Anti-Saloon League Headquarters in Columbus

Anti-Saloon League’s Influence Grows

Founded in 1893 by Rev. H. H. Russell at Oberlin College, the Ohio Anti-Saloon League is credited with being the first nonpartisan, single-issue interest group in modern American politics. The multiplication of Russell’s “Ohio plan” in other states led to the creation of a national body by 1895. The motto of the League is “The Saloon Must Go.” The Ohio League has been working diligently out of its Columbus headquarters to push the Ohio General Assembly to pass legislation making Ohio a dry state. By contributing financial support to “dry” candidates they hope to be able to secure a majority of like-minded legislators in the General Assembly. Extensive propaganda has emphasized several themes. One of the primary ones is the debilitating effect that alcohol has on families. It has especially pointed out how the brewery and saloon operators conspire to entrap the youth of the country into a habit of alcohol consumption in order to satisfy their own greed. It is often pointed out that the path to alcoholism is a slippery slope that can start with being a “social drinker” and progressing to where the individual is a regular visitor to the local tavern. The League is appealing to local churches to carry its message to the people. Locally this has proved to be very successful. While it is true that Americans consume more alcohol per person than any other country on earth, will we be able to find the strength to ban “decent run” from this great land for the good of ourselves and our posterity?

Santiago Captured!

Sensing that the battle for Santiago was hopeless against mounting US pressure, the Spanish government ordered Admiral Pascual Cervera to evacuate. On July 3, Cervera tried to escape the harbor. A waiting American squadron destroyed his entire fleet. On July 16, the commander of the Spanish ground forces in Santiago surrendered. At about the same time an American army landed in Puerto Rico and occupied it against virtually no opposition. This may mean that the war will be quickly coming to an end, and with the US victorious.

Columbus Markets

Corrected every Tuesday morning

Paying

Hay per ton.......................... 6.00
Clover seed per bu.................. 4.89
Corn in ear.......................... 36
Corn shelled, 56 lbs.............. 45
Oats per bu.......................... 25
New wheat per bu.................. 64
Rye per bu.......................... 45
Bran.................................. 80
Potatoes per bu...................... 50

Selling

Flour per sack of 49 lbs............. 1.15
Corn Meal per cwt.................... 90
Chop " " " " " .................. 90
Middling " " " " " .................. 85
Bran " " " " " .................. 80
Oil Meal " " " " " .................. 1.35

His wife in silence listened with a crimson burning cheek. She blamed herself that in the past she had been so mild and meek. Too long, she felt, she’d been content with her opinions second hand. The truth she would find out for herself with brains to understand. Her sovereign lord had treated her as if devoid of wit. Henceforth she’d show that woman’s will could rise in woman’s “grit”. She read the papers, which before had been neglected news. Soon she had reason to rejoice on broad and larger views. She studied McKinley’s message over with analytic brain, and pondered the ideas of Bryan. ‘Twas time well spent she felt with pride. No man could now with vain conceit mock her in his sight. Her tongue was loosened in elegant debate, proving that courage from conviction could never come too late. Enthusiastic in her zeal, she never lagged behind, but pondered well the questions in her mind. She asked herself oft many times, why women had been fools in not gaining needed knowledge. She founded on substantial base an intellectual club, which men dared not, by word or deed, condescendingly snub.

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Telegraphic Advertiser

Important advertising of needful things. News by telegraphic means while it is current. Right thinking ideas.

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By Mrs. W.W. Andrews of Cincinnati

“I have heard so much of Tariff, Protection, and Free Trade. Tell me, my husband, what they mean?” A little woman said. He puffed his cigar afresh and gazed up from his book, and gently scanned his wife with a condescending look. Thus he spoke, “These abstruse things a woman soon will find are questions quite unsuited for her narrow breadth of mind. You want to know what a Tariff is? Well, as far as you should see, it is the abject duty which you plainly owe to me. As a man of sense and tact I claim this from my wife, and if submissive you can have Protection during life. All our ‘infant’ industries belong to women’s work, which no other occupation should tempt her ever to shirk. Another thing I long have known, in every social grade, that women among themselves make ‘Gossip’ a Free Trade.

In your hungry husbands, Consumers can be found, for all of the Home Productions which women can compound. For if her apple pie is good, he will not grudge the bliss of giving her, from time to time, the tariff’d a kiss.”

