

THE LATE "GRAND OLD MAN"

HE WAS AN IDEAL CHRISTIAN STATESMAN.

Rev. J. B. Silcox's Discourse on Gladstone's Life and Character.

A large audience gathered at the Congregational Church Sunday evening to hear Rev. Silcox's sermon on "The Grand Old Man." The sermon, which was an hour and a quarter long, was listened to with deepest interest throughout.

In the course of his sermon he said that the higher an individual rises in character, in culture, in human achievement, the higher all others may rise. A great man like Gladstone does not belong to any one race or age. He belongs to universal humanity. Gladstone has lifted the world to a higher conception of individual and national grandeur. God and nature ordained him from the first for distinguished service. The best blood of Scotland flowed in his veins. His home training, as well as his education at Eton and Oxford, was of the highest excellence. To natural and inherited gifts he added the closest diligence and devotion to mental and moral equipment. He seemed to take all knowledge for his province. He cultivated his powers to the highest reach, and devoted them to the noblest service. He realized that rank imposes obligation, like a knight of God, he went forth redressing human wrong. His life from early manhood to old age has been intellectually and morally a high tableland without depression. His lengthening years have been one growing splendor, and dying he has left behind a "lusty name" a light, a landmark on the cliffs of fame.

The pure and lofty poetry that dominated his soul and illumined his career is an inheritance of priceless worth. It is an ideal that has inspired in the night, and in the day, the Olympian heights of reverence, faith and immortality. Such sovereign souls as he reveal the almost infinite reach and range of human possibility.

Gladstone in a conspicuous and convincing manner has shown that the highest success and most enduring fame are won by adhesion to Christian principle. He was pre-eminently the Christian statesman. He believed and acted on the belief that the principles taught by Jesus were workable and practicable in the realm of politics. He based his appeals on the righteousness of the measure he championed. He appealed to the intelligence and the conscience of men. He knew that nothing could be politically right that was morally wrong. His statecraft was the rule of Christ. He was wise enough to see that man could no more successfully legislate against the moral laws of the universe than against the principle of gravitation or the movement of the tides. In the House of Commons and on the political platforms he stood up with his superior wisdom and pleaded for the recognition and supremacy of truth, justice and right in the affairs of the State. From first to last he was guided by Christian principle, in political as well as in his personal life.

Gladstone devoted his regal gifts to the service of humanity. His sympathies went out to the common people. He had a passion for philanthropy. The finest intellect of this century was his, and he consecrated it to the education and elevation of those who filled the humbler walks of life. Every cause that worked for the betterment of the people enlisted his eloquent advocacy. His great brain thought for those who could not think for themselves; his eloquent voice pleaded for the dumb; his strong right arm fought for and lifted up those who were oppressed. He kept close to the common people all his life through. He began life a

Tory, but ended it the advanced leader of the democracy. He knew that the throne, to be secure, must be broad, based upon the people's will. The extension of the franchise was in the interests of stable and progressive government.

Gladstone's career emphasizes the truth that the highest manhood and the noblest service is begotten and nurtured by Christian faith. The world knows that William Ewart Gladstone was a Christian in faith, in character and in conduct. He was deeply read in the world's best literature, but above all books he placed the Bible. The church of God was dear to him. In its courts he was found every Lord's Day a reverent worshiper. He kept holy the Sabbath day. On one occasion he gave this testimony to the value of this day of rest and worship: "I have always been a vigorous worker, and long and busy life to the Sabbath day with its blessed surcease of toil."

The preacher appealed to men to give religion and worship a large place in their thought and life. In closing, he said that the career of Gladstone emphasized the highest and eternal truth that the highest achievement of man is character. The world honors Gladstone not for his learning or eloquence or statesmanship, but first and mainly for his superb manhood. Through sixty years of public service he wore the white flower of a blameless life. "Young men," said the preacher, "you cannot hope to be so widely read in the world's literature as was he, or be called to such eminent station, but you may be as pure in heart, and noble in aim. Fame is a steep which few may climb, but duty, conscience and loyalty to high ideals may be the possession of all."

