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## CONVERSION OF MATTHEW

HE LEFT ALL, ROSE UP, AND FOLLOWED JESUS.

Dr. Wharton Preaches Another Grand Sermon at the First Baptist, to a Congregation That Was Large Regardless of Weather.

Despite the unpropitious weather last evening the First Baptist church was almost filled with those who were determined to hear Rev. Dr. Wharton, rain or no rain. In fact, the Doctor told his congregation that there were about three times as many in the house as he expected to see. Before the sermon Dr. Wharton touchingly sang a solo, "Believe and Keep on Believing." The congregational singing was as good as ever. The songs sung at this meeting are from "Windows of Heaven," a book of hymns compiled by Dr. Wharton and revised by Mr. Field, who leads the congregational singing.

Dr. Wharton read as the first scripture lesson of the evening a part of the fifth chapter of Luke. A number of requests for prayer were sent up, which he read, after which prayer was offered by Rev. J. O. Adams.

Dr. Wharton's sermon was preached from the text—  
"And he left all, rose up, and followed him, Luke 5: 28."

"I used to think," began Dr. Wharton, "that if I could be converted like Paul was, then I would just be happy. But so far as results go it would be just as well to be converted like Matthew. 'He left all, rose up, and followed Him.' Matthew was a publican. You all know what a publican was. When portions of this country had military government there were collectors of revenue and you will remember that you could not buy a box of matches unless it had been stamped. You could hardly sing without paying a revenue. The difference between the Roman government and the United States government was that the former 'farmed out' the offices—gave them to the highest bidder. It was as if the collector for this county were put up and bid off by the man who was willing to give the most money for it. What county is this? [He was told 'Burcombe'.] Well, well, I've heard of 'talking for burcombe' for a long time, and here I am at last. I am glad to know it. Hurray, for old Burcombe! You need not be surprised to see publicans and sinners called together, for a publican was certainly a sinner.

"Matthew had his call. I want to say I don't believe there is a man or woman here but has at some time had a call. Sometimes calls are made by afflictions. Rev. A. C. Dixon told me that while he was in Baltimore there came to the Sunday school a little boy whose mother received a leaflet with a picture of a shepherd and a sheep crossing a stream. The little fellow ran home, gave it to his mother and asked her to read it to him, which she did. The mother told Mr. Dixon afterward that while she was reading the thought came to her 'I am going to lose my child.' That night he became ill, and in a few days died. As he lay dying he put his little hands about his mother's neck and whispered 'Mamma, won't you follow me over the river, like the shepherd followed the lamb?' She promised she would, and she did. That was her call. You have been sick unto death and said 'O, God, when I get up I will be a better man.' But you have not obeyed your call. Al though you may try to laugh it off and shake off your wife's or mother's entreaties, you say to yourself that you are not living as you ought.

"I suppose some said of Matthew, 'He will do you no good. He is one of the meaneest men here.' Look at Paul. Some of us best servants were at one time the best servants of the devil.

"If I could get 100 men and women to weeping over the sins of Asheville I will respect God to come with wonderful power. My friend, if you are in a business that is not right, give it up tonight. If you gamble, drink, or have any other habit that you do not want to give up, give it up. No matter what the sin, say 'I'll leave it. Jesus Christ is an easy master. He does not ask us to give up anything that is not bad.'

"Matthew said 'Here I am Lord, I'm a poor sinner, but I will follow you.' He confessed publicly. You say 'It makes me too conspicuous to confess in public. I would like to know how conspicuous you have been in your work for the devil. The woman who goes into the ball room and whirls round and round with a man's arm about her waist says 'It makes me too conspicuous!' In God's service there is no half-way business; no carrying water on both shoulders. You must be out as one or in as one. God, I would rather you would come plain out and say 'I'm for the devil and your enemy, than to have you unknown and one of these lackadaisical Christians. Then I can know what I am doing. A young man says 'My name is on the church books, but I am not much of a Christian.' Why don't you go to Brother White and tell him to take your name off the book—that you are a coward and deserter?

"Matthew took Jesus home with him. What did he do next? He began working among his old associates. He invited to the feast some of the worst people, and Jesus Christ was in their midst. Who will not say that Matthew did right when he gave up everything and followed Jesus?

"When the roll is called in heaven, may we all be there to answer to our names. May God bless you is my prayer, for Jesus' sake."

A number of penitents came forward for prayers for their salvation at the close of the sermon, which was one of the most powerful Dr. Wharton has yet preached.

