To Sin by Silence.

"You do by silence, when we should protest. Not ours, your commands are.
The human race has climbed on protest; Had we been obedient with ignorance and lust.
The imputation yet would were the law. And guiltlines decide our least disputes. The who dare must speak and speak again. To right the wrongs of man."

Elia W. Wheeler Wilcox.

Letter From National Superintendent of Physical Education

Dear Superintendent,

The success of the movement in the country, which is at hand, represents to me one phase in the toil of the best of this great people. On this map, North Dakota stands today, leading star in the world. The future of this section has been thoroughly discussed, and the comprehension of the whole. For this, we are indebted to your state president, Mrs. Elizabeth Preston Anderson, whose conscientious purpose and ability enabled her to be a part of the success in the recent session of your legislature.

It means work of capable, persistent order, to secure a majority vote of your Senators and Representatives. How much the result of this significant legislature will mean to the future of your commonwealth, in health, that wins, and better work of our own; and a great influence in the world. It is the fitting for county at each junction, by providing of its officers, to pass resolutions appreciating the assistance of the State Superintendent, locking down the action of the legislature; also, the personal work of your superintendents, Geo. R. Low, who resided the measure in the House; and Senator Frank S. Talbot, of Buffalo. The Physical Education Bill upon the calendar for the final and trying day of the session when so many other worthy things must go down under an amendment.

To succeed the greatest in this success, the following are some of the things thoroughly established in the curriculum, active work in the schools, and the employment of "Open Letters to Mothers and Teachers," placing one of each in the hands of every mother and teacher. This will promote co-operation between the home and school. The schools must be accomplished if these letters can be handed in hand. The time of these leaflets is ten percent per dozen; or 25 cents per hundred, which should be paid at the printer's bill for the same. One town in the east used twenty five hundred, placed in the hands of the parents and sent to the National Superintendent.

Physical education bills are pending in Wisconsin and Michigan.

Mrs. Frances Waite Lettcr, National Superintendent Physical Education, Mansfield, Ohio.

Department of Evangelistic Work

Miss E. W. Green, National and World Superintendent, 24 Stayatone avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

"Preach the word. Be instant in season, out of season. Reprove, rebuke, exhort with all longsuffering and doctrine. For the time will come when they will not endure sound doctrine." 2 Tim. 4:2.

This department is the Vestal Virgin mouth of all departments. Its mission in Louisiana, North Carolina, and the world's W. C. T. U. is to keep brightly burning upon our altars the sacred fire which was kindled in the crusade. Our organizations with their millions have been to the peoples of the world's inspiration and to the salvation of our institutions. Our financial organizations have been to transmit the secret of power. True greatness is true goodness, and true goodness is only secured by lives whose secret springs are in God. Our work is to be the watchman, the assistant of machinery, and outlook upon life in so many directions can only be permeated with the true spirit of the gospel in us and in each union shall keep pace with the increase of activity. The greatest thing the Evangelistic Department is to keep this truth uppermost. To make the work and the workers more spiritual and permeate every department with the Evangelistic Spirit is our aim.

The Evangelistic work which is not divided from the Evangelistic, the work which is so high is gauged by God's standard, a failure. We must go forth from the vision of his face. Soul, as well as body, must be fed with the living bread.

Preparation for the Union

The Evangelistic Department should seek to quicken spiritual life in the Union. Where possible every local Union should hold a Devotional Meeting for the purpose of inquirers of its members in spiritual strength and temperance enthusiasm. The strongest Unions we have known were in such whose work was held each week, entirely separate from the popular business meeting.

Bible Readings

Let each local superintendent aim to, sometime during the year, a series of Bible Expositions under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., either weekly, or bi-weekly, or for an exclusive week, for the uplifting of the heart and reaching those not yet interested.

The Noon Tide Prayer

We will daily need the power, the importation of our daily practice of Noon tide prayer. This is the golden chain which we must keep unbroken, meeting each worker to each other and to God. Let us strengthen the tie, and use it "around the common Murray Seat."

Bible Study

The courses of Bible study, prepared by the American Institute of Sacred Literature, for use in Chicago, and elsewhere in the countries endorsed by our National Organization years ago, works in harmony with all denominations, and has been approved by the printer's bill for the same. One town in the east used twenty five hundred, placed in the hands of the parents and sent to the National Superintendent.

The Plan

A course of study in five years the entire Bible under great subjects, viz., The Life of Christ, The Parables of Christ, The Founding of the Christian Church and the Old Testament, and the New Testament. Each student, whether studying alone or in a club, is provided with a direction sheet each month. Accompanying the direction sheet is a question sheet in duplicate, with blanks for answers. The questions, 2 in number, sum up the work of the month. The examination sheets are to be filled out from answer sheets. (The answers to be written on the sheet retained by the student for reference and the other to be returned to the office of the Institute. An annual fee of fifty cents is required from each person enrolling for study.

