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FRIDAY, MARCH 10, 1922 - -

The sales tax proposed by President Harding to finance the soldier bonus has created a great division among certain classes of people. It has proved much comment for and against. We admit that we are heartily in favor of such a tax because it has been tried out in Canada with marked success. In this country it is largely a political issue, opposed by weak-kneed congressmen that have not the courage to take a stand for a proposition they know will work to the benefit of the whole country. With them it is votes first. If the Republican congress was for it the Democrats would oppose it and thus make an issue of it.

The other day we read an article in opposition to this plan from H. C. McKenzie, taxation expert for the American Farm Bureau-Federation. Mr. McKenzie takes the view that because 90,000,000 people only have an average income of \$330 and that the aggregate per capita tax of \$70, including state and federal taxes, for the average family is \$350, or somewhat more than the average income.

Mr. McKenzie thinks the small percent of the country's population with the taxable incomes would live at the expense of the majority with the lesser income. He thinks the small wage earner would pay out of proportion to that of the rich man.

We have had a fair trial of our system of indirect taxation. The excess profits and the income tax are but samples of it. These 90 million people Mr. McKenzie refers to have suffered greatly in having to pay a high price for clothing, food, shoes, and almost everything else. Even though their wages were increased they were no better off. If these same 90 millions are the buying power of the country for the products of the farm and the factory they cannot be benefited by either the income or the excess profits tax.

If the land owners of this country want to stay the day for single or land tax some other system must be given out and tried than what we have had. Governments require so much money and if it cannot be raised one way it must be the other. If all this people are not willing to pay this war debt and the bonus to the soldiers it cannot be collected from one class, alone.

Since the war men of great foresight have discovered that a critical situation is confronting this country. They have planned through various organizations that the people must be educated as to the responsibilities of the electorate towards the government. Much of our municipal, county and state debts were authorized by a class of non taxpayers. Indirect taxation made this possible. If the people had a direct federal tax they would be more interested in the government.

Here is where the sales tax would play an important part in this campaign. It would do for the States what it has done for Canada, and we doubt if Canada has a higher average wage per family than we have. It could not be with the United States the richest country in the world.

It has been argued that by a sales tax the soldiers would only be helping pay their own bonus. To our idea their is no way for any citizen to be a part of this government, draw any financial benefits and yet not have to pay directly or indirectly for it.

Suppose the excess profits is restored as some have suggested. The man that handles the wool adds the tax. The manufacturer of the wool into clothing adds his tax. The company that makes up the cloth into clothing adds his tax. The jobber adds his tax. The retailer adds his tax. And Mr. Consumer pays a sum total of all these taxes with cost of goods and profits. Just so with everything we wear or eat or whether we buy machinery for the farm or factory.

With the sales tax you have but one tax and it is collected but once. If the sales tax is placed in a fair manner before the people we believe it would become a part of our laws. Demagogues are using it to frighten the people to gain favor to retain votes and remain in office. The congressman that straddles the issue should be defeated. We favor but one tax and pay it direct and not try to make ourselves believe we are not paying a tax in buying an article when in reality as a consumer were paying equal to all that everyman has paid.

President Harding is to be commended for his stand. He has shown moral courage to stand by what he thinks is right for all the people irrespective of the consequences. The opponent of the sales tax must even grant that the President is not playing possum on the issue.

**HOMBY PHILOSOPHY**

Some people think, and some people think they think. Some people read, and some people think they read when they just meander through the garden arm in arm with great men and never pick a flower. We'd listen with ears wide open if we could have a talk with Napoleon, but we don't listen when we meet him in a book and have all the time in the world to think about what he said and did. We are trying to find out what brings success and what results

in failure, and the lesson is right under our nose. If we really read we can soon learn what characteristics brought greatness to men and what brought others into bubbles that float up to popularity and then blew up. Seems as if there's something in meeting dead ones as well as live ones.

**IN A NUT SHELL.**

Young man, there is one thing you cannot do. You cannot make a success in life unless you work. Older men than you have tried it and have failed. You cannot loaf around the street corners, smoke cigarettes, tell smutty stories and sponge someone else, without making a failure in life. You must learn a trade or get into some honest business. If you don't you will become a chronic loafer and there is no place in the successful world for loafers. The choice fruit is at the top of the tree and you must climb if you get it, or some smarter man will pluck it from you. Do something! No matter how small or how low the wages, it will be a starter. Help yourself and others will help you. There is no royal road to success. Will, grit, energy and endurance are the qualities that lead to it.

**Philip Points the Way**

By CLAIRE SMITH

It was a great shock to the Van Nordens, when Henry Bowes, Mrs. Van Norden's father, announced by letter that he had sold his farm and was coming to live with them in their house on Fifth avenue.

"Ishaw, Molly, we can stow the old gentleman away somewhere," said John Van Norden. "I guess he's pretty lonely up there in Coburns," he added. "I shouldn't like to have to live all by myself at eighty."

"But he'll teach Philip such dreadnought manners," protested Molly.

"Well, what are we going to do, dear?" asked her husband.

"I suppose we'll have to take him," said Molly. "But I shall make it perfectly clear to him, the moment he arrives, that he is not going to display himself before our friends and make us ridiculous, after all the trouble we've taken to get into the right set."

This was duly explained to Henry Bowes—"Hank" Bowes among his cronies at the local store. The old man put his not too clean hand on his daughter's shoulder and looked kindly at her.

"My dear," he said, "I ain't going to disgrace you, don't fear it. It's you I want—you and John and Philip. I'm going to make myself scarce when there's swell company around."

