

IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Lesson for August 2 PHILIP'S MISSIONARY LABORS LESSON TEXT—Acts 8:5-40. GOLDEN TEXT—Therefore they that were scattered abroad went everywhere preaching the word.—Acts 8:4.

Evangelism is the work of every follower of Christ, and primarily the work of the layman. This duty cannot be delegated to the church as an organized body or to its official servants.

Philip was a layman, a deacon in the church by office, but an evangelist by the gift and calling of the Holy Spirit. His experience in leading the Ethiopian eunuch to Christ demonstrates that one who is yielded to the Spirit—

I. Will Find Opportunity for Soul Winning (v. 26). Most unexpected places will afford opportunities. Philip was in the midst of a great revival in Samaria when the angel of the Lord sent him to Gaza—a desert place. Who would he meet here? Remember that the great world-evangelist, Dwight L. Moody, was converted in a humble shoe store by the earnest approach of a Sunday school teacher.

II. Will Respond Immediately to the Spirit's Leading (vv. 29, 30). The Spirit said "go." Philip "ran." The fundamental of fundamentals in God's children is obedience. The opportunity, the inquiring soul, the equipped personal worker, all were prepared by God for just that moment. All would have been lost had Philip failed to obey.

III. Will Find That Men and Women Are Ready to Receive the Truth (vv. 28, 31-34).

God prepares souls, and more are willing to be saved than we think. Whether it was through his experience at Jerusalem, his spiritual hunger before he went up, or the reading of the Word, or all these together, the eunuch was ready.

Neighbors, schoolmates, tradespeople, fellow workers—they may present God's opportunity for us.

IV. Will Find That God Honors Men by Using Them to Win Others.

He could "save a man all alone on the top of the Alps," but he doesn't ordinarily do it. Remember it was "the sword of the Lord and of Gideon" that wrought a victory. The eunuch needed an interpreter of the truth. Philip was God's man.

V. Will Know God's Word (v. 35). We cannot interpret what we do not know. One who is not personally acquainted with the Living Word by regeneration, and the Written Word by diligent study, is not able to help others. Could you begin (as Philip did) at Isaiah 53:7, and lead a man to Christ? If not, should you not begin to study your Bible with such an end in view?

VI. Will "Carry Through" to a Decision (vv. 36, 37).

A salesman may be brilliant, cultured, and persuasive, but what counts is the signature on the dotted line at the bottom of an order. Philip pressed for and obtained a decision.

VII. Will Follow-up His Convert (vv. 36, 37).

Much so-called evangelism fails to go beyond a mere profession—a declaration of faith. The eunuch and Philip both knew that an inward faith declares itself in an outward act—and he was baptized.

VIII. Will Recognize That the Message is Important, Not the Messenger (v. 39). When the work was done the evangelist was carried away by the Spirit. God's work goes on. His workman we set aside. As an advertising company has well expressed it, "The purpose of advertising is to impress the product upon the reader's mind, not the medium."

It is a fine testimony to the effectiveness of Philip's ministry that although he was gone his convert went "on his way rejoicing." His faith did not rest on the evangelist nor any human fellowship—he knew God. Let us be sure to win souls to God and not simply to a personal allegiance to us or to a religious organization.

Why not be a Philip? Any man or woman who knows the Lord Jesus Christ as personal Savior can be a winner of souls. It has been said that all that Philip had was "a love for souls, a knowledge

ELECTRICALLY OPERATED FARM FORMALLY OPENED BY SECRETARY ICKES

With a flick of his finger Secretary Ickes set in motion perhaps the most elaborate electrically equipped farm in America.

Simultaneous with the throwing of a mechanical switch things began to happen on Rosedale dairy farm—an exhibit of the third world power conference and the Rural Electrification Administration.

Back in the barn 20 cows discovered they were being milked electrically.

Down in the pasture a single strand of charged wire barred a herd of grazers from invading a corn field.

A mechanical fly-swatter commenced electrocuting flies swarming about a store house.

Air-cooled breezes swept through a bedroom occupied during the Civil War on different occasions by Generals Robert E. Lee and Stonewall Jackson.

And back in the bathroom Randolph Hughes, 31—son of the farmer-owner—took down his electrical razor.

The cows got milked. The corn was safe. The flies were killed off in droves. The bedroom was like a spring day. But—unfamiliar with the mechanical beard cutter, son Hughes cut himself.

Coming downstairs with a blood-stained towel to his chin and a guilty smile he announced the accident and paid a tribute to his newfound electricity.

"My," he said, "but the razor's got power!"

