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Why no more sea? What does the absence of sea signify? It means that the development of sympathy and the perfection of human character will have done away with that which separates people, with moral apathy and indifference, with isolation and loneliness.

"And I John saw the holy city, new Jerusalem, coming down from God out of heaven, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

"And I heard a great voice out of heaven saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God." Heaven here on earth; old Nature redeemed.

"And God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain; for the former things are passed away."

And so we have the picture of the new order when suffering, and sympathy, and love, and service, and sacrifice have completed and perfected human character.

### All Farms Need First Aid Kits

"First aid kits are essential equipment on every farm," declared Paul Choplin, county agent for the State College Extension Service, here this week. Facilities for prompt treatment of injury may save a life or prevent serious infection, he asserted.

According to recommendations of the National Safety Council, Mr. Choplin said, good first aid kits need not be expensive or difficult to provide. Home-made kits containing the essential medications, drugs, and dressings may serve equally as well as the more costly prepared kits on the market, he added.

### LIFE'S BETTER WAY

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**GOD'S WONDERFUL WORLD**  
One of our readers from Wilkes county, who, I take it for granted, reads our department in The Journal-Patriot of North Wilkesboro, N. C., under the heading, "Life's Better Way," says in a recent letter:

"Dear Brother Isenhour: This morning as I look out over this beautiful country landscape and behold God's world bathed in His glorious sunshine, there is joy and thankfulness abounding in my heart and soul. I'm thankful to Him who gives the sunshine and rain, and who makes the breezes blow, and the fields of yellow grain to ripen. But above all I'm thankful to Him for His living Word, that tells me the great story of His Son Jesus who died that sinner might be saved from eternal darkness and death to eternal light and life. I oftentimes hear a song entitled, 'Thank God,' which thrills my heart and soul. I thank God for the spiritual songs, poets who have written such songs as 'There Is a Fountain,' 'Tell It To Jesus,' 'Where We'll Never Grow Old,' and many, many more. I never tire of hearing such Gospel songs.

"This morning I feel that I should send you a little offering, so I'm enclosing five dollars. I know it isn't much, but I give it in cheerfulness and humbleness, knowing that it will be used to the glory of God. May God bless you in your work, and won't you pray that my life may be a blessing to many travelers along life's pathway? If we never meet this side of heaven I know we will shake hands up there. There we'll sit down to that supper in the sky, and while ceaseless ages of eternity roll by we will live in the brightness of eternal day. From a fellow traveler on the road to that eternal home, "HERMAN D. WALKER."

Brother Walker, I thank God for your good letter and the liberal offering. May God richly and abundantly bless and reward you, and may your life prove a great blessing as you travel heavenward. Indeed we live in a beautiful, wonderful world, for which we should thank and praise God continually, but we shall have a far more beautiful, wonderful world in which to live "in the sweet by and by" when we meet Jesus in all His glory. O that we might help tens of thousands live for Jesus and reach heaven! "He that winneth souls is wise." (Prov. 11:30). How wonderful to be a real soul-winner! By leading souls to Jesus, and helping them reach heaven, we help save them from that awful place of outer darkness and eternal despair.

### Dellaplane News

The Oak Forest baptizing was held Sunday at the old Parks Mill. Successful revivals were held recently, both at Oak Forest and Antioch.

Mrs. Will Anderson has been recovering nicely from a recent serious operation.

Jim Frank Roberts is working at Newton. He graduated in electrical engineering, August 21.

Mrs. W. R. Wellborn, son, Dr. Bill Wellborn, and a little girl, all of Elkin, visited Miss Ruth Linney Monday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Wellborn, Dr. Wellborn and Mr. and Mrs. Worth Sale also called to see Miss Linney Sunday evening. She was at Oak Forest.

Monroe Smithy saw a big rattlesnake with many rattles at a sawmill place near the old millpond on the old Tilley place.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker of Advance, were in this vicinity last Saturday, and also at Sparta. Mr. Parker is the principal of Advance school. He and Mrs. Parker were seeking teachers for the 7th and 8th grades.

Carrier aircraft destroyed 12,268 of the 15,401 Japanese planes credited to U. S. Navy and Marine Corps airplanes during World War II, a recent Navy survey shows.

### Jack Kanupp Enlists

Winston-Salem — Staff Sgt. O. H. Phipps, Non-Commissioned Officer in charge of Marine Corps recruiting in Winston-Salem has announced the enlistment of Jack Donald Kanuff in the Marine Corps for a period of three years. Young Kanuff is the son of Blanche Kanuff of Route 1, North Wilkesboro.

Pvt. Kanuff at the present time is undergoing ten weeks of recruit training at Parris Island, South Carolina after which he will be promoted to the rank of Private First Class and given a ten-day leave. Upon the expiration of the leave he will report back to Parris Island for further assignment.

Many Johnston County farmers are raising their own beef for home consumption.

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### Revival Under Way At Pleasant Home

Revival services began Sunday night at Pleasant Home Baptist church near Millers Creek and

services are being held daily at 7:15 p. m. Rev. W. S. Luck, pastor, is being assisted by Rev. Clete Simmons, of Elkin. Special music will be rendered by the choir and quartets are invited to participate.

### Moral Side To Hospital Issue

Dr. W. S. Rankin, of the North Carolina Medical Care Commission, in a recent address before the North Wilkesboro Kiwanis club went into many facts and figures to show the need and value of hospital facilities in this community.

But the most inspiring part of Dr. Rankin's address was the conclusion which set forth the moral and spiritual reasons for a hospital, and we quote as follows that part of his message:

Sickness and suffering are not in the world as accidents of creation but are here as important elements in the all-wise creative design. They are essential parts of the total scheme of things. They cannot be left out of life's pattern and the finest elements and expressions of character retained. Why? Because without suffering, actual and potential, that is danger, there can be no such element in character as sympathy, for sympathy can originate only in suffering, actual and anticipated, and without suffering it would be non-existent. You can sympathize only with someone or something that suffers or is about to suffer, that is, in danger of suffering.

Sympathy is that element of character that identifies the interest of one with that of another. It makes the interest of husband and wife and of parent and child one; it is the cement that solidifies real friendship; it is the bond that binds people into a collective, functioning social group or organism—into society and civilization itself. It is the element that gives character, size, greatness. If a person can identify himself with another, with several others, with many others, he has developed and enlarged his character to that extent. Sympathy integrates and expands the one into the many.

Without sympathy which attaches the one to another, there can be no genuine affection, no love—that emotional and spiritual quality which is the very heart of the first and greatest of all Commandments, that Commandment which is the fulfillment of all the law and the prophets.

And love is the motive, the sustaining dynamic of service. We can only work day in and day out for that which we love.

And what is service? What is its essential element? Service is sacrifice—not symbolically but literally. Not a cell in the body, digestive cell, oxygen carrying cell, contrasting cell of muscle, or thinking cell of brain, that does its work without consuming, without sacrificing its own vital substance. No collection of cells that constitutes human bodies serves without self-consumption, without self-sacrifice—not visibly and in a few tragic hours as once enacted on Calvary, but invisibly, microscopically, slowly through the long years. It is the ordained way of life that leads to peace and happiness.

To summarize: Out of suffering, and only out of suffering, comes sympathy; out of sympathy, love; out of love, service; out of service, sacrifice; out of sacrifice, the consummation of life.

There is an inspired picture of this world when suffering and sympathy have completed their work in the perfection of human character. Here it is:

"And I saw a new heaven and a new earth: for the first heaven and the first earth were passed away; and there was no more sea."

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