

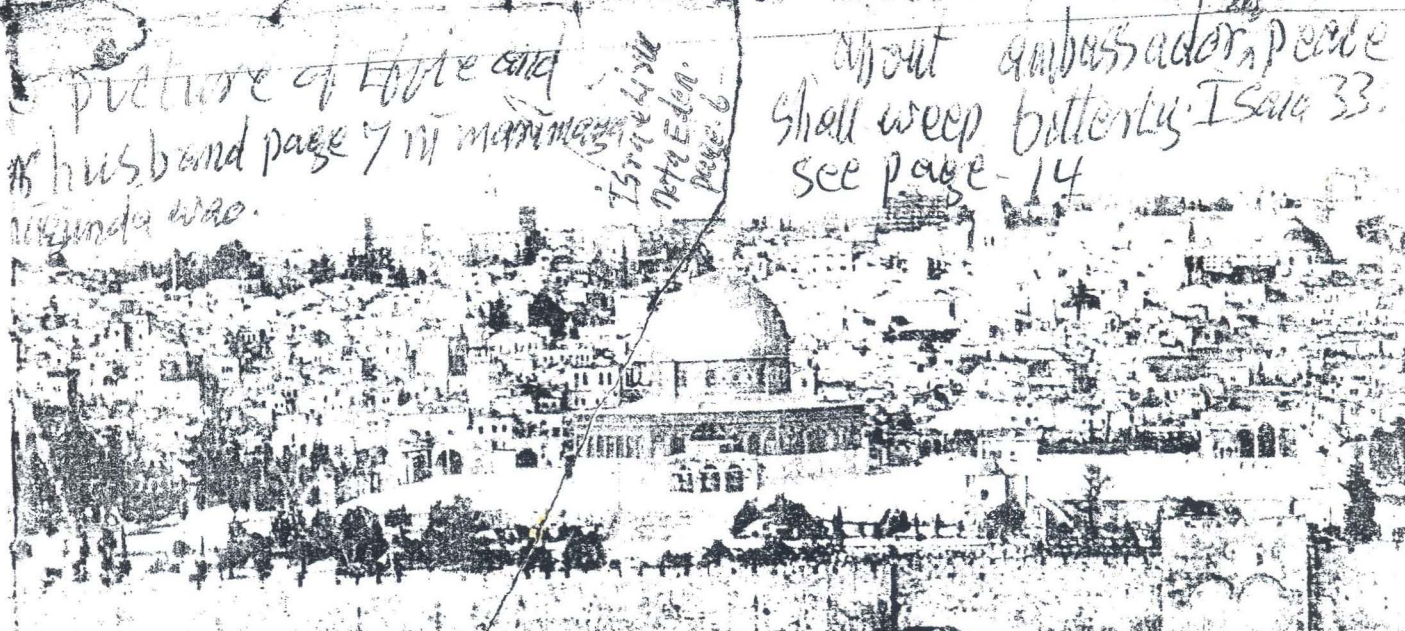
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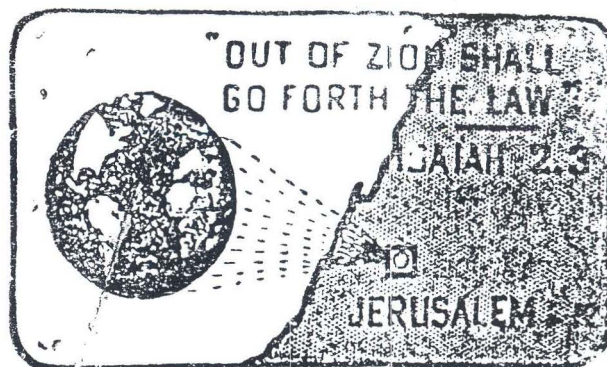
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## WATCHMAN WHAT OF THE NIGHT?

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Watchman, what of the night? Watchman, what of the night? This is the anxious cry of the Prophet; the Watchman replied: "Babylon is fallen, is fallen; and the graven images of her gods are broken to the ground!" Babylon, the greatest and richest city of many ages. Situated on both sides of the great river Euphrates, capital of the Assyrian empire in the height of its splendor; home of the captive Jews!

So let us view the modern Babylon.

In the Revelation letter ancient Babylon is used as an illustration of the city of Rome and the Papal power as in the days of the Apostles. — Rev. 17.

Now, some writers compare our own country — the mighty U.S.A. — to the ancient city of Rome. And why not? We see opulence on every side.

In the early days of our fathers we experienced a great depression, following World War I; then a lesser depression following World War II but since then the "Horn of Plenty" brought on Welfare, Social Security, and with it fancy clothes, "A chicken in every pot", shiny automobiles, air planes — and loose morals!

For the first time in our history a President and a governor have been elected for a third term in succession! While Hi-Jackers like the locusts of Revelation 9: 3-11 roam the sky after robbing the citizens below.

On land, earthquakes have given place to destruction by floods, fires, cyclones, airplane and train wrecks along with rebellions in schools and among the working classes. Our Saviour's words are literally fulfilled. "... Upon the earth

for fear and looking after the things coming up on the earth (Luke 21:26) while the money Babylon harrangue over the worth of the pound sterling, the lire and the dollar!

Amid all this confusion — even like a small island rearing its head among the world's ocean of nations, the little nation of Israel rears its head! The voice of the Almighty is heard: "This generation shall not pass away till ALL be fulfilled! — Mat. 24: 14.

### Israel — The Overcomer!

"Now learn a parable of the fig tree: when his branch is yet tender and putteth forth leaves, ye know that summer is nigh: so when ye see these things come to pass, know that it is near, even at the doors. "Verily I say unto you, this generation shall not pass till all these things be fulfilled." — Matthew 24: 32-34.

As Israel used the fig tree as an emblem of their nation, so did the Messiah. — Jeremiah 24: 1-8.

Now the little nation of Israel is "yet tender" and is "putting forth her leaves! No nation, at such a tender age has accomplished as much in such a short time as little Israel! Israel stands forth as the bravest and staunchest of all the family of nations. As a prominent Reporter Walter Winchell once said: "... That brave, that glorious little nation — ISRAEL!"

The world knows how this people have been persecuted, driven from one end of the earth to the other since the fall of their country and its destruction by the Romans: How they have been harassed, cheated, derided, and slaughtered by almost every country in the world (except-



Yahweh Himself could have given them the stamina and courage to launch a ship of State at the time they did. But the Prophets had foretold it!

We remember how on that fourteenth day of May 1948 the English, who were supposed to be their protectors, pulled out of the harbor their ships and troops, leaving the infant nation to the mercy of the Arabs who, armed to the teeth, surrounded them on three sides, threatening to "Drive them into the sea". Did Israel cringe or falter? As soon as the Sabbath was past she, unarmed as to weapons, set to work to rebuild the railroads, power lines, post offices and other utilities which the British and Arabs had destroyed. Every one who could get a weapon or man a lookout (watchtower), including the women, were called to defend the Homeland, Israel knew it was a fight to the finish so many died fighting or trying.

As the dead-line approached in the spring of 1948 the "Arab Legion" stood on the border ready to advance and do their work, but this was not all. Syria, Lebanon, and Iraq also mobilized their armies and stationed them on the borders to the North and North-east with Egypt on the South, all of them determined to capture their part of the land, and to thus extend their borders but miracle after miracle happened confirming the presence of invisible armies of heaven to fight the battles for Israel as in times of old. Besides, there were two other nations joined in the league to wipe out the Jews, making a total of seven, exactly the number fighting against Israel when the twelve tribes came out of Egypt. See Joshua 24:11.

As soon as the British moved out, all of these armies moved in on the defenceless Jews, armed only with broom sticks, hoe handles mop sticks and anything that resembled a gun, each army having only two or three guns, which they would shoot here and there in different places in the trenches, so the sticks would be seen as guns by the enemy.

#### THE BEES FIGHT FOR ISRAEL

When the Arab Legion from the East, ten thousand strong, came across the border, many of their tanks were destroyed by the blowing up of the big dam on the Jordan when the tanks were in proper position in the valley along the river. Others were blown up by men of the Israel suicide squads, with bottles of nitro glycerine buckled around their bodies, as they hid near the approach and flung themselves against the tanks.

The Legion, without tanks, but supplied fully with guns and modern weapons, swept across Palestine from the East to near the approach of Tel Aviv, the metropolis of Israel. Thousands of swarms of honey bees were kept in the groves to the east of Petah Tikvah, a suburban city. As the army went into these groves and past them, the bees swarmed out of their hives by the hundreds of millions attacking the army from one end to the other. Dropping their weapons they frantically fought the bees and ran. Thus disarmed, with their guns in the hands of the Jews and smarting with their stings, they could only retreat, which they did in confusion.

The American News Papers carried front page news, headlines, "The Bees Fight For Israel", which is a well known fact by many now living in the U. S. The writer personally saw this in the American News Papers. We are again reminded of the time when Israel was faced by seven enemy nations in the time of Moses. We read as follows, "Moreover the Lord Thy God will send the hornets among thee, until they that are left and hide themselves from thee will be destroyed." Deut 7:20. Also, "And I sent the hornets before you, which drove them out from before

thy sword, or with thy bow. Joshua 24:12.

#### ANGELS APPEAR AS MEN ON THE BATTLEFIELD

As the approaching crisis of the midnight hour drew near when the British were to move out, and the hostile armies on the borders of Palestine were to move in on a handful of defenseless Jews, they called into service all boys from 12 years and upward, and mobilized whole armies of girls and young women, armed only with broom sticks or limbs off of trees and anything to resemble a gun. Trenches were dug around their cities and villages with these camouflaged weapons appearing portruded over the trench resembling the barrels of guns, and intermittent firing of one or two guns here and there along the lines made the enemy think they were approaching well armed and entrenched soldiers, so for days they delayed, being fearful to attack.

Finally to the entire surprise of the Jewish army officers, on one very important sector, they observed the approach of a group of Egyptian officers with white flags hoisted above their heads. They were struck with amazement, as well as fearful that these were attempting to play some game, when they offered to surrender their entire army provided, the prisoners would be safe and well cared for. The Jewish officers of course accepted their surrender consenting to the terms. When this had been agreed to, with the officers in the lead, the entire army of several thousand, reported as five thousand strong, marched up and laid down their arms. They were confined in a location surrounded by hills and by guarded armed Jewish soldiers as prisoners of war.

As soon as they had all surrendered, and laid down their arms, the Arab officers said to the Jews, "What became of the large army on these hills around."

The answer was, "All the army we have is here in the trenches." Then they said, "But we saw an army all over these hills and it looked like a million, and where are these three men with long white beards that came and told us to surrender the army or we would all be killed." The Jewish officers informed them that they knew nothing about this circumstance, but the Arab officers would not believe the Jews, and contended that the army was there in the hills as they had seen it.

No doubt they remembered their Creator's promise: "Fear not, I AM WITH THEE. . . will say to the north: "Give up"; and to the south, "Keep not back; Bring my sons from afar and my daughters from the end on the earth". — Isa. 43: 5.

