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NO ONE ever developed into a large man by belittling his neighbors

SUGGESTION FOR THE CHURCHES

HERE are pastors who say that it is getting harder every year to interest people in the church. Between fishing, outings into the country, theaters, automobiles and other new forms of amusement, chores about the home and the greater demand for relaxation on the one day because of the increased strenuousness of the other six, the church, they say, seems to lack something in drawing power. And this despite the fact that there are few disbelievers. There are few who would care to live in a city that had no churches. This is illustrated by the fact that so many who give little in the way of attendance give considerable in a material way.

There are other pastors who, while claiming the matter of attendance to be about the same as it always has been, think little headway seems to be made. Sin seems to them to be as rampant as ever. There seem to be as many now flirting with everlasting damnation as there were a hundred years ago.

Taking either or both viewpoints the results seem to be far from satisfactory.

The fact that the preacher with an easy command of limp, vigorous English and a pleasing, forceful method of delivery, attracts larger audiences than the preacher without personality, may give an indication of where some of the trouble lies.

Church services are left almost entirely with the preacher. He makes all the preparation and does all the talking and thinking. Then if he is a good talker folks go to hear him. If he isn't it seems that a great many don't. There is very little personal participation on the part of the audience. The majority are not there particularly to take part in the services. They are there to hear Rev. So-and-so talk. Theirs is a passive position. They listen about an hour and enjoy the talk, but an hour later couldn't repeat the text unless they previously knew it and probably have forgotten the subject.

The Sunday school probably gets better results in its way than the church. How many times you have heard your little children bring up a Sunday School lesson a month after it was studied. How many times you have seen them bring up some bible truth taught them in a Sunday School lesson to guide them in their daily lives. Also children are quite often better attendants at Sunday School than their parents at church. Something attracts them Sunday after Sunday.

Why is there this difference between church and Sunday School?

Is it not quite probable that the difference lies in the personal and active participation that arouses and holds the interest? Sunday School requires not only the teacher, but the pupils as well, to familiarize themselves with the lessons and to take part in the discussions—to do part of the thinking. In this manner the simple truths soak in—become impressed upon the mind—and are taken into the every day life. A lesson studied in this way, be it by young people or grownups, is not forgotten in an hour or a day.

Possibly the application of Sunday School methods to church services would bring about better attendance and more progress in results obtained. Anyone naturally takes more interest in that of which he feels that he is a part, rather than a happenstance. Through preparation necessary to take part in the service, or through taking part in the discussion without any previous preparation, the salient features of the lesson would be fixed in the mind in a much more permanent manner than when they roll rapidly from the mouth of the speaker. They would be carried away to bob up every once in awhile in every day life. A few thoughts discussed from several angles would leave a much deeper impression than three or four hundred thought hurled from the pulpit in thirty or forty minutes.

Eighty years of age, wrinkled and bent from a lifetime of activity and the trials of raising a family of children, a Marion county woman pioneer has had added to her burdens a broken heart because of gross ingratitude on the part of a daughter, to whom she deeded her land in return for a promise of support during the rest of her lifetime. She now sues for the return of her property, claiming that what little she demanded for so short a time has been denied her. The way to retain the affection of your children in your dotage, when you are as much of a trial as they were in their nonage, is to hang onto your property.

Col. E. Hofer, author of "Jack Norton," would form a summer colony at Newport, where those of artistic temperament would fraternize with kindred spirits during a month or so of the summer and commune with Nature in one of her most esthetic settings. It was there at his summer home, partly erected with his own hands, that the Colonel put the finishing touches on his novel.

Some day someone will break a leg on one of Cottage Grove's wobbly wooden sidewalks and secure damages that would build several miles of safe and permanent walk.

Jack Johnson, safely landed in France, says he will not return to stand trial for white slavery. We should worry!

Just enough heat in the Willamette Valley these days to warm up your marrow and make you glad you're alive.

It's about time to start agitating a sinking fund for a city hall for Cottage Grove.

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Things We Think

Things others think, and what we think of the things others think.

