

LIVE IT DOWN.

BY ELLA WHEELER WILSON.

Has your life a bitter sorrow? Live it down. Think about a bright to-morrow—Live it down. You will find it never pays Just to sit, wet-eyed, and pout On the past's vanished days; Live it down.

THE HOME.

For Sisters.

Some years ago, as I sat on the piazza of a summer hotel, I noticed among the crowd, a party of young people, two or three pretty girls, and many bright young men, all "waiting for the mail."

THE FARM.

C. B. Coy, Fresno, Cal., claims to have raised 73 bushels of the Dakota red potatoes on a single acre. F. K. ...

HEALTHY NOTES.—Sir William Gull says that when fagged out by professional work he recruits his strength by eating raisins, and not by drinking wine or brandy.

Recent experiments at the New York Agricultural Station at Geneva, show that the total fertilizing value of the solid and liquid manure produced by a herd of dairy cows is equal to 40 per cent. of the market value of the food consumed, and that the liquid manure is worth just 61 per cent. of the total value of the manure produced.

It has been ascertained by the Dominion experiment farm at Ottawa, that a wheat can be imported from the northern climates of Russia equal in quality to the Red Fife & No. 1, but which will ripen ten days or two weeks earlier.

annihilate the whole traffic, but their number is too small, and the personal cost of the use of intoxicating beverages too debilitating to count for much in the struggle.

Most foreigners from the continent of Europe, particularly Germans (not including Methodist Germans, who are total abstainers, and other evangelical Germans accepting the American Christian view of this subject, and opposed to the sale of liquor), Austrians, French, Italians, are opposed to it, as are most of the Roman Catholic-Irish, though there is an increasing number in its favor.

Most young men, except those under special Christian influence, are either hostile or indifferent to prohibition. It is a tendency of young men to be for the party of indulgence, and they are only when their minds, under the influence of religious emotion, or particular circumstances affecting their own lives, naturally pursue the reflections from which genuine reforms arise that they ally themselves with them.

Many who do not believe in the possibility of enforcing prohibition oppose it on that ground. This includes many advocates of high-licenses, who, believing that the effect of the enactment of prohibition would be free rum, choose any form of license in preference to that.

The Right Spirit.

Certain discontented souls never weary of telling the world that in the United States "the poor are growing poorer and the rich are growing richer." That is true in some cases, and in other cases the rich are becoming poorer and the poor are getting richer.

Christine Nilsson was once entertained at the home of a retired American millionaire. A company of distinguished guests assembled to meet her. On entering the dining-room she dropped the arm of her host and seized the hand of the butler and engaged him in conversation, while the whole company looked on in amazement.

We are glad to believe that the silly prejudice against and contempt for milk and cream are disappearing from among intelligent people. Many thoroughly educated men are now herding sheep and raising grain in Dakota and Texas.

Speak Kindly.

A young woman had gone out walking. She forgot to take her purse with her, and had no money in her pocket. Presently she met a little girl with a basket on her arm.

"Please, miss, will you buy something from my basket?" said the little girl, showing a variety of book-marks, watch-cases, needle-books, etc.



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English Gooseberries and Mildew.

A writer in the Canadian Horticulturalist claims to have completely overcome the tendency to mildew in the growth of the English gooseberry in this country, and gives a large list of sorts, with the sizes he obtains by his method, which is: First, to select a heavy or clay soil, check overbearing, generously prune, so that air can play around every part of the bush, and every few years (he states eight), give each bush an absolute rest, by cutting away all fruit, to recuperate, and prevent exhaustion, which induces mildew. If a experience with the Crown Bud, White-smith, Red Warrington, and Ocean Wave, has been for fifteen years. He is in favor of training the bushes to a single stem of about eight inches over the surface of the ground to where they branch out. He has tried stems fifteen inches high, but found the plants were not so vigorous in growth, did not bear so heavily, and were not so long lived.

TEMPERANCE.

Analysis of the Forces Against Prohibition.

Recently we referred to some of these forces in the discussion of the lost battle in Pennsylvania, but now design a closer analysis.

1. Liquor-dealers and their dependents. This includes all distillers, brewers, wholesalers, saloon keepers, bar-tenders, the majority of hotel proprietors, a considerable proportion of grocers dealing in liquors, and many druggists, and, speaking generally, all their employees. A few persons connected with the trade would be glad to see the whole business abolished, but we believe the number too insignificant to materially modify the general statement. To these must be added the multitude of lawyers in their pay; for these distillers, brewers, and the saloon and hotel proprietors are several in close relation to one or more lawyers.

2. The majority of drunkards are opposed to prohibition. It is common to say that if a chance be given to them, they will vote in favor of closing the saloon. This is true of some, but only those who desire to reform, which includes, as we have reason to believe, but the minority. The confessions and promises of a poor wretch recovering from a spree, or just turned out of a situation, or being appealed to by a pious woman, or begging for help, and not always, however, indicate his real desire. The majority of them like the saloon, its company, light and warmth, jokes, pools, drinks, though many reformers do not seem to understand it. Besides, the saloon-keepers have a vested interest in the liquor traffic, and they will do their best to keep it open.

3. A large majority of those moderate drinkers who drink at bars, and resort to such places for business purposes, are opposed to prohibition.

4. The immense preponderance of those who do not patronize saloons, but keep liquors in their houses and use them either habitually on their tables or set them before guests on special occasions, are opposed to any form of prohibition which will make it difficult for them to procure supplies. These are some of those who are so impressed with the evils of the saloon as to be willing to

A Short Sermon.

The witty and eccentric Dean Swift was, on some occasion, requested to preach a charity sermon in St. Patrick's cathedral, Dublin. With this request he complied in the following style:

"My dear brethren, I have been requested to preach a charity sermon, and have thought it my duty to comply with the request. My text is 'Man.' 1st. Naked and bare. 2nd. His progress through the world is Sorrow and care. 3rd. His egress out of the world is The Lord knows where. You will do well there, if you do well here; I can tell you no more if I preach a whole year. Now my dear brethren, down with the dust!

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