

EFFECT OF BEVERAGES.

Some things make one feel like preaching total abstinence—even against the mild and foamy beer. A physician said to me: "Some men may drink without harm, while others should let alcohol alone. Persons who are heavy and lethargic should never touch beer—I do not mean physically, but for its mental effect. If I drink half a glass of beer at dinner nothing on earth interests me for an hour afterward but an easy chair, slippers and a quiet nap. If my wife, on the other hand, drinks a glass of beer, it sets her nerves tingling and she wants to dress and go to the theatre or a dog show. There is no telling exactly what the effect of drinking beer will be on a man, but it is always interesting to me in travelling to note the differences in the faces of people who drink various beverages. In the west, for instance, whiskey is the staple; the men are sharp, active, nervous, lean, thin, and intense. They can get along with six hours' sleep, because they take a cocktail before breakfast which stirs up the energy which the short hours of sleep have taken away. In Berlin, where they drink beer all the time, the men are heavy, stout and loggy. They sleep nine hours a night, and very frequently take an hour's nap in a chair in a beer garden during the day. In France, where they drink wine, the men have sallow skin and wrinkled faces. The wine has a slightly stimulating effect, but not as much as one as the whiskey of our nobility in the west. The best thing for a man to drink is water. Never make any mistake about that. I am not a teetotaler, but I am able to look at the thing clearly, and I know, as every other man of the world does, that nine-tenths of the mischief in society comes from drink. Many a woman goes wrong who would never have thought of it if it had not been for the preliminary champagne. Besides, it is the best opinion of medical experts everywhere in the world that a man is healthier without wines or liquors of any sort than he is with them."—*Exchange.*

STOCKS IN MONTREAL.

MONTREAL, Oct. 8th, 1890.

STOCKS.	Highest.	Lowest.	Total.	Sellers.	Buyers.	Average. 1890.
Montreal.....	230½	228	26	230	230½	230½
Ontario.....	115	112½		115	112½	113½
People's.....	99	90	2	99		1-13
Molson's.....	165	154		164	154	173
Toronto.....	224	218	20	224		
J. Cartier.....	100½	96		100½	96	
Merchants'.....	148½	145½	38	148	145½	147
Commerce.....	129½	125	230	129	125½	128
Union.....	96	93		96		96½
Mon. Teleg. ...	100	96	373	99½	96	90
Rich. & Ont....	87	84		86	84½	80
Street Ry.....	188	180		188	180	215
do. new stock	177	163		177		
Gas & d.....	205	203	30	204	203½	203½
do. new stock	200	180				
C. Pacific R. R.	78½	76½	3875	77	76½	69
N. W. Land....	80	76	25	80	78	85

—Among the industries of New York there are women who can make tins, tools, trunks, trusses, harness, saddles, travelling bags, pocket-books, clocks, jewelry, coffins, wooden boxes for cigars and grocery supplies, and it will, an American exchange says, be a great oversight if the World's Fair Commissioners do not solicit specimens for exhibition. They are quiet, domestic workers, many the sole supporters of large families, and none of them abreast of the times.

MUNICIPAL DEBENTURES.

VILLAGE OF LUCKNOW.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned will be received up to six o'clock p. m.,

MONDAY, 27TH OCTOBER, 1890

for the purchase of \$5,000 of Municipal Debentures of the Village of Lucknow, issued under authority of By-law No. 11, of said village, payable in twenty years from the 1st day of November, 1890, at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable on the 1st day of November in each year.

The right is reserved of accepting or refusing any or all tenders if not considered satisfactory. Further information if required can be obtained on application to

H. MORRISON, Clerk.
Lucknow, Oct. 7th, 1890.

MUNICIPAL DEBENTURES
FOR SALE.

The Imperial Trusts Company of Canada

Offer, subject to previous sale, \$264,000 of
Debentures of the Town of

WEST TORONTO JUNCTION,

Issued for the construction of Railway Subways, Water Works and other permanent improvements, and for School purposes, viz:

\$150,000 bearing four per cent. interest
114,000 " five " " "

The Debentures run for various terms up to 40 years, and interest is payable yearly.

Bonded debt of the Municipality, including above issue \$ 404 436
Assessment for 1890 5,090 801
Rate of taxation 1-13
Population (which is rapidly increasing) about 6,000

West Toronto Junction borders on the Western limit of the City of Toronto, of which it is destined ere long to become a part.

It is already a very prosperous manufacturing locality, and the erection of central shops by the Canadian Pacific Railway has recently been commenced within its limits. The shops will have capacity for the employment of about 3,000 men.

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MONTREAL MARKETS.

MONTREAL, Oct. 8th, 1890.

ASHES.—The market is weaker, most of the
Glasgow and London orders being pretty well
filled, and the quotation for No. 1 pots has
receded to about \$4.30, seconds \$3.75 to \$4.00;
little doing in pearls, hear of two small lots
lately being bought at \$5.25. The last French
steamer took 79 brls. pots to Havre. Stock
in store on Saturday last was about 150 brls.,
since when there have come in about 50 brls.
from Perth and a few small lots.

BOOTS, SHOES, AND LEATHER.—Shoe manu-
facturers are in the majority of cases busy
completing shipments of fall goods, and are
not devoting much attention to buying of
leather just now, in which line business is on
the quiet side. We have already noted the
decided scarcity of upper leather, and should
have altered quotations to the enhanced values
at the time. We now quote light and medium
33 to 36c., heavy 31 to 35c., grained 32 to 34c.
Trade in England is reported very good, every-
thing offering being taken at the advanced
values. We quote:—Spanish sole, B. A., No. 1,
21 to 23c.; do., No. 2, B. A., 20 to 21c.;
No. 1, ordinary Spanish, 21 to 22c.; No. 2,
ditto, 19 to 20c.; No. 1, China, 19 to 20c.; No. 1
slaughter, 22 to 25c.; No. 2 do., 21 to 22c.;
American oak sole, 39 to 43c.; British oak
sole, 38 to 45c.; waxed upper, light and
medium, 33 to 36c.; ditto, heavy, 31 to 35c.;
grained, 32 to 34c.; Scotch grained, 32 to 37c.;
splits, large, 19 to 25c.; do., small, 15 to 16c.;
calf-splits, 32 to 33c.; calfskins (35 to 40 lbs.),
50 to 60c.; imitation French calfskins, 65 to
80c.; russet sheepskin linings, 30 to 40c.; har-

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