Sunday Reading.

From the N. C. Christian Advocate.

WILL YOU SEEK SALVATION?

Reader, what is your hope about your soul? Have you any, or have you none? Do you feel an anxiety for your eternal welfare, or are you careless and unconcerned? Depend upon it, these are very serious questions, and of vital importance to us all. We are dying mortals; after death comes the judgment, the day in which shall be disclosed the secrets of every heart. What is our hope of acquittal in that day? What are we going to plead in that day? What are we going to plead on our behalf before God? Let us look seriously and solemnly on this subject. How shall we stand before the bar of God? Shall we say that we have done our duty to our Heavenly Father? Shall we say we have done our duty to our neighbor? Shall we say we have done our duty to ourselves? and bring forward our prayers, our regularity, our morality, our amendments, our church going, and our deeds of charity to our fellow man, and ask to be accepted by God, because of any of these things? Which of these things will stand in God's eye? Which of them will actually justify you and me? which of them will carry us clear through judgment, and land us safe in glory? None, none. Let us take any commandment of the ten, and examine ourselves by it. We have broken it repeatedly. How often have we transgressed God's holy law. Take any of us and look narrowly into our ways, and we are nothing but sinners, deserving of God's wrath. We are all guilty, all deserve judgment, and ought to die. How then can we come before Jesus as we are in that great and awful day?

We must come in the name of Jesus, standing on no other ground, pleading no other plea than this, "Christ died on the cross for the ungodly, and I trust in him." I hang my faith on the cross, and my hope is in Jesus. Believe me, my friends, Christ must be all the hope of every one who would be justified and saved. We must be content to go to heaven as beggars, saved by free grace, simply as a believer in Jesus.

Again, will you seek salvation, while it is offered? We have no promise for the morrow. Now is the accepted time, the day of salvation. Seize the opportunity, break loose from the chains of sin and Satan; say adieu vain world and all its vanities. Perhaps many have been discouraged who thought they would try and reform, and have been again tempted to cling to the world. Had has declared, "they that seek me early shall find me." Seek with your whole heart, and be assured, reader, the Lord will not disregard or forsake an humble penitent.

A PROBATIONER.

USES OF ADVERSITY.

We need not a poet to sing the sweet uses of adversity. An ancient writer whose words we are about to quote, has unconsciously produced a sonnet in prose upon this subject:

"Stars shine brightest in the darkest night; torches are better for the beating; grapes come not to the proof till they come to the press; spices smell sweetest when pounded; young trees root the faster for shaking; vines are the better for bleeding; gold looks the brighter for scouring; glow-worms glisten best in the dark; juniper smells sweetest in the fire; pomander becomes most fragrant from chafing; the palm-tree proves the better for pressing; camomile the more you tread it the more you spread it; such is the condition of all God's children; they are most triumphant when they are most tempted; most glorious when most afflicted; most in the favor of God when least in man's esteem. As their conflicts, so their conquests; as their tribulations, so their triumphs. True salamanders, they live best in the furnace of persecution; so that heavy afflictions are the best benefactors to heavenly affections. Where afflictions hang heaviest, corruptions hang loosest; and grace that is hid in nature, as sweet water in rose leaves, is most fragrant when the fire of affliction is put under to distil it out."

THRILLING INCIDENT.

A clergyman in Philadelphia read a letter at one of the Jayne street noon-day prayer meetings last week, from a young man of his acquaintance, who was on board the ill fated Austria, in which he detailed the last interview between himself and five Christian comrades who perished beneath the waves. As soon as the destruction of the vessel was found inevitable, these six young men took a position between the flames and the water, with the understanding that at the last moment they would mutually consign themselves to the latter. In the spare moment thus allowed to contemplate their fate, their hope in Christ was confidently expressed, and when to escape the approaching fire their leap became necessary, they fondly grasped each others hand, and with a parting "farewell," and an expressed confidence that in a few moments they would meet in heaven, they sprang into the sea. The writer of the letter states that after sustaining himself in the water by means of a life preserver for four hours, [during which his contemplations of a future state ripened into a joy in believing in the Saviour, such as he had never before experienced,] a vessel hove in sight for his relief, so that just at the moment when his exhausted energies brought the open door of heaven more temptingly to view, he was made the subject of earthly rescue. The reading of the letter referred to elicited an outburst of feeling all over the room.

CHRISTIANITY IN EARNEST.

