

IN THE LAND WHERE THE SAND MAN DWELLS

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EVENING STORIES AND TALES FOR THE LITTLE PEOPLE

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LITTLE LESSONS.

I Will Learn to Be Saving.
 "Good morning, Edith," said Lucille, Edith's chum. Did you know that Ray Jones is going to leave for college tomorrow? You know he finished high school this year.
 "How do you suppose they can afford to send him to college?" replied Edith. "His father works for wages, and just enough to keep them."
 "I am told that his parents are not furnishing the money. It is his own. When he was a little boy, instead of spending every cent that was given to him, he saved it and started a bank account of his own, and now he has the money with which to pay his way through college. He started out by saving the pennies and nickels and soon had put a dollar in the bank. It was not long until his bank account grew to five dollars. When he was ten years old he had fifty dollars. Each year after that he sold papers, ran errands and earned all the money that he could. He did not give the picture theaters and candy stores a cent of his money. He went to the shows once each week at times when his papa knew that the pictures were of the kind that children should see. He bought nice ripe fruit instead of buying so much candy. That is one of the reasons that he has always been such a strong, healthy boy. You see when he comes out of business college he is prepared to earn his own living, and it is his own money that has given him the start in life. I worry him to think that his father is getting old and has to work for somebody else on a small salary. When he is twenty-five years old, I am sure that he will have a business of his own, for a boy like him can not help making good."
 "I wish I could go away to school this year but I just can't do so," said Lucille.
 "I think somebody else is sending his children to school on the pennies and nickels that you spend foolishly," laughed Edith.

I will show why we need them." Bobbie was not afraid of the worms but he did hope that Grandpa wouldn't ask him to carry them. He went into the house where dear old Grandma was packing their lunch. There was fried chicken, sandwiches, jelly tarts, two boiled eggs, two nice red apples and some doughnuts packed neatly in a market basket and covered with a towel.
 Now they were ready and off they started to the river which was not far away.
 Old Rover, Grandpa's dog, went with them, and how he did scamper and play when they started.
 As soon as they came to the river, Grandpa put a fish worm on each hook, and they were ready to begin fishing.
 "Why are you putting worms on the hooks, Grandpa? I thought you wanted fish on them."
 "We do, but we need the worms to catch the fish," Grandpa told him. "The fish see the worms in the water and catch them to eat, but when they try to swallow the worms, the hooks get caught in the mouths and that is the way we catch Mr. Fish. Now, we must be very quiet or else we will frighten the fish away."
 The sat down on a log and threw the fish lines into the water. It was just the right time of day to fish, and Bobbie soon had a "bite." By this I mean that a fish was soon nibbling at his hook.
 "Now, pull," said Grandpa, and as Bobbie pulled, out came a great big fish.
 The fish was so slippery and picky that Bobbie could not pick him up so, Grandpa had to take the hook out of his mouth.
 What sport it was to fish. As fast as they caught a fish, Grandpa would put it on a string.
 Soon it was lunch time, and how good everything tasted.
 After they had caught all the fish they wanted they started home. They did not walk fast as they were very tired.
 The next morning Bobbie found Grandpa had some nice fried fish for breakfast. My! But they were good! Grandma did know how to do everything right.

friend. "I wish they were all back in the water. I don't like the way they flop around, do you? You must help me pull," said Billie. "I think I have caught a whale or an alligator on my hook. I just can't land him."
 Soon both boys were pulling with all their might to try to land the fish that had taken Billie's hook. The monster at the other end of the line gave a quick jerk and landed both boys on their heads in the cold water. Billie's wish about the fish they had in their boat was granted for the boat was upset and the fish scattered in all directions. The boys kept on top and finally managed to reach their boat which was bottom side up. By catching on the sides, they were soon on the bottom of the boat, holding on for dear life. They were wet and shivering with fright. "My but that was a narrow escape," said Billie's friend. "There aren't many people dumped into the ocean who get out. We must be fine swimmers."
 The ocean began to get quite rough, and it began to be difficult for the boys to hold to their boat.
 "Did you ever hear the song 'Life on the Ocean Wave'?" said Billie who was now enjoying his ride on the bottom of the boat where he began to feel safe.
 "Yes, but I'm thinking of a song my mother sings called 'Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep'," replied his friend. "I'm scared, so let's not talk about the ocean waves."
 "Let's talk about some of the good times at home, then," said Billie.
 "That makes it worse than ever, Kid," said his friend.
 "I remember the story in the Bible about a whale that swallowed a man by the name of Jonah—swallowed him whole. Do you want to hear about that?" asked Billie.
 "No, thank you," replied his friend.
 Just as the boys were about to give up and let the ocean swallow them, a life slip came in sight, and soon they were safe on board, in dry clothing and having a good meal. "Now," said Billie's friend, "I won't mind hearing about Jonah and the whale."
 The next morning at breakfast, Billie's mother asked him why he was so tired and sleepy. "I guess you would be tired, too, if you had fought for your life last night like I did. I wonder how Jimmie feels. He was with me," said Billie.
 "But it was you who had the dream and not Jimmie," said Billie's mother.

BOBBIE'S SUMMER IN THE COUNTRY

Going Fishing.
 "Now, Bobbie, find an old tin can, and come with me into the garage. We are going to dig some fish worms for bait and then we will go fishing," said Grandpa.
 They soon had the can full of fat fish worms. "I can't see why you want these nasty things to take fishing, Grandpa."
 "You run to the house and get the lunch, and when we get to the river,

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.
 Christian Science hall, 237 Third street North.
 Subject, "Soul."
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 Sunday school 12 M., Wednesday 8 p. m.
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NORTH BEND PRESBYTERIAN.
 Rev. D. A. MacLeod, Pastor.
 Sunday school, 10 a. m.
 Preaching service, 11 a. m.
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 Preaching service, 8 p. m.
NORTH BEND METHODIST CHURCH.
 The services Sunday will be as follows:
 Sunday school 10 a. m.
 Junior League 3:20 p. m.
NORTH BEND CATHOLIC CHURCH.
 Rev. Father Springer, Rector.
 Mass will be celebrated at 8 o'clock Sunday morning by the Rev. Father Springer.
UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH OF NORTH BEND.
 Sunday school at 10 a. m.
 Preaching service at 11 a. m.
 Young People's at 7 p. m.

At the Churches

(Ministers and others are requested to hand in the Sunday church notices not later than Friday evening to insure insertion Saturday.)
METHODIST EPISCOPAL
 Rev. H. I. Rutledge, Pastor.
 Sunday school at 10 a. m.
 Morning service at 11 a. m.
 Epworth League at 7 p. m.
 Prayermeeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.
 Strangers welcome.
EPISCOPAL
 Emmanuel Church.
 Rev. R. E. Browning, Rector.
 8 a. m.—Holy Communion.
 11 a. m.—Morning service with sermon.
 2 p. m.—Service, sermon and holy communion at St. Luke's church, Empire.
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 Seventh Day Adventist services are conducted every Saturday as follows:
 Sabbath school at 2 p. m.
 Preaching services at 3 p. m.
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CHURCH OF CHRIST.
 Z. O. Doward, Minister.
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 Young People's Meeting 7 p. m.
MARSHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
 At the First Presbyterian church services may be expected on sabbath as follows:
 Sabbath school at 10 a. m., Prof. Tiedgen, superintendent.
 Young People's meeting at 7 p. m.
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
 10 A. M. Sunday school. Claude Stutsman, superintendent.
 Young People's meeting at 7 p. m.
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