Proverbs and Phrases.

The great and the little have need of ach other.—Shakespeare.

Successful guilt is the bane of society.—Syrus.

There is nothing worse for mortals than a vagabond life.—Homer.

Love of money is the disease which renders us most pitiful and groveling. —Longinus.

Old age is, as it were, the altar of ills; we may see them all taking refuge in it.—Marcus Aurelius.

A MISSOURI WOMAN

Tells a Story of Awful Suffering and Wonderful Relief.

Mrs. J. D. Johnson, of 603 West Hickman St., Columbia, Mo., says: "Following an operation two years ago, dropsy set in, and my left side was so swollen the doctor said he would have to tap out the water. There was constant pain and a gurgling sensation around my heart, and I could not raise my arm above my head. The kidney action was disordered and passages of the secretions too frequent. On the advice of my husband I began using Doan's Kidney Pills. Since using two boxes my trouble has not reappeared. This is wonderful, after suffering two years."

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The road leading to justice is the safest.—Hesiod.

FIFTEEN YEARS OF ECZEMA.

Terrible Itching Prevented Sleep—Hands, Arms, and Legs Affected—Cured in 6 Days by Cuticura.

"I had eczema nearly fifteen years. The affected parts were my hands, arms and legs. They were the worst in the winter time and were always itchy, and I could not keep from scratching them. I had to keep both hands bandaged all the time, and at night I would have to scratch through the bandages as the itching was so severe, and at times I would have to tear everything off my hands to scratch the skin. I could not rest or sleep. I had several physicians treat me, but they could not give me a permanent cure, nor even could they stop the itching. After using the Cuticura Soap, one box Cuticura Ointment and two bottles Cuticura Resolvent for about six days the itching had ceased, and now the sores have disappeared, and I never felt better in my life than I do now. Edward Worell, Band 30th, U. S. Infantry, Fort Crook, Nebraska."

Rewords and punishment are the basis of good government.—Nepos.

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There are countless roads on all sides to the grave.—Cicero.

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They tell us there are people up in Mars—
What very happy people they must be!
For in a habitation mid the stars
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For the chances are that trusts are quite unknown
And that life insurance seeks no gruesome gains;
The octopus has left them quite alone
Since they use canals instead of railway trains.
From tariff talk no doubt they are exempt,
And maybe they escape the problem play;
The campaign orator does not attempt
To steal some other fellow's boom away.
The trolley does not spider-web a town;
There is no call for dodging motocars;
No Wall street sends their value up or down—
They must be very happy up in Mars!

Jealousy Did It.

"How did an American come to be nominated in this ward?"

"It was a compromise. The Czechs Copts, Kurds, Croatians and Bronglish couldn't fix upon a candidate among themselves."—So. 39-'07.

A Sardonic Satisfaction.

"You enjoy going to the theatre?"

"Yes," answered Mr. Meekton.

"But don't care much for musical plays."

"No. What I enjoy is to take Henrietta where there is a whole lot of conversation going on in which she can't say a word."

No longer let us be talking here nor put off the work God has intrusted to our hands.—Homer.

PUTS THE "GINGER" IN.

The Kind of Food Used by Athletes.

A former college athlete, one of the long distance runners, began to lose his power of endurance. His experience with a change in food is interesting.

"While I was in training on the track athletic team my daily 'jogs' became a task, until after I was put on Grape-Nuts food for two meals a day. After using the Food for two weeks I felt like a new man. My digestion was perfect, nerves steady and I was full of energy.

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"The Grape-Nuts food put me in perfect condition and gave me my 'ginger.' Not only was my physical condition made perfect, and my weight increased, but my mind was made clear and vigorous so that I could get out my studies in about half the time formerly required. Now most all of the university men use Grape-Nuts, for they have learned its value, but I think my testimony will not be amiss and may perhaps help some one to learn how the best results can be obtained."

