

THEY WANT UNION

Presbyterians Congregationalists and Methodists to Unite.

CHURCH OFFICIALS CONFER

Three Denominations in Canada Are in Favor of Uniting—Representatives from Each Church Meet and Talk Proposition Over—Utmost Harmony.

Toronto, Ont., Dec. 23.—The final vote by the members on the union of the Presbyterian, Methodist and Congregational Churches of Canada in one great committee of the three denominations yesterday cannot be reached before 1906.

Substantial unity and essential harmony existing among the three denominations is a marked feature of the findings of the committee.

The delicate question of the relation of the minister of the doctrines of the United Church is decided.

The committee then proceeded to set out in nineteen articles the various doctrinal points of agreement.

Baptism and the Lord's Supper are the two sacraments. Baptist is not stated to be sprinkling or immersion.

The report is signed by Chancellor Burwash for the Methodist, Rev. Dr. D. M. Ramsay, for the Presbyterians, and the Rev. T. B. Hyde for the Congregationalists.

Church Notices

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Sunday services at 11 o'clock a. m. and 7:30 o'clock p. m.; Sunday School at 12:30 o'clock p. m.; services at Holy Innocents, 10:30 o'clock a. m.; Sunday School at 3 o'clock p. m.

The Christmas tree and card service at Grace Church this evening at 6:30 o'clock p. m., a short carol service with offerings for the Child's Comfort Cot No. 3 at the Good Samaritan Hospital, and then the tree and a good time down stairs, immediately afterwards.

Christmas Day, an early celebration of the Holy Communion at 6:30 o'clock a. m. and a second celebration with morning prayer, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. The offerings on Christmas Day will be for the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.

FIRST LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Gustaf E. Rydquist, pastor. There will not be the regular service at the First Lutheran Church tomorrow. The pastor leaves this morning for Chinoak to conduct the Christmas tree exercises at the Lutheran Church of that place.

He will return Sunday morning on the launch Louise. The funeral services over the late Caroline Young will be held at the church at 1 o'clock p. m., on Sunday. According to the custom of the church there will be early morning service at the church beginning at 5:30 o'clock. This service is looked forward to as no other service during the year.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

There will be special Christmas services at the First M. E. Church all day. A Christmas sermon at 11 a. m., at which time there will be special Christmas music by the splendid choir.

At 7:30 p. m. a sacred concert in which some of the best voices of the city will be heard. Mr. James Vernon will sing a solo and the whole program is filled with choicest music.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Rev. W. S. Gilbert, pastor-elect of the church will preach in the morning, some special Christmas music will also be rendered by the choir.

In the evening there will be a Christmas song service for which an excellent program has been prepared, the choir will be assisted by some of the best musical talent in the city and the string orchestra of the Sunday School.

NORWEGIAN-DANISH.

Norwegian-Danish M. E. Church, upper town, Service Sunday, December 24, Sunday School at 10 a. m., H. M. Lorentsen, superintendent. The pastor will preach at 11 a. m. No evening service.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

First Congregational Church: Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by the pastor, Luther D. Mahone. Morning subject, "Seeing the Star"; evening, "What Shall I Do With Jesus." A cordial invitation is extended to all.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

At the Baptist Church on Sunday: Christmas sermons will be preached from the following texts: Isa. 9-6, 7, and 21 Cor. 9-15. Everybody is cordially invited to attend.

SPECIAL SERVICES.

A fine musical program will be given today at both the morning and evening services in the First Presbyterian Church. This morning the Rev. W. S. Gilbert, the pastor-elect, will preach. This evening he will make a short address at the song service, which will be given by a choir, chorus and orchestra under the direction of Miss Katie Flavel.

A Fearful Fate.

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of Piles. "I can truthfully say," writes Harry Colson, of Masonville, Ia., "that for Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Protruding Piles, Bucklen's Arnica Salve, is the best cure made." Also best for cuts, burns and injuries. 25c at Charles Rogers, druggist.

NATURE SPARES

The Stricken Rose From Grief. What a fortunate provision of nature it is, that deprives the rose of mental suffering; for how poignant would be its grief to discover, in the height of its blooming glory, that a canker fed at its heart, and that its beauty and fragrance were doomed forever. Nature always spares the suffering; she is a veritable store-house of pleasing rewards, for those who seek her aid. In the years gone by falling hair and grayness have cast a gloom over the lives of thousands of young women, but thanks to the investigations of scientists the true cause of hair destruction is now known to be a germ or parasite that burrows into the hair follicles.

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OUR FASHION LETTER.

The Modish Woman Must Have Several Black Gowns.

