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MEASURE TO SOCIETY

Editor Daily News—It has cost the American Government \$14,000,000 to enforce prohibition. Through its enforcement they have saved \$2,000,000,000, a very fair return that gives back \$140 for every dollar expended.

In B.C. we have closed four provincial jails and the number of inmates in the penitentiary is the lowest on record. We have gained financially and morally through prohibition. More than that we have become socially conscious and are learning that it pays all round to give the other fellow a chance.

These are some of the arguments that are leading thoughtful men to say, as one man said to me: "Last time I voted against prohibition, but I have studied the question thoughtfully since then and now I feel that no man has a right to indulge himself when his act is such a grave menace to society." H. B. GRANT.

MODERATIONISTS CANNOT CONTROL

Editor Daily News—It is foolish for the Moderation League to tell us that the Government can control the drink traffic. The B.C. Government cannot prevent importation and the recent outbreak of drink convictions is due to the fact that the Federal Government lifted the wartime act prohibiting importation from one province to another. The figures since Prohibition was adopted by the Province and before this inter-provincial traffic was restarted show a tremendous falling off in crime. This is the reason the Moderation Party do not use the figures of 1918 and 1919.

Stop importation

In the event of Prohibition being sustained next Wednesday the B.C. Government is pledged to ask the Federal Government to give us the right to vote on importation and the Federal Government must give us that right. The Moderation Party does not include this in their platform, nor do they want it. To vote for "Moderation"—and what a word—is to vote for the sale, but not the control of liquor.

Prohibition alone can control and even that will not control fully until importation is stopped. BONE DRY.

JOHN BARLEYCORN'S VIEWS

Editor Daily News—"In answer to Ernest H. Hall, M.D." Your interesting and thrilling little story of October 14 was read and appreciated, but it lacked a title, a moral and mainly—a few truths. It seemed to savor of the pulpit rather than business man and M.D.

No man who has the right kind of home, the right kind of wife and children, would ever stoop to drink the lowly cocktail, if it bully, devoid of all decency—returned him into a wife beating specially so, if he was a good provider, clever, capable, considerate and affectionate. It somehow seems a paradox to me.

Now for a few "home grown" statistics noticed "en passant." I have seen more bestial drunkenness in Charlottetown, P.E.I.; Sydney, Glace Bay, New Glasgow, Yarmouth—all of Nova Scotia (and all "Scott Act" for many years)—in a week than I ever saw in the following "wet" towns which averaged more bars per capita than probably any cities in North America: Montreal, Louisville, Ky., New Orleans, La.

In a ten day trip to Jackson, Ky., where there are seven or eight open bars and white "moonshine" fresh from the still selling at fifty cents per quart in the side streets, I never saw a drunken man among the fifteen hundred or two thousand population.

St. Anne de Bellevue, with five open bars—and when I say open I mean from 12 p.m. Saturday night to 12 p.m. Saturday night—and a population of less than five thousand—I never saw an inhabitant of that town under the influence. True I have seen some summer visitors fairly well "jazzed," but on enquiry found they were from dry Ontario.

No, Mr. Ernest A. Hall, M.D., you have not gone deeply enough into the subject to voice your fledgling literary views with the assurance of truth that carries conviction. You have lapped the cream fed you by the satellites of Pussyfoot Johnston.

Any man who wishes to be callous, to lack compassion, sym-

pathy and all human traits must have some alibi, else humanity would revolt. And if you delve a little deeper on your own account and not partake of temperance tracts without at least a shake of salt, you shall find that the man himself is to blame and not JOHN BARLEYCORN.

DOWN ON FARM IS A GREAT PICTURE

Mack Sennett's Masterpiece, a Five Act Comedy shown Again Tonight

Everyone was delighted with the Mack Sennett five act comedy, "Down on the Farm," at the Westholme last night. It was a scream. There were a number of farm animals and birds taking part and it is safe to say there never before was anything like it.

"Down on the Farm" is an exceptional feature and it goes out to the world along with the productions of such artists as Mary Pickford, Charlie Chaplin, Douglas Fairbanks and D. W. Griffiths. It is a real feature and one of the funniest that has been seen here for a year and a day.

FISH IS WAITING ARRIVAL OF CARS

There are 175,000 pounds of Fish Listed on Board at Fish Exchange for Sale Today

The fish sale is being held over until this afternoon pending the arrival of refrigerator cars from the East. None of the boats, it is expected, will leave port for there are seven cars reported to be arriving.

The following is the list on the board at the Fish Exchange: Swiftsure, 24,000; Volunteer, 7,000; Uranak, 10,000; Bringold, 4,000; Vesta, 8,000; Teddy J., 16,000; Omaney, 55,000; T. and W., 20,000; Eagle, 4,000; Kinmount, 3,000; Daisy, 2,500; Shrub, 6,000; Thelma, 9,000, and DeGreen, 5,000 pounds.

DIED THIS MORNING

John Melvin of Swanson Bay Passed Away at Hospital

John Melvin, a native of Eri-town, Ontario, died this morning at the Prince Rupert General Hospital. He was 27 years of age and had been employed at the pulp mill at Swanson Bay. He came here in June, entering the hospital on the thirtieth of that month.

A sister of deceased, Mrs. Taylor, lives at Winnipeg. He is a Mason and the B.C. Undertakers have charge of arrangements.

SULPHUR FOR FALLS

VANCOUVER, Oct. 15.—The steamer Agnes Dollar is on her way to Ocean Falls with a big shipment of sulphur.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Olier Besner went east on this morning's train.

B. F. Stanwood left on the Princess Alice last night on his way to California.

Owing to Monday being Thanksgiving Day no paper will be issued until Tuesday next.

The Rink Dance held last evening was the usual enjoyable affair and a good crowd was out.

J. O. Stenbratom, foreman at the Royal Group, Alice Arm, is registered at the Hotel Prince Rupert.

D. C. Melae, A. Finnie and Thos. McMeekin are leaving tomorrow morning for a week's hunting trip to Porcher Island.

Richard Moore, local manager for P. Burns & Co., left on a business trip to Hazelton and Burps Lake on this morning's train.

City Solicitor T. B. Hooper returned this morning on the Prince John after attending the recent liquor retrials and also the convention of B. C. Municipalities at Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Large and Miss Helen Harrison left on the Alice last night for the south en route to Hong Kong where Mr. Large expects to go into business. The taxi business has been taken over by John Bulzak.

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