# ONLY WOMAN'S PAGE.

AT A COSTUME PARTY.
Little Men and Women of '76, assisted by Women of '76.

## WHERE TO GO TO-DAY.

Meeting of the Washington Square Auxiliary, in the interest of the Stony Wolde Sanatorium, at the home of Mrs. Henry C. Potter, No. 10 Washington Square, 3 p. m. Addresses by Bishop Potter and Dr. Huntington.

Progressive euchre, under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Harlem Homœopathic Hospital, at the Ellerslie, No. 32 West One-hundred-and-twenty-sixth-st., afternoon.

Monthly meeting of the New-York City Indian Association in the parlor of the Broadway Tabernacle Church, Thirty-fourth-st. and Sixth-ave., 10:30 a. m. Address by Professor James on "Basketry—Exponent of Indian Thought."

Unveiling of a tablet by the Daughters of the American Revolution, in the Register's Office, City Hall Park, 12:30 o'clock.

Dramatic meeting of the Professional Woman's League at No. 1,509 Broadway, 3 p. m.

## IN OLD TIME COSTUME.

### LITTLE MEN AND WOMEN OF '76, ASSISTED BY DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION, ENTERTAIN.

A costume party and fair of the Little Men and Women of '76, assisted by the Women of '76, Daughters of the American Revolution, was held at the Pouch Mansion, Brooklyn, on Saturday afternoon. Most of the costumes represented some period of American history. Mrs. S. V. White, founder of the children's society, wore a hand embroidered India muslin, with the hoop effect of the time of the Civil War and jewels with quaint settings. Mrs. Franklin W. Hopkins's gown of crimson moire antique was of the same period, and with it she wore point lace cape and sleeves. Masters S. V. White, jr., and Stephen V. Hopkins, who were in charge of the boys' toy table, were both in full Colonial costume. The three "Little Women" at the chocolate table made a departure in the general effect. They were the Misses Hendrika and Elizabeth Broes-Van Heekeren and Miss May Litchfield, all of whom appeared in Hollandish dress. The fancy table was conducted by the Women of '76.

The proceeds of the entertainment are to be divided between the Martyrs' Monument Fund and the Home for Friendless Women and Children, at No. 20 Concord-st., Brooklyn, of which Mrs. Hopkins is president, and twenty-four of the larger children of the home were among the guests. Franklin W. Hopkins appeared costumed as the Father of his Country. The evening closed with a dance by the Women of '76 and their friends.

The Little Men and Women of '76 was established six years ago, and since that time has contributed more than $700 to patriotic objects. Thirteen young women who had reached the age limit (eighteen years) were organized into the Women of '76, Daughters of the American Revolution, last December. This chapter was represented at the recent congress in Washington, when $50 was contributed by it to the Continental Hall fund. Miss Kate Carlton is regent of the chapter.

### TO NAME BATTLESHIP OHIO.

Mrs. Ida Eckert Laurence, of Toledo, Ohio, has been chosen to write the poem which will be read at the launching of the battleship Ohio at San Francisco in May. Mrs. Laurence hopes to go to

MRS. IDA ECKERT LAURENCE.

San Francisco to read her own poem. Mrs. Worthington Babcock, of Columbus, a stepdaughter of Governor Nash of Ohio, has been selected to name the Ohio.

### A PLEA FOR KINDERGARTENS.

To the Editor of The Tribune.

Sir: At this time there is much discussion as to the wisest investment of funds for the benefit of the community at large. Libraries are of inestimable value, and we must all feel grateful to Mr. Carnegie for what he has done. But when we consider the deplorable condition of the people who live huddled together—sometimes fifty families in the space usually required by one family in comfortable circumstances—we realize that there are other things that they need far more. The greatest need is for kindergartens to gather in all the little children who are living on the streets, getting demoralized; kindergartens where they may receive the training which will enable them to become good and useful members of society and save them from the evil influences which surround them. Yours truly, C. E. D.

Brooklyn, N. Y., April 12, 1901.

