

PREACHES SERMON IN TRACK SUIT

DR. BIEDERWOLF TALKS TO U. S. C. STUDENTS

Evangelist Gives Gymnastic Exhibition as in His Princeton Days, Then Urges His Hearers to Accept Christ

TODAY'S PROGRAM

12 m.—Noonday meeting, Blanchard hall. Speaker, Rev. Henry Ostrom.
3 p. m.—First Methodist church, Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman. Services in all districts.
5 p. m.—Street meeting in Chinatown.
7:30 p. m.—Services in all the districts.
Temple auditorium—Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, speaker.
Immanuel Presbyterian Church—Speaker, Henry Ostrom.
University M. E. Church—Speaker, W. E. Biederwolf.
Boyle Heights M. E. Church—Speaker, H. W. Stough.
Asbury M. E. Church—Speaker, John H. Elliott.
Olivet Congregational Church—Speaker, Tilman Hobson.
Advance Buggy Company Building—Speaker, R. A. Walton.

"Hurrah! Hurrah! Hurrah! Tiger! Tiger! Tiger!"

This was the cheer that greeted Rev. W. E. Biederwolf, at one time one of the stars of the Princeton track team, when he appeared in a track suit yesterday to do some "fancy stunts" for the boys at the University of Southern California.

The cheer was the same that had greeted him hundreds of times before in the days when college interests were everything with him, but he declared that he had never felt more honored by it than when the boys of the southern university cheered him. Immediately following the "tiger" the U. S. C. yell was given and then there were three hearty cheers for Dr. Biederwolf.

Dr. Biederwolf spoke freely in telling of his own college days at Princeton and later at a university in Germany. He told stories of happenings on the track and the gridiron and impressed upon his hearers the necessity of making the best of their opportunities to develop every side which goes to make a perfect man.

"Don't neglect your opportunities on the athletic field; don't neglect them in the classroom and above all don't neglect your spiritual opportunities." He urged them to accept the God of their mothers and told of the pleasure that came into his mother's life when he became a Christian. Ten of the boys responded at the gymnasium meeting and the speaker succeeded in completely winning the hearts of the others.

SPEAKS ON WAGES OF SIN

Dr. Chapman Shows Beauty of the Christian Life

In spite of the rain the churches were well filled last night and in the central district where Dr. Chapman preached, there was a very enthusiastic meeting. "The wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life," was the text chosen by the speaker. Dr. Chapman declared that if men are persistent in clinging to sin and refusing to accept Christ who is the rightful Savior, they can expect no other wages than death. The picture of a life wasted in attempts to satisfy self was given, and in opposition to this the speaker pictured a life which he said was filled with brightness and satisfaction. "God gave to man his most precious gift when he gave him his soul, and he made it his duty to care for it, and it is through the acceptance of this crucified Savior that God bestows his gift of eternal life."

SOLOIST WINNING RENOWN

Charles E. Rykert Great Aid in Evangelistic Work

Charles E. Rykert, who is singing with Dr. Elliott at the Asbury M. E. church, is the youngest successful choir leader and soloist among the singing evangelists now in this city, if not in the country.

He has studied under the best teachers in New York, Chicago and Buffalo, and possesses a rich baritone voice of sweet and sympathetic quality. Mr. Rykert is also a graduate of the Moody Bible institute of Chicago. This is his second season with Dr. Elliott, and he has made a host of friends by his manly bearing, his modesty and at the same time his marked ability as chorus director and soloist.

Dr. Elliott spoke at the Asbury M. E. church last evening on "A Startling Question; Heb. 2:3. 'How shall we escape if we neglect so great salvation.'"

He said: "Some questions almost answer themselves. This is one of them. It has been the study of the profoundest minds the world has ever known and they have stumbled over it, while a little child has understood God and His simple way of peace, and entering into it has grown up in Christ, its living head in all things."

