Lord of Hosts, we shall ere long be able to sing with Miriam:

"Praise to the Conqueror, praise to the Lord;
His Word was our arrow, His breath was our sword;
Praise, for the *Pride* of the tyrant is broken,
His chariots and horsemen, all splendid and brave;
Praise for the *Power* of the tyrant is broken,
His chariots and horsemen are sunk in the wave;
Sound the loud timbrel o'er Egypt's dark sea,
Jehovah hath triumphed, His people are free."

and no succeeding Pharaoh would dare play fast and loose with our temperance votes again, no matter what his politics may be. Shall the Christian church's franchised members arise in their righteous indignation at the next General Elections and say, "It shall be done!" We shall see.

WOMAN'S ENFRANCHISEMENT.

Our special work this year, as mapped out by our Provincial W. C. T. U., is for that weapon which we believe would be so powerful for good, in the hands of women, the Woman's ballot.

Never was the necessity for this felt so keenly as during the recent plebiscite vote, and never, I ween, have so many temperance people of both sexes, come to the conclusion of Rev. Dr. Dickson, of New York, who says: "My *prejudices* are all against Woman suffrage, but my *reasons* are all for it." Yet many, who believe themselves strong temperance men, are, it seems to us, wilfully or politically blind on this question of Prohibition.

Said one of such to me, "I believe in taxing the brute to death." I replied, "I believe in cutting his head off; he will only thrive the more on high taxation diet, as, the higher you tax him, the greater favorite he will be at court because the more valuable. I need scarcely say that this man refused to sign our petition.

A good temperance ex-M.P.P. said to me, "If all women were like the white ribboners, we would not oppose the ballot for women, but it

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would open the door for bad women as well as good, and so increase the present evil." Does the good brother forget that two-thirds of the church's membership are women, and that, therefore, for every Christian man who has a voice in the affairs of the nation, through his vote, there are *two* Christian women who have not, and yet these good women must bear two-thirds the blame attached to the Church of Christ for not uniting to drive out the saloon.

Another ex-M.P.P. said to me, "Do you believe in manhood suffrage?" "No," I replied, "I believe it to be a curse to our land. I believe we owe our Sunday street cars to it." "So do I," he answered, "and yet you women ask it for yourselves. You are trying to cure an evil by increasing it. I believe if you would condemn manhood suffrage and ask for the ballot on property qualifications, you would stand a better chance of getting it."

Still another ex-M.P.P. refused his signature, on the old plea that the Home is Woman's Kingdom, which reminds us of Mrs. Mary T. Lathrop's answer to that: "Yes, we do not dispute it, we know it better than you do, but it is *our* Kingdom which is invaded and outraged by the accursed traffic, and therefore *our* business to fight it."

Dear Sisters, have you tried your honest best to get your share of signatures to these Franchise petitions? I have tried to make this a personal matter with every white ribboner in Toronto whom I could reach or influence; have visited all but two of the Unions, either at their regular meetings or on Social occasions—in some cases both—and at every one of these have talked franchise work. If every one of even five hundred members would secure forty signatures each, Toronto could send in twenty thousand names, which is surely not too much to expect of us.

Ruskin says: "If you do not wish for Christ's Kingdom to come, do not pray for it, but, if you do, you must do more than *pray* for it; you must *work* for it." So it is with the woman's ballot. If we believe it to be the shortest way to Prohibition, we are verily guilty if we make no effort to bring it about.

I have been told that if our women had the ballot they would not use it against the saloon any better than the men do. Will any such tell me how the women used their ballot in the Ontario Provincial Plebiscite? If they cannot, I can tell them the women's vote was six to one in favor of Prohibition; that Toronto then gave a majority of 2,463 in favor of Prohibition, which in the last Plebiscite, when she had had no voice, that majority was wiped out, and a majority given on the other side. Yet I have never heard even our gentlemen friends attribute Toronto's backsliding to the absence of the woman's vote; indeed, I have heard her blamed for it more than once.

Rev. L. E. Keith, in a book called "The Coming Kingdom," says: "You can sometimes persuade Christian people that the majority of

mothers would vote against Prohibition, but the saloon men and the brewers know better."

In a secret circular sent out by the Liquor Dealers' Association to a Legislator, are these words of advice: "Set your heel upon the Woman Suffrage movement every time, for the ballot in the hands of women means the downfall of our trade."

The outlook along the lines of moral reform are in some cases encouraging, in others such as to cause anxiety, if not positive alarm.

Along the line of Temperance, aside from the attitude of the Government, it is encouraging. Commerce and manufacture are demanding more and more a sober manhood. Not long ago a dispatch from Washington gave surprising figures showing the attitude of the large majority of business men relative to employing those who drank. We are told that 5,363 out of 7,000 manufactories and several railroads in the United States, will not employ drinking men, among the latter being the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad, the Chicago Great Western, the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway Company, and the Southern Pacific Railway Company, which latter issued a sweeping order prohibiting the sale of liquor at depot restaurants all along its line.

A business man, on being interviewed, said: "From a purely commercial standpoint, we have found by experience, that men who don't drink are worth more to us than those who do. Drunkards? No! I am not talking of drunkards, but of the *moderate* drinker. He is not equal in value with the man who does not taste it. You can't get as much work out of him, for the amount paid in wages, and for that reason, when we have the choice, we take the abstainer every time." "Rather a sordid way of looking at it, you say. Well, suppose it is! What then? I don't see any injustice in telling a man that we know every drink he takes will rob him of a certain amount of industrial ability, and make him of less value in the market than his fellow workman, who abstains." "We are in the market to buy labor, we want, and will have, the best the market affords; we find good service and safety with the man who never drinks, and for this reason he is our choice. The question is, can we supply this growing demand?"

Another encouragement along the temperance line is the action of the Orange Grand Lodge of British North America, at its last Convention, in resolving "to withhold the privileges of membership in that Order from any person engaged in the business of liquor selling. That is an advance step for the Orange body surely.

SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

I wish we could speak as hopefully on the question of Sabbath Observance. All lovers of the Sabbath must view with increasing alarm the result of the Sunday street cars, and, I may add, the bicycle, on the

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sanctity of our Toronto Sabbath. Pity it is that, what is of such inestimable value to the onward march of civilization, should become a snare and a menace to our homes and society, for, what we make the Sabbath in our homes, it will soon become in our city, and throughout the land. We must bring this question into our Sabbath Schools as well as our churches, and I would suggest that our Superintendents of Sabbath Observance request that one of the Quarterly temperance days be made a Sabbath Observance day instead, and also that pastors be asked to preach at least one sermon each year on that subject, as well as on Temperance. It is to be hoped the International Sabbath School Committee will arrange a lesson or two on Sabbath Observance annually.

Several places in our city the Sabbath is openly violated by the selling of fruit, candy and various kinds of drinks, in some cases tempting the little child on its way to Sabbath School, to spend his or her collection money, and we are morally certain that some hotels not only violate the Sunday closing by-law, but sell to minors as well.

Yet our License Commissioners, before whom we appeared, tell us there is no other city of its size on the continent where the Sabbath laws are better kept. We hope they are doing their duty faithfully, and are not disposed to be fault finders, knowing how difficult a thing it is to secure a conviction, but it grieves to know, or see, as some of us have, these things going on in this goodly city. The Lord's Day Alliance have our sincere sympathy in their present effort to find out the powers of the Provincial Legislature, as laid down in the Lord's Day Act.

Our greatest discouragement is not because we have not good laws, but because it is so difficult to enforce them. For example, our law against selling cigarettes to boys under eighteen. We may see the boy smoking them, but if he cannot be persuaded to tell where he bought them, nothing can be done, as the law does not punish the boy, but the one who sells to him. And we greatly fear cigarette smoking is not on the wane, but on the increase.

A still greater difficulty surrounds the selling of liquor to minors, or on the Sabbath Day, as we found out a few months ago when we appeared before the License Commissioners, and again before the Police Commissioners, for, though you can prove that a boy is smoking a cigarette by seeing him, you cannot prove that a boy has been drinking liquor unless you have yourself tasted it—in fact you must be a private detective in order to catch and convict the law-breaker. Satan takes advantage of this difficulty, and as he is ever a law breaker, is continually violating the laws, both in secret and openly.

So marked was this latter in our Military Canteens for the past four years, that our Provincial President, and even some of the officers themselves thought the law on our statute books against this had been repealed, until a couple of months ago, the amount of drunkenness at the

London Camp aroused the W.C.T.U. there and Mrs. Thornley took action. Some of you may have read the remarks made on the floor of the House at Ottawa by Dr. Borden, Minister of Militia, to the effect that Mrs. Thornley had not forwarded proofs to him, and hinted that she couldn't substantiate her charges. She soon convinced him of his error by sending, next mail, page after page of evidence which ought to satisfy even a politician.

We sympathize with our sisters of the National W. C. T. U. in their disappointment at the interpretation of the Anti-Canteen Act passed last February by Attorney-General Griggs.

We are hoping much from the Prohibition test in the British army, where three companies were tested on a march in a hot country. One was prohibited liquor of any kind, a second allowed a moderate amount and the third the regular supply. The latter was "not in it" with the others at all; the second company appeared to have more spirit at first, but, on the long march, were distanced by their Prohibition comrades, showing that not only is liquor not required in hot countries, but that, taken even in moderation, it is an injury. Let us hope and pray that, not in Great Britain alone, but throughout the world, it may soon be denied our soldier boys.

In some respects this has been the most remarkable year in our history. Perhaps we needed something to rouse us this after-campaign year, but from first to last it has been one of alternate anxiety and encouragement. We have received notice of our *first bequest*, and have gone successfully through our *first*—and I trust our *last*—law suit, while from the beginning of the year, nay, before our last Annual Meeting, the holder of the mortgage on our Headquarters building has been pressing for his money. We replied that we could not accept his terms unless one thousand dollars were thrown off the mortgage, as our ladies all felt we had paid too much for the property, and we could not get up enthusiasm sufficient to make a special effort. To this he deigned no reply, but some months afterwards, through a business deal with Mr. Fletcher, he consented, and we succeeded, after considerable delay and difficulty, in raising \$6,000 on the property from the Real Estate Loan Company, of Canada, Limited, and hope soon to get the business settled. Our mortgage was for \$9,000; of this one thousand has been thrown off; we will owe Mr. Fletcher one thousand, and we must raise the other thousand difference between the two mortgages by special effort. Of this nearly three hundred has already been donated, and we raised \$725, on a note, from the Standard Bank, at Parkdale, due in four months time. Something must be done to pay this note in the next few months, and we earnestly invite the hearty co-operation of every white ribboner in Toronto to help us in this matter; and if every one comes up faithfully to our help, another year or two will see us masters of this debt, instead of it being our master, as has been the case

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ever since the purchase of our Headquarters. Dear Sisters, shall we not make one grand enthusiastic effort to roll this burden off our shoulders, or, at least, to lighten it, so that it can easily be carried?

We regret exceedingly having no Superintendent of Young People's Work the past year, our veteran Y's having their hands so full we could get no Superintendent from their ranks; but our new Y Unions are doing good work, and we are hopeful of having that vacancy filled this year from our Y ranks. Three other Superintendents were obliged to resign during the year, but we hope the work in the Unions has not suffered materially, and that the reports have been sent in to our Corresponding Secretary.

We hope our subscription list for the Woman's Journal has greatly increased the past year. If we are to keep in touch with our work and workers, and become stimulated to greater zeal, by hearing what other white ribboners have accomplished, we must take our W.C.T.U. organ and read it carefully. There is no better way of equipping ourselves for the work before us, and there is certainly no better way of equipping our Journal for still greater usefulness. The Editress has had an up-hill road; let us help her to get it on an easier grade.

Your Officers have spent a very pleasant year together. Some of us have been comparatively inexperienced, and the work loomed up very heavily before us, but we have felt that we were indeed a sisterhood, and that we had your sympathy in every difficult task.

We have held twenty-five meetings in all during the year—eleven regular meetings, four special meetings, and ten sub-Executive.

We would like to see these regular meetings better attended. Some of our Unions have seldom been represented during the year, and one or two not at all. As we need our Journal to keep us posted on our outside work, so we need to attend our Executive meetings to keep in touch with our city work, and no Union is doing its best that is not represented at our monthly meetings.

The membership, I regret to say is also behind last year. The impetus given us by the World's Convention has accounted in part for it, but still some of our Unions show an increased membership this year, and why could not others have at least kept up their past record.

We hope your President of next year will not have a single fault to find with you in this respect, but that you will gladden her heart by coming up to the Convention of nineteen hundred, one thousand strong.

Your affectionate comrade,

H. A. STEVENS.

DISTRICT CORRESPONDING SECRETARY'S REPORT.

As we look back over the year just closing, and consider its record, we feel grateful for a measure of success, and for the strength and wisdom given us.

At its commencement, while rejoicing in the victory of the Plebiscite, we anxiously looked forward for some legislation by the Dominion Parliament, that would give effect to the will of the people, as expressed by the Plebiscite. As we waited, expectancy gave place to discouragement, and it seemed that all our toil and prayers had been in vain. Multitudes of communications were sent to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the members of the House of Commons, urging them to use their influence in securing such legislation, but the Parliament closed without any such action being taken. As temperance workers, we have learned, as never before, "not to put trust in princes, nor in the son of man, in whom there is no help."

The first official work done was the organization of two Y unions--Northern and Bathurst.

In October a letter was sent to the Secretary of the Public School Board asking permission to distribute our W. C. T. U. literature among the School Teachers, and the request was freely granted. We are pleased to see by the reports that some of the Unions have availed themselves of the privilege.

In November a meeting was held to consider the advisability of placing women in the field as school trustees. After due consideration, and in view of the probable amalgamation of the two School Boards, no action was taken.

The annual meeting of the Girl's Shelter was held December 13th, and though the weather was unfavorable, there was a fair attendance, and an excellent meeting.

Early in January letters were sent to the various temperance organizations, asking their co-operation in establishing a Temperance Hospital, or a Temperance Ward in one of the existing Hospitals; also to the Canadian Temperance League, asking their assistance in giving prizes to school children, and in securing a more thorough teaching of Scientific Temperance in the Schools. The League did not see their way to assist in establishing a Temperance Hospital or Ward, and did not think we would be permitted to give prizes.

On January 24th, the annual Headquarters High Tea was held in Elm St. Methodist church, and was very successful in every way.

At the January District Meeting a resolution was passed, and forwarded to the Editor, commending the action of *The News* in the stand taken for the abolition of all illicit places where liquor is sold.

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On February 17th a School of Methods was conducted by Mrs. Rutherford, Dominion President. The attendance was very good, and an increased interest shown on all lines of work.

About this time, circulars and forms were received from the Provincial Superintendent, to be signed by both men and women favoring the enfranchisement of women.

As this is Special work this year, the President and District Superintendent visited all the Unions and urged upon them the necessity of distributing Franchise literature and making as thorough a canvass as possible for signatures.

April 20th, a deputation from the W. C. T. U. and other temperance organizations waited upon the License Commissioners, asking for a better enforcement of the law relating to the "sale of liquor to minors," and that all obstructions be removed from the doors and windows of bar-rooms. A little later the same deputation waited upon the Police Commissioners, asking for the better enforcement of the same law, and also that there be more harmony between the Police and License Commissioners.

In May, letters were sent to Staff-Inspector Archibald, asking for greater vigilance in the suppression of indecent posters.

As this is the 25th Anniversary year of the organization of the W. C. T. U., it has been thought advisable to hold a Jubilee Meeting, and a committee has been appointed to make arrangements, after consulting with the local Unions.

The Corresponding Secretary has written 178 personal letters, 205 post-cards. Sent to local Unions 130 circular letters, and also sent out 65 Annual Reports.

M. M. BROWNELL.

WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION

Names of Unions.	Date of Organization.	No. of Members.	No. Hon. Members.	No. Bands of Hope.	Members in Bands of Hope.	Total Amount of Money Raised.	Provincial Aff. Fees.	No. of Public Meetings.	Copies of Woman's Journal.	Copies of Provincial Reports.	Pages of Literature Distributed.	PETITIONS CIRCULATED.	SPECIAL WORK.
Central	1874	88	2	1	40	\$122 01	\$22 00	...	33	15	2256	Franchise.	.....
Western	1887	32	2	2	200	73 51	8 00	2	2	2	10000	Franchise.	.....
Parkdale	1884	76	3	...	...	91 97	19 00	1	21	3	l. quan	Franchise.	.....
Willard	1888	31	2	...	...	22 10	7 75	1	6	...	...	Franchise.	Two licenses were refused through efforts of this Union and others.
Bathurst	1888	44	10	...	...	97 00	11 00	6	2	30	quan.	Franchise.	Supplied W. C. T. U. literature to school teachers.
Gordon	1886	69	10	...	...	92 80	17 25	4	2	4	3502	Franchise.	Relief work. Protested against indecent posters.
Northern	1885	75	10	...	...	84 38	18 75	3	10	20	11218	Franchise.	Letters to Dom. Gov't and M. P.'s re plebiscite vote.
Deer Park	1893	14	1	...	...	10 40	3 50	2	...	...	l. quan	.....	Joined deputations to License and Police Com. Protested against transfer of license.
Youmans	1893	16	1	1	96	16 85	4 00	...	5	...	600	Franchise.	Band of Hope.
Creighton	1895	43	9	...	...	107 71	10 75	5	8	1	3400	Franchise.	Notified Inspector of violation of Sab. Obs. Law.
Eastern	1896	21	4	...	...	20 94	5 25	1	...	1	quan.	.....	Sunday School Work.
Central Y	1884	43	2	...	...	339 05	10 75	15	...	...	7332	.....	Among School Girls.
Western Y	1897	17	...	...	...	11 98	4 25	...	...	...	...	.....	Evangelistic work in Mercer Reformatory.
Parkdale Y	1898	15	...	...	...	8 02	3 75	...	...	...	...	.....	Mothers Meetings.
Bascom Y	1898	10	3	...	...	7 00	2 50	1	...	3	...	.....	Parlor Meetings.
Northern Y	1898	26	25	...	...	37 05	6 50	3	1	...	1380	.....	.....
Dovercourt Y	1896	8	...	...	...	...	2 00	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Bathurst Y	1898	15	...	...	...	...	3 75	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Lit. dis. at Ex.		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9555	.....	.....
Total		643	82	4	336	\$1184 77	\$160 75	44	90	77	49243		

Sailors' Department distributed 447 papers, 9,789 leaflets, 364 booklets and 55 magazines.

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REPORT OF TREASURER

FOR YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30TH, 1899.

Receipts.

Oct. 1st, 1899—Balance on hand.....\$ 29 53

Provincial and District Affiliation Fees :—

Central	Union, for 88 members	.....	\$26 40
Gordon	“ “ 69 “	.....	20 70
Bathurst	“ “ 42 “	.....	12 60
Parkdale	“ “ 75 “	.....	22 50
Willard	“ “ 31 “	.....	9 30
Northern	“ “ 76 “	.....	22 80
Western	“ “ 32 “	.....	9 60
Eastern	“ “ 21 “	.....	6 30
Youman's	“ “ 16 “	.....	4 80
Creighton	“ “ 43 “	.....	12 90
Deer Park	“ “ 12 “	.....	3 60
Dovercourt	“ “ 7 “	2 10
Central Y	“ “ 44 “	13 20
Western Y	“ “ 17 “	5 10
Dovercourt Y	“ “ 8 “	2 40
Parkdale Y	“ “ 15 “	4 50
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Northern Y	“ “ 26 “	7 80
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WORK OF DEPARTMENTS.

