

BULGARS MAKE WOMEN WORK

Farmer-Premier Decrees That Rich and Poor Alike Must Do Useful Service.

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PARIS, March 26.—Bulgarian belles—society beauties from old, rich, and fashionable families who have been used to a life of luxury and idleness—will soon have to go to work whether they want to or not.

MAKE WORK COMPULSORY.

The "farmer" government of Premier Stamboulsky at Sofia is about to enact legislation making work compulsory, and, according to information received here today, large numbers of Bulgarian social butterflies are planning to leave the country to make their future home abroad. Most of them probably will come to France.

Stamboulsky is preparing to enroll all healthy women not earning their own living in "labor battalions." Used under state decrees, like soldiers, under this scheme, they will be compelled to give at least one day free to their country each week. They may nurse in a public hospital, do typing or bookkeeping in government offices or scrub or cook in government buildings, according to their choice. But regardless of their social rank they must work at least twelve hours out of every week.

IDLE RICH RAISE CRY.

The plan for the mobilization of women for government service is identical with that contained in laws already in effect under which every young man in Bulgaria gives at least one day a week free to the state. Stamboulsky's legislation for these "labor battalions" raised a great outcry among the idle rich of Bulgaria, but until recently they have been quite effective. However, representatives of the Allied powers have complained that these "labor battalions" might easily become the camouflage

LAST BLESSING WAS TO AGED INMATES OF HOME

BALTIMORE, March 26.—Cardinal Gibbons' last act outside his own home was one of meekness. It became known today that the last visit to an institution made by the prelate was on Saturday to the home of the Little Sisters of the Poor. The aged inmates of the home came out to welcome him and he smiled upon them and gave them his blessing.

The last recorded words of Cardinal Gibbons were: "How different an end from Cardinal Manning's."

The sorrowing household was reminded that Cardinal Manning's last days were saddened by the forgetfulness of some of those upon whom he had counted to be his most loyal and unflinching companions.

for a big military organization in defiance of the treaty of Neuilly, and they may be repealed in so far as males are concerned. The "farmer" government also anticipates no protest so far as the women are concerned.

In other respects the original program of the Stamboulsky regime has begun to undergo changes. The government has been forced to ally itself with capitalists to resist Bolshevik elements. A few days ago leading bankers were summoned to a conference where it was announced that no more legislation against industry will be enacted. The bankers had protested that foreign capital was being frightened out of Bulgaria and that they could no longer finance measures for the country's reconstruction.

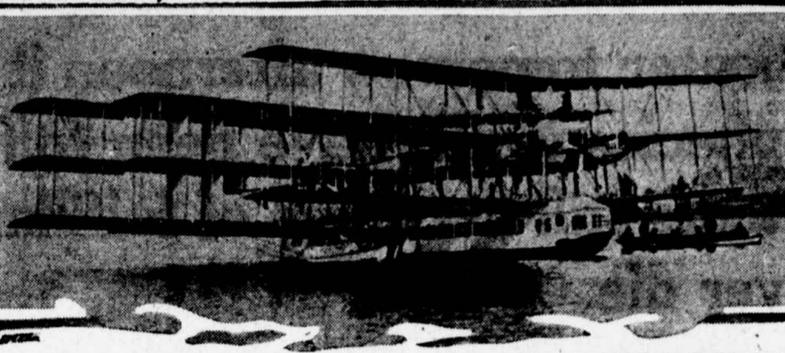
G.O.P. COLLEAGUES' BLOOD FAILS TO SAVE HIS LIFE

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, March 26.

Clyde A. Hammond, only Democratic member of the house of representatives, died here after seven of his Republican colleagues had sacrificed several quarts of their own blood in transfusion operations in an effort to save the representative's life.

He was taken suddenly ill a few weeks ago. Senator J. Will Knight on Wednesday contributed a pint of his blood to prolong Mr. Hammond's life, but the patient's condition was too weak and he died.

THE great Caproni flying boat, Sesta Calende, designed and constructed by Signor Caproni, the great Italian aviation expert, which was wrecked by a storm in Italy a few days ago. Reports from Rome say the great plane will be rebuilt immediately and will soon attempt a trans-Atlantic flight carrying 100 passengers. The Sesta Calende is the greatest heavier-than-air machine in the world, having a lifting capacity of 52,000 pounds. The giant flying boat has three sets of triplanes, spanning 100 feet and a boat sixty-six feet long. The Pullman cabin has ample accommodation for 100 passengers with baggage.



PASTOR BARS RUM AT CHURCH DANCES

Two-piece Bathing Suit Costume, However, Gets Preacher's O. K.

