

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH DEDICATES NEW HOUSE OF WORSHIP WITH APPROPRIATE SERVICES.

Portland Churchmen Attend Ceremonies—Dr. Stansfield to Talk Today on Japan's Report on Religion in America—First Congregational Church Plans Week of Activities.

ESPERTE inclement weather a large gathering of churchmen at the dedication services of the Trinity Lutheran church in Silverton, Or., on November 2. One feature that added interest to the occasion and served to swell the throng was the annual Lutheran circuit meeting which convened in the new church building Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Trinity congregation was organized in 1892 by Rev. A. O. Dolven of Portland. In July, 1893, Rev. N. Pederson took charge of the work and immediately began the erection of a church building. Rev. Mr. Pederson was succeeded in 1895 by Rev. G. A. White, who remained until 1917, coming to Wisconsin. He was followed by Rev. George Henriksen of Portland. Under his pastorate the membership increased so rapidly that the old church building was inadequate to accommodate the congregation and during the past summer a modern edifice was erected.

Bishop Plans Conferences. Because of the success of the conference held last week at Astoria, the bishop in the interest of the nationwide campaign of the Episcopal church, at which there were 150 of the most representative of the clergy and clergy ever called to other in Portland, the bishop, Walter M. Sumner, bishop of Oregon, as determined upon a series of conferences which will speak him and a number of picked clergymen all over the state this week.

The nationwide campaign is a gigantic spiritual and social work, designed to remove from the church the lethargy with which it has been afflicted since 1871, and to bring the church to prayer, service and sacrifice.

The campaign will come to its apex a week beginning Sunday, December 7, when in Oregon and all over the United States there will be made every-member-a-church day. This will be the most densely populated of the most remote hamlets. The church people will work in a wide field of rural work, to participate in social service, to carry on an energetic campaign against the liquor and tobacco traffic, to work for the laborer. In addition, a world-wide work of international scope is to be carried on.

Chicago Reporter Will Aid. To participate in these conferences are arrived in Portland yesterday by Rev. E. S. H. from Chicago, bishop of the Atoneout at Chicago, one of the most notable clergy in the arch and a speaker of marked ability on all over the continent. In addition, Rev. H. R. White, who for two years was a chaplain with the expeditionary force in the Philippines, and who served in the army of occupation and who agreed to take charge as vicar of the Episcopal missions in Oregon. The church people will also be given a number of addresses before the first conference will be held at Astoria at 3:30 this afternoon, automobile parties having been arranged in Warrenton and Astoria. In addition, there will be an evening mass meeting, a speakers at Astoria will be Bishop Sumner, Rev. Mr. White, Rev. Mr. H. C. Fitts, chairman of the ocean committee on conferences. Tomorrow there will be held a conference at Eugene. This morning, the Rev. Mr. White and Rev. Mr. Fitts will be in the city.

Cops May be Visited. On Tuesday the bishop, the Rev. Mr. White, and Milton R. Klepper, campaign manager for the nationwide campaign, will be in the city. In addition, a mass meeting and dinner at Ashfield, at which leaders in the campaign at Marshfield will take an important part. On Wednesday the bishop and Dean Aultman will speak at an evening mass meeting at Marshfield. On Thursday there will be a second mass meeting at Corvallis, with the following speakers: The Rev. C. H. L. Warden, bishop of Oregon, and Rev. Mr. H. C. Fitts, chairman of the ocean committee on conferences. Tomorrow there will be held a conference at Eugene. This morning, the Rev. Mr. White and Rev. Mr. Fitts will be in the city.

are now going forward. They have purchased a large tract of land at Garden Home and purchased two additional plots of ground there, one for the purpose of building a parsonage and another for other purposes. They will soon build a parsonage there, if the plans are approved. Other extensive improvements are being contemplated at several churches, among them Montevideo church, Central church, Sunnyside church, Centenary church, North City Park church and others. Other extensive improvements are to be made throughout the whole state.

Congregational Programme Ready. The outstanding events in the program of the nationwide campaign of the Episcopal church for the coming year are the first of a series of community sojourns at the home of Mrs. W. L. Johnston, 491 East forty-fifth street, North, on Tuesday evening, November 18. Mrs. W. L. Johnston and her husband, Dr. E. B. Johnston, are the hosts. All the members and attendants of the church will be invited to attend. The sojourn will be held throughout the various districts of the city. Wednesday night services, automobiles filled with First church folk will leave the church at 5:45 and ride to the First Congregational church at Scappoose. The campaign will be carried on by their own members and by their Portland guests. Dr. McElven has been designated as the speaker for the address he gave at the recent state conference.

