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TOTAL ABSTINENCE SOCIETY.

The Annual Meeting of this Society, was held at the Town Hall on Monday evening, August 29. The President having opened the meeting, by stating the objects for which it had been called—the Secretary, then read the Annual Report, which was accepted. Mr. Charles Stevenson was then appointed Chairman, and the Society proceeded to the election of the following officers for the ensuing year, viz.

John E. Cummings, President.
Alex. T. Paul, Vice do.
Robert Stevenson, Secy do.
H. T. Ames, Secretary.
Capt. Jacob Pant, Treasurer.

Committee—Messrs. Charles Stevenson, John A. Young, James Stevenson, Walter Gilley, Thos. Gill.

The meeting was then addressed by the President, who returned thanks for the honor conferred on him.

It was then moved by Mr. T. Sime, jun. seconded by Capt. Paul, That the thanks of this meeting be given to Mr. Charles Stevenson, for his valuable services as President of this society, since its formation, unanimously agreed to.

On motion of Mr. C. Stevenson, seconded by Mr. J. A. Young, That the thanks of this meeting be given to Mr. A. T. Paul, for his services as Secretary of this society since its formation.

H. T. AMES,
Secretary.

Third Annual Report of the Total Abstinence Society.

The Committee of the Total Abstinence Society, feel obliged in presenting the Annual Report at this time, to acknowledge, that but little progress has been made by the Society during the past year, and they are impressed with the belief that unless more strenuous efforts are made in future, much of the good already effected in this Community and neighbourhood since the formation of the society, will be lost.

At the last annual meeting, the society consisted of three hundred and twenty members; now numbers four hundred and sixteen, being an increase of ninety-six names added to the pledge during the past year; this number is exclusive of those names which have been erased from the pledge for violation thereof.

The society have held eleven regular monthly meetings during the past year, and four special meetings; they have had two lectures from Mr. F. W. Kellogg, and three from Mr. Lewis F. Payson, both of whom are well known in this province as public Lecturers upon the Total Abstinence question.

Your Committee feel obliged to call the attention of the members, to the necessity which exists for a more regular attendance on their part at the public Temperance meetings, it being obvious that unless the officers are strengthened by the presence of the members, that they cannot successfully engage in the work of promoting the principles of the society.

Your committee having laboured under great disadvantages in carrying on the business of the society for want of funds, and finding the society now in debt, would recommend that some means be devised and adopted for procuring a fund, by which the successors of your committee will be the better enabled to fulfill the object for which they are chosen.

In order to show the progress which the Temperance movement has made in this Province since its first commencement, as proved by the decreased consumption of intoxicating liquors, the following statement is submitted, which your committee believe will be found correct on investigation.

In 1824 the population of the province was

1824	74,476
1834	119,457
1840	156,162

In 1834 there were imported into this Province, exclusive of ale & porter, liquors to the amount of £56,141 18s

on which the duty amounted to £3,624 11s added to which for casks 1,967 0

Amounting to £61,733 0

In 1846 at which time the population may reasonably be stated at 200,000 inhabitants, there were imported inclusive of ale & porter, liquors to the amount of including duty £13,791 0, showing a decrease of nearly fifty per cent in the quantity, while at the same time the increase of the population has been nearly seventy-five per cent.

Your committee hail with feelings of pleasure an event which has occurred since the last annual meeting of the society viz: the introduction into this province of the order of the Sons of Temperance, and they view this organization, as calculated to assist materially in carrying on the Temperance movement.

Your Committee are happy to state, that this institution is rapidly progressing throughout the Province, and now numbers over six hundred members. It has been announced, that a Convention of Delegates from the various Temperance Societies in this Province

will be held in the City of St. John, about the middle of the next month; this year's Committee consider an important movement, and one if correctly carried on, calculated to promote a feeling of union among, and strengthen on the hands of those engaged in the Total Abstinence movement throughout the Province; and they feel hopeful that your society will be awake to its own interest in reference to this matter.

Your committee, before closing this report, would reiterate the wish before expressed, that a more decided interest be taken by the members of the society, in contributing to make the monthly meetings of the society interesting; as it is impossible in the present state of the society's funds to obtain Lecturers, and the society must therefore depend mainly upon the exertions of its own members to render the subject of Temperance, one of interest and importance to the community.

Which is respectfully submitted.

ALEX. T. PAUL,
St. Andrews, Aug. 29, 1847. Secy.

THE POWER OF TRUTH.

How simple and beautiful has Abdell-Kadir of Chilon, impressed us with the love of truth in his childhood. After studying the vision which made him intrate of his mother to go to Bagdad, and devote himself to God, he thus proceeds:

I informed her of what I had seen, and she wept; then taking out eighty dinars, she told me I had a brother, half of that was all my inheritance; she made me swear, when she gave it to me, never to tell a lie, and afterwards made me farewell, exclaiming—

Go, my son, I consign thee to God; we shall not meet until the day of judgment.

