

VALUE OF CLEAN LIVING

Columbia Record. Rev. Augustus Barnett, a Philadelphia pastor, found a text for a sermon Sunday on clean living in Methewson's work in the ninth inning of last Wednesday's game of the world's series.

"In that last inning," the preacher declared from the pulpit, "I saw the finest display of the result of clean living I ever expect to witness. Two gladiators, each at the zenith of his career, pitched superbly, as only men could who had conserved their strength by clean and wholesome life.

"With two men on bases and one out, Methewson's eye was as steady as his brain was clear. He won for his team-mates because he had all of that energy, saved for the vital moment when he really needed it. Matty couldn't have delivered at that crucial moment if his nerves had been tense, his brain befuddled or his eyes befogged by any of the indiscretions so common to the men of today.

"If this great pitcher had spent his years in riotous living, if he had set the virtues of the world at naught, if he had succumbed to the temptations of the barroom, if, in short, he had allowed one jot of his strength to be ebbled by self-indulgence, I predict that the result of that momentous ninth inning would have been different."

There is no doubt that the virtue of moral cleanliness can be, and is, daily demonstrated in the superior physical health and happiness of its exemplars, and the benefits of correct living and proper exercise are hygienic sequences that do not depend on Scriptural teaching to sustain them.

Any man of good sense must realize this, but, unfortunately, too many succumb to the heterodox argument which Zeb Vance of North Carolina once wittily worded, "Be virtuous and you will be happy, but you will not have much fun."

GAME WARDENS' DAY AT FAIR.

Prominent Speakers to Deliver Addresses Thursday, Oct. 30. Special to The News.

Columbia, Oct. 18.—According to an announcement made from the chief game warden's office, Mr. A. A. Richardson is making plans for a meeting of the game wardens of the state on Thursday of Fair week in Columbia, in the auditorium at the fair grounds. Hon. Ben F. Taylor, secretary of the Audubon Society, will speak on that occasion and Attorney General Peoples will speak on the legal side of the game laws of the state.

U. S. REVENUE INCREASED.

Four Millions Ahead of Same Period of Last Fiscal Year.

Washington, Oct. 18.—The actual effect of the new tariff law upon the government's revenue will presently be disclosed by detailed comparisons and computations now being made by Secretary McAdoo. The estimates of expenses for all branches of the government are almost finished. President Wilson has passed word along for a sane economy and treasury officials interpreted it as neither to raise the estimates beyond what is necessary to provide a margin for the congressional appropriations committees to cut down.

While the customs revenues have fluctuated too much to warrant any satisfactory estimate as to what may be expected the internal revenue receipts are running up a normal increase all along the line, so far showing \$4,000,000 ahead of the same period of the last fiscal year.

Presents His Credentials to the Queen.

The Hague, Netherlands, Oct. 16.—Prof. Henry Van Dyke, formerly of Princeton University, the new United States minister to the Netherlands, today presented his credentials to Queen Wilhelmina at the palace of Petloo. He expressed to the queen the complimentary wishes of President Wilson. Prof. Van Dyke spoke of his own peculiar pleasure in taking up his mission.

"Holland was the home of my forefathers," he said, "and gave to America the fundamental ideas of religious liberty, public education and federal union."

The Family Cough Medicine.

In every home there should be a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, ready for immediate use when any member of the family contracts a cold or a cough. Prompt use will stop the spread of sickness. S. A. Stid, of Macon, Mich., writes: "My whole family depends upon Dr. King's New Discovery as the best cough and cold medicine in the world. Two 50c. bottles cured me of pneumonia." Thousands of other families have been equally benefited and depend entirely upon Dr. King's New Discovery to cure their coughs, colds, throat and lung trouble. Every dose helps. Price, 50c. and \$1.00. All druggists. H. E. Bucklen & Co., Philadelphia or St. Louis.

NEW FALL GOODS

In the Season's Most Attractive Styles and Patterns Are Now Here on Our Shelves and Counters in Great Quantities

For Your Inspection

COAT SUITS

We are showing a strong line of Coat Suits this season in the newest and best styles and in the choicest materials and shades. We would be glad to have you look these over before buying, as we feel it would be to our mutual benefit. Prices range from . . . \$10.00 to \$25.00

COATS

Ladies', Misses and Children's Coats in a big variety of styles and materials in the new effects. These Coats were bought with due consideration of the value features as well as style, so you may feel assured the prices are low.

SHOES—LADIES' SHOES

"Queen Quality," "Doris," and "Roxbury" Shoes are unquestionably dependable, both as to style and value. In all leathers and best shapes at \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 and \$4.00

INFANTS' SHOES

Splendid Soft Sole Button Shoes in black, white, red and tan, sizes 0 to 4, at only25c pair

CHILDREN'S SHOES

We are sole agents in this locality for the famous "Jack and Jill" Scuffer Shoes. These excellent little Shoes not only look up-to-date, but are wide, comfortable and serviceable. If you haven't already been buying this make for the little girl or boy, try a pair this season.

BABY SHOES

Excellent little Shoes for the walking baby, with and without raised heels, in black, tan, red and combination colors. Every pair a splendid value, sizes 1 to 5. Prices50c, 60c, 75c and 85c

BOSTONIANS FAMOUS SHOES FOR MEN

In every line of manufacture the relative merit of the product is determined by an established standard of quality and value. Bostonians have been famous for over a third of a century as representing standard values in all the essentials of fine footwear. Our range of styles and sizes insures to you satisfaction and a perfect fit.

WASH GOODS—GINGHAMS

Big lot Dress Gingham, in pretty new patterns with solids to match, at10c yard

GALATEA

Pretty Galatea, in excellent quality, at 12½c and 15c yard

DEVONSHIRE CLOTH

D. S. Cloth is a new one. It's wide and strong, guaranteed fast colors and is in neat striped patterns. The yard only20c

PERCALES

Pretty Percales in light and dark shades, at 10c and 12½c the yard

CHEVIOT

One case 28-inch Vermont Cheviot, in neat stripes, checks and plaids, is excellent material both for dresses and boys' blouses and shirts. The yard only 10c

VELVETS

Costume Velvets and Corduroys, in the wanted shades, at 50c, 90c and \$1.50 the yard

DRESS TRIMMINGS

Beautiful new Dress Trimmings in Bands, Tassels, Buckles, All-Overs, etc.

RAIN COATS

New Fall line Ladies' Children's and Men's Rain Coats, in all sizes, assorted colors, full length and at low prices.

CLOTHING

Men's and Boys' Clothing, Suits, Pants and Overcoats are here in the season's newest styles and weaves and at low prices. You will find us very strong this season in Men's and Boys' Hats, Caps, Underwear, Neckwear, Shirts, etc.

MILLINERY

We have this season, as in the past, given close attention to the selection of our fall stock of Ladies' and Children's Hats, endeavoring to buy those goods in which style combines with conservatism in making them attractive to the eye, and desirable for wear. In view of these facts and assuring you that our prices are very moderate indeed, we feel sure you will make no mistake in buying your hats of us.

Trading Stamps given on cash purchases which means a saving to you of 4 per cent on spent money or cards to be punched with cash purchases which entitles you to an excellent \$3.50 Aluminum Meat Roaster FREE when you have traded forty dollars and paid forty-eight cents for packing and shipping charges. Your patronage solicited.

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