

WHAT THE SONS OF TEMPERANCE, I. O. G. T. TEMPLE OF HONOR, W. C. T. U., AND OTHER TEMPERANCE BODIES ARE DOING IN ST. JOHN AND VICINITY.

in, there seems to be no place more enjoyable than the Division or Lodge room. The Sons of Good Templars, in trying to make the Division of Honor of St. John have largely aided in consix months ago, a system of fraternal visits, and several encores. they certainly carried out their purpose with profit to all concerned. They commenced with the S. of T.'s and finished their visits to that branch of the order a few weeks since. They

JOURNAL, the following are a few of the many John Carroll, treasurer; James Molloy, sergt-atenjoyable entertainments we have visited :--

VALLEY DIVISION. S. OF T.

paid a fraternal visit to Victoria Temple of come, which was replied to by the W. P. of Valley Division. The following programme was carried out: Readings by C, H. Doig, J. J. Matthew Association ta Gillies, C. Powess, Mr. Hargreaves, D. Mc-Nally and Mr. McFadden; songs by Miss N. Rannie, Mrs. Pratt, and W. Duffell; speeches by John Hammond and C. Power. Our objects are two-fold the acues of total abstinent

land, on the 3rd inst. The evening was very stormy, and two other entertainments of the Order being held on the same evening, prevented but a dozen of the members parcipitating. However, a very pleasant evening was spent, of Victoria Temple; Calvin Powers, John Beamish, D. McNally, Eagles and Irvine. Readings by Bros. Gillis, Simpson and Austin.

GORDON DIVISION

received another of those choice visitations from of fiction and other subjects. a few members of old Granite Rock on the 4th

strong. W. T.: John Cunningham. W. F. S.; Hendley Beckwith, Chap.; James McCarthy, W. M.; Chas. Forbes, W. D. M-; Jas. Devine. W. I. G.; Robt. G. Stewart, W. O. G.; Frances Cowell, L. A. S.; Mary McCarthy, R. H. S.; Charles McCarthy, P. W. C. T.

THE DIME CONCERT

Now that the winter evenings have fairly set in Portland Division Hall, on the 8th inst., was well attended. Mr. L. P. Crear occupied the chair. The programme included songs by Mr. Temperance are vieing with their brothers, the S. Henderson, Miss Coles and Miss Allison; readings by Mr. J. Crawford, Mr. A. G. Charlton, rooms happy, cheerful and inviting; the Temple Mr. T. Richardson, Mr. Robert Maxwell, Mr. L. P. Crear; recitations by Miss Bartlett, Mr. H. tributing to these sociables. They inaugurated, Grier and Mr. Frank Goodyear. There were Greer and William Hill; readings by T.

THE CARLETON PUBLIC HALL

hear Mrs. Foster lecture on temperance. Rev. Richardson and S. Maber. The gathering Mr. Wadman occupied the chair, and Rev. Messrs Cahill, Stuart and Allan, Mr. W. W.

ward to, especially when a visitation occurs. and the following officers were elected for the The entertainments at them are as good as at ensuing year :---John A. Walsh, President; Jas. some concerts where an admission fee is charged. Since our last contribution to the secretary; Alex. J. Monahan, cor. secretary; arms. Rev. C. Collins having charge of St Rose's church, will be spiritual director.

OUR CATHOLIC BRETHREN Honor on the 17th ult, and a very pleasant are alive to the importance of total abstinence in evening was spent. W. H. Smith, of Victoria this city. The following appeal to the Catholics Temple of Honor, delivered an address of wel- of St. John should be read and considered by all

> TO THE CATHOLICS OF ST. JOHN .- The Father Matthew Association takes this opportunity of explaining its objects and extending to the Catholic men of this community a cordial in-

Our objects are two-fold : The promotion of Victoria Temple of Honor paid a visit to their brethren of Alexandria Temple, at Port-tual and moral advancement of the members.

For this purpose we oblige all persons identifying themselves with us to take a pledge to abstain from all intoxicating liquors, and to encourage by every means in their power the cause of temperance.