MONTCLAIR, N. J., March 26.—The Rev. Dr. Thomas Travis, pastor of the Watchung Congregational Church, here, announced today, with the authority of the church's standing committee behind him, that henceforth masquerades in the community house of the church were to be just masquerades, plain or fancy, but no hootch parties.

The announcement was born of the general knowledge and discussion in this town of a masquerade at the community house on the night of Wash-

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ington's Birthday, at which certain keen-scented church members staged a prohibition enforcement raid, and were rewarded with a considerable quantity of hard liquor.

The gossips found out not only about the raid, but also about one of the costumes, a simple affair consisting of a two-piece bathing suit and a curl-bedecked bathing cap. It hasn't been settled yet whether the individual inside the costume was a youth or a girl. The Rev. Dr. Travis and a good many of his friends thought and still think that it was a young man. A good many other persons, including some of those who were at the party and practically all of those who were not, are sure that it was a young woman.

So far as Dr. Travis is concerned, it doesn't make any difference what the costume of the masquerader was; two-piece bathing suits go in the community house, but red liquor doesn't. "As to any question about a boy masquerading in a girl's bathing costume at the dance," said the Rev. Dr. Travis today, "the church committee has no objection to make. It wasn't that the church committee objected to it. It was the fact that at this dance some of the guests brought liquor into the building."

"When it was discovered by some members of the church, the attention of the dance committee was called to it and the persons responsible were told politely that that sort of thing wouldn't go. They were informed also that it was a violation of a standing rule of the committee which prohibits liquor being brought into the community house."

Dr. Travis admitted that the rule had been violated six or seven times before the Washington's Birthday dance, but he said that every time the violation was discovered the offenders were asked to take their drinks outside.

CANADIAN ROAD TO REACH HUDSON BAY

Dominion Will Open Up for North Ports by Completion of Lines.

THE PAS, Manitoba, March 26.—Premier Meighen's announcement that the Dominion government will complete the Hudson Bay railway has interested all Western Canada. The work this year is expected to be mostly in repair and maintenance and it is thought the road will be finished next year. It will be 425 miles long and will connect The Pas with Port Nelson on Hudson Bay. All but a last link of eighty miles of track has been laid.

The road will build Port Nelson into a great seaport and will shorten by 1,000 miles the rail haul of grain bound for Europe from all points in Western Canada. It will materially increase profits on all exports from the West, decrease costs on all imports and open up a vast territory rich in minerals, timber and furs. Its one disadvantage in competition with other roads is that it exports grain only five months in the year during which Hudson Bay and Hudson Straits are open for navigation.

Especially the farmers of Western Canada will be glad to see the opening of this tidewater line will greatly stimulate settlement of Hudson Bay Company land and other vast areas of good farming country in the prairie provinces. To the farmer, it is estimated, the road will mean a saving of 15 cents in transportation charges on every bushel of grain shipped to Europe.

WOMEN RESENT CHANGE OF IMMODEST ATTIRE

LONDON, March 26.—English women are up in arms over the statement of several prominent clergymen about the immodesty of present-day dress. "I cannot think where they have seen the dresses that they describe," said Lady Alexander, generally considered to be London's best-dressed woman. "I think that modern women's dress is charming and more modest than it has been for generations. In addition to the hygienic value that it has gained in recent years."

FRENCH PRESS PAYS HIGH TRIBUTE TO CARDINAL

PARIS, March 26.—The French press today paid high tribute to the memory of Cardinal Gibbons. The comment of the Echo de Paris was typical. This newspaper said: "Cardinal Gibbons was a broad-minded and distinguished theologian and a learned exponent of Catholicism. He was esteemed by Roman Catholics and Protestants alike."

NOTES OF THE CHURCHES

The Rev. Dr. Wallace Radcliffe will preach the Easter sermon at the New York Avenue Presbyterian Church at 11 o'clock. The musical program follows: "As It Began to Dawn," Vincent; "Lift up, Lift up Your Voices Now," Berwald; Resurrection Morn; "John's As It Began to Dawn," Buck; "Now Christ has Been Preached," Rogers; "The Magdalene," Warren; "Hark the Loud Celestial Hymn," Ward; Hallelujah Chorus, Handel.

The chimes on the Metropolitan Memorial M. E. Church, John Marshall place and C street northwest, will be played both morning and evening tomorrow by Dr. Richard Johnston. This set of bells, the only one in Washington, was placed in the tower as memorials during the pastorate of the late Bishop John P. Newman. The Rev. Dr. Harry D. Mitchell, pastor, will preach at both services and special music will be given under direction of A. N. Gardner.

