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THE ADVANCE.

A. R. Fawcett, — Editor.

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"TEMPERANCE V. INTEMPERANCE."

As we expressed our views pretty clearly, in a former editorial in reply to "Temperance," we do not know that we are justified in pursuing the subject any further until our friend informs us—as he has promised to do—in what manner the drunkard should be dealt with. We might however refer to one or two things mentioned in his last letter.

In the first place "Temperance" claimed, that we evaded any direct reference to the wine made by our Saviour at the marriage feast at Cana. This is scarcely correct, but as Temperance misplaced the copy of THE ADVANCE containing the editorial in reply to his letter, we may safely put it down as an oversight. Temperance claims that wine is not wine until it has been fermented. We do not dispute this statement because our acquaintance with liquor of any sort is so limited that we do not believe we could distinguish wine from whiskey, or lager beer from gin. Wine is made, we are told, from the pure juice of the grape; but the wine made by our Saviour, was made from *pure water*. The same power that could change *water* into *wine* could surely make it *non-intoxicating*. At any rate we are not told that there were any *drunken* men at that marriage feast. We might also remark, that it is *claimed* that non-intoxicating wine is really made at the present time from the pure juice of the grape for sacramental purposes.

Whether wine drinking is upheld by the Scriptures or not, however, common sense teaches us that it is one of the greatest evils we have to deal with in this nineteenth century. We see its baneful effects everywhere. True we can point to scores of upright and intelligent men who use it every day of their lives—men who stand high in the estimation of their fellow men; but they are, and always have been, and possibly always will be, *moderate* drinkers. But then look at the other side of the picture, and what want, misery and wretchedness is depicted *there!* How will we deal with this latter class? Now, then, "Temperance," we are anxious to hear your views on this question.

Executors Sale of Valuable Farm in Artemesia.

At Munshaws Hotel, Flesherton, on Tuesday, Oct. 21st, at 3 o'clock p. m., by A. S. Vandusen, Auctioneer, one of the most valuable fifty acre farms in Artemesia. Terms reasonable. For further information see posters.

Wife—What's the matter now, John?
Husband—Oh, that neuralgia and toothache near kills me.
Wife—Why don't you go to Richardson's Drug Store and get a bottle of Fluid Lightning? You know it cures all such things as Toothache, Neuralgia, Headache, Lumbago, Earache, Sore Throat, etc. It gives instant relief.

Artemesia Show!

One of the most successful fall exhibitions ever held by the Township of Artemesia Agricultural Society, came off in the village of Priceville on Tuesday last, the 7th inst. The weather was all that could have been desired. In this respect our Township has been very fortunate for a number of years in succession. The attendance was large, and the exhibits numerous and good; thus showing that the interest in our Township has not abated one jot, but rather seems inclined to increase as each year rolls around. The fact that none but residents of the Township are allowed to exhibit—and whatever they show must be there own product or manufacture—has had the effect to render the competition in the various departments much keener than it otherwise would have been. The prizes given by this Society, too, range higher than those given at the majority of Township fairs in this County.

The display of sheep was unusually large and good, Messrs. Swanton, Jas. Stewart, and Geo. Stewart being the principal exhibitors. The show of cattle was very fair. In swine the display was small but first-class, Mr. Geo. Swanton exhibiting two very fine pedigreed Berkshire pigs, purchased from the famous Canadian stock raisers, Messrs. J. C. Snell & Bros. In horses the exhibit was excellent, the speeding in the ring forming a very important feature of the show. In poultry the display was large, varied, and excellent. All the outside exhibits, except the last named, were shown on the School grounds.

The inside exhibits, which were shown in Watson & Sons handsome new brick carriage shop, were remarkably fine in every department. The roots were fair, but scarcely up to the standard of former years in some respects. The large squashes and pumpkins formed quite an attraction, while the cabbages, beets and mangolds were equal if not superior to those shown at our County fair. There were some very fine samples of barley, oats, peas and wheat shown. The display of fruit was good. In this department Mr. R. H. Plantt, of Eugenia, showed some beautiful and luscious plums. The display of bread, butter and honey was good. The ladies' work department was so well represented, that to attempt to enumerate the many fine articles shown would take up much more space than is at our disposal this week. Next week we will publish the prize list, which we are unable to do this week owing to the crowded state of our columns. In the meantime we might take the opportunity of congratulating the directors on the success which has attended their well-directed efforts.

Special mention of articles exhibited, &c., will be found in the following

NOTES.

The directors, judges and friends had dinner at the well kept Atkinson hotel. The spread reflected great credit upon the culinary abilities of the hostess.

Mr. Geo. Swanton exhibited a very fine pen of sheep, for which he was awarded the special prize given by Mr. W. J. Dennis, of the Crown Hotel, Priceville. Mr. Swanton also exhibited two very fine pedigreed Berkshire pigs, to which we have already referred. He deserves great credit for the expense and trouble he has been at in introducing thoroughbred stock into the Township.

