

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

FALSE PROPHETS.

International Sunday School Lesson for May 19, 1940

Golden Text: "Prove all things; hold fast that which is good."—I Thess. 5:21.

Lesson Text: Jeremiah 23:21-32

Between the ministries of the prophets Isaiah and Jeremiah there was an interval of seventy years. The son of Hilkiah, who lived at Anathoth, near Jerusalem, Jeremiah, was consecrated to God before his birth. He began his ministry at his birthplace but soon moved to Jerusalem, where most of his life was spent. There for more than forty years, he faithfully proclaimed God's message and passed through the most trying and soul-stirring experiences.

Jeremiah's ministry was a life-long martyrdom. Answering the call of God, it was his task to stand up boldly alone and tell the people of their sins and of the coming destruction of the Temple. Fearlessly he preached the truth of God, but the people did not want to change their ways and refused to believe him. So bitter did they become against him that at one time his own townspeople tried to murder him and his own family treated him treacherously. Even the religious leaders of his day thrust him into stocks for blasphemy when he prophesied of the destruction of the Temple.

Lulled into complacency by the false teachings and leadings of the popular prophets of that day, the people were too comfortable to be aroused by the stirring messages of Jeremiah, especially when he was openly condemned by these prophets. They preferred to believe the false prophets who preached a soft, easy, comfortable religion. The land was full of them—astrologers, fortune-tellers, wizards, and witches, healers of various sorts, who were growing rich on the ignorance, superstition and wickedness of the ease-loving people.

When Nebuchadnezzar, the Babylonian conqueror, attacked Jerusalem Jeremiah predicted its complete overthrow and the captivity which would follow. For this kind of talk, his countrymen called him a traitor. The

false prophets assured the king and the people that no harm would come to the city, but, in the face of the fierce hatred and opposition of his people, Jeremiah continued to preach his unpopular messages from God.

How pertinent is this lesson for us today! On every hand we are confronted with the task of winnowing the true from the false. We are being assailed with cleverly concealed propaganda from the war fronts, designed to mould public opinion. Expertly-worded advertisements often-times carry false propaganda, and especially is this true in the case of liquor advertisements. And, sad to say, we today are often exposed to the teaching and preaching of false prophets, who, like the false prophets in Jeremiah's time, claim to have been called of God, to speak for God and to act for God, when, as a matter of fact, they never received the divine call at all.

How do we tell the true leader from the false? Jesus gives us an excellent rule to follow, in Matthew 7:15 and 16. "Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves. Ye shall know them by their fruits. . . ." A little careful study of the life and works of any leader, whoever he or she may be will reveal the sincerity or insincerity of that particular person. We will not be influenced too greatly by outward appearances, but will rather be guided by his or her actions. Does he practice what he preaches? Does association with this person lead one to a better life?

Jeremiah died a martyr's death—stoned at the hands of his fellow-townsmen, but time vindicated his preaching. Jesus died on a cross—crucified by his own people, but the centuries which have followed have proved the truth of his teachings and the blessings which come to those who try earnestly and sincerely to follow his leading.

It isn't always easy to speak the truth as it is revealed by God. It takes courage to endure the ridicule which often accompanies the unpopular truth, the unkindness of those from whom one has a right to expect the opposite and the loneliness which results from being different from the crowd. Jeremiah, Jesus, Paul and scores of others have had this kind of courage. What about you?

Harris Leading Candidate For Lt. Governor

Served in General Assembly Five Consecutive Terms; Elected Speaker in 1933 Without Opposition

Attention of the readers of The Weekly is called to the advertisement of R. L. Harris of Roxboro, leading candidate for the Democratic nomination as Lieutenant Governor of North Carolina.

Mr. Harris' record of private and public service to his state offers an impressive catalogue of tasks well done, reflecting credit to himself and to those with whom he has worked. For five successive terms, 1927 to 1935, he represented the people of his native Person County in the House, and in 1933 he was honored by being chosen Speaker of the House without opposition.

As Speaker he was universally regarded as a fair and capable presiding officer. Mr. Harris, who is not a lawyer, but a successful business man and cotton manufacturer, presided over an assembly which was largely composed of lawyers. He won their respect and admiration, just as he has won and held the respect and admiration of all people with whom he has come in contact during an active life.

By gubernatorial appointment he is a member of the State Textbook Commission and the Board of Directors of the North Carolina Tubercular Sanatorium. In the work of both groups he is actively and vitally interested. During his service in the House, in addition to being Speaker, he was Chairman of the Appropriations Committee in 1931 and Chairman of the Education Committee in 1935. He has served as a member of the Advisory Budget Committee and is now a member of the Board of Trustees of the University of North Carolina.

He lives on the same lot on which he was born, and for the past 25 years has been treasurer of the Roxboro Cotton Mills. He is a director of The Peoples Bank and of the Roxboro Building and Loan Association. In all these fields of private endeavor he has achieved an enviable reputation for business knowledge and leadership.

