The Tree Peddler.

FROM D. R. PARKER, OTTAWA.
(Not original.)

How doth the tiny Tree Peddler
Improve each passing hour,
And peddles elms, sprouts, and seeds
Of every shrub and flower.

How busily he wags his chin,
How neat he spreads his store,
And sells us things that never grow,
And won't grow any more.

Who showed the little man the way
To sell the vermin seed?
Who taught him how to blow and lie,
And coax, and beg, and plead?

He taught himself—that Tree Peddler—
And when his day is done,
We'll plant him where the long weeds grow,
That flutter in the sun.

But Oh! although we plant him deep
Beneath the butter-cup,
He's so much like the things he sells,
He never will come up.

Canadian Horticulturists.

Temperance.

Evils of the Liquor Traffic.

The evils connected with the liquor traffic become more patent every day.—While millional men are more clearly deploring the value of alcohol as a support or even a wholesome stimulant, self-indulgence in this respect appears to be on the increase in all classes. It is not only the staggering drunkard of St. Giles, but the muddled patrician of St. James, who is a reproach to our civilization. No lover of his country can take pride to think how so many of the working classes spend a large part of their wages upon adulterated and doubly poisonous drink; how business men in the press and stress of modern affairs, fall into the habit of seeking support from small doses of stimulant, which in the end are fatal to health and usefulness; how even, as is too credibly asserted, young girls learn, in the giddy whirl of society, to put a deadly flush on the cheek, and a false sparkle in the eye. No feeling heart can walk through Lambeth or Whitechapel on a Saturday night without pain, nor without disgust visit those fair spots to which crowds resort on a public holiday. Few of us do not know some family in which what was once a careless and genial habit, has become a curse, too probably destined to visit the sins of the father upon the children's children. No day passes but our newspapers tell some new tale of crime and misery for which drink is to blame. The serious and perplexing problems connected with the regulations of this traffic cannot but press upon the attention, and should excite the action of all thoughtful minds.

DRUNKENNESS AMONG ENGLISH SEAMEN.—The deterioration of British sailors must, says the *Liverpool Post*, have reached a most humiliating point when an English captain is compelled in a police court to avow a preference for foreigners on account of the drunk'enness of English seamen. Such a confession was made in the Liverpool Police Court recently, in connection with a charge of refusing to do duty brought against ten Malay sailors, of the English vessel "Queen." The men were shipped at Singapore, and were conducted during the voyage; but when they arrived in Liverpool, they were told by a fellow-countryman, who kept a boarding house, that now that they were in England they would work no more; and, in their ignorance, they acted upon this advice. When asked by Mr. Raffles how it was that he had no British seamen on board the vessel, the captain explained that all the available English sailors at Singapore were in such a state of drunkenness that he declined to take them, and said that although the prisoners were only poor sailors, he preferred them to Englishmen. The Malays were ordered to return to their ship.

"MAKING MEN SOBER BY ACT OF PARLIAMENT."—One of the most important temperance meetings held in Newry, Ireland, for a long period assembled a few weeks ago. An interesting paper was read by the President of the Newry Total Abstinence Society on "Making men sober by Act of Parliament." The paper was a powerful argument for the punishment of the drunkard in the first place, and in the second in favor of prohibition. It was frequently applauded. At its close Mr. Thomas Irwin, in a few remarks, moved the first resolution, which was as follows:—"That this meeting heartily approves of the suggestions made in Mr. Barcroft's paper, and they consider that the Lords Committee on Intemperance, should carefully enquire into the working of the Maine Liquor Law." The Rev. Thomas Rothwell seconded the resolution. Mr. J. S. Orr, Secretary to the Irish Temperance League, supported the resolution, which, on being put from the chair, was cordially and unanimously adopted.

THE NATIONAL POLICY AND THE BREWERS.—A number of brewers in Montreal have, during the past few weeks, almost suspended operations consequent upon a well-founded rumor that one of the changes to be made by the present Government is a reduction of two per cent. on the excise duty on malt. Some of the brewers having sufficient stock on hand have stopped brewing on the strength of this, and a number of employees have been discharged for the time being. It cannot be pleaded that the beer business is suffering like other businesses by the hard times, for it is well known that the profits of brewers are very large—a gentleman well informed having placed them at 200 per cent. the other day. Be that as it may, the country is certainly not prepared for a policy which will remove duties from liquors, and place them upon tea, sugar, coal and other necessaries of life.

Beer and Kidney-Diseases.

