

General Booth and his Scheme.

Few persons in England or elsewhere seem now to doubt that General Booth will receive the sum for which he stipulates, as a condition of putting his great scheme of rescue into operation. If any one had predicted a few years ago that the Founder of the Salvation Army would one day write a book that would command the attention of the English-speaking world, and propound a project that would elicit the spontaneous sympathy and the liberal donations of men of every rank, class and creed in England, the prophecy would have been scouted as incredible and absurd. The explanation of the phenomenon is well given by an English exchange. It is not that philanthropists and Christians have become suddenly enamoured of the methods of the Salvation Army, but that everybody that has any conception of the appalling depths of misery and degradation which General Booth so graphically describes feels "that something great ought to be done, and that the man who essays to do it deserves to be helped." Those, and their name is legion, who cannot admire either the religious teachings or the devotional ritual of the new order, are bound to admit that Mr. Booth has displayed not only an almost unique genius for organization, but an understanding of the character and needs of the lower classes in England and elsewhere such as few men, whether religious teachers or ethical reformers, have ever displayed. His scheme is, as the *Spectator* says, "a good, big, honest scheme for going down to the bottom and reaching the lowest residuum." Nevertheless had the same scheme been propounded by almost any other living man, no matter how brilliant his talents, or how fervid his rhetoric, who had not previously proved himself possessed of the art of ruling with strict discipline, maintained through a lengthened period, large masses of men and women of the class his scheme is intended to reach, not only in Great Britain but in distant countries, it would have been received with coldness or derision. It is, of course, easy to conjure up many seemingly insuperable objections to the scheme itself, and almost to demonstrate the impossibility of anything like complete success. Notwithstanding, the feeling prevails that it can do no harm and may do incalculable good to give it a trial, and, as above intimated, it is a relief to those who have long groaned under a sense of helplessness in the presence of an evil so enormous in its kind and dimensions, to know that something on a large scale is to be tried and that they may help in making the trial. It is no small tribute to the moral impression which General Booth has made that no one seems to have any doubt of his integrity and fitness to be entrusted with the control of the large sum of money for which he so boldly asks. On the whole, it is not too much to say that the grandest scheme of the century, if not of any century, for the rescue of the submerged masses is about to be put in operation, and that that man or woman who does not at least desire to invest something in the experiment must be unenviably sceptical or callous.—*The Week.*

The weather is as warm as June at Medicine Hat, N. W. T., and lawn tennis is being indulged in at Souris, Man.

The Veterinary Society of Paris has resolved to treat a number of animals by the Koch system of inoculation, and to tabulate the results.

American speculators have bought up all the potatoes for sale in Nova Scotia, and the price has gone up from 35 to 50 cents a bushel.

Several Sioux warriors left Moosejaw Monday to join the Crees in their war dance. The mounted police will probably force them to return.

Gen. Miles has telegraphed to Gen. Schofield at Washington, from Rapid City, that all or nearly all of Sitting Bull's followers have been captured.

Sixty ladies of Cork have signed an address for presentation to Mr. Parnell, condemning his course and asking, in the name of Ireland's reputation for purity, that he retire from active public life.

Wolves, rabbits and gophers are causing much havoc in Kansas, and extraordinary bounties are offered by the government for scalps of the animals. The destruction has been so great as to impede the settlers.

John M. Young, son of the late Brigham Young, has concluded an agreement with B. C. Faurot, a banker of Lima, Ohio, whereby he comes into possession of 3,000,000 acres of land in northern Mexico, which he intends to settle with 1,000 Utah Mormons.

Rev. J. Carry, D. D., of the Anglican Church, Port Perry, dropped dead in the street on Monday. He was on his way to administer the sacrament to an aged parishioner. It is supposed he ruptured a blood vessel. The deceased was an able writer, and was regarded as one of the best informed men in the Church which he loved and served faithfully to the end. Deceased was in his 62th year.

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\$3,400. 100 acres, 85 cleared, 15 bush, brick house and bank barn, market town with railway 5 miles, village near.

\$3,800. 100 acres, 90 cleared, 10 bush, large fresh water lake in boundary at back end, good house and barn, market town with railway 5 miles.

\$6,000. 205 acres, 90 cleared, rest hardwood, house and barn, a village 2 miles, market town with railway 7 miles.

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Fenelon Falls, Dec. 2nd, 1890.