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IDENTITY AFTER DEATH.

If men are punished or rewarded in another life, they must be the men who in this life have deserved punishment or reward. Their identity must be unquestionable. It must also be that punishment or reward is to mean anything as an example of God's judgment is righteousness, be an identity which is known publicly. The man who sinned must be, unquestionably, the man who is condemned. The man who did righteousness and loved mercy, and walked humbly with his God, must be, without question to any onlooker, the same man who is justified at the judgment.

"The recognition of friends in another world," a subject which has been a good deal discussed, and about which, we believe, books have been written, seems a very superfluous question—a question only possible to a mind that has failed to comprehend the sharp realities of the other life. In the examples given us in Scripture of those who have returned from the unseen realms, there is no question about the identity. Saul knew Samuel as if he were in the flesh; Moses and Elias, on the Mount of Transfiguration, were recognized as readily as the incarnate Christ.

The stamp of individuality, that identity and oneness of being which God has impressed on every man as if he were the single soul created in all of the universe, is never taken away. Neither sickness nor sorrow nor misfortune, neither insanity nor idiocy nor death, can change it. The child receives it at its birth, and the world-weary man of four score dies after all life's chances and changes, and passes into the world of spirits, and is there the same—the child that lay in its cradle a century ago.

Identity is one of the mysteries of being, but it is a mystery never lost when once conferred. And John Doe in heaven will be the identical John Doe his friends knew on earth, and Richard Roe in hell will be the same Richard that we used to see sitting himself for that position so pertinaciously here on earth. John's old friends will all gladly recognize him, and Richard's old companions will greet him.

In schools where the events of the day, as chronicled in the newspapers, are followed day by day much more closely than by the ordinary reader, and almost as minutely as in diplomatic offices, the gladiatorial struggle between Greece and Turkey, between the cross and the crescent, the Christian and the Moslem, serves as a daily text for discussion, investigation and inquiry, and Grecian mythology, Grecian history, Grecian poetry and above all the pronunciation and significance of Grecian names (which have changed much in modern times), are more than almost anything else the prevailing theme in thousands of homes and in hundreds of places where youth is taught. Notwithstanding the prominence given to Greek in classical education, up to the present time there are few men of past generations who can take up yesterday's accounts of what transpired near the shadows of Olympus and read about the names correctly in the light of modern school usage.

There is nothing better for a human being, sometimes, than a little hearty praise. Many good people conscientiously act on the directly opposite, and seem to think nothing better than a little hearty blame. They are mistaken, be conscientious in their blame as

they may. There are sore burdens enough in life, bitterness and pain enough, hard work enough, and little enough for it, enough to depress a man and keep him humble, a keen enough sense of failure, success as he may, and a word of hearty commendation now and then will lighten his load and brighten his heart, and send him on with new hope and energy, and if he have any reasonable amount of brains at all, will do him no harm.

The first number of the Astoria Frater made its appearance yesterday. The journal is a very neat eight-page weekly, devoted to the interests of fraternal societies in Astoria. Editor Mathena is determined to give all of the society news.

In dark Thermopylae they lie, Oh, death of glory thus to die! Their tomb an altar is, their name A mighty heritage of fame. Their dirge is triumph; cankering rust And Time that turneth all to dust. That tomb shall never waste nor hide— The tomb of warriors true and tried. The full-voiced praise of Greece around Lies buried in this sacred ground. —Simonides.

THE BLESSING OF STRONG Nerves is recoverable, not by the use of mineral sedatives, but by a recourse to effectual tonic treatment. Opiates and the like should only be used as auxiliaries, and then as sparingly as possible. Vigorous nerves are quiet ones, and the most direct way to render them so is to reinforce the vital energies, so as to reinforce the vital energies. Stomach Bitters, will be found all-sufficient for this purpose, since it entirely removes impediments to thorough digestion and assimilation of food, so that the body is insured its due amount of nourishment, and consequently of stamina. Rheumatic tendencies and affections of the kidneys and bladder are also counteracted by the Bitters, which is besides a thorough medicinal stimulant, infinitely purer than the raw extracts of commerce, which react injuriously upon the nervous system.

Under the legislation proposed by the Dingley bill the tax on diamonds would be reduced. This ought to be a great encouragement to the people who work for small wages and have to have diamonds to wear at breakfast every morning.

According to the newspapers, an Ohio husband became the happy father of seven children not long ago. Of the seven all lived but one. It is to be hoped he laid in a supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, the only sure cure for croup, whooping-cough, colds and coughs, and so insured his children against these diseases. For sale by Estes-Corn Drug Co.

The Michigan House of Representatives has decided that the apple blossom shall be the State flower of Michigan. Isn't this a reflection on the Pingree potato blossom?

