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W. C. T. U.

A Stirring Appeal

A trade which flourishes upon the ruin of its supporters; which derives its revenues from the plunder of homes from the defrauding of helpless childhood and from the degradation of manhood; which requires for its prosperity the injury of the community; which ministers to every vile and vicious passion and propensity, which makes drunkards and thieves and embezzlers and gamblers and wife-beaters and murderers; which brutalizes and degrades all who are brought in contact with it, cannot claim the respect and assuredly ought not to be able to claim the encouragement of the community.
N Y Tribune.

Shall it longer reign in triumph,
Longer wear its tyrant crown?
Shall it firmer draw its fetters,
Firmer bind the nation down?
Shall this grand young country longer
Bow and trouble beath its frown

No! let every heart re-echo:
Rouse, ye gallant men and true!
Rouse, ye broken-hearted mothers!
See, the night is almost through,
Rouse ye, every man and woman—
God is calling now for you.
M Florence Mosher.

The inhabitants of a thriving town having assembled, as was their custom to decide what number of any of liquor licenses the town should petition for, there was a very full attendance. One of the magistrates presided and upon the platform were seated among others the pastor of the village, one of his deacons, and the physician.

After the meeting had been called to order, one of the most respectable citizens rose, and after a short speech moved that the meeting petition for the ensuing year. He thought it was not best to get up an excitement by refusing to grant licenses. They had better license good men and let them sell. The proposition seemed to meet with almost universal favor. The president was about to put the question to the meeting, when an object rose in a distant part of the building, and all eyes were instantly turned in that direction.

It was an old woman, poorly clad, and whose care-worn countenance was the painful index to no light sufferings yet there was something in the flash of her bright eye that told that she had once been what she then was not. She addressed the president, and said she had come because she had heard that they were to decide the license question

"You" said she, "all know who I am You once knew me mistress of one of the best estates in this borough. I once had a husband and five sons; and, woman never had a kinder husband, mother never had five better or more affectionate children. But where are they now? Doctor, I ask where are they now?

"In yonder burying ground there are six graves, filled by that husband and those five sons, and oh! they are all drunkards' graves.

"Doctor, how came they to be drunkards? You would come and drink with them, and you told them that temperate drinking would do them no harm.

"And you too, Sir, addressing the parson, would come and drink with my husband, and my sons thought they might drink with safety, and follow your religious example.

"Deacon, you sold them rum, which made them drunkards. You have now got my farm and all my property, and you got it all by the drink.

"Now," she said, "I have done my errand. I go back to the poor-house, for that is my home. You, Rev Sir—you, doctor, and you, deacon, I shall never meet again until I meet you at the bar of God, where you, too, will meet my ruined husband and those five sons, who, through your means and influence, fill the drunkards' graves."

The old woman sat down. Perfect silence prevailed, until broken by the president, who rose to put the question to the meeting. "Shall we petition the court to issue licenses for the ensuing year?" Then the unbroken "No!" which made the very walls re-echo told the result of the old woman's appeal.

Dear reader, your judgment and conscience endorse that decision. You too would have shouted "No!" with all the energy and determination you possess. Will you not resolve to-day, that with God's help, you will always be found in active opposition to the cruel and ruinous traffic that blights so many lives and breaks so many hearts.

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A NEW TEXT-BOOK ON THE SUBJECT FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL

The important part which agriculture plays in the economic history of Canada is recognized by everyone who has made a study of our great natural resources. But, if we would make sure, agriculture is destined to be a much more important part in the country's development in the future than it has ever been in the past. Our reason for this assertion is that more attention will be paid to the teaching of agriculture in the public schools than has been the case even in recent years. To develop our agricultural recourses this country needs farmers, and needs the very best class of farmers that can be had and where can these be had better than in educating the young people on farms toward making farming their life work. To do this we must begin at the public school and endeavor to instil into the minds of the pupils a love for the farm and a liking for the farmer's calling. It is therefore with pleasure that we welcome into the educational arena of this province a new book on agriculture for use in the public schools. As this book is now being placed upon the market a short review of the work will be quite opportune at this juncture.

