

LEAVE THE LIQUOR ALONE.

I'm anxious to tell you a bit of my mind,
If it won't put you out of the way;
For I feel very certain you'll each of you find
There's wisdom in what I would say.
We've maxims and morals enough and to spare,
But I have got one of my own
That helps me to prosper and laugh at dull care,
It's leave the liquor alone.
Leave the liquor alone, my lads,
Leave the liquor alone;
If you'd win success and escape distress,
Leave the liquor alone.
To avoid neglect and to win respect
Leave the liquor alone.

The brewer can ride in a coach and pair,
The drinker must trudge on the road;
One gets through the world with a jaunty air,
The other bends under a load.
The brewer gets all the beer, my lads,
And the drinker picks the bone;
If you'd have your share of good things, take care,
And leave the liquor alone.
Leave the liquor alone, my lads,
Leave the liquor alone;
You'll enjoy good health, and you'll gain
In wealth,
If you leave the liquor alone.
A man full of malt isn't worth his salt;
Leave the liquor alone.

A drinker is ready to own at last
He played a losing game;
How glad would he be to recall the past
And earn him a noble name!
Don't reach old age with this vain regret
For a time that's past and gone;
You may win a good prize in life's lottery yet
If you'll leave the liquor alone.
Leave the liquor alone, my lads,
Leave the liquor alone;
You'll find some day it's the safest way
To leave the liquor alone.
Resolve like men not to touch again;
Leave the liquor alone.

COMMUNICATIONS

(For the JOURNAL.)

WHO WILL REJOICE?

Mr. Editor.—A gentleman formerly a well-known resident of this city, writing to me recently, and referring to the coming Scott Act contest, uses the following language.

"I wish and cannot but expect that you will be successful. What is the moral status of those who will rejoice if you fail? Few right thinking men will be willing to put themselves in the company of such.

It will be a sad blow indeed to our cause if Fredericton should go back on her record, and again become a consenting party to a legalized liquor traffic. I hope better things for my native town."

These words seem to me so suggestive as to merit a place in your excellent paper.

Yours,

RECHABITE

(For the JOURNAL.)

WHAT A DISGRACE IT WOULD BE!

Mr. Editor.—What an awful calamity and disgrace it would be if the temperance people of our city were to remain at home on the election day, and there should be run voters enough to repeal the Act, and that we should have to return to the old Satanic License System. Whoever is found voting for repeal, is to all intents and purposes responsible for all murders, all the wife beating, all the half-clothed and hungry children, all the black eyes, all the street brawls, all the poor victims that come under the tender mercies of the police magistrate, all who go to the poor house and asylum, and lots of other crimes too numerous to mention, caused by the effects of the rum traffic. Some will say, why any more so than than now? Well, the difference is just here. You then make it lawful and give your sanction for the rum seller to prepare men for all the above named crimes, and if any hanging is to be done, hang all who by their votes make it lawful for the man who may commit the murder while under the influence of the liquor, and pray for him that does the act that he may be forgiven, as he knows not what he is doing. Oh, fellow citizen, as you value good law and order, come up to the ballot box like men, and stand shoulder to shoulder with us and help to suppress the greatest curse that ever was or will be upon the earth,—the Rum Traffic.

Yours very truly,

TEMPERANCE.

Fredericton Sept. 15th, 1885.

(For the Journal.)

A GOOD TIME.

Quit: an interesting meeting was held last night in Newcastle Division Room. The ladies of the Newcastle W. C. T. U. had asked to be allowed to meet the members for the purpose of making some enquiries and getting some information on matters in which the members of both organizations were or should be interested. The division after the usual opening ceremonies threw open their doors to the ladies and a very pleasant hour was spent in the discussion of various subjects in relation to the Canada Temperance Act.

The ladies asked through their secretary, Miss Parker, what was the reason the executions issued on former convictions were not acted upon and the parties made to pay the fines for which the executions were issued, and also why no other complaints were being made

and the parties selling in defiance of the law brought to justice, stating that if money was wanted for that purpose, they were willing to donate what funds they had on hand to that purpose and if more was required they would raise it.

The ladies were informed that the executions were in the hands of the Deputy Sheriff, and he had promised to attend to the matter as soon as the Circuit Court, now sitting, had completed its sitting, which would probably be on Saturday, Sept. 19th.

It was explained that owing to the Canada License Law being not at present in force, we could not expect the officers under that law could prosecute offenders under the C. T. Act, but that as soon as the previous convictions were completed that there was every probability of some new cases being brought before the Stipendiary Magistrate for trial. After a very pleasant interchange of ideas on various subjects the division was closed, previous to which a vote of thanks was passed to the ladies for the interest they manifested in the cause of temperance and also expressing the hope that we should often have the pleasure of their presence at our meetings.

