

BISHOP DENOUNCES RELIGION ON ICE

Rev. Mr. Bowman Tells the Evangelical Conference at Jefferson What the Qualifications of a Minister Should Be.



BISHOP THOMAS BOWMAN OF CHICAGO.

Bishop Thomas Bowman of Chicago in his address before the Oregon conference of the Evangelical association at Jefferson, Or., this week said:

"If there is a minister in this conference who has ever been of the opinion that the ministry is a pleasure excursion, he has probably changed his mind some time since. Yet let me say that there is no work in the world which brings so much joy and happiness to the heart of the workers as the Christian ministry. The minister who preaches in the name of Jesus, recognizes his responsibility and privileges, enjoys his sermon most. If you do not enjoy your sermon and are not yourself edified by it, it is probable that no one else will be—except perhaps a few exceptions. Sometimes the holy spirit leads us to change our plans for sermons even after the time for delivering them has arrived, and we are made to feel that the work has been a failure, but let us remember that it leads us to do that which he can best use. These, however, are the exceptions. As a rule we must be the first partakers of the fruits. But after all, a minister, especially an Evangelical, must be a hard worker. May the time never come when our ministry shall have an easy berth.

"Then if the workman is to be a hard worker he must have strength. If I were allowed to choose God's ministry they would all be big strong men—six footers. Good health is a wonderful factor in good preaching. It is not the hard work that brings on disease usually, it is other things. But not only is physical strength necessary, mental strength is essential, especially in these days. I say especially in these days. I admit that I do not believe that a

complete mastery of the classics is absolutely necessary, though the minister should be a thoroughly informed man. Especially should he be master of the blessed word. Let us preach the old story of Jesus and Him crucified. Then, not only must the ministry be strong physically and mentally, but we must be strong spiritually.

"Then, brethren, insist on a clear-cut religious experience. We will meet with lots of opposition, but we evangelicals have an idea, you know, that where there is a conversion there must first be a broken and contrite heart. Postal card religion may be all right for some; but it is not the card players on whom you can depend for service, or the theatre goers who attend prayer meeting. For real downright Christian work, people must have an experience. The others may do for committee work.

"Besides a clear-cut religious experience we must demand a real Christian life. In the late terrible fire in Chicago the great majority, I am sorry to say, were church members. But out of the 600 in that theatre, none were evangelicals. Let us insist that our people be holy people. Nevertheless the foundation of God standeth sure, having this seal. The Lord knoweth them that are his. And let every one that nameth the name of Christ depart from iniquity.

"Then we should have a spiritual worship—preceded by a spiritual sermon. The people expect from us warm sermons. Nothing else will satisfy them. Let us have spiritual praying. None of the new fangled stuff that can not be understood as either Chinese, Hebrew or Greek. If this is not the case our churches will suffer. Let us not serve our religion on ice."

HUNT SHAKES UP HIS POLICE FORCE

There has been another shake-up in the police department, and some important changes have been made by Chief Hunt. The petition sent in to the chief asking for the removal of Patrolman Galbreath from the corner of Third and Morrison, because he compelled the conductors on the City & Suburban street car line to cease stopping their cars

on the curves at the intersection, has availed, and he has been removed. Galbreath was last night transferred to the north end, from Third to the river and north of Burnside street, and Patrolman Anderson, until last night walking the beat with Burke, takes Galbreath's place at Third and Morrison streets.

ASK YOUR NEIGHBOR

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BAKER CITY HOTEL GOES UP IN FLAMES

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Baker City, Or., May 14.—Fire broke out this morning in the upper stories of the Commercial hotel, and fanned by a high wind, for a time threatened other buildings.

The building with its contents is almost a total loss, as the flames literally gutted the interior. The damage will probably exceed \$5,000 and it is understood that only a portion of this amount will be recovered through insurance.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL ISSUES ORDERS

SEASON FOR RIFLE PRACTICE OPEN FOR NATIONAL GUARD INTER-STATE SHOOTING MATCH TO BE HELD AT AMERICAN LAKE—SOLDIERS LIVE IN CHINA.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Salem, Or., May 14.—Adjutant General W. E. Finser, of the Oregon National Guard, was in the city yesterday in consultation with Governor Chamberlain and before returning to Portland issued general orders to the officers and men of the National Guard of Oregon, declaring the season for rifle practice open, and to remain open until October 31. The order also appropriated \$25 to each company from the military fund to keep up the target ranges.

Each company is to be issued 5,000 rounds of ammunition during the season for use on the ranges, 2,000 rounds of which will be forwarded to the several organizations immediately. General Finser orders the men to practice strenuously until time for the encampment at American lake, which begins on July 1, when an inter-state shooting match will take place for a handsome trophy.

