

The Religion that is Needed.

Rev. D. H. Tuttle, in Biblical Record. Just at this time our country needs a religion that will make a man pay his debts. Shouting don't settle old notes and accounts with God nor man—cash up. We want to pounce right on a fellow and put him out of the church if he goes to a ball, or theatre, or goes on a drunk, but never say a word to the pious scamp who never pays his debts. Preachers and people who do not pay their debts are doing the church more harm than dancers and drunkards—there are more of them in the church. Reader, am I getting close to you? Then lay down the paper and go and pay up and you can read on at ease. And don't you stop paying because the "statute of limitations" excuses the open account you made for your bread and meat—God's law knows no statute. You pay it in cash or God will make you pay it in fire and brimstone. God knows no such excuse from paying as "homestead exemption." You raise that excuse to keep from paying your debts and you can stop singing, "When I can read my title clear to mansions in the skies."—You've got none up there. You may say, I would pay if I could. How hard have you tried? If dying at this moment could you say, I've done all in my power? Have you tried to save a little each week or month for your debts? Are you spending no money for things to eat and wear that you could do without? How much do you spend per year for cigars and tobacco? Make the calculation. Put that amount to your debts. * * * When expenses not necessary for the feeding and clothing of the body are cut off and applied to the payment of debts then you grow in favor with God, and not till then does God excuse you.

A Story With a Small Moral.

From the Little Rock Gazette. A story with a moral comes all the way from Oakland, California. That flourishing town boasts of a dashing young woman of wealth, a Miss Lilly Brown. This dashing young woman's dominating freak was a desire to become a widow by the shortest route. So she made a contract with an enterprising Oaklander, one Anson A. DuPuy, to furnish her as a husband some man known to be in the last stages of an incurable disease. Mr. Frank McKee, warranted to be dying of consumption, was produced, accepted, and the twain were married.

The horrible feature remains to be told. Instead of going on with his dying, soothed by the presence and loving ministrations of the radiant Lilly, McKee suddenly began to improve, and is already out of the doctors who had numbered his days on their tablets. It is a case of genuine Scotch obstinacy, which doubtless the statutes against fraud ought to reach, but about which they are strangely silent. Meanwhile the blooming aspirant for gushing widowhood and becoming widow's weeds points the finger of malice at the unfortunate marriage broker, who points the finger of disgust at the doctors for not knowing how to pick out a last-gasp consumptive.

Moral: Young woman, don't marry a man in the hope of speedily becoming a blooming widow. Young man, don't marry a woman in the hope that the angels will come soon and carry her away. Death is seldom in a hurry in cases of this kind.

Enjoy Life. What a truly beautiful world we live in! Nature gives us grandeur of mountains, glens and oceans, and thousands of means of enjoyment. We can desire no better when in perfect health; but how often do the majority of people feel like giving it up hishearted, discouraged and worn out with disease, when there is no occasion for this feeling, as every sufferer can easily obtain satisfactory proof, that Green's August Flower, will make them free from disease, as when born. Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint are the direct causes of 75 per cent of such maladies as Biliousness, Indigestion, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Nervous Prostration, Dizziness of the head, Palpitation of the Heart, and other distressing symptoms. Three doses of August Flower will prove its wonderful effect. Sample bottles, 10 cents.

A Dakota Court Scene. From the Dakota Bell. The trial of a man for selling whiskey was taking place in one of the Dakota prohibition counties. A quart bottle of whiskey was produced by the officer as having been found on the premises of the defendant. "Just lemme see that bottle o' lik-

ker," said the judge. It was handed to him; he pulled the cork out with his teeth, smelled of the contents a couple of times, held it up to the light and said: "I sentence this 'ere likker to solitary confinement." "What's that?" asked the astonished prosecuting attorney. "The contents o' this 'ere bottle is hereby sentenced to solitary confinement." "Why, you blamed old snoozer, you aren't trying the bottle—it is the prisoner here who is before the court." "Five dollars for contempt o' court, you red-eyed pettifogger!" roared the judge. "The prisoner is discharged! Get out o' here, every one o' you! I'll show you ef this court can't enforce its own sentences!" And he put his feet upon the desk, threw his head back and there was a sound like pure, cold spring water running out of the bung-hole of a barrel.

If you want a Good Article Of Pure Tobacco, ask your dealer for "OLD RIP."

The Wheat Crop. From the Chatham Record. The farmers are still busy harvesting their wheat, and some will not finish before the last of the week.—We are pleased to hear favorable reports from the crop. Some farmers complain of a short crop, but generally the wheat crop is better this season than it has been in several years. In many fields the stalks are short and the wheat thin, but the heads are heavy and well filled with grains. Never was a good crop more needed, for more farmers in Chatham have been buying flour this year than ever before. Many a bushel of wheat will be beat out before the thrasher comes around, and carried to the mill at once.

The N. C. Press Association will meet at Hendersonville, N. C., on the 20th of July.

Heaven help the dude in an emergency. He lacks presence of mind.—Boston Courier.

Bronchitis. Island Shoals, Ga., Feb. 6, 1885. Gents:—Your Johnson's Anodyne Liniment is the best thing I have ever seen. I believe it saved my husband's life. Last year he was suffering intense agony with Bronchitis, and I used it as you direct. It gave him relief in a few minutes.

