

The Autumn Girl.

The turning of the leaves into the "scar and yellow" reminds us forcibly of the fact that the fading of summer into autumn will bring with it a number of changes vitally interesting to the male portion of the race, but still more interesting to the world of femininity.

Yes, the autumn girl is headed this way. Soon she will sail forth in all her glory of violet and lavender, her gorgeous ostrich plumes waving in the breezes which kiss her cheeks.

Frightful Suffering Relieved.

Suffering frightfully from the virulent poison of undigested food, C. G. Grayson, of Lala, Miss., took Dr. King's New Life Pills, "with the result," he writes, "that I was cured."

Nearly 10,000 Perished.

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 8.—The steamer Tartar which arrived last night from the Orient, brought news from Shanghai that the loss of life among the natives of the islands at the mouth of the Yangtze river as a result of the typhoon at the beginning of September was tremendous.

It is reported that nearly 10,000 people have been drowned on these two islands and the smaller islands adjacent. Tamaguchi itself has not suffered much, being well above the high watermark.

The Shanghai papers say that the damage to the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Japan by the typhoon will necessitate the expenditure of \$100,000 for repairs. During the storm the steamer Pechili, formerly the Rio Grande du Sul, foundered near the mouth of Yangtze. Her crew of 54 were saved by the German steamer Albenega.

It makes no difference how long you have been sick, if you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney troubles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you well. 35 cents.

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The Glory of Dragery

"Waitin' fer a train today, I couldnt help noticin' the shufflin' engin' 'nd how hard 'twuz workin'." 'Tuz puffin' here 'nd tuggin' there, 'nd never standin' still for five minits. 'Nd it never got outside the yards either. Jest back 'nd forth, on them same lines of rails, gettin' trains startin' out right. Seems to me there's lots of men 'nd wimmen specially wimmen—jest like that, doin' 'nd gettin' no glory nor credit out of it all. Folks praise a great man, 'nd fer git the mother that started him out right. They admire the head of a concern, when it's the quiet partner so the grayhaired clerk that keeps things goin' straight. The engine that goes speedin' along, over a clear, open track, with the hull continent ahead that's the engine fer them, every time!"

It is hoped that the strike of the book printers may remain unsettled for some time, so that the public may obtain a rest from the avalanche of worthless books that is being constantly unloaded on it.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON III, FOURTH C. NATIONAL SERIES, OCT. 10.

Text of the Lesson, Ex. 1, 1-11—Memory Verse, 6, 8—Golden Text, Ps. cxxvi, 2—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. H. Stearns.

[Copyright, 1905, by American Press Association.] The kingdoms of this world had passed from the head of gold, Babylon, to the breast and arms of silver, the Medes and Persians (Dan. ii, 32, 37-39). The lion had given place to the bear (Dan. vii, 4, 6), which bear, although so described in reference to other nations, is spoken of as a ram, a harmless domestic animal, in reference to Israel because of the kindness of Cyrus and Darius to Daniel's people (Dan. viii, 20). The seventy years of Judah's captivity were ended, and the time had come for her restoration, according to Jer. xxix, 10. Not only had the restoration been foretold, but the very king who should accomplish it had been mentioned by name some 200 years before (Isa. xlv, 28; xlv, 1).

Josiah, one of the good kings of Judah, was mentioned by name about 300 years before he was born (I Kings xiii, 2; II Kings xxiii, 15-17). Besides these five others are named in Scripture before their birth. Let the scholars tell their names. Every thought and purpose of God will surely be fulfilled; His counsel will stand, and He will do all His pleasure (Isa. xiv, 24; xlv, 10; Ps. xxxiii, 11). When His time has come He stirs the hearts of whom He pleases to accomplish His purpose. He may have used Daniel, His servant at the court of Cyrus, to enlighten Cyrus concerning His purpose, but He alone could make Cyrus willing. Throughout the whole Bible it is most fascinating and inspiring and leads to heartfelt adoration of Jehovah to watch Him working, whether as Creator or Redeemer, Israel's Messiah, the Great Head of the church or the King of kings and Lord of lords. Notice in the first two verses of our lesson such statements as "the word of the Lord," "the Lord stirred up," "the Lord hath given me," and "He hath charged me," then see the hearty obedience of Cyrus to the word of the Lord.