Each state team will consist of 12 men, but as soon as possible 20 men will be chosen from the Oregon militia according to the scores made, and at the encampment the team of 12 will be chosen in a contest among the 20. There will also be trophies for the best individual scores made in the inter-state match. Later, orders will be issued for a state contest, to be held in Portland, at which team trophies and individual medals will be offered.

Soldiers Live in China.

In the Marion county probate court yesterday a case of peculiar interest arose, involving the sum of \$1,600. Young Chung, a Chinaman owning a good hop yard in the vicinity of Hubbard, was killed about one year ago by being run over by a Southern Pacific train in that city and G. M. Fry of Hubbard was appointed administrator of the estate. All business has now been settled, and Young Hing, claiming to be a cousin, yesterday petitioned the court for permission to submit evidence on behalf of the heirs, to the end that they may receive the distributive shares of the estate. He claims the heirs to be Bung Gie, the widow of Young Chung, and her son, both residents of China.

This is an unusual case and will no doubt prove a difficult one to dispose of, since the claim of the alleged widow and son will have to be established through the United States consul in China. The court granted Young Hing's petition, and will postpone further action in the matter until such time as the petitioner may be able to submit his evidence on behalf of the heirs.

To Adjust Freight Rates.

Governor Chamberlain has received an invitation to attend a meeting to be held at The Hotel at 17, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of organizing an open river and fair freight association. The object of the association will be to assist the commission in the construction of the portage road, and for the purpose of adjusting freight rates from Eastern Oregon points. The call is signed by J. A. Smith and D. B. Thomas of Gilliam county.

Fell From Hay Loft.

While feeding stock in the barn at her home, two miles from Silverton, Mrs. William Mewheiter fell from the hay loft, 18 feet high, striking on her head and shoulders. She lay in an unconscious condition for some time before being discovered. It was found that her collar bone had been broken, and she had suffered internal injury.

A physician was immediately called, and she is resting as easily as can be expected, as she is 50 years of age, and hardly able to withstand such a shock.

Paid Inheritance Tax.

The D. K. Warren estate of Clatsop county yesterday paid into the state treasury the sum of \$80.84 for the inheritance tax on the estate, which is given as over \$117,000. There are five heirs which gives an exemption of \$25,000. D. K. Warren was said to be one of the wealthiest men in Clatsop county.

Mrs. Birdsell Dead.

Mrs. S. B. Birdsell, a resident of Rosedale, six miles south of Salem, died at her home at an early hour yesterday morning of stomach trouble and senile exhaustion. She was born in Pennsylvania, and has lived in this vicinity for 18 years. Besides her husband she leaves one child, H. M. Birdsell, who resides at the family home. Funeral services will be conducted Sunday afternoon by Rev. W. C. Kantner, and burial will be in City View cemetery.

TELEPHONE LINE TO PILOT ROCK

PRIVATE COMPANY WILL CONSTRUCT NEW LINE FROM PENDLETON FOLLOWING THICKLY POPULATED DISTRICT OF BIRCH CREEK.

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.) Pendleton, Or., May 14.—All arrangements have been made for the construction of a new private telephone line from this city to Pilot Rock, following the settlements along Birch creek the entire distance.

The line will be built to the county poor farm, crossing McKay creek at that point, and will then run across the ridge to Birch creek, and will zigzag with the settlement on that stream, a distance of 16 miles approximately, to Pilot Rock.

There will be about 16 patrons on the line, a meeting having been called at Julius Gurderian's home on Birch creek for next Wednesday to complete the organization and determine on a name for the line and the exact number of stockholders.

It is estimated that the line will cost about \$50 per mile or a total of \$800 for the entire distance, 16 miles. Brock & McComas will handle the central office free of charge and there will be no charges for talking to the patrons of the line.

Birch creek is very thickly settled all the way out, but the houses are off the stage road down on the creek, and the residents have had a telephone line in view for some time to place them in closer communication with Pendleton.

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G. B. Burhans Testifies After Four Years.

G. B. Burhans of Carlisle Center, N. Y., writes: "About four years ago I wrote you stating that I had been entirely cured of a severe kidney trouble by taking less than two bottles of Foley's Kidney Cure. It entirely stopped the brick-dust sediment and pain and symptoms of kidney disease disappeared. I am glad to say that I have never had a return of any of those symptoms during the four years that have elapsed, and I am evidently cured to stay cured, and heartily recommend Foley's Kidney Cure to any one suffering from kidney or bladder trouble."

