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CAMPAIGN FOR LORD'S DAY

Sunday Papers, Gaming and Elks' Club Boozing—Selling Secure Attention

Vigorous Steps to be Taken in the Maple City—Oil Corporation on Trial To-morrow

If the Lord's Day Alliance does not weary in well doing, and carries through the somewhat drastic program it has outlined for the Maple City, the residents thereof are about to experience some genuinely strenuous times.

As a certain-raiser to the Chatham campaign the Alliance will to-morrow enter the lists with the Bothwell oil corporations in a case which promises a bitter fight and lots of complications to be tried before Judge Houston at the County Police Court. In this case for violation of the Lord's Day Act it is understood that the Alliance has asked aid from the Attorney General's department and that Crown Attorney Smith will vigorously conduct the case on behalf of the Crown.

An authoritative statement has also been made by the Alliance as to the nature of their subsequent campaign. An emphatic attempt is to be made at once to stop the sale of the Sunday Alliance papers in Chatham. They allege, moreover, that gambling is being carried on generally at rooming houses and one barber shop is mentioned in particular where gaming is said to be carried on among the young men every Sunday.

The selling of liquor in the Elks Club, prohibited by the Provincial Government, is also to be dealt with. In this connection assurance has been given that the matter will be taken up earnestly in various city pulpits. It is also stated that the right of the electric road to run the cars on Sunday is to be contested, notwithstanding that the company operates under a Dominion charter.

FINE INSTITUTION

The Chatham Loan and Savings Company Receive Proposal to Merge With The Reliance Loan and Savings Company—Additional Security Provided

One of the most trusted and popular financial institutions of the County is The Chatham Loan & Savings Company. It has been, to a large extent, the Bank of the laboring man and the farmer. Its Board of Directors has always comprised some of our best and most progressive business men. Its last appointment is Mr. Manson Campbell, whose presence on any Board would insure public confidence. The Company has always been carefully and economically managed and its stock and debentures are amongst the most satisfactory investments.

There is a growing feeling amongst those best acquainted with such institutions in favor of amalgamation or merger. It is urged that union would add strength, afford increased security to depositors and debenture holders and permit of more economical management. The Bank of Montreal, the Bank of Commerce and several other Banks have recently taken over the business of other banking institutions. Two of the largest loan corporations of London are now settling terms of amalgamation, and rumor has it that other companies are to be included. The shareholders of The Chatham Loan & Savings Company will therefore not be surprised that they are called to consider a proposal from The Reliance Loan & Savings Company to purchase the business and assets of their company. The Reliance has the reputation of being one of the best conducted of the younger Loan and Savings companies. Its stock yields the holder a half yearly dividend of six per cent. per annum. An examination of its affairs is now being made by the accountants of the Chatham company and their report will be presented to the shareholders. The terms of the proposed agreement are understood to be very favorable to this company and will be made known to the shareholders this week, but before its adoption the agreement will require to be ratified by a two-thirds vote of the shareholders of each company. If ratified, the new company will have assets exceeding \$2,000,000, and capital stock will total upwards of \$1,000,000, all of which will be security to the depositors and debenture holders. It is the intention that the Chatham office shall be retained, and the business which will be directed by a local Board very much increased.

Talk is cheap, in spite of the fact that most of us indulge in extravagant assertions.

APPETITES THAT UNMAKE MEN

Rev. F. E. Malott Gives Excellent Discourse in Victoria Avenue Church

Was Crowded to the Doors With Interested Audience—Special Music Rendered

Victoria Ave. Church was crowded to its utmost capacity last night by attentive listeners, who followed closely Mr. Malott's second sermon to young men. The text was taken from I. Kings, II., 2,—"Be thou strong and show thyself a man."

These were King David's dying words to his son Solomon. Solomon was about 15 years of age—a critical age in any boy's life. At 15 a boy is at the threshold of young manhood. At this age a boy begins to feel the stirrings of a new life, the awakening of new powers. From 15 to 25 is the most critical period in a boy's life. During these 10 years he will either make or unmake a man.

A WORD TO FATHERS. A appeal was made to parents, especially to fathers, "to give their boys the most sympathetic and careful handling at this period, and above all, to give them a chance to become men by setting them an example of true manliness."

A WORD TO BOYS AND YOUNG MEN.

