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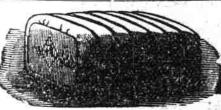
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A BLESSED FAITH

New York Herald. And the voice which I heard from heave

spake unto me again.—Revelations, x., 8. Before the first voyage of Columbus this whole hemisphere was to the people of Spain a myth, a dream, a possible everything but a practical nothing. It was a very agreeable subject for discussion among scholars, and they perhaps found good reasons both for believing and for disbelieving in its existence. As a theory this western land occupied a more or less prominent position in all the universities of Europe, and a good deal of serious thought was devoted to it by the learned. But if one of the merchants of Madrid had been asked to invest his money in some commercial venture the profits of which derended upon the discovery of what is now known as the two Americas he would have laughed at the scheme as the financial operation of a mad-

When, however, Columbus returned from that voyage with the trophies he had gathered, and proved beyond the reach of a doubt that there was a great stretch of territory on this side of the Atlantic to balance an equal extent of land on the other side, scholarship was bushed into admiring silence and merchants were eager to invest whole fortunes in speculation.

It is impossible for a cautions man to make practical use of a statement which may not be true. This rule, which is so constantly illustrated in our everyday business life, is equally applicable to what concerns us spiritually. Do love. you bave grave misgivings as to whether there is any beaven from which a voice can come to your sonl, or believing in some remote region where the spirits of the departed dwell, do you doubt their ability either to communicate with you or to influence you? Then you are in the position of the Madrid merchant who could not invest money in a country whose existence he knew nothing about Speaking with perfect frankness, we may declare that this life is all you have, practically, for you

neither realize the future nor are you in any way affected by it. On the other hand, suppose you are convinced-as firmly as Columbus was when he lifted his eyes from the acres of seaweed that floated by and saw the thin line of land on the horizon's edgethat beaven is literally within an arm's length; that Jacob's ladder is not a myth but a fact; that in every man's life there is just such a ladder, and that messengers are constantly ascending and descending, what results would naturally follow? You would be as willing to make use of these truths for your spiritual comfort, sustenance and encouragement as the Madrid merchant was to invest his money when the Spanish caravels came to anchor with their treasure in the

hold. What you need, therefore, to make you in everyway larger and happier is a strong faith in God's actual nearness. So long as He is an inaccessible possibility, a Being who thunders from Sinai's hoary summit, a taskmaster who has given you a day's work to do and will damn you at eventide unless it is wholly done and done as ordered, so long will your soul be louely and your love of holy things burn like a flickering taper; so long will your religion bave in it a demoralizing element of fear, and so long will your prayers represent a perfunctory service, without heart, or peace of mind, or the ecstacy of a blessed

communion. But when God is to your soul what the sunshine is to the wheat field, or the dew drops are to the flowers; when you not only know that he is, but that he is your refuge and strength in time of his city uncle. trouble; that his love for you is beyond all other loves; that his look over-head. sympathy and pity are deeper than those of your closest friends- here pretty bad, don't it? Uncle then you know what the peace George?" he rejoined .- Pittsburg that passeth understanding means, Bulletin.

and whatever ills may befall you, you know beyond all peradven-

ture, that a mighty hand is leading you and an almighty arm will

defend you. The joy of such a faith is simply unspeakable. What wealth cannot bestow it generously gives. You may be despondent, but you are not without hope. You may weep, but your tears are unmingled with despair. Trials may come and your shoulders grow weary of the heavy burden, but you have something within, which distrust and doubt, though in the environment of Paradise, cannot

True religion, the religion which holds this life in one hand and immortality in the other, is the best fortune that ever fell to the lot of mortal man. Assent to whatever creed you will, go to whatever church you please, worship God with pomp and ceremony or in the utter simplicity which disdains all forms-these are matters of secondary consequence; they are only incidents which depend on your temperament or your surroundings. They are nothing-absolutely nothing-and in their use you should have entire personal freedom. But underneath all other things you must have that kind of religion which enables von to sav. "And the voice which I heard from heaven spake to me again," for that and that alone will satisfy the longings of the soul, fit your frail body with divine armor for the battle of life, and prepare you for that eternity in which worship is neither form nor ceremony, but only love-pure, unselfish, divine

Study and Learn.

Norfolk Landmark.

