

can't. But Luepold is a fairly recent commentator, and he has done a lot of study, and he's got some very good things. I'd be interested also in your all reading what Young says about these things. These are verses, ~~these~~ 24, 25, and 26, which I want everybody here to very carefully study in the Hebrew in this ~~in~~ course, because they are verses in which there has been a tremendous amount of discussion about the precise words used. v.24. "Seventy weeks are determined upon my people for these purposes." Well, what seventy weeks? Would that be 490 days, less than a year? No more than a year, a year and a half. Is that is what is here described? Does it mean that, or if not, what does it mean? Well, v.25. "Know therefore, and understand that from the going forth of the commandment to restore, and to build Jerusalem, unto the Messiah the Prince shall be seven weeks.....until the end of the war desolations are determined." 27 is also very vital, though perhaps not quite as important as far as the close Hebrew study as the others. "And he shall confirm the covenant with many for one week.....and that determined shall be poured upon the desolate." Now, you take somebody who has never looked at Daniel before. And you read those four verses to him, and get through and ask him what you have read, and you are going to find him quite puzzled. I wouldn't be surprised if some in this class are puzzled. But regarding these four verses, you would naturally expect to find something of the same divergence of opinion which you find regarding the ch.2, and 7. But we ~~did~~ didn't find any suggestion in ~~ch.2 and~~ 11, that the first coming of Christ was referred to. I haven't come across any suggestion of it in ch.11. But now in this, what do these four verses do? Do these verses refer to A.E.? Here is Daniel, and we say, Look forward, Daniel, to ~~the~~ A.E. He will be seventy weeks from now. Or do we say, Look forward Daniel to A.E. There is going to be a period of seventy weeks that is very vital, and very serious in connection with A.E., in which the things will happen here described. That's the attitude of the critics, that seventy ~~xxx~~ weeks refer to A.E. Now there is a second view which says, The seventy weeks start in with Daniel, and they go forward to the first coming of Christ, and everything here refers to the 1st coming. That's the second view. Now there is a third view which Young would