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ANOTHER FIELD INVADDED.

Every now and then some person rises to assert that the times are still further out of joint. Either a new sin has come to claim a portion of its inheritance or the strength of some old one has been renewed like the eagle's. So during the last few decades it has been charged that certain classes were in the bonds of iniquity and wholly given over to evil. Sometimes it has been infidelity, that has blighted the fair hopes of the race, sometimes indifference to the sanctity of the Sabbath threatens the people with destruction, at others, men and women are carried away by the spirit of gambling and are dancing their way down the broad path. These things come and go with the regularity of the seasons, but one, intemperance, we always have with us. True it varies in extent with the passing days, but the spirit remains. As a general rule, it is the male portion of the human race that imbibes too freely from the cup in which the serpent lurks. But Bishop Coleman of New Jersey has discovered that while Adam has taken this apple, Eve has also participated in the feast. He has found that intemperance among women has made a material gain. It is but another instance of the eternal law of compensation and equalization. But the outlook is not encouraging. When the cook stops in her duties of mixing dough, to mix for herself a draught that will cheer and inebriate, when the nurse maid and mother leave their task of rocking the cradle and preparing sundry bottled drinks for the infants, to concoct various drinks for themselves, trouble is in store for the coming race. But can these things be true? Is it possible that all the educative influences of the W. C. T. U.'s, Y. W. C. A.'s and various other organizations have been for naught, so far as their effect on the female portion of the peoples of the earth has been concerned?

"Whiskey and gin," says Bishop Coleman, "are bought by the women from the grocers and charged as tea and cheese." It behooves each man to carefully scan his grocer's bills in search of extra charges for these commodities. While the Scott Act may not prove an entire success, and prohibition may have its drawbacks, a reduction in the amount of "tea and cheese," so ordered, will certainly prove efficacious. Brandy balls and doctored chocolates have at times past been the red herring drawn across the path of the reformer, but now it is evident that not in these, does the danger lie, but in the seemingly harmless and plebeian tea and cheese.

Something certainly should be done. For the last twenty years woman has slowly but surely been invading those avenues which aforesaid were considered the special rights and privileges of man. This intrusion has been taken in a spirit of partial tolerance and complacency, but now that she is to dispute with him for the title of champion liquor consumer, some steps must be taken. All man's prerogatives must not be torn away, even if harsh measures have to be taken to prevent the usurpation. Extra orders of tea and cheese will no longer be allowed, and if the habit is persisted in despite all objections, let man gracefully retire from this field of activity and let the other sex stumble along it alone.

Andrew Carnegie, unlike many of the public men of the United States, has a realizing sense of a war in the Philippine Islands. His letter read at the Collier dinner the other night gave the impression that he considered killing Christian Boers and Christian Filipinos in war a foul blot on humanity. Most of the people on the other side of the line, whose utterances have been given any particular publicity seem to recognize the "blot" only as it exists in Africa. Mr. Carnegie is to be congratulated.

And now there is some doubt whether Mr. Roosevelt can take that nice gun Prince Henry bought for him. He will have to ask congress first whether he may have it, and if that body considers, in its loving maternal attitude, that he must not have it, the president will have to decline with thanks. But if Prince Henry brings that gun over and Roosevelt decides that he wants it, Congress had better look out for trouble, if it opposes the expressed wish of the colonel of the Rough Riders.

Harvard will not give Prince Henry a degree when he visits the United States. The authorities say that these articles are not to be conferred in the winter season. Probably the prince will come over next summer after it.

Dr. Parkhurst's utterances in regard to the immortality of the soul are liable to get him in as much trouble as any remarks in regard to the immortality of New York.

THE OLD HOME WEEK.

(Boston Globe.)

At length the Massachusetts general court, is fairly "up" to an issue which is very much "alive"—the question of establishing "old-home week" for the bay state, something that has been long and eagerly desired. Not only a host of our own citizens, but other hosts who have been "raised" within the borders of the commonwealth, have found new homes west and south, will warmly rejoice over an official recognition on Beacon Hill of what is undeniably the strong and general popular wish.

