

SERMONETTE

Rev. C. E. Trueland.

Jesus Christ or Another.

Art thou he that should come or look we for another? Matt. 11:3. John the Baptist in prison, a victim of persecution for the truth's sake, sent two of his disciples to Jesus to make inquiry. The same question has doubtless been asked by a great host of people since that day. John was evidently under great discouragement because of his unjust treatment, and wanted the spiritual assurance that his faith in Jesus had not been misplaced. Hence, his question: "Art thou he that should come?" Jesus in reply named the evidence of his messiahship: "The blind receive their sight, the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, the poor have the gospel preached to them."

The Jews of Christ's day needed a Savior but were unable to recognize him after he came. Smarting under bondage to the Romans, they were under a more serious bondage of spirit. Selfishness, unbelief, and pride blinded their eyes to the beauty of their Lord, when he walked in their very midst. Even some of Jesus' disciples after a time "turned back and walked no more with him." Have we been more faithful and loyal, or have we turned deserter when the burden of the campaign came upon us?

Man has been truly described as "a religious animal." We may be educated animals to be sure, without religion. Educated animals without a genuine sense of accountability to God, and of duty to his creatures, well-nigh turned this fair earth into a living hell. To whom shall we go for help and guidance but to the Savior of men appointed to be "a leader and a commander to the people."

If his physical miracles are not so apparent as at one time, this power to restore the souls of men, to give them the life of righteousness, to bring them the comforting gospel is the same as ever it was. He who saved the rich tax gatherer, the humble fishermen, and the penitent thief, is still able to "save all who come unto God by him."

Earthly friends are not sufficient for our guidance. Our great men soon pass away. New religions may draw away followers after them, but when men are really in dire need of help, there is none other to whom they may go for succor but to the Almighty Father and his Son, Jesus Christ. "Lord, to whom shall we go? Thou hast the words of eternal life."

This miracle of the transformation of character by the power of Divine grace has been wrought millions of times since Christ came to earth. It is still available for every longing heart. "He satisfieth the longing soul, and filleth the hungry soul with goodness."

A Debt to War Heroes

The Fifth Liberty Loan will be known as the Victory Loan.

Victory is not merely a matter of jubilation, accepting surrender of a beaten foe and dropping the gun to take up the plowshare in the furrow where it stood when the call to arms came.

The Victory Loan is one of the many great obligations that come to the victors. President Woodrow Wilson and the members of the American peace delegation are now in France looking after the world obligations. Our part now is to prepare to pay in small measure the debt we owe our khaki and blue clad champions.

A large part of the money to be raised in the Victory Loan campaign next April will be used for the rehabilitation of our wounded men. The government will do its utmost to restore every wounded American soldier and sailor to health and self supporting activity.

When the wounded man has been given complete medical and surgical treatment he will be considered by the Federal Board for Vocational Education. If his disability prevents return to work he left at the call of the government a wise choice of occupation is open to him.

If the injured man needs an artificial limb or appliance of any sort the government will provide it. Until his special treatment or training ends he will receive regular compensation and the family will receive the allotments. The war risk insurance will be paid until the end of the vocational training if the course is elected without necessity, but in this case the allotments will not be paid the family.

Instead of finding dependent cripples and beggars made so by an unappreciative country, they will be highly trained heroes whose sacrifices will not be tarnished by lack of gratitude. If you are worthy victory prepare now to buy Victory Bonds.

Cuba is to send a force of 20,000 to the war. Cuba has gained freedom herself after years of oppression, and knows what it means to other nations. So she has lined herself up alongside her own liberator and friend to help fight the battles of world liberty.

M. E. Church.

Sunday School at 10 a. m.
Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject: "The Value of Intercession."
C. E. Trueland, pastor.

Misunderstanding Is Cleared Up

A misunderstanding is general regarding the \$100,000,000 which President Wilson has asked of congress for the food sufferers in Europe. This money is not intended to take the place of the Armenian relief fund that is being raised by private subscription, as the following telegram from President Wilson, dated at Paris January 7, shows:

Govt. President's Residence, Paris, 62—Cleveland H. Dodge, 99 John St., New York.—The appropriation asked of congress for handling food relief is not intended in any way to take the place of the subscription being asked for relief and rehabilitation in the near East. I hope that this subscription will not in any way be interrupted or reduced. The need is immediate and very great.