Lumber Mission :—

Central	Union.....	\$ 5 00
Creighton	“	3 00
Northern	“	12 00
Willard	“	3 00
Bathurst	“	2 00
Deer Park	“	4 00
Parkdale	“	3 50
Gordon	“	3 00
Youman's	“	1 00
Central Y	“	2 00
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School of Methods :—

Collection at School of Methods.....	11 02
Donation from Mrs. A. O. Rutherford, re postage.....	1 11 12 13

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From Fair work.....	234 00
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Donation from Mrs. C. Robertson.....	
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Brought forward.....		\$510 01
Sabbath Observance:—		
Northern Union.....		2 00
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Central Union.....	3 00	
Parkdale “.....	3 00	
Eastern “ for 1898-1899.....	2 00	
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Western “.....	3 00	
Bathurst “.....	3 00	
Gordon “.....	3 00	
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Advertisements in Report.....		33 0
Honorary members fees.....		54 50
Collection at day of prayer.....		16 00
Eastern Union, donation for work among Indians.....		42
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Disbursements.

Provincial Treasurer, fees for 647 members.....	\$161 75
“ “ “ 4 “ for 1898.....	1 00
“ “ for lumber mission work.....	38 50
“ “ for Lord's Day Alliance.....	2 00
“ “ collection at day of prayer.....	42
Rent of Elm St. Church Lecture Room for annual meeting 1898.....	5 00
Sexton of Church.....	2 00
Printing reports.....	102 60
“ letter heads, envelopes, post cards and programs.....	16 25
Typewriting.....	1 95
Rent of Piano for day of prayer.....	3 00
Affiliation fee to Council of Women.....	2 00
Flowers for Armouries.....	2 05
Rent of room for School of Methods.....	7 50
Pockets for literature, on wharf.....	75
Expenses of getting up annual report.....	2 00
Telegram to County of York Convention.....	35
Painting and lettering sign board.....	3 50
Postage of officers.....	19 27
Postage of Superintendents.....	3 99
Principal on Fair Building.....	200 00
Interest on Fair Building.....	30 00
Interest on money loaned for Fair work.....	4 00
In trust for work among Indians.....	75
Balance on hand.....	6 05
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Oct. 1st, 1898

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Oct. 1st, 1898,—Balance on hand.....	\$ 33 28
From Fair work, 1898	200 00
Annual Tea	59 60
Thank offering at High Tea.....	10 85
In trust for Headquarters' interest	225 00
Headquarters and Shelter Board.....	238 00
Rebate on interest from Mr. Thorne	90 00
An old debt (for back rent).....	20 00
Donations towards Mortgage Fund :—	
Geo. A. Cox, Esq. ....(collected by Mrs. Wrigley)....	200 00
Elias Rogers, Esq. " "	10 00
George Bertram, Esq., M.P. " "	10 00
Ex-Alderman Scott " "	10 00
Northrop, Lyman & Co. " "	10 00
Central Union.....	31 00
Gordon "	10 25
Parkdale "	8 00
Western "	2 00
Creighton "	15 00
Northern "	14 00
Youmans "	4 00
Northern Y. Union.....	1 50
Mrs. Williams (collected by Mrs. Robinson).....	50
Mrs. Anderson " "	50
Mrs. Walls " "	65
Mrs. Crocker " "	75
Miss Mearns " "	1 00
Mrs. Bell " "	25
Mrs. Lytle and friends.....	16 00
Central Union, towards note.....	10 00
Gordon " "	12 00
" " Mrs. Greenfield.....	3 00
From Fair work	225 00
Loan from Standard Bank	725 00
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Disbursements.

Mrs. Orchard, <i>re</i> notes in full	\$400 00
Interest on mortgage (1½ years)	765 00
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Interest on loan from Standard Bank	15 35
Lock	3 00
Reduction of mortgage.....	1000 00
Postage.....	1 60
Balance on hand.....	4 28
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HEADQUARTERS AND SHELTER BOARD.

Headquarters and Shelter Board receipts, as per monthly statements		<u>\$2,005 89</u>
Expenses, as per monthly statement	\$1506 60	
Balance in hands of Shelter Treasurer	499 29	
		<u>\$2,005 89</u>

MRS. FANNY MOFFAT,
Treasurer.

I hereby certify that I have compared the entries in the book with the vouchers therefor and certify that they are complete and in good order for verification.

W. H. ORR,
Auditor.

Assets.

To value of Headquarters	\$10,000 00
“ “ “ Fair building	1,700 00
“ “ “ Furniture	1,300 00
	<u>\$13,000 00</u>

Liabilities.

By Mortgage on Headquarters	\$ 6,000 00
“ Notes	1,725 00
“ Mortgage on Fair building	400 00
“ Excess of Assets over Liabilities	4,875 00
	<u>\$13,000 00</u>

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CENTRAL.

Meets at Headquarters, 56 Elm St., Second and Fourth Monday in each month, at 3 p. m.

OFFICERS.

Honorary President..... Mrs. Finch, 76 Gerrard St. East.
 President..... Mrs. F. S. Spence, 351 Ontario St.
 1st Vice-President..... Mrs. E. H. Hilborn, 74 Brunswick Ave.
 2nd Vice-President..... Mrs. Cowan, 122 Huron St.
 3rd Vice-President..... Mrs. Moffatt, 38 Metcalfe St.
 4th Vice-President..... Mrs. Thompson, 317 Jarvis St.
 5th Vice-President..... Mrs. McDonell, Sunnyside.
 Cor. Secretary..... Mrs. C. Robertson, 35 Sussex Ave.
 Rec. Secretary..... Mrs. G. Wrigley, 293 King St. West.
 Treasurer..... Mrs. St. Croix, 7 North St.

SUPERINTENDENTS.

Evangelistic..... Mrs. Park, 42 Pembroke St.
 Fire-Halls, Sailors, }
 Railroads, Cab Shelters, }..... Mrs. Emory, 125 Baldwin St.
 Lumber Camps..... Miss North, 87 Elm St.
 Fair..... Mrs. Hilborn, 74 Brunswick Ave.
 Press..... Mrs. Spence, 351 Ontario St.
 Franchise..... Mrs. McLean, 29 Elm St.
 Woman's Journal, }
 Systematic Giving, }..... Mrs. McCullough, 12 Laurier Ave.
 Parlor Meetings..... { Mrs. Dineen, 231 Sherbourne St.
 { Mrs. Orr, 176 Bloor St. East.
 Shelter..... Mrs. Emory, 125 Baldwin St.
 Work among Soldiers..... Mrs. Clewes, 16 Gerrard St. West.
 Narcotics..... Mrs. Mason, 42 Gloucester St.
 Scientific Temperance..... Mrs. Adams, 351 Church St.
 Band of Hope..... Mrs. Thompson, 317 Jarvis St.
 Work among Young People }
 Sabbath Schools }..... Miss Weddill, 92 Pembroke St.
 Sabbath Observance..... Mrs. McMillan, Yonge St.
 Indian and Colored Work..... Mrs. Lytle, 41 Pembroke St.
 { Mrs. McMillan, Yonge St.
 Visiting Committee..... { Mrs. Caswell, 92 Gerrard St. East.
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 { Mrs. Downing, 8 Baldwin St.
 { Mrs. Wilson, 373 Wellesley St.

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| Mrs. Baxter, 38 St. Patrick St. | Miss Wills, 47 Pembroke St. |
| “ Briggs, 27 Gloucester St. | “ S. Wills, 47 Pembroke St. |
| “ Bunelli, 266 Jarvis St. | “ W. M. Wills, 47 Pembroke St. |
| Miss Carty, 263 Jarvis St. | “ E. Wills, 47 Pembroke St. |
| “ L. Carty, 263 Jarvis St. | “ Walden, 340 Yonge St. |
| Mrs. Carman, 59 St. Vincent St. | Mrs. McLellan, George St. |
| “ Faircloth, 59 Bleeker St. | “ J. McMillan, 390 Broadview Ave. |
| “ Fleming, 325 Parliament St. | “ McBride, 105 Bond St. |
| “ Dick, 254 Jarvis St. | Miss McGuffin, Methodist Book Room. |
| Miss Durand, 82 Lowther Ave. | Mrs. J. C. McLennan, Winnipeg. |
| “ Dunn, Ontario St. | “ H. S. Parks, 42 Pembroke St. |
| “ Campbell, 20 Metcalfe St. | “ Pearson, 39 Pembroke St. |
| “ Fawcett, 537 Jarvis St. | “ (Dr.) Wilmott, College St. |
| “ G. Hamilton, Brantford. | Miss Wiggins, 19 Metcalfe St. |
| Master K. Hamilton, Brantford. | Mrs. J. C. Robinson, 17 Oak St. |
| Mrs. J. S. Robertson, 1 Glen Road. | “ McKenzie, Rose Ave. |
| “ Rutherford, 762 Dovercourt Road. | Miss McKenzie, Rose Ave. |
| “ Rundle, 586 Jarvis St. | “ K. McKenzie, Rose Ave. |
| “ Roberts, 290 Yonge St. | Mrs. Shortreed, 222 Jarvis St. |
| “ W. E. H. Massey, Jarvis St. | “ G. Spence, 84 Huntley St. |
| “ H. A. Massey, 518 Jarvis St. | “ Orford, 325 Parliament St. |
| “ C. D. Massey, 520 Jarvis St. | “ Kilgour, 144 Bloor St. W. |
| “ J. M. Treble, 518 Jarvis St. | “ Nasmith, 207 Bloor St. W. |
| “ G. M. Rose, 97 St. Joseph St. | “ Nichols, 14 Grosvener St. |
| “ Sangster. | “ Smellie, 148 Cumberland St. |
| “ W. H. Orr, 176 Bloor St. East. | “ Hillman, 423 Jarvis St. |
| Miss M. Stevenson, 11 Wilton Ave. | “ Hudson. |
| “ A. M. Price. | “ Humphries, Yonge St. |
| “ Gilday, 7 Moss Park. | “ Wilson, 10 Laurier Ave. |
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| Mrs. Sparrow, 27 Gloucester St. | Dr. Lelia Davis, 183 College St. |
| “ H. Webb, 447 Yonge St. | Mrs. Lancelly, 5 Oak St. |

HONORARY MEMBERS.

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| Mr. H. S. Parks, 42 Pembroke St. | Mr. E. C. Rutherford, 762 Dovercourt Road. |
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TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts	\$122.01
Expenditure	97.00

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WESTERN.

Meets Second Tuesday in each month, in the Y. M. C. A. Hall,
1087 Queen St. West.

OFFICERS.

- Honorary President.....Mrs. J. J. Graham, 306 Dovercourt Rd.
- PresidentMrs. R. Fletcher, 32 Lansdowne Ave.
- 1st Vice-President.....Mrs. Savage, 245 North Lisgar St.
- 2nd Vice-President.....Mrs. Alexander, 128 Dovercourt Rd.
- 3rd Vice-PresidentMrs. Porter, 198 Dundas St.
- Cor. Secretary.....Mrs. J. Bulman, 127 Givens St.
- Rec. Secretary.....Mrs. J. H. Holmes, 41 Fenning St.
- Treasurer.....Mrs. E. Cook, 5 Rolyat St.

SUPERINTENDENTS.

- Band of Hope { Mrs. J. Bulman, 127 Givens St.
Mrs. Toovey, 67 Foxley St.
- Evangelistic.....Mrs. Savage, 245 N. Lisgar St.
- Lumber Camps..... { Mrs. Bulman, 127 Givens St.
Mrs. Toovey, 67 Foxley St.
- Railroads.....Mrs. Williamson, 55 Fenning St.
- Franchise.....Mrs. J. J. Graham, 306 Dovercourt Rd.
- Unfermented Wine.....Mrs. House, 1087 Queen St. West.
- Fair.....Mrs. Porter, 198 Dundas St.
- Fire Halls.....Mrs. J. Alexander, Jr., 136 Dovercourt Rd.
- Shelter.....Mrs. Harrington, 314 Dovercourt Rd.
Mrs. Love, 138 Dovercourt Rd.
- Mothers' Meetings..... { Mrs. Field.
Mrs. Little.
Mrs. Savage.
Mrs. Alexander.
- Press.....Mrs. Dempster, 258 Dundas St.
Mrs. Cook, 5 Rolyat St.
- Flower Mission..... { Mrs. Beaumont, 52 Fenning St.
Mrs. Millar, 181 Lisgar St.
- Sabbath Observance.....Mrs. Clarke, 39 Grove Ave.
- Soldiers..... { Mrs. Holmes, 41 Fenning St.
Mrs. Millar, 181 Millar St.

MEMBERS.

- Mrs. Ande, Rusholme Road. | Mrs. T. Bond, 1026 Queen St.
- " Alexander, Jr., 136 Dover- | West.
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- Mrs. Barnett, 140 Dundas St.
- " Clark, 39 Grove Ave.
- " T. Crawford, 107 Givens St.
- Miss Cathcart, 170 Shaw St.
- Mrs. Field, 180 Shaw St.
- " J. French, Delaware Ave.
- " Bick, Dundas St.
- " Auger, 262 Dovercourt Road.
- " Moody, 224 North Lisgar St.
- " Lemon, Grove Ave.
- " Pritchard, 136 Dundas St.
- " Powley, 978 Queen St. West.
- " Riley, 175 Shaw St.
- " Williamson, 55 Fenning St.

- Mrs. Walton, 58 Shannon St.
- " Willmott, Dovercourt Road.
- " Parlow, North Lisgar St.
- Miss A. Chown.
- Mrs. Pretty, 198 North Lisgar St.
- " Vogan, Queen St West.
- " Little, 131 Shaw St.
- " R. Bulman, 318 Dovercourt Road.
- " Kelso.
- " Levack.
- " J. Crawford, 109 Givens St.
- " Morris, 64 Churchill Ave.
- " (Dr.) Hurd, Crawford St.

HONORARY MEMBERS.

- Mr. R. Fletcher.
- " B. Howse.
- " R. J. Colville.
- " J.H. Holmes.

- Mr. J. J. Graham.
- " A. Bates.
- " A. Howe.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts	\$73 51.
Expenditure	73 51.

PARKDALE.

Meets on the First Friday of each month at 2.30 p. m.

OFFICERS.

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| Honorary Presidents | { Mrs. Jas. Johnston.
Mrs. Clement. |
| President | Mrs. (Dr.) Bascom, 1339 King St. West. |
| Vice President, at large | Mrs. Fisher, 59 Dunn Ave. |
| 1st Vice-President | Mrs. Jull, 195 Cowan Ave. |
| 2nd " | Mrs. Jack, 30 Maynard Ave. |
| 3rd " | Mrs. Inglis, 1280 King St. W. |
| 4th " | Mrs. Gray, 16 Wright Ave. |
| 5th " | Mrs. Hamm, 105 Sorauren Ave. |
| 6th " | Mrs. Boyce, 81 Beatty Ave. |
| 7th " | Mrs. (Dr.) Burt Sherratt, 179 Jameson Ave. |
| 8th " | Mrs. Dorland, 195 Sorauren Ave. |
| Cor. Secretary | Mrs. Abercrombe, 17 Cunningham Ave. |
| Rec. Secretary | Mrs. Torrance, 56 Gwynne Ave. |
| Treasurer | Mrs. Johnson, 28 Gwynne Ave. |

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SUPERINTENDENTS.

School of Methods.....	{ Mrs. Stevens, 200 Cowan Ave. Mrs. Sing, 132 Jameson Ave.
Fair Work	{ Mrs. Stewart, 40 Leopold St. Mrs. Birchard, 120 Jameson Ave.
Railways.....	{ Mrs. Fisher, 59 Dunn Ave. Mrs. Bagshaw, 477 Marion St.
Franchise.....	{ Mrs. Jull, 195 Cowan Ave. Mrs. Johnson, 28 Gwynne Ave.
Mothers' Meetings	{ Miss Pennell, 58 Macdonell Ave. Mrs. Forbes, 115 Dowling Ave. Mrs. Hodgson, 123 Roncesvelles Ave.
Shelter	{ Mrs. Earl, 193 Close Ave. Mrs. Forbes, 115 Dowling Ave.
Social Purity.....	Mrs. Garrett, 44 Spencer Ave.
Parlor Meetings.....	{ Mrs. Sing, 132 Jameson Ave. Mrs. Welch, 49 Macdonell Ave. Mrs. Keith, 107 Jamieson Ave.
Fire Hall.....	Mrs. Jull, 195 Cowan Ave.
Sabbath Observance.....	{ Mrs. Shaw, 239 Dunn Ave. Mrs. Hamilton, 183 Close Ave.
Hygiene and Heredity.....	Dr. Burt Sheratt, 179 Jameson Ave.
Sabbath Schools.....	Mrs. Austin, 1482 Queen St. W.
Scientific Temperance Instruction.....	Mrs. Ford, 93 Jameson Ave.
Lumbermen.....	Mrs. Ross, Cowan Ave.
Press.....	Mrs. Torrance, 56 Gwynne Ave.
Woman's Journal.....	Mrs. Fisher, 59 Dunn Ave.

MEMBERS.

Mrs. Adams, 25 Maynard Ave.	Miss Elliott, Mercer Reformatory.
" Bentley, 204 Sorauren Ave.	" Ellis, 55 West Lodge Ave.
" Bray, 24 Earnbridge St.	Mrs. Fountain, 11 Earnbridge St.
" Burnham, 55 West Lodge Ave.	" Fraser, 69 Spencer Ave.
" Beemer, 55 Garden Ave.	" Garner, 117 John St.
" Barnes, 14 Springhurst Ave.	" Griffin, 52 Beatty Ave.
" Beaumont, 1500 Queen St. West.	Miss Harrison, 1574 Queen St.W.
" Cope, Davisville.	Mrs. Humble, 114 O'Hara Ave.
" Cullen, 20 Macdonell Ave.	" Hardy, 86 Dunn Ave.
" Challenger, 204 Dunn Ave.	" Harris, 78 Fern Ave.
" Crews, 101 Close Ave.	" Jackson, 66 Gwynne Ave.
" Davidson, 2 Lansdowne Ave.	" E. Jackson, Brock Ave.
" Duthie, 55 Beatty Ave.	" Little, 195 Close Ave.
" Duff, 24 Elm Grove.	" Long, 101 Macdonell Ave.
	" Laidlaw, 1397 King St.West.
	" Mercer, 25 Maynard Ave.

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| Mrs. Miller, 6 Sorauren Ave. | Mrs. (Rev.) Smith, 14 Maple Grove. |
| " McKay, 8 Sorauren Ave. | " Scripture, 70 Close Ave. |
| " Ormiston, 67 Callendar St. | " Stuart, 89 Jameson Ave. |
| " Presant, 13 Close Ave. | " Tooth, 74 Elm Grove. |
| " Rutherford, 53 Elm Grove. | " Welch, 49 Macdonell Ave. |
| " Rogers, 28 Huxley St. | " Whyte, 130 Macdonell Ave. |
| " R. Ross, 1349 Queen St. W. | " Wanless, 252 Dufferin St. |
| " Ross, Cowan Ave. | " Wright, 53 Elm Grove. |
| " (Rev.) Rankin, 225 Dunn Ave. | " (Rev.) Wilson, 44 Spencer Ave. |
| " Redmond, 190 Cowan Ave. | |
| " Shannon, 35 Dunn Ave. | |

HONORARY MEMBERS.

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| Mr. Boyce. | Mr. Stevens. |
| " Redmond. | |

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts	\$91 97
Expenditure	87 20

WILLARD.

Meets Second and Fourth Monday of each month, at 3 p.m., in Broadway Hall, Spadina Ave.

OFFICERS.

