

Key Events

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1/1/20, "**Things really could be getting out of control**". The next few items for today come out of a TV programme where three panelists debate and discuss with each other international news items of the day giving an inside history or "faction", perhaps, with Mr Dan Brown in mind. Today, they were discussing the many riots going on around the globe through 2019 in diverse locations. For example, from Hong Kong to Bolivia, Paris, Sudan, Lebanon and so on. With all these "decentralized movements", the panelists were trying to figure out what really was happening. They opined on what was motivating each different riot and anti-government demonstration. They wondered if these different movements were acting in unison with each other. Or whether there were very different reasons for these upsets. The fact of their ongoing nature week after week and month after month was also under reflection.

1/1/20, "**What's the trajectory of all 2019's riots**"? The rider with the question being whether they had any context in or with the Arab Spring of 2011. We suggest that all this is the beginning of a sustained period of the gradual undermining of the world's 200 or so governments. In our view, the world 'governors', whoever they are (the UN perhaps) are already beginning to re-organize world governance, presumably in accordance with the long-running Westphalian Project. This situation looks like meeting the Biblically prophesied ten-nation last system of government for the world which Antichrist-666 suddenly takes over. Then when Christ defeats Antichrist as per Genesis 3:15 the Millennial Messianic Kingdom comes into play. Meanwhile Satan's counterfeit seems to have begun as from 1/1/01.

1/1/20, "**Many of the debates are anarchic**". And indeed anarchy may well be part of the satanic conspiracy to undermine government. God ordained government under the Noahic Covenant in *Genesis*. Of course this is another reason why we suggest Jesus warned us to look out for the "Days of Noah" and "Days of Lot" because there was not any government before Noah. Reliance on men's consciences to moderate their behaviour and keep it within reasonable bounds or standards had failed by the day Noah entered his ark. We are back there now. Mr Putin seems to have no concern about the destruction and homelessness in Syria. Libyan warlords and their mercenaries like wise care little for Libya's houses and towns. A US Vice President gives his name to his own son to corruptly milk Ukrainian households with a sinecure on a governing board of the national energy company Barisma. A US bank corrupts Greece's economic statistics to get it to meet EU regulations necessary to allow Greece to join the EU. Myanmar and Brazil ethnically cleanse out certain tribal groups in the respective countries. A very small segment of the world's population owns a vast share of the world's assets and resources. From God's perspective, these things will not be allowed to go on much longer. First, though, God wants mankind to find out just how bad Satan's system is. God has a plan for the world to experience the ultimate conclusion to listening to Satan in the first place back there in Eden.

1/1/20, "**Really, it's the tyranny of the elite they oppose**". One of the contributors added that the elite is not aware of the ways needed to get out of these problems and muddles. He said, there is no really clear way or path forward and in fact another GFC seems to be on the way. Certainly these demonstrators are asking for radical changes

to constitutions. In Iraq and Lebanon, they rightly demand an end to sectarian privilege and crony-ism (Sunnis, Shias, Maronites etc). The Bible suggests that Satan deliberately foments anarchy and unsettled conditions only to re-lease his dogs of war e.g., via the armaments industry, to present a much calmer and far better organized world under his son the Antichrist-666. All this is a satanic conspiracy. It is obvious the contributors on these programmes are egocentrics who claim to know much but they are rally Humpty Dumpties.

1/1/20, **The muddle of economic growth is generating the riots**. This was a clever insight. But governments and the Elite must deliver economic growth if they are to make life better for all and in a rising world population. If world population falls, growth may become a little less of a priority. That would be an opportunity to more efficiently and evenly share resources among all. But the masses often do not understand that. This is part of the post-Adamic dilemma that Adam's choice would eventually bequeath us especially if population growth gets out of control. This commentator felt that a 2007 GFC is on our doorstep once again. He also referred to the "muddle of development of the last few decades". A fellow contributor said this man was saying little more than the very general point that every problem is social, economic and political. One would say here that the drive to meet people's needs, wants, comforts etc., especially in health care would become a massive political burden. Inevitably this would be the situation once Adam's' decision impacted on his descendants. Their only practical option was to mitigate the worst side effects of being outside Eden.

God foreknew that with the Earth's resource distribution and rates at which Man's technological prowess and population would develop, there would be a time-line over which certain inevitable developments would come to fruition or 'denouement' to be more accurate. The Bible also suggests that in the days of the Tower of Babel, man's progress was so fast that an intervention would become necessary to delay and impede that pace of development to meet the Six Thousand Year Plan that we suspect may exist in the background that sets the teleological time-line of History (***His Story***). Thus God prophesied where Man would eventually end up. God is controlling the time-line or schedule for that conclusion to come to its maturity. We are now witnessing that for ourselves. That is for those who have been communing with God for most of their lives and assuming that we are the generation of the "Last Days", which no other generation had been, and therefore could not hope to understand what we do now.

1/1/20, **"Let's give credit to the Arabs for the Arab Spring"**. This was said in the context of the earlier so-called "Green Revolution" in Iran. According to this commentator all these things are being driven by modern smart phone media as in the Iranian situation. This commentator also pointed out that Iran's Ayatollah who overthrew Shahinshah Reza Pahlavi used cassette-tapes to distribute his messages decades before smart phones. Before that the printing press was a similar organ used to distribute subversive literature. In that sense there was little new with the smart-phone era. One commentator said to use "Arab Spring" is very unwise and an inaccurate or misleading term. Although, according to one of the other commentators, even Joseph Stigler admired the Arab Spring apparently! We would note little of any use can come out of the Islamic world which the Arab world mostly is. It is Islam that is renting apart all the Arabic speaking nations and associated Muslim nations. It seems to us the other international groups are combining to gang-up against Arabs and Muslims. From within, e.g., Iraq, Shiite Muslims from Iran, almost none of them Arab,

are slowly subjugating Iraqi Arabs as they have done to Lebanon's Arabs and their own in southern Iran.

1/1/20, "**Seeing the ship for the first time was like a religious experience**". The words of an explorer using the latest modern under-water technologies used to discover the secrets of the ocean floors and especially old ship-wrecks. In this TV programme they were exploring the depths of the Black Sea by up to 1800 meters. In the main they found Ottoman ships. Mostly, they were about 300 years old. Then, the Black Sea was an Ottoman *lake* used to transport all the resources on offer from the Balkans and central Asia that Istanbul needed, desired or re-exported far away as we now know Byzantium did with goods sent to Cornwall in AD 500. Also, they were hoping to find Byzantine ships. We would have liked them to keep an eye out for Tyrian and Phoenician ships that probably traded around the Black Sea two to three millennia before the Ottomans and others. The programme narrators said they were struggling to find anything other than Ottoman vessels; not unexpectedly we would suggest. We would expect that class to be the most likely they would find simply on a trade volume basis since pre-Roman cargos would have been rather less frequent.

One premise of the programme was that traditional conjecture about the region's maritime history might have to alter considerably and even run contrary to their current scientific theories. For example, they were considering they might have to change their ideas about when the Black Sea waters came into contact with the Mediterranean, or when it became a salt water sea perhaps in quite recent times, say within the last 2000 years. In the southern hemisphere, they now suspect, for a parallel situation, NZ's lake Taupo had been connected to the Pacific Ocean until the big volcanic eruption in NZ's central North Island only about 1700 years ago. That mini-catastrophe, as far as Earth's recent geological history is concerned (i.e., since 4500 BC), left Lake Taupo as an inland lake and a hundred miles south of the nearest ocean coast. Equally a Krakatau type disaster or catastrophe may have affected the Black Sea region since even Roman or Byzantine times. In Krakatau's case a whole island disappeared. Both volcanic disasters probably paralleled the Santorini explosion in the Eastern Mediterranean perhaps in Minoan times around 1500-1000 BC. Even today, Krakatau is active again re-building itself above the ocean and rumbles along although far less so far than at its most recent maximum capacity in the 18th century.

All their time frames are based on Evolutionism. They ignore all catastrophic events and likely consequential events that Dr Velikovsky so ably documented for us from ancient written sources from *circa* 2000 BC. The Lyellian uniformitarian and evolutionist approach will be blinding them to the true meaning behind much of the data they collect. However, using the Bible we are able to interpret the data much more effectively or efficiently. Sadly, they refuse to even talk to us. They continue in their blindness. One possibility we think might be worthy of exploring is whether the Black Sea's rising levels from rivers flowing into it had anything to do with the receding water levels in the Tigris, Euphrates, Jordan and Orontes rivers in the Middle East in the millennium before the Roman Empire. We think this may be the case from Biblical analysis, c.f., Isaiah 23:13 in regard to the Chaldeans flight from the newly formed deserts of lower Iraq (Babylon) *circa* 100-800 BC. Perhaps some sort of catastrophe mini- or otherwise tipped central Asia waters fed mostly by receding snow-lines into Black Sea and Arctic basins. The blindness of the evolutionist scientists is impeding any further investigation onto such circumstances. To date, we are no further advanced

than the results of Dr Velikovsky's research.

Then, lo and behold, as the TV programme unfolded, they found something "Marco Polo (*circa* 1295) might have sailed on". It was an Italian ship of around 1200-1400 AD. That probably means it was either Venetian (modern post-Roman 'Phoenician') or Genoese. Incidentally, we know Marco Polo sailed on one of Kubla Khan's Chinese Imperial ships and they went to the West Coast of America, i.e., California. That would have been one of the ships China used to rule its Eastern hegemony between the Torres Strait in its West to the Azores on its Eastern border as we have discussed in previous Key Events and in other papers. They advised us Polo returned to Italy via a ship crossing the Black Sea. It is interesting he travelled on Chinese ships. Perhaps a Chinese merchant or shipping company, even if it was 'Mongolian', even owned the ship he sailed in on the Black Sea.

Eventually they did indeed uncover something even older at 95 meters. Initially they speculated it was 2000 years old and of the Roman era. They found a strange looking vessel in a deep part of the Black Sea. Romans allegedly were not the greatest mariners meaning they avoided the Black Coastlines which were very dangerous for the most part thus Romans, allegedly, went to blue water sailing across this sea. But the ship did not appear to have a "straight Roman rudder". It had a curved shape rudder and actually was ancient Greek and 2500 years old. The rudder was identical to a Greek one held by the British Museum. Indeed this ship was of the Era of the "Classical Greek Age". Of course we say that age got its knowledge from the Ionians (Jews) and Dorians (Tyrians) the latter being especially famous for their maritime adventures and commerce.

So they found what they were looking for. It was an epiphany, a *spiritual blessing*. Here was their "religious experience". Yet another illustration where the world's Secular, Humanist, Evolutionist and Materialist fascists controlling all discussion and learning or study mock the truly spiritual man. According to the Bible, that can only be the believer and disciple of Jesus of Nazareth. Their's is a far more subtle discrediting of Jesus than the Jewish Sanhedrin ever achieved. These people will pay a far heavier price in damnation than Caiaphas *et al.* Instead of worshiping the One and Only True Creator (Romans 1:25), they worship the objects of man's commerce found on the sea-floor.

1/1/20, "**They have yet to find a perfect window to the past**". Another point from the TV programme about the sunken ships of the Black Sea. In this programme, the climax arrived seven minutes from the end of a two hour programme. It had been carefully structured to deliver the propaganda Satan's agents desire. They control the media's medium of the 'air-waves' (Ephesians 2:2). This is heavily slanted doco-drama delivered for the public to suck up. "There is time to make just one more discovery" the programmers holding the listener's interest in heightened expectation. A clear case of using psychological manipulation. They were on the last ten days the funding permitted them to do this particular three-year expedition, with sixty sunk ships discovered. Hence the comment highlighted here as the designers of the search programme hold out hope for more wrecks to be found in future. They hope that leads them to an even better or even more ancient window to the past. At the very last moment, they find a special vessel with ropes. This time, it definitely is Roman and from the first century AD.

Behind this of course is Rome's propaganda that it was the highest civilization of all.

The 'Roman wreck, found at the very last minute as though it was some kind of religious saviour (see other item), was the "most complete" and biggest ship-wreck they had ever discovered. Thus we see the future ruler of Rome, his son born of the Roman woman on 9/11/01 having his empire once again glorified. We know of course that Rome killed Jesus even though its governor knew Jesus was innocent of every charge levelled at Him. So we are not fooled and see right through all this propaganda as the programme designers carefully weave fact, faction and fiction together in an adventure narrative. Of course, for a perfect window to the past and into the present and future all at the same time, we recommend you read the Bible and then interpret all discovery within the context of its *His Story*.

In a philosophical trick, they concluded, **after all**, there had not been any Biblical flood resulting in the Black Sea's current status. At the start of the programme they enticed the Bible student to watch as they entertained that possibility. Nothing attracts the simple minded believer than evidence for Noah's Flood. Plenty of such evidence does exist but not in the stuff these organs of the satanic media portray. Instead, as posited at the start of the programme as a weak alternative opinion to the Flood thesis, they said their discoveries proved how, '**instead**' of course, a slow, incremental or gradual and continuous flow of rivers into the 'lake' over eons expanded the Black Sea's shores. Even to fill up sufficiently so that the Black Sea could over-flow the Bosphorus straits, assumed then to be a low lying isthmus, one supposes from their analysis, and link the Black Sea with the Mediterranean. So they put another satanic dig into the Bible via straw-man arguments. They excite the reader into thinking he will see a programme about Noah's Flood only to find the alternative hypothesis, the gradualist one, would be the winner at the end of the programme.

In a programme like this, Evolution wins through again. We see through their cleverly designed ruse and know better. We have never seen the Black Sea as having anything directly to do with Noah's Flood. That is the straw man they put up. They simply put a caricature of some silly ideas some people have had then parade them as if they are standard Biblical analysis. Most people will not have the wherewithal to see through this deception. Hence the reason why this blog is written. The Black Sea would have been affected by the Biblical and Velikovskian catastrophes. But that is true for the entire globe's natural environment.

1/1/20, "**This is apocalyptic; it's the middle of the day**". These words were spoken by a woman in south-east Victoria where a forest fire raging had "attacked" a small sea-side town. The fires' proximity forced the inhabitants to go down to the beach and, for some, enter their boats with their personal possessions and wait for the fires to burn out or pass on. The Navy came to rescue them. Others fought to extinguish the flames. However, by today, an area in Australia, "the size of the UK", was under 'attack' from bush fires in an episode that seems to have significantly outweighed any similar series of events in the past. These forest fires fueled by the eucalyptus tree's unique flammable features such as dry papery bark that easily sheds like dry paper and oil seeds that need extreme heat to germinate actually leads to a very incendiary situation each summer anyway. The fires actually are a major factor in regenerating Australia's unique bush-lands. In that sense this is all quite normal although few doubt the extent of this year's fires is significantly greater. The writer has witnessed from an airplane such fires stretching over vast tracts of New South Wales, Queensland and the Northern Territory of Australia en route from Auckland to Bangkok or Singapore. That

was many years ago before anyone was talking much about “global warming” or “climate change”.

The question is whether a real increase in global temperatures is having an additional effect on this seasonally experienced phenomenon. By all reasonable accounts from very experienced fire-fighters, who indeed are well versed in measures needed to combat the fires, this year’s extent, widespread distribution and intensity of these particular fires is almost indisputably unique. One fact that might be emerging is that insufficient evasive or preventative action such as clearance of very dry ground-matter on the forest floor and other preparations for an annual event were lax or ignored at times. Although these are enormous tasks in the vast outreaches of rural but lowly populated Australia. By some reports, that material had not been cleaned out leaving very dangerous levels of flammable material on the ground ready to fuel and intensify the fires.

However, putting on one’s hat as an economist, one perceives many more people than in the past are living right in the middle of these danger zones for reasons never adequately explained. As newcomers to this non-urban environment, perhaps living there for cheap housing on low value ‘rural’ sections compared to sky-high prices for urban sections, many were perhaps ignorant of the dangers lurking around them. In that sense, the problems are exacerbated in a similar way to floods in the UK in 2006. That caught out many people, or ‘developers’, who had built houses on flood plains that most previous generations had avoided using for dwellings. Then again, with population pressures as they are perhaps that was also inevitable. Those floods were described as being of “Biblical proportions”. As one noted in a press release at the time, if that were the case no one would be around to do the measurements and report back.

In the past, in either England or Australia, people did not build in these types of situations, on flood plains or in flammable forests. If they did, they constructed cheap, easy to build, small, rudimentary dwellings unaffected by complex infrastructure regulations. That was quite unlike today’s modern and expansive and expensive properties that we saw going up in flames in NSW. Likewise in densely populated Japan, people built smaller flimsy dwellings so that when earthquake or tsunami, or both, smashed or swept aside the infrastructure, they quickly re-built and carried on with life. In Japan, they even warned future generations not to build below certain levels close to the sea where past tsunamis had swept through. They would place permanent monuments to mark out the danger zones. The Fukushima Power Company, however, *conveniently* ignored them when it built that nuclear power plant below the tsunami line so that it now pollutes the Pacific Ocean with radiation following their 2010-11 earthquakes around the time Christchurch in NZ crumbled down or silted up.

All these things really point to the words of the Bible where Isaiah 24:5 pointed out that in the last days the world would be terribly polluted by its inhabitants. However, for more direct relevance to Australia’s bush fires, Jesus of Nazareth knew that the events that caused Noah’s Flood would have their sequels which we can now recognise in these last days of much knowledge that Daniel 12:4&9 referred to. They are the effects of the globe’s ambient temperature eventually melting all the ice around the globe. That ice formed when the convection currents in the air and seas in the flood’s aftermath mixed heated water from volcanic fissures with cool water in the upper atmosphere to

form rain and snow. The snow accumulated on the mountains formed during the flood while ice caps also formed at the two polar regions where a cooler part of the globe helped preserve a large stock of ice as found in the upper climes of the mountain tops.

But inevitably, the ice must melt and the globe gets progressively warmer, or certainly by leaps and bounds. This process is all part of the "Days of Noah". This is just a process whereby the earth re-equilibrates back toward its proper ambient temperature in a situation where all the ice eventually disappears as was the case before the Flood. On the way, force, velocity and water-vapour carrying-capacity of the clouds varies a lot leading to unusual storm patterns and intensity. In between times there may be quite long periods of relatively slow re-equilibration at other times much more robust occasions. To date, the world has only a very small database of information on which to do any reliable trend analysis on these matters. Jesus associated His return to take over the world with that observation about Noah's days and with a comment about unusual earthquakes which may yet be on the way depending on how one accounts for intensities and frequencies etc, yet another trend analysis issue.

