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and established human religions; some of the old, true and established social restraints. And if we look at our modern society very closely we see it not only appearing here and there among the young men and the young women, but also among some others that are not yet so young, too much freedom, perhaps, among the old if you please, when they throw aside the old fashioned feminine graces, modesties, proprieties, too much freedom in de-meanor and deportment, hoping thus to show, perhaps, that they are eman-cipated. But, as some one has remarked, such freedom is not the result of high-er education, or culture, or advance-ment, or progress, but of a dull and stupid ignorance. It is a reversion of the lesson of Peter's vision, and always to call all things common and un-clean.

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# SABBATH SCHOOL LESSON, EPWORTH LEAGUE LESSONS

INTERNATIONAL LESSON COMMENTS FOR MARCH 5.

Subject: Jesus at the Feast of Tabernacles, John vii., 37-46-Golden Text, John vii., 461 Meinory Verse, 37-Commen-tary on the Day's Lesson.

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# MARCH FIFTH

The Making of a Christian: His Speech.—Psa. 145. 1-12, 21; Matt. 10. 32, 33.

Matt. 10. 32, 63. The author of Psalm 145 would glorify God wth his utterances: He would "bless the name of God"; he would "speak of his glorious honor." He declares that men shall "speak of his might," and "declare his great-ness." The Lord was set forth as nigh to "all that call upon him." Every word of the mouth to the psalmist was to be spoken to the hca-or of God. In Matthew we have de-clared the fact that whosoever, whether preacher or hearer, who "confesses" Christ, acknowledges in the face of persecution his Lord and Master, shall be confessed by him. He who fails to do this, and thus de-nies Christ, may expect nothing but denial by the Master. The heart may believe unto righteousnes, but with the "mouth" confession must be made unto salvation. The whole trend of these Scriptures is that the words we speak are an important factor in the destiny of the soul. Two months ago we considered the birth as related to that same end. No factor is more important in character making tha that of speech. Many a man is destroyed by an un-ruly tongue. James says it is un-tamable. The psalmist said, "I sald I will take heed unto my ways, that I sin not with my tongue." "Mow for-cible," said Job, "are right words!" And Solomon declared, "A word fit-ly spoken is like apples of gold in pic-tures of silver." Hence how import-ant in building, character there be right speech. Many of the sins of our lives are sins of the tongue. And Laurentlus said, "There are as many kinds of sins of the tongue as there are letters in the alphabet." Con-sider— Things to avoid in Speech. This His will, include certainly profanity, falsehood, gossip and slander, ob-scenity and unkindness, and all the innumerable kinds of speech. All loose ness, all cutting, uncharitable speech, must be avoided if we would make a Christian. A whole lesson might well be avoided if we would make a Christian. A whole lesson might well be avoided if we would make a Christian. A whole lesson might

# **CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR NOTES**

### MARCH FIFTH.

'The Making of a Christian. His Speech.''—Ps. 145; 1-12, 21; Matt. 10; 32, 33. (Consecration meeting.)

Scripture Verses.—Ps. 63: 11; 71 22-24: 119: 172; 145: 5-7; Matt. 10: 5-7; 28: 18-20; Mark 16: 15; Luke 24: 45-48; Acts 1: 8; 8:35; 10:42; 23:11; 2 Tim\_4:2.

Lesson Thoughts. Lesson Thoughts. It is not always eloquence that is needed to witness for Christ; any tongue that can utter a word may be a useful instrument under God's direc-tion. We may confess Christ by our words, but we should confirm 'the words we speak, and the signs by which we should do it are a holy and consistent life.

Selections.

Have you spoken a word for Jesus, And told to some around, Who do not care about him. What a Savior you have found? Have you lifted up the lamp for others That has guided your own old ford?

SPECIALTIES IN PRINTING. Succeed, Perfection Must Be Sought in Some Particular Line.

Printing during the last few years has taken on a very different form from the old-time system, when every has taken on a very different form from the old-time system, when every printing office was expected to be equipped for almost any kind of work that came along; says the Progressive Printer. The business is fast being di-vided into specialties and this has been found much better, as the work has in-creased to such proportions and is of such a diversified character that it has been found almost impossible to organ-ize a plant and the help to operate it in all the branches profitably under the old-time system. Some houses turn their attention almost exclusively to catalogue work, while others adapt themselves to all the requirements of office stationery; others again turn their attention to railroad and large corpor-ation printing. This, too, is divided, as some are adapted for the blanks re-quired, while others turn their atten-tion to the advertising matter, such as folders, time tables and other requi-sites of the passenger department. The enormous quantity of printing used would be a surprise to the unitisted

