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BIBLE THOUGHT
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VICTORY SURE—Greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world. —I, John 4:4.

ISN'T OUR METHOD WRONG?

We feel that the majority of the people of the United States, and every other country for that matter, really want peace. The world has had enough war to show its horrors and in most instances its uselessness, and we are giving much thought now to the problems that will bring world peace.

But are we going about it in the right way? We are trying to convince the grown-ups of today that war is wrong, but what are we teaching the youngsters, who will be the grown-ups of tomorrow? Aren't we glorifying war instead of condemning it?

In our histories of war do we mention the horrors that accompany and follow war? We do not. We point with pride to the deeds of the heroes, but we have little to say of the horrors brought out during and after the conflicts. In other words we paint war in colors that are too beautiful.

The Greensboro News is of the opinion that the revelations of what was done with money appropriated for the veterans' bureau is an example of one horror of war. The News says such revelations were expected, declaring further that "there is not a country that engaged in the recent conflict in which veterans have not settled over the battlefields to prey upon the disabled. There never was a country that even engaged in a war in which this unlovely human characteristic failed to show up prominently."

The News then condemns our present system of teaching history, declaring "it is the crime of our method of teaching history that this revolting part of the phenomena of war is almost invariably passed over lightly, if it is touched at all. How many school children ever learn, for instance, that during our own revolutionary war the British armies were constantly supplied by American farmers, and not altogether Tories, either, but professed Whigs as well? There is in existence a report of a British commanding officer, made to his own government, that describes how the dwellers on Staten Island and along the Jersey shore rowed boats for miles in order to bring provisions to the British fleet lying off New York harbor, simply because the Britishers paid well. Indeed, Lord Cornwallis after the battle of Guilford Courthouse wrote that many of the inhabitants of the countryside came into his camp voluntarily, shook hands with him, and said that they were glad that he had arrived."

"In the Mexican war the sickening story of profiteering at the expense of a suffering country was repeated. In the war between the sections the thing grew to astounding proportions on both sides; and for a generation and a half after the war pension scandals increased in number and in stench steadily and rapidly. Who has forgotten the 'embalmed beef' of the Spanish-American war, or the cheese-cloth raincoats that were supplied to our army in France in 1918?"

"But are school-children taught that these scandals are an inevitable accompaniment of war? Is it even hinted that 'fresh and glorious war' is the greatest and most effective breeder of thievery and all forms of rascality that the genius of hell has ever invented? Is it so much as suggested to future citizens at their most impressionable age that for every hero that war produces it hatches a hundred villains?"

"Yet the battle of the Argonne is not as significant in our national history as the five years' unsuccessful battle against native oceanic drift that has filled the time since the armistice. The capture of Cantigny is not to be compared for importance to the looting of the Veterans' Bureau, for the school children of the present will in all likelihood never have to fight the foe that held Cantigny, while

they will be compelled every day of their active lives to struggle against the enemies of the republic who stole the veterans' money.

"In warning children against the hardships, danger and horrors of war we proceed upon the theory that human courage has some ascertainable freezing-point, whereas if the great war taught anything at all, it taught that the average man has, at need, a sublime carelessness of life. The ardent spirit of the young boy responds to glory as to nothing else. If he is to be definitely turned against war, he must be made to see that war is composed of foul shame, whose mark is lighted only at rare and distant intervals with pin-points of light, shined by the splendor of heroic deeds. The smashing of the Hindenburg line was a less perfect example of what war really means than the smashing of the Veterans' Bureau. Sergeant York was not a product of war at all, but of long years of peace, during which he had drilled into him those principles of honor and honesty, and that fear of God that casts out all other fear, which combined to make him a hero at the crucial moment. The war did not produce York. It merely revealed him. The typical product of war is the unspeakable Forbes.

"The paths of glory lead but to the grave" is a misstatement, if the paths of glory lead through a war. In that case they lead but to the penitentiary, if justice is done."

ONE KILLED, AND SEVEN INJURED

Crowd Attending Meeting at Haw River Run Into by Automobile Driver.
Haw River, Nov. 3.—Miss Ruth Rippey, 13, daughter of M. R. Rippey, of Haw River, was killed, and seven women, all of Haw River, were injured this evening when an automobile, driven by a negro, John Henry of Winston-Salem, and containing four other negroes, ran into a crowd of people near the Baptist Church. The crowd was at a supper being given by a lodge. The car turned a sharp curve just before reaching the church. Three of the negroes have been arrested and are in the county jail. The driver escaped. Before the car could be stopped, it hit a telephone post and another car. None of the negroes in custody made any statement tonight.

Two of the injured women, Mrs. James Neese and Miss May James, both of Haw River, were taken to the Rainey Hospital in Burlington. The others, who were taken to their homes with minor injuries were: Misses Lillie Thomas, Alice Rippey, sister of the dead girl; Vera Murphy, Onal Neese and Alma Neese, daughter of Mrs. James Neese. Mrs. Neese suffered a broken collar bone and severe shocks, and Miss James was badly cut about the face and head.

