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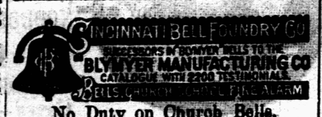

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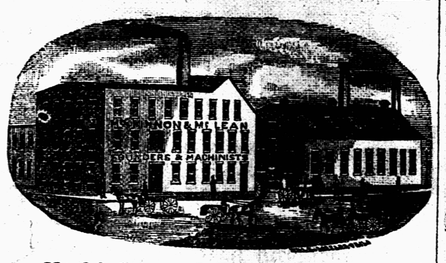

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July 11, 1890.

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Ch'town, Dec. 5, 1890.

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Oct. 31. 3m

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"Papa, Be True to Me."

[A New York Senator, when asked at a social gathering why he would not take anything stronger than water, is said to have responded with the following verses.]

What makes me refuse a social glass?
Well, I'll tell you the reason why—
Because a bonny, blue-eyed lass is ever standing by;
And I hear her voice above the noise of the jest and merry glee,
As with baby grace she kisses my face, and says: "Papa, be true to me."
What then can I do to my lass to be true, better than let it pass by?
I know you'll not think my refusal to drink, a breach of your courtesy;
For I hear her repeat in accents sweet, and her dear little form I see,
As with loving embrace she kisses my face, and says, "Papa, be true to me."
Let me offer a toast to the one I love most, whose dear little will I obey,
Whose influence sweet is guiding my feet over life's toilsome way;
May the sun ever shine on this lassie of mine, from sorrow may she be free,
For with baby grace she hath kissed my face, and said, "Papa, be true to me."

Whiskey is King.

In the opening of 1838, when the great tariff debate was on in the House of Representatives, the Hon. W. D. Kelley, in a speech on that question, made the following remark:

"The politics of this country is now dominated by the whiskey trust as absolutely as it was by slavery before the war, and king alcohol is proving that he is as hostile to national development as king cotton ever was."—*N. W. Mail.*

Shoe Blacking and Cold Feet.

"When the leather in your shoes becomes old and begrimed with blacking you will ascertain that the feet will be cold," remarked the old-time shoe seller. "Then it is time to cast aside the shoes and use them to wear beneath arctics or for some other purpose. I have seen it referred to many times, but if you want to keep your shoes in good condition you should use vaseline on them often. The life will be kept in the leather, and, if rightly applied, you can shine the footware just as well as if preparation had never been used. Put it on at night when taking off the shoes. There is castor and like oil also that will as well serve the purpose and keep your shoes and boots in good shape, imparting much greater warmth to the feet than if you allow blacking and the like to eat up all the life in the leather. When blacking commences to cake on the shoes wash them with plain water, no soap."

Notes.

FATHER MATTHEW'S immortal pledge was, "For my own sake, for the sake of others, and for the glory of God, I abstain."

THE Rev. G. A. Bennetts, B. A., has recently been made temperance secretary of the British Wesleyan conference, and is to devote his entire time to the promotion of temperance. This is a notable step forward, and met with some opposition, but carried by a strong vote.

THERE is a singular unanimity of opinion among physicians with regard to the destructive power of alcohol upon the human brain. Dr. Kate Mitchell says, "the brain, the most important organ of the body, the passions, the intelligence, of all human desires and feelings, of the highest as well as of the basest of our propensities, is the organ the earliest and the most profoundly attacked by alcohol."

Business Men and Temperance.

One of the most decisive arguments for personal abstinence from intoxicating drinks is found in the experience of railroad companies, and is formulated in their rules governing their employees. It has been ascertained that no first-class road tolerates drinking habits in its employees, and most roads severely discountenance any drinking in hours off duty. It is well understood that for an employee to frequent saloons or places of low resort exposes him to the penalty of instant dismission. We have long believed that the promotion of temperance largely depends upon the action of business men. If our leading business houses would take the same course with reference to this matter that the railroads take, the patronage of a good many bars in Boston would off. We wonder how many heads of firms, who in public pose as temperance men, secretly countenance their salesmen in "treating" customers. Business men can set such an example and act upon such a system in this matter, that every clerk and salesmen in Boston would be deterred from drinking, by the powerful persuasion of "the pocket nerve."—*Watchman.*

A Singer's Royal Guest.

Once every summer Queen Victoria drives over from her Balmoral Castle to the Scottish Highlands home of Madame Albani-Gye, the famous prima-donna, where the latter entertains her at an informal tea. For years the Queen has made a practice of this, a compliment which Her Majesty bestows upon no other woman in the kingdom. It is a return for Madame Albani's appearance each year at the Court to sing before the Queen, and to the prima-donna it affords an exceptional glimpse of England's royal sovereign.

"No outsiders are ever present," says Madame Albani, "and I see Victoria as a woman; never as a queen."

"How do you entertain your royal guest?" was asked of the prima-donna by a friend.

And for more than an hour the great singer held the uninterrupted interest of a private dinner party with the story of how she served a tea for the Queen.

