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A LIMELIGHT.

In refusing the invitation to dine with President Wilson and to discuss with him and other members of the committee the Constitution for the League of Nations, Senator Borah claimed that the acceptance of such invitations usually carried with it an obligation to concur with the ideas of the host. Surely the Senator must be mistaken. We firmly believe that the other members of this committee are men of strong minds and their opinions could not be influenced by a dinner, even though a guest of the President of the United States. All big men are willing to listen and consider opinions, reasons, etc., of those who differ with them and we are quite surprised that such a big man as Senator Borah should refuse to discuss with the President the different reasons for some of the articles of the League of Nations.

While it is true that the text of the Constitution speaks for itself, there may be many and valid reasons for its present phraseology. The greatest men of the world have had under consideration this world-famous document, that not only affects a few countries but one that will guide all nations in the future. Of course there will be differences of opinion, criticism, etc., it is but right that the articles of this instrument should be scrutinized, analyzed and studied, but we fail to see where anyone would commit themselves by getting direct information regarding this document from one of its authors.

WHAT AILS LOUISIANA'S CREDIT?

One of our prominent merchants received a few days ago a letter from the Cincinnati Butchers' Supply Company, and we quote a paragraph from this letter as follows:

"We have discontinued the carrying of accounts in Louisiana, and we kindly ask that you send us your check for this amount, and we will forward your order promptly."

"We have discontinued the carrying of accounts in Louisiana." Is this not a significant expression? Does it not show that there is something wrong somewhere? The party in Algiers receiving this letter has the very highest credit, and it goes without saying that the paragraph in this letter is directed at the State of Louisiana. Either its laws on the collection of foreign accounts are out of order or there is something else that actuates business houses from refusing credit in Louisiana.

Our Association of Commerce should take this matter under consideration and find out from the Cincinnati house why they refuse to extend credit to Louisiana customers.

WHY? AND WHY NOT?

Several of the deposed princelets of Germany are qualified to earn their own living. The Grand Duke of Oldenburg is a naval engineer; the Grand Duke of Hesse an architect, and King Louis of Wurtemberg an experienced hotel manager. Duke Henry of Mecklenburg-Schwerin has been a salesman of automobiles in the United States; Prince William of Saxe-Weimar a waiter in a New York restaurant. The daughters of King Frederick Augustus of Saxony are good housekeepers. Let 'em work!

The Law School at Yale University has been opened to women. Marshal Foch, who is sixty-seven years old, rises at 6:30 a. m., lunches at 12, and retires at 10:30 p. m.

The United States is the only big country that does not collect taxes on sugar, tea, coffee or bank checks.

Mayor Hylan of New York has ordered the police to prevent display of the red flag in the city streets. Good for Hylan!

The railroads will retain permanently 100,000 of the women who were added to their payrolls on account of the war.

Since September, 1914, retail food prices have advanced 67 per cent and work-people's average weekly earnings 80 per cent. Milliners say that never before was so much money spent for hats. The demand for evening frocks has overwhelmed the dealers.

The war lasted 1,567 days. The Central Powers had the upper hand for 1,452 days. Foch's offensive defeated the enemy in 115 days.

Allies are asking what became of the German harvest of 1918, which Germans boasted was 15 per cent greater than that of 1917.

A resolution on its way to adoption by Congress authorizes the giving of bronze medals to all soldiers and sailors who served in the great war.

Visitors of the Holy Name of Mary

Rev. P. H. Dagneau, the well known and popular professor of Jefferson College was in Algiers for a short stay last Saturday.

On Friday evening, devotions in honor of St. Joseph will open with special prayers and Benediction at 7 o'clock. The object of these devotions is two fold, to return thanks to God through St. Joseph for past protection during the trying days of the epidemic and to beseech Our Lord the powerful intercession of his foster-father to bring our soldier boys safe home again.

On the last Sunday of March, the Passionist Fathers will begin a three weeks mission. Our old friend Father Charles, will be one of the missionaries. The name of the other has not yet been announced but all can rest assured that he will be an eloquent preacher.

The Sisters wish to thank all those who contributed to make the benefit last Thursday evening such a grand success.

