

FASHIONS FROM ELLIS ISLAND

Present Styles in Hats, Hair Dressings and Colorings First Appeared There, Says Miss M. L. Woodberry in Address at Park Church—Whose Level Are We Reaching?

The union meeting of the women's home missionary societies of the Congregational churches of this city, held on Friday afternoon at the Osgood Memorial was well attended and an excellent address was given by Miss M. L. Woodberry of New York, secretary of the Congregational Home Missionary society.

The opening devotional exercises were conducted by the pastor, Rev. Samuel H. Howe, D. D., after which Mrs. George D. Colt, president of the Park church society introduced the speaker. Miss Woodberry noted the enthusiasm with which each one thinks she would have thrown herself into the leading issues of the day in past history. In reality it takes courage and self-sacrifice to do this. Are we equally enthusiastic about throwing our lives into the issues of our own day? To see them clearly we must be able to read history in the making. Those who live in New York have great opportunity to see the forces which are coming through these days by day and which are making history for our nation.

A Million a Year. For the past five years a million people sea hyear have been landing on our shores. More and more these immigrants are coming from the old eastern civilization. Many thousands return to their native country each year. What reports and influences are they carrying back with them? In August of 1911 there were 20,000 people came. No one seemed to take any notice of it. The ignorance of the average business man upon some subjects is amazing. In July of 1913 14 consecutive days there was an incoming of 10,000 a day at Ellis Island. This force alone will change the history of every state in the union. And because we are a democracy in six years these men will be able to put their stamp upon the country. We say we can raise them to our level, but do we? Are we not often getting down to theirs.

No Waiting Line and No Ears. Take the present styles of dress as example. Turkish hats, Grecian hair dressing, Syrian and Egyptian colorings, all were first seen at Ellis Island. From there came the fashion of no waist line—no ears.

Effect on Religious Life. The religious life of the country has suffered a change, too. Every religion and form of idolatry in the world is being brought in duty free. And like the gypsy moth which seemed dead but which when brought over here and given a college education has suddenly sprung into new life these dead and gone faiths gain new courage on new soil. Miss Woodberry then spoke of the two kinds of America which the immigrant may find. There is a Christian America which may help him and there is the non-Christian America which only makes him worse. She spoke of the agencies through which the society she represents is striving to reach the newcomer and give him a view of Christian America. Where the Need is Great. Then she spoke in detail of various parts of our country where the need is especially great. Among these were the Great Lake region, New England, Florida, New Mexico and the Northwest. Personal experiences gathered from a recent visit to these regions made her narrative especially interesting and authoritative.

BRINGING FIELD SECRETARY FOR PLAYGROUNDS MEETING. Will Be Speaker Here in Town Hall for Annual Meeting. Arrangements for the annual meeting of the Norwich Playgrounds association were made on Friday afternoon at a meeting of the executive committee held in the Board of Trade rooms in the Shannon building. President J. B. Stanton presided. It was arranged to have it on the evening of Monday, March 9th, and in the town hall, permission being obtained to use the hall for that purpose. The annual reports will be made, including a report from Mr. Wieldt, who was the playgrounds director here last season. He is now at the Y. M. C. A. Training school at Springfield. Officers will also be elected. The special speaker for the meeting will be J. Herbert Wilson, of New York, field secretary for the National Playgrounds association. The executive committee comprises J. B. Stanton, president; Mayor T. C. Murphy, first vice president; H. F. Parker, second vice president; John M. Lee, treasurer; A. L. Peale, secretary.

St. Mary's Society Meeting. There was a special meeting of St. Mary's T. A. and B. society in their rooms Friday evening for the purpose of taking action on the death of Michael Burns, for fifty years a valued member of the society. A committee was named to arrange for the society's representation at his funeral. Gypsy and brown-tail moth scouts who have been working in and about Pitchville have gone further north in the country.

mittee chairman, is said to have talked with Col. Harry W. Hawthorne, military counsel for Major Koehler, on this particular subject, and the two agreed that they should ask for the widest publicity to the proceedings. This strengthens the belief that Major Koehler has nothing to fear from an investigation of the charges. The first day of trial for the court on Thursday was occupied almost entirely, it is said, with the testimony of Capt. Philip H. Worcester, commanding One Hundredth company. Captain Worcester was called as a witness for the prosecution, but the claim is made his testimony was not of a nature damaging to Major Koehler. A non-commissioned officer was to have followed Captain Worcester on the stand when the court announced adjournment until the question of publicity has been decided. Resumption of the trial may not come until Monday.

Examination Under New State Law. Clifford Caswell, the present storekeeper at the state hospital, has resigned his position in order to take a new position as steward at the epileptic colony in Lakeville on April 1. Under the new law that went into effect Jan. 1, it is required that candidates, to hold the position, must pass an examination. The employees in state hospitals or institutions only are permitted to take the examinations. Provided there is no one who passes the examination, an examination will be given to those who are not employed in state institutions. This will be the first case of that nature around here.

Injured at Pitcher Auction. Miss Agnes White of West Town street, who injured her knee at the Pitcher auction, is unable to step on her foot and the outlook is discouraging for a quick recovery. Sheltering Arms Service. Rev. C. A. Northrop will conduct the service at the Sheltering Arms Sunday afternoon. Miss Elaine Hitchcock will sing.

Rehearsing Play. The first rehearsal for a play to be given this spring was held Friday evening at Scotland Road hall. Miss Hilda Rawson of Guilford is the week end guest of Miss Natalie F. Allen of Town street.

Mrs. Thurston B. Barber of Peck's Corner was in Pachaug Friday where she attended the funeral of her cousin, Howard Leonard, held at 1:30 o'clock at the Congregational church.

Irving Bushnell of the Scotland road who has been in Lisbon for a number of weeks engaged in wood cutting and forestry work, is at his home for a short time before finishing the work. Tomorrow, March 1st, is St. David's day, dear to the hearts of all Welsh residents.

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Odd Bird Facts Noted This Winter—First Rehearsal of Play—Miss White's Injury Proves Painful. A flock of purple grackles was noted Thursday and meadow larks were also about in the vicinity of the Otterbando. In another locality four flickers were seen in the middle of the road searching in vain for food. Crows which usually live on a little, come daily to one farm house and pick up food at

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