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Tut's Pills. To cure constipation the medicine must be more than a purgative; it must contain tonic, nutritive and cathartic properties.

Not Far From the Kingdom

By REV. B. B. SUTCLIFFE, Assistant Superintendent of Men, Moody Bible Institute of Chicago. TEXT—Thou art not far from the kingdom of God.—Mark 12:34. It required courage to ask the question which drew from the Master the words of the text. Surrounded by the Pharisees with their cold formalism, and the Sadducees with their skepticism, to say nothing of the publicans and sinners with all their vices, this young man had the moral bravery to step out before them all and exhibit a keen desire to know and do the right. He came to Jesus with a question concerning God's first and great commandment for man, and the Master's answer places him at once in his true position before the Lord. What Jesus told this young man of long ago can still be said of many today: "Thou art not far from the kingdom of God."

1. He was in a very promising position, "not far from the kingdom." He was acquainted with the truth to a certain extent, being in the position of many today who are able to tell much about the truth of the Bible; but they themselves are still "without." He also assented to the truth. This, too, describes many of today who make no profession of Christianity; they not only know much of the truth, but they are quite ready to agree that it is truth. He also admired the One who told him the truth; he came to Jesus. And it may safely be presumed that he attempted to live his creed. He was a sincere man who caught the attention of Jesus and drew from him this word, "Thou art not far from the kingdom of God." A great truth is here, viz., that one can be at the very door of the kingdom and yet be finally lost. Some who read these words may be in the same position, at the threshold—but yet not in.

2. He was in a very painful position; just at the door, but not inside. He would be condemned by his conscience because of his acquaintance with the truth. It would ever be telling him that he ought to step inside and delay no longer. An unheeded conscience is not pleasant to live with, and this young man's position would be painful in spite of its promise. He would also be condemned by his reason because of his assent to the truth. To know that a certain action is wise and yet not to do it, is to dishonor one's reason. Yet many there are today who have been brought to the gates of salvation but who have stifled the voices of conscience and reason and found themselves in the distressing position of this young man.

3. He would be condemned by the words which Jesus addressed to him when he said, "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart." 2. He was in a very perilous position; he might never get into that kingdom from which he was then "not far." There was the danger that he read content with mere assent to the truth. He would be like a traveler who might go many days and stop just one day's march from his goal; all his weary journey would be useless without the final day's work. To be within a step of the kingdom of God and neglect to take that last step which would put one over the threshold is to take one's place with all the unsaved.

There was the danger, too, that he should put off the final step too long and his conscience become hardened and leave him without its warning tones. "Almost" cannot avail, "almost" is but to fall; the bitter wall, "Almost, but not."

A distinguished preacher tells of a gentleman who heard someone preach from this text, and as the danger of neglect was presented he felt he was but a step from salvation. Instead, however, of taking that last step which separated between his soul and life, he put it off and returned to his home. Retiring, he fell into a restless sleep and began to dream. He thought he saw himself die and beheld his soul leaving his body. But he was dismayed to see a host of sins, which he recognized as his own, pursue his soul, and it became so terrible he could bear it no longer, but awoke. Springing from his bed he called his wife and telling her the dream declared that on the next Sunday he would go to the church and take the last step toward salvation. But as he spoke he gasped and fell at his wife's feet, dead. My dear reader, if you find yourself in the promising but painful position of this young man, will you not just now exchange that perilous place for the safe place by accepting the gracious invitation of Jesus, "Come unto me and I will give you rest?"

Class Distinction. "What do you think of the nerve of that fellow in the third row? Trying to flirt with me, he was, Mayme! As if I'd notice a fellow who came to a 15-cent vaudeville show!"—Harvard Lampoon.

Light Takes Eight Minutes and Thirteen seconds to travel from the sun to the earth. Worth While Quotation. What I must do is all that concerns me, not what people think.—Emerson.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By E. O. SELLERS, Acting Director of Sunday School Course, The Moody Bible Institute, Chicago, Ill. LESSON FOR APRIL 18 THE SHEPHERD'S PSALM. GOLDEN TEXT—The Lord is my Shepherd.—Ps. 23:1. This is the most famous of the shepherd king's writings. Probably written in his later life, he borrows his figure from the experience of his youth. The relation of the lamb to David is a type to him of his relations to God. Israel's greatest poet had ample time for meditation in the days of his youth as he followed the occupation of shepherd. His playing on the harp is famous and he made the first official use of music in the worship of Jehovah (see I Chron. 15:16-24). The word "Psalm" is from the Greek, and first meant a stringed instrument. The Hebrew title of this book is "Psalms." Of the 150 psalms David is expressly credited with 73. To fully study this, the sweetest of all psalms, we must consider it verse by verse.