The magnificent sum of \$650.00, was realized. The debt hanging over the Convent was \$640.00. It is now removed.

The following raffles took place at the H. N. G. C. last Sunday evening. The pony, the store, the doll, the fruit cake and the turkey.

Rita Audrey, daughter of Nicholas Baudan and Virginia Wattigney. Sponsors, Leon Baudan and Emelda Wattigney.

James Andrew, son of John Andrew Perron and Rose Gibbons of Alix Street. Sponsors, Hector B. Brown and Josephine Poise.

Corinne Bruney, daughter of Chas. Bruney and Maud Johnson. Sponsors, Lee Holman and Anita Bruney.

Natale Camille, daughter of Jos. Lafrance and Pearl Carrubba of 623 Elmira. Sponsors, Frank Carrubba and Mrs. Alex Melancon.

The Holy Name Society of the Holy Name of Mary Church at a special

meeting last week decided to give a benefit show at the H. N. G. C. The members took to the idea with enthusiasm and all the tickets were distributed and more are wanted.

All members of the parish are invited to the H. N. G. C. on that night. There will be the usual big feature "Bert Lytell" in "Unexpected Places."

The Holy Name Society should have the enthusiastic support of all the members of the parish, hence if you are going to a show Friday come to the H. N. G. C. and help out this worthy organization.

Usual hour 7 p. m., usual prices, 5 and 10 cents.

Rev. C. C. Wier, Residence 236 Olivier, Phone Alg. 138.

Last Sunday was a big day for our people. At the morning hour, the Juniors had good music, of especial interest was the violin duet by Misses Ida Harvey and Orrie Summers. The pastor's subject was "The Stewardship of Prayer."

At the close of the service the call for intercessors was made. The objects for prayer are: That all the leaders of the campaign may be chosen of God and empowered for service. (2) That the plans may be inaugurated and carried through in obedience to the will of God. (3) That the financial appeal may be made in a spirit and the money secured by methods that will enrich the life of the church and inspire it with new faith and courage. (4) That the Centenary campaign may work a turning point in the history of Methodism and usher in a new era of spiritual conquest.

Miss Luella Dunn presented some of the Centenary work proposed for the African race, at home and abroad.

At night there was good music by Mizpah choir and the congregation joined in singing some of the great songs of Christendom. At 3 p. m., the Epworth League went to Jackson Barracks to hold services. The Juniors and Mizpah choir assisted. Rev. W. E. Thomas made an appropriate talk.

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The pastor appointed committees as follows:

Centenary Committee, Missions, Mrs. T. P. Bell, Miss Florence Burgess and Mrs. J. Edgar Lono. Membership in the Methodist Association, Messrs. L. T. Dunn, Edward H. Daniels and E. E. Cayard.

Armenian Relief, Lieut. Bell and J. U. Melancon.

Enrollment of Intercessors, L. T. Dunn, Miss Luella Dunn, Mrs. E. H. Cayard, Mrs. T. P. Bell, Mrs. Jessie Summers and Capt. C. J. Zatarain.

PERSONALS. Capt. Wallace H. Hebert, Jr., will leave Friday 28, for California, where he will make his future home. He has the best wishes of a host of friends.

Mr. Edmond Hebert was a guest of his father and mother, Capt. and Mrs. Hebert, a part of last week. He returned to his duties with the sailors on Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hebert was buried from the Lutheran Church last Sunday afternoon. She had a number of friends in our congregation and was a sister of Mr. E. H. Cayard. When the pastor was at Lafayette several years ago, he performed her marriage.

Messrs. Robt. W. and Thos. P. Wier, of Wier Longleaf Lumber Co., Houston, Texas, attended the big Pine Association at the Grunewald hotel, and were guests on Tuesday of Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Wier.

Mrs. Lewis is the guest of her brother, Dr. A. C. King, 301 Vallette St.

Miss Ruth Pettigrove is well again after a few days sickness.

Misses Roberta and Ruth Hafkesbreng have been sick this week.

Mrs. I. R. Rostrop of 625 Belleville has been sick.

Mr. B. R. Blakeman is in Touro Infirmary for a slight operation, the after-effects of the influenza.

