

PAGEANT PROGRAM AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SUNDAY

The program and description, together with the names of those having part in the pageant to be presented at the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening at 8 p. m. is as follows.

Prelude.
Hymn.
Prayer and Gloria.
Offertory.
Home Missionary Pageant, "The Call of the Homeland"—Stecker America—Miss Foresta Ferguson Christianity—Mrs. J. A. McCorkle Herald—Mrs. Charles A. Wing Indian Girl—Miss Florence Hurd Spanish American—Mrs. Harry Prentice Porto Rican Girl—Miss Mildred Knight Negro Woman—Mrs. Carl Knudsen Chinese Woman—Mrs. Laurence Pennington European Immigrants—Italian—Mrs. Ralph Gill Jewish Woman—Mrs. W. F. Wygant Polish Woman—Mrs. Carol Carpenter Working Woman—Mrs. Harry V. Marx Children—Dorothy Gill, Billy Prentice.

Penitentes—Arthur Laing, Harry Gould, Nathan Newcomb.
Prologue—America, the Favored.
First Episode—Unfinished Tasks.
Second Episode—Unfinished Problems.

Third Episode—The Call to World Service.
Fourth Episode—The Challenge of a New Age.

"Praise God From Whom All Blessings flow."

Incidental music by the Junior Choir—As the States of America, Flag Bearers—Margaret Launsbach, Bertha Porter.

Sopranos—Ruth Lawrence, Margaret Launsbach, Jane Dixon, Ruth Clement, Margaret Bonney, Bernice Gill, Jessie Ludwig, Millicent Webster.

Altos—Mildred Lawrence, Janet Clement, Beulah Gore, Marion Brown, Laura York, Eleanor Hewitt.

Sponsored by the Westminster Guild.
Directed by Mrs. A. Albert McCorkle, assisted by Mrs. Lorraine Cornish, Mrs. H. E. Marsh at the organ.



St. Mark's Episcopal.
Corner North Oakdale and 5th street.
8 a. m. Holy communion.
10 a. m. Sunday school.
11 a. m. Holy communion.
Wm. B. Hamilton, Vicar.

Spiritualist.
Rev. Ferris Cox, member of National Spiritualist association, will hold services Sunday, 8 p. m. at Rickert's Hall over Medford Drug store. Subject for lecture: "If a man die shall he live again, or the life beyond the grave." Followed with messages. All cordially invited.

The Salvation Army.
Good old-fashioned cheery meetings, Sunday, 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. Lively and growing Sunday school, for young and old, 2:30 p. m. Special announcement, Tuesday, May 5th, the First Presbyterian church junior choir, under Mrs. J. A. McCorkle, will entertain with an elaborate program, consisting of musical numbers, readings, and a missionary playlet. Mrs. McCorkle will direct the proceedings. Full particulars later. Admission will be free.

Lutheran Church.
The Zion English Evangelical Lutheran church, 512 West Fourth street. Rev. Edwin J. Johnson, Pastor.
Services for Sunday, May 3rd: Sunday school 10 a. m. Divine morning service 11 a. m. Subject: "Be Joyful."
Mid-week service Wednesday, May 6th, 8 p. m. Subject: "How to Study the Bible."
A catechetical class will be organized Saturday, May 9th, 10:30 a. m. All children twelve years and over are cordially invited to be there.
You are invited to come and participate with us in all of these services.

Free Methodist.
Rev. W. W. Vinson of Chicago, assistant general missionary secretary of the Free Methodist church is filling a schedule of dates in this territory, and will speak at the Free Methodist church tonight and tomorrow afternoon. His theme tonight will be "Gospel Work Among the Japanese and Mexicans of California." Until the last year he was a pastor for some years in Los Angeles, and brings a message of personal information.
The theme at 3 p. m. Sabbath will be "Others," and will be in the interest of the foreign missionary work. Mr. Vinson is an earnest forceful speaker and should have a good hearing.

Main St. Methodist, South.
J. E. Coan, Pastor.
Corner Main and Oakdale. Pastor's study at 27 N. Oakdale.
The Bible school meets at 9:45. Dr. Frank Roberts, director. All departments in action.
Morning worship at 11. Rev. J. C. Jones of Corvallis will preach.
The Epworth League meets at 7 in the evening.
The evening service at the hour of eight. At the close of the evening service the session of the conference. Tuesday afternoon the Missionary society meets at the church.
Midweek service Wednesday evening at 7:30.
You will find the service of this church refreshing and helpful.
Always a welcome.

