

FIVE LITTLE DEALERS

Five little dealers, Each kept a store, One cut prices; Then there were four.

Four little dealers, Feeling sad but free, One wouldn't advertise; Then there were three.

Three little dealers, One felt pretty blue, Failed to dress his windows, That left only two.

Two little dealers, All their rivals gone, One forgot his overhead; That left only one.

One little dealer, Decided he could get Some lessons from experience, So he's growing yet!

TWENTY YEARS AGO

From the Issue of The Free Press of Thursday, July 4, 1912

Very enjoyable weather was provided for the Dominion Day holiday.

The Board of Education has just been advised that the regular grants to the Continuation School this year will be \$1,014.82.

Notwithstanding the hot weather, 483 books were issued from the Public Library in June.

Two Hydro-Electric engineers were here during the week laying out the town for the new system. Part of the material has already reached town and work will commence in a few days.

The oiling of the streets was completed last week and has proved a panacea in allaying the dust.

The annual garden party of the Ladies Aid of Knox Church will be held at the home of Mr. Charles Davidson, next Tuesday evening.

In the last play of the last innings of the baseball match in the Park on Monday afternoon, a very serious accident befell Eddie Waddell, of the Acton team. He was playing third base, and caught the ball, thrown by the pitcher, his brother Ted, and put out the runner, who slid to the base. In the slide, both fell, and it was found Waddell was seriously hurt. Both bones of the right leg were fractured between the knee and ankle and internal injuries are feared. Waddell was employed as a baker by Statham and Son. He was pitcher of the Methodist team in the Church League. He was taken to Guelph Hospital on Tuesday for treatment.

The Dominion Day celebration, under the direction of Acton Fire Brigade, was quite a success. The attendance was satisfactory and the baseball contests and athletic events were quite exciting. The day's proceedings ended with an assembly in the Town Hall.

July 3—Terrible cyclone at Regina; forty lives lost; two hundred injured; 3,000 homeless and \$5,000,000 worth of property destroyed.

When two immense black clouds came together on Sunday, and with a swoop a cyclonic pillar descended on the city, much destruction followed in its wake. The business section and the most select residential section were devastated by the storm, which was accompanied by cloud burst. Among the buildings wrecked were: Methodist Church, Y. W. C. A., new Public Library, Presbyterian Church, Baptist Church, Bonahue Block, Telephone Exchange, grain elevators. Rescuers are still searching the debris, as many people are missing.

MARRIED

THOMPSON-NIXON—At Ashgrove, on June 19, 1912, Ethel Ada, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Nixon, to Rev. Griffin M. Thompson, of Stoney Creek.

ORAM-LAMONT—At the home of the bride's parents, Mount Forest, on June 26, 1912, by Rev. W. Cooper, B. A., Annie Florence, eldest daughter of Duncan E. Lamont, to Howard F. Oram, Toronto.

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WHITE PINE BLISTER RUST

During May and early June owners of white pine trees should inspect them for symptoms of the fungous disease known as white pine blister rust. It is at this time of year that the disease is most readily detected as conspicuous orange-yellow blisters are formed on the affected part of the trunk or limbs. These blisters contain a fine powder composed of spores which serve to distribute the rust. These spores cannot infect other pine trees but must reach either currant or gooseberry leaves to begin growth. On the under side of these leaves, if they are infected by spores from the pines, minute orange-yellow pustules appear, upon which two types of spores are produced—the first which serves to spread the rust to other currants or gooseberries and the second, which can infect pine trees again thus completing the life cycle.

In the case of individual ornamental pines, infections can be successfully cut out but with a number of trees or a plantation this is scarcely practicable. Here, in order to control the disease, it is necessary to remove the least valuable of the two hosts, as since both are necessary for the completion of the life cycle, the removal of one checks the further development of the rust. Generally it is desirable to remove currants and gooseberries within 800 feet of white pines, or in the case of the cultivated black currant, within one mile.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON FOR SUNDAY, JULY 3

CHILDHOOD AND EDUCATION OF MOSES

Golden Text.—Train up a child in the way he should go; and even when he is old he will not depart from it.—Proverbs 22: 6.

Lesson Text.—Ex. 2: 1-10; Acts 7: 22; Time.—1871 B. C. Place.—Egypt.

Exposition.—I. The Birth of Moses, 22, 1, 2.

Pharaoh's cruel edict that every male child born to the Israelites should be killed (ch. 1: 15-22) seemed admirably adapted to avert the danger of Israel's becoming so powerful that they would escape out of Egypt, but in fact it only resulted in bringing the deliverer of Israel into Pharaoh's own palace and giving him just the training he needed for the great work to which God had called him; so in a similar way throughout all the history of the race the devil's most cunningly devised schemes are simply working out the beneficent purposes of God (Ps. 73: 10), and nothing promotes the growth of the true Church more than persecution. The lesson opens with a very ordinary occurrence, nothing more than the marriage of a lowly man to a lowly woman. What could seem more insignificant? Yet out of this marriage was to come he who was to be a nation's deliverer and one of the greatest men of history. The lowliest marriage is a very solemn thing when one comes to view it in all that is wrapped up in it. Amram and Jochebed (ch. 8: 20) seem to have entered into the marriage with some sense of the importance of the step and the greatness of the issues that hung upon it. Amram and Jochebed had two other children before Moses was born (v. 4; ch. 7: 7), but Moses is the first child mentioned because of his importance in God's plan of redemption for Israel and for the world. The edict that every male child born should be cast into the river (ch. 1: 22) does not seem to have been in force at the time of Amram's birth, but was at the time of Moses'. But Moses' parents did not obey it. By faith in God they overcome fear of Pharaoh (Heb. 11: 23). Trust in God and in His word is ever the best cure for fear (Ps. 27: 1, 3; Ro. 8: 31). Moses was an "exceeding fair" child. (Acts 7: 20; Heb. 11: 3). His parents seem to have entertained the hope that he was to be the deliverer of his people (Heb. 11: 23). Moses probably got that idea himself from his mother (Acts 7: 23).

