

Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1—Giuseppe Motta, who has been elected president of Switzerland for the fifth time. 2—Artillerists of Gen. Franco's insurgent army train guns on Madrid. 3—John D. M. Hamilton of Topeka, Kan., campaign manager for Gov. Alf M. Landon, who has been re-elected chairman of the Republican national committee.

Poster for Boy Scouts' Jamboree



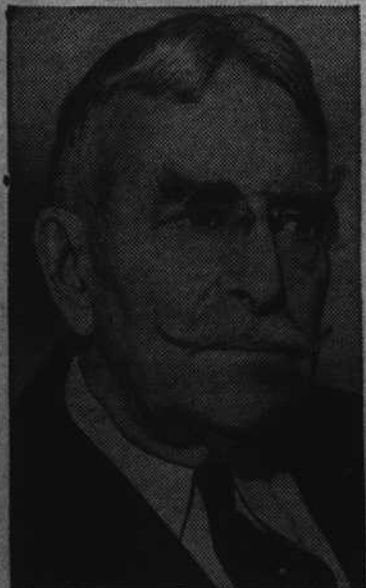
Howard Chandler Christy (left), noted artist and illustrator, pictured as he presented to Congressman Sol Bloom of New York, his poster of the "Ideal Boy Scout." The poster will be placed in every post office throughout the nation, as well as in other public buildings, in connection with the Boy Scouts' Jamboree of 1937, to which scouts will come from all over the world.

COLLEGE TRUSTEE



Mrs. John Appleton Clark, twenty-four years old, of New York city, who was recently elected a member of the board of trustees of Sarah Lawrence college. She is a member of the class of 1932 and the first of the college's alumnae to be elected to the governing board. Mrs. Clark is also believed to be the youngest member of a college governing board in the country.

POLAR HERO HONORED



Brig. Gen. David L. Brainard, the last survivor of Greely's tragic expedition to the Arctic in 1881-84, who was recently named by the American Polar society to be its first honorary member. The Polar society presented General Brainard with a scroll on his eightieth birthday recently.

Wins \$2,000 Argentine Air Trophy



Dewane L. Wallace, Wichita, Kan., (center) receives the \$2,000 Argentine trophy, major prize award of the ninth annual All-American air maneuvers at Miami, Fla., recently. Wallace won the 25-mile race for planes with motors of 500-cubic inch displacement. Awarding the prize are the original donors, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Silva, of Argentina.

Kelley of Yale Receives "Most Valuable Award"



With members of his family as proud witnesses, Yale university's grid star, Larry Kelley, was presented with the John W. Heisman trophy, symbolical of the designation "best all-around player of the 1936 football season." (Left to right) Lawrence W. Kelley, father; Larry Kelley; Walter Conwell, president of the Downtown A. C., who made the presentation; Mrs. L. W. Kelley, mother, and Virginia Kelley, sister.

Improved Uniform International SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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**Lesson for January 10**  
**NEW LIFE IN CHRIST**  
**LESSON TEXT**—John 3:1-17.  
**GOLDEN TEXT**—Verily, verily, I say unto thee, Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God.—John 3:3.  
**PRIMARY TOPIC**—Jesus Answering a Man's Question.  
**JUNIOR TOPIC**—The Most Important Question.  
**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC**—How the Christian Life Begins.  
**YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC**—New Life in Christ.

The only entrance into the Christian life is by the door of the new birth. Regeneration is the act of God whereby the divine nature is imparted to the believing sinner and he becomes the child of God. He who has not entered by this way has not entered at all. He is still dead in trespasses and sins, without God and without hope (Eph. 2:1, 12).

Men are seeking to enter the household of God by almost any other means—culture, reform, character building—and are neglecting God's way. This lesson should therefore be studied and taught with earnest prayer that this foundation truth may lay hold upon the hearts of the hearers of the Word. Let no one who is not born again attempt to teach it to others, lest the blind attempt to lead the blind, and both fall into the ditch (Luke 6:39).

