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## Mr. JOHN B. GOUGH.

THE enthusiastic reception accorded to the great Temperance orator, on his third visit to his native country, has abundantly proved the warmth of English esteem and affection towards him. The occasion seems to be a fitting one to present our readers with a portrait of Mr. Gough. It is nearly twenty years since "the Father Mathew of America,"—as he is not unfrequently styled—was in England before. A new generation has grown up, to whom the story of his eloquence has been often rehearsed, and by whom, doubtless, many wishes have been expressed that they also might hear what it was their fathers' privilege to hear, that so they might the better understand the magic spell of the great advocate's power of speech. These wishes have at length been gratified; and, marvellous as has been the progress in Temperance work during the last twenty years, it is impossible that the crowded meetings held in all the large centres of population can have been held without imparting a perceptible impetus to the movement. Mr. Gough himself must have been struck with the growth of public opinion since his former appearance. Whatever impressions he may have carried back to America with him in 1860, arising from certain incidents connected with his visit, there can be no question to-day as to the light in which his personal character and public work are regarded by all. We shall be disappointed if his presence at this time is not a means of uniting more closely those ranks that have too frequently been needlessly divided. Temperance workers have before them an enterprise of too much pith and moment to admit of differences; and those who seek to foster strife when they ought to be engaged in the holy enterprise of rescuing the world from drunkenness are—in spite of their pretences and profession—recrants to the glorious principles of total abstinence.

So familiar must every reader have become with the leading facts of Mr. Gough's life that we need not attempt any biographical sketch of one whose name will ever be a household word among English abstainers. Everywhere his utterances have been listened to by thousands, and the moral influence of his visit upon Temperance workers of every kind it is impossible to over-estimate. The cause in which we are engaged is gaining strength every day; and the foremost of its promoters will be the first to acknowledge that its triumphs are not of men but of God. The living presence and ringing tones of such men as J. B. Gough are ever stimulative in their effects upon earnest minds; but the great secret of that stimulus lies, after all, in the fact that such men are inspired by devotion to their work as the cause of God and of humanity.

THE CRECHE IN EAST LONDON.—About a quarter of a century ago, Madam Marbeau commenced the work of setting up public cradles in France. The honour of successfully introducing them into this country belongs to Mrs. Marie Hilton, a lady who has long taken a benevolent interest in the East End poor. Some four years ago, Mrs. Hilton visited the creche in Brussels, and was so delighted with that institution that she determined to establish one in England. There were public nurseries in London, and these Mrs. Hilton had visited, but found an almost entire absence of the sanitary and educational arrangements so admirably carried on in Belgium. Mrs. Hilton took a large house in Stepney Causeway, Ratcliff, fitted it up and opened it as a *bona fide* creche. The public press generally called attention to the institution. Thousands of visitors admired the arrangements, and H.R.H. the Princess Christian gave it her patronage. A second large house was soon required and added, and others have since been required. Over one hundred infants are in the creche daily; and similar establishments, taking Mrs. Hilton's rules, arrangements, and fittings, as a model, have sprung up in various parts of the country.



JANUARY, 1879.

1 W Opening of Bolton Temp. Hall, 1840, and Grimsby, 1871  
 2 Th W. Collins, Glasgow, d. 1853, aged 64  
 3 F Monument to E. Morris erected at Glasgow, 1863  
 4 S F. Smith (Sec. to U. K. B. of Hope Union) born 1841  
 5 S Rev. J. Spratt, D.D., Pres. of Irish T. A. As., b. 1798  
 6 M Hon. E. C. Delavan born 1793 (see Jan. 15)  
 7 Tu Joseph J. Gurney died 1846  
 8 W Grand Lodge of Kentucky, I.O.G.T., formed 1855  
 9 Th Rev. J. Compston b. 1828; Penny post est. 1840  
 10 F Conference on Temperance at Boston, U.S., 1826  
 11 S Mr. R. Alsop, Stoke Newington, d. 1876, aged 73  
 12 S Lucas Shadwell, J.P., died 1875, aged 58  
 13 M Rev. W. Blair b. 1830; Rev. Dr. H. Grey d. 1859  
 14 Tu 1st Youths' T.S. form. at Paisley by Dr. Richmond 1832  
 15 W E. C. Delavan died 1871, aged 78; abstainer 40 years  
 16 Th George Gallie, Glasgow, died 1876, aged 83  
 17 F Benjamin Franklin born 1706  
 18 S J. Mitchell, Glasgow, died 1862, aged 66  
 19 S Greenlaw (Berwickshire) T. A. Society formed 1832  
 20 M The first English Parliament met 1265  
 21 Tu J. Meredith (first Sec. of B. and Tem. Soc.) died 1859  
 22 W Rev. Dr. Beecher's six Tem. Sermons first pub. 1827  
 23 Th First meeting of the Nat. Tem. Society 1843  
 24 F Rev. Canon Jenkins died 1867, aged 78  
 25 S Teetotaler's Companion, by P. Burne, first pub. 1848  
 26 S Rev. T. Spencer d. 1853; Sunday Schools com. 1784  
 27 M Stourport Temperance Hall opened 1869  
 28 Tu Walsall Temperance Hall opened 1867 [92  
 29 W Rev. Dr. Nott-(Aut. of Bible Tem. Lect.) d. 1866, aged  
 30 Th Rev. B. Parsons d. 1855; Rev. Dr. Beecher d. 1863  
 31 F Rev. Dr. Jabez Burns died 1876, aged 71

### Moon's Changes.

New, 3rd, 2.3 p.m.  
First qr., 11th, 6.47 p.m.  
Full, 19th, 11 a.m.  
Last qr., 25th, 3.49 p.m.

*Eclipses, 1879.*

In the year 1879 there will be two eclipses of the sun and two of the moon, viz. :—

x. An annular eclipse of the sun on February 2nd, invisible at Greenwich; begins at 5.36 a.m., and ends at 10.59 a.m.

2. A partial eclipse of the moon on February 17th, invisible at Greenwich.

3. A total eclipse of the sun on July 29th, invisible at Greenwich.

4. A partial eclipse of the moon on August 12th, visible at Greenwich; begins at 9.22 p.m., and ends at 2.32 a.m., on the 13th.

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1st Month.] *DIARY for JANUARY, 1879.* [31 days.

1 W New Year's Day.

2 Th

3 F

4 S

5 S

6 M Twelfth Day.

7 Tu

8 W

9 Th

10 F

11 S

12 S

13 M

14 Tu

15 W

16 Th

17 F

18 S

19 S

20 M

21 Tu

22 W

23 Th

24 F

25 S

26 S

27 M

28 Tu

29 W

30 Th

31 F

## FEBRUARY, 1879.

- 1 S J. W. Green (temp. hymn writer) d. 1860  
 2 S First Eng. Tem. Soc. formed at Bradford, by H. Forbes  
 3 M J. O'Neill (a temp. poet) d. 1858, aged 81  
 4 Tu Society for suppression of Intemp., Mass., U.S., 1839  
 5 W Rev. Dr. Pye Smith d. 1861, aged 77; abstainer 21 yrs.  
 6 Th Dr. Grindrod received prize of £100 for *Bacchus*, 1839  
 7 F Trevelyan Temp. Hotel, Manchester, opened 1865  
 8 S G. Johnston, Eding., d. 1858; J. Pease d. 1872, ag. 73  
 9 S J. Clark, J.P., Southampton, b. 1795  
 10 M H. S. Sutton, editor of *Alliance News*, b. 1825  
 11 Tu H. Crawford, Glasgow, d. 1873, aged 70 [formed 1859  
 12 W Abraham Lincoln b. 1809; G.L. of Tennessee I.O.G.T.  
 13 Th Tem. Sermon in Chichester Cath. by Canon Ellison, 1864  
 14 F Procession of 15,000 Teetotalers in London 1842  
 15 S Rev. J. Sherman, Surrey Chapel, d. 1862  
 16 S Rev. Dr. Wallace d. 1860; R. Whitworth b. 1828  
 17 M I.O.G.T. planted in Honduras 1875; J. P. Coffin d. 1853  
 18 Tu Church of England Temp. Society formed 1873  
 19 W 80 Teetotalers discharged from Sweeny Colliery 1838  
 20 Th Tem. Sermon in St. Paul's Cath. by Canon Ellison 1870  
 21 F Joseph Hume d. 1855; Rev. S. Smith d. 1845, aged 76  
 22 S Temp. Sermon in Gloucester Cath. 1870  
 23 S Gladstone proposed wine licenses 1869  
 24 M W. Ricketts d. 1871, many yrs. sec. of I.O. Rechabites  
 25 Tu Soiree of old abstainers in Manchester 1868  
 26 W 1st issue of *English Good Templar*, 1871  
 27 Th Bradford Temp. Hall opened by Bishop Longley 1838  
 28 F I.O.G.T. planted in Channel Islands 1872

## Moon's Changes.

New, 2nd, 8.17 a.m.  
 Full qr., 10th, 1.17 a.m.  
 Full, 17th, 11.7 p.m.  
 Last qr., 24th, 3.12 a.m.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

—Marriage Licenses can be obtained in London at the Vicar General's Offices, Bell Yard, Doctors' Commons, between 10 and 4, by one of the parties about to be married. Affidavits are prepared from the personal instructions of applicant, and the license is delivered upon payment of fees amounting with the cost of stamp to £2 2s. 6d.

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TEMPERANCE NOTES AND QUERIES.—A section bearing this heading appears in the *Temperance Worker* every month. Many curious facts are thus noted, and questions answered on ancient habits, customs, &c.



2nd Month.] *DIARY for FEBRUARY, 1879.* [28 Days.

1 S

2 S

3 M

4 Tu

5 W

6 Th

7 F

8 S

9 S

10 M

11 Tu

12 W

13 Th

14 F

15 S

16 S

17 M

18 Tu

19 W

20 Th

21 F

22 S

23 S

24 M

25 Tu Shrove Tuesday.

26 W Ash Wednesday.

27 Th

28 F

## MARCH, 1879.

- 1 S *Teetotal Times* published by John Cassell 1846  
 2 S Earl Stanhope died, 1855, many years a water drinker  
 3 M Discsn. btwn, Dr. Lees and Mr. Holyoake, in Leeds, 1856  
 4 Tu Mrs. Carlisle. 1860, aged 80 (did much in forming Bands  
 5 W J. Livesey b. 1794; G. H. Graham, b. 1835 [of Hope)  
 6 TM Grand Lodge of Bermuda, I.O.G.T., formed 1874  
 7 F Richard Peck of Kingsbridge, d. 1867, aged 84  
 8 S Permissive Bill first intro. into the House of Com. 1864  
 9 S Dep. of Peers to Home Sec. on licensing reform 1869  
 10 M Grand Lodge of Prince Edward's Island f. 1864  
 11 Tu Livingstone b. 1817; Bp. Richardson of Canada, d. 1875  
 12 W Bishop Berkeley b. 1684; Rev. D. Adam d. 1875  
 13 Th Good Templar Hall opened at Tooting 1871  
 14 F First American Temperance Address published 1826  
 15 S Melton Mowbray Tem. Hall op. 1859; Dr. Baird d. 1863  
 16 S J. Teare d. 1868, aged 68, temp. advocate from 1832  
 17 M Grand Lodge of Colorado formed 1868  
 18 Tu Editor of *Temperance Worker* signed pledge 1854  
 19 W First Juvenile Temple in Wales opened 1872  
 20 Th James Stirling, d. first agent of Scot. Tem. League, 1856  
 21 F Dr. Oxley d. 1867, aged 88, abstainer 50 years [ag. 82  
 22 S Preston Temp. Soc. formed 1832; N. Card d. 1856  
 23 S Robert Kettle, merchant, Glasgow, d. 1852  
 24 M Grand Lodge of Washington formed 1870  
 25 Tu J. Andrews, of Leeds, d. 1860, ag. 95 [Liverpool, 1854  
 26 W First drinking fountain in England op. at Prince's-dock,  
 27 Th Grand Temp. Festival at Preston, 1833  
 28 F I.O.G.T. planted in South Africa, 1873  
 29 S Deputy-Assistant Judge Payne d. 1870, aged 73  
 30 S Funeral of Geo. Howlett, 1872, abstainer 34 years  
 31 M Sir W. C. Trevelyan, Bart., b. 1797

## Moon's Changes.

New, 2nd, 8.17 a.m.  
 First qr., 10th, 1.17 p.m.  
 Full, 18th, 9.7 p.m.  
 Last qr., 25th, 4.50 p.m.

POST OFFICE TELEGRAMS.—The charge for telegrams throughout the United Kingdom is 1s. for the first twenty words, and 3d. for every additional five words, the names and addresses of the sender and receiver not being counted.

ACCORDING TO Professor, Leoni Levi, out of every pound of taxation contributed by the working-classes to the national exchequer, 13s. 5d. come from alcoholic liquors and tobacco. The middle and upper classes, on the other hand, and under similar circumstances, contribute only 3s. 4d. for these luxuries.

I BELIEVE that no one who smokes tobacco before the bodily powers are developed, ever makes a strong vigorous man.—*Dr. Fergusson.*

LICENSES.—A parliamentary paper states that in 1875 there were 109,421 houses licensed for the sale of intoxicating liquors to be consumed on the premises, as against 109,147 in 1876, showing a decrease in the latter year of 274. In 1875 the number of houses with "six-day licenses" were 2,992, as against 3,059 in 1876. The houses whose licenses are marked both as "six-day licenses" and "early-closing licenses" numbered 355 in 1875, and 387 in 1876.

ADULTERATION OF WINE.—The whole stock of a large dealer in wines, specially intended for pharmaceutical purposes, has been seized as being entirely compounded of spirit of wine and sugar, flavoured with different herbs. Professor Galloway, of the Irish College of Science, says that his attention has been directed to an advertisement which appeared in one of the

journals devoted to the brewing trade, of a bitter as a substitute for hops. He procured a sample of this bitter, but there was great difficulty in obtaining it, as the vendors were careful to whom they supplied it. It was found to be picric acid mixed with a little colouring-matter—*Medical Examiner.*

INDIA.—In the Bengal Presidency there are 57 Temperance Societies, and 7,265 members. In the Madras Presidency there are 18 societies and 1,336 members. In the Bombay Presidency there are 23 societies and 1,727 members. Railway societies, 12, and 558 members. Total number of societies 110, and 10,886 members. In the artillery there are 30 societies and 1,301 members. In the cavalry there are 4 societies and 227 members. In the Infantry there are 44 societies and 7,514 members. Garrison societies 20, and 1,286 members.



3rd Month.]

DIARY for MARCH, 1879.

[31 Days.

1 S

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4 Tu

5 W

6 Th

7 F

8 S

9 S

10 M

11 Tu

12 W

13 Th

14 F

15 S

16 S

17 M

18 Tu

19 W

20 Th

21 F

22 S

23 S

24 M

25 Tu Lady Day.

26 W

27 Th

28 F

29 S

30 S

31 M

## APRIL, 1879.

- 1 Tu First Good Templar Hall in Ireland commenced 1872  
 2 W John Cassell d. 1863, aged 46. Richard Cobden d. [1865]  
 3 Th Government licensing bill introduced 1872  
 4 F 2nd Tem. Soc. in England formed at Warrington 1830  
 5 S *Temperance Record* (now weekly) commenced 1856  
 6 S First Total Abstinence Society formed in Cork 1838  
 7 M Dr. Higginbottom, of Nottingham, d. 1876, aged 87  
 8 Tu Workman's Hall, Shrewsbury, opened 1863  
 9 W Tem. Bazaar in Manchester 1861, £1,200 raised  
 10 Th Father Mathew signed the pledge 1838  
 11 F Gd. Tem. Mtngs. in 5 London Theatres, Good Fri., 1873  
 12 S Tem. Soc. formed at Moreau, N.Y., with 47 mbs., 1808  
 13 S First Conf. of abstaining Ministers, Manchester, 1848  
 14 M Rev. W. Reid b. 1814 (author of *Tem. Cyclopædia*) [1870]  
 15 Tu Poland-st. Handbell Ringers perfmd. before the Queen  
 16 W First Tot. Ab. Soc. formed by 101 youths of Preston '34  
 17 Th Youths' Temp. Soc. formed at Preston 1834  
 18 F R. G. White d. 1839 (1st president of Brit. Tem. Lgue.  
 19 S Hon. Neal Dow landed at Liverpool 1857  
 20 S First Drinking Fountain in London opened 1859  
 21 M Ministerial Tem. Conf., London, 1875  
 22 Tu S. Shirley (founder of the U.K.B. of Hp. Un.) b. 1820  
 23 W Grand Lodge of South Carolina formed 1872  
 24 Th Calcutta Temperance Society formed 1835  
 25 F John Howard b. 1726; Dr. J. Edwards b. 1787  
 26 S T. Roberts (who planted I.O.G.T. in Scotland) d. 1872  
 27 S Temp. Speech Contest, Newcastle, 1870 [Queen 1863]  
 28 M Cruikshank's "Worship of Bacchus" exhibited to the  
 29 Tu Permissive Bill, second reading defeated 1864  
 30 W I.O.G.T. planted in Ceylon 1873

*Moon's Changes.*

New, 2nd, 9.14 p.m.  
 First qr. 10th, 2.25 p.m.  
 Full, 17th, 5.57 a.m.  
 Last qr., 24th, 8.33 a.m.

THE *London G. T. Pioneer* says of the *Temperance Worker*, that it "really seems to improve every month. It is a marvellous penny worth of fact and argument."

SMOKING.—The annual report of the Inland Revenue Board shows that the quantity of tobacco cleared for consumption in the United Kingdom, in the year 1876, was equal to 1lb. 7½oz. per head of population. In 1841 the quantity was under 14oz.; in 1851 it was a quarter of an ounce over 1lb.; in 1861 it was 1lb. 3½oz.; and in 1871 it was 1lb. 5½oz.

THE total amount passed through the Bankers' Clearing House in the year 1877, was £4,873,000,000

A BENEFIT society was formed by some teetotal excavators in the neighbourhood of King's-cross, London. When the second half-yearly division of funds took place, it was found that a deduction of 2s. 1d. from the total contributions of each member paid all expenses, including secretary's salary and sick pay to members.

OLD BOOKS.—We shall esteem it a great kindness if any of our friends who may meet with curious references to strong drink or tobacco in *old* books, will kindly copy the same and forward to the Editor, giving the exact title of the book quoted from, its author's name, and date of publication. We have often discovered interesting items in old magazines and pamphlets which have been condemned as waste-paper. Contributions of this kind will be equally acceptable.—Address:—Rev. F. Wagstaff, Great Barr, Birmingham.

AGRICULTURAL RETURNS.—The summary of the agricultural returns of Great Britain for the present year, states that the extent of land under cultivation for wheat is this year 1'6 per cent more than last year; barley, 2'2 per cent. more than last year; oats 2'0 per cent. less than last year; potatoes, 0'8 per cent. less; and hops, 0'8 per cent. more. The numbers of live stock in the country shows little variation, being 5,738,476 cattle, 28,397,274 sheep, and 2,483,437 pigs.

BACCHUS.—From the annual statement of the receipts and payments of St. Thomas's Hospital, it appears that £512 16s. 1d. was paid for porter, £480 18s. 6d. for wine, and £407 10s. 4d. for spirits, making a total of £1,401 4s. 11d.—*British Medical Journal*.

THE reasoning which supports a Sunday Closing Bill would support a Maine Liquor Law.—*Saturday Review*.



4th Month.]

DIARY for APRIL, 1879.

[30 days.

1 Tu

2 W

3 Th

4 F

5 S

6 S

7 M

8 Tu

9 W

10 Th

11 F Good Friday.

12 S

13 S Easter Sunday.

14 M Easter Monday.

15 Tu

16 W

17 Th

18 F

19 S

20 S

21 M

22 Tu

23 W

24 Th

25 F

26 S

27 S

28 M

29 Tu

30 W

## MAY, 1879.

- 1 Th Foundation Stone of Bangor G. T. Hall laid 1872
- 2 F Church of Eng. Temp. Reformation Soc. formed 1862
- 3 S Elihu Burritt appointed U. S. Consul, 1865
- 4 S Temperance Sermon in Westminster Abbey 1873
- 5 M First Swedish Temp. Soc. formed 1837 [bill in. 1864]
- 6 Tu Rev. W. Jay, of Bath, b. 1769; Mr. Soames' closing
- 7 W G. L. of Scotland, I.O.G.T., formed 1870
- 8 Th Lord Brougham d. 1868, aged 88
- 9 F Medical Temp. Certif. inserted in the *Times* 1859
- 10 S Prof. Calderwood, Edin. (abstainer), b. 1830
- 11 S Welcome Meet. to E. C. Delavan, at 335, Strand, 1866
- 12 M J. Hope (f. of Eding. League of Juv. Absta.) b. 1807
- 13 Tu U.K. Band of Hope Union formed in London 1855
- 14 W Joseph Sturge, Birmingham, d. 1859, aged 75
- 15 Th First Temperance Meeting in Cockpit, Preston, 1832
- 16 F Right Worthy Grand Lodge, I.O.G.T., formed 1855
- 17 S Grand Lodge of Alabama formed 1859
- 18 S Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, I.O.G.T., for. 1869
- 19 M Mrs. Livesey, Preston, d. 1869
- 20 Tu First Teetotal Procession in London 1839
- 21 W Drunkenness is but voluntary madness
- 22 Th Rev. Newman Hall b. 1816; J. B. Gough b. 1817
- 23 F Hon. Arthur A'Beckett, Sydney, d. 1871
- 24 S First Nat. Temp. Con. at Phila. (440 present) 1833
- 25 S G. L. of New South Wales, I.O.G.T., formed 1874
- 26 M Joseph Eaton d. 1858, aged 63, a munificent supporter
- 27 Tu C. Waterton, naturalist, d. 1865, aged 83 [Chap. 1837]
- 28 W Edward Baines, Esq., b. 1800; Temp. Ser. in Surrey
- 29 Th Church of Scotland Temp. Association formed 1850
- 30 F Hon. Neal Dow landed at Liverpool (2nd visit) 1866
- 31 S Great Temperance Procession in London 1841

*Moon's Changes.*

New, and, 0.50 a.m.  
 First qr., 9th, 1.32 p.m.  
 Full, 16th, 2.31 p.m.  
 Last qr., 24th, 1.42 a.m.

THE quantity of sugar consumed in London breweries during the year which ended September 30th, 1877, was 30,362,065 lb., and in the provinces, 54,521,601 lb. In Scotland, 549,861 lb. was used; and in Ireland, 5,075,922 lb. Altogether 90,509,449 lb. was consumed.

ON two estates laid out for building twelve hundred houses in the suburbs of Bristol by a local company, the sale of intoxicating liquors is strictly forbidden.

IN 1876 there were 201,874 marriages registered in the United Kingdom; 887,968 births; and 510,315 death. The death-rate was the lowest for twenty years.

**THE SOLDIER AND HIS ENEMY.**—Official returns show that in the financial year 1876-77, the stoppages from the pay, &c., of soldiers under forfeiture for drunkenness amounted to £17,935, which was applied to the granting of gratuities to well-conducted soldiers on or after their discharge. In the preceding six years the aggregate amount of these fines was higher than the above sum in four years, and lower in two years.—*Times*.

**PHILANTHROPISTS** can have no higher mission than that of seeking to remove the direful evils inseparable from intemperance.—*Lora Brougham*.

**ABSTAINING BAPTIST STUDENTS.**—At the last annual meeting of the Baptist Total Abstinence Association, it was reported that the several Baptist Colleges contained 262 students, of whom 120 were abstainers, distributed

as follows:—Mr. Spurgeon's College, 56 abstainers out of 101; Regent's Park, 19 out of 36; Rawdon, 9 out of 22; Manchester, 13 out of 19; Chillwell, 4 out of 6; Haverfordwest, 3 out of 22; Llangollen, 6 out of 16; Bristol, 8 out of 17; Pontypool, 2 out of 21.

THE Agricultural returns show that there are 165,003 acres in the United Kingdom devoted to orchards; 38,152 acres to market gardens; and 12,025 acres to nursery grounds.

DURING 1877 no less than 551,593, 654 passengers travelled on the British railways, of whom 126 were killed and 1,283 injured.

Few things could be more pernicious for boys, growing youths, and persons of unformed constitution, than the use of tobacco in any of its forms.—*The Organ of the Tobacco Trade*.



5th Month.]

DIARY for MAY, 1879.

[31 Days.

1 Th

2 F

3 S

4 S

5 M

6 Tu

7 W

8 Th

9 F

10 S

11 S

12 M

13 Tu

14 W

15 Th

16 F

17 S

18 S

19 M

20 Tu

21 W

22 Th

23 F

24 S

25 S

26 M

27 Tu

28 W

29 Th

30 F

31 S

## JUNE, 1879.

- 1 S U. K. All. formed 1853; N. T. League formed 1856  
 2 M Governor of Maine signed Anti-Liquor Law 1851  
 3 Tu Rev. Dr. Arnot, of Glasgow, d. 1875  
 4 W J. B. Gough left Sandgate for America, 1829  
 5 Th Sir J. Richardson (Arctic Explorer) d. 1865, aged 78  
 6 F Great Permissive Bill Meeting, Guild Hall, 1871  
 7 S First American Juvenile T.A. Society formed 1834  
 8 S A drunken night makes a' cloudy morning  
 9 M Temperance Convention in Montreal 1841  
 10 Tu British and Foreign Suppression Society formed 1839  
 11 W Mrs. Sigourney (Temp. Hymn writer) d. 1866, ag. 73  
 12 Th Prohibitory Law took effect in Indiana, U.S. 1855  
 13 F First Teetotal Society formed in Ireland 1835  
 14 S Rev. Henry Allen, D.D., Southwark, d. 1877, aged 71  
 15 S Rev. J. Tunncliffe (founder of B of H movement) d. 1865  
 16 M Senate of Iowa enacted Prohibition 1864  
 17 Tu Prof. Miller (author of Med. Temp. Works) d. 1864  
 18 W Hanley Temp. Hall found., laid by General Carey 1870  
 19 Th Western Temperance League formed 1837  
 20 F Breakfast to Wesleyan Ministers by Irish League, 1871  
 21 S H. Anderton (first Temperance poet) d. 1855  
 22 S Prof. Kirk, Edinburgh, present. with testimonial 1871  
 23 M Rev. J. Collinson (author of *Tem. Fab.*) d. 1869, a. 92  
 24 Tu Rev. Dr. Ritchie, Scotland, d. 1872  
 25 W Seaton Crew Temperance Hall opened 1867  
 26 Th Rev. F. Beardsall d. 1842, aged 43, abstainer 10 years  
 27 F Thos. Swindlehurst d. 1861, aged 67  
 28 S Temp. Fête at Witton Park, 1869, 9,000 present  
 29 S Brit. and For. Tem. Soc. formed in Exeter Hall, 1830  
 30 M J. S. Buckingham d. 1855, aged 68, abstainer 20 years

## Moon's Changes.

New, 1st, 1.48 a.m.  
 First qr., 8th, 3.55 a.m.  
 Full, 14th, 11.51 p.m.  
 Last qr., 22nd, 7.15 p.m.  
 New, 30th, 0.31 p.m.

REGISTRATION OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.  
 —Parents are required to see to the registration of births within six weeks, under a penalty of 40s. In default of the parents from absence, illness, or other cause, the occupier of the house, a person present at the birth, or the person having charge of the child, may sign a register of birth.

Deaths must be registered within five days, but registration may be delayed for fourteen days, provided written information of the death together with a medical certificate of its cause, be forwarded to the registrar within five days.

THE population under School Boards is about thirteen millions.

PROGRESS—A correspondent of the *Church of England Temperance Chronicle*, Feb. 1878, says:—"Travelling by train the other day I met a clerical friend who was returning from Cambridge, where he had been preaching for one of our societies. 'I dined,' said he 'at the high table at Trinity, and you can judge of my surprise and pleasure when I discovered that of the twelve or thirteen Fellows who were dining with me *one-half* were total abstainers.' On my expressing my astonishment and gratification, he further mentioned as another item of good news from Cambridge, that at one of its colleges (Pembroke) of the forty-five freshmen who matriculated this term no fewer than twenty-four were total abstainers."

MR. SIMS REEVES ON ALCOHOL.—In a letter to Dr. Bevan, surgeon to the Royal Society of Musicians, Mr. Reeves says:—"It is impossible to tell how much mischief may have been done by

the absurd accounts of the variety of beverages considered indispensable to our former great singers. The notion of drinking so many bottles of beer to create a voice is as obsolete an idea as that no man is hospitable who allows his guests to go home sober. By long experience I find it much better to do without stimulants entirely. Aglycerine lozenge is preferable. I formerly used beef-tea, but that was too heavy. If one could limit oneself to a tablespoonful at a time, the latter might be the best, but a large draught clogs the throat, and producing more saliva than necessary, induces the desire to swallow often."

It is calculated that in Great Britain alone about 25,000 gallons of alcohol are consumed every year at sacramental tables, representing 125,000 gallons of wine, costing about £25,000.—*Temperance Bible Commentary*.

Drunkenness is a curse.



6th Month.]

DIARY for JUNE, 1879.

[30 days.

1 S Whit Sunday.

2 M Whit Monday.

3 Tu

4 W

5 Th

6 F

7 S

8 S

9 M

10 Tu

11 W

12 Th

13 F

14 S

15 S

16 M

17 Tu

18 W

19 Th

20 F

21 S

22 S

23 M

24 Tu Midsummer Day.

25 W

26 Th

27 F

28 S

29 S

30 M

JULY, 1879.

- 1 Tu Frome Temp Hall (costing £1,500) opened 1874  
 2 W Welcome to Father Matthew, N. York, 1849  
 3 Th Mrs. C. L. Balfour d. 1878, aged 75  
 4 F G. C. Campbell, London, d. 1876 ag. 54  
 5 S First Annual Meeting British Temp. Association 1839  
 6 S T. H. Barker (secretary U. K. Alliance) b. 1818  
 7 M Charles Sturge (Birmingham) b. 1801  
 8 Tu *Alliance News* commenced 1854; J. Pyper b. 1829  
 9 W Grand Lodge, Nebraska, formed 1869  
 10 Th Major Powys Kech d. 1863; Auckland Tot. Abs. Soc.  
 11 F E. Tisdell d. 1867, aged 68 [founded 1842  
 12 S Rev. A. Scott d. 1870, aged 78; Dr. Guthrie b. 1803  
 13 S Gold Med. Nat. Rifle Association won second time by  
 14 M Par. Com. on Hab. Drunk. Bill 1871 [A. Cameron 1869  
 15 Tu Rom. Cath. Tem. Fraternity sanctioned 1851  
 16 W Dr. Urwick d. 1868, aged 78, abstainer 30 years  
 17 Th Queen's Prize (£250 and Gold Med.) won A. Cameron  
 18 F Abs. of Chan. Fleet entertained in Liverpool 1873 [66  
 19 S Dr. Cuyler (Am) pr. Tem. Ser. in City Temple 1874  
 20 S J. Giles (founder of Rom. Cath. Tem. Soc.) b. 1795  
 21 M First Temperance Meeting held in London 1830  
 22 Tu Meeting R. W. Grand Lodge, I.O.G.T., in London '74  
 23 W *Anti-Bacchus*, by Rev. B. Parsons, first pub. 1840  
 24 Th Farewell Fête to J. B. Gough, in Hartwell Park, 1855  
 25 F English Grand Lodge, I.O.G.T., form. in Birm. 1870  
 26 S New Brit. and Foreign Temp. Society formed 1837  
 27 S Second Temp. Conven., Saratoga Springs, U.S., 1836  
 28 M Mr. J. Smedley Matlock, d. 1874  
 29 Tu William Wilberforce d. 1833  
 30 W Christmas Evans d. 1838; Rev. Dr. Gale d. 1877, a. 71  
 31 Th Father Mathew held his first meeting in London, 1843

**Moon's Changes.**

First qr., 7th, 8.20 a.m.  
 Full, 14th, 10.55 a.m.  
 Last qr., 22nd, 0.16 p.m.  
 New, 29th, 9.40 p.m.

**SCRIPTURE TESTIMONY AGAINST WINE.**

—The Bible is a total abstinence book. The word occurs in it 261 times; 121 times it contains warnings, 71 times it contains warnings and reproofs, 12 times it denounces it as poisonous and venomous, and 5 times totally prohibits it.

THE Queen costs the nation, including salaries and expenses of the Royal household, £385,000 a year. Drink costs more than that every day.

DRUNKARDS want the opportunity removed. Sober people want the nuisance removed. Tax payers want the burden removed.

THE British army last year (exclusive of the Indian forces) consisted of 133,720 men.

**COMPOSITION OF FOODS.**

Weight	THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES OF DIET	CONTAIN		AND SUPPLY TO THE BODY		
		Solid Matter	Water.	Flesh-giving Principle	*Heat-forming Principle	Ashes.
lb.		lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
100	Turnips.. ..	8'9	91'1	1'2	7'2	0'6
"	Red Beetroot .. ..	16'5	83'5	1'5	14'0	1'0
"	Carrots .. ..	17'0	83'0	1'3	14'7	1'0
"	Potatoes .. ..	25'0	75'0	2'1	22'2	0'7
"	Butchers' Meat (lean Beef) .. ..	28'0	72'0	19'3	9'0	5'1
"	" (Fat Beef) .. ..	49'0	51'0	14'8	74'5	4'4
"	Bread .. ..	63'0	37'0	8'1	55'0	2'3
"	Peas .. ..	85'0	15'0	23'0	62'7	2'5
"	Haricot Beans.. ..	82'0	18'0	25'0	51'0	3'0
"	Lentils .. ..	85'0	15'0	29'0	52'0	3'0
"	Barley-meal .. ..	85'0	15'0	6'3	80'3	2'0
"	Wheat-meal .. ..	85'0	15'0	10'8	75'0	2'0
"	Maize-meal .. ..	86'0	14'0	11'1	85'4	1'7
"	Oat-meal .. ..	85'0	15'0	12'6	77'8	3'0
"	Sago .. ..	82'0	18'0	traces only	82'0	—
"	Rice .. ..	87'0	13'0	6'3	82'3	0'5

\* Calculated as starch.



7th Month.]

DIARY for JULY, 1879.

[31 days.