Moving away from the switch, Secretary Ickes said he hoped the exhibit would symbolize a forward step in the marshalling and prudent use of all rem.

Governor George E. Peery, of Virginia, said that it is an established opinion that the prosperity of the country depends upon the prosperity of the farmer, and that electricity will aid him in achieving the success and luxury that he deserves.

Vilas News

On Sunday, July 26, a member of relatives and friends met at the home of W. H. Dugger gave a picnic in honor of him and his two sisters, Mat and Lou.

The following guests were present: Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Dugger, Mrs. W. S. Frantz, Misses Annie Rose and Lomaine Fulkerson, Miss Jane Badgett, all of Elk Park.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bingham and son, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Brooks, Master Robert Brooks, Master David Bingham, Miss Mary Martha Bingham, all of Sherwood.

Mr. Arthur Weaver, Emory and Henry, Va., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Blair, sons, Glenwood and Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and son, Robert, Mrs. Nan Dugger, Mrs. G. W. Trivett, Mr. and Mrs. John Dugger and sons, James and Shelton, Miss Annie Smith, Dr. and Mrs. G. D. Bingham, Miss Alice Bingham, Miss Jane Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bingham and daughter, Mrs. J. H. Brinkley, Miss Frances Brinkley, Miss Esther McGuire, Mrs. Ie Greene, Mr. A. J. Greene, all of Vilas.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Henson and their son, Kent, of Cleveland, Ohio, are spending their vacation with relatives in the county.

Mrs. Jennie Jenkins, Bristol, Tenn., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith.

Mr. James Shipley, of Virginia, Mrs. Thomas Belk, Master Tommy Belk and Master Burton Mitchell, all of Mt. Holly, are visitors at the Shipley home.

Mrs. Tillett Gryder of Fall Creek, Avery county, has been visiting her brother, Mr. Ie Greene.

Mrs. Leidenthal, Mr. William Leidenthal and Mr. William Bulwinkle, from Long Island, N. Y., are spending a few days at the Henson home.

Mr. Tillman Adams is visiting his sister in Elizabethton, Tenn.

of the Word and a sensitiveness to the leading of the Lord. That is all we need. If every Christian were a Philip the world would be won for Christ in ten years."

Count Your Blessings

He is a wise man who does not grieve for the things which he has not, but rejoices for those which he has.—Epictetus.

Self-Knowledge

Self-reverence, self-knowledge, self-control; these three alone lead life to sovereign power.—Tennyson.

Center of Selfishness

Selfishness is the making a man's self his own center, the beginning and end of all he doth.—John Owen.

ENTRY NOTICE

State of North Carolina—Watauga County—Office of entry taker for said county. Entry No. 2591.

S. J. Ford locates and enters 25 acres of land in Blue Ridge township, on the waters of Dennes Creek in said county. Beginning on Horace Green corner, known as the old Lenoir land, thence with the Elk Creek Timber Co., lines to S. J. Ford's line. Thence with S. J. Ford's line to Horace Green's line, then with said Green's line back to the beginning for complement. Entered July 14, 1936.

MRS. H. J. HARDIN, Entry Taker.

7-16-4p

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL PROPERTY—MORTGAGEE'S SALE

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed executed to the undersigned by C. C. Koonce and wife, Eustace V. Koonce on the 13th day of November, 1930, to secure the sum of two hundred and twenty-two and 70/100 (\$222.70) dollars; which said mortgage is duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Watauga County in Book 23, page 423, and default having been made in the payment of the money thereby secured as therein provided, we will on Saturday, August 15th, 1936 at 1:00 o'clock P. M., at the courthouse door of Watauga County, sell to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described real estate to-wit:

In Elk Township, Watauga County, North Carolina.

