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The Terminal Year.

The newspapers have worked up a very pretty quarrel over the coming of the Twentieth Century, bringing forth elaborate catechisms by way of enforcement of their peculiar views, and citing such diverse authorities as Pope Leo and the Northern Methodist church in support of their opinions. To an impatient minority, quivering with a desire to breathe the inspiring air of a new age, even the authority of the lady President of Wellesley College is a notable accession to their views. Indeed, one does not see why it should not have as much weight as that of the dear old grandmother of the Vatican, except as the successor of Pope Gregory, the reformer of the calendar, the present Pope might be held to possess certain chronological rights and privileges. Those of Gregory XIII have certainly been well-nigh universally recognized, though Russia has stood in stubborn opposition for 327 years. It is rumored, however, that the realm of the Czar will take its place in line with other civilized lands during this year and accept the Gregorian calendar. Thus the February of the present year all over Christendom will lose the twenty-ninth day, which has been a prerequisite of every fourth February for a century. There was an effort to overthrow the Gregorian calendar, made by the French revolutionists, fondly imagining that their wonderful era would eclipse all other beginnings; but the great round world, now in the one hundred and eighth year of the French Republic, does not know it, and doesn't much care to, finds it not important, either, that the French Assembly abolished also the Christian Religion and the Immortality of the Soul.

These newspaper discussions about when the Twentieth Century begins would seem frivolous enough did one not catch a glimpse of a deep hidden conviction beneath this apparent "Much ado about nothing"—a conviction beyond a mere dispute about when honors are to be paid to the god Terminus. What, after all, would it else matter what we call our days, months and years? What boots it to be giving them high sounding names while they are hurrying us remorselessly towards the boundaries of a country where Time shall be no more? The poets, and not a few common folks, have waxed dreary over this futility of earthly things. Even McCaulay, cheerful man of sense as he was, sings despairingly:

"Say, shall it not then be the same,
Whether we played the black or white,
Whether we won or lost the game?"

These lines occur, it is true, among the author's earlier poems, and he was doubtless ashamed of them afterwards; but they express not an unusual sentiment. It is, after all, a childish one. As Tennyson said of the song of grief, it is an "earthly song." A matured reason easily gets the better of such pessimistic sentimentalism. Who denies that, so far as the creation is concerned, "There is nothing great in the universe but man, and

nothing great in man but mind." "That which a man thinketh in his heart so is he." So, too, are all his works and ways. As all material things take their shape from the immaterial and invisible, man, sharing the Divine nature, is privileged to remodel the little spot he holds in the Cosmos after the image in his own thought. In wielding ideas, he is God's agent. They come from him through the minds of men fresher than through the long processes of nature. Thought is mightier than gravitation, magnetism, or electricity; how much mightier, then, than what we call matter, the toy of the elements?

And what has all this to do with the dispute about the end of the Nineteenth Century and the beginning of the Twentieth? Just this: Man is by nature systematic, periodic like all of God's creatures, but he is largely above the control of physical periodicity—it is given to him to make his own periods, to set the own bounds of his ebbing and flowing tides. A century, when he makes it, is as real a thing as the palaces he builds, or the mountains he tunnels—real, though invisible. We illustrate this every year with our New Years resolutions. Even the grossest men feel the dominant idea—the spirit of the time; there is no outward voice, but somehow there is a call to a change of life. So will the belief in a new century be a vast impelling force, acting with greater or less power on minds more or less susceptible to ideas, but, on the whole, kneading humanity into new shape. Or to change the simile from the baker's work to the potter's, the new century is the wheel on which our human clay is to revolve, and on which the world of the Twentieth Century will become what it will be.—Literary Life.

Spurgeon's Sudden Deafness.

While Spurgeon was still a boy preacher, he was warned about a certain virago, and told that she intended to give him a tongue-lashing. "All right," he replied, "but that's a game at which two can play."

Not long after, as he was passing her gate one morning, she assailed him with a flood of billingsgate. He smiled and said, "Yes thank you, I am quite well; I hope you are the same."

