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Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst, of New York, has decided to publish a weekly paper to be called the *Vigilant*. The journal will be devoted to the interests of local reform as represented by the Parkhurst Society.

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I have already spoken of aluminum as being superior to magnesium for flash light photography. Mr. T. Bolas, a well-known English photographic chemist, warmly recommends it, and gives as its chief advantages its higher activity and its freedom from objectionable odors on ignition. — *New York Herald*.

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Hood's Pills cure all liver ills.

Word has been sent to the Courts of Europe that the Shah of Persia intends to visit Berlin, St. Petersburg, Paris and Vienna next spring. He will start on his journey in May or June, and will remain in Europe several months.

Says Frances Willard. "I once asked Thomas A. Edison if he were a total abstainer, and when he told me that he was I said, 'May I inquire whether it was home influence that made you so?' and he replied, 'No, I think it was because I always felt that I had better use for my head.'"

#### Not that Kind.

Scott's Emulsion does not debilitate the stomach as other rough medicines do; but on the contrary, it improves digestion and strengthens the stomach. Its effects are immediate and pronounced.

The *Catholic Times* presents some figures of interest indicating the extent to which temperance sentiment has permeated some important religious denominations. Among the Congregationalists, 2,100 ministers in England and Wales (out of a total of 2,725) are known to be total abstainers, and 370 out of 399 students in the evangelical colleges. In Ireland there are no exceptions, and in Scotland 95 per cent. are registered as abstainers. In the Evangelical Union of Scotland, as with the Primitive Methodists of England, all the ministers are abstainers. Out of 1,758 accredited Baptist ministers in the United Kingdom, no fewer than 1,424 returned themselves as total abstainers, also 225 students out of 232 in the theological colleges.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia.

## British and Foreign.

The Rev. Henry Drew, Mr. Gladstone's son-in-law, will leave Hawarden Castle this month for South Africa, to take ministerial duties in Capetown.

Berlin, Germany, has municipal gas and electric lights, water works, street railway and fire insurance, and from these makes a profit of \$1,250,000 each year over and above expenses.

Harwich town council, in England, has determined to buy coal and retail it to the poor at cost price. It is also stated that several other local bodies in England are planning to do the same.

Women who write, it has been pointed out, have a fondness for "George" as a nom de plume. George Sand, George Eliot, George Fleming, George Egerton and George Egbert Craddock are quoted as examples.

Mrs. W. W. Story, wife of the well-known American sculptor and mother of Julian Story, the distinguished painter, is dead. Julian Story is the husband of Emma Fames, the opera singer, who is at present in the United States.

The Most Rev. Samuel Gregg, D.D., who was elected to succeed the late Most Rev. Robert Knox as Archbishop of Armagh and Primate of all Ireland, was enthroned on January third at the cathedral church of St. Patrick, Armagh.

The Duchess of Argyll died on the evening of January 5th, at Inverary Castle, Inverary, Argyshire. She was a daughter of the Bishop of St. Albans and when she married his Grace in 1881 was a widow of Colonel Augustus Henry Anson.

A telegram from Lagos, capital of the colony of that name in West Africa, received at the church missionary house in London, announces the death of the Most Rev. Joseph Sidney Hall, bishop of the Niger region, and his wife. The despatch gives no details about the deaths.

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The *Secolo* declares that the private fortune of King Humbert of Italy, amounting to 100,000,000 lire (\$20,000,000) has been deposited with the London house of the Rothschilds. The greater part of this sum is said to have been saved out of the civil list at the rate of about 10,000,000 lire (\$2,000,000) per year.

Dr. Samuel Smiles, who is so well known as the author of "Self Help" and other popular works, has just celebrated his golden wedding. His wedding took place on the 7th December, 1843, in Leeds. The distinguished author is now in his eighty-third year; but he is still vigorous, and pursues his literary labours.

For this year the Roman Catholics in the United States have received, for their Indian schools, \$365,835; the Presbyterians, \$30,090; the Congregationalists, \$25,736, last year, and \$8,150 this year, the Episcopalians, \$7,020; the Quakers, \$10,020; the Mennonites, \$3,750; the Unitarians, \$5,490, and the Lutherans, \$15,120.

Rev. J. E. Newell, who has been so widely known in connection with the Endeavors of the Samoan Islands, has been appointed editor of *The Samoan Torch* ("O le Sula Samoa"). It has a circulation of 1,250 copies a month throughout the island. We have no doubt that the torch will shine for Christian Endeavor.

It is said that \$2,000,000 have been withdrawn from the savings banks of the city of New York within a short time, in petty sums, showing that families once sufficiently prosperous to lay something aside each year, are beginning to trench on their accumulations. When these are gone, the outlook becomes increasingly sad.

In the Netherlands it is noted that the churches in which what is called "the Modern Theology" is preached, are almost deserted, while the attendance in the places of worship where a glowing, earnest, Evangelical faith is proclaimed, has been very much increased. It is associated also with an increasing vigor and warmth of Calvinistic spirit in the Evangelical churches.

The English Government declines to give any answer to the question as to when the English occupation of Egypt will cease. Mr. Gladstone says the subject is one which involves "large issues." The Sultan is restless, the Khedive is indignant, but the grasp of Great Britain does not relax, and Egypt grows more prosperous under its rule. The power of England will be beneficial in South Africa as well.

