

NEWS of the CHURCHES

Churches of City Plan Interesting Sunday Services

Growth Noted in Branches Of Various Religious Organizations During 1931.

Interesting services are planned at La Grande churches Sunday, with evangelistic meetings being held at several. Among the services announced for Sunday by the pastor, Rev. B. Marcus Godwin, is that at the Baptist church, corner Spring and Sixth streets.

The subject for the sermon will be "Two Great Sources." There will be special music by the choir. In the evening, the theme will be "Rejoice." This service begins at 5:00. Immediately following this service, the young people hold their B. Y. P. U. meeting.

The Bible school at 9:45, P. B. Finlay superintendent, has shown a very satisfactory growth in attendance. All departments are well organized and suitable classes for all are provided. Prayer meeting convenes Thursday evening at 7:30. In the church basement for the present, as it is more easily warmed and is quite comfortable. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

First Presbyterian Church
Washington and Sixth Streets

A cordial invitation is extended to all who are not attending worship elsewhere, to meet with the congregation of the Presbyterian church, Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock. Mrs. Harley Richardson will preside at the organ, the mixed voice quartet will sing the anthem "He Went Forth Rejoicing" arranged by Protheroe, and the male quartet will sing the offertory number "Nearer to Thee." The minister will bring the sermon message on "Say Not 'Depression,' But 'God's Hand in This Depression.'" Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock the minister will conduct an open forum on "Who and What is the Holy Ghost, and What is the Office or Function of This Spirit of God?" Special music will accompany the discussion.

Bible school is 9:45 a. m.; Junior Christian Endeavor 3:00 p. m.; Intermediate and Senior 6:15 p. m.

First Methodist Episcopal Church
Fourth Street and Spring Avenue

Special music will be furnished Sunday at the Methodist church Sunday by a male quartet and the chorus choir, the latter singing "God Is Love," by H. R. Shelley. The sermon subject will be "Life Controls." The evening worship at 7 o'clock, in charge of the young people of the church, followed by Bible study by the adults and the Epworth League by the young folks, also promises to be of interest, the pastor feels. Miss Arta Lawrence will lead the discussion on "Principles." This is the fourth and last lesson on this topic and has been of increasing interest to the young people.

Sunday school will be held at 9:45 under the direction of M. L. Whitney, superintendent.

Central Church of Christ
Seventh Street at Pennsylvania

Those who attend the Church of Christ Sunday will find a much improved auditorium in which to worship. Changes have been made during the week which greatly improve the acoustical properties of the room, and make possible a more even distribution of heat over the entire auditorium. The work of making the change has been donated by members of the congregation, Rev. Paul de P. Mortimore presides.

The Bible school meeting at 9:45 is being given special attention in an effort to keep each Sunday's attendance above the 200 mark. Several classes are making unusual growth this winter. The High school class and the Ever Ready class of young people above high school age have been most successful in building up attendance. Attendance at the Ever Ready class last Sunday was 33, with 9 other members of the class serving as teachers and officers of the school. Besides these two classes, there are interesting classes for every age. The Bible is the textbook of this school, with no other subject matter used. Miss Dorothy Smutz is superintendent.

At 11 a. m. the pastor, Rev. Mortimore will preach, using as a topic, "The Cost of Christianity." He says, "That which costs nothing is likely to be worth no more than it cost. We usually measure the value of anything by its cost. Christianity has been preserved to the world at an enormous price." The choir has been presenting some very interesting anthems and have a number more in preparation. They will sing at the morning service.

Christian Endeavor draws large crowds of young people at 6:30. Junior, Intermediate and Young People's societies offer a welcome to the young folks, and an adult group meets for Bible study and prayer at the same hour.

At 7:30 p. m. the popular evangelistic service will begin with an orchestra concert. Three numbers have been selected by the orchestra for this Sunday evening. The song service is an enjoyable feature of the evening hour with the orchestra and choir leading. The sermon of the evening will be given by the pastor, and will be from the subject, "Three Questions You Must Answer." Mr. Mortimore states that the answer to these questions determines the destiny of the souls of men. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services.

Church of the Nazarene
Y Avenue and Birch

The evangelistic services at the Church of the Nazarene have closed, and the pastor, Rev. E. E. Taylor, states, "We are very thankful for the splendid results of the revival meetings, and the fine class of new members coming into the church last Sunday and again this Sunday. We are looking forward to the next campaign which will be announced soon."