Address American, Institute Sacred Literature, Chicago University, Chicago, Illinois.

Albemarle

The department of work in Albemarle, has been merged into the evangelistic work of our state. The state sectarian plan frequent visits to these institutions which have liberal and frequent Sabbath services, so creed and the state boards of corrections and charities and by every means, better to relieve the spirit of the unfortunate and outcast, by carrying up to the world the Gospel of Jesus Christ's peace to their hearts.

Many of these institutions are in receivership and our work in them unless by the W. C. T. U. Frequent Sunday services, distribution of tracts, cards, reading of flowers, pictures, cards, wall cards, cargo and quilt pieces; above all, the perennial and continual, "prayer, will carry sunshine to darkened hearts and meet the Master's "lean as ye did unto one of these, my brethren, even these least, did ye do unto me."

The Personal Appeal

Dear Superintendent, the Evangelistic Work, will you, in every Local, County, District, State and National W. C. T. U. join in a grand rally for a world and national revival of evangelistic work and temperance impulse. Let us, in our own local community. Let the local superintendent revive the series of Gospel temperance meetings, in which in Crusade days as now, hundreds were reformers and redeemed. Pose special series of such meetings in churches, halls, depots, camp grounds and outdoor services, through all of which the local unions must reach the masses. Most meetings and cottage meetings are also most brief. Penetrate into jails and reformatories, prisons, workhouse, factories, and ships. Wherever a soul needs you.

Peace Department—Call for Hague Celebration.

The state, county and local superintendents of our Department, and Peace and International Arbitration did such a splendid work in securing the good name of good report of effort on our beautiful lines of work this year.

Many schools were induced to prepare and carry out programs commemorating the anniversary of the signing of the first Congress of Nations which was held at the Hague in Holland in 1899, and in 1900, the Hague celebration that still more public schools will come to recognize the year on May 18th, or a day near that. Peace department will have its proper programs or by the use of those that we have published and can furnish you at any time. The Peace Department, office at Winstrop Center, Mec. in Peace and Arbitration, of 1899 meant much to the world. It was a forerunner of other conferences of nations and of movement will witness great progress in the education since organized to settle justly and fairly the disputes between nations without their resorting to the cruel and often unjust arbitrations or the world.

Superintendents and Unions will please note that the teaching Hague Day anniversary as do all they can to promote an interest in its celebration, especially by schools, in order that the principles of the gospel of peace may be made plain to all. The teachers and children may learn the better and more reason of the way of settling difficulties than by military force.


The Dickie Rose debate attracted an immense audience of the wealth and culture of all the schools. The big breas from these and employees were doubts in the paramountity of this program. It would be noted that such an audienced listened for hours to a serious consideration of the wisdom and justice of totally out of the session. Our cars marched on.

"Every dollar received in revenue from the liquor traffic costs the government too much, and the winery cost of $1,000,000,000."

J. D. Wright. U. S. Labor Commissioner.
**NEW UNIONS 1908-9.**

Palermo, Mrs. A. N. Johnson, president; Miss Israel Brown, corresponding secretary; Miss Grace Comer, treasurer; Miss Martha Anderson, secretary.

Moline, Miss N. Iverson, president; Miss Annie E. Shibley, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Grace Comers, treasurer.

Moline, Miss Mabel E. Bixler, president; Mrs. Grace Comers, secretary; Mrs. Grace Comers, treasurer.

Winona, Mrs. A. W. B. Redd, president; Mrs. Grace Comers, secretary; Mrs. Grace Comers, treasurer.

Wabasha, Miss Mary E. Bixler, president; Miss A. L. Hall, secretary; Mrs. Grace Comers, treasurer.

Waseca, Miss Minnora Franey, president; Miss A. L. Hall, secretary; Mrs. Grace Comers, treasurer.

Wilmot, Miss Anna E. Bixler, president; Miss A. L. Hall, secretary; Mrs. Grace Comers, treasurer.

**Sealed Envelope**

The assembled delegates were instructed to button up their seals, sign, and place them in the box, as a further guarantee of the integrity of the proceedings.

**RESOLUTION.**

Resolutions were adopted expressing the deep regret of the City Council and of the State Convention, to the effect that the friends of temperance and the woman's rights reform have lost one of their most valuable and devoted friends in the person of Mrs. Anna E. Bixler, whose name will forever be associated with the grand cause of the temperance movement. She was a true soldier of the cause, always ready to do the work of the Lord, and her life was an inspiration to all who knew her. She was a true friend of the temperance movement, and her death is a great loss to the cause. May her memory ever be held in the hearts of those who knew her, and may her work be carried on by her successors in the cause.
Letter from Y Secretary.
Fargo, North Dak., April 20, 1909.
Dear Ys—In connection with your request for assistance in the event of a strike, it has been decided to offer you a loan of $100 at interest. This offer is subject to the condition that you will not use the money for any purpose other than the strike.

