

Lenten Meditation

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SCIENCE AND RELIGION

Religious worship and prayer can have no meaning except as communion with a living, personal will: their practice "in full assurance of faith" often withers when people think that the cosmos is, or fear that it may be shown to be, an unbroken system of causes and effects. This assumption exercises a wide and unconscious influence, and the weakening of religious certitude thereby engendered is often disclosed in the reactions against it.

It is dismissed as dating from a time when scientists were less modest in their claims than they have since become; and it is argued that there is much to which scientific method is not properly applicable; that the uniformity of nature is not certain. The fact is that belief in the complete uniformity of nature is an act of faith.

Something like a mechanism is inherent in human understanding. Yet this does not rule out freedom in action; it eliminates chaos while providing abundant opportunity for the exercise of intelligence and skill. And in the everyday experience of choosing man is brought, by a chain of past sequences, to a position in which each alternative will lead him along a different path; but neither the past sequences nor the present linkages of cause and effect carry him through the act of choice.

"Nature" is then but the medium of his action, and the prior mental act of choice determines which of very different consequent chains of events shall come to exist in nature. God cannot be fettered by his own uniformities which permit such freedom to man.

In "The Concept of Mind" Mr. Gilbert Ryle has plainly indicated the verbal and other confusions which have made mechanism a bogey. Even in games there is no need to ask indulgence of either

the physical laws or the rules in order to play with wide diversity, intelligence and skill, which their constancy alone makes possible.

To "govern" what does happen is not to ordain what shall happen. If God, in answer to prayer, acts to help the healing of a lesion, there is neither need nor reason to expect the observable process to be less orderly than if the assistance is supplied by antiseptics or drugs.

It is the efficacy of petition to God that is most often denied or doubted, whereas scepticism would be more wisely directed towards the assumption that things are especially providential because they suit man's convenience. And it is often forgotten that prayer for such a spiritual blessing as a change in a selfish heart is, just as much as to pray for material blessings, to ask God to do what otherwise may not be done.

If Christians pray for spiritual help but limit petitions for divine action in particular physical events, the reason should be the belief that in fact God does act in certain ways and not in others, and not that science has pronounced, or can pronounce either the one or the other to be impossible.

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FOR PARENTS - An advertisement by the Chief of Police, C. W. MacArthur, in this newspaper today, calls attention to the fact that three children have been injured by bows and arrows and an air rifle. No doubt many other incidents have occurred where children have fortunately not been seriously injured, and which consequently have not been reported. The movement to erase the causes of possible accidents among children is being brought about through the efforts of the City Police Committee, headed by Councillor M. Alban Farmer.

ROCHFORD SQUARE SCHOOL Honor Roll for March: Grade X - 1. Sylvia Lund; 2. Maureen Beagan; 3. Patricia Morris. Grade IX - 1. Barbara Durant; 2. Bernadette Kelly; 3. Susanne Frances. Grade IX - 1. Patricia Peters; 2. Helen McInnis; 3. Winnifred MacDonald. Grade VIII - 1. Mildred Chandler; 2. Paula Noonan; 3. Beverley McAleer. Grade VIII - 1. Rhoda Longaphie; 2. Naomi McGuigan; 3. Sheila Dolron. Grade VII - 1. Marie Carraghan; 2. Sylvia Coker; 3. Dorothy Russ; 3. Sonia Griffin. Grade VII - 1. Mary Smith; 2. Elizabeth Walker; 3. Genevieve O'Hanley. Grade VII - 1. Dorothy Gallant; 2. Patricia Gaudet; 3. Mary Connolly. Grade VI - 1. Patricia Leightizer; 2. Gemma Kane; 3. Lois McLellan. Grade V - 1. Elaine Trainor; 2. Doreen MacDonald; 3. Agnes MacDonald. Grade V - 1. Linda Paoli; 2. Arlene DesRoches; 3. Jeanette McGuigan. Grade IV - 1. Judith Ann Davies; 2. Patricia Connolly; 3. Joan Bell. Grade IV - 1. Patricia Larter; 2. Georgina Reeves; 3. Sandra Ward. Grade III - 1. Cheryl Ann Connors; 2. Elizabeth Gallant; 3. Karen Mahar. Grade III - 1. Joyce Redmond; 2. Frances MacDonald; 3. Susan Cronin. Grade III - 1. Ann Affleck; 2. Joan Coker; 3. Joan Fitzgerald. Grade II - 1. Barbara Doucette; 2. Paula Campbell; 3. Gloria Anderson. Grade II - 1. Judith Smith; 2. Paula McAvinn; 3. Bernadine MacDonald. Grade I - 1. Paula Kirkbright; 2. Patricia Shelfoon and Patricia Knowles. Grade I - 1. Jeanette Blaquiere; 2. Joan Gallant; 3. Carolyn McCoy.

PERSONALS Her many friends in this Province will regret to hear that Mr. R. Harold Jenkins of Calgary, Alberta, has entered the hospital there for examination.

The many friends of Rev. J. T. Abbott will be pleased to learn that he has returned home from the Prince Edward Island Hospital and is recuperating satisfactorily from an operation.

IN MEMORIAM In sad and loving memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Olivia A. Campbell, who departed this life, April 8, 1950.

Dear God forgive a silent tear The constant wish that she were here, You took her home, it was Thy will But in our hearts she liveth still.

Sadly missed and always remembered by her daughters, Eva, Peggy and Melissa.

