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REVIVALS AND HOW TO SECURE THEM

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TEXT—Wilt thou not revive us again?—Ps. 85-5

The word revival is associated in many minds with unpleasant recollections. It suggests a season of great excitement...



INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR OCTOBER 15

APPEAL TO CAESAR.

LESSON TEXT—Acts 25 (vv. 1-12). GOLDEN TEXT—It is enough for the disciple that he be as his teacher, and the servant as his Lord.—Math. 23:23

Teachers ought to urge their scholars to read Chapters 24, 25 and 26 thoroughly, and with the use of a map locate the places mentioned. The date of this lesson is A. D. 50, and it occurred at the crisis of the events which determined the way Paul should go to Rome...

I. Paul in the Prison at Caesarea (vv. 1-6). Paul was worn out, badly in need of rest, and is given during this imprisonment much freedom. He was accompanied by Luke, his physician, and probably some of his other friends...

That the spirit does move upon a church or community at times in an unusual manner cannot be denied. In place of apathy and indifference we behold attention and interest. God's word seems attractive, God's house is thronged night after night regardless of the weather or the season of the year...

Objection 1. It awakens excitement. What if it does? Excitement is a good thing if the object be a worthy one, and the conversion of lost men and women is certainly a worthy object. Business men try constantly to interest people in their stock of goods...

Objection 2. It does not last long. That may be true in some cases, but the merchant does not stop booming his business because he knows the boom will not last long...

Why Are Revivals Necessary? Why does a dying plant need water and sunshine? Because it hasn't strength enough to hold its head up and must have outside help...

When May a Revival Be Expected? When God's people desire a revival and are willing to comply with the conditions. God's always willing but his people are not...

These two passages seem to teach clearly that God's people can have a revival whenever they are willing to do their duty as the word requires, and claim God's promise. Oh for a revival in every heart, and home, and church in our land!

Temperance

RAISES STANDARD OF LIVING.

Miss Gertrude Valle, executive secretary of the bureau of charity and corrections, says in the Denver News:

"We have been asked many times whether prohibition has had any effect on the work of the city relief office. We feel that it has very greatly helped us. The number of families asking relief from the city office has been about a hundred a month less than for the corresponding month last year."

"Most of that difference is accounted for in the employment problem. We have had very much less trouble with unemployment this year than last. That may not be due to prohibition, but at least, prohibition has not created a hard unemployment problem, as some people anticipated. We can recall only two cases in which relief has been asked because the man had been thrown out of employment by the closing of the saloons."

PROHIBITION BENEFITS MILKMAN. A Massachusetts man, investigating the dairy business in Denver, found that during the first four months under state prohibition there was an increase in milk sales of over \$21,000. One dairy had a milk route in a district where 47 saloons had been its best customers...

BEER DRINKER AND HIS FAMILY. It is difficult to find a heavy beer drinker 40 years of age with a normal liver, kidneys or heart, says Dr. D. H. Kress. "These vital organs, from the excessive burden that is thrown upon them, wear out prematurely. The beer drinker may have an inferior quality of flesh, but it is of abundant quality. Surgeons do not care to operate upon him, because the chances of recovery are minimized."

GOOD BEGINNING. Alabama's state-wide prohibition law went into effect July 1. Saloons in Birmingham closed their doors at eleven o'clock the night of June 30. A dispatch reporting the business of the recorder's court of that city for the morning of July 3, says there was not a single case of drunkenness nor assault and battery on the docket, the first instance of this sort within at least four years and the clerk thinks he is within the truth in stating that the period is more likely eleven years, it was the lightest docket that the clerk can remember.

VOTE FOR MEN. A woman with a drinking husband used to wash for a living. When a petition was presented to her, asking that women might vote, the overworked woman cried out "Good gracious! Have we even got to do the voting for the men?"

LAST AND FIRST. The last to be freed, The first to be freed, The drinker.

DECREASE DISEASE. Dr. Richard C. Cabot of Boston, chief of the medical staff of the Massachusetts General hospital, and one of the most distinguished physicians in the United States, says: "Abolish alcohol and you will cut disease in half."

DRY TAX RATE. "The tax rate of 11.5 mills in dry Spokane does the work of 13 mills under saloon rule."—Charles M. Fassett, Commissioner of Public Utilities, Spokane, Wash.

DRINKERS VOTE DRY. "A lot of men who drink whisky won't vote for it," declares a labor journal. This fact has been amply demonstrated in campaign states where thousands among the laboring men who had suffered most in body and purse from the ravages of drink improved the first opportunity to strike the blow for their own freedom.

PERTINENT QUESTION. If prohibition is a failure, why do not the dry states go back into the wet column?

Open and Shut. "Is there an opening here for a bright, energetic young man?" "Yes; an' close it as you go out."—Judge.

