

THE USE OF WINE IN HOLY SACRAMENT.

Papers containing marked articles protesting against the use of wine in the Holy Communion, are occasionally sent us with the view, we presume, of inducing the North East to use its influence in bringing about a change in the present attitude of the Church toward this question. The position of the Church is settled on this matter; the use of the element of wine, (that is wine as the world understands the term) is essential to the validity of the Holy Sacrament. It was *real wine* which our Blessed Lord used, and it is *real wine* which the Church Catholic has always used in the administration of this highest act of her worship, and without that wine she holds there can be no true sacrament. By those outside the communion of the Catholic Church, the sacraments are not held to be necessary to salvation, and in consequence the essentials to their validity are not understood. Any simple memorial of our Blessed Lord's ordinances may be observed with other elements than those He used, but the sacraments of the Church have a higher value and can only be rightly administered when they strictly follow the Lord's ordinances both in words and elements. To the mind of the Church it borders on blasphemy to imagine that what the Blessed Lord Himself has set apart for a holy use, can be made the means of bringing a sinner unto greater condemnation.

The fanaticism which would so invalidate the Sacraments had better devote itself to the correction of evils which are known to bring harm to the souls of men, rather than to the bringing of that Holy Sacrament into disrepute to which is attached the pledge of pardon and spiritual strength, and to which alone, where it may be had, is promised salvation. Intemperate zeal in this respect may be as disastrous to the spiritual life of the person who succumbs to it as intemperance in drinking on the part of those who cannot yet restrain themselves from excess in these particulars. We believe that the happiness of many a home has been ruined by the unmerciful, intemperate zeal into which some fanatic in it has sought fit to engage in the warfare against one particular form of sin. To drag the Holy Sacrament into the question, and to make the Church responsible for leading her members into sin is knowingly to dishonor those means which God has ordained to be the channels of His saving grace to needy souls.—*The North East.*

The British Medical Journal says: Temperance is rapidly widening its definitions, and is no longer a mere matter of abstinence from alcohol. Not only have we always with us the great total propaganda, but, with a quietness and persistence almost characteristic of the drug, the use of opium is being assailed; and a commission is now sitting, or is supposed to be, to investigate the ins and outs

of all the drugs that come from hemp. Evidently, the forbidden fruits are multiplying. Rumours are in the air of attacks upon tobacco, and, as for tea, every evil thing has long been said about it. In coffee lies the only hope of those who crave for stimulation; and sadly it must be confessed that coffee is not always an exhilarating beverage.

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TWO EXPERIENCES IN KEMPTVILLE OF INTEREST TO OTHERS.

Mr. Hugh Brownlee Tells How He Was Cured of Sciatica After Much Suffering—Miss Della Main Suffered From Trouble Incident to Girlhood—Her Case Critical—How She Found It Ease.
From the Kemptville Advance.

One of the best known men in the county of Grenville and the adjacent county of Carleton is Mr. Hugh Brownlee, of Kemptville. Mr. Brownlee was born in Carleton county in the year 1834, and until about five year ago resided in the township of North Gower. Having by industry and good business ability acquired a competence he determined to retire from the somewhat laborious life of a farmer, and taking up his abode in a beautiful home in the village of Kemptville, has since continued to reside here. It is well known to Mr. Brownlee's friends and acquaintances that he has suffered for years from Sciatica of a violent form, and it has lately been understood that he has at last been relieved from the pangs of this excruciating disease. Recently, while in conversation with Mr. Brownlee, a reporter of the *Advance* asked him to give his experience for the benefit of other sufferers, which he gladly consented to do.

"You are aware," said Mr. Brownlee, "that most of my life has been spent upon a farm, and in addition to farming I followed the business of buying cattle, sheep and lambs. In doing so I was exposed to all sorts of weather and over-exertion, which brought on severe attacks of sciatica. I suffered for about ten years, trying all sorts of powerful remedies, but without doing me a particle of good. During this long period of suffering I was deprived of much sleep, and many a night I tumbled about in bed nearly all night long suffering the most excruciating pains. In fact I was rapidly approaching the condition of a chronic cripple. I had tried so many remedies that I was becoming discouraged, and almost despaired of obtaining relief. While in this condition I was induced to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. I took the pills for some time without any noticeable results, but feeling as if they were a last resort I continued their use. Then came a slight change for the better, and every day added to my steady improvement, until now, after the use of about eighteen boxes, I am nearly as well as ever I was, being almost entirely free from pain. I am still using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and feel confident that my cure will be permanent. You may be sure

that I am grateful for what Pink Pills have done for me, and I am only too glad to bear testimony to their merit. Indeed I believe they are deserving of every good thing that can be said of them."

Mrs. Brownlee was present, and said that she, too, could vouch for the beneficial effects derived from the use of Pink Pills. She had suffered for nearly four years with terrible soreness and pains in the back of the head and neck, accompanied by frequent attacks of dizziness which caused great distress and inconvenience. Having observed the beneficial effects Pink Pills had upon her suffering husband, Mrs. Brownlee determined to try them, and from the outset found relief, and after the use of four boxes found that the soreness was all gone, and for the past three months she had been almost entirely free from pain. She has the greatest confidence in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and believes them the greatest medicine of the age.

A YOUNG LADY'S EXPERIENCE.

Having heard that Miss Della Main, a young lady who lives with her parents not far from Mr. Brownlee's residence, had also been greatly benefited by the use of Pink Pills, the reporter next called upon her. Miss Main is a handsome young lady, eighteen years of age, with the glow of health in her cheeks. In reply to enquiries, Miss Main said that some two years ago she began to be affected with weakness peculiar to many young girls. Her face was pale, she was troubled with heart palpitation, and the least exertion left a feeling of great tiredness. She had good medical treatment, but without getting relief, and at last her condition became so bad that her parents and friends feared she was going into a decline and almost despaired of her recovery. At this juncture Miss Main was induced to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which are an unfailing specific in cases of this kind. Having lost all confidence in medicine, Miss Main took Pink Pills irregularly at first, but finding that they were helping her she began to take them regularly according to directions. From this time out improvement in her case was steady and rapid, and after the use of a dozen boxes she found her health fully restored. "I believe," said Miss Main, "that if it had not been for Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I would not be alive to-day, and I strongly recommend them to all girls who find themselves in a condition similar to what mine was." Miss Main's mother was present and fully endorsed what her daughter said, adding that she fully believed Pink Pills had saved her life.

Mr. Angus Buchanan, druggist, who is also reeve of the village, was asked if many Pink Pills are sold. His reply was that they have a larger sale than any medicine, and still the demand steadily increases, which is the best evidence that Pink Pills are a great remedy, and there can be no question of the great good they accomplish.

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