

SUNDAY SERVICES

Exmouth Street Methodist Church
Order of Services, January 3, 1915:
Class Meetings 10 a.m.
Service 11 a.m. Rev. W. G. Lane
Subject—"Hide and Seek"

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH
Sunday Evening, Rev. Mr. Haughton's Subject Will be:
"The Ceasars and Kaisers vs. Jesus The Merciful"

METHODIST CHURCHES Seventh-Day Adventist Services
TOMORROW
11 A. M. QUEEN SQUARE
7 P. M. QUEEN SQUARE

Rev. H. Johnson, Rev. H. Johnson
Rev. W. H. Barralough, Rev. W. H. Barralough
Rev. W. G. Lane, Rev. Geo. Steele
Rev. M. E. Connor, Rev. M. E. Connor

Rev. H. E. Thomas, Rev. H. E. Thomas
Rev. R. S. Crisp, Rev. R. S. Crisp
Rev. J. B. Champion, Rev. J. B. Champion

Queen Square Methodist church, Rev. Hammond Johnson, pastor—Sunday services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; morning service will be one of intercession for our nation; sermon by pastor. In the evening the first service will be choral, to be followed by reception of new year covenant and sacramental service. (Order of service elsewhere in paper). Strangers welcome.

CHORAL SERVICE
Queen Square Methodist Church
Organ Prelude—Doxology—Invocation
Hymn—Prayer

Soprano solo—Glory to God in the Highest—Harrison—Miss Mabel Williams.
Scripture reading.
Anthem—The Wondrous Birth—Pickles.
Violin solo—Selected—Mrs. Harry Hetherington.

Soprano solo—To-Be-Just—(Messiah), Handel—Mrs. Burton L. Gerow.
Anthem—And the Angel Said—To Them—Solas by Miss Mabel Williams and Miss solo—The Shepherd King—Mr. Jack Stenhouse.

Anthem—Star of the Orient—Shelley.
Recitatives and obligato—Mrs. Gerow.
Hymn—Benediction, Vesper Hymn.
Choir director—Mrs. Burton L. Gerow.
Organist—Miss Beale. H. Farmer.

Centenary Methodist, Rev. W. H. Barralough, B. A., pastor.—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.; Sunday school at 2.30 p. m.; pastor's morning subject, "The New Covenant"; evening subject, "The Kingdom of God is Within You"; The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will follow the covenant service of the morning.

Edith avenue, East St. John Sunday school, 2.30 p. m., sermon by Pastor Crowell at 7.15 p. m. All are welcome.
First Presbyterian church, West Side: Public worship at 11 a. m. at the evening service Rev. Dr. Morrison will read a letter from the former pastor, the Rev. James Burgess, M. A., of Broughty Ferry, Scotland, in which Mr. Burgess describes conditions in Britain during the war and indicates what measures have been adopted for defence. Dr. Morrison's subject will be "The Place of Letters and Letter-Writing in the Social and Religious Development of the World. The Army Service Corps will worship in this church at 11 a. m., at which time the soldiers will be addressed by Dr. Morrison.

St. Stephen's Presbyterian church, Rev. Gordon Dickie, M. A., minister.—Sunday services at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Rev. J. H. McDonald, D. D., will preach, Sunday school and Bible class at 2.30 p. m. Strangers welcome.

Calvin Presbyterian Church, minister, Rev. F. W. Thompson, B.A.—Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. In the afternoon at 2.30 meeting of Sunday school and congregation in school for prayer. Strangers cordially invited to these services.

Charlotte St. Baptist, pastor Rev. A. J. Archibald, M.A.—Sunday services 11 a.m. subject, "The Kingdom of God is Within You"; 7 p.m., subject, "1915 and World's Peace"; choir will repeat Christmas music accompanied by orchestra.

Victoria St. Church, Rev. B. H. Nobles, minister.—Services tomorrow 11 a.m., Mr. Walter Ferris, subject, "Peace." Others will take part as well. Bible school 2.30 p.m.; 7 p.m., pastor will preach, subject, "The Greatest Battle-field in History, and is it Right to Fight?" Christmas music will be repeated; seats free.

Waterloo St. United Baptist Church, Rev. F. H. Wentworth, pastor.—Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday school 2.30; messages for the new year—morning, "Something to Do"; evening, "The Things That Cannot be Shaken." Heavy weather; all seats free.

