

EASTER SUNDAY AT
MARSHFIELD CHURCHES
The Day Observed by all With
Special Services Appropriate
To the Occasion

Easter was observed by the different churches with appropriate services for the occasion.

METHODIST CHURCH

At the Methodist church the Sunday School met at the usual hour after the regular lesson on the "Resurrection." Eggs and Easter cards were distributed to the school and a good collection was taken for missions. The subject for the 11 o'clock was "Hindrances to the Conversion of the World." The lack of our knowledge of the condition and needs of, and our opportunity towards, and our relationship, commercially, socially and religiously to those in heathen lands, are the causes of our indifference to the cause of missions. What the people need is to understand what others need and they will be ready to do their part in the great work which the master has committed to humanity. The facts always bring the means that are needed. The subject for night was, "Jesus Christ the center of thought is the safeguard in religious life." Christ the source and power of elevated manhood. He that chokes Christ as his ideal will live within the sunshine of his presence in time and eternity.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The decorations were not elaborate but were tasteful and added greatly to the enjoyment of the services of the day. Mrs. F. X. Hoffer gave the use of her beautiful Caila Lily, which was admired by all.

The Endeavor young people invited the young people of the churches of the city to join with them in a sunrise prayer meeting. About fifty were present. Miss Anna Fischer led, and the service was one of deep interest and bright and joyous with Easter thought.

It was a banner day in the Sabbath School. There were 85 present including visitors. The lesson was in harmony with the day. Easter Eggs were given to the younger scholars. Several recitations were given and the singing was an attraction.

The attendance was unusually large at the morning service, and the pastor, Rev. V. G. Strange, preached on the prayer of the apostles: "Lord increase our faith," showing what faith is, that it may increase and that we all need a larger faith.

The Young People held the C. E.

meeting at 7 p. m. It was led by Jottie Watson and was a delightful resurrection. At 8 p. m. The pastor preached on the "Risen Savior" and Mrs. Tower sang a lovely solo. The day was long to be remembered. It was indeed the queen of days, full of beauty, power and life.

BAPTIST CHURCH

At the Baptist church the services were appropriate to the season. The church was very tastefully decorated by the ladies, in ivy, ferns and evergreens, with lilies and other flowers in profusion. At Sunday School each child received an Easter egg. The topic at morning service was "The Resurrection," and the service was well attended.

The Young People's meeting at 7 was led by P. M. German, who took for his subject, "The Man of Sorrows, the Risen Christ."

The evening service was a service of song by the choir, under the leadership of Prof. Ayre, Miss Forchay acting as accompanist at the new organ which had just been installed. The song service consisted of duets a trio, quartettes, choir and congregational singing. Inter-spread with select reading by the pastor, Rev. Thos. Irvine. The singing was especially fine and reflected great credit on the vocalists.

The church was crowded and every body seemed to enjoy the services.

A collection was taken up to pay the balance due on the new organ and a sufficient amount was raised to accomplish that object, and the treasurer of the Young People's Society proudly walked up the street yesterday with a receipt in full for the price of the instrument.

The Episcopal and Catholic churches were also the scene of well-attended special services, which the MAIL regrets its inability to report at length.

The Bacilli and Short Skirts.

The relentless and never ending battle which science is waging against the bacilli has taken a rather unusual form in the city of Bayonne, N. J. There an especially vigorous germ chaser urges that the board of health adopt an ordinance compelling all women to wear skirts whose hems shall be at least six inches above the ground, the argument being that disease breeding germs are swept up, carried along and distributed broadest by the trailing skirts in which many women appear on the streets of the town. The local board of health, to which the laws of New Jersey give power to enact and enforce such an ordinance, is said to look with favor upon this plan of campaign against the bacilli, but the women are up in arms against it.

Womanlike, however, they do not propose to fight the board of health, but all of the male sex who have reached the alleged age of discretion. The leading women of the town are said to have a "pull" with the city council, and they threaten that if the board of health resolution is passed they will force a measure through the city council the first session of which shall read as follows:

Section 1. It is hereby enacted by the common council of Bayonne City, N. J., that from and after the date of this act all male persons residing or doing business within the corporate limits of this city shall be required to wear trousers reaching not lower than three inches below the knees.

It hardly seems fair or just for the women of Bayonne to compel the entire male population of trousers wearing age to don "high water pants" just because a few misguided bacteria busters propose the abbreviation of their skirts, but there is something to be said for the contention of the women. If their dress is to be regulated by males, why should not the women prescribe the garb of the men?

The proposed short skirts may be sensible and in line with correct sanitary notions, but there is more to this matter of abbreviated skirts than the mere question of public health. It cannot be settled off hand even by so autocratic a body as a board of health.

Changed His Mind.

Jinks, like other men, has a horror of infant prodigies as exploited by their proud papas. Recently Binks met him with:

"Hello, Jinks! What do you think my girl said this morning? She's the brightest four-year-old in town. She said—"

Jinks smiled. "Excuse me, old man!" he exclaimed. "I'm on my way to keep an engagement. Some other time!"
"She said, 'Papa, that Mr. Jinks is the handsomest man I know.'" Haw,

haw, haw! How's that for precocity, eh?"

And Jinks replied: "Binks, I'm a little early for my engagement. That youngster certainly is a bright one. Come into this toy store and help me select a few things that will please a girl of her taste, and I'll send them to her, if you don't mind."—New York Times.

NEW PHASE OF INDEMNITY.

Insurance in England Against Surgical Operations.

