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ADDRESS BY DR. DAVID PAULSON, AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH IN TOPEKA, SUNDAY, APRIL 20, 3 P. M.

I thought that I would speak to you upon the problem of our large cities. In speaking of our large cities it is almost a difficult matter to know what to take up first. The problem is so tremendously large. The problem is so great that the easiest way to solve it is to not solve it at all, and that is just what the majority of Christians are doing everywhere, They say "The state makes provisions for those people," or they belong to the Methodist church, or they do not belong to any church, and so it is not our duty and they can not expect us to do anything for them. Those are the statements that we meet. I have but little hopes of a man being saved in the kingdom of heaven who is not attempting to have a heaven here below. Brethren, I have but very little faith in a man ever being saved who does not allow God to use him enough to create a heaven here below. For if he has not spirit enough in him to try to make a heaven here, he would not know what to do with heaven if he had it over

God will not let his children be neglected, because you and I do not do our duty. The same voice that said the stones shall cry out, still speaks in this world. You and I may ignore the problems in our great cities and say that it does not concern us, but God will raise up agencies. He has done it and he will do it again. But we cannot afford to neglect these things, because we will lose an experience that cannot be gotten in any other way. We cannot get an experience trom the work of others any more than we can satisfy our hunger when others are doing the eating. Going to meeting and prayer meeting is not the thing that will give us an experience that dark days will not take away from us. It is an experience that we should get, but that is not enough.

You do not have to look far for work to do. It may be that your own husband or child is carrying a sad spot in their hearts that you do not imagine. Get a little better acquainted with them. When you come close to people, you will find cords that are broken, but which will vibrate once more if you will heal the cords that are broken. I have met students in the school whose hearts were perfectly indifferent to the claims of the gospel. I have come close

enough to some of them to find out the cause. I had a talk with one young lady who was a stranger to grace and as I talked to her, she said, "O, I wish my father would get acquainted with me."

Not a great while ago, I picked up a child whose mother was dead and its father was in the Phillipines. I took it into my home and began to try to let a little sunlight into her heart and now she kisses me and tells how much she loves me. Brethren, it is a blessed experience. Now that poor little child was starving for human sympathy before. It is wonderful how they will come out.

There is one little boy in Chicago who does not know who his parents are. That boy was sleeping on the sidewalk and was so dirty you could not tell what he looked like. He and a little girl had been following a lude woman, who seemed to have charge of them. One of our patients ran across him and got the child and took him home. Someone said, "O, that is one of old Hulda's kids." Two years have passed by and now he is a beautiful boy; he is a bright boy. Dr. Kellogg has him and he is the brightest boy he has.

The other day a sad case was brought up in the juvenile court in Chicago. A boy seven years old was in the Ga'veston disaster and his father and mother were both killed. The boy wandered from Galveston, riding on freight trains until he reached Chicago. One of our sisters beard that he was arrested and would doubtless be sent to the reform school. She telephoned to Dr. Hunter and told her that she wished she would do something for the boy. Dr. Hunter went down and told the judge she would take care of the boy. She took him and he has been running calls for us at the Sanitarium. He does not seem to have any bad habits. He does not steal, lie or swear and he is just a nice boy.

Now you say, "Well, what can we do?" Of course you cannot be there and do all that; but we must get an instinct in our hearts and then we will find something to do. Somehow we have come to feel as though it must be and so we do not help any body. God only asks us to be true to the opportunities that we have had and if we are true to them, God will give us greater opportunities. Some think if they had better opportunities they would do something; but we do not improve the opportunities we do have. We have had that boy at the Sanitarium for two weeks now and he is a good boy and Dr. Hunter says she is going to send him off to her uncle's farm.

About one and one-half years ago my wife and I were visiting in one of the toughest places in Chicago. We were in a back alley and there was a family living there which had five or six children. The father was sick, I presume he had tuberculosis, or something, and the mother tried to support the family by taking in washing. The oldest girl wanted to go home with us. My wife wanted to take her home and did so. When we got her home she began washing her up and trying to make her look like something. By and by she got to wanting to put her arms around my wife's neck and the first thing my wife knew she had caught a lot of vermin from the child. It took a long time to get rid of them. She

taught the child some scripture verses and she used to go home and repeat them to her mother and then religious prejudice arose in that mother's heart and she took the child away from us. Then the Lord sent us a beautiful child. Just a beautiful child! If we had looked the world over we could not have found a child that would have suited us better. I have found that when we are willing to do what God wants us to do, he will give us the best thing. As soon as I was willing to take that cross eyed girl into our home, God took her away from us and gave us a sweet child.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

CHILE, SOUTH AMERICA.