Brussels St. Baptist Church—The Strangers' Home, Rev. D. J. McPherson, pastor.—Subjects—11 a. m., "Inviting the Best Things"; 7 p.m., "A New Year's Motto"; Bible School and Y. M. A., 12.10 p. m. Christmas music repeated.

St. John Presbyterian Church, King St. East, Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, B.D., minister.—Public worship 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Young Men's Bible Class 12.15; Sunday School and Adult Bible Class (mixed), 2.30 p.m.

First Church of Christ Scientist—Services at 11 a.m. at 15 Germain street, subject, "God." Wednesday evening service at 8; reading room open daily from

DEMOCRACY AND PEACE

I understand that the proposed celebration of the hundred years' peace is to be postponed because at the very time when we should be celebrating nearly all of Europe and much of Asia and Africa are engaged in the most tremendous war ever known. The coincidence recalls De Toqueville's criticism upon democracies. He said: "Foreign politics demand scarcely any of those qualities which a democracy possesses; and they require on the contrary, the perfect use of almost all those faculties in which it is deficient. . . . A democracy is unable to regulate the details of an important undertaking, to persevere in a design and to work out its execution in the presence of serious obstacles. It cannot combine its measures with secrecy, and will not await their consequences with patience. These are qualities which more especially belong to an individual or to an aristocracy, as the Northern people attain a predominant position."

The eighty years which have passed since De Toqueville wrote have witnessed a great development of democratic government and much-increased opportunity to judge of its strength and weakness. It seems now that the very qualities of monarchies or aristocratic government which De Toqueville assumed to be necessary for the conduct of foreign affairs tend to make continuing securing wars inevitable, while the deficiencies which De Toqueville ascribed to democratic government tend towards the preservation of peace.

Of course, the difficulties of international relations in Europe are vastly greater in America, yet there is enough similarity to make a comparison suggestive. Between Atlantic and the Pacific we have two peoples living under essentially democratic government, stretching along more than three thousand miles of boundary, and maintaining peace for a hundred years notwithstanding many serious causes of controversy, such, for instance, as the Northwest boundary, the Oregon boundary, the Alaskan boundary, the Fenian Disturbances, the Caroline Affair, the Fisheries disputes. An examination of their history shows that what De Toqueville said of democracies is not altogether true, and that neither country had any particular policy. Neither was seeking to "attain a predominant position" through "an important undertaking" through "persevering in design," or "combining measures with secrecy." Both peoples were going on attempting their own business, pressing forward their production and trade and means of self-improvement, each getting very angry with the other at times and getting over it again, but neither of them really having predominant positions. The most strenuous policy in the European sense, that is on the other side of the Atlantic have been all the qualities which De Toqueville ascribed to an aristocracy, "definite governmental policies persisting from generation to generation, "perseverance in design," "measures combined with secrecy" as "means for individual peoples to attain predominant positions." The most strenuous efforts towards conciliation, good understanding, kindly feeling, between two nations, as well as the production of policies into a permanent peace, that is North America's greatest achievement.

And why America's achievement? Why America's alone? Not because those two nations are spent and wasted forces of demagogues and cowards, slow to defend a national right, slow to resent a national insult. No redder, prouder, hotter blood ever beat in British veins than the Flirtin blood of New England, the Cavalier blood of Virginia, the Celtic blood of North Carolina, or the blood of the United States of Kentucky and Tennessee. The same blood, proud, hot, throbs through Canadian veins from Cape Breton to Vancouver. Not blood from Britain alone, but from France as well, and from Germany. All the great war nations of Europe, through the generations, have silt their own veins and poured their best blood, their hot war blood, into the heart of America. If blood kills, that blood should tell us—From "America's Achievement—Europe's Failure," by Dr. James A. Macdonald, in the American Review of Reviews for January.

"Say, pop, may I have another cake?" "Yes, Bobby, if you won't tell your mother." (An interval of mastication.) "Pop, may I have another piece of cake?" "No." "Then I'll tell mamma."

While walking in the Adirondacks a young millionaire was given a lift by a driver on a lumber cart. "Get a cigarette," inquired the driver. "Sure," replied the young man, drawing from his pocket a gold cigarette case richly jeweled and engraved. "The fellow's eyes opened with astonishment, 'Jimmie cracker!' he exclaimed. "What kind of cigarettes do they give that box with?"

