

SYNOPSIS OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE FRIDAY

A lecture on Christian Science entitled "Christian Science The Truth That Heals," given at the Page Theatre last night by Mrs. Blanche K. Corby, C. S. B., member of the Board of Lectureship of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

"The time for thinkers has come," writes Mrs. Eddy in the preface of her great work, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures." "In the recorded history of man, there has never been such intense thinking on things spiritual and religious as there is today. Advanced thinkers are realizing that the world can never be rebuilt from the old basis of materiality and continue in a state anything short of anarchy; and that a true constructive league can be founded only upon the basis of spiritual regeneration.

"It is generally considered that spirituality is a supernatural, vague, or indefinite condition of being which cannot be made practical. Christian Science removes spirituality from the realm of the supernatural and impractical and reveals it as a normal condition. Spirituality is right thinking, and can be applied in all of the detail and routine of every day life. Christian Science has taught us that we can think rightly about all that we have to do. The remedy for all evil lies in the power of right thought; there is nothing that can be substituted for it. Our highest concept of everything is the best that we can express; therefore the more spiritual the thinking, the more is expressed of health, harmony, and better environment.

"Everyone yearns for health, peace, and life in abundance. Throughout the world not one man can be found who will say that he does not want these things. Christian Science can bestow them, not in the way or after the manner of the world, but by taking away the sins of the world through the spiritualization of thought. Christian Science does not require the giving up of anything that is good and true. It is only the false gods of material beliefs that must be gotten rid of in order to gain that which is altogether lovely. Christian Science teaches that only as we know God can we possess and express the things most desirable.

Jesus announced that he came to destroy the works of the devil and to do his father's will. His professed followers cannot question that he came to do that which was lawful and right. In the destruction of all evil he proved that disease as well as sin is not in accord with the law of God, but is the work of the devil or one evil. He used no material means, he ascribed no credit to himself, but always gave God the glory. Jesus did not limit the healing to his day alone, when he instructed his followers to go out into the world to preach the gospel to every nation and to heal the sick. Added to this was his admonition to those who believe on him to do greater works than he had done, not greater in quality, but in quantity.

"For centuries the world has stumbled on without a definite understanding of what constitutes true prayer. Under great stress of suffering or disaster there is sometimes a desire to know how to pray, but in spite of tears and importunate yearning, much of the prayer of the world is never answered. In James we read, 'Ye ask, and receive not, because ye ask amiss.' (James 4:3.)

"Mrs. Eddy teaches that the only effective prayer is the prayer of Jesus—the recognition of the aliveness of God and the availability of that aliveness for every human need. True prayer is not a supplication through blind faith, in other words asking God to answer prayer; it is utilizing and making practical the goodness of God. True prayer brings thought into accord with divine Mind and declares and demonstrates the spiritual facts of being."

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Church

St. Mark's Episcopal Cor. North Oakdale and Fifth Sts. 8 a. m. Holy communion. 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. Morning service. Wm. H. Hamilton, vicar.

Catholic Church South Oakdale Ave. First mass Sunday at 8 a. m. Second mass at 10:30 a. m. Benediction after second mass. The boys' surprised choir will sing at the second mass. Rev. John Powers, rector.

The Salvation Army 320 East Main street. Meetings Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday 8 p. m. Sunday meetings: Holiness meeting 11 a. m. Company meeting 2 p. m. Young People's League 6:30 p. m. Salvation meeting 8 p. m. Subject, "Choose Life."

The Church of the Nazarene Cor. Central and Jackson. Sunday services: Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Revival services to continue each evening next week at 7:30. Don't fail to come and hear the Smith family. The music will entertain you and the preaching bless you. Rev. C. M. King, pastor.

Main Street M. E. Church, South Cor. Main and Oakdale Ave. Parsonage next door north of the church. W. J. Fenton, pastor. Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Dr. Frank Roberts, supt. Mrs. Ralph Woodford, primary supt. Classes for all ages. A growing school. Preaching services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Mrs. Hubler will sing. Epworth League Junior at 2:30 p. m. Senior at 6:30 p. m. Miss Nora Wolfe president.

This church stands for progress in spiritual life. Its only object is to make better the conditions of life, spiritual and otherwise.

Free Methodist Church Cor. Tenth and Ivy Streets. Miss Rhoda Burnett, pastor. Res. 337 W. Tenth St. Phone 426. You are invited to attend our services which are as follows: Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30.

