

Sunday School.

INTERNATIONAL LESSON VIII.—FEB. 24, 1907. God's Covenant With Abram.—Gen. xv, 1, 5-15.

Commentary.—I. God's covenant with Abram (vs. 1-5). 1. After these things...

II. Abram's great faith (v. 6). 6. He believed.—"God speaks—Abram believes, and all is settled and all is sure."

III. The covenant ratified (vs. 7-18). 7. I am the Lord.—The promises of God...

IV. The covenant ratified (vs. 17-18). 17. Every covenant is an agreement between two...

V. The covenant ratified (vs. 19-21). 19. Take me an heifer, etc.—The animals prescribed are of three kinds...

VI. Cam down.—Having made ready the sacrifices, he waited for the fire of God to consume them...

upon dead bodies, "came down" to consume the sacrifice. How often do intruding cares, like unclean birds, seize upon that time and those affections which have been given to God!

12. Was going down.—About the time of the evening sacrifice. A deep sleep—Not a common sleep through weariness or carelessness, but such a sleep as God causes to fall upon Adam.

14. That nation.—The Egyptian nation. Will I judge—God brought plagues and destruction upon the Egyptians. Come out—Israel was released from bondage and came out of Egypt with great wealth.

15. In peace.—"This verse strongly implies the immortality of the soul." 16. Amorites.—This was the general name for the Canaanitish tribes.

17. Abram redeemed him.—Melchizedek, priest of the most high God, met him and received tithes from him and blessed him (Gen. xiv. 18-20).

18. Abram confirmed. I. By the promise (vs. 4, 5). God represented Abram's earthly descendants by the sands (Gen. xiii. 16; xxii. 17).

II. By signs. In answer to his question, "Whereby shall I know?" (v. 8), which does not necessarily imply doubt, but rather an expression of the promise and a mere question as to the sign of its fulfillment.

III. Abraham's confidence (v. 6). The statement that Abram believed God coming before his request for signs, shows how confidently he trusted God for the fulfillment.

IV. Cam down.—Having made ready the sacrifices, he waited for the fire of God to consume them, which was the usual token of acceptance.

GOVERNOR MURDERED; ASSASSIN SUICIDES.

Governor of Penza Shot and Killed by Young Man While Leaving Theatre.

Penza, Russia, Feb. 11.—S. A. Alexandrovsky, Governor of Penza, was shot and killed by a young man as he was leaving the theatre last night. In attempting to escape the assassin also killed the assistant chief of police and a policeman and wounded the manager of the theatre.

HOUSE OF LORDS MUST GO SOON AND SERIOUS WORK AHEAD.

British Attorney-General Says the Coming Struggle Will Cause Several Dissolutions.

London, Feb. 11.—The Attorney-General, Sir John L. Walton, who presumably spoke with the full knowledge of the intentions of the government, made an important declaration in a speech at Leeds last night, foreshadowing the government's programme for a reform of the House of Lords.

NEWS IN BRIEF CANADIAN.

The official count in the Nelson, B. C. election gives Mr. Hall, Liberal, a majority of two.

William Keough was fatally injured by a cave-in in the grounds of the Swansea Brick Works.

H. M. S. Dominion, on her way home for permanent repairs, has passed the Azores in safety.

Mrs. Gardiner, an old woman of seventy, was found frozen to death on Dixon's Island, near Belleville.

Mr. Anton Heintzman, employed in the Gerhard Heintzman piano factory, Toronto, died yesterday of pneumonia.

The provincial Board of Health at its meeting in Toronto yesterday drew attention to the pollution of the waters of the Muskoka Lakes.

A chinook wind has set in at Macleod, Alberta, and the whole aspect of things has changed. The condition of the cattle is now much more hopeful.

Several firemen at St. Catharines had a narrow escape from serious injury when the hook and ladder truck was struck and smashed by a trolley car.

Mark L. Mullholland, an employee of the Canadian Bridge Company, fell a distance of 50 feet yesterday morning while at work on the new cable bridge of the Grand Trunk at London. His skull was fractured and his condition is serious.

Frank P. Chandler, wholesale butcher, who lived on the Base Line, Westminster township, was yesterday driving a cow into his premises, when the vehicle upset, and before he could extricate himself he was fatally kicked in the head by the horse.

Alvin Matthews, nineteen years old, claiming Toronto as his home, was arrested at Buffalo yesterday on the charge of having attempted to open the safe of the Bidwell wall paper store in Washington street, Buffalo. Matthews made a full confession.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN The U. S. ship Yorkton has received rush orders to proceed to San Salvador.

