THE MEANING OF INTOXICATION

Webster says it is the act of making drunk, stimulated exceedingly, the state of great excitement. When one sees the curse of drunkenness, how it robs humanity, curses him and mocks him for his folly, one would reason that education, experience and Christianity would elevate all victims from the ditch, however, this is not the case, for drunkards develop like crops, they have their day, perish and the tragedy is enacted again and again, as though it was a natural process of human life.

The drama of the common sin of intoxication is so appalling that we draw the curtain and look out on more pleasant scenes.

Intoxication, a mighty word is that. One can be intoxicated with music, flowers, art, pleasure and love. Edison was intoxicated with inventions, Burbank was intoxicated with plant life, Beethoven was intoxicated with melodies, Will Rogers was intoxicated with jokes, Shakespeare with plays, others are intoxicated with war and still others are intoxicated with peace.

To be intoxicated means that one is actually consumed by a burning zeal, one great passion is the driving force of his life. It follows then that a minister of the Gospel should be saturated through and through with his calling, intoxicated and consumed by his life's work.

Better take off your coat, roll up your sleeves and, figuratively speaking, be drunk to your vocation, lost by a great intoxication to your task, whatever it may be.

I am thinking of a friend who was intoxicated with books. A library of fine volumes held him under a spell. It was his meat, his drink, his rest, his vitality. Books to him were pleasure, they were friends, they entertained him, encouraged him, edified him, to him they were life. For hours, for days he could sit under their magic spell, they enchanted him, they intoxicated him. Books, yes, books, that retain for us the helpful information of the living and the dead. Books, heaven inspired volumes, that counsel, that befriend, that never betray. No wonder my friend fell intoxicated under their magic spell.

I am thinking tonight of friends who are intoxicated with home, refreshing indeed in this age of trailers and rapid transit, yes, they like their home, every room, door, closet, every chair, table, lamp or stand, the rug and the pattern of the paper on the wall, the cellar and the attic, front yard, back yard, location, everything inside and outside, they like their home. Intoxicated with it, overjoyed with it, indeed they are wild about it, they are happy in their home.

Anything wrong if I be intoxicated in my thought of God, of

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CHURCH CALENDAR
Bible School Sunday, 9:30 A. M.
Evening Tabernacle Service
Sunday ............. 7:30 P. M.
Young People's Meeting—
Saturday. 6:30 P. M.
Teacher's Training Class and
Prayer Meeting, Wed. 7:30 P. M.
Church Business Meeting ....
First Friday Evening of Month

immortality, not silly or foolish or
fanatical but absorbed by it as
Burbank was with plants or Edi-
son was with inventions, or Bee-
ethoven was with music. Some-
thing grand and noble and in-
spiring about such intoxication.
Just lost and consumed by a great
idea.

GEO. M. HULME

NOMINATING COMMITTEE
Mr. A. S. Phelps, chairman of
the Board of Trustees for our
church, appointed Mrs. Ermal S.
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STOW COMMUNITY CHURCH
C. H. MONTEITH, Moderator

Community Church. This year the acting treasurer and the financial secretary of the church will make an attempt to oblige each member with an opportunity to make a definite pledge for the purpose of meeting regular church expenses. This canvass will start next Sunday morning. As has happened in times past don't let the fact that it takes money to run the physical plant of the church keep you away from church services. While it is true we need money, the support and encouragement you are able to give by your presence to those who conduct those services is above the value of money and is most certainly appreciated.

THE LADIES GUILD
Will meet Wednesday, October 20th, in the church basement at noon. A 25c luncheon will be served. Hostesses will be Mrs. W. C. Crichton, Mrs. Ben Harris, Mrs. R. M. Keller.
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IS AMERICA SAFE?

Summary of the sermon, Community Church, Sunday night, Oct. 10th.

Text: Where no council is, the people fall; but in a multitude of counselors there is safety. Prov. 11:14.

What unfathomable depth in the question—Is America safe, is the home safe, or is the boy or the girl safe? It was the sob of a broken-hearted father when he inquired, is the young man safe? America is not safe; it is not safe from crime, from kidnappers, from exploitation, from recklessness, from bloodshed in labor, from war. The young man is not safe; there are more bandit boys in America, so it has been estimated, than any other four countries in the world. Every reform school in America is overcrowded, so I am told. On our great highways no one is safe from the wild hilarity of half drunken boys. The young woman is not safe. She is not safe in many of the eating houses and beer parlors, the average girl is expected
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to smoke, drink, gamble, dance, all this and as much in the nude as the law allows, for modesty died some years ago. No nation can long endure with a degenerate womanhood. Think of the dope and sex scandal in Akron and operating among the school youth. No, no, neither your boy nor your girl is safe.

All nations that forsake God and follow after Baal fall.

The religious carelessness and gross indifference to spiritual values in Stow is evidence that we are pulling Heaven down on our heads and inviting the curse of God to fall upon us.

We have made America fairly safe from disease, we have saved the body but we are about to lose the soul.

