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The man that snaps and snarls and barks and bites never makes peace. He may however succeed in giving his community hydrophobia for evidently the poison is in him. Beware of such men their disease is fatal.

A lie continually repeated comes no nearer the truth than when it was first told. Telling false things over and over will not change their color only to make them licker. So stop the old false things that come from your life and begin a new false step or statement or utterance.

Why don't some of the infidel critics of the Bible make a better one? It is a bad thing to take the crust from a child unless they can give him a better piece of bread. It is worse for the infidel to thrust at the Bible and the Church unless he would give something better in their places.

The lies of hate grow out of date and make men sick. Change is the thing that keeps up consciousness and even the mad turtle at times wants a breath of pure air. Then rise to the surface of a manly life and think on and tell the things that are true. It will make all life sweeter and better if you only do this.

Would you make your town better then lift up your brother, never pull him down. If you are mad whistle, don't curse. If some one has done you wrong hope that he won't do so again. When wrong yourself be man enough to quit it. Love your town, your people and right but more than all these love God and things will go better.

Elizabeth City is the natural moral, intellectual, industrial and commercial center of this section of North Carolina. Any force that strikes at either of these things is a menace to this section and especially to this City and her people. The moral condition of a town goes far to govern all its other conditions then any influence, factor force or person that would degrade the moral condition is in proportion to its power a nuisance.

It is good people, good schools and good churches that make a town worth living in more than anything else. We have all three, good people, good schools and good churches, but some influences would make the people mad each with the other, disrupt the schools and the churches and cause ruin to run in its wake. A clean citizenship, good business principles and high patriotism will always put down bad influences and disrupting forces and build up those things that make for the good of a community.

Truth from some centers of malicious falsehoods would indeed be as unnatural as the flashing of lightning from a clear sky. It is natural for a pole cat in madness and fright to throw off his foul smell to make men sick and just so is it the nature of some men to throw off foul things from their corrupt lives. But it does seem that they might try to rise a little above the low level of such animals and try to clean up themselves and live above such stinking passions.

Citizens, stop, look, listen for there is danger in the corruption that is being poured out on this community. Is it Knobbs Creek water that is poisoning this town? Or is it the breeze from the Pasquotank that would sink your men and your town in ruin? It is not personal enmity more than anything else that is damaging this City? Property has lost value, men have lost work and conditions are not good for general prosperity. The cause is not hard to find and neither will it be hard to remedy when the men come together and stand firm against personal spleen working itself out in such a way as to injure the whole community. For is not that the one danger in this City?

Some Dark Things

There are things blacker than night some of them have been at work in this city for some time past. Some of the men that have been promoting these dark things think that they can brow beat individuals and a community into silence and passiveness. These same men think that by a few threats that they can keep back many things that might come out against them. This paper does not care to ever speak about individuals except in the best terms, it had much rather not be forced to do it but a community cannot be allowed to suffer for the sake of a small ring that seeks to ruin. In the center of that ring is the red fire of a mad man, and he is using every tool of the devil that he can secure to strike at men with whom he is mad. To try to undermine the character of men or of a man is blacker than night in its devilishness, but to try to disrupt churches to satisfy a personal spleen can be no other work than that of a demon. You may put it down as true hereafter that unless this hellishness is stopped that there will be some real light turned on this dark ring. The Tar Heel building may burn but other papers will run and the truth shall be told.

Moral Leaders

In any town whether they be preachers or teachers or business men the moral leaders should rise up and put down the disrupting factors in its midst. The moral leader who ever he may be or what ever is his calling in life that is not striking at the greatest evils in a community is sure a poor if not a careless leader. If it is the Near Beer joints it is the moral leaders duty to strike them. If it is the dissipation of manhood because of bawdy institutions they should hit that evil with all their might. If it be lies, slander and bickerings because of enmity it is no less a duty for them to strike it. It is not the part of a moral leader to wink at evils that are ruining in their effects both upon material things and spiritual life, because it is more pleasant and maybe easier to shun it. Great evils do not die a natural death. It is righteous lives active against them that must put them down. The only battle of manhood that is worth the name is that of battling down evil. In our midst is an evil blacker than night, and it is time for every moral force to thrust itself against it. The forces are aroused as never before, men are thinking as they have not for months and the greatest evil of this town is being branded by all who think as the most malicious thing that has ever been known in the history of this community.

Foul Journalism

Foul, corrupt and debased journalism is one of the great curses of this age. More sections than those of the large cities are infected by this evil, it is coming to be a real social malady. It ever flows from distorted imaginations, foul minds and rotten hearts that seek to create sensations by attacking men of reputation and character. Such journalism without character and therefore, can have no regard for truth and it must therefore by virtue of its very nature live on lies, scandal, slander and debasing sensations of its own creation. In a late expression from Mayor Gaynor of New York is found the thought of men every where who are thinking of the well being of the nation and her communities in regard to foul journalism. When he says:

"Such journalism is, of course, in absolute defiance of the criminal law, and it did enter my mind to publicly call on the grand juries and the district attorney to protect me from it, but I was weak and feared people would say I was thin skinned. But the time is at hand when these journalistic scoundrels have got to stop or get out, and I am ready now to do my share to that end. They are absolutely without souls. If decent people would refuse to look at such

newspapers the thing would right itself at once. The journalism of New York city has been dragged to the lowest depth of degradation. The grossest ratteries and fair discussion have gone on unchecked. One can not help sympathizing with the decent newspapers.

It is indeed time for decent people everywhere to refuse to look at such rotteness. The voice of the best minds to day is against such corruption and it must go or it will ruin. People are apt to fall or rise to the level of the matter which they read, if the matter is corrupt, the character will soon be corrupt, if the matter is high and pure the character will tend to go upward. Be careful never to let foul printed matter enter your home to poison the minds of your people. And if you care for your community and nation do all that you can to put such things down.

In Honor of Mrs. J. B. Griggs.

The Tuesday evening Club entertained on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Dan Morgan in Main street, complimentary to Mrs. J. B. Griggs on the eve of her departure for her new home in Iowa. Mrs. Griggs is a charter member of the club and by her charming personality has endeared herself to each member. The home was beautifully decorated for the occasion and the evening was a delightful one though a thread of sadness ran through the whole. Miss Sophy Martin the senior member presented to Mrs. Griggs in the name of the club a lovely set of gold prayer book markers, the presentation was a gem, a few beautiful words touchingly expressed, Mrs. Griggs emotion prevented a very audible reply. After the game of bridge beautifully appointed refreshments were served. Mrs. Griggs departure is deeply regretted by a wide circle of friends. She will be greatly missed in church work as well as in the social life. Since the announcement of her departure she has received many social attentions.

Locke Craig, who has recently, through his friends announced anew his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Governor two years hence is scheduled to speak at Statesville, Oct. 14, Elmwood Oct. 15, Winston-Salem Oct. 17, Greenville, Oct. 19, Washington Oct. 20, Plymouth Oct. 21, Columbia Oct. 22, Edenton Oct. 24, Hertford, Oct. 25, Elizabeth City Oct. 26, Camden Oct. 27, Currituck Oct. 28.

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