

SOCIETY

HOURS OF SERVICE.

Christ Church—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
First Presbyterian—11 and 7.
Holy Trinity—11 and 7.
St. Andrew's—11 and 7.
St. Joseph's R. C.—8.30, 10.30, 7.30.
Victoria Ave. Methodist—11 and 7.
William St. Baptist—11 and 7.
Park St. Methodist—11 and 7.
Seventh Day Adventists—3 and 7.
Latter Day Saints—11 and 7.
Campbell A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.
First Baptist—11 and 7.30.
St. John's A. M. E.—11 and 7.
British Methodist—11 and 7.30.
Union A. M. E.—11 and 7.30.

Pastors and others who contribute news items to this department of Saturday's Planet will confer a favor by seeing to it that their "copy" reaches this office not later than Friday at 4 p.m. Matter received later than that hour cannot be guaranteed insertion.

International Bible Lessons for Tomorrow—A Sabbath in Capernaum—Mark 1, 21-34.

Golden Text—"He laid His hands on every one of them and healed them."

This Sabbath day's work of our Blessed Master, immediately followed our last lesson, and is but one sample of a day "He went about doing good."

The outline is, 1st, teaching; 2nd, casting out demons; 3rd, healing the sick. He is before us here as a preacher, a deliverer from the devil and sin, and the Great Physician who forgiveth all our iniquities and heal eth all our diseases.

As teacher and preacher, one who knew every heart before Him, and looked into every soul as we look into faces; there was no dead, dull, formal address, but in thoughts that breathed and words that burned His own heart overflowed upon the hearers. Satan cannot stand this, and moves a poor slave of his to salute the speaker as "Jesus of Nazareth, the Holy One of God," demanding to be let alone and not destroyed. He raved in hatred and madness, as some do now, the purifying power of our Lord Jesus, hold of them and cleanse them. "Hold thy peace and come out of him," delivers the poor wretch from the evil on amidst agony and demoniac yells, and to the amazement of the whole congregation the poor man stood beside his Saviour, saved! "Jesus is this same yesterday, to-day and forever."

2nd. Next he finds Peter's mother-in-law down with fever. He takes her hand, raising her up, the fever is expelled, as easy as the demon just before, and the woman is restored to her house-work.

After sunset, when their Jewish Sabbath was ended, the streets were blocked around Peter's house with afflicted multitudes brought to the Lord to be healed, and poor men possessed by howling demons, were delivered and silenced, because they knew He was the Son of God, and all this without receiving a cent; for He said, "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

CHURCH NOTES.

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Sunday services as usual in the Union A. M. E. Church, Forest Street, North Chatham; Rev. R. L. Holden, pastor.

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The Ladies' Assisting Society of the Public General Hospital will take charge of the Austin Store next Friday and Saturday, and they will receive 10 per cent. of all the sales.

ache, pain in the stomach, are all symptoms of dyspepsia, and the longer it is neglected the harder it is to cure it.

Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Radically and permanently cure it—strengthen and tone the stomach and other digestive organs for the natural performance of their functions.

Accept no substitute for Hood's. "My appetite was gone; nothing tempted me to eat, and what little I did eat felt untried and unpleasant in my stomach. I tried many remedies without any benefit whatever. Finally, Hood's Sarsaparilla having been recommended, I began its use. After taking one bottle my stomach would retain food, and my appetite began to improve. After taking three bottles I was completely cured." WILLIAM ROSA, Wellington Street, Sarnia, Ontario.

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First Baptist Church, King St., A. Jesse Henderson, pastor—Morning service at 11 a.m. S. S. at 12.30, evening service at 7. Services will be conducted both morning and evening by the pastor.

The Young People's Class for Bible study meets every morning at ten o'clock in the Park Street Methodist Church.

The Holy Communion will be administered at the morning service in the Campbell A. M. E. Church to-morrow.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning service in the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow.

The Women's Auxiliary Missionary Society of Christ Church meets in the S. H. Hall every Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Prayer meeting will be held in the William St. Baptist Church on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Class meeting in connection with the U. F. M. Church is held every Tuesday evening.

Divine service is held every Wednesday evening in Christ Church at 8 o'clock.

Mr. J. G. Matthews, M. A., student of McMaster University, Toronto, will conduct the services in the William St. Baptist Church to-morrow.

Prayer meeting is held every Wednesday evening in the S. S. Hall of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church, at 7.30.

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Christ Church Anglican Young People's Society meets every Monday night at 8 o'clock.

The Victoria Ave. Epworth League meets on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The B. Y. P. U. meets in the lecture room of the Baptist Church every Friday evening at 8.