Our regular meeting is held on Thursday and the following programme was carried out :--Speeches by Bros. W. H. Smith, Worthy Chief of literary and musical exercises is performed

All members have the use of the library, one of the finest private libraries in the city, and to which we have lately made several large additions. It now embraces the leading works

Our reading room is open every evening in inst., but that good body from over the water, the week (Sunday and Thursday excepted.) It and willing to come at call, if not otherno matter how many in number, or at what time is supplied with the best magazines, Irish wise engaged. Mr. John Meahan occuthey visit, they are sure to receive a hearty wel- papers, and other current literature. For those pied the chair, and Miss Vradenburg come at the hands of Gordon. What they lack who do not wish to read, games and different so when "Charlie" accompanies them. He will give you Artemas Ward or preach a sermon that will make your sides ache. W. Patriarch Smith

monster evil, and are doing a good work in Sheriff Harding occupied the chair, and assassins and robbers. He hears monster evil, and are doing a good work in gracefully introduced the already favorite enemies plotting for his life; sees The Church must be opposed to all that gifted orator. On the platform were Rev. would tend to injury to itself. He hoped the Messrs. Pope, Payson, Dobson; Judge guns pointed at him through the would tend to highly done of the people at the next election, on the vote for the Scott Act, would use their franchise, and vote that it be carried. He was a strong believer in women suffrage and hoped soon to see the franchise and better in the set extended to them. The meeting closed with the benediction being pronounced. EVENING STAR LODGE, I. O. G. T. EVE people at the next election, on the vote for the Palmer, Mr. T. W. Daniel and the Presi- windows of his apartment, and the of Black River, has installed the following officers:—Samuel Morrison, W. C. T; Bella Armstrong, W. V. T; Geo. McAfee, W. S.; Mrs. Robert Stewart, W. A. S.; James Arm-Mrs. Robert Stewart, W. A. S.; coming election presented an issue which, All this time he is either screeching professional authorities give information on alcoming election presented an issue which, she said, "We women cannot meet. We would if we could—but cannot, because of the laws which you good brothers have made. Household suffrage and manhood suffrage rest on the theory that every woman, in some way, is represented by some man; so, gentlemen, please repre-sent us next election day." All this time he is either screeching for aid or begging for mercy. In fancied self-defence he may seize a weapon and commit manslaughter; or to rid himself of further trouble commit suicide. The patient generally recovers from forst attacks : but if the victim con-

PORTLAND DIVISION, NO. 7,

No. 5, S. of T., on the evening of the 10th. this or other diseases produced by the Addresses were made by Col. Baird, W. P. of Gurney Division, and John Rankine; recitations by Miss Kingston, James H. Carr, L. P. Crear and Levi DeLong; piano solos by Miss Rankin and Mr. McLean; was well filled on Tuesday evening, 8th inst., to songs by S. Henderson, J. T. Kelly, Thoe

by Miss Currie and Miss Duncan, J. Kelly, C. Richardson, and C. Maber; recitations by J. Woodrow, readings by Miss flight." Kingston, Miss Vradenburg, Mr. Good-year, A. J. Charlton, and C. Richardson; cornet solos by John Jenkins.

REV. MR. GORDON

addressed the audience in the W.C.T.U stoned, and his flesh shall not be eaten but the owner of the ox shall be quit.' of the liquor traffic. He said if an ox or a mad dog gored or bit your child they would have the animal destroyed. The license to sell spirituous liquors was allowing oxen to gore and dogs to bite their children. He was opposed to moral suasion in appealing to the liquor seller. The remedy for intemperance was prohibition. In conclusion, he said he was always prepared to work and fight for the extermination of the gigantic evil result. ing from intemperance. A vote of thanks was tendered the rev. gentleman, as was also done to the choir. Mr. Gordon responded and said he was always ready presided at the organ.

high window to escape from danger. ing the Riel Rebellion), its invaluable Question and Answer Department (in which the highest

first attacks ; but if the victim conpaid a fraternal visit to Gurney Division, tinues his evil habit, he either dies of ANNIVERSARY same cause, or finds himself in a lunatic asylum a hopeless maniac.

[For the Journal.] FOSTER ECHOES.

branch of the order a few weeks since. They have now started to call on THE GOO TEMPLARS, and will certainly fulfil their engagements in their usual highly creditable manner. Their first visit took place a few weeks since to first visit his own, will receive the first visit his own, we weeks since to first visit his own, will receive the first visit his own, we weeks since to first visit his own, we week s The world moves. A truism we when " One shall chase a thousand, and two shall put ten thousand to

> The Temperance Army does not even bear this proportion to the vast multitudes of opposers, yet a thousand enemies are hiding, and as the represtoned, and his flesh shall not be eaten; but the owner of the ox shall be quit." The speaker spoke at length on the evils of legislative action in regard to the questions of prohibition of manufac-The speaker spoke at length on the evils ture and sale of intoxicating drinks, woman's suffrage, etc, and they will remain unseen if Society's wheel is strong enough to bear the machinery through the different passes of Courts, Senates and Legislative halls.

The institution of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, held by the threefold cord of Province, County and Dominion, is a power to day, . but promises ere long to so harass and perplex the foe, as to demoralize his armies, and scatter his staggering Low Rates, hosts in flight beyond recall.

