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WHAT NOW!

The summer is now well spent. The camp meetings with us are past for this season, the autumn quarterly meetings are at hand.

The children's picnics in connection with our Sunday Schools have been held. Pastors have exchanged places. The things which were on the summer program have been carried out.

There is a little period of time between now and our fall and winter plans begin—with what will we as pastors, churches and individual Christians do to profitably fill in these few weeks. As pastors we have not been on vacations, we have been attending camp meetings, and that means work. With most of our pastors, a change from pastoral duties, but still it is work, with some strenuous work, in some department that calls you out early and involves care. While there is enjoyment in attending the services, it has its wearing effect on mind and body. The people who have remained at home and cared for the church and Sunday school, had on special change and rest. Some individual members have perhaps wearied themselves in visiting other churches, and making excuses for being absent while the pastor was away.

Well, let us not waste time in reviewing—but gird ourselves with renewed energy direct from the great source of divine power, and remember that God's resources are unlimited and we may draw from them—"If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him."—James 1-5.

If at any time we do not know what to do next—here is where we can find out.

We put this question in a blessed regular prayer meeting, and one brother said: If I want to do something to help the church, I will seek help myself, and that will certainly help the church—Amen!

Let every member seek special help from God and it will refresh and re-invigorate the whole church, and if all the

churches are thus regirded with power from on high, a general blessing is the sure result.

The brethren and sisters who remained at home expect those who have attended the camp meetings to return refreshed and on fire, and prepared to stimulate the work. While we may be a bit wearied in body, let us not disappoint them. Let us hunt up our S. S. classes. Pay up our part that has fallen behind in our absence. Get into our places and lift by prayer and song and testimony. Get into every service, and get there on time. Be live wires and get things going.

We have plans for the Fall and Winter; get ready for them. Let every member be hunted up, write those who are away, and tell them about the coming meetings, invite them to come to them. If they have no place to be entertained in, offer to entertain them. Provide for them to help you with your work so you can attend the services yourself. Invite other friends to the big meetings you are planning. You know holiness people must be generous in these respects. Let us plan and carry into effect a big campaign for souls, holiness and faith are inseparable. People who talk unbelief have either lost out, or never had anything to lose—Thank God for lift-ers—Let us be look-up-ers. Let the other folks be the look-down-ers. Look-up-ers can see heavenly things, the look-down-ers only see earthly things, and earthly difficulties. The look-up-ers can see over the top of all these things. God, Jesus, Angels, and heaven, and many dear to us are there. Faith, hope and love are above the level of earthly troubles, real or fancied.

"I am only one,
 But I am one,
 I cannot do everything,
 But I can do something,
 What I can do
 I ought to do;
 And by the grace of God,
 I will do."

It is a great thing to preach the truth, but a greater thing to preach the truth in love.

It is a fine thing, considering all things, that prevents, opposes and hinders, to preach holiness and not at least appear to do so, with a fighting spirit.

It is a great thing to possess the constituent qualities of love, and be free from those things which are contrary to love—it is a condition beyond the best human attainment, but is within the obtainments of faith in the precious blood of Jesus Christ that cleanseth from all sin.

The best gold needs purifying by fire to remove all traces of other metals. The purest hearts that nature and culture ever produced, needs the cleansing blood of Christ to make them pure, and perfect them in love.

Lay hands sudden on no man—Do not hastily appoint any person to the sacred ministry; let the person be well proved, before he receives the imposition of hands.—Dr. Adam Clarke.

"Fools make a mock at sin," says the Bible. Sin is not a joke; "it is a serious matter, dangerous and terrible in its end."

RIVERSIDE SAYINGS.

"There was a man
 They thought him mad,
 The more he gave,
 The more he had."

"Sanctification takes the padlock off the pocket book and throws the key away."

"A fellow who don't know what his income is that he may tythe, don't take much trouble to find out."

"Some churches want a half-day Sunday to cool off, lest they get warmed up."

"God made the crow as well as the nightingale, and wants the crow to crow, as well as the nightingale to sing."

Have fervent charity (love) among yourselves; don't talk of your little family troubles to strangers—some delight in unloading to the evangelist.—Ugh!

When the enemies of holiness praise you, look yourself over a bit.

It was a shallow ground, the Lord stated, where the seed immediately sprung up. It could not stand the heat of the sun.

Big-head (heady) and pig-head are both out of harmony with full salvation—swagger belongs to the same condition.

"Bear the infirmities of the weak"—There may be infirmities about those who have a hard time in bearing the infirmities of others—probably nerves.

There is a danger of getting after some person we think a bit wrong, and get a bit wrong ourselves. Living holiness won't make everybody love you—"I have given them thy word and the world hath hated them"—Jesus Christ.

"Holiness will fix you so you can kiss your mother-in-law."

The unconverted know, and have confidence in those who are really right, even when the church wearies with them, as it sometimes does—sad yet true.

There are those who get irritated even in a social service, and also in the pulpit at times. "The wrath of man worketh not the righteousness of God."—James.

There is a great difference between being child-like and being childish. People are child-like when they throw their hands over their heads when they testify and sing; people are childish who fuss about it.

NOW THEATRICAL STRIKE.

Theatricals are on strike in New York, and are threatening a similar strike in Paris, France. Christian people should pray that it should be world wide and would never end until the whole business be closed up forever, and this great company of people to turn into real life that is worth while.

"At night God sometimes chases sleep away in order to have an opportunity to speak to us alone."