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| President | Mrs. Chamberlain, 615 Spadina Ave. |
| 1st Vice-President | Mrs. Gregg, 3 Washington Ave. |
| 2nd " | Mrs. Kemp, 784 Euclid Ave. |
| Rec. Secretary | Mrs. Moore, 64 Lippincott St. |
| Cor. Secretary | Mrs. Pease, 50 Major St. |
| Treasurer | Mrs. Whiteside, 68 Robert St. |

SUPERINTENDENTS.

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| Evangelistic | Mrs. Chamberlain, 615 Spadina Ave. |
| Lumber Camps | Mrs. Gregg, 3 Washington Ave. |
| Franchise | Mrs. Sinclair, 556 Spadina Ave. |
| Work among Young People | Mrs. Mason, 98 Bellevue Ave. |
| Purity | Mrs. Kemp, 784 Euclid Ave. |
| Press | Mrs. Whiteside, 68 Robert St. |
| Fair | { Miss Heath, 51 Sussex Ave. |
| | { Mrs. Whiteside, 68 Robert St |
| Wom'n's Journal | Miss Whiteside, 68 Robert St |
| Temperance Instruction in Schools | Mrs. Culbert, 274 Major St. |

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Sunday Schools.....Mrs. Henderson, 77 St. Patrick St.
 Narcotics.....Mrs. Walls, 105 D'Arcy St.

MEMBERS.

Mrs. Rutherford, 94 Spencer Ave.	Mrs. Col. Jones, Euclid Ave.
" Gregg, 3 Washington Ave.	" Alfred Jones, 117 Howland Ave.
" Bastedo, 582 Spadina Ave.	" Crane, 21 Washington Ave.
" Settell, 627 Spadina Ave.	" Culbert, 274 Major St.
" Chamberlain, 615 Spadina Ave.	" Milner, 774 Bathurst St.
" Moore, 402 Spadina Ave.	" Vokes, 566 Bathurst St.
" Moyer, 406 Spadina Ave.	" Harvie, St. George St.
" Sinclair, 556 Spadina Ave.	" Henderson, 77 St. Patrick St.
" Pease, 50 Major St.	" Kemp, 784 Euclid Ave.
" Steele, 235 Huron St.	" E. Moore, 78 Augusta Ave.
" Wallace, 402 Huron St.	" Walls, 105 D'Arcy St.
" Lear, 34 Henry St.	" Parker, 468 Deleware Ave.
" McKendry, 52 Harbord St.	" More, 64 Lippincott St.
" (Rev.) Odery, 58 Brunswick Ave.	" Whiteside, 68 Robert St.
" Mason, 98 Bellevue Ave.	" Heath, 51 Sussex Ave.
	" Whitcomb, 105 Robert St.

HONORARY MEMBERS.

Mr. Isaac Wardell, 556 Spadina Ave.	Mr. Alfred Jones, 117 Howland Ave.
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TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts	\$22 10.
Expenditure	21 30.

BATHURST.

Meets every Monday, 3 p. m., at 171 Bathurst St.

OFFICERS.

President.....	Mrs. F. C. Ward, 258 Bathurst St.
1st Vice-President.....	Mrs. W. McGill, 38 Bellwoods Ave.
2nd ".....	Mrs. J. Burns, 366 Bathurst St.
3rd ".....	Mrs. McLeod, 8 Denison Square.
Cor. Secretary.....	Mrs. J. Burns, 366 Bathurst St.
Rec. Secretary.....	Mrs. McLean, 344 Bathurst S
Treasurer.....	Mrs. Duncan, 358 Bathurst S
Organist.....	Mrs. McLean, 344 Bathurst St.

SUPERINTENDENTS.

Flower Mission.....	{ Mrs. McGill, 38 Bellwoods Ave.
	{ Mrs. McLean, 344 Bathurst St.

Evangelistic	{ Mrs. Baker, 42 Tecumseh St. Mrs. Edgecombe, 111 Palmerston Ave. Mrs. Arnold, 77 Palmerston Ave.
Press	Mrs. McLean, 344 Bathurst St.
Work in Sabbath Schools	{ Mrs. Brown, 12 Denison Sq. Mrs. McLeod, 8 Denison Sq.
Social Purity	{ Mrs. McLeod, 8 Denison Sq. Mrs. Mahaffy, 527 Woolsley St.
Parlor Meetings	{ Mrs. Noxon, 344 Bathurst St. Mrs. Roberts, 436 Euclid Ave. Mrs. Rogers, Brunswick Ave. Mrs. Malcolm, 350 Spadina Ave.
Lumber Camps	{ Mrs. Rupert, 24 Major St. Mrs. Young. Mrs. Mott, 2 Sully Cresent.
Franchise	{ Mrs. Welch, 302 Queen St. W. Mrs. Mugford, 39 Camden St.
Unfermented Wine	Mrs. Mugford, 39 Camden St.
House to House Visitation	Mrs. Brown, 12 Denison Square.
Fair	Mrs. J. Burns, 366 Bathurst St.
Shelter	{ Mrs. Ward, 258 Bathurst St. Mrs. McLean 344 Bathurst St.

MEMBERS.

Mrs. Blatherwick, Palmerston Ave.	Mrs. McFarlane, 55 Wellington Ave.
" Chantler, 701 Queen St. West.	Miss Noble, 350 Spadina Ave.
" Carlyle, 332 Delaware Ave.	Mrs. Owen, Markham St.
" Chapman, 120 Strachan Ave.	" Patterson, 11 Bellevue Place.
" Craig, 624 Queen St. West.	" Rundle, 201 Richmond St. West.
" (Dr.) Fisher, 121 Spadina Ave.	Miss Smith.
" Finley, 374 Bathurst.	Mrs. Sellars, cor. Denison Ave.
" Fuller, Spadina Ave.	Miss Smellie, 16 Major St.
" Humphrey, 407 Queen St. West.	Mrs. Skeans.
" Ivory, 628 Queen St. West.	" (Dr.) Watson, cor. McCaul and St. Patrick Sts.
" C. O. Johnston, 70 Grange Ave.	" Williams, 164 Crawford St.
Miss Jameson, 521 Adelaide St. West.	" Watson, 10 Euclid Ave.
" Morton, 67 Maitland St.	" A.R. Williamson, cor. Esther St. and Grange Ave.

HONORARY MEMBERS.

Mr. Wm McGill, 38 Bellwood Ave.	Mr. Baker, 42 Tecumseh St.
" Rupert.	Dr. Noxon, 344 Bathurst St.
Dr. Fisher, 121 Spadina Ave.	Mr. St. Leger.

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WOMAN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE

MEMBERS.

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| Mrs. Thompson, 247 Berkeley St. | Miss Mary Gray, 635 Parliament St. |
| " Jeandorn, 204 Carlton St. | Mrs. Coatsworth, 312 Parliament St. |
| " Sylvester, 240 Ontario St. | " Powell, 158 Dundas St. |
| " Webster, 332 Parliament St. | Miss Creighton, 19 Metcalf St. |
| " Eagle, 198 Ontario St. | Mrs. Beattie, 232 Jarvis St. |
| " Percy, 254 McCaul St. | " Fisher, 14 Maderia Pl. |
| " Bullman, 125 Givens St. | " W. Wickett, 30 Gifford St. |
| " Hughs, 125 Givens St. | " W. Dungan, 56 McGee St. |
| " McClelland, 324 Dovercourt Road. | " S. S. Martin, 157 Sherbourne St. |
| " Head, 316 Parliament St. | Miss Martin, 157 Sherbourne St. |
| " Fox, 8 Orford Ave. | " Annie Martin, 157 Sherbourne St. |
| " Forster, 2 Carlton St. | " Lizzie Martin, 157 Sherbourne St. |
| " Dunbar, 488 Ontario St. | " Lillie Martin, 157 Sherbourne St. |
| " Shorey, 109 Amelia St. | Mrs. Jackman, 226 Berkeley St. |
| " Hales, 4 St. James' Ave. | " Snead, 283 Sackville St. |
| " J. A. Fisher, 365 Parliament St. | " C. Newman, 357 Queen St. East. |
| " Bowman, 8 Victoria Pl. | " J. Forfar, 212 Carleton St. |
| " Thompson, 3 Orford Ave. | " Ziegler, 423 Sherbourne St. |
| " J. H. Cook, 310 Gerrard St. East. | " Winters, 55 Bleeker St. |
| " Johnson, 1367 Queen St. East. | " McDonald, 156 Bleeker St. |
| " Jacob Spence (in memory). | " Snead, 176 1/2 Duchess St. |
| Miss Atwood, 341 Queen St. East. | " Brick, 28 Gifford St. |
| " Hiscox, 414 Wellesley St. | " (Dr.) Bryans, 243 Carlton St. |
| Mrs. Johnson, 1367 Queen St. East. | " Slater, 576 Parliament St. |
| " Couch, 145 Mutual St. | " Hawkin, 16 St. James Ave. |
| " Galley, 145 Robert St. | |
| Miss Julia Gray, 635 Parliament St. | |

HONORARY MEMBERS.

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| Mr. J. W. Flavelle. | Mr. Vance. |
| Ald. Hallam. | " Reid. |
| Mr. R. W. Doan. | " Ruthven. |
| " James Forster. | Dr. J. E. Forfar, |
| Mr. Charlton. | Dr. W.F. Bryans. |

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Receipts.....	\$92 80
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DEER PARK.

Meets last Tuesday of each Month, in the Presbyterian School room, at
3 p. m.

OFFICERS.

President.....
Vice-President..... Mrs. Hodgkins, Deer Park.
Cor. Secretary..... Miss Shepherd, 186 Cottingham St.
Rec. Secretary..... Mrs. Smith, Summerhill Ave.
Treasurer..... Mrs. Brown, 1130 Yonge St.

SUPERINTENDENTS.

Scientific Temperance, }
Work in Sunday Schools } Miss Robinson, Summerhill Ave.

MEMBERS.

Mrs. E. R. Young, 152 Dowling Ave., Parkdale.	Summerhill Ave.
" Doney, 1164 Yonge St.	Mrs. Rudland, 266 Shaftesbury Ave.
" Carter, 1105 Yonge St.	" Summerfeldt, Summerhill Ave.
" Mathews, Ottawa St.	" Locke, Eglington P. O.
" Robinson, " Langside," Sum-	" T. G. Crown, 49 Walker Ave.

HONORARY MEMBER.

Mr. G. Robinson, " Langside," Summerhill Ave.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts	\$10 40
Expenditure.....	11 80

NORTHERN.

Meets Second and Fourth Monday of each month, at 3 p.m., in parlors of St. Paul's Methodist Church, Avenue Rd.

Honorary President..... Mrs. Fotheringham, 48 Hazelton Ave.
President..... Mrs. Woodley, 213 Davenport Rd.
1st Vice-President..... Mrs. M. M. Brownell, 22 St. Mary St.
2nd "..... Mrs. Christie, 59 Yorkville Ave.
3rd "..... Mrs. Page, Admiral Road.
4th "..... Mrs. Pritchard, McMaster Hall.
Cor. Secretary..... Mrs. S. Campbell, 101 Charles St.
Rec. Secretary..... Mrs. F. Wilson, 56 Avenue Rd.
Treasurer..... Mrs. Tait, Deer Park P. O.

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SUPERINTENDENTS.

Evangelistic, } Mothers' Meetings } Lumber Camps..... Franchise..... Scientific Temperance, } Narcotics } Fair..... Press..... Literature..... Woman's Journal..... Sabbath Schools..... Sabbath Observance..... Parlor Meetings..... Librarian..... Jail..... Systematic Giving..... Hygiene, } Heredity, } Social Purity }	{ Mrs. Woolsey, 13 Ketchum Ave. { Mrs. Fletcher, 11 Gloucester St. Mrs. Christie, 59 Yorkville Ave. { Mrs. Courtice, 80 Bedford Ave. { Mrs. L. Clark, 104 Avenue Rd. Mrs. Bartlett, 79 Collier St. Mrs. Booth, 122 Bedford Rd. Mrs. J. Oram, 836 Yonge St. Mrs. Page, Admiral Rd. { Mrs. T. C. Jeffers, 60 Isabella St. { Mrs G.M.Lee, 115 Yorkville Ave. Mrs. D. Rose, 50 Avenue Rd. Mrs. F. Wilson, 56 Avenue Rd { Mrs. Lindsay, Shannon St. { Mrs. Coulthard, 133 Bedford Rd. Mrs. Woodley, Davenport Rd. { Miss Williamson, 60 Isabella St. { Miss Mathews, 48 Roxborough St. { Mrs. Woodley, 213 Davenport Road. { Mrs. Jeffers, 60 Isabella St.
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MEMBERS.

Mrs. Nesbitt, 22 Walker Ave. " Haslitt, 25 Isabella St. " Bartlett, 79 Collier St. " Tainsh, 145 Yorkville Ave. Miss Moody, 176 Bloor St. East. Mrs. Dickson, 106 Hazelton Ave. Miss C. Gladish, Yonge St. Mrs. Purkiss, Parkdale. " Thom, Rosedale. " Fielding, 16 Earl St. " Meredith, Crawford St. " Neil, 18 Charles St. " Tait, Lawton Ave., Deer Park. " McEwan, 35 Breadalbane St. " Easton, 112 Bloor St. West. " Glover, 59 Lowther Ave.	Mrs. Smith, 22 Avenue Place. " Doughty. " Davis, 183 College St. " Shepherd, 20 Lowther Ave. Miss Murray, 363 St. Clarence Ave. Mrs. Burwash, 89 Avenue Road. " Teskey, 2 Selby St. " Collins, 4 Selby Street. " O. F. Rice, 94 Huntley St. " J. Booth, 92 Huntley St. Miss Williamson, 60 Isabella St. Mrs. Carman, 58 Hazelton Ave. " Pritchard, McMaster Hall. " Jolley, 22 St. Mary St. " Peters, 227 Davenport Road. " Lydiate, 229 Davenport Road. " Wray, 29 Czar St.
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| Miss Mathews, 48 Roxborough St. | “ McLellan, 113 Avenue Road |
| Mrs. Webber, Sultan St. | “ Trick, 40 Avenue Road. |
| “ D.G. Sutherland, 560 Church St. | “ Currelley, 40 Avenue Road. |
| Miss Mialt, 468 Church St. | “ Weldrum, 14 Earl St. |
| “ Smith, 78 Czar St. | “ Young, 46 Hazelton Ave. |
| “ Plewes, 101 Hazelton Ave. | “ Gardner, 26 Granby Ave. |
| Mrs. Gunn, Rosedale Road. | “ Caiger, 85 Collier St. |
| “ Scott, Rose Ave. | “ Crawford, 86 Huntley St. |
| “ Self, 78 Howard St. | “ (Dr.) Potts, Prince Arthur Ave. |
| | “ Denovan, 11 Yorkville Ave. |

HONORARY MEMBERS.

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| Mr. T. C. Jeffers, 60 Isabella St. | Mr. E. Fielding, 16 Earl St. |
| “ G.M. Lee, 115 Yorkville Ave. | “ Stewart, Bedford Road. |
| “ F. Simpson, Yonge St. | “ Woodley, Davenport Road. |
| “ Bauld, Yonge St., cor. Davenport Road. | “ C. A. Wilson, 5 Lowther Ave. |
| “ A. R. Williams, 724 Spadina Ave. | “ J. Tait, Deer Park. |
| | “ Daniel Rose, 50 Avenue Rd. |
| | Rev. Dr. Potts, Prince Arthur Ave. |

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts	\$84 38
Expenditure	84 83

YOUMANS.

Meets the Third Thursday of each month, 2.30 p. m., at
656 Lansdowne Ave.

OFFICERS.

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| President | Mrs. T. Harris, Davenport P.O. |
| 1st Vice-President | Mrs. Puddy, 656 Lansdowne Ave. |
| 2nd “ | Mrs. McGill, 59 Muir Ave. |
| Cor. Secretary | Mrs. Relf, 61 Perth Ave. |
| Rec. Secretary | Mrs. Crouch, 217 Concord Ave. |
| Treasurer | Miss Watson, 161 Wallace Ave. |

SUPERINTENDENTS.

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| Evangelistic | |
| Unfermented Wine | Mrs. Stockdale, 138 Lindsay Ave. |
| Fair | { Mrs. Relf, 61 Perth Ave. |
| | { Mrs. Puddy, 656 Lansdowne Ave. |

Flower Mission, }
 Band of Hope } Mrs. Riley, 178 Margueretta St.
 Franchise Mrs. Relf, 61 Perth Ave.
 Narcotics Mrs. Worden, 18 Oak St.
 Social Purity Mrs. Stockdale, 138 Lindsay Ave.
 Lumbermen Mrs. Hall, 21 Olive Ave.
 Shelter Mrs. T. Harris, Davenport P.O.
 Sabbath Observance Mrs. Puddy, 656 Lansdowne Ave.
 Sabbath Schools Mrs. McGill, 59 Muir Ave.
 Woman's Journal Miss Watson, 161 Wallace Ave.

MEMBERS.

Miss Arthur, 653 Lansdowne Ave. | Mrs. Law, 97 Jersey Ave.
 " Batho, 216 Lisgar St. | " Martin.
 Mrs. Frank Creber. | " Shipman, 1306 Bloor St.
 " Graham, 198 Symington Ave. |

HONORARY MEMBER.

Master Ambrose Paull.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts \$16 88
 Expenditure 15 35

CREIGHTON.

Meets first Friday at 8 p. m., and third Friday at 3 p. m., each month,
 in the vestry, Bathurst Street Methodist church.

OFFICERS.

Hon. President Mrs. Green, 550 Bloor St. W.
 President Mrs. Almond, 36 Olive Ave.
 1st Vice-President Mrs. Street, 17 Spadina Road.
 2nd " Mrs. Valient, 55 Barton Ave.
 Cor. Secretary Mrs. Cameron, 190 Ossington Ave.
 Rec. Secretary
 Treasurer Mrs. Auger, 28 Ulster St.

SUPERINTENDENTS.

Evangelistic { Mrs. Valient, 56 Barton Ave.
 { Mrs. Allan, 19 Howland Ave.
 Lumbermen Mrs. Millgate, 409 Clinton St.
 Legislation and Petion Mrs. Cameron, 190 Ossington Ave.
 Fair Work Mrs. Green, 550¹/₂ Bloor St. W.
 Press Mrs. Cameron, 190 Ossington Ave.

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- Flower Mission..... Miss Boddington, 665 Brock Ave.
- Band of Hope..... Miss E. Thwaites, 56 Muir Ave.
- Narcotics..... Mrs. Rose, 409 Margueretta St.
- Purity..... Mrs. Pethick, 2 Shirley St.
- Lumber Camps..... Mrs. Duncan, 1170 Bloor St.
- Fire Hall..... Mrs. Groat, 671 Brock Ave.

MEMBERS.

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| Mrs. Brown, 7 Perth Ave. | Mrs. Baxter, 415 Margueretta St. |
| " Grimly, 665 Lansdowne Ave. | Miss Carscallen, 378 Rusholm Road. |
| " Julyn, Bartlett Ave. | Mrs. Moxon, 677 Brock Ave. |
| " J. Moore, 291 Hamburg Ave. | " M. Grummith, Bracondale P. O. |
| " Reynor, 975 Bloor St. W. | " H. Grummith, Bracondale P. O. |
| " Mrs. Scelby, 609 Brock Ave. | " McClure, Bartlett Ave. |
| " Hagar, 1174 Bloor St. W. | " I. Moore, 226 Shaw St. |
| " Ham, 302 Margueretta St. | Miss M. Moore, 226 Shaw St. |
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HONORARY MEMBERS.

