

Missionary Sunday at Gower Street Church

(I. G. M.)

Good weather and good congregations had much to do with the success of the Missionary services, held at Gower Street Church yesterday; and there is room for congratulations on all sides. At the morning service the pastor, the Rev. Hammond Johnson, conducted the service, and delivered a very definite message upon the importance of missions, and made a strong appeal for generous support. Gower Street Church has always done its share towards the financial side of this great question, and we think that the appeal made yesterday morning by the pastor should certainly prove effectual in reaching the goal aimed at. The evening service was of course the service of the day, because it was really the annual missionary meeting, and we are pleased to report that it was helpful and inspired. The service was in charge of Rev. Dr. Fenwick, Superintendent of Missions for Newfoundland. Dr. Fenwick did not arrogate to himself any unnecessary time; but showed himself a judicious chairman. Hence he did not intrude upon the time of the speakers proper. Perhaps, before referring to the addresses it may be in order to say a word about the music and song. Music has much to do with the success and inspiration of religious gatherings; hence the importance of it in public worship. The entire congregational singing was hearty and whole souled, and the choruses at both the services were excellently rendered, and the solo rendered at the evening service by Miss Withers was indeed worthy the occasion; as was also the singing of the soloist of the morning service, Miss Moore.

The first address was delivered by Mrs. Eugene Lindsay, lady President of the Women's Missionary Society. Mrs. Lindsay has been long known for her zeal and ability in Missionary efforts, and she, as well as members of her family, have always displayed enthusiasm in this great work. Thus it was fitting last night that at the annual anniversary of Gower Street Church, where her fathers had worshipped so long before, she should deliver the Missionary address. Over fifty years ago we heard her grandfather speak there upon the same question, and last night it was as a fulfillment of the prophecy in scripture where it says, "That instead of the fathers shall come up the children." Mrs. Lindsay's address was largely in the nature of a review of missionary work, and it revealed a great grasp of the question upon the part of the speaker, and the ease with which she delivered her address, and her entire deportment, were such as tended to dignify her efforts, and also to hold the close attention of the entire congregation. It is not often that ladies speak in the Churches in St. John's at such gatherings. Therefore it is gratifying to know that Mrs. Lindsay made a good impression in all she said.

It is but natural to expect that the principal address, if any discrimination can be made, would be given by the more clerical speaker of the evening. This speaker was the Rev. R. J. Power, the esteemed pastor of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. Mr. Power had much in his favor in starting. There was the large congregation, there was the effect of the hearty singing, and of Miss Withers' solo, and there was the influence created by the beautiful spirit of Mrs. Lindsay's address. These elements are all helpful. Hence, when Mr. Power began his address, there was a warmth and an interest in the congregation which always helps and reacts upon a speaker; and this was manifested throughout all that Mr. Power said. The speaker came well prepared, and brought a message to the people, and delivered it, and left much for reflection. He began by referring to Isaiah's vision as recorded in the sixth chapter of that book, and in his address he showed the importance of having a vision in the accomplishment of any good work, and especially so in the carrying out of the great missionary work. Many of the men who have accomplished things worth while, both in the Church and in the State, were men of vision. Men who saw beyond the commonplace, men who beheld possibilities, men who shirked not at obstacles, men of strong convictions, men with a purpose, and men who carried out their purpose. So with the young prophet Isaiah—he had seen a vision of the Infinite. He had seen the Lord upon His Throne; and, seeing such glory, and hearing such wonderful words as were uttered, in the reflection of the vision, he saw himself; and, seeing himself, he further saw his own unworthiness, and cried out "I am undone." The result of the vision upon Isaiah was his offer for service; hence we further hear him say "Here am I, send me." This service was voluntary, and the prophet was willing to be used as a messenger to his people. This vision which Isaiah saw appeared in the Old Testament times, but the spirit of the vision has been often repeated in the history of the Jewish Church, and especially so in the history of the Christian Church. Men at different ages of the world, and of different Christian denominations, have heard the high call of

God; have seen, as it were, a vision, and in following it they have found their life's work. True it is, that Church organization is necessary to carry on Missions, and that numbers and finances are essential factors in the cause; but the Church should not rest at these things. People sometimes ask what ails the Church, and why is not she better? and why such carelessness manifested towards her interests. Among different answers which may be given this question, both by friends and by foes of the Church, one answer is, the Church has

lost much of its vision, and she needs to take a step forward and upwards, and see her high calling, and remember it is divine. Both the services were worth more extended publication than we can give them in such notes as these. We are, however, thankful to say that the Missionary Anniversary of Gower St. Church was successful and helpful to pastor and to the people.

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1924, No. 195.

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ORDER.

UPON READING the Petition of William J. Halley of St. John's, Merchant, alleging that Stephen G. Preble of Bonne Bay, Merchant, is insolvent and UPON hearing Mr. Halley of Counsel for the Petitioner, I DO ORDER that the said Stephen G. Preble and his creditors appear before me at the Court House at St. John's, on Wednesday the 26th day of April, 1924, at 11 o'clock a.m., to be heard touching his alleged insolvency, and that the said William J. Halley be appointed, and he is hereby appointed, Interim Trustee of the estate and effects of the said Stephen G. Preble.

Dated at St. John's, this 17th day of April, 1924.
WILLIAM H. HORWOOD,
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