





TO LOVERS OF JESUS AN EXAMPLE.

A New Sermon by Pastor C. H. Spurgeon

"She hath wrought a good work on me" — Mark 14: 6.

I am going to talk about this blessed woman at this time with this blessed desire—that you and I may imitate her example.

Let us go to the text which is, "She hath wrought a good work on me." This is a thing of beauty, which is a joy forever to the church of God, in that constant memorial of her which is blended with the preaching of the gospel of Christ.

There were seven beauties in it, and the first and chief beauty, perhaps, was that it was altogether a glorifying thing.

There is something beautiful in seeing, as we have seen, some poor woman saving her little, and putting them by for years till she could accomplish a secret purpose.

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Sabbath School.

BIBLE LESSONS.

FROM PULPITS SELECT NOTES.

Second Quarter. Lesson VIII.—May 24. 1 Tim. 1: 15-30.

GOLDEN TEXT.

This is a faithful saying, and worthy of acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners.—1 Tim. 1: 15.

I. Salvation from Sin in Christ Jesus.—Ver. 15. This is a faithful saying, and worthy of acceptance...

II. An Example of this Salvation.—15. Of whom I am chief. Every word is significant...

III. Gratitude for the Salvation.—17. As in Rom. 11: 36; 16: 27; the thought of God's great mercy leads the apostle to break out into a jubilant exultation...

IV. How to Attain the Salvation.—18. This charge, Counsel, or command; referring to what follows in the last clause of the verse...

V. Prayer for the Progress of Salvation.—1. First of all is to be joined with "I exhort," not, as in A. V., with "be made" below...

VI. God's Desire that all Men should Partake of this Salvation.—3. For this. Praying for all men. Is good and acceptable...

able. God approves of it because it shows the same love and desire he himself feels. 4. Who will have all men to be saved. He has done his part of salvation for all men, and wishes that they would repent and believe and come to him...

5. For. This gives the reason why it is good and well-pleasing in the sight of God that Christians should pray for all. There is one God. And one only for all men. And one mediator between God and men. Here the stress is laid on the one Mediator, if one only, and that as being "a man," then his mediation must be for all humanity...

Not the man as contradistinguished from soft others, but as a representative position. The great fact of Christ's having given himself a ransom for all, is that which is to be testified by his servants in his times; that is, in the times of the Gospel. It is to be the great subject of their preaching...

Stood by His Flag. A dozen, good but brave soldiers were playing cards one night in camp. "What on earth is that?" suddenly exclaimed the ring-leader, stopping in the midst of the game to listen...

"Boys, he's praying, or I'm a sinner!" he roared out. "There cheer for the parson!" shouted another man of the group in the prayer ended. "You watch things for three weeks! I'll show you how to take the religion out of him!"...

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During a lull in the battle the men dug a shallow grave and tenderly laid the remains therein. Then, as one was cutting the name and regiment upon a board, the big man said, with a husky voice: "I guess you'd better put the words 'Christian Soldier,' in somewhere! He deserves the title, and maybe it'll console him for our abuse..."

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suocor and comfort entered the humble abode. When Royal Purple was first introduced to that home it was a goddess one but now, thanks to her tender ministry, the Saviour dwells therein. One day, when I was in her mother's room, she said to me, speaking of her little daughter: "She had just begun to work for her Saviour when my physician ordered me out here. I think it was a great trial for her to come, for somehow she did not realize that she could serve him out in Canada as well as at home, but she said to me only yesterday: 'Mamma, the Master's vineyard covers the whole world, doesn't it? We can find his limbs everywhere.'—The Advocate.

Take Time to Pray. Joseph Cook, in talking of students who did not have time to go to prayer-meeting, said that when he was in college he always took time for such things. "When a student becomes unspiritual," said he, "his mind is secluded; but when he is lifted into a high spiritual atmosphere by the influence of an hour or two of prayer he can sweep down upon his studies like an eagle on his prey. Very few students would deny that 'prayer is the highest occupation of the human soul' and yet it is a common thing to see professing Christian students, deliberately neglect the prayer-meeting where it seems to them the best place for their spiritual purification.—Buffalo Christian Advocate.