### KING'S DAUGHTERS' CONVENTION.

A meeting of the local council of the Long Island Assembly of the Daughters of the King will be held at the home of Mrs. A. W. Mitchell, secretary of the society, No. 193 Hooper-st., Brooklyn, on Friday afternoon. The purpose of the meeting is to arrange for the annual convention of the local assembly to be held at Sea Cliff the second week in May. There are now twenty-four chapters in the organization.

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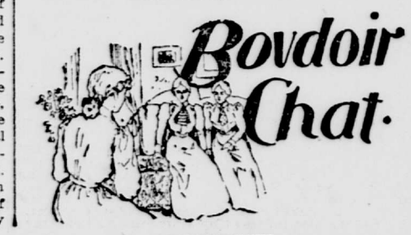
## PLAYGROUND SPORTS.

### WORK OF THE OUTDOOR RECREATION LEAGUE ON THE UPPER WEST SIDE.

Children are already besieging the gymnastic instructor of the Outdoor Recreation Ground, at Sixty-eighth and Sixty-ninth sts. and the Boulevard, with anxious inquiries as to when the playground will be open. Last year the sum of $1,012 37 was raised among the residents north of the crowded tenement district, and under the direction of the Outdoor Recreation League eighteen swings, eight seesaws, a sand pile, two awnings, basketball, light gymnastic apparatus, bean bags, a giant stride, football, croquet and other games were supplied. The grounds were open for four months, during which time a trained kindergartner, a gymnastic instructor, a general caretaker and a night watchman were constantly employed. For four weeks the Board of Education paid the salary of the kindergartner, and it also supplied kindergarten material. More children even than on the previous season crowded the ground last summer, and the mothers and babies filled the shady seats. Unless, however, money to conduct the ground is contributed soon, the enterprise will not continue during the coming season.

An appeal has been circulated throughout that quarter of the city by the committee of the League for Political Education in the XIXth Assembly District. It is signed by Miriam Sutro Price, chairman; Professor F. H. Giddings, E. T. Devine and Miss E. Ely.




Easter and spring cleaning are not as closely associated in poetry as they are in the prose of housekeeping, yet the spring cleaning is the Easter—the rebirth of brightness in the house—and fittingly follows closely after that season of cheer.

With the general renewal of freshness throughout the house, some room is almost certain to need new paint, paper and draperies. The selection of these important details is not a matter to be undertaken gayly and thoughtlessly. It should be a subject of deep and serious meditation, for in these days of occult lore and Lenten lectures many ideas have become established that were "caviare to the general" a few years ago. One series of Lenten lectures—on color—has produced a result already, and the story thereof may be of service to the reader of Boudoir Chat.

"It is popularly believed that certain colors are cold and certain other colors warm," said the lecturer, "and that rooms with north light should have warm colors for decoration, and southern exposure demands cool colors. But your own 'light'—the northern or southern character of your temperament, is of far more consequence in the choice of surroundings."

She then said that dark blue is depressing, but light blue cheering; that dark red is restful, and light red enlivening; that yellow is restless, and white tiresome—all this in general cases. One should study the combinations of these colors for one's temperament as for one's gowns, said the color prophet.

A young woman in her audience was considerably impressed by much that was said, and the thought struck her that she would carry out the lecturer's ideas in her own room. It was a spacious room, with papering of dark blue and buff, and woodwork of dark peacock blue. Its occupant had always been conscious of a sudden depression of spirits on entering it, which she had attributed to other causes, but the lecture had given her a new suggestion.

She did not wait for spring cleaning time, as had been planned. She was far too impatient to test her recently acquired theory. Knowing her temperament fairly well, she decided that light blue cartridge paper should cover the walls. "Too much blue is exhausting to the nerves, and should be plentifully relieved by yellow, with touches of bright red," was the lecturer's dictum, and the new disciple decided that the gilt frames of her many pictures would serve perfectly for the necessary yellow, while candle and lamp shades should furnish the red. When the scheme was carried out, with white painted woodwork and gilt mouldings added, and the room in a few days was ready to have its furniture returned. The large rug carpet was blue and gold, and the draperies old blue, and the owner was somewhat fearful that they might be made to appear faded, but they seemed to share in the additional brightness of the room.

