

WHY GAMBLING IS A SIN TOLD BY A MINISTER

Rev. W. Hamill Shields Delivers Timely Discourse At Presbyterian Church

FOUR REASONS GIVEN AGAINST GAMBLING EVIL

There Is Much Loose Thinking, Both In The Church and Out, Is Asserted

"Why is gambling a sin" was the subject of an interesting sermon given by the members of the congregation of the Presbyterian church Sunday evening by the pastor, the Rev. W. Hamill Shields.

Gambling was defined by the minister as the art or practice of playing a game of hazard or one dependent partly upon skill and partly upon hazard, with a view to pecuniary gain.

That there is much loose thinking upon the subject of gambling was asserted. The English church has been greatly aroused by the prevalence of the gambling evil in England declaring gambling the greatest danger of modern times.

Four reasons were presented and discussed showing why gambling is sinful. These are: (1) It is dishonest in motive. The man willing to gamble is the man who has inwardly consented to put into his pocket gains for which he did no service.

Gambling is a sin because (2) it destroys self respect and the respect of all folks. Many homes are broken up by the husband or the wife playing for high stakes, quarreling, losing the respect of each other and of their friends.

Gambling is a sin because (3) while a social game of cards may be innocent and harmless, social gambling among friends is always wrong. It leads to quarrels and the separation of friends.

Gambling is a sin because (4) because it creates an ungovernable craze for money and excitement which logically leads to the destruction of character.

INVESTIGATE THE THEFT OF A HOG

Sheriff B. H. Lytle and Probation Officer Purcell were near Centerville Sunday afternoon, investigating the alleged theft of a hog. A Centerville man reported the loss of a hog and after an investigation the officers are said to have found the head of the animal in an abandoned well.

NO MORE GAMES AT RIVERSIDE PARK

No more games will be played on the Riverside park diamond by the Knights of Pythias team, according to Manager Tom Hall. Hereafter all contests will be staged at Athletic park.

SCHOOL CHILDREN INVITED TO COMPETE

National American Legion Commander MacNider Offers Prizes For Essays

County School Superintendent J. C. Marriott received in his mail, Monday, a circular letter from Garland W. Powell, assistant national director of the American Legion, calling attention and inviting Knox county cooperation in a national essay contest being promoted by National Commander Hanford MacNider.

Essays are to be submitted in county, state and national competition on "How the American Legion Can Best Serve the Nation." Any school child, between the ages of 12 and 18 years, is eligible.

While the awards are not to be made until next August, it is, however, unfortunately too late to present the opportunity to the pupils of schools in Knox county.

Superintendent Marriott is favorably impressed by the proposal and stated Monday that should it be renewed next year in time to submit to the Knox county schools he will give his approval and recommendation.

MT. VERNON COUPLE HURT IN ACCIDENT

Reports were brought to Mt. Vernon today of an automobile accident near Monroe Mills Sunday morning in which Mr. Clarence Stuck and Miss Mildred Taylor were participants.

Miss Taylor is reported to have suffered a severe bump over one eye and to have received scratches on her face. The shock caused her to faint.

Mr. Stuck is said to have suffered an injury to one hip and a foot.

LYTLE FILES HIS PETITION TODAY

Burr H. Lytle, Knox county's popular sheriff, this afternoon filed with the Knox county board of elections his petition asking for the nomination of sheriff on the Democratic ticket.

BLACK PITCHES NO HIT GAME SUNDAY

BRINK HAVEN, May 29—Carl Black pitched a no-hit game for Brink Haven here Sunday in the contest against Glenmont. Brink Haven won by a score of 8 to 0, and Black did not allow anything that looked like a hit. Brink Haven obtained 12 hits.

BIRTHS

A son was born Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holbrook at 405 East Pleasant street.

TWO FINGERS SEVERED

Hazel Higgins, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wood Higgins of Homer, had two fingers cut off Sunday when she caught her hands in the knives of a lawn mower. The child was given attention by a Mt. Vernon surgeon.

MT. VERNON MEN WON

Scores received from Columbus show that the Mt. Vernon Rifle & Revolver club were the victors in the shoot held on Friday evening with the Columbus Bulck Rifle club.