He had included Philip in his summary, but Molly Van Norden was determined that he should have no opportunity of corrupting the boy's manners. Nevertheless, with that curious attachment which frequently exists between those of the extreme ages of life, Philip and the old man sought each other's company continually. Philip learned to whistle whistles out of wigs, to blow out the leaves of a certain plant into "frogs," and surreptitiously acquired candy would fall out of the boy's pockets when he was undressed at night. And the more Molly tried to keep him away the more he sought his grandfather's company.

After six months or so Molly came to a determination. "John," she said, "Philip is learning the most disgusting table manners from father. He makes a noise with his soup and bites his bread instead of breaking it and—well, John, father is not going to sit at table with us any more."

So thenceforward grandfather ate his meals in the next room in solitude. The old man, roaming about the house, gradually became a disintegrating factor in the family.

"John," Molly announced one day, "I have decided to send father to an institution."

"My dear!" said her husband in remonstrance.

"Oh, I knew you would offer objections, John. But I don't mean the poorhouse. I mean a home where in-

firm old people are taken in and well cared for. Don't you see how childish he is becoming?"

"How about Philip? Don't you suppose that they will miss each other?"

"I hope they will," his wife retorted. "I mean them to, John. He is no fit companion for a child."

Happily, neither the old man nor the boy knew what preparations were afoot. Henry Bowes remained as much of a nuisance as before. It was not till the day before his departure that the child learned from the servants that "grandfather was going away."

At that instant the first inkling of life's tragedy entered the little brain. He crept away, into the walled garden at the back of the house. Soon he was alone. His mother and father found him there later. He had constructed a sort of picket fence from some stakes left in the tool shed by the gardener. Inside this was a packing case.

"What's this, old chap?" asked John.

"That's a table!" answered the boy.

"Table? What do you want a table for?" inquired his mother.

"That's for father, when he's old, so that he won't let me see the way he eats," said Philip.

"And this is a cage like the one grandpa was in?" he continued, pointing to the row of sticks. "That's so he won't make a darned nuisance of himself when I have company."

Molly Van Norden looked at her husband speechlessly. Then she turned away and ran into the house. She found her mother and father looking at her, sobbing hysterically.

"John, did you understand?" she moaned. "What does it mean?"

"I guess it means your father's going to take his place in the family from today," answered John Van Norden, kissing her. "Don't you think so, my dear?"

Molly nodded.

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An Australian father has just completed the construction of a motor car, which is what they call an automobile in Australia, for his son.

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Now, it ain't occurred to my restless mind, that I would like to be left behind, an' let some feller with slower pace, go on a-past me, an' win the race! And I wisht somebody would tell me why I should let the rest of the world go by.

In fact, I never was much of a hand to trail in last, at the jedge's stand. I'd dather arrive like a lightning' flash, and watch the slow ones end the dash! There ain't no glory, none—says I, in lettin' the rest of the world go by!

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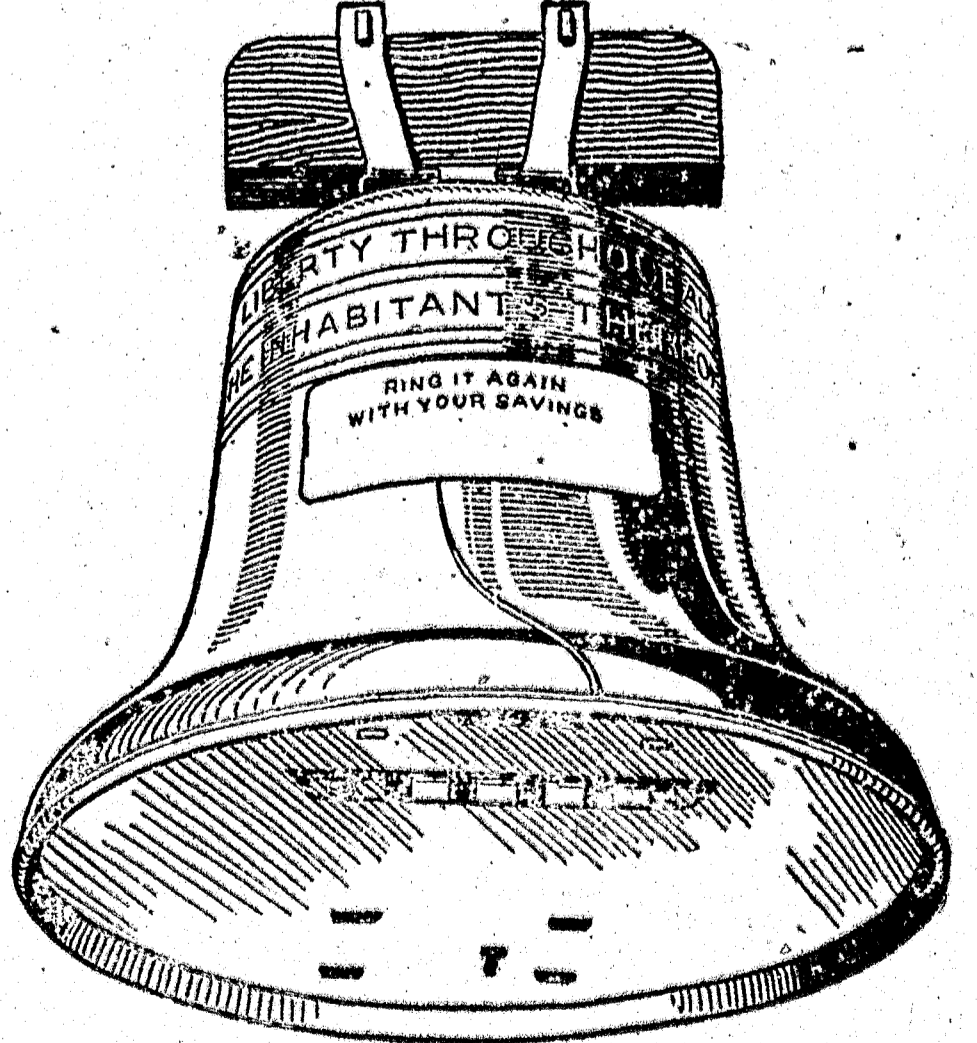
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**Sunday School Lesson**

