

CHURCHES WILL UNVEIL SERVICE FLAGS -- JEWS TO OBSERVE HOLIDAY TOMORROW

BUSY WEEK FOR ENOLA CHURCHES

Sunday Schools Begin Rehearsals for Christmas Entertainments

Enola, Pa., Dec. 8.—Owing to the illness of the Rev. J. Stewart Glen, pastor of the First United Brethren Church, of this place, the pulpit of the church will be occupied in the morning by the Rev. D. C. Vishanoff, of Thessalonica, and in the evening by John D. Stephenson, of Harrisburg. The Rev. Mr. Glen is suffering from a nervous breakdown and has a month leave of absence.

Pupils of the Grace United Evangelical Church have begun to practice for the annual Christmas entertainment. The program will consist of recitations, dialogues, solos and quartets. The choir under the direction of C. A. Bainbridge is rehearsing the special music for this occasion.

Two Churches Will Unveil Service Flags Tomorrow

Congregations of the St. John's Reformed and the Park Street United Evangelical Churches will unveil service flags tomorrow in honor of the young men of these churches who have already joined the United States service.

At the Park Street Church the service will be held at 7:30 o'clock. A flag will also be presented to the church members and the families of the enlisted men will be given special seats. The Rev. A. E. Hansen, pastor, will preach on "The Red Cross at the Front and at Home."

At the St. John's church the exercises will be held at 2 o'clock. Addresses will be made by Charles E. Pass and State Senator Scott E. Leiby, of Marysville.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—First Church of Christ, Scientist—Board of Trade Hall, Sunday, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Testimonial meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m. Free Reading Rooms, Kunkel Building, 130 a. m. to 5 p. m. daily except Saturday, 11:30 to 9 p. m.—Adv.

MEN'S NIGHT AT OLIVET—"The Prayer to the Devil" will be the theme of the Rev. A. L. Axis at Olivet Presbyterian Church tomorrow at 10:30 o'clock, and in the church at 7:30 o'clock "Men's Night" will be observed with special music and a sermon by the pastor, entitled "The Man in Men." Olivet church which is primarily "in the Hill for Hill People."

C. E. DRIVE FOR ORGANIZATION'S PUBLICATION IS NOW ON

Many Endeavorers of Pennsylvania are taking part in a great state-wide subscription campaign for the Pennsylvania Christian Endeavor Bulletin, and a drive is on for ten thousand subscriptions by Christmas Endeavor Day, February 2, 1918. The state has been divided into four districts and many live-wire workers have been chosen to assist the campaign manager, Dr. B. W. Swayze, of Allentown, in the work.

Mr. Swayze is one of the high lights of the Allentown and Allentown Christian Endeavor Union, and is putting much "pep" into the campaign at a sacrifice of many other important duties, for the cause of the great Endeavor movement, in the Keystone state. He was formerly superintendent of the Christian Citizenship department of the Pennsylvania Christian Endeavor Union and is still a representative of all important state gatherings from his home town.

C. E. NOTES—The Second Reformed Society of the city is reporting a list of subscriptions to the State Bulletin in the campaign which is now with a drive.

The Floating Endeavor department of Philadelphia union is doing excellent work for sailors and soldiers at sea. The department has been recently 175 comfort bags were distributed. The chaplain in charge of the work says that 1,000 more bags can be used to good advantage by Christmas. Good tracts are also in demand. Miss Fanny Garvin, C. E. E. secretary, 508 Market street, and Osman M. Tresler, C. E. E. chairman Floating committee, 2234 South Fifteenth street, Philadelphia, will receive donations.

"Here I Am; Send Me." Is the topic for discussion in the C. E. meetings on Sunday evening. Life-work recruits will have special interest in the study of this subject.

Miss Jennie Saul will conduct a well-planned meeting at Christ Lutheran Society to-morrow evening. The meetings have been well attended during the past few weeks.

