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THE PROMISE OF BETTER THINGS.

The passage of the Lenten season, with the ushering in of Easter day with its glad acclaims of the Risen Lord, should presumably be the announcement of a better moral status in every community, based upon the religious strength of those Christians who have observed the period set apart for the renunciation of worldly pleasures, with minds filled with higher thoughts, and voices given to prayer.

It is not to be superstitious, to hold that material progress and prosperity gain as morals gain. And yet morals have a most important bearing upon the real, permanent gain of a community. Particularly upon the social status of a community, do moral and intellectual purposes have important bearing.

Material progress, civic advancement, take their start from those in charge of the affairs of the community. The promise of every municipal officer is for better conditions in his department. There is a moral strength in such promises in their effect upon material conditions. A protracted municipal reform must be impelled by a moral force that may not be genuine in the person seeking office, but it exists in the community, and failure to carry it into effect means changes of those in authority until the right man is secured who not merely promises to carry the reform into active practice, but is honest in feeling that by so doing there is good to be gained.

In the spiritual life the change may not become effective in this world, visible to human sight. The promise for a moral life, with all that such a life includes, is made to a Supreme Being. The reward is individual. It is not just for this world, tho it may be present and future, and as the reward is individual, so is the punishment, in its effective force, and each, reward or punishment, is according to the promises made and carried to a just fulfillment, or ignored as being not worthy of the attempt of fulfillment.

ALLEYS CALL FOR MUNICIPAL ATTENTION.

The question as to where trash or refuse of any kind shall be deposited never alarms the careful house keeper. Neither does the matter of what shall be done with the trash about the house disturb the cleanly property owner. The reason for this is plain, each has made provision in advance, so that receptacles are at hand to receive all rubbish, filth and refuse, thus preserving clean households and premises. And yet there are cleanly housekeepers and property owners who do not exercise this care. Instead of keeping receptacles for their own trash and seeing to its removal to the proper place, they will throw rubbish into the alley or sweep it into the street. This is not right, it is unsanitary, it is dangerous to the neighborhood.

There is usually care taken of the public streets, to remove rubbish, and to prevent its being deposited except in boxes. But alleys seldom receive all the attention they need, in being kept in good order for vehicles and pedestrians, and free from rubbish and various kinds of trash. That the welfare of the alley is very important, in its being kept in order and clean, every one knows. That it

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the matter, by not throwing their refuse into the alley, is also self evident. The municipal authorities may have men and teams cleaning up the alleys every day, and yet not be able to keep them in sanitary condition, unless the property owners do their part, and have their rubbish placed in receptacles and properly carried away. With the spring weather, this matter of clean alley ways is very necessary to consider. It means flies or no flies. It means physical health and comfort, or sickness, diseases and disagreeable atmospheric conditions during the hot summer days, that hundreds of persons must endure.

State of Ohio, city of Toledo, Lucas County, ss.

Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

A Matter of Taste. When it comes to tan shoes with a flock coat we prefer ragtime on a pipe organ—Galveston News.

SAFE MEDICINE FOR CHILDREN

Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is a safe and effective medicine for children as it does not contain opiates or harmful drugs. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is in a yellow package.—F. S. Duff.

Advice to Girls. If you are going to marry a man to reform him incide an ax in your trouser—Galveston News.

Foley's Kidney Pills

What They Will Do for You

They will cure your backache, strengthen your kidneys, correct urinary irregularities, build up the worn out tissues, and eliminate the excess uric acid that causes rheumatism. Prevent Bright's Disease and Diabetes, and restore health and strength. Relieve rheumatism.

Jurors Drawn For April Term U. S. Circuit and District Court.

The following list of jurors was yesterday drawn to serve at the next term of the U. S. Circuit and District Court convening in this city on April 25th. with Judge H. G. Connor presiding.