The world is full of kindness, that never was spoken, and that is not much better than no kindness at all. The fuel in the stove makes the room warm, but there are great piles of fallen trees lying on the hills and in the woods...

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the captives; and recovering of sight to the blind; to set at liberty them that are bruised." But, sir, we have not heard the account of that day yet. "He bore our sorrow," but we have not even attempted to sympathize with Him, when His loving message was rejected; because, had we done so, our sympathy must have borne fruit. We have not like Paul known the fellowship of his sufferings. Had we done so, our home fields would not suffer as they do now. There are parts of our Provinces where the people are perishing for the Bread of Life which is ours in such plenty. There are churches too poor to support a pastor, and yet with a little help could manage it.

Just now we have fifty five different fields needing aid. Some want only fifty dollars a year; others three hundred, and others again as much as four hundred. We had fifteen students at work during last summer with two general missionaries and could have as many more. But the treasury is nearly empty. These churches are many of them becoming discouraged; some have already died out. Can we do more, are there no ways in which we can deny ourselves that these home fields may not suffer? Help these churches and from them will come the workers for our foreign fields.

How often we hear one and another say, "Why I know nothing of Missions; I have never given the subject any thought." Nothing but carelessness and want of thought is in the eye of Jehovah surely counted a sin; for on this very account the prophet of old was blinded to cry against His people in the olden days, "Tremble ye women that are at ease; ye troubled ye careless ones." "Woe unto you that are not troubled because of the affliction of Joseph." That these careless ones were not out and sinners, but daughters of Zion, men of the House of Israel.

We wonder why God does not pour out blessings upon our church in answer to our prayers; and there is a promise we are very fond of quoting, "Prove me now herewith, saith the Lord of hosts, if I will not open the windows of heaven, if I will not pour you a blessing,"—a promise seldom fulfilled, because we neglect to read the first part, "bring ye all the tithes into the house." There is no test allegiance to Christ in a life of selfish indulgence; no real, earnest consecration where we serve ourselves first, and let the Master have just what we can give Him if any thing is over, and if not, conform ourselves to the thought that another month or year will find us better prepared to give.

On one occasion the Master bade His disciples lift up their eyes and look on the fields white already to harvest. We have, in a measure, been doing this to-day, but shall we be content with merely "looking." We cannot shut our eyes to the fact that we are living in troublous times, that around us on every side are tokens of the coming of our King. Let us be up and doing from this day, preparing the way before Him.

A devoted Missionary just gone to rest, sent word home not long since, "Hold the ropes" we are getting hold of the jewels in the mine." My friends, when the King does come, let Him find us holding fast the ropes to both our home and foreign fields; let Him find us holding them with the tight grasp of prayer and gifts, that jewels brought up from those dark mines may shine a "crown" of glory in the hand of the Lord, a royal diadem in the hands of our God. "Let us hold fast the ropes." A. E. J.

men of many minds" give different reasons for the change in the time.

I have been greatly cheered and encouraged by the interesting accounts in the Messenger and Visitor of revival seasons with churches in N. B. and N. S. I think every Baptist in the provinces ought to look up, thank God, and take courage. If contributions are given, earnest prayers offered, and duties faithfully done, there is no doubt as to the results. "The Lord is not slack concerning His promise."

The resuming time follows that of sowing, and abiding fruit shall surely repay the efforts of the toiler in the spiritual, as on the natural field. J. E. L.

spring-time with the church religiously. We are praying and expecting that the converting, comforting and sanctifying presence of God may last all the year. The pleasure of baptizing fifteen happy converts. More to follow. DAVIN PAIR.

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—We are glad to be able to announce that Rev. David Freeman has returned from Florida in good health. Bro. Robinson writes he preached for the Canning church on May 3rd, "a very comforting sermon from the text," "which hope we have as an anchor of the soul" etc. Our dear brother spoke from deep conviction, as one who had proved this hope to be an anchor to his soul. He expects to take up the mission work he laid down last autumn."

