

IT'S YOU

If you want to live in the kind of a town... Like the kind of a town you like... You needn't slip your clothes in a grip...

Twenty Years Ago

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Labor Day was rather quiet in Acton... The next holiday will be Acton's Fair Day... The Rev. H. G. L. Baugh, B.D., has been invited by the Bishop to take the services next Sunday in the Cathedral, Hamilton...

Canadian Farmers First to get DDT For Insect Control

Several proprietary barn sprays containing the new insecticide popularly known as DDT have been registered recently for sale in Canada under the Pest Control Products Act... The Department explains that the DDT barn or stable spray is a residual spray and should not be sprayed into the air as is an ordinary fly spray...

FISH SYNDICATE

HALIFAX (CP) - Smith Fisheries Limited of Lunenburg, N.S., a leading Maritime fishing firm, has been sold... The sale was the beginning of a planned amalgamation of 19 leading fish producers and marketers in eastern Canada in an effort to regulate marketing and selling competition.

The Sunday School Lesson

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 6th

A NATION GOD USED Golden Text: He hath given food unto them that fear him... Time: 1715 B.C. Place: Egypt Exposition: I. Joseph Honored, 45-49.

The life of Joseph is a revelation of the overruling grace of God. He was sold into slavery by his brethren but God turned it to the world's good. He was falsely accused while engaged in his duties as Potiphar's faithful servant and cast into prison but the Lord was with him there and caused all he did to prosper...

Pharaoh called Joseph's name Zaphnathpaneah, which is a Coptic title meaning "a revealer of secrets." One of the Church Fathers, Jerome, says that this name signifies "the Saviour of the World." Both meanings would apply, for under God's providence, Joseph proved to be God's means of revelation and at the same time his economic program did save the then known world from starvation...

At 30 years of age, Joseph stood before Pharaoh, a singular honor in that autocratic court. Armed with regal authority he set up the granaries in which were stored the surpluses of seven years. Here is a good example of the worth of a man of God in human society. He will be endowed with wisdom for the best administrations in human welfare.

Two sons are born to Joseph. It is in the names he gives them that we are given an insight into the character of the man. The first born is called Manasseh, which means "forgetting." God had enabled Joseph to forget the things which were behind him. The great terror of the pit, the drudgery of slavery, his youthful exile, his betrayal by Potiphar's wife, the weary years in prison, Joseph had a lot to forget. There were things to disillusion him in his young life.

But God made him forget by filling his life with unanticipated good. That is the way God deals with us in His grace. The past is something of a nature that we wonder if it can ever be forgotten. Then Jesus comes in His wonderful love and leads us, if we are willing to follow, into new life and new victories. By these he enables us to forget the things which are behind (Phil. 3: 13, 14).

When the second son is born to Joseph he is given the name Ephraim which means "fruitful." God had made Joseph to be fruitful in the land of his affliction. Some years have elapsed. Joseph is at work in his God-given task. All about him are evidences of a new life and prosperity. The sorrowful past is remote now. He is so busy in his fruitbearing for Jehovah and a world soon to be imperilled that new hopes fill his mind. As he looks at his little son Ephraim, he thinks also of the great goodness of Jehovah. Is not that what the grace of God is for? How can church members be so indifferent to God as so many of them appear. This will not be the case of those who are fruit bearing Christians. Jesus says it is not possible for us to abide in Him and not be fruitful (Jno. 15: 1-14).

Joseph was an extraordinary man because he had prevision of a coming calamity. Because he lived close to God, he knew the famine was coming. Outside of this faith, it could not have been expected. Who can predict what the immediate years ahead will bring forth? By revealing the coming tragedy to Pharaoh in a dream, and Pharaoh being an absolute monarch, once the king was convinced there could be no public criticism or opposition. When the terrible years came, Joseph was ready for them. His granaries were full. With great care he administered the distribution of the food.

Feed-Bag Fashions For Filipino Gal

Garments, Towels, Sheets Made From Cotton Bags

NEW YORK (CP) YWCA staff workers in the Philippines will soon "put on the feed-bag" but literally. Two thousand chicken bags are being shipped to the headquarters in Manila, to be made into garments to clothe board and staff members. The National Board of the YWCA acquired the bags for 35 cents each, designed sample garments and dispatched the shipment in answer to urgent requests for clothing.

The bags come in attractively colored prints as well as plain white. It is expected the printed bags will be used for dresses, the plain one for towels, sheets and tablecloths. Each bag is 46 inches square, so that one bag will make a complete dress for a child and three bags will produce one for an adult.

The bags are washed at New York headquarters and left intact, so that the Filipino women can utilize the thread with which they are sewed. The urgency of the need for clothes in Manila was revealed by Mrs. Flora Hagan, president of the Manila Board of the YWCA, who wrote that the Filipino staff workers were literally in rags, and that 2,000 yards of cotton cloth was needed at once.

Since the National Board could not buy such a quantity of cotton fabric, because of the current cotton shortage, the feed-bags were obtained from chicken raisers in Delaware.

BOOTLEGGERS' BRAWL

WINNIPEG (CP) Three carloads of youths and adults attacked Lanside Street house here and caused considerable damage before police arrived. The disturbance was believed to have arisen out of a private war between bootleggers.

"I should like to see the judge please." "Sorry, sir, but he is at dinner." "But I must see him on a matter of vital importance!" "Can't be helped, sir; his honour is at steak."

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