Now Israel has conquered more land and is still standing as firm as a rock. The world was amazed at the lightning-like rapidity with which Israel moved and achieved victory over the enemy who were much better equipped in a military way as well as being much greater in numbers.

It was reported that Israel carried the TEN COMMANDMENTS and the Scrolls of the Laws of Zion in their vanguard as they made their decisive attack and after the victory was won they sang "The Song of Mosés" near the spot where it was sung after Pharaoh's host was drowned in the Red Sea almost 3000 years ago.

The enemy still threatens to push Israel back into the cramped quarters which they held before their Sinai victories including the Gaza Strip. Bible Students know this land has belonged to Israel since the time of their father

(Continued on page 20)



# MEDITATION AND ANSWER TO PRAYER

By H. Schlenker

1. What particular temptation is common to all men?  
"But every man is tempted, when he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed".

— James 1: 14.

2. What other foe does man have to contend with?  
"Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour."

— 1 Peter 5: 8.

3. Is there still another obstacle to man's spiritual advancement?

"Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him."

— 1 John 2: 15.

4. Can any one overcome these enemies in his own strength alone?

"I am the vine, ye are the branches: He that abideth in me, and I in him, the same bringeth forth much fruit: or without me ye can do nothing."

— John 15: 5.

5. What is required on our part if we are kept from our foes?

"Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak."

— Matt. 26: 41.

6. How much should we pray?

"Pray without ceasing."

— 1 Thes. 5: 17.

7. On what occasions did David receive strength and encouragement?

"When I remember Thee upon my bed, and meditate on Thee in the night watches."

— Psa. 63: 6.

8. What did he say of the man who was truly blessed?

"But his delight is in the law of the Lord; and in his law doth he meditate day and night."

— Ps. 1: 2.

9. Will such a condition of mind be distasteful to one who really loves God?

"My meditation of him shall be sweet."

— Psa. 104: 34.

10. How long ought one to continue this constant devotion?

"But he that shall endure unto the end, the same shall be saved."

— Matt. 24: 13.

11. What is special about those who live in the time when the Lord's coming is expected?

"Take ye heed, watch and pray: for ye know not when the time is... Watch ye therefore: for ye know when the master of the house cometh, at even, or midnight, or at the cockcrowing, or in the morning; coming suddenly he find you sleeping. And what I say unto you, I say unto all, Watch."

— Mark 13: 33-37.

12. As the Lord's coming draws near, what will make duty of prayer and watchfulness more imperative?

"Woe to the inhabitants of the earth and of the sea! because the devil is come down unto you, having great wrath, because he knoweth that he hath but a short time."

— Rev. 12: 12.

3. Can we at that time have all the help we desire

to withstand our enemies?

"Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whatsoever ye shall ask the Father in my name, he will give you."

— John 16: 23.

14. If help does not come when it is first asked, what should one do?

"And shall not God avenge his own elect, which cry day and night unto him, though he bear long with them? I tell you that he will avenge them speedily."

— Luke 18: 1, 8.

"Wait on the Lord: be of good courage, and he shall strengthen thine heart: wait, I say, on the Lord."

— Psa. 27: 14.

15. What blessed promise is vouchsafed to those who are found watching when the Lord comes?

"Blessed are those servants, whom the Lord when he cometh shall find watching: verily I say unto you, that he shall gird himself, and make them to sit down to meat, and will come forth and serve them."

— Luke 12: 37.

16. Have we assurance that we have a prayer hearing, and a prayer answering God?

"And this is the confidence that we have in him, that if we ask anything according to his will, he heareth us: and if we know that he hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of Him."

— 1 John 5: 14, 15.

17. What is said of the prayer of the righteous?

"The sacrifice of the wicked is an abomination to the Lord; but the prayer of the upright is his delight."

Prov. 15: 8.

18. What is said of the prayers of those who fight God's law?

"He that turneth away his ear from hearing the law, even his prayer shall be an abomination."

— Prov. 28: 9.

19. In what way did Daniel seek to understand the dream of King Nebuchadnezzar?

"That they would desire mercies of the God of heaven concerning this secret."

— Dan. 2: 18.

20. Did God hear, and answer the prayer of Daniel, and his fellows?

"Then was the secret revealed unto Daniel in a night vision."

— Dan. 2: 19.

21. Did Daniel return thanks to God because his prayers had been answered?

"Then Daniel blessed the God of heaven, Daniel answered and said, Blessed be the name of God for ever and ever: for wisdom and might are his."

— Dan. 2: 19, 20.

22. While Christ was here upon the earth, was it not his custom to return thanks to God, when His prayers had been answered?

"Then they took away the stone from the place where the dead was laid. And Jesus lifted up his eyes, and said, Father, I thank thee that thou hast heard me."

— John 11: 41.



23. In what way did Elias pray before his prayers were answered?

"Elias was a man subject to like passions as we are, and he prayed earnestly that it might not rain: and it rained not on the earth by the space of three years and six months."

— James 5: 17.

24. Without faith will God answer prayer?

"But let him ask in faith, nothing wavering. For he that wavereth is like a wave of the sea driven with the wind and tossed. For let not that man think that he shall receive anything from the Lord."

— James 1: 6, 7.

25. What does Christ say regarding the prayer of faith?

"Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them."

— Mark 11: 24.

26. Why does James say some prayers remain unanswered?

"Ye ask, and receive not, because ye ask amiss, that ye may consume it upon your lusts."

— James 4: 3.

27. When we approach God in prayer, through what medium should we come?

"And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him."

— Col. 3: 17, also see Eph. 5: 20.

Note. — To those who read, and study this lesson, are these thoughts dedicated. If you want God to hear and answer your prayers you must meet the conditions of the Bible. You must be willing to walk in the light as it comes to you, having an honest heart, always seeking more truth, and be willing to say, and to do all the Lord requires of you. Isaiah says in chapter 1: 19, "If ye be willing and obedient ye shall eat the good of the land." Other good thoughts are expressed in Isa. 55: 7; Prov. 15: 8, 9; 1 John 2: 4-6, and 1 John 3: 4-7. These scriptures apply to you. You should take heed and obey.

The Lord Yahshua (Christ), the Son of God, the head of the Church, says to you, and to me: "Have faith in God." — Mark 11: 22. (Read also 2 John, verse 3; Eph. 5: 23-24; Matt. 28: 18-20).

The Almighty says: "If My People which are called by My Name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek My Face, and turn from their wicked ways; THEN will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land". — 2 Chronicles 7: 14.

## DANIEL AND REVELATION

Now we have printed another twelve thousand of the book of Daniel together with the book of Revelation in the Hebrew, and twelve thousand in the English. We are sure that Gabriel and Michael through whom these great prophecies were given will be pleased for us, unitedly to give them to the "Chosen People" from whom they have been withheld all of

## THE SEVENTH DAY SABBATH, A SIGN

By Isaac N. Cramer

"Nevertheless the foundation (or the creation) of Yahweh standeth sure, having this seal (the seal of creation), which is the Seventh Day Sabbath. — See Genesis 2: 1-3; Exodus 29: 8-11; 31: 17-18; Ezekiel 18: 20, 23, 31-32; 20: 12, 19-20; 33: 8-9; 1 John 3: 4-7 — the seal of the creation), Yahweh knoweth them that are His. "And, let every one that nameth the Name of the Messiah depart from iniquity (or sin)". — 2 Timothy 2: 19.

Just as the Seventh Day Sabbath, which is the seal of creation, is a seal by which all true saints of the most High creative Spirit may know that their Creator is the One that forgives them, sanctifies them, and cleanses them from all unrighteousness, to set them apart for His holy purpose of saving the lost world from self destruction; just so, in like manner, is the religious observance of Sunday, the first day of the week, a sign or a mark of rebellion against the Creator, Who created man in His own image to have dominion over every living thing that moves upon the earth, and said: "If ye be willing and obedient, ye shall eat the good of the land: But if ye refuse and rebel, ye shall be devoured by the sword (or war); for the mouth of Yahweh hath spoken it". — Isaiah 1: 19-20.

Therefore the religious observance of Sunday, the first day of the week, is a sign of rebellion against the Creator, and is the mark of the beast, the great dragon, "that old serpent, called the Devil, and Satan, which deceiveth the whole world". — Revelation 12: 9.

## LIVE IN PEACE

You are the people of God; he loved you and chose you for his own. So then, you must put on compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. Be helpful to one another, and forgive one another, whenever any of you has a complaint against someone else. You must forgive each other in the same way that the Lord has forgiven you. And to all these add love, which binds all things together in perfect unity. The peace that Christ gives is to be the judge in your hearts; for to this peace God has called you together in the one body. And be thankful.

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# PAST CURSES AND FUTURE BLESSINGS FOR ALL PEOPLE

By THE EDITOR

"Zion saith, 'the Lord hath forsaken me, and my Lord hath forgotten me' - Can a woman forget her sucking child, that she should not have compassion on the son of her womb? Yea, they may forget. Yet will I not forget thee." — *Isaiah 49: 14-15.*

Many texts of scripture could be brought forth to show how the Lord has chosen Mount Zion in Jerusalem for her, since we have passed through the period of judgment and disappointment that many good things are now in store for her, since we have passed through the period of judgments and curses so numerous declared throughout the scriptures because of sin and wickedness within her borders.

We will notice just a few scriptures as follows, "Thy only cities are wilderness. Zion is a wilderness. Jerusalem desolation." — *Isa. 64: 10.*

"They build up Zion with blood, and Jerusalem with iniquity. Therefore shall Zion for your sake be ploughed as a field, and Jerusalem shall become heaps, and the mountain of the house, as the high place of the forest." — *Micah 3: 11-12.*

Then as we continue to read right on it says, "But in the last days it shall come to pass that the mountain (government) of the house of the Lord shall be established in the top of the mountains, and it shall be exalted above the hills, and people shall flow into it." —

Here is another very significant, and well known prophecy which is now in its process of fulfillment. The scripture reads, "Thou shalt arise and have mercy upon Zion, for the time to favor her, yea, the set time is come."

