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WEEKLY BIBLE LESSON

Anent Resurrection.

The trumpet shall sound and the dead shall be raised. (I Co. xv, 52)

And I saw the dead, small and great, stand before God; . . . and they were judged, every man according to their works. (Rev. xx, 12-13)

The hour is coming in the which all that are in the graves shall hear his voice, and shall come forth. (John v, 28-29.)

For if the dead rise not, then is not Christ raised (I Cor. xv, 16.)

As the cloud is consumed and vanisheth away, so he that goeth down to the grave shall come up no more. (Job vii, 9.)

The dead know not anything, neither have any more a reward. Eccl. ix-5.

They are dead, they shall not live; they are deceased, they shall not rise. (Is. xxvi, 14)

For that which befalleth the sons of men befalleth the beasts, even one thing befalleth them; as one dieth, so dieth the other; yea, they have all one breath; so that a man hath no pre-eminence above a beast. . . . All go unto one place. Eccl. iii, 19, 20.)

The reader may have some difficulty in deciding what the Bible really does teach regarding the resurrection, after reading these contradictory statements. The customary plan in a case of this kind is to ignore those passages that conflict with your belief and accept only those that agree with your belief. This plan has the merit of allowing everyone to believe as they please and has proved to be quite satisfactory.

For God so loved the world that he gave his only begotten son that whosoever believeth on him should not perish but have everlasting life. (John iii 16.)

Now, therefore, kill every male among the little ones, and kill every woman that hath known a man by lying with him; but all the women-children that have not known a man by lying with him keep alive for yourselves. (Num xxx, 13.)

We are told that God is the same yesterday, today and forever; a being in whom there is no variableness, neither shadow of turning. Yet according to the Bible the same God that gave his son to redeem mankind ordered the slaughter of innocent women and children and the defilement of young girls.

For there is no man that sinneth not. I Kings, viii, 46.

Who can say, I have made my heart clean; I am pure from my sins? (Prov. xx, 9.)

For there is not a just man upon earth, that doeth good and sinneth not. (Eccl. vii, 20)

There is none righteous, no, not one. (Rom. iii, 10.)

Whosoever is born of God doth not commit sin. . . . he cannot sin because he is born of God. . . . Whosoever abideth in him sinneth not. . . . He that committeth sin is of the devil. I John iii, 9, 6, 8.)

And it came to pass, as they still went on, and talked, that, behold, there appeared a chariot of fire, and horses of fire, and parted them both assunder; and Elijah went up by a whirlwind into heaven. (II Kings ii 11)

And no man hath ascended up to heaven, but he that came down from heaven, even the Son of man which is in heaven. John iii, 13.

If there are those still unconvinced that there are contradictions in the Bible we would be glad to publish a list covering such questions as Free Will vs. Foreordination, the Sabbath, Temperance, Slavery, Poverty vs. Riches, Is the Earth to be Destroyed? the fate of the Godly, and as many more as are desired.

The fact that the government has withdrawn all land in the Owyhee district from homestead or desert land entry is good evidence that the reclamation department intends starting work on the project.

A movement is on foot to form a cemetery association with the purpose of securing a deed to the cemetery, so that lots may be sold, and beautifying it. Water will be available when the Owyhee project is completed and with flowers and trees the cemetery can be made a place of beauty. It is necessary to form a legal organization before this can be done satisfactorily. It is a worthy project and should receive the support of all.

Owyhee

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dean of Payette and their daughters, Dorothy and Kathrin, spent Sunday at the J. B. Smith home.

Word was received from Mary and Gladys McGinnis that they arrived in Alturas, Cal., without much car trouble and that their brothers, Donald and Vernon, would accompany them home in their car.

The spelling contests are being held in the various schools of this district and Supt. Ewing called a meeting at his home Thursday and next Friday was decided upon as the date for the district contest to be held at the Nyssa high school. The winner of the Nyssa contest will go to Vale for the track meet day contest. There are about 13 or 14 schools in this division.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hennis entertained in honor of Arnold Vincent of Kuna, Ida., Sunday at dinner. Those besides Mr. Vincent present were Misses Audrey and Viva Gaywood of Nampa and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Evans and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peutz entertained Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McGinnis and Miss Virginia McGinnis over night Tuesday.

Miss Laura Huffman spent the week end in Apple Valley.

