WOMEN'S

Christian Temperance Union Of New Zealand.

Organised 1885.

"For God and Home and Humanity."

PRESIDENT: MRS. DON,

Ravensbourne, Dunedin.

VICE-PRESIDENT:
MRS CRABB, Fitzherbert Street,
Palmerston N.

RECORDING SECRETARY: MRS. W. A. EVANS, M.A., Hiropi St., Wellington.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY: MISS HENDERSON, B.A., 26 Tui St., Fendalton, Christchurch.

TREASURER:

MRS BENDELY, Aratonga Avenue,
One Tree Hill, Auckland.

Official Organi

"The White Ribbon."

Editor: Mrs Peryman, Port Chalmers.

Associate Editor: Mrs Evans, M.A.

Business Manager: Mrs Peryman,

Port Chalmers.

NOMINATIONS FOR N.Z. OFFICERS.

Auckland nominates:—
President: Mrs W. R. Don.
Rec. Sec.: Mrs W. A. Evans.
Cor. Sec.: Miss Henderson.
Treasurer: Mrs Bendely.

Che Mhite Ribbon.

WELLINGTON, JAN. 18, 1918.

Thirty-Third Annual Convention

OF THE

N.Z. W.C.T.U.

To be held in Timaru, March 13th-22nd, 1918.

AGENDA.

Wednesday, March 13th.

9.30 a.m.-12.30 p.m.—Meeting of Executive (N.Z. Officers and District Presidents).

2 p.m.-4 p.m.-Meeting of Execu-

Note.—In the absence of District President, District Secretary or Treasurer is entitled to seat on Executive. 7.30 p.m.—Public Reception.

Thursday, March 14th.

9 a.m.—Convention called to order by President. Crusade Hymn, "Give to the Winds Thy Fears." Reading of Crusade Psalm responsively—

CRUSADE PSALM.

Praise ye the Lord. Praise the Lord, O my soul. While I live will I praise the Lord. I will sing praises unto my God while I have my being.

Put not your trust in princes, nor in the son of man, in whom there is no help.

His breath goeth forth, he returneth to his earth; in that very day his thoughts perish.

Happy is he that hath the God of Jacob for his help, whose hope is in the Lord his God:

Which made heaven and earth, the sea, and all that in them is; which keepeth truth forever:

Which executeth judgment for the oppressed: which giveth food to the hungry. The Lord looseth the prisoners.

The Lord openeth the eyes of the blind: the Lord raiseth them that are bowed down: the Lord loveth the righteous.

The Lord preserveth the strangers: He relieveth the fatherless and widow; but the way of the wicked He turneth upside down.

The Lord shall reign forever, even Thy God, O Zion, unto all generations.

Praise ye the Lord.

Prayer.

9.45 a.m.—Roll Call. Minutes. Report of Executive Committee. Appointment of Committees on Courtesies and Resolutions, Convention Letter Writer, and Press Reporters. Corresponding Secretary's Report. Treasurer's and Organising Treasurer's Report. Organiser's Report.

12 o'clock.—Noontide Prayer. Letters of Sympathy. Miss Powell's Notice of Motion. Mrs Crabb's Notice of Motion.

12.30 p.m.—Luncheon Adjournment.
2 p.m.—Devotions. Roll Call.
Minutes. Departmental Reports:
Evangelistic (Mrs Johnson Wright),
Home and Mothers' Meetings (Mrs
Garroway).

3 p.m.-President's Address.

Friday, March 15th.

9.30 a.m.-Devotional Meeting.

partmental Reports: Maori Work (Mrs Walker), Narcotics (Mrs Hoare), Work Amongst Seamen (Mrs Nimmo), Good Citizenship (Mrs Judson), Educational Bureau (Mrs Young), Notable Days (Mrs Peryman).

12 o'clock.—Noontide Prayer, Resolutions.

12.30 p.m.-Luncheon Adjournment.

2 p.m.—Devotions. Roll Call. Minutes. Reports: Scientific Temperance Instruction (Miss Maunder), L.T.L., Cradle Roll, Band of Mercy (Mrs Neal), Y's and Medal Contests (Mrs Griffin).

5.30 p.m.-Adjournment.

7.30 p.m. or 8 p.m.—"An Evening with the Y's." Leaders: Mrs Peryman and Miss Weymouth.

Saturday, March 16th.

9.30 a m .- Devotional Meeting.

9.45 a.m. -Roll Call. Minutes. Reports: Bible-in-Schools and Sabbath Observance (Mrs Boxall), Prison and Reformatory Work (Sister Moody-Bell), Medical Temperance (Mrs Neal), Home Science (Mrs Macdonald).

12 o'clock.—Noontide Prayer. Re-

solutions.

12.30 p.m.—Adjournment.
Afternoon.—Garden Party.

Sunday, March 17th.

7 p.m.-Convention Service.

8.15 p.m.—Great Temperance Rally. Speakers: Mrs Don, Mrs Lee-Cowie.

Monday, March 18th.

9.30 a.m.—Intercessory Prayer Meeting.

Report of "White Ribbon" Editor.
Report of Business Manager. Appointment of "White Ribbon" Editor and Business Manager.

12 o'clock.—Noontide Prayer. Resolutions.

12.30 p.m.—Luncheon Adjournment.

2 p.m.—Devotions. Roll Call. Minutes. Report: Social and Moral Hygiene (Miss Macarthy). Discussion and Resolutions thereon. Report: Peace and Arbitration (Mrs. Judson).

5.30 p.m.—Adjournment.

Tuesday, March 19th.

9.30 a.m.—Devotional Meeting. Favourite Quotations.

9.45 a.m.—Roll Call. Minutes. Reports: Rest and Refreshment Booths (Mrs Upton), Military Camps (Miss Helyer), Flower Mission and Relief and Patriotic Work (Miss E. C. Cole), Lierature (Mrs Houlder).