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The Pulpit

A SERMON BY THE REV. IRA W. HENDERSON

Subject: The Church and Amusements.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—Preaching at the Irving Square Presbyterian Church, Hamburg avenue and Weirfield street, on the above theme, the Rev. Ira Wemmell Henderson, pastor, took as his text 1 John 2:17, "The world passeth away, and the lust thereof; but he that doeth the will of God abideth forever." He said:

Happiness is a universal human longing. The search for it is a world-wide human characteristic. The longing of living souls for that which ministers to the satisfaction of the noblest and most lasting of human needs and desires is natural. God created us to be happy. We were not men did we not search for joy. Jehovah meant us to live in the possession and exercise of all that is peaceful and joyous and lovable. It would be strange if we did not seek to possess them. We are foolish if we do not use them.

Not otherwise pleasure, or the satisfaction of lesser human desires and human needs, is a universal human craving. As we long for those things that are eternally and finally satisfying, so do we long for those things that are of immediate and of contemporaneous value. And this craving is natural. The desire is divinely granted. It is not strange that we want pleasure.

But happiness and pleasure are not necessarily to be found in that (and we shall deliberately circumscribe the application of the word) which we call amusement. Happiness may be far from the heart that is amused. Many a soul that is seared and heavy with sorrow has been amused. But amusement brings such soul no abiding joy and ministers no balm of solace to heal their wounds. Pleasure is not amusement. For a man may find much pleasure outside of that which in the common use and acceptation of the term is called amusement. Happiness is a matter, at the base, of subjective satisfaction. Happiness is centrally a concern of the soul. Pleasure may conserve happiness. But a man may be well pleased and yet not be happy. A man may be amused and find pleasure in the amusement. But a man may be superlatively unhappy though his face may be forced to smiles through the power of amusement.

For amusement is a diversion, a dissipation, an indication of inward discontent. Happiness indicates contentment. The desire to be amused is very nearly always an indication of the incapacity of a man to achieve happiness.

The church expresses happiness in the terms of eternity, of divinity, of conscience. The happiness of man is, in the mind of the Church of Jesus Christ and in the light of His truth, dependent upon its perdurability, its divineness, upon the clarity of the conscience of the man who possesses it. In the conception of the church happiness is eternal, it is the gift of God and a force that propels man nearer to God; it cannot be enjoyed except the conscience of men are void of the consciousness of their unworthiness before God. A man is not really happy unless his soul is satisfied in an eternal fashion, unless he has the joy and peace that are the gift of God unto those who love Him and who keep His commandments as his innermost possession, unless his mind and heart are certified of his personal acceptability before God.

The church expresses righteous and worthy pleasure in the terms of the conservation of that which is eternal, the promotion of that which is divine, the satisfaction of duty. Any pleasure that does not augment happiness is unworthy. That is to say, that if our pleasures militate against our growth in that which is eternal and divine, if they dull our consciousness of the imperatives of the Almighty that are law and life to the human soul, they are unrighteous.

Now, the Church measures amusements by these same standards. She asks us what our amusements do to afford us a larger vision of the eternities, to increase our certainty of the reality and of our self-possession of divinity, to draw us into correct relationships with God. By these standards we have a right to measure our amusements and by these judgments they must stand or fall. If they can meet these tests they may remain steadfast and they will. If they cannot be justified by them or squared to them they will fall and they ought to. For life is short. Time advances. Opportunities come and go. There is much to be done. We must do it. We have little time to waste. Our efforts must tend, be they little or momentous, to the enlargement of humanity's comprehension of those things that are eternal and divine. If happiness lies in the achievement of these graces we have stipulated then we ought to be about the Master's business.

No country in the world needs the white light of publicity and philosophy and of uncommon sense to glare upon its amusements more than America. For we are amusement crazy. Our catch-penny, tinseled, gaudy summer places of amusement are evidence of our amusement fever. Our theatres are jammed with people who want not to be compelled to think or to be brought face to face with reproductions of real life in miniature. They go largely to be amused. Our amusements are almost wholly superficial. They minister to the needs of the mind that is momentarily surfeited, to the jaded spirit. They are strictly temporal. They are very nearly always inexpressibly cheap and tawdry when we sift them to the bottom. They are unrelated to duty. For they are primarily intended to aid us to forget duty.

Of our multitude of amusements we shall consider four: the card table, the dance, the theatre, the racetrack. And they are taken for consideration, not because they are per se evil, but because they have become perverted, because they are the means of entertainment for the mighty majority of our population, because there is wide difference of opinion as to their morality and propriety in the hands of Christian men and women or of anybody else to-day and under present social conditions.

