

the building as Mr. Dickey received for its short removal, to cut in two, and place on his vacant lots on Arthur Street, near Pleasant, opposite residence of Mr. Angus McBeath, where it is expected to become two modern cottages, finished after a classic style of architecture, in keeping with the aesthetic tastes of our fast growing and modernized Town.

Having thought so highly of this old structure on account of the memorable circumstances associated with its past history, which we would like to embalm in our recollections, with a halo of historic glory; in taking our final leave for the new hall, let us not be unduly elated over the changed circumstances under which we may find ourselves. As humble followers of that great and good man, John Wesley, let us not forget that the best of his life was spent in the fields and barns and the poorest abodes of the common people, declaring with the great apostle to the gentiles, that

"God who made the world and all things therein, seeing that he is Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands;"

though in contrasting the present with the past history of our church we may well exclaim in the language of our founder:

"What hath God wrought?"

and feel satisfied with Shakspeare,

"There's nothing ill can dwell in such a temple,"

where, with the Psalmist,

"We would rather be a door-keeper, than to dwell in the tents of iniquity."