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The Entry of Jesus Into Jerusalem - John

12: 12-26 Commentary .- I. The Triumpha! Procession (vs. 12-16). 12. The next day-After the supper. This would be Sunday commonly called Palm Sunday. Much

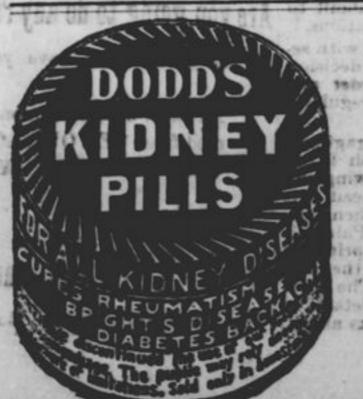
people-Vast crowds were present at the Passover. In the time of Nero a census was taken, and it was ascertained that there were 2,700,000 Jews present at this feast. To Jerusalem-Jesus and His disciples left Bethany and went to Beth page, a small village between Bethany and Jerusalem. Here they stopped, and Jesus sent two of His disciples to bring Him a colt on which to ride into Jerusalem. When this was procured He advanced toward Jerusalem. There were many from Galilee who knew Jesus personally, and great numbers had been at tracted to Bethany, excited by the recent resurrection of Lazarus. News had reached the city that He was coming, and a fresh crowd came pouring out from that direction; some went before branches was emblematical of success and victory." And cried-Combining the four accounts, we get the following fea- anity rescued from death and the grave tures: Some took off their outer garments, the burnoose, and bound it on | 25. Loveth his life-The word trans-

tion!"-Schaff. tl is used as an expression of praise like "Hallelujah." The diseiples rejoiced and praised God with a loud voice (fauke xix. 37, 38) and the Pharisees with unconcealed disgust asked Him to rebuke them. But Jesus re pied, "If these should hold their peace the stones would immediately cry out." Jesus here granted His people a license to rejoice and shout. His praises. King. cometh-Jesus Christ is appointed king over the church (Psa. ii. 6), and is ac cepted by the church. He comes to thee, to rule thee, to rule in thee, to rule for thee; He is head over all things to the church.-Henry. When a king comes great worldly demonstrations are ex pected; but Christ appears in His meek ness, not in His majesty. He is ready to suffer for Zion's sake. He is the Prince of Peace; "His methods are moral, no physical; truth is His sceptre, love His force." "His laws are written in his own bood instead of the blood of His sub-

14. As it is written-In Zech. ix., I The King is able to defend his people. Daughter of Sion-The church; God's true Israel. Sitting on " " colt-Here was the triumph of humility over pride and worldly grandeur, of poverty over affluence, and of meekness and gentleness over rage and malice.-Clarke. The horse and chariot were suggestive of war, the ass was the symbol of peace,-Dr. Gibson. When they came in sight of Jerusalem, while others shouted Jesus not-What was it that the disciples did afternoon. not understand at the time? The true | The dead-John Neary, Michael Hur- Postmaster-General Madden's department. prefigurative glorifying, of a suffering as the dry house, and was used for th in them the great mystery of exaltation | fulminated and are brought over to the through and in the midst of suffering .rected by experience. What they did not followed. understand now, they understood when the resurrection and ascension had taken place. They saw then in what sense he was a king, and how much more gloriously royal, with how much wider a kingdom, than if he had reigned a temporal king at Jerusalem, as the people had

(vs. 17-19. 17. The people, etc.-"The repeated references to the raising of Lazdence of the miracle. They are quite inconsistent with the theory either of a misunderstanding or of delicate fraud." other miracles had made but little impression, but this one had convinced even Christ's enemies. 19. The world-An exaggerated form of expression showing Christ's great popularity and their discomfiture. They saw that the only thing to do to save their own prestige was to put Christ to death.

