they can't get along without it

have got themselves into a bad

Speak to them, Lord ! do, for Jesus'

said: Now, all keep on your knees

and keep praying, while I ask these

dear souls to pray for themselves

He spoke to one after another, as

he placed his hand on their heads,

saying, Brother, you pray. Now

tell the Lord just what you want

him to do for you. How I trembled

as he approached me! Though I

had knelt down with the determin-

ation to give my heart to God,

when it came to the very moment

of grand decision I felt like back

ing out. The devil knelt by my

side, and whispered in my ear crimes

I had forgotten for months: What

are you going to do about such

matters if you start to be a Chris-

afford to make a mistake; had not

awhile and try to fix up some of

start? Oh, what a conflict was

going on for my poor soul! A

blessed whisper said, Come! The

devil said. Be careful? Jerry's

hand was on my head. He said,

Brother pray. I said, Can't you

pray for me? Jerry said, All the

prayers in the world won't save

you unless you pray for yourself.

I halted but a moment, and then

with a broken heart, I said : Dear

Jesus, can you help me? Dear

reader, never with mortal tongue

can I describe that moment. Al-

had been filled with indescribable

gloom, I felt the glorious bright-

my heart; I felt I was a free man.

Oh, the precious feeling of safety,

of freedom, of resting on Jesus!

felt that Christ with all his bright-

ness and power, had come into my

From that moment till now I

whiskey, and I have never seen

money enough to make me take

one. I promised God that night

that if he would take away the

appetite for s rong drink I would

work for him all my life. He has

Four years after my conversion

I was called by the trustees of the

old Jerry McAuley Mission, at 316

Water Street, to carry on the work

Jerry began in 1872. I have now

been here thirteen years and have

been permitted to see more ruined

drunkards redeemed and made pros-

perous than probably any other

Considerateness.

BY WAYLAND HOYT D D.

There is a beautiful injunction of

consideration in those words of St.

living man. Pray for us.

done his part, and I have been try

tian to night? Now you can't

When I have time, so many things I'll do To make life happier and more fair For those whose lives are crowded with

I'll help to lift them from their despair, When I have time.

When I have time the friend I love so well Shall know no more these weary, toiling

days; I'll lead her feet in pleasant paths

And cheer her heart with sweetest words

When I have time.

When you have time-the friend you loved so dear May be beyond the reach of all your sweet intent :

May never know that you so kindly To fill her life with sweet content.

When you had time. Now is the time! Ah, friend, no longer

To scatter loving smiles and words of | you better think this matter over cheer To those around whose lives are now so the troubles you are in, and then

dear; They may not need you in the coming year-

> Now is the time. -LONDON CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

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> My Last Drink. BY S. H. HADLEY.

Superintendent of the Old Jerry McAul ey Mission, 316 Water Street, New York. though up to that moment my soul

One Tuesday evening, on April 18, 1882, I sat in a saloon in Harlem, a homeless, friendless, dying ness of the noonday sun shine into drunkard. I had pawned or sold everything that would bring a drink. I could not sleep unless I was dead drunk. I had not eaten for days and for four nights preceding I had suffered with delirum life; that indeed old things had tremens, or horrors, from midnight till morning. I had often said, I will never be a tramp; I will never be cornered; for, when the time comes, if it ever does, I will find a home in the bottom of the river! But the Lord so ordered it that when the time did come, I was not able to walk one-quarter of the way to the river. As I sat there think ing I seemed to feel some great and mighty presence. I did not know ing to do mine. then what it was. I did learn afterward that it was Jesus, the sinner's friend. I walked up to the bar and pounded it with my fist till I made the glasses rattle. Those who stood by drinking looked on with scornful curosity. I said] would never take another drink if I died in the street; and, reader, I felt as though that would happen before morning. Something said, If you want to keep that promise, go and have yourself locked up. went to the nearest station-house, a short distance away, and had my-

was placed in a narrow cell, Paul to the Galatians : Brethren, if and it seemed as though all the de- a man be over:ak n in a au't, ye mons that could find room came in which are spiritual restore such an to mend, to reset the broken order, that place with me. This was not one in the spirit of meekness, conall the company I had either. No, sidering thyself, lest thou also be complete. To do that is the prim praise the Lord; that dear Spirit | tempted that came to me in the saloon was present, and said-Pray! I did pray; accurately, brothers-since brethren help, I kept on praying. As soon | iastical and far away-is the interas I was able to leave my cell I was preting word here, the word under taken to the police court, and re- the light of which all these clauses selves spiritual. Ye which are finally released, and found my way | yet, even though he may have sadly | how, in the fashioning of fine vases to my brother's house, where every fallen, and is still worthy of all nothing can take the place of the care was given me. While lying possible attempts at reclamation. lowing Sabbath morning, I felt that Version, even if a man be overtaken. its final shape of beauty; no ma plans were turned over in my mind, surprised i to, suddenly caught in. can do. It needs the brotherly

self locked up.

