

Uncle Phil Says:

That Is Perfection
Perfection does not consist in doing singular things; but it does consist in doing common things singularly well.

Those That Tried
Failures are facts that prove a man has at least actually tried to be successful.

Don't Live for Less
Never allow yourself to live for anything less than your highest ideal.

All friendships between men are based on the fact that the two are somehow happy in each other's company.

OREGON STATE NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Brief Resume of Happenings of the Week Collected for Our Readers

Hermiston—About 6000 turkeys were shipped by Eastern Oregon growers for Thanksgiving tables.

Newport—Yaquina bay bridge has finally received its finishing touches and the workmen have been dismissed.

Salem—The state of Oregon employs 6463 persons it was revealed recently. The average salary is \$120.71.

Portland—A recent survey revealed that about 400,000 barrels of flour were tied up in Northwest warehouses due to the strike conditions.

Cornelius—A horned owl with a head as large as a cat's and with a wing spread of four feet four inches was trapped here recently following several raids on chickens.

Prineville—A \$50 prize offered to the hunter bagging the buck with widest spread of antlers went to Lyle Prater of Bend. His mule deer showed a spread of 37 inches.

Bandon—The U. S. department of agriculture has reduced its estimate of the Pacific northwest cranberry crop. The Bandon fire is responsible for the reduction of 200 barrels.

Klamath Falls—A fine stand of timber along the Crater Lake highway has been preserved from the woodmen's axe as a result of negotiations between the forest service and a timber company.

Depoe Bay—The bay here is to be extensively improved if officials in Washington, D. C. approve recommendations of army engineers, according to Colonel Thomas M. Robbins, U. S. division engineer.

Ontario—Pud Long, United States biological survey trapper, bagged 80 coyotes in October. The number was twice that turned in by any of the other 34 hunters in the state. Long also killed four bobcats.

Salem—That Oregon is a sportsmen's paradise was given additional proof recently when the state highway department issued warning and placed signs cautioning of deer crossing the highways in Southern Oregon.

The Dalles — A person's query, "How does this city happen to have so many trees?" prompted a search of the city records to find in the early files that 70 years ago each settler was credited with 50 cents on his street tax for every tree planted, no matter what kind.

Ontario—The game farm recently purchased by the state game commission is to be cleared and fenced as soon as possible. It is planned to seed it to alfalfa in the spring, to use it as a holding pen in 1937 and to have it in full operation by 1938. The farm contains 120 acres and is about seven miles from Ontario.

Portland—"Believe it or not" a man here has been in the employ of one company for 62 years. Archie "Dad" Thurlow first started with the Powers furniture company 62 years ago and has been connected with the firm steadily ever since, preferring to stay in "harness" with the rest of the boys when offered a pension. It is some kind of a record, no doubt.

QUITS AFTER 100 BEARS
Knappa—Bill Markley, 75, has hung up his "shootin' iron." He recently shot his 100th bear and decided to quit hunting permanently. He has been shooting bears since 1918 and shot all 100 of them within ten miles of his home.

TOO MANY COUNTIES
Salem—Oregon has as much use for 36 counties as it has for two tails according to State Treasurer Holman.

Holman would divide the state into eight or ten districts and abolish a large number of county seats. He said such a plan would be practical under present transportation conditions.

MOSS COVERS TINY LAKE
Scotts Mills—Moss from six inches to five feet thick covers most of a tiny lake near here, members of a hiking club reported. Fir trees 20 feet high are supported by the mat. The moss is brown, tinged with green, and holds a supply of marsh gas. If a stick is thrust through the growth, the gas emerges and will burn for several seconds if ignited.

Bend — Deschutes county which lost some \$700 in a recent burglarizing of its vaults is spending \$300 for a safe. Papers and documents will continue to be put in the vault but cash will be deposited in the new safe.

Canyon City—The "old Lucas home," instead of being razed to permit access to the rich gravel underneath will be given a coat of paint and preserved as the oldest man made landmark in the area. It was built in 1864.

what Irvin S. Cobb thinks about:

This Changing World.
NEW YORK.—They say poker is dying out, its place being taken by bridge, a game played with 52 cards and frequently, as between partners, with fully 52 times that many harsh words. I look next for a revival of tit-tat-toe. You can quarrel over that, too.



Irvin S. Cobb

And out on the dude-ranches, old cowhands, who once were almost rough with heifers and calves, are being schooled in discreet love-making and other romantic exercises to qualify them for celebrating Be Good to Debutantes week next summer.

And it no longer excites national interest when the plaintiff in a breach of promise suit, or even a suit for alimony, is a man. Or at least such is the impression which his lawyer, in addressing the jury, would create.

