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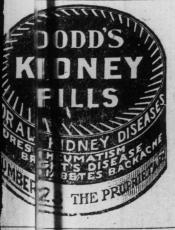
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Death of Sir James Murray.

We regret to announce that Sir James Murray, the maker of the "New English Dictionary," died at Oxford yesterday, aged 78. There is pathos! in the fact that Sir James Murray should have died on the day that Volume 10 of his gigantic work, which deals with words from trink to turndown, and is not yet the end of the work, was reviewed in some morning newspapers. Sir James was one of the great Victorians. Born in 1837 in the little Scotch village of Denholm, he began life as a schoolmaster. first at Hawick, then in London. Many years ago his book on the dialects of Southern Scotland lifted him out of

Thirty years ago Sir James Murray went to Oxford, but his life's work was begun in 1879: it was the making of the "New English Diictionary" -a catalogue of the English speech Sir James built an ugly tin house at Oxford — at Which Ruskin jibed—and there he kept his words and their biographies, and quotations by the hundred thousand. For thirtysix years he worked at his task with great courage. In 1913 he prophesied that the last volume would appear on his eigthieth birthday.

As soon as each volume appeared it was immediately revised, increasing the labour tenfold. Lately American influence complicated the task by in troducing new words and giving new meanings to old ones.

Sir James Murray sacked libraries for derivations and wrote to all parts of the world in search of information. Only a few weeks ago he was tracking down "Suffragette," which was first used by Mr. Charles Hands in a despatch from Manchester to The Daily Mail in January, 1906.

THE LASTING FAME.



I'd like to leave behind me some work that will endure, but briny teardrops blind me, the prospect is so poor! Man hates to think of sleeping through the ages four or five, with nothing brilliant keeping his memory alive

- WALT MASON But there is no foretelling whose fame for aye will stand, or who has built his dwelling upon the shifting sand. The lions we're adoring the great men of today, whose bright renown goes soaring from Juneau to Cathay, whose voices give direction to all our projects here, may pass from recollection when they've been dead a year. Perchance some humble plodder, who seems to cut no grass, or other kinds of fodder, will, when the ages pass, in people's hearts be living, his fame secure and strong immortalized for giving the world some simple song. No man can say, "It's certain, as taxes, and as sure, that when Death drops the curtain, my fame will still endure." To make our best endeavor, that is the only way; let fame live on forever, or die in half a day.

# Wonders of Vickers's.

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And he took a rifle and missed. Having a good strain of Irish blood in him, his wits quickly came to his aid, and he smilingly remarked, "That's how you shoot." Taking a teadier aim, he fired again and this ime exactly pierced the bull's-eye. "That," said he, triumphantly, "is the

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Prohibition.

(Contemporary Opinion.)

elled to drink; it is a much subtler and more powerful force than that that is put to work upon him. Most young men would fight to the last ditch before they would allow a saloon-keeper to pour whiskey down their throats, but fall an easy prey to the champagne glass that is offered by the mistress of a well-set dinner table. The seductions of a corrupt social life are a more formidable foe than an army with banners, and numbers more victims. War with all its ravages is a poor second to intenperance. Pray with the psalmist for strength where you are weakest, and that is on the social side.

Akin to this is the financial pressure exerted by the liquor business. The saloon dollar has its lure as well as any other dollar, and many an otherwise brave and pure soul falls a victim at this point; not that he becomes a drunkard or personally defiles himself with it, but for business keeps his own skirts clean but allows the ravager to waste and destroy in his community. It is his duty to fight for the general good, even though he would profit by keeping silence.

Some day we will have a generation of business men who will not be afraid of a conflict between their moral ideals and their pocketbooks. Business has been so dominant in our life that we have regarded it as a sort of ark of the covenant on which unholy hands must not be laid. We have almost assumed that anything that hurts business is necessarily wrong and must not be tolerated. The most effective argument of the saloon for years has been that it is necessary to good times and business will be injured if it is disturbed. To many this is the last word on the subject. No such reasoning would be tolerated for a moment inside the family. Where a man's own boy is concerned he will take the stand, "Business or no business, I will not jeopardize my son." Some day he will take the same attitude toward his neighbor's boy and the welfare of society. The irony of it all is that the saloon is as withering a blight to business as it is to norals, and wherever it is abolished usiness improves and the whole maerial side of life gets on safer and olider ground.

# Drake's Drum.

It Still Hangs at Buckland Abbey Awaiting the Great Armada.

Will Drake's drum be beaten now or the third time? In the great hall Buckland Abbey in Devonshire, a few miles from Plymouth—the ancestral home of the family of Sir Francis Drake-there hangs an ancient drum a pattern not known these three nundred years. It is the famous drum the great English sea fighter, his companion throughout his whole adventurous career. It beat the signals on his flagship when he scattered the Spanish armada; it went with him on he first British ship that went round the world, and it sounded the taps when, after his death at sea in the West Indies, his body was committed

o the waters of the Atlantic Ocean. When Drake lay dying, so runs the tradition, he commanded his brother, who was a captain of one of the ships in the British fleet, to take his drum back to England, and hang it in his hall at Buckland Abbey. Whenever danger threatened Britain let him sound on that drum, and his spirit would enter into the British admiral and scatter his country's foes as he had done in the days gone by. His brother did as he was commanded, and after three centuries the drum still hangs in Buckland Abbey, which is now in the possession of a descend-

ant of Drake's brother. Twice, runs the legend, has the drum been sounded-and not in vain; once, in the generation after Drake's death, when the Dutch sought to wrest the control of the seas from the British, and the doughty Admiral van Tromp sailed up the British Channel with a broom at his masthead, to signify that he would sweep the English from the ocean. At its sound the spirit of Drake entered into Admiral Blake, who triumphed over the conquering Dutch. Again, when the genius of Napoleon threatened the very existence of the British Empire, the drum was sounded, and Drake's spirit animated the greatest of English sea fighters-Admiral Nelson.

And now, when Britain is involved in the greatest war of her history, it is said that Drake's drum will again be sounded-to raise up, if the legend be true, the spirit of the old captain for the third time. The old tradition is the subject of a well-known poem by Prof. Henry Newbolt. The poem makes the great sea fighter, dying in his berth, exlaim:-

Take my drum to England, hang et Strike et when your powder's runnin' low; If the Dons sight Devon, I'll quit the

port o' heaven An drum them up the Channel as we drummed them long ago.

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