III. Greeks seeking Jesus (vs. 20-22). One Gets Ten Years for Manslaughter, 20. Certain Greeks-The original word "Hellenes" means persons of Greek nationality, born Gentiles of the Greek they had been circumsized. "They be- were then closed. longed to the class known as 'proselytes of the gate,' so named from the phrase of the law, 'the stranger that is within thy gates' (Exod. xx, 10, etc.)"-Ellicott. | Canada Foundry Company Make New 21. To Philip-It is not known why they should come to Philip first unless it was



because they had some slight acquaintance with him. Bethsaida-The Bethsaida situated near Capernaum, in Gallee, was Philip's native town. Desired him-Jesus was in the court of the women, where he had just beheld the poor widow cast two mites into the treasury. The Greeks were not allowed to enter this court, hence the necessity of sending word to Christ and asking him to come out into the court of the heathen. We would see Jesus-Not merely to see his face, but we would speak with him and be taught by him. It should be the desire of every heart to see Christ. 22 Andrew and Philip-How pleasing to God is this union, when the ministers of the gospel agree and unite together to bring

souls to Christ.

unto eternal life."

IV. Jesus teaches the way of life (vs. 23.-Jesus answered them-Our Lord spake primarily to the Greeks and secondarily to His disciples, (1) of the meaning of His impending death, (2) of the necessity of faithfulness to Him in it, (3) of the blessing attached thereto. -Edersheim. The hour-The time. should be glorified-The time has come when the old prophesies (Isa, Liv. 3; lx. 3), are to be fulfilled, the Messiah's earth, and Christ is to take His place on the right hand of God. 24 and die-The seed must die in order to liberate and some followed after. 13. Branches the life-germ and allow it to become of palin trees-This was a demonstration fruitful. Christ must die to complete His of their joy. "Carrying palm and other redemptive work. Much fruit-"The result of Christ's death is a great spiritual harvest-a glorious harvest of hum-

the colt as a kind of saddle; others east lated life is often translated soul, as in their garments in the way, a mark of verse 27.—The meaning is that he who honor to a king (II. Kings ix. 13); oth- makes the pleasures, honors and reers gathered leaves and twigs and rushes. wards of this life, his chief concern, and -Abbott. Hosanna-Hosanna is a rea- sacrifices righteousness and integrity in dering into Greek letters of the Hebrew order to obtain them, "shall lose it"words, "Save, we pray" (Psa. exviii. 25). shall lose in most cases even the earth It is like a shout of "Salvation! Salva- Iy rewards that he hoped to gain, and shall lose his soul eternally. That hateth his life-On the other hand he who sacrifices, when necessary all worldly goods for Christ's sake and the gospel's (Mark viii. 35), "shall keep it"-shall gain eternal life. 'The loss is temporal, the gain is eternal; the loss is small, the gain infinite;" the loss is of outward things, the gain is the soul itself, which is of infinitely greater value than all earthly good.

26. Serve Me-Christ is a master in two fold sense; He instructs men, and appoints them their work. He who wishes to serve Christ must become a disciple to be taught, and a servant to obey.-Clarke. Let him follow Me-Let him act out the above principle, as Chirst had done and was about to do. This i Christ's answer to the request of the Greeks. Service of Christ is to be sought not by secret interviews, but by practically following Him in a life of daily self-sacrifice for others.-Abott. Christians must follow the methods and ex ample of Christ. Where I am-Where 15. Fear not-There is no cause for fear. I shall shortly take up mine abode, even in the eternal kingdom of my Father .-

AN EXPLOSION OF FULMINATE.

ridge Co. Were Killed.

Bridgeport, Conn., April 10 .- Three men | the Postoffice Department to-day, in conwere killed instantly in an explosion sultation with various officials, who could wept over the city. He saw its sins and that blew to pieces one of the brick furnish them information concerning rural the sorrows and desolation which were so buildings of the Union Metallic Cart- free delivery. They held a brief conference soon to come upon it. 16. Understood ridge Company, in Barnum avenue, this with Postmaster-General Cortelyou, but

application of the prophecy of Zechariah ley, William Bayliss, Neary was the now pointed out? Certainly not. It was only man in the building when the exthe events themselves now occurring that plosion occurred, and he was blown were dark to them. They were not seen through the roof a distance of about in their true light as a magnifying, as a thirty feet. The building was known Messiah, were not seen to contain with drying of primer caps. These caps are dry house and placed on long steam Schaff, Glorified, then remembered- pipes. In some manner one of the "The ignorance of the disciples was cor- caps was discharged and the explosion

---SOLD BRITISH WARSHIPS.

They Were Obsolete and No Longer Useful as Defenders.

