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IMPORTANT SESSION

City Council to Hold Regular Meeting Tonight.

The city council will hold a regular meeting tonight and begin its work of closing up the business for the year. The term of the present council will close January 1, at which time the new members will take their seats. Work preparatory to forming the new organization will soon begin.

TRY ADMIRAL COFFEE.

SUNDAY SERVICES IN THE LOCAL HOUSES OF WORSHIP

Rev. D. H. Bailey Gives Third Discourse on Theme, "Popular Routes to Hell, from Marion, Ohio," Denouncing the Ball Room as one of the Churches' Greatest Enemies—Rev. George M. Rourke Delivers Powerful Sermon on the "After Election—What?"—Dr. W. O. Fries of Dayton Preaches at the U. B. Church—Rev. Curran Preaches on Theme, "Election Congratulations."

Rev. George M. Rourke, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, preached a strong spiritual sermon, Sunday evening, to a large congregation, which filled practically every seat in the edifice. His subject was "After Election—What?" The text, found in Genesis 7:1, reads, "And Lord said unto Noah, Come thou and all thy house into the ark."

Rev. Mr. Rourke, using the ark of Noah as a literal example, urged all of his hearers to enter the ark of safety, the ark represented by repentance for sins, regeneration and belief.

"Just as the ark of Noah was open to living things of all specie, so is the ark of safety open to every living being today," said the Presbyterian pastor. "It is not just for yourself, your wife, or your daughter, but everyone in your household."

"After the judgment of the past week during which some suffered the disappointment of defeat and others tasted the fruits of victory," said

Rev. Mr. Bailey chose for his theme "To Hell in Airships". His texts were found in Ephesians 2:2 "The Prince of the Power of the Air" and Ephesians 6:12, "We wrestle Not Against Flesh and Blood but Against Principalities". He opened his address by referring to various smiles to illustrate spiritual truth such as the tolling farmer, the fisherman, the sailor, children playing in the streets. Looking upon the other side of life he spoke of the mad rush, the social whirl, the insanity of it all. The pastor referred to the hazardous mode of travel of the airship and then drew lessons in social life from such pictures. "The spirit of the age is love for pleasure; the world has gone mad over it; it is this excessive love for pleasure that destroys and cripples the moral and religious life," declared Rev. Bailey. The pastor declared that one of the strongest proofs of the popularity of pleasure is the fact that all summer resorts or any resort is always crowded with people. The manager of the pleasure resort never goes broke for his cause is sure to please," said the speaker. "It was demonstrated that the people are mad over pleasure by the last election, when in many of the cities the Sabbath desecration was made the issue. The people who had turned the Sabbath into a holiday and made it a day for theaters, dances, Sunday base ball, etc., seemed to be in the majority," declared the pastor.

In his concluding remarks, Rev. Bailey made a forcible attack upon the dance. He referred to the question as it had been discussed by the leaders of various churches. "A great many people are of the opinion that the Methodists are the only people who fight dancing and I am going to prove that all churches are emphatically against it," declared the pastor.

Quoting from Rev. J. F. Brock, formerly of the Episcopal church of Cincinnati and a leading Episcopal minister of the country, Rev. Bailey gave the dance its hardest jolt. He quoted Brock's opinion of the dance which follows:

"I am willing to weigh such testimony against the feeble-minded clergymen who choose to disgrace the Episcopal pulpit by publicly attending or privately patronizing the dance with the hope of inducing the wealthy and fashionable to enter their church. Verily they have their reward but they have it only here."

Quoting from the New York Journal of Education, Rev. Bailey said "Parlor dancing is dangerous; tipping leads to drunkenness and dancing to ungodly talk." The archbishop of Dublin of the Catholic faith says, "Never engage in these improper dances imported from other countries such as the waltz, polka, etc."

Concluding on his tirade against the ball, Rev. Bailey quoted the opinions of prominent ministers in practically every Christian church in the land, succeeding in proving his point that there is no church that upholds the dance without violating the moral laws upon which it is founded.

The men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon was largely attended and proved exceedingly interesting. The Y. M. C. A. six piece orchestra rendered an informal concert in the lobby of the building at 2:30 o'clock. The meeting was called to order at 3 o'clock in the parlors, Mr. V. W. Main, assistant secretary of the Association was in charge. Following a short song service Mr. Main gave an interesting talk on the subject "Success in Christian Service."

The meeting concluded with a number of extemporaneous talks by various persons present.

The congregation of the United Brethren church held church rally services Sunday, holding meetings in the morning, afternoon and evening. The services were in charge of Rev. W. O. Fries, of

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ANTHONY'S LAUNDRY.

Two large congregations were present at the Wesley Mission Sunday, where stirring revival services are in progress. Rev. Charles Straub preached both afternoon and evening. The altar was filled with seekers at both services and twenty members of the congregation arose for the prayers of the church. At the night meeting large numbers were turned away unable to gain admittance to the Davids street house of worship.

