

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

Portland Methodist Church

Pastor, REV. HARRY B. CLARKE
 11 a.m.—Rev. E. E. Styles.
 Start the Sabbath right by being present at the morning service.
 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
 7 p.m.—Special Service conducted by the Young Men of the Congregation. The singing will be led by a Male Voice Choir, and will be assisted by the McEachern Quartette. Mr. Leslie Beck will sing a solo.
 The Pastor will preach on the subject:
 "DOES GOD PUNISH SIN?"
 Everybody Welcome.

Queen Square Methodist Church

REV. NEIL MacLAUCHLAN, B.A., Pastor.
 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.—The Pastor.
 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
 On Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Sunday School Room Mrs. E. Atherton Smith will deliver her popular Illustrated Lecture, "Battlefields of Europe Revisited."

Exmouth Street Methodist

Pastor, REV. H. E. THOMAS.
 10 a.m.—Class Meeting.
 11 a.m.—The Great Convictions and the Holy Spirit.
 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Adult Bible Class.
 7 p.m.—"Excuses."
 Epworth League on Monday; Prayer meeting on Wednesday.
 Mission Band will hold St. Patrick's Day Tea on March 17th.

Centenary Methodist

REV. R. G. FULTON, Minister.
 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.—The Minister.
 2.30—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
 A Cordial Welcome to all services.

Carleton Methodist Church

Guilford Street.
 REV. F. T. BERTRAM, Pastor.
 11 a.m.—Pastor.
 2.30—Sunday School and Men's Bible Class.
 7 p.m.—Rev. Dr. Steel.
 ALL WELCOME.

Evangelistic Services

The Pastor will speak each evening except Saturday.
The Charlotte St. United Baptist Church
 West St. John.
 REV. CHAS. R. FREEMAN, M.A., Pastor.
 11 a.m.—Worship with preaching by the Pastor. Subject: A PECULIAR PEOPLE.
 Anthem—My Righteousness. (Leach.)
 2.15 p.m.—Sunday School and Men's Brotherhood.
 3.15 p.m.—Junior B. Y. P. U.
 7 p.m.—Worship with preaching by the Pastor. Subject: THE UNAVOIDABLE MEETING.
 Duet—He Shall Feed His Flock. (Handel.) Mrs. J. M. Paterson and Mrs. Chas. R. Freeman.
 Anthem—Like as the Hart. (Hall.)
 At the close of the evening service the following program will be rendered by the choir.
 Anthem—Seek Ye the Lord. (Dr. Roberts.)
 Soprano Solo—Guide Me Oh Thou Great Jehovah. (Lerman.) Mrs. J. M. Paterson.
 Mixed Quartette—Come Ye Disconsolate. (Hall.) Mrs. J. M. Paterson, Mrs. P. L. Webb, Mr. A. C. Smith, Mr. H. H. Stout.
 Tenor Solo—When I Survey the Wondrous Cross. (Farmer.) Mr. A. C. Smith.
 Offertory.
 Anthem—Hark, Hark My Soul. (Shelley.)

Tabernacle Baptist Church

Haymarket Square.
 REV. A. LAWRENCE TEDFORD, Pastor.
 Sunday at 11 the Pastor preaches on "MOUNT MORIAH." Third in the series of Seven Sacred Mountains of Scripture. In the evening "THE CRIME AND CURSE OF IGNORANCE." We invite you to the Bible School at two-thirty. Last Sunday was largest attendance yet. Monday night B. Y. P. U. Wednesday the Evangelistic Prayer hour. Join us in our cottage prayer meetings Tuesday and Thursday nights. Plan to be present at our Evangelistic meetings every night beginning March 19th. Rev. A. E. Rochaly, B. Th. speaker. Welcome.

Douglas Avenue Christian Church

REV. WM. PHILLIPS, Minister.
 "The Church With a Welcome."
 11 a.m.—"A LONELY TRIO."
 7 p.m.—"SHALL WE KNOW EACH OTHER IN HEAVEN?"
 Is it profitable to spend time with this "old wornout subject"? What good will it do us to be sure of future recognition?

St. Luke's

Closing Day of Conference.
 11 a.m.—Rev. H. A. Cody.
 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
 3.30 p.m.—Mass meeting.
 7 p.m.—Rev. E. T. Capel.
 At the mass meeting at 3.30 p.m., Miss Butterfield will tell the story of the dark days in Palestine during the war.

