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- Page 51, line 11, for passage read Epistle
" 54, " 25, for (48) read (49)
" 60, " 15, insert Polycarp before (75)
" 73, " 32, for Symrn. read Smyrn.
" 80, " 24, omit Luke 9²⁶; as also
" 81, " 2, for ἦν read ἦ
" 81, " 7, this sentence should follow on (97)
" 83, " 4 from bottom, for (93) read (92)
" 137, " 2 from bottom, for 123 read 125

PREFACE

THIS work had its origin in a resolution passed by the Society of Historical Theology, in Oxford, appointing a small Committee to prepare a volume exhibiting those passages of early Christian writers which indicate, or have been thought to indicate, acquaintance with any of the books of the New Testament. Beyond the appointment of the Committee, the Society has no responsibility whatever for the work, and the judgements which are expressed belong to the Committee alone. The present volume deals with the writings of the Apostolic Fathers, in which information is scanty, and traces of dependence on the Scriptures of the New Testament are most open to doubt. The editors are quite aware that their judgements may not command universal assent ; but they may claim at least that these judgements have been carefully formed, sometimes after considerable hesitation, by men who are not without practice in this kind of investigation. It is hoped that the book will not only provide the student with useful material, but afford him some helpful direction in reaching his own conclusions.

The first duty of the Committee was to agree upon a plan. It was decided to arrange the books of the New Testament in four classes, distinguished by the letters A, B, C, and D, according to the degree of probability of their use by the several authors. Class A includes those books about which there can be no reasonable doubt, either because they are expressly mentioned, or because there are other certain indications of their use. Class B comprises those books the use of which, in the judgement of the editors, reaches a high degree of probability. With class C we come to a lower degree of probability ; and in class D are placed those books which may possibly be referred to, but in regard to which the evidence appeared too uncertain to allow any reliance to be placed upon it. Under each author the books of the New Testament are

arranged in accordance with these four classes, except that the Gospels are reserved for a section by themselves after the other writings. In dealing with the Gospels the following division has been observed :—First are presented references to the Synoptical Gospels severally; secondly, references to Synoptical material, where the individual Gospel cannot be distinguished—cases to which the above classification seems inapplicable; thirdly, references to the Fourth Gospel; and lastly, references to apocryphal Gospels. Under each class (A, B, C, D) the books follow one another in the present canonical order; and the passages cited under each head are arranged in the order of probability, according to the editors' judgement, and marked a, b, c, d—symbols to which an explanation will apply similar to that which has been given in connexion with the capital letters.

The quotations are printed in parallel columns. The first presents the quotation containing the supposed reference. The second exhibits the corresponding passage, or passages, in the New Testament, quoted from the text approved by our English Revisers, with references, when necessary, to various readings. A third column, when required, contains illustrative passages from the LXX (the text of Dr. Swete's edition being used) or from other writings. Underneath the several quotations are comments, calling attention to special points, or indicating briefly the grounds of the editors' judgement. In class D references are given without the text in several instances, because, though they have been cited in evidence, they did not appear to deserve serious recognition. In addition to these a great many passages were examined by the Committee, but are not mentioned because the Committee came to the conclusion that there was no serious ground for arguing that they showed the influence of the New Testament.

In the execution of the foregoing plan, books were in the first instance allotted to the several members of the Committee, in order that each might make a preliminary list of passages, with his own judgements and comments. These were carefully revised, passage by passage, at meetings of the Committee. They were then arranged in what was intended to be their

permanent form. Finally, they were once more revised by the Committee ; and in many cases previous judgements were again brought under consideration. It is obvious that the distinction of classes, especially between b and c, must often have involved delicate and doubtful deliberation ; for it is extremely difficult, where several are collaborating, to retain at all times the same standard of judgement. But even if in many cases other scholars may arrive at different conclusions, the Committee hope that their labours will not be wholly without fruit in this important field of Biblical study.

The task of final redaction and the furnishing of special introductions were in each case left to the member of Committee to whom the preliminary work had fallen ; so that the full consensus of the Committee must be taken to apply only to the degrees of probability assigned to the apparent traces of given New Testament books in the authors examined.

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THE EPISTLE OF BARNABAS

INTRODUCTION.

Standard of Accuracy in quotation. Our author shares the Alexandrinism so widely diffused in the first century A.D. throughout the eastern Mediterranean. This has its effect on his methods in dealing with the O. T., which he uses through the LXX, known to him in a text which approximates to our *Codex Alexandrinus* (but reads also at times as if revised from the Hebrew)¹. In general ‘the O. T. is quoted even more profusely than in the Epistle of Clement, but with less precision. The writer is fairly exact in well-known contexts belonging to the Psalter or the Book of Isaiah; but elsewhere he appears to trust to memory, and not to concern himself greatly about the words of his author. Even when preceded by a *formula citandi* his citations often wander far from the LXX, although they are clearly based upon it (e. g. Exod. 33¹⁻³ = Barn. vi. 8²). Similar liberties are taken even where the writer mentions the book which he is quoting,’ e. g. πέρας γέ τοι λέγει αὐτοῖς ἐν τῷ Δευτερονομίῳ, Καὶ διαθήσομαι πρὸς τὸν λαὸν τοῦτον τὰ δικαιώματά μον—‘a sentence which, though it has all the notes of a strict quotation, proves to be a mere summary of Deut. 4¹⁻²².’ The following comparison of Exod. 33¹⁻³ and Barn. vi. 8 may give some measure of the freedom³ for which we must allow in considering possible N. T. citations or echoes.

Exodus.

καὶ εἶπεν Κύριος πρὸς Μωυσῆν,
Παρένου ἀνάβηθι ἐντεῦθεν σὺ καὶ ὁ
λαός σου . . . εἰς τὴν γῆν ἣν ὅμοσα
τῷ Ἀβραὰμ καὶ Ἰσαὰκ καὶ Ἰακὼβ,
λέγων . . . καὶ εἰσάξω σε εἰς γῆν
ῥέουσαν γάλα καὶ μέλι.

(See also Nos. (1) (40) below.)

Barnabas.

ἴδού, τάδε λέγει Κύριος ὁ Θεός·
Εἰσέλθατε εἰς τὴν γῆν τὴν ἀγαθήν, ἥν
ὅμοσεν Κύριος τῷ Ἀβραὰμ καὶ Ἰσαὰκ
καὶ Ἰακὼβ, καὶ κατακληρονομήσατε
αὐτήν, γῆν ρέουσαν γάλα καὶ μέλι.

¹ Swete, *Introd. to the O. T. in Greek*, 411-413, for this and what follows.

² Comp. vi. 1, where he substitutes the correct gloss τῷ παιδὶ Κυρίου in the phrase ἐγγιατῶν μοι, in Isa. 50^a; and xii. 9, where he boldly adds ὁ νῦν τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐπ' ἐσχάτων τῶν ἡμερῶν to Exod. 17¹⁴.

³ Sanday, *Gospels in the Second Century*, 31 ff., reckons 16 exact, 23 slightly variant, and 47 variant citations of the O. T.

Further we must remember that he freely blends passages from different quarters: e. g. ii. 7 f. = Jer. 7^{22 f.} + Zech. 7¹⁰, 8¹⁷; iv. 7 = Deut. 34²⁸ + 31¹⁸; iv. 8 = Exod. 32⁷ + Deut. 9¹²; cf. ix. 8, xv. 1. The same applies to his quotations from apocryphal books like Enoch and 4 Ezra, which he also cites with the same phrases as introduce Scriptural allusions generally.

The formulae of citation are: λέγει, with δ Θεός or δ Κύριος, ή γραφή, δ προφήτης, expressed or understood; or again with the name of the prophet in question, Moses, David, Isaiah, Daniel, and even Enoch; or most fully λέγει Κύριος (δ Θεός) ἐν τῷ προφήτῃ, δρίζει (Κύριος) ἐν ἄλλῳ προφήτῃ λέγοντι. Synonymous for λέγει are εἰπε, ἐλάλησε, ἐνετείλατο. Similarly γέγραπται, used even in citing Enoch (iv. 3, xvi. 6), and γεγραμμένης ἐντολῆς (vii. 3). The general result is an absolute doctrine of inspiration, which equates the Divine and the human speaker or writer, and which neglects distinctions between canonical and apocryphal sources. In this connexion reference may be made to vi. 13 λέγει δὲ Κύριος, Ἰδού, ποιῶ τὰ ἔσχατα ὡς τὰ πρώτα (see *Didascalia Apost.* ed. Haurer, 75 ‘Ecce facio prima sicut novissima et novissima sicut prima’: cf. Apoc. 21⁵ Ἰδού, καὶνὰ ποιῶ πάντα, Hipp. in Dan. 4²⁷ ἔσονται γὰρ τὰ ἔσχατα ὡς τὰ πρώτα): also to vii. 4, where τι οὖν λέγει ἐν τῷ προφήτῃ is followed by words not found in any other extant writing, though our author has Lev. 16^{7 ff.} in mind in the context. Here the citation seems too definite (ἐν τῷ προφήτῃ coming in between γεγραμμένης ἐντολῆς and πῶς οὖν ἐνετείλατο) to be other than due to some written source, whether apocryphal or a passage that has crept from the margin into the text of a canonical book. The former view is supported by the analogous case in xi. 9 f., see below (40). So in ii. 10 θυσίᾳ τῷ Κυρίῳ καρδίᾳ συντετριμμένη, δσμὴ εὐωδίας τῷ Κυρίῳ καρδίᾳ δοξάζονσα τὸν πεπλακότα αὐτήν, Barnabas has been quoting certain O. T. prophets, and continues in a way which suggests that he has his mind on them still, ἡμῖν οὖν οὕτως λέγει. But while the opening words are substantially those of Ps. 51¹⁷ (θυσίᾳ τῷ Θεῷ πνεῦμα συντετριμμένον, καρδίαν συντετριμμένην, κτλ.), the whole quotation actually comes from the Apocalypse of Adam (cf. Iren. iv. 17. 2). Thus confusion of memory may explain

the case in which *γέγραπται* introduces words found also in our Matthew (see below).

On the whole, then, we have reason to expect that, if Barnabas alludes to any N. T. writings, it will be in a free and glossing way, and that sympathy with its methods and style will be needful to appraise the likelihood attaching to alleged cases of dependence¹. The phenomena in the section on the 'Two ways' are dealt with under the *Didache*.

EPISTLES AND APOCALYPSE

B

Romans

(1) Barn. xiii. 7.

τί οὖν λέγει τῷ Ἀβραάμ, ὅτε μόνος πιστεύσας ἐτέθη εἰς δικαιοσύνην; Ἰδού τέθεικά σε, Ἀβραάμ, πατέρα ἔθνων τῶν πιστευόντων δι' ἀκροβυντίας τῷ Κυρίῳ (GL, Θεῷ ΝC).

b

Rom. 4^{s. 10 f. (17 f.)}.

τί γὰρ ή γραφὴ λέγει; Ἐπίστευσε δὲ Ἀβραὰμ τῷ Θεῷ, καὶ ἐλογίσθη αὐτῷ εἰς δικαιοσύνην . . . πῶς οὖν ἐλογίσθη; . . . οὐκ ἐν περιτομῇ ἀλλ’ ἐν ἀκροβυντίᾳ· . . . εἰς τὸ εἶναι αὐτὸν πατέρα πάντων τῶν πιστευόντων δι' ἀκροβυντίας.

LXX. Gen. 15^b καὶ ἐπίστευσεν Ἀβράμ τῷ Θεῷ, καὶ ἐλογίσθη αὐτῷ εἰς δικαιοσύνην.

17^{4 f.} καὶ ἔγώ, ἵδον ἡ διαθήκη μου μετὰ σοῦ· καὶ ἔστη πατὴρ πλήθους ἔθνων· καὶ οὐ κληθήσεται ἔτι τὸ δονομά σου Ἀβράμ, ἀλλ’ ἔσται Ἀβραὰμ τὸ δονομά σου· διτι πατέρα πολλῶν ἔθνων τέθεικά σε.

In our author's memory the O. T. passages have become

¹ The final estimate of the literary dependence of our epistle cannot be separated from one's theory of its date, and this again involves that of its religious standpoint. In the view of the member of committee specially responsible for its work on Barnabas, it is most probable that the epistle was written under Vespasian (iv. 4 f.), within a very few years of the destruction of the Jewish Temple, the spiritual substitute for which, the Christian Church, is alluded to as in process of being built up (xvi. 10; cf. vii. 11). The standpoint is essentially that of the Epistle to the Hebrews, as distinct from other known types of primitive Christianity. For though they differ in their attitude to O. T. ritual, both interpret the 'new Law' and its people under the categories of the old, in such wise that the literal observances of Judaism are regarded as at once fulfilled in essence and superseded by the purely spiritual worship realized in and through Christ. To both, O. T. worthies like Abraham, Isaac, Jacob, Moses, and David were in the line of heirship of the Promise, but not Israel at large (cf. Heb. 3-4, 11).—J. V. B.

conflated with the comments in Rom. 4; for the phrase $\tau\hat{\alpha}\nu\pi\iota\sigma\tau\epsilon\nu\sigma\eta\tau\omega\nu$ δι' ἀκροβυνστίας (by no means an obvious one), especially as qualifying ἐθνῶν in Barnabas, can hardly be explained otherwise.

d

(2) Barn. xiii. 2-3.

ἀκούσατε οὖν περὶ τοῦ λαοῦ τί λέγει ἡ γραφή· . . . Δύο ἔθνη ἔν τῇ γαστρὶ σου . . . καὶ ὁ μείζων δουλεύσει τῷ ἐλάσσονι αἰσθάνεσθαι διφείλετε . . . ἐπὶ τίνων δέδειχεν ὅτι μείζων ὁ λαὸς οὐτος ἡ ἑκεῖνος.

Rom. 9⁷⁻¹³.

οὐδὲ ὅτι εἰσὶ σπέρμα Ἀβραάμ, πάντες τέκνα, ἀλλ᾽ Ἐν Ἰσαὰκ κληθήσεται σοι σπέρμα . . . ἐρήθη αὐτῷ ὅτι ὁ μείζων δουλεύσει τῷ ἐλάσσονι· καθὼς γέγραπται, Τὸν Ἰακὼβ ἡγάπησα, τὸν δὲ Ἡσαῦ ἐμίσησα.

Though the passages both turn on the phrase common to them, they use it differently, Barnabas seeing in it a prophecy of the Christian people, Paul citing it simply for the principle of sovereign election. Yet Barnabas often twists what he borrows, and his knowledge of Romans is otherwise probable.

C

Ephesians

(3) Barn. vi. 11 ff.

Eph. 2^{10, 21 f., 3¹⁷,}
4^{22 ff.}2 Cor. 5¹⁷, 1 Cor.
3^{16 f.}

ΙΙ ἐπεὶ οὖν ἀνακαινίσας ἡμᾶς ἐν τῇ ἀφέσει τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν ἐπαιήσεν ἡμᾶς ἄλλους τύπουν, ὡς παιδίων ἔχειν τὴν ψυχήν, ὡς ἀν δὴ ἀναπλάσσοντας αὐτοὺς ἡμᾶς. . . . δευτέραν πλάσιον ἐπ' ἐσχάτων ἐποίησεν λέγει δὲ Κύριος· Ἰδού, ποιῶ τὰ ἐσχάτα ὡς τὰ πρώτα.

Comp. xvii. 8 λαβόντες τὴν ἄφεσιν τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν καὶ ἐλπίσαντες εἰς τὰ δυνάμεις Κυρίου ἐγενάμεθα καινοί, πάλιν ἐξ ἀρχῆς κτιζόμενοι (continued below).

Ι4 ἵδε οὖν, ἡμέας ἀναπεπλάσμεθα, καθὼς

2¹⁰ αὐτοῦ γάρ ἐσμεν πούμα, κτισθέντες ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ. 4^{22 ff.} ἀποθέσθαι ὑμᾶς . . . τὸν παλαιὸν ἄνθρωπον . . . , ἀνανεύσθαι δὲ τῷ πιεύματι τοῦ νοὸς ὑμῶν καὶ ἐνδύσασθαι τὸν καινὸν ἄνθρωπον τὸν κατὰ Θεὸν κτισθέντα (cf. 2¹⁵).

Cf. Col. 3^{9 f.} ἀπεκδυσάμενοι τὸν παλαιὸν ἄνθρωπον . . . , καὶ ἐνδύσαμενοι τὸν νέον τὸν ἀνακαινούμενον εἰς ἐπίγυνωσιν κατ' εἰκόνα τοῦ κτίσαντος αὐτόν.

3¹⁷ κατοικῆσαι τὸν

. . . λέγει· Ἰδού, λέγει Χριστὸν διὰ τῆς πίστεως
 Κύριος, ἐξελῶ τούτων . . . ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ὑμῶν.
 τὰς λιθίνας καρδίας καὶ
 ἐμβαλὼ σαρκίνας· ὅτι
 αὐτὸς ἐν σαρκὶ ἔμελεν
 φανεροῦσθαι καὶ ἐν ἡμῖν
 κατοικεῖν.

15 ναὸς γάρ ἄγιος,
 ἀδελφοὶ μου, τῷ Κυρίῳ
 τὸ κατοικητήριον ἡμῶν
 τῆς καρδίας.

Comp. xvi. 8 (continued)—ιο διὸ ἐν τῷ
 κατοικητηρίῳ ἡμῶν ἀλη-
 θῶς ὁ Θεὸς κατοικεῖ ἐν
 ἡμῖν πᾶσι; ὁ λόγος
 αὐτοῦ τῆς πίστεως, . . .
 αὐτὸς ἐν ἡμῖν προφη-
 τεύων, αὐτὸς ἐν ἡμῖν
 κατοικῶν . . . τοῦτο ἔστιν
 πνευματικὸς ναὸς οἰκοδο-
 μόνενος τῷ Κυρίῳ (see
 also iv. 11).

2²¹f. (Χρ. Ἰησ.) ἐν
 φ τάσα οἰκοδομὴ συν-
 αρμολογουμένη αὔξει εἰς
 ναὸν ἄγιον ἐν Κυρίῳ, ἐν
 φ καὶ ὑμεῖς συνοικοδο-
 μείσθε εἰς κατοικητήριον
 τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐν Πνεύματi.

1 Cor 3¹⁶f. οὐκ οἴδατε
 δτι ναὸς Θεοῦ ἔστε, καὶ
 τὸ πνεῦμα τοῦ Θεοῦ οἰκεῖ
 ἐν ὑμῖν;
 δ γάρ ναὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ
 ἄγιος ἔστιν, οἵτινές ἔστε
 ὑμεῖς.

Here the phenomena are most complex, but Ephesians has the advantage over 1 and 2 Corinthians in several ways. (1) The idea of re-creation in Ephesians is really the nearer. The context of 2 Cor. 5¹⁷ (and of Gal. 6¹⁵) gives the phrases a rather specific reference; while dependence on Ephesians explains both Barnabas's passages. (2) Ephesians has κατοικητήριον in close conjunction with ναὸν ἄγιον, as well as κατοικῆσαι τὸν Χριστὸν . . . ἐν ταῖς καρδίαις ὑμῶν (not God, as in 2 Cor. 5¹⁶) —the idea from which Barnabas starts (ἔμελεν . . . ἐν ἡμῖν κατοικεῖν)—and the notion of the spiritual temple as in process of building (cf. Barn. xvi. 10). (3) The mystical idea of Christ indwelling the Saints, or the Church, which Barnabas expands in an emphatic way in §§ 14–16, is most marked in Ephesians (and Colossians), in close connexion with the idea of the Church as the body or πλήρωμα of Christ (Eph. 1²³). This latter thought may even determine the strange turn Barnabas gives to the words of Ps. 41³, viz. ἐν τίνι δόφθή-
 σομαι τῷ κυρίῳ τῷ Θεῷ μου καὶ δοξασθήσομαι (LXX, πότε ἥξω
 καὶ δόφθήσομαι τῷ προσώπῳ τοῦ Θεοῦ), as if the Son were bodied forth in the Church and so fulfilled as to His glory

(cf. Eph. 1¹⁸ τίς ὁ πλοῦτος τῆς δόξης τῆς κληρονομίας αὐτοῦ ἐν τοῖς ἀγίοις), even if αὐτοῦ refers strictly to God.

That the ideas underlying these sections of Barnabas are so subtle and inward, points to a source beyond common Christian tradition, and to a knowledge of the Pauline writings themselves.

d

(4) Barn. ii. 1.

ἡμερῶν οὖν οὐσῶν πονηρῶν καὶ αὐταῦ τοῦ ἐνεργοῦντος ἔχοντος τὴν ἔξουσίαν.

Eph. 5¹⁶, 2².

ὅτι αἱ ἡμέραι πονηραὶ εἰσιν.
κατὰ τὸν ἄρχοντα τῆς ἔξουσίας τοῦ
ἀέρας, τοῦ πνεύματος τοῦ νῦν ἐνερ-
γοῦντος ἐν τοῖς νιοῖς τῆς ἀπειθείας.

The first of these parallels is a commonplace of early Christian thought; the latter has parallels in Jewish Apocalyptic, e.g. *Test. Benj.* iii τοῦ ἀερίου πνεύματος τοῦ Βελίαρ, cf. *Secrets of Enoch*, xxix. 5. Moreover in Ephesians it is the aerial power or spirit (collectively), not its ruler, to which ἐνεργεῖν belongs.

(5) Barn. iii. 6.

ὁ μακρόθυμος προβλέψας ὡς ἐν ἀκεραιοσύνῃ πιστεύει ὁ λαὸς δὲν ἡτοί-
μασεν ἐν τῷ ἡγαπημένῳ αὐτοῦ, πραε-
φανέρωσεν ἡμῖν περὶ πάντων.

Eph. 1⁴⁻⁶.

καθὼς ἐξελέξατο ἡμᾶς ἐν αὐτῷ πρὸ¹
καταβολῆς κάσμου . . ., προορίσας
ἡμᾶς εἰς νιαθεσίαν διὰ Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ
εἰς αὐτὸν . . ., εἰς ἐπανόν δόξης τῆς
χάριτος αὐτοῦ, ἡς ἐχαρίτωσεν ἡμᾶς ἐν
τῷ ἡγαπημένῳ.

Here the resemblances, turning on *προβλέψας* and *ἡτοίμασεν* ἐν τῷ ἡγαπημένῳ, seem really striking. They can only partly be paralleled from Jewish Apocalyptic¹, which taught that God made the world with a view to His Beloved (People), i.e. faithful Israel. Yet probably ‘the Beloved’ was sometimes applied to Messiah in particular, even in pre-Christian usage (see Charles’s note on *Asc. Isaiae*, i. 4): and so Barnabas uses it himself again in iv. 3, 8.

Hebrews

c

(6) Barn. v. 5 ff. (xiv. 4, xvi. 9).

ἵνα εἰ ὁ Κύριος ὑπέμεινεν παθεῖν
περὶ τῆς ψυχῆς ἡμῶν, δὲν παντὸς τοῦ

Heb. 1² ff., 2⁹ ff. (12², 13¹²).

12² ὑπέμεινε σταυρόν.

13¹² ἔξω τῆς πύλης ἐπαθε.

¹ E.g. 4 Ezra 6⁵⁸ ‘But we thy people, whom thou has called thy First-born, thy Only-begotten, and thy fervent Lover [? Beloved], are given into their hands.’ Comp. Apoc. of Baruch xiv. 18, with Charles’s note.

κόσμου Κύριος, φέπεν ὁ Θεὸς ἀπὸ καταβολῆς κόσμου, Πούστωμεν κτλ. . . πῶς οὖν ὑπέμεινεν ὑπὸ χειρὸς ἀνθρώπων παθεῖν;

6 αὐτὸς δέ, ἵνα καταργήσῃ τὸν θάνατον καὶ τὴν ἐκ νεκρῶν ἀνάστασιν δείξῃ (ὅτι ἐν σαρκὶ ἔδει αὐτὸν φανερωθῆναι), ὑπέμεινεν, ἵνα τοῖς πατράσιν τὴν ἐπαγγελίαν ἀποδῷ, κτλ.

xiv. 4 δι' ἡμᾶς ὑπομείνας.

xvi. 9 αὐτὸς ἐν ἡμῖν κατοικῶν, τοῖς τῷ θανάτῳ δεδουλωμένοις, κτλ.

1²–1³, e. g. σὺ κατ' ἀρχάς, Κύριε, τὴν γῆν ἐθεμελίωσας, κτλ.

2⁹ τὸν δὲ βραχὺ τι παρ' ἀγγέλους ἡλαττωμέναν βλέπομεν, Ἰησοῦν, διὰ τὸ πάθημα τοῦ θανάτου . . . ὅπως . . . ὑπέρ παντὸς γενοῦται θανάτου.

1⁴ ἐπεὶ οὖν τὰ παιδία κεκαινώηκεν ἀμφός καὶ σαρκός, καὶ αὐτὸς παραπλησίως μετέσχε τῶν αὐτῶν, ἵνα διὰ τοῦ θανάτου καταργήσῃ τὸν τὸ κράτος ἔχοντα τοῦ θανάτου . . .

1⁵ αὐτὸν γάρ δῆπον ἀγγέλων ἐπιλαμβάνεται . . .

1⁷ ὅθεν ὥφειλε κατὰ πάντα τοῖς ἀδελφοῖς ὄμοιωθῆναι.

1⁵ (ἵνα) καὶ ἀπαλλάξῃ τούτους, ὅστις φόβῳ θανάτου διὰ παντὸς τοῦ ἦν ἔνοχοι ἥσταν δυσλείας.

Apart from the actual phrasing of ἵνα καταργήσῃ . . . δείξῃ, which recalls also 2 Tim. 1¹⁰ (see (19), below), the points of contact between Barnabas and Heb. 2 in particular seem too important to be accidental. The probability of literary dependence on the side of Barnabas becomes enhanced when we consider the relation of Barn. vi. 17–19 also to Heb. 2^{5–9} (see below), as well as the similar use of the same O. T. quotation, Ps. 21²³, in Barn. vi. 16 and Heb. 2¹² (though the wording differs). Further, Heb. 9⁹, 1³, 3⁹ may well suggest Barnabas's ἵνα τοῖς πατράσιν τὴν ἐπαγγελίαν ἀποδῷ.

(7) Barn. vi. 17–19 (xiv. 5).

ζῆσαμεν κατακυριεύοντες τῆς γῆς . . . εἰ οὖν αὐτὸν γίνεται ταῦτο νῦν, ἄρα ἡμῖν ἔρηκεν πότε· ὅταν καὶ αὐτοὶ τελειωθῶμεν κληρονόμοι τῆς διαθῆκης κυρίου γενέσθαι.

Cf. xiv. 5 ἐφανερώθη δὲ (sc. ὁ Κύριος) ἵνα κάκεῖναι (the Jews) τελειωθῶσιν ταῖς διμαρτήμασιν καὶ ἡμεῖς διὰ τοῦ κληρονομοῦντος διαθῆκην Κυρίου Ἰησοῦν λάβωμεν.

Heb. 2^{5–9}.

. . . πάντα ὑπέταξας ἵποκάτω τῶν ποδῶν αὐτοῦ (sc. ἀνθρώπου) . . . νῦν δὲ οὕπω δρῶμεν αὐτῷ τὰ πάντα ὑποτεταγμένα· τὸν δὲ . . . Ἰησοῦν . . .

Here note the ideas of (1) lordship over things earthly as the destiny of man, (2) its delayed but certain realization, (3) when union with the archetypal Heritor (δν ἔθηκε κληρονόμον πάντων, Heb. 1², cf. Barn. xiv) shall reach its consummation (the

τέλος of the type, x. 11 fin.); and elsewhere the idea that all this was the *rationale* of the Divine Heritor's own 'manifestation' and especially His sufferings : see (6). Nothing short of literary dependence seems to explain the appearance in Barnabas, alone in its age, of so much distinctive of Hebrews, especially as this state of lordship is also conceived as the true Sabbath Rest in a new world (ch. xv, cf. x. 11; Heb. 3^{11, 18}, 4^{1, 9-11}), on which Jesus has already entered (xv. 9). This idea of ἄλλος κόσμος (xv. 8) was a current Jewish one¹, but seems to come to Barnabas through Hebrews with its οἰκουμένη μέλλοντα (ii. 5) and αἰών μέλλων (vi. 5). Further the prominence of the ideas in κληρονόμοι τῆς διαθήκης Κυρίου and διὰ τοῦ κληρονομοῦντος διαθήκην Κυρίου Ἰησοῦ seems to point to Hebrews, which contains more on these lines than all the rest of the N. T. : e.g. Heb. 1² δν ἔθηκεν κληρονόμον πάντων (cf. 1⁴), Barn. iv. 3 ὡν ταχύνη ὁ ἡγαπημένος αὐτοῦ καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν κληρονομίαν ἥξῃ ; Heb. 7²² κρείττονος διαθήκης γέγονεν ἔγγονος Ἰησοῦς (μεσίτης, 8⁶, 9¹⁵, 12²⁴), Barn. iv. 8 ὡν ἡ τοῦ ἡγαπημένου Ἰησοῦ (διαθήκη) ἐνκατασφραγισθῆ εἰς τὴν καρδίαν ἡμῶν (cf. xiii. 1), xiv. 5 δς εἰς τοῦτο ἡτοιμάσθη, ὡν αὐτὸς φανεῖς . . . διάθηται ἐν ἡμῖν διαθήκην λόγῳ ; Heb. 6¹⁷ τοὺς κληρονόμους τῆς ἐπαγγελίας (1¹⁴), 9¹⁵ ὅπως . . . τὴν ἐπαγγελίαν² λάβωσιν οἱ κεκλημένοι τῆς αἰώνιου κληρονομίας, Barn. xiii. 6 τὸν λαὸν τοῦτον . . . τῆς διαθήκης κληρονόμον, xiv. 4 αὐτὸς δὲ Κύριος ἡμῶν ἔδωκεν (τὴν διαθήκην) εἰς λαὸν κληρονομίας. Indeed Heb. 9¹¹⁻¹⁵ seems to underlie Barnabas's whole soteriology : cf. (11).

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(8) Barn. iv. 9-10, 13.

Heb. 4¹, 10²⁴ f.

διὸ προσέχωμεν ἐν ταῖς ἐσχάταις ἡμέραις· οὐδὲν γάρ ὡφελήσει ἡμᾶς ὁ πᾶς χρόνος τῆς ζωῆς ἡμῶν, ἐὰν μὴ νῦν . . . ὡς πρέπει νίοις Θεοῦ, ἀντιστῶμεν . . . Μὴ καθ' ἑαυτοὺς ἐνδύνοντες μονάζετε ὡς ἥδη δεδικαωμένοι, ἀλλ' ἐπὶ τὸ αὐτὸν συνερχόμενοι συνζητεῖτε περὶ τοῦ κοινῆς συμφέροντος . . .

φοβηθῶμεν οὖν μή ποτε, καταλειπομένης ἐπαγγελίας εἰσελθεῖν εἰς τὴν κατάπαυσιν αὐτοῦ, δοκῆ τις εἴς ἡμῶν ὑστερηκέναι.

10²⁴ f. κατανοῶμεν ἀλλήλους εἰς παροξυσμὸν ἀγάπης καὶ καλῶν ἔργων, μὴ ἐγκαταλείποντες τὴν ἐπισυναγωγὴν ἑαυτῶν, καθὼς ἔθος τισίν, ἀλλὰ παρα-

¹ Dalman, *The Words of Jesus*, 177 f.² 'Ἐπαγγελία very frequent in Hebrews, also in Barn. v. 6, vi. 17, xv. 7, xvi. 9 (conjoined with κλῆσις, cf. iv. 14). Observe too the similar use of τέλειος (iv. 3, 11, v. 11, viii. 1, xiii. 7), τελειοῦν (vi. 19, xiv. 5), to express the final or absolute stage of a thing.

13 ἵνα μήποτε ἐπαναπαυόμενοι ὡς καλοῦντες, καὶ τοσαύτῳ μᾶλλον ὅσῳ κλητὸι ἐπικαθυπνώσωμεν ταῖς ἀμαρτίαις βλέπετε ἐγγίζανσαν τὴν ἡμέραν. ἥμῶν.

Note the points in common : (1) the danger of a false sense of security amid temptations against which strenuous vigilance alone can prevail, (2) the value of frequent fellowship and stimulus to good works.

(9) Barn. v. 1.

εἰς ταῦτο γὰρ ὑπέμεινεν δὲ Κύριος παραδάναι τὴν σάρκα εἰς καταφθοράν, ἵνα τῇ ἀφέσει τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν ἀγνοθῶμεν, δὲ ἔστιν ἐν τῷ αἵματι τοῦ ῥαντίσματος αὐτοῦ¹. γέγραπται γὰρ περὶ αὐτοῦ (Isa. 53^{5, 7}) . . .

Heb. 12²⁴, 13¹² (1 Pet. 1²).

καὶ αἵματι ῥαντισμοῦ κρείττον λαλοῦντι παρὰ τὸν Ἀβελ.

13¹² διὸ καὶ Ἰησοῦς, ἵνα ἀγάπησῃ διὰ τοῦ ἴδιου αἵματος τὸν λαόν, ἔξω τῆς πύλης ἔπαθε.

Cf. 1³ καθαρισμὸν τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν πιησάμενος, also 9¹⁵.

1 Pet. 1² ἐκλεκτοῖς παρεπιδήμαις . . . ἐν ἀγιασμῷ Πνεύματος, εἰς ὑπακαήν καὶ ῥαντισμὸν αἵματος Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ.

Here as regards 1 Pet. 1² all depends on the reading adopted ; and as B is quite as likely to be right as C and a version, we must leave the phrase in question out of account. On the other hand the idea of ‘sanctification’ τῇ ἀφέσει τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν (see also viii. 1 ῥαντίζει . . . τὸν λαόν, ἵνα ἀγνίζωνται ἀπὸ τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν; cf. Heb. 1³, 2¹¹, 9²², 10¹⁸), achieved by blood of sprinkling (13^{11 f.}, cf. 9¹³, 19, 21, 10²²), is far more characteristic of Hebrews than of 1 Peter. Hence this passage also must be added to those suggesting the influence of Hebrews (cf. Barn. v. 5 f., 10 f., viii. 1, 3).

(10) Barn. vi. 19.

ὅταν καὶ αὐτοὶ τελειωθῶμεν κληρονόμοι τῆς διαθῆκης κυρίου γενέσθαι.

Heb. 6¹.

ἐπὶ τὴν τελειότητα φερόμεθα.
Cf. 12²⁵ πνεύμασι δικαίων τετελεωμένων.

The idea of τελειότης underlying these passages is similar, and is one highly characteristic of Hebrews ; see 2¹⁰ διὰ παθημάτων τελειώσαι, 5⁹, 7²⁸ νιὸν εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τετελειωμένον, 9⁹, 10^{1, 14}, 11⁴⁰. It corresponds to δικαιωθῆναι in Barn. iv. 10, xv. 7.

¹ v. l. ἐν τῷ ῥαντίσματι αὐτοῦ τοῦ αἵματος, C, cf. Lat. ‘sparsione sanguinis illius.’

(11) Barn. viii. 1 ff., xiv. 4-6.

τίνα δὲ δοκεῖτε τύπον εἶναι, ὅτι ἐντέταλται τῷ Ἰσραὴλ προσφέρειν δάμαλιν . . . καὶ οὕτως ῥαντίζειν τὰ παιδία καθ' ἓν τὸν λαόν, ἵνα ἀγνίζωνται ἀπὸ τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν . . . δό μόσχος ὁ Ἰησοῦς ἐστίν . . . οἱ ῥωτίζοντες παῖδες οἱ εὐαγγελισάμενοι ἡμῖν τὴν ἀφεσιν τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν καὶ τῶν ἀγνισμῶν τῆς καρδίας.

xiv. 5-6 ἐφανερώθη δέ, ἵνα . . . ἡμεῖς διὰ τοῦ κληρονομοῦντος διαθήκην Κυρίου Ἰησοῦ λάβωμεν, ὃς εἰς τοῦτο ἡτοιμάσθη ἵνα αὐτὸς φανείσ . . . διάθηται ἐν ἡμῖν διαθήκην λόγῳ.

xiv. 4. Μωϋσῆς θεράπων ὁν ἔλαβεν, αὐτὸς δὲ ὁ Κύρος ἡμῶν ἔδωκεν εἰς λαὸν κληρονομίας, δι' ἡμᾶς ὑπομείνας.

Heb. 9¹³ ff., 3⁵ f.

εἰ γάρ τὸ αἷμα τράγων καὶ ταύρων καὶ σπαδὸς δαμάλεως . . . ῥαντίζοντα . . . ἀγιάζει . . . πόσῳ μᾶλλον τὸ αἷμα τοῦ Χριστοῦ . . . καθαρεῖ τὴν συνείδησιν ὑμῶν ἀπὸ νεκρῶν ἔργων . . .

¹⁶ καὶ διὰ τοῦτο διαθήκης καιῆς μεσίτης ἐστίν, ὅπως, θαύάτου γενομένου εἰς ἀπολύτρωσιν τῶν ἐπὶ τῇ πρώτῃ διαθήκῃ παραβάσεων, τὴν ἐπαγγελίαν λάβωσιν οἱ κεκλημένοι τῆς αἰώνιους κληρονομίας.

Cf. 12²⁴ διαθήκης νέας μεσίτης Ἰησοῦ.

3⁵ f. καὶ Μωσῆς μὲν πιστὸς ἐν ὅλῳ τῷ οἴκῳ αὐτοῦ (sc. τοῦ Θεοῦ) ὡς θεράπων . . . Χριστὸς δὲ ὡς νιὸς ἐπὶ τὸν οἴκον αὐτοῦ· οὐδὲν οἰκός ἐσμεν ἡμεῖς.

Here, no doubt, there are elements peculiar to Barnabas, especially certain ritual details in viii. 1. Still he lays emphasis on the very points of contact between the Old and New Covenants which Hebrews also sets in relief, i.e. the ritual of the Heifer and the Covenant bequeathed by Jesus as the Son and Heir, as distinct from Moses who was only God's θεράπων in all his action (quite another turn being given to the idea 'servant of God' than that in Exod. 14³¹, Num. 12⁸, Joshua 1²). The probability of dependence on Hebrews is moreover increased by a like emphasis on the Rest of God (see below).

(12) Barn. xv.

Heb. 4¹⁻¹¹.

Barnabas is concerned primarily with the *hallowing* of the Sabbath, as something to find fulfilment in Christianity, as distinct from Judaism, in the Messianic Age soon to dawn. But he may have got his idea of its rest, e.g. τότε καλῶς καταπαυόμενοι ἀγιάσομεν αὐτὴν . . . αὐτοὶ δικαιωθέντες καὶ ἀπολαβόντες τὴν ἐπαγγελίαν . . . αὐτοὶ ἀγιασθέντες πρῶτον, from the treatment of σαββατισμὸς τῷ λαῷ τοῦ Θεοῦ in Heb. 4, e.g. 10 f. See further (7).

[Barn. i. 8, iv. 9 a, xxii. 2, 7 and Heb. 12²², 18 f., present some similarities in the writer's attitude to his readers.]

On the whole, then, the passages severally marked as *d* seem to amount cumulatively to *c*, as suggesting that Hebrews influenced Barnabas's thinking and language in various ways. Even Barnabas's ἐν σαρκὶ φανεροῦσθαι and its relation to Christ's Passion has its parallel in Heb. 9²⁶ εἰς ἀθέτησιν ἀμαρτίας διὰ τῆς θυσίας αὐτοῦ πεφανέρωται, read in the light of 2¹⁴, 5⁷ ἐν ταῖς ἡμέραις τῆς σαρκὸς αὐτοῦ, and 10²⁰.

D

i Corinthians

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(13) Barn. iv. 11.

λέγει γάρ ἡ γραφή· Οὐαὶ οἱ συνετοὶ ἑαυτοῖς καὶ ἐνώπιον ἑαυτῶν ἐπιστήμονες· γενώμεθα πνευματικοί, γενώμεθα ναὸς τέλειως τῷ θεῷ.

i Cor. 3^{1, 16, 18 ff.}

οὐκ ἡδυνήθην λαλῆσαι ὑμῖν ὡς πνευματικοί· . . . οὐκ οἴδατε ὅτι ναὸς Θεοῦ ἔστε . . . εἴ τις δοκεῖ σοφὸς ἐναινεῖ ἐν ὑμῖν . . . μωρὸς γενέσθω, ἵνα γένηται σοφός . . . γέγραπται γάρ (Job 5¹³; Ps. 94¹¹).

Here the conjunction of ideas at first seems striking, because self-sufficiency, unspirituality, and God's true temple, do not obviously suggest each other; and the citation of very similar passages from the O. T. perhaps adds to the appearance of dependence. Yet on closer examination it appears that Barnabas means by *πνευματικός* that obedience to God's ἐντολαὶ as a whole which he goes on to demand, the opposite of drowsing in sins; so that in fact it is the same as ἀγαθός in § 12.

2 Corinthians

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(14) Barn. iv. 11 f.

μελετῶμεν τὸν φόβον τοῦ Θεοῦ . . . 'Ο Κύριας ἀπροσωπολήμπτως κρινεῖ τὸν κόσμον' ἔκαστος καθὼς ἐποίησεν κομιεῖται· ἔαν δὲ ἀγαθός, ἡ δικαιοσύνη αὐτοῦ προηγήσεται αὐτοῦ· ἔαν δὲ πονηρός, δι μισθὸς τῆς πανηρίας ἐμπροσθεν αὐτοῦ.

2 Cor. 5¹⁰ (i Pet. 1¹⁷).

τοὺς γάρ πάντας ἡμᾶς φανερωθῆναι δεῖ ἐμπροσθεν τοῦ βῆματος ταῦ Χριστοῦ, ἵνα κομίσηται ἔκαστος τὰ διὰ τοῦ σώματος, πρὸς ἡ ἐπριξεν, εἴτε ἀγαθόν, εἴτε φαῦλον. εἰδότες οὖν τὸν φόβον τοῦ Κυρίου ἀνθρώπους πείθομεν.

i Pet. 1¹⁷ καὶ εἰ πατέρα ἐπεκλείσθε τὸν ἀπροσωπολήμπτως κρίνοντα κατὰ τὸ ἔκαστον ἔργον, ἐν φόβῳ . . . ἀναστράφητε.

Against the obvious resemblance in word and idea to 2 Corinthians must be set the reference to a man's recompense becoming patent before his eyes (cf. Isa. 58⁸, cited in iii. 4),

which rather suggests some other source, possibly known to both. This view gains some support from 1 Pet. 1¹⁷, which affords a close parallel to Barnabas's δέ Κύριος ἀπροσωπολήμπτως κριωεῖ, a sentiment echoed in Rom. 2¹¹ οὐ γάρ ἐστι προσωποληψία παρὰ τῷ Θεῷ. It is to be noted, too, that in the context of all these writers 'fear' of God is present (as in a similar passage in Hipp. περὶ τῆς συντελείας, 39).

*Colossians***d**

(15) Barn. vi. 12 f.

ώς λέγει τῷ νίῳ· Ποιήσωμεν κατ'
εἰκόνα καὶ καθ' ὅμοιώσιν ἡμῶν τὸν
ἄνθρωπον . . . Δευτέραν πλάσιν ἐπ'
ἐσχάτων ἐποίησεν λέγει δὲ Κύριος
'Ιδού, ποιῶ τὰ ἔσχατα ὡς τὰ πρῶτα.

Col. 3^{9 f.}

ἀπεκδυσάμενοι τὸν παλαιὸν ἄνθρω-
πον σὺν ταῖς πράξεσιν αὐτοῦ, καὶ
ἔνδυσάμενοι τὸν νέον τὸν ἀνακαινού-
μενον εἰς ἐπίγνωσιν κατ' εἰκόνα τοῦ
κτίσαντος αὐτὸν.

The common reference to renewal *κατ' εἰκόνα* can count for little in view of the different contextual ideas: see also (3).

(16) Barn. xii. 7.

ἔχεις πάλιν καὶ ἐν ταύταις (sc.
the Brazen Serpent) τὴν δόξαν
τοῦ Ἰησοῦ, ὅτι ἐν αὐτῷ πάντα καὶ εἰς
αὐτὸν.

Col. 1^{16 f.}

τὰ πάντα δι' αὐτοῦ καὶ εἰς αὐτὸν
ἐκπισταὶ· καὶ αὐτός ἐστι πρὸ πάντων
καὶ τὰ πάντα ἐν αὐτῷ συνέστηκε.

It is to be observed that the scope of the words common to the two is in Barnabas much narrower, viz. typological, ὅτι πάντα δέ πατὴρ φανεροῦ περὶ τοῦ νίου Ἰησοῦ, as he says just below. Yet he may be echoing a striking phrase, for all that.

*1 Timothy***d**

(17) Barn. v. 9.

τοὺς ἰδίους ἀποστόλους . . . ὅντας
ὑπὲρ πᾶσαν ἀμαρτίαν ἀνομωτέρους, ἵνα
δείξῃ ὅτι οὐκ ἥλθεν καλέσαι δικαίους
ἀλλὰ ἀμαρτωλούς.

1 Tim. 1^{15 f.}

πιστὸς δὲ λόγος . . . , ὅτι Χριστὸς
Ἰησοῦς ἥλθεν εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἀμαρ-
τωλοὺς σῶσαι—ὅν πρῶτος εἶμι ἔγω·
ἀλλὰ διὰ τοῦτο ἥλεθην, ἵνα ἐν ἐμοὶ
πρῶτῳ ἐνδείξηται Ἰησοῦς Χριστὸς τὴν
ἅπασαν μακροθυμίαν . . .

The relation of Barnabas's οὐκ ἥλθον, κτλ., to our Synoptics is discussed under (31). But the application of this principle to Apostles in particular, as palmary proof (*ἐνδείξις*) of the Saviour's grace—a bold idea—is so parallel to 1 Tim. 1^{15 f.} as to suggest that the latter prompted Barnabas's thought.

(18) Barn. v. 6.

—ὅτι ἐν σαρκὶ ἔδει αὐτὸν φανερωθῆναι—

1 Tim. 3¹⁶.

οὐδολογουμένως μέγα ἐστὶ τὸ τῆς εὐσεβείας μυστήριον—ὅς ἐφανερώθη ἐν σαρκὶ . . .

1 Tim. 3¹⁶ certainly affords the most striking N.T. parallel to the recurring phrase in Barnabas. But as it is itself probably quoting a current liturgical form, literary dependence cannot be pressed either way: see also (19).

2 Timothy

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(19) Barn. v. 6.

αὐτὸς δέ, ἵνα καταργήσῃ τὸν θάνατον καὶ τὴν ἐκ νεκρῶν ἀνάστασιν δείξῃ —ὅτι ἐν σαρκὶ ἔδει αὐτὸν φανερωθῆναι —ὑπέμεινεν.

2 Tim. 1¹⁰.

(χάριν τὴν . . .) φανερωθεῖσαν δὲ νῦν διὰ τῆς ἐπιφανείας τοῦ σωτῆρος ἡμῶν Χριστοῦ Ἰησοῦ, καταργήσαντος μὲν τὸν θάνατον φωτίσαντος δὲ ζωὴν καὶ ἀφθαρσίαν διὰ τοῦ εὐαγγελίου.

Comp. 1 Tim. 3¹⁶ ὃς ἐφανερώθη ἐν σαρκὶ.1 Pet. 1²⁰.

φανερωθέντος δὲ ἐπ' ἐσχάτου τῶν χρόνων δι' ἡμᾶς τοὺς δι' αὐτοῦ πιστούς εἰς Θεὸν τὸν ἐγείραντα αὐτὸν ἐκ νεκρῶν.

In both 2 Timothy and 1 Peter we have the conjunction of two ideas prominent in Barn. v. 6. The degree of likeness, however, to 2 Timothy is greater, and is supported by 1 Timothy, though there is some additional evidence that Barnabas used 1 Peter; see (23), (24). As regards the phrase *ἐν σαρκὶ φανεροῦσθαι* in Barnabas, its frequency (see vi. 7, 9, 14, xii. 10, cf. xiv. 5) calls for special notice. Its occurrence in 1 Tim. 3¹⁶, in what looks like a rhythmical hymn (Eph. 5^{19 f.}; Col. 3^{16 f.}) or liturgical form, implies that the idea of the incarnation as a ‘manifestation’ (*ἐπιφάνεια*) of a Divine Saviour was fairly general (see Heb. 5⁷, 9²⁶, cf. 1 Pet. 1²⁰; 2 Tim. 1¹⁰; Titus 2¹¹) in the later apostolic age, long before the Fourth Gospel appeared. Such a usage in Barnabas’s region may explain the hold the idea has on him. But the conjunction in Barnabas of the two ideas blended in the latter half of 2 Tim. 1¹⁰ is striking, and suggests literary connexion, unless here also the same holds as is probable in *ἐν σαρκὶ φανερωθῆναι*.

(20) Barn. vii. 2.

εἰ οὖν ὁ νῦν τοῦ Θεοῦ, ὁν Κύριος καὶ μέλλων κρίνειν ζῶντας καὶ νεκρούς, ἔπαθεν, κτλ.

Here in both cases a common formula of Christain faith seems to be cited; cf. 1 Pet. 4⁵; Acts 10⁴²; Polyc. ad Phil. ii. 1; 2 Clem. i. 1.

*Titus***d**

(21) Barn. i. 3, 4, 6.

ἀληθῶς βλέπω ἐν ὑμῖν ἐκκεχυμένου ἀπὸ τοῦ πλουσίου τῆς πτηγῆς Κυρίου πνεῦμα ἐφ' ὑμᾶς . . . ἐλπίδι ζωῆς αὐτοῦ (C ἐπ' ἐλπίδι) . . . ζωῆς ἐλπίς, ἀρχὴ καὶ τέλος πίστεως ἡμῶν.

Titus 3^{5 ff.}, 1².

ἔσωσεν ἡμᾶς διὰ λοντροῦ παλιγγενεσίας καὶ ἀνακαυνώσεως Πνεύματος ἀγίου, σὺν ἐξέχεεν ἐφ' ἡμᾶς πλουσίως διὰ Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ τοῦ σωτῆρος ἡμῶν, ἵνα δικαιωθέντες τῇ ἐκείνου χάριτι κληρονόμοι γενηθῶμεν κατ' ἐλπίδα ζωῆς αἰωνίου.

1² ἐπ' ἐλπίδι ζωῆς αἰωνίου.