Dr. J. V. C. Smith, formerly mayor of Boston, in a recent lecture upon the "Circulation of the Blood," took occasion incidentally to say that beer drinking, especially lagerbeer, which has become so common, and which some of our legislators and others would have become still more general, is the occasion of a very large increase of kidney disease, and that in this aspect it can not but be regarded with the gravest apprehension.

Served him Right.

A gentleman in full dress—broadcloth coat, white gloves—hoited into a drug store precipitately recently.

"Can you fix me, right off," he panted, "a preparation of castor-oil that can be taken without anyone ever detecting the odor, or even suspecting that it's a medicine, and yet that will—you know, one that'll——"

"I should say I could," said the druggist.

In five minutes the apothecary came out with a glass of pleasant looking liquid in his hand.

"Monsieur," he said, with a smile, "while you are waiting, permit me to offer you a glass of lemonade."

"Certainly, but hurry, please."

The customer drank the beverage hastily. Several minutes passed, when he growled impatiently:

"Come, come, where is that preparation?"

"Monsieur," said the apothecary, "I am happy to observe that I have exactly met your desire. That preparation you have just taken, without the slightest suspicion of its character—"

"Donst, villain! Ah—h! It wasn't for myself that I wanted it! I'm to be married in an hour, and it was for my prospective mother-in-law, who has just been taken ill."

"Och, thin, but it's yourself knows how to spake the words of God; shure we never know what sin was till yo came amongst us," said an enthusiastic Irishman to an eloquent revivalist.

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A Native Man in Trouble.

It will be remembered by many of our readers that during the latter part of last year, on account of the desertion of his wife, a native from Napier, Ontario, was interested in these columns. It was subsequently ascertained that he fled to Toronto, Ont., and subsequently to the Protestant Orphans' Home. He succeeded in obtaining situation at his trade, barrel making, and all went along smoothly for the space of several months. One day his landlady, who would not allow during the following week. The lady was according to announcement, and the marriage took place. Some time after this little occurrence with No. 2 had her suspicions that all was not right, and wrote to the postmaster of Napier, enquiring if Pridgeon's first wife was really dead. The letter was not answered, but its contents were laid before the Masonic Lodge at Napier, of which Pridgeon had been a member. The Lodge sent a man over to investigate matters, and on his return furnished Mrs. Pridgeon No. 1 with money to enable her to go and claim her child, and prosecute for bigamy the miserable wretch whom name she bore. On Tuesday evening, 11th inst., Mrs. Pridgeon No. 1 arrived in Sylvania, went before a Magistrate, told her story, gave abundant proof of her correctness, in the shape of certificates of marriage, &c., and at midnight had Pridgeon arrested. He was brought before Mayor Lathrop, who, there and then, in the "wee sma' hours" of the night, committed to jail Pridgeon, who was afterwards held in default of $1000 bail to appear at the Court of Common Pleas, Toledo. He took his arrest very coolly, claiming that the lady was an impostor, and asserted his ability to prove it, which was doubted. It appears that the whole affair was premeditated by Pridgeon. He visited England last summer, and there met the young lady. Mrs. Pridgeon No. 2, representing to her that his wife was dead, and persuading her to leave home and country and come to America and marry him. He returned to Napier, sent her money to follow, stole the child, left his lawful wife and skedaddled.

BIDDULPH.

We are pleased to learn that Dr. Lang of Granton, who has lately been very ill with congestion of the lungs, and who was attended by Dr Sinclair of St. Marys, is again able to resume his practice.

Mr. Benj. Morley is about to sell off his property in Granton as he has bought a farm up in the township of Keppel whither he intends to remove with his family in the spring.

WEST WAWANOSH,

COUNCIL MEETING.—Council met according to adjournment in their Hall, 11th Febry., 1879, all the members present the Reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and adopted. Thomas J. Davidson, Mary Davidson and Thomas Fowler made applications to be removed from S. S. No. 3 to S. S. No. 8, Wawanosh and Ashfield. Moved by C. Durnin, seconded by E. Gaunt, that the Clerk notify trustees of No. 3 and No. 8 school sections and that applicants put up three notices of such application and that by law sustaining the above application be finally passed on the 25th day of March if no objection be made.—Carried. Moved by John Washington, seconded by Wm. Kinahan that by-law No.— 1879 confirming above resolution be now read a first time.—Carried. Moved by C. Durnin, seconded by John Washington, that John Pentland be collector.—Carried.—Moved by E. Gaunt, seconded by Wm. Kinahan, that Mrs. Rutherford lot 8 St. Helens, taxes be remitted.—Carried. Moved by E. Gaunt, seconded by Wm. Kinahan, that Richard Palmer be paid $18.98 on job of graveling on 10 con., line.—Carried. Moved by C. Durnin, seconded by E. Gaunt, that the auditors report as now read be adopted and that the clerk get 150 copies printed in sheet form.—Carried. Moved by J. Washington, seconded by Wm. Kinahan, that the following accounts be paid J. H. Taylor and A. Pentland $8 each as auditors; John Kickingbotsem, selecting jurors and attending court of revision $6; H. McCrostie collector $65.00; Reeve E. Wawanosh culvert E. B. $2.50; P. O. Laughlin gravel $1.75; Richard Palmer graveling $18.98. the collector, Mrs. Rutherfords taxes $2.80.—Carried.

