

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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Lesson for February 23

PEOPLE BEFORE PROPERTY

LESSON TEXT—Luke 8:25-37.
GOLDEN TEXT—No servant can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon—Luke 16:13.
PRIMARY TOPIC—Jesus With His Friends in a Storm.
JUNIOR TOPIC—Jesus With His Friends in a Storm.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Sympathy or Selfishness?
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Human Welfare Before Financial Profit.

After his teaching by the parable of the soil and the lighted candle, Jesus exhibited his credentials, enforcing his teaching by demonstrations of his mighty power.

1. Jesus Calming the Storm (vv. 22-25).
In this miracle he demonstrated his power over nature.
1. Jesus asleep (v. 23). While the disciples were sailing the ship the Master fell asleep.
2. The frightened disciples (v. 23, 24). The storm seems to have been an unusual one. These sturdy men were used to storms, but as their ship was being filled with water they awoke Jesus with their cry of fear.
3. Jesus rebuked the wind and water (v. 24). At his word there was a great calm. We can with confidence put our trust in Jesus Christ.
4. Jesus rebuked the disciples (v. 25). After rebuking the raging elements, he turned to the disciples. He did not rebuke them for waking him, but for their lack of faith.
11. Jesus Casting Out Demons (vv. 26-31).
In this mighty act Jesus' power over demons was demonstrated. Demon possession was in that day, and it is today, an awful reality. The characteristics are often similar to cases of insanity, and many are called insane, who are really demon-possessed.
1. Jesus met by the demoniac (vv. 26-29). This poor man's suffering was dreadful. He abode in the tombs without clothing. At the sight of Jesus he made an outcry and fell down before him and besought him not to torment him. There is no doubt in the mind of demons as to the reality of a place of torment.
2. Jesus' question (v. 30). He asked him, "What is thy name?" His purpose was to bring the real man to consciousness, to enable him to distinguish between himself and the demon who held him. The answer shows that the man thought his case was hopeless. He said, "Legion," which meant that many demons had entered into him.
3. The demons' request (vv. 31, 32). They asked permission to enter into a herd of swine.
4. Their request granted (v. 32, 33). Just why this was done we do not know. Since Jesus did it, we must believe that it was right and wise.
5. The effect upon the people (v. 34-37).
a. The keepers of the swine went and made it known in the city and country.
b. The people made investigation. They saw the man sitting at the feet of Jesus, clothed and in his right mind, and heard the testimony of those who had seen what was done.
c. The multitude besought Jesus to depart from them. How sad it is that in the face of the mighty works of Jesus men will not open their hearts to him.
6. The request of the healed man (v. 38, 39). He desired to be with Jesus. This was natural and right, but his responsibility was to go home and show to the people there what great things God had done for him.

Boone High Life
Contributed By Boone Hi School Journalism Club

Deacon Dubbs Coming to Boone High
The library committee is presenting in a few weeks a three act play, "Deacon Dubbs."
If you wish to see Junior Greene in the title role, Helen Gragg as an old maid, Tom Wright as an auctioneer, and Carolyn Miller as the young trouble-maker, come to see this rollicking comedy, and have loads of fun! You can't lose!
A small admission is to be charged, the proceeds will go to the library fund, especially to buy racks for the magazines. Watch for future announcements.
The Senior class is beginning a series of meetings today the purpose of planning activities and programs with which to "wind up" their high school career.
Seating arrangement in assembly is now supervised by our board of monitors. This is considered a progressive step. Much improvement was noticed in appearance and manners in the assembly today.
This week will be a week of re-organization of our work for the spring quarter. We will have thirty-two new student teachers.

PANAMA CANAL, OPEN 21 YEARS, SAVES 8,400 MILES

The Panama Canal came of age in 1914. The canal, which shortens the water distance from New York to the Pacific coast by 8,400 miles, was opened to traffic 21 years ago, August 15, 1914.
The government steamship Arcon opened the canal to navigation on the August date, this being recorded as the official opening. However, a crane boat, Alexander Duvall, made the first continuous trip through the canal, January 7, 1914.
only daughter by dying. He besought Jesus to come to his house.
2. Jairus informed of his daughter's death (v. 49).
3. Jesus' assurance (v. 50).
4. The skeptical mourners (51-53).
5. The daughter raised (vv. 54-56).

