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Summer Styles. Patience—I see the suffragettes have come out against the secret ballot. Patrice—Yes, women, as a rule, prefer open-work.

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Was Fun to Chase. A number of drivers of racing cars who were in Louisville to participate in the motor races were present at a luncheon in honor of one of the leading contestants, who told several automobile stories. "But my best story," said the racer, "is about a taxicab chauffeur. This man was discharged for reckless driving and so became a motorman on a trolley car. "As he was grumbling over his fallen fortunes a friend said: "Oh, what's the matter with you? Can't you run over people just as much as ever?" "Yes," the ex-chauffeur replied, "but formerly I could pick, and choose."

NOT NEW.



Daisy—By the way, Frank, that's a lovely waistcoat you have. New, isn't it? Frank—No. Daisy—Strange; I never saw it before. Frank—That's because my brother never called on you.

NO MEDICINE But Change of Food Gave Final Relief.

Most diseases start in the alimentary canal—stomach and bowels. A great deal of our stomach and bowel troubles come from eating too much starchy and greasy food. The stomach does not digest any of the starchy food we eat—white bread, pastry, potatoes, oats, etc.—these things are digested in the small intestines, and if we eat too much, as most of us do, the organs that should digest this kind of food are overcome by excess of work, so that fermentation, indigestion, and a long train of ills result. Too much fat also is hard to digest and this is changed into acids, sour stomach, belching gas, and a bloated, heavy feeling. In these conditions a change from indigestible foods to Grape-Nuts will work wonders in not only relieving the distress but in building up a strong digestion, clear brain and steady nerves. A Wash. woman writes: "About five years ago I suffered with bad stomach—dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation—caused, I know now, from overeating starchy and greasy food. "I doctored for two years without any benefit. The doctor told me there was no cure for me. I could not eat anything without suffering severe pain in my back and sides, and I became discouraged. "A friend recommended Grape-Nuts and I began to use it. In less than two weeks I began to feel better and inside of two months I was a well woman and have been ever since. "I can eat anything I wish with pleasure. We eat Grape-Nuts and cream for breakfast and are very fond of it." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs. "There's a reason." Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest. Adv.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By E. O. SELLERS, Director of Evening Department The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

LESSON FOR NOVEMBER 17 THE GREAT QUESTION.

LESSON TEXT—Mark 8:27-31. GOLDEN TEXT—"Thou art the Christ the Son of the living God."—Matthew 16:16.

The events of this lesson occur in the summer A. D. 29 during the last of Jesus' ministry in Galilee just before his final departure for Jerusalem. It marks a parting of the ways. We have seen Jesus as introduced by John the Baptist; heard him on the Mount as he pronounces the principles of his kingdom; watched him as he called his disciples about him for training; and listened to his great conflicts with the rulers of the people. Already virtually rejected by all save a few faithful friends he seems to test these to see if they are fundamentally right on the two important questions, "Do they recognize me as the Messiah?" "Do they understand that I must die in order to accomplish my mission?" 1. "Whom say ye?" vv. 27-29. Notice, Jesus does not ask those outside of his own circle for testimony. There is a sense in which he is not much concerned about the opinion of the world, but he is tremendously concerned about what his followers believe. His first question (v. 17) is a general one and their reply is likewise a very broad one. To some of us it suggests something of the physical appearance of Jesus. No one can read the descriptive passages about John the Baptist, Elijah or Jeremiah and come to the conclusion that Jesus was other than a man of strong physique, not such a man as is usually pictured for us by the artists. But this introductory question does not satisfy the Savior. It will not suffice for us to accept Jesus as "a good man a little higher than the prophets." Jesus demands a more personal reply, "Whom say ye?" The strength of Christianity is our personal opinion of Jesus the Messiah; the proof of Christianity is our personal witnessing; the test of Christianity is our personal experience.

Peter's Answer.

