Great is the city of Stow. Beautiful for situation, on the ridge or table-land of the state of Ohio, good air, lots of sunshine, pure water and good people. In the year 1800 David Hudson crossed Lake Erie, landed at Cleveland and sailed up the Cuyahoga river, his destination being the spot now called Hudson. And it rained, and rained. May, 1800 the little Cuyahoga overflowed its banks. Hudson was marooned for five days awaiting the abating of the angry Cuyahoga.

Stow is a desirable city, a city of schools, churches, plenty of the good outdoors, no slums, no tenement houses, no skyscrapers, no undesirable hot-beds of evil, beautiful homes, lawns, shade trees and gardens. A home loving and home owning people, fine, clean cut young men, beautiful girls, a few minutes ride from Kent, home of the State Normal, and nine miles north of Akron, the County seat of Summit county. And you live in Stow. Do you go to church there?

After all are the best things in Stow material or are they spiritual qualities?

I put truth against trees and shrubs and roads and lawns. I put soul, heart and mind against every achievement of men. I put hope and love and God and Heavenly as the more enduring qualities, more to be sought after than material things.

Stow is not a city, it is a cross roads, an allotment, a string of houses. It is more desirable than the city. A city in the olden day was a great lot of people with a wall around them, for protection from savage enemies. Now gun powder and air ships have changed the old order and we have no need of the wall.

Why have a city anyway? Isn't a cross roads, a town with wide streets and flower gardens and good air more to be desired. God made the country, the city is an artificial affair, man designed, crowded and a sin infested place where greed and evil abound.

Even the horses of a decade ago limped and perished on the hard brick streets of the city, a few months in the fields of the country and the noble animal was rejuvenated again. How much more must this hold true for men. Now brother, thank God that you live in Stow. Take courage, and attend church next Sunday.

GEO. M. HULME, Minister

CHILDREN'S DAY

At the church, 9:30 a. m. Sunday, July 1st, the children of our Bible School will present the following program, which will be well worth your attention. Plan to attend.

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Song—“We Come,” Primary and Junior Dept.
Recitation—“Welcome Everybody,” Odwin Stockman.
Recitation—“A Very Little Girl,” Ruth Minard.
Recitation—“My Part,” Tommy Holmes.
Recitation—“Jesus Loves Me,” Vellum Stockman.
Exercise—“Sunday Fishing,” Junior Boys.
Recitation—“A Thankful Greeting,” Clark Wilmoth.
Solo—“Jesus Bids Us Shine,” Ruth Eileen Monteith.
Recitation—“Heaven’s Postman,” Nancy Burtett.
Recitation—“Dad’s Rheumatism,” George Gaylord.
Recitation—“Do Your Bit,” Janet Holmes.
Recitation—“An Original Greeting,” Max Woodring.
Clarinet Solo—Betty Bishop.
Recitation—“A Polite Hint,” Howard Gemall.
Offering.
Sermon—“Children’s Day,” Betty Marie Monteith.
Recitation—“A Prayer,” Dorothy Gentry.
Recitation—“If I Were A Rose,” Julabell E Wilmot.
Recitation—“The Littlest One,” Nick Hlscum.
Exercise—“When Flowers Speak,” Junior Girls.
Special Music—Sunday School Orchestra.
Recitation—“Sunday Visiting,” Dorothy Minard.
Recitation—“A Happy Thought,” Mary Jane Lawhorn.
Recitation—“A Glad Wish,” Shirley North.
Recitation—“A Favor,” Ethel Gaylord.
Recitation—“A Farewell Message,” Marilyn Cox.
As a conclusion to the above program Rev. Hulme will conduct a short service.

—PERSONAL NOTES—
Miss Janet Holmes celebrated her birthday last week.
Why are the Ladies’ Class and Men’s Class exchanging places?
Eul Monteith was absent last

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Sunday. With a large rock he mashed the toe next to his big toe on his right foot. The accident happened Saturday.

Mrs. North, River Road, attended church Sunday. Wonder when her neighbor, Mrs. McColgan, will come? And why has Mrs. C. V. Shakespeare been absent two Sundays now?

Mr. and Mrs. Loren G. Phelps and son Billy, and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Phelps (Mr. A. S. Phelps teaches our Men's Bible Class you know) recently took a short vacation trip visiting Washington, D. C., Mount Vernon, Gettysburg and other points of interest in the East.

We don't know how it will be when this note appears but at the present writing Mr. J. B. Hites reminds us that after the rain it is a very good time to pull weeds.

On and after July 1st Mr. W. V. Smith will be connected with the Akron Commercial college.

Mr. L. L. Pace is teaching in Summer School in Akron.

We are glad to welcome the Ferris family back. Chalmers was present at orchestra practice Tuesday evening.

A shower in honor of Esther Woodring Shakespeare was given last Friday evening by the Girls Bridge club, to which she belongs.

The affair was a complete surprise to Mrs. Shakespeare.

Erratum — Mrs. Dunn reminds us that Kenton, Ohio, is a metropolis of 199 people—not 99 as previously reported. It is also the county seat of Hardin county.

Erratum — We were rather mixed up last week but hope this is correct—Mrs. Cox, Hudson Road, and sister Mrs. Short of Akron will soon leave for Washington, Indiana where they will pick up two more sisters and the quartet will then proceed to Pensacola, Florida, where they will visit their father.

God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work. 2nd. Cor. 9:8. This was the text for last Sunday’s sermon. Among other things Rev. Hulme said that the great problem of the church was “the growing of a soul.” He did not say this but we might ask each other the question, “How much did your soul grow last week?” What would the answer be?

We hear that Mr. and Mrs. Zehm, Arndale road, are planning a trip to the Chicago World’s fair next week. We hope this is correct.

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fter left last Saturday on a camping trip for Michigan.

George Chandler is uncle again. A fine 8 3-4 pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Wright, Hudson road, Tuesday, June 26th.

Miss Elizabeth Grove and Charles Perrine will be married Sunday at the Church of Christ. The wedding will take place after the morning services. Both young people graduated from Stow High school.

Betty Marie Monteith has been visiting in Ravenna with her grandparents.

SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

At Sandy Lake

SATURDAY AFTERNOON—

JULY 7TH

And how do we get there?—See John Stahl or Al Stein if you need a lift or if you can take any extra passengers. Transportation will be provided for all who will attend. The Picnic Parade will probably leave the church soon after 1:00 p.m., though if you cannot come then, come later.

Races and games will start at 2:30 p.m. and the eats will be served when everybody has worked up a good appetite. Mr. Monteith promises us free ice cream and lemonade. Here is a list of the races, etc.—as prepared by Mr. Osman and Will Shaffer. We advise you to practice up for there are big prizes offered for first place in all events.

Sack Race — Boys 8 to 12
Shoe Race — Girls.
Shoe Race — Boys.
Peanut Race — Women.
Backward Race — Boys.
Cracker-Whistling Race — Girls 12 years and up.
Smith-Moyer Foot Race — (A very special attraction). Shoe Race—Boys.
Running Race—Women
Tag of War—Men.
Three Legged Race—Anyone.
Swimming Race—Young Men.
Ball Game—Men vs. Young Men.
Picnic Supper—Everybody.

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