

PREBYTERIAN CHURCH TO BE DEDICATED WITH CEREMONIES

Elaborate Programme Arranged, Including Music and Addresses by Prominent Pastors—Episcopalians Plan Special Services—Interesting Discussions Held by Christian Endeavorers of Anabel Church

OF PARAMOUNT importance today will be the dedication of Westminster Presbyterian Church, the beautiful edifice erected at the corner of East Seventeenth and Schuyler streets. The service will be celebrated by the Rev. John H. Roy, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. Henry Marcotte, pastor of Westminster Presbyterian Church, who will preside at the dedication. S. P. Lockwood, chairman of the building committee, will read the financial report and the Rev. J. A. P. McGaw will give the reading. Rev. J. R. Wilson will offer the prayer.

The music will be a special feature. "Christ Is Our Corner Stone" will be given by a double quartet; Mrs. Elfrida Heller Weinstein will sing "Let the Bright Seraphim" (Händel), and the thanksgiving anthem, "Your Thankful Songs Upraise," will be given by the choir.

In the evening the Rev. W. H. Oxtoby of San Anselmo Seminary, an old friend of the Rev. Mr. Marcotte, will preach the sermon. Mayor Albert Owen is in charge of a large class in the Bible school, will give an address and Mrs. A. Bradshaw, a charter member, will speak. The Rev. H. S. Tompkins of Vancouver, a former pastor of the church, will speak briefly. The offertory chorus will be given by a chorus of the Orpheus Club with William Mansell Wilder as director. Robert Lovell Wilson will sing a baritone solo, "Now Abide Hope." Father Ed. O'Brien will sing "The Lord's Prayer" and "Hail Gladdening Light of His Pure Glory Poured" (T. T. Noble). The hymn for the evening will be:

The Church's one foundation
Is Jesus Christ her Lord;
And this she acknowledges,
That Jesus Christ her new creation
By water and the Spirit
From heaven has come and sought her,
To raise her up to glory
And in his own blood he bought her,
And for her life he died.

Ere from every nation
Yet one of the earth,
He purchased of salvation
One Lord, one faith, one baptism,
One holy church, one altar,
One offering, one holy food,
And to one table he invites,
With every grace endued.

"Mid toil and tribulation
And tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation
Of peace and rest to come,
Till all her enemies are slain,
And her great Church victorious
Shall be the Church at last."

Dr. Marcotte has announced that there will be no special plea for money, as is often the case at dedications. It is expected to be passed in just the regular way.

Throughout the week the celebration will continue with meetings and services on every day. On Tuesday night there will be a large "at home" with the women of the church as hostesses. On Wednesday evening there will be a large "at home" for the young people and on Thursday there will be the first prayer meeting in the new edifice. Friday, the Sunday school will have its annual convention in an inspiring rally. Friends are invited to participate with the church members in all these meetings.

The choir is under the direction of Leach, Mrs. Anna C. Shillock, Walter J. Gill, Ira G. King, Assisted by Mrs. Jane Townsend Wells, Mrs. J. B. Ertzinger, Mrs. C. W. Johnson, Mrs. Levi Bowman. The soloists are Mrs. Elfrida Heller Weinstein, Robert Lovell Wilson. At pianoforte and organ will be Miss Laura Fox, J. Hutchison, director.

Presbyterian Church this week, for securing a record attendance at their regular monthly meeting. Last Sunday the announcement was made that dinner would be served at the church at 7 o'clock, immediately following which the business meeting of the society would be held. A good time and a good meeting were the result.

As a phase of the commission plan of government in operation at the Anabel Presbyterian Church, the differing lines of church work are being discussed at the regular weekly prayer meetings. The general topic is "The Efficient Church; What It Should Be." The several departments under which the work is organized are: Evangelism, missions, young people's work, social service and church visitation.

Lutheran Theological Seminary Ends Year

Ten Students Graduated and Two Will Be Ordained This Term—Pastors Are Waiting.

THE fourth year's work of the Lutheran Theological Seminary, in this city will be ended with the services to be held in St. James' English Lutheran Church this morning. The seminary has been located temporarily in this city since next September the institution will be opened at its new permanent quarters in Seattle.