Sunday services at the church include Sunday school at 9:45; morning worship at 11 o'clock, with a sermon by the pastor; young people's meeting at 6:30; and the evening evangelistic service at 7:30. The evening service comprises the reception of new members, special music and a sermon by the pastor.

First Church of Christ, Scientist
First at Washington

"Life" will be the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, Jan. 17. The Golden Text will be "This is the record, that God hath given to us eternal life, and this life is in his Son" (I John 5:11).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon will be the following from the Bible: "To be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace" (Rom. 8:6).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health, With Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "We apprehend life in divine science only as we live above corporeal sense and correct it. Our proportionate admission of the claims of good or of evil determines the harmony of our existence, — our health, our longevity, and our Christianity" (p. 167).

Sunday school is held at 9:45 o'clock; Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock. Reading room, West-Jackson building, open daily except Sundays and holidays from 1 to 4:30. Services at church edifice at church edifice corner 1st and Washington streets 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

The Gospel Mission
2201 North Fir Street

"The three great outstanding fundamental truths for the day in which we are living" will be the subject for the evening service of evangelism at 7:30 at the Gospel Mission next Sunday. The interest is continuing to grow in each service, the pastor, Rev. L. Carlson, states.

Sunday services include Sunday school at 9:45; morning worship at 11 o'clock; and the young people's service at 6:45. These services are being well attended and the young people extend a welcome to all, the pastor adds.

Week night services are held on Tuesday evening, Bible study; and an evangelistic service on Friday at 7:30.

Church of God
Spruce Street at X Avenue

The interest and attendance are increasing nightly at the special meetings being conducted at the Church of God by Rev. Ray Hug, and the meetings will continue indefinitely each evening except Saturday, the pastor states.

"The subject this evening will be 'Arise, and Awake.'" The Sunday school will begin at 10 o'clock Sunday morning, and the sermon will follow at 11 o'clock, with "Sowing and Reaping" as the topic.

On Sunday evening at 7:30 the subject will be "The Love of God to Man." The pastor extends a welcome to all the Christians of the city to attend and co-operate in the meetings.

Methodist Church South
Corner Fir and U Streets

Preaching services will be held in the Methodist Church, South, on Sunday both at 11 o'clock in the morning and at 7 o'clock in the evening. Rev. A. J. Starmer will deliver the sermon at both services, using as his topic in the evening "Good Citizenship." The Sunday school will be held in the morning at 10 o'clock with William Elam as superintendent. The Epworth League will meet at 8 o'clock for the young people, and at the same hour Bible study and prayer meeting will be held for the older people in the downstairs room.

Rev. Starmer issues a special invitation to the Women's Christian Temperance Union and all other patriotic societies of the city to attend the evening service at 7 o'clock.

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By Edward Stanley

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Boy, 13, Held As Father's Slayer

Something snapped inside Anthony Pomante Jr., 13, he said, when his mill-worker father struck his mother in their Philadelphia, Pa., home. He shot his father twice and killed him, is the belief of police who are shown taking the boy from his home after the shooting.



Coxey Marches— Into Mayor's Office



General Jacob S. Coxey, 77, famous for his hunger march on Washington nearly 40 years ago, is shown above as he entered his office after being sworn in as mayor of Massillon, O. He plans to issue bonds to be used locally as currency to end depression.

GANDHI COSTUME ADAPTED TO TOURISTS' EMERGENCY

COLOMBO, Ceylon (AP)—Gandhi's loincloth idea helped two European tourists out of difficulties here.

Leaving their boat for a game of golf they were caught in a sudden storm and soaked to the skin. They took their clothes to the club to dry, and then became worried for fear the ship would sail.

Wrapping big bath towels about them they burst into the astonished agent's office to learn the sailing time.

"Why not?" one asked when the agent expressed some surprise at the costumes. "Gandhi walked into Buckingham palace in less."

IT WAS JUST TOO BAD!

SOUTH BEND, Wash. (AP)—Roy Ropoo hitch-hiked with the wrong man.

Sheriff Roy Trezise gave Ropoo a ride and recognized him as a man wanted in Amador county, California, on charges of burglary. The sheriff also arrested Marion Whit, wanted in the same case.

