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RESPONSIBILITY

It is a fallacy to assume that intemperance is a result of the existence of liquor saloons. The saloons are a result of the drinking habit on the part of the people. As the Rev. W. Camp very properly stated in an address last evening there are liquor saloons in this city because the people of the city want them. Hence mere denunciation of liquor dealers will not bring about a reform. It is in itself a form of intemperance, that rouses antagonism rather than a desire to work for the needed reform. Effort concentrated upon public feeling, to arouse the public conscience to a moving sense of evil to be overthrown, produces the best results.

In connection with law enforcement, it is worthy of note that the Canadian Pacific Railway, which is not infrequently criticised adversely, has just set an example of what a people really in earnest about law enforcement could do. The railway company suffered because of the existence of an illegal dram-shop. Their detective secured evidence and no less than fifteen fines have been heaped in one lot upon the violator of the law. What the C. P. R. can do at McAdam the people can do in any place where liquor is illegally sold. Where it is legally sold the responsibility still rests upon the people. They permit it to be sold, accept the revenue derived from license, and endure the evil that is inflicted upon society.

INTER-IMPERIAL

Complaint is frequently made of the inability of Canadian newspapers to get English news except at ruinous prices. The Victorian Colonist has an interesting article on this question as follows:—

"The Vancouver board of trade at its meeting on Tuesday evening initiated a movement which we are sure will be joined in most heartily by the press and various public bodies all over the Dominion—to secure the establishment of an inter-Imperial news agency as a means of discouraging the present use of so much matter which emanates from an American source, thus shutting out topics of a Canadian and Imperial color. An attempt to meet the needs of the situation in this respect was made some years ago by the federal government, which bonused an agency in London, which under the title of the Canadian Associated Press Association, has been sending despatches to a number of Canadian newspapers; but the plan has proved largely a failure. The project now set afoot aims at arranging for a thoroughly efficient service. That it is badly needed is universally admitted, a majority of the newspapers of Canada being compelled to use "news" of Imperial interest cabled from London, especially colored for the purposes of the press of the United States. It is to be sincerely hoped, therefore, that the question of better service, which has now been revived by the Vancouver board of trade, will be taken hold of vigorously from one end of Canada to the other and that some practical plan may be evolved therefrom."

WELL FOUNDED PROTEST

The city of Toronto feels the effect of the influx of undesirable immigrants, perhaps more than it is felt by other Canadian cities. At all events the citizens of Toronto find it no easy matter to look after the indigent, diseased and morally unfit persons thrown upon their generosity. Hence they strongly desire that greater care be taken in the selection of immigrants to this country. At a meeting of representatives of various organizations last week a series of five strong resolutions was adopted, in substance as follows:—

"To ask the Dominion government to adopt stringent measures for preventing the influx into Canada of immigrants undesirable by reason of mental, moral or physical disease.

"To ask the Dominion government to adopt more expeditious methods of deporting undesirable immigrants, and to relieve the benevolent societies of the burden of their maintenance.

"To ask the Dominion and Ontario governments to ascertain the classes of immigrants most suited to Canada's needs, and use means to ensure their being brought to this country.

"To ask the Ontario government to establish a labor bureau in Toronto, where all new arrivals may obtain free information where suitable employment can be obtained, and that the same facilities of transportation be afforded them as is now afforded agricultural laborers.

"To ask the Dominion and Ontario governments to relieve the benevolent societies of the burden of supporting newly arrived immigrants by making more adequate provision for their housing."

The east as well as the west has its immigration problems, and there will be a very general endorsement of the views of the Toronto meeting. Quality, not quantity, should be the watchword, and benevolent organizations should not be heavily burdened with the care of immigrants. They have enough to do in the purely local field.

St. John people will read with interest that the militia department has recommended an appropriation of $100,000 towards the erection of a new drill hall in Ottawa. It is explained that this does not mean that only $100,000 will be spent, but this grant would enable the department of public works to begin the work of construction. The site has not yet been selected, but the deputy minister of militia declares that "there will be little difficulty in getting the site if the appropriation is made." If the department felt equally confident regarding the site in St. John the drill hall here might yet be erected, perhaps as soon as that at Ottawa. Possibly Dr. Pugsley will help the department in this matter.

Already this fall about 125,000 laborers from the United States have returned to Europe, and the movement is growing, as a result of the industrial reaction in the States. A New York despatch of Nov. 15th says:—At present steamship companies are confronted by an unprecedented rush of steerage passengers to Europe, and they are not able to carry all who are seeking immediate transportation. The Hamburg-American liner Amerika, sailing Thursday for Hamburg took out 2000 steerage passengers and when she pulled out from Hoboken 2,000 more were left crying behind."

The following despatch from London, Ont., suggests that there may be less difficulty in securing labor in Canada a few months hence than has been the case for a year or two:—"Five moulders from Detroit made application at the police station for lodging last night. They stated that the Jewel and Michigan stove works had laid off nearly half of their men, and that they were only the advance guard of a veritable army of unemployed who were going to invade Canada in search of work. They were respectable, intelligent men, and, though not penniless, were walking to Galt."

The appointment of Mr. George Robertson to the office of deputy receiver general will be generally approved. Mr. Robertson has been a good citizen, and has labored earnestly for the good of the community. He was mayor during a very important period in the history of the winter port, and threw himself with great energy and good effect into the fight for the interests of St. John. His fellow citizens will heartily congratulate him upon the agreeable manner of his retirement from the turmoil of politics.