Messrs. Merritt Girard and Clarence Smelling were visiting friends last Sunday.

Mrs. J. Feske has returned to her home in Franklin after a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Frank Ryan.

The Boy Scouts of Troop No. 18 are planning to have a nice garden, but the ground has been too wet to plant. They had a fine meeting last Friday night. Next Friday night Mr. Borden hopes to meet at least sixteen boys for the drill.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. Prayer meeting tonight at 7:30. Membership committee will report. Services next Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

At the morning hour the subject will be: "The Stewardship of Life." Every young person is especially invited. This is one of Centenary talks. Keep in touch with the great movement. It looks out of harmony if you fail to get interested.

SUNDAY SCHOOL. Martin and Howard reached the goal at the same time, last Sunday morning. Martin however was a lap behind his opponent, but in the last stretch, he succeeded in making his propeller, even with Howard's machine. At several times during the race Howard's machine seemed to be the best, and led at several times for weeks, but Martin stayed to the track and sailed on, finally gaining on Howard. For two weeks Martin was at a standstill, and we could imagine we saw him up above the clouds getting excited, but something happened, because the next week we saw him again speeding up and moving steadily on. All members of the school who gave fuel to these two Lieutenants to send them over their terrible voyage should try to keep up the good work on bring more.

EPWORTH LEAGUE. The Service last Sunday evening was led by Miss Florence Green, with a large number of leaguers present. Perhaps you were not at the meeting, if so you missed it. Be at the next meeting next Sunday evening at seven sharp, as we want to begin on time.

CALENDAR FOR LENT, 1919. March 5—Ash-Wednesday. March 9—First Sunday in Lent. March 12—Ember Day. March 14—Ember Day. March 15—Ember Day. March 16—Second Sunday in Lent. March 23—Third Sunday in Lent. March 25—Annunciation B. V. M. March 30—Fourth Sunday in Lent. April 6—Fifth Sunday in Lent. April 13—Sunday (Palm before Easter).

April 14—Monday in Holy Week. April 15—Tuesday in Holy Week. April 16—Wednesday in Holy Week. April 17—Maundy-Thursdays. April 18—Good Friday. April 19—Easter Even. April 20—Easter Day.

LENTEN SERVICES 1919. Ash Wednesday, March 5—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 o'clock. Sundays—Services at the usual hours.

Week Days—Daily morning prayers at 8:15 o'clock, Wednesdays and Fridays, evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 o'clock.

Holy Week—Maundy-Thursdays, Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m.; daily, except Saturday, evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 o'clock.

Good Friday, April 18—"The Three Hours," 12 m. to 3 p. m.

Easter Day, April 20—Holy Communion at 6 and 9 a. m., Sunday School Festival at 4 p. m.

Last Sunday Rev. Gardiner L. Tucker, of St. Matthew's Church, Houma, La., officiated at the morning services at Mount Olivet. At Sunday School he delivered an address on "How Our Church Came to Louisiana." He said in part: "Our Church came to Louisiana in 1805, or soon after the territory was sold by Napoleon to the United States. So, when our Church came to Louisiana, it came to a French Commonwealth. It was therefore the first to present the spiritual freedom of Protestantism in Louisiana. Rev. Philander Chase entered upon the work in New Orleans in 1806 as rector of Christ Church. In 1808 a diocese was organized, with Leonidas Polk, soldier and statesman, as first bishop. In 1861 Bishop Polk accepted the commission of Major General in the Confederate army and was killed in battle in 1864. After the Civil War, Bishop Wilmer nursed the church through the days of Reconstruction. Under Bishop Galeher it became vigorous once again. And to this day, under its present bishop, it is developing along lines of sane and conservative progress."

The visit of the Rev. G. L. Tucker to Mount Olivet was greatly appreciated and we extend to him a cordial invitation to come again.

Rev. S. L. Vail officiated at the morning services at St. Matthew's Church, Houma, on Sunday last.

