

TEMPERANCE SUNDAY

PULPITS OCCUPIED BY 190 MISSION ALLIANCE MEN.

Dean Bidwell Presided at the Afternoon Meeting in the Orpheum Theatre—Strong Address Delivered.

Sunday was Dominion Alliance field day in the city and many of the pulpits in the churches were filled by some of the strong men of that body from Toronto. All spoke strongly on the work the Alliance is doing, especially in Ontario, and emphasized its war against the drink traffic.

Rev. W. S. McFavish, Ph.D., until a few months ago minister of Cooke's Presbyterian church, and now field secretary of the Alliance, for Ontario, was the preacher in Chalmers church in the morning, and conducted the evening service in his old church on Brock street.

The congregation of the First Baptist church listened with rapt attention to Controller J. O. McCarthy, of Toronto, at the morning service, and

he also spoke in Brock street Methodist church in the evening.

Joseph Gibson, of Ingersoll, president of the Dominion Alliance, preached in Queen street Methodist church at the morning service.

At holy communion in St. George's cathedral, Canon Starr preached on "The Drink Question." Rev. W. P. Fitzgerald preached along the same line in St. Paul's church also. Rev. Prof. Hallam, of Wycliffe College, Toronto, was in St. Luke's church at morning prayer. Rev. Dr. Ross, of Toronto, was in the First Congregational church in the morning, and Mr. Duggan, another Alliance man, was the special representative of the Alliance in Princess street Methodist church also in the morning.

Meeting at the Orpheum. "Mr. Dean, if every member of the Anglican church in Ontario would stand as you have stated your position with regard to the liquor traffic this afternoon, we would kill the business in two years."

The above were the words spoken by Controller J. O. McCarthy, of Toronto, when referring to his pleas-

ure at seeing Dean Bidwell in the chair, and his appreciation of the chairman's remarks at the mass meeting in the Orpheum theatre in the afternoon.

Before calling on Controller McCarthy for an address Dean Bidwell said he heartily congratulated the city upon the success of the recent license reduction campaign. He realized that this reform could not be rushed, but was a matter for education.

The dean stated that as the saloons were being closed up he hoped something would be put in their place, to cater to that class which is satisfied to a certain extent by the bar-room. And he hoped that the Alliance would see that the law was observed. The dean said, in no uncertain terms, that while some of our methods for the suppression of this traffic are varied in nature, the supreme purpose was one—the abolition of the bar from our midst.

"Now is the time," said he, "when our country is young and our national life and habits are being formed."

He said the reason the liquor traffic was so difficult to deal with in England was because it had become so deeply rooted for centuries back.

Controller McCarthy, in a short address, spoke strongly on the work of the Alliance in Ontario. He, a man in public affairs, came face to face with the result of the drink curse daily—the neglected child, the insane, the dependent old, and the numerous dens of vice. It was very often discouraging, and seemed hopeless, but for the work the Alliance—a band of God-fearing men and women. He has raised up to successfully battle against the sin.

The controller said he felt with the chairman, that something must be done to put some of the worst corrupting influences in our national life. He spoke of the advance the temperance wave is making in the province, and said when abolishing the traffic we provided cheer for the homes, making and protecting good men and women, giving the army of children, at least, a fair chance, and discharging our duty to our God.

Joseph Gibson, president of the alliance, in his own inimitable bright, conversational manner, followed Controller McCarthy. When speaking of the conditions in the old law, he said the expenditure of \$800,000,000 in drink was almost inconceivable. Lloyd-George is crowded on all sides with questions, religious, political and commercial, which cry for immediate adjustment, and is at his wit's end to meet all demands, and will continue to be so, as long as the English people are foolish enough to spend that much money yearly in drink.

Mr. Gibson said he had, about two years ago, heard an able man, Mr. Mitchell, speaking at about 4000 labor men in Massey hall, Toronto, and he told them very forcibly three things

in the barroom was doing in their midst: It was the deadly enemy of the working man; it is a burden upon him, and it is a withering blight upon his home. Mr. Gibson very ably enlarged upon this. He touched on a policy which the government had once had regarding the placing of duty on wearing apparel, and said, whether it worked out satisfactorily or not was not the question, but, "Men, I come to you with a better policy than that, one that grits and tories can agree upon—protect the boy inside the coat."

All through Mr. Gibson was very humorous, but, in closing, very earnestly said he did not believe local option would stop drinking altogether, but it was a step in the right direction, a shackling, as it were.

The attendance was very good. The boys' choir of St. George's cathedral was present and assisted greatly in the singing. C. S. B. Harvey sang a fitting solo.

Only Half Awake to Curse.

Declaring that the people of the Church of England were only half awake to the curse caused by the use of intoxicants in the dominion, and that before Christian work can be effectually done abroad, our "own back yards must be cleaned up."

Prof. Hallam, of Wycliffe College, Toronto, very forcibly closed his sermon on intemperance in St. Luke's church, Sunday morning. The text was in Romans xv-1: "We then that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, considering that convictions for drunkenness, according to statistics, have increased, in proportion to the increase in population, 140 per cent. during the past ten years in Canada, and that convictions for all other evils combined by 120 per cent. for some decade, the people of the dominion must realize that this problem has to be faced, and solved, within the next few years if our individual and national life is to be spared for the best things."

The curse of intemperance not only affects the individual citizen, but he is responsible as a citizen or as a father and mother, and ruining the body, but it introduces into the national life an element harmful in the extreme.

When we know that seven-eighths of the licenses are for bar-rooms, we are reducing the number of the trouble is seated there. There the best instincts of a man's nature are made the instruments with which to pull him down through the treating system.