II. Moses in the Ark of Bulrushes, 3-8.

When her boy could no longer be concealed Jochebed sought safety for him in an ark.—This, quite likely, was suggested to her by reflecting upon how God had saved Noah when the old world was destroyed. She made her ark somewhat after the pattern God gave Noah (cf. Gen. 6: 14). She put the child in the ark among the flags by the river's brink. She knew where and when Pharaoh's daughter came to bathe and laid her plans accordingly. Jochebed's plan obtained this shrewd plan from God by prayer (Jas. 1: 5). That child seemed in a perilous place in the crocodile-infested Nile, but he was perfectly safe, just as safe as any babe in the royal palace, for he was under God's care, and one in God's care is safe anywhere (Ps. 121: 5; Isa. 43: 2). Having done all she could, the mother left all in God's hands and trusted and watched and waited (cf. Ps. 37: 5, 7). She did not stop doing while there was anything left that she could do. We are not told that she was filled with anxious fears, and I cannot but feel that the peace of God possessed her heart as she turned from the helpless babe among the flags by the river side (Isa. 26: 3). Though Jochebed discreetly withdrew from sight, little Miriam stayed and watched developments. Miriam standing there watching over her brother is a type of what every sister should be. Everything went on just as Jochebed had planned. Everything will always go just as we plan, if we make God's plans our plans. It seemed a matter of no great moment merely for a king's daughter to go out to bathe, but the history of the world hung upon it. It was no accident, but a part of God's great plan. It seemed a mere accident for her curiosity to be awakened by the homely pitch-covered box among the flags, but that, too, was part of God's plan. She sent for her handmaid to pull the ark ashore and bring it to her. With eager curiosity and ceaseless chatter the Egyptian girls gather round the mysterious box. It is soon opened and a beautiful babe greets their astonished gaze. Just at that opportune moment the babe, frightened by the many strange faces bending over, begins to cry. That was the most natural thing in the world for the babe to do, but the cry was as much a part of God's plan as any miracle Moses ever wrought. That cry touched the heart of the royal maiden and secured Moses a place in the palace of the Pharaohs. Moses in all his life never did anything more important than to cry just at that moment. How wonderfully every little thing that comes to pass is part of God's great plan. Pharaoh's daughter might have a cruel monster for a father, but she had a woman's heart and "had compassion" on the crying babe of a Hebrew woman. She determined to take the babe for her own. Just then Miriam appeared with the offer to secure a Hebrew woman to nurse the babe. This was presumably all pre-arranged by her mother. The ruse was successful and she went and got the best nurse any child can have, its own mother.

III. Moses Under His Mother's Care, 9, 10.

Pharaoh's daughter offered to give Jochebed wages for nursing her own

SASKATCHEWAN COAL PRODUCTION

Taking the figures for the first four months of 1932 as an indicator, there will be a record production of lignite coal in the Province of Saskatchewan this year. The output from January 1 to April 30, 1932, was 329,209 tons compared with 228,060 tons for the corresponding period of 1931, an increase this year in the period under review of 101,149 tons. Last year the total production of lignite coal was 638,902 tons, the highest on record for the province. The lignite coal-bearing areas of Saskatchewan lie principally in the southern part and are being mined in the vicinity of Estevan, which is about 125 miles southeast of Regina. This area contains possibly 4,000 square miles within which coal may be found. It is estimated that there is a probable reserve of over 57,000,000,000 tons of lignite in this area. The actual or definitely known reserve based on a calculation of actual thickness and extent over an area of more than 306 square miles is 2,412,000,000 tons.

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HOOKING THE COLLATERAL

"I'm sorry," said the diner who hoped to get away with it, "but I haven't any money to pay for that meal." "That's all right," said the cashier. "We'll write your name on the wall and you can pay the next time you come in." "Don't do that. Everybody who comes in will see it." "Oh, no they won't. Your overcoat will be hanging over it."

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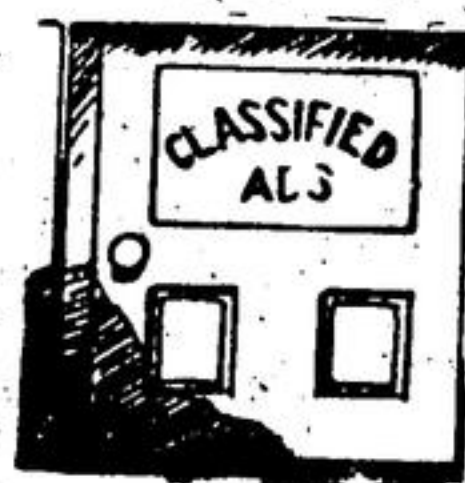
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