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Lesson for June, 2nd.

Moses called to deliver Israel.—Ex. 3:1-14

GOLDEN TEXT.—And he said certainly I will be with thee.—Ex. 3:12

You will save your friends annoyance and yourself much trouble by being quiet.

Be systematic even in the matter of washing your face and combing your hair. "Any old way" is never a success.

The AMERICAN is pleased to note that the Tulalip School is to have a number of substantial improvements in the near future.

The April number of the Genoa "Indian News" contains a very good photograph of Miss Reel, the National Superintendent of Indian Schools.

Supervisor Sam B. Davis, who was assistant superintendent at Chemawa several years ago, assumes the superintendency at Genoa School, Neb., some time this month.

Foreigners say that Americans are not thorough in their trades. As we Indians are the genuine Americans, let us show the foreigners and others that we can be thorough, but before we can do this, it is necessary for us to learn to be so. To do this we must each stay with our one trade, year after year, and make it our life work, and not be changing from one occupation to another every few months. Let us be so entirely absorbed in our occupation that our whole being will mean just that much energy to be expended on our life work, remembering that what we are doing as children, as young people, and all the time, is our life work, not what we will do when we are middle aged.

PROPOSALS FOR BRICK HOSPITAL. Department of the Interior, Office of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., May 3, 1907. SEALED PROPOSALS, plainly marked on the outside of the envelope "Proposals for Hospital, Salem School, Oregon," and addressed to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C., will be received at the Indian Office until two o'clock P.M. of June 3, 1907, for furnishing and delivering the materials and labor required to construct and complete a brick hospital building with plumbing, steam heat, electric light, water and sewer connections, in strict accordance with plans, specifications and instructions to bidders which may be examined at this Office, the offices of the "Oregon Statesman," Salem, Oregon; "Morning Oregonian," Portland, Oregon; "Post-Intelligencer," Seattle, Wash.; "Chronicle," San Francisco, Calif.; the Builders' and Traders' Exchanges at Omaha, Nebr.; St. Paul, Minn., and Minneapolis, Minn.; the Northwestern Manufacturers' Assn., St. Paul, Minn.; the U. S. Indian Warehouses at Chicago, Ill.; St. Louis, Mo.; Omaha, Nebr.; New York, N. Y. and San Francisco, Calif.; and at the school. For further information apply to Edwin L. Chalcraft, Supt., Chemawa, Oregon.

C. F. Larrabee, Acting Commissioner.