Gingered Pears.

This is particularly nice served with ice cream or muskmelon. To eight pounds of pears chopped very thin allow four pounds or less of sugar, one cupful of water, the juice and thin yellow rind of four lemons (be sure they are not bitter) and one-eighth pound or more of green ginger root, scraped and cut in thin slices. Bring the sugar and water to a boil, add the fruit, ginger and lemon, then simmer three-quarters of an hour or until the consistency of marmalade.

Birds Foresaw Storm.

A German officer describes in the Rote Kreuz a curious scene he witnessed on a ride in southwest Africa. A number of vultures, eagles and other large birds suddenly gathered on the trees at one place. A few dark clouds were visible, and ere long there was a violent tropical storm. The water penetrated into holes in the ground, from which presently emerged large numbers of snakes, scorpions and mice, and these the birds pounced upon and devoured.

The Ideal School.

If you want to make a nation of "bookies" by all means cram the boys and girls in your schools with plenty of arithmetic, but if you would rather have a nation of good men and women, then train your children to love all that is beautiful in nature and in art, all that is noble in life or in death. The school of the future will be a beautiful building in a beautiful garden.—Clarion.

The Deep Things of Life.

The hymn line: "Cast your deadly doing down" was long ago discredited and laughed out of court. Nevertheless, one who pins faith to ceaseless activities, even of philanthropy and reform, who is contemptuous of poetry, philosophy and religion, who forgets to draw from the perennial wells of courage and inspiration, will sooner or later walk in a barren land of petty interests, unable to discover the springs of refreshment.

Peter Pan in Real Life.

The lucky man is the man who through all the seasons of many years remains at heart a boy. He will be asked by boys to share boyish amusements and to fall in with boys' ideas of what sport should be, which is the best compliment of all. He has a man's store of experience, an added patience, a maturer philosophy, but in all else he remains a boy.—London Field.

Greek Architecture.

It is astonishing that students of Greek literature and Greek thought should not be definitely trained in the knowledge of Greek architecture. He who knows only the literary expression of ancient Greece, great as that is, knows but one-half of the achievements of "the supreme Caucasian mind."—The Builder.

The Highest Character.

The highest of characters, in my estimation, is his who is as ready to pardon the moral errors of mankind as if he were every day guilty of some himself; and at the same time as cautious of committing a fault as if he never forgave one.—Pliny the Younger.

Silk Hat Economy.

We may regard London as the home of the silk hat, and we feel sure that here the free ironing of customers' hats has had a very pernicious effect on the trade. The average silk hat wearer will buy only one of these hats in a year.—Outfitter.

Cultivate Cheerfulness.

Temperament may not be overcome, but it can be modified. The best character that you can take as your guide is one absolutely true and always cheerful. Cheerfulness is one of the first of virtues.

Dangerous City "Playgrounds."

New York city streets make dangerous playgrounds, but they are the only ones that thousands of little people have. Not a day passes without injury to children by vehicles, and about nine are killed each month.

Injurious Infantile Fashion.

Out of every 100 recruits in Bosnia, 62 have flattened skulls, the outcome, apparently, of the very tight dressing of the baby's head in its first months of life.

The Philippines.

Systematic investigation of the Philippine islands reveals the fact that the group consists of 2,600 islands, while before the American occupation the number was estimated at 1,200.

Work Is the Divine Spur.

Work is a necessity if you would develop the best that is in you; it is the divine spur that compels a man to unfold his possibilities by conquering the enemies of success and happiness.

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THE LORD OUR SHEPHERD

Sunday School Lesson for Nov. 15, 1908

Specially Arranged for This Paper

LESSON TEXT.—Psalm 23; read also John 10:1-18. Commit entire Psalm.

GOLDEN TEXT.—"The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not want."—Psalm 23:1.

AUTHOR.—David.

TIME.—Either in his youth, or later in a review of his life. Barton places it during Absalom's rebellion, referring to 2 Sam. 17:27-29.

Comment and Suggestive Thought.

The Good Shepherd Shepherding His Sheep.—Vs. 1-3. "On such a wilderness of mirage, illusive paths, lurking terrors, and infrequent spots of herbage, it is evident that the person and character of the shepherd must mean a great deal more to the sheep than they can possibly mean with us. With us, sheep left to themselves may be seen any day—in a field or on a hillside with a traveling wire fence to keep them from straying. But I do not remember ever to have seen in the east a flock of sheep without a shepherd. On such a landscape as I have described he is obviously indispensable."

