

HARDING LOOKED ON
TO AND PROHIBITIONDr. Louis Albert Banks White
Temple Speaker.

DRIER NATION PREDICTED

Famous Preacher and Anti-Saloon
League Worker Is Heard by
Portland Congregation.HOT SHOTS BY DR. LOUIS
ALBERT BANKS AT WHITE
TEMPLE.

Under the present administration, nothing but lax enforcement of prohibition could have been expected.

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"President Wilson vetoed the prohibition enforcement act, and in order to have any enforcement at all the friends of law and order were compelled to pass, by a two-thirds majority of each house of congress, the Volstead law over his veto. Under such circumstances, it has been impossible to have other than lax enforcement in many parts of the country, but in spite of this, prohibition has been of immense benefit and value to the United States."

So declared Dr. Louis Albert Banks, native Oregonian, famous preacher of the Methodist Episcopal church and more than nationally known in connection with his statement bringing the Anti-Saloon league, in an address at the White Temple yesterday morning. His subject was "World-Wide Prohibition Coming and America Leads the Way." Every seat was filled, and many stood during the services.

Contrast Is Striking.

In striking contrast to Dr. Banks' rather startling reference to President Wilson, was his statement bringing President-Elect Harding's attitude on the liquor question into his remarks.

"We are on the eve of an honest and efficient enforcement of the 18th amendment," said Dr. Banks. "We are changing a president who vetoed the Volstead act for a president who voted to carry it over that veto, and who is pledged to enforce the law with all the power that congress gives him."

"Naturally, the president's veto served notice on all of his friends throughout the United States that he was opposed to prohibition and its enforcement and it is no wonder that we have had, as a result, little better than a lax administration of the law."

Views Briefly Sketched.

Dr. Banks sketched briefly his views as to world prohibition, pointing out its importance to the welfare of all mankind and warned that prompt action must be taken by the forces of temperance to prevent the forces of the liquor traffic in China, Asia and Africa. Elements which, if loosed on the world, would be able to destroy civilization, he declared, may be set in motion if the liquor interests are permitted to carry out their huge program of transplanting that business overseas.

"On this dark night of chaos," said Dr. Banks, "I can see but one star of hope rising over the world, but, thank God, it is a beautiful star, a star as glorious as the star that hung over Bethlehem and lighted the path to the manger where Jesus lay; it is the star of this great American republic, that, in this critical epoch, is rising out of the darkness into the skies, free to lead the whole world, banishing the last liquor saloon from her domain forever."

Dr. Banks paid a tribute to W. J. Herwig, superintendent of the Anti-Saloon league of Oregon, who, he said, "is one of the strongest and most efficient officers that organization has developed in a quarter century. Under his leadership, Kansas was made as dry as Sahara. I am sure he will make Oregon the banner dry state of the driest nation the world has ever seen."

CHRIST STILL IS STRANGER

Preacher Asks If Savior Any Better
Known in Present Age.

In his Christmas sermon on "The Unrecognized Christ" yesterday morning, Dr. Frank L. Wemett, pastor of Centenary-Wilbur Methodist Episcopal church, asked the question whether the present generation recognizes the Savior's presence any more than the people of Jesus' day.

"Palestine was unaware of her most distinguished visitor. Jesus came and went unrecognized, save by a few radiant souls. The Son of God frequented the highways of Galilee and mingled with the worshippers on Zion's hill; yet was regarded a stranger by those who professed to be his own people. What blindness! What tragedy! Are we of the present more discerning?"

"Some good folks are much concerned these days about the time and manner of our Lord's return. But is it not in order to inquire whether he has ever quite so lately been with us? I have talked with people who were quite sure they had found his recent footprints and myself have sometimes fancied I could hear the rustle of his seamless robe."

"It might be well to pause from gazing into the clouds long enough to look around us."

PASTOR TELLS OF MISERY

This Is Time for Compassion, Says
Dr. E. H. Pence.

