NG FOLKS.

G HAS GONE

not four o'clock! it cannot be so Minny, starting n which she had rself with a book, y neglected beside at the great clock ago, and I'm sure

not know that e matter with the lied her aunt, who and shawl on, had stairs, prepared her on a walk. it has gone quite es one hour and I think that the

child, with impaver will trust it and saw a quiet ace of the lady.

you thinking of?" ced down at the from which the d hung dangling ou not promise to

Minny, looking a but—but—"

efore four ?" said

somebody, I fear clock whose hands is swift to promperform-whose ng and whose ac-Shall I repeat Minny, and say. ne wrong, indeed rust her again?" eader, ever keen that our words hould agree toits bell. Never shly; but, if once ure, no feeling of you for one mo-Let no one ever n speaking of the ad given, but not has gone wrong,

THE BABY.

r will trust him

Record.

as just six years irthday, but inood time to celeevent, he had to by. His mother me errands and his little sister. bad about it. good deal. Tomhat to do with very much, but ke care of her

e window. Ned o play on the

my?" he shout-

shouted back, ne baby." tight, and she

said. it over. He bies than Ned night burn herpull the cover reak the lamp. Commy's head. for the tacks rove four tacks nd fastened her When this was loors as fast as him.

him.
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few minutes nuch surprised her told him. ach a baby!' ou only wantt of mischief, ils would do Ones.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

JANUARY 29.

THE PHARISEES ANSWERED .-Mark 2: 18-28; 3: 1-5.

1.-Fasting was one of the most punctiliously observed religious duties of the Pharisees. The Pharisee in the temple [Luke 18: 12] fasted twice in the week. They observed fasts ostentatiously, going about in public with diso dered dress and dis-heyelled hair, and disfigured faces, that they might appear unto men to fast [Matt. 6: 16]. They exaggerated the importance of this duty, and imposed upon themselves fasts for which there was no authority in their law; but to a very great extent their observance of it was a mere pretence. Fasting "is an important exercise of self-denial when wisely regulated as to time and other circumstances, but an odious bit of self-righteousness when simply regarded as a fear of religious | below. superiority or meritoriousness."

The disciples of John also frequent-

Is fasted, but there was much more sincerity about their observance. It was part of the training, for John came "neither eating nor drinking." At this time the disciples of John and the Poarisees were fasting, and the fact that the disciples of Jesus did not do so led to their sending a deputation to inquire the reason. St. Matthew says it was John's disciples who came [Matt. 9: 14]. The reply was applicable to them, and would be understood by them rather than the Pharisees. Jesus compares his disciples to the friends of the bridegroom during the marriage festivities. Nothing could be more inappropriate than fasting at such a time. It was a joyous time to his disciples while he was with them, but a day was coming when they would fast without requiring to be told to do so. This answer would come with special force to John's disciples, for their Master had been already taken from them, and was now in prison.

2—The word describing the cloth is changed in the Revised Version to "undressed," and the word bottles in the next verse to "wine skins," both of which alterations are great improvements in rendering the original words, as well as in making the meaning clearer. A piece of undressed cloth sown into the rent in an old garment would shrink when it came to be wetted either by exposure to rain or in washing, and would thus draw the threads of the old part near it and make another rent, and such a kind of rent, as every good needle-woman will understand, is worse to deal with. New wine is very liable to recommence fermer at a, and if conuned in any vessel not strong enough, would ir vitably burst it. An old wine-skin would certainly be exposed to this danger, and the result would be the wine would be lost and the skin rendered useless.

Jesus, no doubt, meant to say that he did not impose on his disciples any austere observances, because they were not prepared for such treatment. They were frail and tender, and needed instruction adapted to their weakness. To subject them to a rigid discipline would be as foolish as to sew the undressed cloth on the old garment, or to put the new wine into old wineskins. " In the religious education of children, in dealing with new converts, and in having regard to the different habits and prejudices of men in general, we must have respect to the strength of the bottle and the quality of the wine we put into it. All things should be suited to persons and to circumstances.

3-The Jews were allowed by an express enactment to pluck the ears when passing along footpaths through standing corn [Deut. 23: 25]. The question was simply as to the lawfulness of doing this on the Sabbath. The Jewish teachers had added to the original Sabbath law a great many superstious regulations which were most oppressive and exacting, and their punctilious observance of the letter rather than the spirit of which was often extremely ridiculous. Jesus defends his disciples on the ground that they were hungry. They had probably walked from some neighboring town in the early morning. He appeals to a well-known instance in their own Scriptures in which David had, under the pressure of hunger, eaten the holy bread intended only for the pricets, and been held blameless | 1 Sam. 21: 6]. Mere ceremonial regulations must give place to natural necessities. It is possible that circumstances may compel breaches of the letter of a law, while yet its spirit is observed. The Principle is made clearer still in this Lesson (chap. 3: 4). The letter of the law forbade the doing of any kind of work on the Sabbath, but the higher law of mercy must not be transgressed in order to a literal observance of the prohibition. It is lawful to do good on the Sabbath day. Works of mersy are in accordance with the very purpose of its institution.

In the remarkable utterance of verse 27, Jesus covers the whole ground, not only of Sabbatic observance, but of the purpose of the institution, and its universality and perpetuity. "The Sabbath was made for man"—for all men everywhere. It is not simply a Jewish institution, but was appointed from the beginning (Gen. 2: 3), and is therefore of universal obligation. It was intended for the promotion of man's highest interests, to furnish leisure and opportunity for worship and spiritual exercises, and was therefore seed and hallowed. "And not man

for the Sabbath." The day is to be

nade subservient to his welfare; not

his welfare subordinated to an artificial observance of it.

In verse 28 our Lord asserts his authority over the Sabbath as the Son of Man, the Redeemer of the world. It implies a right-" (1) To interpret the law of the Sabbath; (2) To alter or modify it as be pleased; (3) To alter the time of its observance, which he afterwards did through his apostles, from the seventh to the first day of the week. And if any ask our authority for observing this day, and not the Jewish Sabbath, the answer is. that in the Christian Scriptures it bears the name of "The Lord's Day," with manifest reference to this text, in which Christ asserts his power over it as Lawgiver: the Son of Man is Lord also of the Sabbath."—Abridged from Sunday-School Magazine.

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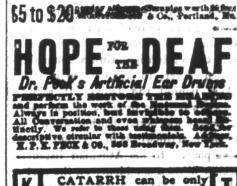
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