

BISHOP DUNCAN'S WORDS.

AN ELOQUENT SERMON ON THE POWER OF GOOD.

Striking Lessons From the Life of the Lowly Nazarene.

Bishop W. W. Duncan of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, one of the most famous and eloquent men of that church, preached at the Seventh street Methodist Church last night.

The speaker read from chapter ten of the Acts of the Apostles, wherein is told the story of the anointing of Jesus of Nazareth "with the Holy Ghost and with power."

"It is a surprising statement," he said, "that Jesus Christ had not where to lay his head, when the world was so enriched by the glory of His deeds; but He went about doing good and His life was an example."

The speaker said it was unusual to think of the poor as ever doing much good, because they are generally regarded as beneficiaries, rather than benefactors.

"But the improvement of human conditions was the mission of Jesus," said the Bishop, "and there are none so poor that they cannot follow His example."

The sick and the troubled came to him, for His word was life, and He began in human hearts a new faith and lighted up humanity with eternal hope.

"And I thank God to-night that all of the blessings that are dearest in life are not lodged in the rich, or the world would perish. To me there is no music in the notes of silver or the mere jingling of gold; but if I could send forth silver and gold to ring their sweetest music for the Lord it would be a thing devoutly to be wished."

The Bishop, however, did not agree with those who rail at the rich. "If God gives some money," he said, "He did not take the money from us. There is no sense or religion in the rich looking down on the poor, or for the poor criticizing the rich as such."

The speaker said Christ had no idea of founding an ecclesiastical system, "or any four hundred arrangements in society. All are free, but all are not equal in gifts or acquisitions, but all of us may be tender with the unfortunate and kind to the weak."

He did not think all people could associate in a friendly way. Some people have made money, more education than others, and the inequality of conditions renders association a burden.

"If I had to associate with some people," he said, "my salvation would be imperiled. The best I can do is to live as peaceably as possible with all men."

He thought churches nowadays are sometimes so busy "looking after fine organs, pews, societies, and pink teas" that the genuine, soul-lifting, old-fashioned religion is overlooked.

There should be more effort to uplift broken-hearted men and women and to restore the fallen all along the pathway of life.

REPUBLICANS AWAKE.

They Will Hold Caucuses in Several Wards.

The Republicans of this city are awake to the fact that the primary election is near at hand and caucuses and meetings have been called in several of the wards.

The Republicans of the Third Ward will meet to-night at 8 o'clock at the rooms of the Third Ward Republican Club to select twenty-four delegates to be voted for at the primary.

The Republican electors of the Fourth Ward are requested to meet at Judge Henry's office to-night at 8 o'clock to agree on a ticket for delegates.

There is also a call for Republicans of the Fifth Ward to assemble to-night at 8 o'clock at Federated Trades' Hall for the purpose of selecting delegates' names for the primary ticket.

In the Sixth Ward the Republicans will meet to-night at 8 o'clock at the rooms of the Sixth Ward Republican Club to select twenty-four delegates to be voted for at the primary.

The Republicans of the Ninth Ward are requested to attend a caucus at Locke's Hall, Twenty-fifth and M streets, at 8 o'clock to-night to nominate delegates.

DIAS SURRENDERS.

He is Charged With Assault to Commit Murder.

Albert Dias, the young man who on Monday morning last is alleged to have struck Angelo Flores in the mouth with some kind of blunt instrument, knocking out four teeth and caving in the roof of his mouth, yesterday, hearing that a warrant was out for his arrest, appeared at the police station and surrendered himself.

The complaint on which the warrant was issued charges Dias with assault to commit murder. Acting under a misapprehension, the officer allowed Dias to go upon his depositing \$100 for his appearance in court.

JUSTIN GATES HAPPY.

He Hurries Away With a Notarial Commission.

The happiest man in Sacramento last night was Justin Gates, the popular San Francisco Notary, and son of the late Justin Gates, a pioneer Sacramento druggist.

The Notary was injured so seriously some years ago that he now travels in an arm-propelled invalid tricycle, and for two days he has kept the sidewalks hot between the Golden Eagle and the Capitol—all because his notarial commission had expired and there was a delay in its reissuance.

"I've sweat blood, but I've won," he said last night, "and I'd be willing to propel myself back to Frisco's fogs in this tricycle, so great is my jubilation."

Mr. Gates met many of his father's friends while here and he says Sacramento has made marvelous improvements since he was a boy, but he has learned to love the fogs of San Francisco better than any climate in the State.

ROBERT THISBY HOME.

He and His Brothers Own Good Claims Near Rampart City.

Robert Thisby of Andrus Island, Sacramento County, who has been at Rampart City, Alaska, for the past year in company with his brothers George and Will, has returned home.