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| Rev. Ernest F. Paull, 633 Lansdowne Ave. | Mr. W. Robinson, Preston Ave. |
| Mr. I. Moore, 226 Shaw St. | " J. Moore, 291 Hamburg Ave. |
| " McFarlane, Ossington Ave. | " Pethick, 2 Shirley St. |

LYTLE.

Meets Second Friday at 8 p. m, and Fourth Friday at 3 p. m., in the Parlor of Sherbourne St. Methodist Church.

OFFICERS.

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| President..... | Mrs. Foster, 443 Sumach St. |
| 1st Vice-President..... | Mrs. Lytle, 41 Pembroke St. |
| 2nd "..... | Mrs. Cumber, 126 Spruce St. |
| 3rd "..... | Mrs. Gibson, 48 Rose Ave. |
| 4th "..... | Mrs. (Dr.) McFaul, 197 Carlton St. |
| 5th "..... | Mrs. Lucas, 357 Parliament St. |
| Cor. Secretary..... | Mrs. (Dr.) McFaul, 197 Carlton St. |
| Rec. Secretary..... | Mrs. (Dr.) Carlyle, 235 Seaton St. |
| Treasurer..... | Mrs. Coveney, 148 Spruce St. |

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Cor. Secretary..... Miss Honeysett, cor. Lobb and Crawford Sts.
 Rec. Secretary..... Miss M. Barnett, 134 Dundas St.
 Treasurer..... Miss Creed, 7 Rolyat St.
 Pianist..... Miss Lasher.

SUPERINTENDENTS.

Press..... Mrs. J. H. Payne.
 Parlor Meetings..... Miss M. Porter, 198 Dundas St.
 Fair..... Miss Fletcher, 32 Lansdowne Ave.
 Flower and Delicacy..... Miss Hossack, 302 Crawford St.
 Literature..... Miss Porter, 198 Dundas St.
 Shelter..... Miss McKay, 57 Fenning St.

MEMBERS.

Miss L. Barnett, 134 Crawford St.	Miss Levack, 357 St. Clarens Ave.
" M. McGowan.	" Goodall, 145 Dovercourt Rd.
Mrs. French.	" M. Cross, 244 North Lisgar St.
" Allen.	" L. Clark, Grove Ave.
" J. H. Payne.	" E. Porter.
Miss Richie, 964 Queen St. West.	
" Pritchard, 136 Dundas St.	

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts..... \$13 16
 Expenditure..... 11 98

PARKDALE Y.

Meets Second and Third Thursday in each month in the Members' homes.

OFFICERS.

Honorary President..... Mrs. Redmond, 190 Cowan Ave.
 President..... Miss Odell, 162 Dunn Ave.
 Vice-President..... Miss Jack, 30 Maynard Ave.
 Cor. Secretary..... Miss Griffin, 52 Beatty Ave.
 Rec. Secretary..... Miss Arnold, 159 Dunn Ave.
 Treasurer..... Miss Hendry.

MEMBERS.

Mrs. Stevens, 200 Cowan Ave.	Miss Davidson, 172 Dowling Ave.
Miss Phillips, 81 Beatty Ave.	" Forbes, 115 Dowling Ave.
" Thomas, 1339 King St. W.	" G. Forbes, 115 Dowling Ave.

HONORARY MEMBER.

Mrs. W. Laidlaw.

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Receipts	\$11 23
Expenditure	5 76

BASCOM Y.

Meets Second and Fourth Thursday in each month, at 3 p. m., at Members' Homes.

OFFICERS.

President	Mrs. Somerville, 493 King St. East.
Vice-President	
Cor. Secretary	Mrs. Callighan, 12 Sumach St.
Rec. Secretary	Mrs. Campbell, 14 Sumach St.
Treasurer	

NORTHERN Y.

Meets First and Third Wednesday in each month, at 4.30 p. m., in the Board Room of Central Methodist Church, Bloor St. East.

OFFICERS.

Hon. President	Mrs. Brownell, 22 St. Mary St.
President	Miss L. Harris, 15 Bismark Ave.
Vice-President	Miss I. Wilson, 5 Lowther Ave.
Cor. Secretary	Miss G. Williamson, 60 Isabella St.
Rec. Secretary	Miss A. Rundle, 514 Jarvis St.
Treasurer	Miss R. Junkin, 40 Glen Road, Rosedale.

SUPERINTENDENTS.

Narcotics	Miss Mason, 42 Gloucester St.
Press	Miss L. Shepherd, 20 Lowther Ave.
Parlor Meetings	Miss A. Rundle, 514 Jarvis St.
Headquarters and Shelter	Miss L. Harris, 15 Bismarck Ave.
White Shield	Miss C. Clark, 64 Avenue Rd.
Kitchen Garden	Miss L. Brownell, 22 St. Mary St.
	Assistants { Miss C. Clark, 64 Avenue Rd.
	{ Miss Mason, 42 Gloucester St.
Flower Mission	Miss M. Peake, 244 Avenue Road.
Fair	Miss G. Wilson, 56 Avenue Rd.

MEMBERS.

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| Miss I. Houston, 64 St. Mary St. | Miss Mabel Sadd, Bloor St. West. |
| " Alice Fielding, 16 Earl St. | " May Shepherd, 16 Hazelton Ave. |
| " A. Peake, 244 Avenue Road. | " Ida Wilson, 56 Avenue Road. |
| " Lillian Garrett, 584 Spadina Ave. | " Grace Wilson, 56 Avenue Road. |
| " G. Shepherd, 16 Hazelton Ave. | " Stewart, Bedford Road. |
| " F. Collins, 4 Selby St. | Mrs. Hincks, 14 Park Road. |
| " M. Peters, 237 Davenport Road. | Miss F. Shafer, 24 Cumberland St. |
| " E. L. Peters, 237 Davenport Road. | " H.F. Smith, 91 Bloor St.W. |

HONORARY MEMBERS.

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| Mr. H. W. Page, Admiral Road. | Mr. Knott, 41 Czar St. |
| " H. H. Page, Admiral Road. | " David Moyle, Elm Avenue, Rosedale. |
| " G. A. Peters, 237 Davenport Road. | " L. Rice, Yorkville Ave. |
| " A. Stewart, Bedford Road. | " A. Brown, 214 Jarvis St. |
| " A. M. Buley, Denison Sq. | " Norman Tovell, Madison Ave. |
| " F. Harris, 15 Bismark Ave. | " F. Schuch, Spadina Road. |
| " E. W. Coates, 13 Hazelton Ave. | " A. B. Burwash, 106 Avenue Road. |
| " B.W. Thompson, 13 Hazelton Ave. | " T. R. White. |
| " A. J. Conger. | Miss B. Wilson, 5 Lowther Ave. |
| " F. R. Sinkins, 613 Yonge St. | " E. Shepherd, 16 Hazelton Ave. |
| " A. E. Booth, 122 Bedford Road. | Mr. A. W. White. |
| " J. R. Davidson, Robert St. | " E. Smith, Avenue Road. |
| " R. I. McIntyre, 26 Czar St. | |

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts	\$37 05
Expenditure	37 05

BATHURST Y.

Meets First Monday in each month, 8 p. m., at 171 Bathurst St.

OFFICERS.

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| President | Miss McMullen, 7 Murray St. |
| 1st Vice-President | Miss Holmes, 40 Farley Ave. |
| 2nd " | Miss Shepherd, 54 Denison Ave. |

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 Rec. Secretary..... Miss L. Burns, 366 Bathurst St.
 Treasurer.....Miss M. Wilson, 90 Farley Ave.

SUPERINTENDENTS.

Press.....Miss Alice Burns, 366 Bathurst St.

MEMBERS.

Miss E. Humphrey, Queen St. | Miss E. Flack, 63 Major St.
 West. |

HONORARY MEMBER.

Mr. Charles Ward, 258 Bathurst St.

TREASURER'S STATEMENT.

Receipts..... \$22 00
 Expenditure..... 15 00

EVANGELISTIC REPORT.

The breadth of this work has greatly impressed me during this last year, and as we face a new year of effort, I realize more than ever our sure and only reliance upon the Holy Spirit, and the Word of God, combined with the earnest invitation to a personal Christ, the duty of total abstinence; the monthly evangelistic meeting, and the noon-tide hour of prayer. Christ's love is the important lever in our efforts to benefit a human soul, and we must learn the sacrifice of love, without which we know little of true service.

During the past year the District devotional meeting has been held the first Monday in each month. The following Unions kindly responded when called upon :

October meeting was led by your Superintendent.

November, by Youman's Union. Mrs. Harris gave a short reading ; then we had a most excellent address from Miss Carty (a colored woman), who spoke in the interests of her colored sisters of the South, also we were favored with the presence of Madam Barakat, one of our much loved representatives to the World's Convention. She gave us a short, concise, encouraging talk, very stimulating to activity in the coming year.

December meeting was led by Bascom Y's, and although a great storm prevailed at the time, there was a good meeting, and well attended.

January 3rd, we had a union meeting, as it was Mrs. Youman's birthday, and the monthly devotional prayer-meeting.

February, led by Deer Park. Mrs. E. R. Young in the chair. We had an excellent meeting, but a small attendance.

March.—Western Union took charge. Mrs. Fletcher in the chair. Good meeting and fair attendance.

April.—Lytle Union.

May.—Central Y's. Both small meetings.

June.—The closing meeting led by Bathurst Union. A good program was given, and the meeting was fairly well attended.

Your Superintendent has addressed three Mothers' meetings, and one noon-hour meeting, of the Y.W.C.A., on social purity.

The following Unions report work done, viz :

Northern Union.—Fourteen Mothers' meetings held between the month of January 23rd and April 25th, with great interest and profit to all. Average attendance 19½ members, besides visitors. Meetings were always opened with singing and prayer, then a Bible reading by the Superintendent or one of her assistants. Mrs. Courtice, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. James and Miss Peake gave interesting talks relating to cooking meat and cereals, after which there was general conversation, much enjoyed by all present. June 12th, an address was given by Rev. Mr. McCall. The fervor of his words will not soon be forgotten by all those who listened to him. Great interest and benefit, both spiritually and temporarily have characterized all our meetings. At our last meeting Mrs. Woodyly and the Superintendent gave the "Woman's Suffrage Catechism." The meeting showed great interest in this debate. During the year, nine signed the pledge, and nearly 900 pages of literature were distributed. Mrs. Courtice and Miss Peake have cheered us by their song, as well as other service rendered by them, such as distributing literature and looking after the sick. A considerable amount of cotton and print and sheeting has been sold to the women; also we have had a coal club. At our last meeting we gave ham sandwiches as an extra treat, and parted full of hope for the future. I must not forget to thank the ladies for all their kindness, with a hope that we shall through the coming year have their sympathy and help and also have the pleasure of their presence at some of our meetings. Let us remember that if we have compassion for others and love to Jesus, success will crown our work.

Bathurst Union.—The Mothers' meeting re-opened November 16th with five women present. The average attendance to the end of February was 11, then the day of meeting was changed to Friday, and the attendance ran up to 29. Money paid in during the year by the women has amounted to \$18.62; expended \$21.69. During the winter a concert was given in aid of funds, but was not quite the success we had hoped for. One step in advance of last year has been made in the women having bought fifteen pairs of blankets, paying for them weekly; seventy yards of shaker flannel; and print has been largely in demand; seventy-five yards of unbleached cotton has been disposed of. All the

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mothers have been visited in their homes at least once during the winter, and in cases of sickness more frequent visits have been made, and flowers and delicacies have been given them. The Superintendent desires to thank the ladies for gifts of clothing, and others for papers; also those who helped at the meetings, as well as some outsiders who addressed the women at different times.

Youman's Union.—67 visits made, 12 prayer-meetings held, 352 articles of clothing distributed.

Western Union.—A great deal of house to house visiting, trying to get fallen ones reclaimed, and holding service at Mothers' meeting. Mothers' meetings in connection with this Union were very successful during the past year. Meetings were opened in December and closed on the 13th of July. Average attendance of mothers, ten; children, eight. Distributed one hundred and twenty-seven garments, ten pairs boots, two pairs rubbers, eight pairs of stockings, two quilts and one sheet. The mothers patched nine quilts, afterwards quilted them, and then they were their own. Meeting every week on Thursday afternoon was opened by religious service, then sewing, after which all were supplied with an inviting tea. The mothers have been helped very much, both temporally and spiritually. These meetings are a means of great blessing.

Willard Union.—As was decided upon last year, we have held a devotional meeting the first meeting in each month. November, a Bible reading by Mrs. Chamberlain. January—A meeting for mothers was held in Broadway Tabernacle, the President in the chair. Opening prayer was led by Mrs. Gregg, Crusade psalm read by Mrs. Chamberlain, with quotations taken from a bible reading given by Francis Willard. Mrs. Harvey gave us a most excellent address for mothers. It was much enjoyed, and was no doubt profitable to all present. Mrs. Pease gave a reading from Dr. Wood Allen Crusade Magazine, after which a few remarks were made by the President. Then Mrs. Harvey closed with prayer. February—Mrs. Gregg was to have given a Bible reading, but owing to sickness was not able to be present. She sent a paper to be read by Mrs. Wallace, subject, "Unused Talents." March—A reading by Mrs. Pease. April—A reading by Mrs. Moore. June—No reading.

Gordon Union—Our meetings have been held regularly on the first Monday of each month, being devoted to Bible reading and prayer. They have been, we believe, a source of help and inspiration to those present. We hope for increased interest in the future.

Central Y.—No Superintendent, but have one appointed for the coming year.

Central Union.—Reports the churches are doing the work, and they have decided to co-operate with them the coming year.

Northern Y.—Their Union just lately started, have only helped the Northern W.'s in their Mothers' meetings.

Parkdale Union has held Mothers' meetings. Have a membership of 31, with an average attendance of 20. Have helped five poor families, and provided bedding and clothing for a case of scarlet fever. The funds for sustaining the Mothers' meetings and supplying the destitute families were raised by selling the quilts and garments made at the meetings. A picnic was held at Monroe park which was a great success. There were thirty mothers and twenty children present. The expenses of the picnic, including refreshments and car fare, were paid by sale of quilts.

Total amount of money raised by sale of quilts, etc..	\$47 50
Expenditure, including refreshments at meetings....	43 31

Balance in treasury.....	\$ 4 19
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Creighton Union has held 27 meetings during the year, three of which were of a social character. Average attendance, 24 adults, and about a dozen children the mothers found necessary to bring. At all the meetings, Bible readings and addresses were given by visitors. A Phonograph evening was given by Mr. Valient and was much enjoyed. A picnic was held at Monroe park. The meetings were closed for the summer by a social tea on June 6th. Nine quilts and 194 garments of various kinds were made and sold to the mothers at a nominal price. Total receipts for year from goods sold and donated in money, \$44.35; Total expenditure for material and provisions, \$25.98; leaving a balance of Cash on hand, \$11.37.

Dear Sisters, in closing this report, I would earnestly invite you to attend the monthly devotional meetings held the first Monday of each month. Let this date be so impressed upon your minds that the pressure of other duties will not cause you to forget it.

"Trust in the Lord and do good. So shalt thou dwell in the land, and verily thou shalt be fed."

NETTIE CHAMBERLAIN,
Superintendent.

WORK AMONG THE SOLDIERS.

There is no department of work demanding more attention than that of soldier work. We are pleased to say that it is one that has come perhaps the most prominently before the public in the past year. This was due to the reading matter sent forth from our Provincial Union, circulars well worth being read by all conditions of men, for all nations have soldiers and I am sure much good must result from it.

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Toronto is a little slow in advancing the work but we think sure. Sickness in the early part of the year prevented plans being put into action.

Literature has been placed in all the officers' Mess Rooms in the Armoury and also two sergeant Mess Rooms, Queen St. Northern Union report having written a letter to the Hon. F. W. Borden *re* the Canteen system, as did also your Superintendent.

Letters have been sent to the commanding officers in reference to liquor in the Armoury, with good results. 200 leaflets on "Liquor sales under Military sanction" have been distributed.

The little work we have done in previous years of visiting our soldiers while in camp took such a gigantic form that we were able only to send a few thousand leaflets to be distributed. A remembrance was not forgotten at the Garrison Dinner, a huge boquet was sent for which thanks were received. \$4.50 has been expended upon the work. We are encouraged in our work by the good report coming from our soldiers in camp to the effect that while there is still reason for complaint, on the whole, the law against the canteen is being well enforced. We are pleased to say that in all cases your Superintendent has been very well received and helped in her work by those in command of the soldiers, and wish to show our women that the majority are ever ready to help us in our work.

Now comrades, as we say farewell to the dear old century that has served us so well, even with its record of hard work, disappointments and cares, let us shake hands with the new, and pledge ourselves to maintain the cause we love so well, and pray and work that the first banner we meet on our way may be that of Prohibition.

Respectfully Submitted,

MRS. CHAS ROBERTSON.

Superintendent.

PRISON AND POLICE.

Bathurst Union.—Many visits have been made to the Prisons and have proved successful. Several positions have been secured for men who have served their term, and a number of nice letters have been received, thanking us for our visits and asking us to come again. Good has been done in visiting Roman Catholics. We have been kindly received, and allowed to read and pray with them in several instances. Have placed a basket for literature in No. 3 police station, St. Andrew's market. Owing to illness, the Superintendent has not been able to do all she wished, but hopes to do more next year.

Northern.—Meetings have been held in the jail the third of every month. The attendance was varied, according to the number of pris-

oners. They listen attentively to the simple Gospel addresses, and join heartily in singing the Gospel hymns. Many of them are moved to tears and express themselves desirous of leading a better life, trusting to Jesus for help. We would recommend an Inebriate Asylum for some who are very old and are no sooner free than they relapse again. Mesdames Clark, Henage, Price, and the Misses Wilson and Currie have kindly assisted in conducting the meetings. The women thankfully receive any reading matter given them.

Willard.—Mrs. Chamberlain has attended Sunday School in the Mercer Reformatory faithfully during the past year. Many of the women take great interest in the study of the lessons. This storing of their minds with the Scriptures must result in much good. Many have expressed themselves determined to lead a better life, but we too often find when discharged, their environment and the saloon prevents their conversion. Though little apparent good is done, we are not discouraged, for duty faithfully done will not be overlooked by the Master of the vineyard, and He will see to the gathering of the harvest of our labors.

Gordon.—Meetings have been held once a month, with a very good attendance. At one meeting eight girls expressed a desire to live a better life. We visited the Hospital Ward, distributing tracts and books, which were kindly received. We cannot account for any definite results. Our work at the Hospital has been greatly blessed. One young man has been reclaimed from the curse of strong drink and sent to his friends in Montreal. The aged people receive us very kindly. We read and pray with them, and distribute books and leaflets. Total number of visits made, 40.

Western.—Have distributed a large quantity of literature at the Central Prison.

Eastern.—Frequent visits have been made to the General Hospital and a quantity of literature and some fruit has been distributed. We wish to thank the Prisoners' Aid Association for their help in this work.

Western Y.—Have no Superintendent, but have distributed 60 copies of *The Ram's Horn*, and a number of copies of the *Woman's Journal*.

Dear Sisters, I would urge that greater effort be made during the coming year to better the condition of the unfortunate and outcast, by carrying light into their darkness and Christ's peace into their hearts.

NETTIE CHAMBERLAIN,

Superintendent.

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REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF "SOCIAL PURITY
AND PURITY IN ART, LITERATURE, AND
FASHION," FOR '98 AND '99.

Central Y Union reports good work done, there being a decided increase this year in the amount of literature circulated.

The books, "Almost a Man," "Almost a Woman," and "Searching Truth," have been loaned to one hundred and thirty-two families. "A Year and a half of New Crusades," have entered forty-eight families. "The Marvels of our Bodily Dwelling," has been read by thirteen, and "What a Young Woman Ought to Know," by fourteen families. "The Manual of Purity," by Miss Willard, has been in forty-four families, and one hundred and forty leaflets have been given away, always on condition that these should be passed on to at least one family.