BRETHREN AND SISTERS IN KANSAS:

With the permission of the Editor we will again talk with you all a few minutes through the Worker. We are daily receiving more and more of God's blessings. It seems that the past few weeks have been the happiest of our lives. We are of good courage in the Lord and happy in his service. Have never been of better courage in the Lord's work. When we see how the Lord is leading out in advance and preparing the way for the work in this great field we could not be otherwise than of good courage. Praise His holy name.

February 28, in company with Elder Westphal (who had just two days previous arrived from Argentina) I started with him for a trip through Chile. The object of this trip was to become better acquainted with the field and its needs. And yet how faint an idea could we get in so brief a time, of a field over 4,000 miles in length, embracing four republics with 10,000,000 people. Our trip which extended about 1.500 miles from north to south was entirely in Chile.

Leaving Valparaiso Feb. 28 in the morning, we the same afternoon reached Santiago, the capital of Chile, a city of 280,000 people, where we have a nice little church of about 40 members. Remaining with them over the Sabbath, we on Sunday morning went on to another place where in the afternoon I baptized three Chilenos in a rapid mountain stream. On arriving at this place (where there are ten Sabbath keepers) the provincial judge sent us word that if our room was too small we might use his for meetings. From this place we made stops at a number of places, some where there is only one and others where there are a number of representitives of the truth. On my trips I baptized in all, ten.

The trip south covered a distance of about 500 miles by rail through a very fine valley. Fruits in abundance. Vineyards of hundreds of acres, almost like the wheat fields in Kansas. Such large fine grapes I have never before seen. The fruits are of the California varieties. Grapes, peaches, pears, plums, apples, quinces, oranges, lemons and in fact nearly all of the fruits with which we are familiar in Kansas, besides many others are grown in at least some part. The country is so long that it has every shade of climate. Since returning from our north trip a brother from the south sent us a nice box of fruit. And today I received a freight bill from another brother still farther south (about 500 miles from here) who is sending us 120 pounds of honey. He must expect us to live sweet. I might add in this connection that honey is very cheap only about 4 to 5 cents a pound and of the very finest kind.

Returning from our trip south, we started north by boat March 15. Traveling north of Valparaiso is done mostly by boats. Railroads are short, only from points inland. The first stop north of Valparaiso was at Port Caldera, about 400 miles up the coast. From this port we went by rail (the cldest R. R. in southern hemisphere completed in 1851. We were glad for the privilege of riding over it,) inland to Capiapo, a beautiful city up in the mountain valley. Here we found about ten Sabbath keepers who had never seen a Seventh-day Adventist preacher

before. Their only knowledge of the truth having been received from one of the faithful canvassers, who has worked untiringly for six or seven years in this field. In the tracks of the canvassers, believers are springing up everywhere. I have never before seen such manifest developments of the canvassing work as in this field. In various parts there are Sabbath keepers the direct result of the canvassers work. In the last two weeks I have gotten three letters from three different persons from one place, who have never seen a minister, some of them asking for baptism, some sending money to help on the work; surely 'this is the Lord's doing and marvelous in our eyes." We must go or send help to them as soon as possible While north we learned of similar cases in both Peru and Bolivia. So all through the field there are openings and urgent calls for work. But we must have more workers with which to supply these calls.

Spending but a few days at this place we returned to the port and had to remain there for several days waiting for boat connections on north. The brother who was with us as interpreter spent part of his time canvassing for the paper 'Senales,' securing 40 yearly subscriptions and selling nearly 200 copies of the paper in a few hours time. I, myself, on one occasion, knowing but little of the language, sold 51 copies of the paper in five or six hours. I mention this to show that there is a good opening for colporter or canvassing work in this field.

We reached Iquique (pronounced I-kee-kee) on Wednesday and remained there until the following Monday. At this place there is also a nice company of believers. The largest company in all the West Coast field. They have a very commendable place of meeting. They say one of the nicest halls in the city. Iquique brethren showed their love for the truth by paying us over \$500 (Chilian) tithes and offerings while we were there. Of course this was not so much as it takes about three or three and a half Chilian dollars to be worth one of Uncle Sam's; but to them it means quite as much and shows that they have a real love for the truths of the Third Angel's Message.

In consultation with Elder Westphal and the brethren we have decided that it would be best to move our office and head-quarters for this West Coast Field to Iquique. Valparaiso is very central for Chile alone, but not for the whole of the field which embraces the four republics, Peru, Bolivia, Ecuador and Chile. There are also other reasons than that of its geographical location that makes Iquique the better place for headquarters of our work.

