

The Victim of Strong Drink.

OPINION OF AN EXPERT IN NERVE AND BRAIN DISEASES.

In a recent interview with a reporter of the Indianapolis (Ind.) Journal, Dr. Wm. B. Fletcher, of that city, said: It is an undoubted fact, that the English-speaking world can not use alcoholic drink without creating a diseased appetite, dementia and death.

What are the causes leading to drunkenness?

They are many, some purely accidental. No sane person ever started out with the intention of becoming a sot. Overwork, either mental or physical, naturally calls for refreshment.

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What would you advise in the treatment of inebriety?

The treatment is plain. It must start out with the full consent and desire upon the part of the individual to be cured. If the man has stimulated within him a strong belief that he is deriving power of will from God, so much the better.

How about the use of alcoholic medicines, and the tapering of process?

No alcoholic medicines should be used. Narcotics give no refuge for the appeasing of the diseased appetite; but the patient may drink freely of buttermilk, sirup and water; juices of fruits and good well water or soda water may be used freely.

poultry and eggs are good diet; and fresh greens, lettuce, salads, etc., may be used abundantly, while but little bread, potatoes or starchy food should be taken.

Praise for a Member of our Order.

The Paris Review of this week says editorially: "In the removal of Mr. Thomas Webster, Inland Revenue Collector, from Paris to Brantford, this town loses one of its most estimable citizens, one who enjoys the respect of the entire community, and one whose genial presence and zealous public spirit will be greatly missed."

A CHURCH FAREWELL TO MR. WEBSTER.

The Baptist friends at Paris gave a farewell social to their Sabbath School Superintendent, Mr. Thomas Webster, who has recently removed to Brantford. The chair was occupied by Mr. Webster and proceedings were opened with prayer by Pastor Trotter and the singing of an anthem by the choir of the church, after which a choice programme was rendered by the pupils of the school and members of the Bible class.

Drunkenness a Disease.

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do any thing the direct tendency of which is to damage or destroy his body. The temptation to drink incident to, and the consequences of the habit of drinking, is no excuse for drunkenness, and no excuse for any crime which a drunken man may commit. Both God and man treat the drunkard as an offender, and he is such.

Two Men.

Two men, one a total abstainer another a drinker, each spend \$100 in two months. The first pays his \$100 for furniture and the other for liquor. The first receives actual value and his home shows the result of his purchase.

In the town of Bessbrooke, where John G. Richardson employs three thousand people in the manufacture of Irish linen, no liquor has been sold for forty years; and as a result there is neither policemen, prison, pawnshop nor pauper in the town.

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- St. Stephen; Howard, 1; Friday; S. Webber; Milltown, St. Stephen; Wilberforce, 3; Monday; H. McAllister.
Market Building, St. John; Gurney, 5; Thursday; David Bradley, Jr.
Orange Hall Portland; Portland, 7; Monday; A. Y. Paterson.
Market Building, St. John; Albion, 14; Wednesday; E. A. Everett.
Gagetown; Queens, 21; Saturday; H. J. DeVeber.
Chatham; Northumberland, 37; Friday; G. Stothart.
St. John; Mariners and Mechanics, 38; Tuesday; John Kinney.
Hillsboro, Albert Co.; Albert, 39; Wednesday; John I. Steeves.
Sackville, West Co.; Sackville, 40; Tuesday; J. C. Harper.
Richibucto, Kent Co.; Richibucto, 42; Wednesday; Robert N. Beers.
Newcastle; Newcastle, 45; Thursday; Jas. Falconer.
Point de Bute, West Co. Westmorland, 50; Thursday; Jas. W. Colpitts.
Hopewell Hill, Albert Co.; Golden Rule, 51 Tuesday; L. R. Moore.
Canfield, Charlotte Co.; Safeguard, 58; Saturday; H. C. Trynor.
Cambridge, Queens Co.; Johnston, 62; Saturday; George S. Wilson.
Dalhousie; Dalhousie, 64; Monday; G. Haddow.
Baie Verte; Baie Verte, 65; Wednesday; R. Goodwin.
Dover, West Co.; ver. 70; Saturday; Alfred E. Steeves.
Carleton, St. John; Granite Rock, 77; Tuesday; John C. Thomas.
Derby, North Co.; Nelson, Monday; J. Betts.
Douglastown, North Co.; Caledonia, 126; Tuesday; J. Henderson.
Collina Corner, Kings Co.; Collina, 129; Thursday; Jacob I. Keirstead.
Upper Gagetown, Queens Co.; Oxford, 130; Saturday; A. E. Crothers.
Benton, Carleton Co.; Garibaldi, 151; A. F. Campbell.
St. Martins St. John Co. St. Martins, 164, Tuesday; Frank L. Mosher.
Moncton; Moncton, 183; Monday; F. W. Steeves.
Douglas, York Co.; Dunphy's W. O. Farmers 190; Saturday; Arthur W. Ross.
Salisbury, West Co. Crystal Stream, 191 Monday; S. A. Hoistead.
South Bay, St. John Co. Lime Rock, 207 Monday; Wm. Roxborough.
Milford, St. John Co.; Everett, 238; Tuesday; Geo. H. Waring.
McIntosh; Intercolonial, 243; Friday; Miss Vena Bisset.
Victoria Mills; West Co.; Victoria, 245; Thursday; A. J. Main.

