

A Temperance Lecture.

They drank their whiskey and beer; To Bacchus they bended the knee, And often they said with a sneer, A lemonade drinker is he.

"Better be mum And always dumb Than pray with some 'Thy kingdom come,' Then vote for rum"

An Acrostic.

The Chronicler publishes the following alliterative acrostic on Temperance -- Taste, touch, take temperately. Ever eschew eating excessively. Make meals moderately.

Prohibition is a Certainty.

Prohibition is a certainty in this country, and that within a very few years. Every civilized nation on earth is looking for some cure of the greatest evil that affects the earth.

Longevity.

The official figures of the Society of Friends show that the average duration of life among them is fifty-nine years eight months.

SCRUTINEER On Scruples of Conscience.

Conflict in authorities may sometimes bewilder those honestly desiring to do right. When we can "render to Caesar the things that are Caesar's," and to the Higher authority also the submission and homage due, conscience can quietly accept the situation.

Very many total abstainers as well as large numbers of Scott Act supporters have no shadow of hesitation in sincerely affirming that in view of all the solemn bearings and with the light now possessed, they could not with clear conscience either drink intoxicants or vote for the licensed evil producing traffic.

Mr. Henry Marshall, Reeve of Dunn, writes: "Some time ago I got a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery from Mr. Harrison, and I consider it the very best medicine extant for Dyspepsia."

BITS OF TINSEL.

"It's \$100 in your pocket," whispered the defendant's lawyer to the juror, "if you can bring about a verdict of manslaughter in the second degree."

Corns cause intolerable pain. Holloway's Corn Cure removes the trouble. Try and see what an amount of pain is saved.

Jabesh Snow, Gunning Cove, N. S., writes: "I was completely prostrated with the asthma, but hearing of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, I procured a bottle, and it done me so much good that I got another, and before it was used, I was well."

Nurse (to young husband)—Beautiful ten-pound baby, sir. Young husband (getting things mixed in his excitement) Glorious! Am I a father or a mother!

Press me closer, all my own, Warms my heart for thee alone. Every nerve responsive thrills, Each caress my being fills;

A Bad Break.—He stole softly upstairs and in the dim light began to rock the cradle and croon. "What's the matter, John?" asked his wife, sleepily.

A young preacher picked up Bishop Pierce's hat and put it on his head, and it was exactly a fit. "Why, Bishop," said he, "your head and mine are exactly the same size."

The superiority of Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator is shown by its good effects on the children. Purchase a bottle and give it a trial.

"What is the outward and visible sign in baptism?" asked a lady of her Sunday school class. There was silence for some seconds, and then a girl broke in triumphantly with: "The baby, please, ma'am."

Small Girl—"Rob, what's a widower, anyway?" Small Boy—"Why, Helen, I'm s'prised at you. It's the husband of a widow, of course."—Harper's Young People.

A clergyman is lecturing on "The model husband." "He may mean well," says the editor of the local paper, "but we dislike to be talked about in such a public manner."

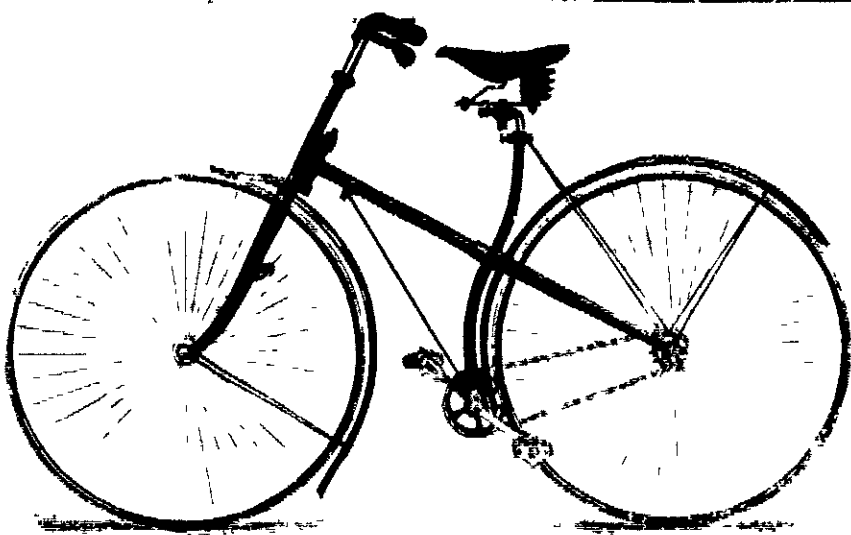
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KITCHEN RECIPES.

Chicken Curry. Cut up a chicken that has been properly prepared, fry it in butter of a light brown; then slice about six onions, fry them, add a moderate spoonful of curry powder, a clove of garlic, a squeeze of lemon, some salt, and a little roux, or flour and butter, and half a pint or more of good gravy; let it boil, and skim it well for an hour.

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