(1) "My Shepherd." The lamb is David. The Shepherd is Jehovah. The time is man's natural time on earth. The rest is in the future. This Shepherd so provides that the lamb "shall not want." It is his business to care for his sheep. We are the sheep. Jesus is the Shepherd, and his sheep obey his voice (John 10:4, 5). We shall not want for food, for drink, for grace, for quietness, for companionship, for guidance and for welcome back to the fold at the end of the day or in the time of storm.

(2) "He leadeth me." The Lord is my Shepherd because (a) he bought me; (b) he feeds me; (c) he leads me. —Robertson. To fully comprehend the deep significance of this psalm we must try to know the land of Palestine and the habits of eastern shepherds; how they feed their flocks, know them by name, and keep constant vigil against the danger of food and wild beasts. The Lord is an individual shepherd, interested in the one as well as the whole, and as such attends to each individual's need. He provides a place for us to "lie down in pastures of tender grass;" he also causes us to walk beside "waters of quietness." He makes us to lie down at times and he knows where to lead, providing at the same time both food and drink.

(3) "He restoreth my soul." The Shepherd revives our faintness. If the lamb is too weak, he carries it "in his bosom" until it is revived. Many are the ways he revives us. A word, a sentence, a paragraph, or an experience will oftentimes restore the sick, weary, sorrowful or sin-burdened child of God. He also leads—remember he does not drive—and his paths are paths of pleasantness and of peace. His paths are "right tracks," not the delusive ones of sin. We cannot walk in these paths without his leadership, without his strengthening rest, without the invigorating food and drink which is provided for us by the Good Shepherd.

(4) "Yea though I walk." Just as every need has been and will be provided for (Phil. 4:19) even so will every fear be banished. The flock has passed beyond the "tender grass" and "waters of quietness" into new and strange experiences, into the "valley of deepest darkness," not alone the experience of physical death but all of life's experiences that are shrouded by thick, impenetrable darkness, for the Christian does not always walk in paths of light. Sometimes we scarcely see the Shepherd, but we may always hear his voice. Dark valleys may lie between two excellent pastures, but the Shepherd's voice leads us through them. Death is a shadow, not a substance, for the sting of sin has been removed (I Cor. 15:54-57). Why not fear? "For thou art with me" and he is stronger than any possible enemy. There are dangers which we cannot cope with, but as he is with us "we are able."

(5) "My cup runneth over." Here the figure changes. Jehovah is now the bountiful host. What a feast he has spread! David as a shepherd and as a fugitive from Saul knew the pinch of hunger and the satisfaction of eating in peace, in the very presence of his enemies, man and beast. They that are Christ's have enemies (John 15:19; II Tim. 3:12), but as our host he has spread a banquet in their very presence while the world goes on feeding upon the husks. He also anoints our heads with the "oil of gladness," the Holy Spirit (Acts 10:38; I John 2:20, 27, R. V.). For the ancient feast of this anointing was an essential preparation.

(6) "I shall dwell . . . forever." Goodness and mercy pursue the psalmist in marked contrast with the calamity and the angel of judgment which follow the wicked (Ps. 35:6; 140:11). There is a perpetuity of blessing as well as the penalty of sin. The psalmist leaves the feast for his dwelling house which shall abide "to length of days." This is to be interpreted in its fullness only by the New Testament (John 14:1-3; I Thess. 4:16, 17). Everlasting fellowship, communion and companionship with the Chief Shepherd, the "great Shepherd of the sheep."

Abolished Abbreviations. Since the reign of George II no abbreviations have been allowed in legal documents in England. Light Takes Eight Minutes and Thirteen seconds to travel from the sun to the earth. Worth While Quotation. What I must do is all that concerns me, not what people think.—Emerson.

Temperance BEER A POISON.

(By T. D. CROTHERS, M. D.) The boasted claims that beer is a food and gives vigor and strength are contradicted by statistics. In Munich, Germany, where the largest quantity of beer is consumed, per capita, of any city, the mortality rate from heart and kidney diseases is double that of any other city. Everywhere this is confirmed. The beer drinker dies early from diseases of the heart and kidneys. If beer had any food elements and were a tonic, exact measurements and studies of statistics would confirm it, but the evidence from these sources is entirely the opposite. The congested face, bloated body and dullness of body and mind are the best evidences of the poisoning and degenerative processes going on. There can be no conflict of opinions on this, because it can be measured and stated in mathematical terms, regardless of the theories. Alcohol absorbs the water from the cells and tissues, breaks up and diminishes their nutritive power, while beer creates new fermentative and chemical changes in the stomach. These processes are cumulative, not only destroying the balance between waste and repair, but adding immensely to the waste, which permanently disturbs and destroys the vigor and health of the body. Beer is a most insidious poison because it produces other poisons, and starts new processes of degeneration that are unknown until the final collapse reveals them.

