

# Dr. Scherer to Speak to Men At the Academy Tomorrow

The above is a reproduction of a photograph of the Rev. Dr. James A. B. Scherer, president of Newberry College, Newberry, S. C., who comes to Charlotte tonight to address the big meeting to be held tomorrow in the Academy of Music at 5 o'clock under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association.



President Scherer is one of the most popular and eloquent men that come to Charlotte. It will be remembered that he addressed a large audience at the Y. M. C. A. a year ago on "The Eastern War," which attracted considerable attention because President Scherer is recognized as an authority on all questions, Oriental, having spent five years as a professor in the Imperial University of Japan, situated in the capital city Tokio. Several books on the Eastern question have been written by President Scherer, the best known being "Japan Today"

which has had a very wide sale in England as well as this country. On returning to America he accepted the pastorate of the leading Lutheran church in Charleston, St. Mark's and at once sprang into popularity as a pulpit orator. He resigned his pastorate about two years ago to accept the presidency of Newberry college which has had an uninterrupted and constantly growing success.

President Scherer will speak tomorrow on the subject "Accepting Christ" and those who come are assured a

## MESSINGER BOY IN COLLISION.

Was Thrown Violently From His Wheel and Badly Hurt. Giles Ratchford, one of the bright little Postal Telegraph messenger boys was thrown from his wheel this morning at the intersection of East Trade and College streets and sustained serious injuries.

The boy was on his way to Elizabeth College with a message, riding down the East Trade street incline at a rapid rate of speed. As he neared College street a small negro boy, also riding a wheel, came directly in his path and before either could change the direction of their wheels they collided. The Messenger boy was hurled against a wagon, receiving, what physicians term, a green-stick-split of both bones in the left arm besides a severe fracture of the nasal bone. His face was also badly cut and bruised.

## THE JOINT CELEBRATION.

Of the 90th Anniversary of American Bible Society At First Church.

The joint celebration of the 90th anniversary of the American Bible Society, will be held in the First Presbyterian church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

Charlotte is among the first of Southern cities to respond to the call of the hour, by holding a united service in commemoration of the great work accomplished by this Christian and philanthropic agency. A great mass meeting of the people will witness this interest at tomorrow night's meeting.

Quite a number of Charlotte's churches will give way to this joint service by omitting the usual evening service and their pastors will participate in the Bible mass meeting.

Mr. Charles W. Tillett will preside and Dr. Thos H. Law of Spartanburg will make one of the addresses.

## SPECIAL TO NEW ORLEANS.

Northern People Pass Through Charlotte en Route to Mardi Gras.

A special train consisting of three Pullman's, dining and baggage car, and run as the first section of train No. 37 passed through Charlotte this morning en route from New York City to New Orleans. There were 56 passengers on board who will be present at the grand opening of Mardi Gras Monday. The people were from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Northern cities. Instead of going to a hotel they will live and eat in the cars which will be sidetracked at the terminal station in that city.

## WESTINGHOUSE OFFICE.

Branch Office To Be Opened in Charlotte.

A branch office of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, of Pittsburgh, Pa., will be opened in Charlotte about the first of April. Offices in the Trust building have been leased. Mr. Walter P. Holcombe, of St. Louis, will have charge of the Charlotte office which will belong to the Atlanta territory.

Mr. Osborne's Appointments. Archdeacon E. A. Osborne will conduct services, preach and celebrate the Holy Communion in Christ Church, Cleveland, tomorrow at 11 o'clock and in St. George's church, Woodleaf, at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night.

## Souvenir Program.

An interesting feature of tomorrow's meeting for men at the Academy of Music will be a printed program in the nature of a souvenir with a half tone reproduction of a photograph of the distinguished speaker of the day, President Scherer of Newberry college.