- Baillie, St. James, Char. Co.; Baillie, 248; Wednesday; Fred H. Mann.
Weldford, Kent. Co.; Harcourt, 249; Saturday; H. Wathen.
Portland; Valley, 250; Tuesday; J. Fowler.
Butternut Ridge, King's Co.; Hawklock 251 Friday; E. Keith.
Petitcodiac, West Co.; Petitcodiac, 252 Tuesday; D. A. Jonah.
Lewis Mountain, West Co.; Sunnyside, 253 Saturday; John Lounsbury.
Millstream, Kings Co. Britannia, 255; Saturday; C. W. Wayman.
Little Ridge, Char. Co.; Spreading Oak, 256; Tuesday; A. F. Matheson.
Fredericton; Lansdowne, 257; Thursday; H. H. Fitts.
River Charlo, Rest. Co.; Charlo, 259; Thursday; J. H. Galbraith.
Steeves' Mountain, West Co.; Mountain Rose 260; Saturday; R. Lutz, Sr.
Famington, King's Co.; Spring, 262; Monday; C. Barnes.
Pomroy Ridge, Char. Co.; Mayflower, 263 Thursday; W. Moulton.
Scotch Ridge, Char. Co.; Iona, 264; Wednesday; D. M. Sinclair.
Oak Hill, Char. Co.; Oak, 265; Thursday; Harry E. Grimmer.
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2d Falls, St. George Char. Co.; Stewart, 269 Saturday; A. Sherwood.
St. George, Char. Co.; Red Granite, 270; Saturday; Chas. Johnson.
Penobscia, King's Co.; Cardwell, 271; Wednesday; Oscar Stevens.
Hampton Village, King's Co.; Hampton, 273 Tuesday; Chas. Frost.
St. John, 102 King Street; Gordon Division No. 275; Monday; Robert Maxwell.
Eagle Settlement West'd Co.; Twilight 287 Tuesday; G. A. Taylor.
Salisbury, Westmoreland Co.; Middleton, 277 Friday; Jas. Henry.
Healthland, Charlotte Co.; Rising Sun, 278 Tuesday; Julius Powers.
Goshen Corner, Albert Co.; Star of Hope, 279 Saturday; H. D. Stevens.
St. Mary's Kent Co.; Rosefield, 280; Saturday; W. Vincent.
Elgin, Albe. Co.; Elgin, 281; Saturday; W. P. Robinson.
Whites Cove, Grand Lake; Grand Lake, 283; Friday; H. E. White.
Stonehaven, Gloucester Co.; Gloucester Division 284; Tuesday; N. R. Ritchie.
Lewisville, Moncton; Lewisville, 285; Tuesday; A. McN. Russell.
Port Elgin, West Co.; Fort Moncton, 286; Tuesday; C. H. Goodwin.
Centreville, Kings Co.; Centreville, 287; Saturday; C. R. Folkins.
Waterford, K. C.; Essex Division 288; Saturday; E. M. Flewelling.
Dubec, Carleton Co.; Centenary, 289; Thursday; Wm. V. Benn.
Waterville, Carleton Co.; Waterville, 293 Saturday; J. T. Fletcher.
Bath Carleton Co.; Ray of Hope, 294; Friday; W. D. Keith.
Lower Coverdale, Albert Co.; Coverdale 295 Tuesday; F. A. Steeves.
Canterbury, York Co.; Dufferin, 296; Saturday; John W. Scott.
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Kirkland, Carleton Co.; Monument, 298; Thursday; John Lyons, Deputy.
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McKenzie Corner, Carleton Co.; McKenzie Corner Division 319 Friday; Jas. Forest.
Stylsville, Westmorland Co.; Mapleville, 320 Saturday; John Crandall.
Bayfield, Westmorland Co.; Bayfield, 321 Monday; A. W. Bent.
Clark's Corner, Queens Co.; Clark's Corner, 325 Thursday; Isaac H. Carle.
Fredericton, No. 2 Gordon, No. 326; Wednesday; Sergt. Major McKenzie.
Smith's Corner, Walker's W. O., Kent Co. Olive Branch 327 Saturday; Ephraim Wheten.
Berry Mills West Co. Millville, 328, Monday; John T. Prince.
Blackville, Northumberland Co.; Blackville, 329; Wednesday; Otto Hilderbrand.
Black Brook, North Co.; Silver Stream, 330; Wednesday; Wm. Tait.
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Ludlow, Northumberland Co., Pine Grove, No 345, Thursday, Frederick Price.
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Bamford Settlement, North Co., Blissfield, N. 347, Saturday, David Bamford, Deputy.
Carleton, St. John, Tilley, No. 348, Monday; Herbert B. Belyea.
Marysville, York Co., Marysville, No. 349; Friday, A. S. Morisset.
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