

TOPICS OF INTEREST TO PULPIT AND PEW

WILL DEBATE ON PERILS OF SEXES

Rules of Conduct For Man and Woman to Be Given by Dr. Smucker

Dr. Clayton Albert Smucker, pastor of Stevens Memorial Methodist Episcopal church, Thirteenth and Vernon streets, announces that he will hold a joint debate in the Memorial church on the subject, "Resolved, That the Perils of Men, Old and Young, Are Greater Than the Perils of Women, Old and Young."

The debate will take place on Sunday nights from November 14 to December 5. The women's side will be presented to-morrow night and Sunday evening, November 21. The subjects for the ten sermons, which will constitute this one-man joint debate, are as follows: "Perils of Men, Old and Young," November 14; "Perils of Women, Old and Young," November 21; "Perils of Men, Old and Young," November 28; "Perils of Women, Old and Young," December 5.

Dr. Smucker will preach Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock on "If Christ Came in the Flesh to Harshburg, What?" In connection with this sermon, the problem of commercialized vice will be discussed.

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Zion. — The Rev. M. S. Sharp, 10:30 and 7:30; Sunday school, 9:30; C. E., 6:15. St. Matthew's. — The Rev. E. E. Snyder, 11 and 7:30; Sunday school, 10:30; C. E., 6:15.

Zion. — The Rev. S. Winfield Herman, 10:30, "Christ Commending"; 7:30, "Our Helpers"; Sunday school, 1:45; Men's class, 1:50; Men's Devotional Hour, 7:30. Christ. — The Rev. Thomas Reich, D. D., pastor, 10:30, "Commissioning of Men for Every Member Canvass"; 7:30, evening service; Sunday school, 2; Men's Bible class, 2, in Fackler Hall; Christian Endeavor, 6:30.

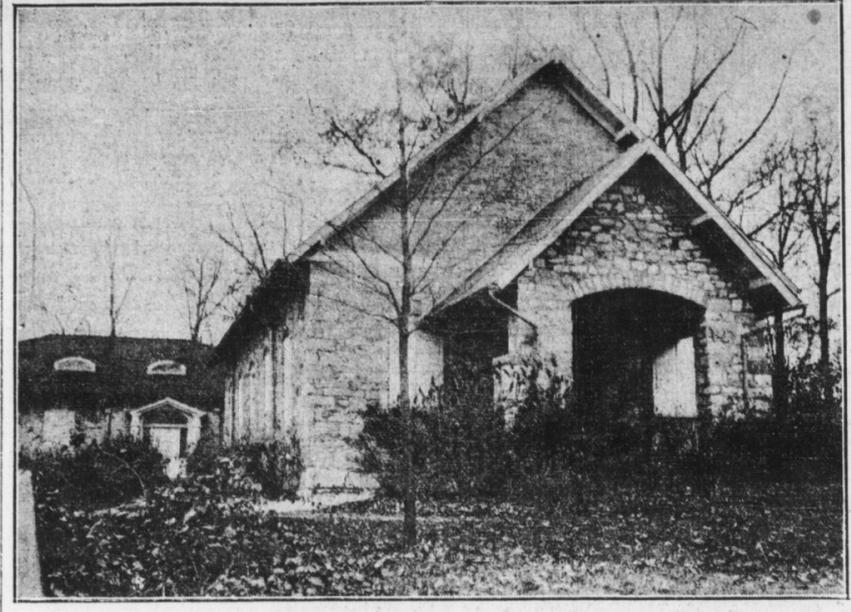
Messiah. — The Rev. Henry W. A. Hanson, 10:30, "The Present Crisis"; Dauphin County W. C. T. U. will be guests of the congregation; 2, Sunday school; 6:30, Intermediate C. E., joint meeting with Pine Street C. E. society; 7:30, "The World Chaos—Where Is God?"

St. Mark's. — West Fairview, Pa.; the Rev. A. Wolf, preaching at 10:30; Sunday school, 1:30; C. E., 6:30. St. Paul's. — The Rev. A. G. Wolf, Sunday school, 9:30; C. E., 6:30; preaching, 7:30. Shiloh. — Riverside; the Rev. E. E. Snyder, Sunday school, 11. Trinity. — Camp Hill, the Rev. Dr. E. D. Weigher, 10:30, "Growth in Grace"; 7:30, "The Evil of Intemperance"; Sunday school, 9:15.

