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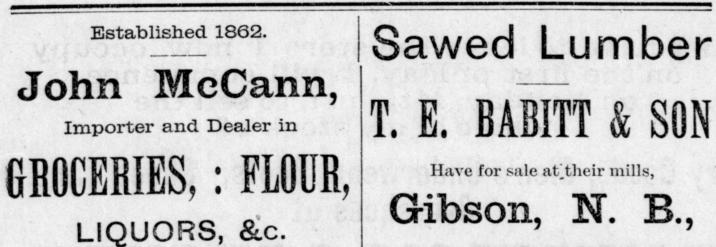
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plenty of money-were standing at the bar, when a poor, miserable specimen of a tramp pushed open the swinging-door and, with bleared eyes, looked at them appealingly. They ordered a drink for him, paid for it, and then boisterously demanded that he make a speech. After swallowing the liquor, the tramp gazed at them for an instant, and then, with a dignity and eloquence that showed how far he had fallen in the social scale, he began to speak.

"Gentleman" he said, "I look to-night at you and at myself, and it seems to me I look upon the picture of my lost manhood. This bloated face was once as young and handsome as yours. This shanibling figure once walked as proudly as yours, a man in a world of men. I, too, once had home, and friends, and position. I had a wife as beautiful as an artist's dream, and I dropped the priceless pearl of honor and respect in the wine cup, and Cleopatra-like saw it dissolve, and quaffed it down in the brimming draught. , I had children as sweet and lovely as the flowers of spring, and I saw them fade and die under the blighting curse of a drunkard father. I had a home where love lit the flame upon the altar and ministered before it, and I put out the holy fire, and darkness and desolation reigned in its stead. I had aspirations and ambitions that soared as high as the morning star, and I broke and bruised their beautiful wings, and, at last, strangled them, that I might be tortured with their cries no more. To-day I am a

husband without a wife, a father without a child, a tramp with no home to call his own, a man in whom every good impulse is dead. All, all swallowed up in the maelstrom of drink."

The tramp ceased speaking. The glass fell from his nerveless fingers and shivered into a thousand fragments on the floor. The swing-doors pushed open and shut again, and when the little group about the bar looked up the tramp was gone. He had gone out into the dark December night, to wander no doubt till dawn, but he, outcast though he was had made an munications contributed to this column impression. They felt that they had received a lesson which they would remem-Hemlock and Pine Boards ber while they lived, and when they left the bar-room the words of the poor wan-Spruce and Hemlock Deal, derer still sounded in their ears like a note of warning. Plank and Scantling. PROHIBITION IN MAINE. Prohibition in the state of Maine has brother, and to Eunice R. Gale, of reduced the volumn of the liquor traffic to Young's Cove, that I want them to see one-twentieth of its former proportions. what they can do in this good work of In more than three-tourths of the poptemperance reform in their own neighborulation, the traffic is practically unknown. hoods. I think that you have not a tem-

the day. There was one at Mr. John Gale's on Wednesday and at Mr. Wm. Snodgrass' on Thursday.

Mr. Z. Langley, while skating the other night, received a bad cut on his face by being run into by one of the small boys.

Messrs. Alex. Gale and Theodore Barton left this morning for Jemseg. Mr. Budd Gale, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Gale, left for Boston on Tuesday.

Mr. E. M. Wilson, of St. John, representing the Union Mutual Life insurance, of Portland, Maine, is at the Hotel spending a few days.

Mrs. James R. Wiggins is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Alex. Gale. The arrival of the GAZETTE is always anxiously looked for. It is a general favorite with all.

### TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

#### Contributed by the I. O. G. T.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next Session of the Dominion Parliament, for the granting of I hereby give notice that I have made a subsidy to the Central Railway Comsatisfactory arrangements with the Editor pany on its extension from Newcastle to Gibson, opposite Fredericton, and also for the re-vote of the subsidy already granted, of the QUEENS COUNTY GAZETTE by which this column will be devoted to the inbetween Chipman and Newcastle. terests of the I. O. G. T. I make an appeal to all lodges throughout the county, and all persons interested in Temperance work, to do their part, so that the work may be a success from the beginning. Address all communications to, ERNEST M. STRAIGHT, Lower Cambridge,

N. B.

All who read the temperance column in the last "GAZETTE," must have concluded I think, that the papers on "Alcohol" handed in by the children of the county, or at least those who are attending the common schools, were good, with the exception of some very slight changes, such as capitals and punctuation, etc. You read them just as they were sent to me. Some I did not rewrite at all. In the future I would ask that any and all com-

some districts a teacher needed a great | Peoples and deal of moral courage to face the parent's Crown of Gold Flour. wrath after the children had been taught that their father used a poison in the CORN MEAL, OAT MEAL. form of alcohol or tobacco, which dwarfed their bodies and minds; and their mothers were almost equally guilty by giving to in 3, 5, 10 and 60 Pound Packages, at very

their children "soothing syrup" which quieted the child, but did it by a partial murder of the child's life.

"You seem to have omitted all description of your heroine's looks," said the Oats, Bran, and Middlings publisher.

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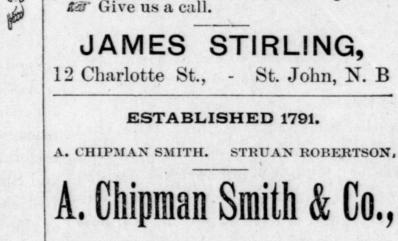
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would more or less on the sly in the cities owing The following paper was contributed by Eunice R. Gale. It came to hand a rected in the near future. In Portland | few days too late to be published with the rest.

now sold is not one-hundredth part so large as it was before the law, the city beloved Prov., and see the havoc which being now twice larger than it was in 1851. In all the region around Portland, with many large villages, no liquors are words against it.

When one gets a stitch in his side about all he can do is to let it rip. SHE MADE HER MARK. Ah, plain was her face and her figure lacked grace

None noticed her 'mid the procession, But she fell with a thud in the slippery mud And there she made quite an impres

sion.

be written on one side of the paper only, as the work will not be so difficult for me if this is done. I wish to say to all my young friends that I heartily thank you for the help you have rendered; and for the interest you have taken in the work. I would say to Florence Roberts and her

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hol. Rum, whiskey, wine, cider, gin, brandy, beer, etc., are water and alcohol with different flavors. It is a great deceiver. It is ruinous to the blood. It

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