

The Temperance Cause.

THE GLASS AT TABLE.

We have known always that when a man or woman sits down at table and begins to take wine too freely, there is a stage of excitement, another stage of more excitement, another stage of wasted excitement and coldness and pallor, or darkness of the face; and a final stage when the body lies helpless, or, as we should call it dead drunk. That was known as regards the first effects of alcohol. What do we now know? We know that the *slow, insidious effect of alcohol* upon persons taking it day by day and year by year, gives us great populations who, not being intoxicated in this special or acute form, are still its victims in the same way. We know there are populations who go about and just take the "physiological quantity" which brings them up to the first stage; populations who, beginning rather early in the day, go from bar to bar, and place to place, perpetually in the second stage; populations who go on day by day, and never go to bed thoroughly sober, or out of the third stage. And when we go into our asylums and hospitals, we find the victims of alcoholic paralysis, who unable to help themselves, are practically speechless and practically dead drunk from the permanent use of alcohol, advanced in this slow, insidious manner, into the fourth stage, in which they are ripe and ready to drop into the grave. The fact of these great populations is now standing well out before the world, and the more fully it is declared, the more certainly, I think, will the common sense of mankind come to bear upon it, and say "We will not be representatives in the slow form of what you may call chronic drunkenness any more than we will be the degraded representatives of drunkenness in the acute form at the table, when the glass of wine is commenced, and repeated up to the time of production of perfect insensibility.

THE immense number of un-intoxicating drinks—temperance drinks as they are called—that are now advertised in English and other papers point to a danger; it is the danger of the habit of frequent drinking. It is quite possible to be intemperate in the use of un-intoxicating drinks; thirst, like any other habit, grows by what it feeds on, and we shall do well to exercise self-control in this matter. Acids and alkalies may be very useful in the manufacture of beverages for summer or winter use, but pure water is about the only drink which has no lasting evils connected with it, either by tempting to too frequent drinking, or by its chemical effects on the system.

A Pennsylvania paper tells of a man whose two daughters had saved \$800 from the earnings of some years in a mill, and, having determined to buy a house, sent their father to the bank to draw the money. Late that evening he was found helplessly drunk in a bar-room, with only \$65 of the \$800. He could not tell whether he had lost the money or been robbed.

Praise undeserved is satire in disguise.

What Does it Mean?

What is meant by "secretions" in a medical sense? "The secretions" are the powers of certain glands and organs of the body to hold and distribute the healthful fluids of the system, such as bile from the liver, etc., Burdock Blood Bitters regulates all the organs of the secretions to make pure blood.

Palissy, the Potter, has a monument to him at Paris now, as well as the one at his natal town.

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Some people are always a little behind hand in all undertakings; delays are dangerous, and none more so than in neglecting what seems a trifling cold. Prudent people break up the ill effects by timely use of Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam, thus preventing serious lung troubles.

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A species of worm is eating all the leaves from the chestnut and hickory nut trees in many sections, and the crop will be a failure. Worms that afflict children or adults will prove a failure if Dr. Low's Pleasant Worm Syrup is used. It is a safe and sure cure for all worms that lurk in the human system, tape worm included.

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