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OUR OYSTER AREAS.

SIR.—About two years ago, after previous investigation before Messrs. Lord and Hackett, Mr. Kemp, the oyster expert, and Mr. Shaw, Fishery Guardian, made a careful survey of the oyster beds at West River, reserving certain grounds for oysters, the largest proportion being left for mud-digging, which settled any dispute which might arise between fishermen and those digging mud.

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When it is borne into mind that 5,200 barrels of oysters were taken in West River and branches in 1895 or equal to \$10,400, the importance of this source of income among the farmers of Lots 31, 32, and 65 can be easily seen.

I now ask the Hon. Donald Farquharson, who it appears was the chief actor in this matter, to explain why valuable oyster grounds were opened to mud digging to the injury of parties engaged in oyster fishing?

While it is quite possible that he may have obtained the promise of a vote or two for his valuable services, he will be forcibly reminded on election day that the 150 or 200 farmers, mechanics and others who have found the oyster beds in West River a ready source of income, will not only be able to change the representative of the Second District, but probably also of West Queens.

A PROPOSITION TO "CUDGEL." SIR.—In looking over one of the late numbers of THE EXAMINER, I see "Cudgel," in my mind regardless of truth or reason, trying to cause your readers to believe that I had no authority for saying that the liquor traffic was quieter here than ever before.

So, for the purpose of ending this unprofitable discussion, I now make him the following offer:— Let "Cudgel" come to my home on Monday, the 3rd day of May, 1897, at 7 o'clock, p. m., and show me the proofs that the following insinuations he has made are correct: (1) that there have been quieter winters around here than the past; (2) that there were no indications of the liquor traffic here for ten years; (3) his reason for believing that the Conservatives are in the minority in this part of the country; (4) his proof for insinuating that the Tories supplied liquor to the voters at the second last local election; (5) proof that the lime juice row was not caused by the liquor traffic; here; (6) that the free for all only lasted a short time; (7) how in any way "Uncas" letter injured the character of the dead?

Now, "Cudgel," if you will show proof that you were correct on the stand you took on the above questions, notwithstanding my proofs to the contrary, I will over my own name acknowledge defeat. But if you are defeated I will expect you to do likewise. Now, it there be any fair play in you, do this or forever after hold your peace.

GEORGE E. SAVILLE, Alias "Hard Hart." Annandale, April 18, 1897.

TO LET. The house on Richmond St. west, at present occupied by Mr. J. M. McLeod. This house is beautifully situated on the harbor front, with splendid view. It is fitted with all the modern improvements. Apply to Mr. Thos Campbell.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE COLUMN. By Grand Division Editor.

G. W. P.—John Anderson, Kensington. G. Scribe—Jesse S. Burns, Lower Free-town.

OUR AIM. To rescue the drunkard and save the country from the rum curse.

OUR PLEDGE. No member shall make, buy, sell or use as a beverage any spirituous or malt liquors, wine or cider, or even table beer.

OUR PRINCIPLES. Love, Purity and Fidelity.

This column is given for the use of the Grand Division once a month, and all the subordinate Divisions will send post cards to Box 214, containing information of public meetings, elections, etc., and due notice will be given.

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We regret that something cannot be done to protect this, amongst other Divisions, from the disorder inside and outside the building. Do act like gentlemen, young men, and let the Division do its work in a business way.

Since our last notes in this column, we have to chronicle the decease of the oldest and one of the most faithful members of our order, P. G. W. Patriarch, Brother J. W. Morrison. Without a break, we believe, he has been identified with the Sons of Temperance since its organization on P. E. Island in 1848. Nearly one-half a century in active membership, we shall find his place hard to fill, for he was a brother who had so much of kindness and charity in his heart that he could command the respect of those, even, who might not accept his views always.

We are glad to have the following report from the G. D. through the kindness of a brother in attendance:

GRAND DIVISION MEETING. The quarterly session opened at Kensington on Friday morning, April 16th, at 11 o'clock. The Grand Officers present were:

G. W. P.—John Anderson. G. Treas.—D. W. Henderson. G. Cond.—Amelia Chappell.

Appointed pro tem: G. W. A.—A. S. Wright. G. Scribe—Jas. Carruthers. G. Chap.—J. J. Chappell. G. Sent.—W. Millman. P. G. W. P.—David Arbing.

There was a fair attendance of delegates. A dozen or more representatives were initiated. The reports of the G. W. P., G. S. and G. T. were received and referred to appropriate committees. The report on the state of the order occupied a good portion of the time, some of the more important clauses, especially those referring to the coming plebiscite and the coming Scott Act contest in Charlottetown, brought out some lively addresses. The clause referring to the Queen's Jubilee was adopted with a rising vote, the members singing the National Anthem.

A committee on obituary consisting of Revs. Chappell, Kirby and Lawson was appointed to take suitable action in the matter of the death of our late lamented brother J. W. Morrison, P. G. W. P. A public meeting was held at night presided over by the G. W. P. The large hall was simply over-crowded. Addresses were given by J. C. Clarke, J. J. Chappell, Jas. Carruthers, David Arbing, A. S. Wright and Rev. Mr. Wightman. The addresses were interspersed with excellent music and recitations.

HAZELBROOK NOTES.

La Grippe has been prevalent here for some time past, but as the weather is becoming warmer, those of its victims who have had a severe attack are recovering.

We regret to relate that Mr. Robert Jones is still an invalid. No noticeable change has yet taken place for the better, but we trust that by the aid of Divine help he may be able to enjoy the privilege of having health and strength restored to him again.