1/1/20, "**Technology kills ... and that's the bottom line (*)**". Obviously technology does have some good points as they talked about on the TV programme entitled "The Bottom Line". But their final point, apparently based on a quotation from Einstein about a 'madman with an axe', is that technology is also a killer. This television programme regularly discusses important issues facing mankind. In this episode today, they were talking about the way smart phone technology, facial recognition technology which incidentally many people use to activate their own personal smart phone, with other related new developments are, on balance, more harmful to world society than helpful. One of the points that emerged is that the mad and dictatorially-controlled Chinese are moving toward a position of setting the international ethical paradigms. That means **none** in effect as the Beijing tyrants there are trying to establish their own version of George Orwell's Big Brother. It's worse in China in our opinion because the Chinese also are conflicted between Confucianism and its primacy of the family over the state, their emperors' right to make the rules and precisely what the rule of law actually means.

Once again we can refer to the episode in the Garden of Eden where God warned Adam to leave the tree of knowledge and technology well alone. Adam's wife just could not resist investigating for herself and he unfortunately driven by his own inquisitiveness let her go and try it out in effect using her as a sort of guinea-pig which was quite wrong for him. He clearly disobeyed what he had previously heard and learned from the Creator before God created Eve. It was his responsibility to leave that one and only tree alone and to take the lead on that decision with his wife. We now realise that tree was a computer, or at least a tree of some sort embedded somehow with a computing device just like the ones we are using now with links to a whole body of knowledge just like our Internet etc. In Eden, that tree had no evil knowledge. But to 'eat' from it, one touched it and consumed through the eyes its 'fruit'. Man's Internet has all sorts of evil on it especially pornography which is less important in itself than for what it epitomizes. Nevertheless, it is through our eyes or ears that we consume or eat 'information' from the Internet's 'Tree of Knowledge and technology'.

And now look at the mess we are in not only with science and technology but with women too. Men can be seen addicted to their smart phones but the contraptions are

engineered to be better suited for the smaller female hand and fingers. The woman is the section in society that is most enamoured with the “delight to their eyes” of that “do-not-touch”-tronic computer held in dainty wee hands with delicate fingers able to scribble away at pace on their smart phone. The scene in Eden is now back with us. Fortunately for any men or women really concerned about all this, and there are some, then Jesus is coming soon to rapture us away as the world enters its final crises in the real Apocalypse to come. As for now, we are in the “Days of Noah” and “Days of Lot” which are a mere, and relatively very mild, harbinger of what is about to come.

Australia’s bush fires discussed previously today are relevant to the “Days of Noah” but the Big Brother aspects of the smart phone and related technologies mean that the world will come under the control of Satan’s son, the Antichrist-666, the boy born of a Roman woman on 9/11/01. He will control China and every other nation’s king. By then, the world will consist of just ten nations. And that ‘world’ will be subjected to God’s Apocalyptic Wrath, the true church of the true Christ raptured away out of it for a short season. That is until Messiah returns with His saints of all time since Adam to begin the Messianic-Millennial Kingdom. Australia’s bush fires are not apocalyptic as the woman in the previous item said. That’s yet to come for all those who reject Jesus of Nazareth.

(*) The *London Economist* had a comment on this in their “Christmas double Issue” (21/12/19-3/1/20) as follows, “Technology itself has no agency: it is the choices people make about it that shape the world. Thus the techlash (*sic*) is a necessary step in the adoption of important new technologies. At its best, it helps frame how society comes to terms with innovations and imposes rules and policies that limit their destructive potential Perhaps the real source of anxiety is not technology itself, but growing doubts about the ability of societies to hold this debate, and come up with good answers. In that sense, techno-pessimism is a symptom of political pessimism. Yet there is something perversely reassuring about this: a gloomy debate is much better than no debate at all. And History still argues, on the whole, for optimism”.

Contrary to this latter point the *Economist* makes, we note the Bible holds differently and prophesies the most pessimistic outcome which only God can help us avert as He surely will. (Refer also to 14/2/20, “Grey areas of international law and grey areas of oversight” below).

5/1/20, “**Aderanged Turkish Sultan**”. The words of General Khalifa Haftah (or Calipha Haftah as we are nick-naming him) after Turkish President Erdogan responded positively to a request by the UN-backed Libyan Government in Tripoli. The government wanted Erdogan’s Turkey to defend it from the General’s military attacks. As discussed in “7/12/19, Leviathan raises its ugly head again in the Mediterranean”, this is all tied up with the recently drawn up agreement between Turkey and Libya. Probably in breach of the Law of the Sea Agreement that most countries sign up to, this agreement or treaty carves out a strategic strip of the Mediterranean Sea stretching from Libya’s coast up to Turkey’s on the northern side of the sea. Turkey and Libya are saying this area of ocean represents their legal entitlement to control and exploit that part of the sea’s resources. Presumably, they will jointly administer or equally divide amongst the two countries this strip of the sea. The gas underneath the eastern Mediterranean is seen by the countries with shores on that part of the sea as being a major source of energy to be sold to energy-poor Europe.

And so the race is on for each country to have the biggest say or command over what happens to that gas resource now highly prized because of the 4C Paradigm (Carbon Causes Climate Change) hysteria. Perhaps of deeper interest to Bible scholars is that the ground is also being laid to carve the world into ten new regions. They will replace the old Westphalian Order, or this current stage of that long-run plan, which now boasts some 200 countries. To cope with today's problems, ten nations with ten governments is much more efficient and manageable. We do not think that will get off the ground until after the First Gog-Magog invasion of Israel when there will be little choice but to take such emergency measures.

7/1/20, "**Sirit, Sirte or Etris?**" As the civil war in Libya raged on, would-be dictator or perhaps even would-be Caliph (Kalif?) General Khalifa Haftah and his army of rebels and mercenaries appeared to take control of this important port city named after the ancient city of Tyre (*Tsor*). This is the region of the Medi-Tyrian Sea (Mediterranean) that became known as the hegemony of *Punt* or *Put* in ancient Egypt and Israel seven hundred years before Jesus of Nazareth. By the first advent of Israel's Messiah, Rome's dictators controlled the Mediterranean. Our heading begins with the interesting way or variation in pronouncing "Sirte". It came from a journalist reporting on the situation on an international television news programme. We note he inverted the 'te' and instead of saying "Sir-te" he appears to say "Sir-et". This is a typical feature of human speech which upsets much etymological analysis when trying to look at the origin of names or words. The English, for example, say 'Wooster' for Worcester, "Lester" for Leicester and Hob'n for Holborn.

Sirte lies mid-way between Tripoli and Cyrenaica. Those are the two normal names to describe the western and eastern parts of Libya (Geba of the Bible, named after Gebal-Byblos in Lebanon therein). "Tripoli" is the "Polis of Tyre" reflecting a stage when many Greek speakers lived there. Cyrenaica is "*Tsorenaica*". All these names resemble the Gebal-Tariq or Gibraltar at the far western end of the Mediterranean Sea. They are also names that echo, or even record the historicity, of ancient Tyre's hegemony of the Mediterranean *shared* with the sister cities in Lebanon of Gebal-Byblos and Sidon.

The UN recognised government based in Tripoli is receiving reinforcements from another place named after Tyre i.e., Misrata (*m-Tsorata*, meaning 'from' or 'with' Tyre and indicating allegiance). Together these militias aim to retake Sirte. The city is important for its seven oil terminals which presumably export the life-blood of the Libyan economy and provide its government and people with revenue.

The main city of Cyrenaica is Benghazi. It probably means Son of Ghazi. We have no idea who Ghazi might have been. However, the same ancient documents that refer to Punt and Put do refer to the "Sons of Irem". Thus Ghazi could have been a 'Son of Irem'. Archaeologists working on a false chronology and geography think the Sons of Irem were Africans (Cushites). However, much more likely, they were people coming out of the ancient city of Tyre sometime after Hiram I and Hiram II were kings there and were supporting the Kingdom of Israel under Kings David and Solomon. Presumably, "Ghazi" was someone important in the millennium before Rome who established a colony or trading post in that part of modern-day Libya. He may not necessarily have been a son or descendant of Irem but almost certainly was an emigre out of Tyre or somewhere in Lebanon who settled there and had the place named after him.

Alternatively, in regard to Benghazi, we could perhaps look to the non-Jewish and non-Phoenician peoples ('Philistines') who took control of the Gaza Strip between Egypt and Israel bordering the Sinai region. Perhaps some of them later established a colony in Eastern Libya. The ancient Philistines, emanating from Caphtor-Cyprus according to Jeremiah 47:4 and Amos 9:7, seem to have had pottery resembling Aegean or very early Greek features. Yet another possibility could be that people from Benghazi in Libya settled on the Gaza Strip somewhere between 1900-1450 BC when the Israelite clans abandoned Canaan and lived in Egypt for 4 centuries. One can only be brief here, but the revised History does much to explain what is really going on in Libya today. In the *Aleph-Tav* Model of History (***His Story***) we are developing events of the era before Rome and the Christian era of Christendom and how they bear on modern events in the same regions. They will not be repeated, for History is teleological not cyclical, but there will be enough similarities or parallelisms to give us a peculiarly insightful perspective, or even a unique one, on current events and those soon to develop in these regions. We are also developing an understanding of how all these things relate to the Days of Noah and the Days of Lot that we probably are now in.

The region has never been settled in any geo-politically correct way envisaged under the Westphalian nation-state regime. As far as North Africa, the Middle East and Turkey were concerned in previous eras, that whole region came under the control of three caliphates a millennium ago. They were based in southern Spain, Cairo, Baghdad or Istanbul. Thus again we now see Algeria, Egypt, and Turkey getting embroiled in the Libyan crisis as they did under the competing or rival caliphates. All this reminds us of the divisions with Islam and should inoculate us from any benign or benevolent view of the culture of those times. The renegade Libyan war-lord cum general with a name that echoes the term 'Caliph', Mr Erdogan and his desire to be a "5/1/20, deranged Turkish Sultan" which is more or less the same as a caliph, might even push President Sisi of Egypt to set one up in Cairo. Many fundamentalist Egyptians would like that. They probably don't want Sisi though. For the meantime, Sisi is more like the chairman of the corporate board of Egypt, rather than its government, and running the ancient country along the lines of the East India Company. Mind you, some would say Robert Clive of India acted like a sultan.

7/1/20, "**SS Adelaide, floating hotel off the coast of Eden**". Here "Eden" is a small place on the south-east Australian coast. Many people are sheltering there and going aboard the boat for bed and breakfast as forest fires continue to rage and smoke. In the days of the 1987 stock market crash there was an obscure company named the Adelaide Steam-ship Company. It's value was hyped-up in the speculation that preceded that crash. We just see the irony here of a news item highlighting this situation. Perhaps God seeing some irony intervened to briefly take over Satan's control of the media and gently hint to people they need to go back to what happened in the Garden of Eden as *Genesis* records in the Bible. There will be little chance anyone will, but God is ever hopeful.

7/1/20, "**Technology is a major part of the derangement**". Here a Mr Richard Murray was commenting on a radio discussion concerning social media. One had just returned from some 'hostel ministry' where once upon a time one would find people wanting to meet, chat and get to know fellow hostellers in the lounges, common rooms or kitchens. Not so now as they all just briskly walk in and immediately bring out their smart phone. They watch films, study their photographs or chat with their fellow silo-family in other

places all around the rest of the world ignoring everyone or anyone else in the room with them. They have absolutely nothing to do with anyone around them. This is deranged behaviour alright. These people are quickly losing any 'social skills' whatsoever. No wonder so many are committing suicide or simply getting drunk or drugged. Otherwise they simply seem to return to their room and lie in their bunks almost equally oblivious to their fellow bunk-mates.

8/1/20, "**The past should be the torch for the future**". The Ayatollah of Iran was giving a major public speech in what seemed to be the Majlis (Iranian Parliament). These (translated) words of the Ayatollah interestingly contrast with, "5/8/19, I walk backwards into the future with my eyes fixed on the past". We talk about integrating the Past, Present and Future and that the only way one can do this is via a deep understanding of the Bible brought on by being filled with God's Holy Spirit. However, the Bible cannot be understood by unbelievers who make these other comments more or less in a vacuum..

8/1/20, "**They come out because of their faith in their religion**". The Ayatollah added, "So God blessed this movement". Jesus spoke against religion and "movements". Actually, we also heard today on TV a programme about Israeli youths who feel their leaders are not being true to the Tanaakh. One commentator said we must not kill people but the Talmud says if an assailant intends to kill you then you must kill him first. This also demonstrates Jesus' point. The Bible, not the Talmud, is God's Word or Oracle. Nor is the Koran God's Oracle. Only the Bible is. Islam's Koran and the Jewish Talmud simply take verses in the Bible then re-interpret them in accordance with the religion they are used to service. God opposes that and Jesus made that very plain in His opposition to the rabbis. God definitely does not like religion. He places no value in having faith in "religion". He demands faith in Him, in the Son who died for our sins and, as Jesus said, not be ashamed of any words in the Bible.

In particular reference to the Jewish youths who are prepared to therefore kill Arabs because they fear the Arab is going to strike first, the Bible only permitted the killing of those bringing in worship of false gods between the eras of Moses and Jesus. When Jesus arrived, Israel had the opportunity to accept Him so that the Millennium would come into play. Then God Himself would have banned any worship of false gods in Israel. However, Israel rejected Jesus in AD 30. But that does not mean then anyone claiming to be God's representatives are thus permitted to kill unbelievers or destroy their possessions. Jesus said vengeance is now His alone. Of course modern rabbinical Jews do not accept Jesus' words and the Muslims don't either which is why both groups, and others, take it upon themselves to act destructively toward those who don't hold their particular respective beliefs. Even Solomon accepted the idols of foreign gods later in his life so automatic execution of the offender did not always happen. In any case, commands like this were only to apply to Israel and the land bounded by the Mediterranean, hills of Mount Hermon (border with Lebanon), the Jordan river and the Negev desert. That command or permission to kill never extended beyond those boundaries and was only to last until Messiah arrived. He did of course in 7 BC. So those commands no longer apply whatsoever. Only Governments are required to execute people and that is only when they murder other people.

8/1/20, "**The History of the world will be judged by God**". We agree but that will not happen in the manner the Ayatollah thinks. He cited a verse in the Koran that God will

teach us a lesson. That is true but the point appeared in the Bible long before it did in the Koran where the Biblical statements are put into a false Islamic spin by the Muslim scribes and clerics of the 8th Century AD.

8/1/20, **Earthquakes in Puerto Rico shatter hurricane smashed island.** They ranged between 6.3 and 6.5 but there had been quakes on a scale of 3.0 in the run up to these nasty ones. The island is barely starting to repair earlier massive hurricane damage. In another part of Tarshish and her villages (Ezekiel 38:13), Australia is suffering terrible fires (and floods after the rains came to quench the fires). This island, Puerto Rico, under US sovereignty, with its troubles is adding to the US woes in their many conflicts around the world especially with Iran in Iraq and though Iran's proxies around other parts of the Middle East and Africa. However, the quakes remind us of Christchurch's. But those quakes were only one of that city's troubles over the years. We have identified a list of issues the city never seems to have got a grip over. For example:

In "14/2/16, Brass Band plays Bohemian Rhapsody", when the line "Beelzebub has a devil set aside for me" another 5.7 quake rattled Christchurch;

The Wizard, a favourite tourist icon, used to harangue the crowds alongside the now near-destroyed cathedral and often blasphemed God in the process much to the chagrin of Christians whom the city blithely ignored;

The city hosts the American Antarctic Ice Programme in which world scientists are producing data that attempts to discredit the Bible;

Sport is the religion of the city and nearby country-side;

The cathedral was highly revered, God apparently was not, and all for the wrong reasons. Still, eight years later, it is too badly damaged to repair. While the people who genuinely worshiped God there rightly said the church is the people not the building, many groups in the city including many notable personalities, agitate to re-build it in its current form and repair it. The cathedral was an idol and now its ruins are protected with the aim of restoring this false god of mortar and stone. The repair cost would be prodigious and many are still crying out for financial and emotional help and comfort. That cathedral money would go a very long way to providing this aid if the city elders were willing. The church folk think that is a cost too hard for the ratepayers or anyone else to pay. And the best 'emotional' support comes from appealing to God and for His comfort but too few seem prepared to believe that.

Then in 2019, a madman from Australia came to NZ, went to Dunedin where he managed to apply for a gun licence in flagrant breaches of all reasonable rules and protocols. The NZ Police simply let him have one failing to meet their own procedures to check on the gun-holder's credibility and sanity. The Australian gunman moved up to Christchurch then murdered 50 Muslims in a half-hour rampage through a couple of mosques before two policemen managed to apprehend him. Now, the NZ PM, an ex-Mormon and certainly not a Christian, is frequently seen whipping up emotion to comfort the surviving Muslims affected by this murderous and heinous crime. They certainly need attention and care. However, this is misplaced when looked at alongside the way Christians are being mocked in this country especially by the media which likes to tell

the world how wonderful Islam really is. By this, God is once again offended.

In the wake of the Muslim slaughter, the city felt pressure to change the name of its Crusaders rugby team. The city worships sport, another of Christchurch's sins, so the suggestion resulted in a great hullabaloo. The owners of the club franchise did re-design all the pre-match entertainment of crusader knights with crosses emblazoned on their mock-mail uniforms charging around the ground on war-horses. Some of the public in Christchurch and many more around the country wanted that all stopped. However, it is the massive misunderstanding of History that even led to the rugby franchise owners to set up all this drama. We Christians are never given the media access to explain what really lies behind all this, the true history about the "Crusads" and how unchristian they were. Thus the city, like everyone else, seems oblivious to the far greater dangers lurking around the corner.

Several decades ago, two young Christchurch young women brutally murdered the mother of one of the girls.

In 2019, a tornado struck the city although that sort of thing is happening all over the world as places not normally known for them now experience them from time to time in these "Days of Noah".

All in all, it has not been a pretty list for Christchurch, NZ. The city seems to be experiencing judgement perhaps for daring to call itself Christ's Church, pays only lip service to God, while The Christ-Messiah's true members are so heavily ostracized and persecuted.