Important to Mothers. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, and see that it bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher In Use for Over 30 Years. Children Cry for Fletcher's Castoria

Putting Him Wise. "What road leads to success?" asked the very young man. "Any road that is macadamized with grit and sand," replied the Shelbyville sage.

Difference of Tastes. "I wish you would go on a pleasure expedition with me tomorrow, Mr. Comeup." "Can't do it; I'm going on a fishing party."

In the near future wireless apparatus will be installed in all important police stations.

When Work Is Hard. That kidney troubles are so common in due to the strain put upon the kidneys in so many occupations, such as: Jarring and jolting on railroads, etc. Cramp and strain as in barbering, mounding, heavy lifting, etc. Exposure to changes of temperature in iron furnaces, refrigerators, etc. Dampness as in tanneries, quarries, mines, etc. Inhaling poisonous fumes in painting, printing and chemical shops. Doan's Kidney Pills are the best for strengthening weak kidneys.

A Pennsylvania Case. Peter F. Sellers, 1118 Kirkpatrick, A. V. e., Braddock, Pa., says: "My back was so stiff I couldn't stoop and I often had had dizzy spells with spots before my eyes. The doctor's medicine didn't relieve me and finally he suggested an operation. I used Doan's Kidney Pills instead and they made a complete and lasting cure."

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JAPAN WILL HELP CHINA

Will Float Big Loan Chinese Financiers Failed to Get in This Country.

Japan is preparing to lend \$30,000,000 to China. This is the result of the failure of China to float a loan in New York. Like ourselves, the Japanese have made money out of the war and are able to extend credit to other countries. This loan will strengthen Japan's influence in China, but we have no right to object. We would not help China. Those who say Japan will dominate China and that trade will follow money are probably right. We can learn something from Japan.

Just as China is within Japan's sphere of influence so is all Latin America within our sphere of influence. We have no designs on our neighbors other than our desire to trade with them and to have peace in this hemisphere. Most of the Latin-American republics need money quite as much as China does. We have more available capital than any other country, perhaps more than all other nations combined. The United States is the only place where sufficient money can be found at present to meet the requirements of Latin America. If we invest money we will secure trade just as we expect Japan to do in China. Instead of weeping about lost opportunities in the Orient let us improve our own in the Americas. No complications with other Great Powers about open doors and spheres of influence need be feared in this hemisphere and our exporters will find fewer difficulties in the languages and trade customs. Losing a chance in China is a good reason for not losing others in the Americas.—New York Commercial.

Out Comes the Truth. "I suppose," said Singleton, "that you were deeply touched when your wife presented you with this easy chair on your birthday anniversary." "I sure was," replied Wedderly, "but I was touched for fifty dollars to pay for it."

Had It Over Washington. First Thinker—There's one way I have it over Washington. Second Thinker—I'm your friend, so I'll listen to it. First Thinker—He couldn't tell a lie, I can.

South China has no railways.

Adds to the Joy of Living—

It isn't alone the deliciously sweet nut-like taste of Grape-Nuts that has made the food famous, though taste makes first appeal, and goes a long way. But with the zestful flavor there is in Grape-Nuts the entire nutriment of finest wheat and barley. And this includes the rich mineral elements of the grain, necessary for vigorous health—the greatest joy of life.

Every table should have its daily ration of Grape-Nuts

WHITE PINE IS IN PERIL

Blister Rust in the East Has Caused Heavy Ravages in Timber.

The present is a gloomy hour for the forestry enthusiasts, especially in the eastern states, where so much reliance is being placed upon the white pine as the tree par excellence for pickled and pickled. Last year's discoveries in Massachusetts of the dread blister rust of Europe led other states to investigate within their borders. The active and well organized co-operative effort that is now being made by the federal department of agriculture and the officers of the several states whose timber interests are involved indicates the seriousness with which they regard the situation. Since their work for the control of the disease began in the early summer it has become apparent that while Massachusetts is beyond question dangerously infected in certain sections, other states, whose officers regarded their territory as relatively free, are, in fact, no better off than we. All New England is on the fever map, and even Wisconsin and Minnesota investigators have lately turned up infection.

Nothing so effective as Elixin Balm for Chills and Fever. Chief of Police, J. W. Reynolds, Newport News, Va., says: "It is a pleasure to recommend Habek for chills and fever. Have used it when necessary for 25 years and have found no remedy as effective." Elixin Balm 50 cts. in all drug stores, or by Parcel Post, irretrievable, from Kioscoff & Co., Washington, D. C. A Good Home—Habek Liver Pills, 50 pills 50 cents

Dark Accusation. "Did you see where a man some where accused his wife in court of lighting the gas with two-dollar bills?" "Well, I don't blame him for getting land, if she made light of his earnings that way."

