

SPOKE OF THE GLORY LAND.

MR. MOODY TELLS HOW TO REAP THE TITLE CLEAR.

Recognition of Friends in Heaven—The Ministry of Angels on Earth—Repentance: What It Is and What It Is Not—Seven Lessons From an Epitaph—Host of Inquirers.

The 19th of Mr. Moody's revival services in Massey Hall yesterday afternoon was very successful. There were 6000 persons present, quite a number from places outside of Toronto. There was a larger proportion of males than on any previous afternoon. Whether it was owing to the subject announced or a coincidence, the fact was that there were more elderly people present than on any former occasion. Mayor Kennedy sat beside Dr. Potts on the platform. At 8.30 Mr. Moody arrived and the song service commenced. All the hymns had special reference to "Heaven," which was Mr. Moody's promised topic.

Song of the Glory Land. Rev. W. O. Cushing's hymn, "Beautiful Valley of Eden," was first sung, and gave an earnest of a good musical service. Then came a general favorite, one of Dr. Watts' earliest and sweetest hymns: Give me the wings of faith to rise Within the veil, and see The saints above, how great their joys, How bright their glories be. "I am waiting for the Master" was then sung, and the audience heartily joined in the chorus— They are waiting at the portal, They are waiting at the door; Waiting only for my coming, All the loved ones gone before.

Rev. E. Adams' sacred song, "Safe Within the Veil," led up in faith to the time when all earthly storms shall have passed. Then the people jubilantly sang "The Home Over There," and the refrain of this popular hymn was heard far afield.

By Mrs. C. G. Moore. At the request of Mr. Moody Miss Agnes Forbes modestly but very sweetly sang Mary Lee Demarest's Scotch song: I am far from my home, An' I'm weary afterwhile, For the land of the living brings, An' my Father's welcome smiles; An' I'll ne'er be content Until my e'en do see The golden gates of heaven, An' my ain country.

The other selections were: "There is a Land of Pure Delight," "I Long to Be There," "Not Half Has Ever Been Told," and Mrs. E. H. Galt's "Song of the Beautiful Land," the first verse and chorus of which are: I will sing you a song of that beautiful land, The far-away home of the soul, Where no storms ever beat on the glittering strand, While the years of eternity roll.

Oh, that home of the soul! In my visions and dreams Its bright, Jasper walls I can see; Till I fancy but thinly the veil intervenes Between the fair city and me!

Future Meetings. Mr. Moody again expressed thankfulness for the good which is being done by these meetings, both in and out of Toronto. He announced an address to parents at 4 o'clock this afternoon and a special meeting for unconverted men only at 8 o'clock this evening. On Friday there will only be one meeting, at 8.30 o'clock, when the evangelist will speak on "The Bible." He desires the presence of sceptics, for he holds if anyone has any doubt of the inspiration of the Bible the gospel will, whilst the doubt lasts, be inefficacious.

Heaven a Place, Not a State. This, at the outset of his discourse, Mr. Moody proved by the citation of passages of scripture, that the evangelist put his heart and soul in it. On the transitoriness of life he was most pronounced, but as men think all men mortal but themselves the effect was not so manifest as when he told of deathbed scenes.

Glimesps of the Glory. Mr. Moody believed in visions of glory on earth, and gave confirmatory evidence thereof. But it is not the pearly gates, the golden streets, the jasper walls, the sea of glass that make heaven so attractive, but those who people the heavenly mansions. What makes your home so attractive? The furnishings? Oh, no; it would be only a gilded sepulchre if the loved ones were not there.

Good Society in Heaven. So it is with heaven. The best spirits of the world for 6000 years are there. You will have good society when you get home. (A voice: "Praise God.") Angels as well as saints will be there. The service of these ministering spirits on earth, Mr. Moody referred to. When death stared him in the face on the ill-fated steamer Spree he found comfort in the faith that God's angels were in attendance. ("Praise the Lord.")

Your Name Registered. Heaven is for all whose names are in the Lamb's book of life. All who believe in Christ have their names registered. "Dr. Potts, ain't you registered?" "The Doctor: "Yes, that I am." "Ain't you, my brother?" "Yes, Michael Pavetti, "Praise the Lord, I am."

My Treasure and My Home Are There. Mr. Moody then compared earthly and heavenly treasures. Riches offered speedy wings, pleasure unattained. In God's presence is fulness of joy; all His right hand pleasures for evermore. O, then, build above the world; eye, above the sun, and then let the old world rock. Ye are safe! ("Praise the Lord.")

Chicago Versus New Jerusalem. Mr. Moody told of a young man who was engaged body and soul in the real estate business in Chicago. He left his Christian father in charge of the office. A man inquired the price of a corner lot. "I don't know," said the father, "but I would give much more for standing room in the New Jerusalem than for all the corner lots in Chicago." (Laughter.) The son came in and said: "Father, this will never do, you will break up the business." (Reverent laughter.) Mr. Moody: "You see the boy was in Chicago, the father in the New Jerusalem."

