ready. So away he am engine, and rushed pt-pole with a whoop but before he was half s balance and fell into erhaps, as before inti-nad had the use of both ild not have happened, , he would certainly owned if one of the had not heard his oking up just as the king up just as the t unharmed, and sent wetter if not a wiser

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON.

JULY 31, 1881.

MOSES AND THE MAGICIANS .- Exod-

1. "I have made thee a God to Pha-

1. I have made thee a Gout or Ba-raob," i. e., as a god. The expression is used figuratively, and is intended to assure Moses that Pharaoh should be

brought to recognize the superLuman

character of the powers with which he

was endowed for the purpose of his

mission. He is also told that Aaron

shall be his prophet, this word being used in the sense of authoritative

spokesman and interpreter. It is

probable that Aaron was the speaker throughout all the ensuing transac-

"I will harden Pharaoh's heart."-

This declaration must be explained by the weil-known principle of Hebrew

phiaseology, according to which a per-

phiaseology, a do that which he only

permits to be done, or that which some

other action of his is the occasion or

being done. The Lord did not harden

Pharaoh's heart by any direct influence

which be excited upon it, nor of set

purpose; but he knew that su h would

be the effect of Moses' appeals to him on behalf of the Israel tes. His heart-

was so under the influence of every

had passion already, and he was so de-

termined to act in defiance of God.

that every step taken towards liberat-

ing the Israelite, would tend to make him harder and harder, till God should

arise in his wrath, and subdue his ob-

duracy by one final crushing blow. The fact, therefore, is that Pharaoh

What was true of Pharaoh is too

true of others. Our hearts are natur-

ally haid and evil; but when God

speaks to us, and shows us his signs

and wonders, we harden them still

more. Even the goodness and forbear-

ance of God sometimes have a harden.

2. The first miracles which Moses

was instructed to work, were not

plagues. It was not till Pharaoh's ob-

quiacy compelled such a course that

supernatural acts of a punitive charac.

wrought to assure Moses himself

then it was made the sign of his auth-

ority to the Israelites; and now to

Pharaoh. Serpent charming was then

as now much practiced in Egypt and

other Eastern countries by necroman-

cers; and thus the magicians whom

Pharaoh summoned to his aid found

no difficulty in imitating the act of

Moses. But the swallowing up of their

serpents by the rod of Aaron was a

marvel they were not prepared for. It

was a great triumph for Moses and

Pharaoh's heart, however, was hard-

noted that they all had reference to

tome object of idolatrous worship

tians. There is nothing improbable

a this. The consest was one in which

batan was likely to put forth all his

buers on behalf of his servants. But bee powers, great as they may be.

re strictly limited, and the point was

and reached at which the magicians,

lice swarmed on every person and

ing, so that it was impossible to

ar a space for their operations, they ad only confess their defeat. and

nowledge the finger of God - Con-

bed from Sunday School Maguzine

erfal impression.

surpeut back into a rod, had been first | pany.

hardened his own heart.

ing eff c .

thous, even when not mentioned.

us 7 : 1-17.

ot long after dinner, tressed in a dry suit, promise that his moad him a story when done, he was persuawn upon the lounge to sleep. Now a nap igs just what the boy But trying to go to lways the best way d so it proved in this

e of five minutes he g at the top of his if he might go out his bow and arrows. he, "my face aches lie down-'sides, I stay in here all day

ther promise to be a keep out of mischief. tted to go out and His bow and arrow from his brother, and come very expert in t. None the less was to own them; and pected to do great hery some day that h the family. k that day had come, long before he let fly lodged in the top of though aimed at the g herself on the garcourse, Johnny climbee and got his arrow. hat was seen of him, lay white and limp ound with a broken

later when the arm e effect of the ether was lying upon his omewhat sobered by baps, but quite as d be expected under ices. He had a nap hich his brother fed of toast and marmavas. Johnny's bill of he was ailing. Then e was ready for a ething." Taking one hand in his, Barry ory :

little boy who ha

THE WESLEYAN, FRIDAY, JULY 22, 1881.

