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BIBLE THOUGHT

And, lo, a great multitude, which no man can number, of all nations, and kindreds, and people, and tongues, stood before the throne . . . and cried . . . Salvation to our God . . . and unto the Lamb. These are they which came out of great tribulation . . . Therefore are they before the throne of God and serve him.—Revelation 7:9-15.
I cannot believe that there is any limit to God's love, or that ever, either in this world or in the next, could he cease to seek and to save that which is lost.—G. A. Studdert Kennedy.

The Conservative New Deal

THAT the New Deal will not abandon its objectives was made clear by President Roosevelt in his address to the American Retail Federation Monday night.

Addressing a banquet audience of 1,000 small town and big city merchants, the Chief Executive appealed to business leaders "without a big stick," and in a persuasive mood, for help in working out national problems in a spirit of good will.

Emphasizing the conservative character of New Deal policies, the president declared that keeping consumer buying power up to production was "the milk in the cocoanut of all business, big and little," and that the nation was in an excellent position "to go forward into a period of greater production and greater employment." He spoke of those opposed to his vital aim of spending to increase purchasing power among lower income groups as "radicals willing to gamble with other people's prosperity and other people's lives," as would be the case if the nation returned to the economy of the period preceding 1933.

Opposition to the dole and pride in WPA, "with 95 per cent of projects good and 95 per cent of the people properly on the rolls," recognition that the present tax level must be maintained in view of the unbalanced budget, and insistence that it would be bad for business to shift any further tax burden to the consumer, were other high lights.

Perhaps no business purpose was ever summed up as in the closing words of this speech on conservative democracy:

"More and more we seek the making of profits by processes that will not destroy our fellow men who are our neighbors.

"This is one of the functions of your government. It seeks your co-operation in the extension of that ideal. It is open to your advice and your help—because it believes that its fundamental ideals and yours are the same.

"That is why I came to you not in the spirit of criticism, but with a simple plea for your assistance as American citizens in working out our common problems with goodwill and with the maintenance of the ideals of peace."

Folk Music and Dancing for King and Queen

WESTERN Carolinians are interested to learn that a feature of entertainment being arranged by President and Mrs. Roosevelt for the delectation of King George and Queen Elizabeth is an exhibition of the square dances and folk music of this section.

These dances and tunes, like their exemplars, are of direct descent from old England, tracing back to the times of Shakespeare and preserved in more or less modified form through the British ancestors of our mountain people. This is an example of British inheritance and old world survival that should be of special interest to the British monarchs. As they are symbols, not only of government but of the British people themselves, this feature of entertainment is a symbol of the historic kinship of our peoples.

"We feel sure that this young couple, on their first visit to our shores, who carry their duties of royalty with such genuine grace and friendliness, will enjoy with the zest of novel experience this entertainment from our section along with other things American, like the quintuplets, picnics and hot dogs.

As the World Turns

A brief survey of current events in state, nation and abroad—the facts boiled down to a few pithy lines.

The prestige of the crippled League of Nations meeting in Geneva this week will be strengthened by the pending British-French-Soviet military pact. Although conducted outside the league, negotiations aim at the same ideal as the league's covenant—halting "aggression."

Queen Mary, mother of George V of Great Britain, suffered bruises and shock from an automobile accident when her car was overturned by a truck on Tuesday.

Chinese troops last Friday recaptured Tungpek, 140 miles north of Honkow, killing 4,000 Japanese in the second biggest victory of the war.

Germany and Italy Monday signed a military pact agreeing to pool all their military and economic resources in the event of a war in which either party might be involved.

Italian Foreign Minister Count Ciano said: "We are two nations of 150,000,000, now joined together and marching toward peace, but we are ready for any eventuality."

The Japanese foreign office hailed the German-Italian military pact with the words: "Close collaboration with Germany and Italy in the spirit of that pact is our immutable policy. The treaty will make a tremendous contribution to world peace and progress and has our heartiest congratulations."