CHINA WANTS OUR GOODS. American Manufacturers Are Meeting Favorable Reception at Hands of Orientals.

The Chinese are beginning distinctly to favor American goods and regard America as a model from a manufacturing as well as governmental viewpoint, according to Maurice Benjamin, general manager of the Oliver Import and Export company, Shanghai, China. In spite of the famine in freight, he says, American manufacturers are not only gradually finding their way into China, but are being bought by the Orientals.

The tremendous disturbances in Europe have not failed to leave traces in China, he said. "In this high freight rates have played no small part. China wonders why so large a portion as America should have no mercantile marine. In some lines where only \$10 per ton was paid before the war for transportation from the United States west coast to China, as much as \$40 per ton has recently been paid. "I believe the day is not far distant when we will see a new China. When the 400,000,000 people there begin to want machinery, railways and other requirements of civilization, America will benefit. It is a common error to think that the Chinese are too inveterately conservative to adopt Western civilization. The cost of living of Chinese in towns where there are Europeans has probably doubled in the last few years."

Nicaragua is heavily increasing tariff duties. Manchester, England, has a glass bottle famine.

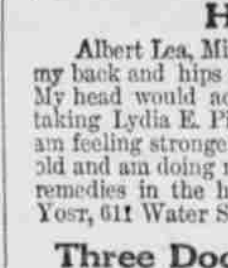
Women Once Invalids

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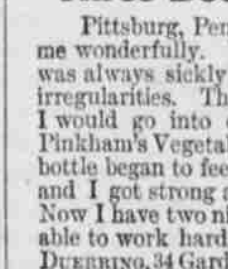
All women ought to know the wonderful effects of taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound even on those who seem hopelessly ill. Here are three actual cases:



Harrisburg, Penn.—"When I was single I suffered a great deal from female weakness because my work compelled me to stand all day. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for that and was made stronger by its use. After I was married I took the Compound again for a female trouble and after three months I passed what the doctor called a growth. He said it was a miracle that it came away as one generally goes under the knife to have them removed. I never want to be without your Compound in the house."—Mrs. FRANK KNOEL, 1642 Fulton St., Harrisburg, Penn.



Hardly Able to Move. Albert Lea, Minn.—"For about a year I had sharp pains across my back and hips and was hardly able to move around the house. My head would ache and I was dizzy and had no appetite. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills, I am feeling stronger than for years. I have a little boy eight months old and am doing my work all alone. I would not be without your remedies in the house as there are none like them."—Mrs. F. E. YOST, 611 Water St., Albert Lea, Minn.



Three Doctors Gave Her Up. Pittsburg, Penn.—"Your medicine has helped me wonderfully. When I was a girl 13 years old I was always sickly and delicate and suffered from irregularities. Three doctors gave me up and said I would go into consumption. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and with the third bottle began to feel better. I soon became regular and I got strong and shortly after I was married. Now I have two nice stout healthy children and am able to work hard every day."—Mrs. CLEMENTINA DUEHRING, 34 Gardner St., Troy Hill, Pittsburg, Penn.

All women are invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special advice.—it will be confidential.

Meudon in Wartime. Meudon, the gay Meudon of trysts and moonlight promenades, has been transformed into a military camp. The station platform is crowded with uniformed soldiers of all branches; men on furlough in their suits of faded blue like dirty water, showing white pride holes torn in their coats by rifle bullets, convalescents wearing the old red pantaloons, used only by those behind the fighting line, often with one leg folded up; Zouaves, whose baggy trousers, formerly blood-red, have now changed to an earthly color; Belgians in long brown coats, who never smile, and British Tommies spick and span as if they had just stepped from a bandbox.

Grapes for the King. It is reported that the king's grape vine at Windsor, in the gardens near Cumberland Lodge, is doing well this year and is likely to yield more than 300 bunches. Planted in 1775, it is 120 feet in length and 20 feet in width. The most remarkable vine in Europe, however, is the famous vine at Hampton Court, from which this is a cutting. This was planted in 1768 and still yields abundantly.

Dr. Perry's "DEAD SHOT" is an effective medicine for Worms or Tapeworm in adults or children. One dose is sufficient and no supplemental purge necessary.—Adv.

A Broad Hint. There was a pretty girl at Brighton to whom a young man was saying good-by. "Good-by," he said. "Good-by. Tomorrow we shall be miles and miles apart." The girl looked at the blue sea, and her lip curled. "Miles and miles, eh?" she said. "Well, we're not very close now."—London Opinion.

Exactly So. "How much did the old miser leave behind him?" "Everything he had."

Misguided Optimism. "Biggins' wife is an optimist." "How do you know?" "Biggins told me. When she heard there was going to be a street railway strike she congratulated him because he wouldn't have to catch a car."

The baby seal, being snow white, is invisible on the ice, one of the protective provisions of nature.

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