

## "I Suffered Intense Pains in My Left Side."

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## LAST DAY AT ST. MARK'S

OF REV. A. H. MCGREE, THE ENERGETIC RECTOR.

Who Goes as Curate to Christ's Church Cathedral, Montreal—Barriefield Loses an Enthusiastic Clergyman.

St. Mark's, Barriefield, in the years gone by has been honored with many rectors, some of whom now hold high positions in the church, but none of his predecessors have been missed more than will be the present young clergyman, who has ended his service in the church on Barriefield Heights. As the new assistant of Christ church cathedral, Montreal, Rev. A. H. McGree will undoubtedly prove his ability and worth, and his departing theme, while greatly regretted, is looked upon as only another step in a brilliant career. During his rectorship of two years and a half at Barriefield the parish has prospered along all lines, and he has endeared himself in the hearts of both young and old.

At Sunday morning services holy communion was celebrated, and Mr. McGree left a parting message to his parishioners. He preached a simple but very impressive sermon from St. Matthew, xxvi, 33: "Though all men shall be offended by me, yet will I never be offended." St. Peter, a man confident of himself, and greatly loving his Lord, had fallen and denied his allegiance to the Christ three times because accused by a servant in the high priest's court. Peter fell mostly because of the circumstances.

The preacher said that the fall of man to-day is often for the same reason. Men, who in private life uphold all that is right, enter politics making the resolution that because others have fallen they never will. Many young men, when their life work is opening up, begin to think home too tame, and, disregarding their parents, seek pleasure in other places. Associated with bad companions they begin to gamble, drink and live lives of impunity, disregarding their home and church training, but still thinking they will never sink where others have.

But look at the change in Peter when the great test came. He championed and died as a martyr for the cause of Christ. The only way for us to be safe is to faithfully ask God for grace and strength and we will be able to withstand all temptations.

In closing Mr. McGree said he could not leave a more blessed message than to urge all to ask God for grace and strength in all things. Remember that we are members of the church of God.

During the next three months the parish will have no permanent rector and he asked that nothing be allowed to dampen the enthusiasm of the parish.

After reading the announcements the retiring clergyman thanked the congregation for its parting gift to him and said that while he hoped he had been of some help to the parish his brief pastorate had been a great blessing to him.

Mr. McGree was presented with a purse of gold Saturday evening, by the churchwardens, as an evidence of

the congregation's appreciation of his labors among them. Mr. McGree leaves on Monday evening for Deseronto to visit his father, and will go to his new work in Montreal about the middle of the week.

### DULLED BY IMPURE AIR.

#### Importance of Ventilation in School Rooms Now Recognized.

Youth's Companion.

In an address delivered not long ago, the health commissioner of Chicago, speaking on the subject of ventilation in schools, said that although good ventilation is important for everyone at every age, it is never so necessary as during the school year.

All through these years the body is growing and maturing rapidly, and physical habits are being established. Since whatever material is formed in this time will have to do duty throughout the years of adult life, it is a bad time to make material that is below the standard.

The human body may be compared to a garment. It will stand a great deal of rough wear and tear if it is made of good material; but if it is made of shoddy, it will grow shabby and wear out quickly, no matter how well it is cared for. That is why the care of children in their early years is so important—it is time to make material that will stand the wear and tear of later life.

Children, who in the school years are subjected to unavoidable strain, do not always show the effect immediately; but years afterward, when they display small power of recuperation, little resistance to disease, and great susceptibility to fatigue, they are paying for the injustice to which they were submitted in the past.

It has been scientifically proved that children do not do well in badly ventilated schoolrooms. They are likely to be pale, nervous and subject to headache; they catch cold easily, and take little interest in their studies. After the windows have been opened, and the temperature has been lowered, and the air made fresh and moist, the same children, in the same room, with the same teacher, will be different creatures; not only healthier and freer from colds and headaches, but more alert, interested, and ready for their lessons.

The reports from the schools where this particular experiment has been made, and the results carefully noted, declare that the change in the mental capacity and the power of the children to apply themselves, was more marked than the physical change for the better, although, that, too, was great.

The health commissioner divides the harm done by poor ventilation into two kinds—the quick-acting or air-borne infections, and the slow-acting or air-caused conditions. Among the former he places influenza, colds, cerebrospinal meningitis and various infections, such as scarlet fever, diphtheria and measles. Among the latter he places drowsiness, mental slowness, nose, anemia, chorea and irritability.

### Thunderstorms Unknown.

Pearson's Weekly.

Thunderstorms never occur in the Arctic regions, and even the north of Scotland very seldom suffers from such a visitation. She means you get to the equator the more frequent and severe are the electric manifestations. In parts of Central Africa the average of thunderous days rises to the astonishing total of 250 days per annum. Yet there are curious exceptions. In Java and Sumatra, both intensely hot climates, there are but ninety-two storms yearly, and in Borneo only fifty.

The gold coast of Africa has only sixty a year, which is less than occurs in Florida, though the latter country is outside the tropics.

In Jemima there is a thunderstorm every day during the rainy season, which lasts for five months. These storms almost always occur between midday and three in the afternoon.

Perhaps the most astonishing fact with regard to thunderstorms is that the island of Mauritius, which is only 550 miles east of Madagascar, has on an average, only one thunderstorm in eighty years. Yet in Madagascar the lightning is more destructive than anywhere else in the world.

### What Would You Do?

Dr. C. H. Parkhurst, the eloquent New York clergymen, at a recent banquet, said of charity:

"Too many of us, perhaps, misinterpret the meaning of charity as the Master misinterpreted the scriptural text. This master, a pillar of western church, entered in his journal:

"Scripture cautions that, 'If a man take away thy coat, let him have thy cloak also.' Today, having caught the hooligan stealing my potato-sack, I have given him the sack."

Lippincott's.

### There Are Others.

Two lunatics conversed in the asylum yard. One had megalomania. Said he: "Had they not locked me up here it would have been a second Napoleon."

Thoughtfully the other contemplated a pegleg devil on the asylum wall, then remarked: "The second Napoleon wasn't much shucks."

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