

tain the number of penitents, and how many converts you have made. If we be dead, leave us alone, and the dead will bury their dead. However, I warn you tenderly, be cautious. O far away, far astray men! Inflated and deluded by your own little selves, beware! Mind your own business. We have no respect for any of you. You have made matters worse by your nasty and untrue statements. We are under no obligation to any of you writers from Baltimore. We shall attend to our own business, seeking to get rid of the devil and his influence, even by piece-meal, whenever and wheresoever we can. No thanks to you wise-acres or to the Federal Council of Churches in America. I refer you to Paul's letter to the Romans, second chapter, first three verses.

Item Three: Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter. Stop this hellish thing, criticizing unjustly Salisbury and the Eastern Shore, lest a more grievous thing should come upon our state. Salisbury is my home town. I am proud of it, and the Eastern Shore and its people, and it is high time that this damaging and damnable tirade concerning us, cease; and all the derogatory remarks and influence be consigned to Hades, where they belong.

REV. G. A. MORRIS.

Rev. Charles M. Elderdice writes to the Baltimore Sun, as follows:

To the Editor of The Sun—Sir: Permit me to express my indignation and contempt at the Federal Council's report on the Salisbury lynch-

But let us remember this: That such reckless and unwarranted statements as Prof. Mitchell, Mencken, Dr. Ainslie and The Sun have been making about the Eastern Shore in the last few weeks are creating a spiritual gulf between these two sections of this great state, far wider and deeper than that which is created by the sparkling waters of the lovely Chesapeake.

(Rev.) Chas. M. Elderdice
Westminister, Jan. 25, 1932.