

JEWISH PEOPLE ARE PLANNING TO USHER IN HEBREW NEW YEAR

Nearly Every Day for Month Devoted to Solemn Ceremonies.

Jewish people everywhere are planning to usher in the Hebrew New Year, the Rosh Hashanah, denominated as the year 5675.

All Jewish holidays and every day, according to the Jewish code, starts at sunset of the day before, in complete accordance with the Biblical commandment of the evening and the morning were one day.

The Jewish holidays do not constitute a period of rejoicing and merry-making. Rather they are days of repentance and recounting of all activities of good and evil.

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PORTLAND PASTOR IS NAMED AS SOLOIST



Rev. D. V. Poling.

Rev. D. V. Poling, who has been pastor of Pilgrim Congregational church for several years, and who was recently named as one of the soloists with the Flying Squadron of America, the organization that is to conduct a nation wide campaign for prohibition of the liquor traffic.

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To Discuss Status of United States

As a timely topic in connection with the European conflict, Rev. W. B. Hinson's sermon at White Temple tomorrow night will be on the relation of the United States to the warring powers, and he will call attention to America's duty in the great crisis as outlined by President Wilson's proclamation establishing a day of prayer for peace.

Dr. Hinson's morning topic is "The Devil in the Church." The day's musical program follows: In the morning, the Temple quartette will render the anthem, "Praise the Lord (Handegger), and Norman the Lord (Handegger), and Norman the Lord (Handegger)." The evening service will be given by the organist, Lucien E. Becker, the following numbers will be given: "Allegro from Sonata" (Lemmens), "Minuet" (Bocherini), and "Pugue Minor" (Bach). The Temple quartette give the anthem, "The Day is Ended" (Bartlett), and Mrs. Virginia S. Hutchinson will sing "The Christian's Warfare" (St. John). Mr. Hartbridge G. Whipp will sing Kipling's "Recessional."

Will Brush Up on Spanish Language

Rev. Robert N. McLean, who recently resigned as pastor of the Anabel Presbyterian church to take the chair of Spanish instruction at the Dubuque, Iowa, Presbyterian seminary will leave for California Monday, Tuesday for study for two months among the Spanish speaking people of that state before taking up the work in the east. A largely attended farewell reception for the departing minister was held at Anabel church last night. His final sermon will be delivered tomorrow. In the evening the pictures taken in the camp conducted by him for boys at the church on the Washouqui river this summer will be shown in stereopticon.

PRESBYTERY SEVERS RELATIONS WITH TWO POPULAR MINISTERS

Rev. Robert N. McLean Goes to Teach Spanish; Rev. Boudinot Seeley to Study.

The Portland Presbytery, composed of ministers and elected laymen of the churches of the denomination in the city, met last Monday at Anabel church and formally dissolved the pastoral relations of Revs. Robert N. McLean and Boudinot Seeley, formerly of Anabel and Rose City Park churches, both of whom have resigned, the former to become professor of Spanish in an eastern seminary and the other to study for a year.

Rev. Enoch Benson, a member of the Presbytery of Burns, Harney county, had asked to be transferred to the Grande Ronde Presbytery, and at this meeting the request was granted. Mr. Benson was formerly pastor of the Union Presbyterian church in this city. He has just been extended an unanimous call by members of the congregation at the Burns Baptist church, and although the work is of another denomination, he will handle it and the Presbyterian church, too.

New Musicians to Be Heard First Time

The new musicians will be heard in the First Congregational church tomorrow night in the service of tomorrow for the first time. Rev. Luther R. Dyott's morning topic is "God's Hand in Human Lives" and in the evening his subject will be "Why Don't you baptize infants?"

Harold Hurbert is the new director of the church choir and tenor soloist. Mrs. Herman Pollitz, soprano, is a well known author, violin soloist. H. Henney, the contralto soloist, was formerly a soloist in President Taft's church at Washington. William A. Montgomery, the baritone, is one of the best known singers at the coast. George Seymour Beechwood, the new organist, was formerly organist of the University Place Presbyterian church in New York.

