

THE CHURCHES

Free Methodist.
No. 1228 North Winter street. Sunday services: Sabbath school 9:45; Praise meeting, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:45 p. m. W. J. Johnston, pastor.

Salvation Army.
Sunday services as follows: Knee drill, 9:30 a. m. Sunday school and Bible class, 10:30 a. m. Christian praise meeting, 3 p. m. Y. P. L., 6:15 p. m. Salvation meeting, 7:45 p. m. Week night services every night except Monday and Thursday. Capt. and Mrs. Kelso.

First Methodist Episcopal.
Corner State and Church streets, Richard N. Avison, minister, 9 a. m. Class meeting, 9:45 a. m. Sabbath school, Messrs. Schramm and Gilkey, superintendents, 11 a. m. Morning worship, sermon by the pastor, "The Power of the Bible," 3 p. m. Rev. James Elvin will speak at Old People's Home, 6:30 p. m. Intermediate League, Mrs. M. C. Finley, superintendent, 6:30 p. m. Epworth League. No service. Young people will join in vesper service at 5 o'clock on university campus. 7:30 p. m. Evening worship, sermon by the pastor, "The Present Crisis." Interpretation and application of Lowell's great poem. Music by the chorus choir both morning and evening under the direction of Dr. Frank W. Chase.

First Congregational.
James Elvin, pastor. Sunday school at 10 o'clock. W. L. Stanley, superintendent. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Music by chorus choir morning and evening. Wm. McGehegan, Sr., director. Subject for morning service, "A Man Sent from God." Christian Endeavor meets at 6:30. Pleasant Sunday service at 7:30. The members of the local postoffice have been invited to attend. Subject, "Some Things of Interest to the Postal Employees and Their Friends." The U. S. government film of the workings of the postal service will be shown. This is the only time this film will be exhibited in Salem. It will show special delivery service, service on the Great Lakes, the finest mail service in the world, parcel post service and all the labor saving devices used in the leading cities of this country. Interesting and educational. Everybody invited and everybody welcome.

On Tuesday and Wednesday, May 9 and 10, the twentieth annual meeting of the East Willamette Association of Congregational churches and ministers will meet in this church. Tuesday evening regular monthly meeting of the Pilgrim club. Brief addresses will be delivered by visitors attending the association meetings. Mid-week service on Thursday evening. Sunday, May 11, Mothers' day will be celebrated at morning and evening services.

Lutheran.
East State and Eighteenth streets, G. Koehler, pastor. German and English Sunday school at 10 o'clock. Divine service at 10:30 a. m. There will be no evening service.

Unitarian.
Corner of Chemeketa and Cottage streets, Richard F. Fischer, minister. Sunday school at 9:45, adult class at 9:45, Miss Ethel Fletcher, superintendent. Morning service at 11 o'clock. (no evening meeting) subject, "The Call of the Spirit." All friends of liberal religion and of progressive thought are cordially invited to our services. Bring a friend. The Men's Liberal club will meet Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All men are invited.

Free Methodist.
No. 1228 North Winter street. Sunday services 11 a. m. and 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. Rev. Walter Clotback, of St. Louis, evangelist. All are welcome.

First Church of Christ, Scientists.
Sunday services are held at 440 Chemeketa street, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Subject of Bible lesson, "Adam and Fallen Man." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading rooms in the Hubbard building, suite 303, and is open every day except Sunday and holidays, from 11:45 a. m. to 4 p. m. All are cordially welcome to our services and invited to visit our reading room.

St. Paul's Episcopal.
Robert S. Gill, rector. Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m. Choral eucharist and address 11 a. m. Evensong and address 7:30 p. m. Sunday school 9:45 a. m.

Commons Mission.
No. 211 State street. Rev. A. S. Wright, from Blinestem, Wash., is expected to speak Sunday at 3 p. m. Services Tuesday and Friday at 8 p. m. Mission board meets Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Free employment office Phone 918. J. D. Cook, superintendent.