Presbyterian Church.
Corner Main and Holly.
Rev. E. P. Lawrence, minister.

Members of Cornell College of Home Economics Have a Busy Hour Caring for the "Practice Baby"



Students at the College of Home Economics at Cornell University have practical demonstrations of housekeeping, including the care of children. Mary Jane Domecon, the "practice baby," is shown here surrounded by the student "mothers." They are Barbara Hooper of

New York, Mary Humphry of Silver

Residence 513 S. Newtown. Study, 41 S. Holly.
8:45 A. M.—Bible school. An hour of Bible study and worship as children and adults is well worth while. Come yourself and bring your children. Verl Walker, acting superintendent.

11 A. M.—Sermon "The Call for Workers." This Sunday is being observed as vocation day in Presbyterian churches. Special music will be a soprano solo by Mrs. James Collins.

8 P. M.—Home Missionary pageant, entitled "The Call of the Home Land," by Stacker.

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

Services are held every Sunday at 11 o'clock, church edifice, 212 North Oakdale. Subject for Sunday, May 3: "Everlasting Punishment."

Sunday school at 9:45. Applicants under the age of twenty may be admitted.

Wednesday evening meetings that include testimonies of Christian Science healings, at 8 o'clock.

The reading room, which is in the Medford Bldg., is open daily from 12 to 4, 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.
Corner Ninth and South Oakdale. D. J. Howe, minister. Residence 25 South Orange. Services every Lord's Day, 9:45 a. m. Bible school M. E. Olson, superintendent. Every member should help to keep up the average to the 300 mark.

11 a. m. Morning worship. Communion and preaching. Sermon "God's Love Toward Us."

7 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting. Let all the young people respond. Be on time and take some part in the meeting.

8:00. Evangelistic service. Sermon: "Righteousness and Its Rewards."

There will be special music at each service. "Church Night," every Wednesday at 8 p. m. This week a 40 minute study will be given on "The Home or the Marriage Relation," followed by the regular session of the church board. Choir rehearsal on Saturday evening. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. Strangers always welcome.

The First Baptist Church.
North Central and 5th street. Frederick R. Leach, pastor. Study at church. Phone 1052.

9:45 a. m. Bible school. The new superintendent, Mr. A. J. Anderson, will assume duties Sunday. Be there to greet him and attend regularly with us.

11 a. m. "Why Some Prayers Are Not Answered." Lord's Supper and church business meeting.

Vocal solo, "Rest in the Lord," by Mrs. Richardson.

Violin solo, "A Prayer," by Prof. Jones.

B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m. "What the Bible Teaches About God." Mrs. Clemma Finley, leader.

8 p. m. "The Boundary Line in Morals." A plain talk on a very vital subject.

Vocal solo, "A Dream of Paradise," by Mr. S. H. Butler.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Prayer meeting.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal.

A vacant pew earns no dividend, so fill one Sunday.

First Methodist Episcopal Church.
West Main and Laurel. J. Willard De Yoe, Pastor. Present residence, 24 South Washington street. Phone 847-1.

"Tomorrow is the Sabbath of the Lord, our God! He said 'Remember the Sabbath day to keep it holy.' He added later 'wherefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day, and hallowed it.' That is exactly what we want to make of tomorrow—and not only tomorrow but every other Sabbath; and the week's days we also want as good days for Christ.

Come to our Sunday school at 9:45 in the morning. Mr. W. W. Walker is the superintendent. It is a fine place to be at 9:45.

The morning service will be held promptly at 11 o'clock. The pastor will preach on "Mystery in the Heart." The chorus will sing the morning anthem, "Hear Then in Love, O Lord." Wooley. Offertory, "Come, Ye Blessed," Scott. Mrs. Van Scoyoc.

In the evening the Epworth League

BIRTH RATE IN U. S. A. INCREASES, DEATHS DECLINE

WASHINGTON, May 2.—The rate of increase of the nation's population by birth was considerably greater in 1924 than in 1923.

While the birth rate increased from 22.3 per 1000 in 1923 to 22.5 per 1000 in 1924, the death rate declined during the period from 12.4 to 11.9 per 1000.

A census bureau's survey made public today showed the highest birth rate in the country to be 31.9 per 1000 in the rural districts of North Carolina, while the lowest rate 14.9 per 1000, was found in the rural districts of Montana.

The death rate was lower in 1924 than in 1923 in 23 of the 29 states covered by the survey. Infant mortality rates were shown to be generally lower in 1924 than in 1923, increases being noted in only three states.

