experience I would have to relate. Instead of being a convict and an outcast, I would be at the bedside of dying parents, helping to comfort their last hours, BUT SIR, IT IS TOO LATE.

The young man who wrote this letter began his downward course, at that place where most men receive the first push downward, but where no man ever received a lift upward, save toward the gallows, that is a licensed shop for retailing distilled damnation. road from the tavern to the prison is a short one. The gay young man, became the drunkard, the drunkard became the thief, the thief became the convict, and now from the convict's cell comes the cry "IT IS TOO LATE." Too late to recall the past, but thank God. not too late to secure its forgiveness, and our friend who sent us the letter says he has reason to believe that the prisoner under the law of the land, is now a free man in Christ Jesus.

Who hath woe? Who hath sorrow? Who hath contentions? Who hath babbling? Who hath wounds without cause? Who hath redness of eyes? They that tarry long at the wine; they that go to seek mixed wine. Look not thou upon the wine when it is red, when it giveth his colour in the cnp, when it moveth itself aright. At the last it biteth like a serpent, and stingeth like an adder .- Prov. xxiii: 29-32.

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MONDAY ..... Sept.27 .. 12.00 M. Praise Meeting-Alf. Sandham. Workers' Monthly Meeting. 8.00 P.M.

Noonday Prayer. The Quickening Spirit, John vi.63. A. Lloyd Thomas Noonday Prayer Preparation for Witness Bearing. Jer. i, 6-9; xx. 9.

Rev. T. C. DesBarres. TUESDAY ..... " 28 ..12.00 M. WEDNESDAY .. " 29 ..12 00 M. " 28 .. 12.00 M.

THURSDAY..... " 80 .. 12.00 M. Bible Reading, W. E. Burford.

12.00 M. Noonday Prayer. Testimony to a great and sudden change, Acts xxvi. 1-20. R. Merryfield.
8.00 P.M. Boys' Meeting. Charles Edwards. FRIDAY ..... Oct. 1..12.00 M.

Noonday Prayer. Looking for an answer to prayer. 1 Kings xviii.41-45; Mark xi. 24. H. A. Bruton. Teacher's Bible Class. Hon. S. H. Blake, Young Men's Meeting. Geo. T. Fergusson. SATURDAY .... " 2..12.00 M.

4.00 P.M. 8.00 P.M.

 9.30 A.M. Workers' Meeting for Prayer and Bible Study.
 3.00 P M. Evangelistic Bible Class. S. R. Briggs.
 8.30 P.M. Gospel and Song Service. D. C. Forbes. SUNDAY.....

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### Railroad Men's Meetings.

SABBATH, Oct. 3, 3.00 P.M.—At Union Station—JOS. GREENE and REV. M. TROTTER,

"At Nipissing Station—P. H. BURTON and W. ANDERSON.

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Noon Meeting every Wednesday. E.30 to 1—Toronto Grey & Bruce Reading Rooms.