William Shaw, treasurer of the World Christian Endeavor Union, with headquarters in Boston, has charge of a world-wide campaign for Christian Endeavor in mission lands. Twenty dollars will support C. E. in mission lands for one day, and at the same time will train 275 Endeavorers for one year.

State Street United Brethren Endeavorers promise a good meeting for to-morrow evening. Raymond Zimmerman will be the leader. The officers are as follows: President, John Hendricks; vice-president, H. E. Koons; corresponding secretary, Miss Carrie Walker; assistant secretary, Mrs. R. Zimmerman; chorister, W. H. Myers; ushers, Roy Black, Paul Black; periodical agent, Mrs. Earl Fawber.

The Oregon C. E. Union has a campaign cup for which the unions strive. Next year the union that has the highest rating in the standards campaign will get it for one year.

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Harris Street United Evangelical League elected the following officers for the new term: President, Roy H. Stetter; vice-president, Miss Mildred Donnoyer; treasurer, Bruce Wiley; pianist, Miss Sylvia Gingrich; junior superintendent, Mrs. A. A. Parred; assistant, Mrs. N. E. Oren. A delightful social and monthly business session was held at the home of Mrs. Oren.

EPISCOPAL—St. Paul's—The Rev. Floyd A. Plepton, 7:30, Communion service, 11, service and sermon, "The Bible and Modern Science"; 2:30, Sunday school; 7:30, George H. Randall, secretary of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, will speak.

St. Andrew's—The Rev. H. A. Post, 11, morning prayer and sermon; 7:30, evening prayer and sermon; Sunday school, 9:30. St. Michael's—Middleton—Communion and address, 9; service and address, 4:30.

St. Augustine's—The Rev. Willochy and Parchment, L. Th. 11, sermon and Holy Communion; special service at 3, at which G. H. Randall, executive secretary of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew and editor of the St. Andrew's Cross, will be the speaker, evensong and sermon by the rector, 8.

St. Stephen's—The Rev. Rollin Alger Sawyer, 8, Holy Communion, 10, Sunday school; 11, morning prayer, litany and sermon, "The Bible Time of War"; 7:30, evening prayer and sermon, "The Bible in the Life of the Christian."

LUTHERAN—Holy Communion—The Rev. John Henry Miller, 10:45, "He Is Coming"; 7:30, "Men and Missions." Augsburg—The Rev. A. M. Stamets, 10:30, "An Advent Admonition"; 7:30, "Christ's Coming"; 9:30, Sunday school.

Calvary—The Rev. Edward H. Paar, 11, "Two Advent Lessons"; 7:30, "Christ the Prophet Like Moses"; Sunday school, 10.

LARGE CROWD ATTENDS LECTURE

Prof. J. H. Balmer, English Explorer, Gives Interesting Talk

Last night a crowd that filled every corner of the Stevens Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church, Thirteenth and Second streets, heard and saw Prof. J. H. Balmer, the noted English Explorer, and the famous Kafir Singing Boys, of South Africa, give a great entertainment in every way. Dr. Smucker announced at the close of the program that Congressman Richmond Harrison Hobson, through great naval expense, would lecture in the church on the night of December 20 on "The Destiny of America." Mothers and apprentices will be given choice and complimentary tickets to the Hobson lecture by making application in writing to Thurgood Avenue, St. Paul, 1311 Fernon street, and giving name and address of the sailor.

Tomorrow morning, at 10:30, the minister is to preach on "Two-Faced Folk." The quartet choir is to render special music. The fourth sermon-lecture in the Pear series will be given Sunday evening, at 7:30, the special subject is to be "Soldiers on the Firing Line." This war sermon will be given at the church Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock. All members of these organizations are urged to attend.

During the past month State Secretary H. B. Macroy worked in a dozen different counties and also spoke at a number of the Maryland state convention held in Baltimore. He delivered an address at the annual conference of state and county officers in Columbus, Ohio, recently.