—Bro. J. B. Locke, of Monson, Maine, was ordained on April 29th. The sermon was preached by Rev. G. E. Tuffe. Rev. C. C. Tilly, the clerk of the council, appended to the minutes of the ordaining service the following remarks:—

Bro. Locke is a native of Prince Edward's Island, and comes to us from Acadia college, with high recommendations from his teachers for scholarship and christian character. The Monson church is to be congratulated in obtaining so good a pastor.

With God's blessing upon them, we bespeak for pastor and people a prosperous future.

—Rev. T. S. McCall began his labors with the German St. Church, St. John, on Sunday last, and today all the various sections of the Lord's people are gathered together for the faith of the gospel. Still desirous to attend a Theological Seminary, the pastor has tendered his resignation to take effect the first of Sept. next, or sooner if another man can be secured to take the pastoral care. This resignation, though not as yet accepted, is final.

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E. H. SWEET.

YARMOUTH FIRST.—One was baptized by Dr. Day last Sabbath evening, and there are several others.

Bro. Ryan.—I baptized four yesterday, and the work still goes on. Fifty-five have been baptized since September.

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W. H. HALL.

POOR LOBBERS.—Since my last note I have baptized nine happy converts into the Wilton Mountain Church.

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W. L. PARRER.

MARGAREE BAY.—There is a quiet work of grace going on in this field of labor: Six have been baptized recently, and many more, from appearances, will soon follow. Pray for us.

A. W. HARRIS.

WILSON.—We have had some glorious answers to the question of the section of the church: A glorious revival broke out on a fortnight ago yesterday. About nine days ago, Bro. Young came to my help. He

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Bro. Locke is a native of Prince Edward's Island, and comes to us from Acadia college, with high recommendations from his teachers for scholarship and christian character. The Monson church is to be congratulated in obtaining so good a pastor.

With God's blessing upon them, we bespeak for pastor and people a prosperous future.

—Rev. T. S. McCall began his labors with the German St. Church, St. John, on Sunday last, and today all the various sections of the Lord's people are gathered together for the faith of the gospel. Still desirous to attend a Theological Seminary, the pastor has tendered his resignation to take effect the first of Sept. next, or sooner if another man can be secured to take the pastoral care. This resignation, though not as yet accepted, is final.

May 11th.

E. H. SWEET.

YARMOUTH FIRST.—One was baptized by Dr. Day last Sabbath evening, and there are several others.

Bro. Ryan.—I baptized four yesterday, and the work still goes on. Fifty-five have been baptized since September.

May 11th.

W. H. HALL.

POOR LOBBERS.—Since my last note I have baptized nine happy converts into the Wilton Mountain Church.

May 11th.

W. L. PARRER.

MARGAREE BAY.—There is a quiet work of grace going on in this field of labor: Six have been baptized recently, and many more, from appearances, will soon follow. Pray for us.

A. W. HARRIS.

WILSON.—We have had some glorious answers to the question of the section of the church: A glorious revival broke out on a fortnight ago yesterday. About nine days ago, Bro. Young came to my help. He

perpetuation of the liquor traffic. The latter resolution denies "that the personal vested interests in the traffic have any moral or reasonable claim for compensation than the vested interests of any other ruinous social evil."

The Halifax Presbytery last week discussed the subject of marriage with a deceased wife's sister, and by a vote of 13 to 3 decided as follows:

"Inasmuch as the process of inferential reasoning usually adduced on the subject of marriage with a sister of a deceased wife, whatever its intrinsic merits, is not sufficiently clear or convincing to justify the prohibition.

"Therefore resolved, that the presbytery approve of the practical recommendations of the committee, namely, that church discipline be not exercised in regard to marriage with a wife's sister, wife's aunt, or wife's niece."

In 1800 there were, according to the best available statistics, 365,000 evangelized communicants in the country, or about seven per cent., of the population of 5,308,483. In 1850 there were 3,549,988 such communicants, being fifteen per cent. of the population of 21,911,874. In 1870 there were 6,273,381 such communicants, being seventeen per cent. of the population of 38,588,271. In 1880 the communicants had risen to 10,055,963, being a little over twenty per cent., of the population of 50,153,285. The increase in population since 1800 has been ninefold; that in evangelical communicants has been twenty-seven fold, three times as great as in the population.

