

The BEE BOOK

Fundamentalism Is Upheld by Sprague

THE BIBLE VERSUS THE SECRETARY. BY Rev. Franklin M. Sprague. One of the many champions of fundamentalism takes up the cudgel in defense of the beliefs of his group. Rev. Mr. Sprague uses as his target, the writings of the secretary of the educational society of a certain denomination and proceeds to dissect them under a question and answer operation.

It appears that the secretary, at least from the excerpts printed in the book of refutation, has attempted to prove that the Bible is neither inspired nor authentic. He questions portions of Genesis, the Bible story of the flood, and places an interpretation on the words of Christ, which is not in accord with those of the author of the book.

The reverend defender of fundamentalism, however, makes certain statements in his own work which are somewhat erroneous, but these do not materially prohibit the little book from being a constructive defense of the beliefs held by the fundamentalists.

Rev. Mr. Sprague insists that if any portion of the Scriptures are taken as true, all must be admitted true. The self-sufficiency of faith is the doctrine preached by the author. Titles of the 13 papers are those employed by the secretary.

When each one of them has been picked apart and refuted according to the ideals of the author of this book, the physician of morals declares that if the Bible is taken simply as a record of thought in past ages, it has no religious value nor moral authority and will not aid the world in finding peace with God.

Occurrences in Bible Explained in Tishbite

THE TISHBITE. by Ephraim Noble Love. Stratford company. Publishers. Elijah or Elias, the fearless prophet of the books of Kings in the Old Testament, is made the central figure of a historical sketch.

The simple statements of the Bible are elaborated somewhat by bringing in other characters and touching up the scenes with local color.

Although but 61 pages are necessary to contain the story, there is a reality felt in the handling. The unexplained occurrences mentioned in the Scriptures, at least some of them in regard to the Tishbite, are explained by very ordinary means.

For instance, it is told that Elijah was fed by ravens. The author, instead of making a wonder of this, points out that there was famine in the land and the birds came from their mountain homes into the city for bread. A friend of Elijah, knowing the prophet, has sought refuge in the hills, ties tiny bags of food around the necks of the feathered messengers.

The recounting of the scene on Mount Carmel between Elijah and the priests of Baal is especially interesting and well worked out.

"Ranch of the Thorn" Story on Revolution

RANCH OF THE THORN. by William H. Hamby. Chelsea House, New York. Stirring times contingent with the overthrow of the Carranza government in Mexico are told in this story of adventure and romance.

Of course there is an American easy to look upon, and a Mexican senorita and the senorita's papa. There is also another American who is a very bad hombre.

There is plenty of humor intermingled in the scenes of bloodshed and plotting, which served to make the more serious phases of the action less depressing.

The weather-cock temperament of the Latin race is shown in Senorita Maria. She can love with her whole being and hate in the same proportion. In fact, the rapid succession of these contradictory emotions keeps the young American hero in figurative hot water most of the time.

Clean, all the way through, is the "Ranch of the Thorn," and a story which may be enjoyed by young and old alike.

Book on Enjoying Life Is Intended for All

COME LET US WALK TOGETHER. by Gabriel Heatter. Forest and Stream Publishing Company, New York city. This little series of 19 inspirational editorials was printed from time to time in The Sporting Goods Salesman and other periodicals, and now they are collected under one head.

The whole atmosphere of the short, meaty papers is one of encouragement and urging on to better things in the way of living.

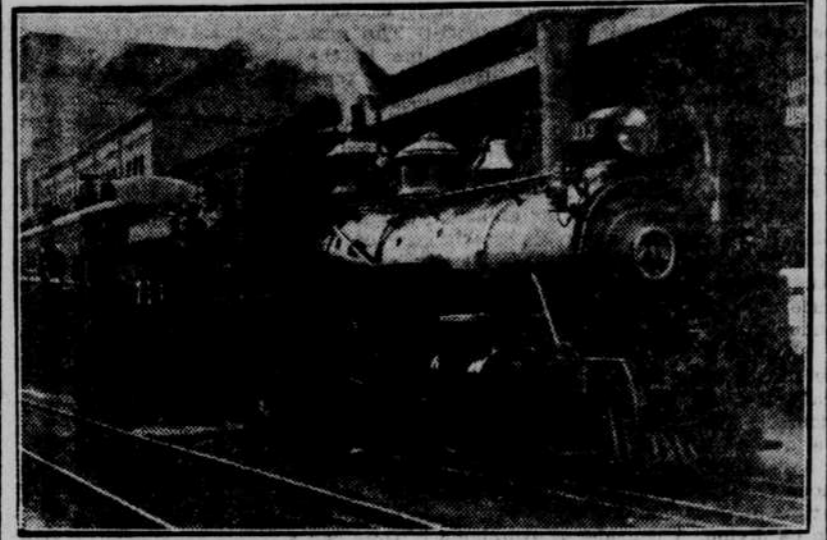
Name of the little book is taken from the first editorial in which mind and heart strive by words to prove each is the principal factor in a man. Reason steps in and shows where both are not altogether right, but that all three make up the perfect man.

There is a good deal of good, wholesome "pep," philosophy and psychology in the little work which will harm no one to read. Indeed, it may do some good. One doesn't necessarily have to be a salesman of sporting goods to appreciate it.

