



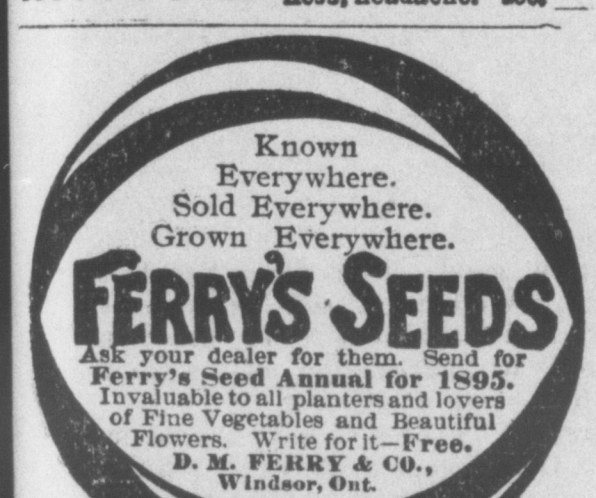
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Fourth Quarter-Lesson V.—Nov. 3.

SAMUEL THE JUDGE.—I

Samuel 7: 5-15.
GOLDEN TEXT.—Hitherto hath the Lord helped us.—I Sam. 7: 12.

THE SECTION includes chapters 7 and 12, the beginning of Samuel's judgeship, and his farewell address after his place had been taken by the choice of a king.

THE CIRCUMSTANCES.—The central place of worship was in an unsettled condition. After the battle, when the ark was captured by the Philistines, Shiloh was neglected, either because it was laid waste, or because God had forsaken it or account of the corruption of the priest-hood.

The Tabernacle was removed and taken to Nob, near Mizpeh, where we find it in David's time; thence possibly to Gilboa; afterwards to Gibeon.

After seven months captivity among the Philistines, the ark was sent back by them, and was placed in the house of Abinadab, at Kirjath-jearim, where it remained for fifty years, till it was taken by David to Mount Zion.

There was no seat of national worship at Kirjath-jearim. There is no word of sacrificial or other services being performed there. There is nothing to indicate that the annual feasts were held at this place. The ark had a resting-place there—nothing more.

The Philistine oppression, beginning twenty years before the loss of the ark, continued the whole twenty years referred to in verse 2. The oppression was forty years. The Lord was making the people sick of sin and idolatry. They were eating the fruits of their own doings and they were as bitter as apples of Sodom.

SAMUEL THE REFORMER. After the death of Eli, Samuel, then about thirty-two years old, seems to have practically taken his place, but rather as a prophet than a priest. Samuel united in a remarkable degree the opposite qualities of destroyer of the old and founder of the new. He was both reformer and mediator, as he stood between the old and the new of a nation's history.

We wonder why Samuel waited twenty years before he summoned the people to repentance. Yet there could be no public assemblies for this purpose till the people were ready to return to the Lord and throw off the yoke of the oppressor. Probably the life of the young prophet-judge was that of a fugitive, going stealthily from place to place, that he might teach and preach, hiding in the caverns, emerging thence to visit now one quarter of the country, and now another, ever in danger, but gradually stirring up all Israel to a sense of the greatness of their sins, and to the necessity of renewed trust in and return of old love to their God. And so a fresh spiritual life by degrees sprang up among the people. Samuel's character, as described in his farewell address—pure, unselfish, patriotic, must have been a power for good.

STEPS TOWARD REFORMATION.—Vs. 5, 6. The people lamented after the Lord; they became hungry for God's presence and power among them, for the great feasts, and for some word from their God. They were suffering from a spiritual famine. Many of the people had gone into idolatry; and the effect was seen on the moral and happiness of the nation.

They ceased their idol worship. For the Israelites to forsake their sins required no little self-denial and strength of character, as does the forsaking of sin in our day.