The owner of the car gave his name as Ford, from Winston-Salem. The negroes were said to be returning to Winston-Salem from the eastern part of the state, where they had been working Negro Responsible For Crash Now Under Arrest.
Greensboro, Nov. 4.—John Henry, the negro who is alleged to have been the driver of an automobile which ran into a party of nine women and children near Haw River late yesterday, resulting in the death of Miss Ruth Rippey, and Reed Ford, alleged owner of the car, were brought to Greensboro this morning about 3 o'clock by an Alamance county jail for safe keeping. Henry, who escaped after the accident, was captured in the railway station at Burlington this morning about 1 o'clock while presumably waiting for a train. All the injured are recovering.

TODAY'S EVENTS

Monday, November 5, 1923

Celebration of Guy Fawkes Day in England.

The Most Rev. J. J. Hart, Catholic bishop of Omaha, is 70 years old today.

The former German Kaiser and his wife celebrated their first wedding anniversary today.

Maurice Mandell, a young stock broker, faces trial in Denver today on a charge of complicity in the wrecking of the Iliberna Bank and Trust Company of that city.

A general nation-wide policy for the development of the merchant marine will be discussed at the American Marine Congress, which begins its session in New York today.

In its investigation of anthracite coal rate the Interstate Commerce Commission is scheduled to conduct a public hearing today at Albany, N. Y.

Trading in rice futures for the first time in America will be inaugurated today by the Louisiana Sugar and Rice Exchange of New Orleans.

The trial is set to begin today at Ottawa, O., of Charles Shank, a farm hand indicted for the triple slaying of Mrs. William Tenevalde, her daughter, and a nephew.

The cases of twelve alleged klansmen charged with misdemeanors in connection with hooded mob activities in Moorhouse Parish will come up for trial today at Bastrop, La.

This has been fixed as the date for a liquor plebiscite in the Province of Alberta. The electors will have four systems to pick from—three involving the government sale and control of beer, or the continuation of the present prescription act.

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Report Shows State Revenues In Excess of Expenditures

Monthly Statement of North Carolina Auditor and Treasurer Filed With Governor Morrison.—Estimates of Budget Commission for Revenue Exceeded.

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 5.—A surplus in the current fund of the State of North Carolina is indicated in a statement submitted to the Governor here Saturday night by the state treasurer and the state auditor and made public by the executive, the figures being through September 30, 1923, and showing a surplus of 490,369.04, based on the budget commission's estimate of revenue for the nine months ending September 30, 1923, and the legislative examining committee's report of December 31, 1922. The revenue collected in the first nine months of 1923 exceeds the estimate by the legislative committee as to be collected but applicable to the period prior to December 31, 1922, by \$601,222.83. This added to the \$232,805.25 which the

legislative committee estimated as the surplus last December 31, made, according to the statement, a total surplus applicable to the date December 31, 1922, of \$834,028.08 in the current fund of the state. Following are the figures issued here:
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
Analysis of Current Fund Surplus
September 30, 1923.

In light of collections to September 30, 1923, on basis of joint legislative committee's report and budget commission's estimate of revenue applicable to the nine months ended September 30, 1923 together with a statement of revenue receipts and expenses disbursements January 1 to September 30, 1923.

Table with columns: DEBITS, CREDITS, and amounts. Includes items like 'Expense disbursements Jan. 1 to Sept. 1, 1923' and 'Surplus Dec. 31, 1922 as reported by the legislative examining committee'.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA—ANALYSIS OF CURRENT FUND SURPLUS PLUS DECEMBER 31, 1922
Surplus December 31, 1922 as reported by the joint legislative committee based on estimate of uncollected revenue \$4,730,915.54
Revenue collected Dec. 31, 1922 to Sept. 30, 1923 which applies to joint legislative committee's estimate \$5,332,138.37
Joint legislative committee's estimate of uncollected revenue Dec. 31, 1922 4,730,915.54
Excess of revenue collected over estimate 601,222.83
Surplus Dec. 31, 1922, in light of collections to Sept. 30, 1923 and on basis of joint legislative examining committee's report \$ 834,028.08

New Orleans Cotton Review.

New Orleans, Nov. 4.—Trading in cotton last week led up to an away from the government's supplementary report on the crop and the trend of prices was strongly higher, new high prices for the season being reached on three sessions with the highest prices on the last day of the week when the active positions were 250 to 260 points over the close of the preceding week.

December rose to 52.28 cents a pound and closed at 51.80. In the spot department middling gained 150 points and closed at 32 cents a pound, which compared with 24.50 on the close of the same week last year. Total sales for the week at all spot markets of the South amounted to 140,381 bales against 196,535 last week and 140,549 this week last year.