The Council adjourned till 25th March.

ROBERT MURRAY, Clerk

An Abortion Case.

On Saturday, James M. Miller, of the village of Norwich, was arrested at that place by Constable McKee, of Woodstock, for trying to obtain medical aid to procure an abortion upon the person of one Sarah Bond, a daughter of a respectable farmer, who lives in the neighborhood of the above village. From the evidence taken before the Magistrates—Messrs. William Grey and John D. Herd—it was ascertained that a letter, purporting to have been signed by Miller, was received by Dr. Beard, of Woodstock, asking him to send something whereby an abortion could be procured. Immediately upon receipt of the letter, Dr. Beard placed it in the hands of the County Attorney, who handed it to Canstable McKee. Upon the strength of this letter, information was laid against Miller, and he was arrested. He admitted upon trial that he had written the letter, and said that he intended to marry the girl, Sarah Bond. He was sent to jail to await his trial at the Assizes, which will be held the latter part of next month.

How a Wealthy young Englishman came to Grief.

About nine weeks ago a young man came to this town and gave himself up to the hands of the authorities, stating he was a deserter from the English army. The Sheriff at once wrote to the headquarters at Halifax, giving a description of the man. The letter was immediately forwarded to England, and blanks returned for holding the prisoner. On Saturday evening two non commissioned officers from Halifax arrived in Berlin for the purpose of conveying the deserter to the former place. It appears that about eighteen months ago this young man, whose name is Arthur Sivesay, deserted from the 17th Lancers at Preston, England, and sailed for America. He travelled about the country until he became financially embarrassed, and undertook to walk from Goderich to Toronto, but by the time he reached Berlin, he became foot sore and exhausted, and asked the authorities to take him in charge. He is well connected, and was at one time well off. His father was a member of the Imperial Parliament, and his uncle is at present a leading lawyer in London. At the death of his father Arthur received $5,000. In a weak moment he was led to join the army, and observing his folly when too late, he preferred leaving his native country forever, to remain in service. He appears to be a gentleman, and is a thorough scholar—able to speak fluently in five or six different languages. When he started from England he had in his possession two hundred pounds, but not knowing the value of money, or how to retain it, he soon found himself in a strange country without money or friends, and as a last resort solicited refuge in the cells.—*Berlin Daily News*

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A rooted sorrow—ask that man with the toothache what it is.

Facetiæ.

The new-born babe is the creature of sack-cumstance.

Adam was the 1st man to enter the garden, although he went forth from it.

What is the easiest thing for a farmer to plant, and the most difficult thing for him to raise?—A mortgage.

Two acquaintances met on a wet day, one greeted the other with, "Beautiful rain, this! Fetch things out of the ground!" Second friend (disconsolately)—"Hope not, sir—hope not, got two wives there, sir!"

A boy of twelve, dining at his uncle's, made such a good dinner that his aunt observed: "Johnny, you appear to eat well." "Yes, aunty," replied the urchin, "I've been practising eating all my life."

This is a boy's composition on girls: "Girls are the only folks that has their own way every time. Girls is of several thousand kinds, and sometimes one girl can be like several thousand kinds, and sometimes one girl can be like several thousand girls if she wants to do anything. This is all I know about girls, and father says the less I know about them the better off I am."

Little Nellie was looking at Woolf's "Wild Animals" when Mr. Jorkins called, she appealed to that gentleman to explain one of the pictures. "That is a wild boar," said he, and the little lady looked at it thoughtfully and replied: "It don't look like Sally, does it, Mr. Jorkins!" "I hope not," responded the guest. "Why?" "Because," said the artless infant, "mamma said when your card was sent up, 'There is that old boy Jorkins again.'" And it was a full minute before mamma's frozen lips thawed sufficiently to inform the nurse it was Nellie's bedtime.

