

said I, 'and you support your family by destroying that man's. We'll see about this!'

"I went home thoroughly determined to devote my life thenceforth to suppressing the liquor traffic in the best way possible. The Maine law originated in that rumshop!"

And to-day, in life's moral warfare, he still battles on in the line of his convictions of duty. However men may differ from him in belief, it will be truly said of him, when the end shall have come, "He has fought a good fight; he has finished his course; he has kept the faith."

General Dow's home is in Portland, Me., where we trust he may live to enjoy several more birthday anniversaries, and witness the steady and growing advancement of the cause of prohibition which owes so much to his determined and untiring efforts.

A C R O S T I C.

MAY.

May, merry May again is here.
And all is happiness and cheer;
Yes, hear the warblers far and near.

MUSIC! MUSIC!!

We have received from Isaac Doles of Indianapolis, Ind., a very beautiful, musical composition, full sheet music size, 5 pages, entitled: "The Oddfellow's Grand March," also, "Jesus Lover of my Soul," beautifully arranged by Mr. Doles as a "quartette, with soprano, alto and tenor solos." This, also, is a lovely composition, the sentiments of this most popular hymn being most faithfully expressed in the air, to which the composer has added a delightful accompaniment. These exquisite original compositions, though of full sheet music size and published at 40 cents, can now be had, (*by way of introduction*) at the low figure of 10 cents per copy, by mentioning the QUEBEC GOOD TEMPLAR when remitting. Address as above.

Official.

FROM THE GRAND CHIEF TEMPLAR.

DEAR BROTHERS AND SISTERS:— You will be pleased to know that from reports received from various parts throughout our field, our Order is in a more prosperous condition than formerly. The official letter of our G. Sec., which has not yet come to hand, will doubtless contain some good news, as he and our G. S. of J. T. have been doing some good work. Others are also at work but have not yet reported. All the lodge reports in this issue are also encouraging.

You will also be pleased with the improved appearance of our official organ this month. This, together with all the various "combination" offers, and its own intrinsic value to every Good Templar, should secure it a place in the homes of all our members. It would be a pity, not to say a shame, for any to be without it. Make sure there is an Official Organ Canvasser in your lodge.

Also, let me again urge upon you to see that brief lodge reports be sent to your official organ frequently. From six to twelve short ones are better than two or three long ones, that would occupy fully as much space. Our space is limited and it is not desirable that correspondents should monopolize it, but the more items from the lodges the better so long as they are to the point.

We are just beginning another quarter, the last whole quarter in the G.L. year. How rapidly the year is passing! Make this quarter the best of all. Lose no time. Do something for the good of the Order. Let me have a lot of good news to spread before our readers next month.

As ever, yours faithfully,

JAMES LAWSON,

Compton, April 30th, 1892.

Strive to be unworldly.—Robertson.