The Coming Woman

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All of the women felt, by her good deeds, their individual strength. Men also were convinced and acknowledged it at length. Within each woman’s heart and brain lie dormant every power of Thought and Feeling to impress the progress of the hour. Women should not be laggards in the race. For Intellect, you soon will find, lends dignity and grace. A toast to the Coming Woman: may she live and prosper long. May all her tears be turned to smiles, that Right has conquered Wrong.

Local News Items

The Grimm brothers attended a 6 o’clock dinner at Worthington Tuesday given by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright in honor of a number of guests from Circleville. Mr. Wright presented his usual after dinner speech on “McKinley prosperity, or how the Wall Street shark can manipulate the money market so as to make a gold dollar worth two silver dollars”. We are not sure how this was received in the piping times of peace and prosperity (?). We should ask one of the Grimm brothers.

Mrs. Ada Huffman had some of her freshly baked delicious oatmeal apple cinnamon cookies cooling in her window when several of them disappeared. Mr. Les Grimm was seen in the area shortly before the disappearance occurred.

She Ate Spiders
Des Moines, la.—Cora Smith who murdered her blind father, Mike Smith, in Des Moines in 1894, by putting rat poison in his coffee, committed suicide at the Anamosa Penitentiary by eating spiders. She was serving a life sentence, with her mother, Betsy Smith, for the crime. A paper bag of spiders was found in her cell after her death and a post-mortem examination revealed the insects in her stomach.

Ohio News Items

Gathered by telegraph from all parts of the state.

Lowell—Mr. R.T. Archer, a farmer, was in the city to receive treatment from Dr. Gallagher for a badly injured eye. While Mr. Archer was cutting hedges a large thorn struck the optic and penetrated to a considerable depth. The eyeball was badly torn and a portion of the contents escaped. The injury was a serious one, but it is thought the sight will not be totally destroyed.

Marietta—The city council ordered the removal of a carcass of a dog which Mrs. George Lincoln recently buried on her lot. The dog had suffered apoplexy and she had hired a veterinary surgeon, doctor and nurse to attend it. When it died a casket was bought and laid to rest in the family lot. The expenses connected with the illness and death are reported to have been more than $200. Mrs. Lincoln has refused to remove the remains, and has declared she will take the issue before the courts to decide.

Excursion to Toledo
Perrysburg—First Sunday Excursion of the Season. The Ohio Central Lines will sell excursion tickets to Toledo and return at very low rates. For full particulars, attractions, etc. see hand bills or Agents of Ohio Central Lines.
Ohioans Arrive in Cuba!

On July 11 the 8th Ohio Infantry landed in Cuba to do their part in the current conflict with Spain. The 8th is an Ohio National Guard regiment mustered into service in May of this year at Camp Bushnell in Columbus. Men in the regiment are from northern Ohio, predominantly Ashland, Holmes, Medina, Richland, Wayne and Stark Counties. The 8th Ohio is nicknamed “McKinley’s Own” or “The President’s Own” because three companies are from President McKinley’s hometown of Canton. We wish these boys the best as they do our state proud in this endeavor.

American House Hotel
For Men and Women travelers. Rates $1 to $2 per night. One meal and all conveniences included.

J. Fred Schmidt's
Meat Packing House
240 E. Kossuth Street in German Village.

Observations of a Common Man

A man is judged a good deal by his laugh.
It may be wrong, but nevertheless, everybody admires a real slick swindler.
Some very low-lived men in this world make their living selling Bibles.
Folks are a good deal more apt to make their friends tired by visiting too long than by not staying long enough.
A man can never dress up slick enough so that his wife won’t find something to brush.
A woman who raises her flowers by rule, has just about the same kind of luck as the one who cooks by rule. Lots of theory and no flowers.
Gahanna has plenty of rattle snakes this season; or at the least, snake story tellers.
Some people are so busy criticizing what others do, that they get nothing else done.
The meanest man on earth is the one who won’t fight except when he can get his adversary at a disadvantage.
Whenever a man gets up in meeting and says he doesn’t intend to make a speech, we begin to look for the door.
Frequently, the man who asks how much he owes you, knows in advance that he is paid ahead.
Lots of people are so everlastinglly particular about what they want that they never have anything.

Railroads

Union Station, Columbus, O
Pennsylvania Lines Trains run by Central time. Daily except Sundays. Ticket offices at the Station and at 333 N. High St. Columbus.