"A Jewish circular" states that with a population of at least 60,000 females in New York, the synagogues of that city are deserted and the rabbis preach to empty benches.


It is stated that the average salary of the Congregational ministers of Canada is about \$1,300. The lowest is about \$400 and the highest \$6,000. Only about fifty receive as much as \$2,000.

The conversions of children in Massachusetts Sunday-schools are estimated by the Golden Rule, as one to every ten teachers and every eighty-one scholars, yearly.

Bishop William Taylor said recently:—"The distance between entire holiness and fanaticism is not very great."

German Methodists in the United States number about 60,000. They own a weekly newspaper, the circulation of which is 17,500, and a monthly magazine which has a circulation of 7,600. In this respect they are nearly ahead of Baptists.

Dr. C. B. Crane upon "Fairness in Religious Debate." Rev. Dr. A. W. Smith supplies an article which will read with special interest at the present time upon "Self-Support in Missions"—a pretty sharp review of Rev. Mr. Carpenter's book upon the subject. Prof. Howard Osgood has a scholarly paper upon "Pre-historic Commerce and Israel." There is an able and extended paper upon "Russian Nihilism," without the writer's name. Rev. Mr. Waterhouse writes upon the "Day of Pentecost," and Rev. K. W. Tupper upon "Hypothetical History." Cincinnati, O. \$2.50 a year.



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THE HOME.

Nothing to do?

"Nothing to do" in this world of ours, Where weeds grow up with the fairest flowers, Where smiles have only a furtive play, Where accents are breaking every day?

"Nothing to do?" There are prayers to lay On the altar of income, day by day. There are foes to meet within and without, There is error to conquer, strong and stout.

"Nothing to do?" There are minds to teach The simplest form of Christian speech; There are hearts to fire with loving words From the grimest haunts of sin's delirium.

"Nothing to do?" There is lamb's to feed, The purest hopes of the church's need; Strength to be borne to the weak and faint, Vigils to keep with the doubting saint.

"Nothing to do?" and thy Saviour said, Follow thou me in the path I tread; Lord, lend thy help the journey through, Lest, faint, we cry, "So much to do."

NOBILITY OF SERVICE.—Every true Christian should daily and hourly say to himself, "I am in the world to help others. Of serving—the most honorable thing of all—almost all are ashamed. Every one desires only to rule and enjoy. And this spirit has created a new difficulty in the social process, a sort of modern world problem in the adjustment of the relations of labor and capital.

But the truth is, men of all conditions must learn to regard themselves as servants, else the world cannot stand. A queen who wishes only to rule and not to serve is not worthy to be entrusted with the care of a people. A bishop who does not take up his office as a service will not be fit for a door-keeper in heaven. The Hohenzollerns on Prussia's throne have become the most honored and respected princes on earth because, for the most part, they really governed in the sense, as Frederick II. expressed it, that "the king is the first servant of the State."

There is a language born wholly of the spirit of Christianity. But Louis XIV. of France built the scaffold for his successors and the whole house of Bourbon, because the soul of his government was this, "I am the State, and it is all for my sake." Whoever will not be in his own right and not serve him, will go under, and as in the small, so in the great.

Verily, he has the highest condition on earth who best serves his fellow-men with what he is and has. Napoleon I. once in the street very quickly gave way to a heavily-laden sack-bearing, and in an earnest tone said to his surprised attendants, "Respect the burden." Yes, if all had felt so, we should not see a very different state of things in this world. Let Christians, then, try to bring a respect to honor again, every one at his post, every one striving up and using the gifts which God has given him for the common good.—N. Y. Observer, from the Quaker.