One thousand elm trees will be planted along streets of Big Springs, Tex., in a city beautification campaign.

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Locusts

The periodical cicada, popularly known as the 17-year locust, although it is not a locust, is bright green in color when just nature and then gradually becomes a dark brownish red in color. The 17-year variety often appears in the same territory as the 13-year variety, and when large numbers of both these broods appear together there is a veritable epidemic, such as there was in 1868.

Not a General Custom

Only Arizona, California, Colorado and Nevada have state holidays celebrating the anniversary of their admission to the Union.



Sermonette Edited by Harriet R. MacDonald

He that hath seen me hath seen the Father, John 14:9.

God wanted all to know Him. The finite cannot comprehend the unchained Infinite. That God might reveal Himself, He chose the most practical and simple way to do so. He caused a human to be begotten of Him, and into that human, the Son of God, He sent His glory in degrees that man can receive and comprehend. Hence anyone can know God in the degree that he perceives the truth, love, and the Divine in Jesus. As God is the real character, the Person of God, the real character of God is known; and as His character is adopted in life, He becomes a real heavenly Father, tangible, clearly defined, a definite object of our love. Ah, more! He becomes the Father, the Begotten of light, happiness, and hallowed love in us. G. H. Dole

Phonogram-Gramophone

The word "Gramophone" is an invented one. When the new machine for recording and reproducing sound was invented, it was called a "phonogram," and later a phonograph. The machine had a round cylinder instead of the flat disc, and of course the inventor wanted to distinguish it from the phonogram or phonograph. "Hum!" he mused. "Now what can I call it?" Then he had a bright idea; he remembered the backslang he had used when a boy, and twisted the word "phonogram" around until it was "gramophone."

Pussy Came Back

A cat belonging to L. Qulek, of Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, was believed to have broken a leg, so it was decided to dispatch it. The cat was placed in a bag with a large stone, and the bag was dropped over the brink of a 123-foot waterfall. When the executioners returned to Mr. Qulek's house, there was the cat, seated on the porch, broken leg and all. No one knows what happened to the bag and the stone.

Copied From Etruscans

The gladiatorial contests, for which ancient Rome is noted, were a custom they acquired from the Etruscans.

Controlling Circumstances

Circumstances are the rulers of the weak; they are but the instruments of the wise.—Lover.

There are 151 'airhouse keepers'

who maintain watches on the highest mountain peaks on the air line from San Francisco to Chicago.

Menus Of The Day

By Mrs. Alexander George

LEMON PUDDING FOR DINNER

Breakfast
Grapefruit
Bacon and Eggs
Cornbread Butter
Coffee
Luncheon
Cheese Omelet
Bread Apple Sauce
Sugar Cookies Tea
Dinner
Macaroni and Cheese
Buttered Beets
Bread Peach Jam
Celery
Lemon Cream Pudding Coffee

LEMON PUDDING FOR DINNER

1 cup corn meal
1 cup flour
4 teaspoons baking powder
1/4 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons sugar
1 egg
1 cup milk
3 tablespoons fat, melted.
Mix ingredients and beat 2 minutes. Pour into shallow greased pan. Bake 20 minutes in moderate oven. Cut in bars and serve warm.

Cheese Omelet, serving 4

4 egg yolks
4 tablespoons cold water
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon paprika
1/4 teaspoon celery salt
1/4 teaspoon onion juice
1/2 cup grated cheese
4 egg whites, beaten
2 tablespoons butter
Beat yolks and add water and seasonings. Add cheese and fold in whites. Heat butter in frying pan. Slowly pour omelet into it. Cook slowly. When under side of omelet is light brown, carefully turn half over. Hold in place with fork and spoon. Cook four minutes. Carefully

turn onto a warm serving platter. Serve at once.

Lemon Cream Pudding For 6

1 cup sugar
5 tablespoons flour
1/4 teaspoon salt
1-3 cup lemon juice
2 cups boiling water
3 egg yolks
3 egg whites

2 tablespoons butter
Blend sugar and flour. Add salt, lemon juice, rind, water and egg yolks. Mix well. Cook in a double boiler until creamy. Fold in rest of ingredients. Mix well and pour into glass dish. Cool and chill.

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