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CHURCH - CHIMES

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Holy Trinity—11 and 7.
Christ Church—11 a.m.; 7 p.m.
First Presbyterian—11 and 7.
St. Andrew's—11 and 7.
St. Joseph's R. C.—4.30, 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. U. M. E.—11 and 7.
British Methodist—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 Lesson for Tomorrow—David and Absalom—II Samuel, xv, 1-12.

Golden Text—"Honor thy father and thy mother, that thy days may be long upon the earth which the Lord thy God giveth thee."

Absalom was David's third son, by Maachi, the daughter of the idolatrous King of Geshur; he was beautiful in person, but bad in heart, and lift. David had no home life, as we understand it; polygamy had robbed him of it. Plurality of wives is not conducive to the right training of children; each mother and her offspring would be full of jealousy toward the others; so we have sad, sinful examples in the inner court life at Jerusalem. What can be expected from China, Turkey, or idolatrous courts to-day? David had sowed the seeds of lust and murder, and we behold the reaping in the like sins of Ammon and Absalom. As a man of sorrows, shall he reap, in God's law of heredity, and although he can forgive and restore David, his law is not annulled in David's case or in ours, either. By David's false steps he had lost the power of training his family for God; his boys would say they were only treading in their father's steps. Absalom had murdered his brother Amnon for ruining his sister, the beautiful Tamar, and had to flee to his grandfather, the heathen King of Geshur. David had permitted his return, and, in return for his father's clemency, with evil intent he schemes for the crown. David would be 62 and past his prime.

In verses 2 and 6 we have Absalom as the wily politician during four years (not 40), stealing the hearts of Israel even by a Judas kiss. He covered his rebellion with a cloak of religion.

Verses 7, 8, 9, deceiving his father; and if the citizens followed him innocently to the City of Hebron; he enlisted a former aide councillor of David's, named Chithophel. With his spies in every tribe ready to revolt, success seemed certain, but the traitor was only hastening to his doom, as all are who continue rebels to the King of Kings.

CHURCH NOTES.

Rev. Mr. Findlay, of Niagara, will occupy the pulpit on both occasions in the First Presbyterian Church to-morrow.

The pastor, Rev. Dr. Battisby, will conduct both services in St. Andrew's Church to-morrow.

The services of the Park St. Church to-morrow will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. G. H. Cobblestick, M. A., B. D., in the Sunday School Hall.

A meeting of song and testimony will be held before the morning service at 10 o'clock.

Rev. Beverley Smith will conduct the services and preach in Holy Trinity Church to-morrow morning and evening.

Evangelist Cameron, of McMaster University, will preach morning and evening in William St. Baptist Church to-morrow.

The pastor, Rev. E. E. Malott, B. A., B. D., will preach at both services in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church to-morrow. Morning theme, "The Unity of Believers"; evening, "Three Things that Characterize a Christian." Love feast at 10 a.m.; Sacrament of the Lord's Supper at the close of the evening service.

Latter Day Saints' service will be held in their new church, corner of Head and James Sts., North Chatham, to-morrow as follows:—Preaching at 11 a.m. by James M. Baggerly, missionary from Derby, Ind., also at 7 p.m. by R. B. Howlett, missionary, of London. Sunday School at 2 p.m. Prayer and sacrament at 2 p.m. Missionary services at 8 p.m. will continue all week, conducted by Elder Howlett. All welcome.

Campbell A. M. E. Church—Rev. T. H. Henderson, B. A., pastor—11 a.m., subject, "Lessons Which the Fading Leaf Suggests," 7.30 p.m., "The Dignity of Human Nature," S. S. at 3 p.m. All welcome.

Services will be held in the St. John's A. U. M. E. Church to-morrow as follows:—11 a.m. Scripture lesson and preaching by the pastor, Rev. A. B. Selvey, after which a rising class meeting will follow; S. S. at 3 p.m.; at 8.30 p.m. song service and consecration meeting by the Spencer Lodge, and preaching by the pastor.

Services will be held in the British Methodist Church, Princess St., to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.

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Sabbath services in the Forest St. Union Church to-morrow at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m. The pastor, Rev. R. L. Holden, will preach at both services. All are welcome.

The Holy Communion will be administered in Christ Church to-morrow morning at the 11 o'clock service.

The Woman's Auxiliary Missionary Society of Christ Church meets in the S. S. Hall every Monday afternoon at 8 o'clock.

First Presbyterian Church Sunday School to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Park St. Bible Club will meet at 3 o'clock in the S. S. Hall.

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

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

The Sunday School of Victoria Ave. Methodist Church is held every Sunday at 3 p.m.

The Anglican Young People's Society of Christ Church will meet in the S. S. Hall Monday evening next at 8 o'clock. All young people invited.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Church will meet in the ladies' parlor Monday afternoon at 3.30.

William St. Baptist Church Sunday morning prayer meeting at 10 o'clock.

Christ Church Sunday School will be held to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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

Sunday evening prayer meeting in the William St. Baptist Church is conducted by the B. Y. P. U. at 6.30.

The Victoria A. E. W. League meets on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

All are cordially invited to Sunday and week night services in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church.

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

St. Andrew's Church Sunday School and Bible Class to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Sunday School in connection with the British Methodist Church will assemble to-morrow at 3 p.m.

Young Men's Class is held in Victoria Ave. Methodist Church every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

The regular weekly prayer service will be held at St. Andrew's church on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Prayer meeting in the British Methodist Church on Wednesday evening at 7.30.