"I feel like a 'new woman' in my new room," said the occupant, in telling the story. "Formerly I became weary and sad the moment I entered; now, no matter how tired I may feel on going in, I immediately am conscious of a bright and restful atmosphere. The change may not have saved my life, but I am certain that it has saved my disposition."

### VIEWS OF A RUSSIAN WOMAN.

Mme. Friedland, the Russian lecturer, who has been appearing before women's clubs lately, says that American women are not so much more advanced than those of Russia. In fact, she regards the latter in some ways more progressive. "Every time I open an American newspaper," she said, recently, "I pray for patience before I read the articles on Russia. They have killed the Czar in every possible and impossible way. They have poisoned him, made him die of bad air in the Crimea, where people are sent for a salubrious climate; have reopened a dozen times the wound he received in Japan ten years ago, and have called him an epileptic, and wondered if he were not an idiot."

### VISITING THE SCHOOLS.

"Primary School Methods" will be the topic of the third meeting of the Public Education Association, to be held in Brooklyn this spring, and Miss Whitney, one of the associated superintendents of that borough, will deliver the address of the occasion. Among the organizations represented on the executive board of the association are the Woman's Club, Civitas, Fortnightly, Packer Alumnæ, Progressive Education, Health Protective Association and Chiropean. The association was founded nearly four years ago, and has recently been reorganized. Under the new regime members of the executive board will act as chairmen of committees, to each of which will be assigned certain schools which it shall visit and report on conditions. Mrs. Camden C. Dike is president of the association. Meetings are held monthly at the Barnard Club Rooms, No. 132 Remsen-st.

### FOR SOUTH AFRICAN GRAVES.

The Loyal Woman's Guild has been started at Bloemfontein, in the Orange River Colony, South Africa, to trace out and care for the graves of soldiers killed in the war or by disease. The undertaking is a huge one, there being in Bloemfontein alone more than two thousand graves, and hosts of heartrending letters from mothers and relatives are being received constantly regarding the last resting places of their dear ones, and they are eager to send funds for the care of them. As soon as peace is restored the guild will start branches in all the small villages for the gathering of necessary information, which will be sent to the friends of the dead soldiers from whom letters are received.

## WOMEN HERE AND THERE.

### POLITICAL ECONOMY SOCIETY OF FRANCE OPENS ITS DOORS TO A WOMAN.

Mme. Adolphe Meliot has been elected a corresponding member of the Political Economy Society in France, of which Emile Levasseur is president. She is the first woman to be admitted. She is the author of a number of reports of the various congresses on subjects relating to political economy. The high appreciation of her reports by experts in the different branches had much to do with opening to her the doors of this society, which have hitherto been kept obstinately closed against women. She was nominated by G. R. Levy and A. Sabatier.

A woman of New-Orleans has given $1,000 to be used in the improvement of Audubon Park, and attention has been called to the fact that nearly all the public benefactors of that city have been women, who have surpassed the men in the number of benefactions and with few exceptions in liberality.

Lady Pole-Carew is, it is said, embroidering all the panels for the drawing room of her new Irish home herself. Two of these, which are at present hanging in her house in Belgrave Square, London, are described as marvels of talent and industry.

The women of Vienna are manifesting a desire to erect a monument to the memory of the late Empress Elizabeth, and a committee is about to be formed which will receive contributions and further the project.

A federation of agricultural laborers, consisting of seventeen thousand men and women, has been formed in the District of Mantua, Italy. The object of the association is to secure a law for the protection of workingwomen and children along the lines laid down by the congress of the Italian Socialist party.

Three women, members of the Town Improvement Association, have been appointed as Park Commissioners in Skowhegan, Me. They are Mrs. L. W. Weston, Mrs. George Page and Mrs. B. F. Eaton.

The city of Minneapolis, Minn., has guaranteed $600 toward the expenses of the annual convention of the National Woman Suffrage Association, which is to be held in that city the first week in June. Invitation to meet in Minneapolis was extended by the Mayor, the Board of Trade, the leading newspapers and several large organizations of women. A journey to Yellowstone Park may be one of the features of the gathering. Miss Susan B. Anthony and other well known speakers are to be present.

