

Grains of Gold.

The highest and most profitable lesson is the true knowledge and lowly esteem of ourselves.

It is great wisdom and perfection to think nothing of ourselves, and to think always well and highly of others.

The greatest friend of truth is time; her greatest enemy is prejudice; and her constant companion is humility.

Labor is man's great function. He is nothing, he can do nothing, he can achieve nothing, fulfill nothing, without working.

Bad manners, or the lack of good breeding, is no where so troublesome as in the domestic circle, whether at the table or by the fireside.

Faint not; the miles to heaven are few and short. There are many heads lying on Christ's bosom, but there is room for yours amongst the rest.

Sincerity is to speak as we think, to do as we pretend and profess, to perform and make good what we promise, and really to be what we would seem and appear to be.

What can be a more wretched sight than to see a starving miser mortify without religion?—to submit to such voluntary hardships to no purpose, and lose the present without providing for the future.

Among all other virtues, humility, the lowest, is pre-eminent. It is the safest, because it is always at anchor; and that man may be truly said to live the most content in his calling, that strives to live within the compass of it.

How many toil on, disquiet, and harass themselves, as if desperately struggling against poverty, at the same time that they are surrounded with abundance; have not only enough, but more than enough—far more, in fact, than they actually enjoy.

Every parent is like a looking-glass for his children to dress themselves by. Therefore, parents should take care to keep the glass bright and clear, and not dull and spotted, as their good example is a rich inheritance for the rising generation.

In matters of great concern, and which must be done, there is no surer argument of a weak mind than irresolution—to be undetermined where the case is plain, and the necessity so urgent; to be always intending to lead a new life, but never finding time to set about it.

Some employments may be better than others; but there is no employment so bad as the having none at all. The mind will contract a rust and an unfitness for everything, and a man must either fill up his time with good, or at least innocent business, or it will run to the worst kind of waste—to sin and vice.

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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869 AND AMENDMENTS THEREON.

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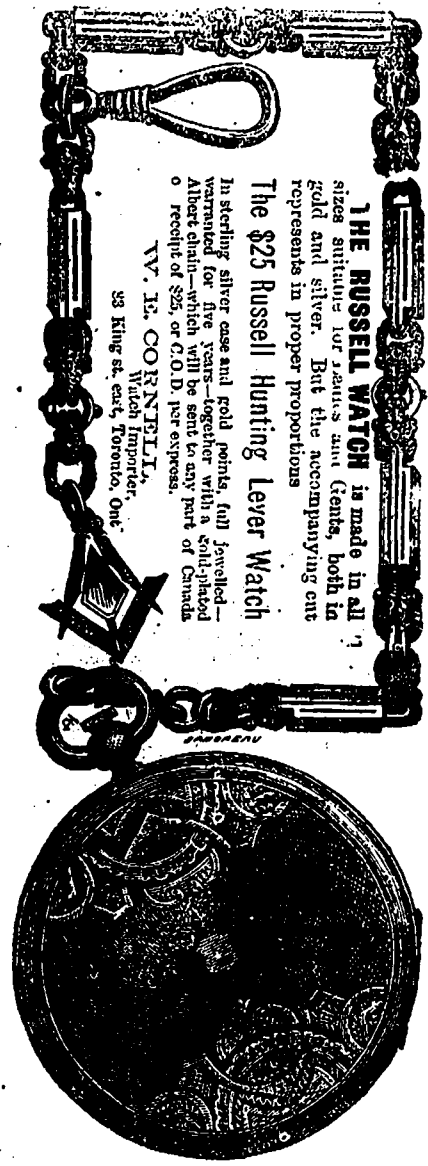
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On the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Customs, and under the Act 31, Vic. Cap. 6 intitled: "An Act respecting the Customs," His Excellency has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Town of Stratroy, in the County of Middlesex, Province of Ontario, be and the same is hereby constituted and erected into an Out Port of Customs and placed under the survey of the Collector of Customs at the Port of London.

W. A. HIMSWORTH, Clerk, Privy Council. March 10, 1873. GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA, Saturday, 25th day of December, 1872. PRESENT: HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

Whereas the article known as Old Tom Gin, being a sweetened Spirit, cannot be accurately tested for strength by Syke's Hydrometer, in the mode prescribed by law for testing spirituous liquors, and it is expedient with a view to uniformity in the collection of duty thereon, that an average strength should be adopted as the rule governing entries thereof.

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W. A. HIMSWORTH, Clerk Privy Council. March 10, 1873. GOVERNMENT HOUSE, OTTAWA, Thursday, 6th February, 1873. PRESENT: HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL IN COUNCIL.

On the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Customs, and under the provisions of the 8th Section of the Act 31st Victoria, Cap. 6, intitled: "An Act respecting the Customs," His Excellency has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that the Village of Coeague, in the County of Kent and Province of New Brunswick, be and the same is hereby constituted and erected into an Out-Port of Customs, and placed under the survey of the Collector of Customs at the Port of Richibucto.

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