with great difficulty I made my e en if a man be surprised into broken life. way to the spac - ne ir the platform. some sad lapse-a man surprised indrunkard and the outcast-that sight uncommon. man of God Jerry McAuley. He A man may be thus surprised, strong, patient, loving self control. Journal. rose, and amid deep silence, told because of his heredity. I have a We are to restore by considerhis experience, that simple story dog Jerry. He is a cocker-spaniel. ateness, in the memory of our own that I heard so many hundred He is marvell usly intelligent frailty. Lest thou also be tempted times afterward, but which was ever Fetching and carrying are in the testimony that carried conviction ity in men as well as in dogs. with it, and I found myself saying, I worder if God can save me? I heredity. Some evil tendency or

helped me. Jerry made the first For example, how easi'y oan econ. which the duty wore. prayer. I shall never forget it. He omy becom scovetousness, or bere o. This gracious considerateness

souls? They need your help, Lord, | fanaticism, or culture and high ness of the declining winter. Somesocial position breed a hard and how amidst it everything bes: in Blessed Jesus, these poor sinners despising censoriousness.

Or a man may be thus surprised as Peter was startled into denial of sake-Amen! Then Mrs. McAuley his Lord by all the strange, new prayed fervently for us, and Jerry circumstances of that sad night of sad lapse. betrayal and arrest

> Or a man may be thus surpris d into a trespass by a sudden onset of temptation, upon his weakest side, as Satan made attack upon our Lord in the wilderness on His then weakest side—His hunger after the long | harshness ?—The Watchman. fasting. And the man may forget, what our Lord did not, that the only safety is in a resistance instant and hard as adamant.

Yes, it is by no means an uncommon sight-a man overtaken in a

fault, trespass, lapse. Well, what is the too usual but wrong way of treatment of such a one? It is the way the reverse from brotherly. Brothers, even if a man be overtaken in any trespass.

Sometimes, the one overtaken in some trespass is treated in the unbrotherly, and so wrong way, of carelessness. Never mind; it doesn't especially concern me; I am not going to trouble myself about it, is the thing often said.

Sometimes the one overtaken in any trespass is treated in the unbrotherly, and so wrong way, of withdrawal of intercourse. We say we will have nothing more to do with him. And we cut acquain. tance, and pass him without greeting on the street, and never put foot again over his threshold, though the way to his house had been a way to our feet wonted and socially delightful. It were well for us,

L rd's distinct directions. (Matt. xviii. 10 17.) Sometimes, one overtaken in some trespass is treated in the unbrother-

in such case, to read heedfully our

ly, and so wrong way, of telling it widely and in a sort of tattle. One suggests, and wisely, that before repeating a bit of gossip it is well to passed away, and all things had ask ourselves three questions; Is it true? Is it kind? Is it necessary?

Philip de Neri was once visited have never wanted a drink of by a lady who accused herself of s'ander. The saint bade her go to the market, buy a chicken just killed and still covered with feathers, and that she then walk a certain distance plucking the fowl as she went, and scattering the feathers. The command obeyed, the woman again visited the saint, that she might learn its meaning. Replied the saint, Retrace yoursteps and gather, one by one, the feathers you have flung abroad. Said she, I ca t the feathers carelessly away, and the wind carried them in all directions

> Well, my chi'd, said Philip de Neri, so it is with slanders. Like the feathers which the wind has scattered, they have been wafted in many directions. Call them back now, if you can.

But under the light of this interpreting word Brothers behold the true treatment, even if one be over are spirit. al restore such an onethe true treatment is to restore. The word means, literally, to repair, Brethren; or, better and more of Christianity.

And the apostle goes on to tell and though I did not feel any great has gotten a purport simply eccles- us the three ways in which we are to attempt such restoration.

human hand. The vase must r to Jerry McAuley's Mission. I word means literally, a falling away the yearning of the Divine Spirit,

He was a young man who had new; how he had been a thief, an strain of the cocker-spaniel blood. fallen into sad lapse of faithlessness, outcast, a drunkard—yes a regular I have noticed that while he will despair, refusal of duty. The bum! but I gave my heart to God, learn in other directions, it is far skies seemed black to him, the way and he saved me from everything easier to teach him along the line of rough. But the blackness and the years. that's wicked and bad. There was bringing things and carrying things. roughness were really the issues of a sincerity about this man and his Teaching here lays hold of his hered- his own soul-surprised as it had There is frequently a very bad rebellion.

