

SUNDAY OBSERVANCE AND SOCIAL REFORM COMMITTEE.

Diocese of Sydney.

Chapter House,

Bathurst Street,

SYDNEY, 1st August, 1913.

Hon. W. A. Holman,

Premier of New South Wales,

Parliament House,

Macquarie Street,

CITY.

Dear Sir,

We are instructed by our Committee to forward the following resolution passed at its last meeting:-

"That the Church of England Sunday
"Observance and Social Reform Committee
"respectfully urges upon Parliament the
"great importance of closing hotels much
"earlier than at present, believing the
"last hours of the liquor traffic at
"night to be most pernicious and dangerous
"as tending to excessive drinking and much
"immorality."

Trusting that you may see your way to move for some measure of reform in the direction indicated,

We have the honour to be, Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Clerical Sec.

Lay Secretary.