When the spring time comes, gentle Annie, like all other sensible persons, will cleanse the liver and renovate the system with DeWitt's Little Early Risers, famous little pills for the liver and stomach all the year round. Charles Rogers.

It is a peculiar coincidence that the man who "hates to see his name in the paper" is always the one to draw attention to the fact that it is there.

It should be made a matter of public knowledge that DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will speedily cure piles of the longest standing. It is the household favorite for burns, scalds, cuts, bruises and sores of all kinds. Charles Rogers.

And now the school children look wistfully out of the windows of the class room and count the days that must elapse before vacation begins.

E. E. Turner, of Compton, Mo., writes us that after suffering from piles for seventeen years, he completely cured them by using three boxes of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures eczema and severe skin diseases. Chas. Rogers.

A bicycle race in Boston on Easter Monday attracted 20,000, while base ball called out only 12,000. But Boston would do better if it had the pennant.

Poor Blood

When a horse is poor in flesh, a new harness won't give him strength. If a house is cold new furniture won't warm it. If your strength is easily exhausted; work a burden; nerves weak; digestion poor; muscles soft; if you are pale and worn out, the trouble is with the blood. It is not so much IMPURE blood as POOR blood. Pills won't make this blood rich; nor will bitters, nor iron tonics, any more than a new harness will give strength to the horse, or new furniture will make a house warm. For poor blood you want something that will make rich blood. SCOTT'S EMULSION of Cod-liver Oil with Hypophosphites is the best remedy in the world for enriching the blood. We have prepared a book telling you more about the subject. Sent Free. For sale by all druggists at 50c & \$1.00. SCOTT & BOWNE, New York.

Pilosophy.

Of making many pills there is no end. Every pill-maker says: "Try my pill," as if he were offering you bouzons! The wise man finds a good pill and sticks to it. Also, the wise man who has once tried them never forsakes Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

For a time it is quite likely that the correspondents with the armies of Greece and Turkey will report victories for the side to which they are attached. Thus far both sides have been victorious and both sides have been vanquished.

Salton Sea Salt for baths at the Estes-Corn Drug Store 10c and 25c per package.

The King of Greece does not hesitate to throw all responsibility for the outbreak of active hostilities on the power. Greece's national existence is now at stake, and in the moment of deadly peril the blunt truth is apt to be spoken.

A child was cured of croup by a dose or two of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. A neighbor's child died of the same dread disease, while the father was getting ready to call the doctor. This shows the necessity of having Ayer's Cherry Pectoral always at hand.

King George of Greece has been invited to attend the Tennessee Centennial Exposition, but he is so busy now rearranging the geography of Europe that he probably will not be able to get away.

Croup and whooping cough are childhood's terrors; but like pneumonia, bronchitis, and other throat and lung troubles, can be quickly cured by using One Minute Cough Cure. Charles Rogers.

If Greece is defeated and the Sultan retains supreme control of his dominions, the European powers will take the bigger part of the blame, and this part of civilization will be exceedingly frank in saying so.

THE BEST REMEDY FOR RHEUMATISM.

From the Fairhaven (N. Y.) Register. Mr. James Rowland, of this village, states that for twenty-five years his wife has been a sufferer from rheumatism. A few nights ago she was in such pain that she was nearly crazy. She sent Mr. Rowland for the doctor, but he had read of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and instead of going for the physician he went to the store and secured a bottle of it. His wife did not approve of Mr. Rowland's purchase at first, but nevertheless applied the Balm thoroughly and in an hour's time was able to go to sleep. She now applies it whenever she feels an ache or a pain and finds that it always gives relief. He says that no medicine which she had used ever did her as much good. The 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by Estes-Corn Drug Co.

When the fleets of Turkey and Greece meet the solution of no great naval problems can be expected. There will, of course, be nasty fighting, but Turkey is inefficient on the sea and Greece is small.

PERSONAL.—The gentleman who annoyed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing will find instant relief by using One Minute Cough Cure, a speedy and harmless remedy for throat and lung troubles. Charles Rogers.

If the Greeks could perform the apparently impossible by giving the Turks a terrific lambasting, Old Glory should be run to the top of every flagstaff, just on general principles.

If any of our readers are troubled with loss of hair, the best preparation to replenish it that we know of is Hall's Hair Renewer. Merit tells.

British officers who, at a time like the present, offer their services to the Turks against the Greeks, ought to be whipped of their commissions and dismissed from the service.

Unconditional surrender, is the only terms those famous little pills known as DeWitt's Little Early Risers will make with constipation, sick headache and stomach troubles. Charles Rogers.

If these Cuban correspondents will only stay away from Greece we can keep fairly well informed on the progress of Eastern hostilities.