At the Otterbein United Brethren Society, John Garrett, a live-wire worker, will conduct the service to-morrow evening.

Misses Kathryn Bolton and Ruth Harris will lead and help to make the Park Street United Evangelical C. E. meeting interesting to-morrow evening.

The War Department of the South Carolina C. E. Union is at work among soldiers in the various camps.

"A Missing Christian Endeavor Society" contest will be run in this paper on Saturday, December 15. Ten dollars will be given the winner who finds the name of the society which will be omitted in the list of societies in Harrisburg and Dauphin county C. E. unions. The winner will be the person who sends the first correct answer and must also be a member of the society. The president and secretary of the society that will be omitted.

UNITED EVANGELICAL—Park Street—The Rev. A. E. Hansen, 10:45, "The Amen of the Lips and Heart"; 7:30, "The Cross at the Front and at Home"; 9:30, Sunday school.

PRESBYTERIAN—Westminster—The Rev. E. E. Curtis, 10:30, "What Are You?"; Sunday school, 1:45; 7:30, "What Is Strength?"

Calvary—The Rev. Frank P. MacKenzie, 10:15, "Strength for the Inner Man"; 7:30, "Light For All"; Sunday school, 9.

Capital Street—The Rev. B. M. Ward, 10:45, "The Way to Happiness"; 7:30, "The Forward Movement."

Camp Hill—The Rev. Raymond A. Ketchledge, 11, "The Place of Religion"; 7:30, "The Meek"; Sunday school, 9:45.

Covenant—The Rev. Harvey Klaier, 10:30, "The Home Life of the Christian"; 7:30, "Paul at Ephesus"; Sunday school, 2.

Olivet—The Rev. Alfred L. Taxis, 10:30, "The Prayer to the Devil"; 7:30, "The Man in Men"; Sunday school, 2.

Bethany—The Rev. John McFadden, 7:30, "The Fall of Man"; Sunday school, 9:30.

Market Square—The Rev. George Edward Hawes, D. D., 11, "The Church's Business in the Present Crisis"; 7:30, "Christian Science, a False Religion."

BAPTIST—The Rev. W. H. Dallman, supply, 10:30, "The Church—What It Is"; 7:30, "The Times of Restoration"; Sunday school, 11:30.

UNION REVIVAL TO OPEN JAN. 6

Interdenominational Ministers' Conference to Conduct Big Evangelistic Campaign

The union revival of the Interdenominational Ministers' Conference of Harrisburg and vicinity, will open at the Harris A. M. E. Zion Church, the Rev. R. L. Briscoe, pastor, Sunday afternoon, January 6, at 7 o'clock and close at the St. Paul's Baptist Church, State and Cameron streets, the Rev. E. Luther Cunningham, pastor, Sunday afternoon, February 3. Five nights will be spent in each of the co-operating churches.

The union chorus will be under the direction of the Rev. A. J. Greene, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, who will be assisted by the Rev. Dr. W. A. Ray, pastor of Wesley A. M. E. Zion Church. The choir services will be under the general charge of the Rev. R. L. Briscoe, who will assist the wives of the ministers in their active duties. After the afternoon meetings, the Rev. Walker Tolver, pastor of Zion Baptist, assisted by the Rev. James A. Stokes, Wesley, will have charge of the cottage daily prayer meetings, while the Rev. Dr. H. H. Cooper, of Bethel A. M. E. Church, Briggs street, near Sixth street, will have charge of the Rev. Dr. W. A. Ray, general manager of the campaign, and the Rev. E. Luther Cunningham, who had the arrangements and the publicity. The co-operating churches will observe from Watch Night to Friday, January 4, as a season of prayer in each individual church.

The union effort proved a great blessing to our people and this year we are hopeful of greater blessings. The following ministers will bring the messages of life during the campaign. The Revs. R. L. Briscoe, Walker Tolver, W. H. Roosevelt, H. H. Cooper, W. A. Ray, T. J. Greene, E. Luther Cunningham, W. E. Jones, O. Goodwin, Warner Brown, J. T. Daniels and W. H. King.