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Sale of Steam Engine, Saw Mill and Fixtures.

BY VIRTUE of powers contained in a Mortgage executed by Noah Richardson and J. P. Boroughs on 31st August, 1883, and duly recorded in Book 18, pages 258-9 of Register's office, the undersigned, Attorneys of C. & G. Cooper & Co., will, at the court house door in the town of Rockingham, on Saturday, the 11th June, 1887,

SELL FOR CASH one 12-horse Engine and Boiler, with fixtures, and one 50-inch Saw Mill and fixtures, everything complete, to satisfy said Mortgage, default having been made in payment of same.

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SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Richmond county, made in the case of Peter McKee, Administrator of Alexander Malloy, deceased, against Charles Malloy and others, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder at public auction at the court house door in Rockingham on Monday the 4th day of July, 1887, the following lands, belonging to the estate of Alexander Malloy deceased, viz: First Tract: That part of the homestead, north of the road leading from Malloy's Mills to Laurel Hill church, containing 300 acres, more or less. Second Tract: Adjoining the lands of Mr. J. C. Everett, F. W. Korchner and others near the above road. No. of acres not known on day of sale. Terms of sale: One fourth cash, note for balance payable in 8 months. Title retained until the purchase money is paid in full. Peter McKee Adm'r of Alexander Malloy deceased, and Commissioner. May 23, '87.

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TRAINS MOVING SOUTH. Le Walnut Cove, 1:50 p.m. Le Greensboro, 4:30 p.m. Le Greensboro, 10:00 a.m. Le Sanford, 1:30 p.m. Le Sanford, 1:55 p.m. Le Fayetteville, 4:10 p.m. Le Fayetteville, 4:35 p.m. Le Maxton, 6:20 p.m. Le Maxton, 6:30 p.m. Le Bennettsville, 7:45 p.m. Passenger and Mail—dinner at Sanford.

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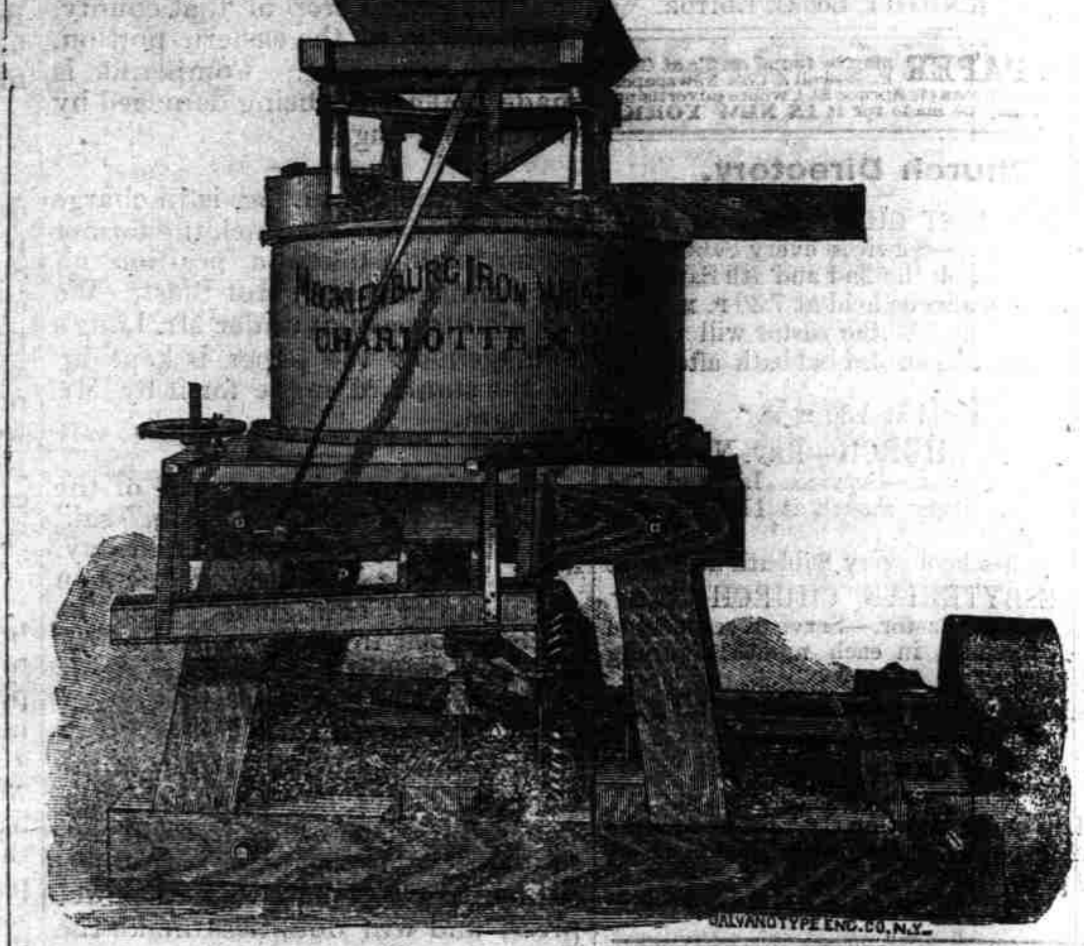
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