Mr. John McLean exhibited a yoke of well-matched oxen which attracted much notice. They were once owned by our citizen, Mr. Peter Holman.

McFarlane, of Durham, showed some very fine buggies and democrats.

Mr. J. H. Heard, of Flesherton, was to the fore with his well got up, well painted lumber waggon; while his son, Mr. J. A. Heard, had a good exhibit of hand made horse-shoes.

There were no less than four newspaper men on the grounds during the day,, viz., Townsend, of the *Grey Review;* Jenkins, of the *Chronicle;* Rutledge, of the *Standard;* and Fawcett, of THE ADVANCE. The famous old ex-journalist, Mr. S. L. M. Luke, was also present.

Mr. W. H. Johnston's fine young Clear Grit stallion, "Young St. James," attracted much notice.

The speeding in the horse ring by the lady drivers was an interesting and somewhat exciting feature as well. Miss Jessie Black carried off the first prize, although the young woman who drove Mr. R. H. Cook's spanking young horse, made things quite lively enough for her successful rival.

Mr. John Bentham's well matched span of horses were awarded first prize in the class in which they were shown.

Mr. R. H. Plantt, Eugenia, was a very successful exhibitor, carrying off no less than six first prizes.

The harness shown by Mr. J. Gordon, Flesherton, would have done credit to a city exhibit.

Mr. J. Brodie showed an unusually large variety of beans, which were the wonder of all who saw them. In potatoes, as in beans, he carried off first prize.

THE ADVANCE'S special prizes for bread were carried off by Mrs. David Harrow and Mrs. Henry Matthewson respectively. The latter lady made a present of the bread shown by her to ye editor of ye ADVANCE.

There was really an excellent display of hand made horse-shoes. Mr. McLean, blacksmith, Priceville, carried off first prize. Mr. Reilly, of the same village, and Mr. J. A. Heard of Flesherton, were the other competitors. Mr. Reilly thought he didn't get fair play, and talked of challenging his successful rival—to the tune of $50—to a competition, with Toronto men as judges.

Mr. T. A. Conkey showed several very fine pairs of boots and shoes. The maple leaves neatly wrought into the tops of one of the pairs were very fine specimens of workmanship, and elicted much favorable comment. He took two first prizes.

Mr. Jas. Stewart was probably the most successful exhibitor at the show. In grain he made seven entries and carried off six first prizes, three of them being for wheat, two for oats and one for peas. In sheep he carried off three first and two second prizes. He also was awarded first prize for the fine team of horses shown by him.

The mats, &c., in raised Berlin wool work, exhibited by Mrs. Geo. Tryon, was a centre of attraction in the hall.

The netting in cotton exhibited by Miss Mary Currie was equal to anything shown in the same department at our county show. Miss Currie's work was very creditable indeed.

It was generally conceded that Mr. R. H. Cook should have been awarded first prize for single driver, as for style and speed he excelled all his competitors. He was awarded second on the ground that his horse was lacking in one point, viz., breed. We were not aware, however, that the *breed* of the horses was to be taken into consideration.

Our noted jewelry man, Mr. Jas. G. Russell, had a very fine display of jewelry, watches, &c., in the shop near the post-office. He was well patronized, many of those making purchases of jewelry expressing their surprise at the quality and cheapness of the goods offered for sale. A large number of watches were left with him for repairs.

Prize list next week.

The growing popularity of the Scott Act is to be attributed partly to the general increase in temperance sentiment, especially of that enlightened temperance sentiment that recognizes the folly and wrongfulness of licensing an evil, partly to a better knowledge of the Act and a consequent appreciation of the soundness of its principles and the excellence of its provisions; but it is to an even greater extent due to the success that has attended the working of the Act. Canadians are an eminently practical people, and the satisfactory experience and emphatic verdict of counties like Halton will go further towards producing conviction that so far every repeal agitation has been a failure, and that since the Scott Act was declared constitutional by the British Privy Council it has not been defeated in a single contest.—[Canada Citizen.

"Bummer's Roost."

To the Editor of The Advance.

Sir,—I think the young men who congregate every evening on the corn'r of Sydenham and Darham Streets, insulting passers by with their coarse jests and filthy streams of tobacco juice, might be better employed. After a while people—and especially ladies—will be obliged to take the middle of the street to avoid the nuisance. I understand this corner has for some years been frequented by tobacco chewing and profane youths. Cannot the nuisance be abated in some manner?

DECENCY.

A STRONG ENDORSEMENT.—The Clergy, the Medical Faculty, the Press and the People all endorse Burdock Blood Bitters as the best system renovating blood purifying tonic known. Its work bears out their best recommend.

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