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THE MORNING AFTER THE NIGHT BEFORE

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Go to your nearest soda fountain and say "Bro-Mal-Gine." Say it so the dispenser will understand. Pleasant to take and knocks that headache without an after effect.
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WHY I GO TO CHURCH.

By Hon. Scott Harris, Congressman from Oklahoma.

"It is sweet on a summer's morning, when the air is a-quiver with the love songs of the birds and fragrant with the odor of the rose's bloom, to hear the music of the church bells, an invitation to the world-weary to enter God's temple and find peace, because the instinct of worship is in the heart of man and the church is the temple of the living God.

"I go to church because I find there, that peace which DeQuincey described as a resting from human labors, a Sabbath of repose, a respite granted from the secret burdens of the heart, as if I stood at a distance and aloof from the uproar of life; as if the tumult and fever and strife were suspended; as if there brooded over me a dove-like and halcyon calm.

"I go to church because I love the music that I hear there, the mighty roll of the great organ, singled with the marvelous symphonies of that divine stringed instrument, the human voice, untwining all the chains that tie the hidden soul of harmony.

"I go to church because I delight to hear the teachings of the preacher, whose soul is dedicated to God, whose field is as wide as God's universe, whose theme is the destiny of man, and whose words are the oracles of fate. Marvelous is the spell of the preacher to whom God has given genius and consecration and the power of illustration drawn from the old, sacred, immortal Book, and from the miracles of nature, no less revealed in the crimson-tipped flower turned up by the plowshare of Robert Burns upon the soil of Ayr than in the long reaches of the star-girt skies.

"I go to church because 'the way is dark and I am far from home,' and because the church is the polar star to light my pathway in the rayless night.

"I go to church because the church ministers not only to the spiritual but also to the material needs of life, and because it is there that the charities that soothe and heal and bless are scattered at the feet of man like flowers.

"I go to church because in that atmosphere vice and crime wither and die.

"I go to church because I hear the teachings of the philosophy of Jesus, the incomparable man; and if you say His teaching is philosophy and not religion and that He was a man and not a God, then the philosophy of that man has redeemed the world from savagery and blessed mankind with Christian civilization, and, to my mind, a thing worth while to hear.

"I go to church because I find there consolation and hope; because I see there the dawn and not the sunset; and if it is better for man, if the hope is baseless and the vision but an elusive phantom, to cherish a dream so glorious and beautiful than to be weighted down and crushed with the quarried mountains of a world without hope and without God."

SLIT HIGH.

The Arkansas Democrat says that "The girl who wears one of those extreme slit skirts this winter will get a cold shoulder." My, my! We had no idea they were slitting them that high.—Durham Sun.

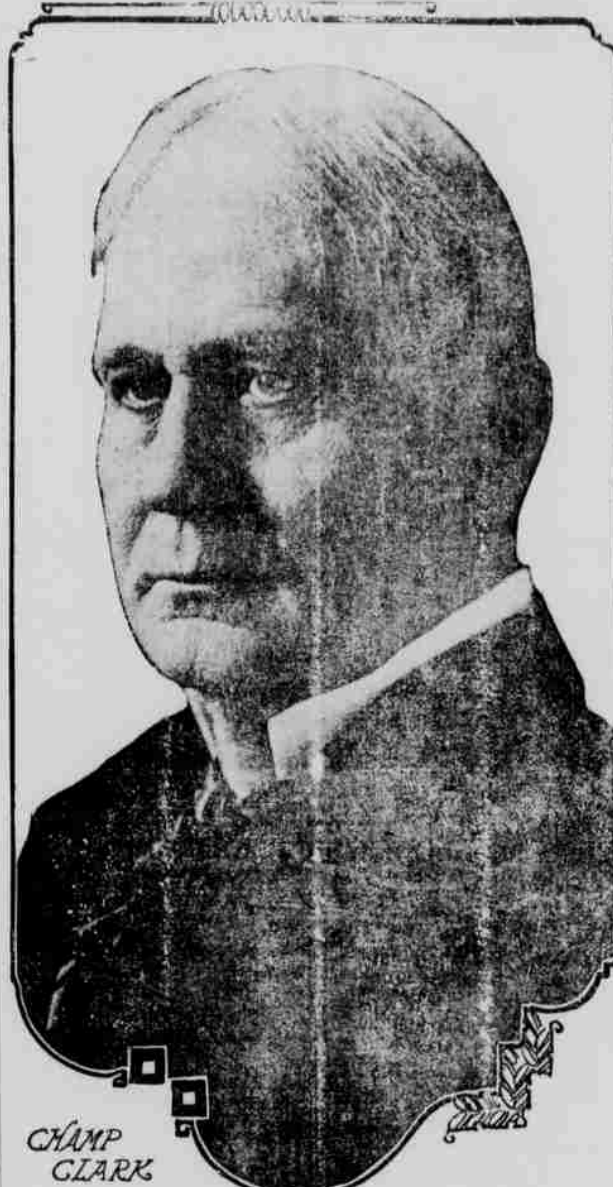
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CLARK