It is scarcely necessary for me to say that a pack of cards in itself is not evil. It is far from my purpose to insinuate that either the dance, the theatre or the race is, under proper and normal conditions, wicked. They become so, however, when men control them. It is far from my intention to assert that these forms of amusement are incapable of proper use and that the host of moral, well-meaning Christian people who indulge in them are not perfectly sincere. I have seen card games that were harmless, and horse-races that were above reproach, and theatrical performances that, with a little reformation, could have been immaculate, and dances in which it was perfectly safe for young men and women to glide through the mazes of the waltz. But on the other hand, I am painfully conscious that I became disgusted with cards because of the profanity, the unbridled vulgarity, the total incapacity for self-control, the trickery, the dishonesty, of those who played the game. The questionableness of most of the performances upon the American stage make it necessary for even a grown man who possesses any remnants of self-respect to secure a theatrical Baedeker before he attempts to go to see a show. I have seen so many pure, gentle, lovely girls (not in dance-halls, but at the dances of approved and conventional society of the best type) locked in the embraces of lecherous, villainous men whom they would not allow within a yard of them in the seclusion and privacy of their own parlors, that I have passed from wonder to disgust. Any one who has ever taken a good, honest, long look at the class of men who frequent the racetracks of a metropolitan district will be convinced, if he never was before, that the average of the devotees of the turf go to the track least of all to see the "ponies run." If gambling was disallowed by law at the tracks half the racing associations of the country would go out of business.

All these amusements are supplied in some measure by church people. All of them have been so perverted that they have become stumbling blocks to human souls. For they have led many a man over the brink of wretchedness into the depths of despair. And these men have not infrequently fallen into the meshes of iniquity because of the ostensibly harmless pastimes of Christian men and women.

As an obsession it is paltry for me to say that they are wholly evil. For we are agreed that when they are allowed to dominate a life they are of the devil. The question is, shall the Church sanction them or shall she ban them?

Let us look them over one by one. When did a game of cards minister to the enlargement of our consciousness of that which is divine and eternal? Or when did it increase our sense of responsibility to the world or God? Or when did the theatre or the dance or the race? Seachingly, honestly!

The truth is that the more we are aware of divinity and eternity, the more exalted our conception of the demands of conscience, the less we need these things and have time for them. We find our happiness elsewhere; we secure our pleasure through unquestionable channels. We neither care nor need to be amused. When I know that amusements are stultifying the spiritual efficiency of the people of God, when I see the flagrant perversions of the amusements of the day that exist, then I am persuaded that the fathers were right to condemn these things with no uncertain sound. And I am further convinced that it is not only the duty of the Church to denounce them, but also to transform and purify them. I am certain that it is our duty to divert the energies of the multitude from following their cheap amusements to the service of Almighty God

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

INTERNATIONAL LESSON COMMENTS FOR SEPT. 29 BY THE REV. I. W. HENDERSON.

Review of the Lessons From July 7 to September 22, Inclusive—Golden Text, Ps. 103:8—An Epitome Helpful to Students.

July 7.
1. The charm of Israel's history lies in its humanness.
2. Israel sighing for slavery.
3. The wonderful providence of God.
4. Israel in the wilderness only an example.
5. Israel's experience has profound spiritual significance.
6. We are all human like Israel.

July 14.
1. The ten commandments eternal.
2. The first commandment.
3. The second commandment.
4. The third commandment.
5. The fourth commandment.

July 21.
1. The fifth commandment.
2. The sixth commandment.
3. The seventh commandment.
4. The eighth commandment.
5. The ninth commandment.
6. The tenth commandment.

July 28.
1. Moses on the mount pleading for Israel.
2. The golden calf a lesson and a warning to America.
3. God's providence has made America possible.
4. Some would seem to lay it to men.
5. America has a golden calf.
6. It is not a dream calf.
7. America needs to recognize God.

August 4.
1. The tabernacle.
2. The place of meeting.
3. The tabernacle holy.
4. A clean priesthood.
5. God's presence.
6. Men as tabernacles.

August 11.
1. The drunkenness of Nadab and Abihu.
2. Liquor a snare.
3. To be let alone.
4. Nothing gained by its use.
5. The liquor traffic should be abolished.

