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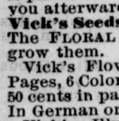
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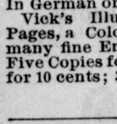
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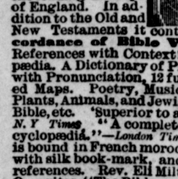
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AMHERST, April 5.—Temperance matters in this county have been somewhat lively during the past week. A large and influential gathering of the friends of temperance filled the Music Hall here last evening. The platform was graced with the presence of some fifteen of the ladies of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, four clergymen and a number of the leading temperance men from other parts of the county. The meeting was called to take into consideration a circular recently issued by the Executive of the Cumberland County Prohibitory Alliance, and some adverse criticism thereon by some of the License commissioners.

W. H. Rodgers, Esq., was the leading speaker, and it is safe to say that he never did up a job of the kind more to his credit. Knowing the temptation to retaliate in the same coarse kind of language used by some of the commissioners, it was feared he might overstep the bounds of prudence, but those who were watching for spots through which to pierce his armor, went away disappointed. The effort in defence of the circular, and the principles of prohibition, were most able and eloquent.

Warden Wilson, who was also on the platform, made a feeble reply and attempted some flimsy excuses, but Mr. Rogers soon disposed of each of them. The clergymen and commissioner Lowe also spoke ably and with good effect.

At the close a resolution was passed unanimously endorsing the circular. Some half a dozen or so of a certain class near the door, attempted, by repeating nay, nay, to get up an opposition to the passing of this resolution, without effect.

The meeting can well be counted a grand victory for the temperance cause, and places Mr. Rogers in the front rank as an advocate and defender of temperance principles.

The friends of the Scott Act are quite jubilant over the passing of the amendment which will make this Act now in force in this county.—*Moncton Transcript.*

What Will be Done With Me There.

A wretched inebriate, a few years since, in the city of New York, a printer by trade, and a man of fine natural endowments, was dying. He was sober now, however, and, alluding to the near by eternity, he said:

"I am going to see what will be done with me there."

Like every other dying man in his senses, he looked for something great before him, fixing his destiny for ever. Such an experience awaits all the earth; every living soul, great or small, every one, at some future day is to go into the other world "to see what will be done with him there."

But here is a different case. When the good Thomas Hooker, founder of the city of Hartford, Connecticut, was dying, one who stood near him at his bedside said, "Sir, you are going to receive the reward of all your labors." Upon this the good man immediately and emphatically answered, "Brother, I am going to obtain mercy." Turning off his eyes from all his ministerial labors, he knows that his sins and his sinfulness needed mercy, and that without it he would be lost forever. His intelligent christian soul was so full of thoughts, on the one hand of God's purity and justice, and on the other of his own comparative worthlessness, that he could not bear the slightest suggestion of a reward due to him, but must needs speak out his only hope and expectation, namely, that of mercy.

Now let us notice the difference between these two men instanced. The inebriate spoke as though he did not know what would be done with him there, or at least as one whose fears were prevailing over all hope, and extinguishing it. There was nothing of cheer or relief in his most pitiable exclamation. It must have sounded to his comrade like the knell of his spirit's death.

But the other spoke very decidedly as one whose hopes, not fears, were uppermost. "Brother," said he "I am going to obtain mercy." Quite sure was he of the mercy. "I am going to obtain it." But why so sure? One reason was, that he knew of God's attribute of mercy. Another was, he knew that the Gospel of Christ was an entire system of mercy. But these two things were not enough; something else was needed for his buoyant confidence. And this undoubtedly was it, that he had sought this mercy through the blood of Jesus—had asked for it here, and so expected it there. It had been a life-long prayer with him that he might "find grace and obtain help" for his soul. And now that he was about to die, he was comforted and sustained by the assurance that this, his wonted prayer, would not return void into his bosom.

A gasping death-prayer for mercy is undeniably better than nothing. But how much better is it that the prayer should go up long before us to heaven's door, preparing the path for our feet, ere death makes our steps so feeble and tottering and our tongues so palsied and halting in their best utterances.

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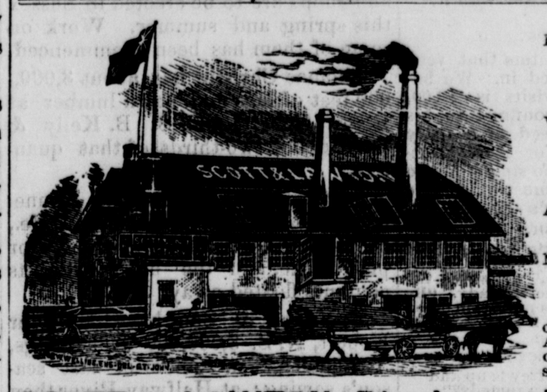
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