

LONSBERRY GIVES FAREWELL SERMON TO CONGREGATION

Rev. A. L. Lonsberry preached his farewell sermon to a large audience Sunday morning at the Bethany Evangelical church. Taking "The Glory of the Ministry" as his theme he quoted 2 Cor. 3:14-17 for his text: "Now thanks be unto God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ, and maketh manifest the treasure of his knowledge by us in every place. For we are unto God a sweet savour of Christ, in them that are saved and in them that perish: to the one we are the savour of death unto death; and to the other the savour of life unto life. And who is sufficient for these things? For we are not as many, which corrupt the word of God; but as of sincerity, but as of God, in the night of God speak we in Christ."

"The Apostle Paul is here illustrating the life and work of the ministry by reference to a familiar military figure," Rev. Lonsberry said, "when a conquering general returned home laden with spoils, a triumphal march was made through the city to exhibit the spoils and the captives to an excited and exultant populace. In the line of march, instead of being a delight to the victorious citizens, but a savour of death to the captives trailing the conquerors' chariot. Applying this to the Christian ministry, the Apostle sees Christ as the conqueror leading us as captives in his triumphal march. We burn out our lives in serving becoming a sweet savour of Christ. We become a blessing to those who are saved and a reproach to those who are not."

"One of the tremendous and inescapable responsibilities of the ministry is the knowledge that every time the truth is proclaimed and the great spiritual verities of life revealed, those who listen receptively are drawn nearer to God and those who reject the truth are driven further away. And who is sufficient for this great responsibility? The Apostle says we dare not tone down the word of God; we dare not bend it to our own ends, but in sincerity we speak and preach as in the sight of God. And ministry exercised before God and in the spirit and power of Christ is always triumphant and glorious ministry."

"The Christian ministry is glorious because of its call. I believe in a divine call to the ministry. God just as definitely calls men into other forms of activity, business, teaching, medicine and so on. It is characteristic of the ministry that an imperative hand falls upon one's shoulder with such compulsion that one can say with Paul 'necessity is laid upon me; yea, woe is me if I preach not the Gospel.' If any man is to succeed as a minister of God, he must first of all be divinely called to the task. A study of the great religious leaders will amply confirm that truth."

"The ministry is glorious because of its message. Shall he be the interpreter of current thought? Shall he use his pulpit as a place from which to explain the events of his day? Is the preacher the advance agent for the latest vagaries in popular thinking? Or is he only and solely a prophet of God. If he is a merely called and commissioned, it follows that he must find his message in the same source as his call. If he is one sent, he must represent the Sender. The preacher ought to be educated, he ought to be a thinker, he ought to keep in close touch with the affairs of the day, but the minister is something more than a teacher of history; more than an essayist; more than a lecturer on psychology. For we preach not our selves but Christ Jesus the Word. 'This is his message: The glorious fact of redemption through the shed blood of Jesus Christ. The gospel of grace which saves an underserving sinner, and imparts to him a spiritual dynamic which enables him to live a new life, a clean and righteous life.'

"The ministry is glorious in its power. The equipment for the ministry is found in being filled with the Holy Spirit. To the life which is unreservedly dedicated and surrendered, God imparts a fullness of the Spirit which assures the effectiveness of the service rendered. How else can we account for the success of such men as Wesley and Moody except they were indwelt and motivated by the Spirit of the living God?"

"Finally, the ministry is glorious in its reward. Who can estimate the satisfaction which comes to a minister's heart when he looks back over his ministry and sees lives that have been blessed by his service? What is more worthwhile than to meet youth at the cross-road of life and turn him toward the largest and fullest life? The greatest reward of the minister is to know that he has been instrumental in building character in the lives of young people, giving inspiration to middle age, and revealing the glories of a near heaven to old age as it sits facing the western sun. All these have come to me as I have labored among you during the last four years. As I go I take with me the memory of a congregation both kind and loyal, and the most harmonious it has ever been my privilege to serve."

Rev. Lonsberry is leaving this week with his family for Monmouth, where he was transferred at the recent state conference at Salem. He will engage principally in young people's work at Monmouth.

IT'S NEW BOB!



Presenting the new national bob for 1931. Irene Dunne, film player, wears the mode chosen by Emil Beausieu, head of the National Hair Dressers' and Cosmetologists' association, which met recently in Los Angeles.

every possible effort will be made to make the legal ban operative under the law. We can be quite sure that lumber that is actually prohibited will not get in."

