

SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE LOCAL CHURCHES.

Will Fill Pulpits Sunday.

Rev. A. Lichtenstein, a Hebrew christian preacher who has charge of the mission work throughout the south, with headquarters in St. Louis, is in the city, and will occupy the following pulpits Sunday, December 20:

Grace M. E. church at 11 a. m., and Avenue Baptist church at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Lichtenstein will also address the Y. M. C. A. men's meeting Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Subjects for the day:
At 11 a. m., "Why Am I a Christian?"

At 4 p. m., "How to Prove Jesus to the Jews From the Bible."

At 7:30 p. m., "It is Finished." Rev. Lichtenstein has been preaching for the last twenty years the gospel of Jesus Christ to his own people, the Jews. His subjects will be of great interest to all classes of people. All are earnestly and cordially invited to hear him. He will be helpful to every one who hears him. ***

Baptist Church.

Usual services tomorrow at the Baptist church.

Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.

Preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.

Rev. A. Lichtenstein, a Hebrew from St. Louis, Mo., will occupy the pulpit of the Avenue Baptist church Sunday night. Rev. Lichtenstein is an able, consecrated minister, and has for years been doing evangelistic work among both Jews and Gentiles. You are cordially invited to hear him. Services begin at 7:30.

Junior Union, 2 p. m.

Senior Union, 6:30 p. m.

Mission Sunday schools and preaching, 3 p. m.

A. D. Sparkman, Pastor.

Grace Methodist Church.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Morning service, 11 a. m.

Junior Epworth League, 3 p. m.

Evening service, 7:15 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday night at 7:30.

Every one cordially invited to attend.

Rev. A. Lichtenstein of St. Louis, who is doing evangelistic work among Jews and Gentiles, and especially among Jews, will preach at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning. All are invited, both Jews and Gentiles.

If you are a member of the Sunday school you are expected to be present at 9:30. The school is doing some very substantial work at present; all classes are now supplied with teachers and are starting out for better work, work that will count much for the advancement of all concerned. Bring your friend. All who are not connected with a Sunday school are invited to visit our school. If you like it, become a member.

Thos. R. Morehead, Pastor.

Christian Science.

Sunday services, 3 p. m.

Wednesday services, 8 p. m.

Meetings held in Board of Trade rooms, Avenue A.

Public cordially invited.

Christian Church.

Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

Senior Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Evening subject, "The Church vs. the Lodge." At this hour a special musical program will be rendered, and arrangements have been made to make the building comfortable.

Do not let the cold weather keep you away from Sunday school. Tomorrow is expected to be a great day

in the Sunday school. We repeat! If you are not a member of any Sunday school we will be pleased to enroll you in our school, and will give you a hearty welcome. Try our way.

A cordial invitation is extended the general public to worship with us.

L. D. Anderson, Pastor.

Centenary Methodist Church.

Sunday school at 9:30.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

There will be good music.

Choir practice, 4 p. m. C. P. Gunn, director.

Junior League 3 p. m.

Senior League, 6:30 p. m.

J. Kilgore, Pastor.

Episcopal Church.

Special sermon at 11 o'clock. Subject: "The General Judgment." First, its certainty; second, the manner in which it will be conducted; third, the judge.

Everybody invited.

Presbyterian Church.

Sabbath School, 9:30 a. m.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Teachers' meeting and Young People's Society, Sunday, 6:45 p. m.

Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.

R. H. Crozier, Pastor.

Congregational Church.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Christian Endeavor Union meeting at 6:30 p. m.

King's Daughters every fourth Tuesday in the month at 3 p. m. Mrs. Harriet Sivewright, president.

Congregational Brotherhood meets on first and third Sundays in the month at 3 p. m. David Harris, president.

Prayer meeting every Thursday at 8 p. m.

You are cordially invited to all these services.

M. J. Fulton, Clerk.

IVANHOE DEBATING CLUB.

Interesting Program Has Been Arranged For Monday Night.

Following is the program of the Ivanhoe Debating Club for Monday, December 21, at 8 p. m., in the Y. M. C. A. lecture hall:

Regular order of business.

Reading, "Merchant of Venice," by the Club.

Address on Literature—Dr. J. W. Sykes.

Debate, "Resolved, That Man is the Product of His Environment." Affirmative, M. R. Shelton and Geo. Greenberg; negative, J. E. Cornwell and Will Thorn. Each speaker allowed ten minutes and the affirmative side five minutes for rebuttal.

Report of critic.

Decision of judges.

Adjournment.

THE CHURCH AND THE LODGE.

Special Sermon By Rev. Anderson at Christian Church Sunday Night.

Much interest is being manifested in the special sermon to be preached by Rev. L. D. Anderson at the First Christian church Sunday evening.

The pastor will take as his subject "The Church vs. the Lodge." The Herald is requested to state that the building will be comfortable, no matter how cold it gets, that a special musical program will be rendered, and the public generally is invited to hear this sermon. Services begin at 7:30.

The latest model disc and cylinder graphophones, single and double records, at Schreiner's Music House.

Fireworks, all kinds, at Durr & Son's.

BILLY SUNDAY, THE BASEBALL PREACHER.

(Honey Grove Signal.)

