

THE SABBATH SCHOOL.

There was a fair-faced young lady in a certain Sabbath-school whose class of boys had arrived at the dangerous age; yet she held them steadily. Not only were they attentive, but they were noticeably regular in attendance; not only that, but they were prompt. I studied over it a good deal. I knew the young lady. She did not seem to be more learned than the others, or more apt to teach; she had no better advantages for preparation, and so far as I could learn, she did not study harder than some of the rest; yet, apparently, she succeeded better. I was quite well acquainted with one of her class. I cross-questioned him. "Is Miss Maryn a very superior teacher, Charlie?"

"She's tip-top." Spoken with an air of prompt heartiness that means so much in a frank-hearted boy. "How did she manage last Sunday's lesson?"

"Oh, I dunno," in that off-hand tone, which may mean: "I know all about it, but I'm not going to tell you; it's a matter of confidence between her and us."

"The boys all like her, don't they?"

"Of course they do; they would be great simpletons if they didn't."

"But, Charlie, what makes her any better than the others?"

"Dunno, I'm sure; all I know about it is, we don't want to exchange her for anybody that we know."

I was still in the dark as to Miss Maryn's success; but that evening, as Charlie was coming in at his father's sidegate in his shirt sleeves, and with dusty hands which had been helping to build a wood-pile, I, standing in the door, saw him suddenly halt and lift his cap, and at the same time heard a cheery voice say:

"How do you do, Charlie? I was just thinking of you; I hope we shall see you out this evening; we are depending on you." Then—as he protested that his hands were too dusty to accept her offered glove—"Never mind the dust, Charlie; good, honest dust will never hurt anybody's hands. May we expect you?"

"I'll be there," he said heartily. Then he came in.

"Charlie," I said, "Miss Maryn has a real cheery way with her, hasn't she? I like to see people shake hands with their friends."

"She'd shake hands with one of her boys if he had just tumbled out of a tar-kettle," said Charlie, emerging from the basin into which he had dipped his curly head and speaking in a tone of grim satisfaction.

"Where is she so anxious to have you to come this evening?"

"It's to prayer meeting," he said under his breath. "She wants some of us to help along the singing."

"Charlie, are you going?"

"Yes'm, I am; I kind of like to please her; and, besides," with a roguish glance at me, "she had us to her house to eat strawberries and cream last night; a fellow would feel rather flat not to do what she asked him after that."

And I, as I went upstairs, mused as to whether I had found a clew of Miss Maryn's influence over these great boys of her's. "The children of this world are in their generation wiser than the children of light." It was infinite wisdom that said that; are not we, as a people, at work proving the truth of it? There is only here and there a Maryn who has any consecrated strawberries and cream, or a pair of gloves that honest dust will not hurt.—Baptist Teacher.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS AND FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Every Sunday-school should have direct connection with Foreign Mission work.

Already very much has been done by our schools on behalf of Foreign Missions. Indeed, the juveniles of Methodism have raised since the year 1841 not less than three thousand pounds for this noble, Christ-like work. That is a magnificent result, but during the next forty years, with better organization, a much larger amount may be collected and given by the children.

It is well to encourage the children themselves to give, and not merely to collect from other people. They will so be trained to a good habit, and to the performance of a Christian duty; and they will, perhaps, be saved from swelling the ranks of those disagreeable people who never cease to beg for almost any cause from their neighbours, but never are known themselves to contribute. That easy sort of benevolence that never sees a case of need without wishing some one else to relieve it, is often very eloquent and very persistent, but is somewhat disgusting.

Still, scholars should be encouraged to collect. The selection of such collectors requires care. No slight moral mischief has been done by the indiscriminate distribution of collecting cards. Young thieves have been diligent collectors; and naughty boys and girls, and their godless parents, have spent the money intended for the Lord's treasury, and, indeed, had parents of good children have done so too. The Missionary Secretary of the School should be wide-awake, prompt, and very systematic in securing the regular payment of contributions from the young collectors.

Our schools make richer gifts to Foreign Missions than gifts of coin, they have often given life; they have sent forth missionaries; they have enlisted youthful piety, enthusiasm and dedication. It is

well to remember that every Sunday we are teaching future missionaries; and, as that is so, it cannot be unimportant to work the class and school so that these boys and girls may be helped in their training for their great work; so that when they are away in the far-off lands, and among the strange people, they may remember the missionary tone of the school, and feel that they are blessed with the sympathy and prayers of those who are at home.

