

ROLLERS OF WORLD DARKNESS GIVES SERMON ON SUBJECT

Dr. W. H. Foulkes at the First Presbyterian Church Makes Classification of Forces He Says Working for Liquor.

"The World Rulers of This Darkness" was the subject of the evening sermon delivered by Dr. William Hiram Foulkes at the First Presbyterian church last evening.

"In the dramatization of Conan Doyle's 'Sherlock Holmes,' the interest is in the grim and sinister personality of old Moriarty, the arch criminal of London, who, sitting at the center of his web, reached out and touched and controlled the crime of the world's metropolis.

"The final group of men who are of the world's rulers of darkness includes the street corner loafers, who, in their idleness and loafing, are the cause of the world's poverty and suffering.

"The world rulers of this darkness are careful to keep their kingdom before men. The great Associated Press that has wrought such a mighty work in disseminating information has never yet cleared itself of the charge of being hand in glove with the kingdom of darkness.

"A company of benevolent gentlemen, many of whom stand high in our financial and social circles, have organized a 'Home Rule Association' in beautiful to see the concern displayed for our homes, our boys and our girls by this worthy association.

"Who is paying expenses? Who is paying for all this billboard advertising? Who is importing and paying this gallant army of colonels and majors and perhaps ministers, who are coming from all over the world to keep us safe folded in the loving embrace of the licensed saloon?

"What has happened in many a year? Some, otherwise intelligent and personally respectable men, whose names appear as 'Home Rulers,' may believe that they are not interested in the liquor traffic, but if they are stupid enough to believe that their movement is not soul and body, a liquor movement we are not deceived.

"Who are some of the world rulers of this darkness? Let me name some classes of men: First, corrupt officials who have sworn to be rulers of this land of liberty to enforce the laws and administer them. How many crimes, if traced to their source, could be laid at the door of those who have sworn to ferret out crime.

"This last week on a train I sat opposite a man in the diner who had his bottle of ale. He looked at my 'Oregon Dry' button so insistently that I knew something was coming. Finally he leaned over and said: 'I see you wearing an 'Oregon Dry' button. Are you a professional temperance lecturer or does the button represent your sentiments?'

"Learning across the table he said very unexpectedly: 'My friend, I am absolutely with you. It may seem to be inconsistent for me to drink my ale, I like it and frequently I drink it, but

If Oregon will so dry till gladly give it up for the sake of the state. All the meanness I ever knew I learned in the back room of Popary's saloon back in Ohio, that kept open after hours. The old companions have gone to the dogs and I came near going there. I am a traveling man who covers this entire northwest and I have made a scientific cold blooded study of the 'wet and dry' business, and I want to say that the whole country can't go dry too soon to suit me. If I had one of those buttons I would wear it gladly.

Gave Him His Button. "As I gave him mine, promising to get another for myself, he said, 'What makes me absolutely furious is the way the big business men see putting dollars and business in front of the moral consideration of the boys of this state and the girls are worth more than all the big business interests put together.'

"I do not say that every business man must agree with me or be a rascal, but I am willing to say that the business man who habitually meets every attempt to secure any reform of existing evils by the phrase, 'It hurts business,' is laying himself open to the charge of being in the close confidence of the world rulers of this darkness.

"A third class of men of these rulers is that certain few in every community whose wealth directly comes from the fruits of crime. The brewer who forces his goods by fraud and evasion into the market, that he 'dry' as criminal and his gains are ill gotten. Of course, he wants home rule, saloon rule, brewers rule.

"Another class of world rulers of this darkness includes the professional politicians, who are up in the air every campaign; Republicans today and Democrats tomorrow; always looking to see where their bread is buttered.

"How are these rulers exercising their sovereignty? Never by the straight-forward and meeting of an issue, but always by evasion and dodging. "An officer of the United States Internal Revenue Service says that Miss Brehm fearfully exaggerated the number of illicit places for the sale of liquor. After his plausible explanations have been made they leave only a hundred houses of ill fame and the like rumpling without a city license. Only 100? What a shocking admission! What a beautiful tribute to the successful liquor system! What a wonderful tribute to the ability of the model license league!

Doesn't Fear Threats. "I am told that the world rulers of the darkness are going to publish a list of men active in the temperance fight who are doing evil things, renting property for houses of ill fame. Whoever the men are, let them be smoked out! They are going to get club tickets for liquor signed by some temperance men. Let them proceed at once and hurl that bomb; but let them be sure it is not a boomerang, for men are getting used to their tactics of assassination of reputation and even of persons. The issue is not going to be obscured by the world rulers of this world pointing their fingers and saying, 'You're another!'

"Young men of the state of Oregon, are you subjects of the world rulers of this darkness? Do they depend upon you for revenue, for help, for votes? Or are you among those who have been translated out of the kingdom of darkness into the kingdom of light, and who are willing to fight the good fight of faith until victory comes?"

CONGREGATIONALISTS MEET; 14TH TRIENNIAL. Boston, Mass., Oct. 10.—Several thousand delegates and visitors are in Boston to attend the fourteenth triennial meeting of the national council of Congregational churches, which will hold forth in this city during the ensuing 10 days.

INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF HUMANE WORKERS. Washington, D. C., Oct. 10.—Delegates from the principal countries of Europe and America are in Washington to take part in the International Human Congress. The sessions were formally opened today and will continue until the end of the week.

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APPLE SEASON AT HOOD RIVER Largest Yields in State's Apple History Reported by Growers.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Hood River, Or., Oct. 10.—The apple season is on in earnest at Hood River. Hundreds of pickers and packers are at work gathering the crop and preparing it for market.

The largest apple tree in Hood River valley measures 50 inches in circumference and is bearing most prolifically. The best apple picking record ever made in the Hood River valley has just been made by A. L. Mason, who began picking apples on the 21st day of September and finished on the 6th day of October, and who lost two days on account of rain.

Mr. Mason has the largest apple packing house in the state. A spur of the railroad is built into the building. The shortage of apple boxes is working some damage to the growers. About 175 cars of apples have been forwarded from Hood River this season, together with 15 cars of pears.

BEAUTY OF SOUTH IN "CAMEO KIRBY" Story of Gambling Days on the Mississippi River Told in Play at Baker.

By A. L. There never was a time when the gallantry and honor of southern gentlemen and the beauty and charm of the women of the south did not exert a spell all their own and "Cameo Kirby" at the Baker this week is a splendid type of play built on these foundation stones.

The story is laid in the ever fascinating environs of New Orleans in the days when professional gamblers of high and low caste made their living gambling with wealthy southern gentlemen on the Mississippi river boats. The hero is one Eugene Kirby, called Cameo Kirby, because of the ornaments which he wears. He is accused of murdering John Randall and causing his death, as well as killing another in a duel.

Young Randall seeks his life and to escape his pursuer, Cameo takes refuge in the first open window he sees. It is the Randall home and he is aided by Adele Randall without either knowing who the other is. It is love at first sight and the basis of the remaining complications and exciting situations which finally clear Cameo in the last act when the curtain falls on the situation of his leaving to begin his life over again.

Thomas McLarnie was delighted as Cameo Kirby from his whimsical smile and quiet dignity and force of his heavier scenes. In the lighter moments his comedy was delightful and his portrayal of the role is easily the finest thing he has done with the Baker company.

The part of Adele, although not exacting, became one of moment in the hands of Miss Allee Flemming, who was altogether lovely in her simplicity and perfect womanliness. To John Burns fell the first laugh of the piece and he reaped a rich harvest of them, for as Larkin Bunch, Cameo's partner, of ample proportions, he is as perfect a character as could be imagined.

John Sherman gave an unusually good portrayal and deserves special credit for his handling of young Randall. The remainder of the company was all well cast. With beautiful scenery, Cameo Kirby is an exceptional stock offering.

TRAVELS FAR TO GET OREGON DATA Parke West, Chicago Newspaper Editor, Here to Study Agricultural Situation.

Interest in farm lands of the Pacific northwest, particularly of Oregon, has grown to such an extent in Chicago that the Chicago Record-Herald has assigned Parke West, editor of its department of country lands and industrial promotion, to make a painstaking study of the agricultural situation out here to gather data with which to answer hundreds of inquiries that pour into its office every day.

"Since I have been hobnobbing with farmers and looking into the great problem of irrigation I have picked up some valuable information for my department," he said. "This is surely a marvelous country. No wonder you fellows out here are consistent boosters. Because I am in a position to know, I want to say that Oregon is the most talked about state in the union at present. The great majority of inquiries from prospective land buyers affect this state. If every one who asks for information concerning Oregon should suddenly decide to pack up and come here the state wouldn't be large enough to hold them."

"I have also made a deep study of dry farming. It is an interesting subject. I am now ready to return with enough data to satisfy the most skeptical buyer. "They speak of Minneapolis as a well lighted city. I think Portland leads that city by several miles when it comes to lights."

Mr. West attended the fifth Dry Farming congress and exposition at Spokane, October 3-5, to enlarge his fund of information. He is now bound homeward.

POSTMASTER OF ATHENA IS SERIOUSLY ILL. (Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Athena, Or., Oct. 10.—Postmaster L. A. Githens of this city is very ill with Bright's disease and very little hope is held out for his recovery. Mr. Githens' health has been failing for several years and for the last year he has been up and down, and it was thought that one of his attacks was going to prove fatal, but he recovered to a certain extent and tried to take his old stand in the post-office, but he soon became ill again and has been very sick for the past two months. The last few days he has been growing worse and if it continues he cannot last long. However, his son Herald is now in charge of the office.

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Hate Inquiry in North Dakota. Aberdeen, S. D., Oct. 10.—An inquiry was begun by the interstate commerce commission here today into the rates on grain and grain products into Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth over the St. Paul, with the Chicago & Northwestern, the Great Northern, the Northern Pacific, the Soo Line and other roads.

Dix-Townsend Wedding. New York, Oct. 10.—One of the most notable weddings that New York has seen this fall took place today in Grace church, when Miss Josephine Witherpoon Townsend became the bride of John Adams Dix. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Townsend, who are among the leaders of fashionable society in the metropolis. Mr. Dix is the only son of the late Rev. Dr. Madison Dix, the rector of Trinity church. He is also a grandson of the late Governor John A. Dix and a cousin of the Republican nominee for governor this year.

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