

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON VI.
GOD FEEDS A PEOPLE
(Exodus 16: 1-17: 7)
Printed Text: Exodus 16: 11-20;
17: 2-6.
GOLDEN TEXT—Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, coming down from the Father. James 1: 17.

The Lesson in Its Setting
Place—The wilderness of Sin was located on the eastern side of the Red Sea on the way to Mount Sinai. Rephaim was probably located on the long Wady Ferian in the peninsula of Sinai.

Time—B.C. 1488.

"And Jehovah spake unto Moses, saying, I have heard the murmurings of the children of Israel: speak unto them, saying, At even ye shall eat flesh, and in the morning ye shall be filled with bread; and ye shall know that I am Jehovah your God."—It is quite significant that whenever God works a miracle among his own people or before the nations of the earth, he does it that they might know him. This is a phrase which occurs especially throughout the book of Ezekiel. It is quite similar to the use of our Lord in the performance of some of the miracles mentioned in the New Testament. He there "manifested forth his glory."

"And it came to pass at even, that the quails came up, and covered the camp; and in the morning the dew lay round about the camp"—this is the only place in the entire book of Exodus where the word "quails" appears. (See also Num. 11: 21, 22; Psa., 105: 40.) "Quails belong to the partridge family, and are migratory birds and in March and April come up from Arabia and other southern countries, and cross the Mediterranean Sea in vast numbers; and return southwards from Europe in even more enormous flights towards the end of September. They always fly with the wind. When they alight, which they generally do at night, they cover the ground; and when usually exhausted can be captured with the hand in great numbers."

"And when the dew that lay was gone up, behold, upon the face of the wilderness a small round thing, small as the frost on the ground. And when the children of Israel saw it, they said one to another, What is it? for they knew not what it was. And Moses said unto them, It is the bread which Jehovah hath given you to eat. This is the thing which Jehovah hath commanded. Gather ye of it every man, according to his eating; an omer a head, according to the number of your persons, shall ye take it, every man for them that are in his tent. And the children of Israel did so, and gathered some more, some less."—One omer was equivalent to about three quarts and one-fifth of a pint. Ten omer made one ephah.

"And when they measured it with an omer, he that gathered much had nothing over, and he that gathered little had no lack; they gathered every man according to his eating."—In 2 Cor. 8: 15, St. Paul adopts words from this verse in begging the Corinthians to be liberal in their alms-giving for the poor Christians in Jerusalem. He tells his readers that he has no wish that they should have distress, in order that others should have relief. He desires an equal balance that they should, at the present time, supply, out of their abundance, the needs of their poorer brethren. All these instructions were to keep the Jewish people from hoarding and to prevent any man from having such an abundant supply that he could sell what God had freely given him to his neighbors. Furthermore, it was a perfect provision against gluttony.

"And Moses said unto them, Let no man leave of it till the morning. Notwithstanding they hearkened not unto Moses; but some of them left of it until the morning, and it bred worms, and became foul; and Moses was wroth with them."—Of course among two million people it would hardly be expected that all would be obedient to even God's commands, and yet one would think when the Israelites realized how miraculously God was providing for their needs and how gracious he was to them in delivering them from the bondage of Egypt, they would have gladly yielded their obedience to him in everything which he asked. Yet, how many of us, who are the recipients of the wealth of the grace of God, have not known times when we deliberately went straight against the will of God and grieved him by our stubborn disobedience?

"And the people thirsted there for water; and they murmured against Moses, and said, Wherefore hast thou brought us up out of Egypt to kill us and our children, and our cattle with thirst? And Moses cried unto the Lord, saying, What shall I do unto this people? they are almost ready to stone me."—One of the

great penalties of leadership is loneliness. When a man, by his ability, or brilliance, or great achievements, or positions, is lifted high above ordinary men, and even men above the ordinary, he is in a class by himself, and in his own environment, or community, or business, there are few and probably none with whom he can fellowship. When people began to criticize Moses, there was no man to whom he could turn for consolation—he was driven to God alone. That is the one blessing that can come to us from the strife of tongues, from the understanding on the part of other people whom we have tried to bless, from those who should have helped instead of hindered.

"And Jehovah said unto Moses, Pass on before the people, and take with thee of the elders of Israel; and thou shalt say unto them, Hearken unto the voice of the Lord your God, for he saith, I will stand before thee there with the rod in my hand, and I will smite the rock, and there shall come water out of it, that the people may drink. And Moses did so in the sight of the elders of Israel."—God, in his graciousness, instead of rebuking the people, instructed Moses how he was to satisfy their thirst at once, by taking the rod of which God had spoken to him before, and which he had so powerfully used during the plagues with which God smote Egypt. (Ex. 4: 2, 4, 17, 20; 7: 17-20; 8: 5, 16, 17; 9: 22; 10: 13; 14: 16.) The exact location of the rock at Horeb, where this miracle took place, it is not possible now to identify. The names which Moses gave to this place, Massah and Meribah, mean, respectively, "proving," and "strife." Massah is mentioned again in Deut. 6: 16; 9: 22; 32: 51; Ex. 17: 7. How strange that water should come out of a rock!

