

**REV. JOHN A. GORDON,**  
**PASTOR OF THE LEINSTER STREET**  
**BAPTIST CHURCH.**

By Nature a Leader of Men, and Successful  
 in All That He Has Undertaken—His  
 Career in the Ministry—Evidences of His  
 Popularity With His People.

It seldom happens that a man enjoys the novel satisfaction of reading his own obituary, but to some this privilege is granted. About eight years ago, the press of Prince Edward Island united in the expression that, "Many of our readers will learn with deep sorrow of the death of Rev. John A. Gordon. . . . Mr. Gordon was active and zealous in his calling, and a good pulpit and platform speaker, and a genial, warm-hearted, generous man." It is hardly necessary to add that the only portion of this statement which was ever disputed was the announcement of Mr. Gordon's death.

The ancestors of Leinster street's popular pastor were, as the name indicates, Scotch Highlanders, who settled in Prince Edward Island some 50 years ago. It was in the town of Uigg, Queens county, that the subject of this sketch first saw the light of day. Partisans of Uigg say that, taken per

church, Yarmouth, N. S., receiving, on his departure, an address signed by all the Baptist ministers on Prince Edward Island, of which the following is a part:

You have endeared yourself to all our hearts by your unswerving loyalty to Scripture truth and Bible principles, and after several years of intimate acquaintance, permit us to add, your purity of life and consecration to the Master.

We recognize with joy the fact that God has blessed your efforts for the salvation of souls and the upbuilding of Zion. We feel that we, as a denomination, on the Island, do sustain a great loss in your removal from us. But be assured, dear brother, that our best wishes, our sympathies and prayers will accompany you to your new field of labor. May the Lord open to you great opportunities for usefulness, and give you physical strength and spiritual power to do great things, through Christ, for him.

We would also add our best wishes and sincere respect for your partner and fellow laborer, Mrs. Gordon. May the Great Shepherd make her a loved and ready helper in your new field as she has been in the old one, and surround you both with friends as kind and sympathetic as those you leave.

Be ever faithful to the truth, devoted to the cause and look to God for victory.

It was at Yarmouth that Mr. Gordon read his own obituary, as stated above. During the first week of his stay he was at



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capita, it leads any other section of the empire in the production of literary men; that to live in Uigg is, as a matter of necessity, to be a scholar and student. The nature of his surroundings tended, of course, to influence Mr. Gordon, but at his entrance upon life he found his ambition restricted by the death of his father. The boy, though but five years of age at the time, was the oldest child, and almost from that time onward he was the head of the family. His energetic mother kept her children together on the farm, and the young Gordon bore the part of a man in caring for them. Always interested in business, he went into trade at sixteen; and though his first venture was a failure, because of the rascality of a partner, he persevered, and, long before he became of age, had established, at Montague Bridge, Kings county, a thriving store.

The value of this connection needed no proof to the mother and brothers whom it helped to support and educate, but as time went on, it hampered Mr. Gordon's own career. After his conversion, his thoughts turned towards the work of the ministry, and he undertook—and carried through—an exhaustive course of private study. Following this, he spent some time at Acadia college and at Newton Theological institution, only to be recalled from both by the needs of his family and business. Finally, his brother and partner died, and then he had to return home for good and all.

Three calls awaited him there. He was offered the place of assistant to his own old pastor; invited to the church at Stoughton, Mass.; and solicited to take charge of the mission field in the Eastern part of Prince Edward Island. The last offer, the hardest and least remunerative position of all, was the one which he accepted. At the end of the first eighteen months of pastoral life, he found himself \$250 out of pocket! He had given the work an impetus, however, which has since led to the formation of three churches in that district; and he felt that he might venture to undertake a duty which would be more in accord with his tastes. The pastor of his own church had retired, after a pastorate of 46 years, naming Mr. Gordon as his successor; and here, at Montague and East Point, Mr. Gordon filled for four happy years "the pastorate of his life." For once, at least, a prophet had honor in his own country. While Mr. Gordon labored in this field, never a year passed when his congregation did not, besides paying his salary, give him a donation of \$200. To this day, they remember him with gifts at every holiday season. That their appreciation was not without cause is shown by the fact that during his pastorate, he organized a church at Souris, so that the district where he labored alone now demands the constant service of two men.

