

THIS DAY AT THE CHURCHES.

Table listing church services for Sunday, January 9, 1898. Columns include church name, address, and service details. Churches listed include First Baptist, French Church, Holy Cross, St. Boniface, St. Dominic's, St. Charles Borromeo, St. Francis, St. Ignatius, St. Mary's, St. Luke's, St. Mary's, St. Paul's, California-street, Central M. E., Epworth, Fifteenth-avenue, First M. E., Grace M. E., Howard-street, Japanese M. E., Potrero M. E., Richmond, Simpson Memorial, Trinity, Calvary, First Presbyterian, Memorial, Howard, Stewart, Trinity, Westminster, First English Lutheran, First Unitarian, Second Unitarian, Bush-street Temple, First Church of Christ, Church of Christ, Salvation Army, Volunteers of America, Y. M. C. A., Theosophical Society, First Divine Science, Seventh-day Adventist, Herr Anton Schott, and Water Polo Contest.

CHINESE SLAVE GIRLS IN PORT

The Scare Among the Importers Is Over and They Come Again.

Evidence Against the Dealers to Be Presented to the Collector.

A Cigar Manufacturer on Stockton Street Said to Head the Gang.

The scare received by the importers of Chinese slave girls some months ago, when their methods were thoroughly ventilated through the columns of The Call, seems to have subsided, for the wily Mongolians are again at work attempting to evade the law.

There are now on various steamers in port from the Orient, ten or a dozen Chinese girls who are awaiting an opportunity to get ashore. These girls were brought over from China, ostensibly as the wives or daughters of merchants residing here, or as native daughters.

The girls in port at present, or at least four of them, have been brought over by a man who runs a cigar manufactory on Stockton street, between Jackson and Pacific streets.

The Stockton street man, who is said to be the head of the importers, denies any complicity in the matter, and, strange to say, his name was not known to the officials of the Chinese bureau of the custom house.

Those who are opposed to the landing of the girls are at work gathering evidence against them and will present it to the collector in a few days and expect to have all the girls sent back to China.

RULES FOR THE POLICE COURTS

Important Suggestions Offered at a Meeting of the Judges.

Assignment of Cases to Be Taken From the Police Department.

Orders of Discharge to Be Given Only by the Trial Judge Who Will Accept the Bonds.

The Police Court Judges met yesterday afternoon in Judge Joachim's chambers to formulate a set of rules on the same principle as the Superior Court Judges.

A number of important suggestions were made, among them those referred to in Friday's Call, and it was decided to think them over and meet again tomorrow afternoon to finally act upon them.

One of the most important is that the cases be equally divided among the four departments whether the arrests are made by warrant or not, upon the order of the presiding Judge.

The judge having the disposition of the "drunks" will remain in his court or chambers from 9 a. m. till 5 p. m. each day, Sundays excepted, along with his warrant clerk so as to attend to any business after the other courts have adjourned.

The official interpreters of the courts shall remain in the room set apart for them, under any department of the courts in session.

No attorney will be empowered to represent the State except the prosecuting attorney of the court or his assistant unless on motion of the prosecuting attorney.

The rules of procedure shall be: First, sentences of court; second, exparte motions of prosecuting attorney; third, motions on behalf of the defense.

HERE THE GIRL IS AT HOME

Delightfully Novel Institution Projected by Dr. Wilson.

No Rules, No Board, No Manager, No Preliminary Tests.

Simply a Place Where the Young Working Women May Rest Happily.

The Rev. John Wilson, pastor of the Howard-street Church, believes in an ounce of prevention.

"The work I advocate is not so picturesque, it is not nearly so easy to interest others in as reclaiming the vicious. It's odd, yet it's true, and I suppose it's human nature, but for ten good women who will work to reform an erring sister there is only one who feels it her duty to prevent that sister's becoming wayward."

There does seem something novel about a plan for the comfortable housing of girls who have not that claim upon society which is a covert threat. The only reverse that lies within a working girl's power upon an indifferent, well-fed world is to become a charge upon it.

There is another point about Dr. Wilson's plan which has been successfully operated in New York for four years, that is, it is a novel institution absolutely without rules, without a board, without a meddling manager, with no barracade of preliminary tests and qualifications, with no straggling red tape regulations to discourage those who would enter and to stifle those who are already members.

"Everybody has an ideal," said Dr. Wilson. "Mine is to establish the sort of atmosphere among the daughters of a big family on a farm. I would have no rules, no constitution and by-laws. I would have a treasurer, though, so that I should not handle the funds and run any risk of blackmail and that sort of thing."

"There are in San Francisco, as there are in New York, many girls who work from morning till night for \$3 a week. They have no home, no relatives find homes in this city."

"A woman, a working woman gave me the first \$50 I received in New York to start a home there. We got a basement, but it was steam heated, and we put in two beds, curtained or screened into something like privacy. There was a large sitting-room. This was the beginning. Now the co-operative home occupies a flat with quarters for eighteen boarders. Each girl was allowed to keep her own trunk, and when girls who could not afford to pay the home's prices were admitted, they were given work to do that would pay for their board."

