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MODERATE DRINKERS! This picture appeals to you in all its horrible aspects. Drunkenness is the fruit of moderate drinking. What a terrible risk you run in tampering with the cup. Abstain from it, then, and be safe.

DRUNKARDS! You here see yourself as others see you. If you have any respect for yourself or friends left, will not this humiliating sight induce you to abandon the accursed poison?

DEALERS! Here, indeed, is a true specimen of your work. A noble man, made in the image of God, degraded by you to a lower level than the brute beast. Will you not cease this work of ruin?

CITIZENS! Can you look indifferently upon such scenes as this? Will you not use your voice and pen and vote in the noble cause of Temperance?

WOMEN! This picture appeals to you in thunder tones. While Fathers, Husbands and Brothers are rapidly going to destruction, ever be ready to lend a helping hand.

CHRISTIANS! Can you permit such a foe of the gospel to live, without doing your utmost to destroy it? Let your powerful influence be exerted every where, for sobriety.

THE NATIONAL DEATH LIST! APPALLING STATISTICS!
 Every year, the liquor traffic in the United States,
 Is making **50,000** confirmed drunkards!
 Is sending **100,000** persons to prison!
 Is sending **150,000** persons to drunkards graves!
 Is reducing **200,000** children to want and beggary!
 At a cost of about **\$1,500,000,000**
 which would furnish **220,000,000** barrels of flour, at \$7.00 to the starving poor, or build **150,000** dwellings or churches, at a cost of \$10,000 each, or provide **15,000,000** suits of clothing, at \$100 each, or send a bible to every inhabitant of the globe.

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