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every species of vice and misery in the neighborhood around you, and for the paltry consideration of accumulating a few dollars, you are blasting your own peace and happiness here, and your eternal welfare and happiness hereafter. And although God has blest you with health and strength up to this moment remember, that before to morrow's sun gilds the mountain's top, your soul may be required of you, and on the bank of the dark and turbid gulf of death, with that soul flickering on the quivering, pallid lip, you may be launched into the boundless regions of a never ending eternity, there to answer for the deeds done in the body." (), melancholy picture of human weakness and degradation, and of the dreadful effects of intoxicating drinks on the family of man.

"Man's inhumanity to man, Makes countless thousands mourn."

O, when will the Christian world rise up in their majesty and might, and with the frown of virtuous indignation on their brow, demand the annihilation of alcohol as a beverage, that Monster Evil of the human race. Let us hope that the new Parliament is composed of gentlemen who have the interest of the people at heart, who will endeavor to keep under the sordid feelings of our nature, and cultivate those of Christianity, patriotism and philanthropy, and frown down at every opportunity war, and intoxicating drinks, those giant enemies of human life. For what are all the improvements of Railways, Telegraphs, and all the advancement of the affairs of men in a worldly point of view, which have their foundation on the fickleness and uncertainty of this life only; what are they when compared to that improvement of the laws and customs of society which will have a direct tendency to confer inestimable blessings on man here, and to prepare for him the way to a state of eternal happiness hereafter. Having expressed my opinion freely on the passing events of the day,