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JEREMIAH DENOUNCES FALSE PROPHETS

LESSON TEXT-Jeremiah 23:21-32. GOLDEN TEXT-Prove all things; hold fast that which is good.—I Thessa-lonians 5:21.

Tickling the vanity and pleasing the ears of ungodly people with words of flattery and false comfort, giving them the assurance of peace and prosperity in the very pursuit of their sin, did not begin with the false prophets of the twentieth century. Six hundred years before Christ, Jeremiah the prophet had to contend with such false teachers.

His manner of dealing with them is of great interest to us, for essentially the false prophets of that day used the same methods and had the same false message that characterize their descendants of today, the so-called modernistic religious liberals who are busy everywhere attempting to undermine the faith of God's children in His Word. They are revealed as being destitute of divine authority, without a real message, and under the disfavor and subject to the judgment of God. They are

I. Without Divine Commission (vv.

"I have not sent these prophets"that should have been sufficient for the people of Judah. A man who is not sent by God has no word from heaven, no help for needy humanity. He is worse than an admittedly secular teacher or philosopher, for he claims to speak with divine authority and yet has only the disappointing impotence of a liar and a fraud.

The reason Judah listened to them was because they so eloquently hushed the condemning voice of their own consciences, assuring them that all was well, when, as a matter of fact, everything was wrong. Men listen to the same kind of teaching today for the very same

II. Without a Divine Message (vv.

These false prophets may delude men, but they have not fooled God. He is not a finite being, limited to this earth (v. 23). He looks on men from the far off viewpoint of heaven and judges by His own high and holy standards.

Nor can they hide from Him (v. the academic shelter of a college classroom, secretly poisoning the young person's heart against the faith of his father and mother. A day of judgment also awaits those who in their public utterances use the phraseology of orthodoxy, while in private they undermine and destroy Christian faith.

If a man is foolish enough to suppose that the dreamings of his own mind and heart will help anyone, let him be honest enough to call them just that; namely, dreams (vv. 25-28). But God will assuredly not hold those men guiltless who try to pass off their own philosophies as bearing the approval of God; who would have people honor their assemblies as Christian churches, when they are at best only social or intellectual gatherings designed to magnify man rather than Christ.

Note in verse 29 that the Word of God is like the fire that consumes and purifies, and also like the hammer, that breaks up the rocky heart

III. Without Divine Favor and Blessing (vv. 30-32).

God is against every false prophet. Small wonder that there is the savour of death in their speaking and their works. There is no divine power in their message and no holy dynamic to enable people to respond to their admonitions, Prominent modernists are decrying in our day the fact that their cultured essays and polished philosophies are not reaching the hearts of men and are failing to transform lives. At the same time, humble preachers and teachers of God's Word, sometimes in hidden and remote places, are rejoicing as they see the transforming grace of God come upon lives as a result of their simple proclamation of the gospel of grace. Keep on, brethren; God is with you.

Observe what God calls the false prophets-thieves (v. 30) and liars (v. 32). Hard words, but they come from One who is all-knowing, who judges rightly and in love.

Like the Shadow I am gone like the shadow when it declineth; I am tossed up and down as the locust. My knees are weak through fasting; my flesh faileth of fatness; I became also a reproach unto them; when they looked upon me they shaked their heads .-Psalm 109:23-25.

It Doth Not Yet Appear You are not what you ought to be, and you are not what you can You may rise yet, and fight a good fight yet, and be a good man once more, after the likeness of God who made you, and Christ who died for you!-Charles Kingsley.

SUNDAY PAN-AMERICAN ROAD NOW OPEN

58 Per Cent Of Highway Completed For Year Round Travel

The observance this month of Pan-American Day will find 1,119 miles of pavement and 761 miles of all-weather highways completed in the long and picturesque span between the Texas border and the Panama Canal.

