

CHRIST'S PROPHECY OF OUR TIMES

That this generation is a special subject of prophecy was the theme of the sermon preached at the hall last evening. Christ severely rebuked the Jews because, with all their profession and outward show of piety, and their ability to read the sky and predict fair or foul weather, they did not understand the prophecies or signs of the times, Mat. 16:1-3.

Near the close of Christ's ministry he wept over Jerusalem because of the blessings that might have been theirs had they "known" him, but because they "knew not the time of their visitation" their city would be destroyed. Luke 19:41-44.

The Jewish nation rejected the Redeemer, crucified him, passed through the awful siege of Jerusalem, and were scattered among all nations because they were not acquainted with the prophecies that foretold "the time of their visitation."

Christ's great prophecy recorded in the 24th chapter of Matthew was given in answer to the disciples question: "What shall be the sign of the coming and of the end of the world?" Instead of rebuking them Christ gave them the desired information. He told them that one sign would be the increase of earthquakes. The speaker gave statistics showing their rapid increase during the last few years.

It is not possible to know the day or the hour or set a definite time for the event to take place but we can know when it is near and be among those who will be found watching.

The subject for Sunday evening is, "The Outcome of the Struggle Between Capital and Labor as Foretold in Prophecy."

HOWARD C. VAN METER DEAD AT PORTLAND

Howard C. Van Meter, who is well known in Medford, where he frequently lectured, a prominent Christian Science practitioner and chairman of the committee on publication of the church for Oregon, died suddenly at his home of heart disease Friday.

Mr. Van Meter was born in Madison, Wis., and as a young man took up railroad work. He later moved to St. Paul, Minn., and there worked for the St. Paul, Chicago & Northwestern railroad. He advanced rapidly and was chief train dispatcher before he left the service.

Six years ago Mr. Van Meter gave up railroad work and took up the study of Christian Science. He devoted his entire time to this study, and soon became quite prominent both as a practitioner and in the church work. Four years ago Mr. Van Meter came to Portland and opened an office in the Beck building. He built up a large practice and was known throughout the state, as well as in Portland.

Funeral arrangements have not been made.

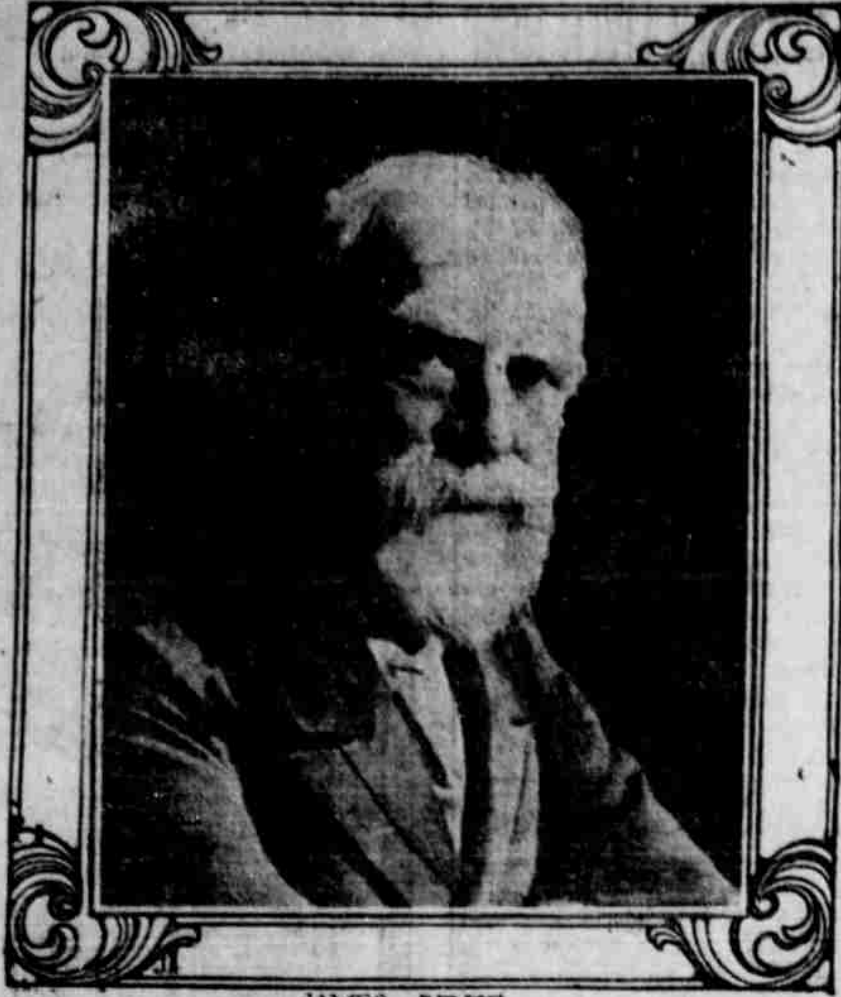
Dr. E. F. Geary was called in to see Mr. Van Meter on November 8, and found him suffering from very severe pains in the chest. The doctor said today that it was undoubtedly angina pectoris, from which Mr. Van Meter had suffered before. A day or two later Mr. Van Meter telephoned Dr. Geary that he was much better. Dr. Geary accordingly did not call again. He was greatly surprised today to learn of Mr. Van Meter's sudden death.