The sermon topic for next Sunday evening is: "Aliens or Americans." The services will be held in the Tabernacle weather permitting—otherwise in the church.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR

Last Sunday evening Mr. N. W. Biggs addressed the young people on the seven physical acts essential to salvation. These are

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briefly summarized: first, confession with the mouth, in Matthew 10:32 we read, "Whosoever therefore shall confess me before men, him will I confess before my Father which is in heaven." Second, baptism in water, "He that believeth and is baptised shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned." Mark 16:16.
Third, Bible reading and prayer, "Pray without ceasing." 1 Thess. 5:17.
Fifth, Assembly with the saints, read 1 Cor. 10:20.
Sixth, giving of substance, read 1 John 3:17.

Seventh, seeking the lost, "I say unto you that likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth, more than over ninety-nine just persons, which need no repentance." Luke 15:7.

Mr. Biggs in his address referred to many more scripture passages than mentioned above. Any one interested may obtain the complete list from Miss Arlene Stein.
The Young People's society meet each Sunday evening at 6:30 in the church auditorium.
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CHRISTIAN ACTION
Last week a splendid Christian Action prayer meeting lead by Mr. Scott Nickerson was held at the home of the Van Dillens. This week, on Friday, October 15th, the meeting will be held at the home of N. W. Biggs, 52 Lincoln Avenue, Cuyahoga Falls. Mrs. Adams will lead. The topic for study this week is “How can the world be saved?” Through the courtesy of James DeForest Murch we print the following copyrighted notes on this lesson.

The only hope of a bankrupt world is Jesus Christ.

We have tried:

SCIENCE, but all the discoveries and inventions of the scientists have only furnished evil men with better facilities for damning the world.

EDUCATION, but curricula without Christ make only educated sinners.

WAR, but even the war that proposed to “make the world safe for democracy” only paved the way for dictatorship worse than monarchies.

INDUSTRIAL PLANNING, but capital and labor have not even begun to co-operate.

SOCIAL REFORM, but society plunges deeper and deeper into immortality.

INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS, but the League of Nations and the “peace pacts” are impotent in the face of national and racial greed and hatred.

SECTARIAN RELIGION, but it has only divided the body of Christ and served as the tool of ambitious men.

We have tried everything in these modern days but Christ and His way.

And now it is Christ or chaos!

Thousands of earnest people believe this to be so, but they do not know how Christ will save the world. They are waiting for some great light to shine from heaven; some miracle to be wrought. They fail to realize that Christ is ready today—now! —to work through them to change and transform humanity.

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"turned upside down" by a few thousand Christians. Their Christian society was the marvel of the ages. The same thing could be accomplished today if we will live like those early followers of Christ. It is a simple matter of creating a world within a world—a society within a society. The kingdom of God (or the church) under the absolute authority of Christ is the hope of "the kingdoms of this world."

Jesus used the parable of the leaven to teach His disciples how His kingdom grows. He said: "The kingdom of heaven is likened unto a woman who took leaven, and hid it in three measures of meal until the whole was leavened." A woman (the weaker sex) took leaven (a despised thing) and hid it (unpretentiously.) But it grew! One cell of leaven became two, two became four, four became eight, eight became sixteen, sixteen became thirty-two—and on and on and on it grew, until eventually the whole of the meal was leavened.

Each of us in our small way reaching out, winning others—one becoming two, two becoming four, four becoming eight, etc.—can change things. God has used humble, but consecrated, men before to change the world. His arm is not shortened now. He can use us. Who knows but that we were born into the kingdom "for such a time as this?"

PERSONALS FROM FISH CREEK

Suzzanne Hungerford of Kent spent the last weekend with Mabel Davey.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. King visited cousins in Massillon this week.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Brittan had dinner with Mrs. J. H. Boden in Akron. This dinner
Two thousand years ago a degraded world civilization was also an observance of Mrs. Brittan's birthday.

William Miller of Beaver Falls, Ohio was a guest this last weekend of Miss Dorothy Holms.

Mrs. William Stahl and daughter of Marsh Road were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mastin Boyd in Detroit.

Miss Edith Walls of Cleveland was a Thursday evening dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Coffee.

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Mrs. Glen Gilson and mother, Mrs. Gotham of Kent, honored Mrs. T. H. Brittan at a luncheon last Monday.

For a 25c charge for an additional session children may stay all day at Mrs. Green's Kindergarten while parents shop. (Adv.)

Twenty-five members of the Junior Choir of the First United Presbyterian Church of Akron had a wiener roast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Holmes last Friday evening.
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George Carpenter left last Wednesday, October 6th for the CCC Camp at Camp Knox, Kentucky.

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Mrs. Edith Pettit is visiting relatives in Indiana this week and next.

The Ladies Bible Class won the banner last Sunday with an attendance of 123%.

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Anly birthday celebrated at Bible School last Sunday was that of Billy Bauder. He was six years old.

Let Mrs. Cowell at Darrowville supply you with bitter sweet for your parties and Hallowe'en decorations. Call at residence next to Howe's Print Shop, Darrowville. (Adv.)

