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NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

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A DAILY THOUGHT.

This world will never adjust
itself
To suit your whims to the
letter;
Some things must go wrong
your whole life long,
And the sooner you know it
the better.
It is folly to fight with the
Infinite,
And go under at last in the
wrestle,
The wiser man shapes into
God's plan
As the water shapes into the
vessel.

Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

THE CHURCH TAKES HOLD.

(Montreal Herald.)

The fact that the world moves is continually being borne in upon us. It seldom gives a more striking exemplification than in the words of the Rev. Dr. Campbell, and the resolution of the Montreal Presbytery yesterday concerning sporting organizations within the church.

Ten years ago, as Dr. Campbell remarked, it would have been impossible for him, or indeed for most Presbyterian clergymen, to have approved or tolerated the idea of the formation of sporting clubs in connection with the church. To-day the whole conception of the social relation of the church has changed. No one suggests now that it is beneath the dignity of an organization constituted mainly for the worship of God to employ its powers for any number of worldly undertakings, provided that they subserve the main purpose. Furthermore, we are getting a very broad idea of what does subserve the worship of God, and pretty nearly anything that tends to make men better and more honorable and more earnest and more courageous is included in the definition.

Ten years ago a church hockey club would have horrified the elders of every Presbyterian church in Canada. A decade or more before that again, the erection of an organ for the beautifying of public worship was having the same effect. There is no need to accuse the churches of inconsistency because of these changes; but the spectacle that is presented when one looks back over a considerable period of religious development is such as should make even the most conservative of men feel very tender and considerate for those who seem now to be a long way from the main body of the religious world. Who knows but that they may be the pioneers of such a change as these of the past? What did the conservative men of ten years ago think of the first pastors who inaugurated church baseball clubs?

BRAVE METHODIST BISHOPS

After nearly half a century two deeds of bravery by theological students, then attending Northwestern university, may be rewarded. The students are now Bishops Chas. H. Fowler of New York and Jos. C. Hartzell, missionary bishop of Africa, both of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Congressman Geo. E. Foss of Chicago has introduced a bill in the American congress authorizing the secretary of the treasurey to award gold medals to the two bishops. Bishop Hartzell displayed great heroism in saving several lives in the wreck of the schooner Storm, off Evanston in 1864. Bishop Fowler saved several lives when the steamer Lady Elgin was wrecked at the same point in 1860. Their action resulted in the establishment od the student-manned life saving station at that point.

Harztell swam out to the stranded Storm carrying a line, by means of which four sailors were later brought safely ashore.

Fowler, an excellent swimmer, personally saved three persons from drowning by swimming out in the storm-tossed lake and towing them ashore after they had been washed off the Lady Elgin. There has never been any official recognition of their deeds.

IMPROVED ON SOLOMON.

In a certain Sunday school a little girl told the story of Solomon and the disputing mothers in this wise; "Solomon was a very wise man. One day two women went to him, quarreling about a baby. One woman said, 'This is my child,' and the other woman said, "No, 'taint; it's mine." But Solomon spoke up and said; "No, no, ladies; don't quarrel. Give me my sword, and I'll make twins of him, so you can both have one.'"

SCIENCE AND RELIGION.

New York, March 2.—Prediction that 100 years hence the island of Manhattan will be a foreign missionary field, to which a Christian church will be sending workers, was made by Dr. Charles Jefferson in his tenth anriversary sermon at the Broadway tabernacle, the oldest Congregational church in the United States.

"While the church has filled with doubts and fears," he said, "there has been an ever deepening estrangement between the church and large classes of our population. It is a world-wide phenomenon. Philosophy and science have shaken religious faith. Socialism has made tremendous strides in every christian country and the end is not yet.

"Manhattan island is more and more the Paris of pleasure-seekers and the London of business; it is more and more a foreign city. Of our population, the Roman Catholic church claims 930,000; there are at least 600,000 non-christians; leaving a Protestant remnant of only 720,000, which is 50,000 less than it was twenty years ago. Only the smallest fraction of these 720,000 nominal Protestants have any connection with the churches!"

OUR RELATION TO GOD.

(W. J. Bryan.)

We all have some conception of God, and our relation to him and in proportion as it is a true one, it molds our lives for good. There is nothing in this world that so largely determines a man's life as this relation which he established with God. We are weak enough at best, and there is an immeasurable gulf between the strength of a man who does right because he thinks others are watching him, and the strength of the man who does right because he knows God is seeing him all the time. For the former the time will come when he thinks that he is not seen, and then he will fall. But if a man believes that the eye of God is always on him, he has the strength and support that he cannot have who disbelieves in the existence of a personal God.

INTERESTING FIGURES.

Dr. H. K. Carroll, for a couple of decades, has annually published statistics which indicate the numerical strength and growth of the various Protestant churches of the United States. There are five denominations which number more than one million; Methodists, 6,660,784; Baptists, 5,224,305; Lutherans, 2,022,605; Presbyterians, 1,821,504; Disciples, 1,285,123. The net gains of these denominations during the year were as follows; Baptists, 103,358; Methodists, 101,696; Lutherans 65,172; Presbyterians, 49,627; Disciples, 20,365.

"The other denominations which come nearest to these in point of numbers are the Congregationalists, with 699,327 members, and with a net gain for the year of 2,604; and the Episcopalians, with 830,659 members, with a net loss of 15,633 members.

AT THE CHURCHES LAST SUNDAY

Evening Post of March 9

CAMBRIDGE-ST. METHODIST.