Early in 1897 the Minister of Education instructed Mr. J. James, M.A., Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Ontario, to prepare a work on agriculture in the public schools of the province. The book is being published by Geo. M Morang, of this city. It consists of 200 pages, and is uniform with the other public school text-books, the price being fixed by the Department of Education at 25 cts. The aim has been to fairly cover all the branches of agriculture and to put the matter in a simple and attractive form. The work is divided into six parts as follows: Part I, The Plant; II, The Soil; III, The Crops of the Field; IV, The Garden, Orchard and Vineyard; V, Live Stock and Dairying. VI, Miscellaneous. To show how careful the author has been to cover all the branches of agriculture the Chapters of Part VI are here given: Beekeeping, Roads, and the Farm Home.

The aim or purpose of the book is to give the simple principles of the science of agriculture, and to show their bearing upon the art and practice of agriculture. For instance, it does not pretend to instruct how to plow or to drain a field, but explains the principles underlying their operation, pointing out the benefits, stating the reasons for the work or giving the reasons why it is done. It would not be possible, nor would it be advisable, to go very exhaustively into the subject of agricultural science, but it is attempt to interest the student or reader in the important work of the farm. The various chapters have been well illustrated, and the general make-up of the book is attractive. The student will learn a little botany, a little geology, a little entomology, a little chemistry, a little bacteriology, and the importance of these sciences to agriculture. There is nothing in the book beyond the comprehension of the senior pupils of our public schools, and there is nothing to be taught that will offend the taste of the most fastidious of our teachers, male or female.

We have said that the book aims at making a beginning in the study, it is by no means exhaustive. It is rather suggestive and written to arouse the curiosity and the spirit of enquiry. Here and there are scattered short simple questions, the answers to which can be got by observation or by questioning the older members of the family. Such a chapter for instance as that on "Horses" gives a few important points in connection with the general form of the animal, the relation of its small stomach to its feeding and the importance of the food. A few questions bring out the important points. A chapter on "Roads" and "Forestry" contain subjects boiled down to their simplest first principles.

The book is not intended for pupils alone, it is written also for farmers of the older class and we would like to see a copy in every home in Ontario. As for its being taught in the public schools, the matter is now in the hands of the farmers themselves.

Any board of trustees may pass a resolution requesting the subject to be taught and the teacher is thereby required to use this book in the regular work of the school. The trustees of our rural school sections should take action at once and order the introduction of this book into the schools over which they have control. The work is entitled Agriculture by C C James, M A. Geo N Morang, Toronto, Publisher. Price 25 cents.—[Farming.

Digestion of Food

The following table shows the time, in hours and minutes, required for the digestion of the more common articles of food:—

Kind of Food.	Hrs	Min
Rice, boiled	1	—
Eggs, whipped	1	30
Trout, fresh, fried	1	30
Soup, barley, boiled	1	30
Apples, sweet, raw	1	30
Venison steak, broiled	1	30
Sago, boiled	1	45
Tapioca, boiled	2	—
Barley, boiled	2	—
Milk, boiled	2	—
Liver, beef, broiled	2	—
Eggs, fresh, raw	2	—
Apples, sour, raw	2	—
Cabbage, raw	2	—
Milk	2	15
Eggs, roasted	2	15
Goose, roasted	2	30
Turkey, roasted	2	30
Cake, sponge, baked	2	30
Hash, warmed	2	30
Beans, pod, boiled	2	30
Parsnips, boiled	2	30
Custard, baked	2	50
Oysters, raw	2	55
Eggs, soft-boiled	3	—
Beefsteak, broiled	3	—
Mutton, broiled	3	—
Mutton, boiled	3	—
Soup, bean, boiled	3	—
Chicken, soup, boiled	3	—
Pork, salt, boiled	3	15
Mutton, roasted	3	15
Bread, corn, baked	3	15
Carrot, boiled	3	15
Sausage, broiled	3	20
Oysters, stewed	3	20
Oysters, stewed (according to Beaumont)	3	30
Cheese, old	3	30
Bread, fresh baked	3	30
Turnips, flat, boiled	3	30
Potatoes, Irish, boiled	3	30
Eggs, hard-boiled	3	30
Green corn, boiled	3	45
Beans and beets, boiled	3	45
Salmon, salted, boiled	4	—
Veal, fresh, fried	4	30
Cabbage, boiled	4	30
Suet, beef, boiled	5	30

A Golden Opportunity

To the Editor of the Standard.