For Coughs and Colds. Sore Throat and Hoarseness. S.B. Cough Drops

They ease the throat, quiet the cough. Very agreeable to the taste.
 Be sure to ask your druggist for SMITH BROS.' S.B. COUGH DROPS.
 "Put one in your mouth at bedtime."

BAPTIST CHURCHES

LUDLOW ST. . . . West End
 REV. W. ALVIN ROBBINS, B. A.
 Pastor.

10 a.m.—Prayer Service in Parlor.
 11 a.m.—MISS BUTTERFIELD, distinguished missionary for 18 years in Palestine will deliver her thrilling address on the HOLY LAND, THE RETURN OF THE JEWS, ETC. Miss Butterfield will appear in the native costume of a Bethlehem woman. She has a message you will not soon forget. First hand information on the land our Saviour trod. Don't miss it.
 2.15 p.m.—Sunday School in all grades.
 2.15 p.m.—Men's Brotherhood Class will be addressed by Hon. R. W. Wigmore.
 6.45 p.m.—Memory Song Service.
 4 p.m.—Worship. Sermon, "God's Struggle for Supremacy."
 Monday, 7.45 p.m.—Young People's Union.
 Wednesday, 7.45 p.m.—Prayer meeting. The church at prayer. Come. All Welcome. Seats Free.

WATERLOO ST. UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. JOHN A. SWETNAM, Pastor.
 Morning, 10 o'clock—Special meeting; Prayer meeting.
 Morning, 11 o'clock—Preaching service. Subject: "The Kind of Christians We Need Today."
 Afternoon, 2.30, Our Sabbath school.
 Afternoon, 2.30—The Live Adult Mixed Bible Class.
 Evening, 6.45—The Congregational Song Service conducted by the pastor.
 Evening, 7 o'clock—Preaching Service. Subject: "The Greatest Need of the Men, Women and Children of St. John."
 Monday, 8 o'clock—B. Y. P. U.
 Tuesday, No. 1 Prayer meeting group.
 Wednesday, 8 o'clock—Evangelistic Prayer Service.
 Thursday, 8 o'clock—No. 2 Prayer group.
 Don't fail to hear the address because it means you. Come to our Home Church and be at home among us.
 Welcome.

VICTORIA STREET UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH

REV. GEO. D. HUDSON, B. Th.
 11 a.m.—The Unhindered Approach. Heb. 10:19-22.
 Anthem—Selected.
 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
 6.45 p.m.—Service of Song.
 7 p.m.—Jesus Christ Our Brother. Mark 8, 31-35.
 All Are Welcome. Seats Free.

GERMAIN STREET BAPTIST CHURCH

(Cor. Germain and Queen Sts.)
 Pastor, REV. S. S. POOLE, D.D.
 11 a.m.—Rev. G. S. Gardiner will preach.
 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School and Bible Classes.
 7 p.m.—Public Worship. Subject: "Paul's Message and Its Meaning."
 Special Evangelistic meetings on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings at 8 o'clock.
 You will find a hearty welcome at all our services.

Central Baptist Church

Leinster Street.
 Morning, 11—Theme: The Lord of Peace.
 Afternoon, 2.30—Bible School.
 Evening, 7—Closing address on THE HEBREW DRAMA. Theme: A Political Intrigue and the Sequel.
 Preacher, Rev. James Dunlop.
 Special Music. All Welcome.

St. John's (Stone) Church

Carlton Street.
 Rector REV. A. L. FLEMING, L. Th.
 Fourth Sunday in Lent.
 8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
 11 a.m.—Canon Armstrong.
 7 p.m.—The Rector.
 Mid-week Services—Wednesday, 8 p.m.; Thursday, 4 p.m. Children's Service, Illustrated.
 Friday, 5 p.m.
 Strangers and Visitors are cordially invited to all services.

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints

"Mormons"
 Services every Sunday 7.30 p.m. Moose Hall, 12 Coburg St., No Collections. All Invited.

Edith Ave. Hall

EAST ST. JOHN.
 REV. ISAAC BRINDLEY, Pastor.
 11 a.m.—The Fourth Word From the Cross.
 2.30 p.m.—Sunday School.
 7 p.m.—An Evangelistic Message.
 Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer service. Come and enjoy these services.

First Church of Christ Scientist

Sunday Service at 11 a.m. at 93 Germain street. Subject: MAN.
 Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading room open from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m., Saturday and public holidays excepted.