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They were to "prepare their hearts unto the Lord." There must be heart-searchings, new consecration, a new choice of God. Gather all Israel to Mizpah. A hill near Samuel's home at Ramah. There must be a unification of the nation by religious worship. They are one in the Lord. And I will pray for you. For he believed that all their help must come from God. Drew water and poured it out before the Lord, i. e., upon the ground. A symbolic ceremony signifying (1) the binding, irrevocable nature of their vows and promises. (2) It was a symbol of pouring out before God confessions of sin drawn from the depths of the heart. (3) It was a symbol of pouring out their sins; that they thoroughly renounced idolatry. And fasted on that day. Fasting would seem to have its basis in a grief over sin so deep and intense that all desire for food is taken away; it is the natural expression of deep sorrow for sin. And said there, we have sinned against the Lord. Recognized the fact that the cause of their troubles lay in their sins; that God was not to blame for their troubles. Confession is natural to a truly penitent heart. It must confess. And Samuel judged the children of Israel. He was publicly recognized not only as a prophet, but as the civil and military leader of Israel. He organized and mar-

shalled the people, and led them out to victory.

DELIVERANCE.—Vs. 7-14. The Philistines heard that the children of Israel were gathered together. The lords regarded a national assembly of their vassals as a step toward revolt. The lords of the Philistines went up against Israel. They would take the Israelites unawares while engaged in religious services and unprepared for war. The children of Israel... were afraid. They had not come prepared for war. They were unorganized, with a new and untried leader. Cease not to cry unto the Lord. The people began now to believe in God and in prayer. Offered it for a burnt offering. It was significant of a complete self-surrender unto God. Samuel cried unto the Lord... the Lord heard him. Even while his prayer is being still offered. Hence he is presented as the ideal of a man of prayer in Psalms 99: 6, and Jeremiah 15: 1. The Lord thundered. The deliverance was plainly from God, in answer to prayer. And discomfited them. Caused a sudden panic. Until they came under Beth car. The exact site is unknown, but it was close to Ebenezer. Between Mizpah and Shun. The exact spot is unknown. Ebenezer (the stone of help). It was a memorable fact, which gave a touching emphasis to this memorable, that this was the very place where, twenty years before, the Israelites were defeated and the ark of God taken. So the Philistines were subdued. It was the beginning of a new era of religion and of prosperity. They were on the eve of the most prosperous times the nation ever knew. The cities... taken from Israel were restored. This shows the vigor and success of Samuel's government. There was peace, not only with the Philistines, but also with the Amorites, the most powerful of the Canaanite tribes.

THE JUDGESHIP OF SAMUEL.—V. 15. And Samuel judged Israel all the days of his life, as civil and military ruler till Saul was made king, and after that as a civil and religious judge and reformer. And the twelfth chapter is called Samuel's farewell address, not because it was given near the close of his life, but because it marks the close of one phase of his public career.

A Noble Life. Samuel called the people to witness and they testified to his generous, unselfish, patriotic and holy life.

Samuel did not live his noble and upright life by being sheltered from temptation and preserved from difficulty and danger; but he was assailed by the same temptations which overthrew his own sons and the sons of Eli. He stood firm, and grew stronger and better in the blasts before which so many mighty men have fallen. The source of his strength and his goodness was in his religious life. He lived near to God in sweet communion. He worshipped in the temple. He went to God in prayer. He was obedient to his will. His character was a source of comfort and blessing to himself. Samuel's life was an example and inspiration to the whole nation, tending to elevate the character of the people, to inspire the young to noble living, to be a power for good so long as the world endures. His one failure or misfortune was that his sons were not good men, and were utterly unworthy to succeed their father.

LESSONS FROM THE LIFE OF SAMUEL
God lets us eat the fruits of our sins to make our hearts hungry for him.

God is ready and anxious to deliver us from our troubles just as soon as we are in the condition where it is wise and safe.

Long years of hard labor in teaching, inspiring, arousing men are the necessary preparation for a great reformation and revival. There is no harvest without sowing and cultivating. Long delays should not discourage us.

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But since to human hands like ours Then hast committed work divine, Shall not our eager hearts make haste To join their feeble powers with Thine?

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