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prove a good one, and that all the

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"I say, let me show you how it's done."

"Come on, then," said the soldiers. The youth sidled up to the mule, swung himself on the animal's back, wrapped his legs beneath its body and took a firm hold on the reins. The mule made a slight effort to dislodge him, but the man stuck. Another slightly more strenuous effort by the mule also failed. Then, laying his ears back, and taking a deep breath, the mule shot his heels into the air at an angle of 65 degrees, and the young man was propelled to the ground.

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Thinking he would have some fun with one of the convicts a trooper inquired: "Hey, bo, how bout us changin' jobs?'

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The formal opening of the colored hostess house has been indefinitely postponed on account of the influenza situation in the camp.

As a means of letting the home folks know what the Y. M. C. A. is doing in the camps and across the seas, the international association has named this week as a campaign week to secure subscriptions to the association's organ, "Association Men." No person who wants to keep informed as to what the association is doing at large can afford to be without the paper.

Albert E. Burmelster, at courtmartial trial at Camp Jackson, was convicted on two counts, first, for disobedience in refusing to drill, and second, for saying that he had just as soon be governed by Germany as by the United States. In a word, Burmeister is what is known as a "conscientious objector," and the second cattle upon a thousand hills are all his count in the charge also marks him (2) All his riches have been given to as a German sympathizer.

The trial was regular in all particulars, and the accused was represented by counsel who explained his rights to him.

The sentence imposed is dishonorable discharge from the service with the forfeiture of all pay and allowances, and to be confined at hard labor for 50 years at the United States disciplinary barracks at Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

The sentence has been approved by the camp commander, Brigadier General Danford, and also by the general judge advocate at Washington.

### Many Cases in Dillon.

Dillon.-There are many cases of influenza in Dillon and vicinity. Many whole families are down with it and some are reported seriously ill. Dr. C. R. Tabor has been confined to his bed for several days and is now sortously ill. Dr. W. Stackhouse has been ill also, but is now improving and expects to be out in a day or so. The Dillon mills, including the mill at Hamer; are running about two-thirds capacity. The disease is virulent at the cotton mills in the suburbs of Dillon.

### Bloodhounds Wanted.

Columbia.-W. W. Moore, adjutant general, has been called on for a pair of bloodhounds to chase outlaws in Santo Domingo, Gen. Moore has a con, Captain James Moore, with the American marines, and the young mea believe their efforts would be greatly strengthened if bloodhounds could be procured to trail the bandits which infest the islands and commit murder with reckless abandon, General Moore will make an effort to procure the hounds and send them to his son,

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# **LESSON FOR OCTOBER 27**

ISAAC'S MARRIAGE TO REBECCA.

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 24.

GOLDEN TEXT—Let not mercy and truth forsake thee: . . . So shalt thou find favor and good understanding in the sight of God and man.—Proverbs 3:5-4.

DEVOTIONAL READING—Ephesians 5:22-33; I Thessalonians 4:12-18.

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL FOR TEACHERS—Genesis 25:19-34; Proverbs 31:10-31.

I. Abraham's Solicitude for a Wife for Issac (vv. 1-9).

He knew that Isaac's success in life would much depend upon what kind of a wife he should have. Man's welfare in this life and that to come largely depends upon his wife. For Isnac to have an idolatrous, Canaanitish wife would be fatal to his posterity, would subvert the plan of God as expressed in his covenant with Abraham. It would have been perilous to Isaac himself. To have married a woman in that land would have made him in a sense an heir to the land through marriage, and would have tended to divert his mind from the heirship through the covenant promise.

1. The Servant's Oath (vv. 2-4). Abraham committed to his trusted servant the matter of securing a wife for Isaac; therefore, he made him swear that he would go to Abraham's country and kindred to get a wife for him. He doubtless regarded his servant more competent to select a wife than Isaac was to select one for himself.

2. The Extent of the Servant's Responsibility (vv. 5, 8). Before the servant would take the oath he must have clearly defined the extent of his responsibility. If the woman would refuse the invitation, the servant would be clear of responsibility. The minister's obligation ends when he has Welfare Association by presenting earnestly and intelligently made known to sinners the will of God.

3. The Servant's Helper (v. 8) Abraham assured him that God would send his angel to make the mission successful. The servant found this to be true. God sends his Holy Spirit to make the message of the minister successful.

11. The Servant's Obedience (vv. 10-49).

1. He Took Ten Camels (v. 10). These were to carry presents to the bride, and to conduct her and her companions back to his master.

2. His Prayer for Guidance (vv. 12-14). He asked that the Lord would guide him to the woman whom he had chosen for Isaac. Earnest prayer for guidance should be made in the selection of a wife.

3. His Prayer Answered (vv. 15-27) Before he had done praying, the answer was realized to be in the process of fulfillment. The answer was according to the request, even in the matter of fulfillment. God does definitely answer prayer.

The Servant's Message (vv. 33-49). The Lord had prospered the old servant's way. He now was face to face with Rebecca. Supper was ready, but the delivery of his message was more important to him than eating when he was hungry. He said, "I will not eat till I have said my errand." Good were it if all ministers were as much interested in delivering the good news in Christ. (1) His master was rich (v. 35). God the Heavenly Father is rich. The silver and gold and the his son (v. 36). All the riches of heaven, God the Father has given to Jesus Christ, his son. (3) Opportunity was given Rebecca to become the wife of Isaac (v. 49). He not only gave the opportunity, but he urged her to accept the invitation.

III. Rebegga's Relatives Begging for Postponement of Action (v. 55). They did not object to her going sometime, but they desired that she

postpone action for a time. What folly to remain and water sheep when she had the opportunity to become the bride of a rich man's son.

What folly for sinners to remain servants in the world when they have the privilege of becoming the bride of

IV.—Rebecca's Glorious Decision, (v. 85).

When the decision was referred to Rebecca she said, "I will go." Good judgment would not allow her to refuse nor delay.

V. The Meeting of Isaac and Rebecca (vv. 64-67). Isaac was waiting for the return of

the servant with the woman who was to be his wife. Isaac was joined to her in marriage, loved her, and was comforted in her after his mother's

Spirit of Christ.

The longer you read the Bible the more you will like it; it will grow sweeter and sweeter; the more you get into the spirit of it the more you will get into the spirit of Christ .- Ro-

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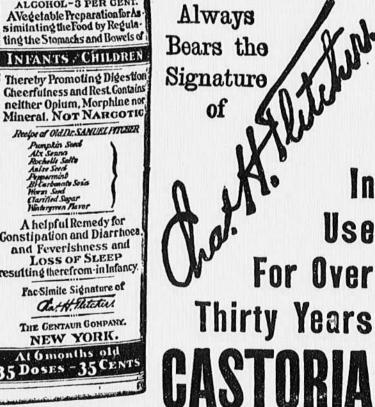
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Stunning All Right.

"I was in a hand-to-hand encounter with a big German," narrated the of ficer, home on leave, "and my ammunition was gone. Just as we closed in the grapple I wrenched my arm loose and knocked him sensless with the butt of my revolver."

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