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### Mortgagee's Sale of Land.

Under and by virtue of the authority conferred upon undersigned by a certain mortgage deed dated June 19th, 1919, and due and payable on the 1st day of Oct. 1920, executed by Frank Gibson, Della Fletcher and John M. Fletcher, default having been made in the payment thereof, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the courthouse door in Rockingham on Saturday, the 17th day of September, 1921, at 12 o'clock, the following described real estate:

Beginning at a stake in the northern edge of Shepherd street, C. K. Shepherd's corner and runs with same Shepherd street, 50 feet to a stake; thence in a line parallel with said C. K. Shepherd line, 175 feet to a stake; thence in a line parallel with first line, 50 feet to a stake, thence direct to the beginning. See Richmond county records, book 553, page 506. Also all other lands belonging to the estate of Camus Gibson, dec'd.

This August 17th, 1921.  
 Mrs. E. H. Chamberlain,  
 Assignee

### Administrator's Notice.

Having qualified as administrator on the estate of the late A. H. McDonald, this is to notify all persons holding any claim against said estate to present the same to me or my attorney on or before the 17th day of August, 1922, or this notice will be filed in bar of a recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement.

This August 17, 1921.  
 A. D. SCARBORO,  
 Administrator of A. H. McDonald,  
 Hoffman, N. C.  
 Fred. W. Bynum, Attorney

### Allred with Pee Dee Motor Sales Company.

To my Friends and Customers: This is to advise that I am now with the Pee Dee Motor Sales Co. of this city. I wish to thank you for your past patronage and am glad to advise that I am now ready to continue serving you. When in need of mechanical work, phone me at 219 and you will get prompt and efficient service at reasonable cost.

Respectfully,  
 James Allred.

### Read What U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Says About What Two Rat Can Do.

According to government figures, two rats breeding continually for three years produce 359,709,482 individual rats. Act when you see the first rat, don't wait. RAT-SNAP is the surest, cleanest, most convenient exterminator. No mixing with other foods. Dries up after killing—leaves no smell. Cats or dogs won't touch it. Sold and guaranteed by

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### KEEP OFF HUSSAW FARM.

Trespassers Take Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Hussaw Farm is posted against bird hunters and other trespassers. No mean business about this, and warn the public to give this notice their proper attention.

This, Sept. 7th, 1921.  
 HUSSAW FARM,  
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### Mrs. Keach Tells How She Got to Know Rat-Snap.

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PUSH ROCKINGHAM FORWARD.

## MADAME VALESKA

By MOLLIE MATHER.

The girl did not reappear. Disappointed, Fenton learned that questioners were dismissed after their audience, through a rear door.

His own turn came next. Theatrical, indeed, was Madame's setting. White and small, as a child's, her hands made mystic movements, then Madame Valeska bent above her crystal ball. Fenton told his arms cynically—but she asked him no questions. Madame, in a voice faint and far away as a musical echo, gave voluntary information. Fenton stared.

"The artist," faltered Madame, "the lovely sister—will yet be famous. Fame is worth the price of a pain—or two. After all—not serious. The spirits—they tell me, nothing to do. Tell this sister—who is it? Ah, yes, Lilla—forget the pain—to think nothing of it. To rest—to be with the fresh air and sunshine—I put her fancies aside. That is all."

Fenton sat blinking. Madame Valeska had gone: After the attendant silently dismissed him through the rear doorway, he stood thinking. Then, suddenly and unannounced he entered again the waiting room.

The patients had departed. Still in the shadow of a screen he waited. And after a time, came to him a girl's carefree singing. Into the somber room she came, opening wide to the air, it's windows. Then, amazed, she beheld Fenton. He stood smiling in the eyes of the little gray lady.

"So, Madame Valeska," he said, "that is how you obtain your information. As patient, first in your own waiting room, you hear many confidences."

"Well," shrugged the girl, a laughing note taking the place of former diffidence. "Well, you have heard that I am clever."

**Getting Practical.**  
 "You know Bobbins, the tenor, who used to sing to Miss Skeezicks that every morn he would bring her violets?"  
 "Yes; did he?"  
 "That's what he did, and they got married; and now they're living in the country where every morn he has to bring her two buckets of water and help wipe the dishes!"

