

PLEA MADE FOR FIXING CORRECT SPIRITUAL VALUE

Rev. L. C. Fackler Points
Out Danger of Failure
to Obey God.

"Man does not naturally possess the ability to value spiritual blessings," Rev. L. C. Fackler said Sunday night at St. Matthew Evangelical Lutheran Church, while speaking on "Valuing the Excellent Knowledge of God."

"The external observance of the law is considered by many to be sufficient," he said. "It would be sufficient for the observer of civil laws, but not for the divine."

"Put your ear to the ground and listen to the opinions that are about the observance of God's laws. People are going about trying to establish their own righteousness by fulfilling the letter of the law. They never kill, but still they hate. They never commit gross sin, but still that sin transpires in their soul. They say they worship God, but think they can do it just as well at home. 'I am not so bad, Lord, what lack I yet?'"

"The perverted mind says, 'I am righteous and the Lord ought to consider what I do as noble and give me credit for it.' There are not a few that think that the outward observance of some laws ought to atone for their evil; they want to set the good deeds over against their sins and strike a balance."

Obey God's Laws

"More is needed than the external observance of the law. The letter killeth but the spirit giveth life. The righteousness of which the carnal mind boasts will never avail before God. Our entire being is unclean. How can clean things—righteousness—come from an unclean."

"The righteousness that avails before God is the righteousness of Christ, which is given to us of God. Even though people have this excellent knowledge of God concerning the righteousness that avails before Him, nevertheless they still rely on their human righteousness which will never save them. This they do because they do not know how to properly value their righteousness."

"Much effort is spent in enlightening the mind concerning the things of this life. Not one-half of the people in our country are concerned about the enlightenment of the soul. Many that have their names on the church record are not vitally interested in divine enlightenment. They may know the word, sanctify us through Thy truth. Thy word is truth, but they do not care to have their being cleansed by the power of God, they do not want to separate themselves from that which is unholiness. This shows how much people value the enlightenment of the soul," Rev. Fackler said.

BAD CONDITIONS IN EAST

Speaker Tells of Activities of Bolsheviks and Turks.

Bolsheviks and Turks are running things in the Near-East in a high-handed manner, relief workers who lectured here Sunday declared. Reds, custom officials, boarded a boat at Batoun on the Black Sea, and were only prevented from forcing American women to submit to indignities by twelve little American flags, said Miss Elizabeth Nixon, Cleveland, from the pulpit of the Third Emmanuel Reformed Church. Alonzo E. Wilson, Chicago, speaking at the Meridian Heights Presbyterian Church, said 150,000 Christian refugees, driven out of Turkey, have died in the last ten months.

SALVATION VITAL QUESTION
Persistent Rejection of Church Has No Hope of Heaven, Educator Says.

A persistent rejecter of Christ cannot hope for life eternal, said the Rev. J. A. Huffman, dean of Marion College, Marion, Ind., in addressing a mass meeting Sunday afternoon at English's Theatre, under auspices of the Indianapolis Gospel Chorus. No question is so vital as that of salvation, he said.

GOD'S MESSAGE OF LIFE

Bible Must Not Be Viewed as Text-Book of Science, Says Pastor.

"Men must not look upon the Bible as a text-book of science, but must look upon it as God's message of life," said the Rev. Joseph D. Armstrong, pastor of Downey Avenue Christian Church, in a sermon Sunday on "Nature and Science."

EPWORTH LEAGUE INSTALLS

George Curtis Becomes President of District.

New officers of the local district of Epworth League were installed Sunday at the Heath Memorial M. E. Church. They are: George Curtis, president, Miss Wilma Tully,

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first vice president; Miss Margaret Bishop, second vice president; Miss Florence Shank, third vice president; Miss Mildred Askren, fourth vice president; Marion Gatling, secretary; H. Dale Summers, treasurer; Miss Estie Fisk, life work secretary; Elmer St. Clair, Miss Thelma Hawthorne, Miss Helen Barrett and Carl Wirey, subdistrict captains.

the Broadway M. E. Church; He declared that progress depends upon ability to understand all truths in terms of plain righteousness.

BIG 4 CONDUCTOR DIES

Funeral of George L. Buchanan Will Be Held Wednesday.

Funeral of George L. Buchanan, 65, who died suddenly at his home Sunday will be held 10 a. m. Wednesday at the residence, 1333 N. Tuxedo St. The body will be taken to Linton, Ind., for burial. His wife died several years ago.

For thirty-five years Mr. Buchanan had been passenger conductor on the St. Louis division of the Big Four Railroad. He was born in Jefferson County near Madison and lived in Indianapolis twenty years.