Big Missionary Pageant at Fourth St. Church of Christ

The Christian Woman's Board of Missions of the Fourth Street Church of Christ will give a missionary pageant at the evening service to-morrow, Wednesday, December 12, at 7:30 o'clock. The pageant will be held in the church and will feature a pageant, articles to be placed on second-hand clothing, furniture and all saleable articles will be received at that time.

TO PAY DEBT PLEDGES—To-morrow is the last day on which the pledges made by members of the Second Baptist Church for the building fund may be paid. The Board of church trustees, by members of the congregation, will help liquidate the debt on the building.

CHURCH OF GOD—Green Street—The Rev. H. S. Hershey, 10:30, "The Importance of Being a Christian"; 7:30, "Crossing the Jordan"; 2, Sunday school.

Fourth Street—The Rev. William N. Yates, D. D., 10:30, "Workmen Who are not Ashamed"; 7:30, "A Plea for the Poor"; 1:40, Sunday school.

Camp Hill—The Rev. Chas. O. Houston, 10:30, "Union With Christ"; 7:30, "Demetrius Visions"; Macedonia, My Native Land"; 9:30, Sunday school.

MacLay Street—The Rev. Dr. Wm. S. Houck, 11, "Religion in the Home"; 7:30, "Shirking Duty"; 9:45, Sunday school.

Penbrook—The Rev. Jay C. Farnbrook, 10:30, "Religious Literature"; 7:30, "How Can a Man Be a Christian?"; 9:30, Sunday school.

Pleasant View—The Rev. George W. Harper, 9:45, Sunday school; 10:45, "The Influence of the Church Advocate in the Home"; 7:30, "The White Plague and the Help of the Red Cross Seal."

MISCELLANEOUS—Christian and Missionary Alliance—The Rev. W. H. Worrall, Sunday school 9:30; 10:30, "The Ministry of Faith"; 7:30, Evangelistic Service; "The Drama of Life in Three Acts"; Children's Meeting Saturday afternoon at 2.

Methodist Mission—John Fulton, Superintendent. Meeting every night at 8. Tuesday "Whosoever Praying Band"; Wednesday, John D. Stevens, Friday, St. Matthew's Lutheran Church; Saturday, Martin Stutzman, Associated Bible Students, Second Street—1:45, How the Ancient Worthies Were Justified; 2, the Sunday school lesson, "Ezra and Nehemiah Teach the Law."

The Mrs. John Y. Boyd Men's Bible Class—PINE STREET PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL BOYD MEMORIAL BUILDING SOUTH, NEAR THIRD STREET TO-MORROW AFTERNOON AT 1:30 O'CLOCK SUBJECT: "Ezra and Nehemiah Teach the Law" VISITORS AND FRIENDS CORDIALLY INVITED

Why God Objected to Garments of Mixed Materials—At 7:30 P. M. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH SECOND AND PINE STREETS The Rev. William J. Lockhart, Pastor.

10:30 A. M.—"An Exposition of the Biblical Phrase With Christ." 11:45 A. M.—Sunday School—Men's Bible Class. A Welcome for All. Seats All Free. COME—And Bring Your Friends.

WILL CELEBRATE JEWISH FEAST

Members of Local Synagogues Will Present Special Programs During Week

Jewish congregations of the city will observe Hanukkah, or the Feast of the Maccabees, to-morrow evening. Special exercises will mark the observance of this holiday in each synagogue. Members of the Y. M. H. A. will give an entertainment in honor of the pupils of their religious school, December 12. The Keshet Israel will celebrate the festival next Sunday afternoon and on next Sunday evening the pupils of the Ohev Sholom religious school will give their Hanukkah celebration.

