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VOTE AS YOU PRAY.

J. W. Shaw, Toronto.

"Written for the Templar."

The temperance cause thro' sixty years, Has kept its onward course; Its trenchant truths aroused the church, And spoke with trumpet force.

Some shallow thinkers wish to know How long this curse shall blight? Till MEN are sent to Parliament, And cowards put to flight!

And some forget the impetus The cannon ball receives, As measured by the charge behind— Now voting power reprieves.

But morning dawns, we hope to live To vote as now we pray; The ballot wields the axe that cuts, And party must give way.

By speech and vote let statesman know Our country must be saved; The traffic steeped in crime by law, Must be by law, erased.

Of all the wrongs to be redressed, This nuisance towers supreme; And no evasion will suffice Like Thompson's stratagem.

Our statesmen in convention ask, (Friend Mowat 'mong the rest,) On prohibition to unite, And bring them to the test.

Sir Oliver, the Chritain, Absainer leal and true, Has kept abreast of needs expressed, What more could statesmen do?

Restriction, local option fails, Have had their day and friends; Sir Oliver restricted oft, And multiplied "Amends."

The plank of Prohibition, firm, Has not been in demand; The fault is ours, we're partisans, Delinquents in command.

If Christians now of every name, Will vote as they have prayed, The sale will be prohibited— Our homes and country saved.

ALAS FOR THEE, SIR LAURIAI.

For the "Witness."

We weep to-day for grief and shame, We mourn a hero's tarnished name, A lamentation we must frame, We drape the laurels of thy fame. Alas! our idol's made of clay, Alas for thee, Sir Lauriai.

We looked to thee to lead us on, We hoped that justice might be done, The blackest curse of hell removed By thee, the man we deeply loved. O sad the hour, O woe the day! Alas for thee, Sir Lauriai!

We prayed for thee, we speke thy praise, We blessed thee for thy genial ways, We hoped for brighter, happier days; But now we're filled with sore amaze. What shall we do? What shall we say? Alas for thee, Sir Lauriai!

We hoped that with thy smiling face Thou did'st not lack true knightly grace, That in the battle and the race Should take thy part without disgrace, That Gallia's sons should lead the way. Alas for thee, Sir Lauriai!

We blessed thee for thy loyal stand, Thy fealty to our motherland, With shield of faith and burnished brand We hoped for these achievements grand, But now we're filled with dire dismay. Alas for thee, Sir Lauriai!

A horrid monster stalks around; His victims everywhere are found, In lazar-house and prison cell His mourning captives darkly dwell. Alas, our knight, he shuns the fray. Alas for thee, Sir Lauriai!

There's mothers pleading for the right, There's daughters praying for the light, There's brothers longing for the fight To rescue men from curse and blight. Ah! can'st thou shame our souls today.

Alas for thee, Sir Lauriai!

Shall justice, truth and courage fail, And rabble might o'er right prevail? Love, purity, shall aught avail, While orphans cry and widow wail? Then up, true men, arise to-day! Alas for thee, Sir Lauriai!

On Britain's sons we call to-day, Let Gallia's sons now lead the way, Let Scotia's sons join in the fray, Let Erin's sons the call obey. Germania's sons, arm ye, today! Alas for thee, Sir Lauriai!

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"What did you say the baby's name is?" asked the visitor.
"William Henry."
"How old is he?"
"Over a year. He was born in May, 1898."

The visitor pressed his hand to his forehead and reeled.
"What's the matter?"
"A boy!" he gasped. Born in May, 1898! And not named Dewey!"—Washington Star.

The Retort Courteous.

Father O'Leary, a well known Roman Catholic priest and wit, was on very friendly terms with his neighbour, the Church of England vicar. They met on the road one day, when the vicar said, excitedly:

"Oh, Father O'Leary, have you heard the awful news?"
"No," says the priest, "what is it, at all?"

"Something awful," says the vicar. "The bottom has fallen out of purgatory, and all the Catholics have tumbled into hell!"

"Oh, dear, oh, dear," says Father O'Leary, "what a crushing the poor Protestants must have got!"—London Chronicle.

Mother (hearing Ethel say her prayers)—
"And let us all live to a good old age."
Ethel—"I'll not pray for a ninty to live to a good old age." Mother (astounded)—
"Why?" Ethel—"Cause she's ashamed of her age now."

"Maggie, dear, if I should attempt to spell Cupid why could I not get beyond the first syllable?"
Maggie gave it up, whereupon William said:

"Because when I come to cu, of course I cannot go farther."
Maggie said that she thought that was the nicest conundrum she had ever heard.

Dr. Lyman Abbott is telling a story about a Sunday school child under his jurisdiction of whom the teacher asked in the course of the lesson, "What is a lie?"

"A lie," responded the infant, with deliberation, "is—is an abomination to the Lord an' a very present help in trouble."

"I've come to kill a printer," said the little man. "Any printer in particular?" asked the foreman. "Oh, any one'll do; I would prefer a small one, but I've got to make some sort of a bluff at fight or leave home, since the paper called my wife's pink tea a 'swill affair.'"

"Is your father at home?" asked a caller. "What is your name, please?" inquired the little girl. "Just tell him it is his old friend, Bill." "Then I reckon that he ain't at home. I heard him tell mamma if any bill came that he wasn't at home."

Pith and Point.

Nine-tenths of the born leaders of men are women.

"Know thyself," but don't let others get too familiar.

If you are fond of spicy literature read a cook book.

The mosquito isn't the only bore that sings at his work.

People who have no sense of humor act very funny at times.

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Judge, (to a man up for having five wives)—
"How could you be so hardened a villain?"

The prisoner—"Please, your honor, I was only trying to get a good one."

"Somebody broke into my stable last night and stole my best harness."
"Didn't he leave any trace?"
"Nope. He took the traces and all."

Lady—"I think you are the worst looking tramp I ever saw."
Tramp—"Madam, it's only in the presence of uncommon beauty I looks so bad."

Young Mistress—"This isn't a clean knife, Jane."
New Servant—"Isn't it, Mum? I don't know how that is. I'm sure it ought to be. The last thing I cut was soap!"

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