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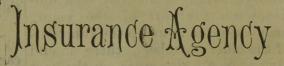
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The NORTHEBN MESSENGER, the Piohall, Portland, Sunday afternoon. The lecturer took as the foundation of his address the 28th verse of the 21st chapter of Exodus: 'If an ox gore a man or woman, that they die; then the ox shall be surely

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WELCOMED THE VISITORS

in a neat speech, and a very enjoyable evening temptation of the bar room and the other danwas spent. The following persons took part :---Bros. Geo, D. Martin, Geo. Thompson, H. Mrs. Geo. D. Martin, in readings; Miss A. songs by Misses Ella and Clara Woods, and Mr. F. Armstrong, P. W. P. H. A. McKeown enlivened the visit with one of his humorous speeches, and a happy gathering dispersed by singing the closing ode.

THE MUSICAL AN > LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT patronized, considering the inclement weather. The programme was large and varied, and well appreciated by those present,

The annual meeting of

THE PORTLAND W. C. T. U.,

Mersereau, in the chair. Miss Carrie B. Jordan, in a condition of poverty and indifference. the Secretary, submitted a report, showing the success which had attended the Industrial School. The receipts of the school during the year amounted to \$219.90, and the expenses \$208,40, leaving a small balance on hand. announced that Mr. Best had offered to give a magic lantern entertainment, provided the ladies would supplement the same with music. Secretary; Miss Berry, Treasurer. Directors-Mrs. W. A. Moore, Mrs. A. Barnhill, Mrs. D. V. Roberts. Mrs. T. Hilyard, jr., Mrs. Vaughan, Mrs. Dalton, Mrs. W. P. Dole, Miss Willis, Miss Carrie B. Barnhill. It was voted that the session of the industrial school should in future he held ing was brought to a close with prayer

GOSPEL TEMPERANCE MEETING

The gospel temperance meeting, Sunday afternoon, oth inst., was addressed by the Rev. J. O'Regan, Mr. Stewart, of Carleton Presbyterian Church. John Meahan occupied the chair, and W. H. Hugh Doherty, Smith led the singing. The 120th hymn was sung, the 20th chapter of Proverbs read, and an T. Collins, chairman. Thos. Kickham, secy earnest prayer offered up by Mr. Stewart. The rev. gentleman based his discourse from the 23d chapter of Deuteronomy, 8th verse : "The Lord day evening, 9th inst., was greeted with a storehouses," etc. After dwelling upon the gentleman or lady to venture out of their evils of intemperance he said that we are called homes, out the gifted lady orator is not on to construct the battlements and erect bar- afraid of water, neither were her audi-Dominion. We have the remedy within our reach to abolish the traffic, and should not let spoke for two hours on the opportunity pass. The Scott Act is not perfect; it is an honest attempt to check the

improving themselves, here they can meet enjoyed by all concerned. their friends for conversation secure from

gers that beset street walking. We have likewise, in connection with our Finch, R. Maxwell, Chas. Russell, D. Smith, association, a dramatic club for the benefit of those who might wish to advance themselves Taylor and Miss A. Law, in recitations; and in this manner, besides many other attractions.

Remember that all are welcome. It costs but the small sum of 12 cents per month, with 25 cents initiation fee.

The evil of intemperance is a growing one notwithstanding the many noble efforts made on the 3rd inst., at Reform Club hall, under the ness and disease, ruin and misery, vice and intemperance It is either the result the dear little children, holding aloft from time to time to impedeits progress. Sickauspices of Gordon Diviston, S. of T., was well degradation are as much its faults at the present time as they were a quarter of a century ago. Its bad effects are being felt to-day of a sudden deprivation of its use. among our young men to an alarming extent, a fact to which many a heart-broken father and mother can testify. We therefore appeal to all to take our hands in friendship and save in connection with the Industrial School, was for themselves and their families the money held on the 2nd inst., the President, Mrs. with which they are helping to make others nations, depressed spirits, frightful wealthy and influential, whilst they remain

We appeal to those who can be temperate without taking a pledge to join us and thereby give us their moral support. Your action may save a very intimate friend or relation.

several persons, and were thankfully acknow-ledged. The report was accepted and the Secretary complimented on its accuracy. It was

Mr. Best's offer was thankfully accepted. The children God has entrusted to their care, to election of officers resulted as follows: Mrs. join us and try and induce and influence all Baisley, President; Miss Carrie B. Jordan, under their care to become members of our tion, "I am poisoned! Give me Association.

Employers are appealed to if they wish faithful, honest employes. A temperance pledge should always be a strong recommendation, as more persons commit errors through strong drink than in any other way.