MARTIAL LAW AGAIN PROCLAIMED COAL FIELDS

CHARLESTOWN, W. Va., Nov. 16.—Martial law was again proclaimed in the coal fields today by Governor Glasscock. Soldiers were sent to Cabin Creek to escort strikebreakers to work in the mines.

The strike in the Kanawha district was called several months ago, and Governor Glasscock sent state troops there once before to restore order.

AMBASSADOR BRYCE TO RESIGN AND DEVOTE HIMSELF TO LITERATURE



JAMES BRYCE

Mr. James Bryce, the British Ambassador to the United States since 1907, has resigned. His resignation comes at a time when the United States and Great Britain are embarked on delicate diplomatic exchanges regarding American policy of protesting American coastwise shipping from Panama Canal tolls. Mr. Bryce, who has decided to devote himself to literature, will be succeeded by Sir Cecil Arthur Spring Rice, now Minister at Stockholm.

CARMI THOMPSON APPOINTED TREASURER

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Secretary of the Treasury MacVeagh announced today that Carmi Thompson, president Taft's secretary, would become treasurer of the United States next Tuesday, succeeding Lee McClung, resigned.

GUN MEN SHIFT MURDER BLAME ON TWO INFORMERS

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—The case for the defense in the trial of the four gunmen accused of killing Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, was completed today. Nearly a dozen witnesses testified in support of the gunmen's claims that the two informers, Vallon and Webber, and an unidentified stranger fired the fatal shots at the gambler, and that three gunmen were only innocent spectators, and the fourth, "Dago Frank," was not there at all. None of the witnesses called was able to identify the four gunmen as among those who shot Rosenthal, and all testified to one of the murderers being a bald-headed stranger unknown to them.

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SENATOR RAYNER IS SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Senator Isidor Rayner of Maryland seriously ill at his apartments here from neuritis, is slightly improved today. He slept well throughout the night. Owing to the precarious condition of Rayner the immediate members of his family were summoned to the bedside.

THAT little girl of yours—she'll soon be having her hair "done up," and too, she will be outgrowing her childish ways—and you haven't had her picture taken since she was in long dresses. You don't exactly want to keep her as she is—but you do want to keep the memory.

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"You see it is this way," states Mr. Root. "I dislike to follow too closely the lead of others. I therefore must decline to do as so many of my friends are doing. I shall not be a candidate."

"I will add though," continued Mr. Root, "that I expect to be mayor, although I am not a candidate. It is really a very simple matter. I shall find two men, is possible, to whom I will promise the job of chief of police and superintendent of streets. These men will write my name in, as I shall do myself. This will give me three votes, clear majority as every other citizen will be voting for himself if they continue to come out for mayor."

"The only place I am apt to fall down is in finding two citizens who are not candidates for the place."

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