The regular weekly prayer service will be held in St. Andrew's Church at 8 o'clock.

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DISTRICT DOINGS.

THAMESVILLE

"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

At the Chatham Grand:—Carnival of Entertainments—Feb. 8. Robin Hood, Feb. 11. "A Ragged Hero"—Feb. 16.

(Supplied to The Planet by Press Agents.)

MONDAY NIGHT'S PERFORMANCE.

The Carnival of entertainments will on Monday night present a very pleasing program at the Grand, being attraction No. 5 on the C. O. L. Star and People's Popular Course.

The following are a few credentials as to their ability:—The sensation of the evening was caused by Miss Vernon who startled all with her phenomenal gift of second sight.—Detroit (Mich.) Evening News.

The mind reading of the Vernons was the feature of the evening. They gave one of the finest renderings of this popular art that we have ever seen.—St. Paul (Minn.) Sunday Star.

The greatest in the country to-day.—Rochester Herald.

The best to be found—Omaha (Neb.) World-Herald.

The Vernons in second sight are simply indescribable.—Minneapolis (Minn.) Times.

A weird, interesting and original performance.—Philadelphia (Pa.) Item.

Far better than the old timers.—New York Telegraph.

With the most elaborate exhibition ever seen here Mr. Vernon keeps the audience in roars of laughter.—Toronto World.

The banjo playing of E. T. and R. H. McGrath, was a real treat. They showed rare execution and their pieces were selected with excellent taste. They are sure of a warm welcome whenever they come again.—Cape Ann Evening Breeze.

The banjo solos by Mr. McGrath were the star numbers on the program. He is indeed master of the instrument and shows what much can be gotten out of the banjo.—Carbondale (Pa.) Leader.

The musical selections by Mr. McGrath were first-class.—Salem, Mass. Evening News.

Mr. Fred T. McGrath added much to his reputation as a skillful banjo player in the two entertainments in which he appeared here last week. His playing is delightful, and audience never tire of hearing him.—Gloucester Daily Times.

Mr. Houston stands at the head of his profession. As the originator of musical novelties he has no superior and few equals. His compositions are funny, clever and unique, and his stories he is equally at home and from first to last was received with round after round of applause.—Ashtabula (O.) Beacon-Herald.

Mr. Houston is a humorist of fine ability and furnished a good part of the entertainment.—Washington (D. C.) Times, February 6, 1903.

There are very few seats left in the plan, and from the present indications, lots of standing room will be sold.

Maid, Wife and Widow Within an Hour

A sacred death-bed marriage culminated the school-day romance of George Edward Bishop, a Massachusetts militia man, and Miss Caroline Ida Belle Alden, at the City hospital, in Boston, at a late hour Sunday afternoon, just as the Angelus bells of the nearby St. Vincent Orphan asylum called the nuns to prayer.

Mr. Bishop and Miss Alden had been youthful pupils, chums, playmates, and attendants of the Highlandville public schools, and afterward were enrolled at the nearby Newton high school.

The devotion of a youth to his maid proved the fact of a truism, and Sunday when George Bishop realized he was to die, his most earnest desire expressed was to wed his early choice.

For three years they had been secretly engaged, but through sickness, turn of fickle fortune and because of other obstinate reasons, their love had been thwarted.

Fear of grim death brought home to both the ruling passion of their lives, and on Sunday noon George Bishop sent for his friend and former adviser, Rev. Wm. T. McElveen.

Miss Alden, showing desperate energy and desire to help and assist the soldier-lover of her youth, had been at the hospital all day awaiting the interests and desires of her dying fiancé.

Within two short hours Caroline Ida Belle Alden Bishop was maid and widow.

Last night Mr. Bishop's body lay in the home of his parents at Allston, watched over by his sorrowing young widow, the bride of an hour, but who, in her grief, absolutely refused to receive callers or to be comforted in the hour of her youthful affliction.—Boston Post.

GUN IN A TREE.

Port Arthur, Ont., Feb. 5.—Wm. Solder, with two companions, was out hunting yesterday, following a hunter's trail. He inadvertently killed a string which crossed the trail and which was attached to a rifle suspended in a tree at full cock. The rifle was discharged, the bullet entering Snyder's leg, inflicting a severe wound. He was carried through the bush to the railway track and brought into Port Arthur hospital, where he arrived some ten hours after the accident.

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A STORMY VOYAGE.

