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A MAN FOR CHANGING TIMES.

The International Sunday School Lesson for March 2nd is: "The Revival Under Samuel."—I. Samuel, Chapters 1-7.
By WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

In our luxurious, enervated age we are exalting the "cave man." By way of the motion pictures and hack-written fiction, our over-soft young people are glorifying brute strength, unconventional manners, and gorilla conduct. Of course, it is all an absurd pose of a period imperilled by effeminacy. But it makes timely this study of Samuel, a gentle man, who was quiet and good and free from all swagger and bluster; but so genuinely strong that his touch turned a nation, and his place in the gallery of immortals is that of a king-maker.

New times call for new men. In this lesson we study a different sort of character, unlike any of the other Old Testament patriarchs who have for two months past engaged our thought. Samuel was neither a pioneer nor a fighter. He was not of the Abraham type, or of the Moses type, nor yet of the Joshua type. His was the mediatorial character, suited to a transition time. A priest and a prophet, rather than a reformer, was this most beautiful of Old Testament notables. He was a "good" man, as well as a strong man.

It is important in the training of youth that they understand the real greatness of serenity and spiritual strength. Contrast Woodrow Wilson, the ever-courteous scholar, with some of his noisy contemporaries; and note the judgment which the world has already pronounced upon them.

every time of change and danger. The world was quick to note the revelation that Woodrow Wilson every evening read a portion from the Bible; and that his bedside companion was the familiar book, "Daily Strength for Daily Needs." It has seemed strange to some persons that their distinctive teaching of "the Inner Light" and of "the Inner Voice" and of the soul's direct communion with God, has not been more earnestly pressed upon our time by the Society of Friends. Just as the Jews should nowadays stress Sinai, so the Friends have a unique mission in their historic doctrine of the Divine Call to the individual.

An Airplane View of History.
During the present six months the Sundays Schools are taking a sort of aerial view of the history of Israel, from Abraham to the Babylonian exile. Little detailed historical study is possible, but this is compensated for by the comprehensive vision. Last week we glimpsed the period of the Judges, by way of Gideon. Today we see personified in Samuel the transition period of the nation.

Old Israel practiced hard the ever-popular doctrine of backsliding. From the days of deliverance out of Egypt until the period of the exile, the people were forever slumping back into idolatry, which was the besetting sin of the nation.

Since our own temptations are somewhat different, we modern Christians are inclined to be censorious toward the ancient Jews because of their aptitude for polytheism. In all fairness, we must remember their environment. They lived in a world of countless idols. All of mankind except themselves worshipped a diversity of gods. Idolatry was fashionable; and the Jews no more enjoyed being a "peculiar people" than ordinary persons today enjoy being "peculiar." So their national story, up until the time of the exile, was a succession of lapses into idolatry and of revivals therefrom.

Another major problem troubled Israel. On the Mediterranean coast there had arisen a powerful nation that was continually harassing the Jews. These were the Philistines, who, by one of the perverse tricks of history, have given their name "Palestine" to the Land of Promise. It is now generally agreed that the Philistines, whose origin was long a mystery, came from the Island of Crete, which is at present part of Greece. Mr. Venizelos is the most famous living Cretan; there are some who would gladly call him a Philistine; These hardy adventurers were

Israel knew Samuel. His story was the sort of tale that firesides love to repeat. It went back, beyond his birth, to the tragedy of Hannah, the childless wife, who married her sorrow to the house of God; where, after a bitter misunderstanding, Eli the aged priest, promised her an answer to her prayer. In many non-Christian lands I have seen the shrines where childless women go to pray for the supreme boon of the true woman's heart. When the babe Samuel was born, he was dedicated to the service of Jehovah; and early given to the Tabernacle at Shiloh. This, of course, was before the building of the Temple. With one of its exquisite human touches, the Bible pictures the devoted mother sewing a new garment for her boy, and taking it up to Shiloh at the time of the annual sacrifice.