Three addresses on "Purity" were given under the auspices of this Union, two by Mrs. Hughes, and one by Miss Edith Murray. These were appreciated and highly spoken of by many who heard them. The money taken up by collection at these meetings was used to purchase books on the subject.

The President of this Union gave a course of purity lectures to a class of girls, while monthly talks have been given to a class in the city schools, and eight addresses have been given to their pupils by as many Public School teachers.

Northern Union reports two well attended interesting lectures given on Social Purity for this Union, both taking largely the educational standpoint, the first by Mrs. Hughes, and the second by Dr. E. L. Skinner.

Willard.—The *Crusade* has been circulated amongst the members of the Union, and has been loaned outside also. Mrs. Chamberlain spoke to the Y's at one of their meetings most acceptably.

Parkdale reports good work done with literature, and a lively interest in this branch of the work. The books, "What a Young Man Ought to Know," "What a Young Girl Ought to Know," "Marvels of Our Bodily Dwelling," and "New Crusades," have been purchased and quite largely circulated.

Northern Y.—White Shield Department.—Report a membership of ten in the White Shield circle. The department purchased one book, "Confidential Talks with Young Women, which was read by all the members. They also took charge of two regular meetings, and during the year four papers were given on the work.

We are glad to report so much work done by means of books, believing thus to reach the many. We hope this plan will be followed by more of the Unions another year.

JENNIE GRAY, M. D.,
Superintendent.

CONFERENCE WITH INFLUENTIAL BODIES.

Your District Officers, as Superintendents of Conferences with Influential Bodies have had assistance in nearly every instance from other members of the Executive. They have waited on the City Council to ask for an increased grant for our Girls' Shelter, which was graciously granted in part.

We have been before the License Commissioners, and also the Police Commissioners, at the request of our Bathurst Union, *re* the selling of liquor to minors and violation of the Sunday closing by-law.

Have been before the Hon. Richard Harcourt and the Chairman of the Board of License Commissioners to plead against the transfer of a license to within a few hundred feet of our West End Y.M. C. A. ; and also before the Board of Control of our City Council to ask for the privilege which we enjoy to-day of holding our Convention in our new City Hall.

HATTIE A. STEVENS,
President.

SAILORS, STREET SHELTERS, FIRE-HALLS AND UNION STATION.

Distributed 447 papers, 9,789 leaflets, 364 booklets, 55 magazines ; also placed two Shelter signs on two wharves, and one board for Headquarters sign at the Corner of Yonge and Elm Sts.

MRS. S. EMERY,
Superintendent.

REPORT OF TORONTO DISTRICT LUMBER CAMP WORK.

In this department we have had a good deal of encouragement, as our Superintendents seem to be awaking to their duty, as well as their privilege, of being co-workers with the Master. Yet, what we most need is more faith in the Master Workman, and more united, consecrated effort on the part of our women.

In the donation to Missionaries' salaries, we exceeded the amount contributed last year by \$13.50, being an increase of 50 per cent.

Three new Superintendents have been appointed—Bathurst W.'s, Bathurst Y.'s and Parkdale Y.'s.

As regards Lumber Camp supplies, your Superintendent's knowledge of the interest shown by her local Superintendents would have her to expect "great things." But have been much disappointed at the tardiness with which the reports are coming in.

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Dear Sisters, may we not take for our motto next year: Col. 3; 23, 24:—

“And whatsoever ye do, do *it* heartily, as to the Lord, and not unto men;

“Knowing that of the Lord ye shall receive the reward of the inheritance: for ye serve the Lord Christ.”

REPORTS TO HAND.

Creighton Union.—2,400 pages literature, \$3.00 Missionary's salary.

Western Union.—Comfort bags (Wesley Band), 1 scrap book (boys of Band).

Gordon Union.—1,400 pages literature, 4 comfort bags, \$3 Missionary's salary.

Bathurst Union.—2 comfort bags, \$2 Missionary's salary.

Central Union.—(Sent to Huntsville) 2 comfort bags, 2 testaments, 2 hymn books, \$5 Missionary's salary, papers and periodicals. (Rainy River District) 1 comfort bag, 4 testaments, 4 hymn books, papers and periodicals.

Deer Park.—12 well-filled comfort bags, 1 large parcel of literature, \$2 Missionary's salary. Sent literature to some other Camps.

Northern Union.—4,400 pages literature, 818 pages Gospel tracts, 16 hymn books, 10 testaments, 10 comfort bags, 1 bale clothing, \$12 Missionary's salary.

Willard Union.—\$3 Missionary's salary, 1 comfort bag, 1 scrap book, 2 testaments, 5,220 pages literature, hymn books.

Eastern Union.—75c. Missionary's salary, 2 comfort bags, 2 testaments, 2 letters, literature and books.

Parkdale Union.—\$3.50 Missionary's salary, large quantity of literature.

Dovercourt Y.'s W.C.T.U.—490 pages literature.

Central Y.'s.—\$2.00 Missionary's salary, 8 comfort bags, 10 bibles, 10 hymn books, 4,332 pages literature.

Your Superintendent has held five meetings in behalf of the work, and has written fourteen letters and fifty-seven post-cards.

SUGGESTIONS.

That we W.C.T.U. women, when the time comes for distribution of our cast off clothing, that we save at least one half for our work among the Lumber Camps.

Another suggestion I would like to make is, that we, the women of the District, try through this coming year, either to give or collect \$1 apiece toward evangelistic efforts among our Camps. When we think

of our 7,000 W.C.T.U. workers in Ontario, it seems to me very dishonoring to the Master that we have so few workers in the field. I know that there are many demands for one cause and another, but surely "salvation of souls" is the highest work that we can engage in.

JENNIE CHRISTIE.

LEGISLATION AND PETITION.

The report of this branch of our work is very meagre, only three Unions having done any work, viz., Northern, Youman's and Creighton.

Northern sent letters to Sir Wilfrid Laurier and members of the House of Commons for their district, *re* action to be taken on the Plebiscite vote; also one to Hon. F. Borden, Minister of Militia, *re* Canteen system.

Creighton sent memorials to the House of Commons and a member of the Dominion Government in December, 1898, *re* action to be taken on the Plebiscite vote.

Nine Unions report Franchise Petitions in circulation.

The District Union held a committee meeting, with representatives from other Temperance organizations last April to endeavor to secure the better enforcement of the law *re* sale of liquor to minors, and also, if possible, to obtain a by-law to remove blinds and other obstructions from doors and windows of bar-rooms. After considerable discussion, a sub committee was appointed to wait upon the License Commissioners and Police Commissioners, urging that action be taken regarding these matters. So far as we know, there has not been anything done.

The District Union held two meetings in behalf of the Franchise work which were well attended, and circular letters were sent to local Unions suggesting methods for taking up the work, and urging earnest effort to secure signatures.

E. FAWELL PUGSLEY.

FRANCHISE.

Being asked rather late in the year to take up the work of this department, we secured and distributed 125 blank forms for signatures, among the local Unions.

A committee meeting of the District Sub-Executive and representatives from the local Unions was held at Headquarters on March 7th.

The petition forms and Franchise suggestions contained in the Provincial Circular were discussed, and questions answered. Mrs. Stevens

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read a very interesting paper on Woman's Suffrage, prepared by Mrs. McDonell.

An official letter was sent to each Union suggesting methods for taking up the work, and urging earnest effort to secure signatures.

Parkdale Union canvassed the women voters throughout their District for the temperance candidates in the civic elections, and tried to get a woman to run for School Trustee, but failed. Intend trying again this year. Have circulated the Franchise petitions, but as they are not called in yet, we cannot report number of signatures.

Creighton reports having distributed 30 prohibition calendars, 1,000 Suffrage leaflets, and 18 forms for signatures.

Northern held one public meeting, addressed by Miss Wiggins and Mr. J. L. Hughes, and discussed the question at a number of Union meetings. Circulated 3,000 Suffrage leaflets and 20 forms for signatures.

Bathurst, Eastern and Central Y.'s have also discussed the Franchise for women at open meetings.

Nearly all the local Unions have circulated the forms for signatures, but as they are not called in we cannot report number of signatures.

E. FAWELL PUGSLEY.

SCIENTIFIC TEMPERANCE INSTRUCTION.

Your Superintendent begs leave to report that, during the past year, out of the twenty Unions comprising Toronto District, only seven deemed this department of sufficient importance to require the appointment of a Superintendent.

The District Superintendent, immediately after her appointment, called a conference of the Superintendents or a representative from each Union, to consider plans of work. Twenty-two invitations were sent out, eleven members were present.

Another effort was put forth to try to arouse interest. A "plan of work" for local Unions was drawn up and sent to each Union, urging the appointment of a Superintendent where possible, or, at least, some endeavor to be made by the Union to work up this department. The result was that one formerly Superintendentless Union appointed a Superintendent.

At the close of the year, the Provincial circular, accompanied by a personal letter, was sent to each of the twenty Unions, asking for a report of anything whatever done in S. T. work.

The Superintendent takes this opportunity of thanking most cordially the ten Unions who acknowledged the receipt of her communication.

REPORTS OF UNIONS.

Central Union.—Supplied eight teachers with the S.T. Leaflets. The schools in the District were visited and the teachers talked with ; all of them were found to be in sympathy with our work. 256 leaflets were distributed.

Gordon Union.—Visited the schools in the district. Held a social meeting for the teachers, when addresses on the importance of teaching S. T. were given.

Youman's Union.—Taught S.T. in the Band of Hope.

Western Union.—Distributed nine copies of the *Northern Messenger*.

Northern Union.—Visited the schools in the district once. Held a meeting of the Union at which the Principal of one of the schools gave an address on S. T. Ins. in his school. The Principal of another of the schools sent a very interesting letter to be read, expressing his views on the subject under consideration. The Union held a meeting as suggested by Mrs. Bigelow, Prov. Supt. in her circular. Simple S. T. lessons were read at the Mother's meetings, also talks on "Foods, and how to Prepare Them" were given. The Superintendents have met with many of the S. S. teachers and urged them to study S. T., so as to be able to present it as intelligently as possible to their pupils. The public school text book on Physiology and Temperance is in the Library of the Union, and is being circulated among the S. S. teachers of the churches in which the Superintendents are interested.

Parkdale Union.—Supplied the 48 teachers of the four schools in Parkdale with S.T. leaflets for the months of February, March, April, May and June. 720 leaflets were distributed.

Willard Union.—No Superintendent. No work done.

Creighton Union.—No Superintendent. No work done.

Deer Park.—S.T. is taught faithfully in the four public schools in the district.

Eastern.—No Superintendent. Supplied Morse St. school with the S. T. leaflets for the year.

Bascom Y.—No Superintendent. No work done. Hope to do better next year.

Northern Y.—No Superintendent. The Union devoted one evening to the subject of S. T. Instruction.

Central Y.—The class in Elizabeth St. school was taught regularly once a week from the beginning of October until the end of May. The S. T. leaflets were used. A written examination was held, at which the average marks obtained by the 3rd book class were 39 out of a possible 50. Three largely attended evening meetings were held in Mission Hall, Mission Ave., for the members of the class, their parents and friends.

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Unions not heard from.—Dovercourt, Lytle, Bathurst, Western Y, Dovercourt Y, Parkdale Y, Bathurst Y.

Your Superintendent has during the year held three evening meetings for children.

Addressed Sumach St. Band of Hope, East Presbyterian S. School, a "Y." conference, a conference for local superintendents of S. T. Ins., a conference on "How to introduce S. T. in the various Y.P. societies.

Presented her department at Bathurst School of Methods, District School of Methods, Northern Union and Western Union.

Prepared by request a paper on her department to be read at East Toronto Union.

Interviewed the President of the Canadian Temperance League regarding medals for S. T. essays, to be given the pupils of the public schools.

Interviewed Hon. G. W. Ross, Minister of Education, concerning the scope of the law anent the teaching of S.T. in the public schools of Ontario.

Taught a class in S. T. once a week from the beginning of October until the end of May.

Sent out 34 letters, 35 postal cards, a Plan of work to each Union, and 20 circulars.

Regretting that it was quite impossible to accept all invitations to address meetings, especially evening meetings, and hoping her successor may have more time and a great deal more strength to devote to this most important department of work, your Superintendent would earnestly and affectionately urge upon each Union and upon each individual member of each Union the indisputable fact that "knowledge is power," and request that each would so familiarize herself with S. T. Instruction, as to be able intelligently and convincingly to demonstrate that total abstinence is good for the body, as well as good for the soul.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

ELIZA WILLS.

UNFERMENTED WINE.

Central Union reports all the churches in their District but three use unfermented wine.

Gordon, all the churches but two in their district use unfermented wine.

Bathurst, all the churches but one in their district use unfermented wine.

Western reports all churches but one in their district using unfermented wine.

Youman's report all the churches in their district using unfermented wine

Willard, all the Churches using unfermented wine.

MRS. G. WALKER.

WOMAN'S JOURNAL.

Parkdale subscribers 21; Central subscribers 33, increase 19; Northern subscribers 10, increase 4; Creighton subscribers 8, increase 1; Willard subscribers 6; Gordon subscribers 2, decrease 2; Western subscribers 2; Bathurst 2, increase 2; Youman's subscribers 5; Northern Y. subscribers 1, increase 1. Total 90, increase 12.

B. A. FISHER.

WORK IN YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETIES.

Northern Union reports visiting six societies, all of whom hold quarterly or half yearly temperance meetings.

Speakers were provided for Westminster Church, Bloor St. Baptist and Central Methodist. St. Paul's Methodist, Olivet Congregational and Church of the Covenant Societies held a Union Meeting in St. Paul's Church when several addresses were given.

Willard Union has visited one Epworth League where they have a temperance committee. They have promised to hold temperance meetings and circulate the triple pledge.

Central Union visited the young peoples society in Elm St. Methodist Church but gave no definite report of work.

PRESS REPORT.

Two months notices in Dailies by Mrs Abercrombie, 15; Central Union items, 29; Bathurst items, 62; Northern in Enders 26; Northern in Dailies, 10; Parkdales items, 32; Gordon Items, 15; Creighton items, 15; Northern Y. in Enders, 12; Northern Y. in Dailies, 6; Central Y. items, 8; Shelter items, 30; Willard in West Ender, 22; Western, no definite number. Total 282.

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SABBATH OBSERVANCE.

The department of Sabbath Observance has been at a great disadvantage during the past year owing to the absence of your Superintendent from the City the greater part of the time.

The principal work done has been in conjunction with the Lord's Day Alliance. Our Union has been represented at all their meetings, and information was given whereby a druggist in the western part of the City was fined ten dollars for selling on the Sabbath, and doubtless even one example will be a warning to others.

A card was sent to each Local Superintendent, asking for report of any special work done. Only three have responded, as follows:

Creighton requested all the ministers in their district to preach a sermon on Sabbath Observance; also several cases of selling liquor on the Sabbath Day were reported.

Parkdale.—Not done anything special.

Youman's distributed two hundred pages of literature, and talked on the observance of the Sabbath whenever there was an opportunity.

While we cannot report much progress in this department of work, we do not think it was want of interest on the part of the Superintendents, but simply because we were not able to get any definite work planned, and they did not know just what to do.

We see great room for work in this department, and recognize the terrible increase of Sabbath desecration since the advent of the Sunday cars, and we must, as Christian Temperance workers, be true to our own principles and resolutions, and, as far as we possibly can, especially in our own homes, try to inculcate reverence for the Lord's Day.

M. S. SAVAGE.

TEMPERANCE IN SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

As Superintendent of Sunday School Temperance Work, I long to awaken our women to the necessity of increased faithfulness and zeal. Our department is one of the most important, because it touches life in the early dawn and under the spell of spiritual influences. If we had, in the past years, been up to our duty on this line, would we have such a state of things as exists to-day. We cannot serve the cause of temperance better anywhere than among the children and young people of our Sunday Schools.

There are burdens of ignorance, of inherited appetite and bad training, that must load down the lives of thousands of little ones that are yearly entering this world of sin and sorrow. But when we remember that in Ontario, as almost everywhere, the Government, in order to raise

a revenue and pander to the depraved appetites of some of its citizens, permits and legalizes temptations that will surely destroy these weak ones, we are impelled by the love of Christ to endeavor to guide their steps into paths of safety. We are surely leaving part of our work undone if we are neglecting to see after temperance training in the Sunday Schools.

The following Unions have reported as follows :

Northern reports that they feel encouraged with the progress made in the Sabbath Schools under their supervision. Six of the schools teach quarterly temperance lessons regularly. They have introduced the pledge cards into two of the schools not hitherto using them, and have obtained 55 signatures. During the year four special temperance addresses have been given by earnest Christian workers. In the different schools 84 new signatures to the pledge have been obtained, making a total of 313 pledged. This Union set apart one afternoon in discussing the subject of Temperance in Sunday Schools. The Prov. Superintendent gave a delightful talk. Three schools have placed temperance books in the libraries.

Creighton reports temperance lessons taught and several addresses given. Three schools have been presented with pledge rolls, another uses pledge book and cards. They have been successful in having a temperance Secretary appointed in this school, who is well qualified to fill the position. They strongly approve of the pledge roll.

Deer Park reports visiting four schools, and all observe the quarterly Temperance Sunday. In one a temperance Secretary has been appointed whose particular duty is to look after the programme for Temperance Sunday, pledge signing, and all matters pertaining to the work, and the plan has been very successful. Some have signed the pledge, but no definite number given. About 50 temperance books are in the libraries. In one of the schools a number of young people distributed literature, &c., in the Plebiscite campaign, and promises given to try some plan to arouse more interest in the temperance cause. Another School reports much interest taken in the work.

Bathurst Union reports six Sunday Schools visited, four of which have pledge cards in active use, and are doing good work amongst their young people on the temperance line. Two other schools have them, but have not been alive on the subject, but have promised to become so.

Central Union.—Superintendent reports having made 14 visits. 10 addresses have been delivered. Temperance books are in some of the schools, and 10 schools have been visited by temperance workers. The full number of pledged children has not been obtained.

Western Union reports 1 school had 15 signed the pledge, with one

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Temperance Sunday and an address given. The Superintendent has been away from home, which accounts for this short report.

Parkdale.—In most of the schools the Temperance quarterly Sunday is observed. In one school of over 800 they are pledged on their honor. Two temperance addresses given. The Sunday School Superintendents do not know the number of Temperance books in libraries, but the promise has been given for more to be secured. In nearly all the schools temperance literature is subscribed for and temperance principles taught. One school had a special Temperance program and three special sermons preached.

MRS. L. LYTLE.

FLOWER MISSION REPORT.

Central Y.—Chattie Cook, Mrs. Malcolme, Miss Legg, Superintendents. 2,000 boquets, 2,050 texts, 2,000 pp. literature, 50 quarts canned fruit, 6 pecks fruit, 25 doz. eggs, 10 doz. oranges, 2 pledges, visits to 5 institutions and 1,008 private homes, receipts \$225, expenditure \$225, a large number of articles of clothing, potted plants, ham, oysters, groceries, bedding, &c., the material for Xmas dinners for 75 families in their own homes. The Jackson boy, one of the workers, has purchased an invalid chair and takes one of our shut-in ones to church, etc. Some of the girls take this afflicted one to their own homes to spend the day. We try to secure work for the unemployed and homes for the homeless. Suggestion for work—A nurse exclusively for our own work, someone who is independent and could give her time.

