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## 'Tis Better.

LILLIE SHERIDON.

Better to con life's lessons all  
Than to frown at the harder places,  
Better to climb, tho' we sometimes  
fall  
And move with indifferent paces,  
Than to sit discouraged, and idly  
complain,  
Counting life but a failure and fetter,  
For God has a plan for every man  
That no wisdom of earth could better.

Better than wait for a cloudless day  
Is to catch the light as 'tis given;  
Better to seize the joy as they stray  
Than wait for the bliss of Heaven.  
Better a song tho' you sing it your-  
self  
With a voice which no music dis-  
closes,  
Than to fill the years with sighs and  
tears  
Waiting for "hot house roses."

Better to do a lowly deed  
Than wait for a grand endeavor,  
Small chances come where we may  
succeed,  
But the great ones may slight us over.  
Better than wait to lead a crusade,  
Drop daily our lump of leaven,  
If we do our best we may leave the  
rest  
With the Ruler of earth and Heaved.  
—Woman's Work.

## Sam Jones at Durham.

Cor. of the News and Observer.

DURHAM, N. C., Oct. 28, 1888.

Durham has been literally leaping and rushing through pouring rains and mud to Christ. The town has been overflowing with visitors. Many who came miles out of curiosity went home weeping and shouting. Surely never man spake like this man. The feature of the meeting has been that scores and scores of our oldest and most pronounced sinners have been either praying or shouting.

The Devil is on the run good in Durham.

Such meetings, we venture to say, have never been witnessed in all the borders of North Carolina. The closing scenes of the meetings beggar description.

Durham prided herself on the success of her Exposition, but the occasion pales into insignificance when contrasted with the scenes here Saturday and Sunday. Durham has been stirred as never a town was stirred, and God pity the poor man that has not said Amen!

## Shouts Go Up.

Durham Recorder.

Last night about 3,000 people wended their way through the rain and mud to Parrish's warehouse to hear the Rev. Sam Jones. After Mr. Jones arrived, Prof. Excell sang a beautiful solo: "The road to heaven" and the choir and congregation joined in the chorus: "I'm going home." This was followed by a short secret prayer.

Mr. Jones said he did not feel like preaching, but would keep his seat and talk to the congregation from his chair. He did not select a text. He wanted to ask every unconverted person in the building one question: "Why will you continue in sin? Why go away from this warehouse to-night an impenitent sinner?"

Mr. Jones then took up the following answers and discussed them most earnestly:

"Don't know what sin is."  
"Ignorant of the nature of sin."  
"Don't know the consequences of sin."  
"Don't think."  
"After a while."  
"Recklessness."  
"Because a conquered peace has taken possession of the soul."  
The preacher handled these questions in such a manner that soon no sinner had any standing ground and there was nothing left but a complete surrender to Christ.

Soon Mr. Jones became warmed up and words with no such power and bearing ever fell upon a Durham audience as did his as he walked to and fro upon the platform. With an anguished look and out-stretched hands he cried: "Oh my God! Am I preaching the funeral of some poor soul tonight, who, in spite of all our entreaties, will perish in the wrong, and before next Monday morning be in hell a damned soul, without hope forever?"

Thus the speaker went on, his words burning deep into the hearts of his hearers, until his audience was in agony and tears. He stopped and asked that while the choir sang that every one who would make a start for heaven and wanted the prayers of Christian people would come and give him their hand? A beautiful hymn was raised and thousands of voices joined in the singing. Then came a sight never before witnessed here. Unsaved souls with streaming tears by the hundreds filled the isles with out-stretched hands making their way to grasp the hand of the great evangelist. The sight was too much for the evangelist, who clapped his hands and shouted: "Hallelujah! Glory to God, hallelujah!" Many in the choir joined in the shouts, the tide swept over the congregation, the singing ceased and the shouts which followed almost made the roof of the old warehouse rattle. Christian people of all denominations and ages for one time joined in general praise to God, and their voices, intermingled with shouts and prayer, went heavenward as from a single soul.

