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In 1914 Japan exported 9,000,000 pencils and in 1916 the number had been increased to 168,000,000.

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Wattle Bark Valuable. Quantities of the bark of the South African wattle tree have been imported into the United Kingdom from Natal in recent years, but most of it prior to the war was exported to Germany and Belgium.

Man Who Don't Count. "A man that don't look out for nobody but 'number one,'" said Uncle Eben, "cuts a mighty small figure."

To find the square feet within a circle, multiply the square of the diameter by .7854.

An effective system for treating gout with electricity has been developed by a German physician.

An alarm clock which awakens deaf sleepers by jarring their beds has been invented in Germany.

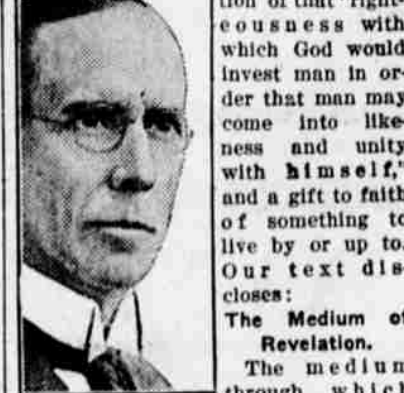
The free mail sent out by congressmen amounts to seven tons a day.

Faith in Action

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TEXT—For therein is the righteousness of God revealed from faith to faith: as it is written, the just shall live by faith.—Romans 1:17. (Read also verse 16.)

The Gospel is not only "the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth," but also a revelation of "righteousness with which God would invest man in order that man may come into likeness and unity with himself," and a gift to faith of something to live by or up to. Our text discloses:



The medium of Revelation. The medium through which man receives God's revelation is faith. Man discovers material things through the medium of the senses: sight, hearing, touch, taste, smell. The whole world is open for discovery to the man who possesses intact his five senses.

The Manner of Revelation. A righteousness of God is revealed "from faith unto faith." The garments of righteousness are fully described and offered to man in the Gospel. God is ready to invest man with all that his faith will appropriate.

It is faith which receives the power of God unto salvation. This faith is the starting point in the development of Christian character and if we are apt in learning the lessons of faith we pass on in its practice from faith unto faith, until we pass into a faith which makes Christ real to the soul in every hour of need, and which brings the endowment of power for service. The text further makes plain:

The Meaning of Revelation. The righteousness of God revealed in the Gospel is offered to man's faith as something to lay hold of and live up to. By his faith he appropriates much or little. "The just shall live by his faith." There is no limit in the development of man's spiritual life and no limit to his achievement in Christian service, if only he will exercise faith. If man has but meager faith and will live up to it, he will acquire more faith in the process, and acquiring more faith will grow in spiritual grace and usefulness. The trouble is most people live up to their doubts rather than up to their faith.

I was adding once in a canvass for funds to establish a Crittenden Rescue Home. Calling up a rich member of my congregation, I presented the cause. He said: "I doubt if even God can do much for a fallen woman. I doubt if such a creature is ever reclaimed. The enterprise does not appeal to me." So he declined to make a contribution. He lived squarely up to his doubts.

I called also upon a young business man of moderate means and presented the cause. He replied: "Yes! Yes! I will contribute. God only can help such unfortunate creatures. I believe that such rescue work is one of the most Christlike and effectual missions of the church." He gave \$500. He lived up to his faith.

Knowing of the waywardness and moral peril of a young man in my parish, I called on his mother to ask help and prayer in behalf of her son. She said: "I doubt if he is as bad as you think. I cannot feel that he is in any great peril." She lived up to her doubts. No home influences were released to save him. Less than a year later he was found dead in a brothel, having died in a drunken debauch.

Mother's Prayer is Answered. Some years ago a great union meeting was conducted by Sam Jones and George Stewart in the city where I was a pastor. One night Mr. Jones stepped to the front of the platform and read this telegram: "Temple, Tex. Please pray for my boy Tom. He is in your city a prodigal from God. Am pouring out my heart in prayer. Will claim the victory. (Signed) His Mother." Before Mr. Jones could resume his seat, a tall young man rose and said, "That is my name, that is my mother. Yes, sir, I was a terrible sinner; I have broken my mother's heart and the heart of my poor young wife, and I have blighted the life of our little girl. But this afternoon about the time this message left Temple, I was yonder in the paragonage with the preacher, calling upon God for mercy, and he graciously forgave my sins and saved me by his grace." His mother lived up to her faith and won her boy back to God. "The just shall live up to his faith." By this means alone can faith live and have its full fruitage.

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR JUNE 23 JESUS TRIUMPHANT OVER DEATH.

LESSON TEXT—Mary 16:1-20. GOLDEN TEXT—Now is Christ risen from the dead.—I Corinthians 15:20. ADDITIONAL MATERIAL—FOR TEACHERS—Matthew 28:1-9; Luke 24:1-12; John 20:1-15; I Corinthians 15:1-58; I Thessalonians 4:13-18.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus' power over death.—Mark 16:4-7. INTERMEDIATE TOPIC—The living Christ. SENIOR AND ADULT TOPIC—Christ's resurrection and the Christian's assurance of immortality.

1. The Ministry of Love (vv. 1-4). 1. By whom (v. 1). Mary Magdalene, the mother of James and Salome.

2. When (v. 2). Early in the morning, the first day of the week. (3) Their perplexity (vv. 3, 4). They questioned as to who should roll away the large stone from the mouth of the tomb. To their surprise they found the stone removed. They, like us, find their difficulties are removed before they come to them. If they had believed him, their anxieties and sorrows would not have been.