London, April 10 .- A unique sale oc curred at Chatham dockyard to-day II. The cause of Christ's popularity when thirty-one obsolete British warships were sold to the highest bidder. The total realized was \$600,600. The arus greatly strengthen the historic evi- lots included twelve cruisers, among them being the Warspite, Northampton, Galatea and Australia, two torpedo boats and the training ship Exmouth. 18. This miracle-"This" is emphatic; The terms of the sale provide that none of the vessels could be sold to a foreign power. All of them must be broken u within twelve months. The ships sol represented an original outlay of \$15,

GALICIANS SENTENCED

Two Others Year Each.

Winnipeg, Man., April 10.-The three race. They may have come from Greece, Galician prisoners who were found or from some of the Greek cities nearer guilty of manslaughter by the jury at by of which there were several in De- the assizes were brought up for seneapolis. The ancient Greeks were su- tence to-day. His lordship sentenced preme in intellecutal power, culture and Cyncar to ten years in the Manitoba skill. In arts, the world has never sur- | Penitentiary; with hard labor; and passed their works in marble. In lit Kaya and Swereda to one year each erature, they have left for all ages their in the Winnipeg jail, with hard labor. deep impress upon the literature of the All three prisoners seemed to receive world .- Van Doren. To worship-These their sentence with but little concert Greeks were proselytes to the Jewish re- and left the court room in apparently ligion. That they acknowledged the true a pleased frame of mind. The assizes God is evident, but it is not certain that | which began four weeks ago to-day

THE BERTRAM WORKS.

Toronto, April 10.—Despite the absence the Canada Foundry Company, the absorption of the Bertram Engine and ted this invitation. Note the live. I then wrote you, telling you my ailments. I followed your advice and am enof Mr. Frederic Nichols, President of Foundry Company was consummated

Some two weeks ago the Canada Foundry Company authorized the issue of \$2,000,000 worth of stock, \$900,-000 of which is to be placed upon the

The Bertram Engine Works were established in 1892 when the late Mr. George Bertram secured control of the Doty Engine Company. Two years later the shipyards were established. and in 1900, when Mr. Bertram died, the late Mr. John Bertram took con-trol, The enterprise is a very large Compound, I am year anxious to send took

Tea such ahe ormous sale? Simply because the quality is irreproachable. If you are not using it you should give it one single trial. Black, Mixed or Natural Creen. Highest Award St. Louis, 1904.

SOLD ONLY IN SEALED LEAD PACKETS. 25c, 3oc, 4oc, 5oc, 6oc per 1b. By all Grocers.



LORD KELVIN, Who is Reported as Doing Well After His Operation.

MAY ADOPT RURAL RELIVERY.

Looking Into Free System.

Washington, April 10.-Rural free delivery mail service, as successfully and extensively established in the United States, has attracted notice in Canada, and Canadian postal officials are now conducting an investigation, with a view to determining whether such a service can be put into effective operation in that country. W. Smith, of Ottawa, Secretary of the Postoffice Department Three Employees of Union Metalile Cart- of Canada, and George Ross, of Toronto, General Postoffice Superintendent of the Dominion, are now in Washington, and were at "Canada has no rural free delivery," said

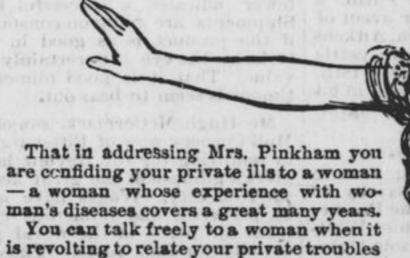
future. However, our postal officials have Canadian Postal Officials at Washington | been interested in the question for the past two years, although no definite steps have Without His love-the only love been taken as yet toward extending our serto learn, however, and we found that we can And the terrors of its darkness the United States. We have watched the growth of rural free delivery in this country with great interest, and it is quite possible that we may seek to profit by your exam-

> ishing a rural free delivery service in Can tricts, except in comparatively few instances, are so sparsely populated that the returns to the expense of maintenance. Fully 75 per cent, of the world's sun

ply of rose oil comes from the Balkan peninsula, where the principality of Bulgaria is the largest producer, followed by which you ever can be saved-Secretary Smith, "and I cannot say that the next by Roumania and Turkey.

STOP! WOMEN

AND CONSIDER THE **ALL-IMPORTANT** FACT



to a man-besides a man does not understand-simply because he is a man. Many women suffer in silence and arift along from bad to worse, knowing full well that they ought to have immediate assistance, but a natural modesty impels them to shrink from exposing themseives to the questions and probably examinations of even their family physician. It is unnecessary. Without money or price you can consult a woman whose knowledge from actual experience is great.