The central topic of the book of Ezra is the rebuilding of the house of the Lord at Jerusalem, as will be seen more fully in our next lesson, and this house is mentioned at least fifty times in the book. We cannot think of Israel as a nation apart from the temple or tabernacle, for no sooner had God brought them out of Egypt than He gave commands to Moses to have them build Him a sanctuary that He might dwell among them (Ex. xxv, 8). While Israel is for the present blinded, the fullness of the gentiles is being gathered, and another house is being builded, a living temple made of living stones, with which we have to do (Rom. xi, 26, 27; Eph. ii, 19, 21; I Pet. ii, 5).

To gather the materials for the building, the church, the gospel is preached everywhere, and, as in the days of Cyrus, so now the word is, Let him go who is willing, and God will be with him, and whosoever remaineth let him help with gold and silver and goods those who go forth (verses 3, 4). Whether we abide at home or go to the ends of the earth, unless we are living to complete the church, the body of Christ, we are not of much use. If we can neither go nor give we can by earnest, believing prayer work through those who have gone and bring blessing from heaven to any part of the earth.

In verses 5 and 6 we see the willing ones whom God made willing going forth and the others helping with willing offerings, for God was working (Phil. ii, 13). If there be first a willing mind it is accepted according to that a man hath and not according to that he hath not, and God only expects us to do as of the ability which He giveth (II Cor. vi, 12; I Pet. iv, 11). If we are only yielded to God He will not leave us untaunted, but we must be sure to use the one talent if only one we have.

Although the Lord gave the vessels of His house at Jerusalem as well as His people into the hands of other nations for a time (Dan. i, 2; Jer. xii, 7). He never ceased to care for them, and the man who dared to ill treat them was slain that same night (Dan. v, 2, 30). He cares for each one of His redeemed, even though they may be in man's estimation vessels of a second sort or even lower, and whoever touches one of them touches Himself. See verse 10 and Zech. ii, 8; Acts ix, 4. A gentle handling over these treasures to a Jew makes us think of the queen of Sheba bringing presents to King Solomon and the wise men of the east bringing gifts to the Child Jesus as the King of the Jews and points onward to the time when the wealth of the gentiles shall come to Israel and the nation and kingdom that will not serve Israel shall perish (Isa. ix, 5-12; Ps. lxxvii, 10, 11).

We are not surprised to read of gold and silver basins and chargers and other vessels, but what about the nine and twenty knives? Well, they were all the Lord's property and belonged to His house, and He had need of them. We do not enjoy the "cutting things" as much as those which bring us what we call "something good," but He knoweth best, and we ought to believe Rom. viii, 28, with its "all things." Let us be content to be anything He wants us, even one of the unnamed "other vessels," and rejoice to be His property under any circumstances. The lesson closes with the words "from Babylon unto Jerusalem," which is a great deal better than the other way, as Babylon stands for religiousness without God and reaches from Cain to the end of this age. Let us give heed to Rev. xviii, 4; II Cor. vi, 14-16.

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Asheville, Oct.—Peter Smith was hanged at Marshall, Madison county, this afternoon at 1.15 o'clock for the criminal assault of Eva Sattles. Just before the execution, a telegram was received from Governor Glenn declining to interfere. Smith made a final statement, before a crowd of perhaps 1,000 people in which he protested that he was facing death without fear that he was a saved man, and that he loved his enemies as well as those who stood by him. He thanked God that his enemies could "kick him about no longer" and said he would prefer death to the penitentiary. Smith gave evidence of extreme weakness at times and was compelled to stop twice while making his final statement.

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