

the compelling utterances of Isaiah, or the mere fact of the existence of Paul? Whence, think you, proceeds the invitation: "Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you and learn of me, for I am meek and lowly in heart and ye shall find rest unto your souls"? It is our "estranged faces that miss the many-splendored thing."

Once the conviction that God is searching for us becomes fixed in the soul of men and women, many things in life will be changed. Then, indeed, we shall learn the simple lesson that, while it is a long and arduous task to raise a stranded vessel with jack-screws, the tide can come in and bear it up as easily, as silently. We shall learn that there are some tasks that we can do and some that we cannot do; and while our deepest anxiety will be to be good and faithful servants, we shall know how to commit to other Hands the larger undertakings that are beyond our powers. And over and above all shall we be warned against raising irresponsibly the Babels of our pride, lest by the confusion of our work we are taught the overwhelming truth that the Friend of *noble endeavor* is the Foe of *evil works*.

The Woman's Page

The Presbyterian Women's Social Service Council

A highly successful sale of work, under the auspices of the Women's Social Service Council, was held in the schoolroom of the First Presbyterian Church on Tuesday afternoon, 9th June. There were booths devoted to fancy work (made by the girls resident in the Home), home cooking, flowers and candy; and afternoon tea was served at small tables. Solos were rendered by Miss Grace Salt and Miss Louise Hassell, as also piano selections by Miss Chalmers during the afternoon.

Mrs. Robert McNair presided over the fancy work stall, while the home cooking stall was in charge of Mrs. D. M. Mackay. The tea room, candy table, and flower stall were under the management of Mrs. Wm. McQueen, Mrs. J. S. Montgomery, and Mrs. W. B. McKechnie, respectively, and assistance in all the departments was given by the other members of the Council.

The supervision and maintenance of the Rescue Home calls for tactful and unflagging zeal, and we of the local congregations are deeply indebted to the members of the Council, who, under the presidency of Mrs. E. A. Henry, are consecrating their time and services to this most important field of the Church's work.

J. B. K., Secretary.