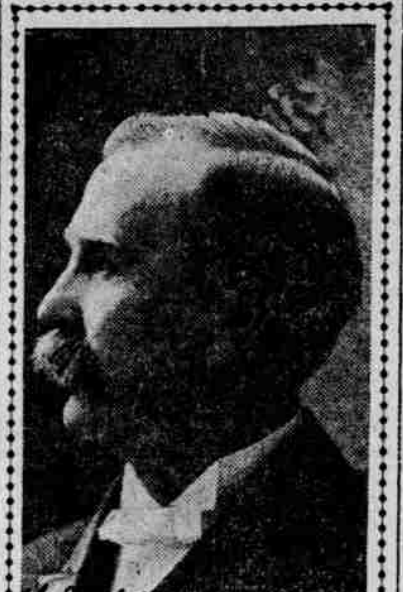
Dr. Edward H. Pence, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian church, returned to his pulpit yesterday after an absence occasioned by serious illness. In the course of his morning sermon he said:

"Disraeli was taunted on the floor of the British parliament by Daniel O'Connell with being a Jew. Yes, said the future premier, I belong to a race which produced a man and a woman, a mother and a son; one-

half of Christendom worships the mother, the other half worships the son."

"An amazing piece of political retort; but in a sense removed far above wit or controversy, it holds a tremendous truth. The Christian religion just now lays emphasis upon two great facts—motherhood and childhood. Bethlehem holds a brief and registers a charter of rights for the child. Bethlehem reaffirms all that holy reverences had ever conceived of the dignity, the majesty, the sacredness of motherhood—as the means worthy of all that the first Christmas held of hope and prophecy for the destiny of humanity."

"There are times for compassion; times when its absence should make for misery. My cherished friend,



Dr. Louis Albert Banks, Native Oregonian, White Temple speaker.

Tom May, then of the Detroit Journal, a great-hearted Irishman, one day conceived the greatest cartoon of his brilliant career. An attic, bare of everything save that which even poverty clutches and refuses to forego; broken panes, stuffed with rags; a snow-bird on the sill. Upon a broken chair, but lying over the rough table, the limp form of a bit of a girl; by her side, flattened in its emptiness, a vacant stocking. Tom called it "Forgotten." What a language! the dumb sob of a forgotten child!"

JESUS IS DECLARED PILGRIM

Dr. W. T. McElveen Says All Bold
Spirits Are Progressive.

Dr. W. T. McElveen preached yesterday at the First Congregational church on "A Picture Album of Some Old and New Pilgrims." He said in part:

"On the pilgrim monument at Princeton, Mass., you might read this bold statement, 'The Pilgrims illustrated for the first time in history the principles of civil and religious liberty and the principle of a genuine democracy.' That statement is as true as it is bold. Lowell expresses the same truth in these words, 'Next to the fugitives whom Moses led out of Egypt, the little shipload of outcasts who landed at Plymouth are destined to influence the future of the world.'"

"Quotation might be heaped upon quotation to emphasize the fact that the narrow cabin of the Mayflower was the cradle of modern democracy and that the 'compact' the men of the Mayflower signed, is one of the great Magna Charters of human history."

"They were moral adventurers, spiritual explorers. They were men and women who were willing to enter upon a holy endeavor either in the church or the state that was without precedent. You never heard a Pilgrim sing any such driving song as 'Hold the Fort.' They never lived on the defensive. They were never prudent, but always progressive. 'Safety first' wasn't their motto, either. They loved not comfort, but courage. They were progressive in their thinking. John Robinson, their Leyden pastor, exhorted them, 'Don't stick where Luther and Calvin left you, but go on and receive any truth that God shall in any way reveal to you.' Again he said to them, 'There is ever new light to break forth from the word of God.'"

"Being a Pilgrim is not confined to any one time or to any one race. Abraham, the founder of the Jewish race and faith, made the great adventure. Jesus was a Pilgrim. His mother didn't understand him. His brothers disapproved of him. Nazareth, the town of his boyhood and youth, rejected him. His acquaintances called him a fanatic and his enemies called him a devil. But he went out alone like all Pilgrims to live His life and to found a new religion and a new civilization."

CAMPAIGN IS SILENT

CANDIDATES SEEK VOTES BY
MAIL.

Front Porch Tactics Are Used by
Office Seekers in Election
at Seattle.

SEATTLE, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—A speechless campaign for state senator in the 37th district to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of George B. Lanning, recently elected port commissioner, gives an unique touch to the contest between E. B. Palmer, republican nominee, and Joe Smith, of the farm-labor party. Instead of hiring halls, the two candidates are addressing the voters through the mails and meeting them on the front porch. The election will be held Tuesday.