1 Tu

2 W

3 Th

4 F

5 S

6 **S**

7 M

8 Tu

9 W

10 Th

11 F

12 S

13 **S**

14 M

15 Tu

16 W

17 Th

18 F

19 S

20 **S**

21 M

22 Tu

23 W

24 Th

25 F

26 S

27 **S**

28 M

29 Tu

30 W

31 Th

## AUGUST, 1879.

- 1 F Edward Morris, Temp. poet, d. 1860, aged 74  
 2 S John Dunlop of Greenock born 1789  
 3 S J. B. Gough gave his first Oration in London, 1853  
 4 M World's Tem. Convention in Lon., 1846 (last 5 days)  
 5 Tu Rev. Dr. Marsh (American) d. 1868, aged 80  
 6 W New Zealand passed Permissive Bill 1872  
 7 Th Tem. Meeting in Covent Garden Theatre 1846  
 8 F First Tem. Fête at Crystal Palace. '62 (19,140 present)  
 9 S *Curse of Britain* published 1838  
 10 S Kettering Tem. Hall opened 1866; J. Noble d. 1866  
 11 M F. Atkin appointed Sec. to Brit. Tem. League 1870  
 12 Tu A. Johnstone d. 1852, aged 92  
 13 W Prohibition voted in New Hampshire 1855  
 14 Th Poland-st. H-bell Ringers com. tour in Holland, 1869  
 15 F Forbes McKenzie Act passed 1853 (put in force 1854)  
 16 S Thomas Irving White b. 1800; E. B. Dawson b. 1830  
 17 S First Good Templar Convention, New York 1852  
 18 M I.O.G.T. planted in Diamond Fields 1873  
 19 Tu Count Rumford (dietetic reformer) d. 1814  
 20 W First Irish Tem. Society formed at New Ross 1829  
 21 Th Captain Peter Campbell, old abstainer, b. 1821  
 22 F J. B. Gough b. 1817, at Sandgate, Kent  
 23 S J. Livesey and J. King signed pledge at Preston 1832  
 24 S Rev. W. Marsh d. 1864 [Temperance Convention '53]  
 25 M Dr. Lees and J. Cassell sailed for America to attend  
 26 Tu Rev. Dr. Edgar d. 1864 (intro. Tem. into Ireland 1829)  
 27 W T. B. Smithies, Editor of *British Workman*, b. 1818  
 28 Th Reception of Hon. J. S. Diehl, U.S. Consul, 1871  
 29 F New British and Foreign Tem. Society formed 1836  
 30 S I.O.G.T. planted at Singapore 1873  
 31 S Robt. Gray Mason d. 1867, aged 70; I.O.R. estab. 1835

## Moon's Changes.

First qr., 5th, 1.19 p.m.  
 Full, 13th, 0.16 a.m.  
 Last qr., 21st, 4.8 a.m.  
 New, 28th, 6 a.m.

The corner stone of a new workhouse at Sheffield, was laid on Sept. 26, 1878. The buildings were estimated to cost £180,000. They will stand upon about 30 acres of land, and will provide accommodation for 1800 inmates. But for the liquor traffic, all that and more might have been saved; and yet the ratepayers don't see it.

He is wealthy enough that wanteth not; he is great enough that is his own master; he is happy enough that lives to die well.

Virtue consisteth of three parts--temperance fortitude, and justice.

The drink traffic in England employs more than 300,000 persons every Sunday.

## MR. GLADSTONE ON STRONG DRINK.

—At the annual meeting of the Coffee Tavern Company, held in the Temple Arms, Seven Dials, London, Mr. Gladstone, who was accompanied by Mrs. Gladstone and Mr. Cowper-Temple, M.P., spoke out strongly on the uselessness of intoxicating liquors to persons in good health, even though working very hard. Mr. Gladstone called the general belief in the necessity for the use of beer and strong drinks, and in their supposed strengthening qualities, “an English superstition.”

## MORE INSURANCE TESTIMONY.—

The following paragraph is from the last report of the Whittington Life Insurance Company:—“Acting under the advice of their actuary, the directors will reserve out of this surplus £58,789, being equal to five-sixths thereof, to meet

future expenses, and will treat the balance of £11,758 as the divisible profits of the past three years. This sum will enable them to divide the bonuses to both share and policy holders at the same satisfactory rate as at the last valuation, viz., to the shareholders 5s. per share, to the policy-holders, according to the age of the policy, in the general section at rates varying from £2 2s. up to £3 17s. per £100 assurers, and in the temperance section at rates varying from £2 8s. up to £4 8s. per £100 assurers.”

## CONGREGATIONAL MINISTERS.—It

is reported that of 2,492 Congregational ministers in England and Wales, 750 are known to be avowed abstainers, or nearly one-third of the whole number. A little while since the teetotalers were certainly not more than one in ten.



8th Month.] *DIARY for AUGUST, 1879.*

[31 Days.

1 F

2 S

3 S

4 M Bank Holiday.

5 Tu

6 W

7 Th

8 F

9 S

10 S

11 M

12 Tu

13 W

14 Th

15 F

16 S

17 S

18 M

19 Tu

20 W

21 Th

22 F

23 S

24 S

25 M

26 Tu

27 W

28 Th

29 F

30 S

31 S

## SEPTEMBER, 1879.

- 1 M Teetotal pledge signed by the 7 men of Preston 1832
- 2 Tu Prohibition Convention in London 1862
- 3 W J. Simpson, J.P., old abstainer, d. 1859
- 4 Th Scottish T. Union fd. 1838; Sir W. Lawson b. 1829
- 5 F Fitzroy T. Hall (London) opened 1865
- 6 S Gen. P. Thompson, abst., d. 1867
- 7 S T. Conf. at Toronto 1869; Earl of Harrington d. 1872
- 8 M World's T. Convention at New York 1853
- 9 Tu Drinking Fountain opened at Leicester Temp. Hall
- 10 W Ven. Archdeacon Jeffreys d. 1849
- 11 Th I.O.G.T. planted in China 1873
- 12 F Total Abstinence Society formed in Japan 1873
- 13 S South Indian Temp. Union formed 1838
- 14 S G. L. of Delaware, I.O.G.T., formed 1864
- 15 M British Temp. League formed at Manchester 1835
- 16 Tu Nat. Lodge of United Temp. Order fd. in London 1874
- 17 W First Sunday-closing Act passed 1856
- 18 Th J. B. Gough welcomed to Boston (U.S.) 1860
- 19 F Henry Pitman, abst., b. 1827
- 20 S Norwegian Temp. Union formed 1846
- 21 S John Vine Hall, author of *Sinners' Friend*, d. 1860, ag. 86
- 22 M Order of the Sons of Phoenix formed in London 1844
- 23 Tu Milton Temp. Hall (London) opened 1863
- 24 W Lanc. Temp. Con. declared for total abstinence 1834
- 25 Th Important Con. of S. S. Teachers at Boston 1875
- 26 F Professor Porson died through drink 1808
- 27 S George Cruikshank b. 1792
- 28 S Rev. W. R. Baker, author of *Curse of Britain*, d. 1861
- 29 M Sons of Temp. formed at Washington 1842
- 30 Tu Bradford new Temp. Hall opened 1865

## Moon's Changes.

First qr., 8th, 2.26 p.m.  
Full, 11th, 3.49 p.m.  
Last qr., 19th, 6.30 p.m.  
New, 26th, 2.10 p.m.

LONGEVITY. — Sir John Sinclair, in his treatise on "Health and Longevity," mentions that Baron Voght, of Hamburg, retained at eighty years of age the full powers of his mind, and worked ten hours a day. He attributed his extraordinary health to "living on vegetables and drinking nothing but water."

HE is rich who saves a penny a year, and he is poor who is in debt that sum.

IT was a first command and counsel of my earliest youth always to do what conscience told me to be a duty, and to leave the consequences to God. — Lord Erskine.

**HINTS ABOUT WATER.**—No water that has stood in open vessels during the night should be used for drinking or cooking. By exposure to the air it has lost its "aeration," and has absorbed many of the dust germs floating in the apartment. If convenience requires water to be kept in vessels for several hours before use, it should be covered, unless the vessels are tight. Wherever practical, all distributing reservoirs should be covered. Filtering always adds to the purity of water. Drinking water should not be taken from lakes or rivers on a low level. Surface water, or water in lakes, pools, or rivers which receive the surface wash, should be avoided as much as possible. Do not drink much water at a time. It is best to drink nothing at dinner time. Do not drink between meals unless to quench thirst, as excess of water weakens the gastric juice and overworks the kidneys. Excessive potations, whether

of water or other fluid, relax the stomach, impair its secretions, and paralyse its movements. By drinking a little at a time the injury is avoided.

**CITY EXTRAVAGANCE.**—In an article on "City Extravagance," the London *Examiner* states that the reception of H.R.H. the Prince of Wales on his return from a visit to Her Majesty's Indian Empire cost the city of London no less than £27,576 5s. 10d. The wine bill alone was £1,731, while the menu cards and dance programmes are set down at £559, the banquet and ball tickets at £344, and "wands" at £117 13s.

**NOTE ON RED NOSES.**—A Surgeon has published a treatise on a method of curing "Port Wine Marks." In many cases probably port wine marks could be effectually got rid of by simply leaving off port wine. — *Punch*.

THE most pitiable of all cowards is he who is afraid to think.



9th Month.] *DIARY for SEPTEMBER, 1879.* [30 days.

1 M

2 Tu

3 W

4 Th

5 F

6 S

7 S

8 M

9 Tu

10 W

11 Th

12 F

13 S

14 S

15 M

16 Tu

17 W

18 Th

19 F

20 S

21 S

22 M

23 Tu

24 W

25 Th

26 F

27 S

28 S

29 M Michaelmas Day.

30 Tu

## OCTOBER, 1879.

- 1 W First Scot. Temp. Soc. at Maryhill 1829  
 2 Th Rev. Dr. Channing (American) d. 1842  
 3 F Grand Lodge of Oregon formed 1865  
 4 S J. Rawcastle d. 1867, aged 56; abstainer 32 years  
 5 S Temp. Soc. formed at Greenoch, 1829  
 6 M London Temperance Hospital opened 1873  
 7 Tu U. K. A. presented address to Japanese Amb. 1872  
 8 W  
 9 Th Beer Act came into force 1830; Rev. D. Channing d. a. 63  
 10 F Father Mathew's Statue inaugurated at Cork 1864  
 11 S Birmingham Tem. Hall opened 1858  
 12 S W. Collins, publisher, Glasgow, b. 1789  
 13 M Rev. Hugh Bourne, fndr. Prim. Meth. Connexion, d. '52  
 14 Tu Joseph Malins b. at Worcester, 1844  
 15 W N. T. League Conf. of Baptist Ministers at Bristol 1868  
 16 Th Presentation of 1,000 gs. to Rev. C. Garrett 1873  
 17 F U. K. A. £100,000 Guarantee Fund started 1871  
 18 S Major J. T. Geils, of Dumbarton, d. 1871, aged 62  
 19 S Chief Justice Savage, N.Y., d. 1868, aged 83  
 20 M I.O.G.T. planted in Ireland 1870  
 21 Tu E. Waller, water-drinking wit and poet, d. 1687  
 22 W 1st An. Meet. of Yokohama Tem. Soc., Japan, 1874  
 23 Th Rev. J. Crossley, long abstainer, d. 1864, aged 74  
 24 F J. Kershaw d. '58; Dr. Conquest d. '66; J. Cunliffe d. '68  
 25 S Tem. Society formed at Sydney (N.S.W.) 1833  
 26 S U.K.A. Inauguration Meeting 1853  
 27 M Richard Turner, author of the word "teetotal," d. 1846  
 28 Tu W. Wilson, of Bradford, b. 1767, gave away £40,000  
 29 W J. Priestman, Esq., of Bradford, d. 1866  
 30 Th Free Church of Scotland Tem. Society formed 1849  
 31 F Dr. B. W. Richardson b. 1828

*Moon's Changes.*

First qr. 3rd, 7.1 a.m.  
 Full, 11th, 8.54 a.m.  
 Last qr., 19th, 7.10 a.m.  
 New, 25th, 10.58 p.m.

GUIDE for 1880.—Not later than the 1st of Oct. orders should be sent for the *Guide* for 1880. Send corrections in local information.

CRICKET.—The lovers of cricket were greatly interested in the appearance of the team of Australian cricketers who came to compete with their English brethren on the family soil. That they succeeded above what was generally expected of them is well known, but it is not so widely known that of the whole number, twelve, eight are total abstiners from alcohol, and only two are smokers of tobacco.

Mr. Justice Grove said—"Men go into public-houses respectable and respected, and come out felons."

UNPOPULAR as all proposals to tamper with the orthodox *menu* have been, we have lived to see the despised teetotalism of our boyhood assume the garb of gentility. Whether from motives of noble or ignoble nature, from the desire to influence the enslaved or from the latest novelty; whether because of the contagion of fashion, or as the protest against the mania for fantastic drinks, or more probably from a combination of these reasons, we see princesses and peers, bishops, parsons, doctors, and eminent laymen parading their conversion to pledge-signing, which used to be regarded as the formal confession of moral weakness in the illiterate.—*Globe.*

SINGULAR CUSTOM AT GRANTHAM.—Among the ancient customs connected with the parish is what is termed "Drunken Sermon," for which the Angel Hotel is subject to the payment

of forty shillings a year. The entry in the Grantham registry is to the following effect:—"Item, notwithstanding my bequest aforesaid, I give to the Alderman of Grantham and his successor for ever, a rent charge of forty shillings a year, to be paid out of the Angel Inn, in Grantham aforesaid, every Michaelmas day, upon his trust,—that he procure some able divine to preach a sermon in the afternoon the Sunday after every Alderman's choice for ever, wherein the subject shall be chiefly against drunkenness, and then pay the preacher forty shillings for the same, I looking upon that sin to be the inlet of almost all others."—*Church Bells.*

A GOOD conscience is to the soul what health is to the body; and more than countervails all the calamities and afflictions which can possibly befall us.—*Addison.*



10th Month.] *DIARY for OCTOBER, 1879.* [31 Days.

1 W

2 Th

3 F

4 S

5 **S**

6 M

7 Tu

8 W

9 Th

10 F

11 S

12 **S**

13 M

14 Tu

15 W

16 Th

17 F

18 S

19 **S**

20 M

21 Tu

22 W

23 Th

24 F

25 S

26 **S**

27 M

28 Tu

29 W

30 Th

31 F

## NOVEMBER, 1879.

- 1 S Sir Matthew Hale b. 1609 (abstainer from toasts)  
 2 S Sir A. Carlisle, author of "Fermented Liquors," d. 1840  
 3 M T. Binns, earnest Temp. worker, d. 1872, aged 74  
 4 Tu Brit. Amer. Order of Good Templars formed in Canada,  
 5 W Scottish Temp. League formed at Falkirk 1844 [1858  
 6 Th Rev. Dr. Arnott b. 1808  
 7 F Bengal Tem. Soc. pet. for Per. Bill 1867  
 8 S Presentation to Rev. R. Tabraham on 80th birthday, 1872  
 9 S Temp. and Gen. Prov. Inst. founded 1840  
 10 M J. Hope com. Eding. Juvenile Temp. Movement 1845  
 11 Tu Temp. Meet. first commenced at Lambeth Baths 1865  
 12 W Glasgow Temp. Soc. for. 1829; T. Burt, M.P., b. 1837  
 13 Th Sir J. Forbes, M.D., prom. of "Medical Declaration,"  
 14 F Rev. T. Jilleson b. 1803 [d. 1861  
 15 S G. L. of District of Columbia (U.S.) formed 1866  
 16 S D. Nasmith, founder of London City Mission, d. 1849  
 17 M U.K.A. reception of Gen. Carey 1869  
 18 Tu J. Addleshaw d. 1859; R. G. Mason, b. 1797  
 19 W Temp. Conference at Bradford, Yorks, 1871  
 20 Th Temp. Land and Build. Soc. Prem. (L'gate H.) op. 1869  
 21 F Rev. J. Clay, Prison Chap., Preston, d. 1860  
 22 S Hon. H. Wilson, Vice-Pres. United States, d. 1875  
 23 S T. A. Smith, Chemical Lecturer, d. 1874, aged 73  
 24 M First Temp. Hall in England opened at Garstang 1834  
 25 Tu Robert Palmer, London, d. 1871  
 26 W V. Priessnitz, found. of "Modern Hydropathy," d. 1851  
 27 Th B. Montague d. 1851; Sir H. Havelock d. 1857  
 28 F Hon. R. Walworth, Chancellor N.Y. 1828-46, d. 1867  
 29 S Horace Greeley d. 1872, aged 62  
 30 S Rev. F. Wagstaff, editor of *Temp. Worker*, b. 1837

## Moon's Changes.

First qr., 1st, 9.51 p.m.  
 Full, 10th, 2.34 a.m.  
 Last qr., 17th, 5.58 p.m.  
 New, 24th, 9.11 a.m.

THE sale of intoxicating liquors is prohibited at all the refreshment rooms on the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada, and 1,416 of the employes act on the total abstinence plan.

MILITARY OFFENCES. — The Bishop of Exeter, in the course of an address on Temperance to the soldiers quartered in the Royal Artillery Barracks, remarked that 99 out of every 100 military offences were due to drunkenness.

DR. JOHNSON used to say that the habit of looking at the bright side of things was worth more than a thousand pounds a year.

NEVER TOO LATE TO MEND.—The Rev. T. H. Chope writes to us from Hartland Vicarage, North Devon: "It is frequently affirmed that any sudden abstinence from alcoholic beverages in a person—much more in an aged person—who has used them through life is prejudicial to health. An instance has lately come under my observation of the beneficial results arising from the sudden disuse of alcoholic stimulants by a widow of 82 summers. Her usual drink through life has been gin, which she changed for beer previous to reaching her 80th year. She suffered from occasional attacks of gout in her left hand, and also a running foot-sore. Upon her reaching the age of 80—that is, two years ago—she suddenly adopted the total abstaining principle, much to the surprise and consternation of her friends, who all prophesied a speedy and sudden termination of her life for the want of her accustomed potations. Nothing of

the kind. The toe healed, the gout vanished, and for two years she has been free from these harassing complaints, and is a living monument of the good effected by the sudden adoption of a non-alcoholic regimen. She is in her 83rd year, and frequently walks out into her son's garden or farmyard without any covering on her head. Her memory is excellent; she can repeat long prayers, and she bids fair to become a centenarian."—*Times* of March 25th, 1878.

TEMPERANCE SERMONS. — Every number of the *Temperance Worker* contains one or more outlines of Temperance Sermons. Many of these are equally suitable for use on the platform or in the pulpit.

TOBACCO impairs digestion, poisons the blood, depresses the vital powers, causes the limbs to tremble, and weakens and otherwise disorders the heart.—*Dr. H. Gibbons.*



11th Month.] *DIARY for NOVEMBER, 1879.* [30 days.

1 S

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23 S

24 M

25 Tu

26 W

27 Th

28 F

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## DECEMBER, 1879.

- 1 M New York State enacted prohibition 1854
- 2 Tu Great I.O.G.T. Soirée in Edinburgh 1871
- 3 W Henry Anderton (Tem. Poet) b. 1801
- 4 Th Mrs. Robinson, Burslem, d., aged 101, abs. 50 years
- 5 F Temp. Hall, Hammersmith, opened 1870
- 6 S £100 awd. to Dr. Carpenter for essay on "Alcohol," 1849
- 7 S Temp. Lecture to Hospital Nurses, by Mr. Selway, 1871
- 8 M Father Mathew d. 1856, aged 66, abs. 18 yrs.
- 9 Tu I.O.G.T. planted in Holland 1873
- 10 W Two months' Temp. Mission in Bolton commenced 1872
- 11 Th Gainsborough Temperance Hall opened 1871
- 12 F J. Dunlop (founder of Scoth. Temp. Sos.) d. 1868, ag. 80
- 13 S Glasgow Band of Hope Union formed 1870
- 14 S Cyrus Clark, of Street, d. 1866, abs. 30 years
- 15 M S. Jarrold (publisher of *Norwich Tracts*) d. 1874
- 16 Tu R. D. Alexander d. 1865 (erected Ipswich Temp. Hall)
- 17 W First Temp. Almanack pub. at Albany (U.S.) 1834
- 18 Th Rev. Dr. Jabez Burns b. 1805
- 19 F Sheriff Mawson, of Newcastle, killed 1867
- 20 S Dr. Grindrod received £100 for writing "Bacchus," 1838
- 21 S Mrs. C. L. Balfour (authoress) b. 1809
- 22 M Rev. Dawson Burns, M.A., b. 1825
- 23 Tu Temp. General Provident Institution formed 1840
- 24 W Barnsley Temp. Hall opened 1872; A. Barnes d. 1870
- 25 Th Ald. Harvey d. 1870, aged 84, abs. 60 years
- 26 F East Central Temp. Hall (Bishopsgate) opened 1873
- 27 S Rev. W. Jay d. 1853, aged 65 [London, 1875
- 28 S Great Temp. Experience Meeting, Standard Theatre,
- 29 M Sir Titus Salt, Bart., d. 1876, aged 73
- 30 Tu Grand Lodge of New Zealand (North) formed 1874
- 31 W Meeting of Temp. Wood Sawyers, Lambeth Baths, 1868

## Moon's Changes.

First qr., 1st, 4.38 p.m.  
 Full, 9th, 7.50 p.m.  
 Last qr., 17th, 3.3 a.m.  
 New, 23rd, 9.24 p.m.  
 First qr., 31st, 1.57 p.m.

A MAN who owes a little, can clear it off in a very short time, and, if he is a prudent man, will; whereas a man who, by long negligence, owes a great deal, despairs of ever being able to pay—and, therefore, never looks into his accounts at all.—*Chesterfield.*

IT is no small commendation to manage a little well. He is a good waggoner that can turn in a little room. I will study more how to give a good account of my little than how to make it more.—*Bishop Hall.*

THE first ingredient in conversation is truth, the next good sense, the third good humour, and the fourth wit.

BRITISH MEDICAL ASSOCIATION.—The annual meetings of the British Medical Association were held at Bath, in August. The questions of temperance and the medical use of alcohol cropped up at various times, and excited considerable interest. In the section of obstetric medicine, there was an animated and interesting discussion on the non-alcoholic treatment of hemorrhage. Dr. Norman Kerr read a paper in the section, giving some very valuable and suggestive facts, which formed the basis of a useful discussion, and called forth a strong expression of opinion against the too profuse use of alcohol, which ought to be prescribed with as much care as any other poisonous drug. Dr. Kerr also read a paper in the section of medicine, giving an account of a number of dangerous and apparently hopeless cases, which had been successfully treated without alcohol being prescribed

in any of them. In seconding a motion for the adoption of the report of the Committee on Habitual Drunkards, Dr. Kerr said, while he himself preferred to labour both by moral means, such as total abstinence, and legal means, such as agitation for the Permissive Bill, to prevent drunkenness, he yet felt that for a certain number of the victims of strong drink, the whole profession, whether abstainers or not, ought to do all in their power to obtain legal means to protect habitual drunkards from themselves. About 150 members of the British Medical Association, responded to an invitation from the National Temperance League, to a breakfast at the Guildhall, Bath. The chair was occupied by Mr. S. Bowly, and interesting addresses were delivered by several gentlemen present, indicating considerable advance in medical opinion, on the temperance question.



12th Month.] *DIARY for DECEMBER, 1879.* [31 Days.

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14 S

15 M

16 Tu

17 W

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19 F

20 S

21 S

22 M

23 Tu

24 W

25 Th Christmas Day.

26 F Bank Holiday.

27 S

28 S

29 M

30 Tu

31 W

## GROCCERS' LICENSES IN SCOTLAND.

THE Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the laws regulating the sale and consumption of excisable liquors sold for consumption on the premises in Scotland, presented to the House of Commons their report. The following is a summary of the recommendations :—

1. That the provisions of section 25 of the Licensing Act (England), 1872, and sections 16 and 17 of the Licensing Act (England), 1874, giving powers to the police at all times to enter into licensed premises, be applied to all licensed houses in Scotland.

2. That the County licensing courts and the joint committee for burghs should be empowered to fix for a period of years the maximum number of licensed houses for each town, district, and populous place, and the minimum rent of licensed houses in each county or town, or in each district of a county or town.

3. That the following general provisions be made conditions in granting licenses to grocers :—(1) That there shall be no internal communication between the licensed premises and the dwelling-house or other unlicensed premises ; (2) no back or side entrance to the premises ; (3) no blinding or obscuring of the windows or of the door ; (4) no screen or partition on the premises.

4. That penalties, including forfeiture of licences, as provided in the Licensing Act (England), 1872, shall be imposed for making, after obtaining a license, any such alteration in the premises as shall be any breach of the foregoing restrictions.

5. That no spirit shall be kept within the licensed premises, except bottles or jars corked and sealed.

6. That the provisions of the Licensing (England and Ireland) Act with respect to drinking near the premises be applied to Scotland.

7. That two convictions of breach of certificate shall involve the forfeiture of the license, instead of three, as is required at present.

8. That the entry of spirits in any pass-book or account under any other name be considered a breach of certificate.

9. That the provisions of section 62 of the Licensing Act (England), 1872, with regard to the evidence of sale or consumption of liquor, and also section 19 of the public-houses (Scotland) Act, 1862, with regard to the proof of the sale in any unlicensed premises, be made applicable to charges of alleged drinking on or near the premises of licensed grocers.

10. That the penalties imposed by section 5 of the Licensing Act (England), 1872, upon the seller for allowing drinking on the premises contrary to his license, be applied to the premises of licensed grocers in Scotland, and that the purchasers who consume on the premises shall also be subject to a penalty.

11. That licensed grocers shall only be permitted to have their premises open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 8 p.m., and with the consent of the licensing magistrates until 10 p.m. on Saturdays.

12. That penalties, as provided by section 9 of the Licensing Act (England), 1874, shall be imposed for infringing the law as to hours of closing.

13. That no sale or delivery of spirits to a child under 14 years of age shall be lawful in any description of licensed house on any pretence.

14. That the rate of licensing duties be raised, and the lowest rate be abolished.

15. That penalties be imposed for being drunk in public places, or when in charge of a carriage or steam engine, similar to those exigible in England, and that the present penalty of 5s. for being drunk and incapable shall be increased.

16. That all excisable liquors conveyed in carts shall bear the address of the person by whom they have been ordered, and that the person in charge shall be bound to produce them when called upon therefor.

17. That over the door of every licensed grocer the conditions of the certificate shall be conspicuously printed.



## HINTS FOR TEMPERANCE ELECTORS.

**QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE BOROUGH FRANCHISE.**—In Cities and Boroughs there are three qualifications :—1, occupation ; 2, inhabitant occupation ; and 3, lodgings. Ownership confers no vote for boroughs. (1) The occupation of any warehouse, counting-house, shop, or other building of the annual value of £10, or joint occupiers of such property where the partners would each have that amount when divided amongst their number. These occupiers must reside in the borough, or not more than seven miles therefrom. Possession must have been had for twelve months previous to the 31st of July, and poor rates and assessed taxes due on the 5th of Jan. must be paid on or before the 20th of July. (2) The inhabitant occupier must have been in possession twelve months, and he must have paid on or before the 20th of July all poor rates due on the preceding 5th of Jan. It is the duty of the overseers to place the names of these occupiers upon the register to be published on the first of August. In case of omission, they must make a claim on or before the 25th of August, and a list of such claimants will be published on the 1st of Sept. Everyone who is an occupier, whether he pays rates directly, or his landlord pays them, should see that his name is in the list published on the 1st of August. (3) Lodgers may claim, but must have occupied, in the same borough separately, and as sole tenant for the twelve months preceding the last day of July in any year, the same lodgings, such lodgings being part of one and the same dwelling-house, and of a clear yearly value, if let furnished, of £10 and upwards.

**REGISTRATION IN BOROUGH.**—July 31st : the overseers make out, on or before the 31st of July, an alphabetical list of all persons entitled to vote, and publish such lists on or before the 1st of August. Any occupiers omitted from such lists may give notice to the overseers, on or before the 25th of August, of their claim to vote, and overseers must publish the lists of such claimants. Any person on the list of voters may, on or before the 25th of August, object to the name of any other voter being retained on the list. Overseers publish list of objections on doors of churches and chapels on the 1st of Sept. Between the 20th of Sept. and the 31st of Oct. revising barristers hold their courts.

**QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE COUNTY FRANCHISE.**—There are four descriptions of qualification :—1, Occupation. In this case the voter must have occupied for twelve months, prior to the 31st of July, lands and tenements of £50, annual rental, irrespective of rating ; or under the Act of 1867 have occupied lands and tenements of the annual rateable value of £12 for the same time ; and he must have paid, on or before the 20th of July, all poor-rates due on the preceding 5th of Jan. 2. Freehold. The freehold must be of the clear yearly value of forty shillings fee simple freehold, or for ever, and estate of free tail of and in lands and tenements. Or it must be a freehold of forty shillings annually for the life of the owner or for the life or lives of any such person or persons where the property has come to such owner by marriage, marriage settlement, devise, or promotion to any benefice or office, or where the owner is in the actual and *bond fide* occupation of the property, or where the owner has possessed it continuously since 1832. Or it must be of £5 clear value where the property has been purchased or has come to the owner in any other way than above described. The voter must have had possession or been in receipt of rent in each case from the 31st of Jan. of the year in which he claims. 3. Copyhold. The copyhold must produce £5 per annum clear of all charges, and have been acquired six months before the 31st of July. 4. Leaseholders. The leasehold must produce £5 per annum clear of all charges, and must have come into possession twelve months before the 31st of July.

**REGISTRATION IN COUNTIES.**—Freeholders, copyholders, leaseholders, and all who claim as £50 tenants, are required to make their claims upon the overseers on or before the 20th of July. Overseers have no power to insert voters for these qualifications without previous claims. Forms for making these claims are to be had from the overseers, and the names of those who sent them in, are published on the



1st of August. In the case of the £12 rateable value occupier, under the act of 1867, the overseers of every parish or township are required to make out a list of all persons on whom a right to vote for the county in respect to the occupation of premises is conferred by that act, and to publish the list on the doors of places of worship on the first of Aug. Any person who possesses this qualification of occupation, and whose name is omitted, can make a claim on or before the 25th of Aug., and these claims will be published on the 1st of Sept. Any number of partners in an occupation can be qualified by the same tenancy, if the total rateable value, when divided, afford to each £12 as his portion.

Since the battle of the legislative prohibition of the liquor traffic can only be won at the polling booth, it is encouraging to notice that Temperance reformers are becoming more and more alive to the importance of electoral organisation. During the past year considerable progress has been made in this direction, and electoral declarations have been largely signed in many English and Scotch constituencies, pledging electors to vote only for such candidates as will support the principle of the Permissive Bill, by voting for the second reading of the bill, or some equivalent measure, arming the people with an effective veto power over the issue of licenses. In view of the coming general election, this work cannot be too earnestly pressed forward. It is now the urgent and most essential work of temperance reformers to organise their electoral power in their constituencies, and to see to it that their representatives know and feel that this will be a great test question at the next election. The following form of declaration is being used in various constituencies:—

“Notwithstanding the reforms of the past forty years, the beneficial results have been almost neutralised by the increased facilities for obtaining intoxicating drinks. Every known or available means for spreading knowledge and virtue is in sustained operation, but crime has increased, and ignorance, brutality, and pauperism continue to degrade and debase vast masses of the people. With great national prosperity, decreased hours of labour, increased wages, misery still abounds in our land. Every lover of this country must deplore this state of things, and be anxious for a change. The cry should be “Down with the drinkshops, and up with the homes of the people,” so that these, as centres of sobriety, health, and culture, may become the foundation of order and progress. Therefore, in anticipation of all future parliamentary elections, we the undersigned, electors of \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby agree to vote for that candidate only who positively promises to vote for the principle and second reading of the Permissive Prohibitory Liquor Bill.”

**SCOTCH DOCTORS.**—In the twentieth annual report of the General Board of Lunacy for Scotland, there is the following reference to the use of stimulants:—“Stimulants appear to be decreasingly consumed in Scotch asylums. Perhaps this may be accounted for by the increased amount of exercise and occupation in the open air, the greater tranquillity and contentment of the patients, and the more careful consideration which is given to the preparation of the food, and to the varying of the dietary. It is possible, however, that the reduced consumption of stimulants may in part be attributed to a change in the opinion of medical men as to their value.”

How a man uses money—makes it, saves it, and spends it—is perhaps one of the best tests of practical wisdom. Although money ought by no means to be regarded as the chief end of man's life, neither is it a trifling matter, representing as it does to so large an extent the means of physical comfort and social well-being.—*Smiles.*

THE Royal Agricultural Society permitted for the first time at last year's show a stall for non-intoxicating refreshments. It is hoped that the facilities will be increased this year, when the show is to be in London.



## THE IRISH SUNDAY CLOSING BILL.

THIS Bill having received the Royal assent on the 16th of August, 1878, after a struggle altogether unparalleled in parliamentary annals, a brief synopsis of its history may not be devoid of interest, nor, in view of fresh struggles, altogether useless. The Irish Sunday Closing Association, under whose auspices the Bill was solely promoted, was founded in the year 1866. Its first parliamentary champion was Major O'Reilly, M.P. for Longford county, whose partial closing bill was read a second time in 1867, and forthwith buried underneath the weight of a Select Committee. A total closing bill was next introduced in 1872, by Sir Dominic Corrigan, Bart., then M.P. for the city of Dublin. In 1873 this measure was pressed to a division, and although defeated, the Irish vote showed a majority of *three to one* in its favour. During this debate Lord Hartington, then Chief Secretary for Ireland, made a speech which may be said to have paved the way for that success in which the friends of the measure now rejoice. Speaking of Irish opinion his lordship said he was "by no means satisfied as to the state of opinion in Ireland on the subject, but of this there could be no doubt,—the Irish people had only to make it clear that they wished such a measure, and they would secure it." Three members of the Executive Committee sitting under the gallery made a note of these suggestive words, and Messrs. Richard Allen, Henry Wigham, and T. W. Russell, returned to Dublin determined that his lordship's challenge should be earnestly and thoroughly taken up. Up to this point the Association had been by no means an aggressive one. It had no claim to be a national organization, and carried on no such propaganda as would seriously impress parliament. It was practically a Dublin Committee, thoroughly influential, and immensely respectable, but sadly lacking "go." At a meeting held very shortly after the parliamentary division of 1873, it was resolved to reconstitute and reorganize the Association. In December, 1873, a National Conference was convened for this purpose. It met in the historic room of the Rotunda, under the presidency of the Lord Mayor of Dublin, and a "new departure" was made. The central committee was enlarged and greatly strengthened,—a secretary was appointed, agents secured, and in a month the new organisation was fully equipped. And not a bit too soon. For in January 1874, four weeks after its formation, it was caught in the toils of a general election. Recognising the importance of the crisis, the committee went gallantly to work, and plunged headlong into the strife. The battle was sharp and decisive, and when the results came to be counted, between sixty and seventy Irish members were reported as in favour of total Sunday closing. Sir Dominic Corrigan having declined to contest Dublin, and thus relinquished his seat in parliament, Professor Smyth, the newly-elected member for county Derry, was selected as leader, and on the opening day of the session of 1874, the Bill was introduced. It was defeated on the motion for second reading, but again the Irish vote was significant, 42 voting and pairing for it against 10. The parliamentary struggle being over for the session, the Association went vigorously to work, held great meetings in all the large centres of population, originated a great petition effort, and worked the "National Memorial to the Prime Minister," which, presented by a deputation of twelve representative members, exercised an immense effect on public opinion. This memorial was signed by 7,500 bishops, clergymen, magistrates, doctors, town-councillors, and poor law guardians. Published in a volume and sent to every Peer, M.P., and to all the newspapers, it was the subject of universal comment, and its effect was speedily seen. The bill was again introduced in 1875, and came up for second reading on the 5th of May. There was a crowded house; the measure had been fully and ably discussed, Mr. Gladstone had thrown in his lot with the Sunday Closers, when the Government whips suddenly found to their great surprise that they could not count upon men to defeat the bill. After a brief interview with the leading occupants of the Treasury Bench, Mr. Wheelhouse was put up to "talk-out" the bill, a feat which he performed amid a scene of intense excitement, and so the parliamentary history of the bill again closed for another session.



