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LESSON FOR JULY 16

THE HANDWRITING ON THE WALL.

LESSON TEXT—Dan. 5:1-31.

GOLDEN TEXT—God will bring every work into judgment, with every secret thing, whether it be good, or whether it be evil.—Eccl. 12:14.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Gen. 19:1-28; Exod. 14:21-31; Ezek. 31:1-14; Acts 12:20-23.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Daniel Tells the King of His Wrong-Doing.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Belshazzar's Feast and Fate.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Judgment Against King Alcohol.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—How to Enforce the Judgment Against Strong Drink.

I. Belshazzar's Impious Feast (vv. 1-4).

1. Who attended (vv. 1, 2). Belshazzar, his wife and concubines and a thousand of his lords.

2. Behavior thereat (vv. 3, 4). (1) They drank wine; they engaged in revelry. (2) They committed sacrilege. In their drunken revelry they drank wine out of the sacred vessels which had been taken out of the temple, of the house of God, which was at Jerusalem. When men are under the influence of intoxicating liquors they lose all regard for sacred things. (3) They worshiped idols. They prayed to gods of gold and of silver, of brass, of iron, wood and stone.

II. The Handwriting on the Wall (vv. 5-16).

1. The time of (v. 5). It occurred in the same hour in which they were engaged in their drunken revelry.

2. The effect upon the king (v. 6). He was greatly disturbed; he was seized with consternation. "The joints of his loins were loosed, and his knees smote one against another."

3. The king's behavior (vv. 7-16). (1) He called forth astrologers and soothsayers, offering rewards of gold and position (v. 7-9). Their utter inability to interpret the writing left the king even worse perplexed. (2) Daniel brought at the suggestion of the queen (vv. 10-16). The queen here was perhaps the wife of Nebuchadnezzar who remembered Daniel's service in interpreting his dream. For that reason he was sent for and promised great reward.

III. Daniel Interprets the Writing (vv. 17-28).

1. Daniel's address to the king (vv. 17-24). He brushes aside his promised gifts (v. 17). He would not have his speech limited by the king's gifts.

2. The interpretation of the writing (vv. 25-28). (1) "Mene" means "numbered" (v. 26). "God hath numbered thy kingdom and finished it." (2) "Tekel" means "weighed" (v. 27). "Thou art weighed in the balances, and art found wanting." (3) "Peres" means "divided" (v. 28). "Thy kingdom is divided, and given to the Medes and Persians."

IV. The Judgment Executed (vv. 29-31).

In that night was Belshazzar slain and Darius the Medean took the kingdom.

The Chaldean dynasty ended with Belshazzar. So we may interpret this whole scene as pointing to the conditions at the close of the times of the Gentiles and as adumbrating the prevailing conditions. Let us note:

1. The stupidity of men. They, like people today, would not learn by example. Nebuchadnezzar's fate should have deterred Belshazzar from such frivolity.

2. The magnificent splendor. This great feast was characterized by pomp, display, parade. How characteristic of this age!

3. Luxury. The famous hanging gardens of Babylon were a noteworthy example. Signs of luxury today are on every hand.

4. Licentiousness. The king with his wives and concubines. This is notoriously prevalent today.

5. Blasphemous sacrilege. And may not the sacrilege of today be in excess of theirs, expessing itself in (1) a profession of religion for pecuniary gain, social and political preferment; (2) use of the pulpit and of the ministry for display and notoriety, even for the propagation of false doctrine; (3) uniting with the church, attending the communion, so as to cover up secret sins; (4) the use of the Word of God to give point to a joke; (5) denying that the Bible is God's Word, making it a book of errors, myths and legends; (6) sneering at the Virgin birth, repudiating Christ's deity and setting aside His vicarious atonement.

6. Drunken carousals. The handwriting is on the wall. God will not endure this forever; His judgment shall fall. Conditions in the world indicate that the time is drawing near. Are you ready?

Aspiration.