Elder Westphal wrote a series of very interesting articles for the "Magazine" upon Chile while here. I wish that all of our brethren and sisters in Kansas had the Missionary Magazine so that they could read these articles of his.

Before this reaches you we will be located in our new headquarters 1000 miles north of Valparaiso, so if our friends will please note the change of address it will avoid delay and possible loss of correspondence.

Mrs. O. desires to be remembered with best wishes to all.

Yours in the work,

Casilla 240 Iquique, Chile.

A. R. OGDEN.

Sixty churches have sent in their reports for the quarter ending March 31, 1902. We wish reports from the balance of the churches at once. Shall we get them?

T. J. EAGLE, Conference Secretary.

Excellent rains all along the Rock Island Road from Enid, Oklahoma, to Topeka, crop prospects are brightening daily. Now is the time, just now, to work ten hours per day canvassing in the wheat districts. We make a loud call for volunteers, who will answer? Get up and go? Do you hear the voice of the spirit calling you? Delay not to respond.

C. McR.

TO OUR SISTERS.



OMMENCING with the issue of June 4, there will appear regularly in the Signs of the Times, for the term of ten weeks, a series of articles by Dr. Mary Wood-Allen treating the oft perplexing question in many homes—the rearing of the children. The health and training of the child from infancy is treated upon by this able writer in a manner that will prove exceedingly helpful to

parents who read the articles and practice the suggestions given. In addition to the home blessing to be derived from these articles, we believe they open the door of missionary activity to our sisters which they will not be slow to enter. Mrs. Wood-Allen is widely known as a W. C. T. U. worker, and our sisters can circulate the Signs containing these articles among their W. C. T. U. neighbors without exciting prejudice. Certainly this is an opportunity for our sisters which they will appreciate.

The subscription rate for three months which will embrace the entire series is but 40 cents. Five copies to one name and address 88 cents; ten copies to one name \$1.75; larger clubs pro rata.

Send your orders at once to The Kansas Tract Society and secure the series complete.

A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY.

Read and see if this does not mean you. The Correspondence School for purses, connected with the Sanitarium Medical Missionary Training School, will begin a new class the first of July. Lessons are sent weekly to students who are unable to leave home duties in order to take a regular Course at one of our Sanitariums. This is the fourth year this work has been carried on and hundreds are availing themselves of it. Studies on eleven subjects are given, among which missionary work and care and treatment of the sick are prominent. Our lessons have recently been revised and enlarged and are in every way much improved. The tuition fee is \$3 which barely covers the cost in sending out the lessons, correcting the replies and returning the reports to the pupil. The text-books required for this work are furnished at actual cost price. We shall organize a new class in July which will continue one year, (some finish in six months,) and shall be glad to hear from all who are interested. A descriptive circular giving full particulars, will be sent free on application. Address, Correspondence Department Sanitarium Training School, Battle Creek, Mich.

A CALL.

Many are called. Called to what? To go from house to house and carry the truth to the homes and hearts of the people. Are you called to this work? Will you go? Do you believe the Lord has called you? Don't say I am too busy. It is the busy men and women He wants. Such people are always in demand even in worldly pursuits. I believe the Spirit of God has spoken to this people and so do you believe it. But it is absolutely certain that some, yes, many are refusing His call. You ask, "Is it I?" Yes, it is you. He says "one hundred should be in the field where there is now one." Have you faith in God? faith in the last message of Mercy and warning? It is the last the very last. We have reached a critical point, a test is placed upon many a soul today. "To this man will I look even to him that is poor and of a contrite spirit and trembleth at My word." Isa, 66:2.

C. McReynolds.

THE RUSSELL CAMP-MEETING.

While this meeting is appointed to accommodate our German brethren in the western part of the state, it will also be in reach of quite a number of our English brethren who have not had camp-meeting privileges for years. Besides the local German help in the state we will have the services of Elder F. H. Westphal and we also expect Elder A. J. Voth of Oklahoma, recently from Dakota. This meeting comes in before harvest, and we believe our people will attend it.

Besides those named, Elders Beeson, McReynolds, Brother Surber and our Tract Society Secretary, Brother Becker, will attend and possibly other help. The Object Lesson work and the school work will receive much attention.

We believe our brethren will appreciate this opportunity and we confidently expect a good attendance. Tents will be on the ground. Let those who want them write at once to Kansas Tract Society, 821 W. 5th St., Topeka.

C. MCREYNOLDS.

TENTS FOR CAMP-MEETINGS.

