

W. C. T. U.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union of Andover meets the first and third Thursday in each month.

The following clipping from the New York Tribune may be interesting as a report of the World's W. C. T. U., recently held in London, from a paper which no one claims is ultra-temperance:

"The temperance assemblies have been immense and influential gatherings. Two great bodies of workers, the National British Women's Association and the World's Women's Christian Temperance Union, have combined their forces, and at least twenty-five other organizations have also taken part in the proceedings, which have drawn large and enthusiastic audiences, although the press has given them meagre and unsatisfactory notices. Too many side issues were discussed during the opening sessions, but in the most important meeting in Albert Hall, attended by 10,000 people, the main purpose of the really wonderful demonstration was clearly disclosed. This purpose was the promotion of moral and social reform through the systematic co-operation of women throughout the world. Practical evidence of this general object was offered in the polyglot petition, estimated to be eight miles long, and to contain over 2,000,000 signatures from fifty countries. It was draped and fastened around the platform and amphitheatre, with many great rolls piled up in conspicuous places. After this exhibition there ought to be no doubt that the new woman, whatever else she may be or do, is strong for temperance.

Lady Henry Somerset and Miss Willard were the leaders of this demonstration, and made wholesome, womanly speeches. Hardly less conspicuous were Mother Stewart, the leader of the Ohio crusade, and Mme. Antoinette Sterling, who sang with fine effect. There was much that was spectacular in the demonstration, with a contingent of total-abstinence sailors from the Royal Navy, a white-ribboned choir of young women in blue gowns, and representative temperance societies in the national costumes of many countries; but these details enlivened the proceedings, pleased the audience and were not laughed at. Perhaps the best evidence of the progress of the temperance cause was the respect with which this unique gathering of earnest women from England, America and the rest of the world was regarded by one of the largest assemblies ever seen in a London hall. It is doubtful whether this temperance congress will save the Local Veto bill now before Parliament, but it can hardly fail to encourage women throughout Christendom to take a more active interest in social reforms. Lady Henry Somerset predicts that the coming woman will be earnest and true, as well as enfranchised, and that her supreme quality will be motherliness. This is a reassuring forecast, after the alarming portrait of the new woman given by playwrights and novelists in their morbid studies of social problems."

INDEPENDENCE NEWS.

Carpenters are at work building a large barn on the E. B. Tullar farm. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bassett of Andover and Mrs. E. G. Carpenter of Asaway, R. I., visited at Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Bassett's Saturday and Sunday.

Several young people from this place attended the concert at Whitesville Monday evening, given by Miss Eltha Parker of Spring Mills. Miss Parker is a student of the Conservatory of Music at Ithaca and is highly recommended from that institution.

Master Will Warren and sister Helen, of Cuba, are visiting at their uncle's, M. Crandall.

Miss Rena Hunt of Andover is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parks. Mr. Parks' daughter Carrie, his first wife's child, has come to live with him.

Mr. Miles Livermore and Miss Lena Brundage of Andover, came up Monday on their wheels and are stopping at James Livermore's.

Mrs. R. S. Jacobs has received a widow's pension of \$12 a month, also the accrued pension due her husband at the time of his death.

Misses Bertha Lanphear of Whitesville and Grace Fish of Slongo visited at their uncle's, J. P. Reming, on the latter part of last week, and the first of this week.

Miss Grace Tullar of Rushford is visiting Miss Pauline Barney.

The surplus earned by an Association or Corporation is the total net result, taking into account the combined effect of all sources of profit, after meeting all losses, and with insurance companies making ample provision for all liabilities, present and future. We give below the amount of surplus held by some of the principal Life Insurance companies of the country:

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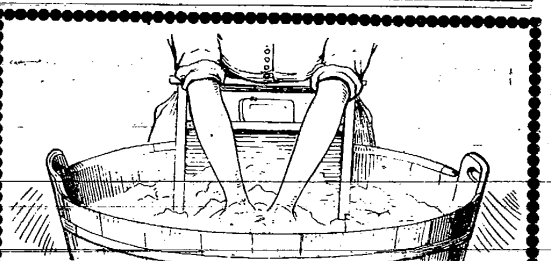
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