

# ANNOUNCEMENTS,

FOR THE MONTHS OF

# JULY, AUGUST & SEPT.

There are about 80,000 Sons of Temperance in America. The JOURNAL is the recognized organ of the Order and should be in the family of every member of the order. We are determined to offer every inducement that the members may come in and help us push the order through the means of Temperance Literature. We offer in this supplement special inducements, one of which we hope will be accepted by every one who reads this, if they are not already a subscriber to the paper. Will you please help us get 5,000 additional subscribers in three months. If every reader would get us a club of five or ten we would double that number. Our usefulness as a Sons of Temperance paper depends largely on the number of members of the order we reach each week. You are helping the order when you help circulate its paper, as all the money received is put into improving the paper. If you would like circulars to help us with, write and we will send you them. Your assistance as a correspondent from your locality is also earnestly solicited.

### THE ORDER OF THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE.

The Sons of Temperance is now the oldest temperance organization in existence, having been in continual practical operation for nearly fifty years, fulfilling a mission of raising the fallen, casting around the tempted the shield of a brotherly love, and spreading wide-cast, the principles of total abstinence for the individual, and total prohibition for the state. In these fifty years tens of thousands of drunkards have been reclaimed from the drink evil, and homes have been made happy, families have been made prosperous, and Heaven's highest arches have rung with praises and thanksgiving at the salvation of many poor and wayward ones who had fallen into sin and degradation.

Notwithstanding the changes of the times, and the onward movement of the world about us, the principles of this Order have never changed, though the methods of work may have been slightly altered to meet the circumstances of the various countries where it has been propagated. Its objects have ever been to make men better and nobler, and to better fit them for their life work.

Ladies have now the privilege of full equality with gentlemen in Division work, and occupy prominent and important places in the Order. In the Division room, their presence and advice exerts a salutary influence, and in practical temperance work they have shown their interest to do great good where their brothers have been unable to reach.

All ages have been provided for by this Order. The children under fourteen are cared for by the Order of Cadets of Temperance, fostered and directed by the Divisions. Those over fourteen can become members of Divisions, so that parents and children may unite in this great work.

The simple and beautiful ceremonies of the Order are attractive and impressive, and well designed to impress solemn and important truths upon the minds of those who are entering its circle. It seeks, by a combination of social and moral influences, to draw men away from temptation and to enlist them in earnest effort for the salvation of others. It makes permanent the impression which occasional temperance meetings may produce, by a regular and systematic and combined effort for the reformation of the drunkard and the preservation of those who are in danger of becoming such.

It is not overloaded with signs, passwords and grips, but is so arranged as to bring out the great aim and foundation of the Order. The Order is non-partisan and non-sectarian. We welcome to our ranks all men and women of character, without regard to their political or religious opinions. Our object is to unite all good people on a platform which includes total abstinence from drink, and the destruction of the drink traffic.

An Order of the nature of the Sons of Temperance is just as necessary in a thriving community as the public school. Holding its meetings weekly, and with a thorough system of government, its educatory tendency on the young and old of the community is inestimable. No other institution will give the public that kind of an education that can be derived from these

temperance organizations. With very few exceptions all the great statesmen and legislators have come from Division, and Lodge rooms. Here it was they were first grounded in parliamentary usage.

Every village should have its Subordinate Division of the Sons of Temperance. This union with the temperance workers all over the country, would give a power to local temperance work not otherwise obtainable. In this province every town and every city has one or more Divisions, with a total membership of about 7,000.

The expense in connection with the organizing of a Division is comparatively nothing—charters and complete working outfit for a Division are supplied by the Grand Division free, and with practical working men of the Order, who are deeply interested in this method of temperance work scattered over the province, one or more members will proceed to any locality and without cost on the community assist in the organizing ceremony.

The general Propagation Committee, or any of the Grand Officers will be pleased to forward information to any applicant, regarding the necessary steps to be taken for the organizing of a Division. The Grand Officers are James Watts, G W P, Woodstock; A Y Paterson, G W A, Portland, St. John; W C Whittaker, G Trea, St. John; C N Vroom, G Chap., St. Stephen; G C—Isaac Crawford, Campbellton.

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### THE JOURNAL PROBLEM.

GIVEN AWAY.

We want to get a lot of subscribers this month and next for the JOURNAL and we are going to give our young readers a little puzzle to interest them in the paper, and a chance to work it out. We want you to send us a subscription for the JOURNAL for one year (\$1.00) and the solution to the following question worked out, and every one who sends us the correct answer will have their money returned, and get the paper free for the year, and be presented as well with a solid gold badge pin of the order of the Sons of Temperance. You want the paper anyway, and you might as well try for one of these handsome gold pins, which have been adopted by the National Division as the badge of the order. Understand, the money is returned *only* to those who get the right answer, the others get the paper for the year.

QUESTION.—Take the age of Joseph when he stood before Pharaoh and multiply by the number of persons saved in the Ark, subtract from this the number of Jacob's sons and divide by the number of barley which Boaz gave to Ruth, add to the product the number of times which the Israelites compassed Jericho, subtract the number of each kind of clean beasts that

went into the ark, multiply by the number of men who went to seek Elijah after he was taken to heaven, add the number of Haman's sons divided by the number of stones in David's bag when he killed Goliath, subtract the number of Prophets of Baal slain by Elijah on Mount Carmel, subtract the number of furlongs that Bethany was distance from Jerusalem multiplied by the number of anchors cast out when Paul was shipwrecked.

