

CHRISTIAN CITIZENSHIP

SUBJECT OF THE SERMON OF REV. C. H. NEWING.

Gave a Stirring Address Last Night from His Pulpit in the Dunmore M. E. Church—There is No Nation Strictly Christian Because of the Large Amount of Crime, Intemperance and Impurity, but Generally They Are Referred to as Christian Nations.

Rev. Charles H. Newing, pastor of the Dunmore Methodist church, delivered an eloquent and stirring sermon last evening on the subject of "Christian Citizenship." He took for his text the words found in first Peter, second chapter, ninth verse: "But ye are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a peculiar people that ye should show forth the praises of Him who hath called you by His marvelous light."

The nation is not simply an aggregate of individuals. It is a mass of individuals in relation to each other. To create and sustain private virtue is to do a great and important work, but there is often private virtue where there is not much public spirit. A man may be a kind husband and a cruel citizen. A man may be a good church member and a cold and careless member of society. What is needed is a larger conception of Christian life, of its duties and responsibilities. The word nation is one of those great expressions which contain more than we can conceive, so manifold and subtle are the influences which play upon us that the word itself is a refuge for our ignorance. It stands for forces which are immeasurable.

It stands for history and includes struggles and strains, battles and blood shed, tyrants' frowns and peoples' protests. Take the word America, how much it seems to tell us, but to the stranger they may not see so much of it. In our east extent of territory and broad fields as they come from crowded towns with their old castles and ruins. How is all this huge volume of life to be turned into "Christian citizenship?" That is indeed a great and perplexing question. But it is one which needs our constant attention. There is no nation strictly Christian, because of the large amount of crime, intemperance and impurity, but it is the general aspect of a nation that we are allowed to speak of as Christian. Christian citizenship is in relation to national duties, this shows us that personal salvation is not the only thing of which men should think. The message of the gospel includes the welfare of society. But who does not see how stunted is the growth of many Christians because they are always exercising themselves about their own souls and care nothing for society around them? If this be so, thought should be given by the Christian people to the nation at large. The nation tends to become Christian when the necessities of its thoughts are filled from Christian thinkers.

The church, through its membership, must give more thought to the interest of society, and thus the nation will be a great gainer. I am far from wanting the church to enter the political arena, but it would certainly raise the tone of politics if we as individual Christians face the questions of crime, poverty, amusement and education which belong to the well being of the people. It is only as Christians engaged in these questions can we hope to see the standard of our national life raised. The time has come when the profession of Christianity means an interest in the national welfare. What we need today is more Christian thought in our national life. Christian life must show itself by publicly acknowledging God's goodness if the nation is to become spiritual.

The old pagan idea that every one must attend divine service, has some good in it. We will never be able to tell how much the prosperity of this nation is due to the prayer of God's people. Every congregation of God's worshippers people is a new center of power, enabling the American people to achieve their marvelous success. It is not Sunday worshippers who want so much labor performed on the Sabbath day. Thus breaking down man's moral and spiritual constitution.

The nation tends to become more Christian in as far as the sense of popular responsibility is deepened. There is to be a tendency among us to leave this to a few, but the more popular government becomes, the less it is so. If the few be wise and the masses unwise, the few will be well, but this is not so in our country. It took bold men to stand before the kings and queens and tell them their faults. But there is no less need for law makers today for every Sunday the preachers and every week day the press writers are confronting the Caesars who rule this country. The task is more difficult now because of the many subjects about which we must speak to the people. If there is any oppression, they are the oppressors, there is no less need for law makers today for every Sunday the preachers and every week day the press writers are confronting the Caesars who rule this country.

Men who are seeking the general welfare of the community and not one who are seeking to satisfy their own personal ambitions. Proud are we of being Americans. The cause of civilization and the gospel has been already committed to our hands and we shall move forward to conquer the world for Christ in as far as we the people fulfill our obligations at home.

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ADDITIONS TO LIBRARY.

New Books That Were Added to the List During the Month of June.

The following new books have been received at the Scranton Public Library during the month of June:

- PHILOSOPHY—RELIGION. Pierce, A. J.—Studies in auditory and space perception. 152 P. Brewer, D. J.—American citizenship. Yale lectures. 172 P. Ritchie, D. G.—Studies in political and social ethics. 172 P. Ritchie, D. G.—The World's speech makers. 184 P. Strong, Josiah—Next great awakening. 204 P. Geo. Henry—Elizabethan prayer-book and ornaments. 234 P. Freeman, Flora L.—Religious and social work amongst girls. 251 P. Conway, M. D.—Sacred anthology (originally). 250 P.

