

Sunday School.

INTERNATIONAL LESSON NO. 1.
JUNE 3, 1906.

The Gentle Woman's Faith.—Mark 7: 24-30.

Commentary.—I. In heathen borders (vs. 24). From thence he arose—That is, after delivering the discourse at Capernaum, elders think that Jesus and the twelve apostles went immediately to the north country, while others think there was a short delay in, or near, Capernaum before starting out. Borders of Tyre and Sidon.—Tyre and Sidon were heathen cities on the east coast of the Mediterranean Sea. They were the principal cities of Phoenicia, a country northwest of Capernaum and which lay between the Lebanon Mountain ranges and the Great Sea. They were ancient and important cities and here they signify the whole Phoenician district. Jesus had never visited the country before and now it is not clear whether He really entered heathendom or stopped just outside, near the border. Elders think that the latter opinion; several good authorities do not venture an opinion; while some of the latest maps represent him as actually entering the cities of Tyre and Sidon, which is very doubtful. Into an house.—In all probability the house of a Jew. Elders think He must have tarried here several days; the fact that He desired to be kept hid, but could not, would suggest this. No man knew it.—He judged it proper to conceal Himself awhile from the Pharisees, who were plotting against Him. Could not be hid.—It seems that He was personally known to many in this country, who had seen and heard Him in Galilee.

II. A mother's request (vs. 25, 26). 25. Whose young daughter.—The actual sufferings of the daughter were great, but the sufferings which the mother endured by sympathy were still greater. Our sufferings for others are great in proportion of the amount of love we have for them. Hence the mother's fervor on earth was Christ.—Hom. Com. An unclean spirit.—Matthew says her daughter was " grievously vexed with a devil." This was certainly a sad case. Nothing can destroy the peace of a home more than to have a daughter possessed with Satanic influences. The spirit that possessed this girl was an unclean—a vile spirit. At his feet.—This at once shows the humility of the woman; she assumed the most lowly attitude possible as she appeals to His mercy.

26. Woman was a Greek.—"By language"—Greek. The Jews called those who were idolaters Greeks, or Gentiles. A Syrophenician by nation.—A Syrophenician, Phoenicia belong to the Roman Province Syria. "She was a Syrian of Phoenicia." Matthew says, she "was a woman of Canaan." During the earliest times of Jewish history, several tribes of Canaan were the original inhabitants of Palestine, had retired northward before the Israelites. From these the Phoenicians were descended.—Lange. Besought Him.—Earnestly entreated Him. The word is an urgent one, and on her knees at His feet she poured out her request. Wouldst thou—She believed He had power to do this. Matthew says she "cried unto Him, saying, Have mercy on me, O Lord, thou son of David." She pleaded her misery; she knew she could make no claim upon Him in any other way. The woman recognized Jesus as the Jewish Messiah; she called Him "Lord" and "son of David," terms distinctive of Jewish. "The state of this woman is a proper emblem of the state of a sinner deeply conscious of the misery of his soul."

III. Faith tested (v. 27). 27. Jesus answered.—This woman's arguments were great: 1. Her advantages had been small. She was a heathen woman with but little means of even obtaining the light of the Hebrew Scriptures. 2. At first Jesus did not reply to her request (Matt. xv. 24). 3. When Jesus did speak she cried and said, "This has been long salvation frequently meets these same tests, and many become discouraged by them. The disciples were annoyed. They said, "Send her away, for she crieth after us." "This has been greatly misunderstood. To 'send her away,' according to Oriental idiom, would be to grant her request, cure her child, and let her go. The disciples knew that Christ desired privacy, so they urged a prompt miracle so that the woman's eyes would be further noted."—Illustrative Notes. The children—The Jews. First he filled—they are the favored people. "The gospel was first to be offered to the Jews, and to them our Lord's personal ministry on earth was chiefly restricted." Jesus told her that His blessings "were for the lost of Israel (Matt.). This would have caused people with ordinary faith to have given up the struggle, but not so with this woman; she came not and worshipped Him, saying, 'Lord, help me' (Matt.). Seemingly repelled, she still worshipped. Here was a personal, direct, simple, comprehensive, humble prayer. Not meet—it is not suitable—not the proper thing to do. Children's bread.—To take those blessings that belong to the Jews. Unto the dogs—"For dogs" read "little dogs," household pets, such as ran around the table at mealtime. This was the severest test of all. The Gentiles were considered by the Jewish people as no better than dogs, and Jesus only used a form of speech which was common; but it must have been very offensive to the heathen.