HOMELY BEAUTY.—A tasteful woman can make a garret beautiful and home-like, at little cost; for the beauty of a home lies more in education and refined taste than upon mere wealth. If there is no artist in a house it matters little that there is a large balance at the bank. There is usually no better excuse for a barren home than ignorance or carelessness. A little mechanical skill can make brackets and shelves for the walls. A thoughtful walk in the woods can gather leaves and lichens and ferns for adorning the unpicturesque rooms. A tripod saved from daily expenses can now and again put a new book upon the table or shelf. The expenditure of a few shillings can convert the plain window into a conservatory. In these and fifty other ways can a plain, bare room be converted into a scene of beauty.

THE MEDICAL USE OF EGGS.—For burning and scalds nothing more soothing than the white of an egg, beaten and poured over the wound. It is softer as a varnish for a burn than colloidum, and being always on hand, can be applied immediately. It is also more cooling than the "sweet oil and cotton," which was formerly supposed to be the surest application to allay the smarting pain. It is the contact with the air which gives the extreme discomfort experienced from ordinary accidents of this kind; and any thing which excludes air, and thus prevents inflammation is the best thing to be applied. The egg is also considered one of the very best things to be applied. The egg is also considered one of the very best remedies for dysentery. Beaten slightly with oil or without sugar, and swallowed at a gulp, it tends by its emollient qualities to lessen the inflammation of the stomach and intestines, and by forming a transient coating for these organs to enable nature to assume her healthy vigor, and to disengage itself. Two, or at the most three eggs per day will do all that would be required in ordinary cases; and since the egg is not merely a medicine, but food as well, the lighter diet otherwise, and the quieter the patient is kept, the more certain and rapid is the recovery.

—This is a very nice chocolate custard and can be used instead of fruit for tea. Three ounces of Baker's chocolate, three pints of milk, four tablespoons of white sugar, two spoons of brown sugar. Prepare a soft custard of the milk and the whites of five eggs and the white of one dissolve the chocolate in a cup of warm milk and heat it to a boiling point, then cool, sweeten it with brown sugar, and flavor with the extract of vanilla. Pour the whole into a dish and cover with the whites of five eggs beaten stiff with a little sugar; brown slightly and serve cold.

To Brew Coffee Beans.—The brown stains on coffee cups can be effectually removed by scouring with whiting.—N. Y. Herald.

Putner's Syrup.—A cupful of best molasses, half a cupful of sugar, two-thirds of a cupful of water, a teaspoonful of alum, a tablespoonful of ginger, two spoonfuls of soda. Dissolve the alum in one-half of the water, and the soda in the other half.

Putner's Syrup.—The best used for broken glass barriers in place of the old-fashioned plaster and water. Mix then thin and apply quickly, as it "sets" soon. This plaster is the same as used by mechanics, etc.

THE FARM.

Pruning away superfluous shoots and branches is a matter of first importance in an orchard. All small shoots on the lower part of main branches should be removed, as they only tend to darken the tree where light and air are needed. The centre of each apple tree, where it is thick, should be removed to admit light and air. There is no better time to thin out shoots on fruit trees than just when the trees begin to bud, as they only tend to darken the tree where light and air are needed.

Common cats would have shown indifference or make them without interloper. But Whisker is no common cat. And Whisker, not nullus, might be said to be a family decree; it is certainly Whisker's own motto, and he set out to make Madam Bond understand it. That this common brown and white, a plebeian stranger, a real Bohemian of henn, and a vagabond wanderer on the face of the earth, should share his home and friends, was not to be tolerated by a cat like Whisker. When he saw her actually eating from the same hand that daily prepared his own titbits, it was too much, and the battle began.

In vain we pet Whisker and coax him. He would leave the most promising hunt for rats, forsake his cushion and adjacent sleep, run wildly from the farthest corner of our premises, then he heard Madam Bond call to dinner, or caught sound of her complicit "Creo-creo-creo," as she swaddled the piazza, pecking her food from Madam Bond's saucer. And Whisker would pounce down on the floor with a tiger-like spring, his tail four times its natural size, and the velvet sheath drawn back from his savage claws. He would attack in return as caused him for once not to stand upon the order of his going.

After this the balance wavered. Sometimes Whisker, sometimes Madam Bond, carried the day, and the funny feud, with its varying results, was a part of the daily entertainment.