On the 1st of November, 1880, Mr. Gordon became the pastor of the Milltown

tacked with pneumonia and hemorrhage, which brought him to the point of death. The statement that he was dying was telegraphed to his friends on the Island and the newspapers made the most of it. His indomitable will brought him through, however, and on the following Sunday, while hardly convalescent, he made his way to church and preached a powerful sermon from the text, "I shall not die, but live and declare the works of the Lord." The prophecy was fulfilled and everyone who is familiar with the history of the Baptist denomination in Yarmouth needs not to be told that he made the best use of his restored health. The Milltown church was virtually ruined, practically in the sheriff's hands. When Mr. Gordon resigned his pastorate, it had become one of the strongest churches in the province and a valuable parsonage had been added to its assets. Perhaps the best collection ever made in a Baptist church in Canada was that by which the debt of this church was raised. When the service began, on a certain Sunday morning, a debt of \$3,600 rested upon the church. When the service closed, pastor and people sang the Doxology with full appreciation of its meaning, for the collection plates held the splendid sum of \$3,800.

In September, 1885, Mr. Gordon entered upon the pastorate of Leinster Street Baptist church. He did no "candidating" and had never seen his people before he arrived here, but his reputation had spoken for him and the call was unanimous. His earnestness and ability, heartily seconded by his congregation, have made Leinster street church one of the strongest and most prosperous in the lower provinces. In membership, there has been a gradual but constant growth. Financially, the church keeps ahead of its current expenses and is fast clearing off its debt. "One cannot wonder that his people dread Mr. Gordon's possible acceptance of the directors' earnest invitation to become the general manager of the new Baptist seminary at St. Martins.

For himself, Mr. Gordon tells the directors that he belongs first to Leinster Street Baptist church, which he believes to be "the best church in the world," and that the directors and the congregation must decide whether he shall stay here or go to St. Martins; and if this continues to be the position of things it is likely that, unless his people receive a sudden accession of supernatural selfishness, Mr. Gordon will stay. Licensed to preach in 1872 and ordained September 1, 1875, Mr. Gordon has baptized, on profession of faith, about 600 persons, and is able to count a convert now in the ministry, for every year of his pastorate. The facts are significant; but no figures fairly indicate the value of the devoted and self-denying labors of this clergyman of whom his denomination and Christians generally have such good reason to be proud.

**LODGE-ROOM ECHOES.**

**Loyal Orange Association.**

The glorious twelfth will be duly observed this year. In fact, the celebration will be of a more interesting character than usual, since it is an important anniversary in the history of the organization. Much has been printed and said of it and it need not be dealt with at further length.

The St. John lodges are anticipating a grand time at Capt. Watters' landing and there is no doubt, should weather favor them, that their programme will suit the public and themselves. In fact, energetic committees can accomplish anything and when Orangemen make up their minds to have a good time they will have it. The grounds are among the first on the river, the best possible arrangements have been made for the comfort and amusement of those who patronize the excursion and PROGRESS hopes the crowd may be such that the lodges will be financially happy and the public gratified.

Musquash will perhaps have the next celebration—though of course the members there think it will be the best—in New Brunswick. Progress is told that their new hall is something to be proud of. It will be sufficiently complete by Thursday to allow the most enjoyable portion of the day, the evening, to be spent within its rafters, where the gay company will dance the hours away. Fairville and other lodges are making elaborate arrangements to give Musquash a helping hand and make their celebration not only a numerical but a financial success. May the proceeds not only finish but furnish the hall!

Golden Grove Orangemen will not be behind. They are a little too far away to join with their St. John or Musquash brothers, but are not to be left on a time themselves. They expect to have a supper and ball, and have invited those of their city friends upon whom they have an especial claim to give them the pleasure of their company.

Fredericton will be represented at Calais, and St. Stephen will join the sister city on the border in doing honor to the day of which all are proud.

Carleton county members will congregate at Woodstock, and, in their usual quiet and joyful manner, take a holiday in honor of the event.

In Westville, N. S., the grand celebration of the sister province will take place. The detailed programme published some time ago will be carried out, and many large lodges will take part in the red letter celebration.

Tomorrow, Sunday, the St. John lodges will attend morning service at Fairville, in the Baptist church, when Rev. Mr. Martell will preach. In the afternoon the Fairville lodge will assemble with the St. John brethren, at Orange hall, at 2 o'clock, and they will march to St. Mary's church, Waterloo street, and listen to Rev. W. O. Raymond preach.

**Independent Order of Foresters.**

The High Court of New Brunswick will meet at Newcastle, Aug. 1. The members of the order there are arranging for a steamboat excursion on the following day. There will probably be a Foresters' excursion from Fredericton to Newcastle over the Northern & Western railway on the 1st.

