

All this is reproduced in every generation that forsakes God.

- " 1. Sinning in early life.
- " 2. Often warned by the Word, Teachers, Providences.
- " 3. Tenderly loved and invited while sinning.
- " 4. Every repentant soul freely forgiven
- " 5. Terrible punishment while persistent in sin."

—Banner.

While the results are saddening, yet the faithfulness of God encourages. He will fulfil His promises. We weep over the results, but we rejoice in the faithfulness of God, Turn attention to the Golden Text, Psalm 137: 1.

The loss of privileges tends to awaken us to their value.

Trusting to outward means of worship, rather than to the living God, is a sore evil.

Let us learn from these examples.

[For OUR MISSION.]

"That Day and That Hour Knoweth No Man"

It may be at the dawning—at the rosy light of morning,
That the Master's loving call shall come,
And earth's weary warfare o'er, we shall sin and weep no
But with Jesus rest forever safe at home. [more,

It may be very soon, at the golden glow of noon,
That we shall see our Saviour come again;
Echo far and wide the cry, the Bridegroom draweth nigh,
And our King shall come in majesty to reign.

It may be at even light—or in the solemn night,
When the silver moon is shining o'er the sea;
We shall share His glory bright, and be clothed in spot-
With Christ our Lord for ever more to be. [less white,

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WHEN Rev. Dr. Carey, the pioneer of mission work in India, first proposed his plans to his father, he said, "William, are you mad?" His discouragements in first entering upon his work in India were appalling. When he found himself without a roof to cover his head, without bread for his sickly wife and four children, he made up his mind to build a hut in the wilderness, and live as the natives did around him. He either translated, or assisted in the completion of *twenty-seven versions* of Scripture, requiring a knowledge of as many languages or dialects. What was the secret that enabled the shoemaker's apprentice to become one of the most distinguished men of the age! He tells us the secret himself. Not laying claims to brilliant gifts, or genius, he says: "I can plod—I can persevere."

DO WHAT YOU CAN.—When Mr. McAll began his now famous work in Paris he knew just two sentences of French. They were, "God loves you," and "I love you."



MR. MOODY'S meetings at Montreal have been blessed to a large number of persons. The attendance was, of course large, and the interest great. The committee in charge of the arrangements appears to have successfully carried out its plans.

REV. W. H. BARNES, Rector of Christ's Church (Reformed Episcopal) Barrie, is holding a series of Evangelistic Services. There is no uncertainty in the Rector's invitation, for he says plainly, "these meetings are held for the purpose of persuading men to come to Christ and be saved." Let our readers remember these services.

THROUGHOUT the district of Miramichi (New Brunswick) there has been during the past month a remarkable spiritual awakening. The tent meetings of the evangelists. Messrs. Meikle and Gerrior, at Newcastle, Chatham, and Douglastown, have been attended with great results. Nearly 60 persons have made public profession of faith in Christ. The ages of the converts vary from 15 to 65.

REFERING to recent services held at Brampton, the Pastor writes—"Successful Revival Services has been held in the Queen St. Methodist Church. Many clear conversions have taken place, especially among young men. We were assisted in these services for twelve days by Mr. Ferdinand Schiverca of Brooklyn New York, who evidently has a special call to this work, and a special fitness for it. He is a man of extraordinary zeal, tact, energy and spiritual power."

MR. D. L. MOODY'S appointments for the coming months are as follows:—Cleveland, Ohio, January 13, 14 and 15; Chicago, January 17 to 25; Knoxville, Tenn., January, 26 to 31; Nashville, Tenn., February 2, 3 and 4; Memphis, Tenn., February 5 to 7; New Orleans, February 9 to 21, inclusive; in second week there will be a Christian Convention of three days; Houston, Texas, February 23 to 25; Galveston, Texas, February 26 to 28; Mobile, Ala., March 2, 3 and 4; Oxford, Miss., March 6 and 7; Selma, Ala., March 9 to 14; Atlanta, Ga., March 16 to 18; Savannah, Ga., March 21 to 23; Jacksonville, Fla., March 26 to 28; Charleston, S. C., March 30 to April 4; Columbia, S. C., April 5 to 7; Norfolk, Va., April 9 to 11; Lynchburg, Va., April 13 to 15; Charlotte, Va., April 16 to 18.

We are labourers together with God.