The Family.

Life and Death.

"What is Life, father?"

"A battle, my child,
Where the strongest lance may fall,
Where the wariest eye may be beguiled,
And the stoutest heart may quail:
Where the foes are gathered on every hand,
And rest not day or night,
And the feeble little ones must stand
In the thickest of the fight."

"What is Death, father?"

"The rest, my child,
When the strife and the toil are o'er;
The Angel of God, who, calm and mild,
Says we need fight no more;
Who, driving away the demon band,
Bid's the din of the battle cease,
Takes banner and spear from our failing hand,
And proclaims an eternal peace."

"Let me die, father! I tremble and fear
To yield in that terrible strife!"
"The crown must be won for heaven, dear,
In the battle field of life;
My child, though thy foes are strong and tried,
He loveth the weak and small;
The angels of heaven are on thy side,
And God is over all!"

The True Teacher.

'What do you consider to be the first and most important qualification required in a Sunday-school teacher, Mr. Christian?' asked Mr. Good, as the party sat one evening around the cheery fire.

The old man answered slowly and gravely. It was a question he had frequently answered, and long experience had confirmed his oft-repeated answer.

'What shall I say is the highest, the grand qualification?' he said; 'shall I say love? oh; how powerful is a loving heart! shall I say patience? knowledge? wisdom? faithfulness? tenderness? tact? No; I will not say any of all of these; I will say 'CHRIST!' for all these, and all things that can be required, are in Him. 'Christ in you, the hope of glory.' That is the first and highest, the supreme and all containing qualification.'

There was a solemnity in the Christian's veteran voice, which occasioned a pause when he ceased to speak, broken at length by Mr. Tender, 'I don't quite understand what you mean,' he said; 'at least, if I were to ask myself whether I have this qualification, I should be very doubtful what to answer.'

'I was going to make the same remark,' said Mr. High. But how different were the feelings which moved them!—The tender conscience of the one shrank from appropriating what was not clearly his own. The other, elated and self-satisfied, knew not the ground of a contrite sinner's hope.

Mr. Christian would not, in answering be personal with either in the presence of others. His explanations were general. 'Jesus said, 'Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.' When a weary, toiling one has gotten hearer, then Christ is in him. St. Paul said to a troubled, trembling sinner, 'Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved.' When such a sinner, through grace, believes, then Christ is in him in his heart, embraced by every affection of the soul, loved and delighted in. And this is the power of all holiness, and usefulness, and true success in the work of the Lord.'

'What you mean,' said Mr. Good, 'is that before they can be Christian *work* there must be Christian *life*? Before a man can labor he must live and 'he that hath not the Son of God hath not life.' Am I not right?'

'Exactly. If we are not in '*the way*' we can not lead our children to it. If '*the truth*' has not made us free, we are in bonds, and can not go forth to serve our Master. If '*the life*' from God is not in us, the living for God cannot be. And you know, dear friends, who it was that said, 'I (oh, that wonderful I AM!) am the way, the truth, and the life.

'Yes,' Mr. Good said, 'He is our peace.

'Aye,' cried the old man,' and our power too, sword as well as shield.'

'I understand what you mean by 'Christ in you,' being the chief qualification in the true teacher,' said Mr. Tender; 'but would you have us wait until we can say that Christ is in us before we venture to enter upon the work? I humbly try to trust in the blood of Christ as having made an atonement for my sins; but I can scarcely say with confidence that Christ is in me.'

'And I,' said our friend Mr. Pensive, 'I hope I am seeking after God; but I dare not say any more.'

'Thank God that you can say that, if your heart speaks as well as your lips—But you are both wandering from your mark. I said nothing about saying.—Christ is in many a one who does not know it, and dares not say it. My dear friends, if with humble self abasement you are trying, as you say, to trust in the atoning sacrifice of Jesus, Christ is already in you. He is in all who cling to Him as their Saviour.

'But how are we to know this, dear Sir?' asked Mr. Tender.

'Sufficient let it be to us that God hath said so. I love to honor the Word of God, and I believe that every hope of the true child of God depends upon His gracious promises. That blessed Word continually describes believers as 'them that are in Christ Jesus.' If a man is born of God he is a new creature; he is *in Christ*, Christ is in him.