"God's way of salvation? It is by grace that it might be faith. Good resolutions are good as far as they go, but they don't pay debts or make right the past. Oh, I am so entangled I cannot get free. Yes, there is a way of escape. It is not of self, for if you

C. E. RYKERT, YOUNGEST SINGING EVANGELIST IN WORLD



—Photo by Merrick & Palmer.

are in the prison house of sin the ladder marked 'self' is always too short. God's way is by way of pardon, and this is satisfactory to all concerned. God's way of escape is open now. It may be closed to you at any time. Why not take advantage of it now? It is indeed a great salvation; great in its conception, for it covers past, present and future. Great in its provisions and great in its completeness, leaving nothing more to be done to insure its success. There is only one way to be sure of seeing God's face in peace, and that is through the son."

MINISTERS EXCHANGE PULPITS

Dr. Walton and Dr. Biederwolf Address Large Audiences

Dr. Biederwolf and Dr. Walton exchanged places last night, the former speaking in the Advance Buggy company's building and Dr. Walton in the University M. E. church.

There was a large attendance of students and several conversions were recorded. Dr. Walton said last night that there is undoubtedly a wonderful spirit of revival in this district, and complimented the work of Dr. Biederwolf very highly.

He took for his text: "He that soweth to the flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; he that soweth of the spirit shall reap life everlasting." The speaker dwelt at some length on the consequences of a life of self-indulgence and the effects that sin will produce. On the other hand he pointed out the beauties of the life that is filled with the spirit of God.

SOULS MUST BE FED ALSO

Evangelist Hobson Urges Importance of Spiritual Food

Evangelist Hobson spoke at the Olivet church last night from 2 Corinthians 7:1. "Yea with vehement desire."

The speaker said: "If we treated our bodies as we do our souls there would not be enough of us left to bury the dead. We eat candy and cake and three meals a day, and yet give our souls no square meal. We take great care of our faces, yet in spite of the care they will grow old and wrinkled."

"Your soul is hungry and crying for food, and you say, 'come on soul, I will take you to the whiskey barrel or the gambling table.' The soul will protest and would say I would part company with myself if I could."

"Many men never look at God. Never say good morning to him or thank him for the blessings of life."

Empty soul of sin and God will fill it with himself. God cannot accept you unless you give your entire heart to him."

British Columbian Road Sold

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 15.—The sale of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo railway to the Canadian Pacific railway will be completed upon the passage of a formal act of ratification by the dominion parliament. The property involved in the transfer includes the railroad from Victoria to Wellington and several steamers and tugs. The purchase price is said to be in the neighborhood of a million and a quarter dollars.

Day Meetings

Dr. H. W. Stough spoke at Blanchard hall at noon and Dr. Chapman spoke at the 3 o'clock service at the First Methodist church. He took as his theme "A Life Made Over." His text was from Jeremiah 18:4. "So he made it again," and he pointed out that unless Christ was allowed to come into a life and fill it, there would be no new birth.

Indian Buck on the Warpath

RENO, Nev., Feb. 15.—Fired with whisky, an Indian buck today went on the warpath thirty miles south of Tonopah. He killed three squaws and a fellow Indian and then fled to the mountains. He is still at large, though a posse of Indians is now chasing him. If captured he will be lynched.

French Celebrity Seeks Divorce

PARIS, Feb. 15.—Jeanne Charcot, granddaughter of Victor Hugo, has filed a petition for divorce in the Paris courts against her husband, Dr. Jean Charcot, son of the famous nerve specialist and head of the French Antarctic expedition, on the grounds of desertion.

WATER COMMITTEE BUSILY AT WORK

PASADENA ANXIOUS TO REACH CONCLUSION

Public Stirred Up Over Recent Automobile Fatality—Valentine Day Brings Many Festivities—Inquiries Numerous

Pasadena Agency, 111 East Colorado Street.

PASADENA, Feb. 15.—It is intimated today that the North Pasadena Water company will not sell to the city for \$80,000, as was announced by the city council yesterday, and that an agreement has been reached whereby the price is fixed at \$150,000. Henry Gohegan, J. P. Baumgartner and H. H. Hertel, the three members of the water committee from the board of trade, are meeting frequently with the water committee from the city council and hope to have their report ready for publication in about a week.