Christian Science Society

Lesson sermon Sunday, 11 a.m. Subject: MAN. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading room, Church edifice corner Carleton and Peel streets. Open week days 8 to 5 p.m., except Saturday and legal holidays.
 Most people manufacture their own luck—be it good or bad.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCHES

"The Strangers Sabbath Home"
 SAINT DAVID'S CHURCH
 (Presbyterian.)

Sydney street, near Princess Street.
 REV. HUGH MILLER, M.A., B.D., Minister.
 10 a.m.—Morning Worship.
 Children's Service—Miss Payson.
 2.30 p.m.—Sabbath School and Bible Classes.
 Communicants' Class.
 7 p.m.—Evening Worship.
 8.16 p.m.—Song Service.
 Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Congregational Meeting. Welcome.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

WEST ST. JOHN.
 At 11 Rev. Dr. Morison preaches on "Christ with His Church," and at 7 on "THE GRATEFUL HEART."

ST. MATTHEW'S Douglas Ave

REV. W. H. SPENCER, B.A.
 11 a.m.—One Blessed Assurance.
 Sabbath School and Bible Classes.
 7 p.m.—Is Your Heart Right-Handed or Left-Handed?

ST. ANDREW'S . . . Germain St

Minister: REV. F. S. DOWLING, B.A.
 11 a.m.—Divine Worship.
 11 a.m.—Children's Bible Story Hour in Lecture Room.
 2.30 p.m.—Sunday school and Bible Classes.
 7 p.m.—Divine Worship.
 8 p.m., Wednesday—Mid-week service.
 All Are Welcomed.

KNOX City Road

Minister: Rev. R. Moorhead-Legat, B.D.
 11 a.m.—Morning Worship.
 7 p.m.—Evening Worship.
 Services will be conducted by Rev. John H. Lewis.
 All Are Welcome.

The Y.M.C.A. as a Character-Building Organization Doing Much for the Boys and Young Men of St. John, and Merits Your Support on the 14th

The forces of evil are so strong and so persistent that the hardest fight every boy has to make, is the fight for character, and if he is to win out he must have some help outside of himself. The Y. M. C. A. aims to give this help by providing a report where good influences abound, and by public addresses, study groups, and discussions of life problem classes, until higher ideals and fortify boys against the inevitable attack from evil forces.
 Once a year the Y. M. C. A. asks for financial assistance. The amount needed this year to carry on this great Boys' Work is \$8,500. It is felt that this amount will be subscribed, for the citizens of St. John realize that one of the greatest assets the city can have is well developed young manhood.
 On Wednesday, March 14, One Hundred Canvassers will cover the business district of the city with \$8,500 as their objective.
 THIS AMOUNT MUST BE OBTAINED. FOR THE Y. M. C. A. MUST GO ON.

ARCHDIOCESE OF MONTREAL AGAINST DAYLIGHT SAVING

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Montreal, March 9.—In a letter, signed by Canon J. A. Mousseau on behalf of the Archbishop of Montreal and addressed today to Alderman Samuere, it is pointed out that the Catholic authorities of this city are opposed to Daylight Saving. The letter says that "the unanimous objection of the French, who have been so long and so successfully opposed to it, is a factor of many inconveniences."

RELIEVED HIS RHEUMATISM!

"I am eighty-three years old and I doctored for rheumatism ever since I came out of the army, over 50 years ago. Like many others, I spent money freely for so-called 'cures' and I have read about 'Uric Acid' until I could almost taste it. I could not sleep nights or walk without pain; my hands were so sore and stiff I could not hold a pen. But now I am again in active business and can walk with ease or write all day with comfort. Friends are surprised at the change. You might just as well attempt to put out a fire with oil as to try to get rid of your rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, neuritis, and like complaints by taking treatment supposed to drive Uric Acid out of your blood and body. It took Mr. Ashelman fifty years to find out the truth. He learned how to get rid of the true cause of his rheumatism and other disorders, by recovering his health and strength from reading 'The Inner Mysteries,' a book now being distributed free by the author, an authority on headaches of every description of Rheumatism," which contains facts overlooked by doctors and scientists for centuries past. If not a sufferer yourself, you would be helping some afflicted friend by handing this good news and opportunity to him.
 NOTE: As the number of copies available to readers of this paper is limited, it is advisable that you act promptly.