The parallelism of language is considerable, as also of thought. To Barnabas the presence of salvation as evidenced by the effusion of the Spirit; while, just below, he refers to 'hope of life' eternal, in the phrase ἐλπίδι ζωῆς αὐτοῦ—a phrase characteristic of Titus (here, and in 1² ἐπ' ἐλπίδι ζωῆς αἰωνίου, to which C seems assimilated in Barn. i. 4). Yet this may well be part of his own way of thinking, in view of i. 6, cf. iv. 8 ἐπ' ἐλπίδι τῆς πίστεως αὐτοῦ.

(22) Barn. xiv. 5 f.

ὅς εἰς τοῦτο ἡτοιμάσθη, ἵνα αὐτὸς φανεῖς τὰς ἥδη δεδαπανημένας ἡμῶν καρδίας τῷ θανάτῳ καὶ παραδεδομένας τῇ τῆς πλάνης ἀνομίᾳ λυτρωσάμενος . . . λυτρωσάμενον ἡμᾶς ἐκ τοῦ σκότους ἐτοιμάσαι ἔαυτῷ λαὸν ἄγιον.

Cf. v. 7 αὐτὸς ἔαυτῷ τὸν λαὸν τὸν καὶ ἀνὴρ ἐτοιμάζων.

Here the idea of Christ preparing for *Himself* a special people, by redeeming it from ἀνομίᾳ, is present in both writings in rather similar language, and so far strengthens the presumption created by (21).

*1 Peter***d**

(23) Barn. v. 5, 6, vi. 7.

πῶς οὐν ὑπέμεινεν ὑπὸ χειρὸς ἀνθρώπων παθεῖν; μάθετε. οἱ προ-

I Pet. 1^{10 f.}

περὶ ἃς σωτηρίας ἐξεζήτησαν καὶ ἐξηρεύνησαν προφῆται οἱ περὶ τῆς εἰς

φῆται, ἀπὸ αὐτοῦ ἔχοντες τὴν χάριν, εἰς αὐτὸν ἐπροφήτευσαν. αὐτὸς δὲ ἵνα καταργήσῃ τὸν θάνατον καὶ τὴν ἐκ νεκρῶν ἀνάστασιν δεῖξῃ, διτὶ ἐν σαρκὶ ἔδει αὐτὸν φανερωθῆναι, ὑπέμεινεν, ἵνα καὶ τοῖς πατράσιν τὴν ἐπαγγελίαν ἀποδῷ, κτλ.

Cf. vi. 7 ἐν σαρκὶ οὐν αὐτοῦ μέλλοντος φανεροῦσθαι καὶ πάσχειν, προεφανερώθη τὸ πάθος. Cf. vii. 7, xii. 8, 10.

In Barn. v. 5, 6 the parallelism with 1 Peter is twofold; (1) prophecy foreshadows Christ's passion and its sequel, and (2) this is due to grace proceeding from Christ Himself. (1) is an idea native to Barnabas's own thought (see the parallels); but (2) is noteworthy.

(24) Barn. vi. 2-4.

1 Pet. 2⁶⁻⁸.

καὶ πάλιν λέγει ὁ προφήτης [Isa. 50^{8 f.} has been quoted], ἐπεὶ ὡς λίθος ἰσχυρὸς ἐτέθη εἰς συντριβήν· Ιδού, ἐμβαλῶ κτλ. (Isa. 28¹⁶). διότι περιέχει ἐν γραφῇ, Ἰδού, τίθημι ἐν Σάων λίθον ἀκρογωνιαῖσιν κτλ. (Isa. 28¹⁶).

Though Barnabas and 1 Peter cite the same passage from Isaiah (with textual variation) and Psalm 118²², they use them rather differently, as is shown by Barnabas's *εἰς συντριβήν*, probably suggested by Isa. 8¹⁵ καὶ συντριβήσονται. Comp. Rom. 9³³ for the idea of Jesus as ὁ λίθος τοῦ προσκόμματος of Isa. 28¹⁶.

Other seeming parallels have been treated in other connexions: 1 Pet. 1² under (9), 1¹⁷ under (14), 1²⁰ under (19).

Considered, but set aside.

1 Cor. 3^{16 f.}; cf. 6¹⁹; see (3).

Gal. 4^{21 ff.}; Barn. xiii (where Isaac's sons, not Abraham's, are the types).

1 Tim. 5^{24 f.}; Barn. iv. 12.

2 Pet. 3⁸ cannot be cited as affecting Barn. xv. 4 αὐτὸς δέ μοι μαρτυρεῖ Ἰδού, ἡμέρα Κυρίου (v. 1. σήμερον ἡμέρα) ἔσται ὡς χλια ἔτη; for such exegesis of Ps. 90⁴ seems to have become a commonplace of Judaism (cf. Charles's note on *The Book of the Secrets of Enoch*, xxxiii. 1, 2).

1 John 4², cf. 2 John 7, cannot be treated as influencing

Barn. v. 10 f. ἡλθεν ἐν σαρκὶ, especially in view of what is said under (19): see also (41).

The greeting in Barn. xxi. 9 recalls several N. T. epistles. Ο Κύριος τῆς δόξης (see 1 Cor. 2⁸; James 2¹, also Acts 7² ὁ Θεὸς τῆς δόξης, cf. Ps. 28³) καὶ πάσης χάριτος finds its most striking parallel in 1 Pet. 5¹⁰ ὁ δὲ Θεὸς πάσης χάριτος, ὁ καλέσας ὑμᾶς εἰς τὴν αἰώνιον αὐτοῦ δόξαιν ἐν Χριστῷ. But the similar thought in 2 Cor. 1³ suggests that here too it is a common fund that is being drawn on by all; while the μετὰ τοῦ πνεύματος ὑμῶν, found also in Gal. 6¹⁸; Phil. 4²³; Philem. 25, may be a recognized epistolary phrase.

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Apocalypse

(25) Barn. vi. 13.

Apoc. 21⁵.

λέγει δὲ Κύριος· Ἰδού, ποιῶ τὰ καὶ εἰπεν ὁ καθήμενος ἐπὶ τῷ ἔσχατα ὡς τὰ πρῶτα. θρόνῳ, Ἰδού, καὶ ποιῶ πάντα.

Isa. 43¹⁹ ἵδον ἐγὼ ποιῶ καὶ ἀνατελεῖ.

That Barnabas, at least, cites an apocryphal source is made highly probable by the *Didascalia* (ed. Haurer, p. 75), ‘Nam id dictum est, Ecce facio prima sicut novissima et novissima sicut prima.’

(26) Barn. vii. 9.

Apoc. 1^{7, 18}.

ἐπειδὴ ὄψονται αὐτὸν τότε τῇ ἡμέρᾳ ἵδον, ἔρχεται μετὰ τῶν νεφελῶν, τὸν ποδήρη ἔχοντα τὸν κόκκινον περὶ καὶ ὄψεται αὐτὸν πᾶς ὁφθαλμός, καὶ τὴν σάρκα καὶ ἑρόντων. Οὐχ οὐτός αἴτινες αὐτὸν ἔξεκέντησαν . . . ἐστιν ὃν ποτε ἡμεῖς ἐσταυρώσαμεν . . . καὶ ἐπιστρέψας εἰδον . . . ὅμοιον κατακεντήσαντες . . .;

νιῷ ἀνθρώπου, ἐνδεδυμένον ποδήρη . . .

The main reference in Barnabas is certainly to the situation described in our Gospels; see (37). Moreover common knowledge of Zech. 12¹⁰ (Heb. and LXX cod. Γ) and the reference seen in it by early Christians (cf. John 19³⁷ καὶ πάλιν ἐτέρα γραφὴ λέγει, “Οψονται εἰς ὃν ἔξεκέντησαν”) will serve to explain other features common to our two passages. But the substantival use of ποδήρη, found in the N. T. only in Apoc. 1¹³, might suggest that Barnabas’s language was unconsciously influenced by this passage also. Yet see Eccl. 27⁸ καὶ ἐνδύσῃ αὐτὸν (τὸ δίκαιον) ὡς ποδήρη δόξης, a passage which also implies that ποδήρης was a word of dignified associations, fitting it for Barnabas’s purpose.

(27) Barn. xxi. 3.

Apoc. 22^{10, 12}.

ἐγγύς ὁ Κύριος καὶ ὁ μισθὸς αὐτοῦ. ὁ καιρὸς γὰρ ἐγγύς ἔστιν . . . ἵδον
ἔρχομαι ταχὺ καὶ ὁ μισθὸς μου μετ' ἐμοῦ.

LXX Isa. 40¹⁰ ἵδον Κύριος, Κύριος (om. κς 2° Ν*ΑQΓ) μετὰ
ἰσχύος ἔρχεται . . . ἵδον ὁ μισθὸς αὐτοῦ μετ' αὐτοῦ. Here Barnabas,
while not intending an exact quotation, seems to have Isa. 40
in mind. Perhaps his use of ἐγγύς is due to its presence in the
line before, ἐγγύς γὰρ ἡ ἡμέρα κτλ. Comp. 1 Clem. xxxiv. 3
προλέγει γὰρ ἡμῖν· Ἰδού δὲ Κύριος, καὶ ὁ μισθὸς αὐτοῦ πρὸ προσώπου
αὐτοῦ, κτλ., and see 1 Clem. (54).

GOSPELS.

(I) The Synoptic Gospels.

Against Barnabas's knowledge of our Synoptic Gospels (and Acts) there is one piece of negative evidence which deserves attention. In xv. 9 he argues, against the observance of the Jewish Sabbath, that the Christian day of glad festival is 'the eighth day,' ἐν ᾧ καὶ ὁ ἱησοῦς ἀνέστη ἐκ νεκρῶν καὶ
φανερωθεὶς ἀνέβη εἰς οὐρανούς. Here, quite apart from all disputes as to whether Barnabas's words must needs imply that the Ascension of Jesus, after an act of self-manifestation (φανερωθεὶς), was on the self-same Sunday as the Resurrection, we have to consider whether Barnabas would even have used language so ambiguous (to say the least), if he had known any of our Synoptics—unless it were Luke, before Acts (see 1³) had come into his hands. This difficulty must be borne in mind in estimating the final effect of the positive evidence adduced below: see also (31), (33) for other negative indications¹. It tells specially against the view that any Gospel whose authority counted for so little, would be cited with ὡς γέγραπται (29).

Matthew

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(28) Barn. vii. 3.

Matt. 27¹⁴.

ἀλλὰ καὶ σταυρωθεὶς ἐποτίζετο ὅξει ἔδωκαν αὐτῷ πιεῖν οἶνον μετὰ χολῆς
καὶ χολῆς. μεμιγμένον.

Ps. 68²² καὶ ἔδωκαν εἰς τὸ βρῶμά μου χολήν, καὶ εἰς τὴν δίψαν
μου ἐπότισάν με ὅξος.

¹ Cunningham, *Epistle of Barnabas*, xciii, cites also the discussion of the Sabbath in ch. xv, where 'we find not the most distant allusion to the narratives of Matt. 12, or the emphatic declarations of vv. 6, 12, of that chapter.'

Matthew alone of the Gospels refers to χολή: but it and Barnabas seem to represent independent traditions influenced by Ps. 68, Barnabas being nearest to its wording (*ποτίζει*, ὅξος). Further Barnabas must have in view the Synoptic incident in Matt. 27⁴⁸; Mark 15³⁶; (John 19^{29 f.}), not that of Matt. 27³⁴, which preceded the Crucifixion. And in general, Barnabas's handling of the Passion in terms of O. T. types, especially from the Psalms, seems parallel to, rather than dependent on, Matthew's narrative (cf. Luke 23¹¹; Barn. vii. 9 ἐξουθενεῖν): see further under John ¹.

(29) Barn. iv. 14.

Matt. 22¹⁴.

προσέχωμεν μήποτε, ὡς γέγραπται, πολλοὶ γάρ εἰσι κλητοί, ὀλίγοι δὲ πολλοὶ κλητοί, ὀλίγοι δὲ ἐκλεκτοὶ ἐκλεκτοί.
εὑρέθωμεν.

Here we may set aside the idea of direct dependence on 4 Ezra 8³ πολλοὶ μὲν ἐκτίσθησαν, ὀλίγοι δὲ σωθήσονται (or Greek to that effect). But taken along with 10⁵⁷ σὺ γὰρ μακάριος εἶ ὑπὲρ πολλούς, καὶ κατ' ὄνομα ἐκλήθης παρὰ τῷ Τύποιστῷ καθὼς καὶ ὀλίγοι, this passage points to a familiar maxim, akin to Barnabas's quotation, as lying behind both 8³ and 10⁵⁷. In 8³ it would naturally be adapted to its context, which speaks of God's creative action, cf. 8¹ 'The Most High hath made this world for many, but the world to come for few'—where the same antithesis is implied. In this light, Barnabas and Matthew probably draw on a common source for the saying, whose proverbial character seems proved by its addition to Matt. 20¹⁶ in some copies (CDN Latt. Syrr. Arm. Aeth. Orig.). There, too, Syr. Sin. and Pesh. omit the γάρ found in Matt. 22¹⁴, as if it were no part of the familiar maxim. Where it was 'written' we cannot now say. But ὡς γέγραπται in Barnabas by no means excludes an apocryphal work; witness λέγει γάρ ἡ γραφή, of *Enoch* in xvi. 5 (cf. vi. 13). So in xii. 1 an apocryphal dictum, somewhat akin to 4 Ezra 5⁵, is cited with ὅριζει ἐν ἄλλῳ προφῆτῃ. Of course the improbability of ὡς γέγραπται being used to cite one of our Gospels (a narrative,

¹ Compare Sanday, *Gospels in the Second Century*, 272: 'We know that types and prophecies were eagerly sought out by the early Christians, and were soon collected in a kind of common stock from which every one drew at his pleasure.'

not a ‘prophetic,’ writing), varies in degree as we put Barnabas early or late. On the other hand, Barnabas may have known the maxim in connexion with the parable of the Wedding Feast, and thence derive its exact wording, while yet thinking of it as occurring in a prophetic ‘scripture.’

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Luke

(30) Barn. v. 9.

ὅτε δὲ τοὺς ἰδίους ἀποστόλους τοὺς μέλλοντας κηρύσσειν τὸ εὐαγγῆλιον αὐτοῦ ἐξελέξατο, ὅντας ὑπὲρ πᾶσαν ἀμαρτίαν ἀνομωτέρους . . .

Luke 5^b.

ἔξελθε ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, ὅτι ἀνὴρ ἀμαρ-

τωλός είμι, Κύριε.

Peter’s exclamation might possibly contribute, like 1 Tim. 1^{15 f.}, to suggest Barnabas’s turn of thought; see (17), (31).

(II) The Synoptic Tradition.

(31) Barn. v. 9.

Matt. 9^{11, 13}; Mark 2^{16 f.}
(Luke 5³²).

ὅτε δὲ τοὺς ἰδίους ἀποστόλους τοὺς μέλλοντας κηρύσσειν τὸ εὐαγγῆλιον αὐτοῦ ἐξελέξατο, ὅντας ὑπὲρ πᾶσαν ἀμαρτίαν ἀνομωτέρους, ἵνα δεῖξῃ ὅτι οὐκ ἥλθεν καλέσαι δικαίους ἀλλὰ ἀμαρτωλούς, τότε ἐφανέρωσεν ἑαυτὸν εἶναι νῦν Θεοῦ.

ἔλεγον τοῖς μαθηταῖς αὐτοῦ, Διατί
(ὅτι) μετὰ τῶν τελωνῶν καὶ ἀμαρ-

τωλῶν ἐσθίει . . . ; δ δὲ ἀκούσας εἶπεν

. . . οὐ (γάρ) ἥλθον καλέσαι δικαίους

ἀλλὰ ἀμαρτωλούς.

This points to knowledge of a Logian tradition only partly parallel to the tradition common to our Synoptics; for the inference as to the sinful character of the *Apostles* is excluded by the context of all three Synoptists (including Luke, who adds *εἰς μετάνοιαν*), as well as by the general impression which they convey. That the saying, in a more or less detached form, was a familiar *λόγος* among Christians, is both likely and is implied by 1 Tim. 1¹⁵ πιστὸς ὁ λόγος καὶ πάσης ἀποδοχῆς ἄξιος, ὅτι Χριστὸς Ἰησοῦς ἥλθεν εἰς τὸν κόσμον ἀμαρτωλοὺς σῶσαι (see further under (17)): compare the way Barnabas continues, εἰ γὰρ μὴ ἥλθεν ἐν σαρκὶ, πῶς ἀν ἐσώθησαν οἱ ἀνθρώποι βλέποντες αὐτόν. That there was no basis for Barnabas’s idea in any apocryphal writing is so far proved by Origen, *Contra Celsum*, i. 63, where he traces a similar suggestion to the passage in Barnabas.

(32) Barn. v. 11.

οὐκοῦν ὁ νῖος τοῦ Θεοῦ εἰς τοῦτο ἐν σαρκὶ ἥλθεν, ἵνα τὸ τέλειον τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν ἀνακεφαλαιώσῃ τοῖς διώξασιν ἐν θανάτῳ τοὺς προφήτας αὐτοῦ. οὐκοῦν

Matt. 23³⁴ f. (Luke 11⁴⁹ f.).

διὰ τοῦτο, ἴδού, ἐγὼ ἀποστέλλω πρὸς ὑμᾶς προφήτας . . . ὅπως ἔλθῃ ἐφ' ὑμᾶς πᾶν αἷμα δίκαιου ἐκχυνθέμενον ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς . . .

The general idea is the same, though not its exact application.

(33) Barn. v. 12.

λέγει γάρ δὲ Θεὸς τὴν πληγὴν τῆς σαρκὸς αὐτοῦ ὅτι ἐξ αὐτῶν ὅταν

Matt. 26³¹; Mark 14²⁷.

γέγραπται γάρ, Πατάξω τὸν ποιμένα καὶ διασκορπισθήσεται τὰ πρόβατα τῆς παταξίδησης τὸν ποιμένα ἑαυτῶν, τότε ποίμνης.

ἀπολεῖται τὰ πρόβατα τῆς ποίμνης.

Cod. A of LXX has all the textual agreements here presented. As the application in Barnabas (*ὅτι ἐξ αὐτῶν*, sc. the Jews) is quite foreign to Matthew and Mark, it looks as if he were unaware of any setting such as theirs.

(34) Barn. vi. 6.

Matt. 27³⁵; Mark 15²⁴;
Luke 23³⁴.

The casting of lots on Christ's garments is common to all our Gospels (including John 19²⁴). Barnabas quotes Ps. 21 for it and further Messianic touches.

(35) Barn. vi. 11.

ἐπεὶ οὖν ἀνακανίστας ἡμᾶς ἐν τῇ ἀφέσει τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν ἐποίησεν ἡμᾶς ἄλλου τύπου, ὡς παιδίων ἔχειν τὴν ψυχήν, ὡς ἀν δὴ ἀνοπλάσταντος αὐτοῦ ἡμᾶς . . .

Is the clause ὡς παιδίων ἔχειν τὴν ψυχήν due merely to the 'parable' which Barnabas sees in the promise as to entrance into 'a land of milk and honey'; or is it only in the light of the idea of Christians as childlike in heart (cf. viii. 1, 3) that he perceives the parable as latent in this phrase? If the latter, then one of Christ's *logia* seems presupposed, e. g. ἀφετε τὰ παιδία . . . τῶν γάρ τοιούτων ἐστὶν ἡ βασιλεία τοῦ Θεοῦ (Mark 10¹⁴; Luke 18¹⁶, cf. Matt. 19¹⁴), which gains special emphasis in Mark and Luke by the added words, 'Αμὴν λέγω ὑμῖν, διὸ ἐὰν μὴ δέξηται τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ Θεοῦ ὡς παιδίον, οὐ μὴ εἰσέλθῃ εἰς αὐτήν (cf. also Matt. 18³).

(36) Barn. vii. 3: see (37).

(37) Barn. vii. 9.

Matt. 27²⁸; Mark 15¹⁷.

... ἐπειδὴ δύονται αὐτὸν τότε
τῇ ἡμέρᾳ τὸν ποδῆρη ἔχοντα τὸν
κόκκινον περὶ τὴν σάρκα, καὶ ἐροῦσιν,
Οὐχ οὖτός ἐστιν ὃν ποτε ἡμεῖς ἐσταυρώ-
σαμεν ἔξουθενήσαντες καὶ κατακεντή-
σαντες καὶ ἐμπτύσαντες; ἀληθῶς οὐτοῦ
ἡν δ τότε λέγων ἑαυτὸν νιὸν Θεοῦ
εἶναι.

Matt. 26^{68 f.}; Mark 14^{61 f.};
Luke 22^{68 f.}

As to the incident of the ‘red robe,’ it forms part of the Synoptic tradition (see also John 19²): the agreement between Barnabas and Matthew in the use of *κόκκινος* (Mark *πορφύραν*, John *ἱμάτιον πορφυροῦν*) is due to Barnabas’s reference to τὸ ἔριον τὸ κόκκινον just above. As to the assertion of Divine Sonship, the reference to the Synoptic incident at the hearing before the Sanhedrin is manifest; note the *τότε* and the implicit reference to the prophecy of a regal Return (Matt. 26⁶⁴, ||). The descriptive participles ἔξουθενήσαντες (=ἐμπαί-
ξαντες: see Matt. 27²⁹, 31, 41; Mark 15²⁰, 31; Luke 22⁶³, 23³⁶, in the light of Luke 23¹¹), *κατακεντήσαντες*, *ἐμπτύσαντες*, refer simply to the type of occurrence seen in Matt. 27²⁸⁻³⁰; Mark 15¹⁷⁻²⁰, prior to the crucifixion and so without reference to John 19³⁴⁻³⁷: see also (41).

(38) Barn. vii. 11.

οὗτω, φησίν (sc. δ Ἰησοῦς), οἱ θέλοντες με ἰδεῖν καὶ ἀψασθαί μου
τῆς βασιλείας, ὀφελούσιν θλίβοντες καὶ παθόντες λαβεῖν με.

These words simply state in a dramatic form (cf. vii. 5) the moral of what goes before, viz. the allegory of the Red Wool amid the Thorns. They are no traditional *logion* of Jesus, falling outside our Synoptic tradition: cf. Matt. 16²⁴, ||. For φησίν = ‘He means,’ see x. 3 ff., 7 f., xi. 11, cf. vi. 9, xi. 8.

(39) Barn. xii. 10.

Matt. 22⁴¹⁻⁴⁵; Mark 12³⁵⁻³⁷;
Luke 20⁴¹⁻⁴⁴.

ἐπεὶ οὖν μέλλουσιν λέγειν ὅτι δ
Χριστὸς νιὸς ἐστιν Δανιὴλ, αὐτὸς προ-
φητεύει Δ., φοβούμενος καὶ συνίων
τὴν πλάνην τῶν ἀμαρτωλῶν¹. Ἐπειν ὁ
Κύριος . . . Καὶ πάλιν λέγει οὗτος
‘Ησαΐας (45¹) . . .’ Ιδε πῶς Δ. λέγει
αὐτὸν κύριον καὶ νιὸν σὺ λέγει.

τίνος νιὸς ἐστι; λέγουσιν αὐτῷ,
Ταῦ Δαβὶδ. λέγει αὐτοῖς, Πῶς οὖν
Δαβὶδ ἐν Πνεύματι κύριον αὐτὸν καλεῖ,
λέγων, Εἰπεν ὁ Κύριος . . . ὑπο-
κάτω¹ τῶν ποδῶν σου; εἰ οὖν Δ. καλεῖ
αὐτὸν κύριον, πῶς νιὸς αὐτοῦ ἐστι;

¹ ὑποπόδιον Luke (Mark ΝΑL)

Here the use of Ps. 110¹ is quite parallel, down to the application which concludes the argument. Textually Barnabas agrees with the LXX (Alexandrine: B *deest*) in ὑποπόδιον, where Matthew and Mark (BD) have ὑποκάτω.

(III) The Fourth Gospel.

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(40) Barn. vi. 3.

εἴτα τί λέγει; Καὶ ὅς ἐλπίσει ἐπ' αὐτὸν ζήσεται εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα.

v. l. ὁ πιστεύων εἰς, cf. LXX.

Isa. 28¹⁶ καὶ ὁ πιστεύων (ἐπ' αὐτῷ, ΝΑQ) οὐ μὴ καταισχυνθῇ.

John 6⁵¹, cf. 58.

ἔάν τις φάγῃ ἐκ ταύτου τοῦ ἄρτου, ζήσεται εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα.

Barn. viii. 5 ὅτι δὲ τὸ ἔριον ἐπὶ τὸ ἔνδον; ὅτι ἡ βασιλεία Ἰησοῦ ἐπὶ ἔνδον, καὶ ὅτι οἱ ἐλπίζοντες ἐπ' αὐτὸν ζήσονται εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα.

ix. 2 τίς ἐστιν ὁ θέλων ζῆσαι εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα; Ps. 33¹³ ὁ θέλων ζωῆν.

x. 10 καὶ ὃς ἀν φάγη ἐξ αὐτῶν (sc. δένδρων), ζήσεται εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα (as from a ‘prophet’ influenced by Ezek. 47^{1–12}), interpreted in § 11 as meaning ὃς ἀν ἀκούση τούτων λαλουμένων [the words connected with Baptism] καὶ πιστεύσῃ, ζήσεται εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα.

Compare Gen. 3²² καὶ νῦν μή ποτε . . . λάβῃ τοῦ ἔνδον τῆς ζωῆς καὶ φάγῃ, καὶ ζήσεται εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα.

Apoc. 2⁷ τῷ νικῶντι δώσω αὐτῷ φαγεῖν ἐκ τοῦ ἔνδον τῆς ζωῆς . . .

22² ἔνδον ζωῆς ποιοῦν καρποὺς δώδεκα, also 14, 19.

Barnabas is clearly haunted by the phrase ζήσεται εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα, which he uses to gloss other phrases of the LXX in vi. 3, ix. 2, (xi. 10). But whether he got it from Gen. 3²², the *Psalms of Solomon*, xiv. 2, or rather from the apocryphal ‘prophet’ seemingly cited in xi. 9–11 (as his use of it in connexion with ἔνδον, especially in xi. 6 f. and 10, rather suggests: cf. Apoc. 2⁷, &c.), or again from current Christian usage (see Eccl. 37²⁶, cf. Wisd. 5¹⁵), is obscure. In any case he seems independent of John; for he makes no allusion to Jesus as ὁ ἄρτος τῆς ζωῆς.

(41) Barn. xi. 1 ff., 8.

ζητήσωμεν δὲ εἰ ἐμέλησεν τῷ Κυρίῳ προφανερῶσαι περὶ τοῦ ὕδατος καὶ περὶ τοῦ σταυροῦ (then quotations, especially Ps. 1³⁻⁶) . . . αἰσθάνεσθε πῶς τὸ ὕδωρ καὶ τὸν σταυρὸν ἐπὶ τὰ αὐτὰ ὥρισεν· τοῦτο γὰρ λέγει, μακάριοι αἱ ἐπὶ τὸν σταυρὸν ἐλπίσαντες κατέβησαν εἰς τὸ ὕδωρ, ὅτι τὸν μὲν μισθὸν λέγει ‘ἐν καιρῷ αὐτοῦ’ . . .

John 19³⁴.

καὶ ἐξῆλθεν αἷμα καὶ ὕδωρ.

Barnabas's treatment of the Water and the Cross (not Blood, as in John) is quite independent, being connected in his own mind with the ξύλον and ὕδατα in Ps. 1. Indeed the treatment of the Blood and the Water in John 19³⁴, i John 5⁶⁻⁸ δὲ λαθὼν δι' ὕδατος καὶ αἷματος, is so different that, had Barnabas known the Johannine writings, he could hardly have written as he does.

(42) Barn. xii. 7.

John 3^{14f.}

The handling of the type of the Brazen Serpent is so different that, taken by itself, it 'makes against rather than for the theory of acquaintance with the Fourth Gospel' (Rendall, *ad loc.*).

On the whole, in spite of their affinities in 'the deeper order of conceptions,' to which Keim in particular has called attention (cf. Sanday, *Gospels in the Second Century*, 270 ff.), we must regard Barnabas as unacquainted with the Fourth Gospel. Its Logos conception is one upon which he would be almost sure to seize, with much else to his anti-Judaic purpose. Rather it looks as if Barnabas and this Gospel shared to some degree in a common mode of thought touching Eternal Life and feeding upon words of Life—a mode of thought visible also in the Eucharistic prayers of the *Didache*.

THE DIDACHE

INTRODUCTION.

THE treatment of apparent quotations from Scripture in the *Didache* is rendered difficult by the composite character of the document. It is impossible to treat it as an homogeneous whole, but it is hard to decide what strata are to be recognized in its composition.

It has been thought best to adopt the following arrangement, while admitting that the classification is uncertain in several respects.

1. The *Two Ways*, i-vi. In this section no attempt has been made to reconstruct the primitive text from a comparison of the Greek MS. found by Bryennios, the Latin version and the text used in Barnabas—except in the omission of the section *εὐλογεῖτε . . . τῆς διδαχῆς* (i. 3-ii. 1). This is treated separately, as manifestly secondary.

2. The ecclesiastical section, vii. 1-xv. 3.

3. The eschatological section in xvi.

4. The interpolation in the ‘*Two Ways*’, i. 3-ii. 1.

The *formulae* which appear to introduce quotations are as follows:—

1. In the *Two Ways*.

Except in the interpolated section (see below) no *formulae* are used.

2. In the *Ecclesiastical section*.

(1) Did. viii. 2 ὡς ἐκέλευσεν ὁ Κύριος ἐν τῷ εὐαγγελίῳ αὐτοῦ . . .
cf. xv. 3, 4.

(2) Did. ix. 5 εἴρηκεν ὁ Κύριος . . .

3. In the *Eschatological section*.

(1) Did. xvi. 7 ὡς ἐρρέθη . . .

4. In the *Interpolation in the Two Ways* (i. 3-ii. 1).

(1) Did. i. 6 εἴρηται . . . [introducing the saying ‘Ιδρωσάπω ἡ ἐλεημοσύνη σου εἰς τὰς χεῖράς σου, μέχρις ἂν γυψάς τίνῃ δῶς, which cannot be traced to any known source].

I. THE TWO WAYS, I-VI.

There are no certain quotations from or allusions to the Old Testament or to any other documents which can serve as a standard of accuracy in quotation.

ACTS AND EPISTLES.

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| (1) <i>Acts</i> | Did. iv. 8. | Acts 4 ³² . |
| συγκοινωνήσεις δὲ πάντα τῷ ἀδελφῷ σου καὶ οὐκ ἔρεις ἴδια εἶναι. | | οὐδὲ εἰς τι τῶν ὑπαρχόντων αὐτῷ ἐλεγεν ἴδιον εἶναι, ἀλλ’ ἡν αὐτοῖς ἀπαντα κοινά. |

The resemblance is such as might be due to similarity of circle or of conditions of life, and is not sufficiently close to prove literary dependence, on one side or the other.

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| <i>Romans</i> | Did. v. 2. | Rom. 12 ⁹ . |
| οὐ κολλώμενοι ἀγαθῷ. | | ἀποστυγοῦντες τὸ πονηρόν, κολλώμενοι τῷ ἀγαθῷ. |

The verbal coincidence is close, but the phrase is not remarkable (cf. iii. 9), and seems like an ethical commonplace. In the absence of other signs of any use of the epistle, it cannot prove literary dependence on either side.

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Hebrews

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| (3) Did. iv. 1. | Heb. 13 ⁷ . |
| τοῦ λαλούντάς σοι τὸν λόγον τοῦ Θεοῦ μητρίσῃ συκτός καὶ ἡμέρας. | μνημονεύετε τῶν ἡγουμένων ὑμῶν, οἵ τινες ἐλάλησαν ὑμῖν τὸν λόγον τοῦ Θεοῦ. |

There is some similarity of thought, but the distinctive ἡγουμένων is not in *Didache*, and the phrase λαλεῖν τὸν λόγον τοῦ Θεοῦ is a natural one.

Jude

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| (4) Did. ii. 7. | Jude 22 ^f . |
| οὐ μισήσεις πάντα ἄνθρωπον [ἀλλὰ οὐσ μὲν ἐλέγξεις, περὶ δὲ ὅν προσεύξῃ, om. Lat.], οὐσ δὲ ἀγαπήσεις ὑπέρ τὴν ψυχήν σου. | Text very uncertain. |

See Lev. 19¹⁷ f. for wording of Did.

GOSPELS.

(I) The Synoptic Gospels.

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- (5) Did. iii. 7, cf. Matt. 5^b (due to Ps. 36¹¹).

(II) The Synoptic Tradition.

- (6) Did. i. 2. Matt. 22²⁷⁻²⁹.

πρῶτον ἀγαπήσεις τὸν Θεόν τὸν ποιήσαντά σε, δεύτερον τὸν πλησίον σου ὡς σεαυτόν. ἀγαπήσεις Κύριον τὸν Θεόν σου ἐν ὅλῃ τῇ καρδίᾳ σου... αὕτη ἐστὶν ἡ μεγάλη καὶ πρώτη ἐντολὴ. δευτέρα δὲ ὅμοία αὕτη, ἀγαπήσεις τὸν πλησίον σου ὡς σεαυτόν : cf. Mark 12²⁹ f.

Here there is juxtaposition of the two principles associated in the Gospels and with like emphasis on their order; but the addition *τὸν ποιήσαντά σε* suggests direct Jewish influence. See Ecclus. 7³⁰, and cf. (5).

- (7) Did. i. 2. Matt. 7¹².

πάντα δὲ ὅσα ἔαν θελήσης μὴ γίνεσθαι σαι, καὶ σὺ ἀλλῷ μὴ ποίει. πάντα οὖν ὅσα ἔαν θέλητε ἵνα παιῶσιν ὑμῖν αἱ ἄνθρωποι, οὗτοις καὶ ὑμεῖς παιεῖτε αὐτοῖς (cf. Luke 6³¹).

Tobit 4¹⁶.

ἢ μισέεις, μηδενὶ ποιήσης.

Acts 15^{20, 29}.

καὶ ὅσα μὴ θέλετε ἕαντοις γίνεσθαι ἔτέροις (-ῷ) μὴ ποιεῖτε. c. D min. pauc. syr^{hl} c.* sah. aeth. Iren.^{lat} Cyprian.

The evidence seems to show that the form preserved in Tobit re-emerges in the Jewish saying ascribed to Hillel, 'What is hateful to thyself, do not to thy fellow'; and the negative form in the *Didache* may be due to such influence. On the other hand the wording *ὅσα ἔαν θελήσης μὴ κτλ.*, instead of *ἢ μισέεις* (found also in Greek, attributed e.g. to Cleobulus), seems due to the influence of the evangelical form of the saying (cf. Lampridius, in *Vita Alex. Severi*, 51, 7 quod a quibusdam sive Iudeis sive Christianis audierat... 'Quod tibi fieri non vis, alteri ne feceris'; so *Didascalia*, i. 1, adding 'ab alio'). If the saying be part of the true text of the Acts, it would here most naturally be attributed to the use of the Acts. If it be regarded as a gloss in Acts, the *Didache* may have originated such a gloss.

2. THE ECCLESIASTICAL SECTION, VII-XV.

There are no certain quotations or allusions to the Old Testament or to any other documents which can serve as a standard of accuracy in quotation, save the free quotation from Mal. 1^{11 ff.} in xiv. 3, where καὶ χρόνῳ (added to ἐν παντὶ τόπῳ) finds a parallel in the Targum ad loc.

EPISTLES.

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| I Corinthians | | d |
| (8) Did. x. 6. | | i Cor. 16 ²² . |
| μαρὰν ἀθά. | | μαρὰν ἀθά. |

The Aramaic words would seem, from the sudden way in which they are introduced in I Corinthians, to have been in common use. But it may be noted that in each case they are used to enforce a warning. In the *Didache*, εἴ τις οὐκ ἔστιν [ἄγιος], μετανοείτω. In I Corinthians, εἴ τις οὐ φιλεῖ τὸν Κύριον, ἥτω ἀνάθεμα.

GOSPELS.

(I) The Synoptic Gospels.

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| Matthew | | c |
| (9) Did. vii. 1. | | Matt. 28 ¹⁹ . |
| βαπτίσατε εἰς τὸ σὸνoma τοῦ πατρὸς βαπτίζοντες αὐτοὺς εἰς τὸ σὸνoma τοῦ καὶ τοῦ νιοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἀγίου πνεύματος. πατρὸς καὶ τοῦ νιοῦ καὶ τοῦ ἀγίου πνεύματος. | | |

The Trinitarian baptismal formula is not found in the Canonical New Testament except in Matthew; but on account of its liturgical use, its presence here cannot prove literary dependence on the Gospel. Further, it cannot be held certain that these words stood originally either in this section of the *Didache* or in the original text of Matthew (*om. codd. ap. Euseb.*).

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| (10) | | Matt. 7 ⁶ . |
| καὶ γὰρ περὶ τούτου εἶρηκεν ὁ Κύριος, μὴ δῶτε τὸ ἄγιον τοῖς κυσί. | | |

The verbal resemblance is exact, but the passage in Matthew contains no reference to the Eucharist, and the proverbial character of the saying reduces the weight which must be attached to verbal similarity, cf. (13). It is cited as a *saying* of the Lord.

(11) Did. viii. 1 f.

αἱ δὲ ηγετεῖαι ὑμῶν μὴ ἔστωσαν μετὰ τῶν ὑποκριτῶν· ηγετεύοντι γάρ δευτέρᾳ σαβθάτων καὶ πέμπτῃ· ὑμείς δὲ ηγετεύσατε τετράδα καὶ παρασκευήν.

2 μηδὲ προσεύχεσθε ὡς οἱ ὑποκριταὶ, ἀλλ᾽ ὡς ἐκέλευσεν δὲ Κύριος ἐν τῷ εὐαγγελίῳ αὐτοῦ, οὕτω προσεύχεσθε.

πάτερ ἡμῶν δὲ ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ, ἀγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου, ἐλθέτω ἡ βασιλεία σου, γενηθήτω τὸ θελημά σου ὡς ἐν οὐρανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς· τὸν ἄρτον ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δὸς ἡμῖν σήμερον, καὶ ἄφες ἡμῖν τὴν ὁφειλὴν ἡμῶν, ὡς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφίεμεν τοῖς ὁφειλέταις ἡμῶν, καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκης ἡμᾶς εἰς πειρασμὸν ἀλλὰ ρῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ· ὅτι σοῦ ἔστιν ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

Matt. 6¹⁶.

ὅταν δὲ ηγετεύητε μὴ γίνεσθε, ὡς οἱ ὑποκριταὶ, σκυθρωποί ἀφανίζοντις γάρ τὰ πρόσωπα αὐτῶν, ὅπως φανῶσι τοῖς ἀνθρώποις ηγετεύοντες. ἀμὴν λέγω ὑμῖν ὅτι ἀπέχοντις τὸν μισθὸν αὐτῶν σὺ δὲ ηγετεύων μᾶλις φαίσου τὴν κεφαλὴν καὶ τὸ πρόσωπόν σου νίψαι.

Matt. 6⁵, 9–13.

καὶ ὅταν προσεύχησθε οὐκ ἔσεσθε ὡς οἱ ὑποκριταὶ . . . οὗτος οὖν προσεύχεσθε ὑμεῖς· πάτερ ἡμῶν δὲ ἐν τοῖς οὐρανοῖς, ἀγιασθήτω τὸ ὄνομά σου, ἐλθέτω ἡ βασιλεία σου, γενηθήτω τὸ θελημά σου ὡς ἐν οὐρανῷ καὶ ἐπὶ γῆς· τὸν ἄρτον ἡμῶν τὸν ἐπιούσιον δὸς ἡμῖν σήμερον, καὶ ἄφες ἡμῖν τὰ ὁφειλήματα ἡμῶν, ὡς καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφήκαμεν τοῖς ὁφειλέταις ἡμῶν, καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκης ἡμᾶς εἰς πειρασμὸν ἀλλὰ ρῦσαι ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ τοῦ πονηροῦ.

Matt. v. 5 om. syr^{aln}. [ἀφῆκαμεν] ἀφίομεν DELΔΙΠ² al., ἀφίεμεν №GKMSUП* codd. recent. πονηροῦ] add. ὅτι σοῦ ἔστιν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δύναμις καὶ ἡ δόξα εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας ἀμήν. codd. recent.; add. ὅτι σοῦ ἔστιν ἡ βασιλεία καὶ ἡ δόξα εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας ἀμήν. syr^{eur} (syr^{aln} deest); add. quoniam tuum est robur et potentia in aeum aevi amen. sah.; add. quoniam est tibi virtus in saecula saeculorum. k.

In the section about fasting the only point in common is the connexion of fasting with hypocrisy; there is also in the *Didache* a complete perversion of the spirit of Christ's teaching about fasting, and the specific reference to Pharisees is wanting.

In the sections touching prayer the writer seems clearly familiar with a definite statement of Christ's teaching, though hardly a written one, cf. αὐτοῦ after ἐν τῷ εὐαγγελίῳ. There is also a superficial point of connexion with Matt. 6⁵, inasmuch as both there and in the *Didache* the true method of prayer is contrasted with a false one. But Matthew distinguishes (cf. v. 7) between the false methods of the ὑποκριταί (a class of Jews) and the ἔθνικοί, while the *Didache* makes no mention of ἔθνικοί. It must however be remembered that the text of Matthew is doubtful on this point, as B syr^{eur} read ὑποκριταί instead of ἔθνικοί. It would also appear probable from what precedes and follows that the *Didache* makes the

falsity of method on the part of the ὑποκριταὶ lie not so much in the spirit as in the form of their prayers.

The Lord's Prayer in the *Didache* agrees with the Matthaean version as against the Lucan, in the number of clauses which it contains, in the introduction by the words οὗτῳ προσεύχεσθε, and in its verbal similarity. There are no divergences from Matt. 6⁹ ff. except in four points:—

- (1) τῷ οὐρανῷ for τοῖς οὐρανοῖς.
- (2) δοξειλήν for δοξειλήματα.
- (3) ἀφίεμεν for ἀφήκαμεν.
- (4) The doxology.

(3) may be dismissed on the ground of possible assimilation in the text of our MS. of the *Didache* to the later text of the Lord's Prayer. As to (1) and (2) the differences would be insignificant, were it not that they come in a liturgical passage, where the text is apt to be strictly fixed by use, and that the whole quotation seems to come directly from a local liturgical usage. (4) The peculiar form of the doxology does not agree exactly with any of the forms known to occur in the authorities for the text of Matthew.

These three sections, on fasting, on prayer, on the Lord's Prayer, cannot be separated from each other. They point at least to similar local conditions; but the two former rather weaken the probability that the Lord's Prayer is a direct quotation from our Matthew.

(12) Did. xi. 7.

πᾶσα γὰρ ἁμαρτία ἀφεθήσεται, αὕτη
δὲ η̄ ἁμαρτία οὐκ ἀφεθήσεται.

Matt. 12³¹.

πᾶσα ἁμαρτία καὶ βλασφημία ἀφεθήσεται τοῖς ἀνθρώπαις, η̄ δὲ τοῦ Πνεύματος βλασφημία οὐκ ἀφεθήσεται.

Mark 3²⁸.

πάντα ἀφεθήσεται τοῖς νιόις τῶν ἀνθρώπων τὰ ἁμαρτήματα, καὶ αἱ βλασφημίαι ὅσα ἐν βλασφημήσωσιν ὃς δὲ ἐν βλασφημήσῃ εἰς τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ "Ἄγιον, οὐκ ἔχει ἀφεσιν εἰς τὸν αἰώνα, ἀλλ' ἔνοχός ἐστιν αἰωνίου ἁμαρτήματος, cf.
Luke 12¹⁰.

The form of the quotation is closer to Matthew than to Mark or Luke, and a similar context for the saying is obviously implied. Yet what is true of (10) applies here also.

(13) Did. xiii. 1.

πᾶς δὲ προφήτης ἀληθινός, θέλων καθῆσθαι πρὸς ὑμᾶς, ἔξιος ἐστι τῆς τροφῆς αὐτοῦ, ὡσάντως διδάσκαλος ἀληθινός ἐστιν ἔξιος καὶ αὐτὸς ὥσπερ ὁ ἐργάτης τῆς τροφῆς αὐτοῦ.

Matt. 10¹⁰.*ἄξιος γὰρ ὁ ἐργάτης τῆς τροφῆς αὐτοῦ.*Luke 10⁷.*ἄξιος γὰρ ὁ ἐργάτης τοῦ μισθοῦ αὐτοῦ.*I Tim. 5¹⁸.*ἄξιος ὁ ἐργάτης τοῦ μισθοῦ αὐτοῦ.*

The verbal coincidence is exact, and is made the more noticeable by the fact that in Luke and 1 Timothy *τροφῆς* is replaced by *μισθοῦ*. But 1 Timothy seems to show that the saying was one in common Christian use, while the *Didache* does not refer it to ‘the Lord,’ as in clear Gospel citations.

D

Luke

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(14) Did. ix. 2.

*πρῶτον περὶ τοῦ ποτηρίου.*Luke 22¹⁷⁻¹⁹.

καὶ δεξάμενος ποτήριον εὐχαριστήσας εἶπε, λάβετε τοῦτο καὶ διαμερίσατε εἰς ἑαυτοὺς . . . καὶ λαβὼν ἄρτον κτλ.

The R. V. goes on to give an account of another *ποτήριον*. But D omits, and so does the Syriac, though it inverts the order. If, then, we regard this as a ‘Western non-interpolation,’ the order in the *Didache* is the same as that found in what would be the earliest text of Luke. But the specific associations of the Last Supper in Luke are ignored; therefore it does not seem that the resemblance is to be explained by any literary dependence, but rather by a common traditional usage.

(II) The Synoptic Tradition.

(15) This, as implied in the *Didache*, corresponds closely to what is found in our Synoptics, particularly Matthew, and is alluded to under the phrase *τὸ εὐαγγέλιον*, which apparently means the Message itself rather than any special record.

Thus we have in xi. 3 the phrase *κατὰ τὸ δόγμα τοῦ εὐαγγελίου*. Here the closest point of connexion in the context is to be found in xi. 4 *πᾶς δὲ ἀπόστολος ἐρχόμενος πρὸς ὑμᾶς δεχθήτω ὡς Κύριος*, which suggests Matt. 10⁴⁰, but can scarcely be regarded as a quotation; see also (12) for xi. 7. So in viii. 2, the tense *ἐκέλευσεν* supports the view that the *εὐαγγέλιον* is thought of as uttered by the Lord, and not as written down. In view of these passages, it is not certain

that the phrase ὡς ἔχετε ἐν τῷ εὐαγγελίῳ (*τοῦ Κυρίου ὑμῶν*), in xv. 3, 4, has any other sense.

(III) The Fourth Gospel.

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Under this heading it will be proper to mention the passages in ix–x which seem reminiscent of Johannine ideas and terminology. Three are especially noticeable:—

(16) Did. ix. 2 ὑπὲρ τῆς ἀγλας ἀμπέλου Δαβὶδ τοῦ παιδός σου.

This must refer primarily at least to the Church regarded as the Messianic kingdom, and not to Christ personally (which is excluded by ἐγνώρισας διὰ Ἰησοῦ). It may also refer secondarily to the Davidic Messianic king, who in Jewish thought is almost interchangeable with the nation in its ideal aspect. Cf. the Targum on Ps. 80^{14, 15}, *The vine-shoot which thy right hand hath planted and the king Messiah whom thou hast established for thyself*, and Apoc. Baruch 39 ‘Tunc revelabitur Messiae mei principatus qui similis est fonti et viti.’ It is relative to this mystical idea of the Church that the Cup is to be understood (cf. πνευματικὸς ποτός in x. 3). The resemblance to John 15¹ rests on little more than the figure of the vine for the Messianic Kingdom.

(17) Did. ix. 3 εὐχαριστοῦμέν σοι . . . ὑπὲρ τῆς ζωῆς καὶ γνώσεως ἡς ἐγνώρισας ὑμῖν διὰ Ἰησοῦ τοῦ παιδός σου. Cf. John 17³.

(18) Did. x. 3 ἡμῖν δὲ ἐχαρίσω πνευματικὴν τροφὴν καὶ ποτὸν καὶ ζωὴν αἰώνιον διὰ τοῦ παιδός σου. Cf. John 6^{45–55}.

It is noticeable that the distinctive ideas of the manna and the identification of the bread with the body of Christ, are not found in the *Didache*. The point of closest resemblance is that the *Didache*, like the Fourth Gospel, does not connect the spiritual food with the specific ideas of the institution, as is done in the Synoptic narrative.

3. THE ESCHATOLOGICAL CHAPTER.

GOSPELS.

The Synoptic Tradition.

(19) Did. xvi. 1.

Matt. 24^{42, 44}.

γρηγορεῖτε ὑπὲρ τῆς ζωῆς ὑμῶν οἱ λύχνοι ὑμῶν μὴ σβεσθῆτωσαν κοὶ οἱ δοσφύες ὑμῶν μὴ ἐκλυεσθῶσαν, ἀλλὰ γρηγορεῖτε οὖν, ὅτι οὐκ οἴδατε ποιὰ ἡμέρᾳ ὁ κύριος ὑμῶν ἔρχεται . . . καὶ

γίνεσθε ἔτοιμοι· οὐ γὰρ οἴδατε τὴν ὥραν
ἐν ᾧ δὲ κύριος ἡμῶν ἔρχεται.

δοκεῖτε δὲ νῦν τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ἔρχεται.
Cf. 25¹³.

Luke 12³⁵.

ἔστωσαν ὑμῶν αἱ ὁσφύες περιεζωσ-
μέναι καὶ οἱ λύχνοι καιόμενοι. Cf. 12⁴⁰.

Matt. 24⁴² ἡμέρᾳ] ὥρᾳ ΛΓΚΠ al. pler. lat-vet. syr^{sin} pesh. Tatar. Orig. Ath.

There is a marked parallel to Luke 12³⁵, where alone ὁσφύες and λύχνοι occur in the same combination; but it is in Matt. that γρηγορεῖτε goes with οὐκ οἴδατε ποιά ἡμέρᾳ [ὥρᾳ] δὲ κύριος ὑμῶν ἔρχεται, and with ἡμέραν οὐδὲ τὴν ὥραν in 25¹³.

(20) Did. xvi. 3-5.