Miss Helen Cowgill, state girls' club leader, R. C. Anderson, county club leader for boys, and Miss Davis, new county librarian of Ontario, spent the afternoon Thursday conferring with Mrs. Tom Lowe on the Educational Extension Service. The delegation also visited the school.

Grandma Pinkston has been quite ill the last week with a relapse of the influenza.

Little Arnold Slippy had the misfortune to break his right wrist by falling from his pony last Friday. Both bones were broken squarely off at the wrist and he has suffered greatly from it this week.

One of the finest numbers on our Easter program was unintentionally omitted from the published program. It was a solo "Face to Face" sung by Mrs. Alvin McGinnis and accompanied by Mrs. Claude Smith at the piano.

The O. K. K. met with Mrs. Adah Schweizer on Thursday and disposed of old work and also planned an ice cream social to be held late in May. Mrs. Schweizer served a dainty lunch to Mesdames Kygar, DeGoede, Wm. Schweizer, Hite, Klingback and Walters.

The names of those who attended the big County Council meeting that were omitted were: Mrs. Wm. Schweizer, Mrs. Silas Bigelow and Miss Juanita Bigelow.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Evans and the Misses Caywood drove to the C. F. Smith home near Ontario Sunday, where Miss Audrey Caywood will be employed this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McGinnis and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin McGinnis took dinner at their parents' home Sunday.

Mrs. W. W. Smith has been quite ill with the flu.

Miss Dottie Cantrall spent Saturday night and Sunday with Miss Dorothy Kaylor in Kingman Colony.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Walters spent Tuesday afternoon at the Evans home. Walter Pinkston called on Grandma Pinkston Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schweizer accompanied Mr. and Mrs. John Hite to Nyssa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fisher motored to Ontario Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ochweizer spent Sunday at the O. R. Hite home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leuck of Nyssa took supper at the Bob Elliott home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Points and family attended the Followers church in Apple Valley Sunday.

Grandma Bradley took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Greeing are enjoying a visit from their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Hixox of Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. Hixox have been visiting in Washington and are homeward bound.

Miss Emerson and Rex Brumbach, teachers in the Kolony school, spent the week end at their respective homes in Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Overstreet are both sick with severe colds.

Old Mitchell Butte was white with snow almost all day Monday.

New Grader

S. D. Goshert, Hub Ward and Chas. Marshall, commissioners of road district No. 2, recently purchased a new grader for work on the roads. It is proving to be entirely satisfactory and in the hands of J. M. Robertson, who has been hired to operate it, is doing fine work. The district extends from the Emison waste way on the north to within a mile of the Oregon Trail school house on the south. Between \$4000 and \$5000 is available for road improvement in the district.

O. A. C., Corvallis, April 22.—Clara Pepper of Nyssa, sophomore in vocational education, has been pledged to Lambda Chi Alpha, social fraternity.

Leading Corn Varieties Grown in Comparison

In an effort to decide the comparative yield and other merits of Golden Jewel yellow dent and Reid's yellow dent corn, Messrs. G. Stam and G. Groot will grow them side by side this year in a test adopted by the Nyssa district of the county farm bureau as a part of its program of work in co-operation with the extension service. Both of these varieties are of comparatively ancient parentage as crop varieties go, having been developed by corn breeders in the eastern part of the United States fifty or seventy five years ago. Locally they have been grown and acclimated for ten years or more by various growers, the most consistent of whom in their work of selection and perpetuation of their chosen variety are E. B. Conklin of Ontario with Golden Jewel and Gerrett Groot of Nyssa with Reid Yellow Dent.

In addition to the local strains, the county agent has secured some seed of the Reid Yellow Dent from a corn seed grower at Prosser, Wash., to be included in the demonstration to ascertain whether it has any qualities superior to the strain developed by Mr. Groot.

A few articles in household goods for sale. Call at Mrs. Agnes Hamakers.

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Love, the Great Secret

I believe that love is the secret of the world; it is like the philosopher's stone they used to look for and almost as hard to find, but when one finds it, it turns everything to gold. Without love man is a brute and nothing but a brute; with love he draws near to God. When everything else falls away love will endure, because it cannot die while there is any life, if it is true love, for it is immortal.—Girl's Companion.

Lucullus Gives Credit

Lucullus, famous Roman general and epicure, is said to have been the first to introduce cherries into Italy about the beginning of the present era. He is reported to have spent fabulous sums on his table.

Notice.