FIRST TRACT: BEGINNING on a Hickory, runs North 20 degrees West 25 poles to a locust, near a branch; thence 3.84 degrees West 3 poles to an alder; thence S. 40 degrees W. 18 poles to a chestnut; thence S. 56 degrees E. 12 poles to a maple; thence S. 41 degrees W. 18 poles to a chestnut in the Co. line; thence N. 97 degrees W. 38 poles to a chestnut oak; N. 26 degrees W. 48 poles to a chestnut, corner of Henry Rimer's land, thence N. 28 poles to a stake in the line of said Rimer's tract; thence N. 67 degrees E. 38 poles to a birch at a branch, N. 10 degrees E. 40 poles to a chestnut, corner of Sainey Wheeling's; thence N. 33 degrees W. 8 poles to a dogwood; thence N. 41 degrees E. 44 poles to a poplar; thence S. 49 degrees E. 4 poles to a poplar; thence N. 80 degrees E. with the main heights of the ridge 62 poles to a little locust on side of ridge; thence S. 6 degrees E. 42 poles to a chestnut; thence S. 25 degrees W. 38 poles to a persimmon in a hollow; thence S. 12 degrees W. 46 poles to a chestnut; thence S. 73 degrees W. 9 poles to a cluster of chestnut sprouts; thence to the beginning, containing 90 acres, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: BEGINNING on a bunch of chestnut sprouts, runs S. 81 degrees W. 41 poles to a chestnut; thence S. 51 degrees W. 38 poles to a small maple; thence N. 72 degrees W. 6 poles to a poplar; thence S. 76 degrees W. 20 poles to a sourwood; thence North 12 degrees W. with the fence 8 poles to a stake; thence N. 5 degrees with the fence 28 poles to a small lance on top of the ridge; thence N. 86 degrees E. 14 poles to a small white pine; thence N. 84 degrees E. 6 poles to a chestnut; thence N. 35 degrees E. 38 poles to a stake; thence N. 49 degrees E. 14 poles to a stake; thence N. 65 degrees E. 6 poles to a branch of sourwoods; thence S. 64 degrees E. with top of the ridge 16 poles to a stake; thence S. 72 degrees E. 46 poles to the beginning, containing 16 acres, more or less.

THIRD TRACT: BEGINNING on a chestnut in Greer's line and runs East up a little ridge with marked and agreed line 30 poles, more or less to a dogwood and two small chestnuts; thence a North East direction with a fence and marker line 30 poles, more or less to a small poplar at little branch, near where the old walnut corner stood; thence up said branch 11 poles, more or less to a bunch of willows; thence East a marked and agreed line 15 poles, more or less to two dogwoods in the Yadkin Valley Lumber Company's line; thence Westward with the said Yadkin Valley Lumber Company's line various courses to Albert Greer's one line; thence with said Albert Greer's one line Southward to the beginning, containing 15 acres, more or less.

This July 14th, 1936.

HUTTON & BOURBONNAIS CO., as HICKORY NOVELTY CO.

Hickory, N. C.

John E. Brown, Attorney.

FOR SALE

TAKE NOTICE that whereas, Watson O. Goode and wife, Kathleen Goode, executed to J. W. Winborne, Trustee, a certain Deed of Trust, which is recorded in book 258 at page 332 of the deed records of Catawba County, N. C., and in book 24 at page 413 of the deed of trust records of Watauga County, N. C., conveying the lands described as security for an indebtedness therein described due the First National Bank of Marion, N. C., with provision that on application it shall be lawful for and the duty of the said Trustee to advertise at the courthouse door and three or more public places in McDowell County for thirty days immediately preceding such sale and in some newspaper published in said county at least once a week for four weeks, therein appointing a day and place of sale, and at such time and place to expose said land to public sale to the highest bidder for cash and upon such sale to convey said lands to the purchaser in fee simple;

AND WHEREAS, there has been default in the payment of said indebtedness and application has been made by the said First National Bank to the undersigned to sell the said land under the authority aforesaid;

NOW THEREFORE, for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash the lands therein described as follows:

First—At the courthouse door in Newton, Catawba County, N. C., at 10 o'clock on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 1936, the following described property, to-wit:

All that lot of land in the City of Hickory, N. C., specifically described in a deed from B. F. Seagle and wife to Clara Goode, dated April 19, 1919, recorded in book 146; at page 6 of the deed records of Catawba County, N. C., as follows: BEGINNING at a stake on a margin of 13th Avenue in Hickory, N. C., the northeast corner of a lot conveyed by B. F. Seagle to W. O. Goode and running south 150 feet to a stake; then east 70 feet to Mrs. Richard Williams' line; then north with her line 150 feet to a stake on the margin of 13th Avenue; then west with the margin of 13th Avenue, 70 feet to the beginning. EXCEPTING and RESERVING, however, that portion of said land which is described in and conveyed by deed from W. O. Goode to Bailey Patrick, dated July 27, 1923, recorded in book 251 at page 134 and described in and conveyed by deed from J. R. Wooten, Trustee, to Louise J. Patrick, and Bailey Patrick, dated October 30, 1933, and recorded in book 252 at page 101 of the deed records of Catawba County, N. C., specifically described as follows: BEGINNING at a point in the southern margin of 13th Avenue in the City of Hickory, the northwest corner of Richard Williams' lot and runs south with said Williams' western boundary line 150 feet to a point; thence west along a line parallel with 13th Avenue 55 feet to a point; then north along a line parallel with Williams' line 150 feet to a point in the southern margin of 13th Avenue; thence along the margin of 13th Avenue east 35 feet to the point of beginning. Reference is here made to each and all of the said deeds for more certain description.