Torturing, itching, scaly skin eruptions, burns and scalds are soothed at once and promptly healed by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the best known cure for piles. Chas. Rogers.

One of the arguments against a law suppressing the cartoonist is the probable satisfaction that it would give the Sultan of Turkey.

The Westfield (Ind.) News prints the following in regard to an old resident of that place: "Frank McAvoy, for many years in the employ of the L. N. A. & C. Ry. here, says: 'I have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for ten years or longer—am never without it in my family. I consider it the best remedy of the kind manufactured. I take pleasure in recommending it.' It is a specific for all bowel complaints. For sale by Estes-Corn Drug Co.

A novel souvenir owned by a well-known whist player of Chicago is a pack of cards, on each one of which is the autograph of some eminent authority on the game.

The "hat trimmings" case has been decided in Philadelphia, but it remains a casus belli in most Chicago families.

When fevers and other epidemics are around, safety lies in fortifying the system with Ayer's Sarsaparilla. A person having thin and impure blood, is in the most favorable condition to "catch" whatever disease may be floating in the air. Be wise in time.

The Japanese are the politest people on earth. This is conceded by everybody except the Chinese.

Use Webfoot Corn Cure. No cure no pay. For sale at Estes-Corn Drug Store.

The votes of the voter is now in full bloom.

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For Infants and Children.

The little child who is in every wrapper. Cider and angostura letters is termed a temperance drink by certain individuals who like to "beat the devil around the stump."

When any part of the body isn't doing the work that nature intended it to do, it puts the whole system out of tune—out of harmony. Sickness in one part of the body is likely to run into all parts of the body. When children stand a row of bricks on end, they knock the whole row down by upsetting one brick. That is exactly what happens to the health when the bowels fail to perform their proper functions. Constipation makes trouble all along the line—puts the liver out of order, is bad for the kidneys—bad for the stomach. It holds in the body poisonous matter, and because it cannot go any place else, it gets into the blood. The blood carries it all over the system. That makes sluggishness, lassitude, bad breath and foul taste in the mouth fills the stomach with gas and causes windy belching, stops digestion in the stomach, causes sour stomach, heartburn and headache. You can avoid all such trouble, for Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets CURE constipation and its attendant evils.

Send 21 cents in one-cent stamps to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for his "Medical Adviser." It is a book of 1008 pages, profusely illustrated.

How many of us feel better just having called on a physician, even before we have taken a single spoonful of his medicine.

"IT IS THE BEST ON EARTH." That is what Edwards & Parker, merchants of Plains, Ga., say of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, for rheumatism, lame back, deep seated and muscular pains. Sold by Estes-Corn Drug Co.

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In looking for apartments the average individual inspects the bath room first.

The up-to-date girl must know how to tie every sort of neck scarf, as the made-up affairs are deemed very bad form.

Not only acute lung troubles, which may prove fatal in a few days, but old chronic coughs and throat troubles may receive immediate relief and be permanently cured by One Minute Cough Cure. Charles Rogers.

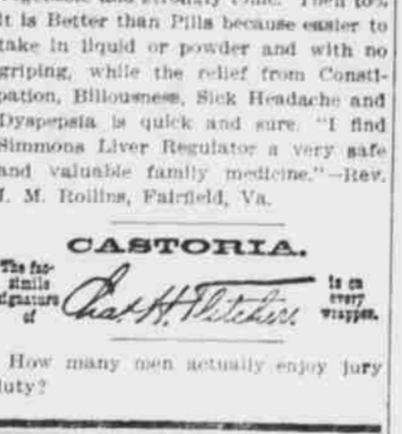
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The shirt waist is becoming the leading garment of the hour.

A good recommendation for Simmons Liver Regulator is that it is purely vegetable and strongly tonic. Then too, it is better than Pills because easier to take in liquid or powder and with no griping, while the relief from Constipation, Biliousness, Sick Headache and Dyspepsia is quick and sure. "I find Simmons Liver Regulator a very safe and valuable family medicine."—Rev. J. M. Rollins, Fairfield, Va.

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How many men actually enjoy jury duty?



The Favorite Home Remedy.

For all diseases caused by derangement of the Liver, Kidneys, and Stomach. Keep it always in the house and you will save time and Doctor's Bills, and have at hand an active, harmless and perfectly safe purgative, alterative and tonic. If you feel dull, debilitated, have frequent headache, mouth tastes badly, poor appetite and tongue coated, you are suffering from torpid liver or biliousness, and SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR will cure you. If you have eaten anything hard to digest, or feel heavy after meals or sleepless at night, a dose of SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR will relieve you and bring pleasant sleep.