Then came another burst of vituperation, pitched in a still higher key, to which he replied, still smiling, "Yes, it does look rather as if it is going to rain; I think I had better be getting on!" "Bless the man," she exclaimed, "he's as deaf as a post; what's the use of storming at him?" And so her ravings ceased, and were never again attempted.

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BLIND TIGERS.

The prevailing opinion is that there is no law against "blind tigers" or unlawful selling of whisky in local option precincts. This is all a mistake. We have law full and sufficient on the subject. What we need is officers to carry it out, and we don't hesitate to say wherever this sort of work goes on the officers are in sympathy with it, and a set of cowards besides. We want to ask the question once more: "Why is it you never knew of a "blind tiger" being run in a town where license could be obtained." We knew a town two years ago where the officers claimed the law could not be enforced, but as soon as whiskey carried every tiger stopped; this shows the saloon men control the officers. We have always noticed the law can be enforced where the Federal authorities step in. Now, we have been informed, that there are two towns in the Panhandle where this sort of business is run. We want to say this: "We consider the man that would run a "blind tiger" the lowest specimen of God's creation." We have far more respect for a horse thief than

warrant is hereby authorized to force open same. In prosecutions under this article, where it is proven that there is posted up, at a place where such blind tiger is kept or run, United States internal revenue liquor or malt license, to any one it shall be prima facie proof that the person to whom such license is issued is keeping and running such blind tiger.

You can see from the above that all that is necessary to break up the worst "blind tiger" den on earth is some one with manhood enough to make complaint and the sheriff or deputy or any one can make it, and a justice of the peace, that has sense enough to issue a warrant, and a high sheriff that is brave enough to execute the same. Where this is not done, we repeat, the officers are to blame, and we will here suggest a remedy to all such whiskey cursed towns. Let some citizen call a mass-meeting of the people and read the following preamble and resolutions:

Whereas, the people of this precinct have decided by vote that whisky shall not be sold in said precinct, and whereas, the law has been disregarded; Therefore, we the citizens in mass meeting assembled, demand of the officers to know why the law is not enforced. Furthermore, resolved, that we will not support by our vote any officer that will fail to discharge his duty and disregard their solemn oath.

Take a rising vote on the above and you will see whether the law can be enforced or not.

We wonder if there is a county paper in this state where this law is being violated that has courage to copy the above.

Our Enemies.

Encouraging letters continue to pour into our office, and also new subscribers, for which we are very thankful; but once in a while we hear some such word as this: "I wish the AGITATOR would break," "I hate the AGITATOR," and etc. A gentleman said he heard some such remark a few days since and he said nothing wishing to know the cause; but it was not long before he learned why the paper was despised in that home. They played cards, read novels, the boys drank whisky and the girls would ride with boys for miles in the dead hours of the night to dances, and they did not like the AGITATOR, of course not. So it is nine times out of ten, when you learn the cause of all such remarks, it is that the AGITATOR condemns the sinful practices of this class of people, and holding up the characters of such before the world. Who would expect anything else but what some old hypocritical deacon or elder in some church to be down on this paper, while his name is on the bond of some saloon keeper; but we venture this assertion, when you hear such remarks, enquire the cause, and learn the character of all such from the best people in the community, and nine times out of ten they stand with the saloon gang. But Christ had his enemies, and a paper run as Christ would run it if on earth, will also be hated by this same class. What a pity they are not all outside of the church, but the Judases are not all dead.

We regret very much to learn that Bro. G. E. Sandell, of Cuba, Tex., is compelled, on account of bad health, to give up his work for the remainder of the year. We trust however, that a much needed rest will restore his health so that he will again be able to continue in active service.

