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## EVENING DRESS IN CHURCH.

An Experiment in London—Suggestion as to Dress.

(London Telegraph, May 6.)

Dr. Ker Gray's novel experiment of holding a service in St. George's Chapel, Alderbury street, at nine o'clock in the evening, has now passed its third Sunday, and, judging from the attendance on each occasion, it seems to meet the wants of many. In the course of some conversation on the subject, Dr. Ker Gray expressed the opinion that it would be three years before London thoroughly knew of the innovation, but that he fully anticipated a steady increase in his congregations. In a place of the magnitude of the metropolis, where there is a public to all the necessaries and comforts of Sunday evening, there must be, as he thinks, a proportion who would welcome a beautifully rendered anthem and a very brief address on some subject of the hour, and it is the wishes of such that he hopes to meet. In connection with the experiment, which is being watched with much interest by his brother clergy, it seems to have escaped notice that the Roman Catholic church in the Compine has an almost analogous office as to hour and duration. So far, there has not been

a large proportion of the congregation in evening dress, though some few ladies, for the most part wearing long and handsome cloaks, have been present. The question of hats is the real difficulty, perhaps, in the matter, for though the broad-minded minister himself sees no objection whatever to their being omitted, the majority of the worshippers still accept rather literally the Pauline injunctions as to the unseemliness of taking part in public devotions with their heads uncovered. Yet a little consideration would show them that on great state occasions, as royal marriages or a coronation, no hat or bonnet is worn, and there is no doubt that custom would soon sanction evening costume for a late service. But, should the innovation meet general acceptance, may it not involve its own attire? For the past year or two fashionable photographers have greatly favored the wearing of a large and becoming "picture" hat with a decorated dress, although no one in this country off the stage ever wears the two together. There is, however, no doubt that a pretty woman looks very charming with a large hat in conjunction with a low bodice, and late evening church-going might provide the excuse for bringing the photographers' ideals into actual fact.

## THE SMALLPOX.

It Has a Foothold in Many Towns in Massachusetts.

BOSTON, June 6.—The beginning of summer finds unusual conditions so far as the health of the individual communities is considered, prevailing in New England, for smallpox generally is more prevalent than for a great many years. At several places there are so many cases that a like condition with any other disease would be termed an epidemic. At Berlin, N. H., and Cranston, R. I., the number of cases is very large. The infection has appeared at various and widely separated points during the spring, but now it appears to have gained a foothold that will be hard to break during the summer. Smallpox is in Boston, 13 cases being in the Roxbury district; at Providence and other places in R. I.; at Worcester, Lancaster, Pittsfield, and in Western Massachusetts and other places. To add to the general uneasiness, although danger is far removed, there appeared at New Bedford on Tuesday, a schooner from Cape Verde Islands with 19 smallpox patients. The schooner is now under quarantine in Boston harbor, and the patients are at Galloups Island.

MANCHESTER, N. H., June 5.—A special from Berlin, N. H., says: The number of small-pox cases in this city seems to be increasing daily and the situation has now reached what is considered a rather serious stage. Everything possible is being done to prevent the further spread of the disease.

The schools have been closed, as have also the public library and the public reading room. Several of the churches omitted services on Sunday and all social functions have been cancelled. There are at present 41 cases of the disease at the pest house. The majority is of a mild type, only one death from it having been reported thus far.

## LONDON'S UNDERGROUND.

To Be Thoroughly Americanized By Its New Owners.

LONDON, June 6.—Mr. Yerkes tonight said: "We have practically got control of the London underground railroad. My syndicate is composed of both British and American financiers, although far the largest proportion of the capital comes from the United States. We have begun work in a few months, as soon as the necessary consent of parliament has been obtained. The system we intend to install is almost exactly similar to that in use on the elevated lines in Chicago. We will sell the present antiquated cars and substitute those of an American pattern. We intend to rebuild the stations, to install air lights and to make the road equal to any rapid transit line in the world. We must have American engineers to do the work. They know nothing about that sort of thing here, I tell you what, the trouble with the British concerns is that they don't know the value of a scrap heap."

## ODDFELLOWS' DAYS.

Hoped to Have 35,000 Members at the Pan-American June 26 and 27.

BUFFALO, June 7.—Oddfellows' days, June 26 and 27, promises to be among the most interesting and memorable of the Pan-American exposition. A formal invitation has been issued to the 12,000 I. O. O. F. lodges throughout the United States and Canada, requesting the members to participate in the ceremonies. The grand lodge of the state of New York, has issued orders for a grand cantonment of the uniformed bodies, the parade being on June 26th. This parade will be participated in by all the cantons of the state of New York as well as by visiting cantons from nearly every grand lodge jurisdiction throughout the world. The cantons will have competitive drills for valuable prizes. Accommodations have been arranged for 35,000 visitors.