MACDONALD & CO., KEEPING CHILDREN AFTER **INFORMATION** SCHOOL. FowLS .- If growers of poultry would There is one common practice of the HALIFAX, N.S. increase the value of their stock twenpublic schools which ought to be abolished at once and everywhere without ty per cent, whether in weight, quality or eggs, they have but to mix Haivell's STEAM AND HOT WATER ENGINEERS, question or parley. This is the practice Condition Powders occasionally with of imprisoning the children in the the feed of the fowls. The experiment school houses beyond the school hours. is worth trying! Druggists and Pretty nearly every school-house in the Importers of Cast and Wrought Iron Pipe, with Fittings, Engineers' Supplies and Machinery. A GREAT DISCOVERY. land is thus turned into a penitentiary grocers sell them. in which children are immured every day, some of them for imperfect recita-It is remarkable that the active in-Manufacturers of all kinds of Engineers' Plumbers' and Steam Fitters' tions, others for faults of deportment. gredients of Fellows' Hypophospites GOLDEN ELIXIR This method of punishment might, if are alkaloids from trees which attain BRASS GOODS the teachers, were all judicious be re- to very great ages, taken in connection sorted to occasionally with good effect ; with the fact that this preparation will WILL CURE AND THE HEAVIER CLASSES OF but teachers are not all judicious, and increase the longevity of the human thousands of children are thus detained family is a somewhat singular coinci-Scrofala, Scrofulous Humors, Tumors, Cancers, E. ysipeias, Salt Rheum, Con-BRASS every day, to whom the detention is a dence. AND COPPER WORK serious injury, and a grave injustice. su option, Rheumatism, Syphilitic Dis-For some tofling breach of order, like The blood at times becomes loaded eases, Neu-algia, Sciatica, Spinal Com-ALSO turning in the seat or dropping a penwith impurities and moves thick and plaints. Kidney Complaint, Liver Com-singgisnly in the verns. This condition plaint, Ulcers, Old Sores, Pimples on cil, for some small failure in a recita-VESSELS' FASTENINGS AND FITTINGS. singgishly in the veins. This condition tion, and often for no faults at allof the vital fluid cannot last long with- the Face, Ringworms, Catarrh, Indiwhole classes being kept on account of out serious results. An alterative is gestion, Costiveness, Headache, Dropsy. Public Buildings, Residences and Factories supplied with the indolence of some of their members Leeded to parity the blood and impart | Pains in the Side and Back, Faintness and the innocent thus suffering with energy to the system, and there is none at the Stomach, General Debility. the guilty-the children are shut up in Warming Apparatus and Plumbing Fixtures better than Ayer's Sarsaparilia. the school-house, sometimes during the intermission, often after the close of GOLDEN ELIXIR produces appe-With all the Modern Improvements, fitted by Engineers thoroughly school. Thousands of children in delitite and a healthy d gestion, renews For Sprains and Bruises .- Rub Peracquaintee with our climate. the strength, renovates the failing cate bealth, to whom the regular school ry Davis' Pain Killer well into the power, removes sensations of fatigue, hours are too long, are permanently inwounded parts, taking the medicine SOLE AGENTS FOR THE SALE AND APPLICATION OF increases the capacity for mental and jured by this system of confinement. If internally at the same time. physical exertion, produces cheerfulonly the stupid and the wilful and those in sturdy health were thus punished - the set of the set o WARREN'S FELT ROOFING ness, gives a coolness and dexterity to HOW WISTER'S BALSAM CURES. the mind, confers freshness, originality there would be less reason of complaint, From Seymore Thatcher, M. D., of and energy on the mental processes, Hermon, N. Y. "Wister's Balsam