Soot-Laden Cities.
LOS ANGELES may have its drawbacks (loud cries of "no!" from all native sons, including the foreign-born ones), but she certainly spoils a fellow for the clinker-laden, smut-freighted atmosphere of many other cities.

Take Chicago, where the weather bureau, if so inclined, frequently might report a two-inch fall of soot. Or Pittsburgh, where a chap comes home for a week looking as though he'd been cleaning out a soot-coal stove. New York is nothing to brag on, either. Leave a snow-white pup out over night and he could pass for a Dalmatian.

Yet heating engineers say that proper smoke consumers would produce such saving in fuel cost as to pay for themselves in about one year. Can it be these big city folks would rather not save money, or just naturally don't care a dern? Or possibly the citizens fear they might collapse their lungs and choke to death did they start breathing something remotely resembling fresh air?

Cruelty to Wives.
MAYBE you'll remember — it was in all the papers — the lady who got a divorce in Chicago some time back by alleging that on the Fourth of July her husband assailed her with firecrackers; on Thanksgiving day he threw a turkey at her, and on Christmas morning he beat her up with a Christmas tree.

But assume the union had lasted until now. You can imagine the poor woman's anguish if, through the last political campaign, her husband had made her read all the polls taken on the election by the inspired outfits that did take polls and through that period had compelled her to listen on the radio to the average professional broadcaster on football games, especially the rapid-fire descriptionist who talks all at once and gets so excited himself that the game, in comparison, seems but a tame and commonplace affair!

That would indeed be cruel seasonal suffering for any wife.

Outwitting the Laundry Man.
SEEING a Pullman porter pry open a car window with one of those burglars' tools which Pullman porters carry for that purpose gave me an idea.

I'm going to buy one to use on dress shirts when they come back from the laundry with the little flaps on the collar band cemented down over the back button hole. The laundries may claim it's starch, but I know better—it's concrete and high-grade concrete at that. It acts like it and tastes like it, as you may have noticed on licking same. With the aid of this happy device, I shall save my nervous system, my salivary juices, my fingernails and—if profanity be a grievous sin—probably my immortal soul as well.

But I don't suppose anything can be done about the eighteen or twenty pins with which every efficient laundry hand pins up a dress shirt before delivering. And perhaps we'd better not try—it would reduce the consumption of pins in this country by from one-half to two-thirds, and goodness knows the industrial balance is already upset.

IRVIN S. COBB.
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Neglected by Germany
Dr. Paul Ehrlich, 1854-1915, famed Jewish-German bacteriologist, received more than 30 honorary degrees and decorations from foreign governments and foreign universities, but from his native Germany only the Order of the Red Eagle, third class.

Bell Sounds Mess Call
It is a nice idea to call the family to dinner or your guests to tea by ringing a musical bell. One particularly intriguing arrangement is in wrought iron with an old anchor fastened to a wood beam. From the end of the beam hangs the iron bell.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for December 6 PAUL'S PARTING COUNSELS

LESSON TEXT—I Timothy 6:6-16; II Timothy 4:16-18.
GOLDEN TEXT—I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith. II Timothy 4:7.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Paul's Last Letter.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Paul Awaits the Great Adventure.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Passing on the Christian Torch.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Transmitting the Gospel Heritage.

The apostle Paul was an example in many things, and not the least important of these is the manner in which he was constantly on the lookout for young men who by the call and blessing of God would take up the gospel ministry. He realized that there was much to be done and that if the Lord tarried he and his co-workers would pass on, and the work must needs be carried forward by younger men.

Not only did he seek out such young men but he "followed through," giving them encouragement, instruction, and opportunities for service. How shortsighted is the church that fails God at this point, or which, for the sake of local and present usefulness, hinders young men and women from obtaining the needed training for Christian service. The fields are white unto harvest but the laborers are still few. Let us pray them out and help them on their way.

Our lesson centers around the counsels of Paul to his young friend, Timothy. Written near the end of his life, the letters are filled with all the sweet earnestness of his great soul. They present four important truths which merit the careful attention of every Christian, and even more particularly of the Christian worker.

I. The Gain of Godliness (I Tim. 6:6-8).

In a world which knows little but the urge to gain material riches we need to emphasize the fact that it is still true that a man is not profited if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul.

The great gain of godliness is that inner fellowship with God which brings true contentment of spirit.

II. The Snare of Riches (I Tim. 6:9-11).

The pages of human history are full of the names of those who have fallen into this trap of Satan. Sad to say, not a few of them have been Christian leaders.

