



The Wreck of Faith

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TEXT—When the son of man cometh, shall he find faith on the earth?—Luke 18:8.

These words have been interpreted as meaning that when Jesus Christ returns to this world that he will find no faith. They have been interpreted as being simply an inquiry, because of the teachings of the Bible and present world conditions as to faith at that time. In either case we have a wreck in view, whether real or imaginary.



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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

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LESSON FOR OCTOBER 27

ISAAC'S MARRIAGE TO REBECCA.

LESSON TEXT—Genesis 24. GOLDEN TEXT—Let not mercy and truth forsake thee: . . . So shalt thou find favor and good understanding in the sight of God and man.—Proverbs 3:3-4.

DEVOTIONAL READING—Ephesians 6:2-3; 1 Thessalonians 4:13-15. ADDITIONAL MATERIAL FOR TEACHERS—Genesis 25:19-34; Proverbs 31:10-31.

I. Abraham's Solicitude for a Wife for Isaac (vv. 1-9). He knew that Isaac's success in life would much depend upon what kind of a wife he should have.

Faith may be understood as the body of Christian truth given once for all in the first century, embracing the fundamentals of our Christian system—the infallibility of the Holy Scriptures, the deity of Christ, the lost state of man by nature, the only hope of recovery by the atonement of Christ on the cross, etc.

1. The Servant's Oath (vv. 2-4). Abraham committed to his trusted servant the matter of securing a wife for Isaac; therefore, he made him swear that he would go to Abraham's country and kindred to get a wife for him.

2. The Extent of the Servant's Responsibility (vv. 5, 8). Before the servant would take the oath he must have clearly defined the extent of his responsibility. If the woman would refuse the invitation, the servant would be clear of responsibility.

3. The Servant's Helper (v. 8). Abraham assured him that God would send his angel to make the mission successful. The servant found this to be true. God sends his Holy Spirit to make the message of the minister successful.

11. The Servant's Obedience (vv. 10-19). These were to carry presents to the bride, and to conduct her and her companions back to his master.

2. His Prayer for Guidance (vv. 12-14). He asked that the Lord would guide him to the woman whom he had chosen for Isaac.

3. His Prayer Answered (vv. 15-27). Before he had done praying, the answer was realized to be in the process of fulfillment.

4. The Servant's Message (vv. 33-49). The Lord had prospered the old servant's way. He now was face to face with Rebecca. Supper was ready, but the delivery of his message was more important to him than eating when he was hungry.

11. Rebecca's Glorious Decision, (v. 55). When the decision was referred to Rebecca she said, "I will go." Good judgment would not allow her to refuse nor delay.

V. The Meeting of Isaac and Rebecca (vv. 64-67). Isaac was waiting for the return of the servant with the woman who was to be his wife.

Majesty of Scripture. The majesty of Scripture strikes me with admiration, as the purity of the Gospel has its influence on my heart.

Teachings of Scriptures. The Scriptures teach us the best way of living, the noblest way of suffering and the most comfortable way of dying.—Flavel.

When I pray I talk to God, but when I read the Bible God is talking to me; and it is really more important that God should speak to me than that I should speak to him.

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Temperance Notes

(Conducted by the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union.)

LINCOLN ON THE TEMPERANCE REVOLUTION.

An early speech of Abraham Lincoln, says a magazine writer, "does not appear to have been quoted as often as some others. One wonders why." Speaking in Fourth of July vein, Lincoln said:

"Of our political revolution of 1776 we are all justly proud. It has given us a degree of political freedom, far exceeding that of any other of the nations of the earth."

"Turn now," he proceeded, "to the temperance revolution, in it we shall find a stronger bondage broken, a wider slavery unannulled, a greater tyrant deposed. In it more of want supplied, more disease healed, more sorrow assuaged. By it no orphans starving, no widows weeping. If by none wounded in feeling, none injured in interest. Even the drammaker, and dramseller, will have glided into other occupations so gradually as never to have felt the shock of change, and will stand ready to join all others in the universal song of gladness."

NEVER AGAIN! "Nothing could be more unjust to labor than to represent it as wanting the saloon or its vicious association," says the Anniston (Ala.) Star.

"The present generation," said the surgeon general, "has been spoiled by having had expert medical and nursing care readily available."

"Every person who feels sick and appears to be developing an attack of influenza should at once be put to bed in a well-ventilated room."

"If the patient is feverish a doctor should be called, and this should be done in any case if the patient appears very sick, or coughs up pinkish (blood-stained) sputum, or breathes rapidly and painfully."

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DOCTORS CALLED WITHOUT CAUSE

Imperative That Physicians and Nurses Not Be Summoned Unless Necessary.

PROPER CARE OF PATIENTS

Surgeon General Blue Tells What to Do for Persons Sick With Spanish Influenza—Use of Gauze Masks Recommended.

Washington.—In an effort to reduce unnecessary calls on the over-worked physicians throughout the country because of the present epidemic of influenza, Surgeon General Blue of the United States public health service calls upon the people of the country to learn something about the home care of patients ill with influenza.

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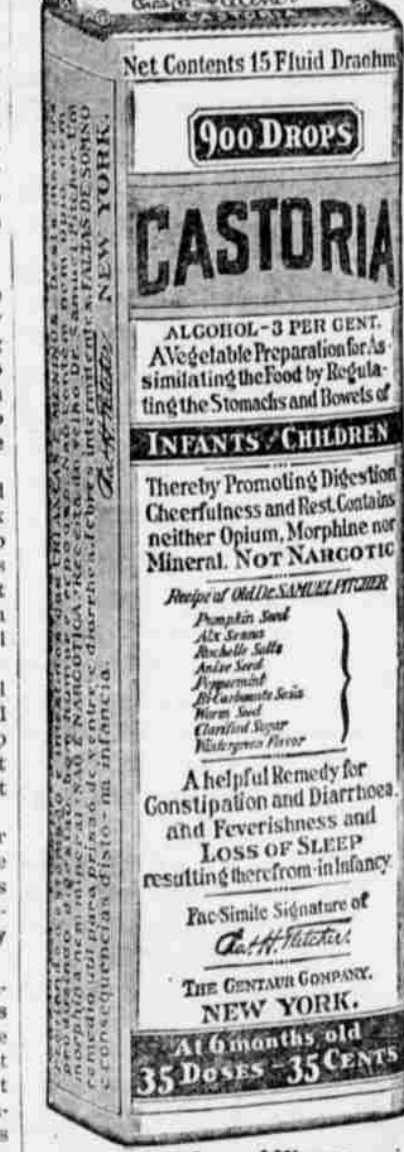
The eye of the master will do more work than both his hands.—Franklin.

Nervous and All Unstrung?

Feel nervous and irritable all the time? Continually worry over trifles? Then there's something wrong. Back of it all may be weak kidneys. Just as a nerve wear in a cause of kidney weakness, so is kidney trouble a cause of nervousness.

A Virginia Case. Mrs. J. E. Parsons, 511 Pooles St., Norfolk, Va., says: "I was taken with kidney trouble and I suffered with pain through my back. My feet and limbs swelled and I was told I would never be able to walk again."

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