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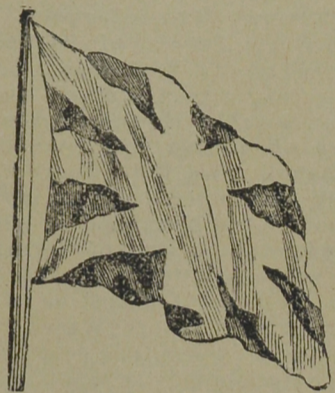
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RAISE THE STANDARD.

OUR MOTTO NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

Temperance Journal.

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AFTER YOU have read your paper please pass it around to a friend and suggest that he become a subscriber.

OUR Nova Scotia readers will remember that their Third Quarterly Session meets at River John on Tuesday, 13th August, at 7.30, p. m.

WE ARE glad the members appreciate the badge as a premium. Quite a number of new names have come in as a result, which is all encouraging.

A PETITION for the repeal of the Scott Act in Fredericton will be placed on exhibition on the 8th August. The temperance people are anxious to see whose names are attached to it.

DON'T be ashamed of the Order you belong to. Get one of the handsome badge pins, advertised elsewhere, and wear it where it will be seen, and where your principles can be read and known by all men.

IN ONE of our exchanges we read this piece of logic, "What you spend money on, shows what you are interested in," or words to that effect.

WE ARE sending a few sample copies this issue into Nova Scotia, a sort of carnival supplement. We do not aim to give special news relating to that province as its own paper does, but possibly there may be some members who would like to know what is going on in the Order outside their own province.

IT IS pleasing to know that many are availing themselves of the special offer by which they receive one of the handsome badges of the Order as a premium with the JOURNAL. It is well that members should be able to know a brother when they see him in public.

THERE ARE some few of our subscribers whose subscriptions were due in July, who have not yet responded to our call. Doubtless they have been busily haying, or away on holidays, we hope they will not neglect to send in this week.

IN ANOTHER column will be found a letter from an ex-officer of National Division in the West. He, like many other western brethren who write us seems to feel a little aggrieved over the fact that the sessions of the N. D. are not held often in that part of the jurisdiction.

GET SOME OF OUR LEAFLETS.

Grand Worthy Patriarchs and Grand Scribes should avail themselves of the opportunity of getting Sons of Temperance literature, and small cost, and have the Division given some means to know of the Order, and opportunity to distribute this kind of literature.

In these days of ubiquitous newspapers and insatiable reading, our Order is too sparing in the use of the press. Of all the forces at work in the field of human progress; of all instruments for enforcing man's rights, redressing his wrongs and advancing his noblest mission, "the mightiest of the mighty is the press."

SONS OF TEMPERANCE LITERATURE.

We have taken another step to push this Order. We are publishing in the JOURNAL every issue selected articles, and original articles having special reference to our Order, its benefits and privileges, its history, and its work.

perance Literature Committees of Grand Divisions. By this method we can give these leaflets to the Order at less cost than any leaflet can be bought from other temperance tract societies, and have a margin towards making the temperance paper more successful.

It seems to us hardly necessary to point out to our membership their duty in assisting in this respect. The importance of our having a press of our own and literature impregnated with Sons of Temperanceism. At least 500,000 leaflets should be distributed during the months of August and September.

Other leaflets will be supplied to be sent into new territory, where there is no branch of the Order and with the purpose of stirring up the people to having a Subordinate Division organized.

Again, there will be leaflets and tracts showing up the fallacy of High and Low License, and favoring Prohibition. These will all be specially printed for each order sent us and the name of the Subordinate or Grand Division or their officers will be printed on them.

Have a motion passed at your next meeting that your Division have two or three thousand copies and have them put into every house in the community where you live. A couple of collars will do an immense good, if properly expended in this way.

MORE ABOUT THE THIRD PARTY

In another column will be read an article taken from the New York Independent and showing up some of the evils of the Third Party and how they are stultifying the temperance movement, and throwing it back twenty years or more by their actions.

It is true also, that there are times when temperance men get disgusted with the present political parties. They feel dissatisfied with the duplicity and scheming of politicians, and the manner in which the rum interest seems to control governments and parties, but the remedy is not in the Third Party move.

