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"Nevertheless," said the young Roman, "he is an ambitious poet. He would serve the muses all his life." "But," replied his elder, "he makes the mistake of supposing that Bacchus is one of the muses."—Catholic Standard and Times.

Women's Secrets

There is one man in the United States who has perhaps heard more women's secrets than any other man or woman in the country. These secrets are not secrets of guilt or shame, but the secrets of suffering, and they have been confided to Dr. R. V. Pierce in the hope and expectation of advice and help.



DR. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION Makes Weak Women Strong, Sick Women Well.

Church Announcements

TIME OF SUNDAY SERMONS, LOCATION OF CHURCHES, TOPIC OF SERMONS AND SPECIAL MUSIC TO BE GIVEN AT THE VARIOUS SERVICES.

Swedish Evangelical Lutheran church, corner of Twelfth and Morgan streets, English services in evening at 7:45. In morning Swedish services at 10:45.

Services at the Saints Chapel, corner of Thirteenth and Bank streets.—Sunday School at 10:00 a. m. Preaching services, 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Elder McDonald. All will find a welcome.

Second Presbyterian church, F. A. McGraw, pastor.—Morning sermon, "Moses Spirit-filled and Spirit-led"; evening subject, "The Shepherd and Sheep"; Endeavor topic, "Our Christmas Gifts"; Sabbath school at 9:45 and Rock Hall school at 2:30.

English Lutheran church, corner Fourteenth and Johnson streets.—Sunday services: Sunday School at 10:00; preaching at 10:45 o'clock. Christmas program Friday evening at 7:30. Christmas sermon Saturday evening at 7:30. Everybody is invited to attend these services.

Christian church, corner of Bank and Fifteenth streets, Rev. N. E. Coxy, pastor, residence 1202 Bank street.—Preaching, 11:00 a. m.—Sunday School, 2:30 p. m.—preaching, 7:30 p. m. Subject, "Barnity." Special music. The public is cordially invited to attend all our church services.

Bethel A. M. E. church, Seventh and Morgan streets.—Preaching at 10:40 a. m. and 7:40 p. m. by Dr. L. J. Phillips, presiding elder of the Keokuk district. Holy Communion at the morning hour. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Sunday lecture club at 4:30 p. m. Everybody welcome. Seats free.

St. John's church (Episcopal) corner Fourth and Center streets, Rev. Dr. McWhin, pastor; Sunday school 9:30 a. m.; morning prayer and sermon 11 a. m.; evening prayer and song service 4:30 p. m.; Rev. R. G. Jones, rector of Christ church, Burlington, will officiate at 11 a. m. and 4:30 services. Full vested choir. Stings free and a cordial welcome to all.

St. Paul's German Evangelical church, corner Eleventh and Exchange streets, Rev. J. Nussch, pastor; Sunday school at 9 a. m.; preaching service at 10:30 a. m. on the subject, "Why Christmas Brings so Little Blessing to so Many in Our Days"; evening service at 7:30 p. m., subject, "God's Long Suffering and Severity." All are cordially invited to attend and made welcome.

United Presbyterian church, Ninth and Blomden streets, Harry B. Foster, pastor, residence, 898 Franklin street. Morning worship, 10:45; "The Name Above Every Name"; evening worship, 7:30; Sabbath school, 9:30 a. m.; Christian Union, 6:30 p. m.; prayer meeting, Wednesday evening, 7:30; Christmas entertainment, Saturday evening, 6:30.

First Congregational church, Sixth and High streets, Harry C. Williams, pastor; Sunday services as follows: Bible school, 8:45; morning worship, 11:00; subject of sermon, "The Growth of a Soul"; evening worship, 7:30; the pastor will preach the sixth sermon in a series on the Teachings of Jesus, subject, "What Jesus Said About Sin." Visitors cordially welcomed.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, 716 Main street, second floor.—Services Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Subject: "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?" Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. Wednesday evening meeting at 7:45. Reading room (same address) open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 2:30 to 4:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Swedish M. E. church, corner of Twelfth and Center streets, Nels Pearson, pastor.—Sunday School at 9:30. Morning sermon at 10:45. Epworth league at 7:00 p. m. The evening service will be conducted in English. Theme for the sermon: "Is there a God?" On Christmas morning there will be early service at 5:30 a. m. Scandinavians are heartily invited to join with us in observing this old custom.

First Westminster Presbyterian church, Seventh and Blomden streets, Rev. E. B. Newcomb, D. D., pastor.—Preaching services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning sermon on "The Greatest Possible Gift," evening, "The Herald of the Coming King." A cordial invitation is extended to the evening service. Bible School, 9:30 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m.

