

NATIONAL HEADS OF M. E. CHURCH HERE FOR MEET

Nine nationally known leaders in the Methodist Episcopal church arrived in the city at noon today to conduct the Portland division of the Northwest Methodist convention tonight and all day tomorrow, at the First Methodist Episcopal church, Twelfth and Taylor streets.

The convention is an outgrowth of the recent national Methodist convention at Detroit, Mich., and is called "to consider the missionary, educational and benevolent work of the church," according to Dr. A. L. Howarth, convention director.

LEADERS ARRIVE
The leaders, who arrived today from Eugene, Or., where a similar meeting was held, are: Bishop H. Lester Smith of Indiana; Dr. Charles E. Guthrie, general secretary of the board of Epworth League for the denomination; Dr. W. S. Bovard, general secretary of the board of Sunday schools for the denomination; Rev. E. D. Kohlstedt of Chicago, representative of the committee on conservation and advance; Rev. C. E. Vermilya, representing the department of frontier; Rev. J. J. Lacey, superintendent of Methodist missions in Utah; Dr. F. W. Byrnes, superintendent of Methodist work in France; Bishop William O. Shepard, general superintendent of Methodist work in the Northwest and Alaska, and Dr. Clarence True Wilson of Washington, D. C., general secretary of the board of temperance, public and reform of the Methodist Episcopal church.

TWO SESSIONS TONIGHT
In addition to the nine leaders, 18 local and state leaders are on the program, making a total of 27 speakers. Two sessions of the convention will be held tonight to accommodate the crowd anticipated. All Methodist prayer services have been dispensed to permit members to attend the convention.

The young people and Sunday school workers will hear Dr. Guthrie, Dr. Bovard and Dr. E. D. Kohlstedt at the White Temple at 7:30 o'clock tonight. The Portland district Epworth League has voted to attend the White Temple meeting on a mass basis.

Another session will be held at the First Methodist church for the delegates and general public. Thomas Elliott will give a devotional talk. Dr. Edward Laird Mills will speak on "The Disarmament Conference and Missions," and Rev. E. D. Kohlstedt will give a stereopticon lecture on "The Centenary to Date."

200 EXPECTED
At least 200 Methodists from churches in the Salem, and The Dalles district and from lower Columbia river points are expected to attend. Each church in Northern Oregon has been requested to send its pastor and the presiding officer of each society in the church as delegates.

Missionary education will be the general theme of the Friday morning session at 8:30 o'clock. The speakers will be Dr. George B. Pratt, C. E. Vermilya, J. J. Lacey, W. S. Bovard, Charles E. Guthrie, F. M. Jasper, E. L. Mills, Charles MacCaughy and Bishop Smith. The women of the church will serve luncheon at noon, when a college and missionary program will be presented by E. C. Hickman and Carl G. Deady.

The afternoon program will be a discussion of Christian stewardship. The speakers are E. C. Hickman, E. D. Kohlstedt, J. F. Marshall, A. R. Maclean, Thomas Gallagher, W. W. Youngson, A. L. Howarth. At the conclusion of this service Bishop Shepard will conduct a sacramental service.

Lay activities will be presented at the dinner hour by Clarence True Wilson and L. D. Mahone. The speakers at the closing session at night will be Dr. E. E. Parker, Bishop Smith and Bishop Shepard.

Delegates from out-of-town churches will be entertained on the Harvard plan by local Methodists. The entertainment committee is W. W. Youngson, F. M. Jasper, F. L. Moore, D. L. Fields, Charles MacCaughy.

Harry V. Reed Is Sworn In as Deputy To U. S. Marshal
Captain Harry V. Reed was sworn in as a deputy United States marshal Wednesday afternoon by United States Commissioner Kenneth Frazer to succeed J. K. Ross, Democratic incumbent. Reed assumed the position of first office deputy. He will have charge of the office records and will not do field work, except on special occasions. Reed resigned the position of chief clerk in the city street cleaning department to accept the government post. Captain Reed is adjacent of Scout Young camp, Spanish American War Veterans.