Jack Maglady, president of the Willamette valley group, said that undoubtedly the Russian cargo would have been banned had it arrived after the new laws against forced labor, provided by the tariff act, become effective. At present, the only ban is against lumber produced by convict labor, and apparently the Russians and the importers selected lumber that would be free from this charge.

WALKER ACCUSES REDS OF ATTACKS

NEW YORK, April 27.—(AP)—Mayor James J. Walker believes the attacks on his office are part of a national campaign by communists to undermine municipal, state and federal governments in the United States. Communists are making him the "goat" and the "target to shoot at" in their attacks at the very foundations of good government, Walker told 2,500 firemen of the Holy Name society yesterday. He attacked the religion of those who have brought charges of misfeasance against him and termed them "barbaric communists."

There is "subtlety, a hidden purpose" behind the attacks on private individuals, he declared, warning industry, commerce and newspaper publishers that it was something for them to worry about more than him.

"These attacks are made for the very purpose of tearing down the structure of our municipal government that has won the admiration of the entire world and has made this an imperial city," Walker asserted. "They want to destroy the confidence in this city first, the state next and then the nation."

OREGON WEATHER STORY

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hub deep. Governor Rolph and other state officials sought refuge in the Mt. Diablo country club while hundreds of persons remained marooned along the highway until the storm ceased and aid was summoned.

The Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys received a thorough drenching. San Francisco recorded 22 inches, Fresno .08 inches, Sacramento .02, Santa Rosa .20, San Jose .36 and Stockton .02. A terrific thunder storm in Fresno caused some damage to power lines. The rain brought that city's seasonal rainfall to within three inches of normal.

Heavy rains, instead of snow, fell in the mountains. Hetch Hetchy, Summit, Soda Springs and other high spots reported rains washed away much mountain snow on which irrigationists depend during dry summer months. At Talos City snow was expected but .08 inches of rain fell.

DAMAGE REPORTED

TACOMA, Wash., April 27.—(AP)—The hurricane-like wind which tore through Rainier national park last Wednesday mowed down 400 acres of timber, monarchs of the forest, according to an estimate of the damage made public by Major O. A. Tomlinson, park superintendent. The terrific wind uprooted trees more than four feet in diameter, stripped the branches from them and sent them crashing to the ground.

Workmen have cleared the highway from Nisqually entrance. It was estimated that after the storm some 300 trees barricaded the highway from Bear Prairie to Longmire springs, a distance of about a mile and one quarter.

ENGLAND FLOODED

LONDON, April 27.—(AP)—Thousands of acres of England's midland and southern counties, and in Wales today were deeply flooded after the most severe rains of any April in many years. In some sections the records of the past half century were exceeded.

Man Asks Widow to Take Maiden Name

MEDIA, Pa.—(AP)—One of the strangest requests ever made in a will to be probated here is that made by John H. Rosen.

He asked his widow and two children to renounce his surname and adopt her maiden name of Clayton.

He said in his will that the name of Rosen had been a "constant source of annoyance." He failed to explain how and his widow also refused to comment.

RUSSIAN LUMBER STORY

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Asian pulpwood to come into the country but issued regulations that thereby the shippers and importers must prove that convict labor had not entered into production of lumber from Russia.

The under-secretary said that his decision today applied only to the lumber carried by the steamer Anvers and if any more lumber came the same rule would apply in each case that importer must prove to handle the situation.

It "was my understanding," said H. J. Cox, secretary of the Willamette Valley Lumbermen's association, "that the Russians would take this lumber from the area under embargo in order to provide a test of the embargo. Instead, it seems they carefully selected it from regions on which there is at present no ban, so that naturally it would be allowed to enter."

With A. C. Dixon in the east and Dr. Wilson Compton, secretary of the National Lumber Manufacturers' association, ready to handle the situation, we can be quite certain that

H. Stillman, Rev. S. Earl Childers and Miss Anna Ryle. The next meeting will be held on May 15.

Gopher Poisoning Obtains Results

Gopher-poisoning in the Cedar Flat district has been very effective, according to a report made by Joe Hart, farmer of that section, to O. S. Fletcher, county agricultural agent, Monday.

Mr. Hart went over his place where Mr. Fletcher and his assistants placed poison in the runways last week and found only two places where the rodents had worked. Prior to the time the poison was set out the gophers were working all over the place.

Mr. Fletcher said that on Tuesday he will go over this area to make a check of results and will also inspect the Fall creek area which was worked a short time ago.