It is impossible to settle the questions involved in the present debate over money in a dogmatic way. Assertion is not argument any more than mere dictum is logic. There are but two ways of reaching the minds of men so as to convince them. One is by presenting facts which are admitted to exist or can be shows to exist' and using them as apostulate for sound reasoning, thus impressing the intelligent understanding and leading it to the right conclusion. The other is by waiting for the .esult of experience. With the conviction of experience may come great pain and hardship. With the conviction of reason and the lesson of history, which are but the story of experience already recorded, may come the happiest consequences. When men have reached the stage of civilization that they will accept and act upon the lesson of already recorded experience, and not insist upon trying the whole thing over again for themselves, there will be more hope for the world, on its own merits, than there has ever been before. The coinage question must be solved in one of the two way mentioned. A little careful study with a calm mind and without prejudice, may do it. The alternative is to learn through experience which may come through bitter experience, to follow the application of a wrong system of coinage.

A Shorthand Joke.

Lawley (expert shorthand reporter)-I say. James, the boy from the newspaper office has called for the report of that lecture. Is it finished?

James (a novice)-All but a short sentence in the middle of it, and I can't for the life of me make out from my notes what it is.

Lawley-Oh, just put in "great applause," and let it go.

James acts on the suggestion and the lecture is sent for publication with the doctored part reading:-"Friends, I will detain you but a few moments longer, (Great applause)."-Tid-Bits.

In Smoky Chicago. "Uncle George," said the little

boy from the country, "are those the building they call skyscrap-"They are, Tommy," answered

Tommy took a comprehensive

"The sky does need scraping

STRANGE, BUT TRUE.

LOUISBURG, N. C., FRIDAY, AUGUST 9, 1895.

Four Drummers Tell the Nature of Their Business Evening Mirror.

The following true story is reated by one of the participants in the remarkable incident:

Not long since in a certain New England city, four commercial ravellers met for the first time, at the table. With that genial bon homie peculiar to the craft, they were soon engaged in conversation. In a few moments one of them said:

"Gentlemen, suppose we begin, being all strangers, with the gentleman opposite me, to introduce ourselve and our firm's busi-

This was unanimously agreed

Said No. 1: "I am ---, and I represent the house of X. Y. R., selling glass bottles."

perhaps it is no chance that I come next, for I represent P. D. Q., I am -, and I sell the stuff that goes into the bottles. I sell wines and liquors."

There was a moment's silence as No. 4 said: "That, gentlemen, does seem a little strange, but perhaps there is a fatality about this. am -, of the firm of W. U. S., dealers in undertakers' goods."

No. 4 now remained silent and sngested that it would be well not to pursue the subject further, and that it had been well never to have started it.

After much urging to complete the chain he said : "Gentlemen, it is indeed a fatality. I am ----of D. E. B., and I am taking orders for grave stones." Was there ever a temperance lecture compressed into so few lines as this?

Cigarette Smoking.

Dr. C. A. Clinton, of the San Francisco Board of Education, has made a special study of the effect of cigarette smoking among the public-school children of that city, and expresses himself in the following unmistakable language:

" A good deal has been said about the evils of cigarette smoking, but one-half the truth has never been told; I have watched this thing for a long time, and I can say calmly and deliberately that I believe cigarette smoking is as bad a babit as opium smoking. I am talking now of boys, remember The effect upon grown men is, of course, not so marked.

" A cigarette fiend will lie and steal just as a morphine or opium fiend will lie and steal. Cigarette smoking blunts the whole moral nature. It has an appalling effect upon the system. It first stimulates and then stupefies the nerves. It sends boys into consumption. It gives them enlargement of the heart, and it sends them to the OF DURHAM, - - N. C. insane asylum. I am physician to several boys' schools, and I am often called in to prescribe for palpitation of the heart. In nine cases out of ten it is caused by the cigarette habit. Every physician knows the cigarette heart. I have seen the bright boys turned into dunces, and straight forward honest boys made into miserable cowards, by cigarette smoking. I am not exaggerating. I am speaking the truth, that every physician and nearly every teach-

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This 6th day July 1895. R. R. HARRIS, Clerk Superior Court for Franklin Co.

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ore the 11th day of July 1896, or this

notice will plead in bar of their recovery. A. T. WILSON, Admr. W. M. PERSON, Atty. July 11th 1895.

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