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BIBLE THOUGHT

Every one of us shall give an account of himself unto God.—Romans 14:12.

We imagine the snow Tuesday was an answer to the prayers of many coal dealers.

As the old adage says, "It's an ill wind that blows nobody any good," might be well applied in the Lindbergh kidnaping case.

THE WAY WE SEE IT

A kidnaping should be dealt with the same as a first degree murder. They place a human life on an equal with the dollar.

Of the 17,781,000 bushels exported from the United States last year, how many were from Haywood County? Certainly there were no finer apples in the lot than those grown in this county.

Report from Raleigh shows 4152 acres were burned in Haywood county last year, causing a damage of over \$9,100. Surely, this tremendous loss should cause every citizen of the county to be more careful and try to eliminate forest fires.

MILK FOR HEALTH

The State Board of Health is sponsoring a Milk-For-Health Campaign which begins on March 14 and will continue for one week. The campaign is endorsed by Governor Gardner and was most enthusiastically endorsed in Haywood County Monday night by a group of citizens that met at the courthouse and perfected an organization for putting on the campaign in the county.

For years, it has been a known fact, that milk contains certain food values that few other foods have. There is at least one or more substitutes for every food except milk.

The State Board of Health suggests that every person drink at least a quart of milk daily. The average for Waynesville and vicinity is less than a half pint a day, although this is the same as the state average.

The purpose of this campaign is to increase this average to at least a pint daily. Similar campaigns have been tried in other States and in every instance the average has been increased, and where more milk is used, it has been found that the health of the citizens has been improved.

In states where there is a high rate of pellagra, malnutrition, tuberculosis, bad teeth and general bad health, it will be found that the number of cows in the state is far below the general American average. In other words, health depends largely on the food which is used, and when milk is given its place on the daily menu, medicine and doctor bills decrease.

There is no section in the United States that is more favorably suited to raising cows at a small cost, than here in Western North Carolina. It seems since we have this distinctive advantage that more thought should be given to seeing that the citizens, especially the children, drink more milk.

During the next week, think more about the health of your family and the importance of furnishing them with more and better milk. For the sake of your children's health in the future, see that they drink milk daily.

Money invested in good milk is money spent for good health.

HOOVER'S ANTI-HOARDING CAMPAIGN IS GOOD BUSINESS STIMULATOR

The Mountaineer just received a letter from Frank Knox, member of the Citizen's Reconstruction Finance Committee, recently appointed by President Hoover, to wage a campaign against hoarding and get idle money again into circulation.

Some startling results have been revealed since this campaign was launched, although some few Democrats have taken the attitude that anything Hoover suggests is not worth their time and consideration. The Mountaineer is of the opinion that this anti-hoarding campaign will aid in bringing back the credit of this nation sooner than anything else and

in the way will bring back prosperity quicker. It is officially reported that for the first five weeks of this year over 60 million dollars was being withdrawn from circulation each week in the United States. To the average person that figure is beyond conception. But to bring it closer home where it can be understood—take North Carolina, an average state, that means \$125,000 per week taken out of circulation. In this county, which is an average county, \$12,500 per week was held in hoard and hoarded as idle money.

Since this campaign against hoarding was launched the idle money has been returned to circulation at the rate of \$20,000,000 a day.

It seems by these figures that Hoover's anti-hoarding suggestion has been taken to heart and that the citizens of the United States are taking idle money out of its hiding place.

We feel that at this time, we should not put politics first, but the welfare of our country, just as we would do in time of war. To do this we earnestly believe every Democrat, Republican, Independent and all other politicians will materially be benefited, and that right early.

At least, it's worth a trial.

QUIET, PLEASE, WORK AHEAD

Calvin Coolidge had just returned from church. For some reason Mrs. Coolidge had not been able to attend the services with Mr. Coolidge and she was anxious to learn what the minister had to say.

"Mr. Coolidge," she asked, "what did the minister talk about today?"

Mr. Coolidge thought a moment and said: "Sin."

"But what did he have to say on the subject?" persisted Mrs. Coolidge.

Cal thought for a full minute before he would vouch safe his famous answer: "He's agin it!"

The story above has been told some thousands of times, perhaps, but it has so powerful a lesson among saying little and meaning much that it is again repeated.