The boys own several claims on the creek in the vicinity of Rampart City and also two lots in the town, which is 450 miles up the Yukon from St. Michaels. They own a number of claims and have had several good offers for their claims, but prefer to see what is in them themselves.

George and Will have decided to remain until next spring before coming out. Robert reports them in excellent health and weighing more than they ever did. Provisions are now getting much cheaper and prices do not seem at all exorbitant.

ATTEMPTED HOLD-UP.

Inmates of a Chinese Wash House Leave Hurriedly.

The working force of the Chinese washhouse on the south side of K street, between Second and Third, was thrown into the most imaginable excitement about 7:30 o'clock last evening by the advent of a man through the rear door, evidently on robbery bent.

The washhouse is in the basement, and the stranger upon entering flourished a big revolver. That was enough. The Chinamen did not tarry to find out what he wanted, but scurried up the stairs to the street. And so the hold-up failed.

A few minutes later Officer Douglas arrived on the scene, but the would-be robber had departed the way he came and has not yet been apprehended.

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LAID IN THE GROUND.

Funeral of the Late Thomas W. Stevens Yesterday.

The funeral of Thomas W. Stevens was held from his late residence, 1314 Third street, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and was largely attended by friends and by comrades who had served under him when Captain of Company A of the old First Artillery Regiment of the National Guard.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. A. B. Banks, pastor of the First Baptist Church. The floral offerings were many and appropriate. The pall-bearers were John Darroux and Jacob Meyers, representing the Southern Pacific Company's rolling mill, where before his illness, Captain Stevens was employed, and M. J. Burke and Ed Hubert, who had been comrades of the deceased in Company A, Artillery.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Car Shop No. 5's Mutual Relief Association.

The Mutual Relief Association of S. P. Co. Car Shop No. 5 of Sacramento held their annual election of officers yesterday. The association contains 165 members and is for the purpose of defraying the funeral expenses of a deceased member. It has been organized for four years in Car Shop No. 5 and has a fund of over \$800 on hand at present, having during the past four years buried six members.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing term of one year: President, H. H. Borchardt; Vice-President, Fred Y. Madeley; Treasurer, Thomas Hodgkinson; Secretary, J. W. Arenz; Directors, D. H. Carroll, Joseph Graham, H. D. Slater, G. R. Mitchell, John McNamara.

WANTS A DIVORCE.

Sarah Johnston Tells of the Cruelty of Her Husband.

Sarah Johnston, through her attorney, J. D. Moynahan, has brought suit in the Superior Court for a divorce from Robert N. Johnston, alleging habitual intemperance, cruel and inhuman treatment, and that at one time he threatened to throw a lamp at her, saying he had a notion to burn her up; that defendant has for the past year gloated in calling her vile names; that he threw meat and food out of the window, and that in the presence of their children he threatened to torture her to death.

The plaintiff demands permanent alimony for the support of herself and minor child.

BATCH OF NOTARIES.

Governor Gage Makes Some Belated Appointments.

Governor Gage appointed the following San Francisco Notaries late yesterday afternoon: John T. Williams, to succeed H. C. Droger, term expired; N. A. McConaghy, vice Thomas M. O'Brien; Justin Gates, reappointed; A. F. C. Goldner, vice J. J. Kerrigan; W. B. Benchley, vice Wm. Demman; F. C. Mosebach, vice Thomas S. Burnes; N. E. W. Smith, vice Samuel Newman; C. H. Phillips, vice John P. Cashin; M. A. Aronson, vice R. D. McElroy; James L. King, vice P. F. Walsh.

The prompt and proper use of a pure stimulant has saved many a human life. The famous old Jesse Moore AA Whisky is the purest and best. Sold by all druggists.

Who Sold the Liquor?

An Indian woman was picked up in I street yesterday thoroughly drunk. The police are attempting to learn who sold or gave her the liquor.

Fresh Fish To-Day.

All kinds of fresh fish at the Pacific, near Eighth.

HOW THE GILTS WON.

And Duffee Also Won the Great Gridley Derby.

Last Wednesday the Gilt Edges played an exhibition game with the Gridley team at Gridley, and easily won a very one-sided game from the Butte County champions. The boys returned home yesterday morning and report having had a very enjoyable trip. The weather was "something fierce," the mercury going up as high as 110 degrees and threatened to blow the top off the thermometer.

A large crowd witnessed the game, and though they had but one chance to "root" they were very well pleased at the way the Gilts played. Fitzgerald, a local amateur twirler, was taken on the trip and did the box work for the Gilts. He pitched a nice game, and has in him the material which makes stars in the baseball profession. His fielding support was faultless, and the boys batted superbly.

