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THE DISPENSARY, FOR MORALS OR PROFIT?

With the approaching election to be held in its city, the Asheville Gazette-News, is editorially asking the question of its readers, why is the Dispensary wanted, and will it prove a benefit, and is it wanted upon moral grounds.

The Journal does not believe that its esteemed contemporary advocates the saloon, therefore these questions, but rather that it is striving to see if the change from the saloon to the dispensary means better morals, along temperance lines.

So far as the Journal is able to judge from seeing, hearing and reading of the dispensary, it is everything but a moral institution, and wherever it has been established the merit of its profit making has been the all important feature. In other words, the dispensary is a money maker which makes every citizen and tax payer where it is run, individual beneficiaries in its success, which means increased sales, while from a moral standpoint the fact that it affords no loafing place where drinkers may assemble and treat, is the chief argument employed in its favor.

The dispensary makes money is seen wherever one is run. That it promotes temperance in the matter of less liquor being consumed is doubtful. That it has ever promoted anything but graft and greed, and these most successfully as seen as the sales increase, and the "good thing" to be connected with it in official capacity is more and more realized, to secure from it profit, in pecuniary benefits or its influence, politically.

The dispensary is not and never will be a discouragement to drinkers. Its hours are long enough and its quantity of sales are sufficient to provide against theft, while the quantity always on sale provokes and increases the consumption of liquor.

The Journal does not know the saloon status in Asheville, but unless it is worse than it is in most cities, the dispensary substitution upon temperance and moral grounds, means swapping evil for evil. But then the question of evil, in its disguise is a matter of community preference. But why talk morals and temperance, then accept money for liquor sales, whether it be through the saloon or dispensary?

SOFTNESS OF SEALSKIN.

Is Hivaled by Human Hair Where Dandruff is Eliminated.

Sealskin is admired the world over for its softness and glossiness; and yet the human hair is equally as soft and glossy when healthy; and the radical cause of all hair troubles is dandruff, which is caused by a parasitic parasite that eats the vitality of the hair at its root. Newbro's Herpicide is the only preparation that is fatal to the dandruff germ. Without dandruff there is no falling hair, but a luxuriant growth of glossy, soft hair is certain. Scouring the scalp won't cure dandruff. Kill the dandruff germ. Thousands of women owe their beautiful locks of hair to Newbro's Herpicide. Sold by leading druggists. Send 5c in stamps to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

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Didn't Read Money.

Dixon—How is your artist friend getting along in New York? Tomson—Oh, splendidly! Dixon—Have you heard from him? Tomson—No; that's the reason I know he's prospering.—Detroit Free Press.

Franchise is the activity of today and the assurance of tomorrow.—Eversett.

Strikes Hidden Rocks.

When your ship of health strikes the hidden rocks of Consumption, Pneumonia, etc., you are lost, if you don't get help from Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. J. W. McKinnon of Tallapoosa Springs, Ala., writes: "I had been very ill with Consumption, under the care of two doctors, but was getting no better when I began to take Dr. King's New Discovery. The first day I was better, and the next day I was cured, and now I am well and strong."

A HAPPY MOTHER. Wine of Cardui. Before my baby was born I was in great misery. I was unable to do anything but lie in bed. I began to take Wine of Cardui, which had been recommended to me. I felt much better. In fact I feel that if it had not been for this medicine I would not have been strong enough to live through childbirth. But that is not all. I feel that it has done more for me than any other medicine. It has given me strength for the four months before baby came. Wine of Cardui restores my health as I took it two months afterward. I cannot speak too highly of Wine of Cardui and I am glad to see it is so successful. Mrs. L. B. Wood, Tusculum, Young Men's Cure.

CHANGE OF SUPERINTENDENTS.

Former Superintendent Lyman Shepard Discharged by the Electric Light and Water Commission.

At the last meeting of the Electric Light and Water Works Commission, Lyman Shepard who has been superintendent for a few months was discharged and Mr. Sam Rothrock, an expert electrician installed temporarily in his place.

The complaint given for the discharge was his conduct before the commission on Monday night when he attacked Mr. Wolsky and for his abusive language. Mr. Rothrock took the position immediately and will remain until a permanent superintendent can be secured.

Wood's Seeds. New Era Cow Peas. are rightly named. They are the best of Cow Peas, whether for northern, western or southern planting. They are early to mature, upright in growth, copiously productive, both of vines and peas, and are altogether the most satisfactory and sure croppers grown. We are headquarters for Cow Peas; had over forty different varieties in our exhibit at St. Louis, on which we were awarded the Grand Prize. Wood's Descriptive Catalogue gives the fullest information about Cow Peas and all Garden and Farm Seeds. Write for it and special price list of Farm Seeds. It's mailed free for the asking. T. W. Wood & Sons, Seedsmen, Richmond, Virginia.

Brother Against Brother.

"Brother against brother" is a melodrama teeming with elaborate scenic effects and thrilling situations leading to a series of startling climaxes and it never was presented with greater force and consistent regard to the requirements of the play than by the Edwall-Winthropes' Stock Company which will appear at the New Masonic Theatre, five nights commencing Monday March 20th. In addition to its virtues as a play the role of Lazama (a slick Jew) affords ample opportunity to Mr. Edwall for the display of those qualities in his art and personality that have made him one of the most popular among the younger generation of American comedians.

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"Maid Muller."