By MARVIN ST. JOHNS

**LESSON FOR MARCH 12**

**AMOS WARNS ISRAEL (TEMPERANCE LESSON)**

**LESSON TEXT—Amos 6:1-6.**

**GOLDEN TEXT—Wine is a mocker, strong drink is raging; and whosoever is deceived thereby is not wise. Prov. 31:6.**

**REFERENCE MATERIAL—Isa. 5:11, 12, 21, 22; Jer. 41; Hos. 4:11; Gal. 3:21-22; 1 Tim. 3:3; 1 Pet. 4:3.**

**ILLUSTRATION—God Sends Amos as a Prophet.**

**JUNIOR TOPIC—A Prophet Who Was a Friend to the Poor.**

**INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—The Consequences of Self-Indulgence.**

**YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Social Evils Yet to Be Conquered.**

The kingdom of Israel reached a high state of prosperity in the time of Jeroboam II, and with it came a condition of luxury, corruption and wickedness.

The judgment of this lesson is directed against the people of Samaria. The same sins are practiced in America, in the nation and in the church. With the increase of wealth in America has come luxury, corruption and gross wickedness which staggers the imagination. It behooves all to give a hatching eye for the inevitable coming judgment. Our lesson is a temperance lesson. Temperance applies to other things than indulgence in intoxicating liquor. Our age is intoxicated with pleasure, pursuit of gain and selfish ambition.

**1. Reckless Security (vv. 1-3).**

They were blind to the peril that surrounded them. They were living in a fool's paradise, closing their eyes to the approaching storm of judgment as predicted by Amos. They trusted in the mountains of Samaria for their protection. They regarded the city as impregnable. They had no doubt regarding the utterance of Amos as impracticable—the dreams of a fanatic.

The tragic thing about this blindness on the part of the chief ones of the nation was that they were so puffed up with pride that they failed to read the signs of the times in the light of history (v. 2). The cities of Calneh and Hamath, though great and mighty, had fallen. To disregard the lessons of history, to dismiss the thought of impending judgment, is to bring near the "seat of violence" (v. 3). Let chaotic Europe and Russia be the red lights of warning to America, and let all injustice and class selfishness be laid aside.

**2. Luxury (vv. 4-6).**

The luxury of these upper classes in Samaria expressed itself in: 1. Extravagant furniture (v. 4). They had beds of ivory—perhaps wood inlaid with ivory. Costly as their furniture was in that day, it was commonplace as compared to some of the expensive furniture and fittings in our great cities.

**2. Lavishness (v. 4).** They stretched out their beds, they stretched out their lives of indulgence. Such is the way of many still.

**3. Feasted on delicacies (v. 4).** The implication here is that they had their delicacies out of season. This is what many of the rich prefer themselves in.

**4. Adorn their feasts with music (v. 5).** They sang idle songs—even invented musical instruments for this purpose. They prostituted the noble art of music to their sensual feasts.

**5. They drank wine (v. 6).** They were not content with ordinary drinking vessels. They drank from bowls, indicating excessive drinking. They were so mastered by the intoxicating cup that their feasts which were adorned with the refinements of music ended in drunkenness.

**III. Failure to Grieve for Joseph (v. 6).**

Joseph here stands for Ephraim and Manasseh, his two sons. Ephraim became the principal tribe of the northern kingdom. Joseph is used as a synonym for the nation. The upper classes were indulging in these effeminate luxuries, entirely indifferent to the groanings of the masses. And whenever such a condition exist in a nation there is need of Amos to thunder God's judgment upon those who are guilty of it.

**IV. The inevitable issue (vv. 7, 8).**

**1. They shall go into captivity (v. 7).** The northern nation was first in sin, therefore first to go into captivity. What a striking contrast this picture! Instead of lying on ivory couches feasting upon delicacies, they are with the suffering exiles.

**2. The certainty of the issue (v. 8).** It is inevitable because of God's nature. He is a God of justice. He has sworn that judgment shall fall. He is the God of hosts—the controller of the whole universe, therefore none can escape. God hates the wickedness of the world, and He will bring into judgment the men and women who revel in luxury with no concern for the poor and needy. Though God waits long, He does not forget. The only escape for America is repentance.

**Abide in Him.**

And now, little children, abide in Him; that when He shall appear, we may have confidence, and not be ashamed at His coming.—1 John 2:28.

**Great Mischiefs.**

Great mischiefs happen more often from folly, meanness, and vanity, than from the greater sins of avarice and ambition.—Burke.

**Chance to Be Saved.**

Don't despair of student if he has one clear idea.—Emmons.

**The Place for the Hat.**

"My hat is in the ring!" exclaimed the energetic campaigner. "Friend," said Farmer Comstock, "I'm gettin' just a little bit tired of bein' agitated and instructed. 'I come of a large family. This settlement is full of my kin and I've got first and second cousins scattered all over the state. When we had a family powwow we control a whole lot of votes. So if I was you, I'd go an' get that hat out of the ring and stand around here with it in my hand."

**Individualism.**

You can give other people your advice but you can not give them your experience. You can give them your remedy, but you can't give them your wisdom. Perhaps this is just as well, since each is to live his individual life and make his own best achievement out of it. The man with the ten talents certainly has taken care of those of his fellow-servants as well—there would have been no loss, but also there would have been no use for the other servants.

