

Astonishing Revelations Are Made Public at the Interchurch World Conference

CHRISTIAN WORK IN MANY PLACES IS AT STANDSTILL

Lack of Cooperative Effort Between Denominations Is Held Responsible for the Condition. SURVEY DETAILS PLANNED

Scientific Standards Revised for Statistical Investigation of Environment of American Family. Astonishing revelations of how the 140 or more Protestant evangelical denominations of the United States have overlooked vital religious needs in this country...

MISS AETNA LIZETTA EMMEL, Methodist missionary, who sails for India on October 30, after being commissioned by Bishop Hughes.



Dr. Waldo Announces His October Themes

Dr. William A. Waldo, pastor of the White Temple, begins next Sunday on a series of Sunday morning discourses on the general theme, "The New Testament Church"—first century messages peculiarly adapted to the needs of our time...

WOMEN'S SOCIETY TO MEET TUESDAY

Foreign Missionary Organization of Methodist Episcopal Church to Be Important Gathering.

The Columbia River branch of the Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the Methodist Episcopal church, which comprises Montana, Oregon, Washington and Idaho, will hold its annual branch meeting in Portland, October 9 to 12...

Holy Communion to Be Observed Presbyterian Service Is Special

Full holy communion services will be observed in almost every Presbyterian church of the city on Sunday morning, this being the first Sunday of the month. At the First Presbyterian church the Rev. W. Willard, D. D., will begin a month's special service...

BISHOP HUNTING HIS HEAD ON COAST

Survey in Episcopal Nationwide Campaign Is Outlined in Letter to Diocese Chairman.

San Francisco, Oct. 4.—One of the most important developments as a result of the coming of Dr. Lewis G. Wood, associate director of the nationwide campaign of the Episcopal church, to the Pacific coast was the appointment of the Rt. Rev. George C. Hunting, D. D., bishop of the missionary district of Nevada, as the representative of the national committee in the eighth province...

DR. M'ELVEEN TO ASSUME HIS NEW CHARGE SUNDAY

First Congregational Church's Pastor Arrives in Portland Friday Night From New York.



Opening Session of Training School Held

The opening session of the Portland training school for church school workers last Wednesday evening at the First Methodist church proved to be a pleasant surprise for the directors of the school. One hundred and thirty-four church school workers from various parts of the city joined the school...

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Arrival of Prominent Leader of Society to Be Made Gala Event by Members of Organization.

Dr. William T. McElveen, until recently pastor of the Manhattan Congregational church of New York city, arrived in Portland Friday evening to assume the regular pastorate of the First Congregational church. Tomorrow will be observed as "red-letter" day in the church, the congregation being elated to realize that they have at last found a permanent leader...

WORK AT STANDSTILL

Each delegate was asked to make a brief preliminary statement of present conditions in his own community. Practically without exception they reported whole communities, counties and even larger districts in which Christian work is at a standstill and in which there were no living churches or church members...

Realization League Services to Start

The Realization league will begin its autumn series of services. The speakers for the next few weeks are the Rev. H. Edwards, of Vaner, Rev. Miss Laura G. Eaton, Dr. George D. Wilcox, The general subject of the series is "The Common Ground of All Great Religions and Philosophies."

Prof. Hering Will Lecture October 5-6

The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Portland, announces three free lectures on Christian Science, to be delivered in the church edifice, Ninth and Everett streets, by Prof. Herman S. Hering, C.S.B., of Concord, New Hampshire, member of the board of lecturership of the mother church, the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Eliot To Hold Receptions

The Rev. and Mrs. William G. Eliot desire to meet all the people of their congregation at their home, 681 Schuyler street, on Monday of each week through the coming months, from 8 to 10 p. m., at their home at 681 Schuyler street. Instead of issuing a general invitation for one evening, they have divided the parish alphabetically and will invite a group at a time.

Glencoe Building Fund Is Growing

The \$4000 campaign fund of the Glencoe Baptist church is reported to be growing rapidly, which means that the boys' club, the church orchestra, the church orchestra will play Sunday evening.

New Pastor to Take Up Work on Sunday

Rev. L. Bowring Quick, who, with Mrs. Quick and daughter, have just arrived from Roseburg, will begin his work in Calvary Presbyterian church on Sunday, October 5, at 10:30 a. m. The church has long been without a regular minister, and the members now look forward to development of the work under the leadership of Mr. Quick.

Special Mission Rally

A special mission rally will be held Monday evening in Our Savior's Lutheran church. Among the speakers are the Rev. Sigurd Knutson, recently installed pastor of Trinity church, Portsmouth, and the Rev. E. E. Benson, of Seattle. The church has long been without a regular minister, and the members now look forward to development of the work under the leadership of Mr. Quick.

Ministers Meet Monday

The October meeting of the Portland Ministerial association will be held Monday morning at 10:30 at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. The special feature of the program will be a paper and forum discussion on "The Fight Against Bolshevism," conducted by H. P. Lee.

Will Answer Question

The Rev. S. Earl Childers will answer the question, "Why Go to Church?" in his Sunday morning sermon at Rodney Avenue Christian church. Special music will be furnished by the choir under the direction of Mrs. Maude Bowen.

Evangelist to Give Bible Lecture Series

Evangelist L. K. Dickson will open a fall series of Bible lectures beginning Sunday night, October 5, at 7:45 o'clock in Christensen's hall, Eleventh street between Morrison and Yamhill streets. The subject for the opening lecture will be "Men or Monkeys—Which? Did Man Come From the Garden of Eden or From a Zoological Garden?"

Dr. Mackay Again to Preach at Central

Dr. Donald D. Mackay, former president of Whitworth college at Spokane, Wash., and who has just returned from a year in war work, will again occupy the pulpit of Central Presbyterian church at both services Sunday, October 12, which will be "Rally day" at Central church, the feature of which will be a stereopticon lecture on "By Canoe and Caravan Through the Heart of Africa." Over 50 scenes will be displayed.

Quarterly Meeting

The quarterly meeting of St. Paul's Lutheran church will be held at 8 o'clock Monday night. The Rev. A. Krause will preach Sunday morning and evening.

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AM NATIONS TO BE BLESSED!

Bible chronology shows that God's promise to Abraham to bless all nations through his son is now due to be fulfilled. How? He works through national agencies. Is He using the League of Nations for this purpose.

THE MEMBERS OF THE FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH PARK AND MADISON STS.

Very cordially invite you and your friends to worship with them and greet their minister. Rev. WM. T. McELVEEN, D. D. This is Dr. McElveen's first Sunday as a pastor in Portland.

Public Lecture by C. W. Field

Sunday, October 5 3 P. M. W. O. W. TEMPLE 11th St., Bet. Washington and Alder. International Bible Students SEATS FREE NO COLLECTION

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