

RALLY DAY SERVICES.

Charlton Avenue and Zion Tabernacle Held Them Yesterday.

New Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance Here.

Fine Sermon on Women in First Methodist Church.

Yesterday was rally day at Zion Tabernacle Methodist Church. The morning service was especially for the children and was largely attended. The pastor preached from St. Mark's Gospel xiii., 33. Special music was furnished by the choir. In the afternoon a mass meeting of the Sunday school was held. The attendance was a record breaking one, there being considerably over 400 present, and the capacity of the school was taxed to its utmost. After the opening exercises an address which was of great interest was delivered by Ald. W. H. Cooper. His talk was along the line of character building, illustrated from experiences in his own life. He showed the superiority of the principle taught in the Sabbath school in the development of character. He drew a very vivid picture of a visit to the jail in illustrating his point.

A short address was also given by the pastor on "Class Spirit." It should be the aim, he said, of every class to make that class the leading one in the school, and the members depend the success of the class work.

An interesting item of the programme was a quartette of four members of the infant class and also a solo by Mr. Semmens, leader of the choir.

Mr. Harker, superintendent of the school, and his staff are to be complimented on the success of the service. In the evening the pastor directed his thoughts to the training of children. The address was to the parents and a very large turnout gathered to hear him.

CHARLTON AVE. RALLY.
A large number of the scholars of Charlton Avenue Methodist Sunday School attended the rally day services yesterday. In comparison with rally day of last year, it was a great success, for the attendance exceeded that of any previous year, there being nearly 500 out. One noticeable feature this year was that more adults attended, which goes to show that the children are getting their parents to accompany them to Sunday school.

After the roll had been called, Ald. J. H. Cooper delivered a stirring address on the effect of Sunday school teaching and loyalty to the Sunday school upon the after life of the children, and showed how the young life is founded upon the teaching received in Sunday school. He said the children should not only attend Sunday school whenever possible, but should also take notice of what each lesson means and try to do what they would be greatly helped and brought to see many of the teachings in their proper light and to see how they refer to each one. He had seen one man, old and worn, in a prison, and when he thought of the man he had just previously seen, 66 years of age, who has spent most of his spare time in the Sunday school, he could not help thinking of what the Sunday school might have done for the man in the prison if he had only taken heed of his early lessons.

Rev. J. W. Smith, pastor of the church, said a few words, in which he referred to Mr. J. H. Turner, who is severing his connection with the Sunday school because he was moving to Owen Sound. He spoke of how the Sunday school had worked harmoniously during Mr. Turner's seven years' service as superintendent. He hoped he would be equally active in the Sunday school with which he would soon be connected.

Mr. Turner, in reply, said he would not forget his stay with the Charlton Avenue Sunday School, for with it would always be associated the pleasantest recollections of his life. During his stay in the Charlton Avenue Church he had always found all branches to work together and his duties had not been made pleasant for him, but he had learned a great deal. Special music was rendered by the orchestra and a duet by the Carey brothers was much appreciated. A selection was also sung by the male quartette, Messrs. Tope, Morton, Robertson and Begg.

LORD'S DAY ALLIANCE.
The newly appointed secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, Rev. W. G. Hanna, B. A., of Toronto, occupied the pulpit at Emerald Street Methodist Church, yesterday morning and preached a fine sermon in support of the observance of the Sabbath, pointing out the good work accomplished by the Alliance in bringing about an increased recognition of the day set apart by God for rest.

In the evening Mr. Hanna preached at the Central Presbyterian Church. He took his text from Mark ii., 22: "The Sabbath was made for man." He said that the evidence of medical men proved that if the workers were granted no respite on the Sabbath their health and intelligence was impaired. God gave one day of the seven to set apart for the cultivation of domestic affection and Sunday afforded the toiler the opportunity to meet his family for that purpose, also for instruction in God's word, which resulted in a stream of blessing.

The object of the Lord's Day Alliance was to preserve the day of rest and the speaker gave a lot of statistics in substantiation of the excellent work accomplished by the Alliance coupled with the assistance of the authorities in enforcing the Lord's Day Act.