**The Missing Jewels**

By MARVIN ST. JOHNS

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"Which does Mae like best?"

"Two evenings in the week, Rufus Dodge, Saturday evening and Sunday, Worth Bartley."

"And the rest of the time?"

"Well, I think young Bartley is the favorite. He should be—a fine, manly fellow, ambitious, earnest and handsome. Not that Dodge is in any way bad. Some time ago, however, he won a prize in a foreign lottery."

"How much?"

"One thousand dollars. He has salted it away in bank, all right, but he boasts of it constantly; brags of his luck and, mark me, with the speculative fever latent in his veins, will some day lose it just as easily as he got it."

Thus two members of the social circle in which pretty Mae Winston was the belle and Bartley and Dodge worthy and popular members. They were a theme of a good many discussions but all these were completely overshadowed the day succeeding to that upon which the foregoing conversation took place. The parties to the same met again.

"What do you think of the latest?"

"The diamond robbery up at the Becket?"

"Yes. They say the burglars got a box of jewels worth \$20,000."

"Whew! That's some value."

"Here's a printed description and reward offered—\$5,000 for the recovery of the gems—double that for the additional conviction of the thieves."

"It almost tempts a fellow to play the detective."

Then two evenings later a new excitement set the village all agog. Bartley had been found wounded and insensible in a waste piece of ground about a mile from the village.

Meantime, Rufus had come into a new experience. He called at the Winston home one day and sought a private interview.

"I've got something very confidential to tell you, Mr. Winston," he said. "I've got a chance to make \$4,000."

Went on Rufus, rather excitedly.

"It's a pretty fine plan for a start," encouraged Winston.

"I've got a chance to get the stolen diamonds."

"Hey!" stared the farmer.

"Yes. Now this is a secret. You see, it's only at a stage of negotiations, so far. A stranger came to me, one of the thieves, I am sure. He wanted me to act with caution. He said that the stolen jewels had been so widely advertised by description that the thieves were afraid to offer them for sale. He has agreed to turn them over to me and have me verify them through the printed description for \$1,000. I think it's a good speculation."

"It's hooliganing with thieves," suggested the wily farmer.

Rufus drew his thousand dollars out of the bank. He was to meet the supposed thief four days later. Worth went up and about.

When he came to put on his clothes Worth discovered his possessions all right except in one particular—a small locket that had been attached to his watch chain, was missing. It had contained a picture of Mae.

The case began to clear away in his mind. Finally, clearly, came the strongly memory began to develop the chain of circumstances, obscured until now since he was struck down. He went out into the warm sunshine, walking slowly, bent on reaching the spot where he had been assaulted. Half the distance was covered when his face brightened and his pulses stirred deeply as he saw coming towards him the woman he loved.

Mae was overjoyed to see him conversing, and told him so.

For the first time she learned from his lips the story of his recent mishap. It seemed that while nearing the spot they had now reached he had seen a light among some bushes. As Worth investigated, he observed a man take from the hollow of a dead tree a box. He opened it with a chuckle.

"I don't know what possessed me," he told his fair companion, "but some impulse made me seize the box. I ran. There were wild shouts, and the first man I saw was just arrived, probably to share the hidden plunder, pursued me. Just about this rugged spot I stumbled and fell. The box flew far from my hands. The men came up, dealt me a stunning blow and—this is the spot where it all occurred."

Mae aided him in his search, silent and impassioned. A sudden cry from Worth brought her to his side. Grouping beside a big boulder, his hand had brushed back a dense growth of grass and had touched—the box of jewels, where it had rolled the night of his adventure!

Together they proceeded to the office of the lawyer who had advertised the reward. It was to face a vast surprise. There, dismayed, speechless, stood Rufus. He had just brought in the jewels he had purchased from a scheming thief.

"Patsy," said the lawyer—"a fair counterfeiter, even to the initials. You have been cleverly swindled, my friend."

"If I could only find that lost locket!" said Worth, as they left the lawyer's office.

"You value it so much?" murmured Mae, wistfully.

He caught the expression of her face, then her hand. And Mae did not take it away until he had told his love.

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**Origin of "White Elephant"**

The king of Siam in years gone by would send a white elephant to a courtier whom he disliked and whose fortune he wished to destroy. The man could not sell the elephant and the expense of keeping it eventually "broke him up." From that custom was handed down our present day saying, "He's got a white elephant on his hands."

**Job for a Statistician.**

Some day a clever statistician may publish some appalling figures showing how much time is wasted at railroad depots by folks who arrive on time for trains that are late.—Des Moines Register.

**Down to Brass Tacks.**

When a compositor exhausts the type in his "case" and "gets down to brass tacks," it means that he is down to rock-bottom, or gone the limit.

**Job for a Statistician.**

Some day a clever statistician may publish some appalling figures showing how much time is wasted at railroad depots by folks who arrive on time for trains that are late.—Des Moines Register.

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**LOCAL AND PERSONAL**

Mrs. K. B. Rader of Dayton, spent Thursday visiting relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Turnbull entertained about twenty-five friends last Friday evening at dinner.

For Sale: Duroc sow and 10 pigs. Inquire of Pearly Wigal on the farm formerly owned by William Barber.

J. V. Tarr and family entertained at six o'clock dinner Thursday evening: Mr. J. W. Johnson and family; Dr. O. P. Elias and family and Mr. P. M. Gillilan and family.

Miss Helen Townsley of Dayton has been the guest of relatives here this week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Barton McElwain last Friday. It has been named Dorothy May.

Oscar Battersfeld is able to be out again after a spell of acute indigestion that laid him up for several days.

Lost: Tires and rim for Dodge car, 32x3 1-2. Finder please report to Cash Gordon.