So full of interest was the narrative that Madame Albani was induced to write out the account, and it will shortly appear in *The Ladies' Home Journal* of Philadelphia, under the title of "Victoria at My Tea-Table." Of its freshness of interest the caption of the article is the best indication.

A copy of the last portrait taken of Queen Victoria, and printed only for Her Majesty and the royal family, will accompany the article. "It will be my last portrait," wrote the Queen on this presentation copy, which is the only copy possessed outside of the royal household.

ROUSING RALLY.

Market Hall Thronged.

THE SCOTT ACT ENTHUSIASTICALLY ENDORSED.

Able Speeches by Mr. T. C. James and Rev. Messrs. Sutherland, Brewer and Cahill.

Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather and bad walking, the Market Hall was crowded last night to overflowing by a representative and intelligent audience of both ladies and gentlemen, to hear and cheer some of the foremost workers in the cause of Temperance reform. The speeches were able and comprehensive, the audience enthusiastic and sympathetic, and we are told that at no time during the campaign of three years ago was such a rousing demonstration witnessed as that of last night. Among those on the platform, besides his worship the Mayor, who presided, and the speakers, were Hon. D. Laird and Rev. Messrs. Gordon, Hamlyn and Archibald. Few of the politicians were to be seen—they who when election times come around are so ready to pose as the friends of the state in general, and to bowl in the interests of their very dear fellow countrymen.

The proceedings began with a stirring chorus from a choir of ladies and gentlemen. The Rev. Mr. Arch bald, of Cavendish, repeated the Lord's Prayer, after which

HIS WORSHIP THE MAYOR

arose, and in a stirring address threw down the gage of battle. "I believe," said he, "that on the battle to be fought on the 8th of January next, depends the future prosperity, both moral and social, of this my native town." He testified to the decrease of drunkenness in this city under the Scott Act, quoting the report of the Stipendiary Magistrate in 1877, which appeared in yesterday's issue, showing the appalling condition of affairs before the Act was adopted. To-day we only require a Marshall and six policemen, when as far back as 1855, when our population was much smaller, we required under the license system a force of 16 policemen, a Marshall and several constables. He had been a Conservative all his life he said, and it was with sorrow of heart that he saw how the leading organ of the Conservative party in this city is championing the cause of the rumsellers. But on the other hand he was glad to see that the paper representing the party to which he was opposed, was upholding the cause manfully and well. He also alluded to the work which the GUARDIAN is doing. With reference to the Scott Act he believed it has the machinery, if properly worked to almost annihilate the liquor business. Returning to the *Examiner* he expressed the hope that as it had got off the fence and was now in the forepart of the battle on the side of the liquor dealers, it would prove a Goliath that would lead them to defeat. "We will find no doubt a David," said he (turning to Hon. David Laird) who will slay him in the fight. His Worship also quoted appropriate utterances on the temperance question by such men as Cardinal Manning, Cardinal Taschereau, Bishop Cameron, Archd acon Farrar, and others. Cardinal Manning had said that intoxicating drink was the chief bar that kept man from God, and Archdeacon Farrar had said that if England were ever ruined it would be through her national sin, intemperance. In conclusion he urged the electors not to sell their birthright for a mess of pottage, but to go forth determined to have the Act and nothing but the Act.

MR. T. C. JAMES

was the first speaker. In opening he announced his subject to be "the facts of the hour." The first fact to which he would call attention was that this is

THE LIQUOR SELLERS' CONTEST.

It is they who have urged on this election and not the temperance party. He did not forget that there are some who have used their influence in this direction who are not of the liquor party, but he did not think that these gentlemen would feel that they have been misrepresented when he said that had it not been for the liquor party there would have been no petition for the repeal of the Act. The organization, the effort, above all the money, have been furnished by the liquor men. Nor did he blame them. To them this is a matter of life and death. "By this craft they have their wealth." But what he did impeach and most emphatically condemn was the ground they had taken. The assertion is made and prominently kept before our citizens that it is in the interests of temperance and morality this action is taken He would ask a discerning public to look at the men who have the impudence to make the assertion. They are the men who kept taverns and had wholesale licenses under the old license system—the very men who have persistently and delibertely violated the laws of our city, the men who have been fined and imprisoned as law-breakers and now pose as

CHAMPIONS OF TEMPERANCE AND MORALITY.

We know their aim and work. Their object has been in the past as it doubtless will be in the future to make money, yes even though that represent crime and immorality, though it be bread taken from starving women and children, though it means ruined, degraded, useless, worse than useless lives. Yes though it means the everlasting ruin of souls for whom Christ died. These things do not concern them, they mean to make money out of the ruin of their fellow citizens. In one respect they have retrograded during the past three years. When he had stood on this platform before the last election he stated that such had been the educative influence of the Canada Temperance Act that every liquor seller in the city had become a Prohibitionist. Their one cry was, the Scott Act is an abomination and should be repealed, give us a straight Prohibition law. To-day he did not