FORMS OF AGNOSTICISM.

CHARACTERISTICS OF THE DIFFERENT PHASES OF UNBELIEF.

Sometimes the Result of Feeling, Sometimes of Intellectual Conviction and Sometimes Want of Thought.

There are schools of agnostics as there are sects of Christians, says J. Frederick Dalton in the *Unitarian Review*. These often have little in common and little sympathy with each other. We err greatly if we class them all together. "I don't know" is sometimes accepted lightly, sometimes deeply, sometimes it takes the form of feeling: and sometimes of intellectual conviction; and, if it often is made an excuse for impiety or indifference, it is also often accepted as a supplement to piety and an aid to faith. There is, first, the common irreligious agnosticism; not non-religious, but irreligious, opposed to religion, coarse, crude, cruel, boastful, almost brutal. This is not the result of thought, or of anything like conviction, but more truly of want of thought, and as opposite to the higher agosticism as it is to faith. The common irreligious agnostic say, with an effort to tell why, for he could not: "The infant knows as much about God and the future life as the wisest philosopher, the idiot as much as the minister; for no one knows anything about it, anyway. My guess is as good as any." He often makes this assumption of universal ignorance a rough excuse for ridiculing all religion. He delights in the dissensions of the sects. He is glad to believe that no one knows more of God than himself. He is as bigoted as an ignorant peasant at high mass, and as unreasonable as a negro in a revival. Such agnosticism we have all met. It is one of the asylums of worldly or wicked and lazy souls. It is very common, and is increasing every day. It is especially to be found in new civilization, where freedom has run wild and liberty been degraded into license.

Very different from this is the second type, the common religious agnoticism. This is sweeter, tenderer, and certainly productive of nobler spirits. It is not boastful, but humble, and always wears the garb of piety. There are many fine souls with whom religion takes, almost exclusively, the form of feeling. They do not like to think. They fear thinking. To reason about God is to them almost a sin, an overexaltation of our finite minds, a degradation of the idea of the Almighty. Tacitly assuming that they have in thought what they dare not think, an idea they do not define, they dismiss all argument with the wise saw that the finite cannot know the infinite, that to pretend to know him is blasphemy, and that in true humility we should be content with simple adoration. Such people generally accept as unquestionable some current conceptions, make faith a virtue and reason a vice, cleave often to the good, and read into their dogmas better things than they could ever find there. Their instincts are generally right. Their characters we often admire. But their attempts at reasoning and their prejudices are of little account. A wise man will seldom allow himself to be drawn into debate with them. This is a form of agnosticism with which the philosophical agnostics know not how to deal. Yet it is very old and very common. Every cultivated nation has had its altar "To the unknown God." Some of our most popular religious books are but hymns of praise to this great unknown, panegyrics upon the light which no man can appreach unto, upon the inscrutable essence. Here, too, are to be found not only pious spirits, but many fine minds. Religious agnosticism is the genius of modern poetry, of Shakespeare and Tennyson, Schiller and Goethe. These great writers were religious, but they left the idea of God to the heart, the affections and imaginations, as something to be felt but not too closely examined.

This form of thinking, or rather feeling, leads, however, to questions difficult to answer. If God in his essence must be to me forever unknown, what have I to do with him? If I cannot know him as he is, then to have him in thought, even in feeling, is to misknow him. How can I worship what I cannot think? I cannot ascribe to him moral qualities. How then can he command my conscience? How can I seek to be transformed into his spiritual image? I cannot say that he is conscious; then, surely, I cannot say that he is love. How then, can he touch my heart? I do not know that he is good. May he not then be evil, or morally indifferent? Surely then, though all powerful, he is not my father. To a vigorously consistent mind absolute agnosticism is the death of religion. I see no escape from this conclusion. A vigorous logic and a desire for self-consistency lead to the third special form, which, for want of a better word, I shall call painful agnosticism. Many there are trained to worship, and by nature religious, who have tried to make their religion rational and have failed. They have succumbed to every argument they have set out to answer. With open minds they have found themselves bewildered by conflicting testimony, and have come to feel that, where there is such diversity of opinion, there can be no safe standing ground. These men admit, at last, the supposed limitation of our faculties, and carry this to its legitimate conclusion—a kind of forced religious indifference, a suspension of the religious life. But to the question, Is that "presence" there, is this "sense sublime" anything more than a disturbing fancy? they receive no answer. And so they come at last to say of religion as Jean Paul said of music, "Away! away! for thou remindest me of something I shall never meet in all my life."

