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Bible Class Movement Is Gaining Here

First Baptist Church to Organize Class Sunday Other Churches Give Programs.

Bible classes for men are coming to represent an outstanding feature of the churches in La Grande.

From the First Baptist pastor, the Rev. C. A. Pollard, comes the announcement that beginning this week Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock, he will conduct a men's Bible class in the prayer meeting room of the church, which has entrance on Spring avenue. The hour will accommodate those men who are employed during the day.

"The plan of the class will be fully democratic, where discussion will be encouraged, and we expect to talk freely about what religion is in relation to our lives," Mr. Pollard explains. "Jesus came into a world of men like ourselves. He had to work with them. What kind of society and what kind of materials did he have to work with? This will be our inquiry on Sunday night. We extend our invitation to all men without other church obligations."

Sunday school at the First Baptist church meets at 9:45 a. m. and has an assembly period at 10:20. The school is making up a gift of money for the Near East relief. Any further contributions may be made during the meeting tomorrow.

Morning worship at 11 o'clock will include a sermon on the theme "Entangling Alliances." The children's sermon theme will be "How Fast Can You Fall?"

Stereopticon pictures of Bible history will be featured at the 7:30 p. m. service, which will be based on the character of Jacob.

Church of the Nazarene. Ten children under 15 years of age and three who are not yet 10 were among the 42 members of the Nazarene Sunday school who finished the reading of the New Testament during the contest which ended last Sunday. The total number of books read was 1258, or equivalent of reading the Bible 18 times through, with a surplus of 28 books. The contest began Nov. 9, with 57 entrants.

The morning hour of worship is at 11 o'clock and the evening service, usually of evangelistic nature is at 7:30. The Rev. L. D. Meggers, pastor, preaches both sermons. The N. Y. P. S. is at 6:30 p. m. in charge of Mrs. Mary Moton.

Central Church of Christ. In the contest with the Baker church school, La Grande is now 1277 points ahead. The Loyal Women's class is doing especially well in procuring new members, using an inter-class contest to spur the work. There were 195 in Sunday school last week.

"Why Every Member of the Church Should be in the Bible School" will be the subject of the sermon by the Rev. C. V. Dunn, pastor at the 11 o'clock service Sunday morning.

Christian Endeavorers will meet at 6:30 p. m., the program topic to be "Persevere—In What?" Special music is being prepared for the evening service. The men, as against the women, they have invited to that meeting during the week. The pastor will present a "perils and loss" problem in a sermon on the text: "For what shall it profit a man if he gain the whole world and lose his own soul?"

The Bible school has chosen March as its booster month. This is in pursuance of the future-work program adopted by the church. Preparations are under way for a suitable Easter celebration.

First Methodist. "Respects for Law" will be the subject of the talk that Carl G. Helm, district attorney, will give at the meeting of the Men's Forum at 10 a. m., which is also the Sunday school hour. All men interested are invited to the meeting and are asked to be in the parlors not later than 10 a. m.

The morning choir will sing "Soft Sabbath Chime" as the anthem for the 11 o'clock service. Dr. Henry W. Parker will preach on

the topic, "Making Christianity Practical." His evening theme will be "Our Main Line—What Is It?" Special music will be offered. Epworth league will meet at 5:30 p. m. to discuss the subject, "Stones for Bread."

Island City Community.

"Spring and the approaching Easter season are alike suggestive of the new and larger life," says the Rev. Hall K. Wallis, pastor of the Community church at Island City, in announcing that his sermon topic for tomorrow morning will be "The Light of the World." The address is to be one in the series on the life and teachings of Jesus.

For the month of March, the Epworth league is making a study of the different words of Christian living. "To Know" is the subject for tomorrow, and Kenneth Thompson will be the leader.

This 8 o'clock service begins a short series of sermons on the subject, "The Unconquered King."

St. Peter's Episcopal. Choral celebration of the holy communion is announced for 11 a. m., at the Episcopal church. The Rev. Oliver Riley, pastor, will deliver the third address in a series on "The Edification of the Soul."

Holy Eucharist at 8 a. m., and church school at 9:45 a. m., will precede the morning worship. At evening prayer, the pastor will preach on "Unreasonable Men" in preparation for the coming mission.

Methodist Church South. "Soul Prosperity" will be the subject for the Sunday morning sermon, the Rev. J. A. Hall, pastor, preaching. In the evening, he will talk on the theme, "Filling the Water Pots to the Brim."

"Old time singing, old time praying and old time preaching," says the pastor. Sunday school is at 9:45 a. m., and Epworth league at 6:30 p. m.

Zion Lutheran. No services will be held at the Zion Lutheran church tomorrow except Sunday school, which will convene at 9:45 a. m.