11. The Angel in the Tomb (vv. 5-8). Jesus knew that these women would come to the sepulcher with unbelieving hearts, so he had an angel waiting there to announce to them the fact of his resurrection. How many times we are helped out of doubts and difficulties by an angel which the omniscient Lord knew would be needed at a particular time. With such companions and helpers no place need seem lonely, and no condition need fright us. The angel's message:

1. "Be not affrighted" (v. 6). What comforting words these must have been to these bewildered women. The open tomb is the cure for fear; it stilled our hearts when things look dark and we do not understand.

2. "Ye seek Jesus of Nazareth, who was crucified" (v. 6). This three-fold designation with marvelous clearness shows:

(1) His humanity—Jesus. (2) Lowly residence—Nazareth. (3) Ignominious death—crucified. (4) He is risen; he is not here; behold the place where they laid him" (v. 6).

These words throw light upon his birth, humility and shameful death. He who was born in lowly circumstances, and suffered the shameful death of the cross, is now the conqueror of death. His resurrection gives meaning to his death. If Christ had not risen, then his death would have been meaningless. "If Christ be not risen, your faith is vain; ye are in your sins" (I Cor. 15:17).

4. "Go your way, tell his disciples and Peter" (v. 7). As soon as it was known that Christ had risen from the dead, they were to tell it to the disciples. Knowledge of Christ's triumph involves the responsibility of witnessing concerning it. The disciples all needed this blessed news, but Peter especially since he had so openly denied him. Wonderful grace, this!

5. "He goeth before you into Galilee; there shall ye see him" (v. 7). Christ had told the disciples that he would arise from the dead and meet them in Galilee, but their unbelief kept them from this blessed truth. There are many today who are in blind unbelief as to Christ's second coming in glory to take his disciples to himself. Many will be in more confusion and fear when he comes than were these disciples. Oh, that men would remember his words, "I will come again," and be ready when he comes!

III. The Appearance of the Risen Christ (vv. 9-14). These appearances had as their object the restoration of the disciples from their awful failure and discouragement and the convincing them, without the peradventure of a doubt, of Christ's resurrection. Since his resurrection was to be the central theme of apostolic preaching, it was necessary that they have certainty of knowledge as to this matter (Acts 1:3). Without the resurrection of Christ, his death would be meaningless. Out of the ten or more appearances, Mark selects three.

1. To Mary Magdalene (vv. 9-11). Mary's heart responded to the Saviour's gracious deliverance of her from demons. Her sufferings were no doubt terrible. She is the first to the tomb. Her devotion is amply rewarded by being the first to meet the risen Lord. Light will surely come to the heart that really loves the Lord, though the faith is weak. She went at once and told the sorrowing disciples, but they refused to believe.

2. To two disciples on the way to Emmaus (vv. 12, 13). Luke gives full particulars concerning this appearance. Jesus had walked, talked, and eaten with them, convincing them that the Lord is risen indeed (Luke 24:13-35). The testimony of such is trustworthy.

Christ appeared to them while sitting at meat, and reproved them for their disbelief, "because they believed not them which had seen him after he was risen." The fact that they stubbornly resisted the testimony that Christ had risen, and afterwards were willing to risk their lives in the proclamation of this truth, is strengthening to our faith.

3. To the eleven disciples (v. 14). IV. The Commission of the Risen Lord (vv. 15-18). After the disciples were convinced of the truth of his resurrection, Christ sent them forth to "preach the Gospel to every creature."

The supreme duty of Christians today is to fulfill this commission. What a glorious and supreme task is this! "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned" (v. 16).

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Generous Kid. "Books are wanted for the soldiers, Tommy." "I got a nice arithmetic they kin have."

Higher Still. "He's a king among men." "That's nothing. My daughter knows an American aviator who is an ace."

Paradoxical. Teacher (severely)—Willie, why do you flit from one foot to the other? Willie—Why—or, teacher; I can't stand standing, 'rhaps.

Too Cautious. "Did the bride's father give her away?" "No; he was too anxious to get her off his hands."

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Peru Was First. Peru was the first country to add instruction in aviation to its public school curriculum.

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You men who work long hours in the fields under a blazing sun—you've got to be big eaters, because your food is your strength, and now, more than ever, your strength is badly needed. So guard your health. Be sure and watch your stomach, for in the summer time nearly all illness can be traced to stomach and bowel complaint. You, yourself, know how liable a man is to be stricken if he goes in the hot sun too soon after eating a hearty mid-day meal, and also how liable he is to sudden attacks of stomach miseries. So cool off in the shade before going back to work. Don't take chances.

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Your health—your folks' health—is a matter of vital importance, not only to yourself, but also to the nation. And you know one can't be too careful of one's stomach and bowels during the hot spells.

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A Paper Controller. Great Britain now has its Paper Controller, concerning whose identity there has been a flutter of excitement in the publishing and newspaper worlds. There is, however, very much less talk and less fuss about the advent of this new official than there was over the subject of the introduction of food rationing, although the innovation is capable of having much greater effects on the life of the country than the mere reduction of the consumption of certain food supplies. H. A. Vernet, on whom it has devolved, is a director of the Underground Electric Railways company.

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