## THE WEATHER.

TORONTO, June 7.—Fresh to strong southwesterly winds, becoming showery tonight. Saturday, southerly winds, showery.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—Eastern states and northern New York—Fair and cooler tonight; Saturday, fair; fresh northwesterly winds. Western New York—Fair and cooler tonight; fresh westerly to northwesterly winds.

## THE WRECKED ASSYRIAN.

ST. JOHN'S, N.B., June 7.—Three wrecking steamers are lying by the stranded steamer Assyrian, of the Leyland line, ashore off Cape Race, and three divers are making a thorough examination of her bottom. Everything is ready for discharging her cargo or attempting to tow her off. If such a step is decided on at once the weather is most favorable, and it is likely to continue unchanged for some time.

## LABOR TROUBLES.

BUFFALO, June 7.—The New York Central railroad officials have posted notices in their shops at Depew to the effect that all employees who have absented themselves from work of late without leave, must report Monday morning if they desire to remain in the employ. Tonight the striking machinists will meet to take action on the decision of the International Association, that they struck illegally, and ordering the men back to work. It is probable they will vote to return to work.

## D. L. MOODY'S SUCCESSOR.

Dr. Parker on the Holy and Unholy Ambitions of America.

NEW YORK, June 7.—A despatch to the Journal and Advertiser from London says: The Rev. G. Campbell Morgan, who is leaving for the United States to take up the evangelistic work of Dwight L. Moody, had a great send-off tonight at the City Temple. The enormous building was packed by an enthusiastic audience. Dr. Parker, who presided, said:

"Because Mr. Morgan is being taken away, I don't entertain a very friendly feeling to those across the Atlantic. My friends in America were wise in their choice of such a man as Morgan. To take Americans in bulk, which by the way, we never could, is to handle a multitudinous expressive quantity. I have never known an unwise American. They always get the best of things, look out as we may, let us think we are getting the better of them, we soon find we are mistaken. There is much holy and unholy ambition in that most wonderful country."

## AT DAWSON.

The Spring Cleaning Season is in Full Swing—Millions of Dollars Washed Out.

DAWSON, May 21, via Seattle, Wn., June 7.—The spring clean up season is in full swing in all parts of the Klondike camp. Millions of dollars worth of gold dust has been washed from the pay dirt taken out by the army of tolling miners through the long, weary months of winter. Within a month, \$3,000,000 or \$4,000,000 more will have been taken out and the washing of the winter dumps will then be finished. The spring clean up of the camp is estimated at \$15,000,000 and the summer output at \$10,000,000.

Gold dust is now coming into Dawson at the rate of \$50,000 to \$40,000 a day. After two or three weeks, the roads will be dry and it will flow in at a heavier rate. The two banks here are busier than they have been for months buying ore and receiving the dust for storage. The big trading companies are receiving a great deal of dust in payment for goods advanced to miners during the winter. The camp is in a flourishing condition and everywhere good feeling prevails.

## NORMAL SCHOOL.

FREDERICTON, N. B., June 7.—Closing exercises of the Normal School took place this afternoon with the usual programme, addresses, choruses and songs. Fred C. Squires, of Bath, Carleton Co., was the valedictorian. Winners of Governor General's medals were announced as follows: Senior class, silver medal, Isabelle Reed, St. John; Junior class, bronze medal, Ida J. Keirstead, Dawson, Albert County. The medals are awarded for highest professional standing.

## ABOUT THE CANTEN.

DES MOINES, Iowa, June 7.—Among the reports made at yesterday's session of the 43rd general synod of the Lutheran church was that of the temperance committee in favor of the anti-canteen law, and hinting that the press was being subsidized by whiskey advertisements.

## ALBERTS' NEW PITCHER.

The Alerts this morning sent for Pitcher A. H. Stackpole of Haverhill. He is credited with being the best pitcher in the New England league, and will receive from the Alerts the largest salary ever paid a base ball player in St. John. During his games lately he has averaged ten strike outs. He will arrive here tomorrow, and will pitch in the afternoon.

## HANDKERCHIEF SALE.

The ladies of Zion church are proposing to have a handkerchief sale with time light views in the school room on the evening of Tuesday next, the 11th inst. As it is something out of the ordinary, quite an interest is being awakened, and handkerchiefs of all sizes, shades and textures are being sent in.

## THE LOG DRIVES.

John Kilburn, of Fredericton, received word today that the water had risen 12 inches in the St. Francis. He is waiting for further news from his own drives, and if favorable, will send a crew up in the morning to the head waters of the St. John.

## WHAT CHARLOTTETOWN SUFFERERS.

He—Darling, a single kiss from those lips would intoxicate me.  
She—But this is a prohibition town, Brooklyn style.

## THIS EVENING.

Neptune Rowing club meeting.  
Seventh Day Adventists' convention.  
Victoria Section, Junior T. of H. District L. O. L.

The Freeman will be issued tomorrow.

Rev. Fr. Murphy, who has been curate at Fredericton for two years, has been appointed parish priest at Debec.