ἐν γὰρ ταῖς ἐσχάταις ἡμέραις πληθυ-
θήσονται οἱ ψευδοπραφῆται καὶ οἱ φθα-
ρεῖς καὶ στραφῆσανται τὰ πρόβατα εἰς
λύκους καὶ η ἀγάπη στραφήσεται εἰς
μῆσος. αὐξανούστησαγάρτησάνομιαστή-
σονσιν ἀλλήλους καὶ διώξουσι καὶ παρα-
δώσουσι, καὶ τότε φυνήσεται κοσμο-
πλάνος ὡς νῦν Θεοῦ καὶ ποιήσει σημεῖα
καὶ τέρατα, καὶ η γῆ παραδαθήσεται εἰς
χεῖρας αὐτοῦ καὶ ποιήσει ἀθέματα δὲ
οὐδέποτε γέγανεν ἐξ αἰῶνος^{*} τότε οἵτι-
νες ἡ κτίσις τῶν ἀνθρώπων εἰς τὴν πύρωσιν
τῆς δοκιμασίας καὶ σκανδαλισθήσονται
πολλοὶ καὶ ἀπολούνται οἱ δὲ ὑπομεί-
ναντες ἐν τῇ πίστει αὐτῶν σωθήσονται
ὑπ' αὐτοῦ τοῦ καταθέματος.

Matt. 24¹⁰⁻¹³.

καὶ τότε σκανδαλισθήσονται πολλοί,
καὶ ἀλλήλους παραδώσονται, καὶ μισή-
σονται ἀλλήλους^{*} καὶ πολλοὶ ψευδο-
προφῆται ἐγερθήσονται καὶ πλανήσονται
πολλούς^{*} καὶ διὰ τὸ πληθυνθῆναι τὴν
ἀνομίαν ψυγήσεται η ἀγάπη τῶν πολ-
λῶν δὲ ὑπομείνας εἰς τέλος οὗτος
σωθήσεται. Cf. Matt. 7¹⁵, 24²⁴ and
Mark 13¹³.

There are several points of connexion with Matt. 24¹⁰⁻¹³, but this may not represent more than a common oral basis containing a good many conventional Apocalyptic ideas. It is to be noted that there is nothing in Matthew analogous to δ κοσμοπλάνος κτλ. and to ὡς αὐτοῦ τοῦ καταθέματος, parallels to which are rather to be found in *Ascensio Isaiae*, iv. 2 ff.

(21) Did. xvi. 6.

καὶ τότε φανήσεται τὰ σημεῖα τῆς
ἀληθείας^{*} πρῶτον σημεῖαν ἐκπετάσεως ἐν
οὐρανῷ, εἴτα σημεῖον φωνῆς σάλπιγγος,
καὶ τὸ τρίτον ἀνάστασις νεκρῶν.

Matt. 24³⁰ f.

καὶ τότε φανήσεται τὸ σημεῖον τοῦ
νῦν τοῦ ἀνθρώπου ἐν τῷ οὐρανῷ . . . καὶ
ἀποστελεῖ τοὺς ἀγγέλους αὐτοῦ μετὰ
σάλπιγγος φωνῆς μεγάλης.

The parallelism is insufficient to warrant any sure inference. The scheme in the *Didache* is rather that of 1 Thess. 4¹⁴⁻¹⁶, where we have (1) the revelation of the Lord from Heaven

with angels of power, (2) the archangel's trumpet call, (3) the resurrection. Cf. too the *σύματα τρισσά* of the *Sibylline Oracles*, ii. 188 (*βομφαία, σάλπιγξ, ἀνδστασις*, cf. iv. 173 ff.), and the description of the *παρουσία* in the *Ascensio Isaiae*, chap. iv. For heavenly portents, cf. Josephus's account of signs before the war; and for the meaning of *ἐκπέτασις*, cf. *Sib. Orac.* viii. 302 and Isa. 65³ (in which Barnabas sees a reference to the Crucifixion). Apparently this idea was a more specific form given to 'the sign of the Son of Man,' which originally pointed simply to Dan. 7¹³ and its imagery.

On the whole, we notice that this section (1) contains features not found in our Synoptic tradition, and represents a more specific and personal doctrine of Antichrist, more closely resembling that found in 2 Thess. 2; Barn. iv; *Asc. Isaiae*, iv: (2) agrees far more fully with Matthew than with any other single Synoptic, though it has certain points peculiar to Luke, cf. (19): but (3) cannot be said to prove its author's knowledge of our Matthew, as distinct from the tradition lying behind it, which may well have been that of the region in which the *Didache* itself was compiled. While, then, use of our Synoptic tradition is highly probable, the verdict in relation to the individual gospels must remain doubtful.

4. THE INTERPOLATION IN THE 'TWO WAYS'

(i. 3–ii. 1).

EPISTLES.

D

i Peter

(22) Did. i. 4.

d

i Pet. 2¹¹.

ἀπέχου τῶν σαρκικῶν καὶ σωματικῶν ἀπέχεσθαι τῶν σαρκικῶν ἐπιθυμιῶν.
ἐπιθυμῶν.

The text of the *Didache*, as it stands, recalls i Pet. 2¹¹. The sentiment, however, is a natural one, and it is worth noticing that the conjunction of *σωματικῶν* and *σαρκικῶν* seems rather tautologous, and that *σωματικῶν* has been replaced in A. C. vii. 1 by *κοσμικῶν*. For the possibility that *σωματικῶν*

originally stood alone, cf. 4 Macc. 1³² τῶν δὲ ἐπιθυμιῶν αἱ μέν εἰσι ψυχικαὶ αἱ δὲ σωματικαὶ. If this suggestion be right, σαρκικῶν would be a later gloss derived from 1 Peter and due to the same feeling as that which led to the substitution of κοσμικῶν in A. C. vii. 1 (possibly from Titus 2¹²). The context suggests that *Didache* has in view ἐπιθυμίαι that wrong one's neighbour, as in Matt. 5²⁷⁻³⁰.

(I) The Synoptic Gospels.

D

Matthew

(23) Did. i. 5.

οὐκ ἔξελεύσεται ἐκεῖθεν μέχρις αὗτοῦ ἀποδῷ τὸν ἔσχατον κοδράντην.

Matt. 5²⁶.

οὐ μὴ ἔξελθης ἐκεῖθεν ἕως ἂν ἀπαδῷς τὸν ἔσχατον κοδράντην. Cf. Luke 12⁵⁹, which has λεπτὸν ἀποδῷ.

The wording of the *Didache* is closer to Matthew than it is to Luke, especially in the use of κοδράντην and not λεπτόν. But the context is quite different, and it would be hazardous to lay much stress on a phrase which must have been a familiar one. See further under (25), (26).

Luke

(24) See under the next section.

(II) The Synoptic Tradition.

(25) Did. i. 3.

εὐλογεῖτε τοὺς καταρωμένους ὑμῖν καὶ προσεύχεσθε ὑπὲρ τῶν ἐχθρῶν ὑμῶν, νηστεύετε δὲ ὑπὲρ τῶν διωκόντων ὑμᾶς. ποία γὰρ χάρις ἔαν ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας ὑμᾶς; οὐχὶ καὶ τὰ ἔθνη τὰ αὐτὸς ποιαῦσιν; ὑμεῖς δὲ ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς μισοῦντας ὑμᾶς καὶ αὐχῇ ἔξετε ἐχθρόν.

Matt. 5⁴⁴⁻⁴⁷.

ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς ἐχθροὺς ὑμῶν, καὶ προσεύχεσθε ὑπὲρ τῶν διωκόντων ὑμᾶς . . . ἔαν γὰρ ἀγαπήσῃς τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας ὑμᾶς, τίνα μισθὸν ἔχετε; οὐχὶ καὶ οἱ τελῶναι τὸ αὐτὸς παιανοῦσι κτλ.

Luke 6²⁷⁻³³.

ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς ἐχθροὺς ὑμῶν, καλῶς παιεῖτε τοὺς μισοῦσιν ὑμᾶς, εὐλογεῖτε τοὺς καταρωμένους ὑμῖν, προσεύχεσθε ὑπὲρ τῶν ἐπηρεαζόντων ὑμᾶς . . . καὶ εἰ ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας ὑμᾶς, ποία ὑμῖν χάρις ἔστι; . . . καὶ γὰρ οἱ ἀμαρτωλαὶ τὸ αὐτὸς παιανοῦσι.

In Matt. post ἐχθρὸς ὑμῶν add. εὐλογεῖτε τοὺς καταρωμένους ὑμᾶς DLKII c f h pesh et mss. vss. pp. recen. ante καὶ προσεύχ. add. καλῶς παιεῖτε τοὺς μισοῦντας ὑμᾶς D lat. pler. (non k) pesh. mss. vss. pp. recen. ante διωκόντων add. ἐπηρεαζόντων ὑμᾶς καὶ D lat. pler. (non k) pesh. mss. vss. pp. recen.

It seems impossible to decide whether the occurrence of Matthaean and Lucan features, e. g. *ποίᾳ χάρις* (cf. Luke 6³²) and *τὰ ἔθνη* (cf. Matt. 5⁴⁷), be due (1) to a blending of the two Gospels, (2) or to the knowledge of another Greek source nearer to the *Λόγια*, which are generally supposed to be the source of this section of the matter common to the first and third evangelists, (3) or to oral tradition, (4) or to an early harmony (e. g. the *Diatessaron*).

With regard to the second possibility, it may be noted that the emphasis on fasting, which seems to be represented as a climax, is in keeping with a tendency discernible in later Jewish literature (cf. *Tobit* 12⁸) and which assumes prominence in 2 Clement 16⁴, but it is not found in the N. T.¹ It is therefore unlikely that it appeared in a source earlier than the Canonical Gospels. *οὐχ ἔξετε ἐχθρόν* at the end of a paragraph, if an addition of a redactor, cannot be very late, see *Didasc.* i. 1, and cf. *Apol. Aristidis* 15, *Justin, Apol.* i. 14.

(26) Did. i. 4-6.

Matt. 5³⁹⁻⁴².

(1) ἐὰν τὶς σοι δῷ ράπισμα εἰς τὴν δεξιάν σιαγόνα, στρέψον αὐτῷ καὶ τὴν ἀλληρήν καὶ ἔσῃ τέλειος. (2) ἐὰν ἀγγαρεύσῃ σὲ τὶς μίλιον ἔν, ὑπαγε μετ' αὐτοῦ δύο. (3) ἐὰν ἄρῃ τὶς τὰ ἴμάτιον σου, δὸς αὐτῷ καὶ τὸν χιτῶνα. (4) ἐὰν λάβῃ τὶς ἀπὸ σοῦ τὰ σόν, μὴ ἀπάτει, οὐδὲ γάρ δύνασαι. (5) παντὶ τῷ αἰτοῦντί σε δίδου καὶ μὴ ἀπάτει.

ὅστις σε ράπιζε εἰς τὴν δεξιάν σου σιαγόνα, στρέψον αὐτῷ καὶ τὴν ἀλληρήν καὶ τῷ θέλαντί σοι κριθῆναι καὶ τὰν χιτῶνά σου λαβεῖν ἅφεις αὐτῷ καὶ τὰ ἴμάτιον καὶ ὅστις σε ἀγγαρεύσει μίλιον ἔν, ὑπαγε μετ' αὐτοῦ δύο τῷ αἰτοῦντί σε δίδου, καὶ τὸν θέλαντα ἀπὸ σου δανείσασθαι μὴ ἀποστραφῆς.

Luke 6²⁹⁻³⁰.

τῷ τύπτοντί σε ἐπὶ τὴν σιαγόνα πάρεχε καὶ τὴν ἀλληρήν καὶ ἀπὸ τοῦ αἴροντός σου τὸ ἴμάτιον καὶ τὸν χιτῶνα μὴ κωλύσῃς· παντὶ αἰτοῦντί σε δίδου, καὶ ἀπὸ ταῦ αἴροντος τὰ σά μη ἀπάτει.

The resemblance of this passage to Matthew and Luke is obvious. It should however be observed that, if we take the five cases as arranged and numbered above in the *Didache*, Matthew has 1, 3, 2, 5, omitting 4, while Luke has 1, 3, 5, 4, omitting 2. Going outside the Canonical Gospels, Tatian's *Diatessaron* (according to the reconstruction made by Zahn in

¹ But notice in this connexion the quite early addition in Mark 9²⁹ of *καὶ νηστείᾳ το προσευχῇ*, which is found in syr^{10th} and almost all late authorities.

his *Forschungen*, i. 17) had 1, 2, 3, 4, omitting 5, and Justin's *Apology*, i. 16, cites only 1, 3, and 2 a line later. It is hard to draw any more definite conclusion from these facts, than that the resemblance to our Gospels may be explained in any one of the four ways mentioned in the preceding note. It should be added that the addition of the phrases *καὶ ἐση* *τέλειος* and *οὐδὲ γὰρ δύναται* shows the freedom with which the redactor is handling his material, whencesoever derived. It is useless to analyse closely the exact verbal correspondences with Matthew and Luke; for in a passage in which so many possibilities are open, only the closest verbal resemblances would be sufficient to prove literary dependence.

CLEMENT OF ROME

INTRODUCTION.

Standard of Accuracy in quotations. The quotations from the Old Testament seem for the most part to be made with great exactness, especially in the case of the citation of longer passages. Occasional variations from the text of the Septuagint occur; but these are usually very slight, and may possibly represent readings of the text differing from those in the principal MSS.: see also p. 124.

The quotations from the N. T. are clearly made in a different way. Even in the case of N. T. works which as it appears to us were certainly known and used by Clement, such as Romans and 1 Corinthians, the citations are loose and inexact. This is not the place to discuss the causes of this difference in method; it is sufficient to point out that this fact makes it in the highest degree precarious to argue from the inexactness of possible quotations of other works in the N. T., that Clement did not know, and was not using these works.

Formulae of Citation. Passages from the O. T. are frequently introduced by the phrases γέγραπται, τὸ γεγραμμένον, ἡ γραφή.

EPISTLES, ACTS, AND APOCALYPSE.

A

Romans

(1) Clem. xxxv. 5, 6.

ἀπορρίψαντες ἀφ' ἑαυτῶν πᾶσαν ἀδικίαν καὶ ἀνομίαν, πλεονεξίαν, ἔρεις, κακοηθείας τε καὶ δόκους, ψιθυρισμούς τε καὶ καταλαλίας, θεοστυγίαν, ὑπερηφανίαν τε καὶ ἀλαζονείαν, κενοδοξίαν τε καὶ ἀφίλοξενίαν.

a

Rom. 1^{29—32}.

πεπληρωμένους πάση ἀδικίᾳ, πονηρίᾳ, πλεονεξίᾳ, κακίᾳ, μεστοὺς φθόνου, φόνου, ἔριδας, δόλου, κακοηθείας, ψιθυριστάς, καταλάλους, θεοστυγεῖς, ὑβριστάς, ὑπερηφάνους, ἀλαζόνας, ἐφευρετὰς κακῶν, γονεῦσιν ἀπειθεῖς,

ταῦτα γὰρ οἱ πράσσοντες στυγη-
τοὶ τῷ Θεῷ ὑπάρχοντες οὐ μόνον δὲ
οἱ πράσσοντες αὐτά, ἀλλὰ καὶ οἱ συν-
ευδοκοῦντες αὐτοῖς.

ἀσυνέτους, ἀσυνθέτους, ἀστόργους,
ἀνελέημονας, οἵτινες τὸ δικαίωμα τοῦ
Θεοῦ ἐπιγνόντες, ὅτι τὰ τοιαῦτα πράσ-
σοντες ἄξιοι θανάτου εἰσήν, οὐ μόνον
αὐτὰ ποιῶσιν, ἀλλὰ καὶ συνευδοκοῦσι
τοῖς πράσσοντι.

An examination of this passage makes it practically certain that Clement is influenced by the recollection of the passage in the Epistle to the Romans. This judgement is founded upon—

1. The remarkable coincidence of the vices which are mentioned: this seems too detailed to have occurred by chance.

2. The character of the concluding sentences in the two passages: it would be very difficult to imagine that Clement is here independent of St. Paul.

b

(2) Clem. xxxiii. 1.

τί οὖν ποιήσωμεν, ἀδελφοί; ἀργή-
σωμεν ἀπὸ τῆς ἀγαθοποίας καὶ ἔγ-
καταλίπωμεν τὴν ἀγάπην; μηθαμῶς
τούτο έάσαι δ δεσπότης ἐφ' ἡμῶν γε
γενηθῆμα, ἀλλὰ σπεύσωμεν μετὰ
ἐκτενέας καὶ προθυμίας πᾶν ἔργον
ἀγαθὸν ἐπιτελεῖν.

Rom. 6¹.

τί οὖν ἐροῦμεν; ἐπιμένωμεν τῇ
ἀμαρτίᾳ, ἵνα ἡ χάρις πλεονάσῃ; μὴ
γένετο.

It seems most probable that Clement is here writing under the impression of the passage in the Romans. It is true that there is little verbal coincidence between the passages, but their thought is closely related. The impression produced by this is very much strengthened when the context of the two passages is observed. In the last section of the previous chapter Clement has stated that we are justified by means of faith.

c

(3) Clem. xxxii. 2.

ἔξ αὐτοῦ (Ἰακὼβ) ὁ Κύριος Ἰησοῦς
τὸ κατὰ σάρκα.

Rom. 9⁵.

ἔξ ὧν (τῶν πατέρων) ὁ Χριστὸς τὸ
κατὰ σάρκα.

It seems probable that the sentence in Clement was

suggested by that in Romans. The phrase *τὸ κατὰ σάρκα* is not a very obvious one.

(4) Clem. I. 6, 7.

γέγραπται γάρ' Μα-
κάριοι ὁν ἀφέθησαν
αἱ ἀνομίαι, καὶ ὁν ἐπε-
καλύφθησαν αἱ ἀμαρ-
τίαι μακάριος ἀνὴρ φῶ
οὐ μὴ λογίσηται Κύριος
ἀμαρτίαν, οὐδὲ ἔστιν ἐν τῷ
στόματι αὐτοῦ δῆλος.
οὗτος δ μακαρισμὸς ἐγέ-
νετο ἐπὶ τοὺς ἐκλεγ-
μένους ὑπὸ τοῦ Θεοῦ
διὰ Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ τοῦ
Κυρίου ἡμῶν.

Rom. 4⁷⁻⁹.

μακάριοι ὁν ἀφέθησαν
αἱ ἀνομίαι, καὶ ὁν ἐπε-
καλύφθησαν αἱ ἀμαρ-
τίαι μακάριος ἀνὴρ φῶ
οὐ μὴ λογίσηται Κύριος
ἀμαρτίαν, δ μακαρισμὸς
οὗτος οὐτος ἐπὶ τὴν περι-
τομῆν; η καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν
ἀκροβυστίαν;

Ps. 31 (32)^{1, 2}.

μακάριοι ὁν ἀφέθησαν
αἱ ἀνομίαι, καὶ ὁν ἐπε-
καλύφθησαν αἱ ἀμαρτίαι.
μακάριος ἀνὴρ οὐδὲ οὐ μὴ
λογίσηται Κύριος ἀμαρ-
τίαν, οὐδέ ἔστιν ἐν τῷ
στόματι αὐτοῦ δῆλος.

It is clear that Clement intends to quote the Psalm; he introduces the quotation with the word *γέγραπται*, and we have not found any clear case where he has done this in the case of a passage from the N. T. This seems also evident from his concluding the quotation with words which are in the Psalm, but not in Romans. But it must also be recognized that the words *οὗτος δ μακαρισμός* suggest strongly that he was influenced by his recollection of the same words in the Romans.

d

(5) Clem. xxxvi. 2.

ἡ ἀσύνετος καὶ ἐσκοτωμένη διάνοια
ἡμῶν.

Rom. 1²¹.

καὶ ἐσκοτίσθη ἡ ἀσύνετος αὐτῶν
καρδία.

Clem. li. 5.

τὰς ἀσυνέτους καρδίας.

Eph. 4¹⁸.

ἐσκοτισμένοι τῇ διανοίᾳ.

The phrases in Clement may have been suggested by the Romans, but there is a similar phrase in Eph. 4¹⁸: see (37).

(6) Clem. xxxvii. 1.

σωζέσθω οὖν ἡμῶν δῖον τὸ σῶμα
ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦ, καὶ ὑποτασσέσθω
ἔκαστος τῷ πλησίον αὐτοῦ.

Rom. 12⁴.

καθάπερ γάρ ἐν ἐνὶ σώματι πολλὰ
μέλη ἔχομεν, τὰ δὲ μέλη πάντα οὐ
τὴν αὐτήν ἔχει πρᾶξιν οὕτως οἱ
πολλοὶ ἐν σῶμά ἐσμεν ἐν Χριστῷ.

Clem. xlvi. 7.

ἴνατι δὲλκομεν καὶ διασπῶμεν τὰ
μέλη τοῦ Χριστοῦ καὶ στασιάζομεν
πρὸς τὸ σῶμα τὸ ἴδιον.

1 Cor. 6¹⁶.

τὰ σώματα ὑμῶν μέλη Χριστοῦ
ἔστιν.

I Cor. 12¹².

καθάπερ γὰρ τὸ σῶμα ἐν ἐστι, καὶ μέλη πολλὰ ἔχει, πάντα δὲ τὰ μέλη τοῦ σώματος πολλὰ ὅντα ἐν ἐστι σῶμα, οὕτω καὶ ὁ Χριστός.

Eph. 4⁴.

ἐν σῶμα καὶ ἐν πνεῦμα,

Eph. 4²⁵.

ὅτι ἐσμὲν ἀλλήλων μέλη.

Eph. 5³⁰.

ὅτι μέλη ἐσμὲν τοῦ σώματος αὐτοῦ.

It is hardly possible to say here whether Clement is influenced by the Romans or the other Epistles.

I Corinthians

a

(7) Clem. xxxvii. 5.

λάβωμεν τὸ σῶμα ἡμῶν· ἡ κεφαλὴ δίχα τῶν ποδῶν σὺνδέν ἐστιν, οὐτως οὐδὲ οἱ πόδες δίχα τῆς κεφαλῆς· τὰ δὲ ἐλάχιστα μέλη τοῦ σώματος ἡμῶν ἀναγκαῖα καὶ εὑρηστά εἰσιν ὅλως τῷ σώματι ὅλλα πάντα συντνεῖ καὶ ὑποταγῇ μᾶς χρῆται εἰς τὸ σῶζεσθαι ὅλον τὸ σῶμα.

xxxviii. 1.

σωζέσθω σὺν ἡμῶν ὅλον τὸ σῶμα ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦν, καὶ ὑποτασσέσθω ἕκαστος τῷ πλησίον αὐτοῦ, καθὼς καὶ ἐτέθη ἐν τῷ χαρίσματι αὐτοῦ.

Cf. I Clem. xlvi. 7 and I Cor. 6¹⁵.

It would appear to be certain that Clement is here influenced by the First Epistle to the Corinthians. The metaphor of the body and its members is indeed found also in Romans and Ephesians, but the details are taken from the passage in Corinthians.

(8) Clem. xlvi. 1.

ἀναλάβετε τὴν ἐπιστολὴν τοῦ μακαρίου Παύλου τοῦ ἀποστόλου. 2 τί πρῶτον ὑμῖν ἐν ἀρχῇ τοῦ εὐαγγελίου ἔγραψεν; 3 ἐπ' ἀληθείας πνευμα-

I Cor. 11¹¹⁻¹³.

ἔδηλώθη γάρ μοι περὶ ὑμῶν, ἀδελφοὶ μου, ὃπο τῶν Χλόης, ὅτι ἔριδες ἐν ὑμῖν είσι. λέγω δὲ τοῦτο, ὅτι ἕκαστος ὑμῶν λέγει, Ἐγώ μέν είμι Παύλου,

τικῶς ἐπέστειλεν ὑμῖν περὶ ἑαυτοῦ τε Ἐγὼ δὲ Ἀπολλώ, Ἐγὼ δὲ Κηφᾶ,
καὶ Κηφᾶ τε καὶ Ἀπολλώ, διὰ τὸ καὶ Ἐγὼ δὲ Χριστοῦ.
τότε προσκλίσεις ὑμᾶς πεποιῆσθας

It cannot be doubted that this passage refers to the First Epistle to the Corinthians; the references to Cephas and Apollos and the trouble in the Church seem to make this plain, and the conclusion is borne out by actual quotations from the Epistle.

It is important to ask whether the mode of referring to this letter implies that Clement had no knowledge of our second letter. Dr. Lightfoot, in his note on the passage, cites parallels which seem to make it plain that such a conclusion would be unwarranted.

(9) Clem. xlix. 5.

ἀγάπη πάντα ἀνέχεται, πάντα μοκρο-
θυμεῖ· οὐδὲν βάναυσον ἐν ἀγάπῃ,
οὐδὲν ὑπερήφανον ἀγάπη σχίσμα οὐκ
ἔχει, ἀγάπη οὐ στασιάζει, ἀγάπη πάντα^{παιεῖ} ἐν δμονοίᾳ*

1 Cor. 13⁴⁻⁷.

ἡ ἀγάπη μοκροθυμεῖ, χρηστεύεται·
ἡ ἀγάπη οὐ ζηλοῖ· ἡ ἀγάπη αὐ
περπερεύεται, οὐ φυσιοῦται, οὐκ ἀσχι-
μονεῖ, οὐ ζητεῖ τὰ ἑαυτῆς, οὐ παρ-
οξύνεται, οὐ λογίζεται τὸ κακόν, οὐ
χαίρει ἐπὶ τῇ ἀδικίᾳ, συγχαίρει δὲ
τῇ ἀληθείᾳ, πάντα στέγει, πάντα^{πιστεύει,} πάντα ἐλπίζει, πάντα ὑπο-
μένει.

It can hardly be doubted that many of the phrases in Clement were suggested by the recollection of the passage in Corinthians.

b

(10) Clem. xxiv. 1.

κατανοήσωμεν, ἀγαπητοί, πῶς δὲ
δεσπότης ἐπιδείκνυται διηνεκῶς ἡμῖν
τὴν μέλλουσαν ἀνάστασιν ἔστεσθαι, ἡς
τὴν ἀπαρχὴν ἐπαιήσατο τὸν Κύριον
'Ιησοῦν ἐκ νεκρῶν ἀναστήσας.

1 Cor. 15²⁰.

νυνὶ δὲ Χριστὸς ἐγήγερται ἐκ
νεκρῶν, ἀπαρχὴ τῶν κεκαιμημένων.

1 Cor. 15²³.

ἀπαρχὴ Χριστός.

This would appear to be almost certainly a reminiscence. The word ἀπαρχή, used in this sense of our Lord, in reference to the resurrection, seems to make this plain.

(11) Clem. xxiv. 4, 5.

λάβωμεν τὸν καρπὸν· δὲ σπόρος
πῶς καὶ τίνα τρόπον γίνεται; ἔξηλθεν
δὲ σπείρων καὶ ἔβαλεν εἰς τὴν γῆν

1 Cor. 15^{86, 87}.

ἄφρων, σὺν δὲ σπείρεις οὐ ζωοποιεῖ-
ται, ἐὰν μὴ ἀποθάνῃ· καὶ δὲ σπείρεις,
οὐ τὸ σῶμα τὸ γενησόμενον σπείρεις

έκαστον τῶν σπερμάτων ἄτινα πε-
σόντα εἰς τὴν γῆν ἔχει καὶ γυμνὰ
διαλύεται, εἴτ' ἐκ τῆς διολύσεως ἡ
μεγαλειώτης τῇ προνοίᾳ τοῦ δεσπότου
ἀνίστησι αὐτά, καὶ ἐκ τοῦ ἑνὸς πλείονα
αὐξεῖ καὶ ἐκφέρει καρπόν.

It seems most probable that the thought of this passage is suggested by that in Corinthians. It is true that the development of the conception is different, but there is nothing surprising in this, if, as seems probable, Clement's references to the N. T. are usually made from memory.

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(12) Clem. xlvi. 5.

ἢτω τις πιστός, ἢτω δυνατὸς γνῶσιν
ἐξεπεῖν, ἢτω σοφὸς ἐν διακρίσει
λόγων, ἢτω ἀγνὸς ἐν ἔργοις.

φί μὲν γὰρ δὰ τοῦ Πνεύματος δίδο-
ται λόγος σοφίας, ἄλλῳ δὲ λόγος
γνῶσεως κατὰ τὸ αὐτὸ Πνεῦμα, ἐτέρῳ
πίστις ἐν τῷ αὐτῷ Πνεύματι.

It is noticeable that though the form of Clement's phrase is quite different from that of St. Paul, he groups together the same three qualities or gifts, *πιστός—πίστις, γνῶσις—λογός γνῶσεως, σοφὸς ἐν διακρίσει λόγων—λόγος σοφίας*. In view of this it would seem probable that we have here a reminiscence of St. Paul's words.

d

(13) Clem. v. 1, 5.

ἀθλητάς . . . βραβεῖον.

i Cor. 9²⁴.

οὐκ οἴδατε, ὅτι, οἱ ἐν σταδίῳ τρέ-
χοντες πάντες μὲν τρέχουσιν, εἰς δὲ
λαμβάνει τὸ βραβεῖον;

Cf. Phil. 3¹⁴.

(14) Clem. xxxiv. 8.

λέγει γάρ¹ ὁ δόθαλμὸς
οὐκ εἶδεν καὶ οὐσὶ οὐκ
ἥκουσεν, καὶ ἐπὶ καρδίαν
ἀνθρώπου οὐκ ἀνέβη, δσα
² ἡτοίμασεν τοῖς ὑπομέ-
νουσιν³ αὐτόν.

i Cor. 2⁹.

ἄλλὰ καθὼς γέγραπται,
⁴ Αἱ δόθαλμὸς οὐκ εἶδε,
καὶ οὐσὶ οὐκ ṥκουσε, καὶ
ἐπὶ καρδίαν ἀνθρώπου
οὐκ ἀνέβη, δσα ἡτοίμα-
σεν δ Θεὸς τοῖς ἀγαπῶ-
σιν αὐτόν.

Isa. 64⁴.

ἀπὸ τοῦ αἰῶνος οὐκ
ἥκουσαμεν οὐδὲ οἱ ἀ-
φθαλμοὶ ημῶν εἶδον θεὸν
πλὴν σοῦ, καὶ τὰ ἔργα
σου ἂ ποιήσεις τοῖς ὑπο-
μένουσιν ἔλεον. Cf. 6⁵¹⁶
οὐκ ἀναβήσεται αὐτῶν
ἐπὶ τὴν καρδίαν.

¹ Syr. Lat. and Constant. insert ἦ. ² Syr. Lat. and Constant. insert
δ κύριος. ³ Constant. reads ἀγαπῶσιν, and Syr. supports this; Lat. reads
sustinentibus, with Alexand.

The passages in Clement and i Corinthians are almost

verbally agreed, and it would at first sight seem natural to conclude that Clement is quoting from 1 Corinthians, while the relation of St. Paul's phrase to that of Isaiah is a difficult question. But a more careful examination of the passages shows clearly that the phenomena are very complex.

1. The context, and therefore the meaning of the passage in Clement, is entirely different from that in St. Paul. In Clement the things which eye hath not seen nor ear heard are the rewards promised to the servants of God. This is evident from the whole character of the chapter, and especially of the preceding sentence, *εἰς τὸ μετόχον ἡμᾶς γενέσθαι τῶν μεγάλων καὶ ἐνδόξων ἐπαγγελιῶν αὐτοῦ*. In 1 Corinthians the things which eye hath not seen nor ear heard are the hidden mysteries which are revealed to the believers by the Spirit of God. In Isaiah the meaning of the passage is like that of Clement, but the phrases are very different.

2. A. Resch (*Agrapha*, p. 102) has collected a great number of cases where the same phrase is quoted or referred to—

Hegesippus in Stephen Gobarus ap. Photium, cod. 232, col. 893; Hom. Clem. ii. 13; Clem. Alex. *Protrept.* x. 94; Origen, in *Ierem. Hom.* xviii. 15; *Apost. Const.* vii. 32; Athanasius, *De Virginitate*, 18; Epiph. *Haer.* lxiv. 69. We may add *Actus Petri*, 10, *Acts of Thomas*, Syriac, ed. Wright, p. 205, and 2 Clem. xi. 7.

In all these passages the phrase seems to be used in the same sense as in Clem. xxxiv. 8, that is as referring to the future rewards promised to the righteous.

3. Resch also points out that St. Jerome, *Comm. on Isaiah*, lib. xvii, says that the apocryphal *Ascension of Isaiah* contained this phrase, and (Ep. 57) that it was also contained in the *Apocalypse of Elias*; while Origen, *Comm. on Matt.* xxvii. 9, says that the phrase occurs 'in nullo regulari libro,' but 'in secretis Eliae prophetae.' The *Testamentum Iesu Christi*, xxviii (ed. Rahmani, Mainz, 1899), cites the passage as a saying of the Lord, but adds 'as Moses and other holy men have said.'

It seems then most probable that Clement and the other authors mentioned are not taking the phrase from St. Paul. It is impossible to think that they take it from Isaiah; the form

in which they cite the saying is wholly different from his, while it corresponds almost exactly with that of St. Paul. Accordingly it is probable that St. Paul, Clement, and the other writers are quoting from some unknown source, a pre-Christian work, to judge from Paul's use of it (with *καθὼς γέγραπται*).

- (15) Clem. xxxvii. 3. I Cor. 15²³.
 ἀλλ' ἔκαστος ἐν τῷ ἴδιῳ τάγματι— ἔκαστος δὲ ἐν τῷ ἴδιῳ τάγματι—

There is here an exact correspondence of words, but the phrase in Clement arises quite naturally from the context, and is of too obvious a character to demand explanation.

- (16) Clem. xxxviii. 2, I Cor. 16¹⁷.
 ὁ δὲ πτωχὸς εὐχαριστεῖτω τῷ Θεῷ
 ὅτι ἔδωκεν αὐτῷ δι' οὐδὲ ἀναπληρωθῆ
 αὐτοῦ τὸ ὑστέρημα. χαίρω δὲ ἐπὶ τῇ παρουσίᾳ Στεφανᾶ
 καὶ Φορτουνάτου καὶ Ἀχαικοῦ, ὅτι τὸ
 ὑμῶν ὑστέρημα οὐτοὶ ἀνεπλήρωσαν.

Phil. 2³⁰.

παραβολευσάμενος τῇ ψυχῇ, ἵνα ἀνα-
 πληρώσῃ τὸ ὑμῶν ὑστέρημα τῆς πρός
 με λειτουργίας.

Cf. also 2 Cor. 9¹², 11⁹, and
 Col. 1²⁴.

- (17) Clem. xl. 1, I Cor. 2¹⁰.
 προδήλων οὖν ἡμῖν ὅντων τούτων,
 καὶ ἐγκεκυφότες εἰς τὰ βάθη τῆς θείας
 γνώσεως. τὸ γὰρ Πνεῦμα πάντα ἐρευνᾷ, καὶ τὰ
 βάθη τοῦ Θεοῦ.

Rom. 11³³.

ὁ βάθος πλούτου καὶ σοφίας καὶ
 γνώσεως Θεοῦ.

- (18) Clem. xlviii. 6. I Cor. 10^{24, 33}.
 Cf. Phil. 2⁴.

Hebrews

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- (19) Clem. xxxvi. 2-5. Heb. 1.
 διὰ τούτου ('Ιησοῦ Χριστοῦ) ἡθέλη-
 σεν ὁ δεσπότης τῆς ἀθανάτου γνώσεως
 ἡμᾶς γενέσασθαί ὃς διὰ ἀπαύγασμα τῆς
 μεγαλωσάνης αὐτοῦ, τοσούτῳ μείζων
 ἐστὶν ἀγγέλων ὃσῳ διαφορώτερον
 πολυμερώς καὶ πολυτρόπως πάλαι Ι
 ὁ Θεὸς λαλήσας τοῖς πατράσιν ἐν τοῖς
 προφήταις ἐπ' ἐσχάτου τῶν ἡμερῶν τούτων
 ἐλάλησεν ἡμῖν ἐν νίῳ, ὃν ἔθηκε
 κληρονόμου πάντων, δι' οὐ καὶ ἐποίησε

δνομα κεκληρονόμηκεν¹. γέγραπται γάρ οὕτως· Ὁ ποιῶν τοὺς ἀγγέλους αὐτοῦ πνεύματα καὶ τοὺς λειτουργοὺς αὐτοῦ πυρὸς φλόγα. ἐπὶ δὲ τῷ νιῷ αὐτοῦ οὗτος ἔπει ὁ δεσπότης· Υἱός μου εἰ σύ, ἐγὼ σῆμερον γεγένηκα σε· αἴτησαι παρ’ ἐμοῦ καὶ δώσω σοι ἔθνη τὴν κληρονομίαν σου καὶ τὴν κατάσχεσίν σου τὰ πέρατα τῆς γῆς. καὶ πάλιν λέγει πρὸς αὐτόν· Κάθου ἐκ δεξιῶν μου, ἔως ἂν θῶ τοὺς ἔχθρούς σου ὑποπόδιον τῶν ποδῶν σου.

τοὺς αἰῶνας· ὃς δὲ ἀπαύγασμα τῆς 3 δόξης καὶ χαρακτὴρ τῆς ὑποστάσεως αὐτοῦ, φέρων τε τὰ πάντα τῷ ὅμματι τῆς δυνάμεως αὐτοῦ, καθαρισμὸν τῶν ἀμαρτιῶν ποιησάμενος ἐκάθισεν ἐν δεξιᾷ 4 τῆς μεγαλωσύνης ἐν ὑψηλοῖς, τοσούτῳ 4 κρείττων γενούμενος τῶν ἀγγέλων ὅσῳ διαφορώτερον παρ’ αὐτοὺς κεκληρονόμηκεν ὄνομα. τίνι γάρ εἴπει ποτε τῶν 5 ἀγγέλων, Υἱός μου εἰ σύ, ἐγὼ σῆμερον γεγένηκα σε·; Καὶ πάλιν, Ἐγὼ ἔσομαι αὐτῷ εἰς πατέρα, καὶ αὐτὸς ἔσται μοι εἰς οὐλὸν; ὅταν δὲ πάλιν εἰσαγάγῃ τὸν 6 πρωτότοκον εἰς τὴν οἰκουμένην λέγει, Καὶ προσκυνησάτωσαν αὐτῷ πάντες ἀγγελοι Θεοῦ. Καὶ πρὸς μὲν τοὺς 7 ἀγγέλους λέγει, Ὁ ποιῶν τοὺς ἀγγέλους αὐτοῦ πνεύματα, καὶ τοὺς λειτουργοὺς αὐτοῦ πυρὸς φλόγα· πρὸς δὲ τὸν νιόν, 8 Ὁ θρόνος σου, δὲ Θεός, εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα τοῦ αἰῶνος, καὶ ἡ ἡδύδος τῆς εὐθύτητος ῥάβδος τῆς βασιλείας σου· ἡγάπητας 9 δικαιοσύνην, καὶ ἐμίσησας ἀνομίαν· διὰ τοῦτο ἔχρισέ σε δὲ Θεός, δὲ Θεός σου, ἔλαιον ἀγαλλιάσεως παρὰ τοὺς μετόχους σου. καὶ, Σὺ κατ’ ἄρχας, Κύριε, 10 τὴν γῆν ἐθεμελίωσας, καὶ ἔργα τῶν χειρῶν σου εἰσὺν οἱ οὐρανοὶ αὐτοὶ τι 11 ἀπολοῦνται, σὺ δὲ διαμένεις· καὶ πάντες ὡς ἴμάτιον παλαιωθήσονται, καὶ 12 ὡσεὶ περιβόλαιον ἐλίξεις αὐτούς, ὡς ἴμάτιον, καὶ ἀλλαγήσονται· σὺ δὲ δὲ αὐτὸς εἰ, καὶ τὰ ἔτη σου οὐκ ἐκλείψουσι. 13 πρὸς τίνα δὲ τῶν ἀγγέλων ἔργηκε ποτε, Κάθον ἐκ δεξιῶν μου, ἔως ἂν θῶ τοὺς ἔχθρούς σου ὑποπόδιον τῶν ποδῶν σου; οὐχὶ πάντες εἰσὶ λειτουργικά 14 πνεύματα εἰς διακονίαν ἀποστελλόμενα διὰ τοὺς μέλλοντας κληρονομεῖν σωτηρίαν;

Ps. 2⁷,⁸ νιός μου εἰ σύ, ἐγὼ σῆμερον γεγένηκα σε. αἴτησαι παρ’ ἐμοῦ, καὶ δώσω σοι ἔθνη τὴν κληρονομίαν σου, καὶ τὴν κατάσχεσίν σου τὰ πέρατα τῆς γῆς.

Ps. 103 (104)⁴ δὲ ποιῶν τοὺς ἀγγέλους αὐτοῦ πνεύματα, καὶ τοὺς λειτουργοὺς αὐτοῦ πῦρ φλέγον².

Ps. 109 (110)¹ κάθον ἐκ δεξιῶν μου ἔως ἂν θῶ τοὺς ἔχθρούς σου ὑπόποδιον τῶν ποδῶν σου.

¹ C. reads κεκληρονόμηκεν ὄνομα.

² A^a read πυρὸς φλέγα.

There can be practically no doubt that in this passage we have a reminiscence of the first chapter of the Hebrews. The following are the most important points:—

1. Clement quotes the first words of Heb. 1³, and then Heb. 1⁴, omitting the intervening words, and with the following changes. Clement reads *μεγαλωσύνης* for *δόξης*, *μείζων ἐστίν* for *κρείττων γενόμενος*: he omits *παρ' αὐτούς*, and in the best texts transposes *κεκληρονόμηκεν* and *ὄνομα*. The substitution of *μεγαλωσύνη* for *δόξα* might easily be accounted for by the occurrence of the former at the end of Heb. 1³.

2. Clement then quotes, with the formula *γέγραπται*, Ps. 104⁴, in a form which corresponds exactly with Heb. 1⁷. It can hardly be doubted that Clement intends to quote the Psalm, but the form in which he does it is exactly the same as that in Hebrews, while it differs from the best text of the LXX in one particular. Clement reads *πυρὸς φλόγα*, while the LXX reads *πῦρ φλέγον* (A^a *πυρὸς φλέγα*).

3. Clement then quotes Ps. 2⁷ and ⁸, while in Heb. 1⁵ only Ps. 2⁷ is quoted.

4. Clement then quotes Ps. 110¹, which is quoted in Heb. 1¹³.

We have then an almost verbal citation from the Hebrews, and the citation of a group of passages from the Psalms which would be difficult to explain except as suggested by the Hebrews. It may, indeed, be objected that the latter phenomenon might be explained as being due to the citation of some collection of Messianic passages in common use; but against this it must be observed that the passage quoted from Ps. 104⁴, which occurs naturally in the context in Heb. 1⁷, would not naturally be included in any collection of Messianic passages.

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| (20) Clem. xvii. 5. | Heb. 3 ² . | Num. 12 ⁷ . |
|-----------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| Μωϋσῆς πιστὸς ἐν τῷ οἴκῳ αὐτοῦ ἐ- | Ἰησοῦν, πιστὸν ὅντα τῷ ποιήσαντι αὐτόν, ὡς καὶ Μωσῆς ἐν ὅλῳ τῷ οἴκῳ αὐτοῦ. | δὲ θεράπων μου Μωσῆς ἐν ὅλῳ τῷ κλήθη. |

The passage might be based on Num. 12⁷, but the

substitution of *αὐτοῦ* for *μοῦ* suggests the influence of the Hebrews.

Cf. Clem. xlivi. 1 and Heb. 3⁵.

(21) Clem. xxxvi. 1.

Heb. 2¹⁸, 3¹.

'Ιησοῦν Χριστόν, τὸν ἀρχιερέα τῶν προσφορῶν ἡμῶν, τὸν προστάτην καὶ βοηθὸν τῆς ἀσθενείας ἡμῶν.

ἐν φῷ γὰρ πέπανθεν αὐτὸς πειρασθείς, δύναται τοῖς πειραζομένοις βοηθῆσαι . . . κατανοήσατε τὸν ἀπόστολον καὶ ἀρχιερέα τῆς ὁμολογίας ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦν.

It seems probable that we have in this passage a reminiscence of the Hebrews. Cf. Clem. lxi. 3 and lxiv.

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(22) Clem. xvii. 1.

Heb. 11^{37, 39}.

μιμητὰ γενώμεθα κἀκείνων οἵτινες ἐν δέρμασιν αἰγείοις καὶ μηλωταῖς πεμπεπάτησαν κηρύσσοντες τὴν ἔλευσιν τοῦ Χριστοῦ· λέγωμεν δὲ Ἡλίαν καὶ Ἐλισαέ, ἔτι δὲ καὶ Ἰεζεκιὴλ, τοὺς προφήτας, πρὸς τούτους καὶ τοὺς μεμαρτυρημένους.

περιῆλθον ἐν μηλωταῖς, ἐν αἰγείοις δέρμασιν, ὑστερούμενοι, θλιβόμενοι, κακουχούμενοι . . . καὶ αὗτοι πάντες, μαρτυρηθέντες διὰ τῆς πίστεως, οὐκ ἐκομίσαντα τὴν ἐπαγγελίαν.

It would at first sight appear that we have in the passage of Clement a probable reminiscence of the passage in the Hebrews, but against this it must be observed:—

1. That the author of the Hebrews is very possibly using some uncanonical source.

2. That it is, therefore, quite possible that the passage in Clement is founded upon this source rather than on Hebrews, and that the reference to Elijah, Isaiah, and Ezekiel points in this direction.

(23) Clem. xix. 2.

Heb. 12¹.

πολλῶν οὖν καὶ μεγάλων καὶ ἐνδόξων μετειληφότες πράξεων ἀπαναδράμωμεν ἐπὶ τὸν ἐξ ἀρχῆς παραδεδομένον ἡμῖν τῆς εἰρήνης σκοπόν, καὶ ἀτενίσωμεν εἰς τὸν πατέρα καὶ κτίστηρ τοῦ σύμπαντος κόσμου, καὶ ταῖς μεγαλαπρεπέσι καὶ ὑπερβαλλούσαις αὐτοῦ δωρεᾶς τῆς εἰρήνης ἐνεργεσίαις τε κολληθῶμεν.

ταιγαραῦν καὶ ἡμεῖς, τοσοῦτον ἔχοντες περικείμενον ἡμῖν νέφος μαρτύρων, ὅγκον ἀποθέμενοι πάντα καὶ τὴν εὐπερίστατον ἀμαρτίαν δι' ὑπαμονῆς τρέχωμεν τὸν προκείμενον ἡμῖν ἀγῶνα, ἀφορῶντες εἰς τὸν τῆς πίστεως ἀρχήγον καὶ τελειωτὴν Ἰησοῦν.

There is little correspondence in phrase, but a strong similarity in general conception. But if the preceding passage is founded upon some uncanonical document, the influence of the document might also extend to the present one.

(24) Clem. xxi. 9.

ἐρευνητής γάρ ἐστιν ἐννοιῶν καὶ ζῶν γὰρ ὁ λόγος τοῦ Θεοῦ, καὶ ἐνθυμήσεων οὐδὲν ἡ πνοὴ αὐτοῦ ἐν ἡμῖν ἐνεργήσ· . . . καὶ κριτικὸς ἐνθυμήσεων ἐστίν, καὶ ὅταν θέλῃ ἀνελεῖ αὐτήν. καὶ ἐννοιῶν καρδίας.

It seems possible that we have here a reminiscence of the Hebrews, but it must be noticed :—

1. We have ἐρευνητής instead of κριτικός.

2. The subject of the sentence is not the same ; in Hebrews it is the Word of God, in Clement it seems to be the Fear of God.

3. The conception is found also in Philo ‘Quis rer. div. heres,’ 26, 27.

(25) Clem. xxvii. 1.

ταύτη σὺν τῇ ἀλπίδι προσδεδέσθωσαν αἱ ψυχαὶ ἡμῶν τῷ πιστῷ ἐν ταῖς ἐπαγγελίαις καὶ τῷ δικαίῳ ἐν τοῖς κρίμασιν.

Heb. 10²³.

πιστὸς γὰρ ὁ ἐπαγγειλάμενος.

Heb. 11¹¹.

ἐπεὶ πιστὸν ἡγήσατο τὸν ἐπαγγειλάμενον.

(26) Clem. xxvii. 2.

οὐδὲν γὰρ ἀδύνατον παρὰ τῷ θεῷ εἰ μὴ τὸ φεύγασθαι.

Heb. 6¹⁸.

ἐν οἷς ἀδύνατον φεύγασθαι Θεόν.

(27) Clem. lvi. 4.

ὅν γὰρ ἀγαπᾷ Κύριος παιδεύει, μαστιγοῖ δὲ πάντα νιὸν ὃν παραδέχεται . . .

Heb. 12⁶.

ὅν γὰρ ἀγαπᾷ Κύριος παιδεύει, μαστιγοῖ δὲ πάντα νιὸν ὃν παραδέχεται,

Prov. 3¹².

ὅν γὰρ ἀγαπᾷ Κύριος ἐλέγχει¹ μαστιγοῖ δὲ πάντα νιὸν ὃν παραδέχεται.

¹ NA read παιδεύει.

C

Acts

(28) Clem. xviii. 1.

τί δὲ εἴπωμεν ἐπὶ τῷ μεμαρτυρημένῳ Δανίδ; πρὸς ὃν εἴπειν ὁ Θεός· Εἶρον ἄνδρα κατὰ τὴν καρδίαν μου, Δανίδ τὸν τοῦ Ἱεσσαί ἐν ἐλέει αἰωνίῳ ἔχριστα αὐτόν.

Acts 13²².

Ἔγειρε τὸν Δαβὶδ αὐτοῖς εἰς βασιλέα, φέ καὶ εἰπε μαρτυρήσας, Εὗρον Δαβὶδ τὸν τοῦ Ἱεσσαί, ἄνδρα κατὰ τὴν καρδίαν μου, ὃς ποιήσει πάντα τὰ θελήματά μου.

Ps. 88 (89) ²¹.1 Sam. 13¹⁴.

εὑραν Δανεὶδ τὸν δοῦλόν μου, ἐν καὶ ζητήσει Κύριος ἑαυτῷ ἀνθρωπον
ἔλεει¹ ἀγίῳ ἔχριστα αὐτόν.

¹ B^a ελεω (R ?), B^bNA(R ?)T ελαιω.