IV. Faith rewarded (vs. 28-30). 28. Yes, Lord.—Truth, Lord (Matt.). It is all so. The Jews—the favored ones ought to be blessed first. I know I am heathen—only Gentile, dog. Yet—Now follows (1) an answer to His argument against entertaining her petition, and (2) a most touching appeal to His clemency. The dogs.—eat of the children's crumbs—"I only ask such kindness as the dogs of my family enjoy." I am a dog give me at least a dog's fare. I would not take one of the blessings that belongs to the Jews, but out of Thine infinite fullness, Thous canst give me this crumb I ask and not impoverish them. By this she shows her high regard for Christ's power, "even for the blessing she was asking was but a crumb unto Him." "She would be glad to receive a crumb; those who are conscious that they deserve nothing are thankful for the smallest favor"—Henry.

29. For this saying.—Her faith had triumphed. Jesus said, "O woman, great is thy faith" (Matt.). Her faith was "great in its earnestness, its humility, its overcoming great obstacles." "The

hindrances thrown in the woman's way only tended to increase her faith. Her faith resembled a river, which becomes enlarged by the dikes opposed to it, until at last it sweeps them entirely away."—Clarke. The devil is gone out.—Now, at this very moment, thy request is granted. "Though our Lord's mission was to the lost sheep of Israel, yet He always honored personal faith in Himself, wherever found." "Persevering faith and prayer are next to omnipotent. No person can thus pray and believe without receiving all his soul requires."—Clarke. "This woman had asked a crumb, and had received a whole loaf of the children's bread." Although a heathen, she now took her place by the side of Jacob and Moses, for she had prevailed. Of thy daughter—Her faith is peculiar in that it obtains a blessing for another. Her intercession was successful. Here is also an encouragement for praying parents to persevere in fervent prayer for even the most hopeless case of sin or suffering of a child.

30. Laid upon the bed.—A sign of her perfectly tranquil condition; the demon had previously driven her hither and thither.

She heard of Jesus. "A certain woman... heard of Him, and came and fell at His feet" (vs. 25). Faith cometh by hearing (Rom. x. 17); by "looking unto Jesus" (Heb. xii. 2), who is "Lord of Lords, and King of Kings" (Rev. xvi. 14). Looking to Jesus Peter had faith to walk on the sea; the moment He "saw the wind boisterous" he began to sink (Matt. xiv. 28-32). A lady said to Mrs. Boardman, "Lack of faith is my great difficulty." Mrs. Boardman asked, "If you wished to confide in a woman would you look into your heart to see if you could trust her?" "No, I should look at her capacity and character."

So men do in the affairs of life, but pursue another course when seeking faith in God. A heart acquaintance with Jesus leads to utmost confidence in Him. We do not think of our faith when absorbed in the object of life. Occupied with His greatness, His beauty, His tender care, we forget to exercise faith and trust Him as easily as we do our most confidential friend.

II. She besought for another. "The woman... besought Him" (v. 26). A Congregational missionary was distributing rice to the poor of Japan. A mother who had a lunatic daughter came for food. The missionary went to the dark, miserable room where the mother, two sons and a mad daughter lived. The girl was confined in a cage with wooden bars. Her face was sweet and pathetic even in its wildness. She went from side to side, or tried to climb the bars like a wild animal. The missionary's heart ached for the poor, crazed child, but there were no asylums for the insane poor in Japan. There was but one thing to do; let the strong faith and tender love of Christ's well up in her heart. And the girl caught the glow of it. She looked at her wonderingly, inquiringly; let her stroke her arm and speak soothingly. When the wild look came back. The missionary and her assistant read to the mother of the healing of the daughter of this woman of Canaan, and told her God would hear them for her daughter, and knelt and prayed, and sang—"Jesus, lover of my soul."

The mad girl grew quiet. The next day the mother came and told the missionary that her daughter had slept nearly all night. The week following the girl asked to be baptized. The "Jesus people" would come again. They went. The sons got work and the mother came to the missionary. "The crazy girl is well; she has healed her. It began with the prayer and the song." Then the missionary went again and saw a young girl sitting by the door in perfect health, with a happy face, and never dreamed it was the once crazed lunatic whom her faith and love had brought to Jesus. But it was even so.