At a Kansas farmhouse dinner party for women given in honor of a Topeka woman recently, of the fifteen guests (all of whom lived on neighboring farms) eleven had travelled abroad. One woman had lived four years in Japan and several had been through Europe and Egypt.

### A LOGICAL MIND.

"Say, mamma, ain't we made of dust?"
"Yes, dear."
"Well, why don't we get muddy when we drink?"
—(Motherhood.

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Let it wipe another's tears,
Till in heaven the deed appears.
Pass it on.

### LOWLY SERVICE.

Methought that in a solemn church I stood,
Its marble acres, worn with knees and feet,
Lay spread from door to door, from street to street.
Midway the form hung high upon the rood
Of Him who gave His life to be our good.
Beyond priests flitted, bowed and murmured meet
Among the candles, shining still and sweet;
Men came and went, and worshipped as they could—
And still their dust a woman with her broom,
Bowed to her work, kept sweeping to the door.
Then saw I, slow through all the pillared gloom,
Across the church a silent figure come;
"Daughter," it said, "thou sweepest well My floor."
"It is the Lord!" I cried, and saw no more.
—(George Macdonald.

### NOTICE.

Will the members and friends who contribute packages of good cheer to the general office please prepay the freight and express charges? Those who have large boxes of reading matter will confer a favor on the T. S. S. by asking for an address to which their sunshine may be sent, thus saving the double expense of redistribution and work. There are a large number of missions, hospitals and homes on the Sunshine list where good reading matter is always acceptable and much appreciated.

### REPORT FROM NEBRASKA.

In the last Sunshine report of Mrs. May D. Jones, president of the Rosedale branch at North Platte, Neb., a large amount of neighborly good cheer has been exchanged. One has given clothing and religious papers to an aged member; another passes on reading to an invalid man and gives free music lessons to some children; the president looks after several poor children whose immediate wants in the way of clothing she has supplied. The daughter of the president has been a "shut in" for several months, and will be glad to receive some pieces of fancy work to help pass away the time.

### REQUESTS.

Will some Newark, N. J., member inform Miss A. C. Ward, of No. 19 Frederick-st., Newark, if there is a French church in connection with any church denomination in that city? An invalid in Canada and another in Massachusetts have made requests for bedshoes; a member in Nebraska would like a tatting shuttle. Addresses will be furnished to any member who will kindly respond to these modest needs.

### GRATEFUL FOR SUNSHINE.

President of the T. S. S.: The Laura Franklin Hospital presents its thanks to Manhattan Branch No. 6 for a box of pretty worsted shoes received. They are very attractive and most useful. Yours truly, Miss T. E. SPENCE, Superintendent.

Other appreciative acknowledgments of Easter sunshine have come from Miss Anna P. Erwin, president of an Albany branch; Mrs. J. L. Godfrey, of Missouri; Mrs. Stone, of Manhattan; Charity M. Winegard, Mrs. L. T. Guild, Miss E. Dorr, of New-York; Mrs. Andrews and Mrs. Bicknell, of Massachusetts; Mrs. Perry and Miss Hurd, of Maine; Miss C. Jones, of Nebraska, and "Berkeley," of California. Special thanks have been received from Mrs. Harms, Mrs. J. Fairman and Mrs. Hinds, invalid members, of Manhattan, for the beautiful Easter flowers sent by the general office.

Harry Taft, of Olneyville, R. I., wishes to thank the Sunshiner from New-York, "who was once a boy and enjoyed collecting stamps," for the generous collection sent for his new stamp book. John Krell, of New-Haven, Conn., desires to express his thanks to an unknown friend at Stapleton, Staten Island, for Easter greetings.

### MONEY RECEIVED.

"A Friend" in Esperance, N. Y., has sent $2 for a needy member; Miss Barry, $1 for the "Little Mothers'" Easter festival; Miss Orra S. Frost, 25 cents for sunshine; Miss Addie E. Taft, 25 cents; "Tribune Subscriber," $2; "Two Members," 75 cents for badges.