A SON OF TEMPERANCE.

Newcastle, Sept. 18, 1884.

(For THE JOURNAL.)

DOWN WITH THE PETITION!

BURY IT AT THE HUSTINGS; WITH BALLOTS FOR A SHROUD.

Women of Fredericton, courage! remember your prayers in the past turned the scale for victory, your enemies themselves being judges. You, also strengthened the hands of the women of Sackville in their last fierce struggle; and when your congratulations in their dearly bought victory were received, they pledged themselves to stand by you in like conflict. Their enemies took revenge in their own peculiar way, by firing property, destroying trees etc. One instance of the courage of these noble women, who literally "bearded the lion in his den." There was one stronghold of the enemy where for years he had reigned undisturbed; the people were fierce and besotted; almost outside the pale of civilization. Strong men stood back; not one ventured to invade the enemy's territory. They wanted votes, but who so brave as to canvass Midgie in the interests of temperance, by a foregone conclusion, the place was doomed. A gentle Christian lady suddenly found the weight of those rough, blaspheming tipplers laid upon her shrinking soul. A few votes even of these men might gain the Scott Act, or lose it.

It must be won, and she must do it. Temperance Women of Fredericton, don't you know what that means? She collected a few simple tracts, like pebbles from the brook. The horse was attached to the carriage—must she go? Oh, that something might happen! Was she required to do this thing? The voice within prevailed, and in company with a friend she started forward; the approach to the village was revealed by a few stragglers smoking their black pipes as they sauntered along, then a group before a doubtful looking building; and with a prayer for help she dashed into their midst. Muttered oaths, and leering looks greeted her. She told her errand; some swore, others listened. She had gained their hearts; what an easy victory; but was it easy? Her next visit was to a besotted woman, whose coarseness was even more repulsive than that of the men, but the blessed name of Jesus subdued the evil spirit, and she shed human tears. The young missionary returned joyful and glad of heart, the certain wages of self denying work for the master. The result of that simple effort was seen at the polls. Forty six votes from Midgie; where else, not one would have been cast.

Let your motto be, No Rum, No License.

J. J. S.

(For the JOURNAL.)

"SEBA" RAMBLINGS.

We do not know that the lines written under the above caption are read with much interest, but the writer being a man who has the deepest interest in the reclamation and reformation of humanity,—for having been down in the very depths of that "which changes men to brutes, and makes women bow their heads,"—his heart and very soul is aiming to advance the cause of temperance. However, as we have attempted to show the work done by the pleasant and profitable visitations of Victoria Temple of Honor, of St. John, to a

we will, with your permission, return to the two last visits made by the Temple, various Divisions of Sons of Temperance, on the 8th inst. to No. 250, and on the 11th to No. 275. On the former date Valley Division threw open its doors to the Temple, who marched in regalia, with Brother Wm. Lewis acting V. C. T. in the absence of Worthy Chief Templar Brother Louis Ansley. P. W. P. James Hargreaves presented the Temple to the Division in a brief and hearty welcome speech, showing the amount of good that is being derived from these visits, by the strengthening of the ties of brotherly love, and he hoped those visits would long continue. Brother Lewis responded on behalf of the Temple, saying he also endorsed the sentiments of Bro. Hargreaves, and came with the determination of spending a pleasant evening, as he had done before on his visit to the Valley. Bro. Lewis is a great favorite with the Temple, as, indeed, he is in "Old Albion," of which he is an honored member, and among all the organizations with which he visits. He made a pithy and original speech, which was immensely enjoyed by his hearers, and concluded with a story of an Indian prayer touching on the evils of intemperance. W. P. Sterling also extended a hearty welcome to Victoria Temple, and predicted a happy time for both orders, as a lengthy programme had been arranged for the entertainment. This consisted of songs, recitations, speeches and readings. Bro. Henry Duffell, who has reached over the allotted threescore years, rendered a beautiful song, prefaced by a sketch of his early life in connection with the Order of the Sons of Temperance. Bro. Duffell is Worthy Recorder of the Temple, and takes a very deep interest in these fraternal visits. Another ardent Templar, Son of Temperance, and Good Templar, is Bro. Calvin Powers, whose voice is always raised in any reformatory institution. He was called on, and interested the audience in a short but neat and mirth-provoking speech. Bro. Powers is a very earnest worker in the temperance reform, having seen a great deal of ruin caused by intemperance in his official capacity as sub-inspector, and in connection with the law courts of St. John.