I have known people who could hardly look at the stars or the ocean without a sigh of pain. There is here a silent suggestion of something too deep to be comprehended, too good to be true, But what if it were only fire and water, after all? Few thoughtful people are to-day wholly happy in their faith. A perpetual oscillation between belief and doubt destroys inward peace. The fires of the soul still smolder at the bottom of their beings. They suppress them as best they can and seek to lose themselves in the life of the world. They say nothing about religion, for the simple reason that they know not what to say. We come now to the agnosticism of science. This form is perhaps most potent among thinking men. Scientific agnosticism is generally not demonstrated, but accepted; it is not so much a conviction as a convenience. Scientists have almost universally agreed to keep clear of metaphysics, as Newton long ago charged them to do. They look upon this as a resultless science—i. e., no science at all; having nothing corresponding to it in nature, and so incapable of exact proof; befogging to the mind; and because it is liable to awaken a priori theories of the universe in the mind, which weaken the power of exact observation, prejudicial to science. Facts, cries the scientist, and facts only. Professor Huxley likens himself to a sailor walking the deck of a vessel, who, if he step one inch too far, falls overboard, to flounder or drown in the deep—the boundless, fathomless, tossing sea of metaphysics.

Condensed Milk.

Condensed milk is made as follows: The milk, as soon as drawn, is taken by the farmers to the dairies, which are established in each village or group of villages. The dairies are run by a syndicate with which the manufacturers deal, and establish the fixed prices. Here the milk is cooled. On reaching the factory, the milk is warmed for the first time in a water-bath, and a second time in copper vessels, where the temperature reaches eighty degrees Centigrade. It is then sweetened by adding the best quality of sugar in the proportion of thirteen to one hundred in weight, the sugar being forced into vacuum pans by means of a pump. These vacuum pans are for condensing the milk, and are similar to those for condensing the beet root, having a double bottom and spiral pans, in which the steam circulates. The water contained in the milk is removed in the form of vapor by means of a jet, which is connected with the top of the vacuum pan, and which is operated by means of a pneumatic pump. When the milk has been sufficiently condensed, it is removed from the vacuum pans and cooled in vessels placed in reservoirs of running cool water. It is only necessary now to pack the milk into tin boxes, cylindrical in shape and hermetically sealed, the box and contents weighing one English pound, and being in condition for shipment to any part of the world.

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English Monks.

"We are strict vegetarians. Meat is, however, allowed in case of illness. I have been here eight years and have only tasted meat on one occasion—last summer, when I suffered from a relaxed throat. Let me see, to-day is Thursday. We shall have bread, vegetable soup, boiled rice, a little jam—to help the rice down, you understand—and a cup of beer."

"Then you are not teetotalers?"

The Father smiled amusedly.

"Well, the beer isn't exactly double X, you know," and here the smile deepens into a real, hearty laugh.

"Have you any very young men here?" I inquired.

"We do not like to take them under 21," is the reply. "When they come younger they really cannot stand the severity of the life. Many come and leave again directly. If, however, they stay for two years, and at the expiration of that time express a wish to remain, they take vows by which they bind themselves to stay here for the remainder of their days. Should their minds afterward change, these vows can easily be dispensed from Rome, and, on the other hand, the Abbot may, if he choose, send them away. When, however, they have been here five years they take 'solemn vows,' and these are regarded with great gravity. It is a matter of much difficulty to get them dispensed from Rome, and no monk, having taken them, can be sent away by the higher authorities, save for a serious crime. Some crimes can be absolved by penance and prayer, but should the sin be of such a nature as to bring open scandal upon the Church its perpetrator is dismissed. Of course," he goes on, after a short pause, "a monk may at any time, so far as the law is concerned, leave the monastery. If I, for instance, chose to go, the law could not lay a finger upon me to compel me to come back, but, according to the doctrines of the Romish Church, and in the opinion of my coreligionists, I should always be regarded as a black sheep."

"And do you never go out?" I say.

"I was here eighteen months," he replies, "before I left at all, save for working in the fields—we farm, as, perhaps, you know, three hundred acres. At the end of that period I received a pressing invitation to a funeral, and accepted it. Coming back, I staid here three years, then left to attend another funeral. I have been twice to Nottingham for ordinations, and once to Loughborough to a dentist."

Five "outings" in eight years. Two of them to a funeral and one to a dentist!

"And you will stay here always?" I say, wonderingly.

"For my life," he answers, solemnly." I have taken the 'solemn vows.'"—*All the Year Round.*

A Dog Poisoner Comes to Grief.

While writing about dogs let me relate a circumstance of how one of those—I can not call them men, but things and its, called dog poisoners—came to grief. It happened in this way. I made my way to North Carolina by land, stopping en route with various friends, and shooting as I went. I stopped for several days at what was once a stately old hall, not a thousand miles from Petersburg, Virginia. In ante bellum days this old plantation was a famous one, and was a renowned hunting rendezvous for the young planters. The country roundabout is so poor that it merely keeps the wretched inhabitants from starvation and that is about all.

On the side of the road, in an old tumble-down house that seemed as if it had the ague fever for years and had nearly shaken itself to pieces, dwelt a sour, morose, ill-favored individual, who had lately married a young and comely female—for the whys and wherefores of women are past finding out. This Daniel Quilp hated everybody, but he hated a sportsman more than anything else in the world, and whenever he saw a party heading his way he would slyly scatter eggs charged with strychnine around in the fields, and thus he poisoned many noble animals far above him in the scale of creation. One day last fall he saw a couple of sportsmen riding along the road, accompanied by a half dozen setters, one or two of which climbed the fence and were ranging in his field.