### CONTRIBUTIONS.

Two boxes of clothing and fancy articles have been received from Miss Orra Stockton Frost and a friend, two pairs of bedroom slippers from Mrs. L. M. Halsey, a pair of bed socks and ribbons from Madison, N. J.; stamps from M. A. M., of Orange, N. J.; reading from Miss E. L. Tompkins and M. D. Kitchel; a box from Mrs. Tingue, of Portchester, N. Y.; a cut glass vinaigrette from R. S. P., a package of green wools without a name, and flower seeds from West New-Brighton, Staten Island.

### OFFERS.

Mrs. K. E. Jacobson has kindly offered to write cheery letters from her summer home to some "shut in" who would enjoy this form of sunshine; C. N. S., of Hartford, Conn., will forward The Tribune regularly for the next six weeks to Mrs. Alice Morris, at the Middletown (Conn.) Hospital.

Ellen L. Prentice, of Connecticut, has paid her initiation fee to the T. S. S. by sending a book for Adolph Koch's library. Her sunshiny work for the aged and poor in her own town makes her doubly eligible to membership in the T. S. S.

### DISTRIBUTIONS.

Sunshine packages containing clothing, bedroom shoes, wools, fancy work, embroidery silks, novels, etc., were sent to members in South Acton, Me.; North Platte, Neb.; Dover, N. H.; Englewood, Ohio; Lady Lake, Fla.; Port Jefferson, Long Island; Brooklyn and Manhattan. One dollar went to the "Little Mothers," and $2 to an invalid member in Schoharie County, N. Y., who is in a wheel chair, and her aged father, her only relative, is seriously ill. There was no money for medicine, so an appeal was made to the office.

The life of man consists not in seeing visions and in dreaming dreams, but in active charity and willing service.—(Longfellow.

To bake canvasback ducks, sprinkle them inside with finely chopped white celery and some salt, and bake in a quick oven twenty minutes. Thin slices of fried hominy and current jelly should be served with them.

Epicurean butter is served with grilled meats, etc. To make it, put two tablespoonfuls of fresh butter in a small bowl, and work into it thoroughly with the point of a silver knife a mixture of cayenne, mixed herb powder, minced parsley, lemon juice and mushroom powder. When this is accomplished, set it on the ice, and as soon as solid stamp it into dainty pats. Dot these about the meat in serving.

A delicious sandwich is made by spreading thin ovals of bread with equal parts of finely chopped celery and walnut meats, mixed with chopped olives and a little mayonnaise.

To stuff an olive, peel the pulp from the stone spirally as one peels an apple, being careful not to let it break. Then make a tiny ball of the filling and fold the strip about it.

To make cheese ramekins, melt a half-cupful of grated cheese in a double boiler. Season it with a saltspoonful of salt, a dash of paprika and a tablespoonful of milk. When it is smooth, spread it on narrow strips of bread that have been dipped in milk and egg and fried in butter.

Zinc may be cleaned with a paste made of common whiting and ammonia applied with a woollen cloth. A last rubbing should be given with a piece of dry flannel.

### FLORENCE CRITTENTON HOMES.

A self-denial week of prayer will be observed in all the branches of the National Florence Crittenton Mission through the country, during this week. Each home is left free to observe the occasion as its managers see fit, but in all there will be a daily service of prayer, and the inmates will, if they choose, deny themselves some article of food in order that a special sum of money may be raised for missionary work. "The Spread of Christ's Kingdom Among Unfortunate Girls" will be the theme of each service.

### NEW-ENGLAND JUNIORS TO ENTERTAIN.

The New-England Juniors will hold a Lady Washington levee and Colonial tea for the benefit of the philanthropic committee's work, in Genealogical Hall, on April 27. The juniors will attend in costume, and will be received by President and Lady Washington. The programme will include historical tableaus, music, recitations, the minuet and other oldtime dances. Mrs. A. C. Dexter is president of the society.

## A NEW WEST SIDE CHURCH.

### HOME OF THE ADVENT EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN PARISH CONSECRATED.

The handsome new building of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Advent, at the northeast corner of Broadway and Ninety-third-st., was consecrated yesterday morning by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. G. F. Krotel, who, though far past the allotted threescore years and ten, has in a few years built up a flourishing congregation on the upper West Side. Thirty-three years ago Dr. Krotel began his work in this city as first pastor and founder of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Holy Trinity, in West Twenty-first-st., between Fifth and Sixth aves. Before that there had been only one English Lutheran church in this city.

