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The Liberal.

RICHMOND HILL, Thursday, Nov. 3, '92

A SAD END.

Many a man is ruined by acquiring a fascination for gambling. One of the latest victims that the papers record is George Roberts, a commercial traveller, who suicided at Orillia on Friday night, after having lost all his money, \$100, by gambling at the poker table. The unfortunate young man had lost money at the same game on many previous occasions, a good position had slipped from him, yet letters which he left before he took the fatal dose showed that he had not strength enough to resist the temptation when an opportunity to play presented itself.

It is not to be wondered at that the coroner reprimanded the jury, who returned a verdict of suicide, for not alluding to the evils of gambling, which is carried on to an alarming extent in many large towns and cities. No doubt the Toronto ministers who have recently been denouncing the evil know whereof they speak, as bad results are almost sure to follow the habit. It is somewhat difficult to make some people believe that there is any harm in a sociable game of cards, but it should not be hard to show that it is wrong for one man to take from another that for which he gives no value. As there is a law against stealing, so should there be a law against gambling for money. To take money from an associate, as the Orillia sharks did from young Roberts, is both selfish and heartless, and is almost as bad as theft.

On Monday evening, in Richmond Hall, Toronto, Mr. Armstrong, the newly elected president of the Liberal Conservative Club, made his inaugural address, which was published in full in The World of Tuesday. The president, evidently, is not among those who believe that "Canada is all right." Among other things he referred to the exodus from this country year after year, and seeing the gravity of the case, earnestly asked the members of the club to look about them for a remedy. Here are his words touching on the matter:

"The question as to why thousands are leaving this country year after year and going to the United States should engage our serious attention, and we should try and solve the question, for it is quite evident that the older heads are not going to do so. I am informed on reliable authority that no less than 4000 have left this city during the past year, left all that was near and dear and went into foreign exile; in short, gentlemen, there is no concealing the fact that we are being annexed in job lots every week, and there is not a voice raised against it.

"There is a hue and cry raised by revenue patriots at after-dinner speeches and some soul-bursting political speakers on the stump against annexing our mud, but not one word is raised by our politicians, by our patriotic press, or by any one, to the United States annexing the brains and muscle of this country in job lots; evidently mud comes higher in Canada.

"Gentlemen, I believe this question should and can be grappled with. I have absolute confidence that the genius of the Canadian people can rise to the occasion if they are given the opportunity by their political bosses and can stem and stay this state of affairs; and it is a question that should engage your serious attention this winter.

Before leaving this question I may first say: I have absolute confidence that this country is capable of taking care of itself."

A Suggestion.

To the Editor of THE LIBERAL:

SIR,—The letter in THE LIBERAL a couple of weeks ago in reference to noisy groups of boys in front of the stores has been a hint to the wise, and they have scattered. The "noisy boy" has now had admonition from the press and from the pulpit. From my knowledge of the young men of our village, I do not think that there are any who desire to be considered nuisances in any respect, but of an evening one lad meets with another, they chat, others strolling that way join, and without the least intention of doing wrong the group becomes a noisy one.

Would it not remedy the matter somewhat, now that the long winter evenings are coming on, if the young men, many of whom are High school students, and others equally intelligent and clever, would organize themselves into a Juvenile Debating Society. The Temperance Hall, or some other room could be obtained at but little expense. Many profitable evenings could be spent in the discussion of simple subjects, with readings and singing. Much of the valuable time now wasted or frittered away in noisy and useless conversation would be filled up with obtaining knowledge which would be useful in after years in preparing for the evening's programme. With the valuable assistance of the excellent library in connection with our Mechanics' Institute, persevering efforts to obtain self-possession and ready utterance by practice "on the floor of the house" during the coming winter some of our young men would begin to acquire the art of public speaking, an acquisition which some time in their future history they will find exceedingly useful in the obtaining and in the filling of positions of trust and confidence in the community at home or abroad. It just needs some wise and energetic spirits among the youth of our village to push the matter. Richmond Hill, Nov. 2nd. X.

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Rev. Mr. Fletcher preached a temperance sermon on Sunday last to a large congregation.

Mr. N. S. Reaman has been very busy since his fire getting another house on his premises before cold weather comes on. When all is complete it will be much better and more convenient than before.

They say there is getting quite a common thing of late years, more particularly among fowls. Last week some miserable creature captured Mr. W. Ash's geese and has not yet returned them. A dose such as potato bugs generally get would give good satisfaction for such parties.

One of our young men has been making frequent visits to a neighboring town for some reason or other, but it is generally supposed he thinks this is apple-butter time for him.

Hallowe'en passed off quietly in our village as the rain spoiled most of the fun for the boys.

We learn that our prize poultry man made things warm for others in that line of business at Woodbridge fair.

Rev. A. P. Brace, late of this place, is visiting friends here for a few days.

Mr. J. Kinney was in our village on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker of Burdock farm was in the village on Sunday.

School Reports.

MAPLE.

The following are the names of those pupils in the various classes of the senior division who obtained 66 2/3 per cent. of the maximum marks for the month of October:

Fourth Class—Eva Johnston, 167; Nellie Holladay, 150; Etta Richardson, 154; Percy Keffer, 152; Charles McNeil, 141; Richard McNaughton, 138.

Third Class, sr.—Edith Keffer, 172; Harry Keffer, 171; Agnes McNeil, 165; Carrie Shunk, 160; Harvey Jackson, 144; Olive Kinnee, 125; Ada Gordon, 116.

Third Class, jr.—Flora Matheson, 148; Lewis Oliver, 141; Lydia Line, 112; Neil Watson, 109.

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