

## W. C. T. U. Notes

Women's Christian Temperance Union first organized in 1874.

AIM—The protection of the home, the abolition of the liquor traffic and the triumph of Christ's Golden Rule in custom and in law.

MOTTO—For God and Home and Native Land.

BADGE—A knot of White Ribbon.

WATCHWORD—Agitate, educate, organize.

Let us not judge one another any more, but judge this rather, that no man put a stumbling block or an occasion to fall in his brother's way. RM. 14:13.

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Business meeting of the W. C. T. U. the last Monday of every month.

## AUSTRIAN DRY CONGRESS MEETS IN VIENNA

Probably the biggest accession to Austrian prohibition ranks is the recent declaration of the National Socialist Labor Party for prohibition. The party organ, "Der Deutsche Arbeiterpremier," comes out openly for prohibition and invites a free discussion of the alcohol problem in its columns.

The members of the party under the leadership of Dr. Walther Riehl are total abstainers and prohibitionists. They favor introducing a bill for prohibition in the national assembly as soon as they get into power. In the election next fall, when a new House of Representatives is to be chosen, prohibition will be one of the prominent questions in the party platform.

Richard Soyka, representative of the Prohibition Society, among the students of Austria, has been addressing a large number of college and general public audiences and circulating large quantities of temperance literature. His work has even extended to the army where he was recently invited to deliver an address on American prohibition before the training school for soldiers. He reports over 100 meetings as evidence that interest among the students is growing rapidly. Forward.

## KEEPING FOOD WITHOUT ICE

Keeping food without ice has been overcome to a large extent by the home-made iceless cooler. This convenience may be made by anyone who has a saw and hammer.

The iceless cooler is a screened frame work of open shelves, having a solid base, a solid wooden top and a screen door with a curtain constantly kept moist by means of a pan containing water, set upon the top of the cooler with wide wicks of material which serve as carriers of the water from the pan to the curtain. The size practical for a small family measures 42 inches high, 14 inches wide and 16 inches deep. A large cooler may be made 48 inches high, 16 inches wide and 18 inches deep.

There are two methods used in building the box part: (1) by taking a grocery or merchandise box and cutting out large openings on all four sides, leaving enough at the corners to make the framework strong; (2) building the framework of 1x2 inch material and fastening to a solidly built wooden top and bottom.

After the frame work or box has been made, cover three sides with galvanized screen and make a screen door for the front. The shelves should be movable and made of slats so as to allow the air to circulate in the cooler.

Curtains for the box may be made of either used or new material, cotton flannel, outing flannel, cotton or woollen blanket material or burlap. Make the curtain in two parts, one to fit the door, leaving the rest sufficiently large to cover the remaining three sides of the cooler. Hang the curtain with loops, upon screw eyes around the top of the cooler.

When ready for use, place a pan of water on top of the cooler and put a number of wicks made of cast-off woollen socks, split open, or pieces of old woollen blanket in the water. These should feed the water from the pan to the curtain. A pan to catch the drips may be placed under the cooler.

The coolness of the iceless cooler depends upon the evaporation as the water flows down through the curtain. Evaporation takes place and heat is drawn from inside the box.

If parents only knew as much as they think their children do, there would be a whole lot of highly educated people in this old world.

When planting vegetables 10 ins. apart it takes 62,726 plants for an acre of ground.

## ROYAL YEAST CAKES

Good home-made bread is the finest food on earth—the one food that everybody eats—that everybody likes—and that agrees with everybody.



## AMID THE APPLE BLOSSOMS

The Barrie (Ont.) Examiner Gives Account of Weekly Newspapermen's Trip Through Annapolis Valley

It was felt by the good people of the Annapolis Valley that an adequate impression of that famous fruit district could not be secured from train conveyance, so when the special arrived at Kentville the station yard was filled with automobiles manned by members of the Kentville and Wolfville Boards of Trade, ready to convey the travellers to Grand Pre. A brass band sounded a welcome and Mr. Harris, editor of the Advertiser, with his wife and daughters, was soon busy greeting many old friends in the party.

Kentville is a thriving town of about 3000, is the centre of the big apple shipping, is a railroad centre, has several other industries, many fine residences and all the appearance of a most desirable place to live.

A few minutes after arrival the scribes started on a drive which will linger long in the memory as one of the most delightful experiences of the trip. First a visit to the experimental farm beautifully located on a hill at the edge of the town and then out into the apple country. For twenty miles we drove through an undulating country over excellent roads while on all sides were the blossoms of those orchards which have brought fame and wealth to the Annapolis Valley. A week past their prime it was said, yet a wonderful gladness sight, even the Ontario folk used to orchards and trees.

As for the men and women from the Middle West, they could not find words to express themselves. One did not need to be told that the Valley was prosperous. The writer has never seen a farming section looking more uniformly so. Fine homesteads with comfortable houses and good barns, both well painted. In a drive of twenty miles, not a poor-looking place was noticed.