Hitler's propaganda minister Goebbels replying to Britain's prime minister Chamberlain's proposal to renounce aggressive aims for a definite long-range policy for peace, advises the world that "there is no better argument than weapons."

The Jewish national council of Jerusalem has defied probable British reprisals "outlawing" all Jewish organizations by issuing orders for a sweeping campaign of civil disobedience to protest Great Britain's plan for an Arab-dominated Palestine state.

On Monday the Dionne quintuplets took their first journey, the occasion being to meet the King and Queen whose wards they are.

Twelve years after Lindbergh spanned the Atlantic in the Spirit of St. Louis, regular airline mail service became a reality when the giant Yankee Clipper made its first flight in regular airline mail service, landing in Lisbon, Portugal, Sunday.

Secretary Hull in a radio address Sunday appealed for abandonment of force and for restoration of the practice of genuine friendship as the bases of international conduct. Other objectives listed were, fair discussion instead of threat of arms, agreement to lessen creation of armaments, trade and economic arrangements to the material benefit of all.

William C. Bullitt, U. S. ambassador to Paris, Sunday denounced world leaders who "beat drums of hatred and conquest" and are "deaf to appeals of reason."

The supreme court Monday ruled that the salaries of federal judges are subject to federal income taxes. Now no class of public office-holder is allowed income tax immunity.

Doings of the Dies committee are again in the limelight investigating anti-Semitic propaganda—involving Maj. Gen. Geo. Van Horn Mosely, U. S. Army, retired; Geo. Deatherage, commander of Knights of the White Camellia—a K. K. K. order; Dudley P. Gilbert, a New York socialite and Pelley of the Silver Shirts. Much wierd and cockeyed testimony is being heard.

Bryson City Girl Scouts At New Camp

The Bryson City Girl Scouts are in camp this week at the Scout home recently donated by Mrs. Samuel Lumpkin, of Atlanta. Those in charge of the camping trip are Miss Pearl McHan, captain of the troop; Misses Ora Lee Dougherty and Margaret Messer, lieutenants; and Mrs. Ora H. Dougherty, chairman of the troop committee, Mrs. Ollie Burnett, in charge of arts and crafts, and Mrs. Ted Gribble, registered nurse, are also with the troop.

Franklin Girls Also In Camp
The Franklin troop joined the Bryson City girls upon their arrival here Monday afternoon and accompanied them to the camp, where the entire party proceeded to make themselves at home. They are expected to remain at the Scout home until Saturday.

No Presbyterian Service Sunday Morning

Preaching services for next Sunday morning at the local Presbyterian church have been cancelled, as the pastor, the Rev. J. A. Flanagan, is in Bryson City for the week conducting services in the Presbyterian church there. The Sunday school will meet at 10 o'clock as usual. Mr. Flanagan is expected to return next Monday.

Richardson To Buy Produce Here This Year

As will be seen from his ad on another page, W. L. Richardson will buy beans in Franklin again this year. Mr. Richardson has been coming here each summer for several years, and is well known to all the growers, who will be glad to welcome him for another season.

Riverside

By MRS. CECIL VAN HOOK
Miss Margaret Moore visited friends and relatives at Rabun Gap and Dillard, Ga., last week. Members of the Coweta B. Y. P. U. enjoyed a social at the home of Miss Georgia Dowdle Wednesday night, May 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wallace visited Mrs. Wallace's mother, Mrs. C. H. McClure, last week-end.

Earl Browning, of the CCC camp near Smokemont, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Browning, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Thurmond and young daughter, Annette, of Rabun Gap, Ga., visited Mrs. Thurmond's mother, Mrs. George C. Dowdle, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Holbrooks announce the birth of a daughter on Sunday, May 7.

John Brabson, of Demorest, Ga., visited friends here last week.

A horned owl, measuring four feet from tip to tip, was killed by Buck Dowdle last Saturday.

Carl Curtis was the guest of Miss Ella Moore last week-end.