WOODROW WILSON.

The following is a copy of a cablegram from Herbert Hoover, federal food director, which shows the pressing need for relief to the famine stricken countries of the near East:

The world relief program now being developed by the United States and the allies contemplates that wherever possible relief work will be financed by the countries affected through the medium of loans or other government assistance. Nevertheless distress and suffering exists in many areas where payment for relief supplies cannot be made. These charity cases will still urgently need private benevolence.

This is the situation with regard to the Armenians, Syrians, and Persians. There is probably no greater suffering today than among the persecuted peoples of Asia minor who have no funds and cannot secure government loans and have no other credit. It is to aid this distressing situation that your committee for Armenian and Syrian relief is making its appeal to the generosity of the American people. With your financing accomplished your committee representing these stricken people can come under the direction of the new interallied world relief organization and will receive its cooperation in the purchasing and shipment of supplies.

Arrangements are now being made to assign one complete flour cargo now en route for Southern Europe to the order of your committee, and further supplies will shortly be allotted to you by the interallied committee as soon as we are assured that the necessary finances have been provided.

HERBERT HOOVER

NOTICE OF FINAL HEARING.

In the County Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Malheur. In the matter of the Estate of Elsie Stradley, Deceased.

To all persons interested in said Estate: YOU ARE, HEREBY, NOTIFIED, That the Final Account of William D. Stradley, administrator of said Estate, has been made and duly filed in the Office of the Clerk of said Court, and that said Final Account and the settlement thereof will be heard by said Court, on Monday, February 10, A. D. 1919, at one o'clock in the afternoon, at the Court Room of said Court in the Court House of said County, in Vale, Oregon.

All persons interested in said Estate may, on or before said day appointed for such hearing and settlement, file his objection thereto, or to any particular item thereof, as by law required. Dated this December 31, 1918. William D. Stradley, Administrator.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Vale, Or., January 9, 1919.

Notice is hereby given that Claus Martinson, of Nyssa, Or., who, on August 22, 1917, made Desert Land Entry No. 03673, for S4SE1, Sec. 12, N1E1SW1E1, S2E1NW1, N1E1SW1, S1E1SW1, Sec. 13, Township 21 South, Range 48 East, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final proof, to establish claim to the land above described. If not sooner discharged, testimony of claimant will be submitted before his commanding officer at Camp Lewis, Wash., and that of witnesses before Register and Receiver, U. S. Land Office, at Vale, Oregon, on the 18th day of February, 1919. Claimant names as witnesses: David McLafferty, Geo. C. McLafferty, D. R. Pullen, E. L. Huffman, all of Nyssa, Oregon.

THOS. JONES, Register.

ARCADIA

BY OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT

Ira Dail went to Ontario on business today.

George Ransom went to Nyssa on business Monday.

Clyde Long and wife were visiting at Charlie Boulard's Sunday.

Seaward Bros were up Wednesday seeing after some sick sheep.

Miss Helen Butler spent Wednesday evening with Miss Lillian Dail.

Nick and Garrett Smith went to Ontario on business Wednesday.

Mrs. Ida Dail spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Frank Edwards.

Al Thompson and J. T. Long went to Nyssa on business this afternoon.

George Ransom went to Pete Tenen's today looking up a seed huller.

Elbert Butler Jr., and family were visiting at Frank Edwards Sunday evening.

E. B. Butler Jr., and wife spent Wednesday evening with C. W. Barrett and family.

Mrs. Orin Wallace is visiting at her brothers, John Vanperpool up at Kingman Kolony.

Al Thompson has bought 10 acres joining him from Dart Long. He paid \$800.50 for it.

Went & McKnight bought J. C. Fleming & Son's hay at \$13 net ton with 8ft measurement.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Butler Sr., were calling on C. W. Barrett and family Sunday afternoon.

Verna Thompson, little daughter of Al Thompson, is out of school this week with a severe cold.

Miss Florence Boulard who had a slight set back with the flu will be up again in a few days.

Charley Gossett, Will Pennington and George Ransom were in Ontario on business Monday.

Mrs. James Smith of Ontario was visiting her brother Chester Lackey and wife last week.

Al and Charlie Thompson, J. T. Long, and C. W. Barrett went to Ontario to a ditch meeting Monday.