First Presbyterian. An organ recital beginning at 10:55 a. m. will precede the morning worship service at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow.

Mrs. W. H. Bohnenkamp Jr., will sing a cantata solo, "Eye Hath Not Seen" from "Holy City" by Handel. The quartet will be heard in an anthem, "Christian, the Morn Breaks Sweetly O'er Thee" by Shelley.

For the morning sermon, the Rev. W. C. Ross will use the third study in "The Character of Jesus." Sunday school will be at 9:45 a. m., with classes for all. Evening service will include film pictures on the life and travels of Jesus. Junior C. E. will be at 3:30 p. m., Intermediate, at 6:15.

Sabbath Day Adventist. Sabbath school was at 9:45 a. m. today.

Elder W. D. Waggoner, of Baker, Ore., delivered the morning sermon on the text, "Go ye also into the vineyard." A duet, "Through the Gates of Gold," was sung by Mrs. Langaker and Eunice Herr.

Church of Christ, Scientist. "Man" is the subject announced for the sermon at the First Church of Christ, Scientist, at 11 a. m. tomorrow. Sunday school will be at 9:45 a. m.

Portland Pastor to Preside Over Rally

The Rev. C. P. Swander, state secretary of the Oregon Christian Missionary society, will come to La Grande from Portland to preside over the county rally that is to be conducted at the Central Church of Christ Tuesday, March 9. Babin has the only Christian parish in Union county outside La Grande. Devotional study will open the rally program at 10 a. m., after which the Rev. C. V. Dunn will deliver an address on "A View of the County." "County Fellowship" and "Oregon's Need" will be topics of consecutive speeches.

In the afternoon, following devotion, "Our Forward Movement" will be up for discussion. Mr. Swander will talk on "Christian Stewardship." Short addresses on "Oregon Missions" will be given by Mr. Dunn to cover "The State Evangelist." After open discussion, supper will be served. The young people's rally will be at 7:30 p. m.

Announce Weekday Meetings. Prayer meetings are held at 7:30 o'clock Wednesday evenings at the Seventh Day Adventist church.

The First Church of Christ, Scientist, regularly conducts testimonial meetings at the church Wednesday evenings.

Cottage prayer meeting is announced by the Church of the Nazarene for Tuesday evening at the Summer home, Ash street and W. avenue. Forty persons were in attendance at the meeting last week at the Charles Hart home.

An address on "The Unconqueredness of the Church" will be given by the Rev. Oliver Riley at the mission service at 7:30 p. m. Friday at the Episcopal church.

JAP TEMPLES BURNED

TOKYO, Mar. 6. (AP)—A sacrifice to the annual fire season which comes each year with the advent of the dry months in Japan was the loss of the historical Kwanon Temples, which burned so swiftly that keepers could not reach even the standing statue of the Goddess Kwanon. The main Kwanon temple was more than 100 years old.

Five blocks of houses were destroyed in another fire which whirled in the high fire hazard period.

The Turks have a long waiting list. They are months behind with the nations waiting to fight them.

Girl Pastor In Charge Of M.E. Church

Not alone the only woman preacher but also the only pastor in town is Miss Josie Blokland, a former La Grande high school girl, who has the North Powder parish of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Miss Blokland is a deaconess, a graduate of the Northwest Training school at Seattle.

She was born and raised at Island City, where she figured prominently in the young people's activities of the Community church. She took her high school work in La Grande.

Even as a small child, Josie thought seriously of religious work as her life task. All the departments of the church interested her, and she spent a great deal of her time studying and working in them.

Ordained Last Year.

After her graduation in 1923, from the Seattle training school, Miss Blokland worked as a deaconess at the First M. E. church in Baker. She was ordained with deaconess orders at the Methodist conference at Cascade, Ida., last

year, and took her assignment to the parish at North Powder.

Although she functions as a Methodist minister, Miss Blokland conducts her ministry on community lines. Besides her regular worship services, she has instituted a Sunday school, Epworth league, Ladies' aid society, Queen Esther, a Junior league and a Bible class of high school students preparing to take the state examinations for credit toward graduation.

Sunday afternoons she preaches alternately at Telocast and at Wolf Creek.

Has Assistant.

Recently her work has grown so heavy that she has been granted an assistant. Deaconess Mahel Aublin, also a Northwest graduate, is now sharing the pastoral duties at North Powder. She has been a missionary teacher in Alaska, has worked in the Seattle slums and served as deaconess at the First Methodist church at Tacoma.

Miss Blokland has been an active worker in the Epworth league institute at Wallawa lake for two summers. She conducted the first indoor institute at North Powder this winter, and has been in various sections of this Methodist district.

When she is not preaching, Miss Blokland's home is still at Island City. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Blokland.

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