2. "And Peter answered." v. 29. 1. v. 33. Peter the son of a "timid dove" casts all doubts, prudence and caution to the wind, makes a bold, positive confession, "Thou art the Christ." It is true that both Andrew and Philip had made this same confession (John 1:40-51) much earlier in the ministry of Jesus; but he did not, at least publicly, accept it nor was that sufficient at that period in his life. Peter twice made this assertion previously; once as he made his rash attempt to walk upon the water (Matt. 14:33), and again when many of the followers of Jesus began to desert him. (John 6:69). But now popular enthusiasm is dying out and already the shadow of the cross is resting upon Jesus, indeed it is only six months away. Having elicited this response Jesus commands his disciples to silence, for the time had not yet arrived for them to proclaim it openly. Jesus, however, began "openly" to teach his disciples and the multitude the second great truth mentioned at the outset, viz., the suffering Messiah, (v. 31). Why the imperative "must"—read carefully John 2:14, Isa. 53:4-6, 2 Cor. 5:21, 2 Peter 2:24 and other passages of the same import. His death and resurrection were essential to the whole plan of salvation (Rom. 5:9-10).

What Jesus Said.

3. "He said unto them," vv. 34:1. Jesus here sets forth, as contrasted with the prevalent notions of the Messiah, three conditions whereby men may become his disciples: (1) Self-denial. Jesus was on his way to Jerusalem not to claim authority, but to be rejected, not to assume a throne, but to die. He tells us that we must affirm that we have no reliance upon or obligation to self when it makes its demands, asserts its opinions, or expresses its desire. To deny is to renounce. That is exactly what self-confident Peter did on that last night and three times he confessed his penitence on the shore of the lake. To deny self means exactly what the words imply and not the usually accepted idea of abstinence from food, pleasures and luxuries. (2) Cross-bearing. Let us pause often to think what of pain and torture and ignominy is embodied in that word, "cross." Jesus knew the suffering, the loneliness, the shame; yet he set his face steadfastly to go to "Jerusalem" and bore all of this "with joy" (Heb. 12:2). As though, if possible, to emphasize this thought Jesus gives us a marvelous contrast in verses 25-28. Again self-denial is uppermost, "Tis not self-seeking, self-serving, self culture, but self sacrifice that is demanded. To gain the whole material world, an utter impossibility, at the cost of one's soul, the loss of one's true self, is the bargain of a fool or a mad man. "Eternity begins where imagination ends." "He that doeth the will of God abideth forever." (1 John 2:17). Thus would Jesus emphasize by argument and by illustration that to come after him, to enter this new kingdom for which all have been looking, his disciples must see him as the world's Messiah and follow him by the way of the cross. Once having bartered away the soul (v. 37) what possibility is there of its recovery?

FROM THE TARHEEL STATE

Latest News of General Interest That Has Been Collected From Many Towns and Counties.

Durham.—A contest for postmaster in Durham is now on, following Democratic victory. The vacancy is six months' distant.

Kinston.—All the officers of the Kinston chamber of commerce were re-elected at the annual election by the board of directors of the body. Raleigh.—From Rowan county there comes to the state department of education a report that East Spencer has just carried a special election for a school tax of 25 cents on the poll and 75 cents on property.

Asheboro.—Randolph county gives the Democratic state and national tickets a majority of about 400. Robert N. Page for congress gets about 500 majority. The county ticket elected is Democratic all the way through from 600 to 650 majority.

Raleigh.—Supt. Hutchins of the Greensboro division of the Southern Railway Company submitted to the Corporation Commission for approval plans for a handsome new passenger station for Chapel Hill. It is to cost about \$7,500.

Winston-Salem.—Three men injured, one probably fatally, in an explosion of a gas tank at a local machine shop. William Barrett suffered a broken leg and internal injuries and may die. Percy D. Benbow and J. H. Hamila were badly burned.

Mount Airy.—President Taft appointed Samuel E. Marshall postmaster at Mount Airy. This being a recess appointment as soon as Mr. Marshall makes his bond he will take charge of the office. But his tenure will be no longer than next March.

Wake Forest.—Working on the evidence secured at the trial of Gordon Rhodes, the student senate met and found T. E. Holding, Jr., of Wake Forest, guilty of being in it and accordingly requested his withdrawal from school.

Chapel Hill.—Sixty members strong, representing dailies, weeklies and semi-weeklies from all sections of the state, the University Press Association held its first meeting of the college year in Gerrard hall for the purpose of organization and instituting plans for the year's work.