10/1/20, "**The mythology that the future may be ordered**". A comment overheard on the street. The man was talking about governance and social structure. Then he made this point which certainly rang in my ears. One could only hear snippets with all the traffic noise around and about. We beg to disagree. History and Prophecy are not mythology and they are teleological. Of course there is chaos along the way but the overall thrust and direction of History since Adam's fall is outlined in the Bible.

Actually, and few people even have an inkling of this, the Bible gives us the outline of the ordered path God has foreseen for History and **His Story**. We certainly cannot know everything that will happen, has happened or is happening. The teleological aspect is tied in with the inevitable and logical outcome from Man's trajectory having grasped of the Tree of Knowledge. The data in this tree are ordered in such a way that after various twists and turns, there would be logically optimum paths to follow and outcomes to be achieved in the long run. Often dead-end sidetracks divert mankind from the optimum paths but he eventually will come back *online* and that is what God alone can foresee and predict.

The Bible's chronology, also not taken seriously for the most part, reveals that Man's pursuit of knowledge was so diligent that just 1500 years after Adam's Fall, he could bring knowledge possibly very close to the point Mankind has done by now. God intervened for that was too fast for His Seven-Millennium Plan now in force as we surmise from various passages in the Bible. Thus God flooded the world, probably using rogue planets and comets as agents (believed to be *angels* by men at the time) to arrest man's rapid progress in reaching these logical outcomes too soon for His Plan.

This is not “mythology”. Our understanding today about the dynamics of knowledge acquisition are such that the special or even peculiar dynamics by which knowledge travels is sometimes labelled “Foresight”. It is the ability to recognize where the optimum allocation of resources lies. The ‘optimum’ pathways are governed by God’s laws but in the hands of fallen Man they can only lead to one conclusion, Man’s destruction. God has said He will not let that happen.

After the Flood, even within 500 years, Mankind having accumulated knowledge from the first 1500 years after Adam, was quickly getting quite near to the level of expertise he had reached on the eve of the Flood (2500 BC). Thus God again intervened at Babel *circa* 2000 BC. Otherwise, Man could have come to the point of self-destruction by 1000 BC. God’s plan is to let this process run in wickedness for six millennia in order to demonstrate many different sets of circumstances for mankind to travel through. God only allows this to continue down this track in order to show the true cost to everyone involved: God, angels and Man; of the created being trying to play God whether that is Satan and his angels or Adam and his descendants.

Anyway, by 1500 BC, Egypt had progressed from where Babel was halted but that level of development was arrested in the Plagues of Egypt. As Dr Velikovsky implicitly suggested, catastrophes struck Egypt to once again impede Man’s progress. That was part of God’s Plan along with His Plan for Israel which required another 1500 years of history for the nation before its Messiah arrived and then, according to Exodus 4:8 for Israel to reject Jesus and thereby pave the way for two more millennia to complete six representing six days God spent renovating the Earth for Man’s career after Satan’s fall.

The Bible makes it plain the catastrophes it recorded for posterity were God’s doing. God totally controlled their impact in order to achieve the specific ends He intended. For example, making sure the world knew the Holy Land would belong for the life of this Earth in the hands of the descendants of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. That’s in particular reference to the Day when the Sun and Moon stood still, a day the like of which has never been seen since, and presumably will not be seen again, though more catastrophes are on the way. God’s Plan for the Jews and the Holy Land is something the world is making clear it does not agree with. Good luck to the world stopping that plan. It seems from several catastrophes, God used heavenly bodies such as planets and comets to delay man’s drive toward opening up the fruits of the Tree of Knowledge, ahead of His time-plan or schedule, as man progresses down the road to conquer knowledge and the universe.

The earth continued to reel from the after-effects of the solar system’s instability consequential from the first or initial catastrophes involving one-time rogue planets or comets Mercury, Mars and Venus. The latter is still a comet or an ex-moon of Jupiter now resident, shrouded in gaseous clouds possibly with no solid or rocky core, in, or travelling on, an orbit around the Sun instead of around Jupiter or perhaps Saturn. The ongoing instability leading to occasional mini-catastrophes for the Earth’s environment lasted from 1500 BC until about 800 BC when the scene began to permanently stabilize in order to set up the world for the last four empires of Daniel’s visions.

Thus by AD 50, Rome had significantly added to the existing store of technology with its unsurpassed engineering. As Rome declined, however, from about 400 AD, firstly China then Europe led the way to the exponential rate of technological development

taking us into these Last (Daniel 12:4&9) of the Last Days of Hebrews 1:1-2. God has controlled the timing of the process to last six millennia so that we may rest from the nonsense in the seventh when the Messianic Kingdom comes into play. We understand from this model that Satan is currently preparing the world to receive his *only begotten son* to become king. From 1/1/(20)01 Satan has hereby been introducing a counterfeit 'kingdom of god' with smart phones, genetic engineering, and so on. For the Millennium of Christ, Satan is bound in a prison but released at the end of Christ's millennium for one last rebellion; which fails; and then God creates the New Universe and no more trouble ever after. And that's how the Past, Present and Future are "ordered".

11/1/20, **Sultan Qaboos of Oman dies and successor installed.** Our interest in this rather small sultanate down on the south-eastern corner of the Arabian Peninsular or sub-continent, jutting into the Indian Ocean just down the channel that leads into the Persian Gulf, is that one of its ports is named "**Sur**". This is a variant of the Hebrew word for the City of Tyre or Tsor. In France, "Tyre" is written as "Sur". We often see that on international atlases. Whereas the English is significantly different, i.e., "*tyre*" versus "*sur*". However, "*sur*", also used for 'sure' in English and its French equivalent (*sur*) effectively is the same name we find in places such as Sirte, Tripoli and Cyrenaica (region of Benghazi). These names all reflect their history as city states under the pre-Roman Tyrian-Phoenician hegemony. That is what the Jewish prophet Ezekiel alluded to as "Put" or "Punt" in the Bible. Essentially 'Put-Punt' derives from 'Phoenicia'. Ancient Sur, and Muscat, in Oman were ancient maritime cities that profited from the Tyrian and Phoenician ships that plied the shores of the coasts from Britain to Malaya.

At a S.O.A.S (Bloomsbury, London) lecture many years ago, one heard a talk given by an academic from one of Oman's universities. She was defending the reasons why Oman supported Israel during the two wars the Jews had with their Arab neighbours in 1967 and 1973. One asked if the reasons had anything to do with Oman's ancient history as a place that allied with ancient Tyre and Solomon's ancient Israel. "Yes", she unequivocally replied with confidence. Everyone else there looked puzzled. They had no idea what on Earth I was asking let alone what her replied meant. That reflects the depths of confusion our universities and scholars have now collapsed to. They confirm Paul's advice to the Corinthians. He wrote, "I will destroy the wisdom of the wise" (I Corinthians 1:19); "God made foolish the wisdom of the world" (I Corinthians 1:20); "Jews seek a sign and the Greeks Wisdom" (I Corinthians 1:22); "The foolishness of God is wiser than men" (I Corinthians 1:25)".

12/1/20, **Turkey-Russia get Libyan and Syrian warring parties to cease fire.** The two nations most involved in the Syrian and Libyan civil wars managed to get cease-fires going in both countries at a meeting hosted by the German Chancellor. Russia and Turkey "brokered" them, the TV news report continued. Initially, both cease-fires are holding although with some "minor infringements" we are told. The Germans are simply providing a facility or means for peace talks and their preliminaries. Syria's 'cease-fire' concerns the Idlib province only. Fighting seems to have ended elsewhere in Syria since Russia and Iranian proxy soldiers made it possible for Assad Junior to beat every Syrian into submission. A cartoon showed Assad standing atop a massive pile of destroyed property with a victory salute. But much of his country is now rubble, its economy financed by Russian roubles. Much of Syria is mine-infested desert that stops anyone taking him on from a country-side base.

As if Yemen and Syria were not bad enough in regard to internal dissension, there is even more disunity in the international community regarding Libya's war and how to stop it. Today, the Germans, Turks and Russians had to get together to find a common position amongst themselves before bringing the warring Libyan parties together at a conciliation process. Like many other people in the world, many world governments are reportedly terrified the Libyan crisis is going to spill over into disaster all through that part of Africa bordering the Sahara - in other words the top half of the continent or all Africa above the Equator in effect. Like the Yemenis, the Libyans are fractious. Any agreement between, within or amongst the factions seems unlikely. That will lead to the inevitable conclusion only a tyrant (Tyre-ant) can enforce some sort of civil order. (On the other hand, refer "29/3/20, Good News for Libya from Covid19").

As we have been noting in recent days, Libya was part of ancient Tyre's hegemony. The name of one of Tyre's sister maritime cities, Gebal-Byblos, probably explains the origin of the modern name 'Libya'. Interestingly, watching on TV the rebel General Khalifa Haftah agreeing to abide by the cease-fire in Libya, he had behind him two flags showing the Phoenix arising from the ashes. This legendary bird looks like an eagle in this piece of heraldry but the bird does not actually exist. Until the Western Universities began distorting world history, the "phoenix" was always "Phoenicia". Although an eagle-like bird was used to symbolize this, the arising from the "**Ashes**" of the 'Phoenix' was not, as such, about some mythical bird miraculously reviving or even resurrecting but about the Phoenician sister cities several attempts to re-institute their international trading domain across the Western Hemisphere.

The legend of the Phoenix goes back to the days when, over three or four different eras ancient Tyre's and Phoenicia's commercial bases collapsed or were destroyed by invaders, enemies or even the occasional civil war or internal strife as we see so much today in Tripoli, Beirut and Sidon in modern "Lebanon". The plucky Phoenicians (Tyrians, Sidonians and Gebalites) always managed to resurrect bases somewhere else. In one such situation, after Rome defeated Carthage, located in Tunisia across the border from Tripoli (Polis of Tyre), the Tyrian-Phoenicians and their allies re-based themselves in south-west England (Cornwall, Devon). That's why Julius Caesar took Roman armies to Britain in 55 BC in order to smash the Phoenicians there. In that he was successful and the Phoenix did not begin to arise again until the reign of Queen Elizabeth I (see next paragraph). In the interim, the Genoese, Venetians and Portuguese ("Portugal" = "Port of Gebal") could be said to have 'carried the flag'.

The Phoenix did not begin arising from the Ashes of *Phoenixia* until a daughter nation of Tyre; its men of Tarshish like Sir Francis Drake of Plymouth, Devonshire; defeated Spain's Armada attempting to crush the English Phoenix on behalf of Rome by then under the control of the Pope. "England", "Scotland" and "Ireland" were, and still are using the coin but to a much lesser extent the weight of ancient Punt, i.e., the Irish Pound (Punt) and the British Pound. Later, the entire British Isles reinstated the ancient Tyrian hegemony's apex as the 'British Empire'. In 1588, Spain was acting on Rome's bidding to bring this renegade England back into Babylon-Rome's fold. But King Phillip's ships were no match for the Tarshishite- English vessels and their canny sailors. More importantly, the Spaniards' fleet was destroyed by God's Wind possibly as part of His Divine Plan, Will or Testament that we are required to "prove" as Apostle Paul directed us in Romans 12:1-2.

We distinguish for the purpose of Biblical prophecy between “Punt” today and “Tarshish”. According to Ezekiel, Put-Punt joins the Gog-Magog alliance against Israel. We remind readers that earlier we have looked at the possibility President Erdogan of Turkey linguistically might be President Gog and we do know the Pope in Rome is named George (Gog) Mario Bergoglio. They certainly could be two suspects. Otherwise, it is not clear who or what Gog really is. No doubt as the invasion begins in earnest we will get a final resolution on that. We certainly have enough data now from revised History and Political-geography to give us 90% of the information we need for now. We should be getting our spades and shovels ready to join in the body-burying that Ezekiel says “strangers” or foreigners will do for the people of Israel in the aftermath. While we are doing that, the world’s nations re-organize and are prepared for the rise of Antichrist-666. As the invasion force gathers, the daughter colonies of Tarshish such as UK, France, Spain, Portugal, perhaps places like Morocco and Mauritania, Italy perhaps and even Greece together with the European colonies in the Americas and across the Pacific and Indian Oceans, merely voice opposition to the Gog-Magog invasion of Israel. Apparently, or possibly, they are distracted by other concerns.

Anyway, the invaders start fighting amongst themselves once they assemble on the mountains of Israel. Then God intervenes with ‘fire’ from heaven. If Dr Velikovsky was correct, as in previous judgements that fire would seem to come from asteroids from the London Economist’s “Gallivanting Planets” in its Xmas-New Year edition (2019-20). Furthermore, God will throw at the invaders and nations dwelling carelessly elsewhere (Ezekiel 39:6). The heavenly fire will destroy not only the Gog-Magog army but quite possibly much infrastructure around the world. For now, we envisage, we may once again be getting further confirmation that the first Gog-Magog invasion is imminent as Germany-Gomer, and Russia-Turkey (Rosh, Meshech and Tubal) are in effect organizing via ‘cunning plots’ (“evil thought”, KJV) and deceptions further chaos in Syria and Libya which also are former parts of ancient Punt. Then, together with Iran’s hatred of Israel, and much chaos all throughout Africa north of the Equator, we may see from these regions a host of people (refugees?) ‘enlisted’ to make up the anti-Israel nations mentioned in the Ezekiel 38:1 to 39:16 prophecy. Tarshish, Sheba and Dedan (Arabia and the emirates including Oman); having voiced their concern at this apparently cunning ploy by Gog to gather these nations against Israel; apparently can do nothing.

In parallel moves, President Trump is trying to get NATO or the North Atlantic Tarshish Organisation, as we nick-name the defence treaty, to get more involved with peace and security issues in the Middle East. If the prophecies are anything to go by that only leads to a complete withdrawal from the Middle East by Tarshish. That’s possibly because the American air-force super-structure will not be there to assist the European forces, should they contrariwise decide to remain, so they too will withdraw. President Trump is an isolationist like previous US administrations so it does look like we are on that road again. Meanwhile, Iran is agitating to get the Americans right out of the Middle East all together. That too could be a reason why NATO or Tarshish and her villages is impotent in that first Gog-Magog invasion. Anyway, we are closely watching these spaces for the reader.

14/1/20, **“The Astanafication of Libya” (and Syria)**. We have added Syria here because the comment in quotation marks comes from a UN diplomat today. He sees how the UN, USA and EU are now totally isolated when it comes to solving the various civil wars afflicting Africa and much of Asia. In particular, we are looking here at the

Syrian and Libyan crises. Libya is right on Europe's door-step while Syria is right next door to Israel and a near neighbour to the emirates, sultanates and one kingdom on the Arabian peninsula. Now southern Iraq, the ancient land of Dedan (originally Eden) was home to the Middle East's Kurds until around 1000 BC. After the Kurds fled Eden-Dedan-Iraq, Arab tribes originating from the aforesaid peninsula colonized the Chaldean-Kurdish-Hittite homeland which, after the Flood (2500 BC) initially for about five centuries, was homeland to all tribes of the world according to the Bible.

We are in effect watching the world slip into a Biblically prophesied phase where the Gog-ite nations referred to previously are lining up against the Tarshishite world, China, India and Japan sitting on the sidelines, as talks in begun in Astana Kazakhstan have been set up (in Moscow we understand) once again, a few days ago. This time to try and resolve Libya's civil war just as Astana in *Cossack-stan* (Kazakhstan) was the base for talks to resolve the long-running Syrian crisis. When we also consider the complete breakdown of the political, economic and social systems of the Sahel regions of North Africa the plot thickens even more. The Sahel stretches from Morocco to the Red Sea. France stoically tries to hang onto influence there. Most people speak some sort of French across those lands. The former European imperial power was the Sahel's overlord for a long time. Just as "Gog" is described in the Bible as being the "*Nasi*" or overlord of the Gogite nations we refer to. In the Sahel, Arabic and many other African tongues range across that vast swathe of Sahel's "marginal land" as New Zealand farmers would describe it. We see the completion of the emergence of the Gogite region appearing. It will be the region that sends an army of some sort to take control of Israel according to Ezekiel 38:1 to 39:16.

However, as the Bible notes, The Creator of the Universe will intervene. He will prevent that invasion achieving its goals. God will overturn all to reinforce His goals for the nation of Israel (listed in the Bible) consequently or subsequently for all other nations as well. Those that oppose Israel, or any individual doing so, will face the Creator's wrath. His personal name is *Jehovah* and His Son, in whom all those to be saved must believe in, is best known as Jesus of Nazareth or *Yeshua eth Nazar* in Hebrew. After God deals with that first Gogite invasion, the world will have seven years to clear up the mess left in Israel (dead bodies, weapons and disease-infested possessions of the invaders). In that period the world will have to hasten the already developing plans to re-organize all governance. The world will pass into a regime of ten nations instead of the current 200. Each nation will have a king or president. The Biblical word is "king" but generically may mean 'president', sultan or some other title. Very quickly, however, those ten kings will surrender their powers to an eleventh king who is Satan's only begotten son, the Antichrist-666. Readers may like to obtain a copy of Dr Arnold Fruchtenbaum's *Footsteps of the Messiah* for further detail on the Biblical prophecies on these matters. The writer sees in modern developments some possible refinements needed for Dr Fruchtenbaum's analysis or framework completed some decades ago. Especially in regard to what a world government actually looks like from a political, economic and constitutional perspective which is not of course the primary concern of the professional theologian but is for the professional economist.

Then a real drama begins for everyone alive at the time apart from members of the true Church of the Christ-Messiah of Israel. We will be raptured out of this world and from the worst of that "drama" into God's Heaven at an unspecified and sudden moment (I Corinthians 15:52, I Thessalonians 4:13-18) for a short period. Meanwhile, on Earth,

the Apocalypse and Armageddon will get under way for another seven year period. It may well immediately follow on the heels of the completion of the seven-year clean up of Israel's land (*Eretz*) after that first Gogite invasion. The Bible records two other pairs of a seven-year period. The first was when Jacob, Abraham's grandson through Isaac, worked seven years to receive his first wife then another seven years to receive the wife he really loved. The second pair that also immediately followed one after the other, was when Joseph supervised Egypt through the Seven Years of Plenty then the Seven Years of Famine. That was what led Israel to staying domiciled in Egypt for four centuries from 1900-1500 BC but that's a whole other History.