It was evident that a bold stroke for liberty was needed. One day, as Madam Bond held the pan of mixed meal and water, and called out for her cat, and both rivals came racing—Madam Bond from the stable, with fluttering wings and outstretched beak, Whisker from his favorite haunt, where the sunny robes tempted, with long lithe leaps, and scampering topaz eyes.

By a hand's breadth he reached the piazza first, gave the astonished Madam Bond a buffet with impetuous paw that sent her reeling, and then—can I hope to be believed?—Whisker rubbed his handsome head on Madam Bond's arm, and purled contentedly, silent astonishment lapsed into ringing laughter, and the words of old Mrs. Forbes came involuntarily to our lips:—"Human nature's all alike—even in a cat."

Madam Bond's self never recovered the humiliation of this defeat. For a day or two she moped about the stable, clucking to herself in perplexed fashion, and dead to all calls to dine on the piazza, then on morning she was and sat in the night she must have taken counsel of herself, and chosen flight rather than ignominy.

Certain it is that, like more illustrious bipeds, she "silently stole away," and we have never seen her since.—You'd's Companion.

"Behold the victor!" Very sick he looked, but very triumphant. He had eaten that which his stomach abhorred, but his soul was fed by better food than that which he had eaten. He had sacrificed that which his enemy should eat again from the hand of the mistress he loved. Welcome meal and nausea, if so only could the conquering hero come!

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Whisker and Madam Bond. "Human nature's all alike, even in a cat," old Mrs. Forbes used philosophically to remark at every trick of her sly gray cat, the despised of the neighborhood. We heard and laughed often, but it took Madam Bond to bring us to appreciation of the statement.

Not to mislead any one, I desire to state that Madam Bond is or was, as she came to us two years ago, uninvited, and seemingly brought by the wind, from the neighborhood of her old home, and no one would own her, and no one would care to drive her away, so she remained in our house for some time.

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News Summary.

DOMINION. -The census of Newfoundland, completed in 1884, has just been published. It shows a total population of 123,378, an increase in ten years of 24,426. The population of St. John's city is placed at 38,137, an increase of 7,663.

ENGLAND AND IRELAND. -Last week closed with the prospect of the submission of the question at issue between these two great nations to arbitration, and of peace. As the week has advanced, it has become more and more evident that Russia is continuing her old game of temporizing.

AFGHANISTAN. -At present there is a prospect that Gladstone's government will be overthrown. Sir Stafford Northcote has given notice that he will move a vote of censure on the Afghan policy. It is feared by Gladstone's friends that the vote will carry, and this is the absorbing topic of interest at present in England.

AFGHANISTAN. -The above was in type, the following despatch has been received, which changes the whole apparent situation in London, May 11. Earl Granville has written to the Lords, and in regard to the Afghan boundary question: A conference upon the subject had been held between himself, Earl Kimberley secretary for India, and Baron de Sava, Russian minister at London, which resulted in an agreement perfectly satisfactory to England, Russia and Earl Dufferin.

AFGHANISTAN. -Mr. Gladstone announced in the Commons that he was about to present to the House some most important papers in regard to the foreign policy of England in her relations with Afghanistan. He stated that a satisfactory arrangement had been effected between Earl Kimberley, secretary for India, Baron de Sava, Russian minister at London, and M. Lesar, special Russian agent in London, in regard to the Afghan frontier.

AFGHANISTAN. -No sooner had Gladstone finished than the conservative opposition took within their power. This was led by Right Hon. George Francis Hamilton, member for Middlesex. Lord Hamilton being strongly pushed forward by the Tories. He opened the discussion for making an attack by moving the consideration of the amendment given notice of by Sir Stafford Northcote, the present Conservative leader in the Commons last Friday.

AFGHANISTAN. -The house having shown its readiness to vote supplies, refuse their assent until informed of the present policy and purposes for which the money to be granted is to be applied.