But we appeal especially to the influence of on Monday instead of Tuesday as heretofore. The industrial school will close on the Monday The industrial school will close on the Monday preceding Christmas, and re-open on the dear, for the sake of their future happiness, to Monday following New Year's. Mrs. Stephen- persuade their brothers and husbands to join son was highly complimented on her manage- us; and in making this request we have to ment of the school since its opening. The meet- thank them for the many obligations under which their kindness has placed us, and beg of

them renewed efforts in our cause. We are, on behalf of the Association, P McCarthy,

James Barry, J. L. Carleton. John Kennedy, Hugh O'Connor, D. J. Jennings, Geo. McSorley, John Allen,

Mrs Foster at the Institute, on Wednesriers to prevent the monster intemperance from tors. His Worship Mayor DeVeber pre- over him, while he is constantly that place. The officers are: entering into our homes, and into this fair sided, and introduced Mrs. Foster, who either evading these fearful objects, Jas. Forrest, W. P.; C. W. Dickson,

WOMAN VS. THF LIQUOR QUESTION.

sity of speaking from their pulpits against this the Legislative Remedy for Intemperance

members can spend the long winter evenings to Granite Rock. A real good time was

TEMPERANCE FROM A MEDICAL POINT OF VIEW.

BY J. G. ATKINSON, M. D.

We shall now describe one of the most horrible results of intemperance -Delirium Tremens, "The Horrors." This fearful disease belongs only to of prolonged alcoholic stimulation, or

Simple delirium tremens is attend. ed with feelings of extreme weakness, indescribable anxiety, fearful imagialarms, weak and confused mind, disturbed sleep, disordered digestion, hearty cheer.

On one occasion we knew a We appeal to the young men in the name of physician to administer a nervous this disease; but instead of getting Land."

quiet under its influence, so disordered were his mental faculties, that he rushed from the hotel, and ran into a drug shop, exclaiming in great agitasomething ! Quick ! Quick !"

quantity every half hour until he dose, when the writer, being present, took in the situation, and seized his ter building was most effective. arm, averting a fatal catastrophe.

In severe forms of this disease a

horrible spectacle is presented. The whole body is tremulous, and reason has left her throne,—a sleepless. raving, roaming victim. The illusions seem to be wonderfully real. The victim beholds hob-goblins of every possible shape peering and hissing at toads and creeping insects crawling pect of being a great moral power in temperance advocate." over him, while he is constantly that place. The officers are: "Lyman Abott, D. D.: "A very valuable mine of information."

or busily searching for them among W. A.; W. V. Benn, R. S.; Annie his clothing. Some object of terror Johnston, A. R. S.; H. Kirkpatrick, On Thursday evening the weather was is always present. Sometimes he F. S.; Bertie Tompkins, T.; Joseph evil—it is the entering wedge to prohibition. If we would be safe we should erect those barriers fine, and the Institute was completely imagines that he is pursued by jus-W. Benn, Chap.; Alex. Benn, Con.; to do away with the evil. All the churches-Protestant and Catholic—have seen the neces-ladies, to hear Mr. Foster on ' Prohibition tice, cr by an inveterate foe ; at other Eva Fleming, A. C. ; David Hendertimes he is attacked by murderous son, I. S.; Chas. Blue, O. S.

institutions are working out the old prophecy, and was exemplified in the person of our American representative, whose labors among us have been so blessed that the attention of all classes of society is turned to the subject of prohibition. Her right royal welcome in Fredericton will ever be a bright spot in her life. Whose heart did not thrill at sight of their blazing torches, and stepping with regular pace, in front of the slowly rolling coach with its precious freight; and when the little band in regular file lined the outer steps of City Hall, as Mrs. Foster, of Foster London Guarantee & Accident Co. Lodge, passed up, all joined in a-

The audience rose as she entered, while the Union's Flag lying on the bosom of England's proud Ensign, Donations of money and material were made by Description of the sound mention of the sound mention of the sound mention of the sound sedarive to a patient afflicted with spoke to her of "Home, and Native

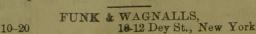
The welcome was renewed on Sabbath afternoon when, at the instigation of L. W. Johnston, Esq., the assembly rose to their feet, and waved their handkerchiefs with right good

Her masterpiece was the will. He was given a poisonous emetic closing lecture, which has made some with directions to take a certain doubters search the old records to find the exact height and circumfervomited. Before reaching the street ence of the amazing, even supernatural structure, the far-famed Pyramid. Her application to charac-

J. J. S.

CENTENARY DIVISION, S. OF T.

The members of Garibaldi Division, of Benton, Carleton County, made a visit to Dubec lately, and formed a Division of the S. of T. in that thriving community. The new Division has received the name of shall command the blessing upon thee in thy fair audience. The evening was unfit for him from every corner of his room, "Centenary," and starts out with a vermin, venomous snakes, rats, mice, goodly membership and every pros-



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