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

SYLLABI. (Sac., No. 457 - In Bank-Filed May 26, 1898.)

In the matter of William F. Moss, an incompetent person. Motion to dismiss appeal denied.

Sections 1703 and 1704, C. C. P., do not provide for a mere adjudication of incompetency; the thing to be done by the court is the appointment of a guardian for the incompetent person. And Section 963, C. C. P., expressly provides that an appeal may be taken from a judgment or order granting or refusing to grant letters of guardianship.

No judgment or order of a Superior Court is final when an appeal from it is duly pending.

Section 372, C. C. P., does not apply to a case where the very question involved in the validity of the order of guardianship itself, and where the appeal is taken directly from that order. It applies only to a case where the order of guardianship has been finally established.

(L. A., No. 360 - Department One-Filed May 21, 1898.)

The People, respondent; Louis Montaral, appellant. Grand larceny. Affirmed.

Where the owner puts his property into the hands of another to do some act in relation to it, it is sufficient that at the time of the burning another person was rightfully in possession of, or was actually occupying, such building, or any part thereof.

If certain acts constitute arson in all other respects, the crime committed is arson, whether the motive be gain, or revenge, or any other kind of malicious mischief.

Coronado water, Stockton sarsaparilla and iron, champagne cider, ginger ale, orange cider. J. McMorry, agent.

TO-DAY, 9:30 A. M. Special Sale of Women's Cambric and Muslin Underwear, Summer Corsets and Children's Dresses.

Lot I.—Our Choicest Nightgowns Greatly Reduced. A review of our gown stock shows many of the \$2.00 up to the \$6.50 kinds to have been missed by handling. One washing will remedy the marred looks. The garments are made of some of the choicest material. Original designs that will strongly appeal even to the most exacting. The sewing, or operator's work, will rival the best home efforts. Formerly priced at \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00 to \$6.50. Tuesday's reduced prices: \$1.28, \$1.38, \$1.68, \$1.98, \$2.88, \$2.98, \$3.98.

Lot VI.—Lace Gown, 88c. Women's cambric gown, very elaborate yoke of Maltese lace and insertion. The joining of lace is strengthened by finishing head. Buttons at side instead of down the front. Tuesday's Price, 88c.

Lot VII.—Elaborately Lace Trimmed Drawers, 78c. Made of fine cambric. Wide flounce bottom of 2 rows insertion, edged with matched lace 2 inches wide. Regular price \$1.25. Tuesday's Price, 78c.

Lot VIII.—Women's Muslin Drawers, 14c. Good quality soft-finished muslin drawers, cut full width, well made, and finished with 4 narrow tucks. Tuesday's Price, 14c.

Lot IX.—Children's Gingham Dresses, 22c. These children's dresses are made of good gingham. Have short yoke and large pointed collar, trimmed with wash braid. Come in neat plaid patterns. Sizes 1, 2, 3 and 4 years. Very suitable for ordinary wear, or on the beach. Tuesday's Price, 22c.

Lot X.—White Summer Corsets, 27c. White ventilated corsets, well boned, well modeled and neatly trimmed. Full line of sizes. Tuesday's Price, 27c Each.

Lot V.—Embroidery Gown, 58c. Women's muslin gown, square cut yoke of tucks and embroidery insertion. Large rolling collar, edged with neat embroidery 1 inch wide. Cut full size and length. Tuesday's Price, 58c.

Lot III.—Lace Drawers, 39c. Made of good quality soft-finished cambric, a material just suited for summer wear. Finished with 4-inch lawn ruffle, and edged with pretty washable lace 2 inches wide. Measure 36 inches wide at the top, and have yoke band. Sewing carefully done. Tuesday's Price, 39c Each.

Lot II.—Lace Trimmed White Skirt, 58c. White skirts are much worn now. Here is uncommon value. Made of good wearing muslin. Fullest cambric flounce, 11 inches wide, edged with desirable lace 2 1/2 inches wide. Width at bottom, 100 inches. Tuesday's Price, 58c.