BASE BALL

HOW THEY STAND

Table showing baseball standings for American League and National League, listing teams like New York, St. Louis, Philadelphia, etc., with wins, losses, and percentages.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Table showing yesterday's baseball results for American League and National League, listing games between teams like Detroit vs Cleveland, St. Louis vs Chicago, etc.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

Table showing today's baseball schedule for American League and National League, listing games between teams like Chicago at Cleveland, Detroit at St. Louis, etc.

MISS CHRISTA MILLS CLAIMED BY DEATH

Christa A. Mills, aged 65 years, died at the home of her niece, Mrs. Joseph Hancock, 710 East High street, Saturday evening at 8:30 after an illness of two weeks.

Miss Mills was a resident of New Guilford the greater part of her life. She is survived by three sisters, Mary E. Mortford and Eliza Wright of this city and Paulina Bates of New Castle.

Funeral services were held at 12 o'clock Monday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hancock, Rev. Hugh Wray officiating. Burial was made at Cullison Ridge.

SENIOR EXAMS AT HIGH SCHOOL TODAY

A new system was inaugurated in the giving of examinations in the high school this year. All of the senior class examinations were held Monday morning and afternoon so as to give these students the rest of the time for preparation for commencement, June 8. The examinations of the other classes will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

MEETINGS

The Daughters of Veterans are requested to meet at the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow promptly at 1 o'clock.

The Hawkins-Larimore, family reunion will be held Wednesday, June 7, at the home of Edward Hawkins at Lock.

U. R. K. of P. meets Monday evening, May 29, to make arrangements to attend the memorial services at Zanesville Sunday, June 4.

All Sons of Veterans are asked to turn out in the Decoration Day parade Tuesday afternoon, whether or not members of the camp.

The annual Epworth League banquet of the Gay St. M. E. church will be held next Wednesday evening in the church parlors.

The program at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce next Wednesday will be in charge of the chamber's agricultural committee.

TODAY'S MARKET QUOTATIONS, TELEGRAPHIC AND LOCAL

STOCKS AND BONDS

Columbus Stock: Cities Service, Com. 233-238. Cities Service, Pfd. 65 1/2-66. Cities Service, Bankers 23 3/4-23 1/2.

Liberty Bond Close: 3 1/2, \$100.02. First 4 1/2, \$99.80. Second 4 1/2, \$99.94. First 4 1/2, \$99.96. Second 4 1/2, \$99.94. Third 4 1/2, \$99.96. Fourth 4 1/2, \$100.00. Victory 3 1/2, \$100.00. Victory 4 1/2, \$100.02.

New York Stock: American Sugar 78 1/2. Am. Telegraph & Telephone 122 1/2. Baltimore & Ohio 48 1/2. Bethlehem Steel 78 1/2. Chesapeake & Ohio 68 1/2. Goodrich Co. 44 1/2. Louisville & Nashville 118 1/2. Midvale Steel 41 1/2. Norfolk & Western 109. N. Y. Central 91 1/2. Pennsylvania 42 1/2. Republic Iron & Steel 77 1/2. Union Pacific 141. U. S. Steel 100 1/2. Pure Oil 32 1/2.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

Pittsburgh Livestock: Hogs—Receipts: 7500; market steady; heavies 11.20@11.25; heavy yorkers, light yorkers, pigs 11.40@11.45. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts: 2500; market higher; top sheep 8; top lambs 13. Calves—Receipts: 1900; market steady; top 11.50.

Chicago Livestock: Cattle—Receipts: 20,000; market active; top beef steers 9.10; bulk beef steers 8@8.60; fat she stock steady. Calves—Market steady; bulk vealers 9@9.50. Hogs—Receipts: 49,000; market active; top 11; bulk of sales 10.35@10.90; pigs 9.50@9.75. Sheep—Receipts: 20,000; market steady. Lambs—Market lower; top lambs 15.25.

Cleveland Livestock: Cattle—Receipts 1100; market lower. Calves—Receipts: 1,200; market lower; good to choice veal calves 10.50@11. Sheep—Receipts: 1000; market steady; spring lambs 14@16. Hogs—Receipts: 6,500; market steady; yorkers, mixed, heavies, pigs and lights 11.25; roughs 8.25; stags 5.25.