Not Worth Their Salt. Said Mr. Moody: "I never knew a man that was worth a snap of the finger for Christian work that was looking for his reward on this earth. Christ Himself said: 'Great is your reward in heaven.' If He said great, how great must it be? Dead to the world and alive to God is the Christian's true attitude. If it be the case we can afford to laugh at the world's jeers and sneers. Child of God, hit up your head. We have no corruptible inheritance, and soon shall hear the Master's 'Well done, good and faithful servant.'" (A chorus of "Amen.")

Better Than the Cross of Cowa. Paul's compensation for all the stonings, stripes, imprisonments and sufferings out of count was the crown of glory which he saw at the end of his career. What is the crown of Russia in comparison with this? The poor Cross didn't wear it very long.

In concluding his very serious discourse Mr. Moody quoted Scripture to show that friends will know each other

in heaven. But better than this was the glorious truth: "I shall be satisfied when I awake in Thy likeness."

The Night Meeting. There was less than the customary crowd in the evening, but there was the customary jubilation. Nearly 6000 men were present. Among the songs were: "Come, ye that love the Lord," "White as Snow," "Sound the Battle Cry," "Peace, perfect peace." My faith looks up to Thee," "I will sing the Wordless Story," "Gathering Home," "Christ Receiveth Sinful Men," solo "My Ain Country," "Miss Heston's Arise and Shine," and "Though your sins be as Scarlet."

One song the choir sang was the sacred song by Mary Leslie, entitled "Gathering Home," the first verse of which is: They are gathering homeward from every land, As their weary feet touch the shining strand. One by one, Their brows are enfolded in a golden crown; Their travel-stained garments are all laid down; And clothed in white raiment they rest in the mead, Where the Lamb doth love His saints to lead.

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Discoursed on Repentance. The choir sang for an hour and a half, thus breaking the record at the 20th meeting. It was 8.30 before Mr. Moody ascended the special platform. Repentance was his subject, founded on Isaiah lv.: 6. Seek ye the Lord while he may be found, call ye upon him while he is near; 7. Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; and let him return unto the Lord, and he will have mercy upon him; and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. 8. For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the Lord. 9. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts.

Religion Is Not Christ. The world, said Mr. Moody, is full of religion, but religion is not Christianity. He contrasted Mahomedanism with Christianity, stating that the religion of Mahomed sanctioned the foulest and vilest sins, but the teaching of Christ was to forsake sin. If this were not done there was no true faith.

Two men got drunk, returned to their rowboat and vigorously plied the oars. Strange, said they, we are so long in crossing. When daylight dawned they found they had never untied the boat. (Laughter.)

What Repentance Is. It is not feeling; it is not fear, it is not penance, it is not remorse, it is not conviction. Repentance is an afterthought; it is a change of mind; it is to change your course. It is not shedding a few tears, but turning right round. As a soldier expressed: it is Hail's Attention, Right-about-face, March! and that is all there is to it. (Laughter.)

Human Efforts Unavailing. The evangelist instanced the case of Naaman the leper to show that human thought is quite astray as to God's work. When he laid aside his thoughts and obeyed the prophet's orders he was cured. He departed from him, Athens was as rotten as hell itself, although it had plenty of philosophy and philosophic thought. Where there is true repentance there is immediate pardon.

A Seven-Fold Record. On an old gravestone in the States is this inscription: "I have sinned; I have repented; I have trusted; I have loved; I rest; I shall rise; I shall reign." Let us, said Mr. Moody, all say this. And they all said it after him, and the sound of the confession, the faith, the hope, all went up to the heart of God.

Teatime prayers followed. Then there was an overflowing attendance at the enquiry room, where hundreds wished the prayers of God's people. A large number professed conversion before the meeting closed.

Mr. Moody attributed the blessing to the earnest prayers of the women in the Metropolitan Church and to the intercession in the Massey Hall.

THE HUGGER CONVICTED. He Will Not Kiss Ladies Against Their Will in Future. Barney, "the Hugger," has been caught. It will be remembered that on the night of Halloween a number of young ladies complained that while they were on their way home a man stopped them, deliberately threw his arms around their necks and kissed them. The police have been looking for the offender and he turned out to be Bernard McMahon, one of the gang of young toughs who have been in the habit of congregating in the neighborhood of the Queen-street subway. McMahon was fined \$2 and costs, with a promise that if he repeated the offence he would be sent to jail for a lengthened term. Two companions, who were not known to be "huggers," were fined \$1 each.