Its friends went to the country with re-doubled energy. They felt confidence now. Ireland was roused, and from the Cove of Cork to the Causeway splendid battles were fought. Meetings convened by the publicans to oppose the bill were carried by storm, and resolutions approving the bill were adopted thereat. Great open-air meetings were also held in Dublin, where the opponents were challenged. At indoor assemblies the measure was fought over for hours, the friends of the bill being uniformly successful. House-to-house canvasses were undertaken in all the large centres of population, the voting being 9 to 1 in favour of Sunday Closing. It was after the Fiery Cross had thus been carried through the country, that in 1876 Professor Smyth again entered the arena at St. Stephen's. Early in the session however the hon. gentleman withdrew his bill, and submitted an abstract resolution covering its principle. First place was secured on the 12th of May, and on that day the battle was pressed to the gate. A great debate took place. Scouting danger, the Government offered a compromise, and promised to reduce the hours of sale all round. But Dr. Smyth stood firm. Mr. Gladstone and Mr. Bright backed the Irish demand in nobly eloquent speeches, Mr. Bright declaring that it was a battle in which there stood arrayed on one side "the eloquent voice of a whole people," on the other "a banded conspiracy of English drink-sellers." The House divided shortly after midnight, and the Government was defeated by a majority of 57, the Irish members voting and pairing 61 for the resolution, and 11 against. A bill was at once introduced to give effect to the Resolution, was read a second time, the Government proposing to exempt 19 cities and towns from its operation, and was talked out on going into committee. Encouraged by their great victory the friends of the measure in Ireland bated no effort. All the machinery of agitation was again put at work, and on the opening of the session of 1877, Professor Smyth was at his post with the same awkward demand. The second reading of the bill was now supported by the Government and carried, the numbers being 198 against 25. But a new barrier was now raised. At the close of the session of 1876, Government proposed to exempt 19 cities and towns from the bill, *i.e.*, all places with a population above 10,000. They now asked for a Select Committee to consider whether the bill should be applied to Dublin, Belfast, Cork, Limerick, and Waterford. The friends of the measure consented, and after an inquiry of three months' duration, during which 39 witnesses were examined, the Government was defeated, the committee reported against exemption, and consequently in favour of the bill being applied to the cities named. But it was now too late in the session to do effective work, and the bill was once more talked to death notwithstanding that gallant efforts were made to save it, Sir Wilfrid Lawson giving up the Wednesday he had secured for the Permissive Bill, to ensure its discussion. During the recess the supporters of the bill braced themselves for what was now felt to be a great and final effort. For months the enemies of the bill had talked so loudly of reaction that they imposed somewhat on Parliament by the audacity and recklessness of their statements. It was accordingly resolved to promote another National Memorial on the same lines as that of 1875. Of course if the "reaction" cry had any basis, the signatures ought to have fallen off, but the result was that when the document came to be presented to the Chief Secretary for Ireland, it was found to contain upwards of 10,000 signatures, or an increase of more than 3,000 over that of 1875. It was presented by a deputation such as never stood before in Dublin Castle, and, published in full in two of the leading Irish newspapers, created a profound impression all over the country. It was signed by Cardinal Cullen and 22 out of 27 Roman Catholic bishops, by the Primate and 10 out of 11 Protestant bishops, and by the official representatives of every religious denomination in the country. A great series of meetings was also organised, these being addressed by M.Ps. and other friends of the movement—more than 50 such meetings being held in three months. But Dr. Smyth's health had given way in the interval, and in January, 1878, he sorrowfully wrote to the secretary of the Association that his medical advisers would not allow him to attend the opening of Parliament. At this crisis the O'Connor Don, who had ably seconded Dr. Smyth in all his previous efforts, chivalrously



threw himself into the breach, only stipulating that he should be allowed to step aside if Dr. Smyth's health permitted him to resume his post. On the 17th of January, 1878, the bill was noticed, on the 21st it was read a second time after a debate of three hours, and without a division. On the 23rd it was by a happy chance formally committed. From this date on, all through the session, the battle was ceaselessly waged. Early in February Mr. A. M. Sullivan elicited from Sir M. H. Beach that the Government intended to give such facilities to the bill as would ensure that it would not be lost this session as on previous occasions for want of time, and to this bargain the friends of the bill rigidly held the Treasury Bench. On the 1st of April the first instalment of the promised "facilities" was given, an entire government day being placed at the O'Connor Don's disposal. It was ruthlessly wasted, Mr. N. D. Murphy speaking three hours and a half in support of a motion that the chairman leave the chair. The sitting was prolonged until half-past six o'clock on the morning of the 2nd, and the fight was only then suspended when tangible though not very apparent progress had been made. The fight now went into the "dead watches" of almost every night, the O'Connor Don fighting with a tenacity and courage that elicited the admiration, and secured the support of men not much interested otherwise in the bill. At three o'clock on the morning of the 5th April the Government amendments exempting the five cities were carried, the O'Connor Don consenting. The discussion was resumed after Easter, and on the morning of the 14th May the House sat until half-past nine o'clock, nine divisions taking place during the sitting, Mr. Gladstone remaining until 5 a.m. On the 16th, clause 1, the enacting clause of the bill was carried, and clause 2 withdrawn. On the 21st, clauses 3, 4, and 5 were passed. On the 24th, still greater progress was made, and clauses 6, 7, and 8 were added to the bill. On Wednesday, 29th, Mr. C. H. Wilson withdrew the English Sunday Closing Bill, and placed the day he had secured at the service of the Irish friends. This day was spent over proposed new clauses, the O'Connor Don accepting a proposal made by Mr. Collins, and strongly supported by the Government, to make the bill an experimental one, limiting it to four years' trial. On Friday the 31st May, the bill passed through committee, most of all this heroic work having been done during the small hours of the morning, and very frequently with daylight streaming in at the windows. Consideration on Report was fixed for the 17th of June, but, blocked by the enemy, it was impossible to proceed without a second instalment of the promised Government facilities. Sir Stafford Northcote proposed a Saturday, but this was so resolutely opposed that he finally fixed Thursday, 11th July, for taking this stage. On that day the forces were again marshalled, Mr. Onslow moving the rejection of the bill. The House was again delayed with talk. The same speeches were trotted out with 'damnable iteration,' and it was only after eight hours of this performance and multitudinous efforts to count out the House, that a division was taken, and the bill considered clause by clause. At three o'clock on the morning of the 12th of July, the bill was ordered amid loud cheering to stand for third reading. An ordinary measure would have been safe at this stage, but in this case shipwreck was imminent even in sight of land. Just as success seemed about to crown the labours of the O'Connor Don and his supporters, the small band of Irish opponents and their English allies became desperate. They worried and assailed the Government in every conceivable way, and at last when the Chancellor of the Exchequer fixed Saturday, the 10th of August for the third reading, they divided against the proposal, and exhausted the forms of the house in their opposition. But they fought in vain, and on Saturday, the 10th of August, the bill was read a third time and passed amidst the enthusiastic cheers of its supporters. On Monday the 12th, it was read a first time in the House of Lords. On the 13th, Lord O'Hagan moved that it be read a second time, the Duke of Richmond on the part of the Government offering no opposition, and the Bishop of London warmly supporting it. On the 14th it passed through Committee without any alteration. On the 15th it was read a third time, and on the 16th of August the old Norman French words "La reyne le veult" pronounced over it



transformed it into a Statute of the Realm. The people "willed" it, and the deed was done.

Thus ended a gallantly fought struggle. In 1878 the Commons spent fifty-seven and a half hours over the bill, and there were forty-three separate divisions upon it. Outside of Dublin, Cork, Belfast, Limerick, and Waterford, the Act totally prohibits the Sunday Liquor Traffic in Ireland, and in these cities five hours sale only will be allowed, viz., from 2 until 7 p.m. The Act, unless provision be made, will cease on 31st of December, 1882.

T.W.R.

The above history of the Sunday Closing movement in Ireland is from the pen of a gentleman whose services in connection with that movement have been second to none. Our readers will value the article as an authentic, though concise narrative of a struggle, the successful issue of which marks an era in the temperance reformation. As to the results of the Act in Ireland, it is yet too early to enable us to form a judgment, except that all authorities concur in bearing testimony to the improvement already accomplished. On the 13th of Oct. Ireland had the first trial of Sunday closing, and reports from every part of the country pronounced it a magnificent success. The Act was universally and loyally obeyed, scarcely any evasions being attempted. There was absolutely the utmost peace, good order, and happiness, where riot and tumult had been predicted; and in large centres such as Drogheda, Dundalk, Newry, Derry, and Bray, where total closing took place, there was not a trace of drunkenness. Even in Cork, where the press has been hostile to the enactment, all accounts testify to the first day's success. The police were unusually vigilant. At the Cork police court on the Monday there was only one case of drunkenness, the average of previous Mondays being ten. Mr. Robert Scott, one of the presiding magistrates, spoke in warm terms of the partial prohibition on Sundays, and hoped it would be extended. In Dublin, with partial closing, the Monday morning cases were less by fifty-eight than on the previous Monday.

We have only to add the following paragraph from the *Irish Times*, which we leave to speak for itself:—"We understand that shortly after the passing of the Sunday Closing Act, a meeting of the more prominent friends and supporters of this movement was held, presided over by Sir D. J. Corrigan, Bart., at which it was resolved to initiate a testimonial of a substantial nature to Messrs. H. Wigam, A. J. Nicolls, and T. W. Russell, the hon. secretaries and secretary of the Sunday Closing Association, in recognition of their unceasing and successful exertions in connection with the conduct of the agitation. The project was very warmly received, an influential committee appointed, and numerous subscriptions handed in at the meeting. The committee had considered, and were just prepared to issue a circular to the supporters of the association throughout the country, when the project reached the ears of the gentlemen whom it was intended to honour. They at once wrote to the hon. treasurer of the Testimonial Committee, apprising them that while sincerely grateful for the feeling which prompted the committee to promote the contemplated testimonial, they felt compelled on many grounds firmly to decline it. No representations could induce either of the three gentlemen to alter the determination at which they had arrived, and the committee were accordingly compelled reluctantly to return the subscriptions already received. The resolution to decline the testimonial was arrived at by each of the three gentlemen separately, without a word of mutual consultation—Mr. Nicolls and Mr. Russell being in distant parts of the country. The principal reasons given were—first, that the fact that they had been permitted to work in the fore front of such a movement was in itself sufficient reward; and, second, that the work was by no means finished, the movement having a future as well as a history."

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OUR revenue may derive some unholy benefit from the sale of alcohol; but the entire trade is, nevertheless, a covenant with sin and death.—*Daily Telegraph*.



## THE PERMISSIVE BILL IN CANADA.

THE new Permissive Prohibitory Liquor Act for Canada states in the preamble that "whereas it is very desirable to promote temperance in the Dominion, and that there should be uniform legislation in all the provinces respecting the traffic in intoxicating liquors, therefore Her Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate and House of Commons of Canada, enacts as follows." In this Act (which may be cited as "The Canada Temperance Act, 1878,") "the expression 'intoxicating liquor' means and comprehends any and every spirituous or malt liquor, and every wine, and any and every combination of liquors or drink that is intoxicating." Provision is made for the repeal, provisionally, of the "Dunkin Act" of 1864; and the first part of the Act prescribes how the second part is to be brought into operation. At least one-fourth of all the electors in the county or city having petitioned the Secretary of State for Canada, the Governor-General may proclaim a poll to be taken by ballot. "No person shall at any polling either provide or furnish drink or other refreshment, at the expense of such person, to any elector during such polling, or pay for, procure, or engage to pay for, any such drink or other refreshment." "No intoxicating, spirituous, or fermented liquors or strong drinks shall be sold or given at any hotel, tavern, or shop, or other place within the limits of any polling district during the whole of any day on which any poll is begun, holden, or proceeded with, under a penalty of 100 dollars for every such offence; and the offender shall be subject to imprisonment, not exceeding six months, at the discretion of the judge or court, in default of payment of such fine." The poll having being taken, "when in any county or city one-half or more of all the votes polled have been against the adoption of any petition embodied as aforesaid in any notice and in any proclamation, under the first part of this Act, no similar petition shall be put to the vote of the electors of such county or city for a period of three years from the day on which such vote was taken." After adoption of the Act by the electors, the Governor-General in Council may order the Act to be in force from and after the day of expiry of existing licenses, "provided such day be not less than ninety days from the day of the date of such Order in Council; and if it be less, then on a like day in the then following year; and upon, from, and after that day the second part of this Act shall become and be in force and take effect in such county or city accordingly." By section 97 it is provided that no order in Council under this Act shall be revoked until after three years after its coming into force, and then not unless on petition of one-fourth or more of the whole number of the electors qualified to vote at the election of a member of the House of Commons in the county or city, followed by a poll showing in favour of revocation more than one-half of all the votes polled.

The second part, beginning with section 99, is headed "Prohibition of Traffic in Intoxicating Liquors." And as this is the most important part we reproduce it:

Sec. 99.—"1. From the day on which this part of this act comes into force and takes effect in any county or city, and for so long thereafter as the same continues in force therein, no person, unless it be for exclusively sacramental or medicinal purposes, or for *bona fide* use in some art, trade, or manufacture, under the regulation contained in the fourth sub-section of this section, or as hereinafter authorised by one of the four next sub-sections of this section, shall, within such county or city, by himself, his clerk, servant or agent, expose or keep for sale, or directly or indirectly, on any pretence or upon any device, sell or barter, or in consideration of the purchase of any other property give, to any other person, any spirituous or other intoxicating liquor, or any mixed liquor capable of being used as a beverage and part of which is spirituous or otherwise intoxicating.

"2. And neither any license issued by any distiller or brewer,—nor yet any license for retailing on board any steamboat or other vessel, brandy, rum, whisky, or other spirituous liquors, wine, ale, beer, porter, cider, or other vinous or fer-



mented liquors,—nor yet any license for retailing on board any steamboat or other vessel, wine, ale, beer, porter, cider, or other vinous or fermented liquors, but not brandy, rum, whisky, or other spirituous liquors,—nor yet any other description of license whatever,—shall in any wise avail to render legal any act done in violation of this section.

“3. Provided always that the sale of wine for exclusively sacramental purposes shall be made by druggists and vendors as hereinafter provided, only on the certificate of a clergyman affirming that the wine is required for sacramental purposes ;

“4. Provided also, that the sale of intoxicating liquor for exclusively medicinal purposes or for *bond fide* use in some art, trade, or manufacture, shall be lawful only by such druggists and other vendors as may be thereto specially licensed by the Lieutenant-Governor in each Province, the number not to exceed one in each township or parish, nor two in each town ; and in cities not exceeding one for every four thousand inhabitants ; such sale, when for medicinal purposes, to be in quantities of not less than one pint to be removed from the premises and to be made only on the certificate of a medical man having no interest in the sale by the druggist or vendor, affirming that such liquor has been prescribed for the person named therein ; and when such sale is for its use in some art, trade, or manufacture, the same to be made only on a certificate signed by two justices of the peace of the *bond fides* of the application, accompanied by the affirmation of the applicant, that the liquor is to be used only for the particular purposes set forth in the affirmation ; and it shall be the duty of the druggist or other vendor to file the certificates and keep a register of all such sales, indicating the name of the purchaser and the quantity sold, and to make an annual return of all such sales on the thirty-first day of December in every year to the Collector of Inland Revenue within whose revenue division the county or city is situate.

“5. Provided also, that any producer of cider in the county, or any licensed distiller or brewer, having his distillery or brewery within such county or city may thereat expose and keep for sale such liquor as he shall have manufactured thereat, and no other ; and may sell the same thereat, but only in quantities not less than ten gallons or in the case of lager-beer not less than eight gallons at any one time, and only to druggists and others licensed as aforesaid or to such persons as he has good reason to believe will forthwith carry the same beyond the limits of the county or city, and of any adjoining county or city in which the second part of this act is then in force, and to be wholly removed and taken away in quantities not less than ten gallons, or in the case of lager-beer not less than eight gallons at a time.

“6. Provided also, that any incorporated company authorised by law to carry on the business of cultivating and growing vines and of making and selling wine and other liquors produced from grapes, having their manufactory within such county or city, may thereat expose and keep for sale such liquor as they shall have manufactured thereat, and no other ; and may sell the same thereat, but only in quantities not less than ten gallons at any one time, and only to druggists and others, licensed as aforesaid, or to such persons as they have good reason to believe will forthwith carry the same beyond the limits of the county or city and of any adjoining county or city in which the second part of this act is then in force, and to be wholly removed and taken away in quantities not less than ten gallons at a time.

“7. Provided also, that manufacturers of pure native wines made from grapes grown and produced by them in the dominion of Canada, may, when authorised to do so by license from the Municipal Council or other authority having jurisdiction where such manufacture is carried on, sell such wines at the place of manufacture in quantities of not less than ten gallons at one time, except when sold for sacramental or medicinal purposes, when any number of gallons from one to ten may be sold.

“8. Provided also, that any merchant or trader exclusively in wholesale trade, and duly licensed to sell liquor by wholesale, having his store or place for sale of goods within such county or city, may thereat keep for sale and sell intoxicating



liquor, but only in quantities not less than ten gallons at any one time, and only to druggists and others licensed as aforesaid or to such persons as he has good reason to believe will forthwith carry the same beyond the limits of the county or city, and of any adjoining county or city in which the second part of this act is then in force, to be wholly removed and taken away in quantities not less than ten gallons at a time.

"9. In any prosecution against a producer, distiller, brewer, manufacturer, merchant or trader under this section, it shall be incumbent on the defendant to furnish satisfactory evidence of having good reason for believing such liquor would be forthwith removed beyond the limits of the county or city, and of any adjoining county or city in which the second part of this act is then in force, for consumption outside the same."

The third part of the Act refers to "Penalties and Prosecutions for offences against the Second Part." It begins at Section 100, which ordains that—"Whoever, by himself, his clerk, servant or agent, exposes or keeps for sale, or directly or indirectly, on any pretence or by any device, sells, or barter, or in consideration of the purchase of any other property, gives, to any other person, any spirituous or other intoxicating liquor, or any mixed liquor capable of being used as a beverage and a part of which is spirituous or otherwise intoxicating, in violation of the second part of this act, shall be liable on summary conviction to a penalty of not less than fifty dollars for the first offence, and not less than one hundred dollars for the second offence, and to be imprisoned for a term not exceeding two months for the third and for every subsequent offence; and whoever, in the employment or on the premises of another, so exposes or keeps for sale, or sells, or barter, or gives in violation of the said second part of this act, shall be held equally guilty with the principal, and shall be liable on summary conviction to the same penalty or punishment. And all intoxicating liquors in respect to which any such offence has been committed, and all kegs, barrels, cases, bottles, packages or receptacles of any kind whatever in which the same is contained shall be forfeited."

Then follow provisions as to the mode of conducting prosecutions under the Act; directions as to search and seizure; penalties for tampering with witnesses; a section forbidding appeal against convictions; penalties for compromising or attempting to compromise proceedings; and for amending informations so as to prevent the Act from being a failure through merely technical objections.

Sec. 119 is directed against keeping "in any house, shop, room, or place, a bar, counter, beer pumps, kegs, jars, decanters, tumblers, glasses, or other appliances or preparations similar to those usually found in taverns and shops where spirituous or fermented liquors are accustomed to be sold or trafficked in," in conjunction with such liquor; the liquor, if found in such a place, "shall be doomed to have been kept for sale contrary to the provisions of the Act, unless the contrary is proved by the defendant;" "and the occupant of such house," &c., "shall be taken conclusively to be the person who keeps therein such liquor for sale." In proving sale, barter, or the unlawful disposal of liquor, Sec. 120 makes it unnecessary to show that any money actually passed, or any liquor was actually consumed, if the justices, &c., are "satisfied that a transaction in the nature of a sale, or barter, or other unlawful disposal actually took place." This is very stringent; and so is the next section, which provides that the defendant must disprove the case, rather than that it should be proved directly by any witness, what is "the precise description of the liquor sold or bartered, or the precise consideration therefor, or to the fact of the sale or the disposal having taken place with his participation or to his own personal and certain knowledge, but the justices or magistrate or other officer trying the case, so soon as it appears to them or him that the circumstances in evidence sufficiently establish the infraction of law complained of, shall put the defendant on his defence, and in default of his rebuttal of such evidence shall convict him accordingly."

Schedules, &c., follow, and so complete the PERMISSIVE BILL transformed into an ACT of Parliament for the whole of the Dominion of Canada.



## SIR W. LAWSON'S PERMISSIVE BILL.

MANY of our readers having expressed a desire to possess a copy of the Permissive Bill in a compact form for reference, we reproduce the following as printed by order of the House of Commons :—

**A BILL** to enable Owners and Occupiers of Property in certain Districts to prevent the common sale of Intoxicating Liquors within such Districts.

WHEREAS the common sale of intoxicating liquors is a fruitful source of crime, immorality, pauperism, disease, insanity, and premature death, whereby not only the individuals who give way to drinking habits are plunged into misery, but grievous wrong is done to the persons and property of Her Majesty's subjects at large, and the public rates and taxes are greatly augmented :

And whereas it is right and expedient to confer upon the rate-payers of cities, boroughs, parishes, and townships the power to prohibit such common sale as aforesaid :

Be it therefore enacted by the Queen's most excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and Commons, in this present Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows :

1. At any time from and after the *passing of this Act* it shall be lawful for Adoption of this Act  
or more ratepayers residing in any municipal borough or parish, by notice in writing under their hands, to require the mayor of such municipal borough or the overseers of the poor of such parish, to take the votes of the ratepayers of such municipal borough or parish respectively as to the propriety of bringing into operation therein the provisions of this Act ; and the mayor or overseers as aforesaid, within On requisition of ratepayers, notice of time of voting to be given

Qualification of voters  
days of receiving such requisition, shall cause a public notice to be affixed on or near to the town hall of such borough, and on or near to the outer and principal door of every church and chapel within such borough or parish, and shall also cause notice to be inserted in some newspaper published in such borough or parish, or if there be none so published, in some paper published in the county in which such borough or parish is situate, specifying on what day, not earlier than Mode of voting  
days after the publication of the said notices, the ratepayers of such borough or parish are required to signify their votes for or against the adoption of this Act.

2. Every person who is rated to the relief of the poor, or entitled to vote in the election of guardians of the poor for the borough or parish in which the votes are to be taken shall be entitled to one vote for or against the adoption of this Act.

3. The mayor of such borough or the overseers of such parish shall cause voting papers, in the form contained in the schedule (A.) to this Act annexed, to be prepared, and shall, *three days* before the day appointed for voting as aforesaid, cause one of such papers to be delivered at the residence of each person entitled to vote as aforesaid, and each voter shall upon the voting paper so delivered signify by writing the word yes or no upon the said paper, and by signing his name thereto, whether he votes for or against the adoption of this Act ; provided always that if any voter cannot write he shall affix his mark at the foot of the voting paper in the presence of a witness, who shall fill up the voting paper in the presence of the voter, and shall attest and write the name of the voter upon the same.



4. The mayor of such borough or the overseers of such parish shall cause the voting papers to be collected on the day appointed for the voting as aforesaid by persons employed by them for the purpose, as he or they shall direct; but no voting paper shall be received or admitted unless the same have been delivered at the residence of the voter as aforesaid, nor unless the same be collected by the persons so employed for that purpose; provided always, that if any person qualified to vote shall not have received a voting paper as aforesaid, he shall, on application, on or before the day of voting, to the said mayor or overseers, be entitled to receive a voting paper, and to fill up and sign the same in his or their presence, and then and there deliver the same to him or them: Provided also, that in case any voting paper duly delivered shall not have been duly collected through the default of the said persons so employed to collect the same, the voter in person may deliver the same to the said mayor or overseers before twelve at noon on the day following the day of voting.

Collection  
of votes

5. The mayor of such borough or the overseers of such parish shall, after twelve at noon on the day immediately following the day of voting, examine the said votes, and shall declare as hereafter mentioned whether a majority of duly qualified votes has been given in favour of the adoption of this Act, and the adoption or non-adoption of this Act within such borough or parish shall depend on such majority of votes; provided always, that this Act shall not be adopted within such borough or parish unless at least *two thirds* of the aggregate number of votes so given as aforesaid be in favour thereof.

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6. If any person fabricates, in whole or in part, or alters, defaces, destroys, abstracts, or purloins any voting paper, or personates any person entitled to vote in pursuance of this act, or falsely assumes to act in the name or on behalf of any person so entitled to vote, or interrupts the distribution of any voting papers, or distributes the same under false pretences of being lawfully authorised so to do, he shall for every such offence be liable, on conviction before two justices, to be imprisoned in the common gaol or house of correction for any period not exceeding *three months*, with or without hard labour.

Penalties  
for fabrica-  
tion voting  
papers

7. The mayor of such borough or the overseers of such parish shall, if this Act be adopted as aforesaid, immediately give notice thereof by affixing the same on or near to the town hall in such borough, and to the outer and principal door of every church and chapel in such borough or parish, and shall immediately give notice thereof to Her Majesty's principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, and to the chairman of the Board of Inland Revenue, and deliver to the clerk to the justices acting in and for such borough or for the district or division in which such borough or parish is situated, a certificate in writing of the adoption of the Act, to be by the said clerk recorded and preserved, which certificate, or a copy thereof, certified by the said clerk of the justices, shall be conclusive evidence in any proceedings under or by virtue of this Act that this Act was duly adopted within the said borough or parish.

Notice of  
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and its im-  
mediate op-  
eration

8. If the ratepayers of any such borough or parish shall determine in manner aforesaid against the adoption of this Act, it shall not be lawful within *one year* after such determination, again to take the votes of the ratepayers of such borough or parish as to the propriety of bringing into operation therein the provisions of the said Act.

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adoption of  
the Act, one  
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vote be  
taken.

9. If the ratepayers of such borough or parish shall determine in manner as aforesaid in favour of the adoption of this Act, it shall be lawful, after the expiration of *three years* from the commencement of this Act coming into operation, for any ratepayers of such borough or parish again to call upon the mayor of the borough or the overseers

Ratepayers  
to have  
power to re-  
consider the



of the poor of the parish again to take the votes of the ratepayers of the borough or parish, in like manner as herein-before provided for the adoption of this Act, and the continuance or otherwise of the operation of this Act within such borough or parish shall be determined by a majority of the votes so given.

adoption of  
this Act

10. From and after the time limited for the commencement of this Act in any borough or parish, as herein-before provided, no license whatever shall be granted or renewed for the sale of alcoholic liquor within such borough or parish; and any person selling or disposing of any alcoholic liquor within such borough or parish shall be dealt with as selling without license, and shall be subject to all the penalties provided for such offence under any Act or Acts of Parliament regulating the sale of alcoholic liquors which may be in force at the time of the adoption of this Act; provided nevertheless, that nothing herein contained shall affect any rights or privilege conferred or enjoyed by virtue of any license current or in force at the commencement of this Act during its said currency, and that nothing herein contained shall be held to affect any sales made under the provisions of any statute permitting the sale of methylated spirits for use in the arts and manufactures of the United Kingdom.

Prohibition  
of common  
sale

11. In the construction of this Act the following words and expressions shall have the following meanings assigned to them respectively: "municipal borough" shall mean city, borough, burgh, or any corporate town: "parish" shall mean any parish, township, village, tithing, extra parochial place, or place maintaining its own poor; "mayor" shall mean also provost, high constable, high bailiff, baron bailie, or other chief officer of any city or borough; "overseers of the poor" shall mean any persons authorised and required to make and collect the rates for the relief of the poor, and acting as overseers of the poor; "alcoholic liquor" shall include all spirituous liquors, wine, ale, beer, cyder, perry, and every description of intoxicating liquors.

Interpreta-  
tion clause

[The Schedule gives a simple form of voting paper].

## DIVISION LIST, HOUSE OF COMMONS, JUNE 26, 1878.

### AYES.

Tellers : Sir Wilfrid Lawson and Mr. Jacob Bright.

Allen, W. S.	Corry, J. P.	Jenkins, D. J.	O'Clery, K.
Archdale, W. H.	Cowan, J.	Jenkins, E. D.	O'Connor Don
Backhouse, E.	Cowen, J.	Johnstone, Sir H.	O'Connor, D. M.
Balfour, Sir G.	Davie, Sir H. R.	Kenealy, Dr.	O'Neill, Hon. E.
Barran, J.	Davies, R.	Laing, S.	Pender, J.
Bazley, Sir T.	Dickson, T. A.	Leith, J. F.	Pennington, F.
Bell, I. L.	Ewart, W.	Leslie, Sir J.	Potter, T. B.
Biggar, J. G.	Fletcher, I.	Lewis, C. E.	Redmond, W. A.
Birley, H.	Gordon, Sir A.	Lloyd, Morgan	Richard, H.
Brocklehurst, W.	Gordon, Lord D.	Lusk, Sir A.	Rylands, P.
Brogden, A.	Gourley, E. T.	Mackintosh, C. I.	Smith, E.
Burt, T.	Grant, A.	M'Arthur, A.	Smyth, R.
Cameron, C.	Harrison, J. F.	M'Laren, D.	Stevenson, J. C.
Campbell, Sir G.	Havelock, Sir H.	Maitland, J.	Stewart, J.
Castlereagh, Vis.	Holland, S.	Meldon, C. H.	Sullivan, A. M.
Chadwick, D.	Hughes, W. B.	Middleton, Sir A.	Talbot, C. R. M.
Chamberlain, J.	Ingram, W. J.	Morgan, G. O.	Tracy, Hon. F.
Cole, H. T.	James, W. H.	Noel, E.	Trevelyan, G. O.



PERMISSIVE BILL—*continued.*

AYES.

Trevor, Lord A.	Watkin, Sir E.	Whitworth, W.	Wilson, Sir M.
Waddy, S. D.	Whitwell, J.	Williams, B. T.	Wilson, W.
Watkin, A. M.	Whitworth, B.	Wilson, C.	Young, A. W.

NOES.

Tellers : Mr. Wheelhouse and Mr. A. G. Hardy.

Agnew, R. V.	Clifford, C. C.	Freshfield, C. K.	Hubbard, E.
Ailcroft, J. D.	Clive, Col. Hon.	Gallwey, Sir W.	Hubbard, J.
Allen, Major	<i>Cobbold, T. C.</i>	Galway, Vis.	Isaac, S.
<i>Allsop, C.</i>	Cochrane, Bailie	<i>Gardner, J. T.</i>	Jackson, Sir H.
<i>Allsopp, H.</i>	Cole, Col. Hon.	Garnier, J. C.	Johnson, J. G.
Amory, Sir J. H.	Colbrooke, Sir T.	Giffard, Sir H. S.	Kavanagh, A.
Anderson, G.	Collins, E.	Goddard, A. L.	Kennaway, Sir J.
Arbuthnot, Lieut- Col. G.	<i>Coope, O. E.</i>	Goldney, G.	Kingscote, Col.
Arkwright, A. P.	Corbett, J.	Goldsmid, Sir J.	Knightley, Sir R.
Arkwright, F.	Cordes, T.	Gore-Langton, W.	Knowles, T.
Ashbury, J. L.	Cotes, C. C.	Gorst, J. E.	<i>Lacon, Sir E. H.</i>
Assheton, R.	Courtney, L. H.	Gower, Hon. E.	Lambert, N. G.
Bagge, Sir W.	Cowper, Hon. H.	<i>Greenhall, Sir G.</i>	Lawrence, Sir J.
<i>Barclay, A. C.</i>	Crichton, Vis.	<i>Greene, E.</i>	Lawrence, Sir T.
Baring, T. C.	Cross, R. A.	Gregory, G. B.	Learmonth, A.
Barne, F. St. John	Cubitt, G.	Grosvenor, Lord	Lee, Major V.
Barrington, Vis.	Cunninghame, Sir	<i>Guinness, Sir A.</i>	Lefevre, G. J. S.
<i>Bass, A.</i>	Dalkeith, Earl of	<i>Hall, A. W.</i>	Legard, Sir C.
<i>Bass, H.</i>	Dalrymple, C.	<i>Halsey, T. F.</i>	Legh, W. J.
Bates, E.	Denison, C. B.	Hamilton, I. T.	Leighton, Sir B.
Bateson, Sir T.	Denison, W. E.	Hamilton, Lord	Leighton, S.
Bentinck, G. C.	Dodson, J. G.	Hamond, C. F.	Lennox, Lord H.
Bentinck, G. W.	Duff, J.	Hanbury, R. W.	Lewisham, Vis.
Blackburne, Col.	Duff, M. E. G.	Hankey, T.	Lloyd, S.
<i>Boord, T. W.</i>	Dunbar, J.	Harcourt, E. W.	Lloyd, T. E.
Bourke, Hon. R.	Dyke, Sir W. H.	Hardcastle, E.	Locke, J.
Bowen, J. B.	Dyott, Col. R.	Hardy, Hon. S.	Lopes, Sir M.
Brassey, H. A.	Edmonstone, Ad.	Harvey, Sir R. B.	Lowther, Hon.
Broadley, W. H.	Egerton, Hon. A.	Hay, Sir J. C. D.	Lowther, J.
Brooks, M.	Egerton, Hon. W.	Heath, R.	Macartney, J. W.
Bruce, Hon. T.	Elphinstone, Sir	Herbert, Hon. S.	Macduff, Vis.
Bruen, H.	Emlyn, Vis.	Herman, E.	M <sup>c</sup> Garel-Hogg Sir
Brymer, W. E.	Errington, G.	Harvey, Lord F.	M <sup>a</sup> ajendie, L. A.
Bulwer, J. R.	Estcourt, G. S.	Heygate, W. U.	Malcolm, J. W.
Burghley, Lord	Evans, T. W.	Hick, J.	Manners, Lord J.
Buxton, Sir R. J.	<i>Evings, A. O.</i>	Hill, A. S.	March, Earl of
Campbell, C.	Fawcett, H.	Hill, T. R.	Marten, A. G.
Cave, S.	Fay, C. J.	Hinchbrook, Vis.	Martin, P.
Cavendish, Lord	Fellowes, E.	Holker, Sir J.	Massey, W. N.
Cecil, Lord E.	Finch, G. H.	Holland, Sir H.	Master, T. W. C.
Chaplin, Col. E.	Floyer, J.	Holmesdale, Vis.	Merewether, C. G.
Charley, W. T.	Foljambe, F. J.	Holms, J.	Mills, A.
Childers, H.	Forester, C. T.	Holms, W.	Mills, Sir C. H.
Christie, W. L.	Foster, W. H.	Hood, Cap. Hon.	Monckton, F.
Churchill, Lord	Forester, Sir C.	Hope, A. J. B.	Monk, J. C.
	French, Hon. C.		Montgomerie, R.