III. She was tested. "It is not meet to take the children's bread and cast it unto the dogs" (v. 27). Spurgeon says, "We have no more faith at any time than we have in the hour of trial. All that will not be tested is carnal confidence. Fair weather is no faith. No man ever had faith and was without trial. That could not be, for faith, in the nature of it, implies a degree of trial. I believe of God, my faith is tried in believing the promise in waiting for the fulfillment, in holding on to an assurance while it is delayed, and to act upon it until it is in all points fulfilled to me. To whom God has given faith, it is as though he gave a lantern to his friend because he expected it to be dark on his way home. The gift of faith is a hint to you that at certain points and places you will especially require it."

IV. She was true. "Yes, Lord" (v. 28). "Not a child of Israel" (v. 28). "No claim upon me until death has unsealed my heart to all the world." "Yes, Lord." "O Gentile, only a little faith." "Yes, Lord. To the severest word of God, faith always replies, 'Yes, Lord.' It never murmurs nor complains."

V. She overcame. "For this saying go thy way; the devil is gone out of thy daughter" (v. 29). Great faith will endure the misery of self-suspense, will light in black darkness, turn a precept into a promise, make a stepping-stone of a stumbling-block, get solace out of a slight, write disappointment his appointment. Faith "is the victory that overcometh the world."—A. C. M.

HAVE GOT THE GANG.

C. P. R. Train Robbers Arrested by Energetic Provincial Policeman.

Victoria, B. C., May 21.—Advices to the attorney-general's office to-day indicate that there is little room for doubt that the three men arrested near Douglas Lake, Grand Prairie, and taken to Kamloops yesterday afternoon, are the perpetrators of the C. P. R. hold-up.

They gave the names of George Edwards, aged 62; Lewis Colquhoun, who says he is a Canadian and an accountant by profession, and Thomas or "Shorty" Dunn, the only one who resisted arrest. He received a bullet in the leg. Dunn declares himself ignorant of his own nationality, and as to residence "anywhere and everywhere."

It is believed by the detectives that Edwards is Bill Miner. Various peculiar body marks tally to a T.

The capture of the trio is credited to Provincial Constable Fernie, who pursued the trail unrelentingly for five days, practically without rest or sleep.

It is unlikely that the evidence against Wm. Christie, detained at Vernon, will be sufficient to hold him for complicity in the robbery.

NEWS IN BRIEF

CANADIAN.

Over twenty-four thousand new settlers have arrived at Quebec this season.

Crossley and Hunter, the evangelists, have removed from St. Thomas to Toronto.

The Temiskaming & Northern Ontario Railway Commission has awarded contracts for nine passenger coaches.

The Canadian Northwest Railway has an order rolling stock which will cost \$2,975,000, including 44 powerful engines.

Hazel Hurd, a stenographer, formerly of St. Thomas, Ontario, died suddenly yesterday in her father's office in Buffalo.

The royal commission appointed to investigate the business of hail insurance companies held its first meeting at Winnipeg.

An explosion of gas in the office of the Consumers' Gas Company, Toronto, did damage amounting to between \$200 and \$300.

The jury in the second trial at Toronto, of Charles De Marco, on a charge of murder, found him not guilty, and he was discharged.

The Toronto Board of Control was delegated by the City Council to decide the salaries which the Mayor and the City Treasurer shall receive.

Mr. Angus Kirkland, manager of the Toronto headquarters of the Bank of Montreal, is lying in a critical condition from food poisoning.

Col. Ray, of the Eighth Royal Rifles, Quebec, has resigned, because the militia department rejected his nominee for regimental quartermaster.

Thirteen hundred bartenders' licenses have been sent out by the Provincial License Department since the amended license act went into effect on May 1.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN.

All grades of refined sugar were reduced ten cents a hundred pounds in New York to-day.

Unrented property is said to be greater in Edinburgh than last year because of the large numbers emigrating to Canada.

The Interstate Commerce Commission resumed its investigation at Philadelphia to-day into the alleged discrimination in the distribution of coal cars.

An explosion of gas in the Diamond mine of the Lackawanna Coal Co. at Scranton, Pa., occurred to-day. Six men were burned, three of them seriously.

A contest for the election of a president of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, New York, has closed with the choice of Prof. Samuel Sheldon, of the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute.