In 1879 Dr. Krotel established a mission in an uptown hall on the East Side, and from this has grown a prosperous congregation which now worships in its own church in Harlem, and is known as the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Epiphany. In 1894 $30,000 was subscribed by members of Dr. Krotel's congregation to start a new enterprise on the upper West Side, the understanding being that Dr. Krotel was to take charge, while the work of the Twenty-first-st. church was to be carried on as before. Failing health, however, constrained the pastor to offer his resignation in September, 1895, and to remove from the city in December of that year.

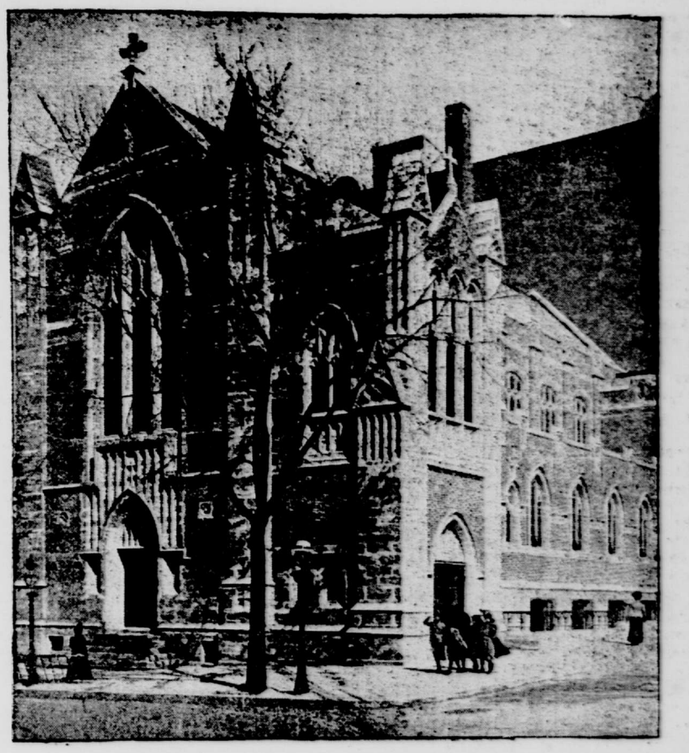
In January, 1896, he recovered sufficiently to resume active work, and started the enterprise which has enjoyed so prosperous a career from the beginning. Among those who have made the erection of the new church possible are Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Zollikoffer, Mr. and Mrs. E. Weiskotten, Herman W. Hoops, Mrs. M. Groh, Mrs. John E. Seltzer, Mr. and Mrs. August Eckel, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob H. Forshay and Mr. and Mrs. Strahlmann.

The architect of the new church is William A. Potter, a brother of Bishop Potter. The church is built of red and black brick, with trimmings of Indiana limestone, and is modern English Gothic in style.

The church consists of a single nave, with chancel and an aisle on the south side. The roof is open timber of a dark red-brown color. The chancel is mainly finished in stone like that of the exterior of the church, and contains a fine stone altar elaborately designed and enriched in front by a bass-relief in stone of the entombment of the Lord. The pulpit, the font and the altar rail are all of stone, elaborate in design and of beautiful workmanship. These are all memorial gifts.

The floor of the chancel is laid in marble mosaic. The basement contains a large, well lighted Sunday school room.

The main gable of the church—that in Broadway—is flanked by two massive buttresses in limestone, which inclose the main front. The buttresses are elaborately turreted in the upper part. A composition in stone occupies the centre of the front, and contains the main entrance door, and over it is a large arched window with stone tracery. The window, now filled with temporary glass, is to contain a handsome memorial. One of the women of the congregation has contracted with a well known organ builder to put in a new organ as a memorial, and this is to be ready on May 1.



EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE ADVENT.
Broadway and Ninety-third-st. Rev. Dr. G. F. Krotel, pastor.

### "GOD'S FIRST INVITATION."

DR. CHAPMAN'S SERMON IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY GOSPEL CAMPAIGN.