Before Governor Goebel died he sent for Chaplain L. G. Wallace and said: "Lew, I wish to announce to the world that I do not hold myself in open violence to the word of God." Also Dr. Talifaferro of the Methodist church was called and prayed beside the bed of the dying man. Men may live in open defiance to God's word, and yet when they realize that they have but a few hours to live, they want some one to pray and talk with them about the life to come. This is the first utterance we have ever heard from this man, as to his faith in the bible, and yet all this time he has believed every word. This teaches us that men may slight Religion in health, but when death stares them in the face, they will call on God, although it may be too late; and we have never heard of a dying man, though ever so wicked, sending for his drinking companions or the saloon keeper to advise with in this solemn hour; but it is the preacher that may be despised in health.

For the sixth annual convention of the Oklahoma Live Stock Association, El Reno, O. T., Feb. 12th to 14th 1900, a rate of \$10.75 for the round trip has been made from Clarendon, selling dates Feb. 12 and 13th; final limit to return Feb. 16th, 1900. For further information call on D. BARNHART, agent.

The preachers conference of the Clarendon District met according to the call of the Presiding Elder on the morning of the 31st, ult. Four of the brethren were not able to be with us, but all the others were on hand and in the best of spirits; as was also some consecrated laymen. Our meeting was under good headway and they caught the fire and with a loud amen went to work for the saving of souls. We were delighted with the new men as well as the old ones in the district. They are all right, and the Clarendon District has got a move on herself, already, and we look for the best years work in her history. Bro.

C. C. Thompson, from the West Texas Conference, and stationed at Channing, in the place of Brother Rascoe, who died before reaching his work, is a fine man and a splendid preacher. We give him the right hand of fellowship and hope he will remain with us. The weather during the conference was the most pleasant we have ever seen for the time of year.

A Great Meeting.

Possibly the greatest meeting Clarendon has ever had closed last Tuesday night after running 17 days. It moved off from the very first and souls were saved at almost every service. Sixty-nine joined the Methodist church up to Monday night, with more yet to follow; while quite a number that have been converted have not yet united with any church. One very remarkable thing is, that every student in the Clarendon College has been converted. We doubt if there is another such case on record. Every service got better, and Monday night was one of the best. Many wished the meeting to continue but we were all so worn out that it was thought best to rest one night and all meet again Wednesday night in a jubilee meeting, which may be continued.

"Rev. J. R. Henson' the fearless editor of the Agitator, published at Clarendon, Tex., has purchased a plant and will hereafter publish his own paper. While we don't altogether agree with all of his writings, Editor Henson is doing a great good and from a secular point of view, we admire his paper and the untiring energy and pluck it exhibits."—Higgins News.

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Locals and Personals.

ast Saturday was a regular march

rs. J. T. Lane has been very for a few days this week.

. T. Wright expects to build a dence for himself soon in the est end.

Mrs. Spears, of Vernon is visiting er daughters Mrs. J. W. and C. W. yan this week.

If you dont think court is in ses- n watch the saloons.

W. J. Blair has been sick for two ks but is slowly improving.

ev. J. W. Singletary, of Rowe, e up Tuesday morning and is ndi a few days in town.

r. T. F. McGee, of Amarillo, a witness here in District court nesday.

Miss Hattie Caperton, of Dozier ngsworth county, has been vis- her sister, Mrs J. L. Williams, ast week.

W. Antrobus, sold to M. W. this week, lot 2, blk. 82. deration, \$465.

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W. Ryan is laying the brick dation for a two room addition is residence on the North side.

Will Terrell will shortly build a dence for himself on lots just th of Clarendon College.

I am permanently located here ask a share of your trade in y Goods. I am sure I can please u. T. J. NOLAND.

Quite a shower of rain fell yester- and the clouds still look threat- g.

E. Dubbs has been in town eek as a grandjury-man. He

Winding up the Agitator for Sunday afternoon the Chan- sabbath School appropriated the of twenty dollars for the pur- of purchasing a list of books

nucleus for a library. Money also donated for the cost of the et and shelving. All those

feel so disposed, may contribute dually by furnishing books of appropriate and acceptable char-

. If there is one single thing e another for which Channing

feel a pardonable degree of e, it is surely her Sunday

ol. There is not, nor never was, least deterioration or lack of

interest. On the contrary the inter- est is unflagging, with a steady

growth of increased membership. Zealous superintendents are the very

soul of a successful school, and in this particular Channing has been

fortunate in the past as she is in the present. The library means a good

deal, in that it will give the children a wide range of pleasant and profit- able reading.—Channing Courier.