In the Tabernacle service Samuel heard the Voice, thrice repeated,—"so patient is God!"—that marked him as in prophet-succesion. Hearers of the Voice—men who get their wisdom from God—are the leaders for

Allenby and Samuel. The battle narrated in the lesson, wherein the penitent and purified Israelites were visitors, links up with the word war. Several times since the armistice I have been in Jerusalem; and it was moving to have a friend, resident in this city at the time, tell of the first approach of the British troops over Nebi Samuel—the ancient hill of Mizpah, where the Philistines were defeated. Despite the blunders of the politicians at Paris, (who cut up the Land of Promise into three parts, under separate sovereignties, none of these fragments economically self-supporting, as the whole would have been) we may not lose sight of the fact that a new era was created for the Holy Land by the victory of General Allenby; quite as a new era was created by the victory of Samuel over the Philistines. Some day, let us hope, the world will awaken to the real wonders of the conquest of Palestine by the British: At present the tale is clouded by subsequent political mistakes, and by the fog of rival imperialisms. Yet the hand of God was in those of Samuel; and eventually the glory won by the colonial troops, the Anzacs and the Canadians, will be revealed.

The Stone of Remembrance.
When Mr. Kipling was asked to choose appropriate titles for the monuments in British cemeteries, in France (the British graves on the Mount of Olives are unimproved since war times), he called the central cross "A Stone of Remembrance," doubtless inspired by that which the Prophet Samuel erected after the victory over the Philistines. This monument, Ebenezer, holds the message of the Lesson, the word for our own times.

It is that "Hitherto hath the Lord helped us." Samuel recognized the great plus—God on the side of His people. Herein lies the word of words for nations; a word peculiarly appropriate in the light of the revelations that have lately been confounding politicians of two hemispheres. That word is that only by loyalty to God, and to His changeless standards of right, and so by His co-operation, can a people ever prevail and prosper. If the Old Testament holds one clear teaching for modern times this is it: Jehovah is a moral being, of omnipotent might, and He casts His power on the side of the righteous.

The man for our changing hours is the man who, like Samuel, will call his people back to this bed-rock

truth that there can be no success apart from loyalty to the living God. A supplemental talk on the lesson is given by Dr. Ellis over the radio every Saturday night at nine o'clock. He speaks from Station WFI—Strawbridge and clothier, Philadelphia, 395 Meters.

TORTURING NEURALGIA
The Cry of Starved Nerves for Rich, Red Blood.
Most people associate neuralgia with a pain in the head or face, but neuralgia may affect any nerve in the body. Different names are given to it when it affects certain nerves. Thus neuralgia of the sciatic nerve is called sciatica, but the character of the disease and the nature of the pain are the same; the cause is the same and the remedy, to be effective, must be the same.

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INHUMAN TREATMENT CHARGED BY ELLIS
Canada's Noted Hangman Afraid Eskimos Were Not Given Decent Hanging.
Montreal, Feb. 28.—Charging inhumane treatment by the Federal authorities of the Eskimos of Herschell Island, Hangman Ellis, of Montreal, noted executioner, declared the government has sent one of the participants in the notorious

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Benny Swim execution at Woodstock, N.B., into the north to hand two Eskimos.

"The Eskimo is just as much entitled to a decent hanging as a white man," Ellis indignantly declared. He named a resident of Verdun as one of the two amateur hangmen who executed Benny Swim in such a manner as to arouse a wave of public opinion throughout Eastern Canada.

"Now the Federal authorities have sent this man with the judicial party into Herschell Island to hang the two Eskimos sentenced to death there for murder," he declared. "I think that this shows extreme carelessness and inhumanity on the part of the Federal authorities."

A SPLENDID DISCOURSE.
Was Preached by Rev. Mr. Meredith at Rockfield.
Rockfield, Feb. 26.—The weatherman gave us the storm of the season last Wednesday and Thursday and everything was tied up for a few days. The mail and bread rigs were unable to make their regular trips and the sale at Sam Birch's which was billed for Feb. 20th had to be postponed.

Quite a number from here attended the sale at Alvin Avery's, Junetown, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Ellis Foley is in the General Hospital, Brockville, undergoing treatment.

