

PROHIBITION. THE TUNNEL. EQUAL RIGHTS. COUNTRY before PARTY. MUNICIPAL REFORM!

The Morning Guardian.

APRIL 14, 1891.

Civic Improvements.

What a host of phantoms and realities start up at these words! The ghost of McAdam falls disconsolate on his forsaken shrine...

It is wonderful how people become accustomed to and satisfied with disagreeable surroundings. When their surroundings are pleasant and goodly to the eye, people become particular and watchful with jealous pride...

And yet we have the filthiest streets we know of. (The Montreal doctors have come to the conclusion that la grippe is caused by dirty streets.)

What are the prospects? Ask our journalistic neighbors. If they will unite with us in a crusade to reform the city, look stock and barrel, to awaken public spirit and to show up the hideousness of so many things, something may be done.

Mr. John O. Arsenault, Indian Superintendent at Lennox Island, in his annual report to the Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs, says he discerns a very marked and gratifying improvement in the industrial habits of the Indians residing on the Island reserves.

Now that the citizens have pronounced in favor of civic reform, and the daily press in favor of the abolition of the wards, many would like to hear what those have to say who are opposed to the system of collective voting.

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AGAINST LICENSE.

A Deliverance Like a Clarion Note.

The deliverance made by the New Jersey Conference of the M. E. Church rings like a clear bugle note on a frosty morning. We have never seen anything else from any church body (though many such bodies have spoken with splendid courage) that seemed to us to indicate quite so full an appreciation of the importance of the question, and of the political necessities of the times.

Resolved, That since our church brands all License as a sin, we hold that the proper attitude of Christians toward the whole License system is one of uncompromising opposition.

Resolved, That while we do not advise the taking of partizan politics into the pulpit, yet on this most important of all political issues we call upon our ministers to pronounce most emphatically against any party that, in its platform or legislative acts, provides for license or otherwise for the continuance of the drink traffic and affords no protection against its ravages.

Resolved, That we emphatically declare ourselves in favor of that political party, of whatever name or title, that will incorporate in its party platform the principle of prohibition of the liquor traffic, and that we will not cast our votes for any man, however solemn his pledges to abstain from liquor, who will permit himself to be a candidate for office in a party whose platform favors the liquor interests by license or other methods of regulation, but that here and now we solemnly record our votes for prohibition, pure and simple.

The resolutions were adopted by a rising vote, all but four or five of the Conference voting in favor and none voting against them. The position taken in these resolutions is a thoroughly defensive one. In fact, no other position is defensible. The Conference does not propose to carry into the pulpit mere partizan questions. It does not propose to turn the church into a campaign arena. But when a great moral question, involving in a most vital degree the work of the church itself, transcending all interests of mere party and involving all the dearest interests of the country—when such a political question reaches, as it must, the political arena, the New Jersey Conference does not propose simply for that reason to desert the cause at the very time their aid will be most efficient.

Nor are they at such a time going to content themselves with glittering generalities. What is the church for if not to teach men the proper application of Christian principles in daily life—private as well as public. Shall it cry aloud that to legalize this traffic is sin, and then have no word of condemnation for those political parties that are perpetuating that sin? Must it preach against mere abstractions, and let organized inquiry go unrebuked? If so, it is not the church of the old prophets, with their direct "Thou art the man!" nor the church of Christ with his "Scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites!" nor the church of Paul, or Luther, or Savonarola, or John Huss, or Calvin, or Wesley.

Let us have one grand and glorious revival in the church—a revival of manly, straightforward, unflinching courage, and this hoary abuse will come toppling down as other monstrous iniquities have toppled ere now at the voices of undaunted men. Let us have such a revival! The New Jersey Conference has made a good beginning.—The voice.

The Family Medicine.

Trout Lake, Ont., Jan. 2, 1890. W. H. COMSTOCK, Brockville. DEAR SIR:—For a number of years I have used and sold your "Dr. Morse's Indian Root Pills." I consider them the very best for "Family Use," and all my customers speak highly of them.

Yours truly, E. LAWSON.

Women vs. the Franchise.

Mrs. Annie Parker, of Barrie, Ont., W. C. T. U., Dominion Superintendent, of Franchise has issued the following circular. The Maritime Province President is Mrs. Chittick, Hantsport, N. S.

To all Members of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the Dominion of Canada—and to all who are in sympathy with them in the Legislation they seek. BELOVED SISTERS AND FRIENDS:—With devout gratitude to God, we record the fact that the Ballot is now recognized by Christian people as a talent to be employed for the advancement of Christ's Kingdom in the earth; a sacred trust, and the only instrument by which a free people may justly express themselves in government. This being so, the women of the Dominion claiming to be half the people, ask for the ballot as their just right, that they may have power and opportunity to remove the blighting evils they have toiled so long to remedy; to prevent the ills they have labored so long to cure. With this object these petitions to the Senate and House of Commons of our Dominion are committed to you for circulation. It is the firm conviction that our faithful White Ribboners and those who are one with them in this reform, will valiantly do their part. Let the cry for justice to Canadian women echo from sea to sea all over this broad Dominion.

