MINISTER’S COLUMN
(Continued From Last Week)

It would be very difficult to ex-aggrate or overdo in description the tenseness, the high pitch of excitement as several thousand of our native Red Men assemble on the field to test their skill and the prowess of their chosen athletes in the wrestling match. This day's sport meant the spilling of blood, the loser to forfeit his life to his conqueror. Every savage combatant knew that the murder of his contesting foe would arouse the deepest and most unquenchable feeling. Satisfaction to the conqueror and unbounded resentment by the conquered. When play and sport breaks from its moorings and exacts human blood and the sacrifice of life, it is then that brute nature is blind to consequences, and the fiend within thus aroused, is lost to reason. When the sun it at its height is the time appointed for the match. The Indians are assembling in an open field. In the center of this mighty drove of Red Men is a ring, outlined only by white birch bark. On either side are ten naked Iriquois and ten naked Eries. Fine specimens of the human race are they, tall, powerful, muscular. Friends, foes, visitors, make one solid jam of savage men, squaws, young brave and maidens. Little boys run to and fro and clap their hands in savage glee. Old women with wrinkled faces grunt and chuckle as the time draws near. On the outskirts of this tense assembly are lazy Indians astride their ponies, this elevation gives them a place of vantage from which to witness the sport. A hush falls on the laughing, jostling crowd, every ear catches a signal, it's the call of an Indian. At this signal a young Iriquois steps into the ring followed immediately by his antagonist, an Erie. With rapidity, that could scarcely be followed by the human eye, their brawny arms wrap like serpents about each other, to and fro they struggle, now on their knees, up again, back and forth, now both off their feet, now each, apparently, with a death grip, still they lie, like two in peaceful slumber. Then with a mighty effort, backed and re-inforced by hundreds of such matches on the green of their own camp ground, when fun alone was at stake, now it's a struggle for life. A mighty shout arises from the multitude, the Erie wrestler is downed, the Iriquois athlete stands in triumph over him, the vanquished Erie huddles in a withered heap awaits the tomahawk of his conqueror. The Iriquois by a secret pact known only to themselves, pledged that should they be victorious, they would refuse to tomahawk their rival. The Erie chief, quick of eye to note that the Iriquois brave refused to strike his victim, seized the stone hatchet and quick as thought split the head of the defeated Erie. The body dragged away, two other Indians swayed to and fro in desperate effort to down each other, the struggle is short.
and again an Iriquois stands in triumph over a defeated foe. He, too, refuses to slay the man at his feet, but, like a flash the Erie chief again flings with unerring aim the missile of death through the head of the fallen brave. The third team of the Iriquois and Erie meet amid dead silence in the center of the marked space. Laws, rule, few and crude are they, it's for the mighty arms of one to smother and crush to earth the brawny form of a Red brother, the loser to die. A mighty shout goes up, for the third time in succession the Iriquois stands, straight as an arrow and silent as a post, above the vanquished, and refusing his earned privilege to tomahawk the loser, crouched at his feet. The Erie chief swung his arm quick as a wink and the third of his trite is dragged from the field. The chief of the Iriquois, sensing uneasiness of the crowd, signals his people to leave the field. They to the last man obeyed, gathering up their trophies earned at the recent ball game, and foot race. The Iriquois athletes are off on a run for their own villages.

Next week—The Battle at Fort Island.

GEO. M. HULME, Minister

CHURCH CALENDAR

BIBLE SCHOOL - - Sunday 9:30  Orchestra Practice - - Wednesday 6:30 p.m.
MORNING WORSHIP - - Sunday 10:45  Choir Practice - - Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

MUSICAL SUNDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 8th.
ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday is Communion Day. To anyone who so desires, an opportunity will be given to unite with the church at the morning service. There are several good people who have been attending our church for some time who should take this important step. Baptism of infants, children or adults will be in order Sunday and for those who desire baptism by immersion a service in the near future is being planned. See Rev. Hulme about this.

On the first Sunday of the month it has been our custom to take up a special collection, the proceeds of which we use to make payments on an old obligation. This Sunday is no exception so don't forget your dollars, quarters and dimes and someday we will have that old obligation paid.

The Men's Bible class will entertain the Ladies' Bible class at a corn roast sometime next week.

The best thing for those interested in this affair is to attend Bible school Sunday and find out all about it.

A week from Sunday the orches-
QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

This page is devoted to questions and answers. Anyone having a sincere desire for Christian help or a clearer understanding of the Word, the Church or the Christian life, this page is a service to you.

Questions may be handed, or mailed, to the editor, H. J. Stockman or the minister, Rev. Geo. M. Hulme.

1. Why do we say that we live in the fear of God?

Fear is a word that time and usage has modified. It is now correct to say that we should live in awe and reverence of His Majesty.

