CHURCH CONCLAVE FINDS WOMEN BUSY

Several Auxiliary Meetings Are Scheduled at Episcopalian Convention

CONSIDER AMENDMENTS

Portland, Ore., Sept. 7. — Actual work of the forty-seventh triennial convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States was faced by the House of Bishops and the House of Deputies assembling today following the organization and election of officers yesterday. Consideration of amendments to the constitution adopted at the last convention was the first business of importance for the House of Deputies.

Ratification of such portion of revision of the prayer book as was adopted at the 1919 convention also was on the program for the day.

At noon the deputation from the Canadian Church was to be formally received by the convention.

The report of the Committee on Joint Sessions provides for five joint sessions of both houses, the first to be Friday, when the report of the presiding bishop and council is to be presented.

Registration of late arrivals continued to increase the attendance. At yesterday's sessions there were 118 bishops out of a possible 138, and there were 610 members of the House of Delegates present. Four clerical and four lay delegates attend from each diocese and one clerical and one lay delegate from the missionary districts.

Activities of women's organizations today included a meeting of the Church Service League, a federated organization of the seven national women's organizations of the Church. Tonight the women's auxiliary is to hold a mass-meeting to be presided over by the Right Rev. Arthur Selden Lloyd, Suffragan Bishop of New York.

Dr. Mann Chosen President

The House of Clerical and Lay Deputies was called to order yesterday afternoon by the secretary, The Rev. Dr. Anstice, of New York, who has been assistant secretary and secretary of the House forty-five years, and shares with L. Bradford Prince, lay deputy from New Mexico, the distinction of being the senior member of the convention.

After calling the roll of deputies the House proceeded to elect a president. Dr. Alexander Mann, rector of Trinity Church, Boston, was nominated by Dr. Powell, of California, and seconded by Stephen Baker, of New York. The nomination was seconded by deputies from Washington, Pennsylvania and Western New York. The election was made by acclamation and Dr. Mann was escorted to the chair by the Rev. Dr. James E. Freeman, of Washington, and Frederick C. Morehouse, of Milwaukee.

The Rev. Dr. Ernest M. Stires, of New York, nominated the Rev. Henry Anstice for secretary of the House, but Dr. Anstice intimated his inability to accept the appointment, owing to the fact that he had reached his eighty-first year. On the motion of Mr. Burton Mansfield, of Connecticut, the Rev. Carrol M. Davies, secretary of domestic missions, New York, and for thirty-three years an assistant secretary, was nominated and unanimously elected secretary of the House of Deputies.

Bishops Elect Chairman

The House of Bishops assembled for organization under the chairmanship of Bishop Thomas F. Gailor, whose term of office terminates at this convention.

It was announced that the Rt. Rev. William Cabell Brown, Bishop of Virginia, had been elected chairman. Bishop Brown was born at Lynchburg, Va., November 22, 1861.

The Rev. Charles L. Pardee, secretary of the American Church Building Fund, was elected secretary of the House of Bishops.

The assistant secretaries of the House of Deputies are the Rev. Franklin J. Clark, of New York; the Rev. James G. Glass, of Florida, and Miss Helen J. Smith, of New York. This is the first time a woman has been appointed to any office in the general convention.

MADAME SYLVA IN PERIL FROM BLOW BY CRUTCH

Blood Poisoning Ensues When Child Hits Her Mother

New York, Sept. 7.—When four-year-old Daphne Smith struck her mother, Marguerite Sylva, famous opera singer and noted in the role of Carmen, with a crutch, she nearly caused her mother's death from blood poisoning, it was learned yesterday. Doctors pronounce Mme. Sylva out of danger.

Mme. Sylva, who is the wife of B. L. Smith, of 101 West Eightieth street, general manager of the Aero-Marine Airways Corporation, had a toe amputated a month ago, and after she returned to her home still used a crutch. Her daughter, playing with the crutch a few days ago, accidentally struck her mother on a foot.

Another operation was necessary and gangrene resulted.