Our district quarterly meeting will be held March 30th to April 2nd. Preaching each evening by ministers of the district. Come, bring your friends. Hear a gospel that saves from sin, gets a man ready to live or to die.

Presbyterian Church Rev. E. P. Lawrence, minister, 25 South Orange.

9:45 a. m. Bible school. Study with us the great Bible truths. Carl J. Brommer, superintendent. 11 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon subject, "Gethsemane or the Battle of the Will." Special music by mixed quartet, an anthem entitled "I Was Glad When They Said Unto Me," by Galbraith.

6:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor society. Topic, "What Our Country Owe to Home Missionaries."

7:30 p. m. Stereopticon lecture on "The Lumber Jacks," showing the work of sky pilots among the lumber men and loggers.

First Methodist Episcopal Church Fourth and Bartlett. J. Randolph Sasmott, pastor. Office phone 968.

9:45. Bible school. Classes for all ages. Prof. N. W. Franklin, supt. 11 a. m. morning worship. Membership rally. Sermon, "The Kingdom Come."

6:30. Epworth League. Topic, "Redeeming the Time." Leader, Verne Cawood. Trombone solo by Cash Wood. 7:30. Evangelistic service. Sermon by Rev. Harcourt W. Peck, D.D. Evangelistic service each evening (Saturday excepted), March 26 to April 16. Exceptionally attractive music at each service.

Evang-Luth. Zion's Church Fourth St. below Oakdale Ave. Rev. Dr. W. R. Morenz-Oesser, Pastor. Res. 618 West Fourth St. IV.—Lent: Laetare.

Sunday school 10 a. m. Divine service 11 a. m.

The catechetical examination of the catechumens will be held a week from tomorrow in the morning service. There will be no sermon. The rite of confirmation will be administered on Palm Sunday to the members of the class.

The newly confirmed will hold their first communion with the congregation on Easter Sunday.

The names of this year's class of catechumens are: John Bohnert, Foster Greb, Clarence Greb, Alvin Greb, John Hueners, Ludwig Morenz-Oesser, Loraine Gerhardt.

First Church of Christ, Scientist Authorized branch of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston, Mass.

Services are held every Sunday at 11 o'clock. Subject for Sunday, Mar. 26: Reality.

Sunday School at 9:45. All under the age of twenty are welcome.

Wednesday evening meetings, which include testimonies of Christian Science healings, at 7:45, church office, 213 North Oakdale. The Reading Room, which is in the Medford Bldg., is open daily from 10

to 5, except Sundays and holidays. All authorized Christian Science literature may be read, borrowed or purchased.

The public is cordially invited to attend the services and visit the Reading Room.

First Christian Church Cor. Ninth and Oakdale. Dell Ely Millard, minister. Bible school at 9:45. Herbert Berrian, supt. We have a fine growing school and a welcome awaits you.

Preaching service 11 a. m. Subject, "The Secret of Christian Living." The music for the morning will be an anthem, "Am I a Soldier of the Cross." Members are urged to be present and the public is heartily invited. 6:30 p. m. Young people's service of Christian Endeavor.

7:30 p. m. Our popular evening service with concert by our fine orchestra, consisting of three numbers as follows:

"Grand Processional," Selection, "When Love Shines In," Sacred march, "Tell Mother I'll Be There."

There will be a fine song service and a selection by our male quartette. You are cordially invited. "The Home-like Church."

First Baptist Church "The Friendly Church" North Central and Fifth Sts. 9:45 a. m. "The Other Side." Anthem, Sullivan, "Keep Us in Thy Care." Solo, Johnson, "Homeland," Miss Steiner.

6:30 p. m. Senior and intermediate B. Y. P. U. Meet your friend here. Many do.

7:30 p. m. A special musical program and a message will set you thinking on "The Sin That Knows No Forgiveness." See order of service elsewhere. Ordinance of baptism.

Tuesday 2:30 p. m. Woman's Auxiliary meets with Mrs. T. Norris, 215 Cottage St. Madams Gilbert, Jennings and Lewis will assist. Subject, "Italians." Mrs. Robert Hurd, for 7 years a missionary in South America, will also speak.

Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting. Plan to be out. Thursday 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal. Sunday is Building Sunday. Don't forget this. Strangers in the city are especially invited to all the services. Frederick R. Leach, pastor, res. 16 S. Laurel street.