PERMISSIVE BILL—*continued.*

## NOES.

Montgomery, Sir	Portman, Hon.	<i>Shaw, W.</i>	<i>Thwaites, D.</i>
Moore, S.	Powell, W.	Sheridan, H. B.	Thynne, Lord H.
Mulholland, J.	Power, R.	Sherlock, Mr. S.	Tollernache, Hon.
Muncaster, Lord	Praed, C. T.	Shute, General	Torrens, W. T.
Muntz, P. H.	Praed, H. B.	Simon, Serjeant	Tremayne, J.
Murphy, N. D.	Raikes, H. C.	Simonds, W. B.	Wait, W. K.
Naghten, Lieut.-C	<i>Ramsay, J.</i>	Smith, A.	Walker, O. O.
Newdegate, C. N.	Read, C. S.	Smith, S. G.	Walker, T. E.
Noel, G. J.	Rendlesham, Ld.	Smith, W. H.	Wallace, Sir R.
Nolan, Major	Repton, G. W.	Smyth, P. J.	Walsh, Hon. A.
North, Col.	Ridley, Sir M. W.	Smollett, P. B.	Walter, J.
Northcote, Sir	Ritchie, C. T.	Somerset, Lord	Warburton, P. E.
O'Donoghue, The	Rothschild, Sir N.	Stanhope, Hon.	Welbey-Gregory,
O'Gorman, P.	Russell, Lord A.	Stanley, Col.	Sir W.
Onslow, D.	Russell, Sir C.	<i>Stansfeld, J.</i>	Wellesley, Col.
Paget, R. H.	Ryder, G. R.	Starkie, J. P. C.	<i>Wells, E.</i>
Palk, Sir L.	St. Aubyn, Sir J.	Steere, L.	Whitbread, S.
Parker, Lieut.-Col.	Salt, T.	Swanston, A.	Whitclaw, A.
Peel, A. W.	Samuda, J. D. A.	Sykes, C.	Wilmot, Sir H.
Pennant, Hon. G.	Sanderson, T. K.	Tavistock, Mar-	Wilmot, Sir J. E.
<i>Phipps, P.</i>	Sclater-Booth, G.	quis of	Wood, B. T.
Pim, Capt. B.	Scott, M. D.	Taylor, Col.	Wroughton, P.
Plunket, Hon. D.	Seeley, C.	Taylor, P. A.	Yarmouth, Earl of
Plunket, Hon. R.	Selwin-Ibbetson,	<i>Tennant, R.</i>	Yorke, J. R.
Polhill-Turner, C.	Sir	Thornhill, T.	

## PAIRS.

FOR.		AGAINST.	
Browne, Geo.	Lush, Dr. J. A.	<i>Watney, J.</i>	Gilpin, Col.
Callen, Philip	Morley, S.	Spinks, Sergeant	Peek, Sir H. W.
Chambers, Sir T.	Mundella, A. J.	Kennard, Col. E.	Newport, Vis.
Close, M. C.	McArthur, Wm.	Yorke, Hon. E.	Astley, Sir J.
Conyngham, Ld.	Power, O'Connor	Pemberton, E. L.	Peploe, Major D.
Dalway, M. R.	Reed, E. J.	Fitzwilliam, C.	Dickson Major
Davies, David	Sinclair, Sir J.	Knight, F. W.	Hayter, A. D.
Downing, McCar-	Stuart, Col.	Mellor, T. W.	Giles, Alfred
thy	Ward, Dr. M.	Puleston, J. H.	Pell, Albert
Herschell, Farrar	Whalley, Geo. H.	Turner, E.	

The names printed in italics are of those gentlemen known to be directly interested in the Liquor Traffic.

Total (votes and pairs) for, 105 ; against, 307 ; majority, 202.

TOBACCO.—The *Times* recently devoted a leading article to the evils of smoking, and the *Christian World* with similar prominence exposed the various forms of disease originated by tobacco. In several cities in Germany the police have received strict orders to stop all smoking by boys under sixteen, who are threatened with fines, and even imprisonment. This action is professedly based on physiological considerations connected with service in the army.



## JUDICIAL UTTERANCES.

At the Staffordshire Assizes (March 20), in the Crown Court, Mr. Justice Denman, in charging the Grand Jury, said :—"There were two other charges of manslaughter of a different character. One of them was a case in which two men came together apparently as good friends, and then, under the influence of intoxicating liquor—which was at the root generally of all the offences of violence tried at the Assizes throughout the whole country—they set to work, like a couple of brute beasts, to fight one another, and in the end, one of them was killed by a blow. It was clear that, when one party caused the death of another in an illegal fight, the case must be dealt with, or there would be a risk of brutality and blackguardism gaining the ascendancy, whenever drink was about."

At the Bedfordshire summer assizes, Mr. Justice Hawkins, in the course of his charge, having quoted various statistics showing an increase of committals since the year 1875,—an increase in 1876 and a very large increase in 1877,—said he could not help looking about to discover a cause for the same. He was not long in finding a solution of the matter—drink was the cause. His Lordship remarked :—"In 1877 no less than 110 persons were committed to prison for drunkenness alone; and, of course, they knew drunkenness had its concomitant crimes, as vagrancy, assaults, &c. Indeed he did not hesitate to affirm that the great majority of the crimes that had come before him, could be traced either directly or indirectly, to the influence of drink. He found that in 1877 no less than 44 persons were committed for assaults, and a considerable number for acts of vagrancy. His lordship appealed to the members of the Grand Jury, not only to repress as far as possible the crime of drunkenness, but also to bring their influence to bear upon those who encouraged drunkenness. It was a very serious matter, and he could not express too strongly his opinion, that both those who indulged in the baneful and pernicious vice, and those who encouraged it, should be put down with a strong hand."

At the summer assizes for the county of Devon, held at Exeter, July 20th, Mr. Justice Denman referring to the connection between drink and crime, said :—"He had often mentioned, and he did not know that he could do better than mention it again, a most remarkable instance of the connection between offences of violence, and excessive drinking. On one occasion, in a northern county, he sat to try a calendar of sixty-three prisoners, out of which thirty-six were charged with offences of violence, from murder downwards—there being no less than six murderers for trial among those thirty-six. In every single case, not indirectly but directly, these offences were attributed to excessive drinking."

At the Quarter sessions for the city of Manchester, August 8th, the Recorder, Mr. H. W. West, Q.C., remarked :—"That no very long time had elapsed since the last quarter sessions, and therefore there was not a very large number of cases for them to investigate at these sessions. He did not think there was anything specially remarkable in the cases, but he could not help remarking, as he had done frequently, that the number of crimes directly attributable to intemperance, committed in this city, bore a great proportion to all the crimes committed."

In charging the Grand Jury at Durham Quarter Sessions, March 18th, the Chairman said :—"It was worth recording, that when high wages prevailed, crimes of violence greatly increased, whereas the present low rate of wages was co-existent with the satisfactory decrease in crime. High wages mean more drink, low wages less drink, and hence less crime."

AN ARMY OF PUBLICANS.—At the Manchester licensing sessions in Oct., it was stated that there were 2,567 persons holding licenses for the sale of intoxicating liquor in the city.



## SUMMER DRINKS.

THE following paragraphs, gathered from various sources, will be found of service, especially in the summer season :—

Dr. Parkes, in his "Manual of Health," published by the Society for Promoting Christian Knowledge, says :—"Instead of beer there are various agreeable drinks. If a little rice is washed in cold water, and then is boiled in a good deal of water, the fluid, if a little sugar is added, is a pleasant and nutritious drink. It is much used in India by our men. In winter it may be taken warm, in summer cold ; and in summer, if you buy an ounce of powdered tartaric or citric acid, which is very cheap, and put a small quantity in this rice-water, a very refreshing acid beverage is obtained. You will soon learn when you have got acid enough, and it should not be too acid, only just enough to be pleasant. The boiled rice, of course, must be used as food. If you live in the country and can get skimmed milk nothing can be better (both for you and your family) than to drink this at dinner and supper. It is well always to boil it, and a little sugar makes it still more agreeable. No acid must be added to this. If you have a garden, and can get either currants or raspberries, the pressed juice, boiled in water and then mixed with a little tartaric acid and bottled, will keep a long time, and is a very wholesome and agreeable beverage. A little oatmeal boiled in water, and then a little sugar added, also gives a good drink. So that you can have a choice of beverages if you find the want of something besides water. But if you can get to like plain water you are a lucky man. When you have heavy work to do do not take either beer, cider, or spirits. By far the best drink is thin oatmeal and water, with a little sugar. The proportions are  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. of oatmeal to two or three quarts of water, according to the heat of the day and your work and thirst. It should be well boiled, and then 1 oz. or  $1\frac{1}{2}$  oz. of brown sugar added. If you find it to be thicker than you like add three quarts of water. Before you drink it shake up the oatmeal well through the liquid. In summer drink this cold, in winter hot. You will find it not only quenches thirst, but will give you more strength and endurance than any other drink. If you cannot boil it, you can take a little oatmeal mixed with cold water and sugar ; but this is not so good : always boil it if you can. If at any time you have to make a very long day, as in harvest time, and cannot stop for meals, increase the oatmeal to  $\frac{1}{2}$  lb. or even  $\frac{3}{4}$  lb., and the water to three quarts if you are likely to be very thirsty. If you cannot get oatmeal, wheat flour will do, but not quite so well. It is quite a mistake to suppose spirits give strength ; they give a spurt to a man, but that goes off, and if more than a certain quantity is taken they lessen the power of work. For quenching thirst few things are better than weak coffee and a little sugar. One ounce of coffee and half an ounce of sugar boiled in two quarts of water and cooled, is a very thirst-quenching drink. Cold tea has the same effect, but neither are so good or so supporting as oatmeal. Thin cocoa also is very refreshing, and supporting likewise, but is more expensive than oatmeal."

The Aylesbury Sherbert is a delicious beverage for teetotalers on festival days. The recipe is as prepared by the late Lord Aylesbury's French cook : Mix 1  $\frac{1}{2}$  ozs. of citric acid and 50 drops of essence of lemon well together. Dissolve 4 lbs. of loaf sugar in two pints of boiling water, then add the acid mixture. Stir it well up—bottle and cork it well. A small wine glass full of the sherbert is generally considered sufficient for a tumbler of water. Another recipe says :—"Boil 6 lb. of sugar in six pints of water for half-an-hour ; skim it when it begins to boil. When quite cold add two tablespoonfuls of tartaric acid and three teaspoonfuls of essence of lemon. Let it stand till the next day. Then strain it through double muslin into dry bottles. To mix this for a drink, pour it an inch deep into a tumbler and fill up the glass with water. Oatmeal and water, in the proportion of two tablespoonfuls of oatmeal to a gallon of cold water, slightly flavoured with



lemon syrup, makes a refreshing beverage for the hay or harvest field." For a harvest drink, or for a drink in any work, nothing is so useful as water and oatmeal. Stir fine oatmeal into a little cold water; add cold or hot water, about a gallon to every teacupful of oatmeal. A little syrup or treacle mixed in is an improvement. Stir up before drinking, as the meal settles.

Toast and water is exceedingly refreshing if well made. Cut a piece of *crust* of bread, toast till a light brown on both sides, and then plunge it hot into *COLD* water. Cover it up for half-an-hour, then remove the toast, and you will have a clean, refreshing drink. When the crumb is used, it soon turns sour, and when made with boiling water it is insipid, unrefreshing, and thick.

But, after all, nothing can surpass *pure water*; only be sure that it *is* pure. Very much may be done to remove the prejudice of non-abstainers, if teetotalers would always make it a rule to have a supply of clear, cold, filtered water in their houses to offer their friends. A good filter can be bought cheaply, and it is an easy matter to have a supply of drinking water cool and fresh even in the hottest weather. Above all things let abstainers steadily set their face against the "shams," with suspicious names, that of late years have been thrust into the market by men who wish to secure profit out of the growing popular sentiment. The importance of this subject shall be our excuse for reproducing the following from the *Temperance Worker* :—

"One grievous mistake is being made by many of our friends at this time. We allude to the readiness with which they are allowing themselves to be entrapped into the use of all sorts of questionable compounds, 'warranted to be free from alcohol,' but to which their shrewd makers are crafty enough to give names more or less easily confounded with those borne by the destroyer against which we are waging warfare. Temperance reformers, who wish to maintain their own personal reputation for consistency, will have nothing to do with them. Keepers of *genuine* Temperance refreshment-houses will sternly refuse to disgrace their shelves with the so-called 'Champagne,' 'Bitter Ale,' 'Extra Stout,' 'Ginger Ale,' and all the rest of these snares, unless, for the present gain of a few paltry shillings they will risk the mischief which the introduction of articles bearing these names must do the Temperance cause. Let it be granted, for the sake of argument, that the compounds thus called are in themselves innocent of alcoholic poison, what earthly object can be gained by giving the name of an evil spirit to that which is not evil? No drinker is ever deceived into sobriety by these subterfuges, which only familiarise inexperienced and unthinking abstainers with the names of the very articles against which they have pledged themselves, and which are doing incalculable harm by confounding things that differ. We protest with all the energy of which we are capable against the attempt thus being made to lower the standard of true Temperance, and we call upon all our fellow-workers to resist to the uttermost the perpetuation of a system that can only be a mockery, a delusion, and a snare."

BRITISH ASSOCIATION AND TEMPERANCE.—The British Association for the Advancement of Science held its annual meetings in Dublin, in August. No discussion arose on any alcoholic topic during the proceedings of the Association, but, in response to an invitation from the Dublin Total Abstinence Society, between two and three hundred ladies and gentlemen connected with the Association, met to breakfast in the Antient Concert Rooms, the various sections of the Association being well represented.

TEETOTAL M.P.s.—The teetotalers boast that they have sixteen personal abstainers in the present House of Commons :—Mr. John Bright, Mr. T. Burt, Mr. J. P. Corry, Mr. J. Cowen, Mr. M. R. Dalway, Mr. D. Davies, Sir C. W. Dilke, Sir W. Lawson, Mr. S. Morley, Mr. A. J. Mundella, Mr. G. Palmer, Mr. S. Plimsoll, Dr. R. Smyth, Mr. A. M. Sullivan, Hon. W. F. Cowper-Temple, and Mr. B. Whitworth.—*Echo*. [We believe it would not be difficult to add considerably to this list.—ED.]

## STATISTICAL INFORMATION.

## CONSUMPTION OF ARTICLES OF LUXURY.

THE following calculations are based on figures published in the *Statistical Abstract*, and show the consumption per head of the population of the articles named :—

Term ending March 31st	Spirits	Wine	Malt	Tea	Sugar	Tobacco
1840	0.97 gall.	0.25 gall.	1.59 bhs.	1.22 lbs.	15.20 lbs.	0.86 lbs.
1841	0.90 ...	0.23 ...	1.34 ...	1.37 ...	16.99 ...	0.83
1842	0.82 ...	0.18 ...	1.32 ...	1.38 ...	16.04 ...	0.82
1843	0.81 ...	0.22 ...	1.30 ...	1.48 ...	16.55 ...	0.94
1844	0.87 ...	0.25 ...	1.34 ...	1.50 ...	16.80 ...	0.89
1845	0.96 ...	0.24 ...	1.30 ...	1.59 ...	19.58 ...	0.94
1846	1.01 ...	0.24 ...	1.49 ...	1.67 ...	20.88 ...	0.96
1847	0.92 ...	0.28 ..	1.25 ...	1.66 ...	23.14 ...	0.95
1848	0.97 ...	0.22 ...	1.34 ...	1.75 ...	24.73 ...	0.98
1849	1.02 ...	0.23 ...	1.40 ...	1.81 ..	23.91 ...	1.00
1850	1.04 ...	0.23 ..	1.47 ...	1.86 ...	24.79 ...	1.00
1851	1.05 ...	0.23 ...	1.46 ..	1.97 ...	25.49 ..	1.02
1852	1.10 ...	0.23 ...	1.48 ...	1.99 ...	28.15 ...	1.04
1853	1.10 ...	0.25 ...	1.49 ...	2.14 ...	29.57 ...	1.07
1854	1.13 ...	0.24 ...	1.29 ...	2.24 ...	32.51 ...	1.10
1855	0.96 ..	0.23 ...	1.24 ...	2.28 ...	29.22 ...	1.09
1856	1.01 ...	0.25 ...	1.48 ...	2.26 ...	27.24 ...	1.16
1857	1.03 ...	0.23 ...	1.58 ...	2.45 ...	28.30 ...	1.16
1858	0.98 ...	0.22 ...	1.59 ...	2.58 ...	33.50 ...	1.20
1859	1.01 ...	0.24 ...	1.67 ...	2.67 ...	33.85 ...	1.21
1860	0.93 ...	0.23 ...	1.45 ...	2.67 ...	33.11 ...	1.22
1861	0.86 ...	0.37 ...	1.61 ...	2.69 ...	35.49 ...	1.20
1862	0.83 ...	0.33 ...	1.50 ...	2.70 ...	34.94 ...	1.21
1863	0.85 ...	0.35 ...	1.67 ...	2.90 ...	35.97 ...	1.27
1864	0.90 ...	0.39 ...	1.75 ...	3.00 ...	36.90 ...	1.29
1865	0.94 ...	0.40 ...	1.74 ...	3.29 ...	39.78 ...	1.31
1866	1.01 ..	0.44 ...	1.82 ...	3.42 ...	41.40 ...	1.35
1867	0.99 ...	0.45 ...	1.67 ...	3.68 ...	43.19 ...	1.35
1868	0.98 ...	0.50 ...	1.73 ...	3.52 ...	42.01 ...	1.35
1869	0.98 ...	0.48 ...	1.71 ...	3.63 ...	42.56 ...	1.35
1870	1.01 ...	0.49 ...	1.84 ...	3.81 ...	47.23 ...	1.34
1871	1.06 ...	0.51 ...	1.72 ...	3.92 ...	46.80 ...	1.36
1872	1.15 ...	0.53 ...	1.93 ...	4.01 ...	47.37 ...	1.37
1873	1.23 ...	0.56 ...	1.98 ...	4.11 ...	51.59 ...	1.41
1874	1.27 ...	0.53 ...	1.94 ...	4.23 ...	56.37 ...	1.44.
1875	1.30 ...	0.53 ...	1.95 ...	4.44 ...	62.85 ...	1.46
1876	1.27 ...	0.56 ..	2.00 ...	4.50 ...	58.95 ...	1.47

## THE COST OF DRINK IN 1877.

THE amount of money expended on strong drink is variously estimated, inasmuch as while the basis of calculation is clearly ascertainable from the official returns, the retail price, especially of fermented liquors, is differently estimated. We give below the calculations of the Rev. Dawson Burns and of Mr. Hoyle, the former fixing the total at a much more moderate amount than the latter.



## REV. DAWSON BURNS' ESTIMATE.

We are now in a position to compare the consumption of intoxicating liquors in the United Kingdom in 1876 and 1877. In regard to 1877, the figures in respect to foreign and colonial spirits and wine are subject to a slight correction, but the totals are substantially correct.

	1876 Gallons.	1877 Gallons.
Home-made spirits ... ..	29,950,288	29,888,176
Foreign and colonial spirits ... ..	11,501,744	10,618,564
Wine ... ..	41,452,032	40,506,740
	18,671,298	17,671,473
	Bushels.	Bushels.
Malt ... ..	59,298,869	56,819,643
Sugar used in brewing ... ..	4,129,070	4,180,796
	63,427,939	60,999,839
Producing barrels of beer ... ..	31,713,970	30,499,870

As to the cost of the liquors drunk in 1877, I estimated the cost in 1876 at £133,719,204. Mr. Hoyle's estimate was £147,314,904—the difference being chiefly due to Mr. H's average of beer being 1s. 6d. per gallon, and mine 1s. 4d.

My computation for 1877 is as follows:—

British spirits, 20s. per gall. ... ..	£29,888,176
Foreign and colonial spirits, 22s. per gall. ... ..	11,630,420
	£41,518,596
Wine, at 15s. per gallon ... ..	13,253,455
Malt liquors, at 48s. per barrel... ..	73,699,680
British wines, cider, perry, &c., estimated ... ..	1,000,000
	£129,471,731

Showing a diminished expenditure of about four millions and a quarter as compared with the expenditure in 1876.

## MR. HOYLE'S ESTIMATE.

British spirits ... ..	29,888,176 gallons *	at 20s.	£29,888,176
Foreign spirits ... ..	10,618,564 „	† at 24s.	12,742,277
Wines ... ..	17,671,273 „	‡ at 18s.	15,904,146

Beer—

Sugar used in brewing

870,853 cwts. equal 3,715,640 bh. malt §

Malt used in brewing 56,819,643 bshls. ||

Total 60,535,283

And taking the Excise standard of two

bushels of malt to make one barrel or

36 galls of beer, this gives 1,089,

635,094 galls. at 1s. 6d. ... .. 81,722,632

British wines, cider, &c., (estimated) 17,500,000 at 2s. 1,750,000

£142,007,231

\* See trade and navigation returns, February, 1878, page 72

† Ibid. December, 1877, page 12

‡ Ibid. December, 1876, page 14

§ Ibid. February, 1878, page 71

|| Ibid. February, 1878, page 71

THE annual parliamentary returns relating to brewers, publicans, and beer-sellers, enable us to compare the year ending Sept. 30, 1877, with 1876.

England :						1876	1877
Brewers	...	...	...	...	...	2,542	2,497
Publicans	...	...	...	...	...	70,095	70,102
Beer-sellers — consumption on premises					...	38,824	38,453
„ „ off premises					...	5,389	6,091
Scotland :							
Brewers	...	...	...	...	...	85	83
Publicans	...	...	...	...	...	12,628	12,436
Ireland :							
Brewers	...	...	...	...	...	62	61
Publicans	...	...	...	...	...	16,927	16,799
United Kingdom :							
Brewers	...	...	...	...	...	2,689	2,641
Publicans	...	...	...	...	...	99,650	99,337
Beersellers	...	...	...	...	...	44,213	44,544

The comparison shows that the brewers are decreasing—in other words, that the big houses are driving out the smaller ones; that the English publicans have slightly increased, and the Scotch and Irish ones diminished; and that the beersellers who sell for consumption on the premises have decreased by 371, while those who sell for consumption off the premises have risen by 702. The licenses for common brewers for the year ending Sept. 30, 1877, with the quantities on which duty was paid, were:—

Under 1,000 barrels	...	...	...	...	19,682
Over 1,000 and under 20,000 barrels...	...	...	...	...	2,144
„ 20,000 „ 100,000 „	...	...	...	...	213
„ 100,000 „ 250,000 „	...	...	...	...	16
„ 250,000 „ 500,000 „	...	...	...	...	8
„ 500,000 „ 900,000 „	...	...	...	...	3
Over 1,000,000 barrels	...	...	...	...	1
Beginners at 12s. 6d.	...	...	...	...	2,680

24,747

The duty charged was £401,433 2s. 6d.; the net supplementary charge was £10,398 9s. 3d., a total of £411,831 11s. 9d. The malt made in the year ending December 31, 1877, was 58,543,252 bushels, and the duty charged £7,939,099 2s. 1½d. In the corresponding year the bushels were 60,929,632, and the duty was £8,262,746 6s. 9½d. The barrels of beer exported from the United Kingdom in the year ending October 1, 1877, were 472,342 valued at £1,918,886. In the corresponding year the totals were 473,254 barrels, valued at £1,900,702.

## SUGAR USED IN BREWING.

THE following return shows the consumption of sugar for the year ending 30th Sept., 1877, in breweries, distinguishing London and the provinces, and Scotland and Ireland; and total of such consumption from Oct. 1st, 1855, to Sept. 30th, 1877:—

Sugar consumed in Breweries, year ending 30th September, 1877.						
England—London	...	...	...	...	...	30,362,066 lbs.
„ The Provinces	...	...	...	...	...	54,521,601
Scotland	...	...	...	...	...	549,841
Ireland	...	...	...	...	...	5,075,922
Total					...	90,509,449



Total consumption of Sugar in Breweries from 1st October, 1855, to 30th September, 1877.

	England.	Scotland.	Ireland.	United Kingdom.
1856	1,412,506 lbs.	171,513 lbs.	206,510 lbs.	1,790,529 lbs.
1857	1,755,722 ...	118,800 ...	239,534 ...	2,114,056
1858	3,616,595 ...	121,465 ...	147,566 ...	3,885,626
1859	2,621,929 ...	136,932 ...	127,215 ...	2,886,076
1860	9,427,548 ...	120,905 ...	122,423 ...	9,670,876
1861	9,079,722 ...	138,707 ...	146,807 ...	9,365,236
1862	8,569,000 ...	181,280 ...	96,235 ...	8,846,515
1863	9,127,146 ...	187,603 ...	50,932 ...	9,365,681
1864	5,020,065 ...	177,339 ...	76,841 ...	5,274,746
1865	4,973,492 ...	199,884 ...	72,651 ...	5,246,072
1866	9,983,340 ...	209,113 ...	148,434 ...	10,340,887
1867	39,317,264 ...	351,456 ...	1,465,296 ...	41,134,016
1868	35,091,453 ...	401,448 ...	2,118,205 ...	37,611,106
1869	39,133,792 ...	625,529 ...	2,221,628 ...	41,930,949
1870	26,152,084 ...	510,385 ...	2,354,802 ...	29,017,271
1871	29,280,189 ...	508,472 ...	2,712,102 ...	32,500,763
1872	26,252,685 ...	428,928 ...	2,717,344 ...	29,398,957
1873	58,576,259 ...	574,303 ...	3,960,667 ...	63,111,229
1874	79,057,767 ...	820,173 ...	6,140,457 ...	86,018,397
1875	93,063,124 ...	616,839 ...	6,076,935 ...	99,756,898
1876	91,184,378 ...	644,304 ...	6,315,050 ...	98,143,732
1877	84,863,666 ...	549,861 ...	5,075,922 ...	90,509,449
Total	667,759,727	7,795,739	42,593,556	717,969,022

### MISCELLANEOUS STATISTICS.

NATIONAL CONTRASTS.—A Parliamentary return, moved for by Mr. M'Laren, M.P. for Edinburgh, gives some information on the comparative relation of the three kingdoms of England, Scotland, and Ireland to the liquor traffic, during the year ending March 31st, 1877 :—

	England.	Scotland.	Ireland.
Spirits : Customs ...	£4,889,094	£561,909	£318,249
Excise ...	8,189,007	3,494,422	3,189,736
Malt duty : Customs ...	4		
Excise ...	7,220,085	368,343	451,950
Wine Duty ...	1,438,640	120,645	179,270
Beer Duty : Customs ...	3,421	500	4
Sugar used in brewing, &c. ...	452,795	3,164	31,804
Excise Licenses ...	1,527,281	147,959	164,865
Tobacco ...	6,014,114	737,227	1,024,234
	£29,734,441	£5,434,169	£5,360,112

A note is appended stating "The revenue from spirit is apportioned in accordance with the quantities of spirits retained for consumption in England, Scotland, and Ireland." The total for the United Kingdom was—For intoxicating liquors, £32,753,147 ; and for tobacco, £7,775,575—a total of £40,528,722.

SPIRITS.—A parliamentary return relating to spirits in 1877 shows that in that year the quantity distilled was 40,093,857 gallons, and that duty was paid upon 30,715,782, which, at 10s. per gallon, yielded a revenue of £15,357,195 18s. 2d.

The quantities consumed in each of the three kingdoms, as compared with 1876, were as follows :—

	1877	1876	Increase or Decrease.
England ...	16,853,082 gall.	16,438,135 gall.	414,947 increase.
Scotland ...	6,987,189	6,971,138	16,051 „
Ireland ...	6,047,905	6,541,015	493,110 decrease.
United Kingdom	29,888,176	29,950,288	62,112 „

Ireland gives so large a decrease on the year (namely,  $\frac{1}{10}$ ) as more than to counterbalance a large increase in England, and a small increase in Scotland.

**PUBLIC-HOUSES.**—The reports of the inspectors of the constabulary of the counties and boroughs of England and Wales (exclusive of Middlesex and the metropolitan district) give the following results for the year ending at Michaelmas, 1877 :—The number of public-houses is stated as 62,535, or 60 more than in the preceding year ; beer and cider houses, 41,622 or 932 more than in the preceding year ; the refreshment houses with wine licenses, 267, or 90 more than in the preceding year. The number of persons proceeded against for drunkenness, or as drunk and disorderly, was 166,005, being 6,406 fewer than in the preceding year ; and the number of those who were convicted was 152,744, or 6,886 fewer than in the preceding year. All three districts—northern, midland, and southern—show an increase in the total number of houses licensed for the sale of intoxicating liquors. The southern and midland districts show an increase in the convictions for drunkenness, but this is more than counterbalanced by a decrease in the northern division. But the northern still had nearly 105,000 of the 152,000 convictions. The population in 1871 was nearly  $5\frac{1}{2}$  millions in the southern districts ; more than  $5\frac{1}{4}$  millions in the midland district, and 7,866,000 in the northern district.—*Times*.

**LUNATICS.**—The following table is culled from the 31st report of the Commissioners of Lunacy. It contains the most complete table of lunatics which has ever been published, going back to 1859. The reader will be pained to see how constant and rapid the increase of lunacy has been :—

Year.	Population.	In private asylums.	Pauper Lnts	Total.	Per 1,000 of pop.
1859	19,686,701	4,980	31,782	36,762	18.67
1860	19,902,713	5,065	32,993	38,058	19.12
1861	20,119,314	5,266	34,381	39,647	19.71
1862	20,371,013	5,420	35,709	41,129	20.19
1863	20,525,855	5,507	37,611	43,118	20.90
1864	20,883,889	5,576	39,219	44,795	21.45
1865	21,145,151	5,790	40,160	45,950	21.73
1866	21,409,684	6,014	41,634	47,648	22.26
1867	21,677,525	6,055	43,031	49,086	22.64
1868	21,948,713	6,040	44,960	51,000	23.23
1869	22,223,299	6,175	47,002	53,177	23.93
1870	22,501,316	6,280	48,433	54,713	24.31
1871	22,782,812	6,454	50,301	56,755	24.71
1872	23,067,835	6,642	51,998	58,640	25.42
1873	23,356,414	7,023	53,273	60,296	25.82
1874	23,648,609	7,292	54,735	62,027	26.23
1875	23,944,459	7,390	56,403	63,793	26.64
1876	24,244,010	7,509	57,407	64,916	26.78
1877	24,547,309	7,597	59,039	66,636	27.14

**CONSUMPTION OF ALCOHOLICS IN FRANCE.**—Dr. Lunier, in an essay treating of the consumption of spirituous liquors in France, and of their influence upon health, gives some details, which show that in the forty-three years comprised between 1830 and 1873 there was a large and steady increase in the quantity of wine and spirits consumed, a small increase in the consumption of beer, and a diminution in



the consumption of cider. France, which produced 37,748,690 hectolitres (22½ gallons to each hectolitre) of wine in 1830, and 50,153,964 hectolitres in 1873, consumed 21,759,570 hectolitres and 43,045,416 hectolitres in those two years, the quantity consumed by each person averaging only 14 gallons a year in 1830 as against nearly double that quantity in 1873. France and Italy are the greatest wine-drinking countries in Europe, the annual consumption being about 27 gallons per head of the population, Portugal being third with a consumption of 18 gallons, and Austria fourth with 12 gallons. The consumption of beer does not exceed 4½ gallons per head. The consumption of cider, which in 1843 was equivalent to 5½ gallons per head, is not more than 4½ gallons at the present time. The price of beer has increased very much within the last 40 years, light beer being double the price it was, whilst strong beer costs a third more than it did in 1830. Cider has also risen in price. With regard to spirits, the consumption estimated at 356,587 hectolitres in 1831, has risen, almost without interruption to 778,000 hectolitres in 1869; the amount consumed per head of the population in the latter year being more than 4½ pints, as against 3½ pints in 1831. The departments in which the smallest quantity of wine is drunk are those who consume the most spirits; while in the principal wine-growing districts the consumption of spirits is at its minimum. Dr. Lunier adduces statistics to prove that cases of insanity, suicide, and accidental death are most frequent in the departments where the consumption of spirits is greatest.—*Pall Mall Gazette*.

**A VALUABLE HELP.**—Everyone connected with the Band of Hope, either on the Committee, or as a conductor or speaker, should subscribe for and regularly read the *Temperance Worker and Band of Hope Conductor*, edited by the Rev. F. Wagstaff, and published monthly, price One Penny. It contains a great variety of invaluable hints and helps on the management of juvenile meetings, suggestions for speeches, outline addresses, black board lessons, original recitations, &c. Six yearly volumes are already completed (1/6, cloth 2/6 each). The publication is the only one of its kind in existence, and is most valuable to everyone engaged in the advocacy of temperance principles. The *Temperance Worker* can be obtained by order of any bookseller, or will be sent post free for one year for 1/6, by remitting direct to Mr. Graham, Maidstone.

**WATER v. BEER.**—Mr. Robert Rawlinson, C. E., the eminent civil engineer, in his evidence before the House of Commons Committee on the Public Health Act (1875) Amendment Bill, made some observations which will not be palatable to chemists and medical officers of health. He said he has ceased to care much for what these experts and officials tell him as to the relation of bad water to local disease, as if only one tenth part of what is said about water happened to be true, his only wonder is that a human being lives on the face of the earth. He admits that a great deal of damage and harm may be done to the constitution by drinking bad water; but he does not believe that a hundredth part of the mischief is done by water that is imputed to it, and he thinks that many of the charges which are brought against water in modern times have no foundation in fact. Apologists for intemperance frequently advance the position that if pure water were attainable, people would not drink beer, but Mr. Rawlinson demolishes this fallacy by roundly stating that he is satisfied the worst town water would be more wholesome for daily use than the best beer.—*The Sanitary Record*.

THE Registrar of Friendly Societies estimates that the registered and unregistered Friendly Societies probably have a total of 4,306,512 members, and a total amount of £10,787,839 in funds.

THE way to wealth is as plain as the way to market; it depends chiefly on two words—*industry and frugality*; that is, waste neither time nor money, but make the best use of both. Without industry and frugality nothing will do, but with them, everything.—*Franklin*.