Government Film at Congregational.
Citizens of Salem will be given an opportunity to see the United States government film at the First Congregational church at 8 o'clock on Saturday evening and at 7:30 on Sunday evening. This is the only time this remarkable film will be seen in Salem. Early Monday morning the reels will be shipped to Philadelphia, where they will be exhibited at the "Today and Tomorrow" exposition which opens in this city on May 15. The pictures will show what Uncle Sam does for two cents. They show all the ramifications through which a two-cent letter goes from the writer to the addressee. The postal service on the Great Lakes shows the collection and delivery of mail from the large lake steamers passing through Detroit river between Lake Huron and Lake Erie. These steamers do not lessen their usual speed and the service received is practically the same as performed by carriers in the cities. The special delivery service will show the various steps in the handling of the special delivery mail. Marketing by mail will be of intense interest as it will show manner of handling produce in the mails. The scheme of securing produce by the consumer from the producer. The "Miscellaneous Section" will show the various labor saving devices used in the larger cities of America. Everybody who can should see this wonderful educational film, the first of its kind authorized by the United States government. The church doors will be opened

on Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock and on Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

Rural Chapel.
Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 o'clock. Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. H. C. Stover, minister.

Central Congregational.
Corner South Nineteenth and Ferry streets. H. C. Stover, minister. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Junior Endeavor at 6 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock.

Highland Friends.
Corner of Highland and Elm streets. Sabbath school, 10 a. m. Mrs. Myrtle Knocorby, superintendent. Rev. Leyle Cox, a noted evangelist of Indiana, will commence revival services at 11 a. m. Service at 7:45 p. m. and every evening during the week at 8 o'clock. Juniors in the church annex at 11 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Come and hear Rev. Cox. You will be interested. Josephine Hockett, pastor. Phone 1465.

Jason Lee Memorial.
At the corner of Jefferson and North Winter streets, J. Moutzalm Brown, pastor. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. R. A. Harris, superintendent; Mrs. W. C. Kinsel, superintendent primary department. Preaching services at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. Junior League devotional service at 3 p. m. J. D. Woodfin, superintendent. Senior League devotional meeting at 6:30 p. m. Strangers especially welcomed at all services.

First Christian.
Corner High and Center streets, F. T. Porter, minister. Bible school, 9:45 a. m. Dr. H. C. Epley, director; Lloyd Holdiman, assistant. Orchestra and special music. Salem leads Portland by three points. Auto truck leaves West Salem at 9:10; Highland, 9:30. 11 a. m. Worship and sermon, subject "The Ordinances." 7 p. m. C. E. 8 p. m. Sermon subject, "The Church of Today." Large chorus. Welcome for all.

Religious Education.
A meeting in the interests of Religious Education will be addressed by Dr. Henry F. Cope, general secretary of the Religious Education association in the First Methodist church on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Dr. Cope is one of the most thoroughly up and alive leaders of the movement for better religious instruction in church, school and home. The meeting is under the auspices of the Salem Ministers' association and is for the people of all the churches.

First Presbyterian.
Some of the influences that are building a better America is the subject of the morning sermon by the pastor, Carl H. Elliott. In the evening he will speak on "Apples of Gold in Pictures of Silver." Good music by the chorus choir. The Sunday school meets at 9:45 o'clock.

Nazarene Tabernacle.
North Nineteenth and Marion streets, 10 a. m. Bible school, Wm. Dennis, superintendent. 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. Wednesday, 7:45 p. m. prayer meeting. Monday, 7:45 p. m. annual meeting of the church for the election of pastor and

Y. W. C. ASSOCIATION REPORTS YEAR'S WORK

Served 11,525 Meals, Established New Home and Has Employment Bureau

Eleven thousand five hundred and twenty five meals have been served in the cafeteria of the Young Women's Christian association during the year ending from May 1, 1915 to May 1, 1916.

And during this same time, 141 women have enrolled in the Bible class, 135 in the swimming classes and 92 in the gymnasium work. The attendance at social functions was 866; 300 transient guests have been taken care of and a home made for 25 permanent boarders.

Other activities of the year include the establishing of a new home formation of an employment bureau, a nurse's register and the establishment of industrial classes for girls.

The Y. W. C. A. was established in Salem only two years ago, rather as an experiment, with small quarters in the Knight home on Liberty street. But as the need was greater than anticipated it soon became necessary to move into large quarters. With this plan in view apartments especially designed for the use of the Y. W. C. A. were secured over the Roth Grocery company store.

Because of its proven ability to assist young women, the management feels that the Association is in a position to ask annually for the amount needed for current expenses. This year, \$3,500 is required on a budget of \$5,500. As the work makes its own appeal to the public, the board of directors does not hesitate to ask for cooperation from the citizens of Salem.

Two of the national secretaries will be here within a few days to conduct a campaign which has been prepared by the local board.