August 18.
1. The fact of sin.
2. Confession of sin
3. Forgiveness of sin.
4. Forgetting of sin.

August 25.
1. The preparation.
2. Israel prepared.
3. Hobab invited.
4. The invitation of the church.

September 1.
1. Israel's attempt to enter Canaan a failure.
2. God allows the spies to be sent.
3. The spies report.
4. The land was what God declared it to be.
5. Two men saw success.
6. We should be like Joshua and Caleb.

September 8.
1. Doubting Israel is confounded.
2. The brazen serpent is suggestive.
3. Results of sin bring Israel to her senses.
4. Salvation was simply effective.
5. So is Christ's salvation to-day.
6. Israel and we make a mistake to progress without God.

September 15.
1. Moses' address a masterpiece.
2. Book of Deuteronomy majestic.
3. Love for God.
4. Teaching children.
5. God's gifts.

September 22.
1. Moses' death pathetic.
2. Death sad but joyous.
3. God's promise fulfilled.
4. Moses work finished.
5. Joshua called.
6. Moses' exemplary manhood.

Big Steamship is Burned.

London, By Cable.—The Japanese steamship Taifu Maru is burning at Ching Kiang. Many of the crew and passengers are missing and most of them are probably dead according to a dispatch to the Lloyds. The number of dead is estimated at one hundred.

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Late News In Brief

MINOR MATTERS OF INTEREST

Joshua Harrison, who was sentenced to 20 years imprisonment for kidnapping little Kenneth Beasley, shot and killed himself in a hotel at Norfolk, Va., on learning that the North Carolina Supreme Court had refused to grant a new trial in his case.

Commutation of the sentence of a Paris murderer from death to imprisonment gave rise to large street demonstrations.

A plea for guarding milk at its source was made by Dr. Henry L. Coit of Newark at the milk congress in Brussels.

Four fresh cases of cholera occurred in St. Petersburg three proving fatal.

The Social Democratic Congress opened at Essen, Germany.

A new telephone line of 60 instruments will soon be in operation in the Northern Neck and will extend from Oak Grove and Colonial Beach to Fredericksburg, Va. The new service will include points on both the Rappahannock and Potomac rivers.

The tomato crop in the section surrounding Fredericksburg, Va., is the largest and best for many years. The canning factory of Robert Bros., of Baltimore located here is being worked to its full capacity.

Capt. Henry Fitzhugh a conductor of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac railroad will move to Fredericksburg, Va.

Thomas D. Dix who was injured by falling beneath a car at the Potomac yards having his right leg mangled died at the Alexandria Hospital as the result of his injuries. He was 50 years old and had resided in Alexandria all his life.

A coal mine on Paint creek near Charleston, W. Va., has been burning for 45 years.

The Loop and Lookout Railroad was incorporated with $100,000 capital stock.

Calvin Barties was found beaten and unconscious in his buggy several hours after having received his month's salary.

A colored woman died after being overcome by gas and remaining unconscious 180 hours.

Separate movements have been launched to purchase and preserve the "Jeff" Davis and Lee homes.

Twenty-four lives were lost in a wreck on the Boston and Maine near Cannaan, N. H., due to a mistake in a train dispatcher's office.

The Chicago Tribune's New England straw ballot among Republicans shows Taft and Hughes overwhelmingly in the lead.

Dr. Harry Friedenwald at a meeting of Zionists scored a man supposed to be Jacob H. Schiff for his antagonistic attitude toward Zionists.

Ex-President Cleveland is reported to be taking daily drives accompanied by a nurse whenever the weather permits.

Furman J. Stout who rose from brakeman to general manager of the Lake Shore Electric road in Toledo is dead.

The National Association of Manufacturers has given out a statement denying that its $500,000 fund is intended to crush labor unions.

Local option is to be the chief issue in the Deleware election.

A movement is on foot in North Carolina to overthrow the Democratic party.

Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick the woman who obtained a million or more by fraud and is serving a term in prison became blind during a nervous attack.

Mrs. Mary M. Flagler widow of Gen. D. W. Flagler is dead.

The home of the Philadelphia Eagles was destroyed by fire.

Serious difficulties are splitting the Inland Waterways Commission.

According to a decision in the Boston Supreme Court, H. H. Rogers of the Standard Oil Company is too ill to appear in the $50,000,000 suit brought against him.