A Novel Sight. Yesterday something quite unique was seen in Toronto. A young Turk, a rug artist from a royal palace of Turkey, was seen taking a drive about the city. The carriage was handsomely arrayed for the occasion with beautiful Turkish rugs and cloths, and was prominent of all a silk rug prominently displayed and used as a wrapper and shawl. The youngster is only 13 years of age, is very handsome in appearance, with jet-black eyes and true Oriental complexion. Today, dressed in his royal costume, he will be seen at 2038 Yonge-street, working in prehistoric style at the weaving of a silk rug, commenced over four months ago and not yet completed. The sale of the entire collection of Oriental rugs now on display at 2038 Yonge-street will commence tomorrow at 11 o'clock, and they will be sold by auction at the bidders' own prices by Mr. C. M. Henderson.

Thanksgiving Day With the Soldiers. At the muster parade of the Queen's Own Rifles last night the parade state showed 691 of all ranks. The regimental parade in drill order, with leggings and bayonets, on 22nd inst. (Thanksgiving Day) at 8.30 a.m., to participate in the annual inspection, which will be composed of a route march, brigade attack and march-past, in which the Royal Grenadier, 46th Highlanders and 13th Battalion will also take part.

Alleged Sneak Thief. John Mortley, 290 Adelaide-street west, was assisting an expressman yesterday to move the goods of Mrs. Wilson from 55 to 58 Alexander-street. During the day a purse containing \$6 and a pair of gloves were missing from the house, and Mortley was suspected of having stolen them. He was arrested by P. C. Dean. The stolen property was found secreted in an out-house.

For the Theft of a Watch. William Jackson has been brought to the county jail on a charge of stealing a watch from James Jackson of the town line between York and Vaughan. The watch was stolen during a Christian Endeavor meeting held at James Jackson's house, and was found at a room occupied by William Jackson, in the house of his employer, James Brock.



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performance ever seen in Toronto. The De Forests, in their whirlwind dance, are alone worth the price of admission. Carrie Scott's inimitable character sketch of the Bowerly girl is far ahead of anything that has been done here before in that line.

Dr. A. Conan Doyle. The New York Recorder of Oct. 11th says of Dr. Conan Doyle, who appears at Massey Hall Nov. 28: Upon the general subject of "Readings and Reminiscences" Dr. A. Conan Doyle addressed his first American audience in the Calvary Baptist Church last night. His lecture was interesting, exceedingly so, for while it lasted his audience listened intently to every word, following carefully his explanations and digressions, and enjoyed not only the subject of his discourse, but also the very sound of his voice. There are few physical gifts that are so delightful as a hearty, cheery, sympathetic voice, and such a voice is one of Dr. Doyle's most charming powers. By Doyle read extracts from several of his stories and all of them, particularly that from "The Lord of Chateau Noir" were received with enthusiasm.

Dean Hole on Monday. The following choir and choralesters will be represented in the chorus which will provide music at the lecture on "The Church of England" by Dean Hole next Monday evening: All Saints', Mr. W. E. Fairclough, F.C.O.; St. Matthew's, Brookmill; St. John's, Mrs. Williamson; Holy Trinity, Mrs. Wilson; St. Mark's, Mrs. P. Kennedy; Grace Church, Mr. C. Bodley; Holy Trinity, Mr. R. Blackburn; St. Peter's, Mr. H. W. Webster; Ascension, Rev. F. G. Plummer; St. Alban's, Mr. D.K. emp; St. Phillips, Mr. Bennick; St. Cyril's, Mr. Smith. The plan is now open at the Massey Music Hall.

A Circus Coming to Town. At the Academy next week, in connection with the appearance of Sherman and Morrisey's comedians in "A Jay Circus," Mile. Delmore, from the Eden Theatre, Paris, will present her gorgeous serpentine transformation and other dances. The greatest feature of the production will be the dancing trapeze work of the An-collette Brothers, they are from the Hippodrome, Paris. Their jumps for life on the double swings are said to be one of the most thrilling acts ever seen in this country. The four Emperors of Music is another very strong card. John Patton has just completed a long engagement at the leading music halls in London and Paris. Carr and Ingram from the Empire Theatre, London, are the clowns in the circus. There will be a street parade on Monday.

Martinot-Figman in "The Passport." The combination of Martinot and Figman, who will be seen in this city for three nights and Wednesday matinee at the Grand Opera House commencing Monday, Nov. 19, is of considerable interest to theatregoers. Miss Sadie Martinot has been known by her peculiar abilities to portray Irish roles, and Mr. Max Figman has become highly celebrated through his well-known covers as a stage manager and versatile actor.

David Christie Murray coming. Arrangements have been made with David Christie Murray, the distinguished novelist and war correspondent, to give his unique and charming entertainment "Christie Murray at Home," in which he will narrate his varied experiences in peace and war, and introduce his marvellous imitations of John Bright, Gladstone and Disraeli.

The Great De Forests. "The Meteors," at the Academy, are drawing good houses, but are not playing to the business they deserve. They give one of the best and cleanest vaudeville

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