FROM GRAPE SEEDS
Through experiments which have been conducted at an Argentine refinery, an oil which is especially valuable for the manufacture of soap has been produced from grape seeds. The discoverer of the process is at the present time carrying out further tests in Mendoza at the request of the local government. In case it is found that the oil can be produced on a commercial scale at a cost not prohibitive, it is believed that it will have an important effect on the wine industry. In the past grape seeds have been thrown away as refuse.

ST. CROIX RIVER DREDGING
On the St. Croix river, the United States is conducting dredging operations under an agreement with the Canadian government, by which the latter is to pay 10 per cent. on completion of the work. Expenditures during the year ending June 30, 1914, were \$49,657.56, all for new work. Operations consisted in dredging 109,481 cubic yards of material. About 65 per cent. of the estimated total quantity of excavation has been accomplished, or about 71 per cent. on the basis of estimate cost. About 100 feet wide and nine feet deep, or about two-fifths of channel in all.

FOUND
A store selling 300 men's and boys' shirts at 25c each for a few days. Better come tonight.—Mulholland's, 38 King square. Look for electric sign. Big sale in other goods as well. Money cheerfully refunded.—Mulholland's.

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LOCAL NEWS

Excellent ice at the Vic. tonight.
Horsehead candy 14c. a lb. for week end.—Phillips' Stores.

Our greetings could be more effusive, but not more sincere. Here's to you and yours. And no more 1914's.—C. B. Pidgeon.

Excellent ice at the Vic. tonight.
Our store will close at 6 o'clock Saturday evenings during January, February and March.—O. H. Warwick Co.

Chalet beginners' class opens January 4.
AT F. W. DANIEL'S.
Bargains in women's and misses' warm sweater coats and sweaters at Daniel's tonight and Monday. About seventy-nine odd garments marked for quick sale. Knitted skating or snowsailing sweaters, knitted golfing coats, and elegant finished sweater coats. Store open until 10 on Saturday evenings.

Our store will close Saturday nights at 8 o'clock.—Marr Millinery Co.
The debenture shareholders of J. S. Gibbon Co. Ltd. received interest checks today at 8 %.

Meeting of convention committee Trades and Labor Council, Sunday at 2.30, Oddfellows' building.
City Cornet Band will meet at the band room at 9.30 Sunday morning, weather permitting.

MONDAY NIGHT CLUB
Monday Night Skating Club will commence Monday evening, Jan. 4. Those desiring to join should communicate with the secretary, D. L. MacLaren, 6 Paddock street.

NOT CONCERNED.
Rumors having been current that they were connected with a project to try to secure the liquor license of a North End dealer, H. Gorman and Thos. Burns desire to deny the report. They say they have no connection with the applicant for the license.

CONCENTRATION CAMP.
The Malacca iron works grounds and plant in Amherst are to be used as a concentration camp for prisoners of war in Canada.

IMPERIAL TONIGHT AND MONDAY
The three reels, which conclude the "Troy O'Hearts" story at the Imperial were put on atterday, and the people of St. John are excitedly discussing the sensational wind-up of this unusual production. Tonight the picture will be shown for the last time.

On Monday the Imperial's vaudeville will be Gustavus, singing, dancing, talker and society dancer. The second episode in the new series, "Terence O'Hourke," Adventurer Gentleman, will be put on atterday, and will prove a great surprise to the admirers of handsome J. Warren Kerrigan. The second of the "Helen" series, "The Girl of the Year," will be on Monday night under the title, "The Plot at the Railway Cut." There will be a variety party at 8 o'clock on Monday night, at the Imperial.

SURPRISE NO. 1
In the New Year's announcement from the Gem Theatre several surprises were in store for 1915. The first of these is to begin Monday on which day, after the orchestra will be present in the market in a grand variety of performances. Other surprises are in store for the patrons also.

All former "Chalet" club class members invited to attend assembly, January 7, 1-15.

GERMAN SENDS GREETINGS
A German socialist of Montreal sends his greetings to a St. John socialist. The socialist know the real cause of war and their mission is to abolish the market in exchange, and establish international peace by establishing a system of wealth production for use instead of private property. Public meeting at 8 o'clock at 6, m. at 87 Union street. Speaker, A. Taylor.

AWAY WITH WAGES
The socialists want to abolish the wage system which they say clogs the wheels of the workers at the very point of production, thus leaving a large surplus of goods to be thrown on the market to cause the great war with its horrors. Hear a lecture on Socialism by A. Taylor, on Sunday at 8 p. m. at 87 Union street. All people that are opposed to war, ignorance, poverty and misery, should attend this meeting.