PROBABLE ACTION OF SWEDEN. Is Sweden to be the second nation of the world to outlaw the liquor traffic—the first to follow the example of Russia? From the statements of Mr. Frederick Peterson in a recent magazine article it seems probable. He says: "The present crown prince, who will be the next king if he survives his father, is a total abstainer and forbids the use of liquor in his household. Both houses of the parliament are increasing their temperance membership. Edward J. Wavinsky, the head of the Good Templars of the World, is the temperance leader, as well as leader of the Social Democrats in the upper house." Mr. Peterson states that "133 of the 220 members of the house are total abstainers, and the majority of these are Social Democrats. This party has 87 members in the lower house and 14 in the upper, it being in the majority. In 1896 there was one member representing the Socialists in the lower house and exceeding fifty total abstainers. Now the Socialists are the leaders on this question. The working classes, the small wage earners, constitute this party. Who better than they know the evil of intemperance? Woman municipal suffrage has placed many able women in city governments. They are leaders in the temperance army, and it is sublime to see them and hear them speak for home against the rum-seller whether it be in the public forum or in the city council."

LAST WORD IN BREWERY BUILDING. An immense placard on the top of a big brewery recently erected in Philadelphia was a cause for comment by citizens who saw in it an unintentional prophecy. It read, "The Last Word in Brewery Building." Harry H. Pafelsky of Philadelphia, treasurer of the Reading railway and allied corporations. In a speech made at the annual banquet of the Pottsville Y. M. C. A., called attention to the appropriateness of the placard in view of the fact that the liquor traffic is doomed. He declared that the one service for the uplift of society today is the bringing about of the death of the liquor traffic. He said the hand writing is on the wall and all liquor dealers and brewers would do well to get out of the business at once.

VOTE AS YOU PRAY. A child once was greatly distressed by the discovery that her brothers had set traps to catch birds. Questioned as to what she had done in the matter, she replied: "I prayed that the traps might not catch the birds." "Anything else?" "Yes," she said, "I then prayed that God would prevent the birds from getting into the traps."

SLUMP IN BREWERY VALUES. The growing temperance sentiment is responsible for the fact that the Pittsburgh Brewing company paid no dividends this year. As a result of the company's action, the common stock was forced down several points, and Pittsburgh Brewing company bonds dropped to a low-record price. Independent Brewing company also declined three-fourths to two and three-fourths.

RESTRICT BEER OUTPUT. According to the Lokal Anzeiger, restrictions have been imposed on beer production in Germany. First, the brewers were required to cut down the amount of malt 50 per cent. Then a decrease of 40 per cent was ordered—the authorities, later, to fix definitely the amount of malt each brewery may consume.

WORKINGMAN'S FRIEND. Every friend of the workingman will vote against the saloon every time he gets a chance, and to close it up, not only on Sunday, but upon every day of the week.—P. M. Arthur of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

Wheat Extensions in Australia. Extraordinary interest in wheat cultivation has been aroused in Queensland, Australia, according to a commerce report, especially in some new districts. A Sydney paper says that the Burnett, for instance, will lay down over 8,000 acres, as compared with 1,000 acres last season. In other districts, areas of from 500 to 2,000 acres are promised under the scheme of government assistance for new ground worked for wheat.

NOT QUITE A FAILURE MAN'S LIFE NOT AS PLANNED, BUT DUTY WELL DONE.

Quality of Self-Sacrifice Counted For Much When Ambition Was Put Away at the Call of Filial Affection. "I always like to see ambition in a boy," said the doctor. "The best men are those who as boys had little opportunity, but who made the most of what they had. As a rule the boys who have worked their way through college are about the best fellows I know." "I agree with you," answered the schoolmaster. "But I sometimes think that there are boys who never go to college who have done even better. Did I ever tell you about John Smith?" "It was years ago, and I was principal of the school in a little country town. It was the only high school in the county, and the boys and girls from all round attended. Many of them could not get away from the farms until late in the season and so dropped in at any time during the term. Well, along about Thanksgiving John Smith arrived. He told me he had lived six miles back in the country, and had walked in. He was a big, well-set-up boy, with a bright, intelligent face, and I soon found that he had come to study. One day I was struck with the amount of mud on his shoes. 'You must have a muddy walk to school,' I remarked.

"Yes, sir," he answered, "the roads are pretty bad." And then I found out that he walked the six miles in every morning and out again at night! If a boy took that trouble to get an education, I was interested, and I had a quiet talk with him. He had a widowed mother and a little sister, and they owned a small farm. For the past two years John had done all the work himself, and he still had to do it. That was the reason he had to live at home instead of boarding in town. He told me that he wanted to go to college and become a doctor. His father had been an unsuccessful lawyer, who had given up his practice and bought the farm. John told me his plans. He was sure he could get another boy in the neighborhood to look after his place while he was at college, and his mother was as anxious for him to go as he was.