The Campbell A. M. E. S. S. will meet to-morrow afternoon at 3.

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Keough School Concert—Nov. 12.
Guy Hira—Nov. 14.
Real Widow Brown—Nov. 17.
Liquid Air Lecture—Nov. 18.
"The Burglar"—Nov. 27.
Lycium Course No. 2—Nov. 30.

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The theatre-going people of Chatham will find an interesting repast awaiting their attention at the Grand Opera House to-night. The distinguished illusionist and conjurer, the Great Powell, who as a necromancer is more than simply clever. He captures his audience not only by his wonderful tricks of juggling, but by his inimitable manner and pleasing refinement. His ability as a prestidigitator and illusionist borders upon the supernatural, and his performance keeps every member of his audience in a state of intense surprise and profound wonderment. What ever he does is so deftly and naturally accomplished as to seem easy and the more mysterious. Mr. Powell is not one of the common genus of jugglers who create momentary amazement merely, but he may be justly ranked as the worthy successor of such masters of his art as Houdin, Heller or Herman. His illusions are of such a surprising character and so neatly executed that they invariably carry the minds of his audience with him, so inexpressible do they seem. Mr. Powell comes direct from the principal music halls of London, Paris, Berlin, etc., where he met with the most flattering success. While abroad Mr. Powell became the master of many marvellous illusions which have never before been produced before an American audience. "Powell" is in fact very like all other magicians who give the public revamped and rehearsed programs. Being an inventor and a thorough genius enables him to keep well in the lead of them all with new and effective novelties. Feats of prestidigitator skill in illusionary excellence according to the dexterity of the performer. Of Mr. Powell it can truthfully be said—that he is one of the most skillful and adroit of prestidigitators.

English Servants and Caste. Between the two classes of upper and under servants in England the line of demarcation is drawn with even greater sharpness than between those of master and mistress. Often for the meat course these two classes dine together in the servants' hall. When this is the case absolute silence is preserved during the time, as it is a point of honor with the upper class, composed of butler, lady's maid, groom of chambers, valet, housekeeper, etc., not to share household secrets with those below the salt, and also they have no mind to listen to the prattle of their inferiors. For subsequent courses the upper servants repair to the "housekeeper's room," where are spread relishes and desserts superior to those provided for the others, and conversation goes on unchecked. At the present day this "housekeeper's room" is the scene of regular late dinners, at which visiting servants, if of the "upper class," are present. At the servants' parties, in order to avoid confusion, it is customary for them to adopt the names of their masters, so that while real dukes and duchesses feast above stairs their duplicates or doubles masquerade below.

Looking Glasses. In the mirrors of today the light is reflected by a layer of silver or an amalgam of tin, but a proportion of light is lost in the process of reflection, and the image is less luminous than the original.

The value of a looking glass is usually estimated by the thickness of the glass, because the thicker it is the stronger it must be. But speaking scientifically thick glasses are defective, because the outlines of the image reflected are less clearly defined.

There are really three reflections and consequently three images in every glass mirror, one from the upper surface of the glass, the second from the lower surface and the third from the metallic layer at the back.

An ideal mirror is one with a perfectly flat surface, but it is only possible to obtain this result in comparatively small glasses. The larger glasses do not reflect a true image, because it is not possible to make them quite flat.

Unquestionable Irony. Browbeating lawyers sometimes find their match in female witnesses. An instance illustrating this is recalled in which a once famous member of the Philadelphia bar was quietly but effectively "squelched" by a lady whose evidence was very damaging to his client.

He realized this, and, being nettled at the impertinence of her manner, he resolved to embarrass her if he could. So he said: "Madam, I observe that in giving your testimony you make frequent use of the word 'irony.' May I ask if you understand its full meaning?"

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RALEIGH COUNCIL

The council of Raleigh township met on the 19th day of October with all members present.

The report of W. G. McGeorge, O.L.S., for the proposed repair and extension of the Pardo drain was read and considered. Mr. Irwin gave notice that he would introduce a by-law re the same.

The report of W. G. McGeorge for the repair of the Sullivan drain was read and considered. Mr. Randall gave notice that he would introduce a by-law re the same.

The reports of J. W. Shackleton, C. E., for the construction of the Earley drain and the Wright drain were received. The clerk was instructed to notify the interested parties that the reports would be read and considered on the second day of November next.

The report of J. W. Shackleton for

received and the reeve instructed to have a copy thereof on the reeve of Harwich.

The repair of the Crawford drain was the report of Mr. Randall introduced Dr. Oliver, who asked for some assistance for H. Smith in part payment of the expenses incurred by the sickness, operation and death of his wife. The expenses in connection with the operation being \$67. The doctor stated that he did not want anything for his own services. Moved by Mr. Irwin and Mr. Dillon, he was granted \$25—Carried.

The councillors supplemented the above amount personally.

An account of four dollars was received from Joseph Whitteall for the repair of a buggy shaft, which was broken at a defective bridge near Chatham.—No action.

Mr. Randall reported that he had the township's part of the Robbins ditch completed at a cost of thirty-eight dollars. Com. fees, \$2.—Res. ports adopted.

The by-laws to repair the Pardo and Sullivan drains were provisionally adopted and the clerk instructed to serve a copy of same on each party assessed for the work and the court of revision be held on the twenty-third day of November next.

Council adjourned.

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