

The subject of memorializing the Government of Japan on the subject of the sale and use of intoxicants, was introduced by our friend Katherine W. Jones (recently from Japan) and others. It was referred to the Representative Meeting for their consideration and action.

The following report of the Committee on Temperance was read and approved. We believe the liquor traffic to be the most prolific source of crime in our country a standing menace to our civilization, and one of the greatest hindrances to the spread of the Gospel. We therefore labor for total abstinence for the individual, and for the absolute suppression of the sinful traffic.

The Committee was continued, and \$100 was appropriated for the use of the Committee.

(For Report - see Miss Minutes).

The subject of the re-affirmation of our views on Temperance from

the Christian stand point - was referred to the Representative Meeting for their consideration and action.

Francis T. King, Miles White Jr, John R. Cary, John Nicholson, Mary S. Thomas, and Jane E. White were appointed to unite with the clerks in arranging the order of business for the next yearly meeting.

Then adjourned to 4 o'clock this afternoon in separate session.

Fourth day afternoon -

Separate Session

Women -

At the hour adjourned to Friends met in separate session -

The Committee on Correspondence presented Epistles to the yearly Meetings of London, Dublin, Canada, New England, North Carolina, Indiana, Western, Iowa and Kansas, which were read, together with paragraphs to be placed in the joint Epistles.