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## A GRACIOUS ACT

Mr. John H. Young, without ever letting the world know about it, is frequently doing something nice for some one else. He has within the past week, and purely voluntary on his part, contributed the lovely Geo. W. Young residence to the Presbyterian college for a president's home as a memorial to his departed brother. This beautiful place on South Broadway adjacent to the entrance of the college campus is one of the most desirable and attractive pieces of property in the city and ideally situated for the purpose for which it has been given. It will be a useful and treasured gift to the college and the announcement of this interest and generosity on the part of the donor will be warmly received by the many friends of the institution.

Those who know Mr. Young understand fully the motives that have prompted him in his bequest. The modest gentleman that he is, he never claims credit for any of the fine things he does. His charities are always done quietly and unpretentiously.

## MR. TAFT SPEAKS

William H. Taft, Chief Justice of the United States Supreme Court, asked to point out the most disturbing element in our national life, said it was "the materialistic philosophy which places wealth and worldly success ahead of every other consideration of life."

This materialistic philosophy holds in it the secret of the crime problem. Unless it can be controlled, it will darken the future. It is a menace to civilization.

Asks Justice Taft, "What can it profit a man to have accumulated millions if he has not at the same time maintained a clear conscience and acquired the good-will and esteem of his fellow citizens?"

The Chief Justice believes that the American people will find a way to solve the perplexing problems before them.

We share his optimism. After all, the disturbing element of materialism is present, but also there is a strong literary and scientific trend among Americans. The recent extraordinary discoveries and inventions and artistic achievements give proof that we are not to be drowned in a sea of materialism.

True enough, the crime situation, growing out of this materialism, is acute. But the majority are not criminals. It is only the minority who see no need of maintaining a clear conscience and acquiring the good-will and esteem of their fellow citizens!

## INTEMPERANCE

Public attention has been so long centered on the intemperate use of alcoholic beverages that the word "intemperate" has lost its broad meaning among a great part of the populace. If one were to ask the average person to define the word the definition most frequently given would be "to drink to excess," or something to the same effect.

Compare this popular understanding of the word with its definitions as found in Webster's dictionary:

"Indulging any appetite to excess; immoderate in enjoyment or exertion; ungovernable; immoderate, inordinate; as, intemperate language, zeal, etc."

So it becomes evident that one may be intemperate in many different ways. There are intemperate eaters, intemperate smokers, intemperate workers, intemperate sleepers, intemperate idlers, intemperate spenders, intemperate talkers, intemperate thinkers, intemperate reformers; and finally there may be intemperance in anything.

In an essay on "The Evils of Intemperance" appears the statement:

"The history of mankind has shown that intemperance is the greatest evil which has afflicted the human race. Yet this is the lesson that mankind from age to age and from generation to generation persistently forgets. Spiritual intemperance unlooses the forces of hate, bigotry, oppression, tyranny, and the like, any and all of which have potentialities for evil in civilized communities that may be compared only with the physical intemperance that weakens and destroys barbarous or semi-civilized peoples."

Victory in civilization's war against intemperance—in the use of intoxicating liquors, as much as is desired, will not abolish all intemperance. There are other forms that are equally as devastating and intolerable.

## Dr. Frank Crane Says—

### THE PASSING OF THE HORSE

It seems as if the day of the horse is about over, at least in the city.

For centuries the horse has been the symbol of speed and power. He was transportation. The oldest sculptures represent rampant battle steeds, and heroes have generally been sculptured riding on horses.

But this age of motor cars is finding him too slow. We may love horses and delight in them, but apparently they are bound to go.

Agitation is now taking place in London to ban the slow-moving horse-drawn vehicle from the crowded streets.

One daily paper says: "Officialdom stands by idle while every day lumbering horse-drawn vans and carts cause long traffic blocks in congested thoroughfares. The loss and inconvenience caused by the traffic delays are incalculable, and yet nothing is done to ameliorate the nuisance."

In some congested regions of Paris, such as the Place de l'Opera and the Place Vendome, horse traffic is banished within certain prescribed hours.

The indictment against the horse seems to be that he is slow and that he is dirty.

There is strong support for the suggestion that London should follow the example of Paris.

Others would banish the horse if only for the sake of the animal. One cannot watch without pity horses struggling on the slippery streets.

They are often stationary in the traffic blocks with their noses just above the exhausts of motors giving out foul fumes which have been known to kill human beings.

Altogether it looks as if this age of rapid transit is going to do away with the horse, which has been called "the greatest friend of man."

## BILL TO BORROW MILLION DOLLARS

For Relief of Farmers in Stricken Areas; Would Enable Them To Use Revolving Fund.

Columbia Jan. 19.—A bill to authorize the state finance committee to borrow \$1,000,000 or as much as may be necessary to create a loan fund to be used in the purchase of cotton seed, fertilizer and poison for the farmers in any stricken area in South Carolina and to provide for the distribution of the funds among the counties and to provide for the collection and return of them to the state treasury, was introduced in the senate Friday by Senator W. C. Hamrick of Cherokee county, Senator F. D. West of Abbeville, and Senator Broadus Thompson of Oconee.