Some years ago Billy Sunday was a noted baseball player and a favorite with the "fans" in all the league cities. One night Billy tore away from his companions and attended a revival meeting. An eloquent sermon was preached and Billy was converted. Soon he laid aside the mitt and bat, took up the Bible, and deserted the diamond for the pulpit. Today he is probably the most successful evangelist in the United States. It has been said that he is not an educated man, and some make the charge that his sermons are marked by roughness bordering upon indecency. This, however, a Des Moines paper disputes and publishes an extract from one of his discourses to prove that as a sermonizer he excels, while in beauty of expression he has few equals. The extract, which we reproduce below, is indeed a gem:

"Twenty-two years ago, with the Holy Spirit as my guide, I entered this wonderful temple called Christianity. I entered at the portico of Genesis, walked down through the Old Testament art gallery, where the pictures of Noah, Abraham, Moses, Joseph, Isaac, Jacob and Daniel hung on the wall. I passed into the music room of the Psalms, where the spirit swept the keyboard of nature and brought forth the dirge-like wail of the weeping prophet Jeremiah to the grand, impassioned strain of Isaiah, until it seemed that every reed and pipe in God's great organ of nature responded to the tuneful harp of David, the sweet singer of Israel. I entered the chapel of Ecclesiastes where the voice of the preacher was heard and into the conservatory of Sharon and the Lily of the Valley's sweet scented spires filled and perfumed my life. I entered the business office of Proverbs, then into the observatory room of the prophets where I saw telescopes of various sizes, some pointing to far-off events; but all concentrated upon the bright and morning star, which was to rise above the moonlit hills of Judea for our salvation. I entered the audience room of the King of Kings, and caught a vision of His glory from the standpoint of Matthew, Mark, Luke and John; passed into the Acts of the Apostles, where the Holy Spirit was doing his office work in the formal infant church. Then into the pondence room, where sat Matthew, Mark, Luke, John, Paul, Peter, James and Judas, penning their epistles. I stepped into the throne room of Revelations, where all towered into glittering peaks, and I got a vision of the King sitting upon His throne in all His glory, and I cried: "All hail the power of Jesus' name, Let angels prostrate fall: Bring forth the royal diadem And crown Him Lord of all!"

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE.

Change in Rural Carrier Examination Notice—Error in Date.

Persons interested in the rural carrier examination to be held in Palestine on January 9, 1909, are hereby notified that the former notice was in error regarding the date before which applications should be filed. Applications must be mailed in time to reach the Civil Service Commission (Rural Carrier Division), Washington, D. C., on or before December 30, 1908.

Geo. W. Burkitt, Jr., Postmaster.

WEATHER FORECAST.

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For Palestine and vicinity:

Tonight and Sunday fair weather, with stationary temperature.

Minimum temperature, 38.

Maximum temperature, 56.

Weather Conditions.

The storm area over the upper Ohio valley Friday has moved eastward and disappeared. Another storm area has appeared over Minnesota and has caused precipitation at scattered points in that section, and warmer weather in the upper valleys and Northwestern states. Rain fell yesterday in southern Texas and portions of the North Atlantic states. Showers were general this morning in Alabama and Georgia. Yesterday's cold area has advanced to Texas, causing decided falls in temperature in East and South Texas and the lower Mississippi valley. Below zero temperature is reported in Utah, Wyoming and Nevada. The coldest at 7 a. m. was 12 degrees below zero. The coldest at the same time in Texas was 18 degrees above in the Panhandle.

Continued cold weather is indicated with freezing temperature tonight and Sunday in the vicinity of Palestine.

G. Hass Hagen, Official in Charge.

CHRISTMAS Suggestions.

Those who have already inspected our Christmas Goods pronounce them the Best ever Displayed in Palestine.

As this is our first year to handle a Full Christmas Line, everything is new—no goods carried over from previous years. While we have no cheap, shoddy goods, we have many neat and inexpensive presents.

We Wish Especially to Call Your Attention to the Following

Wagons, Automobiles, Velocipedes and Doll Baby Carriages, in all sizes.

Toilet Cases, Comb and Brush Sets, Mirrors, Shaving Sets.

A beautiful line of Haviland China in odd pieces and sets.

Toy Pianos, Doll Babies.

Music Roll and Post Card Albums.

We are also showing a beautiful line of Stationery in fancy boxes.

We have on display a magnificent line of Perfumes in fancy and cut glass bottles.

LADIES—There is no more acceptable present to a man who smokes than a box of Bratton's Cigars, in Christmas boxes, \$1.00 to \$10.00.

GENTLEMEN—A box of fine candy is always appropriate and appreciated by the ladies. Our Christmas shipment will arrive about the 20th, by express, and will represent the finest products of four famous factories: Nunnally's, Jacobs, Allegrettis and Lennox Chocolates.

In conclusion we want to say that we believe this is going to be a big Christmas for Palestine. We have done what we could to make it so. On our books we have over twelve hundred names of good people in Palestine who have paid us promptly every month. To these we want to say that we appreciate your business and your names are still good on our books for Christmas goods, or anything we have.

IF YOU DO NOT FIND WHAT YOU WANT AT OUR SPRING STREET STORE, YOU WILL FIND IT AT OUR OAK STREET PHARMACY.

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