Lot IV.—White Skirts, 48c. Made of strong muslin, soft in finish, with 12-inch hemstitched flounce measuring 100 inches wide. Tuesday's Price, 48c.

Lot VI.—Fireproof stone stew kettles, with wire bale handles, in 4 quart and 6 quart sizes. These kettles can be placed directly on top of the fire—will stand all kinds of heat. Will boil or stew much quicker than metal kettles, and retain heat much longer. Our special price is just one-quarter of the sum they were formerly sold at. Tuesday's Price, 18c.

Lot VII.—Asbestos griddles, two kinds, two prices, 21c and 28c. First, round griddles, asbestos lined, with two cold blast Alaska handles. It is made of Russia steel, and is just the thing for summer use on gas, coal or gasoline stoves. Tuesday's Price, 21c.

Second kind is made in same manner and of same materials, but is oblong in shape, size being 17 inches in length by 8 inches in width. Tuesday's Price, 28c.

Yankee Doodle, or the Spirit of '76.

The Wax Group now on exhibition in the Dark Room (rear of the Carpet Department in the annex to our stores) is attracting wide attention. This famous portrayal of patriotic spirit in its modernized reproduction in wax appeals to young and old. The undaunted spirit of three generations tells more eloquently than words of the strength, force and stability of this, the greatest of all Republics. The group is an object lesson for the young and an exhibit of special interest to the old. Everyone should see it. Come and bring the children with you.

Weinstock, Lubin & Co., 400-412 K Street, Sacramento.

Hotel Arrivals.

Arrivals at the Golden Eagle Hotel yesterday: J. S. Woodruff, Chicago; S. E. Burnett, Denver; William H. Carpenter and wife, Providence; Marlon R. Clifton, M. B. Russell, New York; G. W. Thompson, agent Catalina Island; William McMillen, Boston; J. I. McCarmar and wife, Miss Gertrude McCarmar, Woodland; Miss Teledierren, San Francisco; E. W. Sutcliffe, city; H. C. Kennedy, W. J. Barrett, W. J. Conroy, Rhys, Thomas, Louis Bien, G. N. Arbuclie, San Francisco.

Car Shop No. 5's Flag.

A new and beautiful flag floats over car shop No. 5, purchased with money contributed by the employes of that shop. The men raised \$50, and the railroad company erected a handsome staff for it. As the flag cost only \$20, the remainder will go for Red Cross work.

W. C. T. U. Union Meeting.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union will hold a union meeting to-day at the Congregational Church at 2-20 P. M., at which an excellent musical and literary programme will be rendered, and a fine large picture of Miss Willard will be shown. Admission will be free, and all are invited to attend.

Stader and the Klondike.

M. A. Daly, proprietor of the Klondike saloon, denies that John Stader was either robbed or beaten in that saloon. All the same, Stader said yesterday he would to-day swear to complaints against certain persons connected with the place.

Lieutenant Sprague's Sword.

This morning several personal friends of Hon. Frank S. Sprague, now Second Lieutenant of Battery C, Heavy Artillery, will go to San Francisco for the purpose of presenting him with a handsome sword. The presentation will be made by Emmet Phillips of the "Sunday News."

Attempted Burglary.

There was an attempt at burglary last night at 1020 G street. The man who resides there, and whose name was not learned, went out about 10 o'clock to mail some letters, and as he did so a man slid down a post from the upper porch and escaped.

The Millers Won.

Yesterday the Phoenix Mill baseball nine went out and beat the Brightons by a score of 11 to 10. The Brightons are good, seasoned players, and by beating them the millers have earned quite a reputation.

Examinations for Graduation.

The County Board of Education has decided to hold examinations of applicants for diplomas of graduation from the country schools at Galt, Elk Grove, Onislo, Florin and this city on July 6th, 7th and 8th.

Auction Sale.

D. J. Simmons & Co. will sell at auction at 10 a. m. to-day, at 620 1/2 I street, all the household furniture therein; also, Brussels carpet, range and gasoline stove.

NO CURE NO PAY.