Valley Division, for the short time it has been in existence, (three years) has initiated more members than any other branch of the Order in the same time. The writer has assisted in initiating as many as seventeen in one evening, and they have saved many unfortunates (male and female) and placed them on the roll of respectable citizens. Their gospel temperance meetings, held in their own hall the first two winters, have been productive of much good. The monster demonstration held at Sussex last July was gotten up by the members of Valley Division, prominent among whom may be mentioned John McFadden, Josiah Fowler, Alex. Rankin, A. J. Armstrong, and others. The net receipts amounted to something over \$100, which will be devoted to paying off the indebtedness on their hall. This Division meets on Tuesday evenings, in the city of Portland, and their entertainments are very amusing, and call forth visitors from many sister branches of the Order. Friday evening Victoria Temple of Honor paid a fraternal visit to Gordon Division, S. of T., in the Reform Club hall. The attendance was large and the evening was very enjoyable to all present. Henry Wills, acting P. W. P., delivered an address of welcome, after which a lengthy programme was carried out, consisting of readings by Robert Maxwell, W. C. Simpson, C. Power, G. D. Martin and James Gillis; songs by Thomas E. Dyer, W. Duffell, John Russell, and Sergt. Richardson; recitation by Miss M. Dyer; addresses by C. Power, John Beamish, H. A. McKeown, D. McNally and Robert Wills, all of which was entered upon with earnestness, the speakers enthusiastically calling on all the members to rally to the standard of the temperance candidate, irrespective of politics or party. This meeting terminated the fraternal visits of Victoria Temple of Honor to the Order of Sons of Temperance, and they have tended to cement the ties of all the temperance organizations. It is to be hoped that their visits among the Order of Good Templars will be even more blessed, and bring forth fruit abundantly.

A literary and musical entertainment was given under the auspices of Gordon Division at their hall on the 3rd inst. The entertainment was pronounced to be one of the best ever held under the Order of Sons of Temperance.

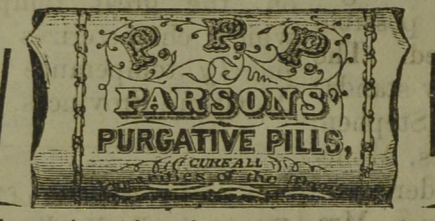
At the meeting of Victoria Temple of Honor, held on Tuesday evening, 15th inst., an unusual happy time was spent. A number of prominent members of Albion Division were present, including Bro. John D. Robertson, D. Thompson Dr. Berryman, Everett Smith and others. Speeches were indulged in and greetings exchanged freely. Bro. Calvin Powers, of the Temple, gave an appropriate reading, entitled "Work to do," but was much disturbed while reading it, by the entrance into the hall of the most Worthy Associate of the National Division, brother Charles A. Everett, who was warmly and heartily received. Bro. Everett, the present candidate in the Liberal Conservative interests is also a member of Victoria Temple, but

Name, Location, Night of Meeting, and Name of Deputy of the Subordinate Divisions of New Brunswick.