Notice that it is not the money itself, or the amount of it that constitutes the danger. It is the desire or the "mind to be rich," and "the love of money" that "is a root of all evil." Hence Paul's admonition comes to each one of us to "flee these things and follow after righteousness, godliness, faith, love, patience, meekness." What a sermon in a dozen words!

III. The Fight of Faith (vv. 12-16).

Christianity is not only an inward grace which reflects in "godliness with contentment" and in fleeing the snare of riches, but it is a daily fighting of the good fight of faith. It is imperative that there be "a good confession" (v. 12), coupled with a keeping of God's "commandment without spot, without reproach, until the appearing of our Lord Jesus Christ."

The servant of Christ, in view of the coming of the One who is "the King of Kings and Lord of Lords," is to live a consistent, clean, and irreproachable life.

IV. A Divine Deliverance (II Tim. 4:16-18).

"All forsook me," says Paul. How tragic! How weak and undependable is the arm of flesh! "But the Lord stood by me." How glorious! How mighty and gracious is our God!

The follower of Christ may find himself without a human friend or supporter. Those who stood by in younger and more successful days may have disappeared. But let us remember that our trust is in God who has never failed any one of his children. "He abideth faithful, he cannot deny himself." (II Tim. 2:13).

Worship and Prayers

It is for the sake of man, not of God, that worship and prayers are required; that man may be made better—that he may be confirmed in a proper sense of his dependent state, and acquire those pious and virtuous dispositions in which his highest improvement consists.

Learning Only Good

The wish falls often on my heart, that I may learn nothing here that I cannot continue in the other world; that I may do nothing here but deeds that will bear fruit in Heaven. —Jean Paul Richter.

Window of Hope

Eternity is the divine treasure house, and hope is the window, by means of which mortals are permitted to see, as through a glass darkly, the things which God is preparing.—Mountford.

On to Success— With It Comes Boldness in New Ideas; Our Sphere of Friends and Activities Expands

A POOR salesman may be a genius at gardening; an indifferent stenographer sometimes never suspects her own gift for cookery, for dress design, for ability to pick up foreign languages. By thinking candidly about yourself, by being as friendly to yourself as you would be to another, you can often draw up a picture of your tastes, abilities, desires and hopes which will astonish you.

Take an inventory of yourself, paying special attention to the things you like but which you have little of in your daily life. Then start putting them into it.

From Interest to a Specialty
Often we have to begin slowly—reading, or finding courses of instruction within our means, or working out a program for ourselves in solitude; but every day something can be done toward the new way of living. It can grow from an interest into a hobby, from a hobby into a side line, from a side line into a specialty. Then comes the day when the unsatisfactory work can be given up (to someone who will find it as satisfying and as absorbing as we find our own new field) and success is at last really and noticeably on its way to us—or we are on our way to it.

Vitalizes Character
Then living begins to be fun. We meet people with the same tastes,

not just the chance acquaintances who come our way in an uncongenial profession. Having succeeded once, we begin to show a little daring; we try new ideas more boldly, and our world of friends and activities expands even more. Chances we couldn't even imagine until we got inside our real work turn up on every hand. Best of all, even a small success has a vitalizing effect on character.

That is the most interesting discovery that success brings in its train: those who are living successful, make the best friends. They are free from malice and spitefulness. They are not petty. They are full of good talk and humor.—Dorothea Brande in Cosmopolitan.

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3. Atlantic, Arctic and Pacific.
4. Oliver Wendell Holmes.
5. A flute-like musical instrument.
6. Emperors of Delhi.
7. Uruguay.
8. A fur-bearing mammal.
9. An English poet and story writer (1820-1897).
10. A proposal to bar slavery from territory obtained from Mexico.

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WHEN OBVIOUS DISGUST SUFFERS ONE CHEEK TO BE DABBED WITH A DAZZLED HANDMAIDEN-CHEF
LISTENS FOR ELEVENTH TIME TO DISCOURSE ABOUT BEHAVIOR AND REMEMBERING MANNERS
EDGES TOWARD DOOR WHILE BEING REMINDED NOT TO ASK FOR SECOND HELPING OF ICE CREAM
IS CALLED BACK WHILE MOTHER FIXES HIS HAT AND HEARSE AND PICKS IMAGINARY SPECKS OFF COAT
GETS AWAY AT LAST, MOTHER CALLING AFTER HIM TO REMEMBER TO SAY GOOD-BYE NICELY
PURSUES HIS WAY REPLEASING WHAT A CHORE GROWN-UPS CAN MAKE GOING TO A PARTY SEEM!

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Where Virtue Prospers
Good nature is the very air of a good mind; the sign of a large and generous soul, and the peculiar soil in which virtue prospers.—Goodman.

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