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SCOTLAND TRYING IT.

When two of their leaders differ so materially on the best means of restricting the liquor traffic, temperance people may well pause and ask themselves which road they are to take. Mr. Foster has evidently finally abandoned prohibition and become an advocate of the Gothenburg system or state control, while his relative and former dependent, Dr. McLeod denounces this plan in the strongest language he can employ, and professes to want prohibition and nothing else. These gentlemen who so long clung together for mutual interests, are evidently at the parting of the ways.

With regard to the system which Mr. Foster advocates much has been written, and its advocates claim for it a decided advantage from every standpoint over all other means of restricting the liquor traffic. In Scotland, the Halifax Chronicle says, the people are making private experiments in the directions of the Gothenburg system. Several places have tried it, the county of Fife being the pioneer in the business. In the village of Hill of Beath, a so-called Gothenburg public house has been in operation for five years. The Fife Coal company produced a license for a converted cottage, which was at first managed by a committee nominated by the company and the villagers jointly. Only good, well matured liquor was purchased, and good management was consistently aimed at. Ultimately the company purchased the house and turned over the concern to the Hill of Beath Tavern society. The total receipts up to September, 1900, were \$45,055, and the total profits \$10,395. By its articles, the society is bound, after paying a fixed percentage on the capital, to devote the rest of the profits to public uses; and this mining town of 1,300 inhabitants has already been furnished by its tavern with its reading room, a bowling green, and electric light in the streets, and is revelling in the prospect of a football ground and a better library and recreation room. A similar experiment has been started in the large adjoining mining village of Kelty, and there is every reason for expecting that the results will be fully as satisfactory. The total abstinence party oppose the system, holding that one public house is just as bad as another, but the moderates deny this flatly, and point to the record as proof of the moral superiority of the Gothenburg institution.

The prompt manner in which Attorney General Pugsley met the request of Fredericton citizens for a further investigation into the suspicious circumstances surrounding Col. Hewitson's death, is very gratifying, and it is to be hoped that no stone will be left unturned in the proposed enquiry.

Hon Geo W Howlan, who for many years occupied a prominent place in the political life of P. E. Island, is dead, aged 66. He was a member of the Island legislature for years, sat in the Senate, and held the governorship from 1894 to 1899.

Esterhazy has made affidavit that the bordereau on which Dreyfus was condemned, was written by him, Esterhazy, with the connivance of Col. Sandher, ex-chief of the secret intelligence bureau.

Mr. Dechene, M. P. for Lislet, Quebec, has been appointed to the Senate, vice Ross, deceased. The vacancy created by the death of Dr Almon of Halifax is still unfilled.

The Sun's Ottawa correspondent, having devoted column after column to writing down Mr Blair and Mr Emmerson, devotes an entire letter to denouncing Mr. Logan, M.P. for Cumberland, whose chief offence is that he is fond of society, and attends five o'clock teas. A few sessions ago the Tory papers thought it necessary to direct public attention to the fact that Mr. Sifton had been taking dancing lessons and drove a coach and pair. If this style of criticism were adopted by the Liberal papers, we should have a woodcut of Mr Hazen in his golf costume. The littleness of Toryism is well illustrated by the Sun's attention to Mr Logan.

In his able sermon at the Methodist church last night, Rev. G. M. Campbell had something to say regarding political parsons, giving it as his opinion that the field of active politics is not the place for clergymen. In the pulpit the clergyman can exercise a potent influence in moulding the opinions of his people in clean political methods, in denouncing political corruption and double dealing, but when he gets down to the ordinary tactics of the politicians and becomes one of them he degrades his high and sacred calling and loses that influence which he might otherwise have for good.

Mr. Stavert, the new manager of the Bank of New Brunswick is infusing new life into that staid and staunch old financial institution. Branches are to be opened at Sussex and Campbellton, and it is proposed to buy up the Bank of Summerside, which does business in Mr. Stavert's native place. It has often been a wonder that the Bank of New Brunswick years ago did not establish branches in New Brunswick towns. Had that occurred the institution would now be doing a large part of the business that is controlled by outside banks.

The late Mr. Black's newspaper in this city is very hard on somebody whom it accuses of a number of financial irregularities. It is to be hoped that the eye of Mr. Black in his distant western home will not fall upon the article. It might injure his feelings.

The Herald takes the liberty of suggesting that in the Empire day exercises of the public schools in this city, somebody should deliver an oration or read a paper on the late Judge King, the father of New Brunswick's free school system.