The women to participate on the various teams are as follows:

Captain, Mrs. J. H. Farnh, Assistants, Mrs. William Hamilton, Mrs. T. B. Kay, Mrs. Alvin, Mrs. M. E. Peck, Miss Cora Talkington.

Captain, Mrs. Chauncey Bishop, Assistants, Mrs. Mildred Brooks, Mrs. Geo. Rodgers, Mrs. Frank Rosequest, Mrs. Floyd Litter, Mrs. Clyde Graham.

Captain, Mrs. John H. Albert, Assistants, Mrs. George A. Brown, Mrs. Fred Steusloff, Miss Edith Hazard, Miss Veda Cross.

Captain, Mrs. R. S. Wallace, Assistant, Mrs. J. D. Cook, Superintendent.

MR. COOK RESIGNED

In February Mr. Cook resigned the superintendency of the Commons Mission to take effect May 10. Mr. and Mrs. Cook will go to Portland next Wednesday to attend the annual conference of the Free Methodist church of which Mr. Cook is a member. They will then return to their home near Airie in Polk county and after a few weeks rest at the request of Rev. W. G. MacLaren, they expect to open a new mission in Marshfield.

They wish to thank the good people of Salem who have so generously assisted them in their mission work and caring for the poor and especially the business men who have so cheerfully helped in meeting the expenses.

The new superintendent who is Mr. Carpenter, from Santa Barbara, Cal., will take charge on next Wednesday morning.

Rev. W. G. MacLaren and Mr. Carpenter, who is to be the new superintendent of the Commons Mission, will both be present at the services and speak Sunday at 3 p. m. instead of Rev. A. S. Wright, as announced in the regular notice.

J. D. COOK, Superintendent.

W. C. T. U.

The regular meeting at 4 o'clock Sunday will be held at Ramp Memorial hall. A general testimony, and speaking service will be the order of the meeting. Come and help.

assistants, Miss Nina McNary, Miss Lillian Applegate, Mrs. Susie Jones, Mrs. G. O. Goltra, Mrs. Chas. Bates.

Captain, Mrs. Russell Catlin, Assistants, Mrs. George M. Post, Miss Alma Pohle, Mrs. Asa Eoff, Miss Ellen Thibelen, Miss Ivy Ford.

The hospitality committee will include Mrs. Perry Raymond, Mrs. H. E. Eppley, Mrs. L. H. Compton, Mrs. Chas. Weller, Mrs. D. J. Fry, Miss Elizabeth Lord.

The first event of the week will be an informal meeting Monday noon for all workers at the Y. W. C. A. when Miss Scott and Miss Maxwell will outline the work.

Methodists May Change Ritual of Marriage

Here is good news for those who expect to marry according to the Methodist ritual.

Penniless young men will be saved the embarrassment of repeating, "with this ring I thee wed and with my worldly goods I thee endow." The general Methodist conference, now in session at Saratoga, N. Y., is considering the plan of dispensing with the words, "and with all my worldly goods," as the average young man matrimonially inclined has very little besides his wedding clothes and the bill for the engagement ring.

Other changes that may interest young Salem folks have to do with the inoffensive word "obey." According to the proposed ritual, the groom promises to love, honor and comfort, while the brides has only to promise to love and honor. All of which makes life easier in future years, in case there should be some family disagreement as to what was and was not said in the marriage ceremony.

Exceptional Cast In "The Marble Heart"

Well-Known Players Seen in Support of Talented Violet Horner.

A cast of unusual balance is seen in support of Violet Horner in the William Fox production, "The Marble Heart," at Ye Liberty theatre, Sunday and Monday, which was made in

Congregationalists Hold Twentieth Annual Session

The twentieth annual meeting of the East Willamette Association of Congregational churches and ministers of the conference will meet at the First Congregational church Tuesday and Wednesday of next week, May 9 and 10.

Entertainment during the session will be provided for the visiting delegates and ministers. Each church in the East Willamette association is entitled to two delegates, with one additional for every 40 members. Hon. C. H. Dye will act as moderator. The business committee is composed of W. H. Douglas of Eugene, chairman; Rev. James Elvin and Rev. F. H. Reeves of Salem and Rev. F. C. Fuller of Hubbard.