The inventor who says he can make everything out of nothing will be in great demand by all political parties as their official prognosticator.

To the housewife the day is divided into two parts—the part of the day when hubby is home, and the part when he is away. Which part she looks forward to with greatest anticipation depends upon hubby.

Those who put everything off till tomorrow wake up the next day more unprepared than ever from worrying all night.

An exchange says that when a woman is talking she isn't doing something worse. As if she could.

One should not be unthoughtful of others but there is such a thing as confusing thoughtfulness and curiosity.

It's a hard thing to give some people the credit they deserve.

We sometimes think it would be quite a relief to have a king that didn't have to be re-elected every four years.

Wonder if the insidious lobbyist got away with that six-year presidential term proposition.

It is a sad condition of affairs, but we imagine God will be lenient with the boy who takes the life of his father in protecting the mother, and to the mother who protects her children in the same manner.

Great geniuses arise at the moment they are most sorely needed and are often men who would have gone through life attracting no particular attention except for peculiar circumstances that arose to bring them into the limelight.

A great many men make a success of life after they pass 60—but it's poor policy to plan to wait until that age to start trying.

One baby is so sweet that we imagine twins are sweet enough to make the parents sick.

Who was the president of Mexico a year and a half ago? Not all at once, please.

A lot of folks are like roosters, they crow because they hear someone else crow, and without knowing the reason why.

Tomorrow has a persistent way of arriving for those who put things off from day to day.

Women talk too much—and men chew tobacco.

Gaul isn't reputed to be a very delectable article of food, but just the same that's all that keeps some folks from starving.

To pay a compliment that isn't deserved is just as bad as paying a bill you don't owe.

The Pankinville ladies' aid was postponed today because of an unexpected millinery opening.

Those who will only do a kindness when someone is looking, would be awful mean if they thought no one would find it out.

Let not thy left hand neighbor know what thy right hand neighbor doeth through any gossip of yours.

Some married people would get along better driving tandem than double if it wasn't for deciding which should take the lead.

If you can't stand it to court a girl more than four months you can't expect to stand it to live with her forty years.

When the young woman goes fishing all the fish she cares to catch she usually takes along to row the boat.

It's just as well man doesn't understand woman, for it might be unpleasant to know how she came to marry him and to stick to him afterwards.

A man who in his younger days is a lady killer will, likely as not, in later life turn out to be a wife beater.

Some folks don't know when they are well off, but their poor relations usually do.

There's a saying old and rusty, yet 'tis ever new. 'Tis "Never trouble trouble till trouble troubles you."—Selected.

Never put off until tomorrow anything but your worries.

A little paint and powder and a judiciously concealed "rat" beat a writ of haebus corpus for getting a beau.

If she has a sweet voice never mind the looks of a girl's face—you don't have to look at her face but you can't shut her mouth.

Kissing must be violent exercise for some people—the way it brings the color to their cheeks.

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Close-in home cheap.—6 acres three-fourths miles from town, upland, but comparatively level. Hewed log house, two acres cleared, the balance young timber. If taken soon can be bought for \$800; \$500 cash, the balance time at 7 per cent. This tract will make good chicken farm, or fine for fruit.

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June Vital Statistics.

F. W. Prentice, county health officer, makes the following report for the month of June:

Births—Cottage Grove: Males, 6; females, 1. Cloverdale: Males, 1; females, 1. Eugene: Males, 10; females, 7. Fall Creek: Males, 1; females, 7. Marcola: Males, 3. Springfield: Males, 1; females, 1.

Deaths—Cottage Grove, male, of measles, age 2 years; Elmira, male, age 5 days; Eugene, male, of consumption, age 25; male by drowning, age 11; male of paralysis of bowels, age 53; male of Bright's disease, age 75; female, of cancer, age 54; female of convulsions, age 2. Hendricks, female, of cancer, age 76. Irving, male, of senility, age 72. Mabel, male of broncho-pneumonia, age 4 months. Pleasant Hill, female, of senility, age 78; Springfield, male of kidney disease, age 69.

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