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Sunday School Lesson

(By REV. P. B. FITZWATER, D. D., Teacher of English Bible in the Moody Bible Institute of Chicago.)

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LESSON FOR AUGUST 21.

PAUL PREPARES FOR WORLD CONQUEST.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 15:1; 16:5.

GOLDEN TEXT—But we believe that through the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ we shall be saved.—Acts 15:11.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Gal. 2:11-21; 5:1-26; Eph. 2:4-22.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Some of Paul's Helpers.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Beginning of the Second Missionary Journey.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Revisiting Friends in Asia Minor.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Paul Champions Christian Liberty.

1. The Controversy in the Church at Antioch (vv. 1-5).

This difficulty was a most serious one, for it threatened the disruption of the church into Jewish and Gentile divisions.

The question was, "Shall Gentile converts be required to keep the Mosaic law as a condition of salvation?" This issue was brought on by the coming of certain men from Jerusalem who declared, "Except ye be circumcised after the manner of Moses, ye cannot be saved" (v. 1). The question was so difficult that Paul and Barnabas were unable to put them to silence. These Jewish legalists had the letter of the Scriptures on their side; they could point to the commandments where this was enjoined upon believers (Gen. 17:14). Paul could not point to any Scripture where it had been abrogated. If Paul could plead that Abraham was justified before he was circumcised, his antagonist could say, "Yes, but after justification the rite was divinely imposed." The brethren at Antioch decided to refer the matter to the mother church at Jerusalem. Accordingly Paul and Barnabas and others were sent as a deputation to Jerusalem.

II. The Deliberations of the Council (vv. 6-21).

1. Peter's Speech (vv. 7-11). He argued that God had borne witness to His acceptance of the Gentiles by giving the Holy Spirit to them the same as unto the Jews. Since, therefore, God had not put a difference it would be folly for them to do so. God's action in sending Peter unto them was the unanswerable proof that there was no distinction to be made.

2. Paul and Barnabas rehearse their experience (v. 12). They told how that God had set His seal of approval upon their preaching of salvation by grace through faith apart from works, by the working of signs and wonders through them.

3. The argument of James (vv. 14-21). He took the fact declared by Peter and showed how it harmonized with the prophecy of Amos. He showed that the reception of the Gentiles was not in conflict with God's plan, but in strict harmony therewith. God's plan for the ages is as follows: (1) Taking out from among the Gentiles a people for His name (v. 14). This is what is now going on—the calling out of the church. (2) After the church is completed and removed the Israelitish nation will be converted and restored to their land and privileges by the Lord himself at His return (vv. 16, 17). (3) Following this will be the conversion of the world through the agency of converted Israel (v. 17; cf. Rom. 11:15). His judgment was that the Gentiles should not be troubled with things that are Jewish, but should be warned against the perils of heathenism, such as meat offered to idols, fornication, and blood.

III. The Decision (vv. 22-29).

The mother church at Jerusalem came to a unanimous agreement and accepted the resolution offered by James. They not only sent a letter stating the decision of the conference, but took the wise precaution to send influential men along with Paul and Barnabas to bear the same testimony by word of mouth. This letter denied the authority of the Judaizing teachers (v. 24), and declared the method by which this decision had been reached (vv. 25-27).

IV. The Second Missionary Journey Begun (15:36; 16:5):

1. Contention over John Mark (vv. 36-41). Paul was suspicious of Mark because of his desertion on the former journey. Barnabas took Mark and sailed to Cyprus. Paul chose Silas and went through Syria and Cilicia confirming the churches. The Lord thus overruled it to good, for it gave an opportunity for wider dissemination of the gospel.

2. Finding Timothy (16:1-5). This was at the very place where Paul on his first journey had endured cruel stoning. Timothy was with Paul through much of his work ever afterward, a great blessing to him.

Hezekiah, the Builder.

And the rest of the acts of Hezekiah, and all his might, and how he made a pool, and a conduit, and brought water into the city, are they not written in the book of the chronicles of the kings of Judah?—II Kings 20:20.

The Pure and the Defiled.

Unto the pure all things are pure; but unto them that are defiled and unbelieving is nothing pure; but even their mind and conscience is defiled. —Titus 50:15.

1921 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Of the University of Maryland

Oct. 1.—Rutgers at New Brunswick.
Oct. 8—Syracuse at Syracuse.
Oct. 15—St. John's at home.
Oct. 22—Virginia Polytechnic at home.
Oct. 29—University of North Carolina at home.
Nov. 5—Yale at New Haven.
Nov. 12—Catholic University at Washington.
Nov. 19—Carnegie Tech at Pittsburgh
Nov. 24—Tranksgiving. North Carolina State at home.

