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**The Power of Drink.**  
A case illustrating the power of drink which the appetite for strong drink may acquire over a man is reported in a press despatch from Columbus, Ohio. Years ago one Samuel White, while intoxicated, slew a man. His character, otherwise that in the matter of intelligence, was good, and his family connections were the best. For these and other considerations a strong effort was made, after his conviction and sentence to imprisonment for life, to induce the Governor to pardon him. Finally, a conditional pardon was obtained, the condition being that ever afterward he should abstain from intoxicating liquors. He was not averse to his daughter's marriage, after eighteen months of abstinence, he violated the condition of his pardon and was carried to prison for the rest of his natural life. Eighteen years of sobriety had not washed his thirst for liquor, and an insatiable desire for it was not satisfied by him from including this feast of abstinence.

**GEMS OF THOUGHT.**  
We may learn something from everything, even from failure.  
Truth is as impossible to be soiled by any outward touch as the sunbeam.  
It is better to be wise, and not seem so than to seem wise, and not be so.  
The most delicate, the most sensible of all pleasures, consists in promoting the pleasure of others.  
Scandal is a bit of false money, and he who passes it is frequently as bad as he who originally utters it.  
Keep doing—always doing. Wishing, dreaming, intending, mourning, talking, sighing, and pining are idle and profitless employments.  
To spend today in looking away from it backward to yesterday or forward to the morrow, is simply fatal to the highest purpose and issues of life.  
We can easily manage if we will only take each day the burden appointed for us. But the load will be heavy for us if we add to its weight the burden of tomorrow before we are called to bear it.  
Retaliation is like the storm which sweeps through the forest in destruction. Kindness is like the combined influence of the sun and the rain of the cloud, which germinates seed and upholds their leaves, flowers and odors.  
It is the great art and philosophy of life to make the best of the present, whether it be good or bad; to bear the one with resignation and patience, and to enjoy the other with thankfulness and moderation.  
There is a large and fertile space in every life, in which might be planted the oak and fruit-trees of enlightened principle and virtuous habit, which, growing up, would yield to old age an enjoyment, a glory, and a shade.  
God's best gifts are the commonest—the air, the light, the beauty of the world, the blue of heaven, the winds, and stars, and sunsets, the infant's smile, the mother's tenderness, the sweet affection of sister and child, and wife.  
The treasure-house of a man's life is his heart; and he who has nothing there is poverty-stricken, though he roll in gold; while he who has a good deal there is rich, whether he has a roof over his head or not.  
Miser's Testament is used by Physicians.  
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**The Value of Singing.**  
A recent writer in the Boston Herald advocates the practice of teaching singing as a means of preventing consumption. As Dr. Bussey aptly says, if an hour a day were devoted to it in our public schools there would not be the sad spectacle of the drooping, withered, hollow-cheated, round-shouldered children. Vocal music is gymnastic exercise of the lungs by development of the lung tissue itself. The lungs in improved breeds of cattle, which naturally take little exercise and are housed much of the time, are considerably reduced in size when compared with those animals running at liberty. And so it is with the human race who lead inactive lives caused by civilization. Consumption generally begins at the top of the lungs, because there parts are more inactive, and because the bronchial tubes are so arranged that they carry the inspired air with greater facility to the bases than to the tops. During inactivity a person will ordinarily breathe about 480 inches of air per minute. If he will walk at the rate of six miles an hour he will breathe 3,260 cubic inches. In singing this increases more than in walking, and it will ensure all the capacity of the lungs. Besides vocal music exercise there are wind instruments which all with hollow chests can use with infinite advantage. Give a young person a cornet, a clarinet or some such instrument, and by the time he has learned to play upon the same his deformity will have entirely disappeared.

**Dr. Mead** was one time the greatest of all the London doctors, and was recalled in a pamphlet by Dr. Woodward, Professor of Physic in Gresham College. The doctors met, and a fight ensued with words. Mead distrusted his adversary, and ordered "him, by his, for life!" "Never!" said Woodward—"never, till I am your patient."  
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