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How to Avoid a Monday Morning Headache.

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One of the Causes of an Austrian Musician's Popularity.

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LOCAL TEMPERANCE COLUMN.

In charge of the W. C. T. U.

Drinking and Employment.

The demoralization of liquor drinking has long been a recognized fact, and the standard argument with temperance people...

How they are interested, how they stop and think. They perceive how true the fact is, and all classes of men and all kinds of business are quietly putting their foot on the saloon drunkard and moderate drinker.

A mistake caused by the muddled brain of the mechanic may involve a loss to his employer of any amount, from one dollar up to a thousand.

Moderate drinkers are making many and grievous mistakes continually. Employers lose money, custom, trade, reputation by having such ones in their employ.

It may not be generally known, but it is a fact, that no railroad company will have a drinker in its employ, if it knows it.

Fairbanks, the great scale manufacturers, are enforcing the same rule, and a movement is being made in all the large factories of the east to shut out those who are in any way given to drink.

Prohibition, therefore, is becoming more and more of a necessity, for it is a self-ventilating fact to both employer and employee, that so long as the saloon exists, and temptations and fascinations are thrown around men, so long will total abstinence be a failure, men will drink and destroy lives and property.

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Grinding Material. The finest of emery cuts and leaves minute scores in the metal, particularly if the metal be so soft, it is impossible to produce a good, polishable surface with emery.

A man by the name of Williams, in Wake county, bought a quart of liquor, got drunk, killed a man against whom he had a grudge, mistaking him for another man, and is now to be hung for the bloody deed.

The State has lost two citizens. Wake county pays a heavy bill of expenses, two families are plunged into grief and shame, and a certain bar-keeper pockets fifty cents, feels respectable, and is ready to do the same thing again with the same result.

Do not envy the liquor-dealer. He is never successful. He may accumulate property and build great houses, but as to the real purposes of life he is a failure and an object of pity.

The Southwest, the organ of the saloon-keepers of Ohio, published in Cincinnati, says: "Over a million and a half of dollars would be invested in permanent improvements in the brewing interest in this Cincinnati within a year, but for the threatening aspect of the prohibition question."

It is said that "Prohibition does not prohibit," and yet the secretary of the United States Brewers' association says: "In Kansas the Prohibition system has been in operation for two years, and all the brewers are ruined. No organization there fore, exists in that state."

What is my opinion of said, sweet memories? For three or four years I have known an old man, whose youth and manhood have been spent in a course of hard work, and whose age has been hardened by poverty.

"Almost alone in the world, I had thought, as I met him day after day, reserved and cold, that he had turned all his memories into worm food and gall, and that his heart contained only the bitterness of life."

"I am old now," he said, "and fifty years have grown up between me and the time when the sun shone upon my head and brightened my life. This little handkerchief, stained and faded, is all that I can see of that far-away past, and it wears the fifty long years which have stretched their weary, weary days to this hour."

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The heart forces the blood into the lungs when it receives oxygen, or in other words, is aerated, and thence drives the current throughout the system to supply every part with nourishment, and in turn remove all impurities.

The heart is placed in the left side of the chest in the vast majority of cases, but there are those who have their hearts on the right instead of the left side of the chest.

I remember seeing a number of years ago, a man about forty years of age, with his heart situated on the right side. He said he had noticed this curious phenomenon ever since the age of four.

The heart is an involuntary muscle. By involuntary I mean something over which we have no control. The breath or respiration is both voluntary and involuntary. We can cause it to stop, but only for a short time.

Among other things in connection with the heart, may be mentioned its injuries; and these, strangely enough, are not always so fatal as it is generally supposed.

Soldiers wounded in the heart, in battle, or other persons injured by sharp instruments, do not always die immediately. Sometimes hours, days, months and years elapse before death occurs; and again, the wounded may entirely recover.

Let us now turn to the consideration of another accident to which the heart is occasionally liable; that is, rupture or the breaking of the heart. A "broken heart" is generally regarded, except in cases of previous disease, as but existing in the imagination of poets and sentimentalists.

Even after the heart has been pierced by sharp instruments, recovery has taken place, or death has been delayed for some time. A person died of some obscure disease of the heart under which he had labored for three months.

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