The highest ambition any boy can have is to make a man of himself. Most boys want to be men, but many boys do not know the meaning of manhood. Mr. Malott announced that in a subsequent sermon he meant to deal with that question, but that he wanted to sound first a word of kindly warning against two appetites that unmake men. There is very great danger that the boys of our day will unmake the man that is in them.

UNNATURAL APPETITES.

There are two unnatural appetites, acquired appetites, that are unmaking men. The speaker distinguished between natural appetites and acquired appetites. All natural appetites should be kept under perfect control, but unnatural appetites should never be cultivated. Alcohol and tobacco are doing more to unmake men than anything else under heaven. The speaker said he knew of no man who had been ruined by putting these together, but, while admitting that in many respects liquor was more harmful than tobacco, in other respects tobacco was worse, because it is more widely used, the habit is acquired earlier and in many instances awakens the appetite for liquid stimulants.

EXPERT TESTIMONY.

The speaker said he put the two together because physicians, educationalists, military men, heads of jails, reformatories, asylums, leaders in the commercial world, all put them together. No man has a right to say that either tobacco or liquor is not injurious until he has made a thorough and scientific investigation of its effects on himself and others. After investigating thoroughly the expert testimony of the subject to the speaker said he had come to the conclusion that both tobacco and liquor unmake men in every sense of the word.

I. They unmake men physically. II. They unmake men mentally. III. They unmake men financially. The U. S. Steel Trust, employing 300,000 men, advance the men who are total abstainers from both liquor and tobacco over men who use these. Mr. Schwab says they do it because these men are worth more to them. Other similar instances were cited. Another side of the financial aspect is the immense sums squandered in liquor homes of their own and do not pay their debts. The money spent on tobacco in the U. S. would build 1,000 houses every day in the year worth \$2,000 each. The drink bill of the U. S. is \$1,000,000,000 a year while thousands are starving. In Canada 36,000,000 gallons of liquor and 25,000,000 pounds of tobacco were consumed last year, while in "Toronto" alone in one month the Children's Aid Society cared for 140 children whose fathers drink.

IV. They unmake men morally, as the crime record shows. After summing up the evil effects of indulgence in narcotics and stimulants the speaker made a strong appeal to the boys and young men to cut these things out of their lives altogether, to be strong and show themselves men—that they might rescue others and play their part bravely in life's battles.

At the morning service two excellent addresses were given by Mr. A. D. Westman and Mrs. Graham, President of the W. C. T. U. At the evening service a fine program of music was given. The choir sang the anthem "It is a good thing to Give Thanks." Miss Jackson sang "Save the Boys." A choir of 40 boys sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "No. 1." Ferris Weaver, Harry Horstead and George Holmes taking the solo parts.

Leave orders at Tebbelhart's Music Store for choice cut flowers and floral designs. All orders promptly filled.

CARRIED 886 ROUND TRIPS

Initial Saturday of the New Electric Road Proves to be a Very Busy One

Cars Were Thronged all Day—Great Sale of Book Tickets was Inaugurated

What the new electric road will do for the county and the two terminal towns was demonstrated on Saturday when, with but two cars running, it carried exactly 886 round trips.

From the first car at 6.30 in the morning until midnight the stream of passenger traffic continued without abatement. The general offices at the power house were besieged all the time and scores of ticket books were purchased. By these books the round trip to Wallaceburg is made 64 cents, with corresponding reduction for intervening points.

On the market all the country visitors were enthusiastic. "The cars stopped right at our gates for us," they declared, "and gave us every convenience and comfort." City merchants likewise are heartily praising the enterprise. The Towanda, Pa., Daily Review, speaking of the project, says:—"The new road, of which G. O. W. Kipp is the president, was formally opened on Tuesday by excursions over the line in both directions, and on Wednesday morning the regular operation of cars was begun. The line, in which many Towandians are financially interested, extends a distance of 19 miles, and from Chatham a distance of 10 miles to Lake Erie and its summer resorts. "Chatham in a progressive city of 9,500 with 2,000 manufacturing plants, while Wallaceburg has 3,500 people. Between the two terminals the road there are no towns, but a rich agricultural section, and as the road can carry freight as well as passengers, it is expected to prove a remunerative property."

CHATHAM A PROGRESSIVE CITY. The road is a cross country connection between the Michigan Central, the Wabash, the Grand Trunk, the Canadian Pacific and the Port Huron and Detroit line. It will be a valuable feeder for all of them. The two terminals of the road are bustling manufacturing centres. A million dollar beet sugar plant at Wallaceburg turning out 500 barrels a day during the four months' season, and the largest carriage works in the Dominion being located at Chatham.