Father and Son Week Is Observed at Pawnee City

Pawnee City, Neb., Feb. 16.—This week was observed in Pawnee City as Father and Son week, the program having been arranged by the five ministers of the city. Monday night, 116 fathers and boys of high school age enjoyed a banquet at the Methodist church. L. C. Oberlies was the speaker. Thursday evening, the fathers and their sons attended prayer meeting in groups and special services are to be held at each of the churches Sunday morning. That evening, Attorney E. D. Woodburn of Holton, Kan., will speak at a union service at the First Presbyterian church, and fathers and sons will attend.

Smallest Omaha Engine Needs to Hustle to Keep Ahead of Flyer



By L. C. GRAHAM. For 38 years W. T. Murphy has piloted one engine for the Milwaukee railroad. Once that engine was the last word in steam locomotives, now it is the smallest engine running into Union Station.

In 1882 the Milwaukee railroad purchased a new type passenger engine from the Baldwin Locomotive works. It was the finest thing yet seen in the west with its smoke stack shaped like an ice cream cone, its back swayed from the irregularities of its boiler and its small drive wheels.

If that same locomotive were to be parked beside a new 7,000 type hill climbing engine today it would look like a watch charm for an ambitious engineer. But that is now. When it was new it was a wonderful thing and something to fill the heart of any steam engineer with joy.

Murphy started railroading 42 years ago. His first job was with the Penn-

sylvania system. He came to the Milwaukee in 1888, received "No. 712" as his first charge and went to work.

The smallest engine still does duty in the passenger service. Every day it hauls two passenger coaches, a train, from Omaha to Manila, Ia., and back. The train leaves at 8:30 in the morning and returns at 4:30 that afternoon.

Even the biggest and fastest of the trains must have their troubles. The "smallest train" makes its trouble for the crack train to Chicago. The "smallest train" leaves 47 minutes before the flyer and arrives in Manila 23 minutes ahead of it. It makes 13 stops en route and the flyer makes none.

The engine weighs 40 tons and is capable of making an average speed of 42 miles an hour, Murphy says.

In the picture Murphy is shown at the window of the engine cab and his fireman, Owen Fox, is at the door.

Americanization Meeting Planned on February 22

Newly-Naturalized Citizens to Be Given Papers at Ceremony Held at County Courthouse.

Americanization naturalization meeting under the auspices of the Omaha Council of Americanization, will be held on Washington's birthday, February 22, at the courthouse. The meeting will be held at 8 p. m., following an open air musical program by the Central High School band, and a ceremonial flag salute by boy scouts.

Program of the meeting proper follows: Invocation... Dean Stephen E. McGlinchey, Presiding Officer... Judge Charles A. Goss, Announcements... R. E. Elson, Secretary Council... Master of Ceremonies... E. D. White, Chairman of Board Welcomed to New Citizens... Mayor James C. Dabman... Rev. M. Golla, Catholic Polish Priest... Miss Annuncia Catania, Student Central High School... "The Mating Post"... Pupils Mason school... Presentation of Papers... Presentation Naturalization Papers... "The Flag," Presented by American Legion... Audience led by orchestra.

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The universal plague of itching, bleeding and protruding piles can be cared for so quickly, the pain and distress banished so easily, the condition itself rendered as if gone and to the senses so completely eliminated that there is now no reason why anyone should continue to suffer.

PYRAMID Pile Treatment

is a composite application for both insertion and as a protective coating. It stops the ache or pain, prevents friction, contains medicaments that are absorbed by the swollen and protruding piles, these subside, their engorgements are broken up, the condition itself disappears and so far as any discomfort or conscious feeling is concerned your piles are gone completely.

More Than First Aid

The effect of this composite Pyramid Pile Treatment is more than just to relieve soreness and palliate pain. It acts as an antiseptic, it quiets the nervous strain, it annuls the pain, reduces inflammation and is a comprehensive home treatment, an inexpensive, thoroughly efficient first aid, and a continuous remedial agency that you may rely upon at all times for piles.

Thousands Report Recovery

The experiences of thousands with this composite Pyramid Pile Treatment show to what extent it has come to the rescue of people suffering a plague that sitting on thorns is none too graphic. And they further prove that they are all sufficient. You need no protracted treatment, no internal medication, nothing else whatsoever. Upwards of fifty thousand free sample packages have been mailed in a year to people who have written for a free trial. And it is from these that the wonderful letters come. The action of these remarkable composite Pyramid Pile Applications, sent free to try, is a revelation to those who have suffered over a long period of years.

Send for Free Trial

Pile sufferers usually have something at hand or some favorite ointment that has served a purpose perhaps for years. To prove how amazingly different and how marvelously more effective is this Pyramid Pile Treatment we urge everyone who suffers with itching, bleeding or protruding piles to send for a free trial. Prove how wonderfully effective they are and why they are now to be had almost anywhere of any druggist on the North American continent. Simply fill out the coupon and mail to Pyramid Drug Co., 703 Pyramid Bldg., Marshall, Mich., for a free trial.

Thus when it proves as effective for you as it has for thousands of others you can then step into the nearest drug store and purchase a box of Pyramid Pile Suppositories for 60 cents that will constitute a real home treatment to put you back on your feet.

Free Sample Coupon Pyramid Drug Company, 703 Pyramid Building, Marshall, Mich. Kindly send me a Free sample of Pyramid Pile Treatment, in plain wrapper. Name Street City State