

# MINISTERS OF SAME FAITH FOES IN WAR

### Prelate in Address Before Methodist Conference Reports Enforced Combat.

## FOREIGN MISSIONS IN NEED

### Pastors Are Urged to Appeal to Flocks for Aid—\$100,000 Fund for Superannuated Clergy-men Is Goal.

Methodist ministers may be shooting at one another in Europe.

Thirty-six preachers of the Wesleyan faith in the conference of South Germany were called to the German colors, while at least three-fourths of their brethren in France were summoned to support the tricolor, according to the Rev. John W. Robinson, bishop of Southern Asia, who addressed the annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church of Oregon yesterday.

"The board of foreign missions is hard hit by the war," said Bishop Robinson, then telling of its immediate effect in Germany and France. "England and Germany, with the United States, are the great Protestant countries supporting the foreign missions," he said, "and the work in England and Germany is paralyzed. This puts the entire burden on the Methodist Church in the United States. Unless the work is greatly enlarged and curtailed, the support that has been coming from the warring nations must be made up in this country."

Bishop Robinson appealed to the Methodist preachers of Oregon to present the case to their congregations, so that additional support might be forthcoming and the missionary work be carried forward with undiminished vigor.

Bishop Robinson made these assertions in a brief address at the morning session, following his introduction to the conference by Bishop Cooke. He will deliver the address at the conference of the Foreign Missionary Society at the conference meeting tonight.

**\$100,000 Fund Is Goal.**  
It was unanimously decided at the morning session to embark on a campaign for a \$100,000 fund for the benefit of retired ministers of the Oregon conference. Bishop Cooke was empowered to appoint a commission composed of the district superintendents and two ministers and two laymen from every district to organize and carry out the campaign, which is to begin immediately.

The proposal occasioned discussion in the course of which the Rev. D. H. Leach declared it unjust that members of the conference engaged in "detached service" should not contribute to the fund for the superannuated preachers.

Professor Sherwood, of Willamette University, declared that this criticism was not warranted so far as he was concerned, for the reason that he had never been asked to contribute.

The Rev. Clarence Truitt, who is in "detached service" as secretary of the temperance work of the church, declared that an assessment against such workers would be a heavy burden because it would fall on their personal incomes.

**Equalized Salaries Wanted.**  
"Give us congregations and we will do our share," said the Rev. D. A. Waters, who declared that the differences in salaries received by preachers in the big city churches and the rural areas should be equalized.

He said that the country preacher, with the same education and ability, gets \$200 or \$400 a year, and that he has to have a garden and chickens to enable himself and family to live. This, he said, was all out of proportion to the \$200 salaries allowed city ministers, service considered.

Rev. C. E. Cline brought balm to the controversy when he said that he had gone through the ordeal of a garden and the high-salary stage, and that he had never been happier than when he was living on the humble salary.

This brought laughter, and the conference was amused again a little later when Dr. Cline, in the course of his address to the veteran preachers, who were called to stand while Bishop Cooke paid them an eloquent tribute, replied that while he "supposed it was honor to be a veteran preacher, he would gladly trade the honor for teeth and hair."

**Collection Plan Made.**  
The following is the plan that was adopted to provide the \$100,000 fund: A general collection will be taken up by charges paying \$300 or less to the pastor; those paying from \$300 to \$500 will be assessed 2 per cent; \$500 to \$800, 4 per cent; \$800 to \$1,500, 5 per cent; and more than \$1,500, 6 per cent.

The question of "Oregon duty" was brought up by the reading of a telegram from Representative Hobson relative to the Underwood bill proposing to levy "war tax" on beer, wines and spirits. The conference adopted a resolution, to be sent to the Oregon Congressional delegation, opposing such a tax as being of assistance to the liquor interests and making the Government a partner in the business.

In the closing moments of the session Bishop Cooke referred feelingly to the liquor question, saying that "it isn't merely a question of putting liquor out of business, but of the salvation of our beloved country."

"The diabolical influence of this accursed thing," said the bishop, "reaches into and corrupts our politics. You know what Oregon needs. It isn't resources. These she has in abundance. She is blessed by nature as few states are."

**Through Is Expected.**  
Anticipating an overflow crowd today at Centenary Church, at East Ninth and East Pine streets, where the conference is being held, Dr. Trimble yesterday announced that services would be held at the Third Presbyterian Church, given over for a "Methodist day" today, with Rev. H. S. Wilkinson, pastor of the Eugene Methodist Church, speaking in the morning, and Rev. R. M. Avison, pastor of the Salem Methodist Church, in the evening.

Rev. Edward Gittens will preach at the Central Methodist Church this morning at 11 o'clock, and Rev. M. B. Farouhiagian, a native of Armenia, will lecture in the evening on "From Armenia to America."

**Prelate to Preach.**  
Bishop Robinson will preach at the first Methodist Church in the morning, and Dr. Frank L. Loveland, the pastor, this evening, his subject to be "European Cathedrals."