Second—At the courthouse door in Boone, N. C., at 1 o'clock P. M., on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 1936, the following described property, to-wit: All those several lots of land in Watauga County, N. C., adjoining the lands of June Page, Blowing Rock Development Company, H. F. Kinsman and others, specifically numbered as Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7, in Block "G", Subdivision 2, of the Blowing Rock Development Company's property map and platted by C. C. Babb, C. E., July 5, 1924, which map is recorded in August of Register of Deeds for Watauga County, Platt Book 1, page 15, to which reference is here made for further description.

The foregoing property is conveyed subject to the 11 restrictions, covenants and conditions, contained in deed from Blowing Rock Development Company to Watson O. Goode and wife, C. M. Goode, dated August 27, 1924, recorded in Book 32, page 360, of deed records of Watauga County, N. C., to all of which reference is made for more specific description.

THE TERMS of the sale are for CASH and subject to confirmation by the court. This 8th day of July, 1936.

J. W. WINBORNE, Trustee.

7-16-4c

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE OF LAND

North Carolina, Watauga County. In the Superior Court.

The Federal Land Bank of Columbia vs. G. M. Henson and wife, Mary Henson, Don L. Henson, and wife, Beulah Henson, et al.

Pursuant to a judgment entered in the above-entitled civil action, on the 4th day of November, 1935, and order entered June 22nd, 1936, in the Superior Court of said county by the Clerk, I will, on the 10th day of August, 1936, at twelve o'clock noon, at the courthouse door in said county, sell at public auction to the highest bidder therefor the following described lands, situated in said county and state, in Cove Creek Township, comprising 36 52-160 acres, more or less, and bounded and described as follows:

All that certain piece, parcel or tract of land, containing 36 52-160 acres, more or less, situate, lying and being on the road leading from Villas to Cove Creek, about 8 miles northwest from the town of Boone, in Cove Creek Township, County of Watauga, State of North Carolina, having such shape, metes, courses and distances, as will more fully appear by reference to a plat thereof made by Hill Hagaman, Surveyor, January 2nd, 1923, on file with The Federal Land Bank of Columbia, and being bounded on the north by the lands of John McBride and Jerry Greene; on the east by the lands of A. J. Isaacs and W. F. Sherwood; on the south by the lands of W. Y. Perry; on the west by the lands of A. J. Payne and John McBride.

The terms of sale are as follows: One-half of the accepted bid to be paid into court in cash, and the balance on credit payable in two (2) equal annual installments with interest thereon from date of sale at the rate of six per cent, per annum, to be secured by a mortgage over the premises. All bids will be received subject to rejection or confirmation by the Clerk of said Superior Court, and no bid will be accepted or reported unless its maker shall deposit with said Clerk at the close of the bidding the sum of TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS as a forfeit and guaranty of compliance with his bid, the same to be credited on his bid when accepted. Notice is now given that said lands will be resold at the same place and upon the same terms at two o'clock p. m., of the same day unless said deposit is sooner made, and every deposit not forfeited or accepted will be promptly returned to the maker.

This the 10th day of July, 1936.

J. E. HOLSHOUSER, Commissioner.

7-16-4c

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor under a will of Mrs. Mary A. Brown, deceased, this is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned within twelve months from the date of this notice or the said notice will be plead in bar of their right to recover. All persons indebted to the said estate will please make immediate payment. This July 14, 1936.

WADE E. BROWN, Executor.

Will of Mrs. Mary A. Brown

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NOTICE OF SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

North Carolina, Watauga County. In the Superior Court.

The Federal Land Bank of Columbia vs. N. G. Wheeler and wife, Melzonia Wheeler, John Johnson, Cora E. Johnson, Max E. Houck, Della Houck W. Walters, et al.

The defendants, Max E. Houck, Della Houck, and W. Walters, will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Watauga County, North Carolina, to foreclose a mortgage executed by N. G. Wheeler and wife, Melzonia Wheeler, to the plaintiff; and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of said county in the courthouse in Boone, N. C., on or before the 23rd day of September, 1936, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 22nd day of July, 1936.

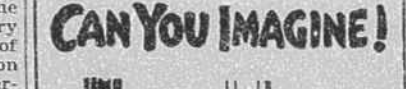
A. E. SOUTH, Clerk of the Superior Court of Watauga County.

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