Mr. Harris was married to Miss Katharine Long in 1913. They have three sons and three daughters who are an honor to the name they bear. This family finds much pleasure in simple living and friendly neighborliness.

In public and private life Mr. Harris has sought always to be true to himself and to his fellow men, and in so doing he has become a representative of the finest type which democracy can produce.

20th day of April, 1940.
SOUTHERN LOAN & INSURANCE COMPANY, Trustee,
(Formerly Southern Trust Company)
By Worth & Horner, Attorneys,
Elizabeth City, N. C.
apr.26,may3,10,17

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION
Having qualified as Administrator of the estate of Caleb T. White, deceased, late of Perquimans County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at Hertford, N. C., Route 3, on or before the 16th day of April, 1941, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This 16th day of April, 1940.
MRS. ANNIE LEE WHITE,
Administratrix of Caleb T. White
apr.26,may3,10,17,24,31

NOTICE OF SALE
By virtue of the authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Jerome W. Hurdle and wife, Flora W. Hurdle, and Henrietta Hurdle (widow), to Southern Trust Company, Trustee, on the 1st day of December, 1925, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Perquimans County, N. C., in Book 1, at page 30, default having been made in the conditions of said deed of trust, the undersigned Trustee will, on the 31 day of May, 1940 at 12:00 o'clock, Noon, at the Court House door of Perquimans County, N. C., offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:

All those certain lands containing 55 acres, more or less, situated on the Up River Road, about 10 miles from the town of Hertford, in Belvidere Township, Perquimans County, N. C., and adjoining the lands of Ashell Bros. Jessup E. Nixon heirs and others, and beginning on the West side of the road in the line of A. Jessup, and running North 27 degrees 30 feet E. 9 chains to a maple stump; thence N. 9 degrees W. 6.20 chains; thence N. 76 degrees 30 feet W. 20.50 chains along a lane; thence S. 30 degrees 30 feet W. 23.50 chains;

thence East 8 chains to the edge of the marsh; thence Southwardly along the edge of the marsh to a gum; thence East 2.70 chains; thence North 47 degrees East 3.15 chains to a gum; thence North 57 degrees East 3.15 chains; thence North 67 degrees East 9 chains to the beginning. Being the same lands conveyed to Quinton Hurdle by Rufus White and wife, by deed dated January 4th, 1878, and recorded in Book UU, Page 431, and by two deeds from J. A. White dated February 24th, 1885, and February 23rd, 1898, and recorded in Book UU,

Page 427, and Book 5, Page 529.
The above property will be sold subject to all taxes due and unpaid on day of sale.
A deposit of 5% of the amount bid will be required of the successful bidder at the hour of sale.
This notice dated and posted this 30th day of April, 1940.
SOUTHERN LOAN & INSURANCE COMPANY, Trustee,
(Formerly Southern Trust Company)
By Worth & Horner, Attorneys,
Elizabeth City, N. C.
may3,10,17,24

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Telephone means more to the farmer and his family than an aid in marketing. It keeps the farm home in touch with neighbors, relatives and friends. It affords protection in emergency—so important on the farm. Every farm should have a Telephone—for profit, for its social value, for protection.

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RYLAND NEWS

Mrs. Julia Boyce spent Wednesday as the guest of Mrs. Roy Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. McEhrie Jordan, of Virginia, were week-end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Boyce and children visited her parents near Sunbury, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Byrum, of Suffolk, Va., and Burfoot Ward, of Norfolk, Va., were guests of their mother, Mrs. Peninah Ward, Sunday.

A. D. Sakowski, of Baltimore, Md., spent the week-end with his wife and little daughter at the home of Mrs. Sakowski's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hollowell.

Mrs. Harriett Parks, of near Gliden, spent Sunday as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parks.

Miss Gertrude Jackson was in Edenton shopping Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carson Davis and baby, of near Gliden, were guests of Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Jordan, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chappell and family, of near Suffolk, Va., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hollowell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Boyce and children visited Mrs. N. H. Howell Saturday evening.

Pump Is "Heart" Of Farm Water System

Select the right kind of pump and be sure the water supply is pure, then you have solved the most important problems in installing a farm water system, declares Howard M. Ellis, agricultural engineer of the State College Extension Service. "The pump is the heart of the system, but of course it needs pure water to serve the farm family safely," he said.

"One of the simplest pumps is the hydraulic ram. This is a device for pumping water by means of water power. The conditions necessary for operating a ram are: A supply of water with a fall of at least two feet to the location of the ram, and sufficient fall below the ram to drain away the water used in its operation.

A shallow well pump may be used satisfactorily where ground water can be reached within 22 feet of the surface. For lifts between 23 and 100 feet, jet type pumps are becoming very popular. Deep well pumps set directly over the well may be used for lifts of more than 22 feet.

Continuing, Ellis said that an elevated tank should be a part of every farm water system, since it permits the flow of water to nearby points in the house and barns under pressure. If the shallow well hand pump is used, it should be set over the kitchen sink, since this is the point where the most water will be needed. An overhead tank may be installed with a hand-operated shallow well

pump, and from this tank water can be piped to other parts of the farmstead.