The 37th senatorial district contains a population of 66,000, of whom 27,000 are registered voters. The farm-labor party cast approximately 4700 votes for governor in the district last month, which averages 75 votes to a precinct. The vote for governor has been in the neighborhood of 12,000.

Having in mind the light vote cast in the port and area elections, Robert M. Jones, chairman of the republican county central committee, and Roy C. Lyle, secretary of the committee, have organized every precinct in the district.

Fruit Union Holds Election.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—The Columbia Fruit union in November elected their board of directors, who in turn recently elected the following officers: A. E. Gladder, president; N. P. Meers, vice-president; A. R. Hayes, secretary; J. W. Dickey, treasurer and manager.

First Snow Falls.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—The first snow of the season fell during the night. Less than two inches had fallen by morning.

Read The Oregonian classified ads.

RELIEF FUND DRIVE
OFFICIALLY OPENEDPastors Make First Appeal
From Church Pulpits.

SOLICITORS BEGIN TODAY

Campaign for Money for Starving
Children in Europe Will Be
Waged Intensively.

Nearly 200 strong, and comprised of leading business and professional men of the city, the "flying squadron" of the European Relief council's campaign forces will take the field early this morning with a substantial share of Oregon's \$250,000 quota as the objective of their two-day intensive foray upon the humanitarian sympathies and the exchequers of a picked list of citizens and firms from whom large block subscriptions are expected. The solicitors will gather at campaign headquarters, 322 Selling building, at an early hour, and by 10 A. M. they will be actively "on the job," working in teams, each team provided with a picked list of prospects.

The campaign was officially opened yesterday, when the services in all churches of all creeds were given over to educational sermons and appeals for the \$250,000 starving little war-wards for whom Herbert Hoover has undertaken to raise a \$33,000,000 national fund. The money is wanted so that food enough may be sent to prevent wholesale death by starvation among the children of the war-swept countries in central and southeastern Europe this winter.

Donations Are Received.

While many thousands of dollars were probably obtained for the fund by various church activities up to and including yesterday, no report has yet been made of the total at headquarters.

Many schools, fraternal societies, employees' associations and other organizations will energetically aid in rolling up the quota, and some of these have already sent in donations. A neat little pasteboard box, gaily wrapped in tissue and Christmas ribbons, was turned in to Chairman Strong Saturday. The little box contained \$43.90 from the students and faculty of Reed college, and, according to Eugene Vincent, who brought it to headquarters, there will be "more to come."

Salesmen to Comb Field.

The "flying squadron" will work today and tomorrow, and will give over the field on Wednesday morning to a force of 400 trained salesmen, mobilized from Portland's bond houses, fiscal agencies, insurance firms and mercantile establishments by Orton Goodwin of Goodwin & Beverly, under whose leadership a complete clean-up of the business and industrial world will be made. A popular campaign, waged by the women's division, in which several hundred women under command of Mrs. J. M. Boyles, will complete the garnering of the big quota, will be inaugurated Monday, December 26, continuing through the post-Christmas week, if necessary.

CITY STUDENT HONORED

E. A. Diersdorf Banks High in
Scholarship at O. A. C.

OREGON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, Corvallis, Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Edgar A. Diersdorf, son of Dr. R. Diersdorf, of 200 Stanton street, Portland, was one of five juniors in agriculture to be elected to membership in the Alpha Zeta honorary agricultural fraternity. The requirements are high scholastic standing, ability as a leader, together with those principles of manhood which indicate character.

Diersdorf is majoring in dairying, after completing two years' basic work in agriculture. He was a member of the winning dairy-judging team at the Pacific International exposition at Portland, is assistant manager of the O. A. C. Barometer club, and a member of the agricultural club and the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity.

ROCK THROWER IS JAILED

Vengeance Is Sought by Heaving
Stones Through Window.

EUGENE, Or., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Mike Holyk is in the Lane county jail charged with heaving two big rocks through a window in the office of the Hotel Griggs here Saturday evening. Holyk stood on the sidewalk outside the hotel and threw the rocks and then was seen to run to a litter across the street and drive off. He was found later in Springfield.

