

"It is Finished."

BY HENRY COYLE.

"It is finished!" The sad and long trail... Upon His brow a crown of thorns they place...

THE RESURRECTION.

Historical Evidence of the Fact of Christ's Having Risen.

Rev. P. Dillon, D. D. in The New World.

The seal of Revelation, the apogee of the Gospel, the sun of Christian hope, is the Resurrection of Jesus Christ.

The logical value of this fact, cannot then be easily over-estimated. The miracles wrought by our Divine Lord, before His crucifixion, were many and important...

The varied and inconsistent theories advanced to impugn the historical evidence of the Resurrection, whether from the rationalistic view of Semler and Eichehorn...

It must be borne in mind, as a preliminary, that Christ Himself foretold His Resurrection in the clearest terms. In the twelfth and sixteenth chapters of St. Matthew's gospel...

The reasoning of St. Augustine on the connection between these historical facts—the fact of the Resurrection of Christ, and the acceptance of this fact, within a few days of its occurrence...

Hence the scholar who is sincere in his belief, of what nature soever it be, although he may be unwilling to accept the logical consequences of this great fact, does not deny it.

The second fact to be noted is that the body of Christ, although sedulously guarded by Roman soldiers, who were detailed by Pilate at the request of the chief priests...

we keep in mind two points. First, that whilst the Resurrection of Christ is an object of faith, we view it here not under this aspect, but as the basis of our faith—our strongest motive of credibility.

Bearing these points in mind, we may distinguish the adversaries of the Resurrection into three classes. First, there are those who, like the ancient Celts, while admitting in general the authority of the gospels, find internal grounds of objection in the presumed contradiction of the various writers.

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their knowledge of our Lord's prophecies, was not found in the tomb on the third day, and that the guards testified to the glory of the Resurrection by their terror and collapse.

The third fact is that this disappearance of Christ's body cannot be explained on any other hypothesis than the true one. Indeed, the chief priests themselves have unwittingly supplied us with a proof of this, as St. Augustine acutely reasons, for they could think of no way of explaining it, save by bribing the guards to say that they slept at their post and during their sleep the disciples of Christ bore away His body.

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The Hierarchy of the Church.

Each year the authorities of the Vatican publish a Year-book in which the status of the Church is given. The book is entitled, "Gerarchia Catholica" and the issue for the present year has recently made its appearance.

At the head of the Hierarchy, of course, stands Pope Leo XIII. himself, who was born March 2, 1810. The College of Cardinals is the second in authority in the Church, and should number 70. The College is, however, rarely complete, and at the present time there are 11 vacancies.

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