Announcement Spring Millinery Opening, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 9-10-11. Inspection invited.

Osterly Millinery, 37 Green St., Xenia, O.

All income tax reports must be in by the 15th, next Wednesday.

Get your light bulbs at Galloway's Electric Shop, 62 W. Main st., Xenia, Ohio.

C. G. Bitzer and Son of Washington C. H. held a remarkable sale of Hampshire sows a few days ago. It was their first sale and the 40 head averaged \$94, the highest of any sale this season in the state.

We have few men about town that are as active for their age as John G. Grindle, who celebrated his 72nd birthday, Tuesday, Mr. Grindle has been the janitor of the college buildings and custodian of the institution property for several years and is a faithful servant looking after things as if they were his personal property.

The faculty and students on Tuesday presented him with a purse in honor of his birthday and in recognition of his service to the institution and the students.

In a recent issue of the Etude, a musical publication we find a fine likeness of William and Samuel Pickrel with an article by Robert Brain, a noted violinist on fiddling contests. The article states that the Pickrel boys each were given a violin by their mother when nine years old. One played right handed and the other, Sammy, left handed. Sammy has been called to his reward while William is very feeble.

Leave your films with me for development. First class work guaranteed. C. M. Ridgway.

**OHIOANS ARE SAVING MONEY**

Buy 15 Per Cent of All Savings Securities Sold in U. S. During January.

**POSTMASTERS WERE BIG AID**

More Than \$100,000,000 Worth of Government Savings Securities Coming Up For Redemption in Ohio Within Next Ten Months, Buckeyes Make Great Thrift Record.

Columbus, O.—(Special).—Ohioans are not particularly hard-up, according to an announcement from the savings division of the United States treasury department that the Buckeyes bought 15 per cent of all the treasury savings certificates sold in the United States during January. Praise for the record sale is given Ohio postmasters, who since the beginning of the sale of government savings securities in 1918 have kept Ohio the foremost state. Under the leadership of Lew Wallace, Jr., the new national director of savings, the sale of government savings securities in the United States has increased greatly. The new securities issued in place of War Savings and Thrift Stamps, which were discontinued at the beginning of this year, are provided.

per capita sale of \$16.99; Frank V. Miller, Xenia, per capita sale of \$12.44; R. T. Stone, Zearville, per capita sale of \$10.75.

Ohio using 1921 sold 15 per cent of all the savings securities sold in the United States. The Buckeye state since 1917 has absorbed more than \$149,000,000 worth of these securities, of which amount \$100,000,000 will be up for redemption Jan. 1, a sum five times greater than the "soldier bonus."

Treasury savings certificates are sold at all postoffices at flat prices of \$500 for a \$1,000 certificate maturing in five years; \$20 for a \$100 certificate, and \$20 for a \$25 certificate. These certificates are free, both as to principal and interest, from all local and state taxes. If held until maturity they pay 4 1/2 per cent compounded semi-annually, but if cashed prior to maturity they pay 3 1/2 per cent.

Unexpectedly in horse on a Saturday evening. After hunting with a boy until after midnight he gave up in despair. The next day, somewhat dejected at his loss, he went into the pulpit and took for his text the following passage from Job: "Oh, that I knew where I might find him." The boy, supposing the horse was still the burden of thought, cried out: "I know where he is. He's in Deacon Smith's barn!"

**Simple Remedy for Drunkenness**

Drunkenness in church is often caused by poor ventilation. Try to choose a seat where fresh air is assured. To keep awake in church when inclined to be drowsy, lift one foot a little away from the floor and keep it there. It is impossible to go to sleep with the foot poised in the air. This simple remedy is very effective.

Spud Murphy's Girl.

Spud Murphy says: "I don't mind that girl of mine being stuck on her folks, but I'm darned if I know why she thinks that every time I call it's up to her to bust out the family album."

—The Leatherneck.

Oh, Dear! Such Language.

Little Marion had been visiting her aunt and she had enjoyed herself exceedingly. Taking her leave she enthusiastically remarked: "Oh, Aunt Kate, I've had an unmentionable aunt."

—Boston Transcript.

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"Trade at Home"

"Katy Did?" Did what? Be sure and find out when "Katy Did" comes to the opera house.

Mrs. J. B. Winter of Xenia spent several days here this week with relatives.

For Sale: Furniture, rugs, stoves, etc. in the room on South Main street formerly occupied by the Exchange Bank, on Saturday, March 11.

Fred Clemans.

Ohio farmers are asked to conduct a drive this spring against flies as a pest. Eliminate all fly breeding places and start the drive the first week of April. One fly killed in April means six trillion flies in September.

We note that a few Xenia boys have received their bonus checks and according to the Gazette they are the first to arrive in the county. Some of our boys received theirs three weeks ago. However the rest are slow in coming.

Mrs. E. E. Post of Waynesville, and Miss Hazel St. John of Dayton came over to attend the college play and visited with Mrs. Anna M. Townsley.

Mrs. S. C. Wright has been called to Idaville, Ind., owing to the critical illness of her mother.

Would you wait for years and years for a lover? Come and see if "Katy Did?"

The many friends here of Miss Helen Bradfute, who underwent an operation at a Xenia hospital, more than a week ago, are pleased to hear that she is greatly improved.

Dr. J. O. Stewart was called to Cincinnati the last of the week owing to the illness of his brother, S. L. Stewart, who has been poorly for some time.

"Heavens, I hope I remember the steps." What, the cellar steps? Come and see "Katy Did" at the opera house soon.

Wm. Conley, who purchased the David Shroades property some time ago, is preparing to wreck the building preparatory to start the erection of a modern home this spring. The house to be demolished is one of the landmarks in that section of town, and was erected about 55 years ago. It was in the possession of the Shroades family about fifty years.

