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Patrons answering or in any way corresponding with those advertising in these columns will be using by saying they saw the advertisement in these columns.

BRO. JABEL ROBINSON, Master of Ontario Provincial Grange, will deliver a lecture at Stevensville Village on the C. S. R. in the County of Welland, on Thursday evening, the 2nd of Nov. Subject: "Necessity of Farmers' Co-operation." Bro. Robinson is a clear and forcible speaker, and throws his whole soul into his subject. All the farmers in the district should turn out to hear him.

### CALIFORNIA STATE GRANGE.

We quote the following extracts from the address of the Master of the California State Grange, before their annual meeting held October 3rd:

For the future, as in the past, we propose to advocate filling up the ranks of the Granges, already established, with the very best material among the farmers of the State, and by inducing back into the Order those who have already enjoyed some of its benefits, but who, from various causes, have strayed away from the fold.

When we succeed in this matter, as we are at present in a fair way of doing, the reaction, we hope, will so work in our favor that it will be compara-

tively an easy matter to re-establish them on a stronger basis than before. Let us inculcate, by precept and example, that we fully appreciate the teachings of our Order, and stand as living monuments to show that farmers are susceptible to the benefits of education and progression.

There is no question in my mind but that the Grange is stronger today, in all that appertains to stability of purpose, richer in experience, and possessed of more hope for the future, than it ever has been since its first advent on the coast.

### NON-PARTISAN

should be a familiar word in every farmer's and Granger's household. Just so long as the farmers allow themselves to be led by the partisans of either party, just so long will they be kept in the background, and instead of doing the thinking and acting for themselves, it will be done by those that have more cheek and assurance, and be done for selfish motives instead of the greatest good of the greatest number. Assert your manliness, bravery and independence, and allow no party whip to crack its silken threads about your ears and taunt you with being a renegade.

If you are not able to have your influence felt at primaries and conventions, yet, take a ticket from each party and make a judicious selection, regardless of party names, and you will soon teach the nominating machinery to put up none but good names, if they expect your support.

In conclusion, Patrons, as our objects, aims and final results, which we are seeking, are mutual, let this be one of the most harmonious, the most social, elevating and refined meetings ever held under the auspices of the State Grange.

While I would scorn to detract anything from the high moral tone, social and educational standard that any former Grange, its officers and members have attained, I believe we are living in a progressive age, and the stupid, dull, clod-hopping farmer is susceptible of being electrified by the constant sparks thrown toward him in the Grange which is known as the pre-eminent organization of the Patrons of Husbandry.

There never was a time when the farmers should take more courage than now. His calling is being recognized more than ever, and in the pursuit of his industry, a larger field is acknowledged for the employment of brains, education and experience. Our industry must have greater representation in the county, State, and National Governments. Just so long as we remain quiet, and contented with our condition, just so long may we be allowed to remain. It is only by exertions on our part that we will be ever able to attain our rights and hold positions that our calling is entitled to.

Page 121 contains our Clubbing and Premium List. Study it.

Now, fellow-farmers and you ladies, to whom I have not as yet alluded, though your importance to every place of our earthly pilgrimage places you to the front rank of all virtuous undertakings. Though prone to forget our better halves, it is an evanescent vagary and we come back and exclaim: Who ever knew a well-regulated and comfortable home without the presence of woman. Our unequal toil as farmers is sustained by your kind and loving presence. It is the office which the ladies of the world perform, that gilds the arid and makes bright the pathway of life.—Col. PROLETT.

### "THE PUBLIC BE DAMNED."

Few men possess sufficient temerity to give expression to such a wish as is embodied in the sentiment above quoted. William H. Vanderbilt, who is now making a trip in the west, is not to be classed as amongst those who look upon the public as possessing rights which wealth and monopoly are bound to respect. In the course of an interview with a correspondent of the New York Times, at Chicago, the other day, in relation to the rich man's railway interests, the scribe innocently asked if certain trains were run for the public benefit. "The public be damned," said the millionaire in reply. "What does the public care for the railroads, except to get as much out of them for as small a consideration as possible? I don't take any stock in this silly nonsense about working for anybody's good but our own, because we are not." In view of this candid acknowledgment of his contempt for the public, is it not about time the public began to assert some claim to consideration at the hands of the railway millionaire? All that Vanderbilt possesses to-day he owes to the leniency of the public. It was the public who established the railroads which he now controls. He should not feel himself superior to the public. The public created him, and it is an anomaly to suppose that the public cannot undo its work. Great wealth in the hands of some is the means of accomplishing great good to the public; but great wealth in the hands of such a man as W. H. Vanderbilt is alike a curse to the possessor and to the public. It has made him selfish, arrogant and mean. It is no secret that his father, the old commodore, hesitated a long time before he decided to give his wealth to his son, the present railway autocrat. No doubt the commodore knew the man as well as the public know him.—St. Catharines Journal.

