

Sunday Reading.

From the Weekly Message. LAND HO!

"Land Ho!" exclaims the Western emigrant, as he surveys the Western forest and the almost boundless extent of prairie.

When the sea was calm, and the ship rode on at ease, how often would he sweep the horizon with his eyes to find a single green spot to rest his gaze for a moment, like the dove from Noah's Ark.

When the clouds darkened the heavens from the zenith to the horizon, and the wind howled through the rigging, while wave after wave, in ceaseless succession, dashed against the sides of the good old ship, and it tossed to and fro, driven at the mercy of the winds, then would a prayer arise to Heaven, to prevent and guide the ship safely to the destined port.

"Land Ho!" shouts the dying Christian, as he gazes through the eye of Faith, on "Canaan's fair and happy land." His days, his joys, his sorrows, are numbered, yet his vision is brighter and his hopes grow stronger, without one fluttering wish that his life would be prolonged.

For years he had stood at the prow and held the helm, and now he had anchored his hope on the rock of ages. The few remaining sands in his hour glass of life were running down, still the future wore a cheerful aspect. He had sailed through seas, fraught with temptation, and well-nigh ready to quell the buoyancy, and rocks and breakers, where his bark would have been dashed to fragments, had he not guarded against the danger. His compass was his life, and his heart was already engaged as his heart.

WELL ALL-MEET AGAIN IN THE MORNING. Such was the exclamation of a dying child as the red rays of the sunset streamed on him through the casement.

THE CONVERSION OF SINNERS. "I would think it a greater happiness, said Matthew Henry, to give one soul to Christ, than to accumulate silver and gold to myself.

THE CULTURE OF CORN. Mrs. Edw. I propose, with your permission, submitting to your readers a method of cultivating corn, the chief merit of which (if there be any), is a saving of unnecessary work.

for, while I know not how it is with many of them. Brained could say of himself, on more than one occasion, "I cared not where or how I lived, or what hardships I went through, so that I could but gain souls to Christ.

THE BIBLE DOES ITS WORK. Mr. Graham lent a Bible to a Roman Catholic woman, and also the tract "Look to Jesus."

SHALL I PRAY FOR CHANCE? An English lady who had forsaken her God and the Bible for the gloom and darkness of infidelity, was crossing the Atlantic, and asked a pious sailor one morning how long they should be out.

AGRICULTURE IN AMERICA. The Washington (D. C.) Sentinel indulges in the following reflections on the agricultural aspect of our country, at the present day.

TRY THE MEDICINE!! BE WARNED IN SEASON!! And neglect not that which is daily weakening your constitution, retarding your career, and shortening your life.

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the ground, perhaps already up, I now give the modus operandi, viz: 1st. To put the bar of a good turning plough as near as possible to the plant and keeping deep, throw the earth from it till you go over the crop.

Roger's Liverwort & Tar. For the complete cure of Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Asthma, Bronchitis, Spitting of Blood, and all other Lung Complaints tending to Consumption.

Gold Mine Balsam. Or Dyspeptic Bitters or Tincture Tonic-Nervine. A letter from J. R. Collins, Druggist, Milton, N. C., dated Aug. 14, 1854.

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COOKING STOVE. with which we challenge the world to produce a better. We have also all kinds of Stoves suitable for Churches, Stores, Parlors, Bed-rooms, &c. &c.

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Merchants' Hotel, KING-ST., CHARLESTON, S. C. BY JAMES M. HURST, ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS PER DAY.

CIRCULAR FOR FALL TRADE, 1854. CHARLESTON, S. C. WE beg to inform our friends and buyers of Dry Goods generally, that we have made EXTENSIVE PREPARATIONS for our FALL SALES.

DOCT. JOHNSTON. BALTIMORE LUMBER HOSPITAL. WERE may be obtained the most agreeable and effectual remedy for the cure of all SECRET DISEASES.

Fashionable Tailoring. THE SUBSCRIBER announces to the public generally, that he is now receiving a large assortment of new styles of Cloth, Cassimeres, and VESTINGS.

CHARLOTTE MARBLE YARD. HAVING disposed of our entire interest in the Marble Yard to Messrs. Wm. Tiddy & Son, we recommend them to our friends.

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