Frank Edwards has been having the time of his life digging out frozen water pipes the past week.

The attendance at school is much better this week. There was only about 50 present last week.

McCloud came in from the hills Friday with 4000 head of sheep. He will feed this winter at Charlie Thompson's.

Judge McKnight of Vale was over to the Fleming feed yards today seeing after his cattle and had some car trouble on his way back.

Chester Lackey is putting up ice for the hot days of next summer (wish we could can up some of the heat of summer for the cold days of winter.)

Al Ervington of Nyssa bought several tons of hay from Mr. Thomas, who lived on the Dart Long's place last year and paid him \$15 per ton for it.

Went & McKnight of Vale brought in 400 head of cattle Saturday. They bought J. C. Flemings & Son's hay and will feed at the Fleming stock yards this winter.

Frank Edwards, foreman on the Hunt ranch has been having trouble with frozen pipes this cold weather and has been put to some inconvenience about watering the sheep.

Wm. H. Thornburg of Lynn, Ind., who in September and October, with his wife visited his daughters, Mrs. W. J. Roberts and Mrs. Ora Clark, both of our neighborhood, died at his house on last Thursday. Mr. Thornburg was a civil war veteran and was 79 years old. He made many friends during his visit here. When he left for home in Oct., he was in good health and his death came as a shock to his children. Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Clark have the heartfelt sympathy and love of the whole community in their sorrow.

School was closed again by the board today as flu is back with us again. Five members of Mr. Lucas' family are down with it, two at Mr. Vantassels and several children have been exposed to it. Ivan Williams and Lillian Dale were both out of school today on account of sickness and others are keeping their children home so by Tuesday the school had dwindled down to thirty five per cent in attendance so it was thought best by the board to postpone the school for a few days again. Eighteen new books for the school library were received by the clerk Saturday.

Presbyterian Church.

Weston F. Shields, pastor.

The New Era Movement is now the biggest thing before the church. To get into the plan and spirit of this movement the pastor will attend a Conference in Portland, Jan., 20-21. This necessitates his leaving before Sunday. There will be no preaching service next Sunday. Sermon to the young people of eight grade and High school age Jan 29th at 11:00 a. m. All young people are requested to be present. Subject, "Making Life Count."

DOMESTIC SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Edited by Miss Olive P. Bassett

U. S. Food Bulletin No. 14.

Dried Peas and Beans

Do you know how many kinds of dried peas and beans there are? Of course you know the white navy and the lima bean, but the attractive red kidney beans are very good, too. So are many others—the pinto or frijole, a mottled brown and white bean, the black or turtle soup beans—and the other more or less brightly colored beans from South America and the Orient. These beans are similar to the kidney bean and are now on the market in some of our cities. The cowpea is good and is used in large quantities in the South and the soy bean which was introduced from the Orient. Both of these require longer cooking and are often prepared differently from the other varieties, so their preparation is not included in this leaflet.

Dried peas come whole or split and may be green or yellow. They and the beans belong to the same plant family—the legumes—and they can be cooked and seasoned in much the same way. Try the different kinds on sale near your home and use a variety. Your family will like them if they are well cooked.

Dry ripe peas or beans have higher food value than the unripe ones because they contain less water, or juice. A pint of the green ones either fresh or canned makes a good vegetable, while a pint of the dry peas or beans makes a hearty dish which may serve as the main part of a meal. Yet the pint of dry peas costs no more than a can of green ones.

To Cook Dried Peas and Beans

You can cook them all in the same way; then, after they are tender, they can be made into anything you wish—baked beans or peas, soup, a vegetable stew, a loaf or a salad.

Soak for four hours or over night in twice as much water as there are peas or beans. Cook in the water in which they are soaked unless it has an unpleasant taste. Add more water as it boils away. Cook from one to two hours, depending on the age and variety and on the purpose for which they are to be used. If they are to be served as a vegetable do not let them get too soft. They are excellent cooked in a fireless cooker.

Beans and Peas as a Vegetable.

Cook as usual. Season with butter or oleomargarine or other fat, salt and pepper. Or serve with a cream or tomato sauce. They are delicious and inexpensive vegetables.