Western Branch.—Miss Stewart, Superintendent. 2,600 boquets, 2,600 texts, 10,400 pp. literature, 36 quarts canned fruit, 10 doz. eggs, 6 doz. oranges, visits to 4 institutions and 208 private homes, receipts \$64.75, expenditure \$54.75, 100 articles of clothing, 50 lbs. of tea from Dane & Halford, 12 Xmas dinners.

Creighton.—Miss H. Green, Mrs. Death, Superintendents. 355 boquets, 591 texts, 1,829 pp. literature, 4 doz. oranges, visits to 1 institution and 49 private homes, receipts \$4.85, expenditure \$4.99, 1 new dress and aprons (\$1.80), 4 comforters, 3 tops for quilts. Suggested that the text be written, as they are more appreciated than printed ones.

Western.—Mrs. Beaumont, Superintendent. 118 boquets, 35 texts, visits to 13 institutions and 14 private homes.

Bathurst Y.—Miss M. Wilson, Superintendent. 2 boquets, 2 texts, 4 quarts canned fruit, 4 doz. oranges, visits to 3 private homes, receipts \$1, expenditure 60c., 1 package of cards for texts. Evangelistic services are held in Grace hospital every Sunday a. m.

Youman's.—Miss K. Watson, Superintendent. 16 quarts canned fruit, 3 doz. eggs, roast beef, potatoes, bread, butter, &c., 22 baskets given out at Christmas and 50 meals.

Northern Y.—Miss M. Peake, Superintendent. 57 boquets, 71 texts, 1,200 pp. literature, 9 quarts canned fruit, half doz. eggs, half doz. oranges, visits to 9 institutions and 58 private homes, receipts \$4.42, expenditure \$3.47, 12 articles clothing, potted plants, boiled tongue, Charlotte Russe.

Bathurst.—S. E. L. McGill, Superintendent. 58 boquets, 11 quarts canned fruit, 4 doz. eggs, visits to 27 private homes, fowl, meat, bread, biscuit, groceries. Many calls were made at hospitals and on sick people, a nurse provided, also loving ministrations in many other ways.

CHATTIE COOK,
Superintendent.

HYGIENE AND HEREDITY.

This is such a new subject brought before the Unions and such an extensive one that it will take some time before we will have it fairly established, when I visited the Bathurst Union there was a large attendance. I talked to them on Health and Heredity. A most interesting and animated discussion ensued chiefly on Health Foods and their results. A Superintendent for that department was appointed—MRS. (Dr.) NOXON.

At the Gordon Union I found the ladies busy at their sewing, (my not having been informed that it was not a regular meeting). However they at once, goodnaturedly, laid aside their work and listened attentively to what I had to say along the lines of Good Health. Then a most invigorating discussion followed which resulted in the appointment of Mrs. Gray as Supcrintendent of that department.

Willard Union was well attended when I visited them. After a talk on Health we discussed "Foods" principally, all agreeing that we ought to do something towards the furtherance of the work. The ladies present promised to bring up the subject early in next year and appoint a Superintendent.

Western Union was not well attended. (It being late in the year when I visited them). However, after the talk on Hygiene and Heredity, we did not fail in enthusiasm, for after a hearty discussion a Superintendent for this department was appointed. We waxed warm over "tea and coffee" during our discussion and not without results, for since then a lady from that Union told me she has given up drinking them. Thus the good work prospers!

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Lytle Union was well attended the evening I visited it, and although the ladies had listened to an address on the Franchise, they did not weary when this new subject of Health was brought before them. They heartily embraced the thoughts introduced but found it impossible just at present to appoint a Superintendent. They took the new thoughts home with them to renew the subject early in the next year's work.

Youman's Union had a very interesting meeting. After the talk on Health we had an animated conversation on the subject, the ladies all agreeing that there was great need of these thoughts being brought forward, though for the present they feel they cannot introduce another department into their Union, but they are none the less in sympathy with the good work.

Creighton Union was largely attended when I gave a talk on Health. It was the closing Mother's Meeting as well as the Union meeting. The Superintendent read a paper on Health Foods and Heredity at a young Peoples' gathering in the parlors of Trinity Methodist Church, under the auspices of this Union.

Parkdale Union was well attended when I read a paper on Health and Heredity. We discussed the best methods of bringing forward this work and how to obtain satisfactory literature for distribution and I was asked to gather information, also to write notes on the subject myself. We hope soon to have some notes ready for distribution. We also discussed Heredity to some extent. A superintendent for this department was appointed last year.

Northern Union, a Superintendent was appointed early in the year and a meeting was devoted to the discussion of department work, led by the Superintendent. The members showed very clearly their interest. The subjects discussed were those brought out in the Provincial circular and the two books there suggested were purchased and have been read by the members frequently. The high ideals of life and its relations which are the hope of the nation are referred to in the meetings and always with the hearty approval of all the members.

At the first meeting on this subject we had an eloquent address by Mrs. J. L. Hughes. Besides there being a good attendance of Union ladies, there were a goodly number of visitors present.

E. B. SHERRITT, M. D.

NARCOTICS.

Four of our Unions have Superintendents of Narcotics, namely, Central, Northern, Gordon and Creighton. The last two named did not report, but we hope the work has not been neglected.

Central distributed 2,000 pages of literature, visited four Unions, addressed seven meetings and gave out several pledge cards.

Northern Union has distributed Narcotic literature, along with the Scientific Temperance literature in the schools, also to Mothers' meetings, and has been co-operating with the S. Schools by meeting with the teachers and discussing the subject and loaning books belonging to the Union library. The Union has also been very energetic in securing Temperance and Narcotic addresses to the S. Schools in that District. Two of the teachers in the day schools have been interested in fighting the cigarette habit.

Parkdale Union reports no special work, except that done by Mrs. Ford, Superintendent of Scientific Temperance, who has faithfully placed all the leaflets assigned to schools, many of them being anti-tobacco in sentiment.

Central Y.'s report a good year. Dr. Jenny Grey addressed the young people in Emmanuel Baptist church, also the Young People's Society and S. School in Central Methodist church, Bloor St., on the subject of Tobacco and Temperance.

Northern Y.—Although it is only a short year since they came into existence have been most energetic in pushing along the work, especially along educational lines. At a social given by them and held in the Baptist church, Bloor St., Mrs. Brownell gave a very fine talk on tobacco. At an open meeting, when their honorary members were present Mrs. Watters' circular was discussed, the questions and answers drawing out much interesting discussion.

Youman's Union.—Distributed 100 leaflets against cigarette smoking in Band of Hope.

Bascom Y.—Made a special effort to fortify the boys in their district against the cigarette temptation.

Gordon Union circulated literature against the cigarette habit. Deer Park Union has done much for this department through the *Northern Messenger* and other leaflets.

While we have not heard from other Unions, we hope they have not been idle, especially our Y.'s. We hope for much from them, for young ladies can do more to make the tobacco habit unpopular than all our other combined efforts.

In the spring we visited the management of our lake vessels, with a request to keep some part of the boats clear of tobacco smoke. The result was partially successful. The manager of the Niagara Navigation Co. promised to do his best, and caused posters to be placed in the lower deck prohibiting smoking. We are very grateful for so much and hope for greater concessions in the future.

Early in April your Superintendent convened a meeting of Narcotic workers to meet Mrs. Watters. We had a fair attendance. Many plans of work were discussed. Mrs. Watters expressed her intention to make this coming year a crusade year in tobacco. Her plan was to

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circulate petitions for signatures, and petition the Dominion Government to abolish the manufacture and sale of cigarettes. When the proper time arrives to act, I trust every Union will be ready to fall in line. In the meantime let us everyone do what we can to educate public sentiment.

Dr. Skinner is doing much to educate along this line with a class of young men she has in charge on Elizabeth St. When she first took charge nearly all of them used tobacco. Some of them chewed tobacco to such an extent that they were unfit for work, and suffered from the disease known as tobacco heart. But there is a gradual change for the better. Many have given up the habit, and some are trying to.

The Anti-tobacco League of Elizabeth St. school has this year reached a membership of 197 boys. The evening meetings have been attended by quite a number of the parents and friends of the members, who not only enjoyed the essays, songs and recitations against the use of tobacco, but in some cases, we are pleased to report, profitted by them. A little boy, a member, persuaded his grandfather, who had attended the meeting, to discard his pipe; and a young man, at another of our meetings, avowed his determination to give up tobacco. He was chewing forty cents worth a week.

The thanks of the Superintendent are hereby tendered to Mrs. Savigny, Dr. E. L. Skinner and Dr. Mason, who by their interesting addresses contributed so much to the pleasure of all present.

MRS. (DR.) MASON.

KITCHEN GARDEN.

In this department four classes were carried on in different parts of the city during the past winter.

One by Dovercourt Y.'s, on Concord Ave., using 1 table seating 12 girls, was very efficiently superintended by Miss Bowman. At the closing the sum of \$7.00 was realized, which was expended for the department.

The Northern Y.'s had only commenced work in this department when the spring came on, which necessitated closing until the fall. They hope to start this year with a class of twelve girls—one table—and expect to be able to give a good report next year.

The class in Centre Ave. did good work under the superintendence of Miss McIllheim, Deaconess. Interest in this work is being awakened in that neighborhood. They use one table, seating twelve girls.

The class in Sackville Mission Hall reports a very satisfactory season's work, though the attendance was somewhat interfered with on ac

count of sickness. This class uses two tables, seating twenty-four girls.

The Superintendent is glad to report that all the K. G. utensils at present belonging to the W. C. T. U. in the city are being used, and greater interest is being manifested by both parents and children in the work.

E. S. FAIRCLOTH,
Dist. Supt. K. G.

PARLOR MEETINGS.

This year our Unions have not held as many parlor meetings as last, but those held have been very successful.

Central Union held two Reunions of old and new members, and at these a very profitable hour was spent, and at the end they enjoyed a "five o'clock tea." In March the ladies thought they would have an Educational Franchise meeting and invite all the ladies of No. 3 Ward. Not many responded, but our own members turned out well, and able addresses were given. After a tea, and full talk on Franchise, they congratulated themselves that a profitable afternoon was spent.

Creighton Union's is brief, as only two socials were held, the first in Trinity Methodist church, to which the public school teachers of their district were invited, and although there were many counter attractions for that evening, the attendance was good. The second was held at the home of Mrs. Flynn, Bellevue Ave., on March 24th, which was in every way a marked success. The white ribboners came from north, south, east and west, and the spacious drawing-rooms of the worthy hostess were crowded. An instructive and attractive programme was rendered.

Gordon Union.—Mrs. Webster, the Superintendent, being ill, there is not as full a report as would otherwise be, of this energetic Union. On the third Monday of every month, at the close of Willing Workers' meeting, the committee provide tea, and a pleasant and social time is spent. On the 23rd March an "At Home" was given by the Lytle and Gordon Unions to the public school teachers of Ward 2. A discussion took place as to the best method of teaching temperance in the schools. On May 1st, a tea was tendered to Mrs. Walker, our 1st Vice President, on the occasion of her leaving for the old country. A very pleasant time was spent. Mrs. Dr. Chamberlain gave an address on "Prison Reform," and Mrs. Nelillia gave an illustrated lecture in the school room of All Saints' church, and Mrs. Aikenhead gave an address in Sherbourne St. church on Temperance. Mrs. Rutherford was also present. On June 12th they had their closing tea. Mrs. Stevens, our District President, was present and gave a pleasing and instructive

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address. We all felt better for meeting together, and parted trusting we would have many pleasant reunions in the future.

Youman's Union held no parlor meetings.

Eastern Union reports one very successful social at the residence of Mrs. Dr. Gee, when they had a fine programme of music and speeches.

Central Y.'s held three parlor meetings, and one lecture by Dr. Stowe Gullen.

Dovercourt Union.—This Union has had no parlor meetings, and have given up meeting for the present,

Parkdale Union held three parlor meetings during the year, and one public meeting in Parkdale church. The first meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Garrett, Spencer Avenue, and was fairly well attended. Reports were given by the delegates who attended the convention at Ottawa. They were listened to with interest, and a discussion took place in which several members took part. Rev. Mr. Rankin was present and made some useful suggestions. The second was at the home of Mrs. Welsh in January. The attraction was the presence of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Graham. Mr. Graham was present to thank the ladies for their support in electing him to the Council for No. 6 Ward. He said he was aware the ladies' influence was a great factor in his success. He pledged himself again to do all in his power to further every good project. Numerous questions were asked him, and a great deal of information given. The third meeting was held in Parkdale Methodist church, with only a fair attendance. Mrs. Rutherford gave a very interesting address. The fourth and last was given in the home of (Rev.) Mrs. Sing. Mrs. Bascom conducted a drill on Franchise. Several new members were added to the Union at all the meetings. A collection was taken up, which added to the funds for carrying on the work. But the real object of these meetings is to secure new members.

Northern Union held two parlor meetings, the first in St. Paul's Methodist church, when the young people of St. Paul's church and the Church of the Covenant, the Olivet Congregational, held a combined social, which we thought would help to make the young people more interested in temperance work. The second was in the home of Mrs. Williamson, which was very well attended, considering so many who would have been there were at the Oratorio. The musical programme was very good, and Mrs. Rutherford gave a very fine address.

Northern Y.'s has held seven parlor meetings during the year. Three of these have been open parlor meetings held in different churches. At one of our church parlor meetings a debate on the Franchise, resulting in victory for the enfranchisement of women was given by the members. The remaining four meetings were honorary members' meetings. A paper was read on some department of the work. We have found

these parlor meetings a great source of progress to our Y. Through them we have secured many members, both "active" and "honorary."

MRS. W. H. ORR,
MRS. DANIEL ROSE,
Parlor Superintendents.

BAND OF HOPE.

Another year has closed, and your Superintendent grieves that there has not been more work done in the Bands of Hope, but trusts there will be better work next year.

Western Union realizes the importance of this work and still keeps ahead. They have two bands, one meeting in Wesley church school-room, and the other on Queen street in the Y.M.C.A., and one of the members also teaches Temperance lessons in the Orphan's Home on Dovercourt Road every two weeks. The two bands number 200 children. At Xmas a beautiful box of literature was sent to Mr. Lackey, our W.C.T.U. Missionary, and one of the members made two very handsome scrap books. Five dollars worth of books were distributed to the children at Xmas. Encouraging reports are received from ex-members, who years ago belonged to the bands, saying they have never tasted liquor nor used tobacco.

Central Union reports a band of Hope numbering 40.

Parkdale have one in connection with the Epiphany church, but owing to the illness of the President I have been unable to get the number pledged.

Bathurst have no Band of Hope owing to the fact that the Sons of Temperance have a Band of Loyal Crusaders, numbering 200, meeting in our room.

Youman's report a Band of Hope, numbering 96, and doing good work.

Your Superintendent, in closing her report, feels that this is the most important line of our work, and hopes the different Unions may see their way clear to do a great deal better work in this department during the coming year.

CYNTHIA WARD.

WORK AMONG COLORED PEOPLE.

The Central Union is the only one in the city having a Superintendent for this work. Better results might be secured by a more general interest by all the Unions.

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Your Superintendent regrets that little can be said in regard to definite results in her work.

Several visits were made to Sunday Schools and prayer services, and the work which the Union proposed to do brought before them. The visitors were always most kindly received.

The colored people have a society of Templars in connection with their own church work, to join which is not so expensive as it would be to join the Union or form a Union among themselves. This is an objection they have to identifying themselves with our work, as most of those to whom the temperance work would be particularly helpful, are rather poor.

The pastors of the colored churches are very much in favor of temperance work among their people, and are trying to interest their members in it. Our Unions might assist them by sending temperance literature.

The formation of Bands of Hope was recommended to the pastors, and they considered that the most beneficial work would be to educate the children on the dangers of intoxicating liquors. The endeavors of the pastors in this direction should be encouraged in every way possible by our Unions, and visits by members, with literature or other practical assistance, be continued.

MRS. THOMPSON.

GOSPEL TENT WORK.

"When the Lord turned again the captivity of Zion, we were like them that dream. Then was our mouth filled with laughter, and our tongue with singing. Then said they among the heathen, The Lord hath done great things for them. The Lord hath done great things for us, whereof we are glad. Turn again our captivity, O Lord, as the streams in the South."—P. 136: 1-4.

To the Officers and members of the Toronto District W.C. T.U., assembled, we present this, our annual report of the Gospel Tent Work for the year 1899.

We come before you with joy and thankfulness, for we realize in our hearts that our Saviour has fulfilled to us his promise, "Lo, I am with you always," and he has again signally blessed our efforts.

Our plan for carrying on the work was changed a little this year. Each day the work in the Tent was under the auspices of a different Union or Union and Y.

In this way we had a greater variety in our programs, and the workers came from all parts of the District, thus giving each Union and Y. a part in this branch of our work.

Your Superintendent, Mrs. Jas. Forster, was at her post every day, from early morning until late in the evening, always ready with a kind word, a smile or a helping hand, to cheer the workers, or welcome the weary visitor to our bright, cheery, restful Tent, over which "The Mayor's" flag floated, and in which Messrs. Gourley, Winter & Leeming had placed, free of charge, one of their fine pianos—to each of whom we wish to express our most sincere thanks for their kindness.

As our Roll book shows our visitors came from the north, east, south and west, and it would fail me to tell you of all the kind and helpful words spoken by them to us about our work. Let me quote a few :

A lady said, "Well I call this tent work a true exemplification of the "Christian" part of your name."

Another, "This changes my opinion of the W.C.T.U. I thought all you were seeking after was the money. This looks as if you thought about souls too."

The morning devotional meeting, for members, was generally a small one, as the work in "the Building" demanded their presence there, but we who were permitted to enjoy them, found them a season of blessing.

A meeting was held each afternoon, with one exception, when a downpour of rain prevented an audience gathering to hear the talent provided by the Union in charge.

These meetings, for the general public, although not always large, seemed to be greatly appreciated by those who came.

If all the prayers offered in our Tent for the work and workers are answered, we are on the eve of a great Pentecostal blessing.

If all the faithful words spoken have been safely treasured, we shall find our hearts going out as never before to the drunkard and the drunkard maker with a longing desire for their conversion, and the coming of the day when alcohol shall be banished from our fair land.

The needs of the lumberman, and his dangers from the drink traffic, were very graphically portrayed by our Missionary in his address, and the earnest words of many of the speakers will long sound in our ears, words calling us to awaken to more earnest service, to gird on our armor, to enter more actively into the fray, as the enemy, with his treachery, was busy on every hand, and none were safe from his attacks.

The necessity of educating and training the young seemed to be the key-note of every meeting. As one speaker put it, "If the young are educated as they should be, Alcohol must die, and Prohibition reign."

As the clear, ringing notes sounded in our Gospel Tent during those two weeks, come to us again, we feel the day is not far distant when victory over this great evil shall be ours.

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MRS. FORSTER,
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Secretary.

SYSTEMATIC GIVING.

I regret to say I have done very little in this department. Only three of the Unions have appointed Superintendents, Central, Creighton and Northern.

In Central over \$47 has been collected by mite-boxes.

Creighton reports that, on account of serious illness, their Superintendent was unable to accomplish as much as she would like. 14 members are contributing systematically to the Mortgage Fund for Headquarters. 6 members are reported as proportionate givers on general lines.

Your Superintendent visited Northern and found a very earnest Superintendent of S.G., and half of the time was devoted to a Bible reading and talk on the subject.

A. M. BASCOM,
Superintendent.

SCHOOL OF METHODS.