Miss Camilla Mills to Become Missionary
Pacific University, Forest Grove, Jan. 15.—Miss Camilla Mills of Forest Grove, former student of Pacific university and graduate of O. A. C., will sail in Sep-

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GENERAL DIRECTOR OF METHODIST CONVENTION



Dr. A. L. Howarth

Dr. A. L. Howarth, convention director, is seen here in a recent photograph. He is a prominent leader in the Methodist Episcopal church and is currently in Portland for the Northwest convention.

I. O. O. F. Ceremony Is Halted by Blaze in Refuse; Loss Light

Fire, which started in a pile of papers and refuse in the basement of the I. O. O. F. hall at East Sixth and Alder streets at 9 o'clock Wednesday evening, interrupted an initiation service of the Orient lodge, but was extinguished by firemen before any extensive damage was done. By a strange coincidence, members of the Samaritan, Minerva and Hasano lodges, who lost their homes when the historic I. O. O. F. building at First and Alder streets was gutted by fire December 28, were guests of the Orient lodge.

APPLICATIONS FOR AUTO SHOW SPACE SWAMP DIRECTORS

How to placate more than a dozen last minute applicants for space at the 1922 Automobile Show at The Auditorium is the directors' most pressing problem today.

The last minute call comes for both the automobile space and equipment space, but is particularly acute in the equipment section, where already more than 40 firms have engaged every foot of available room for the display of their products.

Portland dealers in commercial vehicles are also anxious to exhibit in view of the large state attendance that is expected. The Automobile Dealers' association is making every possible effort to get in everything of interest.

The question of truck space came up at a special meeting of the directors, but to fall 'till you're out at the elbows. Amn't it the truth? Well, there were a lot in the same boat. But as I was saying, Cherry's at 349 Morrison st., are having a Pre-Inventory Sale now and their prices and values remind me of the good old days before the war and prohibition. So let's go, Jack, what do you say. Cherry's have the Entire Second Floor at Park and Morrison. Entrance 349 Morrison, center of block. Take elevator.—Adv.

Business Man Makes Find

"Say, Jack, I made a big find today. I'll have to tell you about it. You are another of the fellows who haven't bought any clothes since the war started. You have been waiting for prices to fall 'till you're out at the elbows. Amn't it the truth? Well, there were a lot in the same boat. But as I was saying, Cherry's at 349 Morrison st., are having a Pre-Inventory Sale now and their prices and values remind me of the good old days before the war and prohibition. So let's go, Jack, what do you say. Cherry's have the Entire Second Floor at Park and Morrison. Entrance 349 Morrison, center of block. Take elevator.—Adv.

Commander-in-Chief Of Chest Drive Is to Campaign on Foot

General Robert E. Smith, commander in chief of the coming Community Chest drive, declared today he would do his campaigning on foot and thus help cut down the use of the "official car" sticker to the minimum.

Cars absolutely required in carrying on the drive will be equipped with the stickers, but these will be used chiefly in transporting supplies and by the brigadier generals and colonels in covering their districts. There will be fewer official cars than in any of the former big city campaigns. Stickers may be obtained at headquarters when absolutely required, but the total number is not expected to exceed 150.

The residence division, composed entirely of women under the chairmanship of Mrs. C. B. Simmons, will use a number of cars, having organized a motor squad. Mrs. Simmons has accepted with thanks the offer of Mrs. I. Aronson, chairman of the Red Cross, to enlist the Red Cross motor squad in the residence division campaign. This will prove of great assistance in taking the official workers throughout the widespread residence districts of Portland.

Dr. W. J. Johnston Is Here for Conference

Dr. W. J. Johnston, associate secretary of the Presbyterian board of temperance and moral welfare, has arrived in Portland for a 10 days' conference with local Presbyterians. He will remain in the state for three weeks. He is scheduled to speak tonight at Oregon City; January 20, 21 and 27 in Portland; January 22 at Corvallis and Eugene; January 23 at Monmouth Normal school and McMinnville, February 1 at Salem, and February 2 at Ashland.

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