This Snarleyow—the Dog Fiend—spread a half dozen poisoned eggs in his yard and left the gate open; he then disappeared in the stable. Fortunately his own two dogs gobbled up the eggs, and in a short time they died in agony. Now was this all—"the poisoned chalice" returned to other lips, that ought to have been dear to him. A little darky found one of these eggs, carried it to the house, and her mistress later on made a batter-bread pudding, using unconsciously the loaded egg. The consequences were that she had spasms that night; the doctor was called, and in her agony the wife declared that her husband had poisoned her.

An examination showed signs of the nux vomica, and by the next morning the neighborhood was ringing with the excitement. The big brothers of the wife organized a posse, dashed in the house, seized the dog poisoner, and, getting a rope, swore they would hang him. Had the wife died, as she was expected to, they would have have swung him from his own fig tree, by command of Judge Lynch, but she getting better, explanations ensued, and the truth coming to light, he was released. Query: Is not a man who is base and cruel enough to poison innocent dogs, too mean to live?—*Forest and Stream.*

Quiet Japanese Homes.

Travelers tell us that the most picturesques feature of the exterior of a Japanese house is the ridge of the roof. This is often a very lofty and artistic affair. Much is also made of the veranda, which is generally three to four feet wide and quite long. There is also very often a balcony above, and this is ornamented by delicate, fragile, exquisite work in the way of railing. The way in which this fragile work lasts witnesses to two things, viz: that Japan knows little of rough, boisterous children, so common among us, and that their men keep their feet down. The "vandal" is said to be unknown among the gentle Japanese. They wear no boots or wooden clogs in doors. There all is quiet and noiseless. One hears no banging of doors or clanking over wooden floors. Screens are gently pushed aside, and the mats make no sound. Dust is almost unknown in these cool, airy, sunny rooms. Only in the morning is there a clatter when the wooden screens outside of the veranda, closed during the night, are unbolted and pushed back.

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POLITICAL.

NOTICE TO VOTERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO ALL parties interested, that at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of Sacramento county, California, held on the 16th day of June, 1890, an order was duly made and entered cancelling the Great Register of said county, and ordering a re-registration of the voters thereof. Said order was made pursuant to Section 1,094 of the Political Code, and all persons desiring to vote at the next ensuing general election are notified that they will have to be re-registered, as provided in said section and in conformity with this order.

Attest:

[SEAL] W. B. HAMILTON,

Clerk of Board of Supervisors Sacramento county, California. jy31-tillo22(Su)

ELECTION NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IN pursuance of an order of the Board of Supervisors of Sacramento county this day made, an election of Trustees of Swamp Land Reclamation District No. 213, on Andrus Island, in said county, will be held at Sol Runyon's ranch, on said island, in said district, on the 3d day of OCTOBER, 1890, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. G. A. Knott as Inspector and Sol Runyon and John M. Gleason are appointed Judges of said election.

September 1, 1890.

Attest:

[SEAL] W. B. HAMILTON,

s2-30t(Su) Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.

Chauncey H. Dunn,

SACRAMENTO, CAL., NOMINEE FOR ATtorney-General of the Prohibition and American parties. Election Tuesday, November 4, 1890. au16-td(Su)*

Wm. B. Hamilton,

INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY CLERK of Sacramento county. jy27-tf(Su)

PURCHASE OF BONDS.

THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE FUNDED Debt Sinking Fund of the City of Sacramento will purchase, to the extent of the funds in their hands, city bonds issued under the Acts of 1858 and 1864, at following rates:

For bonds matured 1888, sixty five per cent.
For bonds to mature 1893, seventy-five per cent.
For bonds to mature 1898, ninety-six per cent.
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They offer following rates:

For coupons of 1882, ninety-seven per cent.
For coupons of 1883, ninety-four per cent.
For coupons of 1884, ninety-one per cent.
For coupons of 1885, eighty-eight per cent.
For coupons of 1886, eighty-five per cent.
For coupons of 1887, eighty-two per cent.
For coupons of 1888, eighty per cent.
For coupons of 1889, seventy-eight per cent.
For coupons of 1890, seventy-six per cent.

H. O. BEATTY,
NEWTON BOOTH,
SPARROW SMITH,
au29-3w(Su) Commissioners.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED BIDS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the Board of Trustees of Swamp Land Reclamation District No. 1, of Sacramento county, until THURSDAY, September 18th, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the County Surveyor's Office, for the repair and strengthening of the levee on the east bank of the Sacramento river, between Sacramento city and Freeport, in accordance with the specifications on file at the County Surveyor's Office, Room 5, Court-house, Sacramento.

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of the proposal, as a guarantee for the faithful performance of the terms of the bid.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Trustees.

JAMES O'NEIL, Chairman.

Sacramento, September 10, 1890. s11-td(Su)

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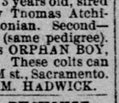

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