Low masses will be celebrated at 8 and 9 o'clock tomorrow morning in Holy Rosary Church. Solemn high mass at 10:30 o'clock will be celebrated by the Rev. Monsignor A. Cosio, auditor of the apostolic delegation. The musical program includes the "Vidi Aquam" chorale, J. L. Battman's Mass in G by "The Toccata" and offertory, "Resurrexit," Notre Dame. Solemn Vespers in the afternoon at 4:30 in Gregorian Chant. Hymn "Resurrexit" followed by the significant and colorful "Regina Coelesti Reconciliation," "Ave verum," "Tantum Ergo," and "Te Deum Laudamus."

The Rev. William A. Eisenberger, of the Central Y. M. C. A., will be the speaker at the Central Building, 1338 G street northwest, tomorrow afternoon. The speaker will answer the question asked in Job, "If a man die, shall he live again?" Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Grooms, of this city, will sing at this service.

Miss Nell Mays, the girl evangelist, will be holding service at the Metropolitan Baptist Church, Sixth and A streets northeast, tomorrow night. At 11 o'clock service the pastor, the Rev. John Compton Ball, will preach on "The Resurrection in the Open Tomb." Special Easter music by the choir, under Gilbert A. Clark, will be given with the following soloists: Miss Lester Brooks, Miss G. A. Clark, Dr. W. Bruce Hoofnagle, and Harold King.

The Rev. B. H. Linville, of Baltimore, will preach on the Resurrection at the morning services in the Ninth Street Christian Church, Ninth and D streets northeast. A special musical program will be given by an augmented choir, under Prof. Joseph A. Harrison. The night service will close the special Easter evangelistic services that have been held in this church for the past two weeks.

"Jesus and Immortality" is the sermon subject at the Cleveland Park Congregational Church at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. At 8 p. m. the Bible School will give an Easter pageant, "The Life Victorious."

"Believing the Incredible—the Empty Tomb" will be the subject of the sermon by the Rev. Earl Willey tomorrow morning at the Vermont Avenue Christian Church. "The Unwearable Life of Jesus" will be his topic for the evening service. Special music will be given at both services by the choir, under W. E. Braithwaite. These services will close the Easter revival meetings, which have resulted in more than fifty new members. The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor will hold a sunrise Easter service at the church tomorrow morning.

The Rev. Jason Noble Pierce will preach on "O, Blessed Love" at the First Congregational Church, Tenth and G streets northwest. At 8 o'clock his subject will be "The Joy of Easter." In the afternoon, the Rev. Harry Edwards Mueller will give a special program of Easter music. The morning program includes Gounod's redemption anthem, "Unfold, Ye Portals," the "Ward-Stevens," "Awake, Thou That Sleepest," solo by Mrs. Beulah H. Dunwoody, contralto; duet, "The Magdalene," Warren, by Mrs. Elizabeth W. Campanole, soprano, and Mrs. Dunwoody; and, offertory, anthem, Linton's "Christ, the King." At the 8 o'clock services Mrs. Campanole will sing Granter's "Hosanna" and the Shepard Easter cantata, "From Sepulchre to Throne," will be given.

A special sermon, "We Will See and Hear Jesus Sing Hereafter," will be preached by the Rev. Earl Tag tomorrow night at Centennial Baptist Church. A quartet will sing special Easter music. The morning subject will be "Life's Persistence."

Special Easter music will feature the morning and evening services at the Metropolitan Baptist Church, Sixth and A streets northeast, tomorrow. At the morning service Mrs. Gilbert A. Clark, Mrs. J. Lester Brooks and the choir will sing "Ring Out Glad Bells of Easter-Tide," and in the evening "Lo, the Tomb is Empty" will be sung.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Vermont Avenue Christian Church will hold a sunrise service tomorrow morning at 6:45. The Rev. Earl Tag will speak on "The Risen Christ." Following the services the Endeavorers will take breakfast at the Franklin Square Hotel.

The Rev. Hubert Rex Johnson, of the Chevy Chase Presbyterian Church, will preach on "The Demand of a Great Life for a Great Hope," at tomorrow morning's services. Special Easter music will feature the services.

Dr. Harry Gaze, of London, England, will deliver a special Easter lecture in the ballroom of the Willard Hotel tomorrow night at 8:15 o'clock on "How to Renew, Rebuild and Regenerate Mind and Body," to which the public is invited. On Monday night he will open a class for instruction in health, youth, and prosperity attainment, at the Playhouse, 1814 N street northwest.