The U. S. Senate Committee on Inter-oceanic Canals yesterday voted in favor of constructing a sea-level canal. Senator Carmack's return from Tennessee broke the deadlock which occurred at a former meeting.

The 18th triennial session of the Council of the Reformed Episcopal Church in the United States and Canada, is in session in Philadelphia. Among the dele-

gates is Bishop H. S. Hoffman, of Canada.

At a bye-election yesterday in the Dulwich division of Camberwell to replace Frederick Rutherford Harris, resigned, Bonar Law, one of the unseated members of the Balfour government, was elected by an increased majority of 1279 over Williamson, Liberal.

Fire swept through the summer cottage settlement at Monument Beach, Mass., early to-day, and destroyed 24 cottages and the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad station. The loss is estimated at about \$60,000.

While the torpedo boat Vesuvius was engaged yesterday in practice with the new 21-inch turbine torpedo off Coddington Cove in Narragansett Bay, the torpedo, which is worth about \$10,000, was lost. Only two torpedoes of this kind have been built for the navy.

The world's international commerce will aggregate fully \$25,000,000,000 in the year 1906, says a bulletin issued by the United States Department of Commerce and Labor. By the term "world's international commerce," explains the bulletin, is meant the imports plus the exports of all countries of the world from which statistical trade reports were available.

NO SIGN OF CHILDREN.

SEARCH FOR MR. CREAMER'S LOST ONES PROVES VAIN.

Boy and Girl Disappear From Peacock Settlement, N. B., Leaving No Trace—Supposed to be Lost in the Woods.

Sackville, N. B., May 21.—For three days and three nights the woods in the vicinity of Peacock Settlement, parish of Botsford, have been searched for Ralph and Ollie, the only children of John Creamer, but so far without result. The little ones were last seen at the edge of the woods about 6 o'clock on Sunday night, but, though the alarm was given shortly after their disappearance, no trace of them has so far been discovered.

From fifty to seventy-five men and boys have joined in the search.

Creeks and ponds have been dragged for their bodies, but still the mystery remains unsolved. The whole country around Bayfield is greatly excited over the sad affair, and all hope of the safe recovery of the children has been abandoned.

TO PROTECT CREDULOUS.

Legislation Against Faith-Healers Asked in British House.

London, May 21.—In the House of Commons to-day, John Brownlee, Londsdale (Conservative, Middle Armagh, Ireland), demanded that legislative and other measures be taken to prevent Christian Scientists from carrying on their practices, with the view of preventing danger to their lives of credulous people.

Home Secretary Gladstone replied that the law touching the practice of medicine will probably be further elucidated by the trial for manslaughter of Dr. Adcock, the healer, accused of having caused the death of Major John Nicholas Whyte, who died under his treatment. Until the trial is concluded, Mr. Gladstone added, he could not express his opinion on the subject.

MIDDLE LIFE

A Time When Women Are Susceptible to Many Dread Diseases—Intelligent Women Prepare for It. Two Relate Their Experiences.

The "change of life" is the most critical period of a woman's existence, and the anxiety felt by women as it draws near is not without reason.

Every woman who neglects the care of her health at this time invites disease and pain.

When her system is in a deranged condition, or she is predisposed to apoplexy, or congestion of any organ, the tendency is at this period likely to become active—and with a host of nervous irritations, make life a burden. At this time, also, cancers and tumors are more liable to form and begin their destructive work.

Such warning symptoms as sense of suffocation, hot flashes, headaches, back-aches, dizziness, palpitation of the heart, spasms before the eyes, irregularities, constipation, variable appetite, weakness, inquietude, and dizziness are promptly heeded by intelligent women who are approaching the period in life when woman's great change may be expected.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was prepared to meet the needs of woman's system at this trying period of her life. It invigorates and strengthens the female organism and builds up the weakened nervous system.

For special advice regarding this important period women are invited to write to Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass., and it will be furnished absolutely free of charge. The present Mrs. Pinkham is the daughter-in-law of Lydia E. Pinkham, her assistant before her decease, and for twenty-five years since her advice has been freely given to sick women.

Read what Lydia E. Pinkham's Compound did for Mrs. Powless and Mrs. Mann.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"In my opinion there is no medicine made for women which can compare with Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and you have no firmer friend in the Dominion than I am. At the time of change of life I suffered until I was nearly crazy, and was not fit to live with. I was so irritable, irrational and nervous that I was a torment to myself and others. I surely thought that I would lose my reason before I got through, when fortunately an old friend recommended your Vegetable Compound.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds Where Others Fail.