The statement of the London board of trade for the month of May shows decreases of \$1,449,700 in imports and \$1,159,209 in exports.

## THE INEVITABLE.

Mamma (to Freddie, just returned from a call upon his aunt)—Well, Freddie, what did auntie say?  
Freddie (disgustedly)—Don't, Freddie—Brooklyn Life.

## JAPAN AND RUSSIA.

The Former Preparing for War if Korea is Threatened.

NEW YORK, June 7.—The Journal of Commerce publishes a despatch from Washington as follows: Advice from the Orient are far from reassuring as to the maintenance of peace in the future, even after the successful adjustment of the existing difficulties between China, and the powers. Those who have recently come from Japan confirm the reports of trained observers there that the Japanese are generally preparing for early war with Russia. Intimations several times have been given since the close of the war between China and Japan in 1905 that Japan would regard interference with the autonomy of Korea as a hostile act. The Japanese, including their respective ministers, have firmly made up their minds that when the results of Russian intrigues are disclosed in an open movement hostile to Japan, the Japanese army shall be landed in Korea and Russia warned that she must retrace her steps or fight.

## DEATH TO BACTERIA.

Important Antiseptic Discovery By Two Doctors.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., June 7.—An important antiseptic discovery upon which Doctors Frederick G. Novy and Paul C. Freer have been working for over a year in their respective laboratories, has just been made public. The new antiseptics are organic acid hyperoxides. In a water solution five one thousandths of one per cent. of active oxygen derived from the hyperoxides is fatal to all bacteria. The hyperoxide which was used from the experiments is benzosulactal and this was shown by experiments on dogs, can be taken internally in large doses without poisonous effect. The discovery may, it is claimed, lead to the further discovery of the fundamental causes in an important field of medical and surgical science.

## BERNHARDT AND MAUD ADAMS.

LONDON, June 7.—Sarah Bernhardt will play Romeo for a hundred nights in America to Maude Adams, Juliet. This important theatrical event was arranged yesterday evening at a supper given by Sarah Bernhardt to Charles Frohman.

Maurice Grau, Bernhardt's manager, was also present. Mme. Bernhardt will play in English, and after the American tour the two actresses will appear here and on the continent.

Mme. Bernhardt has taken Mr. Frohman's prompt copy in manuscript and will study the role in English during the summer. It is the desire of both managers to have Mme. Bernhardt appear as Romeo, following her coming production of "Theodora," at the Sarah Bernhardt theatre in Paris. Before Miss Adams shall return to America she will meet Mme. Bernhardt in Paris, and go over the scenes of the first act.

## SUPREME COURT.

FREDERICTON, June 7.—In the Supreme Court today, County Court appeals:—  
Botten, plaintiff, appellant v. Morrissey, defendant, respondent. G. I. Coster supports an appeal from the St. John County Court, Bryon C. Winslow, contra. Court considers.  
The same v. Creghan, defendant, respondent. The like. Court considers.  
Warman, plaintiff, appellant v. Chry stall, defendant, respondent. M. G. Teed supports an appeal from Kent County court; W. B. Chandler, contra. Still before the court.

## AND THEY BURIED HIM.

BLACKFOOT, Idaho, June 7.—William Williams, a well known rancher living on Little Wood river, had a ranch hand employed for some time past whose name could not be learned. The fellow stole a valuable horse from Williams and decamped. Williams started in pursuit, coming up to the thief near Hartin post office on Lost river. Upon observing Williams approaching the fugitive commenced firing and one shot struck Williams in the groin, inflicting a serious wound. Williams thereupon opened fire and instantly killed his man. The authorities decided nothing more than to bury the stranger was necessary.

## THE DEATH ROLL.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, June 7.—Horace Pell, the young actor who yesterday shot himself at the Wyandotte, died early this morning at Huron street hospital.

NEW YORK, June 7.—William Orlan Bourne, who was known as the "pioneer of immediate unconditional abolition," is dead at the home of his daughter in Montclair, N. J., aged 82 years. During the civil war, Mr. Bourne was an ardent unionist, and his songs and poems won for him the title of "Poet of Freedom." He was one of the early promoters of the republican party and was an intimate friend of Horace Greely.

## TO PREACH IN THEATRES.

CHICAGO, June 7.—The aim of the new national church just organized by those interested in the Peoples' church in Chicago, is to preach the gospel in the theatres of every great city in the United States. The idea is to gather into the theatres men and women who are devoted to Christianity, but independent of sectarian dogmas and practices. Thus far the only obstacle to large cash contributions for the work has been the lack of a recognized organization.

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"No wonder," replied his mother. "You are all the time eating candy."

"It can't be that, mamma," said Tommy. "I eat candy with all my teeth, and only one of them aches."

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

Chicago News.—The late husband catches the early morning lecture.

When ignorance wins, intelligence drops away below par.

show what a man is; words show what a woman is.

unsuccessful dramatist finds his lack of art and no play.