

PREACHES SERMON ON SERVING CHRIST

Palm Sunday Discourse by Dr. Woodrow at First Congregational Church.

"Two Processions" was the subject of the sermon by Dr. Samuel W. Woodrow, pastor of the First Congregational Church, this morning.

The preacher pictured the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem, amid waving palms and glad hosannas, and contrasted it with that other procession when they led the Saviour forth to the place of crucifixion.

"Before passing judgment let us ask ourselves if we are not prone to do the same."

"We follow Jesus when He seems to lead us in the way of glory and national aggrandizement, but when He goes counter to our desires we cast Him aside."

"But Christ is King, whether the crowd cry 'Crown Him' or 'Crucify Him.' Now and forever He is Lord of All."

CHILDREN TO HELP ERECT MONUMENT

Memorial to Victims of Maine Explosion Seems Assured.

That earnest efforts are to be continued until a national monument to the victims of the Maine disaster has been erected in Arlington, is now demonstrated by the activity of the Maine Monument Association.

The association is arranging for Admiral Charles D. Sigbee to lecture in the New National Theater, May 2, on the blowing up of the Maine, the proceeds to be added to the monument fund.

CHELSEA CHURCH ABOUT COMPLETE

CHELSEA, Mass., April 4.—The handsome St. Rose Church, which was swept away in the conflagration on Palm Sunday of last year, is sufficiently completed to allow the congregation this morning to again worship in the auditorium, after a year of temporary attendance in a small structure.

PULPIT TOPICS FOR TONIGHT IN CHURCHES OF WASHINGTON

St. Thomas' Episcopal Church—The Rev. Canon Austin, "Jesus and the People." Trinity Church—Sermon by the Rev. David Barr. Church of the Ascension—Sermon by the Rev. J. Henning Nelms.

Mt. Pleasant Congregational Church—Sermon by the Rev. M. Ross Fishburn, "The Spirit of Palm Sunday." New Church—Lecture by the Rev. Frank Sewell, "Divine Suggestion."

MUSIC

St. Patrick's Church—"The Seven Last Words," by Dubois, at 7:45 p. m. Christ Episcopal Church—Lenten cantata, "Penitence, Pardon, and Peace," at 8 p. m.

PASSOVER FEAST TO BE OBSERVED

Services Will Begin in All Hebrew Synagogues Tomorrow Night.

In every synagogue in Washington tomorrow night the beginning of the Hebrew feast of the Passover, or the feast of the unleavened bread, will be observed.

At the eighth street temple Rabbi Simon will conduct prayer services at 7 o'clock tomorrow evening, and will preach Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

Special services will be held frequently in the Sixth Street, Fifth Street, and Southwest Synagogues.

CONSCIENCE FORGES RETURN OF CHECKS

After Twelve Years, Loss Is Made Good—One Never Duplicated.

NEW YORK, April 4.—After twelve years conscience impelled some one to return through a priest of St. Patrick's Catholic Church of Huntington, L. I., a number of checks that were lost in a pocketbook.

Mrs. T. Wilson Gildersleeve, of Cold Spring Harbor, started for Huntington in April, 1897, to deposit \$130 in cash and some checks in the Bank of Huntington.

On the way she lost the pocketbook. Payment was stopped and duplicates issued on all the checks except one, the maker of which was forgotten.

This check, as was learned when the bundle was returned through the priest, had never been presented for payment, and had had to carry it forward in all his balances for twelve years.

The Rev. Father Sherman, of St. Patrick's Church, of Huntington, a few days ago received a plain envelope in the mail, addressed in a woman's handwriting, inclosing the checks.

WINNER OF PRIZE ANNOUNCED TODAY

The prize for the best poster to advertise the play "About Thebes," which has been offered by the author of the play, Mrs. Alfred Clifford Barney, to any pupil of the Corcoran School of Art, will be awarded this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the Gallery.

CHURCH CONDUCTS BIRTHDAY SERVICES

Ninth Street Christian Congregation Founded Eighteen Years Ago.

Hundreds of persons turned out this morning to the celebration of the eighteenth anniversary of the founding of the Ninth Street Christian Church, Ninth and D streets northeast.

Members of the congregation, ministers formerly connected with the church or connected with other Washington churches, and many others interested in the work filled the edifice at the session of the Bible school at 9:30 and again at the church services at 11 o'clock.

In addition to a program of unusually good music, there were read messages from several charter members of the church, including the Rev. E. B. Bagby, who for fifteen years was pastor.

