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INTERNATIONAL LESSON.

First Quarter-Lesson XI.—March 13.

PROMISE OF A NEW HEART.
—Ezek. 36: 25-38.

GOLDEN TEXT.—A new heart also will I give you, and a new spirit will I put within you.—Ezek. 36: 26.

CLEANSING FROM SIN.—Ver. 25. Then, When God restores Israel to their own land (ver. 24). Will I, God is speaking. Sprinkle clean water upon you. Clean water is a natural symbol of cleansing.

From all your filthiness. Sin is to the soul what filth is to the body. And from all your idols. The exile cured the Israelites from idolatry. They never again fell into that sin.

A NEW HEART AND A NEW LIFE. —Vers. 26, 27. A new heart also will I give you. The heart is the centre of life to the body. From a right heart flows a right life, from a wrong heart flows a wrong life. No outward form or control can make a person truly good. A new spirit.

A new motive, new principle of action, a new love. The new heart and spirit do not imply a constitutional change, the impartation of new faculties or new powers to the soul. It is a change of character. It is the most radical change of which human character is susceptible. It is a change from sin to holiness. This is the great doctrine of the New Testament, taught forcibly by our Lord himself in his statements respecting the new birth (John 3: 3-8), and everywhere presented as pre-eminently the work of the Spirit of God. And I will take away the stony heart. The heart of sin is called stony, because it is cold to God's love and goodness, not warming with holy emotions and heavenly desires. And I will put my Spirit within you. The new Spirit will be his spirit, like his, desires like his, a nature like his. And this came in its fulness when the Pentecostal gift was bestowed. The source of the new life was the Spirit of God. Keep my judgments. His laws, his decisions, as to what was right.

THE TEMPORAL EFFECTS OF THE NEW HEART.—Vers. 28-30. And ye shall dwell in the land. No outward power can take them again into exile, unless they depart from God. And I will be your God. Every good thing is included in this. I will also cleanse you from your uncleanness. This must be the first thing in salvation. The other blessing cannot come till first they are saved from sin. I will call for the corn. Grain. And I will multiply the fruit of the tree. There shall be plenty of food. No more reproach of famine. The heathen seem to have reproached the Israelites with having a God who would allow them to suffer hunger.

GOD'S GOODNESS LEADING TO REPENTANCE.—Ver. 31. Then shall ye remember your own evil ways. . . and shall loathe yourselves. When they see their own sins in contrast with God's goodness, then they will realize how mean and disgraceful their sins were. Their sin was the more vile, because it was committed against so good a God. In your own sight. Bad men sometimes hate sin in others; hate some kinds of sin. But God's people hate all sin, because it is sin, and most of all their own sin.

UNDESERVED MERCIES.—Vers. 32-38. Not for your sakes. Not because you deserve it. They could not claim the deliverance as a right, for they ought to be ashamed and confounded for your own ways. The salvation was the free gift of God. In the day that I shall have cleansed you. They must never forget that this was the necessary condition of salvation. This land that was desolate is become like the garden of Eden. In these verses, the temporal side of these promises stands forth. But the spiritual side furnishes the richer instalments. This prophecy is being fulfilled in every Christian community, as far as it is Christian. I will yet for this be inquired of. Although the blessing was promised it could come only through prayer. Prayer leads to communion with God. Prayer connects every temporal blessing with the goodness of God. Then there must be a hungering for the best gifts, or they will have small blessings for us. Prayer increases the desire. As the holy flock. When great numbers of people (in the time of Christ as many as two millions) came up to Jerusalem to the Passover, great numbers of sheep and lambs were driven to the city for sacrifice and feasting; far more than at any other time. (1) The cities would be filled with inhabitants; (2) they would be consecrated to the service of God.

PRACTICAL HINTS.

Ezekiel was an example to teachers and preachers in the number and variety of the methods and illustrations he used for persuading the people.

With all the intensity of his warnings there was a gleam of hope, a door opened to better things. The promises of God are sure.

The providence of God envelops the world, and is controlling and using all things for the unfolding of his kingdom.

The moral renovation proceeds and is the source of the outward renovation. First, new hearts, then a new earth.

The need of the world is (1) cleansing from sin, (2) a new heart and life, (3) the Holy Spirit of God, guiding, inspiring, and refreshing.

Every heart renewed, every soul opened to the Holy Spirit, is one of the steps of the millennium.

The fruits of moral renewal will be seen in outward improvements.

The goodness of God leads to repentance.

Sin is not only wicked, but is mean, vile, loathsome.

Salvation is God's free gift.

W. E. T. Union.

OUR MOTTO.—If God be for us, who can be against us.

In the column to day we publish, by request, an interesting letter from Mrs. Judge Steadman, who with her husband, is seeking restoration to health in the mild and balmy air of Los Angeles, Cal.

PASADENA, CAL., FEB. 3RD.