The Rev. Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman at the Fourth Presbyterian Church yesterday preached a sermon in the Twentieth Century Gospel Campaign, taking for his text, "Come thou and all thy house into the ark" (Genesis vii, 1). He said in part:

This is the first "come" in the Bible. The last invitation is also "come," and is filled with the spirit of the Gospel. In fact, the Bible is "come" all the way through. This is one of the most interesting stories in the Word of God:

First—Because, if it had not been tried, some one would have suggested that the way to reform the world would be to destroy all the drunkards, harlots and sinners of every sort. But the story of the ark and the flood proves the fallacy of this.

Second—Because it is a perfect illustration of Christ, and in this account the very things that men have questioned He stamps as true. It is all typical of the Saviour and what He stands for. The ark stood between Noah and judgment; so Christ stands for us, and the man who has accepted Him shall never stand in judgment for sin. Paul has declared it, and Jesus Himself has emphasized it. We need not fear the great white throne. It is not for the sinner who finds refuge in Christ.

The window of the ark was in the top, so that Noah's only vision was up toward the sky. He could not see the surging waters beneath. The man who is in Christ by faith may have only an upward look. Everything tends heavenward in the Christian life.

The door was in the side of the ark, and it is at least an illustration of that provision made for our salvation in the death of Christ upon the cross; for through the side that was thrust through with the spear men must enter into the favor of God.

Again, we learn that we may be very near to the kingdom of God and not be saved, for the very men who built the ark did not enter in. God's first invitation included the family, and the way Noah influenced his sons to enter the ark was to go in first himself—an illustration for every father.

### DR. NEWTON DENOUNCES BIRD SLAUGHTER

URGES HIS CONGREGATION TO WORK FOR BILL FORBIDDING IT.

The Rev. Dr. R. Heber Newton did not preach yesterday morning at All Souls' Church. He has been suffering from a slight indisposition, owing to the onerous duties he has been called upon to perform in Lent. He was in the pulpit yesterday, however, and made the announcements for the week. He also urged all the members of his congregation to take an active interest in the movement to prohibit the killing of birds in this State at trapshooting contests.

Dr. Newton said that it would be a crying shame if the people of New-York allowed this cruel and barbarous sport to continue. He exhorted those present to send letters to the members of the Assembly and Senate urging them to pass a law that would put a stop to the practice. He said that Massachusetts had long ago passed restricting legislation in that direction, and that it was time that New-York did likewise. The Rev. Walter E. Bentley preached the sermon.

### GROWTH IN CHURCH MEMBERSHIP.

Seventy-six new members were received at the communion service in the Central Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn, the Rev. Dr. J. F. Carson, pastor, yesterday morning. Of this number forty were received on confession of faith, sixteen of whom were young men. The increase in the membership of the church during the church year was 183, making the total membership a little more than 1,400. The Central Church was organized in 1852, with a membership of 146, so that the net gain in membership in the nine years has been 1,258, or about 140 for each of the nine years.

## SCOTCH CHURCH'S ANNIVERSARY.

### CELEBRATION BEGUN YESTERDAY, TO LAST OVER NEXT SUNDAY.

The Scotch Presbyterian Church, at Ninety-sixth-st. and Central Park West, yesterday began the celebration of the tenth anniversary of the pastorate of the Rev. Dr. David G. Wylie and the 16th anniversary of the congregation.

The double commemoration opened yesterday morning with a service that was entirely devotional, the pastor preaching a sermon on "The Christian's Supreme Inheritance," and administering the sacrament of the Lord's Supper, assisted by the Rev. Albert Dale Gantz, the assistant pastor, and the elders and deacons.

Dr. Wylie received a number of new members before the communion service.

The celebration will extend over next Sunday, when Dr. Wylie will preach the anniversary sermon in the morning, the Sunday school will hold a service in the afternoon, and the Rev. Dr. Samuel M. Hamilton, who for seventeen years was pastor of the church, will preach in the evening.

There will also be a devotional meeting on Wednesday evening in the lecture room of the church, when a collection of old pictures and other memorials will be shown.

