

## The Temperance Cause.

WATER V. ALCOHOL.

WATER is the strongest drink. It drives mills, it's the drink of lions and horses, and Samson never drank anything else. Let young men be teetotallers if only for economy's sake. The beer money will soon build a house. If what goes into the mash tub went into the kneading-trough, families would be better fed and better taught. If what is spent in waste were only saved against a rainy day, work houses would never be built. The man who spends his money with the public can, and thinks the Landlord's bow and "How do ye do, my good fellow?" means true respect, is a perfect simpleton. We don't light fires for the herring's comfort, but to roast him. Men do not keep pot-houses for labourers good; if they do, they certainly miss their aim. Why, then, should people drink "for the good of the house?" If I spend money for the good of any house, let it be my own, and not the landlord's. It is a bad well into which you must put water; and the beer-house is a bad friend, because it takes your all and leaves you nothing but headaches. He who calls those his friends who let him sit and drink by the hour together is ignorant, very ignorant. Why Red Lions, and Tigers, and Eagles, and Vultures, are all creatures of prey, and why do so many put themselves within the power of their jaws and talons? Such as drink and live riotously, and wonder why their faces are so blotchy and their pockets so bare, would leave off wondering if they had two grains of wisdom. They might as well ask an elm tree for pears as look to loose habits for health and wealth. Those who go to the public-house for happiness climb a tree to find fish.—*Spurgeon.*

CANON WILBERFORCE at the Band of Hope Union referred to the influence of the blue Ribbon as having been of immense power in awakening the nation to the importance of the Temperance movement, and said that Temperance was a power that it had never been before. There was only one danger, and that was lest the movement should become secularized into a mere utilitarian movement for the improvement of the nation. If that were so, it was bound to fail, and all the ground they had gained would be lost; it must go hand in hand with the religion of Jesus Christ, and he asked for their prayers that the power of the Holy Spirit might be poured out upon it. So far only as it was carried on in the power and presence of the living God would it continue to be the success which during the last two years it had been in the nation.

In Germany, where there is no restriction on the sale of liquor on Sunday, statistics shows that 32 per cent. of the murders and crime are committed on Sunday, and 53 per cent. between Saturday and Monday morning.

General Von Moltke celebrated his 84th birthday recently.

## Bad Drainage.

There is nothing more productive of disease in a neighbourhood than bad drainage. Open the culverts and sluiceways and purify the locality. The obstructions in the human system may be remedied in a similar manner by Burdock Blood Bitters, which opens all the outlets of disease through the Bowels, Liver, and Kidneys.

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J. Kennedy, a merchant in Dixie, about three years ago introduced Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam to his customers by trying it in his own family for Coughs and Colds. Being pleased with results, large sales followed, and it is now the favorite remedy in that neighborhood.

A violent outbreak of trichinosis is reported from Saxony: 400 people have been attacked and fifty cases are considered hopeless.

The following sentence of only thirty-four letters contains all the letters of the alphabet:—

"John quickly extemporized five tow-bags."

## Another Witness.

A. Chard, of Sterling, testifies to the efficacy of Hagyard's Yellow Oil, which he used for a badly injured knee joint. It is the great household remedy for inflammation, pain, soreness, lameness, etc., and is used both internally and externally with infallible success.

Nine tons of postage stamps, 52 tons of envelopes, 113 tons of postal cards, and 17 tons of newspaper wrappers were sold at the New York Post-Office during 1882. The value of the newspaper and periodical stamps sold was \$438,802.88, and the total receipts of the office were \$4,228,575.29.

## A Wrong Opinion.

Many a dollar is paid for prescriptions for some disease that never troubled the patient, and when the sole difficulty was worms, which a few of Freeman's Worm Powders would remove. These Powders are pleasant, safe, and sure, contain their own cathartic, and are adapted for children or adults.

Trollope received over £80,000 sterling for his novels sixty in number.

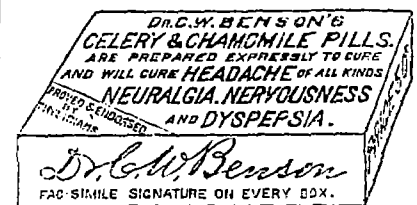
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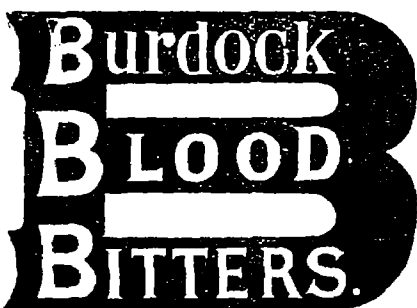
It is a fully established fact, that these diseases can be cured in any case, no matter how obstinate.

## Various Causes—

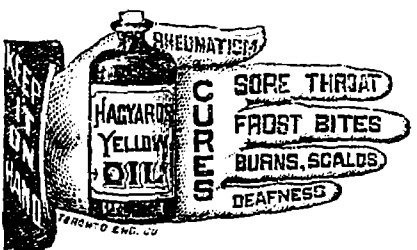
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