

teachers to show them what instruction we wanted, and received many favourable replies, and hoped to continue the work this year, but I had difficulty in getting back the books, and three out of eight are still missing, so that I have not a complete set. The Alliance has appointed two members to take up the work, and I hope their efforts will not be in vain. We have much to encourage us in the fact that the present Minister for Education is in sympathy with our movement.

J. E. MAUNDER,  
Superintendent.

### EDUCATIONAL.

I have much pleasure in reporting a most satisfactory increase of interest in this department. I have circulated educational papers amongst 26 Unions, besides sending copies of facts gleaned from the No-license districts to 17 Unions. Several branches held Educational meetings to receive the report of their delegates returned from Convention, and Waimate invited Dr. Barclay to speak upon the "Feeding of Infants."

Several of our district Unions have held Educational meetings, when no business is taken, and a special effort is made to induce outsiders to attend. I should like to urge upon our members the great importance of holding these meetings, they being much more attractive to women outside our ranks than our business meetings. Smaller branches have read the Educational papers at the ordinary meetings.

Every paper printed in the "White Ribbon" is used in this way. Each Union in the colony should read these at least once.

M. S. POWELL.

*Several Departmental Reports are necessarily held over until next issue.—Ed.*

The law of love is not the abrogation of the law of struggle: it represents a better way to fight.—*David Starr Jordan.*

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