

(63) Into what three classes may foods be divided? And what is the proper proportion of each to be partaken of during the day? p. 560, par. 1 to 4

(64) How may a purely vegetable dietary be satisfactorily arranged, if necessary for economy? p. 561, par. 1

(65) Explain the injurious results of an uneven balancing of foods, especially of starchy variety. p. 561, par. 2

(66) Should we be careful not to make diet "a fad"? p. 561, par. 3

(67) Why is cheerful and profitable conversation a desirable accompaniment of the family table? p. 562, par. 1

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### SUNDRY EARTHLY OBLIGATIONS OF THE NEW CREATION

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(2) Why should New Creatures be much more alert than others to recognize the principle of justice? p. 563, par. 2

(3) What is the Divine injunction with respect to indebtedness, as expressed by the Apostle in Romans 13:8? p. 564, par. 1

(4) What should be the rule for every member of the New Creation as respects money matters? p. 564, par. 2

(5) Why should all New Creatures aim to keep their expenses below their income? p. 565, par. 1

(6) If we have in the past unwisely contracted debts, what should be our course? p. 565, par. 2

(7) What Scriptural precedent may be found for taking advantage of modern bankruptcy provisions? p. 566, par. 1

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(10) How should we consider the matter of borrowing and lending, as between "brethren"? p. 567, par. 2

(11) If a brother be so situated that he could give no security for a loan, how should the tender of it consider the matter? p. 568, par. 1, first half

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(13) What is the Scriptural injunction with respect to endorsing notes for others? p. 568, par. 2

(14) How should the New Creation regulate their household affairs with respect to petty borrowing and lending, as between neighbors? p. 569, par. 1, 2

(15) How should the borrowing of time by others be regarded by the New Creation? p. 570, par. 1

(16) What beautiful example did our Lord set us with respect to waiting for a positive invitation and assurance of welcome before accepting hospitalities? p. 570, par. 2

(17) To what extent should New Creatures permit themselves to be imposed upon by uninvited guests, whether "brethren" or relatives according to the flesh? p. 571, par. 1

(18) Does Matthew 6:34, 19, 20, teach us to make no provision for the future? What example has the Heavenly Father set us in this respect? p. 572, par. 1

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(20) What is the difference between carefulness and anxious care respecting the morrow, and how is this illustrated in Scripture? p. 573, par. 1

(21) Does Matt. 6:19, 20, imply carelessness in respect to the daily interests of the present life? p. 573, par. 2

(22) How should all who have "chosen Christ" as their Master regard their earthly possessions? p. 573, par. 3; p. 574, par. 1

(23) How should money be regarded by the New Creation? p. 574, par. 2, 3

(24) What does full consecration to the Lord require of the poor as well as the rich? p. 575, par. 1

(25) Suggest what further explanation our Lord might have given "the rich young man," had he possessed the proper heart-condition. p. 576, par. 1, 2

(26) Does consecration of our all to the Lord imply that all our means must be used exclusively in religious work? p. 576, par. 3; p. 577, par. 1

(27) What instructions do the Scriptures give with respect to making future provision for our families? p. 577, par. 2

(28) What is the duty of every parent with respect to reasonable provision for his children's present and future interests and necessities? p. 578, par. 1

(29) Is the question of Insurance a religious or a purely business proposition? p. 578, par. 2

(30) In a case where the wife is not in sympathy with Present Truth, what course would be advisable on the part of the husband? p. 579, par. 1

(31) In view of the great Time of Trouble, what may be expected of Insurance Companies, especially those of a fraternal character? p. 579, par. 2; p. 580, par. 1

(32) Should the New Creation become members of Masonic or other secret societies? p. 580, par. 2; p. 581, par. 1

(33) What liberty of choice may the New Creation exercise in the matter of joining other mutual-benefit associations, not of a religious nature? p. 581, par. 2

(34) What advice is suggested regarding membership in labor organizations? p. 582, par. 1, 2

(35) What is a "busybody," and what is the Scriptural reproof of such? p. 583, par. 1

(36) How should the Golden Rule be applied in such cases? p. 583, par. 2

(37) What is the peculiar form in which this natural tendency to meddle in the affairs of others sometimes attacks the New Creature? p. 583, par. 3

(38) When tempted to interfere with the affairs of others, what questions should we ask ourselves? p. 584, par. 1, first part

(39) Would it be "busybodying" on the part of a parent to look into the affairs of the family under his care? p. 585, top

(40) Where is the admonition against "busybodying" to be especially remembered and heeded? p. 585, par. 1

(41) How great is the influence of the tongue among the members of the natural body? p. 586, par. 1

(42) What is the only proper and successful method of restraining the tongue? p. 587, par. 1, 2

(43) What are the cravings of the new mind for fellowship with kindred minds? p. 588, par. 1

(44) What are the admonitions of the Word against associating with evil-doers? p. 588, par. 2

(45) What should be our sentiments toward an association with those related to us by ties of blood? p. 589, par. 1

(46) What was evidently the intention of the Lord with respect to the forming of a new family—the "household of faith"? p. 589, par. 2

(47) Does this new relationship imply the ignoring of sex proprieties, or that the unbelieving husband or wife should be neglected? p. 590, par. 1

(48) What should be the attitude of the New Creation to-

ward the powers that be? What are the Scriptural admonitions along this line? p. 590, par. 2, 3

(49) What advantage has the New Creature from his viewpoint of present conditions in the world? p. 591, par. 1, 2

(50) Is it wise or necessary for the New Creation to alarm the world in respect to the Time of Trouble? p. 592, par. 1

(51) What position should the New Creation take in the matter of voting? p. 593, par. 1 to 5

(52) Should we use carnal weapons and fight for our native country and its rulers? p. 594, par. 1

(53) In the event of our being required to do military service, what would be the proper course to pursue? p. 594, par. 2

(54) Explain how our consecration vow should touch and purify every act of our lives. p. 595

(55) Give three good reasons why the New Creation should not wear extravagant and conspicuous apparel. p. 596, par. 1 to 4

(56) Would the investing of money in stocks, bonds, etc., be any more in harmony with our consecration vow than if spent upon extravagant dress and luxurious homes? p. 597, par. 1

(57) Is there any connection between our stewardship and the fact that the Lord has left His cause in need of financial support? p. 597, par. 2

(58) Briefly, what would be considered the proper course for the New Creation with respect to dress and money matters? p. 598, par. 1

## STUDY XV

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### THE FOES AND BESETMENTS OF THE NEW CREATION

(1) What is the chief enemy of the New Creation? Is the New Creature double-minded, or is he controlled by two wills? p. 599

(2) Are the death of the flesh and its will, and the subsequent resurrection of the flesh actual or reckoned matters? And how must these "dead" and "alive" conditions be maintained by the New Creation? p. 600, par. 1

(3) What is the declaration of the Scriptures respecting the natural heart? And how is the heart of the New Creature different? p. 600, par. 2