I took it for five months and then off and on until the critical period had passed, and it restored me to perfect health. My advice to suffering women is to try your Vegetable Compound, and they will not be disappointed."

Mrs. E. Powless, Deseronto, Ont.

Another Woman's Case.

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—

"As I owe my splendid health to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, I am very pleased to write and tell you my experience with it. I am the mother of three children, grown to womanhood, and have safely passed the change of life, and feel as young and as strong as I did twenty years ago, and I know that this is all due to your woman's friend, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I used it before my children were born, and it greatly assisted me and saved me much pain during the change of life. I took it off and on, for four years, and had but little trouble and distress, and now I feel as well as ever."

Mrs. James E. Mann, 806 Bathurst St., Toronto, Canada.

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for Mrs. Powless and Mrs. Mann, it will do for other women at this time of life.

It has conquered pain, restored health, and prolonged life in cases that utterly baffled physicians.

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Market Reports
—OF—
The Week.

Toronto Farmers' Market.

Grain receipts to-day were small, the only offerings being 200 bushels of rye, which sold at 75c per bushel.

Hay in good supply, with prices firm; 25 loads sold at \$12 to \$15 a ton for timothy, and at \$9 to \$10 for mixed. One load of straw sold at \$11 a ton.

Dressed hogs are unchanged, with light quoted at \$9.75 and heavy at \$9.25.

Wheat, white, bush. . . . \$0.80 \$0.81
Do, red, bush. 0.78 0.81
Spring, bush. 0.78 0.80
Do, goose, bush. 0.75 0.80
Oats, bush. 0.41 0.43
Barley, bush. 0.61 0.63
Peas, bush. 0.75 0.80
Do, mixed, ton 15.00 15.00
Hay, timothy, ton 12.00 12.00
Do, mixed, ton 11.00 11.00
Dressed hogs 2.25 2.50
Apples, per bbl. 3.00 4.00
Butter, new laid, dos. 0.17 0.18
Butter, dairy 0.20 0.23
Do, creamery 0.25 0.28
Cheese, year old 0.15 0.18
Fowl, per lb. 0.14 0.17
Turkeys, per lb. 0.14 0.17
Cabbage, per doz. 0.17 0.18
Cauliflower, per doz. 0.75 1.00
Potatoes, per bag 0.85 1.00
Onions, per bag 0.85 1.00
Celery, per doz. 0.49 0.59
Beef, hinquartars 7.50 9.00
Do, forequarters 8.00 9.00
Do, choice, carcass 7.50 9.00
Do, medium, carcass 6.00 8.00
Mutton, per cwt. 8.50 10.00
Veal, per cwt. 8.50 10.00
Lamb, per cwt. 11.50 12.50

Leading Wheat Markets.

New York May. July. Sept.
Minneapolis 82 84 86
Chicago 82 84 86
St. Louis 82 84 86
Toledo 82 84 86
Duluth 82 84 86

British Cattle Markets.

London Cattle.—Cattle are quoted at 10½c to 11½c per lb.; refrigerator beef, 8½c per lb.; sheep, dressed, 14½c to 15c per lb.; lambs, 16c, dressed weight.

The Cheese Markets.

Woodstock.—Offerings on the Woodstock Cheese Board to-day were 900 colored and 700 white; 10½c was the highest bid on the board, with no sales, but afterwards factormen sold quickly.

Pictou.—To-day 14 factories boarded 670 colored and 250 white cheese; highest bid, 11½c; 80c sold at this price. Buyers: Thompson, Carter and Morgan.

Stirling.—To-day there were 540 offered; sold to Alexander at 11½c.

Toronto Live Stock.

Receipts of live stock at the city market as reported by the two railways were 54 calves, 1,163 cattle, 408 hogs, 44 sheep and 255 goats.

The quality of fat cattle was fair. Trade was as if anything a little brisker than at the Junction on Monday owing to the light delivery.

Exporters.—Prices for fat cattle were no better, as will be seen by the many sales reported.

Prices for exporters ranged from \$1.75 to \$2.25 per cwt. with one or two lots at a little more, but the bulk sold around \$2.00 per cwt.

Several loads of exporters that were not properly funded were bought by enterprising farmers to go back to the country as short-keeps. Export bulls sold at \$3.60 to \$4 per cwt.

