

SWITZERLAND TO GET CAPITAL OF VORARLBERG



This photograph shows an airplane view of Feldkirch, the capital of the province of Vorarlberg, Austria, which is to be ceded to Switzerland.

REDS MADE TO WORK WHILE AWAITING DEPORTATION



Reds arrested in the late raids in Massachusetts are enjoying Uncle Sam's hospitality at Deer Island, Boston, while awaiting investigation or deportation. While there they are made to aid in the care and feeding of their anarchistic brethren. The photograph shows group of arrested radicals bringing food into one of the detention buildings on the island.

HARVARD'S MAN OF MYSTERY



Wesley Holland, Harvard's "man of mystery," has all Cambridge puzzled. Neither vault doors, steel boxes nor ice walls have yet been able to hold Holland as a prisoner. He is an electrician at the university and astounded the students when he made his way out of a steel box which had specially constructed for the demonstration.

Church Crypt for Skulls.

Under the chancel of the church at Hythe, Kent, England, is a very curious crypt. This crypt is used as a depository for a large quantity of human skulls and bones, which are believed to be those of Danes killed close by in battle before the Norman conquest. Most of the skulls are arranged on shelves, while the bones are piled up in a symmetrical heap. Such ghastly relics are rare in English churches, although they are to be found at several places on the continent.—From the Wide World Magazine.

GOVERNOR COOLIDGE AND HIS FAMILY



Gov. Calvin Coolidge of Massachusetts with his father, his wife and his two sons.

AFTER SIR JOHN ALCOCK'S LAST FLIGHT



Wreck of the airplane in which Sir John Alcock made his last flight. It stands in front of the Normandy farmhouse near which it crashed, killing the man who made the first non-stop flight across the Atlantic.

TAKEN FROM EXCHANGES

A copy of "McFingal," a poem printed in Hartford, Conn., in 1782, and autographed by George Washington, brought \$1,125 at Sotheby's auctions. A moderate trickle of water from an ordinary faucet will waste 150 gallons a day, or 54,750 gallons in a year.

The field of the farm tractor is constantly extending. A circular saw is now rigged up to it revolving horizontally and a large tree is cut down in a few minutes. In China every business man has a shop name and a private name, and among his family and acquaintances he is known by the latter.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR FEBRUARY 1

PETER AND JOHN IN SAMARIA.

(May be used with missionary applications.)

LESSON TEXT—Acts 8:1-25. GOLDEN TEXT—Ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth.—Acts 1:8. ADDITIONAL MATERIAL.—II Kings 17:24-31; Luke 19:28-35; John 4:1-42. PRIMARY TOPIC—Telling Others About Jesus. JUNIOR TOPIC—Peter and John in a Strange City. INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Three Missionaries and Their Triumphs.

I. Preaching the Word Everywhere (v. 4).

After the stoning of Stephen the enemies of the Lord were more active than ever in their efforts to stamp out the new faith. With Saul as their leader they rushed back to the city, dragged from their homes and imprisoned those who confessed Christ. In this the devil overreached himself, for the believers took flight and went everywhere preaching the word. The time had come for the witness-bearing to extend beyond Jerusalem and Judea. Preaching was not confined to the twelve. The Lord thus makes the devil's wickedness to further his own purpose. Frequently, in the hour of trial, Christians see more clearly their duty and bestir themselves to perform it. If Christians will not move on, the Lord will shove them on.

II. Philip Preaching the Gospel in Samaria. (vv. 5-13).

Hitherto the gospel had reached only Jews; now its scope broadens and a Jew is preaching to Samaritans, and Samaritans are rejoicing in the gospel of Christ proclaimed by a Jew. His preaching was fruitful for multitudes believed his message. Much joy in this Samaritan city followed the reception of the message. Both Samaritans and Jews were looking for Christ, so they were glad to know that the Christ had come. Christ is the one name and person who will break down race prejudice. In him there is unity and real brotherhood, for he is the universal man. The only hope of the world is Christ.

So great was Philip's success that Simon Magnus professed faith and was baptized. Simon was a sorcerer who by magical devices had made a great reputation, gaining control of many of the credulous and ignorant, so that they regarded him as some great one from God (v. 10). The people turned from this sorcerer to the gospel of Christ.

III. Peter and John Sent to Samaria (vv. 14-17).

The church at Jerusalem sent two of its best men to encourage the work. They discerned that the Spirit had not yet fallen upon the believers, so they laid hands upon them and the Spirit was given unto them. These Samaritans were really converted, regenerated, but had not yet been filled with the Spirit's gift. Believers should seek the Spirit's gift at once, for this will exclude the interests of the world. The mission of Peter and John shows the unity of the church—the mother church gave sanction to the new work in Samaria. Much of the work of the modern evangelist is a failure because it is not properly followed up by those who will instruct and bring the converts into relationship with the living church.

IV. Simon's Wicked Request (vv. 18-24).

When Simon saw that the power of Peter exceeded that which he possessed and that it was received through the laying on of hands, he offered money for the gift. This act reveals the hypocrisy of this man. He professed faith and was baptized, following after them for a selfish end. To desire and seek the gift of the Spirit for selfish aggrandizement is to be guilty of Simon's sin. All traffic in sacred things has been called "simony," from the name of this sorcerer. Peter told Simon that he had neither part nor lot in this matter, that he should repent of his wickedness and pray to God for forgiveness. He requested Peter to pray for him. Simon practiced the art of sorcery for gain and influence. Now that he found his profits diminishing and his influence wanting, he endeavored to acquire new power. All persons who use their religion to further their ambitions to get gain are guilty of this sin. Sometimes men join the church for business, social, and political reasons; sometimes official positions are coveted for the prestige and power they give. Let all who are using the name of the church for business purposes be warned by Peter's rebuke! Let Simon's doom be a solemn warning to all!

