

BRIEF NEWS OF NEBRASKA

Fifty Lincoln Y. M. C. A. boys will take a "hike" to Millford, June 3, to go into camp for ten days.

G. L. Hall of Hartington, 70 years of age, was kicked by a horse and his leg broken in three places.

"Nim" Norris, a popular Lincoln traveling man, was found dead in bed at Gothenburg, Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Wilson of Beatrice fell dead from heart disease as she was feeding the chickens in the barnyard.

The stakes were driven at Syracuse Tuesday afternoon for the Eagles' home, that will cost between \$8,000 and \$10,000.

Farmers of the Bancroft vicinity are very busy in the fields plowing for corn, as the seeding of small grain has been completed.

M. L. Barnette, a prominent retired farmer of Holbrook, died Monday as a result of injuries received in a runaway the day before.

The Elks fair at Alliance netted nearly \$3,000, which will be applied to the building fund of the new \$25,000 home for that order.

Crete, Neb., has been chosen as the place for the annual encampment of the state university cadet regiment, to be held May 14 to 18.

Editor Rogers of the Giltner Gazette was seriously injured when a hot ball struck him on the head during the progress of a game recently.

Six-year-old John Ubben, at Howe, was badly bruised up when he stepped in the way of the maul his father was using making rails.

Mrs. Sarah McCari, who fell down cellar at her home at McCook, and whose skull was fractured as a result died before regaining consciousness.

J. H. Overman has been reappointed postmaster at Stella for a term of four years. Mr. Overman has served in that capacity for over fourteen years.

Samuel P. Hughes, a prominent farmer near Howe, was picked up by a small tornado last week, carried several rods and dropped in a field unscathed.

Butchers say that the price of beef is higher this spring than for several years. They claim that this is due to the high price of feed and the scarcity of cattle.

Miss Mary Emerson died at the Jones hotel in Tecumseh, Sunday morning, death being at her own hand. Despondency is supposed to be the cause.

Michael Bauer, for years a well known figure in Lincoln politics, died Thursday evening, April 18, on the eve of his certain nomination as a candidate for the state legislature.

A large number of the district schools in Jefferson county have closed for the summer and the teachers are preparing to enter the state normal at Peru for a summer's course.

Tom Fahey of Fremont was seriously injured when he fell twenty feet striking on his back on a branch he had just cut off a tree. The branch in falling knocked a ladder out from under him.

Prompt work of the Weeping Water fire department saved the public school building from destruction when it caught fire in the basement near the furnace just as school had been dismissed.

Andrew Finney, janitor of the Holbrook school, was stricken with apoplexy and fell down the basement stairs. He lay in an unconscious condition more than an hour before he was discovered.

John M. Cotton, county attorney and late editor and publisher of the Ainsworth Star-Journal, has bought the law practice, library and office fixtures of P. D. McAndrew, the oldest lawyer in Brown county.

The little son of J. H. Davis, living in Glenover, a suburb of Beatrice, was attacked and bitten on the leg by a mad dog, Wednesday. A gash about three inches long was inflicted in the leg just above the knee.

The county commissioners of Nebraska, at Auburn, have given permission to the school board to hold school in the district court room so that the old high school can be turned over to the contractors for dismantling so that work may proceed on the new building.

While a force of men engaged in road work were plowing up the road opposite the gate to a cemetery near Auburn, they plowed up the skeleton of a human being. The bones were found under three feet of soil. It is thought they were the remains of an Indian who had been buried there many years ago.

Joe Lemke, working for Theodore Schutte, near Lawrence, was instantly killed Saturday morning when a team he was driving became frightened and ran away, upsetting a heavy manure spreader on him.

The Church of the Holy Trinity at Lincoln was crowded Sunday morning for the confirmation service conducted by the Rev. A. L. Williams of Omaha. A class of twenty-six persons were presented to the bishop for confirmation by the rector, the Rev. S. Mills Hayes.

The Clarkson Commercial club has been doing good work on the roads towards Howells and Leigh.