of produces sensations of increased musbut any careful examination will show And Roofing Materials in and for the Province of Nova Scotia. that such discrimination is not general-Wild Cherry gives universal satisfac. cular power and stimulates the nerve Nos. 162 to 172 also 306 Barrington Street, Halifax. ly made, and from the nature of the tion. It seems to cure a cough by power. system, cannot well be made; and that loosening and cleansing the lungs, and the injury to the health of pupils is a allaying irritation, thus removing the GOLDEN ELIXIR acts directly on subject to which the average school SMITH BROTHERS. cause, instead of drying up the cough | the blood, vitalizing and enriching it to teacher gives but little consideration ; and leaving the cause behind. I con- a suprising degree, building up the sysany practice, therefore, which is liable to result in the impairment of the pu- | sider the Balsam the best cough meditem and throwing o ffthe germs of dispils health ought to be to bidden by cine with which I am acquainted." 50 ease. It thoroughly recruits the gercents and \$1 a bottle. Sold by all eral bodily health and restores the ner-WHOLESALE yous system to a proper healthy condi-tion; no matter from what cause imdruggists. This plea is based upon an observation of the working of this system in paired. several towns and cities and upon the SPRAINS. I had my ankle sprained concurrent testimony of many medical so severely that I was obliged to use 25 Duke Street, - - - - Halifax, N. men. In some places the rules of the GOLDEN ELIXIR will vitalize. cruteres for four days before trying. purity and enrice the blood, regulate governing boards forbid the imprison-Graham's Pain Eradicator. Having ment of children, but the rules are genthe supply of blood to diseased nerves, proved its efficiency 1 have since then, erally set at naught by teachers. They act as a general tonic, invigorate the SPRING IMPORTATIONS OVER eight years ago, kept it constantly in whole system, affords a ready mode of ought to be enforced. It must be that my house, and always found it to be a gaining strength, is pre-eminent as a there are methods of discipline for valuable and I think the best family means of gaining the appetite. Partic-ularly useful for delicate females. ter were performed. The miracle of schools less injurious and more effecmedicine in use. 500 PACKAGES. turning the rod into a serpent, and the toal than imprisonment-Good Com Charles E. Bishop. Port Williams N. S. Ma_f 10, 1881. GOLDEN ELIXIR may be considered a specific for Scrofula and blood COMPRISING IN PART: WIRE FENCES. 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Ordi-nary packages 30c,-sufficient for 20 to afford nourishment to the body, is 50 bales Cotton Warp, 14 cases Knitting Cottons, 3 cases Ribbons. is but little danger of any loss from most useful in allaying the nervous, ir-2 cases Kid Gloves, ritable and weakly state occasioned by high water to a wire fence. Thousands 0 cases Cloths, 15 cases Hosiery, 14 cases Flowers, Feathers, &c., plauts for one year. over-brain-work, mental anxiety, loss of o'd llars' worth of fencing were carried A SIMPLE CURE FOR INDIGESTION. 18 cases Grass Cloths, Linens, &c. Aaron, and must have produced a pow- away this winter in this State which rest, violent shocks, fast living, over The worst cases of indigestion cau be 14 cases Silks and Satins, 8 cases Muslins and Lice Goods, loss would not have occurred if whe taxing the powers. 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pray morning and Heavenly Father. knelt down by his ed this way : 'O, re of me during the in I get up in the take care of myself. ing he went out into a bee stung him. e fell in the creek r was deep and he n drowned had not a led him out. Then tree, from which he und and broke his you think this boy d care of himself,

