

the one area in which you could travel from one end to the other over a very large territory without passports and without great difficulty and in which there was comparable peace and safety 2-13^{3/4}

because Greek culture was spread all over this area there was one language which would be understood in all the area so that the New Testament could be quickly disseminated and Christianity could get a good start in this area. He prepared the world for the spreading of Christianity and ~~the~~ in the fullness of time He sent forth His Son. So much then for the interpretation of Old Testament history.

Now we spoke of number "A" as the purpose of the course from the viewpoint of that which we are going to cover. Now *end of 2.*

which perhaps isn't a great improvement, but you will see why as I ~~begin~~ give you what is under it. The outlook of the course. That is what we are going to try to do? First, we are going to look at certain sections of the ~~book~~ Bible. Well, why do we look at them? What do we want to do? There are two aspects under which we look at the Scripture. ~~First, it is~~ this material. The first is the apologetic, and the second is the exegetic. This course is not a course in apologetics nor a course in exegesis, but a course which has a great deal ~~tax~~ of both in it. First the apologetic. That is to say, is the Old Testament ~~history~~ accurate? We are interested under the apologetic in noting evidences of the accuracy of Old Testament statement. We believe the Old Testament is true because our Lord Jesus Christ set his seal upon it. That is the reason we accept it. We do not accept it because we can prove it to be true, for there are many, many statements in it which no one living has the knowledge or the material or evidence to prove it to be true or untrue. But there are many points at which remarkable evidence of the accuracy of statements in it. They strengthen our faith in that which we accept because our Lord Jesus Christ authenticated it and they are useful in dealing with others on these points. So we are interested in evidence of accuracy of Old Testament