

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON: IV.—JULY 28, 1912.

The Wheat and the Tares.—Matt. 13: 24-30, 36-43.

Commentary.—I. The parable (vs. 24-30). 24. Another parable put forth...

27. The servants of the householder.—This expression brings to us the picture of an extensive farmer with a large farm and several servants...

II. The parable interpreted (vs. 36-43). 36. Went into the house.—Having finished His public instruction for the time being...

a common figure in the New Testament to describe the retributions of the wicked will be destroyed, but not annihilated.

Questions.—Where and to whom was the parable of the tares spoken? What is meant by the kingdom of heaven?

Practical Survey.—Topic.—World-wide conditions. I. Good and evil exist together. II. All men are maturing for judgment.

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II. All men are maturing for judgment. This life is a season of probation. The Lord reserves judgment to the end of the world.

III. The righteous will shine as the sun. There the righteous will shine as the sun. It may not now be understood how the discipline of life fits the soul for the fruition of the future.

Lord Kitchener All Classes of Egyptians Ask His Advice. Vienna, July 22.—General Sir Rudolph Slatin Pasha, the inspector-general of the Sudan, who is spending the first part of his annual leave here, states that Lord Kitchener is keeping people on the move.

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In the Poultry World

LIGHTNING DOES NOT KILL UN-HATCHED CHICKS An old theory is that a severe thunder and lightning storm will kill the unborn chicks in the shell, should that storm come up a week or so before the hatch is due.

White Hens in New England the writer one day made a trip to the poultry men of Lowell, Mass., and among the places visited was a poultry plant run by William Nichols.

GROUND BONE IS VALUABLE IN DEVELOPING FLOCK No doubt some poultry growers wonder what is the special value of ground bone, that all writers on the subject of making hens lay in winter invariably include in the prescribed rations.

TO FIND THE AGE OF EGGS. The following method of determining the age of eggs is said to be practiced on the markets of Paris: About six ounces of common cooking salt is put into a large glass which is then filled with water.

MARKET REPORTS

TORONTO MARKETS. FARMERS' MARKET. Dressed hogs—11.00 to 11.50. Eggs, dozen—0.27 to 0.28.

WINNIPEG GRAIN EXCHANGE. Wheat—Open, High, Low, Close, Prev. July—106 1/2, 106 3/4, 106 1/4, 106 1/2, 106 1/2.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET. Minneapolis—Wheat—July, 1.02 1/2; Sept., 94c; Dec., 85c to 90c.

CHEESE MARKETS. Yankleek Hill—457 boxes of cheese were boarded and sold here to-day, white selling at 12 1/2c and colored at 12c.

DELUATH GRAIN. Duluth—Wheat—No. 1 hard, 1.07; No. 2 northern, 1.06; No. 2 northern, 96c asked, December, 96c nominal.

BUFFALO LIVE STOCK. East Buffalo, N. Y. despatch—Cattle—Receipts 125 head; fairly active and steady.

LIVERPOOL PRODUCE. Liverpool Despatch—Wheat, Steady, No. 2 western winter, 38 1/2; No. 2 Manitoba, nominal; No. 3 Manitoba, 39 1/4.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. Chicago Despatch—Cattle, receipts 2,500; market slow, weak.

THE C. P. R. AND PANAMA CANAL

U. S. Senators Blame Railways for the Trouble

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