No, Durham never saw such sights before and perhaps never will again, but the memory of last night's scenes will go with those who witnessed it to the grave.

A company has just organized for the purpose of manufacturing knit goods. The stock of the company is \$10,000, divided into 200 shares of \$50 each. The following are its officers: T. F. Klutz, president; W. Smithleaf, vice-president; Rev. F. J. Murdoch, secretary and treasurer; Directors—T. F. Klutz, F. J. Murdoch, W. Smithleaf, W. L. Klutz, J. M. Knox, John Jacobs and Theo. Baerbaum.—Salisbury Watchman.

## Tell Your Wife.

If you are in trouble or a quondary, tell your wife—that is, if you have one—all about it at once. Ten to one her invention will solve your difficulty sooner than all your logic. The wit of woman has been praised, but her instincts are quicker and keener than her reason. Counsel with your wife or your mother, or sister, and be assured that light will flash upon your darkness. Women are too commonly adjudged as verdant in all but purely womish affairs. No philosophical students of the sex thus adjudges them. Their intuition or insight is the more subtle, and if they cannot see a cat in the meal there is no cat there. In counseling one to tell his troubles to his wife we would go further and advise him to keep nothing from her. Many a happy home has been happily saved by many a fortune relieved by man's confidence in his better half. Woman is far more a seer and prophet than a man if she be given a chance.—Ex.

## The Fair at Siler City.

We learn that the fair at Siler City was a great success. The exhibit was very creditable. The attendance on Tuesday was remarkable. The immense number of vehicles and horses shown that several counties had sent representatives of their best people. President Perry, after declaring the fair opened, called on President Battle, of the University, for an agricultural speech. He spoke for three-quarters of an hour urging the importance of intelligent culture of lands and proving that there is no better country in the world if this be done. At night President Battle delivered a lecture before the Thompson School, and a large audience of residents and visitors, on George E. Badger and other great men of North Carolina. The audience were much interested, entertained and instructed.—News & Obs.

## Earthquake.

By Telegram to News and Observer.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., Oct. 29.—This city was visited by two well defined earthquake shocks last night. At the Weld Street police station the shocks were felt at 11:25 o'clock and were preceded by a rumbling sound, and three distinct oscillations were felt, followed by a tremulous movement. The police and others who were on the street say the movement was preceded by two reports not unlike those of a heavy gun or thunder and then came a distinct movement of the ground. The shocks were distinctly felt across the Acushnet in Fair Haven.

A novel lottery scheme has been proposed in Russia. The chief conditions are these: A young woman of excellent moral character and noble birth is the chief prize; her name is to remain a secret until after the drawing; the total receipts from the sale of tickets, amounting to 5,000 rubles, are to form her marriage portion; the holder of the ticket is to marry the young woman and thus receive the dowry; but if she won't marry him she must pay 2,500 rubles.

The many friends of that gallant gentleman Col. Wharton J. Green will be pleased to learn that he is to be congratulated. He was married at Tokyo, on the 27th ult., to that incomparable lady Mrs. Davis, nee Miss Burr, the widow of the late Judge David Davis, once acting Vice-President of the United States. Mr. and Mrs. Green arrived in this city yesterday afternoon accompanied by Col. Green's daughter, Miss Mabel, who enters St. Mary's School. All are stopping at the Yarb. ro.—News and Obs.

## Sale of Valuable Land.

Pursuant to an order of the Superior Court in an action entitled D. D. DeBerry Adm'r. of Benj. DeBerry dec'd, against W. H. D. Green and others I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in Troy, N. C. on Monday, the 3d day of December, 1888, 250 Acres of Land situated in the county of Montgomery, adjoining the lands of J. E. Parker, Morris & Co., and others, being the land conveyed by A. Forrest, Siff, to Benjamin DeBerry, on the 6th day of April, 1826, and recorded in office of Register of Deeds of Montgomery county, in Book 29, page 170. Said lands are very valuable being covered with Virgin long-leaf pine timber. Terms of sale—one-half cash, the other half in four months from day of sale. Bond with approved security required for deferred payments and title retained till purchase money is paid in full.