I went on well, till I came near Hamand-nai, when our Kafilah, was plundered by sixty horsemen. One fellow asked me, what I had got?

Forty dinars, said I, are sewed under my garments.

The fellow laughed, thinking, no doubt, I was joking.

What have you got? said another.

I give him the same answer.

When they were dividing the spoil, I was called to an eminence, where the chief stood.

What property have you got, my little fellow, said he.

I have told two of your people already, I replied; I have forty dinars sewed in my garments!

He ordered them to be ripped open, and found my money.

And how came you, said he in surprise, to declare so openly, what had been so carefully concealed?

Because, I will not be false to my mother to whom I have promised I never will tell a lie.

Child, said the robber, hast thou such a sense of duty to thy mother at thy years, and am I insensible, at my age of the duty I owe my God? Give me thy hand, innocent boy, he continued, that I may swear repentance upon it.

He did so. His followers were all alike struck with the scene.

You have been our leader in guilt, said they to their chief; be the same in the path of virtue.

And they instantly, at his order, made restitution of their spoil, and vowed repentance on his hand.—(History of Persia.)

RANDOM READINGS—STALE AND FRESH.

When is sugar like a pig's eye? Give it up?

When is it in a hog's head?

An editor out West heads his list of marriages with "nose items"—another calls them "feats of the ring."

A clock or a watch is said to have the least self-esteem of any article of manufacture—as it is continually running itself down.

The herring dies as soon as it is taken out of the water; hence the proverb "as dead as a herring."

Some of the bachelors in the Ohio legislature are for a tax on the lustiest!

We never knew a bachelor yet that hadn't something to say against the ladies behind his back.

An adjutant of a volunteer corps being doubtful, whether he had distributed muskets to all his men, said—All you that are with out arms hold up your hands.

Ton said a girl, to her sweetheart, you have been paying your distresses to me long enough.—It is time you were making known your contentions, so as not to keep me in expense any longer.

The "Medical Times" says—Phosphate of Soda may be used as a condiment in soup in the place of common salt. Children may be unconsciously beguiled into the taking of medicine in this way, and it will be found an excellent purgative.

PARAPHRASE.—The late popular melody of "Dance, boatman, dance—dance all night till broad day light and go home with the girl in the morning," is thus rendered into prose:

"Mingle in the mazes of the dance, thou knight of the car, while the resplendent luminary of the day has withdrawn his light from the earth, till bright Aurora glows in the

eastern sky with golden light, and then with thy characteristic gallantry accompany the fair and unsophisticated participants of thy pleasures to their paternal mansions."

European Intelligence.

LIVERPOOL, August 19.

TIMBER.—Since our printed circular of the 31st ult., the arrivals of Scotland Wood have been considerable, contributing to a less the previous comparative deficiency; still, however, judging from the last advices from Canada, dated the 27th ult., there seems no reason to expect that such deficiency will be made up during this autumn, especially as it appears an unusual portion of the tonnage to be despatched from thence will be occupied with articles of food. This wood that has arrived from British America since the 1st February to this date, has occupied 51,545 tons; same time last year, 64,039 tons; same time year before that, 89,556 tons. The demand for most descriptions of wood has of late improved, and an upward tendency in prices has been manifest; but this course has been checked by a pressing desire on the part of some holders to realise sales at shorter credits than usual, caused by diminished confidence, and by the unexampled cost of converting long-wooded bills into cash; nor can much relief in this respect be looked for until a good harvest be secured, which requires now to full progress towards a speedy and favourable issue.

At the commencement of the month, St. John's cargo of 19 inches average has been sold on the quay at 17d per foot, and yesterday two yarded cargoes, one of 201 inches average, at 19d per foot, and the other 20 inches, at 19d per foot. Quebec cargoes have been taken pretty freely at 15d to 15d per foot for Yellow Pine, 23d to 23d per foot for Red, 23d to 23d per foot for Oak, 19d to 20d per foot for Elm, and £8 to £8 10s for broken stowage Deals. Spruce Planks have been coming forward rather freely, and have secured a slight decline in price. St. Stephen's cargoes early in the month brought 24d per foot, with an abatement for 7 inches and under, but late sales have been effected at 23d per foot. A St. John's cargo, of dimension sizes, brought rather over 22d per foot by auction, and another cargo by private sale at 24d per foot. Nova Scotia cargoes have realised 21d per foot, and several parcels of Birch have been sold at 14d up to 16d per foot, according to size and quality.

IRELAND.

The position and prospects of Ireland are we rejoice to say, beginning to bear a more encouraging and brighter aspect. The anticipation of a good harvest, and the reduced prices at which all descriptions of provisions can be procured, have caused the Poor-law authorities to dispense with the system of out-door relief which they had adopted for some time past. A circular to that effect has been issued by the Relief Commissioners, dated August 6.

