

ans, consider the teaching of the present time. The most educated city on the continent of Europe is the city of Berlin. And what is the result of its university teaching and its complete school system? "Empty churches and full prisons." Within seven years an increase of crime and immorality and fraud of nearly three hundred per cent. Nominally Protestant, practically faithless; her artisan population has been led away from the truth by her university professors and educated schoolmasters. Does ignorance alone do wrong? No! *Culture* steals, commits forgeries, frauds, adulteries, murders, and every abomination. Is envious, deceitful, ungrateful and malicious, too.

My reference to Germany implies this truth also, that not only is this boasted education impotent to cure, or avoid moral evils, but that a rational christianity so called, a diluted theology, is equally powerless. It is that "form of sound words" known as "evangelical" which alone has removed the world's burdens and cured its ills. Go forth in faith then, that you possess not only a cure for perishing humanity, but *the* cure, the *only* cure. What has this so called broad or liberal christianity done for the world? Where are its trophies? Where its missions in benighted lands? Where its converts from barbarian tribes? It may please men, but it cannot save them; may gratify pride, but cannot change the heart. While others propound their nostrums, go forth with this Divine balm for the healing of the nations. Go in love, filled with that divine tenderness and holy unction which Jesus gives, "For as He is so shall we be in this world." Go, with the abiding conviction that you hold in your hands the true balm for the healing of the weaknesses of men. Proclaim to *all* this Saviour. Cease not to urge upon men always and everywhere to repent