Yours truly,
[Signature]

The Way the Physician's Prescription Plan Works.

Morganstern, W. Va., April 13.—The attempts of various states of this country to have been wondering for some time past why so many drunken men were seen on the streets this past week was because of a big public meeting in the town of Morgantown, W. Va., of late weeks ago, in which it was revealed that the state attorney, Boyd, one prominent physician of Morgantown has written 10,000 prescriptions for the state of West Virginia, and that his attorney has made an appeal to the public to join in the prosecution.

Counting Sundays, the number of pharmacy prescriptions written by this man during the month of March, 27, is a extraordinary price that is paid for these prescriptions to the manufacturer, a price likely to be paid in that state, has probably made half of that amount.

There is a great deal of money to be made all through the "dry" district in West Virginia and Ohio.

Letter from Mrs. Garry, Presiding Officer.

Leeds, N. Y.—December Editor—Fearing I will be too late for your next issue, I will brief you concerning the turmoil of moving.

We arrived at Leeds on March 14th after an absence of over two months, which was spent at Cleveland, Ohio, and Ny- afield, Minnesota and Cottonwood, Min-
nesota. The last two years were just the same.

The system of cities is truly marvelous in its efficiency and safety in material matters. But neither the strenuous work of the local authorities, the voluntary work of the local and state organizations and all the organizations of this State has been able to combine and mighty force of the State, to bring about this pervaive and influence the moral and social influence of such.

It was our privilege to enjoy many "reliests" for the uplift of society and to the betterment of our State. We are all the better because of the effect of possibility of better laws. As I listened to the address, I could not help to feel a hope that it may and no doubt scored many "dry votes."

My address at the close of the session was in other places were equally beneficial.

At Northfield we heard the secretary of the Alcoholic League have a most earnest appeal not only to the reason of the sobriety of the thousands of people to help them in bringing a law already out.

It is not our object to give a complete survey of the social and right of those who are able to do you at the same time.

Congressman Eddy gave an eloquent address on the Americanism of common sense of prohibition, convincing the most sceptical. His lecture was given in a select society and he made it quite evident that it may never be defended and well enforced.

our aim to bring under the notice of the New Yorkers that this has been no so active as in the past.

We expect to hold our annual conference in the month of May, at the 21, 31 and 4th.

Mrs. Garry and hope it will be more convenient for the work of the district.

A. M. GARRY.

FIELD NOTES.

Meals Contest Exhbits from First District are being held now in the Union. The change in contests, and in preparing to hold serv- ice in the future, there is a great interest in the National Series of Meals. The Contest to be held in the district is to be the double grand award, and only petitions in the State are contemplat ed for district conventions. Other Unions are getting busy, and we hope to hear the State bands on this year, N. E. B.

Amerasia, April 17th.—We had a meet ing at the home of the teachers on the following day in order to get the petition and a number of excellent papers were presented and adopted, as lies in "Education and Mrs. Ethel Smith Da vis.

We are disappointed to learn that Mrs. Beall is not to be in the Union at all. Last week we made a call on the teachers in the district and work very much.—Press Superintendent.

Drift.—The W. C. T. U. golden medal contest has been held in the Christian Union church April 9th was a decided success. The church was decorated in white and gold and plants added to the beauty. The selections by the pupils were well rendered, and the large; audience highly appreciated the work of the North Dakota girls, in which after due consideration by the judges was bestowed on John L. singer and Mr. Schallenberger, a few well-chosen remarks, presented him with the medal and the votes of approval as the well music was furnished through the work of Mr. and Mrs. Brian and rston.

Grafton, N. Dak., May 25, 09.—Dear Drift Editor who have not heard from Grafton Union in the past few months, no means dead. We hold our regular meeting on the third Thursday of each month. We observed Miss Willard's birthday on the 17th last, which was very enjoyable. W. H. Smith, the draughtsman for the union, presented us with a love medal which was very much enjoyed by all. On March 16th we held a tea in the home of Mrs. Onol, sup't. of Mothers, at which the women of the district represented a fine program after which we served light refreshments. All had a good time and look forward to another one. Here we are always looking for help to a little. Fraternally,

Miss A. Rossell.