Notice to the public—Those who desire the services of the H. A. Barr undertaking firm can call by phone. We are prepared to answer calls any time. A new line of spring millinery has been placed on display at the furniture store and is ready for inspection.

Mrs. H. A. Barr

The local dairy organization held an interesting meeting in the Exchange Bank Community hall last Friday evening. A Dayton speaker was present and gave some new information on the dairy subject, particularly the marketing of the product. The farmers have been between two forces and by not standing as a unit have not had a square deal.

**HIGH SCHOOL NOTES**

A short "pop" meeting was held Friday to take the students into tune for the game that night. Three new yellows were introduced. Thanks to Lawrence Anderson.

More pep! Monday found us all feeling fine except five or six who could not stand the exertion of the games Friday night. Now don't anyone say our HI boys can't play ball.

The girls squad are the proud owners of new basketball suits. Let's hope it will inspire them tonight.

The Freshmen are preparing for their literary which will be held next Thursday night, March 16 at 7:30. You will have a chance to show your appreciation for our programs, so come with a well filled pocket.

It has been requested that the board install cuspidors for certain members of the Bible class. It is thought when these are purchased that our school will be received upon the accredited list.

Daily experiments are being made by the Domestic Science class especially a few. Ask Hester how sal-soda serves as a substitute for corn starch?

How's this for a combination of astronomy and mechanics? Mary L. says: "An astronomical clock is at Strasburg."

Great excitement has been aroused as to how Catherine Smith is going to the tournament. Walkin's good.

Be sure to go to the game tonight. The boys and girls both play Ross High. The game will be played in the HI gym.

**DEATH AND LIFE GO HAND IN HAND**

Death stalked hand in hand with life when, a short time after Mabel Mills, 14 daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mills of the new Burlington pike, had passed away as the result of serious burns, sustained two weeks ago, a baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mills to take her place in their hearts.

It was while dusting the mantel over the fireplace to help her mother that little Mabel's clothing ignited from the fireplace and the child was terribly burned over her entire body. It was thought at first that she would live, but she grew worse gradually until death came Sunday at 10:30 A. M. Mr. and Mrs. Mills are the parents of five children, who survive Mabel.



**LEW WALLACE, JR.**

ing very popular and are being bought by thousands of investors.

The following Ohio postmasters have been announced as leaders in the sale of government savings securities in their respective classes:

First Class Offices—Roscoe Carle, Fustoria, with a per capita sale of \$29.50, total sales \$30,500; R. M. Allison, Cambridge, with a per capita sale of \$21.33, total sales of \$41,000; Frank Harper, Mt. Vernon, with a per capita sale of \$22.20, total sales \$20,175; S. A. Kinser, Columbus, with a per capita sale of \$1.93, total sales of \$48,725.

Second Class Offices—A. J. Price, Gloucester, with a per capita sale of \$9.20, total sales of \$23,540; A. O. Earley, Woodfield, with a per capita sale of \$5.87, total sales of \$16,450; Frank Miller, Paulding, with a per capita sale of \$2.95, total sales of \$12,370; H. J. Blackmore, Pomeroy, with per capita sales of \$5.16, total sales of \$23,000.

Third Class Offices—John L. Wilson, Marengo, per capita sale of \$13.42, total sales of \$3,325; James G. Bell, Frankfort, per capita sale of \$12.15, total sales of \$2,650; G. R. Jackson, Gambier, per capita sale of \$12, and total sales of \$5,600; Owen Livingston, Richwood, per capita sale of \$10 and total sales of \$16,000; G. C. Wolfe, Racine, per capita sale of \$9.55 and total sales of \$4,825.

Fourth Class Offices—Fred Ficker, Cove, per capita sale of \$105; J. V. Smalles, Triway, per capita sale of \$31.10; C. V. Mulholland, Wilkeville,

**Bible's Place in the World.**

Bacon furnishes more than seventy allusions to the Bible in twenty-four of his essays. Addison, Johnson, Pope, Young, Browning, Tennyson, abound in Scripture. "For more than 1,000 years" says Coleridge, "the Bible, taken collectively, has gone hand in hand with civilization, science, law—in short, with the moral and intellectual cultivation of the species, always supporting and often leading the way."

Once Powerful Empire.

No country, not even Egypt, made a deeper mark in the history of the ancient world than Mesopotamia. For thousands of years it was the seat of the Assyrian and Babylonian empires. To the bountiful resources of nature its peoples added those of art and science, and the country during the centuries waxed not only in material wealth and military power, but also in culture. The ancient glory of Mesopotamia has passed, but the glamour remains.

Had the Spirit of Thrift.

What a quaint jumbling of thoughts on waste of power must have been in the mind of the little girl who said half her prayers one night, and then was interrupted. She stopped, began all over again, and then, struck by the strangeness of the repetition, looked up and exclaimed, "There now! I've wasted half my prayers."—London Morning Post.

The "Liberty" Age.

Liberty day is usually thought of by Americans as July fourth and Liberty year is recalled from our histories as 1776, but statistics indicate that the liberty year of men and women differs. The average age of men seeking divorce is thirty-four and the average age of women on the same quest is twenty-nine.



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**RETIRED FARMER DIED AT HOME IN JAMESTOWN, MONDAY**

George Welmer, aged 78, well-known farmer of Jamestown, died Monday morning after an illness of four years from a complication of troubles. He was a native of Alance Lorraine, France. At 19 he came over with his parents. He has always resided in this county. He was a man of high standing in his community and a member of the official board of the M. E. church in that place. He is survived by his widow; Fred of James town, formerly of this place, and two daughters, Mrs. Charles Thomas of Wilmington and Mrs. Mrs. Charles Ewry of Dayton. One sister, Mrs. Catherine Enslay of Springfield also survives. The funeral was held Wednesday, the services being in charge of Rev. Horn of Hamilton, formerly of Jamestown.