Mrs. Pinkham's Standing Invitation:

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. All letters are received. opened, read and answered by women only. A woman can freely talk of her private illness to a woman; thus has been established the eternal confidence between Mrs. Pinkham and the women of America which has never been broken. Out of the vast volume of experience which she has to draw from, it is more than possible that she has gained the very knowledge that will help your case. She asks nothing in return except your good-will, and her! advice has relieved thousands. Surely any woman, rich or poor, is very foolish if she does not take advantage of this generous offer of assistance. — Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Following we publish two let- . "As you know, I wrote you that my doctor

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tirely well. I can walk miles without

you cannot well say, without trying it, she did was done evidently under the preyed upon his mind, in his delicate you are ill. don't heaitate to get a bot- one from which all her instincts would At a meeting of the creditors of W. tle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable cause her to shrink. I think it wiser H. Redding and Sons held to-day a state

YOUNG WOMAN READS POEM FROM CHANCEL STEPS.

Montreal Witness: A very remarkable incident startled the large congregation at St. Martin's Church yesterday mornborne Troop, had placed the collection plate on the communion table and re- Hay is steady, with sales unrighteous that He should forget your work and labor that proceedeth of love,"

Dressed hogs are unchanged, with sales at when a young woman stepped silently \$7.50 to \$8, the latter for a few choice light from one of the front pews, and, taking Wheat; new, bushel \$ 1 04 her stand on the chancel steps, faced the congregation and read from a book Miss Havergal's well known poem, Without The hush of the congregation deepened as the young lady proceeded:

I could not do without Thee,
O Saviour of the lost!
Whose precious blood redeemed me
At such tremendous cost. Thy righteousness, Thy pardon,
Thy precious blood must be
My only hope and comfort,
My glory and my plea.

Jesus is more to me Than all the richest, fairest gifts Of earth could ever be, But the more I find Him precious-And the more I find Him true-The more I long for you to find What He can be to you. You need not do without Him, For He is passing by; ie is waiting to be gracious Only waiting for your cry. le is waiting to receive you, Why will you do without Him,

Why will you do without him? id He not die to save you? Do you not want a Saviour? Do you not want a friend? one who will love you faithfully, And love you to the end?

Why will you do without Him? The Word of God is true; The world is passing to its doom And you are passing too, t may be, no to-morrow Shall dawn for you or me; Why will you run the awful risk Of all eternity

What will you do without Him In the long and dreary day trouble and perplexity, And no one else can help you, And no one guides you right, And hope comes not with morning, And rest comes not with night?

If once He made you see The fetters that enchain you Till He hath set you free Of sin upon your soul-The hidden plegue that ends in death, Unless He makes you whole. Unlighted and unknown.

When the great White Throne is set, And never can forget-The Judge whom you have never here As Friend and Saviour sought, Shall summon you to give account Of deed, and word, and thought:

What will you do without Him When He hath shut the door, And you are left outside, because You would not come before: No use to stand and wait For the word of doom tolls through you That terrible "Too Late"?

No way, no hope, no claim! Without Him-everlasting loss Of love, and life, and light Without Him-everlasting woe,

But with Him-oh! with Jesus!-And everlasting rest With Jesus-all the empty heart Filled with His perfect love! With Jesus-perfect peace below, And perfect bliss above!

Why should you do without Him?is not yet too late: He has not closed the day of grace, He has not shut the gate. He calls you!—hush! He calls Another step without him, Because He loves you so.

Why will you do without Him? He wants to have you with Him. Do you not want Him, too You cannot do without him. And He wants-even you.

The effect of the incident on rector and congregation alike was deeply impressive. The young woman who so surprised them all is regarded as one of the most earnest, though at the same time fore of the most unostentations and unassuming, workers in the interests of the church and Sunday school. She has taken a great interest in the religious revivals that are going on in the ed in her action on Sunday by a deep feeling of spiritual fervor.

ly returned to her seat, and the service proceeded to the end. The young lady operations at this centre will soon comhad been present at the eight o'clock communion, and she attended school in the afternoon and church again in the Bradstreet's say: Coast trade shows

statement for publication: etrday morning. The young lady in well. Payments are being met fairly question is an estecemed personal friend | well. and a most faithful co-worker in the kingdom of God. Her work in the parish is well known to many, and has been greatly blessed. "The facts of the occurrence are brief-

"Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—
"Bor eight years I have suffered something that before a pain, and I own my life to you and to Lydis E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to Lyd

Market Reports The Week.

