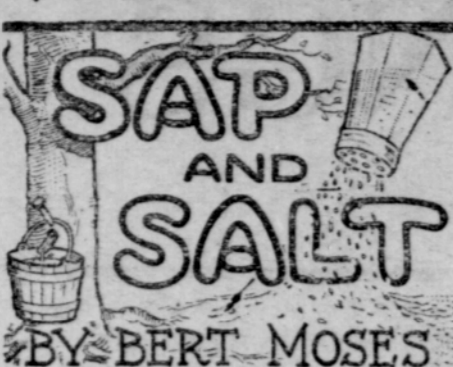


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BIBLE THOUGHT FOR TODAY
 Bible thoughts memorized, will prove a precious heritage in after years.
TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19
VALUE OF A GOOD NAME:
 A good name is rather to be chosen than great riches, and loving favour rather than silver and gold. Proverbs 22: 1.

CANNED PRODUCTS
 The enormity of the total of canned products in Oregon for the year 1921, made public recently, cannot help but dispel the doubt but that canneries are doing much toward preserving a vast amount of fruit and vegetables that otherwise would be a total loss, together with providing a market for the product.
 Fruit canned during that period totaled 28,101 tons, with a valuation of \$1,608,860, and was packed in 1,304,338 cases. Apples led the list of quantity production, with a total of 8936 tons. Pears were second, 5439 tons, while blackberries were third with 4525 tons. Other fruits in respective order were loganberries, cherries, prunes, raspberries, strawberries, apple butter, gooseberries, plums and jams and jellies. The value shown above represents the amount paid to growers.
 There were in Oregon at the time the report was compiled a total acreage of fruit of 112,660, with a valuation of \$11,189,150. Since the report was made it is believed the acreage in general has increased instead of decreased. In addition to canning, much fruit was dehydrated. Plants of this nature report the purchase of 6300 tons of apples, 980 tons of prunes, 890 tons of loganberries, and 155 tons of miscellaneous fruits, for which the growers



It matters little what you are, so long as you are a good one.
 The crowd carries most of us along, even when we know the crowd is wrong.
 One way to discourage gluttony would be to start a dinner with pie and work backward to soup.
 When a corporation issues a "statement," the intent usually is to divert public attention from the facts.
 Money, power, position, fame, friends—get all these if you can, but if you miss the first four, it matters little.
HEZ HECK SAYS:
 "The only cure for divorce seems to be the prevention of marriage."

were paid nearly \$200,000. Vegetables were dehydrated to the amount of 780 tons, worth about \$17,000.
 Practically all of these fruits and vegetables were grown in districts no better adapted by nature than the Ashland and Belleview districts. While many large orchards contributed heavily to the total production, the small farmer was given an opportunity to market his product in smaller quantities and to compete successfully with the larger growers. The man with one ton of fruit or vegetables received as much per pound as did the man who counted his crop by the tons.
 Oregon's canned products, through the agency of national advertising, are being more and more in demand by people who depend upon canned fruits for table use. The quality of

the fruit cannot be questioned. Its flavor is excellent, and the color is pleasing to the eye.
 Though there are now more than 100,000 acres in production, many more can easily be added to this amount and brought into production. In basing these figures no account is taken of the amount of fruit canned in the home and consumed locally. The figures include only that put upon the public market.
 The smaller canneries throughout the state, when supported by the vicinity in which they draw their raw material, will solve the problem of the man with more fruit than he can use in his own family, and will create a market for all surplus fruit and vegetables.

PEOPLE'S FORUM
The Jericho Road

To the Editor:
 There are just four men in the world. Only four—no fifth.
 There is the Hurt man!
 And he is robbed, stripped of much and sorely wounded.
 There is the hurting man!
 Christ called him a thief—I am thankful for that.
 There is the Heedless man!
 He passed by on the other side and he said "Safety First!"
 There is the helping man!
 He went to the hurt man and took care of him.
 The Hurt man must soon be helped
 The Hurting man—God take him

in hand.
 The Heedless man must be aroused
 The Helping man—God bless him.
Will You Help?
 Here is the story that has the four men in it.
 A certain man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho and fell among thieves who stripped him and beat him and left him half dead.
 A certain priest and a Levite saw him and passed by on the other side.
 A certain Samaritan came where he was, saw him, had compassion, bound up his wounds and took care of him. Luke X.
 The Hurt man is in the Near East!
 So is the Hurting man. And again I say—God take him in hand.
 The Heedless man—beware, brother!
 The Helping man—Do it now—NOW!
 By W. B. Hinson, D. D., pastor East Side Baptist church, Portland.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Merry Christmas will soon be here. We have a full line of nuts and candies at the right prices. Plaza Market, 61 North Main. 83tf
 A Victor record—the most appropriate gift for the phonograph owner. Rose Bros. 91tf
 Grant's Pass Couple Visit—Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Roberts, of Grants Pass, were shoppers in Ashland recently.

Cliff Payne has spur steel ladders.
 Eat good tamales these chilly days. Rose Bros. 91tf
 Washington Man Here—C. Fellows, of Lyman, Wash., was a visitor in the city the latter part of last week.
 Orres cleans clothes. Phone 64.
 Scotch Scones—At the Home Bakery and Restaurant. Eat your Sunday dinner here. 88-2

Visits in Ashland—Ben D. King, of Kllekitat, Wash., arrived in Ashland Saturday for a few days' visit in the city.
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