The 1924 rates per one thousand of population of births and deaths were shown to be for California, 22, and 14.5; Montana 31.9 and 7.8; Nebraska 21.5 and 9; Oregon 18.6 and 11.3; Washington 17.4 and 10, and Wyoming 24 and 9.5.

New York, Mary Humphry of Silver Springs, N. Y., Lea Barden of Syracuse, N. Y., and Ann Barrett of Sayre, Pa., who is holding the baby. Also in the picture is Miss Fenton who is the baby specialist, in charge of the practice apartment.

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will hold their devotional meeting. This meeting will be of special interest to all the young folks, as there is to be a report of the big Epworth League convention that was held in Grants Pass last week. Miss Annie Bateman will lead the meeting. There will be special music.

The evening service will be held at 7:30. The pastor will deliver the address on "God's Rivers." The special music for the service will be, Anthem, "Savior, When Night Involves the Skies," Shelley. Soloist, Miss Parrett.

Offertory, tenor solo, Mr. MacDonald.

Rev. and Mrs. De Yoe will sing, "Have You Heard the Good News" at the close of the sermon.

We want you to come! You will find a welcome at every service and a friendly lot of people. The mid week services are growing greatly and next Wednesday evening at 7:45 we will study Ezekiel 32. This will be a study that no one can afford to miss. We not only invite our own people to this mid week service, but the public in general.

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**LINEN MILL STARTS
UP ON THE COLUMBIA**

VANCOUVER, Wash., May 2.—The Washington-Oregon Linen Mills company paid rent yesterday for the first month, on the site and buildings in the old shipyard here and filed a bond for rent covering a period of thirty years and the work of preparing the buildings and machinery will be started May 15, A. J. Riach, local agent said. The machinery will be shipped from Beloit, Wis., and is expected to arrive June 1 when it will be quickly assembled and put in operation. Farmers in Oregon and Clarke county are planting flax, using seed obtained from the Oregon penitentiary.

**PORTLAND SUGAR DROPS
30 CENTS PER SACK**

PORTLAND, Ore., May 2.—Local wholesale grocery firms have announced a decline of thirty cents a sack in sugar prices. The drop brings the best cane granulated grades down to \$6.30 with beet at \$6.10 a sack and sets a new level for the year.

Weakness in raw sugar in the east and on the coast is largely responsible for the decline here. Portland jobbers decided to lower their market upon receipt of advices of a twenty per cent reduction in the refinery lists at San Francisco.

The decline is rather drastic, coming right in the face of the canning season and local dealers do not look for any further declines.

**Sunday Menu
85c Only**

Served From 12 Noon Till 8 P. M.

—COCKTAIL—
Sardine Canape

—RELISH—
Green Onion

—SOUP—
Cream Chicken au Coutons

CHOICE OF
Fillet of Beef, Mushroom Sauce
Fried Half Spring Chicken, on Toast
Baked Young Chicken, Dressing
Roast Prime Ribs, au Natural

—VEGETABLES—
Creamed Carrots

—SALAD—
Fruit

—DESSERT—
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Sherbet

—DRINKS—
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REFUSE to Sign Referendum Petitions on Bus and Truck Bill



Sample of Pavement Between McMinnville and Sheridan

The State Highway Commission has just let two contracts; one for reconstructing 11 1/2 miles of highway between McMinnville and Sheridan, a portion of which is shown above, at a cost of more than \$96,000.00 and another for 10 miles of the Columbia River Highway between Svenson and Astoria at a cost of more than \$261,000.00.

Their portable plants are constantly repairing the highways at great cost and the Highway Engineer has estimated that it will cost the Commission \$50,000.00 to patch and repair the Pacific Highway between Salem and Oregon City.

The heavy commercial freight Trucks and Motor Buses have done the greater part of this damage within the past two years.

The taxpayers and private car owners pay at least 95 cents out of every dollar of this bill.

Referendum petitions are being circulated by the Motor Bus and Freight Truck Associations to submit the "Bus and Truck Bill" passed at the last session of the Legislature for vote by the people in November, 1926. The effective date unless referred is May 28, 1925. By these referending petitions operators of commercial Buses and Trucks hope to put off for 18 months the date when they must start paying for at least a portion of the damage they are doing to the roads.

This Bus and Truck measure should not be held up to permit the commercial operators to escape payment of a fair part of the cost of repairing the road destruction done by their operations.

Oregon State Association of County Judges and Commissioners

H. L. Hasbrouck, Hood River, President J. T. Adkisson, The Dalles, Vice-President J. E. Smith, Salem, Secy. Treas.

Approved by the County Court of Jackson County.

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