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Wishing a Bright and Happy New Year
—to Canada's noble sons now fighting to uphold the Empire's honor
—to our numerous patrons
—and to the public at large.
J. Marcus

The Patent Potato Pot
Have You Seen One?
The PATENT POTATO POT does away with all dangers of scalding or burning the hands and arms when draining the potatoes. The cover is held on by the handle and never falls off when the pot is being drained. A patent lip covers the spout and prevents the steam from escaping.
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PERSONALS
Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Vanwart have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Annie Dean Vanwart, to Harold Domine, the wedding to take place on January 6.
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Walters of Woodstock spent New Year's day with Mr. Walters' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dunn, and will return to their home to-morrow.

BOY WONDER VERSUS OLD TIME CHAMPION AT BILLIARDS TABLE
Walter Cochran, a Manson, Ia., boy, whose marvelous skill with the cue has placed him among the foremost players of the world at the early age of sixteen years, is the youngest member of the Champion Billiard Players' League.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION
MINCE and LEMON pie
FRUIT cake, doughnuts, LORI
BALTIMORE cake, etc.
Women's Exchange, Tea and Luncheon Room, 158 Union St.
COAL! COAL
Scotts and American Anthracite
Minnedo, Broad Cove, and Sydney
FORD H. LOGAN
96-98 City Road. Tel. Main 217

GIRL WANTED at once, 8 City R. 20847-1-9
FURNISHED Rooms, \$2 per week
Mrs. Smith, 58 Sherbrooke St. 20344-1-9

FOUND—On King Square, a g watch. Apply Gibbon & Co., 1 Union street. 20348-1-5
WANTED—Girl for general house work. Apply Mrs. H. C. Wetton 141 Union street. 20341-1-6

LOST—On Friday evening on Duane Avenue a gold ring set with emeralds. Finder will be rewarded by leaving same at 45 Germain street. 20346-1-9
LOST—Gold Pin, half-moon shape. With one pearl, between Duke Waterford street or on King Street please leave at 101 Duke St. 20346-1-9

RECENT DEATHS
Hugh Doherty, son of George D Sackey, died passed away at his Christmas Day, after an illness of months, aged 24 years.
Clifford Heekin died at his in Fredericton this week, aged seven years. His wife and one Miss Carrie Heekin, survive.

AT Oromocto, on Wednesday Samuel L. Shanks, died, aged 81. He is survived by his wife, Samuel, James and Rainsford Oger, of Victoria, B.C., and Plaster Rock; and two daughters Austin Carr and Mrs. Thos. Geary.

THE 1912 CLASS
The St. John High School class of 1912 held a banquet union in the Brown Betty tea, Wednesday evening. The following were elected: President, Nugent; 1st vice-president, C. McNeil; 2nd vice-president, Cecil Ham; secretary, treasurer, Allan Geary; members of the executive, Bridges and Gordon Green.

On account of ill-health he was compelled to abandon billiards, and for two years his physical condition alarmed his friends. He purchased a farm near Hartford, Mich., and the farm had a spring on it, but Mr. Sutton was more interested in the land than in the spring. It was a long time before he discovered that the water of this spring possessed rare mineral properties.

His attention was first called to it because the stock on the farm refused to drink the water. This led to an investigation and an analysis which showed the water to be rich in minerals. Sutton gave the water a thorough test, after being assured by his physician that the water could not possibly have any injurious effects, and now he never drinks anything else. When away from home he has the water shipped to him, so that he is never without it.

Sutton and Cochran will play league matches in Boston on Jan. 5 and 6 at the Imperial rooms.

Dr. J. S. Shaw Dead
Boston, Mass., Jan. 2.—Dr. J. S. Shaw, a well known theatrical character, a brother of Dr. Anna Shaw, president of the National Suffrage Association, died today.

HIS ANKLE BROKE
William Knight, a well known player of the North End, fell while down Harrison street on Thursday evening and broke one of his ankles. He was carried to his home nearby by a taxicab. Later he was taken to the hospital.

DELICATES
SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY
Baked Beans, Steamed Bread
Baked White and Brown Breads, Cakes, Layer Cake, Raisin Cake, Baked Ham, Devilled Potatoes, Chicken, New Chicken Pies.
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