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You can live cheaper but not happier when your wife's reducing.

Regret for the mistakes of yesterday must not blind us to the tasks of today.

No newspaper is worth two hoots in a barnyard that never steps on anyone's toes.

If you have to "handle a man with gloves," it is usually best to use boxing gloves.

The broad, general rule is that a man is about as big as the things that make him mad.

There is more aristocracy in the United States than in Europe, but here it "ain't" legal.

The voters of Raleigh turned down the proposal of the supplemental school tax in an election this week.

The wise person is one who trains himself to do more than one thing well, thus providing additional outlets for his abilities.

Reports show a large decrease in tobacco crop, and the drought is making an additional decrease. These conditions should combine to give the farmer a good price for tobacco.

North Dakota should be in pretty good shape, or bad, as you take it, with two Governors in charge giving contrasting orders in State matters. Gov. William Langer, who was elected, having been convicted as a felon by a federal court which the Supreme Court of that State holds, ousts him as Governor, refuses to turn over the authority to acting Governor Ole H. Olson.

Now that the National Government has provided a big lot of funds for road work North Carolina should arrange to match the funds and make use of them in building the many much needed roads. The sentiment to divert some of the funds of the Highway department is not only unjust, but at this time is very much unwise. The Commission should also guard itself against building pet roads and construct those roads that are of a real necessity and located so that they will serve the most people.

Press reports show that the E. R. A. division of the government will erect and equip a meat storage plant in Greensboro and will probably can a large lot of the relief cattle. Why not establish more plants of this or a similar kind throughout the state and provide a market and storage for farm products, other than cotton and tobacco. What the farmer needs more than reduction, is a good marketing system that he can make use of. The theory of making diversified crops is fine, but in order to be practical it must have a means of turning these crops into money so the farmer can take care of his obligations.

It Has Kept Faith

While country papers have been suffering financial difficulties the past few years, and in ninety-five per cent of the cases surviving them, there has been a distinct improvement in the quality of news and editorial service. No line of business, probably, has kept faith with its customers as courageously as the weekly press.—Wisconsin Press.

World's Biggest Gambler

Here's the world's biggest gambler, the American farmer! He gambles with the weather, with the soil, with grasshoppers, with army worms, with grubs, and a score of other offshoots of the plagues of ancient Egypt. Every spring he takes a chance—a desperate chance. If he wins, as he does occasionally, he comes off with a big stake; if he loses, which he does more frequently, he has a chance to try again. Happily, he is a good loser, else the world would starve.—Gazette, Mitchell, S. D.

THE BOOK

the first line of which reads, "The Holy Bible," and which contains Four Great Treasures

by **BRUCE BARTON**

A MASTER GATHERS PUPILS

To all the temptations Jesus answered, "Get thee behind me, Satan," and He emerged from the wilderness with a clear-cut picture of His mission and His program. He saw very quickly that He could not adopt John's methods. John was an ascetic, a reformer, a denouncer. Jesus was fond of people, loved social life and liked to be in a crowd. John said, "Flee from the wrath to come." Jesus said, "God is your Father, and has made the world as a happy place for His children." The two messages were complementary, but, while the friendship of the cousins was firm and their respect for each other deep and true, they were utterly unlike in personality. Each must speak the truth as he saw it and in his own chosen way. It was an age when philosophers in cities like Athens and religious teachers in Palestine moved about out-of-doors and gathered as they went.

It is interesting to remember that the name by which Jesus most liked to be called was "Master," not a master of servants but a master of pupils, a schoolmaster. And the name He gave to His associates, "disciples," means simply "pupils."

The story of the way in which He gathered these men is full of interest. He seemed to have no studied method. "As Jesus passed by" He called one and another, saying, "Follow me," and the man who was called left his fishing, or whatever his work might be, and followed instantly.