For thy SERVANTS take pleasure in her stones, and work the dust thereof, So the heathen (not the Father's children), shall fear the name of the Lord, and all the kings of the earth thy glory. When the Lord shall build up Zion, he shall appear in His glory. He will regard the prayer of the destitute, and not despise their prayers. His shall be written for the generations to come, and the people that shall be created shall praise the name of the Lord." — *Psalms 102: 13 to 18.*

Just before the coming of the Lord to judge the world, He gives a definite command to sound the alarm of His pending judgments from Zion. This command is given through the prophet Joel, as follows, "Blow ye the trumpet in Zion, and sound an alarm in my Holy Mountain. Let all the inhabitants of the land tremble, for the day of the Lord cometh, for it is nigh at hand." — *Joel 2: 1.*

The remnant people are not only commanded to give out the alarm from Mount Zion in Jerusalem, but they are also commanded to call a solemn assembly there. His scripture reads as follows. "Blow the trumpet in Zion, sanctify a fast, call a solemn assembly. Gather the people, sanctify the congregation, assemble the elders, gather the children and those that suck the breasts. Let the bridegroom go forth of his chamber, and the bride out of her closet. Let the priests, the ministers of the Lord weep between the porch and the altar, and let them say 'spare thy people, Oh Lord,'"

## THE FATHER'S COVENANT WITH ABRAHAM

God made a covenant with Abraham in *Genesis 15: 1*, "Unto thy seed have I given this land from the river of Egypt unto the great river Euphrates." The years have come and gone. Nations have risen and fallen, but the children of Israel have never held all of the land the Lord promised them. Only now are the returning Jews

lay desolate in the sight of all that passed by. And they shall say, this land that was desolate has become like the garden of Eden." — *Ezekiel 36: 33-35.*

Moses, Ezekiel, Isaiah, Jeremiah, and Zechariah all foretold of the time when Israel would return after the long period of desolation, and possess their land again, never to be rooted out again, "For the Lord shall comfort Zion. He will comfort all her waste places, and He will make her wilderness like Eden, and her deserts like the garden of the Lord, joy and gladness shall be found therein, thanksgiving and the voice of melody." — *Isaiah 51: 3.*

The ancient time the land of Palestine was known as the land flowing with milk and honey, but God has promised, "I will do better unto you than at the beginning (*Ezekiel 36: 11*), and now the fruitage of the soil of Israel is taking on Edenic/perfection. The British FRUIT TRADE JOURNAL says of the Israel orange, "It is excellent and approximates closely to perfection."

The great Negev desert formerly considered worthless is now blossoming as the rose, due to numerous gushing wells, and beneath it has been found a dome of oil. Drilling is going on, and oil is flowing out. The Dead Sea also considered worthless is yielding valuable minerals estimated to be worth thousands of billions of dollars.

Thus the time draws near for the invasion of Israel by Russia foretold by the prophet Ezekiel (*ch. 38*), but then the Lord will fight the battle as in times of old. The victory will be certain. A survey of Russia's might, and her eyes already coveting the rich prize of Palestine, it seems that our time to send forth the closing message to all the world is rapidly nearing its close.

Russia will be held back until the set time has come according to our heavenly Father's appointments, and then Ezekiel 38th chapter will be fulfilled. Remember, however, that the Lord is going to fight the battle, and the enemies of Israel will fall to never rise again.

## FROM INTERNATIONAL STANDARD BIBLE DICTIONARY VOLUME 3 PURCHASED AT JERUSALEM

"The Coenaculum close to the Moslem 'Tomb of David' (a site which has no serious claims), has been upheld by Professor Sanday (Sacred Sites of the Gospels) as one which has a very strong tradition in its favor. The most important evidence is that of Epiphanius, who states that when Hadrian visited Jerus in 130, one of the few buildings left standing was 'the little Church of God, on the site where the disciples, returning after the Ascension of the Saviour from Olivet, had gone up to the Upper room, for there it had been built, that is to say in the quarter of Zion.'"

In connection with this spot there has been pointed out from early Christian times the site of the House of Caiaphas and the site of the death of the Virgin Mary.

## PLEASE DO NOT FORGET!

Your entrance into the Kingdom will be blocked, and the door closed against you for: judging and condemning one-another. (*Luke 6:37*). For carrying a reproach against your neighbor (*Psalms 15:1 to 3*). For smitting (knocking) your fellow-servant. (*Matt. 24:49*). For hatred, variance, wrath or strife. (*Gal. 5:20, 21*).

"How beautiful upon the mountain are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace, and"



# LIFE IN ISRAEL

By EFFIE DUGGER

Shalom!

We extend love and best wishes to all our friends who love Israel and are praying for the Kingdom to come. We do appreciate all your prayers for the work going on from here all over the world. May the Father use us all for His glory.

Last month we were telling about the happiness we all had together when the Brethren were here from Germany and England and Bro. Freeman from U.S.A. Now they are gone, that is the sad part when we have to say goodbye.

Since the last paper went out it has also been our sad duty to bid Brother Schlenker his wife and children goodbye too. We had hoped right up to the last day that they would be allowed to stay in Israel. Such a sweet family is a blessing anywhere they go. They expected to stop in England a short time on their way to U.S.A. We miss their sweet fellowship and singing. We still believe that they will be allowed to come back or to come and go as they feel led.

Bro. Shoemaker received permission to visit India and he left on Monday the 24th of June the same day that Bro. Schlenkers left. May he be a blessing to others he meets; that is his purpose in life.

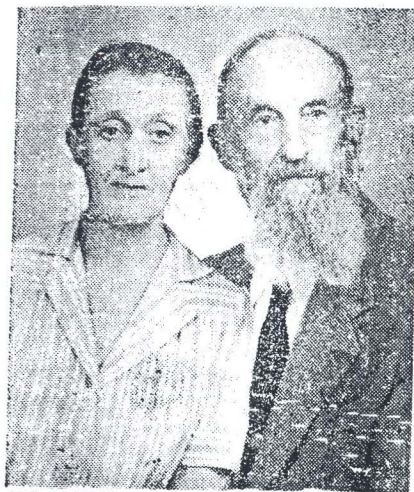
I would like to tell a little incident that happened to my husband and I several years ago. We had been advised to go back to the States and have our Passport made out different as the old one said that he was a Minister of the Gospel. Of course he had come here to edit this paper so it would be best to have that on the Passport. We were not sent by a Church or any group of people.

We had our return ticket so just after the Sinai war we were to be allowed to come back again. We traveled across the States expecting to board the ship at New York. We arrived at New York City just one hour before the ship was due to leave. So we told the Taxi man to try and get us to the ship. He drove to a kind of under-ground thoroughfare by which we could get there quickly.

We arrived there and got on the ship just when they were ready to pull up the gang-plank. They let us on. It seems they had already made out the list of passengers for the Dining Room and had sent it by cable to the Port in Haifa. We were not on the list but they gave us a room and served us food.

When we arrived at Haifa Port several workers in the port who knew us seemed surprised to see us. They began to gather around us and ask for some of our good literature. We did not know until afterwards that the police officials had received orders from a certain official of the Govt. here not to let us get off the Ship. But you see the Lord had arranged it so that our names were not on the list.

We have been here many years and have done



The Editor and Mrs. Dugger

no harm to Israel. In fact we are teaching many people all over the world to follow Israel concerning the law of the clean and the unclean meats, the True Sabbath as Israel keeps it, that they are not to forget the great miracles from heaven for which the Israel Holidays and Holydays stand, which had a deeper spiritual meaning when the Messiah came and gave His life an offering for sin.

The Government here has stood by us wonderfully in granting us the same liberty we enjoyed in America, and stood with us against the radical orthodox, for which we are grateful, while we printed and distributed more than a million and a half books and tracts over Israel.

The message of truth that we all love is spreading out from Jerusalem to the world now in seven languages, and we all keep busy. My husband is working long hours every day as usual, but spends an hour usually in the evening working in his garden from which we enjoy much of our food now, cucumbers, summer squash, lettuce, tomatoes, beets, turnips and beans etc.

Closing with love and best of wishes to all of our Reporter friends. — Shalom

## DANIEL AND REVELATION

Now we have printed another twelve thousand of the book of Daniel together with the book of Revelation, in the Hebrew and twelve thousand in the English. We are sure that Gabriel and Michael through whom these great prophecies were given will be pleased for us, unitedly to give them to the "Chosen People" from whom they have been withheld all of these years. Offerings for this work are needed.

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# Questions And Answers

## QUESTION.

Don't you think that frequent visits should be made between different groups of the Church of God, 7th day to encourage one another?

## ANSWER. —

There is not enough difference between any of these groups to keep them separate, and they should all treat each other as brothers and sisters, for the Creator is their Father and they are of the same family. They should all fellowship together, as one big group.

## QUESTION. —

Do you think it is wise to encourage members of the Church of God to name their children Jewish names?

## ANSWER. —

There are no Jewish names that I know of. As the Jews in general are Bible minded, they naturally have taken mostly Bible names for their children. These names are therefore Bible names, and why not follow this excellent example and also select Bible names for our children—

## QUESTION. —

Do you people observe the law of the clean and the unclean meats, as set forth in Lev. the 11th. chapter? If so why, when the New Testament tells us that it is not that which entereth into the mouth that defiles the man, but what proceedeth from the heart? — Matthew 15: 11.

## ANSWER. —

The clean and the unclean meats laid down in the Bible is for man's own good. All meats declared as unclean are health-destroying and life-shortening. This is a proven fact, tested many times. Those meats are forbidden. Then, when a person refuses to obey, and covets and purchases these forbidden meats with the intention of eating them; this disobedient act proceeds from the heart. It is not the actual eating that defiles.

When Eve ate the forbidden fruit she was defiled before she reached the forbidden tree; and even before she plucked the fruit. Her sin proceeded from the heart. Many drunkards use this same scripture for an excuse in drinking liquor. This however produces wrong thoughts in the drinker, and acts of sin.

## QUESTION. —

What about 1967, and how do you get that date, as a crisis period relative to Jerusalem and Israel? 1967AD

## ANSWER. —

This is a very good question, and one that people living close to a public library might find pleasure in studying. It is directly from the angel Gabriel and therefore we can depend on it as true. The only trouble is that historians differ as to when this important date occurred to which this prophecy is anchored.

We find it in Daniel 12: 10 to 13 that the wicked will not understand this prophecy, but that the WISE shall. Surely you, dear reader, are not wicked. Therefore you must be of the wise who understand this prophecy.

My father Elder A. F. Dugger-Sr. figured this prophecy by adding 622, the date of the Mohammedan Hegira, to the 1290 days or years, and wrote in his Bible which he gave to me, that the World War would begin in 1912 to 1914. The First World War began in the Balkan countries in the year 1912, and there has been no peace in this world since. Spreading to a World War in 1914. Ad

Gabriel said: "From the time the daily sacrifice is taken away and the abomination that maketh desolate is set up, there shall be a thousand, two hundred and nine-

ty days". — Ezek. 4: 4 and 6, tells us to take a day for a year. The Mohammedans (Arabs), etc., began their era in the year 622, with the Hegira. This was when the Mohammedan religion was set up. They have their Lunar calendars all over the Arab world which date from 622.

This is a fixed date with which all historians agree. The other date, however, is not so: "When the daily sacrifice was taken away". This is when the Jews were forced to discontinue offering the blood offerings here at Jerusalem. They returned here in great numbers following the Roman invasion of 70 A.D. "Sales' History of Mohammedanism" in about thirty volumes, gives this history. They killed the daily morning and evening sacrifice (until) the Moslems captured Jerusalem. This is a date of confusion, because historians so widely differ. When did it cease? This will give us the final period.

My old "Myers' General History" says it was in 632 A.D. or common era as they call it here.

Note. — The final number 1335 in verse 12 which reaches on to the time when "Daniel will stand in his lot." That is, he will be resurrected. Adding this to 632, it brings us to 1967.

