

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

TUESDAY: TRE DAY OF CONFLICT.

International Sunday School Lesson for Sunday, May 17, 1942.

Golden Text: "The stone which the builders rejected, the same was made he head of the corner."—Mark 12:10.

Lesson Text: Matthew 21:23; 23:39.

In our lesson for this week, we come to Tuesday, the Day of Teaching. Returning to Jerusalem from Bethany early in the morning, Jesus entered the Temple and began to teach those gathered around him.

Instead of being questioned by them, however, Jesus turned the tables on them and asked them a question: "What think ye of the Christ? Whose son is he?"

"The Lord said unto my Lord, Sit thou on my right hand, Til I put thine enemies underneath thy feet."

Then Jesus continues, "If David then calleth him Lord, how is he his son?"

Realizing that they were trapped themselves, these supposedly learned men retired from his presence and dared not ask him any further questions. William Alexander Grist declared, "It was undeniable even by his interrogators, that Jesus surpassed them in the knowledge of subjects which they claimed as their own; hence they retired from the struggle in conscious defeat."

Then, by parabolic teaching, Jesus taught that the people of Palestine, who were regarded as the greatest sinners, were nearer the Kingdom of God than were the hypocritical Jews (Matt. 21:32). He warned the Jews that they were rejecting the Son of God, and that because of this rejection, the kingdom would be given to the Gentiles (Matt. 21:42-43).

The supreme need of this restless, feverish, nervous sinful age is Christ. More than elimination of disease, better government, higher wages, more equitable distribution of wealth, more scientific knowledge, better education or even world brotherhood, we need the spiritual recovery that only he can bring to this world.

"What think ye of Christ?" The Bible tells us he is the Messiah, the Son of God. He was and is the Savior of the world. Pilate declared: "I find no fault in this man." John

the Baptist declared: "Behold, the Lamb of God which taketh away the sin of the world." Peter says: "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God." Andrew declared: "We have found the Messiah." Thomas, after his period of doubting, shouts to the world that Jesus is "My Lord and my God."

Boll Weevils Ready For Annual "Blitz"

Cotton fields of North Carolina are about to be invaded, fears Dr. Z. P. Metcalf, head of the State College zoology department. He warns that boll weevils appear to have survived the mild winter in large numbers, and the pesky insects are lying in wait for the cotton plants to reach "eating size."

"Government entomologists have made several check tests," Dr. Metcalf reported, "and in South Carolina they found that weevils had survived at the rate of 1,839 per acre in woods near the edge of old cotton fields. In Louisiana, 327 weevils per acre were found to have survived the winter."

Dr. Metcalf said the survival was less than a year ago, but still "at a dangerous rate." He suggested that Tar Heel farmers begin to look for weevils in fields and ditches alongside their cotton patches.

"Examine the fields in several places," he advised. "You will probably find the weevils most abundant around the edges of the field, close to where they spent the winter."

When you find enough weevils to average about 25 per acre, it would be well to poison at least the part of the field where the weevils are most abundant.

"Calcium arsenate is the best material to use," Dr. Metcalf continued. "If you put it on the young cotton, either in the dust form or as a mop, it will kill the weevils. Mopping is a little cheaper but is effective only while the weevils are in the tops of the plants before the squares form. However, if you prepare for dusting early in the season, you will be ready to dust any time during the summer when the weevils are threatening."

Spring Cleaning

By PAUL OLSSON

Tis spring, the hide-bound earth expands The plants awake from winter's sleep The birds return from warmer lands, And Mother starts to dust and sweep

There are Father's last year's fishing jeans— Of battered hats a goodly heap; A pile of unread magazines, And shirts and jackets ankle deep.

With fevered haste and loving cries Into the mingled pile they leap Each carries off some useless prize The miscellany they deplete:

The house may seem so wondrous neat, Yet closets bulge, it's safe to say With things that are not fit to keep But still too good to throw away.

A dime out of every dollar we earn IS OUR QUOTA for VICTORY with U. S. WAR BONDS

NOTICE OF SALE OF PROPERTY FOR DELINQUENT TAXES

The undersigned, Sheriff of Chowan County, will offer for sale at public biddings to the highest bidder on Monday, June 1, 1942, at 12 o'clock noon, at the Court House door in Chowan County, the following property for non-payment of 1941 taxes. The amount represents the amount of tax due, plus interest and costs.

J. A. BUNCH, Sheriff of Chowan County.

FIRST TOWNSHIP—WHITE

Table listing property owners and values for First Township—White, including R. P. Badham, Trustee, 1 house Eden St., Mrs. Lillie Bass, 13 1/2 acres Cowpen Neck, etc.

Table listing property owners and values for W. O. Saunders Estate, Eden Heights, John G. Small, 1 house Queen St., fish house Granville St., etc.

CORPORATIONS

Table listing L. F. Ziegler & Son, store Broad St., with value 83.83.

FIRST TOWNSHIP—COLORED

Table listing property owners and values for First Township—Colored, including Mary B. Austin, house W. Carteret St., Hannibal Badham Estate, 1 house E. Gale St., etc.

Table listing property owners and values for C. W. Blanchard, 105 acres Homeplace, George E. Boyce, 4 acres New Road, 10 acres Piney Woods, etc.

CORPORATIONS

Table listing Farmers Bank of Nansemond, 105 acres Boyce Bear Swamp, Farmville-Woodard Lumber Co., E. L. Wilson, W. J. Asbell, etc.

SECOND TOWNSHIP—COLORED

Table listing property owners and values for Second Township—Colored, including Wm. Brown Estate, 5 acres Tom Wilson, 110 acres Petifer, Sarah Coffield Estate, 16 acres Henry Standing, etc.

THIRD TOWNSHIP—WHITE

Table listing property owners and values for Third Township—White, including E. A. Bunch, 25 acres Q. T. Bunch, Cecil Byrum, 62 acres Twine, G. O. Chappell, 9 3/4 acres S. R. Road, etc.

CORPORATIONS

Table listing Federal Land Bank of Columbia, 300 acres J. L. Deans, with value 16.71.

THIRD TOWNSHIP—COLORED

Table listing property owners and values for Third Township—Colored, including George Elliott, 3-4 acres Mt. Rose, Richard Elliott Estate, 3 acres River Road, etc.

FOURTH TOWNSHIP—WHITE

Table listing property owners and values for Fourth Township—White, including Henry Jordan, 47 acres Holley Grove, Willis Jordan, 108 acres Skinner, etc.

FOURTH TOWNSHIP—COLORED

Table listing property owners and values for Fourth Township—Colored, including Wm. Anderson Estate, 4 acres Holley Grove, W. W. Blair, 30 acres Montpelier, Noahy Bell, 2 acres Leggett, etc.

SECOND TOWNSHIP—WHITE

Table listing T. O. Asbell, 37 acres Boyce, 10 acres Bear Swamp, 60 acres Bear Swamp, 10 acres C. Bunch, with value 44.66.