2. In a word, what does it mean to be a Christian?

Briefly, it means to leave all and follow Him. Again, it means to be and do and go and say as under the spell of His matchless life. Guided on life’s sea by the Holy Spirit as an ancient mariner was guided through the night by the Northern Star. See Mark 8: 34-38. Luke 9: 57-62.

3. Is Christianity the best religion, if so, why?

Christianity embodies the best of the world’s greatest religions. In other words, no religion has anything on Christianity. Many religions, such as Buddhism, Mohammedanism, Brahmanism, have many desirable tenets. Christianity however matches every one of them and outdoes them all in the fact that Christianity claims a Saviour, one who lives today and can be contacted at all times by whosoever will. John 15:7.

4. Are schools and colleges responsible for the careless religious views of today?

Yes. Our schools stand indicted. I am aware of the fact that under our present regime it is not the business of the school to teach religion. However, the fact is that once upon a time the Bible was read, prayer was offered and comments contributed to the soul life of the pupil. Now that is eliminated. Hence it detracts from the spiritual life of the student intensified by the fact that it was once a part of the training. Many schools teach science, literature and evolution, in these branches of learning they give God no place. The student graduates trained in natural laws, he knows nothing of the soul. The background of home and the little church are outgrown, cast aside as obsolete and non-essential for professional life. The mind is trained in material things and the soul is starved.

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tra sponsored by our Bible school will put on the third of those Sunday evening musicals. The indications are that this will be a worthwhile affair. Sunday, 8:00 p.m., September 8th. Keep this date in mind.

DEATH
Oscar F. Walters, son of Rev. and Mrs. S. T. Walters, passed away Tuesday morning at the City Hospital. Burial was Thursday at Crown Hill cemetery. Besides his parents, he leaves brothers John Paul, and Theodore and a sister, Mrs. Glenn Elliot. To the bereaved parents and relatives we extend our sincere sympathy.

PERSONAL
Attend church Sunday.
Pay your insurance premiums.
Remember Sunday evening, September 8th, 8:00 p.m.
Bill Shaffer has a new Ford car.
Let us have a 100 per cent attendance at Sunday school on Rally Day.
Subject of the sermon Sunday morning, "What is wrong with the world."

After nearly three months in Texas Mrs. H. J. Stockman has finally returned home.
A baby daughter was born this last week to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Anderson, Liberty road.
The Husleton and Kendall families spent the last weekend in Butler, Pa.
The River Road club met Thursday with Mrs. Sanderson at Hudson.
Mrs. Zirkle spent the last weekend with her aunt in Middletown, Ind.
Mr. and Mrs. John Haartje of Arndale road will visit in Vincennes, Ind. this next week.
"Sin is anything that comes between yourself and God, or between you and your fellow men." (Oxford group definition.)
Birthdays celebrated last Sunday were those of Donald Gerhold, Mrs. Ed. Sanner, Betty Schroder and Miss Grace Ludwick.
Mrs. A. A. Myers and son Jack of McKeesport, Pa., are visiting this week with Mrs. Myers brother C. W. Stahl, 756 Hudson road.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Monteith will visit in Hannibal, Ohio this coming weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred K. Barns and daughter Marilou of 348 E. Graham road were vacationing last week in Columbus.

Mr. Temple and daughters, Katherine and Irma, of the Springdale Ellsworth road, visited Niagara Falls over the last weekend.

Miss Beatrice Rinehart, Berger avenue, who will be a sophomore in Stow High School this year will visit her grandmother next week at Gnadenhutten, Ohio.

L. C. Phelps and family have returned from a three weeks trip throughout the west. He covered 5670 miles and used up 425 gallons of gas. We expect him to give us a final installment on the story of his motor trip for next week's paper.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Van Hyning, daughter Bernice and niece Elizabeth Anderson left Saturday a.m. for Fish Lake, Michigan.

Mrs. Suter, Miss Dorothy Suter and Miss Dorothy Luikart of Bellevue, Ky. have been visiting this past week with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Monteith.

Rev. Hulme says that a Sunday school will be held this afternoon.

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Plans are now being made for the celebration of the seventh anniversary of Stow Council 192 D. of A. in October, which will include the initiation of a class of candidates in honor of their deputy Mrs. Mae Lozer. Special effort is being put forth for younger members 16 to 25.

Miss Betty Peck, Josephine Pardee, Robert and Richard Stockman are among those who will attend Kent college this fall. Mannette Ferris and Eleanor Mincks will attend Mt. Union, while June Viall will go to the Actual Business College in Akron. Helen DeLaney and Edna Erwin are taking a course in Sayres Beauty School, Akron.

Last Tuesday "Bud" Trommer broke his arm while engaged in activities with one of the neighbor boys. To put it mildly this makes Daddy Trommer quite peeved.

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