It is to be noticed in the passages that:—

1. Clement and the author of the Acts combine phrases from the Psalm and from 1 Samuel.

2. Clement and the Acts both insert the words *τὸν τὸν Ἰεσσαῖ*, which are not read either in the Psalm or in 1 Samuel.

3. Clement and Acts agree in reading *ἄνδρα*, Ps. 88²¹ reads *δοῦλον*, and 1 Sam. 13¹⁴ reads *ἄνθρωπον*.

There are, however, certain differences between Clement and the Acts:—

1. Clement finishes the quotation with the words *ἐν ἐλέει αἰώνιῳ ἔχριστα αὐτόν*, agreeing with the Psalm.

2. Acts concludes the quotation with *ὅς ποιήσει πάντα τὰ θελήματά μον* (cf. Isa. 44²⁸), for which there is no authority either in the LXX, or in the Hebrew of the Psalm, or of 1 Sam. 13¹⁴.

The phenomena of the passages are thus somewhat complicated; the conclusion to which we incline is that Clement intended to quote Ps. 88²¹—this would seem to be indicated by the conclusion of the passage—but that he has possibly been influenced by a recollection of the passage as it is quoted in Acts 13²². It seems difficult otherwise to account for the combination of the passages from the Psalm and from 1 Samuel, and for the addition of the words *τὸν τὸν Ἰεσσαῖ*, which is found both in Acts and in Clement.

It must, however, be observed that these suggestions do not account for the conclusion of the quotation in the Acts. It may be suggested that this is simply an example of the inaccuracy which may be due to quotation from memory. But it may also be suggested that the form of the quotation in Acts may be due to some other cause, e. g. the possible influence of some collection of Davidic or Messianic passages. It is possible that such collections of O. T. passages may have been current in Apostolic times. Such a collection might explain the phenomena presented by the passages in Clement

and in the Acts without requiring any direct dependence of the one upon the other.

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(29) Clem. ii. 1.

Acts 20³⁵.

πάντες τε ἐταπεινοφρονέτε μηδὲν μνημονεύειν τε τῶν λόγων τοῦ ἀλαζονεύμενοι, ὑποτασσόμενοι μᾶλλον Κυρίου Ἰησοῦν, ὅτι αὐτὰς εἶπε, Μακάριον ἐστὶ μᾶλλον διδόναι ἢ λαμβάνειν. ἡ ὑποτάσσοντες, ἥδη διδόντες ἢ λαμβάνοντες, τοῖς ἐφοδίοις τοῦ Θεοῦ ἀρκούμενοι.

The phrase in Clement finds a parallel in the words of our Lord quoted by St. Paul, but we do not feel that the circumstances are such that we are compelled to think that Clement has the passage in the Acts in his mind.

1. St. Paul is quoting an otherwise unrecorded saying of our Lord's, which may have been known to Clement simply as a saying of our Lord current among Christian men.

2. It is possible that the phrase in Clement has no direct relation to any particular saying of our Lord, but represents a conception current among Christians.

(30) Clem. lix. 2.

Acts 26¹⁸.

ἐκάλεσεν ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ σκότους εἰς φῶς. ἐπιστρέψαι ἀπὸ σκότους εἰς φῶς.

Cf. Col. 1¹³ and 1 Peter 2⁹, under (42) and (49).

Titus

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(31) Clem. i. 3.

Titus 2^{4, 5}.

γυναιξίν τε ἐν ἀμώμῳ καὶ σεμνῇ καὶ ἀγνῇ συνειδήσει πάντα ἐπιμελεῖν παρηγγέλετε, στεργούσας καθηκόντως τοὺς ἄνδρας ἔαντων· ἔν τε τῷ κανόνι τῆς ὑποταγῆς ὑπαρχόνσας τὰ κατὰ τὸν οἴκον σεμνῶς οἰκουργεῖν¹ ἐδιδάσκετε, πάνυ σωφρονούσας.

ἴνα σωφρονίζωσι τὰς νέας φιλάνδρους εἶναι, φιλοτέκνους, σώφρονας, ἀγνάς, οἰκουργούς², ἀγαθάς, ὑποτασσομένας τοῖς ἰδίοις ἄνδρασιν, ἴνα μὴ ὁ λόγος τοῦ Θεοῦ βλασφημῆται·

¹ L. regere; S. curam gerentes; C. (e rasura) οἰκουρεῖν. ² ΝοD οἰκουρούς.

The passage in Clement contains a number of phrases which correspond with those of Titus.

ἀγνῇ συνειδήσει.

ἀγνάς.

στεργούσας καθηκόντως τοὺς ἄνδρας
ἔαντων.

φιλάνδρους.

ἐν τῷ κανόνι τῆς ὑποταγῆς ὑπάρχούσας.
οἰκουργεῖν.
πάνυ σωφρονούσας.

ὑποτασσομένας τοῖς ἰδίοις ἀνδράσιν.
οἰκουργούσ·
σώφρονας.

There is a parallel list in Philo, *De Execr. γυναικας σώφρονας οἰκουροὺς καὶ φιλάνδρους.*

The Committee is inclined to think that the correspondence of phrases, and especially of οἰκουργεῖν and οἰκουργούσ, cannot well be accounted for by chance, and makes it probable that the one writer is dependent on the other: they have, therefore, with some hesitation, decided to place the passage in Class C.

(I am inclined to think that the correspondence of the two passages may be accounted for by the conjecture that the author of Titus and Clement are both using some manual of directions for the moral life.—A. J. C.)

| d | Titus 3 ¹ . |
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| (32) Clem. ii. 7. | πρὸς πᾶν ἔργον ἀγαθὸν ἔτοιμον εἶναι. |
| ἔτοιμοι εἰς πᾶν ἔργον ἀγαθόν. | 2 Tim. 2 ²¹ . |
| Clem. xxiv. 4. | εἰς πᾶν ἔργον ἀγαθὸν ἡτοιμασμένον. |
| μὴ ὀργοὺς μηδὲ παρειμένους εἶναι ἐπὶ πᾶν ἔργον ἀγαθόν. | 2 Tim. 3 ¹⁷ . |
| | πρὸς πᾶν ἔργον ἀγαθὸν ἐξηρτισμένος. |
| | 2 Cor. 9 ⁸ . |
| | ἴνα . . . περισσεύητε εἰς πᾶν ἔργον ἀγαθόν. |

| D | 2 Cor. 3 ¹⁸ . |
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| 2 Corinthians | |
| (33) Clem. xxxvi. 2. | ἡμεῖς δὲ πάντες ἀνακεκαλυμμένῳ προσώπῳ τὴν δόξαν Κυρίου κατοπτριζόμενοι τὴν αὐτήν εἰκόνα μεταμορφούμεθα ἀπὸ δόξης εἰς δόξαν, καθάπερ ἀπὸ Κυρίου Πνεύματος. |

The form of the two passages is very different, and there is little correspondence between the conceptions; but the phrases ἐνοπτριζόμεθα and κατοπτριζόμενοι might seem to suggest some connexion.

Dr. Lightfoot has, however, pointed out in his note that there is a parallel phrase in Philo, *Leg. Alleg.* iii. 33 μηδὲ κατοπτρισαμην ἐν ἄλλῳ τινὶ τὴν σὴν ἰδέαν ἢ ἐν σοὶ τῷ Θεῷ. It would appear that the phrase is not distinctive enough to enable us to infer that Clement knew this Epistle.

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(34) Clem. v. 5, 6. 2 Cor. ii^{23—27}.

Clement's enumeration of St. Paul's sufferings might at first sight seem to suggest this Epistle; but these would probably be known to Clement apart from the account in the Epistle, and one of his statements, ἐπτάκις δεσμὰ φορέσας, is obviously not derived from the Epistle.

Galatians

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| (35) Clem. ii. 1. | Gal. 3 ¹ . | Deut. 28 ⁵⁶ . |
| καὶ τὰ παθήματα αὐτοῦ | οἵς κατ' ὀφθαλμοὺς | καὶ ἔσται ἡ ζωὴ σου |
| ἢν πρὸ ὀφθαλμῶν ὑμῶν. | Ἰησοῦς Χριστὸς προ- | κρεμαμένη ἀπέναντι τῶν |
| | εγράφη ἐσταυρωμένος. | ὀφθαλμῶν σου. |

It has been suggested that St. Paul has been influenced by Deuteronomy, and that Clement is affected both by Deuteronomy and by St. Paul.

But the coincidence appears to be too uncertain to serve as the foundation for the conclusion that Clement was acquainted with Galatians.

(36) Clem. v. 2.

Gal. 2⁹.

The word *στῦλοι* is used in both passages in connexion with the Apostles and leading men in the Church.

Dr. Lightfoot, however, has pointed out in his note that the use of the word seems to have been very common in this sense in Jewish writers.

Ephesians

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(37) Clem. xxxvi. 2. Eph. 4¹⁸.

These passages have already been considered in connexion with Rom. 1²¹, see (5). It should be observed that Clement's ἐσκοτωμένη διάνοια corresponds with Ephesians ἐσκοτισμένοι (NAB, W. & H. ἐσκοτωμένοι) τῇ διανοίᾳ.

(38) Clem. xlvi. 6.

ἡ οὐχὶ ἔνα θεὸν ἔχομεν καὶ ἔνα Χριστὸν καὶ ἐν πνεῦμα τῆς χάριτος τὸ ἐκχυθὲν ἐφ' ἡμᾶς; καὶ μία κλῆσις ἐν Χριστῷ;

Eph. 4⁴⁻⁶.

ἐν σῶμα καὶ ἐν Πνεύμα, καθὼς καὶ ἐκλήθητε ἐν μᾶς ἐλπίδι τῆς κλήσεως ἡμῶν, εἰς Κύριος, μία πλοτις, ἐν βαπτισμα, εἰς Θεός καὶ πατὴρ πάντων, διὸ ἐπὶ πάντων καὶ διὰ πάντων καὶ ἐν πᾶσιν. ἐνὶ δὲ ἐκάστῳ ἡμῶν ἐδόθη ἡ χάρις κατὰ τὸ μέτρον τῆς δωρεᾶς τοῦ Χριστοῦ.

It is noticeable that there is not only a general resemblance between these two passages, but a close correspondence in phrase—

Clem.

1. ἔνα Θεόν.
2. ἔνα Χριστόν.
3. ἐν πνεῦμα τῆς χάριτος τὸ ἐκχυθὲν ἐφ' ἡμᾶς.
4. μία κλῆσις ἐν Χριστῷ.

Eph.

1. εἰς Θεός.
2. εἰς Κύριος.
3. ἐν Πνεύμα and ἐνὶ δὲ ἐκάστῳ ἡμῶν ἐδόθη ἡ χάρις κατὰ τὸ μέτρον τῆς δωρεᾶς τοῦ Χριστοῦ.
4. ἐκλήθητε ἐν μᾶς ἐλπίδι τῆς κλήσεως.

Cf. Hermas, *Sym.* ix. 13, 5, and 18, 4.

At first sight it would appear probable that Clement has the passage in Ephesians in his mind; but we must remember that the passages both in Ephesians and in Clement are very possibly founded upon some liturgical forms, and it thus seems impossible to establish any dependence of Clement upon Ephesians.

(39) Clem. lix. 3.

ἀνοίξας τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς τῆς καρδίας
ἡμῶν.

Eph. 1¹⁸.

πεφωτισμένους τοὺς ὀφθαλμοὺς τῆς
καρδίας ὑμῶν.

Cf. Clem. xxxvi. 2.

The phrase is noticeable, and it should be observed that the preceding sentences in Clement have considerable affinity with Eph. 1⁴⁻⁶, 17.

Philippians

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(40) Clem. iii. 4.

μηδὲ . . . παρείσθαι μηδὲ πολι-
τεύεσθαι κατὰ τὸ καθῆκον τῷ Χριστῷ.

Phil. 1²⁷.

μόνον ἀξίως τοῦ εὐαγγελίου τοῦ
Χριστοῦ πολιτεύεσθε.

Clem. xxi. 1.

εἶν μὴ ἀξίως αὐτοῦ πολιτευόμενοι . . .

A possible reminiscence, but the metaphorical use of the

phrases of citizenship in connexion with the moral and spiritual life was probably common.

(41) Clem. xlviij. 1, 2.

Phil. 4¹⁵.

'Αναλάβετε τὴν ἐπιστολὴν τοῦ μακαρίου Παύλου τοῦ ἀποστόλου. τί ἐν ἀρχῇ τοῦ εὐαγγελίου, ὅτε ἐξῆλθον πρῶτον ὑμῖν ἐν ἀρχῇ τοῦ εὐαγγελίου ἔγραψεν;

The phrase *ἐν ἀρχῇ*, &c., is peculiar, and it seems clear that Clement is using it in the same sense as St. Paul.

But it would scarcely appear that this is enough to prove that Clement takes the phrase from Philippians.

Colossians

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(42) Clem. lix. 2.

Col. 1^{12, 13}.

δι' οὐ ἐκάλεσεν ἡμᾶς ἀπὸ σκότους εἰς φῶς, ἀπὸ ἀγνω̄τας εἰς ἐπίγνωσιν δόξης ὄντας αὐτοῦ.

εὐχαριστοῦντες τῷ πατρὶ τῷ ίκανώσαντι ἡμᾶς εἰς τὴν μερίδα τοῦ κλήρου τῶν ἀγίων ἐν τῷ φωτί· ὃς ἐρρύσατο ἡμᾶς ἐκ τῆς ἔξυσίας τοῦ σκότους, καὶ μετέστησεν εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ νιού τῆς ἀγάπης αὐτοῦ.

Cf. also Col. 1⁹.

ἴνα πληροῦθε τὴν ἐπίγνωσιν τοῦ θελήματος αὐτοῦ ἐν πάσῃ σοφίᾳ . . .

The metaphor of transference from darkness to light is worth observing, but it is also found in Acts 26¹⁸ and 1 Peter 2⁹, see (30) and (48).

We cannot, therefore, assert that Clement is dependent upon Colossians.

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(43) Clem. ii. 4.

Col. 2¹.

ἀγῶν ἦν ὑμῖν ἡμέρας τε καὶ νυκτὸς θελω γάρ ὑμᾶς εἰδέναι ἡλίκον ὑπὲρ πάσης τῆς ἀδελφότητος— ἀγῶνα ἔχω ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν—

i *Timothy*

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(44) Clem. lxi. 2.

i Tim. 1¹⁷.

σὺ γάρ, δέσποτα ἐπουράνιε, βασιλεῦ τῷ δὲ βασιλεῖ τῶν αἰώνων, ἀφθάρτῳ, τῶν αἰώνων. ἀοράτῳ, μόνῳ Θεῷ . . .

The phrase is striking, but Dr. Lightfoot has pointed out in his notes on the passage, that it is probably based upon

Jewish liturgical forms, and the phrase itself occurs in Tobit 13^{6, 10}, and in Apoc. 15³ (N and C read *αλώνων*; N^cA and B read *ἐθνῶν*).

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(45) Clem. xxix. 1.

1 Tim. 2⁸.

προσελθωμεν οὖν αὐτῷ ἐν δσιότητι ἐπαιροντας δσίους χεῖρας χωρὶς ψυχῆς, ἄγνας καὶ ἀμιάντους χεῖρας ὀργῆς καὶ διαλογισμοῦ. αἱροντες πρὸς αὐτόν.

The phrase appears to be used by many writers. Cf. Dr. Lightfoot's note.

1 Peter

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(46) Clem. vii. 2, 4.

1 Pet. 1^{18, 19}.

διὸ ἀπολίπωμεν τὰς κενὰς καὶ ματαίας φροντίδας, καὶ ἔλθωμεν ἐπὶ τὸν εὐκλεῖτον καὶ σεμνὸν τῆς παραδόσεως ἡμῶν κανόνα, . . . ἀτενίσωμεν εἰς τὸ αἷμα τοῦ Χριστοῦ καὶ γνῶμεν ὡς ἔστιν τίμιον τῷ θεῷ τῷ πατρὶ αὐτοῦ, ὅτι διὰ τὴν ἡμετέραν σωτηρίαν ἐκχυθὲν παντὶ τῷ κόσμῳ μετανάστας χάριν ἐπήνεγκεν.

εἰδότες ὅτι οὐ φθαρτοῖς, ἀργυρίῳ ἢ χρυσῷ, ἐλυτρώθητε ἐκ τῆς ματαίας ὑμῶν ἀναστροφῆς πατροπαραδότου, ἀλλὰ τιμίῳ αἵματι ὡς ἀμνοῦ ἀμόδου καὶ ἀσπίλου Χριστοῦ . . .

These passages present many points of correspondence of phrase and thought, but the conception of redemption through the blood of Christ is not peculiar to St. Peter's Epistles in the N. T., and may well be supposed to have been current among all Christians.

(47) Clem. xxx. 1, 2.

1 Pet. 2^{1, 5}.

Ἄγιον οὖν μερὶς ὑπάρχοντες ποιήσωμεν τὰ τοῦ ἀγίασμοῦ πάντα, φεύγοντες καταλαλίας, μιαράς τε καὶ ἀνάγνους συμπλοκάς, μέθας τε καὶ νεωτερισμάς καὶ βδελυκτὰς ἐπιθυμίας, μυσεράν μοιχείαν βδελυκτὴν ὑπερηφανίαν. Θεᾶς γάρ, φησίν, ὑπερηφάνοις ἀντιτάσσεται, ταπεινοῖς δὲ δίδωσιν χάριν.

ἀποθέμενοι οὖν πάσαν κακίαν καὶ πάντα δόλον καὶ ὑποκρίσεις καὶ φθόνους καὶ πάσας καταλαλίας ὡς ἀρτιγένητα βρέφη τὸ λογικὸν ἄδολον γάλα ἐπιποθήσατε.

1 Pet. 5⁵ ὅτι ὁ Θεὸς ὑπερηφάνοις ἀντιτάσσεται, ταπεινοῖς δὲ δίδωσι χάριν.

Cf. Jas. 4⁶ διὰ λέγει, δ Θεὸς κτλ.

Prov. 3³⁴.

Κύριος ὑπερηφάνοις ἀντιτάσσεται, ταπεινοῖς δὲ δίδωσιν χάριν.

The correspondence of thought with 1 Peter is interesting, but the last words are probably quoted from Prov. 3³⁴, and

the subject of Clement's passage is probably suggested by the quotation from Deuteronomy, contained in the previous chapter.

(48) Clem. xlix. 5.

ἀγάπη καλύπτει πλῆθος ἀμαρτιῶν.

Prov. 10¹² LXX.

πάντας δὲ τοὺς μὴ φιλονεικοῦντας καλύπτει φιλία.

1 Pet. 4⁸.

ἀγάπη καλύπτει πλῆθος ἀμαρτιῶν.

Prov. 10¹², Heb.

'But love covereth all transgressions.'

Jas. 5²⁰.

δέ ἐπιστρέφεις ἀμαρτιῶν ἐκ πλάνης ὁδοῦ αὐτοῦ σώσει ψυχὴν ἐκ θανάτου, καὶ καλύψει πλῆθος ἀμαρτιῶν.

1. Clement and 1 Peter agree exactly in the terms of the passage; they differ from the Hebrew text of Proverbs in reading 'a multitude' instead of 'all,' and they differ entirely from the LXX text of Proverbs. It would, therefore, at first sight seem probable that Clement is quoting the phrase from 1 Peter.

2. A. Resch (*Agrapha*, p. 248) has argued that this phrase was originally a saying of our Lord, and brings forward the following parallels.

Didasc. ii. 3.

ὅτι λέγει Κύριος· ἀγάπη καλύπτει πλῆθος ἀμαρτιῶν.

Clem. Alex. *Paedagog.* iii. 12.

ναὶ μὴν καὶ περὶ ἀγάπης ἀγάπη, φησί, καλύπτει πλῆθος ἀμαρτιῶν· καὶ περὶ πολιτείας· ἀπόδοτε τὰ Καίσαρος Καίσαρι καὶ τὰ τοῦ θεοῦ τῷ θεῷ.

2 Clem. xvi. 4.

ἀγάπη δὲ καλύπτει πλῆθος ἀμαρτιῶν.

Resch urges that the author of the *Didascalia* clearly regards the phrase as a saying of our Lord's, but an examination of the context shows plainly that the author cites with the same formula, 'the Lord saith,' passages from the O. T. He also argues that the fact that Clement of Alexandria sets this phrase beside a well-known saying of our Lord, shows that he looked upon it as having been spoken by Him; but again an examination of the context makes it plain that Clement is citing indifferently phrases from the Old and New Testaments as embodying the instruction of the *Paedagogus*.

It appears, therefore, that these parallels do not justify the

conclusion that 1 Peter and Clement are quoting a traditional saying of our Lord.

3. It may, however, be suggested that Clement and 1 Peter are both quoting from some unknown source, i. e. another Greek version of the passage in Proverbs, or some Apocryphal writing, and it does not seem therefore that we can say more than that it is possible that Clement is quoting the passage from 1 Peter.

(49) Clem. lix. 2. 1 Pet. 2⁹.

See under Colossians (42).

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(50) Clem. Introduction. 1 Pet. 1^{1, 2}.

There are some parallel phrases, but they are not sufficiently important or distinctive to require special discussion.

(51) Clem. ii. 2. 1 Pet. 4¹⁹.
ἀγαθοποιῶν. *ἐν ἀγαθοποιᾷ.*

The word occurs in the N. T. only in 1 Peter, and is not found in the LXX or other Greek versions of the O. T. and Apocrypha; and apparently it does not occur in classical literature.

(52) Clem. ii. 4. 1 Pet. 2¹⁷.
τῆς ἀδελφότητος. *τὴν ἀδελφότητα.*
τῆς ἀδελφότητος. 1 Pet. 5⁹.
τῇ ἀδελφότητι.

The word occurs in the N. T. only in 1 Peter; it is found in the LXX of 1 Macc. 12^{10, 17}, but in the sense of ‘brotherly affection.’ It does not apparently occur in classical literature.

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| <i>I John</i> | d | <i>I John 4¹⁸.</i> |
| (53) Clem. xlix. 5. | | ἐν τῇ ἀγάπῃ ἐτελειώθησαν πάντες οἱ |
| | | ὅ δὲ φοβούμενος οὐ τετελείωται ἐν |
| ἐκλεκτοὶ τοῦ Θεοῦ. | | τῇ ἀγάπῃ. |

Clem. l. 3.
ἀλλ' οἱ ἐν ἀγάπῃ τελειωθέντες . . .

There is a verbal similarity between the first passage in Clement and that in John, but the meaning is different; the

meaning in the second passage may perhaps be the same as in John.

Apocalypse

(54) Clem. xxxiv. 3.

προλέγει γάρ ήμιν
'ιδού ὁ Κύριος, καὶ δ
μισθὸς αὐτοῦ πρὸ προσ-
ώπου αὐτοῦ, ἀποδούναι
ἐκάστῳ κατὰ τὸ ἔργον
αὐτοῦ.

dApoc. 22¹².

ἰδαύ, ἔρχομαι ταχύ,
καὶ δι μισθός μου μετ'
ἔμοι, ἀποδούναι ἐκάστῳ
ὡς τὸ ἔργον ἐστὶν αὐτοῦ.

Isa. 40¹⁰.

ἰδού Κύριος, Κύριος
μετὰ ἵσχυος ἔρχεται . . .
ἰδού δι μισθὸς αὐτοῦ μετ'
αὐτοῦ, καὶ τὸ ἔργον ἐναν-
τίον αὐτοῦ.

Isa. 62¹¹.

ἰδού δι σωτῆρ σου
παραγέγονεν ἔχων τὸν
ἴαντοῦ μισθόν, καὶ τὸ
ἔργον αὐτοῦ πρὸ προσ-
ώπου αὐτοῦ.

Prov. 24¹².

καὶ δι πλάσας πνοὴν
πᾶτιν αὐτὸς οἰδεν πάντα,
δις ἀποδίδωσιν ἐκάστῳ
κατὰ τὰ ἔργα αὐτοῦ.

The passages in Clement and the Apocalypse seem to be made up of a combination of phrases from Isaiah and Proverbs. The combination is noticeable, but may perhaps be accounted for by the hypothesis that it may have been made in some earlier Apocalyptic work. Cf. Barnabas (27).

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(55) Clem. xiii. 1 f.

μάλιστα μεμνημένου
τῶν λόγων τοῦ κυρίου
'Ιησοῦ, οὐσι ἐλάλησεν
διδάσκων ἐπιείκειαν καὶ
μακροθυμίαν. οὗτος γάρ
1 εἶπεν 'Ελεάτε ἵνα ἐλεή-
2 θῆτε, ἀφίετε ἵνα ἀφεθῇ
3 ὑμῖν ὡς ποιεῖτε, οὕτω
4 ποιηθήσεται ὑμῖν ὡς
δίδοτε, οὕτως δοθήσεται
5 ὑμῖν ὡς κρίνετε, οὕτως

Matt. 5⁷, &c.

5⁷ μακάριοι οἱ ἐλεή-
μονες· διτι αὐτοὶ ἐλεηθή-
σονται.

6¹² καὶ ἄφεις ὑμῖν
τὰ διφειλήματα ὑμῶν, ὡς
καὶ ὑμεῖς ἀφήκαμεν τοῖς
διφειλέταις ὑμῶν.

6¹⁴ ἐὰν γάρ ἀφῆτε
τοῖς ἀνθρώποις τὰ παρα-
πτώματα αὐτῶν, ἀφήσει
καὶ ὑμῖν δι πατήρ ὑμῶν δ

Luke 6^{31, 36-38}.

6³¹ καὶ καθὼς θελετε
ἵνα ποιῶσιν ὑμῖν οἱ δι-
θρωποι, καὶ ὑμεῖς ποιεῖτε
αὐτοῖς δόμοις.

6³⁶ γίνεσθε οἰκτίρ-
μονες, καθὼς δι πατήρ
ὑμῶν οἰκτίρμων ἔστι.
καὶ μὴ κρίνετε καὶ οὐ μὴ
κριθῆτε; καὶ μὴ κατα-
δικάζετε, καὶ οὐ μὴ κατα-
δικασθῆτε· ἀπολύνετε, καὶ

6 κριθήσεσθε· ὡς χρη-
στεύεσθε, οὐτως χρη-
γ στευθήσεται ὑμῖν^{1.} φ
μέτρῳ μετρεῖτε, ἐν αὐτῷ
μετρηθήσεται² ὑμῖν.

¹ Lat. omits the clause.

² Lat. reads remetietur.

οὐράνιος, ἐὰν δὲ μὴ ἀφῆτε
τοὺς ἀνθρώπους τὰ παρα-
πτώματα αὐτῶν, οὐδὲ δὲ
πατὴρ ὑμῶν ἀφήσει τὰ
παραπτώματα ὑμῶν.

7¹ μὴ κρίνετε, ἵνα
μὴ κριθῆτε· ἐν φῷ γάρ κρί-
ματι κρίνετε κριθήσεσθε,
καὶ ἐν φῷ μέτρῳ μετρεῖτε
μετρηθήσεται ὑμῖν.

7² πάντα οὖν ὅσα
ἂν θέλητε ἵνα ποιῶ-
σιν ὑμῖν οἱ ἀνθρώποι,
οὗτοι καὶ ὑμεῖς ποιεῖτε
αὐτοῖς· οὗτος γάρ ἔστιν
ὁ νόμος καὶ οἱ προφῆται.

Clem. Alex.
Stromata, ii. 18, 91.

ἔλεατε, φησὶν ὁ Κύριος,
ἵνα ἐλεηθῆτε· ἀφίετε, ἵνα
ἀφεθῇ ὑμῖν ὡς ποιεῖτε,
οὐτως ποιηθήσεται ὑμῖν·
ὡς δίδοτε οὐτως δοθή-
σεται ὑμῖν ὡς κρίνετε,
οὐτως κριθήσεσθε· ὡς
χρηστεύεσθε, οὐτως χρη-
στευθήσεται ὑμῖν· φῷ μέ-
τρῳ μετρεῖτε, ἀντιμετρη-
θήσεται ὑμῖν.

Polycarp ii. 3.

μυημονεύοντες δὲ ὅν
εἰπεν δὲ Κύριος διδάσκων
μὴ κρίνετε ἵνα μὴ κριθῆτε·
ἀφίετε, καὶ ἀφεθήσεται
ὑμῖν· ἐλεατε, ἵνα¹ ἐλεη-
θῆτε, φῷ μέτρῳ μετρεῖτε,
ἀντιμετρηθήσεται ὑμῖν.

¹ Lat. et.

ἀπαλυθήσεσθε· δίδοτε καὶ
δοθήσεται ὑμῖν· μέτρον
καλόν, πεπιεσμένον, σε-
σαλευμένον ὑπερεκχυνό-
μενον, δώσουσι εἰς τὸν
κόλπον ὑμῶν. φῷ γάρ
μέτρῳ μετρεῖτε, ἀντι-
μετρηθήσεται ὑμῖν.

Didasc. ii. 21.

οὐδὸς δὲ εἰρήνης ἔστιν
δ σωτὴρ ὑμῶν [Ιησοῦς ὁ
Χριστός], θις καὶ εἰπεν
ἀφετε καὶ ἀφεθήσεται
ὑμῖν [δίδοτε καὶ δοθή-
σεται ὑμῖν]^{2.}

² Syr. Lat. omit δίδοτε
... ὑμῖν.

Didasc. ii. 42.

ὅτι λέγει ὁ Κύριος· φῷ κρίματι κρί-
νετε, κριθήσεσθε, καὶ ὡς καταδικά-
ζετε, καταδικασθήσεσθε.

Macarius Aegypt., Hom.

xxxvii. 3.
καθὼς ἐνετεῖλατο, ἀφετε καὶ ἀφεθή-
σεται ὑμῖν.

The phenomena of the passage are very complex.

I. The passage numbered 1 has no phrase directly corresponding to it in any of our Gospels, but might be founded on Matt. 5^{7.}

The passage numbered 2 has no proper parallel in St. Matthew, but is near Luke ἀπολύετε, &c.

No. 3 has no proper parallel in our Gospels, but may be compared with Matt. 7¹² and Luke 6³¹.

No. 4 has no parallel in Matthew, but is very near Luke 6³⁸, only Clement has ὡς and οὐτως, while Luke has καὶ.

No. 5 is parallel to Matt. 7¹ and Luke 6³⁷, but Clement has ὡς and οὖτως, while Matthew has μή and ὥνα μὴ κριθῆτε, and Luke μή and καὶ οὐ μὴ κριθῆτε.

No. 6 has no parallel in either Gospel.

No. 7 is parallel to Matt. 7¹ and Luke 6³⁶, but Matthew has ἐν φ̄ for φ̄, and Luke inserts γάρ after φ̄, and reads ἀντιμετρηθήσεται.

II. Resch (*Agrapha*, p. 136) has collected a number of parallels.

Clement of Alexandria has the passage exactly as in Clement with a few unimportant variations.

Clement of Alexandria's use of Clement of Rome is well established, and this fact, therefore, requires no special explanation.

In Polycarp some of Clement's phrases recur, cf. (75).

No. 1 is exactly the same, but Lat. reads *et*.

No. 2 is in Polycarp, but he reads καὶ ἀφεθήσεται instead of ὥνα ἀφεθῆ.

Nos. 3 and 4 are not in Polycarp.

No. 5 is found in Polycarp, but in the same form as in St. Matthew, not in Clement's form.

No. 6 is not in Polycarp.

No. 7 is found in Polycarp, but he omits Clement's ἐν αὐτῷ, and reads ἀντιμετρηθήσεται like Luke, yet he omits Luke's γάρ.

Didasc. ii. 21.

No. 2 is in the same form as in Polycarp.

No. 4 reads exactly as in Luke (but see critical note to text), omitting Clement's ὡς and οὖτως.

Didasc. ii. 42.

No. 5 occurs in the form of Matthew, while the clause καὶ ὡς καταδικάζετε, &c., is parallel to Luke.

Macarius, Hom. xxxvii. 3.

No. 2 reads as Polycarp.

III. To sum up these phenomena—

No. 1 is found in Clem. Alex. and Polycarp.

No. 2 is in Clem. Alex., Polycarp, Didasc., and Macarius.

No. 3 is found only in Clem. Alex.

No. 4 is found in Clem. Alex. and Didasc., but in the latter in the form of Luke.

No. 5 is found in Clem. Alex. and Polycarp, but in the latter in the form of Matthew.

No. 6 is found only in Clem. Alex.

No. 7 is found in Clem. Alex. and Polycarp, but in the latter in a form which approaches nearer to that of Matthew and Luke than that of Clem. Rom.

It must also be observed that except by Clem. Alex. the passage of Clem. Rom. is only partially reproduced, and so far as it is reproduced by Polycarp, it is in a totally different order.

IV. The Committee concludes that in the circumstances it is impossible to say with any confidence what is the source of Clement's quotations. It may be urged that they represent an inaccurate quotation of Matthew and Luke made from memory, but the recurrence in Polycarp of the phrase marked 1, and in Polycarp, Didasc., and Macarius of that marked 2, makes this less probable. On the other hand, the fact that the series of phrases as it is found in Polycarp and the Didasc. is incomplete, and not in the same order as in Clem. Rom., seems to show that there is no one documentary source common to all these writers.

We incline to think that we have in Clem. Rom. a citation from some written or unwritten form of 'Catechesis' as to our Lord's teaching, current in the Roman Church, perhaps a local form which may go back to a time before our Gospels existed.

(56) Clem. xlvi. Matt. 26²⁴. Mark 14²¹. Luke 17^{1, 2}.

7, 8.

οὐαὶ δὲ τῷ ἀν- ὅτι ὁ μὲν νίδος τοῦ Ἀνένδεκτόν ἐστι
μηῆσθητε τῶν λό- θράπω φέκεινῳ δὲ οὐδὲ τὸν τὰ σκάνδαλα μὴ
γων ἵησοῦ τοῦ Κυ- ὁ νίδος τοῦ ἀνθρώπου θὼς γέγραπται περὶ ἐλθεῖν πλὴν οὐαὶ δι'
ρίου ἡμῶν· παραδίδοται· καλὸν αὐτοῦ οὐαὶ δὲ τῷ ἀν- οὐ ἔρχεται, λυσι-
εῖτεν γάρ· Οὐαὶ ἦν αὐτῷ, εἰ οὐκ ἐγεν- θράπω φέκείνῳ, δι' οὐδὲ τελεῖ αὐτῷ εἰ λίθος
τῷ ἀνθρώπῳ ἐκείνῳ· νήθη ὁ ἄνθρωπος ἐ- ὁ νίδος τοῦ ἀνθρώπου μυλικὸς περίκειται
καλὸν ἦν αὐτῷ εἰ μὴ κείνος. παραδίδοται· καλὸν περὶ τὸν τράχηλον
ἐγεννήθη, ἦ ἔνα τῶν 18^{6 f.} ἦν αὐτῷ, εἰ οὐκ ἐγεν- αὐτῷ, καὶ ἔριπται
ἐκλεκτῶν μου σκαν- δος δὲ ἀν σκανδα- νήθη ὁ ἄνθρωπος ἐκεῖ- εἰς τὴν θάλασσαν,
δαλίσαι· κρείττον ἦν λίση ἔνα τῶν μι- νος. ἦ ἔνα σκανδαλίση

αὐτῷ περιτεθῆναι μύ- κρῶν τούτων τῶν 9⁴². τῶν μικρῶν τούτων
λον καὶ καταποντι- πιστευόντων εἰς ἐμέ, καὶ ὅς ἀν σκανδα- ἔνα.
σθῆναι εἰς τὴν θά- συμφέρει αὐτῷ, ἵνα λίση ἔνα τῶν μικρῶν
λασσαν, ἡ ἔνα τῶν κρεμασθῆμός ὁνικὸς τούτων τῶν πιστευ-
μικρῶν μου σκανδα- περὶ τὸν τράχηλον ὄντων εἰς ἐμέ, καλόν
λίσαι¹. αὐτοῦ, καὶ καταπον- ἐστιν αὐτῷ μᾶλλον

¹ ἐκλεκτῶν μου δια- τισθῇ ἐν τῷ πελά- εἰ περικεῖται μύλος
στρέψαι, Clem. Alex., γει τῆς θαλάσσης. ὁνικὸς περὶ τὸν τρά-
Syr., Lat. . . . πλὴν οὐαὶ τῷ χηλον αὐτοῦ, καὶ βέ-
ἀνθρώπῳ ἐκείνῳ, δι' βληγται εἰς τὴν θά-
ον τὸ σκάνδαλον ἔρ- λασσαν.
χεται.

We have here the combination of the words spoken by our Lord with regard to Judas, recorded by Matthew and Mark, with a saying which is recorded in another connexion in the three Synoptic Gospels. It is not impossible that Clement, quoting from memory, might have combined some words from the one context with the more general saying, and that he may thus be quoting from one or other of the Gospels. But it is just as probable that we have here, as in Clem. xiii, a quotation from some form of catechetical instruction in our Lord's doctrine.

(57) Clem. xxiv. 5.
ἔξῆλθεν δ σπείρων.

Matt. 13^o; Mark 4^s; Luke 8⁵.
ἔξῆλθεν δ σπείρων.

(58) Clem. xv. 2.

λέγει γάρ που; οὗτος
ό λαὸς τοῖς χειλεσίν με
τιμᾷ, ἡ δὲ καρδία αὐτῶν
πόρρω ἀπεστιν ἀπ' ἐμοῦ.

Matt. 15⁸.

καλῶς προεφήτευσε
περὶ ὑμῶν Ἡσαΐας
λέγων, δ λαὸς οὗτος τοῖς
χειλεσίν με τιμᾷ, ἡ δὲ
καρδία αὐτῶν πόρρω
ἀπέχει ἀπ' ἐμοῦ.

Isa. 29¹⁸.

καὶ εἴπει Κύριος, ἐγ-
γίζει μοι ὁ λαὸς οὗτος
ἐν τῷ στόματι αὐτοῦ, καὶ
ἐν τοῖς χειλεσίν αὐτῶν
τιμῶσίν με, ἡ δὲ καρδία
αὐτῶν πόρρω ἀπέχει ἀπ'
ἐμοῦ.

Mark 7^o.

Practically the
same.

The quotation is probably from Isaiah, but the form of the quotation in Clement is the same as that in the Gospels: cf. 2 Clem. (33).

IGNATIUS

INTRODUCTION.

BESIDES his references to books of N.T., none of which stands as a direct quotation, Ignatius occasionally quotes from, or refers to, books of O.T. The passages are these:—

- (a) Eph. v. 3. Prov. 3st.
γέγραπται γάρ· Ὑπερηφάνοις δὲ Κύριος ὑπερηφάνοις ἀντιτάσσεται.
Θεός ἀντιτάσσεται.

This quotation is discussed below (76). Ignatius deviates from the order of the words, besides substituting Θεός for Κύριος.

- (b) Eph. xv. 1. Ps. 33⁹.
εἰπεν καὶ ἐγένετο. εἰπεν καὶ ἐγεννήθησαν.

Here ἐγένετο is a better translation of the original than ἐγεννήθησαν; but we need not suppose that Ignatius had access to the Hebrew text.

- (c) Magn. x. 3. Isa. 66¹⁸.
φῶ πᾶσα γλώσσα πιστεύσασα εἰς συναγαγεῖν πάντα τὰ ἔθνη καὶ τὰς θέουν συνήχθη. γλώσσας.

A loose reference.

- (d) Magn. xii. 1. Prov. 18¹⁷.
ὁ δίκαιος ἔαντοῦ κατήγορος. δίκαιος ἔαντοῦ κατήγορος.

Ignatius here follows the LXX. The Hebrew gives quite a different sense: ‘the first man is upright in his suit; his neighbour then cometh and searcheth him out’ (Lightfoot).

- (e) Magn. xiii. 1. Ps. 1³.
ἴνα πάντα ὅσα ποιεῖτε κατευοδωθῆτε. πάντα ὅσα ἀν ποιῇ κατευοδωθῆται.

- (f) Trall. viii. 2. Isa. 52⁵.
οὐαὶ γὰρ δι' οὐ ἐπὶ ματαιότητι τὸ δόλοινέτε τάδε λέγει δὲ Κύριος, ὅνομά μου ἐπὶ τινων βλασφημεῖται. δὲ ὑμᾶς διὰ παντὸς τὸ ὄνομά μου βλασφημεῖται ἐν τοῖς ἔθνεσιν.

The words are also quoted indirectly by St. Paul (Rom. 2²⁴).

Polycarp (Phil. x. 3) quotes them similarly to Ignatius, and so do the Apostolical Constitutions in two places. Both these last are probably borrowing directly from Ignatius.

(g) Smyrn. i. 2.

Isa. 49²², 62¹⁰.

ἴνα ἅρη σύστημον εἰς τοὺς αἰῶνας.

Cf. also Isa. 5²⁶. LXX has αἱρεῖν σύστημον.

A comparison of these references, and of those in Class B from N. T., will show that Ignatius always quotes from memory; that he is inexact even as compared with his contemporaries; and that he appears sometimes to have a vague recollection of a phrase when he is not thinking of, or wishing to remind his readers of, the original context.

EPISTLES AND ACTS.

A

1 Corinthians

(1) Eph. xvi. 1.

I Cor. 6^{9, 10}.

μὴ πλανᾶσθε, ἀδελφοί μου· οἱ μὴ πλανᾶσθε· οὐτε πόρνοι, . . . οἰκοφθόροι βασιλέιαν Θεοῦ οὐ κληρο- οῦτε μοιχοί . . . βασιλέιαν Θεοῦ κληρονομήσουσιν.

Cf. also Philad. iii Μὴ πλανᾶσθε, ἀδελφοί μου· εἴ τις σχίζοντι ἀκολουθεῖ, βασιλέιαν θεοῦ οὐ κληρονομεῖ. These passages also resemble Gal. 5²¹ (43), where διχοστασίαι and αἱρέσεις are mentioned (cf. σχίζοντι in Philad. iii). οἰκοφθόροι in Ignatius probably means ‘seducers,’ especially μοιχοί: if, however, we understand the ‘house’ to be the *Church* (so Hilgenfeld), we may also compare I Cor. 3¹⁷ εἴ τις τὸν ναὸν τοῦ Θεοῦ φθείρει, φθερεῖ τοῦτον δὲ Θεός.

(2) Eph. xviii. 1.

I Cor. 1^{18, 20}.

σταυροῦ, δέ ἐστι σκάνδαλον τοῖς δέ λόγος γάρ τοῦ σταυροῦ τοῖς μὲν ἀπιστοῦσιν, ἡμῖν δὲ σωτηρίᾳ καὶ ζωῇ ἀπολλυμένοις μωρίᾳ ἐστιν, τοῖς δὲ σωζομένοις ἡμῖν δύναμις Θεοῦ ἐστίν . . . ποὺν σοφός; ποὺν συζητῆτης; ποὺν καύχησις τῶν λεγομένων συνυεῖν; ποὺν σοφός; ποὺν γραμματεύς; ποὺν συζητῆτης τοῦ αἰῶνος τούτου;

St. Paul’s words (*ποὺν σοφός*, &c.) are a paraphrase of Isa. 33¹⁸; cf. also 19¹¹ sq. That Ignatius is quoting St. Paul is made more certain by the echo of I Cor. 1¹⁸ in the preceding sentence. The phrase *σκάνδαλον τοῦ σταυροῦ* occurs Gal. 5¹¹ (44).

(3) Magn. x. 3.

1 Cor. 5⁷.

ἵνπερθεσθε οὖν τὴν κακὴν ζύμην ἐκκαθάρατε τὴν παλαιὰν ζύμην, ἵνα τὴν παλαιωθεῖσαν καὶ ἐναξίσασαν, καὶ ἡτε νέον φύραμα.
μεταβάλεσθε εἰς νέαν ζύμην, ὃς ἔστιν Ἰησοῦς Χριστός.

A free quotation; but there can be little doubt that Ignatius had this passage in his mind.

(4) Rom. v. 1.

1 Cor. 4⁴.

ἀλλ' οὐ παρὰ ταῦτα δεδικάιωμαι. ἀλλ' οὐκ ἐν τούτῳ δεδικάιωμαι.

Ignatius quotes from memory; there is no difference in meaning between παρὰ τοῦτο and ἐν τούτῳ.

(5) Rom. ix. 2.

1 Cor. 15⁸⁻¹⁰.

ἔγὼ γάρ αἰσχύναμαι ἐξ αὐτῶν ἔσχατον δὲ πάντων, ὡσπερεὶ τῷ λέγεσθαι· οὐδὲ γάρ ἄξιός εἰμι, ὅν ἐκτρώματι, ἀφθη κάμοι. ἔγὼ γάρ . . . ἔσχατος αὐτῶν καὶ ἐκτρώμα, ἀλλ' οὐκ εἰμὶ ἴκανὸς καλεῖσθαι ἀπόστολος ἥλεψημαι τις εἶναι, ἢν Θεοῦ ἐπιτύχω. . . χάριτι δὲ Θεοῦ εἰμι ὃ εἰμι.

C

(6) Eph. xv. 3.

1 Cor. 3¹⁶.

πάντα οὖν ποιῶμεν, ὡς αὐτοῦ ἐν μαδὶ Θεοῦ ἔστε, καὶ τὸ Πνεῦμα τοῦ ἡμῶν κατοικοῦντος, ἵνα ὅμεν αὐτοῦ Θεοῦ οἰκεῖ ἐν ὑμῖν.
ναοὶ καὶ αὐτὸς ἐν ἡμῖν Θεός.

Cf. also 1 Cor. 6¹⁹ and 2 Cor. 6¹⁶. See (39). Zahn without reason compares Apoc. 21³.

(7) Trall. ii. 3.

1 Cor. 4¹.

δεῖ δὲ καὶ τὸν διακόνους ὅντας οὕτως ἡμᾶς λογιζέσθω ἄνθρωπος,
μυστηρίων Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ κατὰ πάντα ὡς ὑπηρέτας Χριστοῦ καὶ οἰκονόμους
τρόπον πᾶσιν ἀρέσκειν.

Cf. also 1 Cor. 10³³ ἔγὼ πάντα πᾶσιν ἀρέσκω.

(8) Trall. v. 1.

1 Cor. 3^{1, 2}.

φοβοῦμαι μὴ τηπίοις οὐσια ὑμῶν ὡς τηπίοις ἐν Χριστῷ . . . οὐπω βλάβην παραθῶ. γάρ ἡδύνασθε.

In the next sentence οὐ δυνηθέντες χωρῆσαι is suggested by the same passage.

(9) Trall. xii. 3.

1 Cor. 9²⁷.

ἵνα μὴ ἀδόκιμος εὑρεθῶ. μήπως . . . αὐτὸς ἀδόκιμος γένωμαι.

The idea of a race seems to be present in Ignatius as well as in St. Paul.

(10) Rom. iv. 3.

1 Cor. 7²².

ἀπελεύθερος Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ. ἀπελεύθερος Κυρίου.

Cf. also 1 Cor. 9¹.

(11) Rom. vi. 1.

καλόν μοι ἀποθανεῖν δὰλ Ἰησοῦν
Χριστόν (v. 1. εἰς Χριστὸν Ἰησοῦν), ἡ
βασιλεύειν τῶν περάτων τῆς γῆς.

1 Cor. 9¹⁵.

καλὸν γάρ μοι μᾶλλον ἀποθανεῖν
ἡ τὸ καύχημά μου οὐδεὶς κενώσει.

(12) Philad. iv. 1.

μία γὰρ σὰρξ τοῦ Κυρίου ἡμῶν
Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ, καὶ ἐν ποτήριον εἰς
ἐνωσιν τοῦ αἵματος αὐτοῦ.

1 Cor. 10^{18, 17}.

τὸ ποτήριον . . . οὐχὶ κοινωνία ἔστιν
τοῦ αἵματος τοῦ Χριστοῦ; τὸν ἄρτον
ὖν κλῶμεν, οὐχὶ κοινωνία τοῦ σώματος
τοῦ Χριστοῦ ἔστιν; ὅτι εἰς ἄρτος, ἐν
σῶμα οἱ πολλοὶ ἔσμεν.

(13) Philad. vii. 1.

τὸ πνεῦμα . . . τὰ κρυπτὰ ἐλέγχει.

Cf. also 1 Cor. 14²⁵ and Eph. 5^{12, 13}.

1 Cor. 2¹⁰.

τὸ γὰρ πνεῦμα πάντα ἐρευνᾷ.

(14) Smyrn. Inscript.

ἀνυστερήτῳ οὕσῃ πάντος χαρί-
σματος.

1 Cor. 1⁷.

ώστε ὑμᾶς μὴ ὑστερεῖσθαι ἐν
μηδενὶ χαρίσματι.

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(15) Eph. ii. 2.

κατὰ πάντα με ἀνέπαυσεν.

1 Cor. 16¹⁸.

(16) Eph. ii. 3.

κατηρτισμένοι.

1 Cor. 1¹⁰.

In both passages the idea of *unity* is prominent.

(17) Eph. iv. 2.

μέλη ὅντας, &c.

1 Cor. 6¹⁶.

Cf. also Trall. xi. 2 ὅντας μέλη αὐτοῦ, and with these compare
Rom. 12^{4, 5} and Eph. 5³⁰.

(18) Eph. viii. 2.

οἱ σαρκικοί, &c.

1 Cor. 2¹⁴.

The resemblance is closer to Rom. 8^{5, 8}. See below (35).

(19) Eph. ix. 1.

ώς ὄντες λίθοι ναοῦ, &c.

1 Cor. 3¹⁰⁻¹⁷.

Cf. also Eph. 2^{20 f.}, and possibly 1 Pet. 2⁵.

(20) Eph. x. 2 and xx. 1.

ἔδραιοι τῇ πίστει.

1 Cor. 15⁵⁸.

Cf. also Col. 1²³, (64) a possible allusion.

(21) Eph. xi. 1.

ἴσχατοι καιροί, &c.

1 Cor. 7²⁰.

There is probably no reference to 1 John 1¹⁸.

- (22) Eph. xvii. 2. I Cor. 1^{24, 30.}
διὰ τί . . . ὁ Κύριος.
- (23) Eph. xx. 1. I Cor. 15^{45, 47.}
τὸν καυγὴν ἀνθρωπαν.
- See below on Eph. 2¹⁵, 4²⁴ (28).
- (24) Trall. vi. 1. I Cor. 7^{10.}
οὐκ ἔγώ ἀλλ' ἡ ἀγάπη, &c.
- (25) Trall. xi. 2. I Cor. 12^{12.}
ὅντας μέλη αὐτοῦ.
See above (17).