The program for the two days sessions is as follows:

Tuesday Afternoon.
2:00—Devotional, Rev. James Elvin.
2:30—Organization and Business.
3:15—Relation of Physical Defects to the Moral Development of a Child, Prof. B. W. DeBush.
3:35—Discussion.
4:00—Education and the Christian College, President J. C. Bushnell of Pacific University.
4:30—Discussion.
6:15—Lunch.

Tuesday Evening.
7:30—Praise Service, Rev. C. H. Stover.
Sermon, Rev. G. N. Edwards.
Communion, Rev. W. H. Farquar.

Wednesday Morning.
9:30—Devotional Services, Rev. A. M. Spangler.
9:45—Business, Books and Sermons.
10:30—The General Reading of a Minister, Rev. E. T. Sherman.
10:15—The Kind of Books that Do Men Good.
11:10—Address, Miss C. Marvin.
11:50—Open Discussion on the Kind of Sermons I Like.
Noon.
12:15—Lunch.
2:00—Devotions, Mrs. Joe Van Cleave.
2:15—Woman's Hour, A Trip to the Foreign Field, Mrs. Alice H. Doid.
3:15—The American Board, Rev. F. F. Goodsell.
4:00—Four Months of Oregon Dry, R. B. Hutton.
4:20—Business.
6:15—Lunch.

Wednesday Evening.
7:30—Praise Service, Rev. F. C. Butler.
7:45—The most important thing my denomination is doing on the Home Mission Field. By representatives of four different denominations.
8:30—Address, Congregationalists' Home Missions in Oregon, Rev. A. J. Sellers.

Brown Tells Students of State School Lands

(Oregon Emerald)

The present financial condition of the school land fund, as well as its history, were explained to Dr. F. G. Young's class in economics of state administration yesterday in Guild hall by G. G. Brown, secretary of the board.

The body has entire control over the common school fund which is derived chiefly from the sale of the lands. This fund now totals almost \$6,000,000 and is loaned on first farm mortgages at 6 per cent interest.

The board also has charge of and loans the Agricultural college fund of \$193,969.67; the University of Oregon fund of \$100,958.82; and the Burbank trust fund of \$24,350.

"By the act of admission of February 14, 1859, sections 16 and 36 in every township were set aside to the state for the benefit of schools. There were also 46,080 acres set apart for the use and support of the state university.

"In addition to these special reservations, 6400 acres were to be selected by the governor for the purpose of completing public buildings, or for the erection of others at the seat of government. This was known as the capitol building grant.

"The question arises whether, if the school lands had been withheld from sale as suggested by some critics of the management of the fund, they would have been of enough greater value to sell at a later date for a sum equalling the total of the present fund of \$6,390,889.08 and the interest which has been distributed amounting to \$6,758,207.66. In the meantime, many struggling school districts have been aided by the yearly distribution of interest, which has almost invariably increased.

"It must be remembered that by the time the law became effective all these best sections in the Willamette, Umpqua and Rogue river valleys had been sold and other land had to be taken in lieu.

"The present unsold land in the state totals about 625,000 acres. Up to this time, 2,949,551.4 acres of the school land have been sold, the average price being \$2.16 per acre."

the West Indies under the supervision of Herbert Brenon. Miss Horner, who is known to photoplay and legitimate stage audiences from coast to coast, is cast as Theresa Roger, a vivacious young creature who is married to a weakling. Theresa's husband, Camille, is played by Harry Berkhart, talented stock actor. Camille's mother, who is stricken with paralysis after Camille is murdered by his wife and his friend, is portrayed by the well-known character actress, Louise Rial. Laurant, the lover of Theresa, is played by Walter Miller, who was seen as Richard Lee in "The Spider and the Fly" and as Noel Gerdy in "The Family Stain," William Fox productions.

NATIONAL GAS RANGE WEEK

May 8-13 This week has been selected throughout the country as Bargain Week for GAS RANGES. We are going to do our share, and will make a reduction of \$2.00 on the regular price of all Cabinet Ranges. We offer Free a \$6.00 Aluminum Cooking Set with some Ranges.

We will give a patent gas lighter free with others. We will give a \$4.00 Electric Toaster away with the largest Cabinet Range sold this week. These are some of the things we will do. Come in and ask us about our new service plan. It is your opportunity to get a gas range at a bargain.

If you have never used gas come in and let us tell you its many advantages. If you only have a hot plate you KNOW what a help Gas Cooking is. Come in and let us make you a proposition to take your hot plate in exchange for a gas range. If you have an old range come in and see our new improved ranges.

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