But some historians say it was 635 A.D. and some say 637 A.D., Jerusalem was captured, and the daily sacrifice ended. Which is correct? Time will tell. We are very near the resurrection, and when it comes, then we will know which historian gave the correct date, for this prophecy is true. It will be interesting to search for this proper date. Perhaps some of you may find the right one.

## MAKING YOUR WILL

Our beloved Messiah has many true disciples today, whom the heavenly Father has blessed with an accumulation of property and wealth of earthly material; the greater portion of this should go back to Him when they are called away. It can be used here in giving out the gospel of salvation, and in this way their lives, or their work on earth for the Father will go right on.

Even if this is a late hour, we are commanded to occupy till he comes. Luke 19: 12 to 13. If He should come before your property is thus put to work, or even before you are called away, you will be rewarded for this act of faithful stewardship.

Make your will to "The Mount Zion Reporter", to be used in the gospel work, Jerusalem, Israel. This should be done properly before an attorney.

## JERUSALEM CHOSEN AGAIN

Zechariah 2: 12

"The Lord hath chosen Zion, He hath desired it for His habitation. This is my rest forever. Here will I dwell, for I have desired it. I will abundantly bless her provision. I will satisfy her poor with bread." — Psalms 132: 13 to 15.

"The Lord that made heaven and earth will bless thee out of Zion." — Psalms 134: 3.

"When the Lord shall build up Zion He shall appear in His glory." — Psalms 102: 16.



# Extracts From Readers Letters

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AFRICA. —

Dear Brother Dugger,

Let me make it very plain to you that your magazine "The Mount Zion" is very inspiring indeed. To me it is a true way one can hear the correct news of Israel and Middle East, as every report from it is given in the fear of the Lord.

This Reporter from Mount Zion makes me handle the Bible very often, because of some quotations in it concerning wonderful comments often mentioned.

Sincerely yours,  
C.E.

NIGERIA. —

Dear Elder and Sister Dugger,

I thank you and yours for the regular monthly mailing of your popular magazine "Mount Zion Reporter" to me. I am glad to say that it is an excellent publication with good articles and real information enriched with true Bible teaching.

God bless us.

O. S. I.

CALIFORNIA. —

Dear Brother Dugger,

I'm sorry to pass this bad news on to you, that my sweet little mother who was baptized by Elder H. H. Houston in 1962 and was a Christian and a wonderful mother, passed away Monday, May 20th, 1974 in In-lare District Hospital. She had some strokes, and the first bad one caused her to be hospitalized last August, 1973. Mother had not been very strong since dad's death in 1970.

I have heard her give her testimony about the Lord healing her of diabetes. And it's true.

I miss this sweet lovable mother so much, but have the consolation that she will live again. Hope it won't be long.

Sincerely,

Sister H. P.

NEVADA. —

Dear Brother Dugger,

Greetings in the precious name of Yahshua.

We enjoy receiving "The Reporter" and want to do everything we can to make sure that it will be continued to be sent to everyone.

Thank you for everything and may God bestow upon you his richest blessings.

Praise His Holy name.

Mr. and Mrs. R. R.

IDAHO. —

Greetings.

We of the Hebrew School of Boise, Idaho wish to let you know of our appreciation for the Bible that you sent to us. We also wish to convey to you and your family our prayers for your safety. We also thank you for "The Mount Zion Reporters" you enclosed. It helps us to see a side of Christianity that is not prevalent here in this area.

I, myself, think that you may have something akin to the original Jewish Christianity established by the man, Yahshua, and his disciples.

Geo. C.

ARIZONA. —

Dear Bro. Dugger,

Shalom! Greetings in Jesus' name to you and all your loved ones there.

We praise God for all the good work that is being done there in His name. He certainly blesses all who follow Him.

Our prayers go out for all who are seeking the kingdom and trying to help others find the way.

May He richly bless all of you.

In Christian love,  
A. S.

AFRICA. —

Dear Brother Dugger,

The magazines you send monthly are so interesting to me. It teaches me more about the word of God. The Bible. More especially about the God world, the conditions and also things happening in Israel. And about Sabbath. Your magazine is very very interesting to read.

Yours in Christ,

Nathaniel N.

BURMA. —

Dear Elder Dugger,

The work here is going forward steadily. The members are very much interested about the work there in Jerusalem. Whenever I received word from you, I translate it in our language and send it to the respective villages of our church members. Wherever I went, I always heard they are praying for Jerusalem and the work you carry on there. I saw that they are very much interested in Israel and Jerusalem as we are worshipping the God of Abraham, Isaac, Jacob and Israel.

Yours in the Master's service,  
Elder N. K. H.

CANADA. —

Dear Brother in Christ,

Greetings in His precious Name (Yahshua).

I rejoice with you for the response in your work that so many are receiving your literature and new testaments. We earnestly pray that many of these dear people will receive Jesus Christ while it is still the day of Salvation.

We are burdened as we think of, and see the worldward drift in our churches in America, so many, many are fast becoming luke-warm and even cold. It seems to me the Gentile age is fast coming to a close and that the Lord is looking to the Jewish people, as is prophesied in the Bible. This is a sign of the end time and thus the soon return of Jesus. What a glorious day that will be for all His saints, when we shall be forever with the Lord.

May God continue to bless your work. We are praying for you.

In Christian love,  
M. H. R.

AFRICA. —

Dear Brother in Christ,

I have just received the first Bible Correspondence Lesson and I come to know many things about the Bible. From the passage: "A Brief History of the Bible", it is the most wonderful and informative of its kind I have ever read.

It makes the Bible clear and understandable. I thank the Almighty God for opening my eyes to the truth, through your Bible Correspondence. May the God of heaven bless you in your good work for the coming King.

Maurice Abine.



# THE MIDDLE EAST CONTROVERSY

## ISAIAH'S WARNING

### TO ALL NATIONS OF THE WORLD

"Come near ye nations to hear, and harken ye people. Let the wrath hear, and all that is therein, the world and all things that come from it".

"For the indignation of the Lord is upon all nations and His fury upon all their armies. He hath utterly destroyed them. He hath given them to the slaughter". — Isaiah 34: 1, 2.

The prophet Isaiah tells us most definitely the purpose of, and the reason for, this vengeance and wrath of the Almighty to be poured upon all the nations of the world. Here is just what He says: "It is the day of the Lord's vengeance, and the YEAR OF RECOMPENSE for the CONTROVERSY OF ZION". Hence there is to be a controversy over Zion and Jerusalem to precede this great destruction. This is the way the Father in heaven is going to deal with certain nations and peoples because of their offense to Him in this controversy. In other words, He is to take sides in the conflict, and pour out His indignant wrath upon the offenders. — See Joel 3, Ezekiel 38, Zech. 14, and Rev. 16: 13-21.

Now just what is the nature of this controversy over Zion and Jerusalem? Is it to be purely a political and civil conflict? If so then which side of such a controversy would a Holy and Just Almighty choose? The prophet says: "The indignation of the Lord is upon all nations, and His fury upon their armies". — verse 2.

But he says: "Fear not LITTLE FLOCK for it is your Father's good pleasure to GIVE YOU the kingdom". — Luke 12: 32.

The holy scripture is by no means silent regarding many different conflicts here in earth where the Almighty has entered the controversy, but always for, his chosen people, and always on the side of right and truth. This final conflict will be no exception to the rule, it will be a spiritual conflict between right and wrong. It will be a Little Flock carrying on a spiritual warfare against overwhelming odds, just as it has always been in the past when rulers have taken counsel together against the Lord.

The Psalmist David gave us a picture of this in the following language, just before our wonderful king and Messiah is coming here to reign on Mount Zion. Here is what he says: "The kings of the earth set themselves, and the rulers take counsel together against the Lord, and against His anointed, saying let us break their bands asunder and cast away their cords from us. He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh. The Lord shall have them in derision. Then shall he speak unto them in His wrath, and vex them in his sore displeasure. Yet have I set my ing upon my holy hill of Zion." — Psalms 135: 2-6.

Notice here again He says he will speak to

them in His wrath, just as it says in Revelation 6: 17: "For the great day of his wrath has come". Also the prophet Isaiah says: "It is the day of the Lord's vengeance", hence His indignation comes upon all nations and upon all their armies. — Isaiah 34: 2-8.

#### The Controversy Politically

"Behold, I will make Jerusalem a cup of trembling unto all the people round about when they shall be in siege, both against Judah, and against Jerusalem. And in that day I will make Jerusalem a burdensome stone for all people. All that burden themselves with it shall be cut to pieces, though ALL the people of the EARTH be gathered together against it." — Zechariah 12: 2, 3.

This controversy is now well on its way. The Holy land and Jerusalem is the hot spot. It is a troublesome stone to the United Nations. They are exerting great pressure in making Jerusalem an international city, which Israel is opposing with all her might.

Now the Pope of the Catholic church has entered the controversy, and making his demands, with offers of appeasements as well as threats. This is a fulfilment of the prophecy of these two prophets, for it applies to the time, after the long desolation when the Jewish people have been regathered from all countries of the world. There are now 80 different countries represented in the ingathering of these exiles, and the controversy over Zion has come to a world-wide issue, through the United Nations Organization, and the Roman Catholic church.

#### THE CONTROVERSY SPIRITUALLY

The spiritual battle is also being carried on here at Jerusalem between the various sects of christendom against the true faith once delivered to the saints. Sunday keeping missionaries with strong financial backing in America, would like to expell all Judaising believers from the land. They have branded the Editor of "The Reporter" and his friends with the same old inquisition brand of the dark ages. — "Judaisers" — because we keep the same Sabbath with the Jews, the same Sabbath that our Jewish leader, and all of his apostles observed, here nearly two thousand years ago. Most of them advocate the internationalization of Jerusalem, taking the city from the Nation Israel.

#### The Settlement Is Near

As I am writing this, President Sadat of Egypt is making his rounds among the Balkin Communist nations assembled unto Russia, preparing them for a united attack on Israel, which of course will include Russia. The future date of

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# Having Pleasure In Unrighteousness

By The EDITOR

"With all deceivableness of UNRIGHTEOUSNESS in them that perish because they receive not THE LOVE OF THE TRUTH that they might be saved. For this cause God shall send them STRONG DELUSION that they should BELIEVE a lie, that they ALL might be damned who believe not the TRUTH but HAVE PLEASURE IN UNRIGHTEOUSNESS". — 2 Thessalonians 2: 10 to 12.

Here we are told that people perish because they receive not a LOVE FOR TRUTH, that they might be saved. Hence it requires truth to save people, and first of all this love for truth.

## DANGER

Because millions of people called Christians today have pleasure in UNRIGHTEOUSNESS they do not love or seek for TRUTH. Hence they are given over to STRONG DELUSION and actually BELIEVE a lie, and are thus lost. This is exactly what heaven has revealed to us through the Holy Spirit in the above scripture.

Unrighteousness is simply not righteous. That is they are not right. If not right, they are wrong. The wrong way leads to destruction, and it is a broad way that most people travel. Matt. 7: 13.

The narrow way that few follow, leads to eternal life. — Verse 14; and the next verse says, "Beware of false prophets".