The Great Showman's Will.

BRIDGPORT, Conn., April 10.—The will of the late P. T. Barnum was read after the funeral to-day. The wealth of the great showman is estimated at over \$5,000,000. Of this amount something like \$210,000 is left for public bequests, the remainder going to his family and friends. The will provides that if any person mentioned in the will protests against the probate of the will, the probate will be set aside and go to the heirs.

Orchestral Concert.

What can be the matter with Charlottetown's music loving people? A long winter's rehearsing that Mr. Vincombe and his Orchestra have had, to be greeted with such a small house, must have been indeed discouraging. Those not there missed one of the musical events of the season. Superstition and patience as the performers must have had to be able to render such difficult and beautiful music in so pleasing a manner certainly deserves better encouragement.

The Overture "Le Chevalier Breton" by the Orchestra was well chosen as the first number, its stirring strains awakened the audience to the desired musical pitch. This very beautiful selection was played in excellent tone. Great disappointment was felt when it was announced that Rev. Mr. Lloyd was too ill to leave his home; his absence left a vacancy in the programme which could not be filled. The string study by pupils of orchestra was well played and displayed much careful study and training. Mr. Ridd made his first appearance as a Baritone soloist and received a hearty encore, but in this selection as also in Mr. Fletcher's solo the effect was marred by too heavy an orchestral accompaniment. Bennett's Waltz "Alone" was undoubtedly the gem of the evening. The playing was superb and must have reached every heart within the walls of the old hall.

A hearty encore was responded to with Mr. Vincombe's "The Night Farrow" with orchestra accompaniment, and was one of the best pieces given. We must not forget Mr. Blanchard who kindly sang in the place of Mr. Lloyd. Mr. Vincombe and Orchestra deserve much praise for their excellent work and we hope for a long time to hear more of their sweet music.

Women Elected Police Judges.

ARCTICTON, Kan., April 9.—At the recent elections Mrs. Mary Burton, formerly editor of the Kansan and at present postmistress, was elected police judge at Jamestown. Mrs. Jessie McCod was elected police judge at Burr Oak. Both are strong prohibitionists. Mrs. Burton is the widow of a prominent politician, who died from strong drink.

Something More.

That old saying attributed to the "heavenly Chinese": "First the man takes a drink, then the drink takes a man, then the man takes a drink, then the drink takes a man," needs, in the light of scientific truth, an addition of one line to make it complete, namely: Then the drink takes his child.

Lady McDona's Good Example.

Lady Macdonald has long been an abstainer. Another lady of high position met her at dinner one day, and was surprised to see that she took no wine, and at length asked, "Did you not set out wine when you entertained the Marquis of Lorne?" "Never," was the prompt reply. "But did you not feel that you must apologize?" "Certainly not; wine is not a natural beverage, and so should rather come in than go with apology." This answer, and that example, led the other high lady to become an abstainer also.—Halifax Voice.

Reservoir in the Sahara.

PARIS, April 10.—A despatch from Oran says that an enormous reservoir of water 120 feet below the surface has been discovered at Elgloga, a small caravan station in the midst of the Sahara desert. The reservoir was discovered while a number of men were engaged in sinking a well at Elgloga. The shaft sunk already gives forty gallons of good clear water per minute, and it is expected that this amount can readily be increased should it be found that a large quantity is necessary. The discovery is of the highest importance, and will undoubtedly lead to develop the caravan trade of Elgloga, which is one of the stopping places in the Sahara desert. Of the caravans which travel across that region this is the first time that water has been found at so slight a depth in the Sahara.

TO LET

THE STORE ON QUEEN STREET not occupied by A. L. Brown Esq. Possession given 1st of May next. If not let by that time it will be remodelled immediately. Apply to THOS. W. DODD

PUBLIC NOTICE.

IN future the Government Steamer "Stanley" will run during the winter months between Charlottetown and Pictou, while the ice will admit of her running there each day, commencing on the 1st of December. The Company's boats cannot be kept daily commencing on the 1st of December, and maintained before the 1st of December, the steamer "Stanley" cannot be kept running earlier than the 1st of December, so as to keep up daily communication.

When the Steamer "Stanley" cannot return trips between Charlottetown and Pictou, she will then run on Tuesdays and Saturdays and make daily trips, if possible. When the ice becomes so heavy that she cannot make return trips to the ice boats will carry the mails between Cape Traverse and Cape Tormentine, so as to give daily mail to the island throughout the winter, weather permitting, and the "Stanley" will then run between Pictou and Georgetown for the purpose of carrying passengers and freight, making one trip each day, leaving Pictou on Monday, Wednesday, and Friday mornings at 7 o'clock, and leaving Georgetown on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday mornings at the same hour. Notice of her arrival at Georgetown will be made public by the Agents of the Maritime Department at Charlottetown each day, and also the hour of her intended departure from Georgetown.

