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2 To Attempt to Swim Catalina

LONG BEACH, Cal. Feb. 5 (AP)—Peter Meyer, 28, Cincinnati, Ohio, swimmer, who today was reported to have started the swim across the San Pedro channel from Catalina Island to the mainland did not start due to

his convey boat having a breakdown. Miss Martha Stager, Portland, Ore., swimmer, who also was reported to have started the swim early today, did not leave the mainland. Both Miss Stager and Meyer said they would leave here at noon for Catalina Island to start their channel swim sometime tonight.

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News of the Churches

Several Special Programs to Be Held Tomorrow

Missionary to Speak at Baptist Church—Marytha Bible Class to Conduct M. E. Service.

Special programs will feature Sunday's worship in La Grande at several churches. A guest speaker will deliver the morning sermon at the Presbyterian church, the Marytha Bible class will conduct the Sunday evening program at the M. E. church, the Baptists will hear a missionary from China Sunday evening and several other interesting services are arranged.

Episcopal Church
The Rev. C. A. Kopp, of Kallispel, Mont., who conducted the Bishop's Crusade here last week end, will occupy the pulpit at the St. Peter's Episcopal church both during the morning and mission services. His subject at 11 a. m. will be "The Christian Servant." Holy eucharist will be held at 8 a. m. and church school at 9:45 a. m. The Wayfarers' Guild will meet at 6 p. m. and will also hear an address by Mr. Kopp.

Lutheran Church
The pastor of the Zion Lutheran church will speak on "The Character of Jesus Mountain Difficulties," during the morning worship hour beginning at 11 o'clock and following Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

In the evening he will give a report from the synodical convention in Everett, Wash., before the close of the service, which begins at 7 o'clock. Natall Elbert will tell about John Paton, noted missionary.

L. C. Community Church
Church and Sunday school will combine Sunday morning at the Island City Community church. The speaker for the morning will be Professor Wilkerson, the Rev. Hall Kellogg Wallis announces. The Young People's meeting will begin at 7 p. m. under the leadership of Miss Ruth Smalley.

An illustrated lecture on Mohammedanism will feature the evening service. There will be no admission charges but a free will offering will be taken.

Nazarene Church
Bible school begins at 9:45 a. m. at the Church of the Nazarene. The classes are reported to be taking on new life in the new church building and a welcome to all children not otherwise affiliated is extended.

Morning worship will be at 11 o'clock with a preparatory message for the special revival which begins Sunday evening Feb. 12, at 8 o'clock with Evangelist C. F. Ellis in charge.

The N. Y. P. S. meeting is at 6:45 p. m. with Rose Jordan as leader. An evening evangelistic service will be conducted by the Rev. L. D. Meggers at 7:30 o'clock with special singing by Miss Violet Kelly and Mrs. G. R. Kelly.

First M. E. Church
The public worship hour is to be at 7:30 p. m. Sunday in the First Methodist Episcopal church and the Marytha Bible class will have charge. Mrs. H. S. Brown will preside. The program will consist of hymns, a violin solo by Bertha Bantz, a chorus by the Marytha class, offertory, a vocal solo by Mrs. Ray Fuller and address by Mrs. H. W. Parker. The young women's class will act as usher and the public will be welcomed.

Church school opens at 9:45 a. m. with an assembly in classes at 10 o'clock. Public worship begins at 11 a. m. with an anthem by the choir "Fear Not Ye O Israel." The pastor, the Rev. H. W. Parker, will give the second address on "Spiritual Heritage."

The Epworth League will meet at 6:20 p. m. in the church school auditorium with C. O. Wilson as leader.

Christian Church
"The Church and The Christian Endeavor Movement," will be the subject of the minister's message Sunday morning at the Central Church of Christ. The first Sunday in February is Endeavor Day and Miss Edith Ebell, the president of the senior society, will read the Scripture lesson, "Seek Ye The Lord" will be presented as a trio by Mrs. George L. Anderson, Mrs. L. H. Pardy and Mrs. Walter Price, accompanied by Mrs. Dallas Grech.

The senior endeavor society will present the program in the evening at the church hour. R. H. Dykhus will sing a solo. All are cordially welcomed.

The endeavor societies will meet at their regular hour, 9:30 p. m., and Bible school sessions begin at 9:45 a. m. The men's class will study Jesus' experience in Gethsemane, his arrest and trial. This class meets at the city hall.

Presbyterian Church
Regular morning worship at 11 a. m. at the Presbyterian church will find the Rev. W. H. Blackney, of Walla Walla, occupying the pul-

pit. In addition to his address, the quarter will sing "O Lamb of God, I Come," by Ambrose.

Sunday school will be at 9:45 a. m., Junior C. E. at 3 p. m., and intermediate and senior C. E. at 6 p. m.

First Baptist Church
After the Sunday school sessions at 9:45 a. m. the pastor will speak on "The Imitation of God" at the morning worship hour at the First Baptist church. The children's sermon theme will be "The Mohammedan Prophet." The communion service follows the preaching hour and a feature of this service will be the ordination of a life deacon.

As guest speaker the church will have Miss Minnie Argetsinger, teacher in the Union Normal school for young women in Chentu, Western China, during the evening service hour, beginning at 7:30 o'clock.

Miss Argetsinger is on furlough from the China field and comes to La Grande with the reputation of being a most interesting speaker. The public is invited to attend.

M. E. Church South
The subject for the 11 o'clock hour at the East Side Methodist church tomorrow will be "Gethsemane, The Highest Station on the Road to Heaven, and All Bound for the Golden City Must Pass Through It." The text will be "He Went a Little Further" Matt. 26:29. The preaching will be followed by administration of the Lord's supper.