The work of the Board of Home Missions and Church Extension was the subject of an address by the Rev. Ward Platt, its corresponding secretary, at last night's session. Mr. Platt made

# CHARACTERS RETOUCHEE INSTEAD OF NEGATIVES

### New Religious Secretary of Young Women's Christian Association Comes With Great Record of Achievement Among Girl Workers.



Miss Georgina Wicker, Religious Secretary, Y.W.C.A.

**T**HE opening vespers of the Fall season at the Young Women's Christian Association, which will be held today at 4:30 o'clock, will mark the first appearance here of Miss Georgina C. Wicker, the new religious secretary. Miss Wicker will preside and will make an address. The Rev. Frank W. Gorman will sing. Mrs. Elsie Bond Bischoff will preside at the piano. The programme will be followed by a social hour. All women and girls will be welcomed.

Miss Wicker comes to Portland highly recommended as an entertaining and interesting speaker, a young woman of great tact and ability and with an education best suited to fit her for the office she now holds. She comes of an old New England family. She is a descendant of Elder Brewster and Governor Thomas Pierce, of Massachusetts.

Miss Wicker was educated in Boston. She became a business girl, being an expert in retouching photographs. In addition she took a great interest in religious work and taught Sunday school. After a short time Miss Wicker decided to enter the Hartford School of Technology and fit herself to teach the Bible. In speaking of her work she said: "I thought it would be better to retouch characters than negatives."

"The business training received by Miss Wicker gives her special qualifications to understand the business girls," said Miss James, the general secretary, in discussing the new secretary. "Miss Wicker has some splendid ideas about keeping the girls interested. She believes in girls' clubs and has been exceedingly successful in their organization. Entertainments, plays and all sorts of good things come under the scope of her plans for girls."

Miss Wicker believes that the best discipline is interesting occupation and so she keeps her young friends doing things and having a good time, improving the moments. In Wethersfield, Avenue Congregational Church, at Hartford, she worked wonders with the girls. It is said.

The Friendship Club, of which she was leader, was one of the finest organizations for girls in the East and in the many letters given her by her girls of the club she left she was urged by the Easterners to organize a similar club here. They said: "We want to tell them about what we do here this winter and we want them to write to us."

"It is safe to predict," said one of the workers, "that Miss Wicker will win the hearts of the girls of Portland. The history of the clubs she has formed and their workings is of great interest. She encourages the girls to read, sets the best of them, makes them happy and self-helpful and creates all around her a wholesome atmosphere. Her deep knowledge of religious matters is blended in her teachings with a friendliness that captures the attention and holds the interest."

world, according to Mr. Platt, who referred to a book written by William F. Stead on "The Americanization of the World."

The conference will complete its work with a business session Monday morning.

The programme at Centenary Church today will be as follows:  
9:00 A. M.—Love feast, led by Fletcher Homan, D. D.  
10:30 A. M.—Sermon, Bishop Richard J. Cooke, D. D., LL. D.  
11:30 P. M.—Ordination service.  
6:15 P. M.—Epworth League services, Leaders—Wesley League, Rev. J. C. Spencer; Thornburn League, Rev. Joseph Knotts.

7:30 P. M.—Anniversary of the Foreign Missionary Society, Rev. H. S. Wilkinson, D. D., presiding.  
Address, John W. Robinson, LL. D., bishop of Southern Asia.

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review of the whole missionary field, laying particular stress, however, on the large number of foreigners now in the United States and the possibilities for work among them.

He said the "nations of the future" would be set around the shores of the Pacific, and besought the people of the Pacific Coast to keep on good terms with the people of the Orient.

"The people of the whole United States should not become embroiled because of some local disaffection on the Pacific Coast," he said, "and it rests with you people to treat your neighbors with the greatest courtesy."

He declared that the people of the Far East were hungry for American civilization and that they are looking to America to lead them in the working out of their problems.

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## SCHOOLS TO HONOR DAY

### CATHOLIC CHILDREN WILL SING MASS FOR COLUMBUS.

Services Will Be Held in Lincoln High Building in Recognition of World's Great Discoverer.

Columbus day, Monday, October 12, will be celebrated in Portland in the public schools and all Catholic institutions. Arrangements are being made to have the children of the Catholic schools attend a solemn high mass in honor of the day. This will be sung at St. Mary's Cathedral, Fifteenth and Davis streets, at 10 o'clock in the morning.

The children will assemble at the Armory, and headed by a band, will march to the Cathedral. The music will be given by a selected chorus of more than 200 voices representing every Catholic school in the city.

Preceding the mass all the children will sing a hymn in honor of Columbus and at the conclusion they will render "The Star-Spangled Banner." The music will be under the direction of Frederick W. Goodrich, the organist of the Cathedral. After the mass it is planned to have the children march past the Archbishop's house on Sixth street. They will then return to the Armory and disperse.