The Christian world in general composed of hundreds of millions of Catholics and Protestants keep Sunday for the Sabbath, a day set apart by Rome, and blessed by the pope, instead of the day blessed by the Creator at creation. The weekly cycle of seven days has been preserved from that time to this, in proof of his infallibility. Sunday was chosen by Rome. Because of hate for the Jews they chose this day, popular to the heathens because they worshipped the day which they called Sun's day. Rome was in war with the Jews at Jerusalem, and all Jews were expelled from Rome the year 50 A.D. — Acts 18: 2.

Hence they would not take the 7th day Sabbath for their day of rest any more than Egypt, and the Arabs will now.

An Arab preacher use to come to our Jerusalem Church and give a testimony that the law was done away and we did not need to keep the ten commandments. Finally, however, he was convinced that the seventh day was really the Sabbath, and said, "If I would preach that over in the Old City the Arabs would kill me". So it was also in Paul's day when the Jews were expelled from Rome which was the capital of the world.

Many Sunday keepers today have been deceived by these false prophets, of whom our Saviour said there would be many in the last days. Some have been given strong delusion just as the Scripture says, and they actually BELIEVE this LIE about the Sabbath day, and have PLEASURE in a life of UNRIGHTEOUSNESS. They think they are right, and being void of "Love for TRUTH", they continue on with this disobedience and sin. Paul said of such, "I fear lest by any means, as the serpent beguiled Eve through subtilty so your minds should be corrupted from the simplicity that is in Christ". — 2 Cor. 11: 3.

Some years ago in America a presiding Elder over a large district of a popular first day organization, Elder Peatree of St. Joseph, Missouri, had an uncle, and aunt

where he often visited, and who were staunch Sabbath observers, whom I often visited.

One evening, while at his home, he told me that his nephew, Elder Peatree, had been to visit him, and he had a long talk with him about the Sabbath. Also he had agreed it was the right day to observe, but said, "Uncle William, I have to make a living, and if I would preach that in St. Joseph, my congregation would leave me, and what would I do for a living?"

His aunt, Brother Gearhart's wife, was standing near. Turning around, and motioning with her arm, said, "Yes he said, those very things right here in this house".

Now this is a good example of thousands of others who have pleasure in this UNRIGHTEOUS act of keeping Sunday, the counterfeit Sabbath instead of the real day blessed of heaven. The Creator speaks of such, saying, "Their god is their belly... who mind earthly things".

All who have pleasure in unrighteousness, and do not love the TRUTH are headed for destruction on the broad road, but, "Fear not little flock for it is your Father's pleasure to give you the kingdom". Disobedience is sin, and the wages of sin is death." — Romans 6: 23.

## Substituting Counterfeit for the Genuine Killed Two Most Popular Boys

In the days when Israel was passing through her wilderness experience, there were two most popular young men well known and admired by the hundreds of thousands of Israel. They were the two sons of the High Priest Aaron. Moses was their uncle.

The people were commanded to only use the fire from the altar to offer their sacrifices and not common fire, known as strange fire, but these two most popular boys, disobeyed evidently believing that because of their greatness it would make no difference.

"Nadab and Abihu, the sons of Aaron, took either of them his censure and put fire therein, and put incense thereon, and offered strange fire before the Lord, which He commanded them not. And there went out fire from the Lord and devoured them, and they died before the Lord". — Leviticus 10: 1, 2.

Now in 1 Corinthians 10: 5 to 11, in speaking of these things that happened to Israel in the wilderness it says, "Now all these things happened unto them for ensamples, and they are written for our admonition, upon whom the ends of the world are come".

The holy fire and the strange fire looked just the same. What difference does it make, evidently the boys argued, just as people do today offering the substitute day of rest instead of the genuine day blessed by the same Creator.

The next verse of this chapter, verse 12, says, "Wherefore let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall".

Another universal act of disobedience, over which millions make trival excuses, that they may enjoy the pleasure of this act of UNRIGHTEOUSNESS, is eating the pig, which heaven has repeatedly forbidden. There is not one scripture to sustain it when properly and rightly divided and understood. Those who have "Love for the Truth" will go into the subject and rightly divide these misunderstood and miss-applied scripture.

Here is some holy scripture that cannot be ignored

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## DETAILS OF SHAMIR TERRORIST ATTEMPT TO TAKE 250 CHILDREN AS HOSTAGE

Shamir member Rami Ben-Ze'ev, 25, was out of danger in Safad Government Hospital last night after surgery for a shoulder wound received when the terrorists racked him and the volunteer with fire.

Leaflets in Hebrew which the terrorists carried stated their demand for the release of 100 terrorists "in return for the hostages we are holding."

Eyewitnesses said the gang, dressed "hippy style" with long beribboned hair and long coats to hide their arsenal of weapons and explosives, entered the kibbutz at 8.30 p.m. They came in at Shamir's northern end, where the apiary (bee farm) is situated, some 300 metres from the dwelling quarters.

The gang apparently knew the exact layout of the kibbutz and its routine, specifically that at breakfast time the night and dawn alert would be likely to be relaxed. Their hippy dress enabled them to look as much as possible like some of the 50 volunteers on the kibbutz, not all of whom are yet known on sight by all the kibbutzniks.

They entered the building in Shamir's apiary where the honey is processed and packed, and finding the two women, Mrs. Mor and Mrs. Galili, simply shot them dead. They then walked along the main kibbutz path towards the Children's Home where Shamir's 250 children live, firing several rounds of small arms fire into the building.

But on the way there they ran into Rami Ben-Ze'ev, another man, and Judith Simton, who were returning together from breakfast. The four terrorists opened fire, killing the young volunteer and wounding Ben-Ze'ev. The third man hid and raised the alarm.

Uzi Zur, 30, a former paratroop officer, immediately organized a posse of six men and went after the terrorists. "They were trying to return from the apiary to the Children's Home, when we ran into them and opened fire," he said yesterday. "We killed two and the other two fled back to the apiary."

"I and another man made an outflanking movement and an exchange of fire started. It lasted for perhaps 15 to 20 minutes. They fired automatic weapons as well as what I thought were bazookas. These were later found to have been grenades fired from Kalachnikov rifle attachments, which set the grass on fire between the houses, but caused no other damage."

"When they stopped firing, I ordered our men to stop too," Uzi said, explaining he had feared they might have kibbutzniks with them. A megaphone was brought up and one of the kibbutzniks called to the terrorists in Arabic, asking what they wanted and assuring them that they would not be hurt if they would not hurt anybody with them. "They did no answer."

Remarks. — They had planned for the 250 children as their hostages, but thanks to the Almighty for giving the victory to Israel.

Several small groups of terrorists have been tracked down and arrested or killed by Israel patroller.

Three in one group had orders to enter Haifa, go to the street most crowded and kill as many people as possible.

## LET US ALL BE ONE

At a time like this, all variance and divisions among Sabbath keepers should be forgotten. All trouble forgiven, and all groups fellowship together, for they are the Father's children if in harmony with Rev. 12: 17 and Eph. 3: 14, and 15.

## WHAT ABOUT THE MISSIONARIES IN ISRAEL?

Many of the missionaries in Israel take their stand with the Catholics and Protestants that Jerusalem should be an international city under the United Nations instead of the Capital city of Israel. Some teach contrary to the Jewish religion on the subject of the God-head; the Sabbath and the Law; they use swines flesh for food; believe in the cross as a sign of true Christianity when instead it is a sign of heathen intolerance used by the Babylonians and Romans to torture their enemies more than a thousand years B.C.

Many teach that they are the true Israelites, who should possess this land, and that the people here called Israel are a mongrel race, and not even Jews, also that Jerusalem will be destroyed again.

The government of Israel however regardless of this is tolerant toward all religion, and grants the free exercise thereof the same as in the U.S.A. It is necessary to closely watch missionaries, however, because many spies have been caught here disguising themselves as missionaries.

Furthermore at different times certain missionaries have induced Jews to leave the country, providing them with means on the ground of their pretended conversion to the faith of that particular sect. The government naturally is not pleased with this kind of work because much money has been spent to bring these immigrants here, provide homes and take care of them.

Also some missionaries take children of poor families and put them in Christian missions where they are taught the law was abolished, and nailed to the cross. "The Reporter" and those connected with it are opposed to such work and unscriptural teaching. We teach that Jewish children are far better when left in Jewish schools where the law and true Sabbath is taught, than they are to be placed in mission schools and taught the abolition of the Holy Ten Commandments. Such teaching is morally degrading, breeding criminals, and filling penitentiaries and insane asylums to overflowing.

"The Reporter" and those connected with it, known over the world as the "Church of God" — 7th day, do not teach subtraction from the Jewish religion, but the addition of just one point, which our ancient Zealots overlooked, that their Messiah was to come as a babe and grow up as a child (Isaiah 9: 6, 7; also 7: 14 and 11: 1, 2) and then to be given as an offering for their sins (Isaiah 53), caught up to heaven from where He is soon coming again as their deliverer and long promised King. To accept him as their Messiah, and pray to the Father in his name brings into their life the Holy Spirit fulfilling Ezekiel 36: 24 to 27.

Many are enjoying this wonderful experience, and possessing the Holy Spirit as King David. — Psalms 51: 11, 12. —



# GOOD HEALTH DEPARTMENT

## OBJECTIONS ANSWERED

Holy men of old were very strict with their diet. For instance, note Daniel and his three Hebrew associates, who even risked displeasing the mighty king Nebuchadnezzar, whose captives they were, by refusing to eat of the special food and drink prepared for the king himself and his household. — Daniel 1. 8.

And it is recorded also of others of them that they were careful of their diet, for they knew that keeping their bodies in good health depended largely on their observances of God's hygienic laws, and that by doing so they would also be pleasing to Him.

Today, however, some dare to claim that He has cleansed all animals, making all meats fit for food, and therefore we may eat whatever we please — and ignore all scriptures to the contrary, even the distinctions between clean and unclean animals was made in Noah's day, long before the law covenant was instituted.

We are not to think that Christ changed the unclean animals so that their meat became clean and wholesome and fit for food. There is nothing in the Bible that would warrant such a thought. Unclean animals are just as unclean and as unfit for human food today as they ever were; and as a matter of (obedience to the Creator) their flesh should be rejected, as food improper for man.

## PETER'S HOUSETOP VISION

Some point to Peter's vision on the housetop (Acts 10), in which he saw, as it were, a great sheet let down from heaven, wherein were all kinds of beasts, fowls and creeping things and he heard a voice saying, "Rise, Peter; kill, and eat". Peter remonstrated, saying that he had never eaten anything common or unclean. He had been with Christ throughout His ministry and knew that He had not abolished God's Laws of nature or His Old Testament distinctions between clean and unclean animals and what was good or injurious hygienically.

334 Peter, still three and one half years after Pentecost was living in harmony with God's Old Testament regulations as to proper and improper food.