A MASE meeting of all Episcopalian church school teachers in and around Oregon will be held Monday night at St. Stephen's pro-cathedral, Thirteenth and Clay streets, when the Rev. Thomas Jenkins, rector of St. David's and chairman of the church school program in the nationwide campaign of the church, will conduct training course in the part the teachers will be expected to take in the work in their schools in the nation-wide campaign.

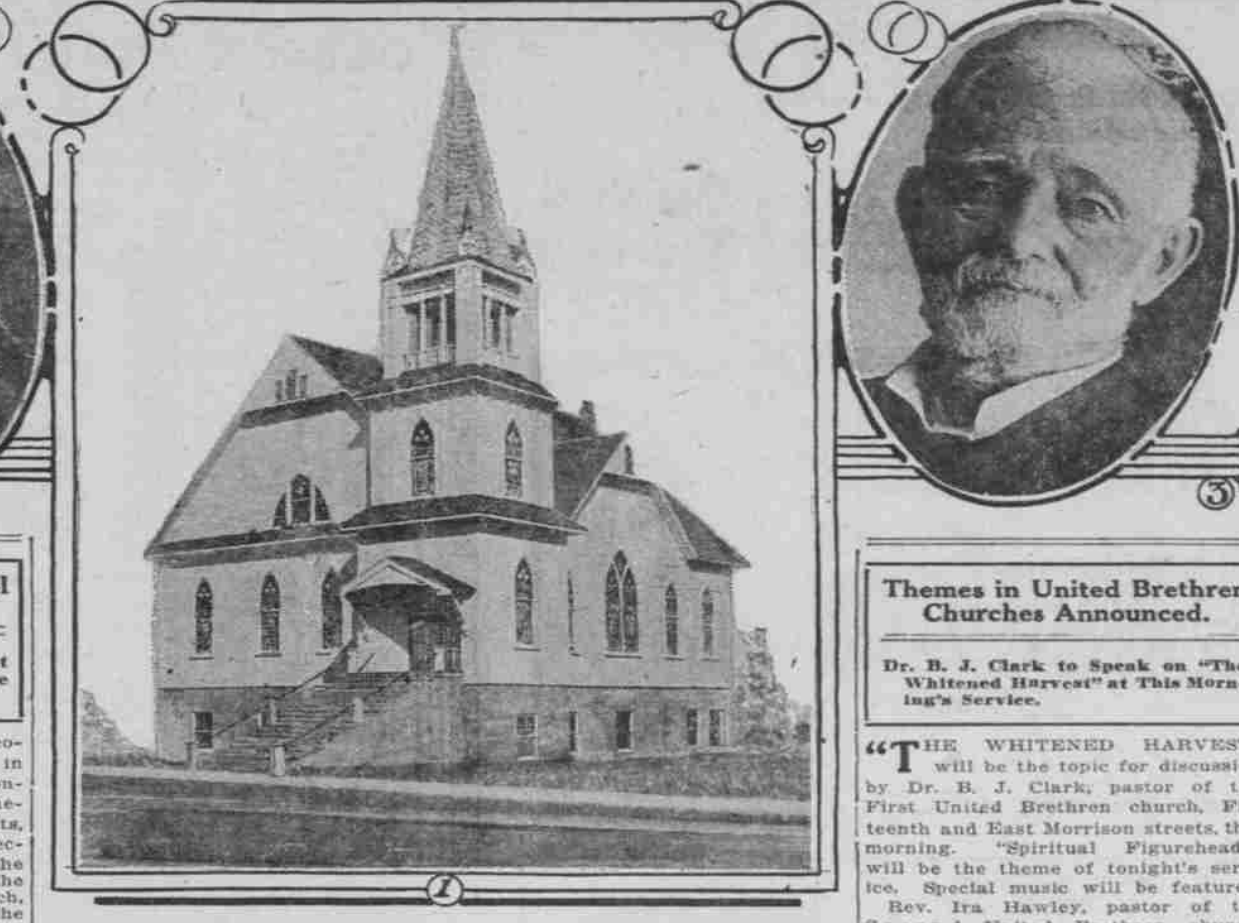
The programme for church school participation in the campaign includes the presentation of a remarkable religious program, "Builders of the City of God," which is a dramatic portrayal of the work before the church. There will be a school of the spirit, and many taking leading roles. At the meeting of the Sunday school board last Tuesday night Alva Patton was elected assistant superintendent. Miss M. S. Johnson, of Astoria, is the primary department. The young men's class will have a service at 7:30 this evening. "Value of Old Testament Prophecy," "My Life Problem." At the Women's Educational society meeting on Wednesday at 7:30, Mrs. W. L. Johnston of Seattle will tell of her experiences as a teacher in Kioia, Hawaii. The Rev. Mr. White will speak from 10 A. M. to 2 P. M. on Wednesday.

