

BIG BEAVER

Mrs. Robert Heck, of Canfield avenue, Detroit, was a Monday guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Howell, of Rochester road.

Miss Dorothy Woodruff, Mrs. Dickson Mason, and Mr. William Howlett, of the Sixteen-Mile road, were guests at a birthday party Friday evening in honor of Miss Florence Caschler, of the East-Forty-two-Mile road. Several other guests from Clawson were present, and buraco was enjoyed during the evening.

Mrs. George Ford, of the Sixteen-Mile road, returned to her home Saturday after motoring to London, Ky., with her son, Melvin, who is attending the E. M. Milon Ford, is also attending the institute, but left earlier in the week by train.

The Big Beaver Baseball team defeated the "Detroit All-Stars" in a game played at the Detroit Athletic Club.

REVIEW OF CHARACTERS

The International Uniform Sunday School Lesson for Sept. 23. An Estimate of the Characters Studied During the Quarter. Devotional Reading: Psalm 20:1-5, 8, 11, 12.

The review of the quarter's lessons is suggested in the form of an estimate of the characters studied during the period.

First we have Abraham, the great pioneer, manifesting virtues that have not always been characteristic of the pioneer. The pioneer with all his courage, endurance and determination has often been a fighting man, grasping and eager in his ambition. But Abraham with all the virtues of the pioneer had a largeness of spirit and magnanimity that had made him very truly the father of the faithful.



The Greatness of Jacob
Jacob comes before us as a man deprived—of the foremost place, who was bound to believe it and to get it by hook or by crook. As a matter of fact he used both hook and crook, and his life appears in many respects as unlovely. But he had in him, with all his trickery, elements upon which something could really be built, and in this respect he differed from his more likeable brother, Esau.

Moses stands before us as a commanding figure, great in his moral strength, courageous in his leadership, one of the world's great masterful characters, a rebel against injustice and wrong, but an upholder of the foundations of a true society in law and righteousness.

Three women appear in our lesson studies: in fact, one should say four, for one cannot consider the character and career of Samuel without thinking of his mother, Hannah. Deborah, the judge of Israel, stands as a sort of female Moses, a married and woman with a man's tasks that went beyond her own home and household, yet a woman who appears in the leadership of the nation with her real strength in her womanly courage and virtues.

In Ruth with her devotion to her mother-in-law, Naomi, we have a picture of persistency and devotion that can attach to love and gentleness.

The study of Samuel is against a background of evil conditions in Israel—drunkenness, lewdness, and corruption. Samuel displays the qualities that one would expect from one who had been de-

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Edger and daughter, Nellie. The party had dinner at Ann Arbor, and visited several friends in the city.

Many people of this community are planning to attend a chicken dinner to be held at the Guardian Angel Church, of Clawson, Thursday evening. The cost is 50 cents a plate for children.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Beauhien, of Boyd avenue, announce the marriage of their daughter, Marie, to Mr. Douglas Bailey, of Detroit, Sept. 7. They were married at a quiet ceremony in Toledo, O., and are honeymooning in Ohio. After today they will make their home on Boston boulevard, Detroit.

Miss Grace Howlett, of the Sixteen-Mile road, and Mr. R. C. Hale, of Rochester, spent the week-end at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard and Hale, of Oak Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Clark, Mr.

Russell Lovell, and Miss Mildred Seaman, of Rochester road, enjoyed a motor trip around the "thumb" of Michigan Sunday.

Mr. Lewis McDonald and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Brock, of Davison, and Mr. and Mrs. William Fall, of Clawson, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Miller, of the Sixteen-Mile road.

Miss Marna Ferguson, of Rochester road, spent the weekend in Rochester as the guest of the Misses Beryl King and June Stamm, of Wesley street.

Mrs. Beauhien and son, John and Richard, of Boyd avenue, spent the week-end in Bay City at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Forcier.

Mrs. N. C. Orr is in the Woman's Hospital in Detroit, recovering from a minor operation which she underwent Monday.