The March special musical service at the First Baptist church will take place Sunday 7:30 p. m. Not only the music but the message will be of unusual interest. The ordinance of baptism will also form a part of the service. It will be a strong appeal to the many to be present. The order of service will be as follows:

Song, "Dwelling in Beulah Land" Anthem, "Joyce Greatly." Scripture lesson. Duet, Brewer, "Jesus the Very Thought of Thee," Miss Steiner, Mr. Walker.

Ordinance of Baptism. Solo, Bonham, "The City Divine," Mr. Walker. Prayer.

Anthem, Barnby, "Abide With Me." Announcements and offertory. Hymn, "Pass Me Not." Sermon, "The Sin That Knows No Forgiveness," Rev. F. R. Leach. Hymn, "Why Do You Wait." Benediction.

Mr. Roscoe Hulse and Mr. Cann made a business trip to Medford last week.

Mr. Roscoe Hulse took Albert Hoagland to the Dow Hospital at Medford Saturday and brought him back Monday.

The eighth grade students are working on an Arbor Day program, in which the entire school will take part.

Mr. E. C. Stanley returned home Thursday. Elmer Hoagland visited school Monday.

Mrs. Jacob Monia made a business trip to Medford Thursday. Mrs. R. E. Tucker and William Staub went to Medford Tuesday.

Carl and Fred Stanley brought a bunch of Cattle down from Ranch Rea and turned them loose on the low range.

Mrs. Hulse and Mrs. Cann were visitors at the Brownsboro school Friday.

Mr. C. E. Stanley made a business trip to Eagle Point Monday. Earnest Fluaharty of Talent took a horse to Butte Falls Wednesday and spent Wednesday night at the Hoagland home.

Mr. Ralph Tucker is shearing goats this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Charley and family are moving to the Bradshaw ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lewey have taken up their ranch in the Antelope district.

There was a good attendance at Sunday school Sunday and it was voted to give an Easter program. Mrs. Hulse and Mrs. George Brown were appointed to arrange for the music. They would like to have all interested out next Sunday.

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The members re-elected are George T. Collins, A. L. Hill, Benj. C. Sheldon, V. H. Vawter and H. L. Waither. The retiring members of the board are Benj. F. Lindsay, O. O. Alenderfer and George A. Mansfield.

There were 144 votes cast, two of which had to be thrown out because of the members voting not having paid their dues to April first. The vote was very close between eight of the sixteen candidates, there being but one vote difference in each.

The directors elected together with the holdover members of the board, will meet in the early part of April and elect a president, vice-president and treasurer. The financial statement and the report of accomplishments for the past fiscal year will be made to the members at the annual meeting which will also be held next month.

There will be an especially interesting service at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening at 7:30. There will be stereopticon pictures and brief descriptive address showing in a wonderful way the great forests of the northwest and the work of the lumber jacks in mills and logging camps working with the spruce and fir and white pine. The dangers of the industry to human life and the far better living and conditions under which they are working together with the work of the Sky Pilot among them will all be clearly shown.

At the morning service Rev. E. P. Lawrence will speak on the subject of "Gethsemane Or the Battle of the Will" in preparation for the coming of Easter. All the members of the mixed quartette will be back on duty again and will sing an anthem entitled "I Was Glad When They Said Unto Me," by Galbraith.

INTERESTING SERVICES AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

It is seldom that an actress, even as secure in the esteem of playgoers as Ethel Barrymore, or a play, as widely heralded as Miss Zoe Akins' "De-classee," comes to us preceded by preliminary reports more warmly enthusiastic. The local engagement is to occur at the Page theatre Monday night, April 3rd. In "De-classee," Miss Barrymore occupied the stage of the New York Empire theatre for one entire season.

Miss Barrymore in "De-classee," is seen as Lady Helen Haden, a young Englishwoman of aristocratic birth and breeding to whom, through no fault of her own, save an inherited recklessness, unhappy circumstances bring matrimonial disaster. Adrift from her accustomed surroundings Lady Helen is next seen in New York the center of a gay group of unusual people. With happiness seemingly almost within her grasp, her adventures in this country come to a close in a final gripping and pathetic note of tragedy.

A splendid company surrounds Miss Barrymore, including Edward Emery, Henry Daniell, Cyril Delevanti, Philip Lord, Charles Wellesley, Hubbard Kirkpatrick, Alfred Hesse, W. G. Leigh Alfred Le Hay, Irby Marshall, Virginia Chauvenet, Jane West, Gabrielle Ravine, Marcy R. De Wolfe, Ina Rorke, Estelle Thebaud.

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