The services today will be in charge of the Rev. J. Allen Leas, and the sermon will be preached by the president of the seminary, the Rev. P. W. H. Frederick.

The seminary was founded in order to meet the needs of English Lutheran churches developing in the Northwest. Besides the president, other instructors are Rev. J. Allen Leas, Rev. M. E. Boulton and Rev. W. J. Eck. The institution is connected with the General Council of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in North America. It is intended to be of service to every part of the church and its activities have not been confined to any one body.

Since the beginning of the institution 10 young men have taken either a part or the whole of their course in it. Of these only one came from the East. All others are from territory covered by the Pacific Synod. From the seminary this year two young men will take the work of the ministry. They are Theodore A. Jansen and Sigurd Olafsson. Mr. Jansen has been supplying the church at Astoria, Or., and will be pastor of that church when he returns. Next winter he expects to take up work in an Eastern institution. Mr. Olafsson will take up pastoral work at Blaine, Wash.

At its annual meeting last year, the Pacific Synod resolved to procure a new permanent location for the seminary, and this has been done. The Eastern board favored a location near the University of Washington at Seattle, and it was decided to locate at Blaine, Wash. A fine site of 10 acres, within walking distance of the campus of the University of Seattle, has been secured, and the work of the seminary will be taken up on the new site next September.

In addition to a theological seminary the plan is to add facilities for college and academic studies as soon as funds are available or the foundation of such establishments.

President Frederick is a graduate of Washington and Jefferson College of the class of 1894 and attended the Eastern Seminary, Philadelphia, and the Chicago Lutheran Seminary, graduating from the latter in 1898. After a year of post graduate study in Europe, he was called back to the Chicago Seminary as instructor in church history and New Testament, where he remained four years. Removing to the Southern California because of the impaired health of Mrs. Frederick, he was pastor for eight years in Pasadena and San Bernardino, and was called from there to his present position, which he accepted in January, 1911. Under his administration the seminary has been thoroughly organized and the seminary has attained full and accredited standing with the General Council of the Evangelical Lutheran Church. The field of the seminary covers the states of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and the provinces of Alberta and British Columbia in Canada.



MEN PROMINENT IN RELIGIOUS WORK IN PORTLAND

Rev. P. W. H. Frederick, president of the Lutheran Theological Seminary.

Dr. J. Earl Else, who took part in the state Sunday-school convention held this past week. Dr. Else is a leader in Sunday Bible-school work in Portland.

Rev. M. E. Boulton and Rev. J. Allen Leas, both instructors in the Theological Seminary and active in church work in this city.

Rev. W. J. Eck, an instructor in the seminary and a speaker of ability.

Thomas A. Jansen, Nelson Schoenberg, F. C. Treffinger and S. Olafsson are students who have taken the course at the Lutheran Theological Seminary.

the church until a permanent leader shall be selected. He is a man of ability and an excellent speaker.

The Sunday School of this church has a splendid record and is one of the best in the locality in which it is located, East Thirty-third and Eleventh streets. So highly did the Home Mission Society, of New York, think of the Waverly Church that it sent enough money to put the organization on its feet without one dollar of indebtedness.

John III:16 will be the text used by Rev. James Hardy Bennett, pastor of the Union-avenue Methodist Church. During the month of May Rev. Mr. Bennett will discuss a different phase of the old text each Sunday morning and evening during the month, showing how that this one verse embraces all the needs of all men for all time and eternity. It is hoped that this discussion will be highly interesting and profitable to all who avail themselves of the privileges of these discourses.

Among the interesting sermons for tonight will be that given by Dr. Frank L. Loveland, who will speak at the Methodist Church, Third and Taylor. His topic will be "The Profit and Peril of 'Kodak Views' of Christianity."

At the First United Presbyterian Church at 7:30 o'clock Rev. Frank De Witt Findley will speak on "The Companionship of a Clear Conscience."

At the morning service at Centenary Church, Rev. Delmar H. Trimble will speak on "God Slowly and Miller will sing 'The City Divine' (Bonheur). At the evening service the Rev. Ira Brand will play several selections.

