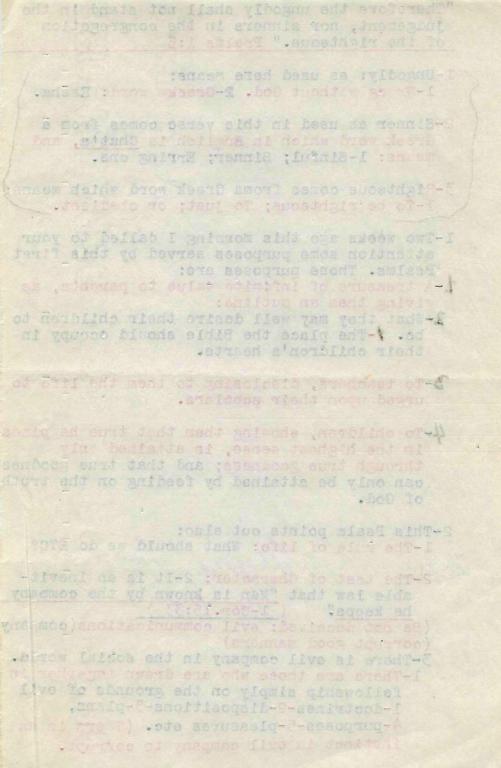
"Therefore the ungodly shall not stand in the judgement, nor sinners in the congregation of the righteous." Psalms 1:5
1-Ungodly: as used here means: 1-Wrong without God. 2-Greekw word: Rasha.
2-Sinner as used in this verse comes from a Greek word which in English is Chatta, and means: 1-Sinful; Sinner; Erring one.
3-Righteous comes froma Greek word which means: 1-To be righteous; To just; or obedient.
1-Two weeks ago this morning I called to your attention some purposes served by this first Psalms. Those purposes are: 1-A treasure of infinite value to parents, as
<pre>giving them an outline: 2-What they may well desire their children to be. 2-The place the Bible should occupy in their children's hearts.</pre>
3-To teachers, disclosing to them the life to urged upon their scholars.
4-To children, showing them that true happines in the highest sense, is attained only through true goodness; and that true goodness can only be attained by feeding on the truth of God.
2-This Psalm points out also:
2-The test of Character: 2-It is an inevit- able law that "Man is known by the company
able law that "Man is known by the company he keeps" (<u>1-Cor.15:33</u>) (Be not deceived: evil communications(company (corrupt good manners) 3-There is evil company in the social world. 1-There are those who are drawn together in fellowship simply on the grounds of evil 1-doctrines-2-dispositions-3-plans, 4-purposes-5-pleasures etc. (There is an
instinct in evil company to corrupt.



Again: In this Psalm there is;

- 3-A Foreshadowing of Destiny: 1-Acts fix habits, 2-Habits settles character, 3-And character determines destiny.
- 4-So the ungodly shall not stand in the judgement: 1-The ungodly shall not endure the time of trial which will assuredly come.
 - 2-The ungodly will not be able to endure the scrutiny of the great Lawgiver. One inquiring glance of God shatters the whole structure of his life. Scattered like dust & leaver -
 - 3-God does not know his way; Jesus said, "I neve knew you: Matt. 7:23.
- 5-So the ungodly, the sinner, the scorner, in that order, pass out of the presence of God, and into their eternal destiny of woe.
- 6-In closing, and in the word of the apostle Paul, 1-Cor. 15:30-31; And why stand we in jeopardy every hour? I protest by your rejoicing which I have in Chris 2-There is a daily dying that is inevitable to
 - humanity.
 - 3-In each human body the seed of death is planted.
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 - 4-The law of mortality is at work. We live at a poor dying rate

shall never die. 7

5-The water does not more naturally roll to the ocean than the human frame runs every moment to dissolution.

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