Arrangements for Big Revival Made

Arrangements for the big union revival to be held on the east side during the month of November are almost complete. Bishop William M. Bell, head of the United Brethren church on the Pacific coast, will be the evangelist, and P. P. Billhorn, the Chicago song writer and publisher, will conduct the musical part of the work. The revival will probably be held at Centenary Methodist church, although there has been some demand to have a portion of the meetings in the big auditorium of Central Christian church. Eight churches of the central east side are represented in the movement.

ENTERTAINERS TO AID IN RAISING FUNDS



Top—C. R. McCalley. Bottom—L. Carroll Day.

C. R. McCalley, public entertainer, and L. Carroll Day, the regular organist of the church will give an entertainment next Friday night for the purpose of raising funds to pay for the many improvements that have been made recently on Trinity Methodist Episcopal church, East Tenth and Sherman streets, East Tenth will entertain with humorous readings from James Whitcomb Riley and the evening sermon, "Some of the forms of humor, Mr. Day accompanies him in the musical numbers.

Question Box Has Puzzling Questions

More riddles from the church question box are to be answered by Rev. S. R. Hawkins of the Central Christian church tomorrow night in lieu of the evening sermon. Some of the questions he will take up are: "Explain the text, 'I make peace and create evil; I am the Lord that doeth all these things.'—Isaiah, 47:7." "Why the apparent contradiction in the text, 'It is not lawful for us to put any man to death.'—John 18: 31. 'We have a law, and by that law he ought to die.'—John, 19:7." "Please give the chapter and verse of Scripture which authorizes the changing of the Sabbath day from the seventh to the first day of the week." "What part does the pope play in bringing about the present war conditions?" "What is the best book written with a view to exposing the sophistries of so-called Christian Science?" "Why don't you baptize infants?" "The wets are circulating a folder which quotes Abraham Lincoln as favoring opposition to prohibition. Is this a garbled statement or was Lincoln in favor of the saloon?"

Evangelist to Occupy Pulpit

Evangelist O. B. Ong of Pasadena, Cal., who is holding a series of meetings in the Virts hall at Forest Grove, under the auspices of the Washington County Holiness association, will occupy the pulpit of the Free Methodist church tomorrow morning.

WHAT CHURCH MEMBERS AND CLERGY ARE DOING

Appointed Assistant Priest. Rev. Barry G. Lee, who until recently has been pastor of the East Tenth school for boys at Yamhill, has accepted the appointment as assistant priest at St. James pro-cathedral and will spend his vacation at the Bishop's house on Clay streets. Rev. H. M. Ramsey is dean of the Pro-Cathedral. Rev. John F. Stammer has resigned as pastor of Trinity Episcopal church at Ashland to become rector of an Episcopal church at Visalia, Cal. He will take up the new work September 20. His successor has not yet been appointed.

Anarchy will be Topic. Rev. Frank L. Loveland, pastor of the First Methodist church, will deliver a sermon on the topic, "Anarchy in the School, the State and the Church," Sunday night. His sermon will be significant in the light of events that transpired in the history of his church the past week. The theme will be the freedom of the theological and scientific view points. He will endeavor to answer the questions, Why Try to Live the Higher Life? Is Heaven a Reward or a Consequence, and is Hell a Punishment or an Effect?

California Ministers to Preach. Ministers from California on the way to the annual conference of the church to be held at Seattle September 15 to 20, will preach at both services of the First Danish M. E. church tomorrow and next evening, tomorrow. The morning sermon will be by Rev. Johan Nelson of Eureka, and in the evening Rev. O. A. Dabough of Los Angeles will be heard.

Evangelists Secure New Tent. The evangelists conducting the series of Mason street and Albina avenue, have secured a new tent and will continue the services indefinitely. The tent is comfortably arranged, the services will be held Sunday morning and evening and on Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday evenings. John Carroll, Edward Cornock and Herbert Middleton are the evangelists.

Back From Vacation. Rev. Henry Harcourt, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church is back from his vacation and has actively taken up the church work again. He will deliver both sermons tomorrow in the morning, preaching on the subject, "The Harvest Is Past, and" while in the evening his topic is "Pools."

TOMORROW'S CHURCH SERVICES

First—White Temple, W. B. Hinson, pastor, 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Second—St. James, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Third—St. James, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Fourth—St. James, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Fifth—St. James, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Sixth—St. James, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Seventh—St. James, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Eighth—St. James, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Ninth—St. James, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, 11 a. m., 8 p. m. Tenth—St. James, Rev. H. M. Ramsey, 11 a. m., 8 p. m.