Ignatius must have known this Epistle almost by heart. Although there are no *quotations* (in the strictest sense, with mention of the source), echoes of its language and thought pervade the whole of his writings in such a manner as to leave no doubt whatever that he was acquainted with the First Epistle to the Corinthians.

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| <i>Ephesians</i> | b | Eph. 1 ^{3 ff.} |
| (26) Eph. Inscript. | | <p>εὐλογημένη ἐν μεγέθει, Θεοῦ πατρὸς πληρώματι, τῇ πρωτισμένῃ πρὸ αἰώνων εἶναι διὰ παντὸς εἰς δόξαν παράμονον ἄττρεπτον, ἡνωμένη καὶ ἐκλεγμένη ἐν πάθει ἀληθινῷ ἐν θελήματι τοῦ πατρὸς καὶ Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ ταῦ Θεῦν ἡμῶν, τῇ ἐκκλησίᾳ τῇ ἀξιομακαρίστῳ τῇ σύσῃ ἐν Ἐφέσῳ, πλεῖστα ἐν Ἰησοῦ Χριστῷ καὶ ἐν ἀδώμῳ χαρᾷ χαίρειν.</p> |
| | | <p>εὐλογητὸς ὁ Θεὸς καὶ πατὴρ . . . ὁ εὐλογήσας ἡμᾶς ἐν πάσῃ εὐλογίᾳ . . . καθὼς ἐξελέξατο ἡμᾶς . . . πρὸ καταβολῆς κάσμαν, εἶναι ἡμᾶς . . . ἀμώμους . . . προαρίστας κατὰ τὴν εὐδοκίαν τοῦ θελήματος . . . διὰ τοῦ αἵματος αὐτοῦ . . . τοῦ πληρώματος τῶν καιρῶν . . . προορισθέντες . . . κατὰ τὴν βουλὴν τοῦ θελήματος αὐτοῦ . . . εἰς τὰ εἶναι ἡμᾶς εἰς ἔπαινον δόξης αὐτοῦ.</p> |

A comparison of these two passages will show a very large number of correspondences, which Zahn undervalues when he calls them ‘not very certain echoes.’ The evidence is cumulative, and is not impaired by the fact that Ignatius applies to the Church collectively expressions which St. Paul applies to individual Christians, such adaptations being common to our author.

- (27) Polyc. v. 1. Eph. 5^{25.}
παράγγελλε . . . ἀγαπᾶν τὰς συμβίους, ὡς ὁ Κύριος τὴν ἐκκλησίαν.

Cf. also (29).

ἀγαπᾶτε τὰς γυναῖκας, καθὼς καὶ ὁ Χριστὸς ἡγάπησε τὴν ἐκκλησίαν.

c

- (28) Eph. xx. 1. Eph. 2¹⁵ and 4²⁴.
 τὸν καὶ νὸν ἄνθρωπον Ἰησοῦν καὶ νὸν ἄνθρωπον.
 Χριστόν.

St. Paul uses the phrase in a slightly different sense; but, as Lightfoot suggests, Ignatius may have taken ‘to put on the new man’ as meaning ‘to put on Christ,’ an explanation, we may add, which St. Paul would not have repudiated. Cf. also 1 Cor. 15⁴⁵ ὁ δεύτερος ἄνθρωπος.

- (29) Smyrn. i. 1. Eph. 2¹⁶.
 ἐν ἐνὶ σώματι τῆς ἐκκλησίας αὐτοῦ. ἐν ἐνὶ σώματι.

The context in both passages contains a reference to Isaiah, as well as the common idea of Jew and Gentile as one body. Cf. also Eph. 1²³ and Col. 1¹⁸.

- (30) Polyc. i. 2. Eph. 4².
 πάντων ἀνέχουν ἐν ἀγάπῃ. ἀνεχόμενοι ἀλλήλων ἐν ἀγάπῃ.

This correspondence is strengthened by the preceding words in Ignatius, τῆς ἐνώσεως φρόντιζε, ἡς οὐδὲν ἀμεινον, which should be compared with the following verse in Ephesians, σπουδάζοντες τηρεῖν τὴν ἑνότητα τοῦ πνεύματος.

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- (31) Eph. i. 1. Eph. 5¹.
 μιμητὰὶ ὅντες Θεοῦ.

Cf. also Eph. x. 3, μιμητὰὶ τοῦ Κυρίου, where the context is the same (forgiveness of injuries, &c.).

- (32) Eph. ix. 1. Eph. 2^{20–22}.
 λίθου ναοῦ.

This may well be accounted for by 1 Cor. 3^{10–17}; see (19). Compare also Col. 2⁷ and 1 Pet. 2⁵.

- (33) Eph. xix. Eph. 3⁹.
 πῶς οὖν ἐφανερώθη τοῖς αἰῶσιν. τίς ἡ οἰκονομία τοῦ μυστηρίου τοῦ ἀποκεκρυμμένου ἀπὸ τῶν αἰώνων . . . ἵνα γνωρισθῇ.

Cf. also Col. 1²⁶ (66).

- (34) Polyc. vi. 2. Eph. 6^{13–17}.
 ὡς ὅπλα, &c.

The parts in the armour are differently assigned, and the metaphor was doubtless a favourite one in Christian preaching. Cf. too 1 Thess. 5⁸, where the resemblance is still slighter.

Though the correspondences between Ignatius and this Epistle are not nearly so numerous as in the case of 1 Corinthians, it may be considered almost certain that they are not accidental. Ignatius mentions St. Paul by name in Eph. xii, calling the Ephesians *συμμύσται Παύλον τοῦ ἡγιασμένου*, a phrase which reminds us of St. Paul's frequent use of *μυστήριον* for the Gospel dispensation in this Epistle (Eph. 1⁹, 3^{3, 4, 9}, 5³², 6¹⁹). The words of Ignatius (Eph. xii) *ἐν πάσῃ ἐπιστόλῃ* doubtless mean 'in every letter,' and are a pardonable exaggeration of the fact that the Apostle makes mention of the Ephesians in five of his Epistles besides that which bears their name.

Von der Goltz considers the literary dependence doubtful, in view of the difference in form of most of the supposed echoes, and of the fact that several of them have parallels also in Colossians, the Pastoral Epistles, or 1 Peter. The strength of the argument must rest mainly on the first passage quoted (26), in which the resemblances are numerous and striking; but even without it a strong case might be made out for the use of the Epistle by Ignatius.

C

Romans

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(35) Eph. viii. 2.

οἱ σαρκὶκοὶ τὰ πνευματικὰ πράστειν οὐ δύνανται οὐδὲ οἱ πνευματικοὶ τὰ σαρκικά.

Rom. 8^{5, 8}.

οἱ γὰρ κατὰ σάρκα ὄντες τὰ τῆς σαρκὸς φρονοῦσιν, οἱ δὲ κατὰ πνεῦμα τὰ πνεύματος . . . οἱ δὲ ἐν σαρκὶ ὄντες Θεῷ ἀρέσαι οὐ δύνανται.

This passage may be from 1 Cor. 2¹⁴ (18), but the resemblance to Rom. 8^{5, 8} is rather closer: cf. also Gal. 5^{16, 17}. The use of the word *σάρξ* in an ethical sense is Pauline; in Ignatius it generally has an anti-docetic force.

(36) Eph. xix. 3.

καθηρεῖτο παλαιὰ βασιλεία, Θεοῦ ἀνθρωπίνως φανερούμενον εἰς καινότητα αἰδίους ζωῆς.

Rom. 6⁴.

ἴνα ἡμεῖς ἐν καινότητι ζωῆς περιπατήσωμεν.

The phrase *καινότης ζωῆς* (= 'the new state which is life') is probably from St. Paul.

(37) Smyrn. i. 1.

ἐκ γένους Δανεὶδ κατὰ σάρκα,
νίδν Θεοῦ κατὰ θέλημα καὶ δύναμιν.

Rom. 1⁸, 4.

περὶ τοῦ νιὸν αὐτοῦ, τοῦ γενομένου
ἐκ σπέρματος Δαβὶδ κατὰ σάρκα, τοῦ
δρισθέντος νιὸν Θεοῦ ἐν δυνάμει κατὰ
πνεῦμα ἀγιωσύνης.

Cf. also Eph. xviii. 2 ἐκ σπέρματος μὲν Δανεὶδ πνεύματος
δὲ ἄγιον.

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(38) Eph. Inscript.

τῇ εὐλογημένῃ . . . πληρώματι.

Rom. 15²⁹.

ἐν πληρώματι εὐλογίᾳ.

2 Corinthians

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(39) Eph. xv. 3.

αὐτοῦ ἐν ἡμῖν κατοικῶντος, ἵνα
ἡμεῖς γὰρ ναὸς Θεοῦ ἔσμεν ζῶντος.
διμεν ναοὶ καὶ αὐτὸς ἐν ἡμῖν θεός.

2 Cor. 6¹⁶.

The resemblance here is close, but may be sufficiently accounted for by 1 Cor. 3¹⁶,²⁷ and 6¹⁹: see (6).

(40) Trall. ix. 2.

ἐγείραντος, &c.

2 Cor. 4¹⁴.

'Apparently a reminiscence' (Lightfoot).

(41) Philad. vi. 3.

2 Cor. 1¹², 11⁹, 12¹⁶. Cf. 2⁵.

εὐχαριστῶ τῷ Θεῷ μου ὅτι εὐσυν-
εἰδήτος εἴμι ἐν ὑμῖν, καὶ οὐκ ἔχει τις
καυχήσασθαι . . . ὅτι ἐβάρησά τινα,
&c.

A cumulative case, which is slightly strengthened by καυχή-
σασθαι; cf. καύχησις 2 Cor. 11¹⁰. Cf. also 1 Thess. 2⁹. None of the above, taken singly, is more than a possible allusion; but taken together they make the use of the Epistle by Ignatius fairly probable.

Galatians

c

(42) Philad. i. 1.

ὅν ἐπίσκοπον ἔγνων οὐκ ἀφ' ἑαυτοῦ
οὐδὲ δι' ἀνθρώπων.

Gal. 1¹.

οὐκ ἀπ' ἀνθρώπων οὐδὲ δι' ἀνθρώ-
που.

d

(43) Eph. xvi. 1.

βασιλείαν . . . κληρονομήσουσιν.

Gal. 5²¹.

οἱ τὰ τοιαῦτα πράσσοντες βασιλείαν
Θεοῦ οὐ κληρονομήσουσιν.

See above (1) on 1 Cor. 6⁹, 10.

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| (44) | Eph. xviii. 1. σταυροῦ ὁ ἔστι σκάνδαλον. | Gal. 5 ¹¹ . σκάνδαλον τοῦ σταυροῦ. |
| (45) | Trall. x. 1. δωρεὰν ἀποθήσκω. | Gal. 2 ²¹ . ἄρα Χριστὸς δωρεὰν ἀπέθανεν. |
| (46) | Rom. vii. 2. ὁ ἐμὸς ἔρως ἐσταύρωται. | Gal. 6 ¹⁴ . ἐμοὶ κόσμος ἐσταύρωται καγώ τῷ κόσμῳ. |

The passage in Philad. is the only one which strongly indicates knowledge of this Epistle by Ignatius; and as it stands almost alone, we cannot claim a very high degree of probability for the reference.

| <i>Philippians</i> | | c |
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| (47) | Smyrn. iv. 2. πάντα ὑπομένω αὐτοῦ με εἰνδυνα- μοῦντος. | Phil. 4 ¹³ . πάντα λογίων ἐν τῷ εἰνδυναμοῦντι με. |
| | Cf. Eph. 6 ¹³ ; 1 Tim. 1 ¹² (54). | |
| (48) | Smyrn. xi. 3. τέλειοι ὄντες τέλεια καὶ φρονεῖτε. | Phil. 3 ¹⁵ . ὅσοι οὖν τέλειοι, τοῦτο φρονῶμεν. |

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| (49) | Rom. ii and iv. σπονδισθῆναι and θυσία. | Phil. 2 ¹⁷ . |
| | Cf. also 2 Tim. 4 ⁶ (59). | |
| (50) | Philad. i. 1. οὐδὲ κατὰ κενοδοξίαν. | Phil. 2 ^{3, 5} . |
| | Philad. viii. 2. μηδὲν κατ' ἐριθειαν . . . ἀλλὰ κατὰ χριστομαθιαν. | μηδὲν κατ' ἐριθειαν μηδὲ κατὰ κενο- δοξίαν . . . ἐν Χριστῷ Ἰησοῦν. |

| <i>I Timothy</i> | | c |
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| (51) | Eph. xiv. 1. ἀρχὴ μὲν πίστις, τέλος δὲ ἀγάπη. | I Tim. 1 ³⁻⁵ . |
| | Eph. xx. 1. προσδηλώσω ὑμῖν ἃς ἡρξάμην οἰκο- νομίας. | Ἴνα παραγγεῖλης τιὸν μὴ ἐτεροδιδα- σκαλεῖν, μηδὲ προσέχειν μύθους καὶ γενεαλογίας ἀπεράντως αἵτινες ἐκζητή- σεις παρέχουσι μᾶλλον ἢ οἰκονομίαν Θεού τὴν ἐν πίστει, τὸ δὲ τέλος τῆς παραγγελίας ἐστὶν ἀγάπη ἐκ καθαρᾶς καρδίας καὶ συνειδήσεως ἀγαθῆς καὶ πίστεως ἀνυποκρίτου. |
| | Magn. viii. 1. μὴ πλανᾶσθε ταῖς ἐτεροδοξίαις μηδὲ μυθεύμασιν τοῖς παλαιοῖς ἀνωφελέσιω οὖσιν εἰ γάρ μέχρι νῦν κατὰ Ἰουδαι- σμὸν ζῷμεν, δμολογοῦμεν χάριν μὴ εἰληφέναι. | |

If these three passages from Ignatius are compared with the opening sentences of 1 Timothy, it will be seen that the resemblance is very close, and that it lies in words and expressions which are not commonplaces. (See, however, Hermas, *Vis.* iii. 8. 3-5, for a list of virtues beginning with *πίστις* and ending with *ἀγάπη*.) It is also clear that, if literary dependence be admitted, it is on the side of Ignatius. See also (60).

(52) Polyc. iv. 3.

1 Tim. 6².

δούλους καὶ δούλας μὴ ὑπερηφάνει· μὴ καταφρονεῖτωσαν, ὅτι ἀδελφοὶ ἀλλὰ μηδὲ αὐτὸι φυσιούσθωσαν, ἀλλ’ εἰσιν· ἀλλὰ μᾶλλον δουλευέτωσαν.
εἰς δόξαν Θεοῦ πλέον δουλευέτωσαν.

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(53) Rom. ix. 2.

1 Tim. 1¹⁸.

ἀλλ’ ἡλέγημαί τις εἶναι ἐὰν Θεοῦ ἀλλὰ ἡλεγθῆην, ὅτι ἀγνοῶν ἐποίησα.
ἐπιτύχω.

Cf. above, on 1 Cor. 7²⁵, 15^{9, 10} (5).

(54) Smyrn. iv. 2.

1 Tim. 1¹⁹.

αὐτοῦ με ἐνδυναμοῦντος τοῦ τελείου
ἀνθρώπου γενομένου.

Cf. also 2 Tim. 2¹ and 4¹⁷.**2 Timothy****c**

(55) Eph. ii. 1.

2 Tim. 1¹⁶.

κατὰ πάντα με ἀνέπαυσεν, ὡς καὶ
αὐτὸν ὁ πατὴρ Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ ἀνα-
ψύξαι. *δῷξει ἔλεος ὁ Κύριος τῷ Ὄνησιφόρου*
οἴκῳ· ὅτι παλλάκις με ἀνέψυξε, καὶ
τὴν ἀλυσίν μου οὐκ ἐπησχύνθη.

Smyrn. x. 2.

ἀντίψυχον ἴμῶν τὸ πνεῦμά μου,
καὶ τὰ δεσμά μου ἢ σὺν . . . ἐπησχύν-
θητε.

These two passages seem to be reminiscences of the same context in 2 Timothy. The following words in Smyrn. x resemble Mark 8³⁸ and Luke 9²⁸: see (90).

(56) Polyc. vi. 2.

2 Tim. 2³.

ἀρέσκετε φῖ στρατεύεσθε.

ἵνα τῷ στρατολογήσαντι ἀρέσῃ.

d

(57) Eph. xvii. 1.

2 Tim. 3⁶.

μὴ αἱχμαλωτίσῃ ὑμᾶς.

Cf. also Rom. 7²³.

- (58) Trall. vii. 2. 2 Tim. 1³.
καθαρός ἐστιν τῇ συνειδήσει. ἐν καθαρῷ συνειδήσει.
- (59) Rom. ii. 2. 2 Tim. 4⁶.
μὴ πλέον παράσχησθε ταῦ σπανδι- ἥδη σπένδομαι.
σθῆναι Θεῷ.
- Cf. Phil. 2¹⁷.

The reminiscences of 2 Timothy, as of 1 Timothy, are tolerably clear. Both Epistles are nearly in Class B.

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| <i>Titus</i> | c | <i>Titus 1⁴.</i> |
| (60) Magn. viii. 1. | | μὴ πρασέχαντες Ἰουδαϊκαῖς μύθαις καὶ ἐνταλαῖς ἀνθρώπων. |
| μὴ πλανᾶσθε ταῖς ἑτεροδοξίαις μηδὲ μυθεύμασιν ταῖς παλαιοῖς ἀνωφελέσιν οὐσιῶν εἰ γὰρ μέχρι νῦν κατὰ Ἰουδαϊ- σμὸν ζῶμεν, ὅμαλογοῦμεν χάριν μὴ εἰληφέναι. | | Titus 3 ⁹ . |
| | | μωρὰς δὲ ζητήσεις καὶ γενεαλογίας ... περιέστασον εἰσὶ γὰρ ἀνωφελεῖς καὶ μάταιοι. |

See (51) on 1 Tim. 1⁴. The word ἀνωφελῆς and the reference to 'Judaism' occur in Titus and not in 1 Timothy.

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| <i>Polyc. vi. 1.</i> | d | <i>Titus 1⁷.</i> |
| Θεοῦ οἰκανόμοι. | | ὅς Θεοῦ οἰκονόμον. |
| See (7) for 1 Cor. 4 ¹ ; cf. 1 Pet. 4 ¹⁰ . | | |
| The evidence in the case of Titus is weaker than in that of 1 Timothy or 2 Timothy. | | |

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| <i>Acts</i> | d | <i>Acts 1²⁵.</i> |
| (62) Magn. v. 1. | | Ἄφ' ἡς παρέβη Ἰούδας πορευθῆναι εἰς τὸν τόπον τὸν Ἱδιον. |
| ἔκαστος εἰς τὸν Ἱδιον τάπον μέλλει χωρεῖν. | | |

These phenomena must be taken along with those in relation to Luke's Gospel.

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| <i>Symrn. iii. 3.</i> | d | <i>Acts 10⁴¹.</i> |
| μετὰ δὲ τὴν ἀνάστασιν συνέφαγεν ἀντοῖς καὶ συνέπιεν. | | συνεφάγομεν καὶ συνεπίομεν αὐτῷ μετὰ τὸ ἀναστῆναι αὐτὸν ἐκ νεκρῶν. |

These look like allusions; but the words are common and obvious ones, and may be only the result of coincidence.

- | <i>Colossians</i> | d | |
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| (63*) Eph. ii. 1. | | Col. 1 ⁷ , 4 ⁷ . |
| τοῦ συνδούλου. | | |
| Cf. Magn. 2; Philad. 4; and see Lightfoot's note on Col. 4 ⁷ . | | |
| (64) Eph. x. 2. | | Col. 1 ²³ . |
| ἔδραιοι τῇ πίστει. | | |
| See on 1 Cor. 15 ⁵⁸ (20). | | |
| (65) Eph. xvii. 2. | | Col. 2 ² . |
| Θεοῦ γνῶσιν. | | |
| In the passage of Colossians, St. Paul, according to the best reading, identifies 'the knowledge of God' with 'Christ.' | | |
| (66) Eph. xix. 2. | | Col. 1 ²⁶ . |
| πᾶς οὖν ἐφανερώθη τοῖς αἰώσιν; | | |
| Cf. also Eph. 3 ⁹ (33). | | |
| (67) Trall. v. 2. | | Col. 1 ¹⁶ . |
| ὅρατὰ καὶ ἀόρατα. | | τὰ δρατὰ καὶ τὰ ἀόρατα. |
| (68) Smyrn. i. 2. | | Col. 2 ¹⁴ . |
| καθηλωμένους ἐν τῷ σταυρῷ. | | προσηλώσας αὐτὸν τῷ σταυρῷ. |
| The metaphor is the same, but the application is different. | | |
| (69) Smyrn. i. 2. | | Col. 1 ¹⁸ . |
| ἐν ἐνὶ σώματι. | | |
| Cf. on Eph. 2 ¹⁶ (29). | | |
| There is thus a considerable number of possible allusions to Colossians in Ignatius, but none of them is at all certain. | | |
| 1 <i>Thessalonians</i> | | d |
| (70) Eph. x. 1. | | 1 Thess. 5 ¹⁷ . |
| ἀδιάλειπτος προσεύχεσθε. | | The same. |
| The reading in Ignatius is doubtful (see Lightfoot); the adverb may have been inserted from the passage in 1 Thessalonians. The adjective ἀδιάλειπτος occurs in Polyc. i, but there also it is suspect. | | |
| (71) Rom. ii. 1. | | 1 Thess. 2 ⁴ . |
| οὐ θελω ὑμᾶς ἀνθρωπαρεσκῆσαι, | | οὐχ ὡς ἀνθρώποις ἀρέσκοντες, ἀλλὰ |
| ἀλλὰ Θεῷ. | | Θεῷ. |
| The evidence that Ignatius knew 1 Thessalonians is almost nil. | | |

2 Thessalonians

d

(72) Rom. x. 3.

ἐν ὑπομονῇ Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ.

2 Thess. 3⁵.

εἰς τὴν ὑπομονὴν τοῦ Χριστοῦ.

Philemon

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(73) Eph. ii. 2.

ὸναίμην ὑμῶν.

Philem. 20.

ναῑ, ἀδελφέ, ἐγώ σου ὄναίμην ἐν
Κυρίῳ.

In spite of the fact that the name Onesimus occurs in this sentence of Ignatius, the allusion is very doubtful. The Pauline phrase ὄναίμην occurs in this sense several times in Ignatius.

Hebrews

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(74) Magn. iii. 2.

τὸ δὲ τοιοῦτον οὐ πρὸς σάρκα ὁ πάντα δὲ γυμνὰ καὶ τετραχῆλισμένα λόγος, ἀλλὰ πρὸς Θεόν τὸν τὰ κρύφια τοῖς ὀφθαλμοῖς αὐτοῦ πρὸς ὃν ἡμᾶν ὁ εἶδότα.

Heb. 4¹³.

We have here a double resemblance, in the *idea* of nothing being hidden from the knowledge of God, and in the expression ὁ λόγος [ἡμῖν ἔστι] πρός [τινα].

(75) Philad. ix. 1.

Heb. 7^{7, 19, 22, 23, 26}.

καλοὶ καὶ οἱ ἱερεῖς κρείσσον δὲ ὁ ἀρχιερεὺς ὁ πεπιστευμένος τὰ ἅγια τῶν ἀγίων, ὃς μόνος πεπίστευται τὰ κρυπτὰ τοῦ Θεοῦ.

Lightfoot also compares Heb. 2¹⁷, 3¹, 4¹⁴, 5^{5, 10}, 6²⁰, 7²⁶, 8¹, 9¹¹. He adds: 'The reference (in ὁ πεπιστευμένος, &c.) is to the special privilege of the High Priest (Heb. 9⁷⁻¹², 10^{19 sq.}) of entering into the Holy Place. This coincidence, combined with those noticed above, shows, I think, that Ignatius must have had the Epistle to the Hebrews in his mind.' It is no doubt true that no other book in N. T. develops the idea of Christ as High Priest, and that Clement of Rome, who also uses it, e.g. (21), shows knowledge of Hebrews; but the comparison may well have been suggested to Ignatius from other sources, and the resemblance does not seem close enough to justify the degree of confidence which Lightfoot expresses. Cf. also Polycarp (65).

I Peter

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(76) Eph. v. 3.

γέγραπται γάρ· Ὑπερηφάνοις δὲ Θεός
ἀντιτάσσεται.

The quotation is from Prov. 3³⁴. The words are quoted not only in I Peter, but in James 4⁶ and in Clement of Rome (47). In all alike Θεός or δὲ Θεός takes the place of the *Kύριος* of the LXX; but Ignatius alone puts ὑπερηφάνοις first in the sentence.

(77) Rom. v. 1.

I Pet. 2²⁵, 5².

The connexion of *ποιμήν* with ἐπίσκοπος is considered by Lightfoot to present ‘a close parallel’ with I Peter; but the resemblance must not be pressed. See also (19).

GOSPELS.

(I) The Synoptic Gospels.

The much closer parallels with Matthew than with Mark or Luke are a remarkable phenomenon, but one which frequently meets us in the earliest sub-Apostolic literature.

B

Matthew

b

(78) Trall. xi. 1.

Matt. 15¹³.

οὗτοι γὰρ οὐκ εἰσιν φυτεία πατρός.

πᾶσα φυτεία ἦν οὐκ ἐφύτευσεν δὲ

Philad. iii. 1.

πατήρ μου δὲ οὐράνιος, ἐκριζωθήσεται.

ἀπέχεσθε τῶν κακῶν βοτανῶν,
ἀστιναὶ οὐ γεωργεῖ Ἰησοῦς Χριστός,
διὰ τὸ μὴ εἶναι αὐτὸν φυτείαν πατρός.

(79) Smyrn. i. 1.

Matt. 3¹⁵.

βεβαπτισμένον ὑπὸ Ἰωάννου ἵνα οὕτω γὰρ πρέπον ἐστὶν ἡμῖν πλη-
πληρωθῆ πᾶσα δικαιοσύνη ὑπ' αὐτοῦ. ρώσαι πᾶσαν δικαιοσύνην.

Matthew alone of the Evangelists gives this *motive* for our Lord’s Baptism. ‘The use of the phrase πληρ. πᾶσ. δ. is so peculiar, and falls in so entirely with the characteristic Christian Judaizing of our first Evangelist, that it seems unreasonable to refer it to any one else’ (Sanday). The fact that Ignatius elsewhere (Eph. xviii. 2) ascribes a different

motive for the Baptism, viz. *ἴνα τῷ πάθει τὸῦ θωρακίση*, perhaps strengthens the case.

(80) Smyrn. vi. 1.

Matt. 19¹².

ὅς χωρῶν χωρεῖτο.

ὅς δυνάμενος χωρεῖν χωρεῖτο.

The meaning of the phrase is the same in the two passages; it stamps the doctrine just stated as a difficult and mysterious one.

(81) Polyc. ii. 2.

Matt. 10¹⁶.

φρόνιμος γίνον ὡς ὁ ὄφεις ἐν πᾶσιν, γίνεσθε οὖν φρόνιμοι ὡς οἱ ὄφεις καὶ ἀκέραιος εἰσαὲν ὡς ἡ περιστερά. καὶ ἀκέραιαι ὡς αἱ περιστεραί.

This sentence is wanting in the parallel passage of Luke (10³).

C

(82) Eph. v. 2.

Matt. 18^{19, 20}.

εἰλ γὰρ ἑνὸς καὶ δευτέρου προσευχὴ τοσαύτην ισχὺν ἔχει.

ἔὰν δύο ήμῶν συμφωνήσωσιν ἐπὶ τῆς γῆς . . . γενήσεται αὐτοῖς. οὐ γάρ εἰσι δύο ἡ τρεῖς συνηγμέναι εἰς τὸ ἐμὸν ὄνομα, ἔκει εἰμὶ ἐν μέσῳ αὐτῶν.

Here Ignatius's *ένδεις καὶ δευτέρου* = *δυοῖν*. The reference is clearly to the *saying* recorded in Matthew—‘probably a well-known saying’ of Christ (Zahn). Cf. also James 5¹⁶.

(83) Eph. vi. 1.

Matt. 10⁴⁰.

πάντα γὰρ ὃν πέμπει ὁ οἰκοδεσπότης ὁ δεχόμενος ήμᾶς ἐμὲ δέχεται, καὶ εἰς ιδίαν οἰκονομίαν, οὕτως δεῖ ήμᾶς ὁ ἐμὲ δεχόμενος δέχεται τὸν ἀποστεῖ-αὐτὸν δέχεται, ὡς αὐτὸν τὸν πέμψαντα. λαντά με.

It is possible that Ignatius may also be alluding to the parable narrated in Matt. 21^{33 sq.} (where *οἰκοδεσπότης* occurs, not in Mark or Luke). There is also a resemblance to John 13²⁰ (see below (102)), which is perhaps as close as the resemblance to Matthew (John uses *πέμψειν*). Luke 10¹⁶ is much less similar in language than either.

(84) Polyc. i. 2, 3.

Matt. 8¹⁷.

πάντας βάσταζε ὡς καὶ σε ὁ Κύριος αὐτὸς τὰς ἀσθενείας ήμῶν ἔλαβε, . . . πάντων τὰς νόσους βάσταζε, ὡς καὶ τὰς νόσους ἔβάστασεν. τέλειος ἀθλήτης.

The idea is found in Isa. 53⁴; but it is probable that Ignatius borrows from Matthew and not direct from O. T.; for the LXX reading is different, viz. οὐτος τὰς ἀμαρτίας ήμῶν

φέρει καὶ περὶ ἡμῶν ὀδυνᾶται. Ignatius, however, translates the Hebrew correctly, and the possibility that he is using a translation other than the LXX cannot be excluded.

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(85) Eph. xvii. 1.

Matt. 26⁷.

διὰ τοῦτο μύρον ἔλαβεν ἐπὶ τῆς κεφαλῆς ὁ Κύριος, ἵνα πνέῃ τῇ ἐκκλησίᾳ προσῆλθεν αὐτῷ γυνὴ . . . καὶ κατέχεεν ἐπὶ τῆς κεφαλῆς αὐτοῦ ἀνακειμένου.

Cf. also Mark 14^{3 ff.}; John 12^{3 ff.}. If there is literary dependence on any of our Gospels, the preference must be given to Matthew rather than Mark, who has *κατέχεεν αὐτοῦ τῆς κεφαλῆς*, while the reference to the *head* as anointed, and (seemingly) as the quarter from which the fragrance of incorruptibility is shed upon the Church, favours Matthew rather than John.

(86) Magn. v. 2.

Matt. 22¹⁹.

ώσπερ γάρ ἐστι νομίσματα δύο, &c.

(87) Magn. ix. 3.

Matt. 27⁵².

παρὸν ἥγειρεν αὐτούς.

Lightfoot shows that the belief in a *descensus ad inferos* was prominent in the early Church. Here Christ is supposed to have *visited* the souls of patriarchs and prophets, and to have *raised* (*ἥγειρεν*) them either to paradise or heaven. Cf. also Philad. ix.; and 1 Pet. 3¹⁹, 4⁶ for parallel views of the descent into Hades. The belief appears also in Justin, who quotes Jeremiah in confirmation, and asserts that the passage in question, which does not appear in the Hebrew Bible, had been wilfully excised by the Jews. Irenaeus also quotes it more than once, ascribing it both to Jeremiah and to Isaiah.

(88) Rom. ix. 3.

Matt. 10^{40, 41}.

τῶν ἐκκλησιῶν τῶν δεξαμένων με
εἰς ὄνομα Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ.

The phrase *εἰς ὄνομα*, as well as the similarity of thought, should be noticed, especially as there may be another echo of this passage in Eph. vi: see (83).

Ignatius was certainly acquainted either with our Matthew, or with the source of our Matthew, or with a Gospel very closely akin to it. In the present uncertain state of the Synoptic Problem, it would be rash to express any confident opinion ; but the indications on the whole favour the hypothesis that he used our Greek Matthew in something like its present shape.

The phrase, though in quite a different context, occurs in Matt. 3¹² and Luke 3¹⁷.

(90) Smyrn. x. 2. Mark 8³⁸.
οὐδὲ ὑμᾶς ἐτασχυνθήσεται ἡ τελεία
πίστις, Ἰησοῦς Χριστός.

Cf. also Luke 9²⁶ (93), and see (55).

Scarcely anything can be built on these very doubtful allusions.

Luke d
 (91) Smyrn. i. 2. Luke 23⁷⁻¹².

ἀληθῶς ἐπὶ Ποντίου Πιλάτου καὶ
 Ἡρώδου τετράρχου καθηλωμένου ὑπὲρ
 ἡμῶν ἐν σαρκί.

'The part taken by Herod is mentioned by Luke alone in the Canonical writings' (Lightfoot).

(92) Smyrn. iii. 2. Luke 24³⁹.
 καὶ ὅτε πρὸς τὸν περὶ Πέτρον
 ἥλθεν, ἔφη αὐτοῖς· Λάβετε, ψυλαφήσα-
 τε με, καὶ ὅτε ὅτι οὐκ εἰμὶ δαιμόνιον
 ἀσφαματοῦ.

ψυλαφήσατέ με καὶ ὅτε, ὅτι πνεῦ-
 μα σάρκα καὶ ὅστεα οὐκ ἔχει, καθὼς
 ἐμὲ θεωρεῖτε ἔχοντα.

Eusebius (*H.E.* iii. 36) says of this passage of Ignatius, οὐκ ὅδ' ὄπόθεν ῥητοῖς συγκέχρηται. Jerome (*Vir. Ill.* 2) says that it is taken from the 'evangelium quod appellatur secundum Hebreos,' which he had lately translated into Greek and

Latin, and which at the time he was disposed to regard as the original Matthew, though afterwards he spoke less confidently on this point. In another place (*Comm. in Isai. xviii. praef.*) he repeats his statement that ‘incorporele daemonium’ comes from this source. On the other hand, Eusebius, who was well acquainted with this Gospel, cannot verify the quotation; and Origen, who also knew it well, ascribes the words to another apocryphal writing, viz. the *Petri Doctrina* (*de Princ. praef.* 8), which he pronounces to be the work neither of Peter nor of any other inspired writer. The contradiction cannot be explained. Lightfoot suggests that either Jerome’s memory failed him, or that his copy of the Gospel according to the Hebrews contained a different recension from that which was known to Origen and Eusebius. As regards Ignatius, he thinks it impossible to say whether he got the story from oral tradition or from some written source. Considering the carelessness of Ignatius in quotation, it is strange that Eusebius should not have suggested that he took the story from Luke; and but for these Patristic comments, we should probably have formed that opinion. Ignatius mentions the incident as if it were already well-known to his readers.

(93) Smyrn. x. 2. Luke 9²⁶.
 Οὐδὲ ὑμᾶς ἐπαισχυνθήσεται . . . Ἰησοῦς Χριστός. Cf. Luke 9²⁶;
 as also Mark 8³⁸, see on (90).

The balance of probability seems to be slightly in favour of a knowledge of the Third Gospel by Ignatius: cf. Acts (62).

(II) The Synoptic Tradition.

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| (94) Eph. xiv. 2. | Matt. 12 ³³ . |
| φανερὸν τὸ δένδρον ἀπὸ τοῦ καρποῦ αὐτοῦ. | ἐκ γὰρ τοῦ καρποῦ τὸ δένδρον γινώσκεται. |
| | Luke 6 ⁴⁴ . |

The words have the look of a current saying of Christ.

(95) Eph. xi. 1.

ἥν γὰρ τὴν μέλλουσαν ὀργὴν φοβηθῶμεν, ἡ τὴν ἐνεστῶσαν χάριν ἀγαπήσωμεν.

Matt. 3⁷.

γεννήματα ἔχιδνῶν, τίς ὑπέδειξεν
ἡμῖν φυγῆν ἀπὸ τῆς μελλούσης ὀργῆς;
Luke 3⁷ (the same words).

(96) Magn. x. 2.

ἀλισθῆτε ἐν αὐτῷ.

Matt. 5¹⁸; Mark 9⁶⁰; Luke
14³⁴.

The mention of the ‘kingdoms of the world’ may be a reminiscence of the narrative of the Temptation in Matt. 4⁸; Luke 4⁵.

(97) Rom. vi. 1.

οὐδέν με ὠφελήσει . . . τούτου.

Matt. 16²⁶.

Also in Mark and Luke.

This is at best a very doubtful allusion.

(III) The Fourth Gospel.

B

John

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(98) Rom. vii. 2.

οὐκ ἔστιν ἐν ἐμοὶ πῦρ φιλόδλον,
ἢδωρ δὲ ζῶν καὶ λαλοῦν ἐν ἐμοί,
ἔσωθέν μοι λέγον· Δεῦρο πρὸς τὸν
πατέρα.

John 4^{10, 14}.

σὺ ἀν ἥτησας αὐτόν, καὶ ἔδωκεν ἀν
σοι ὕδωρ ζῶν . . . τὸ ὕδωρ δὲ ἡγώ δώσω
αὐτῷ γενήσεται ἐν αὐτῷ πηγὴ ὕδατος
ἀλλομένου εἰς ζωὴν αἰώνιον.

Lightfoot’s assertion that ‘the whole passage is inspired by the Fourth Gospel’ seems to be justified, especially in view of John 4²⁸ καὶ γὰρ ὁ πατὴρ τοιούτος ζητεῖ τοὺς προσκυνοῦντας αὐτόν. Besides the close parallel quoted above, τροφῇ φθορᾶς just below is probably suggested by John 6²⁷ τὴν βρῶσιν τὴν ἀπολλυμένην, and ἄρτον Θεοῦ by John 6³³; cf. also 7³⁸. If we adopt the reading ζῶν ἀλλόμενον from the interpolator’s text, we have another striking parallel with John 4¹⁴: πηγὴ ὕδατος ζῶντος occurs in Justin, *Dial.* 69. On the other side (against the Johannine reference) it might be urged that the words about the ‘living water’ may have been a well-known saying of Christ, with which Ignatius may have been acquainted from other sources. The words of Ignatius about the ‘pleasures of this life’ have a Synoptic ring, and there is nothing corresponding to them, nor to the remarkable phrase about ἀγάπῃ ἀφθαρτος as ‘the blood of Christ,’ in John. Moreover, the passage in John speaks of present advantage, Ignatius of future reward. This

last objection is not serious; and on the whole direct literary dependence seems much the most probable hypothesis.

(99) Philad. vii. 1.

τὸ πνεῦμα οὐ πλανάται, ἀπὸ Θεοῦ
δον οἰδεν γὰρ πόθεν ἔρχεται καὶ ποὺ

John 3⁸.

τὸ πνεῦμα ὅπου θέλει πνεῖ, καὶ τὴν
φωνὴν αὐτοῦ ἀκούεις, ἀλλ' οὐκ οὐδας
ὑπάγει, καὶ τὰ κρυπτὰ ἐλέγχει.

The passage reads like an echo of the words in the Gospel, though the thought is quite different. This, however, is in Ignatius's manner. The idea in τὰ κρυπτὰ ἐλέγχει has nothing corresponding to it in the discourse to Nicodemus. The phrase πόθεν ἔρχεται recurs John 8¹⁴ and 1 John 2¹¹, in a different connexion. John 8¹⁴ (οὗδα πόθεν ἥλθον καὶ ποῦ ὑπάγω) is in some ways nearer to Ignatius than 3⁸. Both passages may have been floating in his mind.

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(100) Magn. vii. 1.

ῶσπερ οὖν ὁ Κύριος ἄνευ τοῦ πα-
τρὸς οὐδὲν ἐποίησεν, . . . οὗτος μηδὲ
νῦμεῖς, &c.

Magn. viii. 2.

[Ἔιησοῦς Χριστὸς] κατὰ πάντα εὐηρέ-
στησεν τῷ πέμψαντι αὐτόν.

John 8^{28, 29}.

ἀπ' ἐμαυτοῦ ποιῶ οὐδέν, ἀλλὰ
καθὼς ἐδίδαξέ με ὁ πατήρ, ταῦτα
λολῶ. καὶ ὁ πέμψας με μετ' ἐμοῦ
ἔστιν οὐκ ἀφῆκε με μόνον, ὅτι τὰ
ἀρεστὰ αὐτῷ ποιῶ πάντοτε.

This parallel is much strengthened by the *double reminiscence*.

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(101) Eph. v. 2 and Rom. 7³.

ἄρτος τοῦ Θεοῦ.

John 6³³.

ἄρτος τοῦ Θεοῦ.

(102) Eph. vi. 1.

πάντα γὰρ ὅν πέμπει, &c.

John 13²⁰.

See above on Matt. 10⁴⁰ (83).

(103) Eph. xvii. 1.

μύρον ἔλαβεν, &c.

John 12 ff.

Some commentators (e. g. Zahn and Lightfoot) have argued that this passage shows knowledge of John's Gospel as well as of Matthew's, because of the mention of the *fragrance* of the ointment (*ἥ δὲ οἰκία ἐπληρώθη*, &c.); but this can hardly be pressed: see (85). Similarly, τοῦ ἄρχοντος τοῦ

αἰώνος τούτου need not imply knowledge of John 16¹¹, for St. Paul (1 Cor. 2^{6, 8}) has the same phrase. The dominant thought in Ignatius is that the Church, as the Body of Christ, has a share in the anointing of the Head. Cf. Origen, *c. Celsum*, vi. 79, for the same idea.

(104) Philad. ix. 1.

John 10⁹.

αὐτὸς δὲ θύρα τοῦ πατρός.

Cf. also John 14⁸ and Apoc. 3⁸. The Johannine doctrine of the pre-incarnate activity of the Logos is emphasized by Ignatius in this sentence. Compare his words about Abraham, &c., with John 8⁵⁶. Besides the word *θύρα*, compare Ignatius's *εἰσέρχονται* and *σωτῆρος* with John's *εἰσέλθη* and *σωθήσεται*. But the metaphor of the Door occurs also in Hermas; and in John 10⁹ there is no reference to 'drawing' to the Father, nor to the Old Testament saints (as in Ignatius's next line). John 14⁶ would have been more to the purpose, if Ignatius had wished to quote the Fourth Gospel here.

Ignatius's use of the Fourth Gospel is highly probable, but falls some way short of certainty. The objections to accepting it are mainly (1) our ignorance how far some of the Logia of Christ recorded by John may have been current in Asia Minor before the publication of the Gospel. If they formed part of the Apostle's oral teaching, they must have been familiar to his disciples, and may have been collected and written down long before our Gospel was composed. (2) The paucity of phrases which recall the language of the Gospel, and the absence of direct appeals to it; phenomena which are certainly remarkable when we consider the close resemblance between the theology of Ignatius and that of the Fourth Gospel. It is difficult, for example, to think of any reason why Ignatius did not quote John 20 in *Smyrn.* iii. 2 (93).

(IV) Apocryphal Gospels.

See under (92), for possible use of *Gospel according to the Hebrews*.

THE EPISTLE OF POLYCARP

INTRODUCTION.

Standard of Accuracy in Quotation. Very little help can be gained from Polycarp's use of O. T., as the number of cases in which he can be proved to have made use of O. T. is small. The clearest case of a quotation is from Tobit 12³ ἐλεημοσύνη ἐκ θανάτου ῥύεται (Polycarp. x. 2 ‘eleemosyna de morte liberat’). In Polycarp xi. 2 (‘qui ignorant iudicium domini’) there seems undoubtedly to be a reference to Jer. 5⁴ (οὐκ ἔγνωσαν ὅδὸν Κυρίου καὶ κρίσιν Θεοῦ), and the freedom of the quotation deserves notice. There are many places where the language of O. T. may have influenced Polycarp, but the quotations, if they are such, are generally allusive and worked into the structure of the writer's sentences. Polycarp's use of O. T. is in fact very similar in its general phenomena to his use of those parts of N. T. on which he relies most frequently.

In his undoubted quotations from N. T. we find that, while short collections of words are sometimes repeated exactly, in longer passages the order is treated very freely, omissions occur for which no reason can be assigned, and the spirit rather than the actual words is sometimes reproduced. The quotations have the appearance of having been made from memory; rarely, if ever, from a book.

The following *formulae of citation* may be mentioned:—

- (i) *εἰδότες ὅτι*: see Galatians (31), Ephesians (36), 1 Timothy (48), Gospels (82).
- (ii) *καθὼς εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος*: see Gospels (77).
- (iii) *μνημονεύοντες ὡν εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος διδάσκων*: see Gospels (75).
- (iv) ‘sicut Paulus docet’: see 1 Corinthians (2).
- (v) ‘ut his scripturis dictum est’: see Ephesians (37).

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1 Corinthians

(1) Pol. v. 3.

οὗτε πόρνοι οὗτε μαλακοὶ οὗτε ἀρσενοκοῖται βασιλείαν Θεοῦ κληρονομήσουσιν, οὗτε οἱ ποιοῦντες τὰ ἄποτα.

οὗτε πόρνοι, οὗτε εἰδωλολάτραι, οὗτε μοιχοί, οὗτε μαλακοί, οὗτε ἀρσενοκοῖται, οὗτε κλέπται, οὗτε πλεονέκται, οὐ μέθυσοι, οὐ λοιδοροί, οὐχ ἄρπαγες, βασιλείαν Θεοῦ κληρονομήσουσιν.

These passages agree verbally, except for omissions in Polycarp. The last words cited from Polycarp suggest that he may have been conscious of making omissions in his quotation, but these omissions do not appear to proceed on any fixed principle, and the quotation was probably therefore made from memory. On the other hand, it seems impossible to doubt that the passage in 1 Corinthians is the source of Polycarp's words.

(2) Pol. xi. 2.

'aut nescimus quia sancti mundum iudicabunt? sicut κρινοῦσιν; Paulus docet.'

1 Cor. 6².

The reference to St. Paul by name makes Polycarp's use of 1 Corinthians practically certain, though it occurs in a part of the letter for which the Latin version alone is extant.

(3) Pol. iii. 2, 3.

τὴν δοθεῖσαν ὑμῖν πίστιν . . . ἐπα- κολούθουσης τῆς ἔλπιδος, προαγούσης τὴν δὲ μένει πίστις, ἔλπις, ἀγάπη, τὰ τρία ταῦτα μείζων δὲ τούτων ἡ ἀγάπη.

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1 Cor. 13¹⁸.

The collocation of 'faith, hope, love,' occurs elsewhere in St. Paul (1 Thess. 1³; Col. 1^{4, 5}), but 1 Cor. 13 is the chief passage, and the order there is the same as in Polycarp.

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(4) Pol. iii. 2.

οἰκοδομεῖσθαι εἰς τὴν δοθεῖσαν ὑμῖν πίστιν.

1 Cor. 8¹⁰.

οἰκοδομηθήσεται εἰς τὸ τὰ εἰδωλόθυτα ἐσθίειν.

Pol. xi. 4.

'hoc enim agentes, vos ipsos aedificatis.'

1 Cor. 14¹⁰.

ὅ λαλῶν γλώσσῃ ἔαντὸν οἰκοδομεῖ.

Pol. xii. 2.

'aedificet vos in fide et veritate.'

οἰκοδομεῖν is a commoner word in 1 Corinthians than elsewhere in N. T.; outside Polycarp, on the other hand, it does not occur in the Apostolic Fathers.

- (5) Pol. iv. 3. I Cor. 14²⁵.
 οὐτε τι τῶν κρυπτῶν τῆς καρδίας. τὰ κρυπτὰ τῆς καρδίας cf. 4⁵.
- See also Rom. 2^{15, 16}.
- (6) Pol. x. 1. I Cor. 15⁵⁸. Col. 1²³.
 ‘firmi in fide et ἔδραιαι γίνεσθε, ἀμε- εἴ γε ἐπιμένετε τῇ
 immutabiles.’ τακίνητοι. πίστει τεθεμελιωμένοι
 καὶ ἔδραιαι καὶ μὴ μετα-
 κινούμενοι.

The parallel with Colossians is verbally stronger, as *τῇ πίστει* does not occur in 1 Corinthians; but the order is that of 1 Corinthians, and the evidence for Polycarp's use of Colossians is weak (see under Colossians).

- (7) Pol. xi. 4. I Cor. 12²⁸.
 ‘sicut passibilia membra et εἴτε πάσχει ἐν μέλος, συμπάσχει
 errantia eos revocate.’ πάντα τὰ μέλη.

It is possible that *passibilia* contains an allusion to the metaphor of 1 Corinthians. See also 1 Peter (17).

- (8) Pol. ii. 1. I Cor. 15²⁸.
 φῶν πετάγη τὰ πάντα ἐπουράνια ὅταν δὲ ὑποταγῇ αὐτῷ τὰ πάντα.
 καὶ ἐπίγεια.

This parallelism is too weak to be classed. See also Philippians (42).

In view of the fact that Polycarp's use of 1 Corinthians may be regarded as certain, the small amount of verifiable influence from 1 Corinthians is worthy of notice.

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| 1 Peter | a | |
| (9) Pol. i. 3. | | I Pet. 1 ⁸ . |
| εἰς ὃν οὐκ ἰδόντες πιστεύετε χαρᾶ | ὅν σὺν ἰδόντες ἀγαπάτε, εἰς ἀνὴρ | |
| ἀνεκλαλήτῳ καὶ δεδοξασμένῃ. | μὴ ὀρῶντες πιστεύοντες δὲ ἀγαλλιάσθε | |
| | χαρᾶ ἀνεκλαλήτῳ καὶ δεδοξασμένῃ. | |
- 1 Peter is almost certainly presupposed by Polycarp here, but the points of difference between the passages are instructive for Polycarp's method of quotation.
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| (10) Pol. viii. 1, 2. | I Pet. 2 ²¹ . | Isa. 53 ⁹ . |
| ὅς ἀπίνεγκεν ἡμῶν τὰς ἄμαρτίας τῷ ιδίῳ σώματι | ἐπαθεν ὑπὲρ ὑμῶν, | ὅτι ἀνομίαν οὐκ ἐποίη- |
| ἐπὶ τὰ ξύλον, ὃς ἀμαρτίαν οὐκ ἐποίησεν, οὕτε | ὑμῖν ὑπαλιμπάνων ὑπο- | σεν οὐδὲ δόλον [v. 1. |
| εὑρέθη δόλος ἐν τῷ στόματι αὐτοῦ· ἀλλὰ δι' | γραμμὸν . . . ὃς ἀμαρτίαν | εὑρέθη δόλος] ἐν τῷ |
| ἡμᾶς, ἵνα ζήσωμεν ἐν | οὐκ ἐποίησεν, οὐδὲ εὑρέθη | στόματι αὐτοῦ. |
| | δόλος ἐν τῷ στόματι | |
| | αὐτοῦ· . . . ὃς τὰς | |
| | ἄμαρτίας ἡμῶν αὐτὸς | |

αὐτῷ, πάντα ὑπέμεινεν. . . . καὶ ἐὰν πάσχωμεν διὰ τὸ σ্নομα αὐτοῦ, δοξάζωμεν αὐτόν. ταῦτον γάρ ἡμῖν τὸν ὑπογραμμὸν ἔθηκε.

