

# CHRISTMAS ENTHUSIASM BUBBLES OVER



## SEVERAL NEW FIRMS

Sarnia Company incorporated for \$60,000—Hamilton Firm \$40,000.  
Canadian Press Despatch.  
Toronto, Nov. 29.—The Ontario Gazette yesterday announced the incorporation of several new Ontario business firms, including the following: Fearman Brothers, Limited, \$40,000, Hamilton; General Ice Cream Corporation, Limited, \$150,000, Bridgeburg; Macdonald Brothers, Limited, \$60,000, Sarnia.

## BAPTIST CHURCH HAS ANNIVERSARY

Rev. S. J. Reid, D.D., of Chicago, Special Preacher at Wortley Road.

### EDIFICE REOPENED

Rev. S. J. Reid, D.D., Tabernacle Baptist church, Chicago, preached to capacity congregations in Wortley road Baptist church three times yesterday in marking the reopening of the church after extensive improvements and the 37th anniversary of the founding of the congregation.

All of the Baptist churches of the city were represented at the afternoon gathering, at which Dr. Reid spoke on "The Resurrection," indicating, as Rev. R. J. Murphy, B.D., pastor of the church, remarked, that unity exists in the Baptist denomination in the city.

Referring to the fact that the resurrection is mentioned 104 times in the New Testament, Dr. Reid declared the resurrection to be the cornerstone of the Christian faith.

"The resurrection," stated Dr. Reid, has been the Waterloo of infidelity. It has been the Gibraltar of the Christian faith. If we accept belief in God we must believe in an Almighty God, the creator of the universe, and one interrupt or over-ride the laws of the universe at his own desire. We must believe that with God all things are possible.

"Disbelief in the resurrection is passing away," asserted Dr. Reid, "and we must always have a feeling and develop the spirit within us that we are united to the next world, and there is something relating us to God. Such a spirit will give us a consciousness of man's nobility and at the same time give dignity and uplift the whole human race."

### Explains Theories.

Dr. Reid then dealt in turn with the explanations or theories regarding the resurrection. He pointed out that the first theory was that the body of Christ had been stolen while the guard of sixteen Roman soldiers slept. The second was that Christ had swooned on the cross and been laid away in the tomb unconscious, later to recover and walk away himself. The third was that the disciples, because they were absorbed by the desire to see Christ, really had only a vision, a subjective impression, that he had risen. The speaker proceeded to cite the weakness of all of these theories, leaving the fact that Christ did really rise from the dead after three days, according to the Scriptures.

"There is no religion, no Christianity, no Christ, without the resurrection," affirmed Dr. Reid in conclusion, "and because we as Christians believe in the reunion of souls, the personal identity in heaven, we must gather up all our sorrows, lay them down, and take to our hearts the immortal hope of the glory yet to be realized in the world to come."

### Clergy Assist.

Assisting Dr. Reid and Mr. Murphy at the afternoon service were the following: Rev. J. H. Simon, Adelaide street church; Rev. A. Burgess, Egerton street church; Rev. W. E. Smith, Kensall Park church; Rev. W. M. Macdonald, Maitland street church; Rev. W. J. Graham, D.D., First avenue church, Toronto, in charge of Talbot street church for yesterday's services.

The musical program by the choir, under Miss Merlyn Pococke, embraced during the day the following numbers: Anthem, Sing Praises Unto the Lord (Crucifixion); mixed quartet, Praise Ye the Father (Gounod); male quartet, Crossing the Bar (Parks); anthem, Reconciliation (Vincent); bass solo by W. Chalcraft; women's chorus, Still, Still with Thee (Abel); solo, O Come to My Heart, Lord Jesus (Ambrose); Miss Phyllis Gray; organ numbers—Communion in D Minor (Clark); Gloria (Pergolesi); Communion in G (Clark), march, Die Zauberei (Mozart); Andante (Bach); march in F (Clark); Miss Pococke.

Dr. Graham concluded with an earnest plea for the Christian people to come out openly and away from all entanglements with the world, and give Christ the pre-eminence in all things.

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## SAYS CHRISTIAN LIFE IS STRUGGLE

Fearless Address Given by Dr. W. T. Graham in Talbot Street Church.

Fearless and practical was the address of Rev. Dr. W. T. Graham of First avenue church, Toronto, who occupied the pulpit at Talbot street Baptist church on Sunday. In the morning from St. Paul's experience and his declaration, "I have fought the good fight, I have kept the faith," he pointed out that the Christian life was not an easy one. As Paul wrote those lines he would probably hear the executioner's footsteps as they fell on the corridor outside his place of confinement. It was his unyielding testimony for the sake of his Master that had brought him death, brought no horrors for him, it simply meant being present with the Lord; death would merely wrap him up in a garment of glory and let the full radiance of heaven shine in upon his soul; it was simply a chariot that would sweep him home to glory.

Paul, in his willingness to be offered up at the close of his ministry was manifesting the spirit of Christ. Soon after the resurrection of Christ and let the church be gathered into the early Christian church; persecution drove them to many parts of the country and brought upon them martyrdom. So fierce and bitter was this and so certain were some of the Roman officials that they had blotted it out that a medal was struck to commemorate the event. But the spirit of Christ, which is Christianity, cannot be blotted out.

### Is Modern Need.

The church of today needs this intense devotion that marked the life of Paul. We do not need more organization; in fact, the church of today has used up all the letters of the alphabet in naming the new organizations it has conceived; we do not need more money or better preachers, but we do need more devotion, more of the abandonment of self; the Master can use the weakest of us and make us mighty in pulling down the fortress of sin.