The measure provides for the determination whether there exists in any given county a substantial number of farmers who have suffered an unusual loss in the conduct of their business and whether a stricken area can be said to exist in that county, this determination to be made by the county delegation. Upon such determination the delegation is authorized to appoint a commission of three to ascertain the approximate amount of cotton seed, fertilizers and poison necessary, reporting their findings to the farm extension department of Clemson college.

It further provides that the duty of the extension forces of Clemson college will be to co-operate with the warehouse commissioner in the purchasing, testing and distribution of

the seed, fertilizer and poison. It provides that where more than one county has suffered from a calamity it shall be the duty of the extension department to apportion the fund then available among the counties.

The terms of the bill provide that the duties of purchasing the necessary supplies shall devolve upon the commissioner of agriculture, the state warehouse commissioner and the secretary of the board of fertilizer control of Clemson college. The state finance committee is empowered to pledge the credit of the state in securing the loan.

Under the terms of the bill, farmers desiring aid under the act shall make application to their county commission and upon approval of his application and his giving a crop mortgage the supplies are to be shipped to him at cost, plus 2 per cent. administering charges, his obligation to bear an interest rate of 7 per cent.

## Mellon Gets Lash From Senator Harris

Washington, Jan. 18.—The first prohibition debate since the election broke forth in the senate Thursday with the dries transformed into critics of enforcement, leveling their attacks chiefly at Secretary of the Treasury Mellon.

The bone dry Senator Harris, Democrat, of Georgia, in urging his deficiency bill amendment to give the dry \$25,000,000 more than Mr. Mellon says he wants, amazed the wets by calling prohibition enforcement a "farce" and declaring that for every old time saloon there are now 50 to 100 bootleggers.

Veteran wets, like Reed, of Missouri, and Bruce, of Maryland, were not sure they had heard the Georgian correctly. Bruce facetiously a short time ago took Prohibition Commissioner Doran at his word and proposed to give him \$270,000,000 to police the country. Harris, taking the same matter seriously, wants to have \$25,000,000 more to hire agents.

He had the senate clerk read a letter ex-Governor Pinchot, of Pennsylvania, wrote, in 1927, denouncing Mr. Mellon as an obstructionist to enforcement and citing the former Mellon interest in whiskey distillers.

Harris charged that the dry law is being violated "ten times as much as it would be if we had the proper number of field agents."

"The secretary of the treasury," he said, "is one of the best financiers in this country, but he has been in that office eight years and he has not recommended the appropriation of one dollar additional to enforce this law, when every man and woman in the country knows the bootlegger is worse than the bar room formerly was because there are 50 bootleggers where there was one bar room and the law would protect us to a certain extent from certain things that occur in the bar room. Later Harris raised his estimate to 100 bootleggers per bar room."

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## CLINTON HI SPLITS WITH ABBEVILLE

Local Boys Basketball Team Defeats Opponents, While Girls Outfit Drops Opening Game.

The Clinton boys won their second basketball game of the season by defeating Abbeville boys, 14 to 12, in a slow and listless game, both teams missing the basket frequently, and fouls were numerous on both sides.

Grady Adair was the outstanding player of the game, scoring seven points, with Seigler of Abbeville, second with five points, while Lockman of Clinton, and Hall of Abbeville, both scored four points.

The Clinton boys defeated Bailey Military institute last Friday night. Abbeville (12) Clinton (14)  
 F—Perrin (3) Lockman (4)  
 F—Hall (4) Adair, G. (7)  
 C—Pressley Pitts (3)  
 G—Seigler Adair, K.  
 G—Chalmers Ott  
 Substitutes: Abbeville, Neuffer and Bruce. Clinton, Dillard and Davis.

Whitnire boys will come to Clinton Friday afternoon, January 25, and will meet the local boys at 5:30 in the college gymnasium.

## Girls Game

The Clinton high school girls basketball team opened the season Monday afternoon with a defeat at the hands of the Abbeville girls, 41 to 28. Johnson for Abbeville, was the outstanding scorer of the afternoon with 34 points to her credit, while Carter for Clinton, scored 24 points.

Abbeville (41) Clinton (28)  
 F—Gambrell (7) Carter (24)  
 F—Johnson (34) Copeland (4)  
 C—Garnet Aughry  
 C—Harrison Ray  
 G—Tiddy Ross  
 G—Resse Blakely  
 Substitutes: Abbeville, Maxwell, Clinton, Pinson and McCrary.

## CAMPBELL LODGE TO MEET FRIDAY

Campbell Lodge No. 44 will hold its regular meeting Friday night, Jan. 25, at 7:30. All members are urged to be present.

