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But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, fidelity, gentleness, self-control. There is no law which condemns things like that.

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CHARLES HARRISON DWIGHT

Educator, Scientist and Historian was born July 9, 1897, Closter, New Jersey; died Cincinnati, Ohio, December 6, 1975. Was the son of Charles Abbott Schneider Dwight and Susan Wilson Wilbur. A descendent of a family which has produced numerous outstanding educators and clergy, Professor Dwight was a life-long Presbyterian. Received B.A., Bellevue College; M.S., University of Chicago; and Ph.D., University of Cincinnati. His teaching career of 43 years was spent in the Physics Department of the University of Cincinnati, interrupted only by his World War II Radar Research for Columbia University and the War Department. His publications in his field were numerous, as were the instructional aids that he developed. He pioneered the field of teaching physics to students of Architecture and Music.

He researched and published the accepted biography of Sir Benjamin Thompson, Count von Rumford, American born, European scientist and social reformer. This contribution was exceedingly well received and published by the Sigma Xi Society.

A member of the Ohio Society of Colonial Wars, he was Registrar for many years. He served as Historian General of the General Society and was a Life Member of the Council until his death. His participation and know­ ledge added much to the life of the Society of Colonial Wars. He was a member of numerous historical and patriotic societies and held offices in many of them. For over forty years, he was a member and officer of the Cincinnati Chapter of Sigma Xi, National Research Society.

On July 3, 1934, he married Virginia Moore Burke, of an old established Cincinnati family.

C. Harrison Dwight was a Christian gentleman who contributed much in his broad fields of interest. He will long be favorably remembered by his students, co-workers and friends.