The two sets of seven years we have just referred to in regard to the clean-up of the Gogite armies and the Apocalypse appear separately in Biblical prophecy. The Seven Year Apocalypse appears in the Book of Daniel. The other concerning the first Gogite invasion appears in Ezekiel. The Second or Last Gogite invasion of Israel occurs at the end of the Messianic-Millennial Kingdom and it is discussed in the *Book of Revelation* which need not concern us for at least another millennium plus a few decades perhaps. Some of this information really comes from within the *coding* in the Bible we some times speak of.

To explain briefly, an alphabet anyway is a code and the Hebrew alphabet has even more implicit coding within it than our 'Latin' alphabet. The latter was mostly derived from both Hebrew and the Phoenician trading houses' many alphabets or their universal one. They had private alphabets within each trading house. In order for them all to communicate with each other they had a universal or standard one (The "*Tyrian*"). For example, the letter 'E' was the 'h' in their standard alphabet. Therein alone is an aspect of the sort of coding we are talking about here in respect to deeper Bible study not needed for coming to salvation but in order to more fully understand God's Plan for the World (Romans 12:1-2).

That is not rocket science. It certainly is not "intellectual" either. It's basically 'spiritual'. All that's needed, apart from receiving God's Spirit as one comes to belief, is application, study and a bit of work. Also, probably, one must side-line or lower other priorities. For those with very pressing and important priorities such as attending to family needs etc., one is disseminating the information in these pages for the benefit of others' erudition. One does not need Bletchley Park's *Enigma* to decode this. You do need God's Holy Spirit, the "*Erevon*" as Apostle Paul described Him in II Corinthians 1:22, 5:5, and Ephesians 1:14. This is a free gift from God and no one else. Most of the Bible is open for all to understand so that they come to their knees before God, declare themselves the sinner Jesus died for and change their minds from hostility to God's Word to acknowledgment. Without the permanent in-filling and indwelling Holy Spirit every believer receives since Pentecost AD 30, there is no hope of receiving understanding of the deeper matters in Scripture one needs to study. However, on receipt, with God's Holy Spirit guiding our study, one understands all most these things but also recognizing *caveats* like Daniel 12:4&9. One only needs a literal approach and some knowledge of the Hebrew and of course awareness of the world's true history, not that of the universities.

One of the interesting side issues here is that "The Berlin Process" is also part of this "Astanafication of the Libyan and Syrian crises. Germany is hosting a "Berlin Summit" that will involve the UN apparently. The UN has failed to lead the Syria *peace*

processes and is having no more success with Libya. Turkey; the former ancient pre-Roman Era homeland of the Gogite nations of Rosh, Meshech-Moscow and Tubal; and Russia (those groups' current nation) surprisingly for the diplomats both appear to have settled disagreements with each other and captured the inside running in the control of these *peace* processes. The Berlin summit is said to be at "leader level". Diplomats say "it will merely rubber-stamp what Russia and Turkey have already set up (in Moscow apparently)" according to one UN media observer speaking on a major TV news station. So Germany is being roped-in to the Gogite alliance as this "Berlin Summit" seems to imply. It is highly unlikely Germany wants anything to do with an invasion of Israel which is why we have often wondered how "Gomer" in Ezekiel's prophecy would be involved if it is indeed Germany. Of course Germany hosts the biggest population of Syrian refugees. That might help us understand what role Germany plays. That is in respect to the *Gerrman* land-*eretz* area hosting middle-easterners or other anti-semites not to the core indigenous German people. One may need to see the distinction. Anyway, events will confirm or deny to supposition. Many of its Syrian and Middle Eastern refugees like Kurds (although the latter are not anti-Israel) then may well be go back, or be sent back, to the Middle East and make up part of the invasion host that descends on the Holy Land. We do not expect Kurds will oppose Israel in any way.

Astana is the capital of Kazakhstan or Cossack-stan. The Cossacks put Lenin into power when the Tsars or Czars of Moscow fell in 1917. After that Cossacks, the Georgians' Stalin took control of the 'Soviet Union'. Then Kruschev the Ukrainian took control of Russia. After the *supposed* fall of the Soviet Union, Putin has subsequently taken control. Whether he is Russian is unclear. He certainly looks like one. Whoever believed the Soviet Union fell looks to have been wrong. The Russian-controlled space station has its ground-station situated in Kazakhstan. Really 'Kazakh' is Cossack or 'Cis-Caucasus' which can be written '*Cis-Gogasus*' and refers to the north- or Cis-Caucasus Mountains. Sometimes regarded as the boundary between Europe and Asia or the northern Middle East, the Caucasus are the highlands from which tribes really influence or even control other lands to the north, south, east or west. Usually or traditionally rough and tough tribes they often are able to ransack and disturb the more civilized and *softer* settled communities dwelling in less harsh lands and in comfortable cities that Sarah, Abraham's wife, preferred.

So Ezekiel's "Gog" may really refer to the Caucasus (Gog-asus). Thus we can see how a whole range of nations from Turkmenistan to Germany or from Kazakhstan to Turkey may well be what the Bible refers to as "*Gog and Eretz h'Magog*" (literal translation into English of the original Hebrew) or "Gog and the Land of those with Gog". Gog may be some sort of demonic angel who somehow controls or influences these tribes or all the regions' leaders via some sort of semi-demonic regime.

Whatever, or whomever, "Gog" really is, all the circumstances surrounding his or its first invasion of Israel strongly appear to be lining up his or its *ducks*. Even the current pope Mr Gog (George) Mario Bargoglio could also be that entity. It may be that he can somehow suddenly turn up on the scene and unite the various Roman Catholic, Orthodox, Sunni Muslim and Shiite Muslims into some sort of *quasi*-christendomite alliance with various weird beliefs about *messiahs* (*christosi*) to retrieve Jerusalem for the non-Jewish *christendomite* nations. This perhaps will involve a recognition of a Jewish interest in Jerusalem but only under Gogite authority. Certainly the Antichrist

will establish some such covenant with the Jews but “Gog” will not. In Ezekiel’s prophecy, something special is the prize the Gogite alliance wants.

The real prize does appear to be Jerusalem. Although of course there are many different opinions on this. Rightly so because the text is rather vague and imprecise here. Jerusalem is the only common denominator that ultimately connects into one common goal this vast rabble of nations. Although most people see something economic or strategic as being the “spoil” as some translators interpret the Hebrew. If, however, not all the members of the alliance agree with Israel having some share of Jerusalem that may be the *casus belli* the Bible suggests will lead to internal division amongst the invaders who then start fighting each other. Some of the nations mentioned in the invasion are in fact wealthier and have better resources than tiny, plucky Israel with orange-groves, as we used to say, and technology. Unless ‘technology’ somehow is the ‘prize-spoil’. As they gather on Israel’s mountains (“West-Bank”) that’s when God finishes them off as their internal disputing emerges. Ezekiel also notes God puts His own hooks into the invaders’ jaws suggesting that they are not firmly or even fully committed with the intention to invade Israel. God makes then go ahead anyway.

So all these geo-political shenanigans we are witnessing in increasing frequency (acceleration) are the laughable designs of children with grand designs. They are a comedy to watch if one is with God. Like Him in Heaven, but while we are still here on Earth, we can laugh, or only but laugh, at the machinations of *godless* Man on Earth with all the great ambitions Man has. His grasping of the Tree of Knowledge, that is his own knowledge that he has accumulated over six millennia and dumped on the Internet, will only lead to self-destruction. And that is Satan’s personal ambition driving man’s ambition from behind or from above with the strings of a marionette.

14/1/20, **Catholics split over celibacy.** Gog Mario Bargoglio (a.k.a., Pope Francis) is challenged by his predecessor Pope Benedict. Under pressure from congregations in various parts of the world where there are too few ‘priests’, celibate or otherwise, the current Pope is thinking of relaxing celibacy rules. Latin America, where sex seems to be number one on most men’s and women’s minds judging by some of the dances they have invented, seems unable to produce celibate priests. Any who do perhaps go there from elsewhere but presumably do not remain celibate for long. Certainly a person who elects to remain celibate, or who perhaps ends up there because of social ostracism, can or will if he or she applies oneself to the task, become far more understanding of God’s plans for the world than everyone else who ends up on the treadmills and gravy trains of this world. But, does the current pope actually have other ambitions or goals he is pursuing and is using this as a diverting side-issue to drive something else? Is he the leader of the Gogite alliance assembling against Israel perhaps? We shall see one assumes.

14/1/20, **Tarshish distracted by numerous irritants.** When its troubles are lined up against those of so many other parts of the world, our problems are mere irritants. However, we are the fourth quarter of the nations mentioned in Ezekiel’s first Gogite invasion of Israel (Ezekiel 38:1 to 39:16). China, India and Japan seem to remain on the sidelines. However, Japan and India with their very close and quite long-standing relationships with the European powers and North America, might come under Tarshish’s orbit, Biblically speaking. Tarshish appears today under the Acronyms

NATO and SEATO. A couple of days ago, President Trump of the USA suggested NATO get more involved in Middle East crises involving Syria, Libya and Iraq and others (Lebanon). But the pace of events is leaving us right out in the cold which is exactly the situation Ezekiel envisaged for us along with "Sheba and Dedan". The latter, we think, are the Arabians still on the Arabian Peninsula, and perhaps the Kurds whose ancestors were the last of the migrants or refugees out of the former Eden-Dedan (Shinar, South Iraq, land of the Tower of Babel).

So what are these distractions? Right now, things like constitutional mini-crises, e.g., UK, Spain-Catalonia, an impending impeachment trial in the USA and Venezuela most readily come to mind. Australia, and to a lesser extent recently Canada and the US, by forest fires. Manila in the Philippines is preparing for a Krakatoa-like volcanic eruption. On that tectonic front, NZ, Chile, Mexico, Japan etc., are under fire. Global **War-mongers** are terrifying children throughout our nations especially by going into schools to preach their versions of doom. "Woke Doomers" one radio talk-back journalist is labelling them. NATO and SEATO traders and businessmen are also bothered by President Trump's trade war with China because they all do so much commerce with that unreliable partner that plays by its *ad hoc* legal system rules as so many businesses like NZ's main dairy company belatedly have find out by having to write-off big financial losses. The US has awoken to the fact that the Chinese have broken our laws, abided by theirs' and stolen American technologies (by Mr Victor Gow). Indeed the Chinese have admitted as much on a Middle East Television documentary (Mr Gow). The Chinese even admit they took everything they could get while the NATO and some SEATO (e.g., Australia and NZ) countries got all consumed by events after "9/11". That started them dabbling into Middle Eastern issues. Only to lose trillions of dollars trying to keep the peace from Morocco to Afghanistan. In the intervening twenty years the Chinese literally stole a Long March off NATO and SEATO. "Long Mao we Reign" say the Chinese now. They will get God's come-uppence like all the rest of the nations. They never come out in support of Israel but are canny enough not to tangle with Israel. That is interesting because of some information we are aware of and it reveals they at least have some true historical sense about what is happening, and historically has happened, to Israel in the Middle East. They do not believe God, though, which is their big problem - like so many others.

15/1/20, "**It was dangerous ten years ago; Now this is it**". A social commentator in Hungary talking on a programme about "Radicalized Youth". He was commenting on the dangerous social and economic conditions in Hungary under siege from refugees and illegal economic migrants flooding Europe, driving down wages and leaving Hungarians without decent jobs. These claims are hard to verify but the commentator was drawing attention to earlier forecasts, dare we say *prophecies* or predictions, of what was likely to come if there were no or insufficient socio-economic reforms in Hungary. We can say the same regarding Biblical Prophecy. "Now this is it". However, hardly anyone is listening. Almost certainly, we know the circumstances of the siring of the Devil's son as prophesied in Genesis 3:15. Even if one believes that was merely an allegorical statement in *Genesis* and not intended in any way to be literal, one only has to look at all the other dire circumstances the Bible says would characterize the days when Satan's son is being groomed to take over world leadership. Most people think the Bible is just stories. So the current religion is about listening to people's "stories". **His Story** or True History is no more much like Orwell's *1984*.

16/1/20, The 4C Paradigm hoax about climate change. On radio today we heard a meteorologist explaining the study of the process and phenomena of the atmosphere. The hoax is about the way people either misinterpret the water vapour and carbon cycles or they simply fail to understand the facts about them. Both cycles are “self regulating” although the expert on this radio station, a fellow of NZ’s Royal Society, agreed there might be a few tens of parts per million of additional carbon dioxide in the atmosphere. However, carbon dioxide’s current average share is “410” parts per million of CO² in the atmosphere. That contrasts with 10000 parts per million of water vapour or perhaps nearer 6000 ppm over deserts or the poles. Nitrogen (79%), Oxygen (about 18%), water vapour and argon compose most of the gases in the atmosphere, even argon being more common than CO².

Certainly the CO² molecule has a physical structure that tends to trap heat energy from the Sun, however, this is much less significant effect than from water vapour at 25 times the CO² volume (or 15 times the volume at the poles etc). As the globe’s heat rises in any location water vapour increases. Water vapour gets to the point it then begins to condense in large clouds at higher altitudes where things are of course cooler. The vapour falls as rain and the region (in Spain on the plane) where this happens cools down. We all notice this after rain-fall unless it is a very light shower. The carbon cycle is such that plants use the gas to grow and with more vigorous growth if fed supplements of CO² in glass-houses. Plants and trees will also respond to nitrogen fed directly to them. We believe there is evidence crops around the world are consuming any additional CO² we put into the atmosphere so that the more CO² there is the more food is produced and trees etc will grow perhaps faster and more healthy and vigorous.

The real point is that scientists long ago rejected clear evidence their model of the way the Earth came into being with its very large moon for a neighbour is well short of convincing evidence. Albert Einstein and Dr Velikovsky were looking at the Earth’s composition in the 1940’s and early 1950’s. It became clear from Velikovsky’s work that many observations we have of the Earth’s recent past reveal catastrophes having occurred. Scientists in the 18th Century like Cuvier automatically assumed that what we observe on mountain tops etc., is the evidence of catastrophes especially of those recorded in the Bible and in other ancient documents. They affected, for one example, the mammoth herds in Siberia which suddenly came to be **permanently** subsumed in snow and ice.

Thus, as we infer, the Earth’s atmosphere, land mass and oceans have suffered major ruptures for one reason or another. Mostly, according to Velikovsky, the result or consequences of the planets Mercury, Mars and Venus, plus associated asteroids, being thrown out of Jupiter’s orbit like “gallivanting planets” (*London Economist*, Xmas Edition 2019) into the Earth’s neighborhood in the solar system. Some asteroids probably hit the Earth in the process causing much damage although well short of total or complete destruction of the environment. Man’s industrial revolution and fossil fuel consumption has had minimal effects, certainly on global warming, compared with those catastrophes or indeed compared with many volcanos that have erupted over the last few millennia. The pollutants from more recent consumerism that has arisen out of ‘capitalism’, much to the chagrin of economists, indeed are a pressing problem but there’s no problem with carbon emanating from industry etc.

Volcanos, earthquakes are thus the result of the distorted dynamics of the Earth’s

interior which seem now to be the most likely source of heat for warming oceans but **on the ocean floors**. Warming oceans in turn are warming up the atmosphere - not the inverse. Furthermore, as Antarctica's ice sits on top of three large islands, not on one complete continent, warm ocean waters from the Pacific, Indian and Atlantic are melting some of the south polar ice around its perimeter and between the three islands the ice rests on. Naturally, water vapour volume in the atmosphere increases as things get warmer (again). There is more water vapour especially with ice from the poles and mountains melting as a result of the Earth's interior getting warmer. Of course the ice itself has had a cooling effect since it became established during about a ten month period in the wake of Noah's Flood in *circa* 2500 BC. As the volume of ice reduces across its deposits around the globe, the Earth's ambient temperature will rise partly in response to that development. So it is not surprising the Earth is warming up with more water vapour in the atmosphere. As the Royal Society Fellow said, 71% of the Earth is covered by water and 76% of the globe is covered by either water or cloud. But the water vapour cools down in the upper atmosphere and condenses into clouds then rain. That rain falls onto land where the water often disappears deep into the Earth's crust and away from the oceans.

If anything, one would expect sea levels to fall as this process continues. On the other hand, the sea could expand its volume, appearing as a small perhaps one or two centimeter rise in sea levels with all the heat coming up through the oceans from the Earth's centre. That's possibly why there seems at present to be much conflicting information about sea levels. They are fluctuating perhaps with slightly more volatility but with no clear trend because of the different factors lying behind sea level changes. Instances of land erosion are often mistaken for sea-level rise.

Because of the embarrassing errors in its evolution theories, the science system does not publicly want to admit previous catastrophes, only 4-5000 years ago, are the main reason why we are now getting these heavier rain storms, hurricanes, more tornados, more earthquake and volcanic activity. Worse, if we are honest and open, the problem is that whatever is driving the seemingly apparent rise in temperatures in the Earth's centre, there is nothing we can do to stop that. Thus the only practical policies we can adopt are to re-organise all our affairs in housing, society, economics, politics etc, to mitigate the effects of these climate-induced crises. Ruining the world's economy by eliminating the use of efficient carbon-based fuels is not going to do anything to alleviate our climate change problems. We can clean up our industrial processes to reduce pollution and dirt. That clearly is a top priority as well. But banning coal, oil and gas is nonsense. Requiring people to burn these things cleanly and efficiently isn't nonsense.

18/1/20, **Salafist guards in Sirte sell out to Khalifa Haftah**. The renegade Libyan General Khalifa (or 'Caliph') Haftah managed to bribe the guards to let his forces enter Sirte. A Salafi is a person who supports the concept of a Muslim caliph who will rule the world. Ironically, Libya's renegade general bears the name 'Caliph' and here he is enlisting the support of Salafi-Caliphate Shia Muslims who prefer to await the Mahdi-Messiah to come or return from the 'heavens' to rule the world. Although there are differing opinions in Shiite Islam as to who that is. As a general rule, Sunnis want to set up a caliphate but Shias prefer to await the Mahdi to come and set up his own caliphate in a similar manner Christians believe Jesus is coming to install His Messianic Kingdom.