**SMALL POX SURROUNDS US**

Reports indicate that Dayton and Springfield are having their share of small pox. A case has developed in the Clark county jail while different factories in Dayton are infested with it.

Mr. and Mrs. William Patterson of Dayton are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rittenour.

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**GRAIN COMPANY STOCK.**  
HOLDERS MEET DIRECTORS

The annual meeting of the Cedarville Farmers Grain Company was held Monday in the Exchange Bank Community hall, about fifty being present. Reports of the business for the past year were read which showed that the company had a profit against the lower inventory of the stock in line with present prices. The company had a deficit from the year previous and this was wiped out with a number of improvements made and paid for during the past year.

The plant has been improved and changes made that will prove more economical than in the past and the prospects for the present year are very bright.

In the election of directors Wm. Cowley was re-elected. William Hopping succeeds Harvey Bailey, who becomes secretary and treasurer and Frank Townsend succeeds John Pitstick, who is now the manager of the company. In the organization R. C. Watt was re-elected as president, he having held this position since the incorporation of the company; Frank Townsend, vice president; Harvey Bailey, secretary and treasurer.

Lee Fawley has resigned his position with the company and B. E. McFarland takes his place.

**COUNCIL SETTLES THE PUBLIC DUMP QUESTION.**

Council met in regular session Monday evening, all members being present. Reports were received and the usual monthly bills paid.

One of the problems before council has been the public dump and it seems this has been settled and the village will use the Ervin dump. It will be under the direction of the Shingledecker brothers. A price for night soil of 75 cents a barrel has been fixed by council and only these two men will be licensed to do this work. This plan was suggested by Dr. Grube of the County Health board.

The mayor was instructed to see that the ordinance against coaster wagons and roller skating be enforced. Numerous complaints that old people were in danger has caused this action to be taken. The public is to receive a warning by this action.

**ORCHESTRA COMING.**

The Willmore Orchestra will give an entertainment Tuesday night in the A. M. E. church as a benefit for the church. The congregation has a quota of \$100 to raise on the building fund of the university to rebuild the Shorter hall that was destroyed by fire several months ago and the proceeds of this concert go for this purpose. It is a worthy cause and should be given liberal aid.

**Freedom's Beginning.**

The free institutions of ancient Greece and Rome had long been dead when our Anglo-Saxon forefathers, on the little island in the North Sea, began holding their witenagets, or assembly of the wise men of the kingdom. In the early days of the Normans, when feudalism was in flower, national affairs were dealt with by a national council, composed of the high officers of state and feudal barons, and presided over by the king.—*Montreal Family Herald.*

**Real Estate.**

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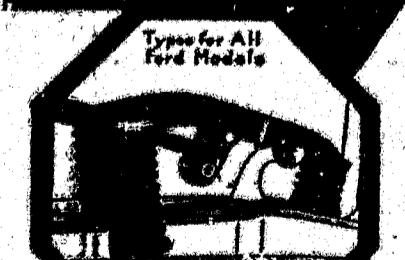
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**XENIA PLAYERS COMING.**

The famous Xenia players will give a four act Western drama, "Tommy's Partner" in the opera house Monday evening. The Xenia players have appeared here on several occasions and proved very satisfactory performers. If you have not seen them go Monday night.

**BRAKEMAN KILLED.**

James M. Tuttle, 28, of Boring, Ky., Paissy brakeman, was killed at 3:30 Monday morning when he was swept from his train while leaning out of a car investigating a hot box. The bridge was four miles west of Xenia.

**REV. J. S. HAGGARD TAKES EXCEPTIONS TO REPORTS**

We are in receipt of a letter from Rev. J. S. Haggard, Columbus, formerly of this place, stating that he had gotten into trouble. The Rev. states his side as follows:

"I write you to say I heard from different people that come from the little 'City' to Columbus, that I had gotten into serious trouble. I learned that 'Justice' had plumed the line and I was doing time in the Ohio pen. For charge of cutting a man's throat or had shot and killed a man. I take great pleasure to tell you its 'true'. I did not cut any one's throat but I shot and killed a man, yes two men, yes 76 men and women. From Deut. 28:8. Rev. 24:6. Rev. 22:11. I did my crime not a crime that displeases the law but a crime that displeases the old Satan, having closed a 10 days meeting at Pilgrim Baptist church, Crawford street, Columbus, that was my success.

Mr. Bull I can't understand why such a report like that could be. I am respected in this city very highly by both white and black. I was ordained October 15, 1921 into the ministry with a grade of 98 per cent as a Baptist minister. I have been called to take charge of a church in Taylor, O. Just was in conference with Dr. Fiam pastor of the 2nd Baptist church asking me to help him to foster his revival. He is one of the most prominent preachers of the city.

I trust you will inform the many friends who are interested in my reform and also the vocation in which I now am trying to master. Tell my good Christian friends, white and black to pray for me in the struggle to bring souls to Christ and to help to beautify the Kingdom of Jesus Christ. May God bless the one who put out such a false report. But Rev. 13 chapter and last verse is true. 'The beast is a man'.

I have a barbershop at 337 E. Main street with manicurist, hairdresser, shoe shining parlor and pressing shop. I am an assistant teacher of a Bible class and a rotary public. I number among my friends, Clerk of Court Harvey Guchenbach, William Jones, Chief of city prison, Guy Winegartner, Clerk of Supreme Court and the Hon. Gov. Davis.

Rev. J. S. Haggard.