My dear co-laborers:—Ever since I left home it has been my desire to address you from this sunny land. But even here sickness followed me and all else was forgotten for the time. Now, however, I feel hopeful that the worst is passed and that I shall soon be rejoicing in a complete restoration to health of my husband and myself. That I have thought of you each week of the regular meeting, you may be assured and eagerly open to the INTELLIGENCER columns for news from my beloved field. I visited the Pasadena Union last week, and I could have closed my eyes and fancied I was among my own, so surely do White Ribboners use the same language. Being pressed to say a few words to them, I could but tell them that I had readily discussed that "Our fears, our hopes, our aims were one," and Canadians and Americans were alike interested in the homes of the nation, and the uplifting of humanity. One thing I observed wherein they were unlike ourselves and that was in their readiness to let their voices be heard. At the devotional meeting (always the first hour of every meeting) the President asked each one present to read a verse from the Bible and give their own comment upon it, and I was interested in the prompt manner in which they took the subject up at the President's request, an entirely new feature for them, showing they were Bible students. I think, we as a Union, do not give sufficient thought and study to the Christian side, of our many-sided organization. We want more evangelistic work among us, and in our own hearts. Once filled with this love we shall not hesitate to give to others. On Friday last I was present by invitation at the reception given to Mary Allen West, Editor of Union Signal, and Mary Allen, National Lecturer.

It was very pleasant to be so warmly welcomed by one and all, but painful to be alluded to as the successor of our beloved Mrs. Youmans. I am hoping to attend a "school of methods" to be conducted by Miss West and perhaps shall gain something there. The next time I am in Los Angeles (ten miles distant) I want to visit the Temperance Temple of which you had a picture in the Union Signal and I shall keep my eyes open to get ideas for our new coffee and reading room, which some of you are already planning. I should like to be there to help, so you will know by this wish how much better I am in health and in my husband's, now I find daily improvement. Need I tell you that in the darkest hour your prayers and loving sympathy have been to me like manna in the wilderness, and may you in the dark comfort in all your afflictions where with you have comforted others. And now what shall I say of this place whither our weary hearts, and feet have led us, beautiful for situation this "crown of the valley" lying so near the foot of hills, while nearly surrounded by the mountains, which no pen in my hand can describe. Language fails me, but just turn to Miss West's description and there she has given expression to the way they impress me, but which I have not the power of language to describe. I stand and look at them, and feel the beautiful, strong expressions contained in the Psalms and wish I could give voice to their strength and grandeur. Yesterday for the first, we saw their peaks covered with snow, the first we have seen since we left the snow blockade in the dreary desert. At the time of writing there is a heavy thunder storm and we are in the rainy season of California. During the month of January we had constant sunshine, the ever varying shadows that rest upon these mountains can

only be enjoyed by the eye. A new feature has presented itself since the rain began and that is the clouds on the mountains. Sometimes we see the mountains above the clouds, which is a very beautiful picture. One day a rainbow resting from foot hill to foot hill, arched perfectly at the mountain top. "As the mountains are round about Jerusalem so the Lord is round about His people from henceforth even forever." Will you be interested in the climate or its productions? Picture to yourself then, the streets lined on either side with the tropical palms of which I have counted six varieties, interspersed with the graceful pepper tree with its tassel like blossoms of crimson, the century plant of very large size, and other trees of which I have not learned the name. The yards containing orange trees now in full bloom, also the lemon with its paler yellow fruit, geraniums of all kinds growing up to the eaves of the houses, with such a profusion of bloom on them as to almost hide the foliage. Calla lily hedges also in bloom, climbing roses, recovering from the great wind storm, are pushing out new buds, beautiful hedges of the Monterey cypress rivaling our finest cedar hedges, are cut in all shapes, blocks, baskets, hearts, etc., in a short time now the air will be heavy with the perfume of orange, rose, lemon, guava, fig and date and other fruits I do not think of. The air here is something like that of Digby with not quite so strong a touch of the salt sea air, but enough to be invigorating, and on enquiry I learn that we do not get a whiff from the Pacific coast, when on the sunny side of the street it feels like a hot June day in F'ton, but if you step into the shade a wrap is comfortable. I must have wearied you with my long letter. Do you think from my description that I am being enticed from home, "nae, nae." I turn my eyes oftentimes towards the way we came, and my heart says it is, "Hame, hame to my ain country and hame, hame, I fain would be," but I have his gracious promise, "Lo I am with you alway (all the day) even unto the end of the world."

"No promise what the days shall bring
Some must be dark, with storm and haze
To each its measured love will cling
But I am with you all the days.
To-day, to-morrow, on and on
No day shall come and find thee gone
Thou who hast taught in Galilee."

With loving remembrance to each and all, believe me your sister in the bonds of Christian love.
E. J. STEADMAN.

MOTHER'S MEETING.

This branch of Christian work which has recently been adopted by our Union with Mrs. Johnson as head superintendent, promises to be interesting and instructive. Meetings are held once each month.

The readings are from leaflets chosen from the series.

The subject for to-day was the White Cross Movement by Elise Hopkins a most eloquent and earnest appeal for the promotion of Social Purity, showing that it is especially women's work to carry on this crusade against evil, and in the spirit of consecration to inculcate by precept and example, the best of all the Beautitudes, "Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God."

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