The General's first name suggests he too supports some sort of caliphate. Christians

who genuinely believe the Bible know that Jesus of Nazareth, the Nazar or Nazarene, the Son of David, the Son of God and the Son of Man of Psalm 8:4 and Hebrews 2:6 is the one who eventually takes over the world. But not before Satan's son the Antichrist-666 does his thing as prophesied in the Bible, the written Word or "Oracles of God" (Apostle Paul, Romans 3:2).

Thus, it was most enlightening to pick up this report about "Khalifa and his Salafis" on a television international news programme. One of the General's rivals is President Erdogan of Turkey, whom we have noted elsewhere has a name that could be read "Gog". His policies using Turkey as a base seem directed at introducing some new form of modern caliphate. His Turkish rival in that regard, Mr Fetula Gulan, resides in exile in the USA. The General is yet another rival for Mr Erdogan to beat off in a sort of repeat of the situation many centuries ago when three caliphates operated out of Spain, Cairo and Istanbul.

Amidst these arcane Muslim rivalries, the Russians and Europeans are taking advantage for their secular and commercial objectives. The Arabian countries, whence Islam emerged, are endeavouring to impose their particular concepts of Islam to control both the souls and resources in Libya. The Arabians also comprise the "Sheba" and "Dedan" mentioned in the Bible. 'Eden-Dedan' only came under Arabian spheres of influence after the Kurds fled the region (*circa* 1000 BC). The Kurdish farmlands in 1000 BC South Iraq quickly turned to desert or lost much of the soil fertility they once had until the Euphrates and Tigris Rivers began to flow with less force as the result of much lower water volumes. Until *circa* 1000 BC, these rivers were bringing down water (and soil) from the central Asian hinterlands to form the delta in South Iraq that spilled into the upper Persian Gulf. It seems a 'Velikovskian' catastrophe led to the diversion of water from the retreating ice caps in the Caucasus. The central Asian water systems began to flow northwards into the Arctic Ocean instead of southwards into the Persian Gulf via Mesopotamia's two great rivers. The soil brought down developed a massive delta down there which tended to flatten the area at the sea's level. With osmosis, salt water then seeped into lower Mesopotamia's basin adding to Chaldeo-Kurdish farmers' woes. At some point, soil fertility plummeted in a similar way the USA had the terrible dust-bowl problem in the 1930's caused, in that case, by mono-culture and perhaps drought.

But all that History is either unknown to, or ignored by, the IntelligentCIA which blunders on trying to fire-fight political, economic and religious blazes all over the world. Crazy religion, which is all of them, flourishes when the Academy is itself in turmoil. In these pages, we regularly expose such examples: for example Evolutionism, 'Mother Nature' (refer 29/3/20, "Mother Nature's revenge" below), carbon-induced Global Warming, false Egyptology etc. In Europe, really ever since the declining phase of the Roman Empire, *circa* AD 200, academic thinking and theological thinking went from bad to worse. There was an attempt to re-think things after Jerusalem fell to the Muslims in AD 1200.

So in the ensuing Renaissance-Reformation period AD 1200-1600 Europe's rethink began in earnest but with only minor success. At the time, China in the far East was the centre for science and philosophy. Europe plunged into the terrible Thirty Years War because established religion was concerned it would lose its power base. Of course genuine Christians, i.e., those following the Bible guided by God's Spirit within each one of us, were never bothered by all that. However, Christians were not immune from the irrational violence. Many fell victim to the intellectual and theological nonsense. They

tended to flee Europe for the Americas and then a bit later further afield. Nevertheless, Babylon still caught up with them. Now there's no escape except via The Rapture (or death). Neither option is within our power to *execute*. One will be glorious when it happens. The other is something we have to live through knowing our Hope is still in front of us. We will just be like the previous generations who died in Christ.

19/1/20, **Will Berlin succeed where Putin and Erdogan failed in Astana?** General Khalifa Haftar walked out overnight at the conference arranged by Mr Putin in Moscow with a vague comment that overnight he would look at the agreement the official UN-backed Libyan Government did agree to sign with Mr Putin. In some ways, this put Putin in a put-down by a Put-man. Just a little play on words we can see in all this comedy-drama. Now Germany is hosting a conference which earlier reports suggested would merely rubber-stamp whatever was agreed in Astana the papers probably drawn up and ready for signature. We expect, no matter what is eventually signed or celebrated, that the Bible's prophecies about Put-Punt, which Libya is a part of, will just fall into greater and greater chaos eventually leading to some sort of massive wave of dispossessed hordes marching against the nation of Israel as prophesied in Ezekiel 38:1 to 39:16. These people may well be armed, probably will carry their possessions with them and perhaps many diseases as well. After they start fighting one another, the "Nation against Nation" of Matthew 24, on Israel's 'West Bank' God will use his forces or power to destroy them and leave us to bury the bodies and burn up the rubbish.

19/1/20, **Libyan civil war reaches "tipping point"**. That's the view of a television news reporter in Berlin discussing this week's conference there to bring some sort of peace to Libya. Talks having got nowhere in Astana and Moscow now seem set for Berlin although one might ask why not in New York which is the city where the UN resides. Today, there is pessimism amongst commentators that Berlin will deliver anything useful. Already some countries like Morocco feel rebuffed that they only got invitations to attend at the last minute. Morocco is where the world agreed to the current arrangement legitimizing the UN backed government in Tripoli. Although in a hint that the US might decide to re-involve itself, probably being responsible for the NATO-led drive that eliminated Gaddafi in 2011, is sending Mr Pompeo to attend. Perhaps he is going because Sergei Lavrov and Mr Putin looked a bit stupid after Moscow a week or so ago and he might be able to embarrass them by helping to facilitate something useful.

19/1/20, **"Anarchy in Libya-Put attracting mercenaries"**. A journalist commenting on the forthcoming Berlin peace talks between the warring Libyan factions supporting one of two rival governance regimes. We suspect this development may be part of the build up toward the Gog-Magog invasion of Israel.

20/1/20, **Secession in Babylon (South Iraq)?** It certainly looked that way in one report on an international television news service. The reporter said demonstrators unhappy with Baghdad's performance in governance. By "Babylon", the reporter meant the southern province of Iraq, the land of the ancient Tower of Babel on the Plain of Shinar. A small town down there still bears the name 'Shinar'. Many are demonstrating in the capital for the same reason. While many news stations are talking about the break-up of the UK or of the secession of Catalonia from Spain, we can foresee how Iraq could devolve into three regions. One for the Kurds in the north, a Sunni Arab state with secular support in the middle and a Shia Arab state in the south. That would make sense in view of the many intractable sectarian and ethnic differences in that region.

However, what the Bible says is more likely is the rise of Babylon as the nation that will one day become home to the Roman-born Antichrist-666. For a Roman wanting to make Babylon his home as world ruler is no different to Alexander of Macedonia doing so. Alexander was a descendant of a Phoenician-Sidonian migrant or refugee to the highlands of Greece up in the southern Balkans. He wanted to become world ruler. After all, the Egyptians via the oracle at the Siwa Oasis had confirmed he must be “Zeus” because it was impossible for his father to have been murdered, that man actually being Philip of Macedonia.

But all this History is unknown or not understood by the world’s historians and intelligentsia (or *Intelligent-CIA*). Since we understand how to interpret all things via the Bible, though whether we do so correctly is another matter, this report does ring a few bells. Especially when we look at the way the Libyan, Syrian and Yemeni crises seem to closely fit certain parts of the jigsaw which make up a broader situation encompassing other nations also to be involved in the first Gog-Magog invasion of Israel referred to in Ezekiel 38:1 to 39:16. The young Roman man we suspect to be the Antichrist-666 is eighteen years old, nineteen in September. From today, we need at least fourteen years for the event and aftermath of the first Gog-Magog invasion then the Apocalypse to run their courses by which time this teenager we are looking at will be 32 or just a couple of years short of the age Jesus of Nazareth began His Ministry and Appeal to Israel to accept Him as Saviour (*Yeshua*) and Messiah of Israel.

Israel did not accept Jesus then. So the Lord Himself said, ‘a future generation of Israel would do so’. That’s why God is preserving Israel so that the Lord’s words can be fulfilled. Unfortunately the two by far larger segments of Christendom (Churches and Mosques) think the Lord referred to them. Which He certainly did not. Meanwhile, most of Secular, Humanist, Evolutionist and Materialist Israelis and Jews around the world reject any concept of a Messiah. Their minority religious compatriots and brethren think two messiahs must now be on the way to fulfill the Scriptures. The latter reject the possibility Jesus comes twice, once each time to two quite different generations of Israel in rather different world circumstances though with similarities nevertheless.

[[Postscript 22/1/20, a later report on the same TV station dropped all reference to “Babylon”. In their reports, the region returned to being the “south of Iraq”. But the cat’s out of the bag as far as we are concerned. We know what’s really happening from the Bible’s statements. We know the History, the Present and the Future for this region. One can only do that by detailed study of the Bible as well as having a thorough appreciation of the world’s history books about the region. Distilling the faction to separate the fact from fiction, or to isolate the fiction from the fact, is only possible by using the Bible.]]

21/1/20, “**Prophets of doom and predictions of Apocalypse**”. This was President Trump speaking as the impeachment proceedings against him were opening in the Senate building in Washington. He was addressing world business leaders at Davos.. They are, according to two cynical critics, “The elites in Switzerland” or “*billionaire arsonists trying to put out the fire (of poverty)*”. “Davos” is a small Swiss town up in the snowy Alps of Europe. They can yodel away as much as they like up there. Apparently, few outsiders are there to listen apart from some climate change nutters. This is an annual international event to which the President had been invited months ago to address. That’s before anyone knew there would be an impeachment trial. Almost in

its entirety, the President's speech was a list of economic achievements of the Trump presidency. Some of those successes were probably the result of economic programmes initiated under the previous government. But that's the way it goes for any governing regime. One may as well govern the Titanic. Often the statistics mean little when the economy is about to hit an iceberg as, in many ways, the world is travelling towards on some sort of crash course.

Reporters claimed the Davos conference this year would concentrate on environmental issues. All Trump had to offer was his government's cooperation to plant a trillion trees. In NZ a politician here is aiming to plant a billion on these islands. So that is NZ's 1% contribution. As the Club of Rome said long ago the world needed to plant more trees. The problem is that nitrogen fixing trees will be the ones favoured. However, that only adds to more nitrification of the world's soils. We need more Carbon-14 fixing hardwood trees and their associated eco-spheres to really help ameliorate world temperatures. Assuming that were a necessary goal, which is disputable, but the majority rules. Laughably, after Trump's speech, a little girl who goes around the world bleating about the 4C paradigm ('carbon causes climate change') and other nonsense, held the delegates' attention. That really symbolizes better than most things how absurd the world has become. All those wallahs sitting there listening to a school-girl. If only they knew how pathetic they looked. Just wait for when the Antichrist confronts them. He's no girl, that's for sure.

Speaking about children, and some say Trump is a child, there's a very interesting passage in the Bible which says something about this. In Isaiah 3:4-5, the Bible says, "I will give children to be their princes and babes shall rule over them .. (verse 5) .. And the people shall be oppressed, every one by another, and everyone by his neighbour: the child shall behave himself proudly against the ancient (זקן), and the base against the honourable"; 3:12, "children are oppressors (of my people Israel) and women rule over them; 3:16ff, the daughters of Zion are haughty, walk with stretched forth necks wanton eyes mincingtinkling feet". Those little girls grow up to be haughty narcissistic young females. These little nuggets of Scripture are like pearls hidden in the sea deep inside an oyster. While the problems mount, children brainwashed by their school teachers think they are without sin and give the adults a telling-off. It's the world today folks. We should note those verses primarily address Israel, probably in the last days. However, we may assume, one believes, that situation will be reflective of world conditions at the time. There has been no time like now where we have been able to see those verses actually being the case. We now observe the world around us in AD 2020 as being very much like this indeed.

What's more interesting from this headline is that Trump has a Christian vice-President. He must surely be aware that there will be an Apocalypse. However, his boss the President obviously thinks otherwise. In his child-like world, the President thinks everything goes on as it always has done. America is on the way forward again. Nevertheless, the US President has been doing the right thing from God's perspective by his policies toward Israel. In this he has been operating under the statement that God "will bless those that bless Israel and curse those who do not". We can see that the countries cursing Israel, especially the Muslim nations, are certainly being cursed with all sorts of problems. The USA despite its problems is much better off than all the Islamic states are. However, Mr Trump is not on the right side of God's plan when he, albeit indirectly, mocks the Apocalypse. It is a critical part of God's plan for the world. There

is no point wishing it away.

As we have been noting in many posts the world often satirizes Armageddon and Apocalypse. The film "2012" where the world overheats and cracks the crust is a case in point. A madman is used to refer to Biblical verses on the Apocalypse. But the tone is one of mockery of the Bible. Anyway, some top government officials around the world are aware of what is happening. They had been planning for it. They gathered a few elites onto a number of prepared and pre-laden arks that could float around until a new continent emerged for them to land on. Some were prepared in the Himalayas. The elites are saved for future repopulation and exploitation of the Earth as Babylon presumably continues with her project. Many conspiracy nutters think the elites want to reduce the world population down to about 90 million or some figure like that. We know that to be nonsense because the Babel Project needs as many people as possible to achieve its objectives. Satan however, just uses it to destroy man, eventually, and retake possession of the Earth. Psalm 8:4 and Hebrews 2:7 show that God is not going to allow that. The "Son of Man" of the Psalm is Jesus of Nazareth of Hebrews 2:7 and He will re-take dominion of the Earth for Man.

The Bible is the only source for "Apocalypse" and "Armageddon". People use the Bible when it suits but rarely in the context God wrote those things. It's in that cynical, skeptical and unbelieving environment that Jesus seems to indicate He will return for the Church. By the end of the Apocalypse the world will have finally come round to a new and binary situation. That will be one of sheep (recent or new believers) and goats (those who still do not believe and refuse to believe Jesus). So Jesus clearly will find faith on Earth then. But will He at the Rapture (refer to Luke 18:8, the only verse of this kind). Widespread disrespect for the Bible's words, also the words of Jesus via the Tri-Unity, typifies today's situation. There is little true faith anywhere. As Jesus rhetorically asked, "Will the Son of Man find faith on the Earth when He comes" (Luke 18:8). That tells us there probably will not be much at all. When Israel repents and is joined by many non-Jews also coming to belief during the Apocalypse-Tribulation and as Armageddon gets going, there will be lots of faith around. So now is the time of the Rapture. It is a time of little faith and widespread mockery and disrespect for the Bible even within the neither hot nor cold churches of Laodicea. We advise, "get off the Gravy Train and come aboard the Rapture Train".

22/1/20, **Trump declares Global Warmers 'prophets of doom'**. Another news agency was more blunt and directly applied the President's comments at the World Economic Forum in Davos to the environmentalist sect.

22/1/20, "**Lebanon in state of economic collapse**". "After 5000 years of history it has come to this", said one demonstrator in Beirut. The demonstrator was in a crowd trying to storm the Parliament building in Beirut. Their protest was against the *sectarian* regimes that for "30 years" have presided over the country's socio-political and economic demise. The demonstrator was referring to what we think is more like about 3500 years of economic history. Lebanon, named after the Lebana incense, is the modern name for the land of the ancient cities of Tyre, Sidon and Gebal-Byblos, and perhaps Ugarit which may be slightly older. In Tyre's heyday, the command or hegemony these maritime cities had over many parts of the Mediterranean and Middle East was known under the general term 'Punt' or 'Put' to the ancient Israelites, Egyptians and others.

Together with Somalia, Yemen, Syria and Libya, Lebanon is a basket case when it comes to governance. These places have none. Mind you the ructions in Spain with Catalonia, the Europeans and British with Brexit, the USA and its constitutional wrangles as President Trump is being impeached, are hardly paragons of good governance either. In China, Russia, the former nations of the old Soviet Union and most African countries an assorted medley of tyrants rules. There is little to enthuse over in governance in Latin America. Venezuela is a mess. The small central American states are basket cases on economics or in law enforcement. Tyrannical regimes are ruled by vicious thugs in some countries. Others are controlled by more benevolent 'presidents'. Many nations are so small they simply cannot be defined as having sufficiently functioning governments for this complex world.

All these things were forewarned for the Last of the Last Days as Ezekiel 38:8, Daniel 12: 4 & 9, Hebrews 1:1 confirm for us. The full impact of God's prophecy of things to come after Adam's sin is at last yielding its dividends. Even though God had warned Adam, Mankind is now reaping the long run consequences of Adam's rebellion. Isaiah 24:5 adds the point about the long run consequences of the world's industry and agriculture and high population leaving us with so much waste in our environment. "The Earth also is defiled (*polluted*) under its inhabitants thereof", as the KJV Bible expresses the Hebrew in Isaiah 24:5. However it is with the assistance of Apostle Paul's insight in II Thessalonians 2:7, "he (Government) who restrains ... is taken out of the way", that we learn all this comes on the eve of the rise of Antichrist-666.

22/1/20, "**Countless creatures declining - Insectageddon**". A trailer on a television station advertising a nature programme it will soon air. This is another application of a crisis labelled by frivolously using a Biblical term. It's used by people who have no respect for the Bible and what it says about where world affairs are leading us to. That's often in churches as it is elsewhere.

22/1/20, "**Guterras calls for peace**". He was talking about Libya. It's all the UN chief can do it seems. He is a mere onlooker, a talking head, nowadays in all the world's turmoil as his member nations more or less turn up at Security Council meetings to disagree. The five veto nations usually block any moves by the UN to act except in refugee aid. Even then, the Russians block lots of aid getting into Syria. The Arabians block aid to Yemeni civilians. The chief's name is interesting for it reflects the name for the old city of Tyre (*Tsor*). It's name is the Hebrew word for rock which became the basis for many European words such as *terra* meaning 'land'. But the ineffective role the man plays with this Tyrian or Tarshishite name is yet another little clue revealing the role Tarshish and her villages is soon going to mis-play or indeed already is. That's when the First Gog-Magog invasion of Israel comes to pass. Apart from Eastern Hemisphere countries also absent in the invasion force, only Tarshish, Sheba and Dedan oppose the invasion or do not take part.