Fifty-eight per cent of the proposed trunk line to Panama Citythe Inter-American Highway - is now open to traffic the year round. In addition, 648 miles of dry weather roads have been constructed on the same route in the seven Latin-American countries, Eventually this highway will con-

pect at Panama City with the South American section of the Pan-American route, linking the wo continents of the western hemisphere by motor, and opening vast new frontiers for travel and economic development.

Much valuable assistance is being given by engineers from the United States, not only in surveying the trunk route, but also in helping the various countries plan their own supplementary road systems. Last year the Public Roads Administration, cooperating with the Department of State, loaned engineers to Guatemala, Nicaragua, Honduras, Colombia and Ecuador. Simlar surveys had been completed previously in Panama.

The northern half of the Pan-American Highway begins at Laredo, Texas, where in 1939 more than 30,000 American automobiles are estimated to have crossed into Mexico.

Marine Corps Invites Young Men To Enlist

Notice has been received that Delis Holland, the son of Mr. and of the office, and will work for Mrs. Ratford Holland, of Franklin, the best interest of all sections of N. C., was, on May 10, enlisted in the county. the United States Marine Corps, and sent to the Recruit Depot, U. S. Marine Barracks, Parris Island, S. C., to complete the prescribed course of recruit training prior to his being transferred to one of the many interesting posts and stations the Marines maintain in this country and abroad, on land and aboard the ships of the Nation's fleet.

Young Holland, enlisted at the District Recruiting Station, Municipal Auditorium, Macon, Ga., and any other young men from this area who are interested in serving four years in this fast moving 24). God hears the word spoken in branch of the services of our country, may receive full information regarding the life and opportunities in the Corps by writing to, or calling in person at the Macon recruiting station

Political Announcements

For Representative

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Representative of Macon County in the General Assembly of 1941, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of May 25, 1940.

W. A. ROGERS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Representative of Macon County in the General Assembly of 1941, subject to the action of the Democratic primary of May 25, 1940,

Your support and influence will be appreciated.

R. A. PATTON

I hereby announce myself as a primary on May 25, I am especially interested in the tax burdens of the farmers of Macon County and, if elected, I pledge my best efforts in such legislation as will be beneficial to them, and to work for the best interests of all of the people of the county.

A. L. McLean.

For Chairman Board Of Commissioners

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Macon County, subject to the Democratic primary on May 25. I am running on my record and on a platform of economy.

FRANK I. MURRAY

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of the people of the county.

J. C. SORRELLS,

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of A25-6tc-M30

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Macon County, subject to the Democratic primary on May 25. GUS LEACH

I hereby announce my candidacy for chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Macon county, subject to the Democratic primary on May 25. I have served the county for two terms in this capacity and my record speaks for itself. I solicit your support and influence.

E. B. Byrd.

For County Commissioner

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for reelection as a mem- North Carolina of Macon County, subject to the ing the past six years.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for reelection as a member of the Board of County Commissioners of Macon County, subject to the Democratic primary on May 25. If reelected, I shall continue to serve the county to the best of my ability.

C. A. BRYSON

I hereby announce myself as a If elected, I will serve the people my utmost for a safe and progressive administration of county af-

FRED W. PALMER,

I announce myself as a candidate for member of the Board of County Commissioners, subject to the Democratic primary May 25. If elected, I will give the best service in my power to the affairs

FRED C. CONLEY, Cartoogechaye Township

I hereby announce my candidacy for member of the Board of County Cornmissioners of Macon County, subject to the Democratic Primary to be held May 25, 1940. If nominated by my party I will do all in my power to conduct the office in a business like manner, save the tax payers as much money as is possible and still look to the progress of the County. JERRY R. FRANKLIN

For Members Board of Education

We, the undersigned, announce ourselves as candidates for the Board of Education of Macon Creek, BEGINNING at a Spanish lands will be resold at the same primary of May 25, 1940.

this Board, we pledge ourselves to a stake in the line of No. 1560; of Macon County and to operate the schools with the sole purpose No. 12790; then S 19 poles to a of promoting welfare of the school children of this County, without regard to personal feeling, predujice or favoritism and with the sole concern of providing for the people of this County a progressive and efficient system of schools.