Count John A. Creighton died at Omaha, Neb., this morning. His estate is estimated at \$3,000,000.

the assistant chief of police, who was standing near the door of the theatre, tried to draw his revolver he was shot dead by the terrorist. Seeing that it was impossible to get through the crowds outside the building, the murderer dashed into the theatre, firing wildly. The manager attempted to grapple with the murderer, who fired at him, but missed and killed a policeman, who was in the line of fire.

two or three dissolutions." He added that the House was entirely "out of harmony with the democratic institutions, and must go." The government would endeavor to give effect to the will of the people by bills, which the peers would probably throw out, leading to a "combination of the crown and people to defeat the aristocracy."

the Chicago harbor, the steamers City of Racine and Iowa, reached port last night with a combined list of fifty passengers.

Right Hon. George Joachim Goschen, (Viscount Goschen), died suddenly this morning at his residence, Seaton Heath, Hawkhurst, Eng., of heart failure. His death was quite unexpected.

Diplomatic relations between Nicaragua and Honduras have been broken off as a result of trouble between the two countries owing to the recent invasion of Nicaraguan territory by Honduran soldiers.

A report from the United States that the Privy Council had met Tuesday to consider a despatch from Washington is received with great surprise and some indignation at Tokio.

Sir Wm. Howard Russell, the veteran war correspondent, who described the battle of Bull Run for the London Times during the civil war in the United States is critically ill.

The London Chronicle's Melbourne correspondent says the Commonwealth and State Governments are negotiating a scheme to repatriate Australian workmen stranded in South Africa.

The Opposition members of the commission appointed by the Belgian Government to inquire into the administration of the Congo have completed their report, which they find it impossible to procure, the necessary documents.

The Emperor of Russia has confirmed the sentences passed by the court-martial on Admiral Nebogatoff and other members of the Sea of Japan.

The Anarchist unrest in Barcelona continues. The inhabitants have been alarmed by recent bomb outrages and by threats of more. Many of the wealthiest residents have left the city, fearing attack.

FELL DOWN FLIGHT OF STEPS. PROVED ZAM-BUK BEST IN THREE DIFFERENT EMERGENCIES.

One of the most valuable points about Zam-Buk, the herbal balm, is the variety of uses to which it can be applied. Mrs. A. Livernola, of 131 Eglinton street, Toronto, says: "I have used Zam-Buk for colds on the chest and found when rubbed well in it gave me instant relief to the 'tightness' and 'stiffness.'"

MARKET REPORTS.

Toronto Farmers' Market. The offerings of grain to-day were small. Wheat firm, with sales of 200 bushels of fall at 74c. Barley unchanged, 300 bushels selling at 55c. Oats firm, 200 bushels selling at 42c per bushel.

Dairy produce in fair supply with prices about steady. Butter sold at 25 to 26c per lb. and lard eggs at 30 to 35c per dozen. Poultry unchanged.

Hay in liberal offer, with prices unchanged; 40 loads sold at \$13 to \$14. 50 a ton for timothy, with one load at \$15; mixed sold at \$10 to \$12. Straw unchanged, two loads selling at \$11 to \$13 a ton.

Dressed hogs are unchanged, with light quoted at \$9.50 and heavy at \$9.25. Wheat, white, bush, \$0.74 8 75 Do, red, bush, 0.71 0 75 Do, spring, bush, 0.68 0 00 Oats, bush, 0.42 0 00

Barley, bush, 0.54 0 53 Peas, bush, 0.78 0 79 Hay, timothy, ton, 13.00 14.50 Do, mixed, ton, 10.00 12.00 Straw, per ton, 11.00 13.00

Seeds. Alsike, fancy, bush, 6.75 7.00 Do, No. 1, bush, 6.00 6.25 Do, No. 2, bush, 5.75 5.85 Red clover, new, 8.00 8.25 Do, old, 7.00 7.25 Timothy, bush, 1.25 1.50 Dressed hogs, 9.00 9.50 Eggs, new laid, dozen, 0.50 0.35 Butter, dairy, 0.25 0.28 Do, creamery, 0.30 0.32 Chickens, dressed, lb., 0.10 0.12 Ducks, per lb., 0.11 0.12 Turkeys, per lb., 0.14 0.16 Apples, per bush, 2.50 2.75 Potatoes, per bush, 0.70 0.75 Cabbage, per dozen, 0.35 0.50 Beef, per bag, 1.25 0.00 Onions, hick-quarters, 6.50 8.00 Do, fore-quarters, 5.50 7.50 Do, choice, carcass, 6.75 7.00 Do, medium, carcass, 5.50 6.00 Mutton, per cwt., 9.00 10.00 Veal, per cwt., 9.00 10.50 Lamb, per cwt., 10.50 12.00

British Cattle Markets. Liverpool—Liverpool and London cables are steady at 11 1/2c to 12c per lb. dressed weight; refrigerator beef is quoted at 9 1/4c to 9 1/2c per lb.

Flour Prices. Flour—Manitoba patent, \$3.55, track, Toronto; Ontario, 90 per cent, patents, \$2.70 bid for export; Manitoba patent, special brands, \$4.50; strong bakers, \$4.