thin to the advertising matter, such as folders, time tables and other requi-sites of the passenger department. The enormous quantity of printing used would be a surprise to the unitiated. It is not an uncommon thing to-day to receive orders for a million catalogs of many pages, and the blanks used by some of the larger corporations run up into many millions. This all requires special machinery of the most costly character, to be handled successfully in any of these various specialized busi-amount of capital. It was once thought that the improved facilities for turning out work, in the way of machinery, etc., would decrease to an alarming ex-tent the number of people that would find employment, but the reverse has been the case: there are more people employed to-day in all the different branches of printing and bookbinding than at any previous time. The de-mand has kept in advance of the out-put, and all the makers of machiner; for the different branches of printing are taxed to their utmost; althougi, they have increased their capacity for turning out machinery of an improved character, some of them wonderful new inventions, as fast as prudence would warrant. The specializing work has been of great benefit, not only to print-ers but to the consumers of printing, as they now know where work such as they require can be obtained to the best advantage. Then, too, it has necessarily improved the quality to a very great extent. A large plant adapted specially for catalognes or for newspapers is not fitted to turn out the smaller stationery needed by a large concern as well as a smailer office equipped, for this particular line of work, and being each trained to han-dle its own particular specialty, much better results are obtained, at a corre-spondingly less expense. To-day, to be a successful printer in the large cities one has to choose from the different better results are obtained, at a corre-spondingly less expense. To-day, to be a successful printer in the large cities one has to choose from the different special lines and turn all his energy to that particular branch, otherwise he will find himself in a very unsatisfac-tory position. It will be difficult to do printing profitably in all its diversified lines. This is well known and admitted by those experienced in the trade and by those experienced in the trade, and they are bending their energies to per-fect themselves in some particular line, for which they and their machinery are To be successful, spe best adapted. To be cialize your business.

Hints For the Eyes.

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When the eyes are weak, sleep all that is possible. Keep soap and dust out of the eyes. As you value your sight, avoid all quack eye doctors. Never read or use the eyes for fine

Never read or use the eyes for fine work during twilight. Whenever an eye is fnjured call in an experienced oculist at once. Never expose the eyes needlessly to dust or flying particles of any kind. Have an abundance of good, steady light for any work you may have on hand. Let the light come to your eyes from One side or above not from in front

Do not use a flickering light for read-

COULDN'T LIFT TEN POUNDS. oan's Kidney Pills Brought Strength and Health to the Sufferer, Making Him Feel Twenty-Five Years Younger

J. B. Corton, farmer and lum-berman, of Dep-(and the pe, N. C., says: "I suffered for years with my, back. It was so bad that I could not walk any distance nor even ride in easy bug-gies. I do not be-lieve I could have raised ten

lieve I could **7.** B. CORTON. have raised ten pounds of weight from the ground, the pain was so severe. This was my con-dition when I began using Doan's Kid-ney Pills. They quickly relieved me, and now I am never troubled as I was. My back is strong and I can walk or ride a long distance and feel just as strong as I did twenty-five years ago. I think so much of Doan's Kidney; Pills that I have given a supply of the remedy to some of my neighbors, and they have also found good results. It you can sift anything from this ramb-ling note that will be of any service to you, or to any one suffering from kid-ney trouble you are at liberty to do so." A TRIAL FREE – Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Origin of the Honeymoon. J. B. CORTON.

Origin of the Honeymoon. The honeymoon used to last a month. The accepted notion is that it must be spent away from home in it must be spent away from home in order that the happy pair may get thoroughly acquainted without being victims of the curlosity of relatives and friends. It is so called from the habit of the ancient Germans of drinking "hydromel," which is a mix-ture of honey and water, for 30 days after marriage. Hydromel ferment-ed contains enough alcohol to make a man intoxicated in short order, so that the honeymoon really was a royal old drunk. Attila, the Hun, indulged so freely at his wedding that he died.—New York Press.