Exercises will be held in all the public schools of the city at some suitable time during the day. These will probably take the form of patriotic music and addresses by selected speakers on the life and work of the great discoverer of our country.

The Knights of Columbus are planning to hold special patriotic exercises in honor of their great patron on the evening of Columbus day. These will be held in the auditorium of the Lincoln High School.

D. Solis Cohen will be the orator of the evening and a special musical programme will be rendered under the direction of Mr. Goodrich. The St. Mary's treble triad will sing some patriotic numbers and solos will be given by Grace Dawson, Mrs. Rose Freidie-Gianelli, S. A. McCartney and Miss Marie Chapman. Dominic Callarate, lecturer of Portland Council, No. 678, Knights of Columbus, will preside.

## WAR POSTCARDS ON VIEW

Books Bearing on Countries Involved Assembled at Library.

The circulation department at the Central Library has on exhibition several hundred postcards gathered in Greece, Italy, Holland, Belgium and England. One entire case is devoted to colored reproductions of famous paintings and views of Belgium, Holland and England.

Fifty different books on war and the countries involved in war are collected on the life and work of the great discoverer of our country.

Dr. George Rebec, who has charge of the extension work at the University of Oregon, will be in Room F of the Central Library on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, beginning October 15.

## TOWN WILL AID COMPANY

George to Help Railway Develop Land Near Estacada.

Co-operation of the town of George, near Estacada, with the development campaign being promoted by the Portland Railway, Light & Power Company, was pledged at a community fair held there Friday and attended by J. E. Werlein, representing the company. The entire attendance at the fair, numbering over 400 persons, adopted reso-

## RE-ARREST IS SPEEDY

### CONRAD OLSON RE-JAILED AFTER TWO EXCITING CHASES.

Lents Man, on Gaining Freedom, Attacks Divorced Wife and Gets Away After First Capture.

Conrad Olson, Diamond and Everett streets, Lents, was released from the County Jail at 4 o'clock Friday and arrested again a few hours later on a charge of beating and choking his wife, who obtained a divorce from him in Circuit Court only a few hours previously.

Mrs. Olson conducts a grocery store in Lents and when a customer entered the store late Friday night he discovered Olson choking his wife. The customer pulled the man away from Mrs. Olson, who was bleeding from wounds alleged to have been inflicted by Olson. The latter then rushed out of the store and the customer called for help. Scores of neighbors joined in pursuit and after a chase of several blocks Olson was captured and led to a physician's office, where he was guarded. Special Officer Carr was called, but delayed making the arrest until he could return to his home several blocks away and get a pair of handcuffs. While he was gone Olson broke away from his captors, crawled through a window and leaped a fence. The crowd, which had grown to several hundred, pursued him again and Olson was captured and turned over to Patrolman Dolan.

Municipal Judge Stevenson sentenced Olson to 90 days on the rockpile yesterday.

## MAYOR HAS TO LOOK SAD

### New Type of Photographer Makes Mr. Albee Seem Remorseful.

Mayor Albee has found a new type of photographer. He's found one that asks you to look remorseful and sad instead of smiling.

The newcomer in the picture world appeared at the Mayor's office yesterday and asked him if he would be kind enough to step outside and pose with a man dressed as Uncle Sam for a motion picture to be used by motion picture houses in promoting the peace week campaign. The Mayor consented and took a place beside the Uncle Sam figure in front of the movie machine. The Mayor wore his usual smile.

"Kindly look sad," asked the picture machine man. The Mayor followed instructions. The picture which shown will be captioned, "We Stand for Peace."

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## PEOPLE MAY TAKE BONDS

### Vancouver Club to Consider Plan to Dispose of Bridge Issue.

VANCOUVER, Wash., Sept. 22.—(Special.)—Plans whereby the Clarke County bonds for the Columbia River Interstate Bridge may be sold, will be brought up and discussed at a big dinner at the Hotel St. Elmo tomorrow noon, by the members of the Vancouver Commercial Club and all others interested. The county voted \$500,000 in bonds August 13, 1913, but when an attempt was made to sell them no bidder was in evidence.

That bonds of \$100 or less be issued and sold to the people of the county and state is proposed. It is understood that the state will take a large part of the bonds should it be necessary.

A considerable number of well-to-do Chinese in Manchuria are able to read and write English.

FOUR GENERATIONS OF OREGON CITY FAMILY, WHO RECENTLY HELD REUNION.

MRS. ELIZABETH SUMMERS, HER DAUGHTER, MRS. ANNA LEARY, MRS. FRANK W. BURGER AND YOUNGEST SON HAROLD.

OREGON CITY, Sept. 26.—(Special.)—Four generations recently held a family reunion here, at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Summers, who has been a resident of Oregon City for almost 40 years. Those attending were: Mrs. Summers' daughter, Mrs. Anna Leary, of Oregon City; Mrs. Frank W. Burger, Mrs. Leary's daughter, and Harold Burger, youngest son of Mrs. Burger, who lives in Oakland, Cal.

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