Dr. Oronhyateckka, S. C. R., will be present at the high court meeting. The strawberry festival given by Court Kenebecensis at Norton, Wednesday, was found very enjoyable by the large number of persons who gathered there. In the evening the H. C. R., Mr. Creed, gave an address on Forestry, followed by a very happy, humorous speech by A. S. White, Esq., M. P. A considerable sum was realized in aid of the building of the Foresters' hall—the only hall, by the way, owned exclusively by Foresters in this province.

At Elgin, Albert county, Monday, the brethren and their friends had a good time. The members of Court Gordon Falls made a fine appearance in their new regalia, as they marched to welcome their brethren of other courts. The anniversary of the order was celebrated with appropriate ceremonies under an awning in the open air, and after dinner the officers of the local court were publicly installed in the church by the High Court Ranger, assisted by other High Court officers. Addresses were given by the H. C. R. and Bro. Hawke of the Moncton Transcript.

Thursday evening next, Canton LaTour will meet for the purpose of initiating three candidates.

Beacon lodge will work the third degree on a number of candidates Tuesday evening.

There will be a meeting of the general committee (this Saturday) evening for the purpose of making further arrangements for the proposed visit of Grand Canton Shawmut.

Golden Rule was the only lodge that installed officers this week. The lodge rooms in the Odd Fellows' building, Union street, are being painted and otherwise thoroughly renovated.

**Temple of Honor and Temperance.**

The Grand Temple elected Rev. R. S. Crisp, G. W. T.; Isaac Stevens, C. V. T.; W. C. Whitaker, G. W. R.; C. A. Everitt, G. T.; F. W. Stevens, G. U.; D. E. Shaw, G. G.

**She Ate Too Many Pickles.**

The pretty daughter of a Columbus (O.) preacher is in a bad fix. She has eaten pickles until she has dwindled from 200 to 60 pounds. She can no longer eat. Her tongue is as dry and hard as a piece of leather, and her physicians say that the interior of her stomach is as hard and smooth as the surface of polished glass. The young lady is only sixteen years old.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

**A BABY'S EPITAPH.**

April made me; Winter laid me here away asleep; Bright as Maytime was my daytime; night is soft and deep; Though the morrow bring forth sorrow, well are ye that weep. Ye that held me dear, behold me not a twelve-month long; All the while ye saw me smile, ye knew not whence Came that made me smile, and laid me here, and wrought you weal.

Angels, calling from your brawling world one unde- Home-ward made me, and forbade me here to rest beguiled; Here I sleep not; pass and weep not here upon your child. —*Algonon Charles Sulburne.*

**THE WORLD OF BOOKS.**

**Notes and Announcements.**

George Eliot's style was "baggy," says Mr. Henry James. It is gravely and truthfully announced in England that since Mr. Gladstone's reply to Col. Ingersoll her portraits are placed in one frame and exhibited at the elevated railway stations.

The *Travellers Record* for June has been received from Messrs. M. & T. B. Robinson, agents of the Traveler's Insurance company in this city. The *Record* is a handsome and original monthly, worthy of the company which publishes it.

Victor Hugo's volume of posthumous poetry, *Toute la Lyre*, has been arranged by M. Paul Meurice and M. Auguste Vacqueris in "seven chords." These are nature, humanity, philosophical thought, art, self-communion, love, phantasy.

A New York man has been arrested in Montreal for "borrowing a book." If he had stolen it, Canadian etiquette would have prevented his detention. But we are glad to hear of a book-borrower's arrest anyway. A book-borrower ought to be arrested, and every bibliophile in this land will cry hallo! hallo! as he cuts this scrap out and pastes it away among the treasures of his library.—*New York Sun.*

H. Rider Haggard, according to the *Critic*, should study the Ten Commandments. In his latest novel he says: "There is no doubt that if through any cause—such, for instance, as the sudden discovery by the great and highly civilized American people that the seventh commandment was probably intended to apply to authors among the rest of the world—the pecuniary rewards of literary labor," etc., etc. The *Critic* naturally wants to know what Mr. Rider Haggard intended to insinuate. We are inclined to think that Mr. Haggard got mixed on the numerical features of the Decalogue.—*New York World.*