'But I often doubt whether I am a believer or not,' said Mr. Pensive.

'Then seek out of God's word a promise to rest upon, and ask God to strengthen your faith, my young friend. Ask him to give you His Holy Spirit, and then seeking to rely upon His written Word, which speaks of salvation for sinners, your views of truth will become clearer and your faith stronger. 'As new-born babes, desire the sincere milk of the Word, that ye may grow thereby.' Some of the converts from heathenism are examples of the simplest faith. And why? They are called 'the People of the Book.'

'I often think,' remarked Mr. Good, 'of those words of St. Paul to the Thessalonians: 'For this cause also thank we God without ceasing, because, when ye receive the word of God, which ye heard of us, ye received it not as the word of men, but as in truth the word of God, which effectually worketh also in them that believe.' That is the reason, no doubt, why the Gospel came unto them, 'not in word only, but also in power, and in the Holy Ghost, and in much assurance.' Do you not think so sir?'

'Undoubtedly my young friend. A Bible loving Christian will always be a happy and a powerful Christian. There is nothing through my life that I have coveted more than to be 'mighty in the Scriptures.' And it is by the Word of God, which is 'the testimony of Jesus,' sealed to my heart by the Holy Ghost, that I am assured that Christ is in me the hope of glory.'

'If we have in this way learned to love God,' remarked Mr. Good, 'we shall also love souls. Some one has said, and said truly, that 'the love of souls is the soul of love, and I look upon it as one of the first tokens of real conversion to God. 'Restore unto me the joy of thy salvation,' says David, 'and take not the Holy Spirit from me: *then* will I *teach* transgressors thy ways, and sinners shall be converted unto thee.' This is without doubt, the first qualification.'

'Yes,' said the good old man; 'that was what you asked. There are other requirements, but that is the first. Where the love of God has not been shed abroad in the heart by the Holy Ghost there will be little work done for God, if any. But, at the same time, let us remember that there are very many truly Christian people who are quite unfit to be Sunday-school teachers. In seeking such laborers something more is to be desired than a converted heart. I should like you all to think of these varied requirements, and we will make that the subject of our conversation next time. I think I hear a voice we all love to hear.

It was the voice of Mr. Faithful, the minister. Frequently on the Saturday evening he walked to our friend's suburban cottage in time to kneel with the little company he was sure to meet there, before they separated. It was so on this occasion. They all bowed before the throne of grace, and sought the face of God, while he poured forth a prayer with them and for them, for the help which they needed for the work of the approaching Sabbath.

Mr. Faithful was a young man, perhaps thirty; and he was wise enough to value the experience of his aged parishioner. He had been about two years in Speedwell, and often during that time had he thanked God for a friend so rich in the experiences of Christian life and labor. Godly laymen little know how much they may help and cheer their clergymen, often weary in his work. They little know the trials of a minister's life, and how much he needs, and how much he prizes, the sympathy of Christian laymen. Often did Mr. Faithful steal half an hour in Sunny Cottage, as the home of our friend was called, to drink as it were, 'of the brook in the way.' Many a Sunday-school trouble, many a parish difficulty, has been talked and prayed over there.

'I want your advice,' he said, when the teachers had retired.

'What is it, dear sir?' said my friend.

'You know the Brights, of Turf street, do you not?'

'O, yes; well'

'I have heard that Miss Lavinia is desirous of being a Sunday-school teacher. Now, she is, you know, one of the gayest of our townspeople; and she has been visiting some benevolent friends, and has returned home, I am told indulging her fondness for children in the Sunday-school, what am I to do?'

'Before we proceed further, let me suggest, dear sir, that we kneel and ask for guidance; for to receive a teacher, and yet not with confidence, would be a wrong done to her.'

The eye to see was sought from Him that has promised, and much was said which need not be recorded. A dance-flitting, theatre going young lady, it was felt on both sides, could do no good, might do harm, in a Sunday-School. And yet, it was suggested, perhaps this desire to enlist in the work might be an indication of better things within, which had not yet appeared.

