

NEW PASTOR OF THE HAMMOND CHURCH WILL BE HERE SOON

Portland Congregation Considered Fortunate in Inducing Rev. L. K. Grimes to Accept.

city than Mr. Grimes has had in Superior, among whose people he is universally held in high regard. As a result his genial smile and his cordial handshake will be widely missed.

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Rev. L. K. Grimes, of Superior, Wis., pastor-elect of the Hawthorne Park Presbyterian church of this city, accompanied by his wife, will arrive in Portland Friday, July 4.

The Portland church, it is reported from the east, is very fortunate in securing Mr. Grimes, and was successful only because he had the western "fever," as not only his congregation, but the business people of the city were determined to keep him in Superior.

Congregation Regrets Loss. The following resolutions were adopted by the congregation of Hammond Avenue Presbyterian church at a special meeting at which Mr. Grimes' resignation was accepted.

In accepting Mr. Grimes' resignation we do so with great regret, and we wish to express to him formally and publicly our great appreciation of his faithful and efficient service during his pastorate at Hammond Avenue Presbyterian church.

PORTLAND MINISTER HIGHLY HONORED

By Bishop Scadding, Bishop Gives Advice Regarding Care of Church's Finances

In an open letter, just issued, Bishop Charles Scadding, of the Oregon diocese, has taken the opportunity to discuss the matter of church finance with the newly elected wardens, vestrymen and treasurers, in which he has warned them of the evils of slipshod methods in church affairs, and counsels them in the manner in which affairs should be cared for.

The bishop's letter, in part, follows: "With all my heart I wish to thank the wardens and vestrymen of our parishes and the official committees in our missions for the faithful and effective service you are rendering as a whole to the church in this diocese. Great responsibilities rest upon you. Yours is chiefly a ministry of administration, a care of property, a building up of the personalities of the parish or mission to which you belong."

It has happened in some places that bonded sewer assessments, and installment payments for street improvements have been allowed to lapse so that it became necessary to raise the rates on lots and have been sold for taxes and warden and vestrymen have failed to be careful about the business end of the parish.

Rev. Henry Marotte. A great honor has been bestowed on a Portland minister, Rev. Henry Marotte, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church, who was last Wednesday endowed with the degree of doctor of divinity by Lake Forest university, his alma mater.

Plan Closing Concert. The closing concert of the season will be given by the choir of Calvary Presbyterian church, Eleventh and Clay streets, on Friday evening, June 27, at 8:30 o'clock.

C. E. Officers Named. With the closing of another year's work, the society of Christian Endeavor of the First Congregational church puts 12 months of interesting history behind it.

CHURCH CORNERSTONE

St. John's Day

The cornerstone of the Piedmont Presbyterian church, a community house now under construction in Piedmont, will be laid by K. K. Baxter, president of the church congregation, at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

St. John's Day. Portland lodge No. 55, A. F. and A. M., has invited all the Masonic lodges of the city to join with it in the celebration tomorrow night of St. John's day, in honor of which Rev. Benjamin Young will preach.

United Brethren. First-Frank D. L. Smith, 11:30 and 7:30; S. S. 10, 10:30; P. S. 10, 8:30. Second-Ed. C. E. 6:30 p. m. Topic: "The Unchangeable Christ." "Shifting One's Allegiance to God."

Episcopal. Trinity church—Rev. Dr. A. A. Morrison, rector. Services 8 and 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. S. S. 10, 10:30. Topic: "The Church as a Social Center."

Methodist. First Episcopal—Rev. Benjamin Young, 9:30 morning class meeting; 10:30 and 7:30 evening services. Topic: "The Light of Truth."

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SACRED CONCERT

Excursion a Success

A sacred concert will be given tomorrow night at St. Michael's and All Angels' church, under direction of Mrs. Nella Noyes-Feemster. The program follows: Nuptial Dirge, Gloria, Magnificat, Anthem, "But the Lord is Mindful of His Own" (Loeb) Solo, "Love Divine" (Stainer) Duet, "The Good Shepherd" (Van de Water) Anthem with Contralto Solo, "Hark! Hark My Soul" (Shelley) Quartette with F. L. Solo, "Seek Ye the Lord" (Roberts) Mrs. Pures, Mr. Feemster, Mr. Chilson, Mrs. Rodda, Mr. Ackles

Although the moon did not keep her agreement to shine all evening, the First District Christian Endeavor excursion on board the Bailey Gatzert steamer, which was a complete success. The trip down the Willamette and onto the Columbia was enjoyed by 310 persons. An orchestra, composed of Christian Endeavorers from the Central

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REY. E. NELSON ALLEN AND WIFE

LEAVES AFTER BEING PASTOR HERE 10 YEARS

Rev. E. Nelson Allen, who has resigned the pastorate of the Hawthorne Park Presbyterian church, and Mrs. Allen, were the guests of honor at a large reception given at the church, East Twelfth and East Taylor streets, last night. The church and parlor were beautifully decorated for the occasion with a profusion of roses and plants.

Mr. Allen responded to the remarks and afterwards, with Mrs. Allen, received the guests in the reception room of the church. Music was furnished by the church orchestra, with Mrs. Clifford Moors as leader, a saxophone quartet, and by Miss Edith Collins, vocal soloist.

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INDUSTRIAL CONFERENCE

Business Men Will Fill Number of Pulpits in Interest of Meeting

The campaign for the coming World's Christian Citizenship conference will be discontinued in local churches tomorrow, a number of pulpits being filled by business men who are members of the general committee having in charge all local preparations for the big gathering, to be held June 29 to July 5.

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COOKS ENTERTAIN

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An interesting event took place last evening at the Albina branch of the People's Institute, Albina avenue and Goldsmith street, when the members of the afternoon cooking class entertained their mothers at supper.

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