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MEN'S High-Grade SUITS \$4.98

MEN'S Extra-Quality Overcoats \$4.98

It's a rare occasion, indeed when such suits and overcoats are offered at this price. There is not one but what could be sold for from \$6. to \$7. But here they are, all ready to put on. Boy's suits and overcoats at the same price, \$4.98.

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MIDDLEBURGH MARKET.

Table with market prices for Butter, Eggs, Onions, Lard, Tallow, Chickens, Side, Shoulder, Ham, Wheat, Rye, Corn, Oats, Potatoes, Bran, Middlings, Chop, Flour.

Suits and Overcoats.

SUITS.

We have an excellent line of fall and winter suits which we offer at the following low prices:

Men's all wool suits \$6.50 to \$12.00. Youth's suits, age 12 to 20 years, for \$2.75 to \$7.50.

Boys' two-piece suits, all new and the latest styles, strictly all wool, \$2.50 to \$5. A lot of suits in odd sizes and slightly shabby worn will sell at a sacrifice.

We have received a lot of WOOL HATS for fall and winter, all the latest blocks. Now is the time to buy your LINOLEUM—we have the latest patterns and a good quality. Also a good variety of Floor and Table Oilcloth.

GUNS. GUNS.

A NICE SELECTION.

The latest improved Chattock at \$5.25. A good Single Barrel at \$4.75. The American Single Barrel at \$7.50. Double Barrel Belgium, laminated steel, \$12. Don't forget the place—Opposite the First National Bank.

GELNETT BROS.,

MIDDLEBURG, PA.

Court Proclamation.

WHEREAS the Hon. Harold M. McClure, President Judge of the Judicial District, composed of the counties of Snyder, and Berks, and Peter F. Hiegle and Z. T. Gougeon, Esqs. Associate Judges, and for the said county, have convened their court, holding date the 5th day of Oct. A. D. 1902 to attend to the business of said court, and to hold a general Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, at Middleburg, for the county of Snyder, on the 5th day of Dec. 1902, and to continue one week.

And whereas the said court, composed of the said Justices of the Peace and Constables in and of the county of Snyder, to appear in their proper person with their rolls, records, inquiries, examinations and other remembrances to do those things which of their office and in their behalf pertain to be done and witnessed and persons prosecuting in behalf of the Commonwealth against any person or persons are required to be then and there attending, and departing without leave at their peril. Justices are requested to be punctual in their attendance at the appointed time agreeably to notice.

Given under my hand and seal at the Sheriff's office in Middleburg, the 5th day of Nov. A. D. one thousand nine hundred two.

G. W. ROW, Sheriff.

REGISTRAR'S NOTICES.—Notice is hereby given that the following named persons have been their Administrators, Guardians, and Executors' accounts in the Register's Office of Snyder County, and the same will be presented for confirmation and allowance at the Court House in Middleburg, Monday, Oct. 6th, 1902.

1. First and final account of Charles H. Fisher, administrator of the estate of Joseph Fisher late of Monroe township, deceased.

2. First and final account of John Bickhart, administrator of the estate of Jonathan Bickhart, late of Washington township, deceased.

3. First and final account of "The Sunbury Trust and Safe Deposit Co." guardian of the estate of Cora May How, a minor child of Mary M. Row, late of Snyder county, Pa. deceased.

4. First and final account of Nathan Hackenberg, administrator C. T. A. of John M. Hackenberg, late of Adams township, deceased.

5. First and final account of M. K. Hanning and G. M. Shindel, executors of the last will and testament of Absalom Snyder, late of Middleburg, deceased.

G. M. SHINDEL, Clerk.

Jury List.

List of Grand Jurors drawn for the Court of Common Pleas and Term of General Jail Delivery and Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace of Snyder county held at Dec. Term, commencing Monday, Dec. 8, 1902.

Table with columns: Name, Occupation, Residence. Lists names like Benner, Cloff, Bingham, A. A., Cooper, John L., Dunn, Calvin S., Eng, I. Albert, Felker, Robert N., Fisher, George P., Fry, Simon, Frymire, William, Grimes, W. H., Hartman, W. H., Helfrich, Charles, Heimbach, Albert, Hesterman, David, Hesterman, George, Herrold, Savorra M., Herrick, T. G., Hibish, Joseph, Hummel, Daniel, Lephley, Henry C., Smith, Allen K., Waite, Ed., Woster, Michael.

PETIT JURORS.

List of Petit Jurors drawn for the Court of Common Pleas, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Over and Term and General Jail Delivery of Snyder County, Pa., held at Dec. Term, commencing Dec. 8, 1902.

Table with columns: Name, Occupation, Residence. Lists names like Bickel, Jackson, Bower, G. Allen, Bulick, Samuel, Coon, William S., Lauberman, Milton, Deese, Frank, Ehrhart, John, Erdley, Jacob, Felker, John, Garman, Foster S., Graybill, C. C., Grunhoe, C. O., Harding, Henry, Hartzel, Jesse, Herman, R. F., Hornberger, H. B., Hummel, Paul, Jarrett, Newton, Kratzer, James, Kramer, Jacob, Krebs, Geo. A., Leitzel, L. A., Metzger, Frank L., Middlesworth, J. H., Middlesworth, Ner M., Moyer, J. H., Musser, Wm. H., Musser, Sam'l, Musser, A. Jan H., Nerhood, G. S., Ober, B. Mason, Snyder, J. G., Shambach, N. F., Sholly, Wm., Schme, Philip A., Stauffer, C. S., Stahl, Harrison, Straub, Beaton, Sprigle, C. S., Walter, F. F., Wildt, J. A., Young, Isaac N., Zeiler, John, Zerbe, George.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson in the International Series for November 10, 1902—The Time of the Judges.