The sheep in modern times under civilized governments are as really protected by the shepherd as are those in the open fields of the orient; only in a different way. The laws take the place of clubs and crooks. Fences and police guards are but another mode of protecting the sheep from labyrinthine paths and desert dangers, and of guiding them to the green pastures and waters of rest.

This is equally true of life. By a fuller knowledge of natural and divine law, by the protection, which Christian civilization bestows, and the guidance of God's word, many things are done for us which needed once more visible guidance. But it is the same shepherding as was given of old.

The Good Shepherd loves his sheep with an everlasting love. He gives his life for the sheep.

He left heaven, his home, and became man; taught, suffered, died, that he might find his lost ones.

"The shepherdhood of Christ and the fatherhood of God are the two most comforting assurances of Scripture."—Hugh Black.

The Good Shepherd Knows His Sheep by Name. "It is a remarkable fact in oriental husbandry, that in a flock of hundreds of thousands each individual sheep has its name, knows it, and is known by it." This implies: 1. That the shepherd takes a living, personal interest in each individual. 2. That he knows each individual's peculiar circumstances, so that he ministers to each one what he specially needs and requires. 3. That he assigns to each one the work for which he is best fitted. 4. That he can accept the love and loyalty of each individual. Jesus, the Good Shepherd, does all this and more for his flock.

"Every life needs shepherding; and a shepherd knows his sheep by their weakness and faults, and measures his care of them thereby; and when the Good Shepherd calls his own sheep, he calls them by the name which suggests at once their failing and his help, and his call thus becomes a tender appeal, for it is both a remembrancer and a promise."—Hugh Black.

The Good Shepherd Is Our Guide Through Life. "He leadeth me." "Guideth me on a journey from which it is easy to stray from the right path." "In the paths of righteousness." "In the right tracks, those that lead directly and safely to the place of destination."—Prof. C. A. Briggs. "Often have I roamed through the shepherd country in my youth and watched how hard it is to choose the right path for the sheep; one leads to a precipice, another to a place where the sheep cannot find the way back; and the shepherd was always going ahead, 'leading' them in the right paths, proud of his good name as a shepherd."—Song of the Syrian Shepherd.

"Thy rod and thy staff" "are not synonymous, for even the shepherd of to-day, though often armed with a gun, carries two instruments of wood, his great oak club, thick enough to brain a wild beast, and his staff to lean upon or to touch his sheep with, while the ancient shepherd without firearms would surely still more require both."—George Adam Smith.

The staff is the common shepherd's crook, by which he can draw a wandering sheep toward him or pull him out of some crevice or away from some poisonous herb.

"They comfort me." "We must not miss the force of the good old word 'comfort' (con, together; fortis, strong). It means far more than simply to console. It signifies to tone up the whole nature, to strengthen a man so that all his energies can be brought to bear."—M. R. Vincent.

"Goodness and mercy" (the qualities of God) "shall follow me," pursue me, hunt me.

One need not seek anxiously for them as an illusive blessing, as the child seeks in vain for the rainbow but they will pursue him and overtake him, if only he is a true sheep.

"I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever." In his house, and under the heavenly influences of his house, wherever he may be. On earth and in heaven he will serve him day and night in his temple. A member of God's family here will be a member there where "they shall hunger no more, neither thirst any more; neither shall the sun strike upon them, nor any heat; for the Lamb which is in the midst of the throne shall be their shepherd, and shall guide them unto fountains of waters of life; and God shall wipe away every tear from their eyes." (Rev. 7:16, 17.)

POSTMASTER SHOT DOWN.

Stenographer Shoots the Postmaster of New York City.

NEW YORK—Postmaster Edward M. Morgan of this city, was shot down in the street as he was leaving his house in 146th street for the postoffice Monday morning by Eric H. B. Mackey, a stenographer employed by a downtown law firm, who then shot and instantly killed himself. The single bullet which struck Mr. Morgan entered at the right side of the abdomen and passed out at the left side without penetrating the walls. There was no internal bleeding and there is every likelihood that the wounded man will recover.

The only excuse known for the shooting was that Mackey had complained to the authorities at the postoffice in Washington that his mail had been tampered with and that someone turned out an electric light when he was reading by it in the corridor of the postoffice.