A play with a heart steady, tender, sympathetic, romantic, yet confident, is "Maid Muller," which, owing to its past great popularity is being revived this season, and will be the next attraction at the New Masonic Theatre Thursday March 16th.

This beautiful drama is founded upon the dearest loved poem by Whittier, whose "Maid Muller" struck the tender chord with us, while the judge rode by, never to return, but the clever jinx of E. A. Allen the well known dramatic brings him back, and makes this little poem the foundation for the most beautiful, heart-rending, pictured play ever written. Full of pathos and mystery, with a mingling of natural and artificial.

Added by handsome scenery, beautiful costumes, and a number of the best players, including the popular Mr. Wolsky, the play is a masterpiece.

Starling Society.

The Starling Society, a new and interesting organization, will meet at the New Masonic Theatre, Thursday, March 16th, at 8 o'clock.

THE WARD LAW.

A Bill to be Entitled an Act to Amend Chapter 233 of the Public Laws of 1903.

Regulating the Manufacture and Sale of Liquors in North Carolina.

The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:

Section 1. That section 1, chapter 233 of the Public Laws of 1903 be amended by striking out the word "manufacture" in line two thereof, and that said chapter and section be further amended by striking out the words "or manufacture" in line five thereof, and that said chapter and section be further amended by adding after the words "special statute" in line seven of said section the following: "It shall be unlawful for any person or persons, firm or corporation to manufacture vinous or malt liquors, or intoxicating bitters within the State of North Carolina, except in incorporated cities and towns having not less than one thousand population, wherein the manufacture of liquor is not, or may not hereafter, be prohibited by law or regulated by special statute."

Sec. 2. That section 4 of chapter 233 of the Public Laws of 1903 be amended by inserting after the word "manufacture" in line two thereof the words "or rectification."

Sec. 3. That section 19 of said chapter be amended by striking out the words "manufacture and" in lines two and three thereof, and inserting at the end thereof, the following: "That nothing in this act shall be construed to repeal, alter or amend any special act prohibiting or regulating the manufacture of liquors in any incorporated city or town having not less than one thousand population."

Sec. 4. That chapter 233 of the Public Laws of 1903 be further amended by adding after section 19 the following, numbered as "section twenty": "That every incorporated city or town in which spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or intoxicating bitters are permitted to be sold or manufactured under the provisions of this act shall maintain a town or city government, as provided in its charter of incorporation, and a police force of not less than two policemen; and it shall be the duty of some member of said police force to visit each place where liquor is sold or manufactured in said city or town at least once every week and make a careful and thorough inspection and examination thereof, with a view of ascertaining whether the laws regulating the manufacture and sale of liquor are observed and obeyed, and whether the said business is conducted in an orderly and lawful manner, and to make a written report setting forth the result of said visitation to the mayor and board of aldermen, or other governing authorities, of said city or town, which report, or several reports, the mayor shall deliver to the solicitor of the district or before the assembling of the ensuing term of the Superior Court of the county in which said town or city is situated; and in case such town or city shall fail to maintain a city government or provide the police force, investigations and report herein prescribed, the board of commissioners of the county in which the same is situated may revoke and cancel the license and permission authorizing the sale and manufacture of liquor in said town or city."

Sec. 5. That said chapter 233 of the Public Laws of 1903 be further amended by adding thereto another section, after the preceding section, to be numbered "section twenty-one," as follows: "That the possession of, or issuance by any person, firm or corporation of a license to manufacture, rectify or sell, at wholesale or retail, spirituous or malt liquors by the United States government or any officer thereof, in any county, city or town where the manufacture, sale or rectification of spirituous or malt liquors is forbidden by the laws of this State, shall be prima facie evidence that the person, firm or corporation having such license or to whom the same was issued, is guilty of doing the act permitted by the said license, in violation of the laws of this State."

Sec. 6. That chapter 233 of the Public Laws of 1903 be further amended by changing the figures "20" in line 1, section 20 thereof, to the figures "22."

Sec. 7. That all laws and clauses of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed: Provided, that nothing in this act shall be construed to repeal, alter or amend any of the provisions of chapter 233, Public Laws 1903 known as the "Watts Bill," relative to the manufacture or sale of cider, wine or brandy, but same shall remain in full force.

Sec. 8. That this act shall take effect from and after the first day of January A. D. 1905.

Incredible Brutality.

It would have been incredible brutality if Chas. F. Lumborg, of Syracuse, N. Y., had not done the best he could for his suffering son. "My boy," he says, "had a fearful pain over his eye, so I applied Rankin's Anodyne Salve, which quickly relieved it, and saved his eye." Good for burns and blisters too. Only 25 cents for all druggists.

Notice to Merchants.

By order of the Board of Commissioners all merchants and others who are liable for excise tax on liquor sold and consumed in this State, are notified to pay the same to the Treasurer of the State, at Raleigh, N. C., on or before the first day of April, 1905.

Police Court News.

Ex-Superintendent of the electric light and water works plant Lyman Shepard was before the Mayor for assault upon Mr. Wolsky representative of the P. W. Wayne Electric Co., and whose electrical manufacturing concerns he held guilty and was fined five dollars, costs and damages making a total of \$6.50.

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Mules. From St. Louis that was ever offered for sale in Eastern North Carolina, and have also just received a fine lot of HORSES, which means that there are good bargains for those who want to purchase good heavy Mules and nice Horses at as low prices as they can be sold in any market in this State, so everybody call and look for yourself.

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