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Next meeting in Temperance Hall Thursday, May 21st, at 3.30 P. M.

Press Clippings.

One of the most hopeful signs of the times is the International Prohibition Association. It represents twenty-one states, has one hundred and fifteen offices in as many different colleges, and publishes a monthly magazine, The College Statesman.

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Queer Blunders of Great Writers.

Shakespeare speaks of turkeys in plays the times of which long antedate the introduction of the first turkey from America.

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It is a curious blunder that of Chaucer in his "Court of Love," in which he says that the thirteenth "sang so sweet a tune that Tabal himself, the first musician, could not equal it."

A less excusable error of time than Shakespeare's, because it belongs to a period when authors had begun to regard such matters, is made by Schiller.

One may imagine a musical instrument left in some old castle deserted during political revolutions standing warped and cracked with heat and dampness—unstrung, untuned and voiceless.

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Scraps for Odd Moments.

A pair of slippers—two eels. Minards Liniment is the best. It is a common saying that lovely woman cannot keep a secret, but who besides herself knows where her pocket is?

Smithers—I wish some one would teach me to save money. Miss Hope—Oh, Mr Smithers, this is so sudden.

It is a contrast too intense. To strike his intellect as funny; At first he paid her compliments, And now he pays her alimony.

Alas! father, I have lost my heart, I have lost my heart, I have lost my heart, I have lost my heart, I have lost my heart.

Grandfather (awaking after a nap)—I do believe that my right arm is still asleep. Little Esther—Yes, grandpa, but your nose has not slept a wink; it was making an awful noise all the time.

A—Now, if I understand correctly the first principle of socialism is to divide with your brother man. B—The first principle of socialism is to make your brother man divide with you.

Said a bicyclist to "Now then, I will ride like the racing men!" But he got into trouble. For he bent himself double And couldn't bend back again.

He (admiring a vase of flowers)—Are they not beautiful? Do you know they are made of glass. She (softly)—But they are artificial. He—Ah, yes; but you'd never know it.

Every year increases the popularity of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for all pulmonary troubles. The Married One—Can you imagine anything worse than marriage without love?

An Artistic Achievement—Mr Crayons is very successful in his drawing, remarking to the young woman. Yes, replied the discourteous rival, I understand he discards several pictures at a raffish.

The signs of spring are everywhere in sight. The penative goat now chews the old tin can. And we encounter in their pasting flight The post and the hokey-pokey man.

A dying Irishman was asked by his confessor if he was prepared to renounce the devil and all his works. Oh, your honor, said Pat, don't ask me that; I'm going into a strange country, and I don't want to make myself enemies.

Someone nudged the new woman who was presiding. What did I ask the latter. Why, don't you recognize that little woman in the front row? I haven't the honor of her acquaintance, and I have yet to see the book on etiquette that makes it even permissible to recognize one to whom you have not been introduced.

Foreman—We have. Clerk—You do? Do what? Foreman—We find the prisoner at the bar guilty or not guilty? Clerk—But gentlemen, you must explain.

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A teacher in an English school who had been much annoyed by truancy, had recently been stringent in enforcing the rule that her scholars, on their return to school after an absence, must bring a note stating in full the cause of such absence, the note to be in the writing of a parent or guardian.

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