Probably the only copy extant of the Act of Parliament of 1649, during Cromwell's reign, incorporating and chartering the Society for Instituting the Propagation of the Gospel among the Indians of New England, is in the possession of the Presbyterian Board of Missions, and is on exhibition in New York.

A late census shows that of the entire population of New Zealand no less than ninety-five per cent. make a profession of religion in the evangelical sense, a fact for the consideration of that class of Christians who are opposed to foreign missions, and of the sceptics who tell us that foreign missions are a failure.

Rev. J. M. Hodson, M.A., formerly of the Bridge Street Methodist Church, Belleville, who has been acting pastor of the Rev. Dr. Deem's Church of the Strangers, New York City, and declined the permanent pastorate of that church, has decided to accept a call to the Collegiate Reformed Church at Fordham, one of the old and influential churches of New York.

Dr. James A. Worden, secretary of the Sabbath-School Board of the Presbyterian Church, now proposes to send out into the West Christian Endeavor Sabbath-school missionaries, to be supported by Presbyterian Endeavorers alone. These missionaries will report once in three months to the societies supporting them. They will find new Sunday schools, and, wherever practicable, will organize new Endeavor societies.

New Zealand raises about two and a quarter million dollars from a tax on land values, irrespective of improvements and only eight millions for customs. That is a practical beginning toward taking for the use of all the value produced by all. And New Zealand has escaped the disaster which followed the land boom in the Australian colonies. There are no land speculation bubbles to burst and precipitate disaster under such a system.

The Rev. Dr. J. H. George, formerly of Belleville, and now pastor of the First Congregational Church, St. Louis, is chairman of the Board of Trustees of Drury College, Springfield, Mo., and in that capacity has raised all but \$9,000 of the \$75,000 required to secure a donation of \$25,000 from K. Pearson of Chicago. Mr. Pearson promises a second \$25,000 on the same terms. Dr. George has declined the presidency of the college.

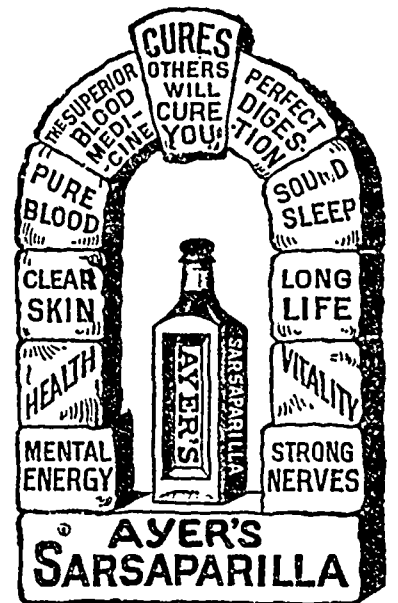
The *Boston New Nation* says: "We recommend action by nationalist clubs and labor organizations to secure the reintroduction into the Massachusetts Legislature of the nationalist bill of 1892, permitting municipalities to open coal yards to sell at cost. The opinion of the Supreme court, which killed the bill in 1892, expressly stated that if a sufficient public emergency called for such a bill, it would be constitutional. Such an emergency the present suffering from industrial stagnation has created."

The statistics of Sunday-schools show remarkable progress. In 1890 the number of Sunday-schools was 183,390. In 1893 the whole number reported is 224,562, an advance in three years of 41,173. The number of scholars advances correspondingly. The increase of scholars in the three years is 2,552,711. The whole number this year is 20,268,953. Out of this great multitude the Church should gather, each year, many thousands of members. How many will depend largely on the faithfulness of the work done.

It is asserted that in Boston 1,400 of 1,800 teachers in the public schools, and in St. Louis, 1,100 out of 1,800 are Romanists. Not less startling ratios exist in New York, Chicago and other cities. This is not due to the superior education of Catholics, for it is an admitted fact that the standard of culture is not so high as among Protestants. It is due to the Romanizing of the school boards by Catholic votes aided by indifferent Protestants. What the best friends of the public schools desire is to keep sectarianism bias out of the management.

The first lady who ever gave money to Harvard College could not have fancied in the most imaginative moment that more than 250 years later her girlhood's name would be given to a college for women at Harvard. Anne Radcliffe, who was afterwards Dame Moulson, sent her hundred pounds over the seas from England to aid in the cause of education. She cast her bread upon the waters, and it is returned to her memory in honor after all these many days. Mrs. Agassiz, the president of the Harvard Annex, is congratulated on this most charming and suggestive choice of a name.

While Congress is discussing the income tax question, the Italian Parliament is passing it and making it applicable to the Roman clergy as well as to the laity. The cardinals even, although they live at the Vatican, which is out of the jurisdiction of King Humbert, are to be taxed in their revenue, or salary. Of course they rebel against such a wicked law which makes no distinction between the



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"anointed of the Lord" and common laymen. They have registered their protest and we shall soon know how far the small piece of "St. Peter's dominion" is independent. It will be an interesting law-suit.

The Presbyterian Hospital of New York City admitted to its benefits, during its twenty-fifth year, over fifteen thousand patients, the larger number to the Dispensary. The average number of beds occupied each day was one hundred and fifty-five. The Roman Catholic patients numbered two thousand one hundred and sixty-three; the Presbyterians, one hundred and thirty-two. These figures prove that the Presbyterians as a rule, do not belong to the class who need hospital service, and that the Roman Catholics do. They prove also that the Presbyterians are not narrow in the bestowment of their charities.

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Yours sincerely,

Marion Vincent.

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