"Naturally I gave him all the help I could, and although he had to leave early in the spring, I lent him books and gave him a little personal aid in his work from time to time. "Well, three years more passed in the same way. John kept well up with his studies by hard work, and at last he was ready to enter college. He was accepted for entrance on the school certificate, and it was a pleasure to see the glad look on his face when I showed him the registrar's letter saying that he was admitted. He had saved a little money from various odd jobs that he had done, and he told me that he was all ready financially for the first year, and that he had no doubt that he could manage the others.

"I left the school that year, but just before it was time for college to open, I wrote John a letter of counsel and encouragement. I got this brief note in reply: 'I am sorry to say that I am not going to college.' "I made it a point to go down to see what had prevented him from carrying out his ambition. I found him hoeing corn. He was very glad to see me, and told me what the trouble was. His mother had had a stroke of paralysis. Without a murmur he had given up his cherished plan. When I asked him whether he could not get someone to take care of her, while he went on with his course, he told me that that was impossible, since his mother depended so entirely upon him. I shall never forget the tragedy and love together in the boy's face as he talked to me of his vanished hopes and watched his helpless mother.

"I suppose he got to college somehow," remarked the doctor, "and is now a famous surgeon." "No," replied the schoolmaster, "that was ten years ago, but I heard from him only yesterday. His mother is still alive and still helpless. He is still running the farm, making a little living and caring for her. The little sister he has just sent to the normal school, but he will be a small farmer to the end of his days. And I believe he was just the man to have made a splendid doctor. Yet I hardly think his life has been a failure."

"I should think not," said the doctor.—Youth's Companion.

Eating Anything. Dr. Lucy Barney Hall, in a letter to the women of the Boston Business League, said: "You can eat anything you are inclined to without injurious effects." That is not true, unless one is hale, hearty, robust or has a stomach inherited from a grandfather who fought Indians back in the corn bread and venison days. But most stomachs are not of this kind. We took lunch with a gentleman the other day who seems as rugged and healthy as a big boy, and yet he took only hard rolls, tea and custard pie, and then scraped the custard out of the shell. Another gentleman said he ate pie every lunch for four days last week, and on the fifth day he was laid up for repairs, and then had to sober off on crackers and tea. Doctor Hall is wrong. A person must be careful of his eating. We are all constituted differently, each one as different in his stomach as in his clothes. If there is any rule that applies to all, and which is of itself the best guaranty against sickness, it is not to eat so much.

Dictating Aloft. When the military aeroplane is scouting, it usually carries two men. One is the pilot, who runs and steers the craft; the other is the observer, who marks the placing of the hostile troops, the position of their guns, the movement of trains, and the like. The observer also makes many sketches of the ground over which he is flying—work that often interferes with his writing notes and memoranda. In certain conditions of flight, too, it is often hard for him to use a pencil and paper. To obviate that difficulty, the military aeroplane, says the Scientific American, now frequently carries a phonograph, with a speaking tube, running to the mouth of the observer, so that by talking into the machine at any time during the flight, he can record his observations, and still have his hands free for his field glass or his sketching pencil.

A Familiar Cackle. Fine music and fine poultry were two things of which little Ella's father was very fond. Recently he bought a talking machine, and among other records was one of a very brilliant aria by a great coloratura soprano. The baby listened closely to the runs of the bewildering music until the singer struck some high arpeggios and trills at the close, when she exclaimed: "Daddy, listen! She's laid an egg!" —Ladies' Home Journal.

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Most Glowing. An old man attended a public funeral in honor of an American statesman a few years ago. In describing it to a Boston friend, a close relative, he said enthusiastically: "Jim, it was grand. It was the most glowin' paragonic of words I have ever had 'casion to listen to!"

Writer's Style. Style! Style! Why, all writers will tell you that it is the very thing which can least of all be changed. A man's style is nearly as much a part of him as any part of his being which is at least subjected to the action of his will.—Fenelon.

Quite a Difference. Ethel—"Jack told me that he never loved anyone before." Marie—"Well, excuse me for saying so, dear, but he and I were once engaged." Ethel—"Oh, I didn't ask him about engagements; I only asked him about love." —Birmingham Age-Herald.

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Hackneyed Shakespeare. "Yes," said Mr. Parvey New, "that fellow Shakespeare has some very good ideas and writes some very good things, but his works are full of hackneyed phrases. Why, I absolutely know that lots of them have been used as common slang ever since I was a mere boy."

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