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BIBLE GEMS.

All that the Father giveth me shall come to me and him that cometh to me I will in no wise cast out.—John 6:37.

The Lord is not slack concerning His promise, as some men count slackness; but is long suffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.—II Peter 3:9.

Chinese puzzles and Japanese comedies seem to have the day in the armament conference. The Japs want a bigger navy than America and England says she can have and China keeps the whole bunch guessing. The Chanting controversy has been thrown into the hopper, and the grind goes on.

Mr. Bryan says he has hopes the world conference would rid the world of the "devil's yoke." He said to the war armament, generally the wishes and hopes are the father of the thought.

The public records show that since Mr. Frank Page was first named as chairman of the state highway commission contracts for road work in the state have reached the sum of \$20,911,286.14; 13,236 miles of road have been built. Of this amount only 341.04 miles of hard surface road have been constructed. The remaining 895 miles are gravel roads.

The farmers and the labor union have certainly given somebody some good advice when they say to members of the legislature to correct the Municipal Finance Act, repeal such existing laws as need the chopping block, "then quit and go home." And from present indications this good advice will be heeded.

WHAT ARE THE RESULTS.

Tarboro has just passed through a great religious campaign, and thousands of people have attended the services at the tent. Cottage prayer meetings have been held in almost every section of the town and our people have for the last few weeks experienced the greatest religious activity ever seen here.

What will be the results? No doubt that question has been asked by many, some in sincerity and some by way of criticism.

Let this question be changed and put it in this form: What have been the results?

It is a difficult for one, who has not attended these tent meetings, and who have not entered heartily into them to give an honest and correct answer.

However, if on the other hand one really wants to see things just as they are, the answer to these above questions is simple.

The different denominations have been brought together more closely. By working together they know each other better, when their desires and sympathies are as one.

Hundreds of people who very rarely darken a church door have attended these tent services regularly and been greatly blessed.

Lukewarm church members, who had grown cold and indifferent to their obligations and vows have been

refreshed and their lives changed. Those who have heretofore been known to scoff at religion, in attending the services have remained to pray.

And, finally, many scores of men and women and boys and girls have decided to quit the sin business and give their lives to God.

Tarboro and Edgecombe county has been made a better place to live in, and the preaching of the Gospel has turned the minds of the people toward God and heaven.

MACK QUILTS HOSPITAL ONLY FOR ONE SERVICE

(Continued from page one.) you need them most. So it is likely to be with unfaithful men. I have had my little lesson and learned by sad and bitter experience. I have had those in whom I had confided and trusted and whom I believed to be my friends and they were 'untill the hour of my adversity when they failed me and said 'I told you so.' I knew that would be the end of him!

"I was running a little store in my home town in 1900 and it was neat and well kept and I was making a comfortable living and I prided myself on keeping one of the cleanest places in the town. One day some high-bred, aristocratic fellows came down to my place and patted me on the back, rubbed my head and tickled my chin and caressed and gave me soft boiled conversation. They said, 'Mack, old sport, how are you getting along?' I told them fairly well, that I was making a living and that my business was steadily improving. They said, 'Old fellow, we have been thinking about you and are very much interested in your welfare and would like to see you prosper and we have thought out a little scheme and it is this: 'If you will keep a high class brand of joy juice here we will organize a club with the very best fellows in town in it and no one else will be admitted and we could just send down to your place and you could wrap us up a quart or just send your porter over to our places of business with it. You could make at least \$10 clear every day. Now Mack, old fellow, no one is to know anything about this and of course no one will ever suspect you?' I told them the thing didn't look good to me but every day some of them would be around to see me, showing me how I would prosper and what a great act of friendship it would be on my part to them.