An evangelistic service will be held at 7:30 p. m. Epworth League will hold its devotional service at 6:30 p. m. and Sunday school will begin at 9:45 a. m.

Christian Scientist
The subject at the morning worship hour at the First Church of Christ Scientist Sunday will be "Spirit." Sunday school begins at 9:45 a. m.

Wednesday evening testimonial meetings begin at 8 p. m.

WINNINGS

The second issue of "The Grande Ronde Lutheran," is off the press and contains much to interest workers. It is the official organ of the Zion English Lutheran church and is edited by the Rev. Leif H. Awek.

The Rev. Oliver Riley, Mrs. Bray, Mrs. Carr, Mrs. Tarkington and Thelma Bray are in Hood River this week in attendance at the convocation of the Episcopal church.

The La Grande Ministerial association will meet at 10 a. m. at the Baptist church on Monday.

R. H. Dykhus will sing Sunday evening at the Christian church.

Miss Minnie Argetsinger, teacher in the Union Normal school for young women in Chentu, Western China, will speak during the evening service Sunday at the First Baptist church.

An evangelistic service will be held at 7:30 p. m. Sunday at the South M. E. church.

The Lord's supper is always a feature of the morning worship at the Christian church and is considered the most important element of worship by its congregation.

Those who were unable to hear the Rev. C. A. Kopp, of Kallispel, Mont., last Sunday will have another chance to listen to him on Sunday as he is to preach at both morning and evening services. In the absence of the pastor he will be assisted by the reader, C. R. Ayres.

Since its move into the new church on Y avenue and Birch street the Nazarene congregation's motto has been "The New Church, The Old Doctrine." An invitation is extended to all to attend the dedication service to be held next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

A strong committee of the Episcopal church has been formed to complete arrangements for the installation of the new organ sometime during the coming summer.

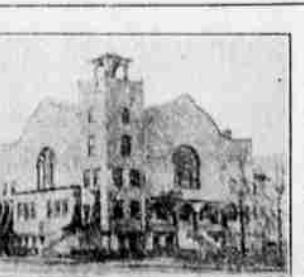
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NEW YORK—"The name to you" is in effect Edward Johnson's comment on praise by John McCormick, viz: "Although startled by his kindly flattery, I must say that his expression is exactly my feeling for John." Johnson comes from Julep, Ont.

George Young, 17-year-old conqueror of the Catalina channel, is writing "the story of his life." There's a tip for Baby Peggy.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH OUT OF DEBT



The First M. E. church of La Grande has cleared its indebtedness. It was announced at the quarterly conference held here Thursday evening. Much credit for the feat was given to the Ladies' Aid society of the church.

County Christian Rally to Be Held

A county-wide rally of Christian churches will be held in La Grande Thursday beginning at 10:30 o'clock in the morning at the Central Church of Christ. Afternoon and evening sessions will be held and the women of the church will serve a noon-day luncheon.

State Secretary C. F. Swander and another state speaker will be in attendance. The object of the meeting is to discuss missionary work.

All county members of the Christian church are urged to attend.

Leap Farmers to Fight Squirrels; Group Organizes

WALLOWA, Ore., Feb. 5 (Special)—Farmers in the dry farming portions of this section of the county will conduct an extensive campaign against ground squirrels during the coming season. Petitions have been in circulation during the past few days, in an effort to secure the names of 75 per cent of the land owners throughout a portion of the hill territory comprising an area of several miles in width, and extending from about two miles east of here toward the Trout creek section north and west of Enterprise. The land holdings in this area are comprised mostly of farming and pasture land.

The object of this effort is to create a rodent control district, which will entitle the aid of all in the matter of poisoning the squirrels, which have become a serious menace to farmers. Growing crops in the areas where large tracts of land on which during the past several years no poisoning to speak of has been done, this condition has allowed the squirrel population to increase by many thousands, and in the latter part of the season when natural vegetation has become dry, move into the grain fields doing many thousands of dollars of damage.

To foster the movement of creation of such a district, and also to aid in road building and other progressive community projects, an organization known as the "Leap Farmers' Club" was organized Monday evening at a meeting of interested farmers, at the Chapman school-house, in the Upper Parsnip creek section. The organization will hold monthly meetings at the various school houses in the district. The movement is meeting with unanimous approval of all farmers. The county court approved the plan outlined at the meeting. Fred H. Bates, chairman; J. W. Pyles, secretary; Harry Harmon, treasurer.

MODEST JOHN
LONDON—Modest John McCormick! He says the best all around operatic tenor in the world is Edward Johnson, a Canadian who sings in the Metropolitan opera house, New York, "and in addition," remarked John of Edward, "he has a perfect figure, which so few tenors possess." Trying to reduce, John is shunning bread, butter and potatoes, even in Ireland.

Edward Browning and "Poaches" it is said may settle their differences out of court. What with the Ching, Mexico, Dan Johnson and Mr. Landis, usurping the front page, they might as well call it off.

Finger as a means of identification were used by the Chinese as early as 400 B. C.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Administrator of the estate of Mary Clegg, deceased, has filed in the county court in the state of Oregon, for Union county, his final account as administrator of said estate and that the 7th day of March 1927, at the hour of 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the county court room in the court house of said county, has been fixed by the said court as the time and place for hearing of objections to said account and the settlement thereof.

ELMO CLEGG,
Administrator of the Estate of Mary Clegg, deceased.
J. H. RINGO,
Attorney for Administrator.
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