

WHAT THEY ARE DOING IN SOCIETY

The Answered Prayer. For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them.—Matthew, xvii, 20.

It was not in a great cathedral. But then, have we ever been told That scenes were made up for miracles In the Apostle days of old?

The church was just one of many. A poor, old, almost worn-out place; And she who prayed was of the many, too.

One of our poor, old, human race. This woman was sorely troubled, And had come once more, to try; Yet she wondered as she listened, Would she only break down, and cry?

The pastor, his text was repeating, "Fear not, little flock, it began, "This thy Father's will" (was it for her?)

"To give thee the Kingdom," it ran. His voice was most searching and earnest, To listen would help her, she knew, But her heart was torn a thousand ways, And his words were too good to seem true.

In despair that was anguish unending, A faintness of hope for relief, Eyes roved wild to the altar beyond, "Oh, Lord God—Give me Belief!"

It was then the miracle happened, I am telling, not daring to prove, For to her (let us all pause to marvel!) The Cross seemed to move!

A figure stood there by the altar, The sun shone a radiance round, But the glory of just the Presence Was for her—new sight and sound.

Then, step by step, on past the Choir, Down through, in the sun-jeweled aisle, To the darkness and shadow of stillness That surrounded her all the while.

At last, by her side, for a moment, The Presence paused; oh that we could Find words in the fullness of meaning To measure that time as we should!

And now, to the woman, still, waiting, Came a spirit of calmness—reprieve? Listening intent, for the instant, "A thought was conveyed"—to Believe.

In radiance, glorified, holy, Back through the shadows to the Cross, Home that on earth was last given to Him, Our only hope now—or our loss.

Say not, with set faces, Ye Readers, That prayers are not answered this way. Say rather to me, as I say it to you, "How do you know—that you pray?" —Emeline L. Hilton.

Miss Annie Fisher who has been visiting for the past few days in the city as the guest of Miss Ida Foy, returned this morning to her home in London.

Mrs. E. R. Foy returned this morning to her home in London after visiting in the city for the past week with her daughter, Miss Ida, and son, Ben.

Mrs. Michael Donovan was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home on Cherry street. The hours were devoted to sewing and visiting and the pleasant afternoon was concluded with the service of refreshments.

The Young People's church held its meeting last evening in the church parlors. A good program was given and those who took part were Dr. Telsen, Alfred Thompson, Alice Iverson and Miss Paupst. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. J. P. Nelson gave a dinner last evening at her home on North Fifth street, in honor of her guest, Miss Marion Nelson of Warren, Minn. Dinner was served at 6 o'clock and the table appointments were in pink and white, a basket of roses made an attractive centerpiece for the table. Mrs. Nelson was assisted in serving by Miss Frances Burke. Following the service of the repast, the guests enjoyed a theater party at the Met.

The solo class at the Grand Forks School of Music rendered the following program this afternoon at the hall in the Security block:

- Etude..... Czerny
Sleep Song..... Edith Hall
Study..... Czerny
Courtly Grace..... Smith
Ernest McLaughlin..... Opper
In Apple Boughs..... Opper
Left Hand Study..... Crosby-Adams
Gypsy Song..... Eckhardt
Adelaide Collins.....
Two Violin Selections..... Bessie Seymour
To a Wild Rose..... MacDowell
Miss Hamel.....

Mrs. C. B. Thompson was pleasantly surprised yesterday afternoon by a large company of friends and neighbors who gathered at her home on Cottonwood street to spend the afternoon. The hours were spent in sewing and visiting and at the close of the afternoon a very nice luncheon was served.

Those present were Rev. N. J. Lohr, Mrs. O. Rydahl, Mrs. O. A. Iverson, Mrs. Iver Lodmeil, Mrs. O. T. Elletstad, Mrs. Oscar Anderson, Mrs. G. S. Dahlen, Mrs. O. Stanton, Mrs. Alfred Allen, Mrs. P. A. Bransen, Mrs. O. K. Waxvig, Mrs. M. W. Hanson, Mrs. P. O. Thorson, Mrs. A. P. Halverson, Mrs. A. G. Knudson, Mrs. N. J. Foy, Mrs. J. W. Waring, Mrs. Peter Standahl, Mrs. Sam Moberg, Mrs. Fallet, Mrs. Heen, Mrs. Iver Anderson, Mrs. James Wright, Mrs. O. Oleon, Mrs. O. Paulson, Mrs. Henry Peterson, Mrs. J. Bjorgo, Mrs. Matt Peterson, Mrs. Odgaard, Mrs. Bridston, Mrs. J. B. Cushman, Mrs. Nelson, Mrs. McMahon, Mrs. K. Johnson, Mrs. Oscar Larson, Mrs. E. Bransen, Mrs. Merader, Mrs. S. Peterson, Mrs. Ed Ruschfeldt, Mrs. C. A. Bridenbach, Mrs. C. E. Johnson, Mrs. P. J. Hagan, Mrs. A. Jacobson, Mrs. Branson, Mrs. N. Peterson, Mrs. H. Telle, Mrs. Gus Heimholt, Mrs. Ed Lodgard.