The Good Fellowship Society of Trinity Church will give a musical entertainment at the parish hall, 1919 and Davis streets, Tuesday night, May 5 at 8 o'clock. The public is invited. An interesting programme is in store for those who attend.

The Portland Association of Congregational Churches was in two days session at St. Helens April 28 and 29. J. R. Knodell, of the Laurelhurst Church, was elected moderator and Frank W. Gorman scribe. Various topics were discussed on the theme "The Church at Work." The newly formed Evangelical Zion Congregational Church was organized by 150 members with Rev. W. J. Eck as pastor. Another matter of interest was the adoption of the new creed of 1913 as suggested by the National Council of Congregationalists to supersede the creed of 1853.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the First United Presbyterian Church entertained on Friday in the church parlors. Among those who spoke were Mrs. Lola G. Baldwin, Miss Wheelodon and Miss Chandler. Mrs. F. D. Findley presided. Mrs. Thomas Stott, Mrs. Shearer and Mrs. Miller gave musical numbers. Refreshments were served at the close of the programme.

On Friday evening, May 8, the Ladies' Aid Society of Hope Presbyterian Church will hold a reception for the members and friends of the church. There will be a varied programme of entertainment and light refreshments will be served.

There will be special services in the morning of Mothers' day, May 10, for the aged and invalid, at Central Methodist Episcopal Church. Under the direction of the social service department of the Epworth League, arrangements are being made that any aged or invalid in the community may be taken to or from the service if they wish to attend. Any persons who know of any of these people or who can donate the use of an auto or carriage is requested to notify the pastor, Rev. C. C. Rarick, Woodlawn 1152.

At Woodlawn Christian Church tonight the Independent Order of Odd-fellows, Harmony and Woodlawn lodges, and their auxiliaries, will hold a 35th anniversary celebration. Rev. W. L. Mellinger will speak. Rev. S. A. Starr will deliver the invocation. An elaborate programme is being prepared by the choir of the church, under the direction of A. E. Gardner, choir director. The lodges will meet at the Woodlawn Lodge Hall and prepare their regalia and march in a body to the church.

Today the White Temple, the First Baptist Church in the morning, will celebrate the fourth anniversary of the pastorate of Dr. Hinson. During these four years the church has grown wonderfully successful in its work. Taking the past 12 years of its history, it is found that, during the first four of those 12 years, more than 600 were added to the fellowship, while during the second period of four years nearly 700 joined the church. The last four years have added to the roll over 1300 names.

At the morning service the pastor, Dr. Hinson, will preach from the text, "Ebeneser: hitherto hath the Lord helped us." At this service the Temple quartet will render the anthem, "Awake, My Soul, to Sound His Praise," by Pike, and Mrs. Pauline Miller Chapman will sing for an offering, "The Lord Is My Light," by Altitzen.

will take for his theme the phrase, "On to Mexico," and the sermon will be expository of the real cause, underlying principle and sole remedy for the present crisis in our National affairs. At this service the Temple quartet will be heard in "When Power Divines" by Shelley, and Mr. Hoover will sing "A Song of Praise," by Gouhier, and Mr. McGuire will also sing "Consider the Lilies," by Topliff.

The Sunday school of this church meets at 9:50 A. M. and the Senior and Junior Young People's Societies at 6:15 P. M. The morning preaching service commences at 11 and the evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Anti-Cigarette day will be observed in the Millard-avenue Presbyterian Church at 8 o'clock this evening. The Sunday school will have charge of the hour for the evening service. A special anti-cigarette programme has been arranged, consisting of music, exercises and recitations. Dr. W. T. Stout will address the boys especially upon the evil effects of the use of cigarettes. Mrs. J. H. Zehring and Rev. Mr. Amon also will make short addresses. Everyone welcome.

Vital Questions Talked at Church Forum

First Presbyterians to Hear Discussions of Problems of Current Interest and New Ideas Along Practical Lines Are Expressed.

THE Current Events Class of the First Presbyterian Church, an open forum on applied Christianity, which meets every Sunday morning in the auditorium just after church service, will have for its topic this Sunday, May 3, "Is Apartment-House Life a Menace to the Home?" Professor Bernard C. Ewins of Reed College will make the address. The public is welcomed.