He is survived by a daughter, Miss Grace Buchanan, and a brother, Charles Buchanan, both of Indianapolis.

"HEROES OF THE HOME"

Constitute True Manhood of Land, Says Rev. Dale.

"We see the true manhood of our land in the thrifty heroes of the home," declared the Rev. Homer Dale of the Hillside Christian Church in his Father's day sermon Sunday. He preached on the "Manhood of America."

'LET GOD HAVE RIGHT OF WAY'

Evangelist Says "Opening Heart Is Profitable."

"The heart should be opened to God because it is the honest, the right, the wise and profitable thing to do," said the Rev. Luke Rader of Atlanta, Ga., in the first of a series of evangelistic services at Cade Tabernacle Sunday.

"The greatest destiny that can come to any man is to let God have the right of way," the Rev. Rader said. "No one can fool with God or rebel against his will. If you are honest with God, you will want Him to have a place in your life."

DR. ECKARDT IS SPEAKER

De Pauw Professor Uses "The Open Door" as Subject.

"Have we the right and full conception of what Christianity really is?" asked Dr. L. R. Eckardt of the department of philosophy at De Pauw University, Sunday morning in his sermon on "The Open Door" at

HEALING OF JESUS IS NOT MYSTERY, LECTURER SAYS

Mrs. Blanche K. Corby Addresses Science Meeting in School Building.

The healing method of Christian Science, the healing method used by Jesus, is unique, but there is no mystery about it, said Mrs. Blanche K. Corby, Los Angeles, Cal., in a lecture Sunday afternoon at Irvington School No. 57, under auspices of the Fourth Church of Christ, scientist.

"The message that Christian Science brings to the world to-day is one of good cheer; it is one of hope, comfort, health—complete salvation," she said.

"Every one desires to live because life is natural and normal, and a knowledge of the best means whereby life may be conserved and made harmonious is indeed most worthy of one's thought and consideration. Humanity generally has not looked to God for daily and hourly help in times of trouble. It has not believed that God is available under all conditions and circumstances; but there is no human condition so desperate, no disease so obstinate, that man can not be released from it through divine aid, for God, who is Love, is all powerful."

Only One Satisfactory

"Many theories of salvation have been presented to the world, but only one has proved satisfactory and un-failing. Christ Jesus came as the Way-shower. He declared and demonstrated a full and complete salvation. Jesus did not teach that a man must die in order to be saved or reach God; nowhere in the Scriptures is found any authority for saying that he considered evil and death at all necessary or in accord with divine law; but he did say, 'If a man keep my saying, he shall never see death.'"

"The first step toward freedom from evil is generally taken through the desire for physical healing. The healing method of Christian Science, the healing method used by Jesus, is unique, but there is no mystery, nothing supernatural about it. It is the simple teaching of Jesus, the spontaneous and natural result of better thinking."

Treatment Regenerating

"Christian Science treatment creates a desire to know and to do the will of God. It is regenerating in its influence. Mesmeric suggestion and hypnotism weaken the subject's ability to do what is right. His subjection to another mentality in the least degree is in itself an evil."

"The objection is sometimes made that Christian Science practice does not take into account the symptoms of disease. It does, however, recognize the symptoms, but only to analyze the mental cause which has produced the physical suffering. If the mental cause is found to be hatred,

Delegate



—Photo by Bachrach.

MRS. HENRY B. HEYWOOD

Mrs. Henry B. Heywood, 408 E. Thirteenth St., is president of the board of directors of the Public Health Nursing Association of Indianapolis. She will go to the national nurses' convention at Detroit June 26 as a delegate from the Indianapolis organization.

Mrs. Heywood has gone to her summer home at Lake Maxinkuckee for a two-months' stay.

God Can Heal

"The majority of cures wrought by Christian Science have been of diseases pronounced incurable, and the great ranks of Christian Scientists today are composed largely of those who have been compelled to turn to God for aid because some man had said he could not heal them. That is indeed a happy day when we learn that man cannot heal, but that God can and does."

"Christian Scientists accept the teaching of the Bible from Genesis to Revelation. If the Bible is God's Word to His people, then it is for us today to know and to understand it. No longer do Christian Scientists read the Scriptures in a perfunctory manner, but it is their delight to read and study them daily."

Bankit Trial Postponed

By Times Special
CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., May 19.—Trial of Cayton Rice, alleged bank bandit, has been postponed to Sept. 23, by Judge Earl Stroupe of Frankfort, Ind., before whom the case has been venue for Montgomery Circuit Court. Rice and an unknown masked man are alleged to have secured \$1,800 in the hold-up of the Linnburg State Bank on May 1, 1923. Jury disagreed at his first trial.