listened to the testimony of twenty- passion is in the strain of the blood, came to sit by the young man. rence Co., Ltd., manufacturers. five or thirty persons, every one of and though a man have forg'it There was reason enough for them whom had been saved from rum, against it, it not seldom happens but no reproach nor the slightest and I made up my mind that I that suddenly the bad heredity re- cadence of scolding fell from this would be saved or die right there. asserts itself and the man is sur- other's lips. He simply told how When the invitation was given I prised into a doing or a yielding, he, too, in earlier life, had been knelt down with quite a crowd of against which, for many a month or similarly overtaken, and how he drunkards. Never will I forget year, he has used triumphing will. had found rescue and deliverance in me! I was a total stranger; but pursued but a little way beyond due promises, and in a brave attempt at

said: Dear Saviour, won't you lence lavishness, or hope careless was to the young mas as the genial look down in pity on these poor ness, or leisure laziness, or faith breath of the spring amid the ici- a chance to heal.

him sprang up, as spring warmths held the early flowers to set their hole. Won't you help them out? by unexpected circumstances, even beauty amid the brownness of the winter leaves. That considerateness restored the young man from his

It is many years ago, but the restoring influence of that considerateness has never ceased. The considerateness meant a brother rewon, saved. Was not that better than to have smitten him with

A Tonic For Doubters.

A pastor was staying once in a country village where he was to visit a dying woman. He went to her and found her a Christian, ready and willing to die, but for one thing. She was anxious about her little chi dren, and begged the minister to pray that they might be provided for when she was gone.

Together the mother and minister prayed for that one thing, though they knew not how their prayer could be answered in that little village where none were rich enough to take upon themselves the expense of caring for three orphans. The woman died, and at her funeral the minister spoke of his visit and the dying prayer.

Among those at the funeral were two strangers—a man and his wife-who were passing through the village; and by chance—as they supposed—they happened to enter the church at that hour. They were wealthy and childless, and touched by the sight of the lonely little orphans, they took them to their hearts and home; and so the mother's prayer was answered.

A yet more striking instance of answered prayer was one that came to a poor woman in India. She had become a Christian, accepting God wi'h simp'e and absolute faith.

Some time after her conversion her child fell sick-so sick that its recovery was very doubtful. Ice was needed for the little sufferer. but none was to be had.

I'm going to ask God to send ice, the mother said to the mission-

Oh, but you can't expect that he will do that, was the quick reply of

the missionary. Why not? asked the woman He has all power, and he loves us.] shall ask him, and I believe he will send it.

She did ask him, with a faith that never faltered, and God honored her faith. That very day there was a heavy thunder storm, and the woman, running out, with a glad heart, gathered a great bowlful of harlstones. So was answered the prayer of this mother also.—Christian Endeavor World.

The Rise of a Boy.

Many a boy goes to business, and taken in any trespass. Ye which as his busines begins by simply doing the things he is told to do, and doing them in a common ordinary way, says Dr. Lyman Abbott. he stops here, he remains all his and make that which is fragmen ary life long, a drudge. But if he begins to see that business has a ary purpose, the innermost meaning significance; that life is not merely sweeping the store, not merely writing letters, not merely selling goods; if he begins to see that busi ness is a greater instrument of bene-We are to restore by being our- ficence than what we cal beneficence; that trade is clothing thousmanded back to the cell. I was get disc'osure. One is a brother spiritual restore. I was reading ands of men where charity clothes ten; that agricultural and milling industri-s are feeding thousands of men where charity feeds ten; if he in bed the admonishing Spirit never | Brothers, if a man be overtaken ceive the de'icate, soft, skilful beg no to see how the whole indusleft me, and when I arose the fol in a fault, according to the Revised touch of the human hand to get t y of the world is linked together, and is God's way of builling up day would decide my fate. Many That word overtaken may mean chinery, no hard mechanicalness humanity,—as he gets this larger but all were rejected; and toward Also the word fault is rendered tres hand, sympathic and tender ahand to riched and becomes itself the minview and enters into it, life is enevening it came into my head to go pass in the Revised Version; the thrill, and some word gracious with ister whereby love is enlarged and went. The house was packed, and from right, truth, duty. Brothers, to repair and reset a brother's wherein he is educat d, out of the conscience strengthened, the school lower into the higher. He has now We are to restore by being meek, risen or is rising from that which is There I saw the apostle to the to fault, tr spass, lapse, is not a In the spirit of meekness, and a mortal into that which is immortal New Testament meeknes: is a and eternal.—Penman's Roman Art

> Nosh Webster, from first to last, spent seventeen years on his diction ary of the English language.

