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REAPING THE WHIRLWIND?

Rev. Mr. Knowles Asks Pertinent Questions Concerning great Social Problems.

An Earnest and Practical Address at the First Presbyterian Church—Are Christians Doing Their Duty?

"And are there not responsibilities in this matter resting upon us right here in Chatham?"

To a large congregation, gathered last evening in the First Presbyterian Church, the pastor, Rev. W. E. Knowles, put the foregoing pertinent query. He was preaching from the Biblical story of the feeding of the multitude upon the five small loaves and two fishes, and Christ's command to the doubting disciples to send not the people away but to give them to eat.

Tracing the force of the divine injunction down through the ages Mr. Knowles forcibly applied it to the practical questions of to-day. He did not desire, he said, to enter into a discussion of socialism or the labor question, and yet he believed the remedy for much of the socialistic turmoil existing could be found in obedience to the Christian mandate, "Send them not away; give them to eat." To eat—of the divine teaching and practice of the brotherhood of man, of the unselfish and active interest in those about us.

The whole civilized world, pointed out the speaker, stood thrilled and horrified at the daring deed of a mad anarchist and its dread possibilities. The blame did not rest upon the noble President of our neighboring republic, and probably not altogether with the poor man who would be assassin. Probe deeper into the existing circumstances and the cause can oft be traced to the dread conditions which sever brotherhood in twain. We read of strikes, of turmoil, of bitterness. How much of it, after all, is resultant upon selfishness and abuse of all Christian teaching. The rich, the socially eminent, the mighty are prone to establish themselves in magnificent domiciles, to surround themselves with every comfort and luxury, to fete themselves almost to the extent of satiety, while the poor, struggling worker, whose labors have furnished much of this state and grandeur, and his sad conditions the request is made, "Take him away—away, out of our sight. Don't let him trouble us."

And Mr. Knowles put his pointed question concerning this community. "How about Chatham? What about our colored brothers here? Is there not a problem for us to solve?" We say, perhaps, many of them are unworthy, they are dirty, slovenly, lazy. Have they had a chance or have we said of them, "Send them away, anywhere, everywhere, out of our sight?"

In concluding the speaker said he feared the church was not blameless. Social supremacy and barriers were often exhibited even within the house of God. Christianity was mingled with worldliness.

"God forbid it within these walls," fervently petitioned Mr. Knowles. "Woe betide us if we hasten to smile and blandishment to welcome the selfish, wealthy, social and business king who drops a dollar or two on the plate, to the exclusion of the poor, tired, pain-racked man or woman who seeks the sanctuary in the thread-bare apparel and humble mein."

"Send none away. Give them all to eat."

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OUR CITY

American Visitor Pays the Maple City Many High Compliments.

W. H. Lowry, of the "Great Northern" offices, of St. Paul, Minn., is spending a few days in the city visiting his friend J. C. Shepherd, at the C. F. R. hotel.

Mr. Lowry is very much taken up with the Maple City, and expressed a strong desire to locate here. He was also very much struck with the excellence of the local fire department. He thinks that it far outclasses in efficiency any other he has ever seen in a city of Chatham's size. This should be taken as a very high compliment, coming from a man who has such a vast experience in travelling as Mr. Lowry. In conversation with The Planet, Mr. Lowry remarked:

"This is not my first visit to your beautiful city. My first visit here was made three years ago, just about this time of the year. Then I thought that Chatham was simply all right, but this time I find that it has since been greatly improved. I think that the up-to-date appearance of the city reflects great credit upon those who are in charge of its management. I had often heard of Chatham as the mud city, but I was agreeably surprised to find that the name was entirely undeserved. However, it is well named the Maple City. There is nothing wrong with Chatham. It's all right."

Mr. Lowry arrived in Chatham on Saturday evening last, and he was surprised to find so many people, especially young ladies, walking up and down King street with apparently no other object than a promenade. He thought it a very novel idea and it was one that evidently suited his tastes. This, no doubt is sufficiently accounted for by the fact that he is still unmarried.

MR. FERGUSON PASSED AWAY

Death of the Member for East Kent on Saturday Night at Thamesville.

A Long and Eventful Career—Funeral will Take Place Wednesday Afternoon.

Thamesville, Ont., Sept. 8.—Robert Ferguson, M. P. for East Kent, died here last night. The funeral will take place on Wednesday at two p. m. Mr. Ferguson was born in Scotland sixty-nine years ago. He was successively Reeve of the township of Camden, Reeve of Thamesville, and Warden of the County of Kent. Upon the death of Mr. McCraney, in 1885, Mr. Ferguson was elected by acclamation to the Legislative Assembly, and re-elected in 1886, 1890, 1894 and 1898. He was a member of the Presbyterian church, member of the liberal donations towards the erection of many new churches, Presbyterian and others, during recent years. He was never married. One brother and three sisters survive him.

The news of Mr. Ferguson's death reached the city this morning, and was received with sorrow and regret by all who were so fortunate in knowing him. Mr. Ferguson was deeply beloved by everyone in Chatham by who he associated, and his frequent visits to Chatham will be greatly missed. Immediately upon hearing of his demise the Mayor ordered the flags on the park, fire hall and county building to be put up at half mast, and in a very short time they were floating to the breeze in honor and respect for the deceased gentleman.