AFGHANISTAN. -After a spirited debate, in which Mr. Chamberlain, president of the board of trade, Henry G. Stanley, and the Marquis of Hartington participated, Gladstone moved a second reading of the consolidated fund bill (the \$55,000,000 credit). Lord George Hamilton's motion was rejected and Gladstone's carried.

AFGHANISTAN. -London, May 11. -Lord Hartington, secretary for war, stated in the Commons this afternoon that a decision had been rejected by the government in regard to the abandonment of the province of Khartoum. He said the government had resolved to make Wady Halfa the most advanced position as the permanent defence of Egypt. The British troops would be withdrawn as soon as the Nile rises. It is expected the rising will occur about the end of May. The withdrawal of troops involved the abandonment of the engagement to advance to Khartoum. This statement was received with cheers from the government benches. Efforts would be made to establish an administration in the province of Dongola and complete the Nile railway as a commercial enterprise.

time were written for our learning—St. Paul. They asked their wisest man by what means he had attained to such a degree of knowledge. He replied: "Whatever I did not know I was not ashamed to inquire about."—From the Persian. The words of the good are like a staff in a slippery place.—Hindu Sayings. In books we find the dead as if we were living; in books we foresee things to come. These are the masters who instruct us without rods and furies, without hard words and anger. If you approach them they are not asleep; if investigating you interrogate them, they conceal nothing; if you mistake them, they never grumble; if you are ignorant, they cannot laugh at you.—Richard D. Barry. It does not matter how many, but how good, books you have.—Seneca.

INVOCA-TION.—(By W. Roscoe). God of the changeful year! amidst the glow of strength and beauty and transcendent grace Which on the mountain-heights or deep below, In sheltered vales and such sequestered places, Thy forms of vegetable life assume; Whether thy pines, with giant arms displayed, Brave the cold north; or, wrapt in eastern gloom, Thy trackless forests sweep a world of shade; Or whether, scenting ocean's heaving breast, Thy odoriferous isles innumerable rise, Or under various lighter forms impress'd, Of fruits and flowers, Thy works delight our eyes, God of all life! whatever these forms may be, Oh, may they all unite in praising Thee!

Foreign Mission Receipts. Mrs. S. J. Manning, Treas. W. M. B. U., quarterly grant in aid, \$614 20 Dr. orders paid, 33 00 A Friend, for support of Venk's and girl, 15 00 E. M. Kierstead, proceeds sale of Year Book, 4 12 Missie Chaloner, Digby, 1 00 Rollingham Ch. per Rev. W. J. Stewart, 3 00 Portland Church, 8 60 Des. Robt. Elkin, Cumberland Hay, 5 00 A Friend, 1 00 Jas. Anderson, St. George, 1 00 Rev. M. A. King, 1 20 A Friend, King's Co., N. B., 2 00 Carleton Church, 8 60 J. M. MASON, Treas. F. M. B. U. St. John, May 12, 1885.

Convention Funds Received. Deerfield Church, instalment, \$4 30 Berwick Church, 17 00 North Sydney Church, P. M., 16 50 St. Mary's Church, instalment, 12 00 Masstown, Up. Londonderry, 6 00 Wm. Frizell, Esq., Mabou, 5 00 J. M. MASON, Q. R. DAT. Yarmouth, N. S., May 11, 1885.

Marriages. McLAUREN-SMITH.—At the residence of the bride's father, April 28, 1885, by Rev. A. L. Powell, Mr. John McLaren of Lower Argyle, Yarmouth, Co., and Miss Milla M. eldest daughter of J. M. Smith, of Barton, Digby Co., N. S. GENTLEMAN-WAY.—At Middleton, May 5th, by Rev. E. H. Sweet, Mr. T. Edward Quinlan and Miss Ida May Weaver, both of Victoria Vale, Annapolis Co., N. S. MENZIE-BROWN.—At New Ross Baptist Meeting House, April 28th, by Rev. S. J. Archibald, assisted by Rev. J. F. Kempton, Edward Freeman Meister, of New Ross, to Ida Vendora Brown, daughter of Mr. Henry Brown, of New Ross. BROWN-MORRIS.—At Welsford, Cornwall, on the 24th inst., by the Rev. E. O. Reed, Mr. John W. Brown, of Acadia College, and Miss Edna L. Morris, of Wolfville Seminary. TROOP-BALSER.—At Havelock, Knanspolis Co., on the 10th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. W. L. Parker, Mr. Joseph E. Troop, of Bear River, to Dora Balser of Havelock. HATFIELD-BARTON.—At the Parkmore, Boston, Mass., on the 25th March, by the Rev. Wm. A. Smith, G. Cory Hatfield, to Mary C. Barton, both of St. John, N. B.