The so-called Western nations and the Arabian kingdoms are what the Bible refers to as "Tarshish and Sheba". There is also "Dedan"; which we now think could refer to the Kurds. That's because the name is a variant of 'Eden' and seems generally to have referred to south Iraq which was the Kurds' original homeland,. Anyway, Sheba, Dedan and Tarshish and her villages are sidelined in this crisis. Nevertheless, Tarshish will have to pull the world into the new political order that is going to have to emerge after "Gog" is defeated. Sheba and Dedan will become the new Babylon. Where the Kurdish

people will be in this new format remains to be seen.

22/1/20, "**Revived the powerful machinery of American enterprise**". Very aptly put by the US President at Davos' World Economic Forum. He was referring to the American economic motor. It is indeed something to behold if it gets moving. However, that is part of the problem the world faces. That machinery together with the rest of it across the globe has unforeseen implications. For today's population, its needs and wants; the latter becoming ever more demanding; are met by the world's '*machinery of enterprise*'. World-wide pollution is the result. If it was producing for one billion instead of eight, there would be little problem. But if the world's population still was 1 billion there would not have been nor would there likely be the sufficient division of labour across a big enough population to develop that '*machinery*'. This is the double-edged sword of the Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil" of the Garden of Eden. This is where God in effect advised not to steer towards. The first turn of the wheel steering us down this path was the decision by Adam (and you and me if we had been in his shoes or bare feet) to eat from that knowledge tree. The sheer volume of plastic, smoke, dirt, sewage, rubber, used tyres, etc., is too much for the environment to bear. It's the result of the ingenuity of mankind. There is enormous output but only in tandem with terrible waste outcomes.

22/1/20, "**The bottom line: it's good for democracy**". The words of a TV panel host after his guests had been discussing the day's proceedings into the Impeachment Trial of President Trump. The debates about process, the constitutional implications of preventing a President getting confidential briefings have been well televised. The President must be given different options for action or inaction in all the world affairs he gets into. People writing the papers and memoranda are employed to consider all sorts of options and outcomes and attempt to give probability outcomes on their suggested options. It can be unfair for them to be exposed to public dissemination of things they might not normally write down. Otherwise, the US would be impotent in dealing with international issues, politics being the way it is. Presidential power, unless it is out of any control, would be lost if subjected to the glare of a Senate inquiry, the president's supporters claim, perhaps justly. The Democratically controlled Congress came to the Senate without sufficient evidence, some claimed, to even set up a *prima facie* case to impeach the President. Others said the White House suppressed people who could have given witness at the congressional hearings to make a strong *prima facie* case. Otherwise, those witnesses would have to expose American policy to its enemies in the world, the President's advisers countered.

We think that between 1776 and 1789 when the French Revolution started, the United States' constitutional experts set up such a sophisticated system to counter tyranny, they inadvertently formed a system that actually was highly prone to such a thing. One could suggest many examples where that happens. "The best laid plans of mice and men ..." comes to mind. "The wisdom of man is foolishness to God" is another saying that comes to mind (c.f., I Corinthians 1:19-20 and 3:19).

Across the Atlantic, in the UK parliament, that the American colonists gamely attempted to get independence from (The Canadians staying under the Crown) a whole lot of MP's got cleaned out at the last election in November 2019. Mr Johnson's Conservative Party swept into power with a very clear majority of MP's dedicated to cutting Britain's membership of the EU. People forget or did not know, Parliament never asked the

British if they wanted to enter the EEC in the 1960's and 70's when the EU had that name. Yet when the public wanted out, the Parliament, its job to represent the people, blocked every move by British PM's to carry out the people's will. So on both sides of the Atlantic, in the two principal nations of the Bible's Tarshish, we see constitutional systems under strain. The world is watching them closely on these matters because they are generally seen as the models to follow.

On the whole, the two nations' in these 'shows' reveal their constitutional systems do in fact work quite well in the long run although that run is some 1200 years for Parliament and only 200 years for the US system unless you consider Athens to be its fore-runner to give it perhaps 400 years of heritage. The British system since its Saxon-Witan days of Alfred the Great, like its smaller Nordic cousins, is perhaps most admired around the world. Thus it was so sad to say the previous Parliament's members behaving so badly. However, Westminster has been there before, for example in the Rump Parliament or at the height of the Rotten Boroughs. The US, British (and Nordic) constitutional systems are far better at handling major disputes than the systems of other countries.

Mind you, it took the American colonists thirteen years after independence to work out some sort of constitutional system. In the Senate at the moment we are watching while the US system in its attempt to keep very clear distinctions between the Judiciary, Legislature, and Executive developed a system that creaks into action when needed but quite often its too inflexible in its attempt to be separatist in its branches of power. The British constitutional monarchy has retained a much more flexible system even if the distinctions between legislature, executive and judiciary tend to be a bit more blurred. In New Zealand, they are at times almost out of focus as parliament becomes little more than a rubber stamp for the Executive. Of course dictators just say this is all too much to worry about. So they get on with things. But usually only until there is a bloody revolution ousting them.

Of course, in both the UK and US systems draw heavily on Biblical systems. Few understand that last point which we will develop elsewhere. However, the US and UK contrast very significantly with most other countries. In the long run, they get around the issues facing them with much more success than extreme dictatorships. Where the others do try out some sort of British or American system, they usually do not have the type of society that works together to make their system work. Meanwhile, this is the good thing happening. They see how the UK and US try to deal with problems in a civilized manner. This might be very interesting as the world reforms its entire world governance system in the aftermath of the First Gog-Magog invasion of Israel. Likewise, the Israelis have one of the few constitutional systems that also works in a civilized manner. Israel is the only truly proportionally represented government in the world. But that noble aspect also creates problems.

This of course underscores how Messiah will solve all these constitutional problems in His Kingdom that we are praying for Him to usher in. The sin of mankind the Bible refers to is the base or core issue that must be dealt with. Even in Messiah's kingdom, sin will not be eliminated as each new generation born in it grows up (Isaiah 65:20). But Messiah will never let any sin ruin things for anyone else. The US and UK to some extent acknowledge the Bible's role in guiding us how to behave politically, economically and socially. But few are reading it let alone listening to it. One well known Kiwi national radio personality introduced the comment, "You'll always have the poor with you", and

attributed Jesus' words (in Matthew 26:11, Mark 14:7 and John 12:8) to an anonymous "As the saying goes". Even people in the US and UK pay little more than lip service to the Bible and that's mostly through quotations of a few proverbs or sayings therein like "The writing is on the wall" Daniel 5:5ff). In that minuscule measure, though, at least they are a little better off.

24/1/20, "**Is the Chinese Corona Virus (CCV) DNA or RNA**"? That was the question raised by a Chinese medical expert speaking from a New York think tank. This raises the interesting debate within evolutionism. Do species change over generations because of their environments or can each generation pass on to the next traits that one generation developed" by dint of exercise or training in some way? The former view of the Darwinists is now being challenged once again by the neo-Lamarckians whose namesake some decades before Darwin was the first '*modern*' person to attempt to develop an alternative idea to creation of life by God. In the 20th Century, other thinkers like Stephen J Gould and Immanuel Velikovsky added factors such as life coming to Earth on comets or asteroids from outer space in primitive forms and further evolving once on Earth's benevolent environment. Velikovsky additionally suggested electrical discharges and electro-magnetism once established on Earth led to gene mutations that explain the variety of life on Earth. All these ideas are designed to attract people away from believing God created all life on Earth as the Bible explains.

A century after Lamarck, scientists discovered DNA and RNA. The dictionary definitions of these are as follows: "DNA, or deoxyribonucleic acid, is like a blueprint of biological guidelines that a living organism must follow to exist and remain functional. RNA (Ribonucleic acid) is a polymeric molecule essential in various biological roles in coding, decoding, regulation, and expression of genes. It helps carry out the DNA blueprint's guidelines. Of the two, RNA is more versatile than DNA, capable of performing numerous, diverse tasks in an organism, but DNA is more stable and holds more complex information for longer periods of time".

One of the terms sometimes used for "RNA" is that it is a type of "*switch*". It turns DNA on (or active) or off (inactive). Or one could say the RNA activates that DNA which is otherwise inactive or "junk". The usual explanation for most of the "Junk DNA" is that it is the section of an organism's DNA inherited from billions of years of evolution but not now in use or is unused. For example, the DNA that gives one species the ability to live under water or fly is turned off by the RNA in some species or turned on in others. Some fly, others swim, others walk. Some can fly and walk. Others can swim or walk. Some birds can fly, swim, or at least dive into water, and walk.

We say DNA is switched off or does not operate because God programmed some of it to be active if Man had not sinned in Eden. Some will re-activate for the Millennium Kingdom so that, for example, animals will not fear humans or kill and eat each other. God had to encode every species for one of two scenarios to operate for life on Earth. The one, or first, for Adam's environment had he obeyed and the other, or second, for the environment he would thenceforth have to inhabit if he disobeyed God's command in respect to the Tree of Knowledge. Of course Adam did disobey God which explains why we now see so many varieties of life, and so much death and disease from things like bacteria, viruses, zoonosis and even, though very rarely due to all forms of cannibalism: "prions". God knew that after the Fall, each species would adapt in ways that led to inbreeding and further loss of DNA activity. That is also why we see so many different types of cats, dogs, fish, birds etc. Some of that 'inbreeding' is induced in

captive livestock by man for various *economic* reasons.

Even for post-Fall conditions, God created all the DNA and RNA so that as the devolution of species progressed there would be a literal flowering in variety to demonstrate God's Glory in His Creation despite or in spite of Man's Fall. The capacity of species to variate became over six millennia yet another means by which God declares His Glory despite the fall and consequent decline of all animal and plant species. There would have been no need for DNA coding to change for the Millennium if Adam had obeyed God and left the Tree of Knowledge alone. There would not have been a millennium still to come after six thousand years of history of fallen Man had Adam obeyed. In turn, assuming Adam was obedient in Eden, that suggests God was allowing for just one millennium for mankind to **procreate** i.e., just long enough for a multitudinous family of man to inherit an incorruptible body at the end of that putatively one and only millennium. It's not a particularly important question now especially given the circumstance we are in, however, or presumably, under that scenario, the human family after that millennium would receive an incorruptible body. Anyway, an incorruptible body will now be the case in Glory. But our glorified body is for living on the New Earth in the New Universe that is yet to come immediately after the Messianic Millennium is completed and its objectives are fulfilled; about which the Bible has several things to say (but not here).

At a later time one suggested in a Blessing (9/4/20, *RNA and DNA and the Fall*) to be published that the existence of RNA and DNA in the way the above definitions explain these things, is in itself a clue to explain precisely what happened at The Fall of Adam. In the 'Blessing', one mused on the proverb in Ecclesiastes 4:8-12 often used to describe the ideal marriage. However, one has also applied the verses to RNA and DNA. The proverb notes someone on their own has little chance of recovering if pushed over like a very woolly sheep stranded in a remote paddock in a 'cast' state on his back facing death eventually because he cannot recover himself. The farmer may come along and push him upright. But that demands one other to help one recover uprightness. Two people are in possession of much more robust defence against opponents. However, we now are in a situation where we are possessors of two-ply strands of RNA in a DNA union. However, since the Fall and probably because we no longer have access to the **Tree of Life** that Adam and Eve were permitted to consume or absorb from, the DNA of every animal and plant is prone to attacks from random single-strings of RNA. Were these rogue strands somehow attached to our DNA double-helices to form three-ply strands before the Fall? Are some of those RNA strands the detritus from dead matter so that they potentially can become dangerous enemies or perhaps just neutral and of no real consequence? Otherwise, where did they come from?

We know that our DNA is subject to mutations as the generations procreate. 'Mutations' can be negative, positive or even neutral depending on differing perspectives facing individuals (or units). However, it is intriguing to ask if somehow the Fall of Adam can be described in a limited scientific way as the decoupling of one strand of RNA from two others left behind. While all this is speculation beyond the extent one normally likes to travel, the discussion raised here reveals in another quiet and simple way just how far true data uncovered from academic and scientific research is in wonderful harmony with Scripture. In fact, the harmony is so strong there is no longer any incentive whatsoever in these Days of Daniel 12:4 & 9 for the believer now to consider anything whatsoever that we experience around us except through the lens, eye or prism of the Holy Bible.

Of course, preferable read in the original world language of Hebrew in order to explore the deeper veins of its riches.

So this later-named "Covid19" virus (our 'CCV) could be something that switches DNA on or off in some sort of very nasty renegade way and might be extremely serious as far as viruses go . Otherwise, the Corona Virus is just another disease we have to cope with like any other influenza even if it is more debilitating and morbid than the others even those in its own family of viruses. This particular disease-expert's *obiter dicta* comment inadvertently released information the *intelligentCIA* would rather not have to explain to the wider public should it begin suspecting other things they tell us do not square up. We noticed the next news item cut this segment from the interview when it was repeated on later bulletins of that news service. That shows us just how quickly those who manage the "News" are ever vigilant to ensure people never get too much information or information that might suggest they are covering up to eliminate as much exposure as possible from investigation into bankrupt theories like Evolution. Unfortunately they were too late or not alert enough. This observer recorded this inadvertent slip-up. You can't fool all of the people all of the time though you might fool most people most of the time.

On another front. He added that China's attempt to quarantine about 5 cities so far copied traditional European strategy in the Middle Ages. He also said that people then who did not submit to the quarantine regulations were "executed". It was a none too subtle dig at Europe. It was the only way we could defend ourselves from the vile animal and food practices of the Far-East Asians (mainly Chinese). That sort of typically haughty propagandist comment from the highly dictatorial and corrupt Chinese governance system reflects the extent to which the modern mainland Chinese governing regime has little regard for ethics, morality or human rights. Besides, these days, there are better strategies than quarantining cities as the Europeans, and every other world society including China's, had to do for thousands of years.

The Chinese spokesman may just have been threatening his own countrymen to get them to come into line. That only reflects the problems any governance system in China probably has, and probably nearly always has had, to get people to behave in ways other than total self-interest. We note in the tenement here in Wellington, the average mainland Chinese disregard local or house rules or regulations concerning rubbish disposal, cleaning ovens after cooking etc. Even normal etiquette in cooking in communal kitchens with respect to others is lost on these people. None of them speak English and clearly have no intention to. They now have such big colonies in our cities they have, in their opinion, no need to understand the country's official languages. Mandarin is not one of them! It's virtually impossible to communicate them as such, however, they ignore one's polite request, effectively in gestures akin to grunting in sign language, for them to comply with safety and fire regulations. By refusing to learn or speak English they consequently remove themselves from negotiation to explain the philosophy and reasoning behind safety measures here in NZ and many other important matters an immigrant needs in order to operate in a foreign country. If that's what they are like in modern mainland China, no wonder the authorities have to threaten execution if people don't obey safety regulations to quarantine a potentially dangerous virus, DNA-, RNA- or otherwise.

28/1/20, **Trump's 'Deal of the Century' for Israel and Palestine**. Mr Trump is going against the run of Prophetic History here. Thus, we should take this opportunity to

outline in a bit more detail what actually leads to the Bible's Seven Year Treaty (Daniel 9:27, Isaiah 28:14-15). That treaty is on Antichrist's terms and he later breaks it as Ribbentrop did for Hitler with Russia's Molotov in WWII. Antichrist's treaty will purportedly settle problems in Israel and Jerusalem. But it's only a deceptive ruse which sucks in Jerusalem's leaders at the time. Therefore, we are more interested in the Antichrist's seven-year deal prophesied in the Bible. For a couple of days US President Trump has been briefing Israel's two Prime Ministerial candidates Messrs Bibi Netanyahu and Bennie Gantz about Trump's Jewish son-in-law's plan to resolve the Israel-Palestine crisis.

But as a brief and interesting aside, several years ago there was the curious incident concerning the discovery of a human torso in the small town of Palestine in the USA. They discovered it there after the space shuttle blew up in the skies on the way to its upper atmosphere flight. That disaster effectively ended NASA's space centre flights. This left that NASA sector to solely operate from the Russian base in Kazakhstan (or Cossack-stan) giving the US's nominal enemy a monopoly on the launch of manned space craft. As is said, "Go Figure"! At the time there was another report that the torso of the Israeli astronaut on board had also been located. Most of the bodies, in the air of course, were burned to ash, slowly coming to ground, in the course of time. However, some body parts, in particular a "torso", did land on the ground and they were discovered. Other body parts obviously may not have been found. No one officially confirmed both reports referred to the same "torso". In other words, no one joined the dots and said the "Israeli's torso landed in Palestine, USA". That assumption certainly held some sort of *irony*. If that was indeed the case and there was some sort of Divine Intervention to ensure this happened, then we would take this as a sign that God is reminding everyone, all life returns to the Earth's dust. These words come from Israel's Bible. As our comments often point out, the world now almost uniformly rejects what the Bible tells us. Even most adherents to 'Christianity' or 'Christendom' who hold some reverence for its words, often misquote or misinterpret them and mislead, offend or even terrorize the public.

So President Trump's plans for a treaty are likely to come to absolute nought. Along with its prophecies about a Seven year Treaty between Antichrist and Israel, The Bible has prophecies about two Gog-Magog invasions of Israel. Neither has yet occurred. There is much confusion over the facts of History but nothing like those invasions has ever occurred in Israel. Both are described with specific details identifying them from Scripture. So we can be certain neither has ever occurred in the past. Prior to the First Gog-Magog invasion of Israel (Ezekiel 38:1 to 39:16), Israel will be populated by a re-gathered but spiritually dead nation (Ezekiel 37:8) from across the globe. This is to prepare Israel for one final time to undergo God's wrath. But that will be in the Apocalypse not in either of these two Gog-Magog invasions where Israel is once again miraculously delivered from their aggressors in a stunning fashion (read the texts, Ezekiel 38:1 to 39:16 and Revelation 20:7-9). Most people conclude both events are the one event but that is clearly wrong simply on a timing basis. The second Gog-Magog invasion occurs at the end of the Messianic Millennial Kingdom and is a long way off so it need not concern us for a long time. It's irrelevant to the oncoming situation directly affecting most people alive today assuming we are extremely close to its occurrence.