Three Killed in Texas Feud

Houston, Tex., Sept. 7.—Three persons were killed, one shot and another stabbed at Sealy as the result of a political feud Tuesday night between two families. The feud was fought out on the main street.

Brothers

By J. P. McEVOY

OF PERNICIOUS protoplasms
I have known some goofy runts
Who have driven me to spasms
With their irritating stunts,
And of pestilential persons
And exasperating eggs,
I have mingled with the worse 'uns,
I have drained the bitter dregs.

THERE are people who say "lookit"—
I could glory in their gore
For that word, I cannot brook it,
I detest it and abhor;
There are others who say "lissun,"
Whom I'd madly, gladly kill—
But the superpest is this 'un
In my categoric bill.

AH this past of pests I meet him
Near the lodgings where I dwell,
And some morning I shall greet him
On his foolish fontanelle;
I shall greet him and no other
With a loud resounding smack,
For he always calls me "Brother,"
And he slaps me on the back.

WON'T WEAR THEM LONGER

With daily news columns filled with fashion hints from Paris, there is need for additional space to recount the organizations lately formed to preserve the "knee high" costume. It will be interesting to watch the outcome of this battle for American freedom. Follow it, in the news columns of THE PUBLIC LEDGER. "Once it is a habit,"—Adv.

BOYS SHACKLED MONTHS IN INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL

Investigators Tell of Finding Roaches and Nails in Stew

Columbus, O., Sept. 7.—Following the report of an investigating committee that inmates had been subjected to "excessive, indiscriminate and uncontrolled punishment"; that they were forced to wear iron shackles for months at a time, and that food served was insanitary, Dr. H. S. Macayeal, State Director of Public Welfare, yesterday dismissed R. U. Hastings as superintendent of the Boys' Industrial School at Lancaster.

The committee report declared that among the modes of punishment used were beating of boys on their bare feet, pulling their hair and flogging with heavy leather paddles. One boy was whipped 144 times in forty-four months, it declared.

Committee members personally found roaches, strings of mops, splinters and even nails in the "stew which constitutes the main item of diet at the school," they declared.

FILMS FOR CHURCHES

New Body Formed—Industry Headed by Hays Unsatisfactory

New York, Sept. 7.—The Christian Herald announces the formation of a motion-picture organization to produce and distribute pictures for Protestant congregations. Graham Patterson, publisher, says the organization has unlimited financial backing. He asserts the industry headed by Will Hays has failed to co-operate with the churches and that the regular producers have been warned against releasing pictures to churches and schools.

The new organization is called the Christian Herald Motion-Picture Bureau. Its slogan is "to provide clean pictures for clean people."

FLY PHILA. FLAG IN PARIS

Gonfalon Is Raised in Annual Lafayette Day Celebration

Paris, Sept. 7. — The American flag which was presented by the City of Philadelphia to the City of Paris in 1917 was raised over the Hotel de Ville on the occasion of Lafayette Day yesterday.

This is an annual ceremony of raising the Philadelphia flag, which has the name Lafayette inscribed across its bars. The ceremony was attended by representatives from the American Embassy, the French Government, the ministries of foreign affairs and war and municipal authorities.