"Of Chatham, it can truly be said that it is a surprise to the subject of Uncle Sam who is not familiar with his neighbors to the northward. An old city it is, but progress, push and enterprise is manifest in every part of the city, which is growing rapidly, and in which substantial school and public buildings are everywhere to be seen interspersed among fine business blocks and magnificent modern homes. "And the American idea of the United States is everywhere in evidence, for the Canadian is American in the same as the people this side of the line. Chatham is destined to become as popular as a resort as Mt. Clemens, Mich., having water possessing valuable medicinal properties, and the waters are now being utilized at the Hotel Sanita, and many remarkable cures of rheumatism and allied diseases are reported. The water actually forced itself upon the people of Chatham. A well was sunk over 1,200 feet in search of salt, but not finding salt it was abandoned and plugged. But the water oozed out of the pipe in small quantities, and once overflowed the ditch leading from the well and killed large numbers of fish in the river. The colored people first began using it as a cure for rheumatism, and a few years ago the Hotel Sanita was built, and recently a large addition has been erected."

Section Man is Killed. London, Nov. 27.—Jesse Westwood, aged 50 years, a section man employed on the Grand Trunk, was run over by a freight train near Hyde Park, a station about five miles west of here, about 4 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Both his legs and an arm were amputated, the former being above the knee. He died at 6.30. He is survived by a widow and one child, a young boy.

Liberals to Ask For Recount. Hamilton, Nov. 27.—The executive of the Wentworth Liberal Association met Saturday, and decided to ask for a recount if the returns made by Returning Officer Knowles next Wednesday showed that E. D. Smith was elected. A representative of each municipality was named to see if they could find out if the Conservatives were guilty of corruption.

Canadian Centenarian. Galt, Nov. 27.—Mrs. Wagner of this town left yesterday for Toronto to reside with a grand-daughter. She is 103 years of age, and if she lives till next February, Mrs. Wagner is of Irish nationality. She was born at Cobourg, Ont., her parents coming from the United States. Her grandfather was President Madison.

DR. MUSSON IS PRESIDENT

Chosen by Macaulay Club to Guide its Destinies During Coming Season

Splendid Re-organization of Maple City's Literary and Debating Society—Officers Elected

With a large and enthusiastic attendance and under the most auspicious circumstances the Macaulay Club was re-organized on Saturday evening. The Club enters upon its 25th year of its existence—a fact which is to be fittingly commemorated by a record of its achievements and membership from the pen of the grand historian, ex-Ald. Thos. Soullard, who has remained in active membership during the whole quarter of a century.

Among those present were: Dr. Geo. Musson, Fred. Stone, Crown Attorney Smith, Chas. E. Beeston, Edwin Bell, F. D. Laurie, A. E. Jewett, J. W. Aitken, J. G. Kerr, Harry Collins, J. S. Lane, Thos. Soullard, S. B. Arnold and others.

The retiring president and secretary-treasurer submitted their reports, which were adopted, and on motion of Messrs. Bell and Stone a vote of thanks was extended to all the retiring officers.

Dr. Geo. Musson, and Harry Collins were appointed auditors for the past year, and the account of the Public Library Board ordered paid. The officers for the coming season were then elected, the ballot resulting as follows:

President—Dr. Geo. Musson. Vice-President—H. D. Smith. Secretary-Treasurer—S. B. Arnold. Executive committee—Fred. Stone, C. E. Beeston, J. S. Lane, Edwin Bell and H. W. Anderson.

The President-elect, who was greeted with applause, briefly addressed the club, thanking the members for the honor conferred and urging many appropriate and helpful suggestions. The Vice-President and Secretary also made capital addresses.

It was decided that the Executive meet Monday afternoon at five o'clock. The President appointed a committee consisting of J. G. Kerr, H. D. Smith, F. D. Laurie, H. W. Anderson to look into the matter of entertainment with law and report.

The subject for next Saturday's debate will be: "Resolved that Tennyson's Revenge is a greater ballad than Macaulay's Defence of the Bridge." J. G. Kerr will be affirmative and J. S. Lane the negative. Readings will be contributed by Fred. Stone and C. E. Beeston and J. W. Aitken will give an essay.

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