It would be possible for Mr. Coolidge to go into detail as to what the minister had to say. He could have told of Cain and Abel, the first transgression, the fall of Nineveh, of Sodom or a score of other famous references on which sin played a salient part, but he was content to merely say: "He's agin it!"

People are prone to talk too much. This has been particularly true of the past few years when the depression was uppermost in our minds. We have talked, talked, talked.

And our talk has resulted in more misery, more unfortunate happenings than in almost any other time of our national history. A well-known banker said several months ago that, in his estimation, more banks were forced to the wall through loose and ill-timed conversation than an actual need of liquid resources.

There's an old story of the garrulous person who, "Everytime he opened his mouth he put his foot in it."

That is exactly true. How many people do we know who talk themselves into more trouble than they are able to talk out of? The chances are that all of us have friends cursed with a too ready tongue.

All of us, you know, like to appear authoritative. If a subject is brought up we like to have others believe we know it from first to last.

These same people are the ones spreading rumors that start first as idle table chat into the serious menace of calamity. We all remember the dog that was given a bad name. The poor dog was finally shot as a menace to society and it all happened because he barked at the wrong time.

It is an easy matter to bark at the wrong time. And with most disconcerting and, oftentimes, calamitous effect.

There are business experts who say we are now out of the woods so far as our economic condition is concerned. Let us hope this is true in every sense of the word.

We have had perfect orgy of talking the past several years and it has become a habit rather than an idle pastime.

NOW IS THE TIME TO STOP TALKING AND BEGIN WORKING!

That seems a trite thing to say in cold type, but it is the truest saying of our present times. It seems rather Polly Annish to make these subjects the theme of an editorial but they are the real cause of most of our unhappiness of the past years. If we had had sense enough to work harder and talk less we would have been far happier today.

Yes, talking can get us into more trouble in a minute than we can get out of in a week of explaining. Change that talk, talk, talk into WORK, WORK, WORK and you'll not only be happier but will find time to think of others besides yourself.

Work is the one panacea for trouble. It is one human function designed by the Almighty to make us forget self. No man is happier than he who really works. It is the thing the world needs most—the one thing now most necessary for the good of all those who have wasted the past two years away in careless talk rather than work.

It's rather peculiar, but those who begin by talking about the troubles of business finally get around to talking of their own troubles. It is inevitable.

So forget self, forget worry, forget depressions and start to WORK!

No better epitaph could ever be put on the life story of a man than this:

"HE HAD SENSES ENOUGH TO KEEP HIS MOUTH SHUT!"

In Steele County, Minnesota, the cow population is greater than the human population. Most counties have more bull than anything else.

20 Years Ago in HAYWOOD

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Ushers for the closing exercises of the Graded School were elected Wednesday afternoon by the members of the tenth grade as follows: Messrs. Nora Swift, Evelyn Abel, Anna Boone, Elizabeth Moody and Messrs. Herbert Platt, Sam Platt, Hugh Abel, and Henry McFadyen.

Let us continue to watch Waynesville grow; but we should not become star gazers. The best growth is from within when every organ and factor is at work. This is no place nor time for idlers who knock; not knockers who idle.—Editorial.

Mr. Ray Morgan spent Monday at his home in Clyde.

Mrs. P. L. Turbyfill visited Mrs. G. N. Henson in Canton this week.

Miss Sarah Strigfield is spending a few days with friends in Asheville. Waynesville continues to grow. Mr. C. Miller is operating a restaurant on Branner avenue.

Mr. D. M. Cain, who is a native of a prominent business firm, was making headquarters in Waynesville last week. He is a native of North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Feltz are here on a visit.

LETTERS TO EDITOR

FROM A FORMER NEWSPAPER MAN

Old Hickory, Tenn. February 28, 1932.

The Mountaineer, Waynesville, N. C.

Dear Boys:

I am not attempting to cast flowers in your direction (because they're so plentiful now) neither am I attempting to "show you a good time," but really that paper of yours is an exceptional fine "sheet" taking into consideration the present nation-wide business depression.

Your make up is splendid and your news coverage is way above par and general appearance of the paper both in news, editorials and ads is good and I am sure Waynesville is indeed proud of the publication, and in my estimation it is a credit to any town much larger even than Waynesville.

I surely do enjoy reading the Mountaineer and get a genuine "kick" from reading North Carolina items occasionally, and I wish you all success in abundance with it and I plead with you to continue the good work.