About two months ago the man had some difficulty with J. A. McLean, landlord at the hotel and, returning from Oregon City yesterday, evidently sought to wreak vengeance.

Game Law Violation Charged.

KELSO, Wash., Dec. 19.—County Game Warden Oyster arrested Ernie Holden of the Upper Coweeman yesterday on a charge of having venison in his possession during closed season. Holden was fined several months ago for violation of the game laws. His case will be heard at Kalama, January 3.

Salem to Levy 45 Mills.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Salem's tax levy for 1921 will aggregate 45 mills, according to a report prepared here today by Ben F. West, county assessor. This is approximately 5 cents on a dollar, and is based on all assessable property in the city.

White Salmon Masons Elect.

WHITE SALMON, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—The local Masonic lodge has elected the following officers: Ira E. Hyde, worshipful master; W. H. Dean, senior warden; C. N. Ackley, junior warden; G. C. Crow, treasurer; Wenzel Olson, secretary.

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DEFEATED CANDIDATE PRO-
TESTS ELECTION.Multnomah Representative Said to
Have Violated Law in Seek-
ing Two Offices.

SALEM, Or., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—

Leslie Murray, defeated candidate for representative from Multnomah county at the primary election last May, has filed in the Marion county circuit court legal protest against the election of Herbert Gordon of Portland, who was a successful candidate for the office.

It was charged by Mr. Murray that Mr. Gordon's election was illegal for the reason that he was a candidate for two offices at the same election. This, Mr. Murray contended, was a direct violation of the Oregon statutes, which provide that "no person shall be qualified to be a candidate for more than one office to be filled at the same election."

In Mr. Gordon's case it was alleged that he was a candidate for mayor of Portland and representative at the same election.

The protest further asks that the circuit court certify its findings to the secretary of state and to the legislative body.

Paul Dormitzer, Portland attorney, who some time ago filed formal protest with the secretary of state, against Mr. Gordon's election as representative, appeared for Mr. Murray

in the proceedings. Mr. Dormitzer said the right to protest Mr. Gordon's election was authorized under a special statute relating to elections. Each branch of the legislature is the sole judge of the qualifications of its own members, and it is likely that Mr. Gordon's right to hold the office to which he was elected will be carried to the floor of the house of representatives early in the next legislative session, which starts January 10.

Mr. Gordon's commission already has been issued by Governor Olcott.

Eastern Star Chapters Elect.

CENTRALIA, Wash., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—The following officers were elected at the last meeting of the Centralia chapter of the Order of Eastern Star: Mrs. Mae C. Cleaver, matron; J. M. Boyles, patron; Mrs. Gladie Ritzman, associate matron; Mark L. Stewart, secretary; Henry Hanken, treasurer; Lettie Schultz, conductress; and Mrs. W. R. McDowell, associate conductress. The Winlock chapter has elected the following: Mrs. H. J. Maury, matron; R. J. Miller, patron; Mrs. S. O. Ostad, associate matron; Mrs. Mel Baldwin, conductress; Mrs. C. H. Eyerly, associate conductress; Mrs. R. J. Miller, secretary; and J. I. Yansen, treasurer.

Royal Neighbors Choose Oracle.

ALBANY, Or., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—Mrs. Anna Straney has been chosen oracle of the local lodge of Royal Neighbors of America, and others who will serve with her during the coming term as a result of the recent election are: Lita Rankin, past oracle; Ada Bloom, vice-oracle; Amanda Baltimore, chancellor; Alice Kirk, recorder; Jennie Beal, receiver.

Neva Neely, marshal; Louisa Neely, inner sentinel; Elva Hofflich, outer sentinel; P. J. Baltimore, manager; Dr. F. E. Beauchamp, physician; Clara Price, musician. Mrs. Anna Baltimore was elected delegate to the state camp and Mrs. Anna Straney alternate.

Albany Plans Two-Day Races.

ALBANY, Or., Dec. 19.—(Special.)—A two-day racing meet on the Linn county fair grounds on or about the fourth of July next, has been determined upon by the Albany Racing association. A meet last October was so successful that the event will be



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he next summer. Some of the valley horsemen will train on the local track for the racing season next fall and it is expected that a large number will be here for the early meet. Wayne Stuart of this city, P. H. Pfeiffer, president, and W. F. will have charge.

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