The Misses Ruth Miller and

Mary Patterson of the Sixteen-Mile road, attended a reunion of the Junior Class of '29 and '30 of the Oak Ridge High School Monday evening, Sept. 22, held at the home of Miss Dorothy Welch, of Fisher court, Clawson.

The sale of magazine subscriptions closed Friday evening, the proceeds being about \$33. One half of the proceeds will go to the school and will be used for the purchase of athletic equipment.

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Boy Scout meetings will be held every Tuesday evening at the school in the future. All scouts are asked to be present.

The enrollment in the Big Beaver School is increasing slowly. S. K. Baker announces. A magazine contest, sponsored by the Crowell Publishing Co.,

was started this week. The opposing teams have names based on Stevenson's "Treasure Island." The proceeds of the contest will be used for athletic equipment for the school.

Come Again
Mother—How much was your orange, Betty?
Betty—I don't know, mother. The shopman wasn't there—Punch.

If You Don't Miss Any
"You're life today, Mrs. Brown."
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"Well, that don't take long, do it?"

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voted in his mother's prayers to the service of religion.

The story of the first king of Israel is one of the world's great tragedies—a man with a marvelous natural endowment and with great opportunity, throwing all away through lack of self-control and dying a hopeless suicide after he had lost a battle. In contrast to Saul was his son Jonathan, of whose friendship with David one lesson has taken account.

Amos, the herdman, a farmer with uncorrupted nature and clear vision, came from the fields to denounce the sins of the city and to remind people that no nation could be great that sought to build upon unrighteousness and injustice.

In the record of failure and corruption we have one lesson that marks righteous purpose in high places. The story of Josiah, an eight-year-old boy, is an inspiring story of reform.

Like Amos, Jeremiah rebuked formalism and called upon the people to manifest their religion by right living.

Last of all, the story of Jonah revealed the glorious conception of God, whose mercy was proved to be not limited to one race or nation.

Persia Brown, of Ruth street, for a few days last week.

A prayer meeting was held in the M. E. Church parlors last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Duglerow, Jr., of Rochester, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Dunning, of Cherry street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Drinkwater, of Royal Oak, were recent guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Mabel James, of Rochester road.

Miss Ada Buck, of Yale, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Lamb, of Rochester road, for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Stevens and children, of Detroit, were recent dinner guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, of Romeo.

Miss Margaret Vandecar, of Clawson, was the guest of Mrs. George Bricker, of Millard street, last week.

Mrs. I. Carberry and son, Huddy, of Detroit, were recent dinner guests of Mrs. Lillian Jacobs, of Rochester road.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Lamb, of Rochester, attended the Lockwood and Lamb reunion, held at Waterford recently.

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Jackson and daughter, Barbara Lee, of Rochester road, spent last Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Woods, of Detroit.

Mrs. Peter Vincent, formerly of Tucker road, is now residing on Rochester road.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sage and son, Clarence and Delbert, of Pontiac, and Miss Given Stephens, of Detroit, were recent guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Stephens, of Millard street.

Mrs. Margaret Dallas, of Detroit, was the Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Daley, of Rochester road.

The Ladies' Aid of the Big Beaver Methodist Church is giving a birthday party in the public Friday evening, Sept. 26, in the church social room. The admission is one penny for each year of the guest's age. An amusing program and a luncheon will be offered.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harris, Mr. W. Davidson, of Detroit, Mrs. Rollin Dixon, Mr. W. H. Lamb, of Royal Oak, Mr. and Mrs. Marquis Harris, and Miss Velma Payne, of Ferndale, were guests at the Harris home on Rochester road during the past week.

Miss Ruth Pokney, of Royal Oak, was a dinner guest of Mrs. Ethel Howlett, of the Sixteen-Mile road last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Moore and Mr. James Jack, of Detroit, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson, of Rochester road.

Mr. and Mrs. John Garvin and son, Jack, of Rochester road, motored to Jackson Sunday and met

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