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'Tis said that the Men's class, with Rev. Hulme as teacher, are gaining ground each Sunday. Men who have no regular church or Bible School connections will find a cordial welcome in this
class. It meets at 9:30 each morning adjourning after the opening exercises to the Tabernacle platform for the lesson study period.

Mrs. A. H. Klesa, East Kent rd., left last Saturday morning to visit her daughter, Mrs. Lyda Klesa Davies in Maplewood, N. J.

If you would have more personals in the paper—send them in by Monday evening.

LILLIAN ROAD

Last Saturday afternoon in search of news, advertising, new subscribers, new Bible School scholars or other candidates for membership in the Lord's Kingdom, we drove down Lillian Road which runs west from 490 Hudson Road.

First on this street lives R. J. Holm, carpenter. He has made considerable improvement within the past year in the house where he lives. Right next, W. Huston is building a nice new home. When we visited there, though the place was not yet complete, a pleasant fire was burning in the fireplace. Outside it was starting to rain.

Across the street to the south and a little west lives Chas. Stewart who has been in Stow eight years. He has one thousand bundles of corn fodder for sale which ought to keep somebody's cows in feed this winter. Still on the same side of the street though further west lives O. L. Nitzsche. Mrs. Nitzsche promised to bring the boys to Bible School some time soon. Still further west a new house has been built on the north side of the street. Mr. French Rodgers lives here. He has been in Stow only two weeks. Brought up a free Methodist he does not attend church at present, but promised to let us take his daughter Eula May to Bible School Sunday.

Next stop and in the woods Mr. Robert Dale was putting the finishing touches on a new home. Mr. Dale is from Cuyahoga Falls. His folks were Pennsylvania Dutch Mennonites. He has four children, Robert, Alberta, William and Billy, ages 14, 12, 6 and 4 respectively, who, we hope to be able to take to Bible school this next Sunday, i.e., if the Lord permits us to live that long and we can get the car started.

Two other houses are being built still further west on Lillian Road, but the owners have not yet moved in. For the convenience of those who live further back on this street some sort of road surfacing is needed.

GRAHAM ROAD BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

(Items intended for last week)

The Sutton's are installing a new furnace in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hagett were called to W. Va. because of the serious illness of the latters father.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary, formerly of Akron, are now living in the Thelma property on Caleb Ave., which they recently purchased.

Mrs. Trowbridge's class of boys had a party at the home of Tommy Holmes on Hudson Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Leasure are still talking about how they enjoyed their recent vacation trip. They visited friends and relatives in Waverly and Parkersburg, W. Va., and in Belleville, East Liverpool, Pomeroy and Newcomerstown, Ohio.

The J. Rutter family moved Tuesday to Sanford Ave., Stow.

NOTICE!

Political Advertising will be accepted for publication the week before Election ONLY. It must be paid for in advance and in the Editor's hands on or before MONDAY, OCTOBER 25TH.
Mr. Ambrose Black and family have moved to Hudson Drive.

Only 90 in Bible school. Evidently several forgot that they had rallied the Sunday before.

Birthdays celebrated Sunday were those of Darrell Wagner and Mr. Younkin.

Donna Biggs spent Saturday with Catherine Ashton and Florence Batton.

Mrs. Wesley's mother, Mrs. Smith, is moving to her new home in Kent this week.

Mr. Batton and several men engaged in a fox hunt Saturday night.

The Fireside Forum meets Friday evening with Mrs. Miller of Cuyahoga Falls.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Leasure Sunday were Mr. Richard Humphrey and Miss Marian Gary, of Akron. The occasion was the 21st birthday of Mr. Humphrey.

**ITEMS**

Did you know (of course not) that the pavilion in the old Silver Lake Amusement Park had one million shingles on its roof?

Did you know that the second coming of Christ is a fundamental doctrine of the Christian religion, and the second coming of Christ so frequently mentioned in the New Testament as the great hope of the church is still in the future? It is mentioned three hundred and eighteen times in the New Testament. Christ is coming again to receive his own and will come in the glory of the Father with the holy angels. At his coming the saints will be caught up with the angels in the clouds and meet the Lord in the air, to be with him forever. He is coming to fashion anew the body of our humiliation, that we may be conformed to the body of his glory; he is coming to reckon with his servants and to render unto every man according to his deeds; he is coming to judge the living and the dead.—From the Analytical Bible Index.

Did you know that unless given greater protection the great California Condor, the largest flying bird of the North American continent, faces almost certain extinction. The Condor mates for life and only once, either bird remaining mateless if anything happens to the other. The female lays an average of one egg every four years and the young remain in the nest more than a year before they can fly. A two year old Condor often has a wing spread of eight feet and a full grown bird from nine to eleven feet.

—California Conservationist

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Did you know that in the year 1820 the Akron and Cuyahoga Falls folks used to come to Stow for their mail. The old stage coach postoffice, the second in Summit County, was in the Titus Wetmore home located on the site of the present Standard Oil gas station, corner of Kent and Stow-Hudson Roads?

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