Pitt county—W. E. Tucker, Greenville, R. F. D. Wm. McArthur, Greenville, R. F. D. W. S. Blount, Ayden, R. L. Davis, L. L. Kittle, Winterville,

Jones county—R. B. Parker, Trenton, A. J. Collins, Mayaville, D. B. Heath Comfort, E. B. Isler, Cadiz, Enoch Noble, Craven county—Thos. H. Davis, W. F. Crockett, L. H. Cutler Jr., C. E. Foy, W. R. Barrington, C. W. Munger, G. V. Richardson, E. E. Harper, S. R. Street

Lenoir county—Henry French, J. H. Newborne, D. M. Stanton.

Pamlico county—W. J. Swan, Ben Willis, Henry Carrawan, J. C. Muse, M. Jones, Claud Haskins.

Wayne county—John Herring, M. C. Kornegay, W. B. Glisson, D. B. Smith, Carteret county—Geo. A. Willis, Jr., C. S. Wallace, Harvey Hancock, A. T. Willis, J. H. Jordan.

Beaufort county—W. W. Hooker, Henry Moye, C. S. Dixon.

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No one has ever made a salve ointment or balm to compare with Buckle's Arnica Salve. It's the one perfect healer of cuts, burns, blisters, sores, scalds, boils, ulcers, eczema, salt rheum. For sore eyes, cold sores, Chapped hands or sprains its supreme—Unrivaled for piles. Try it. Only 25c. at all druggists.

Overheard at the Party.

"Don't say anything to make Mrs. Leeder laugh. Her enamel's cracking."

"The man who just came in? He's Mrs. Muldrum's second husband. I've forgotten his name."

"You never know whom you're going to bump against when you come to a place like this."

"Watch here she comes. Yes, indeed, Mrs. Gwimp, we're enjoying ourselves greatly."—Chicago Tribune.

FOR CONSTIPATION.

Mrs. L. H. Franham, a prominent druggist of Spirit Lake, Iowa, says: "Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are certainly the best thing on the market for constipation." Give these tablets a trial. You ascertain to find them agreeable and pleasant in effect. Price, 25 cents. Samples free. For sale by all dealers.

Vegetable Pearls.

White pearls that bring a high price have been found growing on coconuts trees in Malaya.

FOLEY KIDNEY PILLS

FOR RACHITIC KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

The Lark or the Daffodil?

There are those today who maintain that the Welsh national emblem is not the lark, but the daffodil. Both lark and daffodil are known in the ancient British tongue as "cennin," and it is held by those who favor the daffodil flower that owing to the similarity of name the two became confused and that Shakespeare's influence, coupled with the Englishman's delight in masking fun of Taffy and his lark, served to perpetuate the error. Be that as it may, the majority of Welshmen have agreed to wear the lark as an "honorable badge," and neither Saxon bantam nor the indeterminateness of the historical data will avail to dislodge an ancient and a national custom.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Foley Kidney Pills contain in concentrated form ingredients of established therapeutic value for the relief and cure of all kidney and bladder affections, especially Bright's Disease and Diabetes, and restore health and strength. Relieve rheumatism.

TAMED THE SAVAGE.

A Shady Salesman and a Merchant With a Bad Grouch.

A salesman for a carpet house called on the proprietor of a big store. This man had a reputation for eating salesmen alive. After several unsuccessful attempts to see his man the salesman decided to use desperate means to get to him. He knew that the man must buy a bill of goods, for he knew what stock he was carrying and knew that he must lay in a supply for the opening of the year.

In the afternoon he called at the store and deliberately walked into the owner's private office and placed a card on his desk. The storekeeper did not look up from his papers for several minutes. Then he turned savagely on the salesman and said:

"Who in Sam Hill let you in? I left orders to have you thrown out if you came again."

With that he threw the card savagely in the wastebasket. The salesman drew another from his pocket and placed it on the desk where the first had been. Without looking up from his work the buyer threw that in the wastebasket. The salesman threw down two or three other cards with the same result, and finally, almost purple with rage, the merchant turned to him:

"Well, well, well, what is it?"