THE LESSON TEXT.

(Judges 2:10-16.)

10. And also all that generation were gathered unto their fathers; and there arose another generation after them, which knew not the Lord, nor yet the works which He had done for Israel.

11. And the children of Israel did evil in the sight of the Lord, and served Baalim.

12. And they forsook the Lord God of their fathers, which brought them out of the land of Egypt, and followed other gods, of the gods of the people that were round about them, and bowed themselves unto them, and provoked the Lord to anger.

13. And they forsook the Lord, and served Baal and Ashtaroth.

14. And the anger of the Lord was hot against Israel, and He delivered them into the hands of spoilers that spoiled them, and He sold them into the hands of their enemies round about, so that they could not any longer stand before their enemies.

15. Whithersoever they went out, the hand of the Lord was against them for evil, as the Lord had said, and as the Lord had sworn unto them; and they were greatly distressed.

16. Nevertheless the Lord raised up judges, which delivered them out of the hands of those that spoiled them.

GOLDEN TEXT.—They cry unto the Lord in their trouble, and He saveth them out of their distress.—Ps. 107:19.

OUTLINE OF SCRIPTURE SECTION. The condition of Israel..... Judges 2:23. The deliverers..... Judges 2:23-25. TIME—R. C. 142. PLACE—Canaan.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

The text selected for this lesson gives a general summary of this history during the whole 300 years, during which, from time to time, these judges or special deliverers appeared. They were heroes for the most part; men of fight, who here and there arose and led the people of the tribe especially oppressed to victory. Then they were naturally exalted by them to general leadership, which included the duties of judges.

With the opening of the book of Judges, Israel is encamped in the Jordan valley near Jericho. They inquire of the oracle of Jehovah (compare Num. 27:21; Judges 18:5; 1 Sam. 22:10-15; 1 Sam. 23:9-11, etc.) which tribe shall go up first to attack the Canaanites, who are in possession of the north of the country. Judah, who is chosen, with Simeon and the "house of Joseph," are successful in the hill country but cannot conquer the lowlands. In the north, the Hebrews generally settle down among the original inhabitants, and in the west the Amorites force Dan back into the hills. The last five verses of this survey tell of the moving of the center of worship from Gilgal, where it had been during the invasion, to Bethel (perhaps Beth-el). The writer declares emphatically that the failure to make a complete conquest was not because of the strength of the Canaanites, but of the disobedience of the Hebrews.

The generation which grew up in Canaan was less faithful than the former had been. "Served the Baalim." That is, served the local Baals, which were almost as many as the Canaanite cities. The Baals were the gods of fertility, both in plant and animal life. They were supposed to shine upon and water the land and make it fruitful, and their worship was just as much a part of farming in Canaan as was preparing the ground and sowing the seed. The Hebrews learned how to farm in Canaan from the Canaanites. It was natural that, with all the rest, they should take up the Baal worship, which was considered among those peoples the most important part of farming. At first the Hebrews probably thought of Jehovah as their Baal, but soon they forgot Him in the fascination of this sensual Canaanite worship. Instead of exterminating the native races, the Hebrews were being rapidly absorbed into the older population. Under this less rigorous life and immoral worship, they were weakened, oppressed and enslaved by the very people for whose religion they had forsaken Jehovah. "The Ashtaroth;" Ashtaroth is the plural of Ashtoreth, one of the principal Semitic deities. She was sometimes called Astarte, and sometimes Ishtar. Like the Baals, the Ashtaroth were supposed to influence fruitfulness in plant and animal life. Ashtoreth was the Venus of the Semitic peoples and was worshiped with a great variety of disgusting rites. "The Israelite found in Syria a land teeming with holy places, and voiceful with a thousand oracles. It is hardly to be wondered at that the people, intoxicated with the lavish gifts of their new home, went astray on every high hill and under every green tree."—Aglen. "The hands of spoilers;" Better, of pillagers. And all this, says the historian, was the result of disobedience. God commanded His people, as He always does, only what would have been for their good, but they thought they knew better.

In this dark period, when the tribes were scattered and almost wholly independent of each other, deliverers arose, under whom the tribes finally emerged into national life again. Here and there, under these deliverers, the people made successful revolts against the oppressors, and then exalted their deliverers to be their military and civil rulers—their judges.

PRACTICAL SUGGESTIONS

To forsake God is to turn away from one who has always been loving and faithful.

To forsake God is to turn away from one who has placed you under countless obligations.

To forsake God is to become morally and spiritually weak, so that one is easily overcome by evil.

To forsake God is to come under bondage that is oppressive and bitter.

To forsake God is to incur His righteous anger, and to deprive one's self of the help that He freely gives.

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We have a most desirable collection of these and can suit every person.

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Ready made shirt waists for Ladies. Prices \$1.00 to \$3.75.

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Taffeta Silks, Albatros and French Flannel.

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Night Dresses and many other goods. Come and see.

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