The resolve introduced by Mr. Adams of Melrose, which was duly referred to the legislative committee on towns, is straightforward and to the point. It provides that the third week in July of every year shall be designated and set apart "as a special season during which any city or town may arrange for appropriate celebrations to welcome returning sons and daughters of Massachusetts, and other invited guests. The city councils of cities, and the towns, may, at any legal meeting, grant and vote such sums of money as may be necessary to defray the expenses of 'old-home week'."

Now that the highly important matter is fairly before our lawmakers, there is ground for reasonable expectation that this Adams resolve will not only be favorably reported with very brief delay, but enacted by our legislators at the earliest convenient hour. Boom the "old-home week" idea in Massachusetts all along the line. Viewed from every standpoint, indeed, the idea embodied in the Adams resolve well deserves to win, and that speedily. The warmth of the cordiality which has been manifested by multitudes who look sincere delight in returning for the "old home week" observances which have been held in Maine and New Hampshire and Vermont is beyond question. And what has been true of these New England states will surely prove equally true when Massachusetts falls into line and welcomes her wandering children home. As long ago as when the census of 1890 was taken, it was found that no less than 274,740 persons born in Massachusetts were then living beyond the borders of the commonwealth. Of this number almost 40,000 had made new homes in the empire state, and fully half as many had "sought their fortunes" with greater or less success, in California's land of gold. Indeed, it would be hard to find a state of the union, whether situated north, south, or west, whether large or small in population, which does not possess an influential contingent of men and women "hailing" from old Massachusetts.

LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE.

Provincial Convention to Meet in St. John on Wednesday, Feb. 5th.

The Rev. J. G. Shearer, general secretary for Canada of the Lord's Day Alliance, was in the city yesterday on his way to visit St. Andrews, St. Stephen, Woodstock and Fredericton, completing there on Sunday and Monday next a tour of the province. Last week he visited Prince Edward Island, and on Friday, the 24th, at Charlottetown organized a Provincial Lord's Day Alliance for the Island, the Rev. Leo Williams, rector of the Church of England in Charlottetown, being elected president, and William H. Hunter, secretary-treasurer. Mr. Shearer has also visited in this province Campbellton, Dalhousie, Bathurst, Newcastle, Chatham, Richibucto, Moncton, Dorchester, Sackville and Sussex, and has organized a branch alliance in each of these places. He reports a very decided increase of interest in the work of the alliance throughout the province as compared with a year and a half ago, the occasion of his former visit. He especially instances the mass meetings in Chatham, Newcastle and Moncton, not less than a thousand people gathering last Sunday evening in the Railway City to hear his address. The Lord's Day Alliance has made astonishing progress as an organization, especially within the last year, the number of branches having increased throughout the dominion from 75 to almost 250. The organized workmen of all the industrial centres are actively co-operating with it towards the preservation of the weekly rest day against the inroads of unnecessary labor and business. The annual convention of the New Brunswick Alliance will meet in the Y. M. C. A. in this city on Wednesday, February 5th, the general executive committee at 10 a. m., the business session of the convention at 2.30 p. m., and a mass meeting at 8 p. m., which is to address the members of the alliance on the 1st title for the Sabbath in Canada, and by other speakers.

A CHANCE FOR STAMP DEALERS.

(New York Tribune.)

George B. Snow of Chicago, at the Toffman house yesterday declared that he could not understand the fad for collecting stamps. "I am in the business myself, dealing in rare stamps," said Mr. Snow, "and I will admit it is a profitable business, but I do not understand the fad. It seems to be on the increase, rather than in a decline. Take, for example, the new issue of stamps in England the other day, bearing the head of King Edward VII. There was a wild rush to get them. It is supposed that it will always be a fad. There is one thing that stamp collectors ought to take note of, and that is that one of the German states is about to go out of business as a stamp producing country. At present Wurtemberg and Bavaria are the only German states that have their own individual stamps. It has long been the desire of the German emperor to have uniform stamps in the country. Recently the government of Wurtemberg announced that after April 1, 1902, it would no longer issue stamps, and would use those of the German empire. Bavaria has been approached on the subject, but has declined to accept the proposal, to discontinue issuing stamps."

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 28.—Sir Thos. Fitzgerald, an eminent surgeon of Melbourne, who was honored with an appointment as consulting surgeon to the British army in South Africa, some months after the breaking out of the Boer war, is here on a visit. He says that fevers, due to bad water, cause more deaths in South Africa than the bullets of the Boers.