First Unitarian Society, corner of Fourth and High streets.—Public services at 11:00 p. m. Sermon by Rev. M. Rowena Morse, Ph. D., minister. Subject, "The Midwinter Festival." Miss Ivins will sing a solo. Sunday School at 9:30. Woman's Alliance will meet in the church parlors Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock. You are cordially invited to attend these services.

Trinity M. E. church, corner Tenth and Main streets, John Wesley Potter, pastor.—Morning worship at 10:45 a. m.; Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.; junior league, 2:30 p. m.; Epworth league at 6:30 p. m.; Volunteers, 6:30 p. m. evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Special music, anthem, "The Earth is the Lord's." Solo by Mrs. Henry Schouten. Midweek prayer service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. A cordial welcome to the stranger.

Swedish Mission church, corner of Fourteenth and Morgan streets, Rev. John Johnson, pastor.—Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.; services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christmas morning early services will be held at 5:30 o'clock. In the evening of Christmas day at 7:00 o'clock the Sunday Schools' annual festivities will take place. All are cordially invited and made welcome.

The Union Baptist church, Thirteenth and High streets.—Preaching morning and evening by the missionary Rev. M. J. Burton. Subject at 11:00 a. m., "The Voyage of Life." Sunday School at 2:30 p. m. Mr. Henry Green, Supl. Subject at 7:30 p. m., "Courage." Midweek services Wednesday evening. All are invited to attend.

First Baptist church, Eighth and Blomden streets, Rev. J. F. Sanders, D. D., pastor; pastor's study in the church, both telephones; preaching services, at 10:45 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. The services both morning and evening will be in keeping with the Christmas tide, morning subject, "The Angel's Message," evening subject, "The Word Made Flesh." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Baker Mission at 2:30 p. m.; the Baptist Young People's Union at 6:30 p. m. Good Music by chorus choir, Mr. James Young, director. We extend a cordial invitation to the public to worship with us.

The Gospel Regular Army still holding meetings as usual; 10 o'clock meeting at city jail; 11 o'clock business meeting; 8 o'clock meeting in hall. Don't forget the big Xmas dinner to all poor people of Keokuk. Christmas night we will have a big Xmas tree and toys of all kinds and beautiful dressed dolls for all children that will come. Everyone is invited to come to see what kind of work we are doing, name what all be given in before the 25th of this month. Any one having a donation for Xmas dinner send a card and we will come for them. Lieutenant Hazel Meredith, Captain L. B. Harding and Major Ida Godefrid in full charge.

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PROPOSES WIRELESS IOWA 'PHONE SYSTEM

Collins Wireless Telephone Company Starts Headquarters in Des Moines.

Headquarters were opened in Des Moines in the Fleming Building for the Collins Wireless Telephone Company of Newark, N. J. From where the work of organizing the Iowa company, capitalized at a million, will be directed by R. W. Bell, fiscal agent of the company, says the Daily Capital. Mr. Bell said that it is his intention to place all the stock in Iowa and build a wireless telephone system in this state with Des Moines as the central point.

The wireless telephone is an entirely new wrinkle in Iowa. But Mr. Bell says he doesn't anticipate any trouble in disposing of stock in the proposed company here, as private tests he declares, have proved that the system is practical and efficient and that it is possible to talk for a distance of 250 miles. Public tests have shown the system to work for eighty-one miles.

A Frederick Collins is the inventor and companies similar to the one it is proposed to form in this state are being organized in many other states. There are no wires, no poles, no instruments on the wall—the subscribed carries his instrument with him. When he wishes to talk to another he merely turns to the number on his instrument—rings it and the number sought is secured.

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Oysters and Poverty.

By some people a taste for oysters is regarded as a sign of comparative affluence. Fifty years ago, however, oysters were sold in England at 12 cents a dozen, and it was Sam Weller who discovered that "poverty and oysters always go together." The poorer a place is, the greater call there seems to be for oysters, said Sam. "Look here, sir; blessed if I don't think that when a man's very poor he rushes out of his lodgings and eats oysters in regular desperation."

—Read The Daily Gate City.

CHRISTMAS GREETING Only a Few More Days Until Christmas

WE have replenished our stock many times during the last few weeks and have kept all lines complete wherever it was possible to get goods. There is no department in our store where a creditable selection will not be found and a pleasing gift for any one or for all may be selected here.

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SAID BY THE YOUNG BROTHER Jamie Evidently Had Taken to Heart Story Told by His Elders. Little Jamie was very sore that his beloved sister should neglect him for a young man, who held her hand for an hour at a time, while he himself was banished to the hall—whence, however, he watched through a crack! One evening at dinner Uncle Joe told a funny story. Here it is: "A workman reproached his wife for letting her neighbor inconvenience her by borrowing her washtub when she (his owner) needed it herself."

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