The church has no stronger organization, of its many to- day, to assist in its work than

the Sunday school. We are glad to note the interest taken

at Channing, and hope that every Sunday school not provided with a library will

proceed to make arrangements to that effect at once; and place suitable books in the

reach of every Sunday school child.

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Ask for them.

D. E. Posey, from Sulphur Springs Tex., of whose coming here we made mention last week, has located here permanently. He purchased an in- terest with M. W. Easum in the dray, coal and mill businass. The local editor has known Mr. Posey since boyhood and never knew a more reliable trustworthy man, and we gladly welcome him to citizenship with us in Clarendon.

Farmers and Gardeners. I will have reliable seeds and on- ion sets on hand in a few days, and will take particular pains to sell you the best at prices that are right. Call and see them. J. D. STOCKING.

Having Been Delayed a few weeks in moving from Claren- don, we are still selling goods and selling them cheaper than ever. We still have a good line of Shoes, Clothing, Hats, Shirts, Gloves, Un- derwear, Neckwear, Trunks, etc., and will make prices that will turn them into cash. Will not remain in Clarendon many days—so come at once. CALDWELL & Cg.

Clarendon College Library. I wish to acknowledge through the columns of the AGITATOR the receipt of two valvabe books sent me for the Clarendon College Library by Mrs. E. P. Babb and her daughter Miss Annie. Thanks ladies. These volumes are highly ap- preciated. Who will be the next to respond to this Panhandle enterprise. Sincerely yours, J. D. STOCKING.

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The Liquor Problem.

No problem facing us at the thresh- old of the twentieth century is equal in magnitude to the liquor problem. None should give us greater concern. The liquor business is one great evil of our country, and menaces alike the moral, economic and civil inter- ests of the whole land. Fewer men are engaged in the manufacture and wholesale distribution of liquor— including every form of drink—than in any other extensive line of busi- ness, but what is lacking in numbers is more than made up in influence on account of the votes they control and the money they handle. No set of men have so much influence in local political circles, especially in our cities, as liquor dealers and their allies. What weight they have in general government it is hard to determine. It is easy to see though that they usually secure everything they demand. Are our rulers to be dominated by the worst men of the country? by men who care nothing for the widespread misery their busi- ness entails upon the land? The good people of our country are in the majority, and they do not propose to sit quietly and turn the land over to the merciless grasp of a hoarde of evil doers who have but little respect for God and less for the Church and the principles for which the church stands. They have too much at stake. They will be heard. There sre reasons why we should fight the "Common Enemy."

A better day will come. When the people see that they must destroy the liquor business or be destroyed by it they will rise in their migh and put an end to its reign. Then the liquor problem will be solved.

What might have proven a very disastrous fire to the business por- tion of the town, was narrowly averted on last Monday evening. A smouldering fire was discovered by W. T. Jones above his grocery store about 7:30. The door was im- mediately forced open and water was applied promiscuously in the room. Owing to the smoke the ex- act location was hard to determine. It was finally located in the closet in the North part of the room. Some shoes and clothing were burned, be- sides the damage done to the floor. The origin of the fire was unknown, as no one had been in the room since morning.

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Infidelity is Without Form and Void.

A few days ago a man who had for twenty-five years proclaimed himself an infidel took sick and died. When his will was probated it was discovered that he had left all of his fortune excepting \$4,000, to religious and charitable organizations. The whole of it amounted to \$150,000, and not one dollar was donated to any infidel club or to any infidel cause. Why he chose these religious institutions and made them his beneficiaries, the will contained not one word. But the silence speaks more eloquently than words. There was no other disposition to make of his means. The only organizations whose work is strictly charitable and human are religious organizations. Infidelity does not build up institutions of this kind. It is destructive and not constructive. It tears down instead of builds up the benevolence of the community. It has no asylums, no houses of refuge, no sheltering arms, no retreat for the desolate and the oppressed. When you want to find things of this character you have to go to the church, and there they abound. So when this man, who had a kindly heart, wanted his fortune to do good after he was gone, he went to the institutions of the church to find a medium through which to make it effective.—
Ex.