## INTERNATIONAL TEMPERANCE CONGRESS.

ONE of the most important events of the year was the assembly, in Paris, under the auspices of the French Government, of an International Temperance Congress, which sat three days in August. The Belgian Government accredited Dr. Barella. Spain sent his Excellency Don Emilio de Santos, as a Royal Commissioner. Colonel Girard, one of the Exhibition Commissioners, was the Envoy of the United States. Dr. Loven, a Stockholm professor, and Dr. Sternberg, professor of chemistry, represented Sweden and Norway. M. Stoicesco, a Secretary of Legation, represented Roumania. Egypt had as a delegate, Colucci Pacha; and the Chargé d'Affaires of Uruguay represented that government. These were national representatives. The French War Office was likewise represented, and also the French Admiralty. The *Berlin Alcohol Traffic Journal*, the *Stockholm Daily News*, the French Society against the Abuse of Tobacco, the Medical Society, and the Hygeian Society, of the same country, were also represented. Over and above these accredited representatives, eminent men of all nations attended the Congress. Dr. James Edmunds, of London, was amongst these, and Germany, Italy, Russia, Sweden, Brazil, and Peru, furnished others. Letters of regret for absence, were sent from most of the European countries, and amongst these were letters of warmest sympathy from Cardinal Manning, Sir Henry Thompson, Dr. Carpenter, and Dr. W. B. Richardson. England had several representatives present. No one officially represented the English Government. The United Kingdom Alliance sent to the Congress Mr. J. H. Raper and the Rev. C. H. Collins, M.A. The National Temperance League had for its representatives the Rev. Dr. de Colleville, of Brighton, and Mr. Thomas Cook. The English Sunday Closing Association was present in the person of Mr. Edward Whitwell; whilst the British Temperance League had commissioned Mr. Woodcock, who likewise represented the Independent Order of Rechabites. Mr. J. S. Sewell was also present for this league. The proceedings of the Congress were of an interesting and important character, embracing the social, scientific, and legislative aspects of the question. The Rev. C. H. Collins read a paper in French, setting forth the principles and policy of the United Kingdom Alliance; and a packet of Alliance documents was placed in the hands of each of the delegates. A resolution was passed at the close of the Congress, as to the duty incumbent upon Governments, to aid in the restriction of the traffic, and commissions were named for the further examination of the scientific aspect of the temperance question. The next Congress will meet in Brussels in two years' time. It is worthy of notice that a resolution submitted by Dr. Rabuteau, committing the Congress to the assertion that pure ethylic alcohol is harmless, was rejected by an overwhelming majority.

**MIGHTY LONDON.**—A few facts about London may stimulate temperance workers to more zeal. London has a birth every four minutes, and a death every six minutes; it has seven accidents every day in its 7,000 miles of streets; 73,000 persons are annually taken into custody by its police; of these 38,000 are committed for drunkenness. It has as many beer-shops and gin-palaces the frontage of which would, if placed side by side, stretch from Charing Cross to Chichester, a distance of 62 miles. It has upwards of a million persons who habitually neglect religious worship, and it has over sixty miles of open shops on Sunday.

**THE "LANCET" ON DRINKING.**—The only contribution which the present Parliament has made to the abolition of the evil is the homeopathic one of increasing the facilities for drinking. The Church is bestirring itself, but it will have to do greater things than it has yet done to make much impression.—*Lancet*.

THE great secret of success in life is for a man to be ready when his opportunity comes.—*Disraeli*.



## TEMPERANCE IN THE INDIAN ARMY.

FROM the report of the Soldiers' Total Abstinence Association, which has branches all over India, most pleasing results are shown. The movement is cordially supported by commanding officers; and even where these are not themselves abstainers their opinion as to the evils arising from the issue of rum to the troops is emphatically expressed, as the following extract from a letter shows:—  
 “Many Commanding Officers, myself amongst the number, are not advocates of total abstinence, but I believe all Commanding Officers to be hostile to the issue of rum to the men: at least all I have ever conversed with have been so, and I believe if by your efforts you can induce the authorities to stop the issue of spirits to all regiments arriving in the country, you will confer a great boon on the army, and you will remove one of the chief causes of the universal use of spirits in the army in India. I look upon a free canteen as fatal in India, where a man has so much money to spend, and so much idle time. In England where the men have the power of buying what they like at the public-house, the case is quite different, as they have so little money to spend. The strongest argument against free canteens is the fact that in the army of India, the greatest proportion of delirium tremens is amongst the sergeants, who are possessed (in their mess) of the privilege of a free canteen. If, therefore, these men, the selected men of each regiment, with superior education and more means of occupation, cannot be trusted, what would be the result if free canteens were thrown open to the whole body of men?”

Commenting upon the fact that more than 10,000 members are enrolled in the various branches of the Association, the *Madras Times* says:—One effect of so large a body of men enrolling themselves as total abstainers is the steady annual diminution of the amount of liquor consumed. We are unfeignedly glad that the association has recorded these official statistics as a set-off against possible sneers that the numbers of total abstainers given are merely “paper men,” and not *de facto* teetotallers. The annual diminution of both rum and malt liquor is undeniable, and most satisfactorily points to good work done. We thus find the consumption of rum in the Bengal army was—

				Gallons.
In 1869-70	...	...	...	271,849
In 1877-78	...	...	...	124,123

or, in other words, a lessening of 50 per cent. An even yet more satisfactory result has been attained in the diminished consumption of malt liquor. In 1874-5 the supply stood at 55,000 hogsheads:

				Hogsheads.
In 1875-6	...	...	...	41,000
In 1876-7	...	...	...	30,000
In 1877-8	...	...	...	15,700

The whole of this falling off is not, of course, due to the total abstainers, but is in a measure due to the use of hill-brewed beer, but a very good percentage of the diminution has been effected by the efforts of the association. As we before stated, the association has ramified through India, and the following return shows the number of societies in connection with it:—

		Societies.		Members.
In the Bengal Presidency	...	57	...	7,265
In the Madras Presidency	...	18	...	1,336
In the Bombay Presidency...	...	23	...	1,727
In the Railway Presidency...	...	12	...	558
Total	...	100	...	10,886

THE more a man really knows, the less conceited will he be.



## A TEMPERANCE CURIOSITY.

ONE of the greatest curiosities ever witnessed came to light with the opening of the year 1878, in the form of a letter addressed to Mr. J. J. Lingwood, hon. sec. of the Berks and Bucks Licensed Victuallers' Protection Association, by the Rev. Arthur Robins, Rector of Holy Trinity, Windsor. We produce it complete :—

Dear Mr. Lingwood,—I cannot believe I shall be wrong in concluding that the licensed victuallers of your association would gladly welcome any opportunity of showing that they occupy a position of very great trust with a very laudable sense of its responsibility. I have always held it to be untrue, and therefore unjust, to say that the licensed victuallers as a body regard either with sympathy or indifference the frightful evils of intemperance. Prodigious earnestness in any direction is, as all experience teaches us, too often acquired at the disastrous cost of all controlling judgment. It has, unhappily, long since come to pass that few people can be found to come together to discuss what is called 'The Temperance Question' either calmly or temperately. I have no sort of agreement with those who intemperately curse things which, notwithstanding their possible abuse in their use, do nevertheless come to us blessed with the highest sanctions. I do not say that you as a body have anything in this matter to repudiate, but I am persuaded you may become irresistibly powerful for good by a frank and generous acknowledgment of your obligations.

A few months ago a clergyman in another part of England, who differed from the wisdom and expediency of the various total abstinence movements as fervently as I do, applied to the licensed victuallers of a large town to strengthen his hands by their moral support. They knew he was honourably but not fanatically concerned for a great cause, and that he was also thoroughly true to their legitimate interests. They met together, and they unanimously passed a resolution like to the one I enclose. Will the Licensed Victuallers of the Berks and Bucks Protection Association as cordially agree to such a resolution?

I propose to publish this letter together with your reply. Believe me very faithfully yours,

ARTHUR ROBINS.

The reply of the licensed victuallers to this remarkable letter was in the following terms :—

The Berks and Bucks Licensed Victuallers' Protection Association,  
Windsor, Dec. 19, 1877.

Dear Sir,—I am desired by the committee of the above association to inform you that at their meeting held on Monday, Dec. 17th, 1877, it was resolved that your resolution on behalf of temperance and moderation be signed by the president, vice-president, treasurer, and secretary of the Berks and Bucks Licensed Victuallers' Protection Association.

I beg to enclose your resolution duly signed. Thanking you for your consideration on behalf of the trade, I remain, dear sir, your obedient servant,

J. J. LINGWOOD, Hon. Sec.

The Rev. A. ROBINS.

We, the licensed victuallers of the Berks and Bucks Protection Association, feeling the importance and responsibility of our position, and it being represented to us that our co-operation in the cause of true temperance is earnestly desired, and feeling that we may be a great help or a great hindrance, do hereby heartily declare that in all lawful ways and by all reasonable means we will seek to promote temperance, sobriety, and moderation.

Signed on behalf of the Association,

J. W. HARDING, President.

WM. JNO. M'CLOSKIE, Vice-President.

WM. PAGET, Treasurer.

JOSEPH JOHN LINGWOOD, Hon. Sec.

Windsor, 17th Dec., 1877.



Shortly afterwards Mr. Robins wrote to the public press :—

"Will you do me the kindness to say that as, in the interest of 'true temperance,' I have long protested against all the total abstinence movements, I have resolved to seek the co-operation of the licensed victuallers ; for I am persuaded that in their co-operation is alone to be found any basis for the settlement of the question. Their response to me here has been, as I expected, most emphatic and cordial."

Of course no one has ever heard anything further of this extraordinary "settlement." The correspondence, however, deserves to be preserved in this more permanent form, as does also the following amusing "skit," from *Fun*. Though printed in prose, it will be found to be in rhyme, and is none the less comical on that account :—

"The publicans of Windsor have signed a document pledging themselves to support temperance to the best of their ability. Oh ! have you heard the lovely news that comes from Windsor now ? The publicans who trade therein have made a solemn vow to do their best for temperance, and make it their delight to wean the wicked customers from drinking till they're tight. Oh, what a lovely thing 'twill be to watch the landlord frown, when women seek in mountain dew their miseries to drown. And when they've had a little glass, and say 'another please,' he'll beckon them aside and say, in some such words as these : 'Oh, woman ! woman ! do you know that awful stuff you drink is bearing you at rapid pace to sure destruction's brink ? Your nerves are low, I do not doubt ; maybe you have some grief ; I see you have, you bow your head, and use your handkerchief. Oh, go from hence, I beg of you, and quickly sign the pledge ; dram drinking is a precipice ; you stand upon its edge. Look, here's your tuppence back again ; oh, leave this cursed place ; I humbly hope that here again I shall not see your face.' And then when wicked working men come in to have a pot, how sweet 'twill be to hear him say, 'My friends, you'd better not. You've wives at home who sorely need your hard-earned coin, I fear ; I will not be a party to your spending it in beer.' His tap-room walls will be adorned with Lawson's photograph, and little texts about the sin of taking half-an-half. One night a-week his concert room he'll let to Bands of Hope ; converted potmen will attend to preach to those who tope ; and when his paying customers have quite abandoned him, and prospects of a bankruptcy are anything but dim, when broken health and loss of wealth have all his efforts crowned,—I hope that in a rival's house his clients won't be found."

**THE OLDEST CLERGYMAN IN THE WORLD.**—The Rev. John Ingram, M.A., a clergyman of forty years' experience, and a junior minister of the Free Church, Unst, Shetland, though himself a man well advanced in years, occupies the position honored as it is peculiar, of being colleague to his father, Dr. Ingram, who in April, 1878, entered on his 103rd year, having been born in Aberdeenshire in 1776. There were few men in the world older than he is ; he was the oldest minister in the Free Church, and perhaps the oldest minister in the world. Of course his memory has very much failed. His physical health was not so very bad ; all his vital organs were thoroughly sound, he takes his food well, he generally slept well, and was able to move about a little leaning on his staff. When he was able he laboured very hard. He was exposed to very much hardship. He had two churches, and had to cross the sea in order to go to one of them each alternate sabbath. He often experienced wet, boisterous weather, which might have been thought would have told very much upon his health ; but notwithstanding these difficulties and trials, his health had been preserved, and he had attained the age of 103 years. When Dr. Ingram went to Unst it was in the state of a modern wilderness ; there was a great deal of drinking and bad conduct of every kind. He instituted an abstinence society, and they should keep in mind that since then he who had enjoyed such health, and had attained such longevity, had himself never tasted intoxicating drink of any kind.

Some men send their consciences to sleep by the chinking of their own purses.—  
Douglas Jerrold.



## THE UNFERMENTED WINE MOVEMENT IN THE IRISH METHODIST CHURCH.

THE Irish Methodist Church has recently passed through a crisis on this question, which has happily ended in a way generally satisfactory to all parties. Some years ago unfermented wine was adopted at the sacramental services in a few of the northern congregations, but the legality of the usage was disputed by some of the older ministers. In Sept., 1874, the question came to an issue. A motion that unfermented wine be used in future in University Road Church, Belfast, was submitted to the Leaders' Board, but the Superintendent minister objected to the motion, and said he had been advised that it could only come up in the form of a memorial to the Conference, for permission to use the unfermented wine. The motion was accordingly withdrawn, and notice given that such a memorial would be submitted to the Board at its Quarterly Meeting in March, 1875. Some other Methodist friends, hearing of this, conceived the idea of making a united effort to send forward to the Conference as many memorials from the different circuits as possible. A Committee was formed, consisting of some 80 or 90 Class Leaders, &c., representing about 20 circuits, and publications and circulars in favour of the proposed memorials were freely distributed during the winter of 1874-5. This movement provoked opposition, and at the Quarterly Meetings of those circuits that came within the range of the Committee's operations the question was earnestly, and in some cases, almost fiercely, debated. The result was that memorials on both sides were forwarded to the Conference which met in Belfast in June, 1875. After a protracted debate, the Conference, by a majority of 85 to 11, adopted a resolution to the effect that the use of unfermented wine in the sacrament was unscriptural, and deprecating any agitation on the subject as injurious. In consequence of this decision the use of unfermented wine was discontinued in most of the congregations that had adopted it.

Those friends who had been engaged in promoting the memorials were disappointed, but not disheartened. They at once proceeded to re-organise their Committee, which had been called the "Wesleyan Sacramental Wine Association." A definite constitution was agreed to, in which the object of the Association was stated as being "To procure from the (Irish) Wesleyan Conference the withdrawal of its prohibition of the use of pure unfermented wine in the Lord's Supper, and to disseminate sound scriptural and scientific knowledge on the wine question." Under the auspices of the Association the movement was carried on for the next year (1875-6). Pamphlets and tracts specially written for the Committee, in which the question was discussed from a Methodist standpoint, were circulated, and again several memorials were forwarded to the Conference at its Annual Session in Dublin, in June, 1876. The Conference again declined, this time without any debate on the question, to grant the prayer of the memorialists. Next month (July, 1876), the Annual Meeting of the Wine Association was held, and as there seemed no immediate prospect of any change of policy on the part of the Conference, a resolution was passed, recommending the members of the Association to meet in their several localities, and celebrate the Lord's Supper among themselves. The recommendation was adopted in Carrickfergus, where for two years, the majority of the church members regularly met by themselves and celebrated the ordinance monthly, without the presence of any minister. This strong measure on the part of the Association led to disciplinary proceedings being taken against one of the Secretaries, Mr. S. Glasgow, who was brought to trial by his Superintendent minister before the Leaders' Board, and removed from the offices which he held in the Church. Efforts were made by high ecclesiastical authorities to induce other Superintendents to deal similarly with other active members of the Association, but the ministers generally preferred waiting till the whole case should again come before the Conference. In the face of threatened



excommunication, the members of the Association, almost without exception, remained firm, several tendered the resignation of their offices as class leaders, &c., (which was not accepted), and an indignation meeting was held by the Association in October. The history of Mr. Glasgow's trial was published, and 5,000 copies of it circulated, he having meantime given notice of appeal to the District Meeting to meet in Belfast, in May, 1877. The operations of the Association were continued during the winter of 1876-7, and when the time for holding the District Meeting arrived, Mr. Glasgow appeared to prosecute his appeal. The case was fully investigated, and the substance of the verdict of the District Meeting was:—

1. That the course adopted by the Wine Association in promoting its object was unconstitutional, and fitted to cause division in the Church.
2. That the Superintendent who brought Mr. Glasgow under the discipline of the Church, was fully justified in so doing.
3. That considering Mr. Glasgow's past services to the Church, and otherwise blameless conduct, it was recommended that should he withdraw from the Wine Association, he be restored to the offices of class leader and local preacher, of which he had been deprived. Mr. Glasgow at once declined to comply with these terms, and resolved not to act alone, but to wait the issue, as it affected the whole Association as well as himself.

Adverse though this verdict seemed at first sight to be, it was soon perceived that the District Meeting did not condemn the *object* of the Association, but merely the *means* adopted to promote it. This was the first indication of any probability that the high ground taken in opposition to the movement by the Conference of 1875 might be abandoned. It was evident that several influential ministers were now beginning to feel that there was no middle course between the wholesale excommunication of the unfermented wine party on the one hand, or the granting of their wishes on the other. To have adopted the former course would have cut off from the Church some of its best members, and also have seriously complicated the negotiations then pending for a union with the Primitive Wesleyan Methodist Society; and yet it was difficult for the Conference to yield to what was, practically, an armed rebellion against its authority. Strong efforts for conciliation were made by some of the ministers, and although they were unable to make any definite promises, the members of the Association at length decided to suspend its operations for some time, and to leave the matter for the present in the hands of their friends in the Conference. That body met in Cork, in June, 1877, and, as memorials were again forwarded on the subject, when they came up for consideration, a large committee, composed of ministers of all shades of opinion, was appointed to consider the question during the year, and to report to the next Annual Session of the Conference. The Wine Association, carrying out its suspensory resolution, remained inactive during the winter of 1877-8, and Mr. Glasgow having removed to another circuit, the Superintendent of which accepted the suspension of the Association as a substitute for Mr. Glasgow's withdrawal from it, he was restored to the offices of leader and local preacher, both of which he had held with great acceptance, and now continues to hold.

The Conference Committee met in February, 1878, and after a three days' exhaustive discussion, unanimously resolved:—

1. That there was no reason for rescinding the Conference minute of 1875.
2. That in all the Wesleyan Congregations, the mildest natural wine that could be procured, should be used at the Lord's Supper.
3. That if there were in any Congregation, persons who, conscientiously, objected to use even this mild natural wine, that the fruit of the vine in some other form might be provided for them by the Superintendent, under the direction of the Chairman of the District.

The Conference met again in Dublin, in June, 1878, and the recommendations of the Committee were unanimously adopted, with very slight alteration, and so happily ended a controversy which at one time threatened to be serious in its results. Although there seems to be some logical inconsistency between the first and third of these resolutions, it does not affect their practical working. The use of unfermented wine has already been unanimously restored in some of the Congregations in which it was discontinued



in 1875. In other Congregations, where non-abstainers are in the majority, separate communion services have been arranged for the total abstainers. These are held at a different time from the regular communion services; and thus substantial relief has been given to the consciences of the abstainers.

The Wine Association still remains in a state of suspension, but its chief object having been attained, it is expected that it will shortly be formally dissolved.

*Belfast, Nov., 1878.*

R. J. H. B.

## TEMPERANCE & THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

LAST year we devoted a considerable amount of space to Temperance movements in connection with the several sections of the Church. If we do not follow the same plan on the present occasion, it is not because there has been less, but rather because there has been more, activity in this direction in every religious body. To note the proceedings of each synod, conference, and assembly, would require more space than we can afford; but we see no more encouraging sign of the times than the growing zeal that is being manifested by the churches.

One notable action may be recorded, namely that taken by the General Assembly of the Scottish Free Church, May 3rd, when a comprehensive report of the Temperance Committee was submitted and adopted. The report, under the head of legislative action, after suggesting a number of restrictive regulations, had the following passage:—"In reference to Mr. Joseph Cowen's Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Boards Bill, the committee think it worthy of consideration whether some such measure could not be obtained for Scotland. They are of opinion that the principle of local control of the drink traffic, might be carried out by means of such licensing boards elected by the ratepayers, in a more hopeful way than by the Permissive Bill. The experiment might be tried, in the first place, of a measure which should associate with the existing licensing authorities, members elected expressly to represent the ratepayers in this matter. Favourable experience of the working of such an arrangement might, after a time, give confidence to carry the principle further."

In the discussion that ensued, in which several prominent members of the Free Church took part, no sentiments were more loudly applauded than those thus expressed by the Rev. Mr. M'Corckle:—"In my view, there is no more effective mode of meeting the organisation of the licensed victuallers and the publicans, than by going in for the Permissive Bill. That is my view. Until we have some such measure as that, people will not believe the Church is in earnest in the prosecution of this temperance cause. The idea of not only our temperance reformers, but of the country at large, is that the churches are not in earnest. If they were so, there would be not only a diminution, but a suppression of the drunkenness in our land. The heart of the Church must be stirred up, and be made alive to the terrible extremity of the case. Something more than mere measures of palliation must be adopted. Something in the way of attacking the outworks of the dreadful system, and in this way getting into the heart of the citadel. Unless you attack the public-house system by something like the Permissive Bill, you will never reach the heart of the evil. You may talk on to the end of this century, you will never reach it. Therefore I say we are just playing with the question, when we are speaking of the drinking customs of this individual or that, or of this family or that. If we do not face the evil in the dreadful magnitude of it, that is doing such fearful havoc in our land, I have no hope for our country. The evil appears in an intenser form in our day, than I have ever witnessed it. It appears to be a more malignant demon than I can remember, because not only men but boys and females are brought under the influence of that demon. I therefore go in for the Permissive Bill. I am glad to have had the opportunity of stating my opinion in this assembly, that that measure, or something equivalent unto it, is the first practical measure that should be adopted by this church, in the way of meeting the dreadful extremity of the case."



## TEMPERANCE FETES AT CRYSTAL PALACE.

For sixteen years, with only three omissions, a great Temperance Fête has been held at the Crystal Palace, commencing in 1862, with an attendance of 19,149 persons. From that date down to 1876 the arrangements were in the hands of the National Temperance League, who succeeded in 1872 in "stopping the taps," so that no intoxicating drink was sold at the bars during the day. We believe, however, that this arrangement was so far from satisfactory to the Palace authorities that they interposed obstacles in the way of the League which led to the fête being transferred to the Alexandra Palace in 1876, and abandoned altogether in 1877.

In 1878 the demonstration was taken up by the United Kingdom Band of Hope Union, whose indefatigable secretary, Mr. Smith, left no stone unturned in his determination to ensure success. In this he was ably seconded by his colleagues in office, and by the determination of Temperance friends throughout the country, so that, in spite of the depressed state of trade and other drawbacks, the attendance was upwards of 60,000, the fête in this respect being only surpassed by those of 1871 and 1872. The purveyor would not consent to turn off the liquor tap till he had been guaranteed 50,000 visitors; but so far from his being prepared for that number, the only complaint had to do with the scarcity of provisions—a fault which, considering the excessive charges for aerated drinks and tea was not creditable to his foresight. The programme of entertainments was long and varied, one of the chief attractions being the two grand concerts each given by 5,000 juvenile abstainers, and in every sense the Committee of the Union is to be congratulated upon the completeness of their arrangements.

Some interesting facts may be mentioned in relation to the choirs, one of which was made up from Bands of Hope in the Metropolis, and the other from the provinces. Of the 10,000 singers the ages and length of abstinence was ascertained from 7,937 young people, taken at random. Of these 1,125 were life abstainers, their average age being 16 years and 4 months. The average length of abstinence was of the whole number 6 years and 5 months.

It may be interesting to subjoin the numbers attending the fêtes in the various years from the commencement.

1862	1863	1864	1865	1866	1867	1868	1869	1870
19,149	No fête	16,831	32,472	28,052	30,628	42,877	53,780	50,016
Fair.	held.	Wet.	Fair.	Wet.	Wet.	Fine.	Fine.	Fine.
1871	1872	1873	1874	1875	1876*	1877†	1878	
63,069	62,280	53,090	38,780	35,000	33,980	No fête	60,542	
Fine.	Wet.	Fine.	Fine.	Fine.	Fine.	held.	Fine.	

\* Fête held at the Alexandra Palace.

† The League had a Demonstration this year at the Royal Horticultural Gardens, South Kensington.

**LONDON CHILDREN.**—In the London School Board districts it is estimated that there are 614,857 children requiring education, and provision is made, or nearly completed, for 518,000 children. The Board has 278 schools under its control, accommodating nearly 200,000 children—being an increase of thirty-six schools during the year. During the last seven years accommodation has been provided for the education of 203,132 children. The average attendance is about 75 per cent. of those on the school registers. Up to last midsummer 8,508 homeless and destitute orphan and lawless children were taken off the streets. The cost of all this is defrayed by rates of, at present, 5½d. in the pound, producing a sum of about £300,000 per annum.



## LONDON TEMPERANCE HOSPITAL.

OPENED OCTOBER 6th, 1873.

TEMPORARY Hospital, 112, Gower-street, W.C. Pres., Sir W. C. Trevelyan, Bart.; Treas., J. Hughes, Esq.; Chairman of Board of Management, T. Cash, Esq.; Hon. Sec., Rev. Dawson Burns, M.A. In-patients, admitted free by letter from a governor, or by payment, or by a scale of insurance. Out-patients present a governor's letter, or pay at least one shilling per visit. The Hospital is adapted for about 18 patients at one time. Visiting Medical Officers:—J. Edmunds, M.D., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., L.S.A.; R. J. Lee, M.D., F.R.C.P.; J. J. Ridge, M.D., M.B., B.A., B. Sc. Lond., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S.E. House Surgeon, Sydney L. Smith, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S. Subscribers of a guinea per annum can recommend six Out-patients; and of two guineas, one In-patient and six Out-patients. A donation of twenty guineas in the year constitutes a Life-governorship, with the privileges of a two-guinea annual subscriber. Patients are received from all parts of the United Kingdom. The last annual report shows that during the year the in-patients department has received 130 persons, making a total of 385 patients since the opening of the institution four years and a half ago. The out-patients had numbered 1,272, making a total of 5,487 in the same period. Of the in-patients for the year 70 were males and 60 females, 85 had been abstainers, and 45 non-abstainers, 99 had resided in the Metropolis, and 31 in the country. All of them had been treated without alcohol, and in no case had the visiting physicians seen any disadvantage from such a mode of treatment. From the financial statement we gather that the receipts for the year ending March 25, 1875, were £1,927 6s. 11d.; 1876, £1,835 1s. 4d.; 1877, £1,804 7s. 11½d.; and 1878, £1,759 8s. 8d., showing a falling off in the past year of £44 19s. 3½d. as compared with the previous year. The total expenditure for the same four years had been in 1875, £2,037 15s. 10½d.; 1876, £1,673 12s. 10½d.; 1877, £1,814 8s. 7¾d.; and 1878, £1,563 19s. 5¾d., showing a reduction in 1878 as compared with 1877 of £250 9s. 2d., which had been effected without impairing the efficiency of the institution or reducing the number of patients. The subscriptions for 1878 showed a falling off as compared with the previous year of £94 13s. 4d., and the new subscriptions were £138 18s. 7d. less. The contributions for patients had gradually increased from £92 16s. 6¾d. in 1875 to £183 16s. 9d. last year. The housekeeping expenses showed a reduction of £78 7s. 1¾d. in 1878 as against 1877, although the number of in-patients was exactly the same in both years. The out-patients treated during the year numbered 1,272, and the in-patients 130. The account also showed that the dispensary expenses had decreased from £267 18s. 6d. in 1875 to £169 6s. 1d. in 1876, £134 15s. 11d. in 1877, and £107 19s. 7½d.; and in the same four years the average cost per patient had been 3s., 2s. 8d., 1s. 11d. and 1s. 6d., respectively.

ABSTAINING MEDICAL MEN.—In former issues of the *Globe* we have published lists of abstaining medical men, as approximately correct as it has been possible to make them. The value of such a list, however, depends entirely on its completeness and correctness, and we are reluctantly compelled to abandon the idea of publishing what must necessarily prove a very imperfect and untrustworthy statement.

BRITISH MEDICAL TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATION.—Pres., J. Edmunds, M.D.; Vice-Pres., H. Munroe, M.D.; J. M. McCulloch, M.D., and R. J. Lee, M.D.; Treas., J. P. Scatliff, M.D.; Sec., J. J. Ridge, M.D. Enfield, Middlesex. There are thirty-eight medical gentlemen enrolled as members.



## COFFEE TAVERN MOVEMENT.

ONE of the most interesting features of 1878 has been the marvellous spread of the Coffee Tavern movement. Stimulated by the success attained in Liverpool, in connection with the cocoa-houses, which were found to both "draw" and "pay" where the older "British Workman public houses" failed to do either, companies have been formed all over the country for the purpose of carrying on the business of supplying tea, coffee, cocoa and other non-intoxicating beverages, on a purely commercial system. We had hoped to have given a tolerably complete list of these companies in the present issue of the *Guide*, but the information supplied to us has been so partial that we can only refer to a few of them.

**COFFEE PUBLIC HOUSE ASSOCIATION.**—Offices: 40, Charing Cross, London, S.W.—Pres., the Duke of Westminster; Chairman of Executive, Right Hon. W. F. Cowper-Temple, M.P.; Treas., F. A. Bevan, Esq.; Sec., Mr. F. Gore. Branch houses open:—"Glass House," 344, Edgware Road; "Market Tavern," 78, Lower Thames Street; "Temple Arms," Seven Dials; "Tom Hughes," St. Martin's Court; "Cross Keys," Burnet Street, Vauxhall; "Phoenix Tavern," Harrow Road, W.; "Red Boot Tavern," 259, High Street, Camden Town; "Morton Arms," 51, Exmouth Street, Clerkenwell; "Chequers," 119, High Street, Stoke Newington; "Station Arms," Euston Road; "Anchor," Goswell Road; and the "Cock," Long Acre. In connection with this association a monthly publication called the *Coffee Public-house News* was started on the 1st of November. The Association offers a prize of £200 for an essay on the providing on an adequate scale, of halls and other places of resort and recreation for the working classes, the arrangements to include the sale of refreshments, but not of intoxicating drinks, so as to supply the requirements of the people in that respect, and to realise a profit to meet at least current expenses. The object of the donor of the prize is, not only to draw general attention to this subject, but also to elicit suggestions as to the agency by which an undertaking of such magnitude may be most suitably and effectively carried out. The date fixed for sending in manuscripts is March 1, 1879.

**IRELAND.**—There are "Coffee Palaces" at 6, Townsend Street, Dublin, and 104, Lower George's Street, Kingston, in connection with which the Dublin Total Abstinence Society issues the *Coffee Palace Journal* monthly. The Dublin coffee palace, with hall, cost £2000, and that at Kingston, £700.

**BIRMINGHAM.**—The company formed here, with Mr. Councillor White as its chairman, has been a great success, about a dozen branch houses being opened, all of which are doing a profitable trade.

**BRADFORD.**—Mr. F. Priestman is chairman of a company, established with a capital of £10,000.

**KEIGHLEY COFFEE HOUSE COMPANY.**—Capital £9,000.

**NORWICH CAFE COMPANY.**—Capital £20,000; Chairman, John Gurney, Esq.

**FESTINIOG REFRESHMENT HOUSES COMPANY.**—Capital £5,000. Situated in the midst of a populous district of quarrymen, who have taken shares readily.

BE not too slow in the breaking of a sinful custom. A quick, courageous resolution is better than a gradual deliberation. In such a contest he is the bravest soldier that lays about him without fear or wit: wit pleads—fear distracts. He that would kill Hydra had better strike off one neck than five heads; fell one tree, and the branches are soon cut off.—*Quarls*.



## OBITUARY OF TEMPERANCE WORKERS.

DEATH has been unusually busy among the ranks of Temperance workers during the year 1878, and the list of those who have "ceased at once to work and live" includes many names of note, as the subjoined particulars will show:—

Dec. 12th, 1877, Mr. A. J. Copland, of Chelmsford, aged 36, sec. North Essex Band of Hope Union. The *Colchester Mercury* said, "Young, open-handed, of ample means, of a most genial and kindly disposition, and universally popular, it is not too much to say that his unexpected death has caused a feeling of deep and general regret in the county town. His labours were not confined to this subject alone. In the cottage, the chapel, and the Sunday School—wherever good was to be done in extending the knowledge and improving the morals of the young—his hand was open and his help ready."

Dec. 17th, Mr. James Smith, aged 34. For several years the earnest missionary of the Bristol Temperance Society, and long before an earnest worker in that city.

Jan. 5th, 1878, Jane, wife of the Rev. R. Shaen; in her 70th year. An old and faithful friend of the Temperance Movement.

Jan. 6th, Lord Kinnaird. Though he had completed his 70th year he had not ceased to take a lively and intelligent interest in public affairs, and in action of a temperance character. It was he who brought in the Scottish Public-house Bill of 1853, and whose name, and not Mr. Forbes Mackenzie's, ought to have been popularly associated with it as its author. On several occasions, and very recently, his Lordship warmly descanted on the evils of the liquor traffic; and his vote in the Lords might have been counted upon (as that of his brother, who succeeds him, has been in the Commons) had the Permissive Bill reached the Upper House in his lifetime.

Jan. 6th, Mr. W. Hudson, Rotherham, aged 70.

Jan. 17th, Mr. Thomas Lame, conductor of the Sunday services at the Central Hall, London.

Jan. 21st, Mr. J. T. Clark, Southampton, aged 57.

Jan. 31st, Mr. Thomas Gunn, Goswell-road, London, aged 84.

Feb. 1st, Mr. George Cruikshank, at the ripe age of 86 years. Beginning life at an age when most youths are still at school, Cruikshank was employed in illustrating children's books and other literature. He then, in conjunction with a literary man, published two illustrated monthly periodicals called *The Scourge* and *The Meteor*, and his contributions to Mr. Hone's political squibs which were amongst his next efforts, were received with much favour by the public. Taking his idea, probably, from Hogarth, to whose genius as a caricaturist Cruikshank in some points approached, the deceased painter occupied himself with a series of plates intended to represent "Life in London." This was followed by "Life in Paris," and the "Points of Humour." The connection between George Cruikshank and the late Charles Dickens was auspiciously begun when the two young men produced "Sketches by Boz." The novels of Ainsworth and Sir Walter Scott have also been embellished by the facile pencil of the deceased, as well as a whole host of other works of the same description. But it is chiefly for the services which, with his pencil, he has rendered to the temperance cause that he will be remembered by abstainers. Though it may be said that he has died, leaving the national vice more powerful than he found it, yet he may fairly claim to have made his first protest against it at least fifty years ago. His "Gin-shop," and some of his sketches under the general term "Mornings at Bow-street," showed that his mind had strongly fastened itself upon drunkenness as the corro-



ing cause of the people's unhappiness, and that he was determined to do all that an artist could to oppose its power, and to warn the nation of its danger. Those who remember the first appearance of "The Bottle" need hardly be reminded of the sensation they caused. Within a few days 100,000 copies at a shilling each were sold, and so great was the general excitement that seven dramatised versions of the plates were performed simultaneously at as many different London theatres. The piece, even to this day, is frequently revived particularly at the East-end places of amusement. It was in 1848 that George Cruikshank threw in his lot with total abstinence, and to the last was its staunch advocate on the platform as well as in the studio. In his time he must have attended thousands of temperance meetings, and at these few men were more welcome. The style of his advocacy was peculiar. He passed from grave to gay with facility, but he never lost sight of the great object he had in view. His last important work was undoubtedly his greatest, namely, the "Worship of Bacchus." This picture on its first production created almost as great a sensation as the plates of "The Bottle." It was for a long time exhibited in Exeter Hall, and was then taken to the principal towns and cities of the kingdom, where admiring crowds examined it, and where not a few imbibed the lesson it was intended to teach. The engraved plate has had a large sale, and the original picture has by public subscription now been presented to the nation, and is to be seen in the National Gallery. Before reaching its final destination the artist had the honour of exhibiting it to the Queen at Windsor Castle, and of affording such explanations as Her Majesty desired. For many years Mr. Cruikshank enjoyed a pension from the civil list "for his eminent public services as an artist."