### Chance For a Reformer.

Harper's Weekly. Deafness Cannot Be Cured by local applications as they cannot reach this diseased portion of the ear. There is only ones way to cure deafness, and that is by consti-tutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imper-feet hearing, and when it is entirely closed Deafness is the result, and unless the inflam-mation can be taken out and this tube re-stored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Mine cases out of ten and and by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed you on the mucous surfaces. We will give on of the mucous surfaces. Ne will give on of the mucous surfaces. Ne will give on other the condition, circularstree, F. J. Curster & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Draggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation. Cleveland's three electric suburban

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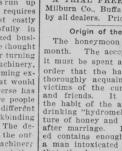
Fifteen officers of the German army are at present studying Japanese in the Berlin Seminary for Oriental

Millions of Vegetables. When the Editor read 10,000 plants for 16c, he could hardly believe it, but upon second reading finds that the John A. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis, than whom there are no more reliable and ex-tensive seed growers in the world, makes



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c) 44. "Some of them." Some of the people, provoked by the controversy would on their own responsibility have carried Him before the Sanhedrin. The reference here is not to the officers. "But no man," etc. Not even those who had been commanded to do it (see vs. 32, 45). They were fettered on the one hand by fair of the adherents of Jesus and on the other by were fettere bower of God. impressing them with an involuntary awe, so that they dared not proceed.
45. "The officers." Not Roman soldiers, but temple police, answering to the moderness had returned without fulfilling their mission, and the authorities were chagrined.
46. "Never man so spake" (R. V.) Christ spake (1) with authority. (2) with directness to men's hearts; (3) with power; (4) clearly and distinctly.

the lesson of Peter's vision, and always to call all things common and unclean.
Thus to-day we see here and there being the there of a swine." we may be the source of the source of

Have you lifted up the lamp for others That has guided your own glad feet? Have you echoed the loving message That seemed to you so sweet? It is a great thing to know when to speak and when to keep silence. A good word, spoken out of season, is like an arrow shot when the game has flown past. "Know thine oppor-tunity" was written on the temple at Delphos. First, do not speak until the right moment; second, do not al-low the right moment to go without speaking."

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low the right moment to go without speaking. When Latimer was on trial for heresy, he heard the scratch of a pan behind the tapestry. In a moment he-bethought himself that every word he spoke was taken down, and he says he was very careful what words he uttered. Behind the veil that hides eternity is a record-book in which our every syllable is taken down. Even the most trivial are not forgotten, for the Lord Jesus tells us "that every idle word that men shall speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment." Never think khd words are wasted; Bread on waters cast are they. And it may be we shall find them Coming back to us some day, Coming back to us some day, So, my friend, let's give them freely, Gift and giver God will bless.

TAKING HIM LITERALLY.

Mrs. Bridley—I know you'll be pleased to hear this. I think I'll be able to save a little on our household expenses this week.

Mr. Bridley-Well, dear, that will

be a feather in your cap. Mrs. Bridley (eagerly)—An ostrich 'feather?—Philadelphia Press.

Do not use a hickering light for read-ing or sewing. Use a lamp with a large burner and use good oil. When the eyes are hot and heavy bathe them in cold or tepid water, and do not confine them too closely to any sort of work.

sort of work. When ever the eyes ache or are easily fatigued use them as little as possible, and look up frequently from the work to rest them. When reading, hold the head erect and at a distance from the light, and do not bend the head over the work any more than is possible

Avoid poorly printed books with poor paper and poor type, and do not read when riding in cars or carriage, nor when convalescent from a protract-ed illness, nor when the whole body is in'a weakened state.—Health.

#### Dog-Watch.

Dog-Watch. Dog-watch is a corruption of Godge-watch, and is the name given to two short watches of two hour sach on shipboard—one from 4 to 6 p. m. and the other from 6 to 8 p. n. The dog-watches were introduced to prevent the same men from always keeping watch at the same hours of the day; hence on these occasions the sailors are said to dodge the routine, or to be doing dodge-watch.—Boston Globe.

#### Lettuce in Winter

Lettace in Winter. You can produce a head of lettuce in from twenty-four to ferty-eight hours' time in winter by first filling a box with rich earth mixed with one-third part of slaked lime and watering with lukewarm water. Then take the seeds, which have been previously softened by soaking in strong alcohol for twen-ty-four hours, and sow in the usual way.

Acting Governor.

Acting Governor. Lieutenant Governor Cunningham of Alabama has been acting executive for a year because of Governor Jelks ill health. When Governor Jelks was Lieutenant Governor he acted as Gov-ernor because of his predecessor's ill health and when the latter died filled out his term.

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Rear-Admiral Rojestvensky is fifty-sin years of age.

### Oyama's Wish.

Oyama's Wish. The great Japanese field marshal, Marquis Oyama, once said: "My idea of happiness is to dispose of everything I possess that belongs to the practice of arms and go far int-the country with big boxes of books to read for the rest of my days; books that tell of happiness and progress; and not of the terrible deeds of war. And I would gather about me my best old friends and little children. Then, in the sunny days all would be happiness."

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