ἀνήνεγκεν ἐν τῷ σώματι αὐτοῦ ἐπὶ τὸ ξύλον, ἵνα ταῖς ἀμαρτίαις ἀπογενόμενοι τῇ δικαιοσύνῃ ζῆσιμοι.

4¹⁰ εἰ δὲ ὡς Χριστιανός, μὴ αἰσχυνέσθω, δοξαζέτω δὲ τὸν Θεὸν ἐν τῷ ὄντος τούτῳ.

The whole of this passage is very strongly Petrine, and it will be noticed that all the parallel passages in 1 Peter (except one) come from the same context. In the place where 1 Peter is dependent on Isaiah (as quoted above), Polycarp seems clearly to be dependent on 1 Peter. At the same time, the variations of order and the occasional verbal differences should be noticed; but there is a striking identity of thought, even where the form is different.

(11) Pol. x. 2.

'omnes vobis invicem subiecti estote, conversationem vestram irreprehensibilem habentes in gentibus, ut ex bonis operibus vestris et vos laudem accipiatis et Dominus in vobis non blasphemetur.'

1 Pet. 2¹².

τὴν ἀναστροφὴν ὑμῶν ἐν τοῖς ἔθνεσιν ἔχοντες καλήν, ἵνα ἐν φόνταλον σιν ὑμῶν ὡς κακοποιῶν, ἐκ τῶν καλῶν ἔργων ἐποπτεύοντες δαξάσωσιν τῷ Θεῷ ἐν ἡμέρᾳ ἐπισκοπῆς. ὑπατάγητε πάσῃ ἀνθρωπίνῃ κτίσει διὰ τὸν Κύριον.

5⁵ πάντες δὲ ἀλλήλοις [ὑποτάγητε].

The second clause in the passage quoted from Polycarp seems to be a certain quotation from 1 Peter, and the unconscious change implied by the word *irreprehensibilem* is therefore to be noticed.

These three passages (9) (10) (11), taken together, strengthen each other, and justify the inclusion of all three in the first class.

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(12) Pol. ii. 1.

διὸ ἀναζωάμενοι τὰς ὁσφύας δουλεύσατε τῷ Θεῷ ἐν φόβῳ καὶ ἀληθείᾳ, . . . πιστεύσαντες εἰς τὸν ἐγείραντα τὸν Κύριον ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦν Χριστὸν ἐκ νεκρῶν καὶ δόντα αὐτῷ δόξαν.

1 Pet. 1¹³.

διὸ ἀναζωάμενοι τὰς ὁσφύας τῆς διανοίας ὑμῶν, νήφοντες, τελείως ἐλπίσατε κτλ.

1 Pet. 1²¹.

τοὺς δὲ αὐτοῦ πιστοὺς εἰς Θεὸν τὸν ἐγείραντα αὐτὸν ἐκ νεκρῶν καὶ δόξαν αὐτῷ δόντα.

It may be noticed that these two pairs of passages, which agree closely, follow each other in the same order in Polycarp

and 1 Peter. In the first passage, Polycarp appears to conflate a passage from 1 Peter with Ps. 2¹¹: see Lightfoot, ad loc.

(13) Pol. ii. 2.

*μὴ ἀποδιδόντες κακὸν ἀντὶ κακοῦ μὴ ἀποδιδόντες κακὸν ἀντὶ κακοῦ οὐ
ἡ λοιδορίαν ἀντὶ λοιδορίας ηγρόνθου λοιδορίαν ἀντὶ λοιδορίας.
ἀντὶ γρούνθου ηγαράν ἀντὶ κατάρας.*

This is almost certainly a quotation from 1 Peter, but the possibility cannot be excluded that both Polycarp and 1 Peter are quoting a proverb in the part common to them. Polycarp's method of continuing the quotation by additions of his own is worth notice.

(14) Pol. v. 3.

καλὸν γὰρ τὸ ἀνακόπτεσθαι ἀπὸ τῶν ἐπιθυμῶν ἐν τῷ κόσμῳ, διτὶ πᾶσα ἐπιθυμία κατὰ τοῦ πνεύματος στρατεύεται.

*ἀπέχεσθαι τῶν σαρκικῶν ἐπιθυμῶν,
αἵτινες στρατεύονται κατὰ τῆς ψυχῆς.*

Gal. 5¹⁷.

ἥ γὰρ σὰρξ ἐπιθυμεῖ κατὰ τοῦ πνεύματος.

It is highly probable that this is a quotation from 1 Peter, in view of the use of *στρατεύεται*, a word of strong colouring. A fusion with Gal. 5¹⁷ (34) may be responsible for *κατὰ τοῦ πνεύματος*.

(15) Pol. vii. 2.

νήφοντες πρὸς τὸν εὐχάριστον.

Pol. xi. 4.

'sobrii ergo estote.'

1 Pet. 4⁷.

νήψατε εἰς προσευχάσ.

The expression in vii. 2 is so striking, that it is very probably a quotation.

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(16) Pol. i. 3.

εἰς ἡνὶ πολλοὶ ἐπιθυμοῦσιν εἰσελθεῖν. εἰς ἀἐπιθυμοῦσιν ἄγγελοι παρακύψαι.

Polycarp may possibly be influenced by 1 Peter here, as his words follow immediately the certain quotation (9), while the words in 1 Peter follow the words cited from that Epistle under (9) after a short interval.

(17) Pol. vi. 1.

ἐπιστρέφοντες τὰ ἀποπεπλανημένα.

Pol. xi. 4.

'sicut passibilia
membra et errantia
eos revocate.'

1 Pet. 2²⁵.

ἢτε γὰρ ὡς πρόβατα πλανώμενοι, ἀλλ' ἐπεστράφητε νῦν.

Ezek. 34⁴.

τὸ πλανώμενον οὐκ ἐπεστρέψατε (v. 1. ἀπεστρέψατε).

As Polycarp cannot be proved to have made much use of O. T., it is possible that 1 Peter has influenced these passages. The word *passibilia* may be due to 1 Cor. 12²⁶; see 1 Corinthians (7).

- (18) Pol. vi. 3. 1 Pet. 3¹⁸. Titus 2¹⁴.
 ζηλωταὶ περὶ τὸ καλόν. τοῦ ἀγαθοῦ ζηλωταί. ζηλωτὴν καλῶν ἔργων.

This is a possible case of influence, but the expression is not striking or distinctive enough to make the inference necessary.

- (19) Pol. xii. 2. 1 Pet. 1²¹. Rom. 4²⁴, 10⁹;
 ‘qui credituri sunt quoted under (12). Gal. 1¹; Col. 2¹², &c.
 in Dominum nos-
 trum et Deum Iesum
 Christum et in ipsius
 patrem qui resusci-
 tavit eum a mortuis.’

The idea is too common in early Christian literature to be assigned to any one source; but as this passage of 1 Peter has almost certainly influenced Polycarp in another place (12), it may also have influenced him here.

- (20) Pol. v. 2, vi. 1. 1 Pet. 3⁸. Eph. 4⁹².
 εὐσπλαγχνοι. εὐσπλαγχνοι.

In these passages the word means ‘tender-hearted,’ whereas its classical sense is ‘brave’; but no inference can be drawn from this, as the meaning ‘tender-hearted’ seems to be fairly common in later Greek (cf., e.g., Test. xii Patr. Zeb. 5, 8, 9).

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Romans

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- (21) Pol. vi. 2. Rom. 14^{10, 12}. 2 Cor. 5¹⁰.
 πάντας δεῖ παραστῆναι πάντες γὰρ παραστη-
 τῷ βῆματι τοῦ Χριστοῦ, σόμβεθα τῷ βῆματι τοῦ τοὺς γὰρ πάντας ἡμᾶς
 καὶ ἔκαστον ὑπὲρ ἑαυτοῦ Θεοῦ (v. l. Χριστοῦ) φανερωθῆναι δεῖ ἐμπρο-
 λόγον δούναι. . . . ἅρα οὖν ἔκαστος σθεν τὸν βῆματος τοῦ
 ἥμῶν περὶ ἑαυτοῦ λόγον Χριστοῦ ἵνα κομίσηται
 δώσει τῷ Θεῷ. ἔκαστος τὰ διὰ τοῦ σώ-
 ματος πρὸς ἄ ἐπραξεν,
 εἴτε ἀγαθὸν εἴτε φαῦλον.

This passage is very probably influenced by Romans, but there may be unconscious conflation with 2 Corinthians. The chief points of connexion between Polycarp and 2 Corinthians are in the word δεῖ and in τοῦ Χριστοῦ (which is not found in

any early text of this passage in Romans). But the latter alteration might have been introduced by Polycarp himself, and the case for Romans is decidedly stronger than that for 2 Corinthians.

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| (22) Pol. iv. 1. | Rom. 13 ¹² . | 2 Cor. 6 ⁷ . |
| ὅπλισώμεθα τοῖς ὅ- ἐνδυσώμεθα δὲ τὰ ὅπλα διὰ τῶν ὅπλων τῆς δι- πλοις τῆς δικαιοσύνης. τοῦ φωτός. καιοσύνης. Cf. also 6 ¹³ ὅπλα δικαιοσύνης. Eph. 6 ¹³ . | | |

This passage is certainly influenced by Pauline metaphors. It suggests the reference to Romans, but not much stress can be laid upon this.

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| (23) Pol. iii. 3. | Rom. 13 ⁸ . |
| προσαγούσης τῆς ἀγάπης τῆς εἰς Θεὸν καὶ Χριστὸν καὶ εἰς τὸν πλησίον. ἐὰν γάρ τις τούτων ἐντὸς ἦ, πεπλήρωκεν ἐντολὴν δικαιοσύνης. | μηδενὶ μηδὲν ὄφειλετε, εἰ μὴ τὸ ἀγαπᾶν ἀλλήλους. ὁ γὰρ ἀγαπῶν τὸν ἔτερον νόμον πεπλήρωκε. τὸ γάρ . . . ἐν τούτῳ τῷ λόγῳ ἀνακε- φαλοισθαί, ἐν τῷ ἀγαπήσεις τὸν πλησίον σου ὡς ἑαυτόν. ἡ ἀγάπη τῷ πλησίον κακὸν οὐκ ἐργάζεται. πλήρωμα οὖν νόμου ἡ ἀγάπη. |

Gal. 5¹⁴ ὁ γὰρ πᾶς νόμος ἐν ἐνὶ λόγῳ πεπλήρωται, ἐν τῷ ἀγαπήσεις τὸν
πλησίον σου ὡς σεαυτόν.

Possibly a reminiscence of Rom. 13⁸, which, as being a more fully developed passage than Gal. 5¹⁴, is more probably the source of Polycarp's words than the latter.

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| (24) Pol. ix. 2. | Rom. 8 ¹⁷ . |
| εἰς τὸν ὄφειλόμενον αὐτοῖς τόπον εἴπερ συμπάσχομεν, ἵνα καὶ συν- εἰσιν παρὰ τῷ Κυρίῳ, φῶς καὶ συνέπαθον. δοξασθῶμεν. | |

In view of the context, this should rather be treated as dependent on 2 Tim. 2¹¹, see (56).

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| (25) Pol. x. 1. | Rom. 12 ¹⁰ . |
| 'fraternitatis amatores, diligentes invicem . . . mansuetudine Domini alterutri praestolantes.' | τῇ φιλαδελφίᾳ εἰς ἀλλήλους φιλέ- στοργοῖς, τῇ τιμῇ ἀλλήλους προηγού- μενοι. |

Lightfoot's reconstruction of the Greek (see his note) gives the best explanation of the passage in Polycarp yet brought forward; this reconstruction involves a reference to Romans, but too much stress ought not to be laid on what after all remains a conjecture.

2 Corinthians

(26) Pol. ii. 2.

ὅ δὲ ἐγείρας αὐτὸν ἐκ νεκρῶν καὶ εἰδότες ὅτι δὲ ἐγείρας τὸν Κύριον ἡμᾶς ἐγερεῖ.

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2 Cor. 4¹⁴.

εἰδότες ὅτι δὲ ἐγείρας τὸν Κύριον
’Ιησοῦν καὶ ἡμᾶς σὺν ’Ιησοῦ ἐγερεῖ.

The resemblance between these two passages is not verbally exact, and the idea contained in them may have become a Christian commonplace. The fact that God is described as δὲ ἐγείρας might be accounted for by the previous section in Polycarp, but the most noticeable connexion is contained in καὶ ἡμᾶς ἐγερεῖ. On the whole, it is difficult to resist the conclusion that we have here a reminiscence of 2 Corinthians.

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(27) Pol. vi. 2.

2 Cor. 5¹⁰.

See Romans (21) where the passages are quoted. Probably Polycarp is thinking primarily of Rom. 14¹⁰, but has unconsciously been influenced by 2 Cor. 5¹⁰ also.

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(28) Pol. v. 1.

2 Cor. 8²¹.Prov. 3⁴.Rom. 12¹⁷.

προνοοῦντες δέ τι προνοοῦμεν γάρ καὶ προνοοῦ καλὰ προνοούμενοι καλὰ τοῦ καλοῦ ἐνώπιον κολὰ οὐ μόνον ἐνώ- ἐνώπιον Κυρίου καὶ ἐνώπιον πάντων ἀνθεοῦ καὶ ἀνθρώπων. πιον Κυρίου, ἀλλὰ καὶ ἀνθρώπων. θρώπων.
ἐνώπιον ἀνθρώπων.

The parallel to 2 Corinthians is closer than that to Romans, as the latter omits the characteristic words Θεοῦ (Κυρίου) καὶ. But as the passage in St. Paul is dependent on Proverbs, no stress can be laid on the resemblance, for Polycarp may be also thinking of Proverbs, though the number of passages in which he can be proved to have made use of O. T. is small.

(29) Pol. xi. 3.

2 Cor. 3².

‘qui estis in principio epistulae eius.’ ή ἐπιστολὴ ἡμῶν ὑμεῖς ἔστε.

If Lightfoot's interpretation of the Latin version is correct (see his note), the reference to 2 Corinthians seems certain; but the interpretation cannot be regarded as probable (see Harnack in *T. u. U.* xx. 2. 91).

(30) Pol. iii. 2 Παύλου, ὃς γενόμενος ἐν ὑμῖν κατὰ πρόσωπον τῶν τότε ἀνθρώπων ἐδίδαξεν, . . . ὃς καὶ ἀπὸν ὑμῖν ἔγραψεν ἐπιστολάς.

No stress can be laid on the very slight resemblance of this passage to 2 Cor. 10¹.

*Galatians***b**

(31) Pol. v. 1.

Gal. 6⁷.

εἰδότες οὖν ὅτι Θεὸς οὐ μυκτηρίζεται. μὴ πλανᾶσθε. Θεὸς οὐ μυκτηρίζεται.

There is no doubt that the words in Polycarp are a quotation, especially in view of the formula *εἰδότες ὅτι* which introduces them. They also occur in a very Pauline context. No real parallel for *Θεὸς οὐ μυκτηρίζεται* appears to be known, and it is therefore highly probable that Polycarp is dependent on Galatians. But the possibility cannot be excluded that the words may be a quotation in Galatians also (*μὴ πλανᾶσθε* perhaps suggests this inference), and that Polycarp may be dependent on the lost source.

(32) Pol. iii. 3.

Gal. 4²⁶.

πίστιν ἡτις ἔστιν μήτηρ πάντων ή δὲ ἀνω Ἱερουσαλὴμ ἐλευθέρα ἔστιν, ἡμῶν. ἡτις ἔστιν μήτηρ [πάντων] ἡμῶν.

It is highly probable that this is a quotation, though the word *πάντων* appears to have been inserted in the later texts of Galatians through the influence of the passage in Polycarp. The application in Polycarp may well have been suggested by the thought that the Jerusalem that is above corresponds in Galatians to the dispensation of faith.

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(33) Pol. iii. 3.

Gal. 5¹⁴.

See under Romans (23), which is more likely to be the source of the common matter.

(34) Pol. v. 3.

Gal. 5¹⁷.

πᾶσα ἐπιθυμία κατὰ τοῦ πνεύματος ή γὰρ σὰρξ ἐπιθυμεῖ κατὰ τοῦ πνεύματος.

See under 1 Peter (14). The passage in Galatians may have influenced the quotation.

(35) Pol. ix. 2.

Gal. 2².

οὐται πάντες οὐκ εἰς κενὸν ἔδραμον. μή πως εἰς κενὸν τρέχω ή ἔδραμον.

See under Philippians (41).

*Ephesians***b**

(36) Pol. i. 3.

Eph. 2⁸.

εἰδότες ὅτι χάριτί ἔστε σεσωσμένοι, οὐκ ἐξ ἔργων, ἀλλὰ θελήματι Θεοῦ διὰ Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ.

τῇ γὰρ χάριτί ἔστε σεσωσμένοι διὰ πίστεως καὶ τοῦτο οὐκ ἐξ ὑμῶν, Θεοῦ τὸ δῶρον οὐκ ἐξ ἔργων, ἵνα μὴ τις καυχήσηται.

The words *εἰδότες ὅτι* seem to imply a consciousness in Polycarp that he is making a quotation; the two passages agree verbally, except for the absence in Polycarp of some unessential words; and it is to be noted that the sharp Pauline antithesis of faith and works is not characteristic of the Apostolic Fathers generally.

| (37) Pol. xii. 1. | Eph. 4 ²⁵ . | Ps. 4 ⁵ . |
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| 'modo, ut his scripturis dictum est, Irascimini et nolite peccare, et Sol non occidat super iracun- diam vestram.' | ἀργίζεσθε καὶ μὴ ἀργίζεσθε καὶ μὴ ἀμαρτάνετε· ὁ ήλιος μὴ ἀμαρτάνετε. ἐπιδυέτω ἐπὶ παρορ- γισμῷ ὑμῶν. | |

Except for the insertion of *et* between the two clauses, Polycarp agrees verbally (if the Latin version can be trusted) with Ephesians. The passage in Ephesians consists in a quotation from Ps. 4⁵ and a comment on it by St. Paul (cf. Deut. 24¹³ ἀποδώσεις τὸ ἐνέχυρον αὐτοῦ πρὸς δυσμὰς ἡλίου, 24¹⁵ οὐκ ἐπιδύσεται ὁ ήλιος ἐπ' αὐτῷ, Jer. 15⁹). Even if St. Paul's comment is influenced by these passages in Deuteronomy, the collocation of the two passages in Polycarp is almost certainly due to Ephesians. The words *his scripturis* and *et* may imply that Polycarp regards himself as making two separate quotations, but the second of the two can hardly be other than from Ephesians. The supposition that St. Paul and Polycarp are quoting a common proverb (e. g. Plut. *Mor.* 488 b, as quoted by Lightfoot) seems to be excluded by *his scripturis*.

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| (38) Pol. xi. 2. | Eph. 5 ⁵ . | Col. 3 ⁵ . |
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| 'si quis non se ab- stinuerit ab avaritia, ab idolatria coin- quinabitur.' | πλεονέκτης, ὃ ἔστιν εἰδωλολάτρης. | τὴν πλεονεξίαν, ἣτις ἔστιν εἰδωλολατρεία. |

There certainly seems to be a reference in Polycarp to one of these two passages, although ideas of this kind may have been Christian commonplaces. The words in Colossians are nearer to those in Polycarp, but as the evidence is inadequate for Polycarp's use of Colossians elsewhere, the passage in Ephesians ought probably to be preferred here.

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| (39) | Pol. xii. 3. | d | Eph. 6 ¹⁸ . |
| | 'pro omnibus sanctis orate.' | προσευχόμενοι ὑπὲρ πάντων τῶν ἀγίων. | |

The idea here is very obvious, but there may be a reminiscence of language.

Philippians

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| (40) | Pol. iii. 2 ὅς καὶ ἀπὸν ὑμῖν ἔγραψεν ἐπιστολάς. |
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This passage shows that Polycarp knew that St. Paul had written letters to the Philippians (or possibly, a letter : see Lightfoot, *Philippians*, p. 138). It is highly probable that he knew the extant letter ; but the amount of evidence of his use of it is not large, though it must be added that the general impression in favour of his acquaintance with it is stronger than can be fairly estimated from the isolated examination of single passages.

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| (41) | Pol. ix. 2. | Phil. 2 ¹⁶ . | Gal. 2 ² . |
| | ὅτι οὐτοι πάντες οὐκ εἰς ὅτι οὐκ εἰς κενὸν μή πως εἴς κενὸν τρέχω κενὸν ἔδραμον. ἔδραμον. ἢ ἔδραμον. | | |

Besides the verbal parallel, the context in Polycarp, referring to life in the prospect of death, suggests the context in Philippians, while the general meaning of Galatians is different.

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| (42) | Pol. ii. 1. | Phil. 2 ¹⁰ . |
| | ῳ ὑπετάγη τὰ πάντα ἐπουράνια καὶ ἵνα ἐν τῷ ὀνόματι Ἰησοῦ πᾶν γόνι ἐπτύεια, . . . οὐ τὸ αἷμα ἐκζητήσει ἀπὸ κάμψῃ ἐπουρανίων καὶ ἐπιγείων καὶ τῶν ἀπειθούντων αὐτῷ. καταχθονίων. 3 ²¹ ὑποτάξαι αὐτῷ τὰ πάντα. | |

As the context in Polycarp shows clearly that the passage refers to Christ, it is likely that he is dependent on Philippians.

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| (43) | Pol. xii. 3. | Phil. 3 ¹⁸ . |
| | 'et pro inimicis crucis.' | τοὺς ἐχθροὺς τοῦ σταυροῦ τοῦ Χριστοῦ. |

The expression is sufficiently striking to make it probable that Polycarp is thinking of the passage in Philippians.

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| (44) | Pol. i. 1. | Phil. 2 ¹⁷ . |
| | συνεχάρην ὑμῖν μεγάλως ἐν Κυρίῳ χαίρω καὶ συγχαίρω πᾶσιν ὑμῖν. ἡμῶν Ἰησοῦ Χριστῷ. | 4 ¹⁰ ἐχάρην δὲ ἐν Κυρίῳ μεγάλως ὅτι . . . |

Compare 2 Thessalonians (46).

(45) Pol. v. 2.

έὰν πολιτευσώμεθα
ἀξίως αὐτοῦ.

Phil. 1²⁷.

μάρον ἀξίως τοῦ
εὐαγγελίου τοῦ Χριστοῦ
πολιτεύεσθε.

i Clem. xxi. 1.

έὰν μὴ ἀξίως αὐτοῦ
πολιτευόμενοι τὰ καλὰ
καὶ εὐάρεστα ἐνώπιον
αὐτοῦ παιῶμεν.

Polycarp may here be thinking of the passage in Clement.
Cf. Clement (40).

2 Thessalonians.

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(46) Pol. xi. 3.

'ego autem nihil tale sensi
in vobis vel audivi, in quibus
laboravit beatus Paulus, qui
estis in principio epistulae eius:
de vobis etenim gloriatur in
omnibus ecclesiis.'

2 Thess. 1¹.

ώστε αὐτὸς ἡμᾶς ἐν ὑμῖν ἐγκαυ-
χᾶσθαι ἐν ταῖς ἐκκλησίαις τοῦ Θεοῦ.

The context shows that Polycarp supposes himself to be quoting words addressed to the Philippians (cf. *etenim*). Similar words actually occur only in 2 Thessalonians, an Epistle addressed to another Macedonian Church, which Polycarp might easily have thought of, by a lapse of memory, as sent to the Philippians. The present tense of *gloriatur* also suggests that he is quoting.

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(47) Pol. xi. 4.

'et non sicut inimicos tales
existimetis.'

2 Thess. 3¹⁵.

καὶ μὴ ὡς ἔχθρὸν ἡγεῖσθε, ἀλλὰ
νουθετεῖτε ὡς ἀδελφόν.

Polycarp's words sound as though he had purposely adapted the expression of 2 Thessalonians for his own object.

In spite of the fact that both these passages occur in the part of Polycarp for which the Latin version alone is extant, his use of 2 Thessalonians appears to be very probable.

1 Timothy

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(48) Pol. iv. 1.

ἀρχὴ δὲ πάντων χαλεπῶν φιλαρ-
γυρία. εἰδότες οὖν ὅτι οὐδὲν εἰσηγή-
καμεν εἰς τὸν κόσμον, ἀλλ᾽ οὐδὲ
ἐξενεγκεῖν τι ἔχομεν.

i Tim. 6⁷.

οὐδὲν γάρ εἰσηγκαμεν εἰς τὸν
κόσμον, ὅτι οὐδὲ ἐξενεγκεῖν τι δυνάμεθα.

i Tim. 6¹⁰.

ρίζα γάρ πάντων τῶν κακῶν ἐστὶν ἡ
φιλαργυρία.

It is almost impossible to believe that these passages are independent. The formula (*εἰδότες ὅτι*) with which Polycarp introduces the second of the two sentences, indicates that he

is conscious of quoting and points to the priority of 1 Timothy. The word *οὖν* may perhaps show that reference is being made to a well-known source, and that the one quotation has suggested the other. It may further be noted that ἀρχή is less vivid than *ρίζα*; this also points to the priority of 1 Timothy.

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(49) Pol. iv. 3.

τὰς χήρας σωφρονούσας περὶ τὴν τοῦ Κυρίου πίστιν, ἐντυγχανούσας ἀδιαλείπτως περὶ πάντων, μακρὰν οὖσας πάσης διαβολῆς.

(50) Pol. v. 2.

ὅμοιως διάκονοι ἄμεμπτοι κατενώπιον αὐτοῦ τῆς δικαιοσύνης. . . μὴ διάβολοι, μὴ δῆλογοι, ἀφιλάργυροι, ἐγκρατεῖς περὶ πάντα, εὐσπλαγχνοί, ἐπιμελεῖς, πορευόμενοι κατὰ τὴν ἀλήθειαν τοῦ Κυρίου.

1 Tim. 5⁵.

ἡ δὲ ὄντως χήρα καὶ μεμονωμένη ηλπικεν ἐπὶ θεὸν καὶ προσμένει ταῖς δέησεσιν καὶ ταῖς προσευχαῖς νυκτὸς καὶ ἡμέρας.

1 Tim. 3⁸.

διακόνους ὡσαύτως σεμνούς, μὴ δἰλόγους, μὴ ὅνηρος πολλῷ προσέχοντας, μὴ αἰσχροκερδεῖς, ἔχοντας τὸ μυστήριον τῆς πίστεως ἐν καθαρῇ συνειδήσει . . . εἴτε διακονεῖτωσαν ἀνέγκλητοι ὄντες. γυνάκις ὡσαύτως σεμνάς, μὴ διαβόλους, νηφαλίους, πιστὰς ἐν πάσιν.

In these passages the general character of thought and treatment is very similar, and there are a considerable number of verbal parallels.

(51) Pol. viii. 1.

προσκαρτερῶμεν τῇ ἐλπίδι ἡμῶν καὶ τῷ ἀρραβώνι τῆς δικαιοσύνης ἡμῶν, ὃς ἐστι Χριστὸς Ἰησοῦς.

1 Tim. 1¹.

Χριστοῦ Ἰησοῦ τῆς ἐλπίδος ἡμῶν.

The unusual order *Xristos Ihesous* is to be noted: it does not seem to occur elsewhere in Polycarp, and is not found in the passages of Ignatius which are general parallels (*Magn.* 11; *Trall. Inscr.*, 2).

(52) Pol. xii. 3.

'orate pro regibus.'

1 Tim. 2¹.

ποιεῖσθαι δεήσεις . . . ὑπὲρ βασιλέων.

That kings and rulers were mentioned in the praises of the Church is clear from 1 Clem. lxi. The plural *regibus* is strange as applied to the Emperor, and has even suggested to some critics an argument in favour of the spuriousness of Polycarp's Epistle (Lightfoot, *Ignatius and Polycarp*, i. 592). But the later date suggested is impossible on other grounds, and the plural is most easily explained by a reference to 1 Timothy.

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(53) Pol. xi. 2.

1 Tim. 3⁵.

'qui autem non potest se in his gubernare, quomodo alii pronuntiat hoc?' εἰ δέ τις ταῦτα ὀκνεῖ προστῆναι οὐκ οἰδεν, πῶς ἐκκλησίας Θεοῦ ἐπεμελήσεται;

The language in Polycarp may be suggested by a rather weakened reminiscence of 1 Timothy.

(54) Pol. xii. 3.

1 Tim. 4¹⁵.

'ut fructus vester manifestus sit in omnibus.' ἵνα σου ἡ προκαπὴ φανερὰ γέγονοι.

Possibly a reminiscence.

2 Timothy

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(55) Pol. ix. 2.

2 Tim. 4¹⁰.

οὐ γάρ τὸν νῦν ἡγάπησαν αἰώνα. ἀγαπήσας τὸν νῦν αἰώνα.

The dependence on 2 Timothy seems almost certain, especially as δὲ νῦν αἰών occurs only in the Pastoral Epistles among the books of N. T. (cf. 1 Tim. 6¹⁷; Titus 2¹²). Besides the similarity of language, the reference in both cases is to loyalty in face of danger.

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(56) Pol. v. 2.

2 Tim. 2¹¹.

καθὼς ὑπέσχετο ἡμῖν ἔγειραι ἡμᾶς πιστὸς ὁ λόγος, εἰ γάρ συναπεθάνατον καὶ ὅτι, ἐάν πολιτευσώμεθα μεν καὶ συζήσαμεν, εἰ ὑπομένομεν καὶ ἀξίως αὐτοῦ, καὶ συμβασιλεύσομεν, συμβασιλεύσομεν. εἴη πιστεύομεν.

Whatever may be the case with the first part of the promise referred to, the latter seems to be connected with some current λόγος (cf. ὅτι in Polycarp) like that quoted in 2 Timothy, whether directly or indirectly through that passage. The word συμβασιλεύειν is unique in the Apostolic Fathers, nor does the simple βασιλεύειν occur with the meaning here implied. The notion of continuance in the present πιστεύομεν brings it nearer in meaning to ὑπομένομεν than might at first appear, especially when taken in connexion with πολιτευσώμεθα that has preceded.

(57) Pol. xi. 4.

2 Tim. 2²⁵.

'quibus det Dominus poeni-tentiam veram.' μήποτε δώῃ αὐτοῖς ὁ Θεὸς μετάνοιαν εἰς ἐπίγνωσιν ἀληθείας.

The words of Polycarp certainly recall 2 Timothy: in view

of the other evidence this should probably be regarded as a reminiscence.

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(58) Pol. xii. 1.

2 Tim. 1⁵.

'quod ego credo esse in vobis.' πέπεισμαι δὲ ὅτι καὶ ἐν σοι.

Possibly a reminiscence of language.

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Acts

(59) Pol. i. 2.

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Acts 2⁴.

δν ἥγειρεν δ Θεὸς λύσας τὰς ὡδίνας δν δ Θεὸς ἀνέστησεν, λύσας τὰς
τοῦ ἄδου. ὡδίνας τοῦ θανάτου (ἄδον is an early
Western variant).

ὠδῖνες θανάτου occurs in 2 Kings 22⁶ (Ps. 17⁵), Ps. 114³, and ὠδῖνες ἄδου in Ps. 17⁶; but the expression λύσας τὰς ὡδίνας depends upon a mistranslation of בְּנֵי (= 'pains' or 'fetters'). It is difficult to account for the same mistake being made wholly independently, and so it seems probable that Polycarp is dependent on Acts. But the mistake may also be due to an earlier writer followed both by the author of Acts and by Polycarp, especially as we have no particular reason for supposing the author of Acts to have been acquainted with Hebrew.

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(60) Pol. ii. 1.

Acts 10⁴².

κριτής ζώντων καὶ νεκρῶν.

κριτής ζώντων καὶ νεκρῶν.

Acts 10⁴² is the only passage in N.T. where these exact words occur, but 2 Tim. 4¹, 1 Pet. 4⁵ are closely parallel; cf. also 2 Clem. i. 1.

(61) Pol. ii. 3.

Acts 20³⁵.

μνημονεύοντες δν εἰπεν δ Κύριος μνημονεύειν τε τῶν λόγων τοῦ Κυ-
διάστκων. πλίου Ιησοῦ, δτι αὐτὸς εἶπε . . .

No stress can be laid on the use of this formula of introduction, as the words are in themselves very natural, and 1 Clem. xiii. 1 has a very similar expression (see below, under (75)).

(62) Pol. vi. 3.

Acts 7³².

οἱ προφῆται οἱ προκηρύξαντες τὴν τίνα τῶν προφητῶν οὐκ ἔδιωξαν
ἔλευσιν τοῦ Κυρίου. οἱ πατέρες ὑμῶν; καὶ ἀπέκτειναν τοὺς
προκαταγγείλαντας περὶ τῆς ἐλεύσεως
τοῦ δικαίου.

Possibly a reminiscence of the language of Acts.

(63) Pol. xii. 2.

'det vobis sortem et partem
inter sanctos suos, et nobis vo-
biscum, et omnibus qui sunt
sub caelo.'

Acts 26¹⁸.

κλῆρον ἐν τοῖς ἡγαστρένοις.
8²¹ οὐκ ἔστιν σοι μερὶς οὐδὲ κλῆρος.
2⁵ ἀπὸ παντὸς ἔθνους τῶν ὑπὸ τὸν
οὐρανὸν.

There seems some possibility that Polycarp is here unconsciously influenced by various expressions in Acts, though no certainty can be felt in regard to the matter. *μερὶς οὐδὲ κλῆρος* occurs in Deut. 12¹², 14^{26, 28}; while the order of these words in Acts and Deuteronomy is the same, Polycarp, if the Latin version can be trusted, adopted the opposite order. For the first clause quoted from Polycarp there is a further parallel in Col. 1¹² (*εἰς τὴν μερίδα τοῦ κλήρου τῶν ἀγίων ἐν τῷ φωτὶ*), which is, however, less close than the parallel in Acts: in connexion with the last clause, Col. 1²³ (*ἐν πάσῃ κτίσει τῇ ὑπὸ τὸν οὐρανόν*) may also be noted, but the phrase 'omnibus qui sunt sub caelo' is a very obvious one.

Hebrews

(64) Pol. vi. 3.

δούλευσαμεν αὐτῷ
μετὰ φόβου καὶ πάσης
εὐλαβείας, καθὼς αὐτὸς
ἐνετείλατο καὶ οἱ εὐαγ-
γελισάμενοι ἡμᾶς ἀπό-
στολοι καὶ οἱ προφῆται
οἱ προκηρύξαντες τὴν
ἔλευσιν τοῦ Κυρίου ἡμῶν.

*C*Heb. 12²⁸.

ἔχωμεν χάριν, δι' οὗ δούλευσατε τῷ Θεῷ ἐν
λατρεύωμεν εὐαρέστωστῷ φόβῳ.
Θεῷ μετὰ εὐλαβείας καὶ
δέους.

Ps. 2¹¹.

Though the reference seems to be a general one to the tenour of O. T. as well as the Gospel, yet the phrase may very possibly be coloured by Hebrews; for *εὐλαβεία*, which is not found in the parallel passage of Psalms, occurs in N. T. only in Hebrews, and Polycarp refers to *οἱ εὐαγγελισάμενοι ἡμᾶς ἀπόστολοι*.

(65) Pol. xii. 2.

'et ipse sempiternus pontifex,
Dei filius.'

Heb. 6²⁰.

ἀρχιερεὺς γενόμενος εἰς τὸν αἰώνα.
Heb. 7³.

ἀφωμοιωμένος δὲ τῷ νίῳ τοῦ Θεοῦ.

The occurrence of *sempiternus pontifex* and *Dei filius* in the same context, both in Polycarp and Hebrews, render it not improbable that Polycarp is directly dependent on Hebrews

here. If we may trust the prayer in *Mart. Polyc.* xiv as giving his actual words (*διὰ τοῦ αἰωνίου καὶ ἐπουρανίου ἀρχιερέως Ἰησοῦ Χριστοῦ ἀγαπητοῦ σου παιδός*), we may suppose that the idea was one which had a strong hold on his mind. The conception of Christ as ἀρχιερέως occurs prominently in 1 Clement (see 1 Clement (21)) which, however, may also be dependent on Hebrews; cf. Ignatius (75); but in none of these passages is there anything corresponding to *sempiternus* or to *Dei filius*.

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(66) Pol. ix. 1.

παρακαλῶ οὖν πάντας ἡμᾶς πει- πᾶς γάρ δι μετέχων γάλακτος ἄπειρος θαρχῶν τῷ λόγῳ τῆς δικαιοσύνης. λόγου δικαιοσύνης.

The phrase *λόγος δικαιοσύνης* occurs only here in N. T.; but the context is widely different from that of Polycarp.

1 John

(67) Pol. vii. 1.

πᾶς γάρ, ὃς ἀν μὴ ὁμολογῇ Ἰησοῦν Χριστὸν ἐν σαρκὶ ἐληλυθέναι, ἀντί- χριστός ἔστιν. καὶ ὃς ἀν μὴ ὁμολογῇ τῷ μαρτύριον τοῦ σταυροῦ, ἐκ τοῦ διαβόλου ἔστιν.

c1 John 4².

πᾶν πνεῦμα δι ὁμολογεῖ Ἰησοῦν Χριστὸν ἐν σαρκὶ ἐληλυθότα ἐκ τοῦ Θεοῦ ἔστιν· καὶ πᾶν πνεῦμα δι μὴ ὁμολογεῖ (ν. 1. λύει) τὸν Ἰησοῦν ἐκ τοῦ Θεοῦ οὐκ ἔστιν.

^{3⁸ δι ποιῶν τὴν ἀμαρτίαν ἐκ τοῦ διοιβόλου ἔστιν.}

Cf. 2 John ⁷ ὅτι πολλοὶ πλάνοι ἔξηλθον εἰς τὸν κόσμον, οἱ μὴ ὁμολογοῦντες Ἰησοῦν Χριστὸν ἐρχόμενον ἐν σαρκὶ. οὐτός ἔστιν δι πλάνος καὶ ὀντίχριστος.

Notice especially *ὁμολογεῖν*, *ἐν σαρκὶ ἐληλυθέναι*, *ἀντίχριστος*, *ἐκ τοῦ διαβόλου*, which are all characteristic of 1 John throughout. The numerous coincidences of language render it probable that Polycarp either used 1 John or was personally acquainted with its author. [See also Stanton, *The Gospels as Historical Documents*, i. 20, notes 3 and 4; and in *Hibbert Journal*, ii. 805.]

d

(68) Pol. i. 1.

τὰ μημέμata τῆς ἀληθοῦς ἀγάπης.

1 John 4^{8, 16}.

δι Θεὸς ἀγάπη ἔστιν.

The expression of Polycarp has an Ignatian rather than a Johannine sound; cf. for instance Ign. *Magn.* vii. 1.

D

Colossians

(69) Pol. i. 2.

Col. 1⁵, 5.

These passages are parallel in thought, but except for the one word *καρποφορεῖ* there is no verbal connexion between them.

(70) Pol. x. 1.

Col. 1²³.

See under 1 Corinthians (6).

(71) Pol. xi. 2.

Col. 3⁵.

See under Ephesians (38).

(72) Pol. xii. 2.

Col. 1¹².

See under Acts (63).

GOSPELS.

(I) The Synoptic Gospels.

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(73) Pol. v. 2.

Mark 9³⁵.Matt. 20²⁸.

κατὰ τὴν ἀλήθειαν τοῦ εἴ τις θέλει πρῶτος δὲ νιὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου
Κυρίου, ὃς ἐγένετο διά- εἶναι, ἔσται πάντων ἐ- οὐκ ἥλθεν διακονηθῆναι
κονος πάντων. σχατος, καὶ πάντων διά- ἀλλὰ διακονῆσαι.
κονος.

The sentence in Polycarp reads like a homiletic application of the saying in Mark, suggested by the mention of διάκονοι on the one hand, and by the example of Christ, as the great fulfiller of His own precept, on the other. The actual words πάντων διάκονος are only found in Mark, but the conception is applied to Christ in Matthew, and the application is so natural as to make it impossible to treat the passage as serious evidence for Polycarp's use of Mark.

(74) Pol. xi. 2.

Matt. 18¹⁷.

'tanquam inter gentes.'

ὅσπερ δὲ θνητός.

(II) The Synoptic Tradition.

(75) Pol. ii. 3.

Matt. 7¹.Luke 6³⁵.

1 Clem. xiii. 1 f.

μημονεύοντες δὲ μὴ κρίνετε, ἵνα μὴ καὶ μὴ κρίνετε, καὶ μάλιστα μεμνημένοι
ῶν εἴπεν ὁ Κύριος κριθῆτε ἐν φῷ γὰρ μέ- ον μὴ κριθῆτε . . . φῷ τῶν λόγων τοῦ Κυρίου
διδάσκων μὴ κρίνετε, τρῷ μετρέτε, μετρη- γὰρ μέτρῳ μετρεῖ- Ἰησοῦ, οὓς ἐλάλησεν
ἵνα μὴ κριθῆτε ἀφί- θήσεται ὑμῖν. τε, ἀντιμετρηθῆσεται διδάσκων ἐπεικειαν
ετε, καὶ ἀφεθῆσεται 5⁸ μακάριοι οἱ ὑμῖν. καὶ μακροθυμίαν οὐ-

ὑμῶν ἐλέατε, ἵνα πτωχοὶ τῷ πνεύματι, ^{6²⁰} μακάριοι οἱ τως γάρ εἰπεν· ἐλέατ ἐλεηθῆτε φέρετε, ὅτι αὐτῶν ἔστιν ἡ πτωχοί, ὅτι ὑμετέρα ἵνα ἐλεηθῆτε, ἀφίετ μετρέτε, ἀντιμετρηθεῖτε τῶν σύρα- ἔστιν ἡ βασιλεία τοῦ ἵνα ἀφεθῇ ὑμῶν ὡ θήσεται ὑμῶν καὶ ὅτι νῦν. Θεοῦ.

μακάριοι οἱ πτωχοὶ ^{5¹⁰} μακάριοι οἱ δε- καὶ οἱ διωκόμενοι ἔνε- διωγμένοι ἔνεκεν δι- κεν δικαιοσύνης, ὅτι καιοσύνης, ὅτι αὐτῶν αὐτῶν ἔστιν ἡ βασι- ἔστιν ἡ βασιλεία τῶν λεία τοῦ Θεοῦ. σύρανῶν.

ποιείτε, οὕτω ποιηθή στειται ὑμῖν ὡς διδοτε οὕτως δοθῆσεται ὑμῖν ὡς κρίνετε, οὕτως κρι θήσεσθε· ὡς χρη στευεσθε, οὕτως χρη στευθῆσεται ὑμῖν· μέτρῳ μετρεῖτε, ἐ αὐτῷ μετρηθῆσεται ὑμῖν.

Polycarp assumes that a body of teaching, oral or written, similar to the Sermon on the Mount, was familiar to the Philippian Church. It is possible that his language, including the form of citation [cf. Acts (61)], may have been influenced by Clement. Polycarp does not, however, quote Clement directly, as he omits some of Clement's most characteristic phrases. In detail he agrees almost equally with Matthew and Luke, but not completely with either. Compare the discussion on 1 Clem. (55).

(76) Pol. vi. 1, 2.

μὴ ταχέως πιστεύοντες
κατά τινος, μὴ ἀπότομοι ἐν
κρίσει, εἰδότες ὅτι πάντες
διφειλέται ἐσμὲν ἄμαρτια.
εἰ οὖν δεόμεθα τοῦ Κυρίου
ἵνα ἡμῖν ἀφῆ, διφειλούεν
καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφιέναι.

Matt. 6²¹.

καὶ ἄφεις ἡμῖν τὰ
διφειλήματα ἡμῶν, ὡς
καὶ ἡμεῖς ἀφήκαμεν τοῖς
διφειλέταις ἡμῶν.

Cf. 6^{14, 15}, 18³⁵.

Luke 11⁴.

καὶ ἄφεις ἡμῖν τὰς
διμαρτίας ἡμῶν, καὶ γὰρ
αὐτοὶ ἀφίεμεν παντὶ¹
διφειλοντι ἡμῶν.

The words δεόμεθα τοῦ Κυρίου evidently introduce a reference to the Lord's Prayer. But no quotation from the Lord's Prayer can be used as evidence for acquaintance with our Gospels, as there are clear signs of its early ecclesiastical use as current elsewhere (see e. g. *Didache* (11)). Possibly, the context here, emphasizing a large charity in judgement, points to the context of the Sermon on the Mount as colouring Polycarp's thoughts (see Matt. 6¹⁴, 7¹⁻⁵). But even if Polycarp were inclined to treat the Lord's Prayer as belonging to the Sermon on the Mount, this would not necessarily imply a knowledge of our Matthew.

(77) Pol. vii. 2.

δεήσειν αἰτούμενοι
τὸν παντεπόπτην Θεὸν
μὴ εἰσενέγκειν ἡμᾶς εἰς
πειρασμόν, καθὼς εἶπεν
ὁ Κύριος· τὸ μὲν πνεῦμα
πρόθυμον, ἡ δὲ σὰρξ
ἀσθενής.

Matt. 6¹³ (=Luke 11⁴).

καὶ μὴ εἰσενέγκης
ἡμᾶς εἰς πειρασμόν.
26¹ γρηγορεῖτε καὶ
προσεύχεσθε, ἵνα μὴ
εἰσέλθῃτε εἰς πειρασμόν.
τὸ μὲν πνεῦμα πρόθυμον,
ἡ δὲ σὰρξ ἀσθενής.

Mark 14³⁸.

γρηγορεῖτε κοι προσ-
εύχεσθε, ἵνα μὴ ἔλθῃτε
εἰς πειρασμόν τὸ μὲν
πνεῦμα πρόθυμον, ἡ δὲ
σὰρξ ἀσθενής.

For the quotation from the Lord's Prayer (Polycarp's words are identical with those of Matthew and Luke), see the note to the preceding passage. The quotation introduced by *καθὼς εἶπεν ὁ Κύριος* agrees *verbatim* with Matthew and Mark, and appears in a very similar context to that in the Gospels. But this quotation might well be due to oral tradition; or it might be from a document akin to our Gospels, though not necessarily those Gospels themselves.

(78) Pol. xii. 3.

'orate etiam . . .
pro perseverentibus
et odientibus vos.'

Matt. 5⁴⁴.

ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς ἔχθροὺς
ὑμῶν, καὶ προσεύχεσθε
ὑπὲρ τῶν διωκόντων
ἡμᾶς.

Luke 6³⁷.

ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς ἔχθροὺς
ὑμῶν, καλῶ ποιεῖτε τοῖς
μισοῦσιν ὑμᾶς, εὐλο-
γεῖτε τοὺς καταραμένους
ὑμᾶς, προσεύχεσθε περὶ¹
τῶν ἐπηρεαζόντων ὑμᾶς.

Here again the language of Polycarp seems to be influenced by teaching like that of the Sermon on the Mount, but the passage affords no evidence for the use of either of our Gospels in its present form.

(79) Pol. i. 3.

εἰς ἣν πολλοὶ ἐπιθυμοῦσιν εἰσελθεῖν.

Matt. 13¹⁷.Luke 10²⁴.

There is no reason to suppose that the parallel here is more than accidental.

(III) The Fourth Gospel.

C

(80) Pol. v. 2.

καθὼς ὑπέσχετο ἡμῖν ἐγεῖραι ἡμᾶς
ἐκ νεκρῶν.

C

John 5²¹.

ὅσπερ γάρ ὁ πατὴρ ἐγείρει τοὺς
νεκροὺς καὶ ζωποιεῖ, οὗτοι καὶ ὁ νῖὸς
οὐδὲ θέλει ζωποιεῖ.

5²⁸ οἱ νεκροὶ ἀκούσονται τῆς φωνῆς
τοῦ νιὸν τοῦ Θεοῦ, καὶ οἱ ἀκούσαντες
ζήσονται.

6⁴⁴ καὶ ἐγὼ ἀναστήσω αὐτὸν ἐν τῇ
ἐσχάτῃ ἡμέρᾳ.

No such promise is given in the Synoptic Gospels, whereas it is put plainly in John. The reference seems certainly to be to a Johannine tradition, though it need not necessarily be to our Fourth Gospel.

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(81) Pol. xii. 3

John 15¹⁶.

'ut fructus vester manifestus sit in omnibus.' *ἴνα ὑμεῖς ὑπάγητε καὶ καρπὸν φέρητε, καὶ δὲ καρπὸς ὑμῶν μένη.*

The sentence in Polycarp sounds like a reminiscence of 1 Tim. 4¹⁵, see (54); the only point of contact with John is in the word *fructus*, and this might be accounted for, e. g. by Gal. 5²², if so natural an expression requires any assignable source.

(IV) Apocryphal Gospels.

The passages resembling the Sermon on the Mount, (75)–(78), have appeared to some to suggest a use by Polycarp of some non-canonical source; but, in view of the inexactness of some of his other quotations, this inference does not seem to be justified.

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(82) In vi. 1 the formula *εἰδότες οὖτι* introduces the words *πάντες ὀφελέται ἐσμὲν ἀμαρτίας*, which, in view of their style, are probably a quotation; there is, however, nothing to indicate the source from which the quotation (if such it be) is derived.

SHEPHERD OF HERMAS

INTRODUCTION.

THE author of the Shepherd of Hermas nowhere supplies us with a direct quotation from the Old or New Testament, and we are therefore obliged to fall back upon allusions which always admit of some degree of doubt. He may sometimes be consciously borrowing ideas from N. T. writers when the reference is veiled by an intentional change of words; and sometimes he may use identical words, and yet have derived them from some other source, oral or written. In these circumstances it is clear that references which might reasonably be assumed if we knew that the author was familiar with our canonical books, cannot be used to establish his familiarity with them in opposition to critics who dispute it. The following arrangement of passages, therefore, does not represent what the editors may consider historically probable, but what they think may be reasonably deduced from a mere comparison of texts.

EPISTLES, ACTS.

B

i Corinthians

(1) Mand. IV. iv. 1, 2.