The Feast of Hanukkah commemorates the splendid heroism of the Hasmonian House of Mattathias, of his son Judas, the Maccabee and his valiant brethren; their loyalty to the faith of their fathers, and their victory over Antiochus, King of Syria, who had waged a relentless war of extermination against the religion of Israel.

Under the military leadership of Judas Maccabee, the Israelites waged heroic warfare against their powerful adversaries for the right to worship God according to the dictates of their conscience. After three years of war—on the same day, Kislev the 25th, on which three years before the Syrian "Idol had been placed in the temple—the Israelites celebrated the birth of their religious freedom, cleansed the temple which had been profaned by the Syrians, and rededicated it to the God of liberty and light.

Hanukkah is a Hebrew word meaning rededication. In temple and home, the seven-branched candelstick is lighted and special prayers are offered. The suggestive symbolism which has been profaned by Israel, is variously employed to express the lessons of the festival.

Dr. Hawes to Preach on "Christian Science, a False Religion"—Addresses will be made by Charles E. Pass, an Sergeant John K. Blake, of the local recruiting office. The flag will be raised by Sergeant Blake and Quartermaster Sergeant J. J. Boyles of the Navy. The program is as follows: Prelude, Municipal Band; prayer, the Rev. A. L. Taxis, pastor of the Olivet Presbyterian Church; song, "America"; address, Charles E. Pass; solo, "The Sword Is the Sweetheart True," Clarence H. Sigler; address, Sergeant John K. Blake, Boyles, second lieutenant, One Hundred and Forty-fourth Depot Brigade, Camp Meade, Md.; John Scheinas, Company F, Twelfth U. S. Infantry; Charles E. Sheaffer, Company I, Eighth Pennsylvania Infantry; Clifton Turner, Pennsylvania Cavalry; Company E, Third U. S. Infantry; Edward R. Welf, Company E, Fourth U. S. Infantry; John Wolfarth, Company E, Thirty-third U. S. Infantry.

CHURCH OF CHRIST—Harris Street—The Rev. George F. Schaum, 10:30, "The Book of the Guide of Life"; 2, Sunday school; 7:30, "Blotting out Sin."

LECTURE "CHRISTIAN SCIENCE"—Charles I. Ohrenstein, a member of the Board of Lecturers of the First Church, Christian Scientist, of Boston, will lecture on "Christian Science" in the Orpheum theater, to-morrow at 4:30. The Intermediate Catechetical class will be held at the church to-morrow evening on "A Plea for the Poor." He believes it is unchristian to raise prices at certain times, and will give his reasons for thinking so.

UNITED BRETHREN—Sixth Street—The Rev. Joseph Daugherty, 10:30 and 7:30, Holy Communion will be observed; evening subject, "Abiding in Christ"; Sunday school, 4:45.

Otterbein—The Rev. S. Edwin Rupp, D. D.—10:30, "Courage"; the Rev. H. S. Kiefer will preach at 7:30; 2, Sunday school.

State Street—10:45, The Rev. C. W. Shoop, a returned Missionary will preach; 7:30, "Effectual Prayer"; 9:30, Sunday school.

Derry Street—The Rev. J. A. Lyter, 10:30, 7:30; 2, Sunday school. Neidig Memorial—The Rev. H. S. Kiefer, superintendent of new members Kiefer 9:15, Sunday school; 10:30, Communion Service and admittance of new members; 7:30, the Rev. Edwin Rupp, Otterbein United Brethren Church, Harrisburg, will conduct an evangelistic service.

First—The Rev. W. E. Daugherty, 10:30, "The Bestowment of the Holy Spirit"; 7:30, "The Aim of a Consecrated Life"; 1:45 Sunday school.

FIRE LADDIES TO UNFURL FLAG

Allison Hill Company to Re-member Associates Now in Service of Country

Members of the Allison Hill Hook and Ladder Company will dedicate and unfurl a large service flag to-morrow afternoon in the enginehouse at 3:30 o'clock. The flag will be unfurled in honor of the men from the company who have entered the country's service.