Wit sometimes consists of an unexpected definition of words. "Pathos," said a youthful prodigy to the professor of mathematics, "can you tell me the difference between one yards and two yards?" In an instant the mathematical brain began to run over the theorems of Euclid, but no clear answer came. The professor looked into the boy's face, and remembered that Haydn played the Cathedral organ when he was five years old. "Do you give it up?" "Yes, my son. I think I must," and he grew more grave and solemn. "Well, the real difference is a fence, father."

Ex-Lieutenant-Governor Howland reproves the continued wail of hard times, and says:—"I think long faces have ruled long enough. It is now four years since we entered upon this state of commercial depression which has been exercising every one so greatly, and I admit that we have passed through some hard times. But when we are just getting up, so to speak, from our bed of sickness, a little weak certainly, but with every promise of prosperous life before us, I can see no need of every one whining and meaning as if anxious to get up a panic. It is especially absurd to see that this longfaceiness has extended even to official people in all branches, who, with their usual salaries regularly paid, appear so much affected by this sad depression as the merchant and laborer, and yet add their quota to the miserable whining which unscrupulous people and usurers hope will result in bringing out some financial disaster which may give them some picking."

At a recent games of billiards in New York, a great shot on the part of Col. Fellows is thus described:—He played upon the object ball with an agonizing amount of English, tempered with a degree of French and Spanish. The cue ball turned from the object ball at the equipoise of a quadrilateral triangle, taking the cushion and striking the head of the table with a rectangular divergence. By geometrical compulsion it rebounded from the left cushion, passing within an octagonal hair of the red sphere, continuing on its eccentric course, and, overlapping the penultimate concussion of the object ball until restrained by the Monarch cushion, where the overweening periphery of French and Spanish overcame the amount of English with an uncorresponding propulsion, and the ball was thrown on its perihelion by the balance of its equilibrium, the shot failing to count by the space of four feet.

The Evidence sustains the Verdict.

In courts of law, it sometimes happens that the guilty escape and the innocent suffer. But when tried by public opinion, such errors do not occur. For many years the Family Medicines manufactured by R. V. Pierce, M. D., of Buffalo, N. Y., have been on trial.—One after another the ingenious lies and slanders of rival manufacturers have been proved false, while positive evidence of merit, from numberless invalids, has gradually accumulated.—The popular verdict of great merit is fully sustained by the evidence, as no remedy yet know equals the Golden Medical Discovery, in curing throat, lung and blood diseases. If the liver be "torpid" and bowels irregular, use the Pleasant Purgative Pellets. For full information, see the People's Common Sense Medical Adviser. The cheapest medical work ever published, nearly 1,000 pages, illustrated by over 250 colored plates and woodcuts. Price, postpaid, $1.50. Address the author, R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.

A Gentle Hint.

In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature—rain, wind and sunshine often intermingled in a single day,—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill, and perhaps death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup, or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. German Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Sample bottles for trial, 10c.; regular size, 75c. 1668

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By its union with the blood and its effect upon the muscles, as establishing the one and curbing the other, it is capable of effecting the following results:

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Promote assimilation;

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Now is the time your money to spend,
While the times are so hard you can get cheap men;
Now is the time when little money will do something big.
While every thing is cheap why even the pig.

Now sometime ago when Protection was cried out,
Why everybody thought that the times were going to be stout;
Now big fool was Morrish, he has bought thousands of logs,
Why do come and buy Lumber or he will go to the dogs.

Now J. Morrish has got land, lumber and horses too,
Why just try his prices come buy come do, do, do;
Now such bargains you never heard tell of that's so,
Why when men get such a bite out of Morrish they go way and crew.

Now Morrishs' advice is to buy land, horses, and plenty lumber too,
Why Conservatives are getting strong and they will show things th ough.
Now I am shure you all heard and thats not long ago
When Conservatives got in power that they would have things just so.

Now when Diamonds get in Reeve Conservatives in power,
Why Protection must be put on and that will make you sour
Now when that is put on and then you will want Lumber for Barn,
Why then you will come with your low prices we will say go and be darn.

Now if you want Lumber and come right away,
Why John Morrish will give it you and without delay
Now of course roads are bad and holes not a few,
Why its better come while its cheap and thats all true.

Now I think thats enough to convince any man,
Why some get your Lumber cheap while you can;
Now this I think enough of this long discourse,
Why its better to stop or when reading you will get hoarse,

So good bye you one and all
I do not hope for a long time again to call
Hoping times will get good for one and all
And then make us all shout our Bill

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Shapedton P. O.
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