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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.

Shediac, Shediac, No. 23, Thursday, John McFaden. Chatham; Northumberland, 37; Friday; G. Stohart.

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. enfield, Charlotte Co.; afeguard, 58; Saturday; H. C. Trynor.

Cambridge, Que's Co.; Johnston, 82; Saturday; George S. Wilson. Dalhousie; Dalhousie, 64; Monday; G. Haddow.

Baie Verte; Baie Vert 65; Wednesday; K. 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 99.

Douglstown, 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.

Lawrence Station, Char. Co.; Lawrenceville, No. 261; Saturday, Thos. Skidmore. Farmington, King's Co.; Spring, 262; Monday; Barnes.

Pomroy Ridge, Char. Co.; Mayflower, 263 Thursday; W. Moulton. Scotch Ridge, Char. Co.; Iona, 264; Wednesday; E. D. M. Sinclair.

Oak Hill, Char. Co.; Oak, 265; Thursday; Allen Parker. Tower Hill, Char. Co.; Wills, 266; Saturday; S. S. Smith.

2d Falls, St. George Char. Co.; Stewart, 269 Saturday; A. Sherwood. St. George, Char. Co.; Red Granite, 270; Saturday; Thos. Magowan.

Penobscus, 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 276 Tuesday; G. A. Taylor.

Salisbury, Westmoreland Co.; Middleton, 277 Friday; Jas. Henry. Heathland, 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.

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Port Elgin, West Co.; Fort Moncton, 286; Tuesday; C. H. Goodwin. Centreville, Kings Co.; Centreville, 287; Saturday; C. R. Folkins.

Waterford, K. Co.; Essex Division 288; Saturday; E. M. Flewelling. Dube, 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.

River Louisa, Restigouche Co.; Louisa, 297 Friday; Donald Stewart. Kirkland, Carleton Co.; Monument, 298; Thursday; John Lyons, Deputy.

Woodstock, Carleton Co.; Campbell, 299; Friday; S. McLeod. Campbellton, Restigouche Co. Campbellton, 300; Monday; Jas. W. Patterson.

Dundee, Restigouche Co.; Dundee, 302 Tuesday; Jas. Malcolm. Morcambe, P. O. Kings Co.; Rising Star, 303 Wednesday; Martin Freeze.

Scotch Settlement, Westmorland Co.; McCarthy 304; Wednesday; David H. Murray. Upper Millstream, Kings Co.; Millstream, 305 Monday; Zebulon Gaunce.

Gibson, York Co.; Gibson, 306; Friday; J. H. Hamilton. Case Settlement, Kings Co.; Snowflake, 307 Monday; C. E. Black.

Portland, N. B.; Silver, 308; Friday; Rev. J. Spencer. Old Ridge, Char. Co.; Brunsnow Division No. 309; Monday; R. W. Dinsmore.

Waterside, Parish of Harvey, Albert Co. Gladstone No. 311; Friday; Rev. S. O. Moore. Poquiock, York Co.; Poquiock 312, Wednesday; Edw. Prue.

Kingsclear, York Co.; Kingsclear, 315; Wednesday; Isaac Kilburn, Deputy. Buctouche, Kent Co.; Buctouche, No. 31 Tuesday; Wm. Wry.

Mount Middleton, Kings Co.; Mount Middleton, 318; Friday; Joseph Chapman. McKenzie Corner, Carleton Co.; McKenzie Corner Division 319 Friday; Jas. Forest.

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Blackville, Northumberland Co.; Blackville, 329; Wednesday; Otto Hilderbrand. Black Brook, North. Co.; Silver Stream, 330; Wednesday; Wm. Tait.

Tattagouche, Gloucester Co.; Forest Home, 331; Thursday, Richard Bell. Bathurst, Gloucester Co.; Ever Onward, 332, Monday, Dr. Wm. P. Bishop.

Dalhousie Junction, Restigouche Co., Maple Green; 333; Wednesday, Wm. Jamison. Little River, Buctouche, Kent Co. Forest View No. Co. 334; Monday, Chas. Ward. Upper Woodstock, Jubilee 335, Wednesday, John Burpee.

Napan, North Co., Napan, No. 336 Thursday Alex Dickson. Presque Isle, Connell P. O. Carleton Co.; Dawn of Hope No. 337 Tuesday; John N. Perry.

Bloomfield Corner, Carleton Co.; Unity No. 338 Saturday, T. D. Stokoe. Mapleton, Albert Co., Mapleton, No. 339, Tuesday. Albert W. Stiles.

Boiestown, North. Co. Boiestown, No. 341, Wednesday; Rev. Thos. Allen. Little River, Albert Co.; Princess Louise, No. 342; Saturday; Sanford Parkin.

Moncton, Bulmer, No. 343, Saturday; James M. Murray, deputy. Caraquet, Gloucester Co., Caraquet, No. 344; Saturday; J. W. Young.