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THE OLD CHURCH.

He Was Not Concerned About The Money, He Had the Faith.

A lawyer in Boston was asked to go to a village some distance from the city, in order to effect the sale of a Baptist house of worship. Services had not been held there for many years, and it was argued that the better plan was to sell the property and give up the work. When the lawyer looked over the field it occurred to him that it would be more honoring to God to save the property and renew the services. He found four members of that church. They were divided in sentiment as to the disposal of the property. The lawyer said he would preach in the building the following Lord's day. On that day seven were present and the next Lord's day forty. One Monday morning the lawyer was seen at the building with a pick and shovel engaged in tearing the boards from the old dilapidated meeting house.

"What are doing there?" said a passer-by.

"Tearing down the old building," said the lawyer. "It's too old for use and we shall build a new one."

"But where will you get the money to build with?"

"I am not much concerned about that," replied the lawyer; "God will supply the money."

"Well," said the man, "if you have faith like that, I'll help you. You can put me down for a hundred dollars."

Another passer-by stepped up and repeated the same inquiries. "Why," said the lawyer, "God is sending in the money already. Mr. Blank just passed by and has promised a hundred dollars."

"It is possible?" said the man. "Blank is the stingiest man in our town, and if he gives a hundred, you can put me down for the same amount."

So the work went on. That afternoon one-half of the amount necessary was subscribed for the new building. In time the new meeting-house lifted its spire toward heaven. The lawyer turned preacher, and became the pastor of the rejuvenant church. This is not a tradition. It is a fact; and may be found in the New York Baptist annual report of some fifteen years ago.—The Christian.

A CONSIDERATE TRAMP.

Magistrate (to tramp)—You met this lady on the highway and demanded alms of her, and she refused you.

"Yes, your honor."

"And then you threatened her life."

"Oh, no! I didn't do that."

"You seized your bludgeon with both hands and said, 'Madam, you must die.' You did that, didn't you?"

"Yes, but I didn't threaten her life. I said that she must die, and so she must some time or other. We must all die some day. I did not say when she must die. I think a great deal about death and all that, and—"

"Six months' hard labor!"—London Express.

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MIGNON'S SONG.

This song is found in Goethe's novel, "Wilhelm Meister," and is one of the songs in the opera of "Mignon." There are many English translations of it. The one given here is by William Henry Channing, an American Unitarian clergyman and litterateur, whose German translations are rendered with great skill.

Know'st thou the land where flowers of citron bloom?
The golden orange glows through leafy gloom?
From the blue heavens the breezes float so bland?
The myrtles still, and tall the laurels stand?
Know'st thou the land?
Oh there,—oh there!
Loved one, with thee I long to wander there.

Know'st thou the house? Its roof the columns bear,—
The polished floors, the halls so bright and fair,
Where marble figures standing look on me,
"Thou poorest child, what have they done to thee?"
Know'st thou the house?
Oh there,—Oh there!
With thee, kind guardian, oh could I be there!

Know'st thou the mountain peak? the airy bridge,
Where loaded mules climb o'er the misty ridge?
In hollows dwell the serpent's ancient brood;
The rent crag rushes down the foaming flood:
Know'st thou the mount?
Oh there—Oh there
Leadeth our way—O father, lead us there!

THE OLD ARM CHAIR.

I love it, I love it; and who shall dare
To chide me for loving that old arm chair?
I've treasured it long as a sainted prize,
I've bedewed it with tears, and embalmed it with sighs;
'Tis bound by a thousand bands to my heart;
Not a tile will break, not a link will start.
Would you learn the spell? A mother sat there,
And a sacred thing is that old armchair.

In childhood's hour I lingered near
The hallowed seat with listening ear;
And gentle words that mother would give,
To fit me to die and teach me to live,
She told me shame would never betide,
With truth for my creed and God for my guide;
She taught me to lisp my earliest prayer,
As I knelt beside that old armchair.

I sat and watched her many a day,
When her eyes grew dim and her locks were gray;
And I almost worshiped her when she smiled
And turned from her Bible to bless her child.
Years rolled on, but the last one sped—
My idol was shattered, my earth-star fled;
I learned how much the heart can bear
When I saw her die in that old armchair.

'Tis past, 'tis past! But I gaze on it now
With quivering breath and throbbing brow:
'Twas there she nursed me, 'twas there she died;
And memory flows with lava tide.
Say it is folly, and deem me weak,
While the scalding drops start down my cheek;
But I love it, I love it, and cannot tear
My soul from a mother's old armchair.

—Eliza Cook.

THE EARTH A GROWTH.

"In the beginning God created Heaven and earth. And the earth was without form and void." Whatever our speculations may be in regard to a "beginning" and when it was, it is written in the rocks that, like the animals and plants upon its surface, the earth itself grew; that for countless ages, measured by years that no man could number, the earth has been assuming its present form and composition, and that the processes of growth and decay are active every hour.—Elisha Gray, in Nature's Miracles.

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"THE EYES OF THE LORD."

The Lord Knows Your Several Burdens, and He Will Help You to Bear It.