The elections have nearly terminated, and left the two great political parties in a position similar to what they were before the dissolution of the Parliament. It is true that the Repealers have wrested some few seats from the Liberal party, but they do not seem to any extent the number of Irish members favorable to the ministry of Lord John Russell. Among the most fiercely contested of the Irish elections was that of the University of Dublin. There were four Conservative candidates. The chief object of that portion of the electors who approved of the contest was to "upset" one of the late members, the Right Honourable F. Shaw, Recorder of Dublin.

Emboldened by the recent successes of their body at the various borough and county elections, the Repealers are more active and determined in the agitation of their favoured project than for many months past. The funds of the Association are being recruited by pretty extensive subscriptions and contributions. There have been two meetings at Conciliation Hall since the 4th, namely, on the 9th and 16th instant. At each of these Messrs. John and Maurice O'Connell were speakers. Mr. John Reynolds, the newly-elected Repeal member for Dublin, has addressed the meeting on both days in lengthy speeches, in which he promises to use every exertion, both in Parliament and out of it, for the benefit of "Old Ireland." The rent for the week ending August 16 amounted to about £120.

The "Grain-Quiver."—This new steamer, built at Liverpool, and intended to run as a coasting vessel at Calla, left this port on the 14th instant, under the command of Captain Phisken, with the following passengers:—Mr. Sittling, Mr. Murray, Mr. McKenzie, Mr. Mowat, Mr. Brodie, Mr. Blount, Mr. Anthony, Mr. Mercer, Mr. Dunlop, Lieutenant Peckell, Mr. Draper, Mr. Draper, junior, Captain Robinson, Mr. Watson, Mrs. Duncombe, nurse, and two servants, Mr. Ewart, wife, servant, and two children, Dr. Carson, Miss Harbottle, and Mr. Charles F. Shaw. We publish an edition of the EUROPEAN TIMES expressly for her departure, adapted for our subscribers at New York and the Southern

States, expecting that the steamer would probably reach New York in advance of the Caledonia, having a five days' start.

"Don't put too much confidence in a lover's vows and sighs," said our Mrs. Partington to her niece; "let him tell you that you have lips like strawberries and cream, cheeks like a carnation, and an eye like an anemone, but such things often come from a tender head than a tender heart."

COMMERCIAL.

Since the commencement of the month, the pressure of the Money market has been so severe as to depress many branches of our commercial industry. In the Corn market its effects, combined with the certainty of an abundant harvest, has been very disastrous. Houses of long standing and great respectability have been compelled to yield to its influence. Money still continues at a high rate; and it will be some little time before commercial affairs can flow within their accustomed channels. In some branches of commerce, however, great activity prevails, and a considerable fall trade is yet anticipated.

The failures in the Corn markets of London, Liverpool, and Sligo, and other places, together with very large arrivals of foreign grain, have produced a complete paralysis of business, and the dealers only supply themselves for their immediate wants. The markets have accordingly again declined, and the highest price of the best description of Wheat in London, cannot be quoted more than 67s. to 68s. per qr., and the best American Flour has fallen in Liverpool to 26s. per bbl. Much lower rates for best Western Canal Flour is reported, with very low quotations for Indian Meal, but no real transactions have taken place, and we only allude to them as indicating the downward tendency of the market. The arrivals of foreign Wheat and Flour are still enormous, and during the next three months, as the abundant new produce of the continent becomes available, will doubtless continue.

The Cotton market since our last issue has been rather inactive—sometimes dull and heavy.

The Timber trade has become more active, and the general tendency of prices during the course of the present month has been an advancing one. The sales going forward are to moderate extent. Were it not for the present state of bank accommodation more extensive sales would be made, and prices take a still higher range.

The Iron trade continues in the most healthy and prosperous condition.

The state of the Wool trade is improved since the sailing of the Cambria.

The state of trade in the manufacturing districts has not been so buoyant during the present month as when the last outward steamer sailed.

In Freight, a material falling off in the export of dry goods has been in some degree compensated by increased shipments of iron and earthenware, which have been abundant, especially to New York and Boston, so that vessels have been loaded easily, though rates continue low. Passengers have offered freely for New York.

AN ENGLISH HEIRESS.