The coming of Nicodemus to our Lord took place at the time when he was in Jerusalem for the Passover. Jesus had chosen six of his disciples, had been at Cana of Galilee, where he performed his first miracle, and had made a brief visit to Capernaum, after which he came to Jerusalem for the feast. In high and holy indignation he had driven the money changers out of the temple. The Pharisees who looked for the coming of the Messiah as a secular conqueror wondered at this new spiritual leader. It was probably as much on their behalf as his own that Nicodemus came to inquire of Jesus. In answering his questions Jesus reveals the necessity, the nature, and the method of regeneration—in other words, the Why, What, and How of the New Birth.

**I. Why? (vv. 1-7.)**  
Jesus was not unduly impressed by the dignity and high station of his visitor, nor by the visitor's courteous acknowledgment of his own position as a great teacher. With decisive boldness Jesus declares that this man, a cultured and distinguished ruler of the Jews, must be born again, if he is to see the kingdom of God.

God is no respecter of persons. This "doctor of divinity" must be born again, just as was the illiterate fisherman. D. L. Moody once said that he was thankful it was to such a man as Nicodemus that Jesus presented the necessity of the new birth—or men would have said that only the down-and-outer needed to be saved.

Two reasons are given by our Lord for the "just" of verse 7: (1) The Kingdom of God is a spiritual kingdom, and cannot be entered by way of our human nature; and (2) "That which is born of the flesh is flesh" and is radically and essentially bad. To learn why the flesh is bad read Jeremiah 13:23, and Galatians 5:19-21. Scripture on this point is almost diametrically opposed to much of the teachings in our schools and colleges. But God's Word is right; let us follow it.

**II. What? (vv. 8-13.)**  
The new birth is a divine mystery, not fathomable by human reason. Those who insist that all spiritual truth be put through the little norm of their intelligence will never understand it or receive its blessing. The striking illustration of the life-giving and energizing wind used by our Lord is most illuminating. Wind is unseen, but the results of its movement are evident. Even so the spiritual rebirth of men is an enigma to the worldly man, but even he can see its results in godly living.

**III. How? (vv. 14-17.)**  
Just as there was healing and life in a look at the uplifted serpent (Num. 21:8), so there is life for a look at the Crucified One. Faith receives God's perfect provision for sin.

Verses 16 may well be regarded as the greatest sentence in the greatest Book in the world. It presents the whole plan of salvation—its source, its ground, its recipients, its condition, and its result.

This glorious salvation is for all men—"whosoever"—but some reject it. Notice that God does not condemn them. Their own evil works and desires condemn them (vv. 17-20). God in his grace is ready and willing to save, but men love "darkness rather than light"; for their works are evil.

**Height of Our Destiny**  
It is from out of the depths of our humility that the height of our destiny looks grandest. Let me truly feel that in myself I am nothing, and at once, through every inlet of my soul, God comes in, and is everything to me.—W. Mountford.

A Trio for the Younger Set



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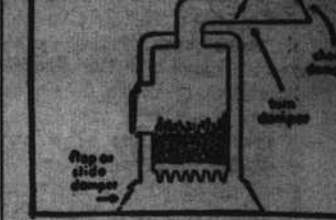
Wine Poured Forth

"**W**HAT can I get out of life?" is the poorest question with which to approach it. No life is worth living on that basis—which is why there are so many disappointed and so many cynical people. The true rule is different: Measure thy life by loss instead of gain. Not by the wine drunk, but the wine poured forth; For love's strength standeth in love's sacrifice, And whoso suffers most has most to give.

Think of ease but work on.

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thin layer. Give it time to burn well and heat the house, then add a full charge of coal. When the gases have burned off, reverse the damper for normal burning. This same rule applies should the fire get very low and almost burn itself out at any time, careful not to smother it with much coal. Open the ashpit damper and close the check damper. When the fire again is burning brightly, shake the grates gently until the first red glow appears in the ashpit, add a full charge of fuel, allow the gases to burn off, reverse the damper—the ashpit damper and open check damper. That's the way to save fuel and cut down trips to the cellar.

**Secret of Living**  
The whole secret of living is to make adaptations as they are necessary. Let none of us try to resist that nothing should ever change.—Jane Addams.

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