On her next westward trip the Lusitania is likely to be pitted against the French liner La Provence.

Philadelphia Baptists have raised more than $100,000 for church extension and missionary work.

Italians fatally wounded a mine boss and his sister in an attack inspired by a grudge and two of the assailants were shot dead by the dying man.

Encouraging reports of the growth of Odd Fellowship are made by the Grand Sire and Grand Secretary.

The Odessa outrages have been resumed two Jews being killed and many wounded.

Pope Pius X has issued an encyclical against "modernism."

The Dominican Congress has empowered its President to act on the $20,000,000 loan.

Postmaster-General Myer stated that he would recommend to Congress the establishment of a postal savings system stamping machines and other postal reforms.

President Gompers of the Federation will issue an appeal for assistance for the striking telegraphers.

Edward H. Strobel has been promoted by the King of Siam.

The Agricultural Department's report showed a decrease in European crops.

The finest gasser yet in the McGraw field at Pruntytown, near Grafton, W. Va., has just been struck. It is located on the Hugh Evans' farm, on land leased by Col. John T. McGraw. The well was down about 2,000 feet and had struck the Gordon sand only about six feet when the gas rushed forth in great volumes.

Taft is the Man.

New York, Special.—One of the guests of President Roosevelt is quoted as saying that the President is still firmly determined not to accept another nomination. The statement is added that possibly his enemies might do something to induce him to run again but not otherwise, Roosevelt is quoted as saying that he regards Taft as the leading candidate but he recognize the growth of the Hughes boom.

KIDNEY TROUBLE

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MR. C. B. FIZER, Mt. Sterling, Ky., writes:

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Mrs. Geo. H. Simser, Grant, Ontario, Can., writes:

"I had not been well for about four years. *I had kidney trouble, and, in fact, felt badly nearly all the time.*

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"I feel that Peruna and Manalin cured me and made a different woman of me altogether. I bless the day I picked up the little book and read of your Peruna."

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The groves of qine,
At ten per week
Were very fine.
The mountain view was grand to see.
But home looks pretty good to me.

The ocean spray,
The rare salt breeze,
At two per day
Were quite the cheese,
I liked to watch the billows foam,
Still, things look pretty good at home.

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G. C. Watson of the Pennsylvania College of Agriculture says: How to increase the productiveness of run-down pastures is a question that is confronting many farmers in the Middle and Eastern States. When we consider the cause of the unprofitable condition of these pastures we cease to wonder that they are not remunerative. Much land in the United States has been cleared of timber that ought never to have been cleared—land that is worth more to produce timber than anything else. This land has been wholly cleared of forests and either seeded artificially or permitted to become seeded naturally to such grasses and other plants as would maintain themselves under the existing conditions. These grasses grew more or less luxuriantly for a time, but finally the soil becomes so exhausted that they are now wholly unsatisfactory. The question now is how to restore the fertility of which the soil has been robbed. The land must be made more fertile through the application of plant food or the growth of leguminous crops, or both. If the land is not to be plowed but to remain in grass undoubtedly the owner should seed the land with clovers and grasses early in the spring. A mixture of white clover, alsike and red clover would undoubtedly be better than either alone. With these may be mixed timothy and June grass. It is probable that nature will seed the land to June grass, but some assistance will help to make a good turf sooner than if left to nature. A thorough harrowing with a spike-tooth harrow before the seeding would be most beneficial. Immediately after seeding apply a top dressing of barn manure. The manure thus applied will not only furnish plant food for the grass that is already on the land and the young seeding but it will form a mulch to protect the young plants and will materially help them to become thoroughly established. If the land is not limed this may be applied as the top dressing some time during the Fall preceding the Spring seeding.

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Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"I have been under different doctors' treatment for a long time without relief. They told me I had a fibroid tumor, my abdomen was swollen and I suffered with great pain. I wrote to you for advice, you replied and I followed your directions carefully and today I am a well women. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound expelled the tumor and strengthened my whole system."

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"I was told by my physician that I had a fibroid tumor and that I would have to be operated upon. I wrote to you for advice, which I followed carefully and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I am not only cured of the tumor but other female troubles and can do all my own work after eight years of suffering."

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