

**W. C. T. U.**  
The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Andover meets the first and third Thursday in each month.

Prof. G. Howard Young, in the Hartford Times, protests against the omission of all the women's names from the list of twenty-five great historical characters to be honored by statues in the new National Library Building at Washington. He suggests, instead of destroyers like Caesar or Napoleon, the names of Harriet Beecher Stowe, "the liberator of the colored race," and Dr. Wells, the discoverer of anesthesia.

Be not simply good but good for something.

There is no man or men who can strike at the soul (of intemperance) but the legislature of the nation.

Somebody has issued the following advice to the drinker: "One gallon of whiskey costs about three dollars, and contains on the average, sixty-five ten-cent drinks. Now if you must drink whiskey, buy a gallon, and make your wife the bar-keeper; then, when you are dry, give her ten cents for a drink. When the whiskey is gone, she will have, after paying for it, \$3.50 left, and every gallon thereafter will yield the same profit. This money she should put away in the savings bank, so that when you have become an inebriate unable to support yourself, and shunned and despised by every respectable person, your wife may have money enough to keep you until your time comes to fill a drunkard's grave."

The following words, uttered by George William Curtis before the Constitutional Convention of 27 years ago, are equally applicable at the present time: "There is no more reason that men should assume to decide participation in politics to be unwomanly than that women should decide for men that it is unmanly. It is not our prerogative to keep women feminine. Nature is quite as wise as we. Whatever their sex incapacitates women from doing, they will not do. Whatever duty is consistent with their sex and their relation to society, they will properly demand to do until they are permitted."

We cannot know what is womanly until we see the folly of insisting that the theories of men settle the question. We know now what the convenience and feelings of men decide to be womanly. We shall know what is womanly in the same sense that we know what is manly, only when women have the same equality of development and the same liberty of choice as men. The amendment I offer is merely a prayer that you will remove from women a disability, and secure to them the same freedom of choice that we enjoy. If the instincts of sex of maturity, of domesticity, are not persuasive enough to keep them in the truest sense womanly, it is the most serious defect yet discovered in the divine order of nature."

For the first time in his literary career Jerome K. Jerome is about to write directly for an American audience. This work consists of a series of papers similar in vein to his "Idle Thoughts of an Idle Fellow," but addressed to American girls and women. The article will begin shortly in *The Ladies' Home Journal*, which periodical will print the entire series.

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School suffrage in various degrees is granted to women in Arizona, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Idaho, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Dakota, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Vermont and Wisconsin.

In Arkansas and Missouri women vote, by petition, on liquor license in many cases.

In Delaware suffrage is exercised by women in several municipalities. In Kansas they have equal suffrage with men at all municipal elections. About 50,000 women voted in 1890.

In Montana they vote on all local taxation.

In New York they can and do vote at school elections. The question of the constitutionality of the law is still undecided. They vote also in many places in this state on local improvements, such as gas and electric street lighting, paving, sewerage, and municipal bonds.

In Utah women voted until disfranchised by the "Edmunds law," when they promptly organized to demand its repeal.

In Pennsylvania a law was passed in 1889 under which women vote on local improvements by signing or refusing to sign petitions therefor.

In Wyoming women have voted on the same terms with men since 1870. The convention in 1889 to form a state constitution unanimously inserted a provision securing them full suffrage. This constitution was ratified by the voters at a special election by about three-fourths majority. Congress refused to require the disfranchisement of women and admitted the state July 10, 1890.

And let it not be forgotten that in the Senate of the United States, Feb. 7, 1889, a select committee reported in favor of amending the federal constitution so as to forbid states to make sex a cause of disfranchisement. Congress adjourned, however, on March 4, following without reaching the subject.

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