It may stimulate teachers to remember that the result of their work in their own small classes may be found in years to come among alien, distant people; in Ethiopia with its dark nations; among the crowded millions of China; in vast gorgeous India, or populous Japan, for the boys and girls in whose young hearts they are quietly burying holy seed and blessed truths, may become Christ's confessors, the messengers of the churches in the midst of the billions of fallen and darkened souls, who are passing through a dark present to a darker hereafter.—S. S. Mag.

CLIMATE CURE.

There are two justly definite propositions concerning this climate question which we consider well settled. The first is that unless there is reason to believe that the climate at home is specially unfavorable for the invalid, it is better for him to remain at home, and have the best possible treatment here.

The second proposition is, that if a change of climate is found necessary, then it should, if possible, be permanent, or at least be protracted until every trace of the disease is banished. There is too much waste of time and money in taking short trips to avoid March winds. Lives may have been saved in this way, but only by prolonging the sufferings. In Bermuda we met an old gentleman of over seventy years, who came of a consumptive family, and who was compelled to leave his home in Boston at the age of twenty-one. He never returned to Boston excepting occasionally during a few months of summer, and when we saw him he exhibited no more evidence of consumptive tendency than of measles.—Dr. Foote's Health Monthly.

BLIGHT ON FRUIT TREES.

A correspondent of the New England Farmer gives his experience in dealing with blight upon fruit trees and wormy fruit: "First, whitewash the trees with a strong wash made of quicklime, just as the buds begin to stir in the spring. The wash can be applied with an old broom. Next, during the last days of May, plow four furrows in the centre between the rows of trees both ways, so as to leave a square plot of ground around each tree. Then throw straw in piles of about one hundred pounds to each tree; spread it thin under each tree to within three feet of the trunk. Let the straw remain thus spread about ten or twelve days, and all manner of insects will hide under it. Some evening take one tree at a time, set fire to the straw, and be careful not to have it so thick as to burn or scald the limbs of the trees. All insects that can be will be attracted by the fire, and a general destruction of them will take place. Repeat this two or three years, and the orchards will be free from blight and the fruit sound and good."

USEFUL HINTS.

To remove grass stains, wash with cold water and soap, until the stain disappears; warm water sets the color.

One of the chief offices of a good nurse is to think for her patient. An invalid should never be teased with the exertion of making a decision.

Keep your lands well up to a good standard by a proper fertilizing and a judicious rotation of profitable crops.

Powdered borax is one of the most useful articles which a housekeeper can have; mixed with powdered sugar and scattered over pantry shelves and in cracks, it proves sure death to cockroaches.

The man who calls himself a farmer, and yet spends half his time at the railway station or cross roads store, is the man who will complain loudest of bad seasons, and wants to find a country where a farm will "run" itself. Let him go.

Nose bleed, if not in excess, should not be checked. It is nature's method of relieving congestion. It sometimes, however, passes a healthy limit and demands attention. Put the hands in mustard water and apply cloths wet with ice water, or vinegar water, to the forehead and over the nose.

In aged persons and those who are great eaters nose bleed indicates a tendency to apoplexy. The bowels should be kept free and the diet regular.

The Orange county Farmer has the following suggestion for next summer: "Our finest and best flavored butter is made from grass, and if a little corn-meal or bran be added the quantity will be increased. Our best cheese is made in June and September, provided our cows be running on grass; afterwards the latter months. Even with these indisputable facts before our eyes should we not be the coming year make an effort to get our hay in the barn as near a grass condition as possible? and our stock will do enough better on it to pay us for the extra expense."

It is rather discouraging to find out, on the authority of Dr. F. H. Hamilton, who spoke last night before the New York Academy of Medicine, that we have not yet obtained the upper hand of the plagues, whom, as a class, he does not regard as depraved. Dr. Fordyce Barker and Mr. Wingate some time ago sustained the idea that plumbing was a science that could be made exact. Dr. Hamilton says it is not, and that we cannot keep sewer gas out of our houses so long as we have sewer-pipes in them.—N. Y. Tribune.

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