Work which has been delayed for months from one cause or another, will be started immediately on the construction of the new medical laboratories building on the university medical college campus in Omaha.

A new feature of the Epworth assembly at Lincoln this summer will be the organization of boy scouts. All boys attending the assembly will have the privilege of the scouts, and will be given the same opportunities as the members of the regular companies.

INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

(By E. O. SELLERS, Director of Evening Department, The Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

LESSON FOR MAY 5.

POVERTY AND RICHES.

LESSON TEXT—Lk. 6:20-26 and 16:19-31. GOLDEN TEXT—"A man's life consisteth not in the abundance of the things he possesseth."—Luke 12:15.

Last week we were studying the fundamental principles of this new kingdom Jesus came to establish. Today our study presents another of his seeming paradoxes, viz., the blessedness or the happiness of poverty, hunger and persecution. Spoken primarily to the twelve, Jesus intended these words for all the people—present and prospective. Jesus is distinctly the poor man's friend. He knew the meaning of hunger and thirst, of weeping and mourning, and so contrasts the joy that shall be to these "happy ones" with the "woe" that shall come to those who from out of their joy and their abundance fail to respond to the needs of mankind.

What It Is and Why. The last half of the lesson is intended to illustrate the teachings of the first. Let us look at the illustration.

"A certain rich man." He was not of sufficient importance even to mention his name. How few rich men ever succeed in really perpetuating their names. Not one succeeds in any measure at all except as in some manner he emulates the life and teachings of Jesus. How few monuments really perpetuate names. Character alone is what lives. This rich man, however, did not lose out simply because he was a rich man. Verse 25 tells us why he was in anguish. His life had been that of a selfish seeker and he had had his reward. Now conditions have changed. Once clothed in purple and faring sumptuously, now he is the beggar. Ignoring the cry of need at his gate now he is compelled to make his cry afar off.

"A certain beggar named Lazarus." It is better to be a beggar vainly seeking a few crumbs and to rest in Abraham's bosom than to live in luxurious ease, ignoring the cry of the needy and to live in hell hereafter. Lazarus did not gain glory hereafter because he was a beggar, but rather because of his character. Angels announced the coming of the Son of Man, angels welcomed the returning of this son of mankind. Which of the twin, Dives or Lazarus, really enjoyed life? Eternity is a long time, it begins where imagination ends. The name Lazarus really means "God-helps" and God always does help the poor.

Lazarus had some friends for we read that the dogs showed their sympathy. It is always true that those poor as poverty are most ready to respond to the cry of need, and out of their penury will give the most abundantly to relieve distress.

Leaves All Behind. "The rich man died also." Thus ended his life of ease and luxury for shrouds have no pockets. "How much did he leave? He left it all." All of his loved ones, all of his hopes were left behind. There is something appallingly sad in the death of a rich man who trusts only to his wealth, having no faith in God. Millions for a moment of time. The sarcasm of Jesus' words is quite apparent, "and he was buried." Only a clod of earth, no longer useful of the earth, earthy, bury him, get him out of sight. But did this end all? By no means, for when he reached the other side he did not lose consciousness nor reason. No soul sleeping there. He saw, he observed, he felt, he remembered, he reasoned. Back upon earth he had brothers who were following his same mode of life. Here he was suffering, crying for "mercy" for an alleviating touch of cold water, yet in that cry there was no note of repentance. He and his brethren had lived for the tongue and had pampered it, now it, the seat of taste, of bold words, etc., is crying for cooling relief. But would those behind repent even if one were to rise from the dead? No, except that they might escape a like torment. The desires of their hearts would be the same. Being out of state's prison is of itself no particular honor. The message of Jesus strikes deeper than outward forms and ceremonies. It is the heart motive whereby we are to be judged. Dives sought to excuse or to justify himself (v. 26), but Abraham tells him plainly that both he and his brethren had had sufficient light. If they will not listen to Moses (the Pentateuch) and to the prophets neither will they repent even though one came from the dead. That being so how much greater condemnation must rest upon those who reject him who is greater than these? One who is a greater witness to the mercy and love of God.