Ellis recommends the gravity system in the mountains and certain parts of the Piedmont, where the spring is at a higher elevation than the house. This does not require a pump, and is therefore the most economical in most instances.

SPIVEY FAMILY REUNION

The family of Mrs. R. L. Spivey, Sr., held a reunion on Mother's Day at the old home near New Hope. A picnic dinner was served on tables on the lawn and everyone enjoyed a sumptuous feast.

Those present were: Mrs. R. L. Spivey, Sr., Mrs. James E. Totten, of Panama Canal Zone; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ives, of Elizabeth City; Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Matthews, of Elizabeth City; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Clark, of Wilson; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Basinger, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Spivey, of Richmond, Va.; Mrs. C. E. Fletcher, of Washington, D. C.; Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Crafton Matthews; Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Spivey, of Oxford; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Spivey, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Spivey, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Spivey; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spivey, of Suffolk, Va.; Cathryn Spivey, Jim Johnson, Joe Seth Spivey, Miss Alice Roberson, Mr. and Mrs. John Wood, Billy Clark, Miss Ruth Winslow Caleb Ives, Jr., Bobby Clark, Helen and Anne Spivey, Jimmie Fletcher Betty Anne Spivey, Rosa Nelle Clark, Rachel Edith Spivey and Catherine Alice Matthews.

Mrs. Spivey, Sr., received numerous lovely gifts.

Unrepentant Jean had been naughty and had been sent into the den to "think things over." After a while she came out all smiles and said, "I thought and I prayed."

"Fine!" said her mother. "That will help you to be good."
"Oh, I didn't ask God to help me to be good," said the child. "I just told Him to help, you put up with me."

CLASSIFIED AND LEGALS

ARMY SHOES—NEW SHIPMENT. Rebuilt Army Shoes make ideal shoes for farm work. Julian E. Ward's Shoe Shop, Edenton.

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of the authority contained in that certain deed of trust executed by Alonzo D. Godfrey, to Southern Trust Company, Trustee, on the 1st day of January, 1925, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Perquimans County, N. C., in book _____, page _____, default having been made in the conditions of said deed of trust, the undersigned Trustee will, on the 21st day of May, 1940, at 12:00 o'clock, Noon, at the Court House door of

Perquimans County, N. C., offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property:

All those certain pieces, parcels or tracts of land containing 4½ acres, more or less, situate, lying and being on the Woodville-New Hope Road, about 10 miles from the town of Hertford, in New Hope Township, Perquimans County, North Carolina, and adjoining the lands of A. L. Godfrey and others, and more particularly described as follows:

FIRST TRACT: Beginning at the junction of the Woodville and Body Roads and running thence along the Body Road S. 64½ deg. West 38½ chains; thence N. 32 deg. W. 6.95 chains to a ditch; thence down the ditch N. 54 deg. E. 8 chains; thence N. 60 deg. E. 20½ chains; then N. 19 deg. W. 1 chain; thence N. 65 deg. E. 11.6 chains to the aforesaid Woodville Road; thence along said road S. 19 deg. E. 11.65 chains to the point of beginning, containing 36 acres.

SECOND TRACT: Beginning on the Body Road in the line of the Chas. Layden land and running thence along the road S. 66 deg. W. 10 chains to a point near the canal ditch; thence by the side of said ditch seven chains; thence N. 66 deg. E. to the line of the Layden land, thence along said line to the beginning, containing seven and one-half acres.

The aforesaid two tracts of land being each designated as Lot No. 1 on a certain plat made by J. P. Winslow, Surveyor, duly filed in the office of the Clerk Superior Court of Perquimans County, in the file of a special proceeding entitled "Mrs. Sophie M. Godfrey, et als, vs. H. C. Godfrey et als, instituted for the partition of the lands of Stephen M. Godfrey, deceased father of said A. D. Godfrey, and being the lands allotted to said A. D. Godfrey in said partition, said plat being also recorded in Plat Book in the office of the Register of Deeds of Perquimans County.

The above property will be sold subject to all taxes due and unpaid on the day of sale.

A deposit of five per cent of the amount bid will be required of the successful bidder at the hour of sale. This notice dated and posted this



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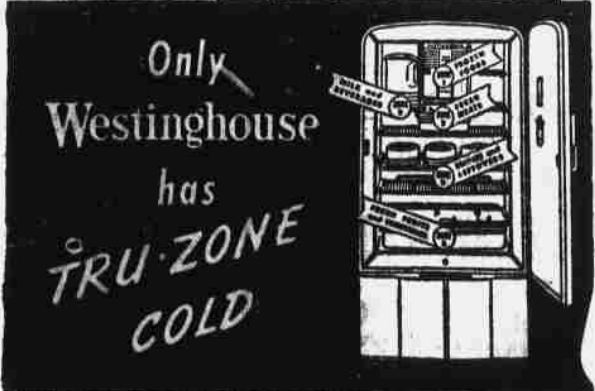
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