The Fargo W. C. T. U. has been holding its regular meetings with programs for the past week, and on Friday April 14th at the home of Lieut. Gov. R. E. Lewis an evening meeting was held in Mississippi River, violin solos of especial merit. Miss Mabel Songer and Miss T. Lewis sang several vocal solos. Supt. W. E. Hoover gave an address on the subject "Equal Rights for Women." He advocated vocational education and counseled practical and professional work to help to elevate the social life of com- munity. He spoke of the need of our women in this respect and the high-spirited brought about by ignorance. Mr. Hoover spoke of local conditions, the class of workers the women are expected to fill in their entire school course. 92 per cent of the pupils of Fargo high School are attended and the students earn some money by their work. Fargo eventually earned their living by work of their hands. After a lively discussion, upon the subject of labor reform, our resolutions were adopted. There were about 25 in the room.

Church's Ferry, N. D., 4-20-09.

Editor Bulletin—A letter from our Union to the Bulletin has been written, I have decided to let the White Kibbons know that the "Baby Union" is not giving up. We have reached the number fifteen members and we are working. This Union is such a more that this Union was formed, public sentiment being against the closing of the saloons. We are sure that in this town there is strong, and so we are defending it. As the destruction of the State, we have been holding meetings in the town gradually opening the eyes of citizens to the fact that the W. C. T. U. is not going to be swayed by its supposition. We are planning to hold a meeting in the near future, to hold our treasure, and with a little capital we are to do more work in the various towns. We are planning to hold a meeting in the near future, to hold our treasure, and with a little capital we are to do more work in the various towns.

When the time elapses I shall be able to report for you. I am sure that you will want to know about the coming meeting. I am sure that you will want to know about the coming meeting. I am sure that you will want to know about the coming.

Goodrich, life member, Miss Ida Hisey.

Fargo, N. Dak., May 25th.

Amerasia, Mrs. E. A. Mitchell.

Toilette, N. Dak., May 1st.

Miss Frances S. Goodrich, state secretary, has been in the country great deal of work. She has attended various conventions and has reached the number of seventeen members and is working. This Union is such a more that this Union was formed, public sentiment being against the closing of the saloons. We are sure that in this town there is strong, and so we are defending it. As the destruction of the State, we have been holding meetings in the town gradually opening the eyes of citizens to the fact that the W. C. T. U. is not going to be swayed by its supposition. We are planning to hold a meeting in the near future, to hold our treasure, and with a little capital we are to do more work in the various towns. We are planning to hold a meeting in the near future, to hold our treasure, and with a little capital we are to do more work in the various towns.

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Progress of Prohibition.
The editor of the White Ribbon Bulletin in her latest number makes quite a temperance news. She flies away tarries away from the beer halls of this city. It is most interesting to note how soon the "new" state is. The tremendous change is taking place in the area of the country are all growing leaps and bounds, and the editor in predicting the president's message to Congress will take up the subject of prohibition, the white ribbon fantastic has the following to say in regard to Prohibition's Advance in 1908.

"Since the publication of the article on "prohibition" in The Signal of January 23, 1908, three great states, Mississippi, Arkansas and Kentucky, have passed prohibition laws. The voters of Texas, Mississippi, and Kentucky have spoken so clearly in favor of a total prohibition of alcoholic liquors in their respective states that the sentiment in favor of prohibition in these states is now on the rise. The Editor believes that, sooner or later, most of the states in the north will see the light and pass prohibition laws, and that the prohibition潮流 is now on the rise."

Work Among Foreign Speaking People.
Fargo, N.D., April 19, 1908—Dea. Sisters: On account of the great number of foreign speaking people here, I urge upon you the importance of work in this department. You have seen by my letter last month the increase in the number of foreign-born Americans in this state. In the last ten years, the foreign-born population has increased by 15,000, and in the next ten years it is expected to increase by 50,000. The percentage of foreign-born Americans in the state is now 12.5%, and is expected to increase to 17.5% in the next ten years. The work in this department is therefore of vital importance, and I urge you to give it your full attention.

Sister's House.
Fargo, N.D., April 19, 1908—Dea. Sisters: I have been asked to give you some information about the work in the Dea. Sisters' House here. The house was opened last February, and it is doing a wonderful work. It is a place of refuge for the homeless and the destitute, and is open to all who need shelter. The work is being done by the sisters, and it is having a great effect on the community.

Franchise Petitions.
The time for securing signatures to the suffrage petition has been extended to July, and all Unions that are interested in securing signatures should make haste. The campaign is in full swing, and the women are working hard to secure the signatures. The campaign is of great importance, and we urge you to give it your full support.

Compensation.
A woman who signs herself "A pauper from the liquor traffic" writes to The Dea. Sisters' House, asking for a position, and is eager to work. She is a able, and she has been more than willing to work. She has been asked if she wishes to work in the Dea. Sisters' House, and she has said yes. She is now working in the Dea. Sisters' House, and is doing a fine work.

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