ANOTHER REDUCTION OF CIVILIAN FORCES IN THE WAR DEPARTMENT

Washington, August. 15.—Notwithstanding the reductions which have been made in the civilian force of the War Department since March 1, Secretary of War Weeks has issued an order directing a further reduction of 22 per cent. in the civil personnel of the department to be completed by December 31, 1921. In issuing the order, Secretary Weeks said:

While appreciating the fact that from the war still exist, and provi large facilities and supplies left over sions for maintenance and protection thereof must be made, it is certain that by a better distribution and organization of civilian employees, a still greater reduction in force can be made, which if carefully studied and put into effect, will reduce the civilian personnel in each branch and department comparable to the civilian force employed prior to the war."

The reduction from March 1 to July 1 was approximately a little over 22 per cent. so that at the close of the year the War Department will be operating with 44 per cent. less civil help than it had when Secretary Weeks took charge.

WINTER OWENS TO BE SALISBURY'S POSTMASTER

The long fight over the appointment of a postmaster for Salisbury terminated Thursday when H. Winter Owens was notified that his name would be sent to the Senate by President Harding.

The selection of Mr. Owens is a signal victory for Col. Marion A. Humphreys, local republican leader, over that element of the party headed by Fred P. and E. Dale Adkins. The Adkins brothers and their friends have from the first opposed the appointment of Mr. Owens, preferring the naming of either E. Dale Adkins or Alan F. Benjamin. Col. Humphreys, however, stood by his guns and is known to have had the sympathy and support of Senator Jackson and Senator Welier. Friends of Mr. Owens had the better of the fight all the way through in that they made their entire arguments along the lines that Mr. Owens' 23 years experience in the postoffice admirably equipped him for the post and that he was entitled to the promotion as a result of his long and efficient service. His choice is an exceedingly popular one and finds favor with democrats as well as republicans.

Mr. Owens entered the postal service on July 1st, 1898, as a carrier and clerk and in 1904, was named assistant postmaster, which place he has held since. He has served under four postmasters, namely, E. S. Adkins, Marion A. Humphreys, James T. Truitt and S. K. White.

PETRIFIED BODY SAID TO WEIGH 500 POUNDS

Knoxville, Tenn., Aug.16.—Further information as to the petrified body of gigantic proportions found near Helenwood, in Scott County, Tennessee, was received here today.

Cruise Sexton of Helenwood found the "devil," as he calls it, on July 20 last while prospecting for coal. The formation was five feet under ground. It weighs something like 500 pounds.

The freak is described as having a head of abnormal size adorned by horns. Its mouth is of unusual size, with 24 prominent front teeth.

The arms are of unusual length, with enormous hands. A chain resembling an ordinary trace chain encircles the neck. Long wings of brownish color reach from the shoulders almost to the ankles. Imprint of the left hand is plainly visible on the chest. Sexton believes the object may be an image of an old tribe of Indians or cliff dwellers.

TRIED FOR THREE YEARS TO GIVE GOVERNMENT $10,000,000 HOSPITAL FOR VETERANS

Chicago, Aug.16.—The Speedway Hospital, $10,000,000 institution which for nearly three years Edward Hines, millionaire lumberman, has tried to donate to the government in memory of his son who fell in France, today housed its first quota of disabled war veterans.

Five patients were installed yesterday, and as fast as other quarters are completed along the six miles of corridors other disabled soldiers will be transferred there from Government hospitals. It is said Mr. Hines paid $200,000 in attorney fees in obtaining acceptance by the Government of the hospital, and that this was obtained on condition that it not be named after his son, Lieut. Edward Hines, Jr.

EASTON PLANT STARTS

Manufacturing Company Making Farm Machinery and Tools

The new plant of the Talbot Manufacturing Company at Easton has begun operations in its new building. Modern machinery is installed for making wheelbarrows, trucks and carts for fertilizer factories, and it is said that trailers also may be included in the line of goods.

The building is of brick, 74 to 130 feet, and contains 12,500 feet of floor space. Electric power is being used until the boiler and engine are installed. It is believed that the plant will soon be running at full capacity.

