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"THE FIRST THING CREATED," AS DISCOVERED BY DR. WILD.

A Question of Long Hair—The Infidels—Astronomical Notes—Christ in God-His Appearance to Adam and Abraham Soul-Eyes.

Among the letters answered last evening by the doctor was one from "Inquirer," who, after quoting Paul's assertion that "if a man has long hair, it is a shame unto him," asked Dr. Wild why he indulged in that sinful practice. "In the first place you will have to set a standard. My hair is long only because somebody's else is short. Three distinct councils have taken up this question of long hair, and it engaged the attention of 354 bishops at one time, who finally decided that the priests should be closely shaven. I think Paul refers to imitating the long hair of women.

The doctor also informed the same correspondent that the sixth verse of the forty-third chapter of Jeremiah contained the information that Zedekiah's daughters went down into Egypt with Jeremiah and also that he obtained from the writings of the keeper of the London tower the coronation speech of King James, wherein he stated he was a direct descendent of the kings of Tara.

Critic! enclosed a paragraph printed in an obscure sheet to the effect that "one of the most prominent members of the free thought association says that scarcely a day elapses in which persons from the Bond street congregational church do not apply to him for infidel literature. The conviction of this member of the F. T. A. is that Dr. Wild is their best friend in the sense of increasing their number. The doctor in reply was of opinion that "the whole thing is untrue. Now, if that brother can point out any one from this church, let him name him and I will acknowledge it next Sunday evening. It is an effort to make a thing that is not so, so. Some of those who are going to join this church at its next communion are direct evidences that this statement is untrue.

THE SERMON.

TEXT—"And unto the Angel of the Laodiceans write, these things saith the Amen, the faithful and true witness, the beginning of the creation of God."—Rev. iii 3-4.

I have received a letter saying I ought not to preach on things that are not in the scriptures. You should read your bible a little more. I never depart from the scriptures, and invariably my text is the sermon itself.

The creation of which we form a part, stretching far into unmeasured space, sinking below us in unfathomed depths, going beyond our finest calculations or thought to the remotest world—is what we must call an immense distance. The imagination on fleetest wings fails to grasp it. Of this vast universe that is in us and about us, we can form some idea from the telescope and microscope. Things that are hidden from the human eye are revealed, and there is nothing improbable in the belief that in a hundred years from to-night we can see into the very moon. We have a key as to the beginning of the earth, but when we think of the vastness of the universe we are lost. The sun is 354,936 times larger than our earth, while it is nearly 92,000,000 miles distant from us—a comparatively short distance, however, in comparison to some of the planetary worlds. Uranus is 1,000,000,0000 miles away, and the nebulæ and the milky way are but revealed to us as clusters of worlds and systems piled on systems sinking back and back into unfathomed space. What a faint conception of distance we have. We are lost in wonder at God's unlimited power.

It is difficult to go back to beginnings. We cannot find the zero of cold. The zero of heat is a certain amount of cold. The zero of light is darkness.

THE ZERO OF MOTION IS QUIETNESS.

Zeros are difficult things to come at, but science makes it plain that the earth has had a growth from the invisible and unseen to the visible and seen—that matter can exist beyond the range of my senses, but that by the law of organization in the vegetable and animal worlds, matter can be brought from the invisible and solidified in flowers, in trees, in animals, in our life, and thus increase visible substances and enlarge the earth. We can trace compounds to their beginning, but when we reach an elementary substance, we are next to God. You want a creator to bring them into existence. I suppose, too, that even now in the unknown depths of space worlds are being created as this is enlarged, and some are dying out. We have viewed them as they were enveloped in a mass of flames—as this earth will ultimately be, in order to renew it and prepare it for our heaven.

What was the first visible existence? If God existed once alone, dwelling in the silence of His own eternity, what would be the first form of existence that He would create? A stone? Water? Gold? No. He tells us in our text. He made Himself into Christ, or Christ became visible from the God-head—He who is the beginning, the faithful and true witness. It was not an angel that was first created. God took upon himself a form like you and I first, because Adam was made in the image of God.