"I was just thinking," said the salesman, "that if every man your salesmen called on was such an infernal, ignorant, no account grub as you are what cussed few orders they would book and how quickly you would go out of business. That's all, sir; good-by."

"Hold on there a minute," broke in the grouch in a much changed tone. "I guess I owe you an apology. You're right. Let's see your line."—Bookkeeper.

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FOR RHEUMATIC KIDNEYS AND BLADDER

Puzzling.

Here's another thing we can't understand. Tell us that one can see further with the telescope than with the naked eye. In the next breath they remark that the telescope brings everything nearer.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A RELIABLE MEDICINE—NOT A NARCOTIC.

Mrs. F. Marti, St. Joe, Mich., says:

"Our little boy contracted a severe bronchial trouble and as the doctor's medicine did not cure him, I gave him Foley's Honey and Tar Compound in which I have great faith. It cured the cough as well as the choking and gagging spells, and he got well in a short time. Foley's Honey and Tar Compound has many times saved us much trouble and we are never without it in the house."—F. S. Duffy.

This 4th, day of April 1911.

Legal Notices

SALE OF VALUABLE LAND.

By virtue of an order of the court of bankruptcy in the matter of W. J. Moore bankrupt, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the Postoffice door in Oriental, Pamlico county, North Carolina, at 12 o'clock M. on Thursday, the 1st day of May, 1911, all that certain tract of land bounded on the East by the Harrell road, on the South by the A. F. Midgett land and on the West by the E. F. Midgett land.

George T. FARNELL,
Trustee in Bankruptcy of W. J. Moore.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE OF PROPERTY.

By virtue of the power contained in the Deed of Trust executed to the under-signed, on the 24th, day of January 1910 by S. C. Gilbert and Margaret Gilbert, his wife, and duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Craven county, N. C., in book 139, page 109, I will sell to the highest bidder for cash, at the mill site of the mill of S. C. Gilbert, near Cove City, N. C., at the hour of 12 o'clock m. on Monday the 8th, day of May, 1911, all the following described property to-wit:

One 40 horse Latell boiler, one 50 horse power Case & Hedge boiler, one 50 horse power Atlass engine, one American edger, two swinging cut off saws, complete, one blacksmith shop equipment, tools, fan etc, one logging machine, all of which is subject to the lien held by the Producers Lumber Company also one 15 horse power engine which is free from encumbrance, also one Eyer logging machine, which is subject to the lien of E. H. Hodges and the lien of the Producers Lumber Company, also all the railroad and tram road equipment, including rails and machinery and tools of every kind and all the tools, equipment machinery and property of every kind used in and around the mill of said S. C. Gilbert, situated near Cove City, N. C., not hereinbefore specifically mentioned, all of which is subject to the lien of the Producers Lumber Company.

Said property being all the personally owned by said Gilbert in said county of Craven.

This 4th, day of April 1911.

R. A. NUNN,
Trustee.

IN RE MOSELY CREEK DRAINAGE DISTRICT.

North Carolina
Craven County.
Before W. M. Watson, C. S. C.

In The Superior Court.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

To All Persons and Parties Concerned in The Above Entitled Proceedings of the Drainage District:—Take Note:

That the Board of Viewers heretofore appointed in said proceedings for the Moseley Creek Drainage District, after the establishment of said District, at the hearing of the preliminary report of said Board of Viewers by this court, having filed their final report in accordance with chapter 442, Laws of 1909, with the Court, together with maps, levels, profiles, classification of lands, estimate of cost, plans and specifications and expenses of such survey and report; and said Board of Viewers having on such survey and classification of lands found that the timber interest on the lands of the West estate will be benefited by such drainage, and having classified the same, which said timber interest are owned by J. W. Stewart:

Therefore, it is ordered that the said final report, having been examined and found by the court to be in form and in accordance with the law, the same is hereby accepted.