רב הונא said, we surely smite them - בהונא הונא אמר נגודי מנגדינן להו

OVERVIEW

The ברייתא rules that a כהו cannot collect a debt from his divorced wife only through a third party. רב ששת said if they appear together in בי"ד, we do not pay attention to them. רב פפא said we excommunicate (שמתא) them. רב הונא בדר"י said we punish them with lashes. רהבדר"י explains that according to רהבדר"י we give them lashes in addition to the שמתא.

נראה לרבינו תם דלרב הונא נמי משמתינו וגם מנגדיו שכל אחד מחמיר מחבירו² -It is the view of the משתא on them ב"ה as well, we place a שמתא on them (as רב פפא stated), and we also excommunicate them, for each of these three אמוראים are more stringent than the previous colleague -

ואם הוא אומר דנגדינן ליה בלא שמתא הוה מיקל טפי -For if ה"ה meant that we (only) smite them (but) without a שמתא, then he would be more lenient than ב"כ (who requires that a שמתא be placed on them), because a שמתא alone is more severe than lashes alone.

תוספות proves that שמתא is more severe than lashes:

כדאמרינן במועד קטן (דף יז,א) ובפרק מקום שנהגו (פסחים נב,א) -As the מסכת מו"ק and in פרק מקום שנהגו - פרק

במערבא כי מחייב צורבא מרבנן מימנו אנגידא ולא מימנו אשמתא: In Israel, when a student scholar is liable for a disciplinary action the בי"ד will form a quorum to smite him, but they will not assemble to place a שמתא on him; for that is too severe a punishment for a צורבא 4

SUMMARY

ר"ה requires מלקות besides the שמתא is more severe than מלקות.

THINKING IT OVER

Why does the ב"ם omit the word נמי from our גמרא text?

² משת said we do not pay them attention, and רב פפא added that we (also) place them in a שמתא (which is obviously more severe than not paying attention to them), and (presumably) מ"ה adds (an additional severity) that we smite them (however smiting alone is not more severe than מוספות [as points out shortly]), therefore we must say that ר"ה adds lashes to the שמתא (of כ"ם).

 $^{^{1}}$ In our גמרות it reads רב יהושע אמר.

 $^{^3}$ מוספות assumption is that each one is more strict that the previous one; "ח"מ more than "ח"מ more than "ח"מ more than "ח"מ.

א מו"ק there that שמתא means either שם מיתה or שממה יהיה. See also מר"ג ד"ה מימנו in ביה היה there that שמתא לכבוד התורה