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THE CHURCHES

Music is the child of prayer, the companion of religion.—Chateaubriand

While Salem does not rank the highest in musical enthusiasm we do not find that the choirs in the city are getting much time on a class of music that is a credit to Salem and might be lead to say what Alexander Pope once said, "some to patch repair, not for the doctrine of the music there."

Some of the best singers in the city are singing in the choirs and although many of them are busy they hold in reserve a few moments of their busy days for choir duties. Special mention might be made of the faithfulness and excellent work done by the organists and choir leaders.

The special music for Easter services is receiving considerable attention by the majority of choirs and organists in the city is a class of music that will be interesting and faithful to hear.

The first Methodist church has the largest chorus in the city, consisting of 35 voices and ably directed by Dr. R. A. Heritage, who is an alumnus of the College of Music and is doing much to create a great musical spirit in Salem.

The new pipe organ also the largest in the city, is presided over by Mr. T. S. Roberts, a gifted musician from the Blind School.

The leading soloists of this chorus are Miss Edna Browning, soprano; Mrs. Besse Cornelius, alto; Mr. Frank Hughes, tenor; and Dr. R. A. Heritage, bass.

On Easter morning, interspersed in the Knights Templar service were rendered the following programs: Prelude, "Marchesolennelle"; Offertory, "Romance"; Anthem, "Easter Dawn"; (Mouset); Gloria Patri; (Mouset); "Gloria in Excelsis"; (Barnum); "Bonum Est Confiteri"; (Smart); "Miserere"; (Pierce); Hymn, "The Lord, Is Risen Today"; "I know that My Redeemer liveth" from the "Messiah" (Handel); Miss Nina P. Johnson, Post-chorus in "D' (Tours).

On Sunday the week previous the choir sang in an impressive manner the Secret of His Presence" (G. Stebbins). As an offertory Mrs. McElroy, a promising young singer, played Schumann's Trau-

morning the Baptist church will join with the Presbyterian church in rendering good music to render "The Magnificat" (Crucifixion); Mrs. Hug also sing "I know that My Redeemer Liveth" (Handel); Mrs. Albert who has been organist

for several years will play as the prelude, "Pilgrim's Chorus" from "Tannhauser" (Wagner), and as the offertory C. B. Morrison's "Meditation."

Mr. M. J. Petzel, bass singer and director of the choir at the Catholic church is preparing for Easter services in the morning Leonard's Mass in D and E flat. As an offertory the Regina Coeli will be rendered. Mrs. B. Walsh is organist and, while the choir consists of only nine members, they have been adding much to the services in the way of music.

The Baptist church chorus consisting of 18 voices is directed by Mr. Chas. Roth, one of Salem's best tenor singers and progressive musicians. The members of the chorus are manifesting considerable interest in music. They have two splendid quartets—ladies and male—the members of which are respectively, Mrs. Comer, soprano; Miss Ermine Bushnell, mezzo-soprano; Mrs. H. S. Gile, alto, and Miss Elma Byrne, contralto. Messrs. Chas. Roth, tenor; Theodore Roth, second tenor; H. S. Gile, baritone, and Earl Anderson, bass.

The First Presbyterian church chorus are uniting with the Baptist church chorus in their preparation for special Easter services on Sunday evening, April 19th. The chorus of 32 voices will be directed by Mrs. Chas. Rooth. Miss Nina Bushnell and Mrs. Jos. Albert are accompanists for the Easter program, which will be rendered as follows: Prelude, selected, Miss Bushnell; anthem, "The Magnificat" (Crucifixion); solo, "Christ is Risen" (Dreiser); Miss Faye Hutchins; violin obligato, Miss Viola Vercler; "Unfold Ye Portals" from the oratorio "Redemption" (Chas Gounod); cantata, "The King Triumphant" (Finley Lyon); solo, "I know that My Redeemer Liveth" from the "Messiah" (Handel); Mrs. Mernie Hug.

The excellent work done by the choir at the St. Paul's church can be judged by the special Easter music which will be rendered as follows on Sunday morning at 11 o'clock: Organ prelude, selected; introductory hymn 118, "At the Lamb's High Feast We Sing" (Elvey); "Kyrie Ison" (Schubert); "Gloria Tibi" and "Gratias Tibi" (anon); "Nicene Creed" (Bruce Steane); hymn 112, "Jesus-Christ Is Risen Today" (Worgan); offertory solo, "From Gloom to Glory" (Adam Geldel); Mrs. W. F. Skiff; violin obligato, Miss Joy Turner, "Sursum Corda and Sanctus" (Camidge); "Benedictus qui Venit" (T. Adams); "Agnus Dei" (T. Adams); "Gloria in Excelsis" (H. B. Ellwanger); "Nunc Dimittis" (C. A. Barry); recessional hymn 109, "Welcome Happy Morning" (Sir A. S. Sullivan); organ postlude, selected, Prof. F. E. Newberry, organist. As the rector will be absent there will be no services in the evening.

Owing to the extra work and time spent on preparing the cantata "Faith Triumphant," recently given, the chorus at the Christian church was unable to prepare their usual Easter music. Dr. Epibley, a member of the popular Stalwart quartet, also director of the chorus, is doing much to make music a special feature in the church, and in fact, in all Salem, for he is in touch with music in the public schools. The members of the male quartet have been rendering some excellent music and a ladies' quartet and other divisions of music are soon to be organized. In about two years the choir has grown from three or four members to an

energetic chorus of over 30 voices. The Easter services will be held in the evening when the chorus will sing the anthem "Magnify the Lord Forever." Mr. Frank Churchill, organist, and Mr. Chester Catlow, pianist.