Oregon Settlement Plan Has Captured Country

Oregon Agricultural College, Corvallis, Jan.—The Oregon land settlement plan, which provides for the reclamation and purchase of lands for resale to soldiers and other desirable settlers, and which practically guarantees the success of the settler by supervision of the farm management department of the Oregon Agricultural College, is the first project of the kind ever attempted, according to H. D. Scudder, professor of farm management, who has just returned from Washington, D. C., where he received promise of favorable legislation on the plan.

"This plan of ours has captured everybody," he says. "We have been promised just the legislation we want—broad enough to provide for cooperation of the states with the federal government and permitting us to carry out our Oregon land settlement plan."

"Model farm management farms for settlers in every part of the state will be our program in future land settlement, and the federal legislation will provide the funds for reclamation and purchase of lands for resale to soldiers on the easy payment, low interest plan. We expect to get the necessary state legislation to go with this at the coming session."

"The authorities at Washington tell us that the application of the farm management idea to settlement is brand new and our model farm management farm is the first thing of the kind ever attempted. The office of farm management has promised us funds for both investigation and demonstration work in farm management in Oregon."

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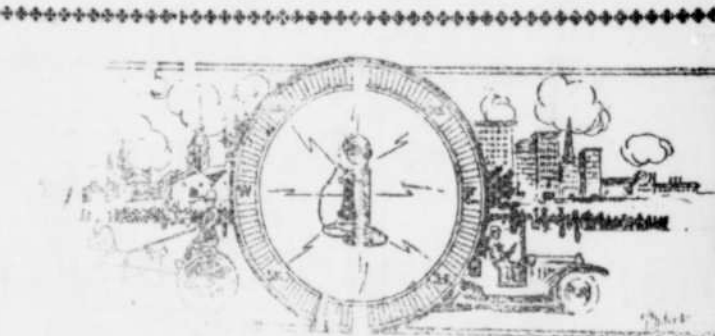
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NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE IN FORECLOSURE.

By virtue of an execution in foreclosure duly issued by the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for Malheur County, dated the 19th day of December, 1918, in a certain action in the said Circuit Court for the said State and County, wherein Lee Charles Miller as plaintiff recovered judgment against R. M. Beard and Lena F. Beard, his wife; Miriam D. Raymond; Fred G. Caldwell and Mabelle Caldwell, his wife; Charles S. Stafford and Victoria M. Stafford, his wife; Henry L. Bunck and Tillie Bunck, his wife; the Northern Bank and Trust Company of Seattle; and Mariam D. Raymond, as defendants, for the sum Fifteen Hundred Fifty-eight and 59-100 Dollars (\$1558.59), with interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 25th day of November, 1918.

Therefore, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That I will on the 27th day of January, 1919, at the hour of 11:30 a. m., at the main entrance door of the Malheur County Court House, at Vale, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder or bidders for cash, the following described real property, to-wit:

The East sixty (60) acres of the Southeast Quarter (SE1/4) of Sec. 16, Tp. 18 S., R. 46 E., W. M., described as Blocks 13, 14, 15, and 16 of Interstate Farm and Orchard Company's irrigated acre tracts, containing sixty acres; together with a water right of 30 shares of water stock in the Owyhee Ditch Company, evidenced by stock certificate No. 1371 of said corporation, subject, however, to the lien of the certain mortgage to A. Velle, mortgagee, dated August 20, 1900, and recorded at page 306 of Book J of the mortgage records of Malheur County, Oregon. Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining to all and singular the right, title

and interest of the said mortgagors at law or in equity therein or thereto, including dower and claim of dower; together with all and singular the improvements, privileges and appurtenances thereunto belonging and all rights of homestead exemption; and together with all ditch and water rights of every nature, however evidenced, used on said land or belonging to the same or said mortgagors, or that may hereafter be acquired or used upon said land.

Taken and levied upon as the property of the said above named defendants, or as much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment in favor of the plaintiff, Lee Charles Miller, and against the said above named defendants, with interest thereon, together with all costs and disbursements that have or may accrue. Dated at Vale, Oregon, December 24, 1918.

BEN J. BROWN, Sheriff.
By T. C. McElroy, Deputy.
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Fifty Dollars Reward

I will pay \$50 reward for information leading to the conviction of the party who stole a 50-gallon tank of gasoline from Kingman station.

Wm. Peutz.

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(BY OUR REG)

F. L. DeBord

Tuesday.

J. Muesell, of the home of M. Smith Monday.

The ice is still here but won't be weather continue.

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