Winnipeg Wheat Market. Winnipeg—Futures closed to-day; Feb. 75 3/4c bid, May 18 7/8c, July 79 1/2c.

Leading Wheat Markets. New York, May, July, Sept. 80 1/2, 80 3/4, 81 1/2. Detroit, 80 1/2, 81 1/4, 82 1/4. Toledo, 81 1/4, 82 1/4, 83 1/4. St. Louis, 78 1/2, 79 1/2, 80 1/2. Minneapolis, 81 1/2, 82 1/2, 83 1/2. Duluth, 82 1/2, 83 1/2, 84 1/2.

Toronto Live Stock Market. Receipts of live stock at the city market since Tuesday, as reported by the railways, were 100 car loads, composed of 1,555 cattle, 2,408 hogs, 847 sheep and lambs, with 100 calves.

Exporters—There were several loads of light exporters, weighing around 1,200 lbs. each, that were bought at from \$4.75 to \$5, and one load of good export, 1,300 lbs. each, was bought at \$5.35 per cwt.

Butchers.—A few of the best picked lots sold at \$4.50 to \$4.75; loads of fair to good at \$4.25 to \$4.50; medium mixed loads \$3.80 to \$4.10; common, \$2.25 to \$3.60 per cwt. Cows, \$2.75 to \$3.75; canners at \$1 to \$2.

Feeders and Stockers.—Harry Murphy reports having handled 100 stockers and feeders, and quotes prices as follows: Feeders, 800 to 1,000 lbs., each, at \$3.70 to \$4; stockers, 700 to 800 lbs., each, at \$3.25 to \$3.50 per cwt.

Milk Cows.—The market was brisk owing to several Montreal buyers being in the market. Prices ranged from \$30 to \$40, and we heard of one cow at \$65 and another at \$70.

Veal Calves.—About 100 veal calves changed hands at \$3.50 to \$3.60 and a few of the best at \$7 per cwt. There was a strong market for the best.

Sheep and Lambs.—Export prices sold at \$4.50 to \$5.25 per cwt.; culls and rams at \$3.50 to \$4.50 per cwt.; lambs of best quality, \$3.25 to \$7; common to inferior lambs, \$4.10 to \$5.50 per cwt.

Hogs.—Mr. Hartman quoted the market steady at \$6.50 for select and \$6.00 for lights and fats.

Bradstreet's Trade Review. Winnipeg: The more or less troubled condition of transportation throughout the country is still affecting trade here. There has been some change for the better during the past week and there has been a consequent increase in the business here. When once the roads open up again both retail and wholesale trade is expected to be very active.

London: The sorting trade here has been more active during the past week owing to the fact that retail trade throughout the country has been good following good sleighing. Collections are fair to good. Ottawa: Trade is brisk. Both retail and wholesale trade is moving better than a week ago, and the outlook for spring business continues bright.

SCORED ANOTHER WONDERFUL VICTORY

One More Added to the Long List of Cures Effected by Psychine.

This young lady, who lives in Brownsville, near Woodstock, Ont., tells her own story in a few effective words of how she obtained deliverance from the terrible grip of weakness and disease.

I have to thank Psychine for my present health. Two years ago I was going into a doctor. I could hardly drag myself across the floor. I could not sleep at night. I was too weak to lift my arms. I was too weak to get up in the morning. I was too weak to do anything. I was too weak to live.

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TWO MEN KILLED. AND MANY HURT IN A RAILWAY COLLISION IN CHICAGO.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Two men are said to have been killed and a dozen or more severely injured, some fatally, when train No. 5 on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad collided to-day within the city limits with a switch engine drawing empty passenger coaches.

The "Champion flyer," which runs between Chicago and St. Paul was well filled with passengers, who fought savagely to get out of the cars. Many were cut about the head and face. The two men killed are said to have been railroad employees.

Witnessed by the delays so characteristic of Turkish officialdom, the U. S. Ambassador, Mr. Lehmann, has suddenly raised the question of the recognition of the American schools into prominence by communicating directly with the Sultan urging the necessity of a prompt settlement of the question.

ALL SICK WOMEN SHOULD READ MISS SCHWALM'S LETTER

In All Parts of Canada Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Has Effected Similar Cures.

Many wonderful cures of female ills are continually coming to light which have been brought about by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and

through the advice of Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., which is given to sick women absolutely free of charge.

The present Mrs. Pinkham has for twenty-five years made a study of the ills of her sex; she has consulted with and advised thousands of suffering women, who to-day owe not only their health but even life to her helpful advice.

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"I have found Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a specific for female weakness with which I have been troubled for years. I also had irregular and painful periods which affected my general health until last spring. I was only a wreck of my former self. In my affliction I was advised to use your Compound, and am so glad that I did so. I found that in a few short months there was no trace of female weakness, my strength gradually returned, and in a very short time I considered myself a perfectly well woman. I appreciate my good health, and beg to assure you that I am most grateful to you for discovering such a wonderful remedy for suffering women."

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