God can only be seen in Christ; we cannot conceive of infinity and the unseen, but we can conceive of God as having form in Christ. By this means he could appear whenever He chose. In talking with Adam, He enabled Adam to view Him with his soul-eyes, but after sin dimmed his sight, God was invisible to him. He appeared to Abraham in soul form. I believe that as the eye of the eagle has three scales—one by which they can face the sun, another by which they can discern with microscopic power the earthworm, and another by which they can see a long distance, so God could easily give me power to see into that invisible world. When He came to redeem the world, He simply took upon Himself a body in order to cover his soul. Because we had lost our first image in Adam, it was necessary for Him to create a new one. His was a humanity glorified, and if we could see Christ on His throne to-night we would see him as we shall be, for we shall be like Him after the resurrection.

In the morning the doctor preached an excellent sermon on the joyful and happy side of death, showing that the death of a christian should not cause a perpetual sorrow and sadness, but an inward feeling of heavenly satisfaction that a soul had been released from its bondage and had gone to a happier and better land, "and when I am about to leave this world," he continued, "I would have the best of dinners prepared and a grand brass band lead the procession to the grave as my friends cry 'Another soul gone to heaven'—and I will put it in my will too."

"Jacob's new survey in the Northwest," was the subject announced for next Sunday evening.

THE TELEGRAPH BILL.

The Probable Fate of It in Parliament—Support and Opposition.

OTTAWA, April 15.—The Montreal telegraph bill will doubtless be pushed on in the house as quickly as possible, as one of the difficulties in its way is the possibility of its being crowded out and slaughtered at the end of the session. The course of a bill through Parliament is long, even when not beset by opponents, as this one is, to keep it back. The promoters of the measure express themselves confident now of its passing in the house, which has been canvassed pretty completely. On the other hand it is held that members will shrink from voting for a 22 cent rate instead of a 20 cent rate on such a bill as this is, the latter rate of which would undoubtedly be supported whether rightly or wrongly by the great majority of their constituents. The telegraph companies in most constituencies have little or no influence on votes and the 20 cent rate would certainly be the more popular. If constituents demanded of their representatives their reasons for voting for the higher rate and refused to believe that the higher rate is more favorable to their interests than the lower, which they are sure to do, the unlucky member could not excuse himself by saying that he was supporting the government in any other—to them—reasonable way. This idea, it is held, will influence many on a question which so comes home to the pockets of the people. Mr. Blake, in accordance with the opinions expressed yesterday, will move to amend the bill in its present state in the committee of the whole to the following effect: First that if the company avails itself of the amalgamation clause a maximum rate of one cent for each word beyond ten words in each message shall be fixed; second, that any agreement of amalgamation or lease with another company shall contain a clause providing that returns of the revenue and expenditure and of the operations of the companies concerned, in such form as shall from time to time be prescribed by the governor-in-council shall be laid before parliament; third, that a proviso shall be inserted as follows: "Provided also that whereas inventions, improvements and economies in telegraphy may hereafter result in a great diminution in the cost of the service so that the maximum rate herein provided may become wholly exorbitant, no act of parliament passed in that event and reducing accordingly the maximum rate shall be deemed an infringement of the privileges granted by this act." These may be assumed to be Mr. Blake's views, and will guide a more or less number of the Opposition who have no personal interest in the matter. They do not seem to be of very much importance. The one cent rate for words over ten in a message now exists and the company will hardly exceed it or even the twenty-five cent rate, in their own interests towards drawing business. The returns mentioned in the second proposed amendments are of course issued to shareholders and usually find their way in print before the general public. The third proposed amendment may be of great importance at some future day. Other amendments will doubtless be moved. Mr. White will likely try the twenty cent restrictive clause again, and if that fails, other amendments. As the twenty-five cent restrictive clause applies only to the Montreal company's lines now existing, and does not affect where a message goes over any portion of a Dominion or other line, an amendment will probably be moved to make no amalgamation possible unless twenty-five cent rate applies to all contracting lines. Altogether a lively time is promised in the house, and then the senate will. If they agree to the amalgamation at all, want to hash and cut up the bill some more and stick in some more provisos.

Peculiarities of a Will.

