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school of agriculture and high schools grove of trees on the home place west sus" (Luke). need to write only one essay on the tilo in order to compete for all the premiums offered for question No. 1, but their essays should bear the endorsement "normal school" "school of agriculture," or "high school," as the case may be.

The association also offers \$150 in versity farm on Friday, January 20.

Each essay is to contain not less than 1,000 words nor more than 1, 500, in typewritten form on one side of the sheet only. According to the conditions, no name shall be signed to an essay, but enclosed therewith on a separate sheet shall be sent the name and address of the author. All essays are to be the property of the association and prize essays to be read at the annual meeting of the associations to be held at Lincoln, January 18 to 20, at which time awards of prizes will be announced. All essays, in order to compete for prizes, must be mailed not later than January 1 and addressed to Professor A. L. Haecker, university farm. Literature relating to the silo may be had

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free, by addressing Professor W. L.

WAITED FIFTY YEARS.

ed Fifty-two Years Ago.

Fifty-two years ago Hon. B. T. Skeen and his brother Andy set out a of Nemaha. On last Thursday Mr. Skeen was in Auburn with a load of cord wood cut from that selfsame grove, that for over half a century

has been slowly coming to maturity. While possessing a somewhat sentimental interest, the wait of five decades between planting and repairing is hardly an inducement for the prizes for judging dairy cows, the younger generation to go to the growjudging to take place at the uni- ing of cord wood on an extensive

#### THE RESUR-RECTION

Sunday School Lesson for Dec. 18, 1910 Specially Arranged for This Paper

LESSON TEXT-Matthew 28:1-20. Memory verses, 5, 6.
GOLDEN TEXT-"Lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world."

Jesus was in the grave three days, from Friday, April 7, to Sunday, April 9, A. D. The Resurrection was early Sunday morning, and was from a tomb in a gar-

den near Calvary.

The home of the disciples during the forty days was in Jerusalem. The appearances of Jesus were in the vicinity of Jerusalem, and in Galilee.

The Ascension was from Mount Olivet.

It is hard to conceive of a greater disappointment, or a deeper mental and spiritual gloom than the Egyptian midnight darkness, without a star of hope, which closed about the disciples when Jesus their Lord was dead upon the cross, and every precaution was taken to make certain that he was really, irrevocably dead.

The enemies of Jesus guarded against every possibility of mistake as to the reality of his death. This is a very interesting example of the Providence of God. For if Jesus did not die, he could not be raised from the dead. Moreover if the proof that Jesus really died came from his friends, people would question whether they did not in some way deceive

But the enemies of Jesus were very anxious that he should be really dead, in order that he might never trouble them again. Hence they did everything possible to accomplish their purpose. The soldiers pierced his body with a spear, and blood and water flowed from the wound-a proof of death (John 19: 34, 35). The centurion, who was accustomed to executions, was convinced that he was dead, and so reported to Pilate. The tomb in which he was buried was a new one, in which no one had ever been buried, and so there could be no doubt as to the identity of the body of Christ.

At the request of the chief priests, the stone against the door of the sepulcher was sealed, and a Roman guard placed around the tomb, so that no one could take away the body and then pretend that Jesus had risen (Matt. 27: 62-66).

Jesus rose early on Sunday morning. Of the method or circumstances we know only what is stated here. "Behold, there was a great earthquake. Early in the morning, before the arrival of the women at the tomb. For the (an) angel of the Lord descended from heaven. A divine messenger, to overawe the guards, and show that Jesus rose, and was not taken from the tomb by human power, and that the same body came forth that had been buried. Rolled back the stone from the door, and sat upon it, as a guard waiting to give the needed information to the disciples. His countenance (his appearance) was like hightning, in vivid and intense brightess. And his raiment white as snow." This was heavenly apparel, the visible expression of his heavenly nature.

It seems that Mary Magdalene first reached the tomb, and seeing the stone rolled from the door, hastened to tell the news to Peter. The others then came, and entering into the tomb, "found not the body of the Lord Je

It was fitting that the resurrection should occur at the dawning of the day. It was the dawning of the world's day of redemption. Mark adds, "and Peter." For he would be the saddest of all. This message would be a drop of joy in his cup then, as showing Christ's forgiveness

The Ascension was the only fitting close of the earthly life of Jesus, When the disciples had been thoroughly convinced by "many infallible proofs" during forty days, that Jesus was really alive, then he went home to his throne and to his Father in the only way that would enable them to realize that he was their ever-living Lord and Saviour. The last view of Jesus was not on the cross, but ascending in glory, a living Saviour.

The resurrection of Christ is the assurance that the death of the body is not the end of existence. For the soul lives on without this mortal body, but receives a body in the other world, like Christ's glorious body.

The resurection life removes all fears and doubts with the assurance of a continued life hereafter, all we have gained in this life being but a preparation for that eternal life.

The very soul of our religion is missionary, progressive, world embracing; it would cease to exist if it ceased to be missionary, if it disregarded the parting words of its founder, 'Go ye, therefore, and teach all nations,' etc. The spirit of truth is the life-spring of all religion; and where it exists, it must manifest itself, it must plead, it must persuade. It must also convert. There may be times when silence is gold, and speech silver ; but there are times also when ilence is death, and speech is life-

the very life of Pentecost. The progress of the church through missions is one of the most hopeful signs of the times. The era of misdons has been its era of greatest advancement at home. The awakening of the nations all over the world; the fruits of mission work made manifest within the last ten years, are an inspiration to the whole Christian world, to larger giving and to deeper consecration. Conversion and joining the church are but the beginning of the Christian life. Christ's last command was, "Go ye, therefore." Do not wait for people to come to you, but go to

Putting in the Time.

A gentleman was engaging a general man and telling him what he wanted him to do. "You will have to clean the windows and the boots and the knives and go messages, chop wood, cut short grass, mind the horse and pony, look after the garden and keep the house supplied with vegetables and do any odd job that is required and if suitable you will get ten shillings a week."

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OLD PAPERS.

Church Women Ship Over 30,000 Pounds to the Factories This Week. Auburn.-The ladies of the Chrisdence, Otto A. Witthuhn has suddenly tian and Baptist congregations of this regained his mind, and has been re- city have been collecting old papers for some time, and last week shipped Witthuhn underwent an operation a carload to the factories at Mar-

> There was over 30 000 pounds in response to their labors.