Rev. Mr. Meredith, Mallorytown, filled the pulpit in the Methodist church here on Sunday afternoon and gave a very impressive discourse. Miss Hilda DeWolfe has returned to her home at Gananoque after spending some time at her uncle's, J. H. Earle's. She was accompanied home by Miss Irma Earle. Miss S. Stevens and Mrs. J. Grier, Lansdowne are visiting at W. H. Warren's.

Mrs. J. E. Price and son, Wilfred, Mountain Grove, were recent guests at Leslie Warren's.

Miss Helen Warren is spending some time the guest of Mrs. Hubert Scott, Yonge's Mills. Mrs. Chester Earle visited friends at Lyn recently. Our school is closed for a few days owing to the illness of the teacher, Miss Yada Lough. Mrs. R. C. Rockport, visited her daughter, Mrs. K. Birch, Sunday visitors. H. Dempsey, Gananoque, at J. H. Earle's; Gordon Smith and sisters, Dora and Elma, at Gordon Summers'; O. Lough at W. H. Warren's.

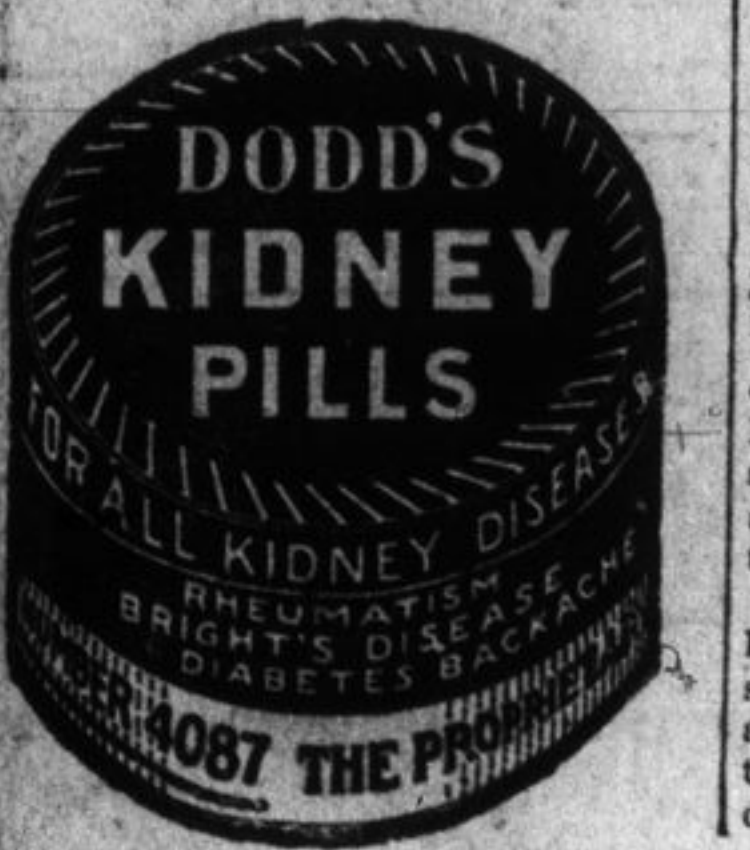
Notes From Selby.
Selby, Feb. 27.—A number from here attended the funeral at Newburgh on Tuesday of the late Mr. Price, Wesley. The W.M.S. ladies are preparing for their birthday tea on Friday night. L. Hudgin spent a few days visiting friends at Belleville. Mr. Pringle and family are moving on the farm which he bought from S. Mower's. Miss Dean spent a day recently with Miss Sexsmith at the parsonage. W. Richmond, Tamworth, spent a few days last week at G. Richmond's. J. Bradshaw spent Sunday at his mother's.

Mountain Grove Briefs.
Mountain Grove, Feb. 25.—The assessor, J. Cox, is again in his rounds in the community. Some of the young people attended the dance at W. Munn's, Ardendale, on Tuesday night. The eldest son of S. Dawson met with a bad accident last week. While working in the woods chopping wood, he cut his foot badly,

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