31 1/2 And did the angel mean that God's rules of proper diet were thereafter to be ignored? Surely not! The vision had a deeper meaning and was given to impart a great truth. 36 1/2 Three times the voice declared, "What God hath cleansed, that call thou not common". Thus the lesson to be derived was given special importance. Realizing this, Peter "thought on the vision", and doubted himself what the vision he had seen should mean", for the vessel was received up again in to heaven without his having eaten of any of its unclean animals.

The angel had not so meant the message, but taught a far different lesson, using this vision as an illustration; and indeed it had a deep and very impressive significance in making clear the great thrice-declared truth, "What God hath cleansed, that call not thou common."

After God had informed Peter of the messenger, that had come for him from Cornelius, a Gentile, and had enjoined him to go with them, Peter came to recognize what the vision really meant; accordingly, he told Cornelius and that other Gentiles gathered together with him, "Ye know how that it is an unlawful thing for a man that is a Jew to keep company or come unto one of another nation; but God hath shown me that I should not call any man common or unclean". — V. 28.

Note carefully: there is no mention here of beast, or fowl, or creeping reptile.

Let us not speak against the Holy Spirit here by denying what was said of the meaning of the vision.

The lesson taught by the vision was that Peter should not call any man common or unclean — Gentiles, as well

as Jews — could now be accepted into Christ. How can we, then, say that God was teaching Peter that he should thereafter eat pig, rat, mouse, lizard, snake and oyster? Let us not place into the vision and its interpretation more than God intended. He by his vision taught Peter that there were now clean Gentiles, in addition to the clean Jews. Let us not on basis of this vision try to wrest and twist the meaning of the vision and misapply it as favoring our eating pork, horse, racoon, opossum, rabbit, frog, crab, or snail meat.

Such was not its intent. Believe verse 28, and stop having pleasure in unrighteousness.

## FOODS SANCTIFIED BY THE WORD OF GOD

Another text that some use in an effort to justify themselves in casting aside God's Old Testament dietary arrangements is I Tim. 4: 4, 5: "For every creature of God is good, and nothing to be refused, if it be received with thanksgiving; for it is sanctified (set apart as fit for food) by the word of God and prayer." A first glance one may think that there is a text that supports eating of every animal the cook may prepare, and the host serve — from the grub-worm to the rattlesnake, and from the rat to the elephant; but such is not the case. On the contrary, this text places a limitation upon the diet to those things which are listed in the scriptures as permissible, i.e., "sanctified" (set aside for holy, or clean food) by the word of God, and also by prayer.

It is only these food, including meats, which God hath created to be received with thanksgiving of them which believe and know the truth (v. 3), that are here under discussion. All such meats (foods; Greek, *bromata*, — v. 3 — created by God, are to be received with thanksgiving for the use of His people, who believe and know the truth.

Foods that were not created to be received by them with thanksgiving, that are not sanctified by the word of God but were by Him designated as unclean, are not fit for the stomach of man; and even those which are approved by Him should first be dedicated by prayer and properly prepared. To know whether a certain thing is fit for man to eat, or under divine restriction and disapproval, we must consider it in the light of God's Word.

## MANUSCRIPTS FOR PUBLICATION

We are greatly overstocked with all kinds of manuscripts submitted by our readers for publication. We have enough on hand for three years, and it is our policy to publish it, as far as possible in the order it is received. Please do not submit any more now, for we do not want it on hand so long.

## LIFT UP YOUR HANDS

"Lift up your hands in the sanctuary, and bless the Lord. The Lord that made heaven and earth BLESS THEE OUT OF ZION." — Psalms 134:2, 3.

"Blow ye the trumpet in Zion, and sound an ALARM in My Holy Mountain. Let all the inhabitants tremble, for the day of the Lord cometh. It is nigh at hand". — Joel 2: 1.



## HAVING PLEASURE IN UNRIGHTEOUSNESS (Continued From Page 11)

or set to one side, and it will not be only by those who "have pleasure in this unholy act of eating flesh". — Read this prayerfully, "For behold the Lord will come with fire, and with his chariots like a whirlwind to render his anger with fury, and his rebuke with flames of fire. For by fire and by his sword will the Lord plead with all flesh, and the slain of the Lord will be many. They that sanctify THEMSELVES in the garden behind one tree in the midst eating swines flesh and the abomination and the mouse shall be consumed TOGETHER SAITH THE LORD". — Isaiah 66; 15 to 17.

Chinese and Gentiles of the east eat the mouse and the rat, while Gentiles of the west eat the pig, the swine. I pray that each reader will pay heed. This is not my word. It is from heaven, from an unchangeable Almighty. I want you, every reader of this magazine, to be saved and in the kingdom which is very near at hand. Therefore, please do not continue in these two world popular acts of disobedience, or further "find pleasure in this UNRIGHTEOUSNESS". — Editor.

## A LESSON FROM OUR SABBATH SCHOOL QUARTERLY

### THE LATTER RAIN

Scriptural reading: John 14:15-31.

Memory verse: Ephesians 1:13.

Note. — It is conceived that the experience at Pentecost was the fulfillment of the symbolism "former rain", which started the early church just as the natural former rain started their plantings in the East where this was written.

1. If the church claimed and received the former rain at Pentecost, what may we expect in the end of time? — Joel 2:23.

2. Upon what class will this latter rain fall? — Hos. 6:3.

3. What should this class be willing to say? — Verse 1, first part.

4. What blessing will follow if we meet the condition? Verses 1 and 2, last part.

5. How comprehensive did Peter say this promise was to be? — Acts 2:38, 39.

Note. — As in the days of Israel, rain was withheld because of their backslidings, so it is today. Our backslidings need not be open sin, but may be unbelief, doubt, puffiness, and general Laodicean conditions.

6. In promising the Spirit to the church, what did Christ say He would be to us? — John 14:16.

7. When we receive Him, whom do we really receive? — Verse 18.

8. Besides comforting us, what else does He do? — Verse 26; 1 John 2:20, 27.

9. Why was it expedient for Him to go away? — John 16:7.

10. Besides qualifying us for service, what else does He do? — 1 Cor. 12:13.

11. What does He do in bringing us into the church? — Eph. 1:13; 2 Cor. 1:22.

12. What does this experience constitute? — Eph. 1:14.

Note. — We may commit any of the above sins and get forgiveness, except the blasphemy of the Holy Spirit which must be committed knowingly.

## THE MIDDLE EAST CONTROVERSY (Continued From Page 10)

course is secret.

Read again Ezekiel's pre-announcement of this final settlement (Ezekiel 38: 20 to 24) when it says "every man on the face of the earth will shake at HIS presence. The kings and great men will flee to the mountains to hide themselves from the presence of the Almighty. Revelation 6: 15 to 17.

The prophet Isaiah says, "The ambassadors of peace shall weep bitterly" - Isaiah 33: 7, and "It is the day of the Lord's vengeance and the year of recompense for the controversy of Zion." - Isa. 34: 8. His conclusion of this world controversy is wonderfully pre-announced in chapter 24, and last verse, - "The Lord of Hosts shall reign in Mount Zion and in Jerusalem, and before His ancients gloriously." — Editor.

## WOMAN OVER 100 DIES IN HADERA

HADERA. — One of Israel's oldest residents, Moroccan-born Suli Avitan of Givat Olga, died on Sunday. She was more than 100 years old.

Members of her family did not know her exact age, but noted that she retained her faculties right to the end.

She leaves an 80-year-old daughter, a 50-year-old granddaughter.

## THE DAY LINE IS IN THE PACIFIC OCEAN

The "Day-Line" is an old question with us. I have studied it very much years ago. Elder David Neal of New Zealand was the first one to advocate it about sixty years ago. I knew him personally having met him and talked with him on many subjects when he made his trip around the world. He did not have any answer or solution to the terrible confusion there would be for the day line to pass through the densely populated countries it would pass through if it were placed at where some claim the Garden of Eden was located.

In the cities it would be one day on one side of the street and another day on the other side. It would be very difficult and impossible to mark out a certain line clear through the country districts among the farmers. They could work their farm ground on one side of the day line, where it was not the Sabbath, and then work the land on the other side when the Sabbath had passed over, and work seven days a week, and still not break the Sabbath. The Heavenly Father is not the author of such confusion.

It is claimed by the Jews that the Garden of Eden was here in the Holy Land, so no one seems to know definitely just where it was. Suppose, however, it was here or over near Babylon where they have it marked out and take tourists. If the Creator was at the Garden of Eden when he spoke the word, "Let there be light and there was light", thus creating the first day. That light would have reached to the middle of the Pacific Ocean, where the day line is now located, and that is certainly just as the Father ordained it.

It could not be any better place, and where it is there is no confusion whatever, such as would exist if it passed through a densely populated part of the world. The Jews and the church at Jerusalem know that the Creator is Almighty, and has Himself placed the day line where it should be.

**BLOW YE THE TRUMPET IN ZION, AND  
SOUND AN ALARM IN MY HOLY  
MOUNTAIN. JOEL 2:1.**



# NEWS DIRECT FROM ISRAEL

All items from "The Jerusalem Post"

## 6 BROTHERS HELD FOR MURDERING JERUSALEM CABBIE

Six brothers from Shuafat, north of Jerusalem, arrested for a series of terror actions, including the murder on April 16 of a Jerusalem taxi driver, were brought for remand in the Capital's Magistrate's Court on Friday.

The brothers, of the Melafata family, were ordered held for periods of from eight to 15 days. Police told the court that some of them had already admitted to the offences ascribed to them.

In addition to the murder of taxi driver Reuven Abergil, whose body was left booby-trapped in the trunk of his car, the six are also suspected of having left an explosive charge in a Jerusalem street on May 14, and of setting up Katyusha rockets to bombard the Capital the following day.

## HOUSE OF JERUSALEM TERRORIST SUSPECTS IS BULLDOZED

A two-storey house in Shuafat belonging to three brothers accused of murdering a Jerusalem taxi driver and attempting to fire Katyusha rockets into Jerusalem was demolished by security forces yesterday.

The new house was levelled by bulldozers as more than 1,000 Arabs residents watched. A group of women chanted in protest, but most of the residents watched in silence from rooftops and along Nablus Road.

Large security forces, including soldiers and police, were on hand; but there was no violence.

## TWO TERRORISTS KILLED IN NORTH

Two terrorists were killed near Idmit on the Lebanese border late Saturday night. The infiltrators were spotted by an army patrol which opened fire.

Tracks indicated that these other terrorists managed to cross the border back to Lebanon. One of the three is thought to have been wounded.

Near the two bodies, soldiers found light semi-automatic weapons, five-days' food, propaganda pamphlets, explosives and grenades and pictures of two girls.

Last week seven terrorists were killed in border clashes — six of them several kilometres from the Syrian front.

## BULGARIAN TO DIE FOR WANTING TO MOVE TO ISRAEL

LONDON (AP). — A Bulgarian Jew and former UN official has been sentenced to death on espionage charges in Sofia because he wanted to emigrate to Israel, relatives of the man said yesterday.

Henrik Schpeter, 53, went on trial on May 27, according to Peter Ury, a cousin, and was sentenced to death on June 1. The date of execution was not known, Ury said.

Relatives have been in contact with Schpeter's wife, son and blind mother in Sofia by telephone.