The First Congregational church choir, under the direction of Mr. McGilchrist, will have the pleasure to be assisted in their Easter program by the Beaver Male Quartet, who will render several selections, and no doubt, the friends and members of the congregation will be delighted to hear them. In the evening the quartet will sing at the Central Congregational church. The choir will give the anthem "Christ, Our Passover" (Schilling); vocal solo, Mrs. Carleton Smith, "Hosanna" (Gainer); Miss Shelton, who is one of Salem's popular music teachers, and who has been long connected with music in the churches, will be assisted by Miss Viola Vercler, also a promising young violinist.

Christian Science. First Church of Christ, Scientist, 140 Chemeketa street. Services: Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject of lesson sermon, "The Doctrine of Atonement." Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. The Wednesday evening meeting is held at 7:30 p. m. Reading room in the church open each afternoon except Sunday. All are cordially invited to attend the services and the reading room.

First Baptist. Sunday, April 19th, 1908. Sunday school at 10 a. m. Mr. Will Foster acting superintendent. Preaching services at 11 a. m. The pastor, J. R. Comer will preach an Easter sermon. Mr. H. S. Gile will sing "O, Heart Bowed Down, Arise." The large chorus will sing "Awake, Awake," by Stainer. At 3 p. m. administration of the ordinance of baptism. 7:30 p. m. the Presbyterian and Baptist choirs will render the cantata "The King Triumphant" by Lyon. This cantata with other choruses, solos, duets and quartets will be the musical event of the season. Mr. Chas. Roth, director. The public are cordially invited.

First Presbyterian. Church street, corner of Chemeketa street. Pastor, Rev. Henry Townsend Babcock. Morning service, 10:30 a. m. Preaching by the pastor. Theme, "Power," 2 Tim. 3:5. The chorus choir of the First Baptist church will assist the choir of this church in the morning, and the two choirs will unite in the evening in rendering Finlay Lyon's Sacred cantata, "The King Triumphant." This latter service will be held in the First Baptist church, on account of which no evening service will be held in this church. Sunday school at 12:00 m.; Junior Christian Endeavor at 3:30 p. m.; Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. The public are cordially invited to all of these services.

Easter in St. Paul's. The services in St. Paul's on the Easter day will be as follows: Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday school, 10 a. m.; second celebration with sermon, 11 a. m. There will be no evening service, as the rector will be in Woodburn. It is expected that all parishioners, so far as possible will make their communions at the early service. The 11 o'clock service is intended primarily for worship. The public is cordially invited, but it is expected that everyone will remain until the close of the service. This applies to parishioners and to strangers alike.

First Methodist. Rev. W. H. Selleck, minister; Prof. R. A. Heritage, choir director. Prof. T. J. Roberts presides at the pipe organ. At 7 a. m. sunrise service; at 10:30 special Easter services in charge of the Knights Templar, who will attend in a body. The pastor will preach on "The Resurrection of the Body." At 7:30 the Easter missionary program, rendered by the pupils of the Sunday school will be of special attractiveness. A cordial invitation to the public to attend the services.

United Evangelical. Sunday school at 10 a. m. At 11 a. m. a program will be rendered by different members of the school and the pastor will also deliver a brief address on "The Resurrection of Jesus Christ." Theme for the 7:30 p. m. service, "Now and Then." K. of L. of C. E. at 6:30 p. m. H. A. Deck, pastor.

Central Congregational. Nineteenth and Perry streets. P. S. Knight, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m.; Endeavor meeting 6:30 p. m.; sermon and quarterly communion at 11 a. m. At 7:30 p. m. Children's Easter service, with singing by the Beaver Quartette. Concert Monday evening; pastor's reception Tuesday evening.

Unitarian. Corner Cottage and Chemeketa streets. Services at 10:30, preaching by the minister. Easter Sunday subject, "A Spiritual Conception of Life." Introduction of new members. Consecration of children. Sunday school and Bible class at 11:45.

W. C. T. U. Gospel temperance meeting at the hall, corner Perry and Commercial street, 4 p. m. Sunday, the 19th. Select reading, Miss Minnie Oliver; oration, Perry Reiglemon; address, Rev. J. Oliver. Good music. A cordial welcome to all.

First Christian. Preliminary Easter services at 11 a. m., theme, "The Resurrection Necessary." Bible school, 10 a. m.; Easter service, 7:30 p. m. See program. The Christian Church Chorus will render appropriate music at the morning and evening services. The public cordially invited. D. Errett, pastor.

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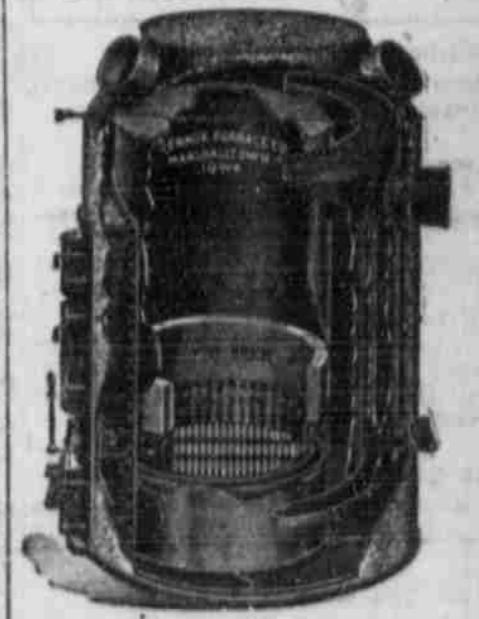
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