"The Master is Come."

"The Master is Come and Callest for Thee," was Dr. Wharton's text this morning. It was a very plain yet powerful sermon. The congregation was large and the interest deep. Many came forward declaring thereby that Jesus was their master. Quite a number asked the people of God to pray for them. The influence of the meeting is increasing with every service. Dr. Wharton is a man of great magnetism and has already won the confidence and esteem of Asheville's citizens. Under the blessing of God he will reach multitudes of sin-tormented men. Everyone should hear him morning and evening. Tomorrow the subject will be "Personal Work."

## CHINA TO FRANCE.

The Latter Must Not Think Siam is Friendless.

THIENTSIN, July 20.—Information is received here from Peking that China has taken measures to support the Siam against the French. Siam has for many years paid tribute to China, but only as a matter of usage and convenience, and it is now apparent that China is determined to assist the Siamese against French encroachments upon their territory. The interference of China will add a most interesting feature to the French-Siamese dispute, and will probably result in the modification of some of the demands of France as contained in her ultimatum.

PARIS, July 20.—The statement is published that Baron Mollerath, Russian ambassador to France, officially informed the French government prior to the accession of the Chamber of Deputies on Tuesday last, when M. Develle, foreign minister, defined France's position in the Franco-Siamese dispute, that Russia would support France on all points involved in the Siamese difficulty. It is further said that the Russian fleet in Chinese waters is under orders to proceed to the gulf of Siam for the purpose of supporting the French fleet in the event of a conflict with the Siamese fleet. The fleet is expected shortly to arrive in Siamese waters.

Bangkok says the recent statement of the Siamese difficulty made in the English House of Commons by Sir Edward Grier, parliamentary secretary of the office, and particularly that portion of it referring to France, declaring an intention of Great Britain depends on the action that shall be taken by the French.

## FERTILIZERS.

A Uniform System of Their Sale Needed.

ATLANTA, July 20. The commissioners of agriculture of the Southern States, in session here, have passed the following resolution:

"Whereas, it is the opinion of this conference that a uniform system of control and regulation of the manufacture and sale of commercial fertilizers is important; therefore be it

"Resolved, That Hon. T. Nesbit, commissioner of agriculture of Georgia, be appointed a committee to draft a bill based upon the principles of the Georgia statute upon consultation and correspondence with the commissioners of the several states and an examination of the statutes of said states, and the committee be authorized to call a convention of the commissioners of the said states for the purpose of having said bill when perfected adopted by the legislatures of the several states."

## CHOLERA IN NAPLES.

How It Got There is an Important Question.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Dr. Wyman of the Marine hospital service is awaiting further reports from Naples, Italy, as to the progress of the cholera with anxiety. "If additional reports show that the disease was imported into Naples," said Dr. Wyman, "it will be to that extent encouraging as tending to show that the inhabitants of Naples are free from germs of the disease and that there is little fear of its spreading to other places. If, however, the outbreak originates in Naples there is likely to be an epidemic there and great precaution must be used against its introduction into other countries."

## Failure of the Register Co.

MOBILE, Ala., July 18.—The Mobile Register company has made an assignment to J. M. Phillips. The paper has made more than its running expenses, but was handicapped by an indebtedness arising from a lawsuit of years' standing, and also by its floating indebtedness, which, in the present stringency of times, could not be lifted nor longer carried. The publication will be continued by the assignee.

## The "Straightouts" Won.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., July 20.—The straightout Democratic ticket was elected here Tuesday by scattering majorities. Fletcher, Democrat, leads Dzialynski, "citizen," for mayor by 250 votes, while the council stand 12 Democrats to four "citizens." The Australian ballot system worked well.

## A Postmaster on Trial.

BUNSWICK, Ga., July 18.—J. Marion Rice, postmaster at Jamaica, was arrested and is now on trial on several charges; one for embezzling government funds, one of making false entries of collections of stamps, one for issuing money orders without the money, and several other charges.

## Withdrew Their Funds.

NASHUA, N.H., July 20.—The Security Trust company closed its doors this morning. The bank has not met with losses, but stopped business on account of the withdrawal of deposits. The treasurer states that the bank will be able to pay all depositors in full.

## Burned 60 Buildings.

SUNNYSIDE CAL., July 20.—A disastrous fire occurred here Tuesday night resulting in the destruction of 60 buildings, causing a loss of \$250,000. Not a business house is left in town.