More importantly for the near future, the first Gog-Magog invasion seems designed to **begin** a process, perhaps over an approximately fourteen year period of several stages in eliciting a true and faithful spirit-filled nation that eventually is ready to call on the

Messiah (Jeremiah 32:37, Ezekiel 20:33-34). The first Gog-Magog invasion must take place before the oncoming Apocalypse besets the entire world. The Church is raptured out of this world by then although on a day that no man knows. Only God knows because one of the reasons for the Rapture is for Jesus to fetch His Bride the Church to bring her to the wedding ceremony of the "Marriage of the Lamb" in Heaven. That's why only God the Father knows the day and the hour for that Rapture. Thus, the first Gog-Magog invasion seems designed to begin a longer process; one has reason to suggest that could be about fourteen years; that will **culminate** in Israel's repentance on the last three days of the Apocalypse. Then Israel will be saved soteriologically and physically for eternity. Then Israel joins the Church and the saints from the four millennia before Christ in the final make-up of God's family with only the Messianic-Millennial Kingdom saints to come. Just before, soon before or contemporaneously with perhaps a few weeks or months of the Apocalypse, the First Gog-Magog war will end with a seven-year period to clear away with fire the waste and debris left over from the defeat and destruction of Gog's army. If we add that seven year period to the seven years for the full Apocalypse to run, assuming the Apocalypse begins about the time the clean-up is finished, then we get the fourteen referred to above in this essay. There may be an overlap of the two seven-year periods. There may be a gap between them of any number of years. Certainly, they cannot run concurrently as many do assume believing both to be one and the same. With the only other pair of seven-year periods mentioned in the Bible; i.e., the two marriages of Jacob to Leah then Rachel and the years of plenty then famine in Joseph's day in Egypt; both pairs spanned a total of '**fourteen**'.

As the Apocalypse reach its conclusion, and over its last three days, Israel repents and is saved from the Antichrist-666, the son of Satan. That is why believers in Jesus' Church ask to be "delivered from the **Evil One**". God does not necessarily deliver us from "evil" though God will deliver the Church from the "Evil One" who is Satan's son the Antichrist before he gets any opportunity to attack us. But he will be able to attack Israel. However, Israel will not now be delivered until she repents having lost that opportunity between AD 27-30. At any time, in the meantime, individual Jews may do so independently as some do just like any non-Jew ("Gentiles" or "*Goyim*"). Today's believing Jews, while retaining membership and citizen status of Israel, then enter membership of the Church of the Christ-Messiah. This group with Church membership by 'Spirit Baptism' comprises the Israel of God of Galatians 6:16.

Thus a torso in Palestine, USA presents an interesting picture. It is one of bodies dead or alive, spiritually or otherwise. It speaks of God preparing unbelieving Israel, or those of Israel persisting with their rejection of Jesus, to enter its seven-year deal or covenant with Antichrist-666. Modern Israel was so proud to have an astronaut go into space and play a role in the modern Babel Project. Abraham received a call to leave ancient Babel and Babylon. Modern Israel wants to return, in this sense, to modern Babylon and join in with its project, *inter alia*, to "reach for the stars". But God intends for man to live on this Earth or on the next and New Earth but not or never in space. God possibly used that incident to show all human dust return to Earth. With the apparent but not proven identification of that torso being Israeli God shows that He also intends to complete His ultimately Glorious Plan for Israel. All God's opponents on Earth, therefore all those who will follow Satan, are trying to destroy Israel to nullify God's Plans (see also Jeremiah 31:35-7).

Meanwhile, for those of us in the Church awaiting the Last Trump of I Corinthians 15:52, I Thessalonians 4:13-18, who have disembarked the Gravy Train ready for the Rapture

Train, we watch Washington's plan with amusement. In that, the American and Israeli governments are attempting to present the world, and God, with their much better Plan. Mr Trump has the "Deal of the Century" but God has the Deal for the Millennium and Eternity". Only those agreeing with God's Plan of soteriological salvation will enjoy the fruits of that Plan. Otherwise they suffer throughout Eternity the misery of having rejected God. In saying all this, it would be churlish not to acknowledge that the Trump administration is genuine in a desire to help Israel find some solution to an intractable crisis. At least the President and his administration is attempting to 'bless' Israel even if in a somewhat clumsy manner. Many other nations, by comparison, are almost anti-Semitic in their attitudes to Israel or at least apathetic.

28/1/20, **More desperate propaganda from evolutionists**. This time on a short item on prime time news. They showed film of a small shark using its fins as a type of leg to crawl along the ocean floor. The fins were more like the palm of one's hand without the fingers, about 8 of them strung along the side of the sharks on the left and right. Obviously they want this as evidence that land animals originated out of the oceans by developing primitive locomotive systems like that, the 'fins' eventually evolving into legs presumably. Such possibly transitional life forms are very hard to find. When they are discovered, like the platypus, they go in the opposite extreme so that it is virtually impossible to explain why the animal has so many different elements from other species in its composition. The platypus is mammalian but egg-laying. It has the tail of a beaver and gills like a fish. It has bird-like claws. The animal almost looks like some sort of trickster. It is as though God created it to deliberately fool evolutionists and their adherents into believing the "General Theory of Evolution".

28/1/20, **"Times changing"; or heading for denouement?** The quotation came from a news presenter after an item about youngsters thinking it normal to send each other photos of themselves in the nude or in some sort of sexually enticing pose via their smart phones. Modern smart phones with all the applications available on them offer an amazing range of things one can do with them. But Britain's Royal Society of Psychiatrists believes there is a very close relationship between suicide, depression, bullying and other deviant behaviour with too much use or abuse of smart phones. The Society is not yet sure what is causing what. They believe that more and more people are developing mental health problems, anyway, or independently of smart-phone use. The smart phone's capabilities only lead these already disturbed and unhappy people into deeper thoughts of suicidal or deviant behaviour.

We re-iterate the '@' sign can be read as a representation of the Hebrew verb used in the Bible warning man not to "eat" (אכל, *acol*, 'a all' or 'at all') or touch the Tree of Knowledge. It was so attractive to the woman's eyes and the man's inquisitive mind Adam could not resist it. Adam flagrantly disobeyed God's command so now look where we have come to. But it was all foreshadowed, forewarned, or prophesied in God's original warning to us. Only God can now save us from these dilemmas. Meanwhile, the best thing we can do is to tell people what God is saying about these dramas and agree to His solution or subject ourselves to it. Only then will people accept the dilemma we are in, get on with life as best as one can and look forward to God's Grace in saving us from the wrath that is yet to come from God's angels and from Satan and his son the antichrist in the Tribulation-Apocalypse. When people come to Salvation on God's terms, not on their own as the religions and philosophies offer, then depression and suicidal tendencies will fall away. People will turn to God's Word rather than Satan's via Internet and smart phones. Young people will learn that exposing their sexuality to

anyone is unhealthy but is the result of the mess Adam got us into. Knowing that he had disobeyed God, his embarrassment at that was expressed in the fact that Adam and Eve were then found expressing their sexuality with each other when God came to visit. That was not wrong. What actually angered and distressed God was that they had learned about their sexuality (a good thing) by consuming in disobedience (the bad thing) from the Tree of knowledge i.e., that touch-tronic computer in Eden's Garden. Adam should have obeyed God and continued learning directly from God in whichever way He planned to teach them about things such as sexuality.

Thus it is no surprise to see young people in this extremely godless generation doing such stuff. Not that what those young people are doing is materially much different from what all previous generations got up to. These actions being reported today simply underscore the deepening anger God has because His Word is so flagrantly and pervasively being ignored in the world today.

28/1/20, "**Churchill's maxim, study History**". One heard the maxim this morning while listening to the US President's team continue its defence of the President at the US Senate Impeachment Trial. Or, one could rephrase this as one was taught at the Ripley Court Preparatory School, Surrey, England in the 1950's and early 60's: "**His Story**". Perhaps Churchill's maxim really was "Study **His Story**". It would be interesting to find out if that actually was what Churchill actually meant for he attended a similar *primary* school as this writer did. But that's speculation.

Schools can teach so much but the Spirit of God becomes the main teacher when it comes to the Bible and its "**His Story**". In the Bible, **His Story** is Past, Present and Future. "Future History" really is Prophecy. Thus Prophecy, the First, then History at the End are a marriage of Past, Present and Future, already written by God according to the Bible. As far as Man is concerned in respect to his sojourn on Earth, the beginning (for Man, not the rest of the Universe, angels etc) in *circa* 4000 BC came God's first prophecy given to mankind, "do not eat from the Tree of the Knowledge of Good and Evil for in that day you will die". God gave many more prophecies along the way through Scripture but at the end they all get fulfilled and so become History, i.e., prophesied events that become reality. God is Omniscient, Omnipotent and Omnipresent, as the theologians teach, which is why God has been able to prophesy our current predicament.

The President's defenders went on to show that by surveying History one could begin to understand why "Impeachment" remains in the US Constitution. It eventually seems to have disappeared from the UK system being last in use in *circa* 1860. Britain's parliamentary democracy enables the legislature to sack its Prime Minister supposedly "at its whim". That was happening for a while in the Parliament in the UK but the comment is a bit harsh or exaggerated now. To defend the Executive arm (The Presidency) from such 'arbitrary' treatment, the founding fathers of the US Constitution retained Impeachment. But only for a situation where the President committed very serious crimes such as High Treason or bribery. President Nixon's election campaign organizers actually burgled the opposition's HQ at their Watergate Hotel. The President then attempted to stop authorities firstly from finding out what happened but then he tried to organize a cover-up on top of that misdemeanour. Nixon himself realized he should be impeached and resigned.

In the Trump situation, the President's legal team said, "disputes about foreign policy"

could not be an excuse for the legislature (US Congress made up of the Senate and House of Representatives) to easily remove the President. He or she has to face the electorate every four years anyway and that should be enough to restrain or discipline a President on matters like that. They recognised there may be rare situations where impeachment was necessary. This comes about as the Constitution's founding fathers wanted to set up a system that almost perfectly separated the three main powers of governance. The three branches of governance are the Legislative (law makers), Executive (practitioner of government) and Judicial (Courts and interpretation of law when in doubt about meaning or intention of the legislature). No one has ever successfully been able to do that throughout History. But the thirteen new American states from 1776 thought they could achieve the impossible in this fallen world. By 1789 when France imploded into revolution they had finally cobbled together something the 'Thirteen' agreed on.

But in their zealous attempt to do this, they have, as everyone realized after 200 years, the founding fathers produced a system that tends to act too slowly and without the flexibility with which other less well defined governance systems can move especially within a highly complex technological world. As the USA became very powerful, it has also become apparent that the entire globe has cause to be alarmed at some of the potential powers of the president. That indicates, as with so many other issues, older or traditional systems of governance are not necessarily as robust as they need to be with the state of modern technology. However, at the other extreme we get the Chinese, Russians and Iranians and others where the leaders can go around doing what they want without any sanction from courts and law-makers.

The UK Parliament, Monarchy and court system, or Constitutional Monarchy as we define it today, tends to stand between the rigorous separation of powers of the US and the autocrats of the East although much closer to the Americans than to the potentates. In the US Impeachment hearing we heard how Britain's Blackstone, our authority on governance alongside the Bible, played a role in setting up the US system. Its founding fathers (Benjamin Franklin, Alexander Hamilton *et al*) sometimes departed from Blackstone but in other situations the founding fathers almost seemed to have gone back closer to Magna Carta. Generally speaking, the world looks to Britain and the USA (both members of "Tarshish" in the Bible) to set high standards of governance. At present, both have ben looking a bit wobbly. But is that a harbinger of the fall of governments that Apostle Paul said would happen on the eve of the rise of Antichrist-666? That's the real question facing everyone right now.

29/1/20, **Thwaites Glacier melting more quickly than first thought**. It is located on the West Antarctic ice shelf. It is the largest glacier in the world. Some of it rests on land but some of it lies over the ocean. Scientists are not sure how much of the glacier is on land or sea so they are drilling down in places to investigate. Apparently only four human teams have ever gone there. We know little about that part of Antarctica. Scientific data tells us thae ice must all melt one day. C.S. Lewis indicated in his novel *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*, an allegory of the Bible, that the melting ice is a sign the Messiah of Israel is soon coming back. His opponents in the worlds of science and academia want to stop the ice melting because they want Jesus of Nazareth kept in Heaven. Well, that's their master Satan's hope.

29/1/20, **The Doomsday Glacier**". This is the nick-name scientists give to the world's largest glacier ("Thwaites"). They say it is a bell-weather showing us how much ocean

sea levels could rise if parts of either ice cap melts. The real problem here is that the scientists are not telling us much about what all the money we spend on Antarctic research is yielding in data for us to consider. Antarctic science is a very tightly closed shop. Nevertheless we have been able to glean morsels of useful information over the last few decades which reveal rather more about Antarctica than the scientists are admitting in public.

Firstly, we now know Robert Falcon Scott found meteorites on the surface of the ice. He realised they were unique, unusual and enigmatic. His team gathered more of them than they could really cope with for their homeward journey after finishing second in the race with Amundsen to the pole away back then (early 1900's). The sheer weight of them was a drag on his dog teams. His party failed to make it back to their nearest base alive. They fell just a few miles short. Rescuers found Scott's team frozen to death. Scott's meteorites were stored in London. It seems they may even have been used in promotional footage for the American moon landings. Dr Velikovskys's research reveals why they are there and how they got there. The writer was one of only a small group of lay folk at a meeting of scientists at the US Embassy, Wellington, some thirty years ago. Ninety years after Scott, Pennsylvania University scientists re-visited Scott's plateau which yielded those meteors and gathered more samples. Assisted by results from Lunar and Martian landers they realised Antarctica's meteorites arrived there from the "Moon and Mars". That has never been notified to the public which is why one attempts to do so in these pages. This reveals that modern science is utterly failing to factor into its theories the catastrophes that have affected the Earth's environment in the last five thousand years.

Secondly, it is abundantly clear that Antarctica reveals that global warming is the result of forces and environments deep inside the globe and deep under the oceans. None of the atmosphere the world is reputedly over-heating from its industrial activity over the last three hundred years reaches Antarctica. One day the boundary between warm air and freezing air will shift further south to directly affect Antarctica. But not yet apart from the massive Antarctic Peninsula that stretches out some 1600 kilometers (1000 miles) to King George Island or the South Orkneys nearly reaching as far north as Chile, Argentina and Tierra del Fuego.

Thirdly, Antarctica is not one vast land mass. Its ice cap lies over what looks to be three large islands and some peninsulas. However, something like a third of its ice mass lies over ocean (Atlantic, Indian or Pacific). That means a third of Antarctica is subject to warm currents flowing under the ice. We cannot tell what sort of warming effect that sea water is having on the ice lying over it. The sea-life in those parts virtually proves that much of that water is warm and certainly warm enough to melt the ice on top of it. Of course other factors concerning a dynamic mass of ice could mean that any ice under there which melts does get replaced over time in some sort of cyclic pattern. But there is no published information we can obtain to give an opinion on that. So we are confined to hypothesis. Even so, on those parts of the Antarctic ice on land, there are about 130 warm-water lakes. In that case, if one third of the ice cap is lying over ocean, even more sits atop warm-water lakes. So just how stable or unstable is that ice-cap? No one really knows. We definitely do know man's use of carbon products for fuel etc., is not heating up the planet. Other things are doing that. The really bad thing humans are doing is polluting the world with rubbish and sewage.

3/2/20, **"Iran, Turkey and Russia jointly hold hands"**. But probably wringing hands

in private. Nevertheless this Gog-Magog look-alike-trio had to come together after Erdogan's Turkish soldiers or their allied Syrian mercenaries lost patience and attacked and killed Syrian Government soldiers today. Erdogan said "Assad's men started it". However, we only got film footage of these three rogues from earlier meetings of the three in either Astana (in Cossack-land) or in Sochi near the Crimea the Russian-Winter Summer-resort town that phonetically spells 'Gog'. One must wonder what sort of cunning plan was being hatched there (c.f., Ezekiel 38:10).

8/2/20, "**The colonial culture**". The reference here was to the way data is being mined and collected from people's communication through smart phones, computer search engines and the like.

8/2/20, "**We are not saying no tech**". Another comment in a television programme about algorithms and robots etc. The commentators were aware of the loss of privacy etc. But they still want the goodies. So the next comment was

8/2/20, "**... But how do we protect the good and correct the bad**"? Well, that's the problem. One never can in a fallen world. Had Adam and Eve obeyed God it may well be God would have taught Adam how to use it because Adam had passed the first and only test, i.e., to trust in what God had said, believe it, obey it and never ever really give any other option any time of the day as Satan did begin to do over the billions of years he and his fellows had to enjoy God's presence before the Universe then during its early history. That was until (perhaps 4.5 Billion BC and some 10 billion years after the Universe's creation) some angels inspired and incited by Satan rebelled against God to enforce judgement on the Earth so that it "became *Tohu and Bohu*". The silly people, so sure they can tame technology, following these technologically inspired dreams are delving into a no-win situation ever sure "technology and Science" can save them from any predicament.

8/2/20, "**Robots are algorithmically programmed; we are traced algorithmically**". A point made on a TV programme entitled *All hail the Algorithm*. The comment needs no further explanation apart from repeating that God created angels then Man to be anything but robots. God created us to voluntarily choose to love, obey, trust and have fellowship in Him. While some angels chose that better path before God put the man on the Earth, the first Adam did not choose to do so. That is why *Yeshua*-Jesus (of Nazareth) came to reconcile Man back with God through His sacrifice.

The fact that we have now come to the dilemmas we face today, especially that implicit in the statement above, helps prove a point we regularly make. Adam and Eve were consuming fruit (knowledge) from a touch-tronic computer in the Garden of Eden. Mankind has after six millennia worked out finally how to access the vast store of God's knowledge - or potentially so - though it is clear God will never allow that for men in a fallen state. After our resurrection we will certainly learn much more but for good reasons alone and never for any reason of rebellion, departure etc. as Adam did. Satan and God were aware of the existence of such knowledge and technologies. Adam had to explain for nine and a half centuries to hosts of offspring why they were experiencing so many difficulties in life. They were the result of Sin of course. But Adam and Eve also had to live under those circumstances. One wonders how much opprobrium or scorn Adam and Eve experienced over many centuries re-telling with some embarrassment what they did, how they erred etc.