The history of the movement in the United States has been disaster, after disaster, and yet there is more to follow. Temperance Legislation must be framed and voted into existence by the men who are now voting in either of the two political parties, and it is all nonsense to imagine that you can change a man's politics by tirade and abuse.

This is a question that has been stirring the hearts of loyal workers for many months, nay years. The Canada Citizen, in a late issue asked postal card answers to the question how Prohibition could be had in five years in Canada.

The replies brought out the fact that the Ontario people are not in favor of Third Party lines, as adopted in the United States, but have started an organization to be known as Canada's New Party. In Nova Scotia, a few individuals are endeavoring to introduce the Third Party, pure and simple, while by far the greater mass of the temperance people in Canada are following the plan adopted by the Dominion Alliance, which is better known as the non-partizan method, and which by the way has its strongest opponents in these Third Party advocates.

As Sons of Temperance our duty is clear. No man has the right to disfranchise us, or to discuss in our meeting our personal, political affiliation; for the policy of voting for the third party, or the argument that a man had better remain at home, if not voting for that party, is simple a subtle way of disfranchising a temperance man.

As was remarked in opening this article, we are convinced that where Third Partyism has come into the field, it has resulted in defeat all along the line, and complete disaster, not only to the cause at election times, but to any organization which it infests. We notice that Mr. Bulmer, of the Canadian Voice went up, as, one of the delegates remarked, and captured the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order at Newcastle, and had the Voice recommended as the organ of that order in this province.

The Annual Session South Carolina Grand Division.

The Grand Division of South Carolina, held its Annual Session on the 14th of July, at Carsonville, S. C. The meeting was well attended and the interest good throughout.

John Alexander, G W P; Dr G G Palmer, G W A; F S Dibble, G S; S S Stokes, G Trear; G R Reaves, G Chap; J W Stansfield, G Con; A D Shull, G S.

The installation took place that evening at a public meeting.

A public meeting was held at New Brookland, on the 26th, at which a goodly number were present. G W P Alexander, and Grand Scribe Dibble were present, and delivered eloquent addresses.

Matter from the Grand Lecturer.

DEAR BRO. PITTS,—I congratulate you on the size and general make-up of last issue of the TEMPERANCE JOURNAL. I spent a very pleasant hour last evening in perusing this eight page weekly, and the excellent sermon was left for another time.

The Divisions in this county get their Journals regularly and the enlargements, etc., was matter for congratulation all around last evening at my public meeting here.

Since writing you from Gagetown, I have held two fairly successful public meetings, Wednesday night with the Division at Clark's Corner, last evening here.

Yours in L, P. and F., N. W. BROWN, White's Cove, Grand Lake, July 26th, 1889.

Star of Hope Division, N. B.

DEAR SIR,—Please allow me a small space in the columns of your noble paper to say a word about "Star of Hope" Division. At the first meeting in the present quarter the following officers were installed:

Miss Annie M Graves, W P; A W Hayward, W A; H D Steeves, R S; Miss Alice Hayward, A R S; Warren Babkirk, F S; Miss Lila M Hayward, Trear; Miss Abigail E Stockton, Con; W H Gildart, A C; Mrs D A Hayward, Chap; Clifford E Hayward, I S; H E Graves, O S; B B Hayward, P W P.

During the last two sessions we have initiated six new members. Notwithstanding some of the prominent members have left, we have filled their places with new members. The Division has moved in their new hall and everything points to a brighter future for our Order.

I remain, Yours in L, P and F, O C. Goshen Corner, A Co, July 22nd, '89

A Letter from the West.

MR. EDITOR,—I generally concur in the opinion of "a member of N. D." regarding important changes necessary in that body, if it is their sincere wish to see the "old Sons" prosper in the same proportion to other Orders of the Temperance Army. Take for instance the injustice to the balance of the territory occupied by the N. D., in the manner of holding sessions of that body always, or nearly so, at one side, of the jurisdiction. Since the N. D. was organized, 45 Annual Sessions have been held. That portion of the jurisdiction from Toronto east, has had 41 of those sessions, the balance has been kindly allowed to go to the south and west.