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The election held at Tiptonville, Thursday, for Mayor, Marshal and Aldermen resulted in J. D. Frost, the present mayor being re-elected, Wess Laird being elected Marshal, and R. W. Giffin, Chas. H. LeDuke, Fred Calahan, J. W. P. Hall, T. B. Montgomery and Lyman Harris being elected.

Edgar Williams has been on the sick list several days.

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The Courier's Weekly Sermon  
BY PASTOR RUSSELL  
SUBJECT

**JEWISH PARADISE  
NOT THE  
CHRISTIAN'S HEAVEN.**

A New Biblical Interpretation.

Will It Dissolve Our Theological  
Clouds and Refresh Us in  
a Clearer Light?

PASTOR RUSSELL'S EXPOSITION



St. Louis, Mo., June 11.—Pastor Russell preached here twice today to great audiences. Both addresses were out of the ordinary and well calculated to make the hearers sit up and take notice.

We report one of these discourses from a text we never before heard treated and did not even know was in the Bible (Acts II, 34): "For David is not ascended into the heavens."

The Old Testament Scriptures we accept as of equal authority with the New Testament, said Pastor Russell, because Jesus and the Apostles so accepted them, and indeed based all of their teachings upon them.

In all the Old Testament, from Genesis to Malachi, not a single suggestion is offered of a change of nature from human to spiritual, nor of any other heaven than that which God had originally provided for man—the Garden of Eden. The hopes inspired in Israel by the Divine promises pointed them forward to the time when God's blessing would obliterate the curse of sin and death and uplift mankind from present degradation, back to the original perfection. The Seed of the woman, it was promised, should ultimately "crush the Serpent's head," destroying the evil that is in the world, and establishing a reign of righteousness instead of the reign of sin and death.

David's Soul in Hell.

As the Old Testament tells nothing about a Heavenly condition, likewise it tells nothing about a hell of fire or torment. Such devilish theories were invented by the heathen, from whom many Christians have since absorbed more or less of the false doctrines. The Law and the Prophets do refer to hell some sixty-six times, but the hell which they teach is the grave, the tomb, the state of death. From first to last all mankind, both good and bad, go to hell, *sheol, the tomb.*

The writers of the New Testament also were Jews, and it might here be noted that nowhere did they describe the Hell and Purgatory which we Protestants and Catholics conjured up during the Dark Ages. The New Testament, written in Greek, is in full accord with the Old Testament, written in Hebrew; the *sheol* of the latter is the *hades* of the former.

Pastor Russell quoted the Scripture, "Abraham slept with his fathers," and declared that Abraham's fathers were heathen. He called attention to the fact that good and bad, kings and princes, and others, are, in the Scrip-

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tures, declared to have fallen asleep. So it was with David. These all sleep in the Bible *hell*—in the tomb. They are all unconscious; as the Scriptures declare, "The dead know not anything; their sons come to honor and they know it not; they come to dishonor and they perceive it not of them." "There is neither wisdom nor knowledge nor device in *sheol, hell, the grave, whither thou goest*"—whither all go (Job XIV, 21; Ecclesiastes IX, 10; "Thou Wilt Not Leave My Soul in *Sheol*."

The Prophet David declared his faith in a resurrection of the dead when he wrote, "Thou wilt not leave My soul in *hell (sheol, the grave), nor suffer Thine Holy One to see corruption*" (Psalm XVI, 10). St. Peter (Acts II, 25-31) calls our attention to the fact that the Prophet David did see corruption, and hence that this statement was not in regard to himself but Jesus—that the soul of Jesus was not left in *sheol (hell, Hades)*; and additionally, that the flesh of Jesus was not allowed to corrupt.

St. Peter was pointing out the fulfillment of this prophecy of the resurrection of Jesus from the dead on the third day, when he made use of our text, "David is not ascended into the heavens; \* \* \* his sepulchre is with us unto this day." St. Peter's argument is that Jesus was in his sepulchre and was still dead, but that his words were a prophetic reference to Jesus' resurrection.

David Will Not Go to Heaven.

King David will not go to heaven, said Pastor Russell, and he will not desire to go to heaven for the same reason that a fish has no desire to perch upon the limb of a tree nor a bird to make its home under the water. As these animals have natures distinct and adapted to the conditions which God has provided, so the nature of man, even when brought to human perfection, will enjoy and appreciate more the earthly blessings which God has provided for him than he would enjoy the heavenly blessings which God has provided for the Elect "in the flock"—"the Church of the First-Born," whose names are written in heaven (Hebrews XII, 23).

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