Mr. Ferguson's death was not entirely unexpected by his friends here, but no one thought that the end was so near. The family have the undivided sympathy of their many friends in the Maple City.

LATEST NEWS

W. H. Harper Supplied it Gratis to the Passengers to Erie Eau Satu day.

Ex-Ald. W. H. Harper left by the late train for the Eau on Saturday evening.

Everyone recognizes the genial W. H. as a bureau of official information. Consequently he was in great demand both at the depot and at the rough looking individual who requested him to hand over his pocket book. He, however, succeeded in deluding the would-be "hold up."

This state of affairs should not be in Chatham where the people are provided with such an efficient police force.

Boys' 2 - Piece Suits

Mothers like them because they are boyish, these little jacket and trouser suits for lads up to 11 and 13 years. We are showing more of these suits than ever before. More variety in the sturdy stuffs—a greater choice of styles and trimmings. Strength is the great point, then finish. It's a style of suit that gives room for very smart and distinctive trimmings.

Two-piece suits of blue serge with either double or single breasted jackets and knee pants. Jacket has a finish of pipe shaded pleats and fancy pocket flaps. A suit full of style and character. This at only **\$2.00**

Two-piece suits of brown herringbone striped tweed. Jacket has pleat and button decoration. Strong smart and serviceable **\$2.50**

Two-piece suits of dark blue or brown mixed tweed. Belted Norfolk jacket with wide pleats. A favorite. **\$3.00**

Two-piece suits of blue or black clay worsted. Jacket smartened with side pleats in both front and back. Pocket in pleat **\$3.50**

Two-piece suits of brown check with box pleat trimmings. Cross pockets with crows' foot corners worked in silk. Extra good farmers' satin linings **\$4.00**

Two-piece Norfolk suits in different styles of cloth. One very smart style is a black and light gray mixture with hairy cheviot finish. **\$5.00**

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

DRESDEN

Sept. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. Dan Fraser, of Flint, Mich., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. Kimmory, North street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Penfound returned home from England on Saturday evening.

The Misses Hicks spent Saturday in Chatham.

Dr. H. S. McDonald returned home from Kingston on Friday.

Miss Lily Campbell spent Saturday in the Maple City.

Mrs. Aaron Gordon, of Wallaceburg, is visiting friends in town.

J. Draper returned home Saturday after visiting the Pan-American.

Carrier boys are not authorized to collect subscriptions. Our collector calls in each town once a month if a subscriber wishes to pay his account before the collector calls he must remit direct to The Planet Office, Chatham, as we will not be responsible for monies paid to carriers.

TILBURY

Sept. 9.—Miss Lizzie Wilson, spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit.

The Ladies' Guild, of St. Andrew's church, will meet in the church tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Crawford left yesterday on a visit to St. Mary's.

On Saturday, 7th inst, the wife of Mr. Giroux, of a daughter.

Rev. Robert Wilson, has returned from an extended vacation spent with relatives in Michigan, and is the guest of his brother, A. A. Wilson.

He leaves this week to resume work in his parish, at Birr.

Rev. and Mrs. Johnston are visiting in Glencoe, where Mr. Johnston was summoned owing to the illness of his father.

The Daily Planet is on sale at Johnston's Drug Store.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a Court will be held, pursuant to The Ontario Voters' Lists Act, by His Honor the Judge of the County Court of the County of Kent, at his chambers, Harrison Hall, in the City of Chatham, on the 19th day of September, 1901, at two o'clock p. m., to hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Voters' List of the Municipality of the City of Chatham for 1901.

All persons having business at the Court are required to attend at the said time and place.

W. G. MERRITT, Clerk of Chatham.

Dated Sept. 7th, 1901.

MEDICAL.

DR. WM. R. HALL—Office, Rooms 1, 2, 9 and 10, Victoria Block, corner of Fifth and King streets. Office hours from 10 to 12 a. m., 2 to 4 and 7 to 8 p. m. Office telephone 280 B. Residence telephone 173.

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J. B. RANKIN, K. C.—Barrister, Notary Public, etc., Victoria Block, Chatham.

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LODGES.

WELLINGTON Lodge, No. 46. A. F. & A. M. G. R. C. meets on the first Monday of every month, in the Masonic Hall, Fifth St., at 7.30 p. m. Visiting brethren heartily welcomed.

WM. E. CAMPBELL, W. M. ALEX. GREGORY, Sec. A. O. U. W.

Members who seek to canvas with success secure our new circulars filled with up-to-date information about A. O. U. W. methods and terms; this is the time to work. Accident, sickness and death are at work. For want of a nail the shoe was lost; and for want of the man, the battle and the kingdom was lost. Insure now.

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Saturday, Sept. 14

Read McConnell's specials to-day. It will pay you.

For cash we sell to-day: 5 lbs. Raisins, 25 cents. 7 bars 5 cent soap for 25 cents. 1 gallon can of Apples, 20 cents. 1 lb. can Daisy Baking Powder 10c. Ginger Snaps, 5 cts. per lb. Bottled Pickles, 8 cts. each. 40 ct. packages matches 7 cts. each. Our 25 cent Japan Tea is great value.

Our crockery stock is too large for the store. We must dispose of some of it to make room. The greatest bargains ever offered will be made on the 7th. Come early and secure. The prophet is yours for that day. Dinner, tea and chamber sets marked down low.

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