'An unconverted teacher would be a drag on the wheels,' said the minister thoughtfully 'And yet who is to decide, where the state of the heart which no man can see, is in the question?'

'True, the old man answered; 'but I do not think that either you as the minister, or I as the humble superintendant, are called upon to judge so to decide. Let us leave it, dear sir, to the candidate herself. During our talk this evening with my young friends, we all agreed that the first requisite in a Sunday-school teacher is, Christ in you the hope of glory.'

'Would you have me ask her if she possesses this requisite?'

'No, dear sir; she would not understand you. But speak to her seriously about soul matters; and if she admits that she has no concern about such things, I would—having explained what are the requirements and duties of the office—I would put it to her whether or no she herself thinks she ought to be a teacher. Then you do not judge her. You leave her to judge herself. May the good Lord grant that her judgment of her own heart may so incline her that she be not judged of the Lord.'

Thank you, Mr. Christian I shall act upon your advice.'

Temperance.

Bacchus' Bowl.

(After reading in the regular way, read again by alternate lines; again begin at the bottom and read upward; then again upward by alternate lines.)

The merry bowl that Bacchus sings
I fain would banish far from hence;
I prize above all earthly things
Sobriety and temperance.

Old alcohol, the spirit-king,
Confusion to his odious reign;
Above all men, his praise I sing,
Who breaks the drunkard's galling chain.

Where grog-shop banners are displayed,
Defeat and ruin seize the cause;
May success the standard aid,
Of temperance principles and laws.

I turn away—disgust is mine—
Where fumes of rum are breathed free;
When asked the temperance pledge to sign,
'Tis there hand, heart, and name shall be.

—*Temperance Advocate.*

John Wesley on the Liquor Traffic.

Neither may we gain by hurting our neighbor in his body. Therefore we may not sell anything which tends to impair health. Such is eminently all that liquid fire, commonly called drams or spirituous liquors. It is true, these may have a place in medicine; they may be of use in some bodily disorder, (although there would rarely be occasion for them, were it not for the unskillfulness of the practitioner.) Therefore, such as prepare and sell them only for this end, may keep their conscience clear. But who are they who prepare them only for this end? Do you know ten such distillers in England?—Then excuse these. But all who sell them in the common way to any that will buy, are poisoners general. They murder his Majesty's subjects by wholesale, neither does their eye pity or spare. They drive them to hell, like sheep; and what is their gain? Is it not the blood of these men? Who then would envy their large estates and sumptuous palaces? A curse is in the midst of them; the curse of God cleaves to the stones, the timber, the furniture of them.—The curse of God is in their gardens, their walks, their groves; a fire that burns to the nether most hell. Blood, blood, is there: the foundation, the walls, the spout, the roof, are stained with blood! And can't thou hope, O thou man of blood? though thou art clothed in scarlet and fine linen, and fareest sumptuously every day, can't thou hope to deliver down the fields of blood to the third generation? 'Not so; for there is a God in heaven; therefore, thy name shall be rooted out. Like as those whom thou hast destroyed, body and soul, 'thy memorial shall perish with them.'" (Sermon on the Use of Money.' Vol. II., p. 121.)

In his 'Rules of the Society of the People called Methodists,' he also says: 'It is expected of all who continue therein, that they shall continue to evidence their desire of salvation—first by doing no harm, by avoiding evil of every kind—especially that which is most generally practiced, such as drunkenness, buying and selling spirituous liquors, or drinking them, unless in cases of extreme necessity.

Finally, as he legislated so he executed; for in his 'Journal,' March 12th, 1743, he records that when visiting the society at Newcastle, he excluded from the society seventeen persons for drunkenness, and two for retailing spirituous liquors.'

The Business-Man as an Inebriate.