Attorney M. Lissner of Los Angeles, who is in charge of the suit brought by Mrs. Shearer against the members of the party in the automobile at the time her husband was killed by the machine, telephoned to Lawyer Elmer I. Moody, attorney for the defendants in the case, asking that a consultation be held. Accordingly, this afternoon there was a long conference at Moody's office in the Slavin block, but no definite decision was reached. However, there is to be another meeting in the morning, and those most interested hope that a compromise may be made.

Feeling against the rapid driving of the big foreign machines in this locality has developed into a general conviction that the laws governing the rate of speed should be even more strict than at present. A peculiar form of advertising has been one of the results of the accident. Nearly every owner of an automobile has received advertisements for liability insurance, "a valuable protection against damage suits." Most of those receiving the circulars do not deem such insurance wise, since naturally it would serve only to make a careless driver more reckless.

Gift of Throop Students

President W. A. Edwards of Throop was surprised this morning by the gift of a handsome mission chair by the students of the eighth grade of the grammar school mechanical department. Each member of the class had had some part in the making of the chair. It is a fine piece of furniture, of heavy oak, stained to match the woodwork of the president's room. Bruce Hill, president of the class, made the speech of presentation, and President Edwards responded in fitting terms.

Shafer-Frost Wedding

At the home of Wesley Shafer, 55 North Hollister avenue, there was a pretty home wedding when Miss Nannie Shafer and Walter L. Frost of Redondo were united in marriage. The Rev. Malcolm James McLeod of the First Presbyterian church officiating. The ceremony took place in the parlors, which were decorated with smilax and white marguerites, a bower being formed in one corner, where under a bell of the marguerites, the vows were exchanged.

Miss Edna Bellinger played the wedding march as the simple procession came into the room. The bride wore a gown of pure white crepe de chine, trimmed with silk lace. Seed pearl trimming added to the beauty of the bodice. The going-away gown was of green rajah silk, trimmed with mink fur. Following the ceremony and congratulations a wedding supper was served in the music room, which was decorated in smilax and poinsettias.

Mr. and Mrs. Frost will go north for a few weeks, and then will live at Ocean Front, Redondo, where Mr. Frost is with the Edison company.

Valentine Party

Miss Mae Doolittle entertained with a Valentine party at her home yesterday afternoon, the rooms being so decorated as to carry out the idea of Valentine Day. Quantities of green smilax were used as the background for scores of pink and white hearts, and long strings of the hearts were looped about in the arches and over windows. The guests played hearts and the score cards were dainty affairs in the shape of cupid, in water colors. The prizes were a cutglass and silver jewel box; a china bon-bon box, heart shaped and filled with candy, and a heart shaped jar of Palladium ware.

Vallejo Club Women Here

A number of prominent members of the Vallejo Improvement club were in Pasadena today, enjoying a trolley ride with Los Angeles friends. During the drive a stop was made at the home of Mrs. M. E. Wood. Here several of the guests picked oranges from the trees for the first time. Luncheon was served at the residence of Mrs. L. J. Crowell, 269 Grand street.

Bits of News

Senator Goodrich telegraphed City Clerk Dyer this afternoon that the charter amendments were ratified unanimously in the lower house, and that they had gone to the senate.

The charity auction at the Maryland hotel last evening netted over \$1000 for the Children's Training school of this city. All the articles auctioned off were donated by the guests. Col. W. J. Higan of Louisville, Ky., was the successful auctioneer. The fun lasted from 8:30 to midnight.

D. W. Coolidge, secretary of the board of trade, says that more letters of inquiry from eastern people who want to settle here are coming this season than ever before.

The new Slavin block is about filled

ONE OF THE HOSPITALS OF MONTREAL IN WHICH PE-RU-NA IS USED.

Hospitals all over North America Use Pe-ru-na for Catarrhal Diseases.



SISTERS OF PROVIDENCE, MOTHER HOUSE, MONTREAL.

HUNDREDS OF CHARITY HOSPITALS HAVE TRIED PE-RU-NA DURING THE LAST YEAR AND FIND IT WONDERFULLY EFFICIENT FOR ALL CATARRHAL DISEASES

SISTERS OF PROVIDENCE, Mother House, Montreal, Can., write:

"We are happy to say that a number of our sisters of our community have taken Peru-na and have derived great benefit from its use."

