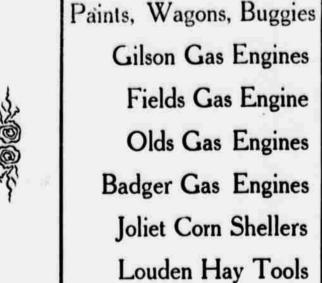


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#### RELIGION IS HIS BUSINESS

Preacher Knows How It Should Be Transacted and Does It Better Than Others.

In this new movement it is intereating to note the cavaller way in which "business men" give the preachers the back seat. It is as if these committees said, "Now you clergymen are the best of fellows, but you are ignorant of business methods, it is high time religion and business principles applied to it. All that is needed is to take right hold of this thing, the empty pew, and run it as we run one of our corporations. Business is business, and these pews can be filled. A factory with a good product only needs business skill to get its product on the market. Now watch us do It.

Now the preacher's business is religion. Why not let him transact it? He has transacted it up to this time. For centuries he has been miserably paid. He is often old and pensioned with a platance, and many of the "business men" seem not to care. The old-fashioned preacher, in his oldfashioned ways, gave this country a good religious result. That is the way we seem to remember our fathers and mothers as we see them, in adoring memory, sitting in the faraway pews. We doubt if "business men with business methods," a la corporation, factory-running, double entry and money in the bank, will do

It strikes us that religion applied to business is more the need of the hour than business applied to religion.— New York Mail.

### JUROR FEARED THE DINNER

Conscientious Man Thought Unusually Good Meals Would Keep Him From Thinking Straight.

"The most conscientious man I ever knew served on a jary with me several years ago," said the experienced juror. "It was a criminal case and the jurors were imprisoned in a hotel during the trial. At our first dinner the man with a conscious refused to eat the excellent meal provided.

"'If I should fill my stomach with all that hifalutin grub,' he said, 'I should not be able to think straight. I am not used to it at home. No man is able to think normally immediately after a radical change in fare. It takes several weeks to adjust his mental attitude to his physical state. For that reason, every man who serves on a jury ought to eat exactly the kind of food he is used to at home, even if it takes half a dozen cooks to prepare it. If that was done, there would be fewer freak verdicts in this town."

"There was so much sound sense in the doctrine that the 11 other jurors had a fleeting fancy for sticking to own accustomed simple fare, but the fleshpots of the hotel overcame their scruples and for three weeks we feasted sumptuously. Also, to sustain the conscientious man's theory, we returned what the public called a freak verdict." \*

Matches Used in the World. It has been estimated that, for each minute of time, the civilized nations of the world strike 3,000,000 matches. This is said to be the average for every minute of the 24 hours of the day. Fifteen hundred billion is the number for the entire year, and those persons who live under the American flag are charged with the consumption of one-half of this amount. Small and insignificant as it is, the match demands as much attention in the choice of woods involved as any other forest product. Only the choicest portions of the best trees are suitable. Sapwood and knotty or cross-grained wood will not do. Instead of being a by-product, the little match is turned out in mills where the by-products are bulky objects like doors, sashes, shingles, sidings, posts and cordwood. The pines, linden, aspen, white cedar, poplar, birch and willow are the most suitable match timbers.

## Great Question Solved.

The French academy has solved a great question, its savants having traced the antipathy for the mother-in-law to the red man. In the sixteenth century the Spaniards brought back with them, besides gold and legends, the story of the hatred of the mother-in-law among the aborigines.

The noble red man would not walk in the footsteps of his squaw's mother till the sea had washed them away, so profound was his detestation of his relation by marriage.

This hatred, the academicians think, was a relic of the feeling engendered in the days when man stole his bride by force. Naturally his disposition toward his mother-in-law was not that of an admirer.

We are living down the mother-inlaw bogie. Unlike the red man, a good many of us could walk in her footsteps with great benefit to ourselves.

## Behind Time.

"What is the matter with this railway?" asked one irate passenger. "This train is three or four hours overdue."

"Think of me," said the stockholder, "and have patience. Its dividends are three or four years overdue."

## Naturally So.

"All the parts in this play are fat parts."

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