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Theological Change

A B ikeport journal tells us that an Episcopal clergyman of that Connecticut town surprised his congregation by preaching a sermon in favor of the doctrine of purgatory, or of an intermediate state, in which the souls of the dead are purified and prepared for admission into heaven. But there was no occasion for surprise. That theory is accepted even if not openly advocated by a great part of the Episcopal clergy, and is favorably regarded by many of the ministry of other Protestant denominations.

At the General Convention of the Episcopalians resolutions looking toward prayer for the dead, whose use can be justified only on such a theory, were defeated by a majority so small that it was doubtful whether the prevailing sentiment was not really in their favor, fear of misconception as to Romish tendencies preventing the more timid of the deputies from expressing their true convictions. The vote showed, too, that belief in the doctrine proclaimed by the Bridgeport clergyman is not confined to any one of the parties of the Church, but extends through them all, Low Churchmen and Broad Churchmen joining with High Churchmen in supporting the propositions. The Rev. Dr. Mann, of Missouri was only bolder than the rest in offering the more important resolution on the subject; but it is not improbable that when the next General Convention meets three years hence the timidity of the majority will have departed, and prayer for the dead will be established as an avowed doctrine and usage of the Episcopal Church.

At the meeting of the Missionary Board of the Congregationalists, also, it was made manifest that a minority, powerful intellectually if not numerically, is prepared to take what amounts to the same ground. It absolutely rejects or doubts profoundly the doctrine of damnation as taught by Calvin and the old Puritan doctors of theology. Its sense of justice is outraged by the theory that the heathen are to be damned indiscriminately for not accepting Christ even though they know nothing of Him and it is impossible for them to obtain the knowledge. These Congregationalists would believe in a future probation for the heathen wherein they could receive the instruction denied them on earth. But if there is to be a purgatory for the heathen there must be a purgatory for all souls, since even where the instruction is imparted on earth it is imparted by mortal and fallible men; or, the true teaching is rejected, not from wicked perversity, but from conscientious inability to receive it. The larvae engendered by custom, circumstance, and heredity may have choked out the wheat from soil ready for its growth.

There is also a large party of the Presbyterians which is getting itself ready to take the same position. They recoil with horror from the doctrine of damnation as propounded in their ancient Confession. It shocks these good people to find, as many of them are now finding out for the first time, that they have been professing to believe that infants born and yet to be born are doomed to everlasting misery. They cannot even believe that anybody is predestinated to hell. Hence the theory that the souls of men will be purified for heaven in a state of purgatory is likely to become grateful to the many Presbyterians who reject the old doctrine of election. It is the only escape for them short of downright unbelief. And if souls under probation may properly be prayed for, why also may not the souls passing through the purgatory fires of the future probation be made the subject of the prayer of faith?

We see, accordingly, how general is the tendency toward the doctrine preached by the Bridgeport clergyman. Nor is it a tendency toward the Church of Rome, for it shows itself in the communions which are most unalterable in their hatred of Rome.—N. Y. Sun.

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VIRGINIA MIDLAND RAILWAY COMPY., ALEXANDRIA, November 26, 1889.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the Virginia Midland Railway Company will be held at the office of the company, in Alexandria, Va., on WEDNESDAY, the eighteenth (18th) day of December, A. D. 1889, at twelve o'clock noon, for the transaction of all business of a general or special nature that may be submitted at the meeting.

The transfer books will be closed at 3 o'clock on the 5th December and reopened on the morning of the nineteenth of December next.

nov28 td W. H. MARRIOTT, Secretary.

OFFICE LINCOLN HALL ASSOCIATION,

102 south Fairfax street Alexandria, Va., Nov 25, 1889.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this association will be held at the office of the company on TUESDAY, December 10, 1889, at 7:30 p. m., for the purpose of electing eleven directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before it. Stockholders are requested to be present either in person or by proxy. All proxies should be sent to the secretary at the address given below. PLINY M. HIGGINS, Secretary.

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AUCTION SALES.

By E. T. Lucas, Auctioneer.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

By virtue of a deed of trust, dated March 10th, 1888, from James B. Wright and wife, Stephen F. Woods and wife and James McCoun to me, recorder of the land records of Alexandria city, in Liber No. 19, page 513, and at the request of the persons thereby secured, I shall, on WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of December, 1889, offer for sale at public auction, in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market House, at 12 o'clock noon, the following property; to wit:—

2d. A LOT OF GROUND beginning on the south side of Gibbon street one hundred and ninety-seven feet six inches east from St. Asaph street; thence south parallel to St. Asaph street seventy-six feet to a ten-foot alley; thence east parallel to Gibbon street fourteen feet six inches; thence northwardly in a line parallel to St. Asaph street to Gibbon street; thence fourteen feet six inches on Gibbon street to the beginning of the above described ground.

3d. A LOT OF GROUND one hundred and eighty-three feet east from St. Asaph street; thence south parallel to St. Asaph street seventy-six feet to a ten-foot alley; thence east parallel to Gibbon street fourteen feet six inches; thence north parallel to St. Asaph street seventy-six feet to Gibbon street; thence west along Gibbon street to the beginning.

4th. A LOT OF GROUND beginning on the south side of Gibbon street one hundred and ninety-seven feet six inches east from St. Asaph street; thence south parallel to St. Asaph street seventy-six feet to a ten-foot alley; thence east parallel to Gibbon street fourteen feet six inches; thence north parallel to St. Asaph street seventy-six feet to Gibbon street; thence west along Gibbon street to the beginning.

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Terms of Sale: Cash as to so much of the purchase money as may be necessary to defray the expenses of executing this trust, and to pay the note secured by the deed of trust aforesaid; viz: \$553.32, with interest thereon from March 10, 1888, until paid, at six per cent. per annum. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

nov4 GEO. A. MUSHBACH, Trustee.

The above sale is postponed until SATURDAY, December 7th, 1889, at the same place and hour.

NOTICE.

A notice to all persons who are indebted to the late firm of KELLY & CARR to pay the same to the said Jas. W. Carr at once; and all claims due the said firm that are not paid in sixty days from this date shall be placed by the said Carr in the hands of an attorney for collection.

DUFF PAYNE, Adm. of G. F. Kelly, JAS. W. CARR. nov27 1m

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