Christmas gifts absolutely free with No-Vary (always good) coupons and certificates or at a very low cost if you use coupons and money. Pick out your gift at the No-Vary exhibition parlors, opposite Hotel Dakota.—Adv.

Mrs. A. J. Tagley has arrived home from Winnebago, Minn., where she has been spending the past two months visiting her mother and other relatives.

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James Naimish of Spokane, Wash., spent a few days in the city, guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Smith of North Fifth street. He was enroute to his home in the west from Minn., where he has been visiting for several months with his daughter, Mrs. Barclay.

Miss Beatrice Holmet was hostess last evening when she entertained at her home on South Third street in the high school parlors. Misses Katharine Whitley, principal of the Belmont school, Miss Lillian Budge and Miss Lillian Thompson. Auction bridge was the diversion and at the close of the game a daintily appointed luncheon was served by the hostess, who was assisted by Miss Josie Basa.

The junior students of Wesley college conservatory of music gave their regular weekly recital this afternoon in the city studios. The large attendance and the program was one of unusual interest. Those taking part were Josephine Hanson, Ruby Hanson, Misses Helen Engstrom, Marion Pitts, Luverne Galbraith, Hazel Deary, David Fisher and Bernice Bernard.

The regular Eastern Star silver tea will be held Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Dinnie, 302 North Fifth street. The hours will be from 2 to 5 o'clock and the usual pastimes will be enjoyed. The hostesses for the occasion will be Mrs. Dinnie, Mrs. M. A. Hawkins, Mrs. M. J. Stinson, Mrs. Thomas Roycraft, Misses Sarah and Maude Savage.

The following program of music will be rendered at the Scandinavian church on Sunday evening:

- Hymn—Every Day..... Doane
Hour.....
Hymn—The Home Over There..... O'Kane
Choir..... Selected
Solo..... Mrs. Bergstrom
Hymn—Give us the Wings of Faith..... Kitteridge
Choir.....

The senior psychology class of the Grand Forks high school held an interesting debate yesterday afternoon and the question for debate was: "Resolved, that it is more disastrous to be born blind than deaf." The affirmative was upheld by Misses Ruth Tubbs, Neva Brown and Esther Thorndahl. Misses Helen Engstrom, Olga Paulson and Helen Young were the speakers for the negative side. The other members of the class acted as judges and after taking a vote, the decision was awarded in favor of the negative. The discussions were carefully prepared by the girls and Miss Helen Davies is teacher of the class.

Mrs. H. Aden Eynearst, soprano, has been engaged as soloist at the First Presbyterian church, in place of Mrs. B. J. Spence. Mrs. Eynearst is the possessor of a beautiful soprano voice and will give a great acquisition to the choir. The following program of music has been arranged for the services on Sunday:

One of the handsomest social functions of the autumn season was the third annual Charity ball, which was given last evening, under the auspices of the Associated Charities. The auditorium on North Fifth street was the scene of the gathering and the American flags were used in decorating. Large flags were draped on all sides of the hall and a curtain was artistically arranged at the entrance. The balcony was draped with bunting and the ball room presented a military appearance with the flags and stars everywhere in evidence. The electric lights were shaded with Japanese lanterns and potted plants and ferns were loaned by the Grand Forks Florist company and the courtesy was very much appreciated by the ladies in charge.

At the guests were assembling the Metropolitan orchestra of ten pieces rendered a short program of music and dancing began at 9 o'clock.