## Music at Second Church.

The following musical program will be rendered at the Second Presbyterian church tomorrow:

- Morning.
- Prelude, Hosannah . . . . .Dubois.
  - Anthem, The Lord is Exalted. . . . .West.
  - Anthem, Gentle Holy Saviour. Gonnard.
  - Postlude, Allegro Moderato. . . . .Rhineber.

- Evening.
- Prelude, Andante . . . . .Hollins.
  - Anthem, Let Not Your Heart. Foster.
  - Anthem, O Sweetly Breathe the Lyers Above. . . . .Chopin-Sheley.
  - Postlude, Marche Pittoresque. Kroejer.

## Miss Hart Entertained.

Miss Ella Hart entertained at the home of her father a large crowd of young people on last Monday night and every one seemed to enjoy themselves. The ones present were: Mr. Fred Long, Mr. Charles Mitchell, Mr. Willis Sloop, Mr. Claud Herron, Mr. Ralph Abernethy, Mr. Isaac Howell, Mr. Edward Marks, Mr. Geo. Howell, Mr. John Marks, Mr. James Herron, Mr. White, Mr. Baxter Herron, Miss Bessie Long, Miss Mabel Clanton, Miss Edna Marks, Miss Lona Howell, Miss Eunice Herron, Miss Susie Parks, Miss Lois Herron, Miss Caddie Howell.

To Address St. Mark's Sunday School. Dr. Jas. A. B. Scherer, president of Newberry College, will address the Sunday school of St. Mark's Lutheran church tomorrow at 3:30 p. m. He will also worship with St. Mark's congregation at 11 a. m. The public is cordially invited.

## IN MEMORIAM.

Mrs. Ann Emerson Worsham, wife of Mr. Thomas S. Worsham, died February 14, 1906, at 1 o'clock A. M. She was stricken with paralysis about 4:30 Monday evening and about midnight lost consciousness and motion entirely, continuing in that condition until she died. She was born October 25, 1849, and was among the last of the immediate descendants of two prominent families of this section, the Sloans and Emersons.

When a young woman she united with the A. R. P. Church at Coddle Creek, under the pastorate of Rev. J. E. Pressly. Her connection with this church continued until the Presbyterian organization at Shearer's Chapel, when she was dismissed to go with her husband into that church.

Having spent the last years of her life near Coddle Creek, she was a regular attendant and took an active part in Sabbath school work, being for some time a teacher in one of the classes. Mrs. Worsham was devoted to the church and to her family and will be sadly missed in both these relations, as also by the community in which she lived. She left a husband, a son, a daughter, one brother in Texas, and other relatives here and elsewhere to mourn their loss.

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## ECHOES OF THE NEWS.

### Roosevelt—A Schemer.

Much has been written of late about President Roosevelt's "abominable" party measures; his partisanship has greatly weakened they say his ardor for the old "Radikal" party cooled down," they tell me. It is said that he has discarded much of the spirit of sectionalism, etc., and just because he has been honest enough to agree with the Democrats upon a few very important measures needed in the way of relief for the people, he has been accredited with being liberal minded and a great diplomat, etc. Mr. Roosevelt, while he has some admirable traits, is an intense partisan, and with all his seeming Democratic leanings, he is "holding to the harem and running with the hound," a sort of "a dog in the manger," so to speak. The word diplomat describes his doctrine to a T, for he is one in the extreme, and in pursuing the doctrine of diplomacy he goes to extremes and shows himself in this to be a "Radikal" in the wool," and a great schemer. The case of the admission of New Mexico and Arizona to a statehood furnishes proof positive of this fact. If the statement made by the Democratic press be true, and we doubt it not, he and his backers in Congress are trying to work a ruse to strengthen the "Radikal" party by yoking New Mexico and Arizona together. This shows Mr. Roosevelt to be a schemer.

The Charlotte Times-Democrat explains this trick very nicely as follows: "New Mexico and Arizona are in imminent danger of being forcibly yoked together into joint statehood. Mr. Roosevelt is bending every nerve to consummate the incongruous union. The Republican contingency in the Senate is of the same mind, for they see clearly the power and strength in the entree of two Democratic sovereignties into the imbroglio of national politics. Seeing as they do the strength that would thereby be supplemented to the Democratic representation in Congress, they are strenuously attempting to bring about the marriage of the two territories, regardless of their say-so in the matter."

