

MIRROR MEDITATION

My darling little daughter, with each day of spring, radiates such wonderment at her little flowers, as they burst forth from mother earth to take shape and form.

Her amazement brings happiness to all around her, when she marvels at the beauty of the buds and the flowers in their fragrant majesty. How can anyone doubt there is a God Who in his handiwork created so many beautiful things?

There seems to be no end to His all-perfect design of life in all forms. The little flower that in its continuity of design has no brain, just follows a set pattern of course. For its fragrance to be caught, and its beauty entrusted to a single glance is its purpose.

The same God made little girls and little kittens. Why should they wither and waste away? Or can the answer to spring time be likened unto the Resurrection? For as each tree, each plant, each flower, each blade of grass lies dormant in wait for new life to spring forth, does not Christianity when sprinkled on man's inner being bring forth new life, new beauty and new purpose?

What is time, has it always existed? Was there a beginning? Is there an end? Where does man fit in? Are we a toy or experiment of the Creator? Will there still be a consciousness in the next dimension where we shall pass? Have faith, for these reasons man must turn to God or he shall lose his inheritance. And surely he would lose his purpose of existence.

Chain and independent retail supermarkets now handle about 85 per cent of the nation's retail fruit and vegetable trade.

The USDA reports that the 1960 fall pig crop will likely show some decline from last fall.

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MIRROR MORSELS

Men are seldom blessed with good fortune and good sense at the same time.—Livy.

Histories are as perfect as the historian is wise, and is gifted with an eye and soul.—Carlyle.

Fear is the weapon in the hands of tyrants.—Mary Baker Eddy.

This is the true nature of home—it is the place of peace.—John Ruskin.

Manners require time, as nothing is more vulgar than haste.—Emerson.

A friendship formed in childhood, in youth—by happy accident at any stage of rising manhood—becomes the genius that rules the rest of life.—Alcott.

Ignorance is the wet-nurse of prejudice.—Shaw.

A slave has but one master, the ambitious man has as many masters as there are persons whose

aid may contribute to the advancement of his fortune.—La Bruyere.

When ancient opinions and rules of life are taken away, the loss cannot possibly be estimated. From that moment we have no compass to govern us, nor can we know distinctly to what port to steer.—Burke.

Associate with men of good judgment: for judgment is found in conversation. And we make another man's judgment ours by frequenting his company.—Fulter.

Home is the place where, when you have to go there, they have to take you in.

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What's Cooking

—By—

Marie K. Stillely

Remember Grandma's piccalilli? Well, here a recipe that equals it, and perhaps, could even be a little bit better.

Nowadays, almost all of us refer to it as Green Relish, and while there are quite a few methods of preparing it, this recipe sent to us by Mrs. Henry Williams of route 5, New Bern, seems closer to the old fashion way of fixing it.

Combine together: 4½ cups ground cucumbers, 3 cups ground onions, 3½ cups chopped celery, 2 chopped green peppers, and 2 chopped red peppers. Add ¾ cup salt and 1 quart water. Let stand overnight.

Mix 1 quart white vinegar, 3 cups sugar, 2 tsp. celery seed, and 2 tsp. mustard seed. Heat to boiling. Add vegetables, simmer 10 minutes.

Seal in hot sterilized jars. Makes 6 pints.

Mrs. Williams also gave us a recipe for pickled cucumbers that many of you will want to use since cucumbers are so plentiful right now.

Slice 4 quarts of cucumbers and 6 medium white onions. Mix thoroughly and let stand 30 minutes. Prepare vinegar mixture, using 5 cups sugar, 5 cups vinegar and 4 tsp. pickling spices. Bring to a boil and add cucumbers and onions. Cook for approximately one minute or until cucumbers turn yellow.

Remove from heat and pack in hot sterilized jars. Add 2 tsp. salt to each quart jar and pour in hot vinegar mixture. Seal.

The man who has accomplished all that he thinks worth while, has begun to die.

—E. T. Trigg.

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