The disciples were poor in both this world's goods and one of them, Matthew, adds that the happy ones are those who are poor in spirit also. They knew the meaning of hunger and of privation and were ready to learn of him. Jesus is not so much in this illustration trying to give us a picture of the hereafter, of the future life as he is to show the results of our living in this present life. He shows us plainly that there are different states over there and that these states are the result of our conduct in the life we now live. Riches are a temptation, a temptation to gain fraudulently.

CHILD RUN OVER BY ENGINE IS NOT HURT

Falls Between the Rails From a Sled Which is Demolished by the Pilot.

Chicago.—When a switch engine on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad passed over the body of four-year-old Margery Johnson in East Chicago the other afternoon, Mary Garepa, the little girl's nurse, who had been giving her charge a ride on the sled when the accident occurred, fainted beside the tracks. The nurse had just cleared the tracks, had felt the sled being struck from her grasp and caught a fleeting



She Felt the Sled Being Struck.

glimpse of the engine passing over the body of the child. When she returned to consciousness five minutes later she felt the soft pressure of two little hands on her cheeks and heard a childish voice whispering in her ear: "Margery wants a ride."

The little girl was uninjured. When the nurse had pulled the sled in order to clear the track ahead of the onrushing engine the child had fallen off, directly in the locomotive's path. Her small body, however, escaped the tender and remained untouched by wheels and crossbeams during the quick passage of the engine. The sled, struck by the side of the engine, was demolished.

Just as the sled was on the tracks the woman saw the black shadow of the approaching locomotive. The quick jerk she gave the rope to bring the little girl safely across the tracks instead led the child directly between the rails.

TOWEL SEWED UP IN WOMAN

Remained in Patient Five Weeks Before Being Recovered by Another Operation.

New York.—A towel, a yard long and a foot wide, with a red border, was accidentally sewed up inside of Mrs. Mollie Myers when she was operated on in St. Vincent's hospital in November, 1905, according to an affidavit filed with the supreme court by Dr. Benjamin Friedman, formerly of this city, now living in Hungary. Mrs. Myers held Dr. Herman J. Boldt responsible and has sued him for damages.



He Recovered the Towel.

Doctor Friedman asserts that when he recovered the towel, after it had remained five weeks inside Mrs. Myers it bore the label "St. Vincent's hospital."

"A few days later," alleges Doctor Friedman, "I met Doctor Boldt, who told me that he had sent the towel to the New York County Medical association as a curiosity, indicating the great vitality of the patient. Mrs. Myers told me she was going to sue Doctor Boldt, and I told him of this. He said he was insured against such accidents and that he did not care."

LIKE THE WOLF AND LAMB

Inoffensive Creatures Most Unjustly Charged With Sudden Attack of Bloodthirstiness.

A man who was caught in the act of skinning a neighbor's sheep, covered his embarrassment by declaring that no sheep could bite him and live. The logic of this is equaled by that of the Yankee soldier who once had a narrow escape from an enraged gander. The men of a certain Maine regiment, which was in the enemy's country in 1862, considered the order "no foraging" an additional and uncalled-for hardship. One afternoon about dusk, a soldier was seen beating a rapid retreat from the rear of a farmhouse near by, closely pursued by a gander with wings outspread, whose feet seemed scarcely to touch the ground, and from whose beak issued a succession of angry screams. The fugitive was not reassured by the cries of the gander's owner: "Hold on, man, hold on! He won't hurt you!" "Call off your gander! Call him off!" shouted the fleeing soldier. Neither man nor gander stopped until inside the campfires, when the soldier's friends relieved him of his fierce pursuer with the aid of the butt of a musket. "Did that gander think he could chase me like that and live!" the soldier exclaimed, as he surveyed the outstretched bird; but he said nothing of the baited hook, with cod-line attached, which might have thrown light on the unfortunate gander's actions.