Feb. 6th, Arthur Trevelyan, Esq., brother to Sir W. C. Trevelyan, Bart., aged 74. An ardent friend to Temperance and dietetic reform.

Feb. 13th, Mr. Simeon Smithard, aged 60. Born in 1818, in the little village of Melbourne, in Derbyshire, and losing his father early, he was indebted to his mother for an early training the character of which impressed itself on all his after career. At nine, he was employed in the local lace trade, and at thirteen he left Melbourne to join his half-brother, Mr. Thomas Cook (the now world-renowned excursionist), in the business of wood-turning. In 1836, he left Mr. Cook and removed to Derby, where in 1839 he married, and with his wife signed the Temperance pledge. He soon threw himself devotedly into the work of advocating the good cause, often walking long distances to attend the various meetings, but at the same time taking care not to neglect his business. In 1842 he gave himself entirely to the work in connection with the South Midland Temperance Association, publishing at the same time several monthly periodicals. Two years afterwards he succeeded Mr. Cook as agent and secretary of the Association, and continued the connection till 1845, when he accepted the post of missionary to the United Temperance Societies in Hull. This position he held with honour for several years, and there began the practice he afterwards so successfully pursued, of singing Temperance and religious melodies at the meetings he addressed. During 1875, he was laid aside by serious illness, brought on by sleeping in a damp bed, and subsequent exposure, but several months' entire rest of body and mind, enabled him, under the Divine blessing, to resume his public labours, which were continued without further intermission. Mr. Smithard's death was painfully sudden, while filling an engagement at Bridlington, where his visits were always hailed with delight. He had complained at Bridlington, on the Monday, that he was not well, and on Tuesday his condition was somewhat more trying still. He was to have been at Scarborough on Wednesday, but acting on the advice of his physician, Dr. Nelson, he forwarded a certificate of his inability to attend. The meeting on Tuesday night was more than usually serious in its tone, and at its conclusion the lecturer asked to be excused the melodies he generally sang, and in their place gave out a "parting hymn," in singing which he was assisted by the audience. He retired to rest without serious apprehensions being entertained, but



at half-past one o'clock on Wednesday morning he aroused the friends with whom he was staying, and the doctor was immediately called in. All efforts were, however, of no avail, the hour for his departure had arrived, and at nine o'clock his spirit quietly passed away. The cause of death was rheumatism, which had reached the heart. Mr. Smithard's attractions as a Temperance "entertainer" were special, and distinguished him from ordinary advocates. His singing was of the character that reaches the heart, and his selection of melodies and words was judicious. Some of his Temperance songs elicited great enthusiasm, and were powerful arguments and appeals to both drinkers and abstainers; and a salutary effect was produced by his spiritual themes, such as "Thy will be done," and others of similar cast. His addresses between the songs were always characterised by purity of teetotal principle, clear enunciation of facts, statistics and illustrations, and were generally delivered with great energy and warmth, but always with courtesy to his non-teetotal patrons.

Feb. 14th, Mr. Councillor Thomas Platt, of Hadfield, Derbyshire, in his 77th year. A member of the executive of the United Kingdom Alliance and a generous subscriber to its funds.

Feb. 25th, Mr. John Stuart, banker, Manchester, aged 82.

Mar. 3rd, Mr. J. Bonomi, London, aged 82.

Mar. 13th, Mr. Geo. Crouch, Euston-road, London, aged 61.

Mar. 24th. On this day H.M.S. *Eurydice* capsized during a squall off the Isle of Wight, with 313 men and boys on board, of whom only two survived. A Good Templar Lodge, the "Decoy Bird," was formed on board, and everyone of its members perished. The charter, regalia, &c., belonging to the lodge, were taken from the wreck when the vessel was raised some months after, and now remain at the Grand Lodge Office, Birmingham, as interesting relics of brethren who had done good service during their lengthy cruise.

Mar. 27th, Mr. John Slack, in his 77th year. Deceased was among the first trophies of the total abstinence movement in Carlisle, having signed the pledge, after an address by Mr. Thomas Whittaker, more than forty years ago. As a member of the Rechabite Society he was much esteemed, and his sagacious counsel was often sought in the management of the affairs of that important association. For more than a quarter of a century Mr. Slack gave his valuable aid in managing the Cumberland Permanent Freehold Land Society, for some time being chairman of the board of directors. The organization has perhaps done more than any similar one in the kingdom in placing working men on their own freeholds, and few contributed more to its success than Mr. Slack. As a supporter of the Alliance he was very warm and hearty, his admiration for Sir Wilfrid Lawson almost amounting to veneration. At election times the hon. baronet had no better advocate than Mr. Slack, and his intimate acquaintance with the working classes, and the high regard in which he was held by all, gave him a power and an influence possessed by no one to the same extent in the city. In the early days of teetotalism it was about Mr. Slack's most pleasing recreation, at the public meetings, to take the names of new members, and among those he so enrolled was that of Mr. W. Farish, Mayor [1878] of Chester, nearly thirty-eight years ago. Originally deceased was a boot and shoe maker, which business he conducted with marked success until within a few years since, when he retired to enjoy the fruits of his honest labours.

April 7th, Mr. Enos Cox, of Fritwell, Oxfordshire, aged 77. A very old friend of Temperance, having been a total abstainer 36 years. He had been a local preacher among the Methodists for nearly 50 years, and was the senior preacher on the Diddington plan of the Wesleyan Reform Union.

May 16th, Mr. Brewin, of Cirencester. Active during a long life in promoting the social welfare of the working classes, and for many years an earnest advocate



of teetotalism. One of the movements with which he identified himself in early life was the reform of the postage system. When the proposal to establish the four-penny postage was being considered by a House of Lords Committee, Mr. Brewin was one of the witnesses called to give evidence in its support. Not only did he speak in favour of it, but he declared his opinion that the day would come when a letter might be sent for a penny. Some of the members of the committee smiled at the idea, and when Mr. Brewin went further and said he also believed that the day would come when communications might be sent for a half-penny, they laughed outright. The evidence was printed in a blue book, and Mr. Brewin did not forget it. The passing of the Penny Postage Act in 1839 was one proof of the soundness of his views; and when half-penny post cards were issued a few years ago, Mr. Brewin procured one of the very first printed, and pinning it in the blue book opposite his evidence, with a feeling of pardonable pride gave his friends the complete evidence of the fulfilment of the prophecy of his younger days.

May 28th, Rev. W. McKerrow, D.D., Manchester, aged 74, ex-moderator of the Presbyterian Church of England. One of the earliest adherents of the Temperance movement.

June 21st, the Rev. George Maunders, Wesleyan Minister, Oxford. Mr. Maunders was the patriarch of temperance in the Methodist Church.\* Nothing has done more to secure the adhesion of that Church to the temperance reformation than the fact that one who enjoyed in so eminent a degree the confidence and affection of his brethren was for many years a pronounced and enthusiastic abstainer. During his itinerancy Mr. Maunders was successively the pastor of some of the largest and most important churches in Methodism. In 1872 he was elected a member of the Legal Hundred—the highest mark of esteem which Methodist ministers are able to confer upon their brethren. In all these positions of prominence and honour Mr. Maunders signally proved how successfully the most thoroughgoing temperance principles can be maintained everywhere, without compromise and without offence. Mr. Maunders was the principal editor of the *Methodist Temperance Magazine*, which in his judicious hands secured a wide and influential circulation. He was also a member of the recently formed temperance committee of the Conference, and he rendered his last, and perhaps his greatest, service to temperance by preparing the original draft of the temperance schemes which were adopted by the last Conference. That memorable decision accomplished one of the greatest objects for which Mr. Maunders lived. He died suddenly, but not before he was full of years and honour, and not until he was permitted to see the Church which he loved, and which loved him, fully identified with the temperance movement.

June 28th, Mr. William Mathews, treasurer to Temperance Hall, Summertown, aged 70.

June 25th, Mr. Peter Grant, Wigan, aged 85. For many years an active worker in the I.O.R., and also formerly a member of the executive of the British Temperance League.

July 1st, Mr. Henry Apsey, Southampton, aged 51. He joined the Southampton Temperance Society in 1847, and had been a faithful and zealous worker in every department up to the time of his last illness. For many years to his death he was a strong supporter of the United Kingdom Alliance, and at the late election was taken from his sick room to vote for the Permissive Bill candidate. He was an ardent friend of the Band of Hope movement, and one of the first charter members of the Independent Order of Good Templars in the parent lodge when the order was introduced into that town. He also took a lively interest in and was one of the original founders of, the Southampton Temperance Hall Company (limited), some twenty years ago, and was associated with it as a director up to the time of his decease.



July 3rd, Mrs. Clara Lucas Balfour, in her 70th year. Born on the 21st Dec., in Hampshire, the deceased spent her childhood in the Isle of Wight; she was married early in life to Mr. James Balfour, one of the first advocates of temperance in the south of England, and who still survives at the great age of 82. On the 16th of October, 1837, Mrs. Balfour signed the temperance pledge, and at once assisted in carrying on a female society at Chelsea, where she then resided. Here her first public addresses were delivered, and her pen became engaged in contributing to temperance periodicals. But her first literary essay of importance was a masterly pamphlet in 1840, entitled "*Common Sense versus Socialism*," which was widely circulated by the friends of religion in a district where the disciples of Mr. Owen were very energetic. This pamphlet broke up their confederacy; and so much was it the topic of conversation, that the then obscure writer was sought out by Mrs. Carlyle, the accomplished wife of the well-known "philosopher of Chelsea." It was while editing the *Temperance Beacon* that Mrs. Balfour first became conscious of that power of clothing truth in fairy fancy's dress, which has since instructed and delighted myriads of her countrymen. In the autumn of 1841, Mrs. Balfour entered upon that course of public lecturing by which her name has become a "household word" in every part of the kingdom. Her earlier attempts at public speaking were made upon the temperance platform, but she soon acquired great popularity as a lecturer on moral and literary subjects. As an author, Mrs. Balfour's writings were exceedingly voluminous, her active pen having been continually employed for more than forty years, including such widely different themes, as the "Burnish Family," "Morning Dewdrops," "Women of Scripture," "Moral Heroism," "Sketches of English Literature," "Life of James McCurrey," "Women worth Emulating," &c. It was stated at the time of her death that Mrs. Balfour had left a copious autobiography, which it was hoped would shortly be published under the editorial care of her daughter, Mrs. Dawson Burns. Such a publication will be one of the most valuable contributions to our literature.

Aug. 6th, Mr. James Malings, Woolwich. A consistent abstainer from boyhood, and for many years an earnest worker in the town.

Aug. 23rd, Miss Squire, Berkhamstead, aged 54. A member of a family long and actively employed in Temperance and other good work.

Sept. 3rd, in the wreck of the *Princess Alice*, on the Thames, were lost several earnest abstainers and members of the I.O.G.T. Prominent among these may be mentioned Mr. Charlton W. Harrison, of Mildway-road, London. "Mr. Harrison (says the *Daily Chronicle*), who was only 24 years of age, came to London four years ago from Sheffield, and was in the silk mercery line of business. Whilst he was in Sheffield he devoted all his spare time to the spread of the Good Templar Order, and was a member of the 'Alliance' Lodge, filling several of its offices with credit. He was connected with the local Temperance Association, the Band of Hope, and Juvenile Templar movements, and rendered valuable assistance at the opening of the 'Stag Home' in Sheffield, once a disreputable public-house, closed by the magistrates, and now a 'house without the drink,' largely patronised by working-men. He took an active part in the institution of most of the forty lodges in Sheffield, in promoting the return at municipal elections of Temperance and Permissive Bill candidates, and was an active member of the United Kingdom Alliance. When he came to London he joined the 'City of London' Lodge of Good Templars, the Young Men's Temperance Society, and the East Central Temperance Association. Until very lately he was a co-director of the special entertainments at the Great Central Hall (formerly the City of London Theatre), but had to relinquish the post owing to failing health."

Sept. 9th, Mrs. Amelia Knight, wife of Mr. G. J. Knight, of South Hackney, aged 67. Like her husband, she was a warm supporter of the Temperance cause, having been a consistent abstainer for the long period of 42 years.



Sept. 15th, Mr. James Worley, aged 72 ; one of the most assiduous distributors of Temperance literature in London.

Sept. 18th, Rev. John Guthrie, D.D., of Glasgow. For many years prominently identified with the Temperance cause, to which he did good service as editor of the *Scottish League Journal*, and as the author of various works, including "Temperance Physiology." Dr. Guthrie was born at Milnathort, Fifeshire, on the 30th January, 1814, and was therefore in his sixty-fifth year. He became a student at the University of Edinburgh in 1831, and entered upon the ministry in 1838, his first charge being at Kendal, where he was ordained in February, 1839. He removed in 1848 to Glasgow, where he filled a professor's chair in the Theological Hall of the Evangelical Union, and for five years, from 1861 to 1866, he was pastor of Tolmers-square Congregational Church, London, now presided over by the Rev. Arthur Hall. In 1866 he returned to Glasgow, and in 1874 he was presented by his many friends with £1,000 as a recognition of the services which he had rendered in the various departments of Christian work to which he had directed his energies. His health having failed of late, he had resolved to try change of climate, and visit some members of his family who are residing in New Zealand. A passage had been taken for himself and wife in a vessel timed to sail on the 16th of Sept., but after reaching London the invalid became weaker, the voyage had to be abandoned, and Dr. Guthrie expired at the house of his friend the Rev. W. Marshall, of Hackney.

Oct. 13th, Mr. Enoch Selway, St. Leonard's-on-Sea, aged 59, for nearly forty years a quiet but earnest worker.

Oct. 17th, Mrs. Whitwell, wife of Edward Whitwell, Esq., of Kendal, aged 59.

Oct. 28th, Mr. John Dempsey, Warmington ; aged 62. An earnest worker for 35 years.

Nov. 4th, Mr. Robert Arkwright, Preston ; aged 72. One of the early trophies of the cause, and long its rough but effective advocate.

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DRINK REVENUE IN FRANCE.—The revenue returns for France for the first nine months of 1878 show an increase in the produce of the indirect taxes, exclusive of the postal and telegraph services, amounting to 63,531,000 francs, compared with the return for the corresponding months of last year. One source, among others, is the duties on alcoholic drinks, which show an increase of yield amounting to 10,000,000 francs—partly a consequence of the influx of thirsty foreigners into this comparatively abstemious country, where the duty on intoxicating drinks ordinarily brings in less than £12,000,000 sterling. With this compare our £33,000,000 taxation, remembering that the population of France is 36,000,000 as against our 33,500,000. This will to a certain extent explain the wondrous recuperative power of France, and the fact that when a Government loan is advertised it is immediately taken up by a class of persons who in England never even have a shilling laid by for a sudden emergency of sickness or loss.

POVERTY OF SPEECH.—A correspondent of the *Temperance Record* calls attention to the "poverty of speech" at our ordinary temperance meetings. "The general idea," he remarks, "is that three speeches can utterly exhaust the subject of temperance," but "a fully informed mind could easily, with study, make 3,000 weighty and original speeches." The best cure for the evil complained of is for those who have to address such meetings to subscribe for and regularly study the *Temperance Worker*.

INCREASE OF POPULATION.—The population of England and Wales in the middle of 1878 was put by the Registrar-General at 24,854,397, or 307,088 more than in the middle of 1877. The population of Scotland shows an increase of 33,212, and that of Ireland an increase of 97,245. The total population of the United Kingdom is stated at 33,881,966, or 437,547 more than at the corresponding period last year.



# PRINCIPAL TEMPERANCE ORGANISATIONS.

## FOR WORK AMONG ADULTS.

**BRITISH TEMPERANCE LEAGUE, EST. 1835.**—Pres., J. Barlow, Esq., J.P., Bolton; Treas., W. Hoyle, Esq., Tottington; Hon. Sec., E. B. Dawson, Esq., J.P., LL.B., Lancaster; Chairman of Ex. Com., R. Mansergh, Esq., Lancaster; Fin. and Cor. Sec., Mr. F. Atkin; Official Organ, *British Temperance Advocate* (monthly), 1d.; Office, Manchester Road, Bolton. The 44th anniversary was held at York, July 9th and 10th, 1878. In the general department the receipts were £2,122 15s. 11d.; publication ditto, £214 5s. 10½d.; *Advocate*, £228 18s. 11½d. Pictorial Tract ditto, £169 15s. 6d.; due to Treas., £517 18s. 2½d. The staff of agents numbered 6, besides a number of occasional agents, who had delivered lectures, in addition to Band of Hope addresses. The League publishes an Annual Register and a monthly pictorial tract. The League has a list of 1,900 subscribers annually to the funds. The London publisher for the League is Pitman, Paternoster Row.

**WESTERN TEMPERANCE LEAGUE, EST. 1837.**—Pres., E. Vivian, Esq., M.A., J.P., Torquay; Treas., J. T. Grace, Esq., Bristol; Sec., Mr. J. G. Thornton, Redland, Bristol; Organising Agents, Mr. G. Calvert and Mr. H. J. Osborn; Official Organ, *Western Temperance Herald*, 1d. monthly. At the 41st annual conference, held Sept. 9th, 1878, at Street, it was stated that 414 societies were affiliated with the League, of which there were in Somerset 78, Devon 63, Gloucestershire 57, South Wales district (comprising Monmouthshire, Glamorganshire, Carmarthenshire, and Pembrokeshire) 49, Wilts 44, Hants (including Isle of Wight) 33, Berks 24, Dorset 27, Oxon 17, Cornwall 16, Herefordshire 6. Seven Agents had been partially employed in the year, who had delivered 735 lectures. The year's receipts had been £1,318 13s. 5d., leaving a balance in hand of £4 17s. 8d. The next conference will be held at Cirencester.

**NATIONAL TEMPERANCE LEAGUE, EST. 1854.**—Pres., S. Bowly, Esq., Gloucester; Treas., H. Owen, Esq.; Sec., Mr. R. Rae; Organising Agent, Mr. S. Sims. Office, 337, Strand, London, W.C. Organ, *Temperance Record* (weekly), 1d. Income, £4,562 15s. 7d. The League in addition to local work in London, has for several years prosecuted special operations in connection with the various religious bodies, the medical and teaching professions, and the army and navy. It issues a valuable quarterly, entitled the *Medical Temperance Journal*. The last annual report showed that in addition to other work during the year, a public meeting had been held in Exeter Hall, under the presidency of the Bishop of Exeter, to advocate temperance teaching in public elementary schools, and Dr. Richardson had prepared a temperance lesson-book for the League, which had been sanctioned by the School Board for London, and several provincial School Boards. Deputations had addressed young men and women studying at six training colleges for teachers, and a missionary had delivered 475 addresses to children in metropolitan schools. A conference had been held with 200 members of the British Medical Association at Manchester, and there was a similar meeting at Leamington with 120 members and associates of the Sanitary Institute. Dr. Richardson had delivered four lectures on "Practical Abstinence, and the difficulties that lie in the way of its attainment," and there had been numerous conferences and meetings of various kinds, the president alone having addressed 92 meetings in different parts of the country. There were branches of the League on board 202 ships of the Royal Navy, and in many regiments of the Army, both at home and abroad; the Indian Soldiers' Total Abstinence Association having a membership of 9,746 men.



MIDLAND TEMPERANCE LEAGUE, EST. 1856.—Pres., C. Sturge, Esq., J. P. Treas., A. Southall, Esq.; Hon. Secs., Mr. J. Phillips and Mr. J. Rutherford; Sec., Robert Douglas, Temperance Hall, Temple St., Birmingham. Income for year ending 29th April, 1878, £415 15s. Expenditure, £505 16s. The voluntary speakers number 140, who are engaged by means of a printed plan. There are two occasional Agents besides the Secretary. Societies are affiliated for a nominal fee of £1 1s. per annum, and receive one lecture per month.

NORTH OF ENGLAND TEMPERANCE LEAGUE, EST. 1858.—Pres., A. Pease, Esq., Darlington; Treas., G. Kyle, Esq., Roseville, Gateshead; Secs., G. Charlton and J. W. Swanston. The annual conference was held at Darlington, Sept. 22nd, when reports were furnished of the progress of the work in the populous districts of Northumberland, Durham, Cleveland, Cumberland, and North Yorkshire. Affiliated societies, 175. Three agents are regularly (and others in missionary work) employed, Messrs. G. Tomlinson, J. Taylor, and Thos. Beckwith,

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE TEMPERANCE UNION, EST. 1856.—Pres., J. Wells, Esq., Kettering; Treas., Mr. J. Parker, Findon, near Wellingborough; Sec., Mr. G. H. Burrows, Isham, Wellingborough. Agents various.

DORSET COUNTY TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATION.—Pres., Rev. O. Mansel; Treas. G. Curtis, Esq., Poole; Sec., Rev. F. Vaughan, Broadwinsor; Agents, Messrs. Bell and Gribble; Organ, *Dorset County Temperance Advocate*, (monthly), 1d. The 16th annual conference was held at Bridport, on Sept. 5th, 1878. The annual sermon was preached by Rev. T. Greaves, M.A. Income, £339 5s. 5d. 87 societies are affiliated, and 112 towns and villages worked by the Association.

THE CHRISTIAN WORKERS' TEMPERANCE UNION (WOMEN).—Pres., Lady Jane H. Ellice; Hon. Sec., Miss Mason, 8, Cambridge Gardens, Kilburn Park, London, N.W.; Treas., Miss Anna Cole. The members of the Union consist of Christian women of all classes who are prepared in any way to promote the cause of abstinence from alcoholic drinks, being themselves total abstainers.

SCOTTISH TEMPERANCE LEAGUE, EST. 1844.—Pres., Hon. William Collins, Lord Provost of Glasgow; Treas., J. Johnson, Esq.; Sec., Mr. W. Johnson; Offices, 108, Hope St., Glasgow; Organ, *League Journal* (weekly), 1d. Thirty-fourth annual meeting held at Glasgow in May, upwards of 160 sermons preached in connection with the anniversary. About 50,000 volumes sold during the year, besides smaller publications. The *Adviser*, circulated to the extent of about 80,000; the Pictorial Tract, 25,000 to 40,000 monthly; and the New Year Tract, 150,000. The Register for 1878 contained the names of 10,569 members and 402 affiliated societies. Eight or ten agents were employed, and much work done by honorary deputations. Total income, £7,456.

UNITED TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATION, EST. 1873.—“An International and Christian Temperance Society, on the broadest basis, established on the principles of national unity, localised power, and individual liberty, and promoting social intercourse amongst and watchful care over its members. It has no degree, no altar, and no compulsory use of insignia.” National Lodge of Great Britain and Ireland. Pres., Councillor M. Croft; Vice-President, Mr. James McAdam; Treas. Mr. Ronald McDougall; Chaplain, Rev. Geo. Hinds; Past-pres., Mr. Geo. Lovedee; Hon. Sec., Mr. James Chapman, Green Lane, Birmingham.

GLASGOW ABSTAINERS' UNION, EST. 1854.—Schemes of operation:—Lectures on Temperance and Social Progress; City Hall Saturday evening Concerts; Morning Coffee Stands; Public houses without the Drink; Bands of Hope; Penny-Savings Banks; Temperance Library; Tract distribution; Female Missionaries; Sea-side Convalescent Home for the poor; Recreation for the people, &c. Pres., J. Lindsay, Esq.; Treas., W. Smith; Sec., J. Airlie, 58, Renfield Street; Collector, R. T. McNaught.



**NORFOLK AND NORWICH TEMPERANCE SOCIETY, EST. 1875.**—Pres., The Marquis Townshend ; Treas., Mr. C. H. Buck ; Hon. Sec., Mr. R. C. Carter, Castle Meadows, Norwich ; Agent, Mr. W. Thornton, North Walsham. Income, £116.

**SCOTTISH CHRISTIAN ABSTAINERS' UNION.**—The basis of this Association is thus expressed :—"The Membership shall be composed of Christians who regard abstinence from strong drink as a duty incumbent upon all followers of the Lord Jesus. The Objects of this Union shall be to promote total abstinence, and to strengthen one another's hands in the conflict against every form of intemperance, and every countenance given thereto, both in the Church and in the world." Hon. Sec., Mr. J. R. Jack, 57, Miller Street, Glasgow.

**IRISH TEMPERANCE LEAGUE, BAND OF HOPE UNION, AND PERMISSIVE BILL ASSOCIATION.**—Pres., M. R. Dalway, Esq., M.P. ; Treas., H. J. Wright, Esq. ; Hon. Secs., Lawson A. Browne, Esq., and John R. Neill, Esq. ; Sec., Mr. J. Speers Orr ; Offices, 18, Lombard St., Belfast ; Agents and Lecturers, Mr. W. D. Stewart, Rev. A. McKinley, and Mr. A. A. Nicholson (Band of Hope). Organ, *Irish Temperance League Journal* (monthly) 1d. Number of affiliated societies, &c., 141. Income, £1,376 14s. 7d.

**SOUTH OF IRELAND TEMPERANCE LEAGUE.**—Object to promote individual and national sobriety, and to procure efficient legislative measures for the suppression of intemperance. Pres., H. White Esq., Waterford ; Treas., F. Jacob, Esq., Waterford ; Sec. and Lecturer, Mr. W. Hussey ; Office, Catherine St., Waterford.

**DUBLIN TOTAL ABSTINENCE SOCIETY, EST. 1836.**—Re-organised 1859. Operative plans : meeting in Dublin every Monday evening ; in Kingstown every Wednesday evening ; Saturday evening concert in Dublin ; monthly concert in Kingstown ; six cabmen's shelters and coffee stands in the principal thoroughfares. Pres., G. Joles, Esq. ; Chairman of Executive, W. F. Lawton, Esq. ; Hon. Sec., T. Wilson Fair, Esq. ; Organ, *Coffee Palace Journal*, (monthly) 1d.

**BRITISH WOMEN'S TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATION.**—Patrons : Lady Trevelyan, The Hon. Mrs. Cowper-Temple, Lady Jane Ellice, Marchioness of Waterford, Lady Eardley Wilmot. Pres., Mrs. Lucas ; Treas., Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Downing ; Hon. Sec., Mrs. L. F. Fowler, 107, Fleet Street, E.C. ; Sec., Miss Dell, 5, Memorial Hall, Farringdon Street, E.C. Object : to form a union or federation of the Women's Temperance Societies existing in various districts within the United Kingdom, and to promote the formation of others. Expenditure, £118.

### FOR WORK AMONG THE YOUNG.

**UNITED KINGDOM BAND OF HOPE UNION, EST. 1855.**—Pres., S. Morley, Esq., M.P. ; Treas., E. Clarke, Esq. ; Chairman, S. Shirley, Esq. ; Sec., Mr. Frederic Smith ; Office, 4, Ludgate Hill, E.C. In their last report the committee state that the new constitution of the Union, which provides for the election of a general council and executive committee representing friends of the movement in all parts of the country, has worked exceedingly well. Nearly all the Unions in the country are now associated with the central organisation, including the local Unions for all parts of the metropolis, county unions for Bedfordshire, Derbyshire, Essex, Hertfordshire, Lancashire and Cheshire, Leicestershire, Lincolnshire, Northamptonshire, Oxfordshire, Suffolk, Surrey, and Yorkshire ; and town unions for Bath, Birmingham, Brighton, Bristol, Exeter, Plymouth, Portsmouth, Rochester, St. Austell, and many other places. Recognising the importance of missionary work in country places, the Committee placed the services of Mr. Adkins, as an organising agent, at the disposal of newly-formed county unions. He was thus employed during the year in Suffolk, Bedfordshire, Essex, Lincoln, and



Surrey, and was enabled to visit nearly every town and village in those counties, addressing 39,000 persons at nearly 300 meetings. Special meetings and conferences were attended by honorary and other representatives in numerous places in the following counties:—Beds, Bucks, Durham, Essex, Hants, Herts, Kent, Lancashire, Lincolnshire, Norfolk, Northamptonshire, Northumberland, Oxfordshire, Suffolk, Surrey, Sussex, and Yorkshire. To further the spread of Temperance principles among the young, the committee accepted the offer of the Rev. H. S. Paterson, M.D., who, during February and March, 1878, delivered about twenty lectures in schools, by permission of the School Board of London, which were listened to by upwards of 4,000 children over eleven years of age, the masters and mistresses heartily co-operating in the effort. Considering, however, that in the Board Schools alone, irrespective of a large number of other elementary schools, there are 142,000 children, and that one lecture to a school is, after all, of comparatively small service, it need scarcely be pointed out that this is a field of operations, which, if it is to be adequately worked, needs the expenditure of a very considerable sum of money, and the committee earnestly solicit extended means for this special department of work. Whilst bestowing much attention on provincial operations, the committee did not overlook the claims of the metropolis, where 2,392 Band of Hope meetings attended by 191,360 children and adults, were addressed by speakers arranged for by the Union. During the year Messrs. Burgess, Creagh, Hobbs, Lay, Taylor, and Tinsdale were retained more or less for meetings in London, and the committee completed the formation of the nine Borough and District Metropolitan Auxiliaries or local Unions for Chelsea and Westminster, Finsbury, Greenwich, Hackney, Lambeth, Marylebone, Southwark, Tower Hamlets, and south-west London, representing in the aggregate nearly 400 Bands of Hope. During the period covered by the report representatives of the union attended, in all, 2,870 meetings, at which 270,328 persons were present. Dissolving Views continue to be an important feature in the work of the Union, 541 lectures being delivered, attended by not less than 117,000 persons, at which such views or panoramas were exhibited, temperance being imparted at each. In its publishing department the Union has been, as usual, very active, disposing of 453,864 publications during the year. The *Band of Hope Chronicle*, commenced in October, 1877, is issued quarterly, and proves exceedingly useful as the organ of the Union, and as a record of progress throughout the kingdom. Prizes of £100 and £50 respectively were offered for the best two tales adapted to promote abstinence among the young. The financial statement shows subscriptions, £1,405 7s. 1d.; total receipts, including a balance at the beginning of the year, £3,622 13s. 5d.; expenditure, £3,489 14s. 8d.; balance in hand, £132 6s. 3d.

HALIFAX BAND OF HOPE UNION, EST. 1858.—Pres., Mr. Councillor, Horsefall; Hon. Sec.; Mr. J. Bamford; Treas. Mr. R. D. Ward; Agent, Corney Simmonds; Offices, Central Hall, Halifax. The Union comprises 81 societies, with 17,000 members, more than 50 per cent. of whom are over 16 years of age. On the various committees there are 1,300 persons, nearly all of whom are Sunday School teachers, 800 meetings have been held, with an average attendance of 91. Gratuitously distributed 84,350 Temperance publications, representing the number of visits to the homes of the members; sold by members, 48,837. The Union has recently taken possession of new premises, containing large meeting room, committee room, offices, cocoa house department, and a club worked on Temperance principles. The total cost of purchase and outlay in alterations will be about £2,800. A coffee cart on the street supplies cheap and nourishing beverages; nearly £300 has been taken during the year. Expenditure by societies, £939 11s. 4d.; in prizes for the sale of periodicals, £40; by the Union, £336 10s. 9d.; total, £1,316 2s. 1d.

NORFOLK AND NORWICH BAND OF HOPE UNION, EST. 1878.—Pres., C. J. Bunting, Esq.; Treas., A. Kent, Esq.; Hon. Sec., T. T. Fenns, Esq.; Organising Agent, Mr. H. Futchter; Office, Prince's Street, Norwich.



**JUVENILE TEMPLAR ORDER (EST. IN ENGLAND 1871).**—Gen. Supt. Miss H. E. Young, Coseley, Bilston. More than 800 Temples, and upwards of 55,000 contributing members in England, not including Scotland and Wales. Each temple has 14 officers, elected from the members, and is guided by an adult superintendent, with an executive committee of Good Templars. The four-fold pledge against drink, tobacco, gambling, and profanity, is administered with due solemnity. A visiting committee waits upon each candidate before admission, to explain the nature of the obligation, and obtain the consent of the parents. In every suitable way the young are trained to Temperance work. Organ, the *Juvenile Templar*, illustrated, monthly, ½d. For details of district officers, see under “Good Templar” information.

**LANCASHIRE AND CHESHIRE BAND OF HOPE UNION, EST. 1863.**—Offices, 18, Mount Street, Manchester. Pres., R. Whitworth, Esq.; Chairman, J. Earnshaw, Esq.; Treas., W. R. Simmons, Esq.; Hon. Secs., Messrs. W. Hoyle, T. E. Hallsworth; Sec., Geo. Scarr Hall. Organ, *Onward*, (monthly) 1d. There are in connection with the Union 26 branches or local unions, comprising 251 societies, 600 speakers, and 30,000 members directly connected, making a total of 451 societies, 679 voluntary advocates, and over 60,000 members in connection.

**SHEFFIELD SUNDAY SCHOOL BAND OF HOPE UNION.**—Pres., Mr. I. Milner; Treas., Mr. J. Puttrell; Hon. Sec., Mr. J. C. Clegg; Sec. and Agent, Mr. C. J. Whitehead; Offices, 104, Devonshire Street. Societies in the Union, 82. Income, £365 15s. 10½d.; expenditure, £251 1s. 10½d. Two dissolving view apparatus are employed to illustrate lectures. The Union also issues a half yearly speakers’ plan, and there are 48 voluntary speakers.

**LEEDS AND DISTRICT BAND OF HOPE LEAGUE, EST. 1860.**—Office, 55, Albion Street, Leeds. Pres., John Iredales, Esq.; Treas., J. Hepworth, Esq.; Hon. Sec., Mr. Joseph Walker, 1, Oatlands Street, Leeds. This Union comprises 51 societies and 6,700 members. During the year 7 societies have united with the League, 1,300 meetings have been held, average attendance, 2,826; number of workers, 483. Income, £215 9s. 9d.; expenditure, £199 11s. 7d. On Good Friday the annual demonstration was held; from 6,000 to 7,000 children were present, and more than the same number of adults to hear them.

**MANCHESTER WESLEYAN BAND OF HOPE UNION, EST. 1871.**—Pres., Rev. T. Llewellyn; Treas., E. Sadler, Esq.; Hon. Secs., Rev. H. Bone and Mr. W. Sharpe; Sec. and Agent, Mr. Lot Whitworth; Office, 71, Market Street, Manchester. The Association is worked by 60 officers and committee and 97 voluntary advocates, at an annual expenditure of about £200; there are 64 societies affiliated, with upwards of 9,269 members. During the year 740 meetings have been held, attended by over 48,000 young persons and adults. The affiliated societies have circulated upwards of 40,000 periodicals, and have spent about £400 in Temperance work. The Oldham Wesleyan Band of Hope is also affiliated with this Union, and numbers 11 societies, 1,713 members, 30 speakers, and holds 200 meetings, and distributes about 9,000 periodicals annually. Hon. Sec., Mr. J. T. Yardley, 7, Charles Street, Busk, Oldham.