THIS is the way all druggists sell GROVE'S TRIPLE-EXTRACT CHILL TONIC for Malaria, Chills and Fever. It is simply iron and quinine in a tasteful form. Children love it. Adults prefer it to bitter, nauseating Tonic. Price, 50c.

If you lack appetite, try half a wine-glass of Angostura Bitters half an hour before dinner. Made by Dr. J. G. B. Siegert & Sons.

TO-DAY, 9:30 A. M. SPECIAL SALE OF Enameled Ware, Etc.

To-day (Tuesday) the number of money saving opportunities that are to be met with at all times in our House Furnishing Department will be augmented by the offering of a number of kitchen articles at less than the regular prices. Don't you want something from the following list?

LOT I.—Good, dependable, enameled, lipped sauce-pans, two-quart size. Tuesday's Price, 9c.

LOT II.—GALVANIZED DISHPANS AT 18c. These dishpans are in two sizes; made of galvanized iron; will not rust or leak; unquestionably the most serviceable dishpans to be had. 14 quart size and 15 quart size, both to be sold, while they last, at Tuesday's Price, 18c.

LOT III.—Enameled cooking kettles, 12 quart size, 33c. Cooking pots or kettles suitable to be used as soup pots or for the putting up of fruit. Made with two handles and furnished with tin cover. Just such pots as formerly sold for 75c. Tuesday's Price, 33c.

LOT IV.—Large size bottle washing ammonia, good and desirable as to quality. We were fortunate in securing a large quantity of this ammonia at a close figure, hence we are able to offer it at Tuesday's Price, 6c.

LOT V.—Enameled saucepan, like illustration, 5 quart size, made with long handle and furnished with tin cover. These saucepans are all in perfect condition, and are bound to be picked up in a hurry at Tuesday's Price, 23c.

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SALE OF MILLINERY

All my trimmed goods at one-third what they are really worth. FLOWERS from 15 cents to \$1. Fine French goods. SAILORS 25, 35, 50, 75c and upwards, according to quality of straw.

MRS. M. A. PEALER, 621-623 J.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE STATE NORMAL SCHOOL OF SAN DIEGO, California, notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by said board until 10 o'clock a. m. of June 24, 1898, for furnishing the materials and performing the labor necessary for the erection and completion of the central portion of the San Diego State Normal School Building.

Separate proposals will be received and separate contracts made for furnishing the materials and performing the labor necessary for each of the following parts of said building to wit: 1. For the masonry work, including all brick, concrete and cement work, and all necessary excavation and grading; 2. For the iron and glazing work; 3. For the plumbing and piping work; 4. For the painting and varnishing.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied with a bond of such proposer, equal to ten per cent. of his proposal, with at least two good and sufficient sureties, conditioned that if his proposal shall be accepted he will duly enter into a proper contract.

Each proposal must be made on blanks furnished for that purpose, together with the above-mentioned bond, enclosed in a sealed envelope addressed to the Trustees State Normal School of San Diego, California, before 10 o'clock a. m. of June 24, 1898.

Said proposals will be publicly opened and contracts based thereon will be made on June 24, 1898, at 10 o'clock a. m. at room 35, Fisher Opera-house Block, in San Diego, California.

The contractors to whom contracts are awarded will be required to file with said board a good and sufficient bond to the amount of 25 per cent. of the contract price for the faithful and proper performance of his contract.

The plans and specifications of said building can be seen during business hours at the office of Hebbard & Gill, Architects, Grant Building, San Diego, California.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any or all proposals made. State Normal School of San Diego, California. President Board Trustees, Attest: Robert C. Jones, Secretary.

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Golf Shirts, 50c.

Shapely and well-made Golf Shirts for men, in neat, desirable spring patterns and colorings, kinds. Cuffs to match included; any kind of collar can be worn. Price, 50c.

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The Odd Lot Shoe Table.

Don't leave the store without visiting the Odd Lot Shoe Table. No trouble to find your size. Jottings to-day: Tan shoes in sizes 5, 5 1/2, 6 and 6 1/2, for boys and men, 98c. Boys' strong Button School Shoes, sizes 4 1/2, 5 and 5 1/2, \$1.

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