BABY'S TERRIBLE SUFFERING

"When my baby was six months old, his body was completely covered with large sores that seemed to itch and burn, and cause terrible suffering. The eruption began in pimples which would open and run, making large sores. His hair came out and finger nails fell off, and the sores were over the entire body, causing little or no sleep for baby or myself. Great scabs would come off when I removed his shirt."

"We tried a great many remedies, but nothing would help him, till a friend induced me to try the Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment but a short time before I could see that he was improving, and in six weeks' time he was entirely cured. He had suffered about six weeks before we tried the Cuticura Soap and Ointment, although we had tried several other things, and doctors, too. I think the Cuticura Remedies will do all that is claimed for them, and a great deal more." (Signed) Mrs. Noble Tubman, Dudson, Mont., Jan. 28, 1911. Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. L, Boston.

Evidence Put in Too Late.

A prisoner was being tried in an English court for murder; evidence against him purely circumstantial; part of it a hat found near the scene of the crime—an ordinary round, black hat, but sworn to as the prisoner's. Counsel for the defense, of course, made much of the commonness of the hat. "You, gentlemen, no doubt each of you possess such a hat, of the most ordinary make and shape. Beware how you condemn a fellow-creature to a shameful death on such a piece of evidence," and so on. So the man was acquitted. Just as he was leaving the dock, with the most touching humility and simplicity, he said: "If you please, my lord, may I 'ave my 'at'?"

Ought to Be Satisfied.

Aunt Beulah's besetting sin was housecleaning. She cleaned in season and out of season, causing the family much worry when sweeping brought on an attack of lumbago or carrying out ashes gave her the grip. One day her patient sister protested. "Why don't you let the maid do those things?" she asked. "She's so careless," groaned Aunt Beulah; "I'd rather have the pain than the dust. I'd rather have the pain."

Then the Smart Little Boy jumped into the conversation. "Well, you've got the pain," he remarked, "what are you kicking about?"

Cause of the Row.

"Mrs. Brown had a dreadful quarrel with her husband last night?" "That so?" "Yes. She bid eight on a hand that was good for ten, not thinking Mr. Brown would overbid her, but he did. It almost broke up the party."

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IF WE ONLY COULD. Illustration of two men talking. "We all have our enemies, you know." "But we can't all buy automobiles to run 'em down."

Before Publication. "Patsy, bring me a paper when you come to work in the morning," a woman who lived at the edge of a village told her man of all work when he went home at night. "Now, don't forget it," she added. "No, ma'am," said Patsy. "I won't. I might forget it if I left it until morning, so I'll get it tonight."

Takes a Week. "I thought your daughter was coming home from the beach this week." "We had to let her remain another week in order to finish saying good-by to a young man."

Naturally. "That child actor has a part which fits like a glove." "Yes—sort of kid glove."

Don't tax your friends overmuch when you try to make a touch.

THE SECRET OF LONG LIFE.

Do not sap the springs of life by neglect of the human mechanism, by allowing the accumulation of poisons in the system. An imitation of Nature's method of restoring waste of tissue and impoverishment of the blood and nervous strength is to take an alterative glyceric extract (without alcohol) of Golden Seal and Oregon grape root, Bloodroot, Stone and Mandrake root with Cherrybark. Over 40 years ago Dr. Pierce gave to the public this remedy, which he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. He found it would help the blood in taking up the proper elements from food, help the liver into activity, thereby throwing out the poisons from the blood and vitalizing the whole system as well as allaying and soothing a cough.

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"I suffered from pain under my right shoulder blade also a very severe cough," writes Mrs. W. Dorn, of New Brooklyn, N. C., to Dr. E. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. "I had four different doctors and none did me any good. Some said I had consumption, others said I would have to have an operation. I was bedridden, unable to sit up for six months—and was nothing but a live skeleton. You advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. When I had taken one bottle of the Discovery, I could sit up an hour at a time, and when I had taken three bottles I could do my cooking and tend to the children. I took fourteen bottles in all and was then in good health. My weight is now 127 pounds."

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