The Rev. Dr. Henry C. McCook, of Philadelphia, will speak on "Presbyterian Progress" at a public meeting in the church on Thursday evening, and the Rev. Dr. George T. Purves will speak at the same meeting on "The Presbyterian Outlook."

The officers and congregation will give a reception for Dr. and Mrs. Wylie in the lecture room on Friday evening.

### FLOWERS IN TENEMENT WINDOWS.

A THOUSAND BLOOMING GERANIUMS GIVEN AWAY BY ST. GEORGE'S SUNDAY SCHOOL.

A thousand tenements on the East Side yesterday had blooming geranium plants in their windows.

"It is only one of Dr. Rainsford's anti-vice crusades," said a teacher in St. George's Sunday school as she stood in the hallway of the Parish House, in East Sixteenth-st., while mothers and children, beaming and chatting, bore the plants home. "You see, the doctor believes that each bit of brightness let into the tenements helps to better the conditions so much complained of and so much exaggerated. So, instead of making the church gay at Easter with perishable cut flowers and frail lilies, he had us get a couple of thousand hardy blooming geraniums, and after the festival is over the plants are distributed in the Sunday school. The florists could not fill the whole order, but we got more than a thousand plants, and we try to distribute them so as to brighten as many homes."

### TWO NEW EPISCOPAL PARISHES.

Two new parishes of the Protestant Episcopal Church were created last week by the Standing Committee, which acted favorably on their applications to be admitted into union with the convention of the diocese of New-York. Both are in The Bronx Borough, and have been established in the recent campaign of church extension which the archdeaconries of New-York and Westchester have engaged in in the course of the last two years in that territory. Both of the new churches—St. Margaret's, at One-hundred-and-fifty-sixth-st., Dawson-ave. and Leggett-st., and Christ, in Bronxville, East Chester—have up to this time been missions of the respective archdeaconries.

St. Margaret's was organized two years ago, and was successful from the first. Its congregation has grown steadily, and in 1900 a house of worship costing $5,000 was presented to the mission by G. B. Johnson. The Rev. C. A. Hamilton, formerly a curate in St. Agnes's Chapel of Trinity Parish, is the rector of St. Margaret's.

Christ Church, in Bronxville, was organized as a mission only a few months ago. It already has a goodly number of communicants, and its success as an independent parish appears to be assured. The Rev. Dr. W. W. Smith, lately connected with the staff of the New-York Protestant Episcopal City Mission Society, is the rector.

### METHODISTS BECOME EPISCOPALIANS.

Out of eight candidates for holy orders in the Protestant Episcopal Church in this diocese who took their Easter examinations for the diaconate last week, three were ordained ministers in the Methodist denomination. They are the Rev. Dr. Irvin H. Correll, the Rev. Dr. Frank W. Crowder and the Rev. Edward C. Chorley, the last named being a member of the English Wesleyans. The Rev. Dr. Correll was for twenty-five years a missionary of the Methodist Church in Japan, and after his ordination it is expected that he will join the staff of foreign missionaries of the Episcopal Church. The Rev. Dr. Crowder was formerly settled in Stanford, Conn. While preparing for his work as an Episcopal clergyman he has been attached to the Pro-Cathedral, in Stanton-st., where he has done acceptable work as an assistant to the Rev. Robert L. Paddock, the vicar. The Rev. Mr. Chorley is acting as a lay reader in Christ Church, Yonkers.

### JUDGE WANTS SPITTING CASES TESTED.

Magistrate Cornell in the Centre-st. police court yesterday morning requested T. J. Malloy, a lawyer, to make a test of a case brought before him, the defendant in which was charged with spitting on the floor at the South Ferry house on Saturday night. The magistrate said:

I am tired of this business. I would like to have you make a special test of this case in the Court of Special Sessions. These arrests made under Section 194 of the Sanitary Code carry with conviction a more serious punishment than is seen on the face. If I hold a man like this—(the defendant was a seaman, and said he could not furnish bail)—he will have to go to jail and wait perhaps a week or more before his case comes up for a hearing. Such cases are not treated first hand by the police magistrate, and thus the alleged offender is obliged to suffer delay which oftentimes means imprisonment.

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