Luck to you both. J. M.

SHOULD OBSERVE THE SABBATH

To The Editor of The Mountaineer.

Dear Sir: In view of the fact that so many of the citizens of this county have no regard for Sunday, I am sending you my views on this matter. You may use this letter as you see fit in your paper.

The Sabbath Day is not a man ordered institution. God instituted it. It is a for man ordered institution. The Sabbath was made for all men. (Mark 2:27).

But it is neither national nor sectarian in scope. Neither distinctly Jewish, nor distinctly Christian, it applies to every human life. There was a Sabbath day long before Christianity or even Judaism was organized.

Had there never been any Judaism or Christianity there would have been no Sabbath. The Sabbath is as old as the world. The Sabbath is as old as the first day of the week. The Sabbath is as old as the first day of the week.

The Sabbath is a part of God's own nature. It is equally a part of man's nature. The demand for one day's rest out of seven is a law of man's physical nature just as imperative as his demand for food.

The demand for one day in seven on which the soul of man may express its devotion in worship to God is a law of man's spiritual nature, just as imperative as the demand for water to quench his thirst. The Sabbath law therefore is not an arbitrary rule forced upon the world by a harsh and malicious God. It is a generous provision of a beneficent friend.

Without the Sabbath day the world would be greatly impoverished. Whoever rejects or neglects to keep it will suffer sorely. The duty to keep the Sabbath day is binding not only on hearts, it is written in the word of God, but also because it is the proper rest of the law of man's nature. (Leviticus 24:8). Remember the law of your nature and do not neglect it. He who violates the Sabbath law violates the law of both God and man. He who falls short of being a good citizen and a good neighbor, as well as a good Christian, will be a failure in every respect.

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satisfied had but to get into a wagon and move. He awaited all who were to be benefited. This was the best free trade area. Absolutely free trade in all the states and territories restricted by tariffs. Industry had to the insatiable American and free access to resources and was hampered by tariffs in the land and free trade. The greatest incentive to it seemed the beginning of a new age. And the cause of the party was committed and to carry on.

Now, after 70 years of hampered rule, behind a tariff almost beyond human comprehension, its stewardship, steadily it has given away our coal, our iron, our copper, marble and granite, our land and harbors. And, even now, it is job us of our water power throughout this whole betrayal, it posed us America's one and only source of political integrity and freedom—and has got by with it.

It found American ships during civilized American products throughout the world, our foreign and domestic trade developing vigorously side by side, each aiding the other. It adopted an asinine tariff policy which has blighted our foreign commerce, broken our great ship-building industry and destroyed the supremacy of American shipping. Yet, it has kept its destructive tariffs as hereditaries, which American industry and worship or be destroyed, we got by with it.

It found our industry, free from unjust taxes, sold at minimum prices, free from interest, it has made us a tax-exempt and has made us virtually all of our national income. Six billions a year from our mines and forests, taxes and stores. It has made one-half of the retail price of leading articles, taxes and monopoly fees. But get but half of the price for the selling price of those products. Their effective demand is cut at. Under this tax system in the times, our industrial organs, cngers and functions, had every few years it breaks down. The Republican party, a valiant champion of American industry, the tireless protector of the laboring man, and has got by with it.

It found agriculture, in spite of heavy labor costs, to harvest a crop now harvest two. Yet, in spite of all these methods, agriculture now has to bankrupt. Thousands have lost their farms. We are developing a homeless, dangerous farm tenantry, all European peasantry at the moment. This party claims to be the friend, aid and defender of the farming interests—and has got by with it.

It found millions of acres of land, enough for free home all our people, and free material factories for generations. Even in our eastern cities, a ship was taken for granted, its misuse, every city was a slum. Landerism struck us with more evictions annually of our large centers than ever in a single year in all of our history. Yet, this party prates of home-ship and of its concern for the and the disinherited—and has away with it.

It found us boasting of (Continued on page 3)

13-Year Old Girl Shows Improvement

Cincinnati, O.—Mrs. A. S. Cincinnati, Ohio, reports that her little 13-year-old girl, who was nothing but skin and bones, would go to the table and eat a mouthful. We simply make her eat. I started giving her a mouthful of Sargol three days before meals. Now she's eating her head off and she's like the same child."

CURTIS CUT-RATE

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