In conclusion, he said that if Canada is to be the great nation he hoped to be the Sabbath must be preserved.

He also made an appeal for funds to carry on the work.

son of love in the home, and of what great good an unselfish sister can be to her brother. Because of her unfaithfulness Miriam was smitten with leprosy and put out of the camp, there to remain, until, in answer to the pleadings of Moses with the Lord, she was healed. The lesson of Moses' love for his sister, and his ready forgiveness of the wrong she had done were made the subject of a very touching finale. Next Sunday First will hold its autumn rally.

NEWS IN BRIEF

Mr. Wm. J. Cockburn, claims agent for the G. T. R., is dead.

The funeral of E. H. Harriman took place at Arden yesterday.

Three French soldiers and ten pirates were killed in a fight in Cochon, China.

A chauffeur was arrested on a charge of stealing Mr. D. D. Mann's automobile.

President Taft has announced the appointment of a new National Tariff Commission.

The Government have issued a proclamation appointing Oct. 25th as Thanksgiving Day.

The roadmaking machine by-law, voted on in Goderich on Saturday, was carried by a majority of 410.

Archbishop McEvay laid the corner stone of the new St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church, Toronto.

Andrew McDonald, a young Indian, was sentenced to five years in penitentiary at Chatham for forgery.

The legislators returned from their excursion over the T. & N. O. Railway and several New Ontario points.

Mayor Oliver, of Toronto, advocates a by-law calling for an expenditure of \$500,000 on new buildings for the Exhibition.

The coroner's jury at Ottawa found that Ida Rivet, the young woman found dead in the river, came to her death by accident.

Seventy per cent. of the bread to be sold in Toronto henceforth will be in loaves weighing twenty ounces, the price remaining unchanged.

A young woman threw a bottle containing some acid at a young man on the street at Kingston. Both of them got away before the police came.

Two Russians, one a nobleman, who are training for missionary work, were baptised at the Jarvis Street Baptist Church, Toronto, last night.

Andrew Carnegie has given St. James' Methodist Church, Montreal, \$3,000 towards rebuilding the organ to cost \$6,000, on condition that the church raise the other half itself.

Daniel McDougall, President of the United Mine Workers at Glace Bay, was arrested on a charge of criminal libel, said to have been preferred by the Dominion Coal Company.

Archbishop McEvay yesterday afternoon laid the corner-stone of the new St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church at the corner of Gladstone avenue and Shanley street, Toronto.

Mr. William Cockburn, claims agent for the baggage department of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, died at his residence, 5 Norwood avenue, East Toronto, yesterday.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux will leave on the 20th inst. for Bern, Switzerland, to attend the International Postal Convention. He will be absent from the capital for about a month.

Wm. Lloyd Garrison, son of the great abolitionist, and widely known himself as a publicist and reformer, died at his home at Lexington, Mass., on Saturday at the age of 71 years.

While going over a timber limit on Thursday, Gilbert Moore, of Falkenburg, was accidentally shot by his comrade through the lungs and died on Saturday as a result of the wound.

On Saturday night Percy Campbell, six years old, of St. John, N. B., climbed on the back of a carriage and getting his leg caught in the wheel had it torn off at the knee. The thigh bones were also badly broken. The boy was alive on Saturday night.

The aviation meeting closed at Brescia on Saturday, Glenn Curtiss, the American aviator, being awarded the grand prize and also first prize for quick starting, and second prize in the height competition, he rising 51 metres. His total winnings amount to about \$9,000.

A cable despatch to The Sun from London says: Lord Rosebery authorizes the announcement that he resigned the Presidency of the Liberal League before the delivery of his speech at Glasgow. Lord Rosebery was not only the President but the founder of the league.

"There were 114,000 more paid admissions to the grounds this year than last," said Dr. Orr, manager of Canada's National Exhibition, at midnight on Saturday, as he glanced at a comparative statement showing the complete returns up to the close of the gates, for the Fair of 1909.

Experiments are about to be made with a view to establishing a direct wireless telegraphic service between England and South Africa. It is proposed to elevate kites 11,000 feet. If these are unsuccessful it is proposed to erect a station at Gibraltar. A subsidy of £10,000 yearly make penny words possible.