WORK ON SUNDAY SCHOOL UNIT WILL BE COMMENCED SOON

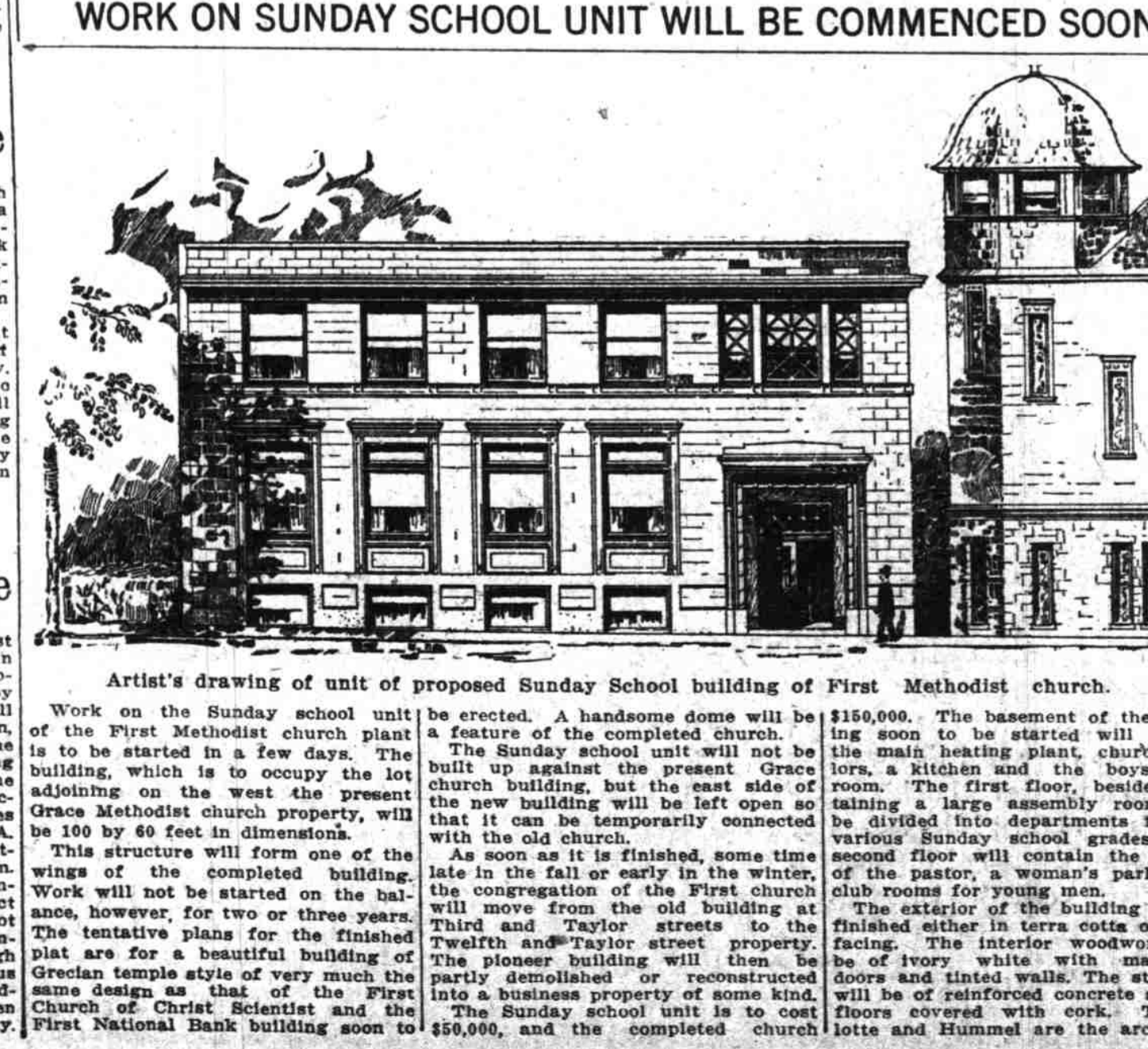
Work on the Sunday school unit of the First Methodist church plant is to be started in a few days. The building, which is to occupy the lot adjoining on the west the present Grace Methodist church property, will be 100 by 60 feet in dimensions.