GRAIN MARKETS

Chicago Grain: Wheat—May 1.18 1/2; July 1.18 1/2. Corn—May 39 1/2; July 37 1/2. Oats—May 36 1/2; July 37 1/2. Pork—May 26.50. Lard—May 11.55; July 11.82. Ribs—May 11.87; July 11.89.

Toledo Grain: Wheat—Cash and May 1.25; July 1.21. Cloverseed—Cash 13.75; Oct. 11.15. Alsike—Cash 11.50; Aug. 11.75. Timothy—Cash and May 2.90; Sept. 3.25.

LOCAL MARKET

The following are prices paid by H. V. Smoots for farm products, delivered at his warehouse: Fresh Eggs .20c. No. 1 Country Butter .24c. No. 2 Country Butter .15c. Heavy Hens .20c. Light Hens .18c. Broilers No. 2 .30c. Old Roosters .10c. Ducks .12c. Geese .13c. Turkeys .28c.

CLASSIFIED COLUMN

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One Ford runabout. 702 West Chestnut. x1

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Phone 14. x31

FOR SALE—Jersey cow. Phone 823 red. x31

FOR SALE—Ford touring, good condition. 1915 model. \$75. Call 923 black. x31

FOR SALE—Single comb Rhode Island Red pullets, March hatched. Elmer Davis. Phone 2051-B. x31

FOR SALE—Ford speedster, 1917 Ford roadster with winter top. George L. Turner, rear 306 North Gay street. Phone 270. x29

FOR SALE—Fresh Guernsey cow, five years old, with calf by side. Also Guernsey bull, four months old, eligible to register. Mary J. Feribaugh, Buckeye City, O. x1

FOR SALE

Open for bids. My home on the southeast corner of Mulberry and Sugar streets. Ten-room modern house. Open for inspection until June 10. Address sealed bids to P. O. Box 44. x1

FOR SALE—37 Big Type Poland China pigs, eight weeks to 14 weeks of age. Both sexes. Eligible to registry. Best of breeding. Buckeye Bob, Giant Wonder, Goliath, Disher's Giant, etc. Special prices on lots of five or more. Come early and get your choice. Ralph Haas, Utica, O. Phone F-137. x5

FOR SALE

Surety Bonds. Does your position or business demand the giving of a surety bond? Don't sacrifice your friends. Let the Fidelity & Deposit Co. of Baltimore, Md., take care of it, no matter what it is. THE WYKER REALTY CO. Local Representatives S.W. Cor. Main & Gambler Sts. 31

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Furnished housekeeping rooms. Apply 20 West Gambler street. tf

WANTED

WANTED—Tinner, experienced in pipe and factory work. Address Box 1, care Barber office. x29

WANTED—Electric repair work of all kinds. Knecht-Feeny Electric Co. 135 Blue. FMW 1.

WANTED—Man on part or full

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

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\$2.75 ROUND TRIP TO

Cleveland

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When You Deposit With Us, Just What Interest Your Money Will Draw. Our Rate Does Not Fluctuate.

Our certificates of deposit will earn just as much for you in later years as the day you make your deposit.

There is no clause in our certificates compelling you to accept a lower rate when conditions change. Our plan is not pliable. 5% ON DEPOSITS LOANS AT 6 1/2% RESOURCES OVER \$22,000,000.00 STOCK AND SURPLUS OVER \$3,000,000.00

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KRAFT CHEESE advertisement with logo and text: Delicious Appetizing KRAFT CHEESE IN TINS IN LOAVES ASK YOUR GROCER

LYRIC advertisement featuring an image of a man and a dog, with text: Today and Tomorrow Will Rogers -in- "Doubling for Romeo" A ridin', rompin', ropin' Romeo from Arizona in the funniest comedy drama you ever saw. Also a SUNSHINE comedy "LAUGHING GAS"

THE VINE advertisement with large stylized text.

Today, Tomorrow, Wednesday

Advertisement for Gloria Swanson in the movie 'Beyond The Rocks' with an image of her and text: Gloria Swanson IN ELINOR GLYN'S "BEYOND THE ROCKS" WITH RODOLPH VALENTINO A Paramount Picture

Comedy "FOR THE LAND'S SAKE." SHOWS—2:15, 7:00, 9 p. m. ADMISSION—Adults 30c; Children 10c.