Instead of lying down and accepting the situation and make do the best way they could,

among the human population there was always a lobby amongst succeeding generations to discover or invent new knowledge or technologies. They wanted to improve the conditions under which Adam together with his many descendants until his death at the ripe old age of 950 had to live under i.e., in the harsh conditions of **'The Fall'**. It would get even harder in the centuries following the Great Flood (*circa* 2500 BC) because at least the climate before the Flood would have been more tropical than arctic. The knowledge of the computer in Eden was handed from generation to generation probably in various codes and accounts that looked like myths and legends to us but which may well have borne encrypted important information to future generations so that one day mankind could perhaps re-invent that situation for himself. The Adepts, as we call them, probably handed down secrets of the various codes that may have been used. We may even have some echo of them in the Bible unless it is the Bible itself that does most of the encoding.

Anyway, getting back to something like Eden is the dream. Now we are finding its over. We are merely being manipulated like robots as Satan prepares to take full control of Planet Earth. Thus Satan is playing a much longer game. However, God is playing an even longer game. We are all pawns in this drama. As pawns we are only entitled to move as Satan now directs. Those of us already inheriting (Ephesians 1:11, 18) Jesus' Messianic Kingdom and the Eternal State have not long to wait for our freedom but we are not shackled down with cares of life as those working along Satan's plans do. The very rich do pay for their wealth in ways those without wealth cannot really understand. It can be a full-time job being wealthy. Instead, we "inherit" both in Jesus and He does in the Church too as the Ephesians epistle explains in its first chapter. We are not quite there in a blessed situation with our Lord, have not quite yet received the Kingdom because Jesus has business to finish with Satan before that. Satan's agents are promising the world a new order just around the corner but that is all a smokescreen as he prepares to organize the nations to destroy Israel before that nation calls on Jesus (*Yeshua*).

10/2/20, "**An invasion on a Biblical scale**". Here the commentator was talking about locust plagues at this time in East Africa. Again we find a flippant reference to the Bible. If only these people had read the book before making stupid out-of-context statements.

11/2/20, "**The message she had wrote**". A massive error in grammar from a narrator on NZ TV's Prime News programme. The main topic was a memorial service to Ms Grace Millane a young British tourist visiting Auckland. She went out with a Kiwi who took her back to his flat. They engaged in extreme sexual activities that left her dead in the *process*. The name of the man charged with her demise, guilty of murder in the court's judgement, has been suppressed by the court. It seems bizarre that should be the case. Meanwhile, Ms Millane's name is all over the globe. It is as though she were guilty and the man charged innocent. Otherwise one expects the man's name should be released. That may happen within a week or so when the man receives his sentence. All this chicanery, both the events taking place in the man's Auckland city apartment and later in the court only reinforces our view that the world is descending into a maelstrom of immorality ("Days of Lot"), corrupt science, failing governance and justice systems.

11/2/20, "**Safer Internet Day**". Talk about an oxymoron. The evil in this world, especially that found on the Internet, almost always outweighs any good. That is very quickly becoming apparent now. Of course this only reinforces the Wisdom God

displayed in Eden. “Don’t eat of the Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil”, God warned Adam. But Adam did not heed the warning and each one of us is imputed with that false choice. So we are all guilty of this nonsense. Anyway, this was the headline on TV news about the problems young people are encountering with bullying, pornography, grooming, fear-mongering etc., they are subjected to, or find themselves subject to.

14/2/20, “**We are a warrior race; Part of our DNA**”. And that is why one does not really want to be known as a Kiwi or Nzer. A typical *macho* attitude from a Kiwi ringing up a radio talk-back station one afternoon. As he added in the interview, “We Kiwis love a good fight”. Furthermore, this ‘philosophy’, if one can call it that, has the ‘rider’, “If I win; You win”. The person who made it had been voted NZ “Sportsman of the Year”. It brought up pictures of two All Black mid-fielders utterly crunching the Irish captain of a visiting British and Irish Lions Rugby team that came to play about four rugby tests and other games on a tour here many years ago. It was the first test in Wellington and this observer was watching on TV from memory. The Irishman had to return home because his injuries were so bad. Had he played the four tests, the result may have been considerably closer than the 4-0 whitewash the tour results turned out to be in the test matches.

This sportsman got his award for ‘kick-boxing’ not rugby. At the same time some fellow members of the man’s race had beaten up two little children in their care. Every nation has members with a streak of violence or traditions of it. However, some do seem to appear to continue to draw some sort of heritage from strength, *machismo* etc. It may be a matter of definitions. Perhaps in some cultures a warrior is no different to a ‘morals crusader’. One supposes that a win on a moral crusade can indeed be a winner for all. As long as moral crusades, perhaps not the best term either, are peaceful we can all live with that. The trouble is that one is having to be considerably charitable to put that positive spin on being a “warrior race”.

14/2/20, “**Grey areas of international law and grey areas of oversight**”. A statement made in a discussion about British attempts to bring some degree of control over unsavoury uploads onto the Internet. Above, we noted The London Economist believed policy and regulation using technology itself can eventually do this for us. However, can technology, policy and regulation ever remove the grey area or make a distinct and unambiguous separation between black and white in this area so that there is no ‘grey’? Almost certainly, there is not. Unless a massive amount of censorship and restriction on freedom of thought becomes the rule and norm. Then another problem would develop. So many people would break the rules that enforcement would break down. Thus there is no answer except for the Bible’s prescription.

14/2/20, “**Antarctic ice could melt and disappear**”. A report on a NZ television news programme today. The cause is “warming water from beneath” as well as higher air temperatures. Today, Brazilian scientists reported they reached twenty degrees on the Antarctic Peninsula near Chile and Argentina’s Seymour Island. We have long been referring to the ocean water that encircles the three main islands or land masses believed to form the *terra firma* under the ‘continent’s’ ice cap. In fact, as we now know, Antarctica cannot really be described as a continent in the more conventional sense of the word. Really, it is the large mass of ice in that part of the globe that is a ‘continent’. The ice inundated the land that emerged from the sea floor there over a ten month period about 4500 years ago in circa 2488 BC.

14/2/20, "**NASA (Seattle) says we have to revise theory of the solar system's formation**". Their new view is that the formation of planets was a much slower and gradual process. The small rocks in the "Kuiper Belt" of which Pluto is just one; albeit very large example; object appear to be gradually joining each other to form larger objects even now, and Pluto is probably one of them according to this dubious theory. They even showed us an image of two asteroids in the Kuiper Belt. Although they really have no substantive evidence these bits of debris are indeed amalgamating. The two bodies are joined together by what looks like an ice-bridge. They looked like similar objects between the orbits of Mars and Jupiter in the so-called Asteroid Belt. It seems as though NASA now sees no difference between the two belts. We wonder what has happened to the "Ort Cloud", they also talk about, which is even further away from the Sun than the Kuiper Belt. But there was no reference to that in today's announcement.

We note this announcement comes a couple of months after the *London Economist* ran an article ["Christmas double Issue" (21/12/19-3/1/20)] entitled *Gallivanting Planets*. We also note that Immanuel Velikovsky and Einstein were challenging the current model of the solar system's formation away back in 1950. Still, NASA *et al* refuse to acknowledge their great work and suppress any discussion of their research though we have access to their material in Velikovsky's work and from other sources. Sometimes random publicity from the media outlets of science organisations inadvertently releases information that we can evaluate as coming out of lines of research Velikovsky followed. *Genesis* says God later re-visited the darkened Universe (*circa* 4000 BC), called into being Light and proceeded to re-format the Earth for the animals, plants, environment and seasons we now enjoy even if they have been disaffected by later catastrophes such as Noah's Flood in 2500 BC.

This new position NASA is adopting seems to rely even more trenchantly on gradualist evolution over long eons. The science system refuses to even talk to students of the Bible. We realise theory of the Universe needs to factor in the decimation of the Universe in the wake of Satan's rebellion (Circa 4.5 billion BC). We have long been warning the world that the liars controlling the knowledge base would continuously vary their theories in any way to avoid having to admit the Bible is the text they need to fill in the gaps in their models. This announcement from NASA is another example of this propaganda. Oddly, enough they took St Valentine's Day to make this announcement. We think April Fools' Day would have been more appropriate. In future, as they move to censor the Internet, we will not be able to say such things!

15/2/20, "**Without growth, societies will descend into chaos**". Perhaps that chaos will be another one the world has been in since the first one. It rendered the Earth that Satan inhabited a useless and lifeless place from which he was banished. Satan did not get back here until he wormed his way into the Garden of Eden. There he cunningly deceived Eve and consequently caused Adam to then go against the Man's better judgement and indeed the specific prohibition God gave him regarding the Tree of the knowledge of Good and Evil. Adam ate from it and we have been regretting ever since but trying to make the best out of a bad situation even so. Economic growth certainly has helped but at costs many of which are never properly measured.

An example of a world 'without growth' was that "in order to get a job a person has to wait for someone else to retire". One thought that was quite a nice and easily understood example to help the lay person appreciate the problem. Of course death could be seen as one way for people to retire. Some do indeed 'die-on-the-job' or die

before they retire. Many people who perhaps would be better advised to retire often cannot because during their lives they encountered many problems. For example, as one knows from experience, they may be denied the opportunity to work or to advance and gain promotion and higher incomes in whatever job they did hold. Many are dis-employed during their lives by persecution and ostracism. However, this problem of finding work goes back a long way. One report this researcher heard in a radio discussion is that in Medieval times those that got any work on the manor at the day's end gave some of their earnings to those sitting outside by the gates who had been hoping to get a call during the day for more workers inside but their luck ran out. It is unlikely one would see that these days and we do have unemployment benefits.

However, the whole world is in a conundrum here. More or continued growth means more pollution too. At current population levels any growth at all exacerbates world-wide pollution. God foreknew all this and about 2700 years ago instructed the Prophet Isaiah to pronounce on this with, "The Earth also is polluted ('defiled', KJV) under the inhabitants thereof" (Isaiah 24:5). Mankind may yet pull through all the troubles enveloping him but the more realistic view to take is that we are coming to the end of the six millennium run allowed for by God as mankind continues to strive with Fallen Adam's legacy. The Bible of course outlines the sequence of events that occurs as this all folds up in a complete fulfillment of the Biblical prophecies taking us up to the beginning with the Seventh-Day Millennium of "Rest". Get off the Gravy Train and climb aboard the Rapture Train is the plea of Jesus of Nazareth. Get ready for the Last Trump of I Corinthians 15:52, I Thessalonians 4:13-18 and don't worry about that other Donald.

15/2/20, "**They project extra knowledge but have no more than we do**". One of several points put in a television programme replayed on a television station that had commissioned the documentary (*Growing Pains*). This comment applied to the merchant bankers such as Bear Stearns, Lehman, Goldman Sachs etc., who were oiling much of the economic growth around the time of the GFC.

15/2/20, "**It was a pact with the devil**". These days with the Antichrist-666 quite possibly or plausibly alive and well, if one's *arithmo-etymological* calculations are accurate , and possibly a BIG 'IF' at that but one never knows, as an eighteen year old until September 2020 when he turns 19, then the person saying this might have been speaking literally and factually. The point was put in a television programme replayed on the particular television station that had commissioned the documentary (*Growing Pains*). It was in relation to the decision made many years ago, in the 1980's probably, to "monetise" and recycle oil petrodollars to stimulate economic growth presumably to lift the world out of its stagflation of those times. The programme goes on to explain how that reverberated back on the system in the GFC of 2007-8.

17/2/20, "**Nothing short of Apocalyptic conditions**". A comment made by a pop star at a concert to raise funds for people whose lives were devastated by Australia's forest fires earlier this year. Bad as those fires were, the comment reveals how little most people understand what God has in store for an unrepentant world in the near future judging by the way certain prophecies appear to be unfolding. The Apocalypse is a seven-year ordeal brought on by the world's preparedness to accept the Antichrist and thumb its nose at Jesus. It will be Israel signing a Peace Treaty or Covenant with the 'Beast' that really raises God's ire. God sends angels to deliver a terrible series of disasters plagues, disruptions, black-outs, demonic attacks and probably disasters emanating from outer space. Meanwhile, at the Munich Security Conference (MSC):

17/2/20, **“Endless nation-to-nation and within-nation conflicts going on”**. Comments from an observer at the MSC. The point was that conflicts of this nature require a collective approach. The point about ‘within-nation’ conflict is what Jesus referred at His Olivet discourse (Matthew 24:7, Mark 13:8 and Luke 21:10). We tend to read Jesus’ words as applying to a war between say France and Russia. However, He meant something like a couple of events earlier in Israel’s history where one invader from one nation suddenly faced mutiny and division within his own army as the soldiers took to killing one another. In Ezekiel 38:21, we read about Infigting of Gog-Magog invaders who although they come from three points of the compass surrounding Israel (from North, East and South), God says of them, "I will call for a sword against him on all my mountains (of the West Bank?) 'declares the Lord God'. Every man's sword will be against his brother". So the comment was interesting to hear at this peculiar time in world history.

17/2/20, **“Death of Trans-Atlantic alliance grossly exaggerated”**. The US Secretary of State, Mr Pompeo at the MSC referring to the vibrancy of NATO (or the North Atlantic Tarshish Organization in *our-speak*). In a none-too-subtle paraphrase of Mr Mark Twain, everyone’s favourite writer, the US secretary was probably echoing the point made at the above conference about tensions both within and between nations. However, if the Gog-Magog invasion of Israel is currently being planned etc. these words may look rather empty sooner or later. However, that will not matter. If the Gog-Magog nations are indeed preparing to invade Israel as Ezekiel’s prophecy says, then God will deal with the invaders. NATO and Sheba-Dedan can continue dealing with whatever other problems they seem to have on their plates at that time. God’s got it all in hand. However, so few people even know Who he is now, presumably this will all be quite consternating for most people. Get off the Gravy Train folks and jump aboard Jesus of Nazareth’s Rapture Train (I Corinthians 15:52, I Thessalonians 4:13-18). It has not lifted off yet but it could happen at any moment.

17/2/20, **“A fluid international situation but we still need world rules”**. Please tell China that! It’s “fluid” alright. We are getting sea-sick. [Post-script, 3/5/20]: However a crisis was looming that turned this into something of an understatement at the MSC.

17/2/20, **“The West is the Winner”**. Of what, one might ask. The only possibility this observer could envisage here is that the Antichrist-666 is definitely on the way now and the talking heads at the MSC are well aware of that. So that gives one more confidence it is indeed the Lord (with the *Erevon-Arrabown* guarantee God’s Holy Spirit gives every true believer) who is assuring some of us that the world events surrounding this persona are now well underway and that it is just a matter of counting them off. The only thing that cuts this observer off from reporting on them as they occur is the Rapture (I Corinthians 15:52, I Thessalonians 4:13-18).

19/2/20, **“Turkish-backed Syrian mercenaries fighting Assad-backed Syria fighters in Libya”**. This comment surfaced in a discussion on a TV panel when one commentator was asked what was going to happen in the next couple of weeks to the end of February between Russia, Turkey and Syria in the conflict over the Idlib region of north-west Syria. This province lies between the borders of North Lebanon and Turkey and up near the huge Russian naval base on Syria’s Mediterranean coast. This passage brings to mind what happens to the warriors in the Gog-Magog alliance of nations that will include Libyans, Syrians and Yemenites (the ancient “Put” In Ezekiel 38:5 and 21). Meanwhile, the nations of Tarshish, Sheba and Dedan essentially stand

aside impotent to do anything to oppose the situation. They are 'The West' and the Arabians who are the Jews' closest relatives amongst the 'Table of Nations and Clans'.

19/2/20, "**Where are the Muslims and Arabs trying to bring peace to Syria**"? A few minutes after the above item aired on TV, this comment came from a news report where a distressed Syrian refugee in Idlib province of Syria pleaded for Muslim and Arab nations to come and help them. Our advice is that Allah is a false god. Mohammad is not therefore a prophet of the true God. Although we readily acknowledge he thought himself to be so and desired to find a way out of the theological corruption of Christendom, including Jewry, of his times (late 7th and early 8th century Arabia). In fact it is their rejection of Jesus as "Son of Man", "Son of God", Saviour of the World etc., that brings them strife. There is an almost universal Islamic belief that Jesus' disciples tricked everyone about what happened in the last minutes of the Crucifixion or at some critical stage during it. The claim is the disciples brought Jesus down from the Cross before he died i.e., before he had completed the substitution sacrifice for mankind, for those who believe and trust in Jesus. Their claim picked up by other sceptics including most modern theologians, is that Jesus lived to tell another tale; whatever they believe that to be! Plenty of people around the world reject Jesus. However, Islam is the only mainline religious movement that carries to great lengths theories so blasphemous of what Jesus had to suffer. Now the Muslims are suffering. However, Jesus is always extending the hand of friendship and offer of salvation to them if only they would change their minds and seek Him, His Words and accept His claim that he alone is the prophet who could and did speak "mouth to mouth" with God. Moses whom they also revere, also spoke "mouth to Mouth" with God. Moses also said only one other prophet would come after himself in that unique distinction. Muslims think that prophet was Mohammad. This is a tragic situation. The theologians of Christendom are most directly at fault for that suffering of the Muslims. Although plenty of others are also responsible and to the extent that Adam's sin is imputed to all of us we are all responsible for this very messy nine-year struggle for some twelve million Syrians made directly homeless, destitute and impoverished by it all. Many more Syrians are little better off and only a small clique in Damascus, presumably, is in any comfort although their conscience must surely be nagging them.

23/2/20, "**Zamalek still the top Egyptian football team**". Earlier, we commented on this team in "10/2/15, Zamalek, an Egyptian football team pronounced 'Gamalek'". We base our concerns about the ongoing threat Amalek poses to Israel because of Exodus 17:16. Today, Egypt contributes to both "Put" and "Cush" who are two of the invader sectors of the globe in the Ezekiel Gog-Magog attack on Israel "In the Latter (or Last) Days". Either 'nG' (or even 'G' as in "Gomorra") or "Aa' are used by translators to render the Hebrew (*ayin*, א) in other alphabets. But 'X' and 'Z' are also used and here the team is "Za'-malek". Really, 'T' is the last letter in the Latin alphabet which the British, for English, further developed by adding 'u', 'v' and 'w' (or double-'u') to help account for the use of Hebrew's 'vav' (ו) then 'X', 'Y' (actually Hebrew's *ayin*, or א) and finally 'Z' to account for symbols used as letters in other scripts. An example being the 'X' for the 'Sh' sound although others prefer to use 'Sh'. In the city of Exeter, 'X' came to be used for the 'Sh' sound. Why, we do not know but we do have some ideas.

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