The significant thing to remember is His amazing faith in plain ordinary folk. He did not look over the Blue Book or the Directory of Directories, saying to Himself, "This is the most important mission that any one ever undertook; I must have the very best and ablest assistants." On the contrary, it was almost as though He said, "If I can pick up about a dozen honest chaps who are physically strong enough to stand hardships and simple enough to let their faith carry them beyond intellectual doubts, I can trust this message of mine to their keeping and feel sure that it will never die out. That supreme confidence in common humanity sets Jesus apart from most other leaders who have attempted large things, and the magnificent way in which His faith was justified is one of the finest proofs of His divinity."

It will be worth while to look briefly at these pupils of His. How many of us know anything at all about them, or could even write a list of their names? The first two of the permanent disciples were John, the son of Zebedee (with whom was afterward associated his brother, James), and Andrew. Andrew was apparently the sort of man who likes to discover good things and then tell them to a brother or to some one else with more initiative than himself. That is the fate of many of the world's most useful characters.

Sarepta Revival 8 o'clock in the evening. The pastor, Rev. L. C. Brothers, of Warrenton, will conduct the meeting. Everyone is urged to attend.

Revival meeting begins at Sarepta church at Centerville, Sunday, July 22, with services at 11 o'clock in the morning, and at 8 o'clock in the evening. Each day following services will be at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and 8 o'clock in the evening. Some candidates whom in the spring, dry up in the summer and get frostbitten, along about November.

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Itinerary
 July 23—Alert Woman's Club.
 July 24—Gold Sand Woman's Club will meet with Mrs. Sam Marshall.

The Home Agent will leave Wednesday to attend the 4-H Club Short Course at State College, the course will extend thru July 30.

The Woman's Short Course will be held at State College July 30-August 4th.

The following 4-H Club girls are planning to attend the short course: Myrtle Mitchell, Evelyn Ayscue, Virginia Perry, Blanche Weldon and Elsie Gupton. If any more girls decide to go be sure and get in touch with the Home Agent. Remember girls you will be required to wear only your 4-H Club uniforms during the entire course.

Mrs. W. S. Person and Mrs. W. R. Young will receive certificates for four years work at the Woman's Short Course. This is a partial list of the women who are planning to attend the woman's short course: Mrs. Spencer Dean, Mrs. Ed. Dean, Mrs. G. C. Parrish, Mrs. Arch. Perry, Mrs. Owen Reed, Mrs. S. B. Nash, Mrs. C. C. Pippin, Mrs. K. B. White and Mrs. R. N. Sheron.

Sixteen women attended the Wood Woman's Club meeting which was held at the home of Mrs. G. D. Wester. Eighteen women attended the Mitchner's Club meeting which was held at the home of Mrs. Edens.

Iced Pickles
 1. Slice cucumbers one eighth inch thick.
 2. Slice green tomatoes ¼ inch thick.
 3. Cube watermelon rind.
 Either of these three may be used.

Soak in Lilly lime 6—10 hours. Soak in clear water until lime flavor is no longer present. Use sweetest spiced vinegar—that is 6 pounds sugar to 1 gallon of vinegar. Bring to boil, drop in fruit, boil 15 minutes, cool 15 minutes. Repeat until product is clear.

Spiced Vinegar
 To 1 gal. of vinegar add:
 1-2 oz. allspice
 1-2 oz. cloves
 1 stick cinnamon
 1 piece of mace
 1 pound of sugar for sour pickle
 2 pounds of sugar for less acid pickle.
 For sweet pickle use 4—6 pounds of sugar to the gallon of

vinegar. Granulated sugar is always best. The spices in bag, drop in vinegar, add sugar, boil for fifteen minutes. Set spiced vinegar aside for three weeks before removing spice bag. This can be used for any kind of pickle.

ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE
 Mrs. McM. Furgerson entertained at two tables of bridge Monday night in honor of her house guest, Mrs. Paul Bricker, of Nitro, West Virginia. The following were guests: Mesdames Paul Bricker, W. E. White, Sam Wilder, Jr., S. W. Scoggin, L. Cooke and Misses Billie Phillips, Lucy Timberlake and Anna Grey Watson.

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