An exchange says: "The English Wesleyan Church is one of the largest and most efficient religious bodies known in Protestant Christianity, and their foreign missionary operations exceed that of any other Protestant missionary board, the annual receipts surpassing those of the Established English Church. The receipts of the Wesleyan Foreign Missionary Society for the past year were near $500,000, and those of the domestic board $50,000. A million of dollars have been spent within the four past years for the extinguishment of chapel debts; $1,050,000 for erecting new chapels and school buildings during the same period."

Agricultual.

FATTENING HOGS, AND THEIR MANURE.

To give hogs a start, when first put up for fattening, there is in my opinion, no better food than good ripe pumpkins, boiled and steamed with a moiety of potatoes, and the whole well seasoned with meal scalded in and mixed with milk. There is a sweetness in the boiled pumpkin which is very attractive to his pigship. Indeed all the trouble with this kind of food is, that is, difficult to get enough to supply their wants. The writer has fed to a pen of 22, kettles of 60 gallons, per day, for some two weeks. I think to commence on this is even preferable to hard corn.

While upon this subject, allow me just to suggest how large an amount of good fertilizing matter is usually thrown away in feeding our pork. The common course is to have an enclosed pen for the swine to eat and sleep in, and all the manure made usually goes into an uncovered back yard—probably a real mud hole, where the manure made from feeding a large quantity of grain, is allowed to go and be leached and evaporated by the rains and sun; and when we come to get out this valuable compound the next season, to apply to our soil, we find it like the Irishman's flea—not there. Now we will talk about the value of swine's manure, and in truth, for it is indeed supposed to be more fertilizing than that of any other animal. This being so, why not endeavor to save it, and not actually *throw* it away in the manner described? If no better remedy presents, just make a temporary cover to the hog-yard, of rough boards of anything that will keep out water, and just supply the pigs with plenty of material to work up—muck, turf, straw, weeds, leaves, or indeed almost anything of a decaying vegetable nature, and the thing is done—when perchance the next season you will find that instead of five loads of leached manure, you will have just four times the amount, and a little better article at that.

Now, brother farmers, is this mere theory, and so such, unworthy of trial—not worth the time and expense? We all know "the more manure, the better crops," and will not a course of this kind tend to enhance the manure heap?—*Country Gentleman.*

SOWING CLOVER SEED.

Some of our "new subscribers," through Mr. J. M. Mitchell, of Mo., request us to give the best method of managing clover for the improvement of land—when it should be sown, whether alone or with other crops—manner of preparing the ground, &c.

We have frequently, in former numbers, given full directions upon the subjects requested by our correspondent, but as our subscription list is constantly receiving new acquisitions of names of persons who have not been in possession of our back volumes, we will briefly answer the foregoing queries.

Early spring is the proper time for sowing clover seed. It should either be sown upon winter grain or upon ground on which spring grain has been sown—that is, with spring wheat, oats or barley. If sown upon winter grain, the most favorable time is just after a light snow in March, or it may be sown at any time during this month, or as late as the first days in April will answer, but in favorable seasons it is not well to defer the sowing later than the 15th of March. When sown with spring grain, the clover seed should be cast upon the fresh stirred soil immediately after the last harrowing in of the seed grain. Early sowing of these grains, say as soon as the ground is in a suitable condition to work in the spring, is desirable both for the grain and the clover seed; if the ground is light and the sowing is done early, no covering will be needed; if the ground is heavy, or should a rain intervene after the last harrowing, and before the clover seed is sown, it is well to run a light bush over it. When sown upon winter grain the crop would be greatly improved by running a light, fine-toothed harrow over the grain just before sowing the clover seed. The ordinary preparation of the soil for the grain crops is generally considered all that is necessary, for the clover seed. In regard to the quantity of clover seed necessary, practice among farmers differs. We have never applied less than one bushel of seed to six acres.—Some regard that quantity to eight acres sufficient, but the former quantity will be found better economy.

DOMESTIC RECEIPTS.

DOMESTIC YEAST.—Boil five or six potatoes and mash them with the skins on, add about three quarts of boiling water; stir in flour (wheat or rye) to the consistency of common yeast; and one table-spoonful of molasses; let it stand until luke warm; then work it with one cent's worth of distiller's yeast from twelve to twenty-four hours, according to its degree of fermentation, in a moderately warm place; then strain and bottle for use. The same yeast can afterwards be used to work more when desired; and if it does not make good bread, you may charge the fault to your skill instead of the yeast-peddler.

The young lady who was "lost in thought," has been found. She was "hugging an idea" looking very much like a man.

ARCHITECTURE AND CIVIL ENGINEERING.