We are face to face with an opportunity the magnitude of which I fear many of us fail to realize. The liquor traffic we acknowledge to be an unmitigated evil—"the nation's curse"—and that untold blessings would result from its overthrow. Are we then awake to the solemnity of the interests involved in the coming plebiscite vote?

The 29th is near—a door will then be opened to the electors of Canada who wish to see their country delivered, to express themselves. Let us enter that door in the name of God and home and native land.

Some are feeling discouraged as they read what is being written by those who are interested in the traffic, and by a few misguided men who fail to see that they array themselves on the side of the liquor men. But "none of these things move me," "faith mighty faith the promise sees."

Do you ask, what promise? See Matt 15: 13, "Every plant which my heavenly Father hath not planted shall be rooted up." And I know God did not plant the liquor traffic. Take encouragement from the words of the heroic Deborah to the somewhat doubtful Barak concerning Israel's oppressor: "Up, for this is the day in which the Lord hath delivered Sisera into thine hand; is not the Lord gone out before thee?" Pay no attention to what is said about the revenue, etc. In 1884 Hon Geo E Foster thus wrote: —"The cost of liquors for one year exceeds the whole revenue of the Dominion of Canada. The cost per head has been fully twice as much as the total cost per head of all our customs duties since Confederation. The total amount spent in the fifteen years above tabulated (from 1868 to 1882) aggregates, without counting interest, nearly $500,000,000. This would have defrayed all our cost of government, built our railways and left us without the shadow of a national debt."

The cry is raised, "even if the plebiscite carries, the Government will not give the law." Who are they who say so? And what has that to do with the question? Our duty is to express ourselves on the 29th that, those in power will feel that they must either act or retire. Hon S Fisher, a strong man in the Government, said a short time ago, when addressing a prohibition convention, "If you gain the plebiscite the liquor trade will be crushed." "Have faith in God."

Sound the battle-cry; see! the foe is nigh;
Raise the standard high for the right;
Gird your armour on, stand firm every one,
Rest your cause upon his holy Word.

A word to those who have no votes, and especially to our women. You may think the little you can do won't count, but it will. You know "Abraham believed God, and *it was counted.*" Prayer is a mighty lever, use it. Oh, ye sisters of the W C T U, remember your organization originated in—was born of—prayer. Are you using this weapon to the full? Think of the sorrow-stricken hearts of wives and mothers. Listen to their wailing as they cry "O Lord! How long? how long?" Get together and pray—pray that the voters may be stirred up to come out to vote—and work to get them out.

To one and all we would say, in the language of a deeply interested White Ribboner:—

The war is on! the day is here!
Without the sound of gun, or sight of blood,
The battle must be won.

Then stand in your rank,
The cause must advance;
The sword of Truth draw, and the ballot-box lance.

J. GREENE.

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Many men understand this, and make every effort to cure it, but it is beyond the reach of ordinary practice.

No self-respecting man can ignore catarrh. If he has it in any form he makes constant effort to be rid of it.

There is something about the manner of life and the climate of Canada that seems to breed diseases of the mucous membrane. Medical science ordinarily doesn't try to cure catarrh; it "relieves" it; but Dr. Chase has been curing catarrh for over thirty years, and his name is blessed by thousands who have shaken off the grasp of this insidious disease.

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CANADA'S DAIRY.

The Number and Output of Our Creameries and Cheese Factories.