IN MEMORIAM In loving memory of our dear son and brother, Pte. J. W. Folland, who departed this life in Newfoundland, April 3rd, 1943. Gone but never will be forgotten. Lovingly remembered by Father, Mother, Sisters, and Brothers.

A Country Garden Continued from page 2 are with having a good root system, so all trees have to be moved every two years so as to have a compact mass of fibrous roots, instead of a straggly root system that you find on small trees growing wild in the fields. It takes about 1,300 Pines to plant an acre six feet apart in the rows. We recommend the Red Pine for planting here but for those that prefer them, we have White Pine. Don't let your cattle pasture in your woodlot as they will destroy all the young seedlings; keep your woodlot fenced.

What does he plant who plants a tree? He plants the friend of sun and sky; He plants the flag of breezes free; The shaft of beauty, towering high; He plants a home to heaven anigh For song a mother-croon of bird In hushed and happy twilight heard, The treble of heaven's harmony— These things he plants who plants a tree.

What does he plant who plants a tree? He plants cool shade and tender rain, And seed and bud of days to be, And years that fade and flush again. He plants the glory of the plain; He plants the forest's heritage;

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ILLEGAL POSSESSION - A resident of Charlottetown convicted of having in his possession for sale preparations containing alcohol without a license, was sentenced yesterday to 10 days, by the Queen's County Magistrate, Mr. Gilbert A. Gaudet.

FIRE CALL - The City Fire Department was called out yesterday to 169 Kent Street for an oil burned fire. The blaze was quickly extinguished and there was no damage reported.

ENGAGEMENT - Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Humphrey, Kensington, wish to announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Norma Jane to Robert Carlyle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Reid, Middleton. Marriage to take place the latter part of April.

POLICE COURT - Eight men charged with being drunk and incapable, were arraigned before the Stipendiary Magistrate at the City Police Court yesterday. Four were fined \$10 and costs or 10 days, three more received a fine of \$5 and costs or five days, and the last offender was sentenced to 20 days. Two men convicted of operating motor vehicles without markers, were fined \$2 and costs or five days.

JARDINE WILL - Proof in solemn form of the will and codicil of the late William Faulkner Jardine of Head of Hillsborough was re-commenced in the Probate Court yesterday before Judge H. L. Palmer. The re-trial became necessary when the Supreme Court of Prince Edward Island ruled on February 28 that it could not at the present stage be transferred to the Supreme Court. Evidence heard previously is being used and in addition Dr. Preston MacIntyre, Montague, and Mrs. Frances Reid testified on behalf of the executors. The case was adjourned for argument to a date to be fixed. Counsel for the executors are Messrs. J. A. Bentley, Q.C. and Malcolm MacKinnon, Q.C. Messrs. W. E. Bentley, Q.C. and K. M. Martin, Q.C. are acting for the next of kin.

SUCCESSFUL TEA - The Tri-U Junior Hi Y held a very successful Easter tea in the Y.M.C.A. on Saturday afternoon, April 5th. The center table was tastefully decorated with spring flowers and candelabra and Margie Jardine and Janet Rogers, president and vice-president of the Club received the guests. Miss Mable Cummings and Miss Elaine Bourke, presidents of the two Philat Societies poured. Members of the Club served the guests. During the tea piano music was supplied by Misses Malda Rogerson, Janet Matheson, and Ann Cerry. The tea was the first of its kind put on by this Club and the girls made very charming and pretty hostesses. Much credit is due the mothers, whose help behind the scenes made this such a nice affair.

Guest At Banquet



Mr. Gerald P. "Gerry" Murtagh (above), formerly of Charlottetown and now with the Federal Department of Health and Welfare, Dominion Bureau of Statistics was among the special guests at the 18th annual Sons of Ireland banquet at the Chateau Laurier Hotel in Ottawa last week.

Mr. Murtagh, a member of the Benevolent Irish Society and honorary secretary at Charlottetown, extended St. Patrick's Day greetings on behalf of the Irish Society at Charlottetown to the 350 guests attending the sons of Ireland banquet at the Chateau. Mr. Murtagh also extended to the guest speaker, Professor Percy J. Kennedy, B.A. D.P.A.E.D his appreciation and moved a hearty vote of thanks on behalf of the Sons of Ireland.

City Alderman and first vice-president of the Society James McAuley presided.

UNION ROAD W. M. S.

The monthly meeting of Union Road W. M. S. was held at the home of Mrs. Brent MacMillan on March 10th. In the absence of the president the meeting was in charge of the vice-president, Mrs. Keith Bryenton.

The theme of the meeting was "Dedication to making Canada a fit home for members of the family of God." Hymn "From Ocean unto Ocean" was sung, followed by the "Lord's Prayer".

Scripture lesson was read from Ephesians 2 chapter, verses 11 to 22, and Mrs. Brent MacMillan gave a temperance reading, "Getting even with Mother." Hymn "Lead On O King Eternal" was followed by sentence prayers.

Roll call was answered by ten members and two visitors and minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. A card of thanks was read from Mrs. Sterling Yeo and a letter of thanks from Mrs. John Ashley. Several other letters were read and discussed. It was decided by the members to take a special collection next month for Temperance Fund.

For the program, Mrs. Brent MacMillan read from the Study Book and Mrs. A. G. Mallett gave a reading, "Berwick Camp".

Program committee for the next meeting will be Mrs. Harry Newman and Mrs. Harold Yeo. Next place of meeting to be the home of Mrs. Keith Bryenton.

Collection amounted to \$2.75. The meeting closed by singing "Fight the Good Fight", the Mizpah Benediction, and "God Save the Queen".

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