Royal Blue Route
Ticket Office at 73 N. High St.

The Columbus Sandusky-Hocking Railroad Co.
City ticket office at 83 N. High St., Columbus

CA&C Between Columbus, Akron, and Cleveland. City ticket office at 83 N. High Street.

The Columbus Hocking Valley and Toledo Railway Ticket Offices at the Hotel Chittenden and Union Station.

Bank of Ohio Ohio Village Transact general banking business and selling notes and bills of exchange. Money loaned on satisfactory collateral, mortgage or personal security. Interest at 4 per cent paid on all savings deposits, interest credited annually.

Your business solicited
Safety deposit boxes situated in our vault at $1.50 per year.

Murphy’s Lodging House
Rooms for rent at 75 cents per day for men and women of good character. Reserve a time for showing anytime during daylight hours. No board available. Baths are available on the first Saturday of each month, cost is 15 cents and must be reserved twenty-four hours in advance.

McKeens’s Apparel
Next to The Village Bakery Shop on First Street.

Photographs -in the Finest Style of the Art, at-
J. Holbrook, THE LEADING PHOTOGRAPHER.
Ground Floor Gallery CONVENIENTLY LOCATED IN OHIO VILLAGE PHARMACY
Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star

Twinkle, twinkle, little star;
How I wonder what you are!
Up above the world so high,
Like a diamond in the sky.

When the glorious sun is set,
When the grass with dew is wet,
Then you show your little light,
Twinkle, twinkle, all the night.

In the dark blue sky you keep,
And often through my curtains peep;
For you never shut your eye,
Till the sun is in the sky.

As your bright and tiny spark
Lights the traveler in the dark,
Thought I know not what you are,
Twinkle, twinkle, little star.

―Poetry for Children, Samuel Eliot, 18

Want Ads

Under the head of Want Ads, we will hereafter publish advertisements, not exceeding five lines, for 25 cents for two insertions.

To submit an advertisement for this column, please call or write to the Telegraphic Advertiser office, #2 Second Street, Ohio Village, during normal business hours.

Attention—Handyman available for hire. Assorted handiwork done including woodwork, mechanical repairs, especially painting. Contact Mr. Henry Patterson directly or leave word at the office of the Telegraphic Advertiser.


Wanted—A purchaser for a fine Good Cooking Stove—almost new—large enough for any ordinary sized family—has been used only a short time, and is one of the best stoves for baking purposes now made. Inquire at 142 N. High Street.

Wanted—Used phonograph in good condition. Will pay good fair price. See Henry Klostermann in the newspaper office.

The ultimate cure for any Catarrh:
Head, Lungs, Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Bladder, and the Pelvic region.
Even "systemic" catarrh. Hundreds of testimonials available, testifying to the "rosy glow of health" produced by Peruna.
Now available at the Ohio Village Pharmacy.

Barrymore Funeral Parlor
E. 3rd St & N. Main St
Ohio Village, O.

A Full Stock Of
Coffins, Caskets, Shrouds, Habits, Robes, & c., Constantly on Hand
Mourners Provided at Cost

Beisel’s Cattle and Dairy
Hay and Fresh Dairy Products
Always Available at Reasonable Prices
Contact Liliana Beisel to order.

The Bakery Shop
Delicious baked goods of all kinds Made to order

Humor

HE: "I am a millionaire. Haven’t I got money enough for both of us?"
SHE: "Yes, if you are moderate in your tastes."

Doesn’t it make you dizzy to waltz? Yes, but one must get used to it, you know. It’s the way of the whirled.

WIFE: "You loved me before we were married!"
HUSBAND: "Well, now it’s your turn!"

Pawnbrokers prefer customers without any redeeming qualities.

To the South on Wheels

A crowd of jolly cyclists left the village Saturday afternoon for a run through the southland. Intending to take in the Hocking Hills and other points that are of interest, the party was composed of Messrs. Cormier, Mendenhall, Laidlaw, and Wurst. Riders and wheels were dressed for the occasion and anticipated the best kind of time in the wilds of southern Ohio.

Homeless Children
We have placed at our disposal, from time to time, large numbers of boys and girls whom we seek a suitable home in good private families, at a remote distance from their former environments. Full legal possession can be given. They are sent on trial, returnable in 60 or 90 days if unsatisfactory. Address Dr. Darby, 38 W First Ave, Columbus.