We are informed that Miss Eliza Jones is about to depart from us for a season. Her loss will be deeply regretted by those who have had the pleasure of being acquainted with her, and as she has occupied the position of teacher and organist for the choir of the Baptist Church, which has been erected in this vicinity, she will also be greatly missed in that capacity.

The school is making excellent progress under the supervision of Miss Mabel Yeo. The farmers are sending quite a supply of milk to the Hazelbrook separator, which is doing splendid work under the careful management of Mr. L. Jenkins, to whom much credit is due, for the faithfulness of the work which he has performed during the winter months. Mrs. Philip Wood who has been serious-

ly ill for some time past is now rapidly recovering under the skillful care of Dr. Dewar. THE EXAMINER is a welcome visitor here every week. Its fearless and independent manner is respected by all.

MESSAGE TO MEN. Proving that True Honesty and True Piety are still Exist.

If any man who is weak, nervous and debilitated, or who is suffering from any of the various troubles resulting from youthful folly, excesses or overwork, will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect health and manhood, after years of suffering from Nervous Debility, Loss of Vigor and Organic Weakness.

If we nothing to sell, and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to assist any fellow-beings to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and imposed upon until I nearly lost faith in mankind but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. If you will write to me you can rely upon being cured and the proud satisfaction of having been of great service to one in need will be sufficient reward for my trouble. Absolute secrecy assured. Send 5c silver to cover postage and address Mr. Geo. G. Strong, North Rockwood, Mich. 135p&w.

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WHAT WOMEN WEAR.

Trimmed skirts seem to be winning their way to favor, although plain ones are by no means out of fashion.

Among the novelties in veils are those of very great size, which cover the entire face and are drawn under the chin.

Colored handkerchiefs are coming into fashion. They are elaborately embroidered, and many of them are very expensive.

A dress of smooth faced cloth has rows of velvet ribbon placed around above the hem. These rows are their own width apart and cover the lower half of the skirt.

A snug little toque is made of yellow velvet looped and twisted over a frame. The trimming is a wreath of yellow asters with black centers and a standing plume of bird of paradise feathers.

Popular fancy runs more to trimmed skirts for evening and dressy wear, but less for the street, although a number of models are shown with row upon row of braid, ribbon or galloon, either plain or in points or fancy figures.

A tailor made costume has at least half of the skirt covered with row upon row of mohair braid about three-quarters of an inch wide. The waist is similarly trimmed, and the sleeves from wrists to elbows are almost covered with braid.

A new hat is turned down all around to scoop shape. The crown is rather high and narrow and is trimmed with bands of fancy velvet set round and round. At one side of the crown is a large cluster of ostrich tips, the quills concealed by a rosette of velvet.—New York Ledger.

None as Good as E. & D.

By-law for allowing a Rate of Discount on the Assessments on Real Estate and Personal Property in the City of Charlottetown for general civic purposes for the current year ending the thirty-first day of December A. D. 1897.

Be it enacted by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown as follows:— 1st. A discount at the rate of Two and One-half Per Cent shall be allowed to all taxpayers who shall, on or before the Fifteenth day of July next, A. D. 1897, pay to the City Clerk, at his office, the taxes severally due by them for the current year on Real Estate and Personal Property for civic purposes.

A By-law for levying and specifying the rate of assessment on Real Estate and Personal Property in the City of Charlottetown for general civic purposes under Statute 51 Victoria, Chapter 12.

Be it enacted by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown as follows:— 1st. The rate of assessment on Real Estate for general civic purposes under said Statute, for the year commencing the first day of January, A. D. 1897, and ending the thirty-first day of December, A. D. 1897, is hereby specified and fixed at the rate of one per cent on every dollar of the value of Real Estate, as assessed by the Assessors of the said City of Charlottetown in the General Assessment Book and Valuation Roll of all Real Estate and Personal Property liable to taxation in said City, and all persons liable to pay Poll Tax therein, made and duly returned by them on the fourth day of March, A. D. 1897.

A By-Law for Levying and Specifying the Rate of Assessment on Real Estate and Personal Property and Poll in the City of Charlottetown for a Waterworks Fund, under Statute 50th Victoria, Chapter 8.

Be it enacted by the City Council of the City of Charlottetown as follows:— 1st. The rate of Assessment on Real Estate for a Waterworks Fund under said Statute for the year commencing the first day of January, A. D. 1897, and ending the thirty-first day of December, A. D. 1897, is hereby specified and fixed at a rate of one-eighth of one per cent on every dollar of the value of Real Estate as assessed by the Assessors of the said City of Charlottetown in the general Assessment Book and Valuation Roll of all Real Estate and Personal Property liable to taxation in said City, and all persons liable to pay Poll Tax therein made and duly returned by them on the fourth day of March, A. D. 1897.

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W. E. DAWSON, Mayor of the City of Charlottetown. H. M. DAVISON, City Clerk.

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Johnson's Anodyne Liniment I. S. JOHNSON, Esq. My Dear Sir—Fifty years ago this month, your father, Dr. Johnson, called at my store and left me some Johnson's Anodyne Liniment on sale. I have used it ever since. I can most truly say that it has maintained its high standard and popularity from that time to this. JOHN B. RAND, North Waterford, Maine, Jan. 1897.

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CARD OF THANKS.

For the many favors received from my numerous friends and customers during the year 1896, and would wish them a happy and Prosperous New Year, and that they may all continue to buy and drink the celebrated Special Blend of Empire Tea that I sell. Also as many more, invited to participate in the pleasures of drinking Empire Blend during 1897. T. J. MORRIS, Grocer and Crockery Man

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