"After much urging, I allowed myself to be persuaded. I sat down and ordered me a case of Overholt, Green River, Emerson's xxx, Paul Jones and Old Harvest and other leading brands and for one year I flourished like the green bay tree. But one day the sheriff and two or three constables paid me a visit and they had a little piece of paper about a foot long inviting me to spend sometime at the County Hotel. Free board had already been arranged for me. Of course, I had the alternative of giving a substantial bond for my appearance on a certain date. I threw my shoulders back and in a bombastic, pompous, egotistical, inflated way I told them it would be dead easy to give a bond in any amount that they wished and the sheriff immediately told me they wasted action instead of wind jans-

ming. "I said, 'You come right on here with me to my dear friend, Mr. A.' I walked up to him and said, 'Old fellow, they've got me in a little trouble and I want you to go on my bond.' He said, 'Mack I would be delighted but I am on several papers now and I don't think it would be experient for me to sign any more just at this time.' I said, 'Well, that's perfectly alright, I know that Mr. P will sign my bond.' He says, 'Yes, Mack, that's the very fellow to go to.'

"I marched over to see him and he said, 'Mack, you know I would do anything in the world I could for you but I went on a fellow's bond sometime ago and I don't think they would want me on any other paper.' Then I ran over to see Mr. C. and told him my predicament and he said, 'Mack, I promised my wife, Mary, that I would never go on anyone's bond or sign any kind of a paper.'

"From morning until late in the afternoon I was knocking doors and ringing bells and going upstairs and downstairs into offices begging my 'dear, good friends' to go on my bond to keep me out of jail and all with one accord began to make excuses and it was marvelous how plausible they seemed to be. After awhile the sheriff told me, 'Mack, I'm not as young as I once was and I have tramped up and down this town with you all day and I am tired and you'll have to do something and right then I was marching in the direction of the hotel with a deputy on one side of me and the sheriff on the other. They were so solicitous for me; they didn't want anything to bother or molest me. I can see that old brick jail now and some of the prisoners standing at the iron bars looking at me as I was marching with measured step in that direction.

"We passed by a gentleman. I always called him 'Old Santimonious.' He was a high toned, clean, reserved Christian man. He wasn't my kind but a drowning man will catch at a straw. I said, 'Sheriff, may I speak to Mr. C. Probably he will help me.' He said, 'Mack, you have tried all your crowd, it might be well for you to try someone else.' I went over and said, 'Mr. C. I'm in trouble and the men that I thought were my friends have failed me. They are taking me to the jail and I need somebody to go on my bond.'

"He said, 'Sheriff, where is that bond?' 'Over at the clerk's office,' the sheriff said. 'That's alright,' he said to the sheriff, 'let him go. Come on Mack and go with me.' We walked into the clerk's office and he said, 'Where is that bond?' He wrote his name on it, slapped me on the shoulder and said, 'God bless you, Mack, you have a good father and mother and you are alright, but you've got with the wrong crowd.' I stood and gazed and stared at that man. He was the prettiest human being I had ever looked upon. He was my saviour. It was years before I was converted but I want to tell you fellows: That was the day that I lost confidence in the whiskey drinking, profanity using, poker playing, gambling, licentious, God forsaken set of mutts. They are like 'a broken tooth and a foot out of joint; they will fail you when you need them most.' As long as your brain is clear and your eyes bright and face red and arms strong and step firm and a pocket full of money, they will cling to you like leeches but, listen:


"When calamities, misfortunes, sorrows and avalanches of failures sweep in upon you they'll not know you. They are conspicuous by their absence and they will roll their eyes like a dying calf and look wise and say 'I told you so.' No man is capable of being a real, true friend that will stand by you in adversity and prosperity like a real genuine spirit

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NOTICE OF SUMMONS

North Carolina—Edgecombe County. In the Superior Court. C. W. Slade, administrator of Simon Slade, deceased,

vs.

Ada Slade Baker and husband, Ed Baker; James H. Slade, W. A. Slade, John R. Slade, Lizzie Cain and husband; Willis Cain, Bennie Macatee and husband, Andrew Mcnair; Mary Mizelle and husband, Walter Mizelle; Ned Slade, Martha Slade, Madger Bridgers and husband; Bennie Bridgers; Lucy Slade, a minor; Geneva Staton and Husband, Theo Staton; Fred Jones a minor; King Walter Jones, a minor; James Arthur Slade, a minor, all of said minors being without general or testimony guardian; Lucy Sade, Chester Slade, James Arthur Slade and Elnora Slade being under the age of 14 years, HEIRS AT LAW.