If at any time you feel your system needs cleansing and regulating without violent purging, take SIMMONS LIVER REGULATOR.

J. H. Zellan & Co., Philadelphia.

MARSHALL & CO.'S TWINE

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Every Ball Guaranteed Report Imperfections Beware of Imitations

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Manufactured from Flax selected specially for Columbia River Fishing ...See that every ball bears the MARSHALL LABEL

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE OF EXTENSION OF COMMERCIAL STREET.

Notice is hereby given that the Common Council of the City of Astoria, Clatsop county, State of Oregon, have decided and determined to extend Commercial street, in the City of Astoria, the beginning, terminus and intermediate points, and the land to be condemned being hereinafter described and set forth, and as more fully appears by the report, maps, plats and surveys of said proposed extension of Commercial street, now on file in the office of the Auditor and Police Judge, and embraced and described in Ordinance No. 221, entitled "An ordinance confirming the report, plat of survey, of the proposed extension of Commercial street," approved March 22, 1897, and the Common Council of the city of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, having ascertained by investigation and inquiry and an examination of the records that J. H. Mansell, C. W. Stone and T. O. Trullinger are each disinterested freeholders of the City of Astoria, and no kin to any of the owners or persons interested in any property to be appropriated for the extension of Commercial street as provided by Ordinance No. 221, entitled "An ordinance confirming the report, plat of survey of the proposed extension of Commercial street," approved March 22, 1897, and that each of said persons possess the qualifications of jurors of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clatsop, in that they and each of them are white male citizens of the United States and of the State of Oregon, over the age of 21 years, and are and have been residents and legal voters of Astoria, Clatsop county, Oregon, and of the wards in which they now reside, for more than one year last past, and each of their names are on the tax roll of said Clatsop county, and that each of them are subject to jury duty, and that each and all of said above named persons, after investigation made, are entitled and qualified to act as viewers as required by the charter of the City of Astoria, and possessing all the qualifications necessary therefor as fully and satisfactorily appears to the Common Council, after the investigation made aforesaid, and each of said named persons having by a written statement, filed in the office of the Auditor and Police Judge, having declared that they possess the necessary qualifications to act as viewers aforesaid, the said J. H. Mansell, C. W. Stone and T. O. Trullinger be and they are hereby appointed viewers to view the proposed extension of Commercial street in the City of Astoria, as described by the Surveyor and embodied in his said report, which said report was adopted by the Common Council of the City of Astoria in said Ordinance No. 221, and are hereby authorized and empowered to make the assessment of benefits and damages in opening and condemning said Commercial street, as required by the charter of the City of Astoria; that said viewers herein appointed are hereby required and instructed to meet at the office of the Auditor and Police Judge in the City Hall of said city of Astoria on the 30th day of April, 1897, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, and then and there to qualify as such viewers as required by the charter of the City of Astoria.

That the boundaries, beginning, terminus, intermediate points and description of the property to be entered upon and condemned for the proposed extension of said Commercial street are described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point marked by a tack in the east line of Seventeenth street, at its intersection with the south line of Commercial street, which point is 700 feet north, 4 degrees 28 minutes west and 39 feet north, 85 degrees 22 minutes east of a stone monument at center of the intersection of Seventeenth street with Franklin avenue, in Shively's Astoria, which tack is also the northwest corner of block 132, in Shively's Astoria; thence running easterly and parallel with the north line of Exchange street to the west line of Twenty-third street, extended, a distance of 2100 feet; thence northerly and at right angles to the north line of Exchange street 60 feet; thence westerly and parallel to the north line of Exchange street 2100 feet, to a point of intersection with the east line of Seventeenth street, 60 feet, northerly from the place of beginning; thence southerly 60 feet to land north of and adjacent to lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, block 132; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, block 131; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, block 129; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, block 128; lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, block 124, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, block 127, all in Shively's Astoria, and also lying north of and adjacent to Eighteenth, Nineteenth, Twentieth, Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets. That all of said described real property and all of said lots and blocks are situated in the district embraced in said proposed extension of Commercial street and all of said portions of said lots will be condemned and an appraisal of the benefit and damages resulting to the owners of said property will be made by said viewers aforesaid. All persons owning or interested in any of said property to be condemned for said proposed extension of Commercial street are hereby duly and legally notified of the actions of the Common Council pursuant to the resolutions and ordinances heretofore adopted by said Common Council for said extension of Commercial street.

This notice is published by order of the Common Council and pursuant to the provisions of the charter of the City of Astoria relating thereto. Dated at Astoria, Oregon, April 18, 1897.

H. E. NELSON, Auditor and Police Judge.

A Handsome Complexion is one of the greatest charms a woman can possess. PIERCE'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives it.