Alaskan Inquires About "Bean City"

BOSTON.—(AP)—Joe Oskolkoff of Nainich, Alaska, a fishing village of about 100 inhabitants, learned of the existence of Boston while perusing a map in the little community's school.

In a letter to the chamber of commerce, asking for information about Boston, Joe revealed that he had never seen a train, an automobile, a movie or a telephone, though he had seen four airplanes.

A new diet for tuberculosis has been attracting attention in Germany. It aims at limiting the amount of mineral salts and reducing the proportion of sugar and starch-containing foods in the diet, together with the addition of raw foods containing vitamins.

WILLIAM GILLEN IS GIVEN TEN YEARS

William Gillen, prisoner who escaped from the Lane county jail in 1925 and who has been in "hot water" since that time, was sentenced to the Oregon state penitentiary April 24 to serve 10 years, according to word received at the sheriff's office from Sheriff Tom B. Gurdane of Yamhill county. He was sent up for forgery.

Officers here said he is a habitual check passer, and it was a bad check that put him in the county jail. He has served time in McNeil island federal penitentiary since his escape. He has served in the state prisons of Idaho and Utah also, they said.

Some of his aliases were Archie Jackson, Fred Hamilton, Fred Heller, and Jack Hamilton.

Authorities here said they are considering placing a "detrainer" against him with prison authorities in order to get him back to face charges after he is out of prison.

CHURCH MERGER STORY

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pastor of the combined organization and the Congregational minister became the student pastor.

The question of uniting the Methodist and Presbyterian denominations has been under consideration by a

joint commission for some time past and the next meeting of the group will be held in Philadelphia July 8. The matter came up at the last general conference of the Methodist church in Kansas City in 1928. The conference voted for "early organic union" with the Presbyterians "without reservation or condition" and the Presbyterians' answer to this question will be made at the next general assembly. A decision may be made at the time the Methodists hold their next general conference in 1932. The Presbyterian assembly meets annually.

Consolidation Favored

As far as can be ascertained a majority of the members of the local congregations favor the consolidation, although no definite line on the attitude of the members can be had until the question comes up for a vote, if the several boards decide to put it before the congregations.

Differences in denominational practices and doctrines are expected to arise in case the three churches here are united, but prominent members of all three churches have declared that they believe the members here are broad-minded and liberal enough to be able to agree upon all fundamental points.

Water Spoiled by Tourists, Havana Hotel Men Claim

HAVANA.—(AP)—That the tourists in Havana harbor contaminate the water and ruin the fish business caused a committee of Havana hotel men to protest to President Machado.

The hotel men said that when the visiting tourists, passing through here on one of the cruises so popular now, remained aboard ship instead of debarking and registering at one of the hotels, they not only evaded the \$3.00 head tax as specified by the law but the thousands of people in the harbor contaminated the water and ruined the fishing.

BEAUTIFUL!



Miss Betty Bacone is the most beautiful co-ed in Northwestern University, according to a committee of artists from the Chicago Art Institute. She's a native of Evanston.

One of the strangest wills on record is that of M. Auguste Pasquier, who had it engraved on a leaf of one of his chairs.

ONE OF 12 GRADS UNIVERSITY HEADS

LIBERTY, Mo.—(AP)—A survey of 123 graduates of William Jewell college here showed that one out of twelve became college presidents.

The ten William Jewell graduates who have headed educational institutions are:

David J. Evans, former president of his alma mater and now professor at Rochester-Colgate, Divinity school, Rochester, N. Y.; Francis J. White, former president of Shanghai college, Shanghai, China; Asa Q. Burns, Dodd college, Shreveport, La.; W. C. Boone, Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, Okla.; Bibb, Albany College, Albany, Ore.; J. A. Cooper, Sioux Falls college, Sioux Falls, S. D.; V. C. Coulter, former president of Sioux Falls college; John F. Herget, Ouachita college, Arkadelphia, Ark.; C. B. Miller, former president of Hardin college, Mexico, Mo.; and John W. Millon, former president of Hardin college and of Des Moines university.

Kitten Gets Mail From Post Office

CHARDON, O.—(AP)—A nine-months-old kitten takes an active part in receiving mail deposited in the Chardon post office near here.

"Nibby" is his name, and he sits by the drop slot and pushes letters into the receiving tray. Sometimes he takes the letters in his mouth and drops them in.

"Nibby" is in his glory between 8 and 10 a. m. and in the afternoon just before the night mail is made up.

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