SPECIALS AT BROWN'S

Tonight and Monday

Cottons	Underwear
White Cotton, good quality. Reg. 23c yd. Sale 18c yd.	Harvey, Watson and Turnbull's Vest and Drawers, all styles. Values to \$1.50 Sale 89c each
Longcloth, fine quality. Reg. 35c yd. Sale 25c yd.	Children's Heavy Vests and Drawers (Turnbulla), all sizes. Values to 85c each Sale 59c each
Unbleached Cotton, 40 in. Reg. 25c yd. Sale 19c yd.	Boys' Heavy Fleece Underwear (Penman's). Reg. 75c each Sale 59c each
Unbleached Cotton, 36 in. Reg. 25c yd. Sale 18c yd.	
Bleached Sheet, 8x4. Reg. 69c yd. Sale 49c yd.	
Unbleached Sheet, 8x4. Reg. 59c yd. Sale 45c yd.	
Cotton Crepe, white and colored. Reg. 35c yd. Sale 25c yd.	
Curtain Scrim, 34 inch. Reg. 20c yd. Sale 15c yd.	
Fancy Dress Gingham. Reg. 25c yd. Sale 19c yd.	
Scotch Gingham. Reg. 35c yd. Sale 25c yd.	
Ladies' Hosiery	Dress Goods
Brown Heather Hose. Reg. 75c pair Sale 59c pair	Serge, all-wool; 40 in.; navy. Reg. \$1.00 yard. Sale 75c yard
Black Cashmere Hose. Reg. 39c pair Sale 25c pair	Serge, all-wool; heavy quality; navy only; 42 in. Reg. \$1.50 yard. Sale 95c yard
Silk Hose (Seconds). All shades. Reg. \$1.50 pair Sale 59c pair	
Corsets	Damask
Corsets, pink or white; low or medium bust. Reg. \$1.50 pair. Sale 95c pair	Bleached Damask, 70 inch. Reg. \$1.69 yard Sale \$1.25 yard
Corsets, low, medium or high bust. Reg. \$2.00 pair Sale \$1.59 pair	Bleached Damask, 56 inch. Reg. \$1.35 yard Sale \$1.00 yard
	Bleached Damask, 54 inch. Reg. 75c yard Sale 59c yard
Ladies' Hosiery	Special
	Print House Dresses. Reg. \$1.89 each. Sale \$1.19 each

I. Chester Brown 32 - 36 King Square

Next Imperial Theatre

PAYING EXPENSES BY SEIZING MARKS

French and Belgian Armies in Ruhr Already Have Requisitioned More Than 14,000,000,000 — Propaganda Pamphlets Seized.

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Duesseldorf, March 9.—The French and Belgian armies of occupation are paying their expenses by means of requisitioned marks, it was announced today at French headquarters. More than 14,000,000,000 marks have been collected by the occupation forces, all of which will be applied toward expenses incurred since the Ruhr troop movement began just two months ago. The largest sum seized by the French, near Hagen, was 18,000,000,000 marks in Reichsbank funds being shipped by train from Berlin to Cologne. Included in the amount confiscated is 1,000,000,000 marks taken at Duisburg, which was also a Reichsbank shipment, and hundreds of millions of German government strike funds.
 There are also fines against individuals amounting to 15,000,000 marks against the town of Recklinghausen. The headquarters of the German Association for the Defence of Economic Interests was raided today by the French authorities. Several tons of propaganda matter were confiscated by the French, and this was the central pamphlet distributing point for the Ruhr associations. The bureau was in a bank building in Duesseldorf directly across the street from General Degoutte's offices.
 Says State Forest Seized.
 Berlin, March 9.—State-owned forests extending over 8,485 acres have been seized by the occupation forces in the newly occupied territory of the Rhineland and Ruhr, according to a statement before the budget committee of the Prussian Diet by the Socialist deputy, Peter Hochdenn.
 It was announced that the net surplus revenue from the Prussian state forests would be considerably in excess of the budget estimate of 6,850,000,000 marks, due primarily to greater returns from the sale of wood—than expected.
 Report Milk Seized.
 Gelsenkirchen, March 9.—Belgian patrols at Budrich, across the River Rhine from Weisel, on Wednesday night, seized shipments of milk from Holland consigned to Dortmund, Essen, Rodhausen, Muelheim-Am-Ruhr, and this city, according to reports received through German sources.
 French Expel Police.
 Essen, March 9.—The French troops have again been withdrawn from Dortmund, which was occupied yesterday for the purpose of rounding up all the members of the disbanded security police still at large. The city was searched by the French soldiers and 270 of the security force members were arrested and expelled from the district with a warning not to return.
 Sending Children Away.
 Bochum, March 9.—The task undertaken by the Germans of sending several hundred thousand children from the troubled zone has been begun. Five hundred youngsters, from three to seven years of age, were sent from here by special train yesterday. The Germans announce they were sent to Bremen, where they will be distributed among private families to be cared for until the troubles blow over.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Relieved Her Of Headaches