What we truly aspire to be, that in some sense we are. The mere aspiration, by changing the frame and spirit of the mind, for the moment realizes itself.—Mrs. Jameson.

Binds Volume of the Week.

Sunday is the golden clasp that binds together the volume of the week.—Longfellow.

Injuries.

Slight small injuries and they become none at all.—Fuller.

HOBBS

Mr. William Stafford spent the week end visiting friends in Marcus Hook.

Mrs. William Kirby and daughter Julia spent a part of the first of the week in Baltimore.

Mr. George Henry, Mr. Dock Wooters and sons George and Floyd went on a crabbing party at Narrows and came back much pleased with their success.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Butlers of Tuckahoe Neck.

Miss Kitty Davis of Federalsburg was the visitor of Miss Esther Willey.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Stafford were visitors on Wednesday af Mr. Staffords' sister, Mrs. Mary Dukes, at Concord.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Hartzel and parents were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Williams on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Stafford have as their guest this week Mrs. Stafford's sister, Miss Esther Kitchen of Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Henry were Andersontown visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wheatley of Federalsburg were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Trice on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John mith of Baltimore spent the week end with his sister, Mrs. W. H.Kirby.

VERNON

Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cain upon their recent marriage.

Miss Gertrude Coverdale and friend of Norristown, Pa., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Coverdale.

Miss Olevia Warren will teach Anderson's school.

Mrs. W. H. Smith and daughter Ann are on a two month's trip to North Carolina with the Misses Anderson.

A large number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Thomas and gave their son Robert and his bride, of Wilmington, a rousing reception and serenade on Wednesday evening. Music was rendered and delicious refreshments served. Over one hundred guests were present. All had a delightful time. The happy young couple went to Washington on their wedding trip. They will reside in Wilmington.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Wesley Ross have been visiting friends in Denton, Dover and Greenwood. While in Denton the latter was the guest of Mrs. J. L. Everngam at her home on Fifth avenue.

In a recent electrical storm Mrs. Mary Lizzie Hughes had her house struck by lightning, and Willis Butler had his cow killed. The members of each house were stunned.

Miss Alberta Stevens of Frederica is spending two months with Mrs. Alberta Ross. She has also entertained a number of other guests recently.

Miss Reba Todd of Chester spent the week end with Mrs. Todd.

Prospect Sunday School picnicked with Mrs. McCloskey.

Mrs. Mick has resigned as eighth grade teacher of Harrington and will teach at Laws.

Mr. and Mrs. Cheezum and children of Denton, Mr. and Mrs. Fortney and daughter and Mrs. R. W. Ross have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ross.

A new, up-to-date colored school is being built at Williamsville.

Professor Wilbur H. Jump, our assistant superintendent, is attending Columbia.

Doctors Halloway, Stahl and Shilling have returned from the N. E. A. at Boston.

The Ladies Aid of Bethel will meet with Mrs. L. Bradley at Greenwood.

There is talk of having a meeting at Bethel and revival will be held there in September.

Mrs. Thomas Hudson has removed from near Denton to Wilmington.

J. P. Judy is attending Delaware University. Mrs. Alice Ross has been invited to attend the intellectual feast at Delaware.

Mrs. Thomas Clancey entertained her S. S. class recently. Radio and victrola music, delicious refreshments and games were features of the evening.

Mrs. Virgie Layton has made a fine teacher at Thomas' school.

HENDERSON

Mrs. Roscoe Taylor and children, and Miss Katie Sweeny of Philadelphia are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sweeny.

Mrs. William McCleary of Leipsic, Del., has returned home after spending a few days with her cousin, Mrs. T. Alda Montague.

Miss Lillian Meredith is visiting friends in Wilmington, Del.

Mr. Milton Dill of Dover is visiting his mother, Mrs. R. H. Dill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Phillips of Dover are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alston Long

Miss Catherine Melvin is attending summer school at State Normal, Towson, Md.

Miss Olivia Coffin of Denton was a week end visitor at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Frank Gough.