In England people of moderate means are beginning to insure themselves against surgical operations. The plan is that subscribers who pay an annual fee shall be entitled either to free maintenance to a hospital or nursing at home and a free operation or to a fixed sum paid down to defray the cost of an operation if one becomes necessary. In England, as here, the cost of surgical repairs to the human body has become oppressively great to persons who just manage to pay their way. People who are obviously poor get a great deal of excellent surgical and medical treatment in hospitals and elsewhere for nothing, but for the next class above them a serious illness, especially if it involves an operation, is almost ruinous. It would seem as if the time was near when societies for insurance against specialists might be profitably organized in the larger American cities.

The specialist has come to be a very important—indeed, an indispensable—institution, especially to families in which there are children. The office of the family doctor has now become simplified to the task of coming in and felling the patient which specialist to go to. It is not that specialists charge too much, for their honorable services are above price. It is that landlady, butcher, baker, grocer, milkman, coal man, dentist and trained nurse do not leave you money enough to pay them adequately.

To subscribe a considerable sum annually and have all the repairs and desirable improvements made in one's family without further disbursement would be a comparatively simple way out of a troublesome predicament. —Harper's Weekly.

A GIRL TO TRUST.

So Thought President Lincoln When He Handed Her a Pass.

During the civil war Miss N. a high spirited Virginia young lady whose father, a Confederate soldier, had been taken prisoner by the Union forces, was desirous of obtaining a pass which would enable her to visit him. Francis P. Blair agreed to obtain an audience with the president, but warned his young and rather impulsive friend to be prudent and not betray her sympathy for the south. They were ushered into the presence of Mr. Lincoln, and the object for which they had come was stated. The tall, grave man bent down to the little maiden and, looking searchingly into her face, said:

"You are loyal, of course?" Her bright eyes flashed. She hesitated a moment, and then, with a face eloquent with emotion and honest as his own, she replied:

"Yes, loyal to the heart's core—to Virginia!"

Mr. Lincoln kept his intent gaze upon her for a moment longer and then went to his desk, wrote a line or two and handed her the paper. With a bow the interview terminated. When they had left the room, Mr. Blair began to upbraid his young friend for her impetuosity.

"Now you have done it!" he said. "Didn't I warn you to be very careful? You have only yourself to blame."

Miss N. made no reply, but opened the paper. It contained these words:

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TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Feb. 10th, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

CARL A. MAGNEY, of Harrison, county of Kootenai, state of Idaho, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4431, for the purchase of the NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Sec. 20, and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. No. 17, in Twp. 24 N., R. 11 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. U. Douglas, U. S. Commissioner for Oregon, at Marshfield, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1903.

He names as witnesses: John L. Magney, of Harrison, Idaho; John Mchardt, Henry Mchardt, F. F. Fuller, of Allegheny, Or.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 24th day of June, 1903.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Feb. 2, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

FRANK TERRY, of Marshfield, county of Coos, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4439, for the purchase of the NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Sec. No. 34, Township No. 24 N., Range 11 W., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. U. Douglas, U. S. Commissioner for Oregon, at Marshfield, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 24th day of June, 1903.

He names as witnesses: Lester Smith, Jesse Smith, Alvin Smith, William Boncherer, all of Marshfield, Or., F. R. Taylor, of Fairview, Or.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 24th day of June, 1903.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Feb. 4, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

ANTHONY STAMBUCK, of Marshfield, county of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4450, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of Sec. No. 34, in Township No. 26 South, Range 11 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. U. Douglas, U. S. Commissioner for Oregon, at Marshfield, Oregon, on Saturday, the 27th day of May, 1903.

He names as witnesses: Lester Smith, Jesse Smith, Alvin Smith, William Boncherer, all of Marshfield, Or.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of May, 1903.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Feb. 12, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

DANNIEL BIANCK, of Marshfield, county of Coos, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4441, for the purchase of the Lot 1 of Sec. 31, Tp. 26 S., R. 11 W., and Lots 3 and 4, of Sec. No. 6, in Township 27 South, of Range 11 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. U. Douglas, U. S. Commissioner for Oregon, at Marshfield, Oregon, on Friday, the 15th day of May, 1903.

He names as witnesses: W. H. Morgan, of Marshfield, Or., Leo Neely, F. R. Taylor, John Hailey, of Fairview, Or.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of May, 1903.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Feb. 10th, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

JYRTLE HAYNES, of Marshfield, county of Coos, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4431, for the purchase of the Southeast corner of Section No. 2, Township 27 South, of Range No. 12 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. U. Douglas, U. S. Commissioner for Oregon, at Marshfield, Oregon, on Saturday, the 21st day of May, 1903.

She names as witnesses: R. H. Noble, W. H. Noble, W. F. Noble, Chas. Noble, all of Marshfield, Or.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 21st day of May, 1903.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Feb. 17, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

WILLIAM F. LAWSON, of Roseburg, county of Douglas, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4470, for the purchase of the E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Sec. No. 26, Township No. 24 South, Range No. 11 West, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the Register and Receiver of said land at Roseburg, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 12th day of May, 1903.

He names as witnesses: John Green, Charles Thom, John Thom, Joseph Weatherly, all of Roseburg, Oregon.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 12th day of May, 1903.

J. T. BRIDGES, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878. NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Roseburg, Oregon, Feb. 20, 1903.
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892,

WALTER I. CONDRON, of Marshfield, county of Coos, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4451, for the purchase of the E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Sec. No. 3, in Twp. No. 21 South, Range No. 13 West and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before W. U. Douglas, U. S. Commissioner for Oregon, at Marshfield, Oregon, on Saturday, the 9th day of May, 1903.

He names as witnesses: Chas. Noble, W. H. Noble, L. H. Noble, David Stussen, all of Marshfield, Oregon.
Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 9th day of May, 1903.

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