J. Frank Browning J. E. Cabe C. G. Moore E. E. Crawford J. R. Phillips.

For County Surveyor

Being impressed by the fundamentals of our great leader, Franklin D. Roosevelt, and all the leaders who have taken a part in the welfare of the "Forgotten Man," or human as you may call it, I candidate for representative in the hereby announce myself as a can-General Assembly from Macon didate for the office of County County, subject to the Democratic Surveyor for Macon County, N. C., subject to the Democratic party at the primary election to be held the 25th day of May, 1940.

I further state that during my administration as your humble servant that I tried to deal four-square in service to the public, not being bound by any class, clan or crown that is not Democratic-come unto me and I will continue to give you service as surveyor, and deed making so far as I am able to perform. Yours respectfully,

John H. Dalton, Present County Surveyor for Macon County, N. C.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S C. T. A. NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator C. T. A. of Arie Collins, deceased, late of Macon county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said Macon County, subject to the Dem- deceased to exhibit them to the ocratic primary on May 25. If undersigned on or before the 24th nominated and elected, I pledge day of April, 1941, or this notice my best efforts to the interest of will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make im-Cowee Township mediate settlement.

This 24th day of April, 1940. C. W. POTTS, Administrator C. T. A.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of thence N 14 deg. W 27 poles to in which the above named defen-Mary Chapin Smith, deceased, late a chestnut oak; thence N 26 deg. dants have an interest, and the of Macon county, N. C., this is to E 12 poles to a poplar; thence N notify all persons having claims 170 poles to S. C. Conley's corner; against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 11th day of April, 1941, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate settlement. lynn; thence S 15 deg. W 36 poles for the relief demanded in said This 11th day of April, 1040. S. T. MARETT,

Executor A18-6tp-M23

NOTICE OF SALE

ber of the Board of Commissioners Macon County Under and by virtue of the Democratic primary on May 25. power of sale vested in the poplar; thence N I4 W 27 poles to If reelected, I shall continue to undersigned trustee by deed of serve the county to the very best trust executed by J. E. Bradley to of my ability as I have done dur- the undersigned trustee dated 27th September, 1937 and recorded in poles to the beginning. C. L. Blaine. the office of Register of Deeds for Macon County, North Carolina in Book of Mortgages and Deeds of Trust No. 35, at page 362, the undersigned trustee will, at 12 o'clock noon on June 3,

> described real estate: Lots Nos. 74, 75, 76 and 77 in a plat of land known as the G. M. Bulgin Farm Subdivision in

Franklin Township, Macon County, candidate for member of the Board North Carolina, on State Highway of County Commissioners, subject No. 28, as shown by survey and to the Democratic primary May 25. plat made by J. Wayne Higdon, Surveyor, September, 1937, which of Columbia in every way possible and will do plat is recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Macon County in Plat Book No. 1 at page 86, to which said survey and plat and record thereof reference Ellijay Township is hereby made and had for a Superior Court of said County by more particular description of the lands hereby conveyed. This deed of trust given to secure purchase money notes.

1940, sell at the courthouse door

in Franklin, North Carolina to

the highest bidder the following

This land is being sold because of default made in the payment of the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust.

This the 3rd day of May, 1940. J. H. STOCKTON,

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NOTICE OF RESALE North Carolina, Macon County.

Elva Welch

Harley Welch, et al. Pursuant to an order of resale

on the 3rd day of May, 1940, I Clerk of said Superior Court and defendants will further take notice will, on Monday the 3rd day of June, 1940, at 12 o'clock noon, sell ported unless its maker shall de-within thirty days in the office of at public auction to the highest posit with said Clerk at the close the Clerk of the Superior Court bidder for cash, the following described land, lying and being in Macon County, North Carolina, and and guaranty of compliance with in said action or the plaintiff will

lows: County, subject to the Democratic oak corner of Sec. No. 18 and 19, and runs N 100 poles to a stake If nominated and appointed to and pointers; then W 147 poles to work for the upbuilding and then S 100 poles to a hickory; progress of the educational system then E 93 poles to a hickory in the south boundary line of Entry pine; then S 82 E 20 poles to a stake; then S 87 E 16 poles to a stake; then N 82 E 10 poles to a stake; then N 65 E 16 poles to a stake, the graveyard in J. J. McCoy's west boundary line; then with said line N 19 poles to the beginning.

