

The Value of a Trade.

I remember years ago, when I was a very young man, meeting John Roach, the great shipbuilder, in his shipyard at Chester, Pennsylvania. I remember too, what he said then, about the value of a trade to the average boy.

"Young man," he said, laying his great broad hand on my shoulder, and looking at me earnestly with his keen steel blue Irish eyes, "next to a clear conscience, a trade is as good a thing as any young man can have in this country. You can carry it with you all your life long; you have to pay neither rent or taxes upon it, and it will help you around a sharp corner when most other things will fail."

I have never forgotten that utterance from a man who started in life—after landing in New York from Ireland—as helper to a machinist, who became the leading shipbuilder of his time, and who, up to the hour that he was stricken with a fatal illness, could take the place of any of his workmen, whether it was a man driving rivets, or an expert putting together the most delicate parts of a steamship's machinery.

Something very like what John Roach said, I heard another great man who is now dead say. This was Peter Cooper, a man of whom American boys cannot know too much, and whom they certainly must too much admire.

"If I had my way," said the venerable philanthropist, on the occasion to which I refer, "I would give every boy a trade, then I would have him stick to it, love it and be good to it. If he does it will be good to him."—Foster Coates.

Advice to Young Men. Don't mistake notoriety for fame. Don't work unworthy of you if you can avoid it.

Be loyal to death to those who have befriended you. When you assist the needy, don't do it ostentatiously. Silence is the best weapon to use against a vulgar and spiteful tongue.

Don't indulge in the luxury of strong or opium opinions in the presence of your elders and betters, as the former is likely to fly to your head, and the latter to your stomach.

If you haven't the moral courage to laugh at sneers, then you are another of nature's mistakes. Don't talk about what you are "going to do"—then if you fail to accomplish it, nobody will know.

Never let a day pass without thinking seriously, if only for a minute, of death. It will rob it of more than half its terror.

Religious Statistics. The Lutheran population of Chicago is estimated at 250,000, of whom 125,000 are Scandinavians. It is reported that 4,000 Jewish Rabbis, 200 priests and 3,000 Jews have been converted, and are now members of the Church of England.

The Salvation Army has a contract, with the London School Board to supply free food to two shillings and eight pence per 100 pupils.

The Students' Volunteer Missionary movements now numbers 7,800 volunteers for missionary work in the foreign fields among college students.

A religious census of Australia just completed shows 1,485,065 members of the Church of England, 80,118 Catholics, 403,369 Presbyterians and 394,964 Methodists.

Stub Ends of Thought. Spring time is the music time of all the year. A rose bud is Nature's thought, the full bloom is its expression.

THE WHITE RIBBON.

"For God and Home and Native Land." Conducted by the Ladies of the W. C. T. U.

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Gospel Temperance meetings, conducted by members of the W. C. T. U., are held every Sunday afternoon at 4.15 o'clock, in the vestry of the Methodist Church. All are welcome.

Temperance News and Notes. Temperance is a bride who makes her husband rich. One-third of the 15,000 arrests for drunkenness in Dublin last year were women.

It is very silly to take a drink whenever you feel like it, just to show people you can let it alone if you want to. Health of the body, and intelligence which is the health of the soul, are lost by one vice—the vice of intemperance.

A Brooklyn liquor dealer declares that 100,000 to 150,000 Brooklyn men who drink come to New York to do it. Drunkenness has greatly increased in Ireland, the number of convictions for the offence being 100,000 in 1891 as against 79,000 in 1887.

A declaration as to the use of alcohol as a medicine is going the rounds of the British Medical Association. It is said that over six hundred names have been obtained against its use.

If you have the good of society at heart touch not the intoxicating glass, for most of the evils we have to deplore in our social and political life are the offspring of this prolific mother-vice—intemperance.

Let those who want gospel-temperance take heed what language they use, but let them condemn drunkenness as much as they please, but at the same time take care that they do not destroy more wheat than tares.

A prisoner behind the bars in a penitentiary of Michigan writes to boys as follows: "Let cards and liquor alone; be in bed by 9 p.m., and up at 6 a.m., eat regularly, sleep soundly, exercise moderately, pray constantly, and you will never be behind the grates."

You often hear moderate drinking men say: "Drinking does not hurt you because I do not drink enough." If you reply that it may get the better of him and make him a drunkard, he will laugh and say that he knows what he's about, and he can take it or let it alone. But it is a sure fact that about nine out of ten moderate drinking men die drunkards.

The time must come when all true friends of temperance must unite to put down a great and common enemy. At present, the societies engaged in this good work are many in number and divided in their plan of attack. This fact calls for a council of war, that all may fight together, towards one grand end and aim. If the council can lead off into any side issue, it is all he wants; and he is now so doing by making the battle rage around alcohol and not against drunkenness.

Some Practical Results. A Western contemporary says:—Absolute prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors would result in better times and more happiness among the people than the free coinage of silver could possibly bring about. It would free politics from its greatest contaminating influence, and by the means of saving millions of dollars annually of the hard-earned wages of laboring men, of which their families are now deprived through the drink question. The money spent for drink by the laboring classes each year exceeds the annual output of all the silver mines in the country, and the money thus spent is used to strengthen, on the bonds of slavery and degradation which hold the victim of the rum power.

The rum-bug has had more to do with bringing about the discontented, unhappy condition of the people than the gold bug, and has power more supreme in the land.

Tersely Told. The saloon does not give its patrons any equivalent for the money it receives. It thrives, therefore, by fraud. It takes the hard earnings of day laborers and gives them that which causes and corrupts and kills. Its business is fraud and robbery, with an element of murder in it. The liquor traffic is a system of counterfeiting, giving poison for food. Every seller of strong drink obtains money under false pretenses, gets something for worse than nothing. The State ought to prohibit this criminal traffic for the same reason that it prohibits fraud and murder. It is not a valid argument against such prohibitory laws to say that men will evade them, that "prohibition will not prohibit." Gamblers and counterfeiters and murderers evade the law. "Thou shalt not kill" is a prohibition that has never been perfectly prohibited. Therefore, according to the saloon logic, the ten commandments ought to be abolished.—Forward.

Scrapers for Odd Moments

Garfield Tea cures sick-headache. The season is rapidly approaching when the ice man is cool and his bills are collected.

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The man who sat out on the wood pile and told funny stories, expecting the wood would split, evidently did not strike a "responsive chord."

If a man can by art make of ashes the curious glass, why can not an omnipotent God, of dust and ashes, make glorified bodies fair as crystal.

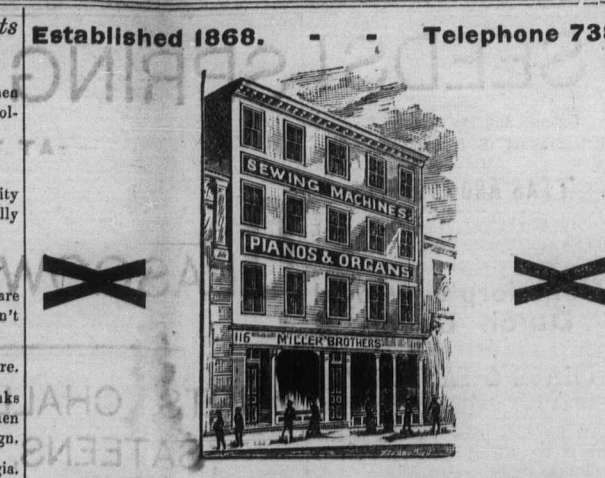
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