A suit is pending in the chancery division of the high court of justice for Ontario for the construction of a will which is of such a peculiar nature that it is worthy of a perusal. The testator is the late Rev. Thomas Hannay, of the village of Williamsford, a Presbyterian clergyman. His will was made on May 7, 1881, and he died on June 7, following. The will after bequeathing legacies to the wife of the testator, and to the U. P. church of the U. S. A., continues: Thirdly,—As the time for the fulfilment of prophecy in the conversion of the Jews is now rapidly approaching, I give for Jewish missions the sum of one thousand dollars to that church which is sound and evangelical in doctrine and pure in worship, using songs of praise, the Inspired Book which can unite all nations, Jews and Gentiles in all ages in singing with their voices together to the glory, honor, and praise of God. Fourthly,—To the pious poor converted Jews that meet together for the reading of the scriptures for their instruction and mental edification, I leave one thousand dollars. To my executors I allow the sum of five per cent. on the whole of my estate for their trouble collecting the same. The balance of my estate I leave to the poor and destitute to supply their temporal wants in food and raiment."

Eirs On Front Street.

An alarm of fire was sounded from box 142, corner of West Market and Esplanade streets, at 7:15 last night. The whole brigade responded to the call. On arriving on the scene they found an old stable next to the Toronto street railway company's stable to be in flames. They lost no time in getting to work, although the place was knee deep in mud, and had the fire entirely extinguished by 8 o'clock. The building was owned by the Toronto street railway company who advertised it for sale last week, and was to have been pulled down this week to make room for the erection of an addition to their present premises. The loss will amount to about $300.

The men from No. 1 fire hall were called out at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon to extinguish a fire among some shavings in rear of a new building on Front street, just west of Bryce Bros.

The Policemen.

The policemen met in their recreation room at headquartere on Saturday afternoon to consult on the increase of wages. After considerable friendly discussion a resolution moved by P. C. Dixon, and seconded by P. C. Wallace, was passed:

"That Inspector Archibald, Sergeants Stark and Armstrong, and two men from each of the first, second and third grades be appointed a deputation to wait on the commissioners and lay their case before them on Tuesday."

The men do not contemplate striking, but think that the commissioners should see the justness of their claim and grant the increase. They will meet again on Wednesday afternoon to hear the report of the deputation.

A triple lyneching is reported at Kirbyville, Missouri.

AN ALL NIGHT SITTING.

The Division on the Allowance Bill—Voting in the Early Morn.

OTTAWA, April 15.—The house sat till 7.30 this morning. Mr. Blake's speech on the disallowance of streams bill was one of the most magnificent pieces of oratory ever heard in parliament since confederation and drew forth round after round of enthusiastic applause, as he proceeded scoring point after point against the Dominion government's act of spoliation. The weakness of the ministerial position was never more apparent than when Sir John attempted to reply to Mr. Blake. He indulged in an immense amount of flapdoodle, but made not the slightest attempt to answer the able, argumentative points of the leader of the opposition. His cheap wit was in striking contrast to the earnest and convincing speech of Mr. Blake. Hector Campbell found it incumbent on him to have a little say in favor of disallowance, and Mr. Casey followed, but his remarks were inaudible owing to the noisy members. The division took place about half-past 5.

The vote stood 50 to 110. Thirty-six tories and nine liberals were absent, the speaker not voting. There was a great many shirkers on the tory side, the majority being smaller than the ministry have had this parliament.

Yeas.—Messrs. Bain, Brechard, Blake, Borden, Bourassa, Brown, Burpee, (St. John), Burpee, (Sunbury), Cameron, (Huron), Sir Richard Cartwright, Casey, Casgrain, Charlton, Cockburn, Crouter, Dumont, Fiset, Fleming, Geoffrion, Gillies, Gillmour, Gunn, Guthrie, Haddow, Holton, Irvine, Killam, King, Laurier, Macdonnell, (Lanark), Macdonnell, (Inverness), McIsaac, Malouin, Mills, Olivier, Patterson, (Brant), Pickard, Rinfret, Robertson, (Shelburne), Rogers, Ross, (Middlesex), Rymal, Scriver, Skinner, Smith, Sutherland, Thompson, Trow, Weldon, Wheler. Total, 50.