But a glance at the two territories in question, New Mexico and Arizona were promised statehood when they were admitted as territories. It is nothing but just and right to them that they should be admitted into the union as separate States. While they are not made up of the same class of people and not of the same advancement and ability, still they are both thoroughly capable of admission as separate States. But the question arises are they willing to be married? There is but one answer, they are not. They are not congenial. They are made up of a different class of people. They have different interests and as a whole, the union would be distasteful to Arizona especially, since she is of a much higher standard of citizenship and advancement than is New Mexico.

Realizing this the Republican contingency in the Senate, willing to resort to any subterfuge to carry their point, have decided to advocate a decision by a popular vote the two territories concerned. Under this seemingly willingness to grant fair play is couched the scheme to secure the union. They well know that New Mexico has a far greater population than Arizona and they know also that it is Arizona that is really adverse to the union and would vote unanimously against it. If left to be decided in this manner the vote in New Mexico will, no doubt, greatly outnumber that of the other territory and the union will be consummated, regardless of the protests of Arizona."

—Clinton Democrat.

### Banks Versus Saloons in North Dakota.

I traveled a thousand miles up and down these Great Northern expanses, visiting thirty-one towns in their swaddling clothes, and found every one of them ablaze with confidence that it was certain to surpass in population and prosperity all of its sister infants. In their main essentials they were bewilderingly alike. There was the main business street laid out like a boulevard for width, vastly expensive to pave whenever that step in development should be reached. There had not been time to build "residence sections" in most of them. The workers lived in the hotel or over their their stores, and the few dwellings close to the clustered beginnings of the town as if reluctant to scatter over the bare and wind-swept prairie. There were no saloons for North Dakota is under the sway of a prohibition law. Whereas the saloon is the pioneer enterprise in the mining camp, the bank took the lead in this wholesome kind of creation. There were towns with a dozen saloons, four hundred people and three banks. In fact, the nucleus of such a town is a group of saloons, the "general store," and the bank. There was one town, Munich, whose history ran back some twelve months, in which three of the four corners of one block on the main street were occupied by banks. It is an upside down condition of pioneer settlement when banks are so conspicuously numerous and saloons so conspicuously missing.—Ralph D. Paine in "The Builders," in The Outing Magazine for March.

### PRESIDENT HARVIE JORDAN.

Will Confer With State Executive Committee.

A meeting of the State executive committee, of the Southern Cotton Association has been called at Raleigh on March the third to confer with President Harvie Jordan, of the Southern Association. Mr. C. C. Moore, president of the State Association will be present at the meeting. Mr. Jordan will address the farmers of the Wake County Association while at Raleigh. Capt. S. B. Alexander, of Charlotte, is a member of the executive committee.

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# Where To Worship

## St. Mark's Lutheran Church.

Rev. R. C. Holland, pastor; services at 11 a. m.; no services in the evening on account of the anniversary of American Bible Society at the First Presbyterian church. Dr. Thomas H. Law will present the Bible cause at 11 a. m., as Southern Field Agent of American Bible Society. The public cordially invited to be present.

## Second Presbyterian Church.

Preaching at 11 a. m., by pastor, Dr. M. D. Hardin; Sunday school at 3:15 p. m.; men's prayer-meeting at 10:15 a. m. At 8 the congregation will meet in the anniversary exercises of American Bible Society at First Presbyterian church.

## St. Peter's Church.

Rev. Joseph Muller, O. S. B., pastor. First mass at 8 a. m.; high mass 10:30. Rt. Rev. Leo Haid, will preach. At 4 p. m. blessing of the school-building, followed by benediction in church. No evening service nor Sunday school tomorrow.

