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## EDITORIAL.

"AND THEY THAT KNOW THY NAME WILL PUT THEIR TRUST IN THEE: FOR THOU, LORD, HAST NOT FORSAK-EN THEM THAT SEEK THEE."-Ps. 9:10.

We are not apt to trust those of whom we know but little.

Thhe mohe intimately we become acquainted, the more we trust, if our acquaintance is worthy of our trust.

No one more worthy than the Lord. He is true,-truth itself. He cannot lie. Then His promises are worthy of our trust. He has never deceived us. He gives us every blessing we enjoy. He has never used us unkindly, though we often deserved punishment. Then let us trust Him fully.

low the Lord "afar off." The true position of sweet joy of a life of trust and can singthe faithful disciple will be like Mary "sitting at Jesus' feet, hearing his word." Or like the beloved John, "leaning on Jesus' bosom," or "standing by" the cross to hear His dying words.

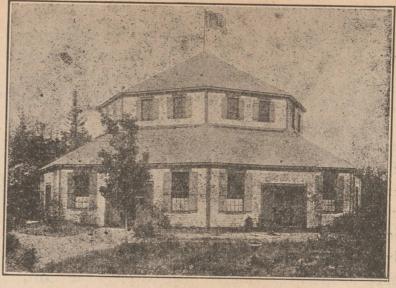
We must get near to Jesus to "know" Him. We must will to do His will if we would know his doctrine. It was sin that separated God and man in the beginning. It is sin that darkens our misunderstanding and prevents us from KNOWING God. When we get rid of sin, and the Spirit of God is within us creating love to God, then and not till then shall we know God; for "he that loveth not knoweth not God; for God is love." "Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of His." In order then to FULLY trust Christ, we must get rid of ALL sin.

What a sweet spirit of restfulness the one possesses who FULLY trusts the Lord!

Through toil, trial, conflicts, temptations, dangers, darkness and death-

We trust in Him till time shall cease, Till strife shall end in rest and peace.

> Simply trusting every day, Trusting thro' a stormy way; Even when our faith is small, Trusting Jesus, that is all.



BEULAH TABERNACLE on our Camp Grounds, where the Alliance meets on Wednesday, 10.30 a. m., June 27th, and where the Camp Meeting follows on Friday evening, June 29th, and continues till Sunday evening, July 8th.

Are YOU coming to the Camp Meeting?

Now is a good time to think about it and lay your plans to come. TELL YOUR FRIENDS ABOUT IT. Beulah Camp Grounds will be more beautiful this year than ever. Bro. John Bullock will have surprises for us. He has spent much time and care, also means, assisted by his dear mother, to make everything neat and beautiful, so that all who come may enjoy the blessing and be blest in body, soul and spirit in attending the blessed religious services of the Camp Meeting. We expect the coming services to be the best yet held on these grounds. They will be if each come in a humble, prayerful spirit.

Are YOU praying for them?

Trusting Him while life shall last, Trusting Him till earth be past: Till within the jasper wall, Trusting Jesus, that is all.

Dear reader, do you know God? Do you know his name? His name is Jesus-Jehovah the Saviour, because He saves His people from their sins. Do you know Him as your Saviour? Does He save you from sin? Do you know Him intimately? Do you sit at his feet and receive Too many professed Christians have but His words, or lean on his bosom, and imbibe little knowledge of God. Like Peter they fol- His sweet Spirit? If you do, you know the

> In Thee I place my trust; On Thee I calmly rest; I know Thee God, I know Thee just, And count Thy choice the best. Whate'er events betide, Thy will they all perform; Safe in Thy breast my head I hide, Nor fear the coming storm.

# PRAY FOR OUR ALLIANCE AND CAMP MEETINGS

We cannot begin too soon to pray for our coming Alliance and Camp Meetings. Our Camp Meetings are great centres of power and victory. Every lover of the Holiness cause, not only of our own denomination, but of every denomination, should not omit praying daily that great power and blessing may attend all the services. Beloved, let us get the burden on our hearts!

Our Camp Meetings are the great agencies God is using in this country for the spread of Holiness over these lands. Let us then take time to pray. Let us pray that God would make this year's annual gatherings the very best of all that have been previously held, and that they may be gateways to victory for hundreds of precious souls.

## AFFLICTION'S BENEFITS.

"Before I was afflicted I went astray; but now I have kept thy word. It is good for me that I have been afflicted, that I might learn thy statutes. I know, O Lord, that Thy judgments are right, and that Thou in faithfulness hast afflicted me."—Psa. 119:67, 71, 75.

Here we have three beautiful testimonies to the benefits of being afflicted, which show a sweet spirit of trust in God, and an assurance that an all-wise loving Father's will is being worked out by the affliction. The first benefit stated here is that it keeps one close to God, helps to keep the Word of God fresh and active in the human heart. Religion is so easily made a form. We need daily some live, direct communication to keep connection all right between us and our Creator. This is the first and principal thing in spirituality. Religion without spirituality is a dead letter. God has so desired that in our every-day life, in even the smallest things that happen throughout the day we should learn His guidance, His nearness, His watchfulness. We are to be kept as the apple of His eye, so very tenderly is our spirituality guarded. Sorrow and affliction tune the finer strings of our spiritual life. When a small tree is planted, for a few years it is cut on all sides, so as to give it a good shape, and the gardener smiles when he sees it getting on as it should. When it has reached its perfection, it is left to grow and develop into grandeur and maturity. One such tree is very vivid in my memory. Now to look at that same little tree, you would hardly recognize it. A more beautiful tree I have never seen, a perfection of beauty, as to shape, color and hardiness. That's what the gardener's pruning did it. That's what affliction does for us. That's the way our Gardener feels when by His constant pruning He brings us out, as He has designed we should be. Even if tears do flow like sap from the cut-off branches, the sap soon turns to nourishing other branches. Tears soon tender us and turn into blessings for us and for others.

The second good from affliction is that we learn His statutes; that is we get an experimental knowledge of God, of His wisdom, kindness, and watchfulness until we can say: "I know that Thy judgments are right, and that Thou in faithfulness hast afflicted me."

What a wonderful, deep meaning is enclosed in the last benefit that we now mention. It implies that we have gotten into such knowledge of God's character that even the rod of affliction becomes sweet to us. We receive with unquestioning faith all things, bitter and sweet, since they are from One who loves us and seeks our good. Hardships, endurance, suffering and sorrow are just as gladly received as joy and happiness, when we have come to know the character of God, who does all things for the purpose of purifying and perfecting. He takes away those hopes, ambitions, and purposes of ours that would cling to the unreal.

> "Trials make the promise sweet, Trials give new life to prayer, Trials bring me to His feet, Lay me low and keep me there."

For all who are not of this world, but by faith are seeking a better City to come, "The way of the cross leads home," "Home, Sweet Home," to be forever with the Lord, more htan repays all for our afflictions here. Bless His name!-Holiness Banner.