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

Professor Drummond, whose "Ascent of Man" has been attracting so much attention, is also a believer in the ascent of women. In a speech at Haddo House, Lord Aberdeen's Scotch home, he recently remarked that "woman had been put through a marvelous discipline during the long night of history to teach her the virtues of unselfishness, patience, compassion and love, so that she might become the teacher of the world; and it was quite certain, by all the laws of science and all the conditions of the world's past, that the great factor in the future evolution of society must be the ascent of woman."

The Denver hotel explosion, in which twenty or more persons met a horrible death, is another calamity for which the liquor traffic is directly responsible—and when we say the liquor traffic, we mean all who in any way lend their influence to its support. The drunken engineer, the drunkard-maker and the man who makes drunkard-making a legitimate business, must be held equally responsible for the Gumry hotel holocaust. Truly, the drink evil never lets anybody alone.

Emergency hospitals in New York add their testimony as to the benefits of Sunday closing. Sunday, instead of being the busiest day is now the quietest.

A saloonist innocently reveals one of the principal difficulties in the way of enforcing laws against liquor dealers, in a trial before a justice's court. Upon being sworn, one of the attorneys said:

"Mr. S., where is your place of business?"

"What for you ask me such foolish things? You drinks at my place more as a hundred dimes!"

"That has nothing to do with this case. State to the jury where your place of business is."

"De shury! de shury! Oh, yep shiminy! Efery shentleman on dot shury has a string of marks on my cellar door s'fust like a rail fence!"

His Honor here interceded in behalf of the counsel, and in a calm, dignified manner requested witness to state the place of his business.

"Oh, excuse me, Your Honor, you drinks at my place so many dimes, I thinks you knows fere well where I keeps mine place."

Ten women have been appointed on the list of census-takers in Boston. A woman has also received the position of census-taker for Cass county, Minn. There the population is so scattered that she will be obliged to make the canvass on horseback.

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A Few Outside Happenings in Which Our Readers Will Be Interested.

The Allegany County Village Co-operative Fire Insurance Company has collapsed and is about to be dissolved. The railroad is completed to Whitesville and excursions will be run from that place to the Wellsville Fair this week.

The cashier of the State Bank of Pike, N. Y., is missing and no trace of his whereabouts can be found. His accounts are all right and the worst that can be said of him is that he was an inveterate cigarette smoker.

The shoe factory that moved from Canisteo to Dunkirk last winter was closed Saturday, upon mortgages aggregating over \$27,000, by Sheriff Glehm. Mr. Glehm says that further claims will bring the firm's indebtedness close to \$60,000.

Carl Heitz of Hoboken, N. J., a guest at the Sherwood House in Hornellsville, was arrested on Wednesday night while smashing the furniture. He was confined in the jail and on Tuesday evening he was attacked with convulsions and died early Friday morning.

In 1882, when the oil boom was at its height, the First National Bank of Richburg erected a brick bank building at a cost of \$10,000. Times have changed in Richburg. A few days ago the banking house and lot were sold for \$1,000. The building will be used as a dwelling.

The new law which compels the instruction in the public schools of the state of the effects of alcohol and narcotics upon the human system went into effect the first of this month. The law requires that not less than four lessons a week for ten weeks in each school year shall be given on this subject.

There are 46,000 pensioners who draw their money from the Buffalo agency, which includes 37 counties of Western New York. The total amount of the July payment was \$1,554,403.81. Less than \$15,000 of this amount is for pensioners prior to the civil war, so that the pensioners in this district, on account of civil war, received in July \$1,540,141.81.

The State Board of Health reports that anthrax is prevalent among a great many cattle in this State. It is possible for human beings to contract the disease, and in such cases it is called carbuncle. The existence of anthrax and the extent of its prevalence are being brought to light through the investigations of the committee of the board appointed for the purpose of putting an end to tuberculosis. The jurisdiction of this committee, however, does not reach beyond tuberculosis in accordance with special legislative provision, and the matter will have to be referred to the Agricultural Department.

A dispatch from Rochester says: "Genesee Valley park was crowded yesterday afternoon with people who went to see another attempt made by inventor Cooley, the air ship man from Hornellsville, to fly his bird. It was a fight between Yankee ingenuity and the center of gravitation, and the latter came out ahead. Long guy ropes were stretched and by this means the ship was raised about six feet to allow the wind to get under her flappers, while others pulled and ran with the anchor line. She rose four or five feet more when the bird took a plunge to the earth, landing on her side. A second attempt was just as successful. Mr. Cooley is not yet disheartened and says he will give another exhibition."

Last Saturday night Arthur Van Denmark, a young man who lives at Bell's Run, eight miles south of Ceres, tried to commit suicide in a novel way. He secured a 38-caliber cartridge, two small iron burrs and a monkey wrench. He placed the burrs tightly in the jaws of the wrench and pushed the cartridge through the holes in the burrs, thus constructing a clumsy revolver. He then built a hot fire in the kitchen stove, placed the wrench on the stove with the base of the cartridge resting on the griddle. He rested his forehead on the bullet in the shell and awaited results. The intense heat burned his hands and face terribly, but the cartridge failed to explode and his attempt at suicide proved ineffectual. He recently stabbed himself with a table fork, the tines of which penetrated his body dangerously near the heart, and the doctors had hard work to save his life. He is 28 years old and lives with his brother. He has been in poor health for some time and will be taken to an asylum.

These statements printed on short notice at the News office.

While in Chicago, Mr. Charles L. Kahler, a prominent shoe merchant of Des Moines, Iowa, had quite a serious time of it. He took such a severe cold that he could hardly talk or navigate, but the prompt use of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cured him of his cold so quickly that others at the hotel who had had colds followed his example and half a dozen persons ordered it from the nearest drug store. They were profuse in their thanks to Mr. Kahler for telling them how to cure a bad cold so quickly. For sale by L. A. Burrows.

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