SNEAK THIEF ARRESTED.

Misdemeanors of any kind are very rare at the I. C. R. station and owing to the watchfulness of the officials, thefts are almost unknown. The first loss to be reported from that place for over a year occurred on Saturday night last, when night watchman McCullough early in the evening missed a valuable overcoat, which he had left hanging in an entrance leading to the cellar. A short time before, Officer John Collins had noticed a man leaving the station with a coat over his arm. As soon as Mr. McCullough reported his loss, Officer Collins started on the trail, with the result that the thief became alarmed and quietly returned the stolen article to the station on Sunday. But anxious to keep the record of their station clean and to provide a warning for any who might desire to commit a like offence, the I. C. R. police, having acquired sufficient evidence, had a warrant issued yesterday for John Wickham of North Street, who was arrested last night by Deputy Jenkins and Sgt. Campbell. Wickham, who is a native of Prince Edward Island, was employed last summer with the masons working at the foundation of the station.

SPECIAL SERVICE MISSION.

A very interesting lecture upon "Oxford and Its Student Life," was delivered last night by R. F. Drury, who, with his colleague, is making a tour of the world in the interests of the Children's Scripture Union. The lecture was delivered in a pleasant conversational style, and brought vividly before the audience the many aspects of college life seen from the standpoint of younger students. He spoke of studies, sports, features of life, but especially of the active religious forces now exerted upon the younger men at Oxford. One of the happy results has been the formation of the Children's Scripture Union, now numbering members over the world by hundreds of thousands.

Mr. Drury will conclude his work at St. John's Church tomorrow afternoon, delivering his last address to children in the schoolroom at 4 p. m.

A 6 o'clock Wednesday Mr. Drury will address a boys' meeting at St. Paul's Sunday school, and on Friday a meeting at Carleton.

THE WEST INDIA LINE.

A Newport, R. I. despatch of the 28th says: Steamer Guildhall, Capt. Staveley, from New York for Halifax, was towed in here this morning by steamer Old Dominion. The Guildhall was found in Vineyard Sound without a propeller, which had been lost during the previous night.

This is the vessel Pickford & Black chartered to take the place of the Orinoco on the West India service, the latter being detained at Halifax for repairs to her boilers. It is said the Guildhall will be detained at Newport three days. The St. John goods intended for shipment by the Guildhall went to Halifax by rail last Saturday. It is hoped the steamer will get away from Halifax on Monday next. She will be followed by the Orinoco on the 10th of February and the Dahome a fortnight later. The Orinoco is expected here the latter part of this week.

HE MAKES WOODEN LEGS.

"Alfy" Riggs, remembered particularly in St. John for his famous one-act specialty of coasting down King street on a high wheel, has, after a long sojourn in Halifax, been again visiting his native city. His mission is the making of wooden legs, which he claims to be far superior in durability, in beauty and in many other ways to the lost members whose place they take. In Halifax he says he has a monopoly of the business, having crowded the American made article entirely out of the market by the superiority of his productions in artistic finish, fit and general satisfactoriness. During his stay here he has disposed of three products of his manufacture. He returned last night to Halifax in response to repeated and urgent requests from a throng of would-be clients.

AN INSANE IMMIGRANT.

About a year ago an Italian immigrant was detained here on account of insanity and committed to the Provincial Lunatic Asylum. A few days ago a brother of his from Cleveland, Ohio, came here, and inducing the asylum officials to release the man, attempted to return with him to the States. But the U. S. immigration man wanted no more crazy inhabitants for his country, and stopped them at Vanceboro, where they were being held last night, pending arrangements for their disposal.

SANDWICH SOCIAL.

A "sandwich" social at which that variety of refreshment, together with coffee and cocoa, was distributed to a large attendance, was held in the vestry of Waterloo Street Free Baptist Church last evening. An interesting programme was also given, consisting of songs by R. McIntyre, Mrs. Hay and E. Appleby; readings by Miss B. Stevens, G. Price and Miss Lottie Parlee; a pretty dumb-bell drill by a class of girls, and autograph selections by J. Frodsham.

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PEARSON'S PAY.

Cumberland Sheriff Received \$3,295 Last Year.