Brief addresses were made by the Rev. F. D. Power, of the Vermont Avenue Christian Church, the Rev. W. H. Schell, J. A. Scott, the church clerk, and the Rev. George A. Miller, the present pastor.

Members of the Ninth street church regard its growth not only with delight, but with almost a feeling of surprise, because, they say, it has been so remarkable.

Eighteen years ago the church started as a mission of the Vermont Avenue church. At present it owns property valued at \$200,000, has a membership of more than 1,000, its total indebtedness is about \$11,000, the liquidation of which is being accomplished at the rate of about \$200 a month.

WASHINGTON LEADS IN ROSE GROWING

Two Most Desirable Prizes Awarded to Gude Bros. by Society.

Washington has won the American leadership in the growing of roses by the decision of the judges in the international exhibition of the American Rose Society, just closed in Buffalo.

The two most desired first prizes were awarded to Gude Brothers, of this city. One was for the eight best grown varieties of tea roses, and other was the first prize for the best new rose.

The "Welliesy Rose" was exhibited by Gude Brothers, a vase of twenty-five magnificent specimens being shown, and this was awarded the distinction of being the best new variety in America. The name is in honor of Wellesley College.

OFFICERS ELECTED BY HEIGHTS CHURCH

The Washington Heights Presbyterian Church has elected the following officers: Dr. Howard Fisher, president of the congregation; elders, W. P. Mayfield, W. B. Robinson; deacons, C. A. Farwood, George Howell, Lester Stanley, and John W. Childress; trustees, Herbert Knox Smith, Charles A. Douglas, H. J. Finley, and E. H. Taggart.

The trustees were empowered to start a building fund, and to take steps to increase the seating capacity of the church.

CHURCH PLEASED WITH NEW RECTOR

Rev. Dr. Gunnell Preaches Nine Sermons This Week at Toledo.

TOLEDO, Ohio, April 4.—With a program that calls for nine sermons from today to Easter Sunday, the Rev. Dr. George Gunnell, new pastor of the Trinity Episcopal Church, arrived in Toledo this morning from Philadelphia, where for years he was pastor of the St. George Episcopal Church.

Dr. Gunnell preached his first sermon this morning, and this evening will again deliver an address. The congregation, which is Toledo's wealthiest, is enthusiastic over the new rector, and Dr. Gunnell's new charge will likely prove a most profitable one for him and his congregation. Dr. Gunnell replaced Dr. Brady.

PRESBYTERIAN CASE SETTLED BY COURT

Decision in Famous Suit Is Victory for Cumberland Church.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 4.—The State supreme court has rendered a decision in favor of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in the noted church case that has been before the courts for several years.

The supreme court, in a decision of ninety-one pages handed down by Justice Neil, holds that the steps sought to be taken by a portion of the Cumberland church in uniting with the Presbyterian Church, U. S. A., were not effective; that the Cumberland church still exists and that its members retain its creeds and doctrines.

The Unionists, it was held, had allied themselves with a different church and doctrine and were denied the right or title to the Cumberland church property. Their bill to recover church property in Fayetteville is dismissed with costs.

FIREMEN ARE PROMPT

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 4.—The prompt and efficient work of the firemen alone saved 45 automobiles, six fire engines and many vehicles stored in the Monahan Vehicle Company's establishment on Atwell avenue, when a fire broke out in the rear of the place last evening and threatened to spread to the room where the paints, varnish and gasoline were stored.

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These goods have been selling all season at twice and even three times the prices we have now marked on the tickets. This is an Easter opportunity, extremely rare, not only because of its great money saving interest, but also because it comes at this most opportune time.

Following is a partial list, which will give an idea of the extent of the reductions:

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At \$9.75—Silk Coats. Worth up to \$18.75.
At \$12.75—Tailored Suits. Worth up to \$25.00.
At \$12.75—Satin Coats. Worth up to \$20.00.
At \$12.75—Silk Coats. Worth up to \$20.00.
At \$12.75—Lace Coats. Worth up to \$20.00.
At \$14.75—Tailored Suits. Worth up to \$30.00.
At \$14.75—Silk and Satin Coats. Worth up to \$25.00.
At \$18.75—Tailored Suits. Worth up to \$35.00.
At \$18.75—Lace Coats. Worth up to \$30.00.
At \$18.75—Satin Coats. Worth up to \$30.00.
At \$25.00—Silk Coats. Worth up to \$40.00.
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