Headache seems to be habitual with many people, and some, if any, are seldom free from it, suffering continually, and wondering why they can get no relief.
 In all cases of headache the treatment should be directed to the removal of the cause, and with the cause removed the headaches will vanish.
 It is impossible to find a better remedy for headache than Burdock Blood Bitters, that can equal B. B. B., acting as it does on every organ of the system.
 Mrs. Douglas Rieborough, 280 McKenzie St., Sarnia, Ont., writes: "Having suffered from severe headaches for a considerable length of time I decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters, and found that it helped me wonderfully. It relieved the headaches, and I noticed a decided improvement in my health."
 Burdock Blood Bitters is a remedy that has been on the market for the past forty-four years, so you don't experiment with some new and untried medicine. It is put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Tries to Enter U. S. By Running Lower Girders Of Bridge at Niagara

(Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Niagara Falls, N. Y., March 9.—Leo Castle, eighteen years old, from Alberta, Canada, made a spectacular attempt to smuggle himself into the United States today by running across the lower girders of the Michigan Central cantilever international bridge which spans the Gorge over the lower rapids near the whirlpool. He was captured by immigration authorities and sent back to Canada.

PLAN ILLUMINATED ADDRESS TO BRIDE OF DUKE OF YORK

Neighbors Urged by Father of Prospective Bride Not to Buy Expensive Gift — Presents From Unknown People Returned.
 London, March 9.—Fortarshire, seat of the estates of the Earl of Strathmore, father of Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, will present the lady with an illuminated address on the occasion of her marriage to the Duke of York.
 The decision to send the prospective bride this gift rather than an expensive present was made at a meeting at which a letter from Lord Strathmore was read urging that, because of the hard times, a large sum should not be spent for a present.
 Thousands of presents have already been received by the Duke and his fiancée, but many of them have been returned, as it is the custom of the Royal family not to accept a gift from anyone not personally known.

Break Record; Dance 14 Hours

London, March 10.—It is announced from Scotland that two members of the staff of a dancing establishment in Edinburgh have made a record of 14 hours, 36 minutes, for continuous dancing.
 Sunderland, Eng., March 10.—What is claimed to be a new world's non-stop fox trotting record was established here by Edgar Van Ollefen and Miss Ollie Finerty, who danced 9½ hours without pause. Neither took food during the long period on the floor, and both finished comparatively fresh.

FRANCE STRONG FOR DEBTS SETTLEMENT IF OVERTURES MADE

Determined to Have Complete Cleaning up of Reparation Question Should Germans Make Overtures For Settlement.
 (Canadian Press Despatch.)
 Paris, March 9.—The outstanding fact in connection with Premier Poincare's visit next week to Brussels for the purpose of conferring with Premier Theunys, is that the French are determined to have a complete cleaning up of the reparation question should Germany make overtures for a settlement. Observers here believed that the whole reparations questions will be gone into so thoroughly by the two Premiers that there may be a final and total settlement of the whole matter. If the French have any definite plan, M. Poincare has given no indication of it. The French position, it is said, turns on whether France is willing to accept reparations or is seeking national security. It is on these two points that French public opinion itself apparently is divided.

FINANCES SOUND.

The monthly meeting of the board of management of the Sunday school of Centenary church was held last night with the minister of the church, Rev. R. G. Fulton, presiding. The meeting was well attended and the financial report showed that all bills were paid and a balance on the right side remained. Plans were discussed for the grading of classes which takes place on the last Sunday in April. The work of the coming month was outlined.

"Wear-Ever"

Nothing looks more homelike than the kettle on the stove—so suggestive of plenty and comfort—and when it's a beautiful "Wear-Ever" Kettle the effect is even better. However that's a minor point. The main thing to remember is that a "Wear-Ever" kettle will give longer service, is lighter to handle and needs less fuel to heat it. Decline substitutes and insist on genuine "Wear-Ever."
 Northern Aluminum Co., Ltd., Toronto
 Replace utensils that wear out with utensils that "Wear-Ever"