'Εὰν γνω̄, . . . ἡ πάλιν ἀνήρ τις κομηθῆ, καὶ γαμήσῃ τις ἐξ αὐτῶν, μήτε ἀμαρτάνει ὁ γαμῶν; Οὐχ ἀμαρτάνει, φησίν· ἐὰν δὲ ἐφ' ἑαυτῷ μείνῃ τις, περισσοτέραν ἑαυτῷ τιμὴν . . . περιποιεῖται πρὸς τὸν Κύριον ἐὰν δὲ καὶ γαμήσῃ, οὐχ ἀμαρτάνει.

b

I Cor. 7^{39, 40}.

ἐὰν δὲ κομηθῇ ὁ ἀνήρ, ἐλευθέρα ἔστιν φὶ θέλει γαμηθῆναι . . . μακαριωτέρα δέ ἔστιν ἐὰν αὐτῷ μείνῃ, . . . δοκῶ δὲ κάγὼ Πνεῦμα Θεοῦ ἔχειν. vs. 28 ἐὰν δὲ καὶ γῆμητ^{*}, οὐχ ἥμαρτεις.

* γαμήσης, Tisch., W. H.

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(2) Sim. IX. xii. 1.

‘Η πέτρα . . . αὕτη καὶ ἡ πῦλη ὁ δὲ πέτρα ἦν ὁ Χριστός.
δ νίὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ ἔστι.

I Cor. 10⁴.

The resemblance here seems purely accidental, the rock being quite different in the two cases.

*Ephesians***b**

(3) Mand. X. ii. 1, 2, 4, 5.

ἡ λύπη ἐκτρίβει τὸ πνεῦμα τὰ ἄγιον
καὶ πάλιν σώζει . . . ἡ λύπη αὐτῇ
εἰσπαρενέσται εἰς τὸν ἄνθρωπον, καὶ
λυπεῖ τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ ἄγιον καὶ ἐκτρίβει
αὐτό . . . ἡ μὲν διψυχία . . . ἡ δὲ
διξυχολία λυπεῖ τὸ πνεῦμα . . . μὴ
θλίψει τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ ἄγιον.

See also iii. 2, and Mand.
III. 4.

In view of the originality and boldness of the phrase in Ephesians, it seems likely that Hermas is developing in his own way a phrase that has lodged in his mind. On the other hand, it is to be noticed that his conception of the Holy Spirit as essentially joyous might have led him up to the idea in a way suggested by the expression, ‘grief enters and grieves.’ Nevertheless, this does not seem to explain fully so remarkable a phrase.

(4) Sim. IX. xiii. 5.

οἱ πιστεύσαντες . . . ἔσονται εἰς ἐν
πνεῦμα, καὶ ἐν σῷμα, μιᾷ χρόᾳ τῶν
ἱματίων αὐτῶν. 7 ἐν πνεῦμα καὶ ἐν
σῷμα. xvii. 4 λαβόντες οὖν τὴν
σφραγίδα [=baptism] μίᾳ φρόνησιν
ἔσχον καὶ ἔνα νοῦν, καὶ μία πίστις αὐτῶν
ἐγένετο καὶ [μία] ἀγάπη. xviii. 4
ἔσται ἡ ἐκκλησία τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐν σῷμα,
μίᾳ φρόνησις, εἰς νοῦς, μίᾳ πίστις, μίᾳ
ἀγάπη. καὶ τότε ὁ νὺὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ
ἀγαλλιάσεται . . . ἀπειληφὼς τὸν λαὸν
αὐτοῦ καθαρόν.

These passages have all the appearance of being imitated from Ephesians. It is the way of Hermas not to quote, but to take suggestions, and alter to suit his own purposes.

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(5) Mand. III. i.

Ἄληθειαν ἀγάπα, καὶ πᾶσα ἀλήθεια
ἐκ τοῦ στόματός σου ἐκπορευέσθω.

Eph. 4²⁵.

λαλεῖτε ἀλήθειαν. ²⁹ πᾶς λόγος
σπαρὸς ἐκ τοῦ στόματος ὑμῶν μὴ
ἐκπορευέσθω.

Both the language and the sentiment are too common to

Eph. 4³⁰.

μὴ λυπεῖτε τὸ Πνεῦμα τὸ Ἀγιον
τοῦ Θεοῦ.
5^{18, 19} πληροῦσθε ἐν Πνεύματι, . . .
ψάλλαντες.

afford evidence of borrowing. Cf. Matt. 4⁴ ἐπὶ παντὶ ρήματι ἐκπορευομένῳ διὰ στόματος Θεοῦ.

(6) Sim. IX. iv. 3.

οὐδοὶ πάντες ἐβλήθησαν εἰς τὴν οἰκοδομὴν τοῦ πύργου· ἔγένοντο οὖν στοῖχοι τέσσαρες ἐν τοῖς θεμελίοις τοῦ πύργου. xv. 4 οἱ δὲ τριάκοντα πέντε προφῆται . . . οἱ δὲ τεσσαράκοντα ἀπόστολοι καὶ διδάσκαλοι.

There may be here a reminiscence of Ephesians, and indeed the whole figure of the tower may have been suggested by Eph. 2¹⁰⁻²².

(7) Sim. IX. xvi. 2, 3.

ἴνα ζωοποιηθῶσιν . . . πρὸν γάρ, φησί, φορέσσαι τὸν ἄνθρωπον τὸ ὄνομα [τοῦ νιοῦ] τοῦ Θεοῦ, νεκρός ἐστιν.

Eph. 2²⁰.

ἐποικοδομηθέντες ἐπὶ τῷ θεμελίῳ τῶν ἀποστόλων καὶ προφητῶν.
4^{11, 12} ἀποστόλους . . . διδασκάλους . . . εἰς οἰκοδομήν.

Eph. 2¹.

ἵνας ὅντας νεκροὺς τοῖς παραπτώμασι,
νυσ.⁵ συνεζωοποίησε.

C

Hebrews

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Heb. 3¹².

(8) Vis. II. iii. 2.

σάζει σε τὸ μὴ ἀποστῆναι σε ἀπὸ Θεοῦ ζῶντος.

καρδίᾳ πονηρὰ ἀπιστίας ἐν τῷ ἀποστῆναι ἀπὸ Θεοῦ ζῶντος.

Vis. III. vii. 2.

οἱ εἰς τέλος ἀποστάντες τοῦ Θεοῦ τοῦ ζῶντος.

Heb. 11¹³.

(9) Sim. I. i. ii.

οἴδατε, φησίν, ὅτι ἐπὶ ξένης κατοικεῖτε ὑμεῖς . . . ἡ γὰρ πόλις ὑμῶν μακράν ἐστιν ἀπὸ τῆς πόλεως ταύτης· . . . τί δὲ ὑμεῖς ἐτοιμάζετε ἄγρους . . . ; ταῦτα οὖν δὲ ἐτοιμάζων εἰς ταύτην τὴν πόλιν οὐ προσδοκᾷ ἐπανακάμψαι εἰς τὴν ἰδίαν πόλιν.

πόρρωθεν . . . ἰδόντες . . . ξένοι . . .

¹⁵ εἶχον ἀν καιρὸν ἀνακάμψαι . . .

¹⁶ ἡτοίμασεν γὰρ αὐτοῖς πόλιν.

13¹⁴ οὐ γὰρ ἔχομεν δὲ μένουσαν πόλιν.

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(10) Mand. IV. iii. 1, 2.

ἥκουστα . . . παρά τινας διδασκάλων, ὅτι ἔτέρα μετάνοια οὐκ ἔστιν εἰ μὴ ἐκείνη, ὅτε εἰς ὕδωρ κατέβημεν . . . καλῶς ἥκουσας· οὗτος γὰρ ἔχει.

Heb. 6⁴⁻⁶.

ἀδύνατον γὰρ τοὺς ἄπαξ φωτισθέντας

. . . πάλιν ἀνακαυνίζειν εἰς μετάνοιαν.

Sim. IX. xxvi. 6.

ἀδύνατον γάρ ἔστι σωθῆναι τὸν μελλοντα νῦν ἀρνεῖσθαι τὸν Κύριον.

The allusion to teachers, showing that the question was a subject of discussion, and the want of verbal correspondence, make the reference to Hebrews doubtful.

James

(11) Mand. IX. i.

ἄρον ἀπὸ σεαυτοῦ τὴν διψυχίαν καὶ μηδὲν ὅλως διψυχήσῃς αἰτήσασθαι παρὰ τοῦ Θεοῦ. 2 μὴ διαλογίζουν ταῦτα, ἀλλ' . . . αὐτοῦ παρ' αὐτοῦ ἀδιστάκτως. 4 ἐὰν ἀδιστάκτως αἰτήσῃς. 5 ἐὰν δὲ διστάσῃς . . . οἱ γάρ διστάζοντες εἰς τὸν Θεόν, οὗτοί εἰσιν οἱ δίψυχοι, καὶ οὐδὲν ὅλως ἐπιτυγχάνουσι τῶν αἰτημάτων αὐτῶν. There are several other references to διψυχία in the same passage: see also Herm. (39).

Sim. I. iii.

ἄφρον καὶ δίψυχε καὶ ταλαίπωρε ἄνθρωπε.

Mand. IX. vi.

οἱ δὲ δλοτελεῖς ὅντες ἐν τῇ πίστει πάντα αἰτοῦνται.

Mand. IX. i.

μηδὲν ὅλως διψυχήσῃς αἰτήσασθαι παρὰ τοῦ Θεοῦ. 2 αὐτοῦ παρ' αὐτοῦ [4 and 7, παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου]. 3 οὐκ ἔστι γάρ ὁ Θεὸς ὁς οἱ ἄνθρωποι οἱ μηνησικακοῦντες.

Sim. IX. xxiv. 1, 2.

οἱ πιστεύσαντες . . . πάντοτε ἀπλοῖ καὶ ἄκακοι, . . . καὶ ἐκ τῶν κόπων αὐτῶν παντὶ ἀνθρώπῳ ἔχορηγησαν ἀγονειδίστως καὶ ἀδιστάκτως.

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Jas. 1⁶⁻⁸.

αἰτείτω δὲ ἐν πίστει μηδὲν διακρινόμενος . . . μὴ γάρ οἱέσθω ὁ ἄνθρωπος ἐκεῖνος ὅτι λήψεται τι παρὰ τοῦ Κυρίου, ἀνὴρ δίψυχος, ἀκατάστατος ἐν πάσαις ταῖς ὅδοῖς αὐτοῦ.

Clem. Rom. I. xxiii. 3.

ἡ γραφὴ ἀντη, ὅπου λέγει· Ταλαίπωροί εἰσιν οἱ δίψυχοι, οἱ διστάζοντες τὴν ψυχήν [τῆς καρδίας] in Clem. II. xi. 2, where it is quoted as ὁ προφητικὸς λόγος].

Did. iv. 4.

οὐδὲ διψυχῆσεις, πότερον ἔσται ἡ οὐδὲ.

Barn. xix. 5.

οὐ μὴ διψυχήσης.

Jas. 1⁴.

τὸ δοκίμιον ὑμῶν τῆς πίστεως κατεργάζεται ὑπομονὴν. ἡ δὲ ὑπομονὴ ἔργον τέλειον ἔχετω, ἵνα ἥτε τέλειοι καὶ ὀλόκληροι.

Jas. 1⁵.

αἰτείτω παρὰ τοῦ διδόντος Θεοῦ πᾶσιν ἀπλῶς καὶ μὴ ὀνειδίζοντος.

Mand. IX. ii.

αἰτοῦ . . . καὶ γνώσῃ τὴν πολυευ-
σπλαγχνίαν αὐτοῦ.

Mand. IX. xi.

ἡ πίστις ἀνωθέν ἐστι παρὰ τοῦ
Κυρίου.

Mand. XI. v.

πᾶν γάρ πνεῦμα ἀπὸ Θεοῦ δοθὲν
. . . ἀνωθέν ἐστιν. 8 πρῶτον μὲν δὲ
ἔχων τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ ἀνωθεν πραῦς
ἐστι καὶ ἡσύχιος.

Mand. IX. xi.

ἡ δὲ διψυχία ἐπίγειον πνεῦμά ἐστι
παρὰ τοῦ διαβόλου.

Mand. XI. vi.

τὸ δὲ πνεῦμα . . . κατὰ τὰς ἐπιθυ-
μίας . . . ἐπίγειόν ἐστι. Χι περὶ τοῦ
πνεύματος τοῦ ἐπιγείου.

Jas. 5¹¹.

πολύσπλαγχνός ἐστιν δὲ Κύριος καὶ
οἰκτίρμων.

Jas. 1¹⁷.

πᾶσα δόσις ἀγαθὴ καὶ πᾶν δώρημα
τελειον ἀνωθέν ἐστι, καταβαῖνον ἀπὸ
τοῦ πατρὸς τῶν φώτων. 3¹⁷ ἡ δὲ
ἀνωθεν σοφία πρῶτον μὲν ἀγνῆ ἐστι,
ἔπειτα εἰρηνική.

Jas. 3¹⁵.

οὐκ ἔστιν αὕτη ἡ σοφία ἀνωθεν
κατερχομένη, ἀλλ᾽ ἐπίγειος, ψυχική,
δαιμονιώδης.

In the foregoing passages there is sufficient similarity of thought and language to suggest a literary connexion with James; but some of the most striking expressions in James are absent from Hermas, and where the language is similar, the connexion of thought is sometimes quite different. The resemblance, therefore, is not sufficient to prove direct dependence, and may perhaps be explained by the use of a common source, such as is actually quoted by Clement in regard to the δύψυχοι. A προφητικὸς λόγος was likely to be used by Hermas; e. g. *Eldad and Modat*, cited below (16).

(12) Sim. IX. xxiii. 2-4.

ἀπὸ τῶν καταλαλιῶν ἑαυτῶν μεμα-
ρασμένοι εἰσὶν ἐν τῇ πίστει . . . αἱ
καταλαλιαὶ . . . ταῖς καταλαλαῖς αὐτῶν
. . . εἰ δὲ Θεός . . . ἵλεως γίνεται,
ἀνθρώπος . . . ἀνθρώπῳ μησικακεῖ ὡς
δυνάμενος ἀπολέσαι ἢ σῶσαι αὐτὸν;

Mand. XII. vi. 3.

φοβήθητε τὸν πάντα δυνάμενον
σῶσαι καὶ ἀπολέσαι.

Jas. 4^{11, 12}.

μὴ καταλαλεῖτε ἀλλήλων, ἀδελφοί.
ὅ καταλαλῶν ἀδελφοῦ . . . καταλαλεῖ
νόμον . . . εἴς ἐστιν δὲ νομοθέτης καὶ
κριτής, δὲ δυνάμενος σῶσαι καὶ ἀπολέσαι;
σὺ δὲ τίς εἰ δὲ κρίνων τὸν πλησίον;

Cf. Matt. 10²⁸ φοβήθητε . . .
τὸν δυνάμενον καὶ ψυχὴν καὶ σῶμα
ἀπολέσαι.

Here both the identity of expression and the resemblance in the context are strongly suggestive of literary dependence. It is possible that both writers used a common document; but there is no evidence of this in the present case.

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(13) Vis. II. ii. 7.

μακάριοι ὑμεῖς ὅσοι
ὑπομένετε τὴν Θλίψιν τὴν
ἐρχομένην τὴν μεγάλην,
καὶ ὅσοι οὐκ ἀρνήσονται
τὴν ζωὴν αὐτῶν.

Jas. 1¹².

Μακάριος ἀνὴρ ὁς
ὑπομένει πειρασμόν . . .
λήψεται τὸν στέφανον
τῆς ζωῆς.

Rev. 7¹⁴.

οἱ ἐρχόμενοι ἐκ τῆς
Θλίψεως τῆς μεγάλης.
Matt. 10²² and 24¹⁸.
δ δὲ ὑπομείνας εἰς
τέλος, οὗτος σωθήσεται.

There is some verbal resemblance; but the words are very common, the deviations are strongly marked, and the sentiment is quite different.

(14) Vis. III. ix. 4-6.

αὕτη οὖν ἡ ἀσυν-
κρασία βλαβερά ὑμῖν
τοῖς ἔχουσιν καὶ μὴ
μεταδιδοῦσιν τοῖς ὑστε-
ρουμένοις. βλέπετε τὴν
κρίσιν τὴν ἐπερχομένην
... μήποτε στενάξουσιν
οἱ ὑστερούμενοι, καὶ δὲ
στεναγμὸς αὐτῶν ἀνα-
βήσεται πρὸς τὸν Κύ-
ριον.

Jas. 5^{1,4}.

οἱ πλούσιοι, . . . κλαύ-
σατε δλούζοντες ἐπὶ ταῖς
ταλαιπωρίαις ὑμῶν ταῖς
ἐπερχομέναις . . . δὲ
μισθὸς τῶν ἐργατῶν . . .
δὲ ἀπεστερημένος ἀφ'
ὑμῶν κράξει· καὶ αἱ βοαὶ
τῶν θερισάντων εἰς τὰ
ῶτα Κυρίον Σαβαὼθ
εἰσεληλύθασιν.

Lev. 19¹³.

οὐ μὴ κοιμηθήσεται ὁ
μισθὸς τοῦ μισθωτοῦ
παρὰ σοὶ ἔως προι-

Deut. 24¹⁵.

πένης . . . καταβοή-
σεται κατὰ σοῦ πρὸς
Κύριον.

Ps. 11⁶.

τοῦ στεναγμοῦ τῶν
πενήτων.

Ps. 17⁷.

ἡ κραυγὴ μου . . .
εἰσελεύσεται εἰς τὰ ὕδα-
αὐτοῦ.

Cf. Enoch xciv.
7-10.

With a resemblance of sentiment and expression, the differences are considerable, and both may be explained from the O. T.

(15) Mand. II. ii., iii.

μηδενὸς καταλάλει . . .
πονηρὰ ἡ καταλαλιά,
ἀκατάστατον δαιμόνιον.

V. ii. 7 ἀκαταστατεῖ
ἐν πάσῃ πράξει αὐτοῦ.

Sim. VI. iii. 4, 5.

τιμωροῦνται . . . ἀκ-
ταστασίᾳ . . . ἀκαταστα-
τοῦντες ταῖς βουλαῖς
αὐτῶν.

Jas. 4¹¹.

μὴ καταλαλέite ἀλ-
λήλων.
3⁸ τὴν δὲ γλῶσσαν
. . . ἀκατάστατον κακόν.
1⁸ ἀκατάστατος ἐν
πάσαις ταῖς ὁδοῖς αὐτοῦ.

Prov. 26²⁸.

στόμα δὲ ἀστεγον
ποιεῖ ἀκαταστασίας.
20¹⁶ μὴ ἀγάπα κατα-
λαλεῖν.

Wisd. 1¹¹.

ἀπὸ καταλαλιᾶς φε-
σασθε γλώσσης.

See also Ps. 49²⁰,
100⁶.

Isa. 54¹¹.

ἀκατάστατος οὐ παρε-
κλήθης.

See also Tobit 4¹³.

The sentiment and the words are sufficiently common. Ἀκατάστατον δαιμόνιον reminds one of James; but with the change from κακόν, the connexion is too slight to be relied on.

(16) Mand. III. i.

τὸ πνεῦμα ὃ ἀ Θεὸς
κατφύγειν ἐν τῇ σαρκὶ¹
ταύτῃ . . . δέ Κύριος ὃ ἐν
σοὶ κατοικῶν.

Mand. V. ii. 5-7.

οὐδὲ καὶ τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ
ἄγιον κατοικεῖ . . . κατοι-
κεῖν . . . ζητεῖ κατοικεῖν
. . . οὐ κατοικεῖ.

Sim. V. vi. 5, 7.

τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ ἄγιον . . .
κατφύγειν ἀ Θεὸς εἰς
σάρκα . . . ἐν ᾧ κατφ-
κησε τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ
ἄγιον . . . ἐν ᾧ τὸ πνεῦμα
τὸ ἄγιον κατφύγησεν.

Jas. 4⁵.

ἡ δοκεῖτε ὅτι κενῶς
ἡ γραφὴ λέγει; πρὸς
φθόνον ἐπιποθεῖ τὸ πνεῦ-
μα ὃ κατφύγειν ἐν ἡμῖν;

Test. of Twelve
Patriarchs, Simeon 4
ἔχων πνεῦμα Θεοῦ ἐν
αὐτῷ. Joseph 10 Κύ-
ριος κατοικήσει ἐν ὑμῖν
. . . κατοικεῖ . . . δέ ἐν
αὐτῷ κατοικῶν. Benj. 6
Κύριος γὰρ ἐν αὐτῷ
κατακεῖ.

Though the parallels in the *Testaments of the Twelve Patriarchs* show that the idea of a Divine indwelling, expressed by the word κατοικεῖν is not unusual, nevertheless the words of Hermas are sufficiently close to those of James to indicate some kind of literary connexion; but as the latter is avowedly quoting an unknown scripture, Hermas and he may be dependent on a common source, possibly *Eldad and Modat*, which is quoted in Vision II. iii. 4 Ἐγγὺς Κύριος τοῖς ἐπιστρεφομένοις, ὡς γέγραπται ἐν τῷ Ἐλδᾶδ καὶ Μωδάτ. We should note that the striking expression in James, πρὸς φθόνον ἐπιποθεῖ, is wanting in Hermas.

(17) Mand. XII. i. 1.

μισήσεις τὴν πονηρὰν
ἐπιθυμίαν καὶ χαλι-
γωγῆσεις αὐτὴν καθὼς
βαύλει.

2 δυσκόλως ἡμεροῦται.

Jas. 1²⁶.

μὴ χαλιωγωγῶν
γλῶσσαν αὐτοῦ.
3² δυνατὸς χαλιν-
γωγῆσαι καὶ δλον τὸ
σῶμα. vs. ⁴ ὅπου . . .
βαύλεται. vs. ⁵ τὴν
δὲ γλῶσσαν αὐδεὶς δύ-
ναται . . . δαμάσαι.

Polycarp v. 3.

χαλιωγωγοῦντες ἔαν-
τοὺς ἀπὸ παντὸς κακοῦ.

The metaphorical use of ‘bridling’ is not uncommon, but the word is of rare occurrence. It is found, however, in

Lucian, applied to *τὰς τῶν ἡδονῶν ὀρέξεις*, which shows how unsafe it is to infer literary connexion from a mere resemblance of words and thought. Here, however, we must notice the presence of the ideas of willing and taming, which occur also in the context of James.

| (18) Mand. XII. ii. 4. | Jas. 4 ⁷ . | Tobit 6 ¹⁸ . |
|---------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|
| ἡ ἐπιθυμία . . . φεύ- | ἀντίστητε δὲ τῷ δια- | ὁσφρανθήσεται τὸ δαι- |
| ξεται ἀπὸ σοῦ. | βόλῳ, καὶ φεύξεται ἀφ' | μόνον καὶ φεύξεται. |
| iv. 7 ὁ διάβολος μόνον | ὑμῶν. | Test. of Twelve |
| φάβον ἔχει . . . μὴ φαβῆ- | | Patr., Simeon 3. |
| θητε οὖν αὐτόν, καὶ φεύ- | | ἀποτρέχει τὸ πονηρὸν |
| ξεται ἀφ' ὑμῶν. | | πνεῦμα ἀπ' αὐτοῦ. |
| v. 2 ἐὰν οὖν ἀντι- | | Isachar 7. |
| σταθῆτε αὐτῷ, νικηθεὶς | | πᾶν πνεῦμα τοῦ Βε- |
| φεύξεται ἀφ' ὑμῶν. | | λιάρφ φεύξεται ἀφ' ὑμῶν. |
| 4 ἀνθεστήκασιν αὐτῷ . . . | | Napht. 8. |
| κάκεινος ἀποχωρεῖ ἀπ' | | ὁ διάβολος φεύξεται |
| αὐτῶν. | | ἀφ' ὑμῶν. |
| | | i Pet. 5 ⁹ . |
| | | ἢ ἀντίστητε στερεοὶ τῇ |
| | | πίστει. |

The words and the thought in the above passages are sufficiently close to James to justify the conclusion that they are probably based on the Epistle. But a doubt is permissible because the words are few and in regular use, and the sentiment may have been common in Christian circles.

| (19) | Sim. I. viii. | Jas. 1 ²⁷ . |
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| χήρας καὶ ὄρφανοὺς ἐπισκέπτεσθε. | | ἐπισκέπτεσθαι ὄρφανοὺς καὶ χήρας |
| Mand. VIII. x. | | ἐν τῇ θλίψει αὐτῶν. |
| χήραις ὑπηρετεῖν, ὄρφανοὺς καὶ | | |
| ὑστερουμένους ἐπισκέπτεσθαι. | | |
| Vis. III. ix. 2. | | |
| ἐπισκέπτεσθε ἀλλήλους. | | |

The verbal resemblance in the first passage is striking; but *ἐπισκέπτεσθαι* is a common word in this kind of connexion, being very frequent in the LXX, and the union of orphans and widows as specially entitled to kindness is met with several times in the O. T. (see in the LXX Exod. 22²²; Deut. 10¹⁸; Job 22⁹; Ps. 93⁶, 145⁹; Isa. 1¹⁷, 9¹⁷; Jer. 7⁶, 22³; Ezek. 22⁷; Zech. 7¹⁰). Moreover, the parallel passages in

Hermas deviate much more widely from James. It is therefore impossible to feel confident that there is dependence.

(20) Sim. II. v.

Jas. 2⁵.

ὅ μὲν πλούσιος ἔχει χρήματα πολλά, ὁ Θεὸς ἐξέλεξατο τοὺς πτωχοὺς . . .
τὰ δὲ πρὸς τὸν Κύριον πτωχεύει . . . πλούσιος ἐπίστει.
ὅ πένης πλούσιός ἐστιν ἐν τῇ ἐντεύξει, 5¹⁶ πολὺ ἴσχυει δέησις δικαίου
καὶ δύναμις μεγάλην ἔχει ἡ ἐντεύξις ἐνεργουμένη.
αὐτοῦ παρὰ τῷ Θεῷ.

The idea of the poor man as richer in spiritual life is common to the two works; but this is suggested also by Luke 6²⁰, 12²¹, 16¹⁹⁻³¹; 2 Cor. 6¹⁰, 8⁹. The idea of the power of prayer is differently connected and applied; and there is no verbal resemblance that can suggest literary dependence.

(21) Sim. VIII. vi. 4.

Jas. 5².

δῶν αἱ ράβδοι ἔηραὶ καὶ βεβρωμέναι
ὑπὸ σητὸς εὑρέθησαν, οὐτοὶ εἰσῶ οἱ ἀπο-
στάται . . . καὶ βλασφημήσαντες ἐν
ταῖς ἀμαρτίαις αὐτῶν τὸν Κύριον, ἔτι
δὲ καὶ ἐπαισχυνθέντες τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου
τὸ ἐπικληθὲν ἐπ' αὐτούς.

ὅ πλοῦτος ὑμῶν σέσηπτε, καὶ τὰ
ἱμάτια ὑμῶν σητόβρωτα γέγονεν.
2⁷ οὐν αὐτοὶ (sc. οἱ πλούσιοι)
βλασφημοῦσι τὸ καλὸν ὄνομα τὸ ἐπι-
κληθὲν ἐφ' ὑμᾶς;

See also 1 Pet. 4¹⁶ (31).

(22) The following passages may also be compared; but it is not necessary to present them, as the language which is used in common by the two writers is not sufficiently characteristic to require remark. The context is quite different, and the use of the same words or figures may be explained from the O. T., or from general literary usage.

Vis. I.i. 8, ii. 1. Cf. Mand. IV.i. 2. Jas. 1^{14, 15}.

Mand. II. iv. Sim. II. vii. 1^{5, 17}.

Mand. XII. vi. 5. 1²⁷, 4⁸.

Sim. VI. i. 1. 1²¹.

Sim. VI. i. 2. Vis. IV. i. 8. 2^{1, 4}.

Sim. VI. i. 6, ii. 4. 5⁵.

Sim. VIII. ix. 1. 2¹⁴.

Sim. IX. xix. 2. 3^{1, 14, 18}, 2^{14, 17, 20}.

Sim. IX. xxi (especially 3). 1^{11, 18}, 2⁷.

Sim. IX. xxvi. 7. 3⁸.

Although the passages which point to dependence on James fail to reach, when taken one by one, a high degree of probability, yet collectively they present a fairly strong case, but we should be hardly justified in placing the Epistle higher than Class C.

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Acts

(23) Vis. IV. ii. 4.

ἐπὶ τὸν Θεόν . . . πρὸς
τὸν Κύριον, πιστεύσας
ὅτι δὶς οὐδενὸς δύνη σω-
θῆναι εἰ μὴ διὰ τοῦ
μεγάλου καὶ ἐνδόξου
ὄντος.

Acts 4¹².

οὐδὲ γὰρ δυνομά ἔστιν
ἔτερον ὑπὸ τὸν οὐρανὸν
τὸ δεδομένον ἐν ἀνθρώ-
ποις, ἐν φῷ δὲ σωθῆναι
ἡμᾶς.

Isa. 24¹⁵.

τὸ δυνομα Κυρίου ἐνδο-
ξον.
43¹¹ οὐκ ἔστιν παρέξ
ἔμοι σώζον.

Ps. 53³.

Ο Θεός, ἐν τῷ δυνόματί
σου σῶσόν με.

11² Σῶσόν με, Κύριε.
19² ὑπερασπίσαι σου
τὸ δυνομα τοῦ Θεοῦ.

See also Ps. 32²¹,
78⁹, 105⁸, 123⁸, &c.

It seems doubtful whether ‘the Lord’ and ‘the name’ refer to God or to Christ. In III. i. 9 and ii. 1, where suffering for the sake of the name (in v. 2 ‘the name of the Lord’) is alluded to, the name is most naturally understood as that of Christ. But in III. iv. 3 ‘the name of God’ is expressly mentioned; and in IV. i. 3 ‘his great and glorious name’ seems most probably to refer to God. The same may be said of ‘the almighty and glorious name’ in III. iii. 5. In III. vii. 3 *Kύριος* seems to be used of Christ. This ambiguity qualifies the first impression of resemblance. In any case the usage of the O. T. may furnish a sufficient basis for the passage; and even the negative form of the sentence, which particularly reminds us of Acts, has a parallel in Isa. 43¹¹. The context is totally different from that in Acts.

(24) Mand. IV. iii. 4.

καρδιογνώστης γὰρ ἀν δό Κύριος.

Acts 1²⁴.

Κύριε, καρδιογνώστα πάντων.
15⁸ δό καρδιογνώστης Θεός.

The only appearance of dependence here is in the use of an uncommon word. But even if that word originated with the author of Acts, it may have passed into Christian use, so as to be familiar to many who had not read Acts. If we suppose a direct connexion, there is nothing to show on which side the priority lies.

Romans

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(25) Mand. X. ii. 5.

μὴ θλίψει τὸ πνεῦμα τὸ ἄγιον τὸ ἐν σοὶ κατοικοῦν, μήποτε ἐντεύξηται [κατὰ σοῦ] τῷ Θεῷ.

Rom. 8^{26, 27.}

αὐτὸ τὸ πνεῦμα ὑπερεντυγχάνει . . . ἐντυγχάνει ὑπὲρ ἀγίων.

1 Thessalonians

(26) Vis. III. ix. 10.

παιδεύετε οὖν ἀλλήλους καὶ εἰρη-

1 Thess. 5^{18 f.}

εἰρηκεύετε ἐν ἑαυτοῖς παρακαλοῦμεν δὲ ὑμᾶς, ἀδελφοί, νοοθετεῖτε τοὺς ἀτάκτους . . .

These passages use the same phrase in rather similar contexts dealing with mutual exhortation.

1 Peter

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(27) Vis. III. iii. 5.

ἡ ζωὴ ὑμῶν διὰ ὕδατος ἐσώθη καὶ σωθῆσεται.

1 Pet. 3^{20, 21.}

ἐν ἡμέραις Νῶε, κατασκευαζαμένης κιβωτοῦ, εἰς ἣν δλίγοι . . . διεσώθησαν δὶ’ ὕδατος . . . σώζει βάπτισμα.

The context is quite different, the reference to Noah and the ark being absent from Hermas. The idea of salvation through water springs directly from the practice of baptism, and would readily suggest the figure of founding the tower ἐπὶ ὑδάτων.

(28) Vis. III. xi. 3.

οὐκ ἐπείρψατε ἑαυτῶν τὰς μερίμνας ἐπὶ τὸν Κύριον.

IV. ii. 4 ἐξέφυγες . . . ὅτι τὴν μέριμνά σου ἐπὶ τὸν Θεόν ἐπέριψας. . . . 5 ἐπιρίψατε τὰς μερίμνας ὑμῶν ἐπὶ τὸν Κύριον, καὶ αὐτὰς κατορθώσει αὐτάς.

1 Pet. 5^{7.}

πᾶσαν τὴν μέριμναν ὑμῶν ἐπιρίψαντες ἐπ' αὐτόν [τὸν Θεόν], διτὶ αὐτῷ μελεῖ περὶ ὑμῶν.

Ps. 54^{23.}

ἐπίριψον ἐπὶ Κύριον τὴν μέριμνάν σου, καὶ αὐτὸς σε διαθρέψει.

The quotation seems taken independently from the Psalm; for, though the latter part differs from the LXX, it differs more widely from Peter. The huge beast, introduced as a type of the great tribulation, might be suggested by the 'roaring lion' of Peter; but the figure, as used by Hermas, is too obvious to require such an explanation.

(29) Vis. IV. iii. 4.

ὅσπερ γάρ τὸ χρυσίον δοκιμάζεται
διὰ τοῦ πυρός, . . . οὗτας καὶ ὑμεῖς
δοκιμάζεσθε.

1 Pet. 1⁷.

τὸ δοκίμιον ὑμῶν τῆς πίστεως πολυ-
τιμότερον χρυσίον τοῦ ἀπολλυμένου
διὰ πυρὸς δὲ δοκιμαζομένου.

The words are not sufficiently close, and the comparison is far too obvious and common, to prove literary dependence.

(30) Sim. IX. xii. 2, 3.

οἱ μὲν νῖὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ
πάσης τῆς κτίσεως αὐτοῦ
προγενέστερός * ἐστιν
. . . ἐπ' ἐσχάτων τῶν
ἡμερῶν τῆς συντελείας
φανερὸς ἐγένετο.

1 Pet. 1²⁰.

Χριστοῦ προεγνωσμέ-
νου μὲν πρὸ καταβολῆς
κόσμου φανερώθεντος δὲ
ἐπ' ἐσχάτου τῶν χρόνων.

Heb. 1².

ἐπ' ἐσχάτου [al. ἐσχά-
των] τῶν ἡμερῶν.

1 John 5⁵.

ἐκεῖνος ἐφανερώθη.

Also 3⁸.

1² ἡ ζωὴ ἐφανερώθη.

Col. 1¹⁵.

πρωτότοκος πάσης κτί-
σεως.

* Not used in N. T.

The antithesis which is here expressed reminds one of the Epistle; but the thought is somewhat different, and the phraseology, as the parallels show, is not necessarily connected with Peter. If we suppose that there is a literary connexion, we may observe that the doctrine is rather more developed in Hermas, and so may indicate that the dependence is on that side.

(31) Sim. IX. xiv. 6.

οὐκ ἐπαισχύνονται τὸ
ὄνομα αὐτοῦ φορεῖν.
xxi. 3 ὅταν θλῖψις
ἀκούσωσι, . . . τὸ ὄνομα
ἐπαισχύνονται τοῦ Κυρίου
αὐτῶν.
xxviii. 5, 6
οἱ πάσχοντες ἔνεκεν τοῦ
ὄντος δοξάζειν ὁ φει-
λετε τὸν Θεόν, δτι ὁξίους
ὑμᾶς ἤγγιστο ὁ Θεὸς ἵνα
τούτο τὸ ὄνομα βαστά-
ζητε . . . πεπόνθατε ἔνε-
κεν τοῦ ὄντος Κυρίου.

VIII. vi. 4 ἐπαι-
σχυνθέντες τὸ ὄνομα
Κυρίου τὸ ἐπικληθὲν ἐπ'
αὐτούς. See (21).

1 Pet. 4¹⁴⁻¹⁶.

εἰ διειδίζεσθε ἐν ὄντο-
ματι Χριστοῦ . . . πα-
σχέτω . . . εἰ δὲ ὡς
Χριστιανός, μὴ αἰσχυ-
νέσθω, δοξαζέτω δὲ τὸν
Θεὸν ἐν τῷ ὄνόματι τού-
τῳ.

Polycarp viii. 2.

ἐὰν πάσχωμεν διὰ τὸ
ὄνομα αὐτοῦ, δοξάζωμεν
αὐτὸν. τοῦτον γάρ ἡμὲν
τὸν ὑπογραμμὸν ἔθηκε
δι' ἑαυτοῦ.

Mark 8³⁸; Luke 9²⁶.

ὅς γὰρ ἀν ἐπαισχυνθῇ
με.

Cf. Acts 5⁴¹: see
(46).

The probability that there is here a reminiscence of 1 Peter is confirmed by the parallel from Polycarp; for the latter has just quoted 1 Peter, and that he still has the Epistle in mind is indicated by the last clause: see 1 Pet. 2²¹. But the citation is not sufficiently close to make us feel confident that there is direct literary dependence.

| (32) Sim. IX. xxix. | 1 Pet. 2 ^{1, 2} . | Matt. 18 ³ . |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|---------------------------|
| I, 3. | ἀποθέμενοι οὖν πᾶσαν | γένησθε ὡς τὰ παιδία. |
| ώς νήπια βρέφη εἰσὶν, | κακίαν... ὡς ἀρτιγέννητα | 1 Cor. 14 ²⁰ . |
| οἵσ οὐδεμίᾳ κακία ἀνα- | βρέφη. | τῇ κακίᾳ νηπιάζετε. |
| βαίνει ἐπὶ τὴν καρδίαν... | | |
| ὅσοι οὖν, κτλ. | | |

The comparison is too obvious to require borrowing; and if Hermas uses the *βρέφη* of 1 Peter, he fails to use the more striking *ἀρτιγέννητα*.

On the whole, then, the evidence seems to place 1 Peter on the border line between C and D.

GOSPELS.

Dr. C. Taylor has elaborated a striking argument in support of the thesis that Hermas based the Church upon four Gospels¹. It is impossible to do justice to this in a meagre summary, and the reader ought to consult the work for himself. The important passages are the following:—

Vis. III. xiii. 3 ὅτι ἐπὶ συμψέλιον εἶδες καθημένην, ἵσχυρὰ ἡ θέσις· ὅτι τέσσαρας πόδας ἔχει τὸ συμψέλιον καὶ ἵσχυρῶς ἔστηκεν· καὶ γὰρ ὁ κόσμος διὰ τεσσάρων στοιχείων κρατεῖται.

Sim. IX. iv. 3 ἐγένοντο οὖν στοῖχοι τέσσαρες ἐν τοῖς θεμελίοις τοῦ πύργου. xv. 4 οἱ μὲν πρῶτοι [λίθοι], φησὶν, οἱ δέκα οἱ εἰς τὰ θεμέλια τεθειμένοι, πρώτη γενεά· οἱ δὲ εἴκοσι πέντε δευτέρα γενεά ἀνδρῶν δικαίων· οἱ δὲ τρίτοις πέντε προφῆται τοῦ Θεοῦ καὶ διάκονοι αὐτοῦ· οἱ δὲ τεσσαράκοντα ἀπόστολοι καὶ διδάσκαλοι τοῦ κηρύγματος τοῦ νιοῦ τοῦ Θεοῦ.

Dr. Taylor finds the key to this allusion to the four elements in the well-known passage of Irenaeus², in which

¹ *The Witness of Hermas to the Four Gospels*, 1892.

² III. xi. 8, 9 Stieren; 11, 12 Harvey.

he tries to prove that there must be neither more nor fewer than four Gospels. He connects the four *στοῖχοι* in the foundation of the tower with the *στοιχεῖα*. The four generations have their parallel in the four covenants of Irenaeus. ‘The numbers of the stones in the four rows are 10, 25, 35, and 40 respectively, of which the decades are expressed in Greek by the initials of John, Cephas, Luke, and Matthew. St. Peter was the traditional authority for St. Mark’s Gospel.’ The bench, with its four feet, represents the four Gospels united in the one Gospel.

The argument is certainly plausible, and if we knew that Hermas had four and only four Gospels, the explanation of his imagery would be probable. But on the hypothesis that the Church had not yet definitely selected the Four Canonical Gospels, it may be that Hermas had other reasons for his use of the number four, and that nevertheless his use of that number may have helped to guide the decision of the Church, and to furnish Irenaeus with arguments. It is curious that Irenaeus, though referring to four regions of the world and four catholic winds, makes no mention of elements even when he speaks of the world as ‘compounded and fitted together.’ Moreover, the mere correspondence of numbers is not to be depended upon. Thus twelve mountains represent the twelve tribes or nations of the world. The twelve virgins at the gates of the tower, of whom four were more glorious than the rest, do not stand for Apostles and Evangelists, but for the virtues, of which the first four are faith, temperance, power, and long-suffering. Dr. Taylor, however, makes them represent the Holy Spirit as distributed to the twelve Apostles. While we fully recognize the value of Dr. Taylor’s interpretations, we cannot place much confidence in them as an independent proof of the use of our four Gospels by Hermas.

Dr. Taylor supports his principal argument by pointing out several apparent allusions to special features in our Gospels; but here again, though the references are probable on the assumption that Hermas had our Gospels, they are not of a kind to prove that he had them to any one who is disposed to deny their currency at that time.

(I) The Synoptic Gospels.

C

Matthew

(33) Mand. XII. i. 2.

τοὺς μὴ ἔχοντας ἔνδυμα τῆς ἐπιθυμίας τῆς ἀγαθῆς.

Sim. IX. xiii. 2.

ἄνθρωπος οὐ δύναται εὑρεθῆναι εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ Θεοῦ, ἐὰν μὴ αἴται [αἱ παρθένοι = ἄγια πνεύματα, οἱ δυνάμεις ταῦταν τοῦ θεοῦ] αὐτὸν ἔνδυσσωσι τὸ ἔνδυμα αὐτῶν.

This might have been suggested by the parable of the marriage feast; but the resemblance is not very close.

(34) Sim. III. iii.

ἐν τῷ αἰώνι τούτῳ οὐ φαίνονται οἵτε οἱ δίκαιοι οἵτε οἱ ἀμαρτωλοί, ἀλλὰ πάντες ὅμοιοι εἰσιν.

IV. 2 ὁ γὰρ αἰών ὁ ἐρχόμενος θέρος ἐστὶ τοῖς δίκαιοις, τοῖς δὲ ἀμαρτωλοῖς χειμῶν. 4 ὡς ἔνδιλα κατακαυθήσονται.

V. v. 2 ὁ ἀγρός ὁ κάσμος αὐτός ἐστιν.

This might certainly have been suggested by the parable of the tares, the general idea being similar, and the last-quoted words being almost identical. It is the custom of Hermas to transform ideas of which he avails himself, and adapt them to his own composition.

(35) Sim. V. vi. 4.

ἔξουσίαν πᾶσαν λαβὼν παρὰ τοῦ πατρὸς αὐτοῦ.

Matt. 28¹⁸.

*ἐδόθη μοι πᾶσα ἔξουσία,
11²⁷ πάντα μοι παρεδόθη ὑπὸ τοῦ πατρός μου.*

The words are sufficiently related to suggest dependence, but are too few to admit of a confident inference.

d

(36) Vis. III. ix. 8.

παρὰ τοῦ βασιλέως τοῦ μεγάλου.

Matt. 5³⁵.

τοῦ μεγάλου βασιλέως.

The expression is a fairly common one (see Ps. 46³, 47³, 94³; also Tobit 13¹⁵), and the context is quite different.

(37) Mand. XI. xvi.

Matt. 7^{15, 16}.

δοκίμαζε οὖν ἀπὸ τῶν ἔργων καὶ τῶν ψευδοπροφητῶν . . . ἀπὸ τῶν τῆς ζωῆς τὸν ἀνθρώπον τὸν λέγοντα καρπῶν αὐτῶν ἐπιγνώσεσθε αὐτούς.
έαντὸν πνευματοφόρον εἶναι.

The resemblance here is solely in the sentiment, and that is not sufficiently characteristic to be of weight apart from verbal coincidence.

*Mark***C**

(38) Mand. IV. ii. 1.

Mark 6⁵².

οὐ συνίω οὐδέν, καὶ ἡ καρδία μου οὐ γάρ συνήκαν . . . δλλ' ἦν ἡ καρδία αὐτῶν πεπωρωμένη [see also 8¹⁷].

The combination of words is confined to Mark, where it occurs twice, and the verbal agreement is sufficient to suggest dependence. It is as if Hermas said, ‘I am like those men who are reproached in the Gospel.’ Nevertheless, we cannot, on the strength of this single passage, assign a very high degree of probability to the use of Mark by Hermas. See also (43) and the references in (46), which exclude Matthew, as that Gospel does not use ἐπαισχύνεσθαι.

*Luke***D**

(39) Mand. IX. viii.

Luke 18¹.

σὺ οὖν μὴ διαλίπης αἰτούμενος . . . πρὸς τὸ δεῖν πάντοτε προσεύχεσθαι ἔαν δὲ ἐκκακήσῃς. αὐτὸν καὶ μὴ ἐγκακεῖν [al. ἐκ-].

This connexion of ideas is confined to Luke in the N. T., and the expression is sufficiently close to suggest dependence. The last word is used by Paul, 2 Cor. 4^{1, 16}; Gal. 6⁹; Eph. 3¹³; 2 Thess. 3¹³, but not in reference to prayer, as it is in 2 Clem. ii. 2. See also (11).

(II) The Synoptic Tradition.

(40) Vis. III. vi. 5.

Matt. 13^{20, 21}.

ἔχοντες μὲν πίστιν, ἔχοντες δὲ καὶ πλούτον τοῦ αἰῶνος τούτου, ὅταν γένηται θλίψις, διὰ τὸν πλούτον αὐτῶν καὶ διὰ τὰς πραγματείας ἀπαρνοῦνται τὸν Κύριον αὐτῶν.

δ τὸν λόγον ἀκούων καὶ εὐθὺς μετὰ χαρᾶς λαμβάνων αὐτόν . . . γενομένης δὲ θλίψεως . . . σκανδαλίζεται.

Mark 4^{18, 19}.

Sim. IX. xx. 1, 2.

οἱ μὲν τριβολοί εἰσιν οἱ πλούσιοι, αἱ δὲ ἄκανθαι οἱ ἐν ταῖς πραγματείαις

οἱ εἰς τὰς ἀκάνθας σπειρόμενοι . . . αἱ μέριμναι τοῦ αἰῶνος καὶ ἡ ἀπάτη τοῦ πλούτου καὶ αἱ περὶ τὰ λοιπὰ ἐπιθυμίαι . . . συμπνίγουσιν τὸν λόγον.

ταῖς ποικίλαις ἐμπεφυμένοι . . . πνιγό-
μενοι ὑπὸ τῶν πράξεων αὐτῶν.

Luke 8¹⁴.
οὐτοι . . . συμπνίγονται.

See also xxi. 3.

The resemblance here may very well indicate acquaintance with the parable of the sower, though it is impossible to connect this acquaintance with a particular Gospel.

(41) Vis. IV. ii. 6. Matt. 26²⁴; Mark 14²¹. 1 Clem. xlvi. 8.

οὐαὶ τοῖς . . . παρακού- καλὸν ἦν αὐτῷ, εἰ σὺκ εἴπεν γάρ· Οὐαὶ τῷ σασιν' αἱρετώτερον ἦν ἐγενήθη ὁ ἄνθρωπος ἀνθρώπῳ ἔκεινῳ· καλὸν αὐτοῖς τὸ μὴ γεννηθῆναι. ἔκεινος.

This might certainly be borrowed from the Synoptic saying, the change being no greater than we may expect when there is no express quotation. The quotation in Clement (56) proves that the saying was known in Rome, but does not attach it to a particular Gospel.

(42) Mand. IV. i. 1.

μὴ ἀναβαίνετω σου ἐπὶ τὴν καρδίαν πᾶς ὁ βλέπων γυναῖκα πρὸς τὸ ἐπιθυμῆσαι αὐτῆς ἥδη ἐμοίχευσεν αὐτὴν ἐν τῇ καρδίᾳ αὐτοῦ.

Matt. 5²⁸.

ἡν δὲ ἀπολύσας τὴν γυναῖκα ἐτέραν γαμήσῃ, καὶ αὐτὸς μοιχᾶται.

ὅς ἂν ἀπολύσῃ τὴν γυναῖκα αὐτοῦ, εἰ μὴ ἐπὶ πορνείᾳ [Mk. om.], καὶ γαμήσῃ ἀλλην, μοιχᾶται [Mk. add. ἐπ' αὐτῷ].

Mand. IV. i. 6.

Matt. 19⁹; Mark 10¹¹.

ἡν δὲ ἀπολύσας τὴν γυναῖκα ἐτέραν γαμήσῃ, καὶ αὐτὸς μοιχᾶται.

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The first of these passages is similar in sentiment, though not in words, to Matthew. The second resembles the Gospels both in thought and language. It goes beyond 1 Cor. 7^{10, 11}, and, with Mark, omits the qualification in Matthew. Paul's reference shows there was a Christian doctrine on the subject apart from a written Gospel; but the words here are so much closer to the Gospels than are Paul's that we may reasonably infer some kind of literary dependence. At all events, the passages indicate acquaintance with the Synoptic tradition.

(43) Sim. IX. xx. 2.

οἱ πλούσιοι . . . δυσκόλως εἰσελεύ- σονται εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ Θεοῦ.

Matt. 19²³.

δυσκόλως πλούσιος [Tisch. πλ. δυστ.] εἰσελεύσεται εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τῶν οὐρανῶν. Mark 10²³ πῶς δυσκόλως οἱ τὰ χρήματα ἔχοντες εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ Θεοῦ εἰσελεύσονται. Luke 18²⁴ nearly the same as Mark.

We can hardly doubt that this is a quotation.

(44) Sim. V. ii. 1.
 $\tauὴν παραβολὴν.$ 2 ἐφύτευσεν ἀμπελῶνα . . . δούλον . . . παρεκαλέσατο αὐτὸν . . . ἔξῆλθε δὲ ὁ δεσπότης . . . εἰς τὴν ἀποδημίαν. 5 μετὰ χρόνου ἡλθεν ὁ δεσπότης τοῦ δούλου. 7 θέλω αὐτὸν συγκληρουμένον τῷ σιδήρῳ μου πουῆσαι.