Newbern.—One of the largest corporation charters issued in several months was issued recently by the secretary of state to the East Carolina Lumber Company of this city. The company has an authorized capital of \$1,000,000 and will begin business with \$50,000.

Winston-Salem.—The meeting of the directors of the Carolina Baseball Association, announced to be held in Charlotte recently, was postponed. President Wear expects to attend the meeting of the national association in Milwaukee and it was decided to await his return before holding the meeting of the Carolina directors.

Charlotte.—The meeting of the stockholders and others interested in the Charlotte Fair Association held at the court house was considered a great success. The amount of stock pledged raised the total to \$25,000, that being the mark set at the beginning of the meeting and the desired amount being \$30,000. It is thought that the remaining 5,000 can be raised within a few days.

Statesville.—Mrs. Milton Cheshire of Cool Spring township, who is between 60 and 70 years old, in Statesville on a shopping expedition, went over to the railway station and saw a train for the first time. Not because she had not had opportunity, but simply because she never took time to go to the railroad, is why Mrs. Cheshire had never seen a train. She had lived within eleven miles of a railroad a long time.

Spencer.—D. M. Harvey, a Spencer flagman, was dangerously hurt at Alta Vista, Va., by a rock being thrown through the caboose of his train. He was struck in the head and the stone cut a gash about six inches long and much blood was lost before medical attention could be had. Several stitches were required to close the wound. Mr. Harvey came to Spencer and reported the matter to the Southern officials and detectives are working on the case.

Sparta.—The official vote of Alleghany gives Wagoner, Republican for the state senate, 29 majority, Doughton 253 majority, Craig 675 votes, Settle 284, Meares 50, Wilson 663, Taft 204, Roosevelt 219, Simmons 405, Kitchin 197, Clark 10.

Hickory.—James B. McCalley, of the Pennsylvania Aviation Company, who failed to make the scheduled flights here during the fair, will make two flights at the Shuford ball-park in the near future. This is done to appease the disappointment of the crowds who came here to see him make his flights during the fair.

Wilmington.—George H. Bellamy, Democrat, is elected to the house of representatives from Brunswick county by a majority of 27. He is the first Democrat to be elected a member of the house from that county in years. Thomasville.—The interstate commerce commission authorized the New Orleans & Northwestern Railway, and others participating in Washburn tariff, number 40, to establish a rate of 26 cents the hundred pounds from New Orleans and Vicksburg, Miss., to Drexel and Thomasville, N. C., on lumber, except walnut, cherry, cedar and mahogany.

OTHERS KNOW US TOO WELL

Easy to Deceive Ourselves, but the Rest of the World is Generally Too Wise.

Senator Pomerene has a happy knack of driving home a statement with an epigram.

At a luncheon Senator Pomerene described a would-be litterateur. "Thanks to whisky and strong cigars," he said, "the poor fellow has failed to make good. He earns a precarious living by newspaper work, but, though he is 50 now, none of the wondrous novels and thrilling stories that he used to prate about have appeared.

"And yet, in his shabby apartment, over a bottle of cheap liquor and a box of cheap cigars, he will boast by the hour—poor, gray, wrinkled dufer—of his unfinished MSS. Oh, they will appear yet! Yes, he will yet illumine the world with the light of his genius."

Senator Pomerene sighed and concluded: "Ah, if we could deceive others as easily as we deceive ourselves, what reputations we'd all have, to be sure!"

SKIN DISEASE ON FACE

Barthell, Ky.—"I had a skin disease on my face, neck and hands that tormented me all the time and when I would get hot the places would burn so that I had to keep my face wet in cold water. It began as pimples and indeed it was disfiguring, for it would get in spots on my face and hands as large as a quarter of a dollar. It would get into blisters sometimes and I sure did suffer. My face burned all the time. It was this way so bad for about six years and I tried everything that I could hear of, but nothing did any good.

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Fashion Note.

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She turned to a crusty-old fellow upon a Louis Seize chair beside her and continued: "I know a woman whose husband growled at her when she tried on a new panner gown for him:

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