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W. C. T. U. meets in J. D. McLeod's Hall every Monday at 4 p. m. Industrial School, Mrs. D. Laird, Superintendent—Tuesday afternoon. Loyal Temperance Legion, Miss Mary Davies, Superintendent—Friday afternoon.

### A Prison Incident.

A BOY'S FIRST DRINK.

Mrs. Emma Molloy relates the following incident in one of her speeches, referring to the relation of temperance to crime.

In a recent visit to the Leavenworth, Kan., prison, during my address on Sabbath morning, I observed a boy not more than seventeen or eighteen years of age, on the front seat intently eyeing me. The look he gave me was so full of earnest longing, it spoke volumes to me.

At the close of the service I asked the warden for an interview with him, which was readily granted. As he approached me his face grew deathly pale, and, as he grasped my hand, he could not restrain the fast falling tears. Choking with emotion, he said:

"I have been in this prison two years, and you are the first person that has called for me—the first woman who has spoken to me."

"How is this, my child? Have you no friends that love you? Where is your mother?"

The great brown eyes, swimming with tears, were slowly uplifted to mine, and he replied:

"My friends are all in Texas. My mother is an invalid, and, fearing that the knowledge of my terrible fall would kill her, I have kept my whereabouts a profound secret. For two years I have borne my awful homesickness in silence for her sake."

As he buried his face in his hands, and heart-sick sobs burst from his trembling frame, it seemed to me I could see a panorama of the days and nights, the long weeks of homesick longing, which had dragged their weary length out over two years.

So I ventured to ask: "How much longer have you to stay?"

"Three years," was the reply, as the fair young head dropped lower, and the frail little hand trembled with suppressed emotion.

"Five years at your age!" I exclaimed. "How did it happen?"

"Well," he replied, "it's a long story, but I'll make it short. I started out from home to try to do something for myself. Coming to Leavenworth I found a cheap boarding house, and one night accepted an invitation from one of the young men to go in for a drink of liquor."

For the first time in my life I drank a glass of liquor. It fired my brain. There is a confused remembrance of the quarrel. Somebody was stabbed. The bloody knife was found in my hand. I was indicted for assault with intent to kill."

Five years for the thoughtless acceptance of a glass of liquor is surely illustrating the Scripture truth that the "way of the transgressor is hard!"

I was holding the cold trembling hand that had crept into mine. He earnestly tightened his grip as, imploring, he said: "O, Mrs. Molloy, I want to ask a favor of you."

At once I expected he was going to ask me to obtain a pardon, and in an instant I measured the weight of public reproach that rests upon the victims of this legalized drink traffic.

It is all right to legalize a man to erase the brains of our boys, but not by any means to ask that the State pardon its victims.

Interpreting my thought, he said: "I am not going to ask you to get me a pardon, but I want you to write to my mother and get a letter from her and send it to me. Don't for the world tell her where I am. Better not tell her anything about me. Just get a line from her, so I can look upon it! O! I am so homesick for my mother!"

The head of the boy dropped down into my lap, with a wailing sob; I laid my hand upon his head. I thought of my own boy, and for a few moments was silent, and let the outburst of sorrow have vent.

Presently I said: "Murray, if I were your mother, and the odour of a thousand prisons was upon you, still you would be my boy. I should like to know where you were."

"Is it right to keep that mother in suspense? Do you suppose that there ever has been a day or night that she has not prayed for her wandering boy? No, Murray, I will only consent to write the whole truth just as one mother can write to another."

After some argument his consent was finally obtained, and a letter was hastily penned and sent on its way. A week or so elapsed, when the following letter was received from Texas:

"Dear Sister in Christ: Your letter was this day received, and I hastened to thank you for your words of tender sympathy and for tidings of my boy—the first we have had in two years. When Murray left home we thought it would not be long. As the months rolled on the family had given him up for dead, but I felt sure God would give me back my boy."

"As I write from the couch of an invalid, my husband is in W—, nursing another son, who is lying at the gates of death with the typhoid fever; I could not wait his return to write to Murray. I wrote and told him, if I could, how quickly I would go and pillow his head upon my breast, just as I did when he was a little child."

"My poor, dear boy—so generous, kind and loving. What could he have done to deserve this punishment? You did not mention his crime, but say it was committed while under the influence of drink."

"I did not know he had ever tasted liquor. We raised six boys, and never knew one of them to be under the influence of drink. Oh!

is there any place in this nation that is safe when our boys have left the home fold!