GEORGE L. MARVEL

Mr. George L. Marvel, a wellknown resident of Dorchester county, died Monday morning Aug. 8th, at his home, after an illness of over a year with complication of diseases. He was the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George L. Marvel and was 65 years of age. He is survived by his wife, who was before her marriage Mrs. Laura F. Townsend. He also leaves six children, who are: Mrs. Rufus H. Dunn, of Cambridge, Mrs. Lola A. Henry, of Preston, Mrs. Jas. A. Carroll of Secretary; Mrs. Henry H. Kreuger of East New Market, and one son, Mr. Frank Marvel, of East New Market, and nine grandchildren. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the Baptist Church, near East New Market, with interment in East New Market cemetery.

N. DAKOTA AND MONTANA NEED 8000 FARM HANDS

Northern Pacific R. R. So Estimates In Harvest Survey

St. Paul, Aug. 16.—Harvesting in North Dakota and Montana is being handicapped by a labor shortage. It is estimated that from eight to ten thousand men are needed, accordng to a survey by the Northern Pacific Railroad. The grain is fast ripening and threshing is under way in many sections. The actual yields have proved better than was expected and the quality of the grain is good.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Notice is hereby given that the levy has been made for the year 1921 as follows:

State Tax 35 1-3 cents on the $100
County Tax $1.35 on the $100
Intangible Personal Property 45 cents on the $100.

Tax bills may be obtained upon request to Treasurer on and after August 20th, 1921, and paid net until September 1st. No discount will be allowed on any bills. Interest will be added to all bills immediately after the first day of September, 1921.

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A CALL FOR A MEETING

All interested Republicans, both men and women, are requested to meet at the Court House in Denton, on Friday afternoon, August 19th, at 2 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting candidates to run on the County ticket at the November election next.

Very respectfully,
LAWRENCE B. TOWERS,
J. ALDA JACKSON,
ALFRED W. THOMPSON,
WALTER HOWARD,
Republican State Central Committee for Caroline County

M. E. CHURCHES SPENT $70,000,000 DURING YEAR 1920 FOR DIFFERENT PURPOSES

Chicago, Aug. 15.—The total ministerial support of the Methodist Episcopal Church for 1920 was $24,988,323, according to a survey made public today by Dr. C. M. Barton, of the Division of Appropriations of the Methodist Committee on Conservation and Advance. Of this amount, pastors salaries, including house rent, were $21,944,613; the District Superintendents' salarics, $1,369,2221; Bishops' salaries, $314,080; and for Conference Claimants or for preachers' pensions, $1,360,409.

For building and improvement the church spent $10,655,179; and on all indebtedness, $4,635,796; and for all current expenses, $11,210,835; a total of $51,481,123.

Centenary and other apportioned benevolences for the church were $16,089,675; woman's missionary societies and Children's Day funds, $3,073,672, a total of $19,163,344.

Dr. Barton said that this gives a total disbursement for the Methodist Episcopal Church for the above purposes in 1920 of $70,644,480.

Not many women smoke, not even those who think they are smoking.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

HARRY J. THOMAS
vs.
BLANCHE M. THOMAS

In the Circuit Court for Caroline County
In Equity

To the Honorable, the Judges of Said Court:

The object of this suit is to procure a decree for a divorce a vinculo matrimonii by Harry J. Thomas from Blanche M. Thomas.

The Bill of Complaint states that on the fifteenth day of August, Nineteen hundred and twelve, the said Harry J. Thomas and Blanche M. Thomas were married and resided in Caroline County, State of Maryland, at intervals until on or about the day of September, nineteen hundred and seventeen.

That, though the conduct of the said Harry J. Thomas toward the said Blanche M. Thomas has always been kind, affectionate and above reproach, that said Blanche M. Thomas has without just cause or reason, abandoned and deserted him and that such abandonment has continued uninterruptedly for at least three years and is deliberate and final and the separation of the parties is beyond any reason expection of reconciliation.

That the said Harry J. Thomas and Blanche M. Thomas, have no children.

That the said Blanche M. Thomas is a non resident of the State of Maryland, and that the plaintiff Harry J. Thomas is a resident of Caroline County in equity that the plaintiff by causing a copy of this order to be inserted in some newspaper printed and published in Caroline County once in each of four successive weeks before the 20th day of August, nineteen hundred and twenty-one, giving notice to said absent defendant of the object and substance of this Bill warning her to appear in this Court in person or by solicitor on or before the 7th day of September next to show cause, if any she has, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.

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THAT TASTE affords.
ONE OF the fairly.
DEPENDABLE SATISFACTIONS.
OF EVERYDAY living.
AND IT seems.
UPON LONG reflection.
THAT SATISFACTION.
COMES CLOSE to being.
THE LONG sought.
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AND POLISH to which.

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BUT IT'S a mouthful.
AS YOU'LL agree if you.
JUST PUT it into good.
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