







## Our Future Dwelling Places

The new book treating of "Our Homes and our Employments Hereafter, with what a Hundred Spirits, Good and Evil, say of their Dwelling Places," by Dr. Peebles, is receiving the praise and hearty commendation of many of the ablest exponents of the Spiritual Philosophy.

Judge Wynkook writes:

"Immortality, and our Employments Hereafter," by Dr. Peebles, is the most practical and reasonable book upon Spiritualism that has fallen into my hands. After reading it myself, I have interested our oldest daughter to read it aloud evenings to our family and a few friends."

"A magnificent work, full of information and just such instruction about the hereafter as Spiritualists want, and will appreciate."  
Mrs. Maria M. King writes:  
"Immortality, and our Future Dwelling Places," by Bro. Peebles, is elegantly gotten up, and as far as I am able to judge from what I have already read, it is a very interesting work; which, while it adds to the fame of its author, will undoubtedly have a very large circulation."  
Prof. Caldwell says:  
"The volume, so attractive outwardly, contains the substance of the Spiritual Philosophy, based upon the phenomena, and in my estimation

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am about half through it. I think, with others, it is your *best book*, and contains far more than the title indicates. I cannot help hoping, how-

Jackson Davis, and the rest of us, get the question of our 'heavenly homes' and 'employments' fully settled, we shall be able to turn our attention to what can be done to make our

earthly homes and employments more heavenly. I know this has occupied your private thoughts to some extent, but is it not time to make it more

Dr. Crowell writes :  
 "Upon rapidly scanning the pages, and real-

'Immortality, and our Employments Hereafter,' necessitates the question arose in my

multifarious and urgent duties, to produce such a book as this? Surely your invisible friends must have inspired you, and labored with you

Since then I have read it carefully, and am surprised, and more pleased than surprised, to find to what an extent the 'voices from the spirit-land' enunciate the same truths that I have received from my spirit instructors. The agreement may be said to be general for the

strengthens my own convictions, and increases my faith in the ultimate establishment of the truthfulness of the general views which we hold

This book is now selling rapidly. Parties wishing copies can procure the work at the *Banner of Light* Bookstore, No. 9 Montgomery Place, Boston.

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**Dr. Slade in Michigan.**

Dr. Henry Slade was at Saginaw, Mich., on the 7th ult., and the *Register*, published at Far-

well in that State, contains a lengthy report of an interview held by the editor with him. Although strongly prejudiced against what he designates "ghosts, spooks, spirits, witches, hobgoblins and such like creatures of the imagination," the editor was willing to forego his prejudices, and see and hear for himself what could be seen and heard in the presence of one who had appeared before the scientists of the aristocracy, and many of the crowned heads of Europe. His interview had not proceeded

very far before he became convinced that Dr. Slade was not an impostor, and that what occurred was done by an intelligent power, and one not his own. Messages were received, inquiries answered, tables and chairs moved, and much more done that served to awaken an interest in his mind that will doubtless lead to further investigation, and finally, mayhap, to a conviction of the truths of Spiritualism. Among other things seen in presence of Dr. Slade, the editor of the *Register* notes the following:

"In one case the pencil was placed on the slate in open sight, when we saw the pencil move to write by some invisible power. In another instance we saw the pencil finish a sentence by crossing a at the end of the word 'not,' and then fall to the surface of the slate."

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**"The History of the Origin of all Things."**

On our fifth page the reader will find the announcement of a volume bearing title as above. The work is, to say the least, novel in its character, and comprehensive in the scope of the matters treated in its pages. It claims, if we are not in error as to its purport, to be the most complete revelation of the will of God and the destiny of man ever given to the world, and to consist of knowledge hitherto possessed by no intelligences below the fourth sphere of spirit-life. It purports to be given by direct inspiration of Jesus of Nazareth, now elevated to the dignity of a Christ; that is—(it is explained) of a spirit in perfect unity with the will and purposes of God, and to be given with authority

its design being to enlighten mankind; to show them the way of life; the true path of progress and secret of happiness, whereby they may be enabled to start right in this life, so as to avoid long courses of trial and probation beyond the grave. Much is related of the career of Jesus on earth, also concerning the authenticity and value of Bible narratives; and much concerning conditions and states in spirit-life. The book, like all others presented through earthly mediums, stands on its own merits, and will be better understood as to its bearings and purposes on perusal.

Mr. Hazewell said recently that America is no more like the country that it was a score of years ago than the England of George II.'s reign

was like 'the England of the days of Charles I. We agree with him in this. The people notice the change, but the number who study to learn the real cause of it are very few; that is, those who trace the moving power to its actual source, the spirit-world. The organizations existing there for the purpose of effecting just such changes as are now alluded to are of a magnitude and strength of which our most illuminated conceptions can have but a faint idea. It seems as though men who think must see that the change has not been brought about by preaching or argument. It has come upon the public mind by some subtle means; fallen on it as the dew falls at night, and when the morning comes the flowers look refreshed and sparkling.

and renewed for their mission to bless and save the weary toilers in this valley of life. The work of transformation has, however, scarcely begun, and the years that are to come will show as great if not more marvelous changes than those that are now past.

➡ Read the announcement made by Mrs.

**Lizzie Lenzberg—fifth page.**