The Goal.

The goal on which our eyes must be set is a church that will, in its own corporate life, conspicuously express the Christian ideal of fellowship and brotherhood, and at the same time strive persistently to mold national, industrial and social life in accordance with the principles which are the fountain light of all its days.

Delight in God's Work.

All great art is the expression of man's delight in God's work, not in his own.—Ruskin.

MURDERS BARED IN PLEA TO DOCTOR

Girl Telephones Physician "Everybody Sick" and Triple Killing Is Revealed.

Passaic, N. J.—"Is this Dr. Carlisle? Well, please come to our house quick; everybody is sick."

This telephone message from Mina Strong, 14, disclosed the murder of her mother and elder sister and the suicide of her father.

Mason R. Strong, architect and structural engineer, with offices in Wall street, New York City, had almost successfully annihilated his family on Tuesday night with an ax. But it was not until Mina, herself wounded on the head, gained strength enough to notify the family physician that the tragedy was revealed.

Mr. Strong killed his wife as she slept in bed. He then crushed the skull of his daughter, Elizabeth, 16, killing her instantly. His son, Nathaniel, 12, is dying in St. Mary's hospital with a fracture of the skull. Only Mina and



"Please, Come to Our House Quick!"

Susanne, 8, escaped with injuries from which they are expected to recover.

Friends of Mr. Strong attributed the tragedy to chronic ill health and financial losses.

There was strong evidence that the entire family had been drugged in some manner before the crazed father used the ax.

On the night of the tragedy Mr. Strong apparently did not retire with his wife. A deeply religious man, he remained up for a while reading from a book, "What Would Jesus Do?" It was found open on the dresser, beside crackers he had been munching.

The police infer that when his loved ones dropped off to sleep the architect went to the cellar, where he obtained an ax of the type firemen use.

Mr. Strong afterward went to the bathroom. He stood the ax in a corner and cut his throat with a razor.

Husband Fails to Kiss Bride, She Kills Self

Council Bluffs, Ia.—Mrs. Charles Allen, sixteen, a bride of two months, committed suicide at the Grey restaurant at Cornish, Ia., by drinking almost half a pint of strychnine. Before swallowing the poison she said her husband hadn't kissed her when he left for work in the morning.

MARRIAGE IS NOT A JOKE

Wedding Ceremony, Staged at Lark, Ties "Husband" and "Wife" for Life, Rules Court.

Trenton, N. J.—A court here has refused to annul the marriage of Pearsy Girvan and Georgiana Griffin, alias Georgiana Williams, which Girvan sought to have set aside on the ground that it was contracted as a joke; that he and the girl had not lived together after the ceremony; that he had contributed nothing to her support, and that she had asked for nothing.

The marriage was performed August 16, 1917, by Rev. Walter Earle Landon, a Methodist minister, at Belmar, where the couple met.

Girvan, in his petition, alleged that the ceremony was simply a vacation frolic, that he did not feel bound by it and he thought the girl also regarded it as a joke.

GAVE GUARDSMAN \$169,000

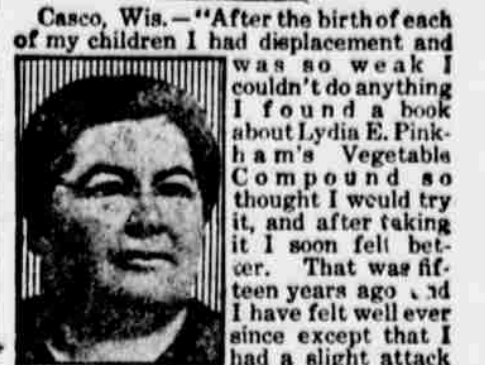
Wealthy Woman Remembered in Her Will the Man Who Saved Her Life.

Columbianna, O.—Elmer Flickinger is \$169,000 richer because he saved the life of a woman in Montgomery, Ala., two years ago.

Flickinger, while a private in the Thirty-seventh division, National Guard, in training at Camp Sheridan, rescued the woman in a runaway accident. He thought no more of the matter until recently he was notified that the grateful woman had remembered him in her will.

TOO WEAK TO DO ANYTHING

A Serious Feminine Illness Remedied By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.



Casco, Wis.—"After the birth of each of my children I had displacement and was so weak I couldn't do anything I found a book about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound so I thought I would try it, and after taking it I soon felt better. That was fifteen years ago and I have felt well ever since except that I had a slight attack of the trouble some time ago and took some more of your Compound and was soon all right again. I always recommend your medicine and you may publish my testimonial for the benefit of other women."—Mrs. JULES BERO, Jr., R. 1, Box 99, Casco, Wis.

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A woman's tears and a man's grin are not always on the level.

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Lots of people say things they ought to be ashamed even to think.

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Hesitation seldom prospers.

Why That Backache?

Why be miserable with a bad back? You can't be happy if every day brings lameness, sharp, shooting pains and a dull, nagging ache. Likely the cause is weak kidneys. You may have headaches and dizzy spells, too, with a weak, tired feeling. Don't delay! Try Doan's Kidney Pills. They have done wonders in thousands of such cases. Ask your neighbor!

A Nebraska Case

David Nelson, retired farmer, Goth-tenburg, Neb., says: "My back had been bothering me for over two months. I couldn't get out of bed on account of sharp, shooting pains down my joints. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage, at times being too frequent and scanty. I also suffered from dizziness and was unable to see before my eyes. One box of Doan's Kidney Pills cured me so that I have never been bothered since."

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