A Harsh Word

To be silent, to suffer, to pray when I cannot act, is acceptable to God. A disappointment, a contradiction, a harsh word received, and endured as in his presence, is worth more than a long prayer.

Our Relation to God

Vices and virtue chiefly imply the relation of our actions to men in this world; sin and holiness rather imply their relation to God and the other world.

Appalachian Matmen to Meet Tennesseans



Appalachian State Teacher's college state champion wrestling squad will meet the University of Tennessee wrestlers as the feature event of the evening at the New Gymnasium next Saturday night, February 22 beginning at 7 o'clock.
The University of Tennessee team comes to Boone bent on winning from Coach "Red" Watkins state champions, and having quite impressive victories over Vanderbilt, Maryville College, and the Mountaineer grapplers the hardest

Knoxville "Y." promises to give the meet of the season. Because of the string of victories of both teams involved preparations are being made to handle the largest crowd ever to pack the Appalachian gym.
Coach Watkins took his wrestlers to Davidson last Saturday and brought back the state wrestling championship to Boone. Locals fans will see two undefeated men wrestling for Appalachian, Hobbs, unlimited, and Moore, 155 lb. class.
As added features to the sports

card, at 7 o'clock the girls' basketball team will meet the Eastern Carolina Teachers College team and at 8 o'clock five boxing bouts have been scheduled. Wilson, star of last week's show at the gym, will appear again.
Last week, Appalachian's boxing team put on the first meet held here in several years, which met with unusual success. The boys were quite at home in the new ring which has been provided for quick installation on the gym floor.

BOONE HIGH SPORTS REVIEW
(By Jack Storie)

Boone Hi lost to the strong West Jefferson quint Wednesday night, February 12 at Boone, in a fast game with Boone leading at the half 19 to 15, but the strong foes came back and tied the score several times and finally took the lead and won 39-30. Severs led the West Jefferson attack with 14 points, followed by Poe with 11 points. Burl Storie led the Boone quint with 9 points, with Clay, Scott, and Hagaman 6 points each. The Boone boys played well and were pleased with the outcome. West Jefferson has a very clean, fast one of the best teams in the conference.

Friday night Boone Hi beat Fleetwood Hi here in the college gym 29-23 in a close hard fought game. Scott led the Boone cagers with 7 points. Burl Storie and Hagaman followed with 6 points. Woodruff and Gentry led Fleetwood with 8 points each. Mast, the "big power house" for Fleetwood, was shut out cold, scoreless, the whole game. Fleetwood was slated to win, but Boone Hi fought hard and surprised the spectators and beat the strong outfit.

Saturday night Boone Hi invaded West Jefferson and was defeated in a hard fought game 36-27, the score being tied several times, but the strong foes came back and beat Boone Hi. Poe led West Jefferson with 14 points, followed by Oliver with 10 points. Scott led Boone Hi with 10 points with each teammate chipping in. West Jefferson has the strongest team in the conference, with their large boys that are very fast for their size. Poe the big six-footer is very fast, and Severs is fast for a big man.

Monday night Boone Hi was defeated by Fleetwood there 35-29 in a very close game, the score a tie several times, and with Burl Storie and Greer fouling out early in the second half, helped Fleetwood to win the game. Mast getting revenge for being shut out at Boone, came back and led Fleetwood with 12 points and played a nice game. Hagaman, Mast outpointed his foe with 14 points, and led both teams. Scott followed with 9 points. Vannoy followed Mast with 10 points. It was a very close game and finally Fleetwood eked out in the last minute of the game.

It has been a tough week for Boone Hi, but they have played the best in the conference, and have played fine ball all the way. People thought at the beginning of the season that Boone Hi would not go so well, but the fighting spirit brought results and now are leading this district over Cove Creek, and Boone Hi has not had a large score run upon them this season, they have scored more points than their opponents, and are slated to win the conference.