The last and highest bidder at said sale will be required to deposit five per cent of the amount of said bid with the undersigned Caler, et al. Commissioner, and upon failure of said bidder to do so said Commissioner will resell land immedi-

This the 3rd day of May, 1940. G. L. HOUK, Commissioner

M9-4tc-M30

NOTICE OF SALE North Carolina, Macon County.

Olive Vanhook and husband, Law rence Vanhook, et al.

Charles Rogers, administrator of the estate of A. M. Justice, deceased, et al.

Pursuant to a judgment of the Superior Court entered in the above entitled cause on Monday the 8th day of April, 1940, I will, on Monday, the 3rd day of June, 1940, at 12 o'clock noon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, the following described land, lying and being in Macon County, North Carolina, and more particularly described as follows:

In Smithbridge Township. Being a fraction of Entry 9300, lands of H. N. Conley and bounded as follows: BEGINNING at a locust stake on the banks of Tesenta Creek near the mouth of the branch, runs S 8 W 170 poles to a chestnut; then E 60 poles to a hickory; then N 15 E 164 poles with top of ridge to a Spanish Sutton; Van Sisk and wife,oak, Justice's corner; then N 10 Sisk; Ruby Sisk Gouge and hus-W 36 poles to a stake on the band, A. E. Gouge; and Emma bank of the creek; then W with Sisk, the meanders of creek 140 poles | The defendants, John M. Sutton to the beginning, containing 118 and wife, - Sutton, will take manded in said complaint. acres, more or less.

in A. J. Justice's line, runs thence to the end that the plaintiff may

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thence E 38 poles to an old corner; thence S 170 poles to an old Superior Court of Macon County, corner; thence W 20 poles to a N. C. and answer or demur to the poplar; thence S 22 poles to a complaint in said action or the chestnut; thence E 26 poles to a plaintiff will apply to the Court to the beginning. Containing 50 complaint. acres more or less.

Excepting from the above grant the following tract sold by A. M. Justice to S. C. Conley.

BEGINNING at an old corner runs thence S 61/2 W 198 poles to a chestnut in south boundary line; thence N 80 W 14 poles to a a chestnut; thence N 26 E 12 poles to a poplar; thence N 178 poles to an old corner; thence E 38

The last and highest bidder at said sale will be required to deposit five per cent of the amount of said bid with the undersigned Commissioner, and upon failure of said bidder to do so said Commissioner will resell the land immediately.

This the 3rd day of May, 1040. G. L. HOUK, Commissioner

M9-4tc-M30

NOTICE OF RESALE North Carolina Macon County The Federal Land Bank

W. N. Grist, et al. Pursuant to an order entered in the above entitled action on the 29th day of April, 1940, in the the Clerk ordering a resale of the land hereinafter describd, will on Monday, the 20th day of May, 1940, at the courthouse door in Franklin, North Carolina, resell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described lands situated in Fiats

Township, Macon County, North

Carolina: Being known as the J. C. Strong property and being the same lands described in a deed from Gilmer A. Jones, Commissioner, to The Federal Land Bank of Columbia, said deed bearing date of January 4, 1937, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for Macon County in Book A-5 of

Deeds, page 316. All bids will be received subject the above named defendants have entered in the above entitled cause to rejection or confirmation by the an interest, and the above named of the bidding the sum of FIFTY of Macon County, N. C. and (\$50.00) DOLLARS, as a forfeit answer or demur to the complaint more particularly described as fol- his bid, the same to be credited apply to the Court for the relief

on his bid when accepted, place and upon the same terms at 2 o'clock p. m. of the same day unless said deposit is sooner made. Every deposit not forfeited or accepted will be promptly returned to the maker.