**HULL AND DISTRICT BAND OF HOPE LEAGUE.**—Pres., J. A. Wade, Esq., J.P.; Chairman of Committee, Dr. G. B. Barker; Treas., Mr. L. R. Brooks; Hon. Sec., Mr. F. E. Wing; Fin. Sec., Mr. C. E. Howell; Organising Sec., J. N. Webster; Offices, 8, George Street, Hull; Organ, *Band of Hope Advocate*, (monthly). \* The League comprises 53 societies, with upwards of 8,000 members; has a large singing class, conductor, Mr. W. Gibson. Income, over £1,000.

**BEDFORDSHIRE BAND OF HOPE UNION.**—Pres., Mrs. Tucker, Pavenham; Treas., Miss Rogers, Bedford; Sec., Mr. R. Hill, junr., 14, Adelaide Square, Bedford; Assistant Sec., Mr. L. Smith, 48, Wellington Street, Bedford.



BRISTOL BAND OF HOPE UNION, EST. 1862.—Pres., F. V. Jacques, Esq.; Treas., J. T. Grace, Esq.; Hon. Secs., Mr. W. L. Harris, Cathay, and Mr. G. D. Thomas, Sheen House; Collector, Mr. M. J. Thomas. Operates through 51 Bands of 8 000 members by means of lectures, honorary deputations, chemical and dissolving view entertainments, promotes the circulation of the best temperance literature. Its annual meeting is a magnificent gathering, and is called "The May Festival," always influential and successful.

## CHURCH TEMPERANCE ORGANISATIONS.

### CHURCH OF ENGLAND TEMPERANCE SOCIETY.

Organised on its present basis, 1873. Objects; 1. The promotion of habits of temperance. 2. The reformation of the intemperate. 3. The removal of the causes which lead to intemperance, mainly in accordance with the recommendations contained in the reports of the committees on intemperance presented to the convocations of Canterbury and York. Patron, The Queen; Pres., Archbishops of Canterbury and York.

NORTHERN PROVINCE.—Treas., R. Whitworth, Esq., Manchester; Sec., Mr. R. Graham, 16, Mount street, Albert square, Manchester; Agents: Diocese of Durham, Rev. Charles Duppuy, 25, Maple Street, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; Diocese of Carlisle, Mr. T. Trevor, Kendal; Diocese of Lichfield, Mr. T. D. Spain, Lichfield; Diocese of York, Rev. T. D. Speck, 10, Heyworth Green, York; Diocese of Ripon, Rev. H. M. Holden, 27, Blenheim Road, Manningham, Bradford; Diocese of Chester, Rev. R. B. Baron, 11, Lord street, Liverpool; Diocese of Bangor and St. Asaph, Rev. Morgan Rees, Llangwyfan Rectory, Rhyl; County of Nottingham, Mr. W. Baker, 22, Low Pavement, Nottingham; County of Lincoln, Mr. Boggis, 6, Prospect Terrace, Lincoln; Manchester, Mr. C. J. Gulland, 16, Mount street, Manchester.

SOUTHERN PROVINCE.—Treas., R. Baxter, Esq., Victoria street, Westminster; Clerical Sec., Rev. J. H. Potter, M.A.; Gen. Sec., Mr. A. Sargant, 13, Catherine street, Strand, W.C.; Agents: Dioceses of Bath and Wells, and Gloucester and Bristol, Rev. T. P. Ring, 2, Charlton Villas, Ashley hill, Bristol; Diocese of Llandaff, Rev. C. Parsons, Penarth Rectory, Cardiff; Diocese of Oxford, Mr. J. Abbey, 44, St. Giles', Oxford; Dioceses of Salisbury and Winchester, Mr. W. J. Ashman, 1, City road, Winchester; Sion College Area, London, Mr. R. Haskett, Jubilee street, Stepney, E.; Metropolitan Police Courts, Mr. George Nelson, and Mr. W. Batchelor.

OXFORD UNIVERSITY TEMP. SOCIETY.—Formed April, 1874. Open to both Abstainers and Non-abstainers. Pres., T. H. Green, M.A. (Balliol), 14, St. Giles street; Treas., G. Ellis, (Balliol), 64, Iffley road; Sec., W. Aston-Lewis, (Pembroke), Tunstead, Museum Villas.

CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY TEMP. SOCIETY.—Pres., Rev. A. W. W. Steel, M.A. (Caius Coll.); Treas., Rev. A. Baker; Secs., Mr. Irving, (Trin. Coll.) and Mr. Short, (non coll.). Basis: The union of all members of the University who agree with its objects, whether they are abstainers or not. The society has now amalgamated with the Ely Diocesan Branch of the Church of England Temperance society. There are upwards of 175 members, more than half being abstainers.

GLOUCESTER AND HEREFORD CONGREGATIONAL T. A. SOCIETY.—Pres., R. W. Batten, Esq., M.D., Gloucester; Vice-pres., Rev. Dr. Brown, Cheltenham; Treas., S. E. Robinson, Esq., Bristol; Sec., Rev. T. B. Knight, Clifton.

**CONGREGATIONAL TOTAL ABSTINENCE ASSOCIATION.**—Formed 1873. Pres., E. Baines, Esq.; Treas., S. Morley, Esq., M.P.; Hon. Sec., Rev. G. M. Murphy. Includes ministers and deacons of Congregational churches, delegates to Congregational Union, and students in Congregational colleges and institutes, who are abstainers, and other abstaining Congregationalists who subscribe not less than 5s. annually.

**BAPTIST TOTAL ABSTINENCE ASSOCIATION.**—Formed 1874. Pres., J. S. Wright, Esq., Birmingham; Treas., J. P. Bacon, Esq., London; Hon. Secs., Rev. S. H. Booth, Rev. J. Clifford, M.A., LL.B., and Mr. J. T. Sears. The conditions of membership are substantially those of the Congregational Association.

**FRIENDS' TEMP. UNION.**—Sec., John Taylor, Esq., London. Supported by members of the Society of Friends.

**FREE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND TEMP. SOC.**—Pres., Rev. Dr. Longmir, Aberdeen; Sec., Rev. W. Ross, Rothesay; Treas., J. Thompson, Esq., Edinburgh.

**CHURCH OF SCOTLAND TEMP. SOCIETY.**—Pres., Rev. T. C. Wilson, Dunkeld; Sec., Rev. J. Stewart, M.A., Peterhead.

**UNITED PRESBYTERIAN PERSONAL ABST. SOC.**—Pres., Rev. J. Hay, Lethendy, and Rev. Dr. Ogolvie, Selkirk; Sec., Rev. W. Reid, D.D., Edinburgh.

**TEMP. ASSOCIATION IN CONNECTION WITH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, IRELAND.**—Treas., Rev. Robert Knox, D.D.; Sec., Rev. I. N. Harkness, Stewartstown.

**IRISH FRIENDS' T. A. SOC.**—Sec., Mr. W. J. Edmundson, 35, Capel-st., Dublin.

**BANKRUPTCY STATISTICS.**—From the general report of the Controller in bankruptcy it appears that during the past eight years 60,196 cases have occurred, and out of these nearly 52,000 have been under the liquidation clauses of the Act. In 1870 there were 1,351 bankruptcies, 2,035 liquidations by arrangement, and 1,616 liquidations by composition. In 1876 there were 976 bankruptcies, 4,986 liquidations by arrangement, and 3,287 liquidations by composition. The return for 1877 gives the following figures:—Bankruptcies, 967; liquidations by arrangement, 5,239; liquidations by composition, 3,327. The annual number of bankruptcies therefore, has somewhat decreased, but the number of liquidations has so rapidly increased that there were nearly twice as many insolvencies in the year 1877 as in the year 1870.

**MODERATION.**—The only thing that is new in the articles and letters on the subject of intemperance that are now constantly being presented to the public is the scientific condemnation as excess of what has hitherto been known to the world at large as moderation. It used to be thought that beyond a certain point every glass a man took was “a nail in his coffin.” We are now told that the nailing process begins with the first glass of all, and that, in virtue of certain chemical and physiological laws, alcohol even in small quantities is, and must be, injurious. It is vain to reply to the scientific reasoner that numbers of persons take alcohol daily in the form of wine and beer without feeling any the worse for it. The mere fact that they are not conscious of having suffered any harm does not prove that no harm has been done. They may, in spite of their daily errors, feel perfectly well, but how do they know that had they walked in the right path and drank of the right beverage, they would not have felt still better?—*Standard*, May 20th, 1878.

**COFFEE BARROWS.**—A “coffee-barrow” was recently trundled through the streets of the little city of Lincoln. The “takings” in the first six weeks amounted to £15 16s.



## BAND OF HOPE UNIONS.

Metropolitan Auxiliaries and County, Town, District, and Denominational Band of Hope Unions in the United Kingdom.

Information supplied by Sec. of United Kingdom Band of Hope Union.

### METROPOLITAN AUXILIARIES.

Name of Union	Societies	Name and Address of Secretary
Chelsea & Westminster	34	J. B. Rosevear, Britannia-rd., Fulham, S.W.
Finsbury (inclding City)	60	H. F. Clarke, Hungerford, Holloway, N.
Greenwich ...	21	C. O. Barber, 3, Hammer's Ter., Greenwich
Hackney ...	32	C. W. Garrard, jun., 52, Albion-rd., Dalston
Lambeth ...	44	W. A. Cordrey, 90, Boyson-rd., Walworth
Marlyebone ...	39	G. H. Lymbery, 95, Camden Grove, Peckham
Southwark ...	39	J. Ritchie, 4, Chapter-read, S.E.
Tower Hamlets ...	45	John Langsford, 85, Camden-st., N.W.
South West London ...	49	J. E. Tammadge, 10, Rosemary-rd., Peckham
		T. W. Booth, 23, St. Peter's-road, E.
		Miss Carr, 3, Park-rd. Villas, Battersea Park
Total ...	363	

### UNIONS ASSOCIATED WITH THE LANCASHIRE AND CHESHIRE B. OF H. UNION.

*Secretary* : GEORGE SCARR HALL. *Office* : 18, Mount-st, Manchester.

Accrington ...	12	J. S. Higham, Wood Nook, Accrington
Ashton-under-Lyne ...	12	J. Marshall, jun., 173, Margaret-st., Ashton
Bolton ...	30	J. C. Sewell, 14, Bridgeman-st., Bolton
Church & Oswaldtwistle	4	W. Brindle, 20, Newark-st., Accrington
Chorley ...	9	J. Crumblehulme, 8, Farringdon-st., Chorley
Colne ...	4	J. Hartley, Cross-st., Bunker's Hill, Colne
Crawshawbooth ...	7	J. Aspin, Crawshawbooth
Glossop ...	12	N. Andrew, 8, Pikes Lane, Glossop
Heywood ...	9	W. Barlow, 41, Bank-st., Heywood
Hindley ...	6	W. Dean, Chapel Green, Hindley
Kendal District ...	5	W. Thompson, 105, Highgate, Kendal
Macclesfield ...	10	J. C. Holland, 48, High-st., Macclesfield
Marple ...	4	W. Hambledon, Derby-st., Marple, Cheshire
Preston ...	17	T. Myerscaugh, 29, North-rd., Preston
Rochdale, Wesleyan ...	11	J. W. Bellarby, South-st., Rochdale
Rochdale, Free Church	16	W. R. Knipe, 209, Drake-st., Rochdale
Stockport ...	14	G. Wilks, Grenville-st., Edgely, Stockport
Staleybridge ...	5	J. Jackson, Spring Bank, Staleybridge
Vale of Eden ...	26	C. Liddle, Driftain, Penrith
Winsford and Over ...	6	R. Chesters, Over-lane, Winsford
Societies immediately connected ...	199	
Total ...	418	

## UNIONS ASSOCIATED WITH THE YORKSHIRE BAND OF HOPE UNION.

*Hon. Secs.* : Rev. R. H. DUGDALE, 10, Newhouse, Huddersfield ; and Mr. JOHN PARKER, 14, Ridge Terrace, Leeds.

Name of Union	Societies	Name and Address of Secretary
Barnsley ...	16	J. Carr, 10, Hopwood
Barnard Castle and Upper Teesdale ...	6	{ J. Davis, Galgate, Barnard Castle J. Sutherland, Middleton, Teesdale
Batley ...	10	W. Fenton, Shay Terrace, Carlinghow, Batley
Bradford ...	56	M. Field, Godwin-st., Bradford
Clitheroe ...	15	J. Bowker, 29, West View, Clitheroe
Dewsbury ...	27	J. W. Stead, Earlsheaton, Dewsbury
Halifax ...	76	J. Bamford, 156, Osborne-place, Halifax
Harrogate and Knaresborough ...	13	W. J. Kaye, High Harrogate
Hebden Bridge ...	9	Rev. J. R. Godfrey, Hebden Bridge
Huddersfield ...	27	J. Hartley, New-st., Huddersfield
Hull ...	34	T. Wing, Myton Gate, Hull
Keighley ...	16	
Kirby Lonsdale and Sedbergh ...	8	{ R. Preston, Kirby Lonsdale T. Harrison, Berks House, Sedbergh
Lancaster ...	4	T. Mossop, 112, St. Leonardsgate, Lancaster
Leeds ...	45	J. Walker, 1, Oatland-st., Leeds
Malton ...	3	T. Moon, Wheelgate, Malton
Mexborough ...	7	
Mirfield ...	5	C. H. Appleyard, Hopton, Mirfield
Ossett ...	6	E. J. Saxton, Healey-lane, Ossett
Pontefract & Castleford ...	9	A. T. White, Draper, Pontefract
Rotherham ...	8	C. E. Thomas, Rotherham
Scarborough ...	11	W. N. Blanchard, 212, Norwood-st., Scarborough
Selby ...	7	E. Storey, Ousegate, Selby
Settle ...	13	William Walker, Settle, Yorks
Skipton ...	9	J. W. Wade, Temperance hotel, Skipton
Teesdale ...	9	Wm. Dowthwaite, Middleton Teesdale
Upper Wensleydale ..	4	Josh. Hooper, Bainbridge, <i>via</i> Bedale
Wakefield & Normanton	4	W. Wilson, Kirgate, Wakefield
Wharfedale ..	12	R. Walls Burley, Wharfedale
York ...	15	John Greenwood, 47, Holgate-ter.
Total ...	484	

## OTHER COUNTY UNIONS.

Bedfordshire ...	30	Rowland Hill, 14, Adelaide-sq., Bedford
Derby and Derbyshire	40	W. Hall, junr., 22, Crompton-st., Derby
Essex (North) ...	21	Miss Docwra, Kelvedon
Essex (South) ...	34	J. Bonner, 9, Stanley-st., Plaistow
Glamorganshire ...	no ret.	{ A. Llewellyn, 44, Worthing-st., Cardiff Rev. Charles Ayliffe, Cardiff
Hertfordshire ...	8	Henry Blackaby, Stanstead, Herts
Ipswich and Suffolk ...	66	Robert Smith, Tavern-st., Ipswich
Leicestershire ...	36	H. O. Bridgewater, 50, Southgate-st., Leicester
Lincoln and Lincolns	28	J. Robinson, Bail Gate, Lincoln
Northamptonshire ...	13	J. W. Turner, Cotton-end, Northampton
Nottingham and Notts	54	W. Copleston, 8, Ossington-villas, Nottingham
Oxfordshire ...	34	W. Wilkinson, 35, Pembroke-st., Oxford
Surrey ...	14	R. Wilson, Ellera, Ash, Surrey
Total ...	321	



NOT ASSOCIATED WITH COUNTY UNIONS.

Name of Union.	Societies	Name and Address of Secretary.
Barrowford ...	no ret.	T. Faraday, Barrowford, nr. Barnsley
Bath ...	12	C. Richardson, 3, Berkeley-st., Bath
Birmingham and dis.	18	J. W. Lansdall, Bennett's-hill, Birmingham
Bolton (Wesleyan) ...	15	C. Smithie, Hawkshaw-lane, Bury
Brighton ...	13	J. J. Jones, 39, Mighell-st., Brighton
Bristol ...	52	W. L. Harris, Cathay, Bristol
Cambridge ...	6	G. D. Thomas, Sheen House, Bedminster
Crewe (Staffordshire) ..		A. J. Tillyard, M.A., The Avenue, Cambridge
Exeter ...	9	no return
Gloucester ...	7	G. Avent, 114, St. Sidwell's, Exeter
Leeds (Wesleyan) ...	33	W. Ingle Wright, 17, Lower Barton-st.
Liverpool & nbourhd.	71	J. Tinney, 4, Lovell-st., Leeds
Liverpool (Wesleyan)	20	W. J. Sutcliffe, 42, Renshaw-st., Liverpool
Manchester (Wesleyan)	44	J. Brown, 10, Whiterock-st., Liverpool
Newcastle-on-Tyne ...	22	Lot Whitworth, 71, Market-st., Manchester
Portsmouth ...	20	H. C. Holme
Plymouth (three towns)	26	F. Hingston, 73, Kilminster-st., Portsmouth
Ramsbottom, Lancs.	8	L. B. Phillips, 7, Kirkby-place, Plymouth
Rochester ...		H. Clark, Ramsbottom
Sheffield ...	87	J. Crockford, Eastgate, Rochester
St. Austell & dis. Cor.	20	C. J. Whitehead, 104, Devonshire-st., Sheffield
St. Helens, Lancashire	22	R. H. Kirton, St. Austell
Swansea ...	5	W. Owen, Ellbess-lane, Peasey-cross
Todmorden ...	15	Edward Blewitt, 2, Garden-st., Swansea
West Cumberland ...	14	Joseph Crowther, Bank View, Todmorden
Whitehaven ...	5	Luther Bouch, Aspatria, Carlisle
		J. N. Griffin, 22, Middlechurch-st., Whitehaven
Total ...	561	

OTHER UNIONS.

Methodist New Con....	127	Rev. D. Heath, Paddock, Huddersfield
Edinburgh ...	33	S. M'Glashen, 5, St. Andrew's-st., Edinburgh
Glasgow ...	65	W. Drummond, 69, Union-st., Glasgow
Irish T. L. & B. H. U.	59	
Hibernian (Dublin) ..	68	W. Carty, 86, Grafton-st., Dublin
Cork ...	6	Alfred Beale, Cork

APPROXIMATE SUMMARY.

Bands of Hope	associated with Metropolitan Auxiliaries	...	363
"	" associated with the Lanc. and Cheshire B. H. U.	...	418
"	" associated with the Yorkshire Band of Hope Union	...	484
"	" associated with other County Unions	...	321
"	" assoc. with Town and District Unions not assoc. with C. U.	...	561
"	" associated with the Methodist New Connection B. H. U.	...	127
"	" associated with Unions in Scotland	...	98
"	" associated with Unions in Ireland	...	133

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# POLITICAL TEMPERANCE ORGANISATIONS.

## UNITED KINGDOM ALLIANCE.

EST. 1853. "to procure the total and immediate legislative suppression of the traffic in intoxicating liquors as beverages."—Pres., Sir W. C. Trevelyan, Bart. ; Vice-Pres., Right Hon. Lord Claud Hamilton, Sir Wilfrid Lawson, M.P., etc. ; Treas., W. Armitage, Esq., J.P. ; Hon. Sec., S. Pope, Esq., Q.C. ; Sec., Mr. T. H. Barker ; Electoral Sec., Mr. J. W. Owen ; Official Organ, *Alliance News* (weekly), 1d. ; Offices, 44, John Dalton Street, Manchester, and 52, Parliament Street, London, S.W. Receipts (including last year's balance), £21,993 6s. 5d., expenditure, £20,356 18s. 8d.

## DISTRICT AGENCIES AND AUXILIARIES.

Northumberland, Cumberland, Westmoreland and Durham.—Superintendent, Mr. T. Carrick, Bank house, Appleby.—Electoral Agent, Mr. Councillor R. Swan, Roker-avenue, Sunderland

Yorkshire.—Superintendent, Mr. H. Hibbert, 19, St. Andrew's-villas, Bradford

Lancashire (South-east) and Cheshire.—Superintendent, Executive Committee, Manchester. Agent, Mr. J. Whyte, 44, John Dalton-street

Lancashire : North, North-East, and South-West.—Superintendent, Mr. E. N. Charlton, 9, Christian-road, Preston

Stafford, Salop, Worcester, and Warwick.—Superintendent, Mr. W. Bingham, 11, Witton-road, Aston, Birmingham

Norfolk and Suffolk, Cambridge, Hunts, and Beds.—Superintendent, Mr. E. C. Brambley, Clifton-house, Mill-road, Cambridge

Derbyshire, Notts., Leicester, Northampton, Rutland, and Lincoln.—Superintendent, Mr. W. Mart, 9, Sacheverel-street, Derby

Berks, Bucks, Herts, and Oxon.—Superintendent, Mr. W. Wilkinson, 35, Pembroke-street, Oxford

Essex, Kent, Sussex and Surrey.—Superintendent, Mr. R. H. Campbell, Heathercote, Woking-station, Surrey

Gloucester and Wilts.—Superintendent, Executive Committee

Devon and Cornwall.—Superintendent, Mr. J. P. Uran, Albert-road, Plymouth

Hants and Dorset.—Superintendent, Mr. T. W. Glover, Elgin-road, Freemantle, Southampton

Somerset.—Superintendent, Mr. R. Coad, 19, Montpelier-terrace, Ilfracombe

Middlesex.—Superintendent, Rev. D. Burns, M.A., 52, Parliament-street, London

Carnarvon, Anglesea, Denbigh and Flint.—Superintendent, Mr. W. Thomas, 8, College-road, Garth, Bangor

Montgomery, Merioneth, and Cardigan.—Superintendent, Rev. R. Jones, Llanidloes

Glamorgan, Carmarthen, Brecknock, Pembroke, Monmouth, Hereford, and Radnor.—Superintendent, Mr. A. Scholfield, Toronto-villa, Stacey-road, Cardiff

Scotland.—Superintendent, Scottish Permissive Bill Association, 30, Hope-street, Glasgow

Ireland.—Superintendent, Irish Temperance League, 1, Lombard-street, Belfast ; Irish Permissive Bill Association, 4 and 5, Westmoreland-street, Dublin

Manchester and Salford.—Lecturer and Agent, Mr. J. Whyte, 44, John Dalton-street

Metropolis.—Auxiliary Agency, Superintendent, Rev. D. Burns, M.A. ; Electoral Agent, Mr. J. Hilton. Offices, 52, Parliament-street, S.W.

Birmingham.—Auxiliary Agency, Offices, 90, New-street ; Agent, Mr. F. Powell

Leeds.—Auxiliary Agency, Offices, 55, Albion-street

Leicester.—Auxiliary Agency, Offices, 78 and 80, High-street



Sheffield.—Auxiliary Agency  
 Bristol.—Auxiliary Agency  
 Norwich.—Auxiliary Agency, Offices, Prince's-street ; Agent, Mr. Fletcher  
 Hull.—Auxiliary Agency, Offices, 8, George-street ; Agent, Mr. G. Hayler  
 Newcastle-on-Tyne.—Auxiliary Agency, 21, Northumberland-court  
 York.—Auxiliary Agency

### METROPOLITAN PERMISSIVE BILL ASSOCIATIONS.

CITY OF LONDON.—Pres., Mr. Alderman McArthur, M.P. ; Treas., T. H. Ellis, Esq., 51, Jerome-street, E.C. ; Hon. Secs., Messrs. T. H. Ellis, jr., G. Palmer, and E. Crawshaw.

WESTMINSTER.—Pres., Rev. H. E. Fox, M.A., Vicar ; Treas., W. H. Viney, Esq. ; Hon. Sec., Mr. H. P. Gibson

CHELSEA.—Pres., B. Whitworth, Esq., M.P. ; Treas., F. Wright, Esq. ; Hon. Secs., Messrs. J. Pearce and Johnson

MARYLEBONE.—Treas., Norman Kerr, Esq., M.D., F.L.S. ; Treas., Geo. Dibley, Esq. ; Hon. Sec., Mr. C. J. Havert

FINSBURY.—Pres., N. B. Downing, Esq. ; Treas., J. Mardock, Esq. ; Hon. Sec., Mr. W. D. Fyth

HACKNEY.—Pres., M. Young, Esq. ; Treas., Mr. H. Belstead ; Hon. Sec., Mr. Smee

TOWER HAMLETS.—Pres., Capt. Peter Campbell ; Treas., Mr. John Hilton ; Hon. Sec., Mr. H. Willacy

GREENWICH.—Pres., H. Robinson, Esq. ; Treas., Mr. Ashdown ; Hon. Secs., Messrs. Bowen and Reynolds.

LAMBETH.—Pres., G. Livesey, Esq. ; Treas., R. E. Farrant, Esq. ; Hon. Sec., Mr. J. Kempster

SOUTHWARK.—Pres., John Berry, Esq. ; Treas., Mr. Haylock ; Hon. Sec., Mr. T. B. Fretwill.

SCOTTISH PERMISSIVE BILL AND TEMPERANCE ASSOCIATION. — Pres., ex-Bailie Hamilton, Glasgow ; Chairman of Ex., Bailie Torrens, Glasgow ; Treas., R. McCullum, Esq. ; Hon. Sec., Councillor Selkirk ; Sec., Rob. Mackay ; Organ, *Social Reformer* (Monthly). Offices, 30, Hope-street, Glasgow. A thorough canvass of the Scottish Constituencies is in progress, and the results have already been so marked that a special fund was instituted to prosecute this important work vigorously. Income £2,176 15s. 4d., balance to carry forward £72 6s. 4½d. The special fund realized £261 9s., leaving a balance to carry forward of £22 16s. 1½d., the gross income of the Association was £2,438 4s. 4d., and the gross balance to carry forward £95 2s. 6d. ; the surplus of assets over liabilities was £276 17s. 10d. The Association employs seven Agents, and besides its head quarters in Glasgow, has agencies in Edinburgh, Aberdeen, Peebles, and Dumfries.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION FOR STOPPING THE SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS ON SUNDAY.—Formed October 26th, 1866.—Pres., Sir T. Bazley, M.P. ; Treas., R. Haworth, Esq. ; Hon. Secs., R. Whitworth, Esq., Rev. T. A. Stowell, M.A., and E. Whitwell, Esq. ; Sec., Rev. F. J. Perry ; Travelling Secs., Rev. S. Knell, Rev. W. Mottram, and Mr. E. Thomas. Office—8, Corporation-street, Manchester. Income £2,109 7s. 1d. ; expenditure £2,153 1s.

IRISH ASSOCIATION FOR THE PREVENTION OF INTEMPERANCE.—Est. 1878.—Sec., Mr. T. W. Russell. Offices—Eustace-buildings, Eustace-street, Dublin.

IRISH ASSOCIATION FOR CLOSING PUBLIC-HOUSES ON SUNDAYS. Re-organized 1873.—Pres., Sir D. J. Corrigan, Bart. ; Chairman of Ex., Thos. Pim, Esq., jr., J.P. ; Treas., D. Drummond, Esq., J.P. ; Hon. Secs., H. Wigham and A. J. Nicolls, Esqrs. ; Sec., Mr. T. W. Russell. Offices, 35, Capel-street, Dublin.

# INDEPENDENT ORDER OF GOOD TEMPLARS.

[The following information of the Order working under the RIGHT WORTHY GRAND LODGE OF THE WORLD has been compiled from official document supplied by G.W.S. of the several jurisdictions.—ED.]

## RIGHT WORTHY GRAND LODGE OF THE WORLD.

R.W.G.T., Rev. William Ross, Rothesay, Bute, Scotland

R.W.G.S., Joseph Malins, Congreve-st., Birmingham

The next Annual Meeting to be held in Liverpool, England, in August, 1879.

## GRAND LODGE OF ENGLAND—Instituted 1870.

G.W.C.T., Joseph Malins, Congreve-st., Birmingham. G.W.S., J. W. Kirton, Congreve-st., Birmingham Official Organ, *Good Templars' Watchword*, weekly, 1d. The Tenth Annual session to be held at Hull on Easter Tuesday, 1879.

## DISTRICT LODGES AND D.C.Ts.

BEDFORDSHIRE.—Rev. J. E. Hargreaves, The Square, Dunstable  
 BERKSHIRE.—Thomas Fidler, Newbury  
 BUCKS.—Richard Littleboy, High-st., Newport Pagnell  
 CAMBS.—John Burford, Trumpington-st., Cambridge  
 CHESHIRE, E. and M.—Rev. P. Aston, 9, High-st., Macclesfield  
 CHESHIRE, W.—John Harrison, 3, Albert-terrace, Rock Ferry, Birkenhead  
 CORNWALL, E.—J. Jose, Tywardreath, *via* Par station  
 CORNWALL, W.—John A. Harris, Fore-st., St. Ives  
 CUMBERLAND, E.—Thomas Todd, 11, Hartington-place, Carlisle  
 CUMBERLAND, W.—Richard Sands, 15, Corkickle, Whitehaven  
 DERBYSHIRE.—Ephraim C. Ellis, 12, St. Peter's-st., Derby  
 DEVON, E.—S. H. Rumson, Market-terrace, Newton Abbot  
 DEVON, N.—Rev. Wm. Higman, New-st., Torrington  
 DEVON, S.—Rev. Henry Wheeler, Drake's house, Drake-st., Plymouth  
 DORSET.—William J. Bond, High-st., Gillingham  
 DURHAM, U.—Anthony Wardroper, Hudson-soad, Sunderland  
 DURHAM, S.—William Dobson, Mount Pleasant, Spennymoor  
 ESSEX.—Rev. Joseph Deans, Brightlingsea  
 GLOUCESTER, E.—J. W. Hopkins, British School, Moreton-in-Marsh  
 GLOUCESTER, W.—W. H. Lambe, 154, City-road, Bristol  
 GLOUCESTER, N.W.—F. W. T. Brain, Trafalgar, Drybrook  
 HAMPSHIRE, N.—Mrs. Annie P. Boys, Old Ditcham, Petersfield  
 HAMPSHIRE, S.—Thomas William Glover, Elgin-road, Freemantle, Southampton  
 HEREFORDSHIRE.—Henry Southall, The Craig, Ross  
 HERTFORDSHIRE.—John C. Hartley, 1, York Villas, Villiers-road, Bushy  
 HUNTINGDONSHIRE.—Frederick Giddings, St. Ives  
 ISLE OF WIGHT.—E. Herbert, High-st., Ventnor  
 KENT, E.—Robert H. Campbell, Rock Mount, Tunbridge Wells  
 KENT, M.—G. H. Graham, 64, Union-st., Maidstone  
 KENT, W.—J. Bowen, Deptford, S.E.  
 LANCASHIRE, N.—Robert Mansergh, Lindow house, Lancaster  
 LANCASHIRE, N.E.—Thomas Shepley, 7, Sefton-terrace, Burnley  
 LANCASHIRE, S.E.—W. T. Heap, 69, Spotland-road, Rochdale  
 LANCASHIRE, S.W.—J. B. Collings, 151, Kensington, Liverpool  
 LANCASHIRE, S.W. (Welsh).—John S. Jones, 27, Fernhill-st., Liverpool  
 LEICESTERSHIRE.—Rev. G. Edwards, M.A., Vicarage, Enderby  
 LINCOLNSHIRE.—Joseph Wilson, Market Rasen  
 MIDDLESEX.—W. Winton, Shaftesbury Hall, Princess-rd., Notting-hill, London



## MILITARY LODGES.—

MONMOUTHSHIRE.—William Henry Brown, 26, Upper Alma-st., Newport  
 NAVAL LODGES.—Capt. W. H. Phipps, R.N., H. M. S. Warspite, Woolwich  
 NORFOLK.—Royal Watson, Bridge-st., Downham Market  
 NORTHAMPTON, N.—G. L. Mace, Market-place, Brigstock, nr. Thrapstone  
 NORTHAMPTON, S.—Wm. Hollowell, 13, Queen's-road, Northampton  
 NORTHUMBERLAND.—William Hobkirk, Farm-cottage, Cramlington  
 NOTTINGHAMSHIRE.—Edward Brooks, 11, Barnbygate, Newark  
 OXFORDSHIRE.—William Simpkins, Bell-st., Henley-on-Thames  
 RUTLAND.—Charles Chapman, 4, High-st., Stamford  
 SHROPSHIRE.—Rev. James Renny, Trinity Parsonage, Ludlow  
 SOMERSET, E.—J. S. Sturges, 4, Terrace-walks, Bath  
 SOMERSET, M.—John Morland, Northover, Glastonbury  
 SOMERSET, W.—W. Thompson, Brent Lodge, Bridgwater  
 STAFFORD, E.—William Ward, New-st., West Bromwich  
 STAFFORD, N.—Rev. J. H. Howshall, Wise-st., Dresden, Stoke-on-Trent  
 STAFFORD, W.—James Phillips, Penn-road, Wolverhampton  
 SUFFOLK.—Joseph Alexander, Sudbury  
 SURREY, E. and M.—E. Wood, 6, Shelgate-road, New Wandsworth, S.E.  
 SURREY, W.—C. W. Mills, South-st., Guildford  
 SUSSEX.—Samuel Vinall, The Cliffe, Lewes  
 WARWICKSHIRE.—E. Glover, 13, Victoria-st., Coventry  
 WESTMORELAND.—E. S. Musgrove, Cliff-terrace, Kendal  
 WILTSHIRE.—G. Barnett, 28, Belle Vue-road, Swindon  
 WORCESTERSHIRE.—J. Derrington, Manor house, Bickenell, Birmingham  
 YORKSHIRE, E.—William Woodall, 1, Day-st., Hull  
 YORKSHIRE, N.—J. Sanderson, 18a, Blossom-st., York  
 YORKSHIRE, CENTRAL.—G. H. Braithwaite, Crag-hill, Horseforth, Leeds  
 YORKSHIRE, CLEVELAND.—W. Lapsley, Zetland-terrace, Marske-by-the-Sea  
 YORKSHIRE, N.W.—Joseph Bentley, 71, Goodwin-st., Bradford  
 YORKSHIRE, S.W.—Rev. H. J. Boyd, Paddock, Huddersfield

## JUVENILE TEMPLES.

*General Sup:* HANNAH E. YOUNG, Coseley, near Bilston.