Speaker Clark's declination of an invitation attend a Democratic dinner last week, at which Secretary Bryan was a guest, stirred up so much commotion that the Speaker issued a characteristic statement. "I have cut all dinners and functions except those I feel under obligations to attend in my official capacity," said the Speaker. "I did this for two reasons: 1. Because I have no time to attend. I have too much to do. 2. Mr. Spofford, so long Librarian of Congress, once told me that most public men and army and navy officers who died in Washington 'dug their graves with their own teeth,' a saying which I took to heart.

"The people of the country are not interested in any considerable extent about dinners in Washington, but they are interested very much as to what Congress does, and when it does it, and I am trying my best to expedite business so that we can get away from here and give the country a rest. That is a good policy for both the country and the Democratic party."

THE PERFECT MAN.

In a newspaper wrangle with another editor the author was bantered for being a cripple. Stung by the unmanly and ungenerous rebuke, the author, who is editor and publisher of the Guide, Gilman City, Mo., replied in these lines. E. W. Howe, of Atchison Globe, was so charmed by the verses he sent them to Edward Bok, editor of the Ladies' Home Journal. Mr. Bok was so pleased with them that he published them in the Ladies' Home Journal with an explanatory note. Since then the verses have been republished in various newspapers and magazines over the country and the author has received many complimentary letters about them at his home in Gilman City.

O, what does it take to make man complete
From the crown of his head to the soles of his feet?
With naught to subtract and nothing to add—
A man not too good, and a man not too bad?

Is man but an arm, a leg, and a boot?
An eye, and an ear, and a tongue, and a throat?
Is there nothing more in him to extol?
A brain? Or a heart? A conscience, or soul?

Is the hunchback, the deaf, the mute and the blind
The only unfortunate the frail world can find?
The only sad creature whose makeup is weak
Enough for a tongue and a voice to speak?

Is the man that hobbles along as he goes
The only wreck in the tide of Earth's woes?
Is there no perfumed heart? No brain out of plumb?
No conscience deep-seared and withered and dumb?

Is the miserable gristle in place of a spine,
The shrunken ideal, the hope out of line,
The twisted desire, the wish-washy will,
No cause to suspect that the makeup is ill?

Is there no vision to look through the skin
And see the deep voids that may lie within?
The crack on the inside, where the outside is whole?
The warp in the heart and the limp in the soul?

IN THE SMALL PROCESSION.

BY FRANK L. STANTON.

Never ask the country to see me rise an' shine,
They ain't no cash that's counterfit in any 'roll' o' mine;
In my one garden spot o' life I'm lovin' every cloud;
I'm in the small procession, but I'm keepin' up—praise God!

"One pathway leads me to my toil—all earthly comforts bringin';
An' winter gray, or flower-sweet May, I walk that way a-singin';
An' when I'm in the lonesome land where trouble ships his tether,
I take a brother by the hand an' say: 'We'll strive together.'"

