

IDIOSYNCRACIES OF AN ISHMAELITE

It is about as difficult for an average man to manage an automobile as for him to handle a wife.

When the stork visits a home it generally leaves a howling reminder behind.

The average church member of this day and time acts as if there was no sin and not much of heaven or hell. Some of them, though, use the church as a cloak and seem, by their actions, at least, that they have got a reserve seat ticket that will admit them to a front seat at the Great White Throne, no matter how they live or what they do here on this earth. We get heart-sick at the lying, cheating, hypocritical church member. He is lying to his conscience, cheating his soul and practicing hypocrisy with God. They use religion as a cloak—make a Sunday suit of it and put it on to go to church in, the balance of the time it will be found lying behind the bed room door, and sometimes it can be found covering a jug of liquor from the preacher, under the excuse that "the old woman is puny and I have to keep a little for to make bitters for her." The old hypocrite, he slips out of the bed every morning and takes a swig out of the jug before the "old woman" is awake, and when Sunday comes he hies off to get it filled again, for the "old woman's" bitters must be on hand.

Again, there are church members—not Christian church members, but fellows who simply have their names on the church book, who talk about how good they are and how honest, and they pay all their debts, and you will find that they have paid off the liens and mortgages over them while the blacksmith, printer, doctor and any other sucker who has been kind enough to extend credit to them on "their face" is done to a turn and the poor preacher "gets it where the chicken got the axe" when it comes time to collect his salary. Yet they are honest when they are made to be so.

The preacher, poor man, he has to do the best he can; he labors all the year and at the end of the year he accepts another call, poorer than when he began the new year's work, and why, simply because he has been handicapped, a muzzle has been put on his mouth, he can not preach as he should for fear of offending some "good member" who helps to pay his salary, and because of certain utterances some one else refuses to pay, the outcome generally being that the members get mad at him at the end of the year to keep from paying. This is regular dishwater preaching. Hammer the truths into the people, O, ye preachers, and look above, you will be fed and clothed. How many times does your Bible tell you of the "faithful few" being fed and clothed. What does it say about the disciples going to preach without script in their purse or sandals upon their feet? Have you lost the faith of your forebears? Society has a heap to do with things as they are; and speaking of this "sassiety," how about Nan Patterson, the chorus girl, who broke with her husband and took up with another man, alienating his affections from his own wife and children and then killed him because he tried to return to his own vine and fig tree and be true to his own fireside. She stood trial, and after a time was acquitted, went on the stage, and "sassiety" fell all over itself to get in the "gold-headed row" to see the sights of her on the Vaudeville stage, and now Nan, the emblem

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of innocence and purity (?) has remarried her former husband and they will begin life over again in a western town, and move in the best society, until a sap-headed fool with more money than brains, comes along and is ogled by her "beautiful smile and bewitching eyes." Ah, sassiety is enough to puke a dog.

Speaking of society, Pickens has a fine society of knockers and do-nothings. Are you acquainted with them? They do nothing but kick all the time. Wont make a move to build up the town, no enterprise can come here unless they can boss the thing and you foot the bills. Simply knock every improvement in the head. Have you made their acquaintance yet, Mr. Editor?

See Pickens has a land agency. Wish it success and hope it will do well, and guess it can if it is working for glory. I have been there and the majority of the land owners want you to sell the prop-

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See the "Frico System" of Railroads has a fine land scheme on foot. They are honest, the commercial agencies rate them high and people who have done business with them say they are O. K. Pickens should pattern by their methods. Your county has far superior advantages over the country they are opening up. If Pickens did nothing else in the way of land deals or improvements, she could "make her jack" with tourist hotels. See you have made a great fight. Mr. Editor for hotels; hope you will succeed as I would like to come over and spend next season in your town. Whoop her up son, and if you don't get your reward here you will hereafter, even it is helping the gentleman with the horns, tail and the cloven hoof heap chunks on the Pickens Do-nothings. Hope though, that the future has something better in store for you.

There are many sad citizens over the head who ought to be happy by knowing that they are in each week was certain to bring these citizens back to their husbands, and a most pleasant thing.

A man may be seen in the world's good, a functional to worldly power, great in the world's magnificence; but there is no possession which any one can call my own which can compare with the price of all previous possessions—my mother.

The highest need of human society today is a bold and fearless spirit of individuality. A thousand years ago one could be conservative and not fall behind the

race. But now, while humanity rides on steam and lightning one can't afford to imitate the clumsy gait of those who went through life on foot.

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Six Mile Sketches.
Mr. Editor:—As so many of the writers are being silent I will give you a few sketches from this vicinity.

Mr. Perry Durham started on the 18th inst. for Orangeburg where he enters college.

Mr. Ernest Woodson has returned home from Union.

The many friends of Mrs. Ida Rice are glad to see her able to be out again after a serious illness of typhoid fever.

The little son of Mr. Jake Merck has been very sick with the fever the past few weeks.

There is a school in progress at Six Mile with the following as superintendant.

The school is opening fast and if the weather stays good we will soon be about closing.

Close with much success to the good Sentinel-Journal.

A Friend.

Men Past Sixty in Danger.

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