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DISTINCT FEATURE OF CONFERENCE

OLD HYMNS PRESENTED IN A MANNER THAT CAUSES THE LISTENER TO FORGET THE MUSIC AND TO THINK ONLY OF THE WORDS—ELECTION OF PRESIDING ELDER.

(By Frances B. Stewart.)

(Special Correspondence of The Journal.) Jefferson, Or., May 14.—The evangelical conference has one distinct characteristic feature—that of deep spirituality. Perhaps nothing proves this more than the singing, which is under the charge of the conference quartet, consisting of Rev. R. F. Jameson and the three Hornschuch brothers. They present the old hymns in such a way as to cause the listener to forget the music and think only of the words. There was scarcely an eye in the audience free from tears in the morning session while in a very touching way these consecrated men sang the familiar hymn, "Will There Be Any Stars in My Crown?"

The following preachers were admitted to the Oregon conference: Rev. Theo. Schauer, from Wisconsin; Rev. J. Hoffman, Wisconsin; Rev. E. H. Hess, Michigan; Rev. T. Bents, Dakota; Rev. W. H. Wetlaufer, Dakota; Rev. J. H. Spahr, Illinois; Rev. C. C. Snider, from Methodist Episcopal church, Oregon, and Rev. James B. Crooks and Rev. Gilbert McElroy, from the United Brethren church, Oregon. W. E. Gunther of Portland, who is now in school at Naperville, Ill., was licensed to preach. Nearly all of these men are German-English.

When the conference was asked by the bishop, "How many are willing to take work during the coming year according

to the directions of the discipline?" all but the following named ministers answered in the affirmative: Itinerant Elders F. B. Culver, J. E. Smith, A. A. Engelhart and S. Copley; Itinerant Deacons E. G. Eaton and C. A. Lucas.

Election of Presiding Elder.

One of the most interesting features of yesterday's session was the election of presiding elder. The question which first arose was: Shall there be one presiding elder or two? Although the bishop and the retiring presiding elder expressed themselves as strongly in favor of making Rev. N. Shupp, who is presiding elder of the north district, presiding elder of the south district also, the conference voted to elect a new man for the place.

There were seven candidates—H. E. Hornschuch, E. Maurer, A. Wehnert, P. J. Green, R. F. Jameson, J. E. Smith and J. W. Plummer. Revs. Hornschuch, Maurer and Wehnert were the leading candidates, but after six ballots each of the seven candidates still received a portion of the votes. Although reluctant to do so, the conference finally decided to choose between the two receiving the highest number of votes, Revs. Hornschuch and Maurer. Although Rev. Hornschuch had been several votes ahead during each previous ballot, Rev. Maurer was elected by a majority of four.

Church Amendments.

The vote concerning the 18 amendments to the church discipline, which have been recommended by the general conference and are calling the attention of evangelicals all the world over, was next taken. Everything went smoothly until No. 10, to change the time limit for preachers from four to five years, came up. The vote resulted in the affirmative receiving a majority of one. Since a two-thirds vote of the members of the conference of the whole church is necessary for a change in the discipline, the Oregon conference has added but one vote to the affirmative side. The conference voted unanimously for all the other articles of amendment, with the exception of No. 15, concerning a change in the baptismal ritual, which was supported by only four votes.

Rev. H. O. Henderson, recently admitted to the Oregon conference from Ohio, preached an eloquent and able sermon last night from the text: "He that loveth not, knoweth not God, for God is love" (John iv:8). Rev. Henderson proved himself one of the most able speakers of the Oregon conference.

SPOKANE BREWERS SIGN THE SCALE

(Special Dispatch to The Journal.)

Spokane, May 14.—The strike of the brewers has been settled. All the demands asked for by the men were granted, the Spokane Brewing and Malting company signing the scale as submitted.

Representatives of the brewing company and a committee of the allied brewery unions held a heated discussion, the company finally abandoning the position which it has maintained and granted all the demands of the union. The action of the company in conceding to all the demands of the men came as a surprise to everybody, as it had been announced that no further efforts toward peace would be made by the company. It is suggested, however, that the company was worried by the saloons which had withdrawn their patronage and were influenced by the fear that they might be unable to regain their lost trade in the event of a protracted fight with the union.

Lumbermen's Strike.

The strike situation at the Coeur d'Alene Lumber company's mill seems to be nearing a solution. At a recent meeting of the union it was decided to waive the question of wages and accept the scale offered by the management of the company provided the latter would recognize the union.

Mr. Mason, manager of the company, expressed a willingness to recognize the



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union verbally, but reserved the right to employ such men as might be agreeable to him and discharge any who might be objectionable, but did not submit his reasons for so doing to the union. It is understood that this is now the main question at issue.

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