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The fool hath said in his heart
There is no God. Corrupt are
they, and have done abominable
iniquity: *there is none that do-*
eth good.

God looked down from heaven
upon the children of men, to see
if there were *any* that did under-
stand, that did seek God.

Every one of them is gone
back: they are altogether be-
come filthy; *there is none that*
doeth good, no, not one.—Psalm
liii. 1-3.

Editorial.

Mr. John Bennett Anderson, the Eng-
lish evangelist, who has been labouring
with so much success during the past
three years through the Province
of Ontario, is now in St. Mary's,
where he is preaching nightly. He
intends re-visiting the towns of his
evangelistic efforts in succession during
the next few weeks, delivering a lec-
ture in each, making it a farewell visit,
and then returning to England to renew
his Christian work.

This Association has for its aim the sal-
vation of young men. We desire throw-
ing around our young men influences,
which will tend to draw them into fellow-
ship with Christ. We desire to reach
young men when they first become resi-
dents of Toronto, before they form any
associations which will have a tendency

to draw them downward. Many of our
readers can help in this work. Do you
know of any young man who has lately
taken up his residence here, or is about
to do so? Send his name and address to
us, that we may call upon him.

Among our selections in this number,
will be found an article headed "THE
LOCOMOTIVE ENGINEER." Such tribute
is doubtless well merited, but we ask,
would it not be more practical, if
the public generally were to manifest
greater interest in the welfare of Rail-
way Employees?

We hear enough in the form of com-
plaints, but it is only now and then
that we hear the question, "What is
being done for the spiritual welfare of
those men?"

We are pleased to say that there are
some in Toronto, who feel and act
aright on this great subject, and Chris-
tian Work among our Railroad brethren
has their sympathy and support. But
more needs to be done—*more must* be
done. Who will help? The writer of
the article to which we call attention
says "Faith is the guiding Rule of the
Travellers." If Travellers have such
faith in the men, why not go further
and *do* something for them. Remem-
ber faith without *works* is dead.

"Thou shalt not take the name
of the Lord thy God in vain: for
the Lord will not hold him guilt-
less that taketh His name in
vain."—Ex. xx: 7.