Nays.—Messrs Arkell, Baker, Barnard, Beaty, Beauchesne, Benoit, Bergeron, Bourdon, Bill, Boldue, Boultbee, Bowell, Brecken, Brooks, Bunster, Bunting, Burnham, Cameron (Victoria), Carling, Caron, Cimon (Charlevoix), Cimon (Chicoutimi), Colby, Costigan, Coughlin, Coupal, Coursol, Cuthbert, Dauost, Dawsod, Desaulniers, Domville, Drew, Dugas, Elliott, Farrow, Ferguson, Fortin, Fulton, Gigault, Girouard, (Kent), Grandbois, Guillet, Hackett, Haggart, Hay, Hesson, Homer, Hopper, Houde, Hurteau, Ives, Jackson, Jones, Kaulback, Kilvert, Kranz, Landry, Lane, Sir Hector Langevin, Lantier, Longley, Macdonald (King's), Sir John A Macdonald, McDonald (Cape Breton), McCallum, McCarthy, McCuaig, McDougald, Macdougall, McLelan, McLennan, McLeod, McRory, Mrnsol, Massue, Merner, Methot, Mongenais, Montplaisir, Mousseau, Muttart, Ogden, Ortou, Paterson (Essex), Pinsonneault, Plumb, Pope (Compton), Paupre, Reid, Richey, Rochester, Rouleau, Routhier, Royal, Sproul, Stephenson, Tasse, Tellier, Tilley, Tyrwhitt, Valin, Vanasse, Wade, Wallace (Norfolk), Wallace (York), White (Cardwell), White (Renfrew), Williams, Wright. Total, 110.

The house then went into committee of supply, and was the scene of a good deal of wrangling and bad temper, until 7.30 a.m. when it rose and reported progress, having passed only one item.

SPARKS FROM THE TELEGRAPH.

Erskine Mason, the well-known surgeon of New York, is dead.

It is rumored that Lincoln will succeed Lowell as United States minister to London.

The absolute expulsion of all European officials in the Egyptian service is threatened.

A. T. Stewart & Co of New York announce their determination to discontinue business.

Vanderbilt has selected a site for a large family mausoleum on Staten Island, to cost $200,000.

The stock of a new American railway, amounting to millions of pounds was introduced in the London money market on Saturday.

Nearly all the officers of the assembly at Albany and half the correspondents are more or less indisposed from the unhealthy atmosphere of the chamber.

It is stated that Fiske and Irvine, charged at New York with stealing $100,000 of St. Joseph city bonds, confessed, implicating some late city officials.

The Spanish protectionists hope to defeat the adoption of the commercial treaty with France and obstruct other portions of the free trade policy of the liberals in the senate.

Charles Oblinger, an insane man, in charge of an attendant, jumped off a train at Newport, Del. He wandered into a house, was taken for a burglar and dangerously shot.

At Kittaning, Pa., Jonathan Aultman, aged 84, while being taken to penitentiary for arson was allowed to leave the train to get a drink of gin. He put poison in the liquor, drank it and died in five minutes after returning to the car.

The New York Tribune's Washington special says that the general sentiment of the republican caucus was that the republicans could not afford to allow congress to adjourn without passing a bill to provide for the extension of the national bank charters.

The New York Times' Washington special says that the secretary of the treasury reports the amount of custom duties refunded for the year ending June 30 last was $7,880,000. The explanations which accompany the statement exhibit some of the strongest arguments for the immediate revision of the tariff.

The County Assessment Appeal Case.

The case of the township of York against the county of York, in the matter of an appeal against the equalization of assessments for county rates, came up Saturday for a preliminary hearing before Judge Mackenzie, Judge Davies, of Middlesex, and Sheriff Jarvis. Mr. J K Kerr appeared for the county and Mr. Bull for the township. Nothing definitely affecting the case was decided, and the court adjourned at 2.30, to meet on Monday May 1, at 11 a. m. The county clerk will notify the reeves of the different townships to be present on that occasion, and to produce assessment rolls and other documents necessary to facilitate the investigation.

Toronto and the C. P. R.

OTTAWA, April 15.—It is conceded that the government cannot consistently grant aid to railway schemes connecting Toronto with the main Pacific line without also favorably considering the request of the New Brunswick people for aid to extend the New Brunswick railway to the Intercolonial. It is said, however, that Sir L. Tilley prefers that no aid should be granted to the latter's project at present, as he proposes using the promise of a subsidy as an election card in the next campaign.