Halifax, Feb. 4.—The steamer Pretorian, which arrived to-night, had a very stormy passage, but suffered no serious damage. On January 26 she ran into a hurricane when 1,150 miles from the Irish coast, and the machinery was damaged, the main stop-valve of the engine was fractured, and after several hours' hard work the engineers repaired it and the steamer then proceeded, but the weather was so bad that only 87 miles were made. Captain Jackson says that it was the worst passage of his 35 years' experience at sea. The weather was so bad that only 87 miles were made. Captain Jackson says that it was the worst passage of his 35 years' experience at sea. The weather was so bad that only 87 miles were made.

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BABY HELD FOR RENT

"I want a playmate for my baby." Justice Bradwell looked up in astonishment at Mrs. John Fleming in

Men's and Young Men's Suits up to \$10, choice of 37 patterns, (this season's goods, but odd sizes. Be here first and get your size. Sale starts Saturday morning. Every suit in window one price—\$5.00.

12 1/2-2c wrapprerette, at 7 1/2-2c yard—15 pieces fancy wrapprerettes and waists, in good range of patterns and colorings, regular 10c and 12 1/2-2c a yard, clearing Saturday at

25c Kimona flannels at 15c yard—6 pieces fancy Kimona flannels and waists, choice new designs, fast colors, regular 25c a yard, clearing Saturday at

40c table linen at 27c yard—3 pieces heavy table linen, wide width, half bleached finish, firm quality, in good designs, regular 40c yard, clearing Saturday at

25c sheeting at 19c yard—2 pieces extra quality unbleached sheeting, full two yards wide, fine even weave, regular 25c yard, Saturday

18c grey flannel at 11 1/2-2c yard—5 pieces good heavy grey flannel, plain and twill weaves, light and dark shades, full width, good value at 18c yard, clearing Saturday at

\$1.25 French Cheviot Suitings—One piece only, extra quality rich black French Cheviot Suiting, full 56 inches wide, best dye and finish, good heavy weight, none better in the city, at \$1.25 a yard, clearing Saturday at

40c, 50c, and 60c Dress Goods at 25c—22 only, ladies' coats, handsome styles in black, grey and mixtures, this season's best styles, regular \$10.00 to \$15.00 each. You pick of the lot Saturday for

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Ladies' Coats, Correct styles and materials in black and colors, regular \$5.00, \$7.50, \$8.50 and \$9.00, clearing Saturday at

Ladies' Fur Capes—Long lengths, full sweep, large storm collar, well lined, regular \$10.00, clearing Saturday at

Ladies' \$5.00 Skirts, at \$3.68—16 only, fine, homespun, freeze cheviot, newest and cloth skirts, this season's latest cut, in colors black, oxford, navy, half line stripes and flake mixtures, lengths 38 in. to 43 in., regular \$5.00 to \$10.00 each, clearing Saturday at

An underskirt bargain—5 dozen ladies' black saten underskirts, rich quality, prettily made, with flounces, ruffles, platings, braid stitching, tucks, etc., assorted lengths, good value at \$1.25 each, clearing Saturday at

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SWATTED PARSON

Sister Louisa Addison has been cast out by the Pilgrim Baptist church (colored) of Red Bank, N. J., for swatting the pastor in the pulpit two Sundays ago. But her act was inspired by no irrelevant purpose.

The congregation meets in a loft over a blacksmith shop and wants to build a church. The pastor, Rev. Ephraim McDonald, collected money for the purpose, but made no returns. When Deacon Good got up in meeting and asked how that church fund was getting along, the pastor replied:

"Oh, you must put your trust in the Lord and in the Lord's servant." The Pilgrims insisted on a report, and then the pastor said that all the money collected had gone for expenses.

Then the Pilgrims were wroth. They forthwith appointed a day when Rev. McDonald was to preach a farewell sermon. On the appointed Sunday the parson said:

"I've been to New York and a man there he done say that he'd give me \$2,000. But mah hands were tied. You've done cast me out. And I couldn't 'fore do 'Lord, take that \$2,000 as your pastor."

Forthwith the Pilgrims untied his hands. But the \$2,000 did not appear. At the next church meeting Sister Louisa moved that the parson be fired on the spot.

"He ain't no preacher," said the sister scornfully. "We done got him here to raise money for a church building. But where am dat money?"

Then Sister Anderson got up. "If that parson comes in this here church next Sunday, I've gwine to pull de shirt off'n him," she said.

"No, you won't!" exclaimed Sister Louisa. "I'll just beat him out. That's what I'll do. And when I say it, I say it!"

On the next Sunday when Sister Louisa entered the church, she saw Rev. Mr. McDonald in the pulpit. Up the aisle she stalked, right to the pulpit.