For the First Presbyterian Young People's Circle, which meets in room 2131 church house, 454 Alder street, a special series of meetings has been arranged for the month of May, to which all young people are invited.

A number have asked for these discussions on "What Should Believers 'Miracles,' 'Science and the Bible,' and kindred subjects suggested by their reading and study."

O. J. Bowman will conduct these five meetings beginning next Sunday. There will be no long address, but it is hoped that the young people will ask earnest questions so that their real problems may be solved.

In the "Triangle" every Monday night at the First Presbyterian Church, an anti-cigarette programme is given and special emphasis is placed upon making the stranger at home. The Triangle programme for this Monday evening

7:30-8:15. Bible hour, "Life of Christ," Readings, Matt. 21:1 to 22:14; Mark 11:33-35 and 12:1-12; Luke 19:29-45 and 20:1-17; John 12:12-19.

8:15-9. Self-improvement hour. Samuel C. Lancaster, consulting engineer of the Columbia River Highway, will give an address on "The Camera as a Self-improvement." Illustrated by stereoscopic slides produced by the recent invention called "photography."

9:00. Social hour. "An Evening With the Camera." Each attendant asked to display his best dozen prints from his own camera; award for best dozen, 20 cents. The official photograph of the "Triangle" crowd will be taken.

Baptists Gather for Three-Days' Session

Discussions of Problems of Workers in Willamette Valley Are to Be Held at Arleta Church, Beginning May 6.

THE Willamette Baptist Association will meet for three days this week beginning May 6 at the Arleta Baptist Church, where the 66th annual session will be held.

"Christian Education," Leonard W. Billee, 11306 address, "Religious Education Through Our Churches," Rev. George L. White.

Afternoon—2:00, church efficiency through the business end of the church, "The Business End of the Church," Dr. W. T. Miller, Evangelical Church, Dr. W. T. Miller, 7:30, "A Standardized Baptist Church," Dr. C. Millspaugh. These are conferences conducted by the leaders, questions and discussions are invited.

Evening—7:15, song service and devotion; Rev. C. B. Elliott, solo, "Star of the East," Walter McKim, 1:30, doctrinal sermon, Rev. W. O. Shank, 8:30, stereoscopic address, "New Mission Work on the Pacific Coast," George T. Walsh of Los Angeles.

May 8, Friday.

Morning—8:30, opening hymn and prayer, Rev. C. B. Elliott, 9:55, report of committee on resolutions; election of officers, 11:00, address, "Social Service," H. W. Stone, of M. C. A.

Afternoon—2:00, women's session, 2:00, discussion of associational work, 2:15, "Portraits," Miss Gertrude Jackson, 2:20, "Forty Years of Service," Miss Ruby Weyburn, 2:30, "The Business End of the Church," Dr. W. T. Miller, 2:45, "A Standardized Baptist Church," Dr. C. Millspaugh. These are conferences conducted by the leaders, questions and discussions are invited.

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WOMAN CLERK IS LUCKY

Popularity and Fortune Give Her Office Where Voters Tie.

CHICAGO, April 30.—Mrs. Lohrie Rushmore is going to be town clerk of Grant and Lake counties' first women village. The did, mainly because she is popular, but chiefly because she is lucky.

The popularity of Mrs. Rushmore is attested by the fact that 175 of Grant's 250 voters cast their ballots for her. If you are quick at figures you will perceive that just 175 remained to vote against her. The did, mainly because she is popular, but chiefly because she is lucky.

AMERICA INVADES SIBERIA

British Trade Weaker Than Other in New Farming Country.

LONDON, April 30.—(Special.)—From the commercial intelligence department of the Foreign Office it is learned that American, Danish and German manufacturers are more firmly planted in Siberia, which is growing rapidly in importance as an agricultural and manufacturing industry, than the British. The Danes and Americans have worked wonders in the country. The Germans everywhere in Russia give proof of their capacity to study and adapt their ways and wares to the requirements of the market.

The Swedes share with the Danes the market for dairy accessories. The Danes have met something of the demand for fancy goods and toilet articles, the Belgians for guns and the Americans for scythes and sickles.

