

BITS & PIECES

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RIGHT OF WAY!

“Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make his paths straight.” Mark 1:3. When President Garfield was shot, he was taken to a quiet, isolated house where he could rest in his fight for life. A special railway was to be constructed to facilitate bringing in doctors, nurses, family, etc. The engineers laid it out and it crossed the front yard of one farmer, but he refused to grant right of way. When they explained the purpose of the railroad, he said, “That is different, if it is for the President, you can run it right through my house.” Are you willing to give that kind of right of way to Jesus? Can you truly say, **“Not my will but thine be done.”**?

SOUL WINNING

R. A. Torrey said, “I would rather win souls than be the greatest king or emperor on earth. I would rather win souls than be the greatest general that ever commanded an army. I would rather win souls than be the greatest poet or novelist, or literary man who ever walked the earth. My ONE ambition in life is to win as many souls as possible...” Another man said 2,000 years ago: **“I am made all things to all men that I might by all means save some.”** What about you? Have you ever won one soul? Do you try?

SEPARATION IS REQUIRED

Some years ago now, a power line fell down in Klamath Falls, Oregon and killed a cow. Another cow came along and touched the dead one and received a jolt that stunned her. A cat came to see things and was electrocuted upon touching the cow. Two jackrabbits received the same fate. One is reminded of the Scriptures: **“Touch not the unclean thing.”** (Read II Corinthians 6:14-17). While separation is an unpopular doctrine with many Christians (I believe most), it is the will and plan of God. He says, **“Come out from among them and be ye separate...”**

MEN WANTED

Wanted: Young, skinny, wiry fellows not over eighteen. Must be expert riders willing to risk death daily. Orphans preferred. Wages \$25 per week. Apply Control Overland Express. Alton Building... - Advertisement San Francisco papers March 1860. Wanted: Young men and women of all ages. Must be committed to Christ, willing to die daily. Wages mostly held for payment in eternity. Apply by looking up to Jesus and then going out to do what he says in whatever circumstances you find yourself. -Advertisement in New Testament. The Pony Express no longer seeks more recruits. The Lord Jesus Christ is still calling to earnest Christians, **“Follow me.”** -Copied. Who will answer His call? What about you?