Mr. Pineo, Assistant Manager of the United Apple Growers' Co-operative Co. in whose car the writer had the pleasure of riding, gave a lot of information concerning the apple industry in reply to numerous queries. From the territory between Annapolis and Windsor, the Valley shipped 1,900,000 barrels of apples last year. As soon as the apples are picked they are put in big packing houses. There are 104 of these in the Valley of which Mr. Pineo's company owns 52. The market is almost entirely in Great Britain and this district has a big advantage over Ontario in being able to put its apples on board ship for 35 cents a barrel. Last year the grower got \$3.75 net for his Spies, and run of the orchard yielded about \$2.00 a barrel, which is near an average. The yield per acre is about 100 barrels and the orchards vary in size from 2 to 100 acres. Land is worth from \$30 to \$500 an acre according to the orchard. Negroes constitute the greater part of the hired labor. Mr. Pineo stated that the Valley had had three fine crops in

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succession and there was every indication of a bumper crop this year. With a shortage of apples in Ontario we will know where to go for this fruit. Incidentally it may be stated that the United Apple Growers of Annapolis is a splendid example of how growers can improve marketing conditions by co-operative effort.

The route of drive passed through Wolfville, a town of beautiful homes. It is situated on the fertile ridge between the Gasperau and Cornwallis Valleys and is surrounded by a wonderful rich farming and fruit district. It is the seat of the Acadia College and Seminary, large Baptist institutions of learning, this denomination being very strong in that district.

Grand Pre Three miles from Wolfville, mounting the crest of a long hill we looked down upon the little village of Grand Pre.

F. G. J. Comeau, General Passenger and Freight Agent of the Dominion Atlantic Railway, who accompanied the visitors from Digby to Halifax gave a brief talk at the village on the Land of Evangeline, giving the travellers the benefit of his wide knowledge of this subject.

Today very little remains of the French village, but the "old well," the willows and the cross which marks the ancient burying ground, all serve to remind one of the days of long ago. The Dominion Atlantic Railway has transferred to the Acadia people the site of the old Roman Catholic church, upon which a chapel has been erected—designed as nearly as could be recalled after the original chapel. It was consecrated last year, and will be used as a treasure house for Acadia memorials.

Fourteen acres of land are being converted into a public park. This will be a most interesting memorial of other years. Not far from the village is the mouth of the Gasperau, where the unhappy people were embarked on their mournful voyage.

At Grand Pre we very unexpectedly ran across a former resident of Simcoe County in the person of Mrs. Oscar Chase, formerly Miss Libbie Little, daughter of the late Robt. Little of Killybegh. She taught school at Holly for some time. It was a pleasure to answer her many inquiries concerning old friends in this part of the country. Accompanying Mrs. Chase was her daughter, Miss Susan Chase, who was the first woman to take the degree of B.Sc. A. from Toronto University and now has a fifty acre fruit farm of her own. In Halifax, we met another daughter, Dr. Margaret Chase, who is in the pathological department of Dalhousie University. Mr. and Mrs. Chase have a fine 80-acre fruit farm and a beautiful home. Their address is R. R. No. 1, Greenwich, N.S.

## SHORT SKIRTS DANGEROUS TO MEN

Swiss insurance companies have raised their rates as much as 15 per cent, for the reason that short skirts, high heels and low necks increase the likelihood of women falling and hurting themselves. In this country it is the men who are made the unusual risks because of the selfsame short skirts, etc. Their necks are so badly stretched and weakened that they have little resistance to a severe fall. And while on this subject of skirts, short skirts are hygienic, a news dispatch says. Women who wear them exercise their prerogative—men exercise theirs—exercise is healthy—and so short skirts are hygienic.

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## CROP REPORT

Under date of August 16th the Bank of Montreal's crop report has the following to say concerning conditions in the Maritime Provinces: All crops making good progress. Nova Scotia a heavy hay crop is mostly harvested. Roots making good progress. Apple prospects continue favourable. Pasture is exceptionally good. Record all round crops somewhat short. Roots rather below average, but improving rapidly. Pasture varies greatly. Prince Edward Island general conditions satisfactory. Excellent hay crop of good quality. Roots making good progress.

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Howard Chandler Christie can take a 50c. piece of canvass and paint a picture on it worth hundreds of dollars? That's Art.

A merchant can take an article costing 75c. and sell it for \$1.00? That's business. Girls can buy a hat for \$2.99 but prefer one that costs \$29.99? That's Vanity.

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No. 95 From Halifax arrives 10.10 a.m.  
No. 98 From Yarmouth, arrives 3.27 p.m.  
No. 97 From Halifax, arrives 6.27 p.m.  
No. 99 From Halifax (Mon., Thurs.,  
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