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Sermonette.
1. That Jesus was never really dead; but that He fainted away on the cross, was taken down for dead and was placed in the tomb; that the cool atmosphere of the tomb brought him back to consciousness; that he dragged himself from the tomb, and was seen several times by some of his disciples; that He then disappeared and died in some secret corner of the earth. This is the swoon theory.

Against this theory it is urged, (1) that it is the clear and unanimous testimony of the Gospel that Jesus was actually dead, not to speak of the statement of the gospel of John that his side was pierced by the unerring spear of a Roman soldier; (2) that recovery from such a crucifixion is most improbable; (3) that Jesus dragging himself from the tomb wearing an exhausted, ghastly look could never have revived the hearts of the disciples or led them to believe in a Christ who had been dead, and was alive again. Strauss states the objection thus: "It is impossible that a being who had stolen half dead out of the sepulchre, who crept about weak and ill, wanting medical treatment, who required bandaging, strengthening and indulgence, and who still at last yielded to His sufferings, could have given to the disciples the impression that He was a conqueror over death and the grave, the Prince of Life, an impression which lay at the bottom of their future ministry. Such a resurrection could by no possibility have changed their sorrow into enthusiasm, or have elevated their reverence into worship."

excited, expectant state of mind which is necessary in order to "see visions," while as a matter of fact four of Christ's appearances occurred on the third day after his crucifixion. (3) According to this theory, Mary Magdalene saw a vision, Simon Peter saw a vision and the two disciples as they walked to Emmaus saw a vision, and then ten of the disciples in Jerusalem saw a vision all on the same day. Then a few days later the eleven disciples saw a vision and a little later some "five hundred brethren at once" saw a vision, and so on, etc. Thus this theory carried out certainly seems to approach a *reductio ad absurdum*.

The above two hypotheses for explaining away the resurrection are the chief ones, and the only ones which today receive any considerable support.

The fact is that even in the matter of historical evidence and of intellectual argument the orthodox defenders of the resurrection have the best of it.

C. R. WELDEN.

2. It is maintained by some that the appearance of the so-called "risen" Christ was purely subjective, due to the excited state of mind in which the disciples found themselves after the death of their beloved master. Jesus was dead but they longed to see Him again. So they thought they did see Him. They were honest in their belief that they saw him, yet it was, nevertheless, a vision, a hallucination. This is the vision theory.

Against this, it is urged, (1) The disciples were not in a mood to see visions. They were in a state of depression and unexpectancy. Matthew states that on the occasion of Christ's meeting his followers in Galilee "some doubted." Mark relates that when the disciples heard from Mary of Magdala that Jesus was alive, and had been seen of her "they believed not." Luke tells that the reports of the women seemed to the disciples as "idle tales." (2) It is psychological fact that a considerable period of time would be necessary before the depressed mood of the disciples could be changed into an

LESTER.
Fine rains visited this place Tuesday. Miss Teachworth of Guide Rock was visiting her sister here Sunday. Ed. Bianch and wife were visiting at F. M. Cookrell's Sunday.
G. W. Baker and daughter and several other parties of this place are attending the G. A. R. reunion at Superior.
Rev. McKinney left Tuesday for his home in Hildreth.
Will Mitchell of McCook was the guest of I. Frisbie Sunday.
Chris. Rasser has a new bike.
Alf. Saladen was in Guide Rock Tuesday.
Elder Elepando preached here Sunday to a large audience. Rev. Metcalf baptised several Sunday afternoon.
Notice to those whom are interested in the Pleasant Hill cemetery and who have friends buried there are requested to come August 20th, at 2 o'clock, and help put the cemetery in order.

The doctor may be a good old man, but even so, medical examinations and the "local-application" treatment are abhorrent to every modest woman. They are embarrassing—often useless. They should not be submitted to until everything else has been tried. In nine cases out of ten, there is no reason for them. In nine cases out of ten, the doctor in general practice isn't competent to treat female disease. They make a branch of medicine by themselves. They are distinct from other ailments. They can be properly understood and treated only by one who has had years of actual practice and experience in this particular line. This is true of Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, a remedy for all derangements of the reproductive organs of women, has been in actual use for more than thirty years. It cures every form of "female weakness."

COWLES.
Last week Charley Teel, Jim Gilford and Capt. Houchin returned from the Hastings convention chuck full of en-

thusiasm, and hooping 'er up for Bryan and free silver.
A Cowles young lady—a member of the late graduating class—was heard to hurrah for McKinley and free silver. Rather mixed in politics. See?
Mrs. John Story has been visiting relatives in Inyayie.
Roy Hildreth and son Glen went to Exeter Tuesday.
Quite a fuss was caused Monday by some plum stealing by a family living northwest of town.
Rev. Metcalf started for the eastern part of the state Tuesday.
Rev. Alexander preached at the Methodist church Sunday night.
A large number from here attended the quarterly conference at Amboy Sunday.
About thirty young people repaired to Amboy Saturday afternoon on picnic purposes intent. To escape the rain in the evening they took refuge in the mill, and returned home early Sunday morning.

SWEET SIXTEEN.
Sent it to His Mother in Germany.
Mr. Jacob Eshensen, who is in the employ of the Chicago Lumber Co., at Des Moines, Iowa, says: "I have just sent some medicine back to my mother in the old country, that I know from personal use to be the best medicine in the world for rheumatism, having used it my family for several years. It is called Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It always does the work." 50 cent bottles for sale by Deyo & Grice.

From Colorado.
VILLA PARK, Colo., Aug. 12, '96.
TO THE EDITOR:—I would like to see a good old republican paper once more. Please send the paper for a few weeks. I am getting so sick of hearing nothing but "Billy" Bryan and free silver I don't know what to do. I haven't seen but three or four good straight republicans in Denver.
Business of all kinds is very dull here at present and will be somewhat so until after election. A great many mines are shutting down until after election; also several smelters in this city and near here.

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Well we have been enjoying ourselves hugely. We have just returned from a three week's trip up in the mountains. We were about ninety miles southwest of here on Goose Creek. I caught ninety trout and you bet they were dandies. Well I guess I have written enough for this time so I will quit. Don't forget to send the paper.
Yours truly,
J. S. Cox.

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Miss Grace Fort is in Orleans.
My little boy, when two years of age, was taken very ill with bloody flux. I was advised to use Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy and luckily procured part of a bottle. I carefully read the directions and gave it accordingly. He was very low, but slowly and surely he began to improve, gradually recovered, and is now as stout and strong as ever. I feel sure it saved his life. I never can praise the remedy half its worth. I am sorry every one in the world does not know how good it is, as I do.—Mrs. Lina S. Hinton, Grahamsville, Marion Co., Florida. For sale by Deyo & Grice.

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