Easter service at the Church of Life and Joy, 1814 N street northwest, will be conducted at 11 a. m. by Mrs. Melva J. Merrill, of Los Angeles, Cal., and Mrs. Florence Willard Day, author and teacher. At 3 p. m. Dr. Harry Gaze will deliver an address on "New Life, New Power, New Achievement."

The staff of Epiphany Church recently has been increased by the addition of the Rev. Henry R. Sanborn, formerly a major in the Adjutant

HARRY GAZE, author, lecturer and psychologist, who is delivering a series of lectures at Poli's Theater.



General's Department of the Army. Mr. Sanborn is a student at the Theological Seminary, near Alexandria, Egypt, and is working among the young people, and W. Harold Weigel, one of his fellow students, will assist the Rev. A. J. Torry, dean of Epiphany Chapel, who was formerly a lay missionary in China.

The Holy Week Mission, being conducted at Christ Episcopal Church, Georgetown, will be concluded tomorrow night. The missioner in charge is Archdeacon Percy C. Weber, of the Diocese of Florida.

On Friday and Saturday next an entertainment will be given by the members of the choir of the Church of the Epiphany in aid of the Episcopal Home for Children and the China Famine Fund.

On April 10, confirmation of classes will be held in Pinkney Memorial Hixville, at 11 a. m., and at St. Luke's, Bladensburg, at 4 p. m.

The third springtime ramble of the Episcopal Diocese of Maryland will be held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. When the hikers will visit the monument erected to the first Methodist itinerant preacher of America at El Nido, Va., on the W. and O. D. railway line. They will also visit his former home nearby.

"The Inevitable Resurrection" will be the subject of the sermon by Dr. Ulysses G. B. Pierce, minister of All Souls' Church, at the morning service in the Knickerbocker Theater. A program of Easter music will be rendered by Miss Helen Howison, soprano; Mrs. Gertrude Miller, contralto; Harry Waller, violin, and Lewis Corning Atwater, organ.

Mrs. Louis F. Post will address the Liberal Religious Union tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, her subject being "The Youth of the Human Spirit." The meeting will be held in Unitarian House, 1759 Columbia road.

Gustavus G. Kundahl will give the Easter address at the Terminal R. R. Y. M. C. A. men's meeting at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

"A New Philosophy of Creation" is the title of an address to be made by J. W. Benson, of Rockville, Md., at the meeting of the Washington Social League tomorrow at 3 p. m., at Perpetual Building Hall, 1101 E street northwest. An open forum discussion of the subject will follow.

Combined Sunday school and church services at Pentworth Baptist will take the form of an exercise entitled "Easter Joy" with an illustrated sermon for the children as well as the older members of the church, entitled "The Butterfly." The Easter songs are exceptionally adapted to the day, and with the augmented orchestra of cello, violin and cornet, will add much to the occasion. Recitations, drills, and short addresses by the scholars will complete a program of approximately two hours.

North Carolina Avenue Methodist Protestant Church has arranged for special Easter services as follows: At 9:45 a. m. the Sunday school will render a special program, to which service everybody is invited; at 11 a. m. the regular services will be held. Dr. Will deliver his Easter sermon, entitled "An Easter Meditation," and at 8 p. m. there will be a special service of song by the church choir, with a short address by Lieut. Edward Armstrong Platt.

The series of revival meetings which has been conducted during the past two weeks at the Fifth Baptist Church, 423 F street southwest, will be continued during the coming week, under Evangelist W. R. Leckliter, of Richmond, Va. These revival services will be held tomorrow—morning, afternoon, and evening—and special services will be given every night next week. Tomorrow afternoon's service will be for men only. The sermon subject will be "The Man Who Played the Fool."

Elaborate programs of special Easter music have been arranged for the morning and evening services tomorrow—Friday, at the Foundry M. E. Church, Sixteenth and P streets northwest. The soloists, who will be assisted by Prof. Anton Kaspar, violinist, Mrs. George H. Wier, organist, Mrs. Mary Sherier Bowie, soprano, Mrs. Anna Brett Summy, contralto; J. F. M. Bowie, tenor, and Charles W. Moore, bass. The programs follow: Morning—Prelude, "Andantino," by Lenore; anthem, "Awake, Awake," by West; anthem, "Why Seek Ye the Living Among the Dead?" by Peeli; anthem, "Behold the Risen King," by Peeli; postlude, "Alleluia," by DuBois.

Evening—Prelude, "Easter Morning," by Malling; anthem, "Christ Our Passover," by Schilling; anthem, "As It Began to Dawn," by Schilling; "Hosanna," by Granier; postlude, "Hosanna," by Hartmann.

