

Thirty Churches In Simultaneous Revival Campaign

OTHER RELIGIONS ARE FOR ADULTS

Christianity Only One That Includes All Says Rev. Julius T. Orton.

"Through Childhood's Door" was the title of the sermon delivered by Rev. Julius T. Orton at Hope Presbyterian chapel last night. One conversion was secured. The text of the sermon was taken from Matthew, "And He said, Verily I say unto you, except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven." "This passage," said the speaker, "is one of the keynotes to Christian religion." He said in part: "Christianity is the only religion that makes anything of the childhood of the Founder, other religions are for adults. Again Christianity is the only religion that has anything to do with childhood. It abounds in tenderest allusions to children. Christianity moreover is the only religion that requires the childlike spirit, other religions say, 'be manly.' Christ says 'be childlike.' We reach him as he came to us through the door of childhood.

"The child nature is the secret inlet from God to man, and the outlet from man to God. There is a great difference between childlikeness and childishness. God does not hold up passions, whims, impotencies of children for our imitation, but the childlikeness of the child which is the soul of the child. The qualities which endear the child to us are the simple trustfulness, tender heartedness, its consciousness of the unseen.

"We must empty our hearts and our heads of many so-called great and beautiful things, come down to the level and pass through the doorway of a little child. Many a father has grown away from his child, because he has forgotten his own childhood, his understanding arise, estrangements follow and the child leaves home.

"The Great Master preserved that childlike spirit through the garden, the scourging and the cross. He seemed intent on keeping what men and women lose everywhere in the busy throng, in the mart and trade.

The minister pleaded for a return to the childlike spirit and appealed to parents not to produce their children against becoming Christians. He also made a strong plea to the men, saying that men are afraid to express their emotions. He held up Paul as an example and said that it was a sure sign of manhood to be able to weep in front of another man, for doing this you will convince him better than with words.

Rev. Orton extended an invitation to those who had not already taken up Christ to come forward and shake the hand of the ministers. He also asked people present to bring their friends made a strong plea to the hundred this evening.

Rev. G. W. Allison led the choir and also rendered a vocal solo. A chorus of especially trained voices assisted in the services. "Sacrifice High" is the subject for this evening's sermon.

KEEP ON YOUR GUARD IS PASTOR'S ADVICE
Rev. Diguil of Fort Wayne Deivers Sermon at First M. E. Church.

"Beware of the dangers of falling off your guard." This was the keynote of the sermon delivered Monday night by Rev. Diguil of Fort Wayne at the First M. E. church. Special music was a feature of the evening services, given by the North Indiana conference male quartet. The quartet is composed of Rev. E. F. Naftzger of Wabash, Rev. L. J. Naftzger of Union City, Rev. F. E. Thornberg of Auburn and Rev. Diguil of Fort Wayne.

The theme of Rev. Diguil's sermon was taken from the 22nd chapter of Isaiah, "Awake, Put on Thy Strength, Oh Zion." He dwelt upon God's call to the church, "to be awake and be on their guard." "God does not do for us what he sees we can do, and ought to do, for ourselves," said Rev. Diguil. We must cooperate with God, and endeavor to put on strength, by using the latent power within us, in furtherance of our spiritual warfare.

THREE REQUISITES TO BRING SUCCESS

Rev. Guy H. Black Tells Congregation Big Field Awaits Them.

"There are three requisites for a successful revival," said Rev. Guy H. Black, pastor of Lowell Heights Methodist Episcopal church, corner St. Francis and Minor sts., last evening.

"First," he said, "we must have devout prayer—without which we cannot get right with God.

"Second, we must practice house to house visitation.

"Third, personal contact of Christians with the unsaved."

That Rev. Black has solid foundation for his principles regarding a successful revival is evidenced by the fact that since his arrival at Lowell Heights ten weeks ago, he has succeeded in bringing 53 converts to the church—or an average of five converts per week.

"Reach out and help," has been Rev. Black's revival slogan—and it was his "helping hand" spirit that brought about four conversions since the close of Sunday evening's service.

Rev. Black stated that in the immediate vicinity of the Lowell Heights church reside between 2,500 and 3,000 protestant citizens. The Lowell Heights church contains 263 members. "Therefore," said Rev. Black turning to a large sign hanging above the pulpit and which bears the admonition: "Each member to win at least one soul. For whom are you praying?"

Rev. Rolla I. Champion Says He Will Not Use Kid Gloves on People.

"I'm here to preach the plain old gospel of the Son of God. That's what you want, isn't it? If you don't you had better go home and pray until you have a change of heart and then come back to the revival," declared Rev. Rolla I. Champion at the Trinity M. E. church last night.