DIVISION.	No.	LOCATION	MEETING.	DEPUTY.
Howard	1	St. Stephen	Friday	Sedgefield Webber.
Wilberforce	3	Milltown, St. Stephen	Monday	Harrison McAllister.
Gurney	5	Market Building, St. John	Thursday	Robert Wills.
Portland	7	Orange Hall, Portland	Monday	A. Y. Paterson.
Albion	14	Market Building, St. John	Wednesday	David Thompson.
Queens	21	Gagetown	Saturday	Henry J. DeVeber.
Northumberland	37	Chatham	Friday	George Stothart.
Albert	39	Hillsboro, Albert Co.	Wednesday	John J. Steeves.
Sackville	40	Sackville, West. Co.	Tuesday	J. C. Harper.
Richibucto	42	Richibucto, Kent Co.	Friday	Allen Haines.
Kingston	44	Kingston, Kent Co.	Tuesday	B. S. Bailey.
Newcastle	45	Newcastle	Thursday	Daniel McGruar.
Westmorland	50	Point de Bute, West. Co.	Thursday	J. Amos Trueman.
Goldon Rule	51	Hopewell Hill, Albert Co.	Tuesday	L. R. Moore.
Safeguard	58	Pennfield, Charlotte Co.	Saturday	W. N. Bucknam.
Johnston	62	Cambridge, Queen's Co.	Saturday	George S. Wilson.
Dalhousie	64	Dalhousie	Monday	George Haddow.
Baie Verte	65	Baie Verte	Wednesday	Robert Goewin.
Dover	70	Dover, Westmorland Co.	Wednesday	Wm Steeves.
Granite Rock	77	Carleton, St. John	Tuesday	Henry Finch.
Nelson	99	Derby, North. Co.	Monday	John Betts.
Caledonia	126	Douglastown, North. Co.	Wednesday	James Henderson.
Collina	129	Collina Corner, Kings Co.	.....	Jacob J. Keirstead.
Oxford	134	Upper Gagetown, Q. Co.	Tuesday	James E. Coy.
Garibaldi	151	Benton, Carleton Co.	.....	A. Teed
St. Martins	164	St. Martins, St. John Co.	Tuesday	Jas. B. Hodsmyth.
Moncton	183	Moncton	Monday	Edward McCarthy.
Crystal Stream	191	Salisbury, West. Co.	Saturday	Wm McNaughton.
Lime Rock	207	South Bay, St. John Co.	Monday	Wm. Roxborough.
Everett	238	Milford, St. John Co.	Wednesday	John Waring.
Intercolonial	243	Moncton	Thursday	Albert McWilliams.
Victoria	245	Victoria Mills, West. Co.	.....	James Main.
Baillie	248	Baillie, St. James, Char. Co.	.....	John W. Mann.
Harcourt	249	Weldford, Kent Co.	.....	Henry Wather.
Valley	250	Portland	Tuesday	Josiah Fowler.
Havelock	251	Butternut Ridge, King's Co.	.....	Ezra Keith.
Peticodiac	252	Peticodiac, West. Co.	.....	David Jonah.
Sunnyside	253	Lewis Mountain, West. Co.	.....	Robt Lewis.
Mose Rose	254	Deer Island, Char. Co.	.....	A. T. Lloyd.
Britannia	255	Millstream, Kings Co.	.....	C W Weyman.
Spreading Oak	256	Little Ridge, Char. Co.	.....	Alex. F. Matheson.
Lansdowne	257	Fredericton	Thursday	Herman H. Pitts.
Union	258	Kouchibouguac, Kent Co.	.....	D. W. Grierson.
Charlo	259	River Charlo, Rest. Co.	.....	John H Galbraith.
Mountain Rose	260	Steeves' Mountain, West. Co.	.....	Richard Lutz, Sr.
Lawrenceville	261	Lawrence Station, Char. Co.	.....	F. S. Richardson.
Spring	262	Hampton, King's Co.	.....	George Barnes.
Mayflower	263	Pomroy Ridge, Char. Co.	.....	Wesley Moulton.
Iona	264	Scotch Ridge, Char. Co.	.....	A. S. McKenzie.
Oak	265	Oak Hill, Char. Co.	.....	Dr J G Atkinson.
Wills	266	Tower Hill, Char. Co.	.....	Stephen S. Smith.
Rockland	267	Graves' Settlement, West Co.	.....	George Johnston.
Star Branch	268	McAdam Junction, York Co.	.....	E. W. Brownell.
Stewart	269	2d Falls, St. George Char. Co.	.....	Ammon Sherwood.
Red Granite	270	St. George, Char. Co.	.....	Thomas McGowan.
Cardwell	271	Penobsquis, King's Co.	.....	James W. Floyd.
Miltdown	272	St Nicholas River, Kent Co.	.....	James Murray.
Hampton	273	Hampton Village, Kings Co.	.....	Guilford Flewelling.
Leading Star	274	Bloomfield, Kings Co.	.....	O A Wetmore.
Gordon	275	Good Templar Hall St John	Friday	H P Sandall.
Twilight	276	Eagle Settlement West'd Co.	.....	G A Taylor.
Middleton	277	Salisbury, Westmorland Co.	.....	Jas B Henry.
Rising Sun	278	Heathland, Charlotte Co.	.....	Levi Hall.
Star of Hope	279	Goshen Corner, Albert Co.	.....	David W Goodall.
Rosefield	280	St Mary's, Kent Co.	.....	Warren Vincent.
Elgin	281	Elgin, Albert Co.	.....	Geo. Smith A. B.
Springfield	282	Springfield, Kent Co.	G. M. Wetmore.
Grand Lake	283	Whites Cove, Grand Lake	H. E. White.

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during the campaign does not have any spare time to visit the lodge room. However, in due course of time he delivered one of the (as Bro. Lewis remarked) best temperance speeches he had ever heard—never once hinting on the election soon to take place or touching on politics, but earnestly appealing to the members to always strive and place the unfortunate backslider again on the solid rock of temperance. Thos. E. Dyer, W. P. of Gordon Division, and Bro. John Law, favored the meetings with songs as did Bro. Lewis, Robertson Thompson, Ellis, Simpson, Duffell, and the acting W. C. D. McNally, in speeches, readings, etc.

There is to be an entertainment at the Mechanic's Institute on the 22nd under the auspices of the W. C. T. Union and all the temperance organizations are to appear in regalia.

The work goes bravely on in the temperance ranks in favor of sending Bro. Everett to Ottawa. Politics is cast aside by the solid temperance men, and they are determined to add another strong wedge to launch the ship "Prohibition," when the proper time arrives. Bro. Everett and his friends are sanguine of success.

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By order,
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Sec. of the Dept. of Agriculture,
Ottawa, 1st Sept., 1885.