The Rev. Herbert F. Randolph, pastor, will preach on "The Victory of Life," at the 11 o'clock service, and on "The Defeat of Death," at 8 p. m.

Working Time Reduced.

LORAIN, Ohio, March 26.—The National Tube Company, a subsidiary of the United States Steel Corporation yesterday announced a 20 per cent reduction in operation beginning Sunday. More than 8,000 men will go on curtailed working time. A reduction in orders was given as the cause of the curtailment.

EPISCOPAL EASTER PLANS ELABORATE

Four Services to Be Held in Most of the Churches, With Special Music.

Elaborate and beautiful services will be held at the Episcopal churches of the city tomorrow, Easter Day. In most of the churches there will be four services, starting with holy communion early in the morning and concluding with the evening service, at which special music will be rendered. At 4 o'clock this afternoon a choral service will be held in Bethlehem Chapel at the Cathedral. The sermon at the Cathedral tomorrow morning will be delivered by Bishop Harding.

At St. Mark's Church there will be a children's service at 4 p. m., a feature of which will be a procession of flowers. The children will place the flowers on a cross along with their Easter offering. At the Chapel of the Nativity and the Resurrection, the confirmation class of sixty-seven members will take their first communion on Easter morning at the early services at each of the chapels. At St. Mark's Church there will also be an elaborate service at 8:30 p. m. and a solemn procession at the 11 o'clock service.

At St. John's Church, the morning sermon at 11 o'clock will be delivered by Canon Douglas, and at the 4 p. m. service the Rev. Dr. Harding will make the address. The sermons at the 11 o'clock services generally will be delivered by the rectors of the churches, the subjects being on the Resurrection.

JUDGE RUTHERFORD TO TALK AT POLI'S

"Millions Now Living Will Never Die," Theme of Sunday Afternoon Lecture.

Judge J. F. Rutherford, of New York, president of the Watch Tower Bible and Tract Society, will lecture at Poli's Theater at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon on "Millions Now Living Will Never Die."

Judge Rutherford has just returned from Palestine, where he has been collecting data for lectures. "The Jews are rebuilding Palestine in fulfillment of Divine prophecy," he declares. "They are forming colonies, building houses and roads, planting trees and vineyards, making for themselves a permanent home. A strong opposition party has been organized against them."

"The object of this association is to prevent the Jews from possessing Palestine as a homeland. This, the Scriptures indicate, will lead to what is described as Jacob's trouble, during which God will plainly manifest His favor to the Jews as He did in the days of old. Christians will be more pleasing to the Lord if they would aid the Jews in rebuilding Palestine."

Judge Rutherford declares that "the present distress of nations and unrest of the people throughout the world are but the forerunners of the establishment of a better order of things."

Evangelist Burke Dead.

GAINESVILLE, Tex., March 26.—Joseph Steven Burke, of Kansas City, Mo., nationally known evangelist, died here yesterday following an operation.

N. Y. Flags Half Masted.

NEW YORK, March 26.—Flags on all city buildings were placed at half-mast today as a mark of respect to Cardinal Gibbons. Acting Mayor La Guardia directed that they remain in this position until after the funeral.

Bay State Honors Prelate.

BOSTON, March 26.—The Massachusetts Legislature, in session here yesterday, paused in its duties to pass an order recording "the great loss that has befallen the nation" in the death of Cardinal Gibbons.

BAPTIST FIFTH BAPTIST CHURCH

DR. JOHN E. BRIGGS, Pastor

The sermon subject is "The Man Who Played the Fool." A service will be held for men only Sunday afternoon. Evangelist W. A. Lickliter, of Richmond, Va., will preach three times on Sunday and every night next week.

A Warm Welcome

E. Hez Swem Pastor, subject: "We Jesus sing hereafter." 8 p. m. Special music Sunday night; great organ; fine soloist; large choir (men like them). 11 a. m. "Life's Persistence." Centennial Baptist Church, 7th and 22nd n.e.

Metropolitan Baptist Church

SIXTH AND STS. NORTHEAST JOHN COMPTON BALL, Pastor

Meaning of the Open Tomb. Miss Nell Mays The Girl Evangelist

Easter Joy. Petworth Baptist Church and Sunday School, 7th and Randolph Sts. N. W. Easter Morning—10 o'clock. Recitations. Good Singing. Augmented Orchestra—Illustrated Sermon. 8 p. m. Epiphany. Sermon by Pastor. Rev. F. P. Langhorne. Cordial invitation to everybody.



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