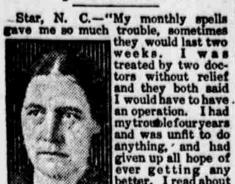
WOMAN AVOIDS AN OPERATION

Hope Nearly Gone, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her



and they both said I would have to have an operation. I had mytromble four years and was unfit to do anything, and had given up all hope of ever getting any better. I read about your medicine in the paper and decided to

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Here is another woman who adds her testimony to the many whose letters we

testimony to the many whose letters we have already published, proving that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound often restores health to suffering women even after they have gone so far that an operation is deemed advisable. Therefore it will surely pay any woman whe suffers from ailments peculiar to her sex to give this good old fashioned remedy a fair trial.



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LESSON FOR JANUARY 23

PROMOTION IN THE KINGDOM.

LESSON TEXT—Matt, 20:17-28.
GOLDEN TEXT—The Son of Man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give His life a ransom for many.—Matt. 20:23.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Matt. 19:27-20:16; Mark 10:32-45; Luke 22:24-30.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Wanting More Than

Our Share, JUNIOR TOPIC-How to Win First

Place.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC Right and Wrong Ambitions, YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC -Greatness Through Service.

I. Jesus Foretells His Death and Resurrection.

1. The King on His way to Jerusalem (vv. 17-19). This is His last journey to the beloved city. He took the twelve disciples aside from the group of traveling pilgrims to make known unto them what was before them. On the journey He went ahead of the disciples. The courage thus shown by the Lord amazed the disciples who were following in fear (Mark 10:32). "Christ, the conscious and certain sufferer, is courageous. His followers

who had nothing to fear were afraid." 2. Betrayal and death foretold (vv. 18, 19). He went forward fully conscious of the awful tragedy of the cross. He for the third time since the transfiguration tells the disciples of His suffering and death, but they are so filled with their ambitious schemes that they do not understand Him. The treachery of Judas Iscariot; the fierce persecutions of the chief priests and scribes; the unjust judgment; the delivery to Pontius Pilate; the mocking; the scourging; the crown of thorns; the cross; the hanging between two malefactors; the nails; the spear; all were spread before His mind like a picture. Though He knew all this He deliberately pressed on. The joyous outlook upon the victory which would be accomplished by the shedding of His blood led Him forward. He went courageously, for He knew the time had come for the ac-

complishment of His Father's will. 3. The resurrection foretold (v. 19). Truly this would have been a dark picture had the resurrection not been made known.

II. The Ambitious Request of James and John (vv. 20-28).

1. The request (vv. 20, 21). This request was made by their mother. The request is for a place of prominence in the kingdom. It is right for mothers to be ambitious for their boys, but they should know that earth's pinnacles are exceedingly dangerous.

2. Jesus' answer. (vv. 22, 23). He spoke directly to the men, not to their mother, declaring that they knew not what they were asking. He showed them that the way to this position of glory was through suffering. The cup of which they were to drink was that of great suffering and agony. The positions which they craved were attainable, but in a very different way from what they apprehended. The way to the places of glory in the kingdom of Christ is through the path of lowly and selfforgetful service, even great suffer-

3. How to Be Truly Exalted (vv. 24-28).

1. The angry disciples (v. 24). When the ten heard of the request of James and John they were filled with indignation against them. Their displeasure did not arise from the fact that they were free from the same selfish spirit, but that these two had thrust themselves to the front; it was an admixture of indignation and jealousy.

2. Greatness among the heathen (v. 25). The rule of the world has always been by the strong hand. The standards have been not moral excellence, but wealth, station and power. Even today the reason one nation rules the other is that the one possesses sharper 'swords and heavier clubs than the other.

3. Greatness among Christ's disciples (vv. 26, 27). Here the standard is in sharp contrast. The way to the places of prominence in Christ's kingdom is the way of self-abasement, It is not wrong to be ambitious to be great, but the basis of true greatness is that which human selfishness seeks to avoid. There will be de-grees of rank in Christ's kingdom, but this rank will be character, not position or authority.

4. Christ is the supreme example of greatness (v. 28). All who would be great should study and imitate Christ. Let them forget self and serve others, even to give their lives. This will eliminate all scrambling for place and power. The one grand test by which to know whether Christ's Spirit controls one is whether he is serving or seeking to be served.

Christianity Is Still-Alive. The greatest tribute to the necessity of religion is, that it survives its outworn forms; the greatest proof of

the essential truth of Christianity is, that in spite of the twaddle talked every Sunday in the name of Christ, Christianity is still alive .- H. R. Hawes.

The Instructor. My hurt has been my instructor, and I wish it may make me more cautious and less simple.—Thomas

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Yea, Verily.

It's a poor rule that doesn't work both ways and that is as true of the Golden Rule as any other.-Boston

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