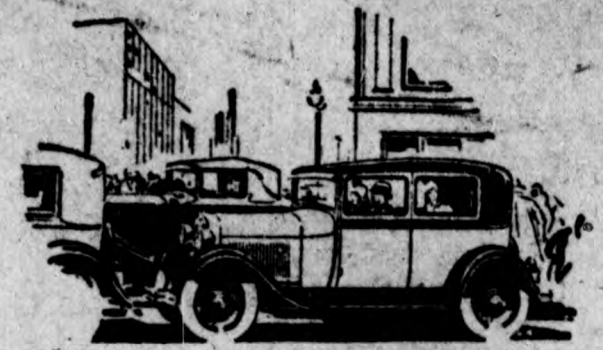
V. P. Adair, Secretary.

## Raisin Puffs

1 cup seeded raisins, one-half cup butter, 1 cup water, 2 eggs, 2 tablespoons sugar, 2 cups flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder. Sift dry ingredients, add melted butter to water and beaten eggs, then add flour, beat well and add raisins. Divide into 8 cups, steam for half hour and serve with sauce.

WHAT DO P. S. JEANES DO?

# Safety, silence and simplicity are features of the new Ford six-brake system



ONE of the first things you will notice when you drive the new Ford is the quick, effective, silent action of its six-brake system.

This system gives you the highest degree of safety and reliability because the four-wheel service brakes and the separate emergency or parking brakes are all of the mechanical, internal expanding type, with braking surfaces fully enclosed for protection against mud, water, sand, etc.

The many advantages of this type of braking system have long been recognized. They are brought to you in the new Ford through a series of mechanical improvements embodying much that is new in design and manufacture. A particularly unique feature is the simple way by which a special drum has been constructed to permit the use of two sets of internal brakes on the rear wheels.

A further improvement in braking performance is effected by the self-centering feature of the four-wheel brakes—an exclusive Ford development. Through

this construction, the entire surface of the shoe is brought in steady, uniform contact with the drum the instant you press your foot on the brake pedal. This prevents screeching and howling and makes the Ford brakes unusually silent in operation.

Another feature of the Ford brakes is the ease of adjustment.

The four-wheel brakes are adjusted by turning a screw conveniently located on the outside of each brake plate. This screw is so notched that all four brakes can be set alike simply by listening to the "clicks."

The emergency or parking brakes on the new Ford require little attention. However, should they need adjustment at any time, consult your Ford dealer for prompt, courteous, and economical service. He works under close factory supervision and he has been specially trained and equipped to help you get the greatest possible use from your car over the longest period of time at a minimum of trouble and expense.



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International Sunday School Lesson for January 27

THE HOLY SPIRIT

John 16:7-11; Romans 8:12-17, 26, 27

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

This lesson study is the introduction to a Person. It is an amplification of the confession in our Apostles Creed, "I believe in the Holy Ghost." While multitudes make that creedal statement they do not have an intimate knowledge of this third Person in the Triune God. The Holy Spirit is as distinct a Person as is God the Father, and Christ the Son.

All Three are equally, externally existent. Revelation, however, of the personality and activity came in time. From the first Jehovah God was known as the Father. Far back in history there were evidences of the Second Person and there were repeated promises of the Advent of the Son, which were fulfilled in the coming of the Messiah. There are also many prophecies concerning the Holy Spirit in the Old Testament, one of the most distinctive being in Joel 2:28-29, which was specifically fulfilled in the Day of Pentecost, after the Ascension of Jesus Christ. Jesus spoke clearly, though He did not explain the extent of the meaning when He told of the eagerness of the Father to bestow the Holy Spirit on His beloved. Much more than earthly parents delight in giving good things to their children does Jehovah have joy in making the Holy Spirit available to those who are willing to meet the conditions.

Among the many references in the

Bible the following are selected for specific study by the lessons committee: Joel 2:28-29; Luke 11:9-13; John 3:5-8; 14:16, 17, 26, 15:26-27; 16:17-15; Acts 2:1-21, 32, 33; Romans 8:1-17; 26, 27; 1 Corinthians 12:1-13; Ephesians 1:13-14; 3:14-21; 4:1-6, 30. Turn to your concordance and Bible dictionary for many other portions. A very helpful book for collateral reading is "A Help to the Study of the Holy Spirit," W. E. Biederwolf, D. D.

Obediently the disciples waited in prayer for ten days after the Ascension. Then came the advent of the Holy Spirit to them in Jerusalem as miraculous signs were wrought. The abiding personal evidence was their new possession of spiritual power for service, as witnessed in the conversions which followed Peter's sermon on that day, when 3,000 believed. Such evidences were repeated in the abiding Presence with them both for companionship and power in service.

The Holy Spirit is graciously helpful in prayer, Paul states. The Holy Spirit takes our "unuttered groanings" and makes them right and specific petitions to the Father on our behalf. He is always convicting us of sin and making the work of Jesus effective as our Saviour. The life of the Christian is not materially lived. It is lived resolutely only through spiritual possessions.