LEGION ADJUTANT REPLIES TO CHARGE OF VET ORGANIZER

Denies Expenditure of Y. W. C. A. Donations in Bonus Fight.

Bonus legislation for service men was pending in Congress long before the organization of the American Legion or other veteran's organizations, Russell G. Creviston, national legion adjutant, declared today in answer to charges of George Brokaw Compton of New York that the legion originated the bonus plan in February, 1920.

Compton Makes Charges

Compton, who is organizer of the Veterans' Legion in New York, made the charges in a letter to Senator Wadsworth. He also charged the Legion used funds donated by the workers' council of the Y. M. C. A. to further the scheme.

Creviston pointed out that before first convention of the Legion at Minneapolis in November, 1919, bonus legislation was pending in Congress, and that Representative Fordney, chairman of the House Finance Committee, made a personal appeal to Legion leaders to give an expression as to the form of bonus preferred.

Creviston Denies

"This was refused," Creviston said, "because it was felt Congress should be allowed to decide. Later, in February, 1920, the national executive committee set out its five-fold plan. There never has been a penny of the principal of the Y. M. C. A. spent. The money is intact in an Indianapolis bank."

The Legion national executive committee meets here today and Tuesday.

POSTAL ACTS PROTESTED

Anti-Spoils League Reports on Removal of Employees.

Removal of five mail carriers and the postmaster at Covington, Ind., is branded as a flagrant example of an affront to a co-ordinate branch of Government and "a prostitution of a great business department and spoils politics in violation of the civil service law" by the Anti-Spoils League in a report made by its special investigating committee composed of A. M. Locke, and William Dudley Foulke.

The Anti-Spoils League quotes the report of special representatives of

the United States Civil service commission who condemn the dismissal of the men as unwarranted by the facts and recommending their reinstatement. A letter from Postmaster General Harry S. New, refusing to reinstate the men is cited.

HARVEY TO EDIT POST

Former Ambassador to Be Editorial Director of Washington Paper.

By United Press
WASHINGTON, May 19.—George Harvey, former ambassador to England, will become editorial director of the Washington Post on June 1, Edward B. McLean, owner of the paper, announced today.

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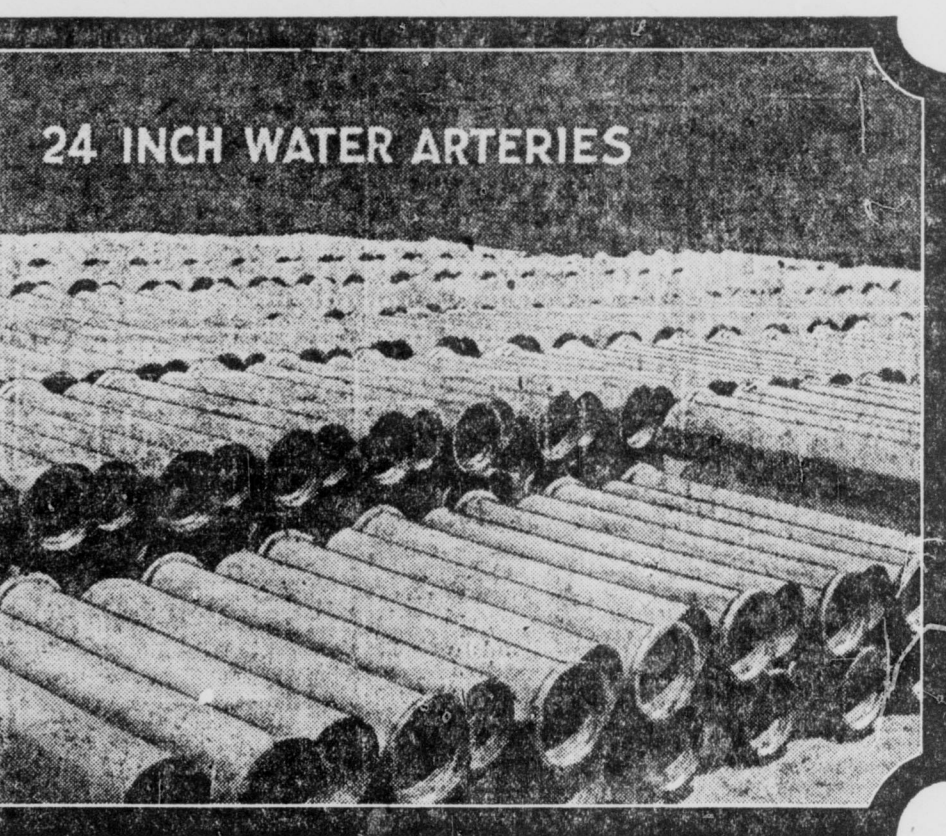
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