Thousands of intercessors are being enrolled, and thousands are enlisting. The Rev. Mr. White, who for two years was a chaplain with the expeditionary force in the Philippines, and who served in the army of occupation and who agreed to take charge as vicar of the Episcopal missions in Oregon. The church people will also be given a number of addresses before the first conference will be held at Astoria at 3:30 this afternoon, automobile parties having been arranged in Warrenton and Astoria. In addition, there will be an evening mass meeting, a speakers at Astoria will be Bishop Sumner, Rev. Mr. White, Rev. Mr. H. C. Fitts, chairman of the ocean committee on conferences. Tomorrow there will be held a conference at Eugene. This morning, the Rev. Mr. White and Rev. Mr. Fitts will be in the city.

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New church building formally dedicated on November 2 at Silverton. Rev. George Henriksen, present pastor in charge of the Silverton Trinity Lutheran church. Rev. N. Pedersen, first resident pastor, who held the church from July, 1893, until 1905, when he was succeeded by Rev. A. O. White.

Episcopal Church School Teachers to Meet. Rev. Thomas Jenkins Will Conduct Training Course for Nation-Wide Campaign.

"THE WHITENED HARVEST" will be the topic for discussion by Dr. B. J. Clark, pastor of the First United Brethren church, Fifteenth and East Morrison streets, this morning. "Spiritual Figureheads" will be the topic of tonight's service. Special music will be featured. Rev. Ira Hawley, pastor of the Second United Brethren church, Twenty-seventh and Sumner streets, today will preach on the subject, "A Soul Saved From Death." The evening service will be conducted by the local of the Women's Missionary association in a special programme on missions.

"Necessity for Revival of Religion" to Be Theme. Dr. Morrison Tonight at Trinity Church Will Speak on "Democracy in Peril." "THE Necessity for a Revival of Religion" will be the theme of Dr. Morrison's morning sermon in Trinity church, "Democracy in Peril" will be the topic tonight when he will speak at 7:30 P. M.

East Side Christian Officers to Be Gueats. Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Sawyer to Entertain With Dinner Following Services in Church This Morning. THE parsons of the East Side Christian church at East Twelfth and Taylor streets will be utilized by Rev. R. H. Sawyer in entertaining at dinner following the morning service, when the Rev. Mr. Sawyer will be the guest of honor.

Boy Cornetist to Give Solo at Wilbur Methodist. Formation of Young Married Couples' Class to Be Taught by Professor Thorne is Begun. THOMAS QUIRK, boy cornetist, will be heard at the evening service in the Wilbur Methodist church today. The Sunday school officials have planned for the formation of a young married people's class to be taught by Professor Norman C. Thorne. This new movement is being sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wagenaar, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Randall and Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Biddle. The new subjects announced by Dr. Short for Sunday are: Morning, "Our Beloved Lord, Our Father, Our Lord, Our King, Our Redeemer, Our Saviour, Our Friend, Our Brother." Special solos and other musical offerings will be given by members of the sextet.

"Mortals and Immortals," Christian Science Topic.

George Shaw Cook Will Lecture at First Church at 3 o'clock This Afternoon. THE churches of Christ, Scientist, in Portland hold regular services at 11 o'clock, and all except Fifth and Seventh churches hold evening services at 8 o'clock. Mid-week meetings are held in the churches regularly at 3 o'clock Wednesday evening, at which testimonials of healing are given. All the churches maintain Sunday schools for children under 20 years of age. In all the Third and Fifth the oldest classes assemble at 9:45 and the younger classes at 11. In Third and Fifth the Sunday school sessions are held at 9:30 and 11.

Themes in United Brethren Churches Announced.

Dr. B. J. Clark to Speak on "The Whitened Harvest" at This Morning's Service. THE pastor of the Third United Brethren church at Sixty-seventh Street and Thirty-second Avenue Southeast, Rev. E. S. Stephens, will preach on the topic "Giving the Gospel." The evening service will be conducted by Rev. J. E. Conner. His theme will be "The Whitened Harvest."

Rev. C. P. Blanchard, pastor of the Fourth United Brethren church, Twenty-ninth and Commercial streets, will speak on "What We Owe God." The evening service will mark the beginning of a special series of revival meetings to be conducted by Rev. E. O. Shepherd, pastor of the Third church, Thirtieth and Commercial streets. The evening service, prefaced with a good lively song and praise service.

Rev. H. A. Johnston to Continue Sermon Series.