As soon as the "Stanley" begins making a return trip between the mainland and the island in the early part of the year, the ice boats will be kept up, and will be discontinued, so that as far as possible, a daily mail will be conveyed between the mainland and the island. The "Stanley" will remain on the route until the 1st of May in each year, and will continue longer than that date if the Company's boats are not able to keep up daily communication with the island. Wm. Smith, Deputy Minister of Marine, Ottawa, 2nd February, 1891.

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EVERY MAN who finds his mental faculties dull or failing, or his physical powers flagging, should take these Pills. They will restore his lost energies, both physical and mental.

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CHARLOTTETOWN April 3.—o d t w

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY 40 GOOD WORK HORSES, weighing about 1200 lb, the age of five to ten years; also some good sharp drivers. I will be in Charlottetown till Tuesday afternoon 14th; then Montague Wednesday and Thursday, 15th and 16th; Charlottetown, Friday 17th; Summerside, Saturday 18th. Apply to W. S. McKIE, April 11 6t pd Ex.

Ch'town Races!

1891. CH'TOWN DRIVING PARK (Member National Trotting Association.) \$1,050 - PREMIUMS - \$1,050 First Day—7th October. Three-Minute Class.....Purse \$100 Two-Year-Old (Futurity).....Purse \$150 (Entrance money added Best 2 in 3.) Free For-All.....Purse \$200

Second Day—8th October. Three-Year-Old Class.....Purse \$150 Stallion Race.....Purse \$300 2.40 Class.....Purse \$150 The entrance fee for 75-Year-Old Race (Futurity) will be \$12, payable, \$3 on 15th May, \$4 on 15th July, at final payment of \$5 on evening before the race. The entrance fees in this race will be added to the \$100, and the whole divided—50 per cent to first, 25 per cent to second, 15 per cent to third, and 10 per cent to fourth. For the other Races the entrance fee will be 10 per cent of purse, plus 5 per cent with nomination, and 5 percent evanng before the race. Horses to be owned and we been in the maritime provinces at least three months previous to close of entries. Entries close 24th Septemr. A. B. WARBTON, Secretary. BENJ. ROGERS, Preside March 30—4 w

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TEN TONS IN STOCK. Will Sell for the Next Month at 5 1/2 Cents Cash. NORTON & FENNELL. March 23—d 3w 2 ay w

POTATO CULLAGE.

25 BARRELS POTATOES. FOR SALE BY F. T. NEWBERY. ap8—3i

MILLINERY.

MISS MAGGIE McQUARRIE Having just returned from New York (where she has been working for the last eighteen months under the different first-class Milliners of that great center), has taken the Room above Stanley Bros. Store, and is prepared to do all kinds of Millinery work in the latest styles. MISS McQUARRIE begs to inform the public that she is thoroughly acquainted with all the details of artistic work, and has intimate knowledge of the different styles now so much in vogue, and which were introduced into New York for the first time last season. All patronage extended to her will have her personal attention. Ch'town, March 20 eod w 4i

Lober Packers Supplies.

6000 CASES Tall and Flat CANS, 250 boxes Tin Plates, 200 ingots L & F. Tin, 50 pigs Soft Lead, 50 bars 13 square Copper, 50 M. Lister Labels, 200 coils of American and Canadian Rope, 5,000 Lobster Boxes (dried), Turpentine, Lacquers, Oiled Clothing, Flour, Tea, Sugar and Molasses. For sale by HORACE HASZARD Ch'town, April 9. 2w eod

KENT STREET MEAT MARKET.

THE undersigned have now in Stock WHOLESALE and RETAIL, A Choice Assortment of Sugar-Cured Hams and Bacon which they offer at lowest market prices. We have a splendid display of Choice Easter Beef from Cattle especially fed for our trade, cheap for cash. WRIGHT & BRIDGES, Kent Street Meat Market. Ch'town, March 27. d 3i. saw 73i

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MOLASSES and SUGAR

NEW CROP. Direct Cargoes due here first Opening of Navigation. BARBODOES } MOLASSES, DEMERARA } Choice Quality. TRINIDAD } Hds. BARBODOES SUGAR, At lowest current rates while landing. CARVELL BROS. March 28,—eod

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I HAVE taken the Kilns lately occupied by John Henry, and will be pleased to fill all orders for Lime for Farm and Building Purposes At shortest notice. I have now on hand 500 barrels Slack Lime, which I will sell for 25 Cents per Barrel To make room for Roach Lime. J. T. PEARDEN Upper Great George Street March 14—1 m d 4w

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