THE whole country is now open to all nations and now countries, except England, are benefitting to a marked degree. The stream of immigration has increased and enlarged the agricultural openings and the removal of the whole region, more especially of Western Siberia, have already given rise to a flourishing trade in butter and wheat to rapidly increasing imports of Russian and American agricultural machinery.

BRITISH PIG DISAPPEARING

Swine Fever Rages in Spite of All Efforts to Stop Disease.

LONDON, May 2.—(Special.)—Although the government has spent more than £500,000 in a fruitless effort to exterminate swine fever, bacon is more expensive than ever before, and farmers are abandoning the industry.

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The J. K. Gill Co. THIRD AND ALDER STREETS

Church Has Practical Plans for Needy

Women of Grace Memorial Work With Pastor in Efforts to Meet Needs of Poor.

ONE of the new and rapidly growing Episcopal churches of Portland is Grace Memorial, East Seventeenth and Welder streets, founded in memory of the late Frederick W. Berry, by his widow in 1910.

It was the intention that it serve as a memorial to any loved and lost ones whose friends may wish to identify themselves with the church.

Dr. George B. Van Waters, who had resigned the pastorate of St. David's Church, Portland, after almost 18 years' ministry, was asked to take charge of this new work. He consented but refused any compensation for his services.

When well established he asked consent of the vestry to his appointing an assistant who should receive a salary and do the more active work necessary to the new field, consequently he associated with himself the Rev. Oswald W. Taylor, who since that time has served the parish.

Among the many activities of Grace Memorial is its Women's Auxiliary with a membership of about 25. Its primary work is to assist the board of missions, making the contributions toward the large yearly budget necessary to the board's work. That the auxiliary might also help along the lines of social service, it was planned to meet during Lent at the homes of various members for all day sewing. Lunches were served by the hostesses and the proceeds were invested in material for making garments for the needy. In this way about \$30 worth of soft, warm garments are being forwarded to local hospitals and to the Alaska Indian mission.

The Catholic Sentinel published last week a fine edition, the 44th anniversary number. There is much news of interest contained in the 72 pages of the paper. On the cover are pictures of Archbishop Christie, Bishop Carroll, of Helena, Mont.; Bishop Glorieux, of Boise, Idaho; Bishop O'Dea, of Seattle; Bishop Leisher, of Great Falls, Mont.; Bishop Schinner, of the new diocese of Spokane; Bishop O'Reilly, of Baker.

Self-Denial Campaign Closes With Reception

Members and Friends of Central Christian Church Entertained by Sisterhood Committee.

THE executive committee of the Sisterhood of Central Christian Church held a reception for the friends and members of the church Wednesday evening when the "Self-Denial Fund" campaign came to a close.

The president, Mrs. C. A. Ward, presided. Mrs. Emma Hawes read the quarterly report of the secretary, Mrs. Sue Jones read the treasurer's report. Mr. and Mrs. Duncan and Rev. Mr. Hawkins led the devotional service. The following programme was given: Piano solo, Master Gordon Soule; reading, Mrs. Downing; vocal solo, Mrs. Crawford; reading, Mrs. Lotsepach; vocal solo, Miss Clara Jones.

The pulpit of the Waverly Heights Congregational Church will be filled this morning by a supply pastor, the Rev. A. A. Moses, who has come from Pasadena, Cal., to serve as pastor of

work in Oregon for the past 44 years. Prior to that time he was located in Pennsylvania, where, as a young minister, he began his successful career.

He has had charge of churches in this state in Salem, Albany, Corvallis, Lafayette, Dayton and Portland, and has many friends in each of these cities.

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LARGE ATTENDANCE MARKS INTEREST IN CHRISTIAN CHURCH BIBLE SCHOOL.



BIBLE SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH, EUGENE, OR.

One of the largest Bible school classes in the Northwest assembles at the Christian Church in Eugene. On a recent Sunday the attendance reached 1015. The previous record was held by a North Yakima Sunday school, which numbered 858. With the exception of the First Presbyterian Church school of Portland and possibly a few others, these numbers are without parallel in this part of the Coast.

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