

**Campaign Organ.**

At the solicitation of many friends, we intend from and after this week, to issue the Organ as a Campaign paper to those who do not desire to be with us for a year. We know there are many who will only patronize a paper during an exciting canvass, and it is this class of readers that we desire to reach. Let every active temperance man do his duty in circulating the Campaign Organ, as we intend to lay on and spare not. We shall expose the enormities of the liquor traffic, and the evils resulting therefrom. The opponents of our cause, be they whom they may, will be handled without gloves.

Our terms are as low as can be afforded. All clubs must be sent to our address.

**Terms.**

Single Copies.....50 cents.  
Ten copies.....\$4.00.  
Twenty copies and over, each.....30 cents.  
The paper will be sent until the October election.

**Acknowledgments.**

UP TO WEDNESDAY.

Our friends are beginning again to exert themselves in the spread of temperance doctrine. Preparations are being made in many counties for an extensive circulation of the Organ during the campaign. One Division has already ordered \$25 worth of the Campaign Organ for gratuitous circulation; which they consider a good investment, as they anticipate a very considerable accession to their numbers by the influence that the Organ will exert. There are many other Divisions that would be greatly benefited, and made to prosper by a similar investment. Let the ball roll on.

Bro. A. G. Elliott, Adamsville, O., \$3 for Organ and Tracts. The brother gives us some cheering words, which we would like to insert. We feel just as you do, brother, about this matter. But it will all end right.

Peatly Ayer, R. S., Painesville Division, No. 24, \$8 for Campaign Organ. One hundred copies should be circulated in Lake county. We hope some of our good brethren will exert themselves to this end.

Bro. J. Barringer, Hanging Rock, Lawrence co., \$25 for Organ. This is a good list of patrons, and speaks well for the temperance men of Lawrence.

Bro. D. W. Grear, ———, \$3 for Organ.

Bro. G. T. Myers, Plymouth, O., \$5 for Campaign Tracts. The brother says, they have formed an Alliance, but that it is an up-hill business, but hopes, by circulating the "Documents," a better state of affairs will soon exist. This is the right course—but 50 or 100 copies of the Campaign Organ should also be circulated. Try it, brethren.

Bro. S. Emery, Maumee City, O., \$8 for Campaign Organ. The brother says, "temperance flat down" with them. Rather a bad state of affairs for so prosperous a place as Maumee City. Hope to hear a better account ere long.

Bro. Wm. Hopwood, city, for C. S. Miller, Spartansburgh, Pa., \$1 50 for Organ.

Bro. T. F. M'Ailen, East Liberty, \$12 for Constitutions. Of the state of the cause, the brother says: "The cause is prospering in this place. Our Division is also prospering in this place. We have a fair prospect of sending King Alcohol to the shades of darkness, where he properly belongs, and hope he may never be permitted to return to our village, or to any place in our beloved country."

Bro J. C. Reynolds, Carroll, O. \$2 for Organ.

Bro. W. H. Dempster, Tabor, Tuscarawas co., O., \$1 for Organ

When Santa Anna was on his way to Mexico he called at Havana and had a secret consultation with the Captain General of Cuba, and since then it is announced that he has applied to Spain for troops to aid in suppressing a filibuster expedition from the United States. Putting all the facts together relative to Santa Anna's movements, there is ground for supposing an alliance to be on foot between Mexico and Spain, intended as a mutual and co-ordinate protection of Mexico and Cuba, such as should be regarded with extreme suspicion by the United States.

\* \* The Bill for the Niagara Ship Canal, has been defeated in the N. S. Assembly by the close vote of 50 to 48.

**Morgan County, O**

The friends of the cause in this county, held a very interesting meeting on the 13th ult., in the Hall of Malta Division. Strong ground was taken against the miserable attempt at a law, manufactured, without any outside assistance, by the late Ohio State Legislature; because it is not suited to the wants of the people, and because it is not the law demanded at their hands, by 250,000 intelligent men and women. The following resolutions, were severally and unanimously adopted:

*Resolved*, That we view with gratification, and feel that it is a matter of great encouragement, that the cause of temperance, at the present time in our own county and throughout the country, has attained that prominence never before reached.

*Resolved*, That we, to be consistent temperance men, should, upon every proper occasion, so exercise the elective franchise that it will tell to the advancement of the temperance cause.

*Resolved*, That our confidence remains unshaken in the fundamental principles of the Maine Liquor Law, and we do pledge ourselves that we will not rest from our efforts, until its principles become embodied in a law of our own much beloved State.

*Resolved*, That we feel it our duty to support men for legislative and State offices, who are known and pledged to be in favor of prohibitory laws, suppressing entirely, the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors as a beverage.

*Resolved*, That ten delegates be appointed by this Council, to attend the mass temperance convention, to meet in Columbus, on the 29th day of June next.

*Resolved*, That a central committee of nine, be appointed for this county, whose duty it shall be, to collect funds, procure and distribute temperance documents, confer with the State central committee, &c.

Morgan County is "right side up," and we hope she may long remain so. Brethren, let your light so shine, that others may see and learn the ways of total abstinence. Disseminate intelligence among the people, either by lectures or tracts; any way, so that the work is done. Do your duty, and your reward will be great.

**Vermont Maine Law.**

The Springfield (Vt.) Telegraph says, that seizures and arrests, under the new liquor law, are more numerous than ever. There is no use in trying to give a journal of them. We now have, says the Telegraph, a liquor law, about which there is no complaint of its being 'a dead letter'—broke the rum tap so short off, that even the fingers of avarice cannot pull it out; nor can the striped-pig root under its foundation. We estimate that in the year 1853, this law will save Vermont, about one Lake Champlain of tears, seven double car-loads of taxes, and sin enough to materially lessen the work at the day of judgment.