BUCKLES OF PEACOCK BLUE

Black is to be much worn, and the smart woman aspires to at least three black gowns—a tailored one, a dinner frock and an evening costume.

Fruit yellows having a note of pink, such as apricot, peach and banana, are in favor for fancy waists in silk and chiffon trimmed with a touch of black and dyed lace.

A charming blouse to wear with a tailored suit is of pale gray cashmere trimmed with narrow white silk soutache braid.

Most of the separate blouses when not of wash material are made on a fitted, boned lining worn over the skirt and finished with a belt of the goods.

The new fur boss are not as long as they were last winter. Buckles of peacock blue and green are a millinery novelty, as are also



PLAID BROADCLOTH DRESS.

those made of feathers, which are at most square and very large.

The winter linen stocks are made of heavy material embroidered in small designs with heavy effects. In most instances the edges are scalloped. Stole effects are still popular.

The gown pictured is of gray plaid broadcloth. The upper part of the skirt and tight fitting hip length coat are trimmed with braid and tiny bullet shaped buttons.

SARTORIAL NOTES.

Coque feathers, rosettes of satin, velvet and lace, fur bands and flowers all figure conspicuously on the winter hats, and in this list should also be included chiffon and malmes, which make the most expensive flowers and draperies.

Very high crowned hats are trimmed with birds of paradise and a loose fold of soft satin around the brim.

Some of the new hats have soft velvet crowns in the "tam" shape, and many of the smart millinery creations have crowns of fur, usually mink. This is an effective means of using up pieces of fur that as neck pieces have become de mode.

A pretty model for a girl's school hat is in palest tan smooth felt simply trimmed with brown velvet ribbon and



CASHEMERE WAIST.

two natural quills. Though simple, the arrangement of the loops was very striking, running in and out of silts in the dome shaped crown and the ends falling on the brim and the quills caught up into more loops on the left side.

Albatross makes many of the daintiest morning shirt waists of the winter. The new collar to wear with tailored shirt waists is a plain linen turn-down affair embroidered in the corners. With these an inch wide silk tie

is worn tied perfectly flat and straight across the collar.

The waist pictured is of almond green costume. The embroidery outlining yoke, collar and cuffs is a fancy buttonhole design effected with tones of green and dull pink. The vest is of white mousseline and the yoke of crocheted lace.

HATS AND TRIMMINGS.

The newest roses are of French creation. The colorings, which are pale tints on gold and silver tissue, are of Alice blue, gray, green and other faint shades. The foliage is of the same tint as the flowers.

Dressy little bonnets for wee ones are made of shirred cream colored china silk. They are poke shape and elaborately shirred over a frame. Across



A WINTER AUTOMOBILE CAP.

The front is a long aigret falling toward the back, arranged with a creamy ostrich plume.

Chiffon hat draperies have found a new field in which to exploit themselves. Great bunches of the chiffon are placed under the brim, and folds envelop the crown. Long ends hang down the back to the shoulders.

Silk waists of Scotch plaids are going to be popular when worn with gray coat suits.

Radium, crepe de chine, colienne and chiffon are all used for evening blouses.

Hand embroidered blouses will be worn all winter.

The motor cap pictured is a very sensible and comfortable piece of head-gear for winter wear. It is made of squirrel and adorned with a head and tail of this frisky little animal. Ear flaps are attached at the sides and fasten securely under the chin.

MODISH CAPRICES.

Rich, bright tones of brown, aubergine, red wine tints, royal purple, snave mauves and crushed raspberry are among the season's gay colors, but their very brightness requires the utmost skill in harmonizing them.

The lines of the figure are preserved and enhanced this winter by the long



WHITE DANCING FROCK.

well cut coats and redingotes and by the flaring skirts, clinging around the hips, yet without any strained tight effect.

Skirts are not as short as they were last year, even the trotteur lengths being only an inch from the ground, and some of the skirts are quite long behind, as the long skirted coats demand this concession.

Sleeves, after being rather long in making up their minds as to their ultimate shape, have decided to be extremely bouffant as to the upper part of the arm for dressy coats and costumes, plain and simple for tailor mades and very fanciful for evening wear.

The long coat, the short jacket and the bolero are the three heads under which our outer garments may be classed, and each of them is divided into any number of subdivisions.

Trimnings are used profusely, and they are all of the handsome, massive order. Wide silk braids, brandenbourgs, silk ruchings, heavy passementeries, silk and woolen laces and rich velvet appliques are all employed wherever there is an opportunity.

The dress illustrated is a party or dancing school costume. The blouse is

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