

### SAUL AND STEPHEN

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for July 8. Saul and Stephen. Acts 7:54-8:3; 22:19, 20.

IT IS said that the conversion of General Feng, the Christian general of China, began away back in the days of the Boxer rebellion when he was impressed with the calmness and courage of Christian missionaries as they faced martyrdom.

One recalls this influence in the life of General Feng in modern days as an illustration of what must have happened to a far greater man than General Feng as he witnessed the killing of the first Christian martyr.

#### Paul's Feelings

The full story of Paul's conversion is not given to us. We have the vivid account of its dramatic culmination on the journey to Damascus, but we are left to our imagination, and to our reasoning from what has happened in the lives of other people, to fill in all the details of the story.

One can very easily realize, however, what must have happened as this earnest, impassioned, conscientious young man held the garments of those who stoned Stephen to death. As he heard the earnest prayer of the Christian martyr that his persecutors might be forgiven and his words commending his soul to God, Paul must have had very deep misgivings of heart.

Was he right in persecuting after all? Was not this young man as earnest and conscientious as himself? One can see quite easily how the germs of doubt that were to become the first steps toward a new faith lodged at that very hour in Paul's mind.

Undoubtedly throughout Paul's life there was the clear witness of Stephen's last hour. If Paul had ever doubted himself, if he had ever questioned the rightness of the Christian way or his place in that way, the remembrance of that hour, when he had participated in



Stephen's martyrdom, would have been sufficient to recall him to his high task.

#### A Turning Point

It is a great thing when a man once discovers that his earnestness and his energies have been misdirected, that he should retain his forcefulness for ways of righteousness and enlightenment. There is a danger at such a time that a man may become discouraged, that in reaction from his fanaticism he may simply become inert and indifferent.

That has happened again and again in life. The world is full of people who have been full of zeal for various causes whose faith and hope have been shattered by some experience of failure or disillusionment.

Paul did not go back, but he went on. All the passion of his being as a persecutor was brought over into his life as preacher and missionary. He felt resting upon him the demand of a supreme obligation.

### Rescued



Arctic fastnesses still hold mystery the fate of several members of the Italia crew as well as of several who went to their rescue, but General Umberto Nobile (above), commander of the dirigible, has been found. Lieutenant Lundborg, flying a Swedish army plane, negotiated a perilous landing on an ice floe to make the rescue.

### Presidential Mail Carrier



When you're president of the United States you can't cut yourself off entirely from the busy world, so while President Coolidge is spending the summer at Camp Lodge, on the Blue Ridge, Capt. H. E. Rice was given the job of flying from Superior, Wis., to the island lodge with the presidential mail. Rice is pictured here just before taking off

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### SPRAY TOMATOES TO CONTROL DISEASE

Raleigh, June 25.—Tomatoes should be sprayed every two or three weeks with poisoned Bordeaux mixture to prevent leaf diseases and to get rid of worms advises E. B. Morrow, extension horticulturist at State College.

The mixture may be bought ready prepared or made at home but care should be used in home mixing so as to get the proper solution. If as much as fifty gallons of the mixture is needed, three pounds of bluestone and six pounds of hydrated lime should be

used for each fifty gallons of water. Mix the lime with enough water to form a thin paste before adding to the larger amount.

When the tank or barrel is filled, add the dissolved bluestone and one and one-half pounds of arsenate of lead to the fifty gallons. Bluestone may be dissolved by using hot water but care should be taken to use only glass, earthenware, or wooden containers for this work.

Smaller amounts of the mixture can be made by using one ounce of bluestone, two ounces of hydrated lime and one-half ounce of arsenate of lead to each gallon of water.