He is of the order of merchants, and his customers are as plain upon him as if he were a Hindoo; what the French term a "man of affairs," dealer on an imposing scale, banker or broker, speculator, contractor, director of a joint-stock company; in other words, that sum of all shrewdness, foresight, *sang-froid*, and self-possession, oddly, even contradictorily, combined with the enthusiasm and eagerness which are his *esprit de corps*, the American business man, of the most generous type. Among his wares or his books cool and unsympathetic even to hard selfishness, wary and keen, sometimes to unscrupulousness, among the decanters and cigars he is the freest and heartiest of good fellows, large-hearted, open-handed, robust in his convivialities—and yet never quite losing sight of the main chance, the inspiring vanity of his conscious smartness steadily holding his imprudence in check. In fact, it is the order of his calling, more than all other causes, which has brought him here. He was born to be sober and self possessed; but in an unguarded hour he invoked the services of those most seductive of salesmen and *consolations-naires*, Champagne and Cognac, and they have become the head of the house; and every night when the safe is locked, he hands over to them his prudence and self-respect.

Even as he enters here, you can perceive that he brings with him the keen wariness of his calling, the habit of self-indorsement, that assurance of credit at sight, which are the confident credentials of the man who knows a thing or two.—Even fresh as he is from high-priced debauch, he recognizes the business part of "this little arrangement," and goes about settling the preliminaries with the same vigor of system that he would apply to a question of "time" "discount." With the aspects of philanthropy, moral responsibility, animal weakness, and spiritual strength, which presents themselves on the surface of the transaction, he does not fash himself. Those may be all very well in their way, but being sentimental, they are not in his line.—Business is business; and this is business. It don't pay to get drunk, and to make a 'big thing' now and then; to resign that department of 'our operations,' to heads that have trained for it, and are safe to keep themselves level, under any pressure of convivial steam. The influence of this direction of thought and habit of life is apparent in the deliberation with which he has cooled himself off, and 'shaped himself up,' before coming here. His appearance at present is that off a rather florid gentleman of eminent respectability, nice to a fault in his attire, and exact to formality in his propositions. He is especially particular as to terms, accommodations, and privileges; and impresses upon us, with the air of superiority, that he has nothing to learn on those points. Regarded as a man, everything about him is prepossessing; regarded as a patient, he is interesting and even amusing. The history of his case can be clearly read beforehand: as in certain weak novels, it is easy to guess, from the moment the hero is introduced, how the story will end. He will depart gallantly and gayly from the institution, again and again, only to return more and more shaphallen; until at last, dead beat by repeated defeats, and warned by the arguments of timidity addressed to him by others, arguments more wisely grounded than his own, his irresponsible commonsense gets the ascendency, and he acknowledges that Eternal Vigilance is the price of Liberty and Total Abstinence the only stock that pays.

Atlantic Monthly for April.

Agriculture.

Work for the Season.

CAULIFLOWERS.—This seed should be sown at once, for it requires a full season to secure the best results.

LAWNS need to be clipped over quite often, say once in ten days or two weeks.

PLOUGHING can be done to advantage any time, the sooner the better, however.

GRAPE VINES should be carefully tied up to the trellises or posts before the buds get to be too large.

STRAWBERRY vines may still be set to great advantage. Better do this work if possible, just before a rain. If the fruit is intended for home use, only plant Hovey's Seedling, and Brighton Pine. If for market, then the Wilson is by all means the most profitable.

FLOWER GARDENS may be prepared by having a good dressing of fine horse or other manure nicely dug in, after which, say a week or two hence, the seed should be sown, but not until the ground is warm and all danger of severe frosts is over.

BEDDING PLANTS should be set in the garden after the annuals are sown.

CORN, to prevent the crows from pulling it up, should be tarred before it is planted.

OATS for fodder, if sown at all, should be sown early.

POTATOES for planting should be cut and thus prevent a waste of tubers.

CABBAGE PLANTS that have been started in a hot-bed, can now be set out in the field.

REFRACTORY CREAM—HOW TO MANAGE IT. In a late number of the Rural a correspondent gave her experience in churning, beating a portion of the cream the better part of two days without producing butter, and asked for a remedy in such cases. This is supplied by E. L. Bragdon of Port Ontario, who says: "We have had the same experience, but found a remedy. Salt your cream as you skim and stir it well. Dissolve two ounces of alum to two pails of cream, and put it in just before churning, and you will have no farther trouble. Do not fear the alum; it will improve your butter." This is a cheap remedy of easy application, and its effectiveness readily tested by those whose cream refuses "to come to time.—*Rural New Yorker.*

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