



ANNOUNCEMENT

OF
SPECIAL SHORT COURSES
AT THE
MESSIAH BIBLE SCHOOL
AND
MISSIONARY TRAINING HOME

GRANTHAM, PENNA.

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BIBLE COURSE.

Did you know that there will be a special course in Biblical study offered at the Messiah Bible School and Missionary Training Home, during the coming winter of 1916?

For a small sum you can spend the winter months, from Dec. 27, to March 23, studying the Book of books. Why not take advantage of this opportunity to study the Bible? No scholastic attainment is required. YOU will be admitted to any of the subjects named below regardless of what your past education has been.

It will also be your privilege to attend the Annual Bible Conference which will be in session from Jan. 20, to 30, and receive inspiration from some of the best Bible Students in the Brotherhood.

The following are some of the subjects which will be taught during the winter term:

BIBLE OUTLINE.

An analysis of the Books, giving the account of God's chosen people from the divided kingdom to the coming of Christ, will be given and explained. Most of the narrative will be read by the student. An interesting discussion of each book will also be taken up in class work, the student having the privilege of asking questions on points which are not clear.

GOSPELS.

The four records of Christ's Ministry will be studied as a whole, showing the unity of the work. Each account is then studied by considering the writer, the characteristics of the writing, and the spiritual teachings of the same. After this the "Common Testimony" of all four narratives is carefully studied.

GENERAL EPISTLES.

The general epistles will be studied from an exegetical standpoint. The lessons taught as applicable to present day conditions will be especially emphasized. The student will be expected to write a synopsis of the different books studied.

OLD TESTAMENT HISTORY.

The principal events of the Old Testament from Joshua to the coming of Christ, including a brief account of the period in which the "Word" is silent, constitute the main study of this subject. The promised Redeemer is continually kept before the mind showing the plan of God during the different stages of the Old Testament Covenant.

PROPHETIC LITERATURE.

The Major and Minor Prophetic books of the Old Testament are carefully

studied, clearly elucidating the character of the writings and the prophetic utterances of the authors.

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AGRICULTURAL COURSE.

A three month study of some of the underlying principles of general farm practice can be made a profitable investment to all who will properly apply the knowledge gained.

The purpose of the course is to give instruction in the most important subjects pertaining to general farming. A brief outline of the course is as follows.

SOILS AND FERTILIZERS.

Under this subject will be studied:—
Conditions essential in plant growth; origin and classification of soils; nitrogen, phosphoric acid, potash; soil analysis; farm manures; physical properties of the soil; water supply; tillage; humus and management of different kinds of soil.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY.

The different breeds of horses, cattle, sheep, swine and poultry will be studied. The aim will be to use one period each

week for practical judging of live stock as kept on the farms in the community. Pure bred stock is within easy reach of the school.

The principles of breeding and feeding farm animals will receive special attention. The feeding standards and computation of rations will be explained. The student will be required to compound rations from different lists of feed.

In addition to the above the students in the course may select two other subjects from the studies offered in the regular courses of the school. Some of the subjects that may be taken are arithmetic, book-keeping, penmanship, vocal music etc. One Bible subject will be required of all students.

The cost for thirteen weeks for tuition, board, room etc. need not exceed sixty dollars.

For further information,

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