The Moncton Transcript has discovered that of the nine gentlemen comprising the City Council of that place only one is a native of Moncton, the same condition as exists in Fredericton.

All the Tories of New Brunswick except three or four of Dr. McLeod's immediate friends, are anxious that the election petitions shall be dropped.

The efforts of a local newspaper to kill the exhibition project is not meeting with the success it hoped for.

A HERO'S DEATH.

Sacrificed His Own Life to Save a Friend.

Indianapolis, Ind, May 13—William Phelps, of Richmond, Ky. and James Stansbury, of this city, were cleaning the inside of an eight foot upright boiler at the Cerealine Mills Saturday afternoon when an employe turned on the steam thinking the cock was tight. It leaked and the scalding steam poured in on the two men. The only exit was up a ladder to a man hole in the top. Both jumped for the ladder. Phelps reached it first, took one step and stopped. He jumped aside and shouted: "You go first, Jim; you're married."

Stansbury sprang up the ladder and escaped with slight burns about the face and legs. Though Phelps followed at his heels, his act of heroism cost him his life. By the time he had followed Stansbury up the ladder the flesh was dropping from his limbs. He was cooked alive and with supreme efforts dragged his scalded body from the manhole. He lived for two hours in terrible agony, but did not let a groan escape him. "It was Jim's right to go first," said he quietly.

Mrs Charles McPherson, of Oromocto, mother of Mrs Jas F VanBuskirk, of this city, is dangerously ill with pneumonia.

PERSONAL INTELLIGENCE.

Movements of People in Whom Our Readers Are Interested.

Ralph A March spent Sunday in the city.

R M Belyea of St John is a guest at the Queen.

Premier Tweedie is expected here tomorrow.

J. D. Hazen M. P. P. was in the city to day, a guest at the Barker.

Mrs Dr Crockett is rapidly recovering from her recent severe illness.

Bruce McG. Caldwell of the railway postal service, spent Sunday here.

Mrs Arthur Edgcombe returned Saturday evening from several days stay in St. John.

Dr and Mrs Holden, of St John, spent Sunday here, the guests of Mr and Mrs T Carleton Allen.

J F Black, of St. John, representing the Messenger and Visitor, is in the city in the interests of that paper.

Miss Bona Johnston, arrived home from Somerville, Mass., this afternoon to spend a vacation with her parents, Mr and Mrs L W Johnston.

The engagement is announced of Miss Wetmore, only daughter of Judge E. L. Wetmore, of Moosomin, formerly of this city, to Mr. Christie, of the Union Bank, Moosomin.

Mrs Shaw of Lowell, Mass., arrived today to visit her mother, Mrs James Gibson, at Marysville.

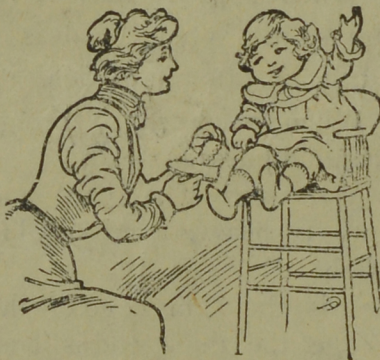
Gerald Loggie is to take the examination here tomorrow for entrance to the Royal Military College, Kingston.

A S Murray is performing the duties of provincial emigration agent at St John during the illness of Hon Robt Marshall.

E H Allen, accompanied by his sons Richard and Byron, left for Moncton this morning. Mrs. Allen and the other members of the family are stopping at the Queen until Thursday when Mr. Allen returns to take them to Moncton.

E. H. Allen

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NOTICE.

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SEALED TENDERS will be received at the City Clerk's Office up to

FRIDAY,

the 17th day of May

inst., for the following goods and work in connection with the repairing the City Council Room, viz.:

Tenders for painting the walls and woodwork of the Council Room, and also for tinting and coloring the ceilings. Contractors to figure on a first class job in each instance, and to furnish separate figures for painting and tinting.

Tenders for supplying and laying brussels carpet on the floor inside of the Council Hall and also on the platforms. Samples to be submitted if possible. Also for supplying and laying sufficient linoleum or cork carpet to cover the floor outside of the Council Hall. Tenders to give individual figures for carpet, linoleum, and cork carpet. Samples requested. Also for supplying and hanging six sets of curtains on the Council Room windows. Samples of material to be submitted with tender.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted

G. W. MERRITHEW,
Chairman of the City Hall Committee.
Fredericton, N. B., May 10th, 1901.
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