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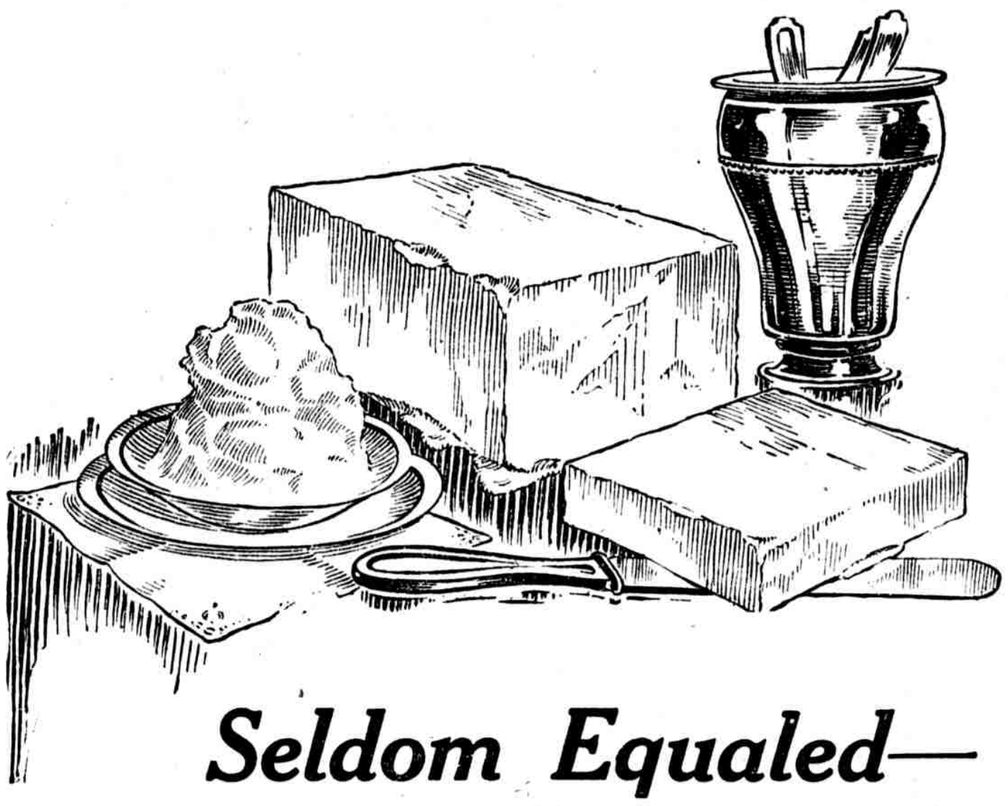

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English Top Coats for Autumn—$35

Genuine Scotch tweed, sent to England and there made into these distinctive Autumn-weight Top Coats for American men's comfort.

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Of imported fabrics. Well tailored, stylishly cut. Others at $29.50 and $35.00, some of which were made in England. New belted models.

Strawbridge & Clothier—Second Floor, East

Beluchistan Rugs $35.50 to $42.50

Average Size 3x6 feet

Noted for the exceptional silken sheen. Soft tone of red interwoven with shades of blue and gold figuring produce a Rug famous for its beauty.

Hamadan Rugs, $35.50 and $37.50

A heavy Persian Rug, average size 2.8x4 feet, much desired for doorways and stair landings. Rose and blue grounds, beautifully colored.

Arak Rugs Always Desirable

Persian Rugs of this character are so closely woven that the wearing quality is unusual, while the softness of the colorings is comparable with Rugs twice as high in price. Sizes from 6.9x10 feet at $225.00, 9.4x12.6 feet at $325.00, to 10.9x15.1 feet at $575.00.

Strawbridge & Clothier—Fourth Floor, West

Men's White Shirts at Special Prices

White Shirts continue very much in demand among well dressed men, and these Shirts at such prices will be welcomed heartily:

WHITE MADRAS SHIRTS without collar—$1.25.

WHITE CHEVIOT OR PONGEE SHIRTS, with or without collar attached—$1.65.

WHITE MERCERIZED OXFORD SHIRTS with collar attached—$1.85.

WHITE ALPHA SHIRTS, with or without collar attached, or of balloon cloth without collar—$2.50.

A remarkably comprehensive assortment of men's and young men's Shirts of pure white cottons—suitable for college or business wear. Little preferences as to collar and cuff styles may usually be satisfied directly from stock.

Strawbridge & Clothier—East Store, Eighth Street

Domestic Cottons at September Savings

These now are wanted in many households in anticipation of Autumn sewing. Prices are wonderfully attractive, as thrifty homemakers will appreciate:

Fine-spun Long Cloth, 10-yard pieces—$1.35 and $2.00
Long Cloth, 39-inch—25c a yard Nainsook, 36-inch—28c
Fine Cambric Muslin, 36-inch—25c a yard
Bleached Sheeting Muslin, 63-inch, 65c; 81-inch—75c
Striped Outing Flannel, 27-inch—20c a yard

Strawbridge & Clothier—Aisle 13, Centre

Practical Kinds of Muslin Underwear

Many women are asking for Lingerie that is sturdy, dainty but simply trimmed and practical for general wear. Some of the most-wanted kinds are—

NIGHT GOWNS, of pink or figured Windsor crepe, in several styles—$1.25 to $2.95.

