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Answers To Bible Question

Question. If an Israelite was bitten and had NO faith that he would be healed by looking on the brazen serpent, if he did look would he have been healed?

The following answers have been received;

The Apostle Paul says: "Without faith it is impossible to please God for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him." That was a promise from God, and it looks as if they would have to have some faith or they would not have looked, but as the question presupposes that they did look without faith I will say: he would have been healed because God said so.—G R Walker.

Looking still closer into the account I notice there was not even a command to look but that when they would see the serpent they would be healed, so I say if a man happened to see the brazen serpent he would have been healed.—H Phillips.

I have been an interested follower of the Scriptural questions appearing in the Enterprise. I cannot lay claim to much ability as an interpreter of Scriptural things, but it appears to me that if the snake-bitten Israelites had not believed nor had faith they would have received no healing from looking on the brazen serpent.—D H Talmadge.

Yes, they would have been healed.—Grandma McWilliams.

It seems to me that as faith was not mentioned as a factor in the healing, but only that they should see the brazen serpent, that God could do no less than heal them. God could not be false to his promise just because one or two or a dozen or a hundred or a thousand or any other number of stiff-necked Israelites didn't happen to believe what he said. Moreover, the incident wasn't given as a test of faith at the time but rather as a reason for faith in the future promises of Jehovah. My answer is emphatically yes.—Editor.

A Beautiful Woman.

Do you know that a beautiful woman always has a good digestion? If your digestion is faulty, eat lightly of meats, and take an occasional dose of Chamberlain's Tablets to strengthen your digestion. Price 25c.

Items From Brownsville Clipped From The Times.

Karl Bramwell and wife of Halsey, with four others in a Chevrolet, run in front of a street car at Eugene Monday evening of last week. The people escaped injury but the machine did not.

Henry Seefelt of Halsey, was a city visitor Friday. He is suffering from a badly infected hand, having run a splinter from an ax handle into it. Dr Marks lanced and dressed it and hopes are now entertained for a speedy cure.

(The following items are from the Albany Democrat.)

The Morgan and Pate ensilage cutter blew up on the C Carlson farm a few days ago. The machine was a complete loss. Cause of the explosion is unknown.

The Starwood sawmill is having a plank road built from the mill out to the county road. The mill is located only about a half a mile from the road and is down hill all the way. Some big loads are now being hauled from the mill to Brownsville every day. The mill is getting out ties and dimension lumber, and is loading it on cars at Brownsville.

The Loeb tie mill north of town has completed a big loading dock near the railroad from which they are loading their cars. A number of teams are hauling from both mills.

Sincere Gratitude.

Mrs William Bell, Logansport, Ind., writes: "I deem it my duty to express my gratitude for the good Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy did me when I had a severe attack of diarrhoea three years ago. It was the only medicine that relieved me."

Happenings from Harrisburg Clipped from the Bulletin.

Ben Sudtell was up from Halsey last Saturday.

George Barleys threshing Machine bursted last Friday and he went to Eugene for repairs. He says he is the last man to finish threshing but he saved every kernel of his grain.

Tom O'Donnell came up Sunday and he and his brother George spent the day visiting an aunt residing near Halsey. She has resided there for some years and only last week did they learn of her whereabouts.

Can Now Eat and Sleep In Comfort.

If troubled with indigestion or sleeplessness you should read what Miss Agnes Turner, Chicago, Ill, has to say: "Overwork, irregular meals and carelessness regarding the ordinary rules of health, gradually undermined it until last fall I became a wreck of my former self. I suffered from continual headache, was unable to digest my food, which seemed to lay as a dead weight on my stomach. I was very constipated and my complexion became dark, yellow and muddy as I felt. Sleeplessness was added to my misery, and I would awake as tired as when I went to sleep. I heard of Chamberlain's Tablets and found such a relief after taking them that I kept up the treatment for nearly two months. They cleansed my stomach, invigorated my system, and since that time I can eat and sleep in comfort. I am today entirely well."

Dr Harris Accidentally Shoots His Nephew.

(From the Harrisburg Bulletin.)

Fate has shouldered a burden on one of Harrisburg's most esteemed citizens, Dr F E Adams. The news of his grievous misfortune has already reached many of his friends here who discuss the tragedy with profoundest sympathy.

The details of the accidental shooting of his nephew, Herbert Lynn Adams, while on a hunting trip from the latter's home near Roseburg, are given by the Roseburg Review in the publication of the inquest by the coroner's jury. Only four witnesses were examined. The accident happened last Saturday afternoon, Dr Adams and the boy having gone out that morning to hunt deer. A half an hour before the fatal shooting occurred they had separated and when he saw what he supposed was a pair of horns at a distance of only 100 yards, he fired, believing the boy to be at least a half mile away. The bullet entered the young man's head over the left temple. He remained conscious for a short time and nodded his forgiveness to his uncle who rushed to his side and knelt with him until he lapsed into unconsciousness. The boy died the following morning.

In giving his testimony Dr Adams neither spared himself nor offered excuses. He said it was purely a mistake and there was no deer where he aimed. He saw a vision of a pair of horns and fired, first thinking of the boy but believing him to be a half mile away. He was exceedingly anxious to secure a deer and his vacation was about over, and in his eagerness he took what he figured would be his last chance.

Other witnesses were men who helped to carry the body out of the woods. They had known Dr Adams since childhood and could not believe it was other than accidental.

The coroner's jury remained in session but a few minutes, entirely exonerating Dr Adams from any blame of intentional shooting by not so much as linking his name with the verdict.

Shedd Items Gathered From Here And There.

C E Arnold was an Albany caller Saturday.

Joseph, little son of R J Mears, and grandson of J H Mears and wife, formerly of Shedd, died in Portland where the family now reside, and was buried Tuesday of last week.

The Shedd Odd Fellow lodge was the guest of Albany Lodge No. 4 I O O F one night last week. The visitors conferred the initiatory degree upon four candidates.

A large crowd of the members of the Enol Rebekah lodge attended the convention at Halsey last week.

Carl Lamburg and Miss Mary McClane had a rather serious accident Thursday night while returning to Albany from Shedd. They were alleged to have been driving an Oakland six car and going about 35 miles an hour and on the wrong side of the road and had no lights on when they collided with Mr Cavern of Tangent, who was driving two horses to a wagon. The car plunged

into the team, knocking one of the horses down and breaking its leg so badly that they had to kill it. The sudden jar also threw the driver about 30 feet from his wagon, bruising him up a little. The occupants of the car were also jammed up a little, Miss McClane receiving a cut in the head. The car was badly damaged.—Albany Democrat.

Mrs Ed Haverland was brought home

from the Albany hospital Friday. Mrs Haverland underwent a serious operation a few weeks ago, but is recovering rapidly.

Some of the members of the United Presbyterian Christian Endeavor society are busy preparing the program for the big "Loyalty Rally" which will be held in the U P church on Friday evening, Nov 7. A bunch of live speakers are

now on the program.

Wm Beals jr has sold his property in Shedd to Wm Potter and expects to leave the first of November. Mr Beals has been a live worker in the Shedd bank for some time.

The Shedd Calf club had the misfortune of losing its registered bull last Wednesday. The cause of its death is not reported as yet.



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