**EQUITY SALE.**

There will be sold at Public Auction, at Chubb's Corner (so-called), in the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, on TUESDAY, the seventeenth day of July, next, at twelve o'clock, noon, pursuant to the directions of a decretal order of the Supreme Court in Equity, made on the eighth day of May last, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein HECTOR McMILLAN and DANIEL McDONALD are Plaintiffs, and ADA M. KING, and MARY E. KING, and ROBERT D. McARTHUR, and SAMUEL P. OSOON, Trustees of and under the last will and testament of the late THOMAS KING, deceased, are Defendants, by and with the approbation of the undersigned Referee in Equity, the lands and premises described in the bill of complaint, in the said cause and in the said decretal order as follows, that is to say:—

First—A lot of land known and distinguished on the map or plan of the said City of Saint John, by the number 1149 (eleven hundred and forty-nine), fronting on Saint James street, in the said City of Saint John. Second—All that certain lot, piece, or parcel of land, situate, lying, and being on the south side of King Street, in Queen's Ward, in the City of Saint John, being part of the lot known on the plan of the said city as lot number four hundred and thirty-seven (437) and bounded and described as follows: That is to say, commencing on the south side of King Street, at the northwest corner of the land formerly owned by James Milligan, deceased, at a point distant about seventy feet from the southwest corner of King and Pitt Streets, thence southerly parallel to Pitt Street twenty-five feet, or to the southwest corner of the said Milligan land, thence easterly parallel to King Street thirty feet or thereabouts to the western boundary line of a lot numbered (438) four hundred and thirty-eight, thence southerly along the western line of lot 438 seven feet or to the rear line of said lot 437 (four hundred and thirty-seven), thence westerly along said rear line forty feet to the easterly line of lot number four hundred and thirty-six, thence northerly along the said last mentioned line one hundred feet to King Street, and thence easterly ten feet along King Street to the place of beginning.

Third—All that certain lot, piece, and parcel of land, situate, lying, and being in Queen's Ward, in the said City of Saint John, and known on the map or plan of the said City of Saint John, by the number (436) four hundred and thirty-six, having a front of forty-two feet on the southern side of King Street and extending back, preserving the same width one hundred feet more or less.

Fourth—The leasehold lot of land described in the lease thereof from the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonality of the City of St. John, dated the twenty-second day of January, A. D. 1875, to Robert D. McArthur and Samuel P. Ossoon, Executors and Trustees under the last will and testament of Thomas King, late of the said city, deceased, as all that certain piece and parcel of land situate in Queen's Ward, in the said City of Saint John, being part of lot known and distinguished on the plan of the said city on file in the office of the Common Clerk by the number (438) Four Hundred and Thirty-eight, the said piece and parcel of land hereby demised being described as follows: Beginning on Pitt Street, at the south-easterly corner of said lot number (438) Four Hundred and Thirty-eight, thence northerly along Pitt Street aforesaid seventy-five feet to a portion of said lot number (438) Four Hundred and Thirty-eight; thence southerly along said westerly line of said lot number (438) Four Hundred and Thirty-eight; thence southerly along said westerly line and parallel to Pitt Street aforesaid seventy-five feet; thence easterly forty feet to the place of beginning, with all and singular the rights, members and appurtenances to the said lot belonging or in anywise appearing together with the said indenture of lease and the buildings and improvements on the said leasehold land standing and being. The said leasehold lands and premises, together with the said lot number (437) Four Hundred and Thirty-seven above mentioned and described, will be sold in three separate lots, according to the plan filed with the undersigned referee in equity.

Fifth—A tract of land situate in the Parish of Moncton, in the County of Westmorland, in our Province of New Brunswick, and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at the northwesterly angle of lot number One Hundred and Forty-nine, in Block seven; thence running by the magnet of the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-three, south eighty degrees, west one hundred and fifty-one chains, crossing a reserved road of beginning, and ending at the right angles, thence north ten degrees, east sixty-eight chains; thence north ten degrees, east one hundred and fifty-one chains, thence north ten degrees west, sixty-eight chains, crossing North river, to the place of beginning, containing one thousand acres, more or less, distinguished as lots number One Hundred and Fifty-one, One Hundred and Fifty-two, One Hundred and Fifty-three, One Hundred and Fifty-four and One Hundred and Fifty-five, in Block seven.

For terms of sale and other particulars, apply to the plaintiffs' solicitors, or to the undersigned referee in equity. Dated the twelfth day of June, A. D. 1888. JOHN L. CARLETON, Referee in Equity. WELDON, McLEAN & DEVLIN, Plaintiffs' Solicitors. W. A. LOCKHART, Auctioneer.

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