## ADMINISTRATION'S POLICY

IT IS TO GIVE BANKS ALL THE HELP POSSIBLE.

A Word of Encouragement For The Sorely Beset Denver Institutions—More Bank Failures in Colorado.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Mr. James H. Eckels, comptroller of the currency, immediately on his return from New York this morning, addressed to the National Bank Examiner at Denver a despatch defining the policy of the administration with reference to the insolvency of national banking institutions generally, as follows:

"I wish you would announce to the officers of banks which have failed in Denver that it is my intention to lend them every aid possible, looking towards a speedy resumption on their part, and that I shall grant to them sufficient time to enable them to not only collect such amounts as are speedily collectable, but to get together such amounts of money as will enable them to open upon a small basis. It seems to me that citizens who have a foolish course of conduct in withdrawing deposits from banks which have so long enjoyed their complete confidence, brought about this condition ought, in view of the damage they have done their city, as quickly as possible repair it by standing ready to deposit with them. I fully appreciate all the circumstances of the situation and that no unnecessary loss may be entailed you are authorized to employ as assistants to protect your paper and collect in moneys, the most competent and trustworthy employes in such institutions. I have also ordered Examiner McHugh of Iowa to report at once to assist you.

"I desire that this telegram be given to the press at Denver, evidencing as it does that the comptroller has faith in the ability of the banks of Denver to resume, and of his desire to lend them every assistance consistent with his official duty."

## SWINDLED AND DIED.

HELENA, Mont., July 20.—Several weeks ago a sensation was created throughout the State by the mysterious disappearance of I. L. B. Olds, State senator, and one of the best known mining men in the State. It developed that he had swindled various people out of sums aggregating about \$100,000. Yesterday two boys while fishing found the body of a man in Boulder river. There was a bullet hole in the heart and a revolver lay alongside the body, which was badly decomposed. The body was that of the missing State senator.

## NOTROUBLE EXPECTED.

Watson of Georgia Will be Allowed to Have His Day.

AUGUSTA, Ga., July 20.—There is no truth in the report from Washington, Ga., about a threatened conflict between Democrats and Populists, when J. E. Watson speaks today. A special to the Chronicle says Watson was met at the depot by a large crowd, principally negroes. The Democrats apprehend no trouble. Watson speaks at Page Park, a quarter of a mile from town. A few Democrats will attend the meeting. On leaving the train Watson urged everyone to preserve order.

## Coal Miners May Strike.

LONDON, July 20.—Delegates representing 248,000 coal miners in various parts of the country met in Birmingham yesterday to consider the proposal of the mine owners to reduce wages 25 per cent, the cut to go into effect July 28. They will probably order a strike.

## Back to Gray Gables.

BUZZARDS BAY, Mass., July 20.—E. C. Benedict's steam yacht Oneida, having on board President Cleveland, dropped anchor late yesterday afternoon. A few moments later the little launch was lowered and the party was soon landed on the wharf at Gray Gables.

## Against the Sherman Law.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., July 20.—The associated banks of Little Rock, consisting of all the banks of the city, have adopted resolutions favoring the repeal of the purchasing clause of the Sherman silver law. The Little Rock Commercial League did likewise.

## "Meg" is Dead.

DETROIT, July 18.—Mrs. Anna Johnson Alcott Pratt, widow of the late John B. Pratt and oldest daughter of A. Bronson Alcott, died at Concord, Mass., yesterday. She was the original of "Meg," the oldest one of the four "Little Women."

## Winnie Davis Ill.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 19.—News reached here today of the slight illness of Miss Winnie Davis, now at Narragansett Pier with her mother, Mrs. Jeff. Davis. No apprehension is felt either by her mother or by the physicians.

## The German Maneuvers.

WILHELMSHAVEN, July 20.—The great autumn maneuvers of the German fleet will begin about the middle of August under Admiral Vonder Goltz. Twenty-one war ships and 28 torpedo boats will take part.

## W. C. P. Breckenridge Married.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 20.—W. C. P. Breckenridge, member of Congress from the Blue Grass district of Kentucky, was married in this city Tuesday afternoon to Mrs. Louise Scott Wing.

## Death of Ex-Governor Stone.

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 20.—Ex-Governor William Stone, of Iowa, late commissioner of lands, died at his residence near this city yesterday.

## READ

### THESE TESTIMONIALS

#### Harris' Lithia Water,

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STILL ANOTHER.  
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