TRIBUTE TO REPUBLICAN PAPERS

Gets Credit for Success of Republican Literary Bureau.

OMAHA—Victor Rosewater, director of the Republican literary bureau for the western division during the recent campaign, has completed his report to Chairman Hitchcock in which he devotes a paragraph to the Republica newspapers of the country. Mr. Rosewater says:

"I want to emphasize the cordial cooperation accorded this bureau by the great army of active Republican newspapers throughout the country. Out of unselfish zeal and party loyalty these newspapers have not only given freely of their valuable space, but often incurred no inconsiderable expense of their own to further Republican success. The publishers of these Republican newspapers are entitled to a large measure of credit for whatever results may have been attained by the literary bureau under my direction in combatting the appeals and arguments of the opposition."

Drafting New Tariff Law.

WASHINGTON.—The proposed revision of the tariff was discussed at a conference Monday of Representatives Payne of New York, Dalzell of Pennsylvania, Hill of Connecticut and Gaines of West Virginia, leading republican members of the house committee on ways and means.

The conference was preliminary to the series of public hearings on the tariff which the committee will hold during the month, beginning Tuesday morning. That the committee will draw up a new law to supersede the Dingley tariff law which will carry out the policy advocated in the Chicago platform was admitted by one of the majority members, but it is understood that the committee has confined its efforts to the consideration of necessary changes in the wording of the law in order to secure its proper interpretation rather rather than to the question of any rates of duty, which has been left for consideration after the hearings have been held.

The hearing Tuesday will be devoted to chemicals, oils and paints. The national Wholesale Druggists association will have no representative at the hearing. This is taken to indicate that the wholesale druggists do not desire any changes in the present tariffs.

Indications are that adjustment in the wording of various paragraphs of schedule A, and a more explicit classification of certain articles will be all that the committee will be asked to do with regard to this schedule.

Switchman Killed at Omaha.

OMAHA, Neb.—James P. Murphy, 48 years of age and for over twenty years an employe of the Union Pacific railroad in Omaha, was run over by an engine about 4:30 Sunday afternoon in the Union Pacific yards between California and Webster streets.

Murphy, who lived at 1837 North Eighteenth street, was a switchman and was riding on the running board of his engine. Track repairer working on the track had left a piece of timber lying across the rails. This caught Murphy and pulled him off and under the engine, which passed over him, cutting off both legs between the knee and the ankle.

Four Victims of Thugs.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn.—Four persons were found during Sunday night unconscious in the streets of this city, having been kicked in the head by thugs. One of the victims, Chas. Baggett, a negro, died. B. Lowery, a white farmer, was picked up with his head cut open. When he regained consciousness he said that a negro had struck and robbed him. An unknown young white man, well dressed, was picked up on Whiteside street unconscious. The last victim was a negro woman who was wounded with a gnastly cut in the center of her forehead.

Court Orders Trial of Hains Brothers.

NEW YORK—Justice Aspinwall, Monday issued a peremptory order for the trial of Captain and Jenkins Hains on December 14, in the Queens county supreme court.

Trouble With Cannibals.

LIBSON—Advices received at this place state that in response to energetic representation on the part of the French and German ministers on the subject of the killing of French and Germans by natives in Portuguese Guiana the Portuguese government has admitted that it was unable to quell the last revolt because of the lack of troops. The government, however, brought about peace temporarily by reducing the hut tax, but in doing so stood in danger of losing all prestige with the natives who are ferocious cannibals. A general uprising is feared

PERFECT HEALTH.

After Years of Backache, Dizziness and Kidney Disorders.

Mrs. R. C. Richmond, of Northwood, Iowa, says: "For years I was a martyr to kidney trouble, backache, dizzy spells, headaches and a terrible bearing-down pain. I used one remedy after another without benefit. Finally I used a box of Doan's Kidney Pills and the backache ceased. Encouraged, I kept on, and by the time I had used three boxes not a sign of the trouble remained. My health is perfect."

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SEEMED A TRIFLE PERSONAL.

Clergyman's Particular Reason for Omitting the Fifth Verse.