Deaths. Cady.—In St. Paso, Ill., April 24th, Mrs. Augusta L. wife of Rev. E. C. Cady, in the 43rd year of her age. Deceased was born in Vermont, Feb. 11th 1842, was married Aug. 10th 1861, and lived almost immediately to Portland, St. John, where her husband had been settled as pastor for nearly two years. In Jan. 1864 she buried her sister Mary, and in Jan. 1865 her mother, both by death of consumption, as had her father and oldest brother before. In 1871 she went to Iowa with the family, on a visit to her husband's people. Here she labored with church at Washington, Port Madison, and Olinwood, spent a short time in Centennial agency work for Burlington University, returned to Roseville, Warren Co., Ill., in Oct. 1876 to Toulon, Stark Co., Nov. 1881, and to El Paso, Woodford Co., in March 1885. During all these years, by the aid of all these fields, she was a earnest, devoted, and faithful Christian, a wise, judicious helper to her husband in all his labors. In Portland she had charge for ten years of several large Bible classes of young ladies, the most of whom she saw converted and baptized, some of whom still see this notice and remember her labors. In all these fields of labor she made true friends and no enemies. In 1877 she began to show signs of being troubled with that old enemy, rheumatism, and with this and other diseases almost equally relentless, she struggled hard for life until, on Friday morning, April 24th, she gave up in the unequal contest, and bidding adieu to friends on earth, she passed on to meet those who had gone before her. She leaves a sorrowing husband and four children, three of whom are young ladies, Portland to mourn their loss, all of whom are members of the church and hope to meet her in heaven. By her purity of life, wisdom in council, faithfulness to church and family duties, and patience in suffer-

she has left to her family and all who knew her, a legacy of priceless nature. She had been in the new field but four weeks. The funeral services on Sunday afternoon were conducted by Rev. O. A. Williams of Galeburg, Ill., an old college school-mate of mine, Text, I. The. 4: 18, "Therefore comfort one another with these words: Weeping, service, and many acts of kindness on the part of friends here and elsewhere, were all that could be desired. E. C. Cady. McDONALD.—At Littleton, Little S. West, on the 6th inst. Harris, aged one month and two days, only child of John and Harriet A. McDonald. SIBLEY.—April 23rd, after a lingering illness, Maria, wife of William Sibley, for many years a consistent member of Lower St. P. P. Baptist Church. She is much missed and sincerely lamented by a large circle of friends and relatives. WRIGHT.—On May 3rd, Robert Wright, in the 72nd year of his age. He died in full hope, trusting in the Saviour. He was for many years connected with the Baptist Church in Lower St. John. HARRIS.—At Sheffield's Mills, April 27th, aged 51 years, Rebecca, eldest daughter of Rev. P. F. Murray, aged 55 years. She was a consistent member of the Baptist Church. Since coming to Milton she endeared herself to all by her amiable christian character. Her meek and quiet spirit did much to advance the religion which she professed. In the memory of the poor she will long live; as she delighted to bestow of her worldly substance to relieve the needy. Her funeral was largely attended, and the services were participated in by Rev. Mr. Johnston, (Congregational), Rev. J. W. Walls of Liverpool, as well as the pastor. The grace of God comforts and sustains Bro. Murray in this hour of sore trial, and the promises to which he has so faithfully adhered, now become a source of rest to his bereaved heart, also to that of his only daughter and child. Cow. BAKER.—At Westworth, Hants county, N. S., on May 1st Lelia A., aged 3 months, infant daughter of John and Alice Baker.

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