**Un-Merriment.**  
 "Wouldn't you like to see an old-fashioned comic opera with a chorus of merry villagers?"  
 "No," replied the census expert. "It would be too untrue to life. Everybody seems to think that in order to be happy he must move into town. There's no such thing as a merry villager."

**Dangerous Game.**  
 "Do you like golf?" asked one of the players at a recent club tournament.  
 "Yes, but it's a dangerous game," replied one of the semi-finalists.  
 "Dangerous? Why?"  
 "I took it up to take my mind off my work; now I have to work hard to take my mind off golf."

**The Human Voice.**  
 "The trouble with the motion picture," said the critic, "is that it does not bring out the thrilling power of the human voice."  
 "It doesn't, eh?" exclaimed the eminent producer. "You ought to come over to our studio and hear the stage director and the stars bawling one another out."

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

# Sunday School Lesson

By REV. F. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.  
 (60, 1st, Western Newspaper Colon.)

### LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 18

#### ABSTINENCE FOR SAKE OF OTHERS (TEMPERANCE LESSON).

**LESSON TEXT**—I Cor. 10:23-33; 14: 8. **GOLDEN TEXT**—Whether therefore ye eat, or drink, or whatsoever ye do, do all to the glory of God.—I Cor. 10:31. **REFERENCE MATERIAL**—Rom. 14:1-21; 2 Tim. 2:1; I Cor. 6:12-20; 9:24-27. **PRIMARY TOPIC**—A Clean, Strong Body. **JUNIOR TOPIC**—How to Win the Race. **INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC**—Presenting One's Body as a Living Sacrifice. **YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC**—The True Meaning of Temperance.

The occasion of this teaching was the uncertainty as to the right attitude toward "things sacrificed unto idols." This problem was most vital while the Christians were in the midst of the heathen, and with some modifications no less vital still. In mingling with society many perplexing questions arise, such as amusement, way of spending Sunday, enjoyment of luxuries, owning stock in certain corporations, etc. Our lesson contains principles adequate for our guidance in all these problems.

It was customary to divide the animal offered in sacrifice into three parts. One part was consumed on the altar, another part was given to the priest, and the third part was kept by the party bringing the offering. The priest's part was frequently sold in the markets. The part which the offerer kept was sometimes eaten at home and sometimes in the court of the temple. The Christian who bought meat in the market was liable to get meat which had been dedicated to the idol god. Then, too, one would be invited to eat socially at the table of someone who had kept his portion of his offering and now set it before his guests. Some with adequate knowledge had no scruples about it; others with less knowledge thought it sinful. The one who has knowledge should bear with the weak one, and at the same time should seek to teach his brother the truth so as to set him free from bondage of superstition. The glory of God should control in all things.

I. "All Things Are Lawful for Me" (v. 23).  
 This declaration is limited, of course, by things which are right in themselves. It is not true that a Christian is free to do those things which are wrong. The Christian can only indulge in "lawful things" as they are expedient and unto edification. As individual Christians we have liberty to do many things which because of their influence on our fellow Christians we should abstain from.

Even with one's self that which is not edifying should be ruled out.

II. "Let No Man Seek His Own" (v. 24).  
 The Christian is under the control of love. The controlling principle of love is unselfishness. The one dominated by love considers the other's interests rather than his own.

III. "Eat the Food Set Before You" (vv. 25-30).  
 It is not incumbent upon us to be on the hunt for occasions of the conscience either of ourselves or others. Exercise your freedom in the enjoyment of all right things which the Lord places before you, but as soon as it is brought to your attention that certain things are to the disadvantage of others, you should desist; that is, exercise self-control.

IV. "Do All to the Glory of God" (v. 31).  
 This is the grand and supreme rule of life for the Christian. The Christian is not at liberty to do that upon which he could not ask the blessing of God. In our eating, employments and pleasures, we should have as our transcendent aim God's glory. How could one ask God's blessing upon the intoxicating cup, dancing, gambling, theatergoing, Sunday idleness, luxurious extravagance, etc?

V. "Give No Occasion for Anyone to Stumble" (v. 32).  
 We should so live that no one can ever say that we have been the occasion of their downfall.

VI. Follow the Example of Jesus Christ (11:1).  
 Christ through love gave up all for the sake of others. He did not please himself. Everyone, therefore, who is a Christian should imitate Him.

