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## The Evangelists.

At Gower Street Church.

The subject "The Vampire or the Pearl" attracted great crowds at Gower Street Church last night, over a thousand persons being present. The song services have now become really enjoyable, owing to the persistent efforts of Mr. Demarest and the responsiveness of the audience. The solo "Often Had I Heard the Story," composed by Mrs. Demarest to the words of Dr. E. S. Buchanan, tells of the awakening of a soul dead in sin to the love of Christ. It was most effectively rendered by Mr. Demarest and made a deep impression. Rev. T. W. Atkinson offered prayer, after which the thrilling chorus "He's just the same to-day" rang through the church. The beautiful story, recorded in Luke 7, of the woman who was a sinner of the city and who found Christ in the Pharisee's house, was then read by Mrs. Demarest, and her address followed. She said in part: "Seest thou this woman? The Pharisee looked at her with very different eyes from those with which Jesus beheld her. Simon saw a lost woman of the streets, a vampire. His eyes were evil, his soul was unclean, and because her sinfulness condemned him he looked at her with hatred and contempt.

"The harshest condemners of the sins of others are often the greatest sinners in their own hearts. "How different Jesus looked upon Mary. He saw in her a pearl of the greatest price. We read of the merchant who sold all he had that he might purchase a pearl. Christ is that merchant. He left the Father's house, the adoration of the angels,

He stripped Himself of His majesty, and humbled Himself even unto death that He might win the pearl of great price—your soul.

"Hidden beneath the slime and the mire, imprisoned by the oyster shell, the diver finds the pearl for which he risks his life. And so Christ, beneath the sins and the uncleanness of Mary's past life, saw a soul which could be made to shine pure and white as the stars for ever and ever, a soul which was worth to him more than the whole world.

"To-day in the centre of the city of Paris you find a magnificent church. As you step inside the gloom of its vaulted arches you are startled by a resplendent pure white marble statue of a lovely woman, with her hands outstretched. The figure seems to personify all the tenderness, love, ableness and sacredness of holy womanhood. It is a statue of Mary Magdalene. The church is the Church of the Magdalene. In the midst of that wicked, ungodly city of Paris that woman stands as a witness of the love of God and of the wonderful transforming power of the Lord Jesus.

"If there is a great sinner listening to me to-night—there are probably many—others may look upon you with contempt and disdain, but Jesus sees underneath all the vileness and foulness of your sins, your soul which He loves and which He purchased with His precious blood.

"What a striking scene in that Pharisee's house. The Pharisee gave a great banquet and invited honorable guests. He also invited Jesus, not because he loved Him or honored Him, or because he wanted to learn of Him. No, indeed! Pharisees do not need to learn; they think they know it all. He invited Him merely because the presence of the young prophet might be an added attraction. He patronized Jesus, and treated Him with contempt, pointedly omitting to perform the simplest courtesies of his day towards an honored guest, which were, as Jesus reminded him, the washing of His feet, the anointing of His head, and the kiss of welcome. He asked Jesus, not that he might give unto Him, but that he might get. It was to bring glory and added prestige to himself."

"How different was the attitude of the woman who gave her all, expecting nothing in return. That was why she gained all; Simon gained nothing, for "the rich thou hast sent empty away."

"In Simon we find the characteristics of every Pharisee: self-satisfaction, supreme selfishness, a cold, critical spirit, cynicism, hard-heartedness, and a judging and condemning attitude towards the sins of others. A Pharisee is always blind to his own sins, but oh, how quick to observe and condemn the sins of others! There was no pity in his heart, no kindness; but, adding sin to sin, he disguised his real feelings with the hypocritical words, "Master, say on." What a hateful man! He was in one world, whereas Christ and the woman were in another. They had nothing in common.

"How different was this woman, this sinner of the city. Look at her sublime courage in coming to this banquet uninvited. She risked her all, for she was an outcast. It was an act of desperation. She lost all, and therefore she gained all. Her selfishness and humility were the secret of her heroism.

"Note her genuine repentance—not merely sentimental tears, but she did the works meet for repentance." She

did all she could. She washed His feet with her tears and wiped them with her hair, and then anointed them. The box of alabaster ointment was worth a vast sum of money. She probably spent her last dollar to purchase it. It was for Him. Nothing was too good for Him. She knew what He was. Her eyes were not blinded by self-love and conceit, as were the Pharisee's. Repentance had taught her His matchless worth. She was not one to count the cost. Her sins had been great; her repentance was greater. Jesus could appreciate the gift that she offered Him, the gift of her heart's love and adoration, as expressed in those kisses pressed upon the feet which were to be pierced for her salvation, and in that costly anointing. Her sins, which are many, are forgiven, for she has loved much."

With tense fervor Mrs. Demarest exclaimed: "Much rather would I be that poor woman, with her awful, bitter past, than the cold, hard, proud Pharisee. His ears did not hear the music of Christ's words, 'Thy sins are forgiven thee. Thy faith has saved thee. Go in peace.' The whole work of salvation in a moment! She was justified—'Thy sins are forgiven thee'; she was saved—'Thy faith has saved thee'; she was sanctified—'Go in peace.'"

"There are only two classes of sinners. They are represented by the Pharisee and the Publican. Which do you belong to? The Pharisee cannot be saved. Jesus warned them that the harlots and Publicans should enter the Kingdom before them. Only the sincere, the real, the honest, who own up to the fact of their sinfulness and their need of a Saviour can be saved."

Her entreaty for confession of sin and to repent was so heart searching that many went to the altar seeking forgiveness, and we trust felt at peace with God through the merits of a Crucified Saviour.

Mr. Demarest announced that prayer meetings are being held at 12.30 every day, and that the subject to-night would be "Peter's Demand of Our Lord." To-night's service will be the last this week. Sunday afternoon at 8 o'clock Mrs. Demarest speaks to men only at Wesley Church. The West End men have not had a fair chance to get to the services in time. This will give them an opportunity.

A. W. M.

### "San Toy."

The Casino was again filled last evening to witness the third performance of the opera San Toy, and judging by the applause given the performance, it is being very much appreciated by the audience. The acting of Dr. Howlett as the Emperor, and Mr. A. R. Stanfield as Yen Hw was splendid, while Mr. Harold Foster as Li, the comedian, kept the audience in roars of laughter. The singing of Mr. Gus Summers and Mr. Fox also brought great applause. San Toy, which is taken by Mrs. E. Ring, is faultless, and her singing is delightful. Miss Mary Ryan as the young English lady, charmed us with her singing. Miss Ida Howlett as Dudley, the lady's maid, was so natural, that she took the audience by storm. Capt. J. J. O'Grady as the British Consul, is also good. The choruses were well rendered, and with the magnificent costumes the performance is delightful. San Toy will be repeated again to-night, with a matinee and evening performance to-morrow.

### New Steamer For Sealing Fleet.

One more steamer than was anticipated will be included in this season's Sealing Fleet. Capt. Alex. Carter called by the Rosalind this morning for Halifax, from which port he will bring down a steamer, recently launched, which has been purchased by Campbell & McKay. She has a carrying capacity of 600 tons and is calculated to be able to bring in about 20,000 seals. Before coming here she will be heavily sheathed in preparation for the seal hunt.

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