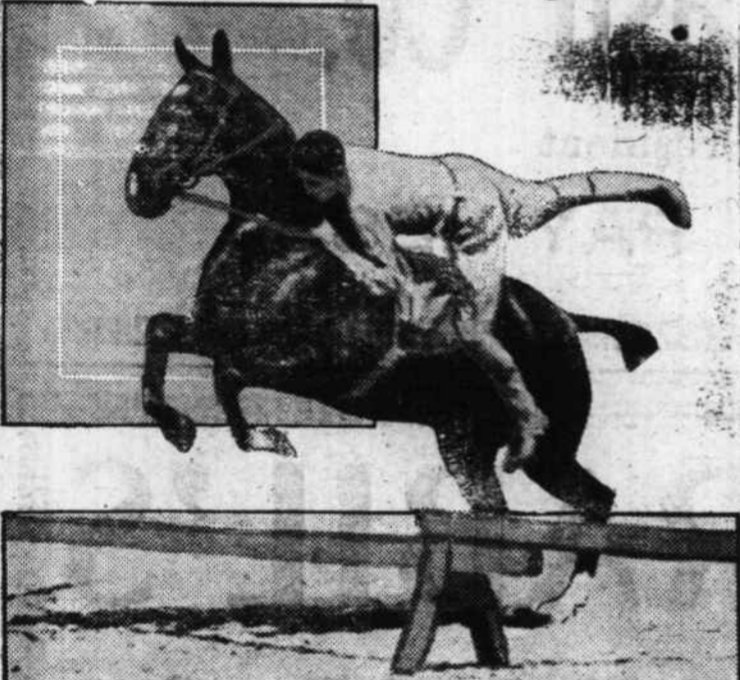
Mr. Morrow states that this mix-

ture should be applied every three weeks at least and that every part of the plant should be touched with the spray. By doing this, the worms and other insects will be destroyed and the plants protected from the leaf diseases so prevalent in the State.

It used to be that you could tell a Republican and Democrat apart by their discussion on the tariff—but today the tariff is a back number.

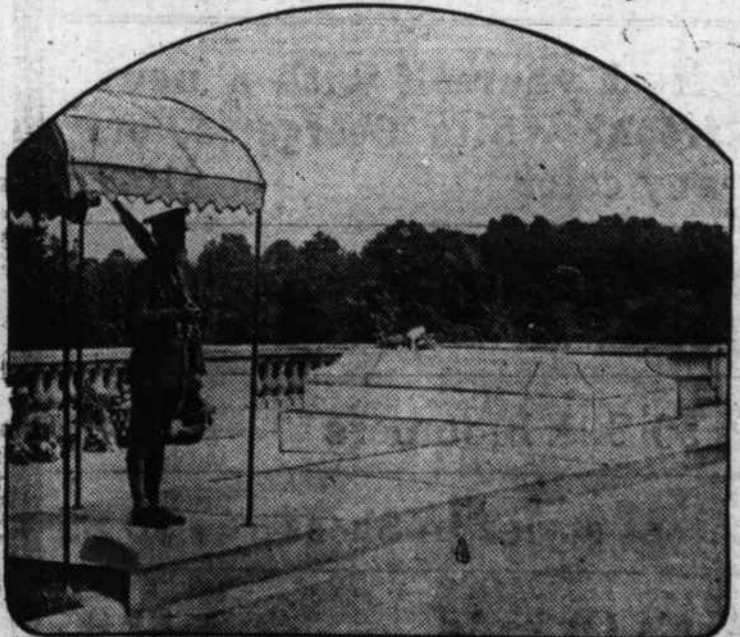
The new elevated streets in New York will at least boost the sale of window blinds to some extent in that city.

### West Point Cadets Stage Show



Lightning footwork and daring horsemanship are being exhibited here by Cadet Goldsmith as he mounts his horse while it is taking a hurdle. The picture was snapped at the recent cadet horse show held at West Point.

### Canopy for Hero's Sentry



During the hot summer months at Arlington, the soldier doing sentry duty at the tomb of the Unknown Soldier finds it very uncomfortable walking his post in the boiling sun. This picture shows the temporary canopy erected by the government under which the soldier may temporarily rest for a few seconds while patrolling the sacred tomb.

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### PRESERVE ONLY THE FRESH EGGS

Raleigh, July 2.—Only those eggs that are fresh, clean and sound of shell should be preserved or put down for use next winter. One spoiled egg will, in many cases, cause the entire lot to spoil.

"To be absolutely sure that the eggs are fresh and the shells sound, they should be candled," says A. G. Oliver, extension poultryman at State College. "An old shoe box may be used for this purpose by cutting holes in it to fit the egg and fitting it over a lamp or an electric bulb.

"This test will show up any porous or cracked shells and will also show if germination has started." This is a safety-first precaution and, as it takes only a few minutes time, should be practiced by every housewife before putting down eggs.

For best results infertile eggs should be used but fertile eggs can be used with good results if they are put down each day. If this is done the danger of germination will be eliminated. Never wash the egg before preserving as this removes the natural protective coating on the shell.

In preparing the solution, Mr. Oliver advises one quart of water glass to nine quarts of pure water. The water should be boiled and cooled before mixing with the water glass.

For containers, a clean stone jar is the best but tin or wood vessels may be used. A six-gallon jar will hold about fifteen dozen eggs.

Mr. Oliver states that the eggs at the top of the container should be covered by at least one and one-half inches of the solution. It is not necessary to fill the jar at one time as fresh eggs can be added each day, taking care, however, that the eggs on top are always covered with the solution.

The containers should be kept covered to prevent evaporation and should be stored in a cool place until needed.

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