Butchers.—Loads of good butchers sold from \$4.40 to \$4.60; medium cattle, \$4.25 to \$4.40; good cows at \$3.50 to \$4; common cows at \$2 to \$2.50.

Fedders and Stockers.—Harry Murby reports prices about steady. Friday's quotations as follows: best short-keeps, 1.100 to 1.200; best white cheese, 1.100 to 1.200; best fedders, 900 to 1,000 lbs., at \$4.20 to \$4.50; best feeders, 500 to 800 lbs., at \$3.50 to \$3.75; common stockers, 2c per lb.

Milk Cows.—About 20 milk cows and bringing the \$20 to \$40 each, three only of the latter price.

Veal Calves.—Receipts of Veal Calves were large. Prices ranged from \$1.00 to \$1.50 per cwt.; prime new milk fed veals are worth 17c per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.—Receipts light, with prices firm. Export ewes sold at \$5 to \$5.25 per cwt.; bucks at \$4.25 to \$4.50; yearlings at \$2.50 to \$2.75 per cwt.; spring lambs at \$3 to \$3.25 each.

Hogs.—Receipts light. Mr. Harris reports prices unchanged from those given on Friday at \$7 per cwt. for select and \$6.75 for lights and fats.

The Week on "Change."

R. G. Dun & Co.: Domestic industrial conditions are greatly improved by the anthracite coal settlement and the resumption of traffic on the lakes, while the international situation is much brighter now that the French elections have passed without a serious outbreak.

Foreign conditions are of unusual importance to business interests in the United States owing to the present close relations of the money markets. Prices of securities have recovered part of the recent loss, and heavy imports of gold have at least temporarily relieved the financial stringency.

Manufacturing plants operate close to their full capacity, with orders in the steel industry already running well into 1907, and structural work was never more active.

Wholesale trade in fall and winter goods is on a large scale, but unreasonable weather causes much complaint regarding retail distribution of merchandise and retards work on the farms in several important sections. This element of weakness as to the crops tends to maintain quotations of staples at a high position. Dun's Index Number of commodity prices on May 1 was \$103.059, against \$106.066 a month previous, the slight decline being supplied by dairy and garden products, but compared with the level of all quotations a year ago there is an advance of 8.7 per cent.

DEPRAVED TASTE.

PUBLIC WANT TO READ TAINTED LITERATURE.

New York May 21.—The American Bookellers' Association closed a two days' convention last night with a dinner in the rooms of the Aldine Association. There were more than 300 members present.

Clarence Walcott, of Syracuse, president, in the absence of President Wm. Millward Palmer, of Grand Rapids.

E. Hopkins Smith, one of the formal speakers, told his hearers that they were the pipe lines of book distribution. He said that the plain titles of long ago would not sell books now. The people these days wanted to read "The Mysterious Gander of the Swamp," or "The Sausage of Three Links," or "The Nymph of the Sewer," or "Broilers—The United States Senate on Toast." He pleaded for clean literature, such as the kind that made "Tribly," and "David Harum" sell. Dillon Wallace and John W. Sargent also spoke.

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ONE MAN KILLED.

EXPLOSION OF DYNAMITE AT PARRYWOOD.

Foreman Frank Viden Badly Burned, and Charles Beerg Slightly Hurt—An Old Charge Was Being Dug Out.

Kenora despatch: Another fatal dynamite explosion occurred at Parrywood, about forty miles east of here, where by one man is dead and two more injured. About 8 o'clock this morning Frank Viden, foreman at Viden & Parsons' construction camp, and his assistants, Charles Beerg and John Aroette, were taking powder out of an old hole that refused fire the previous night, when the explosion occurred.

Viden's face is badly injured, but the doctors think they can save his sight. Charles Beerg is only slightly hurt, but Aroette died this afternoon soon after bringing him to the hospital. Coroner Chapman will hold an inquest.

FRACTURED SKULL.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT TO A CELEBRATED PLAYWRIGHT.

New York, May 21.—The Times says: Leon Arthur, a playwright who collaborated with Charles Klein in The Auctioneer, probably fractured his skull by falling down the subway steps at the up-town Times square station last night.

He slipped by accident and rolled down the entire length of the stairway to the bottom where his head struck the floor of the station.

Several persons who saw the accident ran down the stairs and tried to assist Mr. Arthur to his feet. He had a deep gash in his head and