"What to do this year?" is the question Franklin county farmers are asking. Some say they will increase their cotton and tobacco acreages and some few say they will decrease.

Farm Income Drops In State In 1935

Washington, D. C., Feb. 14.—North Carolina is among the eight states showing a decrease in farm income in 1935, according to the report of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. For the whole nation there a 12 per cent. increase in farm income. Total receipts from sales of principal farm products and from rental and benefit payments were \$6,832,932,000 in 1935, compared with \$6,102,501,000 in 1934, with \$4,871,608,000 in 1933, and \$4,235,362,000 in 1932.

Smallest improvement in income was in the South Atlantic region. The only states showing reduced income in 1935 were Maine, Nebraska, North Carolina, South Carolina, Florida, Alabama, and New Mexico.
Increased farm income last year was due primarily to a 20 per cent. rise in the general level of farm prices, says the report. Crop price gains were relatively small, but prices for livestock and livestock products advanced considerably, causing a marked variation in the different regions in the extent of the improvement in farm income over 1934.

Marked increases in cash receipts in Indiana and neighboring states and in most of the mountain states and Oklahoma resulted principally from increased income from livestock.

In Kentucky and Louisiana, larger rental and benefit payments, together with increased income from livestock, were mainly responsible for the larger income. On the other hand, most of the declines in income were due to reduced income from crops.

In Maine, smaller incomes from potatoes, due to lower price during most of the year, was the chief factor in decline in receipts. In Nebraska the principal reduction was in income from corn, and in North Carolina, South Carolina and Alabama, the lower price of cotton for the 1935 crop was reflected in moderate losses. The slight decline in income in Florida was due primarily to reduced income from citrus fruits.

Obituary

Mrs. Carolina Tugman Walters died at her home in Blowing Rock Jan. 29th. She had been in declining health for the past ten months, but her death came as a shock, having been confined to her bed only one week.

She was one of Watauga's oldest citizens, well known throughout the county, having made her home in various sections.
Born and reared in the Meat Camp section where she lived until the death of her husband, Benjamin Tugman in 1900. There she took an active part in the affairs of her community and church, Hopewell, where at her request, her body was laid to rest. In 1900 she moved to Todd, from there to Blowing Rock, where she lived for years working hard for her church and through her efforts the first organ was procured.

Here as elsewhere she made many friends and later came back to spend with them her last days. Seven years she spent at Toccoe, enjoying the quiet and restful community and often remarked of her good friends there.
At the age of 77 she crossed the continent and spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Moody, who lives in Washington. Having enjoyed her trip to the utmost she never tired of telling about crossing the Rockies and many interesting things that would have been overlooked by a young person. The last five years of her life were spent here, devoting her time to the piecing of quilts and knitting. Her last work which was never completed, was a knitted spread of unusual beauty, being knitted on two very small steel needles. She often complained of the younger generation for not learning handwork as the girls in the past.

She had an active mind and was very entertaining, often telling her experience during the Civil War of her father's riding away on their finest black horse, saying he would return in a few weeks which turned out to be years, having been kept prisoner in Camp Chase, Ohio, where he nursed the Northern soldiers with smallpox, and contracting the disease from which he almost died; and of his homecoming when the war ended.

Mrs. Walters was a person of unusual character, always looking on the bright side and enjoying life to its fullest. She spoke of death as one going on a trip would say, most of my old friends have gone on and I will soon follow.

She is survived by two daughters and one son, 14 grandchildren, 28 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild. Also two sisters and many friends to mourn her departure.
A FRIEND.

Strip-cropping successfully controlled erosion on demonstration farms in Yancey county last year despite heavy rains in the spring, reports the farm agent.

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ENTRY NOTICE NO. 2590

State of North Carolina, Watauga County, Office of Entry Taker for said County.

W. W. Holman locates and enters 25 (twenty-five) acres of land in said county on the waters of Elk Creek in Bald Mountain Township. Beginning on a chestnut oak, corner of the old Blackburn land, deeded to Elizabeth and Martha Graham, then 40 poles south, then west course with said tract, then north to the old Steel line back to the beginning for completion.