## 85 EDITORS HERE FROM NORTH AMERICA

A group of 85 U.S. and Canadian newspaper editors arrived in Jerusalem yesterday, as part of a Mid-east tour that includes Lebanon, Egypt, Jordan and Syria.

For most of the editors, this is their first visit to Israel. They are to leave next Monday.

In Amman yesterday, Jordan's Prime Minister Zaid

e-Rifai told the group there can be no peace in the Middle East unless East Jerusalem is restored to Arab sovereignty. He added that Jordan would boycott the Geneva peace talks if a Palestinian state were created on the west bank of the Jordan River.

## SADAT CROSSES THE CANAL

SUEZ (Reuter). — President Sadat crossed the Suez Canal yesterday — for the first time since the October War.

He told a military parade: "Our mission will only be completed when the last foreign soldier evacuates the occupied Arab territories and the legitimate rights of the Palestinian people are restored".

## EGYPT SAYS CHANCE OF WAR REMAINS

CAIRO (UPI). — The possibility of another war with Israel will continue until all "occupied Arab lands" are evacuated and the rights of the Palestinians restored," War Minister Field-Marshal Ahmed Ismail said yesterday.

Addressing a graduation ceremony of a new batch of reservist officers, Ismail said: "The battle is continuing, and the possibility of an outbreak of fighting will continue until every inch of our land is liberated and the legitimate rights of the Palestinian people restored.

## BETHLEHEM DOCTORS

Bethlehem doctors yesterday announced that they will make urgent house calls at night only if they are accompanied by police. The doctors say that several of them have been shot at and robbed while on their way to night calls.

Note. — Bethlehem is almost 100 per cent Arab but the doctors above are Jewish.

## SOVIET SHIP WILL HELP CLEAR SUEZ

LONDON (JTA). — A report in the "Daily Express" by the usually well-informed Chapman Pincher states that five Russian mine-sweepers are believed to be heading for the Suez Canal to join British ships already helping to clear the waterway. The helicopter carrier Leningrad is also believed to be on its way. Naval intelligence men do not know whether Egypt invited the Russians, or whether they hope to be asked when the ships arrive.

## 30,000 JEWS TO QUITE RUSSIA THIS YEAR

GENEVA (Reuter). — A total of 7,260 Jews have left the Soviet Union, most of them for Israel, in the first four months of this year, according to the Inter-governmental Committee for European Migration (I.C.E.M.).

ICEM's director, John F. Thomas, compared the total with the 9,905 who left in the corresponding period of 1973.

Thomas predicted that in the course of 1974, more than 30,000 Jews will have left the Soviet Union, most of them for Israel.

## POPE URGES A SOLUTION FOR PALESTINIANS

VATICAN CITY (Reuter). — Pope Paul said yesterday a durable Middle East settlement should include provision for the Palestinian people.



In a wide-ranging address to some 30 cardinals here, the pontiff also spoke critically of the influence of the mass media and the growth of the consumer society. On the Middle East, the 76-year-old pope said: "We do not wish to be silent about the new ray of hope which intense activity and the mutual efforts of highly responsible men have given rise for peace in the Middle East".

But he added: "For our part, we would not fail to encourage the search for a just and dignified way to unravel the knot, so difficult and so tragic, concerning the fate of the Palestinian people".

## 206 DIE, 1,073 BADLY HURT ON ROADS IN 4 MONTHS

A total of 206 persons were killed on the roads in the first four months of this year — compared with 215 last year. The number of people who suffered severe injuries decreased by 104, from 1,177 to 1,073. Those who suffered light injuries decreased by 560, from 7,460 in 1973 to 6,900 this year.

The total number of motor vehicles of all types was about 371,000 at the end of 1973.

Following a trend established over the past five years, sales of new motorcycles and scooters were down about nine per cent last year over 1972.

Some 50,000 persons were granted new driving licences in 1973. There are about 543,000 licence holders in the country today.

## JORDAN TO DISPLAY NEW U.S. WEAPONS

AMMAN (Reuters). — New weapons will be displayed at a Jordanian armed forces parade next Saturday marking independence and army day, army commanders said here yesterday.

They said the weapons would include fighter planes and anti-tank missiles recently received from the U.S.

## ARAB CASUALTIES

CAIRO (UPI). — Fatah leader Yasser Arafat said yesterday more than 200,000 Egyptians, Syrians and Palestinians were killed or wounded in the conflict with Israel in the last seven years.

Arafat gave the casualty figure during a three-hour interview at a closed meeting of the Palestine National Council.

Conference sources said Arafat gave this casualty breakdown: Egypt 86,000, Syria 80,000 and the Palestinians 37,000.

## BRECHKO WARNS OF WAR DANGER

MOSCOW (AP). — Soviet Defence Minister Andrei Grechko warned on Tuesday that "the danger of war remains a grim reality of our time".

## ADAT PLEDGE TO FREE ALL LANDS BY NEXT YEAR

CAIRO (Reuters). — President Anwar Sadat yesterday marked the seventh anniversary of the start of the Day War with a pledge to fulfil Egypt's mission to free all occupied Arab lands by next year.

He was addressing troops of the Second Army at a ceremonial parade near Ismailia, the second town on a three-day trip to the Suez Canal zone, which still is battered and partly in ruins.

He told the assembled soldiers that they had fulfilled their duty to cross the canal, and "we promise to meet you on the same day next year after fulfilling our mission".

## 'KEEPING THE FAITH' IN SOUTH AMERICA

"While political parties in Israel worry about 'Who is a Jew', hundreds of thousands of Jews in Latin America are being abandoned to spiritual extermination because no one worries about keeping Jewish tradition alive there."

Thus Joseph Klarman, head of Youth Aliya, recently returned from a visit to Latin America. He said that he was appalled at the rate of assimilation among the youth of Argentina's estimated 450,000 Jews — the largest community in Latin America — and said the situation was similar throughout the continent.

## SOVIET ARMS TO SYRIA

BEIRUT (UPI). — The Soviet Union has recently sent to Syria 110 modern T-62 tanks and an unspecified number of armoured cars, anti-aircraft missiles and other weapons, the French-language newspaper "Le Soir" said yesterday.

The newspaper cited Western diplomatic sources in Beirut as a source for its report.

Recent intelligence reports from Washington have stated that the Soviets have supplied Syria with Mig-22 warplanes.

## HERE IS AN OPEN DOOR

The loving heavenly Father has provided here at Jerusalem an "OPEN DOOR", for all of those who wish to follow in the footsteps of the Master, and "Feed the Lambs and Sheep" over the world in many languages, and also to send forth to Israel the "TRUE RELIGION" of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, as preached by the apostle Peter on Pentecost. Hundreds of thousands of silent messengers (tracts and booklets) are being printed on our two printing presses. That portion of your life represented in riches that the heavenly Father has helped you to gather will be used in this way for His glory. As the funds flow in the outgoing stream of tracts in 7 languages will flow out to Israel and to the world.

Pray about this and the Holy Spirit will direct every one of you. — Editor.

## THE BIBLE HOME INSTRUCTOR

This is a very rare book from Jerusalem, Israel. (Printed in Hebrew and in English) and should be in every home to teach people just what the Bible says on all sacred subjects of interest. In this time of so much confusion, and so many different opinions on prophecy and doctrine, this book is badly needed in the home, church and schools.

It is not man's opinion on these vital subjects, but a gathering together in one place of all the texts of Scripture, from the thirty-six holy men who gave us the Bible as they were moved by the Holy Spirit.

By using the index you can quickly find the subject you are interested in.

Then you will find questions relating to it, which are answered by printing the scripture for you, giving book, chapter and verse.

There are over 500 pages with about 200 pictures illustrating the subjects.



## NOT TO WORRY'

"Ha'aretz" (non-party) writes that Nixon's visit to the Arab states is being interpreted as making a more balanced American policy in the Middle East. Israel has been told not to worry. Nixon insists that his sole aim is the search for peace.

The paper goes on to say that while Israel has no reason to suspect the President's policy, peace can only be achieved through a strong Israel. This requires economic and military aid, as well as understanding from Washington.

The speeches made in the Arab capitals, at least in Damascus and Riad, are not encouraging, and Israel is anxious about the Arab interpretation of the latest American moves in the area. One can only hope that this anxiety is being conveyed to the friendly President of the U.S., and that close, warm relations will continue between Jerusalem and Washington.

## ISRAEL EXPORTS FLOWERS TO HOLLAND

TEL AVIV. — Israel may not be shipping coals to Newcastle yet, but she is already sending flowers to Holland.

Out of a total of 158.6 million flowers exported this season by Agrexco, 24 per cent went to the Netherlands.

According to Agrexco's internal magazine "Yedi'on Lahaklai Hameyatze", Germany buys 48 per cent of all the exported Israeli flowers, making it the biggest buyer.

The three biggest sellers are roses (85 million this season), carnations (29 million), and gladioli (32 million).

Agrexco is already making preparations for the coming season, which starts in the fall. The company's flower export target is 200 million flowers, and it expects to make about \$16.5 m. in sales, according to present currency exchange rates.

## BUS COMPANIES COMPLAIN — PUBLIC PREFERS WALKING

TEL AVIV. — The public seems to have changed its travelling habits since the October War — and the bus companies don't like it.

Spokesmen of the Egged and Dan cooperatives say that business has dropped, even though normal services have been resumed. They claim that buses are almost empty during evening hours and, according to Mordechai Shifman of Egged, the number of day passengers has dropped by nearly a third.

## RIVAL TERRORISTS BLAMED FOR SHOTS AT DAMASCUS RALLY

BEIRUT (UPI). — Rival Palestinian terrorist groups were to blame for the shooting incident in a refugee camp near Damascus on Monday, which broke up the symbolic funeral of the three terrorists killed in Ma'alot, the daily newspaper "Al Sharq" said yesterday.

The funeral procession ended in disorder just as Nayef Hawatmeh, leader of the Popular Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PDFLP), began to speak.

## EGYPT THREATENS MILITARY ACTION

CAIRO (UPI). — Egypt will intervene militarily against Israel if she continues to attack Lebanon, and Cairo has made this position known to President Nixon, a leading editor, Ali Amin, said last week.

Amin, board chairman of the "Al Akhbar" newspaper group, is known to be close to President Anwar Sadat. "Egypt will use all its military resources to halt any aggression against any Arab people," Amin wrote in his daily column, commenting on three days of Israeli air attacks last week on terrorist camps in southern Leba-

non. "Our rockets, our planes and our troops are capable of moving at any moment", he said.

"They will not move to defend Egypt only. Every inch of Arab land is as sacred as our own territory".

"Our position has been communicated to President Nixon," he said. "We did not hide it or wrap it in silver paper. We said it yesterday, we are saying it today and we shall say it tomorrow."

## TERRORISTS SLAIN IN KIBBUTZ FIGHT AFTER MURDERING THREE WOMEN

KIBBUTZ SHAMIR. — Arab terrorists last week murdered two women kibbutz members and a New Zealand girl volunteer, and wounded a man here in a vain attempt to take the kibbutz's 250 children hostage.