The winters of Canada are long and severe. Catarrh of the head and throat prevails for at least seven months of the year.

As soon as Peru-na was introduced into Canada, its use spread like wildfire, for it exactly met the climatic diseases which abounded.

Catarrh, when it once fastens itself upon the system, is not to be dislodged by the use of local remedies. A systemic remedy is needed to eradicate the disease. Peru-na exactly meets this necessity.

In the whole history of medicine, no remedy was ever devised that has been so universally recognized as a specific for catarrh.

It not only breaks up promptly coughs and colds, but it can be relied upon to permanently cure catarrh in its worst stages and forms.

A reward of \$10,000 has been deposited in the Market Exchange Bank, Columbus, Ohio, as a guarantee that the above testimonials are genuine; that we hold in our possession the signed testimonials of these institutions. Every one of our testimonials are genuine and in the exact words of the testifier.

Hotels and Beach Resorts

Santa Catalina Island

FAST STEAMSHIP CABRILLO—CAPACITY 1000; 1 hour 40 minutes. San Pedro Breakwater to Avalon, connecting with Salt Lake \$20 a m. and So. Pacific \$25 a m. Trains from Los Angeles. EXTRA EVENING BOAT SATURDAYS—Trains leave Los Angeles, Salt Lake 4:45, and So. Pacific 5:00 p. m. Regular fare round trip \$2.75; Saturday and Sunday Excursion \$2.50. THE WONDERFUL SUBMARINE GARDENS AS SEEN THROUGH 20 FATHOMS CRYSTAL WATERS. HOTEL METROPOLE—CULINARY UNEXCELLED. Banning Company, Huntington Bldg. Both Phones 36.

Cawston Ostrich Farm

150 Gigantic Birds Beautiful Semi-Tropical Grounds, and the largest stock of Ostrich Feather Goods in America for sale at producer's prices.

Warm Plunge

Filled fresh every day and heated to a temperature of 85 degrees. Unrivaled and absolutely safe surf bathing. Now is the most beautiful season of the year at the beach.

RESTAURANTS

Cafe Bristol

The Finest. Seating Capacity 1200 Fourth and Spring Streets

Del Monte Tavern

Up-to-Date Restaurant 219-221 W. Third St.

Hotel Maryland

Pasadena's Newest Hotel. Open the Year Around. Thoroughly Modern. Long Distance Telephone in every room. D. M. LINNARD, Manager



GAS MAGNATE RESIGNS

President Gawtry of Consolidated in California for Health

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Harry E. Gawtry, president of the Consolidated Gas company, has resigned, according to the Times. It is understood the resignation was presented to the directors early in the year, after the president had left for California, where he went for the benefit of his health.

Mr. Gawtry is not only a director in all the subordinate companies which are controlled by the Consolidated Gas company, but also of several other financial institutions in this city.

Bubonic Plague in Australia

By Associated Press.

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 15.—Mail advices were received from Australia by the steamer Hoana of the outbreak of bubonic plague in Sydney and Grafton. In consequence war on rats is being waged in Australian cities. Many plague-infested rodents were found.

Forest Fires in Alps

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—For two days, cables the Herald's Milan correspondent, the woods covering the sides of the Monte Colvignone in the province of Como, have been on fire. Colvignone is the spur of the South-

ern Grigna, which is well known to all Alpinists.

NEW MACHINE A MARVEL

Diamond Match Company Gets Hold of Wonderful Invention

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 15.—News has been received here that at the recent annual meeting of the Diamond Match company of California, held in Chicago, the president announced that the company has developed a machine capable of producing and boxing 10,000,000 matches daily, and that one of these machines is to be installed at the company's plant in Butte county.

Speaking of the company's timber resources in California he stated that the company had 80,000 acres of timber land that promise, by a system of timber culture, to give an almost perpetual supply of lumber for this class of manufacture.

Record Time for Divorces

NEW YORK, Feb. 15.—Judge Fitzgerald in the supreme court has established a new record for disposing of undefended divorce cases. Seventeen decrees were granted at the rate of one every twelve minutes. Most of the applicants were foreigners.