THE subscriber, a practical Architect and Civil Engineer, has taken Room No. 5, Davidson's building, where he may be found prepared to *Draft Plans* and make *Estimates* in all departments of his profession. Particular attention will be paid to Surveying of Plantations and Farms for the making of MAPS or CHARTS of the same, with a drawing of the plantation mansion and its requisites. Every Planter should be possessed of one or more of his domain. They can be got up in any style, and when framed make a beautiful ornament for any Parlor.

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In all its most approved plans, will be taught, including Banking and Exchanges, R. R. Business, Steamboat, [illegible] Exchanges, both Foreign and Domestic, and in fact all that is requisite to a thorough knowledge of Book Keeping in all its forms.

P. SAURS.

June 15, 1858. 14-1y

CONSUMPTION.—The Rev. Doct. Barnett, several years a Missionary in Southern Asia, discovered a simple and certain cure for *Consumption, Asthma, Bronchitis, Scrofula, Coughs, Colds,* and *Nervous Debility*; also an easy and effectual mode of inhaling the Remedy—a method by which the curative properties of the Medicine are directly addressed to the diseased organs and the integument. Actuated by a desire to benefit his suffering fellows, he will cheerfully send the *Recipe* (free) to all who desire it, with full and explicit directions for preparing and successfully using the Medicine. Apply to or address

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Charlotte, June 22, 1858. 15tf

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M. B. TAYLOR.

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May 18, 1858. 10tf

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Charlotte, April 6, 1858. 5tf

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Aug. 17, 1858. 6m

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THE superiority of this article over Corn Starch, Tapioca, Sago, &c., as an article of diet for invalids and children, is unquestioned by the medical faculty. Full supply at
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OR CONCENTRATED LEY.—Warranted to make soap without lime, and with little trouble. The best and cheapest article in use. Price 25 and 50 cents a can. Sold by
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BLACK Pepper, Ginger, Baking and Washing Soda, Cream Tartar, Nutmegs, Mace, Cinnamon, Cloves and Flavoring Extracts of every kind. For sale at wholesale and retail, by
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May 4, '58.

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☞ THE HAIR.—People here for centuries been afflicted with bald heads, and the only remedy, heretofore known, has been those abominable wigs. By a recent discovery of Professor Wood these articles are being fast dispensed with but, a great many persons still patronize them, because they have been so often imposed upon by Hair Tonics of different kinds. To all such persons we would make the request, that they will try once again, for in Wood's Restorative there is no such thing as fail. We know of a lady who was bald, who used the article a short time, and her head is now covered completely with the thickest and most beautiful curls imaginable. We know of numerous cases where hair was rapidly falling out, where it restored in greater perfection than it ever had been before.

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CINCINNATI, OHIO, Nov. 17, 1856.

O. J. WOOD & CO.—Gents: As I have been engaged in selling your Hair Restorative the last season for one of your local agents (R. M. Hinkinson,) and having experienced the beneficial effects of it myself, I would like to obtain an agency for the State of Ohio, or some State in the West, should you wish to make such an arrangement, as I am convinced there is nothing equal to it *in the United States, for restoring the hair.* I have been engaged in the Drug business for several years, and have sold various preparations for the hair, but have found nothing that restores the secretive organs or invigorates the scalp as well as yours, being fully convinced that your restorative is what you represent it to be, I would like to engage in the sale of it, for I am satisfied it must sell. Yours truly,
S. T. STOCKMAN.

WALTHAM, Mass., Feb. 3, 1857.

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Fits, Suppression, Paralysis, Inflammation, and even Deafness, and Partial Blindness, [illegible]

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Charlotte, June 16, 1857. 3tf

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Osnaburgs, *Threshing Ropes,*
Sheetings, *Bed-cords,*
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Grain Bagging, *Carpet Chain,*
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J. McDONALD.

Concord, Oct. 28, 1856. 3tf

☞ Dissolution.

THE copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All persons indebted to us are requested to be prepared with the amount they are due us in a "few days," as settlements must be made.

JONAS RUDISILL.
P. S. WHISNANT.

Aug. 18, 1857. 3tf

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Aug. 18, 1857.

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P. S. WHISNANT.

Aug. 18, 1857.

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As regards the speed of these Gins, [illegible] list and discharge of them, [illegible] M. L. Wallace, Morrow's T. O., [illegible] Fairfield, and A. B. Davidson, Charlotte.

JAMES M. ELLIOTT.

Winnsboro, May 22, 1858.

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Mutual Life Insurance Company
OFFICE, RALEIGH, N. C.

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Slaves are insured for a term of one or five years, for two-thirds their value.

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