"I don't handle religion with kid gloves," he declared. "I don't intend to feed any of you people sweet drops. But I am glad to be here, glad to get out of that smoky, dirty city of Terre Haute, where I have, I believe, and I am proud to say with the assistance of the Holy Spirit, brought some souls to Christ; I am glad to breathe the good fresh air of this prairie and I know that this revival is going to be good for me as well as for you.

"I want the congregation to get busy, do some personal gospel spreading, use the phone, get out and see the people, bring some friend of yours who has fallen by the wayside to church, and finally talk, talk, talk the revival everywhere," said the speaker. "The success of this revival depends as much upon you setting down there listening to me as it does on me."

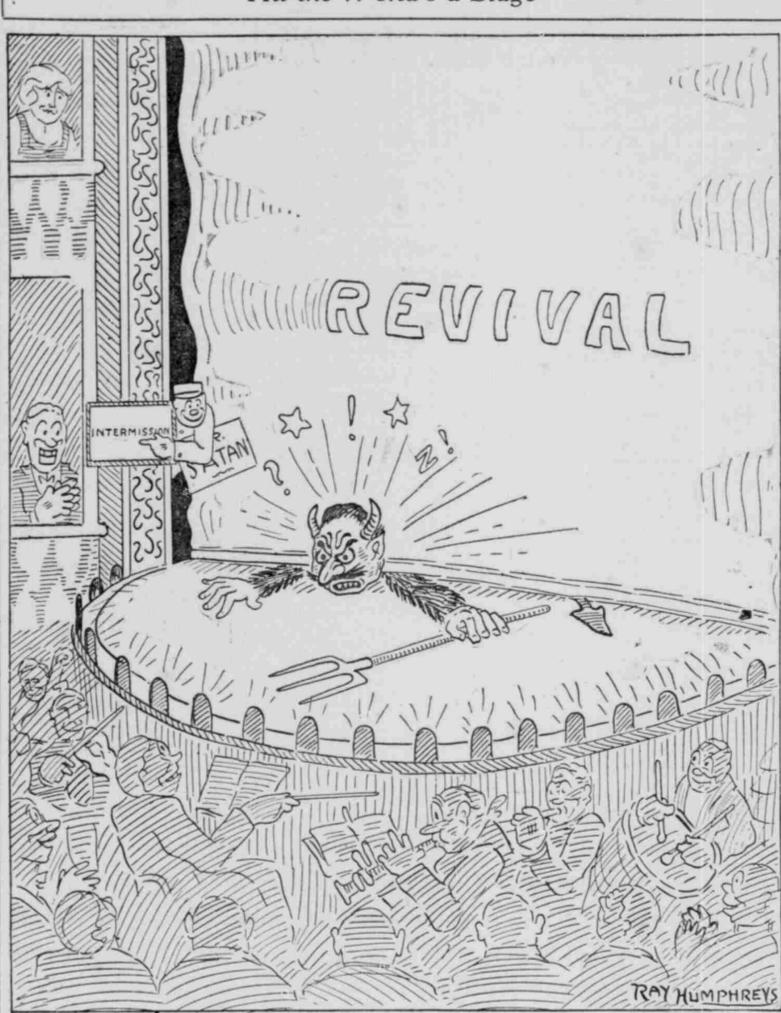
"Taking as his text 'By grace are you saved, through faith,' the speaker explained what he meant by grace.

"Grace," he said, "is an undeserving kindness, a gift of God's love, an outburst of His mercy and compassion. It is an impossibility with man, a possibility with God.

"In the days of Wesley the ministry had a great deal to say about sin, its hideousness, its awfulness, but nowadays and every since the day of the kind and gentle Moody they have been talking about a God of love and grace. I think the change is a good one," the speaker said.

Prof. Heinrich A. Schmidt, who is assisting Rev. Champion in conducting the revival, had charge of the singing and rendered several solos.

All the World's a Stage



URGES ALL TO HAVE FORGIVING SPIRIT

"We are all members of the universal church of Christ," declared Rev. A. H. McKenna to a large gathering at Epworth Memorial M. E. church last night. He called upon his congregation to take seriously into consideration the teachings of Christ on forgiveness and to cultivate "The Forgiving Spirit," which was the subject of his sermon. The text was taken from Matt. 5:11.

"Before a man can pray as he ought to pray, he must possess the forgiving spirit," said Rev. McKenna. "An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth is no longer the law of God's children. Christ, throughout his whole life, sought to teach the lesson of forgiveness, and, if we are to be true children of Christ, we must follow his example."

"By the very fact that we are holding a revival campaign, we admit that the religious life of our city is not what it should be. Churches are not filled regularly and congregations have become careless. The purpose of this campaign is to bring about a true rejuvenation of faith. It is for this purpose that we are here tonight. For this reason we have brought our hearts for sacrifice to the altar of God. We are here to lay hold of the horns of the altar and pray for faith."

There will be a meeting in the church this afternoon for the purpose of studying the Bible. Regular services will take place at 7:30 tonight.