The company's roll of honor is as follows: Joseph E. Beideman, Supply Truck Company No. 1, P. N. G.; Tyson Benck, Supply Truck Company No. 1, P. N. G.; Oden Carpenter, Machine Gun Company, First Pennsylvania Cavalry; Camp Meade, Md.; Walter T. Cook, Supply Truck Company No. 1, P. N. G.; Oden Carpenter, Machine Gun Company, First Pennsylvania Cavalry; Harold Hippie, Troop, First Pennsylvania Cavalry; Myrl Hoerner, Pennsylvania Cavalry; Myrl Hoerner, Troop C, First Pennsylvania Cavalry; Edward E. Mohr, U. S. Cavalry; Floyd K. Nye, Supply Truck No. 1, N. G. P.; Supply Truck No. 1, N. G. P.; William Pollock, U. S. Navy; Charles R. Ringer, U. S. Infantry; Edward Rupp, second lieutenant, One Hundred and Forty-fourth Depot Brigade, Camp Meade, Md.; John Scheinas, Company F, Twelfth U. S. Infantry; Charles E. Sheaffer, Company I, Eighth Pennsylvania Infantry; Clifton Turner, Pennsylvania Cavalry; Company E, Third U. S. Infantry; Edward R. Welf, Company E, Fourth U. S. Infantry; John Wolfarth, Company E, Thirty-third U. S. Infantry.

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TO PRESENT PAGEANT—The Missionary Society of the St. Matthew's Lutheran Church will present the missionary pageant, "Christ in America," in the church to-morrow evening. Twenty-four characters will represent the various races in the country, who are in search for higher religious and national ideals.

ORGANIST RESIGNS—Mrs. Ralph R. Burd, 522 Peffer street, has resigned her position as organist of the Covenant Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Burd is a talented musician and is well known in the musical circles of the city. No successor has been named.

Were You One of Those So Greatly Inspired Last Sunday Evening At Bethlehem Lutheran Church GREEN AND CUMBERLAND STREETS REV. J. BRADLEY MARKWARD, D.D., Pastor. At the Morning Service, at 10.0, the Pastor Will Preach on The Anointed Messenger and the Message At the Evening Service, at 7.30, Another Sermon in the Series The Duty of the Church in This Day COME—And be inspired to a more loyal world-citizenship Sunday School at 1.45 P. M. A Warm Welcome Awaits You.

Our Debt To Martin Luther THE Reformation started 400 years ago by Martin Luther is responsible for the following blessings: "The Open Bible. Justification by Faith. The Right of Private Judgment. Universal Priesthood of All Believers. People's Part in Public Worship. Universal Education. An Unmutated Sacrament. Christian Hymns. Protestant Parsonages. Civil and Religious Liberty." The marvelous success of Zion Lutheran Church is due to the close observance of the teachings of Martin Luther. Splendid Sunday Evening Services. ZION LUTHERAN CHURCH South Fourth Street, Near Market REV. S. W. HERMAN, Pastor. "The Church With the Chimes."

PINE STREET PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Third and Pine Streets Sunday, December 9, 1917 Preacher, The Rev. L. S. MUDGE, D. D., Pastor. 10.30 A. M. "THE EVERY DAY OF LIFE" Mark 6:48 7.30 P. M. "THE FOOL OF FOOLS" Luke 12:20 "But God said unto him, 'Thou Fool' A Cordial Invitation to You to Enjoy Excellent Choir Music. Familiar Congregational Hymns. Practical, Spiritual Preaching."

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BIG MASS MEETING FOR MEN Speaker—Dr. W. A. Granville President of Gettysburg College FAHNESTOCK HALL, Y. M. C. A. SECOND AND LOCUST STREETS Sunday, December 9—3.30 P. M. Special Music by Stevens Memorial Orchestra Baritone Solos by William Boyer ALL MEN INVITED—Come and Bring Another Man A Man's Gift From a Man's Store Wm. Strouse