

Interesting Church Services Are Scheduled

SERMON SUBJECTS ANNOUNCED FOR COMING WEEKEND

Evangelist Fred Snyder speaking at Gospel Mission—Baccalaureate Set For May 22.

NOTICE TO MINISTERS

Beginning immediately, all church notices to appear in this column on Friday, should be in the church editor's hands not later than 3:30 p. m. Thursday afternoon. The time formerly was 4 p. m. Thursday afternoon.

A number of very interesting church services have been scheduled for Sunday in La Grande, the week before the annual baccalaureate services which will be held on May 22 for the La Grande High school graduating class.

ly interesting series of sermons are being planned.

Programs for Sunday include: Presbyterian Church (Sixth and Washington streets) "Our New Discipleship" will be the subject for the morning sermon by Rev. J. George Wals, at the Presbyterian church, Sunday, May 15. There will be special music at the service, with Miss Edris Maguire at the organ console.

"There is a significance to the Christian discipleship needed today that lifts the challenge far above that which any other generation has been called to heed," is the conviction of the minister.

There will be no evening service. Christian Endeavor groups meet in the church at 8:15 each Sunday evening, and the Juniors at 3:00 in the afternoon. Sunday Bible school is at 9:45 a. m.

Christian Church (Pennsylvania Avenue) "Believing a Lie" is the subject which Rev. Paul De F. Mortimore has announced for his Sunday morning subject at the church of Christ.

"One of the greatest errors in religious thinking is that sincerity is all that is necessary. There is no scriptural ground whatever for this belief, and I propose to show in my sermon Sunday morning how deadly may be the results of the reasoning," Mr. Mortimore says in announcing his sermon. The communion will be served at this morning's service. All Christians are urged to be present and join in the communion service. The choir will sing

"Therefore With Angels" by Heysler. Mr. Mortimore announces that the choir is continuing the regular rehearsals and is planning to present some very interesting numbers during the early summer.

The Bible school meets at 9:45 a. m. Mrs. Dorothy Smutz is superintendent. This Bible school is enjoying unusually large attendance and is aiming for an average attendance of 300.

The Christian Endeavor societies, meeting at 6:30 p. m., have announced topics for this coming Sunday. All ages of young people are invited to the Christian Endeavor service which divides into age groups for their lesson study.

The famous "Barcarole" from the "Tales of Hoffman" will be one of the three numbers which the orchestra will present as a prelude to the evening service at 7:30. Attention is called to the fact that the service will be continued at 7:30 until further notice. The pastor will speak on the subject "He Lingered." More than 250 people have been attending the Sunday evening services and it is the hope of the church to maintain this interest throughout the season.

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Gospel Mission (2201 North Fir street) Services at the Gospel Mission Sunday will begin at 9:45 a. m. with Sunday school—classes for all. The morning service at 11 o'clock will have as speaker Evangelist Fred Snyder, whose sermon subject will be "Power Within." Special music will be furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Snyder. Tressa Ditty is the organist.

Evening services begin at 7:30 p. m. with Mr. Snyder again in the pulpit, his subject to be "The Fall of Babylon." Special musical numbers are planned. Mr. Snyder preaches the old-time gospel and his meetings are attracting large crowds. The meetings are being held every night of the week at 7:45 p. m. except on Saturdays, when there will be a street meeting. All are welcome.

The young people's meeting will be at 6:45 p. m. Sunday with Elmer Carpenter as leader.

Rev. L. Carlsen, pastor, announces that on Monday at 2 and 7:30 p. m. the church is having fellowship meetings when ministers and saints will be present from Idaho, Oregon and Washington. All are invited to attend, and some interesting speeches will be heard.

Zion English Lutheran (M Avenue near Fourth street) The sermon subject for the morning worship hour at the Zion English Lutheran church is announced by Rev. Edwin W. Bracher as "Sturdy Branches." The choir will sing the anthem "Something For Jesus" by J. Lincoln Hall. Helen Jensen is organist.

Also at the 11 o'clock service a class of young people will be confirmed and made members of the church. The order for confirmation will be used, and the Holy communion will be administered to the new members immediately after their reception into the church.

Sunday school is at 9:45 a. m. with the story "A Prince Carries the Story of Jesus to Savages." The young people will meet at 7 p. m. with Fred Mattes Jr. as leader. The lesson will be "How May We Work For World Goodwill."

First Church of Christ, Scientist (First and Washington streets) "Mortals and Immortals" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, May 15. The golden text will be, "The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God" (Rom. 8:16).

Among the citations which comprised the lesson-sermon will be the following from the Bible: "Lie not

one to another, seeing that ye have put of the old man with his deeds; and have put on the new man, which is renewed in knowledge after the image of him that created him" (Col. 3:9, 10).

The lesson-sermon also includes the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "The conception of mortal, erring thought must give way to the ideal of all that is perfect and eternal. Through many generations human beliefs will be attaining diviner conceptions, and the immortal and perfect model of God's creation will finally be seen as the only true conception of being" (p. 260).

Sunday school will be at 9:45 a. m. Young people up to the age of 20 years are invited to attend. The morning services are at 11 a. m., and the evening services at 8 p. m., and the Wednesday evening at 8 p. m.

Baptist Church (Sixth and Spring Streets) The sermon subject at the morning service at the First Baptist church will be "Unwashed Hands," with the pastor, Rev. B. Marcus Godwin, in the pulpit. The morning service begins at 11 o'clock following church school at 9:45 a. m.