Immediately after the ball game the horse races were run and the sport was greatly enjoyed by the multitude which had gathered from all parts of the surrounding country. The first race was a tame affair and seemed to have little interest in the crowd, who were out for a bigger game. The "Cotton Derby" was to be the next race. Excitement ran high among the people who stood in the paddock—each and every one speculating as to what chance his favorite stood had.

To one particular, save the members of the Sacramento press, and a few others paid no attention to the small group of men at the further end of the enclosure who were debating upon the merits and faults of a big black horse called Blackstone. The owner had entered the animal in the race, but owing to the fact that the horse had on a previous occasion killed a jockey and also had a bad habit of jumping barbed wire fences, no one could be found who would ride Blackstone.

It was then that J. Fong Duffee made a hero of himself and won the admiration of the spectators. He mounted on Fong stepped boldly up to the owner of the steed and said in a firm voice, "I'll ride that horse in this race, and what's more I'll win on him."

The farmer was taken somewhat by surprise, but recovered sufficiently to say, "Do you mean earnestly that you will ride that horse?" "I'll ride that horse," volunteered the Gilt Edges in chorus.

"Then, 'gosh, git right up on the animal and let's see wot ye kin do." This from the owner. Fong took off his shoes and sprang to the horse's back and gopped up in front of the admiring crowd. There was a great deal of complimentary remarks about the great jockey from the fair sex, and Fong "swelled up" as he waited for the "post bell." Said he: "Tod Sloan can ride in England, but old Fong has 'em all skinned in Gridley."

At the post bell some very clever maneuvering and when the "word" was given he came on with a flying start, shot to the front and was never headed. He finished in fine style, and the band played "They're After Me" and "Hail to the Chief." Such a finish was never before seen in Gridley, and the people cheered themselves hoarse.

At the dance in the evening the sole topic of conversation was Duffee and his great ride on Blackstone. The ball game and Mike O'Connor's cake walk were both good numbers. This has been the second time that Duffee has distinguished himself in Gridley; the other occasion being in 1896, when the original Gilt Edges played there. Fong made a number of "impossible" plays at short and to this day the people are talking of that game, which lasted eleven innings. He also made some "post bell" talk. Following is the score of the ball game:

Table with columns: Player Name, Gilt Edges, ab, r, bh, sb, po, a, e. Includes players like McLaughlin, Harvey, Shanahan, O'Connor, etc.

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ON THEIR MERITS.

La Primerencia cigars are winning their way into popular favor slowly and surely on their merits. To smoke one is to want another. A. Coolot, distributor.

Singer Sewing Machines.

Office, 1014 Eighth st., bet. J and K. The Holt Company and the Houser & Haines Company of Stockton, manufacturers of combined harvesters, are engaged in a war of business rivalry in which the Holt Company appears to be getting the worst of it.

The Holt Company complains that the Houser & Haines people are taking the trade of the Pacific Coast in combined harvesters, notwithstanding the Holt patents; but in a case recently tried in the United States Circuit Court, in which the trial lasted ten days, the Holt Company failed to sustain its patent.

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Mortgage Foreclosure.

E. Drienmeyer has instituted foreclosure proceedings on the mortgage held on the south half of lot 1, and the south half of the west half of lot 2, Ninth and Tenth, N and O streets, in this city, and given by Rebecca Robertson, the consideration being \$2,800.

Appraisal Filed.

Orin B. Neal, W. P. Mariner and I. P. Howard, appraisers of the estate of John T. Hout, deceased, have filed their report, showing the value of the estate in question to be \$720, consisting of 160 acres of land.

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Testimonial.

The following has been subscribed by numerous Sacramento citizens: Amended scheme for water supply, electric power and lighting and the construction of an improved sewerage, by Wm. Muir.

The copypen given Wm. Muir in the daily "Record-Union" in its issue of July 7, 1899, of "A New Solomon," is indeed fairly earned by the production and presentation by him of his amended scheme.

Among the many advantages to result from its adoption, the most important in my opinion, will be the securing of exclusive ownership by the city, and thereby causing the city of Sacramento to become the "Glasgow of America," its citizens reaping all the benefits and released from dominating, rapacious, soulless corporations.

It will not only break and checkmate the interminable trusts and schemes of the corporation lawyers that are being created with such alarming rapidity.

In every way it must be commended and will doubtless receive the approbation of all good citizens.

Christian Science Free Reading Room.

Room 1, Eckhardt building, 611 K street. All literature by Rev. Mary Baker Eddy on sale. Conducted by Mrs. Josephine Hunt-Goodwin, C. S. practitioner. Hours, 11 a. m. to 4 p. m.

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RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY (PACIFIC SYSTEM) AUGUST 2, 1899.

Trains Leave and are Due to Arrive at Sacramento:

Table with columns: LEAVE TRAINS RUN DAILY (For), ARRIVE (From). Lists various routes and times.

Phillips-Judson Excursions East.