Stood Death Off.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a grave digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice, I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters, and he was soon much better, but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life." This remedy expels malaria, kills diseased germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50c at Ramsey's drug store.

A Progressive Move.

so that he could keep up with possession.

my stock of Clothing and Underwear—For 60 days I will make that will astonish you. T. J. NOLAND.

J. N. Kendall, who closed a successful term of school at the view school house, on Friday of week, was in town Monday making his final report.

rs. Aline O'Neal, who lived in the Robertson place, died last Monday night with paralysis of the heart. She was buried at the City Cemetery last Tuesday evening.

horse race or baseball game always gets a write up by the county papers, but we have often known of a revival in the same town being ignored.

goodly number of lawyers and witnesses from Amarillo are here attending court, this week, in the case transferred from there to this county.

at the close of each season every progressive merchant has a clearance sale—MINE IS NOW ON—It means they saved to those who want Dry Goods. T. J. NOLAND.

die, the little son of I. E. has been very sick with fever several days, but is thought to be out of danger at this writing.

J. M. Williams, of Lelia, has purchased the place and three blocks of land of L. Kennon, near the residence of James Tackitt, and we hear will build a residence for himself to move his family to town with in the next year.

A Clearance Sale of Dry Goods. Nolan will make prices that will suit you. Buy now and save money. Shoe Shoes!! Shoes!!! I have a large stock and can save you money on your purchases. See them, T. J. NOLAND.

Afraid of the Children.

A White Ribboner, writing to the "Union Signal," gives the following account of a children's celebration which shows what a hold the saloon men have on the country, and how they control affairs as they please:

Some time ago the eleven organizations of the L. T. L. of Columbus, Ohio, under the supervision of Mrs. Lillian Burt and Miss Jessie Hillyer, united and held a grand picnic at Olentangy Park. A train of ten cars crowded with a thousand children made the air ring with their brave battle cry:

Saloons! Saloons!
Saloons must go!

"The broad streamers stretched along the outside of the cars, bearing the L. T. L. motto, 'Saloons Must Go,' attracted so much admiration along the way to the park that the railway company in obedience to the demands of the 'business men,' and in violation of their contract with Mrs. Burt, ordered the streamers to be taken down and not used on the return trip. Of course Mrs. Burt demanded an explanation. The 'business men' proved to be the saloon keepers, who were evidently frightened by the fine showing made by the one thousand future voters and lawmakers.

"The street railway company was so thoroughly intimidated by the saloon keepers that no amount of argument would induce them to restore the motto banners.

"The terror shown by the rich railway corporation and the united whisky element against a few gentle women and a throng of sweet-faced children, is a strong admission of what the saloon fears."

Dr. Edward Everett Hale says his Church alone could care for all the dependent people in Boston who were not made so by drink.

Working Night and Day.

The busiest and mightiest little things that ever was made was Dr. King's New Life Pills. These pills change weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful

Dr. T. H. Westbrook, in this issue. Dr. Westbrook has permanently located here with his family and will practice his profession. He is highly commended as a physician, reliable man and Christian gentleman, by friends here, who knew him in Arkansas. He has had 14 years successful experience in the practice of his profession. He will office over Ramsey's drug store.

T. P. Rush, who moved to Missouri last fall, was here this week with a car of thoroughbred Hereford cattle which he sold to S. B. Owens, of Gray county, at \$155.00 per head. He will be here at Buntin & Baker's stable again in about two weeks with 3 carloads which he will offer for sale. We have known Mr. Rush for a number of years and know him to be a reliable man.

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" " " "	" 10.00	" 7.50
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