The outstanding feature of the week was the government's report of 47.5 per cent of normal as the condition of the crop October 25th, indicating a yield of but 10,248,000 bales. These crop figures were well under general expectations and caused an immediate rise of the best part of 20 points, issued Friday, they still were the main influence at the end of the week. During almost the entire week the weather over the greater part of the belt was wet and cold and this intensified the effect of the crop report as it was considered that the crop had further lost out through unfavorable weather since October 25th. At the end of the week traders who were looking for higher prices were using the argument that the government would have to still further revise downward its crop estimate in the annual forecast of the yield which is to be issued on the 20th of December. In connection with this the weather during the coming week will be of importance for further rains and frosts would strengthen the contention that much cotton now in the fields will never be picked. Thursday the census bureau will issue its fourth ginning report of the season and the statistics will be awaited with interest because they will be used to check up the government's crop estimate of last week.

London Dreads Its Fog.

London, Nov. 5.—As the season for fog approaches, people here are recalling what these visitors do to them and their city. They keep sunlight away from the city dwellers, deposit enormous quantities of soot broadcast over everything, and a single bad London fog costs the capital \$5,000,000 in extra laundering, and injury to fabrics.

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DINNER STORIES

Getting the Hay
Tenderfoot: A donkey was tied to a rope six feet long, and 18 feet away there was a bundle of hay, and the donkey wanted to get the hay. How did he manage to?

First Class Scout: He gave it up.
Tenderfoot: Oh no. He just walked up to the hay and ate it.
F. C. R.: But you said it was tied to a rope feet long.
Tenderfoot: So it was. But you see the rope wasn't tied to anything.

He Knew Little, But Enough.
We read in the Argonaut that Governor Davis of Kansas is fond of this story: A man who was driving across the western part of Kansas, where the railroads are far apart, encountered a native youth, of whom he inquired, "How far is it to Goodland?"

The youth replied, "I do not know."
"How far is it to Oakley?"
"I do not know."
"What county is this?"
"I do not know."
Thereupon the stranger said, "You are not very smart, are you?"
The boy replied, "No; but I ain't lost."

Mrs. Flatbush—"Who is that woman you just bowed to?"
Mrs. Beauséjour—"Oh, she's my next door neighbor."
"But she never returns your bow."
"No; she didn't return anything."

Little Jacky—"Look mother! That bulldog looks like Aunt Emily."
Mother—"Hush, child, don't say such things."
Little Jacky—"Well, mama, the dog can't hear it."

"I fooled 'em, by gosh, I fooled 'em," said the stranger who had patronized for the first time a self-service restaurant.
"Yessiree, I fooled 'em. I went into the restaurant, took the tray myself, took the fork and knife myself, selected the food myself, carried it myself to the table, but I fooled 'em, by gosh, I slipped out without washing the dishes."

There was a commotion in the rear of the theatre, and the usher was seen ejecting a man. The man was sputtering angrily when the manager of the theatre came into the lobby.
"Why did you eject this fellow?" asked the manager.
"He was hissing the performance," replied the usher.

"Why did you hiss the performance?" asked the manager.
"I d-d-didn't h-h-hiss," sputtered the man. "I m-m-merely s-s-said t-t-t-to m-m-my f-f-friend beside me 'S-S-S-Sammy, i-i-i-s-s-s-n't the s-s-s-singing s-s-s-superb?'"

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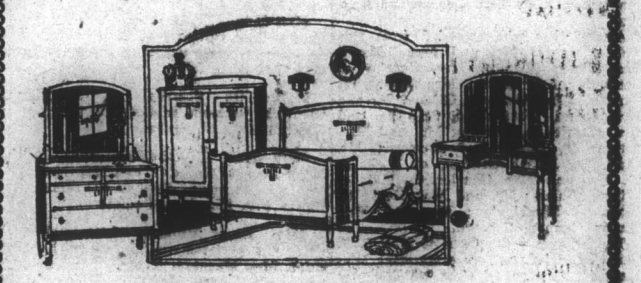
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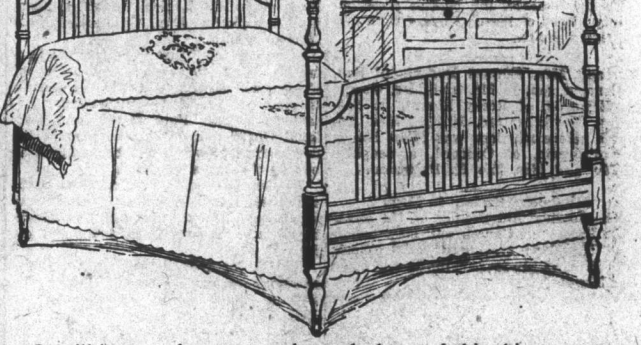


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