Matt. 21³³; Mark 12¹; Luke 20⁹.
 $\piαραβολὴν$ [Mk. ἐν παροβολαῖς] . . . ἐφύτευσεν ἀμπελῶνα [Mk. ἀμπ. ἐφύτ.] . . . ἀπεδήμησεν.
 Matt. 25¹⁴.
 $\epsilon̄κάλεσεν$. . . δούλους [Lk. 19¹³].
¹⁹ μετὰ δὲ πολὺν χρόνον ἔρχεται ὁ κύριος τῶν δούλων.
 Mark 12⁷; Luke 20¹⁴.
 $\deltā κληρονόμος$ [ὁ νιός].

This may possibly have been suggested by the Gospels; and the whole parable seems framed on the model of the evangelical parables.

(45) Sim. IX. xxix. 1, 2, 3.

$\omegāς νήπια βρέφη$. . . οἱ τοιούτοι . . . κατοικήσουσιν ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ τοῦ Θεοῦ . . . πάντα γάρ τὰ βρέφη ἔνδοξά ἔστι παρὰ τῷ Θεῷ καὶ πρώτα παρ' αὐτῷ.

See also xxxi. 3 ‘felices vos iudicio omnes . . . quicumque estis innocentes sicut infantes, quoniam pars vestra bona est et honorata apud Deum.’

It is not improbable that this is derived from some such saying as we find in the Gospels.

(46) Sim. VIII. vi. 4.
 $\epsilon̄παισχυνθέντες$ τὸ ὄνομα Κυρίου.

Sim. IX. xiv. 6.

ὅτι οὐκ ἐπαισχύνονται τὸ ὄνομα αὐτοῦ φορεῖν.

Sim. IX. xxi. 3.
 τὸ ὄνομα ἐπαισχύνονται τοῦ Κυρίου.

Matt. 18³.

ἐὰν μὴ . . . γένησθε ὡς τὰ παιδία, οὐ μὴ εἰσέλθητε εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τῶν οὐρανῶν. ¹⁰ οἱ ἄγγελοι αὐτῶν . . . βλέποντι τὸ πρόσωπον τοῦ πατρός μου. ⁴ ὁ μείζων ἐν τῇ βασιλείᾳ τῶν οὐρανῶν. 19¹⁴; Mark 10¹⁴ τῶν γάρ τοιούτων ἐστὶν ἡ βασιλεία τῶν οὐρανῶν [Mark τοῦ Θεοῦ]. Cf. Matt. 20¹⁷ πρῶτος.

Mark 8³⁸; Luke 9²⁶.

ὅτι γάρ διν ἐπαισχυνθῇ με καὶ τοὺς ἔμους λόγους.

Comp. (31).

(III) The Fourth Gospel.

D

d

John

(47) Vis. II. ii. 8.
 $\tauὸν ἀρνησαμένους$ τὸν Κύριον αὐτῶν ἀπεγνω-
 ρίσθαι ἀπὸ τῆς ζωῆς αὐτῶν.

John 11²⁵, 14⁶.
 Ἐγώ εἰμι . . . ἡ ζωή.

Col. 3⁴.
 δ Χριστὸς . . . ἡ ζωὴ ἡμῶν.

Matt. 10³³.
 δοτις διν ἀρνήσηται
 με ἔμπροσθεν τῶν ἀνθρώ-
 πων, ἀρνήσομαι αὐτὸν
 κάγω. Also Luke 12⁹, somewhat varied.

The only connexion is in the word *ζωή*, and it is by no means certain that it refers to Christ in Hermas; in any case, the verse in Colossians is sufficient to show that the expression need not be borrowed from John. The sentiment of the passage is closer to the Synoptics.

(48) Sim. V. vi. 3. John 10¹⁶.

δοὺς αὐτοῖς τὸν νόμον ὃν ἔλαβε παρὰ τοῦ πατρὸς αὐτοῦ. ταύτην τὴν ἐντολὴν ἔλαβον παρὰ τοῦ πατρός μου. Cf. 12⁴⁹, 14⁵¹, 15¹⁰.

The identity of expression may be accidental, for it is sufficiently explained by the context.

(49) Sim. IX. xii. 1. John 10^{7, 9}.

ἡ πύλη ὁ νιὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐστι. 5 εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τοῦ Θεοῦ ἄλλως εἰσελθεῖν οὐ δύναται ἀνθρώπος εἰ μὴ διὰ τοῦ ὄντος τοῦ νιοῦ αὐτοῦ τοῦ ἡγαπημένου ὑπ’ αὐτοῦ. 6 ἡ δὲ πύλη ὁ νιὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ ἐστίν αὐτῇ μία εἰσόδος ἐστι πρὸς τὸν Κύριον. ἄλλως οὐν οὐδεὶς εἰσελεύσεται πρὸς αὐτὸν εἰ μὴ διὰ τοῦ νιοῦ αὐτοῦ.

ἐγώ εἰμι ἡ θύρα. vs. ¹⁷ διὰ τοῦτο με διαπήδησαν.

14⁶ οὐδεὶς ἔρχεται πρὸς τὸν πατέρα, εἰ μὴ δι’ ἐμοῦ.

The figure of a gate admitting to the tower which represents the Church is a natural one, and need not be borrowed. Nevertheless, the passage has a Johannine colouring; but whether this is sufficient to prove a literary connexion may be reasonably questioned. Such sentiments must have spread among Christians apart from direct literary influence.

(50) Sim. IX. xv. 3. John 3^{3—5}.

ταῦτα τὰ ὄντοτα [of various vices] ὃ φορῶν τὸν Θεοῦ δοῦλος τὴν θαυματείαν μὲν ὅψεται τὸν Θεοῦ, εἰς βασιλείαν τοῦ Θεοῦ . . . οὐ δύναται εἰσελθεῖν εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν αὐτὴν δὲ οὐκ εἰσελεύσεται.

The two expressions remind one of the passage in John; but in the latter they are synonymous, whereas in Hermas they are contrasted. The idea of entering into the kingdom of God is too common to be an indication of any particular passage; and the idea of seeing it, though not so frequently expressed, occurs in Mark 9¹, with the parallel in Luke 9²⁷, and the notion of seeing it without entering it is suggested by Matthew 26⁶⁴, with the parallel in Mark 14⁶², where the word *όψεσθε* is used. See also Luke 21²⁷.

II CLEMENT

INTRODUCTION.

PHOTIUS (Biblioth. Cod. 126) says of 2 Clement, *ρήγτά τινα ὡς ἀπὸ τῆς θείας γραφῆς ξενίζοντα παρεισάγει, ὃν οὐδὲ ἡ πρώτη ἀπόλλακτο παντελῶς.* A case of such alien ‘scripture’ quotation common to 1 and 2 Clement is that found most fully in 2 Clem. xi. 2-4 (1 Clem. xxiii. 3 f.) λέγει γὰρ καὶ ὁ προφητικὸς λόγος, Ταλαπωροί εἰσιν οἱ δίψυχοι, κτλ. ‘The prophetic discourse’ in question may or may not be ‘Eldad and Modat’: but at any rate it shows that our homilist’s quotations of divinely authoritative words are not controlled by any strict canonical idea, even in relation to O. T. writings. Yet we must beware of mistaking free citations for verbal quotations from unknown Gospels. For what follows the words λέγει ἡ γραφὴ ἐν τῷ Ἱεζεκιὴλ, in vi. 8, is in fact a free paraphrase; and he is apt to use *φησίν* with words which merely give the effect of a passage (e. g. xii. 6 with allusion to xii. 2; cf. vii. 6 where words of Isa. 66²⁴ are adapted). In v. 2, however, he certainly cites a non-canonical Gospel with λέγει ὁ Κύριος, as also in viii. 5, with the addition ἐν τῷ εὐαγγελίῳ.

In xiv. 2 our author appeals, for teaching about the Church, to ‘The Books (*τὰ βιβλία + prophetarum, Syriac*) and the Apostles.’ Thus, on the one hand, he co-ordinates the apostolic writings with the O. T. as to authority; but, on the other, he does not include them under the same term, ‘the Books,’ i. e. his Bible. Whether, again, he reckons Gospel narratives under ‘the Apostles’ must be held doubtful, in view of his free use of at least one apocryphal Gospel, possibly that ‘According to (the) Egyptians’—which he can hardly have believed Apostolic in origin (assuming that he cites it at all). This suggests that he thought only of the sayings of the Lord in such narratives as the authoritative element; just as he refers (xiii. 3) to ‘the Oracles of God’ on the lips of Christians, and cites the substance of words found in Luke 6^{32, 35}, as embodying a divine oracle (λέγει ὁ Θεός). Here God is con-

ceived as speaking in Christ, who elsewhere is Himself cited as the authority behind the Gospel, e. g. 'For the Lord saith in the Gospel' (viii. 5), where an Evangelic source distinct from any of our Gospels seems to be cited. All this prevents any very strict inference from the fact that words found in Matt. 9¹³, Mark 2¹⁷ (cf. Luke 5³²) are cited (ii. 4), after an O. T. passage, with *καὶ ἐτέρα δὲ γραφὴ λέγει*. Thus the book in question is 'a scripture' primarily because of what it embodies, viz. part of the Gospel spoken by the Lord; and elsewhere he can quote with equal deference matter certainly not found in any of our Gospels. Indeed, all the facts would be fairly satisfied by the hypothesis that our homilist quotes throughout from a single Evangelic source, if we were at liberty to imagine it a sort of combined recension of two or more of our Synoptists, embodying such additions as made it correspond more completely to the notion of Christ's 'Gospel' prevalent in the non-Jewish part of the Alexandrine Church. In that case it would be an earlier local type of harmony¹ than Tatian's *Diatessaron*, which so largely superseded our Gospels, even at a later date, among Syriac-speaking Christians. As regards the N. T. Epistles, the phrase 'The Books and the Apostles' prepares us to find pretty free use of them, even though they are not formally quoted.

EPISTLES.

C

Hebrews

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(1) 2 Clem. xi. 6.

Heb. 10²³.

πιστὸς γάρ ἔστιν ὁ ἐπαγγειλάμενος. *πιστὸς γάρ ὁ ἐπαγγειλάμενος.*

The context of the two passages is similar, referring to the need of hope in the presence of grounds for doubt.

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(2) 2 Clem. i. 6.

Heb. 12¹.

ἀποθέμενοι ἔκείνο ὁ περικείμεθα *τοσοῦτον ἔχοντες περικείμενον ἡμῖν*
νέφος τῇ αὐτοῦ θελήσει. *νέφος μαρτύρων, σύκον ἀποθέμενοι*
πάντα . . .

¹ On such a view we should of course have to treat the phenomena pointing to Clement's use of any of our Synoptists as evidence of indirect or second-hand use—so pushing back the origin of such a Gospel to a period prior to that of the immediate source.

Although the thought of these two passages is so different, it seems difficult, in view of the verbal coincidences, to resist the conclusion that the language of 2 Clement is unconsciously influenced by that of Hebrews.

The following points of similarity may be added, though they cannot be classed.

(a) 2 Clem. xvi. 4.

Heb. 13¹⁸.

προσευχὴ . . . ἐκ καλῆς συνειδή- *προσεύχεσθε περὶ ἡμῶν πειθόμεθα σεως.* *γὰρ δὲ καλὴν συνείδησιν ἔχομεν.*

The expression *καλὴ συνείδησις* does not occur elsewhere in N. T.

(b) xx. 2 has a general similarity with Heb. 10³²⁻³⁹; and the expression Θεοῦ ζῶντος occurs in 2 Clem. xx. 2 and Heb. 10³¹ (cf. 3¹²).

D

i Corinthians

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(3) 2 Clem. ix. 3.

i Cor. 6¹⁹.

δεῖ οὖν ἡμᾶς ὡς ναὸν Θεοῦ φυλάσ- *τοῦ ἐν ἦμῖν Ἀγίου Πνεύματός ἐστιν,*
σειν τὴν σάρκα.

ἢ οὐκ οἴδατε ὅτι τὸ σῶμα ὑμῶν μαὸς
τοῦ ἐν ἦμῖν Ἀγίου Πνεύματός ἐστιν;
οὐ ἔχετε ἀπὸ Θεοῦ;

i Cor. 3¹⁶.

οὐκ οἴδατε ὅτι ναὸς Θεοῦ ἐστε . . . ;

Cf. Eph. 2²⁰⁻²².

The phrase in 2 Clement has the same meaning as that of i Cor. 6¹⁹, and it is very possible that it is derived from St. Paul; but the conception had probably become a commonplace among Christians, and we cannot assert a necessary dependence upon any particular passage.

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(4) 2 Clem. vii. 1.

i Cor. 9^{24, 25}.

The metaphor of the games is very common in ancient literature. Cf. Lightfoot, ad loc.

(5) 2 Clem. xi. 7, xiv. 5.

i Cor. 2⁹.

See note on the passage in relation to i Clem. (14).

Ephesians

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(6) 2 Clem. xiv. 2.

Eph. 1²².

οὐκ οἴμαι δὲ ὑμᾶς ἀγνοεῖν ὅτι
ἐκκλησίᾳ ζῶσα σῶμά ἐστι Χριστοῦ
(λέγει γὰρ ἡ γραφή· Ἐποίησεν ἀ θεὸς
τὸν ἄνθρωπον ἄρσεν καὶ θῆλυ τὸ

καὶ αὐτὸν ἔδωκε κεφαλὴν ὑπὲρ
πάντα τῇ ἐκκλησίᾳ, ητις ἐστὶ τὸ σῶμα
αὐτοῦ, τὸ πλήρωμα τοῦ τὰ πάντα ἐν
πᾶσι πληρουμένου.

ἀρσεν ἔστιν ὁ Χριστός, τὸ θῆλυν ἡ
ἐκκλησία), καὶ ὅτι τὰ βιβλία καὶ οἱ
ἀπόστολοι τὴν ἐκκλησίαν οὐ νῦν εἴναι
ἀλλὰ δύνωθεν [φασίν].

Eph. 5²³.

ὅτι ἀνήρ ἔστι κεφαλὴ τῆς γυναικός,
καὶ ὁ Χριστός κεφαλὴ τῆς ἐκκλη-
σίας, κτλ.

Eph. 1⁴.

καθὼς ἐξελέξατο ἡμᾶς ἐν αὐτῷ πρὸ²⁴
καταβολῆς κάσμου.

We have to notice here :—

1. The treatment of the Church as the body of Christ.
2. The comparison of the union of Christ and the Church to the union of man and woman.
3. The conception of the Church as pre-existing, which possibly corresponds in some degree with St. Paul's conception of the election before the foundation of the world.

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| (7) 2 Clem. xix. 2. | Eph. 4 ¹⁸ . |
| ἐσκοτίσμεθα τὴν διάνοιαν. Cf. (17). | |
| (8) 2 Clem. xiii. 1. | Eph. 6 ⁶ . |
| ἀνθρωπάρεσκαι. | Cf. Col. 3 ²² . |

James

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| (9) 2 Clem. vi. 3, 5. | Jas. 4 ⁴ . |
| ἔστιν δὲ αὐτὸς ὁ αἰῶν καὶ ὁ μέλλων δύσ ἔχθροι . . . οὐ δυνάμεθα οὖν τῶν δύο φίλοι είναι· δεῖ δὲ ἡμᾶς τούτῳ ἀποταξαμένους ἐκείνῳ χρᾶσθαι. | οὐκ αἰδατε ὅτι ἡ φιλία τοῦ κάσμου ἔχθρα τοῦ Θεοῦ ἔστιν; διὸ οὖν βουληθῇ φίλος εἴναι τοῦ κάσμου, ἔχθρὸς τοῦ Θεοῦ καθίσταται. |

There is a similarity of feeling between these passages, but no verbal parallel, except in the occurrence of φίλοι and φιλία.

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| (10) 2 Clem. xv. 1. | Jas. 5 ¹⁶ . |
| μισθὸς γάρ οὐκ ἔστιν μικρὸς πλανω- μένην ψυχὴν καὶ ἀπολλυμένην ἀπα- στρέψαι εἰς τὸ σωθῆναι. | εὔχεσθε ὑπὲρ ἀλλήλων, ὅπως ἴαθῆτε. πολὺ ισχύει δέησις δικαίου ἐνεργου- μένη. |

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| (11) 2 Clem. xvii. 4. | Jas. 5 ²⁰ . |
| κρείστων νηστείᾳ προσευχῆς, ἐλεη- μοσύνῃ δὲ ἀμφοτέρων ἀγάπῃ δὲ καλύπτει πλῆθας ἀμαρτιῶν προσευχὴ δὲ ἐκ καλῆς συνειδήσεως ἐκ θανάτου ρύεται. | δὲ ἐπιστρέψας ἀμαρτωλὸν ἐκ πλάνης όδον αὐτοῦ σώσει ψυχὴν ἐκ θανάτου, καὶ καλύψει πλῆθος ἀμαρτιῶν. |

The occurrence in 2 Clement of so many points similar to those in Jas. 5^{16, 20} is worthy of notice, although none of the resemblances may be very striking in themselves.

(12) 2 Clem. xx. 2-4.

πιστεύωμεν οὖν, ἀδελφοὶ καὶ ἀδελ-
φαῖ· Θεοῦ ζῶντος πέραν ἀθλοῦμεν,
καὶ γυμναζόμεθα τῷ νῦν βίῳ ἵνα τῷ
μελλοντὶ στεφανωθῶμεν. οὐδὲντος τῶν
δικαίων ταχὺν καρπὸν ἔλαβεν, ἀλλ’
ἐκδέχεται αὐτὸν. εἰ γὰρ τὸν μισθὸν
τῶν δικαίων ὁ θεὸς συντάμως ἀπέδιδον,
εὐθέως ἐμπορίαν ἡσκοῦμεν καὶ οὐ
θεοσέβειαν.

There is a general similarity between these passages in the spirit of their teaching, but these parallels, like the others cited with passages in James, are insufficient to give positive evidence in favour of literary dependence.

1 Peter

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(13) 2 Clem. xiv. 2.

ἔφανερώθη δὲ ἐπ’ ἐσχάτων τῶν
ἡμερῶν ἵνα ἡμᾶς σώσῃ.

Cf. also ἀπὸ τῆς ἐκκλησίας τῆς ζωῆς and ἐκκλησία ζῶσα (occurring in the same section of 2 Clement) with λίθοι ζῶντες (1 Pet. 2⁴).

(14) 2 Clem. xvi. 4.

ἀγάπη δὲ καλύπτει πλῆθος ἀμαρτιῶν.

See note on 1 Clement (48).

1 Pet. 1²⁰.

φανερώθεντος δὲ ἐπ’ ἐσχάτου τῶν
χρόνων δὲ ὑμᾶς.

1 Pet. 4⁸.

ἀγάπη καλύπτει πλῆθος ἀμαρτιῶν.

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Romans

(15) 2 Clem. i. 8.

ἐκάλεσεν γὰρ ἡμᾶς οὐκ ὄντος καὶ
ἡθελησεν ἐκ μὴ ὄντος εἶναι ἡμᾶς.

Rom. 4¹⁷.

καλοῦντος τὰ μὴ ὄντα ὡς ὄντα.

The correspondence is superficial, and the phrase in some sense is not uncommon. Cf. Lightfoot, ad loc.

(16) 2 Clem. viii. 2.

Rom. 9²¹.

The metaphor of the clay and the potter is used by Jeremiah (18⁴ff.), and it would therefore be unsafe to assert the dependence of 2 Clement on Romans.

(17) 2 Clem. xix. 2.

ἐσκοτίσμεθα τὴν διάνοιαν.

Rom. 1²¹.

καὶ ἐσκοτίσθη ἡ ἀσύνετος αὐτῶν
καρδία.

Eph. 4¹⁸.

ἐσκοτισμένοι τῇ διανοίᾳ.

μακροθυμήσατε οὖν, ἀδελφοί, ἵνα
τῆς παρουσίας τοῦ Κυρίου. Ἰδού, ὁ
γεωργὸς ἐκδέχεται τὸν τίμιον καρπὸν
τῆς γῆς, μακροθυμῶν ἐπ’ αὐτῷ, ἵνα
λάβῃ ὑετὸν πρώτον καὶ ὅψιμον.
μακροθυμήσατε καὶ ὑμεῖς . . . ὑπό-
δειγμα λάβετε, ἀδελφοί, τῆς κακο-
παθείας καὶ τῆς μακροθυμίας τοὺς
προφήτας.

The phrase is parallel to that of Romans and Ephesians, but closer to the latter. Cf. (7).

I Timothy

(18) 2 Clem. xx. 5. 1 Tim. 1¹⁷.

There is considerable resemblance between these doxologies, but it seems to us impossible to lay much stress upon this, as it is very possible that they are both based upon liturgical forms.

(19) 2 Clem. xv. 1. 1 Tim. 4¹⁸.
Cf. Jas. 5^{19, 20} (11).

2 Peter

(20) 2 Clem. xvi. 3.

*γενώσκετε δὲ ὅτι ἔρχεται ἦδη ἡ
ἡμέρα τῆς κρίσεως ὡς κλίβανος καιό-
μενος, καὶ τακήσονται τινες τῶν οὐρα-
νῶν, καὶ πᾶσα ἡ γῆ ὡς μόλεθος ἐπὶ
πυρὶ τηκόμενος, καὶ τότε φανήσεται
τὰ κρύφα καὶ φανερὰ ἔργα τῶν ἀν-
θρώπων.*

Mal. 4¹ ἵδον ἡμέρα ἔρχεται καιομένη ὡς κλίβανος.

Isa. 34⁴ τακήσονται πᾶσαι αἱ δυνάμεις τῶν οὐρανῶν.

This affords parallels to 2 Pet. 3^{5-7, 10}; notice also the variant *εὐρεθήσεται* in 2 Pet. 3¹⁰, which is near to *φανήσεται* in 2 Clem. xvi. 3.

[Lightfoot thinks the agreement of 2 Clem. xi. 2 with 2 Pet. 1¹⁹ in ὁ προφητικὸς λόγος, and with 2⁸ in ἡμέραν ἐξ ἡμέρας, worthy of notice.]

Jude

(21) 2 Clem. xx. 4.

διὰ τοῦτο θεία κρίσις ἔβλαψεν πνεῦμα μὴ δὲ δίκαιου, καὶ ἔβάρυνεν Jude⁶.
ἀγγέλους τε τοὺς μὴ τηρήσαντας τὴν ἑαυτῶν ἀρχήν . . . εἰς κρίσιν μεγάλης ἡμέρας δεσμοῖς ἀιδίοις ὑπὸ ζόφου τετήρηκεν.

These passages seem parallel, but it is to be remembered that the interpretation of 2 Clem. xx. 4 is very doubtful, that the variant *δεσμός* (C) is found for *δεσμοῖς* (S, considerably weakening the parallel), and that changes of the text have also been proposed.

GOSPELS.

(I) The Synoptic Gospels.

C

Matthew(22) 2 Clem. v. 5, vi. 7
(viii. 4).

ἡ δὲ ἐπαγγελία τοῦ Χριστοῦ μεγάλη καὶ θαυμαστή ἔστιν, καὶ [+ ἡ, C] ἀνάπαντας τῆς μελλουσῆς βασιλείας καὶ ζωῆς αἰώνιου.

ποιοῦντες γὰρ τὸ θέλημα τοῦ Χριστοῦ εὐρήσουμεν ἀνάπανταν· εἰ δὲ μήγε, οὐδὲν ἡμᾶς ρύσεται ἐκ τῆς αἰώνιον κολάσεως, ἐὰν παρακούσωμεν τῶν ἐντολῶν αὐτοῦ.

τὰς ἐντολὰς τοῦ Κυρίου φυλάξαντες ληφόμεθα ζωὴν αἰώνιον.

Matthew alone has (1) Christ's promise of rest to those who do His will—such persons 'finding rest'; (2) the warning as to κόλασις αἰώνιος (only here in N. T.) for those who do not His commands, as set forth in the Judgement Scene, while the prize is ἡ (μέλλουσα) βασιλεία and ζωὴ αἰώνιος. Hence it is hard to escape the impression that our homilist is using this Gospel directly or indirectly.

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(23) 2 Clem. iii. 2.

λέγει δὲ καὶ αὐτός· Τὸν ὄμολογή- σαντά με [ἐνώπιον τῶν ἀνθρώπων, ομ. Syr.], ὄμολογήσω αὐτὸν ἐνώπιον τοῦ πατρός μου.

Clement's quotation is nearer Matthew than Luke (who has δ νίὸς τοῦ ἀνθρώπου . . . ἔμπροσθεν τῶν ἀγγέλων τοῦ Θεοῦ). But even retaining ἐνώπιον κτλ. (Matthew and Luke have ἔμπροσθεν κτλ.), Clement's wording is sufficiently different to suggest the direct use of another source altogether, whether oral or written. See the next note.

(24) 2 Clem. iv. 2.

λέγει γάρ· Οὐ πᾶς δὲ λέγων μοι, Κύριε, Κύριε, σωθήσεται, ἀλλ' δὲ ποιῶν τὴν δικαιοσύνην.

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Matt. 11²⁸ f., 25⁴⁵ f.

δεῦτε πρός με, . . . κἀγὼ ἀναπαύσω ὑμᾶς· ἅρα τὸν ζυγόν μου ἐφ' ὑμᾶς, . . . καὶ εὑρήσετε ἀνάπανταν ταῖς ψυχαῖς ὑμῶν.

ἔφ' ὅσον οὐκ ἐποιήσατε . . . Καὶ ἀπελεύσονται οὗτοι εἰς κόλασιν αἰώνιον, οἵ δὲ δίκαιοι εἰς ζωὴν αἰώνιον.

Matt. 10³² (Luke 12⁸).

πᾶς οὖν ὅστις ὄμολογήσει ἐν ἑμοὶ ἔμπροσθεν τῶν ἀνθρώπων, ὄμολογήσω κἀγὼ ἐν αὐτῷ ἔμπροσθεν τοῦ πατρός μου τοῦ ἐν σύρανοις.

Matt. 7²¹.

οὐ πᾶς δὲ λέγων μοι, Κύριε, Κύριε, εἰσελεύσεται εἰς τὴν βασιλείαν τῶν οὐρανῶν, ἀλλ' δὲ ποιῶν τὸ θέλημα τοῦ πατρός μου τοῦ ἐν σύρανοις.

Σωθήσεται may simply echo οὐ γάρ τοῦτο σώσει ἡμᾶς, just before (cf. iii. 3, also i. 1, 4, ii. 2, 4, 7), especially as Matthew's phrase is rather Jewish; and δικαιοσύνη may be a paraphrase to suit the context, which has Christ's will directly in view (cf. xi. 7, xix. 3 for Clement's use of the phrase). Or the quotation may have stood in this form in the same source from which iv. 5, v. 2-4 seem to come, the subject being akin. Or, again, it may come from oral tradition.

(25) 2 Clem. vi. 9.

Matt. 22¹¹ f.

ἡμεῖς, ἐὰν μὴ τηρήσωμεν τὸ βάπτισμα ἀγνὸν καὶ ἀμίαντον, ποιὰ πεποιθήσει εἰσελευσόμεθα εἰς τὸ βασίλειον τοῦ Θεοῦ; . . . ἐὰν μὴ εὑρεθῶμεν ἔργα ἔχοντες δόσια καὶ δίκαια;

. . . ὁ βασιλεὺς . . . λέγει αὐτῷ, Ἐταίρε, πῶς εἰσῆλθες ὡδε μὴ ἔχων ἔνδυμα γάμου;

Here resemblance turns on the meaning of τὸ βασίλειον. It is true that it can mean 'kingdom,' but rather in the abstract sense of 'sovereignty,' as in xvii. 5 ἰδόντες τὸ βασίλειον τοῦ κόσμου ἐν τῷ Ἰησοῦ—a sense which ill suits the contrast here, where it is a matter of 'entering into' τὸ βασίλειον 'with assurance.' Elsewhere βασίλεια is used of the Kingdom men hope to enter, see xi. 7 εἰσῆξομεν εἰς τὴν βασίλειαν αὐτοῦ. Hence βασίλειον may well have the usual sense of 'royal palace,' and so allude to the situation in Matthew's parable of the Wedding Garment, here represented by the baptismal garment kept pure by a holy life (ἔργα ἔχοντες δόσια καὶ δίκαια), cf. *Acta Barnabae*, 12 τὸ ἔνδυμα ἐκεῖνο, ὅπερ ἐστιν ἄφθαρτον εἰς τὸν αἰώνα.

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(26) 2 Clem. xvii. 1.

Matt. 28¹⁹ f.

εἰ γάρ ἐντολὰς ἔχομεν [ἴνα, Syr.] καὶ τοῦτα πράσσομεν (-ωμεν, Syr.), ἀπὸ τῶν εἰδώλων ἀποσπάν καὶ κατηχεῖν, κτλ.

παρευθέντες οὖν μαθητεύσατε πάντα τὰ ἔθνη, βαπτίζαντες αὐτοὺς εἰς τὸ ὄνομα τοῦ πατρὸς κτλ. . . , διδάσκοντες αὐτοὺς τηρεῖν πάντα δόσα ἐντειλάμην ὑμῖν.

Just a possible allusion, in view of the reference to missionary ἐντολάς: yet ἀπὸ τῶν εἰδώλων ἀποσπάν καὶ κατηχεῖν rather recalls the gist of the *Kerygma Petri*.

D

Luke

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(27) 2 Clem. ii. 5, 7. Luke 19¹⁰.
τοῦτο λέγει, ὅτι δεῖ τοὺς ἀπόλυμένους σώσειν . . . οὕτως καὶ δοκιμάσεις σώσαι τὰ ἀπολύμενα, καὶ ἔσωσεν πολλούς, ἐλθὼν καὶ καλέσας ἡμᾶς ἤδη ἀπολλυμένους.

Here, in spite of certain echoes (e.g. ἐλθὼν καὶ καλέσας) of ii. 4, discussed below (30), there might be good reason to suspect allusion to the passage in Luke, but for the fact that Clement certainly uses at least one non-canonical Gospel.

(28) 2 Clem. xiii. 4. Luke 6^{32, 35}. Didache i. 3.

ὅταν γάρ ἀκούσωσιν παρ' ἡμῶν ὅτι λέγει ὁ Θεός, Οὐ χάρις ὑμῖν εἰ ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς ἀγαπῶντας ὑμᾶς, ἀλλὰ χάρις ὑμῖν εἰ ἀγαπᾶτε τοὺς ἔχθροὺς καὶ τοὺς μισοῦντας ὑμᾶς.

No sure argument for the use of Luke can be based on this passage. It departs considerably from Luke's wording; while it is simply as one of 'God's oracles' ($\tauὰ λόγια τοῦ Θεοῦ$) found on Christian lips that it is cited. The addition of $καὶ τὸν μισοῦντας ὑμᾶς$ finds parallels in *Did.* i. 3 and Justin, *Apol.* i. 15 $\grave{\alpha}γαπᾶτε τὸν μισοῦντας ὑμᾶς$. Such a variant for $τὸν ἐχθρούς$ would arise naturally in common use as a more exact antithesis to $\grave{\alpha}γαπᾶτε$. Possibly, however, 2 Clement quotes the whole saying as known to him in an apocryphal Gospel.

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(29) 2 Clem. viii. 5.

Luke 16¹⁰ f.

λέγει γάρ δὲ Κύριος ἐν τῷ εὐαγγελίῳ·
Ἐτὸν μικρὸν οὐν ἔτηρόσατε, τὸ μέγα
τὸς ὑμῶν δώσει; λέγω γάρ ὑμῖν ὅτι
ὅ πιστός ἐν ἐλαχίστῳ καὶ ἐν πολλῷ
πιστός ἔστιν.

διπιστός ἐν ἐλαχίστῳ καὶ ἐν πολλῷ
πιστός ἔστι . . . εἰ οὖν ἐν τῷ ἀδίκῳ
μαμωνᾷ πιστὸν οὐκ ἐγένεσθε, τὸ
ἀληθινὸν τὸς ὑμῶν πιστεύσει;

Iren. *Adv. Haer.* ii. 34, 3 'Et ideo Dominus dicebat ingratis exsistentibus in eum: *Si in modico fideles non fuistis, quod magnum est quis dabit vobis?*' significans quoniam qui in modica temporali vita ingrati exstiterunt ei qui eam praestitit, iuste non percipient ab eo in saeculum saeculi longitudinem dierum.

Cf. Hippol. *Refut.* x. 33 ὑπάκουε τῷ πεποικότι καὶ μὴ ἀντίβαινε νῦν, ἵνα ἐπὶ τῷ μικρῷ πιστὸς εὑρεθεὶς καὶ τὸ μέγα πιστευθῆναι δυνηθῆς.

While the latter part of Clement's citation of Christ's words 'in the Gospel' agrees exactly with the beginning of the passage in Luke, its former part differs so widely that it is best to regard the whole as quoted from another source altogether. For Irenaeus, followed by Hippolytus, discountenances the idea that the deviation of form is accidental (or represents a glossing of Matt. 25^{21, 23}). That Irenaeus is not quoting Luke 16¹¹ seems clear from the way in which he introduces the words, viz. 'Dominus dicebat ingratis existentibus in eum,' which (a) does not suit Luke's context [rather that of Matt. 25¹⁴⁻³⁰], while (b) *dicebat* is not his usual phrase in citing a definite passage in our Gospels, but points rather to some *logion* handed down as characteristic of his attitude to a class of hearers. Thus, whatever the exact relation of the saying in our two witnesses, they point to its currency outside our Gospels; and if we may argue from the divergence in form—οὐκ ἐτηρήσατε (which must stand, in view of what follows) and *fideles non fuistis*—it was not confined to one circle before Irenaeus's day. Cf. (31), which relates to the same context in Luke (16¹³), also (34).

(II) The Synoptic Tradition.

(30) 2 Clem. ii. 4.

καὶ ἐτέρα δὲ γραφὴ λέγει ὅτι Οὐκ
ἡλθον καλέσαι δικαίους, ἀλλὰ ἀμαρ-
τωλούς.

Matt. 9¹³; Mark 2¹⁷

(Luke 5³²).

οὐ (γάρ, Matt.) ἡλθον καλέσαι
δικαίους, ἀλλὰ ἀμαρτωλούς.

Cf. Barn. v. 9 ἵνα δεῖξῃ ὅτι οὐκ ἡλθεν καλέσαι δικαίους, ἀλλὰ ἀμαρτωλούς.

The parallelism with our two first Synoptics (Luke has οὐκ ἐλήλυθα . . . εἰς μετάνοιαν) is exact; and Clement, unlike Barnabas, cites it as 'a scripture.' But what the Gospel writing referred to may be, is a question complicated by Clement's known use of some source distinct from our Gospels; see Introduction ad fin.

(31) 2 Clem. vi. 1 f.

λέγει δὲ ὁ Κύριος· Οὐδεὶς οἰκέτης
δύναται δυσὶ κυρίοις δουλεύειν· ἔαν
ῆμεῖς θέλωμεν καὶ Θεῷ δουλεύειν καὶ

Luke 16¹³; Matt. 16²⁶.

Verbally as Luke 16¹³; Matt.
6²⁴ lacks οἰκέτης.

μαμωνᾶ, ἀσύμφορον ἡμῖν ἐστίν. Τί Nearer Matt. 16²⁶ (cf. Mark γάρ τὸ ὄφελος, ἔάν τις τὸν κόσμον 8¹⁰) than Luke 9²⁵; neither δόλον κερδήσῃ, τὴν δὲ φυχὴν ζημιώθῃ; has τὶ τὸ ὄφελος;

It looks as if Clement knew both Matthew and Luke, or a document based on them (cf. Introd. ad fin.).

(32) 2 Clem. ix. 11.

καὶ γάρ εἰπεν ὁ Κύριος· Ἀδελφοί μου οὗτοί εἰσιν οἱ ποιοῦντες τὸ θέλημα τοῦ πατρός μου.

Luke 8²¹.

μήτηρ μου καὶ ἀδελφοί μου οὗτοί εἰσιν οἱ τὸν λόγον τοῦ Θεοῦ ἀκούοντες καὶ ποιοῦντες.

Matt. 12^{49 f.} (Mark 3⁸⁵).

ἴδού, ἡ μήτηρ μου καὶ οἱ ἀδελφοί μου· ὅστις γάρ ἀν ποιήσῃ τὸ θέλημα τοῦ πατρός μου τοῦ ἐν οὐρανοῖς, αὐτός μου ἀδελφός, κτλ.

Epiphanius, *Haer.* xxx. 14 οὗτοί εἰσιν οἱ ἀδελφοί μου καὶ ἡ μήτηρ, οἱ ποιοῦντες τὰ θελήματα τοῦ πατρός μου.

Clem. Alex. *Ecl. Proph.* 20 ἄγει οὖν εἰς ἐλευθερίαν τὴν τοῦ πατρὸς συγκληρονόμους νίσσας καὶ φίλους· Ἀδελφοί μου γάρ, φησὶν ὁ Κύριος, καὶ συγκληρονόμοι οἱ ποιοῦντες τὸ θέλημα τοῦ πατρός μου.

Here we seem to have a fusion of the structure of Luke with the phrasing of Matthew. Yet the resemblance between 2 Clem and the *Ecl. Proph.* suggests that these both knew the saying in the same form, whether written or in traditional use. Epiphanius seems to be citing the Ebionite Gospel, or our Gospels loosely in his own words. See also (35).

(33) 2 Clem. iii. 4 (cf. 5). ἐξ ὅλης καρδίας καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς διανοίας.

Mark 12³⁰, cf. Matt. 22³⁷; Luke 10²⁷.

'A reference ultimately to Deut. 6⁶; but as both words διανοίας and καρδίας do not seem to occur in that passage in any one text of the LXX, we must suppose that the writer had in mind the saying rather as it is quoted in the Gospels, especially Mark xii. 30 ἐξ ὅλης τῆς καρδίας σου . . . καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς διανοίας σου . . . (comp. Matt. 22³⁷; Luke 10²⁷).' So Lightfoot ad loc. Yet Mark may follow a current LXX text. The same may be said of Clement's deviation from Cod. B of the LXX in the quotation from Isa. 29¹³ which immediately follows. This appears in a form found also in 1 Clem. xv. 2 and closely related to NAQ of the LXX. See p. 62.

(III) Apocryphal Gospels.

(34) 2 Clem. iv. 5.

διὰ τοῦτο . . . εἶπεν δὲ Κύριος [Ἴησοῦς, Syr., cf. v. 4]: 'Εὰν γέτε μετ' ἐμοῦ συνηγμένοι ἐν τῷ κόλπῳ μου, καὶ μὴ παιῆτε τὰς ἐντολάς μου, ἀποβαλῶ ὑμᾶς καὶ ἐρῶ ὑμῖν, ὑπάγετε ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, οὐκ οἶδα ὑμᾶς πόθεν ἔστε, ἐργάται ἀνομίας.

Ps. 6⁹ ἀπόστητε ἀπ' ἐμοῦ πάντες οἱ ἐργαζόμενοι τὴν ἀνομίαν.

Justin, *Apol.* i. 16 καὶ τότε ἐρῶ αὐτοῖς ἀποχωρεῖτε ἀπ' ἐμοῦ, ἐργάται τῆς ἀνομίας, cf. *Dial.* 76 καὶ ἐρῶ αὐτοῖς· ἀναχωρεῖτε ἀπ' ἐμοῦ.

The points in common with Luke, ὑμῖν, οὐκ οἶδα . . . πόθεν ἔστε, ἐργάται, point to knowledge of the saying in his form rather than Matthew's. Nor need the setting be different from Luke's, as would be the case if its imagery were that of sheep and their shepherd, as in Isa. 40¹¹. This, indeed, would suit the thought of the whole section iii. 2 (or iv. 2)—v. 4. But another interpretation of συνηγμένοι is possible, which would make it continue the imagery of Luke 13²⁷ ἐφάγομεν ἐνώπιόν σου, κτλ. Yet compare (29), (35).

(35) 2 Clem. v. 2-4.

λέγει γάρ δὲ Κύριος, "Ἐσεσθε ὡς ἄρνια ἐν μέσῳ λύκων ἀποκριθεὶς δὲ δὲ Πέτρος αὐτῷ λέγει· 'Εὰν οὖν διασπαράξωσι οἱ λύκοι τὰ ἄρνια; εἰπεν δὲ Ἰησοῦς τῷ Πέτρῳ· Μή φοβείσθωσαν τὰ ἄρνια τοὺς λύκους μετὰ τὸ ἀποθανεῖν αὐτά· καὶ ὑμεῖς μὴ φοβείσθε τοὺς ἀποκτείνοντας ὑμᾶς καὶ μηδὲν ὑμῖν δυναμένους ποιεῖν, ἀλλὰ φοβείσθε τὸν μετὰ τὸ ἀποθανεῖν ὑμᾶς ἔχοντα ἔξουσίαν ψυχῆς καὶ σῶματος, τοῦ βαλεῖν εἰς γέενναν πυρός.

Luke 13²⁷.

καὶ ἐρεῖ, Δέγω ὑμῖν, οὐκ οἶδα πόθεν ἔστε· ἀπόστητε ἀπ' ἐμοῦ πάντες ἐργάται ἀδικίας.

Matt. 7²³.

καὶ τότε ὅμαλογήσω αὐτοῖς ὅτι Οὐδέποτε ἔγων ὑμᾶς· ἀποχωρεῖτε ἀπ' ἐμοῦ οἱ ἐργαζόμενοι τὴν ἀνομίαν.

Ps. 6⁹ ἀπόστητε ἀπ' ἐμοῦ πάντες οἱ ἐργαζόμενοι τὴν ἀνομίαν.

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Luke 10⁸; Matt. 10¹⁶.

ἴδού, ἐγὼ ἀποστέλλω ὑμᾶς ὡς ἄρνας (πρόβατα, Matt.) ἐν μέσῳ λύκων.

Luke 12⁴ f.

μὴ φοβηθῆτε ἀπὸ τῶν ἀποκτεινόντων τὸ σῶμα καὶ μετὰ ταῦτα μὴ ἔχοντων περισσότερον τι ποιῆσαι . . . φοβήθητε τὸν μετὰ τὸ ἀποκτεῖναι ἔξουσίαν ἔχοντα ἐμβαλεῖν εἰς τὴν γέενναν.

Matt. 10²⁸.

καὶ μὴ φοβηθῆτε (ἀπὸ) . . . τὴν δὲ ψυχὴν μὴ δυναμένων ἀποκτεῖναι φοβήθητε δὲ μᾶλλον τὸν δυνάμενον καὶ ψυχὴν καὶ σῶμα ἀπολέσαι ἐν γεέννῃ.

Justin, *Apol.* i. 19 μὴ φοβεῖσθε τοὺς ἀναιροῦντας ὑμᾶς καὶ μετὰ ταῦτα μὴ δυναμένους τι ποιῆσαι, εἰπε, φοβήθητε δὲ τὸν μετὰ τὸ ἀποθανεῖν δυνάμενον καὶ ψυχὴν καὶ σῶμα εἰς γέενναν ἐμβαλεῖν.

Here the phenomena of 2 Clem. (34), (29) recur, viz. closer verbal resemblance (in the parts common) to Luke than to

Matthew, though the reference to $\psi\nu\chi\eta\ kai\ \sigma\omega\mu\alpha$ is found only in Matthew—where moreover both passages occur in the same discourse. The like is true of Justin's citation, which also shows the change of construction from $\phi\beta\eta\theta\hat{\eta}\tau\epsilon\ \dot{\alpha}\pi\omega$ to $\phi\beta\epsilon\iota\sigma\theta\epsilon$ with accusative. All this points to the use by Clement of a source fusing the forms found in Luke and Matthew (as Justin does), and adding fresh matter, in the form of question and answer, tending to connect two *logia* not thus connected even in Matthew, where they are in the same address. In this same source (*ut vid.*) the idea of Christ's lambs is perhaps also introduced to give a context to another *logion* (see above). [Whether this source be identical with that used in xii. 2, which was probably the *Gospel according to the Egyptians*, may be considered an open question. Its character corresponds more nearly to what we know of the Oxyrhynchus *Sayings of Jesus*, than to that Gospel as usually conceived. But it is quite likely that the Egyptian Gospel embodied much matter from earlier Gospels, including the Oxyrhynchus 'Sayings' or Gospel (? cited by Clem. Alex. Strom. ii. 9. 45 as the local Gospel *kar' E\beta\pa\los*); in which case the *Gospel according to the Egyptians* may be the one source cited by 2 Clem. throughout.—J. V. B.]

(36) 2 Clem. xii. 2.

ἐπερωτηθεὶς γὰρ αὐτὸς ὁ Κύριος
ὑπό τινος, πότε ἦξει αὐτοῦ ἡ βασιλεία,
εἶπεν· Ὅταν ἔσται τὰ δύο ἔν, καὶ τὸ
ἔξω ὡς τὸ ἔσω, καὶ τὸ ἄρσεν μετὰ τῆς
θηλείας οὔτε ἄρσεν οὔτε θῆλυ.

Clem. Alex. *Strom.* iii. 13, 92.

διὰ τοῦτο τοι, δὲ Κασσιανὸς φησί,
πυνθανομένης τῆς Σαλώμης πότε γνω-
σθήσεται τὰ περὶ ὧν ἥρετο, ἔφη δὲ
Κύριος· Ὄταν τὸ τῆς αἰσχύνης ἔνδυμα
πατήσῃς καὶ ὅταν γένηται τὰ δύο ἔν.,
καὶ τὸ ἄρρεν μετὰ τῆς θηλείας οὔτε
ἄρρεν οὔτε θῆλυ.

Clem. Alex. vouches that what Cassian cites occurs in the Gospel *κατ' Ἀλυπτίους*, and it looks as if 2 Clement quotes from the same passage. Only 2 Clement omits its opening clause, as not to his purpose (perhaps as liable to Encratite exegesis); while Cassian omits the third clause, *καὶ τὸ ἔξω ὡς τὸ ἔσω*, as not to his purpose.

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TABLE I

| | Barnabas. | Didache. 'Two Ways.' | | 1 Clement. | Ignatius. | Polycarp. | Hermas. | 2 Clement. | Author affording first marked trace. |
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| | | Didache. | Rest. | | | | | | |
| Synoptic Tradition | + | ? | + | + | + | + | + | + | { Barnabas |
| Matthew | D | ... | C ? [D] | ... | B | ... | C | C* | Didache |
| Mark | ... | ... | ... | D ? | ... | ... | C | ... | Didache |
| Luke | ? | ... | D [D] | ... | D | ... | D | D* | Hermas |
| John | ? | ... | ? | ... | B | C | D | ... | Didache |
| Acts | ... | D ? | ... | C | D | C | D | ... | Ignatius |
| Romans | B | D ? | ... | A | C | B | D | ? | 1 Clement |
| 1 Corinthians | D | ... | D | A | A | A | B | D | Barnabas |
| 2 Corinthians | D | ... | ... | D | C ? | B | ... | ... | 1 Clement |
| Galatians | ... | ... | ... | D | C | B | ... | ... | 1 Clement |
| Ephesians | C | ... | ... | D | B | B | B | D | 1 Clement |
| Philippians | ... | ... | ... | D | C | B | ... | ... | 1 Clement |
| Colossians | D | ... | ... | D | D | D | ... | ... | 1 Clement |
| 1 Thessalonians | ... | ... | ... | ... | D ? | ... | D | ... | 1 Clement |
| 2 Thessalonians | ... | ... | ... | ... | D ? | B | ... | ... | 1 Clement |
| 1 Timothy | D | ... | ... | D | C | B | ... | ... | 1 Clement |
| 2 Timothy | D | ... | ... | ... | C | B | ... | ... | 1 Clement |
| Titus | D | ... | ... | C | C | ... | ... | ... | 1 Clement |
| Philemon | ... | ... | ... | ... | D ? | ... | ... | ... | 1 Clement |
| Hebrews | C | ? | ... | A | D | C | C | C | 1 Clement |
| James | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 Clement |
| 1 Peter | D | ... | [D] | D | D | A | D | D | Barnabas |
| 2 Peter | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ? | 1 Clement |
| 1 John | ... | ... | ... | D | ... | C | ... | ... | Hermas |
| 2 John | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Polycarp |
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| Jude | ? | ... | ... | D | ... | ... | ... | ? | ... |
| Apocalypse | ? | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ? | 1 Clement |

? = 'Unclassed,' or to qualify the value of the letter which it follows.

[] = Did. i. 3-ii. 1, not witnessed to by other early documents.

* To be taken in connexion with the suggestion on p. 123, note, that the apocryphal source known to 2 Clement itself used Matt. and Luke.

TABLE II

The following classification is not in all cases to be taken strictly, but in the light of the qualifications indicated in the body of the work itself. References to 'Synoptic Tradition' have been omitted altogether, as not seeming to admit of any such classification.

- Barnabas.* B Rom.
 C Eph. Heb.
 D Matt. 1 Cor. 2 Cor. Col. 1 Tim. 2 Tim. Titus, 1 Pet.
 Unclassed: Luke, John, Apoc.
- Didache.* (i) 'Two Ways': D ? Acts, Rom.
 Unclassed: Heb. Jude.
 (ii) Rest: B Synop. Trad.
 C? Matthew.
 D Luke, 1 Cor. 1 Pet.
 Unclassed: John.
- 1 Clement.* A Rom. 1 Cor. Heb.
 C Acts, Titus.
 D 2 Cor. Gal. Phil. Col. 1 Tim. 1 Pet. 1 John, Apoc.
- Ignatius.* A 1 Cor.
 B Matt. John, Eph.
 C Rom. 2 Cor. (?), Gal. Phil. 1 Tim. 2 Tim. Titus.
 D Mark (?), Luke, Acts, Col. 1 Thess. (?), 2 Thess. (?),
 Philem. (?), Heb. 1 Pet.
- Polycarp.* A 1 Cor. 1 Pet.
 B Rom. 2 Cor. Gal. Eph. Phil. 2 Thess. 1 Tim. 2 Tim.
 C John, Acts, Heb. 1 John.
 D Col.
- Hermas.* B 1 Cor. Eph.
 C Matt. Mark, Heb. Jas.
 D Luke, John, Acts, Rom. 1 Thess. 1 Pet.
- 2 Clement.* C Matt. Heb.
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