KING WALTER JONES, one of the defendants above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Edgecombe county, N. C., for the purpose of selling the lands of Simon Slade, deceased, to make assets to pay the debts of said estate, said lands being described as follows: Lying and being in Edgecombe county, North Carolina, No. 3 township, bounded by the R. J. Grimes land on the north and west, by Peter Worsley on the east, and by the Roberson land on the south, being part of the Harper tract of land, containing 76 acres; also all right, title and interest of Simon Slade in and to a tract of 15 1-2 acres, lying in Edgecombe county, N. C., No. 3 township, division of lands of Mary Mayo, report of which is registered in Book 92, page 316, Edgecombe Registry, and described in Book 111, page 243, Edgecombe Registry; and said King Walter Jones will further take notice that he is required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court for Edgecombe County, N. C., at Tarboro, on the 12th day of December, 1921, and answer or demur to the complaint, or plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded. November 14, 1921.

A. T. WALSTON, Clerk Superior Court. 11 15 114w

SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.

On Thursday, December 1, 1921, beginning at 10 A. M., we will sell

at public auction at the J. T. Howard Home Place, near Conetoe, N. C., the following personal property: Four head of milk cows (Guernseys), a lot of household and kitchen furniture, one horse, two mules, one Buick automobile, and other personal property. This November 12, 1921. J. H. HOWARD, W. O. HOWARD, Executors. 11 16 19 23 26 30

In Bankruptcy No. 772.

In the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina. In the Matter of John H. Harrison, Jr., trading as Harrison & Thomas, Bankrupt.

To the Creditors of John H. Harrison, Jr., of Roanoke Rapids, in the County of Halifax, and District aforesaid, a Bankrupt: Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1921, the said John H. Harrison, Jr., was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Weldon, in G. C. Green's office, on the 6th day of December, A. D. 1921, at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

MARSHALL C. STATON, U. S. Referee in Bankruptcy. Tarboro, N. C., Nov. 26, 1921.

NOTICE—LAND SALE.

Under and by virtue of a certain mortgage dated September 29, 1921, executed by I. G. Garrett to the undersigned, default having been made in payment of the notes therein secured, I will on THURSDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1921, between the hours of 12 M. and 1 P.M. offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the Court House door in the town of Tarboro, the following described real estate: Being lots Nos. 11 and 14 as shown on map made September 1919, by Lambe and Davis which map is recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Edgecombe county, and said lots containing 41.49 acres. This the 22nd day of Nov., 1921. A. J. Corbett, Mortgagee. Bryce Little, Atty., Wilson, N. C.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of trust executed by C. E. Hoard on the 19th day of May, 1920, same being registered in book 223, at page 360, Edgecombe Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured therein and the holder of said notes having made demand for foreclosure, the under-

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signed will on the 2nd day of January, 1922, at 12 o'clock M., before the court house door in Tarboro, N. C., offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the following described land: All that certain lot of land lying and situated and being in the county of Edgecombe, State of North Carolina, town of Tarboro, and being lot No. 14-A on plat of land formerly owned by C. B. and J. P. Keech, and known as Arlington or Keechtown, as surveyed and platted by J. C. Brady, C. E., plat of which is of record in Map Book 1, at page 147, Edgecombe County Registry, in which said plat reference is made for more perfect and complete description by metes and bounds. November 29th, 1921. Farmers Banking & Trust Co. Donnell Gilliam, Attorney.

Mrs. C. W. Austin. Rev. B. B. Slaughter. Mrs. Eli Taylor. Mrs. S. B. Ship. Mrs. Raeford Liles. Mrs. William Strickland. Mrs. Alford, Runnymede. Mrs. Willie Wagner, W. Tarboro. Mrs. Osborne, W. Tarboro.

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