After killing the women, the four Ahmed Jibril terrorists, who had slipped in at breakfast time disguised as hippies, were cornered by the Shamir settlers and killed in a 20-minute gun battle. Two of the terrorists were blown up by their own grenades.

The dead women are Edna Mor, 30, mother of an eight-year-old boy who was pregnant with her second child; Shoshana Galili, 60, a mother of three and grandmother; and Judith Simton, 21, a volunteer from Auckland, New Zealand, who had been at Shamir for a month.

## A JERUSALEM HISTORY TEACHER TEACHES HIS PUPILS THE NEW TESTAMENT

(Translated from a Jerusalem Hebrew newspaper)

A storm broke loose in Jerusalem's religious circles when it became known that a teacher in one of the city's schools is instructing his pupils in the teaching of Jesus, and has even requested his students to get a copy of the New Testament.

A religious group, which calls itself "A Hand to Brothers — Working for the Torah", has called upon the Prime Minister, the Minister of Education and Culture, Knesset members and the public and demanded an end to the scandal.

### Missionary Store

In a letter that the activists despatched to Minister Yigal Allon, it was stated that Mr. Yisrael Carmel, a history teacher in the Denmark High School, devoted his tenth grade history lessons to the study of the Sermon on the Mount, which comes from the New Testament, and which are words of Jesus to the people of Israel. Mr. Carmel even requested his pupils to purchase a copy of the New Testament for the following lessons and suggested a missionary store on Prophet Street where it could be found.

The letter added that several students objected to the study of Christian dogma, complaining they had not as yet received sufficient lessons on Judaism and that the former should not take precedence over the latter. With this they refused to purchase a copy of the New Testament. The teacher ignored their complaints saying that the material was part of the required learning. To date four lessons on this subject have taken place.

The activists point out in their letter the Denmark High School has many children of new immigrants, and these parents ask themselves if they really came to Israel in order that their children should study the Christian bible. They are pointing out the seriousness of the situation to the Minister of Education and Culture from a national and educational standpoint.

They are demanding to take suitable measures and vigorous action in order to eradicate this serious and disgraceful event.

### Understanding is necessary

After the spokesman for the Ministry of Education and Culture, Mr. Amnon Duncanner, promised to investigate the matter and to clarify the facts prior to giving an opinion, Mr. Yisrael Carmel, in conversation



with our Jerusalem reporter, acknowledged that the facts were indeed true. According to him, his students in the tenth grade are studying medieval history, and in order to fully comprehend this period it is his opinion that a basic knowledge of Christian history in its early period is necessary.

The teacher further pointed out that the Sermon on the Mount is not explicitly included in the curriculum but he decided on his own that the material is necessary for an understanding of the history lessons his pupils are now learning.

### TERRORISTS ATTACK FALSELY REPORTED FROM DAMASCUS ALLEGES 31 KILLED IN 6-HOUR SIEGE

DAMASCUS (Reuter). — Thirty-one Israeli hostages and four "Palestinian commandos" were killed in yesterday's attack on Shamir, the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine General Command claimed last night.

The Command further claimed that more than 15 Israel soldiers were also killed or wounded by the "commandos" who gave the Israelis six hours in which to free 100 "Palestinian" prisoners before blowing themselves up with their hostages.

It also said nine other Israelis, including four women, were killed in the "six-and-a-half-hour fight in the kibbutz."

### 1,400 SO FAR IN HAIFA GUARD

HAIFA. — With 1,400 volunteers registered so far for the Civil Guard here, the Municipal Council yesterday called for an all-out public effort to volunteer and share the security burden.

Seconding this, the Haifa police chief, Mordechai Ron, said the police was stretching its forces to the limit of its capacity, and that the public should help shoulder the burden as it had done in the past.

Chief Superintendent Ron, speaking at a council debate on the security situation, urged the Council members to set a good example by joining the guard themselves.

### ATAROT AIRPORT TO OPEN SOON TO INTERNATIONAL TRAFFIC

Jerusalem's Atarot Airport will probably open this summer for international traffic, Transport Minister Gad Ja'acobi said yesterday. Flights will be only from European countries initially and air lines involved and frequency of service have not yet been determined, Mr. Ya'acobi told the press at Beit Agron.

He also said a Traffic Authority for the entire Dan region is to be set up. Its job will be to coordinate all aspects of traffic routes, parking and road safety in the area.

### MORE LETTER BOMBS IN ANTI-GOREN DRIVE

Three letter bombs were received at Hechal Shlomo in Jerusalem in the last few days. None of them caused any damage.

Police sappers were called when Rabbi Eliezer Shapiro received a suspicious letter last Thursday. They found an explosive inside.

When similar letters were received by Rabbis Yosef Kapach and Moshe Selzberg, the police were again called and more explosives found.

### 50 NEW VILLAGES TO GO UP IN 'VITAL AREAS'

Fifty new villages, including 10 industrial settlements, will be established "in areas which the government believes to be vital for the defence of Israel," Ra'anana Weitz, head of the Jewish Agency's Settlement Depart-

ment, told the Zionist Council here. Galilee will have special priority, with a planned population increase of 40,000 of which 60 per cent will be immigrants, 25 per cent young couples, and the rest "natural increase."

### THE LOST

This poem is sent out in loving memory of my beloved wife, Laura E. Tarbet, who went to be with the Lord on December 4, 1955.

Don't you hear the millions crying  
In their need across the sea,  
"Send the Gospel to us faster  
Haste, oh, haste to set us free,"

They are dying in their anguish  
Souls for whom the Saviour died,  
Oh, why don't you haste the message  
Of the Christ once crucified.

Jesus saw the teeming millions  
Without shepherd, friend, or guide;  
And He wept with deepest sorrow  
For the throngs for whom He died.

There are lost ones all around you  
Who are sinking down to hell  
Whom you've never said a word to  
Of that Friend you love so well.

Oh, my dear one, let's be busy,  
There are millions that are lost;  
Jesus gave His life to save them  
At a most tremendous cost.

Can you say you tried to save them?  
They are passing to their doom;  
Every day brings millions nearer  
To eternal night and gloom.

Jesus gave to us the Gospel  
And their blood is on our hands;  
Their souls are worth far more than  
Houses, bank accounts and lands.

Help us spread the blessed story,  
Help us o'er lost souls to yearn,  
Winning souls to Jesus daily  
Keeping true till His return.

"For God so loved the World that He gave His only Begotten Son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life."

— John 3: 16.

"And they that be wise shall shine as the brightness of the firmament; and they that turn many to righteousness as the stars for ever and ever."

— Daniel 12: 3.

"Let him know, that he which converted the sinner from the error of his way shall save a soul from death and shall hide a multitude of sins."

— James 5: 20.

"and he that winneth souls is wise."

— Proverbs 11 :30.



# BOOKS AND TRACTS

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"If I forget thee, O Jerusalem, let my right hand forget her cunning.  
If I do not remember thee, let my tongue cleave to the roof of my  
mouth. if I prefer not JERUSALEM above my chief joy." —  
Psalms 137: 5-6.

## WATCHMAN WHAT OF THE NIGHT? (Continued From Page 3)

Abraham.

Preparations are now being made for the Russian "Company of Nations" (Ezekiel 38: 6, 7), to join together in one solid united attack on Israel. Sadat of Egypt has just made his rounds calling on the Balkin Communist governments lining them up for this set time.

Read again Ezekiel 38: 18 to 23. This will be a world shocking event. Every man on the face of the earth will shake at the presence of the Almighty. Read also Rev. 6: 12 to 17.

These great men, chief captains and mighty men will not only shake at HIS presence but will flee to the mountains and cry for the rocks to fall on them, to hide them from His presence.

In connection with these scriptures please read Luke 21: 36 — to "Watch and pray to be accounted worthy to escape all of these things that are coming to pass."

— Editor

## THE PENTECOST MEETING AT JERUSALEM

The brethren gathered at the House of Prayer here in Jerusalem every day during the entire period of Pentecost, worshipping the Creator with songs, much prayer and many testimonies. Also many sick were prayed for.

There were not as many ministers from other countries as we expected owing to the cost of transportation here and back, but we all enjoyed a rich spiritual feast, and many wonderful sermons by those who came, including Elder C. Thompson, overseer of the work in England, Elder S. A. Harper, pastor of "The Church of God", England, also Elder A. L. Peate, pastor of the Millyard Church in London, the oldest Sabbath keeping congregation in the world, still holding their regular services, organized there over three hundred years ago. The Passover Lord's Supper Communion service on the 14th of Abib, has been held yearly, on the date of our Messiah's death ever since.

About three hundred years ago this group of the true church suffered terrible persecution by the Catholics. James of this church was killed, and his body dragged through the streets of London. Then cut in four pieces and a portion hung up on a pole at the three iron gates entering London. They were called Anti-Baptists, because they baptized by immersion, and called Jews, because they observed the Sabbath, with other things of the truth.

This same faith taught by this Millyard Church is being spread over the world, and is going out from Jerusalem to every nation on earth.

Praise and thanks to the Almighty.

Elder Peate with the other ministers present gave us some rousing spirit filled sermons, including Elder Shoemaker and Elder Heimke from Germany.

The entire preaching periods were turned over to these visiting ministers, all of whom we learned to love and were sad to see them depart.

Praise the Almighty for all of them. — Editor.

## FOLLOWING JERUSALEM

We notice with pleasure that some other groups of the Church of God 7th Day are falling in line with Jerusalem and advertising free tracts to workers. This is fine. It will help supply the hungry with the bread of life, and lead them to the true faith.

We must be strong in defense of the TRUTH. Our faith, strength and endurance is soon to be tried.

We hope and pray that all such groups will follow Jerusalem in every good move in harmony with the Word, and especially co-operate with heaven in acknowledging her as the proper place for World Headquarters of this Christian Family, the ancient primitive faith. — Editor.

## HELP US GET NEW READERS

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## TURTLE SAVES SINKING WOMAN

MANILA (Reuter). — A giant turtle saved a shipwrecked woman by carrying her on its back for two days, it was reported yesterday.

Mrs. Candelaria Villaneuva, 52, was on board a ship plying between the Philippine islands when it caught fire and sank on June 2.

A Philippine navy ship picked her up, haggard and hysterical, from the sea 48 hours later, after spotting her clinging to what looked like a big oil drum, the English-language newspaper "Bulletin" said.

An officer of the ship said: "Someone threw her a life ring. The moment she transferred her hold to the life ring, the 'drum' sank. We did not realize that it was a giant turtle until we started hauling up the woman. For the turtle was beneath her, apparently propping her up".

## JORDAN TO TRY ARABS SELLING LAND TO ISRAELIS

AMMAN (AP). — The Jordanian cabinet has decided to set up a special court to handle cases of Arabs who "sell their real-estate to the 'enemy'," it was announced here.

The court would put on trail, under the penalty of death, Arabs in the west bank who might sell their land to the Israelis, the announcement said.

Anti-industry -  
in the village of Gulkar in the mountains of the Jordan