During the morning worship hour Mrs. Christina Lester will sing "Behold the Lord I Bow My Head" (Littell). Mrs. H. L. St. John is organist.

"Liberty and Law" will be the subject of the evening service, beginning at 8 o'clock and Isabel Williams will play a violin solo. The young people meet at 7 with Norma Owens as leader. The subject will be "How May We Work for World Goodwill?"

The teacher training class will meet Tuesday evening for the closing session of their series. Prayer meeting will be held Thursday night at 8 o'clock.

The fear of the Lord is the beginning of knowledge, Proverbs 1:7. EPHRAIM'S BELIEF IN GOD. Harry S. Firestone, the tire manufacturer and one of Mr. Edison's most intimate friends, had this to say in regard to Mr. Edison's supposedly agnostic beliefs:

He was recovering from a severe illness and this led us into a discussion of his philosophy of the hereafter. I asked him what he thought the controlling power of the universe to be and he expressed himself along the same lines as he had in previous discussions:

"I believe in the teachings of our Lord and Master. There is a great directing head of people and things—a Supreme Being who looks after the destinies of the world."

Mr. Firestone adds a tribute to Edison's practical religion in the following: "His unselfishness, his willingness to sacrifice himself for others, his power of concentration, and his natural genius all combined to drive him on at top speed in his determination to increase the comfort and welfare of the people and to lift human happiness to its highest standard."

number 13,000 in this nation of 8,000,000. Recently several doctors of philosophy competed for the post of hangman and others sought work as chief of a road repair gang.

Religion Stifles Strife In Ireland As Congress Nears

BITTER DISPUTES TO BE FORGOTTEN FOR JUNE EVENT

Million Worshippers to Kneel When Papal Legate Celebrates Pontifical High Mass.

DUBLIN, May 13 (AP)—Ireland and the sons of Ireland will forget bitter political disputes when, at the Eucharistic congress in June they join in the common band of the faith that St. Patrick planted so firmly 1,500 years ago.

Before a high altar in Phoenix park, under the blue crowns of the Dublin mountains, more than a million worshippers from many nations are expected to kneel when the papal legate celebrates the solemn pontifical high mass that climaxes the week of June 20 to 26.

Ritual To Rule City Beginning with landing of the legate at Kingstown on June 20, all Dublin might be called a cathedral. There will be special services in all of the churches, and in the pro-cathedral throughout the week and meetings for men, for women, and a day for children.

But the great religious moment will come on the last day when the great men of the church—the cardinals, the archbishops, the bishops—march in solemn procession from the altar in Phoenix Park to the O'Connell bridge.

Rich with the vivid scarlet and purple robes of the princes, and humble with the severe black and white of parish priests, the 17-mile procession with its hundreds of thousands of marchers, will color Dublin with a splendor it never has seen before, despite the many high celebrations of faith that have been held here.

More than a quarter of a million visitors are expected during the week, and from every country parish in Ireland will come more to augment

the religious throngs. From America alone 20,000 are expected, and other thousands from the continent.

Colleges and seminaries have been turned into hotels to make sure that rooms will not be too expensive, and 22 liners will harbor their contingents during the week.

Many Irishmen greet the congress with the hope that it will bring political peace to the island. Certainly it will make a high note in the strong fervor of the faith that invasion, pillage and civil strife have never weakened.

HALF MILLION PLAN TRIP VATICAN CITY (AP)—Vast preparations have been made in Europe and the Americas, for a pilgrimage of 500,000 persons to Dublin in June for the sixty Eucharistic congress since the war.

A dozen cardinals, many archbishops, 167 bishops and thousands of priests, monks and nuns are going. Pope Pius XI has chosen Cardinal Lorenzo Lauri, former legate to Peru, to represent him as papal legate.

Dublin may be the scene of the largest ecclesiastical gathering in history. Forty-four countries will be represented. Some countries, such as Argentina and Uruguay, will send special diplomatic envoys.

Irishmen whose forefathers scattered in the days of invasion and suppression generations ago, are taking this opportunity of visiting the green land of their ancestors. Chief among them is the Archbishop of Danzig, with the anything but German name of Edward O'Rourke.

FREAK ACCIDENT VANCOUVER, Wash., May 12 (AP)—On their way to high school today Frank Nichols, 16, and several other students, amused themselves by throwing small caliber loaded rifle cartridges on the sidewalk.

One of the cartridges exploded. The brass shell was propelled violently from the heavier lead pellet and struck Nichols in the abdomen. He doubled up with shock but continued on to school. When it became apparent he was ill, he was taken to a hospital where it was discovered that the brass cartridge had barely penetrated the flesh where it was lodged. The shell was extracted and Nichols was sent home.

INCREASE DUBLIN COLOR DUBLIN (AP)—Ireland's first eucharistic congress will be as splendid as full dress can make it.

Explicit instructions have been issued governing the garb of prelates at all ecclesiastical and social functions. Special robing rooms have been provided at various points in the city.

At all mass meetings, nationalities are placed in groups, with the whole divided into "battalions."

Dallas won the opening day attendance trophy and \$250 in this year's Texas league contest.

Forty-nine thousand school buses, it is estimated, are in use carrying pupils to rural schools in the United States.

Hard times have increased the average life of a passenger automobile a full year, says the American motorists' association.

HUNGARIAN GRADS NEEDY BUDAPEST (AP)—Unemployed university graduates are estimated to

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