Longfellow turned out about one volume of poems a year for many

IMMENSE INCREASE in the sale of been into a kind of reaction and the fact that it is useful for all rheumatic pains, lumbago and lame back, Then one he knew and loved pain in the sides, etc. Davis & Law-

> Hali's Hair Renewer cures dandruff and scalp affections; also all cases of baldness where the glands which feed

none so bid that it will not give relief. For coughs, colds and all affections of I felt I had sympathy, and it bounds, turn so quickly into faults. duty, jagged as the look might be the throat, lungs and chest, it is a

David Livingstone, when but a

Every Boy Should Learn

Not to take the easiest chair in the room, put it in the pleasantest; place, and torget to offer it to his mother when she comes to sit

To treat his mother as politely as if she were a strange lady who did

not spend her life in his service. To be as helpful to his sisters as he expects his sisters to be to him. To be kind as well as brave, and

just as well as generous. To take pride in being a gentleman at home as well as abroad -Church Standard.

when Dr. R. V. Pierce's medicines are used," writes Mrs. Edmon Jacobs, of Bargersville, Johnson County, Ind. "I had not heard of Dr. Pierce's medicines three

years ago when I was confined, so had to suffer

almost death. Before baby was born I could not

be on my feet without two persons holding me

" The advice of a neighbor."

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What a difference

the suffering at

of childbirth

The baby was a

boy weighing nine and three-

quarter pounds, and for some weeks after his birth I suffered

advice of a neigh

bought me Doctor

Prescription

which I took dur-

ing the winter, and in March

1898, I gave birth

three-quarter

pounds. I was

Dollars lad, received advice from his old Sunday-school teacher which he never forgot. Now, lad, were the faithful words, be constant; make religion the everyday business of your life, and not a thing of fits and starts; for if you are not constant, temptation will get the bet-

Doctors.

But Mrs. Douglas derived Though Tommy En benefit till she used B.B.

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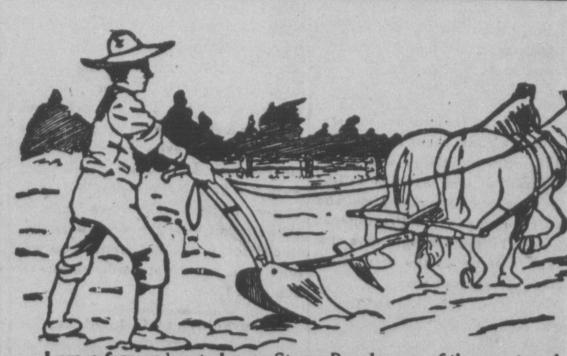
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I am a farmer located near Stony Brook, one of the most malarle districts in this State, and was bothered with malaria for years, at tin so I could not work, and was always very constipated as well. years I had malaria so bad in the spring, when engaged in plowl that I could do nothing but shake. I must have taken about a ba of quinine pills besides dozens of other remedies, but never obtain any permanent benefit. Last fall, in peach time, I had a most serie attack of chills and then commenced to take Ripans Tabules, upo friend's advice, and the first box made me all right and I have no been without them since. I take one Tabule each morning and ni and sometimes when I feel more than usually exhausted I take three a day. They have kept my stomach sweet, my bowels regular an have not had the least touch of malaria nor splitting headache sind commenced using them. I know also that I sleep better and wake more refreshed than formerly. I don't know how many complain the roots of the hair are not cl sed up. Ripans Tabules will help, but I do know they will cure any one in condition I was and I would not be without them at any price. There are cases of consumption so honestly consider them the cheapest-priced medicine in the world, that scene! How I wondered if I Or a man may be thus surprised submission, in determined hoping, sumptive Syrup will not cure but I am twenty-seven years of age and have worked hard all my life, same as most farmers, both early and late and in all kinds of weath and I have never enjoyed such good health as I have since last fall; specific which has never been known fact, my neighbors have all remarked my improved condition and he to fail. It promotes a free and easy said, "Say, John, what are you doing to look so healthy?" expectoration, thereby remoting the philegm, and gives the diseas d parts a chance to heal.

WANTED.—A case of bad health that R.T.P.A.N.S will not beneat. They banks pain and present philegm, and gives the diseas d parts a chance to heal.

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Willie had the Chester fell do thumb :

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What do you y ?' asked Alfr 'Not much, o s word, answe 'What do you Why, if he e'll stick to it. The questione rolonged whist 'I suppose you it,' he said, ecause I didn vesterday. Perh hat I had a rea S, he had; hought he woul The speakers

'Father,' que that evening, hould always 'Certainly I sees that keep or might bring But what is trouble on him 'He should ! fore he made i look ahead, as honor question

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