RELIGION MUST BE TAKEN TO EVERYBODY

Christ Drew No Line in Loving All People Says Rev. W. C. White.

"The purpose of God's religion is not saving those we think will make great men or women but all. We must aim to save the scrub woman or the street cleaner and must work as diligently as in this aim as we would were we endeavoring to save the soul of the governor or president, for one soul saved is one, no matter whether it be of a distinguished person or not," said Rev. Walter C. White, evangelist at the First Christian church.

"There are enough Christians caring for and working to save the souls of the great prospects of the country and what the religion of today must do to win souls for Christ is to get down to the down and out class that are not given a thought.

REVIVAL SERVICES WELL ATTENDED

Much Interest is Being Shown in Meetings by Members of Churches.

Evangelization of Christianity into active life was given another substantial boost at last night's meetings of the simultaneous campaign being conducted in thirty churches of South Bend and Mishawaka. Few of the churches have begun the work of inviting penitents forward but at least seven are reported to have taken that step. In all probability a score might be checked down. Increasing interest was evident everywhere.

At the First Baptist church tonight, members of the Brotherhood will be in charge of a 20 minute service preliminary to Rev. C. A. Decker's sermon. Arrangements are being made to have at least 99 men present at the services to sing "The Ninety and Nine." Rev. Decker's subject will deal with the story of Christ, who left the 99 just to find the one unjust.

Rev. Edwin Castle, pastor of Linden Avenue Christian church is making sociology the key-note of the campaign at his church. A committee is working among the people of the district to get them to attend the remainder of the services.

Special Work Among Women. Special work among the women in the south part of the city has been started by Mrs. Rev. E. C. Miller, who is here to assist in the revival meetings at the First Brethren church. Rev. A. E. Thomas, pastor of the church, will talk on "One of the Saddest Pictures in the New Testament." Rev. W. S. Bell, the "Pacific coast evangelist," will start his meetings at the church next week.

Marked enthusiasm prevailed on Monday night at the First Christian church. There, in keeping with the announcement made Sunday night by Dr. Walter White, evangelist at the church during the simultaneous campaign, no unusual demonstrations of any sort were to characterize the evening meetings. A good attendance was present last night.

Dr. White told the members of his audience that after hearing the sermon on the opening night, they had "seen the whole show." "We are not putting on a circus, there is no manager to be seen, we are just going to worship here, bend every effort to make the revival a success, and conduct our campaign quietly and with the helpful guidance of God," he said.

"Good Day For 'Blue Monday.'" At the Grace M. E. church, an audience that well filled the church attended the services. Dr. Ludgate commented on the size of the crowd and expressed his admiration, for such a turnout on "Blue Monday." He also commended the News-Times and asked his hearers to watch the morning paper for announcements of

coming sermons with their subjects and dates.

There was a liberal attendance at the First Evangelical church where Rev. W. H. Freshley spoke upon the topic, "The Excuses of Moses," in which he dealt largely with the theme that Christians should live sermons of Christianity as well as speak them. He urged the people of the church to carry the message of God wherever they might go either at work or at play, asserting that in this manner the religion of Christ would be a real success.

Too Much Dignity and Obstacle. In his sermon at the Westminster Presbyterian church Rev. D. M. Conn expressed the wish that Billy Sunday might have the opportunity of putting all the ministers into one tabernacle for a month's instruction in soul saving. In his sermon he also asserted that dignity among members is proving one of the greatest obstacles to fulfilling the wishes of God. There was a good attendance at the meeting which was featured by a number of musical numbers participated in by the entire audience.

At the First Presbyterian church Rev. C. A. Lippincott dealt largely with the part that sincere conviction and faith in Christ plays in the saving of souls. He pointed out that without real conviction there could be little good work done for the church. The disciple, Andrew, was used as an example to show how great things might be accomplished through faith and conviction.

ON WAY TO CHURCH SEES MAN KILLED

"Where the word of a King is, there is power." This was the text of the sermon delivered by Rev. Edwin Castle to the congregation of the Linden Avenue Christian church last night. Beginning with a short biographical sketch of King Solomon and King David, the speaker showed how these men had received the gift of wisdom from God, but, by disobeying Him, had for a time lost His favor.

"Look at the various nations across the water," said the speaker. "One man has power to declare a war and to call on all to fight. If they fail to respond to his summons he has power to punish them.

"But there is one King," he continued, "who has caused all other kings to be, one King who has created kings." That this was not Jesus, but God of Whom he spoke was shown when he asked if any one of his listeners had ever read in the Bible of Jesus sitting on a throne. He pointed out that Jesus had not as yet come into His Kingdom but that He sits at the right hand of God interceding and praying to His Father for us."

In speaking of the certainty of death and the need of preparing for it, the speaker described graphically the accident which took place last night in which a man was killed by a train and which he had witnessed.

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