"The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous, and his ears are open unto their cry."—Ps. xxxiv., 15.

The most keen sighted of mortals are very blind on some points. But the Lord sees, not as man, for "the eyes of the Lord are over all His works, beholding the evil and the good." From Him no secrets are hid; He sees the past and the future, as well as each event of our present life.

The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous, and they see our sorrows. The Lord tells us distinctly, "I know their sorrows." He knows your sorrows and mine. One-half of the world knows nothing of the other half. Persons living side by side, on the same street, and yet not know of the troubles next door. What do you know of the pains, doubts and fears of those whom you daily meet? God knows all, the secret of every heart, every darkened home, every lonely life. We cry in our misery, "Nobody knows, nobody cares!" But Jesus knows and Jesus cares. We cry for strength to Him who was wounded unto death, and He never fails to give it. We cry for wisdom to Him, who became a little child, and from Him we receive divine knowledge. Yea, all we need in Him we find if we will but ask for it.

Again, the eyes of the Lord see our burdens. We meet every day persons on the street. They carry no burden that we can see; but it is there, on the heart and head if not on the back. Each one has his own load to carry, and the Lord knows exactly the weight of each. He knows yours, poor widow, with your fatherless children to maintain; He knows yours, poor mother, with that prodigal ruining you; He knows yours, poor husband, with the stress of business cares, and yours, poor wife, with the worthless husband. The Lord knows your several burdens, and he will help you to bear it.

The eyes of the Lord see our sins. He beholds the righteous and the good. We cannot hide anything from his all-seeing eye. To Him the darkest night, the most secret place, is as clear as the noonday. A man may deceive others, and perhaps himself, but he cannot deceive God. The eyes of the Lord look into his heart and read all the deceit and hypocrisy and self-deception there. There is that unclean thought; that secret, shameful sin, unconfessed, unforgiven; that cruel envy towards one's neighbor; that angry, sullen resentment; that mean, dishonest action. There they all are, lying open to God's sight, who will one day be our judge.

The eyes of the Lord see our mistakes and follies. It is amazing to see how people want to be rich or great, instead of being good; how they run after pleasure and honor, like children after a butterfly. All their honor, and glory, and might, and power, end at last in a coffin and a handful of dust. All go to one place—the grave—and the only thing that remains is obedience to God and His will. All else goes for nought.

The eyes of the Lord see our efforts after. Most of us are of small reputation, and what we do amounts to very little. God does not expect us to do great things, but what He watches for is whether we daily do our duty, however humble that may be. Every little effort for good is seen by Him. When you struggled with that fierce temptation, God saw and helped you. When you shared your pure food with one still poorer than yourself, God saw it and blessed you.

If we work for God His eyes see us, and He helps us, He labors for and with us, and makes our poor work glorious. For not only does He see all that you do, but He will reward you according to your work—if not here, then hereafter.

The eyes of the Lord are upon the righteous. What does He see in you?

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I thought when I arose I would beg your pardon for trespassing on your precious time, but in order to keep a promise made to my Master thirty years ago, I feel that I must speak, even though I run the risk of incurring your displeasure. And the promise made, when he took me into his service, and stirred me on the road to heaven, was that I would sound the signal all along the way. And beginning with the first run, I have kept my promise up to this happy hour, and am determined to continue until the last signal post is passed and I sound the signal for the Union depot. And that last signal, friends, I want to make so loud and clear that father, mother, brother, sister, the dear little one whom God took from my bosom 23 years ago and planted in His beautiful garden, and the angels will hear and spread the glad tidings of the coming in of my soul over all that happy land.

Oh, brethren, please be patient with me, for my soul is so happy and my heart so full, I feel that I must speak. I must open the safety-valve and let her pop, or the old boiler will burst wide open. I want to tell you that I am not troubled with doubts now, for He fills my soul with precious love, which "casteth out all fear." I have learned by a happy experience that "His yoke is easy and His burden light." My cross gets lighter every day, and the farther I go, the smoother the road. I have reached the point where it is all ballasted with the riches of His grace, and the old machine is lubricated with the fullness of His love.

Dear brethren, His peaceful and abiding presence is so dear to me that I have the throttle wide open and am letting her go for all she is worth. I have nothing to fear, and the Captain of my salvation is so near that I can hear His loving voice saying to me, "Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end." The farther the way the stronger grows my faith, the brighter the way and the higher use my joys. Every revolution of the wheel gives me fresh assurance that I am nearing my happy home. I feel that it is almost in sight, and I can almost hear the angel's song. I may never have the happy privilege of looking into your faces, or witnessing for my blessed Master at another Annual Conference, but if I do not, my prayer is that when "They shall come from the east and from the west and from the north and from the south," that I may be there to see you coming up bringing in your sheaves, and may we strike hands on that blissful shore, and in the arms of Jesus rest forever under 'the shade of the trees.' This is the song of my soul, as I speed on my homeward way:

"Soon I'll roll across the trestle,
Spanning Jordan's swelling tide,
I behold the Union Depot
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