A clergyman in an interior town married a woman from whom he received a dowry of $10,000 and a prospect of more. Shortly afterwards, while occupying the pulpit, he gave out a hymn, read the first verse and proceeded to read the fifth, commencing:

"Forever let my grateful heart,"

then he hesitated and exclaimed: "The choir will omit the fifth verse." Some of the congregation read the verse for themselves and smiled as they read:

Forever let my grateful heart
His boundless grace adore,
Which gives ten thousand blessings now
And bids me hope for more.

BOY KEPT SCRATCHING.

Eczema Lasted 7 Years—Face Was All Raw—Skin Specialists Failed, But Cuticura Effected Cure.

"When my little boy was six weeks old an eruption broke out on his face. I took him to a doctor, but his face kept on getting worse until it got so bad that no one could look at him. His whole face was one crust and must have been very painful. He scratched day and night until his face was raw. Then I took him to all the best specialists in skin diseases but they could not do much for him. The eczema got on his arms and legs and we could not get a night's sleep in months. I got a set of Cuticura Remedies and he felt relieved the first time I used them. I gave the Cuticura Remedies a good trial and gradually the eczema healed all up. He is now seven years old and I think the trouble will never return. Mrs. John G. Klumpp, 80 Niagara St., Newark, N. J., Oct. 17 and 22, 1907."

Public Credulity.

After making full allowance for the increased spending power of the masses, figures prove conclusively that notwithstanding the wide diffusion of knowledge, the spread of education and the raising of the standard of intelligence among the people, the appeal of the quack and the charlatan to the credulity of the public meets with a readier response than ever.—London Hospital.

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EXCELLENT WEATHER AND MAGNIFICENT CROPS

REPORTS FROM WESTERN CANADA ARE VERY ENCOURAGING.

A correspondent writes the Winnipeg (Man.) Free Press: "The Pincher Creek district, (Southern Alberta), the original home of fall wheat, where it has been grown without failure, dry seasons and wet, for about 25 years, is excelling itself this year. The yield and quality are both phenomenal, as has been the weather for its harvesting. Forty bushels is a common yield, and many fields go up to 50, 60 and over, and most of it No. 1 Northern. Even last year, which was less favorable, similar yields were in some cases obtained, but owing to the season the quality was not so good. It is probably safe to say that the average yield from the Old Man's River to the boundary will be 47 or 48 bushels per acre, and mostly No. 1 Northern. One man has just made a net profit from his crop of $19.55 per acre, or little less than the selling price of land. Land here is too cheap at present, when a crop or two will pay for it, and a failure almost unknown. Nor is the district dependent on wheat, all other crops do well, also stock and dairying, and there is a large market at the doors in the mining towns up the Crows Nest Pass, and in British Columbia, for the abundant hay of the district, and poultry, pork, and garden truck. Coal is near and cheap. Jim Hill has an eye on its advantages, and has invested here, and is bringing the Great Northern Railroad soon, when other lines will follow."

The wheat, oat and barley crop in other parts of Western Canada show splendid yields and will make the farmers of that country (and many of them are Americans) rich. The Canadian Government Agent for this district advises us that he will be pleased to give information to all who desire it about the new land regulations by which a settler may now secure 160 acres in addition to his 160 homestead acres, at $3.00 an acre, and also how to reach these lands into which railways are being extended. It might be interesting to read what is said of that country by the Editor of the Marshall (Minn.) News-Messenger, who made a trip through portions of it in July, 1908. "Passing through more than three thousand miles of Western Canada's agricultural lands, touring the northern and southern farming belts of the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, with numerous drives through the great grain fields, we were made to realize not only the magnificence of the crops, but the magnitude, in measures, of the vast territory opening, and to be opened to farming immigration. There are hundreds of thousands of farmers there, and millions of acres under cultivation, but there is room for millions more, and other millions of acreage available. We could see in Western Canada in soil, product, topography or climate, little that is different from Minnesota, and with meeting at every point many business men and farmers who went there from this state, it was difficult to realize one was beyond the boundary of the country."

Rather Effeminate.

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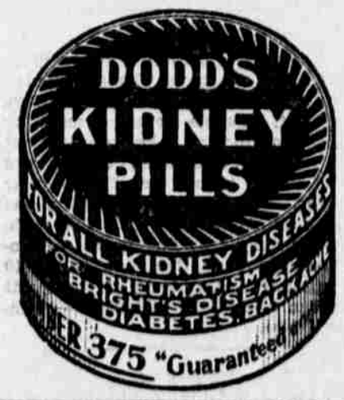

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