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among all nations along peaceful lines."

(2) "That standard works on the rise of the Peace Movement in general, and in particular on the League of Nations, be included in Libraries for Teachers."

(3) "That lectures on the Peace Movement, and especially on the League of Nations may be given at intervals in the schools by members of the staff, or by specially appointed lecturers."

(4) "That steps may be taken, by Conference or other means, to ensure closer co-operation between teachers and the members of, and sympathisers with, the League of Nations Union."

The following resolutions concerning local work were confirmed:---

(1) "That Unions be strongly recommended to endeavour to hold Home meetings throughout the years intervening between the polls, and, further, to make every effort to secure the attendance at the meetings of women who are not members of the Union."

(2) "Recognising that there is urgent need for systematic, scientific, and medical temperance instruction in the Unions, it is advised that at least once a quarter, a short address, or reading on this subject be given in the Unions."

(3) "That it be suggested that after devotions, a minute or two be spent in giving members one little fact or piece of instruction on such matters as the action of alcohol on the heart, or on the warmth of the body, etc."

(4) "That a recommendation be made to the Superintendents of Departments working among the young, to urge that all taking part in this work inculcate into the minds of the children a knowledge of, and hatred against the evils and the practice of gambling."

(5) "That it be a suggestion to Unions that immediately after the opening devotions, members should stand and solemnly repeat the pledge of membership."

The election of Officers resulted as follows:--President, Mrr. Hiett (Dunedin); Secretary, Miss J. C. Smyth (Oamaru); Transarer, Mrs Macartney (Dunedin).

In response to a request from Roxburgh for speakers, Miss Powell, and Mrs Peart offered to go.

THE WHITE RIBBON.

In the afternoon, Mrs Peart led the devotions. A recitation by Miss Smyth was much appreciated. After roll call, Mrs Hiett introduced to us a visitor from Peterhead (Scotland) Miss Cheyne, who, in a happy little speech, congratulated the Convention on its business-like methods and on the work it was doing. Decided to send with Miss Cheyne, a greeting to her Union from the Otago District Convention.

Mrs Hiett stressed the value of the White Ribbon, and urged all members and all Unions to make a special point of increasing its circulation. Several members spoke of the educative value of the paper.

Mrs Hiett also stressed the importance of our always wearing and keeping to the front our little White Bow, which stands for Prohibition, Purity, and Peace.

Mrs Gain read an excellent paper on Band of Hope work, stating that, in our fight against the drink evil one of our most vital weapons is the Bands of Hope, and it is a sign of progress that they are on the increase. Half-an-hour was spent on impromptu speeches on educational subjects.

An invitation for Convention to meet next year at N.E. Valley was accepted.

The following resolutions were carried: ----

"That this Convention urges upon the Government the necessity of amending exisiting legislation so as to provide for (a) the employment of women police; (b) the inclusion of women upon juries."

"This Convention respectfully urges upon Parliament Amendments of the Destitute Persons' Act in the direction of (a) placing the onus of proving inability to pay upon the defendant; (b) making provision whereby men committed to gaol for non-compliance with maintenance orders shall be employed upon remunerative work, and their earnings applied immediately to the maintenance of their dependents."

"That this Convention urges the Prime Minister to give Parliament an opportunity to express an opinion upon the proposal that a woman of British birth shall be, if she choose's, allowed to retain her nationality on marriage with an alien."

"That a letter be sent to the Hon. F. J. Rolleston (Minister of Justice)

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