The Ottawa Citizen makes the following suggestion concerning the future of Mr. Emmerson:—"It is generally regarded in political circles that Mr. Butler's suggestion for the appointment of a commission to investigate the Georgian Bay canal project before the government commits itself to the enterprise is a foreshadowing of what the ministry will do in this direction. The name of Mr. Emmerson is mentioned as chairman of the proposed commission."

The city council of Ottawa is asked by the public library committee to grant the sum of $240 for two teachers of technical evening schools for the winter. The subjects to be taken up are building construction and mechanical drawing. It is proposed to have two lessons per week, or forty in all, in each subject. If suitable provision were made for evening classes in St. John in technical subjects, or even the common school subjects, there would doubtless be a considerable number of students.

One of the richest Chinamen in Vancouver states that immense numbers of his countrymen would come to Canada, attracted by the high wages, but for the practically prohibitive head-tax. The fact justifies the tax. While the west can absorb a certain amount of Oriental labor, because no other is available, the country cannot afford to encourage an influx of these people.

A Toronto paper states that the list of municipalities in Ontario which will vote on the local option by-law in January has now passed the hundred mark. Of the 101 now in line 35 are incorporated towns. The total number of liquor licenses affected is almost three hundred. All of these places, with the exception of five, gave majorities for prohibition in the referendum of a few years ago.

We learn from the Ottawa Citizen that the Ontario government proposes to reduce the number of text books in the high schools from 37 to 7. The seven text books will be of superior quality and material, and the cost to the students will be reduced by 60 per cent. The cost of text books in New Brunswick also is much too great, and ought to be reduced.

It is important that those interested in the proposed new assessment law should arrange to be represented at the meeting of the city council tomorrow evening. The action of the council will be largely determined by public sentiment, and the matter is one of great importance.

The organization of a woman's Canadian Club in Montreal will no doubt be followed by the formation of similar clubs in other cities. The Montreal club will hold its meetings in the assembly hall of the Royal Victoria College, a most fitting place, and Earl Grey will deliver the address at the first meeting, on Dec. 3rd.

There is now a prospect of a greater Ottawa. It is said that if Ottawa East votes in favor of union with the larger city the example will be followed by Hintonburg, Ottawa South and Rideauville. Such a union would no doubt be of mutual advantage, and it would add much to the prestige of the dominion capital.

There were 38,243 pupils in attendance in Toronto's public schools in 1906. Of this number 6,190 were attending the kindergarten. The night schools had an attendance of 889 pupils, as against 672 the previous year.

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WORSE THAN SOLOMON.

Yes, I married no less than 80 young people in my parish.

Then you ought to be ashamed o' yourelf (after a pause); ye're worse than Solomon!—The Bystander.

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UNATTAINABLE.

"There are pleasures in life that money can't buy," said the cheery person.

"Yes," answered the man who worries, "there are such pleasures, but as a rule the bill collectors keep butting in so that you can't enjoy them."—Washington Star.

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TAKE YOUR CHOICE.

"The people and the corporations," said Senator La Follette in Madison, Wis., the other day, "remind me of a woman and her little boy. There was a very large chicken and a very small duck on the table, and the woman, pausing with the carving knife raised, said: 'Johnny, "which will you take, chicken or duck?"

" 'Duck,' piped Johnny. But the mother shook her head.

" 'No, Johnny,' she said in a firm, yet kindly voice, 'You can't have duck, my dear. Take you choice, darling, take your choice, but you can't have duck.' "

PEOPLE OF NOTE



Arthur T. Hadley

President Arthur Twining Hadley of Yale University is recognized as one of the most profound thinkers among the executive heads of the larger institutions of learning in the United States. He was born at New Haven, Conn., on April 23rd 1856 and is the son of James H. Hadley, himself a professor of Yale University. He studied at Yale where he graduated in 1876. He later studied in Berlin University, and was professor of political science at Yale from 1886 until 1889. President Hadley married Miss Helen Harrison Morris, daughter of Governor Morris of Connecticut in 1891.

HIS STORE FLOODED

J. N. Harvey's Store Partly Flooded by Water Left Running in Adjoining Premises.

The ready made tailoring department in connection with J. N. Harvey's establishment in Union street was flooded by water yesterday and a considerable quantity of the stock was damaged. It appears that a tap in an adjoining store was left running Saturday night and the result was that the water soaked through the floor and ceiling into Mr. Harvey's premises.

As soon as the matter was discovered yesterday forenoon the salvage corps were called in. They spread seven of their large rubber covers over the tables and then, as there were six inches of water over the floor, they bored holes to allow it to run through to the basement. Some of the plaster had already fallen from the ceiling but as there are other portions which will have to be taken down the ready made department will not be open today. The tailoring and furnishing departments, however, have not been damaged.

ACQUITTED OF MANSLAUGHTER

Toronto, Nov. 17—Engineer Matthew Grimes and Conductor George Hodge were acquitted at Brampton Saturday of charges of criminal carelessness in connection with the railway wreck near Caledon, on "horse shoe" curve, in which seven lives were lost. The trial lasted the best part of a week, and when the verdict was announced the friends of the accused set up such a cheering in court that the officials were unable to restore order. The scene was very remarkable.

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