Trinity. — The Rev. R. I. Mendenheider, 10:30, "The Fish Beatitude"; 7:30, "Four Friends and a Friend"; Sunday school, 2; C. E., 6:30. Bethlehem. — The Rev. J. Bradley Markard, D. D., 10:30, "A View of a Great Evil"; 7:30, "Why I Believe in the Church"; fourth sermon in a series; 1:45, Sunday school; 6:30, C. E. Aylesburg. — The Rev. A. M. Stamets, 10:30, "Made Whole by Faith"; 7:30, "Make Christ King"; Sunday school, 2; C. E., 6:30. Calvary. — The Rev. Edward H. Paar, 11, "Jesus Our Helper"; 7:30, "The Holy City"; Sunday school, 10:30. Redeemer. — The Rev. Victor Roland, 10:30, "Luther and the Church of His Name"; 7:30, "If Christianity Falls—What?"; Sunday school, 9:30; Junior Christian Endeavor, 2; senior Christian Endeavor, 6:30.

Holy Communion—The Rev. John Henry Miller, 10:45, "Lesson from the Epistle"; 7:30, "A Study in Deuteronomy"; Sunday school, 9:30; Luther League, 6:30. Memorial. — The Rev. L. C. Manges, D. D., Men's prayer meeting, 10:30. Emma. — The Rev. C. H. H. Program, the Christian Life; 7:30, home mission service; Sunday school, 2; Junior Luther League, 5:30; senior Luther League, 6:30.

SECOND OLDEST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN UNITED STATES WILL CELEBRATE ITS 175TH ANNIVERSARY TOMORROW



Paxton Presbyterian Church at Paxtang. It is now 175 years old and to-morrow the congregation will observe the anniversary of its erection...

The present building was constructed in 1740, replacing a log building on that spot, erected about 1716. Derry Church, Hershey and Donegal church near Lancaster, were organized about the same time as Paxton and from 1726 to 1752 were under the same pastor, the Rev. James Anderson. In the long history of the old Paxton Church only a few changes have been recorded in 1901 a new Sunday School chapel was erected by the gift of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd. At present arrangements are being made for the installation of a pipe organ.

The old graveyard which adjoins the church is a quiet spot with its tombstones of slate and red sandstone, the oldest date being 1754. It is possible, however, that burials were made in the yard prior to that time. Bodies of soldiers of the French and Indian, Revolutionary, Mexican and Civil wars are buried in the historic cemetery.

The present pastor, the Rev. Harry B. King, is the fifteenth regularly appointed pastor of the church. The first pastor was the Rev. James Anderson, who served from 1726 to 1732. He was succeeded by the Rev. William Bertram, who was in charge until 1736. Supplies were then used for two years and then the Rev. John Elder was appointed in 1737. The Rev. Mr. Elder served until 1751 and then again for a period of two years supplies were sent to the church.

Will Read Reports of Every Member Canvass

The sermon themes to-morrow, morning and evening, at Zion Lutheran church will be "The Lord Jesus Commending" and "Our Helpers," the pastor, the Rev. S. Winfield Herman, preaching. The men's devotional hour will be conducted at 10 o'clock and the Sunday school at 1:45. The men of Zion Brotherhood will hear reports and conduct an open conference upon the recent Every Member Canvass, participated in by more than three hundred men, Monday evening. The Centennial Circle will meet for Bible study upon the same evening. On Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the missionary societies, an illustrated address will be given by Mrs. Rutherford, of Philadelphia, upon "The King's Highway." The slides for this address will be sent during the trip of Mrs. Peabody and Mrs. Montgomery and are of unusual interest. The Ladies Aid Society will have a work meeting on Wednesday afternoon after the midweek service, the missionary box will be packed. Contributions of clothing, household necessities and money will be received and forwarded. The box will be sent to the Christian Endeavor, at four children. The Mary and Martha Circle will meet on Thursday evening. The catechetical class for children will meet on Friday afternoon after school and the class for those from six to nine on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. A work meeting of the Children's Missionary and Work Band will be held at 4:45 o'clock when the girls in sewing, and the boys in basketry classes. The Young People's Missionary Society will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Mary Kinzer, 202 Walnut street.

PRISON DEPT. IS DOING BIG WORK

Efforts Practically Helpful and Uplifting; Wardens Request Services

Among the largest Christian Endeavor Unions in the State are Philadelphia with 220 societies; Allegheny county, 201; Dauphin county, 112; Blair, 64; Washington, 61. All of these organizations are boosting for large delegations to attend the State convention.

The topic for discussion in the C. E. prayer services to-morrow will be "How the Denomination May be United in Service." Christian Endeavor has "live wire" workers. A plan was published some time ago in "The Christian Endeavor World," suggesting a "Good-Time College Social." The writer who suggested the plan received 75 letters from 24 different States making further inquiry. All the letters were answered.

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WITHOUT attending the services of a Church on Sunday, one is in no fit condition to derive the fullest benefit and blessings from the remaining six days of the week. You may think otherwise, but the truth of the statement is verified by the lives of those men who have, in the right spirit, attended Church services regularly. Your life needs the refreshment of communication with the Divine. GO TO CHURCH

Missionary Services at Park St. Evangelical

The services Sunday in Park Street United Evangelical church will be specially devoted to missionary interests. At 10:45, the pastor will preach to the Joint Women's Home and Foreign Missionary Society and the Young People's Missionary Society, each of which will attend in a body, on the subject, "The Atmosphere of the Missionary Church."