Entered January 8, 1936.
MRS. H. JOE HARDIN,
Entry Taker.
1-19-4p.

NOTICE

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Watauga county made in a civil action entitled B. B. Hardin and W. D. Farthing, Administrators of the estate of Mrs. Suma Hardin vs. Luther Hardy and wife, Mrs. Luther Hardy, the undersigned commissioner will on the 5th day of March, 1936 at 12 o'clock noon at the courthouse door in Boone, North Carolina sell to the highest bidder for cash that certain tract of land in Boone Township, Watauga county, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

BEING 49 acres more or less bounded on the North by the lands of Walter Culler and others as described in a deed recorded in the Watauga County Registry in Book 30 at page 630.
This the 3rd day of February, 1936.
WADE E. BROWN,
Commissioner.
2-6-4c

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

State of North Carolina, County of Watauga.

Under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed by James A. Miller and wife Sarah Miller, to The Raleigh Savings Bank and Trust Company, trustee, which said deed of trust is dated April 13, 1925, and recorded in Book 4, Page 359, of the Watauga County Registry, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness thereby secured and in the conditions therein secured the undersigned substituted trustee by instrument recorded in Book 44, Page 220, Watauga county Registry, will on Monday, March 2, 1936, at or about twelve o'clock noon, at the courthouse door at Boone, North Carolina, offer for sale and sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described property:

All those two certain pieces, parcels or tracts of land containing one hundred and forty two (142) acres and twenty four (24) roads, more or less, situate, lying and being on the Meadow Creek Road about fourteen miles Northeast from the town of Boone, in Stony Fork Township, County of Watauga, State of North Carolina, and described as follows:
Tract One: Being bounded on the North by the lands of R. T. Greer on the East by the lands of S. W. Greer and Tom Miller; on the South by the lands of Tom Jackson; on the West by the lands of R. T. Greer and the Carrol lands, and having such shape, metes, courses and distances as will more fully appear by reference to a plat thereof made by D. W. Lloyd, Surveyor, November 18, 1922, which plat is on file with the Atlantic Joint Stock Land Bank of Raleigh, and containing ninety-five (95) acres, more or less.

Tract Two: Being bounded on the North by the lands of A. S. Cooper; on the East by the lands of I. F. Church; on the South by the lands of E. W. Miller and E. O. Greer; on the West by the lands of E. O. Greer, and having such shape, metes, courses, and distances as will more fully appear by reference to a plat thereof made by D. R. Scott, Surveyor, August 29, 1924, which said plat is on file with the Atlantic Joint Stock Land Bank of Raleigh, and containing forty-seven (47) acres, and twenty-four (24) rods, more or less.

The above land was conveyed to James A. Miller by three conveyances: One from John Miller and recorded in public registry of Watauga county, in Book 29, page 129; and deed from John Miller to James A. Miller, recorded in aforesaid registry in book 29, page 123; and deed from E. W. Miller and wife Bertie Miller to James A. Miller, recorded in aforesaid registry in book 31, page 473. All these deeds are made a part of this description.
Terms of sale cash and trustee will require deposit of 10% of the amount of the bid as evidence of good faith. This the 31st day of January, 1936.
H. E. STACY,
Substituted Trustee
Robert Weinstein, Attorney,
Raleigh, N. C. 2-6-4c

Income Southern Forests Increases

Southern National Forests brought in more revenue from the sale of timber during the last six months of 1935 than any other Federal Forest Service Region in the United States except one in the Northwest timber belt. According to Joseph C. Kircher, Southern Regional Forester, income from timber sales for that period amounted to \$197,000. This was an increase of \$33,000 over a similar period the year before.

Kircher stated that increased activity in the lumber market was responsible for this upturn. He explained that the United States Forest Service makes no effort to stimulate timber sales but waits for applications from lumbermen to take timber out for market. When such applications are received, forest officers determine units and stands that should be cut out, and mark the individual trees that are ready for market. The timber is then taken out by private lumbermen under Federal supervision.



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