Returns compiled by Mr. George Johnson show that there are in Canada 559 creameries, 2,550 cheese factories and 203 factories producing both butter and cheese. The census of 1871 showed that there were in the Dominion then 353 cheese factories. The census of 1884 gave 709 cheese factories, that of 1891 gave 1,565, and the returns of 1897-98 show that including the 203, there are 2,759 factories producing cheese. Comparing 1897 with 1871 the return of the number of factories does not show all the development there has been. The average output of 1891 was valued at $6,250 per factory, and in 1871 it was $4,570. The average value per factory for 1897-98 Mr. Johnson estimates at $5,770, or about $1,000 more than in 1871, but $680 less than in 1891, giving an output in 1897 of about $15,809,000, against an output in 1891 of $9,780,000; in 1884, of $5,460,000, and in 1871 of $1,616,000. In 1871 the Dominion had no creameries for the manufacture of butter. It was all home-made. By 1881 there were 6 creameries in the Dominion, all but one in Ontario and Quebec. By 1891 these had increased to 170, and by 1898 there were 559 creameries. In 1891 the output per factory was $5,400. At the same rate the output in 1897-98 would be about $3,000,000, an increase of over $2,000,000 since 1891. Nova Scotia has increased the number of its creameries and cheese factories from 10 to 56; Ontario from 638 to 1,317; Prince Edward Island, from 4 to 35; Manitoba, from 31 to 66; the Northwest Territories, from 7 to 32, and British Columbia, from 1 to 4.

Don'ts for the Bathing Season.

Captain Davis Dalton, official instructor of N Y. State life saving corps, gives the following advice as to bathing:

Don't go in swimming if you are tired out bicycle riding or with a long walk.

Don't go out farther than a depth equal to your own height if you are liable to heart failure.

Don't swim away from the crowd if you are not certain you are an adept swimmer.

Don't stay in the water a minute after you have become fatigued or chilled.

Don't let your friends dare you to swim much farther than you have swum before.

Don't attempt to rescue another person from drowning unless you are a good swimmer yourself.

Don't feel that your duty demands that you plunge in after every person who is liable to be drowned; remember that a drowning man is a lunatic generally and is liable to drag you to your own death unless you are capable of floating with a heavy load under all circumstances.

Don't plunge into the water to save a drowning person without first shouting for help.

Don't lose your equilibrium because a fellow-swimmer is in danger of drowning; confused heads cause more drownings than inability to swim.

Don't throw yourself into the water to rescue another if a rope or boat is within reasonable reach.

Don't lose your courage or your head if you happen to find yourself too far out to swim back yourself; simply turn on your back, place your hands under your back, paddle with your feet, and above all, breathe naturally. Don't yell as a man in danger of drowning. The best swimmer will drown if subjected to any sudden fright.

Don't get frightened if you have a cramp, a cramp always comes to an arm or a leg, so simply raise the cramped part out of the water, float easily and rub the cramped part for a few moments, when you will be all right again. Don't stand on the bank after a swim until you have had yourself dried off with a towel.

Don't go in swimming within three hours after eating. Don't push another person into the water with the foolish but popular notion that you can thus teach him to swim; the best way is to let a person first get accustomed to going in the water, gradually going a little deeper.

Don't come in front of a drowning person to rescue him; approach him from the rear and grasp him by both biceps, and the more he struggles the more aid does he unknowingly give you to help him ashore.

Gratitude in Women.

Are feelings of gratitude absent in women? That clever gentleman who does the Private Diary in Cornhill is not quite satisfied upon the subject. This is his way of putting it: "As gratitude depends upon discrimination, it may well be that women, having less discrimination than men, are less grateful. The doctor told me 'intermittent heart' is a not uncommon female ailment." To sugar the pill, however, the Diarist says: "In defense of the maligned sex I should like to record a case of gratitude in a woman that left me a little mournful. I had spent Charlotte a book for her birthday last autumn, and at breakfast to-day she said: 'Oh, thank you for that delightful book you sent me!' 'Oh,' I said, 'what was it?' 'Dear me,' said Charlotte, 'I have quite forgotten.'"

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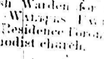

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