I. P. B. S.

Annual Sermon Yesterday in Grace Church—A Handsome Subscription.

The Irish Protestant Benevolent society went to Grace church yesterday afternoon to listen to their annual sermon by Rev. Dr. McCarroll. The sermon was eloquent and instructive, and the musical portion of the services were very well rendered under the direction of Mr. R. G. Stapells, organist of the church. The preacher took for his text the words of St. John at chap. xxi., v. 15, 16, 17, "So when they had dined, Jesus saith to Simon, son of Jonas lovest thou me more than these? He saith unto him, Yea, Lord, thou knowest that I love thee. He saith unto him, Feed my lambs," &c. The sublime lesson taught in these words was expounded in eloquent terms by the preacher. The injunction to feed his lambs was very appropriate to the present occasion. The Independent Protestant Benevolent society had a sacred duty resting on it, to look after the poor orphans of their own religion and see that they were provided for. A glowing allusion was made to the noble and illustrious sons of Ireland who were Protestants, many of whom had spent the energies and vigor of their noble souls for the common cause of humanity. A collection was then taken up and a handsome amount realized.

During the year the society has done some good work. The annual report showed the total number of persons to whom assistance was granted was fifty-five, the relief consisting of $55.80 in cash, 300 meals, and 100 lodgings, and a quantity of fuel. The following gentlemen contributed $100 each to the society: Messrs. W. F. Master, Warring Kennedy, William Wilson, C. W. Bunting, Marcellus Crombie, and the remaining contributions amounted to $200. The treasurer's report showed receipts of $588,29, and a balance of $189.22 as against last year's balance of $116.52.

CANADIAN DESPATCHES IN BRIEF

Kingston has not a dollar of uncollected taxes.

The Napanee band is getting a new uniform, eleven suits for $225.

The Kingston Whig has got the contract for the provincial exhibition printing.

Already eight cargoes of iron ore have been shipped from Kingston to the States.

The rivers in Muskoka have plenty of water and river driving, already begun, is easy.

The articles in the conservative papers about Gen. Hewson being kicked out of court are too previous.

Haliburton, away back of Lindsay, has long had a dramatic club that would put some of those at the front to shame.

The Indians up north in Rama, on the Saugeen peninsula, and on the Christian islands number 2891, and increased 40 last year. They live by fishing and agriculture.

The right of way of the Midland railway between Bridgewater and Perth has been purchased, and the board of directors are now considering the tenders for construction.

Trenton is delighted over the possession of a new hearse "unsurpassed by any in Canada." The duty on the mountings, "plumes, lamps, vases and ornaments" was $130 alone.

The Cartwright Courier is the latest venture in Manitoban journalism. Cartwright is one of the towns recently sold by Vaughan, Dennis & Co., and is already a thriving settlement in the Turtle Mountain and Rock Lake country.

At an early hour on Saturday morning Dr. Kincaid, M.P.P. of Peterboro, met with a painful but not serious accident while returning from a professional visit. The doctor was driving down a hill near Lakefield, when the [illegible]ch of his buggy broke, a portion of [illegible] sticking in the ground, upset the b[illegible]y, throwing the doctor out and dislocating his shoulder.

Under the Waves.

ZURICH, Ont., April 15—The inquest on the body found yesterday was held by Drs. Stanbury and Buchanan. The body appeared to have been in the water since last fall, and was that of a stoutly built, dark complexioned man, about forty years of age Papers found in his pocket show his name to be David Thompson, of Harrisville, Mich. There was also two prescriptions of Dr. J. V. White, of Scora, two bills of lumber, two grocery bills, dated Nov. 5, a pocket knife, a small flask full of brandy, and a tobacco holder found on him. The body will be buried to-day.

OTTAWA, April 15—A young man named Blondin while crossing the Ottawa yesterday near Lochaber, broke through the ice and was drowned.

HARBOR NOTES.

The Clara Youell left on Saturday for Oswego, lumber-laden.

The propellor Armenia left the same day for Ogdensburg, with a cargo of peas and general merchandise.

The ferry-boats ran to Hanlan's point yesterday, and carried over large crowds.

A MERE SUGGESTION.