Last evening Dr. Bishop, pastor of the Cambridge-st. Methodist, took his text from the 46th verse of the 24th chapter of Matthew. He said he felt, from watching the great events of the day and seeing the vast improvements that have come to pass lately, and the very perfect state of civilization we have reached, that we are drawing a great deal nearer the end of this age than the bulk of mankind realizes. Jesus urged us to prepare for this great event, of which there is a certainty as to fact, but a great uncertainty as to time. Therefore, it is a wisdom on the part of all to be prepared, as all must give an account of their lives.

Multitudes think of death, rather than the judgment they must meet after death, and plans to fashion their lives so that they can live as they like, and at the last moment make their peace with God and gain everlasting life. It will not work. We must be able to give a good account of our whole life from the cradle to the grave, of our whole life conduct, of our character. The character of our life determines the quality of our destiny. Whatever is not done before death closes in, cannot be done after, therefore we should pray that God will make us appreciate the uncertainty of life's length.

Is it wise for a man, aware he is a sinner, to put off thinking of death and of the manner of his life. We should be able to hail death with joy instead of fear.

Everwyhere we see men who satisfy themselves with that which has the appearance of righteousness, but has not its essential elements, until at the closing hour they see they grasped a bubble and the mask of their uprighteousness slips away. Can anything be more clear than the scripture's statement of what constitutes true godliness? We should watch all the time for the end of things will come when men are thinking of other things.

AT ST. MARY'S.

Rev. Fr. Collins celebrated high mass at St. Mary's yesterday. Ven. Archdeacon Casey was present, to the great delight of the large congregation present. He read the epistle and gospel for the first Sunday in Lent, the latter being according to St. Matthew, iv. chapter, verses 1-11. After a brief reference to the pleasure it gave him to be amongst the people once more with health restored, Fr. Casey read several pastoral letters from the Bishop of Peterborough, promulgating the Lenten regulations and Papal edict concerning engagements and marriage. The Lenten regulations are;

1. Every day in Lent is a fast day with the exception of Sunday.
2. The use of flesh meat is allowed at the meals on Sunday, and at the principal meal on all Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, with the exception of the Saturday of Ember week and Holy Saturday.
3. Fish and flesh cannot be used at the same meal, not even on Sundays during Lent.
4. All persons who have reached the age of twenty-one are bound to fast unless exempt by their confessor.
5. Persons who have completed their sixtieth year are exempt from fasting, as well as sick persons, and those whose work is too laborious to allow them to fast, but permission must be obtained in such cases from their confessor.
6. Persons exempt from fasting are asked to make some amends by reciting prayers and giving alms.

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"And was she whipped when she was little?"

"Yes."

"Well, who started it, anyway?"

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COMMERCIAL FORM—SENIORS

Spelling.—A. Preston 74, I. Richardson 64, H. Duck 64, L. Armstrong 62, H. Moynes 56, G. Jobbitt 54, F. Hutton 50, W. Gray 30. Absent - H. Thurston, R. Broad.

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FORM II.

History.—O. Williams 82, M. Flett 79, H. Burn 78, N. Nesbitt 74, J. Harcus 72, A. Stewart 72, W. A. Marshall 71, S. Sinclair 70, J. B. Parker 70, C. N. Haugh 69, J. McDougall 66, J. O'Neill 66, F. Touchburn 65, L. Clarke 64, G. Phelps 62, D. Edwards 56, S. Newton 56, O. Anderson 55, M. Nicolson 53, G. McLaughlin 51, A. Greer 51, F. Pratt 50, J. Graham, 50, L. Stacey 50, N. Rich 47, B. Jackson 46, W. R. Johnson 43, G. Vrooman 41, H. Richardson 40, M. E. Fisher 38, E. Tompkins 35, J. C. Spratt 33, H. Burton 32, H. Hogg 29, O. Stewart 26. Absent—R. Williamson, G. Rogers, F. Brokenshire.

FORM IIIB

Ancient History.—W. K. Anderson 75, Henry Philp 75, Merritt Knowlson 64, De Willett Puffer 65, Evelyn Graham 65, Helen Flavelle 63, Ralph Hardy 61, W. G. Fallis 60, Wilfred Knowlson 60, Hugh McLaughlin 55, Grace Mitchell 55, Joe Bishop 54, Lucile Koyl 54, Rowena Fallis 52, Cecil Nugent 52, Leo Rogers 52, Victor Bailey 52, Willard Fallis 45, Elsie McEachern 44, Peter Spratt 44, May Tolmie 44, John Murphy 43, Orial James 42, Chas. Sutcliffe 40, Melville Brokenshire 34, Roy Wilson 29, Muriel Mark 25, Annie Patton 23, Mila Webster 22, Louie Wood (taken sick) 16. Absent — Miss Cinnamon, Miss O'Loughlin, Miss Peel, Miss Miller, Jas. Killogly.

FORM IIIA

English History.—F. Reed 91, E. Kerr 90, Julia Murphy 86, J. Flavelle 85, W. Spence 85, E. Macdonald 84, A. Nokes 81, D. Lamb 76, N. Davey 73, V. Preston 72, J. Parker 71, M. Pepper 70, I. Lytle 69, A. Richardson 69, M. Cinnamon 68, Z. Suggitt 67, M. Naylor 65, N. Peel 65, M. Jordan 63, J. Greer 62, Jas. Murphy 61, C. Graham 61, E. Maybee 60, D. McQuarrie 58, V. Sproule 55, L. Whiteside 54, V. Teevin 53, J. O'Connell 53, J. Graham 52, W. Suggitt 49, S. Minthorne 42. Absent—F. Callaghan.

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