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## SEVEN KILLED AS RADIAL CAR HITS AUTO AT GRAND RAPIDS

Four Men, Three Girls Killed On Way To Dance Hall—Train Travelling at High Speed Carries Car Seven Hundred Feet.

### Special to The Advertiser by Staff Correspondent.

Grand Rapids, Nov. 29.—Four men and three young girls were killed here last night when the automobile in which they were riding was struck by a Michigan Central Railway interurban train.

The tragedy occurred at a crossing in the southwest section of the city. The dead are: Angelina Tomaszewski, 18, Monica Pradzik, 17, of Boyne City; Frances Benzer, 22, of Grand Rapids; Veronica Bialas, 18, of Grand Rapids; Walter Rosekiewicz, 18, Grand Rapids; John A. Persak, 19, Grand Rapids; Stanley Ojczewski, 19, of Grand Rapids.

The party were on their way to Hillard, near here, to attend a dance.

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No man can do much for another who cannot do anything for himself. Paul was always afraid of himself. "Let after I have preached to others I should be a castaway." If your chief interest is in your money in the bank or in your property or your bonds you will not have possessions or to make money, but your money and property must be used for the glory of God, and then you will not find yourself defeated by the world.

### Devil Is Active.

"There is today a thirst for pleasure

made it impossible for the motorman to stop sooner.

The interurban, a limited fast train, was travelling at a high rate of speed. The motorman Peterson admitted. He saw the machine approach the crossing from the west, but believed it would stop.

The seven victims were crowded into a five-passenger closed car, which was further crowded by several musical instruments. The view at the crossing is unobstructed, but it is believed that the crowded condition of the car prevented the driver from seeing the train.

Dr. H. C. Wolfe, coroner, prepared today to begin an inquest Monday. The accident, according to Herbert Jakeway, motorman of the interurban, occurred when the automobile, containing the seven occupants, speeded toward the crossing, swerved to the left around another car which was waiting for the interurban to pass, and then dashed upon the track in front of the interurban. Most of the bodies were badly mutilated.

that cannot be quenched," he said. "You no doubt have in your city, as we have in Toronto, many un saved people, you have boys and girls in your Sunday school who are not yet saved, you have poor people, sick, the widows and the orphans. It is an absolute shame with these things all around us for women who profess to have been saved to spend, in the midst of all this suffering, four or five afternoons a week playing bridge, and many of the men are not much better. We have got to realize that the devil is active in this world, that he would drag Christ from his mediatorial throne if he could. It is a fight that we are constantly engaged in, but we cannot win it in our own strength."

Dr. Graham concluded with an earnest plea for the Christian people to come out openly and away from all entanglements with the world, and give Christ the pre-eminence in all things.

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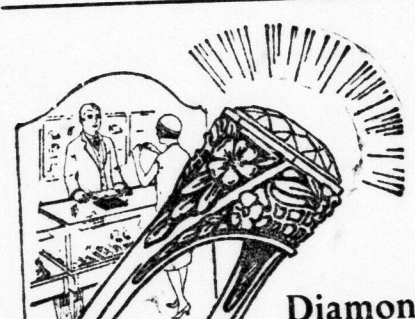
## Ladies' Wrist Watches

Ladies' green, red and white gold-filled ribbon Wrist Watches, 15-jewel. \$7.50

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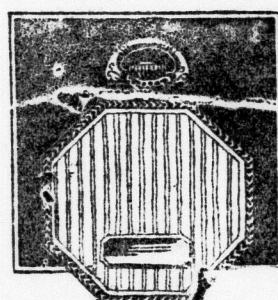
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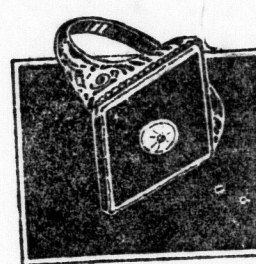
4-Tube Sets... \$80 5-Tube Sets... \$110 8-Tube Sets... \$200

## Ladies' Rectangular Wrist Watches



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## Diamond Rings



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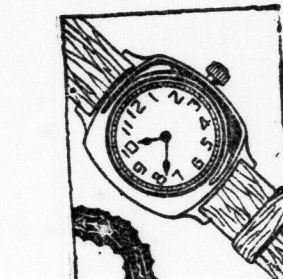
## Gents' Wrist Watches

Gents' Wrist Watches at various prices, \$4, \$6, \$8.50, \$15 and \$25, according to case.

## Fountain Pens

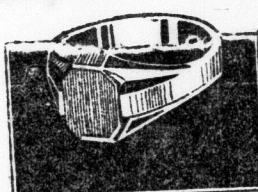
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Ladies' Signet \$2.50 up  
14-K Gents' Signet Rings, with sapphire and fancy applied work on side, \$12 up  
White gold signet top

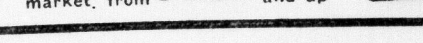
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### C. WILLOUGHBY BURIED.

Special to The Advertiser.

Watford, Nov. 29.—The funeral took place yesterday afternoon of Christopher Willoughby, who died at his

home in London on Thursday morning.

Deceased, who was in his 72nd year, was raised in this district, and married

Mrs. Margaret Bryce, sister of John D. Bryce, of Watford, who survives him.

with two sons, James, of Detroit, Mich., and Bryce, of Kitchener; six daughters,

Mrs. S. F. Hammond, of London, Ont., Mrs. J. W. Lockyear, Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Jeffrey, London, Ont., Mrs.

Angus Munro, Windsor; and the Misses Violet and Nichol, at home.

Interment took place in Watford cemetery, six members of the Woodmen of the World acting as pallbearers.

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