Young, middle aged, or old men, suffering from nervous debility and kindred weaknesses, should send two stamps for large treatise, giving successful treatment. WORLD'S DISPENSARY MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, Buffalo, N. Y.

The modern pie-rate—ten cents a piece.

### VISIT TO MRS. PINKHAM'S LABORATORY.

One day last week, in company with Dr. S. B. Brittan and Mr. Chas. McArthur, of New York, we visited the residence and laboratory of Mrs. LYDIA E. PINKHAM, of Lynn, and there witnessed the proofs of the wonderful development of the great business now conducted by this lady. We were prepared to be favorably impressed by the woman who has achieved such unequalled distinction within the short period of five years, as perhaps renders her more widely and generally known than any individual of her sex in this country. We have repeatedly heard it intimated that Mrs. Pinkham is an imaginary personage, but this is a great mistake. We were introduced to a lady of comely presence, but possessing a far more delicate and spiritual organization than we had expected to find in the person of a woman who has accomplished so much on the material plane of life. The pictures of herself—which may be seen in the papers all over the continent—bear a strong resemblance of the original, in the general outline of the head and the benign expression of the countenance. Her conversation reveals her natural refinement and general intelligence, while her voice is modulated by the supremacy of those gentle attributes

which appropriately belong to the higher types of womanhood.

The rapid extension of the business of supplying the large and constantly increasing demand for Mrs. Pinkham's Remedies—more especially those which are specifically adapted to the renovation of the impaired constitutions of women—is sometimes quite extraordinary and cannot fail to excite astonishment wherever the facts are known. Her principal laboratory is admirably arranged and supplied with all necessary and improved apparatus for extracting the medicinal and curative properties of the plants, herbs, roots, barks, berries, etc., which she employs for the healing of suffering humanity.

Mrs. Pinkham and her worthy husband have sustained a great loss and been deeply afflicted in the recent death of two noble sons. They were young men of uncommon character and great promise. Fired by the ambition to benefit others, and at the same time to build up the fortunes of the family, they unfortunately overtaxed and exhausted their physical energies by a too constant and intense application to business, which had event has placed in the hands of a surviving brother the mercantile department of the business. This gentleman is evidently equal to the heavy responsibility now imposed upon him, and under his judicious management the business is prospering in a degree that has more than realized the most sanguine expectations.

The sales of Mrs. Pinkham's medicines for the current year are likely to reach the round sum of \$400,000, and the indications warrant the conclusion that the receipts of next year may exceed half a million of dollars. To avoid paying the heavy duties imposed by the Canadian government on proprietary medicines, Mr. Pinkham has just erected a laboratory for the manufacture and sale of the remedies in British America.

We are always glad when intelligent enterprise is crowned with success and the sceptre of influence placed in the hands of honest industry; more especially do we rejoice when the enterprise—as is the case in the present instance—aims at the accomplishment of beneficent ends. Mrs. Pinkham and her noble family have fairly earned the great success they have won.

Let our readers remember that Mrs. Pinkham does not relieve human suffering after the manner so prevalent among the doctors of the allopathic school. To relieve pain she does not destroy sensation by the use of powerful narcotics—which is the evil device of professional ignorance of the healing art—but her remedies assist nature to throw off the disease by imparting a new energy to all the organic functions of human life. May the time soon come when we shall witness the end of the allopathic method of killing people to terminate their sufferings.—Editorial from Banner of Light, Boston, Sept. 16, '92.

BRO. JABEL ROBINSON, Master of Provincial Grange, will deliver a public lecture in the Town Hall, Stonebridge, on Friday, November 3rd, at 2 p. m. Everybody invited.

### MILLIONS GIVEN AWAY.

Millions of bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have been given away as Trial Bottles of the large size. This enormous outlay would be disastrous to the proprietors, were it not for the rare merits possessed by the wonderful medicine. Call at any drug store and get a trial bottle free, and try for yourself. It never fails to cure.