For further particulars call on D. D. DeBerry at Wadeville, N. C.  
D. D. DeBerry,  
Adm'r. and Commissioner.  
Oct. 30th, 1888.

## NOTICE.

At the regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, of Montgomery County, held Sept. 3d. It was ordered that a voting precinct be established at Beans Mill, in Ophir township. Said precinct's boundaries are as follows: The line to run with the Troy road, beginning at the Troy township line, thence to near J. L. Saunders' to a mill path and with said path to Barnes' Creek, with said creek to the mouth of Pison Fork Creek to the Randolph county line; all the voters of said Ophir township living west of said line will vote at Ophir Post-office, and all lying east will vote at Beans Mill.

A. R. Morris, Clerk.

## Executors' Sale

OF VALUABLE LAND.

As executors of the last will and testament of the late David Pool, dec'd, we will sell at the residence of D. W. Pool, on Saturday, November 24th, 1888, a tract of 100 acres of farming land, known as the Joshua Pool place, lying in Cheeks Creek township, adjoining the lands of D. L. Parsons and others.

Also at the same time and place, the David Pool mill tract, on Thickety Creek, in Cheeks Creek township, containing one acre adjoining the lands of Taylor Harris dec'd. On this property is a good corn mill, in good condition.

Terms of sale: One-half cash and balance on a credit of six months, with bond and approved security.

D. W. POOL, { Exr's.  
W. F. WOOLEY, }

## Notice!

SALE OF VALUABLE LAND.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Montgomery County, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at the Court House door in Troy, on Monday, December 3rd, 1888, One Hundred and Twenty Acres of heavily timbered land, in Little River Township, in said county, adjoining the lands of Harbard Lucas, Peter Cornelison and others, being a part of the lands of the late W. B. Lucas. This 12th day of Oct. 1888.

W. A. MARTIN, Guardian for J. C. Martin.  
W. C. Douglass, Atty.

## NOTICE.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Montgomery County in the case of John T. McKinnon & wife and others, against J. C. Roper and others, I will sell to the highest bidder at the Court House door in Troy on the 3rd day of December A. D. 1888 at 12 o'clock, m., the following tracts of land on the following terms, viz: One third cash, one third payable in six months and one third payable in twelve months with interest on the deferred payments from the day of sale until paid, and title retained until the purchase money is all paid.

1st Tract 700 acres more or less, adjoining the lands of Ben DeBerry Sr., J. C. Roper and others.

2d Tract, 100 acres (a two-thirds undivided interest) on the waters of Siscoa Rocky Creek, adjoining the lands of John Chisholm, Martin-A McAulay and others.

3d Tract 100 acres, more or less, on the waters of Rocky Creek adjoining what is known as the Wm Crowder lands.

4th Tract, 100 acres (a half undivided interest) and joining the Wm. Crowder and Wm. Burnay lands.

5th Tract, 121 acres more or less (a fourth interest in the mineral) known as the Carter Gold Mine, on Denson Creek.

6th Tract, 42 1/2 acres more or less on the waters of Rocky Creek adjoining other lands on the Smith Branch.

7th Tract, 90 acres more or less, (the 4th and 5th interests) lying on both sides of the Arnes Branch and adjoining the lands of the late Jesse Smithman.

8th Tract, 59 acres more or less, on the waters of Clarks Creek granted to Edward DeBerry Jr., the 7th Oct. 1860.

All the above described lands are situated in Montgomery county and unimproved, lying either in the Gold belt or in the long leaf pine section.

Troy, N. C. Oct. 30th 1888  
C. C. WADE, Commissioner.

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