In speaking of abolishing the bar, Prof. Hallam said he did not believe there was any logical connection. The preacher said he did not believe prohibition would stop drinking, for that will never be altogether stopped, but people who live in local option towns and cities, who are at least, positive to say, in no uncertain voice tell us it has reduced the excessive use of the stuff wonderfully.

The professor remarked that some people say: "Well, the government sanctions the business, and puts its seal upon it." At some lecture the preacher showed how the liquor license acts were full of prohibitory clauses. It restricts the manufacture of the stuff, the retail seller of it, the hours it may be sold in, those to whom it is sold, those who sell it, and stops its distribution on many holidays. He said the government, instead of commenting on the traffic, by its seal and act, shows its disapproval of it and its attempt to control its distribution.

Saturday Night Runaway.

Saturday evening, at about 9.30 o'clock, when Princess street was crowded with people, a horse attached to a cutter came dashing along Montreal street. It ran along the road until it came to the Windsor hotel lane, and then took to the sidewalk. Then a large crowd gathered, thinking that it had been injured. The runaway continued on along Montreal street and down Brock.

Brock Street Methodist Vote.

The vote on church union in Brock Street Methodist church is not yet complete, but on Sunday the membership vote stood eight to one for union, and the official board vote eleven to one in favor.

Kingston Ladies' Musical Club.

On Saturday afternoon a most delightful programme was rendered at the Kingston Ladies' Musical Club, held in Convocation hall. The programme included vocal solos by Miss Hazel Massey; piano duet by Miss Donnelly and Miss Elder; vocal solos, Miss Edith Orser; piano solos, Miss Mamie Tierney; vocal solos, Mrs. E. J. McLellan; piano solos, Miss Bessie Dolan.

Considering Union Carefully.

The vote on church union will be taken from the members of Sydenham Street Methodist church on Sunday, March 17th, and until Sunday, March 24th. The question is being carefully considered by the members of the church. The pastor devoted his Sunday morning address to this subject. The Wesleyan Club will discuss it at its session next Sunday.

St. Patrick's Day Parade.

There will be a parade of the local Catholic societies next Sunday morning to St. Mary's cathedral, in honor of St. Patrick's day. The parade will be headed by the R.C.H.A. band. Rev. Father Jones, Redemptorist, Toronto, will preach the St. Patrick's sermon at high mass.

Here During Passion Week.

Rev. Walter Simpson, of All Hallows, Barking, England, who is to preach the Lenten mission in St. George's cathedral, has arrived in Canada. He will preach in St. James' cathedral, Toronto, and will come to Kingston in Passion Week.

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LAST OF THE MEETINGS

BY EVANGELIST YATMAN IN BETHEL CHURCH.

The Services on Sunday Were Well Attended—The Evangelist Made Stirring Appeals.

The last day of the Yatman evangelistic services was Sunday. The services were of a farwelling nature. Mr. Yatman made a last appeal to the un-saved to turn and accept Christ.

A men's meeting was held in the afternoon. Mr. Yatman has proved himself especially good in dealing with men, and the afternoon meeting was well attended.

The text of the preacher was printed on a screen with an accompanying illustration. The screen showed two roads diverging from a cross, and ending in a large circle, which represented eternity. The text was from Matthew vii, 13 and 14: "Wide is the gate, and broad is the way that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereto."

"Strait is the gate and narrow is the way which leadeth unto life, and few there be that find it."

The speaker showed the great necessity of using our time well. Our lives here were not long and we should "make hay while the sun shines." He said it was not hard to be busy but we should be engaged in right things.

If we plant in the spring we harvest in the fall, and the crops committed in a moment may grow a harvest of misery through a whole life.

God wants to make us good and keep us so. Who has not thought of space and God and man and wondered what does it all mean. What is man? Whether bound? As instinct tells the bird in autumn that summer is in the wind, and tells it truly, conscience tells us that there is a hereafter and conscience speaks truly. God only can tell us what is in the hereafter.

The doorway at the end of each path is death. It comes to saint and sinner alike. If we have decided in favor of the cross we are on the narrow road. If we refused Him we are on the broad road. At the end of one road eternal happiness; at the end of the other eternal torment.

Mr. Yatman made an earnest plea that men should follow the narrow path. It was not the easiest but the best and manliest.

The final farewell service was held in the evening, at which the appeal of the afternoon was repeated.

Mr. Yatman is forced by his delicate condition to give up active service for a while. He is recovering from a stroke of paralysis and is obliged to take a rest. He hopes in the near future to make a missionary trip around the world.

The offerings of the Sunday services are to be devoted to this work. The meetings at Bethel church have been well attended and it is believed that much good has been done.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hopper, Morrisburg, have celebrated the fifty-fifth anniversary of their marriage.

Rev. John Hay has resigned the pastorate of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Renfrew.

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PLAYS AT THE GRAND. "The Stampede" Will be Produced on Wednesday. There are few plays that can come back, especially after only a month's absence, but through popular acclaim, "The Stampede" will be again seen at the Grand Opera House next Wednesday. There are few more beautiful scenes on the stage to-day than "Early morning on a mesa of the Arizona desert," and for stage realism very few scenes approach the stampede scene from which the play takes its name. Mr. Branigan arranged with Mr. Delamater for this return engagement, because there was many theatre-goers who wanted to see "The Stampede." He has also arranged a cheaper scale of prices and this almost assured a crowded house.

"Beverly of Granstark." Miss Justina Wayne, who is perhaps the youngest-leading lady in America playing a star part this season, has been very enthusiastically received as Beverly Calhoun in A. G. Delamater and William Norris' production of "Beverly of Granstark" will be seen at the Grand on Saturday, March 16th, matinee and night. Five more guards are required at the penitentiary. Still more work for President Milo's executive. Miss Lydia J. Arnold died at Smith's Falls, on Saturday, aged sixty-seven years.

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