PAJAMAS, of batiste in two-piece style. Variously tailored or lace-trimmed—$1.00 to $3.00.

COSTUME SLIPS, of nainsook, with deep hems that make them shadow-proof. All are prettily trimmed—$1.50 to $2.95.

CORSET COVERS, tight-fitting styles of cambric, with round, square or surplice neck—50c to $1.00.

BLOOMERS, of batiste or satine—85c to $1.50.

Strawbridge & Clothier—Third Floor, West

Motorists!

Red Rubber Tubes at Special Prices

Extra-heavy Tubes, guaranteed by both the manufacturer and by us:

30x3½—$1.95	33x4½—$3.40
32x3½—$2.25	34x4½—$3.45
31x4 —$2.35	35x4½—$3.60
32x4 —$2.60	36x4½—$3.75
33x4 —$2.70	35x5 —$4.00
34x4 —$2.75	36x5 —$4.25
32x4½—$3.25	37x5 —$4.45

Gray Tubes, 30x3½, special—$1.25.

Our entire stock of Fabric Tires at these low prices:

30x3½—$8.95	33x4 —$16.75
31x4 —$11.75	34x4 —$18.00
32x3½—$13.25	34x4½—$24.50

Protect your Spare Tires with a Gordon Tire Cover, at these low prices:

30x3½—$1.45	35x4 —$1.90
31x4 —$1.75	34x4 —$2.00
32x4 —$1.80	35x5 —$2.50

Strawbridge & Clothier—Basement, Market Street, West

Mesh Bags at Special Prices

Lovely little Silver Mesh Bags, some sterling, others plated, and a few gold-plated, in several attractive styles, chiefly in smart narrow shape. You will want one to give a dressy touch to your attire, or perhaps to put away for a Christmas gift.

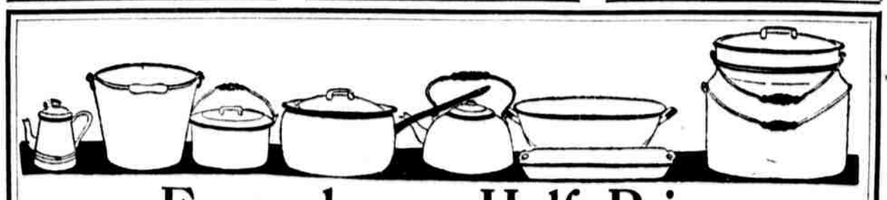
Silver-plated—$3.00 and $4.00
Silver-plated, soldered mesh—$10.00
Gold-plated, soldered mesh—$16.50
Sterling Silver—$14.00, $15.00, $18.00 and $25.00

Strawbridge & Clothier—Aisle 9, Market Street

Mattress Protectors

Cotton filling, bleached muslin covering, closely quilted. Single-bed size, 42x76 inches, $2.65 each; double-bed size, 54x76 inches, $2.95.

Aisle 13, Centre



Enamelware Half Price in the Semi-Annual Sale of Housefurnishings

Another feature of this Sale is this special group of Enamelware, some utensils with slight blemishes, hardly noticeable, at one-half the regular prices.

Teapots, Coffee Pots, Teakettles, Pudding Pans, Rice Boilers, Dish Pans, Roasting Pans, Preserving Kettles, Saucepans, Covered Kettles, Coffee Boilers.

Prices range from 85c for a small Teapot to $3.45 for a 4-gallon Rice Boiler.

Also included in the Sale are Aluminum Kitchen Utensils, Tinware, Wooden Ware, Brooms, Brushes, Soaps, Cleansers, Ranges, Stoves, Sewing Machines, Refrigerators—all at savings of 20 to 33 per cent.

Truly a Sale to delight the heart as well as the purse of every housekeeper!

Strawbridge & Clothier—Fourth Floor, Centre