Mrs. J. F. Quillen was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Killen, of near Felton, on Sunday.

Miss Edith Palmatory has returned home after spending several days with Miss Elsie Walls.

Miss Evelyn Scotton, of Hartley, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Griffin.

HARMONY

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Murphy and Mr. Murphy's mother of Hobbs were the guests of Mrs. Murphy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Todd, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dunaho visited the latter's parents in Cambridge on Sunday, Mrs. Dunaho remaining for the week. Her father is very ill with cancer.

Mrs. McConnell and son Earl were Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Butler's guests on Sunday.

Mrs. Ada Wood and son Arthur of Galena are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al Willis.

The Ladies Aid was splendidly entertained by Mrs. Pliny Todd. Ice cream and cake were served in abundance and all had a fine time. They adjourned at a late hour and will meet at Mrs. Ray Dean's in September, omitting the August meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomas, Mr. Olan Thomas and wife visited Mr. and Mrs. Carol Warner in Talbot on last Sunday.

Butter beans are on the bill of fare.

SMITHVILLE

Mr. G. H. Williamson and son L. F. have purchased a wheat threshing rig of late but are not very successful in its operation.

Mrs. Flossy Lord of Baltimore has been visiting Mrs. E. M. Williamson the past week and returned to Baltimore on Saturday night.

Mrs. Horace Robinson is attending summer school at the present, preparing herself for fall teaching, when she expects to take charge of Smithville school again.

The farmers of this vicinity have been harvesting a large number of apples for the past two weeks, but the net proceeds have been very small.

The wheat crops of this vicinity are getting in bad shape due to the heavy fall of rain and hot weather. It has begun to grow pretty green from the cap bunches.

We are glad to say Mr. Raymond Meredith is able to be with us again. He has recovered from the injuries he received some time ago.

Mr. Joish Smith started threshing wheat last Saturday, but due to the rain late in the day and other circumstances did not get very far advanced.

Mr. Paul Meredith and family and Mr. Calvin Scott and family took a trip to Bowers Beach on the 4th, but enjoyed more rain than sunshine.

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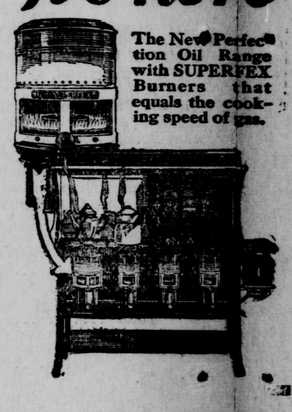

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Wrestling with the co-operation bug is all right, but if we don't look out, he'll have us gaspin' on the mat. It's all very well for a fellow to work just a little harder than the other fellow, but if the other fellow does the same, where's the advantage? Same with the early worm business. If the bird get up earlier than the worm then it's all off with Mr. Worm. We can cut down cost by co-operation, but if we cut down cost to lower profit an' get less, where do we get off? There's lots of schemes that work out well for a fellow as long as the other fellow sleeps. Before co-operation will work out properly, we'll have to co-operate with the best that's in ourselves, or we'll all go up the flue.

APPLE JACK PHILOSOPHY

It ain't no use to set around an' twiddle with yer thumbs—There's got to be some pressure, if the sweetest cider comes. . . . It ain't no use to speckalate the golden days away, when the medders is awaitin' fer attention to the hay. . . . There's no relief in droolin' out a dark expanse of hours, when every crick is singin' to a border-line of flowers. . . . You can grind the juiciest apple till it's most as fine as crumbs, but you got to put the pressure on, afore the cider comes.

A little bit of squeezin' helps the mortal sole a lot, when the world around is callin' fer the very best it's got.—The life of ease is pleasant, but the sober thinker knows that we get the finest cider from the apple when it's squoze. . . . So it's hardly right to grumble when yer circumstances press—for the drippin' nectar tells us what the apple wuz, I guess—And I'd ruther be a pippin that can stand the hearty squeeze, than to be a wormy seedlin' that dries up on the trees.

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