The amount of money expended by the Portland people for rum, annually, before the Maine law, in three hundred grog shops, was \$328,500! That was the rum tax of that city. At the same time, the school tax is only \$20,00; the tax for streets and sidewalks, \$20,000; and the whole tax for all corporate expenses, only about \$100,000—but the rum tax was \$328,500!

For the Ohio Organ.

**Preparations for State Convention.**

At a meeting of the citizens of Columbus, held at the city hall on Monday evening the 13th inst., Dr. JOHN DAWSON was called to the chair, and S. B. HANNUM appointed Secretary.

On motion, a committee of five were appointed to report resolutions, expressive of the sense of the meeting, who, after retiring, reported the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted; to-wit:

*Resolved*, That we extend a hearty invitation to all the friends of temperance, throughout the State or elsewhere, to attend the mass convention on the 29th and 30th days of June inst., and that we will cheerfully welcome and entertain all who may favor us with their presence, to the utmost extent of our ability.

*Resolved*, That we will, collectively and individually, devote so much of our time and labor as seems to be necessary, in order to make all needful preparations for the reception and entertainment of the members of the convention; and we will contribute all in our power, to make it a pleasant meeting to our friends from a distance, and subservient to the great cause in which we are engaged.

*Resolved*, That this meeting will appoint a committee of arrangements to consist of thirty, and that said committee be requested,

1st. To take measures to have the city thoroughly canvassed, in order to ascertain who will entertain visitors, and how many can thus be entertained, and report the same as early as practicable, to the reception committee.

2. To make arrangements for the suitable reception and entertainment of the Hon. NEAL DOW, and other distinguished friends of the cause from abroad, who may honor us with their presence.

3. To provide places for meetings to be held on the evenings of Tuesday the 28th, and Wednesday the 29th instant, as well as for a mass meeting during the day-time, on the 29th and 30th.

4. To appoint a finance committee, whose duty shall be to solicit funds and make provision for the payment of the necessary expenses.

5. Generally to do whatever in their opinion, will be necessary or expedient, in order to render the assembling of the convention and its various sessions, during its continuance, pleasant and profitable.

*Resolved*, That a committee of ten be appointed, to make such preparations on the public grounds in Goodale park, by the erection of platforms for the speakers and seats for the audience, as shall be deemed advisable on consultation with the committee of arrangements.

*Resolved*, That a committee of reception, be also appointed by this meeting, whose duty it shall be, to receive the members of the convention as they may arrive, and assign them to their quarters as far as possible.

*Resolved*, That a committee of five persons be now appointed, to consult with the teachers of schools, sabbath-schools and parents, and if deemed advisable, provide for a sabbath-school and cold-water army delegation from the children of this city and surrounding country, and that such delegation be assigned a conspicuous place in the procession and arrangements, for the second day of the celebration.

*Resolved*, That all the papers in this city, and elsewhere throughout the State, be requested to publish these proceedings, at an early a day as practicable.

\* \* At Nottingham, Eng., they are manufacturing a beautiful fabric of lace for windows, bed curtains, &c. of iron wire.

From the Chicago Tribune.

**Temperance Movements.**

On Wednesday evening there was no public assemblage, but the National, Grand and Subordinate Divisions of the Sons of Temperance met at the Hall of the latter, where many short and interesting addresses were delivered by different representatives from several of the States and British Provinces. The delegates from Maine were frequently called out, as the greatest anxiety was felt respecting the operation of the prohibitory law of that State.

The most cheering intelligence in relation to the cause, was given by the delegates from both Maine and Vermont, and Hon. Neal Dow being appealed to, stated that *there was not a distillery or an open grogshop in the State of Maine.*

The representatives from Michigan expressed the most sanguine expectations that the "Maine Law" will be ratified by the vote of the people, on the 29th inst., by a very large majority.

On yesterday afternoon a procession, composed of the members of the National Division, the Grand Division of this State, Radiant Temple of Honor of this city, and Chicago Division S. of T. preceded by a fine band of music, marched through several of the streets to Dearborn Park, where seats had been prepared and a large stage erected.

Hon. J. B. O'Neale, of S. C., M. W. P., of the Sons of Temperance of North America, made the opening speech—an able and interesting address was followed by Gen. S. F. Cary, of Cincinnati, in one of his most masterly efforts. For two hours he kept the audience chained in almost breathless attention, and in the language of one present; by no means a warm advocate of temperance, "it was the most powerfully convincing address ever uttered here, worthy of an audience of ten thousand, and a master piece of both logic and eloquence."

His speech was a complete vindication of the expediency, morality and constitutionality of the principle of the Maine Law; every objection was weighed and answered, if not annihilated by the withering sarcasm to which he at times gave utterance. It was an address that will not soon be forgotten by those who heard it, and those of our thousands who did not, can console themselves with the reflection, that, independent of the importance of the subject, they have missed one of the greatest intellectual treats that for a long time has been presented to them.

At the conclusion of his remarks, he requested all in favor of the measure advocated to rise, when apparently the entire audience, men and women, rose to their feet, and when the believers in the opposite sentiment were called on to manifest themselves, one solitary youth appeared.

At the City Hall, last night, a densely crowded house listened with enthusiastic attention to Mr. Dow, as he detailed the history and operations of the Maine Law, and a much larger body came and went away, unable to gain admittance.

When Mr. Dow closed, Gen. Cary was loudly and continually called for, who kept the audience until a late hour, and was then hardly permitted to close. He will most probably appear again this evening.

James T. Drum has retired from liquor business, in consequence of the uncertainty of the license question. His occupation's gone. He is no longer the "spirit stirring drum" spoken of by Shakespeare.

\* \* Twenty-two cows and six oxen were lately bitten at the Dutch settlement near Chicago.