That's not like reachin' out for fame—like climbin' jes' so high
You've got to talk to clouds an' stars an' tell old times goodby;
The thing men know as "glory" the best o' things may be,
But I've long knowed it ain't my road—it wuzn't built fer me.

I'll never reach the Promised Land in any fiery car,
Nor h'ist this corn-cob pipe o' mine an' light it with a star;
Content to toil—to reap an' sow, without a trumpet blowin',
It takes the humble folk, you know, to keep the great ones goin'.

SECRETARY BRYAN ON DRINK.

Satisfied If He Has Given Anyone Strength to Help Him to Resist Temptation.



HON. WILLIAM J. BRYAN.

To a company of Boy Scouts who presented him with an engraved copy of a resolution of appreciation regarding his stand for total abstinence, Secretary of State Bryan said among other good things:

"If since I have grown to manhood I had ever felt tempted to begin the drinking of liquor, I would have been restrained by the feeling that my act might injuriously affect some who looked to me for my example; and I have felt that more especially in public life, for as one becomes better known his example has a far more reaching influence. I shall feel that I have not lived entirely in vain if by abstaining from the use of intoxicating liquors as beverages I have given strength to anyone to help him resist temptation."

MAY INCREASE PARCELS POST WEIGHT LIMIT.

"A Hundred Pound Package Has No Terrors for Me," Declares Postmaster General Burleson.



A. S. BURLISON

Recent experiments conducted by the postoffice department with the aim of increasing the weight limit of the parcels post have proved so successful that parcels weighing 100 pounds soon may be shipped by mail. The present weight limit of parcels is fifty pounds.

"The 100 pound weight limit has no terrors for me," the Postmaster General declared. He expressed belief that 600,000,000 parcels would be transported through the mails during the year, beginning July 1, next, with a revenue of approximately 10 cents each.

NONE LIKE HIM.

Says a contemporary: "The theory that there is no fool like an old fool was ruthlessly shattered when an 18-year-old Texan married a widow with 18 children." The boy did not have the experience to act like an old fool. An old fool would have married the 18-year-old girl of the family and left 17 of the children to help mother.—Wilmington Star.

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A GOOD WIFE.

Why Not Have Told Her So When Her Ears Were Not Dulled By Death.

"She was a good wife to me. A good wife, God bless her." These words were spoken in trembling accents over a coffin lid. The woman asleep had had the heat and burden of life's long day and no one ever heard her murmur; her hand was quick to reach out in a helping grasp to those who fell by the wayside; and her feet were swift on errands of mercy; the heart of the husband had trusted her; he had left her to long hours of solitude, while he amused himself in scenes in which she had no pleasure nor part. Children had been born to them. She had reared them almost alone—they were gone! Her hand had ministered to their wants. Then she had comforted him, and sent him out strong and whole—heartful while she stayed at home and—cried. What can a woman do but cry—and trust? Well, she is at rest now. But she could not die until he had promised to "bear up" and not to fret, but to remember how happy they had been. They? Yes, it is even so. For she was best in giving, and he in receiving. It was an equal partnership after all. "She was a good wife to me." Oh man! man! why not have told her so, when her ears were not dulled by death?

THAT'S WHAT SHE WANTED TO KNOW.

A Chicago lawyer recently received a call from a very well-groomed, stylish young person. "Sir," said she, "I am in great distress."

"Please state your case, miss."

"The difficulty is this: I have received three proposals of marriage."

"Which man has the most money?" he asked.

The young woman shrugged her shoulders. "Do you imagine," she asked, "that if I knew I would consult you or any other lawyer?"

Every time you see a woman headed downtown she is either going to a dry goods store or to the dentist.

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Thousands of children in the United States who are suffering from attacks of epilepsy are a burden and sorrow to their parents, who would give anything to restore health to their offspring.

Dr. Miles' Nervine

is one of the best remedies known for this affliction. It has proven beneficial in thousands of cases and those who have used it have the greatest faith in it. It is not a "secret" but a reliable remedy for epilepsy sufferers. You need not hesitate to give it a trial.

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