Nolen Bradley, of Rabbit Creek, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ramey and family last week-end.

Bob McClure spent last Saturday in Hendersonville on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess McKay and family are joyfully welcomed back to this community after spending the past winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Burrell visited Mrs. Burrell's mother, Mrs. Otto Brown, last week.

An all-day singing and dinner on the ground will be held at the Coweta Baptist church on Sunday, May 28. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Miss Maggie Holbrooks conducted a very interesting program at the regular prayer meeting held at the Coweta Baptist church Saturday night.

Friends of Alex Brabson are glad to know that he is able to be out again after a very serious illness.

Mrs. Francis Kilpatrick has returned to this community to live after the sudden death of her husband. She is the former Miss Edith Tallent.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cabe visited relatives and friends on Skeenah last week-end.

Roy Van Hook, of Tumbler'sville, visited Mrs. Cecil Van Hook during the past week-end.

Mrs. Eugene McCoy made a business trip to Franklin during the past week-end.

Gene Bateman, who is working near Smokemont, visited his parents last week-end.

Billie Van Hook was the guest of Paul Burch Saturday afternoon.

Communications

MR. YOUNG URGES MORE CARE IN SORTING EGGS

Editor Franklin Press:
A card of thanks to all of the good farmers who have been self-respecting and have manifested good judgment and fine principle in cooperating with people who market the chickens and eggs in Macon county.

I have observed an improvement in the quality of eggs this season but there is room for more improvement because I still find at some stores some real small eggs and some eggs that are too filthy to even handle. And some people bring them there because they can't come by themselves.

A few weeks ago I bought a case of eggs supposed to be white, from the Farmers' Federation. When I went to deliver a case of white eggs to one of my best customers in Greenville, S. C., I found so much stain and dirt on them that I was made to think of a lot of church members who call themselves Christians but there there is so much dirt visible that we can't hardly call them Christians. Neither could I call that case of eggs white eggs. I happened to know what farm they came from.

On the same load of eggs I had a case of white eggs that I also bought from the Federation that I knew Mrs. Robert Ramsey had just brought in. They were really white and showed they had really had attention. I said some good things to my customer about Mr. Ramsey's family. Well, thanks to Mrs. Ramsey.

Friends, we know that competition is getting keener all the time in every line of business. Consequently, the trade is demanding a better grade of eggs. If we can't furnish them, other counties or states will. And to my knowledge, we people in Macon county get more for our eggs here in the county than many other places that I happen to know of.

This is my last appeal. So thank you and wishing you well.
James L. Young.

Macon Theatre

Matinees 3:30 P. M.
Night Show 7:30 and 9:30
SHOWING FROM 1:30 TO 11 P. M. SATURDAYS

PROGRAM FOR WEEK

FRIDAY, MAY 26
DOUGLAS
(Wrong Way)
CORRIGAN
"THE FLYING IRISHMAN"
With Paul Kelly, Robert Armstrong
Gene Reynolds, Eddie Quillian
Also: Community Sing

SATURDAY, MAY 27
Double Feature Program
A gun full of lead and a heart full of fight . . . on the trail of the raiding masked riders!
GEORGE O'BRIEN
"ARIZONA LEGION"
And
Joe's a Foot-Bowl Hero Now!
JOE E. BROWN IN THE "GLADIATOR"
Be Sure to See This Funny Picture

MON.-TUES., MAY 29-30
"UNION PACIFIC"
JOEL McCREA, BARBARA STANWYCK, AKIM TAMIROFF BRIAN DONLEVY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31
"BOY FRIEND"
JANE WITHERS, RICHARD BOND, ARLEN WHELAN

THURSDAY, JUNE 1
"SERGEANT MADDEN"
WALLACE BEERY, TOM BROWN, ALAN CURTIS LARAIN JOHNSON
It's pretty tough being a good policeman and good father too, but Wallace Beery manages nicely.

If you want our weekly program mailed to you, please leave name at Box Office.