In his lecture in Bangor last week, Sheriff Pearson of Cumberland county stated that he received only \$3,500 for his services, and that he paid out \$2,000 in expenses, leaving only \$1,500 a year for all his hard work. He did not state what were the expenses that ate up \$2,000 of his salary, but he gave the audience the impression that he was getting only \$1,500 a year, net, from his office.

The Portland Express tells a very different story of the sheriff's compensation. From the records of the county treasurer, from which he is making up his annual footings, the following figures were taken, showing the amounts which the county paid Sheriff Pearson and his deputies last year in salaries and fees on criminal matters.

Of course the fees of the sheriff and those paid in liquor cases relate to the first half of the year, before he was paid on a salary.

The total amount paid to the sheriff in the year was \$3,295.34, itemized as follows: Board of prisoners, six months, \$6,114; salary, six months, \$1,750; copying mittimus, \$32.50; suppression of liquor traffic, six months, \$150; attending court, \$208; compensation on confiscated liquor sold, \$13.70. Sheriff Pearson's two civil office duties received a total of \$558.29 in fees on criminal warrants and for court attendance. Deputy Eben N. Perry earning \$123.17 of that amount and Deputy Charles Dunn, Jr., \$430.12.

The amounts paid out to the liquor deputies, for fees during the first half of the year, and per diem salaries for the 12 months, were as follows: Charles A. Plummer, liquor deputy, services on warrants, etc., six months, \$350.21; per diem salary, \$914; total \$1,764.21.

Arthur B. Leach, liquor and office deputy, fees, six months, \$326; salary, \$910; total, \$1,237.18.

Henry T. Skillings, liquor deputy, fees, six months, \$366.20; salary, \$907; total, \$1,173.

O. F. Stackpole, liquor deputy, fees, three months, \$175.53; salary, \$732; total, \$907.53.

Joseph C. Sterling, liquor deputy, fees, three months, \$164.53; salary, nine months, \$734.

From the statement in the Express it would appear that the sheriff and his deputies were well paid last year, especially the sheriff, for the \$6,121 for board of prisoners is 75 to 85 per cent profit. Now that the sheriff is on a salary of \$3,500 a year he cannot make money so fast, of course, as in the days of fees; but \$3,500 is pretty good pay for a sheriff, considering that the justices of the supreme court receive only \$4,000 a year and the governor of the state only \$2,000.—Bangor News.

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VACCINATION IN BOSTON.

Board of Health Has 115 Physicians Scratching Arms in South Boston.

(Boston Globe.)

The board of health sent 115 physicians to South Boston yesterday afternoon, each having a roll of medicated cotton, a bottle of alcohol and several boxes of virus points, to vaccinate people in the district from the bridges up to Dorchester street, including Washington Village.

The physicians began about 3.30 and worked from house to house until about 9.30 last evening.

As in East Boston the preceding day, it was not all plain sailing for the physicians. Many people were found who did not care to be vaccinated, in fact, refused to be, on the ground that they did not believe in it; but the majority were willing.

At the headquarters of the board of health late last night it was estimated that some 10,000 people had been vaccinated by the physicians during the afternoon and evening.

Each physician took down the names and addresses of those who refused to be vaccinated or of those who were not at home at the time of the visit, and these cases will all be attended to by the board through the local medical inspectors.

All those who have not been vaccinated within five years will have to submit to the process, and the board gives it out that it intends to take legal action against those who refuse.

As usual, some of the people acted as if they were going to submit to some terrible surgical operation, while on the other hand many of the doctors were followed for blocks by children who insisted on being vaccinated.

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LOST—Sunday afternoon, a black spaniel pup, about three months old; white spot on breast. Finder will be rewarded on leaving him at 210 Queen street.

Crowds of these were taken into the nearest store and operated upon.

One thing is certain the board of health intends to pursue the present campaign most vigorously, and to leave no stone unturned in the efforts to vaccinate all who should be vaccinated.

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J. B. SNOWBALL.

Appointed Lieutenant Governor of New Brunswick.

OTTAWA, Jan. 28.—Senator Snowball has resigned his seat in the upper house preliminary to being appointed lieutenant governor of New Brunswick. Mr. Snowball will either be succeeded by Robert Thomson of St. John or F. P. Thompson of Fredericton, both family connections of Hon. A. G. Blair, minister of railways.

Str. Lord Osmonds left Liverpool Monday for St. John to load hay for South Africa.