"O, God! my sorrow is greater than I can bear. I cannot go to him, but, sister, I pray you to talk to him, and comfort him as you would have some mother talk to your boy were he in his place."

"Till him when he is released his place in the old home-nest and his mother's heart is swathing him."

Then followed the loving mother's words for Murray, in addition to those written. As I write bitter tears over the words so full of heart break, I asked myself the question: "How long will the nation continue to sanction the liquor traffic, covenant with death and league with hell, to rob us of our boys?"

Lovers of God and humanity, will you not work for the passage of laws that will save the boys and the agony of mothers like this! Similar cases are among us all the time.

### News Notes.

Queen Victoria will visit the French squadron at Portsmouth.

The death rate from cholera is 140 per day at Mecca, and 30 daily at Djeddah.

There has been a large increase in the volume of immigration into the United States during the past fiscal year. The total number arriving was 555,496, as against 451,219 during the fiscal year of 1890.

The tea trade of Japan is constantly increasing, while that of China is diminishing. The increase is at the rate of more than 3,500,000 pounds yearly. Most of the Japanese tea is consumed in the United States and Canada.

The people are greatly excited over the terrible mortality among cattle in Lawrence County, Ill. Last week 100 cattle died within a range of six miles south of Sumner city. In fifteen minutes after the disease seizes the cattle they are dead.

A mysterious disease has broken out among cattle west of Lyons, Ia. The joints swell at the knees, death soon follows, and after death, dark blood and matter flows as the swelling bursts. It appears to be contagious.

Two attempts have been made on the life of President Barillas of Guatemala and a revolution is inevitable. The dearth of corn and other articles of prime necessity is causing great suffering and the people are refusing to work unless food is supplied them.

A Bombay despatch of the 30th says: Fifteen inches of rain has fallen within the last 24 hours. The downs of Mahoeda and Bhowminger, in the Province of Cujerat, are flooded with water, which rises breast high in the streets. Three hundred people and a countless number of live stock have been drowned.

Canadian natural gas has been introduced into Buffalo residences up to this time to the number of 350, displacing coal for heating and cooking at this number of homes. New connections are being formed at the rate of six to eight daily. This is in addition to manufacturing and the water works, the latter requiring Canadian gas to the extent of \$50,000 a year from the provincial company.

Rats are very selfish. A Brooklyn lady has discovered this fact, and, acting upon it, placed a piece of looking glass in the side of a trap opposite the entrance. The rat, seeing the reflection of an animal of its kind about to enter, hastens its movements, and, of course, gets in first. The lady who thought of this trick has been quite successful in catching rats, and in the very trap which before they had studiously shunned.

—New York Weekly.

The flow of summer travel through Canada is having its effect on the traffic earnings of the railroads. The Grand Trunk receipts, last week, for the first time in many months, show an increase, due altogether to the large passenger train business. There is further cause for satisfaction in the situation from the fact freight earnings show signs of improving. Though small the increase in 1891 over 1890 is over and above a considerable increase in the latter year over 1889.

An incident of the Jewish prosecution at Vienna is reported by a correspondent of the London Standard as being well vouched for. A Jewish horse dealer in the suburbs was preparing to go to market, when he happened to look under the box seat of his cart and was startled to find there a little boy about five years old, huddled up in a narrow space between a number of iron spikes so arranged as to threaten him with serious injury whenever the cart was put in rapid motion. He had presence of mind enough to summon witnesses, and the child, who turned out to be the son of a poor Christian peasant in the neighborhood, was extricated unhurt from his dangerous position. The supposition is that he was placed there by anti-Semites, who intended to rescue him later on, after he had been wounded by the iron spikes, and then charge the Jews with the abduction of a Christian child for sacrifice at the Passover, which was then near at hand.

SOMETHING LIKE A GARDEN.—The Moncton Times reports that Mr. Burch, of that town, has four acres in a market garden, which will produce this year 14,000 cabbages, 100 bush. peas, 150 bush. onions, 200 bush. early potatoes, 200 bush. other vegetables. The cabbage alone will bring \$1000.

THE NEW BRUNSWICK WAY.—The Richibucto, N. B., Review says: A check-plat road master, who, it appears, has no watch, and being unable to borrow one, concluded to carry a clock so as to keep the correct time, and can be seen marching to and fro with a large eight day clock under his arm and a very severe expression on his intellectual phiz, while watching the men at work.

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