**THEATRE NOTES.**

Playgoers of Southwestern Ohio have their long-awaited opportunity to see "Lightnin'" when John Golden presents his famous record-smasher at the Victory theatre, Dayton, for a week beginning Sunday, March 19. Mail orders are now pouring in for the engagement and for the protection of out-of-town people they are being filled as soon as received. The box office sale will open Saturday, March 11.

Dayton is one of the few cities to be included in a limited tour of the special cast that Mr. Golden has assembled to introduce "Lightnin'" to London in the spring. It is headed by Milton Nobles in the role of Bill Jones, the lovable old yarnspinner and inebriate whose slow movements give the plot its title, and Bessie Bacon, daughter of Frank Bacon, as the divorce-seeking vaudeville actress. Both appeared frequently during "Lightnin'"'s historic run of three years at the Gaiety theatre on Broadway. Adhering to his established policy, Mr. Golden had steadfastly declined to organize duplicate or No. 2 companies for a quick cleanup of the country with "Lightnin'". A few of the principal cities will be visited by the London cast before sailing out as in the case of "Turn of the Right", "Three Wise Fools," and other Golden successes, smaller cities will be compelled to wait a long time to see the play that broke the world's record with its 36 months' run on the Great Whiteway. In fact it is doubtful if "Lightnin'" will ever be presented in the smaller centers. Its massive courtroom and Nevada mountain settings require unusual stage facilities.

Playgoers of today can no more afford to miss "Lightnin'" than those of an earlier generation could have missed "The Old Homestead." Like that splendid old classic, "Lightnin'" is based upon clean fun and homeheart interest and its character are the same natural, lovable types that Winchell Smith created in "Turn of the Right". In fact both plays reflect the genius of Mr. Smith as author and director and the production to be seen in Dayton was staged under his direction. The company is the same that presented "Lightnin'" in Cincinnati recently and its Dayton engagement will mark its last appearance in Ohio. Matinees will be played on Wednesday and Saturday. The prices will be: Nights 50c to \$2.50. Saturday matinee 50c to \$2 and Wednesday matinee 50c to \$1.50; these prices do not include war tax.

**Modern Art.**  
The 'Grille' (darkly)—There's one handy thing about this modern art—the less you study it the better you understand it.

**Differences.**  
A difference between a man and a child is that the man weighs more and isn't so happy.—*Ackison Globe.*



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These two days will be YOUR days, to look around, to visit the stores—great and small, to learn all about the charming new spring fashions, the lovely new materials, the fascinating things in home decorations and furnishings—in a word, all the material luxuries and comforts that will add to the joy of living in the coming months.

The most exquisite creations that Paris has inspired and the foremost makers of America have developed—the most modern and desirable equipment for the home, will be presented in an unparalleled variety that will make your visit delightfully interesting as well as profitable.

Visitors will receive a hearty welcome and unfailing courtesy.

*For those who come in automobiles parking space has been arranged for. Large parking spaces at Ninth and Sycamore and on the East side of Sycamore, between Fourth and Fifth streets have been set aside for our visitors. Bring this ad with you; it will entitle you to the privilege of parking your car free of charge.*

If you are interested in Spring Fashions—  
If you love beautiful things for yourself or for the home—  
If you need new and helpful appliances in your house—  
you will be well repaid for a visit to Cincinnati!

## Cincinnati Retail Merchants Association

**Native Surgery.**  
Binghi, a native of Australia, was never much of a surgeon, according to a correspondent in the Sydney Bulletin, yet he liked mutilating himself or his wife. In the old tribal days operations of all kinds were practiced, from the simple one of breaking a tooth off to mending a broken limb. Others were bestial and indescribable. The New South Wales North coast tribes always appointed a fisherman in each family. This worker was known by the absence of two joints of the little finger on her left hand. Strong spider-web was tied round the second joint and left on till the flesh mortified. When that had taken place the finger was held in the opening of an ante's nest till it was eaten away.

**Doing the Big Things.**  
Most people stand in awe of the big things of life. The great mass of mankind is satisfied if he can stand on speaking terms with genius. Only the few realize that genius is consecration to a task until it's mastered. The great inventions of the age are mere feats of discovery and patient experiment. If they were "plain as day" everybody would be in the limelight. It's only when men have advanced beyond the realms of great things that they bring them into undiscovered territory. There is where the new things are. If you are afraid to advance you just naturally fall into the ranks of the ordinary and the commonplace.

**Tree's Bark Resembles Lace.**  
The inner bark of the lacquer tree, growing in the West Indies, separates after maceration in water into layers resembling coarse lace. Frills and ruffles made of it were sent from Jamaica as a present to Charles I. The bark is used in making ropes and whips.

**Nature's Police Force.**  
The following excerpt from Fabre's "The Story Book of the Field," gives a little insight into the many beneficent uses of the commoner field animals: "The bats deliver us from a host of enemies, and they are outlawed. The mole purges the ground of vermin; the hedgehog makes war on vipers; the owl and all night birds are clever rat hunters; the adder, the toad and the lizard feed on the plunderers of our crops." Thus nature supplies the husbandman with an efficient police force.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

**Reindeer's Skin Valuable.**  
Not only is the reindeer prized highly for its flesh, but the skins are valuable for glove-making. Tanned with the hair on, they are very light, and robes made from the soft tanned skins with the hair on are for weight probably by far the warmest covering known. These might become extremely useful as automobile robes for winter in colder parts of the country.

**Make Your Own Opportunities.**  
When you feel the fancied greater opportunities of other fields tagging at your sleeve just hold a short conversation with yourself and remember that it's the man and not the luck that achieves success. You will then decide that there is nothing better than the work you are doing and that you make your own opportunities by the spirit you put into your task every day of the year.—*Selected.*

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