I have sold the City Dairy to Geo. E. Schweizer, who will conduct the business, collecting all accounts and paying all bills.

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JUST BARLEY SUGAR

An enthusiast entered an anti-quarian's shop to have a look round. A young girl stood behind the counter. On the counter on a piece of paper rested a round yellow marble. The enthusiast noticed it. "That," he said, excitedly, "is either a wonderful topaz or an exceptionally rare piece of amber. Where did you get it?" "Garn!" said the girl, "that's me bit of barley sugar I just been sucking."

Information Disastrous

Wetwash—What drove the light-house keeper's wife crazy? Loneliness?

Roughdry—Not exactly. She was listening in at the radio while a big dry goods store ashore was beginning a bargain sale for the next day.—American Legion Weekly.

UNIFORM SUCCESS



"There goes Policeman Jones in a captain's rig. Only a year ago he was wearing a sergeant's suit."

"That's so—he's had uniform success."

Nonsense

A little nonsense now and then Brings sorrow into many a land. When folks discuss with voice or pen What they but slightly understand.

Her Near Side

It was in one of these ultra-smart "Beauty Shoppers." The fair young thing, freshly shampooed, sat before the long mirror awaiting the magic touch of the marcelling iron. As the first curl rippled out, the girl turned to the operator and, lifting a dainty manicured left hand, said:

"Please marcel it extra tight on this side. It's the side I dance on."

A Peculiar Disease

Dumb Dora—Tell me, Harry, do race horses suffer from some disease like the itch or the mange?

Handsome Harry—Very seldom. What makes you ask such a question?

Dumb Dora—Why, Harry, I read on the sporting page every day that so many horses are scratched.

Wrong in Quarrel

Edwin—I was in the wrong when we quarreled last night.

Angelina—I knew it all the time. By the way, what did we quarrel about?

Edwin—Blest if I know?

LACKED ATTRACTIVENESS



Visitor—Why have you people built such a fine new jail?

Native—Why, the sheriff didn't seem to be able to get anyone to go into the old one, you know.

Hey!

Some persons are full of woe Because for them there is no pay day;

A farmer should be merry, though, Because he always has his hay day!

SUMMONS

In the Justice Court for the District of Nyssa, County of Malheur, State of Oregon.

E. C. Wilson and Barney Wilson, doing business under the firm name and style of Wilson Brothers, Plaintiffs,

vs.

Pratt Walton and Hazel Walton, Defendants.

To Pratt Walton and Hazel Walton, the above named defendants:

In the name of the State of Oregon you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled action on or before the expiration of six (6) weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail to answer for want thereof, the plaintiffs above named will take judgment against you on their first cause of action for the sum of Forty eight and 18 100 Dollars (48 18), together with interest thereon at the rate of six per cent (6 per cent) per annum from the 30th day of June, 1926, until paid, and for plaintiffs' costs and disbursements herein, including Twenty-five Dollars (\$25) attorney's fees. And on their separate and second

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NOTICE OF BOND SALE

In the Matter of the Owyhee Drainage District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed proposals will be received by the Owyhee Drainage District in their office in Nyssa, Malheur County, Oregon, until the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, the 25th day of April, 1925, and immediately thereafter publicly opened by the Board of Supervisors of the Owyhee Drainage District, for the purchase of bonds of said District, in the sum of Fourteen Thousand Dollars (\$14,000.00), said bonds to be in denominations of not less than One Hundred (100) or more than Five Hundred (500) Dollars, said bonds to bear date of May 1st, 1925, and to mature serially in annual amounts so as to be approximately equal, principal and interest, and to mature commencing May 1st, 1930, and ending May 1st, 1945, said bonds to bear interest at six per cent (6 per cent) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of May and November, principal and interest payable at the Malheur County Bank, Nyssa, Oregon, or at the fiscal agency of the state of Oregon in New York City, at the option of the holder.

Said proposals must be accompanied by a certified check for five per cent (5 per cent) of the amount thereof, the same to be forfeited to the District as liquidated damages in the event the successful bidder fails to pay for said bonds within ten (10) days after the award. The bidder shall be required to procure the approving legal opinion, and said proposals are made subject to the legality of said issue, and confirmation of the proceedings of said District.

The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board of Supervisors of the Owyhee Drainage District. Dated this 19th day of March, 1925.

Wm. Peutz, President.

John F. Reece, Secretary.

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