At the evening service at Mount Olivet the rector preached on "The Responsibility of the Church for Social Morals." Taking his text from Saint Matthew, 8:3, "And Jesus put forth his hand and touched him, saying, 'I will, be thou clean.'" he said in part: "Today we stand face to face with venereal diseases that are corrupting the minds, bodies and souls of men, women and children. The Church is responsible for the morals of her people and should take an active part in the work of making our communities clean and our cities fit to live in. To prevent the evils of vice, rather than to have posterity suffer the punishment which inevitably comes as a result of vicious living, is the duty that every Christian citizen owes to his community. We need to-day in our cities good citizens, aggressive, earnest, zealous and righteous men and women; people with convictions and a will to demand that our communities 'come clean.' These, through their efforts in God's name, can save the most wicked of cities from the evils of vice and sin. Just as soon as we, as a people, are ready and determined to stop vice it will be stopped. Just as we are sincere and take our stand for God and a clean city and say, 'Be thou clean,' or in the words of to-day, 'Come clean,' our city will come clean. But the 'Come Clean Campaign' must be, as it is intended, nation-wide in its scope. Then the leprosy of vice will be cleansed and our cities will be gradually freed from the stigma of venereal diseases and our people from the results of evil living." The rector read the letter of Surgeon General Rupert Blue, of the United States Public Health Service, toward the close of his sermon.

NOTICES. Special meeting of Woman's Guild at the residence of Mrs. J. E. Huckins, 324 Alix Street, Thursday, February 27, at 7 p. m.

Confirmation class Friday at 3:30 p. m.

Sunday ("Quinquagesima")—Holy Communion at 7 a. m., Sunday School at 9:30 a. m., evening prayer and sermon at 7:30 o'clock.

Ash Wednesday, March 5—Holy Communion at 7:30 a. m., evening prayer and sermon, subject, "How Shall I Help Lent?" at 7:30 o'clock.

Lent is an opportunity. Grasp it. Opportunity once neglected never returns. It is also a privilege full of inspiring thoughts, noble occupations and deep devotion.

Masquerade party, Friday, February 28, at Pythian Hall. Children, from 6 to 9 p. m., 15 cents; adults, from 9 to 12 p. m., 25 cents. Music, dancing and refreshments. Mrs. J. E. Huckins, chairman.

On Sunday afternoon at 2:30 the funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Hebert took place. Mrs. Hebert was formerly a resident of Algiers, but of late she resided at Los Angeles, Cal. She died in a hospital at Los Angeles on Feb. 15th. The body arrived here on Saturday night. She departed was born Aug. 25th, 1879. She was interred at the Greenwood

Cemetery. She leaves her husband, four brothers and four sisters. Memorial prayer will be said Sunday morning.

Thursday evening the Rev. O. W. Wismar will deliver a lecture on St. John, the Baptist. All are heartily invited to attend this lecture.

On Wednesday evening March 5, the Helping Hand meets at the parsonage for its regular monthly meeting.

On Thursday evening, March 6th, Holy Communion will be celebrated. All who wish to attend should announce themselves to the pastor any time during the week.

McDONOUGH No. 4 NOTES.

To aid in the "Back-to-School Campaign," which is being agitated throughout our country, the teachers and Eighth Grade pupils of this school will conduct a house-to-house canvass of this entire district. For this work six squads have been formed, each one being composed of two teachers and four boys. The object is to ascertain necessary data about all boys between the ages of six and sixteen years, whether they are in school or not.

A School Garden Club has been formed and a number of pupils from each department have signified their intention to do their share of farm work. A committee of teachers will keep in close touch with the work and will visit these gardens from time to time to report on the progress made and the results obtained.

McDonogh No. 4, up to the present time, is the only boy's school to enter the Music Contest to be held in the Spring of this year. The pupils must familiarize themselves with the airs of forty-one designated musical selections and the names of their composers. They are supposed to be able to detect what is being played without the name being announced.

A circular has been issued urging all teachers, parents and patrons of schools to become members of the Public School Athletic League. The object is to raise \$3,000 to help support this league, so that it may continue its fine work. The teachers' yearly dues are \$1 and those of parents and patrons are also \$1. Co-operative Club dues \$5. Those who wish to become members may enter their names with the principal of any of our schools.

DANCE AT K. OF C. HUT.