Stevens M. E. Is Seventh Church of City to Plan Erection of New Buildings

It was finally decided at a meeting of the board of trustees of Stevens Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church last evening to build a social and Sunday school annex to the rear of the Thirteenth street side of the church to cost nearly \$12,000.

Dr. Houck Switches His Talk to "Two of a Kind"

Memories of his famous trip to Palestine were recalled by Dr. Henry Houck, State Secretary of Internal Affairs, last night, when he spoke at the Alricks Association after its monthly meeting at St. Andrew's parish house, Nineteenth and Market streets.

MUSIC AT GRACE M. E.

Morning — Organ prelude, Consolation in E, Liszt; anthem, "Prepare the Way of the Lord," Garrett; organ offertory, Impromptu, West, quartet, "I Need Thee Every Hour," Camp; organ postlude, chorale, "Ich dank dir, Lieber Herr," Stilller.

MUSIC AT PINE STREET

Morning — Organ prelude, Consolation in E, Liszt; anthem, "Prepare the Way of the Lord," Garrett; organ offertory, Impromptu, West, quartet, "I Need Thee Every Hour," Camp; organ postlude, chorale, "Ich dank dir, Lieber Herr," Stilller.

MUSIC AT MESSIAH LUTHERAN

Morning — Organ prelude, Consolation in E, Liszt; anthem, "Prepare the Way of the Lord," Garrett; organ offertory, Impromptu, West, quartet, "I Need Thee Every Hour," Camp; organ postlude, chorale, "Ich dank dir, Lieber Herr," Stilller.

UNITED EVANGELICAL

Park Street. — The Rev. A. E. Hagen; Sunday school, 9:30; 10:45, "The Atmosphere of the Missionary Church"; Jr. C. E., 5:45; Sr. C. E., 6:30; Woman's Missionary Society bank offering services at 7:30; address by the Rev. Ralph Selbert, Albright College, on "Why Every Christian Must Be a Missionary Enthusiast."

"Meeting at the River," Second of Sermon Series

At Market Square Presbyterian church to-morrow, the Rev. Dr. George Edward Hawes, pastor, will preach at 11 and 7:30 o'clock. He will preach the second "Day-Break" sermon in the morning on "The Meeting at the River." In the evening he leads the C. E. meeting and later preaches on the subject, "The Unused in Our Lives."

Dr. Mudge Will Preach Eighth Sermon of Series

On Sunday evening at Pine Street church, the pastor, the Rev. Dr. L. S. Mudge, will present the eighth sermon in the series on "Obvious Lessons From Obscure Lives," the title of the sermon being "Onesimus—A Study in Values." This service will be preceded by an organ recital, beginning at 7:20 o'clock when the following program will be played: "Grand Chorus in E flat major" (Gull-mann); "Elgie" (Massenet). The choir will sing "I Will Lay Me Down in Peace" (Noble) and Mrs. Hertzler and Mr. Sutton will sing "I Love the Lord" (West).

Seven Meetings to Be Held by Rescue Mission

The following churches and societies will take part in the meetings of the City Rescue Mission this week: Sunday, the Rev. Robinson, speaker; Monday, Rockville Christian Workers' Association; Tuesday, Tabernacle Baptist church; Wednesday, Church of the Brethren; Thursday, Enola Y. M. C. A. men; Friday, Harris Street Evangelical church; Saturday, Martin Stutzman, speaker.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL

A special service for men, the first of an annual affair, will be held in St. Paul's church, Second and Emerald streets, to-morrow evening, at 7:30 o'clock. The Rev. Dr. A. B. Kingsolving, rector of St. Paul's church, Baltimore, ranking next to Trinity, New York, will be the special preacher, on "Today's Challenge to the Men of the Church."

SECOND REFORMED MUSIC

The following program of music will be rendered at the Second Reformed church to-morrow: Morning, Prelude, Chant, Te Deum, Tchaikovsky; (by request); soprano solo, "Open the Gates of the Temple," Knapp, Mrs. Ada Culp Bowman; anthem, "To Deum Laudamus in F," Alzamorov; postlude, March, Petrall.

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PINE STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH THIRD AND PINE STREETS Sunday, November 14 10:30 A. M. Preacher, Rev. J. S. Armentrout, Assistant Pastor. "The Joy of Christ" John 15:11 1:30 P. M. Graded Sunday School 1:40 P. M. Adult Bible Classes 7:30 P. M. Preacher, Rev. L. S. Mudge, D. D., Pastor. "Onesimus" A Study in Values Sunday Evening, November 21 "The Wife of Pilate" A Study in Warnings The Ninth in the Current Series of Evening Sermons.