Economy is a God-given principle. Our Saviour taught it by precept and by example. There is a saying as true as old, that "A dollar saved is a dollar made." Let us all apply this principle and reduce it to practice in our plans for camp-meetings this year. You ask how? By writing to the Kansas Tract Society and stating that you want a tent and which meeting you will attend. Send in your order as soon as you have decided and it will be placed on record and the tent will be on the ground and pitched in time for you. Much money has been lost by the committee being left to guess as to the number of tents that would be needed, and more were sent than were called for and thus a much larger freight bill was paid than was necessary. A few postal cards will save many dollars. Will you help us to save this extra expense? With your co-operation it can be done.

C. McR.

THE SUMMER ASSEMBLY.

From 2,000 churches comes a call for well trained teachers. Wherever there is a church there should be a Christian teacher. It cannot be expected that a person educated in the public schools will know how to teach a Christian school without making a study of the principles and methods to be applied when the Bible is the basis of the education. Justice demands that teachers have an opportunity to take some training. This fact has appealed to the general conference committee, to conference presidents and educational laborers and the way has been prepared for such a training.

From June 12 to August 20 there will be held at Berrien Springs, Michigan, on Emmanual Missionary College farm, a summer school for teachers and Christian Business men. Tuition is free, rent is free and a students only regular expense will be for board. Board will be served on the European plan.

Has God called you to teach? Do you know of persons who should be in the work but who are not because they are in need of training? All such persons should read the announcement of the summer assembly. Send for one for yourself and friends.

Address

E. A. SUTHERLAND, Berrien Springs, Michigan.

Wanted.—Homes in the country for two children, a boy of ten and a girl twelve years of age. Anyone knowing of such homes, should address Mrs. L. E. Cox, 315 S. Topeka Ave., Wichita, Kansas.

Sister J. M. Spooner, at Wakefield, Kansas, desires clean papers for a reading rack. Send all postpaid.

All communications intended for the president of the Conference, should be addressed to Elder C. McReynolds, 821 W. 5th St., Topeka, Kansas.

Our Union Conference has been changed in name from the Southwestern to the Central Union Conference and comprises now the states of Nebraska, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas and Colorado.

Elder McReynolds was detained nearly a week in Oklahoma because of a washout caused by a cloud burst near Foss, Oklahoma Territory. He reached this office the 14th at night and left for Kansas City at 4:30 p. m., the next

Elder E. T. Russell formerly president of the Kansas Conference, but now president of the Central Union Conference, left the city last Wednesday, with his family for College View, Neb., where they will make their future home.

In view of the increased cost of stock, it has been decided by the stock holders of the Pacific Press Publishing Company to make a uniform club rate on "Our Little Friend" of 45 cents for five or more copies. This rate will go into effect June 1, 1902.

Brother B. E. Huffman and Miss Mable Blow were united in marriage, Wednesday, May 14, 1902, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Blow, LaCygne, Kansas; Elder A. E. Field officiating. The groom is our state superintendent of Church, Sabbath-school and Young People's Work and has many friends who will unite with the Worker in extending the best wishes as he unites life's interests with the one of his choice.

"Bible Nature Studies" by Prof. M. E. Cady is a new book just from the press. It will aid parents and teachers in educating the children and youth to behold the Creator in His creation, instead of following the trend of the times to "worship the creature instead of the Creator." It connects beautifully the sciences with the Bible and shows how the Book of books is the foundation of all. This book has over 500 pages, 16 chapters, 267 lessons, and will be sent postpaid for \$1.

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CAMP-MEETINGS FOR THE SEASON.

Russell, Russell Co.,	(local)	June 5 to 15
Humbolt, Allen Co.,	66.	July 4 to 13
Kingman, Kingman Co.,	4.6	July 24 to Aug 4
Norton, Norton Co.,	66	Aug. 14 to 25
Junction City, (State and	Confere	ence) Oct. 1 to 12

We clip the following from a private letter received from Elder Parmele, since his arrival at Little Rock, Arkansas: "I found Brother Watts preparing to pitch the tent. Today we resume the task, when a telephone message came to the Sanitarium, one block away, that the neighbors, adjoining the lot were objecting. I called upon them and they said they would go to Europe if we pitched there, -that is the woman said she would and the man said he would go to law. Finally I told him if he would pay for the expense of moving we would move. To this he readily agreed. Before it was definitely known that we were going to move three other telephone messages were received at the Sanitarium, protesting against our tent meeting being held in this neighborhood. So you can see what kind of a field we have here. Our only hope is in God. By faith I can hear him say, as he said to Paul, 'I have much people in this city.' "

"Guide to Correct Language" is a new book by Prof. G. H. Bell. It contains facts that everybody wishes to know about the correct use of the English language. Price \$1.00 postpaid.

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