A novel elopement has amused not only the saloons of the London aristocracy, but all the gossip in the neighbourhood of Bath. Some time ago, a citizen of Bath, distinguished by his eccentricities, and his large fortune, died leaving but one inheritor of his immense property—a little niece, endowed with all the gifts of nature, but in eccentricity rivaling her deceased uncle. In a watery place like Bath; the heiress soon became the point of attraction for many English Peers, involved in debt, and for many heroes on half-pay, who hid their vows of eternal fidelity at her feet. Like Miss Angelina Burdet Coutts, the unfortunate young lady was so encompassed by a circle of admirers, in debt, and titled, that her existence became a torment to her. Last month, at the moment when the best informed persons talked knowingly of the success of a young and noble peer, they learned the disappearance of the beautiful heiress from the house of her guardian. After an active search, they discovered that the belle had been married to one of the journey-men of the noble peer's tailors!—(Courier Letters Units.)

They have some expert thieves in Missouri, if we are to believe the St. Louis American, which states that a man lately carried a saw-log to a mill, that it might be cut into boards. The mill was engaged for that day, and the owner would not ensure the safety of the log until the next morning, unless the customer would sit astride of it to watch it all night. The man agreed to do so, but fell into a slight doze sometime in the night, which the thieves took advantage of, and stole away the wood of the log without suspicion, and left the man astride of the bark!

A SINGULAR FACT.—A good lady, who had two children sick with the measles, went to a friend for the best remedy: the friend had just received a note from another lady requir-

ing the way to make pickles. In the confusion the lady who inquired about the pickles received the remedy for the measles while the anxious mother of the sick children read with horror the following:—"Scald them three or four times in very hot vinegar, and sprinkle them well with salt, and in a few days they will be cured."

POETRY.

THE TILLER OF THE SOIL.

A hardy, sunburnt man is he,
A hardy, sunburnt man;
No sturdier man you'll ever see,
Though all the world you scan.
In summer's heat, in winter's cold,
You'll find him at his toil—
Oh, far above the knights of old,
Is the tiller of the soil.

No weighty bars secure his door,
No ditch is dug around;
His walls no cannon bristle o'er,
No dead lie on his ground.
A peaceful laborer is he,
Unknown in earth's turmoil—
From many crushing sorrows free,
Is the tiller of the soil!

His stacks are seen on every side,
His barns are filled with grain;
Though others hail no fortune's tide,
He labors not in vain.
The land gives up its rich increase,
The sweet reward of toil,
And blest with happiness and peace,
Is the tiller of the soil!

He trudges out at break of day,
And takes his way aching;
And as he turns the yielding clay,
He sings a joyful song.
He is no dull, unhappy wight,
Bound in misfortune's coil;
The smile is bright, the heart is light,
Of the tiller of the soil!

And when the orb of day has crown'd,
With gold the western sky,
Before his dwelling he is found,
With cheerful faces by—
With little laughing duplicates,
Careless will not spoil;
Oh! joy at every side awaits
The tiller of the soil!

A hardy, sunburnt man is he,
A hardy sunburnt man;
But who can boast a hand so free,
As he, the tiller, can?
Nor summer's heat, nor winter's cold,
The power has him to foil—
Oh, far above the knights of old,
Is the tiller of the soil!

WE learn from the "Observer," that the aforementioned Clergymen have been appointed to the seven Deaneries, into which the Bishop of Exeter has recently divided the Diocese:—
The Venerable Archbishop Cozier, Frederickton.
The Rev. I. W. De Grey, D. D., St. John.
The Rev. Jerome Alley, D. D., St. Andrews.
The Rev. W. E. Scovell, A. M., Kingston.
The Rev. S. D. L. Street, A. B., Weststock.
The Rev. George S. Jarvis, D. D., Shediac.
The Rev. Samuel Bacon, A. B., Miramichi.

We understand, also, (says the Observer,) that the admirable Charge delivered by his Lordship to the Clergy, at the late Visitation, is immediately to be published, by the unanimous request of the Clergy, and at their expense. Forty-three Clergymen were present at the Visitation.

Our plain, monarchy-hating neighbours in the "model Republic" have been amusing themselves with Fancy Balls; thus striving to ape the fashion of the old European aristocracy. The costumes worn at these exhibitions are described with wonderful minuteness in the public journals, and several amusing incidents are related.

An aspiring city clerk, anxious to attract attention, dressed himself and flourished as "Abellino, or the Great Bandit." A gentleman accosted him, cautioned him to beware of the "Doge of Venice." "Who is he?" asked the modern Abellino.

At another Fancy Ball two ladies appeared, one as Queen Elizabeth, the other as Mary Queen of Scots. Though history records the personified enmity of these rival rulers, the personifiers walked arm and arm together all the evening, aiming to carry out and demonstrate their intimate acquaintance with their assumed characters.

Such are the absurdities occasionally exhibited at Fancy Balls.

JENNY LIND.—Just before the departure of the Queen for Scotland, Miss Jenny Lind, Mrs. Anderson, and Signor Labianche had the honour of attending at Osborne on the evening of Tuesday week. Miss Jenny Lind and Signor Labianche sang several airs and duets, accompanied on the piano-forte by Mrs. Anderson.

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