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**Not in Constitution**  
The Constitution says nothing about the number of justices; it requires only a court and chief justice. By the Judiciary act of 1789, congress called for five associate justices. In 1807 the number was changed to six; in 1837 to eight, and in 1863 to nine. In 1869 the present number of eight associate justices and one justice was set.

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**Literary Tree**  
In Google's book, Ireland boasts "its most literary tree." This growing timber shows honorable scars in the shape of signatures in the bark of William Butler Yeats, Edward Martin, Synge, George Moore, and George Bernard Shaw.

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**Australia Increases**  
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re-election  
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**Sheriff**  
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re-election  
John C. Barber

**Commissioner Precinct 21**  
Harry Crov  
A. M. (Judge) Thurman  
Re-election

**County Judge**  
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Re-election

**C. S. (Clabe) Eldridge**  
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 Sunday School Lessons  
 BY DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

SCRIPTURE: Acts 15:36-18:28  
 Verses 5:9-6:20; II Corinthians  
 DEVOTIONAL READING  
 Luke 11:23-27

### Satan's Throne

Lesson for February 26, 1959

"I HOLD NO BRIEF FOR HIM" is a lawyer's expression often borrowed by other people. A lawyer who holds a brief for a man has been engaged to represent him. It is his duty to present the man in the best light possible.

Now we know about the early church in Corinth from two sources: Luke and Paul. The book of Acts was written among other reasons, to show that the Christian church, far from being a subversive movement as its enemies claimed, was a benefit to the world. Of course this was true; but since this was Luke's purpose, he naturally omitted as much of the church's shortcomings as he could, and played up the good features.



Dr. Foreman

**Church with the Lid Off**  
 Paul, on the other hand, writing to the church at Corinth (and to others as well), held no brief for them. He was not trying to praise them or to tell anybody how good they were.

He knew them intimately; he had indeed converted most of the members. His letters to Corinth, from which our lesson gives a small sample, shows us a church "with the lid off."

Where Satan's throne is YEARS AFTERWARD, another Christian writer said of another church that they lived "where Satan's throne is." You might almost have said the same thing of Corinth. It was a large commercial city; people from everywhere funneled into it. Like any city of this sort it had earned a reputation for wickedness of every kind—drink, liquor, gambling, women.

Corinth was a sort of man-made jungle, like our own great cities today. It made a sort of test case: If the church could succeed in Corinth it could succeed anywhere.

If the power of Christ could make new men and women out of the denizens of that great city, there was no jungle, man-made or nature-made, where Christ could not go. Can men and women be Christian in the midst of a non-Christian, even anti-Christian world?

**Our Pagan World**  
**PAUL'S ANSWER**, of course, is Yes: on one condition. You must take your pattern for living from Jesus, not from the world around you. The big problem at Corinth, which included all other problems, was the fact that the Christians there were acting too much like the people outside the church. Christians must be different! insisted Paul. This is not an echo of a bygone time.

**Our own world** is a new Corinth. Even into the remotest village, the most isolated farm, the world of our time pushes in, by radio, movies, magazines and papers and advertising, even by schools and clubs.

And it is a pagan world. Take the movies alone, that fertile source of most young people's ideas. Hollywood's idea of marriage—a temporary affair till boredom do us part; Hollywood's idea of a good time—liquor flowing free; Hollywood's idea of success—an immense house with an even bigger swimming pool.

Not that there are no good moving pictures; but in general, it is made glamorous on a the and screens is anything but a Christian world.

**And Be Ye Separate**  
**PAUL KNEW** it is not to have no contact with the world. He would not approve of Christians going into monasteries where they would henceforth see none but top-notch Christians. He would not approve of Christians going into the world, even if they were to be seen by the world.

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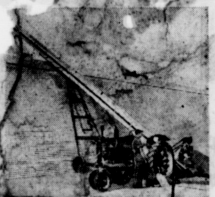
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Sweat down your production costs if you want to maintain profits in these days of declining farm prices. One way to sweat down those costs is to increase your crop yields per acre. More bushels of corn and grain per acre, more pounds of meat, milk, dairy products and poultry mean lower production costs per unit. On such a basis you can make a profit even if prices slacken further.

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SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland

Whereas, by virtue of a certain execution issued out of the 30th District Court of Wichita County Texas on the 20th day of January, A. D. 1950, wherein Ida Price is Plaintiff, and Del-Lake Oil Company, a corporation is Defendant, on a judgement rendered in said court against said Defendant and in favor of the said Plaintiff, for the Sum of One Thousand Six hundred seventy four and 10/100 (\$1674.10) Dollars, with interest thereon at the rate of 6 percent per annum, from date of judgment, together with all costs of suit I have levied upon and will on the 7th day of March, A. D. 1950, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M. and four o'clock P. M. at the Court House door of said County, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder all the right, title and interest of Del-Lake Oil Company in and to the following described property, levied upon, to-wit:

All the right, title, and interest of Del-Lake Oil Company in and to the two tracts of land hereinafter described, being all of said defendant's interest in two certain oil and gas leases, together with all personal property used or obtained in connection therewith, and described as follows:

FIRST TRACT: Oil and gas lease dated Nov. 15th, 1947, executed by A. V. Wright et al, lessors, to J. T. Anderson, lessee, covering the east one-half (E1/2) of the southeast quarter (SE1/4) of Block 36 of Leland County School District Survey, abstract 330, Eastland County, Texas, recorded in Vol 419 page 286 of deed records of said county.

TRACT TWO: Oil and gas lease dated Sept. 24th, 1948, executed by H. A. Bible et al, lessors, to D. W. Crawford, lessee, covering 100.3 acres of land out of J. F. Sapp survey, abstract 435, in Eastland County, Texas, described by acres and bounds as follows: Beginning at a stone mound at beginning cor. of a tract of land deeded to Ry. Employees Stock Co. by G. W. and O. T. Moore, from which bears a P. O. bears N 57 west 12 1/2 vrs. THENCE South 973 vrs. to a stone located in N. bank of Sabano creek; THENCE west at right angles 582 vrs. to corner; THENCE N 973 vrs. to stone mound in N line of J. F. Sapp survey, from which said tract bears S 13 E 6 1/2 vrs. THENCE east 582 vrs. to a place of beginning, containing 100.3 acres of land.

The above sale is made for the purpose of satisfying the judgment for by Plaintiff, together with costs of suit and shall be applied thereon.

By C. B. G...