The Annual School of Methods of the District Union was held on the afternoon and evening of February 17th, in Hall No. 1, the Temple Building, and proved the most successful in many ways of any we have held, the attendance being larger, and discussions entered into more freely. The following topics were taken up: "Scientific Temperance Instruction," "Duties of Officers and Superintendents," "White Shield," "Literature Helps, and how to use them." A feature of the afternoon was a "model union" meeting, which was taken part in by about twenty of the ladies. As this was the date of the heavenly birthday of our loved leader, part of the evening meeting was devoted to "Lessons from the character and life of Frances E. Willard," when addresses were given by Mrs. Hudson, Miss Winnifred Wilson and others. We were much indebted to Miss Brown, Miss Lelia Brownell and Mrs. (Rev.) Patterson for beautifully rendered solos. The question box brought out many points which proved most helpful.

As the Provincial President last January issued a circular in connection with this department, giving a suggestive program, and a number

of Provincial Superintendents of departments had, in connection with their circular, appended suggestive programs, I communicated with every Union in order to find out to what extent these had been made use of. While 20 letters were sent out, 8 were received, from which I cull the following:—

No Union had carried out the program suggested by Mrs. Thornley.

One Union, the Northern Y.'s partially carried out the program suggested by two Superintendents. A Parliamentary drill was also conducted for this Union by Mrs. Rutherford.

While the Northern Union did not carry out the suggested program, they did devote at least one meeting to the consideration and thorough discussion of every department taken up by their Union.

Gordon Union report a School of Methods one afternoon, a number of ladies taking part, but failed to report the topics considered.

Parkdale Union devoted one evening to a drill on Franchise at a parlor meeting held at the residence of Mrs. Sing, which was much enjoyed and they trust beneficial in teaching Parliamentary practice.

Bathurst Union held a School of Methods one afternoon, conducted by Mrs. Rutherford. The topics considered were, "Scientific Temperance Instruction," "Literature helps and how to use them," "District Visiting," and the Question Box. Some choice music was provided, and a number of friends who were not members of the Union were in attendance. It proved a most profitable gathering.

Central Y. held a conference, to which the members of the other Y. Unions in the city were invited. The topics considered were "Juvenile Work," "Literature Helps," "Purity," "Kitchen Garden," "Flower Mission," and a Question Box.

More of such conferences by our Y. Unions, where invitations are extended to the honorary members, would without doubt prove beneficial to the work, and arouse interest among our young people.

The Central Union devoted one meeting to the consideration of each of the departments, although they have not followed out the suggested programs.

ANNIE O. RUTHERFORD.

RESOLUTIONS.

I. We, the members of Toronto District W.C.T.U. assembled at our Annual Meeting, desire to place on record our grateful thanks to Almighty God for the widespread and steadily growing public sentiment throughout Canada in favor of the entire prohibition of the liquor traffic; therefore, be it resolved, that we show our gratitude to Almighty

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God by diligently using every legitimate means to hasten the day when Canada shall have a well-enforced Prohibitory Law.

2. Whereas, the Government of Canada has refused to introduce prohibitory legislation, as expected by all temperance workers when the results of the Plebiscite were made known, we hereby desire to express ourselves as utterly dissatisfied with the results of the Parliamentary consideration of the Plebiscite vote, and we believe the liquor traffic should have been prohibited in every part of Canada, except the Province of Quebec.

3. Whereas, we deplore the spirit of worldliness and pleasure which is sweeping over our land, as evinced in many quarters by the disregard of the sanctity of our Sabbath, the Lord's Day; be it resolved, that as a society and as individuals, we re-affirm our determination to not only ourselves "Remember the Sabbath Day to keep it holy," but to endeavor to help others to do likewise.

4. Whereas, the tobacco habit is largely on the increase in our fair country, especially in the form of cigarette smoking among youths and small boys, who seem to be able to procure them, notwithstanding the law *re* sale to minors; be it resolved, that we use every means in our power to stamp out the sale and use of the same, and that we make special effort this coming year to enlighten young mothers as to the danger of giving their infants narcotic drugs.

5. Believing that the importance of wholesome and nourishing food as a factor in counteracting the desire for stimulants should be emphasized; therefore, we hail with sentiments of the deepest gratitude the dignified attitude of the public press in dealing with the question of Domestic Science; we trust that the trend of public sentiment will result in working out into practical reality, scientific methods through which a knowledge of food values may be imported to the home-makers in every walk of life; and in the meantime be it resolved, that we enlist the interest and intelligent co operation of members interested in this line of thought for the purpose of practical demonstrations in the Mothers' meetings connected with our local Unions.

6. Whereas, in mental, moral and education attainments, the average woman equals the average man in all that constitutes true and natural citizenship, viz: intelligence, industry, love of home and loyalty to country, the power to produce wealth, and to share in the burden of general taxation; in all these the average woman stands upon a common platform with her brother, man; and, whereas, unjust discrimination prevents the women of this and other cities from sharing in the rights and duties of full citizenship which should be conferred irrespective of sex; therefore, be it resolved, that in the interests of our homes and country, we work more intelligently and zealously along every line for the removal of this invidious distinction which bars the road to human progress.

And be it further resolved that we do all in our power to elect women as representatives on the School Board ; therefore we earnestly urge that this year this pledge be faithfully carried out, by early securing a candidate for each ward and notifying all the Unions of such selection.

7. Whereas, much dissatisfaction and confusion has risen this year from the fact that in Circulars of Work among Lumbermen and Sabbath Observance, the Superintendents request local Unions to send monies collected for these departments direct to the Provincial Treasurer, and County Treasurers are thereby ignored ; be it resolved, that we, the members of Toronto District, W. C. T. U., respectfully request Provincial Superintendents not to so order, but to recommend that all monies collected be sent through the proper channels—from local Union to County, hence to Province—keeping the chain intact.

8. Resolved, that we impress upon our members the inconsistency of dealing with merchants who derive their profits from the sale of liquors, as we are pledged to discourage the traffic in every way.

9. Resolved, that we, the members of Toronto District, W. C. T. U., tender our hearty thanks to the Mayor and City Council for the use of this beautiful room. We regret the opposition so recently made to our request being granted, but believe that said opposition was not the result of unfriendliness towards our Society, but a difference of opinion amongst the members of the Council.

TORONTO W. C. T. U. GIRLS' SHELTER AND HEADQUARTERS' REPORT.

Surely, but swiftly and with almost lightning rapidity, have the months followed each other, and another year, with its privileges and possibilities of work for God and home, has passed silently into the great beyond, and we present to you the fourth annual Report of the Toronto W.C.T.U. Girls' Shelter : and while there may be lost opportunities registered against us, yet we are satisfied God is in the work, satisfied too to await His own commendation. "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these ye have done it unto me."

With the time at our disposal, the "Retrospect" must be condensed. The object and aim of the Shelter is still the same—a temporary home for the homeless, until employment can be found ; a place of safety and means of prevention from temptation and perhaps ruin.

One hundred and ninety-six have been taken in and cared for during the year. Average time in the Shelter, $2\frac{3}{4}$ days. Denominations given : English Church 42, Methodists 42, Presbyterian 19, Baptist 16,

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Roman Catholic 35, Salvation Army 17, Congregational 1, Church of Christ 1. The majority have been placed as domestic servants. In cases where it could be done, railway passes were secured and some sent home or to friends.

Many of the girls when changing places are glad to have this home-like resort, and pay a small amount while they remain—a charge of 20 cents a day being made.

At the request of Mr. Taylor, two deaf and dumb girls, wards of the city, were kept during the summer holidays. Ours was the only Home in the City suitable for these worse than orphan children.

In order that the Board meetings might be better attended, and thereby a better and more correct knowledge of the needs and work of Headquarters and Shelter be carried to the Unions through their representatives, the Secretary was instructed to have 300 post-cards printed, and notify the members of the Board meetings. This was done, and the results have been highly satisfactory. Twelve Board meetings have been held, with an average attendance of 14. The House committee have held 14 meetings, besides several special ones for consultation and advice.

And while there may have been times when we differed as to the methods of procedure, yet we feel confident the desired object was the same, namely, the carrying on of our work successfully, and dealing with the financial problem so as to reduce our indebtedness, if possible.

The annual meeting of the Shelter was held 13th December with a fair attendance. The efforts of the committee were deserving of a larger gathering, as were also the stirring addresses of Revs. Dr. Thomas and C. O. Johnston. Apart from their words of sympathy and encouragement for this department of our work, their praise of the W. C. T. U. and confidence in its future success would have inspired any W. C. T. U. listener.

Another annual gathering was held 1st June, when the mite boxes were opened. There was an exceptionally fine program. Addresses were delivered by Miss Rogers, of the Y. W. C. A., Mrs. Reed, of the Salvation Army, and others. The kind and encouraging words from these sister workers, although representing entirely different institutions, were very helpful to the Committee and District officers. Mrs. Stevens, District President, presided at these meetings, and refreshments were served.

In March a deputation of ladies waited upon the Board of Control and explained the good work done by the Shelter, and asked for a larger grant, with the very gratifying result that \$150 has been added, and this year we have received \$350.

The agreement with the Surprise Soap Co. was renewed at the beginning of the year, and with the little effort that has been made 7,464

wrappers have been collected. The Company have been very generous in paying for advertising and postage.

The Secretary has written 112 letters and post-cards. Besides, a circular letter was sent to nearly 100 of the city ministers, asking for the privilege of having our work presented to their congregations. Unfortunately, we were late in the season, and other societies had secured a like privilege. A few, generously open to us, and a few more promised.

Some sixty letters, kindly type-written by a friend, were sent to Unions, fruit-growers and friends convenient to the city, asking for donations of fruit, vegetables, etc.

Thirty notices sent to the daily papers, and 200 invitations to the annual meeting.

Three dozen large cards were printed, and are put up in the railway stations, waiting rooms at the wharves, and other conspicuous places.

Six thousand Reports and circulars have also been printed and widely distributed to W.C.T.Unions, Kings' Daughters, other Societies, and many private individuals in the City and throughout the Dominion.

Mrs. Crawford still occupies the position of matron, and is always ready at the call of duty, striving to exert a Christian influence over the girls, teaching them habits of cleanliness and economy, keeping in touch with them after she has secured situations for them, visiting the police court, meeting the trains at the union station, besides looking after many things that will naturally arise in an institution of this kind.

HEADQUARTERS.

We are very grateful to the District for the kind consideration and promptness in ratifying the recommendations of the Board.

Tenders were received some months ago for a new drain, and for painting and fitting up the building, but we were advised to let it stand as it is until the mortgage could be satisfactorily adjusted, or, if necessary, a new one be given. Everything is in readiness, and the work can be completed in a short time.

The annual re-union, better known as the High Tea, was held in January and was pronounced more than a success, as far as the Tea was concerned, and as in most cases of the kind, the expenses were a success also.

A large board for the purpose of advertising Headquarters and the work of the W.C.T.U. in the City, has been placed at the corner of Yonge and Elm Sts.

For raising money, it was decided to try the old way of weekly or monthly offerings, and some of the ladies have adopted it. Another plan, that of getting each member to give \$1.00, somewhat undermined the former. Possibly the latter is the most feasible for our present necessities.

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Our Society has suffered by the financial crisis through which our City has been passing, but property values are increasing and better times are predicted.

Let us take courage and enter heartily into this latter plan. Surely we have 500 members who are interested in our Headquarters to the extent of at least \$1 a year each. This, with the amount contributed through our collector, would enable us to make a substantial reduction of our mortgage debt each year.

Not merely as a matter of form, but in sincerity, do we thank our many friends everywhere, who by their generous financial support have shown their continued confidence in the W.C.T.U.

A glance at the Treasurer's report, and that of our collector, will inform you of the City council, churches, societies, business men, and others to whom we are indebted for timely aid.

We are also indebted to the daily press and Dr. Lelia Davis, who during the year has given valuable time and service without any remuneration.

We would urge an encouraging word for our collector, Mrs. Wrigley. She has done good work for us.

And now, dear sisters, what of the "prospect." It might be expressed in the words' "More work," and "More prayer." Work that tells against the dram-shops and saloons, with their accompanying evils, and to do this we must have more workers, who, by constant communion with God in prayer, can go forth in his strength to do grand and good work for our beloved cause.

We know it is difficult for wives and mothers to leave their homes and families, and there are many willing but overworked sisters. Therefore we would suggest a paid Secretary. Is there another society with the membership we have and the amount of work done, without one? The Toronto W.C.T.U. will never be successfully carried on until there is such an officer.

We would also suggest that the name Shelter be changed to Willard Home.

That the larger Unions have two representatives on the Board of Management, and the smaller ones one and an alternate.

That our membership be doubled by each member securing a new one this special anniversary year.

We acknowledge the guiding hand of our Heavenly Father in the past, and, while presenting to you our heartfelt thanks, we ask for more extended support, so that, when together we shall meet to hear the "Grand Report of the Redemptive work of our blessed Lord," we shall find that through this agency we have had some humble part in bringing this world back to God.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Headquarters and Shelter Board.

MRS. J. M. REDMOND,
Secretary.

SHELTER, 1898 99.

DONATIONS IN KIND.

Deer Park, 3 jars fruit, 1 pickles; Creighton, 1 skirt, 2 blouses; Gordon, 1 comforter; Youman's, 2 lbs. sugar, 1 tea, 2 beans, 2 rice, 2 sago, 1 lard, 1 jar fruit, 1 catsup, meat; Harrowsmith, 1 quilt; Ayr, 8 quarts fruit, $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. tea, 1 catsup, 2 biscuits, 2 pickles; Peterborough, 1 quilt, 1 pair pillow slips, 4 towels; Stouffville, 18 quarts fruit; Alliston, 15 quarts fruit; Band of Hope, Ayr, 1 quilt, 3 prs. pillow slips, 6 dusters; Band of Hope, Cargill, 1 quilt; Kings' Daughters and Sons, Whatsoever Circle, Toronto, 6 blouses, 3 skirts, 5 yds. print; Trusting Circle, Mitchell, 2 lbs. sugar, 1 coffee, 2 tea, 1 rice, 2 oatmeal, 3 corn starch, 1 tapioca, biscuits, 7 yds. flannel; Mr. John Craig, 6 lbs. butter; Mrs. Kempthorn, boots and jacket; Mrs. Farrer, clothes' basket, dish-pan, 2 pie plates, 2 pots flowers, slice and saucepan; Miss Gibson, dress skirt; Mrs. Forbes, cloth jacket, 1 p. pillow slips; Miss Williamson, dress, 3 blouses; Miss Creese, 2 skirts, 1 waist, 6 blouses; Mrs. Hogg, 8 yds. muslin, slippers and stockings; Mrs. Passmore, 9 yds. print and ribbon; Mrs. Stein, boots and underwear; Mrs. Brownell, cake dish, 24 sauce dishes, 3 pillow shams, 2 dresser covers, 1 quilt, parcel of patchwork; Miss Smith, 6 blouses; Miss De Vellen, print dress, black skirt; Mrs. Elliott, parcel of clothing and quilt; Erskin church, 2 baskets filled with grapes, pears and apples; Mrs. Vardon, cake plate; Mrs. Southam, 2 jackets; Miss Crawford, dress waist; Epworth League of Trinity church, 1 raisins, 1 tea, 3 rolled oats, papers and pictures; Elm St. church, 3 rolled oats, 1 candies, cake, 1 tea, 2 sugar, 1 tin dish, $\frac{1}{2}$ peck apples, biscuits; Parkdale church, 14 oranges, 1 tea, 2 sugar, rolled oats, candies and beef; Epworth League, Elmwood, 1 comforter; Mrs. Crawford, quilt, flannel skirt, clothes horse, rice boiler, 2 boxes pansies, cake, oranges and lemons for marmalade; Elizabeth St. school, 9 jackets, 5 dress waists, 1 cloak; Mayor Shaw, 28 rolled oats, 14 wheat, 5 rice, 6 sugar, shank of beef; Mrs. Savage, 6 plates, 1 lamp, 2 cups and saucers, 4 jars, teapot, vegetable dish; Mrs. James Watt, plum pudding, dress waist, cheese, 16 yds. muslin, 2 strips carpet; Mrs. G. M. Rose, 1 turkey; Mrs. Cowan, 1 turkey; Mr. Levack, 1 turkey; Mrs. Woolsey, 1 jar fruit; Mrs. Greenfield, mantle clock, 5 glass dishes, 2 night dresses; Mrs. Ruthven, copies of *Sunday Companion*; 1 year's *Success*; Lizzie Chittick, 2 skirts and shoes; Mothers' meeting, Parkdale, 1 pr. sheets, 1 comforter; Mrs. G. Wrig-

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ley, parcel of clothing ; Davis & Lawrence, 3 bottles Emulsion ; Mrs. C. A. Wilson, plum pudding ; Mrs. Bascom, cake ; Mrs. Teasdale, 1 doz. lemons ; Christie Brown, box biscuits ; Mrs. Emery, 2 jars fruit, cake, sheet ; Mrs. Smith, old cotton ; Surprise Soap Co., box soap ; Mr. Robt. Jones, \$5 order for groceries ; Mrs. Fletcher, 7 butter pats ; Miss S. Johnson, 2 cloth jackets, 2 dress waists ; Mrs. Parks, 6 dusters and floor cloths ; Mrs. Kidd, 2 quarts pickles, 1 pr. boots, 5 dress waists, 1 cloth jacket ; Mrs. Fotheringham, 2 jars fruit.

Collected by Mrs. Wrigley.—Mrs. W. H. Ray, corned beef ; Mr. McKenna, ————— ; Toronto Biscuit Co, box biscuits ; Dane & Alford, tea ; J. M. Sloan & Co., tea and sugar ; Monsoon Tea Co., 5 lbs. tea ; Pugsley Dingman, box soap ; Cowan Ramsey, 10 tea ; 2 Pure Gold, baking powder, 2 coffee, 2 bottles essence ; R. J. Hayhoe, 2 coffee ; Dandelion Coffee Co., 1 baking powder, 4 coffee ; East India Co., 1 tea ; Taylor, Scott & Co., brooms and brushes ; Meyers Bros., washer ; H. C. Blatchford, pr. shoes ; S. Booth, 17 rolls wall paper ; Cowan Co., Limited, coffee ; Baptist Book-room, hymn book ; J. A. Sword, 5 yds. flannel ; B. Westwood, goods to \$2.

THE TREASURER'S ANNUAL REPORT OF THE W. C. T. U.
HEADQUARTERS AND SHELTER BOARD
OF MANAGEMENT.

FOR THE YEAR BEGINNING OCT. 1ST., 1898, AND ENDING
SEPT. 30TH., 1899.

Receipts.

To City Grant for 1898.....	\$ 200 00
“ “ “ 1899.....	350 00
“ Donations from Societies and friends of Shelter	216 96
“ Rent of rooms and stables (permanent).....	468 80
“ Transient roomers and thank offerings from girls in the Shelter	110 92
“ Cash collected by Mrs. Wrigley.....	517 60
“ “ “ “ Mrs. Mason	1 50
“ “ “ “ Fruit labels	16 40
“ “ “ “ Soap wrappers.....	34 00
“ “ Goods sold to girls.....	5 15
“ “ Contents of mite-boxes.....	24 19
“ “ from sale of Surprise soap donated	1 65
“ “ Balance at beginning of year, 10th Oct., 1898	58 73
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	\$2005 89

Disbursements.

To Cash paid—	
For table maintenance	\$ 281 93
“ salaries to matron and housekeeper.....	249 63
“ extra labor in building, and yard.....	47 40
“ New furnishings, general repairs and plumbing repairs ..	78 56
“ Percentage paid to our collector	56 77
“ Large cards and frames for stations.....	12 00
“ Insurance on Shelter furniture.....	1 00
“ Printing circulars, stationery and postage for year, &c....	63 85
“ Local improvement tax.....	7 92
“ Coal	109 80
“ Gas.....	41 01
“ Water rates	19 40
“ Rent of telephone	45 00
“ Rent of Auer lights	7 00
“ purchase of soap wrappers	4 33
To cash paid District treasurer for Headquarters' fund.....	463 00
“ Balance in Treasury to date	514 29
	\$2005 89

NOTE.—Of the amount given to District Treasurer for Headquarters', \$240.00 was donated by friends for that purpose, and \$223.00 was given by the Board of Management.