Another one of those most delightful dances took place Tuesday night at the Knights of Columbus Hut at the Naval Station. The music was furnished by the Naval Station Jazz Band. The jolly crowd of young folks spent a most enjoyable evening. Mr. M. S. Riggs, the efficient general secretary in charge of the Hut, was present to look after the success of the affair. Those present were: Misses Camille Nelson, Eula and Zema Judin, Emily and Helen Tallon, Rita Yuratic, Gwendolyn Glynn, Chris Giblin, Ermini Hopper, Helen and May Daley, Della Killeen, Frederica Stansbury, Melvina Dwyer, Bernadette Fabares, Rita Gates, Cornelia Murphy, Aily O'Sullivan, Gertrude Robicheaux, Nettie and Florence Forrest, Cleo Platt, Cora Shields, Florence Lusk, Madeline Spahr, Adele and Rita Rousselet, Edwina and Eunice Muntz, Mildred Murtagh, Carmelite Goff, Clare Cassidy, Francis Haggerty, Theresa Platt, Lois Gravois, Alma Pujol, Lilburn Capbern, Irma May Vinet, Ione Rooney, Noble Richard, Gladys Rooney, Elinor Rooney, Janet Calvin, Pansy Watkins, Mary Brown, Mildred Curren, Mabel Comeaux and Mary Collins.

RED CROSS.

There are fifty layettes for Belgian babies to be distributed from headquarters. The Hospital Garments Department feels sure that there will be no delay in distributing them. Mothers of Algiers who have little ones of their own will be best able to do this work and we appeal to them in the name of the helpless Belgians.

The garments will be distributed any night this week, by the Hospital Garments Department, through Mrs. V. Olivier, captain of the department.

Worthy Son of Nippon.

One of the first Japanese settlers in California was Kanae Nagasawa, the present owner of one of the largest wineries in the state. In 1865 the then young Nagasawa was sent to Scotland for education, by the prince of Satsuma. While in Edinburgh he was befriended by a Mr. Harris, founder of a certain religious faith of high idealism. In 1868 Harris came to the United States to found an ideal colony, and Nagasawa accompanied him to New York, where he stayed for over ten years. When Harris established a colony in Santa Rosa in 1880 Nagasawa was his confidant and fellow pioneer. By his zeal and industry he converted the wilderness into a vineyard and today his wines command the highest prices in the markets of London and Paris.

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The shortening of the high heels will not be accomplished before next June and peace may intervene to prevent it even then. If the war doesn't permanently dispose of French heels then the United States will have been cheated out of a great compensation.

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50c jars of VACHER-BALM contain 2 1/2 times as much as the 25c jars.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER.

On last Friday Miss Nella Boudreaux was tendered a miscellaneous shower by a number of her friends at her home in Eliza Street. She received many handsome gifts. Those present were Misses Glessner Shirk, Doris Baker, Leonatus and Osceola Casler, Anne Trauth, Adele Burmaster, Callie and Halcyn Sutherland, Leah and Nella Boudreaux, Rita Fernandez and Catherine Hornox.

SYRIAN RELIEF DRIVE.

Mrs. Kate Vallier, of Olivier Street, who has been appointed captain of the team for the Syrian Relief Drive, has announced the appointment of her two lieutenants, namely, Mrs. E. W. Burgess and Mrs. William Van Hies. The "Drive" began yesterday morning and will continue throughout the week.

Aviator's Heart Enlarged.

Doctors Etienne and Lamy of Nancy, France, have conducted a series of X-ray examinations of the hearts of aviators and have found evidence of considerable enlargement. The heart enlargement sets in early in the flying man's career, being noticeable after five months of experience in the air. The degree of enlargement is roughly proportioned to the height at which the aviator is accustomed to fly, so that simple examination of the X-ray plate suffices to determine a man's branch of flying service; whether he is doing chasing and bombing work at high altitudes, or is engaged at harrying infantry, etc., at comparatively low altitudes.

The enlargement seems to be symmetrical, and it does not appear to involve serious trouble. It is due to the heart's adapting itself to the extra work put upon it by changes in the blood circulation because of the varying conditions in the atmosphere through which the aviator flies and to the general happenings incident to aviation.

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