While returning from the Exhibition grounds on Saturday with some prize hogs which he exhibited for his employer, Mr. Alexander Featherstone, of Streetsville, Herbert Willing, a farm hand, 37 years of age, received such terrible injuries that his death resulted some hours later.

Prime Minister Asquith left London on Friday to spend the week-end at Limpne Castle. In view of his unpleasant experience with Suffragettes there recently the castle will be watched by Scotland Yard detectives during his visit. If the Suffragettes should venture another onslaught it is said that the severest treatment will be meted out to them.

Sir Edward Clouston, who returned to Montreal from the West yesterday, states that there will be \$100,000,000 of money go into the West as the result of this year's crop, and expressed the opinion that the wheat crop will reach 105,000,000 bushels. He also stated that there was no probability of tightness in the money market this year.

Returning from a short walk to the Doncaster Postoffice shortly before dark last night, Dr. Edward Playter, a well-known physician, living on Winchester road, Todmorden, complained of feeling unwell, lay down on the bed, and almost immediately expired. Deceased had been in excellent health up to the time of his death, and the attending physician gave heart failure as the cause.

DECORATION AT CEMETERY.

Sons of England Conducted an Impressive Service.

Five Members Joined the Great Majority During the Year.

P. D. D. Thomas Paradine Conducted Successful Ceremonies.

The 12th annual decoration day services of the Sons of England Benefit Society were held yesterday afternoon. The members of the city lodges met at their hall at 2.30, where a short meeting was held, and the order of the procession outlined, the District Deputy, T. King, having charge of the meeting, being assisted by P. D. D. J. W. Buckingham. There were a large number of visiting members from Galt, Brantford, Kingston, Burlington, Dundas and Stoney Creek; also his Worship Mayor McLaren and some of the aldermen. The procession under Marshals Arthur Goodmangle and George Pearce left the hall at 3 o'clock in the following order: Chief Standard Bearer, John Steadford; Salvation Army Band; Juveniles, fifty in number; the members of all lodges, the officers of the lodges, and visitors.

Then came the mayor and aldermen, Past Supreme President, W. H. Hancock, Past District Deputy Buckingham, District Deputy King and Past District Deputy Thomas Paradine, the originator of the decoration day ceremonies who has acted as the chaplain since its inauguration. There were nearly 30 in line and every one carried a bouquet of flowers, creating a very imposing appearance. They marched along John, King, James and York streets to the cemetery gates where counter marching was gone through, bringing the van. The "Dead March from Saul" was rendered most impressively. Arriving at the S. O. E. plot, which was roped off, the Juveniles took up their position, the Daughters and Maids of England being already on the plot, the adult members forming three circles around the same, the chaplain and standard bearer being in the centre. The ritual was read and hymns were sung as on previous occasions. There was a large assemblage of interested citizens present, nearly two thousand. The singing was by Bro. J. Stanton and a large choir, and was a credit to all who took part. The service concluded, the deputy chaplains took charge of the three divisions, taking separate routes, when a short sentence was said at each grave and a small flag placed thereon, bearing the inscription, "In Memoriam, S. O. E., 1909," then each member placed a flower upon the grave and passed on. The Juveniles decorated the graves of two of their deceased comrades. The number of graves decorated totalled 121, an increase of five during the year. The Daughters of England also decorated the graves of their deceased members.

The committee consisted of Bros. I. King, D.D., J. W. Buckingham, P. D.D., J. Steadford, A. Goodmangle, J. Stanton, G. Weir, T. W. Cropper, E. Jennings, J. Jocelyn, W. Clark, G. Peacock, T. Easterby, E. Thompson.

Votes of thanks were passed to the cemetery authorities, the Salvation Army Band, police force and all friends who contributed flowers.

The decoration services will be held at Burlington next Sunday, members leaving by the 2.10 p. m. Radial cars.

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A Homefurnishing Message

Amid all the excitement of Opening Week we take time to send you a message from our Homefurnishing Department. The annual RIGHT HOUSE Bed and Bedding sale made this department a busy place for the last few days, but there are a few other Homefurnishing items to remind you of.