Services will be held every afternoon and evening during the present week. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

PROMOTION DAY.

Promotion day was celebrated by the Sunday school of Epworth M. E. church Sunday morning. A large audience was in attendance to enjoy an excellent program which was rendered by the junior members and little folks of the school.

The program was in charge of J. H. Bain superintendent of the intermediate school. After devotional exercises conducted by Rev. D. H. Bailey the program opened with an address of welcome by Huber Ulrich. Sheldon Eckford rendered a highly pleasing vocal solo after which the kindergarten class gave a brilliant catechism drill and received promotion diplomas.

The members of the primary class were put through a severe test on their knowledge of the scriptures and were afterwards presented with their diplomas. A notable feature of the program was a violin solo by Master Elmer Owen. He was accompanied by Miss Marjorie Owen on the piano. Mr. Earl Smart gave the members of the junior department their final examination after which the members were presented with certificates of promotion into the intermediate department.

The program was concluded with a short address by Rev. D. H. Bailey.

At the Epworth M. E. church last evening, Rev. D. H. Bailey delivered the third of a series of sermons on the theme "Popular Routes to Hell, from Marion, O." The pastor preached straight from the shoulder and drove his thoughts home. He denounced the ball room in particular, naming it one of the churches' greatest ene-

emies.

Rev. Mr. Rourke, referring to the election just closed, "we are called upon to turn our thoughts to another theme, that of Jesus Christ and the salvation of the world."

"Just as the ark of Noah had an entrance wide enough for all, so the entrance to the ark of safety is ample for the people today. Entrance to it must be gained through the bleeding side of Christ. The ark of safety furnishes refuge during hours of defeat and suffering, during times of financial distress and during the sorrows of domestic life, when death visits the home."

The speaker urged all to turn a deaf ear to those who sneer at the thought of leading pure lives. He admonished all parents to enter the ark of safety so as to set a proper example for their children.

"You are teaching your children how to live today," he said; "but are you teaching them how to die tomorrow?"

Rev. Mr. Rourke closed his discourse with an earnest appeal to all his hearers to accept Christ as their Saviour.

Dayton, assistant editor of the United Brethren publications. Rev. Mr. Fries gave three fine addresses. The rally was held particularly in the interest of the men's movement, which is being carried on to cause the men to become more actively interested in church work in general.

Sunday morning Rev. Mr. Fries gave a sermon on a text taken from John 3:16. The theme was "Christ, the Ideal Man."

The speaker said that Christ was given to the world as an expression of God's love. Not only was He the ideal man but He was divine as well, expressing God's idea of manhood and revealing to mankind divinity.

The life of Christ showed that there is no perfection in man in his fallen state.

To attain ideal manhood one must accept Christ as our savior and the ideal man. He must submit to God's will and teaching and in order to accomplish Christ's purpose in us. Perfect obedience to Christ will constantly overcome human imperfection and will attain toward the ideal man.

Sunday afternoon there was a well attended meeting and matters relating to the men's movement in the church were discussed. Rev. Mr. Fries gave an excellent address on "The Men's Movement". He spoke of this movement as it obtains throughout the country in all the churches. The organization consists of leagues, brotherhoods, and bible classes which are intended expressly to enlist men in a special movement to enlist other men and to overcome the feeling akin to animosity which many men feel toward the church.

During the service the Medley Male quartet rendered several selections.

In the evening Rev. Mr. Fries preached from the theme, "The Author Greater Than the Production." He spoke of man and his great possibilities and powers, saying that God who created man is more wonderful than the production. The speaker referred to God's great love as shown in the care he takes of his creation.

AGED RESIDENT DIES AT PROSPECT

Mrs. Eliza Herrin Passes Away Saturday.

One of Prospect's Best Known and Highly Respected Women Succumbs to Heart Trouble.

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Mrs. Herrin had been apparently in usual health Saturday and no word of complaint had passed her lips until about one half hour preceding death. She was preparing to retire for the night when she was stricken and lived but a short time afterwards.

The deceased had been a resident of Prospect for many years and was one of the best known and most highly respected ladies of that village. Three children survive. They are Edward, residing at home; Mrs. L. J. Fleming, of Delaware county and Mrs. William Bevis of Woodland, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted from the Prospect Methodist church Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. J. J. Halliday, officiating. Interment was made in the Thompson cemetery.

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EDGE NOTES

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Marion lodge, No. 402, Knights of Pythias, has made arrangements for a ladies' social to be held at the lodge hall Thursday evening. The time will be taken up with cards and dancing.

There will be a stated meeting of Marion Chapter No. 62, R. A. M. tomorrow evening for the purpose of conferring the mark masters' degree.

Don't forget the date of Monnett's Horse and Mule Sale, Wednesday, Nov. 13th at Lowe's 10c Barn, on North Main street, between R. R. Consign your horses early. Sale rain or shine.

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