Name of District	Temples	Name and Address of Superintendent
Bedfordshire ...	5	C. Taylor, Clarrey cottage, Amptill
Berkshire ...	19	J. Rae, Castle-st., Reading
Buckinghamshire ...	8	W. E. Ward, Newport-rd., Stantonbury
Cambridgeshire ...	5	G. Cohen, 13, Pulling-terrace, Mill-rd., Cambdg
Cheshire, E. and M. ...	11	J. Price, 71, Hall-st., Stockport
Cheshire, W. ...	14	Mrs. Duckett, 79, Beckwith-st., Birkenhead
Cornwall, E. ...	6	R. Husband, Crow's Nest, Liskeard
Cornwall, W. ...	3	W. H. Trounson, 34, North-st., Penzance
Cumberland, E. ...	5	J. Askew, 30, Sowerby-st., Carlisle
Cumberland, W. ...	10	T. Rutherford, Sibson-pl., Harrington
Derbyshire ...	25	J. Wilson, Lower Brampton, Chesterfield
Devonshire, E. ...	11	G. Hole, The Vinery, Higher Erith-rd., Torquay
Devonshire, N. ...	5	J. Coates, High-st., Ilfracombe
Devonshire, S. ...	8	S. Hockaday, 2, Radnor-st., Plymouth
Dorsetshire ...	12	J. Westcott, Shaftesbury
Durham, N. ...	54	J. Smith, Edmondsley, Chester-le-Street
Durham, S. ...	35	J. E. Robson, Sea-view, Hartlepool
Essex ...	9	E. G. Burbidge, 20, Windmill-lane, Stratford, E.
Gloucestershire, E. ...	14	Mrs. Collins, Cromwell-st., Gloucester
Gloucestershire, W. ...	13	T. Blacklock, Seymour-rd., Stapleton-rd., Bristol

## JUVENILE TEMPLES.—continued.

Name of District	Temples	Name and Address of Superintendent.
Gloucestershire, N. W.	13	Mr. B. Ensor, Lydney
Hampshire, N.	8	W. Wyeth, Rose cottage, Steventon, Michelever
Hampshire, S.	24	Mrs. Parker, American-W-chapel, Southampton
Herefordshire	5	J. Chick, 111, St. Owen-st., Hereford
Hertfordshire	4	H. C. Pope, 24, Park-road, Tring
Huntingdonshire	2	W. J. Davis, Stilton, nr. Peterborough
Isle of Wight	2	A. E. Patey, Templar house, Newport-rd., Ventnor
Kent, E.	11	F. West, 8 and 9, Parade, Canterbury
Kent, M.	12	J. Wells, King's-cottage, Matfield, Brenchly
Kent, W.	17	J. Nash, 60, Brewer-st., Woolwich
Lancashire, N.	7	Miss J. Wade, 22, Abingdon-st., Blackpool
Lancashire, N. E.	10	D. Fish, 15, Hapton-st., Padiham
Lancashire, S. E.	33	J. Cooke, 5, Primrose-ter., North-rd., W. Gorton
Lancashire, S. W.	35	Mrs. Green, 18, Kensington, Liverpool
Lancs., S. W. (Welsh)	4	G. C. Owen, 9, Newland-st., Liverpool
Leicestershire	8	J. S. Vorley, 4, Brookside-cottages, Long Island
Lincolnshire	13	J. Wilson, Market Rasen
Middlesex	47	D. Gover, 10, Argyle-st., Euston-rd., N. W.
Monmouthshire	12	E. Jones, Talywain, near Pontypool
Norfolk	9	Mrs. Bennett, jun., Downham Market
Northamptonshire, N.	8	N. Smith, Neneside Works, Thrapstone
Northamptonshire, S.	4	S. J. West, 17, Palmerston-rd., Northampton
Northumberland	25	W. Dawson, 3, Webster's bds., Shankhouse
Nottinghamshire	13	W. Ward, Commercial-st., Mansfield
Oxfordshire...	5	Jos. Howard, 33, Hythe Bridge-st., Oxford
Rutland	5	D. Mackenzie, 30, St. Mary-st., Stamford
Shropshire	4	R. Morris, Prees
Somersetshire, E.	16	J. R. Goding, 9, Nelson-villas, Bath
Somersetshire, M.	9	G. Sweetman, High-st., Wincanton
Somersetshire, W.	7	M. J. Pearce Billbrook, Washford, Taunton
Staffordshire, E.	12	A. Rowley, Walsall
Staffordshire, N.	10	J. Wilshaw, Wood-st., Hanley
Staffordshire, W.	15	Mr. Isaac Hart, 22, Snow-hill, Wolverhampton
Suffolk	9	W. Alston, Sudbury, Suffolk
Surrey, E. and M.	25	S. R. Rolfe, 17, Charles-st., Camberwell New-rd.
Surrey, W.	4	W. Cole, St. Martin's-place, Dorking
Sussex	16	Mrs. N. S. Whiteman, High-st., Rye
Warwickshire	16	Miss E. Conybeare, St. Vincent-st., Birmingham
Westmoreland	1	J. McNabb, Ackenthwaite, Milnthorpe
Wiltshire	17	John Smith, 59, Fore-st., Trowbridge
Worcestershire	10	Elijah Ryder, Wollaston, Stourbridge
Yorkshire, E.	10	E. T. Norman, 41, Longate, Hull
Yorkshire, N.	11	W. Estill, 35, Gray-st., Whitby
Yorkshire, Cleveland	17	W. D. Thompson, 24, Boro'-rd., Middlesboro'
Yorkshire, Central	15	S. Holdstock, Stanningly, Leeds
Yorkshire, N. W.	13	W. J. Hughes, St. Augustine's-ter., Hanson-In.
Yorkshire, S. W.	14	J. Hargreaves, Woodbine-st., Dewsbury [Halifax]

## GRAND LODGE OF SCOTLAND—Instituted May 7th, 1870.

G. W. C. T., Rev. J. Kay, Edinburgh ; G. W. S., W. W. Turnbull ; Offices, 31, North Frederick-st., Glasgow. Official Organ, the *Good Templar*, monthly. 1d. Next annual session held at Glasgow, in Sept., 1879. There are 800 adult lodges in Scotland, with a membership of 55,000.



DISTRICT LODGES.

Aberdeen .....	Wm. Davidson, 88, Union-st., Aberdeen
Campbeltown .....	Rev. James C. Russell, Campbeltown
Loch Fyne.....	Donald McBean, Tarbert
Ayr, Northern .....	Rev. A. Cross, Androssan
„ Eastern .....	Alexander Scott, Garronhill, Muirkirk
„ Central .....	E. J. Darke, North Hamilton-st., Kilmarnock
„ Southern .....	R. M. Beveridge, 7, Cathcart-st., Ayr
Banff .....	Rev. D. McGregor, Gardenstown, Banff
Berwick .....	John Newbigging, Currie-st., Dunse
Bute and Cowall .....	Alex. Crombie, Russell-st., Rothesay
Clackmannan .....	J. McLachlan, sen., West Grange-cottage, Alloa
Dumbarton .....	John McNidder, Teacher, Dumbarton
Dumfries .....	George H. Fea, 41, Bank-st., Dumfries
Elgin and W. Banff.....	Rev. John Miller, Forres
Edinburgh, Eastern .....	James A. Tod, Ormisbank, Dalkeith
„ Leith Burghs.....	Wm. Anderson, 9, Janefield-place, Leith
„ City.....	James Coutts, S.S.C., 18, York-place, Edinburgh
Fife, Northern .....	Thomas Honeyman, Ladybank
„ Southern .....	Alexander Fyfe, Thistle-st., Kirkcaldy
„ Eastern .....	James Brown, Cunzie Ho, Anstruther
Forfar, Northern and	
Kincardine .....	James Stevenson, 15, Evan-st., Stonehaven
„ Central .....	George Strachan, New Court House, Forfar
„ Eastern .....	Francis Lindsay, Fergus-st., Arbroath
„ Southern .....	Wm. Tyffe, 56, Blackscroft, Dundee
Haddington .....	W. F. Macray, County Prison, Haddington
Inverness and Nairn .....	Robert Fraser, 13, Telford-st., Inverness
Kinross and West Fife .....	Baillie G. W. Ross, Inverkeithing
Lanark, Upper Ward .....	Thomas Fisher, Brandon-st., Motherwell
„ Middle Ward .....	Andrew Dick, 15, Mack-st., Airdrie
„ S.W. .....	Gavin Cross, Burgh-buildings, Hamilton
Glasgow, E.C. ....	James McIntyre, Onslow Drive, Glasgow
„ S.E. ....	John Grant, 91, Springfield-rd., Glasgow
„ N.E. ....	John Ferguson, 48, East Waterloo-st., Glasgow
„ N.C. ....	John Sandilands, 24, Garscube-lane, Glasgow
„ W. ....	James M. Fairlie, 41, St. George's-road, Glasgow
„ S. ....	Alex. Ferguson, 88, Rutherglen-road, Edinburgh
Linlithgow .....	Archibald Lang, Draper, Boness
Orkney Isles .....	T. Smith Peace, Albert-st., Kirkwall
Peebles and Selkirk .....	Thomas Gray, 37, Channel-st., Galashiels
Perth, N.E. ....	Peter Ferguson, George-st., Couper Angus
„ Central.....	Edward Tainsh, 15, Main-st., Bridge End, Perth
Renfrew, Middle Ward .....	Archibald Murdoch, 3, Mansfield-place, Paisley
„ Lower „ .....	David M. Simpson, 29, Nicholson-st., Greenock
„ Upper „ .....	Donald Cameron, Thornliebank
Ross and Cromarty .....	Peter Bain, Teacher, Tain
Roxburgh .....	Richard Waugh, Abbey-view, Melrose
Shetland Isles .....	Hector Morrison, Commercial-st., Lerwick
Stirling, Northern.....	John Macfarlane, Tract Depot, Stirling
„ Southern .....	Andrew Dodds, 216, Graham's-road, Falkirk
Kirkintilloch .....	Thomas Mackindoe, Victoria-st., Kirkintilloch
Wigtown .....	Walter McEwan, Newton Stewart

There are also upwards of 320 Juvenile Lodges, with 21,000 members. Gen. Supt., of Juvenile Templars, J. Sutherland, 13, Upper Gilmore Place, Edinburgh.

ENGLISH GRAND LODGE OF WALES—Instituted 1874.

G.W.C.T., G. A. Edwards, 1, Montgomery-terrace, Roath, Cardiff; G.W.S., W. H. Tilston, 3, High-st., Wrexham.

DISTRICT DEPUTIES.

EAST GLAMORGANSHIRE—Robert Emery, 61, Conway-road, Cardiff  
 CARMARTHENSHIRE—Charles Moss, 3, Magazine-row, Carmarthen  
 DENBEIGHSHIRE—George Garside, Plaskynaston, Ruabon  
 FLINTSHIRE—Rev. D. B. Hooke, Mold  
 CENTRAL GLAMORGANSHIRE—John Routledge, Tondur, Bridgend  
 MONMOUTH AND E. BRECKNOCK—Rev. H. Walters, Vicarage, Abertillery  
 MONTGOMERYSHIRE—William Cooke, Bryn-st., Newtown  
 PEMBROKESHIRE—Daniel Collins, Melville-terrace, Pembroke Dock  
 RADNORSHIRE—Wm. Thomas, Penybont, Radnorshire  
 WEST GLAMORGANSHIRE—Joseph Rosser, Heathfield-place, Swansea

WELSH GRAND LODGE OF WALES—Instituted 1873.

G.W.C.T., Mr. H. J. Williams, Pwllheli; G.W.S., Mr. D. P. Jones, Four-crosses, Pwllheli. Has upwards of 300 lodges under its jurisdiction, containing a membership of over 20,000, with the following District Lodges:—

ABERTAWE—Mr. David Davies, Graig Terrace, Swansea  
 ARFON—Mr. Owen N. Jones, Carneddi, B.S., Bethesda, Bangor  
 CAERFYRDDIN—Parch. W. C. Jenkins, Kidwelly  
 CASTELLNEDD—Mr. William Richards, Cattle-st., Neath  
 CEREDIGION (uchaf)—Rev. John Evans, Abermeurig, Talsarn, R.S.O.  
 (isaf)—Parch. W. Rees, Llechryd, near Cardigan  
 CLWYD A MAELOR—Parch. E. Davies, Tregeiaiog, Llangollen  
 FFLINT—Parch. D. Oliver, Treffynon  
 LLANRWST—  
 LLEYN AC EIFIONYDD—Mr. John Ellis, Salem Terrace, Pwllheli  
 MEIRIONYDD—Mr. Humphrey Roberts, School House, Tan-y-grisiau, R.S.O.  
 MERTHYR AC ABERDAR—Mr. Wm. Jones, Oxford-st., Aberdare  
 MON—Parch. W. T. Jones, Dwyran P.O., Anglesea  
 MYNWY—Parch. John Morris, Ebbw Vale, R.S.O., Mon.  
 PONTYPRIDD—Mr. Wm Williams, Fernhill, Treherbert, near Pontypridd

GRAND LODGE OF IRELAND—Instituted 1871.

G.W.C.T., John Pyper, Belfast; G.W.S., A. Ledlie, 117, Victoria-street, Belfast.

Annual Session in Belfast, July 15th, 1879. District Lodges in Belfast, Lisburn, Ballymena, Carrickfergus, Newtownards, Downpatrick, Newry, Portadown, Lurgan, Londonderry, Coleraine, Stranbane, Omagh, Enniskillen, Castletin, Dublin, Cork, and Armagh.

OTHER GRAND LODGES UNDER THE R.W.G.L. OF THE WORLD.

Name of G.L.	Name of G.W.C.T.	Name and Address of G.W.S.
Bermuda ...	Sup.-Barrack Sergt. Smith	A. Smith, Water-street, St. George's
Cape Colony ...	J. Tennant	W. A. Moorby, Cape Town
Channel Islands	E. J. Voisin	Rev. H. M. C. Prince, St. Helier's, J'sey
Florida ...	Hon. J. E. Lee	W. M. Artrell, Key West
India ...	F. T. Atkin	R. Carr, Allahabad, N. W. Provinces
Isle of Man ...	T. A. Unsworth	G. M. Mercer, Castletown
Jamaica ...	Rev. W. C. Murray	W. H. H. Sutherland, Church-street, Kingston
Kentucky ...	Rev. J. F. Thomas	G. S. Williams, Johnson-st., Covington



R.W.G.L. OF THE WORLD—*continued.*

Name of G.L.	Name of G.W.C.T.	Name and Address of G.W.S.
Massachusetts...	Rev. G. W. Mansfield ...	Mrs. Dr. Wells Brown, P.O. Box, Boston
Mediterranean	J. C. Bundy	Gunner J. Monteith, R.A., Gibraltar
Natal ...	J. H. Spence	D. B. A. Horne, Colonist office, Durban
Newfoundland	H. J. Mabin	D. Morrison, St. John's
New S. Wales	J. Wright	J. Baker, Temperance Hall, Sydney
New York ...	Rev. W. F. Dickerson ...	Rev. C. F. Shaffer
New Zealand, N	Rev S. Edger	O. S. Ellis, Queen-street, Auckland
North Carolina	Rev. W. J. Moore	J. C. Dancy, Tarboro'
Norway ...	L. Balle	R. J. Pedersen, Berleguarden, Bergen
Nova Scotia	J. T. Bulmer	Rev. J. H. Saunders, Digby
Ontario ...	A. Bell	J. B. McLachlan, Toronto
S. Australia ...	W. W. Winwood	A. Thomas, Gresham-street, Adelaide
S. Carolina	Rev. E. M. Pinkney	J. L. Purcell, Winnsboro'
Virginia	Rev. W. B. Derrick	R. A. Green, 211, N. Sixth - street, Richmond

## DISTRICT AND OTHER DEPUTIES.

Aden—J. Watt, Police Inspector, Steamer Point  
 Antigua—O. B. Thibou, St. Mary-street, St. John's  
 Argentine Confederation—G. Viney, C. A. Railway Co., Rosario  
 Bahamas—T. N. G. Clare, Nassau, New Providence  
 Barbados—A. H. Bispham, St. Michael  
 Belgium—W. T. Stainton, 30, Rue Dambrugger, Auvers  
 British Burmah—Private Costellow, 44th Regt., Toungoo  
 British Columbia—G. Robinson, Victoria, Vancouver's Island  
 British Guiana—Rev. J. R. Dickson, Mahaica, Demerara  
 British Honduras—Geo. Frazen, Belize  
 California—G. Davis, 853, Harrison-street, San Francisco  
 Carriacou—N. A. McInnes, Carriacou, West Indies  
 Ceylon—Geo. Crozier, Ratnapura  
 China—T. W. Harrocks, Shanghai  
 Dist. of Columbia—G. Kelly, G.-street, Washington  
 Fiji Islands—(Under G.L. of New South Wales)  
 France—T. Richardson, 40, Brunswick Square, London  
 Gambia—J. S. Cuthbert, Lanman-street, Bathurst  
 Germany—J. Hitchens, Sailors' Institute, Hamburg  
 Gold Coast—J. P. Brown, Cape Coast  
 Grenada—Rev. J. Owen, St. George's  
 Griqualand.—J. F. Goch, Kimberley  
 Illinois—W. C. Nelson, 615, Warren Avenue, Chicago  
 Indiana—J. H. Ballard, Box 229, Jeffersonville  
 Iowa—Mrs. L. A. Berry, Des Moines  
 Japan—M. Fitzgerald, 63, Bluff, Yokohama  
 Kansas—T. N. Thomas, Carbondale, Osage Co.  
 Maine—C. A. Maxwell, 42, Lincoln-street, Portland  
 Malaysia—W. Norris, Singapore  
 Michigan—A. B. Adams, Battle Creek  
 Mississippi—T. Richardson, Port Gibson  
 Nebraska—R. J. Kendall, Stanton, Stanton Co.  
 New Jersey—G. Phillips  
 New Zealand, S.—W. T. C. Mills, Christchurch  
 Ohio—G. S. Williams, Covington, Kentucky  
 Orange Free State—R. J. Liddell, Hammersmith

Pennsylvania—E. H. Coates, 724, Spring Gardens, Philadelphia  
 Queensland—J. C. Halladay, Maryborough  
 Quebec—R. N. Webber, M.D., Richmond, East  
 Sierra Leone—Rev. Joseph May, Freetown  
 Slave Coast—C. D. Macaulay, Lagos  
 St. Helena—J. Williams, St. Helena  
 St. Kitts—G. Horn, The Circus, Basseterre  
 St. Vincent—Rev. J. C. Richardson, Kingstown  
 Tasmania—T. B. Way, Hobart Town  
 Tennessee—J. Mason, Victoria Mines, Marion County  
 Texas—Rev. J. W. Randolph, Galveston  
 Tobago—W. Holland, Scarborough, Ebenezer  
 Transvaal—J. P. Sleightholm, Pretoria  
 Trinidad—J. G. Douglas, Port of Spain  
 Turk's Island—J. W. Milburn, Grand Turk  
 Venezuela—G. P. Ewens, Bible House, Caraccas  
 Victoria—E. Edwards, King's-street, Melbourne

### RIGHT WORTHY GRAND LODGE.

[We have made several applications for information relative to the section of the Good Templars acknowledging this body as their supreme court, with Dr. Lees as their leader in England, but up to the time of going to press we have been favoured with no reply.—EDITOR.]

**A PHILANTHROPIST'S WINE-CELLAR.**—We learn from the *City Press* that some of the wines belonging to the late Mr. George Moore, of Bow-churchyard, when exposed for sale by public auction, brought the enormous price of 320s. per dozen. What a terrible waste!

**OUR WINTER DRINKS.**—Of the beverages best suited as a protection against the evils of exposure to cold, alcohol certainly has no claim to the position it has attained in the public estimation, as it has been shown by Dr. Brunton that, by dilating the vessels of the skin, alcohol warms the surface at the expense of the internal organs. It is thus injurious when taken during exposure to cold, but beneficial when taken after the exposure is over, as it tends to prevent congestion of the internal organs. The best drinks are hot tea, coffee, or cocoa, and they have, as Professor Hammond has shown, the power of preventing tissue waste even under prolonged exercise.—*Medical Examiner*.

**THE "LEAGUE OF THE CROSS."**—One of the last acts of the late Pope was to grant his apostolic blessing and also certain indulgences to the Catholic Total Abstinence Association known as "The League of the Cross." Only four days before his death, Archbishop Manning laid before His Holiness a petition from the members of the League asking for the apostolic benediction and other spiritual boons on behalf of that body, which the Pope at once consented to bestow.—*Times*.

**INCREASE OF POPULATION.**—The population of England and Wales in the middle of 1878 was put by the Registrar-General at 24,854,397, or 307,088 more than in the middle of 1877. The population of Scotland shows an increase of 33,212, and that of Ireland an increase of 97,245. The total population of the United Kingdom is stated at 33,881,966, or 437,547 more than at the corresponding period last year.

**TEMPERANCE PRAYER UNION.**—Est. 1877.—Object: The encouragement of systematic prayer; each Member engaging to pray for the removal of our national sin at least once every week. Hon. Sec., Mr. H. Dunn, Cross Banks, Shipley, Yorkshire.



## INDEPENDENT ORDER OF RECHABITES.

(SALFORD UNITY.)

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## DISTRICTS AND DISTRICT SECRETARIES.

- 1 Manchester—T. Sharples, 10, St. Mary's Parsonage, Manchester
- 2 Ashton-under-Lyne—R. Harrop, Goddard-street, Ashton Road, Oldham
- 3 Lancashire and Yorkshire—J. Lawton, Upper Mill, Manchester
- 4 Warrington—W. Mee, 58, Sankey-street, Warrington
- 5 Liverpool—W. Atkinson, 7, Upper Duke-street, Liverpool
- 6 Isle of Man—H. T. M'Iver, 2, Goldie-street, Douglas, Isle of Man
- 7 Bolton—N. Jepson, 26, Sudell Road, Darwen
- 8 Potteries—C. Cork, High-street, Silverdale, Staffordshire
- 9 Bolton (second)—John Smith, 63, Kent-street, Bolton
- 10 Cumberland—R. Graham, Good Templar Hall, Workington
- 11 Sheffield—John Parkin, 12, Catherine-street, Sheffield
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- 13 Furness—J. Peet, Ainslie-street, Barrow-in-Furness
- 14 Preston—W. Haslam, St. Paul's Road, Preston
- 15 Southport—J. Diamond, 96, Zetland-street, Southport
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- 18 East Riding—C. Firby, Princess-street, Mason-street, Hull
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- 22 Dublin—J. Erskine, 18, Lower Abbey-street, Dublin
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- 25 Huddersfield—J. Armstrong, Bridge-street, Lockwood, Huddersfield
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- 27 Shrewsbury—T. Davies, 47, New-street, Shrewsbury
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- 29 Cleveland—John Hind, 9, Smeaton-street, North Armesby
- 30 London—G. Sheppard, 80, Coburg Buildings, Westminster, London
- 31 Leeds—John Campbell, 8, Colville Terrace, Beeston Hill, Leeds
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- 33 Durham and Northumberland—T. Dalziel, 3½, High-street, Jarrow-on-Tyne
- 34 Dundee—D. Robertson, 21, Cotton Road, Dundee
- 35 Mid and West Kent—William Baldwin, St. Stephen's-street, Tunbridge
- 36 Nottingham—J. Stanton, 56, Houndsgate, Nottingham
- 37 Berks and Oxon—W. E. Lewendon, West-street, Newbury, Berks
- 38 Glasgow—R. Campbell, 22, Fauldhouse-street, Oatlands, Glasgow
- 39 Clitheroe—H. Greenwood, Carry Bridge, Colne
- 40 Southern—H. J. Gundry, 7, Terminus-street, Weymouth, Dorset
- 41 Gwent and Glamorgan—D. M. Richards, 7, Cynon-street, Mountain Ash
- 42 Kirkcudbright and Dumfries—T. C. Farries, 10, Terregles-street, Dumfries
- 43 Isle of Wight—H. White, Henley Villa, Western Road, Shanklin



- 44 Cornwall—N. H. Biggleston, Hayle, Cornwall
- 45 North Devon—James S. Burrow, 11, Richmond Terrace, Bideford
- 46 Perthshire—John Clark, 33, Priory Place, Perth
- 66 South Devon—J. Austin, 8, Laira Bridge Terrace, Plymouth
- 67 Alderney—John M. Duplain, Victoria-street, St. Ann's, Alderney
- 68 Guernsey—T. Ozard, St. Thomas Village, Guernsey
- 69 Pembrokeshire—G. Phillips, 12, Dew-street, Haverfordwest
- 71 Blackburn—T. Gregson, 34, Darwen-street, Blackburn

FOREIGN DISTRICTS.

- 79 Tasmania—P. Boland, Launceston, Tasmania
- 80 Southern Cross—W. Thomas, Sandy Bay, Hobart Town, Tasmania
- 81 South Australia—E. Alcock, Weymouth-street, Adelaide, Australia
- 82 Victoria—W. Bell, 46, Collins-street East, Melbourne, Australia
- 83 Albert—G. W. Cole, District Offices, North Adelaide, South Australia
- 84 New Zealand—Emilius Le Roy, 7, Queen-street, Auckland
- 85 New South Wales—
- 86 Wellington—F. Frazer, Manners-street, Wellington, New Zealand
- 87 Queensland—Charles Fullwood, Brisbane, Queensland, Australia
- 88 Western Australia—F. Stone, Jun., William-street, Perth, Western Australia
- 89 Barbados—Alexander S. Bayn, 145, Roebuck-street, Bridgetown, Barbados

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 British Temperance League Register. 1s. (Pitman.)  
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 British Workman and Band of Hope Review Almanacks. 1d. (Partridge.)

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Town.	Name of Society, &c.	Place and Time of Meeting.	Name and Address of Secretary.
Abercarn (Mon.)	Teetotal Association	Tin Works School, Fri., 7	Fred W. Brett, Abercarn, Mon.
Bedford	Abstainers' Union...	National Schools, Tu.	T. Borwick, Bedford
Devonport	Kingsand and Crawsand	National Schools, alt. Mon., 8	Rev. P. H. Newnham, Maker Vicarage
Foot's Cray	Church of Eng. Guild of Help	Temp. Hall, 1st Wed., 8	Arthur E. Oxley, Foot's Cray
Grantham	Temperance Association	Mission Church, alt. Tu., 7	W. Bailey, London-road, Grantham
Hastings	Church of Eng., Silverdale B...	Wednesday	O. J. Griffin, Romilly Villa, Silverhill, Hastings
Liskeard	Temperance Society	T. Hall, Shoreditch, every ni., 8	Wm. George, Fore-st., Liskeard
London	East Central Association	T. Hall, O. K. Rd., Su. & Sa. 8.15	Geo. Ling, 12, South-street, Finsbury
London	Working Men's Total Abs. As.	Wed., 8.15	R. Skinner, Canal Grove, Old Kent-road, S.E.
London	United Sisters' Total Abs. As.	L. Hall, Church Rd., alt. W., 8	Mrs. Skinner, " "
London	Action...	Tuesday, 8.30	F. Draper, 1, Green-st., Grosvenor-square, W.
London	Dove Court	Little Portl'd-st., Tu. & Th., 8.15	G. H. Simmons, 22, Banbury-terrace, S. H'ney
London	Fitzroy Teetotal Association	M. Hall, Upper Ann-st., M., 8.15	J. P. Draper, 67, Great Titchfield-street, W.
London	South London Teetotal Ass.	A. 1st Thursday, 7	J. Woollacott, 133, Stamford-st., Waterloo B'ge
London	United Working Woman's T. A.	C. Ch., Orange-st., M., W., & Fr.	Mrs. Durrant, Queen's Park Estate, Harrow-rd.
London	Blue Ribbon Army	Daily from 9 a.m. till 10 p.m.	J. Gordon, Boden Terrace, Macclesfield
London	Working Men's	Occasionally	J. Burrows, Boxley-road, Maidstone
Macclesfield	Temperance Society	2nd Friday, 7	Capt. S. Williams, Neath
Maidstone	Total Abs. Association	Sat., 7.30; Committee 1st Mon., 8	Jas. Jones, 1, Station-st., Newport, Mon.
Newport (Mon)	Temperance Association		



Norwich	Congregational Church	Occasionally Princes-st. C. R'm	W. H. I. Pryer, 25, Castle Meadow, Norwich
Oswaldtwistle	Temperance Association	...	T. Baron Inn, 90, Union-rd., Oswaldtwistle
Sheffield	Temperance Association	Temp. Hall, Sat., Sun., Mon. 8	W. Slack, 6, Wheelton-st., Sheffield
Sheffield (Wicker)	Holy Trinity, Church of Eng.	1st and 3rd Monday, 7.30	H. Fitter, 202, Brunswick-rd., Sheffield
Southampton	St. Mary's, Church of England	St. Mary's School, alt. Th., 8	Rev. W. W. Ferrin, St. Mary's, Southampton
Walthamstow	Total Abs. Association	Occasional M. in various H. & S.	E. Clark, junr., Prospect Hill, Walthamstow
Wellingborough	Temperance Association	Y. M. Christ'n Ass. R'ms, Fri., 8	P. D. McGowan, Broad Green Sch., Wellingboro

# BANDS OF HOPE.

Barnstaple	Cross-street	Tuesday, 7	W. Ballinger, jun., 79, High-st., Barnstaple
Bulwell	Church of England	National School, Th., 7.30	F. Willis, Coventry-road, Bulwell
Chesterton	Baptist Sunday School	Baptist Chapel, Mon., 7	J. E. Brittain, Hope Terrace, Chesterton
Devonport	Mount Edgecumbe	National Schools, Mon., 7	Rev. P. H. Newman, Maker Vicarage
East Peckham	Wesleyan	Wes. Chapel, Mon., 6 w., 7 s.	J. Stevens, Sup.; Mrs. Barnet, Sec., E. Peckham
Fenny Stratford	...	Thursday, 7.15	T. G. Kirby, High-st., Fenny Stratford
Grantham	Temperance Society	Tuesday, 6.30	W. A. Drakard, Elmer-st., Grantham
Gorey	The Gorey	Last Mon. of each month, 8	H. Edwards, 71, Main-street, Gorey
Hastings	The Rock	Memorial Ch. School, Tu., 6.45	T. A. Noakes, 5, White Rock-road, Hastings
Hastings	Church of England	M'n Ch. S., Silverdale, alt. Tu. 7	R. J. Griffin, Romilly Villa, Silverhill, Hastings
Ilkley	Congregational Church	Cong. School, Wed., 7.15	D. Smith, Ironmonger, Ilkley, Yorks
London	St. John's Wood	Workman's Hall, Fri., 7	W. J. Hutchings, 36, Ordinance-rd., London
London	King's Weigh House Sun. S.	Weigh House Sch., alt. W., 7	W. H. Northage, Tower-Hill, E.
Maidstone	Town	Brit. School, Wheeler-st., Tu., 6.30	W. M. Threadfold, 10, King-st., Maidstone
Monmouth	Wesleyan Sunday School	St. James'-st. School, Tu., 6.30	Segt. C. M. Quaine, The Castle, Monmouth
Plymouth	Courtenay-street	1st and 3rd Wed., 7	Miss Loreless, 20, Hill Park Cres., Plymouth
Portsmouth	Presbyterian Church	Alternate Th., 6.30	T. H. Hopkins, Molecomb House, Southsea
Queentown	Methodist	1st Mon. in the Month, 7	W. H. Clements, Queenstown, Ireland
Saffron Walden	Saffron Walden	Lecture Hall, Hill-st., Th., 7	H. Hockley, superintendent, Saffron Walden
Sheffield	Ellesmere Road	Temp. Hall, Tu., 7	C. F. Waddington, 179, Fowler-st., Sheffield
Sheffield	Friends	Tuesday, 7.30	C. Wiles, 15 Dover-street, Sheffield
Sheffield (Wicher)	Holy Trinity Church Sun. S.	Girls' School, Tu., 7.30	F. W. Holden, 31, Pickering-road, Sheffield
Shipley	St. Paul's Church	Monday, 7.30	H. Dunn, 11, Cross Banks, Shipley
Southampton	Juvenile Temperance Society	Thursday, 6.30	Rev. W. W. Perrin, St. Mary's, Southampton
St. Leonard's	Wesleyan	Mission Hall, Cave-rd., Mon. 7	W. F. Balding, Cave-rd., St. Leonard's, Hastings
Sunderland	Hendon Parish	1st Tu. in the Month, 7	W. H. Shevill, 5, Norfolk-st., Sunderland

## RECHABITE TENTS AND SONS OF TEMPERANCE DIVISIONS, &amp;c.

Dorchester	...	Alternate Wednesdays	C. Greening, junr., 2, Shirehall-pl., Dorchester
Dublin	...	Towsend-st. & L. George-st., d'ly	F. Wilson Fair, 6, Towsend-st., Dublin
London	...	Great Cent. Hall, alt. Tu., 8.15	G. Tranter, 29a, Jewrin-st., E.C.
London	...	Temp. Hall, Canning T., W. 7.30	F. W. Marsh, 11, Eaton-ter., Alexandra-st., E.
London	...	G. Samaritan, O.G.O.; T.A.S.P.	T. W. Richardson, 40, Brunswick-sq., W.C.
London	...	Garden of Eden (Danielite L.)	T. Mee, 1, Ashforth-st., Alfred-st., Nottingham
Nottingham	...	Hebron Tent, I.O.R. (Mixed)	J. Sheppard, 4, Egerton-place, Fisherton
Salisbury	...	Pride of Samson Tent, I.O.R.	E. A. Scholey, Manager
Wallsall	...	Temperance Lending Library...	G. Stokes, Stafford-street, Wednesbury
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Town.	Name and No. of Lodge.	Place and Time of Meeting.	Name and Address of Lodge Deputy.
Aloa	Queen of Ochills, 227	Tuesday, 8	W. Dawson, 21, Johnstone-st., Aloa-by-Stirling
Ayr	Sir William Wallace, 110	Thursday, 8	J. Terry, 32, High-street, Ayr
Bath	Hugh Bourne, 647	Prim. Meth. School, Tues., 8	H. Humphries, 8, John-street, Bath
Berwick-on-Twd	St. Abb's Light	Tuesday, 8	W. Purves, Heugh Heed, Ayton
Bolton	Joseph Crompton, 816	Wednesday, 7.30	W. Maxwell, 3, Reformation-street, Bolton
Bourne	Stability, 3535	Friday, 7.30 winter, 8 summer	S. Knisee, Thurlby, Bourne
Bodmin	Crusaders, 1434	Pool-street, Fri., 8	A. C. Jane, Honey-street, Bodmin
Brenchley	Standfast, 2890	National School, Mon., 7.70	W. Ashdown, Brenchley, via Staplehurst
Brenchley	Holdfast Juvenile Temple, 682	" "	W. Ashdown, "
Bristol	Dewdrop	Saturday, 7.30	J. Killick, 51, City-road, Stokes' Croft, Bristol
Brighton	Carlton Union, 2457	Monday, 8.15	T. Holman, 8, Aberdeen-road, Brighton
Burnley	Rescue	Tuesday, 8	W. R. Bellingham, 49, St. James'-st., Burnley
Castlederg	Lighthouse, 52	Monday, 7	J. McGrapham, Castlederg, Ireland
Chatham	Standfirm, 150	Mis. Ch., The Brook, Tu., 7.30	D. Bray, 37, Skinner-st., New-rd., Chatham
Cornsay Colliery	Peep o' Day, 1963	British Schools, Sat., 7	Gott, Cornsay Colliery, Durham
Devonport	Gem of the West, 1505	Temp. Hall, Wed., 7.30	W. Mildon, 49, Mount-street, Devonport
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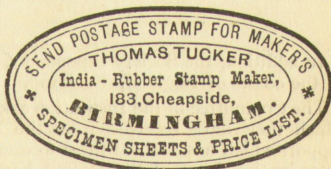
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