"Realities in Religious Sermons" is General Subject Followed by Chicago Pastor. REV. HOWARD AGNEW JOHNSTON, D. D. from Chicago, will continue his ministry at the First Presbyterian church, Twelfth and Alder streets. At the evening service at 7:30 he will give the second in a series of sermons on "Realities in Religious Experiences." These are stories of Dr. Johnston's experiences in the field of religious life, his conversion or reformation. The subject will be "From Slavery to Freedom." This is a story of a Chinese scholar and how he broke the opium habit. There will be special music tomorrow evening. At 8:30 P. M. the Rev. Mr. Johnston will give a special organ prelude, consisting of three numbers: (a) "Communion," De la Motte, (b) "The Lord's Prayer," (c) "Lamentation," Guilman. The special vocal number of the evening will be "Gounod's Mass," conducted by Mr. Johnston.

First Christian Church to Hold Memorial Programme.

Security Benefit Association Members to Attend Meeting Tonight. AT the First Christian church, corner Park and Columbia streets, a special memorial programme tonight will be rendered for the Security Benefit Association, including the Kirkpatrick, Bureka and other local councils, the members of which will attend the evening service in a separate body. The address for the occasion will be delivered by the Rev. Harold H. Griffis, who will have for his subject "The True Memorial of Life." At the Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock Rev. Mr. Griffis will present his personal confession of faith, and the subject will be "My Reasons for Accepting the Deity of Jesus."

Pastor to Meet Those "Who Are Perplexed."

Rev. W. G. Elliot Jr. Has Interesting Topic for Sermon. REV. W. G. ELLIOT Jr., pastor of the R Church of Our Father (Unitarian), corner Broadway and Yamhill, will preach at 11 A. M. today. "For Those Who Are Perplexed About the Nature of God" will be the subject. The Rev. Mr. Elliot will also address the evening forum on "The Law of the Land." Open discussion will follow the lecture. Church school meets at 9:45 A. M. and 1:30 P. M. Kindergarten classes during morning service. The public is cordially invited to all these services.

text the words that John the Baptist in a moment of doubt should come to Jesus. Ask the Spirit to lead you, or do we look for another?" The subject this morning will be "Americanization—The Present Issue" and for tonight, "The Length of a Day."

At the Vernon Presbyterian church at Nineteenth and Wygant streets, Rev. Bruce J. Giffen this morning will speak on "Some of the Reasons Why People Find It Hard to Pray" and again at 7:30 P. M. on "National Duty With Relation to Language Question."

The open forum held in connection with the evening service on last Sunday will be continued. There will be a debate on the question of permitting the use of foreign languages in religious services.

"Is the World or the Church Lost?"

Effort to Show Functioning of Modern Church Made. "Is the World Lost or the Church Lost?" will be the subject of the sermon which will be given in the morning at Atkinson Memorial Congregational church this morning. The promise is made by Dr. J. E. Gramme at this church on today's programme at the church in the modern church is functioning in the world's reconstruction. The other items will be a Sunday night forum on the question of "Church Federation," and a service at 8:30 P. M. in the morning.

At the Sunnyside Congregational church "Christ in the Light of Modern Thought" will be the subject of the sermon which will be given in the morning at 11 o'clock. He will endeavor to show the spiritual perspective of the divine ideal of the Christian life. At 8 P. M. the pastor will speak on "Conservation or Re-consecration, Which?" The subject will be "Behold the Things That I Do: Ye Shall Not Greater Things Than These." Good music will be furnished.

The church school of Missions opened at Pilgrim Congregational church last Sunday night with well-attended classes and intense interest. The Rev. Mr. Johnston will give the evening service at 7:30 P. M. The subject will be "The Lord's Prayer." The Rev. Mr. Johnston will deliver the subject "The Lord's Prayer."

Rev. A. Krause to Speak at St. Paul's Lutheran.

"I Believe the Forgiveness of Sin" to Be Topic at Morning Service. IN the services at St. Paul's Lutheran church, Rev. A. Krause will preach at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. His topic will be: "I Believe in the Forgiveness of Sin" and "St. Paul's Love and Prayer." Special music will be given by the choir at the services.

At the Grace Lutheran church, corner Albin and Mason streets, C. H. Bernhard, the pastor, will hold services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. A special service will be held for the children who have finished the course of Bible instruction. They will be examined and will then make profession of their faith and be received into membership by confirmation. There will be a special service at 8 P. M. on the subject, "Running the Race Set Before Us."

Grace Lutheran Ladies' Aid society will have its Christmas sale and supper at the East Side Business Men's Club next Wednesday. Sale of fancy work and aprons will be given from 5:30 to 8 P. M. Rev. Carl L. Euse, chaplain with the overseas forces, will preach in Our Savior's Lutheran church, corner East Grant and Tenth streets, at the morning service. Rev. Mr. Euse was San Francisco pastor at the time of the mobilization of the American Expeditionary Force in Belgium. Wash. where his father was a pioneer pastor.