VII. The Christian's Body is the Temple of the Holy Ghost (3:16, 17).  
 This great truth is true of the Church as a body, but that which is true of the body is true of the individual composing the body; so the point in this Scripture is the serious consequence of defiling the body.

**To Do Our Best.**  
 God hides some ideal in every human soul. At some time in our life we feel a trembling, fearful longing to do some good thing. Life finds its noblest spring of excellence in this hidden impulse to do our best.—Robert Collyer.

**Patches.**  
 No man seweth a piece of new cloth on an old garment; else the new piece shall be taken away from the old, and the rent is made worse.—Mark 9:43.

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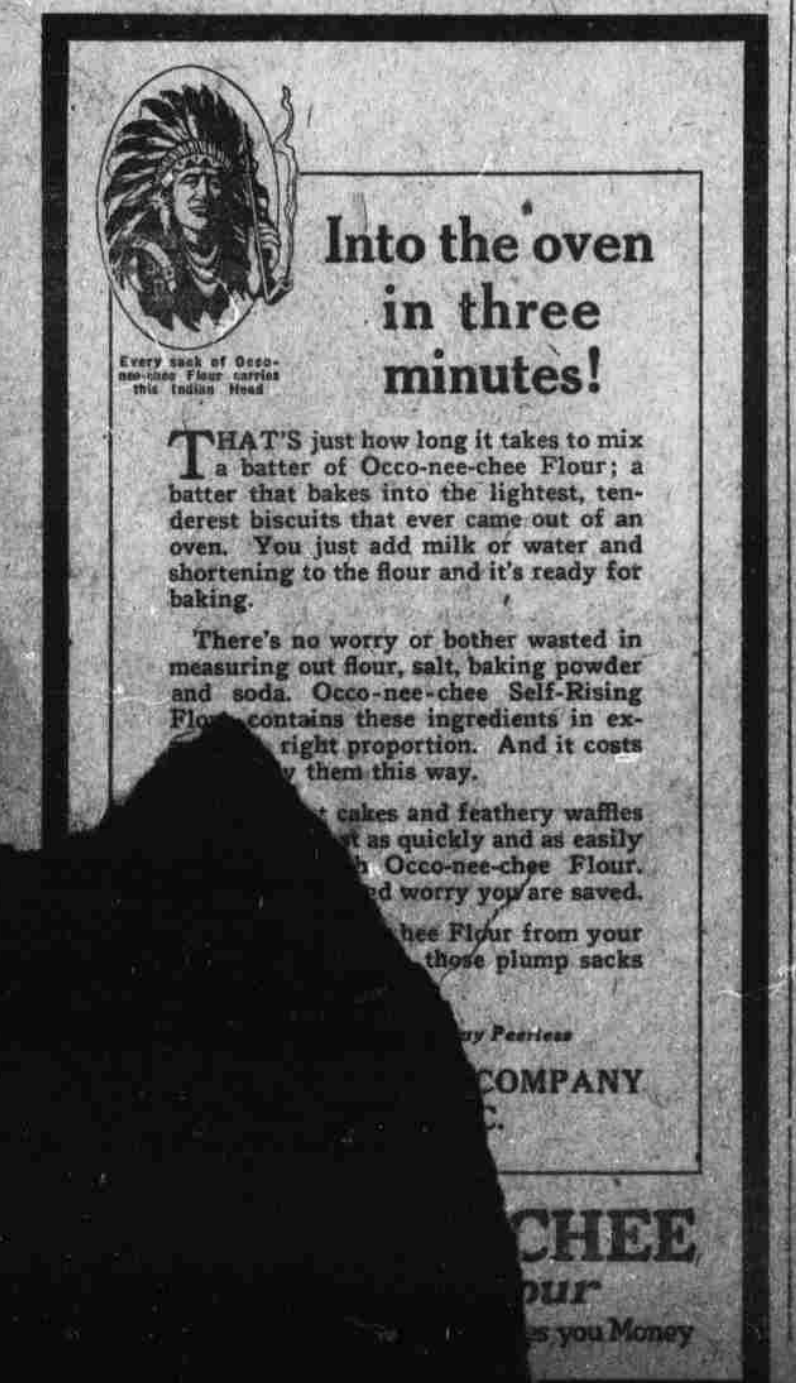
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