A rock would seem the last place to choose for the storage of water. But God's purposes are in very unusual places. Ravens bring food, the prime minister of Egypt gives corn, Cyrus lets go the people of Israel from Babylon. The Jordan heals the leper. Meat makes poisoned pottage wholesome. Wood makes iron swim. A Samaritan binds up the wounds and saves the life of the pilgrim traveler. Joseph of Arimathea buries the sacred body in his own new tomb. It is worth while to go to Bethlehem to get an insight into the fertility and inventiveness of God's providence. There can be no lack to them that fear Him, and no fear of lack to those who have become acquainted with his secret storehouses.

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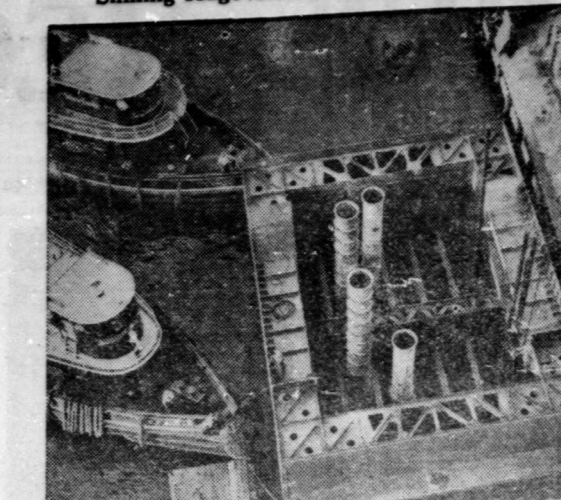
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Child's Conduct Varies During Developing Years
A child's behavior changes with his age. He has different reasons for doing things as a baby than those that urge him at six, and the same evolution of conduct continues through his developing years. Parents who realize this are fortunate.

Alberta's Crops Are Now Thriving
EDMONTON—Thriving on brilliant sunshine and a moderate precipitation, crops in the Edmonton district and over an area extending from Athabasca to Red River were making a comeback that promised to add five bushels of wheat to the acre, S. H. Gander, Assistant Deputy Minister of Agriculture for Alberta, reported recently. Only the Peace River area and a section in southern Alberta, extending in a strip as far north as Vermilion, were suffering from lack of moisture, it was stated.

Sinking Huge Caisson for Hudson Tunnel



The caisson to be used in the construction of the north tube of the Lincoln Tunnel under the Hudson River, is shown as two huge hold in position against the bulkhead wall at 39th Street, New York City, as it gradually settles to the bottom of the river. The caisson is 52 feet long, 42 feet wide and 30 feet deep.

Starts Night Polo



Rochele Hudson, charming movie star, throwing in the first ball to start the night polo season at McLaughlin Field, near Hollywood. Left to right are: Ray Griffiths, Victor McLaglen, Miss Hudson, Frank Borzage and Joe King.

As A Battered Fighter Gave Way to Tears



Tears of disappointment roll down the cheeks of "Hobo" Williams as he is helped from the ring in Washington, D.C., after non-title fight with Freddie Steele. Steele won technical knockout.

Around The Dial

RADIO HEADLINES OF THE WEEK
G. C. MURRAY

Well folks as we mentioned a few weeks ago, the news about Amos and Andy has finally broke, the new sponsors to be the Campbell Soup Co. This contract will run out more than 11 years of continuous same comedy-dramatic serial. It establishes them in a radio class by themselves, and at a time when the famous black-face team is playing to an audience estimated at 40,000,000 weekly.

The new contract will become effective on January 2nd, 1938, immediately following the expiration of their present contract, and will bring the famous pair a substantial increase in salary.

The story of Amos and Andy is a romantic one, and the entire credit for the unrivaled popularity of their program goes to Freeman F. Gosden and Charles J. Correll themselves. There was the idea of the show, there was the creation of the characters, and there was the important task of writing the script—finishing frequently just in time to go on the air.

We offer them the best luck with their new sponsor and we know that the readers of our little paper will be listening to them as they have been doing for the last several years.

Fred Allen has been signed to a two-year contract for the starring role of host of Town Hall Tonight, starting in the fall. The shows will continue as an hour-long feature on Wednesday evenings over the National NBC-Red Network.

The fast-witted comedian, who co-chaired his season in June 30th, New York last week for a vacation in Maine with wife and microphone partner, Portland Hoffa. Later in the week, where Fred is scheduled to make a motion picture for Darryl Zanuck's new Twentieth-Century Fox lot. In the meantime the versatile humorist and master-of-ceremonies, Hamlet O'Keefe, will carry on at the Madisonville Town Hall during the hot weather spell.

Allen, whose real name is John F. Sullivan, launched his professional career as a juggler, performing tricks as he learned from a book found in a Boston Public Library. He made a juggling funny, billed himself as "The World's Worst Juggler."

Gogo DeLays, who travelled from New York to Hollywood last Wednesday to make a guest appearance on Kon Miway's program plans to continue her journey further. On August 29, Gogo will meet her sister, who will arrive from her home in Shanghai, and they will proceed to Vancouver for the first DeLays family reunion in five years.