## Ninth Avenue Baptist Church.

L. R. Pruett, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school meets at 3 p. m.; prayer service Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

## Trinity Methodist Church.

Prayer meeting at 10:15; preaching at 11 by the pastor; Sunday school at 3:30. The congregation is requested to meet with the other churches at the First Presbyterian church at night, in the anniversary exercises of the American Bible Society.

## St. Peter's Church.

Corner North Tryon and Seventh streets. Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt, rector. Quinquagesima Sunday. Celebration of the Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.; Sunday school and Rector's Bible Class, 9:30 a. m.; morning prayer, ante-communion and sermon, 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m. The Rector will preach at both services. Pews free. All are welcome.

## St. John's Chapel.

North Graham street near Sixth. Ernest Field, Sunday school superintendent. Sunday school and Bible Class 3:30 p. m.

## First Presbyterian Church.

Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor, Dr. J. R. Howerton; men's prayer-meeting 9:45 a. m.; Sunday school 3:30 p. m.; Wednesday night prayer-meeting at 8. A cordial invitation to all. Pews free.

## Calvary and St. Paul's Methodist.

Prayer-meeting at 10 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. D. L. Reid; Sunday school at 3 p. m. A cordial invitation to strangers and all who can attend all these services.

## East Avenue Tabernacle.

Rev. W. W. Orr, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. No night service on account union service at First Presbyterian church; men's prayer-meeting at 10 a. m.; Sabbath school at 3:30 p. m.; Y. P. C. U. at 7 p. m.; congregational prayer-meeting every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All members urged to be present at all of these services, together with a cordial invitation to all friends and strangers.

## Epworth M. E. Church.

Preaching by Rev. A. L. Coburn at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. tomorrow; aid and missionary meeting at the night service. All are invited. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. At Seversville, preaching at 3:30 p. m.; Sunday school at 2:30.

## Tryon Street Methodist.

Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. H. K. Boyer. No service at night; men's prayer-meeting at 10 a. m.; Sunday school 3:30 p. m.

## Tenth Avenue Presbyterian Church.

Preaching 11 a. m. by pastor, Rev. A. R. Shaw. No evening service; the congregation is invited to attend the joint service at the First church, Sunday school at 3:30 p. m.; prayer-meeting Wednesday 8 p. m. All are welcome.

## Westminster Presbyterian Church.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. Mr. Whaley of Mooresville, N. C. Sunday school at 10 a. m.

## Dilworth Methodist Church.

Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. C. M. Short; Sunday school at 9:45 o'clock.

## A Card From Mr. Asbury.

To the Editor of The News. Referring to a recent editorial in which you say any tendency towards socialism is dangerous and anarchistic I would respectfully ask you to give your reasons for this superficial assertion. The bare statement of a conclusion makes no appeal to a logical mind; the steps by which it is reached must be shown. False or pernicious doctrines should never be allowed to pass unsecured; and if it can be demonstrated that the doctrines of Socialism are such, the sooner they are revealed in their true light the better. If, on the other hand, it can be demonstrated that Socialism will make for liberty, justice and equality of opportunity in economic and political life; that the age-long dream of brotherhood can become a reality only under Socialism, then the dissemination of its teachings is a public duty.

Possibly your opposition to Socialism is due to lack of information on the subject. Will you kindly give a lucid exposition of what you believe to be the cardinal principles of Socialism and follow it with constructive criticism. Yours for Socialism. RICHARD S. ASBURY. Charlotte, N. C., Feb. 23, '06.

## THE BUFORD'S HOUSEKEEPER.

Mrs. M. E. Caruthers, of New York, Assumes Charge. Mr. C. E. Hooper, proprietor of the Buford, has secured the services of Mrs. M. E. Caruthers, of New York, in the capacity of housekeeper. Mrs. Caruthers has arrived and taken charge in this capacity. She was lately connected with the Waldorf-Astoria, the Normandy and the Philadelphia Club at Philadelphia.

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