Toronto Farmers' Market.

The grain receipts to-day were light, and prices ruled steady. Wheat firm, with sales of 200 bushels of white and red ing, directly after the offertory had been winter at \$1.04 to \$1.05. Barley unpresented. The rector, the Rev. G. Os- changed, 200 bushels selling at 48c. Oats also

cited the offertory sentence, "God is not \$9.50 to \$11 a ton for timothy, and at \$7 to ing at \$10 to \$11 a ton.

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British Cattle Markets, Live cattle are quoted at 11 to 12c per 1b. 12 to 13c per 1b.

Leading Wheat Markets,

York	1.13% 1.08%	July. 0.93% 0.90% 0.89%
Bradstreet's on	Trade.	

Montreal reports to Bradstreet's say: General trade conditions here continue fairly satisfactory. The orders for spring delivery in nearly every branch of trade are fairly heavy and cover a wide distribution of lines. The roads continue in a more or less bad state. There has been some interference with the deliveries of country produce and prices have had a stiffening tendency. Live hogs have been especially scarre and firm, There are signs, however, that the roads will be in better condition shortly. Manufacturing and other industries are reported actively engaged.

Advices from Toronto to Bradstruck say: The prevailing bright spring we. ther has resulted in a rapid developme. of spring trade. Orders for spring goods are coming in fairly satisfactorily. Of ferings of country produce here have been limited and prices are firm. The first boat of the season has found its way into the harbor and although some ice is still here the opening of navigation will not be long delayed. The metal markets are stiff and active. The hardware business is brisk; builders sup plies are especially so, and the outlook for the building trade in this city is bright. There is a large volume of trade doing, for this time of the year, with Northwest. Orders from that portion of the country are heavy, the years water hipments of freight bound for the west are expected to prove unusually heavy.

At Quebec the mild weather of the past week has made country roads bad, and in some sections travel is reported at a standstill. Spring activity is generally noticeable and orders are well to hand. Collections show little improvement over that of the preceding week. Bradstreet's business reports from Hamilton say trade conditions there are satisfactory, The movement of wholesale stock is not heavy, but orders at coming in fairly well, and the opening of navigation will see great activity in the matter of shipping goods. Payments are a little quiet in some lines.

London reports say spring trade has been opening out fairly well during the prosperous and are actively engaged in almost all lines. Orders to wholesale honses are fair, and there is a good demand for all lines of spring and summer

Advices to Bradstreet's from Ottawa say, beyond some slight slowness in the matter of collections and a little quietness in some lines of wholesale trade, the condition of business here is

Winnipeg reports say: Spring trade is opening out fairly well as the weather continues favorable, Good orders ar coming to the wholesale houses. Colle tions are still slow. The country as in a prosperous condition and if money is tied up in real estate speculation, while world, and obviously she was prompt- strides being made on all hands in business affairs generally will to a certain extent counteract the bad effects. Val-When she finished reading she quietnes of goods are steady to firm. Building mence on a large scale.

Victoria and Vancouver reports to little change from conditions of a week This morning a Witness reporter 130. Industrial activity throughout the saw the Rev. Mr. Troop, at St. Martin's Province is more pronounced and the statement for publication: general outlook has lost none of its "I regret exceedingly the publicity un- fairly active. The demand for all lines avoidably given to the incident which lof goods for the interior has been heavy occurred in St. Martin's Church yes. and trade in spring lines is opening out

THE MANAGER ARRESTED.

Outcome of the Failure of the Bank of Yarmouth.

Yormauth, N. S., April 10.—The arrest "Just as I was about to read the prayer for the church militant, after of Manager Johns of the Bank of Yarthe presentation of the alms, my friend mouth was made upon information stepped quietly out from her seat at furnished by W. E. Stavert, who has the front of the church, and in a clear been examining the books, charging him

enterprise is a very large shipyards employed 175 the engine works over 325.

I do not to attempt any discussion of her shipyards the engine works over 325.

I think it wiser cause her to shrink. I think it wiser not to attempt any discussion of her ment was presented showing the gross action; but I do very earnestly deprecate any sensational exaggeration of it."

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