

MAMMON WORSHIP.

A CLERGYMAN'S INDICTMENT AGAINST LATTER DAY CHRISTIANITY.

What the Master Taught is Not Practiced or Taught Today—The Church Has Surrendered to the Usurers, and Christ's Commands Are Forgotten.

It seems remarkably strange that so few people understand the nature of the crisis that is now on the world.

Any reflecting mind must see that with the present surroundings—a continuation of present systems of business—that the world, society, will remain as it is or grow worse.

There is no counteracting influence in our form of Christianity of sufficient force to remedy our evils. There is nothing in the church now calculated to bridge over the gulf between capital and labor.

Hence society is elevated as high as it can be by our present defective form of Christianity. It is a fact of universal application that the religion of any people governs and molds the civil government of that people and fixes the condition of society.

Our form of Christianity is responsible for the status of society all over the civilized world; hence a religion that cannot lift society to a higher, better, happier state than society now occupies is not the religion which the world needs, and it will be repudiated.

The Sunday side of our religion is all right. The weekday side is not all right. "Ephraim is an untimely cake."

The Master taught after this manner: "If you love those that love you, what thank have ye, for sinners also love those that love them, and if you do good to those that do good to you what thank have ye, for sinners also do even the same."

But the apostles and early church understood that their Master meant business, and they practiced it. When they sold houses and land, they laid the money at the apostles' feet, and distribution was made so that none lacked anything.

This was no spasmodic movement produced by persecution, as commentators would have us believe, but it lasted. Justin Martyr, who wrote about 160 years after, said the church practiced the same system.

This system taught by the Master and practiced by the early church would have prevented all poverty, all want, for no one "lacked anything."

The Campaigner Skeddaddie. The Farmer—Last year you said the high price of wheat was caused by the Republican party. Now, what I want you to explain is this: What party has caused the present low price?

Farmer—But didn't you just tell me that the silver issue was dead?

The Campaigner (confused)—Yes, but the dealer it is the lower the price of wheat—the higher the higher the price. Oh, you ignorant chidlopers make me tired. (Exit campaigner.)—Denver Road.

"A RAILROAD REPUBLICAN FROM AWAY BACK."

The Omaha Bee Declares That Hayward is the Ring Railroad Candidate.

CAN'T DENY ITS OWN STATEMENTS

Hayward Mixed up With the Old Ring of Impeached State Officers.

Some Republican Testimony.

If anything was necessary to establish the fact that M. L. Hayward is a corporation tool that fact has been well established during the past two weeks.

It has been established by the testimony of the Omaha Bee, the republican organ, in its issue of June 7, 1893, that "Hayward has been the recognized attorney of the B. & M. at Nebraska City for years,"

It has also been established by the testimony of the Omaha Bee, the republican organ, in its issue of October 26, 1893, that "Judge Hayward of Otoe was injected into the contest by the railroads and the impeached officials whom he defended before the supreme court."

The World-Herald now proposes to prove that Mr. Hayward is a railroad republican from away back, and in support of this claim the Worle-Herald calls as a witness the issue of the Omaha Bee of October 2, 1893, which contained the following editorial:

THE FIELD AGAINST MAXWELL.

When the republican state convention assembles next Thursday all the delegates not instructed for Maxwell will be impertuned to range themselves in line with the pronounced opponents of Maxwell under pretext that failure to instruct for Maxwell must be interpreted as a demand for his retirement.

Then comes Judge M. L. Hayward of Nebraska City, the associate of John L. Webster in the defense of the impeached state officials and A RAILROAD REPUBLICAN FROM AWAY BACK.

Close to Mr. Hayward in the affection of railroad republicans comes Hon. O. A. Abbott of Grand Island.

If Mr. Hayward is "a railroad republican from away back," if when he was a candidate for judge of the supreme court he was "admirably suited to fill a long felt want, which the railroads and other corporations have had to own the Supreme Court."

THE LOST INHERITANCE.

The People Have Allowed the Gifts of Their Fathers to Be Taken Away.

When more than a century ago our young nation rejected its stupid, wooden headed king, George III, and threw out the starry flag of freedom, it was the jubilee of man.

Brief were those years of manly equality. Simple Adam was thrust from his Eden and the gate closed behind him. New and giant forces entered into and warped the infant civilization.

Our fathers did not see the magnitude of the impending change nor comprehend the vast problem. The few who did see said, "After us the deluge."

A Fatality Avoided.

From the Democrat, Goshen, Ind.

When neuralgia is accompanied by a dull, heavy pain near the heart, frequently becoming intense, it generally terminates fatally.

"In the fall of '92," she said, "I began to have trouble with my heart. There was a sharp pain in my breast which became rapidly worse."

"At the end of two years I was confined to my couch most of the time and the doctors agreed that my death was only a matter of a short time."



"One day I noticed in a newspaper an item about a woman having been cured of Neuralgia of the heart by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and I concluded to try them."

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Among the many forms of neuralgia are headache, nervousness, paralysis, apoplexy and locomotor ataxia. Some of these were considered incurable until Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People were formulated.

Even the Lincoln State Journal tells the story of how a sick Nebraska boy was starved to death on a hospital ship as follows: "T. M. Shallenberger of the freight department of the Burlington has received the distressing news that his son Paul was one of the ten unfortunate members of the Seventh regular infantry who died on the transport Yucatan between Santiago and Montauk Point."

Editor Casper of David City, reads the following roast to Cracker Dave Mercer for his attempt to promise eastern capital for Nebraska as a reward for voting the republican ticket this fall:

"The idea that popocrats scare capital out of the state by saving half a million dollars annually to tax payers, is too supremely ridiculous to have emanated outside of the baby-kissing congressman of Omaha, where all silly twaddle originates in the name of 'business,' and in a circle of narrow minded people who think they are the only business men on earth."

The Hub, Kearney Hub, predicts, "that Chairman Schneider will keep the other fellow guessing until the sun goes down on election day." Yes, guessing how large the majority will be. Who is Chairman Schneider? Head waiter of the Oxwards. To do business in the c. o. p. one must be possessed of ability to manage corporations.—Minden Courier.

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