Henry McNaughton, P.H. Baker's wacky hockey, "Bottle," has dropped his stonking role and microphone moniker for the first time when he appeared as a comedian in his own right on Harry VonZell's "Summer Stars" program last Sunday.

McNaughton, who had established himself as a comedy favorite on the English stage, migrated to America no matter what the cost.

Winnipeg Relief Inquiry Is Urged
WINNIPEG—Thorough investigation into disposition of relief in Winnipeg in recent years was favored last week by acting Mayor James Barry, who declared 10 per cent. of relief recipients were "hangers-on."

He said he referred to persons who came for the sole purpose of getting relief.

Salada Orange Pekoe Blend

Death on the Diamond
BY CORTLAND FITZSIMMONS

A trio of international yachting authorities will meet in the Atlantic City port R.I. starting Tuesday.

The United League owners and their managers met in New York. Pop Clark asked Terry to keep himself on call in case he needed him later.

"Now, gentlemen," the Car began, "we know why we are here. I know it is generally believed that the purpose of this series of murders is to have the Blues win the pennant."

The seriousness of the tobacco situation was called to the attention of Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture, by Professor Letich, of Guelph, who has been studying it for some time.

Mothers-in-Law Club Is Started
Five Texas Women Organize An Association To "Preserve American Home"

AUSTIN, Texas.—Five Texas mothers-in-law bade their fabled sisters throughout the United States to become members of the incorporated "national association of mothers-in-law clubs," but Gene Howe wanted on hand to cheer them.

Stockholm, Sweden, gives its telephone subscribers a weather forecast service offered by means of a photo-electric talking machine, the record being changed as frequently as the meteorological office receives new information, frequently more than once a day.

Fast Locomotive Honors Canada
Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian High Commissioner to London, at the throttle, the new locomotive, "The Canadian," was put into service recently at Kings Cross Station in London.

The new locomotive which will, commencing July 5, be used in the "Coronation" streamlined trains over the line between London and Edinburgh. The train will be made in six hours, an average speed of 100 miles per hour, the fastest run in the British Empire. A general view of the locomotive, which is a whistle pulled by the C.P.R., is shown in the photo.

Blues is a death warrant for one of our men

Penny, who was our star, is not unreasonable to suppose that he would be the next on the list. The fear of death is in the heart of every man who goes out on the diamond to play against the Blues. We want to do more than stop their crimes. We must give confidence back to the men.

"No matter what you may think of the police, they are our only hope," The Car was speaking again. "With the police, we can do nothing."

Tobacco Crop Men Wanted
At Least 4,000 Needed at Once, Department Heads Told By Premier

TORONTO—With 20,000 hands required to harvest properly the tobacco crop in southwestern Ontario, and only about 10,000 available, Premier Heburn this week called into conference various departmental heads at Queen's Park and impressed upon them the farm placement policy adopted some time ago.

DISEASE NEW IN U.S.
Dutch elm disease came into the United States in 1925 and 1928 on elm logs shipped from Europe to cabinetmakers in the Middle West. The fungus that causes the disease does not grow on the outside of the elm trees.

Salaried Midwives Britain's Attack On Maternal Mortality
SOUTHAMPTON.—A comprehensive service of salaried midwives as a first-line attack on the problem of maternal mortality is announced by Sir Kingsley Wood, Minister of Health.

BLACKHEADS
Don't squeeze blackheads—dissolve them. Get two ounces of powder from any drug store and rub gently with wet, hot cloth over the blackheads. They simply dissolve and disappear by this safe and sure method. Have a Hollywood complexion.

Home Hints
By LAURA KNIGHT

THIS JAM IS A PEACH
It's hard to believe the peach time is here already and that should be a warning! It wasn't very long ago that we started with strawberries, the first fruit of the season and came along the whole line of summer fruits till we have arrived at peaches and grapes.

Ripe Peach Jam
3 1/2 cups (1 1/2 lbs.) prepared fruit
7 1/2 cups (3 1/4 lbs.) sugar
1 bottled fruit pectin

Fear Pest Will Wipe Out Elms

WASHINGTON.—The Department of Agriculture is leading thousands of diseased trees to commit suicide, Secretary of Agriculture Henry A. Wallace reported today.

This is the latest technique in the campaign against the Dutch Elm disease, which has virtually wiped out European elms in the eastern American elms with distinction, a department announcement said.

SAP ABSORBS POISON
Moisture from the wood dissolves the copper sulphate, which, taken up by the sap, soon poisons the tree. This treatment, Wallace said, has proved to be 85 per cent. effective in killing breeding trees.

Save Money Too
Motorists who burn up the road to speak, pay dearly for trying to get to their destination in a hurry. Experts have discovered that at moderate rates of speed one is able to get double tire mileage, cut the oil bill in two and get more miles to the gallon. Here are their figures:

1—Oil consumption at 55 miles an hour is seven times greater than at 30 miles an hour.
2—Tire wear at 55 miles an hour is twice as great as at 40 miles an hour.
3—Gasoline consumption at 55 miles an hour is one-fourth more than at 30 miles an hour.

Only Firestone Tires Are GUM-DIPPED
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