TO THE WORLD: As suggestions are always in order allow me, Mr. Editor, to suggest that now as College avenue and University street are knocked into one to all intents and purposes, and as the avenue to be beautified and improved from time to time, that the names be consolidated into one. And I would respectfully suggest that the name be "University avenue." Will not the council give this matter their early consideration? COLLEGIAN.

THE WORLD WOULD LIKE TO SEE.

The high fences round private lawns thrown down.

The grounds of government house made a public park.

Also the Upper Canada college grounds.

Also Osgoode hall grounds.

And that heavy iron fence round the latter given to one of the asylums.

And the ground around St. James' cathedral and the Metropolitan church opened to the public who pay the taxes thereon.

The watering carts out.

WHAT THEY ARE SAYING.

If I was leader at Ottawa wouldn't I show fight.—*Olly Mowat.*

There is nothing to hinder me writing conservative fly-sheets after I'm through with the reformers.—*Ed. Farrar.*

I am getting old and feeble now,
I cannot joke no more;
I have laid the rusty-bladed pun to rest.
Old Cooney and old Holty they are sleeping side by side,
And their spirits now are roaming with the blest.
—*That little old log cabin(et) by Jolly Joe Rymal.*

I like to recite the *Nunc Dimittis.*—*Sir John.*

Strike, brothers strike,
Strike with care,
Strike in the presence of the mastiare.
A fair day's wage for a full day's fare,
Is the homely song of the carpentaire.
—*Out on Strike by Jack Plane.*

Who said I was trying to make political capital.—*W. Fairplay McMurrich.*

THE NORTHERN LIGHTS.

A Magnificent Display—Recalling the Arabian Nights—What They Indicate.

For three or four nights back the heavens have been gorgeously illumined by the flitting northern lights. When a reporter was going home at 4 o'clock on Friday morning he saw a magnificent display in the northern sky. The lights took the form of columns or pillars. At midnight last night the whole heavens were lit up—the flicking auroras being distributed from the centre of the sky to every point of the horizon. The reporter was reminded of nothing so much as of those pictures of eastern tents gorgeously roof-lined with silken hangings depended from the centre, that accompany eastern tales. The policemen, watchmen and reporters found the display the most interesting topic of conversation. Moses Oates could not be found. An old farmer who was coming in to early market on Friday said this display of northern lights at this time of the year was indicative of a wet summer and good crops.

MANITOBA ITEMS.

Winnipeg houses are being unnbered.

Variety shows are springing up in Winnipeg.

A tonsorial artist has opened a studio in Brandon.

St. Boniface college has 150 pupils, 50 of them boarders.

A cheese factory is to be started at Clearwater.

Nelsonville hotels and boarding houses are crowded.

Capt. Boswell has received a promotion in the Winnipeg postoffice.

E. Hughes has been appointed treasurer of the municipality of Brandon.

Migratory birds from the south have put in an appearance at Nelsonville.

Complaints are made of parties shooting deer out of season on the Boyne.

In ten days in March 500 entries were made in the Turtle Mountain land office.

The Gateway people are now clamoring for two mails per day, the same as Winnipeg.

There is considerable activity again in the grain markets at Emerson and West Lynne.

The recent snow storm extended from Lake Superior to the foot of the Rocky mountains.

Charles Nolan, J.P., of Qu'Appelle, was recently fined $50 for having liquor in his possession.

Plum Creek settlers beyond Brandon claim to have successfully opposed the Sowden colonization scheme.

The building boom has reached Pilot Mound, there being already a number of stores and residences under way.

Potter, a Gateway curler, won the president's medal, and McDonald the "bonnet" at a bonspeil there the other day.

Crowds of settlers are reported as passing through Brandon to the south and southwest to settle in the Turtle Mountain and Souris districts.

Considerable exception is taken to the proposed site of the immigration shed at Brandon, and more to the tardiness of its construction.

A complimentary supper was tendered last week to James Fraser, the proprietor of the town site of Pilot Mound, by his many friends and admirers in that vicinity.

Immigrants and other passengers reaching Brandon are unable to procure accommodation, and have either to crowd into an excuse for an hotel or walk the streets all night.

The sum of $3,000 has been raised in West Lynne