SOCIOLOGY.

- Carnegie, Andrew—Empire of business. 394 P. Ballagh, J. C.—History of slavery in Virginia. 308 P. Gibbs, M. W.—Shadows and light; autobiography with reminiscences. 222 P. Craufurd, H. J.—Field training of a company of infantry. 356 P. O'Byrne, W. L.—Kings and vikings; stories from Irish history. 358 P. O'Byrne, W. L.—Land of heroes; stories from early Irish history. 358 P.

SCIENCE.

- Hodge, C. F.—Nature study and life. 507 P. Randall, H. W.—Expansion of gases by heat. 508 P. Jacoby, Harold—Practical talks by an astronomer. 549 P. Wheeler, W. H.—Sea coast; description, measurements. 559 P. Morgan, J. L. R.—Elements of physical chemistry. 541 P. Wheeler, W. H.—Sea coast; description, littoral drift, protection. 551 P. Mathews, F. S.—Field book of American wild flowers. 580 P. Fowler, W. W.—More tales of the birds. 582 P. Wheelock, Irene G.—Nestlings of forest and marsh. 582 P.

USEFUL ARTS.

- Cresse, F. A.—Practical pointers for painters. 608 P. Richards and Williams—Dietary computer. 613 P. Harcourt, L. F. V.—Civil engineering as applied in construction. 630 P. Haswell, C. H.—Mechanics and engineers' pocket-book. 626 P. Kent, William—Mechanical engineers' pocket-book. 626 P. Goss, W. F. M.—Locomotive sparks. 621 P. Miller, J. A.—Practical handbook for miner and prospector and mining instructor. 622 P. Howe, M. A.—Treatise on arches. 621 P. Merriman and Jacoby—Bridge design. 621 P.

FICTION.

- Payne, W. M.—Little leaders. 801 P. Payne, W. M.—Editorial echoes. 801 P. Price, poetical speaker. 808 P. Reynolds, Cuyler—Banquet book. 808 P. Pich, W. C.—Captain Jinks of the Horse-marines; a drama. 812 P. Bridge, Norman—Rewards of taste, etc. 814 P. Clemens, S. L.—Double barreled detective. 817 P. Crosby, Ernest—Captain Jinks, hero. 817 P. Thornton, G. H.—Self-educator in English composition. 824 P.

FICTION.

- Brady, C. T.—Honor and Ten. 825 P. Carson, W. H.—Hester Blair. 825 P. Crockett, S. R.—Dark o' the moon. 826 P. Dix and Harper—Beau's comedy. 827 P. Doyle, A. C.—Hound of the Baskervilles. 830 P. Glasgow, Ellen—Battleground, The. 831 P. Glasgow, Ellen—Voice of the people. 831 P.

HOWELS, W. D.—KENTONS, THE. 832 P.

HUBBARD, ELBERT—TIME AND CHANCE. 833 P.

LATHMER, ELIZABETH W.—PRINCE INCognito. 834 P.

MEADIN, N. M.—ASSASSIN. THE. 835 P.

SEARS, HAMBLEN—None but the brave. 836 P.

BIOGRAPHY.

- Mathes, J. H.—General Forrest. 825 P. Clodd, Edward—Thomas Henry Huxley. 827 P. Reid, T. W.—William Black, novelist. 828 P.

TRAVEL AND HISTORY.

- Carpenter, F. G.—Europe; geography readers. 885 P. Fredericksen, N. C.—Finland. 914 P. Hall, G. D.—Rending of Virginia. 915 P.

THE MARKETS

SATURDAY STOCK QUOTATIONS

The following quotations are furnished by The Tribune by Haight & Freese Co., 312 Western Building, W. D. Runyon, manager.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks including Amal. Copper, Am. C. & F., American Ice, etc.

CHICAGO GRAIN & PROVISION.

Table with columns: WHEAT, CORN, OATS, LARD, RIBS. Lists prices for various grains and provisions.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

Table with columns: Open, High, Low, Close. Lists cotton market prices.

BANK STATEMENT.

Table with columns: Reserve, Increase, Loans, Increase, etc. Lists bank financial data.

Scranton Board of Trade Exchange Quotations—All Quotations Based on Par of 100.

Table with columns: Bid, Asked. Lists exchange rates for various banks and institutions.

BONDS.

Table with columns: Scranton Packing Co., Scranton Passenger, etc. Lists bond prices.

Scranton Wholesale Market.

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