Civic Reform Will Be Pastor's Theme

The Mt. Tabor Presbyterian church will hold its Sunday school rally a week from tomorrow morning. Committees have been out all this week and will be out again next week looking up former and prospective members. A literary and musical program is being arranged.

Study on China Will Be Feature

The Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church has arranged an interesting study on China for tomorrow. The study will be given by Superintendent James J. Searns, and will be illustrated with the stereopticon, showing life of the country and the missionary activities that are being conducted among the Chinese.



Artist's drawing of unit of proposed Sunday School building of First Methodist church.

READER OF ABILITY WILL GIVE LECTURE



Mrs. Linnie G. Carl.

Mrs. Linnie G. Carl, state secretary of the Young People's branch of the Women's Christian Temperance Union and a reader of ability, will give a lecture at the Hawthorne Presbyterian church tomorrow evening. Mrs. Carl has just returned from a lecture tour and will be one of the speakers at the state convention of the W. C. T. U. to be held at The Dalles, following that gathering, she will lecture in Idaho, Montana and Kansas, going from there to the national convention to be held in Atlanta, Ga.

Work of Convention Will Be Recounted

At the Taylor Street Methodist church next Friday evening at 8 o'clock the Sunday school workers of Portland will have the opportunity of hearing of the proceedings of the International Sunday School convention held recently in Chicago.

Church Arranges For Big Rally Day

Arrangements for promotion and rally day were made and the slogan, "Two Hundred in the Church or Holy Day," was adopted at the monthly meeting of teachers, officers and workers of the Millard Avenue Presbyterian church at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Shaw, 4402 East Seventy-ninth street, southeast, last Monday evening. About 40 were present at the meeting.

Delegates of Sunday Schools Organize

Delegates from most of the Sunday schools in the southwestern part of the city met at Laurelhurst Congregational church last Sunday afternoon and completed the organization of the Ninth district Sunday School association.

Fall Church Work Being Launched

Rev. John H. Boyd, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, has returned from his summer vacation, and the fall work is being launched in every department of the church and church members are being urged to join. The committee was instructed to make an effort to have over his property to the lawyer with the understanding that he and his wife would be given an annuity for life. This, Gernon claims, has not been paid.

RAN OPPONENT CLOSE RACE FOR LEGISLATURE

Rev. A. C. Moses, the new pastor of the Waverly Heights Congregational church, was for 15 years the head of a church in Chicago and during the campaign of 1912 ran his opponents a close race for the Illinois legislature on the anti-saloon ticket. At Waverly Heights he succeeded Rev. A. W. Baum, who takes up a work near Seattle.

Slips Away From Police

Los Angeles, Sept. 12.—Traced by a telegram sent to Regina H. Gernon, his alleged victim, Attorney Eugene E. Hewlett was located in an El Paso hotel. Delaying to make an arrest until they were doubly sure that it was the man wanted, the El Paso police let him slip through their fingers and he was missing again today.

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EPISCOPAL DIOCESAN CONVENTION TO NAME BISHOP'S SUCCESSOR

Extraordinary Session Convened Here Wednesday; Five Prelates Mentioned.

In extraordinary session next Wednesday morning the clergy and head system of the Episcopal church of western Oregon will meet in diocesan convention to elect a bishop to succeed the late Bishop Charles Scadding, whose death occurred last May. More than a hundred delegates will vote this evening and it is believed that only one day will be required to complete the task.

Three lay delegates from each of the 13 regular parishes and one delegate each from 17 organized missions are given a voice in the selection. The convention will meet at Trinity parish house, Nineteenth and Everett streets, at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning and the session will continue until the next morning. A presiding officer of the convention chosen from the clergymen will conduct the proceedings.

Plans for Year Are Given Consideration

The new bishop, whoever he may be, will be the fourth one to serve this diocese. Before he can assume the office, however, a majority of the standing committee of all the dioceses in the United States must confirm the nomination. Then a majority of the bishops must similarly pass upon the selection. This may take two months, and the new bishop will not be consecrated before December.

Officers of the church and Sunday school, in preparation for the work of the year, which will begin next week, the residence of Rev. L. K. Richardson of Kenilworth Presbyterian church Wednesday night. Financial and administrative plans were discussed.

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