said Johnny. "Guess omised the Lord he

not all the trouble," " Don't you know, an never, night or of yourself without o one can. We all ery moment of our kindly watches over we forget him, and han our dear mother were babies. You often get into danll her care. Someown and hurt ournes burned our fintried her best to uld it not have been wrong for us to do without our mocare of ourselves babies ?" so," said Johnny. ld be more foolish ld do without our r's care at any time. mother may forour God will nevhas preserved your igh you have been and badly hurt. son was needed to you are dependent all times. And so

little prayer that " O Lord, please ne nights, and day-I can't take very self; and make me hat when I grow up good 's Harry, for nen.'

to ask him for it

ur life, will you not,

plagues has been already referred to a pole, or, if you choose, at the bottom. and is sufficiently obvious. But there It is always best to have something were, no doubt, other purposes served | aside from wire to show stock, where by tuem which the Lord had also in the fence is. new in their affliction. It is to be

USEFUL HINTS.

amongst the Egyptians, and were designed to produce on the minds of the In choosing vases select delicate white or some neutral tint, no gaudy Egyptians and Israelites a salutary color, for the flowers should be the inpression of the impotency of the point of color, not the vase. ods in which the Egyptians trusted.

3. There are two theories about the Red clover when sown by itself, or initations of the miracles of Moses with orchard grass, should be cut as which the magicians of Pharaoh were soon as the bloom begins to fade. If while to produce. The fi.st, and very the meadow is clover and timothy it tenerally adopted one, is that they will be necessary to defer cutting ten Were very clever tricks, such as are days.

will commonly practiced by conjurors. When fattening an animal for beef. It may have been so. The jugglers d India are said to do things even let the process be as quick as possible. Any stint in freding will make the more wonderful. It is evident that time was given them for all necessary meat tough and dry. Stall-fed animals peparations for imposing upon the will fatten more readily than others. pectators, who were interested parties and young animals require richer food anxious for their success, and, therethan older ones. fore, the more easily deceived.

Some gentlemen in London went to see the generator of the electric light. and get a bottle of MRS. WINS-The other theory is that which may hexpressed by the word demonology They were told to put aside their LOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It It is that --- as this was a contest bewatches before they approached too Ween the true God and false deities, which, whatever form they assumed, n-ar. This it seems was necessary, as otherwise the steel in the watches vere, in reality, embodiments of devilwould have become polarized, and the vership-the powers of darkness lent watches spoilt. their assistance to the Egyptian mag-

Fenc s are probably a greater tax on the farmer than is generally suspected, to the mother, and relief and health If a farm of 160 acres is divided into to the child, operating like magic. It ten acre fields it contains about five is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and mier of fences; and if the fence rows pleasant to the taste, and is the preare one rod wide no less than ten acres, or six and a fourth per cent of the whole farm, is occupied by fences. United States. Sold everywhere at 25 These ten acres generally form the nursery for weeds, which is amply suf-

It should be noted that though the ficient to stock the whole farm with nicles of Muses were of the nature that commodity. grievous plagues on the Egyptians,

magicians did not endeavor to re-Do not let the cows suffer for want ove them. One would have thought of water during this hot weather, at the most natural course for them When once a cow is partially dried up take if they possessed the powers of claimed. But they only attemptit is bard to bring her into a full flow of milk again. Do not allow your cows a poor imitation of what M ses had to be overbeated by fast driving, and If they bal succeeded in mak-) if you want plonty of milk and butter, the bloody waters pure, or in aring the land of frogs, they would feed them enough so that when the heat advances they may lie down in eaccomplished something in behalf their gods and their king. But they the shade and not be compelled by hunger to work hard in a short ald only produce a counterfeit of the pasture. miracle which Moses had wrought. when, under the third plague,

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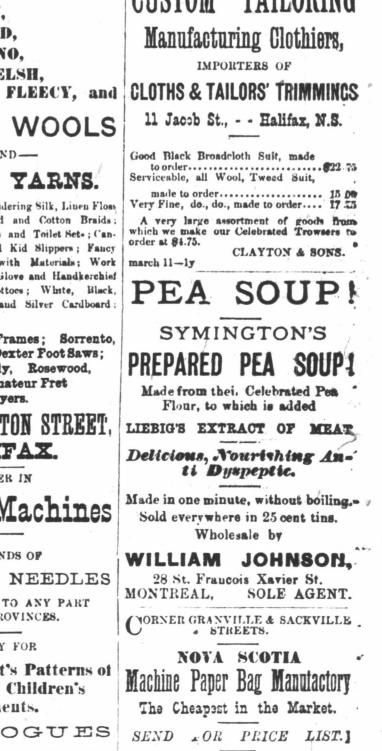
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