(MRS.) MAY E. FLETCHER,
32 Lansdowne Ave.,

*Treasurer for W. C. T. U. Girls' Shelter, and Headquarters
Board of Management.*

Sept. 30th, 1899.

DONATIONS TO THE GIRLS SHELTER FOR THE YEAR
BEGINNING OCT. 1ST 1898 AND ENDING SEPT. 30TH
1899.

City Grant for 1898.....	\$200 00
City Grant for 1899	350 00
North Bay W.C.T.U.....	5 00
Campbellford W.C.T.U.....	1 00
Mr. A. H. Turner.....	2 00
Mrs. Harvie.....	21 00
Agnes Coleman.....	2 00
Listowel W.C.T.U.....	5 60
Mrs. German.....	1 00

Mrs. Dona
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Norwich W
Mrs. Elias
Mrs. Lytle
Mrs. Addis
Barrie W.C
Mrs. Jones
Mary Faust
Orilla W.C.
Mrs. Clem
Mrs. Jeffers
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Mrs. James
Cayuga W.
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	Mrs. Donaldson (Ottawa).....	\$10 00
	Mrs. Cowan.....	1 00
93	Norwich W.C.T.U.....	2 00
63	Mrs. Elias Bowman (Norwich)	1 00
40	Mrs. Lytle.....	2 00
56	Mrs. Addison.....	1 00
77	Barrie W.C.T.U.....	5 00
00	Mrs. Jones.....	25
00	Mary Faust.....	75
85	Orilla W.C.T.U.	5 00
92	Mrs. Clements (Collingwood).....	1 00
80	Mrs. Jeffers.....	2 00
01	Spencerville W.C.T.U.....	2 00
40	Albert N.B. W.C.T.U.....	3 00
00	Sarnia W.C.T.U.....	2 00
00	E. A. S., Leamington.....	1 00
33	Mount Forest W.C.T.U.....	1 00
00	Mr. Wright.....	15 00
29	Brownsville W.C.T.U.....	1 00
	St. Thomas W.C.T.U.	2 00
89	Brockville Y.W.C.T.U.....	3 00
rs',	Brampton W.C.T.U.....	1 00
ven	Fort William W.C.T.U....	1 00
	In His Name.....	25 00
	Mrs. James Hall, Richmond Hill.....	5 00
	Avenue Road Methodist Church collection.....	5 52
	Beverly St. Baptist Church collection.....	2 03
ers	A Friend of Central Union.....	2 50
	Olivet Congregational Church.....	3 00
	Trinity Methodist Epworth League.....	5 00
	St. Marys W.C.T.U.	1 00
	M. L. F.....	3 00
AR	Guelph W.C.T.U.....	5 00
	Mrs. James Watt.....	2 00
	Cayuga W.C.T.U.....	1 00
	Wellington County W.C.T.U.....	2 75
	Belhaven W.C.T.U.....	2 00
00	Embros W.C.T.U.....	5 00
00	Mrs. Davy.....	40
00	Mrs. Johnson.....	50
00	Mrs. Rutherford (Central Union).....	1 00
00	King's Daughters (London)	6 00
00	M. W.....	2 40
00	Mrs. Fairclough.....	50
60	Mrs Little.....	25
00	Segrave W.C.T.U.....	1 40

Cargill W.C.T.U.....	\$2 00
Miss Lottie Wiggins.....	5 00
Mrs. Wellington Landon (Lansdowne).....	1 00
Mrs. Mason.....	1 50
Collected by Mrs. Wrigley for shelter as follows :	
Sir Oliver Mowat.....	5 00
E. B. O.	5 00
Geo. B. Sweetnam.....	5 00
James Robertson Co.....	5 00
Mrs. M. G. Alcorn.....	5 00
G. Goulding & Sons.....	5 00
Mrs. Martin Love.....	5 00
The Eby, Blain Co.....	2 00
J. L. Watt & Co.....	1 00
H. Eckardt & Co.....	2 00
The Copp, Clark Co.....	1 00
Asher & Lesson.....	1 00
The Toronto Rubber Shoe Co.....	1 00
The Canada Pub. Co.....	1 00
John Macdonald & Co.....	1 00
W. R. Johnson & Co.....	2 00
Lailey, Watson & Raud.....	1 00
Gutta Percha & Rubber Mfg. Co.....	2 00
B., L. & Co.....	2 00
W. E. Cassells.....	1 00
Rice Lewis & Son.....	5 00
Crompton Corset Co.....	2 00
W. A. Murray & Co.....	2 00
F. K. Cousineau.....	1 00
J. S. Lockie.....	1 00
S. Walmsley.....	1 00
Lyman Bros. & Co.....	3 00
James Woonton.....	1 00
Frank L. Barr.....	50
D. Morton, Jr.....	1 00
T. P. Cuffee.....	1 00
J. O. Moth.....	1 00
C. W. E. & P. Co.....	2 00
The Northey Mfg. Co.....	2 00
Mrs J. B. Wilmott.....	2 00
O. B. Stanton & Co.....	1 00
T. G. Rin.....	1 00
John Young.....	1 00
H. J. Matthews.....	1 00
C. Rogers & Sons & Co.....	1 00
H. Pellatt.....	1 00

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5 00	H. Wood.....	1 00
1 00	Brown Bros. Ltd.....	2 00
1 50	Hy. Bender.....	1 00
	Rowsell & Hutchison.....	1 00
5 00	James Irving.....	1 00
5 00	Elliot & Son Co Ltd.....	1 00
5 00	H. O'Hara & Co.....	2 00
5 00	Harry L. Stark.....	1 00
5 00	F. G. Mason.....	1 00
5 00	Bruce Mfg. Co.....	1 00
5 00	C. Potter.....	1 00
2 00	C. D. Massey.....	5 00
1 00	Langmuir Co.....	1 00
2 00	Vokes Hardware Co.....	1 00
1 00	Ryrie Bros.....	2 00
1 00	J. F. Brown Co.....	1 00
1 00	Gold Medal Furniture Mfg. Co.....	1 00
1 00	A. F. Ede.....	1 00
1 00	Heintzman & Co.....	1 00
2 00	Julian Sale Leather Goods Co.....	1 00
1 00	Revd. Wm. Briggs.....	1 00
2 00	H. Boulter.....	1 00
2 00	A. Bradshaw & Son.....	1 00
1 00	P. W. Jacobi.....	1 00
5 00	F. C. Daniel & Co.....	1 00
2 00	Robt. Kilgour.....	5 00
2 00	R. Coady.....	1 00
1 00	C Parsons & Son.....	1 00
1 00	A. Friend.....	50
1 00	Mrs. Stewart.....	50
3 00	Mrs. Dr. Scott.....	50
1 00	Mrs. J. T. Smith.....	50
50	G. E. P.....	25
1 00	J. H. Denton.....	25
1 00	Friends.....	1 90
1 00	Imperial Produce Co.....	25
2 00	T. Bell & Co.....	50
2 00	J. D. Kammerie.....	1 00
2 00	Reid & Wood.....	1 00
1 00	Beal Brothers.....	50
1 00	C. Knapp.....	50
1 00	Mr. McMurchy.....	25
1 00	Mr. Royce.....	50
1 00	Toronto Lithographing Co.....	1 00
1 00	E. McKendry.....	50

L. S. Levee.....	\$o 50
Auer Light Co.....	50
Friends.....	75
W. J. McGuire & Co.....	1 00
Medland & Jones.....	50
Gough Brothers.....	50
Alexander Elliott.....	25
James McKittrick.....	50
W. Moir.....	50
F. R. G.....	50
Friends.....	1 85
C. J. Halford.....	25
H. Dallas.....	75
Northrop & Lyman Co.....	2 00
Eckardt Casket Co.....	1 00
Greene & Wade.....	1 00
Wm. B. Hamilton, Son & Co.....	1 00
Rutherford Marshall & Co.....	1 00
Jno. J. Gartshore.....	1 00
A. R. Williams.....	1 00
H. W. Petrie.....	1 00
Mrs. R. A. Wood.....	1 00
Hemming Mfg. Co.....	1 00
Dodge Mfg. Co.....	1 00
C. Newey.....	1 00
Universal Knitting Co.....	1 00
J. Leckie.....	1 00
Rolph Smith.....	1 00
Jenner, Roxburgh Co.....	1 00
MacLean Publishing Co.....	1 00
Merchants Dyeing & Finishing Co.....	2 00
P. Donald Mackay.....	1 00
Charles Cockshutt & Co.....	2 00
Millichamp Coyle & Co.....	1 00
Flett, Lowndes & Co.....	1 00
G. B. Baker.....	1 00
Miss White.....	1 00
N. G.....	1 00
Hutchison, Nisbet & Auld.....	1 00
J. D. Ivey.....	2 00
Currie & Kiteley.....	1 00
Boeckh Bros Company.....	3 00
A. B.....	25
J. L. Forster.....	2 00
W. T. J.....	50
A. Friend.....	50

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50	Victoria Harbor Lumber Co.....	1 00
50	A. Friend.....	1 00
25	Bryant Press.....	1 00
50	T. A. Lytle & Co.....	1 00
50	Hutchison & Son.....	1 00
50	Tuckahoe Lithia Water Co.....	1 00
1 85	Gourley, Winter & Leeming.....	1 00
25	Adams Furniture Co.....	1 00
75	Hunter, Rose Co.....	2 00
2 00	Wrought Iron Range Co Ltd.....	1 00
1 00	Canada Paper Co.....	2 00
1 00	Reeve, Lailey & Co.....	1 00
1 00	John Northey & Son.....	1 00
1 00	H. Sutherland.....	2 00
1 00	James Morrison Brass Mfg. Co.....	1 00
1 00	Sanderson Percy & Co.....	1 00
1 00	A. Friend.....	1 00
1 00	E. J. Dignum & Co.....	5 00
1 00	Hector Burrows.....	1 00
1 00	J. King.....	1 00
1 00	Friends.....	75
1 00	Mrs. A. Mills.....	50
1 00	Mrs. MacMurchy.....	1 00
1 00	Mrs. Browne.....	1 00
1 00	Mrs. G. Lightbourn.....	1 00
1 00	A. Friend.....	25
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1 00	R. B. & L.....	1 00
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1 00	J. P. L.....	50
1 00	F. W. W.....	25
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2 00	Friends.....	50
1 00	B. S.....	25
3 00	N. E. & S. Co.....	25
25	J. C. N.....	50
2 00	M.....	25
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M. G.	\$o 50
A. A. Barthelmes & Co.	50
Richard Lorde.	25
Whitmough & Restall.	25
Gould Bicycle Co.	50
Friend.	25
Russill in the Market.	25
W. B. Wellwood.	25
Toronto Silver Plate Co.	1 00
Noah L. Piper & Son.	1 00
Aikenhead Hardware Co.	1 00
Milne, Bingham Ptg. Co.	1 00
Williams Mfg Co.	1 00
A. Friend.	2 00
A. S. Irving.	1 00
J. Firstbrook.	5 00
R. Laidlaw & Co.	1 00
Warwick Bros. & Rutter.	1 00
E. B. Eddy Co.	1 00
D. E. Morrison.	5 00
C. Phillips.	25
F. W. R.	1 00
J. Goodhue.	1 00
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MRS. MAY E. FLETCHER

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OUR PLEDGE.

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- 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.

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ARTICLE I.

NAME.

This organization shall be known as the Women's Christian Temperance Union of——County or 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 county or district to an organized effort for the banishment of the liquor traffic.

ARTICLE II.

OFFICERS.

SEC. 1. The officers shall be a President, Vice-President, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer and Auditor. These officers, (except the Auditor), together with the Presidents of the 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. In District Unions, Secretaries of the Local Unions shall be members of the Executive. The officers, with the exception of the 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 of the ballots cast, when, on motion, the informal may be made the formal ballot.

SUPERINTENDENTS OF DEPARTMENTS.

SEC. 2. Superintendents of Departments shall be nominated by the County Sub Executive and the Presidents of the Local Unions, and elected at the annual meeting. Their election shall be by acclamation unless otherwise ordered.

INEFFICIENCY.

Sec. 3. If at the expiration of three months any officer or Superintendent shall be found inefficient, or for any reason unable to perform energetically the duties of her office or department, the office or superintendency shall be considered vacant, and shall be filled by the Sub-Executive.

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 a County or District Union, with the President of the Union where the meeting is to be held, 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 County or District Union at the rate of five cents per paying member yearly, thus becoming auxiliary to the County or District Union.

ARTICLE VII.

LIFE AND HONORARY MEMBERSHIP.

Any person may become a life member of County or District Union by signing the pledge and the payment of \$10.00; also any person may become an honorary member by signing the pledge and paying the sum of \$1.00 annually.

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BY-LAWS.

ARTICLE I.

(a) The President shall preside at the annual meeting and meeting of Executive Committee, and may, through the Recording Secretary, call special meetings of that Committee, when such are required; visit the Unions in County or District, and organize new Local Unions. She shall also perform all other duties usual to such office.

(b) The Vice-President shall preside at meetings in the absence of the President. She shall also, when required, assist the President in organization and general management of the work.

(c) The corresponding Secretary shall attend to the correspondence of the 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 County or District Unions and Provincial Corresponding Secretary.

At the close of the annual meeting she shall provide a printed or written directory of each County or 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 County or District Superintendents and Committee of their appointment.

(d) The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of proceedings of County or District Unions. 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 the Executive Committee since the last annual meeting. She shall also perform all other duties usual to the office.

(e) 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 the President and Recording Secretary.

She shall collect all unpaid *county or district affiliation fees* before annual meeting, and endeavor to secure contributions for County or District Union work. She shall also forward to the Provincial Treasurer the yearly Provincial affiliation fees received from Local Unions.

(f) 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 County or Dis-

district Union reports, all necessary expense to be borne by the County Union. These in turn shall be given to Provincial Superintendents, from which they may make up complete reports for Provincial Union. The County or District and Local Superintendents of any Department shall form a *Committee* to carry on its work when united action is essential.

(g) The Executive Committee shall appoint Superintendents of Departments and special committees.

(h) 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.

(i) This Constitution may be altered or amended by a two-third's 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.

LOCAL CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.

NAME.

SEC. 1. This organization shall be known as the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of———Auxiliary to the Ontario Provincial W. C. T. U.

OBJECT.

SEC. 2. 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.

SEC. 3. 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.

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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 a fee, the amount of which shall be settled by each Union. They shall be entitled to all the privileges of members except the vote and holding office.

ARTICLE III.

OFFICERS.

SEC. 1. The officers shall be a President, Vice-Presidents (one for each church where 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 of the ballots cast, when on motion, the informal may be made the formal ballot. The 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.

SEC. 2. If at the expiration of three months any officer or Superintendent shall be found inefficient, or for any reason unable properly to perform the duties of her office or department, the office or superintendency shall be considered vacant. Should the retiring member be an officer, the Union shall elect her successor; if a Superintendent the Sub-Executive shall nominate and the Union Elect.

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 to

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 Superintendents.

BY-LAWS

PRESIDENT.

SEC. 1. 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.

VICE-PRESIDENT.

SEC. 2. 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.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

SEC. 3. 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 the Provincial meeting. In small Unions the work of the Secretaries may be done by the Recording Secretary, if desirable.

RECORDING SECRETARY.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the Recording Secretary to keep a record of the proceedings of the Union, and notify members of meetings.

TREASURER.

SEC. 5. 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 yearly fees for the Provincial and County or District Unions.

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DEPARTMENTS OF WORK.

SEC. 6. If the demands of the work justify it, there shall be Departments of Work to correspond with the Provincial Departments, and such others as the needs of the locality seem to call for.

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SEC. 7. 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 the Provincial Superintendent of that Department.

MEETINGS.

SEC. 8. The regular meeting of the Union shall be held weekly, fortnightly 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.

QUORUM

SEC. 9. A quorum shall consist of such members as shall be present at a regular or special meeting, due notice of such meeting being given to the members.

DELEGATES TO PROVINCIAL CONVENTION.

SEC. 10. Delegates to the Provincial Union are received on the following basis:—One for 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.

CONSTITUTION.

SEC. 11. 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.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

Devotional Exercises.
 Reading the Minutes of Last Meeting.
 Treasurer's Report.
 Unfinished Business.
 Reception of Communications.
 Reception of New Members and Reading of Constitution.
 Reports of Committees.
 Reading of Paper on Temperance Question
 Discussion.
 Regular Course of Reading.
 Discussion.
 Miscellaneous Business.
 Adjournment.

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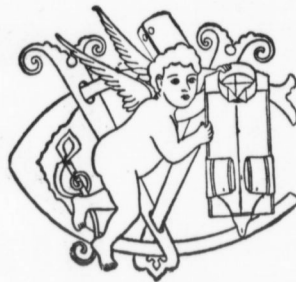
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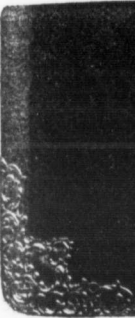
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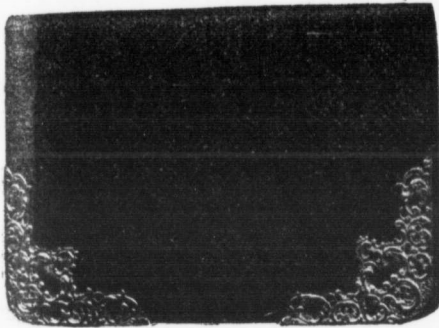
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Page 48 of the last Government Blue-book gives the "Surrender and Lapse" of each Company during 1898, upon its Canadian business. That the **Ætna's Policy-holders** recommend it as a good one to **STAY IN** will be seen from the following statement. It shows the total Insurance in Force in Canada at the beginning of 1898, and the "Surrender and Lapse" during that year, of the **ÆTNA**, and of 24 other Companies.

NAME OF COMPANIES.	Surrender and Lapse.	Insurance in Force, 1897.	Ratio per \$100.
The Ætna Life.....	\$ 206,679	\$15,091,296	\$1.37
Canada Life	1,553,415	72,275,895	2.14
Confederation	1,091,910	28,161,276	3.87
Sun, Montreal.....	1,867,807	44,962,247	4.15
Standard, Edinboro.....	818,304	16,209,036	5.04
Ontario Mutual.....	1,123,087	21,426,878	5.24
L. & Lancashire	435,417	7,392,150	5.90
Mutual Life, N.Y.....	1,192,649	18,129,911	6.57
New York Life.....	1,522,629	22,918,289	6.64
Equitable, N.Y.....	1,267,120	19,070,136	6.05
Travelers, Hartford	375,635	5,213,994	7.20
United States	108,620	1,490,940	7.28
Union Mutual, Maine.....	360,204	4,759,974	7.56
North American.....	1,471,253	18,720,878	7.86
Star, London, Eng.....	48,093	588,101	8.17
Dominion, Waterloo	248,859	2,614,873	9.51
Great West, Winnipeg.....	736,840	7,064,534	10.42
Federal, Hamilton.....	1,396,978	10,483,088	13.32
Imperial, Toronto	1,125,000	10,908,725	13.75
Manufacturers, Toronto.....	1,735,290	11,305,749	15.34
Temperance and General	1,167,304	7,186,286	16.24
London Life, Ont.....	1,004,755	4,732,501	21.23
Excelsior, Toronto.....	705,426	2,664,121	26.48
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