This 29th day of April, 1940. GILMER A. JONES, Commissioner

M9-2tc-M16

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION North Carolina Macon County

In The Superior Court
S. Conley, Administrator of the Estate of Allie Caler, Dec.

Raleigh Caler and wife, Lucy

The defendants, Raleigh Caler, Caler, Kate Caler, John Caler, Caler Savage, Ben Savage, Royal Caler, Carre Powell, Robert Powell, Garland Caler, Mary Darvin, Piercy Darvin, Drury Caler, Lula May Caler, Paul Caler, and all unknown heirs of Allie Caler, deceased, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been the lands of Allie Caler, deceased, be sold to make assets to pay debts of said estate, and the above named defendants will further take notice that they are to appear within thirty days in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Macon County, N. C. 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 1st day of May, 1940. HARLEY R. CABE, Clerk of the Superior Court M2-4tc-M23

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION North Carolina, Macon County. In The Superior Court

Macon County John M. Sutton and wife, -

notice that an action as above en-Also State Grant No. 14,718, titled has been commenced in the BEGINNING at a mountain oak Superior Court of Macon County

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N 80 deg. W 38 poles to a poplar; foreclose a tax lien covering lands above named defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear within thirty days in the office of the Clerk of the

This the 8th day of May, 1940. HARLEY R. CABE, Clerk of the Superior Court M9-4tc-M30

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION North Carolina, Macon County.

In The Superior Court Macon County

L. W. Ashe and wife, -The defendants, L. W. Ashe and wife, - Ashe, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Macon County to the end that the plaintiff may foreclose a tax lien covering lands in which the above named defendants have an interest, and the above named defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear within thirty days in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Macon County, N. C. 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 8th day of May, 1940. HARLEY R. CABE, Clerk of the Superior Court

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Macon County. In The Superior Court Macon County

Victor Shiddles and wife, Lois Shiddles; Tom Franks and wife, Mary Franks; George Shiddles; Louise Bingham Shiddles Hamilton and husband, Thurman Hamilton; Clayton Chevrolet Company, R. S. Jones, Trustee, and H.

Arthur Osborne. The defendants, Clayton Chevrolet Company, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Macon County to the end that the plaintiff may foreclose a tax lien covering lands in which within thirty days in the office of demanded in said complaint.

This the 8th day of May, 1940. HARLEY R. CABE, Clerk of the Superior Court

M9-4tc-M30 NOTICE OF PUBLICATION North Carolina, Macon County.

In The Superior Court Macon County N. G. Williams, Mrs. N. G. Williams, Mrs. S. E. Penland, Ras

Penland, N. G. Williams, Admr. of Estate of R. V. Williams; Junaluska Lodge No. 145 A. F. & A. M., A. S. Gregory and Sinclair Refining Company. The defendants, Sinclair Refining Company, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior

Court of Macon County to the end Lucy Caler, Jess Caler, George that the plaintiff may foreclose a tax lien covering lands in which Lethia Caler, Lester Caler, Bertha the above named defendants have an interest, and the above named defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear within thirty days in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Macon County, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaincommenced in the Superior Court tiff will apply to the Court for the of Macon County to the end that relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 8th day of May, 1940. HARLEY R. CABE, Clerk of the Superior Court

M9-4tc-M30 NOTICE OF PUBLICATION North Carolina, Macon County. In The Superior Court

Macon County

VS. Elsie Brunnabend The defendants, Elsie Brunnabend, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior Court of Macon County to the end that the plaintiff may foreclose a tax lien covering lands in which the above named defendants have an interest, and the above named defendants will further take notice that they are required to appear within thirty days in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Macon County, N. C. and answer or demur to the complaint in said action or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief de-

This the 8th day of May, 1940. HARLEY R. CABE,

Clerk of the Superior Court