"I have simply answered that they didn't owe me or any one else gratitude. It's purely a business arrangement, tempered with just a little mercy and humanity. But Mrs. Wilson and I—it is she who is the real head in this undertaking—have found innumerable cases for whose sake we were grateful that there was such a place in the world."

"It is needed for such a place in San Francisco. People do not realize how many women are working here who earn barely enough to keep them, which they can pay for, and which will no more be a charity than the education of our sons at Yale or Harvard is, though it costs four times as much to maintain those institutions as is paid in for tuition."

"Think how little this is, in comparison with the sums expended for the rearing of our boys and wicked. And think how much the number of these might be diminished were one-tenth, yes, one-one-hundredth, given for the benefit of those who are strong and virtuous enough to resist temptation."

An entertainment was given on Friday evening at the Almshouse for the amusement of the inmates. The affair was arranged by Captain Reddy, and the talent furnished by several well known amateurs.

Canada has about 14,000 miles of railroad. George Larsen, who is employed at 200 Battery street, was seriously injured at Nineteenth and Mission streets last evening by being knocked down by a Mission-street electric car.

GOOD THINGS FOR THEM ALL

Toys and Bonbons Galore for Sunday-School Children.

The Jesuits Will Give Their Annual Christmas-Tree Festival.

Students End Their Retreat—Sacred Heart Leave Ladies to Receive Diplomas.

The annual Christmas Tree Festival for the children attending the St. Ignatius Sunday School will be held this afternoon in the church hall, on Van Ness avenue and Fulton street.

It has been the custom heretofore to have an entertainment in conjunction with the Christmas festival, but this feature will be abandoned this year for the principal reason that it does not interest the children, and as the festival is held expressly for the benefit of them it has been decided to entirely do away with it.

The students of St. Ignatius College will end their retreat this morning by receiving holy communion in a body at the 8 o'clock mass, to be held in the basement chapel.

The new half-year term of the Jesuit College will commence to-morrow morning, and applications of students desirous of taking courses should be forwarded at once to Father Allen.

An additional feature of this year's curriculum will be the teaching of modern languages, free of charge, to students desirous of studying them.

The first meeting of the session will be held by the Boys' Orchestra next Thursday evening at 7 o'clock in the basement of the college. This orchestra is composed of boys well advanced in the study of music, and is considered by the Jesuits and such laymen as have heard it in public concert to be one of exceptional merit.

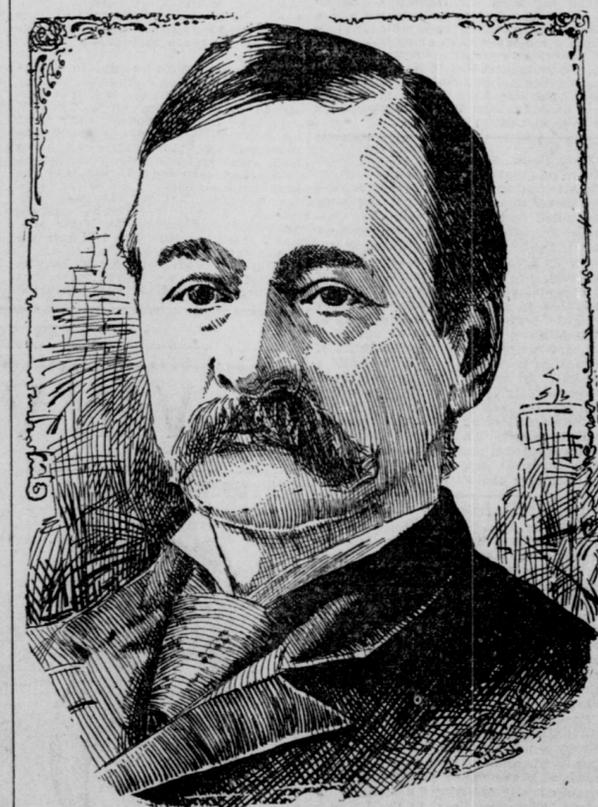
A solemn high mass will be celebrated next Sunday morning at the main church on Hayes street in honor of the feast of the Sacred Heart. His Grace Archbishop Riordan will deliver the sermon.

The Rev. Father Wyman of the Paulist community will deliver the sermon at vesper to-night on the subject of "The Finding of the Messiah."

Diphtheria Spreading. Six new cases of diphtheria yesterday, causing considerable alarm among the officers of the board.

NEW TO-DAY. "77" BREAKS UP. Lectures on European Travel. Next Tuesday evening Dr. Kummer will commence a course of five lectures at the Young Men's Christian Association.

more easily than if the Cold is permitted to run on. Those who keep "Seventy-seven" handy, and take a dose at the first sneeze or shiver, never have a bad cold and are saved from Pneumonia and other pulmonary diseases.



BENJAMIN F. BERGEN.

Judge B. F. Bergen of Berkeley was yesterday commissioned by Governor Budd a director of the State Deaf, Dumb and Blind Asylum. Mr. Bergen has resided in Berkeley for many years, during which time he has acted as a member of the Board of Education.

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