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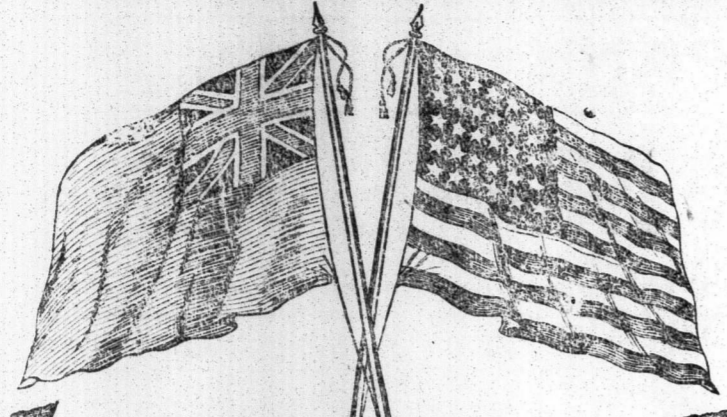
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AUCTION SALE Of Real Estate

W. J. Bragg has received instructions to offer for sale by public auction on the premises at 221 West Mill street, near the Winney Mill, on Saturday next, at 7 o'clock in the evening, the following property: Two-story red pressed brick house, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, 3-piece, large hall, parlor, dining room, kitchen, pantry, hard and soft water, gas and electric lights, three cellars and furnace, dum water to cellar. Lot 33 by 132. This property is new and is a choice home. Terms made known time of sale, at 7 o'clock in the evening, at 221 West Mill street, Saturday next, May 19th. Sold subject to reserve bid. Mrs. Giddie, Proprietress. W. J. Bragg, Auctioneer.

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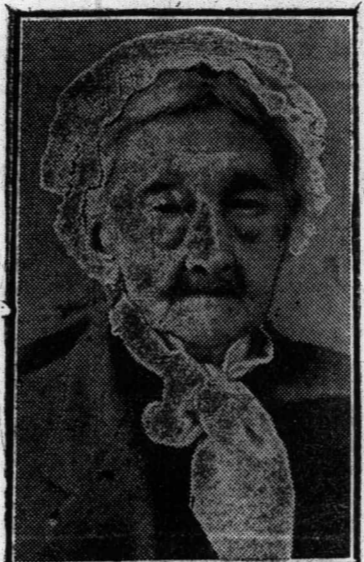
Lesson VIII.—Second Quarter, For May 20, 1917.

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Text of the Lesson, Isa. xxviii, 1-13. Memory Verse, 7—Goden Text, 1 Cor. 9-25—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns

The title of this lesson is "The Importance of Self Control," and that fits well into the last lesson, for we cannot be faithful unless Spirit controlled. According to the Golden Text and its context, the self life must be persistently reckoned dead if we would win the incorruptible crown. Paul in that passage had no thought or reference to the loss of his soul, but was speaking only of service, which he knew might be rejected or disapproved, and he suffered loss, according to 1 Cor. iii, 14, 15. This is called a temporary season. I suppose because of its references to drunkenness, and strong drink (verses 1, 3, 7, 8), but the whole chapter and the context refer to those who scorn the word of the Lord and take refuge in lies (verses 14, 15). No doubt the priest and prophet, as well as the people, were given to wine and strong drink, and thus were out of the right way, drinking themselves drunk like those in 1 Kings xvi, 9; xx, 16. The fitness and beastliness of actual drunkards are seen in lesson verse 8, and those who continue such cannot enter the kingdom of heaven, but there are forgiveness and salvation for a kind of sinners if they will only turn to the Lord, according to 1 Cor. vi, 9-11. In the next chapter (xxix, 9) there are a drunkenness and a staggering with which wine and strong drink had nothing to do. It was the religious, scholarly kind so prevalent today, a sleep from the Lord because they turned away from His word and said that they could not understand it. He called it drawing near to Him with their mouth only, while their heart was far from Him, and they were giving heed to precepts of men and not to His precepts (xxix, 13). They said to the seers, "See not," and to the prophets: "Prophecy not unto us right things; speak unto us smooth things. Prophecy deceits. * * * Cause the Holy One of Israel to cease from before us" (Isa. xxx, 8-11). According to Ezekiel xxxiii, 31, they hear, but do not heed with their mouth they show much love, but their heart goeth after their covetousness. It was just the same when our Lord was on earth, for He quoted from Isaiah and said, "In vain do they worship Me, teaching for doctrines the commandments of men" (Matt. xxiii, 2). There is only one true foundation, and that is the tried stone, the precious cornerstone, the sure foundation of xxviii, 16, spoken of so plainly in 1 Cor. iii, 11. All else is lies and from the father of lies, the devil, but we shall be swept away by the judgments (verses 17, 18). "There is no rest for weary souls but in Him who said, "Come unto me all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest" (Matt. xi, 28). But He still has to say, "Ye will not come unto me" (John v, 40). So in our lesson, verse 12, (John v, 40) "In the rest wherewith you may cause the weary to rest, and this is the refreshing, yet they would not hear." Again in chapter xxx, 15, "In returning and rest shall ye be saved; in quietness and in confidence shall be your strength, and ye would not believe when I said, 'I will rest upon you and ye shall know that I am the Lord, and ye shall say, "I would; * * * ye would not" (Matt. xxiii, 37). These scornful men mocked the Lord's messengers, saying, Does He think that we are children just weaned, that he must be ever repeating precept upon precept, line upon line, not knowing that there is no other way for such slow people as we are? But they were proud and rebellious (verses 9-14). They mocked the messengers of God and despised His words and misused His prophets until the wrath of the Lord arose against His people, till there was no remedy (II Chron. xxxvi, 15, 16). There was a restoration from Babylon after the seventy years' captivity, but there is to be a greater restoration, which is ever drawing nearer, after which they shall never be scattered again nor see evil any more (Isa. xl, 10-12; Jer. xxxi, 38-40; Zeph. iii, 15). Then shall Israel blossom and bud and fill the face of the earth with fruit, and the earth shall be filled with the knowledge of the Lord, and a king shall reign in righteousness and the work of righteousness be quietness and assurance forever (Isa. xxvii, 6; xl, 9; xxxii, 1-17). The father of lies and all his deceived ones shall go to their own place, and there shall be one king over all the earth (Rev. xix, 20; xx, 10; Matt. xxv, 41; Zech. xiv, 9). Until that time only the meek shall increase their joy in the Lord, and the poor among men shall rejoice in the Holy One of Israel (xxix, 19). As in Matt. v, 3, 5, "Blessed are the poor in Spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven; blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth;" also in Matt. xi, 29, "Take my yoke upon you and learn of me, for I am meek and lowly in heart, and ye shall find rest unto your souls." All other beauty but His is a fading flower, for all flesh is grass, and all the goodness thereof is as the flower of the field. The grass withereth, the dower fadeth, but the word of our God shall stand forever (verses 1-4; chapter xl, 6-8). There has always been a remnant, a little flock, to whom the Lord has been their all in all—the Abels, the Enochs, the Noahs.

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