The following program of music, including several extras, was rendered during the evening:

- Grand March, Lady of the Slipper..... Herbert
Rehearsal..... Reese-Europe
Two-step, Cronny Melody.....
Waltz, Goodbye Little Girl.....
One-step, Tingle-ingleine from High Jinks.....
Hesitation, Valse June.....
Two-step, When It's Night Time in Burgundy.....
Waltz, Valse Irresistible.....
One-step, Otaki-la-tao.....
Hesitation, Night in Giza.....
Two-step, Aha Daba Heemooon.....
Waltz..... Fields-Donovan
One-step, You're Here and I'm Here.....
Hesitation, Cecile.....
Two-step, Ragtime from Romborg.....
Waltz, When Dreams Come True.....
One-step, Fugue.....
Hesitation, Valse Noble.....
Two-step, Le Giot.....
Hesitation, Millescent.....
Two-step, I Want to Be in Michigan.....
Waltz, Girl from Utah.....
The large stage was made very attractive with a row of beautiful potted plants and the general arrangements were arranged where a number of the guests walked away the hours in playing cards.

A delicious buffet supper was served and a long service table was arranged on one end of the stage. A basket of lovely flowers were used as a centerpiece and the pieces were loaned for the occasion by E. O. Lovell, the florist. The refreshments were donated by the citizens of Grand Forks and the members of the committee in charge. Mrs. O. J. Campbell, chairman; Mrs. O. J. Barnes, Mrs. J. R. Carley, Mrs. August Eggers, Mrs. C. C. Gowran, Mrs. H. G. Houta, Mrs. Tracy Bangs and Mrs. Sig Wolfe.

The musicians were seated on a platform arranged in one corner of the hall. The general arrangements for dancing and the gay crowd of dancers tripped the light fantastic until 1 o'clock.

The members of the various committees are deserving of great credit for the careful manner in which every detail was looked after. Under the auspices of the general committee, the committees were: The affair was handled in a wonderful way and the third annual Charity ball will be remembered as a most successful event of the kind ever given in Grand Forks.

The proceeds from the ball will be used in caring for the needy and will be distributed by the Grand Forks nursing nurse during the winter months. The citizens of Grand Forks as usual responded to the call for assistance and the committee was most grateful to all who so willingly assisted.

The members of the committee on arrangements were: Mrs. M. G. Olson, chairman; Mrs. J. M. G. Olson, Mrs. J. L. Ladd, Mrs. A. G. Leonard, Mrs. O. G. Libby, Mrs. C. F. Templeton, Mrs. E. P. Robertson, Mrs. H. E. Simpson, Mrs. W. Williamson, Mrs. H. L. Whitford, Mrs. R. T. Young; Mrs. C. F. Templeton, Mrs. A. L. Woods; Misses Ella L. Fulton, Beatrix Johnston, Harriet Joy, Esther Pike, Jane Smith, Katherine Whiteley, G. Hult, Rev. J. K. Burleson.

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The members of St. Paul's Episcopal Sunday school and their friends enjoyed a party at the parish hall this afternoon. The hours were from 3 to 6 o'clock and games and music were the pastimes. Refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burke of Minneapolis are visitors in the city today, enroute to their home from Duluth, Minn., where they have been visiting relatives.

The Masons will open their social season next Thursday evening by giving the first party in their series. The affair will be informal and will take place in the Masonic hall in the St. John's block. Finley's orchestra will play and dancing will be enjoyed from 8 to 12 o'clock.

Mrs. E. M. Darrow, president of the North Dakota Votes for Women League, Mrs. E. M. Darrow, Mrs. C. F. Amundson, vice president and Mrs. R. E. Weible of Fargo, are among the North Dakota suffragists, who will leave next week for Nashville, Tenn., where they will attend the National Suffrage meeting.

J. W. Smith, who has been a guest for several days at the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Smith of North Fifth street, left this morning for Winnipeg, where he will stay for a few days before leaving for an extended western trip. This is Smith's first visit to North Dakota and expressed himself as being very much pleased with his trip.

Swedish Lutheran. Corner Alpha avenue and Sixth street, J. M. Persenius, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning service at 11 o'clock and evening service at 8 o'clock. The Ladies' Aid society will meet in the church basement next Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. J. W. Jackson will be the hostess and refreshments. All are cordially invited. The reading class meets in the church basement every Saturday at 7:30 o'clock a. m.

First Presbyterian. William H. Matthews, minister. Services 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Bible school at 9:45 o'clock. A. L. Shideler, superintendent. Rev. O. J. Malkeoer, Sunday school at 12 m. Evening service at 7:30. Cate