

strain the power of a positively good man over other men, no more can you circumscribe his influence. Canon Mosely has well expressed our truth. "It is astonishing," he says, "how much good, goodness makes. Nothing that is good can be alone. Like a stone you throw into the pond which makes circles on the water that are ever widening into others, until they reach the farther shore; so the goodness of a good man will go on expanding in its influence to the remotest circumference of human life."

A good man has gone out from amongst us. His personal work upon earth is ended, and he now awaits the fruition of his labors in God's Church at Rest. But, oh, my brethren, "lest we forget, lest we forget"! Shall not the memory of one such good life worthily and conscientiously lived, (which as a halo, encircles today the place he filled in our hearts) prompt from us a prayer to the God of our fathers that a double portion of that man's spirit may rest upon us! May we not crave to receive into our own lives, that copy of the Christ-life, which he so constantly reflected upon us! So, being dead, he shall still live and speak to us; the power of his goodness will be extended, the many prayers of God's Priest for you will be granted, and his faithful work for you rewarded. Then on that bright morrow of Eternity, when all shall stand before the judgment bar of Christ, "the salvation of the flock, shall be the joy and crown of the shepherd."