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The Price Tag.

A student suggests that if more people looked at the price tag on sin there would be fewer sins. This suggests some interesting considerations:

Special Bargains in Swearing.

Satan's shop has some damaged goods. Here are some shelf-worn cusswords, formerly marked "Hell", reduced to 90 years in Purgatory. The bargains have attracted feminine eyes. Perjury is cheap. The market is glutted with blasphemies, foreign and domestic.

Closing Out a Line of Dirty Jokes.

There is a falling off in the demand for "Class B" stuff since the importation of plenty of the French "Class A" product. Congress will be asked to apply the American Valuation Plan to protect home industry.

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Fire Sale.

Doctors of Medicine have cut down some of the physical agonies incidental to impurity, and Doctors of Philosophy have punched "Hell" out of the price tag. This line is well advertised.

Cut-Rate Murders.

The winter has been a hard one on gunners and you can get a first-class murder for \$50.00, with prices ranging down to \$5.00 for shabby work.

Pride Reduced One-Half.

Army life made a big hole in the demand for pride. The intellectual variety still has a brisk trade, however. "Hell" is still marked plainly on the label, with no fear of detection. Purchasers must present a certificate of spiritual blindness,

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The Novena.

The Novena for Vocations begins tomorrow. "Every one that hath left house or brethern, or sisters, or father, or mother, or children, or lands for My Name's sake, shall receive a hundred-fold, and shall possess life everlasting." -- Matt. 19:39.

Your Charity.

Professor Kaczmark asks your prayers for his father, who is very sick.

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